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Preliminaries - FCA

Formal Context (G, M, I)

- G - Set of *objects*
- M - Set of *attributes*
- $I \subseteq G \times M$ - Binary incidence relation between G and M

$$A' := \{m \in M \mid \forall g \in A : (g, m) \in I\} \quad (1)$$

$$B' := \{g \in G \mid \forall m \in B : (g, m) \in I\} \quad (2)$$

Formal Concept (A, B)

- Extent $A \subseteq G$
- Intent $B \subseteq M$

Order Relation \leq

- Used for hierarchically ordering of formal concepts.
- Using concepts (A_1, B_1) and (A_2, B_2) : $(A_1, B_1) \leq (A_2, B_2)$ iff $A_1 \subseteq A_2$.

Preliminaries - FCA

$G \setminus M$	a	b	c	d	e
T1		x		x	
T2		x			x
T3			x		
T4	x	x	x		
T5				x	
T6		x	x		
T7				x	

Table 1: Cross table displaying the relation between objects and attributes of a given formal context.

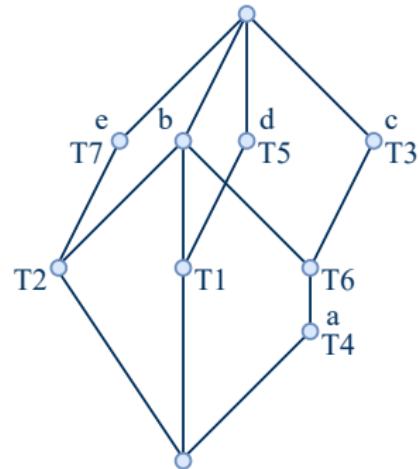


Figure 1: Example of an additive line diagram based on the context given in Table 1.

Implication

Rule of the form $X \rightarrow Y$, where X is the body and Y is the head of the rule. X and Y are sets of attributes. Given a formal context an implication $X \rightarrow Y$ is valid iff $Y \subseteq X''$.

Preliminaries - Association Analysis

Association

- $X \Rightarrow Y$
- X, Y : disjoint and real subsets of the set of all attributes M
- An object fulfills such a rule if it has all the attributes, which occur in X and Y .

Support

$$supp(X) := \frac{|\{g \in G \mid X \subseteq \{g\}'\}|}{|G|} = \frac{|X'|}{|G|} \quad (3)$$

$$supp(X \Rightarrow Y) := supp(X \cup Y) = \frac{|(X \cup Y)'|}{|G|} \quad (4)$$

Preliminaries - Association Analysis

Confidence

$$conf(X \Rightarrow Y) := \frac{supp(X \Rightarrow Y)}{supp(X)} \quad (5)$$

Lift

$$lift(X \Rightarrow Y) := \frac{conf(X \Rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y)} = \frac{supp(X \cup Y)}{supp(X) \cdot supp(Y)} \quad (6)$$

- $lift(X \Rightarrow Y) > 1$: X and Y positively correlated
- $lift(X \Rightarrow Y) = 1$: X and Y not correlated
- $lift(X \Rightarrow Y) < 1$: X and Y negatively correlated

Weighted Formal Contexts

$$mult : G \rightarrow \mathbb{N}^+ \quad (7)$$

$$wgt : \mathfrak{P}(G) \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \quad (8)$$

$$wgt(A) := \sum_{g \in A} mult(g) \quad (9)$$

	<i>mult</i>	a	b	c	d
O1	10	x	x		
O2	10			x	x
O3	1	x			
O4	1		x		
O5	1			x	
O6	1				x

Table 2: Example of a weighted context.

Linear Vertical Positioning

Goal

Read support, confidence and lift from the line diagram.

	<i>mult</i>	a	b	c	d
O1	10	x	x		
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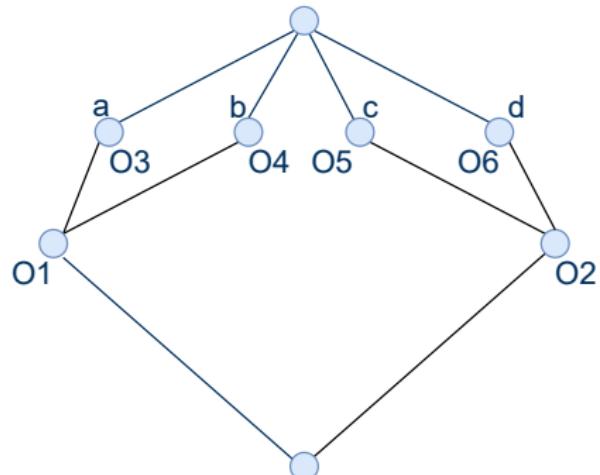


Figure 2: Additive line diagram.

