

# Assignemnt-2

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```
library(ISLR)
library(dplyr)
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##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##   filter, lag

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##   intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
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```
library(glmnet)
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## Loading required package: Matrix
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## Loaded glmnet 4.1-6
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```
library(caret)
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```
## Loading required package: ggplot2
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## Loading required package: lattice
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```
# filter the required attributes
Carseats_Filtered <- Carseats %>%
  select("Sales", "Price", "Advertising", "Population", "Age", "Income", "Education")
```

QB1) Build a decision tree regression model to predict Sales based on all other attributes (“Price”, “Advertising”, “Population”, “Age”, “Income” and “Education”). Which attribute is used at the top of the tree (the root node) for splitting? Hint: you can either plot () and text() functions or use the summary() function to see the decision tree rules.

```
library(rpart)
# build decision tree regression model
Carseats_Tree <- rpart(Sales ~ Price + Advertising + Population + Age + Income + Education, data = Carseats)

# print the summary of the decision tree
summary(Carseats_Tree)
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## Call:
## rpart(formula = Sales ~ Price + Advertising + Population + Age +
##       Income + Education, data = Carseats_Filtered, method = "anova")
## n= 400
##
##          CP nsplit rel error      xerror      xstd
## 1  0.14251535      0 1.0000000 1.0044054 0.06956955
## 2  0.08034146      1 0.8574847 0.8962494 0.06433065
## 3  0.06251702      2 0.7771432 0.8425635 0.06459005
## 4  0.02925241      3 0.7146262 0.7857099 0.05833403
## 5  0.02537341      4 0.6853738 0.8118883 0.05708058
## 6  0.02127094      5 0.6600003 0.8014407 0.05549169
## 7  0.02059174      6 0.6387294 0.7885880 0.05378546
## 8  0.01632010      7 0.6181377 0.7497375 0.05135562
## 9  0.01521801      8 0.6018176 0.7457663 0.05057646
## 10 0.01042023      9 0.5865996 0.7948211 0.05381826
## 11 0.01000559     10 0.5761793 0.8205212 0.05723023
## 12 0.01000000     12 0.5561681 0.8186056 0.05660695
##
## Variable importance
##      Price Advertising      Age      Income Population Education
##      49          18        16          8          6          3
##
## Node number 1: 400 observations,      complexity param=0.1425153
## mean=7.496325, MSE=7.955687
## left son=2 (329 obs) right son=3 (71 obs)
## Primary splits:
## Price < 94.5 to the right, improve=0.14251530, (0 missing)
## Advertising < 7.5 to the left, improve=0.07303226, (0 missing)
## Age < 61.5 to the right, improve=0.07120203, (0 missing)
## Income < 61.5 to the left, improve=0.02840494, (0 missing)
## Population < 174.5 to the left, improve=0.01077467, (0 missing)
##
## Node number 2: 329 observations,      complexity param=0.08034146
## mean=7.001672, MSE=6.815199
## left son=4 (174 obs) right son=5 (155 obs)
## Primary splits:
## Advertising < 6.5 to the left, improve=0.11402580, (0 missing)
## Price < 136.5 to the right, improve=0.08411056, (0 missing)
## Age < 63.5 to the right, improve=0.08091745, (0 missing)
## Income < 60.5 to the left, improve=0.03394126, (0 missing)
## Population < 23 to the left, improve=0.01831455, (0 missing)
## Surrogate splits:
## Population < 223 to the left, agree=0.599, adj=0.148, (0 split)
## Education < 10.5 to the right, agree=0.565, adj=0.077, (0 split)
## Age < 53.5 to the right, agree=0.547, adj=0.039, (0 split)
## Income < 114.5 to the left, agree=0.547, adj=0.039, (0 split)
## Price < 106.5 to the right, agree=0.544, adj=0.032, (0 split)
##
## Node number 3: 71 observations,      complexity param=0.02537341
## mean=9.788451, MSE=6.852836
## left son=6 (36 obs) right son=7 (35 obs)
## Primary splits:
## Age < 54.5 to the right, improve=0.16595410, (0 missing)

