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**Dual Degree (B.Tech. + M.Tech.)** 

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Examination	University	Institute	Year	CPI / %
Graduation	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2026	
Intermediate	CBSE	BVB Vidyashram, Pratap Nagar, Jaipur	2020	94.80%
Matriculation	CBSE	BVB Vidyashram,Pratap Nagar,Jaipur	2018	89.80%

# Pursuing a Minor in Artificial Intelligence and Data Science

## SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Currently ranked among top 7 within the Dual Degree Program in the Department of Electrical Engineering (2023)
- Earned a Change of Branch to the Department of Electrical Engineering in the Dual Degree program among 15 out of 1200+ students owing to excellent academic performance in the first year (2022)
- Awarded AP grades in Materials and Technology(MM152) and Planetary Sciences(GNR649) course (2023)

## Professional Experience

#### EPR Strategy Intern | IFP Petro Products Private Limited

(Dec 2022)

Established in 1977 and has been providing its refining and blending services to many companies like IOCL, BPCL, etc.

- Developed models for improving sustainability of lubricant oil and improving supply chain for used oil collection
- Analyzed the Used Oil policy by NITI Aayog and Plastic EPR, researched on existing EPR frameworks available
  globally and provided recommendations for better implementation of circular economy and EPR in India
- Worked on the draft of **Investment Memorandum** to be presented in the UP Investor Summit '23 while developing strategic collaborations with various renowned firms including **Shell, Hindustan Oil and Mahindra**

## KEY PROJECTS

## Pipelined and MultiCycle RISC Processor | Course Project

(Aug 2022- Apr 2023)

Guide: Prof. Virendra Singh, Department of Electrical Engineering

- Implemented a 6-stage pipelined RISC processor with 26 instructions in VHDL to achieve an IPC close to 1
- Optimized the pipelined structure using hazard mitigation techniques such as forwarding, flush and branch prediction
- Implemented a multicycle RISC based processor with optimized flow charts and FSM states to reduce CPI
- Tested and verified the design of both processors by viewing the simulated waveforms generated by RTL Simulation
- Designed Mini-8085 microprocessor with level 2 flow chart, including datapath and controller organization

#### Digital Logic Design in VHDL | Course Project

(Jul 2022 - Nov 2022)

Guide: Prof. Maryam Shojaei Baghini, Department of Electrical Engineering

- Designed a Server Access provider by priority using FSM in VHDL and tested the design using Xenon Board
- Performed RTL and Gate level simulation on Intel Quartus software and also tested the designs using UrJTAG software package and verified the correctness of the model using Scanchain on Xenon board

#### Working with 8051 Microcontroller | Course Project

(Jan 2023 - Apr 2023)

Guide: Prof. Saravanan Vijayakumaran, Department of Electrical Engineering

- Created and validated embedded C code for efficient lab inventory tracking of item issuance and returns
- Used a USB-UART module and realterm to couple keyboard with the Pt-51 board through laptop for inputs
- Programmed Pt-51 board using embedded-C to simulate a Stop-Watch with an interfaced LCD display
- Developed a voltage displaying device by interfacing Potentiometer using ADC MCP3008 and SPI

#### Data Analysis and Simulation | Course Project

(Jul 2022 - Nov 2022)

Guide: Prof. D Manjunath, Department of Electrical Engineering

- Constructed a model to predict the height and weight of a person using linear regression on a given data set
- Estimated the total number of fish in Powai Lake using the Capture-Release-Recapture process by maximizing probability
- Simulated a transmitter given the probability of receiving and transmitting data packets for 1,000,000 time steps
- Formulated an algorithm using Hoeffding's inequality to maximize reward given three biased coins and fixed number of tosses

#### Image Captioning | Summer Project

(May 2023- Present)

Summer of Science | Maths and Physics Club, IIT Bombay

- Implemented an Image Captioning model using keras achieving a score of BLEU-1:0.53 and BLEU-2:0.31
- $\bullet$  Utilized pretrained VGG model to extract image features and added GloVe embeddings resulting in higher BLEU scores
- Implemented a classification model utilizing Logistic Regression on the Iris dataset with 96.67% accuracy in PyTorch

#### Analog Circuit Design | Course Project

Guide: Prof. Anil Kottantharayil, Department of Electrical Engineering

- Designed and implemented active filters, differential and logarithmic amplifier using LM741 and TL084 ICs
- Synthesized netlist, devised Ngspice commands to perform the simulations to obtain desired parameters for Log-Amp

#### Option Pricing Models | Research Project

(Jun 2023 - Ongoing)

(Jan 2023 - Apr 2023)

Finsearch | Finance Club

- · Learnt about the basics and main principles of Option Trading with focus on Black-Scholes and Binomial model
- Simulated a Monte Carlo random walk on previous 10 years of stock prices to predict future prices with quantiles

