



## Data Analytics

### SYLLABUS

#### Topics Covered

##### Introduction to Data Analytics

1. Overview of Data Analytics and its role in decision-making
2. Key concepts: Data, Information, Insights
3. Types of Data Analytics: Descriptive, Diagnostic, Predictive, Prescriptive

##### Data Collection and Data Sources

1. Methods of data collection: Surveys, Web Scraping, APIs
2. Data types: Structured, Unstructured, Semi-Structured
3. Data sources: Databases, Data Warehouses, Big Data Platforms, IoT Devices
4. Data Ethics and Compliance: GDPR, CCPA

##### Data Cleaning and Preparation

1. Data cleaning techniques: Handling missing values, Removing duplicates, Outlier detection
2. Data transformation: Normalization, Standardization, Aggregation
3. Data integration: Combining datasets, Data merging
4. Data enrichment: Adding additional context to data

##### Data Analysis and Exploration

1. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA): Summary statistics, Distribution analysis, Data visualization
2. Statistical methods: Mean, Median, Mode, Variance, Standard Deviation, Correlation, Regression
3. Techniques: Hypothesis testing, ANOVA, Chi-Square tests
4. Data profiling and quality assessment

##### Data Visualization

1. Principles of effective data visualization: Clarity, Accuracy, and Aesthetics
2. Tools and libraries: Matplotlib, Seaborn, Plotly, Tableau, Power BI
3. Creating visualizations: Bar charts, Line charts, Scatter plots, Heatmaps, Histograms, Dashboards
4. Interactive visualizations and storytelling with data

## Introduction to Machine Learning

1. Overview of Machine Learning and its applications
2. Supervised Learning: Regression (Linear, Polynomial), Classification (Decision Trees, Random Forests, Support Vector Machines)
3. Unsupervised Learning: Clustering (K-Means, DBSCAN, Hierarchical), Dimensionality Reduction (PCA, t-SNE)
4. Model evaluation: Cross-validation, ROC-AUC, Confusion Matrix

## Advanced Data Analytics Techniques

1. Time Series Analysis: Components of time series, Forecasting models (ARIMA, Exponential Smoothing)
2. Text Analytics: Natural Language Processing (NLP), Sentiment Analysis, Topic Modeling (LDA)
3. Advanced statistical methods: Bayesian Analysis, Survival Analysis
4. Anomaly Detection: Techniques and applications

## Data Analytics Tools and Platforms

1. - Introduction to analytics tools: Excel, R, Python
2. Data management systems: SQL, NoSQL databases (MongoDB, Cassandra)
3. Big Data technologies: Hadoop, Spark, Hive
4. Cloud-based analytics services: AWS (Redshift, QuickSight), Google Cloud (BigQuery, Data Studio), Azure (Azure Synapse Analytics)

## Practical Projects and Case Studies

1. Real-world data analytics projects: Project scoping, Data acquisition, Analysis, Visualization, Reporting
2. Industry-specific case studies: Healthcare, Finance, Retail, Marketing
3. End-to-end project implementation: Problem definition, Solution design, Data processing, Insight generation

## Ethical Considerations in Data Analytics

1. Data privacy and security: Best practices, Data anonymization
2. Ethical use of data: Avoiding biases, Ensuring fairness
3. Understanding legal and regulatory requirements
4. Promoting transparency in data-driven decisions

## Data Analytics Project Management

1. Project management methodologies: Agile, Scrum
2. Data project planning: Scope, Resources, Timeline
3. Collaboration tools and techniques: JIRA, Trello, Asana
4. Reporting and communication: Effectively presenting findings to stakeholders

## Emerging Trends in Data Analytics

1. Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning integration
2. Real-time Data Analytics and Stream Processing
3. Advanced Analytics with Graph Databases
4. The impact of Blockchain on data security and integrity