An Introduction to WEKA

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What is WEKA?

- **W**aikato **E**nvironment for **K**nowledge **A**nalysis
  - It's a data mining/machine learning tool developed by Department of Computer Science, University of Waikato, New Zealand.
  - Weka is a collection of machine learning algorithms for data mining tasks.
  - Weka is open source software issued under the GNU General Public License.

Download and Install WEKA

- Website:
  http://www.cs.waikato.ac.nz/~ml/weka/index.html
- Support multiple platforms (written in java):
  - Windows, Mac OS X and Linux
- Weka Manual:
  - http://transact.dl.sourceforge.net/sourceforge/weka/WekaManual-3.6.0.pdf

Main Features

- 49 data preprocessing tools
- 76 classification/regression algorithms
- 8 clustering algorithms
- 3 algorithms for finding association rules
- 15 attribute/subset evaluators + 10 search algorithms for feature selection

Main GUI

- Three graphical user interfaces
  - "The Explorer" (exploratory data analysis)
  - "The Experimenter" (experimental environment)
  - "The KnowledgeFlow" (new process model inspired interface)
  - Simple CLI (Command prompt)
    - Offers some functionality not available via the GUI

Datasets in Weka

- Each entry in a dataset is an instance of the java class:
  - weka.core.Instance
- Each instance consists of a number of attributes
  - *Nominal*: one of a predefined list of values
    - e.g. red, green, blue
  - *Numeric*: A real or integer number
  - *String:* Enclosed in "double quotes"
  - *Date*
  - *Relational*

ARFF Files

- Weka wants its input data in ARFF format.
  - A dataset has to start with a declaration of its name:
    - @relation name
  - @attribute attribute_name specification
    - If an attribute is nominal, specification contains a list of the possible attribute values in curly brackets:
      - @attribute nominal_attribute {first_value, second_value, third_value}
    - If an attribute is numeric, specification is replaced by the keyword numeric: (Integer values are treated as real numbers in WEKA.)
      - @attribute numeric_attribute numeric
  - After the attribute declarations, the actual data is introduced by a tag:
    - @data

ARFF File

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@relation weather
@attribute outlook { sunny, overcast, rainy }
@attribute temperature numeric
@attribute humidity numeric
@attribute windy { TRUE, FALSE }
@attribute play { yes, no }
@data
sunny, 85, 85, FALSE, no
sunny, 80, 90, TRUE, no
overcast, 83, 86, FALSE, yes
rainy, 70, 96, FALSE, yes
rainy, 68, 80, FALSE, yes
rainy, 65, 70, TRUE, no
overcast, 64, 65, TRUE, yes
sunny, 72, 95, FALSE, no
sunny, 69, 70, FALSE, yes
rainy, 75, 80, FALSE, yes
sunny, 75, 70, TRUE, yes
overcast, 72, 90, TRUE, yes
overcast, 81, 75, FALSE, yes
rainy, 71, 91, TRUE, no
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WEKA: Explorer

- Preprocess: Choose and modify the data being acted on.
- Classify: Train and test learning schemes that classify or perform regression.
- Cluster: Learn clusters for the data.
- Associate: Learn association rules for the data.
- Select attributes: Select the most relevant attributes in the data.
- Visualize: View an interactive 2D plot of the data.

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Explorer: pre-processing the data

- Data can be imported from a file in various formats: ARFF, CSV, C4.5, binary
- Data can also be read from a URL or from an SQL database (using JDBC)
- Pre-processing tools in WEKA are called “filters”
- WEKA contains filters for:
  - Discretization, normalization, resampling, attribute selection, transforming and combining attributes, …

WEKA only deals with “flat” files

@relation heart-disease-simplified

@attribute age numeric
@attribute sex { female, male}
@attribute chest_pain_type { typ_angina, asympt, non_anginal, atyp_angina}
@attribute cholesterol numeric
@attribute exercise_induced_angina { no, yes}
@attribute class { present, not_present}

@data
63,male,typ_angina,233,no,not_present
67,male,asympt,286,yes,present
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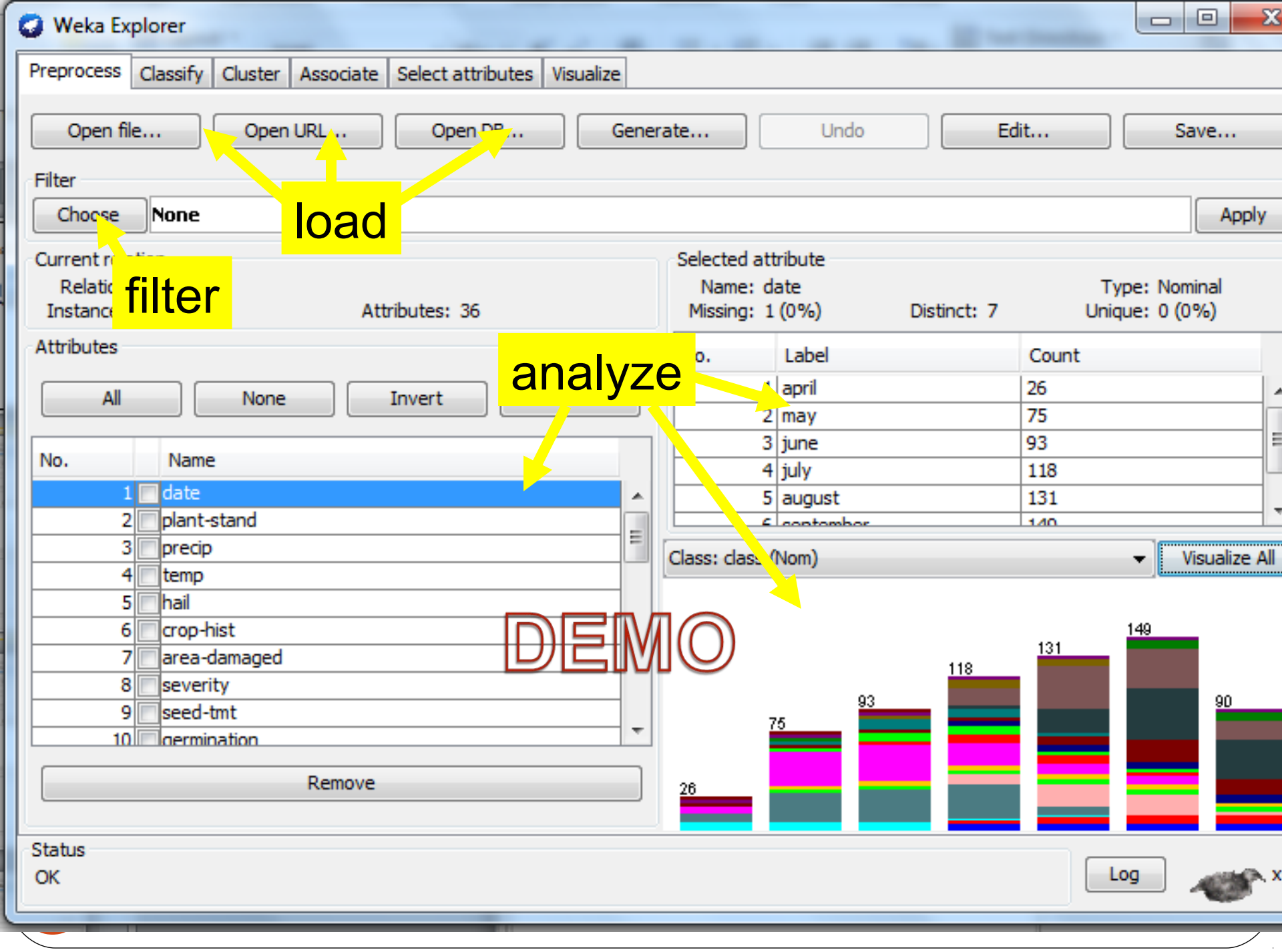
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Type: Nominal
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Unique: 0 (0%)
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5 hail
6 crop-hist
7 area-damaged
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9 seed-tmt
10 germination
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2 may 75
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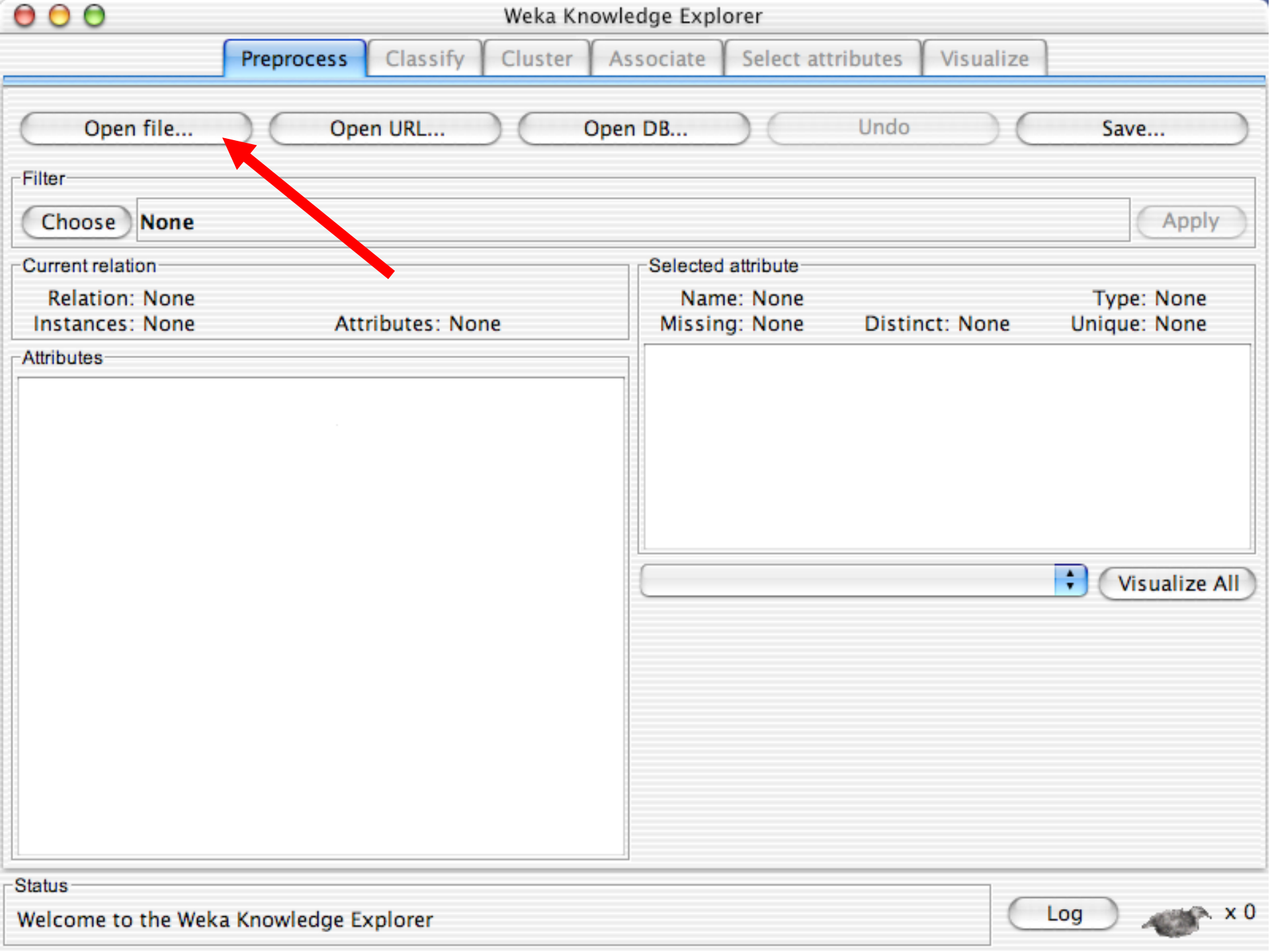
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Weka Knowledge Explorer

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Filter

Choose **None** | Apply

Current relation

Relation: iris
Instances: 150 Attributes: 5

Attributes

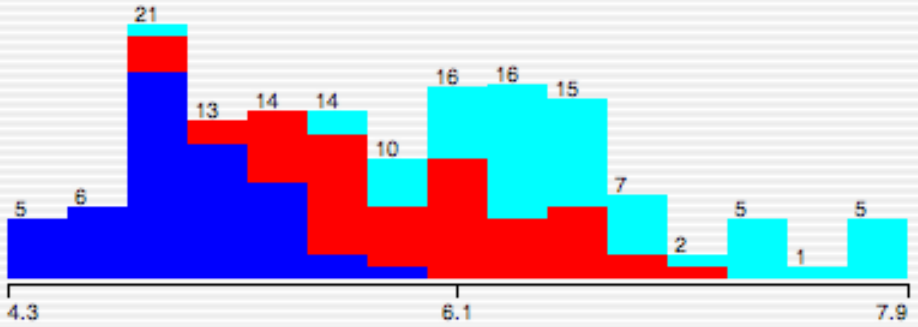
No.	Name
1	sepallength
2	sepalwidth
3	petallength
4	petalwidth
5	class

Selected attribute

Name: sepallength Type: Numeric
Missing: 0 (0%) Distinct: 35 Unique: 9 (6%)

Statistic	Value
Minimum	4.3
Maximum	7.9
Mean	5.843
StdDev	0.828

Colour: class (Nom) | Visualize All



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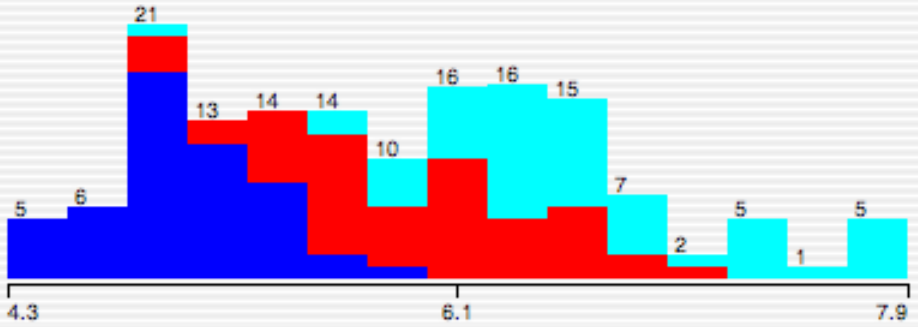

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Missing: 0 (0%) Distinct: 3 Unique: 0 (0%)

Label	Count
Iris-setosa	50
Iris-versicolor	50
Iris-virginica	50

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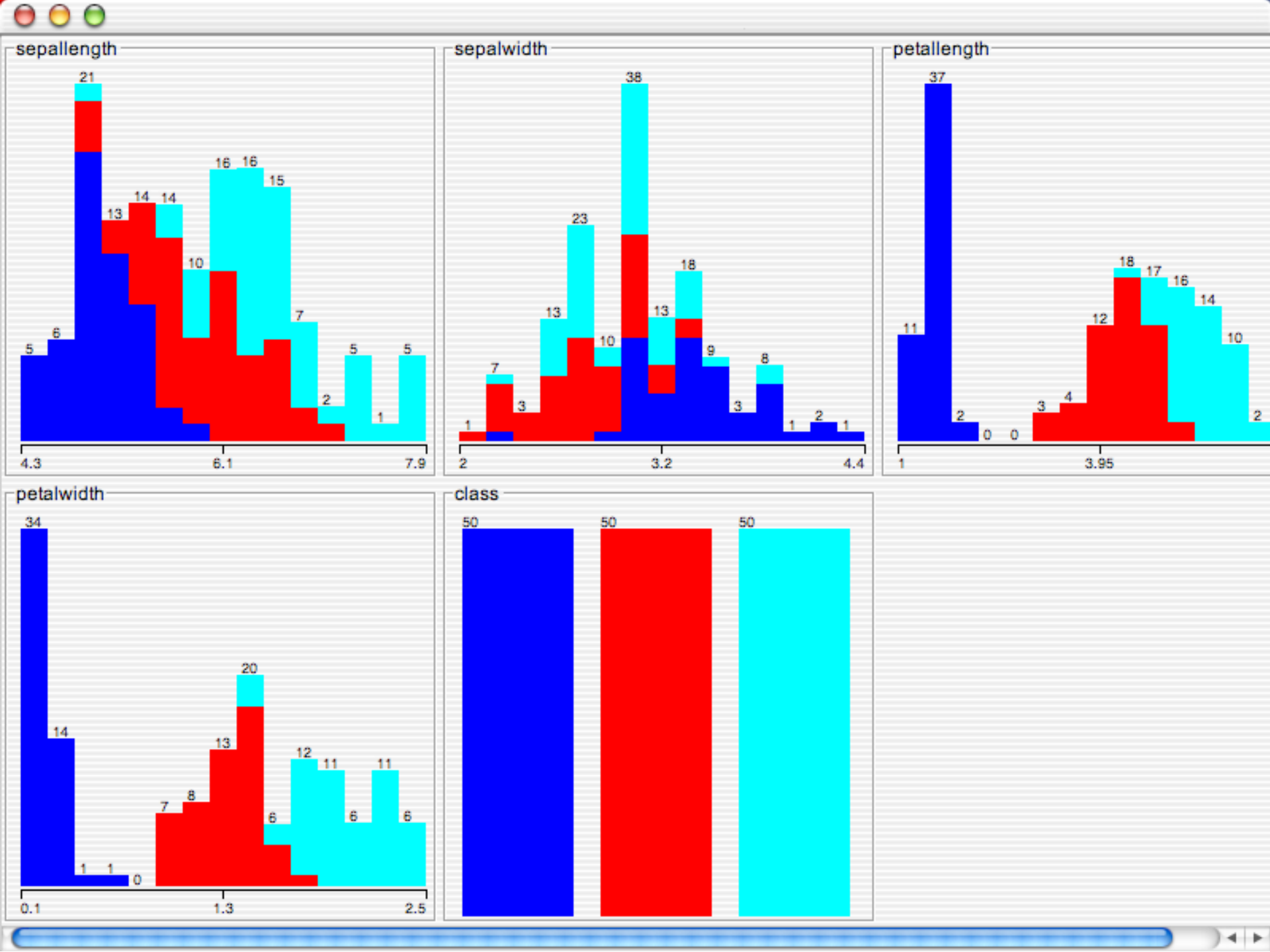
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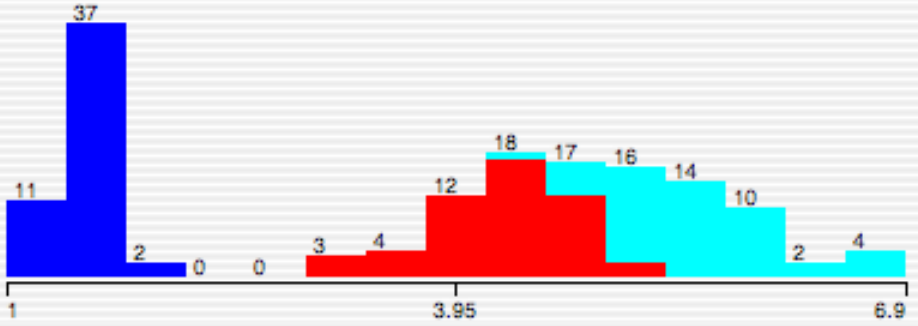

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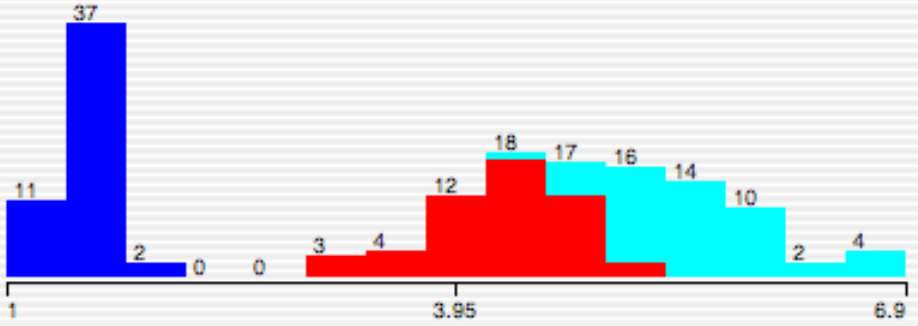

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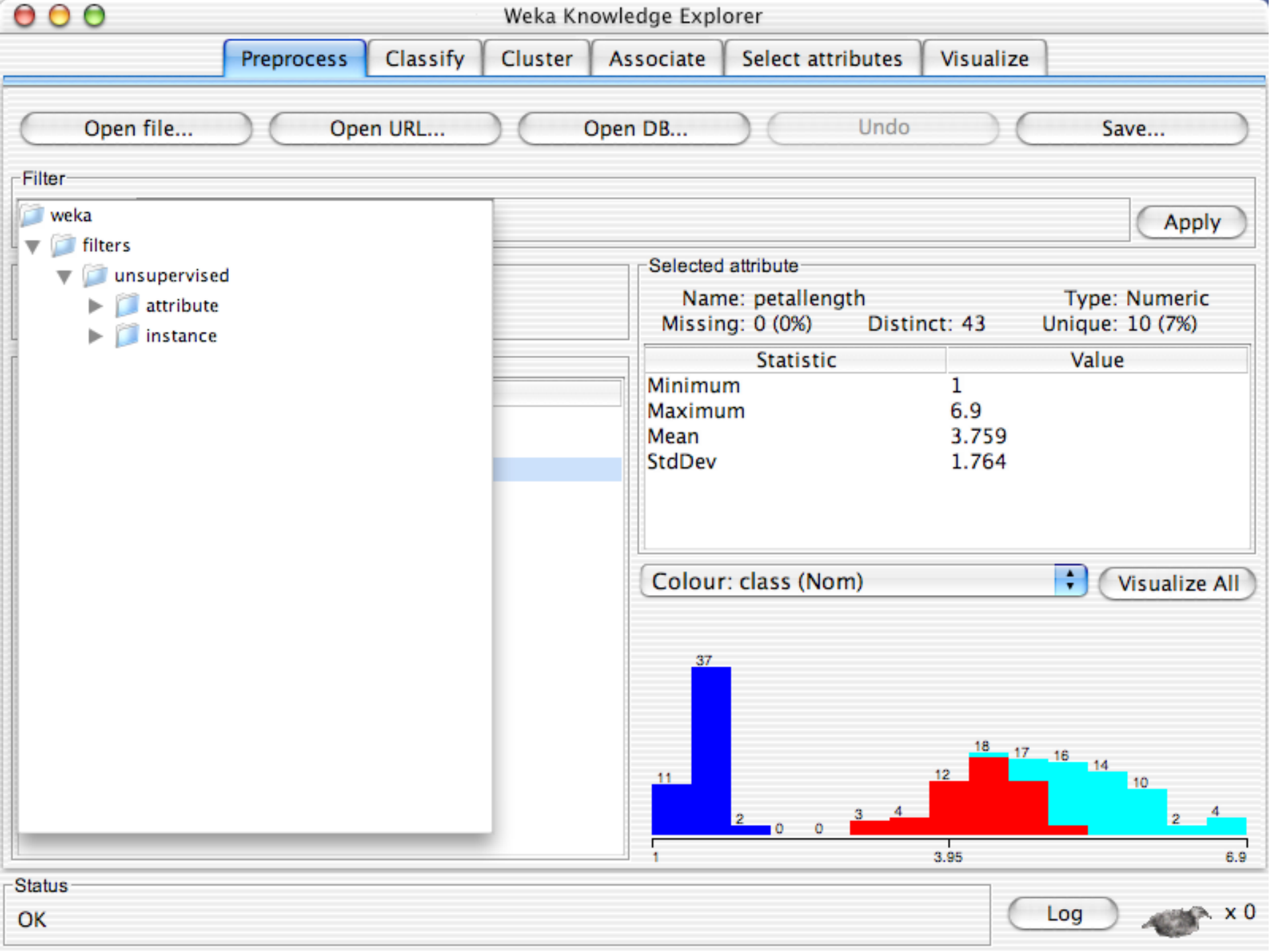
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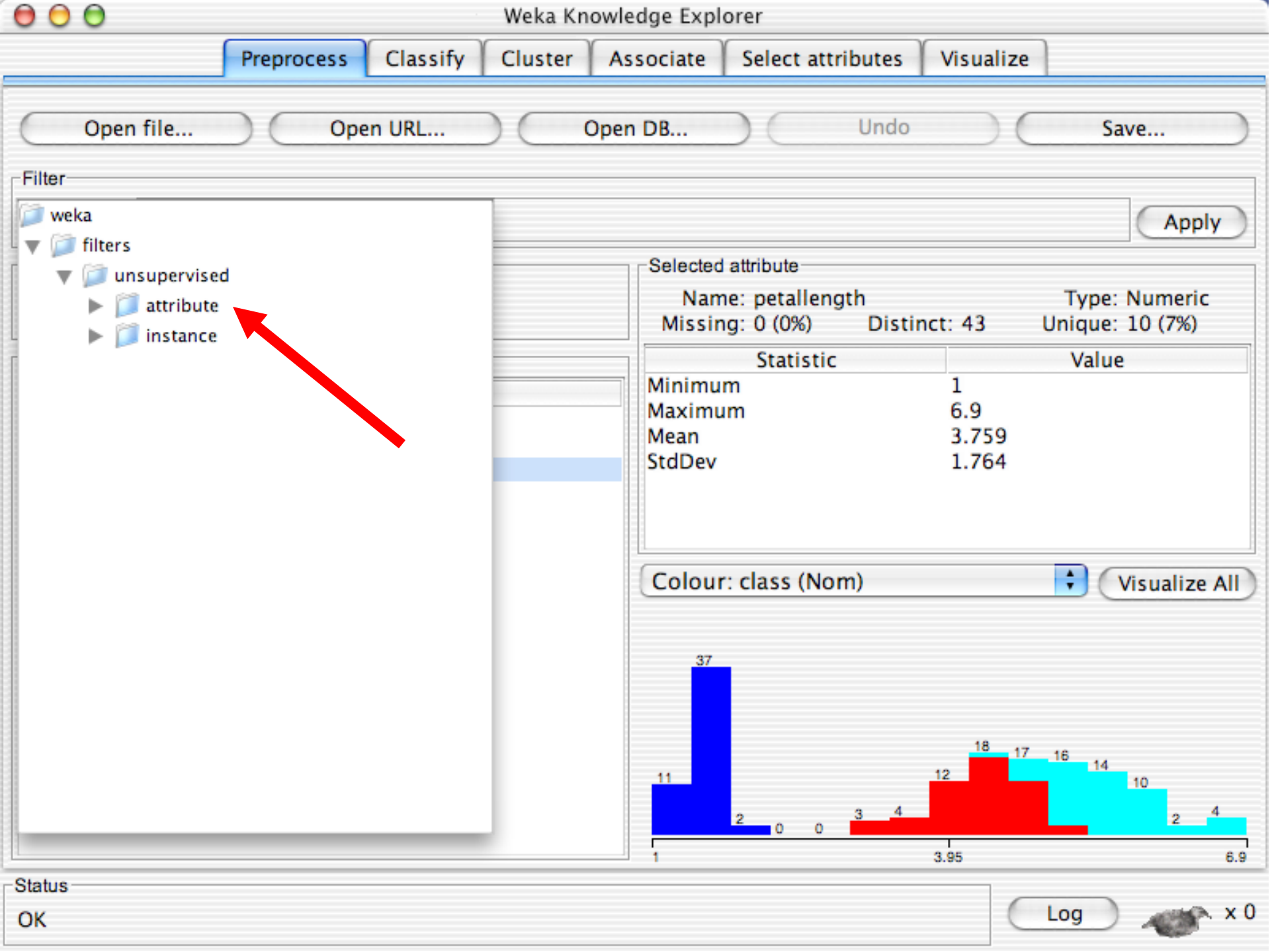
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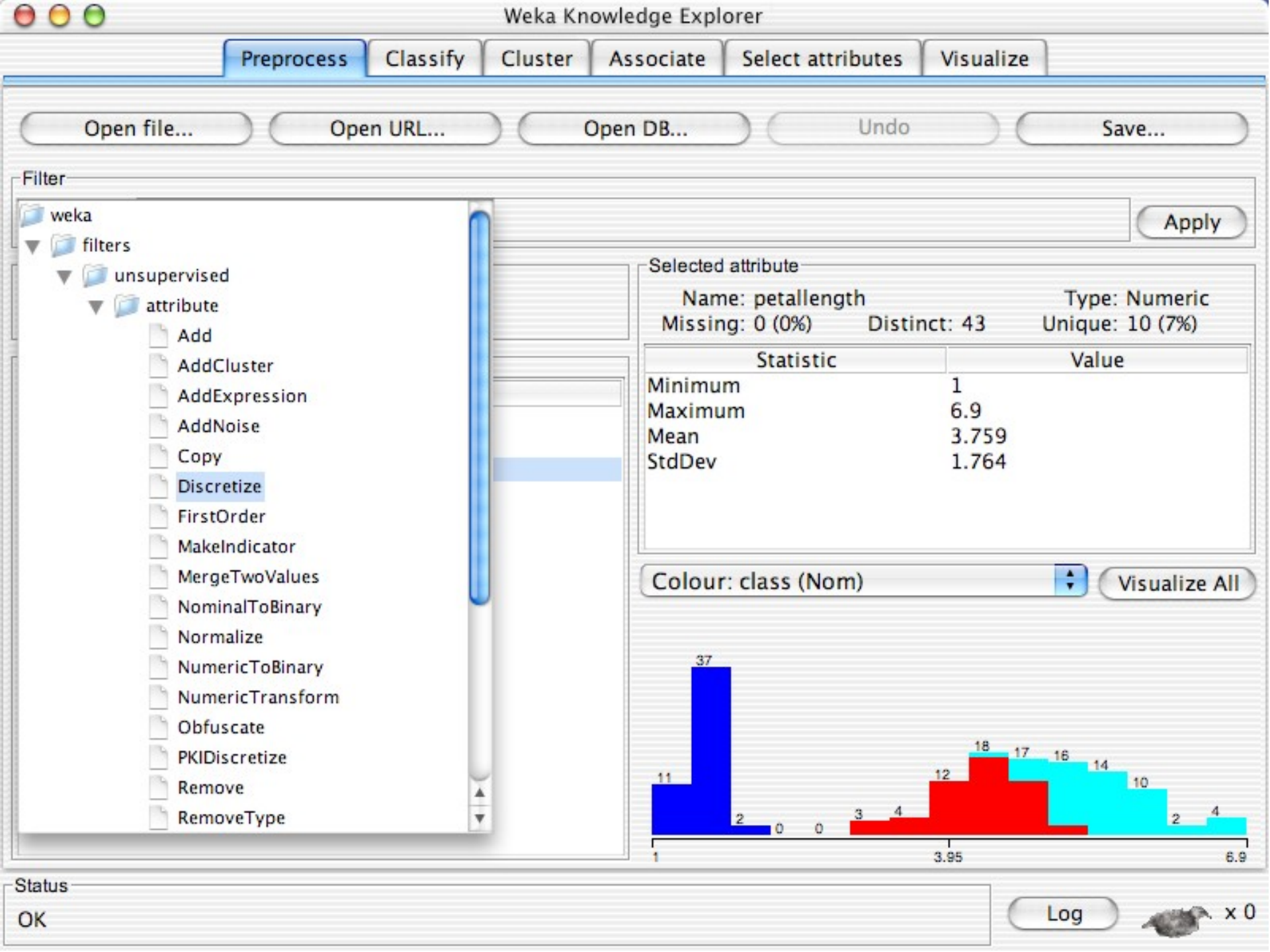
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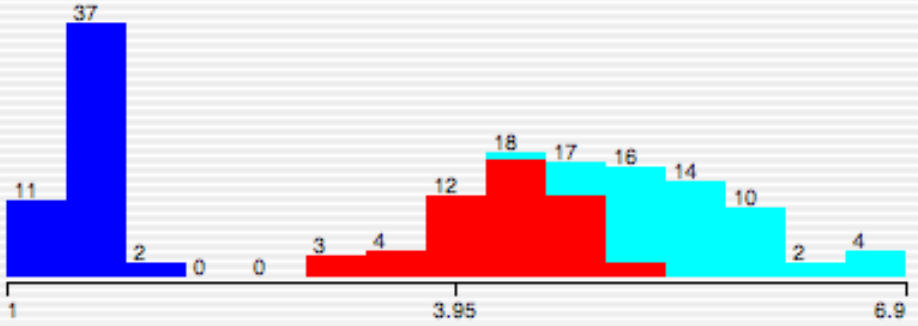

