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EDUCATION

M. Tech in Industrial and Management Engineering (CGPA 8.67, Rank 4/25)

IIT Kanpur (2018-20)

- Mr. & Mrs. S.N. Mittal Gold Medal for best all round performance in academics and extra-curricular, IIT Kanpur.
- Student senate Y18 (2019-20) Vision: Better incorporation of the voice of the PG student in the Gymkhana.
- Awarded A* in Probability and Statistics (IME 602) for outstanding performance.

B. Tech in Mechanical Engineering (CGPA 8.45, Rank 2/80)

PMEC, Berhampur (2013-17)

- Awarded by Head of Department for best all rounding performance.
- Secured **99.01** percentile in GATE-2018(Mechanical) among 200000 students.

Class XII (CHSE, Odisha): 82.5% | Class X (BSE, Odisha): 87.16%

WORK EXPERINECE

Commodity Price Forecasting, Strategy - Analytics & Cognitive Consulting at Deloitte India | Python, GCP, Apache Beam

- Built an **Intelligent Buying Platform** in partnership with **google cloud**, to forecast commodity price and give **real-time insights** for informed decision making, to improve efficiency, accuracy and optimize value.
- Designed a reusable template to plug the data for, post commodity selection and identify relevant price impacting factors.
- Automated in built **feature creation engine**, built a **ML/AI engine** to select the best fit model and generate forecasts and designed Google data studio screens for visualize the key insights.
- Designed an ETL batch pipeline for data ingestion by leveraging Google Dataflow using Apache beam module.
- Used **ARIMAX** and **Random forest** model for monthly, **LSTM** for Daily and **Bayesian methods** for weekly forecast and used **out of time validation techniques** for model selection based on **RMSE score**.

MTN Customer Churn Prediction (Ongoing), Strategy - Analytics & Cognitive Consulting at Deloitte India | Python, GCP, K3s, Kubeflow

- Develop a **predictive model** to identify prepaid subscribers at risk of becoming inactive and to create a hybrid (On premise and GCP) **MLOps** solution using **Kubeflow pipeline**.
- Build an end to end MLOps solution (CI/CD/CT) on dummy telecom data using Kubeflow pipeline and Google AI platform for model training and deployment, Scoring and model retraining if data drift is detected.
- In demoused ratio feature building, VIF, IV methods for feature selection, logistic regression, Random forest and Xgboost for model building and reported key classification metrices, lift and gain chart and variable importance score.

INTERNSHIP

Business Analyst, Mphasis Next-lab (2019)

Process Flow analyser (Convert Image of Process map to industry standard XML code using Image processing techniques) | Python

- Identify the Cross-functionalities (Leverage morphological operations with the creation of custom kernels).
- Localize and classify the symbols (Leverage contour properties and contour Hierarchy).
- Localize the **arrows, identify the extreme end** and classify them (Leverage contour properties), **identify sequences of symbols** (**adjacency matrix** to represent directed sequence among Nodes).
- Visualization of directed graph from adjacency matrix using NetworkX python package.
- Create and parse an BPMN 2.0 XML documents using xml.etree.cElementTree python packages.

M. Tech THESIS

Aspect Based Helpfulness Prediction of Amazon Product Review Data | Python, Java, Text Mining

- Extract transferable and product-independent high-level aspects from the reviews using product category information and a special type of generative topic model called Twitter-LDA.
- Build a two-layer architecture Support vector regression model for aspect based helpfulness by leveraging textual features from reviews (Structural, Empath based, General Inquirer and Aspect based).
- Compare it with based models by spearman's correlation coefficients metrics.

OTHER PROJECTS

Stochastics calculus (Martingale process & its applications) | Python

• Appling martingale stopping and convergence theorems to study Constrained random walk (gambler's ruin problem), an Urn process, ABRACADABRA Problem and simulate the results.

Scribble sketch (Ongoing hobby project) | Python

• A machine that can create scribble drawing (but not only) created by series of algorithms written in Python.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Statistical modelling, Machine Learning (predictive), MLOps, Image processing, Data engineering (ETL design).
- Programming language: Python, R, SQL, Apache Beam, Java
- Tools/Framework: GCP (AI Platform, Kubeflow pipeline, Dataflow, Bigquery, Cloud build, Cloud function), Tensor Flow, Keras, CI/CD, Docker, Containerization, Git

EXTRACURRICULAR ACHIEVEMENTS

- Finished First in High jump at school level (2004, 05, 06, 07) and in zonal level (05, 06, 07), JOSH-19(intra IITK).
- IITK Hall8 Cricket: Enthusia 2k18 winner, Josh 2018 runner up and Josh 2019 winner.
- Completed Pin Parvati trek (Altitude 17,500 Ft), Sandakphu trek (Altitude 12,000 Ft).