# Predicting colorectal cancer with the aid of temporal patterns 

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#### Abstract

A patient suffering from colorectal cancer may not realize it is suffering from this disease until it is too late. Therefore it is important to discover this disease as soon as possible since this will increase the survivability of the disease. Electronic Medical Records (EMR) databases contain information about a patient's medical history which can help in predicting whether a patient has colorectal cancer. However, when a predictive model is generated, time aspects of these visits are often not used. In this paper an attempt is made to use this time aspect to create and exploit temporal patterns for predictive modelling. A temporal pattern is a sequence of events which share a relation to each other. In order to create these patterns an a-priori mining algorithm was used which is then further exploited by considering the time needed to complete such a pattern. The added value of these patterns are tested using logistic regression, a decision tree, Support vector machine, and random forest. Each algorithm is executed twice: one time with the patterns generated by the a-priori algorithm and another time with the patterns generated by the exploitation scheme. As a result, The performance of the models improved by using temporal patterns in their predictive model. This shows that temporal data potentially holds vital information for practitioners in the task of identifying colorectal cancer


## Introduction

An early detection of colorectal cancer can be of importance for the survival of a patient. Although a lot of research has been performed, colorectal cancer still is the third most common form of cancer in both man and women [1]. Methods like screening and early intervention can help in an early detection of colorectal cancer and reducing the mortality rate of colorectal cancer.

Temporal data mining is used to find relations in sequences of events which are not obvious at first sight. [2] describes three steps in finding these hidden relations and techniques that can be used to find them. The first step covers the representation and preprocessing of the sequences for the actual data mining operations. The second step is defining a similarity measure to see
whether sequences match and occur frequently. The last step covers the actual mining of the sequences using a mining algorithm.

According to [3] The algorithms that are used to mine these patterns can be divided into 3 categories namely apriori-based, pattern-growth and early-pruning. Moreover, the investigation of these categories reveals that certain heuristics are required for a reliable sequential pattern mining algorithm. There are however also approximate pattern mining algorithms which allow a certain degree of error in their discovered patterns [4].

Previous research has already shown that some symptoms can be related with colorectal cancer (CRC). [5] gives an overview on which symptoms are known to predict CRC. The most common symptom was either rectal bleeding by itself or rectal bleeding combined with anaemia, constipation, or abdominal pain. In a different study [6] shows that patients with constipation have an increased risk of having CRC. Moreover, the study showed that the use of laxatives increases the probability of getting CRC.

In this paper temporal data mining is used to discover whether temporal data can contribute to the prediction of CRC. Many researchers have tried to predict CRC with the use of temporal data and modelling techniques. [7] shows that the model performance improves if certain events that occur for a patient are stored in a temporal pattern. A temporal pattern is a set of events in succession which are then described by a relation between these events. The algorithm used to find these patterns however ignores the time aspect of the events which could result in better performance. Therefore, an attempt is made to further improve these patterns by adding information about the time it takes to complete a temporal pattern.

First a description of the dataset is given. Next insight is provided in how the data was prepared for the algorithms which also describes the algorithms used to mine temporal patterns. After that the methodology of our research is discussed which contains our research questions, the algorithms used and information on how the pattern completion times are added. This is followed by the results of each of these algorithms where the influence of pattern completion times are evaluated. Finally, we conclude this paper with a discussion on the results of the algorithms, answers to the research questions and possible future work.

## Data description

The dataset that was made available consists of anonymized data from the Utrecht region in the Netherlands between 01-07-2006 and 31-122011. This dataset contains information about 219.447 patients who have visited a general practitioner which registers each visit with a certain code. Therefore, the data is provided in 4 different parts. The first part of the dataset covers general patient information. Each patient has a unique ID and information about their gender, date of birth and their register date. The second part of the data provides information on the consults of a patient. Every time


Figure 1: aggregate amount of consults for each month over the years 2007-2011 a patient consults a general practitioner an ICPC (International Classification of Primary Care) code is provided before and after consult. This code is used to describe diseases and symptoms of a patient. Figure 1 shows that the amount of consults seems to peak during November and is at its lowest in june and juli.

The third part of the data contains information on the medication of a patient. Once a patient receives medication, an ATC (Anatomic Therapeutical Chemical) code is provided describing the medication received. Figure 2 shows that there seems to be a high amount of drug prescriptions in the December month and a lower amount of prescription in the January and February month. Finally, the last part of the data contains information on the referrals of a patient to a specialist. Figure 3 shows that most of the referrals occur at the start of the year and that later on the general practitioner gives less referrals.


Figure 2: aggregate amount of drug prescriptions for each month over the years 2007-2011


Figure 3: aggregate amount of referrals for each month over the years 2007-2011

## Data preparation

Before datamining algorithms can be applied the data needs to be prepared. Therefore the dataset goes through a pipeline which covers the preprocessing of the data.

## Pipeline

First of all, the pipeline goes through the patient files and records the patient's registration date, age and gender. If the age of a person is lower than 30 years old the patient is removed from the dataset. This is done since CRC is considered more relevant for people with a higher age. Next, all the patients which are diagnosed with CRC are looked up. This is diagnosed in a patient with ICPC code D75. From there the dataset is split in two parts: people diagnosed with CRC, and people diagnosed without CRC. This will be important later on since we want to know which patterns occur mostly in CRC patients and which don't. This resulted in 808 known CRC cases in the dataset. Once the CRC patients are known, a time period has to be chosen from which a sample is taken. This has to be done since the dataset is too large to process all at once. Therefore, a 6-month interval is taken of every patient to be used for the preprocessing. For CRC patients the interval was taken over the 6 months before they were diagnosed with CRC. For non-CRC patients, a random 6 month interval was taken. If for some reason an interval could not be generated, the patient is removed from the dataset.

Finally, the pipeline goes through the remaining files to extract the standard attributes. These standard attributes consists of a patient's age, gender and the events that occur over the 6month time interval. These events can be either an ATC code, ICPC code, or a referral to a specialist. Eventually, for each patient it is known which events took place and how many times it took place for that specific patient. Once all the standard attributes are generated, we can start working on generating temporal patterns. These patterns were found by using a temporal pattern mining approach borrowed from [7]. The basic idea of the algorithm is explained below.

## Temporal patterns

First, all the records are scanned and frequent 1-patterns ${ }^{1}$ are created. A pattern is considered frequent if the pattern is found in a certain minimum percentage of patients. This percentage is referred to as the support of the pattern. Then, these frequent 1-patterns are used to create frequent 2-patterns. Thus, once the frequent k-patterns have been generated, frequent k+1patterns are created. This process continues until no more frequent patterns can be found. Every k+1-pattern also describes a relation between the events. This relation can be either cooccurrence (c), meaning they happen at the same date, or succession (b), which means that one event precedes the other. A full explanation on how to generate these frequent patterns and optimizations on this approach can be read in [8]. Finally, the algorithm is run on CRC cases and on non-CRC cases separately so that predictive patterns can be found for both classes.

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## Pattern completion time

Once the temporal datamining algorithm generated the frequent patterns, the so called pattern completion time can be computed. The pattern completion time tells us whether a k+1-pattern is completed within $1,2,4,8,16$ or 32 weeks. As a result a frequent pattern can occur more than once but including information about its pattern completion time. The flow diagram below illustrates this procedure. Assume only patterns with a minimum support of 0.05 or higher are taken. In the first block a pattern was found with a support of 0.25 so it is frequent. Next, for each patient is checked how much time was needed to complete this pattern in weeks. As described before there are 6 possible intervals in which the pattern could be completed. For each interval it is checked whether each of these new support values is larger than the minimum support. In our example this is the case for the weeks $0-1$ and $8-16$. As a result 2 additional patterns were found which hold information on the pattern completion time in addition to the complete pattern without this information.


