

JAYPEE UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, WAKNAGHAT

TEST -3 EXAMINATION- 2025

B.Tech- III Semester (CSE/IT)

COURSE CODE (CREDITS): 24B11CI311 (03)

MAX. MARKS: 35

COURSE NAME: COMPUTATIONAL FUNDAMENTALS FOR OPTIMIZATION

COURSE INSTRUCTORS: RBT, VSG

MAX. TIME: 2 Hours

Note: (a) All questions are compulsory.

(b) The candidate is allowed to make Suitable numeric assumptions wherever required for solving problems.

(c) Use of a scientific calculator is allowed.

Q.No	Question	CO	Marks
Q1	<p>a. Differentiate between probability and odds for an event through a suitable example.</p> <p>b. For the customer service data, the proportion of customers who would recommend the service in the sample of customers is $p = 0.84$. Therefore, the odds of recommending the service department are ____.</p> <p>c. What Is Maximum Likelihood Estimation (MLE) in Logistic Regression?</p> <p>d. Consider the following logistic regression model:</p> $P(\text{Purchase} = 1 \text{Age}) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-(-6.0 + 0.1 \times \text{Age}))}$ <p>Compute the probability of purchase for an individual aged 20 years. (Use $\exp(4) \approx 54.6$).</p> <p>e. What is the difference between covariance and correlation?</p>	5	1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1
Q2	<p>a. What happens if the learning rate is too high or too low?</p> <p>b. What are main advantages of dimensionality reduction in machine learning?</p> <p>c. Hayden was taking a nap on the hill, only to realize that he has to run back to the campus for his next class in two minutes. He approximates the height h of the hill at position (x, y) as $h = x^2 - 3y^2$, and guesses that his current position is $(x, y, h) = (-1, 0, 1)$. Which direction should he take to go down the hill as fast as possible?</p>	4	1 + 2 + 2

Q3	<p>a. Compare and contrast Gradient Descent and Stochastic Gradient Descent approach.</p> <p>b. Fit the linear curve for the following data points: (1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 2), (4, 2), (5, 4). Use Gradient descent algorithm with $\beta_0 = \beta_1 = 0$ (initially), $\eta = 0.1$. Show first iteration only.</p>	4	2.5 + 2.5
Q4	<p>a. Use the gradient descent algorithm to find the minimum of the function $3x^2 + 5x + 7$ starting with $x_0 = 10$ and learning rate $\eta = 0.01$. Perform single iteration.</p> <p>b. Find a singular value decomposition of A.</p> $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	3	2.5 + 2.5
Q5	<p>Write short notes on the following (ANY TWO):</p> <p>a. Backpropagation</p> <p>b. Dimensionality reduction</p> <p>c. Univariate versus Multivariate optimization</p>	4	2.5 + 2.5
Q6	<p>Suppose you have two classes of data: class1: (2, 3), (3, 3), (2, 4) and class2: (6, 7), (7, 7), (7, 6). Use Linear Discriminant Analysis (LDA) to classify the data points.</p>	4	5
Q7	<p>Illustrate the concept of Principal Component Analysis (PCA) with an appropriate example.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Find an LU-decomposition of A</p> $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 1 & 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$	3	5