

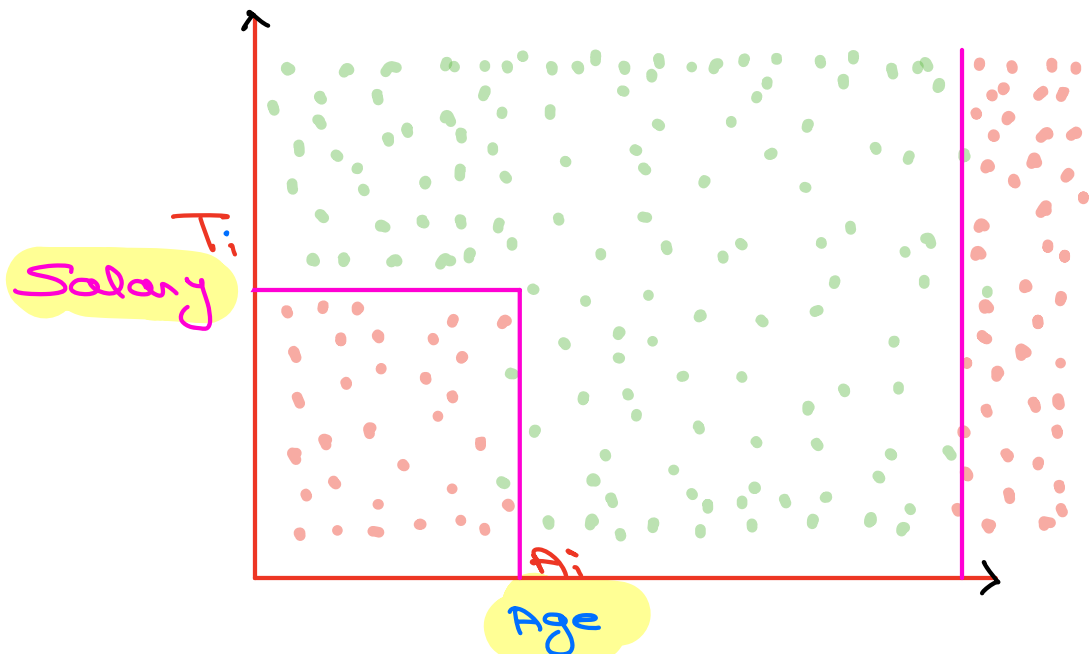
# Decision Tree - 2

## Agenda

- ⇒ Recap
- ⇒ Gini impurity
- ⇒ Splitting on Numerical feature
- ⇒ Imbalanced Data
- ⇒ Feature Scaling
- ⇒ Feature importance
- ⇒ DT Regression

## Recap

```
if salary < T:  
    if age < A:  
        P = +1  
    else  
        P = -1  
else  
    .....
```



- ① Decision tree splits Data into Homogeneous regions using Axis parallel Hyperplanes.
- ② DT is easily interpretable

1) How do we decide which feature and Value to Split On

2) Target: Pure/Homogenous Node

3) How do we calculate purity?

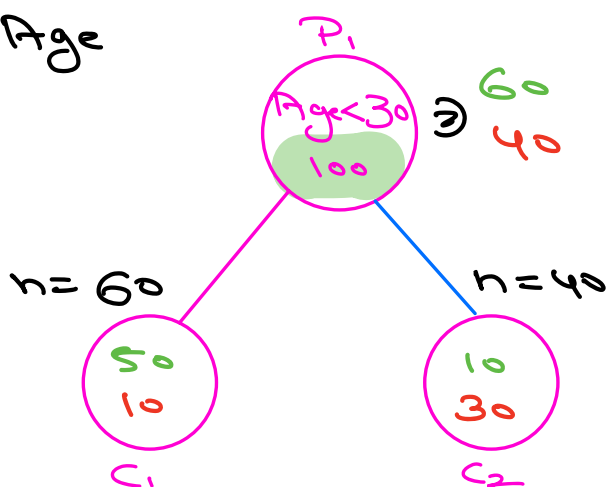
$$\text{Entropy}(H(Y)) = - \sum_{i=1}^k P(y_i) \log P(y_i)$$

