

KDDM so far

This sheet shall give you an idea of which contents have been covered by the lecture and will also provide a **most likely incomplete** list of relevant contents to support (or somewhat guide) your review of the lecture and exercise materials.

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- Data Mining:
 - term
 - disciplines involved
 - data mining vs machine learning
 - motivations for data mining
- Knowledge Discovery in Databases
 - term and core aspects
 - KDD process and steps
 - supervised vs. unsupervised learning
 - tasks: clustering, classification, regression, association rule mining, outlier detection

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- data preprocessing and feature spaces
 - steps and tasks of preprocessing and transformation
- data sets
 - instances
 - features
- basic feature types: value range, applicable relations, differences
 - binary
 - categorical (nominal, ordinal)
 - numerical (interval-scaled, ratio-scaled)
- data descriptors and visualization
 - univariate: mean, median, mode, skewness, variance, standard deviation, percentiles
 - bivariate: correlation coefficient, contingency table, chi-square
- feature spaces and proximity
 - feature space, metric space (formal difference)
 - similarity vs distance measure
 - proximity measures (L-norms)
 - normalization: why? how?
 - text data: challenges and approaches

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- concepts in frequent itemset mining
 - item, itemset, itemset size, k-itemset, transaction, database, lexicographical order, itemset lattice
 - cover, absolute support / support count, relative support, frequent itemset, L
 - association rule, support of a rule, confidence
- problem settings
 - FIM, ARM
- FIM: Apriori
 - Approach and algorithm, apriori property, pruning
- Association Rule Mining
 - approach, interest, lift, confidence

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- Apriori improvements
 - apriori challenges, improvements
- FP-Growth
 - Approach and algorithm
 - advantages of FP-Growth
- DB scanning costs
 - Partition
 - Sampling
 - Eclat
- too many frequent itemsets
 - closed frequent itemsets (CFI)
 - maximal frequent itemsets (MFI)