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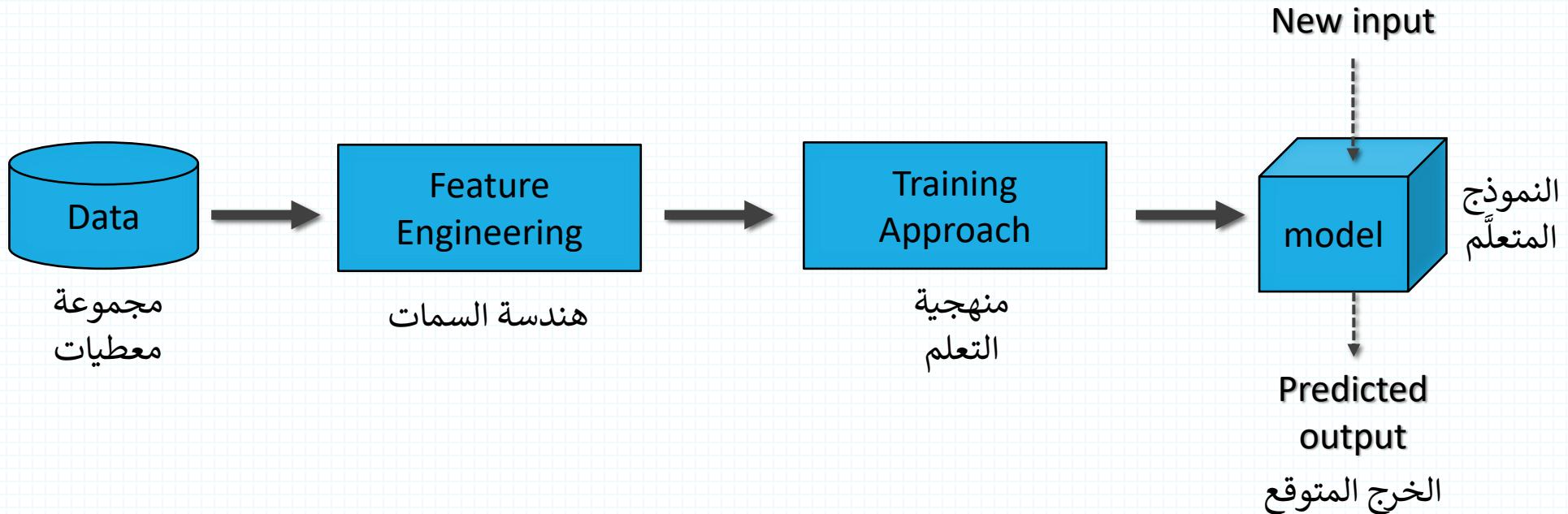
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# أشجار القرار 2

## Decision Tree 2

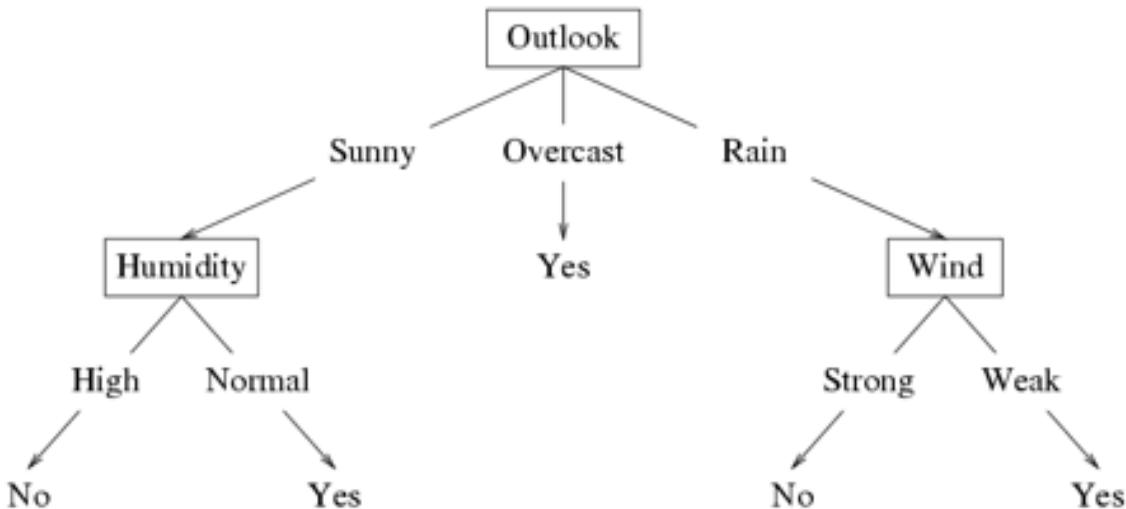
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# Traditional ML Pipeline



# Decision Tree Hypothesis Space

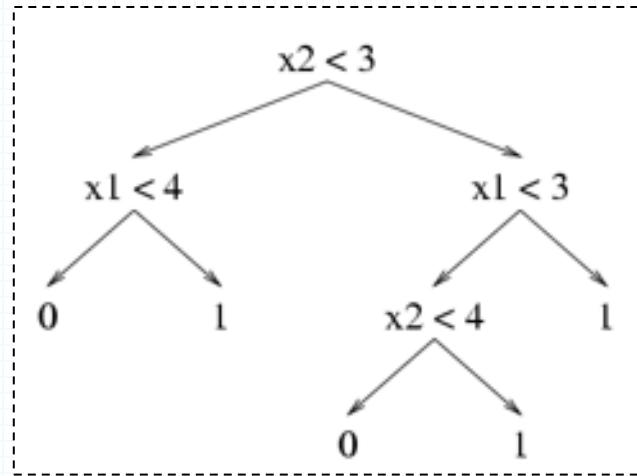
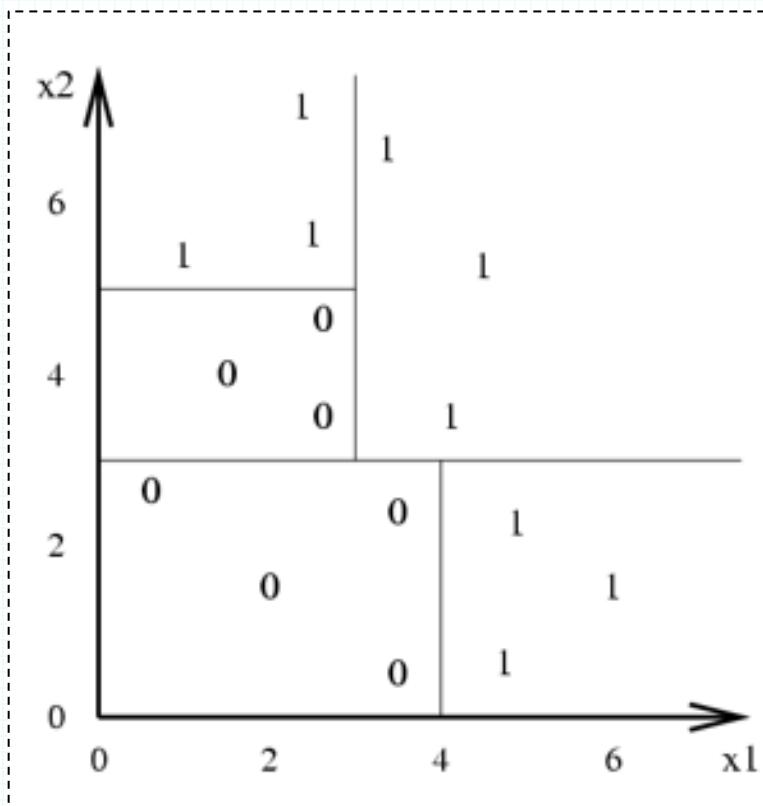
- Internal nodes test the value of particular features  $x_i$  and branch according to the results of the test.
- Leaf nodes specify the class.



Suppose the features are **Outlook** ( $x_1$ ), **Temperature** ( $x_2$ ), **Humidity** ( $x_3$ ), and **Wind** ( $x_4$ ). Then the feature vector  $\mathbf{x} = (\text{Sunny}, \text{Hot}, \text{High}, \text{Strong})$  will be classified as **No**. The **Temperature** feature is irrelevant.

# Decision Tree Decision Boundaries

- Decision trees divide the feature space into axis-parallel rectangles, and label each rectangle with one of the K class.



- Advantages:
  - explicit relationship among features
  - human interpretable model
- Limitations?

# Learning Algorithm for Decision Trees

$$S = \{(\mathbf{x}_1, y_1), \dots, (\mathbf{x}_N, y_N)\}$$

$$\mathbf{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_d)$$

$$x_j, y \in \{0, 1\}$$

GROWTREE( $S$ )

