

Introduction to Data Science Course

Data Preprocessing

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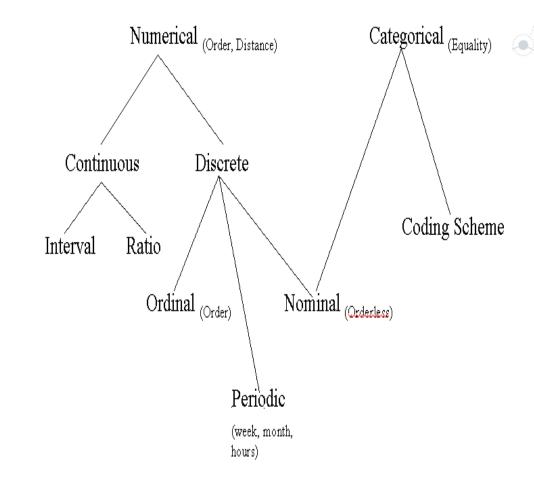
Khi tham gia dự án phải có đc dữ liệu CRAWL => thử preProcess xem có gì khác vs DL mẫu đã xử lý

- Why need to preprocess data?
- Data cleaning
- Data integration
- Open Data reduction
- O Data transformation



Data

- Attribute (Key) Value
- Data types
 - numeric, categorical
 - static, dynamic (time)
- Other data types
 - Distributed data
 - Text data
 - Web data, metadata
 - Pictures, audio / video



speech to text

Data quality

- Missing, incomplete: missing attribute value, missing attributes
 of interest, or only contains integrated data => thiếu ô, thiếu trường, thiếu cột, thiếu dòng (sample)
 - Example : age, weight = " "
- Noise: contain errors or outliers + errors: sai. + outliers: biến tồn tại nhưng ko đại diện cho đối tượng đag lm việc
 - Example: salary ="-100 000"
- Conflict: there is inconsistency in the code or in the name
 - Example: age =42, birth = 03/07/1997; US=USA?



Consequences of data quality

- The right decision must be based on accurate data
 - For example, duplication or lack of data can lead to inaccurate statistics, or even misleading.
- Data warehouse needs consistent integration of quality data

"Poor quality data -> not good exploitation"

poor to rich:

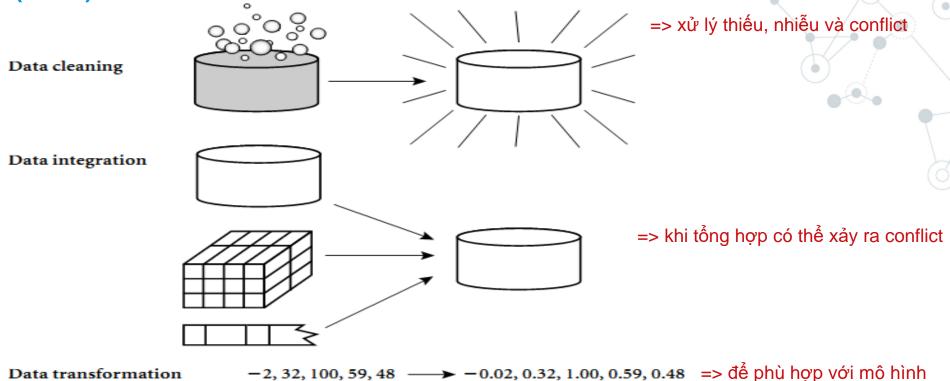
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- 2. giair quyết nó như thế nào

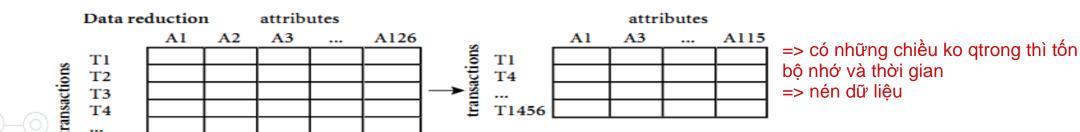


Solutions? (1/2)

Data transformation

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Solutions? (2/2)

Data Cleaning

Fill in missing values, eliminate noise data, identify and eliminate discrepancies,
 noise data, and resolve conflicting data

Data Intergration

Synthesize, integrate DL from many databases, different files.

