

Identifying The Attributes That Affect Student Performance using Machine Learning

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Abstract- The field of education has been revolutionized by advancements in big data techniques, enabling educators to gain precise and timely insights into students' behavioral patterns. This newfound capability is invaluable for identifying specific student groups that require targeted attention and transitioning from relying solely on qualitative empirical knowledge to incorporating scientific quantitative analysis in student affairs management.

To fully harness the potential of this revolution, a meticulously developed system was implemented to apply data mining's clustering method in analyzing the campus network behavior of 3,245 students in a particular grade at B University. Over a careful four-year period, a comprehensive dataset comprising 23.843 million Internet access records was collected. Through thorough analysis, it was discovered that the students could be categorized into four distinct groups based on their unique patterns of Internet access. Notably, the study successfully identified 350 students who exhibited remarkably high levels of network usage, allowing for a comprehensive examination of how their academic performance and other achievements were influenced.

This research, driven by the power of data, provides a practical and tangible demonstration of effectively utilizing data science in student affairs management. It presents compelling evidence that supports the accurate and scientific development of student affairs management practices by providing robust data support and generating invaluable insights.

Index Terms- Machine Learning , Naïve Baiyes , Eclat Algorithm

I. INTRODUCTION

Problem statement

The education sector faces a complex challenge in understanding how various factors impact students' learning behavior and academic performance. Within the current system, monitoring and comprehending students' characteristics and behavior present significant obstacles. Unfortunately, there is currently a scarcity of automated solutions or tools capable of accurately predicting or offering suggestions to enhance students' academic performance.

However, it remains vital to establish correlations between the factors influencing student performance and their academic outcomes to meet the demands of the modern education sector.

Aim and Objectives

The main goal is to swiftly and accurately identify behavior patterns among students, facilitating the timely recognition of specific student groups that require focused attention. Neglecting the analysis of on-campus behavior can have negative consequences on students' academic achievements and overall performance. The system integrates various parameters, such as attendance, extracurricular activities, grades, technical skills, previous semester results, grasping capability, aptitude grade, and interaction with lecturers. By leveraging the data science technique called "Association Learning," the system aids lecturers in determining the most influential factors that impact student performance. It utilizes algorithms like "Apriori", "Apriori TID" or "Eclat" to uncover relevant patterns. Designed as a real-time application, the proposed system offers valuable support to colleges and lecturers in understanding students' behavioral patterns.

Existing methods

While the Student Management System efficiently manages essential student academic information, such as marks, attendance, admissions, fees, sports, and placement records, it lacks the capacity to provide insights into students' health concerns. In contrast,

the General Counseling system relies on manual counseling sessions conducted by college staff to address students' issues. However, this process can be time-consuming and heavily reliant on human intervention. Additionally, Human Advisors, who possess expertise in offering guidance and suggestions, rely on a manual system that necessitates time, experience, and financial resources.

These systems have limitations, including being time-consuming, dependent on experienced individuals, and requiring expert involvement. Furthermore, manual advising may introduce inaccuracies, leading to reduced overall efficiency in the process.

Limitations of existing methods

There are some unclear points that need further study. For instance, cluster 2 (20 students) showed “low” level on related self-efficacy (sef01, sef05, and sef08 = 2) but was a “pass” group.

Cluster 6 (14 students) possessed "middle" level on the same attributes (sef01, sef05, and sef08 = 3) while belonging to "fail" group. One possible explanation may be due to the small size of the sample. For ML models, collecting more participants to improve the performance of the model should be meaningful for future work. Also, adding more valuable parameters such as the learning style of individual students to the model is worth exploring.

Algorithms generate graphical outputs, not suitable for real time. Requires very huge amount of data as it uses data mining techniques v Accepts only 2 labels.

Takes more time for processing data.