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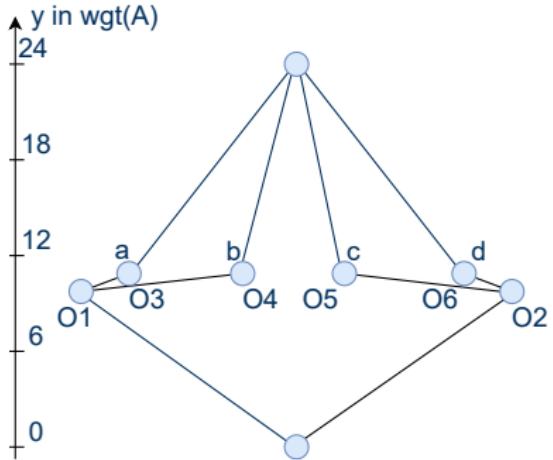


Figure 3: Y-weighted, additive line diagram.

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Goal

Read support, confidence and lift from the line diagram.

	<i>mult</i>	a	b	c	d
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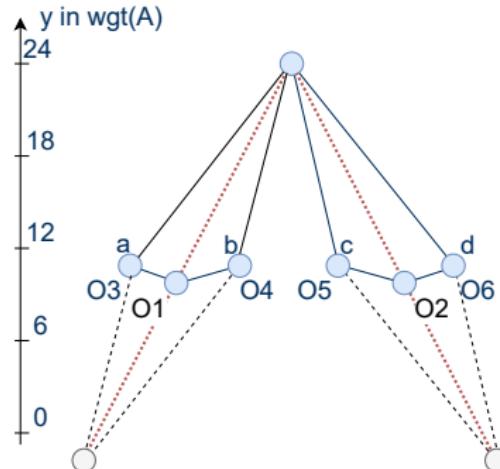


Figure 4: Weighted line diagram with auxiliary lines.

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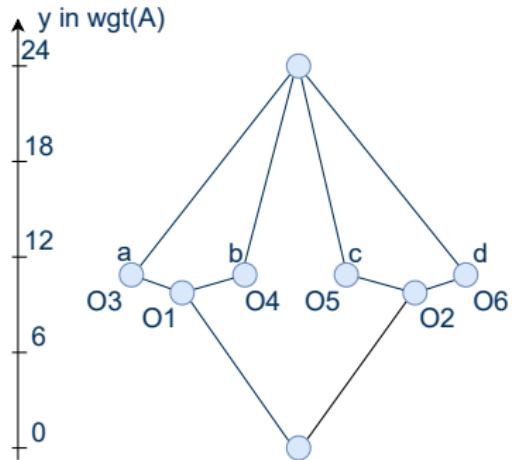


Figure 5: X-Y-weighted, additive line diagram.

Linear Vertical Positioning

Goal

Read support, confidence and lift from the line diagram.

Accomplished (so far)

Read support of a **formal concept** from the line diagram.

Linear Vertical Positioning

Support - Association

$$supp(X \Rightarrow Y) := supp(X \cup Y) = \frac{|(X \cup Y)'|}{|G|} \quad (4)$$

Support - Implication

$$supp(X \rightarrow Y) := \frac{supp(X' \cap Y')}{supp(G)} = \frac{supp(X \cup Y)}{supp(G)} \quad (7)$$

Logarithmized support

$$\log_a(supp(X)) = \log_a(supp(X \cup Y)) - \log_a(supp(G)) \quad (8)$$

Linear Vertical Positioning

	<i>mult</i>	male	female	<175	≥ 175
M1	31	×		×	
M2	69	×			×
F1	91		×	×	
F2	9		×		×

