

PMRF-ISSS Teaching Programme

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Module PMRF-ISSS151/2024

Mathematical foundations for scientific machine learning

Name of the PMRF student

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Details of the content of the module

This course covers the essential foundations required for machine learning. Through the lectures we will understand the core concepts behind various machine learning models with problem solving sessions on the various mathematical topics covered in the course.

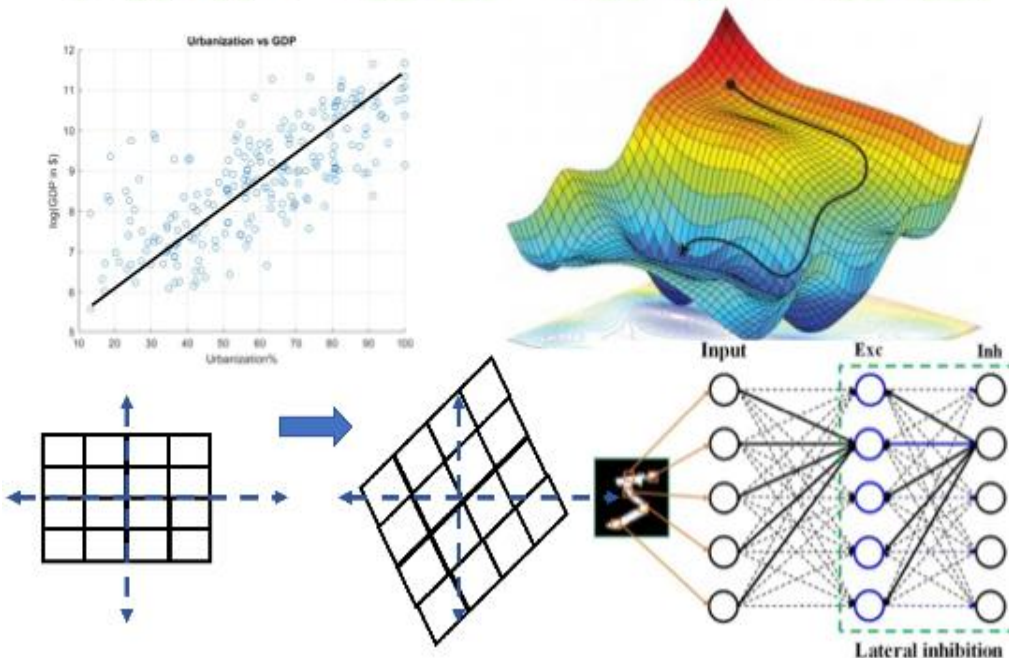
The following topics will be covered:

- Introduction to Linear Algebra
- Matrix decompositions (eigenvalue decomposition, QR decomposition, SVD and polar decomposition)
- Least squares problem, linear and logistic regression
- Introduction to multivariable calculus
- Introduction to optimization
- Gradient based optimizations (conjugate gradient, steepest gradient, batched and stochastic gradient descent algorithms)
- Introduction to Neural networks (Leveraging the concepts learned so far...)

Required background of the students taught

Basic linear algebra and high-school calculus

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Schedule of the module

Start Date: 7th October 2024

End Date: 25th October 2024

Lecture Timings: Monday-Thursday 6PM-8PM

Discussion/Problem Solving Timings: Friday 6PM-8PM

Meeting link : Will be shared later

[Link](#)

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Registration link:

<https://forms.gle/zih2EruwuC1uPyXGA>