

Artificial Intelligence – Assignment 5

1. [25 pts.] Assume that you are given the set of labeled training examples below, where each of three features has four possible values: a, b, c, or d. You choose to apply the ID3 decision tree induction algorithm to this data.

	F1	F2	F3	Output
ex1	a	a	b	-
ex2	b	c	d	+
ex3	b	b	a	+
ex4	c	c	a	-
ex5	a	a	b	+
ex6	c	d	c	-
ex7	c	b	d	-

$$\Rightarrow 1. \quad I(T) = \sum_{i=1}^{\{k\}} \left[\frac{|T_{C_i}|}{T} \right] X \log_2 \frac{|T_{C_i}|}{T}$$

$$I(T) = -3/7 \log_2 3/7 - 4/7 \log_2 4/7 = 0.523 + 0.461 = 0.984$$

2. Test F1:

1. $I(T_{\{F1 \leftarrow a\}}) = -1/2 \log_2 1/2 - 1/2 \log_2 1/2 = 1/2 + 1/2 = 1$
2. $I(T_{\{F1 \leftarrow b\}}) = -2/2 \log_2 2/2 = 0$
3. $I(T_{\{F1 \leftarrow c\}}) = -0/3 \log_2 0/3 = 0$

$$I(F1, T) = 2/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F1 \leftarrow a\}}) + 2/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F1 \leftarrow b\}}) + 3/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F1 \leftarrow c\}})$$

$$= 2/7 \cdot 1 + 0 + 0$$

$$= 0.285$$

$$\text{Gain} = I(T) - I(F1, T) = 0.984 - 0.285 = 0.699$$

3. Test F2:

1. $I(T_{\{F2 \leftarrow a\}}) = -1/2 \log_2 1/2 - 1/2 \log_2 1/2 = 1/2 + 1/2 = 1$
2. $I(T_{\{F2 \leftarrow b\}}) = -1/2 \log_2 1/2 - 1/2 \log_2 1/2 = 1/2 + 1/2 = 1$
3. $I(T_{\{F2 \leftarrow c\}}) = -1/2 \log_2 1/2 - 1/2 \log_2 1/2 = 1/2 + 1/2 = 1$
4. $I(T_{\{F2 \leftarrow d\}}) = -0/1 \log_2 0/1 = 0$

$$I(F2, T) = 2/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F2 \leftarrow a\}}) + 2/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F2 \leftarrow b\}}) + 2/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F2 \leftarrow c\}}) + 1/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F2 \leftarrow d\}})$$

$$= 2/7 \cdot 1 + 2/7 \cdot 1 + 2/7 \cdot 1 + 1/7 \cdot 0$$

$$= 0.857$$

$$\text{Gain} = I(T) - I(F2, T) = 0.984 - 0.857 = 0.127$$

4. Test F3:

$$1. I(T_{\{F3 \leftarrow a\}}) = -1/2 \log_2 1/2 - 1/2 \log_2 1/2 = 1/2 + 1/2 = 1$$

$$2. I(T_{\{F3 \leftarrow b\}}) = -1/2 \log_2 1/2 - 1/2 \log_2 1/2 = 1/2 + 1/2 = 1$$

$$3. I(T_{\{F3 \leftarrow c\}}) = -0/1 \log_2 0/1 = 0$$

$$4. I(T_{\{F3 \leftarrow d\}}) = -1/2 \log_2 1/2 - 1/2 \log_2 1/2 = 1/2 + 1/2 = 1$$

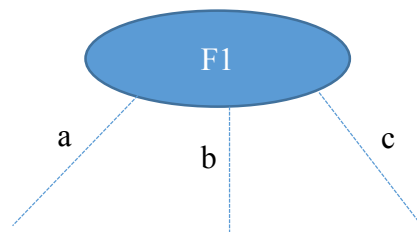
$$I(F3, T) = 2/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F3 \leftarrow a\}}) + 2/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F3 \leftarrow b\}}) + 0/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F3 \leftarrow c\}}) + 2/7 \cdot I(T_{\{F3 \leftarrow d\}}) \\ = 2/7 \cdot 1 + 2/7 \cdot 1 + 0 + 2/7 \cdot 1 = 6/7 = 0.857$$

$$\text{Gain} = I(T) - I(F3, T) = 0.984 - 0.857 = 0.127$$

Comparing Gains:

$$\text{Gain}(F1) > \text{Gain}(F2) = \text{Gain}(F3) :- 0.699 > 0.127 = 0.127$$

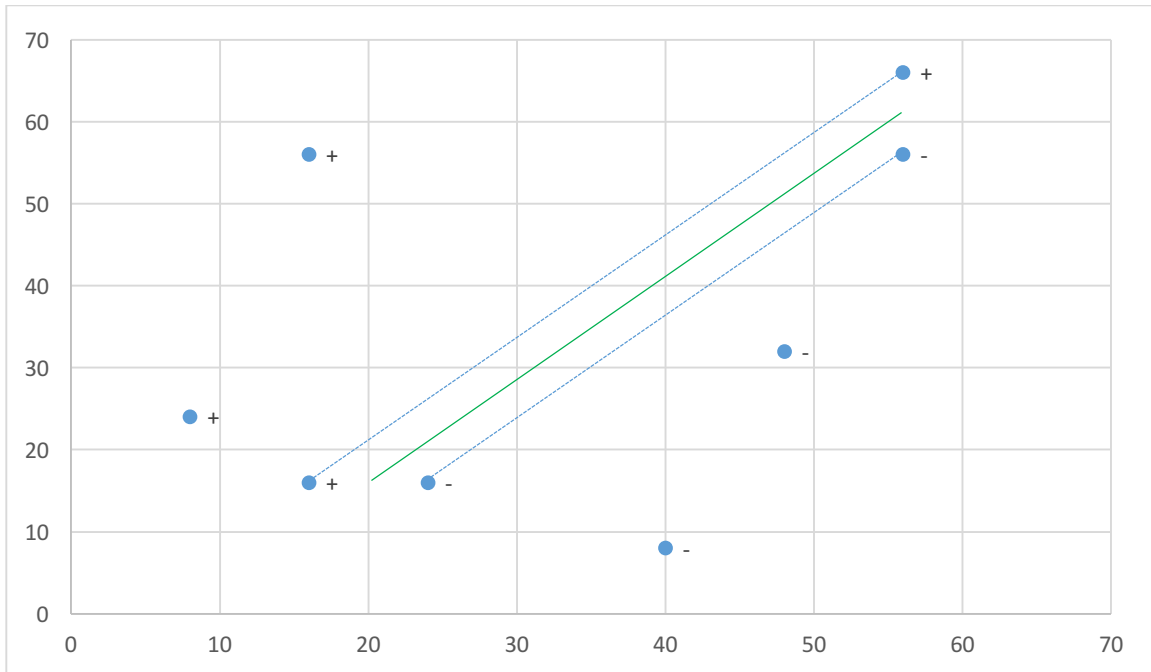
Hence the root attribute can be selected as F1 as it has the maximum gain.



2. [25 pts.] Derive the equation for the maximum margin separating hyperplane that a Support Vector Machine would find to classify the following set of points.

- **Positive:** (56,66), (16,16), (16,56), (8,24)
- **Negative:** (48,32), (40,8), (24,16), (56,56)

⇒ To get the maximum margin separating hyperplane found by Support Vector Machine(SVM), we need to find the examples in both the sets which are nearest to each other. Calculating the distance between each –ve class example with each +ve class example, we get to the conclusion that.



$+(16,16)$ and $-(24,16)$ have a distance between them which equals 8 units.

$+(56, 66)$ and $-(56,56)$ have a distance between them which equals 10 units and these 2 are the 2 examples from each class which are closest to each other.

Consider a line passing through the two positive examples $(16,16)$ and $-(24,16)$. Then the equation of this line would be:

$$y - y_1 = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 66 = \frac{16 - 66}{16 - 56}(x - 56)$$

$$4y = 5x - 16$$

Now consider another line passing through the two negative examples $(24,16)$ and $(56,56)$. Then the equation of this line would be:

$$y - y_1 = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 56 = \frac{16 - 56}{24 - 56}(x - 56)$$

$$4y = 5x - 56$$

The maximum margin separating hyperplane will be the line equidistant and parallel to the 2 lines.

$$\frac{4y - 5x + 56}{\sqrt{16 + 25}} = \frac{4y - 5x + 16}{\sqrt{16 + 25}}$$

$$8y - 10x + 72 = 0$$

$$4y - 5x + 36 = 0$$

Hence, the equation of the maximum margin separating hyperplane is $4y - 5x + 36 = 0$.

3. [25 pts.] Consider a neuron with two inputs, one output, and a threshold activation function. If the two weights are $w_1 = 1$ and $w_2 = 1$, and the bias is $b = -1.5$, then what is the output for input (0,0)? What about for inputs (1,0), (0,1), and (1,1)? Draw the discriminant function for this neuron, and write down its equation. Does it correspond to any particular logic gate?

⇒ We have the following set of input sets:

(0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 0) and (1, 1).

We are also given a couple of weights:

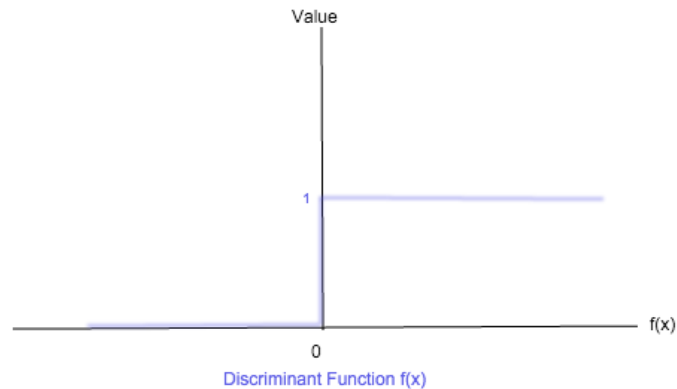
$W_1 = 1$, $W_2 = 1$.

and a bias:

$B = -1.5$

I1	I2	Value($\sum IW + B$)	O/P(Threshold = 0)
0	0	-1.5	0
1	0	-0.5	0
0	1	-0.5	0
1	1	0.5	1

$$\text{Discriminant Function } f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } value \leq 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } value > 0 \end{cases}$$



4. [25 pts.] Suppose you are running a learning experiment on a new algorithm for Boolean classification. You have a data set consisting of 100 positive examples and 100 negative examples. You plan to use leave-one-out cross-validation and compare your algorithm to a baseline function, a simple majority classifier that outputs the class that is in the majority in the training set, regardless of its input. You expect the majority classifier to score about 50% on leave-one-out, but to your surprise, it scores zero every time. Explain why.

⇒ Each time we run the algorithm, an example is selected from the 100 positive examples and 100 negative examples, randomly. This is used for the test set and the rest of the examples are used for the training set. So assuming, the algorithm chose a positive example from the data set for the test set.

The test set will have only one example which would be positive and the majority classifier will give an output as positive. But the same majority classifier will give a negative output in the training set because there are 100 negative examples and 99 positive examples. Hence the output for the test set will always be different from the output in training set and hence majority classifier will score 0 always.

