

Data to Decision

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Numerical Data : distribution

- Mean
- Standard Deviation
 - How dispersed
- Range: Max/Min
- Median (percentile)
- Scatter Plot: 2 vars

Categorical Data

- Tabulation
- Cross tabulation
 - 2 variables
- GIS: maps

Bias and Variance

<http://scott.fortmann-roe.com/docs/BiasVariance.html>

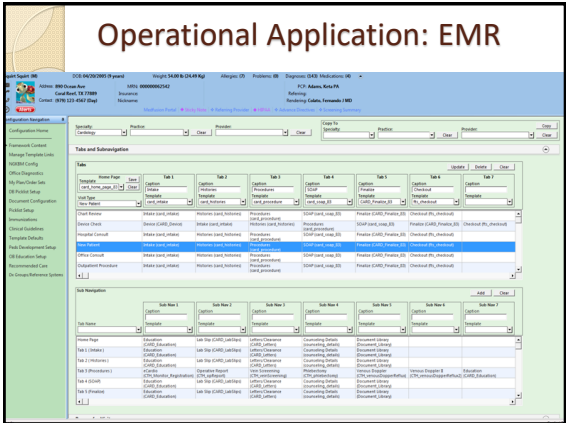
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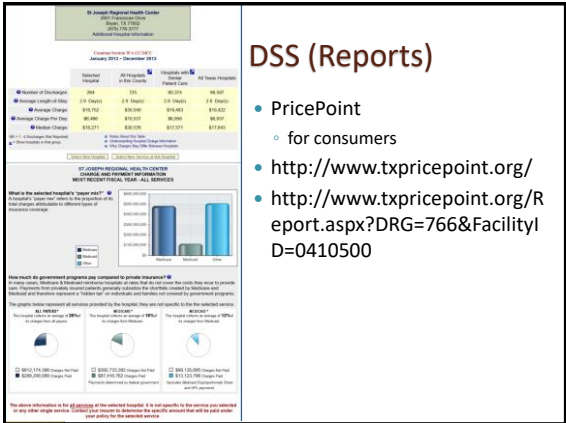
Operational vs Decision Support Systems

- Operational Systems
 - Support day to day transactions
 - Contain current, “up to date” data
 - Examples: EMR, customer orders, inventory levels, bank account balances
- Decision Support Systems
 - Support strategic decision making
 - Contain historical, “summarized” data
 - Examples:
 - Clinical support: what treatment is best?
 - Population health
 - Management support: performance summary, market segmentation

Operational Application: EMR



DSS (Reports)

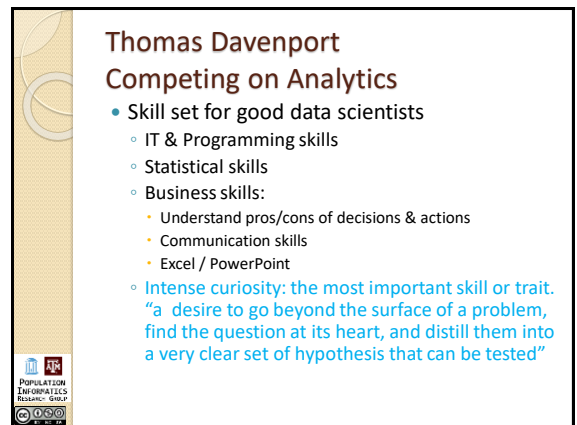
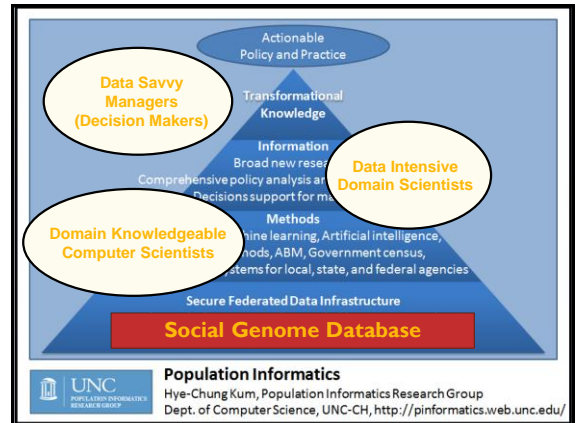
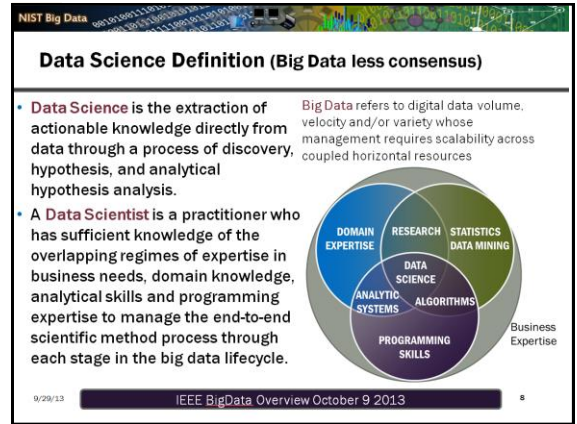


