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Week 1 Advanced Python, Data Engineering & Big Data Fundamentals	Project 1	Project 1	Project 1	Project 1	Project 1	
	Python Advanced - Collections & Error Handling Collections <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Counters Named Tuples Ordered Dicts Default Dict ChainMap Advanced Exception Handling <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exception hierarchy and custom exceptions Context managers (with statement) Exception chaining and traceback Logging & Debugging <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Logging module: handlers, formatters, levels 	Python Advanced - Data Visualization & Testing NumPy & Pandas Advanced <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NumPy: array operations, broadcasting, vectorization Pandas: advanced groupby, pivot tables, merging Performance optimization techniques Memory management with large datasets Matplotlib & Data Visualization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating professional visualizations Subplots, multiple axes, and layouts Customization and styling Interactive visualizations basics Unit Testing with Pytest <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Test-driven development (TDD) principles Pytest fixtures and parameterization Mocking and patching Code coverage analysis 	Advanced SQL & Database Optimization Advanced Queries - Window Functions & CTEs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Window functions: ROW_NUMBER, RANK, DENSE_RANK, LEAD, LAG Running totals and moving averages Common Table Expressions (CTEs) and recursive CTEs Query structuring best practices Joins & Subqueries Optimization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Join types and performance implications Correlated vs non-correlated subqueries EXISTS vs IN performance Join elimination techniques Database Performance Tuning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indexes: types, strategies, and trade-offs Execution plans and query analysis Statistics and query optimizer Partitioning and sharding concepts 	Big Data & Cloud Fundamentals Big Data Architecture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Big Data characteristics: 4Vs (Volume, Velocity, Variety, Veracity) Big Data components and ecosystem Distributed computing concepts CAP theorem and eventual consistency Data Lifecycle Stages File Formats & Data Types <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Structured vs Semi-structured vs Unstructured data File formats: CSV, JSON, XML, Avro, Parquet, ORC Columnar vs Row-based storage Compression algorithms and strategies Schema evolution considerations Cloud Computing Architecture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cloud computing models: IaaS, PaaS, SaaS Azure ecosystem overview: Compute, Storage, Networking Azure Data Services: ADLS Gen2, 	Data Warehousing & Modeling Data Warehousing Concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> OLTP vs OLAP systems Data Warehouse vs Data Lake vs Lakehouse Data Warehouse architecture patterns Operational Data Store (ODS) Data Mart concepts Dimensional Modeling <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conceptual vs Logical vs Physical modeling Star Schema design Snowflake Schema design Fact tables: additive, semi-additive, non-additive measures Dimension tables: conformed dimensions Slowly Changing Dimensions & ETL/ELT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SCD Type 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 Implementation strategies for each type ETL vs ELT: when to use which Data quality and 	

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Views, Materialized Views Stored Procedures and User Defined Functions <p>ACID Properties & Transaction Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transaction isolation levels Deadlock detection and prevention Transaction commit, rollback patterns CRUD operations optimization 	Synapse, Databricks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pricing models and cost optimization 	cleansing strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BigQuery overview: datasets, tables, queries 	
Week 2 PySpark Deep Dive	<div>Project 2</div> <div>Spark Ecosystem & Architecture</div> <p>Big Data Processing & Spark Evolution</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hadoop MapReduce limitations Spark vs Hadoop: performance comparison Spark ecosystem: Core, SQL, Streaming, MLlib, GraphX Use cases for each Spark component <p>Spark Architecture Deep Dive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Driver, Executor, Cluster Manager roles Spark application lifecycle Job, Stage, Task hierarchy Shuffle operations 	<div>Project 2</div> <div>RDD Advanced Operations</div> <p>RDD Advanced Operations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> RDD characteristics: Immutable, Distributed, Fault-tolerant Creating RDDs: parallelize, textFile, external sources RDD lineage and dependencies Narrow vs Wide transformations <p>RDD Transformations & Actions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> map, flatMap, filter, distinct reduce, fold, aggregate collect, count, first, take, foreach saveAsTextFile and output operations <p>Key-Value Pair</p>	<div>Project 2</div> <div>DataFrames & Spark SQL</div> <p>Evolution to DataFrames</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> RDDs vs DataFrames vs Datasets Benefits of DataFrames: Catalyst optimizer, Tungsten execution Spark Session API Schema definition: StructType, StructField Schema inference vs explicit schema <p>Creating & Managing DataFrames</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating from: RDDs, JSON, CSV, Parquet, databases Reading with options: header, delimiter, schema Column data types and casting DataFrame 	<div>Project 2</div> <div>Advanced DataFrame Operations</div> <p>Data Aggregation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> GroupBy operations: groupBy, rollup, cube Built-in aggregation functions: sum, avg, count, min, max agg() with multiple aggregations pivot and unpivot operations <p>Window Functions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Window specification: partitionBy, orderBy Ranking functions: row_number, rank, dense_rank Analytical functions: lead, lag, first, last Aggregate functions with windows 	<div>Project 2</div> <div>Data I/O & Performance Tuning</div> <p>Data Loading Patterns</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reading CSV, JSON with complex schemas Reading Parquet, ORC, Avro Writing with partitioning: partitionBy Writing with bucketing: bucketBy Compression codecs: snappy, gzip, lzo <p>External Data Sources</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> JDBC connections and database reads Read/Write optimization for databases Azure Blob Storage and ADLS Gen2 integration S3 integration patterns 	