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##      Price      < 75.5  to the right, improve=0.08365773, (0 missing)
##      Income     < 30.5  to the left,  improve=0.03322169, (0 missing)
##      Education  < 10.5  to the right, improve=0.03019634, (0 missing)
##      Population < 268.5 to the left,  improve=0.02383306, (0 missing)
##      Surrogate splits:
##      Advertising < 4.5   to the right, agree=0.606, adj=0.200, (0 split)
##      Price      < 73    to the right, agree=0.592, adj=0.171, (0 split)
##      Population < 272.5 to the left,  agree=0.592, adj=0.171, (0 split)
##      Income     < 79.5  to the right, agree=0.592, adj=0.171, (0 split)
##      Education  < 11.5  to the left,  agree=0.577, adj=0.143, (0 split)
##
## Node number 4: 174 observations,      complexity param=0.02127094
## mean=6.169655, MSE=4.942347
## left son=8 (58 obs) right son=9 (116 obs)
## Primary splits:
##      Age        < 63.5  to the right, improve=0.078712160, (0 missing)
##      Price      < 130.5 to the right, improve=0.048919280, (0 missing)
##      Population < 26.5  to the left,  improve=0.030421540, (0 missing)
##      Income     < 67.5  to the left,  improve=0.027749670, (0 missing)
##      Advertising < 0.5   to the left,  improve=0.006795377, (0 missing)
##      Surrogate splits:
##      Income     < 22.5  to the left,  agree=0.678, adj=0.034, (0 split)
##      Price      < 96.5  to the left,  agree=0.672, adj=0.017, (0 split)
##      Population < 26.5  to the left,  agree=0.672, adj=0.017, (0 split)
##
## Node number 5: 155 observations,      complexity param=0.06251702
## mean=7.935677, MSE=7.268151
## left son=10 (28 obs) right son=11 (127 obs)
## Primary splits:
##      Price      < 136.5 to the right, improve=0.17659580, (0 missing)
##      Age        < 73.5  to the right, improve=0.08000201, (0 missing)
##      Income     < 60.5  to the left,  improve=0.05360755, (0 missing)
##      Advertising < 13.5  to the left,  improve=0.03920507, (0 missing)
##      Population < 399   to the left,  improve=0.01037956, (0 missing)
##      Surrogate splits:
##      Advertising < 24.5  to the right, agree=0.826, adj=0.036, (0 split)
##
## Node number 6: 36 observations,      complexity param=0.0163201
## mean=8.736944, MSE=4.961043
## left son=12 (12 obs) right son=13 (24 obs)
## Primary splits:
##      Price      < 89.5  to the right, improve=0.29079360, (0 missing)
##      Income     < 39.5  to the left,  improve=0.19043350, (0 missing)
##      Advertising < 11.5  to the left,  improve=0.17891930, (0 missing)
##      Age        < 75.5  to the right, improve=0.04316067, (0 missing)
##      Education  < 14.5  to the left,  improve=0.03411396, (0 missing)
##      Surrogate splits:
##      Advertising < 16.5  to the right, agree=0.722, adj=0.167, (0 split)
##      Income     < 37.5  to the left,  agree=0.722, adj=0.167, (0 split)
##      Age        < 56.5  to the left,  agree=0.694, adj=0.083, (0 split)
##
## Node number 7: 35 observations
## mean=10.87, MSE=6.491674
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## Node number 8: 58 observations,      complexity param=0.01042023
