How to execute the code:

We have created an abstract class named “periodicPatterns” inside the “abstractPeriodicPatterns.py” python file. Therefore, every program has to import this file and needs to extend the abstract class as follows:

- ***from traditional.abstractClass.abstractPeriodicPatterns import ****
- ***class Pfgrowth(frequentPatterns):***
  - ***Complete code along with the implementation of the given abstract methods and variables available in the abstract class ‘PeriodicPatterns’.***

1. **Periodic-Frequent Pattern Mining (PFPM) Process:**
   1.1. Import our package and initialize the method called **'Pfgrowth'** using the input file path/input file, minimum support and maximum period (It has to be given in terms of count of total number of transactions in the input database/file).
   1.2. Then call the method **'startMine'** using the following command

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap
fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()
```

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.

For example:
If we execute the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap
```

fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.

2. To get the periodic-frequent patterns along with their support count:
   2.1. Complete the PFPM Process mentioned in **(1)**
   2.2. Then call the method **'getPeriodicFrequentPatterns'** using the following command:

import Pfgrowth as Myap
fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()
variable = fp.getPeriodicFrequentPatterns()

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
- All the periodic-frequent patterns will be stored in a dictionary, with patterns as keys and support count and periodicity as value and returned to the called function.

For example:
If we execute the following command:

import Pfgrowth as Myap

fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “T10I4D100K”
fp.oFile = “Output”
fp.minSup = 1000
fp.maxPer = 200
fp.startMine()
periodicFrequentPatterns = fp.getPeriodicFrequentPatterns()

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
- All the periodic-frequent patterns will be stored in a dictionary, with patterns as keys and support count and periodicity as value and assigned to the variable called '**periodicFrequentPatterns.**'

3. To get the frequent patterns along with their support count in a file:
   3.1. Complete the PFPM Process mentioned in **(1)**
   3.2. Then call the method '**storePatternsInFile**' using the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap
fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()
fp.storePatternsInFile("output file")
```

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
- All the periodic-frequent patterns will be stored in a file named as “output file"

For example:
If we execute the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap

fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “T10I4D100K”
fp.oFile = “Output”
fp.minSup = 1000
fp.maxPer = 200
fp.startMine()
fp.storePatternsInFile("sampleoutput")
```

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.

- All the periodic-frequent patterns will be stored in a file named as ‘sampleoutput.’

4. To get the periodic-frequent patterns along with their support count and periodicity in a DataFrame:
   4.1. Complete the PFPM Process mentioned in **(1)**
   4.2. Then call the method **'getPatternsInDataFrame'** using the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap
fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()
variable =fp.getPatternsInDataFrame()
```

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using fpgrowth algorithm.
- All the periodic-frequent patterns will be stored in a data frame, their columns named as 'Patterns' and '[Support,periodicity]' and returned to the called function.

For example:
If we execute the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap

fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()
dataFrame= fp.getPatternsInDataFrame()
```

output is displayed as follows:

- periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
- All the periodic-frequent patterns will be stored in a data frame, their columns named as 'Patterns' and '[Support,periodicity]' and stored in a variable called 'dataFrame.'

5. If we want to know the amount of USS memory consumed by the Pfgrowth algorithm:
   5.1. Complete the PFPM Process mentioned in **(1)**
   5.2. Then call the method **'getMemoryUSS'** using the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap
fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()
variable = fp.getMemoryUSS()
```

   output is displayed as follows:
   - periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
   - Total amount of USS memory consumed by the program will be computed and returned to the called function.

   For example:
   If we execute the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap

fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “T10I4D100K”
fp.oFile = “Output”
fp.minSup = 1000
fp.maxPer = 200
fp.startMine()
memoryUSS = fp.getMemoryUSS()
```

   output is displayed as follows:
   - periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using pfgrowth algorithm.
   - Total amount of USS memory consumed by the program will be computed and returned to the variable called ' **memoryUSS.**'

6. If we want to know the amount of RSS memory consumed by the pfgrowth algorithm:
   6.1. Complete the PFPM Process mentioned in **(1)**
   6.2. Then call the method **'getMemoryRSS'** using the following command:

```
iimport Pfgrowth as Myap
fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()
variable = fp.getMemoryRSS()
```

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
- Total amount of RSS memory consumed by the program will be computed and returned to the called function.

For example:
If we execute the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap

fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “T10I4D100K”
fp.oFile = “Output”
fp.minSup = 1000
fp.maxPer = 200
fp.startMine()
memoryRSS = fp.getMemoryRSS()
```

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
- Total amount of RSS memory consumed by the program will be computed and returned to the variable called ' **memoryRSS.**'

7. If we want to know the runtime taken by the pfgrowth algorithm created by us:
   7.1. Complete the PFPM Process mentioned in **(1)**
   7.2. Then call the method **'getRuntime'** using the following command:

```
import Pfgrowth as Myap
fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “input file name”
fp.oFile = “output file name”
fp.minSup = minimum support
fp.maxPer = maximum period
fp.startMine()
```

variable = fp.getRuntime()

output is displayed as follows:

- Periodic-frequent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
- Total runtime taken by the program in seconds will be computed and returned to the called function.

For example:
If we execute the following command:

import Pfgrowth as Myap

fp= Myap.Pfgrowth()
fp.iFile = “T10I4D100K”
fp.oFile = “Output”
fp.minSup = 1000
fp.maxPer = 200
fp.startMine()
run = fpgetRuntime()

output is displayed as follows:

- periodic-requent patterns were generated successfully using Pfgrowth algorithm.
- Total runtime taken by the program in seconds will be computed and returned to the variable called 'run.'