

# GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

## MCA – SEMESTER III- EXAMINATION –WINTER-2025

**Subject Code: 639402**

**Date: 15/11/2025**

**Subject Name: Machine Learning**

**Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM**

**Total Marks: 70**

**Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make Suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Use of simple calculators and non-programmable scientific calculators are permitted.

- Q.1 (a) Answer following: 07**
1. List the characteristics of good dataset.
  2. A value to be predicted in machine learning is called as \_\_\_\_\_.
  3. Machine learning is a branch of \_\_\_\_\_.
  4. Predicting the monthly sales of store is \_\_\_\_\_ task.  
(Regression/Classification)
  5. State the applications of R.
  6. What is the hamming distance between 10101011 & 01010101?
  7. Define slope.
- (b) Explain precision and recall in terms of evaluating performance of model. 04**
- (c) Discuss eager learner and lazy learner. 03**
- Q.2 (a) Define machine learning. Discuss reinforcement learning in brief. 07**
- (b) Write short note on: 07**
1. Descriptive Models
  2. Histogram
- OR**
- (b) Explain hold-out method for training a model. 07**
- Q.3 (a) Discuss the concept of ensembling of models. 07**
- (b) Explain the process of encoding categorical variables. 07**
- OR**
- Q.3 (a) Explain the measures of feature redundancy. 07**
- (b) Explain types of feature selection approaches. 07**
- Q.4 (a) Explain multiple linear regression in detail. 07**
- (b) Discuss following: 07**
1. Entropy of decision tree
  2. Information gain of decision tree
- OR**
- Q.4 (a) Write and discuss KNN algorithm with its strength, weakness and applications. 07**
- (b) What is regression? Explain logistic regression. 07**
- Q.5 (a) Define hyperplane. Explain SVM in detail. 07**
- (b) Explain hierarchical clustering algorithm with its applications. 07**
- OR**
- Q.5 (a) Explain following with reference to association rules. 04**
1. Support
  2. Confidence
- (b) Explain density based clustering algorithm. 03**
- (c) Explain k-means clustering algorithm in detail. 07**

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