where  $k$  classes

4) For Binary class :  $k=2$   
 $P$  or  $1-P$

$$H(Y) = - (P \times \log P + (1-P) \times \log (1-P))$$

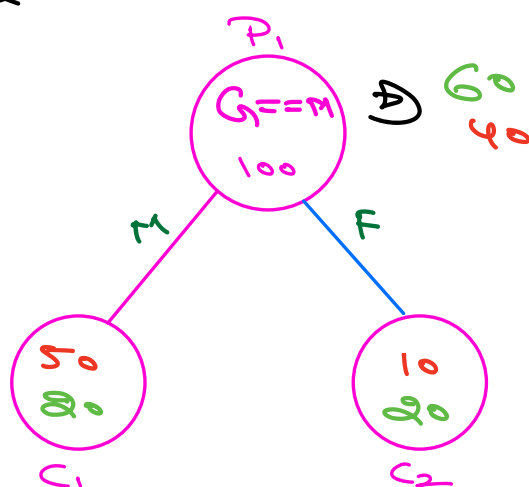
F1: Age  
 Ex:



$$H(C_1) \Rightarrow 0.65$$

$$H(C_2) \Rightarrow 0.81$$

F2: Gender



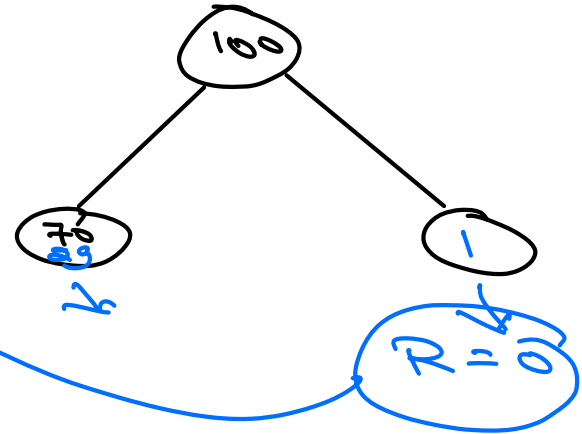
$$H(C_1) \Rightarrow 0.86$$

$$H(C_2) = 0.91$$

# Total Entropy for Each Split

why not

$$\frac{C_1 + C_2}{2}$$



$$\frac{n_1}{n_{\text{Total}}} \times H(C_1) + \frac{n_2}{n_{\text{Total}}} \times H(C_2)$$

$$F_1 \Rightarrow 0.81$$

$$F_2 \Rightarrow 0.67$$

Information Gain  
(Reduction in Entropy)

$$H(\text{Parent}) - H(\text{Child})$$

## Limitation of Entropy

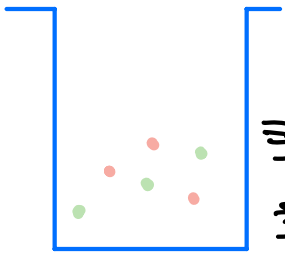
→ Lot of Calculations involve Log

## Gini Impurity

$$GI(Y) \Rightarrow 1 - \sum_{i=1}^k (P(y_i))^2$$

$H(Y)$

$GI(Y)$

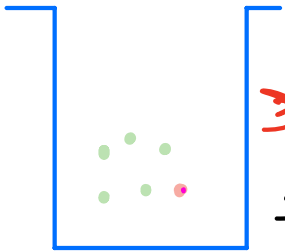


$$\Rightarrow 0.5 \times \log(0.5) + 0.5 \log(0.5)$$

→ 1

$$1 - ((0.5)^2 + (0.5)^2)$$
$$1 - (0.25 + 0.25)$$

→  $1 - 0.5 \Rightarrow 0.5$

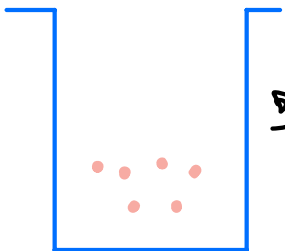


$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{5} \times \log \frac{1}{5} + \frac{4}{5} \times \log \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)$$