Proposed solution

The main goal is to accurately and promptly identify patterns of behavior among students, with a specific emphasis on identifying groups of students that require timely attention. Neglecting the analysis of campus behavior can have negative consequences for students' achievements and overall performance. The system incorporates a wide range of parameters, including attendance status, extracurricular activities, grades, technical skills, previous semester results, grasping capability, aptitude grade, and interaction with lecturers. Through the implementation of the data science technique known as "Association Learning," the system supports lecturers in identifying the key factors that have a significant impact on student performance. It employs algorithms such as "Apriori", "Apriori TID" or "Eclat" to uncover relevant patterns. Designed as a real-time application, the proposed system provides valuable insights to colleges and lecturers regarding students' behavior patterns.

II. LITERATURE STUDIES

An Intelligent Student Advising System Using Collaborative Filtering

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The intelligent student advising online application we propose utilizes collaborative filtering, a widely used technique in recommendation systems. Collaborative filtering works on the assumption that users who have similar characteristics and behaviors tend to share similar preferences. In our system, students are grouped together based on their similarities, enabling personalized advice that caters to the characteristics and preferences of their respective groups. For example, if a student shares similarities with a particular group of students, the system can suggest a course that is preferred by that specific group.

However, it is important to acknowledge certain limitations of our system. Firstly, the system primarily focuses on predicting suitable courses for students and may not accurately predict student outcomes. Secondly, not all student behaviors are directly linked to course advising, which implies that there may be additional factors influencing a student's academic success that our system does not consider.

Lastly, the grouping process may encounter limitations due to inadequate data, potentially leading to constraints in the course recommendations provided by the system.

Mining Students' Data for Performance Prediction

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Accurately predicting student performance holds immense importance in educational settings, as it encompasses a wide array of factors including personal, social, psychological, and environmental variables. Data mining has emerged as a promising tool to achieve this goal by uncovering hidden patterns and relationships within extensive datasets, thereby aiding decision-making processes. The education sector possesses vast amounts of data containing valuable information, making it necessary to leverage information and communication technology for efficient and cost-effective data capture and compilation. As educational databases continue to grow rapidly, the management and processing of student data become crucial for understanding loyal students and establishing effective connections with prospective students.

However, it is crucial to recognize certain limitations. Firstly, the system primarily relies on student behaviors to predict student performance, which may not be suitable for accurately predicting class results. Secondly, the inclusion of various irrelevant parameters, such as the father's income, mother's income, and qualifications, in student performance prediction may lead to less precise outcomes.

III. SYSTEM REQUIREMENT SPECIFICATION

Functional Requirements:

The admin should be able to log in to the application using their admin ID and password.

The admin should have the ability to add students from different departments to the system.

The admin should be able to set unique IDs and passwords for individual students.

The admin should be able to manage the training datasets used in the project.

The core module of the system should find the relationship between student parameters and performance using

unsupervised learning techniques.

The admin should be able to view students' queries and send replies.

Users should be able to log in by specifying their student ID and password.

Users should have the ability to post queries to the admin if needed.

Non-Functional Requirements:

Availability: The system should be browser-based and available 24/7, allowing access from different locations.

Reliability: The application should provide services according to users' satisfaction and interests, meeting their requirements and being user-friendly, ensuring reliability compared to other applications.

Scalability: The system should be scalable, capable of handling dynamic data using data science techniques. Any changes in data should not require modifications to the coding, and the system should generate output based on the data provided.

Security: The system should be browser-based and deployed on a secure server. Only authorized users should have access to the servers, and the data should be stored securely in SQL server with appropriate authentication measures.

Performance: The system should use data science techniques and efficient coding practices, such as advanced concepts in C#, to ensure high performance and efficiency.

Quality of Service: Regular updates and easy maintenance are vital elements of the software. It is essential to design the application with a focus on flexibility, allowing for seamless integration of future modifications and enhancements.

