

# Statistics 202: Statistical Aspects of Data Mining

**Professor David Mease**

**Tuesday, Thursday 9:00-10:15 AM Terman 156**

**Lecture 8 = Finish chapter 6**

## Agenda:

- 1) Reminder about midterm exam (July 26)**
- 2) Reminder about homework (due **9AM** Tues)**
- 3) Lecture over rest of Chapter 6  
(sections 6.1 and 6.7)**
- 4) A few sample midterm questions**

# **Announcement – Midterm Exam:**

**The midterm exam will be Thursday, July 26**

**The best thing will be to take it in the classroom (9:00-10:15 AM in Terman 156)**

**For remote students who absolutely can not come to the classroom that day please email me to confirm arrangements with SCPD**

**You are allowed one 8.5 x 11 inch sheet (front and back) for notes**

**No books or computers are allowed, but please bring a hand held calculator**

**The exam will cover the material that we covered in class from Chapters 1,2,3 and 6**

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(see <http://scpd.stanford.edu/scpd/enrollInfo/policy/proctors/monitor.asp>)

I have heard from:

Catrina  
Jack C  
Steven V  
Jeff N  
Trent P  
Duyen N  
Jason E

If you are not one of these people, I will assume you will take the exam in the classroom unless you contact me and tell me otherwise

# Homework Assignment:

Chapter 3 Homework Part 2 and Chapter 6 Homework is due **9AM** Tuesday 7/24

Either email to me (dmease@stanford.edu), bring it to class, or put it under my office door.

SCPD students may use email or fax or mail.

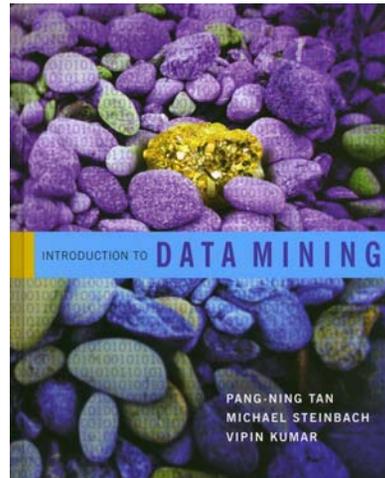
The assignment is posted at

<http://www.stats202.com/homework.html>

**Important:** If using email, please submit only a single file (word or pdf) with your name and chapters in the file name. Also, include your name on the first page.

# Introduction to Data Mining

by  
Tan, Steinbach, Kumar



## Chapter 6: Association Analysis

# What is Association Analysis:

- Association analysis uses a set of transactions to discover rules that indicate the likely occurrence of an item based on the occurrences of other items in the transaction

- Examples:

$\{\text{Diaper}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Beer}\},$   
 $\{\text{Milk, Bread}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Eggs, Coke}\}$   
 $\{\text{Beer, Bread}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Milk}\}$

<i>TID</i>	<i>Items</i>
1	Bread, Milk
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- Implication means co-occurrence, not causality!

# Definitions:

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## ● Itemset

- A collection of one or more items
- Example: {Milk, Bread, Diaper}
- k-itemset = An itemset that contains k items

## ● Support count ( $\sigma$ )

- Frequency of occurrence of an itemset
- E.g.  $\sigma(\{\text{Milk, Bread, Diaper}\}) = 2$

## ● Support

- Fraction of transactions that contain an itemset
- E.g.  $s(\{\text{Milk, Bread, Diaper}\}) = 2/5$

## ● Frequent Itemset

- An itemset whose support is greater than or equal to a *minsup* threshold

# Another Definition:

## ● Association Rule

–An implication expression of the form  $X \rightarrow Y$ , where  $X$  and  $Y$  are itemsets

–Example:

$\{\text{Milk, Diaper}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Beer}\}$

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# Even More Definitions:

## ● Association Rule Evaluation Metrics

### –Support (s)

=Fraction of transactions that contain both X and Y

### –Confidence (c)

=Measures how often items in Y appear in transactions that contain X

## ● Example:

{Milk, Diaper}  $\Rightarrow$  Beer

$$s = \frac{\sigma(\text{Milk, Diaper, Beer})}{|T|} = \frac{2}{5} = 0.4$$

$$c = \frac{\sigma(\text{Milk, Diaper, Beer})}{\sigma(\text{Milk, Diaper})} = \frac{2}{3} = 0.67$$

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## In class exercise #26:

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

Table 6.1. Example of market basket transactions.

Customer ID	Transaction ID	Items Bought
1	0001	{a, d, e}
1	0024	{a, b, c, e}
2	0012	{a, b, d, e}
2	0031	{a, c, d, e}
3	0015	{b, c, e}
3	0022	{b, d, e}
4	0029	{c, d}
4	0040	{a, b, c}
5	0033	{a, d, e}
5	0038	{a, b, e}

## In class exercise #27:

Use the results in the previous problem to compute the confidence for the association rules  $\{b, d\} \rightarrow \{a\}$  and  $\{a\} \rightarrow \{b, d\}$ . State what these values mean in plain English.

