5DATA002W machine Learning & Data Mining (2021)

Week	Week	Lecture	Staff	Tutorials		
No:	Starting					
1	18/01/2021	Machine Learning & Data Mining	VK	Provide information on the software needed		
		overview (Introduction)		for this module as well as on the on-line		
				tutorial style to be adopted for this module.		
2	25/01/2021	Ethics and Bias in Machine Learning	VK	Introduction to R programming, simple		
		&		exercises using R		
		Data Pre-processing				
3	01/02/2021	Clustering Methods		Practical exercises on data pre-processing		
		(Partitioning & Hierarchical)		(manually and via R)		
4	08/02/2021	Neural Networks & Applications	VK	Practical exercises on clustering (manually		
				and via R)		
				10/02/2021: CWK to be issued		
5	15/02/2021	Association Rules (Market Basket	VK	Practical exercises on Neural Networks		
		Analysis)		using R		
6	22/02/2021	Engagement Week - No Lecture & Tutorial				
7	01/03/2021	Naïve Bayes (NB) Classification	VK	Practical exercises on Association Rules		
				(manually and via R)		
8	08/03/2021	K-Nearest Neighbour algorithm	VK	Practical exercises on NB classifier		
				(manually and via R)		
9	15/03/2021	Decision Trees	VK	Practical exercises on K-NN classifier		
				using R		
10	22/03/2021	Support Vector Machines (SVM) &	VK	Practical exercises on Decision Trees		
		a short introduction to Ensemble		(manually and via R)		
		Systems				
11	29/03/2021	Review	VK	Practical exercises on SVM using R		
				Final Clarifications for CW assessment		
12	05/04/2021	On-line Test	VK	Support material for ensemble systems		
		(60% of the module total mark)		27/04/2021: CWK to be submitted via BB		

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Essential reading list

- *Introduction to Data Mining*, Pang-Ning Tan, Michael Steinbach, Anuj Karpatne, Vipin Kumar, Pearson, 2nd edition, 2018.
- *Data Mining: Practical Machine Learning Tools and Techniques*, Ian H. Witten, Eibe Frank, Mark A. Hall, Christopher J. Pal, Morgan Kaufmann, 2016
- Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning, C. Bishop, Springer-Verlag, 2007
- *Machine Learning for Absolute Beginners: A Plain English Introduction*, Oliver Theobald, Scatterplot Press, 2017
- *Machine Learning with R: Expert techniques for predictive modeling*, Brett Lantz, Packt Publishing; 3rd edition, 2019

Further Reading

• *The R Book*, Michael J. Crawley, Wiley-Blackwell, 2012

- *Practical Data Science with R*, Nina Zumel and John Mount, Manning Publications, 2nd Edition, 2019
- An Introduction to Statistical Learning: with Applications in R, Gareth James, Daniela Witten, Trevor Hastie, Springer; 2013.
- *R in Action, Data Analysis and Graphics with R*, Robert I. Kabacoff, Manning Publications, 2011

On-line References

- https://www.r-bloggers.com/
- https://www.kaggle.com/
- https://www.r-exercises.com/
- http://www.rdatamining.com/
- www.kdnuggets.com

Assessment

Assessment Method	Weighting	Qualifying Mark	Qualifying Set	Assessment Type
CWK	40%	30%		Individual coursework
Lab controlled assessment (on-line test)	60%	30%		Lab Exam