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	<p>and impact</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Memory management: storage vs execution <p>Spark Environment Setup</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local vs Cluster mode configuration Spark Context vs Spark Session Configuration parameters and tuning Spark submit options Deployment modes: client vs cluster <p>Execution Model & DAG</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lazy evaluation concepts Transformation vs Action operations DAG (Directed Acyclic Graph) visualization Lineage and fault tolerance 	<p>Operations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating pair RDDs groupByKey vs reduceByKey vs combineByKey aggregateByKey and foldByKey mapValues and flatMapValues Join operations: join, leftOuterJoin, rightOuterJoin cogroup operations <p>RDD Persistence & Shared Variables</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Storage levels: MEMORY_ONLY, MEMORY_AND_DISK, etc. Caching strategies and when to use Broadcast variables: use cases and implementation Accumulators: built-in and custom Partitioning: HashPartitioner, RangePartitioner, custom 	<p>schema operations</p> <p>DataFrame Operations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> select, selectExpr, drop, withColumn, withColumnRenamed filter, where, distinct orderBy, sort limit, sample Column expressions and functions <p>Spark SQL Integration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating temporary views: createOrReplaceTempView Creating global views SQL queries on DataFrames Advanced SQL: CTEs, subqueries, window functions Catalog API 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frame specification: rows vs range <p>Joins in Detail</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inner, outer, left, right, left_semi, left_anti Cross joins and broadcast joins Join optimization strategies Broadcast hints Skewed join handling <p>Set Operations & UDFs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> union, unionAll, unionByName intersect, except (subtract) User Defined Functions (UDFs): creation and registration UDF performance considerations Pandas UDFs (Vectorized UDFs) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schema evolution handling <p>Spark Cluster Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cluster managers: Standalone, YARN, Kubernetes, Mesos Driver and executor configuration spark-submit parameters Dynamic allocation Resource allocation strategies <p>Performance Tuning Deep Dive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Memory management and tuning Serialization: Java vs Kryo Partition tuning: repartition vs coalesce Caching strategies Avoiding common pitfalls 	
<p>Week 3</p> <p>Databricks & Delta Lake Mastery</p>	<p>Project 2</p> <p>Databricks Platform & Setup</p> <p>Lakehouse Architecture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evolution: Data Warehouse → Data Lake → Lakehouse Lakehouse architecture principles Benefits: ACID, schema enforcement, time travel on data lake 	<p>Project 2</p> <p>Delta Lake Fundamentals</p> <p>Delta Lake Overview</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ACID transactions in data lakes Schema evolution and enforcement Time travel and versioning capabilities Transaction log architecture <p>Delta Lake vs.</p>	<p>Project 2</p> <p>Advanced Delta Lake and Medallion Architecture</p> <p>Delta Lake Advanced Features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Liquid Clustering and optimization Deletion Vectors and performance OPTIMIZE command and Z-ordering VACUUM 	<p>Project 2</p> <p>Databricks SQL and Streaming</p> <p>Databricks SQL and Warehousing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SQL warehouses vs. compute clusters Warehouse configuration and scaling Query optimization and performance tuning <p>Data Reading and</p>	<p>Project 2</p> <p>Integration and Advanced Storage</p> <p>Azure Data Lake Storage Integration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ADLS Gen2 connectivity Mounting strategies and authentication OAuth and Service Principal setup <p>File Types and</p>	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Databricks Lakehouse platform overview <p>Databricks Architecture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Control Plane vs Data Plane Azure Databricks architecture components Account structure and workspace hierarchy Networking and security architecture <p>Azure Databricks Setup</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Account creation and subscription setup Workspace creation and configuration Pricing models and SKUs Cost optimization strategies Resource tagging and management <p>Workspace Components & DBFS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UI navigation and customization Cluster management and configuration Notebook environment and collaboration <p>Databricks FileStore (DBFS)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DBFS structure and file management Mount points and external storage File upload and organization 	<p>Traditional Formats</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Performance comparisons and benefits Migration strategies from Parquet File format optimization <p>Basic Delta Operations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating and managing Delta tables Reading and writing Delta format Basic table operations and metadata <p>Advanced Delta Features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MERGE operations and UPSERT patterns Slowly Changing Dimensions (SCD) implementation Soft delete with incremental data 	<p>operations and retention policies</p> <p>Delta Table Performance Optimization</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Partitioning strategies for Delta Clustering key selection File size optimization <p>Medallion Architecture Implementation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bronze, Silver, Gold layers concept Data quality progression patterns Architecture design principles <p>Medallion Implementation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bronze layer: raw data ingestion Silver layer: data cleaning and standardization Gold layer: business-ready datasets 	<p>Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> External table creation and management Data source connections and formats Batch processing optimization <p>Auto Loader and Streaming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Auto Loader concepts and implementation File detection modes and schema evolution Incremental processing patterns <p>Data Streams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Structured streaming fundamentals Stream processing and windowing Real-time analytics patterns 	<p>External Integration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multi-format support and optimization Compression algorithms and strategies External system integration patterns <p>Advanced Storage Patterns</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> File organization and naming conventions Access pattern optimization Cross-region data management <p>Data Pipeline Architecture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> End-to-end pipeline design Error handling and recovery strategies Monitoring and alerting basics 	