Hardware Requirements :

Processor - Pentium IV onwards Processor Speed - 2.4GHz RAM -2GB+

Hard disk space -40GB+

Standard PC Configuration to carry challenging computation System Design

Software Requirements :

Operating System – Windows XP Version and higher Design Tool – Visual Studio 2010

Front End – ASP.NET 4.0 Language – C#

SQL Server

Data Access Technology - ADO.NET

IV. TOOLS AND TECHNOLOGIES

Microsoft has built a strong reputation for introducing state-of-the-art technologies, often accompanied by jargon that can be perplexing. One such technology is .NET, which is not a standalone application but rather a collection of technologies bundled together under a unified term. The .NET Framework is composed of multiple components, which encompass well-known programming languages like C# and VB .NET. Additionally, it incorporates ASP.NET, which serves as a hosting engine for the creation of dynamic web pages and web services. Furthermore, ADO.NET offers a sturdy model for interacting with databases, while developers can take advantage of a comprehensive class library that provides a diverse set of tools for tasks such as file manipulation and XML parsing.

The primary objective of the .NET Framework is to streamline the deployment of applications across enterprises and facilitate scalability to cater to varying requirements. It plays a pivotal role in contemporary programming environments, offering versatility for a wide range of development purposes. Similar to other Microsoft products, the .NET framework is renowned for its user-friendly nature, simplifying application development and enhancement when leveraging .NET technologies.

Microsoft has introduced C# (pronounced as C Sharp) as a new programming language within the comprehensive .NET Framework. C# represents a significant advancement in programming languages, characterized by its modernity, object-oriented approach, and emphasis on type safety. Developed by Microsoft specifically for the .NET Framework, C# combines established features with cutting-edge innovations, providing an efficient and user-friendly solution for programming across diverse computing environments, including Windows and the Internet.

C# is meticulously designed to leverage the capabilities of the Microsoft .NET platform, which encompasses a wide range of tools and services for computing and communication. Evolving from the foundations of C and C++, C# brings platform independence, enabling seamless execution on major hardware and software platforms.

In contrast to its predecessors, C# not only offers support for object-oriented principles but also enforces them at the language level. Moreover, C# places a strong emphasis on security by integrating security measures directly into the language, ensuring a robust programming framework. Simplicity is a key feature of C#. Building upon the syntax and features of C++, C# eliminates elements that contribute to errors and program complexity. It introduces numerous language features that surpass the capabilities of C and C++, including built-in support for multithreading, which was absent in the older

languages. Let's explore ASP.NET, a powerful server-side technology renowned for its ability to develop dynamic web pages. It plays a vital role as a key component of the comprehensive .NET framework, serving as a versatile toolkit for creating various applications, particularly those intended for the web.

ASP.NET excels in enhancing developer productivity by combining programming ease, language flexibility, and a comprehensive class framework. It ensures exceptional performance and scalability through compiled execution and output caching. Additionally, ASP.NET places a strong emphasis on reliability, actively preventing memory leaks, deadlocks, and offering crash protection. This technology streamlines deployment and enables dynamic application updates.

There are numerous advantages to using ASP.NET. It seamlessly integrates with the .NET framework, granting access to a wide range of features such as multi-language support, compiled code, automatic memory management, and an extensive .NET base class library.

By leveraging ASP.NET, developers can create robust functionality driven by databases, enhance web application performance through compiled code and caching, and benefit from the flexibility of supporting multiple programming languages.

In the realm of internet applications and database access, Microsoft provides ADO.NET as the data access model. ADO.NET facilitates smooth interaction with relational databases and other data sources. ASP.NET applications utilize ADO.NET to establish communication with databases, utilizing optimized namespaces tailored for various data providers, including Microsoft SQL Server, OLEDB, ODBC, and Oracle.

Among the offerings of Microsoft SQL Server 2005, SQL Server Express stands out as a distinct version. It offers a free, user-friendly, and streamlined edition of SQL Server. SQL Server Express caters to the needs of small businesses with limited resources, nonprofessional developers, and individuals involved in web or client application development. It serves as an excellent training tool for the full version of SQL Server and is particularly well-suited for web application development, especially when combined with Visual Web Developer Express and Visual Basic Express.