Table 3: Distribution by height and gender in Germany 2006.¹

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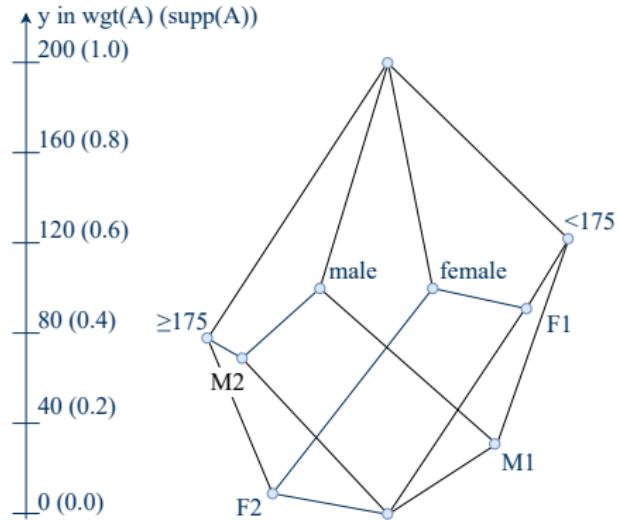


Figure 6: Gender and size distribution with representation of $wgt(A)$ and $supp(A)$.

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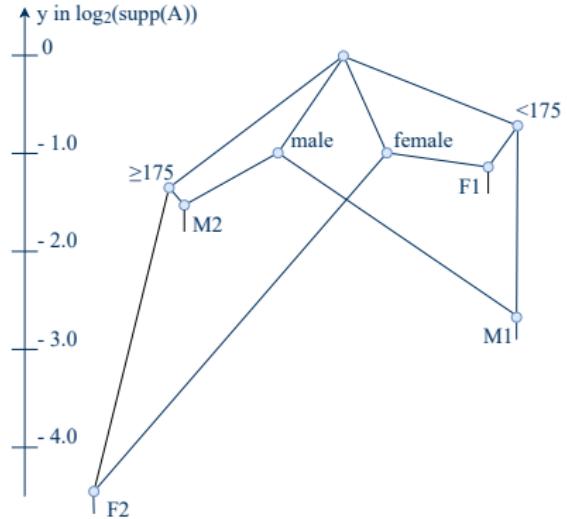


Figure 7: Gender and size distribution with representation of the logarithmized support of each node on the y-axis.

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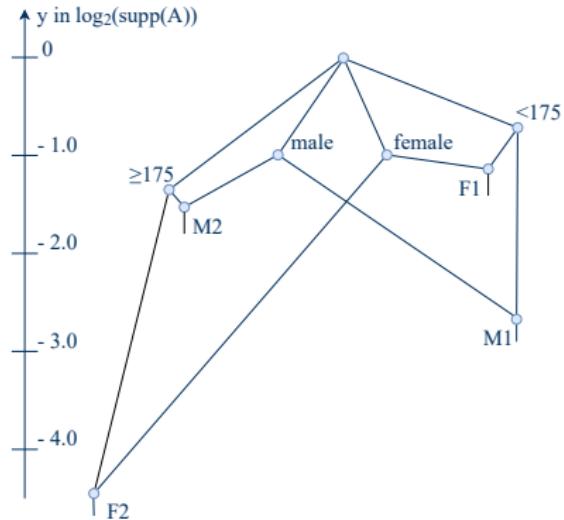


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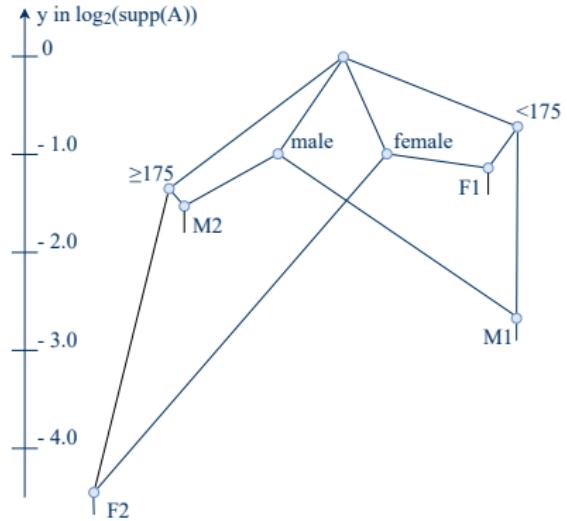