→ 0.7

$$1 - \left( \left( \frac{1}{5} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^2 \right)$$

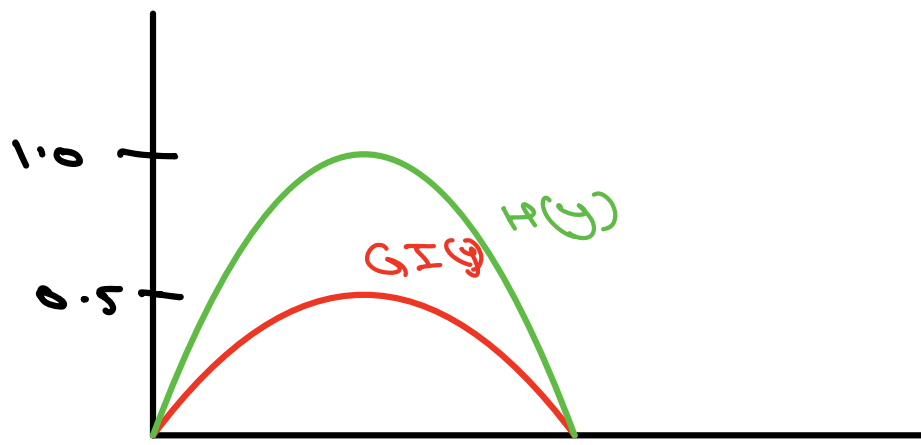
→ 0.24



→ 0

→  $1 - (1^2 + 0^2)$

→ 0



$\pi_1$

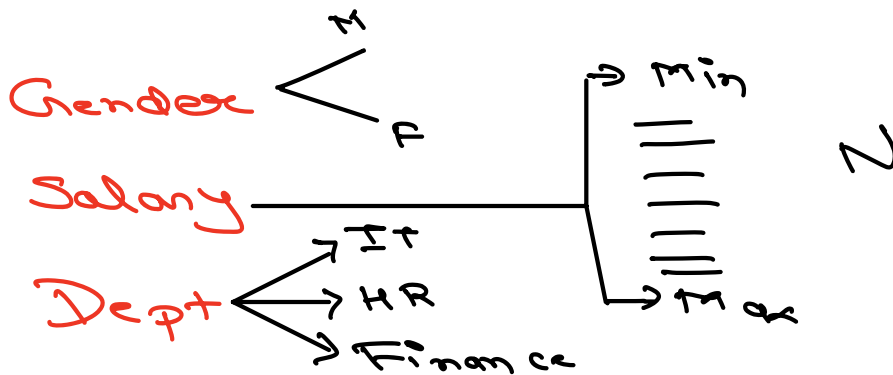
and

$\pi_2$

$$w(G(y_1)) = 0.32$$

$$w(G(y_2)) = 0.24$$

Splitting on Numerical

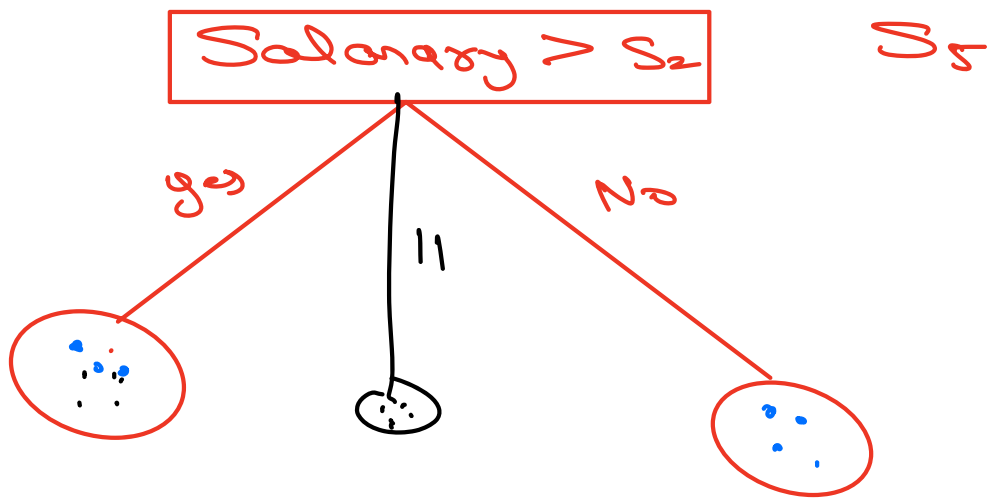


Brute force

Step 1: Get all Unique Values of Salary  
 $[S_1, S_2, S_3, \dots, S_n]$

Step 2: Calculate IG for each Salary Value as threshold  
 $[IG_1, IG_2, IG_3, \dots, IG_n]$