V. SYSTEM DESIGN

The design phase is a critical step in planning a solution for the outlined requirements. It acts as a vital link between the problem domain and the solution domain, guiding the fulfillment of the specified needs. The quality of the software depends greatly on the system's design, which significantly impacts subsequent phases like testing and maintenance.

During the design phase, three key deliverables are typically produced: architecture design, high-level design, and detailed design.

Architecture Design: This stage involves understanding the system as a composition of components and their interactions. It includes identifying the major components or subsystems and establishing their connections, with a particular focus on the essential components.

High-Level Design: In this stage, the necessary modules for system development are identified, along with their specifications. Key aspects such as major data structures, file formats, and output formats are determined. The primary objective is to identify the core modules required.

Detailed Design: This phase entails specifying the internal logic of each module. It provides a detailed understanding of how the logic for each module will be implemented in the software.

Design methodologies are systematic approaches that leverage techniques and guidelines to create effective designs. Many methodologies place significant emphasis on high-level design.

In the mentioned project, a three-tier architecture is employed, consisting of the following layers:

Data Layer: This layer is responsible for retrieving data from the database and serving it to the application. It is often implemented as a separate component to enable logical data reuse and enhance maintainability.

Business Layer: The business layer acts as an intermediary between the data layer and the presentation layer. It validates input conditions, ensures data integrity, and applies business rules to make informed decisions about the data. Centralizing logic in this layer maximizes reusability.

Presentation Layer: This layer encompasses the user interface (UI) of the application, such as an ASP.NET website or a Windows Forms application. It is the layer through which users directly interact with the system and plays a crucial role in delivering a positive user experience. Effective design of the presentation layer is essential for ensuring user satisfaction.

By adopting a three-tier architecture, the project achieves separation of concerns, improves maintainability, promotes reusability, and ensures a clear division of responsibilities among different layers.

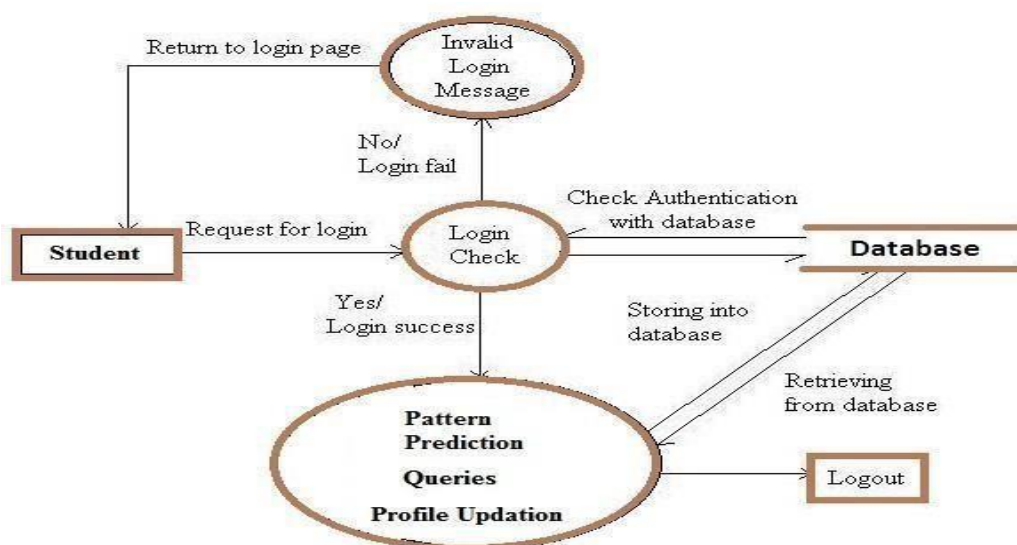


In the system architecture, the presentation tier plays a crucial role in managing the User Interface (UI) elements of the site and facilitating interactions between visitors and the client's business. It commonly utilizes technologies like ASP.NET Web Forms, Web User Controls, and ASP.NET Master Pages.

