

Intro and First Day Stuff

Lecture 1 - CMSE 381

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People in this lecture



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What is this course about?

Topics:

- Fundamental concepts of data science
- Regression
- Classification
- Dimension reduction
- Resampling methods
- Tree-based methods, etc.

D2L and where to find grades

<https://d2l.msu.edu/d2l/home/2066703>

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Elizabeth Munch
as Student

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Slack and where to find announcements/ask questions

Join cmse-courses slack: <https://tinyurl.com/cmse-courses-slack-invite>

The screenshot shows a Slack interface for the channel #cmse381-f24. On the left is a sidebar with navigation options like Home, DMs, Activity, Later, and More. The main area shows the channel header with the name #cmse381-f24 and a description: "You created this channel on July 17th. This is the very beginning of the #cmse381-f24 channel. Discussion and announcements for CMSE381 (Fall 2024) with Dr. Liz Munch (@lizmunch) (Edit description)". There is an "Add coworkers" button. A date separator indicates "Wednesday, July 17th". A message from Dr. Munch at 3:40 PM says "joined #cmse381-f24." Another message from Dr. Munch at 3:40 PM says "set the channel description: Discussion and announcements for CMSE381 (Fall 2024) with Dr. Liz Munch (@lizmunch)". A "Today" date separator is followed by a message from Dr. Munch at 1:54 PM: "Welcome to CMSE381! I'm looking forward to a great semester! There are a few places you'll want to find on the internet before class starts on Monday, Aug 26. - The first week will be a bit odd since I have to travel for a work trip during the first week of classes. So the plan is: - Monday 8/26 You will join in person. Please please please BRING A COMPUTER TO CLASS THE FIRST DAY. We will be doing some basic routing warmups, so you'll want to". On the right, a "Thread" view shows a message from Dr. Munch: "To make sure everyone's found the slack channel, please post your favorite gif in the thread below! You can either hover and click 'reply in thread' or click on the message in the app to open the thread. If you did it right, you should see the gif I posted below 😊". Below this is a reply from Dr. Munch: "welcome! (1 MB)" with a GIF of a man in a red and yellow jacket saying "WELCOME!". The GIF is credited to "Brooklyn Nine-Nine". At the bottom, there is a "Reply..." input field and a checkbox for "Also send to: #cmse381-f24".

Course Website and where to find slides and jupyter notebooks

<https://cmse.msu.edu/CMSE381>

—or—

<https://msu-cmse-courses.github.io/CMSE381-F24/>



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CMSE 381 - Fall 2024

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CMSE381 - Fundamentals of Data Science Methods

Important Course Information

Instructor Information

Liz Munch

Section 001: Mon/Wed 8:30-9:50 AM

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Associate Professor

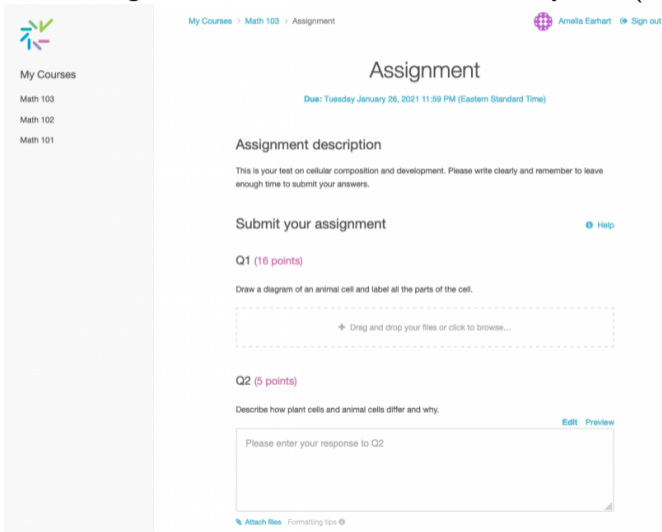
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Dept of Mathematics

Note the syllabus link above!

Crowdmark and where to submit homework

No URL: You will get an automated email from the system (I think.....?)



The screenshot shows a web interface for an assignment. On the left is a sidebar with a logo and a list of courses: 'My Courses', 'Math 103', 'Math 102', and 'Math 101'. The main content area has a breadcrumb trail 'My Courses > Math 103 > Assignment' and a user profile for 'Amelia Earhart' with a 'Sign out' link. The title 'Assignment' is centered, with a due date 'Due: Tuesday January 26, 2021 11:59 PM (Eastern Standard Time)'. Below this is the 'Assignment description' section, which contains the text: 'This is your test on cellular composition and development. Please write clearly and remember to leave enough time to submit your answers.' The 'Submit your assignment' section includes a 'Help' link. The first question, 'Q1 (16 points)', asks to 'Draw a diagram of an animal cell and label all the parts of the cell.' Below the question is a dashed box with the text '➔ Drag and drop your files or click to browse...'. The second question, 'Q2 (5 points)', asks to 'Describe how plant cells and animal cells differ and why.' To the right of the question are 'Edit' and 'Preview' links. Below the question is a text input area with the placeholder text 'Please enter your response to Q2'. At the bottom left of the input area are links for 'Attach files' and 'Formatting tips'.