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$$\log_a(\text{conf}(X \rightarrow Y)) := \log_a(\text{supp}(X \rightarrow Y)) - \log_a(\text{supp}(X))$$

$$\log_a(\text{lift}(X \rightarrow Y)) := \log_a(\text{conf}(X \rightarrow Y)) - \log_a(\text{supp}(X))$$

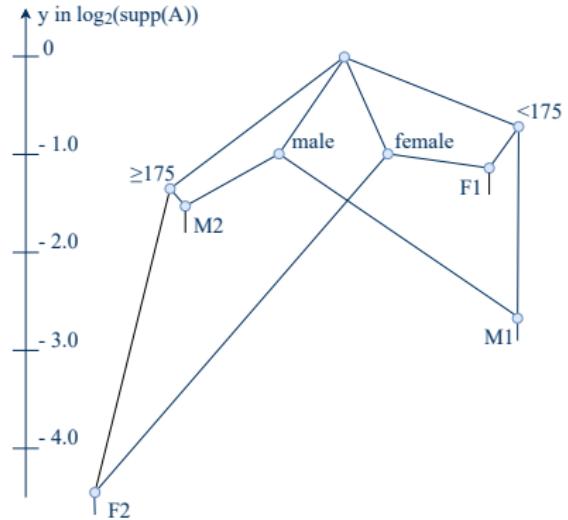


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Reading Correlation - Numeric

$$lift(X \rightarrow Y) := \frac{conf(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y)} \quad (9)$$

$$\frac{conf(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y)} > 1.0 \quad (10)$$

$$\log_2 \left(\frac{conf(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y)} \right) > \log_2(1.0) \quad (11)$$

$$\log_2(conf(X \rightarrow Y)) - \log_2(supp(Y)) > 0.0 \quad (12)$$

$$\log_2(conf(X \rightarrow Y)) > \log_2(supp(Y)) \quad (13)$$

Reading Correlation - Numeric

Correlation between $\{male\}$ and $\{\geq 175\}$?

Compare $\log_2(\text{conf}(\{\geq 175\} \rightarrow \{male\}))$ and $\log_2(\text{supp}(\{male\}))$.

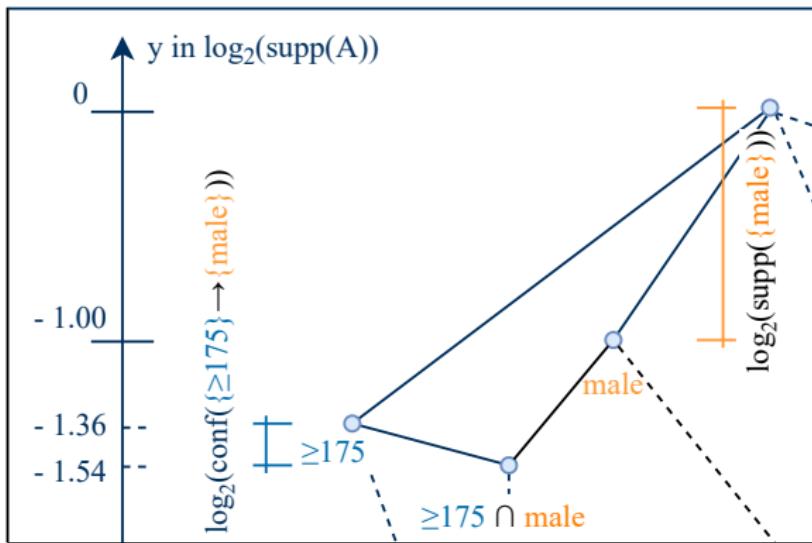


Figure 8: Estimating the dependence of X and Y by reading off confidence and support.

Reading Correlation - Parallelogram Method

Correlation between $\{\text{male}\}$ and $\{\geq 175\}$?

Check whether the formed quadrangle is well-formed, stretched or compressed.

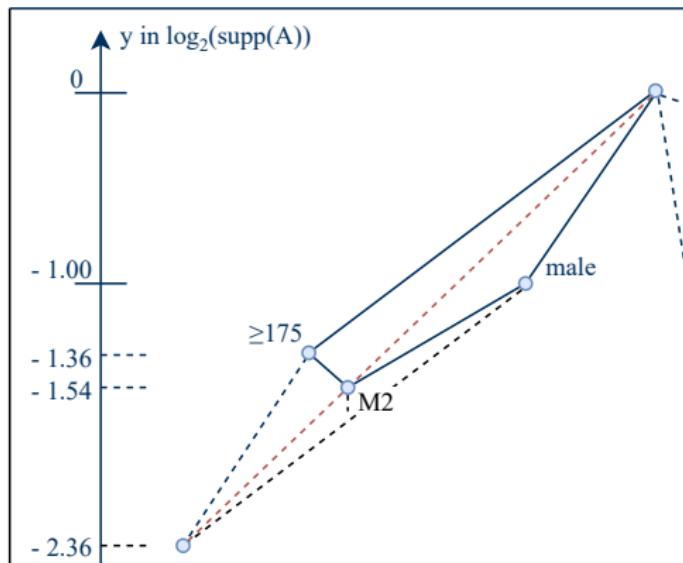


Figure 9: Illustrating the parallelogram method. The downward-pointing half of the quadrangle is compressed, indicating that ≥ 175 and *male* are positively correlated.

Reading Correlation - Parallelogram Method

Check whether the formed quadrangle is **well-formed**, stretched or compressed.

$$\begin{aligned}lift(X \rightarrow Y) &:= \frac{conf(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y)} \\&:= \frac{supp(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y) \cdot supp(X)}\end{aligned}$$

	mult	a	b
T	20		
A	20	x	
B	20		x
AB	20	x	x

Table 4: Well-formed example.

$$lift(\{a\} \rightarrow \{b\}) = \frac{1/4}{1/2 \cdot 1/2} \quad (14)$$

$$= 1.0 \quad (15)$$

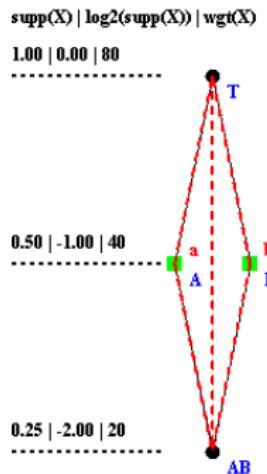


Figure 10: A, B independent.

Reading Correlation - Parallelogram Method

Check whether the formed quadrangle is well-formed, **stretched** or compressed.

$$\begin{aligned} lift(X \rightarrow Y) &:= \frac{conf(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y)} \\ &:= \frac{supp(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y) \cdot supp(X)} \end{aligned}$$

	mult	a	b
T	10		
A	30	x	
B	30		x
AB	10	x	x

Table 5: Stretched example.

$$lift(\{a\} \rightarrow \{b\}) = \frac{1/8}{1/2 \cdot 1/2} \quad (16)$$

$$= 1/2 < 1.0 \quad (17)$$

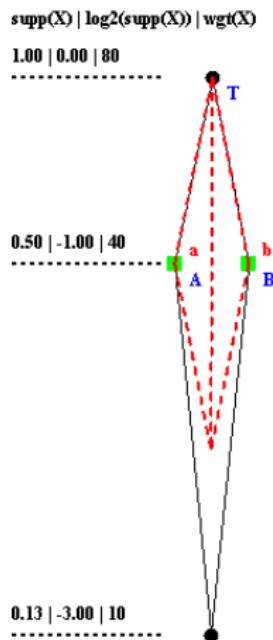


Figure 11: A, B neg. correlated.

Reading Correlation - Parallelogram Method

Check whether the formed quadrangle is well-formed, stretched or **compressed**.

$$\begin{aligned} lift(X \rightarrow Y) &:= \frac{conf(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y)} \\ &:= \frac{supp(X \rightarrow Y)}{supp(Y) \cdot supp(X)} \end{aligned}$$

	mult	a	b
T	30		
A	10	x	
B	10		x
AB	30	x	x

Table 6: Compressed example.