Open Data Transformation

Aggregation.

Data Reduction

Reduce the data size but ensure analytical results.



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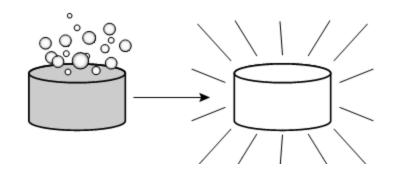
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- => thiếu giá trị (ô),
- => thiếu hàng (sample): bài toán ktra nước biển có ô nhiễm ko => thiếu cột: thiếu đặc trưng (attribute/ feature)



Data cleaning

- Data cleaning is the most important task
- Data cleaning is the process:
 - Fill in the missing values điền dựa vào cột, dựa vào dòng, dùng mô hình học máy để điền => điền THIẾU Ô
 - Identify and eliminate noise data
 - Resolve conflicting data





Fill the missing value(1/2)

Delete missing items:

- + Cách 1: cách đơn giản nhất là Xóa đi => gây mất DL qtrong or thú vị => cân nhắc + Cách 2: Thu thập lại => có đc DL chất lượng nhưng mất chi phí làm lại và có thể ko lm đc. Nếu ko lm đc thì đến bước tiếp theo
- + Cách 3: Điền
- 1. Ít tác động đến DL nhất: diền Null, None, ko bk,...=> KQ đ/giácó thể bị ảnh hưởng 2. Dùng kĩ năng thống kê để điền (mean, median, mode..). Nếu vẫn ko ổn thì ta gom nhóm DL lại (clustering), mẫu DL rơi vào nhóm nào thì dùng gtrị TB của nhóm đó.

- Hoặc là dùng ML (từ DL đã biết tôi đi tìm giá trị còn thiếu)

 => TÂT CẢ NHỮNG GÌ ĐÃ LÀM ĐỀU LÀ SAI

 Commonly used when class labels are missing (in classification)
- Ease, but not efficiency, especially when the ratio of missing values is high.
- Fill in missing values manually: tasteless and not feasible
- Fill missing values automatically:
 - Replaced by a common constant. For example, "don't know". Can become new class in data

THIÊU CỘT: why know: try and error



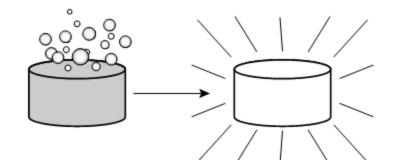
Fill the missing value (2/2)

- Fill missing values automatically:
 - Replaced with the property's mean
 - Replaced with the property's mean in a class
 - Replace with the most likely value: infer from a Bayesian formula, decision tree or EM algorithm (Expectation Maximization)



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Noise reduction

- The basic methods of noise reduction:
 - Binning method:
 - Sort and divide data into equal-width or equal-depth bins
 - Noise reduction by mean, median, margin, ...
 - Clustering method:
 - Detect and remove outliers
 - Regression method:
 - Fit data into the regression function



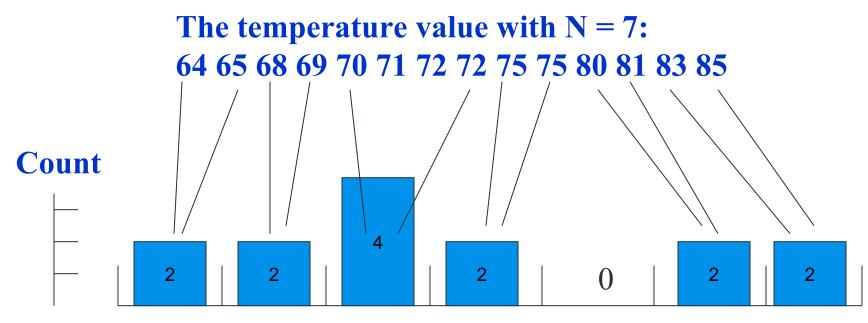
Noise reduction—Binning (1/4)

- Binning method
 - Divide data into equal-width bins:
 - Divide the range of values into N about the same size
 - The width of each interval = (maximum value minimum value) / N
 - Divide data into equal-depth bins:
 - Divide the range of values into N ranges that each contain approximately the same number of samples



Noise reduction—Binning (2/4)

Example about equal-width:



[64,67) [67,70) [70,73) [73,76) [76,79) [79,82) [82,85]

Left Bound <= value < Right Bound

Divide the range of values into N intervals.

