

MINING MEANINGFUL PATTERNS IN LARGE SET OF IMAGES

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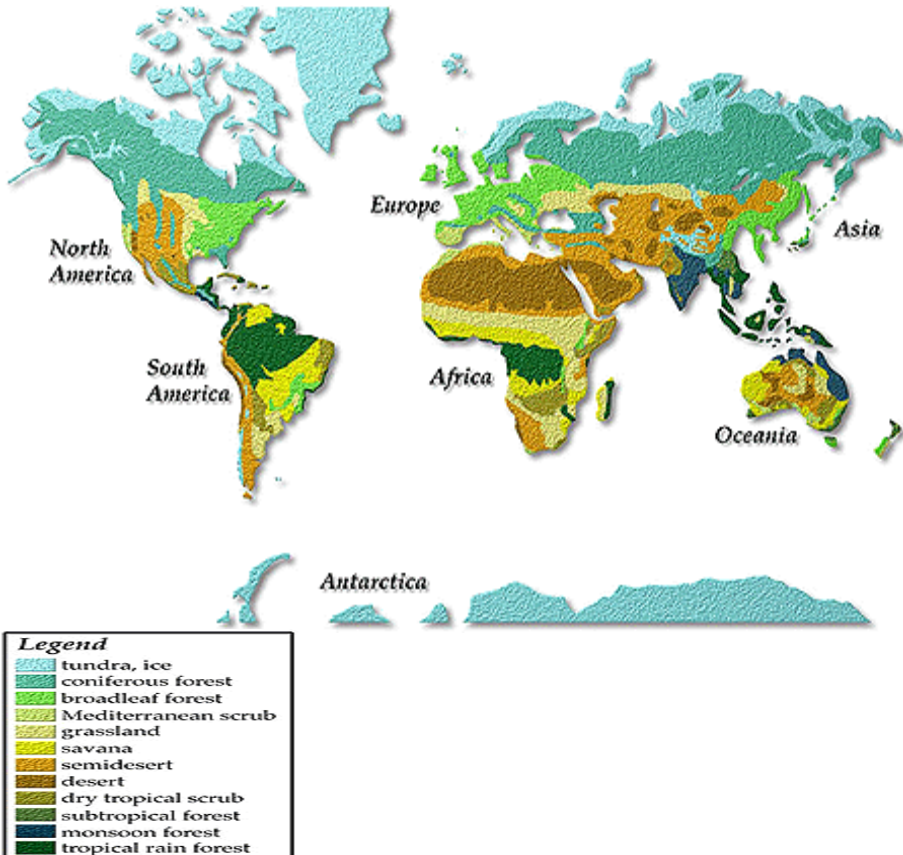
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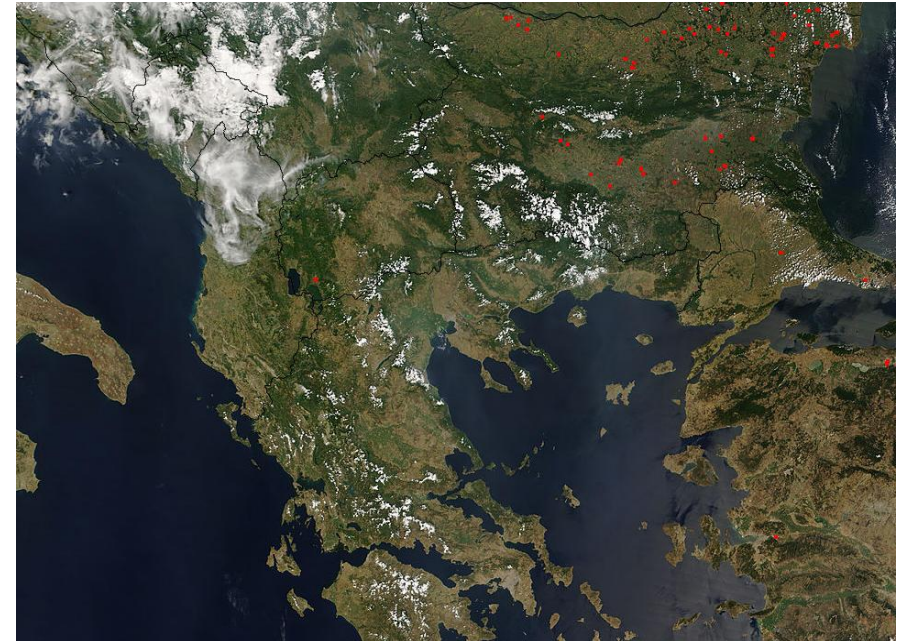
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Map Vs Image

Vegetation Map of World



Satellite Image of Greece



Regions/Objects are predefined with **spatial location** and **semantic attributes**.

Low level processing of image required to define regions or model image for mining.

Patterns in Images.

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- ❖ Kinds of Patterns.
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- ❖ FP-Growth.

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- ❖ New Modeling Approaches.
- ❖ Challenges.

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Images of Sky



Image of Orion Constellation

1. **Structural relationships** invariant over time and space.
2. **Recurring cluster** of stars.

Field: Astronomy.

[Szalay02, Skycat96]

Device: Satellite and Telescope.

Repositories: [Sloan Digital Sky Library](#).

Remote Sensing Images



Satellite Image of Salt Lake, Utah

1. **Spatial relationship** between bodies.
2. **Temporal changes** of region.
3. Pattern per pixel.

Field: Geography, Defense, Ecology, Geology, Agriculture, Metrology, Health.

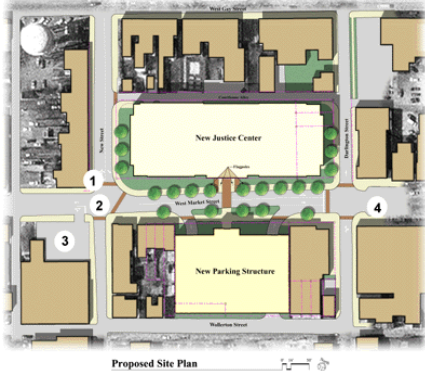
[Jelena03, Ding02, Selim03, Selim07, Silva05, Conquest95]

Device: Satellite.