## Methodology

The purpose of this paper is to investigate whether temporal patterns can help to identify colorectal cancer. Therefore, an attempt is made to confirm the following hypothesis. Can time aspects in temporal data contribute to predicting colorectal cancer for a patient? In order to answer this hypothesis, an attempt is made to answer the following research questions:

1. Which pattern completion times are more common and which are less common and which ATC and ICPC codes are used to generate these patterns
2. Does the pattern completion time help the algorithm in predicting CRC
3. Do patterns with lower completion time have more predictive value than patterns with a high completion time.

For the first research question the temporal pattern mining algorithm was used with different support values and checked what kind of pattern completion times are more common than others. Additionally a count is given for the codes belonging to a certain chapter to see which codes appear more frequently over all patterns. For the second part the results of the dataset
excluding pattern completion time is compared to the dataset including pattern completion time. The results will be tested by applying four machine learning algorithms to each dataset. Finally, the results of these algorithms were investigated to see if the algorithms had any preference for patterns with a low completion time or patterns with a high completion time.

## Algorithms

For the algorithms that were used we decided to use the same setup that was used in [7]. This was done so that we are able to use this reference as a benchmark for our results. Moreover, using the same setup as in [7] means that we also don't have to do anything about parameter tuning which is beyond the scope of this paper.

The machine learning algorithms used are all implemented in the Python Scikit-Learn package. first a CART(Classification And Regression Tree) [9] decision tree was used. The parameters for this tree are a maximum depth of 5 , The minimum number of samples on a leaf node is 50 and the splitting criteria is based on the gini impurity measure. Next a Random Forest (RF) [10] algorithm was used on the data. The same parameter settings were used as with CART with the addition of the size of the forest set to 100 . After RF a logistic regression (LR) [11] model was fitted to the data. As a regularization parameter the default value $L 2$ was chosen. Finally a Support Vector Machine (SVM) [12] was used with a RBF kernel type

## Results

Temporal patterns
First the temporal mining algorithm was executed with a minimum support of 0.10 . This means that $10 \%$ of the patients should cover the pattern in order for it to be frequent. As a result 71 patterns were found of which 27 contained information about the pattern completion time. A complete list of the created patterns can be found in the appendix. Figure 4 shows that most of the patterns are completed either within the first week or somewhere between week 8 and 16 . This can be explained by the fact that most of the patterns found are from patients with CRC and thus visit a practitioner or receive a drug prescription on short


Figure 4: pattern completion times with minimum support of 0.10 notice. The longer interval can be explained by patients which have chronical diseases and thus receive the same drug prescription after a certain amount of months. Below two bar charts can be found displaying which ICPC and ATC codes were most commonly used to build patterns. The horizontal axis shows what chapter the code belongs to which is the first letter of the code. For example, in the code D12_ICPC the D
describes that the patient has complaints considering their digestive system. Overall, the algorithm seems to find more patterns containing ATC codes than ICPC codes. Furthermore, figure 6 shows that the ICPC code most commonly used in the patterns is $K$ which describes circulatory complaints. Figure 5 shows that by far the most common used ATC code in the temporal patterns is C which describes medication for the cardiovascular system.


Figure 5: ATC codes used to create patterns


Figure 6 : ICPC codes used to create patterns

Increasing the minimum support would not make any sense, since it would only result in less patterns for the same weeks. Moreover, we are interested in the effect of temporal patterns on the machine learning algorithms, so we want a lot of patterns. Therefore, the algorithm was executed once more but now the minimum support was lowered to 0.05 . Lowering the support even further would probably result in even more patterns and perhaps a different distribution. This was not done however since the quality of the patterns would suffer from a low support value. This resulted in 467 patterns of which 236 contained information about their pattern completion time. Once


Figure 7: pattern completion times with minimum support of 0.05 again a complete list of created patterns can be found in the appendix. Figure 7 shows that the results are almost similar to the previous result with a support of 0.10.

If we once again look at the codes which are most commonly used, it can be seen from figure 9 that still most of the ICPC codes contain the chapters K, A and T. Some other codes are introduced as well due to the lower support value but they do not seem to be of any importance. Figure 8 shows that the ATC codes A, B and C are most commonly used while the other codes are more or less neglected.


Figure 9: ICPC codes used to create frequent patterns


Figure 8 : ATC codes used to create frequent patterns

Next the results of the algorithms on each dataset are compared and investigated to see which variables are used to come to this result. Before the algorithm starts it selects 50 attributes which have the lowest pearson correlation. The performance of the model is evaluated by the AUC (Area Under the Curve) and with the use of confusion matrices which is acquired by applying a 5 -fold cross validation scheme. For the AUC a $95 \%$ confidence interval is provided to investigate whether the algorithm performs significantly better. The computation of this interval is based on [13]. In order to compare the confusion matrices a constant false positive rate of 0.40 on the AUC curve was chosen for the dataset with and without pattern completion times. Based on this false positive rate a threshold is computed for the dataset with and without pattern completion times which tells us what cutoff should be used to classify a person as a CRC patient or a non-CRC patient. Additionally, our main interest is in the use of the temporal patterns for predicting CRC. Therefore, the same analysis for each algorithm were performed with a minimum support of 0.05 to see whether the machine learning algorithms prefers the patterns over the usual variables.

## CART

Using the CART algorithm on the dataset without pattern completion time resulted in a decision tree where not a lot of patterns were used. Table 1 shows that the only pattern that was used is the 1-pattern A06_ATC, which describes a drug for constipation. This split however could have also

| Pattern | Description | Depth | Gini <br> coefficient |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 8 | A06_ATC | 1 | 0.012 |

TABLE 1: patterns used by CART with 0.10 support excluding pattern completion times been made with the standard attribute a06_ATC. Moreover, the gini coefficient is rather low so it seems that the patterns do not have any influence on the current decision tree. The rest of the tree is made up of the known predictors rectal bleeding (d16_ICPC) iron deficiency aneamia (b80_icpc), change in bowel movements (d18_icpc) abdominal pain (d01_icpc) constipation (d12_icpc) and the age of a patient. The full decision tree can be found in the appendix of this report.

If pattern completion times are added it is observed that there are several more patterns in the decision tree, and that the decision tree is wider. Surprisingly the decision tree favors 2 patterns over the previously found 1-patterns, and most of them are drugs with chapter code A. Furthermore, the algorithm seems to take advantage of the pattern completion time since it first checks whether pattern 24 is present and after that if pattern 23 is as well. Table 2 shows the patterns that were used in the decision tree and at what depth. A02_ATC describes drugs for acid related disorders and A06_atc describes drugs for constipation. The rest of the decision tree looks almost the same as the previous except that in this tree d12_icpc has been removed. In return b03_atc which describes antianemic drugs and a 3-pattern describing uncomplicated hypertension (K86_icpc) were added. Once again the full decision tree can be found in the appendix

| Completion <br> time in weeks | Pattern | Description | Depth | Gini <br> coefficient |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $0-32$ | 4 | A02_ATC (b) A02_ATC | 4 | 0.0638 |
| $0-32$ | 9 | A02_ATC (b) A06_ATC | 3 | 0.2563 |
| $0-1$ | 23 | A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC | 1 | 0.1902 |
| $0-32$ | 24 | A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC | 0 (root) | 0.0128 |
| $0-32$ | 59 | K86_ICPC (b) K86_ICPC (b) K86_ICPC | 3 | 0.08 |

TABLE 2: patterns used by CART with 0.10 support and including pattern completion times
The threshold value used to classify a patient as a CRC patient decreased from 0.2599 to 0.1957 . Addition of the pattern completion time resulted in more false negatives and less true positives. Additionally more true positives and less true negatives were found. In the decision tree without pattern completion times an AUC of 0.8438 is acquired with a confidence interval of ( $0.8240-0.8637$ ). In the decision tree with pattern completion times an AUC of 0.8671 was found and a confidence interval of ( $0.8485-0.8859$ ). Since the confidence intervals overlap, the performance of the model is not significantly better. The F-measure decreases from 0.0308 to 0.0305 since the decrease in recall outweighs the increase in recall. These scores may seem rather low but the main interest is the comparison of the score to each other.