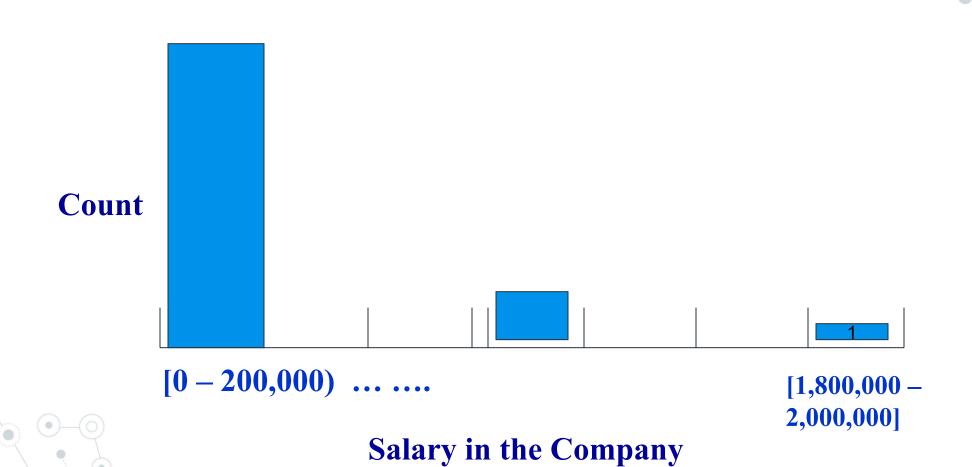
The width of each interval = (maximum value - minimum value) / N.



Noise reduction—Binning (3/4)

But not good for skewed data

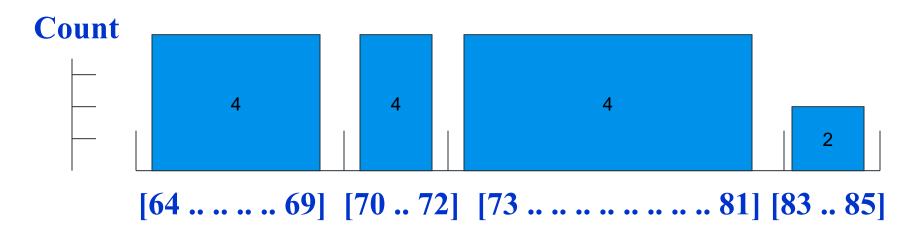
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Noise reduction—Binning(4/4)

Example about equal-depth:

The temperature value with N = 4: 64 65 68 69 70 71 72 72 75 75 80 81 83 85



Depth = 4, except for the last bin

Divide the range of values into N ranges that each contain approximately the same number of samples



Noise reduction with split bins

Sorted prices:

4, 8, 15, 21, 21, 24, 25, 28, 34

- Divide data into an equal-depth bins with N = 3
 - Bin 1: 4, 8, 15
 - Bin 2: 21, 21, 24
 - Bin 3: 25, 28, 34
- → What to do with the split bins?



