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NOIDA INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY, GREATER NOIDA
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M.Tech Integrated

SEM: VII - THEORY EXAMINATION (2025 - 2026)

Subject: Programming for Data Analytics

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

General Instructions:

IMP: Verify that you have received the question paper with the correct course, code, branch etc.

1. This Question paper comprises of **three Sections -A, B, & C**. It consists of Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ's) & Subjective type questions.

2. Maximum marks for each question are indicated on right -hand side of each question.

3. Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.

4. Assume suitable data if necessary.

5. Preferably, write the answers in sequential order.

6. No sheet should be left blank. Any written material after a blank sheet will not be evaluated/checked.

SECTION-A

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1. Attempt all parts:-

- 1-a. List down the following is not a method to read data into a DataFrame in Pandas? (CO1,K1) 1
- (a) pd.read_csv()
 (b) pd.read_excel()
 (c) pd.read_table()
 (d) pd.read_html()
- 1-b. Select the correct answer to check the data types of the columns in a DataFrame in pandas? (CO1,K1) 1
- (a) df.columns
 (b) df.dtypes
 (c) df.shape
 (d) df.describe()
- 1-c. The Dplyr function used to select specific columns is (CO2, K2) 1
- (a) select()
 (b) mutate()
 (c) arrange()
 (d) filter()
- 1-d. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) involves (CO2, K2) 1
- (a) Building predictive models
 (b) Importing data
 (c) Understanding data patterns
 (d) Writing packages

- 1-e. The Python module used to connect SQLite databases is _____.(CO3, K1) 1
- (a) mysql.connector
 - (b) sqlite3
 - (c) psycopg2
 - (d) pymongo
- 1-f. INSERT INTO students VALUES (...) is a _____ command.(CO3, K1) 1
- (a) DML
 - (b) DDL
 - (c) DCL
 - (d) XML
- 1-g. Tick correct choice for the following is a type of TensorFlow API?(CO4, K2) 1
- (a) Estimators
 - (b) Keras
 - (c) Layers
 - (d) All of the above
- 1-h. Select right option of the following is a common problem in training a CNN? (CO4, K2) 1
- (a) Overfitting
 - (b) Underfitting
 - (c) Gradient vanishing
 - (d) All of the above
- 1-i. List of the following is NOT a commonly used activation function in deep learning?(CO5,K1) 1
- (a) Sigmoid
 - (b) Tanh
 - (c) Linear
 - (d) None of these
- 1-j. Select right one of the following is a commonly used loss function in deep learning for binary classification tasks?(CO5,K2) 1
- (a) Mean squared error
 - (b) Binary cross-entropy
 - (c) Categorical cross-entropy
 - (d) Noise error

2. Attempt all parts:-

- 2.a. List down steps to create a scatter plot using matplotlib in Python?(CO1,K1) 2
- 2.b. Define the use of distinct() in respect of R with example. (CO2,K1) 2
- 2.c. Define SQLite and its purpose in Python applications.(CO3, K1) 2
- 2.d. Specify the purpose of a softmax activation function in TensorFlow? (CO4, K2) 2
- 2.e. Explain concept of transfer learning?(CO5,K2) 2

SECTION-B

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3. Attempt all parts:-	
3.a. Answer any <u>one</u> of the following:-	
3.a.(i) Define Pandas Series and DataFrame. How do they differ in structure and usage? Give one simple example of each. (CO1,K1)	6
3.a.(ii) Evaluate how hypothesis testing can be used to verify business assumptions. Provide one example scenario. (CO1,K5)	6
3.b. Answer any one of the following:-	
3.b.(i) Discuss how Dplyr functions such as filter(), select(), mutate(), and summarize() contribute to efficient data manipulation in R..(CO2, K2)	6
3.b.(ii) Evaluate the use of Stringr's regular expression functions (str_detect, str_replace, str_extract) for preprocessing text data in real-world projects..(CO2, K5)	6
3.c. Answer any one of the following:-	
3.c.(i) Describe the complete process of connecting a Python program to an SQLite database and performing multiple queries through a cursor object.(CO3, K2)	6
3.c.(ii) Elaborate the concept of DDL and DML operations in SQLite with Python code examples showing their practical use.(CO3, K4)	6
3.d. Answer any one of the following:-	
3.d.(i) Explain the process of building a simple linear regression model using TensorFlow.(CO4,K3)	6
3.d.(ii) Specify convolutional neural network, and how is it used in image recognition tasks in TensorFlow?(CO4, K2)	6
3.e. Answer any one of the following:-	
3.e.(i) Discuss the concept of deep neural network architectures and their applications in deep learning.(CO5,K2)	6
3.e.(ii) Explain the concept of adversarial attacks in deep neural networks and discuss some techniques to defend against them.(CO5,K2)	6
SECTION-C	50
4. Answer any <u>one</u> of the following:-	
4-a. Demonstrate how to calculate mean, median, variance, and standard deviation using Pandas for a given dataset. Explain the significance of these statistics. (CO1,K3)	10
4-b. Design a workflow in Python or R to import, clean, transform, and summarize a large dataset for further analysis. Include libraries and functions used at each step (CO1,K6).	10
5. Answer any <u>one</u> of the following:-	
5-a. Illustrate concept of List in R? Explain creation, accessing and manipulation of List with example in R.(CO2,K2)	10
5-b. Analyze how R-Shiny enhances interactivity and user engagement in data-driven applications. Discuss its architecture and advantages over static dashboards.(CO2, K5)	10
6. Answer any <u>one</u> of the following:-	
6-a. Elaborate the concept of exception hierarchy in SQLite and describe different approaches to handle operational, integrity, and programming errors in Python.(CO3, K3)	10

- 6-b. Explain the structure, components, and workflow of MongoDB, emphasizing its flexibility and schema-less design in comparison to SQLite.(CO3, K2) 10
7. Answer any one of the following:-
- 7-a. Explain concept to visualize the filters learned by a convolutional layer in a CNN using Python?(CO4,K2) 10
- 7-b. A customer service chatbot needs to understand user messages. Explain how TensorFlow can be used for text preprocessing, embedding, and sequence prediction.(CO4, K3) 10
8. Answer any one of the following:-
- 8-a. Explain that some emerging trends in deep neural networks, such as transfer learning, meta-learning, and neural architecture search, and how are they being applied in practice?(CO5,K2) 10
- 8-b. Explain some common architectures used in GANs, such as deep convolutional GANs and Wasserstein GANs, and how are they used in practice? (CO5,K2) 10

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