

# Machine Learning and Optimization for Algorithm Design

Feedback on Exercise 5

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# Exercise 1

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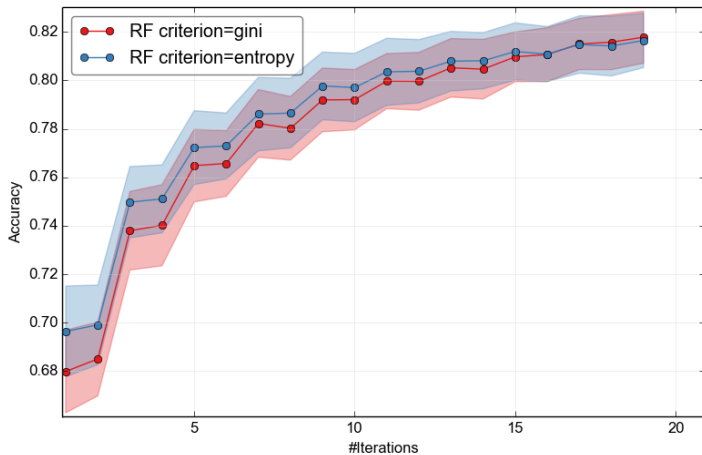
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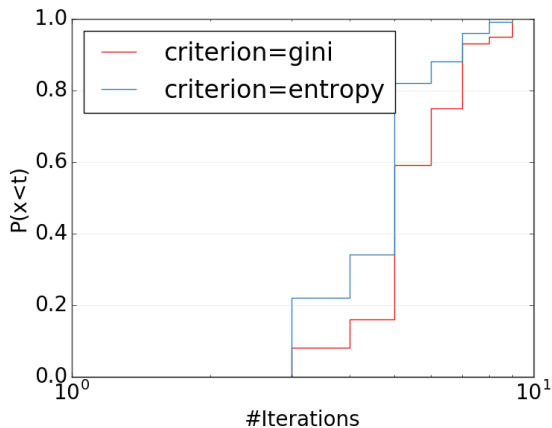
## Exercise 2: Feedback

- Add labels on x-axis and y-axis.
- To compare two configurations, they should be shown in the same plot.
- Do not completely retrain the random forest for each new number iterations.
- Use the same colors in all plots.
- Empirical CDFs are step functions.

## Exercise 2: Performance on Test



## Exercise 2: RDF at acc=0.76



## Exercise 3: Feedback

- Use log-scale on y-axis in box-plots (if appropriate).
- Something is wrong if all points are on the diagonal in a scatter plot.
- Use a paired permutation test when you have instances.

# Score Overview

