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Data Warehousing (5MI2002)

Filières concernées	Nombre d'heures	Validation	Crédits ECTS
Master en développement international des affaires	Cours: 4 ph	écrit: 2 h	6
Master en sciences économiques, orientation politique économique	Cours: 4 ph	écrit: 2 h	6
Master en statistique	Cours: 4 ph	écrit: 2 h	6
Master en systèmes d'information	Cours: 4 ph	écrit: 2 h	6

ph=période hebdomadaire, pg=période globale, j=jour, dj=demi-jour, h=heure, min=minute

Période d'enseignement:

• Semestre Printemps

Equipe enseignante:

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Objectifs:

- a) Identify differences between application operational data modelling and warehouse data modelling, explore the purpose of subject modelling, and develop a subject area model.
- b) Apply techniques to develop a robust and representative list of business questions and translate them into data models.
- c) Identify clusters of data elements with a natural affinity to be grouped as data marts.
- d) Make informed choices between relational and dimensional data structures
- e) Analyse dimension properties including domain size, density/sparsity, and volatility; describe advanced modelling techniques for slowly-changing dimensions.

Contenu:

The course begins by describing the basic notions, like the objectives of Business Intelligence and the data warehouse, and also how they fit into the general Corporate Information Factory architecture. It explains why relational design techniques is chosen to model the data warehouse. A discussion about the impact of the relational modelling over the final delivery of data marts is presented.

The analysis and design issues are presented: life cycle, modelling of data warehousing and data marts (star and snowflake schema), cubes, fact tables and dimensional tables, aggregation, etc.

Special attention is given to the inter-communication between the business intelligence agents and the data warehousing development with interviewing examples.

Forme de l'évaluation:

2-hour written exam during (at the end of) the semester (60%) and project (40%)

Catch-up exam: 2-hour written exam during the autumn session (100%)

Documentation (short course summary) accepted. No connected devices are permitted during the exams.

In case of violation of this rule, the students are in a situation of fraud and the unauthorized items will be removed. The exam could be deemed as failed.

Pré-requis:

none