**if** ( $y = 0$  for all  $\langle \mathbf{x}, y \rangle \in S$ ) **return** new leaf(0)

**else if** ( $y = 1$  for all  $\langle \mathbf{x}, y \rangle \in S$ ) **return** new leaf(1)

**else**

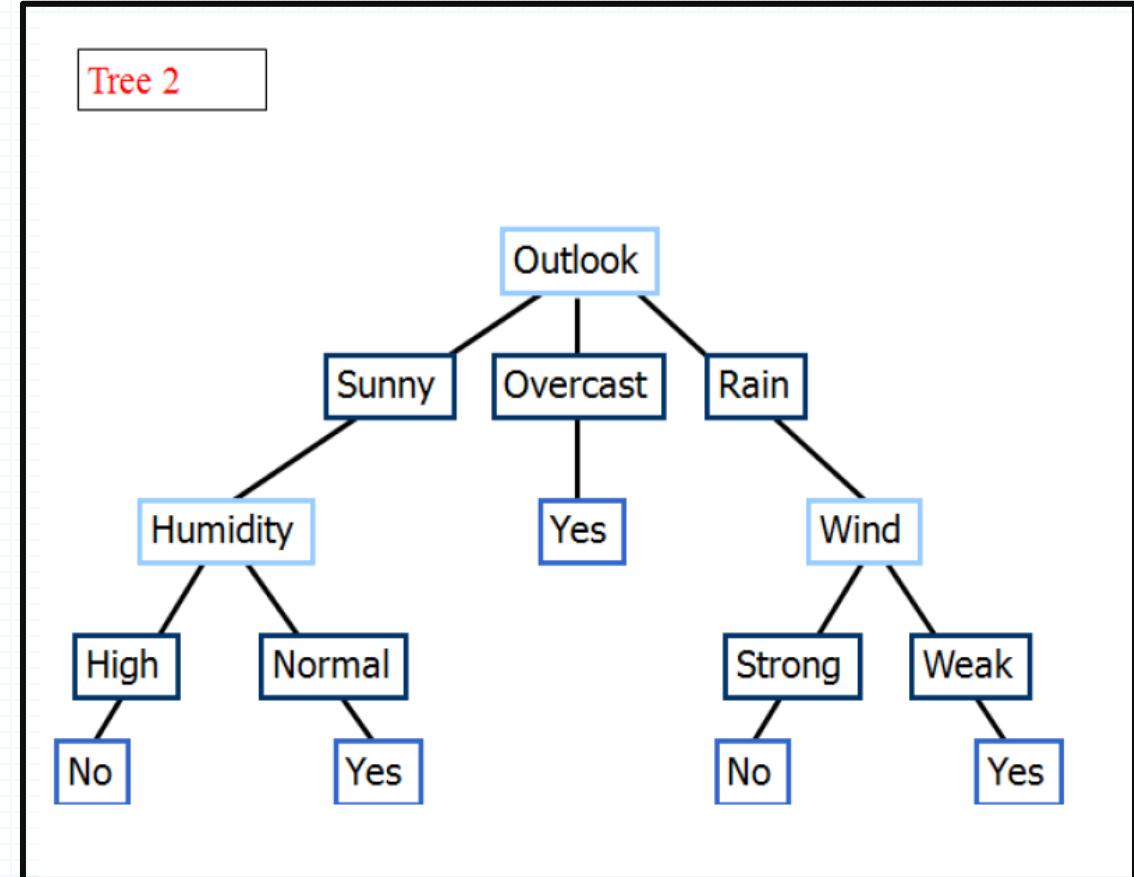
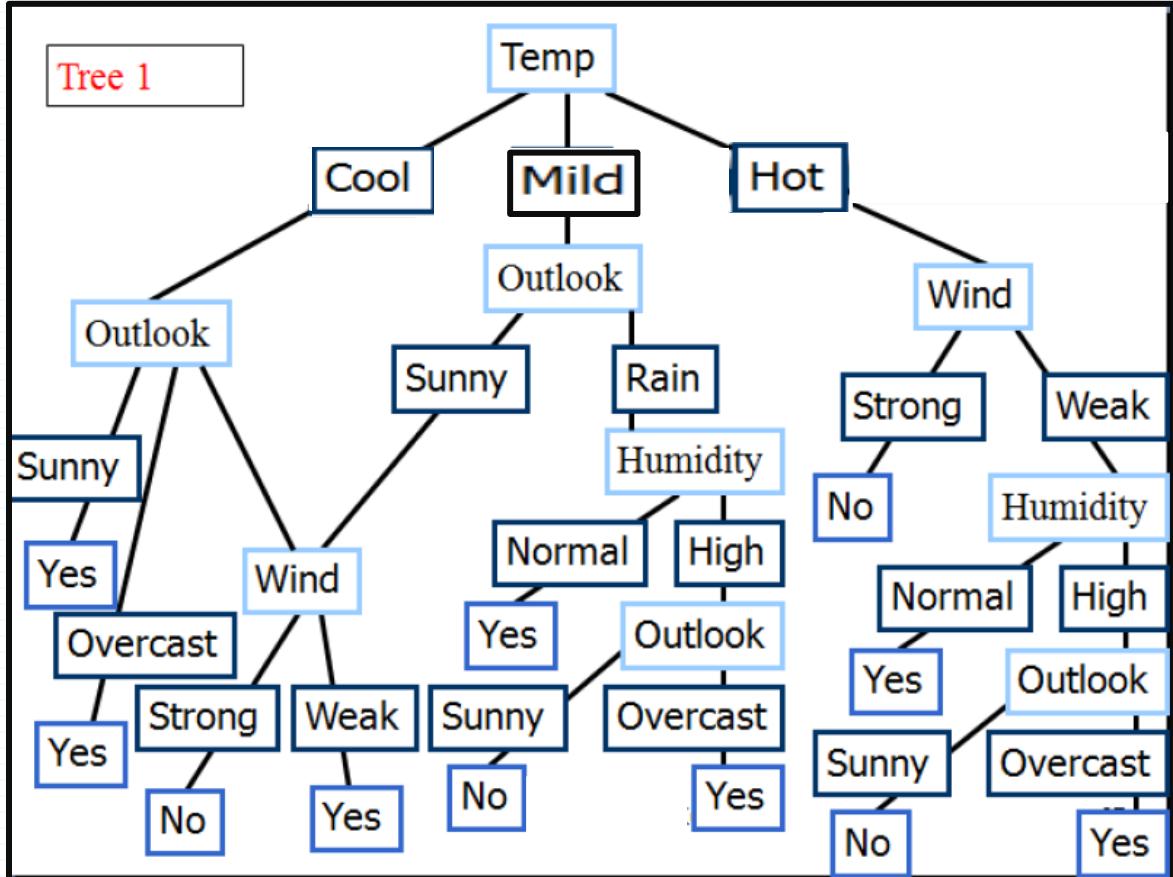
choose best attribute  $x_j$