Repositories: [geology.com](#), [terraserver.com](#)

Patterns in Images

Architectural Design



Design of a shopping complex

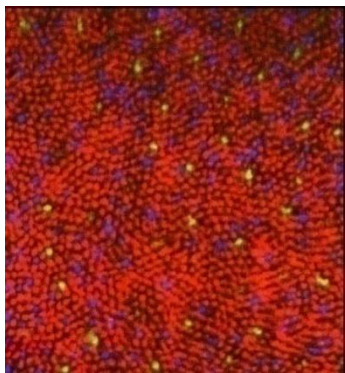
Repeating structures in design and layout.

Field: Architecture, Archeology, Cross Cultural study.

[MLLee03, Shan06, Sangkyum08]

Synthetic Data

Biological and Medical Images



Mosaic of photoreceptors in a Squirrel (Red – rods, Blue- cones)

Frequent relationships between cells in space or interaction.

Field: Biology, Medicine

[Oluknle02, Pan05]

Device: Microscope, X-Ray, MRI, Ultra Sonography, Computed Tomography, Radiography

Commercial Motivation

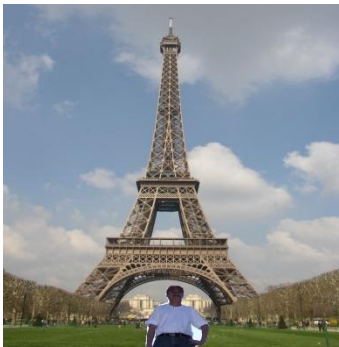


Petronas -> Person1

Petronas -> Person2, Person3



Petronas -> Person1, Person2, Person3



Eiffel -> Person1

Eiffel -> Person2, Person3



Eiffel -> Person1, Person2, Person3



Pisa -> Person1

Person2, Person3 -> ?

Note: Frequent pattern based learning can discover potential candidate for marketing.

Repositories: Flickr, Caltech-101

[Gool08]

Application of Patterns

- ❖ Classification. *[Cheng07]*
- ❖ Clustering. *[Sangkyum08]*
- ❖ Indexing and Retrieval. *[Xifeng04, Gabor04, Petrakis97]*
- ❖ Automatic Image Captioning. *[Dorado03, Faloutsos04]*
- ❖ Market analysis. *[Sri94]*
- ❖ Learning underlying processes in medicine. *[Olukne02, Pan05]*
- ❖ Learning Potential Customers.

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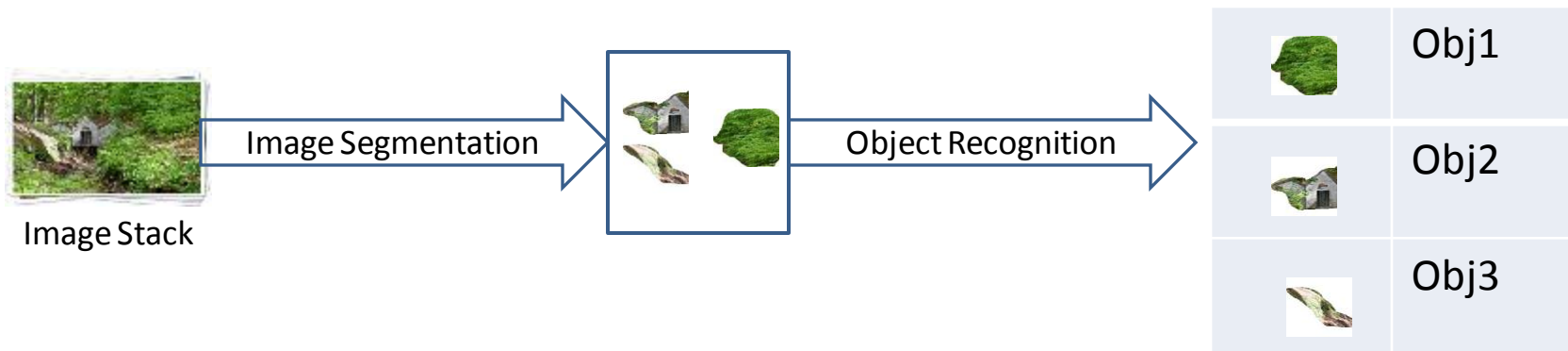


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Modeling Images as Bag of Objects



