

XG Boost (Extreme Gradient Boosting)

→ XG Boost Classifier
→ " Regressor.

Step-1 → Create a base model.

XG Boost classifier

Salary	Credit Score	Approval	Base model	R ₁
≤ 50K	B	0	0.5	-0.5
≤ 50K	G	1	0.5	0.5
≤ 50K	G	1	0.5	0.5
> 50K	B	0	0.5	-0.5
> 50K	G	1	0.5	0.5
> 50K	N	1	0.5	0.5
≤ 50K	N	0	0.5	-0.5

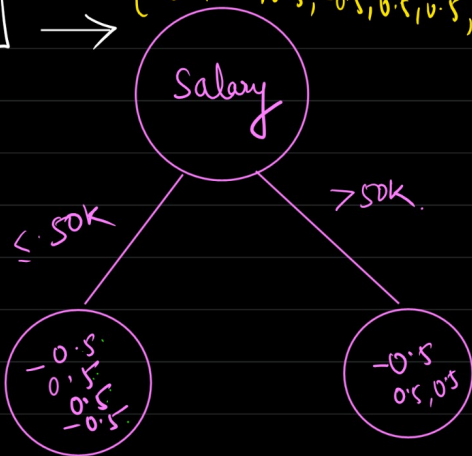
Step-2 Construct a decision tree with root.

Step-3 Calculate Similarity weight.

$$SW = \frac{\sum (\text{Residual})^2}{\sum p_r(1-p_r)} + \lambda$$

(λ=0)

0.5 → [-0.5, 0.5, 0.5, -0.5, 0.5, 0.5, -0.5]



$$SW_{\text{root}} = \frac{(-0.5)^2 + 0.5^2 + 0.5^2 + (-0.5)^2 + 0.5^2 + 0.5^2 + (-0.5)^2}{0.5(1-0.5) + 0.5(1-0.5) + 0.5(1-0.5) + 0.5(1-0.5) + 0.5(1-0.5) + 0.5(1-0.5) + 0.5(1-0.5)}$$

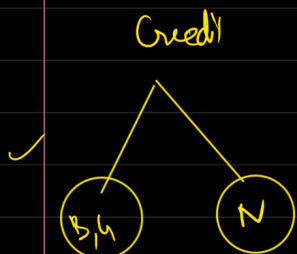
$$SW_{\text{root}} = \frac{(0.5)^2}{0.25 \times 7} = \frac{0.25}{1.75} = 0.14$$

$$SW_{LC} = \frac{(-0.5 + 0.5 + 0.5 - 0.5)^2}{0.25 \times 4} = 0$$

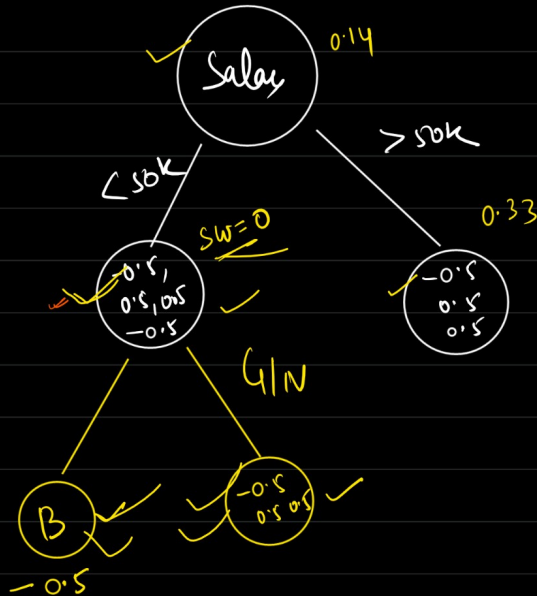
$$SW_{RC} = \frac{(-0.5 + 0.5 + 0.5)^2}{0.25 \times 3} = \frac{0.25}{0.75} = 0.33$$

$$\begin{aligned} SW_{\text{gain}} &= (SW_{LC} + SW_{RC}) - \text{Root} \\ &= (0 + 0.33) - 0.14 \\ &= 0.19 \end{aligned}$$

* Whichever feature has the highest similarity weight gain, the split will happen on that feature.



