



B.E/B.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: NOV /DEC 2024

(Regulation 2018)

Sixth Semester

INFORMATION SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

U18ISI6204: Machine Learning Techniques

COURSE OUTCOMES

CO1: Understanding basic concepts and techniques of Machine Learning.

CO2: Analyze the regression and classification techniques.

CO3: Be able to create solutions to real world problems using Machine Learning.

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the Questions:-

PART A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

(Answer not more than 40 words)

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| 1. Compare supervised and unsupervised learning. | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 2. Define Confusion matrix | CO1 | [K ₁] |
| 3. How the error can be calculated in linear regression? | CO2 | [K ₁] |
| 4. Define gradient descent in the context of machine learning optimization. | CO2 | [K ₁] |
| 5. Specify how precision and recall are computed from a confusion matrix. | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 6. What are support vectors? | CO2 | [K ₁] |
| 7. Differentiate Logistic regression and linear regression. | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 8. Outline the terms over fitting and variance. | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| 9. In k-means or KNN, an euclidean distance can be used to calculate the distance between nearest neighbors. Why not manhattan distance ? | CO3 | [K ₃] |
| 10. Show the difference between feature selection and feature extraction | CO3 | [K ₂] |

Answer any FIVE Questions:-

PART B (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)

(Answer not more than 400 words)

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| 11. a) Explain various types of machine learning algorithms. | 8 | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| b) Describe a spam email classification model to distinguish between spam and non-spam emails. | 8 | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 12. a) Explain Single and multiple linear regression with an example | 8 | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| b) Using historical data on monthly advertising expenditure and corresponding sales | 8 | CO2 | [K ₃] |

figures, describe how you would build a single linear regression model to predict future sales based on advertising expenditure.

13. a) Explain the concept of Support Vector Machines (SVM) in machine learning. 6 CO2 [K₂]
 How does SVM classify data points by finding the optimal hyperplane.
- b) Consider the following dataset and create decision tree 10 CO2 [K₃]

Outlook	Temperature	Humidity	Wind	Played football(yes/no)
Sunny	Hot	High	Weak	No
Sunny	Hot	High	Strong	No
Overcast	Hot	High	Weak	Yes
Rain	Mild	High	Weak	Yes
Rain	Cool	Normal	Weak	Yes
Rain	Cool	Normal	Strong	No
Overcast	Cool	Normal	Strong	Yes
Sunny	Mild	High	Weak	No
Sunny	Cool	Normal	Weak	Yes
Rain	Mild	Normal	Weak	Yes
Sunny	Mild	Normal	Strong	Yes
Overcast	Mild	High	Strong	Yes
Overcast	Hot	Normal	Weak	Yes
Rain	Mild	High	Strong	No

14. a) Explain how the loss function is defined in logistic regression. 8 CO2 [K₂]
 b) Summarize the features of KNN algorithm 8 CO2 [K₂]
15. a) Explain One-vs-all multiclass classification 8 CO2 [K₂]
 b) Describe Regularization in machine learning. Explain L1 and L2 regularization 8 CO2 [K₂]
16. a) Consider a boy who has a volleyball tournament on the next day, but today he feels sick. It is unusual that there is only a 40% chance he would fall sick since he is a healthy boy. Now, Find the probability of the boy participating in the tournament. The boy is very much interested in volleyball, so there is a 90% probability that he would participate in tournaments and 20% that he will fall sick given that he participates in the tournament. 8 CO3 [K₃]
- b) How Matrix factorization works in PCA. Explain in detail? 8 CO3 [K₂]
