

R for Marketing - Market Basket Analysis

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```
# Getting the Retail Sales Data -- http://fimi.ua.ac.be/data/retail.pdf
# Data can also be taken from -- http://r-marketing.r-forge.r-project.org
# Also at -- http://www.cis.hut.fi/Opinnot/T-61.5060/2005/t615060-l-2005-09-29-b.pdf
```

```
# Set Seed -- ensure reproducible results
```

```
set.seed(123)
```

```
require(arules) # Mining Association Rules and Frequent Itemsets
```

```
## Loading required package: arules
```

```
## Loading required package: Matrix
```

```
##
```

```
## Attaching package: 'arules'
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
```

```
##
```

```
##      abbreviate, write
```

```
#fileURL <- "http://fimi.ua.ac.be/data/retail.dat.gz"
```

```
#download.file(fileURL, destfile="retail.data.gz", method="curl")
```

```
# Read the data in basket format
```

```
transaction_data = read.transactions("retail.data.gz", format = "basket", sep=" ");
```

```
#
```

```
# The Structure of the Data
```

```
str(transaction_data)
```

```
## Formal class 'transactions' [package "arules"] with 3 slots
```

```
##   ..@ data      :Formal class 'ngCMatrix' [package "Matrix"] with 5 slots
```

```
##   .. .. ..@ i      : int [1:908576] 0 1 2 1113 2224 3335 4446 5557 6668 7249 ...
```

```
##   .. .. ..@ p      : int [1:88163] 0 30 33 36 47 51 64 70 73 79 ...
```

```
##   .. .. ..@ Dim     : int [1:2] 16470 88162
```

```
##   .. .. ..@ Dimnames:List of 2
```

```
##   .. .. .. ..$ : NULL
```

```
##   .. .. .. ..$ : NULL
```

```
##   .. .. ..@ factors : list()
```

```
##   ..@ itemInfo    :'data.frame': 16470 obs. of 1 variable:
```

```
## .. .$ labels: chr [1:16470] "0" "1" "10" "100" ...
## ..@ itemsetInfo:'data.frame': 0 obs. of 0 variables
##
# Highlighted for focus ---
# .. ..@ i
# : int [1:908576] 0 1 2 1113 2224 3335 4446 5557 6668 7249 ...
# ##
# .. ..@ p
# : int [1:88163] 0 30 33 36 47 51 64 70 73 79 ...
# ##
# .. ..@ Dim
# : int [1:2] 16470 88162
#
# The Summary of the Data
summary(transaction_data)
```

```
## transactions as itemMatrix in sparse format with
## 88162 rows (elements/itemsets/transactions) and
## 16470 columns (items) and a density of 0.0006257289
##
## most frequent items:
##      39      48      38      32      41 (Other)
## 50675 42135 15596 15167 14945 770058
##
## element (itemset/transaction) length distribution:
## sizes
##      1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8      9     10     11     12     13     14     15
## 3016 5516 6919 7210 6814 6163 5746 5143 4660 4086 3751 3285 2866 2620 2310
##      16     17     18     19     20     21     22     23     24     25     26     27     28     29     30
## 2115 1874 1645 1469 1290 1205 981 887 819 684 586 582 472 480 355
##      31     32     33     34     35     36     37     38     39     40     41     42     43     44     45
##      310    303    272    234    194    136    153    123    115    112     76     66     71     60     50
##      46     47     48     49     50     51     52     53     54     55     56     57     58     59     60
##      44     37     37     33     22     24     21     21     10     11     10     9      11      4      9
##      61     62     63     64     65     66     67     68     71     73     74     76
##      7      4      5      2      2      5      3      3      1      1      1      1
##
##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median      Mean 3rd Qu.      Max.
##      1.00    4.00    8.00   10.31   14.00   76.00
##
## includes extended item information - examples:
## labels
## 1      0
## 2      1
## 3     10
```

Data Summary

1. Each ROW or Obs of the data is - 1 - Market Basket.
2. Each Market Basket has many different purchase items.

3. There are - 88,162 ROWS.

4. Each ROW mostly has different no. of purchase items.

