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Data Scientist

SUMMARY

Data Scientist with 2+ years of experience in anomaly detection, machine learning, and advanced analytics within the Television & Media Broadcasting domain. Skilled in Python, SQL, Tableau, and statistical methods, with proven business impact — including ₹35Cr+ cost savings, 22% higher client satisfaction, and 12X faster data processing. Experienced in research-driven, query-based projects, with a strong focus on critical thinking and methodology development.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Data Scientist, BARC India | June 2023 - Present

- Leveraged **Python** to perform fraud detection in the OOH footfall ticketing application, resulting in a savings of ₹35 crores for the organization annually.
- Resolved 150+ client queries using **Python** for clients such as Sony, Star, and Zee, leading to a **22%** increase in Client Satisfaction Scores (**CSAT**).
- Implemented a Rim Weighting technique instead of Cell Weighting, reducing computational time by **12X**, from 6 minutes per day to 30 seconds per day.

Data Science Intern, TwiLearn | Feb 2023 - April 2023

- Processed 2.8M Amazon reviews across 49K brands, achieving 75% inventory efficiency for top-selling products.
- Built sentiment forecasting models using **VADER sentiment analyzer** and **FBprophet** model with a focus on improving customer experience for products with negative sentiment trends.
- Built churn prediction model for bank customers using Ensemble and Tree-based algorithms (Logistic Regression, Random Forest, Boosting, Stacking)

KEY TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Programming:** Python (Pandas, NumPy, sklearn, spaCy)
- **Visualization:** Tableau, Power BI, Matplotlib, Seaborn
- Databases: MySQL
- Machine Learning: Regression, Classification, Forecasting, NLP, Text Analytics
- Tools: GitHub, Jupyter, VS Code, Colab

EDUCATION

- Advanced PG Certificate in AI Engineering IIT Roorkee (Currently pursuing 2025-2026)
- PG Diploma in Data Science (Data Engineering) IIIT Bangalore & UpGrad (2022 2023) | 81%
- Certification in Data Science & ML NIIT StackRoute (2022 2023)
- MBA (Business Administration) IIBM (2021 2022) | 75.7%
- B.E. Mechanical Engineering Sandip Institute of engineering & management SPPU (2017 2021) | 77.6%