

Lecture Hours	TOPICS
Unit – I	
1-2	Introduction to Neural Networks – Biological NN Vs ANN
3-4	Computational Models in NN, Neurons Interconnection, ANN Architecture
4-5	Activation functions & ANN, Perceptron -Single Layer Perceptron and Multi Layer Perceptron
6-8	Forward and Back propagation, Training Neural Network
Unit – II	
1	Improving NN- Hyperparameter Tuning, Overfitting and Underfitting
2	Regularization and Optimization
3-4	Dropout, Batch Normalization
5-7	Data Augmentation
Unit – III	
1-3	Introduction to Convolution Neural Networks (CNNs), Mathematical Intuitions, Terminology, Activation Functions in CNNs, Training Aspects of CNNs , Overview of CNN architecture
4-5	Image Classification (Ex: LeNet, AlexNet, VGG, GoogleNet, ResNet)
5-6	Common challenges in training deep CNNs (vanishing gradients, overfitting)
Unit - IV	
1	Introduction to Sequential Data and Deep Learning
2-3	Recurrent Neural Networks (RNNs)- Overview of RNNs, RNN architecture- Recurrent layers, hidden states, and loops, Limitations of vanilla RNNs: Vanishing and exploding gradient problems,
4-7	Introduction to LSTMs, LSTM architecture: Forget gate, input gate, and output gate , Training RNNs and LSTMs, Gated Recurrent Units (GRU), Unsupervised Learning: Auto-encoders
Unit – V	
1-7	Applications of Deep Learning- Time Series Forecasting, Natural Language Processing (NLP), Speech Recognition, Video Processing, Computer Vision for Object detection(Faster R-CNN, YOLO, SSD), Instance Segmentation, Semantic Segmentation (Mask RCNN, DeepLabV3) ,Emerging Trends in Deep Learning

Textbooks

1. Ian Goodfellow, Yoshua Bengio and Aaron Courville, “Deep Learning “ , MIT Press , 2017
2. Charu. C. Aggarwal, “Neural Networks and Deep Learning”, Springer, Second Edition, 2023
3. Nikhil Buduma and Nicholas Locascio, “Fundamentals of Deep Learning: Designing Next-Generation Machine Intelligence Algorithms”, (1st. ed.), O'Reilly Media, Inc 2017

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1. Christopher M. Bishop, “Neural Networks for Pattern Recognition”, Oxford Press, 2008
2. R. J. Schalkoff, Artificial Neural Networks, McGraw Hill Education, New York, USA, 2011. ISBN 12-5900-237-3.
3. B. Yegnanarayana, Artificial Neural Networks, Prentice Hall India Learning Private Limited publishers, Mumbai, India, 1998. ISBN 81-2031-253-8.