#### Obstacle Manoeuvring Bot | XLR8 RC bot competition

(Aug 2022)

Electronics and Robotics Club, IIT Bombay

- Built an RC bot capable of negotiating different kinds of obstacles in its path and completed the competition path
- Implemented the controlling part with ArduinoIDE and used differential steering mechanism to steer
- Incorporated a wifi module ESP32 and facilitated the use of an L293D motor driver for functioning of bot

## Image Classification using CNNs | Course Project

(Jan 2023- Apr 2023)

Guide: Prof. Biplap Banerjee, Department of C-MInDS

- Implemented a research paper on image classification using Convolution Neural Networks on CIFAR-10 dataset
- Enhanced the neural network with more CNN layers, fine tuning them from a test accuracy of 76% to 88%
- Performed image augmentation on the UC Merced dataset and trained a CNN model with 85% test accuracy

#### Street Fighter II - Reinforcement Learning | Summer Project

(May 2023- Present)

Season of Code | Web and Coding Club, IIT Bombay

- · Aim to implement RL techniques in Street Fighter II utilizing the knowledge acquired from David Silver's lectures
- Compared Monte Carlo and TD Learning algorithm in OpenAI Gym Taxi problem for convergence evaluation
- Implemented an epsilon-greedy algorithm for a multi-armed bandit problem with 5 arms and various epsilons

### Detecting Depression through Tweets | Winter Project

(Dec 2022- Jan 2023)

Winter in Data Science 2.0 | Analytics Club, IIT Bombay

- · Applied Text Pre-Processing and Exploratory Data Analysis techniques to gain insights and refined the dataset
- Used Twitter Dataset and trained data using LSTM model with Word2Vec embeddings with 80% test accuracy
- Achieved higher accuracy with LSTM model over Logistic Regression model which had 55.6% test accuracy

### Limestone Data Challenge | Algorithmic Trading Hackathon

(Mar 2023- Apr 2023)

Organised by Finance & Analytics Club, IIT Bombay in association with Tower Research Capital

- Selected as one of the top 58 teams earning an exclusive invitation to a closed session with the Tower Research team
- Implemented K-means algorithm to group 100 stocks into clusters based on similarities in variance and mean of returns
- Using various regression models on stocks of a given sector, predicted returns of indices to achieve high correlation
- Classified indices into known sectors of stocks with maximum correlation of predicted and actual indices returns

## Technical Proficiency

Programming Software Tools C/C++ | Python | Assembly | Embedded-C | VHDL | SQL | JavaScript | LATEX | CSS | HTML

Intel Quartus | Keil  $\mu$ Vision | Ngspice | MS-Office | GIT | ArduinoIDE

Machine Learning NumPy | Pandas | MatPlotLib | PyTorch | TensorFlow | Scikit-learn | NLTK

## KEY COURSES UNDERTAKEN

Electrical	Analog Circuits(with Lab), Digital Systems(with Lab), Power Engineering I & II(with Lab), Probability and Random Processes, Signal Processing I, Electronic Devices and		
	Circuits(with Lab*), Control Systems(with Lab*), Microprocessors (with		
	Lab), Communication Systems* - I(with Lab*), EM Waves*		
CS/ML	Computer Programming and Utilization, Introduction To Machine Learning		
Mathematics	Calculus I, Calculus II, Linear Algebra, Differential Equations I and II, Complex Analysis,		
and Physics	Quantum Physics and Application, Basics of Electricity and Magnetism		

\*To be completed by Nov 2023

## Extracurricular Activities

Secured 2nd position in QuantHive's Algoswarm, Algo-Trading Hackathon, organised by Analytics Club (May 2023)

• Participated in **Optiver's Winter School 2023** organised by Economics Club, IIT Delhi (Jan 2023)

• Completed Tinkering Bootcamp, Game Theory and Big Data Handling in Learner's Space (Jul 2022)

• Worked in a team to design and build an **RC trainer aircraft** organized by Aeromodelling Club (Oct 2022)

• Participated in hostel tech **Jhatka General Championship**, 2023 and bagged **3rd** hostel position (Mar 2023)

• Mentored 7 mentees in an Instagram Automation Tool project using Selenium in WiDS2.0 (Dec 2022)

• Guided two teams of **TinkerKar** by TL, IITB in making a robotic arm and visual analyzer (Jan 2023)

• Supervised two teams of **EnB Buzz** in modeling a business, organized by E-Cell, IIT Bombay (Dec 2022)

• Completed a year-long training program with NSO Chess, dedicated to enhancing chess playing abilities (2021-2022)

• Ranked 22 out of 72 teams in bot-programming contest, CodeWars-V1 in a team of 3 using Python (Jan 2022)

• Elected as a **Prefect**, in BVB Vidyashram School, responsible for maintaining discipline (2019-2020)