Welcome! We will begin shortly

Live Virtual Class

Intro to the World of Data Science

Learning Outcomes

- Understand the key terminologies in the World of Data Science
- Understand how these key terminologies are connected

Guidelines

Listen only mode

Ask questions at the interest of the larger audience

FAQ

Questions in the Q&A Box

Thank you

Kindly utilize the chat box for **subject-relevant questions only** to maximize your learnings from the session.

Your **questions** are being managed by the academic team, and they will be **answered**

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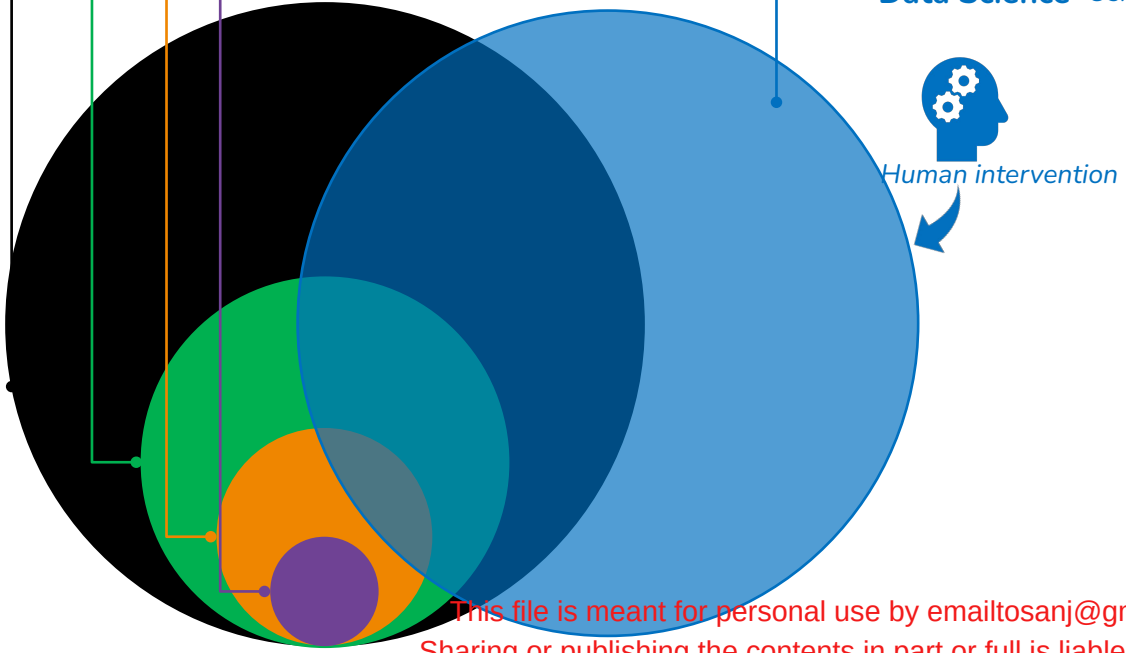