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 56379 | 33968 |
| Actual 1 | 48 | 540 |

TAble 4: confusion matrix for CART without pattern completion times

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 55309 | 35038 |
| Actual 1 | 36 | 552 |

TAble 3: confusion matrix for CART with pattern completion times

When the same algorithm is run with a support of 0.05 similar results for the dataset without pattern completion times are obtained. The decision tree obtained looks exactly the same as the one previously found. If the pattern completion times are added the decision tree changes drastically. Of the known predictors, only the age variable can be found in the decision tree at
different depths. These known predictors however can be retrieved from the patterns that were generated. As with the previous results, the decision tree uses more and longer patterns. Once again the algorithm seems to take advantage of the pattern completion times since it includes the pattern A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC without a completion time of 0-32 weeks and A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC which includes a completion time over 0-1 weeks ${ }^{2}$. The table below shows which patterns were used by the decision tree and that some new atc codes are introduced in the tree. B01_atc describes antithrombotic agents, where C07_atc describes beta blocking agents and C09_atc describes agents acting on the renin-angiotensin system.

| Completion <br> time in weeks | Pattern | Description | Depth | Gini <br> coefficient |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $0-32$ | 337 | D16_ICPC (b) D16_ICPC | 0 | 0.0128 |
| $0-32$ | 320 | A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC | 1 | 0.0117 |
| $0-1$ | 319 | A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC | 2 | 0.1719 |
| $0-32$ | 298 | B01_ATC (b) B01_ATC (b) B01_ATC | 2 | 0.0084 |
| $0-32$ | 228 | K86_ICPC (b) K86_ICPC (b) K86_ICPC | 3 | 0.0839 |
| $0-32$ | 138 | D18_ICPC | 3 | 0.0069 |
| $0-32$ | 187 | B80_ICPC (b) B80 ICPC | 4 | 0.0065 |
| $0-32$ | 204 | C07_ATC (b) C07_ATC (b) C07_ATC | 4 | 0.0316 |
| $0-32$ | 178 | C09_ATC (b) C09_ATC (b) C09_ATC | 4 | 0.1204 |
| $0-32$ | 140 | D01_ICPC | 4 | 0.1686 |

TABLE 5: patterns used by CART with 0.05 support excluding pattern completion times

Without the pattern completion times the algorithm scored an AUC of 0.8485 with a confidence interval of ( $0.8288-0.8681$ ). When pattern completion times were added, the AUC score increased to 0.8779 with a confidence interval of ( $0.8598-0.8960$ ). There is a slight overlap of the confidence intervals so therefore it is hard to say whether the algorithm performs significantly better when pattern completion times are added. The threshold value used to classify a patient as a CRC patient decreased from 0.2594 to 0.2162 . An improvement is found in the amount of true negatives and a decrease in the amount of true positives. The recall and the precision both decrease slightly which results in a deterioration in the F-measure from 0.0296 to 0.0295 .

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54305 | 36042 |
| Actual 1 | 38 | 550 |

TAble 6: confusion matrix for CART

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 56709 | 33638 |
| Actual 1 | 40 | 548 |

TABLE 7: confusion matrix for CART with pattern completion times

[^1]The table below shows the 10 best predictors for the logistic algorithm with and without using pattern completion times in the data. Excluding pattern completion time some new codes are used which previously were not used. R44_ICPC and T46_ICPC are codes of which we do not known what they imply. The addition of pattern completion times changes the variables selected to predict CRC. This is possibly caused by the introduction of $p 23$ which has a pattern completion time included. Moreover one new ICPC and ATC code are introduced in the best 10 variables. A99_ICPC describes a class of general diseases and C03_ATC describes diuretic drugs. Additionally, just like the decision tree algorithm, logistic regression seems to prefer 2-patterns over 1-patterns once completion times are introduced

| Position | Best 10 excluding pattern completion time | Best 10 including pattern completion time |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | d11_ICPC | d16_ICPC |
| 2 | Age | b03_ATC |
| 3 | t46_ICPC | C03_ATC (b) C03_ATC (p18) |
| 4 | A02_ATC (b) A06_ATC (p7) | A99_ICPC (b) A99_ICPC (p14) |
| 5 | A06_ATC (p8) | A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC (p23) (0-1) |
| 6 | B03_ATC (p31) | B03_ATC (p44) |
| 7 | B01_ATC (p40) | D12_ICPC (p65) |
| 8 | R44_ICPC (p15) | d11_ICPC |
| 9 | d12_ICPC | A02_ATC (b) A06_ATC (p9) |
| 10 | d18_ICPC | t46_ICPC |

TABLE 8: Features found using Logistic Regression with 0.10 support
The algorithm without pattern completion times gives an AUC of 0.8883 and a confidence interval of (0.8709-0.9058). The algorithm with pattern completion times gives an AUC of 0.9271 and a confidence interval of (0.9125-0.9417). Since the confidence intervals do not overlap, the algorithm seems to perform significantly better with the addition of the pattern completion times. The threshold value used to classify a person as a CRC patient decreased from 0.0031 to 0.0025 . Furthermore, they show that more true positives and more true negatives are found. Since both the precision and the recall increase, The F1-measure shows an improvement from 0.0299 to 0.0307 when pattern completion times are included.

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54213 | 36134 |
| Actual 1 | 30 | 558 |

TABLE 9: Confusion matrix for Logistic Regression without pattern completion times

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54429 | 35918 |
| Actual 1 | 18 | 570 |

Table 10: Confusion matrix for Logistic Regression with pattern completion times

When additional patterns are introduced by lowering the support needed to 0.05 , the algorithm seems to select different variables once again to predict CRC. Although the standard variables remain unchanged in the top 10 the 1-patterns seem to go away and make room for 2-patterns. These 2-patterns however contain predictors that were observed before, like drugs for
constipation (A06_ATC) and rectal bleeding (D16_ICPC). Additionally a new variable enters the top 10 namely b82_icpc which describes unspecified anaemia. If the algorithm uses the dataset including pattern completion times it seems to mostly use 2-patterns and 3-patterns to predict CRC. Once again the pattern containing rectal bleeding (D16_ICPC (b) D16_ICPC) is chosen as one of the most predictive patterns. This time however a pattern completion time is included Moreover, the algorithm uses the patterns containing pattern completion times to predict CRC. The 2-patterns and 3-patterns used in the algorithm also contain predictors which were observed before.

| Position | Best 10 excluding pattern <br> completion time | Best 10 including pattern completion time |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | d11_ICPC | p336 (D16_ICPC (b) D16_ICPC) (0-1) |
| 2 | d16_ICPC | d18_ICPC |
| 3 | p102 (D16_ICPC) | p298 (B01_ATC (b) B01_ATC (b) B01_ATC) |
| 4 | Age | Age |
| 5 | p37 (C09_ATC (b) A06_ATC) | b80_ICPC |
| 6 | b82_ICPC | p320 (A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC) |
| 7 | b80_ICPC | p142 (D01_ICPC (b) D01_ICPC) |
| 8 | p161 (A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC) | p42 (A02_ATC (b) A02_ATC (b) A02_ATC) (4-8) |
| 9 | t46_ICPC | p178 (C09_ATC (b) C09_ATC (b)C09_ATC) |
| 10 | p143 (B80_ICPC) | a06_ATC |

Table 11: Best features found using Logistic Regression with 0.05 support. The numbers at the end of a pattern specify the interval in which the pattern occurs
Without the pattern completion times The model scored an AUC of 0.8933 with a confidence interval of ( $0.8761-0.9105$ ). When pattern completion times were added, the performance of the model increased to 0.9292 with a confidence interval of ( $0.9148-0.9436$ ). The confidence interval don't overlap so once again the logistic regression algorithm performs significantly better with pattern completion times. The threshold value used to classify a patient as a CRC patient decreased from 0.0029 to 0.0023 . The algorithm is able to find more true negatives and also finds more true positives. Thus, the quality of the model improves as well as the performance of the model. Since both precision and recall increase the F-measure shows an increase from 0.0299 to 0.0305 .

