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COURSE PLAN & COURSE DATA SHEET

PROGRAM: B.Tech - VI Sem	DEGREE: B.Tech
COURSE: Statistical Learning Theory	SEMESTER: 6th CREDITS: 3
COURSE CODE: CS-302 REGULATION:	COURSE TYPE: CORE
COURSE AREA/DOMAIN: Computer Applications	CONTACT HOURS: 42
CORRESPONDING LAB COURSE CODE (IF ANY): CS-352	LAB COURSE NAME (IF ANY): Statistical Learning Theory Lab

PROGRAM EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES:

The main goal of statistical learning theory is to provide a framework for studying the problem of inference, that is of gaining knowledge, making predictions, making decisions or constructing models from a set of data.

UNIT	DETAILS	HOURS
Ι	Probabilistic formulations of prediction problems, Plug-in estimators, empirical risk minimization linear threshold functions, perceptron algorithm	8
II	Risk bounds, Concentration inequalities, Uniform convergence, Rademacher averages; combinatorial dimensions, Convex surrogate losses for classification	9
III	Game-theoretic formulations of prediction problems, Minimax strategies for log loss, linear loss, and quadratic loss, Universal portfolios, Online convex optimization	8
IV	Neural network, Stochastic gradient methods, Combinatorial dimensions and Rademacher averages, Hardness results for learning, Efficient learning algorithms	8
V	Kernel methods, Reproducing kernel Hilbert spaces, Mercer's theorem, Convex optimization for kernel methods, Representer theorem, Ensemble methods, AdaBoost, AdaBoost as Iprojection, Convergence and consistency of AdaBoost	9
	TOTAL HOURS	42



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Teacher Centric Approach TC1: Chalk and Talk, Blended learning	ТС2: РРТ,	TC3: Video Lectures	TC4:
Learner Centric Approach: LC1: Assignment. recent trends.	LC2: Mini project.	LC3: Quiz/Class test.	LC 4: Seminar on
LC5: Group Task.	LC6: Others		

DETAILED SESSION PLAN

Lecture session/ Number	Topics to be covered	CO addressed	Teacher Centric Approach	Learner Centric Approach	References	Relevance with POs and PSOs
1	Probabilistic		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
2	formulations of		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	_
2	Plug-in estimators			LC1,LC5	11/K1/W1	
3	empirical risk		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	-
	minimization linear					-
4	perceptron		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
5	algorithm Risk bounds		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	-
5	KISK OOUIIds			Lei,Les		
6	Concentration		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	inequalities				TT 1 /TT 1 /TT 1	-
7	Uniform		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
8	convergence Rademacher		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	averages					
9	combinatorial		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	dimensions				T1/D1/33/1	
	Convex surrogate		TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	losses for					



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10	Game-theoretic	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	formulations of				
	prediction problems				
	prediction problems				
11	Minimax strategies	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	for log loss		,		
12	linear loss and	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	quadratic loss				
13	Universal portfolios	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
14	Online convex	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	optimization				
15	Neural network	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
16	Stochastic gradient	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	methods				
17	Combinatorial	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	dimensions and				
18	Hardness results for	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	learning				
19	Efficient learning	TC1	LC1,LC3	T1/R1/W1	
	algorithms				

TEXT/REFERENCE BOOKS:

T/R	BOOK TITLE/AUTHORS/PUBLICATION					
1	A Probabilistic Theory of Pattern Recognition, Devroye, Gyorfi, Lugosi, Springer					
2	The Elements of Statistical Learning, Hastie, et al, Springer					
3	Combinatorial methods in density estimation, Devroye and Lugosi, Springer					
4	Statistical Learning Theory, Vapnik, Wiley					
5	An Introduction to Computational Learning Theory, Kearns and Vazirani, MIT Press					

WEB SOURCE REFERENCES (W):

1	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pb9LQV3fytE
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COURSE PRE-REQUISITES:

C.CODE	COURSE NAME	DESCRIPTION	SEM
CS-302	Statistical Learning Theory	3-0-0	6тн



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COURSE OUTCOMES:

S.NO	DESCRIPTION	PO(112)	PSO(13)
		MAPPING	MAPPING
Cxxx.1	To learn existing statistical algorithms of Machine Learning	PO1,PO2,PO3	PSO1,PSO2,PSO3
	(ML) and Pattern Recognition (PR).		
Cxxx.2	To understand the difference between Classification and	PO1,PO2,PO3	PSO1,PSO2,PSO3
	Regression		
Cxxx.3	To have hands-on experience in implementing various ML and	PO1,PO2,PO3	PSO1,PSO2,PSO3
	PR techniques on different datasets.		
Cxxx.4	To learn to compare the performance of two learning systems.	PO1,PO2,PO3	PSO1,PSO2,PSO3
Cxxx.5	To study few optimization methods used to estimate the	PO1,PO2,PO3	PSO1,PSO2,PSO3
	parameters of a model during training.		
COURSI	E OVERALL PO/PSO MAPPING:		

COURSE OUTCOMES VS POs MAPPING (DETAILED; HIGH:3; MEDIUM:2; LOW:1):

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S.NO	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10	PO11	PO12	PSO1	PSO2	PSO3
Cxxx.1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2
Cxxx.2	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2
Cxxx.3	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2
Cxxx.4	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1
Cxxx.5	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1

* For Entire Course, PO & PSO Mapping

POs & PSO REFERENCE:

PO 1	Engineering Knowledge	PO7	Environment & Sustainability	PSO 1	To equip the students with theoretical and implementation knowledgebase in all the existing statistical algorithms of Machine Learning (ML) and Pattern Recognition (PR), understand the difference between Classification and Regression
PO	Problem	PO8	Ethics	PSO	on experience in implementing various ML and
2	Analysis			2	PR techniques on different datasets
PO	Design &	PO9	Individual &	PSO	optimization methods used to estimate the
3	Development		Team Work	3	parameters of a model during training
PO	Investigations	PO10	Communication		
4			Skills		
PO	Modern Tools	PO11	Project Mgt. &		
5			Finance		
PO	Engineer &	PO12	Life Long		
6	Society		Learning		

COs VS POs MAPPING JUSTIFICATION:

S.NO	PO/PSO MAPPED	LEVEL OF MAPPING	JUSTIFICATION
Cxxx.1			
Cxxx.2			
Cxxx.3			
Cxxx.4			

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Cxxx.5		
Cxxx*		

GAPS IN THE SYLLABUS - TO MEET INDUSTRY/PROFESSION REOUIREMENTS, POS & PSOs:

SNO	DESCRIPTION	PROPOSED
		ACTIONS
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PROPOSED ACTIONS: TOPICS BEYOND SYLLABUS/ASSIGNMENT/INDUSTRY VISIT/GUEST LECTURER/NPTEL ETC

TOPICS BEYOND SYLLABUS/ADVANCED TOPICS/DESIGN:

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DELIVERY/INSTRUCTIONAL METHODOLOGIES:

CHALK & TALK	□ STUD. ASSIGNMENT	UWEB RESOURCES	□ NPTEL/OTHERS
LCD/SMART BOARDS	□ STUD. SEMINARS	□ ADD-ON COURSES	□ WEBNIARS

ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGIES-DIRECT

□ ASSIGNMENTS	□ STUD. SEMINARS	□ TESTS/MODEL EXAMS	UNIV. EXAMINATION
STUD. LAB PRACTICES	□ STUD. VIVA	☐ MINI/MAJOR PROJECTS	□ CERTIFICATIONS
□ ADD-ON COURSES	□ OTHERS		

ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGIES-INDIRECT

□ ASSESSMENT OF COURSE OUTCOMES (BY FEEDBACK, ONCE)	□ STUDENT FEEDBACK ON FACULTY (TWICE)
□ ASSESSMENT OF MINI/MAJOR PROJECTS BY EXT. EXPERTS	□ OTHERS

INNOVATIONS IN TEACHING/LEARNING/EVALUATION PROCESSES:

- Technology Integration: Embrace and integrate technology tools in the classroom to enhance the learning 1 experience. This can include interactive whiteboards, educational apps, virtual reality, and online collaboration platforms. Utilizing technology allows for more dynamic and interactive lessons, catering to diverse learning styles.
- 2. Personalized Learning Paths: Implement personalized learning approaches that cater to individual student needs and pace of learning. Adaptive learning platforms and data analytics can help tailor educational content, assignments, and assessments based on the strengths and weaknesses of each student, promoting a more customized learning experience.
- Active Learning Strategies: Move away from traditional lecture-based approaches and incorporate active learning strategies. This involves engaging students in hands-on activities, group discussions, problem-solving exercises, and real-world projects. Active learning fosters critical thinking, collaboration, and practical application of knowledge.

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4. **Blended Learning Models:** Adopt blended learning models that combine face-to-face instruction with online resources. This allows for flexibility in learning, enabling students to access materials at their own pace outside the classroom. Flipped classrooms, where students learn new concepts online and engage in discussions and activities during class, are an example of a blended learning approach.

5. Assessment Innovation: Rethink assessment methods to go beyond traditional exams and quizzes. Explore alternative forms of assessment, such as project-based assessments, portfolios, presentations, and peer assessments. Additionally, incorporate formative assessments and feedback throughout the learning process to help students track their progress and make improvements.

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Additionally, the details to be compiled separately by the Departmental Coordinator for the entire Department.