Report of Workshop on

Neural Networks Algorithm for Biomedical Applications

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OBJECTIVES

- To highlight the importance of modelling and enhancing the knowledge in solving engineering problems using modelling methods
- To familiarize the participants with the latest modelling tools and techniques
- Use of open-source algorithms for research, teaching and industrial usage pertaining to various areas.

LECTURE SESSIONS

Aiming to provide an intense training on Neural Networks at an undergraduate level, a two-day workshop on 'Neural Networks Algorithm for Biomedical Applications' was held at BMS College of Engineering, Bangalore.

The workshop was designed for students as well as teachers, with a view to make the participants gain in-depth knowledge of Machine Learning, and had eight lecture sessions altogether. Mr. Supreeth Y.S, Co Founder and CEO at Tequed Labs, along with his team, were the resource persons of the workshop.

Mr. Supreeth delivered the inaugural lecture by giving abrief introduction on Artificial intelligence, Machine Learning and their pertinence in today's world. This was followed by an introduction to Python, one of the pivotal languages used in these fields, and a tutorial session based on its programming basics.

Machine Learning algorithms, reinforcement learning and regression techniques were presented such that, they were helpful in inculcating a positive attitude towardsMachine Learning among the participants. The next session focussed nhelping the participants to have a deep understanding about the primary classifiers and algorithms used in Machine Learning, namely theNaive Bayes, Decision Tree and Random Forest Classifiers, andK-means clustering algorithm.

The basics of OpenCV and its working were explained to use in conjunction with image acquisition and video streaming. Algorithms used in object detection, as in the case of human facial recognition were demonstrated. Codes used in voice recognition, natural language processing, and how to perform sentiment analysis on platforms such as Twitter, were explicated such that participants could execute and verify them right after. All the eight lecture sessions were informative as well asinteractive, as discerned from the feedback received from the participants.

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

DAY-1

\rightarrow Session-1

9.30am - 11.00am

- Introduction to Python (Understanding difference between python and other known programming environments).
- Python programming basics.
- Introduction to Artificial intelligence, how AI, ML and DL differ and co-relate.

\rightarrow Session-2

11.00am - 12.30pm

- Machine learning Algorithms-
- Supervised Learning
- Unsupervised Learning

Semi-Supervised Learning

→ Session-3

1.30pm - 3.00pm

Reinforcement Learning

Regression and its Types

K – Nearest Neighbours

Support Vector machines

Naïve Bayes

→ Session-4

3.00pm - 4.30pm

Decision Tree Classifier

Random Forest Classifier

K – Means Clustering

Programs and examples.

DAY-2

→ Session-1

9.30am - 11.00am

Working with OpenCV and installation.

Image Acquisition and Video streaming.

→ Session-2

11.00am- 12.30pm

Object Detection using Machine Learning.

→ Session-3

1.30pm - 3.00pm

Human Detection using Machine learning.

Creating Machine learning models and working on various data sets.

→ Session-4

3.30pm - 4.30pm

Natural Language processing and Sentimental Analysis.

CONCLUSION

The Neural Network workshop was beneficial to all the students and teachers who attended, as the topics were well elucidated by Mr. Supreeth and his team. The feedback receivedreflected that they were also equipped with a deep understanding of the topics covered.

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