

## Question 1

### Answers:

- a. 1024 cuboids are there in the full data cube.
- b. The complete cube will contain 2813 distinct aggregated (i.e., non-base) cells.
- c. An iceberg cube will contain 128 distinct aggregated cells, if the condition of the iceberg cube is count > 2.
- d. The closed cell with count = 3 has 7 non-star dimensions.

### Explanation:

- a. This is just the definition of cuboid.  
# of cuboid =  $2^{(\text{\# of attributes})} = 2^{10} = 1024$
- b. # of base cells = 3  
# of duplicate cells =  $3 * 2^7$   
(from this three copies, we save one and remove two. I.e. remove  $2 * 2^7$ )  
# of total cells =  $3 * 2^{10}$   
Therefore the answer is  $3 * 2^{10} - 2^8 - 3 = 2813$ .
- c. Considering the sharing 7 attributes c4, c5..., c10, they will form the iceberg of count = 3. Eg. (\*, \*, \*, c4, ..., c10), etc... Therefore the answer is  $2^7 = 128$ .
- d. (\*, \*, \*, c4, c5, c6, c7, c8, c9, c10)

## Question 2

### Answers:

- a. There are 24 cuboids in this cube.  

$$T = \prod_{i=1}^n (L_i + 1) = (2 + 1) * (1 + 1) * (1 + 1) * (1 + 1) = 24$$
- b. There are 48 cells in the cuboid (Location(city), Category, Rating, Price).
- c. Now let's drill up by climbing up in the Location dimension, from City to State. There are 34 cells in the cuboid (Location(State), Category, Rating, Price).
- d. Further, there are 23 cells in the cuboid (\*, Category, Rating, Price).
- e. The count for the cell (Location(state) = 'Illinois', \*, rating = 3, Price = 'Moderate') is 2.
- f. The count for the cell (Location(city) = 'Chicago', Category='food', \*, \*) is 2.

### Code:

To solve this problem, I use the *Pandas* Python library to perform quasi-SQL manipulation over the Q2data.csv

The following are codes with comments:

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# Question 2
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

# Import data
df = pd.read_csv('Q2data.csv', names=['BId', 'State', 'City', 'Category', 'Price', 'Rating'])

# b.
dataCitCatRatPri = df.groupby(['City', 'Category', 'Price', 'Rating']).agg(['count'])
print('b. There are {} cells in in the cuboid (Location(city), Category, Rating, Price)'.format(len(dataCitCatRatPri.index)))
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# c.
dataStaCatRatPri = df.groupby(['State',
'Category', 'Price', 'Rating']).agg(['count'])
print('c. There are {} cells in in the
cuboid (Location(State), Category, Rating,
Price)').format(len(dataStaCatRatPri.index))

# d.
dataCatRatPri = df.groupby(['Category', 'Price',
'Rating']).agg(['count'])
print('d. There are {} cells in in the
cuboid (*, Category, Rating,
Price)').format(len(dataCatRatPri.index))

# e.
dataE = df.loc[(df['State'] == 'Illinois') &
(df['Rating']==3) & (df['Price']=='moderate')]
print('e. The count for the
cell (Location(state) = 'Illinois', *, rating =
3, Price = 'moderate') is
{}.'.format(len(dataE.index))

# f.
dataF = df.loc[(df['City'] == 'Chicago') &
(df['Category']=='food')]
print('f. The count for the cell (Location(city)
= 'Chicago', Category='food', *,
*) is {}.'.format(len(dataF.index))

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## Question 3

Answers:

a.

1. The number of frequent patterns is 30.
2. The number of frequent patterns with length 3 is 8.
3. The number of max patterns is 7.

b.

1. The number of frequent patterns is 55.
2. The number of frequent patterns with length 3 is 20.
3. The number of max patterns is 6.
4. The confidence measure of the association rule (C, E) -> A is 0.679  
 $\text{sup}(A, C, E) / \text{sup}(C, E) = 38 / 56 = 0.679$
5. The confidence measure of the association rule (A, B, C) -> E is 0.742  
 $\text{sup}(A, B, C, E) / \text{sup}(A, B, C) = 23 / 31 = 0.742$

### Code:

To solve this problem, I implemented the Apriori algorithm in Python and used other customized helper function to get the answer.

The following are codes with comments:

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# Question 3
# Implement a simple Apriori algorithm(from
# pseudocode in lecture
# notes) in Python

# Import data
with open('Q3data') as data_file:
    # Save each transaction as a Python set in a
    # Python list called TDB.
    TDB = [set(record.split()) for record in
data_file.readlines()]
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    # apriori is function that performs the
    Apriori algorithm with
    # minimum support minsup.
    # returns a freqItemsetPool that contains
    all FP, grouped by length,
    # organized as: FP -> support
    def apriori(minsup):
        DBSize = len(TDB)
        # k is the length for FP(number of
        element in a FP)
        k = 1
        # a Python dictionary that saves: FP ->
        support,
        # each freqItemset contains only FPs
        with same length
        freqItemset = {}
        # a Python list that saves freqItemset
        of all length
        freqItemsetPool = []