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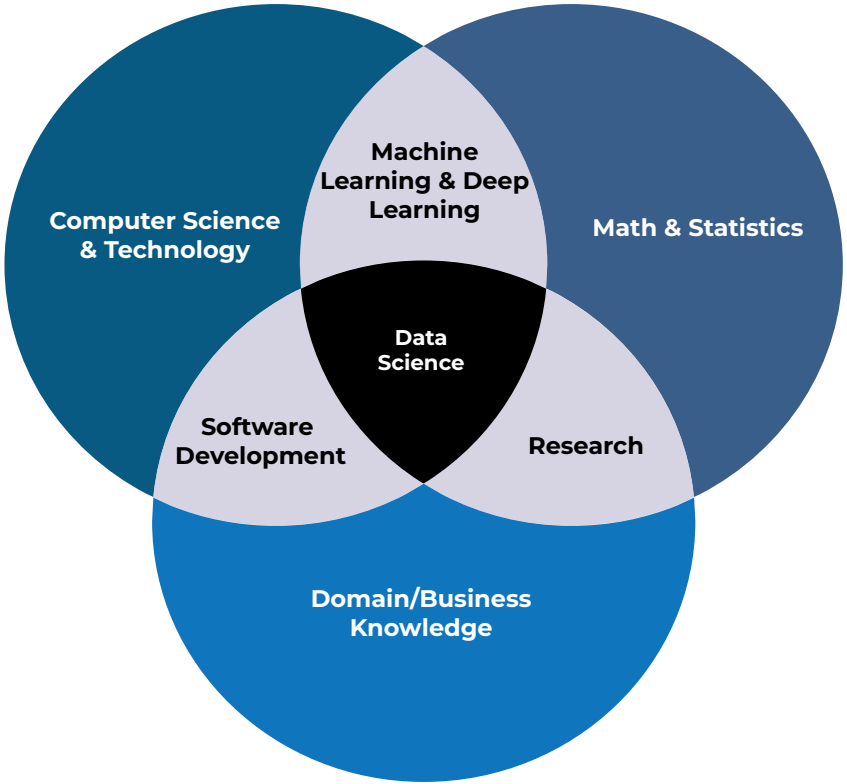

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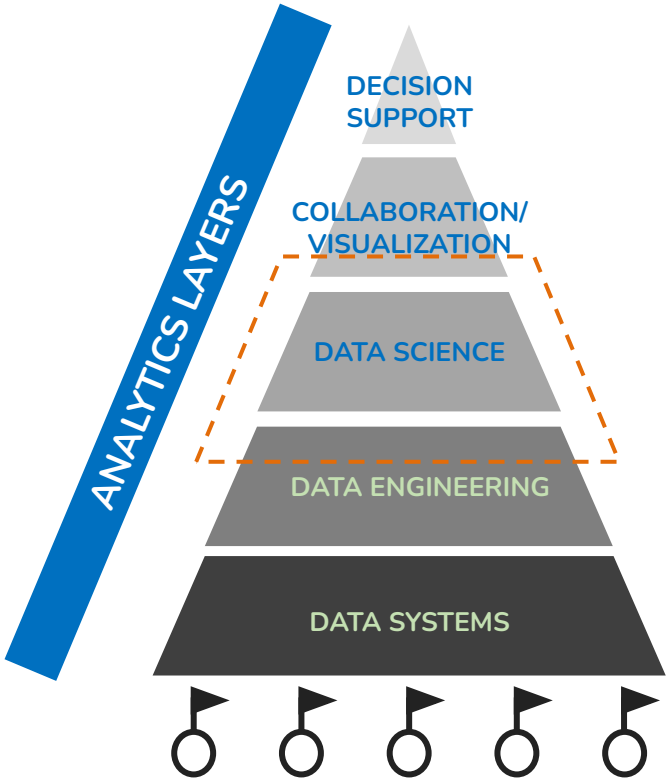

