

Introductory Applied Machine Learning (IAML)

Response to student feedback in 2018/19 course survey

We have taken note of the feedback from students in this course survey, and have the following comments in response.

- One of the major issues highlighted was about feedback on the courseworks, around the level of detail provided, variability, and delays in receiving feedback.
- With the rise of popularity in machine learning, enrolment for this course has grown considerably over the last few years. This has created problems wrt the load of marking the courseworks, when using the format that has been used in the past.
- For 2019/20 we will be reducing the overall value of the courseworks from 50% to 25%, and also taking measures to redesign and restructure them to address the issues noted above.
- We also note many favourable comments wrt lectures, labs, tutorials, quizzes, and the practical focus of the course.

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