$S_0 = \text{all } \langle \mathbf{x}, y \rangle \in S \text{ with } x_j = 0;$

$S_1 = \text{all } \langle \mathbf{x}, y \rangle \in S \text{ with } x_j = 1;$

**return** new node( $x_j$ , GROWTREE( $S_0$ ), GROWTREE( $S_1$ ))

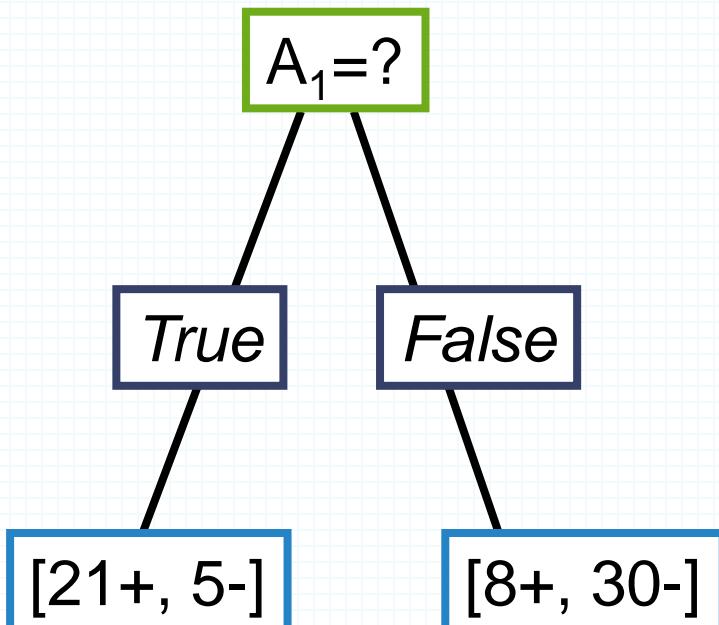
# Which Attribute is "best"?



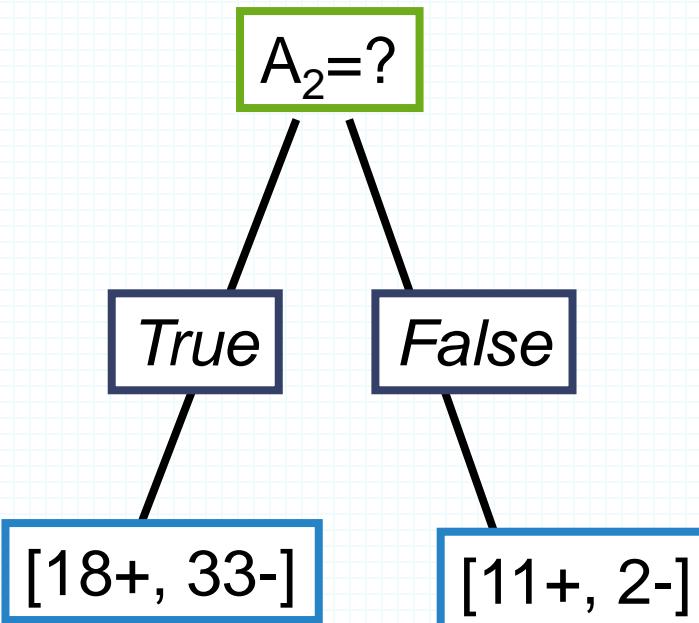
# Which Attribute is "best"?

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[29+,35-]



[29+,35-]



# Using Absolute error

**CHOOSEBESTATTRIBUTE(S)**

choose  $j$  to minimize  $J_j$ , computed as follows:

$S_0$  = all  $\langle \mathbf{x}, y \rangle \in S$  with  $x_j = 0$ ;

$S_1$  = all  $\langle \mathbf{x}, y \rangle \in S$  with  $x_j = 1$ ;

