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## VASAVI COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (AUTONOMOUS), HYDERABAD

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## B.E. (Civil Engg.) VII-Semester Main Examinations, Dec.-23/Jan.-24 Applications of Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning in Civil Engineering (PE-IV)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

Note: Answer all questions from Part-A and any FIVE from Part-B

Part-A  $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ Marks})$ 

Q. No.	Stem of the question	M	L	CO	PO
1.	What is meant by "learning" in the context of machine learning?	2	1	1	3
2.	List out the types of machine learning.	2	1	1	3
3.	Explain supervised learning with an example.	2	1	2	3
4.	Distinguish between classification and regression.	2	1	2	3
5.	Explain what makes clustering different from classification.	2	1	3	3
6.	What is agglomerative hierarchical clustering?	2	1	3	3
7.	What is the role of an agent in the reinforcement learning?	2	2	4	3
8.	What type of problems can be solved by using reinforcement learning?	2	2	4	3
9.	List applications of supervised learning in civil engineering.	2	2	5	3
10.	Write the applications of unsupervised learning in civil engineering.	2	2	5	3
	Part-B $(5 \times 8 = 40 \text{ Marks})$				
11. a)	Describe the basic components of the machine learning process.	3	2	1	4
b)	Describe 'Perceptron' used in the Neural Network.	5	2	1	4
12. a)	What is a binary classification problem? Explain with an example.	3	2	2	4
b)	Obtain a linear regression model for the data in the Table assuming that y is the independent variable.	5	3	2	4
	x     1.0     2.0     3.0     4.0     5.0       y     1.0     2.0     1.3     3.75     2.25				
13. a)	What is a dendrogram? Explain by taking an example.	3	2	3	4
b)	Use k-means clustering algorithm to divide the following data into two clusters and also compute the representative data points for the clusters.	5	3	3	4
	X1     1.0     2.0     2.0     3.0     4.0     5.0       X2     1.0     1.0     3.0     2.0     3.0     5.0				
14. a)	What do you understand by reinforcement learning? Explain in detail.	3	2	4	4
b)	Explain Bellman's equation of reinforcement learning with an example.	5	3	4	4

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15. a)	Supervised learning is useful in predicting the 28 day compressive strength of concrete cubes. Explain in detail in support of the statement.	3	2	5	4
b)	Take one AI & ML application from each of the following fields of civil engineering and explain in detail.	5	3	5	4
	(a) Structural Engineering (b) Soil Mechanics				
	(c) Hydrology or Water Resources Engineering.				
16. a)	Distinguish between supervised, unsupervised and reinforcement learning.	4	2	1	4
b)	Describe how linear and multinomial regression models are useful in supervised learning.	4	3	2	4
17.	Answer any <i>two</i> of the following:				
a)	Explain the different types of linkages in clustering.	4	3	3	4
b)	List and explain the stages in reinforcement learning.	4	3	4	4
c)	Take one AI & ML application from each of the following fields of civil engineering and explain in detail.	4	3	5	4
	(a) Environmental Engineering (b) Construction Management				

M: Marks; L: Bloom's Taxonomy Level; CO; Course Outcome; PO: Programme Outcome

i)	Blooms Taxonomy Level – 1	20%
ii)	Blooms Taxonomy Level – 2	40%
iii)	Blooms Taxonomy Level – 3 & 4	40%

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