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54244 | 36103 |
| Actual 1 | 30 | 558 |

Table 13: Confusion matrix for Logistic Regression without pattern completion times

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54299 | 36048 |
| Actual 1 | 20 | 568 |

Table 12: Confusion matrix for Logistic Regression with pattern completion times

The table below shows the 10 most predictive variables for the random forest algorithm. In the RF without pattern completion times we don't see a lot of change in the predictive variables compared to LR. It does however include the referral to a specialist. The pattern completion time seems to have had some influence on the chosen attributes although they are not present in the top 10. As with the previous algorithms d16_ICPC scores well compared to how it performed without pattern completion times. Finally the patterns found in the original temporal mining algorithm do not hold any significant value in the new algorithm.

| position | RF without pattern <br> completion time | Position <br> in RF+ | RF with pattern completion <br> time (RF+) | Position <br> in RF |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | d18_ICPC | 2 | d16_ICPC | $50+$ |
| 2 | b80_ICPC | 3 | d18_ICPC | 1 |
| 3 | A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC (p17) | $50+$ | b80_ICPC | 2 |
| 4 | Age | 5 | A02_ATC (b) A02_ATC (p4) | 40 |
| 5 | a06_ATC | 8 | Age | 4 |
| 6 | A06_ATC (p8) | 7 | d01_ICPC | 10 |
| 7 | gastro- <br> enterologie_specialisme | 9 | A06_ATC (p10) | 6 |
| 8 | b03_ATC | 19 | a06_ATC | 5 |
| 9 | b82_ICPC | 14 | gastro- <br> enterologie_specialisme | 7 |
| 10 | d01_ICPC | 6 | A99_ICPC (b) A99_ICPC(p14) | 38 |

TAble 14: Best features found using Random Forest with support 0.10
Without pattern completion times the AUC score was 0.8850 and a confidence interval of (0.8672-0.9026). With pattern completion times the AUC score was 0.8912 and the confidence interval was (0.8740-0.9085). Once again the confidence interval overlap and therefore the results are not significant. The threshold value for classifying CRC patients decreased from 0.0030 to 0.0027 . Results show that the amount of true positives increases and that the amount of true negatives increases. This means that the quality of the solution improves when pattern completion times are added. Both the precision and the recall increases which means that the F1-measure increases from 0.0295 to 0.0299 .

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54209 | 36138 |
| Actual 1 | 38 | 550 |

Table 15: Confusion matrix for Logistic Regression without pattern completion times

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54345 | 36002 |
| Actual 1 | 33 | 555 |

Table 16: Confusion matrix for Logistic Regression with pattern completion times

If the algorithm is rerun with the patterns that were obtained with a support of $0.05, \mathrm{RF}$ did take more patterns in its top predictors. Most of these patterns are 1-patterns which can also be found in the top 10 as a standard attribute. The forest however does seem to use a smaller
variety of codes in the top 10 than in the previous case. When pattern completion times are added, RF adds two variables in the top 10 with information about their pattern completion time. Once again the pattern describing rectal bleeding (D16_ICPC (b) D16_ICPC) seems to be the most predictive pattern. Additionally, the top 10 now mostly consists out of 2 and 3patterns of ATC and ICPC codes seen before.

| position | RF without pattern <br> completion times | Ranking <br> in RF+ | RF with pattern completion time <br> (RF+) | Rankin <br> g in RF |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | d18_ICPC | 13 | P336 (D16_ICPC (b) D16_ICPC) (0-1) | - |
| 2 | p71 (D18_ICPC) | 4 | p320 (A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC) | 11 |
| 3 | d16_ICPC | 9 | p228 (A06_ATC (b) A06_ATC (b) <br> A06_ATC) | 39 |
| 4 | p102 (D16_ICPC) | 10 | p138 (D18_ICPC) | 2 |
| 5 | p97 (B80_ICPC (b) B80_ICPC) | 15 | p186 (B80_ICPC (b) B80_ICPC)(0-1) | - |
| 6 | Age | 7 | d01_ICPC | 15 |
| 7 | p226 (A06_ATC) | 16 | Age | 6 |
| 8 | a06_ATC | 23 | p142 (D01_ICPC (b) D01_ICPC) | 14 |
| 9 | b80_ICPC | 14 | d16_ICPC | 3 |
| 10 | p143 (B80_ICPC) | 32 | p196 (D16_ICPC) | 4 |

Table 17: Best features found using Random Forest with 0.05 support
When the algorithm is rerun with a minimum support of 0.05 , the performance of the model does not improve much. Without pattern completion times the model was able to score an AUC of 0.8855 with a confidence interval of ( $0.8678-0.9031$ ). When the pattern completion times are added the AUC increased to 0.9007 ( $0.8841-0.9174$ ). Clearly the results are not significant since the confidence intervals don't overlap. The threshold value used to classify a patient as a CRC patient decreases from 0.0030 to 0.0028 . Furthermore, results show that more true negatives are found and more true positives when adding pattern completion times. The Fmeasure shows an increase from 0.0298 to 0.0307 due to both a higher recall and precision.

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54292 | 36055 |
| Actual 1 | 34 | 554 |

Table 18: Confusion matrix for Random Forest without pattern completion times

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54707 | 35640 |
| Actual 1 | 23 | 565 |

Table 19: Confusion matrix for Random
Forest with pattern completion times

SVM
For support vector machines the influence of the variables on the model can't be analyzed. however the confusion matrices and the AUC that were found by the model can be analyzed. Without pattern completion times the model gave an AUC score of 0.8199 and a confidence interval of (0.7990-0.8407). With pattern completion times the model gave an AUC score of 0.8322 and a confidence interval of ( $0.8118-0.8526$ ). As a result the performance of the model is not significantly better. The threshold value used to classify a person as a CRC patient
decreases from 0.0019 to 0.0018 . Furthermore, results show that more true negatives and less true positives were found. As a result Both recall and precision slightly decrease which also decreases the F1-measure from 0.0296 to 0.0294 .

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54270 | 36077 |
| Actual 1 | 38 | 550 |

Table 20: Confusion matrix for Support
Vector Machine without pattern completion

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54366 | 35981 |
| Actual 1 | 41 | 547 |

Table 21: Confusion matrix for Support Vector Machine with pattern completion

If the algorithm is rerun with a support of 0.05 the model without pattern completion times gave an AUC of 0.8145 and a confidence interval of ( $0.7934-0.8356$ ). When pattern completion times were added the AUC increased to 0.8298 with a confidence interval of (0.8093-0.8503). The confidence intervals are overlapping and therefore the results are not significantly better. The threshold value used to classify a patient as a CRC patient increases from 0.0017 to 0.0019 . They show that more true positives are found but also less true negatives. Thus, with pattern completion times the model is able to find more CRC patients but at the cost of healthy patients being classified as CRC patients. Both precision and recall increases, and as a result the F-measure increases from 0.0292 to 0.0300 .