The business tier is responsible for receiving requests from the presentation tier and applying the necessary business logic to process them. It consists of C# classes that handle the requested operations and deliver the resulting outcomes back to the presentation tier.

The data tier takes on the responsibility of storing the application's data and providing it to the business tier as required. SQL Server Stored Procedures are frequently employed in this architecture to interact with the database, ensuring efficient data retrieval and updates.

As we transition to the high-level design phase, the use of a Data Flow Diagram (DFD) becomes instrumental in visually illustrating the flow of data throughout the information system. The DFD serves as a graphical representation, showcasing how data items move between external data sources, internal data stores, and the system's processes.



DFDs primarily emphasize visualizing the flow and transformation of data, rather than emphasizing the timing or sequence of operations. They employ symbols to represent distinct components:

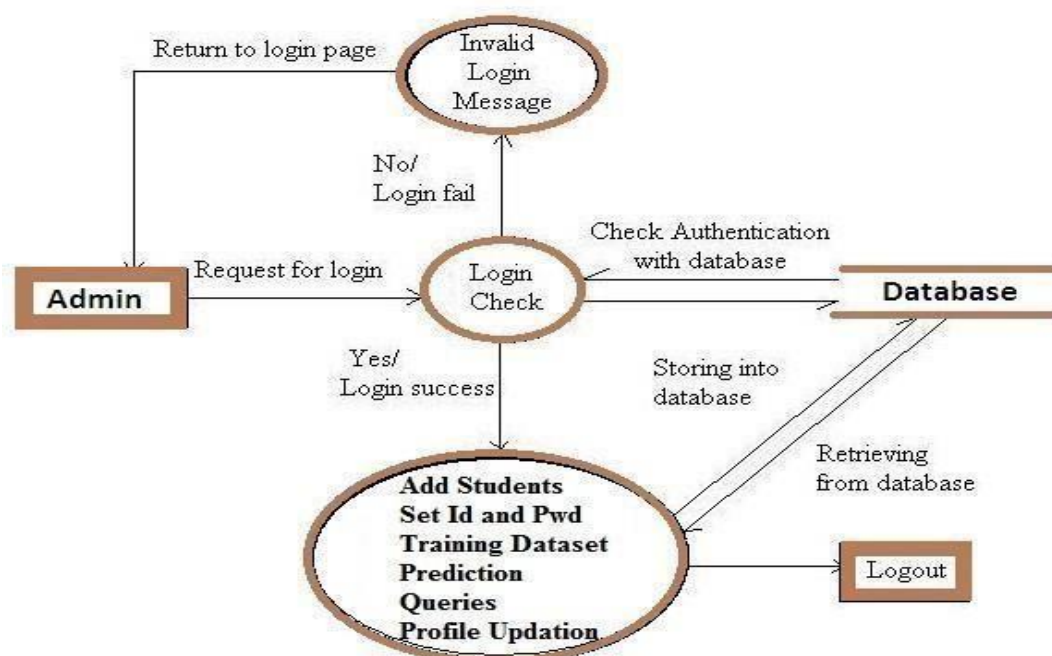
Processes: These components represent the transformation of data values and can be seen as functions without side effects.

Data Flows: These connections establish links between the output of one object or process and the input of another, visually capturing the intermediate data values involved in the computation. Data flows are represented using labeled arrows.

Actors: Actors are active objects that drive the data flow graph by producing or consuming data values. They are connected to the inputs and outputs of the data flow and serve as sources and sinks of data.

Data Store: A data store is a passive object within the DFD that serves as a repository for storing data, ensuring it can be accessed when needed. It does not perform operations autonomously but responds to requests for storing or retrieving data.

To summarize, during the high-level design phase, the creation of a Data Flow Diagram provides a visual representation of the data flow within the system. It encompasses processes, data flows, actors, and data stores, with a focus on illustrating the movement and transformation of data.

