



Enhancement In Data Mining Using Fuzzy Associative Rule-Based Strategy

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Abstract:

The latest new approach for data mining implementation of Associative Rule Mining with Fuzzy Logic. The Combination is announced through Fuzzy Associative Rule Mining (Fuzzy ARM). This helps in decision-making for the given Complex problems. Associative Rule mining is one of the widely used technique for data mining.

In this research paper, Fuzzy approach used with Associative rule mining technique which increase the power of Decision making. Using Fuzzy logic predictions are made more reliable than conventional methods. Improved Associative Rule based Fuzzy Algorithm to predict the risk involved in identifying disease which is through fuzzy based C-Means clustering concept adopted to discover inference knowledge from frequent patterns.[1]

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I. INTRODUCTION

Data mining is an approach to extract data with efficient and reliable way from huge amount of data in database. It become difficult to analyze patterns for extract if volume is high. The mining means sorting the large dataset to identify the patterns and relationships in it. It can also help in problem-solving in the data analysis process. There are four stages in data mining. They are data sources, data exploration, Modeling, and deploying models. This technique is used in many fields such as mathematics, cybernetics, genetics, education, sports, medicine, marketing, etc.; web mining is a type of data mining used in customer relationship management. It also consist of parameters like association rule mining, sequence or path analysis, classification, clustering, and data forecasting.[2]

Fuzzy logic in data mining involves computation of data based on predictive models and its categories. In the traditional method this was done with “TRUE” or “FALSE”. Algorithms using Fuzzy logic have increased the power of decision making.[3]

II. WHAT IS ASSOCIATIVE RULE MINING?

Association Rule Mining :

Definition 1: Let PT be a set of patients, which contains different patients PT1, PT2, PT3,.....PTn which may occur in different transactions, $PT = \{PT1, PT2, PT3, \dots, PTn\}$.

Definition 2: Let ST sets of symptoms contains different symptoms $ST1, ST2, ST3, \dots, STm$: $ST = \{ST1, ST2, ST3, \dots, STm\}$ where $ST \subseteq PT$ in transactional data base DB.

Definition 3: An association rule represented in the form of an implication of $ST1 \rightarrow ST2$ where $ST1, ST2 \subset ST, ST1 \cap ST2 = \phi$, ST1 is called the antecedent and ST2 is called consequent. Support (ST) of an association rule is defined as the percentage of records that contain the total number of records in the database.[4]

$Support, ST(ST1 \rightarrow ST2) = Supp (ST1 \cup ST2)$

III. INFERENCE RULE MINING

The inference engine is a software tool that deduces new knowledge or fact by using domain fact knowledge to discover inference knowledge. Basically, it is one of the logic unit in the expert system.[5] It uses general rules of inference to reason from the knowledge base and draw conclusion which are not explicitly stated but can be inferred from the knowledge base. Let S be the set of symptoms contains different symptoms $S_1, S_2, S_3, S_4, S_5, \dots, S_n$ and DIS is the set of disease D_1, D_2, D_3, D_4 . Suppose that we have following rules:

- $R1: IF S = (S_1, S_3, S_5) Then DIS=D_1$
- $R2: IF S = (S_2, S_4, S_5) Then DIS=D_2$
- $R3: IF S = (S_1, S_2, S_5) Then DIS=D_3$
- $R4: IF S = (S_3, S_5) Then DIS=D_4$

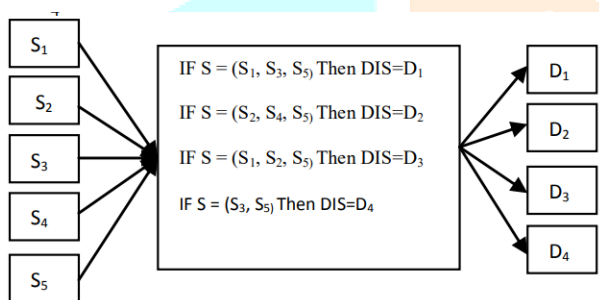


Fig 1.1 Inference System

IV. C-MEANS FUZZY LOGIC

The fuzzy c -means algorithm is exactly similar to the k -means algorithm:

1. There need to Choose a number of clusters.
2. Assign coefficients randomly to each data point for being in the clusters.
3. Repeat until the algorithm has converged.
 - Compute the centroid for each cluster (shown below).
 - For each data point, compute its coefficients of being in the clusters.[6]

