Big Data Analytics for Mining Operations Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	General Training	**Duration**	10 Days
Base Fee	$3,000 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Understand Big Data Architecture in Mining Operations
2. Apply Industrial IoT (IIoT) data integration techniques
3. Build predictive maintenance models for mining equipment
4. Implement AI and Machine Learning in mineral exploration
5. Develop real-time mining data pipelines using Spark & Hadoop
6. Analyze geospatial and geological datasets for ore detection
7. Create interactive dashboards using Power BI/Tableau
8. Optimize haulage and fleet management using analytics
9. Improve mine safety through predictive risk analytics
10. Enable cloud-based mining data storage and processing
11. Integrate sensor-driven operational monitoring systems
12. Support ESG and sustainability reporting with data analytics
13. Drive data-driven decision-making in smart mining ecosystems

Target Audience

- Mining Engineers and Geological Engineers
- Data Analysts in Mining & Energy Sector
- Operations Managers in Mining Companies
- Safety and Risk Management Officers
- Industrial IoT Engineers and Technicians
- Business Intelligence and Data Science Professionals
- Mine Planning and Production Supervisors
- Government and Regulatory Mining Inspectors

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Smart Mining & Big Data Ecosystem

- Mining digital transformation overview
- Big data frameworks in mining

- Data lifecycle in mining operations
- Smart mining technologies overview
- Industry 4.0 in mining
- **Case Study:** Digital transformation of an open-pit copper mine

Module 2: Mining Data Sources & Industrial IoT

- Sensor networks in mining equipment
- SCADA systems integration
- Real-time data acquisition systems
- Wearable safety tech data
- Drilling and blasting data streams
- **Case Study:** IoT-enabled underground mine monitoring system

Module 3: Data Engineering for Mining Operations

- Data ingestion pipelines
- ETL processes for mining datasets
- Data cleaning and preprocessing
- Structured vs unstructured mining data
- Data lake architecture
- **Case Study:** Building a mining data lake for iron ore operations

Module 4: Hadoop Ecosystem in Mining

- HDFS architecture
- MapReduce fundamentals
- Hive for mining queries
- Data storage optimization
- Cluster management
- **Case Study:** Large-scale mineral data processing using Hadoop

Module 5: Apache Spark for Real-Time Analytics

- Spark streaming in mining
- In-memory computation
- Batch vs real-time processing
- Dataframe operations
- Performance tuning
- **Case Study:** Real-time equipment failure detection system

Module 6: Python for Mining Analytics

- Pandas and NumPy for mining data
- Data wrangling techniques
- Statistical analysis
- Automation scripts
- Predictive modeling basics
- **Case Study:** Ore grade prediction using Python ML models

Module 7: Machine Learning in Mining

- Supervised and unsupervised learning
- Regression models for production forecasting
- Classification of ore types
- Clustering mining zones
- Model evaluation techniques
- **Case Study:** Machine learning for mineral deposit classification

Module 8: Predictive Maintenance Systems

- Equipment health monitoring
- Failure prediction models
- Vibration and temperature analysis
- Maintenance scheduling optimization
- Anomaly detection systems
- **Case Study:** Predictive maintenance in haul truck fleets

Module 9: Geospatial & Geological Data Analytics

- GIS systems in mining
- Spatial data visualization
- Ore body modeling
- Satellite imaging data
- Terrain analysis
- **Case Study:** GIS-based gold exploration project

Module 10: Data Visualization & Dashboards

- Power BI for mining KPIs
- Tableau mining dashboards
- Real-time reporting systems
- Data storytelling techniques
- Drill-down analytics
- **Case Study:** Executive mining performance dashboard

Module 11: Cloud Computing in Mining

- AWS/Azure mining solutions
- Scalable storage systems
- Cloud-based analytics
- Data security in cloud mining
- Serverless architectures
- **Case Study:** Cloud migration of mining analytics platform

Module 12: Safety Analytics & Risk Management

- Accident prediction models
- Worker behavior analytics
- Hazard detection systems
- Compliance monitoring
- Emergency response analytics
- **Case Study:** AI-based mine safety monitoring system

Module 13: Fleet & Supply Chain Optimization

- Haul truck route optimization
- Fuel consumption analytics
- Supply chain forecasting
- Inventory optimization
- Logistics automation
- **Case Study:** Autonomous fleet optimization in coal mining

Module 14: ESG & Sustainability Analytics

- Carbon emission tracking
- Water usage analytics
- Environmental impact modeling
- Sustainability KPIs
- Regulatory compliance reporting
- **Case Study:** ESG reporting system for large-scale mining

Module 15: AI-Driven Smart Mining Systems

- Autonomous mining systems
- Digital twin technology
- Cognitive decision systems
- Integrated control rooms
- Future of mining automation
- **Case Study:** Fully autonomous smart mine implementation

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.
- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking.
- Expert-led Q&A sessions.
- Continuous feedback and personalized guidance.

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Online	$2,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$9,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000

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