$y_0$  = the most common value of  $y$  in  $S_0$

$y_1$  = the most common value of  $y$  in  $S_1$

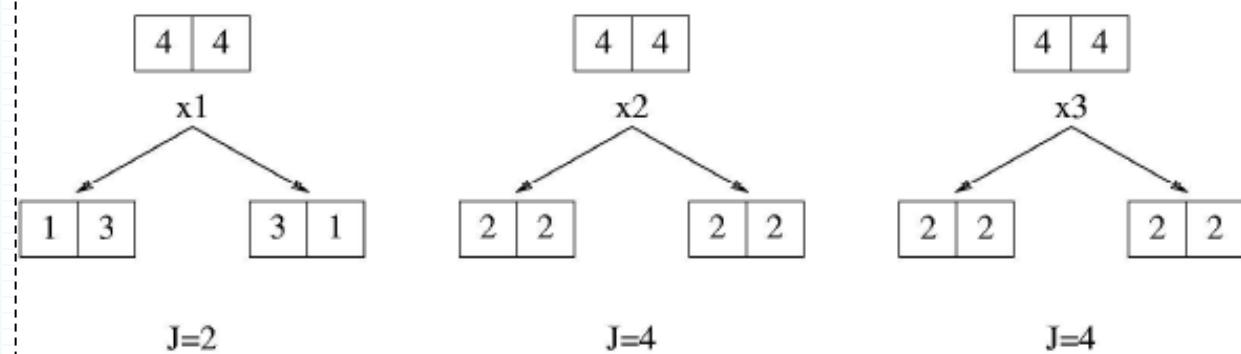
$J_0$  = number of examples  $\langle \mathbf{x}, y \rangle \in S_0$  with  $y \neq y_0$

$J_1$  = number of examples  $\langle \mathbf{x}, y \rangle \in S_1$  with  $y \neq y_1$

$J_j = J_0 + J_1$  (total errors if we split on this feature)

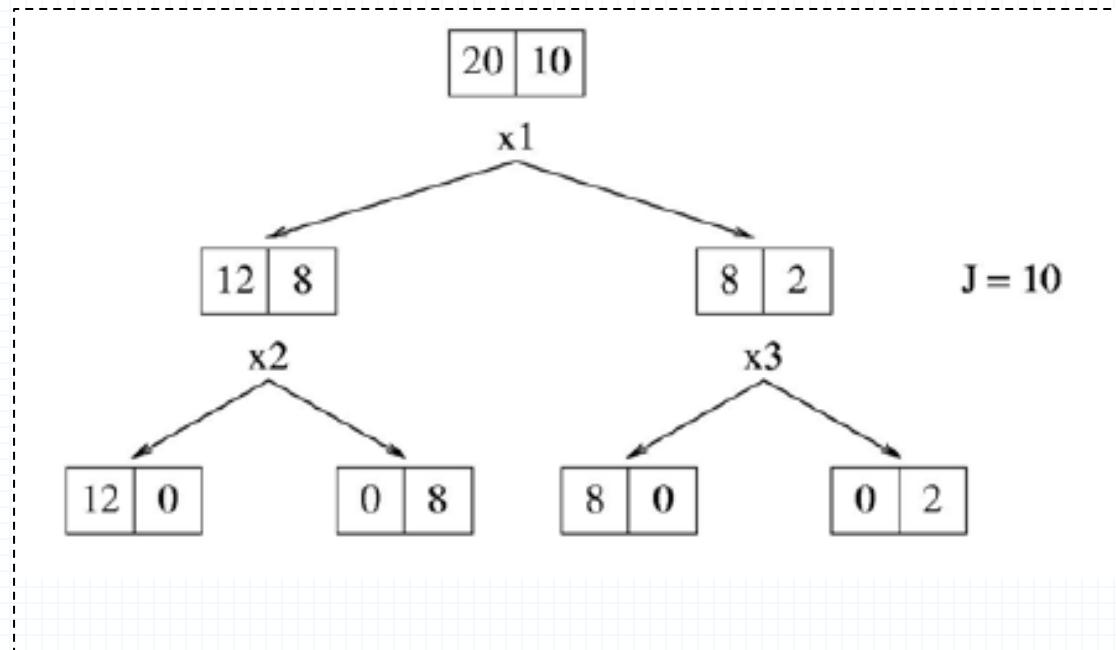
**return  $j$**

$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$	$y$
0	0	0	1
0	0	1	0
0	1	0	1
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	0

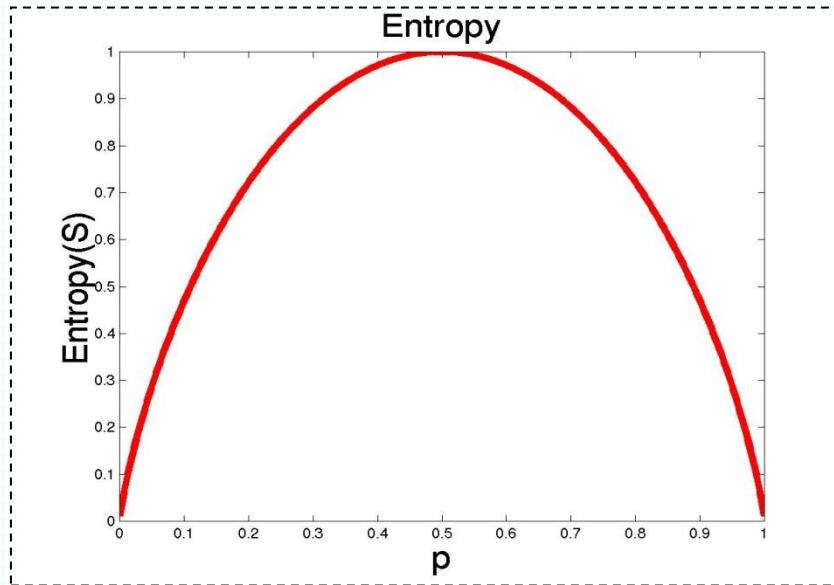


# Using Absolute error

BUT...



