Chapter 5: Mining Frequent Patterns, Association and Correlations: Basic Concepts and Methods

- Basic Concepts
- Frequent Itemset Mining Methods
- Which Patterns Are Interesting?—Pattern



Evaluation Methods

Summary

Interestingness Measure: Correlations (Lift)

- play basketball ⇒ eat cereal [40%, 66.7%] is misleading
 - The overall % of students eating cereal is 75% > 66.7%.
- play basketball \Rightarrow not eat cereal [20%, 33.3%] is more accurate, although with lower support and confidence
- Measure of dependent/correlated events: lift

$$lift = \frac{P(A \cup B)}{P(A)P(B)}$$

$$lift(B,C) = \frac{2000/5000}{3000/5000*3750/5000} = 0.89$$

	Basketball	Not basketball	Sum (row)
Cereal	2000	1750	3750
Not cereal	1000	250	1250
Sum(col.)	3000	2000	5000

$$lift(B, \neg C) = \frac{1000/5000}{3000/5000*1250/5000} = 1.33$$

Are *lift* and χ^2 Good Measures of Correlation?

- "Buy walnuts \Rightarrow buy milk [1%, 80%]" is misleading if 85% of customers buy milk
- Support and confidence are not good to indicate correlations
- Over 20 interestingness measures have been proposed (see Tan, Kumar, Sritastava @KDD'02)
- Which are good ones?

Are *lift* and χ^2 Good Measures of Correlation?

symbol	measure	range	formula
		-	P(A,B)-P(A)P(B)
ϕ	ϕ -coefficient	-11	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{P(A)P(B)(1-P(A))(1-P(B))}}$
Q	Yule's Q	-1 1	$P(A,B)P(\overline{A},\overline{B}) - P(A,\overline{B})P(\overline{A},B)$
9	Tule 5 Q	-11	$P(A,B)P(\overline{A},\overline{B})+P(A,\overline{B})P(\overline{A},B)$
Y	Yule's Y	$-1 \dots 1$	$\frac{\sqrt{P(A,B)P(\overline{A},\overline{B})} - \sqrt{P(A,\overline{B})P(\overline{A},B)}}{\sqrt{\overline{B}}}$
_			$ \sqrt{P(A,B)P(\overline{A},\overline{B})} + \sqrt{P(A,\overline{B})P(\overline{A},B)} P(A,B) + P(\overline{A},\overline{B}) - P(A)P(B) - P(\overline{A})P(\overline{B}) $
k	Cohen's	-11	$\frac{1(A,B)+\Gamma(A,B)-\Gamma(A)\Gamma(B)}{1-P(A)P(B)-P(\overline{A})P(\overline{B})}$
PS	Piatetsky-Shapiro's	-0.250.25	P(A,B) - P(A)P(B)
F	Certainty factor	$-1 \dots 1$	$\max(\frac{P(B A) - P(B)}{1 - P(B)}, \frac{P(A B) - P(A)}{1 - P(A)})$
AV	added value	$-0.5 \dots 1$	$\max(P(B A) - P(B), P(A B) - P(A))$
K	Klosgen's Q	-0.33 0.38	$\sqrt{P(A,B)}\max(P(B A) - P(B), P(A B) - P(A))$
g	Goodman-kruskal's	$0 \dots 1$	$\frac{\sqrt{P(A,B)} \max(P(B A) - P(B), P(A B) - P(A))}{\sum_{j} \max_{k} P(A_{j},B_{k}) + \sum_{k} \max_{j} P(A_{j},B_{k}) - \max_{j} P(A_{j}) - \max_{k} P(B_{k})}{2 - \max_{j} P(A_{j}) - \max_{k} P(B_{k})}$ $\frac{\sum_{i} \sum_{j} P(A_{i},B_{j}) \log \frac{P(A_{i},B_{j})}{P(A_{i})P(B_{J})}}{\min(-\sum_{i} P(A_{i}) \log P(A_{i}) \log P(A_{i}), -\sum_{i} P(B_{i}) \log P(B_{i}) \log P(B_{i})}$
			$\sum_{k} P(A_{j}) - \max_{k} P(B_{k})$ $P(A_{i}, B_{j})$
M	Mutual Information	$0 \dots 1$	$\frac{\sum_{i} \sum_{j} P(A_{i}, B_{j}) \log \frac{P(A_{i}) P(B_{j})}{P(A_{i}) P(B_{i}) \log \frac{P(B_{i}) \log P(B_{i})}{P(B_{i}) \log \frac{P(B_{i}) \log P(B_{i})}{P(B_{i}) \log P(B_{i})}}$
J	J-Measure	$0 \dots 1$	$\max(P(A, B) \log(\frac{P(B A)}{P(B)}) + P(A\overline{B}) \log(\frac{P(B A)}{P(\overline{B})}))$
			$\Gamma(B)$
			$P(A, B) \log(\frac{P(A B)}{P(A)}) + P(\overline{A}B) \log(\frac{P(\overline{A} B)}{P(\overline{A})})$
G	Gini index	$0 \dots 1$	$\max(P(A)[P(B A)^2 + P(\overline{B} A)^2] + P(\overline{A}[P(B \overline{A})^2 + P(\overline{B} \overline{A})^2] - P(B)^2 - P(\overline{B})^2,$
			$P(B)[P(A B)^{2} + P(\overline{A} B)^{2}] + P(\overline{B}[P(A \overline{B})^{2} + P(\overline{A} \overline{B})^{2}] - P(A)^{2} - P(\overline{A})^{2})$
s	support	$0 \dots 1$	P(A,B)
c	confidence	$0 \dots 1$	max(P(B A), P(A B))
L	Laplace	$0 \dots 1$	$\max(\frac{NP(A,B)+1}{NP(A)+2}, \frac{NP(A,B)+1}{NP(B)+2})$
IS	Cosine	$0 \dots 1$	$\frac{P(A,B)}{\sqrt{P(A)P(B)}}$
γ	coherence(Jaccard)	0 1	$\frac{P(A,B)}{P(A)+P(B)-P(A,B)}$
α	all_confidence	$0 \dots 1$	$\frac{P(A,B)}{\max(P(A),P(B))}$
o	odds ratio	$0 \dots \infty$	$\frac{P(A,B)P(\overline{A},\overline{B})}{P(\overline{A},B)P(A,\overline{B})}$
V	Conviction	$0.5\ldots\infty$	$\max\left(\frac{P(A)P(\overline{B})}{P(A\overline{B})}, \frac{P(B)P(\overline{A})}{P(B\overline{A})}\right)$
λ	lift	$0 \dots \infty$	$\frac{P(A,B)}{P(A)P(B)}$
S	Collective strength	$0 \dots \infty$	$\frac{P(A,B)+P(\overline{AB})}{P(A)P(B)+P(\overline{A})P(\overline{B})} \times \frac{1-P(A)P(B)-P(\overline{A})P(\overline{B})}{1-P(A,B)-P(\overline{AB})}$
χ^2	χ^2	$0 \dots \infty$	$\sum_{i} \frac{(P(A_{i}) - E_{i})^{2}}{E_{i}}$

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- Basic concepts: association rules, supportconfident framework, closed and max-patterns
- Scalable frequent pattern mining methods
 - Apriori (Candidate generation & test)
 - Projection-based (FPgrowth, CLOSET+, ...)
 - Vertical format approach (ECLAT, CHARM, ...)

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