```
# Using Function - readLines() from BASE
#
transaction_data1<- readLines("~/Desktop/R_Own/R_Marketing/Mkt_DATA_Files/retail.dat")
#
```

```
# Read the HEAD end of the Data
#
head(transaction_data1)
```

```
## [1] "0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 "
## [2] "30 31 32 "
## [3] "33 34 35 "
## [4] "36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 "
## [5] "38 39 47 48 "
## [6] "38 39 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 "
```

```
#
```

```
# Read Only the 5th MARKET BASKET and see how many ITEMS in it and WHICH ALL Items ?
#
head(transaction_data1[5])
```

```
## [1] "38 39 47 48 "
```

```
# Read TAIL end of the Data
#
tail(transaction_data1)
```

```
## [1] "48 201 255 278 407 479 767 824 986 1395 1598 2022 2283 2375 6725 13334 14006 14099 "
## [2] "39 875 2665 2962 12959 14070 14406 15518 16379 "
## [3] "39 41 101 346 393 413 479 522 586 635 695 799 1466 1786 1994 2449 2830 3035 3591 3722 6217 11499 "
## [4] "2310 4267 "
## [5] "39 48 2528 "
## [6] "32 39 205 242 1393 "
```

We can now create a DATA STRUCTURE with LABELS for each,
Market basket. Each Market Basket is also called a - TRANSACTION.

To create LABELS or ROW Names we need a NAMES Vector.
Lets create a ROW_Labels Vector.

```
# Code for ROW_Labels vector
#
ROW_Labels <- paste("Market_basket_",1:length(transaction_data1),sep="")
#
typeof(ROW_Labels)
```

```
## [1] "character"
```

```
#
```

```
class(ROW_Labels)
```

```
## [1] "character"
```

```
#
```

```
ROW_Labels[1:20] # Prints initial 20 LABELS
```

```
## [1] "Market_basket_1" "Market_basket_2" "Market_basket_3"
## [4] "Market_basket_4" "Market_basket_5" "Market_basket_6"
## [7] "Market_basket_7" "Market_basket_8" "Market_basket_9"
## [10] "Market_basket_10" "Market_basket_11" "Market_basket_12"
## [13] "Market_basket_13" "Market_basket_14" "Market_basket_15"
## [16] "Market_basket_16" "Market_basket_17" "Market_basket_18"
## [19] "Market_basket_19" "Market_basket_20"

#
tail(ROW_Labels) # Market_basket_88162"

## [1] "Market_basket_88157" "Market_basket_88158" "Market_basket_88159"
## [4] "Market_basket_88160" "Market_basket_88161" "Market_basket_88162"

#
str(ROW_Labels)

## chr [1:88162] "Market_basket_1" "Market_basket_2" ...
# As seen above - we have created a CHARACTER Vector with
# ROW_Labels == Market_basket_1 to Market_basket_88162
```

We now use the Function - `strsplit()` , to SPLIT the data at WHITESPACE into ROWS , thus whenever a WHITESPACE occurs or a MARKET BASKET or ROW ends the data is split into the Next Row .

```
transaction_list <-strsplit(transaction_data1,"")
#
str(transaction_list)
```

```
## List of 88162
## $ : chr [1:80] "0" " " "1" " " ...
## $ : chr [1:9] "3" "0" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:9] "3" "3" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:33] "3" "6" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:12] "3" "8" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:39] "3" "8" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:18] "3" "2" " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:8] "3" " " "3" "9" ...
## $ : chr [1:18] "6" "3" " " "6" ...
## $ : chr [1:6] "3" "2" " " "6" ...
## $ : chr [1:12] "4" "8" " " "7" ...
## $ : chr [1:24] "3" "9" " " "7" ...
## $ : chr [1:24] "3" "6" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:9] "8" "2" " " "8" ...
## $ : chr [1:15] "4" "1" " " "8" ...
## $ : chr [1:47] "3" "9" " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:15] "3" "6" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:34] "3" "9" " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:17] "3" "8" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:35] "3" "9" " " "1" ...
## $ : chr [1:60] "1" "1" "9" " " ...
## $ : chr [1:15] "4" "8" " " "1" ...
## $ : chr [1:58] "3" "9" " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " "1" ...
## $ : chr [1:21] "3" "8" " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:23] "4" "8" " " "1" ...
```