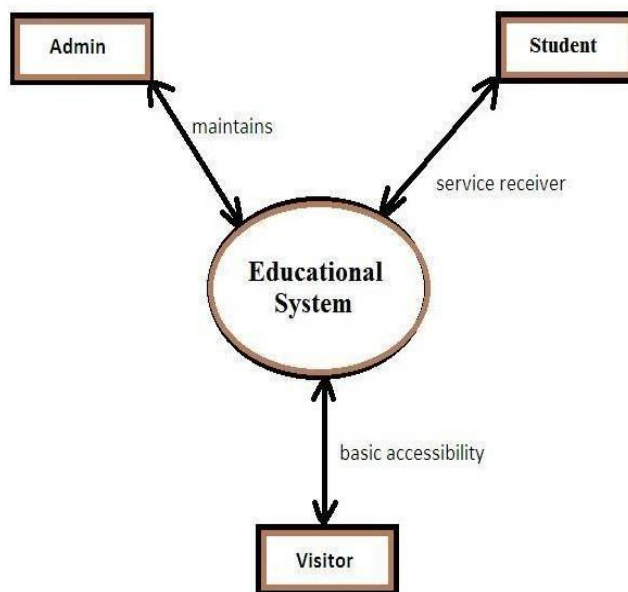


In the design process, it is common to begin by creating a context-level Data Flow Diagram (DFD) that illustrates how the system interacts with external agents as data sources or recipients. The context diagram, also known as the 'Level 0 DFD,' presents the system as a single process and focuses on the flow of data across the system boundary. Its primary purpose is to provide an overview of the system's interaction with the external environment while maintaining the confidentiality of

its internal structure.

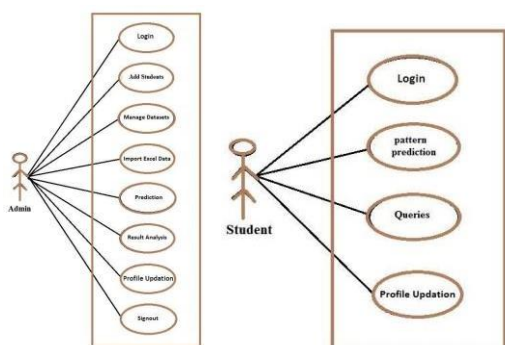
Subsequently, the design process proceeds to develop a Level 1 DFD, which offers more detailed information about the system being analyzed. The Level 1 DFD decomposes the system into subsystems (processes) responsible for handling specific data flows to or from external agents. These subsystems collectively perform all the necessary functions of the system. Moreover, the Level 1 DFD identifies essential internal data stores required for the system's operation and visually represents the flow of data between different system components.

The Level 1 DFD represents the primary processes and their relationships within the system, providing a higher level of detail compared to the context diagram. It ensures consistency with the context diagram in terms of external entities and data flows while allowing for further decomposition and elaboration of those components. This enables a more comprehensive understanding of the system's internal operations.



During the detailed design phase, it is customary to employ a use case diagram to visually depict the system's functionality. This diagram, which belongs to the Unified Modeling Language (UML) and falls under the category of behavioral diagrams, provides an overview of the system's features by illustrating actors, their goals (represented as use cases), and the relationships between them. The primary goal of a use case diagram is to present the system functions performed for each actor and illustrate the actors' roles within the system. However, interactions among actors are typically not included in the diagram. If these interactions are essential for a comprehensive description of the desired system behavior, it may be necessary to reconsider the system or use case boundaries. Alternatively, assumptions about actor interaction can be incorporated into the use cases. Use cases, depicted as horizontal ellipses, describe a series of actions that deliver value to an actor. Actors can be individuals, organizations, or external systems that play a role in one or more interactions with the system.

To define the system's scope, a rectangular box called the system boundary is drawn around the use cases. This box helps distinguish the functionality that falls within the system's scope (inside the box) from the functionality that lies outside the system's scope (outside the box).