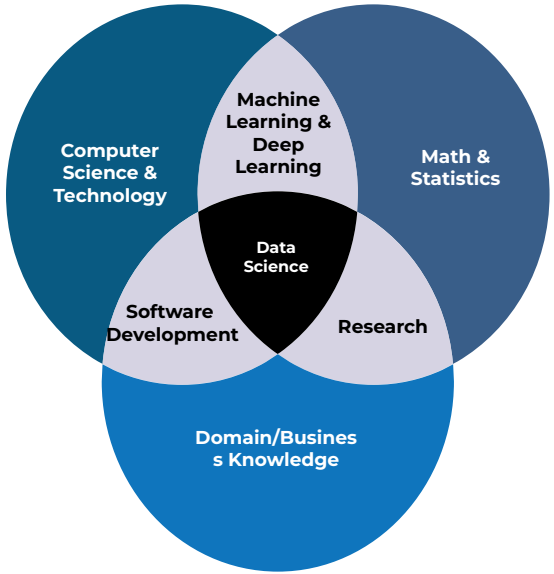

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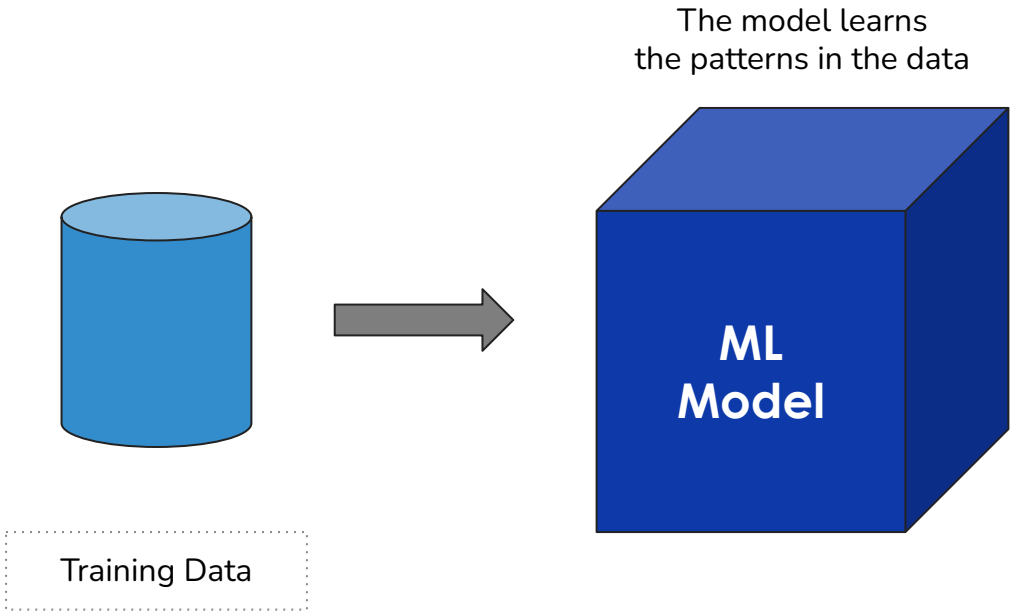

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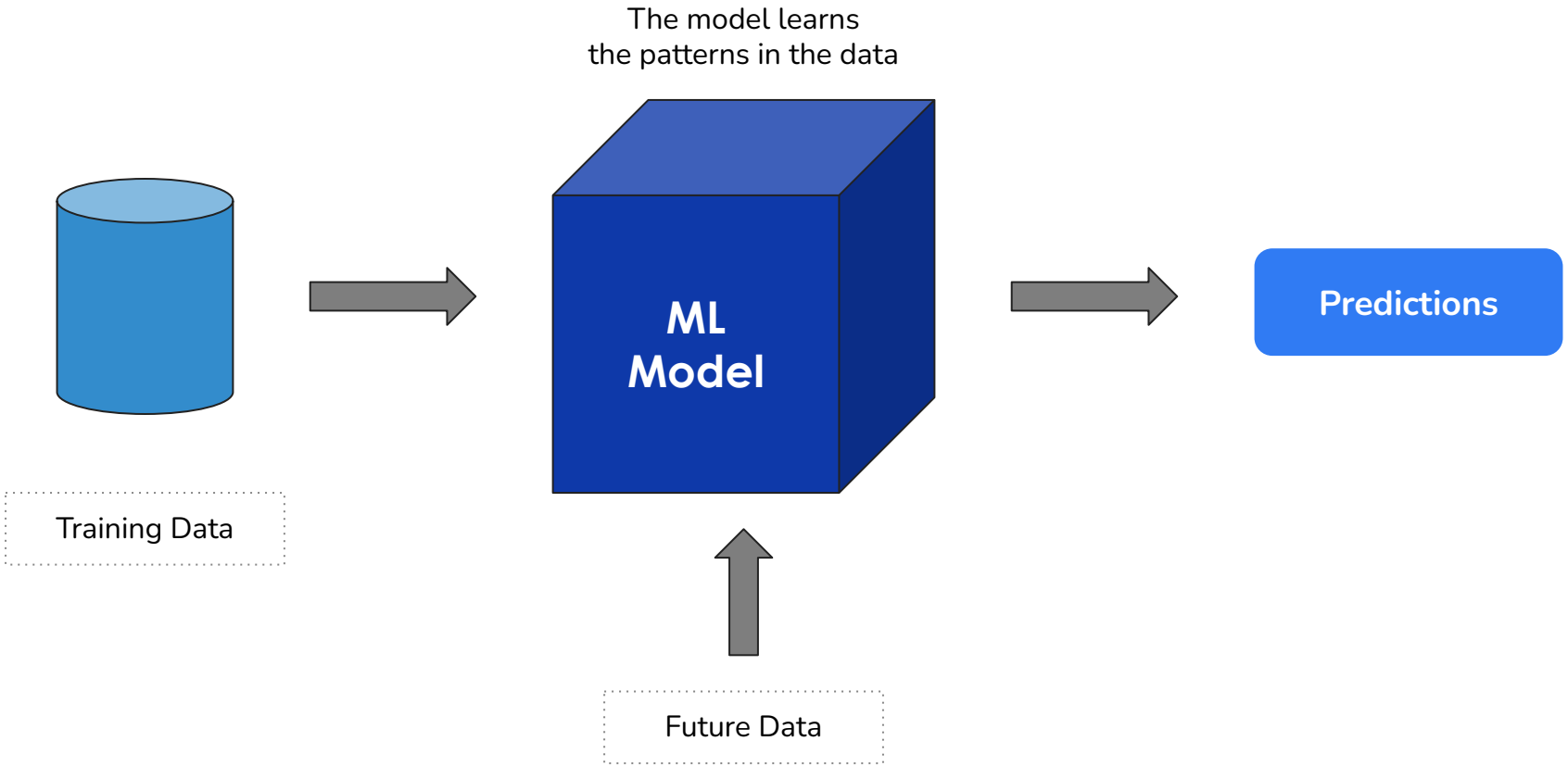