Zoom link: <https://bit.ly/3FTuRqG>

Dr. Munch

Time TBD (Starting next week)

Zoom & EGR 1511

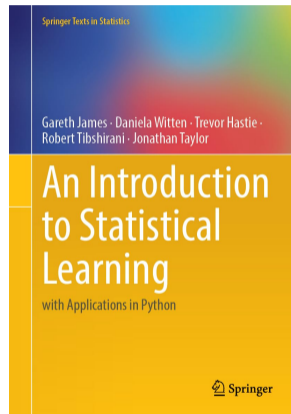
Christy Lu

Time TBD

Zoom & EGR (Room TBD)

Free download

<https://www.statlearning.com/>



Class Structure

- Class is a combination of lecture time, and group work/coding time.
 - ▶ Bring computer every day
 - ▶ Jupyter notebooks
 - ▶ Python
- Once a week, there will be a short check-in quiz. This will be basic content related to lectures since the last class. Possible questions include checking on definitions, or basic understanding of major ideas.
 - ▶ 10 points per quiz
 - ▶ Drop two lowest grades

Class Structure Pt 2

- Homeworks due once a week, midnight of the day marked in the schedule (mostly Sundays).
 - ▶ 20 points per homework
 - ▶ Drop two lowest grades
 - ▶ Sliding scale:
 - ★ 24 hours late: 5% penalty.
 - ★ 48 hours late: 15% penalty.
 - ★ >48 hours: No late work accepted.
- Three Midterms
 - ▶ See schedule for dates
 - ▶ 100 points each
 - ▶ Not cumulative
- One Project
 - ▶ Analyze dataset using tools in class, submit written report
 - ▶ 100 points
 - ▶ Due at the end of the semester

Approximate schedule

Up to date version: https://msu-cmse-courses.github.io/CMSE381-F24/Course_Info/Schedule.html

Lec #	Date		Reading	HW
1	Mon 8/26	Intro / First day stuff / Python Review Pt 1	1	
2	Wed 8/28	What is statistical learning?	2.1	
	Fri 8/30	Class Cancelled (Dr Munch out of town)		
	Mon 9/2	No class - Labor day		
3	Wed 9/4	Assessing Model Accuracy	2.2.1, 2.2.2	
4	Fri 9/6	Linear Regression	3.1	HW #1 Due Sun 9/8
5	Mon 9/9	More Linear Regression	3.1/3.2	
6	Wed 9/11	Even more linear regression	3.2.2	
7	Fri 9/13	Probably more linear regression	3.3	HW #2 Due Dun 9/15
8	Mon 9/16	Linear regression coding module		
9	Wed 9/18	Intro to classification, Bayes classifier, KNN classifier	2.2.3	
10	Fri 9/20	Logistic Regression	4.1, 4.2, 4.3.1-3	HW #3 Due Sun 9/22
11	Mon 9/23	Multiple Logistic Regression / Multinomial Logistic Regression / Project day	4.3.4-5	
	Wed 9/25	Review		
	Fri 9/27	Midterm #1		

Lec #	Date		Reading	HW	Pop Quizzes
12	Mon 9/30	Leave one out CV	5.1.1, 5.1.2		
13	Wed 10/2	k-fold CV	5.1.3		
14	Fri 10/4	More k-fold CV,	5.1.4-5	HW #4 Due Sun 10/6	
15	Mon 10/7	k-fold CV for classification	5.1.5		
16	Wed 10/9	Resampling methods: Bootstrap	5.2		
17	Fri 10/11	Subset selection	6.1	HW #5 Due Sun 10/13	
18	Mon 10/14	Shrinkage: Ridge	6.2.1		
19	Wed 10/16	Shrinkage: Lasso	6.2.2		
20	Fri 10/18	Dimension Reduction	6.3		
	Mon 10/21	No class - Fall break		HW #6 Due Tues 10/22	
	Wed 10/23	Review (Virtual)			
	Fri 10/25	Midterm #2			
21	Mon 10/28	Polynomial & Step Functions	7.1,7.2		
22	Wed 10/30	Step Functions; Basis functions; Start Splines	7.2 - 7.4		
23	Fri 11/1	Regression Splines	7.4	HW #7 Due Sun 11/3	
24	Mon 11/4	Decision Trees	8.1		
25	Wed 11/6	Random Forests	8.2.1, 8.2.2		
26	Fri 11/8	Maximal Margin Classifier	9.1	HW #8 Due Sun 11/10	
27	Mon 11/11	SVC	9.2		

