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WORK EXPERIENCE

Data Scientist Intern at University of North Florida | Jacksonville, FL

Jun. 2023 – Aug 2023

- Designed and implemented **data pipelines** for critical stages: data ingestion, data validation, data transformation and streamlined model training using Python; optimizing model performance and reducing time-to-deployment by 30%
- Leveraged **Natural language Processing (NLP)** techniques like tokenization, topic modeling and text summarization using Python from unstructured text data resulting in 15% improvement in trend detection.
- Designed interactive dashboards using Tableau and translated them into actionable data product user stories enabling stakeholders to interpret data-driven insights; driving a 20% business growth.

Software Engineer at Softility | Hyderabad, India

Jan. 2021 – Aug 2022

- Designed and implemented robust **Kafka topics using Python and Kafka for real-time data ingestion and validation**, resulting in a 30% reduction in latency.
- Developed **REST API's** using **Python** helped in reducing **data retrieval** and processing time for network devices by 10% through efficient utilization of SNMP protocol, resulting in enhanced **data accessibility**.
- Reduced software deployment time by 25% in a DevOps environment through development of Linux/Unix shell scripts; leveraged Git version control and CI/CD pipelines with Jenkins.

Machine Learning Engineer Intern at SkillAscend | Hyderabad, India

Aug. 2020 – Dec 2020

- Performed thorough exploratory data analysis, **feature engineering, anomaly detection** and leveraged Python to implement Machine Learning algorithms, resulting in a significant 25% increase in model's accuracy for both classification and regression.
- Containerized machine learning models using Docker for model deployment and testing
- Applied **statistical techniques** (regression analysis, time series forecasting, clustering, A/B testing) contributing to a 15% improvement in data-driven decision accuracy.

PROJECTS

Credit Card Fraud Detection | Python, Machine Learning, Mlflow, Streamlit, API's

- Orchestrated robust **end-to-end data science pipelines using Python**, handling data ingestion, data validation, data preprocessing, **model training**, and **model deployment using Streamlit** to ensure accurate fraud prediction.
- Implemented real-time monitoring of ML models for experiment tracking on DagsHub's free hosted MLflow server.

Predicting Service Faults on Telecommunication Network Data | Python, Data Analysis

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- Performed extensive data exploration, **exploratory data analysis**, and feature engineering, leading to a significant 10% improvement in model performance through hyper parameter tuning.
- **Deployed** XG Boost Classifier model using Python- Streamlit increasing accuracy by 15%; reduced false positive rate by 20%.

Amazon Fine Food Reviews | Natural Language Processing | Data Extraction

(<u>Link</u>)

- Engineered a data extraction utilizing SQLite database and Python, resulting in a 40% reduction in data processing time
- Transformed text data through the implementation of advanced text featurization techniques including TF-IDF, and Avg W2Vec, resulting in a 25% improvement in text analysis accuracy.

EDUCATION

GPA: 3.71/4.0

University of South Florida | MS in Business Analytics and Information Systems

Tampa, FL

Osmania University | Bachelor of Engineering in Electronics and Communication Engineering

Expected May. 2024

Aug. 2020

SKILLS

Python | R | C | SQL | Excel | Descriptive and Inferential Statistics | Clustering | Hypothesis Testing | A/B testing | ANOVA | Time Series | Spark | Hadoop | MongoDB | Python (Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn, RESTful API Services ,PySpark, NLTK, Tensorflow, Keras, Flask) | Classification | Decision Tree | Random Forest | Natural Language Processing | Topic Modeling | Ploty Dash | Supervised | Unsupervised Learning | Data Science Pipeline (cleansing, wrangling, visualization, modeling, interpretation) | VS Code | R studio | Git | Linux | Docker | Postman | Kafka | Spark | Tableau | Power BI | SQL Server | PostgreSQL | Splunk | Jenkins. | Qlik

CERTIFICATION

Databricks Accreditation Lakehouse Fundamentals

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Distributed Storage and Processing Fundamentals Certification

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Presented Summer Internship Project at DSSG 2023 Conference, highlighting social impact through data-driven solutions.