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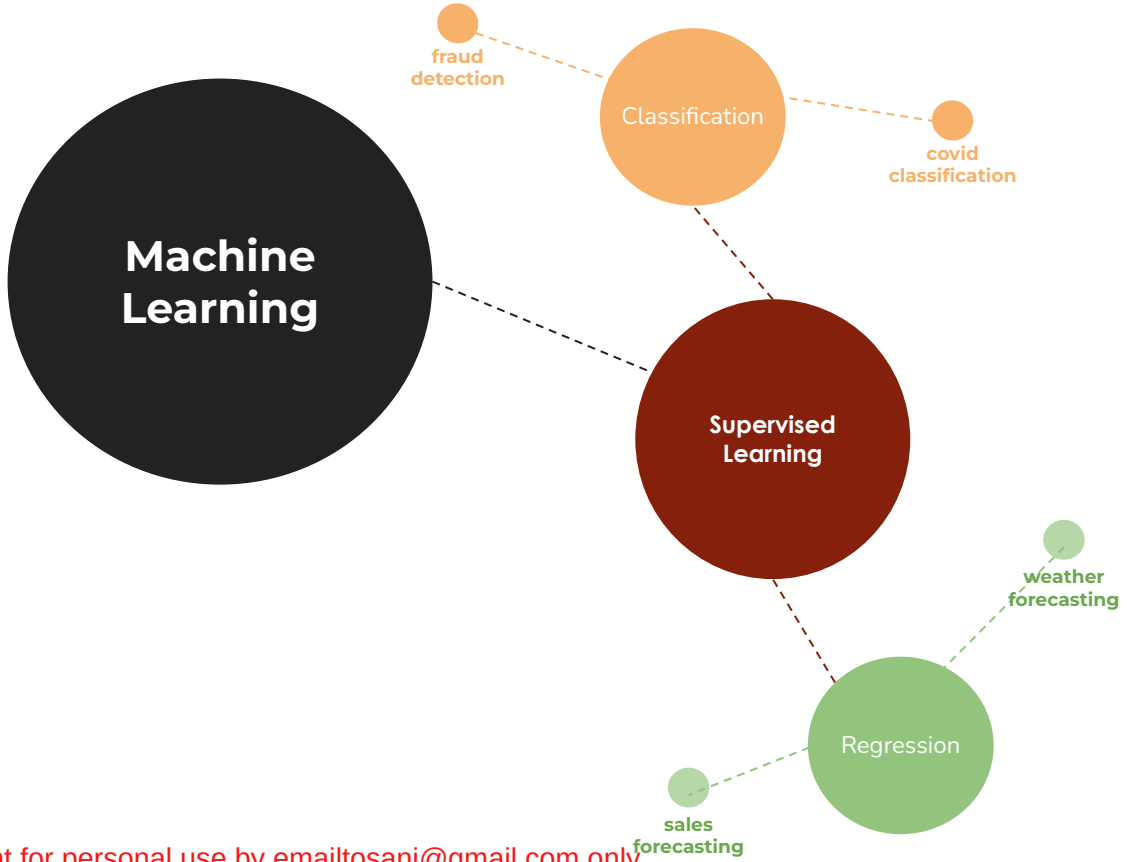