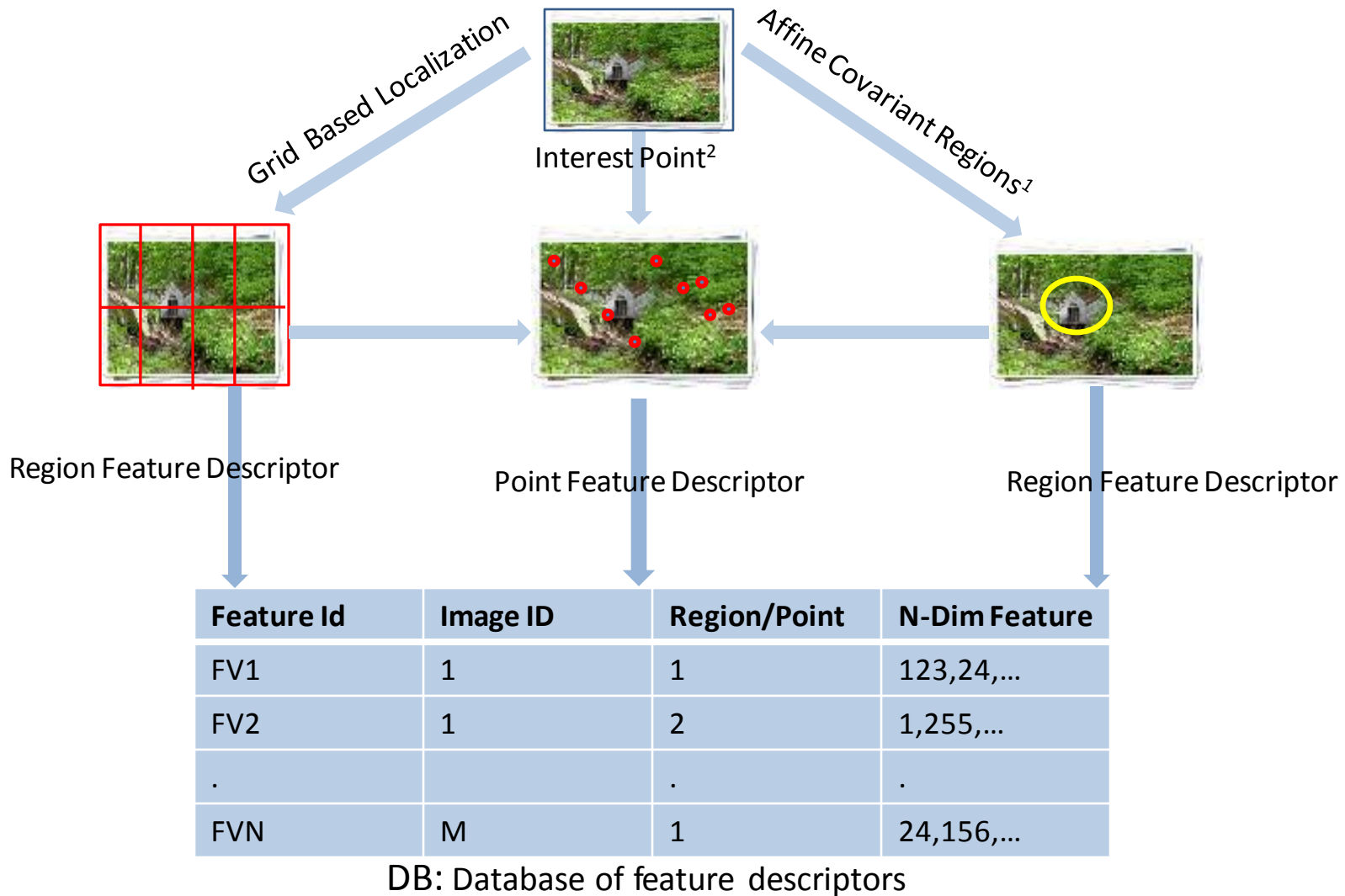
Database of images represented as histogram of objects

Image Id	Obj1	Obj2	Obj3
1	3	0	1
2	1	4	1
3	0	0	2
4	2	0	5

Apriori or **FP-Growth** based Algorithm for **Frequent Pattern Mining** in **Histogram** [Zaine00, Pan05]

Note: Segmentation is computationally intensive, Definition of object is subjective.

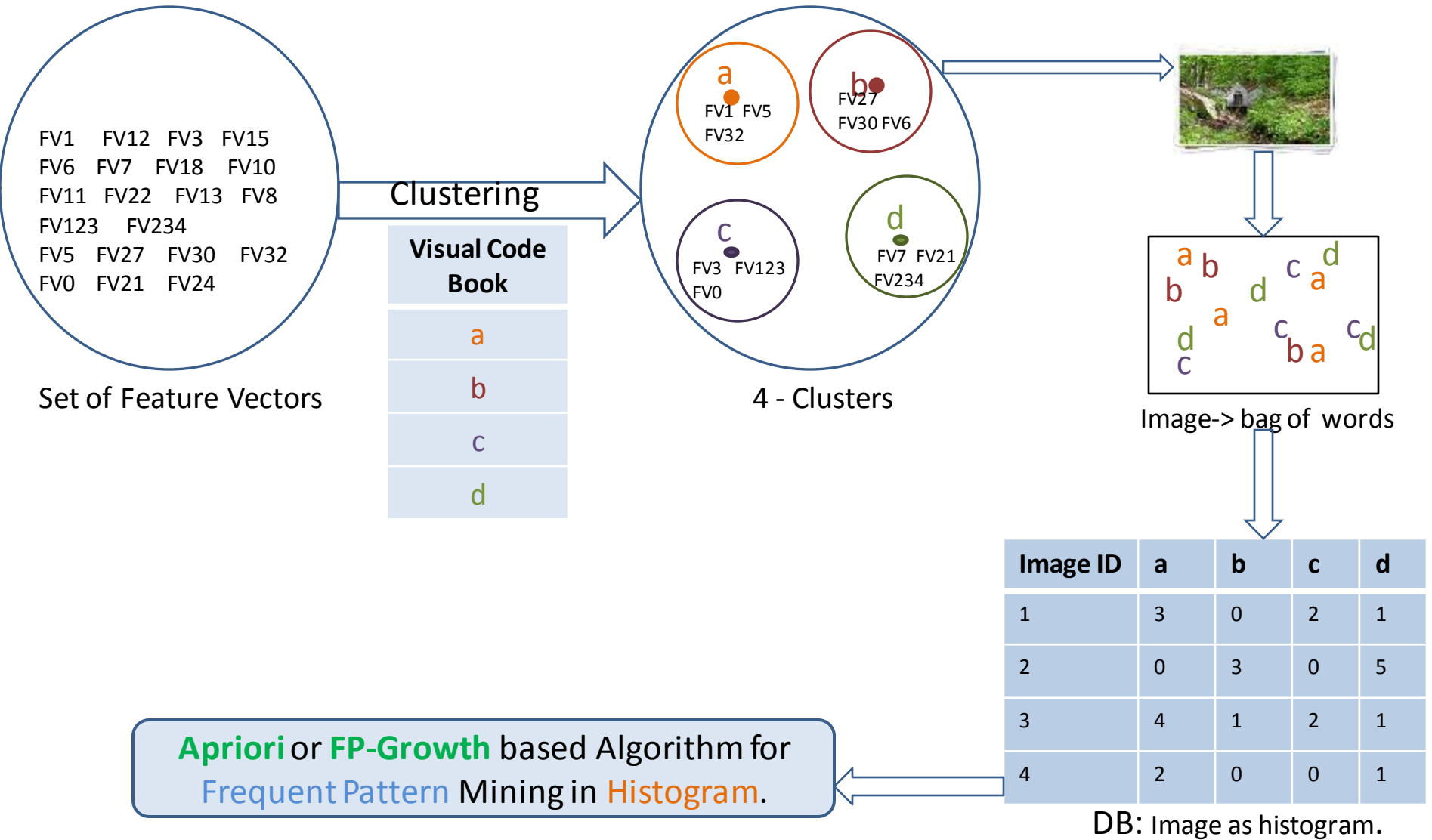
Modeling Images via Feature Descriptors



Region Feature Descriptor: {CSD, CLD, HTF}³ Point Feature Descriptor: {SIFT}⁴

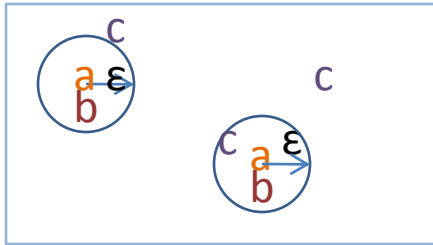
1. [Sivic04][Gool06] 2. [Yang07] 3.[Mpeg7] 4. [Lowe04]

Images as Bag of Words



Model for Spatial Pattern Mining

- **Neighborhood profiling** for each word satisfying a spatial relationship criteria to discover collocation pattern.



