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EDUCATION

Degree/Certificate	Institute/Board	Year
B.Tech.	Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati	2020 - 24
Senior Secondary	Central Board of Secondary Education	2020
Secondary	Indian Certificate of Secondary Education	2018

PROJECTS

• TF-IDF based Problem Search Engine

Aug. '23

Personal Project

- ♦ Website | ♠ Github
- Implemented web scraping using Selenium and Beautiful Soup to extract problem sets from LeetCode and CSES.
- $\circ \ \text{Implemented the } \textbf{TF-IDF} \ \text{algorithm from scratch, calculating the } \textbf{TFIDF score} \ \text{for every word in each problem statement}.$
- Implemented Cosine similarity to rank problems in alignment with search queries, ensuring optimal relevance.
 Developed a Node.js application that accepts user queries and displays relevant problems via EJS templating.
- Rubik's Cube Solver using Korf's IDA* Algorithm

Aug. '23 - Sep. '23

Personal Project

𝚱 Korf's Research Paper | ♠ Github

- $\circ \ \text{Modelled a virtual $Rubik's Cube (3x3)$ in 3 different models/classes using standard data structures present in $C++$.}$
- o Achieved solving a Rubik's Cube 8 times jumbled in under 3 seconds using BFS, DFS, and IDDFS algorithms.
- Implemented the Korf's IDA* Algorithm, achieving a solving time of under 10 seconds for a Rubik's Cube jumbled 13 times.

• Predicting Flight Delays in India

Jul. '23

Personal Project

- G Github
- Developed a **Flight Delay** prediction system, aimed at **improving** customer satisfaction and air-travel management.
- \circ Data was scraped from Flightradar24, the test MSE was obtained to be 0.25 with SVM and Random Forests.

• BigInteger

Feb. '23

Personal Project

- **G**ithub
- Created a lightweight arbitrary-sized integer class for C++ utilising Object-Oriented Programming concepts.
- $\circ \ Supports \ all \ arithmentic, \ relational, \ assignment, \ input/output \ operations \ and \ additional \ functions \ such \ as \ lcm, \ gcd, \ etc.$
- Used no additional dependency except the standard c++ library.
- Crack Area Prediction of RC Slabs subjected to Blast Loading

Jul. '23 - Present

Prof. Hrishikesh Sharma, Department of Civil Engineering, IIT Guwahati

- o Studied several research publications to validate reinforced concrete slab models in LS-DYNA.
- o Developing a Deep Neural Network (DNN) to forecast crack area, utilizing multiple input parameters, including percentage reinforcement, slab dimensions, blast load, and blast height.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Expert on Codeforces: Achieved a peak rating of 1641 on the platform (Handle shawsk).
 - Codeforces Round #896: Ranked 407th globally among 26000+ participants.
 - \circ Codeforces Round #889: Ranked 429th globally among 26000+ participants.
 - Codeforces Round #886: Ranked 603rd globally among 38000+ participants.
- $\bullet \ Flipkart \ Grid \ 5.0 : \ Advanced \ to \ semi-final \ round \ by \ securing \ a \ rank \ in \ the \ top \ 1.25\% \ among \ 4 \ lakh \ candidates.$
- Solved 1000+ programming problems on all coding platforms combined.
- \bullet Joint Entrance Examination '20: Secured a rank in the top 1% among 1.17 million candidates.
- Young Scientist Talent Test '18: Among the top 10 students in the state.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming languages: C/C++, Python*

Web Technologies: HTML, CSS, Node.js, React*

Miscellaneous: NumPy*, Git

Database Management: MySQL

KEY COURSES TAKEN

* Elementary proficiency

- Computer Science: Introduction to Computing, Data Structures and Algorithms, Database Management Systems and SQL, Operating Systems.
- Mathematics: Probability, Discrete Mathematics, Linear Algebra, Elementary Number Theory.

Positions of Responsibility

• Manager, Udgam 2022, IIT Guwahati

Sep. '21 - Feb. '22

• Headed a team of 12 associates in organising a highly successful Internfair with 1300+ student registrations.

• Senior Executive, E-Cell, IIT Guwahati

Apr. '21 - Apr. '22

• Organised a diverse range of entrepreneurial events with a focus on effective moderation and engagement.

EXTRACURRICULAR

• Yuvaan - IITG Mars Rover (Robotics Club): Contributed to autonomous task under AI module.

2022

• Techevince '22: Devised a solution to address the campus's laundry challenges, along with a revenue model.

2022

• Startup Case Study, E-Cell: Conducted an in-depth case study on the startup 'Travel Triangle'.

2021