

Machine Learning sur Big Data

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**Description du contenu de l'enseignement :**

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The attention will be on machine learning technique for dimension reduction, clustering and classification, whose underlying implementation techniques are transversal and find application in a wide range of machine learning algorithms. For some of the studied algorithms, the course will present techniques for a from-scratch implementation in Spark core, while for other algorithms Spark ML will be used and end-to-end pipelines will be designed. In both cases algorithms will be analysed and optimised on real life data sets, by relying on a local Hadoop cluster, as well as on a cluster on the Amazon WS cloud.

**Bibliographie, lectures recommandées :**

References:

- Mining of Massive Datasets  
<http://www.mmds.org>
- High Performance Spark - Best Practices for Scaling and Optimizing Apache Spark  
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