Course "Machine Learning and Data Mining"

Course chapter: Pattern Mining.

Topic: Frequent Itemset Mining and Association Rules.

Homework 1

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Task 1 (30 points). Frequent Itemset Mining

a) Given a contextual advertising dataset of 2000 companies \times 3000 terms, find all frequent itemsets with minsupp=35. Report the number of such itemsets.

Example for SPMF

b) Repeat subtask a) for frequent closed itemsets.

Example for SPMF

c) Repeat subtask a) for maximal frequent itemsets.

Example in SPMF

d) Among the resulting itemsets for a), b), and c), indicate 10 itemsets composed of 10 terms or greater and interpret them as "markets".

Data.

Tab-separated data.

Pairs of term-firm as respective IDs.

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3000 2000 92345
% dataset size: the number of terms, the number of firms, the number of pairs

0 23 1
0 96 1
0 188 1
0 328 1
0 556 1
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The recommended software: SPMF.

Task 2 (30 points). Association Rules Mining

a) For advertising dataset with 2000 firms \times 3000 terms find association rules with minsupp = 35 and minconf = 1. Indicate the number of such rules.

Example for SPMF

b) For the input dataset find closed association rules with minsupp=35 and minconf=1. Indicate the number of such rules.

Example for SPMF

c) For the input datset find the top-5 frequent rules with minconf = 0, 8. Provide all the found rules and their interpretation (at least for a couple them) in the report.

Example for SPMF

Task 3 (40 points). Analysis of web site visitors' behavior based on concept lattices

For three input context about visitors of Higher School of Economics in terms of their visits of news websites, education-related and finance-related websites perform the subtasks below.

- a) By removal of certain websites (attributes) or visitors (objects) in the input dataset make sure that the number of formal concepts is about 100.
- b) For the context from subtask a) that obtained by object/attribute removal build the corresponding lattice diagrams.
- c) Provide 3–5 examples of concepts as pairs \langle extent size, intent \rangle for the intent size greater than 2. Give the interpretation of the found concepts.
- d) Provide the examples of implications $A \to B$ found by lattice diagram with the indication of their support and confidence.

The recommended software: Concept Explorer.

Auxiliary information can be found in Ignatov and Kuznetsov [2008], Ignatov et al.

[2012], Kuznetsov and Ignatov [2007], Yevtushenko [2006], Zaki and Hsiao [2005], Zhukov [2004], Ignatov [2014], Zaki and Wagner Meira [2014].

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