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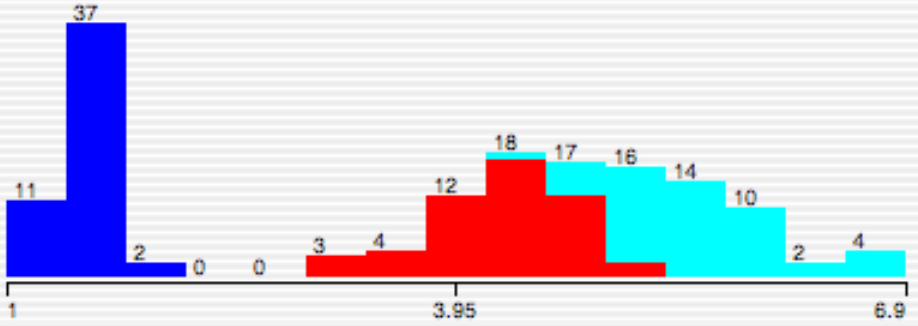

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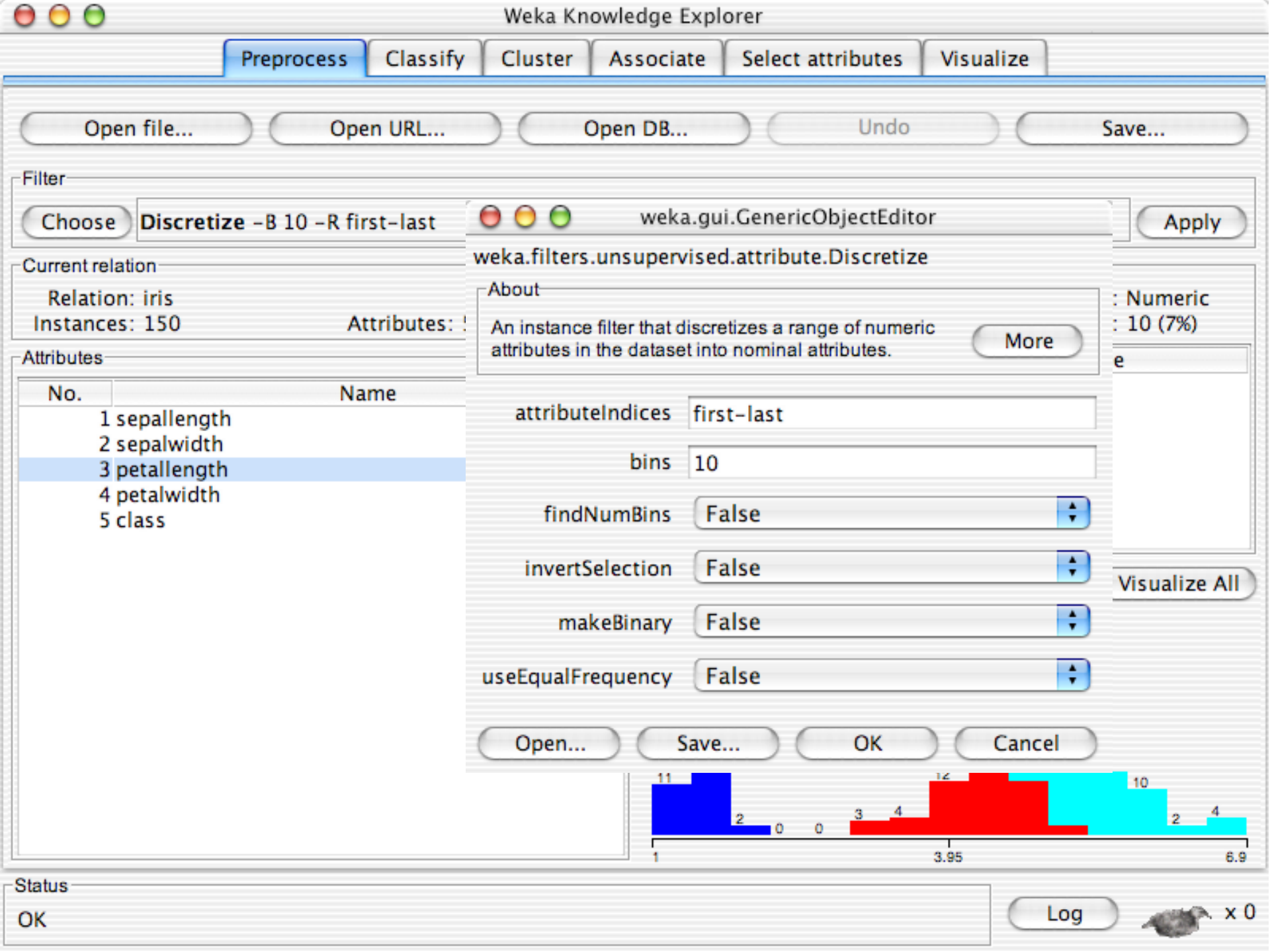
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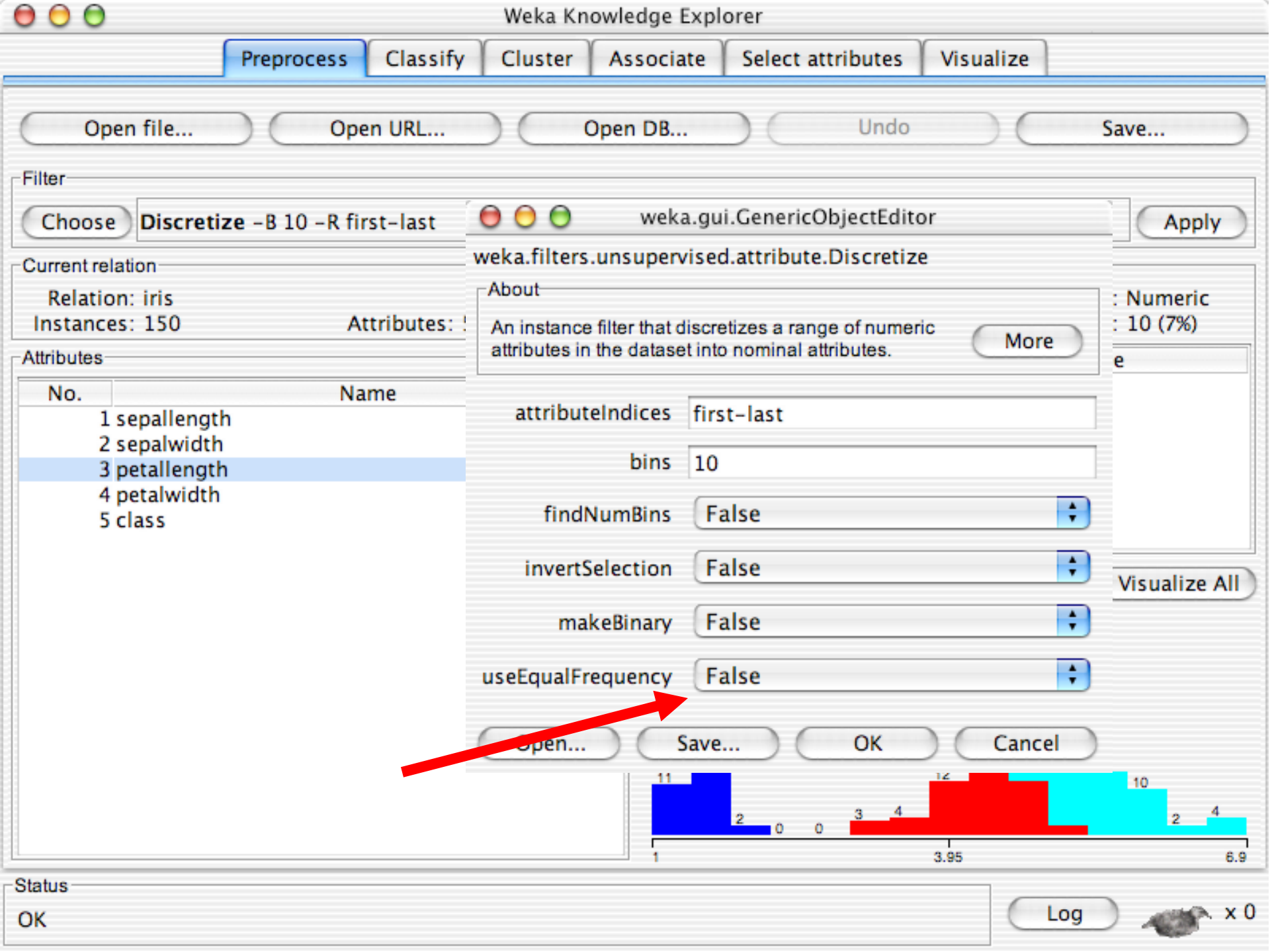
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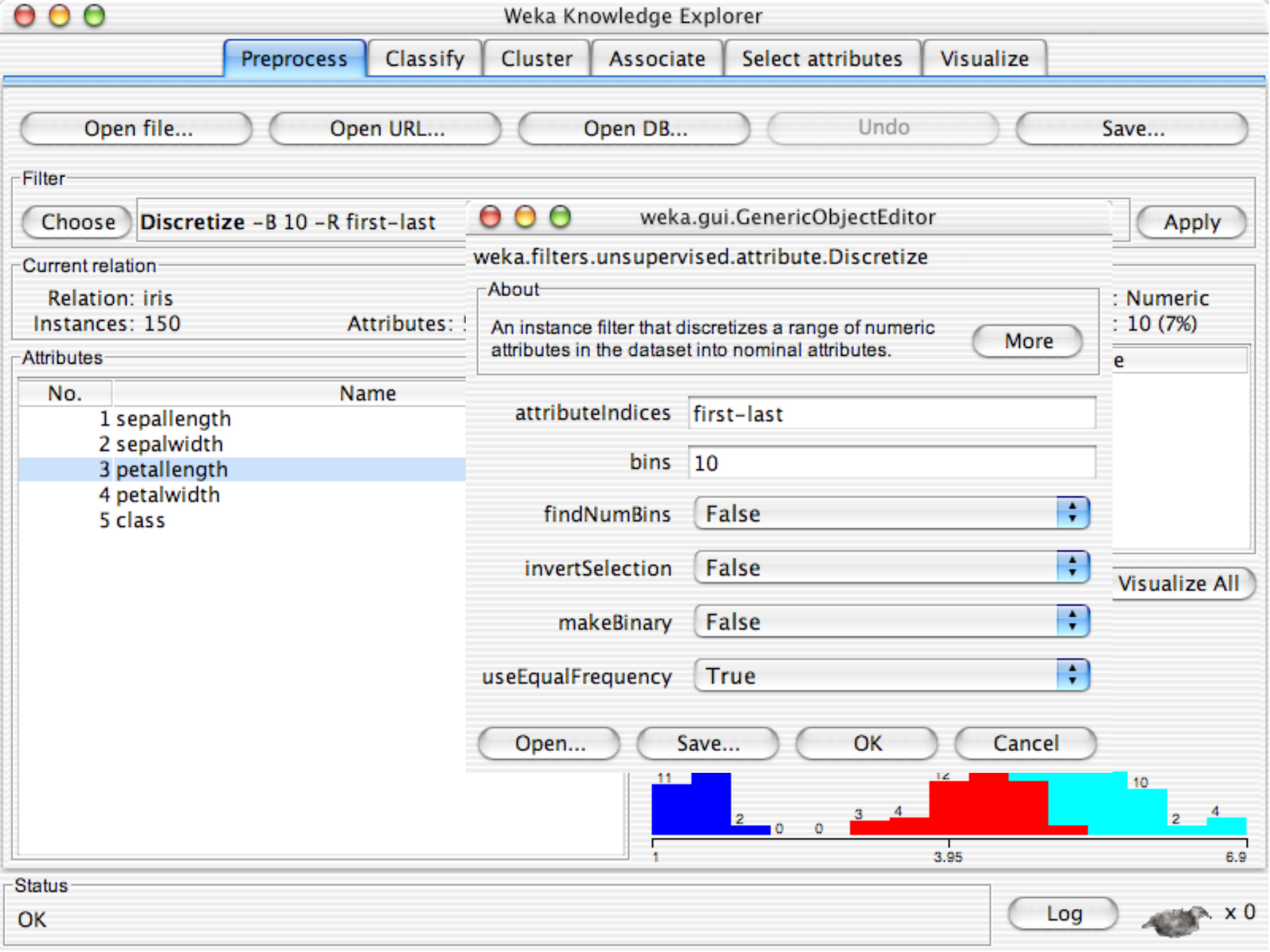
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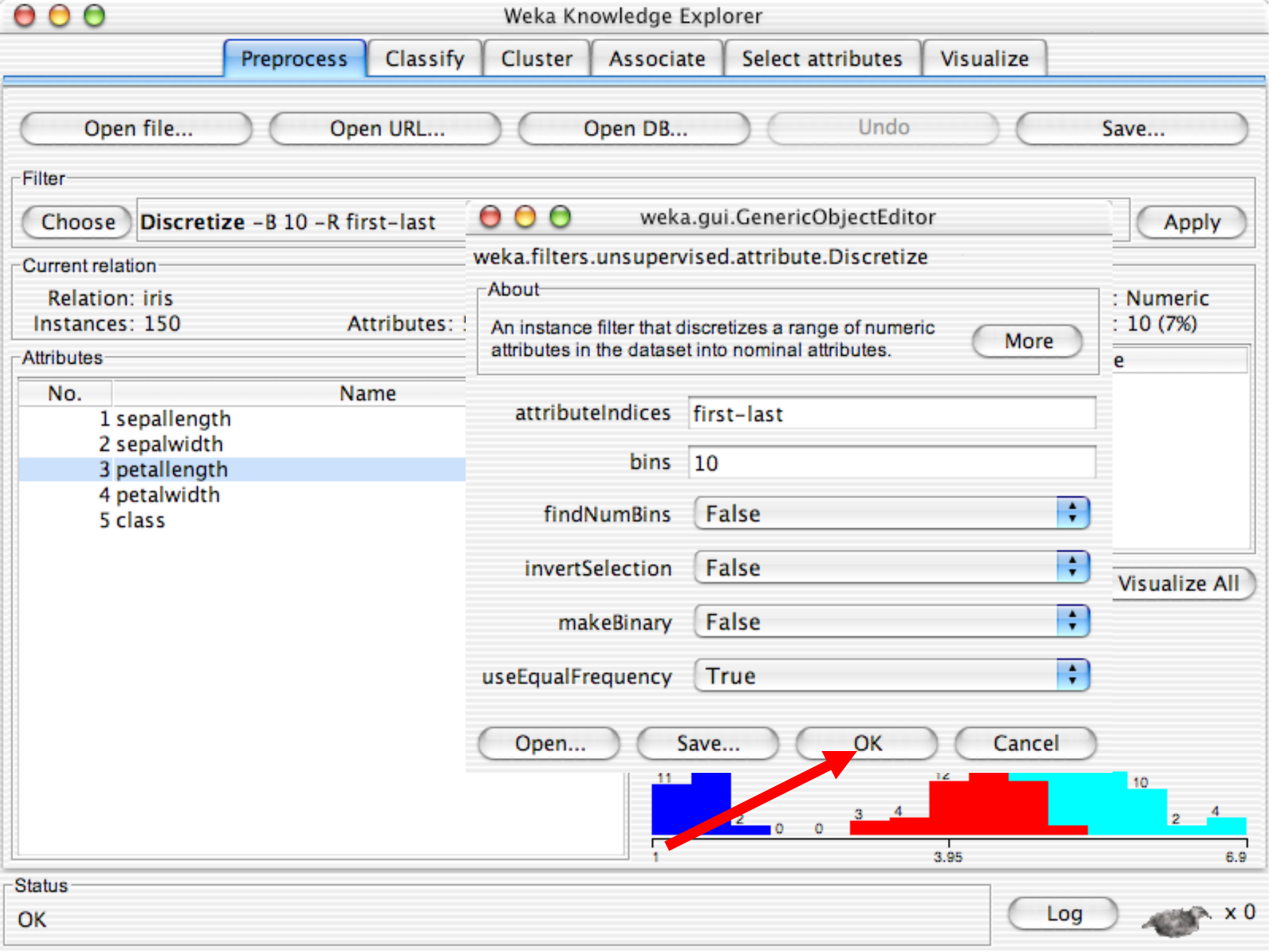
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Current relation

Relation: iris
Instances: 150 Attributes: 5

Attributes

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1	sepallength
2	sepalwidth
3	petallength
4	petalwidth
5	class

Selected attribute

Name: petallength Type: Numeric
Missing: 0 (0%) Distinct: 43 Unique: 10 (7%)

Statistic	Value
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Maximum	6.9
Mean	3.759
StdDev	1.764

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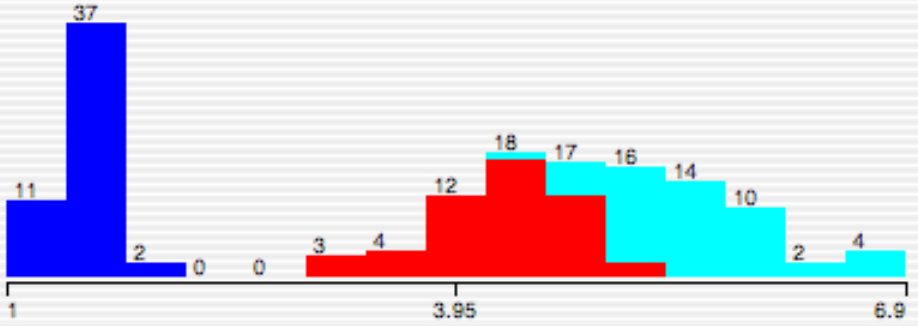

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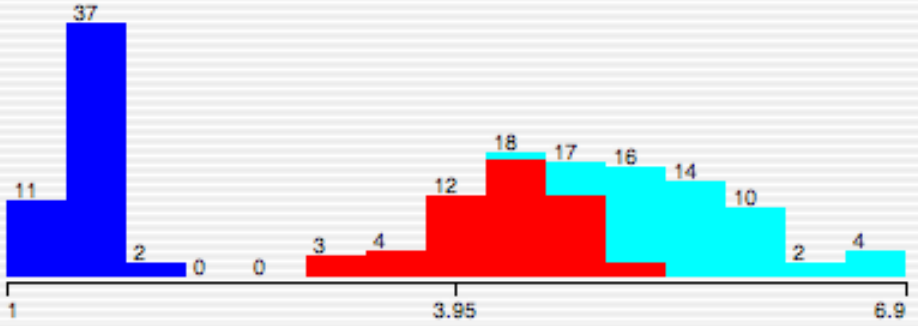

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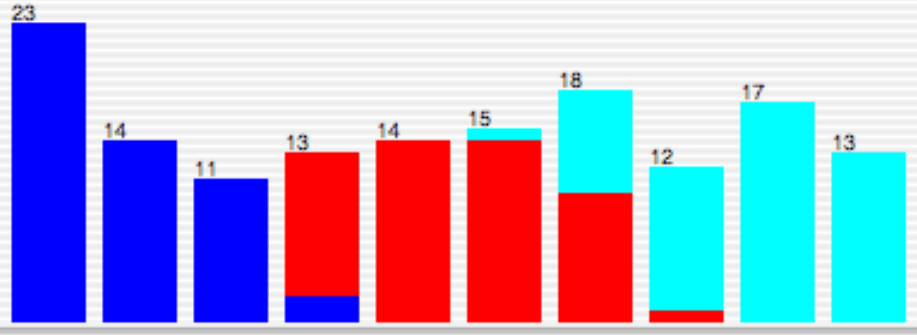

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Explorer: building "classifiers"

- Classifiers in WEKA are models for predicting nominal or numeric quantities
- Implemented learning schemes include:
  - Decision trees and lists, instance-based classifiers, support vector machines, multi-layer perceptrons, logistic regression, Bayes' nets, …

Decision Tree Induction: Training Dataset

This follows an example of Quinlan's ID3 (Playing Tennis)

age	income	student	credit_rating	buys_computer
<=30	high	no	fair	no
<=30	high	no	excellent	no
31…40	high	no	fair	yes
>40	medium	no	fair	yes
>40	low	yes	fair	yes
>40	low	yes	excellent	no
31…40	low	yes	excellent	yes
<=30	medium	no	fair	no
<=30	low	yes	fair	yes
>40	medium	yes	fair	yes
<=30	medium	yes	excellent	yes
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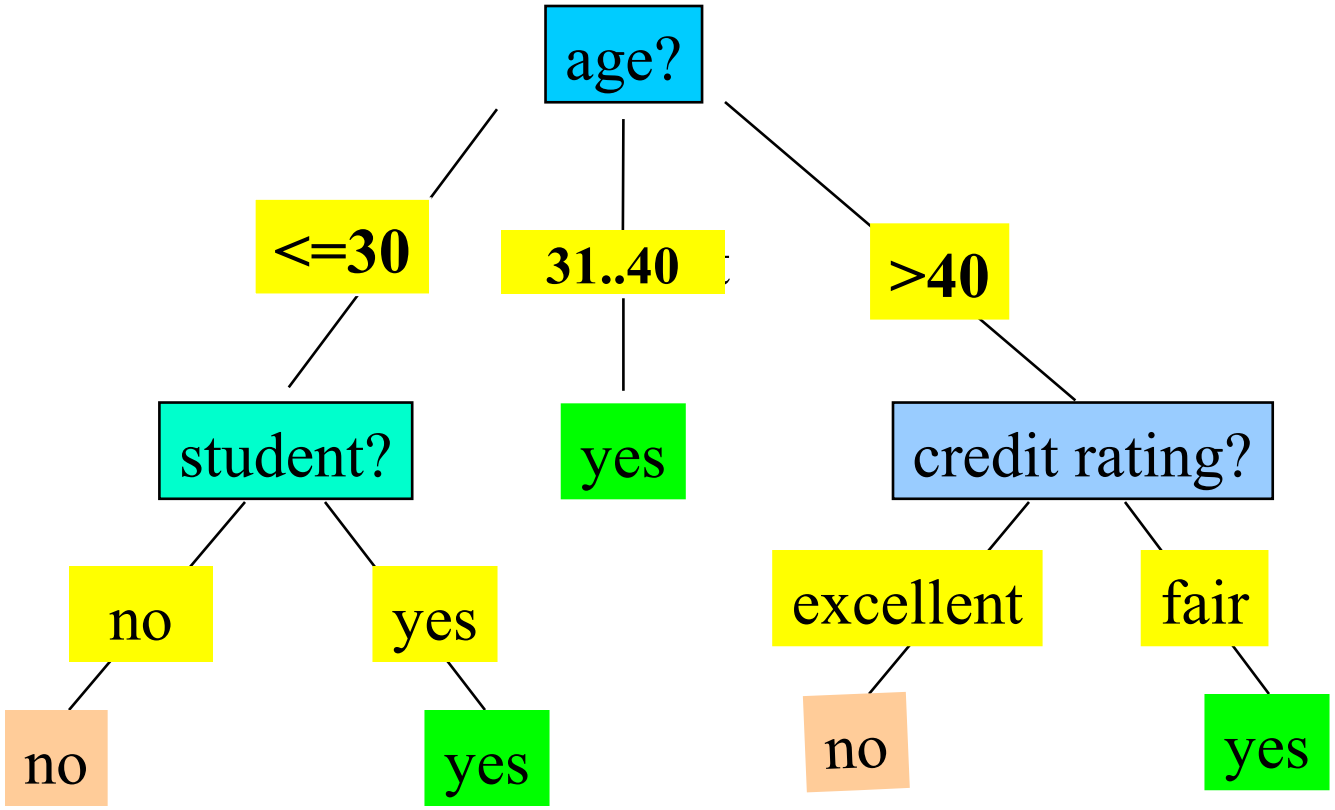
Output: A Decision Tree for “buys_computer”

