Data Science

Syllabus



Module: 1 – Descriptive & Inferential Statistics

1.Turning Data into Information

- ✓ Data Visualization
- √ Measures of Central Tendency
- ✓ Measures of Variability
- ✓ Measures of Shape
- ✓ Covariance, Correlation

2. Probability Distributions

- ✓ Probability Distributions: Discrete Random Variables
- ✓ Mean, Expected Value
- ✓ Binomial Random Variable
- ✓ Poisson Random Variable
- √ Continuous Random Variable
- ✓ Normal distribution

3. Sampling Distributions

- ✓ Central Limit Theorem
- ✓ Sampling Distributions for Sample Proportion, p-hat
- ✓ Sampling Distribution of the Sample Mean, x-bar

4.Confidence Intervals

- ✓ Statistical Inference
- ✓ Constructing confidence intervals to estimate a population Mean, Variance, Proportion

5.Hypothesis Testing

- √ Hypothesis Testing
- √ Type I and Type II Errors
- ✓ Decision Making in Hypothesis Testing
- ✓ Hypothesis Testing for a Mean, Variance, Proportion
- √ Power in Hypothesis Testing

6.Comparing Two Groups

- √ Comparing Two Groups
- ✓ Comparing Two Independent Means, Proportions
- ✓ Pairs wise testing for Means
- √ Two Variances Test(F-Test)

7. Analysis of Variance (ANOVA)

- ✓ One-Way and Two-way ANOVA
- ✓ ANOVA Assumptions
- √ Multiple Comparisons (Tukey, Dunnett)

8.Association Between Categorical Variables

- √ Two Categorical Variables Relation
- ✓ Statistical Significance of Observed Relationship / Chi-Square Test
- ✓ Calculating the Chi-Square Test Statistic
- √ Contingency Table

Module:2 – Prediction Analytics

1. Simple Linear Regression

- ✓ Simple Linear Regression Model
- √ Least-Square Estimation of the Parameters
- √ Hypothesis Testing on the Slope and Intercept
- √ Coefficient of Determination

2. Multiple Linear Regression

- √ Multiple Regression Models
- ✓ Estimation of Model Parameters
- √ Hypothesis Testing in Multiple Linear Regression
- √ Multicollinearity

3. Model Adequacy Checking

- ✓ Residual Analysis
- √ The PRESS Statistic
- ✓ Detection and Treatment of Outliers
- ✓ Lack of Fit of the Regression Model

4. Transformations

- ✓ Variance-Stabilizing Transformations
- √ Transformations to Linearize the Model
- ✓ Box-Cox, Tidwell Transformations
- ✓ Generalized and Weighted Least Squares

5.Diagnostics for Leverage and Influence

- ✓ Leverage/ Cook's D /DFFITS/DFBETAS
- √ Treatment of Influential Observations

6.Polynomial Regression

✓ Polynomial Model in One/ Two /More Variable

7. Dummy Variables

✓ The General Concept of Indicator Variables

8. Variables Selection and Model Building

- √ Forward Selection/Backward Elimination
- ✓ Stepwise Regression

9.Generalized Linear Models

- √ Concept of GLM
- √ Logistic Regression
- √ Poisson Regression
- ✓ Negative Binomial Regression
- ✓ Exponential Regression

10.Autocorrelation

- ✓ Time Series Data
- √ Regression Models with Autocorrelation Errors

Module:3 – Applied Multivariate Analysis

1. Measures of Central Tendency, Dispersion and Association

✓ Measures of Central Tendency/ Measures of Dispersion

2. Multivariate Normal Distribution

- ✓ Exponent of Multivariate Normal Distribution
- ✓ Positive Definite/Negative Definite/Semi Definite
- ✓ Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors
- ✓ Spectral Decomposition
- ✓ Single Value Decomposition

3. Sample Mean Vector and Sample Correlation

- ✓ Distribution of Sample Mean Vector
- ✓ Interval Estimate of Population Mean
- ✓ Inferences for Correlations

4. Principal Components Analysis (PCA)

✓ Principal Component Analysis (PCA) Procedure

5. Factor Analysis

- ✓ Principal Component Method
- ✓ Communalities
- ✓ Factor Rotations
- √ Varimax Rotation

6. Discriminant Analysis

- ✓ Discriminant Analysis (Linear/Quadratic)
- ✓ Estimating Misclassification Probabilities

7. MANOVA

- √ MANOVA
- √ Test Statistics for MANOVA
- √ Hypothesis Tests
- ✓ MANOVA table

Module:4 - Machine Learning

1. Introduction

- √ Application Examples
- √ Supervised Learning
- √ Unsupervised Learning

2. Regression Shrinkage Methods

- ✓ Ridge Regression
- ✓ Lasso Regression

3. Classification

- ✓ Variance-Bias Tradeoff
- ✓ Gradient Descent/Ascent Procedure
- ✓ Maximum Likelihood Method
- ✓ Logistic Regression
- ✓ Bayes Law
- ✓ Naïve Bayes
- ✓ Nearest-Neighbor Methods (K-NNClassifier)

4. Tree-based Methods

- √ The Basics of Decision Trees
- √ Regression Trees
- √ Classification Trees
- ✓ Ensemble Methods
- ✓ Bagging, Bootstrap, Random Forests, Boosting

5. Neural Networks

- ✓ Introduction
- ✓ Single Layer Perceptron
- ✓ Multi-layer Perceptron
- ✓ Forward Feed and Backward Propagation

6. Support Vector Machine

- ✓ Maximum Marginal Classifier
- ✓ Support Vector Classifier
- √ Kernel Trick
- ✓ Support Vector Machine
- ✓ SVMs with More than Two Classes

7. Cluster Analysis

- ✓ Agglomerative Hierarchical Clustering
- ✓ K-Means Procedure
- ✓ Medoid Cluster Analysis

8. Dimensionality Reduction

- ✓ Principal Component Analysis
- ✓ Using Software-Real Time Problems

9. Association rules

- √ Market Basket Analysis
- √ Apriori/Support/Confidence/Lift

Module:5 - R Programming

1. R Programming

- √R Basics
- ✓ Numbers, Attributes
- √ Creating Vector
- √ Mixing Objects
- ✓ Explicit Coercion
- ✓ Formatting Data Values
- ✓ Matrices, List, Factors, Data Frames, Missing Values, Names
- ✓ Reading and Writing Data
- √ Using Dput/DDump
- ✓ Interface to the Outside world
- ✓ Sub setting R objects
- √ Vectorized Operations
- ✓ Dates and Times
- ✓ Managing Data Frames with the DPLYR package
- ✓ Control Structures
- √ Functions
- ✓ Lexical /Dynamic Scoping
- ✓ Loop Functions
- ✓ Debugging

2. Data Analytics Using R

✓ Module 1-4 demonstrated using R programming