TID	b	c	d
1	2	3	1
2	1	0	2
3	2	3	0

[Yang07, Gool06]

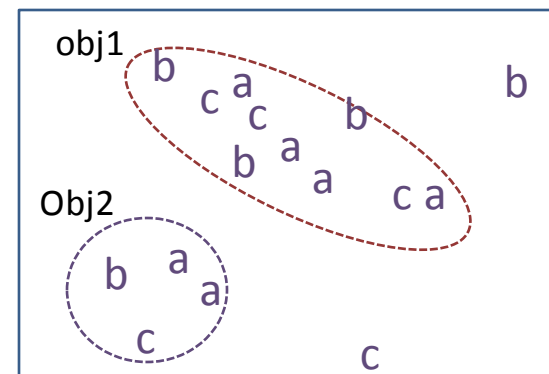
Transactions for neighborhoods of **a**.

- Spatial constraints [Koperski95, Shou04]
 - ϵ neighborhood of an object. (Star pattern)
 - ϵ distance between all members of a pattern. (Clique pattern)
 - Adjacency relationship.

- **Localized Profiling.**

a b	c		d
c b	d e		e
d	c		c f
e	d e		a d
f a b		d	a
		e	b

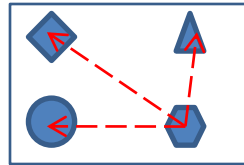
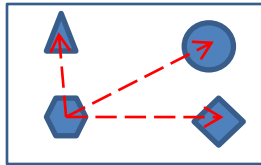
Grid Partitioning



Logical Region Based Partitioning 12

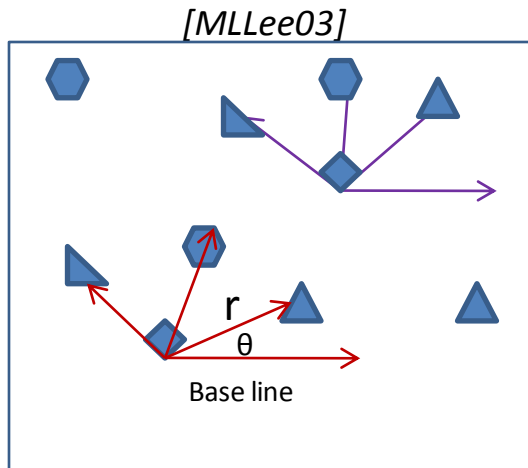
Model for Co-Orientation Pattern Mining

- Previous models lose relative orientation of objects.
- Orientation (linear and angular distance) is important for meaningful patterns.

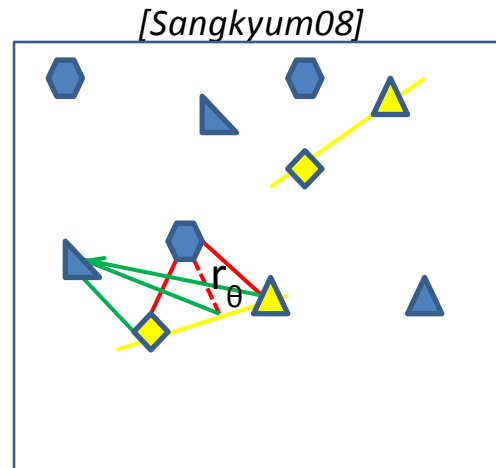


Both Images have same objects
but different configurations.

- Defining Structure



$$\text{Entity} = (O_1, O_2, r, \theta)$$



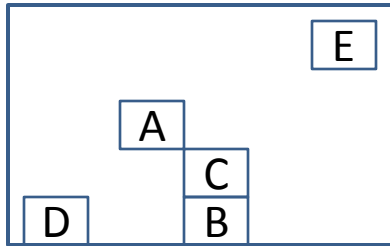
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Reference Frame

1. Find frequent 2-size patterns.
2. Each 2-size pattern => Base.
3. Describe triplet with the base.
4. Use triplets to define complex structures.

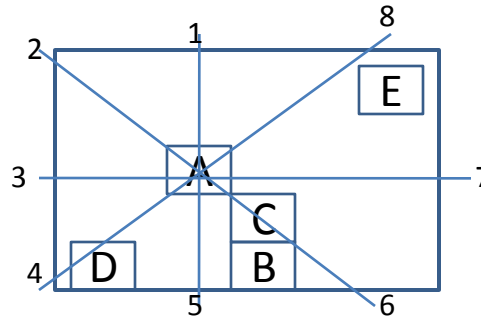
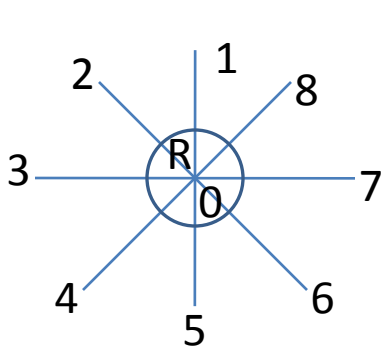
Model for Co-Orientation Pattern Mining

- 2D-String Representation. [Shan06]



$$(S_x, S_y) = (D < A < B = C < E, D = B < C < A < E)$$

- 9DLT Representation. [JTLee07]



$$(A, B, C, D, E, 6, 6, 4, 8, 1, 3, 8, 4, 8, 8)$$

- Binary Relationship.