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Use the results in the previous problem to compute the confidence for the association rules  $\{b, d\} \rightarrow \{a\}$  and  $\{a\} \rightarrow \{b, d\}$ . State what these values mean in plain English.

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In class exercise #30:

The data [www.stats202.com/more\\_stats202\\_logs.txt](http://www.stats202.com/more_stats202_logs.txt) contains access logs from May 7, 2007 to July 1, 2007. Treating each row as a "market basket" find the support and confidence for the rule

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# An Association Rule Mining Task:

- **Given a set of transactions  $T$ , find all rules having both**
  - **support  $\geq$  minsup threshold**
  - **confidence  $\geq$  minconf threshold**
  
- **Brute-force approach:**
  - **List all possible association rules**
  - **Compute the support and confidence for each rule**
  - **Prune rules that fail the minsup and minconf thresholds**
  - **Problem: this is computationally prohibitive!**

# The Support and Confidence Requirements can be Decoupled

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$\{\text{Milk, Diaper}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Beer}\}$  (s=0.4, c=0.67)  
 $\{\text{Milk, Beer}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Diaper}\}$  (s=0.4, c=1.0)  
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 $\{\text{Milk}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Diaper, Beer}\}$  (s=0.4, c=0.5)

- All the above rules are binary partitions of the same itemset: {Milk, Diaper, Beer}
- Rules originating from the same itemset have identical support but can have different confidence
- Thus, we may decouple the support and confidence requirements

# Two Step Approach:

## 1) Frequent Itemset Generation

= Generate all itemsets whose support  $\geq$  minsup

## 2) Rule Generation

= Generate high confidence (confidence  $\geq$  minconf ) rules from each frequent itemset, where each rule is a binary partitioning of a frequent itemset

- Note: Frequent itemset generation is still computationally expensive and your book discusses algorithms that can be used

### In class exercise #31:

Use the two step approach to generate all rules having support  $\geq .4$  and confidence  $\geq .6$  for the transactions below.

Table 6.2. Market basket transactions.

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

# Drawback of Confidence

	Coffee	<u>Coffee</u>	
Tea	15	5	20
<u>Tea</u>	75	5	80
	90	10	100

**Association Rule: Tea  $\rightarrow$  Coffee**

**Confidence(Tea  $\rightarrow$  Coffee) =  $P(\text{Coffee}|\text{Tea}) = 0.75$**

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**Association Rule: Tea  $\rightarrow$  Coffee**