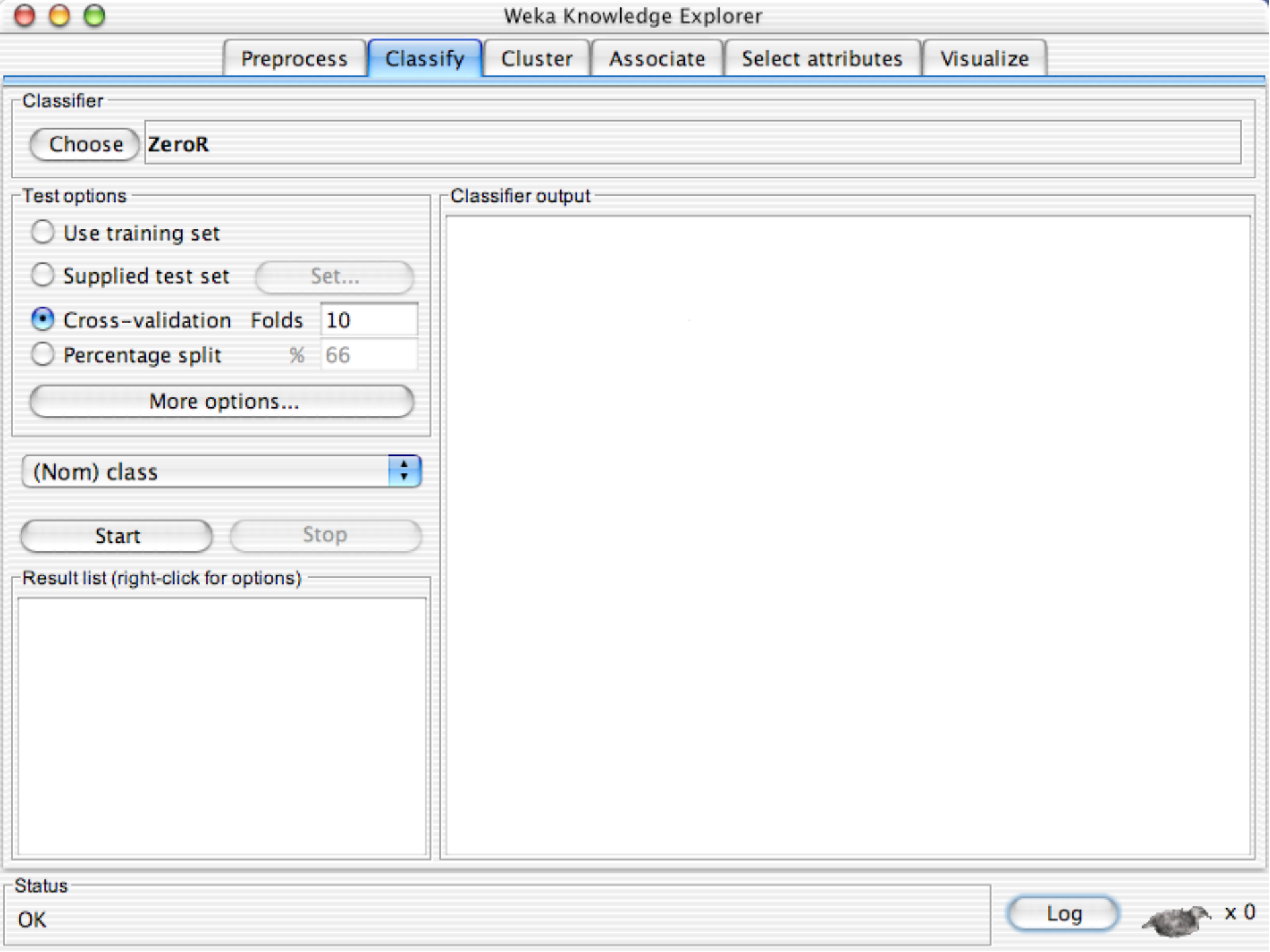


Algorithm for Decision Tree Induction

- Basic algorithm (a greedy algorithm)
  - Tree is constructed in a top-down recursive divide-and-conquer manner
  - At start, all the training examples are at the root
  - Attributes are categorical (if continuous-valued, they are discretized in advance)
  - Examples are partitioned recursively based on selected attributes
  - Test attributes are selected on the basis of a heuristic or statistical measure (e.g., information gain)