- H-Next-To, V-Next-To, Overlap. [Zaine00]
- Adjacency. [Jelena03]
- disjointed, bordering, surrounded_by, near, far, right, left. [Selim03]
- top-left, top-right, bottom-left, bottom-right. [Gool06]

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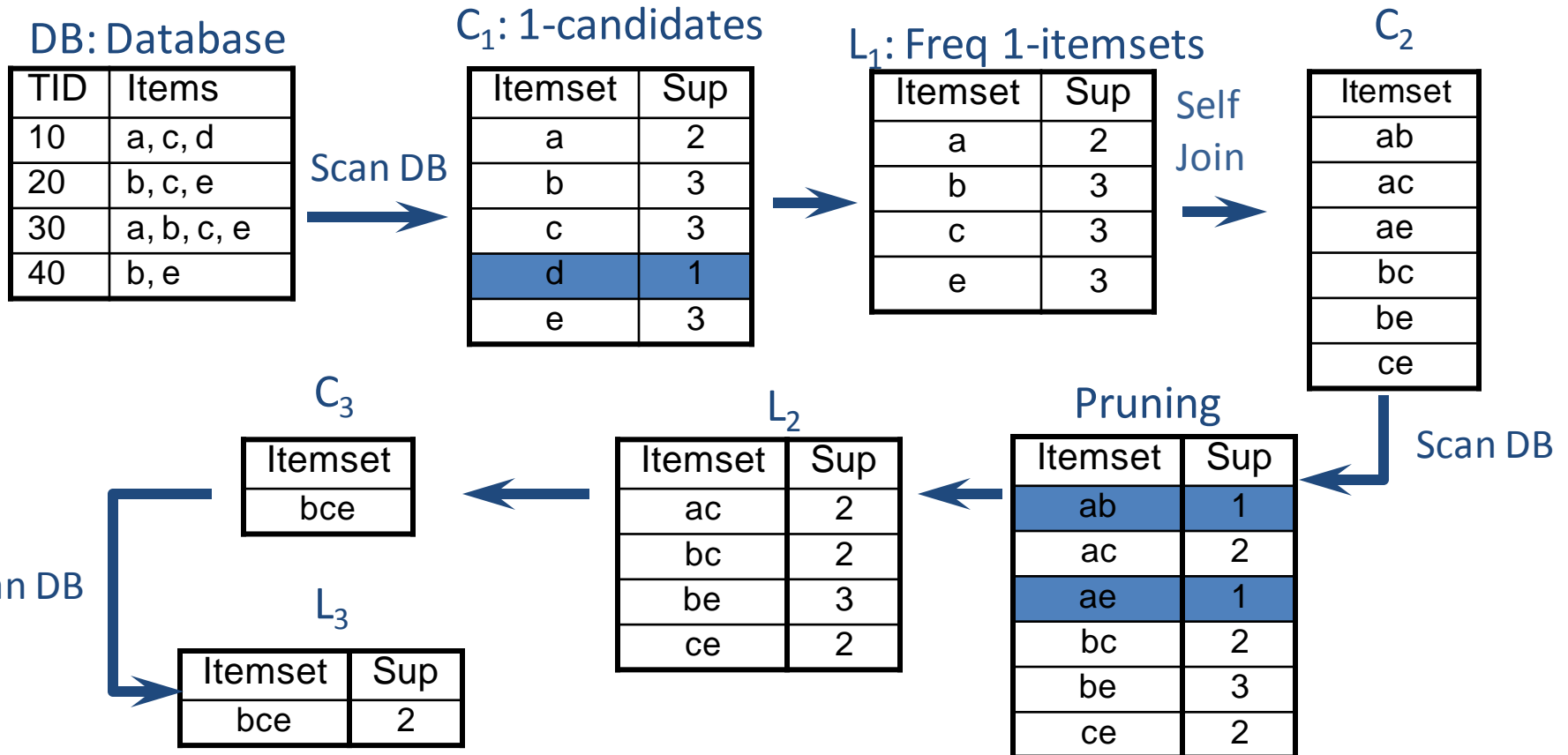
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Apriori Algorithm

- Frequency based progressive itemsize-wise candidate-generation-and-test approach. [Sri94]

