

Exercise-2

A.

Compute the support for itemsets {e}, {b, d}, and {b, d, e} by treating each transaction ID as a market basket.

$$\{e\}: s = \frac{8}{10} = 0.8$$

$$\{b, d\}: s = \frac{2}{10} = 0.2$$

$$\{b, d, e\}: s = \frac{2}{10} = 0.2$$

B.

Use the results in part (a) to compute the confidence for the association rules {b,d} → {e} and {e} → {b,d}. Is confidence a symmetric measure?

$$\{b, d\} \rightarrow \{e\}: c = \frac{0.2}{0.2} = 1$$

$$\{e\} \rightarrow \{b, d\}: C = \frac{0.2}{0.8} = 0.25$$

C.

Repeat part (a) by treating each customer ID as a market basket. Each item should be treated as a binary variable (1 if an item appears in at least one transaction bought by the customer, and 0 otherwise).

$$\{e\}: S = \frac{4}{5} = 0.8$$

$$\{b, d\}: S = \frac{5}{5} = 1$$

$$\{b, d, e\}: S = \frac{4}{5} = 0.8$$

D.

Use the results in part (c) to compute the confidence for the association rules {b,d} → {e} and {e} → {b,d}.

$$\{b, d\} \rightarrow \{e\}: C = \frac{0.8}{1} = 0.8$$

$$\{e\} \rightarrow \{b, d\}: C = \frac{0.8}{0.8} = 1$$

E.

Suppose s1 and c1 are the support and confidence values of an association rule r when treating each transaction ID as a market basket. Also, let s2 and c2 be the support and confidence values of r when treating each customer ID as a market basket. Discuss whether there are any relationships between s1 and s2 or c1 and c2.

no clear difference in treating transaction IDs or customer IDs as market baskets.

Exercise 6

A.

What is the maximum number of association rules that can be extracted from this data (including rules that have zero support)?

The total number of possible rules, R , extracted from a data set that

$$R = 3^d + 2^{d+1} + 1$$

There are 6 items in the table.

So, $R = 602$

B.

What is the maximum size of frequent itemsets that can be extracted (assuming $\text{minsup} > 0$)?

With $\text{minsup} > 0$, we only need to look for the largest itemset in the data set. Itemsets with ID 6 and 9 have the maximum size of 4 in the data set.

C.

Write an expression for the maximum number of size-3 itemsets that can be derived from this data set.

Disregarding the support threshold, there are $\frac{6!}{3!}$ possible 3 itemset (with duplicate). The number of distinct 3-itemsets is therefore:

$$= \frac{6!}{3!3!} = 20$$

D.

Find an itemset (of size 2 or larger) that has the largest support.

the itemset with the largest support is {bread; butter} that is 5. (Ignoring the 1-itemsets Null node.)

Exercise 8

A.

List all candidate 4-itemsets obtained by a candidate generation procedure using the $F_{k+1} * F_1$ merging strategy.

{1,2,3,4}, {1,2,3,5}, {1,2,4,5}, {1,3,4,5}, {2,3,4,5}

B.

List all candidate 4-itemsets obtained by the candidate generation procedure in Apriori.

{1,2,3,4}, {1,2,3,5}, {1,2,4,5}, {1,3,4,5}, {2,3,4,5}

C.

List all candidate 4-itemsets that survive the candidate pruning step of the Apriori algorithm.