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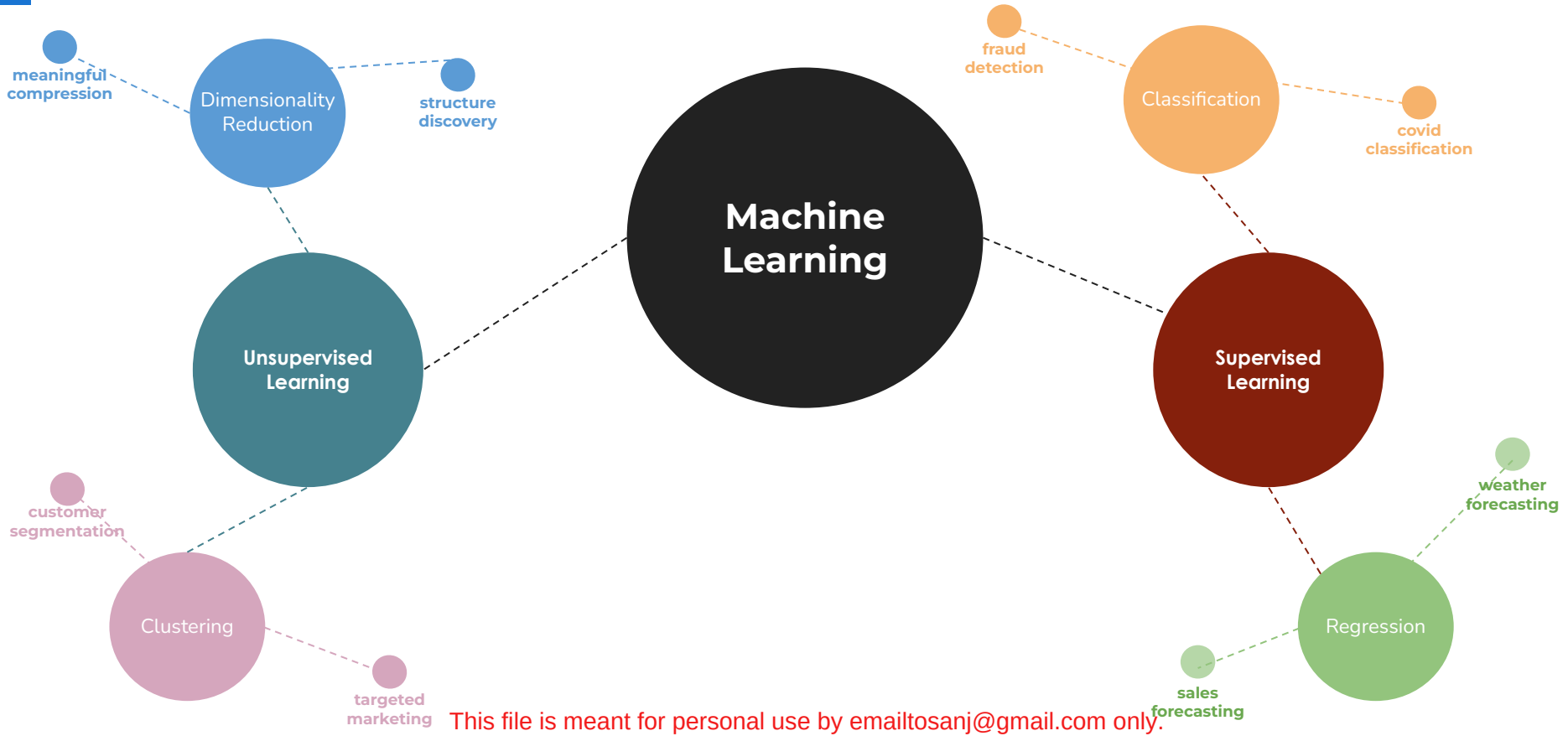