classifiers

- DEMO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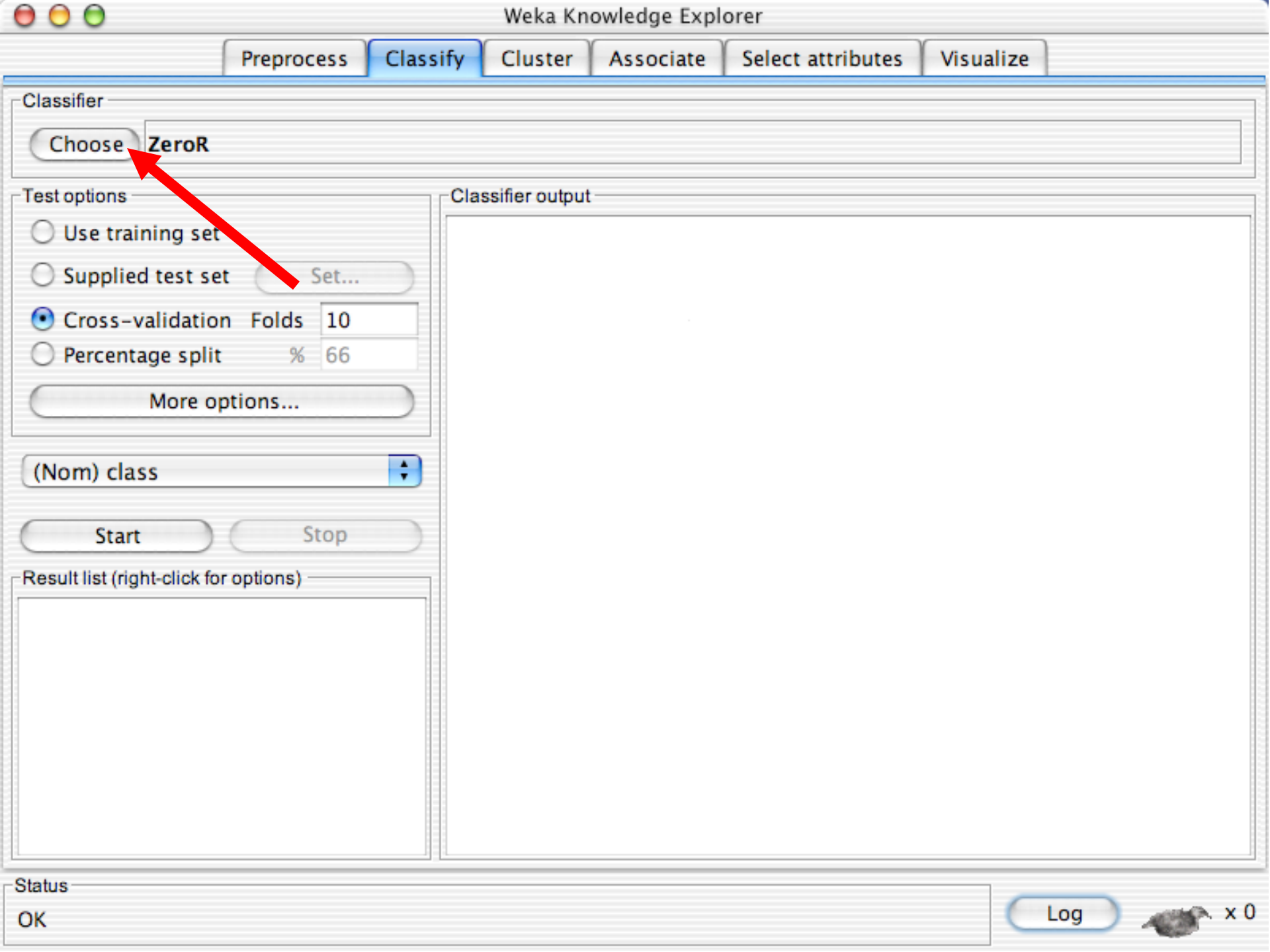
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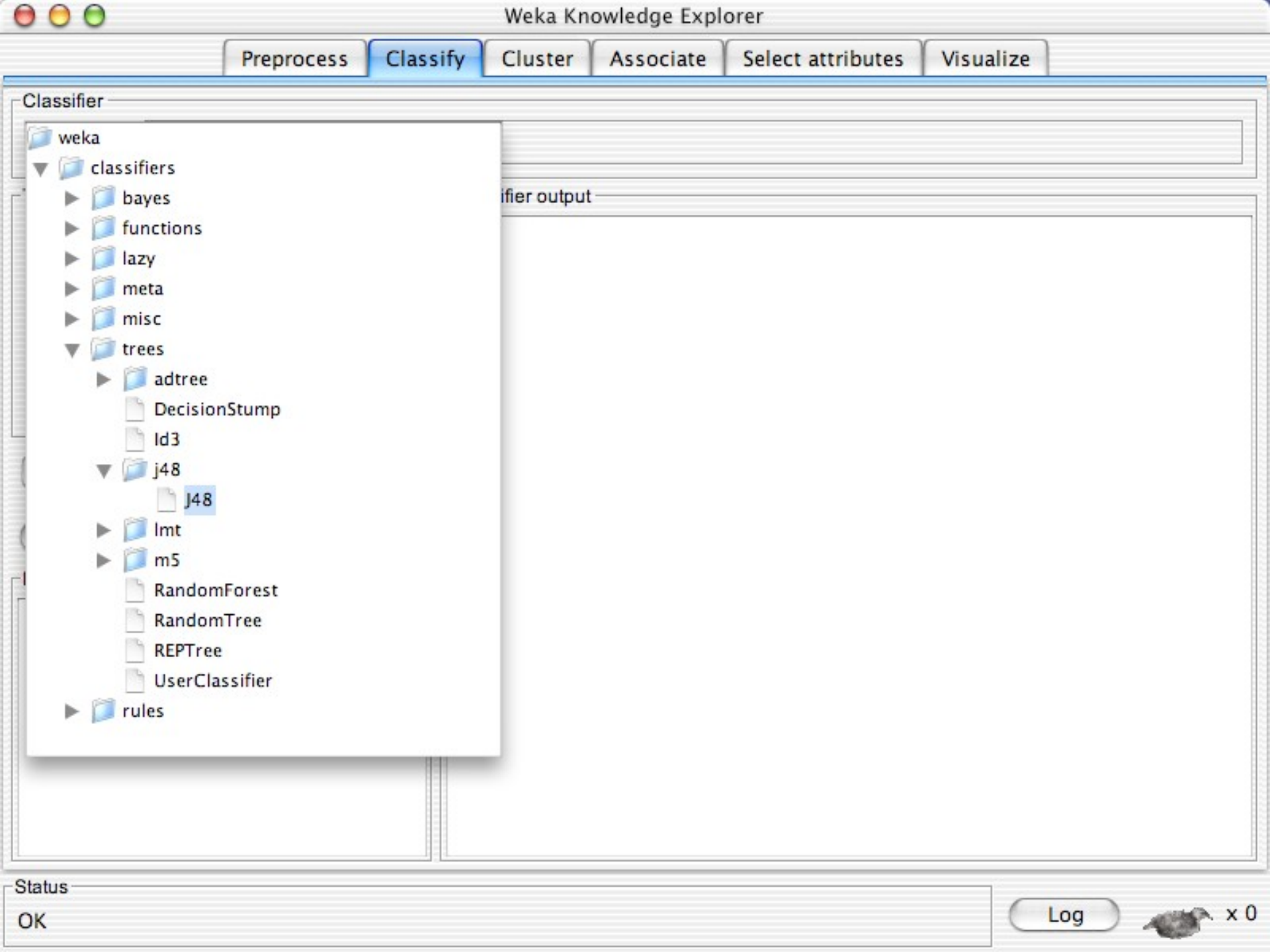
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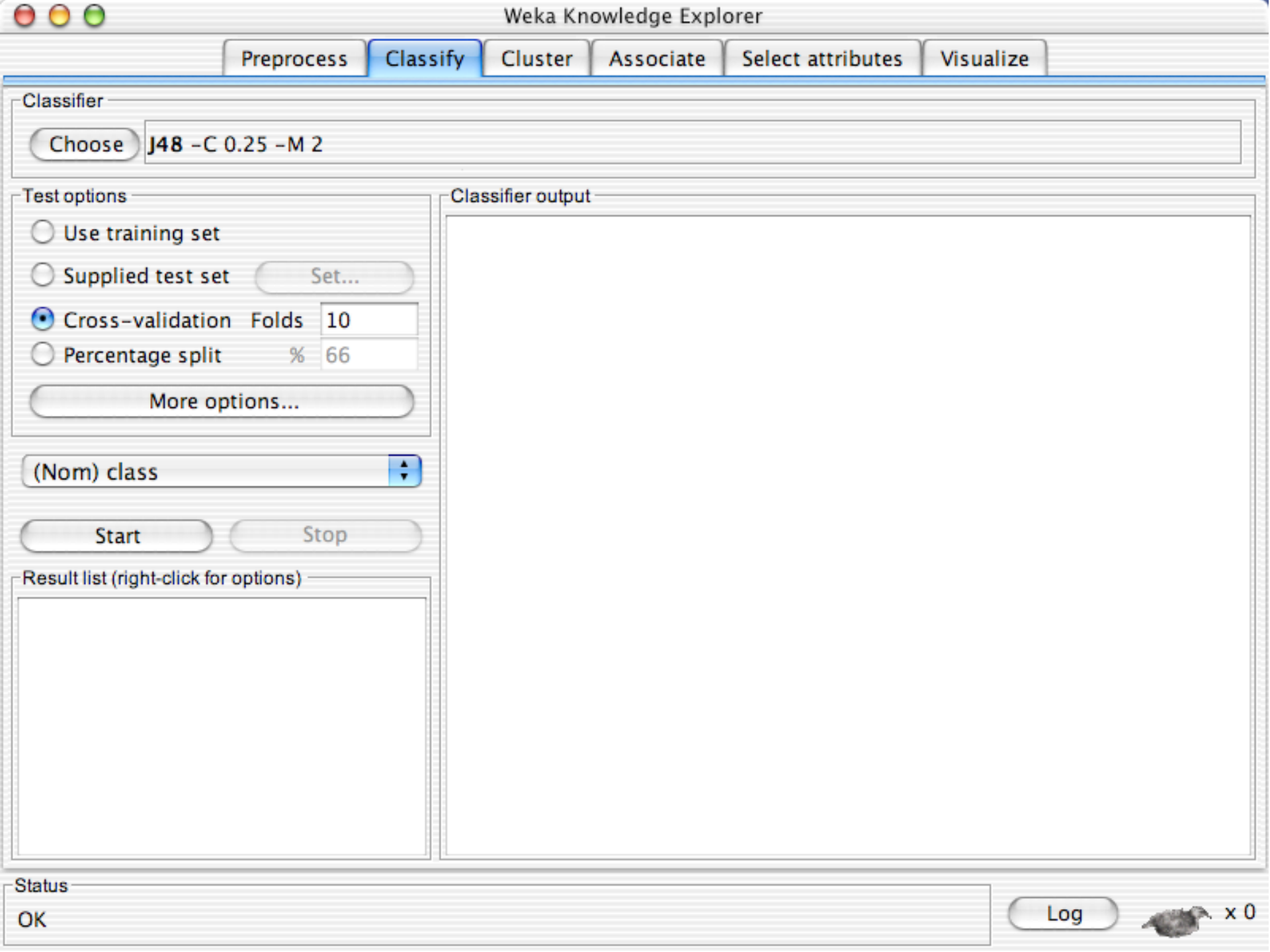
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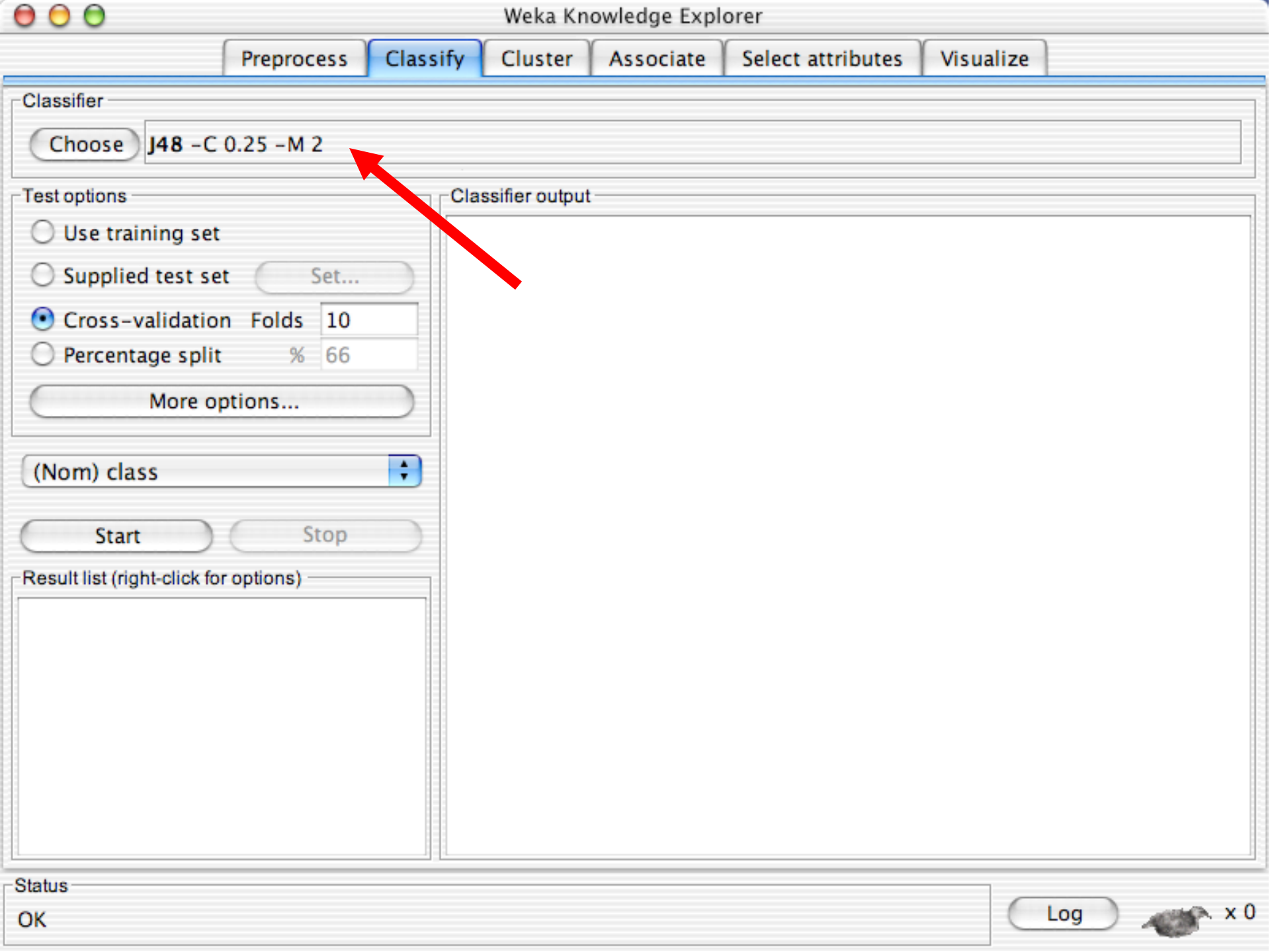
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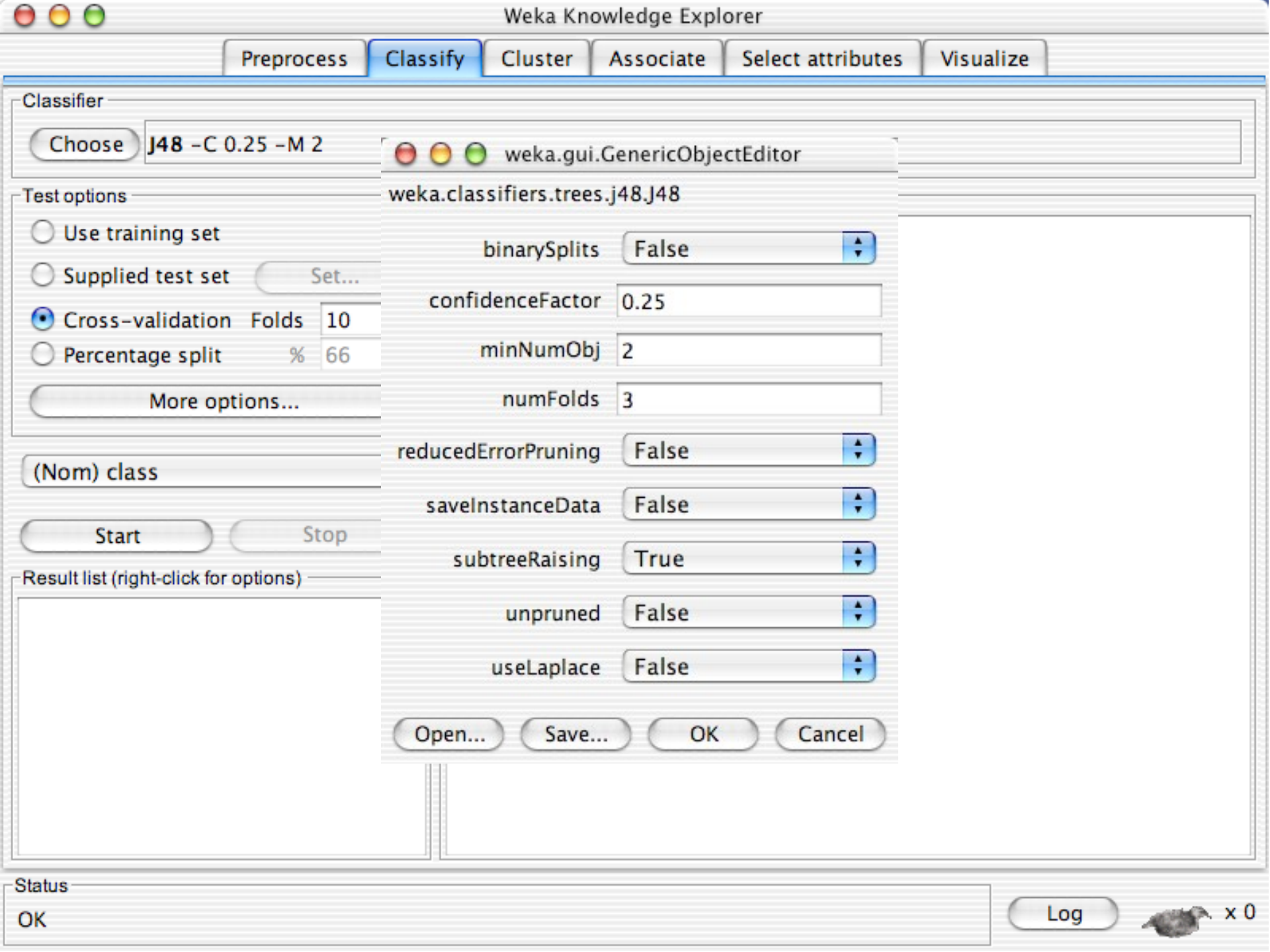
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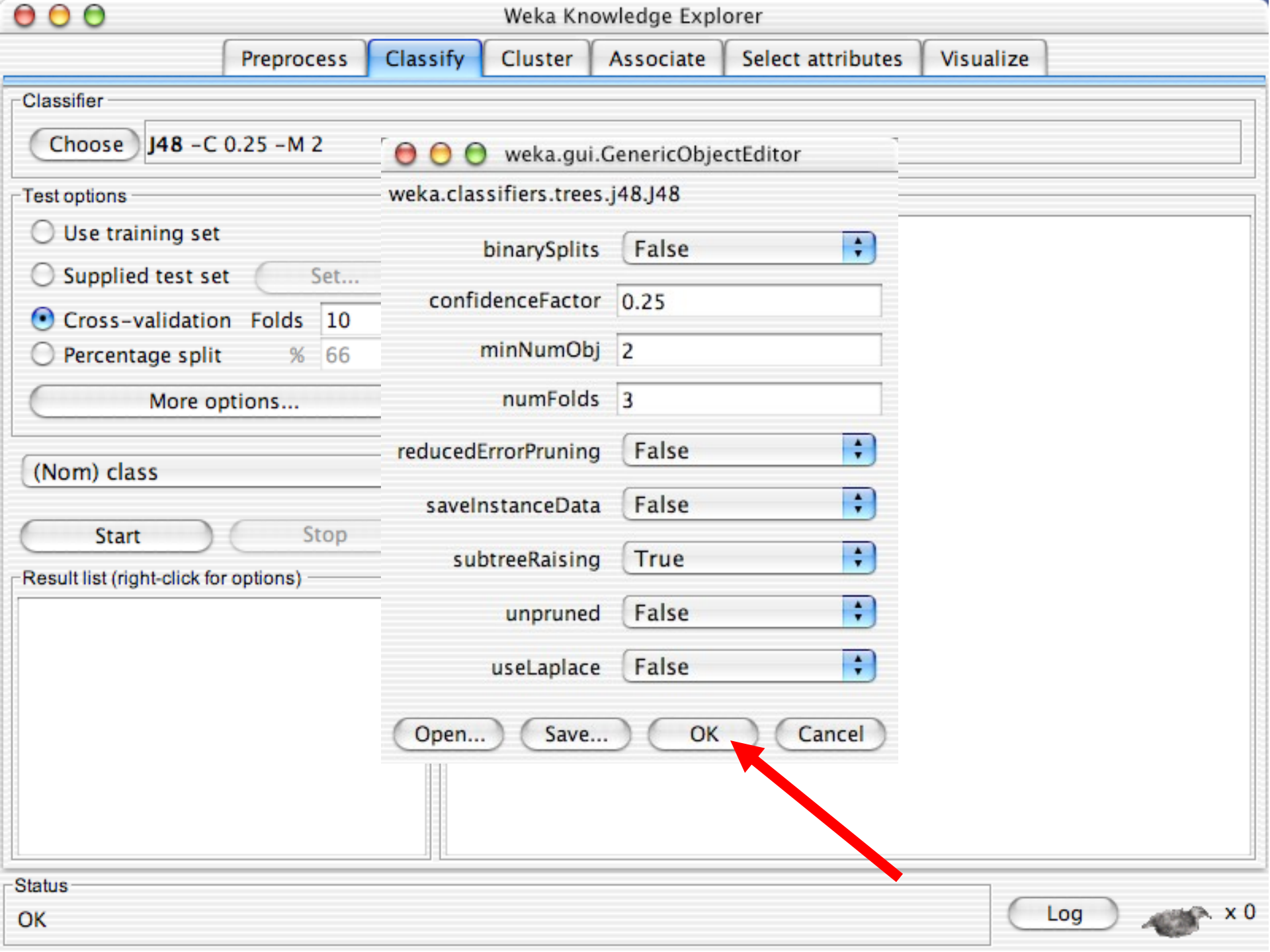
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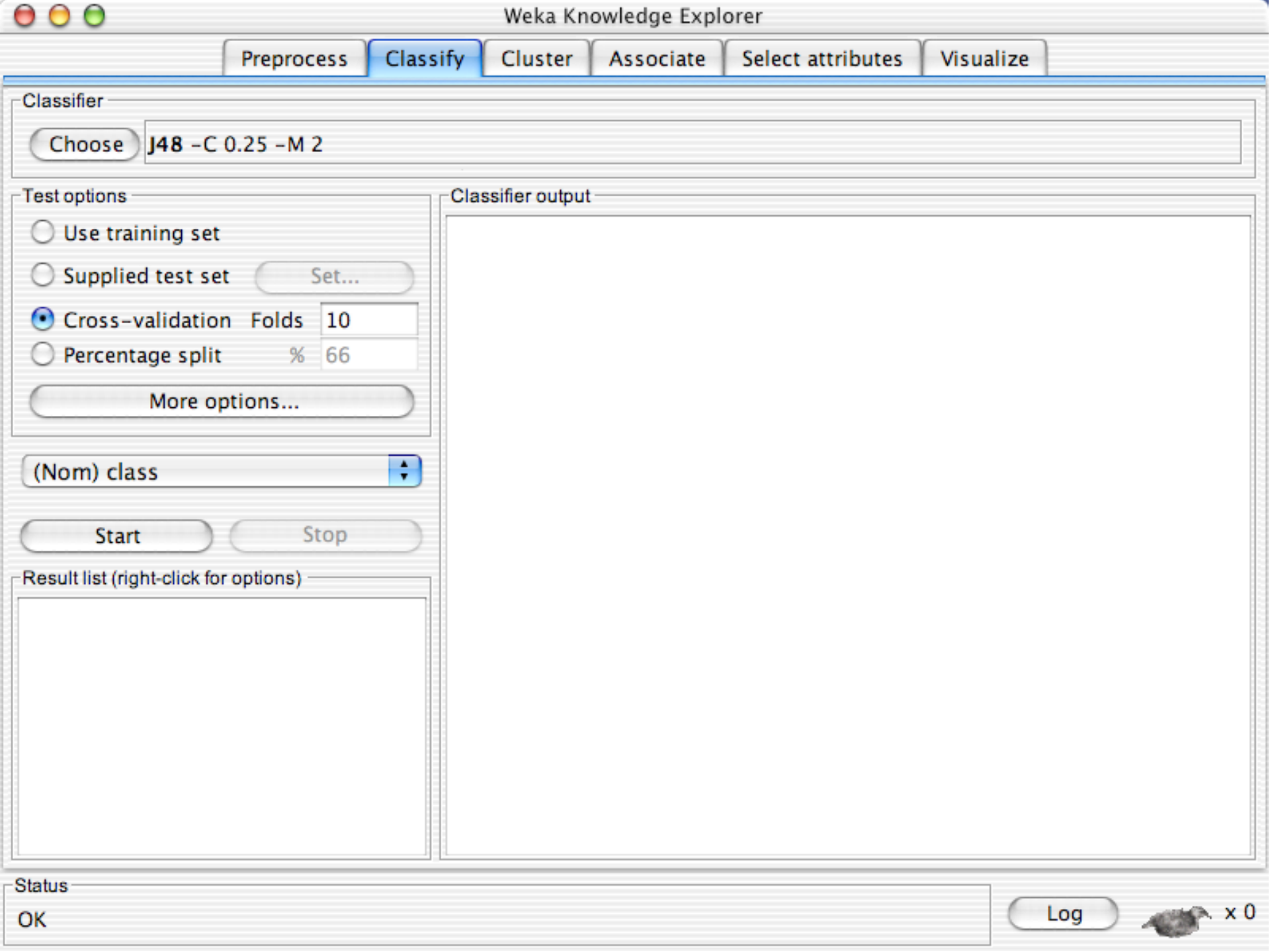
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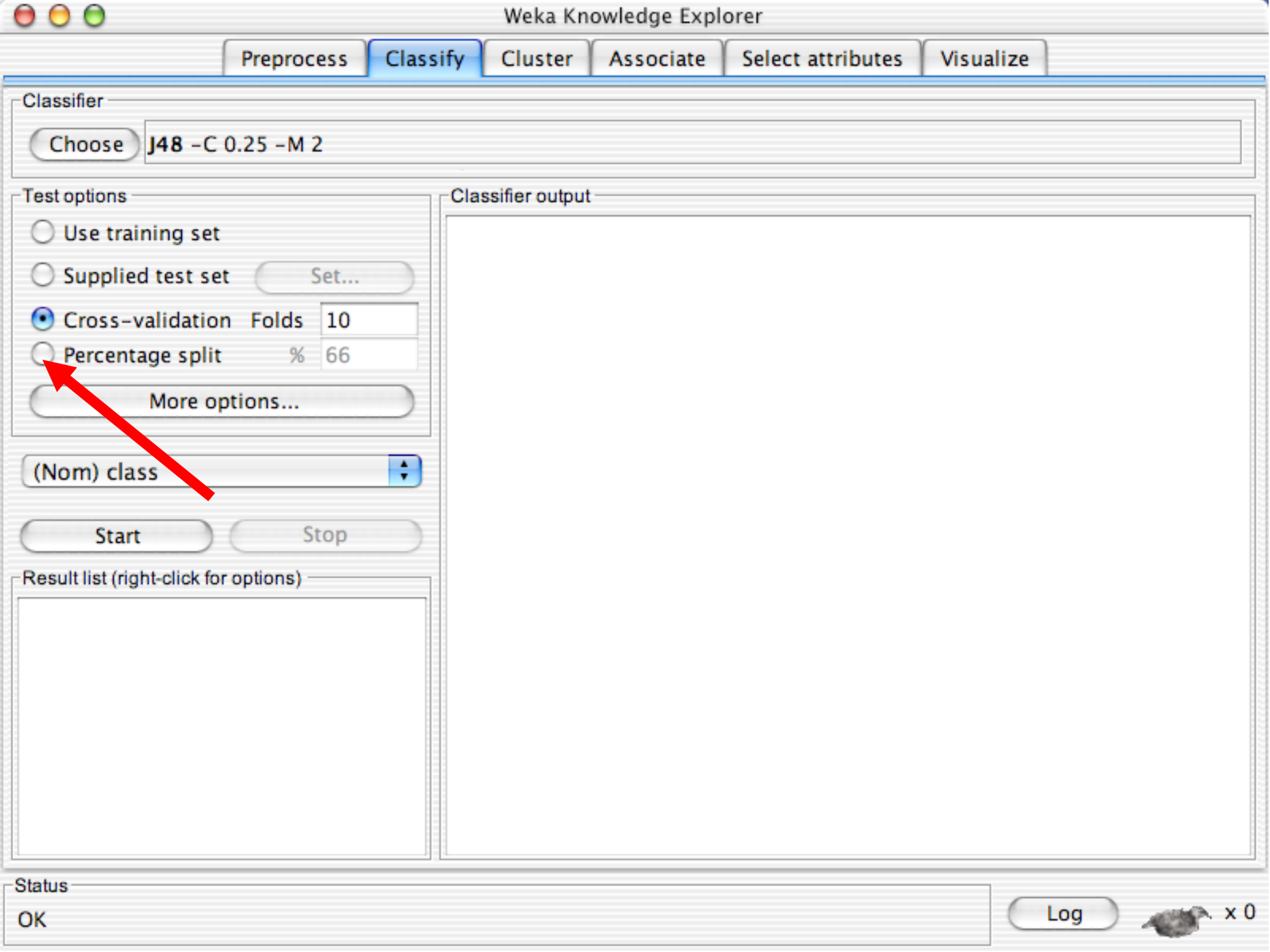
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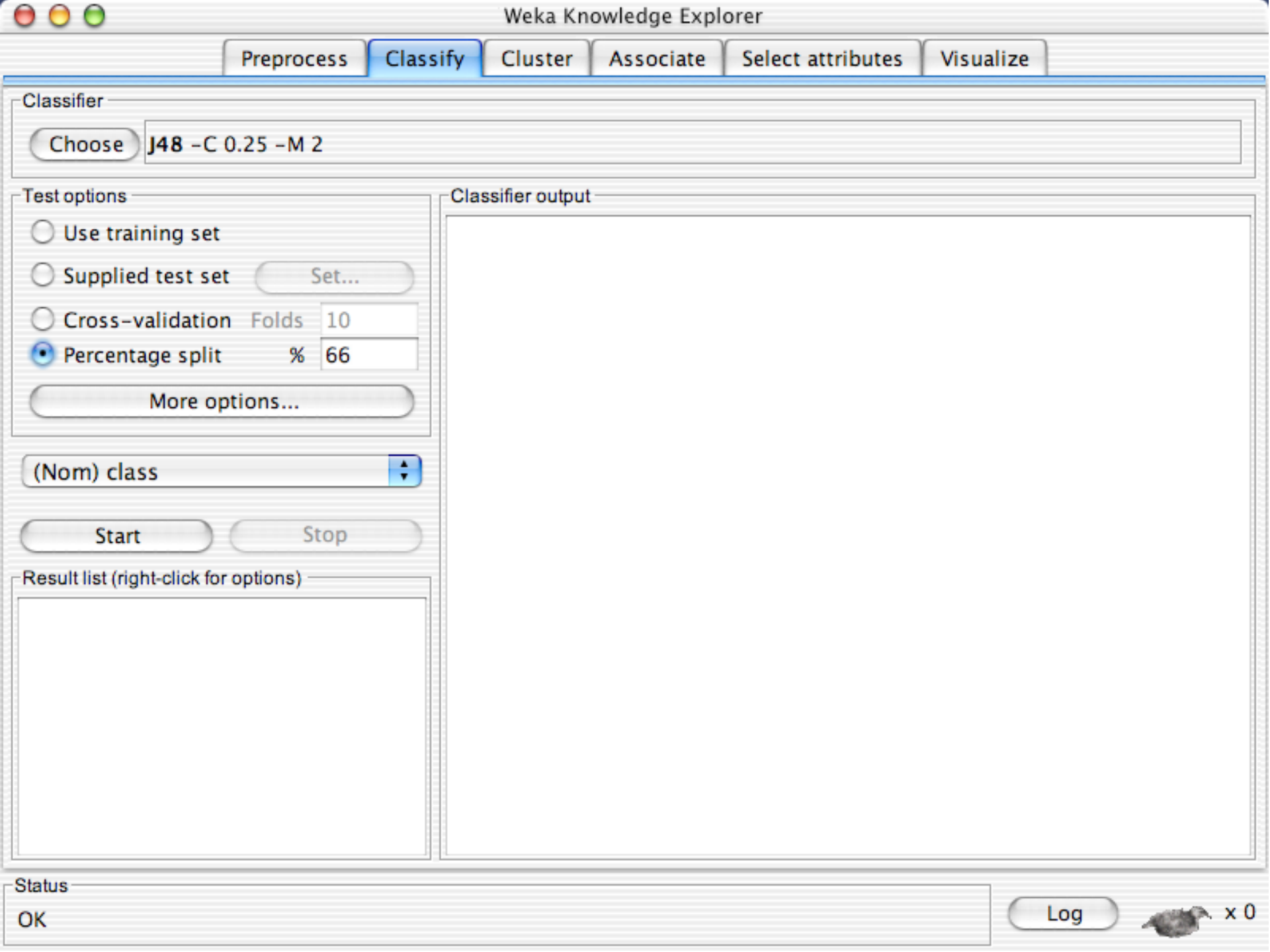
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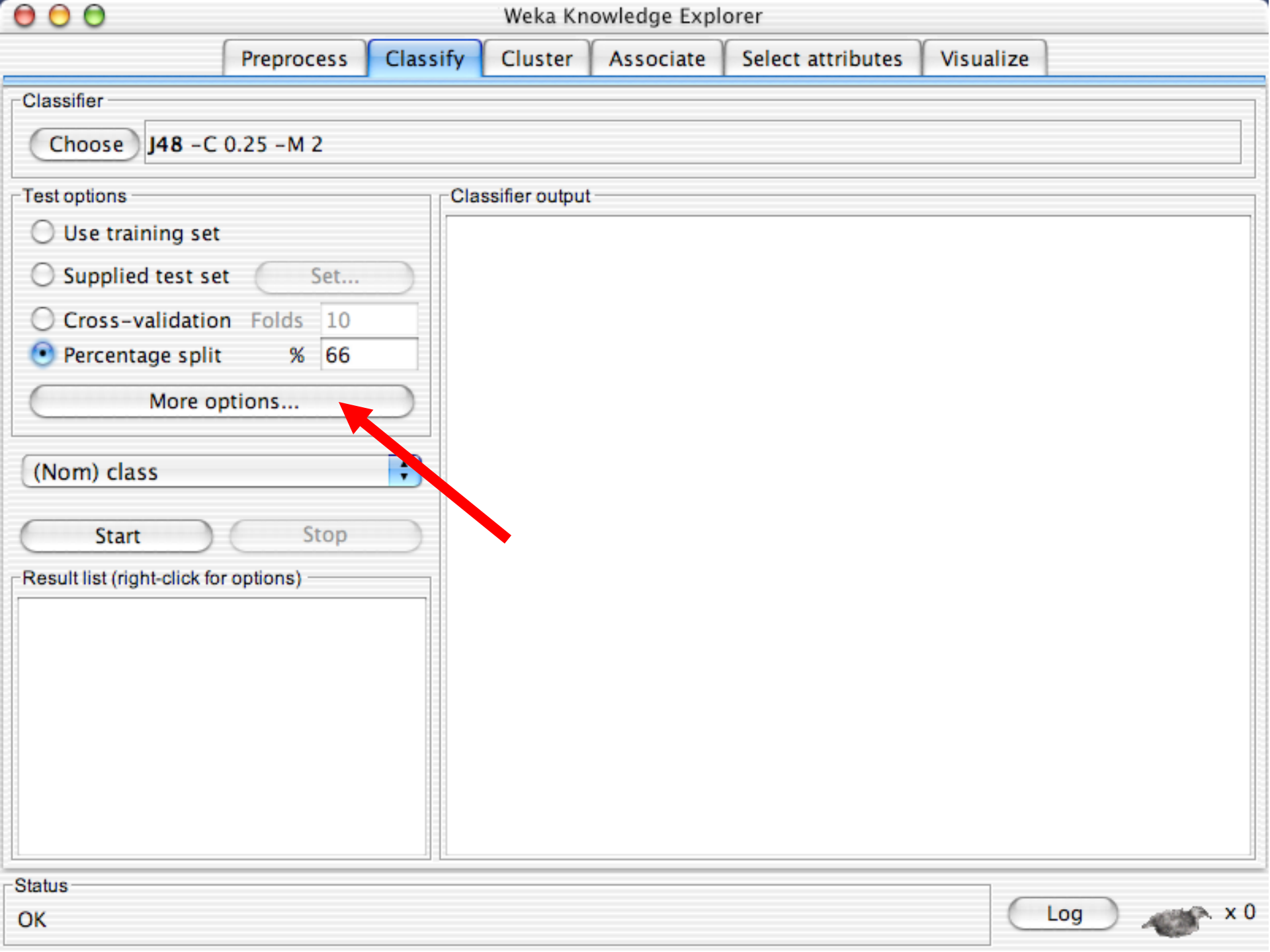
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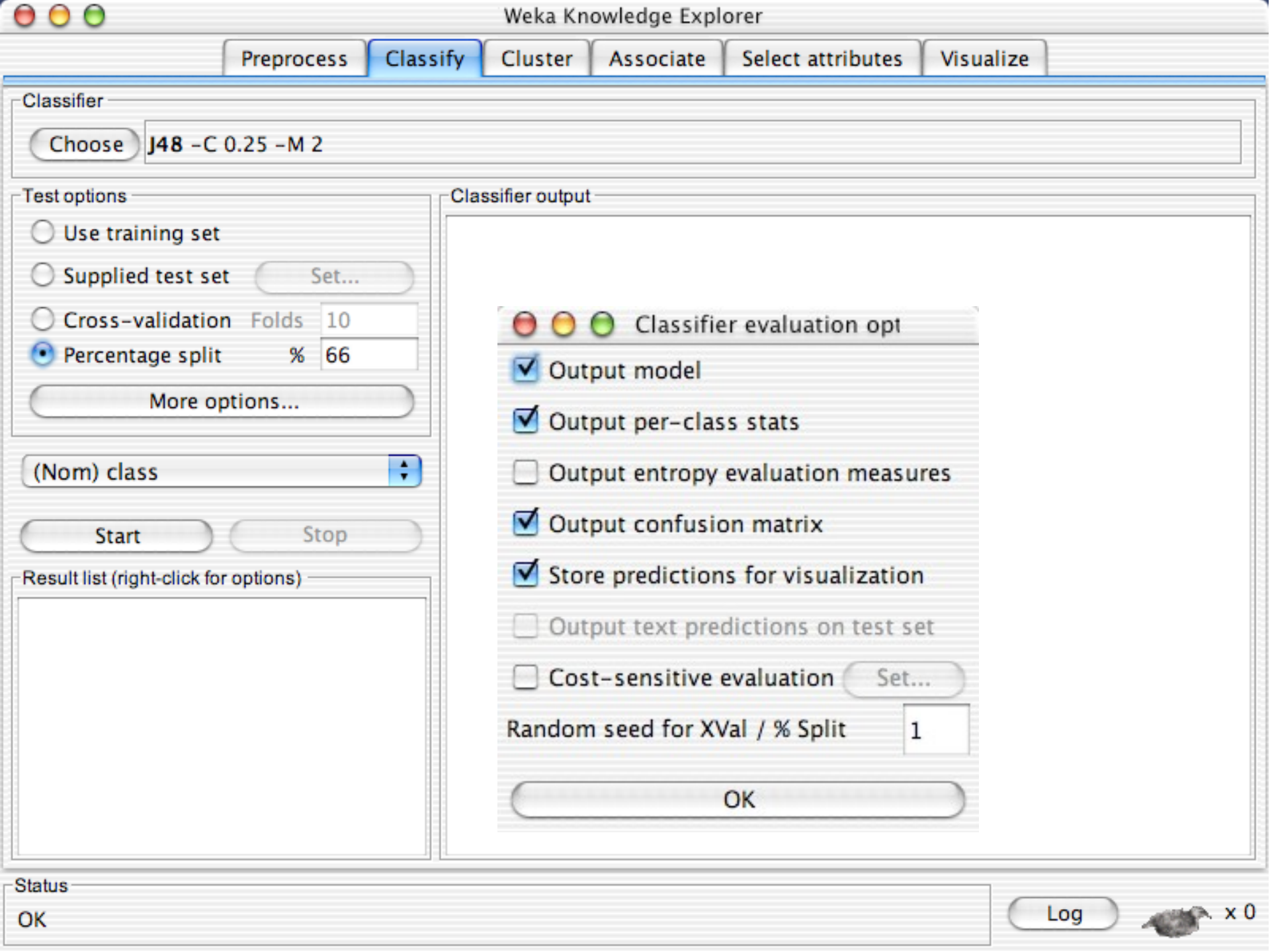
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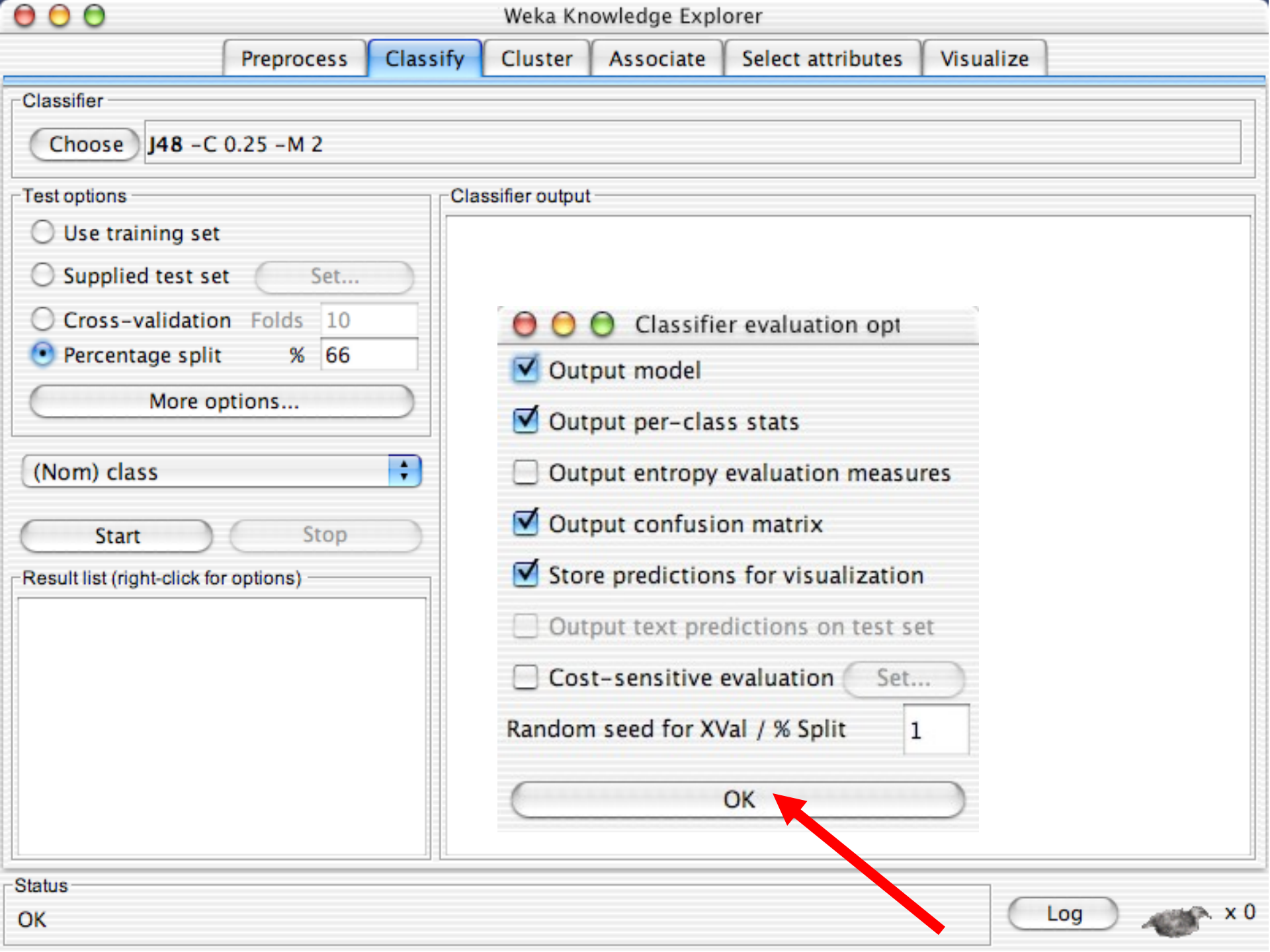
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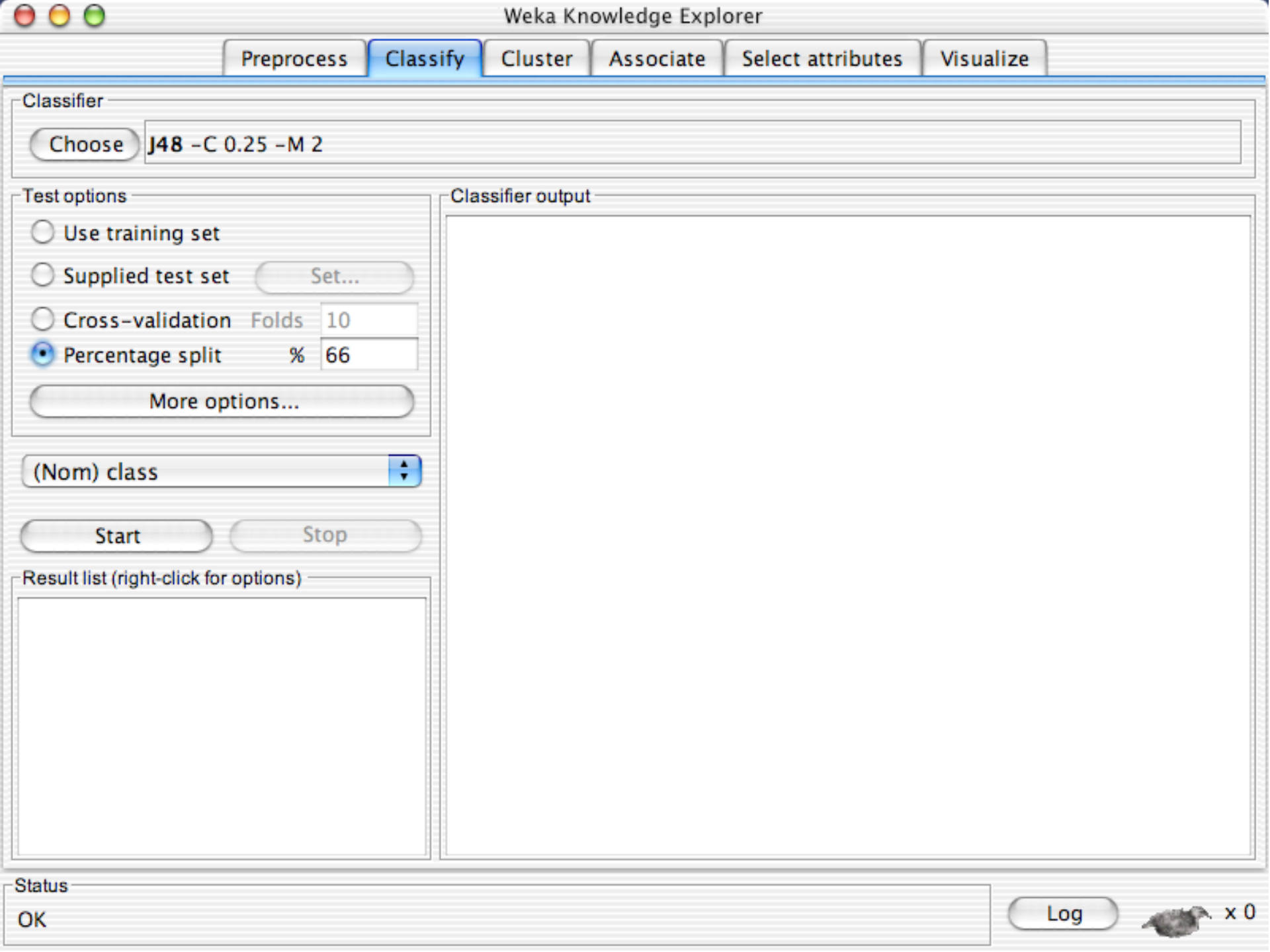
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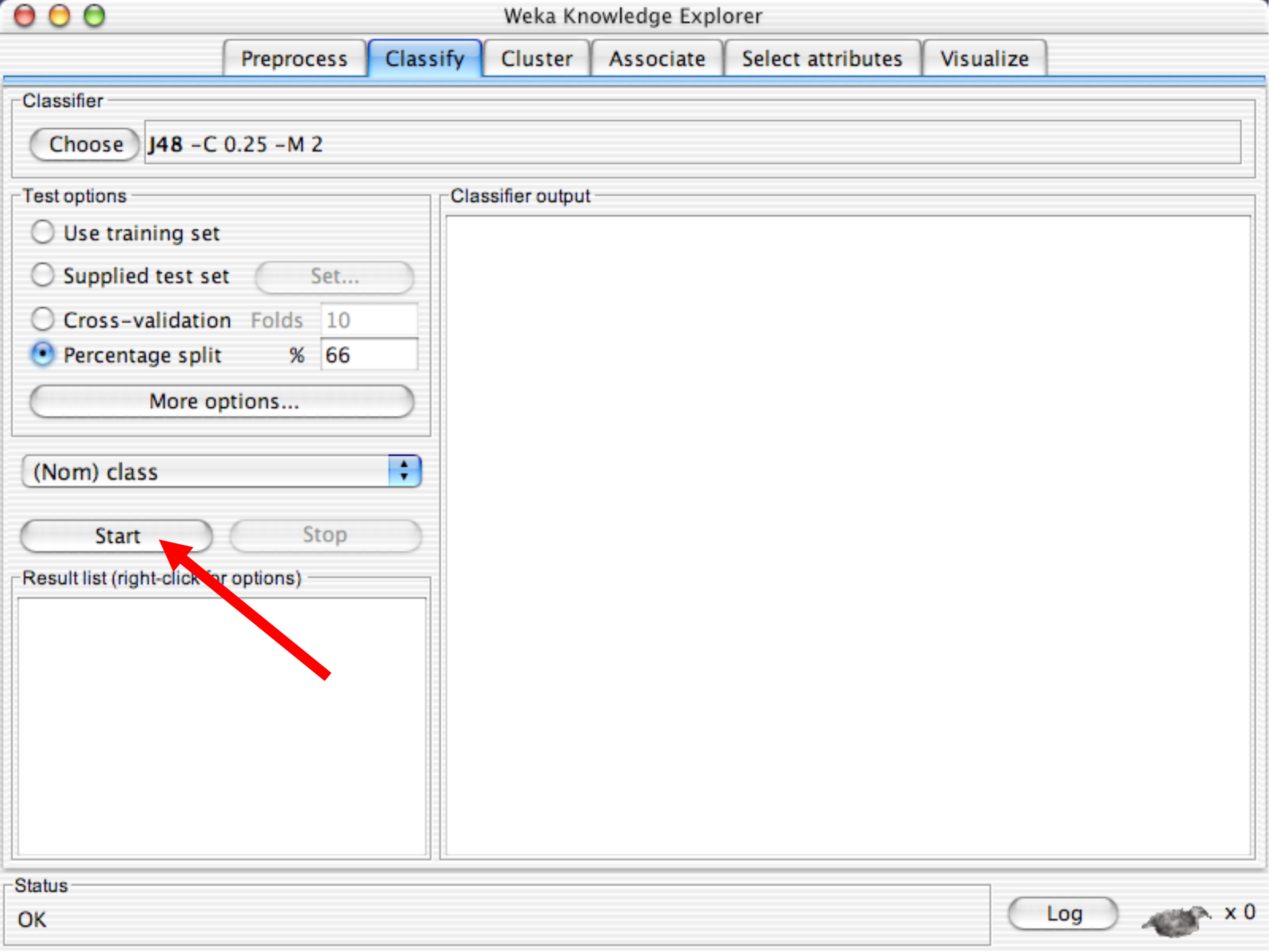
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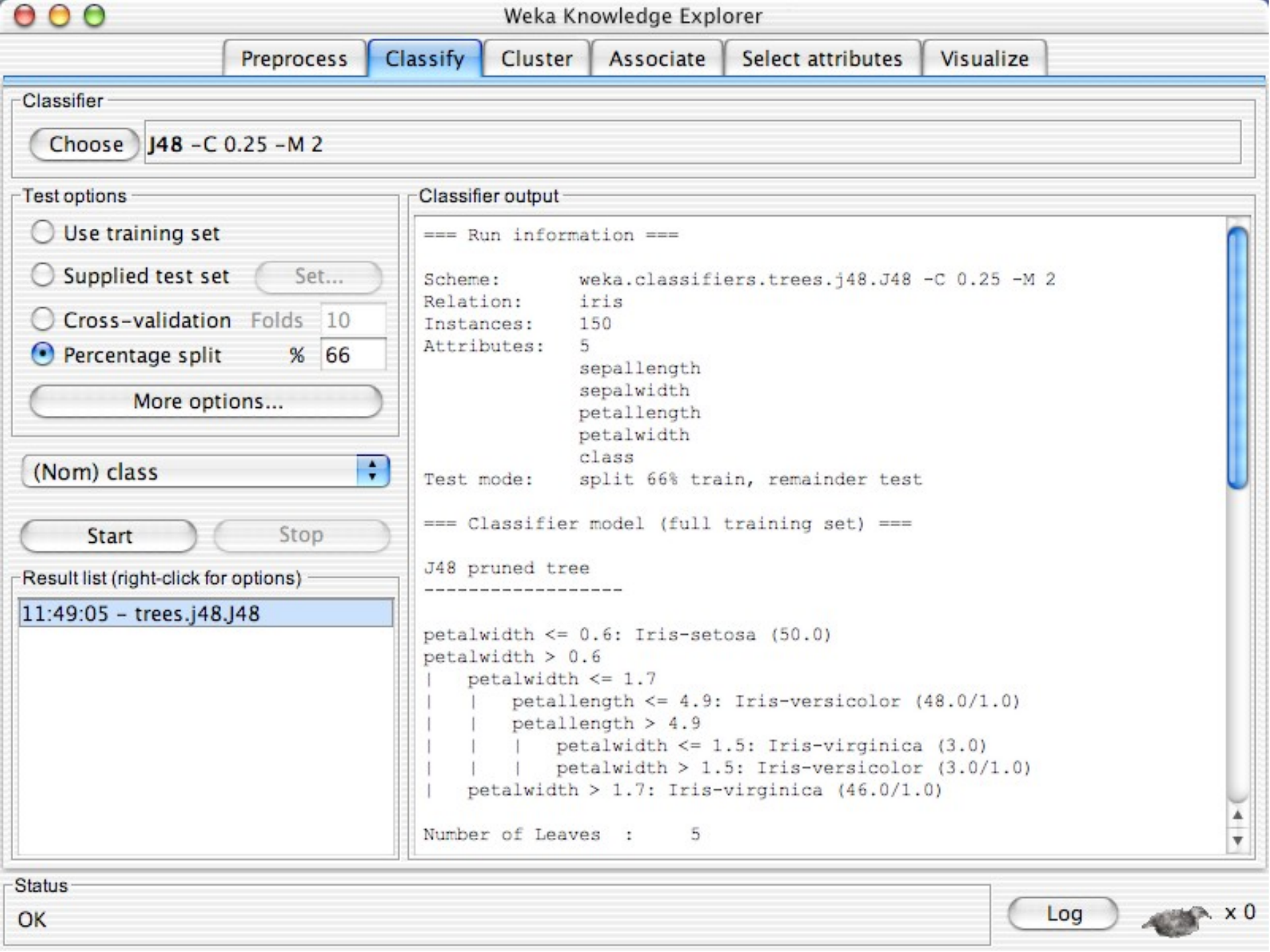
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Relation: iris
Instances: 150
Attributes: 5
sepallength
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Test mode: split 66% train, remainder test
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J48 pruned tree
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| petalwidth > 1.7: Iris-virginica (46.0/1.0)
Number of Leaves : 5
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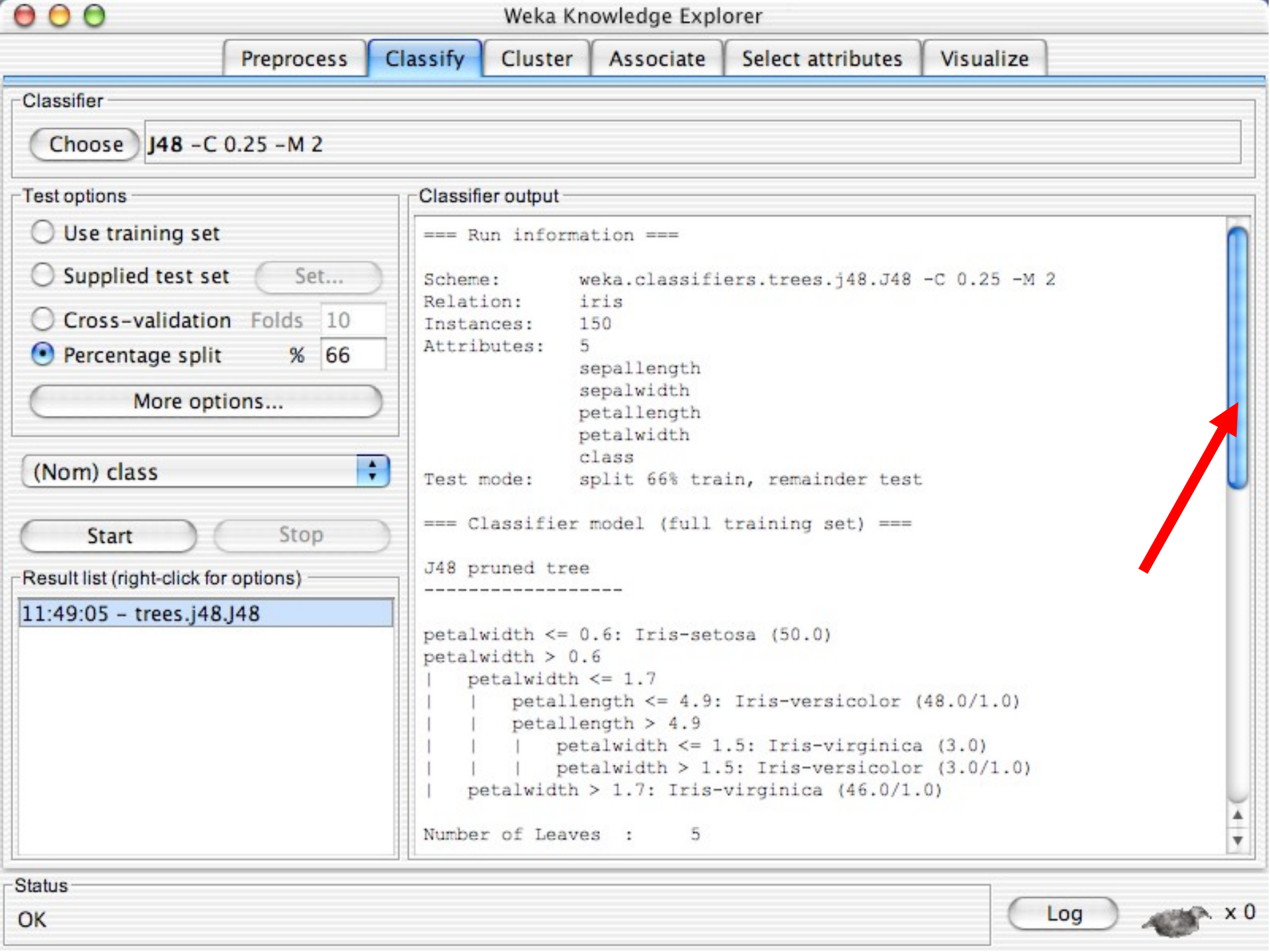
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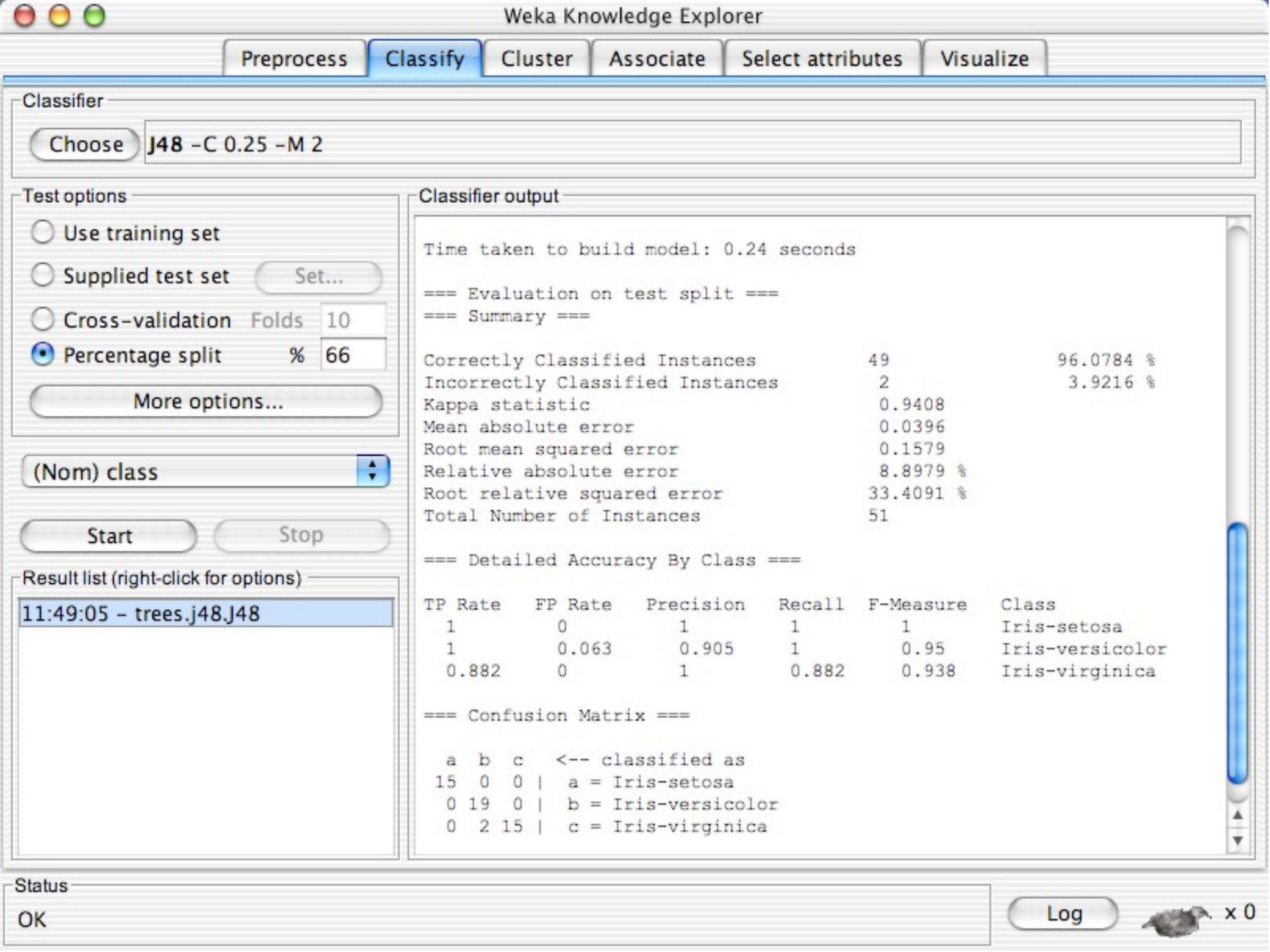
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Classifier output
Time taken to build model: 0.24 seconds
=== Evaluation on test split ===
=== Summary ===
Correctly Classified Instances 49 96.0784 %
