

AI & ML	
Problem Statement:	Predicting Loan Default Risk + Building a Gen AI Assistant for Risk Analysts
Instructions	
<b>Part A: Predictive Modeling &amp; ML</b>	<b>Task A1: Data Exploration</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify top predictors of default using EDA techniques.</li> <li>Visualize trends between default vs. numeric variables.</li> <li>Use PCA or clustering (e.g., KMeans) to identify natural groupings of risky customers.</li> </ul> <b>Task A2: Model Development</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Build <b>at least 2 models</b> (e.g., XGBoost, Random Forest, Logistic Regression).</li> <li>Evaluate using precision, recall, F1, ROC AUC. Focus on <b>recall</b> (for identifying defaulters).</li> <li>Discuss trade-offs between explainability and performance.</li> </ul> <b>Task A3: Model Interpretation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use SHAP or LIME to interpret why a specific customer defaulted.</li> <li>Explain how the interpretation would affect a real bank's decision-making.</li> </ul> <b>Task A4: Real-World Simulation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Simulate a mini production use case: take a batch of 10 new customers and predict default probability.</li> <li>Rank them and recommend 3 for <b>auto-rejection</b>, 3 for <b>manual review</b>, 4 for <b>approval</b>.</li> </ul>
	<b>Task B1: Prompt Engineering</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Design 3 high-quality prompts for GPT-4: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Summarizing customer risk profile from raw loan features.</li> <li>Generating an explainable rejection note for a loan.</li> <li>Creating a simple investment recommendation from a group of loan accounts.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <b>Task B2: LLM Workflow Design</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create a <b>flow diagram</b> where GPT supports analysts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Accepts structured data → Converts to readable profiles → Flags risk with rationale → Outputs summaries.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Describe token optimization and latency strategies for real-time use.</li> </ul> <b>Task B3: Finetuning or Embedding Use Case</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Choose one: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Option 1: Propose how you'd fine-tune GPT on historical loan memos to generate custom risk reports.</li> <li>Option 2: Describe how you'd use vector embeddings to power semantic search over customer complaint data or risk logs.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<b>Task C1: Executive Summary</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write a 1-page report summarizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Key insights</li> <li>Model strategy</li> <li>Gen AI use case</li> <li>Business impact</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <b>Task C2: Risk &amp; Ethics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discuss how bias could creep into models (e.g., location-based decisions).</li> <li>Propose 2 safeguards for ethical Gen AI usage in credit scoring.</li> </ul>
<b>Part B: Generative AI Application</b>	
<b>Part C: Communication &amp; Ethic</b>	

Development	
Problem Statement:	Build a chatbot
Instructions: Online platform or GitHub repo with .zip + Readme	
<b>Section A: Core Programming &amp; Problem Solving</b>	<p>Create a simple console chatbot that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Greets the user</li> <li>○ Accepts a question about loan terms like "What is EMI?" or "What is tenure?"</li> <li>○ Responds with predefined answers (use if-else or dictionaries)</li> </ul>
<b>Part B: Loan Risk Calculator</b>	<p>Using the following logic:</p> $\text{risk\_score} = (\text{missed\_repayments} * 2) + (\text{loan\_amount} / \text{collateral\_value}) + (\text{interest} / 2)$ <p>Write a function that accepts these values and classifies the loan as 'LOW', 'MEDIUM', or 'HIGH' risk based on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Score &lt; 15 → LOW</li> <li>○ Score 15–25 → MEDIUM</li> <li>○ Score &gt; 25 → HIGH</li> </ul>
<b>Part C: Business Logic Automation</b>	<p>EMI Risk Tagging (15 Marks)</p> <p>Build a function <code>classify_risk(row)</code> that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Takes a row and applies:</li> </ul> $\text{score} = (\text{missed\_repayments} * 2) + (\text{loan\_amount} / \text{collateral\_value}) + (\text{interest} / 2)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Adds a <code>risk_level</code> column:</li> <li>○ LOW (&lt;15), MEDIUM (15–25), HIGH (&gt;25)</li> </ul> <p>Use <code>apply()</code> to add this to the full dataset.</p>