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27	Mon 11/11	SVC	9.2	Sun 11/10	
28	Wed 11/13	SVM	9.3, 9.4		
29	Fri 11/15	Single layer NN	10.1	HW #9 Due Sun 11/17	
30	Mon 11/18	Multi Layer NN	10.2		
31	Wed 11/20	CNN	10.3		
32	Fri 11/22	TBD: Unsupervised learning/clustering	12.1, 12.4?	HW #10 Due Sun 11/24	
33	Mon 11/25	TBD			
	Wed 11/27	Virtual: Project office hours			
	Fri 11/29	No class - Thanksgiving			
	Mon 12/2	Review			
	Wed 12/4	Midterm #3			
	Fri 12/6	No class - EGR Design Day		Project due	
		No final exam			

Grade distribution

Estimated Points

Homeworks (10 homeworks - 2 lowest grades) \times 20 points = 160

Quizzes (12 Quizzes - 2 lowest grades) \times 10 points = 100

Midterm (3 Midterms) \times 100 = 300

Final Project 100

TOTAL: 660 (Subject to change!)

Section 1

Intro to class

What is Statistical Learning?

Statistical Learning

- Subfield of statistics
- Emphasizes models and their interpretability, precision, and uncertainty

Machine Learning

- Machine learning has a greater emphasis on large scale applications and prediction accuracy.

Very blurred distinction at this point....

Why should you care?

Data is cheap (or even free), learning how to analyze data is critical.

- Web data, e-commerce (Amazon, JD, Alibaba)
- Car sales (Tesla, Ford, and GM)
- Sports team (MSU, Lions, etc)
- Politics and government

Learning Tools as Black Boxes

- Need to know what tool to use
- Need to know how to interpret output of the tool
- Don't need to rebuild the entire box from scratch

Example: Email spam

	george	you	your	hp	free	hpl	!	our	re	edu	remove
spam	0.00	2.26	1.38	0.02	0.52	0.01	0.51	0.51	0.13	0.01	0.28
email	1.27	1.27	0.44	0.90	0.07	0.43	0.11	0.18	0.42	0.29	0.01

if (%george < 0.6) & (%you > 1.5) then spam
else email.

if (0.2 · %you - 0.3 · %george) > 0 then spam
else email.

Supervised learning

- Outcome measurement Y (also called dependent variable, response, target, label).
- Vector of p predictor measurements X (also called inputs, regressors, covariates, features, independent variables).
- In the regression problem, Y is quantitative (e.g price, blood pressure).
- In the classification problem, Y takes values in a finite, unordered set (survived/died, digit 0-9, cancer class of tissue sample).

Unsupervised learning

- No outcome variable, just a set of predictors (features) measured on a set of samples.
- Objective is fuzzier: find groups of samples that behave similarly, find features that behave similarly, find linear combinations of features with the most variation.
- Difficult to know how well you are are doing.
- Different from supervised learning but can be useful as a pre-processing step for supervised learning.

Generative AI discussion

Definition via [Wikipedia](#):

Generative artificial intelligence (AI) is artificial intelligence capable of generating text, images, or other media, using generative models. Generative AI models learn the patterns and structure of their input training data and then generate new data that has similar characteristics.

Examples:

- ChatGPT
- Bard
- DALL-E

- Get in a group of about 4.
- Open this google doc (MSU Login required): tinyurl.com/CMSE381-genAI
- In your group, brainstorm cases where someone might use generative AI in the context of our class.
- Once you have added a few, start adding arguments for or against whether we should allow the use of that context in class.

Section 2

Python Review Lab: Pt 1

Plan for the lab

- Find a group of 4 or so.
- Find the class website (cmse.msu.edu/CMSE381) and download the jupyter notebook for the Python Review Lab.
- Get started!

The screenshot displays the CMSE 381 website interface. On the left is a navigation sidebar with the CMSE logo (four overlapping circles in green, red, yellow, and blue) and the text "CMSE". Below the logo is a search bar and a menu for "CMSE 381 - Fall 2024" containing links for "Course Schedule", "Syllabus", "Datasets", and "Lectures". Under "Lectures", "Day 01 (M 8/26)" is selected, and "Lecture 1 - Python Review" is listed below it. The main content area on the right features a hamburger menu, download, refresh, and settings icons, and a "Contents" dropdown menu. The page title is "Lecture 1 - Intro to Class and Python Review". Below the title is a paragraph: "In which we introduce the class and make sure everyone has python installed and working." Underneath is a section titled "Important documents" with two bullet points: "Slides: CMSE381-Lec01-FirstDay.pdf" and "Jupyter Notebook: CMSE381-Lec01-PythonReview.ipynb". At the bottom of the main content area are navigation arrows and links for "Previous Data sets" and "Next Lecture 1 - Python Review".

Next time

- Weds: What is statistical learning?
- First HW Due Sunday, 9/8
- Quiz sometime **this** week
- Office hours:
 - ▶ Maintained on the website
 - ▶ Dr. Munch: Monday and Friday 11-12 (Starting next week)
 - ▶ Christy Lu: Times TBD

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