Project Case Study

Project:

A real world data mining project (problem statement, data, methodology/algorithm), software, execution and analysis, references, documentation, and presentation). The problem statement, sample data, relevant methodology/algorithm).

Case Study:

A case study from literature/books, prepare and deliver a comprehensive presentation including, problem statement ('profound question'), data source(s), methodology, data mining, result, suggestions for future work, and references.

- Define, describe, and clearly state the objectives of Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining.
- Identify relevant data
- Access and load relevant data.
- Preprocess the data (clean, integrate, transform).
- Specify the proper algorithm(s) and data mining technique(s).
- Develop software to execute the specified algorithm(s)/data mining technique(s).
- Make intelligent business and operation decisions, learn and extract nuggets of knowledge.
- Present and document results.
- Extracted knowledge to the next iterative steps.

Grading

- The novelty of the project idea(s).
- Techniques used.
- Comparison of the results of the above techniques applied to the data.
- Uniqueness of the data source(s). For example, UCI data gets lower ranking
- Additional techniques extending those studied in the class
- Quality of the presentation material and presentations.
- Timing/sequence of the presentation. (Week1 vs Week2)