**Confidence(Tea  $\rightarrow$  Coffee) = P(Coffee|Tea) = 0.75**

**but support(Coffee) = P(Coffee) = 0.9**

**Although confidence is high, rule is misleading**

**confidence(Tea  $\rightarrow$  Coffee) = P(Coffee|Tea) = 0.9375**

# Other Proposed Metrics:

#	Measure	Formula
1	$\phi$ -coefficient	$\frac{P(A,B) - P(A)P(B)}{\sqrt{P(A)P(B)(1-P(A))(1-P(B))}}$
2	Goodman-Kruskal's ( $\lambda$ )	$\frac{\sum_j \max_k P(A_j, B_k) + \sum_k \max_j P(A_j, B_k) - \max_j P(A_j) - \max_k P(B_k)}{2 - \max_j P(A_j) - \max_k P(B_k)}$
3	Odds ratio ( $\alpha$ )	$\frac{P(A,B)P(\bar{A},\bar{B})}{P(A,\bar{B})P(\bar{A},B)}$
4	Yule's $Q$	$\frac{P(A,B)P(\bar{A}\bar{B}) - P(A,\bar{B})P(\bar{A},B)}{P(A,B)P(\bar{A}\bar{B}) + P(A,\bar{B})P(\bar{A},B)} = \frac{\alpha - 1}{\alpha + 1}$
5	Yule's $Y$	$\frac{\sqrt{P(A,B)P(\bar{A}\bar{B})} - \sqrt{P(A,\bar{B})P(\bar{A},B)}}{\sqrt{P(A,B)P(\bar{A}\bar{B})} + \sqrt{P(A,\bar{B})P(\bar{A},B)}} = \frac{\sqrt{\alpha - 1}}{\sqrt{\alpha + 1}}$
6	Kappa ( $\kappa$ )	$\frac{P(A,B) + P(\bar{A},\bar{B}) - P(A)P(B) - P(\bar{A})P(\bar{B})}{1 - P(A)P(B) - P(\bar{A})P(\bar{B})}$
7	Mutual Information ( $M$ )	$\frac{\sum_i \sum_j P(A_i, B_j) \log \frac{P(A_i, B_j)}{P(A_i)P(B_j)}}{\min(-\sum_i P(A_i) \log P(A_i), -\sum_j P(B_j) \log P(B_j))}$
8	J-Measure ( $J$ )	$\max \left( P(A, B) \log \left( \frac{P(B A)}{P(B)} \right) + P(\bar{A}\bar{B}) \log \left( \frac{P(\bar{B} \bar{A})}{P(\bar{B})} \right), \right. \\ \left. P(A, B) \log \left( \frac{P(A B)}{P(A)} \right) + P(\bar{A}B) \log \left( \frac{P(\bar{A} B)}{P(\bar{A})} \right) \right)$
9	Gini index ( $G$ )	$\max \left( P(A)[P(B A)^2 + P(\bar{B} A)^2] + P(\bar{A})[P(B \bar{A})^2 + P(\bar{B} \bar{A})^2] \right. \\ \left. - P(B)^2 - P(\bar{B})^2, \right. \\ \left. P(B)[P(A B)^2 + P(\bar{A} B)^2] + P(\bar{B})[P(A \bar{B})^2 + P(\bar{A} \bar{B})^2] \right. \\ \left. - P(A)^2 - P(\bar{A})^2 \right)$
10	Support ( $s$ )	$P(A, B)$
11	Confidence ( $c$ )	$\max(P(B A), P(A B))$
12	Laplace ( $L$ )	$\max \left( \frac{NP(A,B)+1}{NP(A)+2}, \frac{NP(A,B)+1}{NP(B)+2} \right)$
13	Conviction ( $V$ )	$\max \left( \frac{P(A)P(\bar{B})}{P(\bar{A}B)}, \frac{P(B)P(\bar{A})}{P(\bar{B}A)} \right)$
14	Interest ( $I$ )	$\frac{P(A,B)}{P(A)P(B)}$
15	cosine ( $IS$ )	$\frac{P(A,B)}{\sqrt{P(A)P(B)}}$
16	Piatetsky-Shapiro's ( $PS$ )	$P(A, B) - P(A)P(B)$
17	Certainty factor ( $F$ )	$\max \left( \frac{P(B A) - P(B)}{1 - P(B)}, \frac{P(A B) - P(A)}{1 - P(A)} \right)$
18	Added Value ( $AV$ )	$\max(P(B A) - P(B), P(A B) - P(A))$
19	Collective strength ( $S$ )	$\frac{P(A,B) + P(\bar{A}\bar{B})}{P(A)P(B) + P(\bar{A})P(\bar{B})} \times \frac{1 - P(A)P(B) - P(\bar{A})P(\bar{B})}{1 - P(A,B) - P(\bar{A}\bar{B})}$
20	Jaccard ( $\zeta$ )	$\frac{P(A,B)}{P(A) + P(B) - P(A,B)}$
21	Klogsen ( $K$ )	$\sqrt{P(A, B) \max(P(B A) - P(B), P(A B) - P(A))}$

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total	20

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- But, who is the better shooter if you *control for* the distance of the shot? Who would you rather have on your team?

	me		
	far	close	total
make	1	9	10
miss	3	7	10
total	4	16	20

	my friend		
	far	close	total
make	5	3	8
miss	10	2	12
total	15	5	20

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- It is possible that this relationship reverses direction when you *control for* the type of query (adult/non-adult). Which relationship is more relevant?

	good		
	adult	non-adult	total
long	1	9	10
short	3	7	10
total	4	16	20

	bad		
	adult	non-adult	total
long	5	3	8
short	10	2	12
total	15	5	20

# Sample Midterm Question #1:

**What is the definition of data mining used in your textbook?**

**A) the process of automatically discovering useful information in large data repositories**

**B) the computer-assisted process of digging through and analyzing enormous sets of data and then extracting the meaning of the data**

**C) an analytic process designed to explore data in search of consistent patterns and/or systematic relationships between variables, and then to validate the findings by applying the detected patterns to new subsets of data**

## Sample Midterm Question #2:

If height is measured as short, medium or tall then it is what kind of attribute?

- A) Nominal
- B) Ordinal
- C) Interval
- D) Ratio

## Sample Midterm Question #3:

If my data frame in R is called “data”, which of the following will give me the third column?

- A) data[2,]
- B) data[3,]
- C) data[,2]
- D) data[,3]
- E) data(2,)
- F) data(3,)
- G) data(,2)
- H) data(,3)

# Sample Midterm Question #4:

Compute the confidence for the association rule  $\{b, d\} \rightarrow \{a\}$  by treating each row as a market basket. Also, state what this value means in plain English.

Items Bought
$\{a, d, e\}$
$\{a, b, c, e\}$
$\{a, b, d, e\}$
$\{a, c, d, e\}$
$\{b, c, e\}$
$\{b, d, e\}$
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