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$I = \{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_d\}$ 是 d 个 items 的 set in a dataset

$T = \{t_1, t_2, \dots, t_N\}$ 是 N 个 transactions 的 set in a dataset.

t_j 是 I 的 subset

if an itemset contains k items then called k -itemset

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support count $\sigma(X)$: 包含 X 的 transactions 的数量

Support: $\frac{\sigma(X)}{|T|}$ $|T| = N$ 即 transaction 数量

Association rule: $X \rightarrow Y$ where $X \subset I$ $Y \subset I$ and $X \cap Y = \emptyset$

e.g. $\{\text{Diaper, Milk}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Beer}\}$

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$$\text{Support}(X) = \frac{\sigma(X)}{|T|} = \frac{\sigma(X)}{N} = p(X)$$

即 X 出现的概率

$$\text{Support}(X \rightarrow Y) = \frac{\sigma(X \cup Y)}{|T|} = p(X \cup Y)$$

$$\text{Confidence}(X \rightarrow Y) = \frac{\sigma(X \cup Y)}{\sigma(X)} = p(Y|X)$$

即出现 X 时出现 Y 的概率

表示为 transaction 中出现 X 和 Y 的概率 (次数)

除以 transaction 中出现 X 的概率 (次数)

例:

Example: $X = \{ \text{Beer, Milk, Diaper} \}; \sigma(X) = ?$
 $X = \{ \text{Milk, Diaper} \}; \sigma(X) = ?$
Consider the rule $\{ \text{Milk, Diaper} \} \rightarrow \{ \text{Beer} \}$
 $\text{Support}(\{ \text{Milk, Diaper} \} \rightarrow \{ \text{Beer} \}) = 2/5 = 0.40$
 $\text{Confidence}(\{ \text{Milk, Diaper} \} \rightarrow \{ \text{Beer} \}) = 2/3 = 0.67$

TID	Items
1	Bread, Coke, Milk
2	Beer, Bread
3	Beer, Coke, Diaper, Milk
4	Beer, Bread, Diaper, Milk
5	Coke, Diaper, Milk

$X = \{ \text{Beer, milk, diaper} \}$
 $\Rightarrow \sigma(X) = 2$
 $X = \{ \text{Milk, Diaper} \}$
 $\Rightarrow \sigma(X) = 3$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Rightarrow \{ \text{Milk, diaper} \} \rightarrow \{ \text{Beer} \} \\ \text{Support: } \frac{2}{5} \text{ (占全部 transaction P)} \\ \text{confidence: } \frac{2}{3} \text{ (占买了 Milk 和 diaper in P)} \end{array} \right.$

ARM (association rule mining) in rules
in 可能情况当有 d items : $3^d - 2^{d+1} + 1$