## **Assignment 2**

Possible Points: 100 Due Date: 28<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025

Assignments should be done on an individual basis.

Download the dataset **Food\_delivery\_times.csv** provided to perform the following tasks:

**Q1:** Build a predictive linear regression model to estimate delivery time based on distance, weather, traffic level and time of the day to predict delivery time. Divide the data into 70% training and 30% testing. (**Total 25 points**).

- Perform one-hot encoding on the categorical variables. Check for null values and remove if present. (5 points)
- Report the coefficient values using standard Least Squares Estimates. (5 points)
- Evaluate RSS, Adjusted r square and MSE. Explain the results. (7 points)
- Analyze whether there is a relationship between distance and delivery time. (5 points)
- What is the difference between linear and logistic regression? (3 Points)

**Q2:** Using the dataset provided, perform regression using Ridge and Lasso regression models to predict the delivery time (**Total 50 Points**)

- Use all the attributes given in the dataset, check for null values and drop them. Plot bar chat and visualize deliveries during different times of the day (5 Points)
- Apply label encoding to categorical values (5 Points)
- Check for outliers in the column courier experience. Plot a histogram for the column distance. (5 Points)
- Divide the dataset into 60% training and 40% testing data (3 Points)
- Train the data on Ridge and Lasso regression models. (10 Points)
- Report MSE and R-squared metrics for both the models. Which model performs better? Explain. (15 Points)
- Apply cross validation on the underperforming model. (7 Points)

Q3: Develop a logistic regression model to predict the traffic level based on distance, weather, time of the day and vehicle type. Split the dataset into 70% training and 30% testing (**Total 25 points**).

- Apply label encoding to the categorical variables. Drop null values. Apply standard scaler on distance (7 points)
- Generate a pie chart for time of the day. (3 Points)
- Create a heatmap to visualize the correlation between preparation time and delivery time. (5 points)

- Assess the model's performance by calculating accuracy, precision, recall, and the area under curve (AUC). (5 points)
- Discuss the significance of the predictors in determining vehicle type based on p-values. (5 points)