Incorrectly Classified Instances 2 3.9216 %
Kappa statistic 0.9408
Mean absolute error 0.0396
Root mean squared error 0.1579
Relative absolute error 8.8979 %
Root relative squared error 33.4091 %
Total Number of Instances 51
=== Detailed Accuracy By Class ===
TP Rate FP Rate Precision Recall F-Measure Class
1 0 1 1 1 Iris-setosa
1 0.063 0.905 1 0.95 Iris-versicolor
0.882 0 1 0.882 0.938 Iris-virginica
=== Confusion Matrix ===
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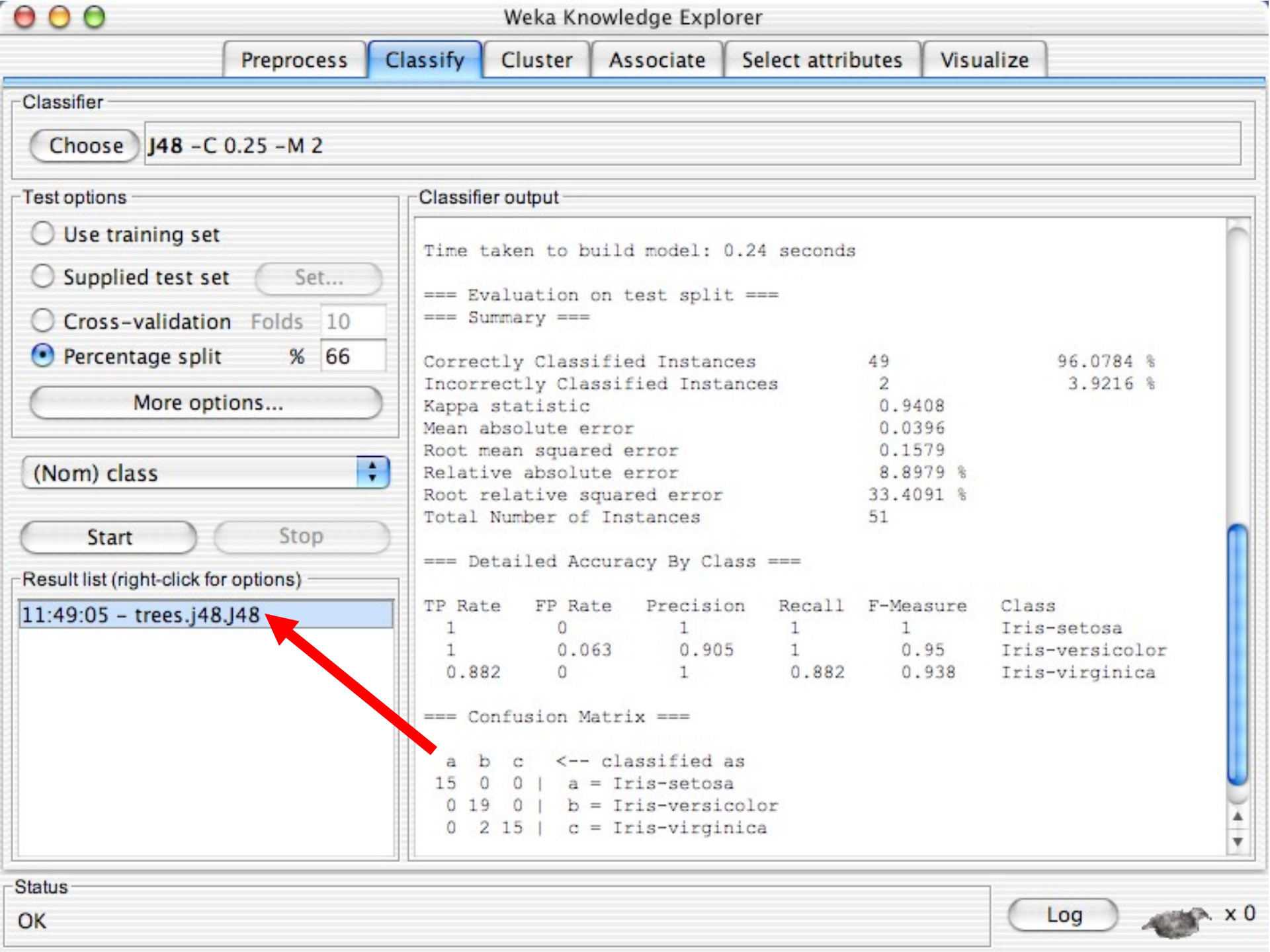
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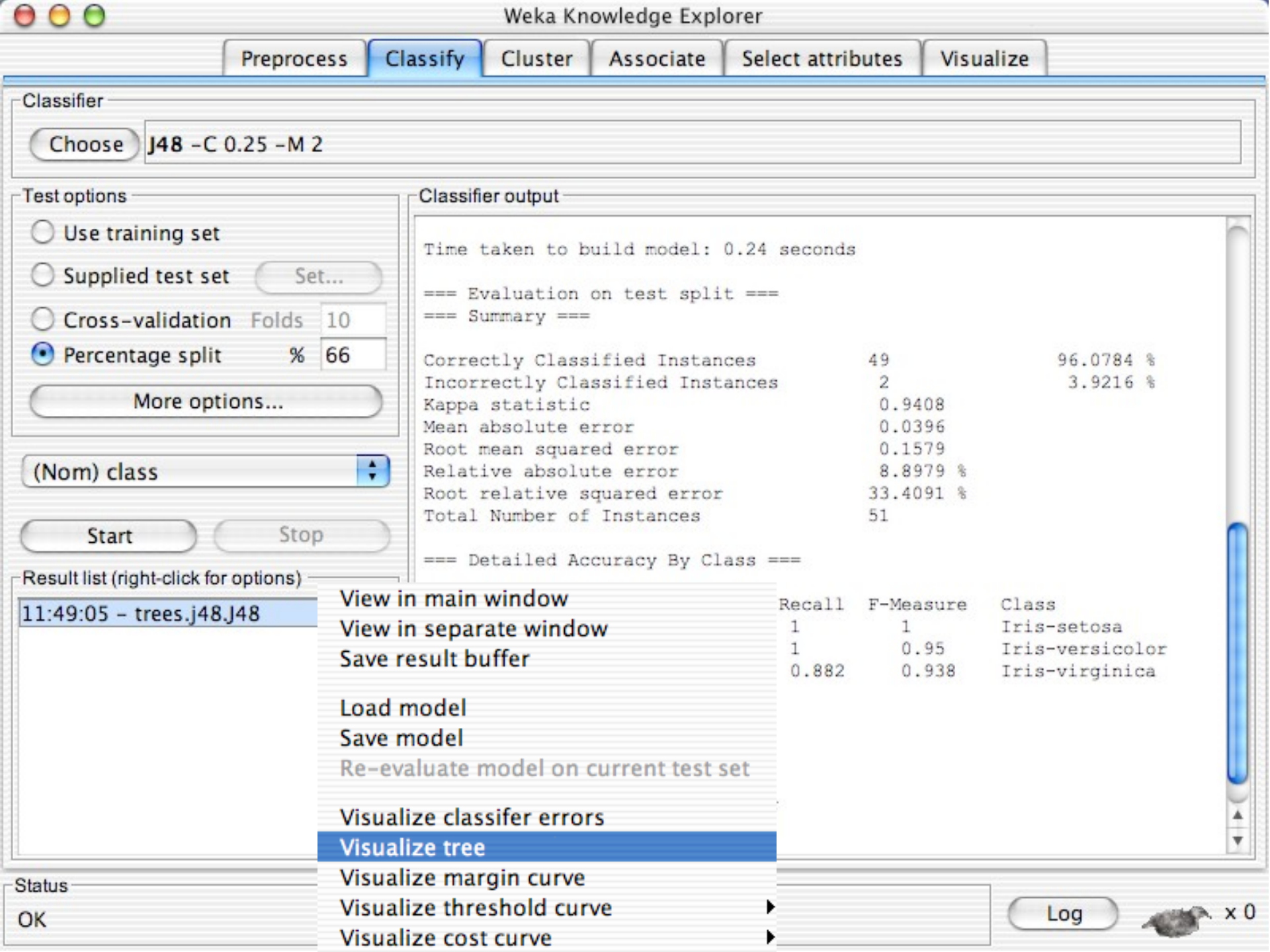
=== Evaluation on test split ===
=== Summary ===
Correctly Classified Instances 49 96.0784 %
Incorrectly Classified Instances 2 3.9216 %
Kappa statistic 0.9408
Mean absolute error 0.0396
Root mean squared error 0.1579
Relative absolute error 8.8979 %
Root relative squared error 33.4091 %
Total Number of Instances 51
=== Detailed Accuracy By Class ===
TP Rate FP Rate Precision Recall F-Measure Class
1 0 1 1 1 Iris-setosa
1 0.063 0.905 1 0.95 Iris-versicolor
0.882 0 1 0.882 0.938 Iris-virginica
=== Confusion Matrix ===
a b c <-- classified as
15 0 0 | a = Iris-setosa
0 19 0 | b = Iris-versicolor
0 2 15 | c = Iris-virginica
Status
OK
Log
x 0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Test options
Use training set
Supplied test set
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View in main window
View in separate window
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Load model
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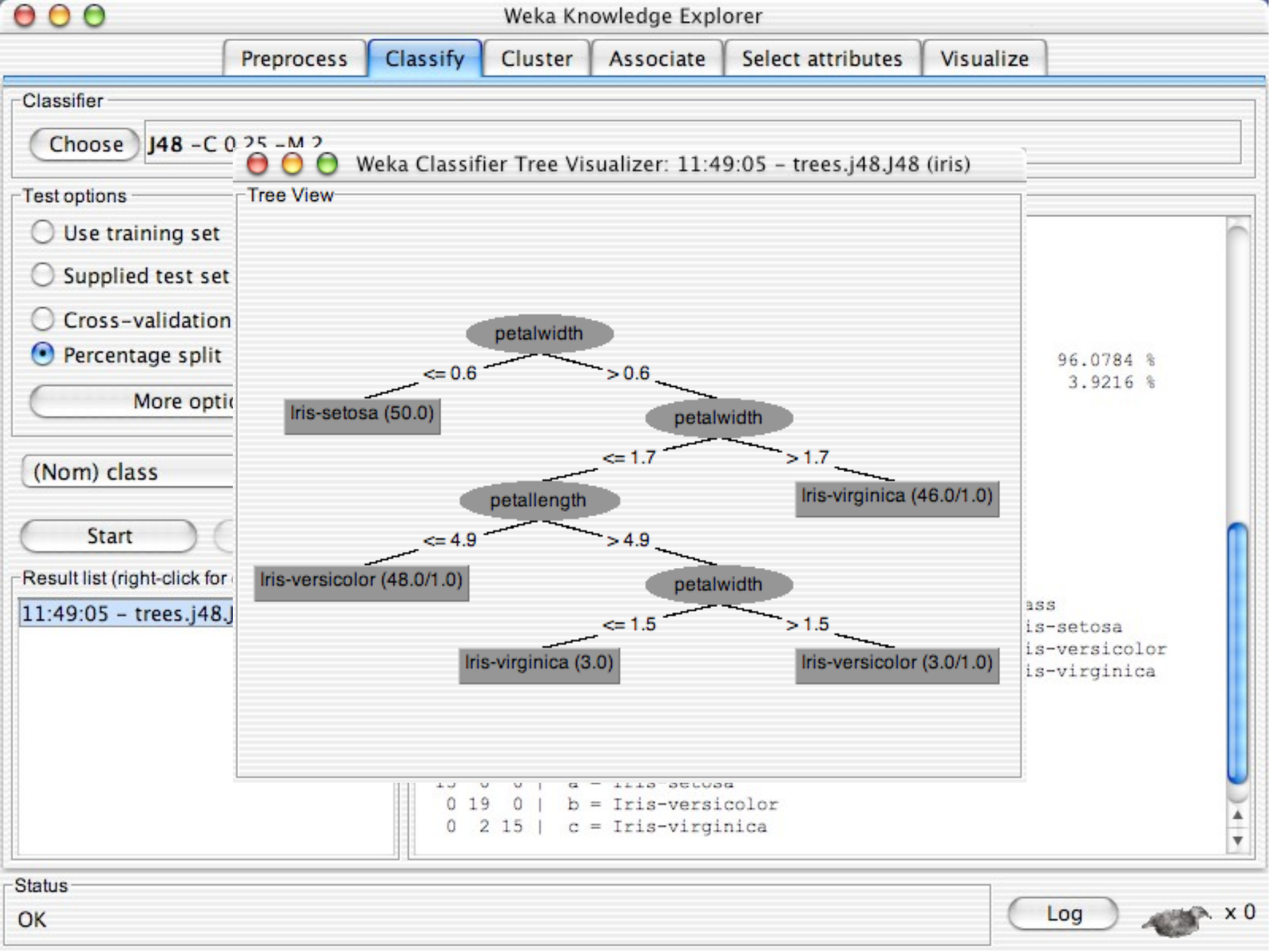
Visualize classifer errors
Visualize tree
Visualize margin curve
Visualize threshold curve
Visualize cost curve
Status
OK
Log
x 0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Tree View
petalwidth
<= 0.6
> 0.6
Iris-setosa (50.0)
petalwidth
<= 1.7
> 1.7
petallength
Iris-virginica (46.0/1.0)
<= 4.9
> 4.9
Iris-versicolor (48.0/1.0)
petalwidth
<= 1.5
> 1.5
Iris-virginica (3.0)
Iris-versicolor (3.0/1.0)
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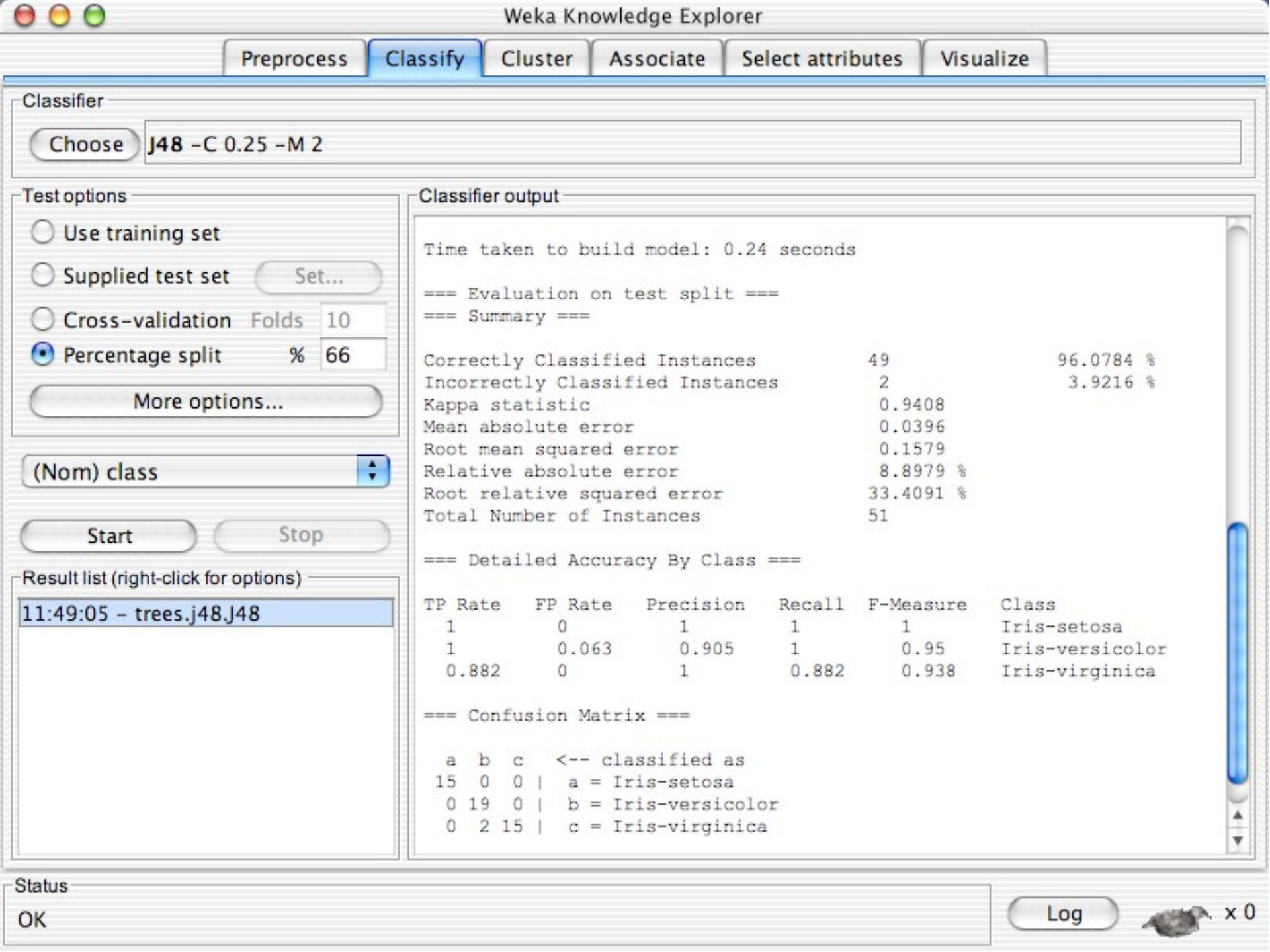
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Explorer: clustering data