```

## $ : chr [1:9] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:28] "1" "6" "1" " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:33] "3" "8" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:32] "3" "2" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:35] "3" "2" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " "1" ...
## $ : chr [1:24] "3" "6" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:58] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:39] "3" "9" " " " "2" ...
## $ : chr [1:34] "3" "9" " " " "6" ...
## $ : chr [1:40] "1" "7" "9" " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:12] "2" "2" "5" " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:25] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:53] "3" "6" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " "2" ...
## $ : chr [1:29] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:21] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:11] "4" "8" " " " "2" ...
## $ : chr [1:44] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:10] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:33] "3" "6" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:23] "3" "9" " " " "2" ...
## $ : chr [1:29] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:4] "2" "7" "4" " " "
## $ : chr [1:48] "3" "2" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:9] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:35] "3" "8" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:61] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:12] "3" "0" "0" " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:89] "3" "6" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:27] "1" "0" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:18] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:11] "3" "9" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:39] "4" "8" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:51] "1" "8" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:24] "3" "2" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:59] "4" "8" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:8] "3" "6" "5" " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:51] "3" "8" " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:60] "1" " " " "1" "1" ...
## $ : chr [1:16] "3" "8" "6" " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:10] "3" "8" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:10] "3" "8" " " " "5" ...
## $ : chr [1:58] "3" "2" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:24] "3" "3" "8" " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:86] "4" "8" " " " "8" ...
## $ : chr [1:29] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:28] "1" "4" "1" " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:25] "3" "9" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:87] "1" "5" " " " "2" ...
## $ : chr [1:43] "4" "8" " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:61] "3" "7" " " " "3" ...

```

```
## $ : chr [1:22] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:10] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:12] "4" "7" "7" " " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:35] "3" "9" " " " " "1" ...
## $ : chr [1:24] "3" "2" " " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:21] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:7] "6" "0" " " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:65] "1" "1" " " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:3] "3" "9" " " "
## $ : chr [1:11] "4" "1" " " " " "1" ...
## $ : chr [1:28] "3" "2" " " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:10] "3" "8" " " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:56] "2" "2" "5" " " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:32] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:6] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ : chr [1:14] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ : chr [1:14] "2" " " " " "5" "1" ...
## $ : chr [1:12] "3" "1" "0" " " " " ...
## $ : chr [1:11] "4" "1" " " " " "5" ...
## [list output truncated]
```

```
#
# We Add the ROW_names Labels
#
names(transaction_list) <- paste("Market_basket_",1:length(transaction_data1),sep="")
#
# Again see the STRUCTURE
#
str(transaction_list) #
```

```
## List of 88162
## $ Market_basket_1 : chr [1:80] "0" " " " " "1" " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_2 : chr [1:9] "3" "0" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_3 : chr [1:9] "3" "3" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_4 : chr [1:33] "3" "6" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_5 : chr [1:12] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_6 : chr [1:39] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_7 : chr [1:18] "3" "2" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_8 : chr [1:8] "3" " " " " "3" "9" ...
## $ Market_basket_9 : chr [1:18] "6" "3" " " " " "6" ...
## $ Market_basket_10 : chr [1:6] "3" "2" " " " " "6" ...
## $ Market_basket_11 : chr [1:12] "4" "8" " " " " "7" ...
## $ Market_basket_12 : chr [1:24] "3" "9" " " " " "7" ...
## $ Market_basket_13 : chr [1:24] "3" "6" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_14 : chr [1:9] "8" "2" " " " " "8" ...
## $ Market_basket_15 : chr [1:15] "4" "1" " " " " "8" ...
## $ Market_basket_16 : chr [1:47] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_17 : chr [1:15] "3" "6" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_18 : chr [1:34] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_19 : chr [1:17] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_20 : chr [1:35] "3" "9" " " " " "1" ...
## $ Market_basket_21 : chr [1:60] "1" "1" "9" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_22 : chr [1:15] "4" "8" " " " " "1" ...
## $ Market_basket_23 : chr [1:58] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_24 : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " " "1" ...
```