##   mean=5.287586, MSE=3.93708
##   left son=16 (10 obs) right son=17 (48 obs)
##   Primary splits:
##       Price      < 137   to the right, improve=0.14521540, (0 missing)
##       Education  < 15.5  to the right, improve=0.07995394, (0 missing)
##       Income     < 35.5  to the left,  improve=0.04206708, (0 missing)
##       Age        < 79.5  to the left,  improve=0.02799057, (0 missing)
##       Population < 52.5  to the left,  improve=0.01914342, (0 missing)
##
## Node number 9: 116 observations,      complexity param=0.01000559
##   mean=6.61069, MSE=4.861446
##   left son=18 (58 obs) right son=19 (58 obs)
##   Primary splits:
##       Income     < 67    to the left,  improve=0.05085914, (0 missing)
##       Population < 392   to the right, improve=0.04476721, (0 missing)
##       Price      < 127   to the right, improve=0.04210762, (0 missing)
##       Age        < 37.5  to the right, improve=0.02858424, (0 missing)
##       Education  < 14.5  to the left,  improve=0.01187387, (0 missing)
##   Surrogate splits:
##       Education  < 12.5  to the right, agree=0.586, adj=0.172, (0 split)
##       Age        < 58.5  to the left,  agree=0.578, adj=0.155, (0 split)
##       Price      < 144.5 to the left,  agree=0.569, adj=0.138, (0 split)
##       Population < 479   to the right, agree=0.560, adj=0.121, (0 split)
##       Advertising < 2.5  to the right, agree=0.543, adj=0.086, (0 split)
##
## Node number 10: 28 observations
##   mean=5.522857, MSE=5.084213
##
## Node number 11: 127 observations,      complexity param=0.02925241
##   mean=8.467638, MSE=6.183142
##   left son=22 (29 obs) right son=23 (98 obs)
##   Primary splits:
##       Age        < 65.5  to the right, improve=0.11854590, (0 missing)
##       Income     < 51.5  to the left,  improve=0.08076060, (0 missing)
##       Advertising < 13.5  to the left,  improve=0.04801701, (0 missing)
##       Education  < 11.5  to the right, improve=0.02471512, (0 missing)
##       Population < 479   to the left,  improve=0.01908657, (0 missing)
##
## Node number 12: 12 observations
##   mean=7.038333, MSE=2.886964
##
## Node number 13: 24 observations
##   mean=9.58625, MSE=3.834123
##
## Node number 16: 10 observations
##   mean=3.631, MSE=5.690169
##
## Node number 17: 48 observations
##   mean=5.632708, MSE=2.88102
##
## Node number 18: 58 observations
##   mean=6.113448, MSE=3.739109
##