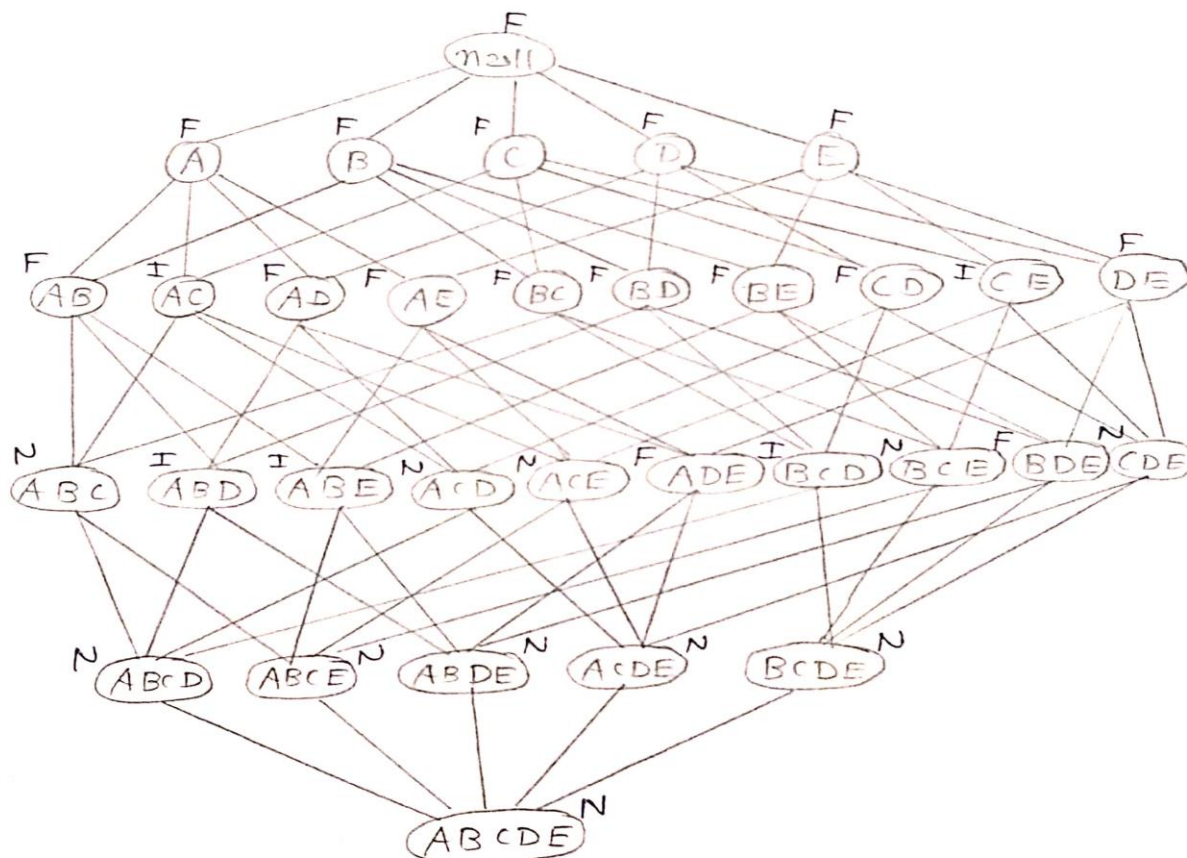
All the subset {1,2,3}, {1,2,4}, {1,3,4}, {2,3,4} of {1,2,3,4} are frequent.

All the subset {1,2,3}, {1,2,5}, {1,3,5}, {2,3,5} of {1,2,4,5} are frequent.

Other 4 items are pruned.

Exercise 9

A.



B.

Frequent Itemset = $\frac{16}{32} = 50\%$

C.

