Meet up: 31st March 2018

Data Science for managers

This was a meet up sponsored by a company called Talentsprint. They advertised their course ‘Data Science for managers’.

The goal of the two hour long discussion was to figure out how managers can use data science and how much data science do they need to know.

Insights from the discussion:

1. It takes a lot of time to describe the problem statement. The time for the solution phase is relatively smaller. And then again interprating the results takes a lot of time.
2. Some managers said that they get tricked by their developers. They want to know how that can be avoided.
3. A segmentation and classification problem statement was briefly discussed from marketing perspective in the retail space.
4. Whch jobs will be more valuable in future was one topic of discussion. The jobs which are closer to the algorithm will be more valuable whereas those further away from the algorithms will be less valuable.
5. Python skills were deemed to be necessary. R was deemed to be a statistician’s tool.