

Practical 5

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Aim: Practical Implementation of Decision Tree using R Tool

The package "party" has the function `ctree()` which is used to create and analyze decision tree.

➤ `install.packages("party")`

- Syntax

The basic syntax for creating a decision tree in R is –

`ctree(formula, data)`

- **Input Data**

We will use the R in-built data set named `readingSkills` to create a decision tree.

```
> library(party)
Loading required package: grid
Loading required package: mvtnorm
Loading required package: modeltools
Loading required package: stats4
Loading required package: strucchange
Loading required package: zoo

Attaching package: 'zoo'

The following objects are masked from 'package:base':

    as.Date, as.Date.numeric

Loading required package: sandwich
> print(head(readingSkills))
  nativeSpeaker age shoeSize  score
1          yes   5 24.83189 32.29385
2          yes   6 25.95238 36.63105
3           no  11 30.42170 49.60593
4          yes   7 28.66450 40.28456
5          yes  11 31.88207 55.46085
6          yes  10 30.07843 52.83124
```

We will use the `ctree()` function to create the decision tree and see its graph.

```
>
> input.dat <- readingSkills[c(1:105),]
> png(file = "decision_tree.png")
> output.tree <- ctree(
+ nativeSpeaker ~ age + shoeSize + score,
+ data = input.dat)
> plot(output.tree)
> dev.off()
null device
      1
```

Output:

