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3804ICT Quiz 2 - Answer Short Questions

Contents: Mining Frequent Patterns I – II & Machine Learning in Data Mining & Outlier Detection & Time Series and Sequential Data Mining

Instructions: Please list all the detailed calculation steps which help you to get the final solutions.

Question Set 1. Basic concepts (10 points)

Please answer the following questions:

- a) What is a frequent pattern? (1 point)
- b) Besides support and confidence, what else can be used to measure the interestingness of rules? (1 point)
- c) What are the differences between supervised and unsupervised learning methods? (2 points)
- d) What are the overfitting problem and the underfitting problem? (2 points)
- e) Please describe the challenges of outlier detections. (2 points)
- f) What are time series data mining and sequence data mining? (2 points)

Question Set 2. (20 points)

Transaction	Products		
1	laptop, camera, hard-drive		
2	laptop, DVD		
3	DVD, speakers		
4	laptop, camera, hard-drive		
5	CD, hard-drive		
6	DVD, hard-drive		
7	CD, DVD		
8	laptop, camera, TV		
9	TV, speakers		
10	laptop, camera		

- Given the transaction dataset above, please find out all the frequent itemsets using Apriori algorithm.
 (min_support = 0.25) (10 points)
- b) Given the frequent k-itemsets (k>1) discovered by (a), find out all the strong association rules. (min_conf = 0.75) (10 points)

Question Set 3. (15 points)

Record ID	Α	В	С	Class
1	0	0	0	+
2	0	0	1	-
3	0	1	1	-
4	0	1	1	-
5	0	0	1	+
6	1	0	1	+
7	1	0	1	-
8	1	0	1	-
9	1	1	1	+
10	1	0	1	+

- c) Given the dataset above, estimate the conditional probabilities for P(A|+), P(B|+), P(C|+), P(A|-), P(B|-), and P(C|-). Note that P(A|+) represents P(A=1|+). (7 points)
- d) Use the estimation of conditional probabilities given in the previous question to predict the class label for a test sample X=(A=0, B=1, C=0) using the naive Bayes approach. (8 points)

Question 4. Sequence Data Mining (5 points)

- e) List ten of the 4-subsequences contained in the following data sequence: <{1,3}{3}{2,3}{4,5}>. (2.5 points)
- f) List ten of the 3-element sub-sequences contained in the data sequence: <{1,2,3}{2,3}{2,3,5}{4}>. (2.5 points)