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MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION

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DURATION: 1 Hour 30 Minutes

FULL MARKS: 75

CSE 4775: Introduction to Data Mining

Programmable calculators are not allowed. Do not write anything on the question paper.

There are **4 (four)** questions. Answer any **3 (three)** of them.

Figures in the right margin indicate marks.

1. a) What is data mining? Describe the steps involved in data mining when viewed as a process of knowledge discovery. 15
- b) Describe three challenges to data mining regarding "*Scalability & Efficiency*" and "*Data Mining & Society*". 10
2. a) Given two objects represented by the tuples (-2, 1, 42, 10) and (21, 0, -6, 10): 5×4
 - i. Compute the Euclidean distance between the two objects.
 - ii. Compute the Manhattan distance between the two objects.
 - iii. Compute the Minkowski distance between the two objects, using $h = 4$.
 - iv. Compute the supremum distance between the two objects.
 - v. Which distance among them is the most suitable one. Justify your Answer.
- b) What are the different types of data used in Data Mining applications? 5
3. a) Briefly outline how to compute the dissimilarity between objects described by mixed attribute. 12
- b) What is *Interquartile Range*? How IQR is used for outlier analysis? 7
- c) What are the conditions a pattern should fulfill to be interesting? 6
4. a) Suppose that the data for analysis includes the attribute age. The age values for the data tuples are (in increasing order): 18

13, 15, 16, 16, 19, 20, 20, 21, 22, 22, 25, 25, 25, 25, 30, 33, 33, 35, 35, 35, 35, 36, 40, 45, 46, 52, 70.

 - i. What is the *mean* and *Median* of the data?
 - ii. What is the *mode* of the data? Comment on the data's modality.
 - iii. What is the midrange of the data?
 - iv. Can you find (roughly) the first quartile (Q1) and the third quartile (Q3) of the data?
 - v. Give the five-number summary of the data.
 - vi. Show a boxplot of the data.
- b) Differentiate between *Data Matrix* and *Dissimilarity Matrix* with appropriate example. 7