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What is Data Science?

- Other words
 - Knowledge Discovery & Data mining (KDD)
 - Business Intelligence / Business Analytics
- Collecting and refining information from many sources
- Analyzing and presenting the information in useful ways
- So people can make better business decisions

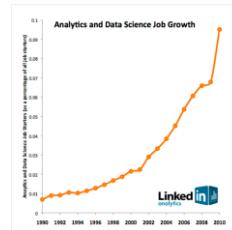


Data science teams need people with the **skills** and **curiosity** to ask the big questions (oreilly)

- **Technical expertise:** the best data scientists typically have deep expertise in some scientific discipline.
- **Curiosity:** a desire to go beneath the surface and discover and distill a problem down into a very clear set of hypotheses that can be tested.
- **Storytelling:** the ability to use data to tell a story and to be able to communicate it effectively.
- **Cleverness:** the ability to look at a problem in different, creative ways.
- Health is a very important domain
 - Team lead: good questions, good interpretation & implications
- <http://radar.oreilly.com/2011/09/building-data-science-teams.html>



Job market of data scientists



- statisticians will be the next sexy job
 - Google Chief Economist Hal Varian
- shortage of 190,000 data scientists by the year 2019
 - McKinsey Global Institute



New Era in Science Big Data Science

- **Data** is the new raw material of business: an economic **input almost on par with capital and labor.** (Microsoft's Craig Mundie)
- **Those who can harness the power of data will lead the next century** and drive innovation in commerce, scientific discovery, healthcare, finance, energy, government, and countless other fields.
- Students who learn to be a data science will be in high demand.



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What is Data Mining?

- Using a combination of **artificial intelligence, machine learning, and statistical analysis** to analyze **data**
- and discover useful **patterns** that are "hidden" there



Sample Applications

- Direct Marketing
 - identify which prospects should be included in a mailing list
 - **Clinical trial recruitment: cohort identification**
- Market segmentation
 - identify common characteristics of customers who buy same products
 - **Profile common characteristics in homogeneous patient group (Billings)**
- Customer churn
 - Predict which customers are likely to leave your company for a competitor
 - **Potentially Preventable Readmissions to ED**
- Market Basket Analysis
 - Identify what products are likely to be bought together
 - **Care coordination: common services for a condition**
- Insurance Claims Analysis
 - discover patterns of fraudulent transactions (**medical fraud**)
 - compare current transactions against those patterns



Business uses of data mining

- Essentially five tasks...
- Classification
 - Classify credit applicants as low, medium, high risk
 - Classify insurance claims as normal, suspicious
- Estimation
 - Estimate the probability of a direct mailing response
 - Estimate the potential cohort size for a clinical trial
- Prediction
 - Predict which customers will leave within six months
 - Predict which patient will return to the ED
- Affinity Grouping
 - Find out what books to recommend to Amazon.com users
 - Find treatment regime that was successful for similar patient
- Description
 - Help understand large volumes of data by uncovering interesting, useful, and actionable patterns



