

hw1

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1. Consider the following training set, in which each example has two tertiary attributes(0, 1, or 2) and one of two possible classes(X or Y).

EXAMPLE	A_1	A_2	CLASS
1	0	1	X
2	2	1	X
3	1	1	X
4	0	2	X
5	1	2	Y
6	2	0	Y

1) What feature would be chosen for the split at the root of a decision tree using the information gain criterion? Show the details. (Note: we split attributes at each value of the attributes, for example, $A_1 = 0$, $A_1 = 1$, $A_1 = 2$)

$$Ent(D) = - \sum_{k=1}^{|Y|} p_k \log_2 p_k = -\frac{1}{3} \times \log_2 \frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \times \log_2 \frac{2}{3} = \log_2 3 - \frac{2}{3}$$

$$Gain(D, a) = Ent(D) - \sum_{v=1}^V \frac{|D^v|}{|D|} Ent(D^v)$$

$$Gain(D, A_1) = (\log_2 3 - \frac{2}{3}) - (0 - \frac{1}{3} \times (\frac{1}{2} \times \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \times \log_2 \frac{1}{2}) - \frac{1}{3} \times (\frac{1}{2} \times \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \times \log_2 \frac{1}{2}))$$

$$Gain(D, A_2) = (\log_2 3 - \frac{2}{3}) - (0 - \frac{2}{6} \times (\frac{1}{2} \times \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \times \log_2 \frac{1}{2}) - 0) = \log_2 3 - 1$$

$$Gain(D, A_2) > Gain(D, A_1)$$

So choose A_2 .

2) What would the Naive Bayes algorithm predict for the class of the following new example? Show the details of the solution.

$$P(Class|A_1, A_2) = \frac{P(Class)}{P(A_1, A_2)} \times P(A_1|Class) \times P(A_2|Class)$$

$$P(Class = X) = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$P(Class = Y) = \frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(A_1 = 2, A_2 = 2) = P(A_1 = 2) \times P(A_2 = 2) = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$P(A_1 = 2|Class = X) = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P(A_1 = 2|Class = Y) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(A_2 = 2|Class = X) = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P(A_2 = 2|Class = Y) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(Class = X|A_1 = 2, A_2 = 2) &= \frac{P(Class = X)}{P(A_1 = 2, A_2 = 2)} \times P(A_1 = 2|Class = X) \times P(A_2 = 2|Class = X) \\ &= \frac{\frac{2}{3}}{\frac{1}{9}} \times \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} \\ &= \frac{3}{8} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(Class = Y|A_1 = 2, A_2 = 2) &= \frac{P(Class = Y)}{P(A_1 = 2, A_2 = 2)} \times P(A_1 = 2|Class = Y) \times P(A_2 = 2|Class = Y) \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{\frac{1}{9}} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$P(Class = Y|A_1 = 2, A_2 = 2) > P(Class = X|A_1 = 2, A_2 = 2)$$

So Naive Bayes algorithm will predict Y for it.

3) Draw the decision boundaries for the nearest neighbor algorithm assuming that we are using standard Euclidean distance to compute the nearest neighbors.

3. Suppose we are given a dataset $D = \{(x^{(1)}, r^{(1)}), \dots, (x^{(N)}, r^{(N)})\}$ and aim to learn some patterns using the following algorithms. Match the update rule for each algorithm.

A - 3

B - 3

C - 3