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# Preface

The rapid advancement of technology has led to the emergence of the Internet of Things (IoT), Cloud Computing, and Big Data as transformative forces in various industries. As these technologies continue to evolve, there is a growing need for their integration to unlock their full potential and enable the development of innovative services, applications, and standards. The integration of these three domains presents numerous challenges and opportunities. One of the key challenges is the efficient and secure management of the massive data generated by IoT devices, as well as the seamless integration of IoT devices with cloud-based infrastructure. This requires the development of scalable and robust architectures, protocols, and standards that enable interoperability, data sharing, and resource allocation across heterogeneous systems. Moreover, the integration of IoT, Cloud, and Big Data enables the creation of innovative services and applications. To achieve successful integration, the establishment of common standards is crucial.

To summarise, it is the right time to explore the integration of IoT, Cloud, and Big Data, which holds immense potential to transform industries, enhance services, and enable data-driven decision-making. However, addressing the challenges related to data management, interoperability, and security is vital for successful integration. Moreover, the establishment of standards is crucial to facilitate seamless communication and collaboration between different systems. By leveraging the combined power of IoT, Cloud, and Big Data, organizations can unlock new possibilities and drive digital transformation in the era of interconnected and data-driven ecosystems.

This book consists of eight chapters. The first chapter covers introduction to Big Data analysis and its need, skills required for Big Data analysis, characteristics of Big data analysis, an overview of the Hadoop ecosystem, and some use cases of Big Data analysis. The aim of the second chapter is to study and compare three of the most common classification methods, Support Vector Machines, K-Nearest Neighbours and Artificial Neural Networks, for heart disease prediction using the ensemble of standard Cleveland cardiology data. The objective of the third article is to reduce the energy consumption of the ECG machine. Authors in chapter four, have proposed a system to implement an automatic water supply to the farms based upon their crop, system that measures water level of soil and helps to decide to turn on or off the water

supply. Further, chapter five uses deep convolutional networks algorithms for leaf image classification to provide accurate results. The concept of Blockchain is used in chapter six with the aim to ensure the security of the patient's medical records. Chapter seven offers SHA-PSO, a PSO-based meta-heuristic technique that schedules workloads among Virtual Machines (VM) to minimize energy. Authors in chapter eight have proposed design of field monitoring device using IoT in Agriculture.

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# Introduction to Big Data Analytics



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**Abstract** Nowadays, social media and networks, scientific instruments, mobile devices, mobile devices, and a high volume of information data (tabular data, text files, images, videos, audio, logos, etc.) is generated at high velocity by social media and networks, scientific instruments, mobile devices, and sensors technology and networks. In these types of data, data quality is usually not guaranteed. This data can be structured or unstructured, necessitating a cost-effective, innovative method of data processing to improve understanding and decision-making. This chapter covers some introduction to Big Data analysis and its need, skills required for Big Data analysis, characteristics of Big data analysis, an overview of the Hadoop ecosystem, and some use cases of Big Data analysis.

**Keywords** Big data · Hadoop ecosystem · Big data analysis · Business intelligence analysis · Big data domain · Big data quality · Dimensions

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**Table 1** Characteristics of data

	Small data	Big data
Volume	Less than 1 TB	Greater than 1 TB
Velocity	Controlled and steady data flow	Enormous data flowing at shorter time frames
Variety	Structured and semi-structured. E.g., Xcel, Table, data, Json	Wide variety of data, i.e., tabular data, text files, images, videos, audios, logs, etc.
Veracity	It contains more quality data	The quality of data is rarely guaranteed
Value	Business Intelligence, analysis, and reporting	Complex data mining, predictions, pattern finding, etc.
Time variance	Data represents the business value for the history of data as well as incremental	At times, history data becomes irrelevant for analyzing business insights
Infrastructure	More defined resources allocation	The Load-on system varies a lot

## 1 Introduction to Big Data

Big Data is a phrase that relates to a collection of vast and complex data sets that are challenging to store and analyze using standard data processing methods. Big data refers to data assets with a large volume, great velocity, and great diversity that necessitate cost-effective, creative data processing to improve insight and decision-making [1].

## 2 The Distinction Between Small and Big Data

There are several distinctions between small data and big data. These distinctions include volume, velocity, variety, veracity, value, time variance, and infrastructure [2]. Table 1 summarizes all the differences.

