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**Course : Gen AI for
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**Lecture On : NumPy &
Pandas**

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Today's Agenda....

- 01** NumPy: Introduction, NumPy Arrays, Benefits, Examples
- 02** NumPy Methods
- 03** Pandas: Intro, DataFrames, Benefits & Uses
- 04** Pandas Methods

NumPy



What is NumPy?

- NumPy is a Python library used for analyzing data.
- Essential for data science, providing fast operations on arrays due to its bindings to C libraries.
- Used in various mathematical, statistical, and machine learning applications.

REFERENCE: [NumPy Documentation](#)

NumPy Arrays:

- NumPy Arrays are the fundamental data structure of the NumPy library.
- They are grid-like data structures that hold elements of the same type, allowing for efficient mathematical operations.



Creating a NumPy Array:

Code Input:

```
import numpy as np

# Creating a 1D array
array1 = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4])
print("1D Array:", array1)

# Creating a 2D array
array2 = np.array([[1, 2, 3], [4, 5, 6]])
print("2D Array:\n", array2)
```



Output:

```
1D Array: [1 2 3 4]
2D Array:
 [[1 2 3]
 [4 5 6]]
```

Importance of NumPy Arrays in Machine Learning:

- **Efficiency:** NumPy arrays are highly efficient for mathematical and statistical operations, thanks to their underlying implementation in C.
- **Ease of Use:** Provides a wide range of functions for array creation, manipulation, and mathematical computations.
- **Integration:** Seamlessly integrates with other libraries like pandas, SciPy, and matplotlib, making it a cornerstone of the scientific Python ecosystem.
- **Versatility:** Supports various types of operations, including element-wise operations, broadcasting, and more, which are essential for data analysis and machine learning tasks.

NumPy Arrays - Matrices

Matrices

- Matrices are a type of NumPy array that are two-dimensional.
- They consist of rows and columns.
- Even if they have only one row or one column, they are still considered matrices.
- Commonly used in various mathematical operations such as matrix multiplication, linear transformations, and more.

NumPy Arrays - Vectors

Vectors

- Vectors are another type of NumPy array that are strictly one-dimensional.
- They can be thought of as lists of numbers, representing a point in space.
- Vectors are often used in operations such as dot products, cross products, and in solving systems of linear equations.

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Matrices vs Vectors

Matrices

- Linear Algebra: Used extensively in linear algebra for operations such as matrix multiplication, inversion, and finding eigenvalues.
- Data Representation: In machine learning, matrices are often used to represent datasets, where rows correspond to samples and columns correspond to features.
- Image Processing: Images can be represented as matrices of pixel values.
- Graph Theory: Adjacency matrices represent the connections between nodes in a graph.

Vectors

- Spatial Representation: Vectors are used to represent points or directions in space. For example, a vector (x, y, z) in 3D space.
- Feature Vectors: In machine learning, feature vectors represent the attributes of data points.
- Physics and Engineering: Vectors represent quantities that have both magnitude and direction, such as velocity and force.
- Linear Algebra Operations: Vectors are used in operations like dot product and cross product.

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Pandas



What is Pandas?

- Pandas is an open-source data manipulation and analysis library for Python.
- Designed to handle, clean, and analyze data efficiently.
- Allows loading data from various sources, transforming it, and performing complex operations with ease.

REFERENCE: [Pandas Documentation](#)

[Creating a DataFrame:](#)

- Pandas primarily works with two data structures: Series and DataFrames
- A DataFrame is like a spreadsheet, with rows and columns.



Creating a DataFrame:

Code Input:

```
import pandas as pd

# Creating a DataFrame from a dictionary
data = {'Name': ['Alice', 'Bob', 'Charlie'],
        'Age': [25, 30, 35],
        'City': ['New York', 'Los Angeles', 'Chicago']}
df = pd.DataFrame(data)
print("DataFrame:\n", df)
```



Output:

```
DataFrame:
      Name  Age        City
0   Alice  25  New York
1     Bob  30  Los Angeles
2 Charlie  35      Chicago
```

Importance of NumPy Arrays in Machine Learning:

- Structured Data Handling: Tabular structure similar to a spreadsheet.
- Flexibility: Handles various data types (numerical, textual, datetime).
- Easy Data Import/Export: Reads from and writes to CSV, Excel, SQL databases, etc.
- Data Cleaning: Handles missing data, removes duplicates, transforms data.
- Data Selection: Selects specific rows and columns based on conditions.
- Data Aggregation: Groups and aggregates data efficiently.
- Data Visualization: Integrates with Matplotlib and Seaborn for plotting.
- Time Series Data: Robust tools for working with date and time data.
- Data Joining/Merging: Combines multiple DataFrames.
- Efficient Memory Usage: Optimized for large datasets.
- Machine Learning Prep: Prepares data for machine learning tasks.
- Interactive Analysis: Allows for step-by-step data exploration in Jupyter Notebooks.
- Community and Documentation: Extensive support and resources available.

Use Cases of Pandas:

- **Data Cleaning:** Clean messy data, remove duplicates, handle missing values, and transform data into a structured format.
- **Data Analysis:** Perform in-depth data analysis, calculate statistics, visualize data, and make data-driven decisions.
- **Data Preparation:** Prepare data for machine learning by encoding categorical variables and splitting data into training and testing sets.

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Key Takeaway

- 01** Importance of NumPy & Pandas in Classical ML and AI.
- 02** Their implementation and internal workings.