Noise reduction with split bins

Bin 1: 4, 8, 15

Bin 2: 21, 21, 24

Bin 3: 25, 28, 34

Smoothing by median:

- Bin 1: 8, 8, 8

- Bin 2: 21, 21, 21

- Bin 3: 28, 28, 28

Smoothing by mean:

- Bin 1: 9, 9, 9

- Bin 2: 22, 22, 22

- Bin 3: 29, 29, 29

Smoothing by margin:

- Bin 1: 4, 4, 15

- Bin 2: 21, 21, 24

- Bin 3: 25, 25, 34

Exercises

- O Prices :
 - 15, 17, 19, 25, 29, 31, 33, 41, 42, 45, 45, 47, 52, 52, 64
- Use the binning method with equal-width and equal-depth with four bins:
 - Calculate the value of the bin according to the median smoothing.
 - Calculate the value of the bin according to the margin smoothing.
 - Calculate the value of the bin according to the mean smoothing.
 - Give some comments on results.



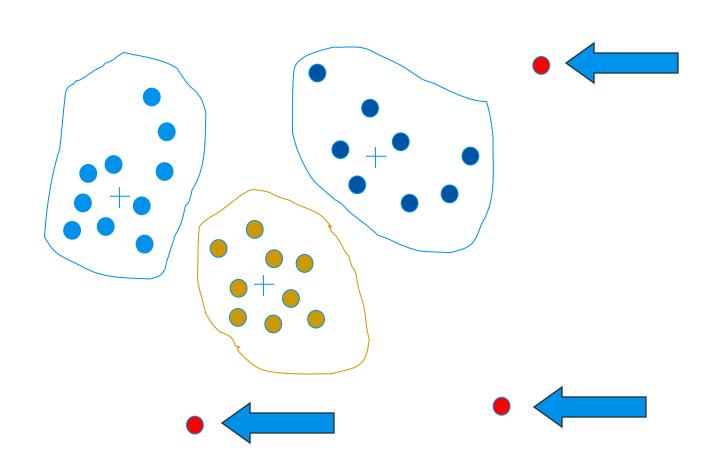
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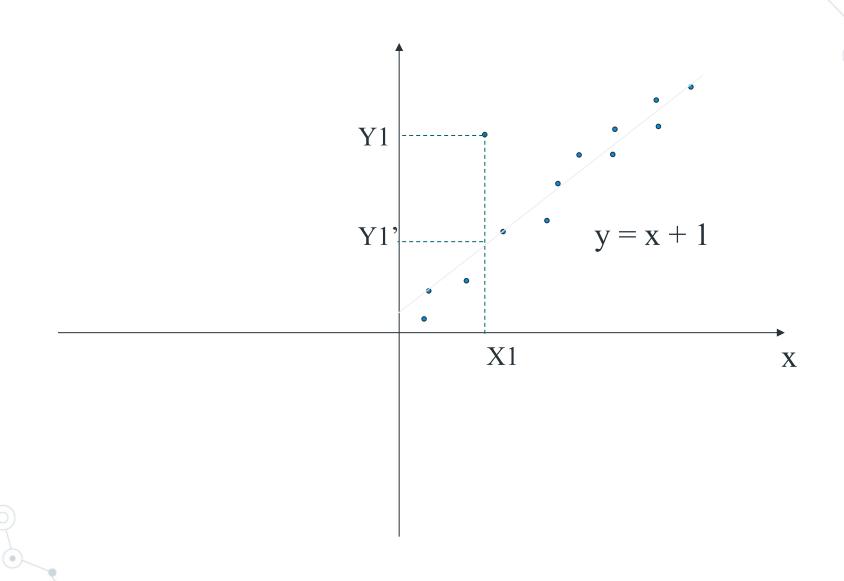
Noise reduction – clustering

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Noise reduction – regression

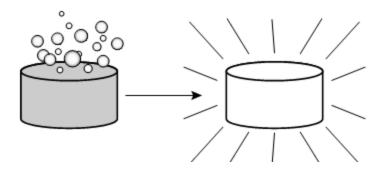
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Resolve conflicts

- Ohrow to handle conflicting data?
- Give examples of each conflict resolution method.



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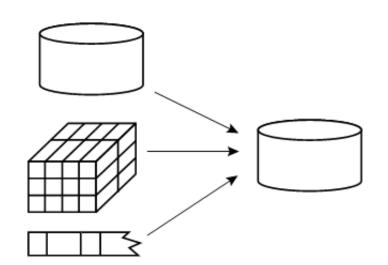
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Data Integration

- Select and aggregate data from many different sources into one database
- What problems occur when selecting and aggregating data?





