

DATA ANALYTICS
(CSBS 4135)

Time Allotted : 2½ hrs

Full Marks : 60

Figures out of the right margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to answer Group A and any 4 (four) from Group B to E, taking one from each group.

Candidates are required to give answer in their own words as far as practicable.

Group – A

1. Answer any twelve:

12 × 1 = 12

Choose the correct alternative for the following

- (i) What is the primary goal of data analytics?
 - (a) To gather data from the web
 - (b) To develop new data source
 - (c) To uncover insights and support decision-making
 - (d) To clean data.
- (ii) What is the primary purpose of linear regression?
 - (a) To classify data into categories
 - (b) To predict a continuous outcome variable
 - (c) To reduce data dimensionality
 - (d) To assess data distribution.
- (iii) What is the purpose of splitting a dataset into training and test datasets?
 - (a) To increase the size of the dataset
 - (b) To optimize data storage
 - (c) To evaluate the performance of a classification model
 - (d) To reduce the number of features.
- (iv) What does pre-pruning in decision trees involve?
 - (a) Trimming branches after the tree has been built
 - (b) Limiting the growth of the tree during its construction
 - (c) Using cross-validation to prune the tree
 - (d) Combining multiple decision trees into one.
- (v) In the K-nearest Neighbor algorithm, what does the parameter 'K' represent?
 - (a) The number of features in the dataset
 - (b) The number of nearest neighbors to consider for classification
 - (c) The number of decision trees in an ensemble
 - (d) The number of layers in a neural network.

- (vi) How does PCA determine the principal components of a dataset?
 - (a) By clustering the data into K groups
 - (b) By calculating the eigenvectors and eigenvalues of the covariance matrix
 - (c) By applying a hierarchical clustering algorithm
 - (d) By using fuzzy logic to group data points.
- (vii) In K-means clustering, how is the number of clusters determined?
 - (a) By the silhouette score
 - (b) It is specified by the user
 - (c) By the distance metric
 - (d) It is automatically calculated.
- (viii) In which type of visualization does the color intensity represent the magnitude of values in a matrix format?
 - (a) Heat map
 - (b) Bubble chart
 - (c) Gauge chart
 - (d) Force Directed Chart.
- (ix) What is the primary purpose of data visualization?
 - (a) To collect raw data
 - (b) To clean and preprocess data
 - (c) To present data in a graphical format that makes it easier to understand
 - (d) To analyze data using statistical methods.
- (x) Which of the following is true about Neural Networks?
 - (a) They require feature engineering to perform well
 - (b) They consist of layers of interconnected nodes
 - (c) They always produce interpretable results
 - (d) They do not require a large amount of data.

Fill in the blanks with the correct word

- (xi) _____ Matrix is used for measuring classification accuracy.
- (xii) _____ is a well-known dimension reduction technique.
- (xiii) An example of activation function in ANN is _____.
- (xiv) Linear Regression equation of Y on X is _____.
- (xv) The _____ plot is commonly used to show the distribution of a numeric variable and identify potential outliers.

Group - B

2. (a) Briefly discuss structured data, unstructured data and semi structured data with example. [[C01](Remember/LOCQ)]
- (b) Discuss feature extraction and feature reduction techniques in the light of feature engineering. [[C01](Remember/LOCQ)]
- (c) How data analytics can be utilized in healthcare to enhance patient care and operational efficiency? [[C01](Understand/LOCQ)]

3 + 4 + 5 = 12

3. (a) Find linear regression equation for the following set of data.

x	2	4	6	8
y	3	7	5	10

- (b) Explain the Tanh activation function in ANN.

- (c) Explain how does logistic regression differ from linear regression?

[[CO2](Apply/IOCQ)]

[[CO2](Remember/LOCQ)]

[[CO3](Understand/LOCQ)]

6 + 3 + 3 = 12

Group - C

4. (a) Given the following dataset predict whether a player should play or not if the weather is sunny using Naïve Bayes' classifier.

Observation No.	Outlook	Play
0	Rainy	Yes
1	Sunny	Yes
2	Overcast	Yes
3	Overcast	Yes
4	Sunny	No
5	Rainy	Yes
6	Sunny	Yes
7	Overcast	Yes
8	Rainy	No
9	Sunny	No
10	Sunny	Yes
11	Rainy	No
12	Overcast	Yes
13	Overcast	Yes

- (b) Discuss the impact of choosing the value of K in KNN classifier.

- (c) What is an outlier?

[[CO3](Apply/IOCQ)]

[[CO3](Understand/LOCQ)]

[[CO2](Remember/LOCQ)]

7 + 3 + 2 = 12

5. (a) Why KNN classification algorithm is a lazy learning classifier? [[CO3](Understand/LOCQ)]

- (b) Write down the steps decision tree classification algorithm. [[CO3](Remember/LOCQ)]

- (c) Provide an example scenario where a decision tree would be an appropriate classifier.

[[CO3](Understand/LOCQ)]

3 + 6 + 3 = 12

Group - D

6. (a) Explain the concept of Fuzzy C-means clustering algorithm. [[CO4](Remember/LOCQ)]

- (b) How does Fuzzy C-means clustering differ from the K-means algorithm?

[[CO4](Understand/LOCQ)]

- (c) Describe briefly the different linkage functions in hierarchical clustering algorithm.

[[CO4](Remember/LOCQ)]

4 + 4 + 4 = 12

7. (a) Write down the steps of PCA algorithm. [[C05](Remember/LOCQ)]
 (b) Apply K-Means algorithm on the below given dataset to form two clusters (number of desired clusters K=2):

Age	Income (in thousands)
20	10
30	20
30	30
35	35
40	40
50	45

- (c) Describe briefly the functions of dendrogram in hierarchical clustering. [[C04](Apply/IOCQ)]
[[C04](Remember/LOCQ)]
3 + 7 + 2 = 12

Group - E

8. (a) What are the common challenges in data visualization, and how can they be addressed to improve data interpretation? [[C04](Remember/LOCQ)]
 (b) Explain Histogram and Box Plot with example. [[C06](Remember/LOCQ)]
 (c) What is the difference between static and dynamic data visualizations? [[C06](Understand/LOCQ)]
4 + 5 + 3 = 12
9. (a) You are tasked with visualizing survey data that includes categorical and numerical variables. What visualization techniques would you use, and why? [[C06](Understand/LOCQ)]
 (b) Explain Choropleth with example. [[C06](Remember/LOCQ)]
 (c) What is a gauge chart, and when would it be appropriate to use it? [[C06](Remember/LOCQ)]
6 + 3 + 3 = 12

Cognition Level	LOCQ	IOCQ	HOCQ
Percentage distribution	79.2	20.8	0