

CSCE 421: Machine Learning

HW1

1 [10 pts]

$$P(B = r) = 0.2, P(B = b) = 0.2, P(B = g) = 0.6.$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(F = a) &= P(F = a | B = r)P(B = r) + P(F = a | B = b)P(B = b) + P(F = a | B = g)P(B = g) \\ &= 3/10 * 0.2 + 1/2 * 0.2 + 3/10 * 0.6 = 0.06 + 0.1 + 0.18 = 0.34 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(B = g | F = o) = P(F = o | B = g) * P(B = g) / P(F = o) = 3/10 * 0.6 / P(F = o)$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(F = o) &= P(F = o | B = r)P(B = r) + P(F = o | B = b)P(B = b) + P(F = o | B = g)P(B = g) \\ &= 4/10 * 0.2 + 1/2 * 0.2 + 3/10 * 0.6 = 0.08 + 0.1 + 0.18 = 0.36 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So we can get } P(B = g | F = o) = 0.18 / 0.36 = 0.5$$

2 [20 pts]

$$P(\text{red} | \text{yes}) = 3/5 \quad P(\text{red} | \text{no}) = 2/5$$

$$P(\text{Domestic} | \text{yes}) = 2/5 \quad P(\text{Domestic} | \text{no}) = 3/5$$

$$P(\text{SUV} | \text{yes}) = 1/5 \quad P(\text{SUV} | \text{no}) = 3/5$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(\text{yes} | \text{Red Domestic SUV}) &= P(\text{red} | \text{yes}) * P(\text{Domestic} | \text{yes}) * P(\text{SUV} | \text{yes}) * P(\text{yes}) / P(\text{red Domestic SUV}) \\ &= 3/5 * 2/5 * 1/5 * 0.5 / x = 3/125 / x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(\text{no} | \text{Red Domestic SUV}) &= P(\text{red} | \text{no}) * P(\text{Domestic} | \text{no}) * P(\text{SUV} | \text{no}) * P(\text{no}) / P(\text{red Domestic SUV}) \\ &= 2/5 * 3/5 * 3/5 * 0.5 / x = 9/125 / x \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } P(\text{yes} | \text{Red Domestic SUV}) < P(\text{no} | \text{Red Domestic SUV})$$

3 [20 pts]

(a) The attributes are conditionally independent of each other given the class label.

(b) If we use the simplifying assumption, then we only need $2 * d * (k-1)$ parameters.

If we don't use the assumption, we need to calculate $(k^d - 1) * 2$ parameters, which is much more than the first one.

4 [25 pts]

From the Bayes' theorem $P(Y|X) \propto P(X|Y)P(Y)$

For the texts A,

$$P(\text{Physics} \mid A) \propto P(\text{carbon} \mid \text{Physics}) * P(\text{atom} \mid \text{Physics}) * P(\text{life} \mid \text{Physics}) * P(\text{earth} \mid \text{Physics}) * P(\text{Physics})$$
$$= 0.005 * 0.1 * 0.001 * 0.005 * 0.35 = 8.75\text{e-}10$$

$$P(\text{Biology} \mid A) \propto P(\text{carbon} \mid \text{Biology}) * P(\text{atom} \mid \text{Biology}) * P(\text{life} \mid \text{Biology}) * P(\text{earth} \mid \text{Biology}) * P(\text{Biology})$$
$$= 0.03 * 0.01 * 0.1 * 0.006 * 0.4 = 7.2\text{e-}08$$

$$P(\text{Chemistry} \mid A) \propto P(\text{carbon} \mid \text{Chemistry}) * P(\text{atom} \mid \text{Chemistry}) * P(\text{life} \mid \text{Chemistry}) * P(\text{earth} \mid \text{Chemistry}) * P(\text{Chemistry})$$
$$= 0.05 * 0.2 * 0.008 * 0.003 * 0.25 = 6.0\text{e-}08$$

So we classify texts A into Biology.

For the texts B,

$$P(\text{Physics} \mid B) \propto P(\text{carbon} \mid \text{Physics}) * P(\text{atom} \mid \text{Physics}) * P(\text{protons} \mid \text{Physics}) * P(\text{Physics})$$
$$= 0.005 * 0.1 * 0.05 * 0.35 = 8.75\text{e-}06$$

$$P(\text{Biology} \mid B) \propto P(\text{carbon} \mid \text{Biology}) * P(\text{atom} \mid \text{Biology}) * P(\text{protons} \mid \text{Biology}) * P(\text{Biology})$$
$$= 0.01 * 0.03 * 0.001 * 0.4 = 1.2\text{e-}07$$

$$P(\text{Chemistry} \mid B) \propto P(\text{carbon} \mid \text{Chemistry}) * P(\text{atom} \mid \text{Chemistry}) * P(\text{protons} \mid \text{Chemistry}) * P(\text{Chemistry})$$
$$= 0.2 * 0.05 * 0.05 * 0.25 = 1.25\text{e-}04$$

So we classify texts B into Chemistry.