- WEKA contains "clusterers" for finding groups of similar instances in a dataset
- Implemented schemes are:
  - *k*-Means, EM, Cobweb, *X*-means, FarthestFirst
- Clusters can be visualized and compared to "true" clusters (if given)
- Evaluation based on loglikelihood if clustering scheme produces a probability distribution

Clustering

- DEMO

The K-Means Clustering Method

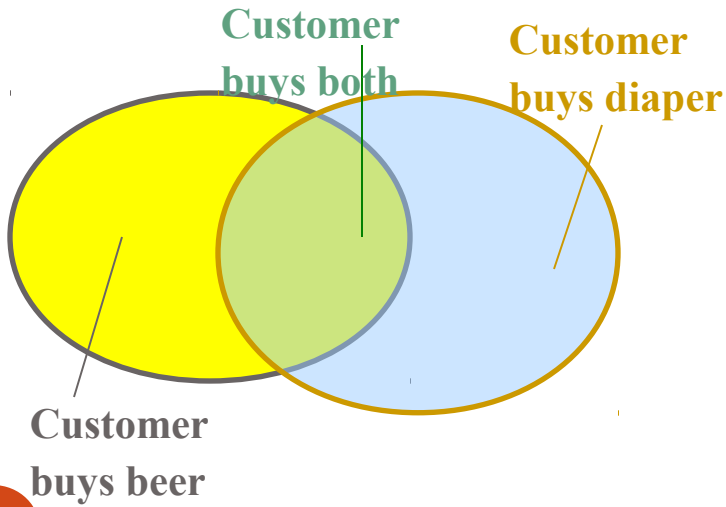
- Given *k*, the *k-means* algorithm is implemented in four steps:
  - Partition objects into *k* nonempty subsets
  - Compute seed points as the centroids of the clusters of the current partition (the centroid is the center, i.e., *mean point*, of the cluster)
  - Assign each object to the cluster with the nearest seed point
  - Go back to Step 2, stop when no more new assignment

Explorer: finding associations

- WEKA contains an implementation of the Apriori algorithm for learning association rules
  - Works only with discrete data
- Can identify statistical dependencies between groups of attributes:
  - milk, butter ⇒ bread, eggs (with confidence 0.9 and support 2000)
- Apriori can compute all rules that have a given minimum support and exceed a given confidence

Basic Concepts: Frequent Patterns

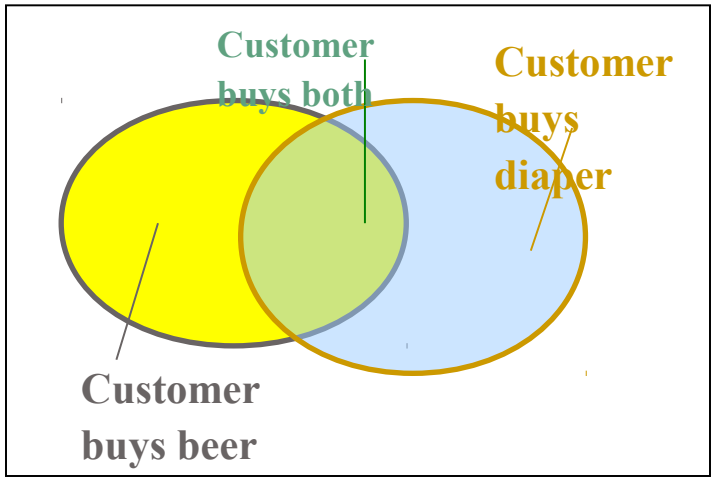
Tid	Items bought
10	Beer, Nuts, Diaper
20	Beer, Coffee, Diaper
30	Beer, Diaper, Eggs
40	Nuts, Eggs, Milk
50	Nuts, Coffee, Diaper, Eggs, Milk



- itemset: A set of one or more items
- k-itemset $X = \{x_1, \ldots, x_k\}$
- *(absolute) support*, or, *support count* of X: Frequency or occurrence of an itemset X
- *(relative) support*, *s*, is the fraction of transactions that contains X (i.e., the probability that a transaction contains X)
- An itemset X is *frequent* if X's support is no less than a *minsup* threshold

Basic Concepts: Association Rules

Tid	Items bought
10	Beer, Nuts, Diaper
20	Beer, Coffee, Diaper
30	Beer, Diaper, Eggs
40	Nuts, Eggs, Milk
50	Nuts, Coffee, Diaper, Eggs, Milk



- Find all the rules $X \rightarrow Y$ with minimum support and confidence
  - support, *s*, probability that a transaction contains X ∪ Y
  - confidence, *c*, conditional probability that a transaction having X also contains *Y*

Let minsup = 50%, minconf = 50%

Freq. Pat.: Beer:3, Nuts:3, Diaper:4, Eggs:3, {Beer, Diaper}:3

- Association rules: (many more!)
  - *Beer* → *Diaper* (60%, 100%)
  - *Diaper* → *Beer* (60%, 75%)

Association

- DEMO

Weka Knowledge Explorer

Preprocess | Classify | Cluster | Associate | Select attributes | Visualize

Open file... | Open URL... | Open DB... | Undo | Save...