# Entropy



- $S$  is a sample of training examples
- $p_+$  is the proportion of positive examples
- $p_-$  is the proportion of negative examples
- Entropy measures the impurity of  $S$

$$\text{Entropy}(S) = -p_+ \log_2 p_+ - p_- \log_2 p_-$$

# Information Gain

$$\text{Entropy}([21+, 5-]) = 0.71$$

$$\text{Entropy}([8+, 30-]) = 0.74$$

$$\text{Gain}(S, A_1) = \text{Entropy}(S)$$

$$-26/64 * \text{Entropy}([21+, 5-])$$

$$-38/64 * \text{Entropy}([8+, 30-])$$

$$= 0.27$$

$$\text{Entropy}([18+, 33-]) = 0.94$$

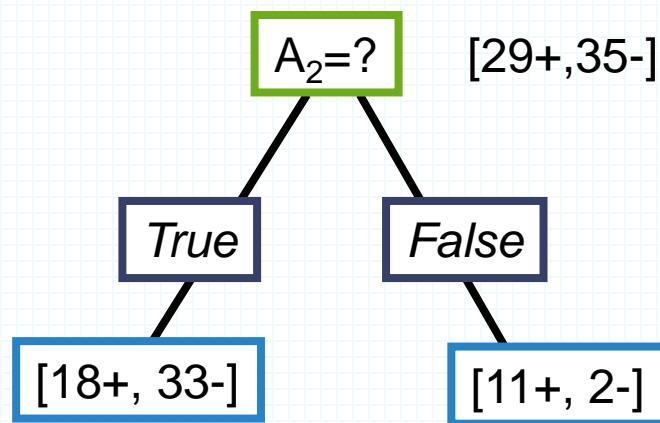
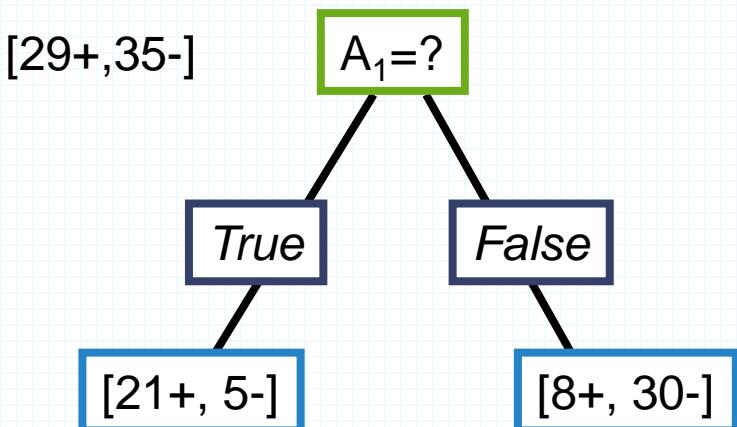
$$\text{Entropy}([8+, 30-]) = 0.62$$

$$\text{Gain}(S, A_2) = \text{Entropy}(S)$$

$$-51/64 * \text{Entropy}([18+, 33-])$$

$$-13/64 * \text{Entropy}([11+, 2-])$$

$$= 0.12$$



# Training Examples

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Day	Outlook	Temp.	Humidity	Wind	Play Tennis
D1	Sunny	Hot	High	Weak	No
D2	Sunny	Hot	High	Strong	No
D3	Overcast	Hot	High	Weak	Yes
D4	Rain	Mild	High	Weak	Yes
D5	Rain	Cool	Normal	Weak	Yes
D6	Rain	Cool	Normal	Strong	No
D7	Overcast	Cool	Normal	Weak	Yes
D8	Sunny	Mild	High	Weak	No
D9	Sunny	Cool	Normal	Weak	Yes
D10	Rain	Mild	Normal	Strong	Yes
D11	Sunny	Mild	Normal	Strong	Yes
D12	Overcast	Mild	High	Strong	Yes
D13	Overcast	Hot	Normal	Weak	Yes
D14	Rain	Mild	High	Strong	No

# Selecting the Next Attribute

$$S=[9+, 5-]$$

$$E=0.940$$

Humidity

High

[3+, 4-]

Normal

[6+, 1-]

$$E=0.985$$

Gain(S, Humidity)

$$=0.940 - (7/14) * 0.985$$

$$- (7/14) * 0.592$$

$$=0.151$$

$$S=[9+, 5-]$$

$$E=0.940$$

Wind

Weak

[6+, 2-]

Strong

[3+, 3-]

$$E=0.811$$

Gain(S, Wind)

