



Chapter 0

Course Outline

1. Introduction to Statistics

- Measures of Spread
- Measures of Dispersion
- Hypothesis Testing
- Type1 Error, Type2 Error
- Sampling
- Probability Distributions

2. Math for Machine Learning

- Method of Least Squares
- Basic Linear Algebra
- Introduction to optimization

3. Introduction to Machine Learning

What is machine learning?

Types of machine learning: -supervised, unsupervised, reinforcement

- Supervised learning: regression and classification
- Unsupervised learning: Clustering
- Bias-variance tradeoff
- Machine learning pipeline
- Exploratory Data Analysis EDA

4. Feature Engineering and Selection

- Feature Types
- Feature scaling and normalization
- Feature Selection methods
- Dimensionality reduction

5. Model Evaluation and Selection

- Training and Testing Sets
- Overfitting and underfitting

- Performance metrics: accuracy, precision, recall, F1-Score
- Cross-Validation

6. Supervised Learning: Regression

- Linear regression: simple and multiple
- Regularization: L1 and L2
- Gradient descent
- Logistic regression

7. Supervised Learning: Classification

- K-nearest neighbors
- Decision trees and random forests
- Ensemble methods
- Support vector machines

8. Project - 1

- Regression Dataset: Source(s):

9. Project -2

- Classification Dataset: Source(s):

10. Advanced Topics in Machine Learning (Optional)

- Deep learning: Overview of neural networks
- Unsupervised Learning: clustering and dimensionality reduction
- Reinforcement Learning: -Introduction and key concepts