Example: Attribute Selection with Information Gain

- □ Class P: buys_computer = "yes"
- Class N: buys_computer = "no"

age	income	student	credit_rating	buys_computer
<=30	high	no	fair	no
<=30	high	no	excellent	no
3140	high	no	fair	yes
>40	medium	no	fair	yes
>40	low	yes	fair	yes
>40	low	yes	excellent	no
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<=30	low	yes	fair	yes
>40	medium	yes	fair	yes
<=30	medium	yes	excellent	yes
3140	medium	no	excellent	yes
3140	high	yes	fair	yes
>40	medium	no	excellent	no

$$Info_{age}(D) = \frac{5}{14}I(2,3) + \frac{4}{14}I(4,0) + \frac{5}{14}I(3,2) = 0.694$$

 $\frac{5}{14}I(2,3)$ means "age <=30" has 5 out of 14 samples, with 2 yes'es and 3 no's.

Hence

$$Gain(age) = Info(D) - Info_{age}(D) = 0.246$$

Similarly, we can get

$$Gain(income) = 0.029$$

$$Gain(student) = 0.151$$

$$Gain(credit_rating) = 0.048$$

1. คำนวณ Info(D)

Info(D) = I (8,4)
=
$$-8/12 \log_2 (8/12) - 4/12 \log_2 (4/12)$$

= 0.9183

2. คำนวณ Infoage ,income ,student, credit (D)

2.1. Infoage (D) =
$$4/12 I (2,2) + 3/12 I (3,0) + 5/12 I (3,2)$$

= $4/12 (1) + 3/12 (0) + 5/12 (0.9710)$
Infoage (D) = 0.5761

2.2. Infoincome (D) =
$$4/12 I (2,2) + 5/12 I (4,1) + 3/12 I (2,1)$$

= $4/12 I (1) + 5/12 I (0.7219) + 3/12 I (0.9183)$
= 0.8637

2.3. Infostudent (D) =
$$6/12 I (5,1) + 6/12 I (3,3)$$

= $6/12 I (0.6500) + 6/12 I (1)$
= 0.8250

2.4. Infocredit (D) =
$$7/12 I (6,1) + 5/12 I (2,3)$$

= $7/12 I (0.6906) + 5/12 I (0.9710)$
= 0.8074

3. คำนวณหา Gain

3.1 Gain (age) =
$$0.9183 - 0.5761$$

= 0.3422

3.2
$$Gain (income) = 0.9183 - 0.8637$$

= 0.0546

3.3
$$Gain (student) = 0.9183 - 0.8250$$

= 0.0933

3.4
$$Gain (credit) = 0.9183 - 0.8074$$

= 0.1109

สรุปได้ค่า Gain (age) = 0.3422 เป็นค่าที่มากที่สุดจิงให้ age เป็น root note