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MACHINE LEARNING

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

1. Write briefly:

- a) Discuss various issues in machine learning.
- b) Write a short note on Data Cleaning
- c) What is data reduction?
- d) What is the need of data pre-processing?
- e) Describe briefly how is the performance of regression models evaluated?
- f) Discuss various applications of clustering.
- g) Differentiate between mutation and elitism in genetic algorithms.
- h) What is the role of selection in the process of genetic algorithm optimization?
- i) Differentiate between precision and recall.
- j) How does the acceptable error impact the accuracy of a correlation analysis using R-square?

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SECTION-B

- 2. Compare and contrast the advantages and disadvantages of decision trees and random forests in machine learning.
- Explain the concept of Support Vector Machine (SVM) and its application in binary classification problems. Discuss the advantages and limitations of SVM compared to other classification algorithms.
- 4. Explain the basic concepts of genetic algorithms, including gene representation and fitness function. Discuss the importance of genetic operators such as selection, crossover, and mutation in the optimization process.
- 5. Describe the Naive algorithm for finding association rules and explain the importance of support and confidence in this algorithm.
- 6. Explain the concepts of Multiple Linear Regression and Polynomial Regression, including the assumptions and limitations of these regression models.

SECTION-C

- 7. Explain the importance of splitting a dataset into training and testing sets in machine learning. Describe the process of randomly splitting a dataset into training and testing sets and explain the potential issues with this approach.
- 8. Explain the concept of Reinforcement Learning (RL) and its application in machine learning. Discuss the difference between model-based and model-free RL approaches and explain when each approach is appropriate to use.
- Explain the concept of Neural Networks and their applications in machine learning.
 Discuss common activation functions and explain the advantages and limitations of each function.

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