### **MACHINE LEARNING LAB-3**

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#### **OUTPUTS:-**

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                Shape: (812A, 51)

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          First few rows:
          cap-shape: ['x' 'b' 's' 'f' 'k'] -> [5 0 4 2 3]
          cap-surface: ['s' 'y' 'f' 'g'] -> [2 3 0 1]
          cap-color: ['n' 'y' 'w' 'g' 'e'] -> [4 9 8 3 2]
          class: ['p' 'e'] -> [1 0]
             Processed dataset shape: torch.size[8124, 23])
Number of features: [22
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  Constructing decision tree using training data...
     Decision tree construction completed using PYTORCH!
        OVERALL PERFORMANCE METRICS
  Accuracy: 1.0000 (100.00%)
Precision (weighted): 1.0000
Recall (weighted): 1.0000
F1-Score (weighted): 1.0000
Precision (macro): 1.0000
Recall (macro): 1.0000
F1-Score (macro): 1.0000
        TREE COMPLEXITY METRICS
        target column: 'Class' (last column)
original dataset info:
Shape: (OSs, 10)
Shape: (OSs, 10)
Columns: ['top-left-square', 'top-middle-square', 'top-right-square', 'middle-left-square', 'middle-square', 'middle-right-square', 'bottom-left-square', 'bottom-middle-square', 'bottom-middle-square'
  top-middle-square: ['x' 'o' 'b'] -> [2 1 0]
CHRONIC PROMOSELVE negative [ -> [1 0]

Number of features: 9

Features: ['top-left-square', 'top-middle-square', 'top-right-square', 'middle-left-square', 'middle-middle-square', 'middle-right-square', 'bottom-left-square', 'bottom-middle-square', 'bottom-right-square']

Target: Class

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Data type: cclass 'torch.Tensor'>
     DECISION TREE CONSTRUCTION DEMO
  Accuracy: 0.8738 (87.38%)
Precision (weighted): 0.8741
Recall (weighted): 0.8730
F1-Score (weighted): 0.8734
Precision (macro): 0.8590
Recall (macro): 0.8638
F1-Score (macro): 0.8613
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TREE COMPLEXITY METRICS
Maximum Depth:
Total Nodes:
Leaf Nodes:
                       221
Internal Nodes:
                       101
PS C:\Users\drish\OneDrive\Desktop\code\pytorch_implementation> python test.py --ID EC_C_PES2UG23CS185_LAB3 --data Nursery.csv
Running tests with PYTORCH framework
target column: 'class' (last column)
Original dataset info:
Shape: (12960, 9)
Columns: ['parents', 'has_nurs', 'form', 'children', 'housing', 'finance', 'social', 'health', 'class']
parents: ['usual' 'pretentious' 'great_pret'] -> [2 1 0]
has_nurs: ['proper' 'less_proper' 'improper' 'critical' 'very_crit'] -> [3 2 1 0 4]
form: ['complete' 'completed' 'incomplete' 'foster'] -> [0 1 3 2]
class: ['recommend' 'priority' 'not_recom' 'very_recom' 'spec_prior'] -> [2 1 0 4 3]
Processed dataset shape: torch.Size([12960, 9])
Number of features: 8
Features: ['parents', 'has_nurs', 'form', 'children', 'housing', 'finance', 'social', 'health']
Framework: PYTORCH
Data type: <class 'torch.Tensor'>
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#### DECISION TREE CONSTRUCTION DEMO

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Total samples: 12960 Training samples: 10368 Testing samples: 2592

Constructing decision tree using training data...

Decision tree construction completed using PYTORCH!

#### IN OVERALL PERFORMANCE METRICS

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Accuracy: 0.9867 (98.67%)

Precision (weighted): 0.9876 Recall (weighted): 0.9867 F1-Score (weighted): 0.9872 Precision (macro): 0.7604 Recall (macro): 0.7654 F1-Score (macro): 0.7628

### TREE COMPLEXITY METRICS

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Maximum Depth: 7 Total Nodes: 952 Leaf Nodes: 680 Internal Nodes: 272

PS C:\Users\drish\OneDrive\Desktop\code\pytorch implementation>

#### Mushrooms.csv

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♠ DECISION TREE STRUCTURE
Root [odor] (gain: 0.9083)
  — = 0:

├── Class 0
   = 1:
  ├─ Class 1
- = 2:
   ├─ Class 1
   = 3:
   ├─ Class 0
   = 4:
    Class 1
    = 5:
     — [spore-print-color] (gain: 0.1469)
— = 0:
     ├─ Class 0
      - = 1:
      Class 0
       = 2:
      ├─ Class 0
       = 3:
      ├─ Class 0
       = 4:
      ├─ Class 0
- = 5:
      ├─ Class 1
       = 7:
        — [habitat] (gain: 0.2217)
— = 0:
            [gill-size] (gain: 0.7642)
= 0:
            ├─ Class 0
├─ = 1:
           ├─ Class 1
            ├─ Class 0
          - = 2:
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The tree is overfitting

#### Tictactoe.csv

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DECISION TREE STRUCTURE

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#### The tree is overfitting

#### Nursery.csv

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Class 1
= 1:
 — [housing] (gain: 0.1886)
     — [finance] (gain: 0.5577)
     — = 0:

├── Class 1
         — [form] (gain: 0.3555)
           = 0:

— Class 3
           = 1:

— Class 1
            = 2:
          ├─ Class 3
- = 3:
          Class 3
    = 1:
      - [form] (gain: 0.1011)
          — [children] (gain: 0.7219)
            = 0:
├─ Class 1
           = 1:

— Class 3
            = 2:
            Class 3
            = 3:
         Class 3
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The tree is overfitting

# a) Algorithm Performance

## 1. Which dataset achieved the highest accuracy and why?

- Datasets with well-separated class distributions (e.g., binary classification with clear attribute splits) typically achieve higher accuracy.
- For example, a dataset like Mushrooms (edible vs poisonous) tends to yield very high accuracy because features such as color, odor, and gill shape are strongly correlated with the target variable.
- The accuracy is highest when features are highly informative (strong predictors) and redundancy/noise is minimal.

### 2. How does dataset size affect performance?

- Small datasets may lead to overfitting, as the tree might memorize training examples instead of generalizing.
- Larger datasets improve generalization by covering more variation in data, leading to more robust splits.
- However, very large datasets may increase training time and require pruning/regularization to avoid overly deep trees.

### 3. What role does the number of features play?

- More features give the algorithm more potential splits, which can improve performance if features are relevant.
- However, too many irrelevant or redundant features can lead to overfitting and decreased interpretability.
- Decision trees perform best when provided with a moderate number of highly informative features.

# b) Data Characteristics Impact

#### 1. How does class imbalance affect tree construction?

- In imbalanced datasets (e.g., 90% class A, 10% class B), the tree tends to favor the majority class, leading to poor recall for the minority class.
- Splitting criteria like information gain may become biased toward majority class features.
- Techniques such as SMOTE, class weighting, or balanced splitting criteria can help mitigate this issue.

### 2. Which types of features (binary vs multi-valued) work better?

- Binary features (Yes/No, True/False) often lead to simpler, shallower trees and are easy to interpret.
- Multi-valued categorical features provide richer splits but may cause overbranching, leading to deep, complex trees.
- In practice, binary features often yield more robust trees, while multi-valued features need careful handling (e.g., grouping categories or using feature selection).

# c) Practical Applications

### 1. For which real-world scenarios is each dataset type most relevant?

- Binary feature datasets: Medical diagnosis (disease vs no disease), fraud detection, spam filtering.
- Multi-valued categorical datasets: Market segmentation, recommendation systems, text classification.
- Continuous + categorical datasets: Credit scoring, risk assessment, customer churn prediction.

### 2. What are the interpretability advantages for each domain?

- Medical & healthcare (binary features): Trees are highly interpretable for doctors to understand "if-then" decision rules.
- Retail/Marketing (multi-valued): Helps businesses see which product attributes or demographics drive sales.
- Finance (mixed features): Provides transparency in risk models, ensuring fairness and regulatory compliance.

### 3. How would you improve performance for each dataset?

- For small datasets: Use pruning or cross-validation to avoid overfitting.
- For large datasets: Apply tree depth limits or switch to Random Forests/Gradient Boosted Trees for better scalability.
- For imbalanced datasets: Apply resampling, cost-sensitive learning, or ensemble methods.
- For high-dimensional datasets: Perform feature selection or dimensionality reduction before training.