5 [25 pts]

$$P(\text{play} = Y) = 9/14$$

$$P(\text{play} = N) = 5/14$$

$$\text{Entropy} = -9/14 * \log_2(9/14) - (5/14) * \log_2(5/14) \quad (\text{all the log is based on 2})$$
$$= 0.9403$$

$$\text{Entropy}(T = \text{hot}) = -2/4 * \log_2(2/4) - 2/4 * \log_2(2/4) = 1$$

$$\text{Entropy}(T = \text{mild}) = -4/6 * \log_2(4/6) - 2/6 * \log_2(2/6) = 0.9183$$

$$\text{Entropy}(T = \text{cool}) = -3/4 * \log_2(3/4) - 1/4 * \log_2(1/4) = 0.8113$$

$$\text{IG}(\text{Temp}) = 0.9403 - (4/14 * 1 + 6/14 * 0.9183 + 4/14 * 0.8113) = 0.0292$$

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{outlook} = \text{sunny}) = -2/5 * \log_2(2/5) - 3/5 * \log_2(3/5) = 0.9710$$

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{outlook} = \text{overcast}) = 0$$

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{outlook} = \text{rain}) = -2/5 * \log_2(2/5) - 3/5 * \log_2(3/5) = 0.9710$$

$$\text{IG}(\text{Outlook}) = 0.9403 - (5/14 * 0.9710 + 0 + 5/14 * 0.9710) = 0.2467 \text{ (In the 2}^{\text{nd}} \text{ tree, we choose outlook as root node)}$$

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{Humidity} = \text{high}) = -3/7 * \log_2(3/7) - 4/7 * \log_2(4/7) = 0.9852$$

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{Humidity} = \text{normal}) = -6/7 * \log_2(6/7) - 1/7 * \log_2(1/7) = 0.5917$$

$$\text{IG}(\text{Humidity}) = 0.9403 - (7/14 * 0.9852 + 7/14 * 0.5917) = 0.1519$$

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{Windy} = \text{true}) = -3/6 * \log_2(3/6) - 3/6 * \log_2(3/6) = 1$$

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{Windy} = \text{false}) = -6/8 * \log_2(6/8) - 2/8 * \log_2(2/8) = 0.8113$$

$$\text{IG}(\text{Windy}) = 0.9403 - (6/14 * 1 + 8/14 * 0.8113) = 0.0481$$

For the tree 1:

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{Outlook} = \text{sunny} | T = \text{hot}) = 0$$

$$\text{Entropy}(\text{Outlook} = \text{overcast} | T = \text{hot}) = 0$$

$$\text{IG}(\text{outlook}, T = \text{hot}) = 1$$

$\text{IG}(\text{humidity}, T = \text{hot})$ and $\text{IG}(\text{windy}, T = \text{hot})$ are both smaller than $\text{IG}(\text{outlook}, T = \text{hot})$, we choose outlook under branch hot.

Entropy(Outlook = sunny | T = mild) = 1

Entropy(Outlook = overcast | T = mild) = 0

Entropy(Outlook = rain | T = mild) = 0.9183

$IG(\text{outlook}, T = \text{mild}) = 0.9183 - (2/6 * 1 + 3/6 * 0.9183) = 0.1258$

Entropy(Humidity = high | T = mild) = 1

Entropy(Humidity = normal | T = mild) = 0

$IG(\text{humidity}, T = \text{mild}) = 0.9183 - (4/6 * 1) = 0.2516$

Entropy(Windy = true | T = mild) = 0.9183

Entropy(Windy = false | T = mild) = 0.9183

$IG(\text{windy}, T = \text{mild}) = 0$

$IG(\text{outlook}, T = \text{mild})$ and $IG(\text{windy}, T = \text{mild})$ are both smaller than $IG(\text{humidity}, T = \text{mild})$, we choose humidity under branch mild.

$IG(\text{outlook}, T = \text{cool}) = 0.3113$

$IG(\text{humidity}, T = \text{cool}) = 0$

$IG(\text{windy}, T = \text{cool}) = 0.3113$

we choose outlook or windy under the branch cool

For the branch hot, we already touched the leaves.