## 3 Classification of Big Data

Big data is classified as [3]

- **Structured Data:** Structured data has a well-defined format. It can be readily stored in tabular form in relational databases such as MySQL and Oracle.
- **Semi-Structured Data:** Semi-structured data has some structure but can't be recorded in a tabular format in relational databases. XML files, JSON documents, e-mail messages, and so forth are examples.

- **Unstructured Data:** Unstructured data has no structure and cannot be saved in tabular form in relational databases. Examples include video, audio, text, and machine-produced data.

## 4 Characteristics of Big Data

Big data has many characteristics. Some of them are: [4]

- **Volume:** The term “volume” refers to the “quantity of data,” which rapidly increases daily. Humans, technology, and their interactions on social media create enormous amounts of data.
- **Variety:** Because so many sources contribute to Big Data, the types of data they generate are diverse. It might be organized, semi-organized, or unorganized. Many different forms of data can be generated/collected by a single application. All of these forms of data must be connected to extract knowledge.
- **Velocity:** Velocity refers to stream of data that arrives from different social media sites continuously, and the repository gets completed with new data at the same rate. It becomes a challenge to capture this stream of data promptly for further processing.
- **Veracity:** The term “veracity” alludes to the data’s unreliability. Data inconsistency and incompleteness create uncertainty in the data supplied. Many extensive data types, such as Twitter postings with hashtags, abbreviations, typos, and colloquial speech, have less controlled quality and accuracy.
- **Value:** It’s great to access massive data, but it isn’t sensible unless we can transform it into practice.
- **Variability:** Diversity and variation are not the same things. Even though a coffee shop may offer six different coffee blends, diversity only exists when you consistently obtain and enjoy the same blend. The same is true for data; if the meaning changes frequently, it can significantly affect the homogeneity of the data.
- **Visualization:** Using charts and graphs to represent vast quantities of accurate data is far more successful than using spreadsheets.

## 5 Who’s Generating Big Data?

The capacity to acquire data no longer limits development and creativity. However, the capacity to organize, analyze, summarise, display, and find information from acquired data in a timely and scalable manner is critical.

## 6 Why Is Big Data Important?

Companies obtain a complete knowledge of their company, consumers, products, and rivals if big data is gathered, processed, and analyzed properly and efficiently. It results in enhanced efficiency, more sales, cheaper expenses, better customer service, and better goods and services. Sensors are embedded in manufacturing items to provide a stream of telemetry. Retailers frequently know who buys their products. To determine who didn't buy and why, businesses can leverage social media and blog data from their e-commerce sites, which is the knowledge they don't have today. Using extensive historical call center data more rapidly enhances customer engagement and satisfaction. Use of social media material is encouraged to better and more rapidly assess consumer sentiment about you/your customers and enhance goods, services, and customer interactions [5].

## 7 Challenges in Big-Data

Big data size is enormous, and this data can be structured or unstructured. There are many challenges in this and are discussed below [6].

- **Volume:** Thanks to new data sources that are developing, the volume of data, particularly machine-generated data, is expanding, as is the rate at which it expands each year. For example, the world's data storage capacity was 800,000 petabytes (PB) in 2000 and is anticipated to reach 35 zettabytes by 2020.
- **Variety and the use of many data sets:** Unstructured data makes up greater than 80% of today's data. Most of this data is so vast for effective management.
- **Velocity:** As organizations realize the benefits of analytics, they face a problem: they want the data sooner, or in other words, they want real-time analytics.
- **Veracity, Data Quality, Data Availability**
- **Data Discovery:** Finding high-quality data from the massive amounts of data available on the Internet is a significant problem.
- **Relevance and Quality:** It's tough to determine data sets' quality and relevance to specific requirements.
- **Personally Identifiable Information:** A lot of this data is about people. This necessitates, in part, efficient industrial processes. "It partly asks for efficient government monitoring. Partly-perhaps even entirely-it necessitates a severe rethinking of what privacy truly entails."
- **Process Challenges:** Finding the appropriate analysis model may take a lot of time and effort; thus, the ability to cycle quickly and 'fail fast' through many (perhaps throwaway) models is crucial.
- **Management Challenges:** Sensitive data, such as personal information, is found in many warehouses. Accessing such data raises legal and ethical problems. As a result, the data must be secured, access restricted, and audited.