

# PA2

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## 1 PA2 - ID3 Decision Tree

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### Necessary Imports

```
[1]: %load_ext autoreload
      %autoreload 2
      import numpy as np
      import pandas as pd
      import ID3 as pa2
      from scipy.stats import entropy
      from scipy import stats
      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

### Import Data

```
[2]: training = pa2.loadData('pa2train.txt')
      validation = pa2.loadData('pa2validation.txt')
      test = pa2.loadData('pa2test.txt')
```

### Training, without Pruning

```
[3]: tree = pa2.id3()
```

Created a new ID3 tree

```
[4]: %time tree.fit(training)
```

Wall time: 15.9 s

1) **Visualizing resulted Tree** Below is my representation of the tree

Number of **tabs** indicates which level the node is at.

For non leaves: (label)[rule](# of data in this node)

For leaves: (label)[predicted label](# of data in this node)

```
[5]: # If root does not count as a level
      print(tree.printTreeAt(3))
```

```
(root)[is feature at 5 < 0.5?](num_data:2000)
  (yes)[is feature at 1 < 415000.0?](num_data:1319)
    (yes)[is feature at 17 < 2506.5?](num_data:1284)
    (no)[is feature at 21 < 208.0?](num_data:35)
  (no)[is feature at 5 < 1.5?](num_data:681)
    (yes)[is feature at 20 < 584.5?](num_data:292)
    (no)[is feature at 21 < 2006.0?](num_data:389)
```

## 2) Validation/Test Errors Validation Error:

```
[6]: tree.error(validation)
```

```
[6]: 0.179
```

Test Error:

```
[7]: tree.error(test)
```

```
[7]: 0.173
```

## 3) Pruning decision tree with Greedy approach in BFS order Prune 1 and 2 nodes with validation/test errors:

```
[8]: tree.pruneTree(validation, test, 2)
```

```
Pruned 1 time(s) with error:
  Validation error: 0.122
  Test error: 0.117
Pruned 2 time(s) with error:
  Validation error: 0.107
  Test error: 0.103
```

Tree after two pruned nodes:

```
[9]: print(tree.printTree())
```

```
(root)[is feature at 5 < 0.5?](num_data:2000)
  (yes)[0.0](num_data:1319)
  (no)[1.0](num_data:681)
```

4) **Most prominent feature:** The most prominent feature must be the feature selected as threshold at root.

```
[10]: features_name = open('pa2features.txt')
      features_name.seek(0)
      columns = features_name.read().split('\n')[:-1]
```

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[11]: columns[tree.root.feature]
```

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[11]: 'PAYMENT_DELAY_SEPTMBER'
```

Done.