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**Instructions for Candidates**

1. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
2. **All** parts of Question 1(Part A) are compulsory.
3. Parts of a question must be answered together.
4. Attempt any **four** questions from Part B.
5. **All** questions in Part B carry equal marks.

**Section A**

Q1.

- a) Distinguish between supervised and unsupervised learning. Give examples of data mining tasks that fall under the purview of each. 2+2
- b) Is searching using database queries same as using any data mining technique for knowledge discovery. Comment. 2
- c) Let student\_enrolment\_number be a primary key having integer values. Why is it considered a nominal attribute rather than a numeric attribute during data mining. 2
- d) List two limitations of *k-means* clustering algorithm. 2

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e) Define support and confidence of an association rule with formal notations. 1+2

f) Consider the following set of frequent 2-itemsets: 3

$$L2 = \{ \{1,2\} \{1,3\} \{1,5\} \{2,3\} \{2,4\} \{2,5\} \}$$

List all possible candidate 3-itemsets that will be generated.

g) What is the difference between noise and outliers? Are noise objects *always* outliers? Are outliers *always* noise objects? 3

h) What is decision tree pruning? Why is it required? 3

i) Give any one application each of Classification, Clustering and Association rule mining. 3

j) Classify the following attributes as binary, discrete, or continuous. Also classify them as qualitative (nominal or ordinal) or quantitative (interval or ratio). 5

(1) Time in terms of AM or PM.

(2) Angle as measured in degrees between  $0^\circ$  and  $360^\circ$ .

(3) Bronze, Silver, and Gold medals as awarded at the Olympics.

(4) Height above sea level.

(5) ISBN Number of a Book

k) What is a confusion matrix? How would you compute the accuracy, false positive and false negative rates of a classifier from it? 5

**Section B**

Q2. a) Consider the market basket database shown below:

TID	Items Bought
1	{Milk, Beer, Diapers}
2	{Bread, Butter, Milk}
3	{Milk, Diapers, Cookies}
4	{Bread, Butter, Cookies}
5	{Beer, Cookies, Diapers}
6	{Milk, Bread, Butter, Diapers}
7	{ Bread, Butter, Diapers}
8	{ Beer, Diapers}
9	{Milk, Bread, Butter, Diapers}
10	{ Beer, Cookies}

- i. Find an itemset of size 2 that has the largest support. 2
  - ii. List all itemsets of size 3 and their support counts 2
  - iii. Generate all the association rules that can be generated from the itemsets {Bread, Butter, Milk } 3
- b) How does partitioning improve the efficiency of Apriori algorithm ? 3
- 3.
- a) Explain with an example the difference between maximal and closed frequent itemsets. 2
  - b) How does FP-Growth algorithm improve upon the drawbacks of Apriori algorithm. 3

*P.T.O.*

c) Construct the FP Tree for the following dataset.

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<i>TID</i>	<i>Items bought</i>
100	{f, a, c, d, g, i, m, p}
200	{a, b, c, f, l, m, o}
300	{b, f, h, j, o, w}
400	{b, c, k, s, p}
500	{a, f, c, e, l, p, m, n}

4.

Consider the training examples shown in following table for a classification problem.

$$5 \times 2 = 10$$

Customer ID	Gender	Car Type	Shirt Size	Class
1	M	Family	Small	C0
2	M	Sports	Medium	C0
3	M	Sports	Medium	C0
4	M	Sports	Large	C0
5	M	Sports	Extra Large	C0
6	M	Sports	Extra Large	C0
7	F	Sports	Small	C0
8	F	Sports	Small	C0
9	F	Sports	Medium	C0
10	F	Luxury	Large	C0
11	M	Family	Large	C1
12	M	Family	Extra Large	C1
13	M	Family	Medium	C1
14	M	Luxury	Extra Large	C1
15	F	Luxury	Small	C1
16	F	Luxury	Small	C1
17	F	Luxury	Medium	C1
18	F	Luxury	Medium	C1
19	F	Luxury	Medium	C1
20	F	Luxury	Large	C1

- Compute the Gini Index for the customer ID attribute
- Compute the Gini Index for the Car Type Attribute
- Compute the Gini Index for the shirt size attribute
- Which is a better attribute Car Type or Shirt Size?
- Explain why Customer Id should not be used as the attribute test condition even though it has the lowest GINI value.

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- Describe two stopping conditions to terminate the construction of a decision tree.

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b) Enumerate the strengths and weaknesses of following classifiers. 6

i) k-nearest neighbour

ii) Naïve Bayes classifier

6.

a) Why is clustering also called database segmentation? 2

b) Distinguish between the Agglomerative and Divisive clustering methods 3

c) Cluster the following data into three clusters using agglomerative clustering method  
Data: {2, 4, 10, 12, 3} 5

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a) Consider the following data: 6

{25, 25, 25, 25, 30, 33, 33, 35, 35, 36, 40, 45, 46, 52, 70}

i) Compute the five number summary for the above data

ii) Draw a boxplot of the data

b) What is the curse of dimensionality? Mention two techniques for dimensionality reduction. 4

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