        # Find the 1-length freqItemset of FPs.
        for T in TDB:
            for item in T:
                if (item,) in freqItemset:
                    freqItemset[(item,)] += 1
                else:
                    freqItemset[(item,)] = 1

            temp = {}

            # Remove 1-length patterns with supports
            that less than minsup
            for itemset in freqItemset:
                if freqItemset[itemset] >= minsup:

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        temp[itemset] =
freqItemset[itemset]
        freqItemset = temp

        # Save 1-length freqItemset into
freqItemsetPool
        freqItemsetPool.append(freqItemset)

        # Perform Apriori algorithm until
freqItemset is empty
        # I.e. no larger FPs can be found.
        while freqItemset:
            # Accumulate the length of FP
            k += 1

            # Find all k-length FP candidates
from (k-1)-length FP
            candidates = set()
            freqSets = list(freqItemset.keys())
            for i in range(len(freqSets) - 1):
                for j in range(i + 1,
len(freqSets)):
                    temp = set(freqSets[i] +
freqSets[j])
                    if len(temp) == k:
candidates.add(tuple(sorted(tuple(temp))))
                    candidates =
sorted(list(candidates))

            # Find k-length freqItemset of FPs.
            # Similar to the above 1-length
situation.
            freqItemset = {}

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        for candidate in candidates:
            freqItemset[candidate] = 0
        for T in TDB:
            for candidate in candidates:
                if
T.issuperset(set(candidate)):
                    freqItemset[candidate]
+= 1
            temp = {}

            # Remove 1k-length patterns with
supports that less than minsup
            for itemset in freqItemset:
                if freqItemset[itemset] >=
minsup:
                    temp[itemset] =
freqItemset[itemset]
                    # Save k-length freqItemset into
freqItemsetPool
                    freqItemset = temp
                    if freqItemset:
freqItemsetPool.append(freqItemset)
            return freqItemsetPool

# ThisIsNotMaxPattern inherits from
Exception, and is used to
# jump out of multiple loops if we find out
that a is FP is
# not max pattern.
class ThisIsNotMaxPattern(Exception):
    pass

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    # numOfMaxPatterns takes a freqItemsetPool
and returns its
    # number of max patterns
    def numOfMaxPatterns(freqItemsetPool):
        num = 0

        # enumerate all FP in the
freqItemsetPool, compare each
        # with larger FP and see if it is a sub-
pattern. If no
        # super-pattern is found, then the FP is
counted for one
        # max pattern.
        for i in range(len(freqItemsetPool) -
1):
            curItemset = freqItemsetPool[i]
            for curFP in curItemset:
                # This try is for jumping out of
multiple loops
                try:
                    for j in range(i + 1,
len(freqItemsetPool)):
                        compItemset =
freqItemsetPool[j]
                        for compFP in
compItemset:
                            if
set(curFP).issubset(set(compFP)):
                                raise
ThisIsNotMaxPattern
                                num += 1
                            except ThisIsNotMaxPattern:
                                continue

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        num +=
len(freqItemsetPool[len(freqItemsetPool) - 1])
    return num

    # assoConfidMeasure takes freqItemsetPool,
fp_base and fp_infer
    # and return the confidence rule from
fp_base to infer fp_infer
    def assoConfidMeasure(freqItemsetPool,
fp_base, fp_infer):
        try:
            sup_base =
freqItemsetPool[len(fp_base) - 1][fp_base]
            sup_infer =
freqItemsetPool[len(fp_infer) - 1][fp_infer]
        except KeyError:
            print('Warning: Can not find the
frequently pattern(s)!')
            return 0
        return round(float(sup_infer) /
float(sup_base), 3)

    # a
    freqItemsetPool20 = apriori(20)
    print('Prob a')
    print('The number of frequent patterns
is {}'.format(
        sum([len(itemset) for itemset in
freqItemsetPool20])))
    print('The number of frequent patterns with
length 3 is {}'.format(
        len(freqItemsetPool20[2])))

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    print('The number of max patterns
is {}'.format(
    numOfMaxPatterns(freqItemsetPool20)))
    # b
    freqItemsetPool10 = apriori(10)
    print('Prob b')
    print('The number of frequent patterns is
{}'.format(
    sum([len(itemset) for itemset in
freqItemsetPool10])))
    print('The number of frequent patterns with
length 3 is {}'.format(
    len(freqItemsetPool10[2])))
    print('The number of max patterns
is {}'.format(
    numOfMaxPatterns(freqItemsetPool10)))
    print('The confidence measure of the
association rule (C, E) -> A is {:.3f}'.format(
    assoConfidMeasure(freqItemsetPool10,
('C', 'E'), ('A', 'C', 'E'))))
    print('The confidence measure of the
association rule (A, B,
C) -> E is {:.3f}'.format(
    assoConfidMeasure(freqItemsetPool10,
('A', 'B', 'C'), ('A', 'B', 'C', 'E'))))

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