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2nd SEMESTER M.TECH. (COMPUTER SCIENCE & ENGINEERING)
END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, April 2019
SUBJECT: MACHINE LEARNING (PROGRAMME ELECTIVE-I) [CSE 5255]
REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM
(29/04/2019)

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

- ❖ Answer **ALL** the questions.
- ❖ Missing data may be suitably assumed.

1A. Define the terms ‘Machine Learning’, and ‘Concept Learning’. **2M**

1B. Explain Modified k-Nearest Neighbor (MkNN) Machine Learning Algorithm.: **4M**

1C. Consider the following training set to be applied on modified K nearest neighboring method of Classification/Learning. **4M**

$X_1 = (0.8, 0.8, 1)$, $X_2 = (1.0, 1.0, 1)$, $X_3 = (1.2, 0.8, 1)$
 $X_4 = (0.8, 1.2, 1)$, $X_5 = (1.2, 1.2, 1)$, $X_6 = (4.0, 3.0, 2)$
 $X_7 = (3.8, 2.8, 2)$, $X_8 = (4.2, 2.8, 2)$, $X_9 = (3.8, 3.2, 2)$
 $X_{10} = (4.2, 3.2, 2)$, $X_{11} = (4.4, 2.8, 2)$, $X_{12} = (4.4, 3.2, 2)$
 $X_{13} = (3.2, 0.4, 3)$, $X_{14} = (3.2, 0.7, 3)$, $X_{15} = (3.8, 0.5, 3)$
 $X_{16} = (3.5, 1.0, 3)$, $X_{17} = (4.0, 1.0, 3)$, $X_{18} = (4.0, 0.7, 3)$

Let the test sample $P = (3.0, 2.0)$. For the five nearest points, the distances from P are to be determined, that is, $d(P, X_{16}) = ?$; $d(P, X_7) = ?$; $d(P, X_{14}) = ?$; $d(P, X_6) = ?$; $d(P, X_{17}) = ?$; For the given three class labels, find to which class the point P belongs to by explaining the steps of the modified K nearest neighbor method.

2A. Model the two components of the probability of error in two class classification process. Show that how diagrammatically the p (error) is least when the decision boundary at a point $g_1(x) = g_2(x)$. Where $g_1(x)$ and $g_2(x)$ are two discriminant functions. **4M**

2B. Derive the Naïve Bayes classification model using the Bayes classification model. **4M**

2C. Why we need parameter estimation in statistical classification systems? Mention any two methods for parameter estimation. **2M**

3A. What is clustering? Why is Clustering Important? **1M**

- 3B.** Consider the two-dimensional data set of 16 labelled patterns given below. Let the two classes be labelled as “X” and “O”. **5M**
- X : (1, 1), (1, 2), (2,1), (2, 2), (1, 5), (1, 6), (2, 5), (2, 6)
- O : (6, 1), (6, 2), (7, 1), (7, 2), (6, 6), (6, 7), (7, 6), (7, 7)
- Let (2, 3) be a test sample which needs to be classified using the NN on the above 16 labelled patterns after forming clusters.

- (i) Find its nearest neighbor to find the right class using the NN method.
- (ii) Also, find the centroids using a clustering approach and show that clustering procedure can reduce the number of distance values to be computed from the test sample p to all the samples by using only centroids or cluster representatives. Also, comment on the extent of space optimization using only cluster representatives or centroids.

- 3C.** Consider the data given in the following Table. Find the entropy and information gain using the following methods: **4M**
- (i). Using entropy impurity
- (ii) Using variance impurity.

X = a left branch	X = b right branch	Total	Class
40	0	40	1
10	20	30	2
10	20	30	3

- 4A.** Write the Kohonen self-organizing algorithm. Write the meaning of competitive learning. **3M**
- 4B.** Distinguish between MLP and RBF. **3M**
- 4C.** Write and discuss the use of Backpropagation algorithm in multilayer neural networks. Why it is called Backpropagation? **4M**
- 5A.** Briefly explain single layer perceptron algorithm and what are its limitations with regard to learning of Boolean functions? **5M**
- 5B.** Discuss the working of a radial basis function network and compare radial basis function with Kohonen self-organizing algorithm **3M**
- 5C.** What is bootstrap aggregation? What is its role in ensemble classifiers? **2M**