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**Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, May/June 08**  
**Data Mining and Warehousing**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note : Answer any FIVE full questions.

- 1 a. With a neat figure explain three-tier data warehouse architecture. (08 Marks)  
b. Explain with example, different OLAP operations in multidimensional data model. (08 Marks)  
c. Find number of cuboids for a data warehouse, which consists of 20 dimensions each with about five levels of granularity. (04 Marks)
- 2 a. Write a note on indexing OLAP data. Give examples. (06 Marks)  
b. A data warehouse consists of the three dimensions time, doctor and patient and two measures count and charge, where charge is the fee that a doctor charges a patient for a visit. Perform the following :  
i) Draw a star schema for above data warehouse  
ii) Starting with the base cuboid [day, doctor, patient], what specific OLAP operation should be performed to list the total fee collected by each doctor in 2007? (06 Marks)  
c. List different types of data transformation. Explain with examples variants of normalization. (08 Marks)
- 3 a. List and describe the five primitives for specifying a data mining task (08 Marks)  
b. Provide the definition of a following hierarchy of the schema  
date (day, month, quarter, year) and an  
item\_hierarchy (item\_ID, brand, type, place\_made, supplier), which is having two relations item and supplier using DMQL. (08 Marks)  
c. Briefly define four major types of concept hierarchy. (04 Marks)
- 4 a. A database has four transactions. Let min\_sup = 40% and min\_conf = 60%. Find all frequent item sets using Apriori algorithm. (10 Marks)

TID	Date	Items.bought
T <sub>100</sub>	10/15/07	{K, A, D, B}
T <sub>200</sub>	10/15/07	{D, A, C, E, B}
T <sub>300</sub>	10/19/07	{C, A, B, E}
T <sub>400</sub>	10/22/07	{B, A, D}

- b. Give and explain different approaches to mining multilevel association rules with example. (10 Marks)
- 5 a. Give and explain the algorithm for decision free induction. Write a decision tree for the concept buys\_computer. (10 Marks)  
b. What are Bayesian belief networks? Explain the concept by taking example of probability of getting lung cancer by considering the family history and smoker as parent nodes. (10 Marks)
- 6 a. Enumerate and briefly explain typical requirements of clustering in data mining. (10 Marks)  
b. Explain in detail balanced iterative reducing and clustering using hierarchies. Also draw Cluster Feature (CF) tree. (10 Marks)
- 7 a. What is conceptual clustering? Explain the concept of classification tree and draw the classification tree for animal data. (10 Marks)  
b. What is an outlier? Explain in brief different types of outlier detection. (10 Marks)
- 8 a. What are the parameters to be considered while choosing a data mining system? Explain. (10 Marks)  
b. What is the difference between direct query answering and Intelligent query answering? Suppose that a user requests the price, address and rating of hotels at a particular holiday location. Give examples of how these queries could be answered using both the methods. (10 Marks)