Usefulness Criteria is Minimum Support = 2

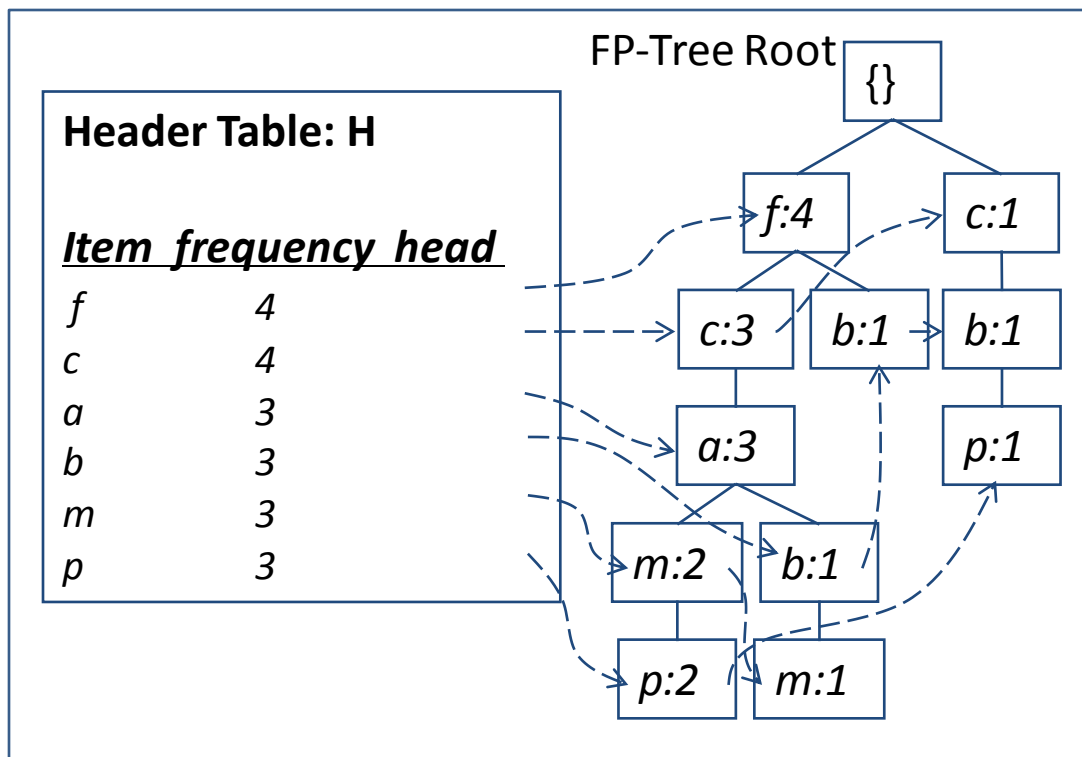


FP-Growth

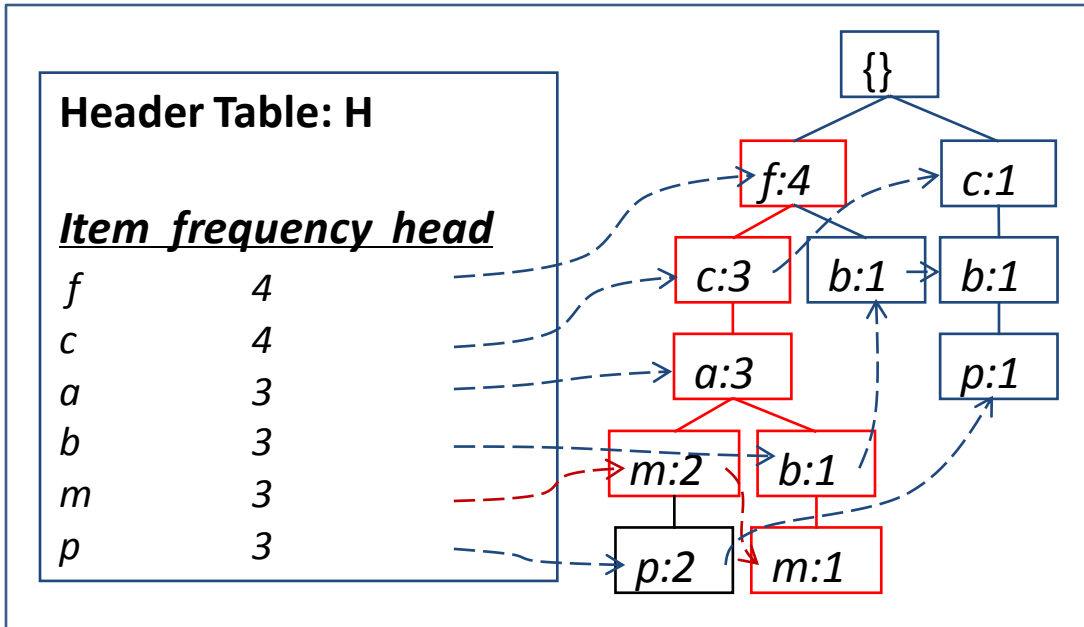
- ❖ Recursive approach to generate frequent pattern using FP-Tree. [Han00]

<i>TID</i>	<i>Items bought</i>	<i>(ordered) frequent items</i>
100	{f, a, c, d, g, i, m, p}	{f, c, a, m, p}
200	{a, b, c, f, l, m, o}	{f, c, a, b, m}
300	{b, f, h, j, o}	{f, b}
400	{b, c, k, s, p}	{c, b, p}
500	{a, f, c, e, l, p, m, n}	{f, c, a, m, p}

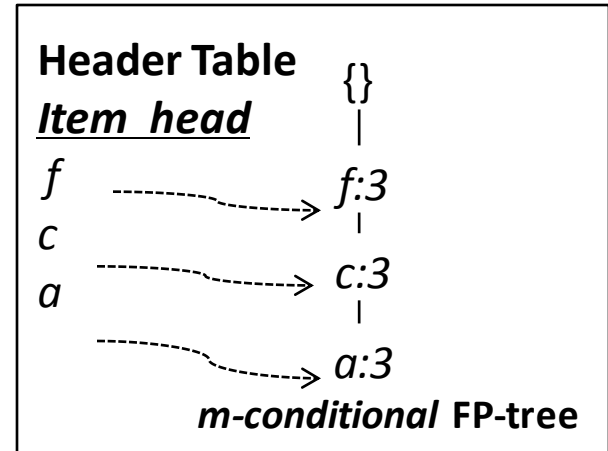
DB: A database of transactions



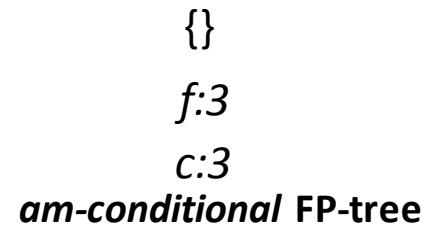
Frequent pattern for m



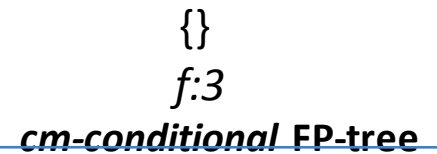
conditional pattern base of "m":
{fca:2, fcab:1}



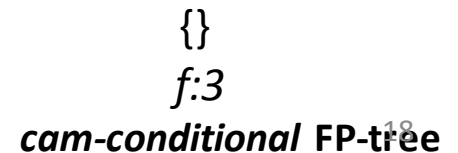
Cond. pattern base of "am": (fc:3)



Cond. pattern base of "cm": (f:3)



Cond. pattern base of "cam": (f:3)



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Measure of Meaningfulness [Liqiang06]

N : size of database, P : frequent pattern, $(p_1, p_2) \subset P$, $p_1 \cap p_2 = \Phi$

n : number of transactions having P , $p_1 \rightarrow p_2$: A discovered rule

m : number of transactions having p_1 , o : number of transactions having p_2

➤ Association Rules

- Frequency (Coverage) m
- Support (Generalizability) n/N
- Confidence (Reliability) n/m

➤ Collocation Pattern [Shou03]

