

### Summary

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- Data mining: Discovering interesting patterns and knowledge from massive amount of data
- A natural evolution of database technology, in great demand, with wide applications
- A KDD process includes data cleaning, data integration, data selection, transformation, data mining, pattern evaluation, and knowledge presentation
- Mining can be performed in a variety of data
- Data mining functionalities: characterization, discrimination, association, classification, clustering, outlier and trend analysis, etc.
- Data mining technologies and applications
- Major issues in data mining

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- **Data quality:** accuracy, completeness, consistency, timeliness, believability, interpretability
- **Data cleaning:** e.g. missing/noisy values, outliers
- **Data integration** from multiple sources:
  - Entity identification problem
  - Remove redundancies
  - Detect inconsistencies
- **Data reduction**
  - Dimensionality reduction
  - Numerosity reduction
  - Data compression
- **Data transformation and data discretization**
  - Normalization
  - Concept hierarchy generation

## Summary

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- **Cluster analysis** groups objects based on their **similarity** and has wide applications
- Measure of similarity can be computed for **various types of data**
- Clustering algorithms can be **categorized** into partitioning methods, hierarchical methods, density-based methods, grid-based methods, and model-based methods
- **K-means** and **K-medoids** algorithms are popular partitioning-based clustering algorithms
- **Birch** and **Chameleon** are interesting hierarchical clustering algorithms, and there are also probabilistic hierarchical clustering algorithms
- **DBSCAN**, **OPTICS**, and **DENCLU** are interesting density-based algorithms
- **STING** and **CLIQUE** are grid-based methods, where CLIQUE is also a subspace clustering algorithm
- Quality of clustering results can be evaluated in various ways

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- Basic concepts: association rules, support-confident framework, closed and max-patterns
- Scalable frequent pattern mining methods
  - Apriori (Candidate generation & test)
  - Projection-based (FPgrowth, CLOSET+, ...)
  - Vertical format approach (ECLAT, CHARM, ...)
- Which patterns are interesting?
  - Pattern evaluation methods



## Chapter 8 – classification

### Summary (I)

- **Classification** is a form of data analysis that extracts **models** describing important data classes.
- Effective and scalable methods have been developed for **decision tree induction**, **Naive Bayesian classification**, **rule-based classification**, and many other classification methods.
- **Evaluation metrics** include: accuracy, sensitivity, specificity, precision, recall,  $F$  measure, and  $F_\beta$  measure.
- **Stratified k-fold cross-validation** is recommended for accuracy estimation. **Bagging** and **boosting** can be used to increase overall accuracy by learning and combining a series of individual models.

### Summary (II)

- **Significance tests** and **ROC curves** are useful for model selection.
- There have been numerous **comparisons of the different classification** methods; the matter remains a research topic
- No single method has been found to be superior over all others for all data sets
- Issues such as accuracy, training time, robustness, scalability, and interpretability must be considered and can involve trade-offs, further complicating the quest for an overall superior method

## Chapter 2 – data

### Summary

- Data attribute types: nominal, binary, ordinal, interval-scaled, ratio-scaled
- Many types of data sets, e.g., numerical, text, graph, Web, image.
- Gain insight into the data by:
  - Basic statistical data description: central tendency, dispersion, graphical displays
  - Data visualization: map data onto graphical primitives
  - Measure data similarity
- Above steps are the beginning of data preprocessing.
- Many methods have been developed but still an active area of research.

## Chapter 9 – classification advanced methods

### Summary

- Effective and advanced classification methods
  - Bayesian belief network (probabilistic networks)
  - Backpropagation (Neural networks)
  - Support Vector Machine (SVM)
  - Pattern-based classification
  - Other classification methods: lazy learners (KNN, case-based reasoning), genetic algorithms, rough set and fuzzy set approaches
- Additional Topics on Classification
  - Multiclass classification
  - Semi-supervised classification
  - Active learning
  - Transfer learning

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## Feature Selection\_Dimensionality Reduction

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## Chapter 12 – Outlier Analysis

### Summary

- Types of outliers
  - global, contextual & collective outliers
- Outlier detection
  - supervised, semi-supervised, or unsupervised
- Statistical (or model-based) approaches
- Proximity-base approaches
- Clustering-base approaches
- Classification approaches
- Mining contextual and collective outliers
- Outlier detection in high dimensional data

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