Filter

Choose **None** Apply

Current relation

Relation: vote
Instances: 435 Attributes: 17

Attributes

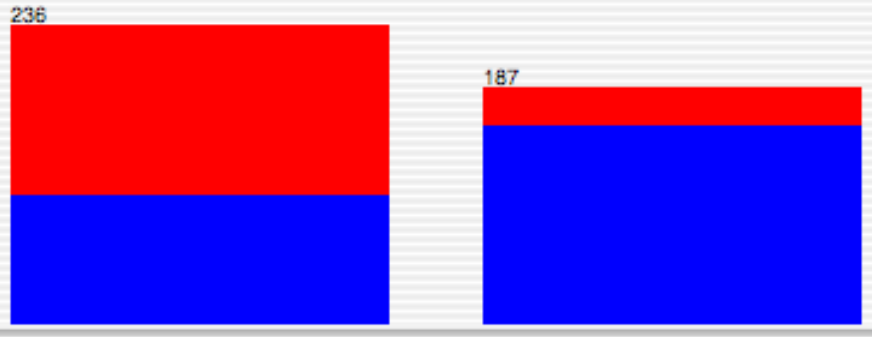
No.	Name
1	handicapped-infants
2	water-project-cost-sharing
3	adoption-of-the-budget-resolution
4	physician-fee-freeze
5	el-salvador-aid
6	religious-groups-in-schools
7	anti-satellite-test-ban
8	aid-to-nicaraguan-contras
9	mx-missile
10	immigration
11	synfuels-corporation-cutback
12	education-spending
13	superfund-right-to-sue
14	crime
15	duty-free-exports
16	export-administration-act-south-africa
17	Class

Selected attribute

Name: handicapped-infants Type: Nominal
Missing: 12 (3%) Distinct: 2 Unique: 0 (0%)

Label	Count
n	236
y	187

Colour: Class (Nom) Visualize All



Status

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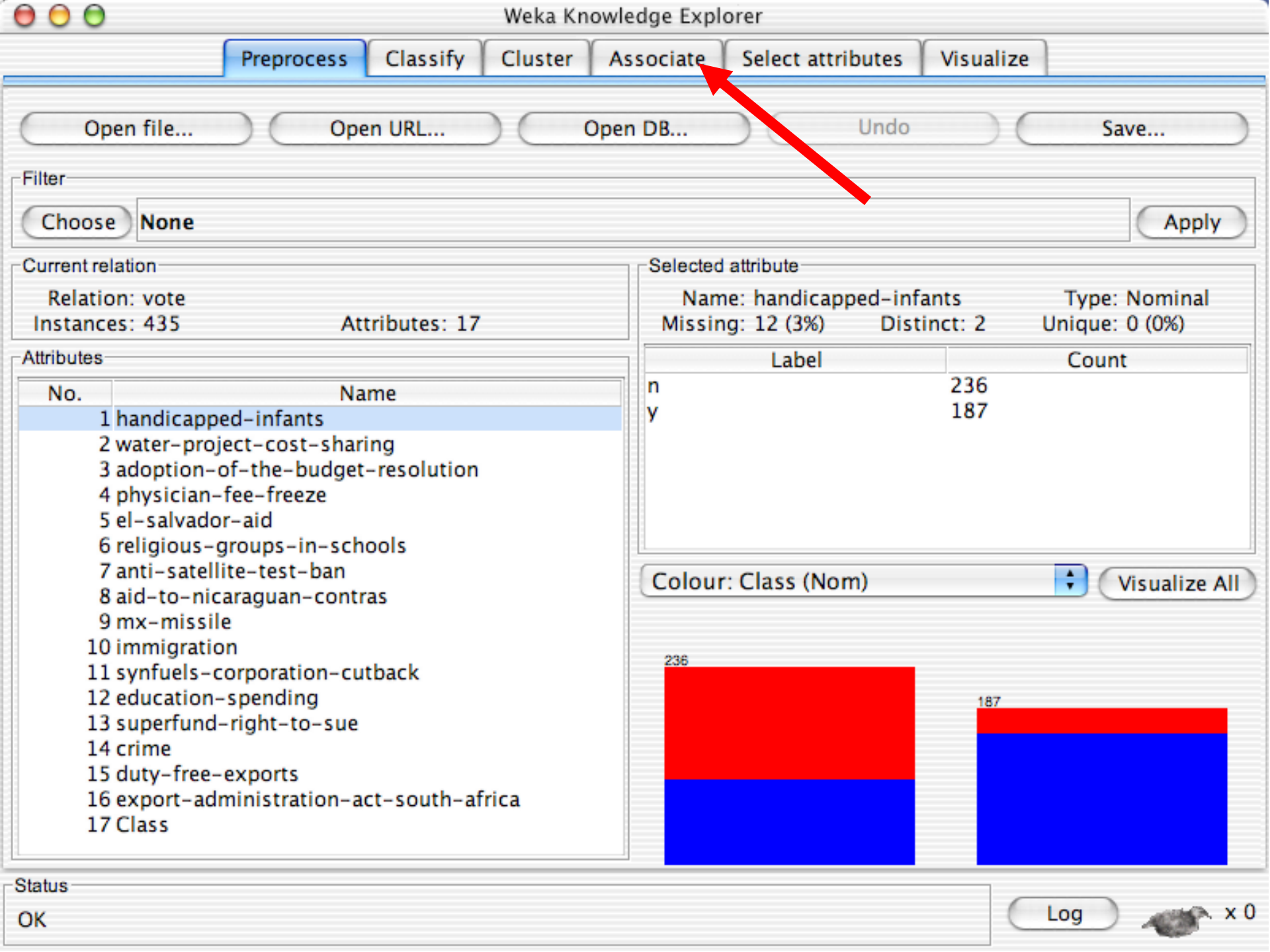
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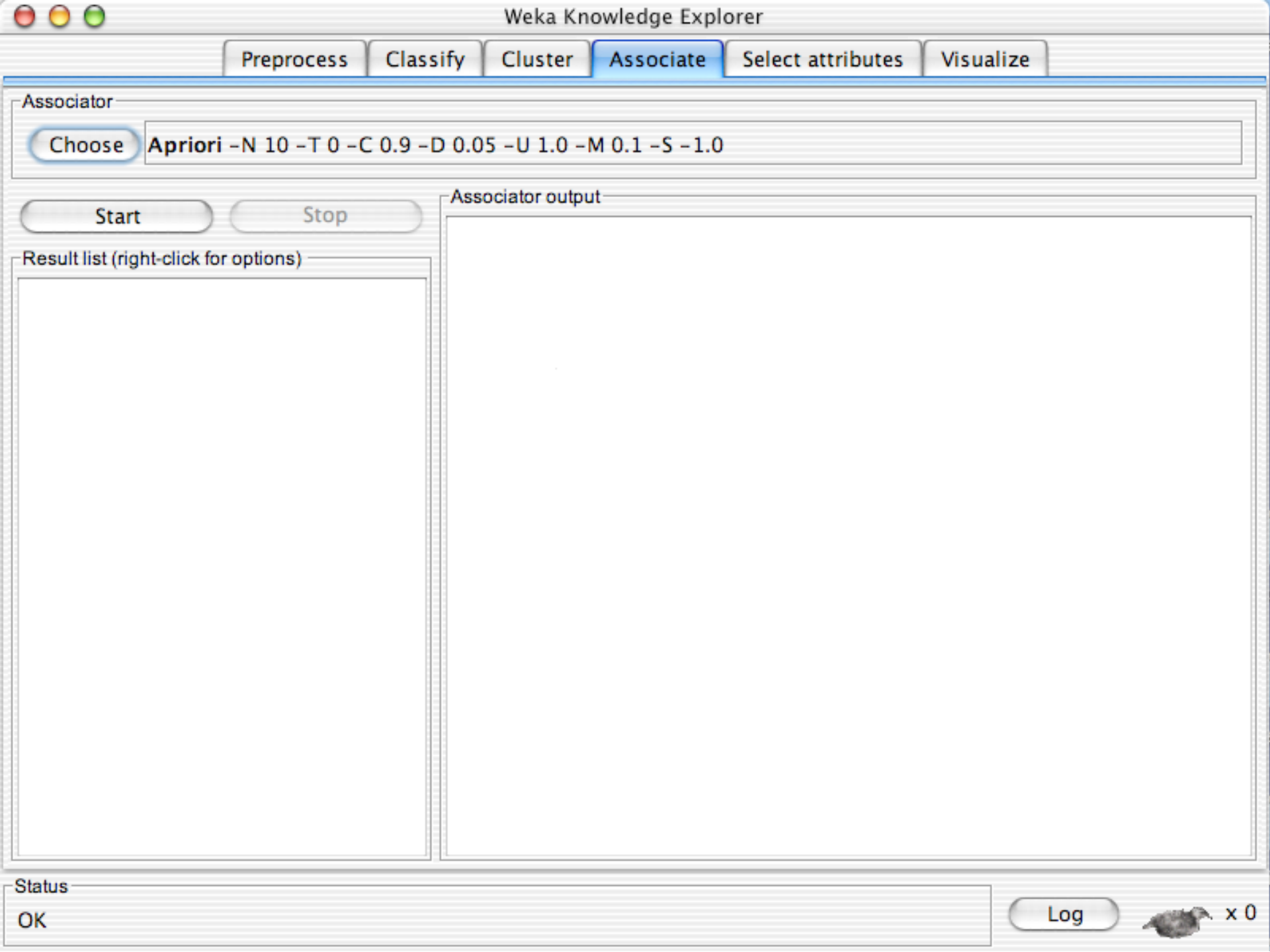
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Start
Stop
Result list (right-click for options)
Associator output
Status
OK
Log
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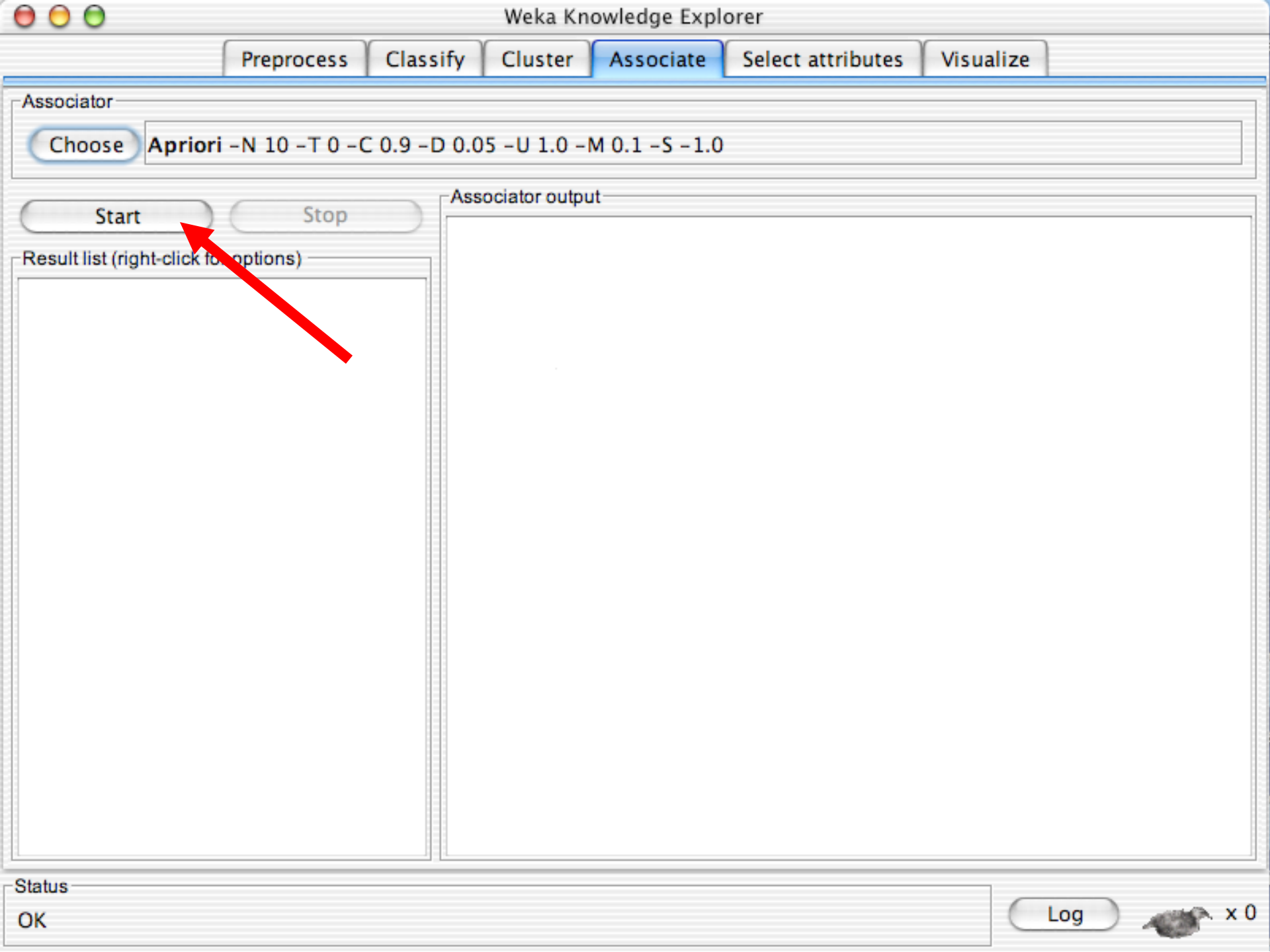
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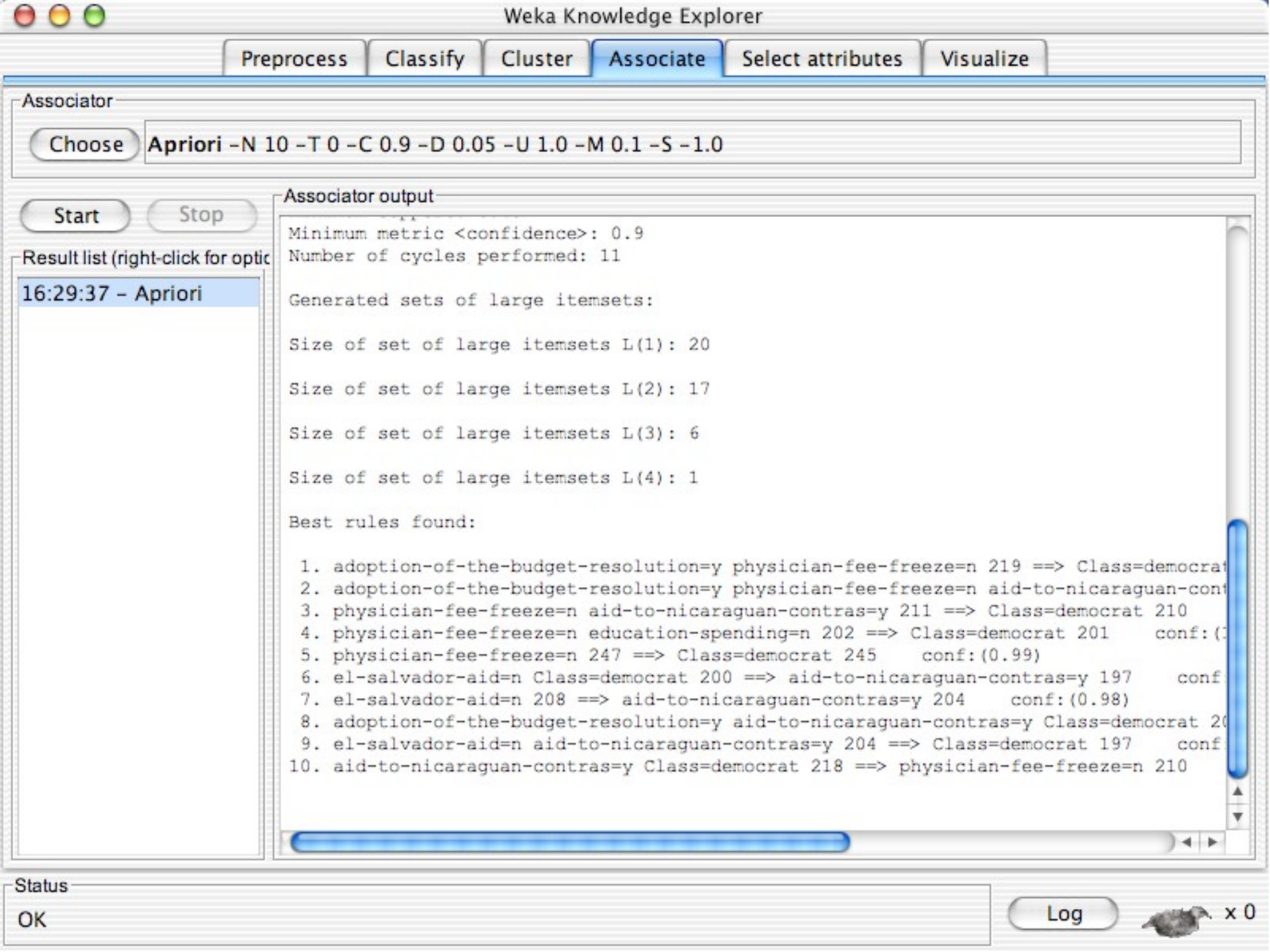
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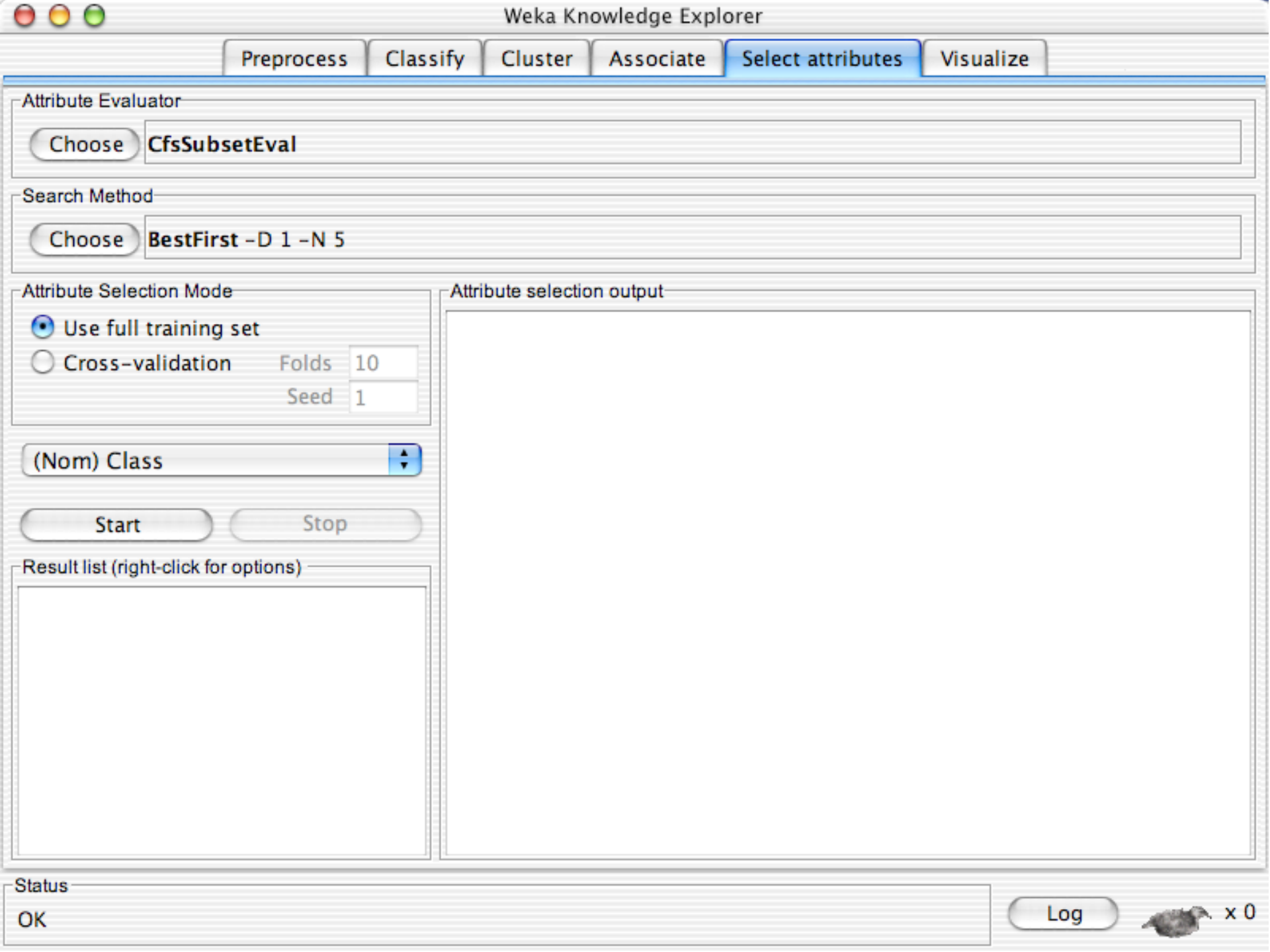
Start
Stop
Result list (right-click for optic
16:29:37 - Apriori
Associator output
Minimum metric <confidence>: 0.9
Number of cycles performed: 11
Generated sets of large itemsets:
Size of set of large itemsets L(1): 20
Size of set of large itemsets L(2): 17
Size of set of large itemsets L(3): 6
Size of set of large itemsets L(4): 1
Best rules found:
1. adoption-of-the-budget-resolution=y physician-fee-freeze=n 219 ==> Class=democrat
2. adoption-of-the-budget-resolution=y physician-fee-freeze=n aid-to-nicaraguan-cont
3. physician-fee-freeze=n aid-to-nicaraguan-contras=y 211 ==> Class=democrat 210
4. physician-fee-freeze=n education-spending=n 202 ==> Class=democrat 201 conf:(
5. physician-fee-freeze=n 247 ==> Class=democrat 245 conf:(0.99)
6. el-salvador-aid=n Class=democrat 200 ==> aid-to-nicaraguan-contras=y 197 conf
7. el-salvador-aid=n 208 ==> aid-to-nicaraguan-contras=y 204 conf:(0.98)
8. adoption-of-the-budget-resolution=y aid-to-nicaraguan-contras=y Class=democrat 2
9. el-salvador-aid=n aid-to-nicaraguan-contras=y 204 ==> Class=democrat 197 conf
10. aid-to-nicaraguan-contras=y Class=democrat 218 ==> physician-fee-freeze=n 210
Status
OK
Log
x 0

Explorer: attribute selection

- Panel that can be used to investigate which (subsets of) attributes are the most predictive ones
- Attribute selection methods contain two parts:
  - A search method: best-first, forward selection, random, exhaustive, genetic algorithm, ranking
  - An evaluation method: correlation-based, wrapper, information gain, chi-squared, …
- Very flexible: WEKA allows (almost) arbitrary combinations of these two

Explorer: attribute selection

- DEMO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Attribute Evaluator
Choose
CfsSubsetEval
Search Method
Choose
BestFirst -D 1 -N 5
Attribute Selection Mode
Use full training set
Cross-validation
Folds
10
Seed
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Attribute selection output
(Nom) Class
Start
Stop
Result list (right-click for options)
Status
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Log
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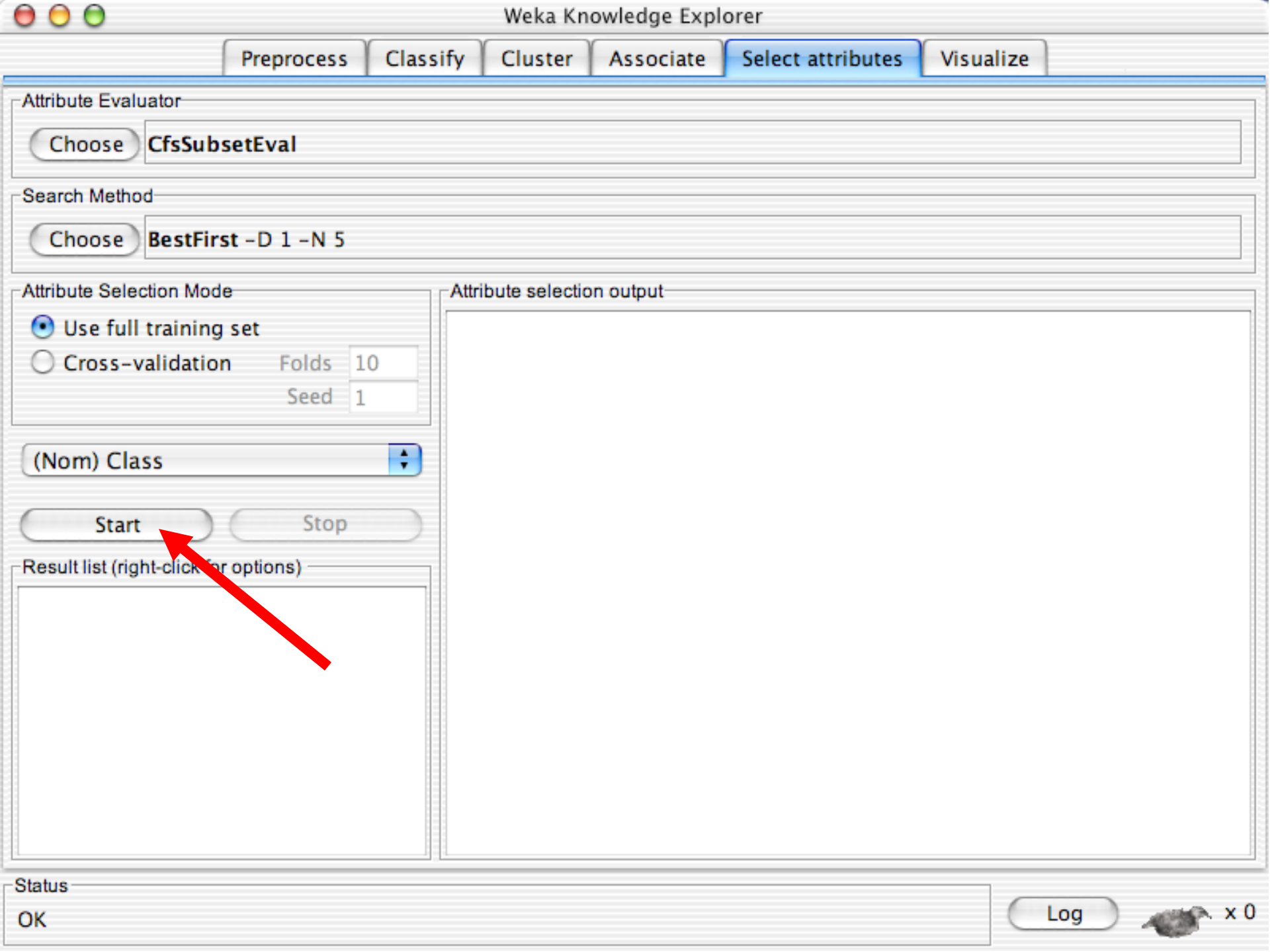
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Weka Knowledge Explorer

Preprocess | Classify | Cluster | Associate | Select attributes | Visualize

Attribute Evaluator

Choose **CfsSubsetEval**

Search Method

Choose **BestFirst** -D 1 -N 5

Attribute Selection Mode

- (•) Use full training set
- ( ) Cross-validation Folds 10 Seed 1

(Nom) Class

Start | Stop

Result list (right-click for options)