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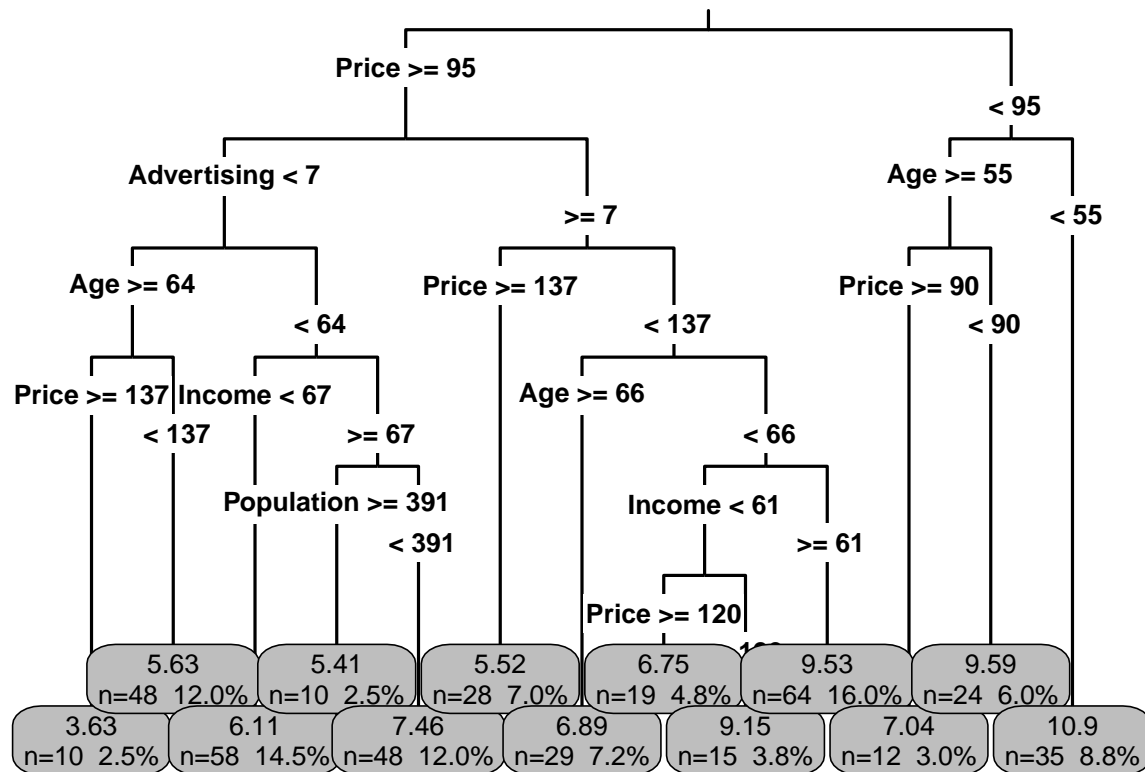
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## Node number 19: 58 observations,      complexity param=0.01000559
##   mean=7.107931, MSE=5.489285
##   left son=38 (10 obs) right son=39 (48 obs)
##   Primary splits:
##     Population < 390.5 to the right, improve=0.10993270, (0 missing)
##     Price      < 124.5 to the right, improve=0.07534567, (0 missing)
##     Advertising < 0.5  to the left,  improve=0.07060488, (0 missing)
##     Age        < 45.5  to the right, improve=0.04611510, (0 missing)
##     Education  < 11.5  to the right, improve=0.03722944, (0 missing)
##
## Node number 22: 29 observations
##   mean=6.893793, MSE=6.08343
##
## Node number 23: 98 observations,      complexity param=0.02059174
##   mean=8.933367, MSE=5.262759
##   left son=46 (34 obs) right son=47 (64 obs)
##   Primary splits:
##     Income      < 60.5  to the left,  improve=0.12705480, (0 missing)
##     Advertising < 13.5  to the left,  improve=0.07114001, (0 missing)
##     Price       < 118.5 to the right, improve=0.06932216, (0 missing)
##     Education   < 11.5  to the right, improve=0.03377416, (0 missing)
##     Age         < 49.5  to the right, improve=0.02289004, (0 missing)
##   Surrogate splits:
##     Education < 17.5  to the right, agree=0.663, adj=0.029, (0 split)
##
## Node number 38: 10 observations
##   mean=5.406, MSE=2.508524
##
## Node number 39: 48 observations
##   mean=7.4625, MSE=5.381106
##
## Node number 46: 34 observations,      complexity param=0.01521801
##   mean=7.811471, MSE=4.756548
##   left son=92 (19 obs) right son=93 (15 obs)
##   Primary splits:
##     Price       < 119.5 to the right, improve=0.29945020, (0 missing)
##     Advertising < 11.5  to the left,  improve=0.14268440, (0 missing)
##     Income      < 40.5  to the right, improve=0.12781140, (0 missing)
##     Population  < 152   to the left,  improve=0.03601768, (0 missing)
##     Age         < 49.5  to the right, improve=0.02748814, (0 missing)
##   Surrogate splits:
##     Education   < 12.5  to the right, agree=0.676, adj=0.267, (0 split)
##     Advertising < 7.5   to the right, agree=0.647, adj=0.200, (0 split)
##     Age         < 53.5  to the left,  agree=0.647, adj=0.200, (0 split)
##     Population  < 240   to the right, agree=0.618, adj=0.133, (0 split)
##     Income      < 41.5  to the right, agree=0.618, adj=0.133, (0 split)
##
## Node number 47: 64 observations
##   mean=9.529375, MSE=4.5078
##
## Node number 92: 19 observations
##   mean=6.751053, MSE=3.378915
##
## Node number 93: 15 observations