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54464 | 35883 |
| Actual 1 | 47 | 541 |

Table 22: Confusion matrix for Support Vector Machine without pattern completion

|  | Pred 0 | Pred 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Actual 0 | 54341 | 36006 |
| Actual 1 | 31 | 557 |

Table 23: Confusion matrix for Support Vector Machine with pattern completion

## Conclusion

Finally, a summary of the performance of the model is given to see which algorithm had the most benefit of the pattern completion times. The table below shows the AUC scores of all the algorithms and their respective confidence intervals. Additionally, the results of [7] are included to use as a benchmark which used a minimum support of 0.1. The only difference is that in [7] comorbidity data and lab results are included in the dataset. The table shows that overall the addition of pattern completion times has improved the results of the temporal mining algorithm. Moreover the AUC scores in bold show that these datasets performed significantly better than the benchmarked performance. LR and RF seem to benefit the most from the pattern completion times while RF and SVM don't.

| support | CART | LR | RF | SVM |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0.1 | $0.844(0.824-0.864)$ | $\mathbf{0 . 8 8 8}(\mathbf{0 . 8 7 1 - 0 . 9 0 6 )}$ | $0.885(0.867-0.903)$ | $0.820(0.800-0.841)$ |
| $0.1+$ | $\mathbf{0 . 8 6 6 ( 0 . 8 4 9 - 0 . 8 8 6 )}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 9 2 7 ( \mathbf { 0 . 9 1 3 - 0 . 9 4 2 ) }}$ | $0.891(0.874-0.909)$ | $0.832(0.812-0.853)$ |
| 0.05 | $0.849(0.829-0.868)$ | $\mathbf{0 . 8 9 3}(\mathbf{0 . 8 7 6 - 0 . 9 1 0 )}$ | $0.885(0.868-0.903)$ | $0.815(0.793-0.836)$ |
| $0.05+$ | $\mathbf{0 . 8 7 8}(\mathbf{0 . 8 6 0 - 0 . 8 9 6 )}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 9 2 9 ( \mathbf { 0 . 9 1 5 - 0 . 9 4 4 ) }}$ | $0.901(0.884-0.917)$ | $0.830(0.809-0.850)$ |
| benchmark | $0.818(0.798-0.838)$ | $0.796(0.775-0.817)$ | $0.881(0.864-0.898)$ | $0.832(0.813-0.851)$ |

TABLE 24: Summary of the performance of the models and their confidence interval given a certain support. The + sign indicates that pattern completion times were included. Bold AUC scores indicate that it performed significantly better than the benchmark dataset

## Discussion

This study was performed to investigate whether the use of temporal patterns could be exploited further for the prediction of CRC. This was done by generating patterns with a known algorithm which has proven to be successful and adding information about the time required to complete such a pattern. As a result, it seemed most of the patterns found were completed within either 1 week or between 8-16 weeks. Moreover, CART, LR and RF seemed to be using more and longer patterns in their predictions for CRC with the addition of pattern completion times for the temporal patterns. These patterns contained mainly alimentary tract and metabolisma related drug prescriptions (A\#\#_ATC) or ICPC codes describing digestive complications (D\#\#_ICPC). Some of these codes (A06_ATC and D16_ICPC) have been found to be predictive for colorectal cancer [6] [5]. Additionally, the temporal patterns with completion time of at most 1 week were most commonly used by the algorithms.

Overall the results show an improvement in performance of the model, and an improvement in the quality of the solution. The confusion matrices show that most of the times we are able to identify more CRC patients with the addition of pattern completion times although sometimes at the cost of less true negatives. The only exceptions are SVM with a minimum support of 0.10 and CART with a minimum support of 0.05 . Furthermore, the patterns used for predicting CRC become longer and some of those longer patterns don't hold any information on the completion time since the algorithm could not find enough support. These longer patterns also affects the quality of the solution since it may take more time for a patient to create a 2 or 3 pattern which predicts CRC in a patient. Finally, we conclude that time aspects of temporal data can contribute to the prediction of colorectal cancer but the quality of the solution might suffer from it.

For future work it would be interesting to further improve the quality of the patterns. This can be done for example by forcing a combination of acid related ATC codes with digestive ICPC codes in a pattern. This might give more insight in the reaction of a patient to a certain drug prescription. Furthermore, the patterns found in this study need to be validated by other studies to see whether the results found are incidental or not. Finally, a pattern can have more relations then only co-occurency and succession as described in [8].

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FIgure 2 : Decision tree for CART with 0.10 support excluding pattern completion times


Figure 3: Decision tree for CART with 0.10 support including pattern completion times


Figure 4: Decision tree for CART with 0.05 support excluding pattern completion times


FIgURE 5: Decision tree for CART with 0.05 support including pattern completion times

| 1-patterns |  | 2-patterns |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| p | code | p | code | relation | code |
| 0 | K86_icpc | 2 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 1 | C03_atc | 3 | C03_atc | C | K86_icpc |
| 5 | C09_atc | 4 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 6 | A02_atc | 7 | A02_atc | b | A06_atc |
| 8 | A06_atc | 9 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc |
| 14 | R03_atc | 10 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
| 15 | R44_icpc | 11 | C09_atc | c | K86_icpc |
| 16 | A99_icpc | 12 | C03_atc | b | C03_atc |
| 20 | T90_icpc | 13 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 21 | C10_atc | 17 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |
| 22 | A10_atc | 18 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
| 24 | J01_atc | 19 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 25 | C08_atc | 23 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |
| 26 | C07_atc | 27 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 28 | N05_atc | 29 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 31 | B03_atc | 30 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 32 | N02_atc | 33 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |
| 40 | B01_atc | 34 | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 41 | D12_icpc | 35 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  | 36 | C10_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 38 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 39 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 42 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |

TABLE 15: patterns found by the temporal pattern mining algorithm with a minimum support of 0.10 excluding pattern completion times

| 1-patterns |  | 2-patterns |  |  |  |  | 3-patterns |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| p | code | interval | p | code | relation | code | interval | p | code | relation | code | relation | code |
| 0 | K86_icpc | 9-16 | 2 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | 9-16 | 57 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 1 | C03_atc | 0-1 | 3 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | 0-1 | 58 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 7 | C09_atc |  | 4 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | 0-1 | 67 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
| 8 | A02_atc |  | 5 | C03_atc | c | K86_icpc |  | 68 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
| 10 | A06_atc |  | 6 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | 9-16 | 69 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
| 20 | R03_atc |  | 9 | A02_atc | b | A06_atc | 0-1 | 70 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpo |
| 21 | R44_icpc |  | 11 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 22 | A99_icpc | 9-16 | 12 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 27 | T90_icpc | 0-1 | 13 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 28 | C10_atc |  | 14 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 29 | A10_atc |  | 15 | C09_atc | c | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 33 | J01_atc | 9-16 | 16 | C03_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 34 | C08_atc | 0-1 | 17 | C03_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 35 | C07_atc |  | 18 | C03_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 39 | N05_atc |  | 19 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 44 | B03_atc | 0-1 | 23 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 45 | N02_atc |  | 24 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 64 | B01_atc |  | 25 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 65 | D12_icpc |  | 26 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 9-16 | 30 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 0-1 | 31 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 32 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 9-16 | 36 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 0-1 | 37 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 38 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 9-16 | 40 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 0-1 | 41 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 42 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 43 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 9-16 | 46 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 0-1 | 47 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 48 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 9-16 | 49 | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 0-1 | 50 | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 51 | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 9-16 | 52 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 0-1 | 53 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 54 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 0-1 | 55 | C10_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


|  |  |  | 56 | C10_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | $0-1$ | 60 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 61 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $0-1$ | 62 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 63 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 66 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 16: patterns found by the temporal pattern mining algorithm with a minimum support of 0.10 including pattern completion times