V. PROPOSED WORK

In this paper, proposed an approach which helps in prediction of diseases symptoms through fuzzy associative rule mining.[7] It follows four phase procedure to achieve required inference from trainee dataset and the phases are as follows:

1. **Data Collection** – Required data needs to collect (Collect data of all suffering people). All Symptoms of disease needs to store into an excel file.
2. **Fuzzy Inference System** – Needs to consider four parts here - rule base, fuzzification, inference engine, and defuzzification. [8]

In rule base, decision will make based in the IF-THEN conditions. At the same time, in the fuzzification, the crisp input, which is temperature, pressure, etc., the Inference engine will trigger the condition by matching the input with rules. Defuzzification converts the rule into crisp input. There are three types of fuzzifier includes singleton, Gaussian, trapezoidal or triangular fuzzifier.[9]

3. **Prediction** - Using the fuzzy association rule mining, predicting the disease through the generation of the rules using a rule generator and predicting the possibility of the disease.[10]

Dengue Diagnostic tool GUI

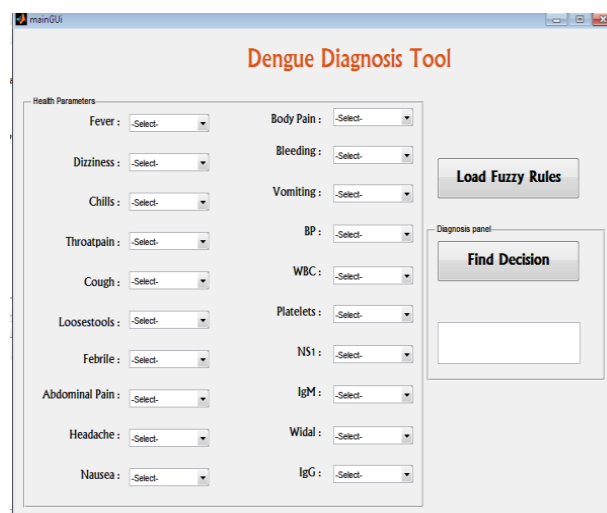


Fig 1. Graphical view of Diagnostic tool

Disease Prediction Rule Generator

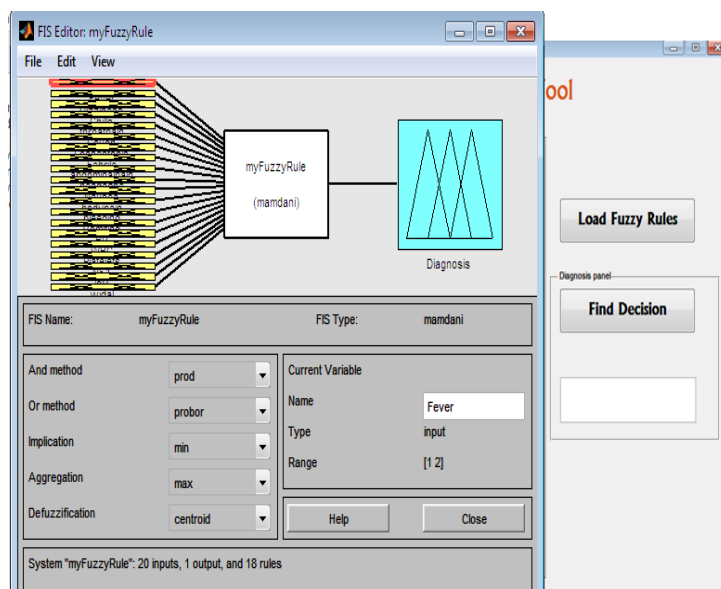


Fig. 2 Inference Engine

Diagnosis of Disease:

Fig. 3 Fuzzy logic for prediction

VI. FUTURE SCOPE

This system will make the process easy to understand the exact disease according to symptoms which patient have. Prediction changes are high here and accurate to caught it. It is fast processing as well and result will be fast. It can be used in future for other dangerous diseases as well.

VII. CONCLUSIONS

From the proposed system, it has been concluded that the fuzzy association rule mining technique with the rule generation will provide the possibility of disease prediction was performed. In the future, it has been improved with more latest techniques.

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