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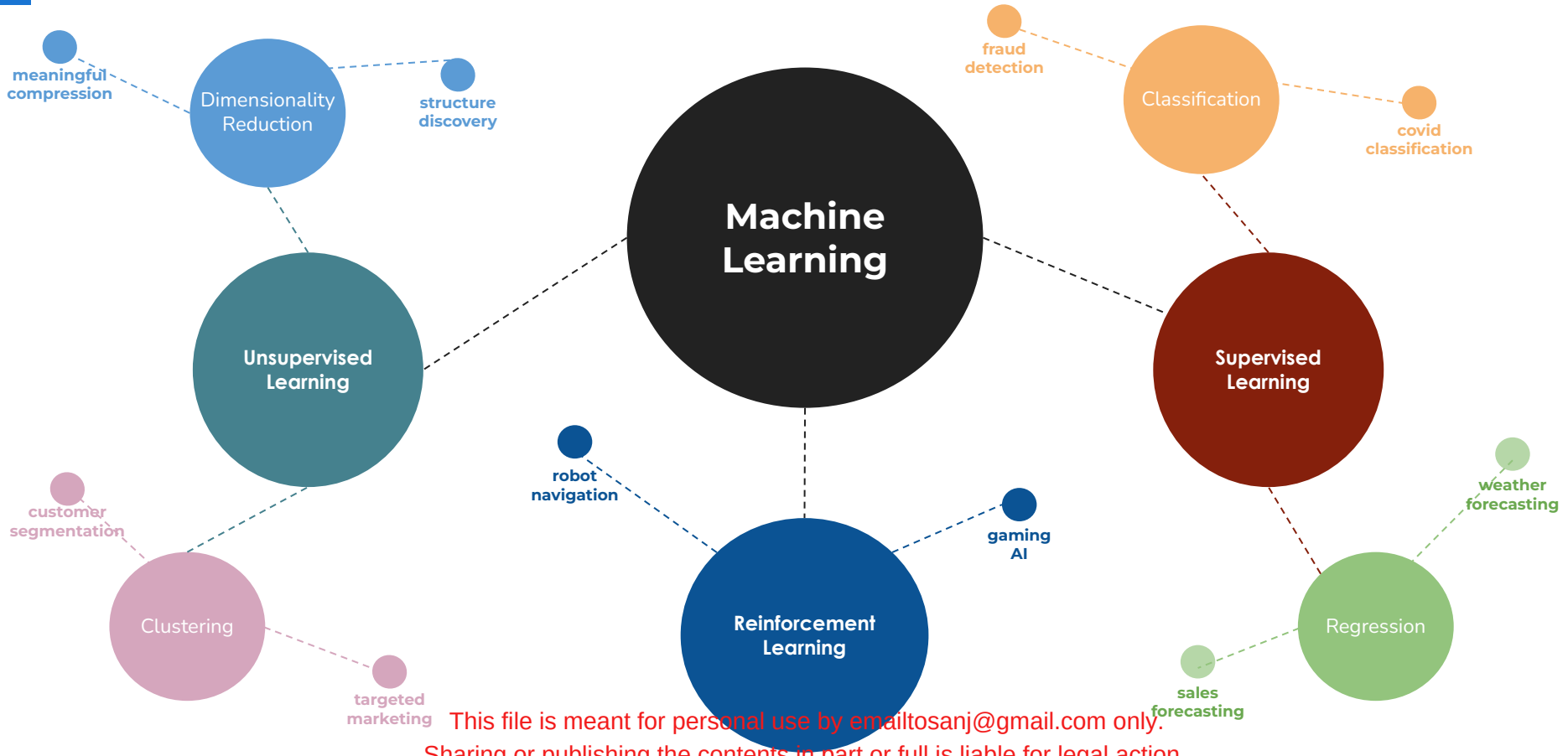