VI. SYSTEM IMPLEMENTATION

This web application is developed using object-oriented programming, which allows for the modularization of programs by separating data and functions into distinct memory areas. This approach facilitates the creation of module copies as needed.

The object-oriented paradigm focuses on data rather than procedures and organizes programs into objects. It designs data structures to define object characteristics and links methods that operate on object data within the data structure. This paradigm enables communication between objects through methods, allows for easy addition of new data and methods, follows a bottom-up approach in program design, and hides data from external functions.

The project follows a three-tier architecture, with ASP.NET employed for the presentation layer, C# classes for the business logic layer, a Table Adapter for the data tier, and MS SQL Server 2005 serving as the backend database. Machine learning (ML) methodology plays a crucial role in developing systems capable of learning from data. The three main types of ML are supervised machine learning, which relies on labeled input examples; unsupervised machine learning, which focuses on discovering patterns without labels; and semi-supervised machine learning, which combines aspects of both supervised and unsupervised learning. Association learning is a widely recognized data science technique that aims to identify correlations between items. It involves establishing connections between items of the same type to discover patterns. For example, market-basket analysis tracks purchasing habits to uncover relationships between products. In this project, the Apriori Algorithm/Eclat Algorithm is employed as an association learning algorithm to predict the relationship between student behavior and performance using educational datasets.

Eclat Algorithm

1. Get tidlist for each item (DB scan)
2. Tidlist of {a} is exactly the list of transactions containing {a}
3. Intersect tidlist of {a} with the tidlists of all other items, resulting in tidlists of {a,b}, {a,c}, {a,d}, ... = {a}-conditional database (if {a} removed)
4. Repeat from 1 on {a}-conditional database
5. Repeat for all other items

Sample Example

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Minimum Support Count = 2 Minimum Confidence = 80%

T I D	Item sets
T 1	A,C,D
T 2	A,C,E
T 3	A,B,C,E
T 4	B,E

Item set A, B, C, D, and E - Student parameters and results

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GENERATE CONFIDENCE:

RULE X - RULE Y	CONFIDENCE
{A} - {C}	100.00%
{C} - {A}	100.00%
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STRONG ASSOCIATION RULE:

- {B} --> {E}
- {CE} --> {A}
- {AE} --> {C}
- {A} --> {C}
- {C} --> {A}

Classification Technique :

Classification is the process of creating a model or function that can differentiate and describe different data classes or concepts. This model is built by analyzing a training dataset with known class labels, enabling the prediction of class labels for new or unfamiliar data objects.

For instance, let's consider a scenario where the sales manager of All Electronics wants to categorize items in the store based on their response to a sales campaign, classifying them as having a good response, mild response, or no response. Descriptive features like price, brand, place of manufacture, type, and category are utilized to construct a model for each class.

The ultimate objective is to develop an effective classification model that accurately separates each class, providing a structured representation of the dataset.

The Naïve Bayes algorithm is a widely employed method for classification and follows these steps:

1. Retrieving Data: Gather the required data from storage servers, such as databases or cloud storage.
2. Calculating Probabilities: Compute the probabilities of each attribute value using a specific formula. This formula takes into account the different classes present in the dataset.
3. Probability Formula: Apply the formula $P(\text{attribute value}(a_i) | \text{subject value}(v_j)) = \frac{(n_c + mp)}{(n + m)}$, where: n represents the number of training examples where $v = v_j$. n_c represents the number of examples where $v = v_j$ and $a = a_i$. p is an a priori estimate for $P(a_i | v_j)$. m is the equivalent sample size.
4. Multiplying Probabilities: Multiply the calculated probabilities by p . The results for each attribute are multiplied by p , yielding final values that are utilized for classification.
5. Classification: Compare the obtained values and assign the attribute values to predefined classes.

In summary, classification involves developing a model based on known class labels and using it to predict the class labels of unknown data objects. The Naïve Bayes algorithm follows these steps to calculate probabilities and perform classifications based on them.