$$lift(\{a\} \rightarrow \{b\}) = \frac{3/8}{1/2 \cdot 1/2} \quad (18)$$

$$= 3/2 > 1.0 \quad (19)$$

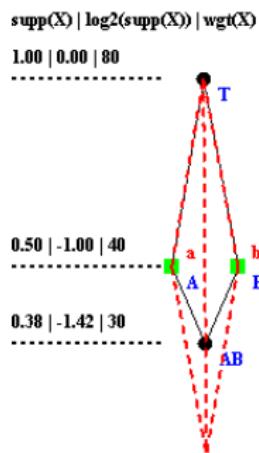
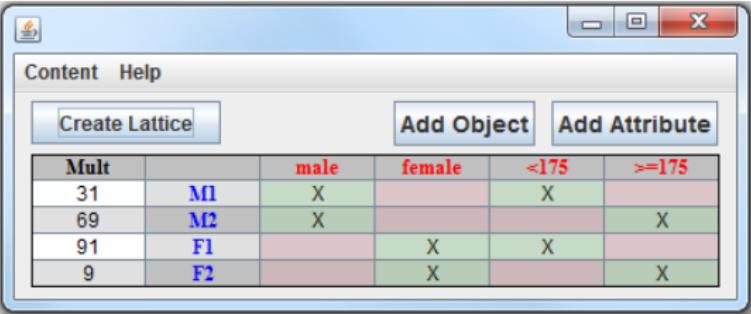


Figure 12: A, B pos. correlated.

Prototype



The screenshot shows a Windows-style application window titled "Content Help". Inside, there are three buttons: "Create Lattice", "Add Object", and "Add Attribute". Below these buttons is a 4x6 grid table. The columns are labeled "Mult", "male", "female", "<175", and ">=175". The rows are labeled with numbers: 31, 69, 91, and 9. The table contains the following data:

Mult	male	female	<175	>=175
31	M1	X		X
69	M2	X		X
91	F1		X	X
9	F2		X	X

Figure 13: Display of a cross table in the program.

Prototype

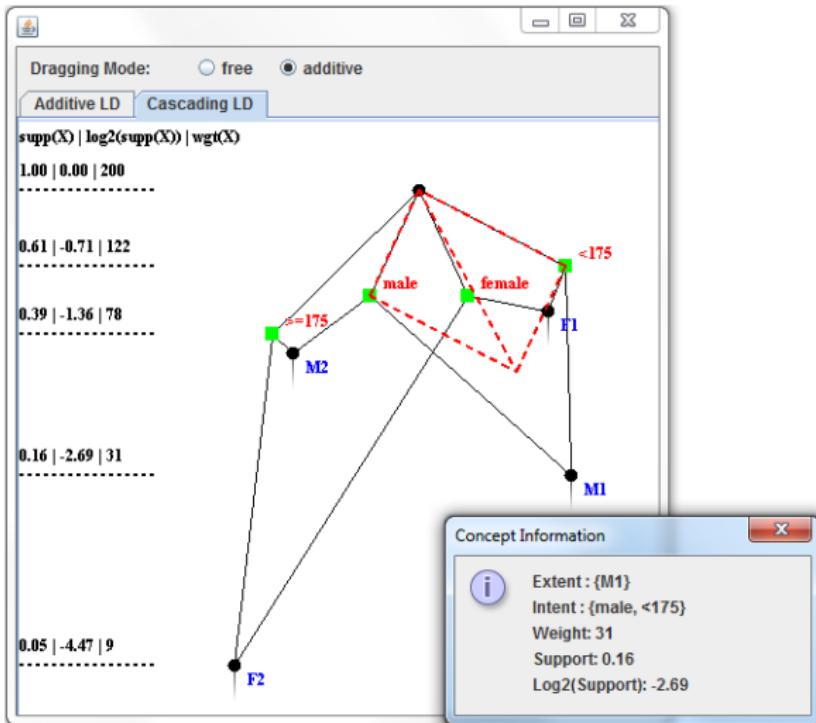


Figure 14: Display of the output of the program.

Summary

- Combined FCA with association analysis
- Using weighted contexts
- Visualized statistical relationships between attributes in diagrams:
 - Well-formed quadrangles == independent
 - Stretched quadrangles == neg. correlated
 - Compressed quadrangles == pos. correlated
- Introduced cascading additive line diagrams (see paper)
- Prototype in Java¹

¹<https://github.com/Klimpke/Cascading-Line-Diagrams-Visualizer>

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