- Participation ratio $pr(p_1, P) = (\text{\#instances of } p_1 \text{ in any instance of } P)/m$
- Prevalence $prev(P) = \min(pr(p_i, P), p_i \in P)$
- Confidence $conf(P) = \max(pr(p_i, P), p_i \in P)$

➤ Significance [Yang07]

- Likelihood ratio $n/(m * o)$
- P-value

Measure of Meaningfulness

➤ Classification Rules *[Cheng07]*

- Information Gain
- Gini Index

➤ Indexing

- Database Compression.
- Discriminative ratio. *[Xifeng04]*

$$\text{dr}(P \mid p_1, p_2) = [(p_1\text{'s transaction set}) \cap (p_2\text{'s transaction set})] / (P\text{'s transaction set})$$

Example for Mining Meaningful Patterns

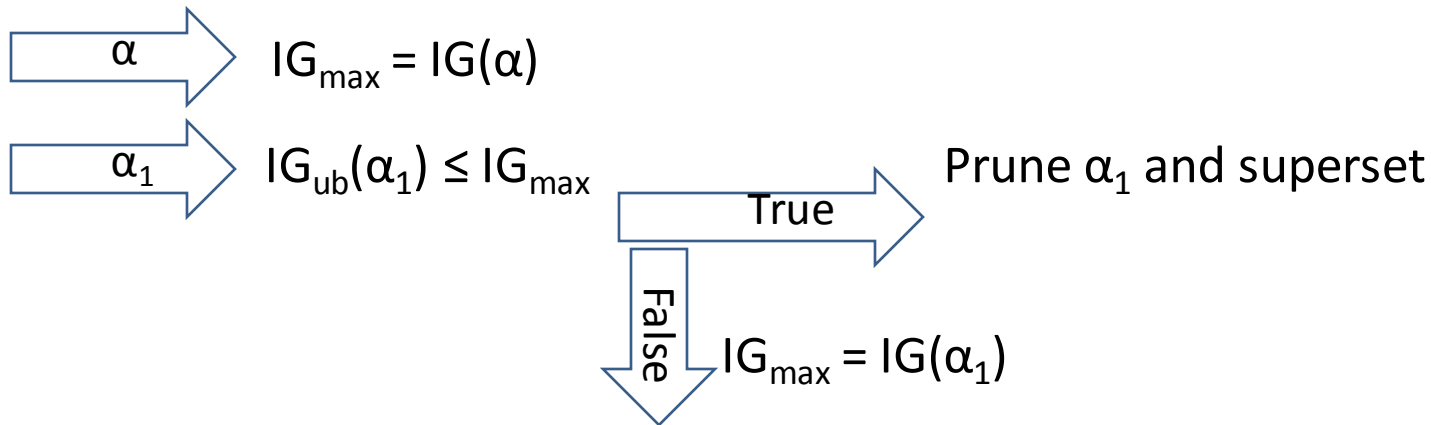
- Goal: Discriminative Pattern for Classification
- Measure: Information Gain (IG)
- Set: C , Pattern: α , and Frequency(α): f

Upper_Bound(IG($C|\alpha$)) = Function(f) [Cheng06]

- Mine Patterns with $min_sup = f^*$

$f^* = \arg \max_f (IG_{ub}(f) \leq IG_0)$ where IG_0 is a user parameter

- Prune Search space [Cheng07]



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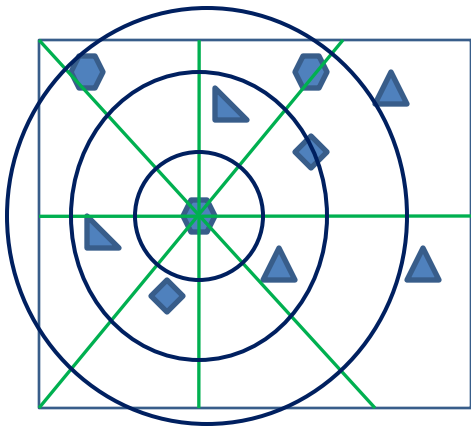
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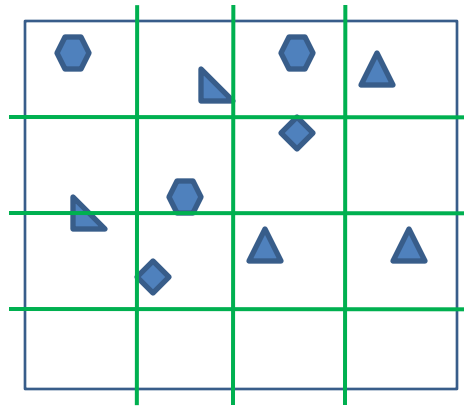
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New Approaches of Modeling

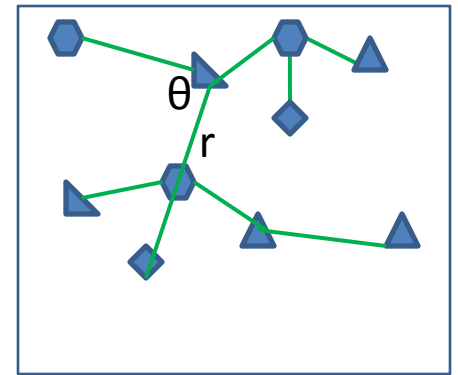
1. Polar Histogram Hashing.
2. Grid Hashing.
3. Graph (NN, MST)
 - Angle between nodes.
 - Edges labeled with relative distance.



1. Polar Histogram



2. Grid (Multi-Resolution)
[Zaine00]



3. MST [Petrakis97]

Challenges

- Recurrent objects. *[Zaine00, Pan05]*
- Spatial extent of objects. *[Silva05, Selim03, Ma99]*
- Scalability.
- Transaction-less mining.
- Pattern modeling: visualization and storage.
- Application: clustering and indexing.

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Summary

- Patterns in images are important.
- Modeling of images for patterns is challenging.
- Use of conventional approach for mining.
- Meaningful measure for cost effective and efficient mining.
- Need of new approaches for more précised mining.