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based on
similarity
gain



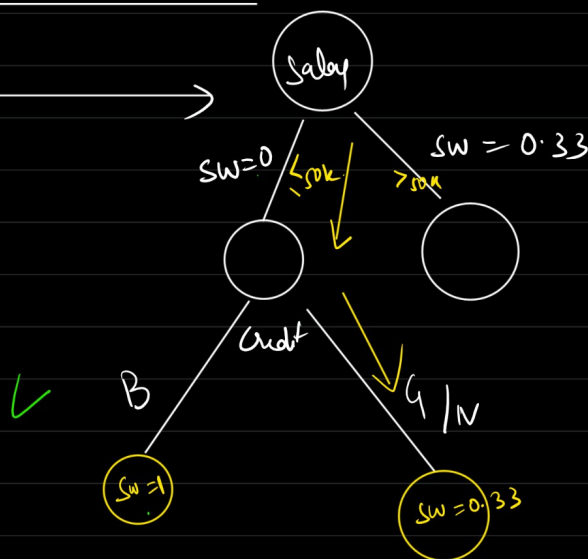
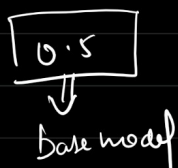
$$SW(L) \rightarrow \frac{(-0.5)^2}{0.5(1-0.5)} = \frac{0.25}{0.25} = 1 \text{ (Pure node)}$$

$$SW(R) = \frac{(-0.5 + 0.5 + 0.5)^2}{0.25 \times 3} = \frac{0.25}{0.75} = 0.33$$

$$SW(Root) = \frac{(-0.5 + 0.5 + 0.5 - 0.5)^2}{0.25 \times 4} = 0$$

$$SW_{gain} = 1 + 0.33 - 0 = 1.33$$

* How prediction is made



$\leq 50k, B$

$$\begin{aligned} o/p &= \sigma(b_{model} + \alpha(SW)) \\ &= \sigma\left(\log\left(\frac{0.5}{1+0.5}\right) + \alpha(0+1)\right) \\ &= \sigma(\log(1) + 0.1 \times 1) \\ &= \frac{1}{1+e^{-0.1}} = 0.52 \end{aligned}$$

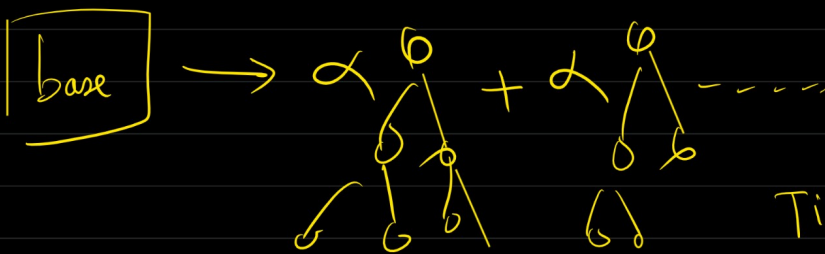
2nd row $\leq 50k, G$

$$\begin{aligned} o/p &= \sigma(b_{model} + \alpha(SW)) \\ &= \sigma(0 + 0.1(0+0.33)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{X G Classification} \Rightarrow o/p &= \sigma(\text{base model} + \alpha(SW)) \\ &= \frac{1}{1+e^{-x}} \quad \downarrow \quad \log \frac{p}{1-p} \\ &= \frac{1}{1+e^{-0.033}} = 0.501 \end{aligned}$$

Salary	Credit Score	Approval	Base model	R_1	\hat{y}_{pred}
$\leq 50k$	B	0	0.5	-0.5	0.52
$\leq 50k$	G	1	0.5	0.5	0.508
$\leq 50k$	G	1	0.5	0.5	-
$> 50k$	B	0	0.5	-0.5	-
$> 50k$	G	1	0.5	0.5	-
$> 50k$	N	1	0.5	0.5	-
$\leq 50k$	N	0	0.5	-0.5	-

Step-3 Again construct dT with all features \hat{y} as target values



Till required no of trees are added

$$\hat{y}/\hat{p} = \sigma \left(\text{Base} + \alpha_1 DT_1 + \alpha_2 DT_2 \dots \alpha_n(D_n) \right)$$