For the normal branch of the mild part, we already touched the leave.

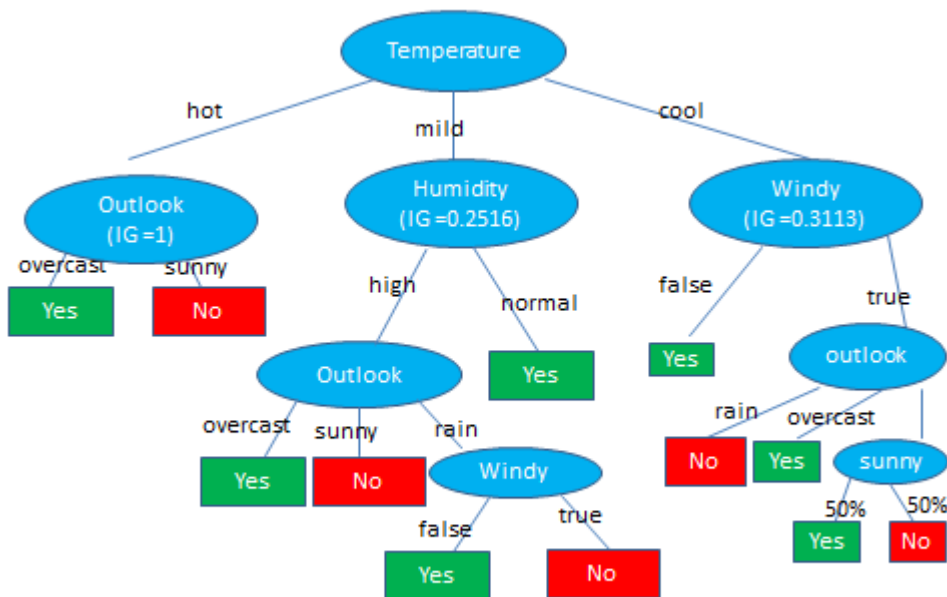
For the high branch of the mild part, we found out that $IG(\text{outlook} | \text{high}) > IG(\text{windy} | \text{high})$

So we choose outlook under branch high.

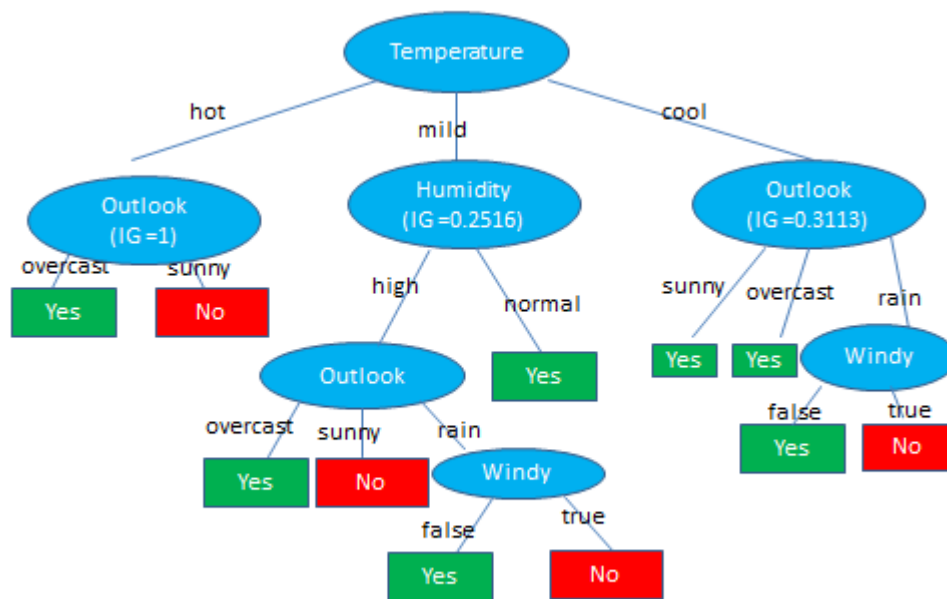
For the branch cool, if we choose outlook under cool, we already touched the leave on the sunny and overcast. In the rain branch, we choose windy, because $IG(Humidity|cool,rain) < IG(windy|cool,rain)$. We can show the final tree marked as (1). If we choose windy under cool, we can show the final tree as the following marked as (2).

Tree 1:

(1)



(2)



Tree 2:

$IG(\text{Outlook}) = 0.2467$ (In the 2nd tree, we choose outlook as root node)

$IG(\text{humidity}|\text{sunny}) = 0.9710$

$IG(\text{windy}|\text{rain}) = 0.9710$