Data integration process (1/4)

Process:

- Select only required data for the data mining process.
- Matches the data schema
- Eliminate redundant and duplicate data
- Detect and resolve data inconsistencies



Data integration process (2/4)

- Schema Matching
 - Entity recognition problem
 - How do entities from multiple data sources become relevant
 - US=USA; customer_id = cust_number
 - Metadata



Data integration process (3/4)

- Eliminate redundant and duplicated data
 - An attribute is redundant if it can be inferred from other properties
 - The same property can have multiple names in different databases
 - Some records in the data are repeated
 - Use correlation analysis
 - r=0: X and Y are not correlated
 - \bigcirc r>0: positive correlation. X $\uparrow \leftrightarrow Y \uparrow$
 - \bigcirc r<0: negative correlation . X $\downarrow \leftrightarrow$ Y \uparrow





Data integration process (4/4)

- Resolve inconsistencies in data
 - For example, weight is measured in kilograms or pounds
 - Define standards and mapping based on metadata



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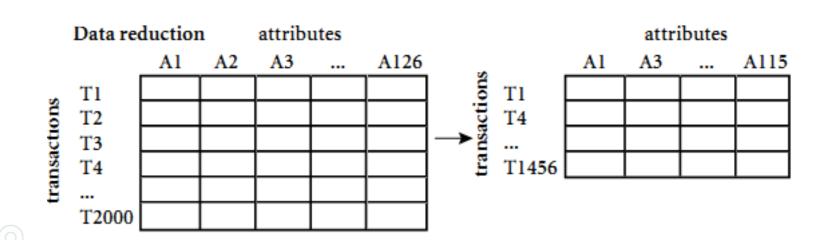
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Data reduction

- The data may be too large for some data mining applications: time consuming.
- Data reduction is the process of reducing data (size) so that the same (or almost the same) analysis result is obtained.





Methods of data reduction

Methods:

- Aggregation
- Dimensionality reduction
- Data compression
- Numerosity reduction
- Discretization and Concept hierarchies





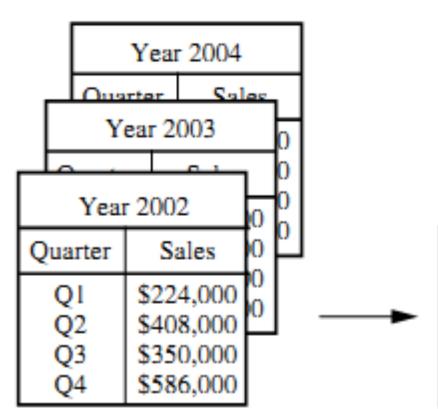


Data reduction – Aggregation (1/3)

- Aggregation
 - Combination of 2 or more attributes (object) into 1 attribute (object)
 - Example: cities integrated into regions, regions and water, ...
 - Aggregate low-level data into high-level data:
 - Decrease data set size: reduce the number of attributes
 - Increase the interestingness of the sample



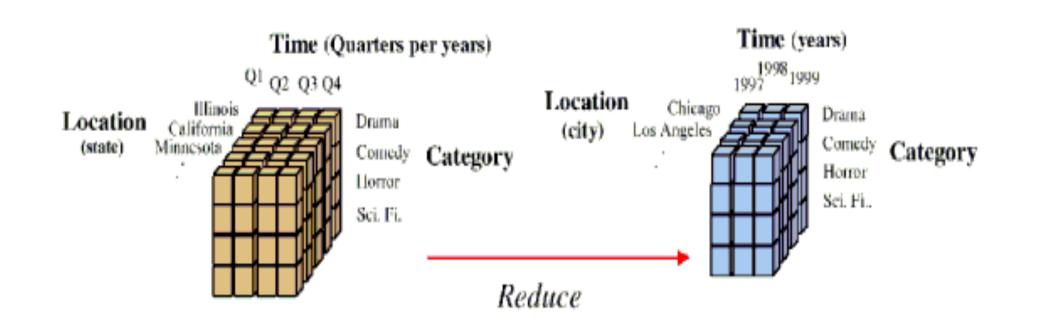
Data reduction – Aggregation (2/3)