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Week 4 Unity Catalog and Advanced Governance	Project 2	Project 2	Project 2	Project 2	Project 2	
	Unity Catalog Setup and Configuration	Advanced Delta Operations and Security	Volumes and Advanced Features	Data Sharing and Federation	Performance Optimization and Monitoring	
	Unity Catalog Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Three-level namespace architecture Centralized governance and security Unity Catalog vs. Legacy Hive Metastore 	Delta Tables Advanced Operations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MERGE statement syntax and patterns Conditional updates and complex logic Change Data Capture (CDC) implementation 	Volumes in Unity Catalog <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Managed vs. External volumes Volume management and use cases File-based operations in volumes 	Delta Sharing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cross-organization data sharing concepts Provider and recipient configuration Databricks Express Edition setup 	Advanced Performance Tuning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Partitioning and bucketing strategies Clustering and optimization techniques Memory management and resource allocation 	
	Unity Catalog Setup <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Account-level metastore creation Workspace assignment and configuration Regional considerations and planning 	Incremental Data Processing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Incremental loading strategies Delta time travel for auditing Data versioning and rollback 	Advanced Storage Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Volume-based file organization Access pattern optimization Integration with external storage systems 	Data Sharing Implementation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Share creation and management Recipient access and permissions Monitoring and audit trails 	Query Optimization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Execution plan analysis Index and statistics usage Cost-based optimization 	
	Catalog and External Location Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating and managing catalogs External location configuration Storage credential management 	Security and Secret Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Secret scopes and management Azure Key Vault integration Databricks-backed vs. Azure Key Vault-backed scopes 	Functions in Unity Catalog <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scalar User Defined Functions (UDFs) Table-valued functions Function versioning and management 	Lakehouse Federation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Query federation concepts Foreign catalog configuration Cross-platform query execution 	Monitoring and Observability <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Performance monitoring tools Query profiling and analysis Resource utilization tracking 	
	Managed vs. External Tables <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Table types and use cases Location and lifecycle management Performance implications and best practices 	User Management and Access Control <ul style="list-style-type: none"> User, service principal, and group management Role-based access control (RBAC) Object-level permissions and inheritance 	Advanced SQL Functions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complex analytical functions Custom aggregation functions Performance optimization techniques 	External Database Integration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> JDBC connection setup and optimization Query pushdown strategies Hybrid architecture patterns 	Troubleshooting and Debugging <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common performance issues Debug techniques and tools Error handling and recovery 	
Week 5 Workflows, Orchestration, and Production	Project 2	Project 2	Project 2	Project 2	Project 2	
	Workflow Orchestration and Job	Delta Live Tables and Streaming	Apache Airflow Integration	Databricks-Airflow Integration and DBT	Production Deployment	

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	Management Databricks Workflows <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Job creation and configuration Multi-task workflows and dependencies Conditional execution and branching Notebook Orchestration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Notebook parameters and communication Dynamic parameter passing Advanced Job Features <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For-Each loops and conditional logic Task failures and recovery strategies Job scheduling and triggers Job Monitoring and Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Job history and performance tracking Alert configuration and notifications Resource optimization for jobs 	Delta Live Tables (DLT) Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Declarative ETL concepts DLT vs. traditional ETL approaches Pipeline architecture and design DLT Pipeline Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Table and view definitions Data quality constraints Error handling and retry logic Incremental processing patterns Advanced DLT Features <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change Data Capture (CDC) with DLT Pipeline monitoring and debugging Performance optimization techniques Streaming with DLT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Real-time data processing Stream-batch integration Windowing and aggregation 	Airflow Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workflow orchestration concepts DAGs, operators, and tasks Airflow architecture overview Airflow Setup and Configuration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Installation and database setup Web UI overview and navigation Connection and variable management DAG Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DAG design principles and patterns Task dependencies and relationships Dynamic and parameterized DAGs Operators and Hooks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common operators usage Custom operator development Airflow connections and hooks 	Databricks with Airflow <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Databricks operators and integration Job submission and monitoring Parameter passing and error handling Hybrid Orchestration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Combining Databricks workflows with Airflow Architecture patterns and best practices Performance optimization strategies DBT Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analytics engineering concepts DBT vs. traditional ETL approaches Modern data stack integration DBT with Databricks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Databricks adapter setup Model development and testing Deployment strategies 	Production Architecture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Environment management (dev/test/prod) CI/CD pipeline setup Infrastructure as Code concepts Monitoring and Observability <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Logging and metrics collection Alert configuration and response Performance monitoring strategies 	
Week 6 Project	Project 2	Project 2	Project 2	Project 2	Project Presentation	

PROJECT**TECHNOLOGIES** Project 1

Python, SQL, ETL

 Project 2

Spark, ETL, Databricks



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