Total N = 11

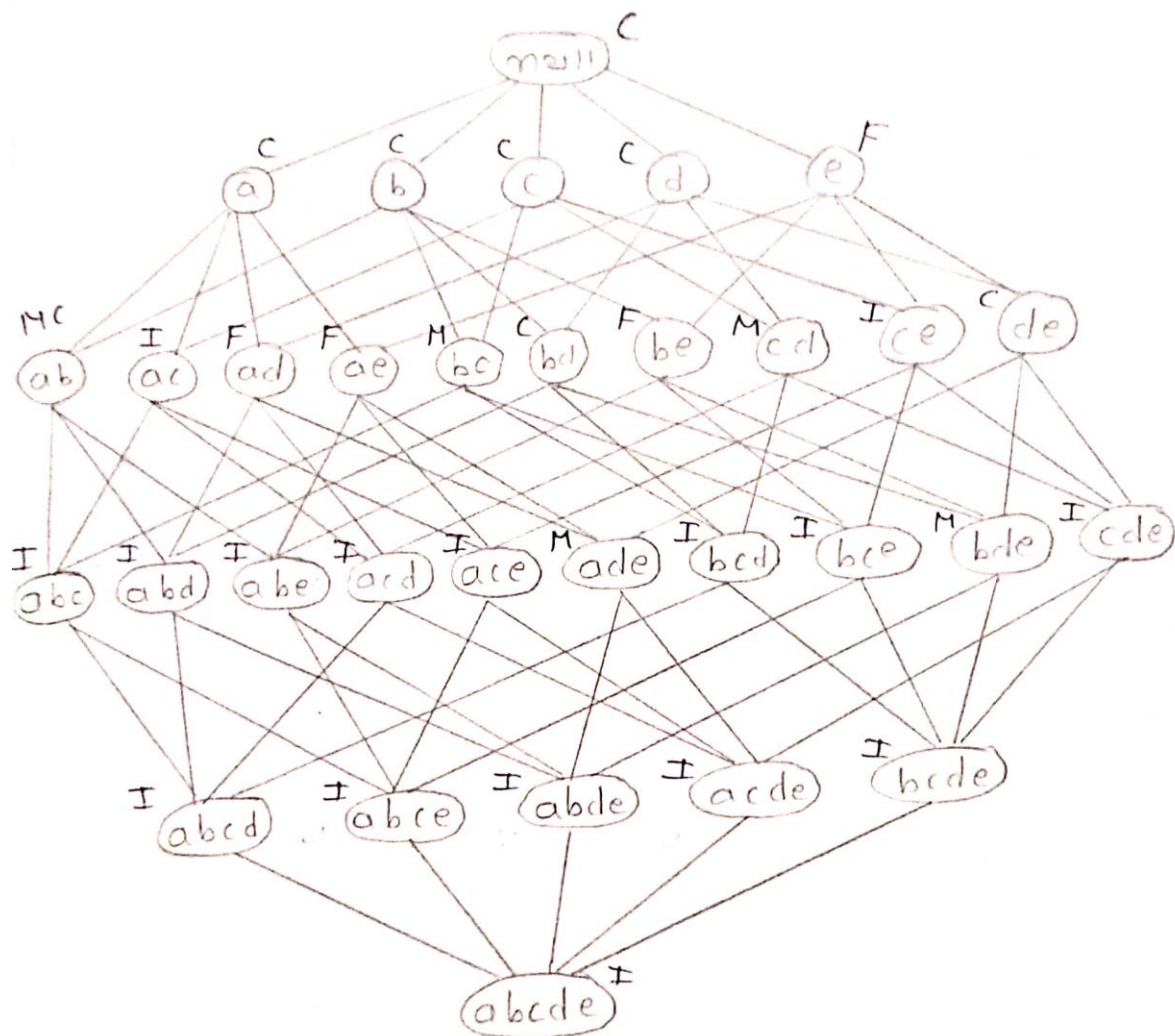
So, pruning ratio is $\frac{N}{\text{Total itemset}} = \frac{11}{32} = 34.4\%$

D.

Total I = 5

So, False alarm rate is $\frac{I}{\text{Total Itemset}} = \frac{5}{32} = 15.6\%$

Exercise 12



Exercise 13

A.

$$\{b\} \rightarrow \{c\}$$

	C	!c
b	3	4
!b	2	1

$$\{a\} \rightarrow \{d\}$$

	a	!d
a	4	1
!a	5	0

$$\{b\} \rightarrow \{d\}$$

	d	!d
b	6	1
!b	3	0

$$\{e\} \rightarrow \{c\}$$

	c	!c
e	2	4
!e	3	1

$$\{c\} \rightarrow \{a\}$$

	a	!a
c	2	3
!c	3	2

B.

1.

For example, association rule between two itemsets is.

$$\{x\} \rightarrow \{y\}$$

Total Itemset is T

$$Support = \frac{Support\ count(x \cup y)}{|T|}$$

Where Support count = In how many transaction x and y available

Rules	Support	Rank
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.3	3
$\{a\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0.4	2
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0.6	1
$\{e\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.2	4
$\{c\} \rightarrow \{a\}$	0.2	4

2.