Applications in Health

- A March 2014 poll from MeriTalk and EMC found that **63 percent of healthcare executives** in the federal government believe that **big data will improve population health management**
- Examples
 - Manage population health
 - Accountable Care Organizations (ACO)
 - Clinical decision support
 - Cohort identification for clinical trials
 - Medical fraud detection



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Properties of BIG DATA : 4V

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- Velocity : constantly changing
- Variety : expressed in many ways
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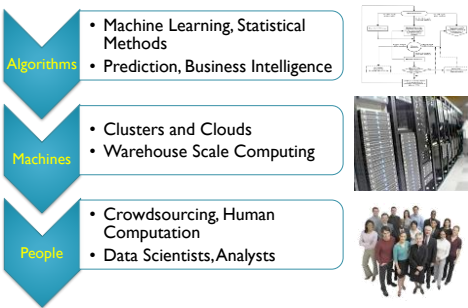
EXAMPLE: the INTERNET!
What do you do to find information/knowledge on the Internet?

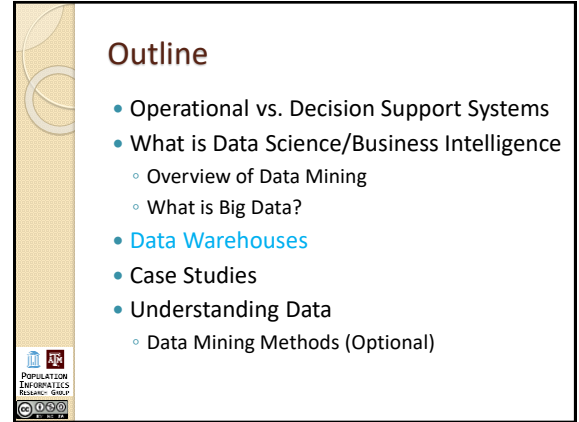


The Big Data Problem – Nutshelled Michael Franklin (UC Berkley)



AMPLab Integrating Three Key Resources





What is a data mart?

- A subset of a data warehouse focused on a particular subject or department

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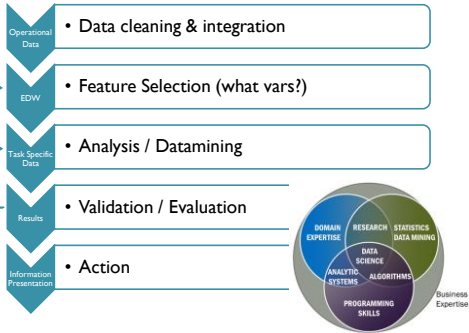


Case Studies

- Specialized Program for High Utilizers in One Hospital Network
 - innovative and effective High Alert emergency department overutilization program
 - "SETON's High Alert Program is a specialized, focused case management program. In this program, we develop individualized care plans based on the particular circumstances of individuals. These care plans can be electronically pushed into future clinical encounters to ensure the individualized plan is followed, resulting in consistent care directed at the specific patient."
 - Dr. Christopher Ziebell (Emergency Department Medical Director at the University Medical Center Brackenridge)
 - Dr. Ziebell serves on the Board of Trustees of SETON Healthcare and the Board of Managers of Emergency Service Partners; is Executive Director of Hospital Physicians in Clinical Research; and, chairs the EMS Steering Committee of the Travis County Medical Society.



Take Away I What is Data Science? KDD Process



Take Away II What is Big Data ?

- 4 Vs of Big Data
 - Volume : lots of data
 - Velocity : constantly generating & changing
 - Variety : expressed in many ways
 - Veracity : lots of errors
 - (Value)
- Big Data Problems
 - Time
 - Money
 - Quality (Precision)
- Three Resources: AMP
 - Algorithm
 - Machine
 - People



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Iterate until balance is reached & maintained
Q: Where is the sweet spot for
balancing access, cost, & quality of health care