Step 3: Argmax of IG



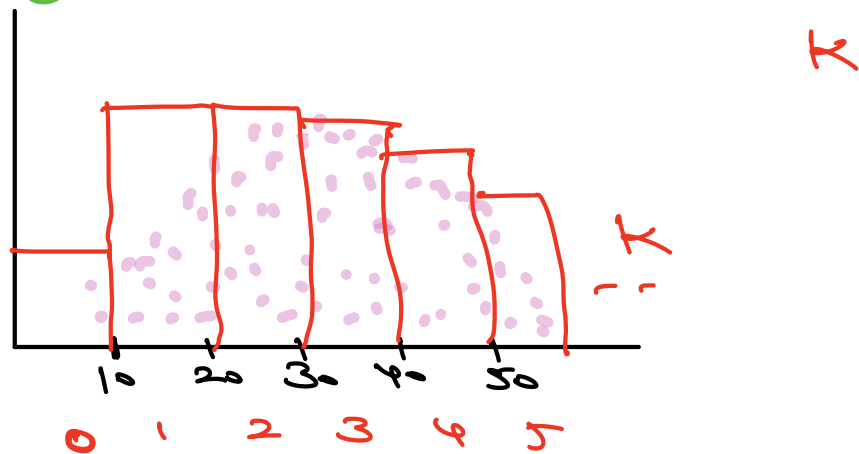
\* Problem with this approach

$d$  numerical feature  
 $n$  rows

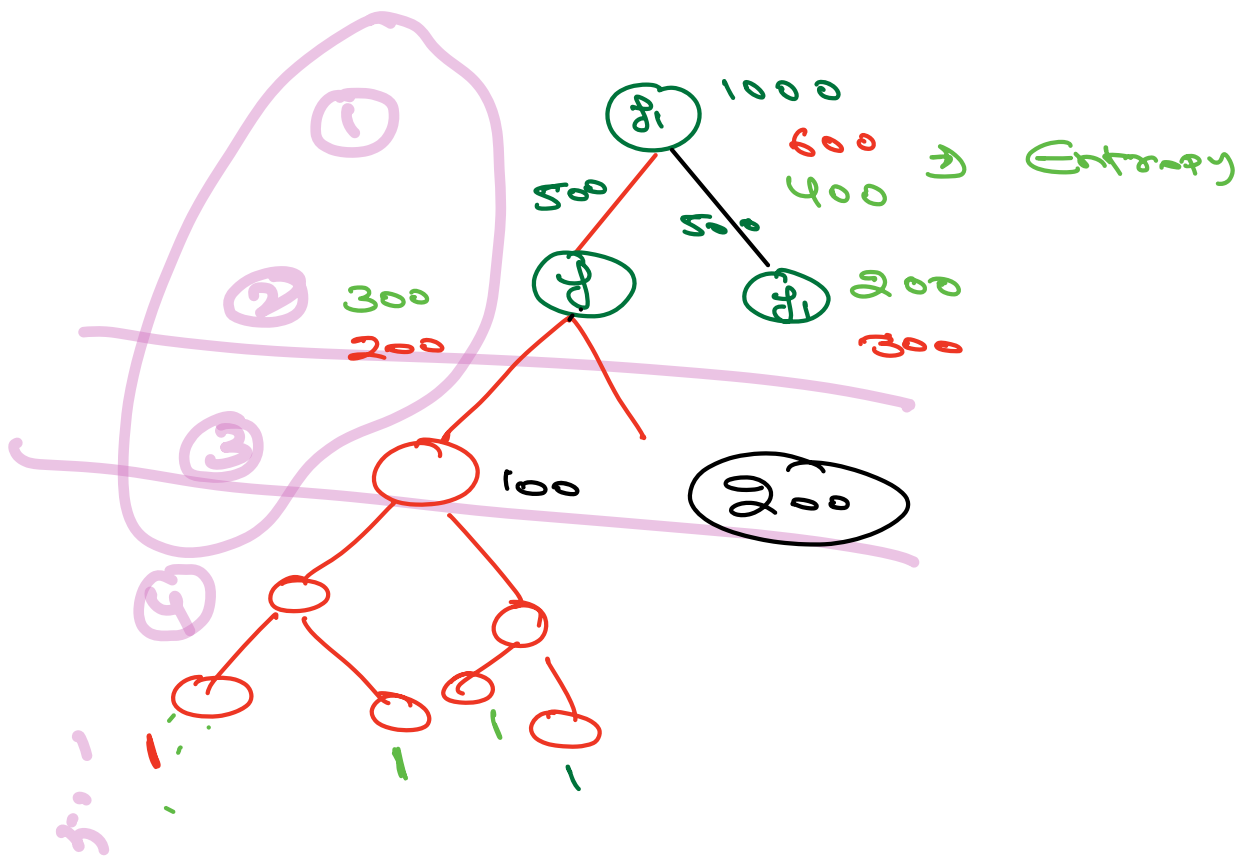
$$O(n \times d)$$

How do we solve this

Binning



$n \leq 10000$  Unique Salary  $\Rightarrow$   $n$  entropy  
 $\downarrow$   
 Binning  
 $\downarrow$   
 $k$  entropy



Decision Tree is very to Overfitting

max. depth  $\rightarrow$  5

\* Pruning: Cutting Un-necessary Branches

- ① Max-depth
- ② Min-sample-split: Min nodes for Split Consider
- ③ Min-sample-leaf  $\rightarrow$  Min dp every Node Shoul Have
- ④ Max-leaf-Nodes  $\rightarrow$  Max number of Nodes Tree Can Have

Q - Will feature scaling have any impact on DT?