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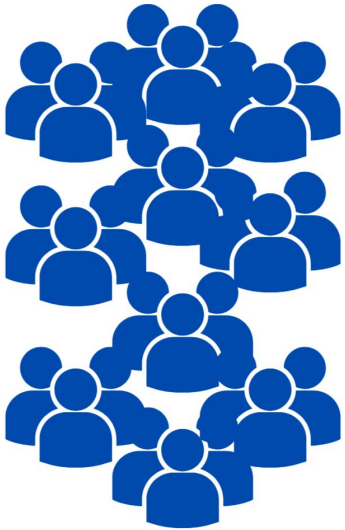

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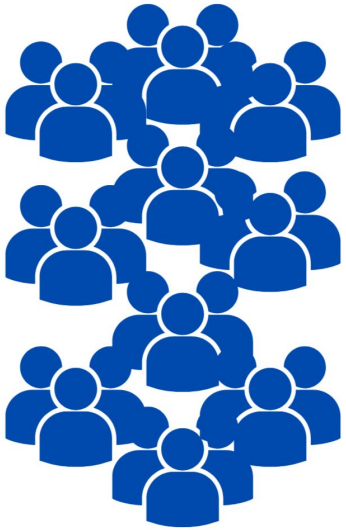

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Inferential Statistics

Confidence Intervals - The size of the transistor on a processor chip lies in the 95% confidence interval (4.95, 5.05) nm

Hypothesis Testing - Does the conversion rate of a marketing campaign vary with the font style of the infographic?

Descriptive Statistics

Central Tendency - Mean, Median, Mode

Dispersion - Variance, Range, Standard Deviation

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Effectiveness of a new medication through randomized trial	New medications are tested in a very controlled manner and amongst a specific, predetermined group to ensure that the we get a clear understanding of the effects and side-effects of the medications before rolling them out for large-scale production
Weather forecasting based on historical and weather patterns	Weather forecasting systems now use data from a variety of sources (like weather stations, satellites, etc), assimilate the data, and then use efficient computationally powerful mechanisms to provide accurate forecasts
Impact of a new policy on citizens	Impact of new policies on citizens is also conducted in an experimental format with careful considerations and comparative analysis to ensure that we arrive at the right decisions that would optimize the preset goals
Optimize routing of vehicles to minimize costs	Vehicle routes are optimized by taking into consideration a large number of factors (like geographical data, traffic data, etc.), identifying the constraints, and running computationally powerful algorithms to establish the most cost-effective route

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The Codebreakers	A diverse group of mathematicians, cryptographers, and intelligence personnel who played a pivotal role in breaking complex codes and ciphers during World War II. They helped decipher encrypted messages and provided invaluable intelligence that contributed to Allied victories.
The Enigma Team	Enigma was a complex electro-mechanical device used by the German military during World War II to encrypt and decrypt secret messages. The machine's encryption was broken by Alan Turing and team, resulting in a significant intelligence advantage for the Allies and contributing to their eventual victory.
The Los Alamos Group	Stanislaw Ulam and his group of mathematicians at Los Alamos National Laboratory made substantial contributions to computational methods, including Monte Carlo simulations, which have become fundamental techniques in statistical analysis and machine learning.
The Navajo Code Talkers	A group of Native American soldiers who played the role of code talkers in World War II, using the Navajo language to create an unbreakable code. They were instrumental in securing military communications and contributing to Allied success

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While control charts can indicate process variation, they do not provide direct insights into the root causes of the variation. Additional analysis and investigation are required to identify and address the underlying causes.