Work Till Date

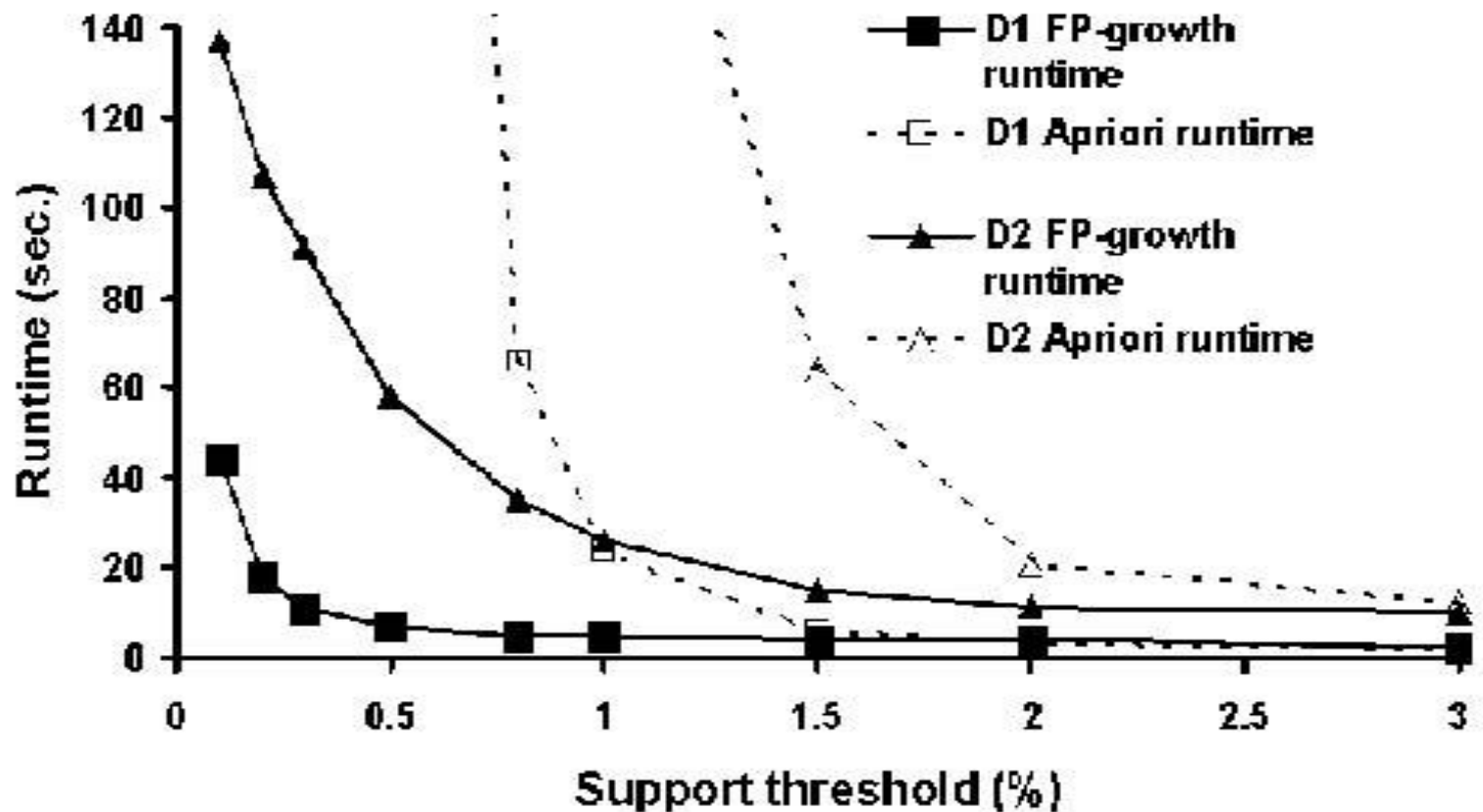
- ❖ Querying significant sub-regions in large image databases.
 - Split image into tiles.
 - Global feature descriptor for each tile.
 - Log odd score for matching tiles.
 - Tiled query image overlapped with DB image for all orientations.
 - For each overlap, max scoring sub-region by dynamic programming.
 - Threshold algorithm for scaling.

- ❖ Efficient computation of statistical significance of query results in databases. [singh08]
 - Histogram binned into constant number of buckets.
 - Cascading Convolution.

Q & A

FP-growth vs. Apriori: Scalability With the Support Threshold

Data set (D1) T25I20D10K / Data set (D2) T25I20D100K

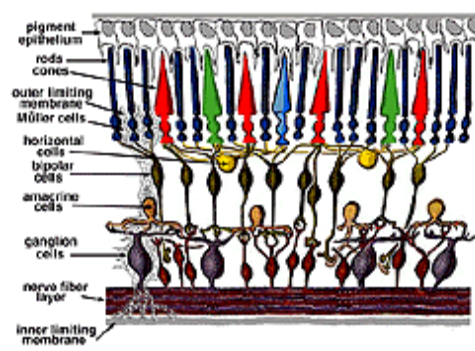
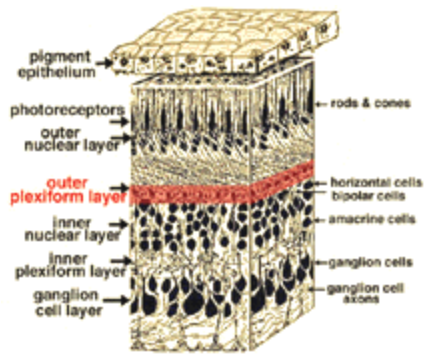


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Conferences

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- ❖ J. T. Lee (NTU, Taiwan)

- ❖ SIGMOD
- ❖ VLDB
- ❖ KDD
- ❖ ICDE
- ❖ SDM
- ❖ ICDM
- ❖ CIVR
- ❖ CVPR



1. Isophotal magnitude
2. Isophotal area
3. Semi-major axis
4. Semi-minor axis
5. Eccentricity
6. Sky Variance

1. Thematic Mapper
 - Blue
 - Green
 - Red
 - Reflective – Infrared
 - Mid – Infrared
 - Thermal – Infrared
 - Thermal Infrared
 - Mid – Infrared2
2. SPOT
3. TIFF
4. AVHRR