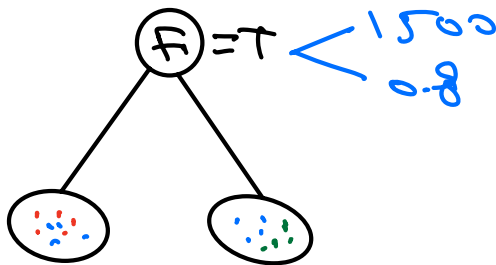
$f_1$        $f_1$ -scaled

2000      1.5

2500      1.8

1500      0.8

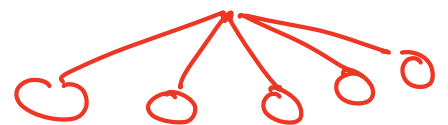
No impact



No need to Scale for DT

Q Categorical feature

⇒ 5 Unique Categorical : OHE



⇒ 10000 Unique Categories

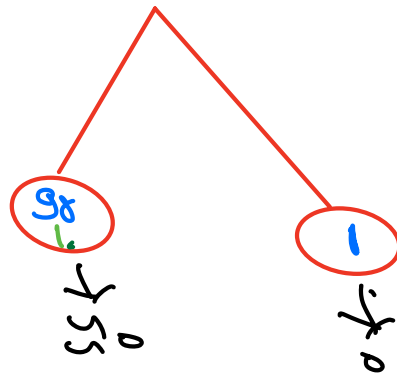
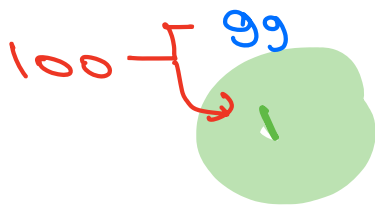
Target Encoding

X O O O O O O O O O



Q Impact of Outliers? Yes  
↳ prune Tree

Q Data Imbalance Impact DT?



Entropy 50

$$1 \rightarrow \frac{98}{99} \%$$

How do we solve this

- ↳ Class-Weights
- ↳ SMOTE
- ↳ Undersampling / oversampling

For Trmw

Feature Importance

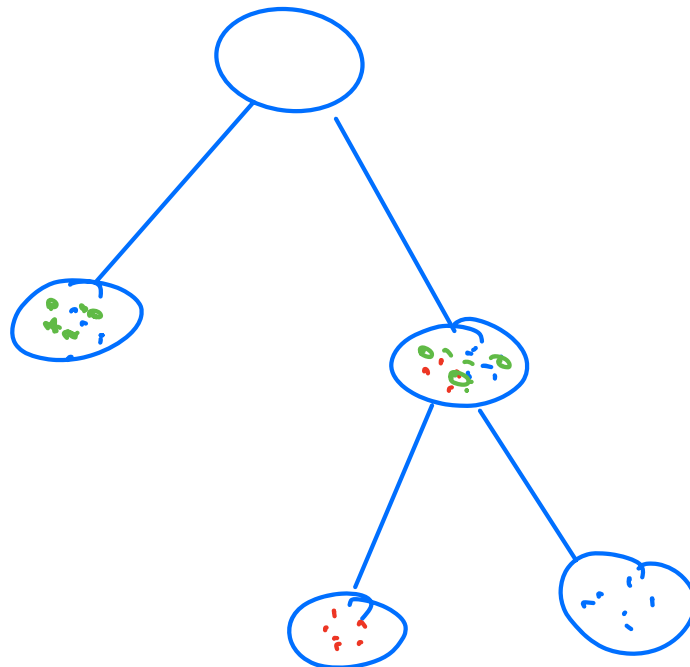
Decision Tree for Regression

Smote D To create Artificial D.P



k-points

$$P' = \underbrace{\lambda_1 P_1 + \lambda_2 P_2}_{\text{...}} + \underbrace{\lambda_3 P_3}_{\text{...}}$$

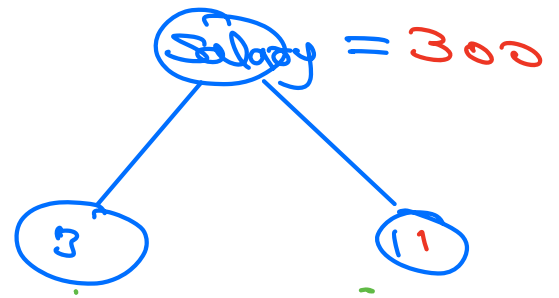


min-leaf

Max-dep

1,1	1,2	1,3
2,1	2,2	2,3
10,1	10,2	10,3

Salary	Churn
5000	1
3000	1
2000	0
5000	1
1000	1



Salary	IG
5000	$x_1$
3000	$x_2$
2000	$x_3$
1000	1

IG is Max