| 1-patterns |  | 2-patterns |  | relation | code | 3-patterns |  | relation | code | relation | code |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| p | code | p | code |  |  | p | code |  |  |  |  |
| 0 | D02_atc | 1 | N02_atc | b | NO2_atc | 15 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc | C | T90_icpc |
| 3 | G04_atc | 2 | T90_icpc | c | T90_icpc | 18 | C03_atc | C | C03_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 4 | H02_atc | 5 | C03_atc | b | B01_atc | 21 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 7 | C10_atc | 6 | N05_atc | b | A02_atc | 25 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 13 | K86_icpc | 8 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc | 27 | C09_atc | C | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc |
| 17 | J01_atc | 9 | A10_atc | b | C09_atc | 30 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | C | B01_atc |
| 20 | T90_icpc | 10 | C09_atc | b | C07_atc | 31 | C09_atc | C | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 26 | C01_atc | 11 | R03_atc | C | R95_icpc | 32 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | C | C09_atc |
| 28 | C07_atc | 12 | A02_atc | c | B01_atc | 35 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 33 | C08_atc | 14 | C10_atc | b | A99_icpc | 38 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 55 | B03_atc | 16 | C09_atc | b | R44_icpc | 41 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 57 | N06_atc | 19 | C01_atc | b | C01_atc | 43 | B01_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |
| 60 | R01_atc | 22 | C10_atc | b | C09_atc | 44 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | C | B01_atc |
| 70 | R44_icpc | 23 | C07_atc | b | A99_icpc | 45 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | C | C07_atc |
| 71 | D18_icpc | 24 | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc | 61 | C07_atc | C | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc |
| 73 | D01_icpc | 29 | C07_atc | b | A02_atc | 62 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc | C | K86_icpc |
| 79 | U71_icpc | 34 | C03_atc | b | A99_icpc | 63 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 82 | D12_icpc | 36 | A06_atc | b | D12_icpc | 64 | C09_atc | C | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
| 91 | M01_atc | 37 | C09_atc | b | A06_atc | 68 | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc | c | K86_icpc |
| 102 | D16_icpc | 39 | A99_icpc | b | R44_icpc | 69 | A10_atc | C | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
| 104 | D06_icpc | 40 | N05_atc | b | C09_atc | 80 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 111 | A97_icpo | 42 | B01_atc | c | C10_atc | 86 | C09_atc | c | C03_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 121 | P06_icpo | 46 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | 87 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | C | C10_atc |
| 122 | B01_atc | 47 | C10_atc | b | C10_atc | 92 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 124 | C09_atc | 48 | C10_atc | b | T90_icpc | 94 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 131 | R03_atc | 49 | A02_atc | b | N05_atc | 95 | A02_atc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
| 135 | C03_atc | 50 | C03_atc | C | C09_atc | 100 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
| 143 | B80_icpo | 51 | A02_atc | b | A99_icpc | 106 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |
| 150 | A04_icpc | 52 | K86_icpc | C | K86_icpc | 108 | B01_atc | b | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 167 | S01_atc | 53 | J01_atc | b | J01_atc | 116 | C10_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 184 | R95_icpo | 54 | C09_atc | b | C03_atc | 118 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |


| 185 | N02_atc | 56 | C09_atc | b | T90_icpc | 119 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 187 | A10_atc | 58 | B01_atc | b | A99_icpc | 123 | N05_atc | b | A02_atc | b | N05_atc |
| 200 | A02_atc | 59 | A02_atc | b | C07_atc | 126 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 204 | T93_icpc | 65 | C10_atc | b | T93_icpc | 127 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |
| 209 | A03_atc | 66 | A06_atc | b | A99_icpc | 130 | B01_atc | c | B01_atc | b | K86_icpc |
| 218 | N05_atc | 67 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | 133 | N05_atc | c | N05_atc | b | P06_icpc |
| 219 | A99_icpc | 72 | A02_atc | b | D12_icpc | 138 | B01_atc | C | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 226 | A06_atc | 74 | D01_icpc | b | D01_icpc | 139 | C10_atc | C | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 230 | D07_atc | 75 | N05_atc | c | P06_icpc | 141 | B01_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 231 | D02_icpc | 76 | B01_atc | b | R44_icpc | 151 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc | c | C09_atc |
|  |  | 77 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | 152 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  | 78 | D12_icpc | b | D12_icpc | 154 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | c | C10_atc |
|  |  | 81 | C03_atc | b | N05_atc | 157 | A10_atc | b | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 83 | A02_atc | b | A06_atc | 159 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc | c | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 84 | C07_atc | c | K86_icpc | 165 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  | 85 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | 170 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | c | C09_atc |
|  |  | 88 | C10_atc | b | A06_atc | 175 | C09_atc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 89 | B01_atc | b | C01_atc | 183 | K86_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 90 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc | 186 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 93 | B01_atc | b | T90_icpc | 188 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 96 | A10_atc | b | A10_atc | 192 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc | C | C03_atc |
|  |  | 97 | B80_icpc | b | B80_icpc | 193 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | A02_atc |
|  |  | 98 | B01_atc | c | K86_icpc | 194 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | C | B01_atc |
|  |  | 99 | R03_atc | b | R95_icpc | 197 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
|  |  | 101 | A06_atc | b | C09_atc | 198 | C07_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |
|  |  | 103 | A10_atc | b | A02_atc | 202 | C03_atc | c | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 105 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc | 205 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 107 | K86_icpc | b | R44_icpc | 212 | B01_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 109 | C09_atc | b | A10_atc | 214 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 110 | C09_atc | b | A99_icpc | 222 | C09_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 112 | N05_atc | b | K86_icpc | 223 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 113 | A02_atc | c | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 114 | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 115 | A06_atc | c | D12_icpo |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 117 | R44_icpc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 120 | C08_atc | b | C08_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 125 | C03_atc | c | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 128 | C09_atc | c | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 129 | C03_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 132 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 134 | C09_atc | b | A02_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | 136 | N05_atc | b | P06_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 137 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 140 | C10_atc | c | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 142 | B01_atc | c | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 144 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 145 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 146 | C10_atc | c | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |
|  | 147 | B03_atc | b | B03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 148 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 149 | N05_atc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |
|  | 153 | C09_atc | c | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 155 | B01_atc | b | N05_atc |  |  |  |  |
|  | 156 | C07_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 158 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 160 | A02_atc | b | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 161 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |  |  |  |  |


|  |  | 206 | A02_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | 207 | B01_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 208 | R03_atc | b | R03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 210 | C03_atc | b | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 211 | B01_atc | c | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 213 | A02_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 215 | C03_atc | c | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 216 | K86_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 217 | C10_atc | c | T93_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 220 | R95_icpc | b | R95_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 221 | A10_atc | c | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 224 | A02_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 225 | C10_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 227 | B01_atc | c | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 228 | A02_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 229 | B01_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 17: patterns found by the temporal pattern mining algorithm with a minimum support of 0.05 excluding pattern completion times

| 1-patterns |  | 2-patterns |  |  |  |  | 3-patterns |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| p | code | interval | p | code | relation | code | interval | p | code | relation | code | relation | code |
| 0 | D02_atc | 0-1 | 1 | N02_atc | b | N02_atc | 9-16 | 22 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc | C | T90_icpc |
| 4 | G04_atc |  | 2 | NO2_atc | b | N02_atc | 0-1 | 23 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc | C | T90_icpc |
| 5 | H02_atc |  | 3 | T90_icpc | C | T90_icpc |  | 24 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc | C | T90_icpc |
| 10 | C10_atc | 9-16 | 6 | C03_atc | b | B01_atc | 0-1 | 27 | C03_atc | C | C03_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 20 | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 7 | C03_atc | b | B01_atc |  | 28 | C03_atc | c | C03_atc | b | C09_atc |
| 26 | J01_atc |  | 8 | C03_atc | b | B01_atc |  | 32 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 31 | T90_icpc |  | 9 | N05_atc | b | A02_atc | 9-16 | 40 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 44 | C01_atc | 9-16 | 11 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 41 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 48 | C07_atc | 0-1 | 12 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc | 5-8 | 42 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 59 | C08_atc |  | 13 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc |  | 43 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | b | A02_atc |
| 106 | B03_atc | 0-1 | 14 | A10_atc | b | C09_atc | 9-16 | 45 | C09_atc | C | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc |
| 110 | N06_atc |  | 15 | A10_atc | b | C09_atc | 0-1 | 46 | C09_atc | C | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc |
| 114 | R01_atc | 0-1 | 16 | C09_atc | b | C07_atc |  | 47 | C09_atc | C | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc |
| 137 | R44_icpc |  | 17 | C09_atc | b | C07_atc | 9-16 | 50 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | C | B01_atc |
| 138 | D18_icpc |  | 18 | R03_atc | C | R95_icpc | 0-1 | 51 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | C | B01_atc |
| 140 | D01_icpc |  | 19 | A02_atc | c | B01_atc |  | 52 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | c | B01_atc |
| 151 | U71_icpc |  | 21 | C10_atc | b | A99_icpc | 9-16 | 53 | C09_atc | C | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 156 | D12_icpc |  | 25 | C09_atc | b | R44_icpc | 0-1 | 54 | C09_atc | C | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 174 | M01_atc | 0-1 | 29 | C01_atc | b | C01_atc |  | 55 | C09_atc | C | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
| 196 | D16_icpc |  | 30 | C01_atc | b | C01_atc | 9-16 | 56 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | C | C09_atc |


| 198 | D06_icpc | 9-16 | 33 | C10_atc | b | C09_atc | 0-1 | 57 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | c | C09_atc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 212 | A97_icpc | 0-1 | 34 | C10_atc | b | C09_atc |  | 58 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | C | C09_atc |
| 232 | P06_icpc |  | 35 | C10_atc | b | C09_atc | 9-16 | 62 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 233 | B01_atc |  | 36 | C07_atc | b | A99_icpc | 0-1 | 63 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 237 | C09_atc | 9-16 | 37 | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc |  | 64 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 252 | R03_atc | 0-1 | 38 | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc | 9-16 | 68 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 261 | C03_atc |  | 39 | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 69 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 277 | B80_icpc |  | 49 | C07_atc | b | A02_atc |  | 70 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
| 293 | A04_icpc | 0-1 | 60 | C03_atc | b | A99_icpc | 9-16 | 73 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 334 | S01_atc |  | 61 | C03_atc | b | A99_icpc | 17-32 | 74 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 371 | R95_icpc | 0-1 | 65 | A06_atc | b | D12_icpo | 0-1 | 75 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 372 | N02_atc |  | 66 | A06_atc | b | D12_icpc | 5-8 | 76 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 376 | A10_atc |  | 67 | C09_atc | b | A06_atc |  | 77 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
| 406 | A02_atc |  | 71 | A99_icpc | b | R44_icpc | 9-16 | 79 | B01_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |
| 415 | T93_icpc |  | 72 | N05_atc | b | C09_atc | 0-1 | 80 | B01_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |
| 427 | A03_atc |  | 78 | B01_atc | c | C10_atc |  | 81 | B01_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |
| 442 | N05_atc | 9-16 | 88 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | 9-16 | 82 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | c | B01_atc |
| 443 | A99_icpc | 0-1 | 89 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | 0-1 | 83 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | C | B01_atc |
| 458 | A06_atc |  | 90 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |  | 84 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | C | B01_atc |
| 466 | D07_atc | 9-16 | 91 | C10_atc | b | C10_atc | 9-16 | 85 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | C | C07_atc |
| 467 | D02_icpc | 0-1 | 92 | C10_atc | b | C10_atc | 0-1 | 86 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | C | C07_atc |
|  |  |  | 93 | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |  | 87 | B01_atc | b | C07_atc | C | C07_atc |
|  |  | 0-1 | 94 | C10_atc | b | T90_icpc | 9-16 | 115 | C07_atc | c | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  |  | 95 | C10_atc | b | T90_icpc | 0-1 | 116 | C07_atc | c | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 0-1 | 96 | A02_atc | b | N05_atc |  | 117 | C07_atc | c | C07_atc | b | K86_icpo |
|  |  |  | 97 | A02_atc | b | N05_atc | 9-16 | 118 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc | C | K86_icpc |
|  |  |  | 98 | C03_atc | c | C09_atc | 0-1 | 119 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc | C | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 0-1 | 99 | A02_atc | b | A99_icpc |  | 120 | C09_atc | b | K86_icpc | c | K86_icpc |
|  |  |  | 100 | A02_atc | b | A99_icpc | 9-16 | 121 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  |  | 101 | K86_icpc | c | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 122 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  | 0-1 | 102 | J01_atc | b | J01_atc |  | 123 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  |  | 103 | J01_atc | b | J01_atc |  | 124 | C09_atc | c | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 0-1 | 104 | C09_atc | b | C03_atc | 9-16 | 131 | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc | C | K86_icpc |
|  |  |  | 105 | C09_atc | b | C03_atc | 0-1 | 132 | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc | C | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 9-16 | 107 | C09_atc | b | T90_icpc |  | 133 | C07_atc | b | K86_icpc | c | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 0-1 | 108 | C09_atc | b | T90_icpc | 9-16 | 134 | A10_atc | C | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  |  | 109 | C09_atc | b | T90_icpc | 0-1 | 135 | A10_atc | C | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 0-1 | 111 | B01_atc | b | A99_icpc |  | 136 | A10_atc | C | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  |  | 112 | B01_atc | b | A99_icpc | 9-16 | 152 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  |  | 113 | A02_atc | b | C07_atc | 0-1 | 153 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  |  | 125 | C10_atc | b | T93_icpc |  | 154 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | b | C10_atc |


|  | 0-1 | 126 | A06_atc | b | A99_icpc | 0-1 | 164 | C09_atc | c | C03_atc | b | C09_atc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 127 | A06_atc | b | A99_icpc |  | 165 | C09_atc | c | C03_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 128 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | 9-16 | 166 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | c | C10_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 129 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | 0-1 | 167 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | c | C10_atc |
|  |  | 130 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |  | 168 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | c | C10_atc |
|  |  | 139 | A02_atc | b | D12_icpc | 9-16 | 175 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 141 | D01_icpc | b | D01_icpc | 17-32 | 176 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 142 | D01_icpc | b | D01_icpc | 0-1 | 177 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 143 | N05_atc | c | P06_icpe |  | 178 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 144 | B01_atc | b | R44_icpc |  | 180 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc | b | A02_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 145 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | 0-1 | 181 | A02_atc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
|  | 17-32 | 146 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |  | 182 | A02_atc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 147 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | 9-16 | 191 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 148 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | 0-1 | 192 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 149 | D12_icpc | b | D12_icpc |  | 193 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 150 | D12_icpc | b | D12_icpc | 9-16 | 202 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |
|  |  | 155 | C03_atc | b | N05_atc | 0-1 | 203 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 157 | A02_atc | b | A06_atc |  | 204 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |
|  |  | 158 | A02_atc | b | A06_atc | 9-16 | 206 | B01_atc | b | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  | 159 | C07_atc | c | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 207 | B01_atc | b | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 160 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc |  | 208 | B01_atc | b | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 161 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | 9-16 | 218 | C10_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  | 5-8 | 162 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc | 0-1 | 219 | C10_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 163 | A02_atc | b | A02_atc |  | 220 | C10_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 169 | C10_atc | b | A06_atc | 9-16 | 223 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 170 | B01_atc | b | C01_atc | 0-1 | 224 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 171 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc |  | 225 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 172 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc | 9-16 | 226 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |
|  |  | 173 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 227 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |
|  |  | 179 | B01_atc | b | T90_icpc |  | 228 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 183 | A10_atc | b | A10_atc | 9-16 | 234 | N05_atc | b | A02_atc | b | N05_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 184 | A10_atc | b | A10_atc | 0-1 | 235 | N05_atc | b | A02_atc | b | N05_atc |
|  |  | 185 | A10_atc | b | A10_atc |  | 236 | N05_atc | b | A02_atc | b | N05_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 186 | B80_icpc | b | B80_icpc | 9-16 | 239 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 187 | B80_icpc | b | B80_icpc | 0-1 | 240 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 188 | B01_atc | c | K86_icpc |  | 241 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 189 | R03_atc | b | R95_icpc | 9-16 | 242 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |
|  |  | 190 | R03_atc | b | R95_icpc | 17-32 | 243 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 194 | A06_atc | b | C09_atc | 0-1 | 244 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |
|  |  | 195 | A06_atc | b | C09_atc | 5-8 | 245 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |
|  |  | 197 | A10_atc | b | A02_atc |  | 246 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |


|  | 9-16 | 199 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |  | 251 | B01_atc | c | B01_atc | b | K86_icpc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0-1 | 200 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc |  | 258 | N05_atc | c | N05_atc | b | P06_icpc |
|  |  | 201 | C07_atc | b | C07_atc | 0-1 | 267 | B01_atc | C | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  | 205 | K86_icpc | b | R44_icpc |  | 268 | B01_atc | c | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 209 | C09_atc | b | A10_atc | 9-16 | 269 | C10_atc | C | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 210 | C09_atc | b | A10_atc | 0-1 | 270 | C10_atc | C | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 211 | C09_atc | b | A99_icpc |  | 271 | C10_atc | C | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 213 | N05_atc | b | K86_icpc | 9-16 | 273 | B01_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 214 | A02_atc | c | C09_atc | 0-1 | 274 | B01_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 215 | A02_atc | b | B01_atc |  | 275 | B01_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 216 | A02_atc | b | B01_atc | 0-1 | 294 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc | C | C09_atc |
|  |  | 217 | A06_atc | c | D12_icpc |  | 295 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc | c | C09_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 221 | R44_icpc | b | K86_icpc | 9-16 | 296 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  | 222 | R44_icpc | b | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 297 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 229 | C08_atc | b | C08_atc |  | 298 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 230 | C08_atc | b | C08_atc | 9-16 | 300 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | C | C10_atc |
|  |  | 231 | C08_atc | b | C08_atc | 0-1 | 301 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | C | C10_atc |
|  |  | 238 | C03_atc | c | K86_icpc |  | 302 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | C | C10_atc |
|  |  | 247 | C09_atc | c | T90_icpc | 9-16 | 307 | A10_atc | b | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
|  | 9-16 | 248 | C03_atc | b | C03_atc | 0-1 | 308 | A10_atc | b | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 249 | C03_atc | b | C03_atc |  | 309 | A10_atc | b | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 250 | C03_atc | b | C03_atc | 9-16 | 313 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc | C | K86_icpc |
|  | 9-16 | 253 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | 0-1 | 314 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc | C | K86_icpc |
|  | 17-32 | 254 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |  | 315 | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc | c | K86_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 255 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | 9-16 | 326 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  | 5-8 | 256 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc | 0-1 | 327 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  |  | 257 | N05_atc | b | N05_atc |  | 328 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 259 | C09_atc | b | A02_atc | 9-16 | 338 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | C | C09_atc |
|  |  | 260 | C09_atc | b | A02_atc | 0-1 | 339 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | c | C09_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 262 | N05_atc | b | P06_icpe |  | 340 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | c | C09_atc |
|  |  | 263 | N05_atc | b | P06_icpe | 0-1 | 351 | C09_atc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  | 9-16 | 264 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc |  | 352 | C09_atc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 265 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | 9-16 | 368 | K86_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 266 | C09_atc | b | C10_atc | 0-1 | 369 | K86_icpo | b | A99_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 272 | C10_atc | C | K86_icpc |  | 370 | K86_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 276 | B01_atc | c | C07_atc | 9-16 | 373 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 278 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | 0-1 | 374 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  | 17-32 | 279 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  | 375 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 280 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | 9-16 | 377 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 5-8 | 281 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | 0-1 | 378 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 282 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  | 379 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |


|  | 0-1 | 283 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc | 0-1 | 385 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc | c | C03_atc |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 284 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc |  | 386 | C03_atc | b | C09_atc | C | C03_atc |
|  |  | 285 | C10_atc | c | T90_icpc | 9-16 | 387 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | A02_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 286 | B03_atc | b | B03_atc |  | 388 | B01_atc | b | B01_atc | b | A02_atc |
|  |  | 287 | B03_atc | b | B03_atc | 9-16 | 389 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | c | B01_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 288 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | 0-1 | 390 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | c | B01_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 289 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |  | 391 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | c | B01_atc |
|  |  | 290 | B01_atc | b | C09_atc | 9-16 | 395 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 291 | N05_atc | b | A99_icpc | 17-32 | 396 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
|  |  | 292 | N05_atc | b | A99_icpc | 0-1 | 397 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
|  |  | 299 | C09_atc | c | C10_atc | 5-8 | 398 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 303 | B01_atc | b | N05_atc |  | 399 | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc | b | A99_icpc |
|  |  | 304 | B01_atc | b | N05_atc | 9-16 | 400 | C07_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 305 | C07_atc | b | C03_atc | 0-1 | 401 | C07_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |
|  |  | 306 | C07_atc | b | C03_atc |  | 402 | C07_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C07_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 310 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | 9-16 | 409 | C03_atc | C | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 311 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | 0-1 | 410 | C03_atc | C | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc |
|  |  | 312 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc |  | 411 | C03_atc | c | C03_atc | b | K86_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 316 | A02_atc | b | T90_icpc | 9-16 | 416 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 317 | A02_atc | b | T90_icpc | 0-1 | 417 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 318 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc |  | 418 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 319 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc | 9-16 | 431 | B01_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 320 | A06_atc | b | A06_atc | 0-1 | 432 | B01_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 321 | A06_atc | b | A02_atc |  | 433 | B01_atc | c | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |
|  |  | 322 | A06_atc | b | A02_atc | 9-16 | 436 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 323 | B01_atc | b | A06_atc | 0-1 | 437 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 324 | C03_atc | b | A02_atc |  | 438 | C09_atc | b | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  |  | 325 | C03_atc | b | A02_atc | 9-16 | 447 | C09_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 9-16 | 329 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 448 | C09_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 17-32 | 330 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc |  | 449 | C09_atc | C | B01_atc | b | C09_atc |
|  | 0-1 | 331 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | 9-16 | 450 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpo |
|  | 5-8 | 332 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | 17-32 | 451 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 333 | K86_icpc | b | K86_icpc | 0-1 | 452 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  |  | 335 | C09_atc | c | K86_icpc |  | 453 | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc | b | T90_icpc |
|  | 0-1 | 336 | D16_icpc | b | D16_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 337 | D16_icpc | b | D16_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 341 | C07_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 342 | C07_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 343 | N06_atc | b | N06_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 344 | N06_atc | b | N06_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 345 | N06_atc | b | N06_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | 9-16 | 346 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 17-32 | 347 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 348 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 349 | C09_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 350 | C09_atc | b | N05_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 353 | N05_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 354 | N05_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 355 | C10_atc | b | A02_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 356 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 357 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 358 | C10_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 359 | A99_icpc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 360 | A99_icpc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 361 | C07_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 362 | C07_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 363 | B01_atc | b | A02_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 364 | B01_atc | b | A02_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 365 | B01_atc | b | A02_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 366 | A02_atc | b | N02_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 367 | A02_atc | b | N02_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 380 | A02_atc | c | N05_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 381 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 382 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 383 | A10_atc | b | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 384 | A02_atc | c | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 392 | R44_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 393 | R44_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 394 | C03_atc | b | A06_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 403 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 404 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 405 | B01_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 407 | C10_atc | b | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 408 | C10_atc | b | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 412 | C07_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 413 | C07_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 414 | C07_atc | b | B01_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 419 | A02_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 420 | A02_atc | b | C10_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 421 | B01_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 422 | B01_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 423 | B01_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | 9-16 | 424 | R03_atc | b | R03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0-1 | 425 | R03_atc | b | R03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 426 | R03_atc | b | R03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 428 | C03_atc | b | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 429 | C03_atc | b | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 430 | B01_atc | c | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 434 | A02_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 435 | A02_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 439 | C03_atc | C | C07_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 440 | K86_icpc | b | A99_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 441 | C10_atc | c | T93_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 444 | R95_icpc | b | R95_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 445 | R95_icpc | b | R95_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 446 | A10_atc | C | T90_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 454 | A02_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 455 | A02_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 456 | C10_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 457 | C10_atc | b | K86_icpc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 459 | B01_atc | c | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 460 | A02_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 461 | A02_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 462 | A02_atc | b | C09_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9-16 | 463 | B01_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 0-1 | 464 | B01_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 465 | B01_atc | b | C03_atc |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 18: patterns found by the temporal pattern mining algorithm with a minimum support of 0.05 including pattern completion times


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ A 1-pattern describes the presence of a certain attribute in a patient while a 2-pattern describes the presence of 2 attributes in a certain order with a certain relation

[^1]:    ${ }^{2}$ Pattern numbering may change when the algorithm is run with different support.