Year	Sales
2002	\$1,568,000
2003	\$2,356,000
2004	\$3,594,000



Data reduction – Aggregation (3/3)





Data reduction – Dimensionality reduction (1/6)

- Dimensionality reduction
 - Feature selection (subset of attributes)
 - Choose m from n attributes
 - Remove irrelevant, redundant attributes
 - How to define irrelevant attributes?
 - Statistics
 - Information gain



Data reduction – Dimensionality reduction (2/6)

- O How to reduce the data dimension?
 - Brute Force
 - There are 2d attribute subsets of d attributes
 - Computational complexity is too high
 - Heuristic method
 - Stepwise forward selection
 - Stepwise backward elimitation
 - Combine two methods
 - Inductive decision tree



Data reduction – Dimensionality reduction (3/6)

- Meuristic Stepwise forward
 - Step 1: choose the best single attribute
 - Step 2: Choose the best attribute from the rest,...
- Example with initial attribute set:

{A1,A2,A3,A4,A5,A6}

- Result ={}
 - S1: Result = {A1}
 - S2: Result = {A1,A4}
 - \bigcirc S3: Result = {A1,A4,A6}



Data reduction – Dimensionality reduction (4/6)

- O Heuristic Stepwise backward
 - Step 1: removes the worst single attribute
 - Step 2: continues to remove the worst of the remaining attributes, ...
- Example with initial attribute set:

{A1,A2,A3,A4,A5,A6}

- \sim Result ={A1,A2,A3,A4,A5,A6}
 - S1: Result = {A1,A3,A4,A5,A6}
 - \bigcirc S2: Result = {A1,A4,A5,A6}
 - S3: Result = {A1,A4, A6}



Data reduction – Dimensionality reduction (5/6)

- Heuristic Combine Forward and Backward
 - Step 1: select the best single attribute and the worst single attribute type
 - Continue to choose the best attribute and the worst attribute type among the rest, ...
- Example with initial attribute set: {A1,A2,A3,A4,A5,A6}
 - \bigcirc Result = {A1,A2,A3,A4,A5,A6}
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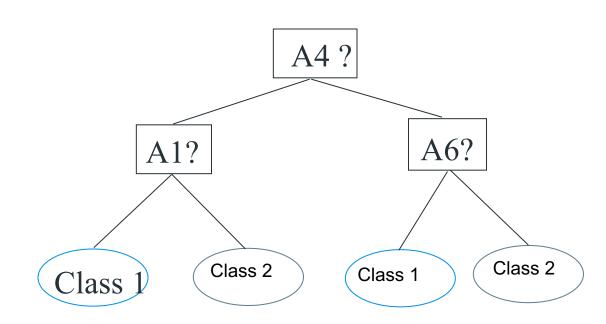


Data reduction – Dimensionality reduction (6/6)

- Heuristic Inductive decision tree
 - Step 1: build decision tree
 - Step 2: removes any properties that are not present on the tree
- Example with initial attribute set:

{A1,A2,A3,A4,A5,A6}

 \Rightarrow Result = {A1, A4, A6}

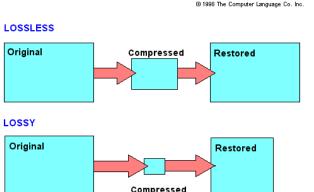




Data reduction – Compression

- O Data Compression:
 - Encrypt or transform data
 - Lossless compression
 - Data can be recovered
 - Lossy compression
 - Data cannot be fully recovered
 - Using wavelet transforms, principal component analysis (PCA), ...