Sample Example Parameters [m=3] Gender Family_Issues Financial_Issues

Outcomes – Bad, Good [p=1/2=0.5] New Student data – Akash

Parameters (Gender - Male, Family_Issues - Yes, Financial_Issues - No) Outcome = ?

Naive Bayes works based on probability calculation, It uses

Name	Gender	Family Issues	Financial Issues	Result
Anil	Male	Yes	Yes	Bad
Ajay	Male	No	No	Bad
Arun	Female	Yes	No	Good
Kumar	Female	Yes	Yes	Bad
Naveen	Male	No	No	Good

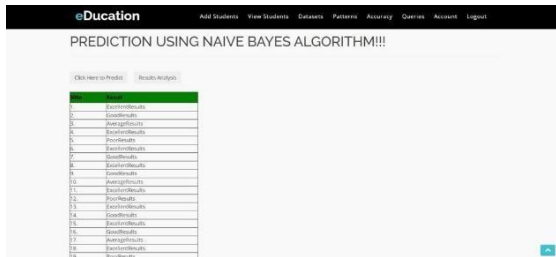
Formula; $P = \frac{[n_c + (m * p)]}{(n+m)}$

BAD	GOOD
<p>Male</p> <p>$P = \frac{[n_c + (m * p)]}{(n+m)}$ n=3,</p> <p>n_c=2,m=3,p=0.5</p> <p>$p = \frac{[2+(3*0.5)]}{(3+3)}$ p=0.58</p>	<p>Male</p> <p>$P = \frac{[n_c + (m * p)]}{(n+m)}$</p> <p>n=3,n_c=1,m=3,p=0.5</p> <p>$p = \frac{[1+(3*0.5)]}{(3+3)}$ p=0.41</p>
<p>Yes</p> <p>$P = \frac{[n_c + (m * p)]}{(n+m)}$ n=3,</p> <p>n_c=2,m=3,p=0.5</p> <p>$p = \frac{[2+(3*0.5)]}{(3+3)}$</p> <p>p=0.58</p>	<p>Yes</p> <p>$P = \frac{[n_c + (m * p)]}{(n+m)}$</p> <p>n=3,n_c=1,m=3,p=0.5</p> <p>$p = \frac{[1+(3*0.5)]}{(3+3)}$ p=0.41</p>
<p>No $P = \frac{[n_c + (m * p)]}{(n+m)}$</p> <p>n=3,n_c=1,m=3,p=0.5</p> <p>$p = \frac{[1+(3*0.5)]}{(3+3)}$</p> <p>p=0.41</p>	<p>No</p> <p>$P = \frac{[n_c + (m * p)]}{(n+m)}$</p> <p>n=3,</p> <p>n_c=2,m=3,p=0.5</p> <p>$p = \frac{[2+(3*0.5)]}{(3+3)}$ p=0.58</p>

Bad – $0.58 * 0.58 * 0.41 * 0.5$ (p) =0.068

Good– $0.41 * 0.41 * 0.58 * 0.5$ (p)=0.048

So this new student is classified to Bad Since Bad > Good



The above table show the result analysis of the student academic performance using naive bayes algorithm. The accuracy of the algorithm for the performance we performed is 99%.

VIII CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORK

Analyzing students' learning behavior and academic performance in the education sector is a complex task. To tackle this challenge, the proposed system utilizes "Association Learning," a data science technique. Specifically, the system applies the "Eclat algorithm" to uncover patterns and associations among various factors.

The system serves as a real-time application, providing substantial benefits to colleges and lecturers. It offers valuable insights into students' behavior patterns, enabling the identification of influential factors that affect their academic performance. This knowledge empowers lecturers to gain a deeper understanding of their students and make informed decisions to support their learning journey.

To further enhance the system, incorporating additional training datasets would unveil more relevant patterns. Additionally, exploring alternative algorithms and comparing their results would help determine the most effective algorithm for identifying students' behavior patterns. These improvements would significantly boost the system's accuracy and effectiveness, delivering valuable insights to educators.

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