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Control charts are based on historical data collected from a process. If the historical data does not accurately represent the current process conditions or if the process has undergone significant changes, they may not be accurate.

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Watson	An advanced AI system developed by IBM that showcased its ability to understand and process natural language and provide accurate answers to complex questions. It's capabilities have since been applied in various fields, including healthcare, finance, and customer service.
AlphaGo	An AI program developed by DeepMind, a subsidiary of Alphabet Inc. that made headlines in 2016 when it defeated the world champion Go player, Lee Sedol, in a five-game match. The success showcased the potential of AI in surpassing human expertise in strategic decision-making.
HAL 9000	A fictional sentient computer system designed to assist and manage operations on a spacecraft. It's malfunction and subsequent conflicts with the human crew highlight potential risks and ethical dilemmas associated with advanced AI

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Hadoop	An open-source framework that enables distributed processing and storage of large datasets across clusters of computers. It provides a scalable and cost-effective solution for processing and analyzing big data.
Microsoft Azure	A cloud computing platform offered by Microsoft. It provides a wide range of cloud-based services, including virtual machines, storage, databases, AI, analytics, and more, enabling businesses to build, deploy, and manage applications and services with flexibility and scalability on the cloud.
Apache Spark	An open-source distributed computing system designed for processing and analyzing large-scale datasets. It provides a fast and flexible framework for in-memory data processing, supporting a wide range of applications on big data analytics.

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Centralization	Blockchain operates on a decentralized network, eliminating the need for a central authority or intermediary. This distributed nature enhances transparency, security, and resilience by allowing multiple participants to validate and maintain the integrity of the shared ledger.
Immutability	Once data is recorded on the blockchain, it becomes nearly impossible to alter or tamper with. Each transaction or data entry is linked to previous ones through cryptographic hashes, creating an immutable chain of information, that enhances the trustworthiness and integrity of the data stored.
Security	Blockchain employs advanced cryptographic techniques to ensure the security and integrity of data. Each transaction is digitally signed and encrypted, and the decentralized consensus mechanism prevents unauthorized modifications.
Transparency	All participants in a blockchain network can view and access the entire transaction history stored on the blockchain. This transparency fosters trust among network participants, as they can independently verify and validate transactions.

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Computing the range of the price of a house in a locality with certain precision	Statistical concepts like confidence intervals can be used to estimate the prices of houses with certain levels of precision
Determining whether a change in the website layout helps in increasing the number of subscribers	A/B testing is commonly used to determine if a change a variable affects a business KPI. Inferential statistics can be used for effective measurements if one or more variables are changed simultaneously
Determining whether the quality of coffee beans varies with the type of roasting process	Hypothesis testing techniques like ANOVA (ANalysis Of VAriance) are commonly used to compare multiple groups to determine if there are significant differences amongst them
Monitoring and controlling processes in an automobile part manufacturing unit	Statistical Process Control (SPC) helps businesses maintain and improve the quality of their products or services. By identify potential issues in advance by detecting trends, it enables businesses to take a proactive approach to problem-solving

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Dividing the customers of an e-commerce platform into different segments	Customers can be segmented into different categories based on their purchase and demographic attributes using unsupervised learning techniques like clustering algorithms.
Visualizing high-dimensional equipment sensor data in lower dimensions	High-dimensional data can be efficiently brought down to lower dimensions (2 or 3) for visualization purposes using unsupervised learning techniques, like PCA and t-SNE, while retaining the most important information.
Predicting the price of a used car based on the attributes of the car	Algorithms from a subset of supervised learning, called regression, can be trained using historical data containing attributes like mileage, horsepower, manufacture year, distance driven, and more to determine the price of a used car
Predicting the likelihood of a hotel reservation getting cancelled	Algorithms from a subset of supervised learning, called classification, can be trained using historical data containing attributes like reservation lead time, room price, no. of guests, and more to determine the likelihood of cancellation

QnA

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