- Numerosity reduction: selects a different representation of the data ("less than")
- Some methods:
 - Parameter method:
 - Use a mathematical model to store parameters
 - Regression model and log-linear
 - Non-parametric method:
 - Do not use a mathematical model but save the reduced representation
 - Graphs, grouping, sampling

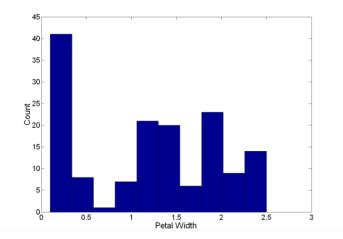


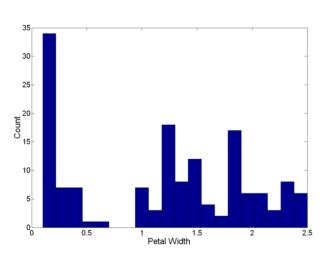
- \bigcirc Linear regression:Y = α + β X
- Multi linear regression: Y = b0 + b1 X1 + b2 X2
- O Log-linear model:
 - Probaility: p(a, b, c, d) = α ab βac χ ad δ bcd



Histogram

- Common methods for data reduction
- Divide the data into bins and the height of the column is the number of objects in each bin. Store only the average of each bin.
- The shape of the chart depends on the number of bins

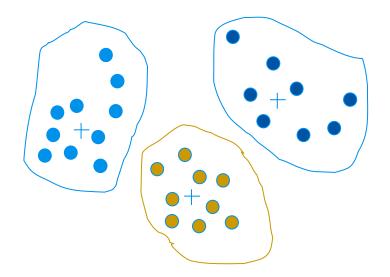






Clustering

- Divide data into groups and save group representations.
- Very effective if the data is grouped but vice versa when the data is scattered
- Lots of clustering algorithms.

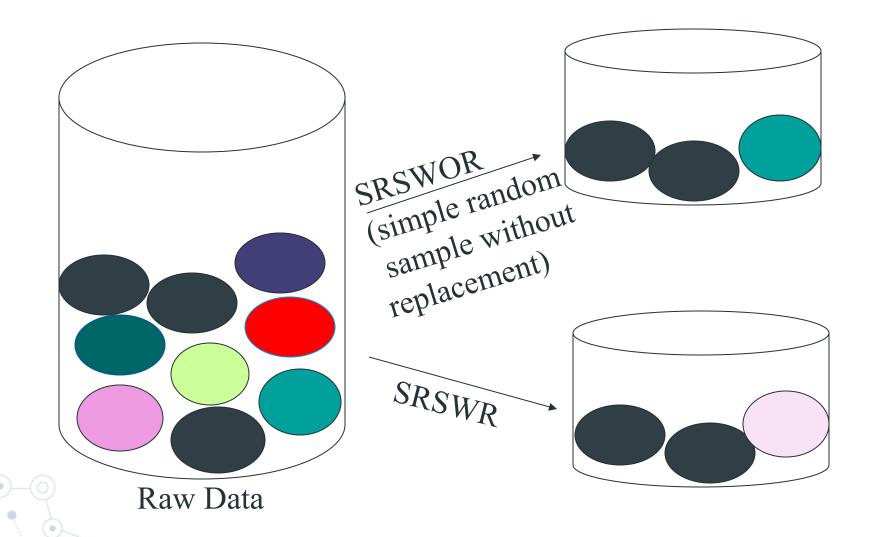




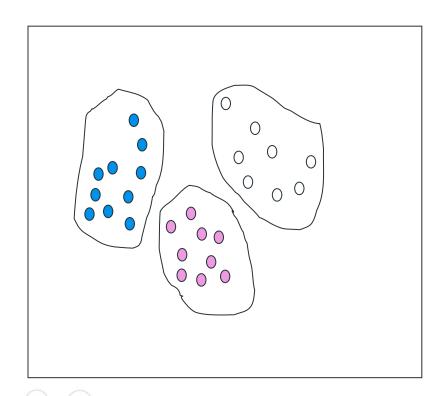
Sampling

- Use a much smaller random sample set instead of large data set.
- Simple random sample without replacement (SRSWOR)
- Simple random sample with replacement (SRSWR)
- Group / hierarchical sampling method

