

## 6.8 Apriori algorithm

- a) At granularity of item-category, find frequent item-sets for the rule template:-

$\forall X \in \text{transaction}, \text{buys}(X, \text{item}_1) \wedge (X, \text{item}_2) \Rightarrow$   
 $\text{buys}(X, \text{item}_3) \quad [s, c]$

TID	items bought
T100	Crab, Milk, cheese, Bread
T200	Cheese, Milk, Apple, Pie, Bread
T300	Apple, Milk, Bread, Pie
T400	Bread, Milk, cheese

Generating candidates and pruning using support  $\geq 60\%$ .

Since there are 4 transactions:-

$$\text{Support} = 60\% \text{ of } 4 = \frac{60}{100} \times 4 = 2.4$$

min. support = 2.4

Crab	1 $\times$		Milk, Cheese	3
Milk	4		Milk, Bread	4
Cheese	3	$\Rightarrow$	Cheese, Bread	3
Bread	4			
Apple	2 $\times$			
Pie	2 $\times$		Milk, cheese, Bread	3

Possible rules are -	Support	Confidence
Milk $\wedge$ Cheese $\Rightarrow$ Bread	3	$\frac{4}{4} = 100\%$
X Milk $\wedge$ Bread $\Rightarrow$ Cheese	3	$\frac{3}{4} = 75\%$
Cheese $\wedge$ Bread $\Rightarrow$ Milk	3	$\frac{4}{4} = 100\%$
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Cheese $\Rightarrow$ Milk $\wedge$ Bread	3	$\frac{3}{3} = 100\%$
X Bread $\Rightarrow$ Milk $\wedge$ Cheese	3	$\frac{3}{4} = 75\%$

Hence, the rules satisfying given rule are :-

Milk $\wedge$ Cheese $\Rightarrow$ Bread
Cheese $\wedge$ Bread $\Rightarrow$ Milk

b) At granularity brand-item, find frequent item sets for the rule template - (do not print any rules)

$\forall x \in \text{customer}, \text{buys}(x, \text{item}_1) \wedge \text{buys}(x, \text{item}_2) \Rightarrow \text{buys}(x, \text{item}_3)$

cust. id	items bought
01	King's Crab, Sunset-Milk, Dairyland cheese, Milk, Best-Bread, Apple, Wonder Bread, Tasty Pie
02	Best Cheese, Dairyland Milk, G-Apple, $\rightarrow$ Wonder Bread
03	Wonder Bread, Sunset Milk, Dairyland cheese

King's Crab	1	x
Sunset Milk	2	
Dairyland Cheese	2	
Best Bread	1	x
Best cheese	1	x
Dairyland Milk	2	
Goldenfarm Apple	1	x
Tasty Pie	2	
Wonder Bread	3	
Westcoast Apple	1	x

min-support = 60%

Here no. of cust\_id = 3

$$\therefore \frac{60}{100} \times 3 = 1.8$$

$\therefore \text{min-support} = 1.8$



Sunset Milk	Dairyland Cheese	2	
Sunset Milk	Dairyland Milk	1	x
Sunset Milk	Tasty Pie	1	x
Sunset Milk	Wonder Bread	2	
Dairyland Cheese	Dairyland Milk	1	x
Dairyland Cheese	Tasty Pie	1	x
Dairyland Cheese	Wonder Bread	2	
Dairyland Milk	Tasty Pie	2	
Dairyland Milk	Wonder Bread	2	
Tasty Pie	Wonder Bread	2	



Sunset Milk, Dairyland Cheese, Wonder Bread	2
Dairyland Milk, Tasty Pie, Wonder Bread	2

Thus the 3 frequent item sets are :-

{ (Sunset Milk, Dairyland Cheese, Wonder Bread) (Dairyland Milk, Tasty Pie, Wonder Bread) }