

Errata for *Introduction to Data Mining, Second Edition*
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Preface

Page viii, last sentence of Section entitled, **Support Materials**: The email address for reporting errata has been updated to be dmbook@umn.edu. However, the old address dmbook@cs.umn.edu should still work.

Chapter 2

1. Page 27: The title “What Is an attribute?” should be “What is an Attribute?”.
2. Page 40, Figure 2.4(c): In the y-axis label, “celsius” should be capitalized, i.e., “Celsius”.
3. Page 65, The last sentence before the ‘**Unupervised Discretization**’ section: “+ inf and – inf, *respectively*” should be “– inf and + inf, *respectively*”.
4. Page 71, second paragraph: “ $\sigma_A = \sum_{i=1}^m |x_i - \mu|$ ” should be “ $\sigma_A = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m |x_i - \mu|$ ”.
5. Page 77: In the properties of a metric, condition 1(b) should be $d(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = 0$ if and only if $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{y}$.
6. Page 89, The first sentence after equation (2.15): “ $I(X, Y) = I(Y)$ ” should be “ $I(X, Y) = I(Y, X)$ ”
7. : Page 93, the first line: “ $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle$ ” should be “ $\langle \phi(\mathbf{x}), \phi(\mathbf{y}) \rangle$ ”
8. Page 93, 2 lines before equation 2.19: “then these two” should be “then these three”
9. Page 93, Example 2.24, First sentence: “presented in the previous section” should be “discussed above”

2 Errata

- Page 94, Equation 2.24: The inner product should be a sum, not a tuple, so equation 2.24 should be

$$\begin{aligned}\kappa(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) &= (\mathbf{x}'\mathbf{y} + c)^2 = \\ x_1^2 y_1^2 + x_2^2 y_2^2 + 2x_1 x_2 y_1 y_2 + 2c x_1 y_1 + 2c x_2 y_2 + c^2 &= \langle \varphi(\mathbf{x}), \varphi(\mathbf{y}) \rangle\end{aligned}$$

Chapter 3

- Page 148, Figure 3.23b should be as follows:

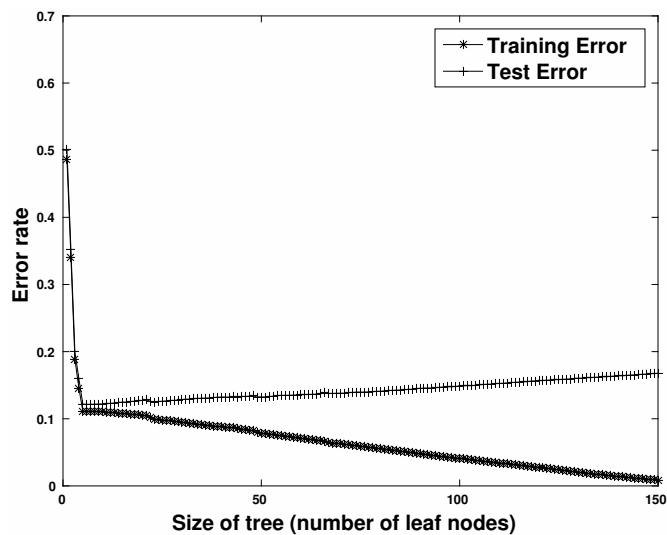


Figure 3.23b Varying tree size from 1 to 150.

The relationship between weighted accuracy and other performance measures is summarized in the following table:

Measure	w_1	w_2	w_3	w_4
Recall	1	0	1	0
Precision	1	1	0	0
F_β	$\beta^2 + 1$	β^2	1	0
Accuracy	1	1	1	1

Chapter 5

1. Page 359, Last line of the page should be the following:
An itemset X is called frequent if $s(X)$ is greater than or equal to some user-defined threshold, *minsup*.
2. Page 382, Algorithm 5.3: This algorithm should be revised as follows:

Algorithm Procedure **ap-genrules**(f_k, H_m).

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1:  $k = |f_k|$  {size of frequent itemset.}
2:  $m = \text{size of itemsets in } H_m$  {size of rule consequent.}
3: {Generate rules with consequent of size  $m$ .}
4: if  $k \geq m + 1$  then
5:   for each  $h_m \in H_m$  do
6:      $conf = \sigma(f_k) / \sigma(f_k - h_m)$ .
7:     if  $conf \geq minconf$  then
8:       output the rule  $(f_k - h_m) \rightarrow h_m$ .
9:     else
10:      delete  $h_m$  from  $H_m$ .
11:    end if
12:  end for
13: end if
14: {Recursively call ap-genrules to generate rules with larger consequents.}
15: if  $k > m + 1$  then
16:    $H_{m+1} = \text{candidate-gen}(H_m)$ .
17:    $H_{m+1} = \text{candidate-prune}(H_{m+1}, H_m)$ .
18:   call ap-genrules( $f_k, H_{m+1}$ ).
19: end if

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6 Errata

3. Page 445, Exercise 13(b)(iii): The formula for Interest should be the following:
$$\text{Interest}(X \rightarrow Y) = \frac{P(X,Y)}{P(X)P(Y)}.$$

Chapter 6

1. Page 452, 1st paragraph: “as well as nominal attributes such as `Level of Education` and `State`” should be “as well as categorical attributes such as `Level of Education` and `State`”
2. Page 487, line 9 of Algorithm 6.2. The comment should say, “Identify all candidates contained in g .”

Chapter 7

1. Page 586, the second sentence of Example 7.11, which is in parentheses: This sentence should be “(The data for this figure consists of the six two-dimensional points given in Table 7.3.)”
2. Page 587, the caption for Table 7.7: This caption should be “Cophenetic distance matrix for single link and data in Table 7.3 on page 557.”
3. Page 592, Example 7.16: “ $p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, \text{ and } p_5$ ” should be “ $p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, \text{ and } p_5$ ”.
4. Page 592, Example 7.16: “ $L_2 = \{p_3, p_4, p_5\}$ ” should be “ $L_2 = \{p_3, p_4, p_5\}$ ”.
5. Page 610, Exercise 29. This exercise should be as follows:
Prove that $\sum_{i=1}^K \sum_{x \in C_i} (x - c_i)(c - c_i) = 0$. This fact was used in the proof that $\text{TSS} = \text{SSE} + \text{SSB}$ on page 578 in Section 7.5.2.