16:39:40 - BestFirst + CfsSubsetEval

Attribute selection output

```
                duty-free-exports
                export-administration-act-south-africa
                Class
Evaluation mode:    evaluate on all training data



=== Attribute Selection on all input data ===

Search Method:
        Best first.
        Start set: no attributes
        Search direction: forward
        Stale search after 5 node expansions
        Total number of subsets evaluated: 83
        Merit of best subset found:    0.729

Attribute Subset Evaluator (supervised, Class (nominal): 17 Class):
        CFS Subset Evaluator

Selected attributes: 4 : 1
                     physician-fee-freeze
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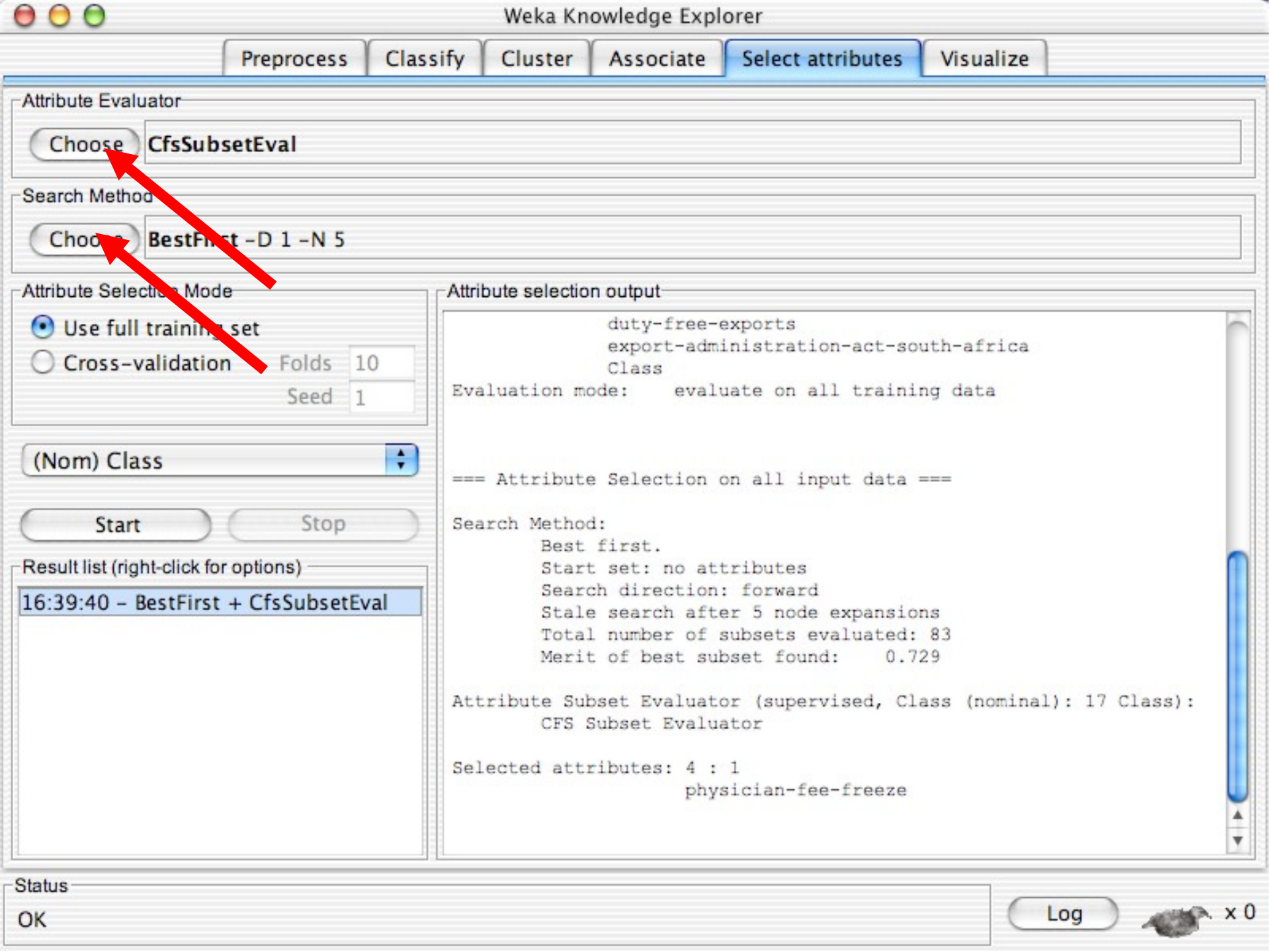
Status

OK

Log x 0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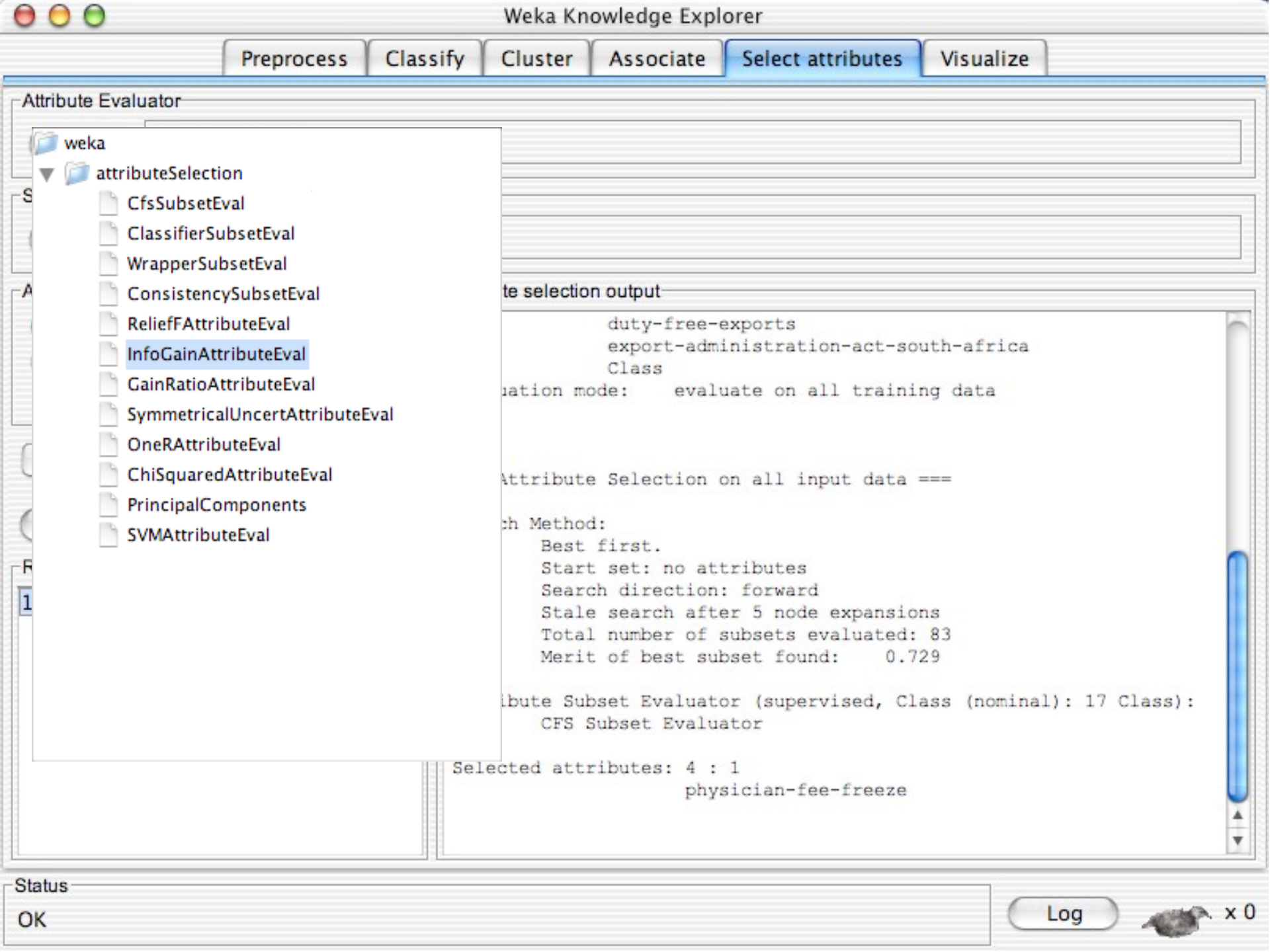
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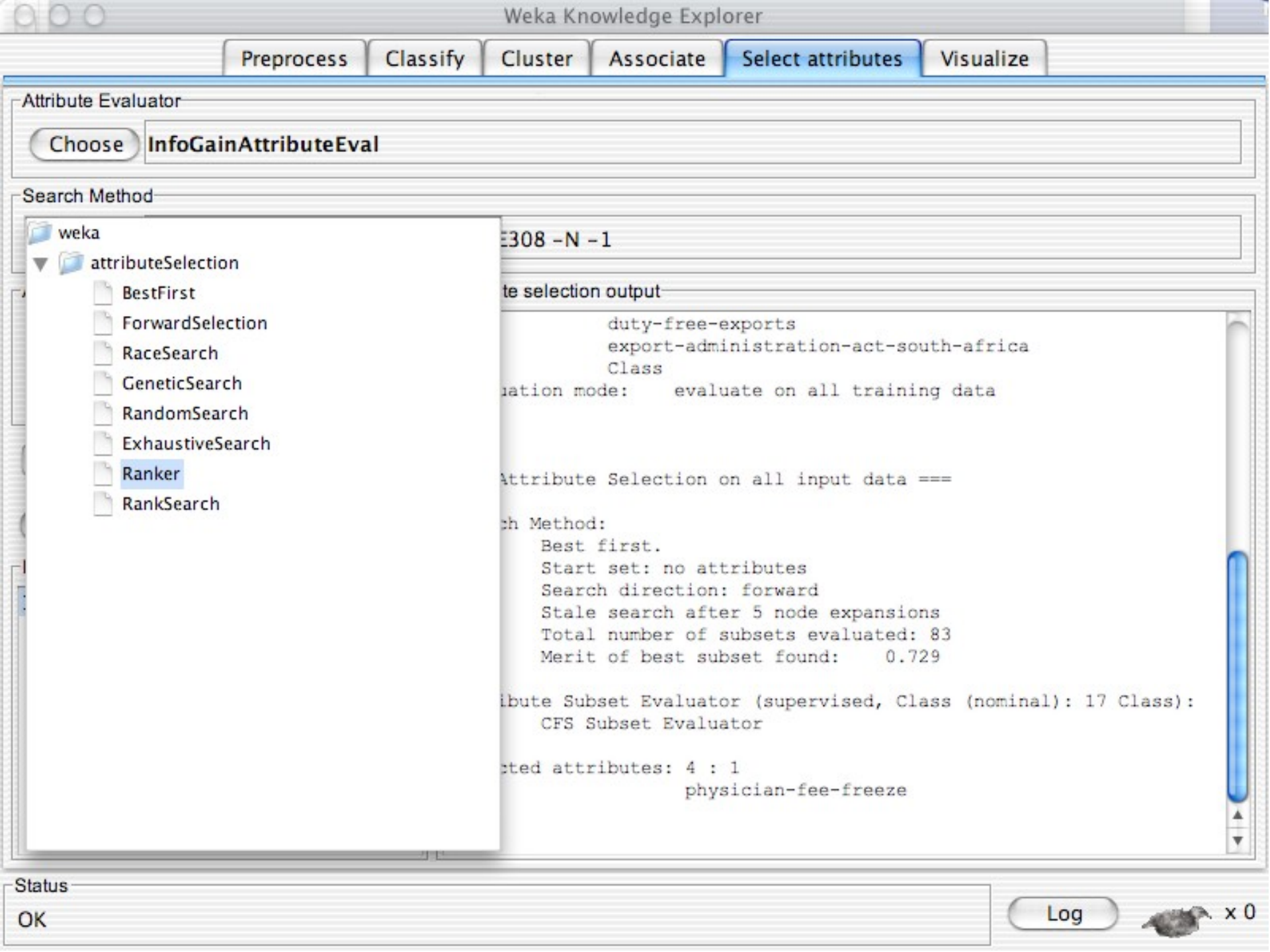
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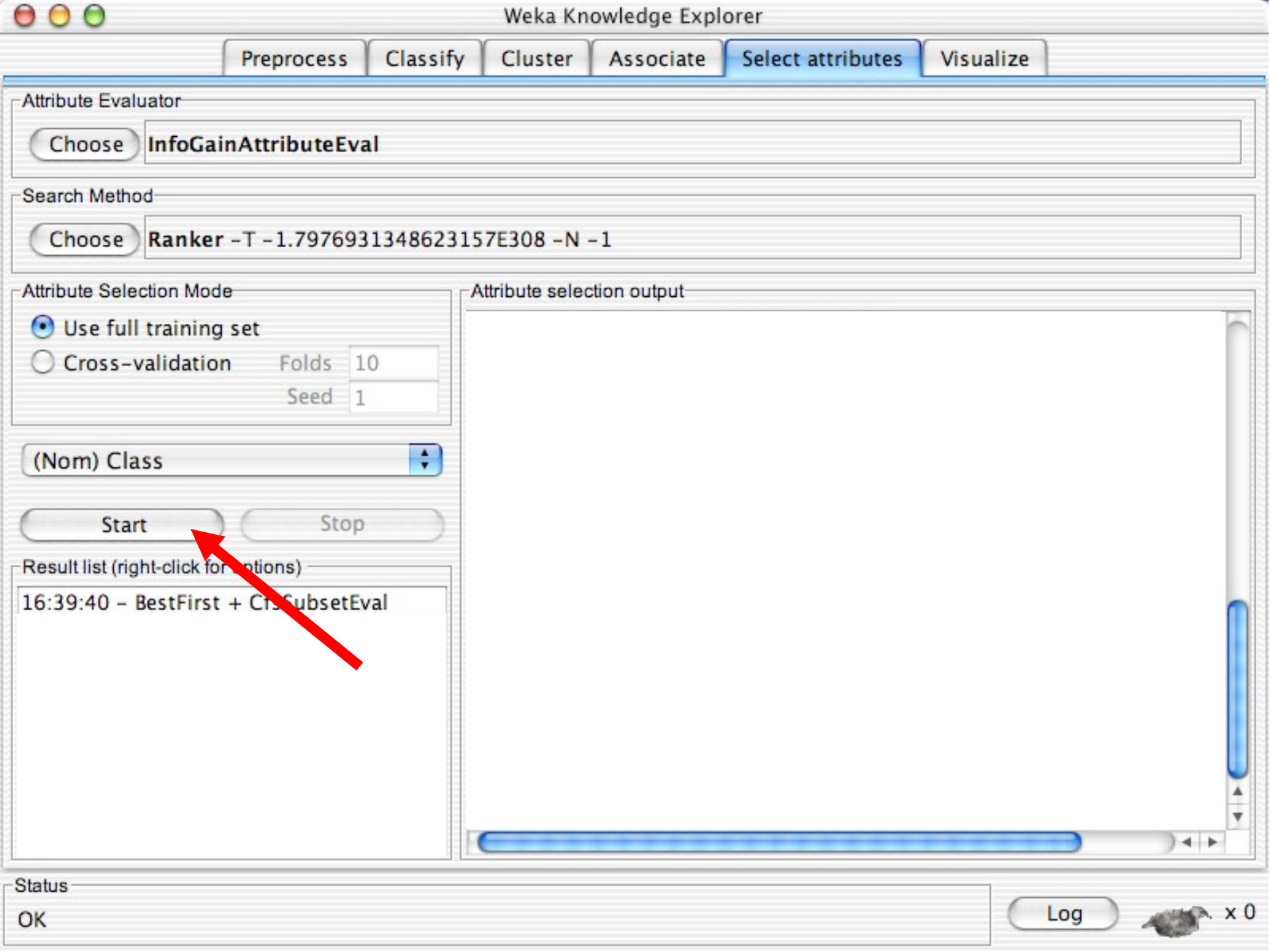
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Ranker -T -1.7976931348623157E308 -N -1
Attribute Selection Mode
Use full training set
Cross-validation
Folds
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Seed
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Attribute selection output
(Nom) Class
Start
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Result list (right-click for options)
16:39:40 - BestFirst + CfsSubsetEval
Status
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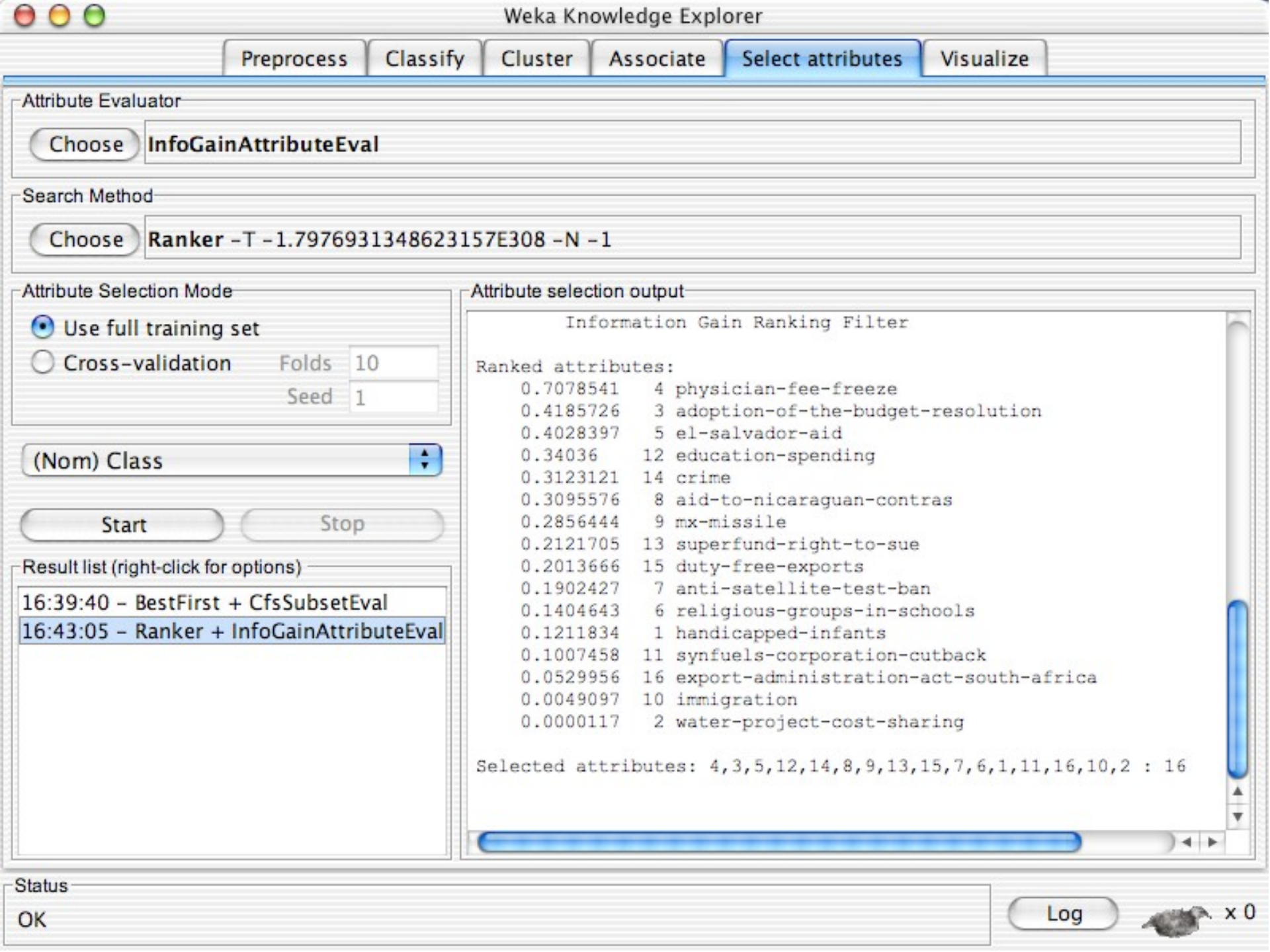
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Result list (right-click for options)
16:39:40 - BestFirst + CfsSubsetEval
16:43:05 - Ranker + InfoGainAttributeEval
Attribute selection output
Information Gain Ranking Filter
Ranked attributes:
0.7078541 4 physician-fee-freeze
0.4185726 3 adoption-of-the-budget-resolution
0.4028397 5 el-salvador-aid
0.34036 12 education-spending
0.3123121 14 crime
0.3095576 8 aid-to-nicaraguan-contras
0.2856444 9 mx-missile
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0.1007458 11 synfuels-corporation-cutback
0.0529956 16 export-administration-act-south-africa
0.0049097 10 immigration
0.0000117 2 water-project-cost-sharing
Selected attributes: 4,3,5,12,14,8,9,13,15,7,6,1,11,16,10,2 : 16
Status
OK
Log
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Explorer: data visualization

- Visualization very useful in practice: e.g. helps to determine difficulty of the learning problem
- WEKA can visualize single attributes (1-d) and pairs of attributes (2-d)
  - To do: rotating 3-d visualizations (Xgobi-style)
- Color-coded class values
- "Jitter" option to deal with nominal attributes (and to detect "hidden" data points)
- "Zoom-in" function

data visualization

- DEMO

Weka Knowledge Explorer

Preprocess | Classify | Cluster | Associate | Select attributes | Visualize

Open file... | Open URL... | Open DB... | Undo | Save...

Filter

Choose **None** | Apply

Current relation

Relation: Glass
Instances: 214 Attributes: 10

Attributes

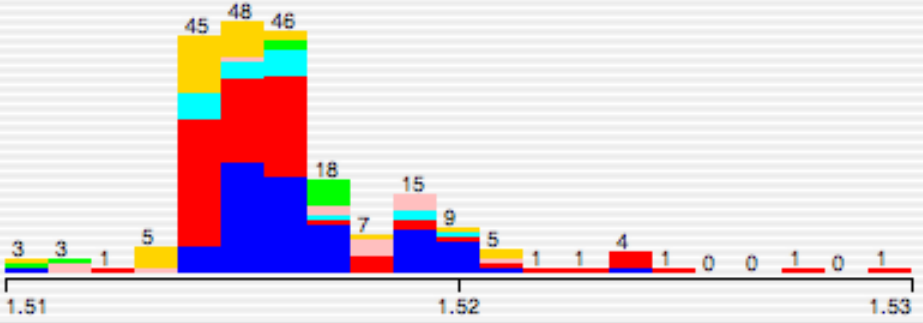
No.	Name
1	RI
2	Na
3	Mg
4	Al
5	Si
6	K
7	Ca
8	Ba
9	Fe
10	Type

Selected attribute

Name: RI Type: Numeric
Missing: 0 (0%) Distinct: 178 Unique: 145 (68%)

Statistic	Value
Minimum	1.511
Maximum	1.534
Mean	1.518
StdDev	0.003

Colour: Type (Nom) | Visualize All



Status

OK | Log | x 0

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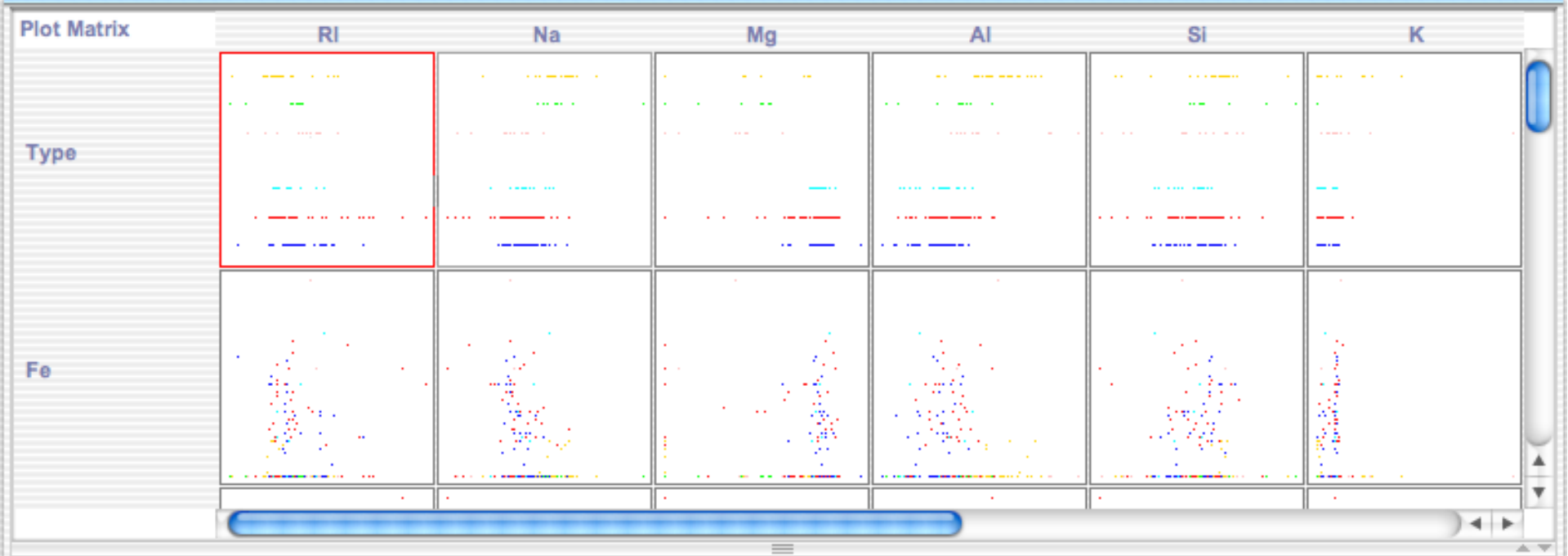


PlotSize: [100]

PointSize: [1]

Jitter:

Update

Select Attributes

Colour: Type (Nom)

SubSample % : 100

Class Colour

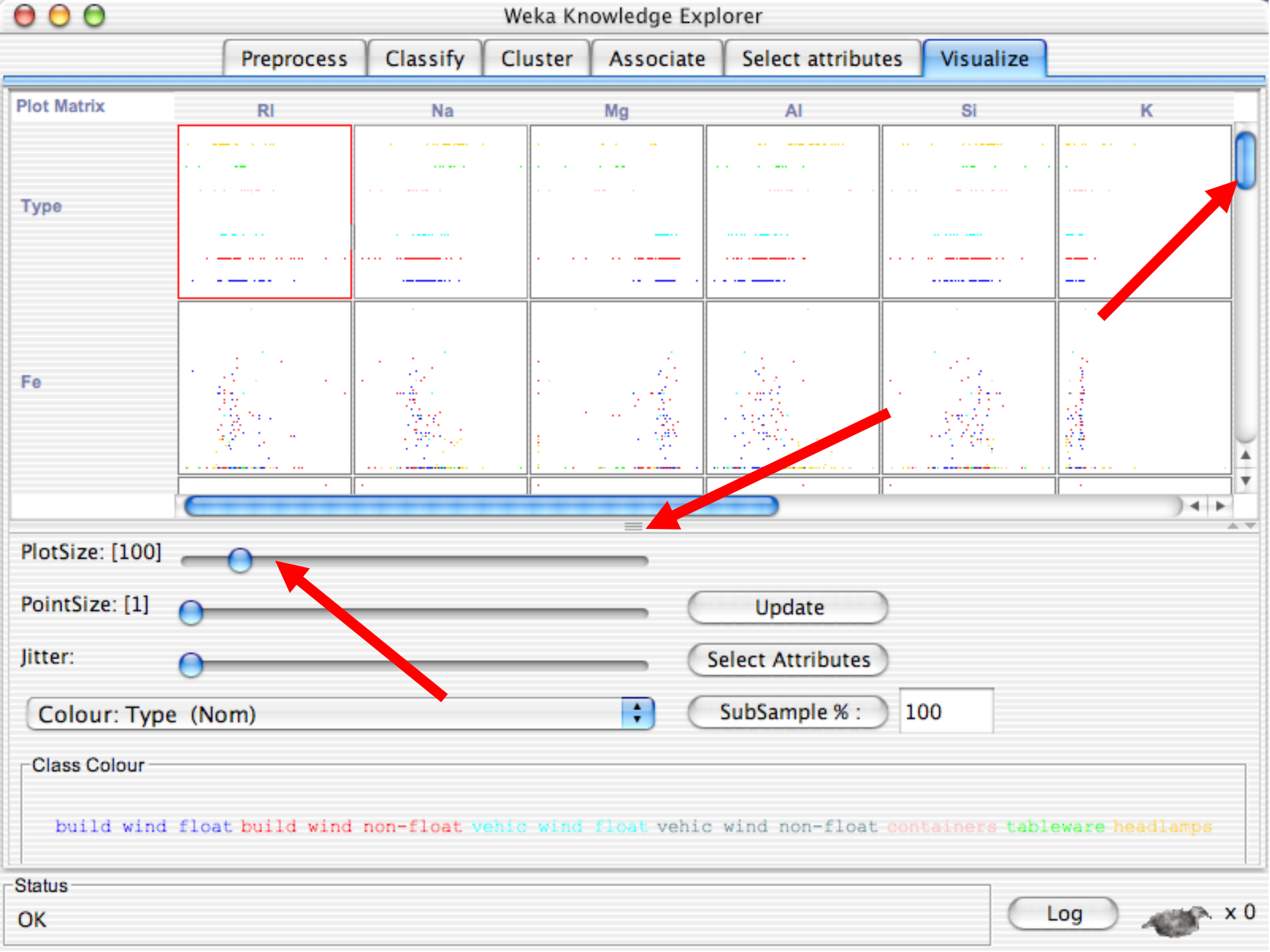
build wind float build wind non-float vehic wind float vehic wind non-float containers tableware headlamps

Status

OK

Log

x 0


Weka Knowledge Explorer
Preprocess
Classify
Cluster
Associate
Select attributes
Visualize
Plot Matrix
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Type
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Jitter:
Update
Select Attributes
Colour: Type (Nom)
SubSample % :
100
Class Colour
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Status
OK
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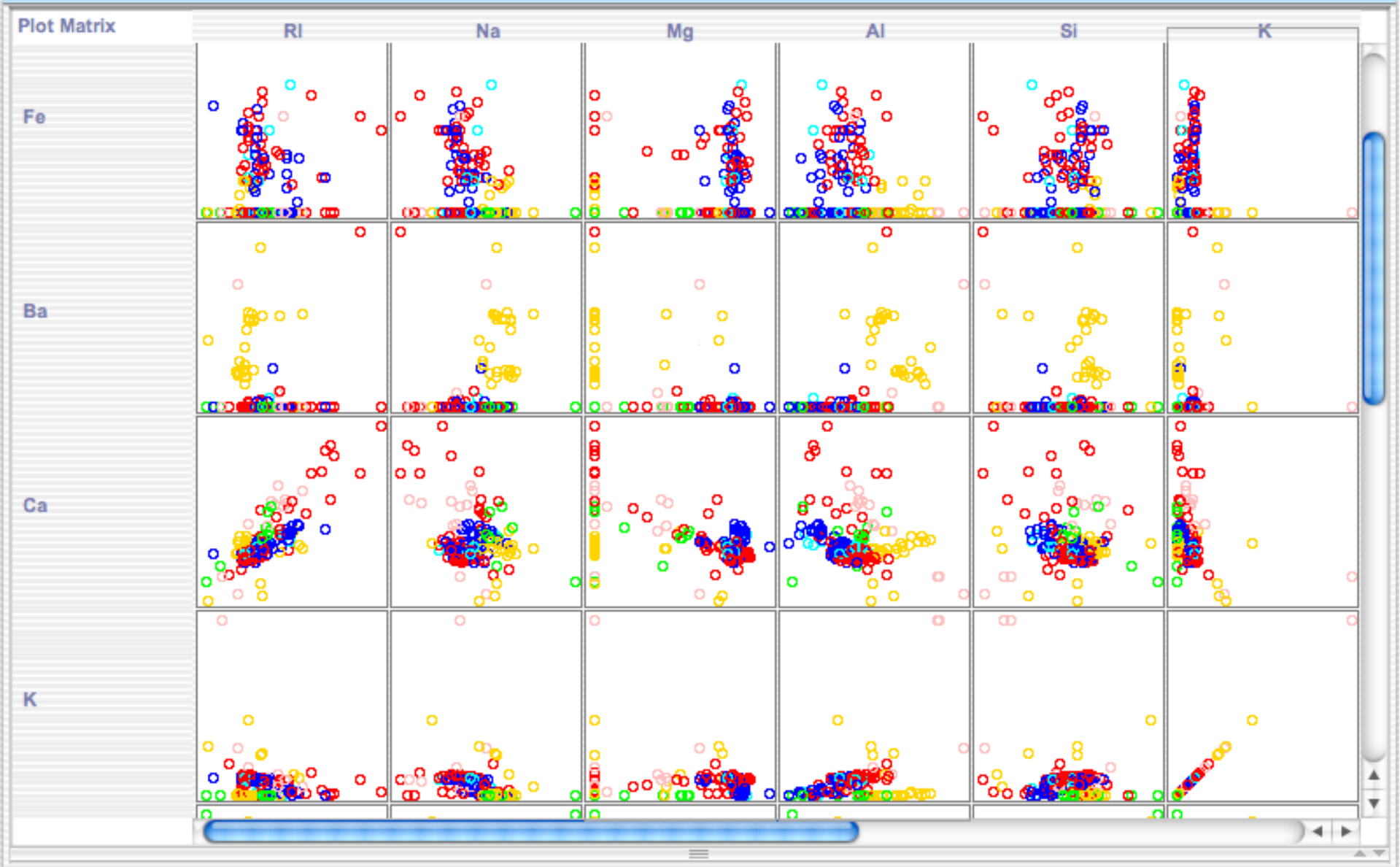
Weka Knowledge Explorer

Preprocess | Classify | Cluster | Associate | Select attributes | Visualize



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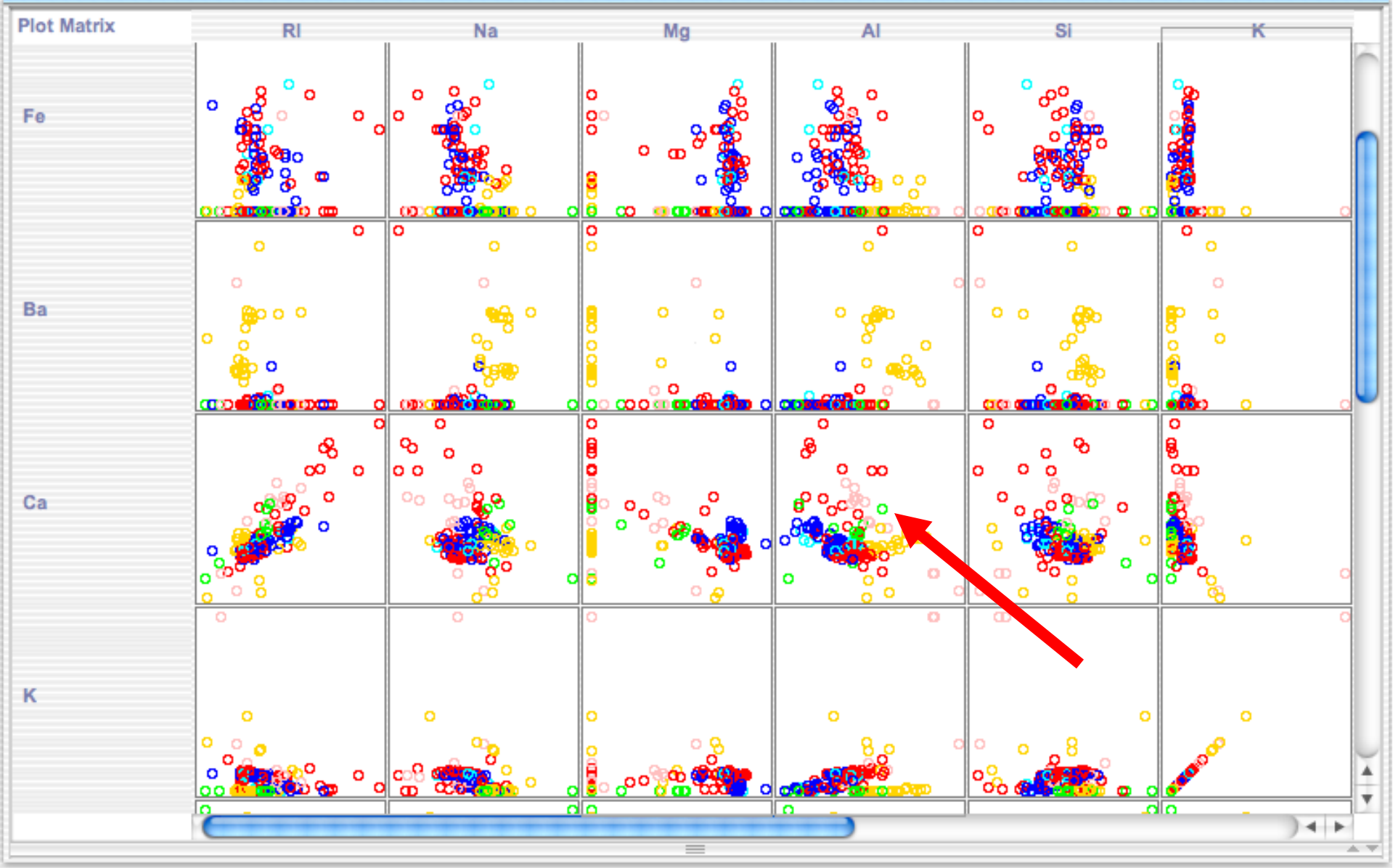


Status

OK

Log

x 0

Weka Knowledge Explorer: Visualizing Glass

X: Al (Num)

Y: Ca (Num)

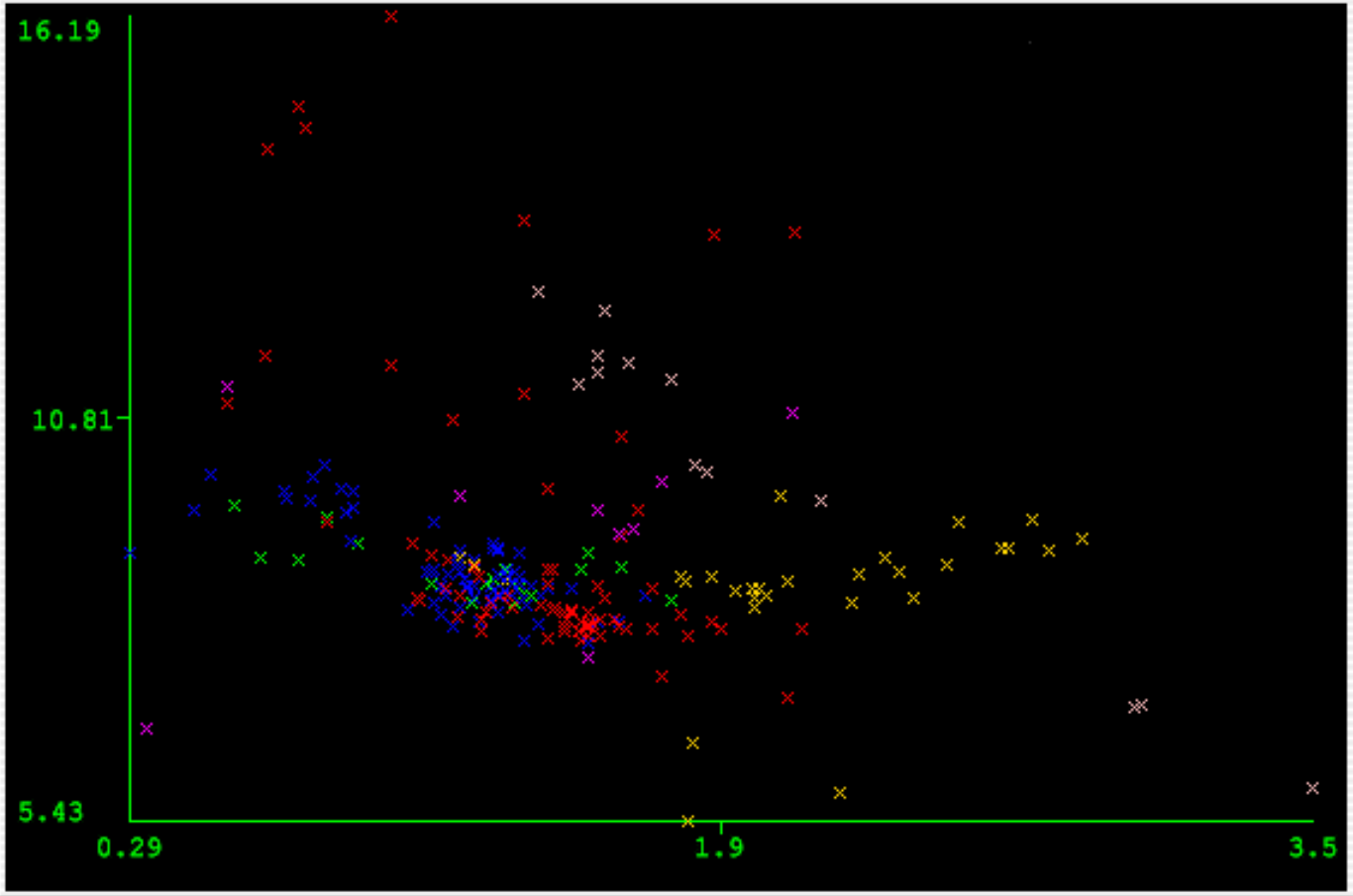
Colour: Type (Nom)

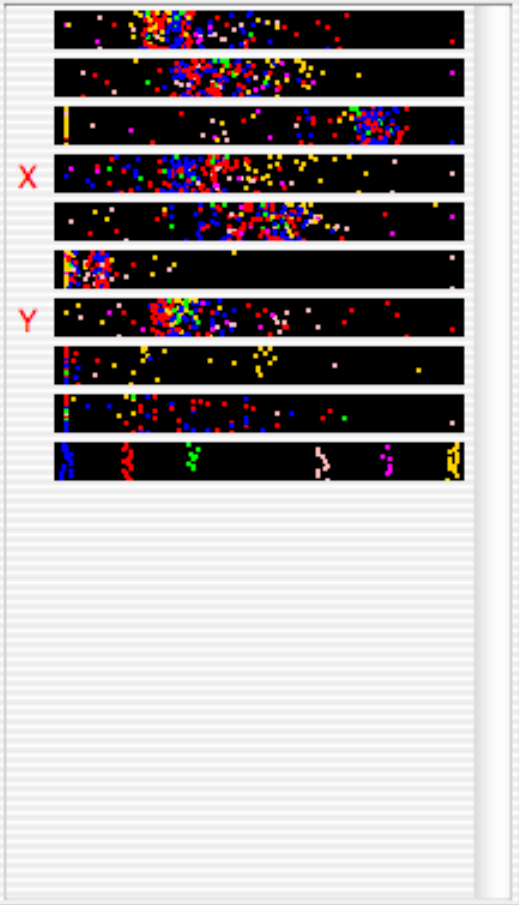
Select Instance

Reset | Clear | Save

Jitter

Plot: Glass





Class colour

build wind float

build wind non-float

vehic wind float

vehic wind non-float

containers

tableware

headlamps

Weka Knowledge Explorer: Visualizing Glass

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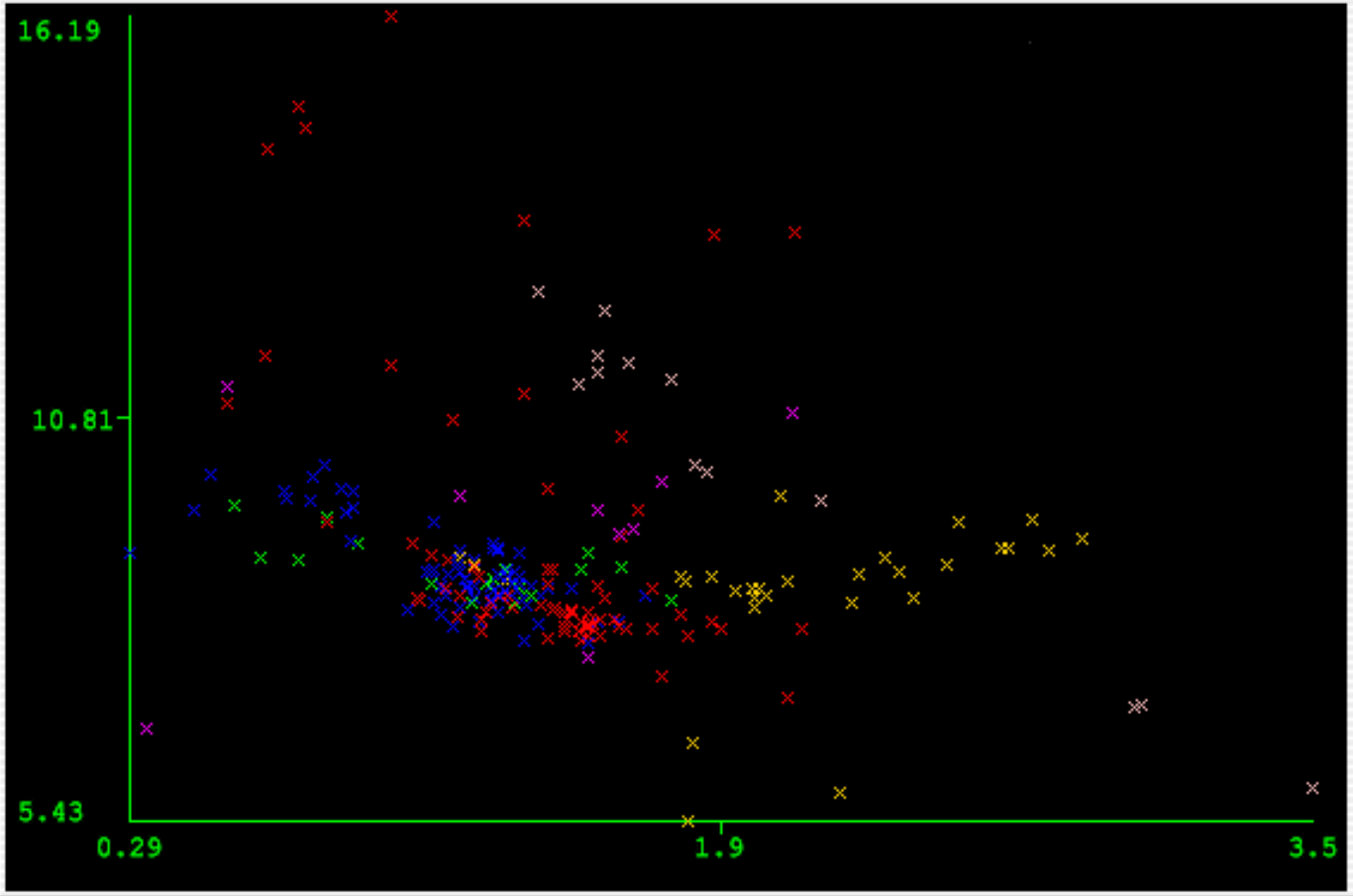
Colour: Type (Nom)

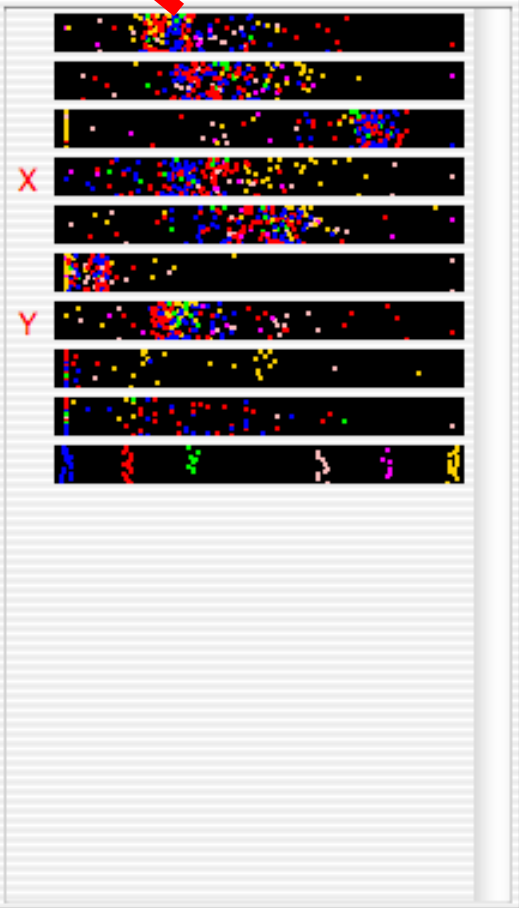
Select Instance

Reset | Clear | Save

Jitter

Plot: Glass





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Weka Knowledge Explorer: Visualizing Glass

X: Al (Num)

Y: Ca (Num)

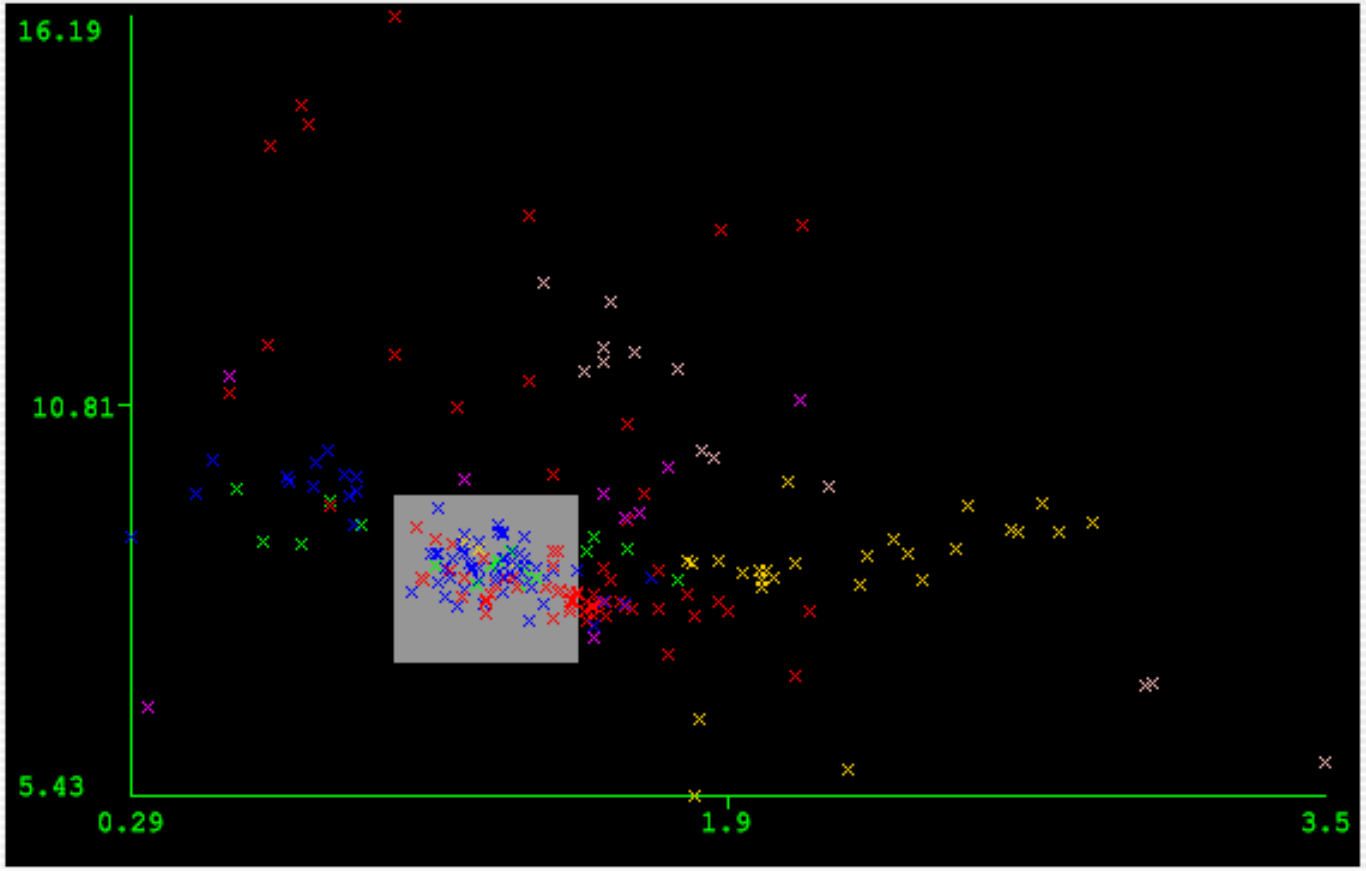
Colour: Type (Nom)

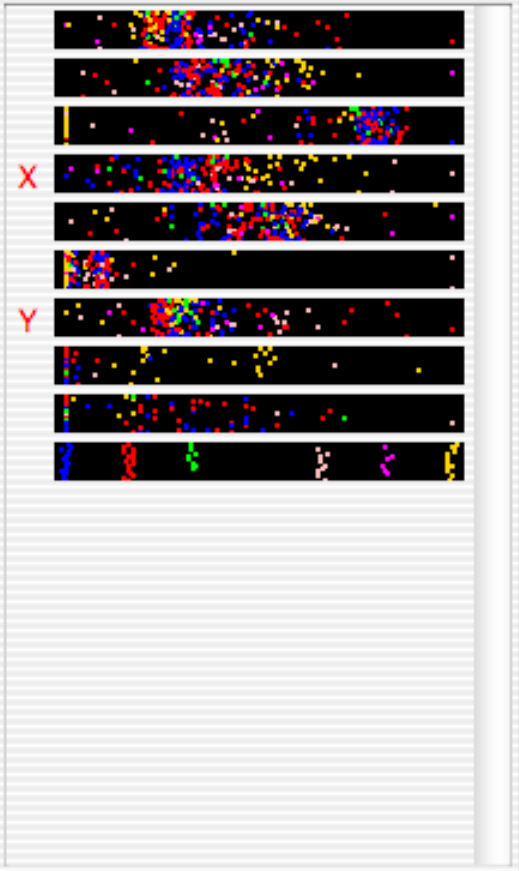
Rectangle

Submit | Clear | Save

Jitter

Plot: Glass





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Rectangle

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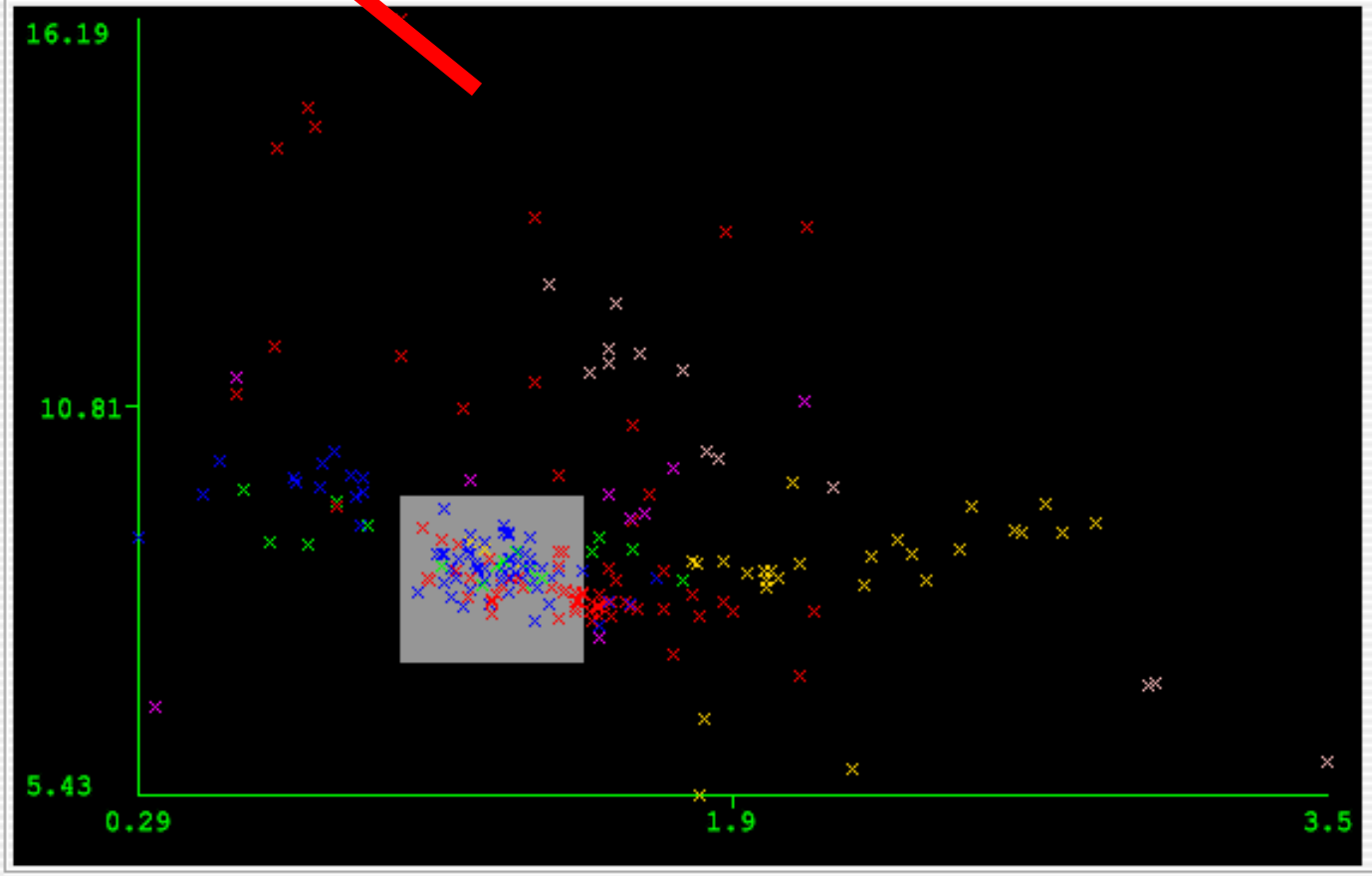
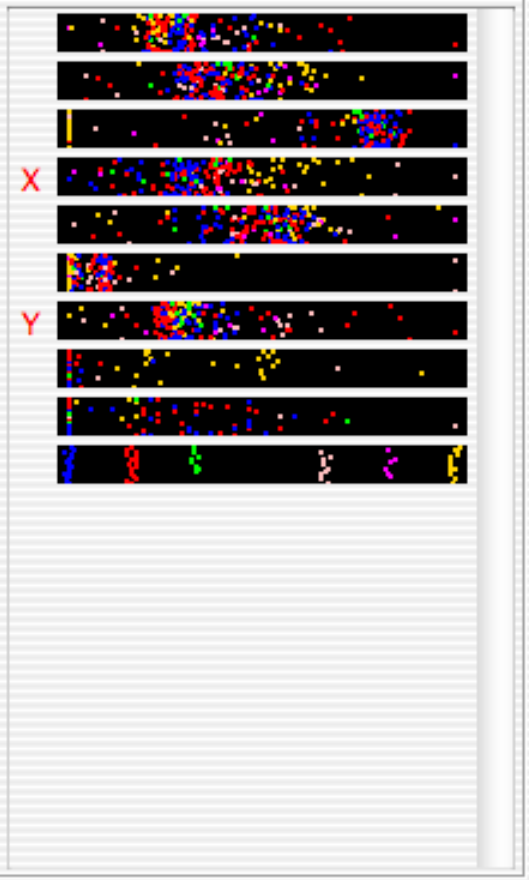
Plot: Glass





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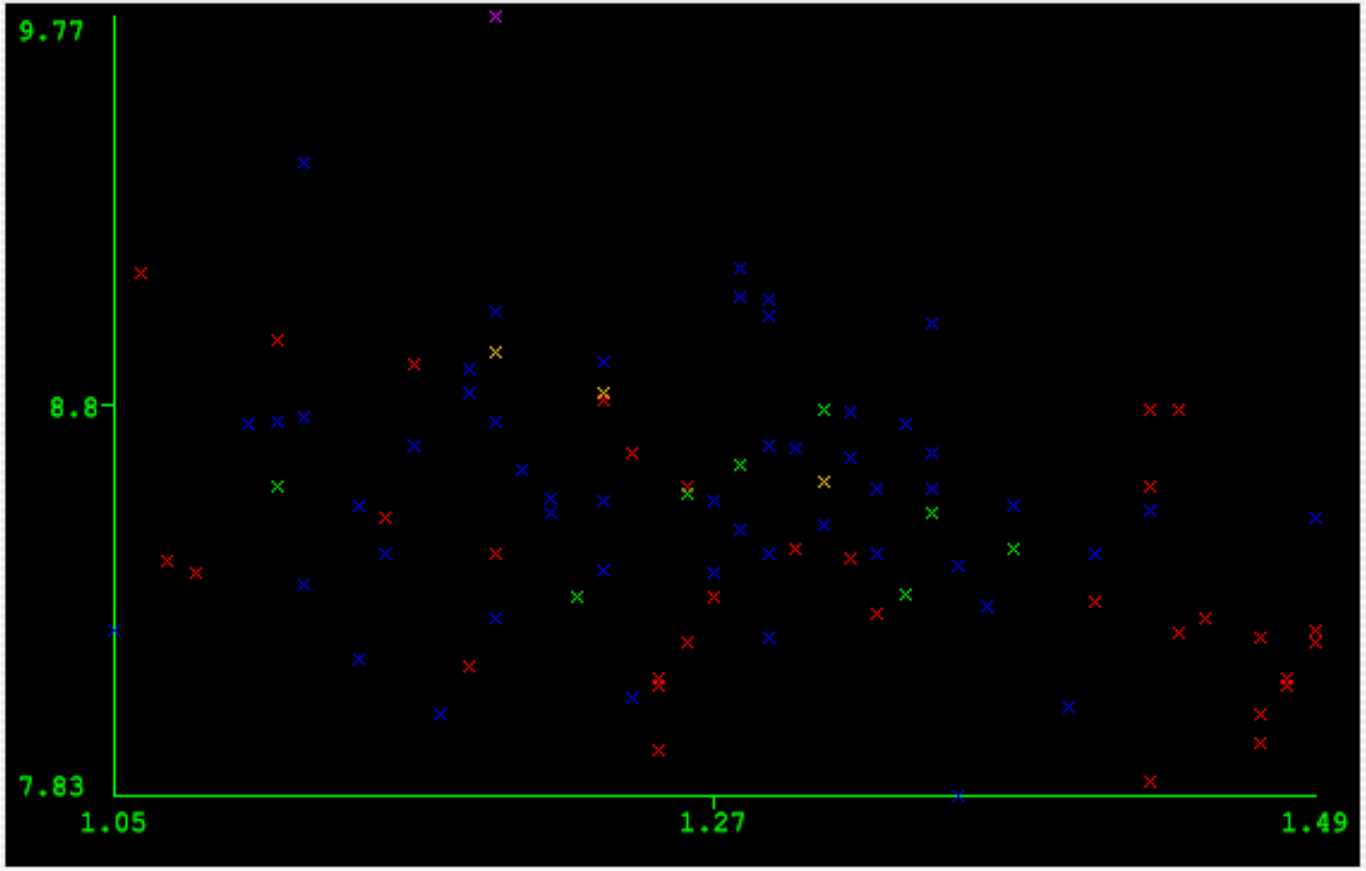
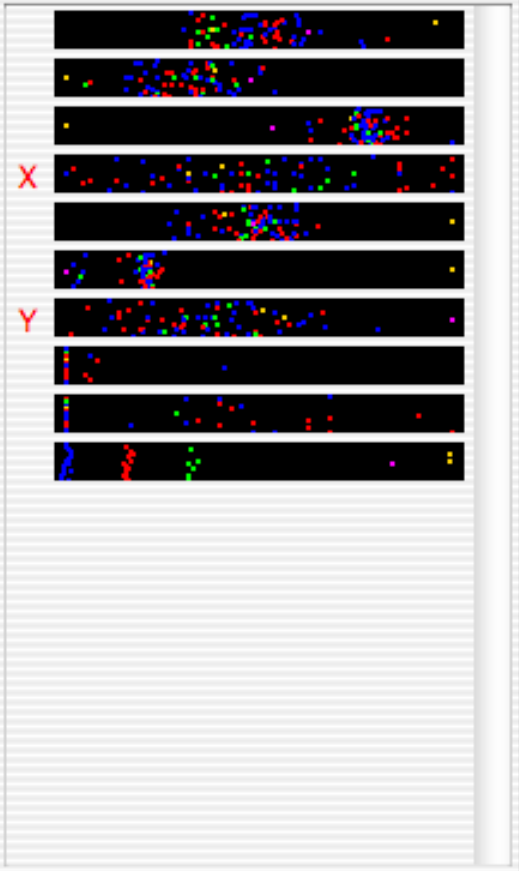
Plot: Glass





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