```

## $ Market_basket_25 : chr [1:21] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_26 : chr [1:23] "4" "8" " " " " "1" ...
## $ Market_basket_27 : chr [1:9] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_28 : chr [1:28] "1" "6" "1" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_29 : chr [1:33] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_30 : chr [1:32] "3" "2" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_31 : chr [1:35] "3" "2" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_32 : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " " "1" ...
## $ Market_basket_33 : chr [1:24] "3" "6" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_34 : chr [1:58] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_35 : chr [1:39] "3" "9" " " " " "2" ...
## $ Market_basket_36 : chr [1:34] "3" "9" " " " " "6" ...
## $ Market_basket_37 : chr [1:40] "1" "7" "9" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_38 : chr [1:12] "2" "2" "5" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_39 : chr [1:25] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_40 : chr [1:53] "3" "6" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_41 : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " " "2" ...
## $ Market_basket_42 : chr [1:29] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_43 : chr [1:21] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_44 : chr [1:11] "4" "8" " " " " "2" ...
## $ Market_basket_45 : chr [1:44] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_46 : chr [1:10] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_47 : chr [1:33] "3" "6" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_48 : chr [1:23] "3" "9" " " " " "2" ...
## $ Market_basket_49 : chr [1:29] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_50 : chr [1:4] "2" "7" "4" " " " "
## $ Market_basket_51 : chr [1:48] "3" "2" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_52 : chr [1:9] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_53 : chr [1:35] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_54 : chr [1:61] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_55 : chr [1:12] "3" "0" "0" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_56 : chr [1:89] "3" "6" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_57 : chr [1:27] "1" "0" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_58 : chr [1:18] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_59 : chr [1:11] "3" "9" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_60 : chr [1:39] "4" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_61 : chr [1:51] "1" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_62 : chr [1:24] "3" "2" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_63 : chr [1:59] "4" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_64 : chr [1:8] "3" "6" "5" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_65 : chr [1:51] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_66 : chr [1:60] "1" " " " " "1" "1" ...
## $ Market_basket_67 : chr [1:16] "3" "8" "6" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_68 : chr [1:10] "3" "8" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_69 : chr [1:10] "3" "8" " " " " "5" ...
## $ Market_basket_70 : chr [1:58] "3" "2" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_71 : chr [1:24] "3" "3" "8" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_72 : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_73 : chr [1:86] "4" "8" " " " " "8" ...
## $ Market_basket_74 : chr [1:29] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_75 : chr [1:28] "1" "4" "1" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_76 : chr [1:15] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_77 : chr [1:25] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_78 : chr [1:87] "1" "5" " " " " "2" ...

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```
## $ Market_basket_79 : chr [1:43] "4" "8" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_80 : chr [1:61] "3" "7" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_81 : chr [1:22] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_82 : chr [1:10] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_83 : chr [1:12] "4" "7" "7" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_84 : chr [1:35] "3" "9" " " " " "1" ...
## $ Market_basket_85 : chr [1:24] "3" "2" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_86 : chr [1:21] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_87 : chr [1:7] "6" "0" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_88 : chr [1:65] "1" "1" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_89 : chr [1:3] "3" "9" " " " "
## $ Market_basket_90 : chr [1:11] "4" "1" " " " " "1" ...
## $ Market_basket_91 : chr [1:28] "3" "2" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_92 : chr [1:10] "3" "8" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_93 : chr [1:56] "2" "2" "5" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_94 : chr [1:32] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_95 : chr [1:6] "3" "9" " " " " "4" ...
## $ Market_basket_96 : chr [1:14] "3" "8" " " " " "3" ...
## $ Market_basket_97 : chr [1:14] "2" " " " "5" "1" ...
## $ Market_basket_98 : chr [1:12] "3" "1" "0" " " " " ...
## $ Market_basket_99 : chr [1:11] "4" "1" " " " " "5" ...
## [list output truncated]
```

