

Data mining

Level: Master 2

Curriculum: Data Science and Innovation Management (DSMI)

Semester: 9

Hours: 30 hours of classes

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Course objectives:

Automatic knowledge extraction (ECD - Knowledge Discovery in Data Bases: KDD) from data can be used, for example, to classify products into categories, to establish a customer profile, to predict the subject of a document, be it an e-mail message or a scientific article, or more generally to help scientific article or, more generally, for decision support.

After a data pre-processing stage, the process includes a data mining phase, the aim of which is to search for new or hidden information from the data, using techniques from a variety of fields such as statistics and artificial intelligence.

The aim of this course is to present the process of automatic knowledge extraction, as well as some classic algorithms, and to apply them to concrete problems related to market intelligence, in particular marketing, technology or image intelligence.

Course outline:

I- Introduction to EDC

- Definitions
- Data Mining
- The DCE process

II- Data mining methods

- Principal component analysis (PCA) - TSNE
- Automatic classification (k means and hierarchical methods)
- Association rules
- Decision trees (Cart, C5) - Random forest
- Text mining
- Social mining

Software support: Statistica and R (igraph and TM)

Prerequisites (to be mentioned only if any):

Saporta G. Probabilités, analyse des données et statistique, third edition, 622pages, Editions Technip, Paris, 2011

<https://www.fichier-pdf.fr/2012/06/15/probabilites-analyse-de-donnees-et-statistiques>