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## mean=9.154667, MSE=3.273025
```

```
library(rpart.plot)
# plot decision tree
rpart.plot(Carseats_Tree, type = 3, extra = 101, cex = 0.8, box.col = "grey", branch.lwd = 2, digits = 3)
```



QB2) Consider the following input: • Sales=9 • Price=6.54 • Population=124 • Advertising=0 • Age=76 • Income= 110 • Education=10 What will be the estimated Sales for this record using the decision tree model?

```
# create a data frame with the input record
input <- data.frame(Price = 6.54, Advertising = 0, Population = 124, Age = 76, Income = 110, Education = 10)

# predict the Sales using the decision tree model
predicted_sales <- predict(Carseats_Tree, newdata = input)

# print the predicted Sales
predicted_sales
```

```
## 1
## 9.58625
```

Estimated sales for this record is 9.59

QB3) Use the caret function to train a random forest (method='rf') for the same dataset. Use the caret default settings. By default, caret will examine the "mtry" values of 2,4, and 6. Recall that mtry is

the number of attributes available for splitting at each splitting node. Which mtry value gives the best performance? (Make sure to set the random number generator seed to 123)

```
# set the seed for reproducibility
set.seed(123)

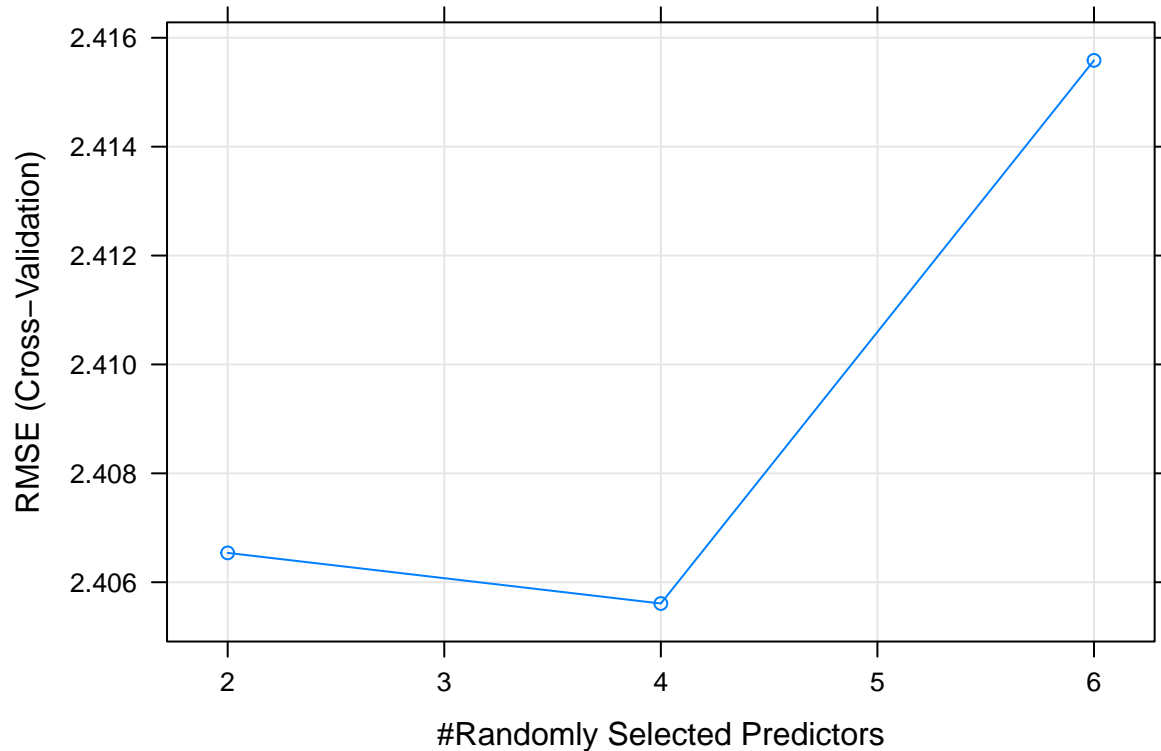
# define the train control
train_control <- trainControl(method = "cv", number = 5)

# train the random forest model
Carseats_RandomForest <- train(Sales ~ Price + Advertising + Population + Age + Income + Education, data = carseats, method = "rf", control = train_control)

# print the results
Carseats_RandomForest
```

```
## Random Forest
##
## 400 samples
## 6 predictor
##
## No pre-processing
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (5 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 320, 321, 319, 320, 320
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
##  mtry  RMSE      Rsquared  MAE
##  2      2.406539  0.2838955  1.926998
##  4      2.405609  0.2874877  1.916925
##  6      2.415585  0.2834264  1.924429
##
## RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value.
## The final value used for the model was mtry = 4.
```

```
# plot the results
plot(Carseats_RandomForest)
```



The Mtr value at 4 gives the best performance

QB4) Customize the search grid by checking the model's performance for mtry values of 2, 3 and 5 using 3 repeats of 5-fold cross validation.