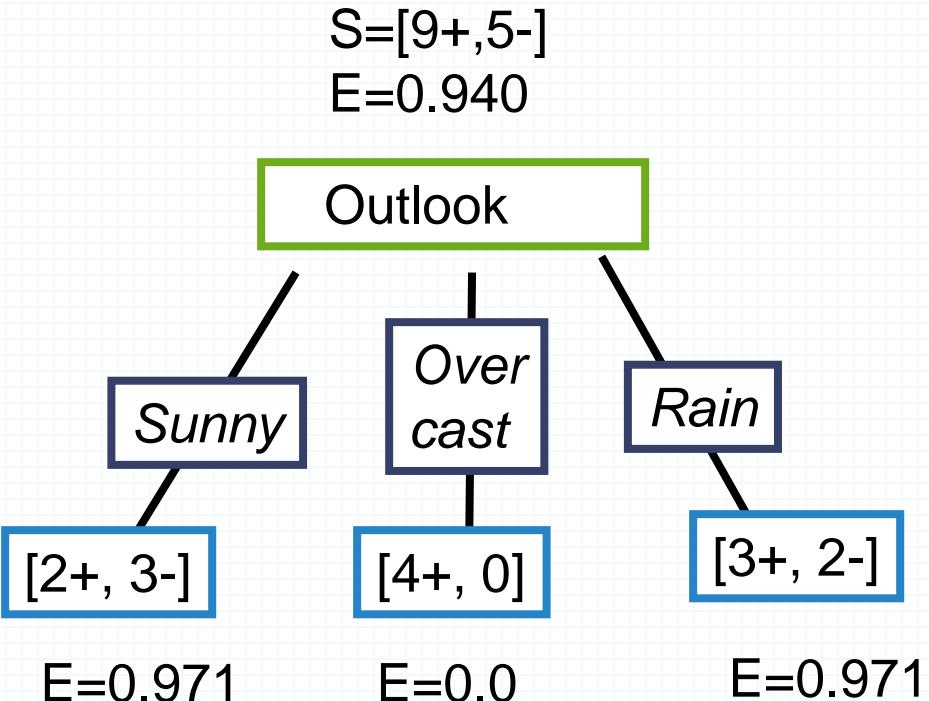
$$=0.940 - (8/14) * 0.811$$

$$- (6/14) * 1.0$$

$$=0.048$$

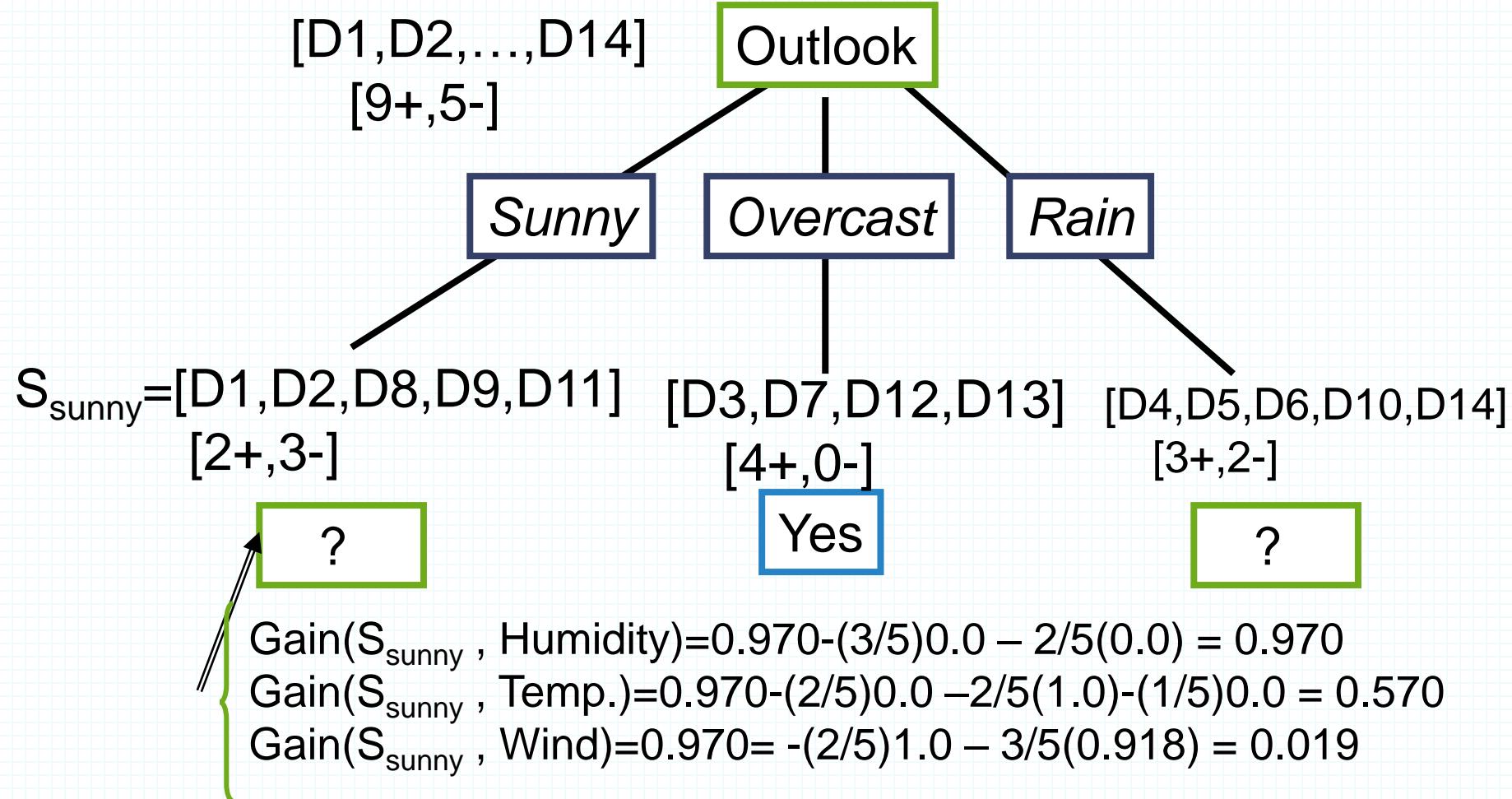
# Selecting the Next Attribute

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Gain}(S, \text{Outlook}) &= 0.940 - (5/14) * 0.971 \\ &\quad - (4/14) * 0.0 - (5/14) * 0.0971 \\ &= 0.247 \end{aligned}$$

# ID3 Algorithm



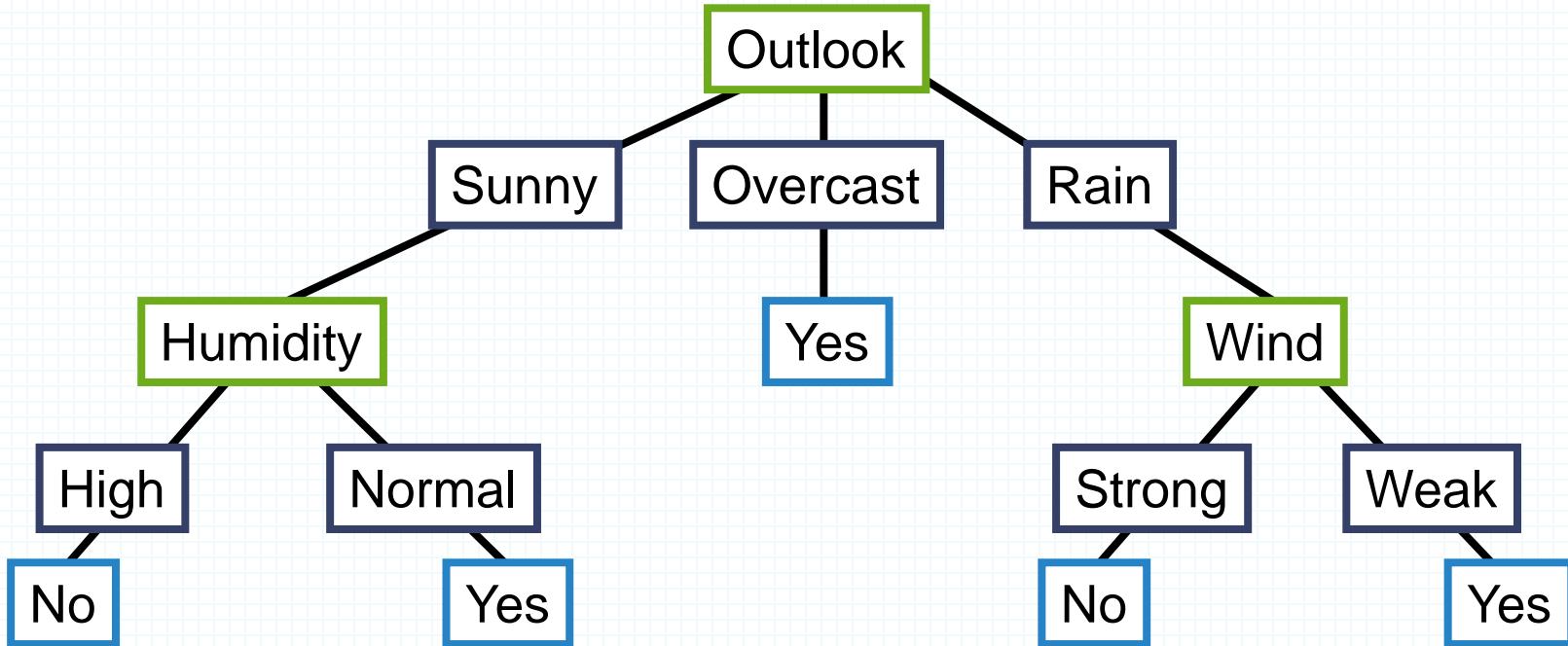
# When should we stop

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- All samples for a given node belong to the same class.
- There are no remaining attributes for further partitioning.
- There are no samples left

# Converting a Tree to Rules

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- R<sub>1</sub>: If (Outlook=Sunny)  $\wedge$  (Humidity=High) Then PlayTennis>No
- R<sub>2</sub>: If (Outlook=Sunny)  $\wedge$  (Humidity=Normal) Then PlayTennis>Yes
- R<sub>3</sub>: If (Outlook=Overcast) Then PlayTennis>Yes
- R<sub>4</sub>: If (Outlook=Rain)  $\wedge$  (Wind=Strong) Then PlayTennis>No
- R<sub>5</sub>: If (Outlook=Rain)  $\wedge$  (Wind=Weak) Then PlayTennis>Yes