

IIT KHARAGPUR AI4ICPS I HUB FOUNDATION

Hands-on Approach to AI, Cohort-2, July – October 2024

Assignment 1: Mathematical Foundations for AI and ML - I

Due date: Friday 19th July 2024, EOD – IST.

Important Instructions for submitting solutions

- 1. Submit the solution to all questions in the assignment should be submitted in a single PDF file with not more than 500 words.
- 2. Any plagiarism if detected will automatically attract **zero marks** for that assignment.
- 3. It is preferable if the **text of PDF file can be extracted** through a PDF extractor e.g. PyPDF. For example, pictures of handwritten text are not extractable, whereas PDF generated by MS Word, Latex, etc., are extractable.
- 4. Exceptionally good solutions with extractable text may receive **special appreciation** from the teachers.

Questions:

- 1. What are the measures of central tendency, and how do they differ from each other?
- 2. How do you interpret the standard deviation in the context of data variability?
- 3. What is a box plot, and what information can you extract from it?
- 4. Explain the significance of the interquartile range (IQR) and how it is used to detect outliers.
- 5. How Do Maximum Likelihood Estimators (MLE) Work?