```
# define the search grid
mtry_grid <- expand.grid(mtry = c(2, 3, 5))

# define the train control with 3 repeats of 5-fold cross validation
train_control <- trainControl(method = "repeatedcv", repeats = 3, number = 5)

# train the random forest model with the customized search grid
Carseats_RandomForest <- train(Sales ~ Price + Advertising + Population + Age + Income + Education,
                               data = Carseats_Filtered,
                               method = "rf",
                               trControl = train_control,
                               tuneLength = 3,
                               tuneGrid = mtry_grid)

# print the results
Carseats_RandomForest
```

```
## Random Forest
##
## 400 samples
## 6 predictor
##
```

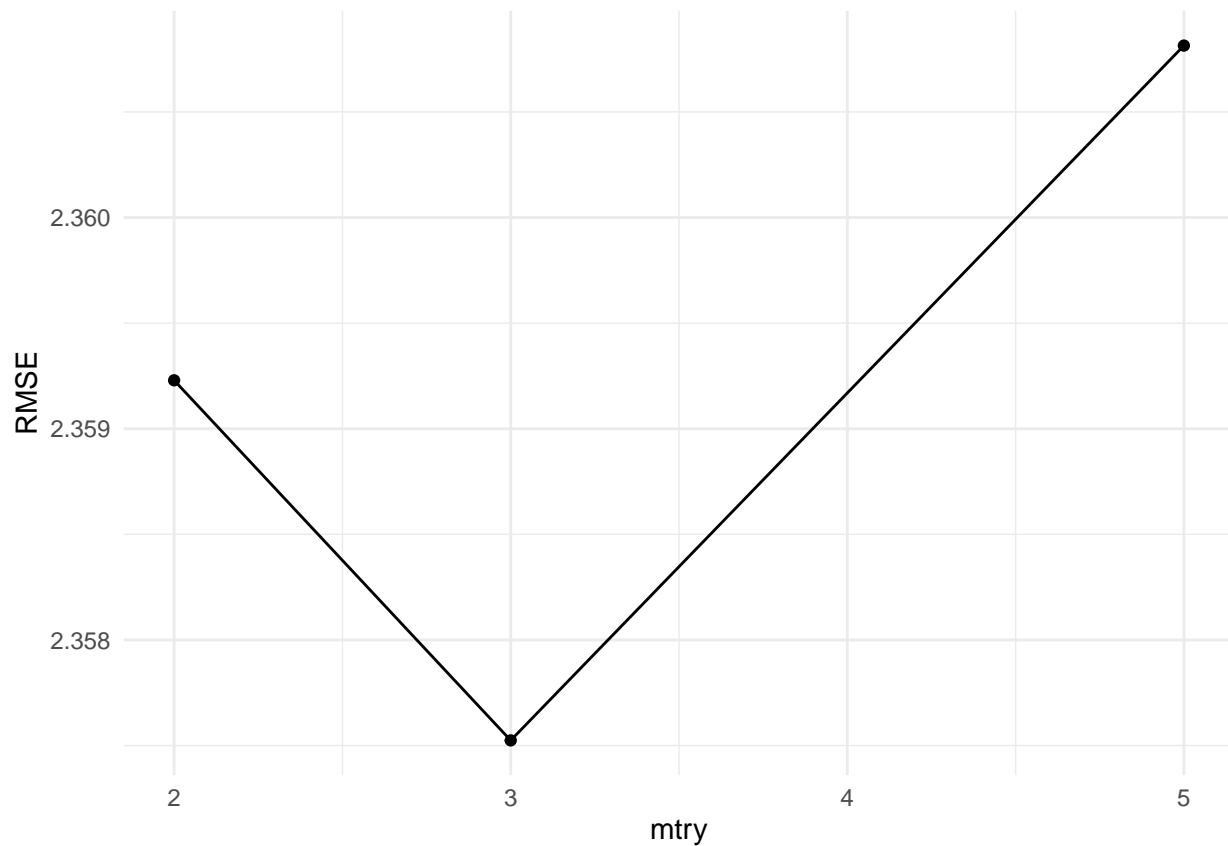


```
## No pre-processing
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (5 fold, repeated 3 times)
## Summary of sample sizes: 319, 320, 320, 321, 320, 320, ...
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
##   mtry  RMSE      Rsquared  MAE
##   2     2.359229  0.3091352  1.887352
##   3     2.357524  0.3091737  1.884695
##   5     2.360814  0.3095562  1.886026
##
## RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value.
## The final value used for the model was mtry = 3.
```

```
library(ggplot2)

# extract the results from the train object
results <- as.data.frame(Carseats_RandomForest$results)

# create a line plot of RMSE as a function of mtry
ggplot(results, aes(x = mtry, y = RMSE)) +
  geom_line() +
  geom_point() +
  labs(x = "mtry", y = "RMSE") +
  theme_minimal()
```



mtry values of 2, 3 and 5 using 3 repeats of 5-fold cross validation is at 3