For example, association rule between two itemsets is.

$$\{x\} \rightarrow \{y\}$$

$$\text{Confidence}(c) = \frac{\text{support}(x \cup y)}{\text{support}(x)}$$

Rules	Confidence	Rank
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.4	3
$\{a\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0.8	2
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0.85	1
$\{e\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.3	5
$\{c\} \rightarrow \{a\}$	0.4	4

3.

For example, association rule between two itemsets is.

$$\{x\} \rightarrow \{y\}$$

$$\text{Interest}(x \rightarrow y) = \frac{p(x, y)}{p(x)p(y)}$$

Rules	Interest	Rank
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.214	3
$\{a\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0.72	2
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0.771	1
$\{e\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.167	5
$\{c\} \rightarrow \{a\}$	0.2	4

4.

For example, association rule between two itemsets is.

$$\{x\} \rightarrow \{y\}$$

$$IS(x \rightarrow y) = \frac{p(x, y)}{\text{sqrt}(p(x)p(y))}$$

Rules	IS	Rank
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.507	3
$\{a\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0.596	2
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0.756	1
$\{e\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.365	5
$\{c\} \rightarrow \{a\}$	0.4	4

5.

$$\text{Klosgen } (x \rightarrow y) = \text{sqrt}(x, y) * (p(y|x) - p(y)) \text{ where } p(y|x) = \frac{p(x, y)}{p(x)}$$

Rules	Klosgen	Rank
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	-0.039	2
$\{a\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	-0.063	4
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	-0.033	1
$\{e\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	-0.075	5
$\{c\} \rightarrow \{a\}$	-0.045	3

6.

$$\text{Odds ratio } (x \rightarrow y) = \frac{p(x, y)p(!x, !y)}{p(x, !y)p(!x, y)}$$

Rules	Odd Ratio	Rank
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.375	2
$\{a\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0	4
$\{b\} \rightarrow \{d\}$	0	4
$\{e\} \rightarrow \{c\}$	0.167	3
$\{c\} \rightarrow \{a\}$	0.444	1

Exercise 20

	b	! b
a	9	1
! a	1	89

	b	! b
a	89	1
! a	1	9

A.

- $\text{Support}(A) = 10/100 = 0.1$
- $\text{Support}(B) = 10/100 = 0.1$
- $\text{Support}(A,B) = 9/100 = 0.09$
- Correlation coefficient for the association pattern $\{A, B\}$
 $A \rightarrow B = \frac{9 \cdot 89 - 1}{\sqrt{89 \cdot 9}} = 28.266$
 $B \rightarrow A = 28.266$
- $\text{Confidence}(A \rightarrow B) = 9/10 = 0.9$
- $\text{Confidence}(B \rightarrow B) = 9/10 = 0.9$

B.

- $\text{Support}(A) = 90/100 = 0.9$
- $\text{Support}(B) = 90/100 = 0.9$
- $\text{Support}(A,B) = 89/100 = 0.89$
- Correlation coefficient for the association pattern $\{A, B\}$
 $A \rightarrow B = \frac{9 \cdot 89 - 1}{\sqrt{89 \cdot 9}} = 28.266$
 $B \rightarrow A = 28.266$
- $\text{Confidence}(A \rightarrow B) = 89/90 = 0.98$
- $\text{Confidence}(B \rightarrow B) = 89/10 = 0.98$

C.

Interest, support and confidence are not consider as invariant whereas the ϕ -coefficient is invariant. This is due to the fact that ϕ -coefficient takes absence and presence of an item in a transaction into consideration.

Reference:

<https://www.solver.com/xlminer/help/association-rules#:~:text=Confidence%20is%20the%20ratio%20of,all%20items%20in%20the%20antecedent.&text=Lift%20is%20nothing%20but%20the%20ratio%20of%20Confidence%20to%20Expected%20Confidence.>