```
#
tail(transaction_list)
```

```
## $Market_basket_88157
## [1] "4" "8" " " " " "2" "0" "1" " " " " "2" "5" "5" " " " " "2" "7" "8" " " " " "4" "0"
## [18] "7" " " " " "4" "7" "9" " " " " "7" "6" "7" " " " " "8" "2" "4" " " " " "9" "8" "6"
## [35] " " " "1" "3" "9" "5" " " " " "1" "5" "9" "8" " " " " "2" "0" "2" "2" " " " " "2"
## [52] "2" "8" "3" " " " " "2" "3" "7" "5" " " " " "6" "7" "2" "5" " " " " "1" "3" "3"
## [69] "3" "4" " " " " "1" "4" "0" "0" "6" " " " " "1" "4" "0" "9" "9" " " " "
##
## $Market_basket_88158
## [1] "3" "9" " " " " "8" "7" "5" " " " " "2" "6" "6" "5" " " " " "2" "9" "6" "2" " " "
## [18] "1" "2" "9" "5" "9" " " " " "1" "4" "0" "7" "0" " " " " "1" "4" "4" "0" "6"
## [35] " " " "1" "5" "5" "1" "8" " " " " "1" "6" "3" "7" "9" " " " "
##
## $Market_basket_88159
## [1] "3" "9" " " " " "4" "1" " " " " "1" "0" "1" " " " " "3" "4" "6" " " " " "3" "9" "3"
## [18] " " " "4" "1" "3" " " " " "4" "7" "9" " " " " "5" "2" "2" " " " " "5" "8" "6" " " "
## [35] "6" "3" "5" " " " " "6" "9" "5" " " " " "7" "9" "9" " " " " "1" "4" "6" "6" " " "
## [52] "1" "7" "8" "6" " " " " "1" "9" "9" "4" " " " " "2" "4" "4" "9" " " " " "2" "8"
## [69] "3" "0" " " " " "3" "0" "3" "5" " " " " "3" "5" "9" "1" " " " " "3" "7" "2" "2"
## [86] " " " "6" "2" "1" "7" " " " " "1" "1" "4" "9" "3" " " " " "1" "2" "1" "2" "9"
## [103] " " " "1" "3" "0" "3" "3" " " " "
##
## $Market_basket_88160
## [1] "2" "3" "1" "0" " " " " "4" "2" "6" "7" " " "
##
## $Market_basket_88161
## [1] "3" "9" " " " " "4" "8" " " " " "2" "5" "2" "8" " " "
##
## $Market_basket_88162
## [1] "3" "2" " " " " "3" "9" " " " " "2" "0" "5" " " " " "2" "4" "2" " " " " "1" "3" "9"
```



```
## [18] "3" " " " "
#
#
# We can now clearly see the SPARSNESS of the Data
# The "" - Blanks occur even adjacent to each other
# seen in - $Market_basket_88159 - thus whatever Order
# is maintained in the Brick and Mortar RETAIL STORE
# is not always suggestive of Association
#
# Also looking at $Market_basket_88160
#   [1] "2" "3" "1" "0" " " " " "4" "2" "6" "7" " " "
# we can observe a FLIP FLOP Pattern
#

market_basket_rules <- apriori(transaction_data, parameter=list(supp=0.001, conf=0.4))

## Apriori
##
## Parameter specification:
## confidence minval smax arem aval originalSupport maxtime support minlen
##          0.4   0.1   1 none FALSE                TRUE      5   0.001      1
## maxlen target   ext
##          10 rules FALSE
##
## Algorithmic control:
## filter tree heap memopt load sort verbose
##    0.1 TRUE TRUE  FALSE TRUE    2    TRUE
##
## Absolute minimum support count: 88
##
## set item appearances ...[0 item(s)] done [0.00s].
## set transactions ...[16470 item(s), 88162 transaction(s)] done [0.21s].
## sorting and recoding items ... [2117 item(s)] done [0.02s].
## creating transaction tree ... done [0.08s].
## checking subsets of size 1 2 3 4 5 6 done [0.23s].
## writing ... [5944 rule(s)] done [0.01s].
## creating S4 object ... done [0.03s].
```

DATA VISUALIZATION - A RULES VIZ

We now visualize the Data to make further sense of the Association Rules.

```
require(arulesViz)

## Loading required package: arulesViz
## Warning in library(package, lib.loc = lib.loc, character.only = TRUE,
## logical.return = TRUE, : there is no package called 'arulesViz'
### Errors
```