

CS 4410: Mid Exam FA2024

Exam Time: 60 Minutes

Total Marks: 30

Must write your section A/B, Troy ID, and Name on every sheet.

Q1 [10 points] Briefly define and differentiate between the following (if possible with an example):

- A) Bias and Variance
- B) Underfitting and Overfitting
- C) Validation Set and Test Set
- D) Regression and Classification

Q2 [5 points] Provide at least three different measures of classification.

Differentiate with examples where a particular measure would make more sense than the others.

Q3 [5 points] Past data tells us that 10% of patients entering the clinic have liver disease. Five percent of the clinic's patients are alcoholics. Among those patients diagnosed with liver disease, 7% are alcoholics. The probability that a patient is alcoholic, given that they have liver disease, is 7%. What is the chance of having liver disease if the patient is an alcoholic?

Q4 [5 points] Compute the Maximum Likelihood Estimate (MLE) of the mean (μ) and variance (σ^2), assuming X (the data points) is Gaussian Distributed. Show your steps.

Q5 [5 points] Observe the following transaction data. Is there any frequent itemset of size 3 with a minimum support of 15%? What rule(s), if any, can you derive with a minimum confidence of 60%? Explain your answer.

Transaction	Items
1	milk, bananas, chocolate
2	milk, chocolate
3	milk, bananas
4	chocolate
5	chocolate
6	milk, chocolate
7	milk, bananas, chocolate