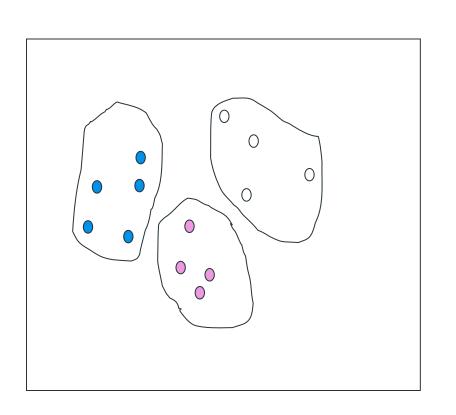




Raw Data



Cluster/Stratified Sample



Data reduction – Discretization and Concept hierarchies

O Discretization:

- Converts the property value domain (contiguous) by dividing the value domain into intervals.
- Store labels of ranges instead of actual values
- Suitable for continuous numeric data.
- Methods: binning, chart analysis, grouping, discrete by entropy, natural segmentation.



Data reduction – Discretization and Concept hierarchies

Occupy Concept hierarchies:

- Gather and replace a low-level concept with a higher-level concept.
- Suitable for non-numeric data: create a hierarchy.

Outlook	Temperature	H um id ity	Windy	Play
sunny	85	8.5	false	no
sunny	80	90	true	no
overcast	83	78	fàlse	yes
ra in	70	96	false	yes
ra in	68	80	false	yes
ra in	65	70	true	no
overcast	64	65	true	yes
sunny	72	9.5	false	no
sunny	69	70	fàlse	yes
ra in	75	80	fàls e	yes
sunny	75	70	true	yes
overcast	72	90	true	yes
overcast	81	75	false	yes
ra in	71	80	true	no

Attributes:

Outlook (overcast, rain, sunny) Temperature real Humidity real Windy (true, false) Play (yes, no)

		OutLook	OutLook	OutLook	Temp	Hum idity	Windy	Windy	Play	Play
Standard Spreadsheet		overcast	rain	sunny			TRUE	FALSE	yes	no
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Standard Spreadsheet Format

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Data reduction – Discretization and Concept hierarchies

Example:

- Converts the logical value to 1.0
- Converts a date value to a number
- Converts columns with large numeric values into a set of values in a smaller range, for example dividing them by a certain factor.
- Group of values has the same semantics as: Activity before August Revolution is group 1; from 01/08/45 - 31/06/54; group 2; from 01/07/54 - 30/4/75 is group 3, ...
- Substitute the value of age into young, middle-aged, old



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Data transformation

- Data transformation: convert data into a form that is suitable and convenient for algorithms
- Data transformation process :
 - Smoothing
 - Aggregation
 - Generalization
 - Normalization
 - Attribute construction



Data transformation process

- Smoothing: the process of removing noise from the data.
- Integration: summarizing or integrating data.
- Generalization: replacing low-level concepts with high-level concepts.
- Normalization: attribute data should be returned to a small range of values like 0 to 1.
- Attribute construction: new properties are created and added to a given set of properties



Conclusion

- Data is often missing, noisy, inconsistent, and multidimensional.
- Occupant of the second of t
- Data preparation includes the following processes:
 - Cleaning
 - Selection
 - Reduction
 - Transformation



Exercises

- Why is preparing data so urgent and time-consuming?
- O How to solve the problem of missing values in database records?
- Assuming the database has Age attribute with the values in the records (ascending): 13, 15, 16, 16, 19, 20, 20, 21, 22, 25, 25, 25, 25, 30, 33, 33, 35, 35, 35, 35, 36, 40, 45, 46, 52, 70
 - Denoise data by mean of bins with the number of bins n = 4. Explain the
 effectiveness of this technique with the above data.
 - Plot the equal-width histogram with the width = 10



Exercises

- Why do we need to select / integrate data? Please describe the data selection process.
- Why need to data reduction? Can data reduction process lose information? If yes, please state how to fix it.
- Learn about the data transformation processes. Give examples for each direction.





