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CS74127: Mathematical Foundations of Data Science

L-T-P-Cr: 3-0-2-4

Course Objective: The objective of the course is to familiarize with the basic mathematical concepts required for a data scientist like, Linear algebra, Analytic Geometry, Matrix Decompositions, Probability and Markov chain concepts.

Course Outcomes:

At the end of the course, a student will understand:

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1	Able to understand the Linear algebra and Analytic geometry concepts	PO1, PO2
2	Understand and apply the matrix decomposition concepts to data science domain	PO1, PO2
3	Demonstrate the basic mathematical concepts in data science relating to probability and calculus.	PO1, PO2, PO6
4	Understand the theory of stochastic processes, in particular Markov processes, and able to use markov processes in various areas of applications	PO1, PO2, PO6

UNIT-I Linear Algebra

Lectures: 5

Systems of Linear Equations, Matrices, Solving Systems of Linear Equations, Vector Spaces, Linear Independence, Basis and Rank, Linear Mappings, Affine Spaces

UNIT-II Analytic Geometry

Lectures:5

Norms, Inner Products, Lengths and Distances, Angles and Orthogonality, Orthonormal Basis, Orthogonal Complement, Inner Product of Functions, Orthogonal Projections, Rotations

UNIT-III Matrix Decompositions

Lectures:8

Determinant and Trace, Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors, Cholesky Decomposition, Eigen Decomposition and Diagonalization, Singular Value Decomposition, Principal Component Analysis, Linear Discriminant Analysis, Matrix Approximation, Matrix Phylogeny

UNIT-IV Vector Calculus

Lectures:8

Differentiation of Univariate Functions, Partial Differentiation and Gradients, Gradients of Vector-Valued Functions, Gradients of Matrices, Useful Identities for Computing Gradients, Backpropagation and Automatic Differentiation, Higher-Order Derivatives, Linearization and Multivariate Taylor Series

UNIT-V Probability measures

Lectures: 14

Elementary probability, Basic facts, Events, Probability measures, Continuity of measures, Integral with respect to a measure, Probabilities on finite and denumerable sets, Probabilities on denumerable sets, Probabilities on uncountable sets, Conditional probability, Bayes formula, Random variables, Random variables, Expected value, Functions of random variables, Variance, Markov and Chebyshev inequalities, A few discrete distributions, Bernoulli distribution, Binomial distribution, Hypergeometric distribution, Poisson distribution, Geometric distribution.

UNIT-VI Discrete Time Markov chains:

Lectures: 06

Stochastic matrices, Oriented graphs, Markov chains, Stochastic processes, Transition matrices, Homogeneous processes, Markov chains, Canonical Markov chains, Some characteristic parameters, Steps for a first visit, Probability of (at least) r visits, Recurrent and transient states, Mean first passage time, Hitting time and hitting probabilities.

Text Books:

1. Mathematics For Machine Learning by Deisenroth Marc Peter , Faisal A Aldo and Ong Cheng Soon (Cambridge University press, 2021).
2. A First Course in Probability and Markov Chains by [Giuseppe Modica](#), [Laura Poggiolini](#), Wiley publication,