

*Suggested Teaching Guidelines for*  
**Practical Machine Learning**  
**PG-DBDA March 2023**

**Duration:** 60 hours Theory and 60 hours Lab

**Objective:** Practicing Machine Learning Algorithms

**Prerequisites:** Good knowledge of Python Programming and Statistics

**Evaluation method:** Theory exam– 40%  
Lab Exam - 40%  
Internal exam- 20%

**List of Books / Other training material**

**Textbook:**

1. Introduction to Machine Learning with Python - A Guide for Data Scientists, Muller Andreas / Shroff Publishers

**Reference Book:**

1. Machine Learning with R by Brett Lantz
2. Machine Learning for Big Data: Hands- On for Developer by Jaseon Bell, Wiley
3. Machine Learning: Hands-on for Developers and Technical Professionals
4. Machine Learning: A Bayesian and Optimization Perspective
5. Introduction to Machine Learning, Third Edition
6. R in Action, Robert Kabacoff

**Note:**

- PyTorch Framework should be taught in Lab Hours

**Note: Each session having 2 Hours**

**Session 1 & 2**

- What is machine learning?
- Algorithm types of Machine learning
- Supervised and Unsupervised Learning
- Uses of Machine learning
- Evaluating ML techniques
- Introduction to Scikit Learn
- Performing ML using Scikit Learn

**Assignments:**

- Explore scikit learn Library.
- Explore Datasets Online (can refer Kaggle, UCI ML, etc.)
  - a) Load dataset in google colab.
  - b) Print first five values and last five values in dataset.
  - c) check correlation between fields present in dataset

**Session 3 & 4**

- Clustering
- Hierarchical Clustering & K means
- Distance Measure and Data Preparation – Scaling & Weighting
- Evaluation and Profiling of Clusters
- Hierarchical Clustering
- Clustering Case Study
- Principal Component analysis

**Assignments:**

- Download “mall\_customers.csv” dataset from kaggle.
  - (a) Form n no. of clusters according to your observation.
  - (b) Get wss value for each cluster.
  - (c) find best K value

**Session 5, 6 & 7**

- Decision Trees
- Classification and Regression Trees
- Concept of Model Ensembling
- Random forest, Gradient boosting Machines, Model Stacking
- CAT Boost
- XG Boost

**Assignments:**

- Implement Random Forest, SVM, Logistic regression classification algorithm and check for classification report, f1 score for all three algorithms.

**Session 8 & 9**

- Bayesian analysis and Naïve bayes classifier
- Assigning probabilities and calculating results
- Discriminant Analysis (Linear and Quadratic)
- K-Nearest Neighbors Algorithm

**Assignments:**

- Implement K-Nearest Neighbors Algorithm

**Session 10**

- Association rules mining
- Apriori

**Assignments:**

- Implement Food Product recommendation system for shop using Apriori.

**Session 11 & 12:**

- Linear Regression
- Logistic Regression
- Polynomial Regression
- Stepwise Regression
- Ridge Regression
- Lasso Regression

- ElasticNet Regression

**Assignments:**

- Download Dataset, perform linear, Ridge, Lasso, Polynomial regression and check for MAE, MSE, RMSE and also check F1 score and explain with conclusion.

**Session 13:**

- Support vector Machines
- Basic classification principle of SVM
- Linear and Nonlinear classification (Polynomial and Radial)

**Assignments:**

- Download Air Quality Dataset from Kaggle Predict Air Quality Index using Linear regression and classify it into five categories using SVM (i.e. Very good, good, moderate, poor, worst)

**Session 14 & 15:**

- Moving average, Exponential Smoothing, Holt's Trend Methods, Holt-Winters' Methods for seasonality
- Autocorrelation (ACF & PACF), Auto-regression, Auto-regressive Models, Moving Average Models
- ARMA & ARIMA

**Assignments:**

- What is Auto correlation, Explain it's purpose Also download one data set and calculate Auto correlation.
- Explain ARMA and ARIMA model, what is purpose of this models in time series and Explain difference between them.

**Session 16 & 17:**

- ML in Real Time
- Algorithm Performance Metrics
- ROC and AOC
- Confusion Metrix
- F1 Score
- MSE and MAE

**Assignments:**

- Explain what is Confusion matrix , F1 score, MSE, RMSE, MAE and classification report.
- Load a dataset in Jupyter notebook and implement any classification algorithm and generate classification report and accuracy score.

**Session 18:**

- Recommendation Systems
  - Data Collection & Storage, Data Filtering
  - Collaborative Filtering
  - Factorization Methods
  - Evaluation Metrics: Recall, Precision, RMSE, Mean Reciprocal Rank, MAP at K, NDCG

**Assignments:**

- Download Movie dataset from kaggle and implement the movie recommendation system.

**Session 19:**

- Anomaly detection
- Point, Contextual and Collective Anomaly
- Supervised and Unsupervised anomaly detection

**Assignments:**

- What is Anomaly detection? Explain its Purpose.

**Session 20:**

- DBSCAN Clustering

**Assignments:**

- State the use of DBSCAN clustering.
- Load dataset "Mall\_customers.csv" from kaggle, preprocess the data and build clustering model using DBSCAN clustering

**Session 21 & 22:**

- Introduction to NLP
- Working with NLTK
- Word2Vec
- GloVe word vectors
- Sentiment Classification

**Assignments:**

- List any two real life applications of Natural Language Processing.
- install library NLTK. Explain various data processing methods in it such as Tokenization, Frequency Distribution of words, Filtering stop words, Stemming, Lemmatization, Name of Entity Recognition, WordNet.

**Session 23 & 24:**

- Introduction to Deep Learning
- Introduction to Tensorflow and Keras
- Introduction to Auto-encoders
- Neural Network and its applications
- Single layer neural Network
- Activation Functions: Sigmoid, Hyperbolic Tangent, ReLu
- Overview of Back propagation of errors

**Assignments:**

- Explore TensorFlow and Keras Libraries.
- Implement different Activation functions on datasets in Jupyter Notebook.

**Session 25****Deep Learning Essentials**

- Early Stopping for Preventing Overfitting
- Dropout
- Training Methods for Neural Network (High-Level Overviews only)
  - Update of weights with single training set element, Batch Training, Mini-batch Training, Stochastic Gradient Descent
  - Training Methods for Neural Network (High-Level Overviews only)
- Classic Backpropagation

- Momentum Backpropagation
- ADAM
  - L1 and L2 Regularization

**Assignments:**

- Implement L1 and L2 Regularization
- Implement Gradient Problems

**Session 26 & 27**

**Convolutional Neural Network using PyTorch**

- Introduction to PyTorch Framework
- Pytorch vs Tensorflow
- Convolutional Concept
- Inception Network
- Transfer Learning
- Data Augmentation
- Object Detection
- YOLO Algorithm (High-Level Overview)

**Assignments:**

- Install PyTorch. Explore the documentation of PyTorch Library.
- Implement YOLO Algorithm.

**Session 28 & 29**

**Recurrent Neural Network (RNN) using Pytorch**

- RNN Concept
- Types of RNNs
- Vanishing gradients with RNNs
- Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU) - (High-Level Overview only)
- Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) - (High-Level Overview only)

**Assignments:**

- Implement RNN using PyTorch
- Implement LSTM and GRU

**Session 30**

- Introduction to AI
- Applications of AI
- Role of DNN and conventional ML in AI
- Case Studies

**Assignments:**

- Explore Different Real Life Applications of AI in ML