# Lab Assignment 6 - Decision Trees

In this lab exercise, you will learn a popular machine learning algorithm, Decision Tree. You will use this classification algorithm to build a model from historical data of patients, and their respond to different medications. Then you use the trained decision tree to predict the class of a unknown patient, or to find a proper drug for a new patient.

Import the Following Libraries:

- numpy (as np)
- pandas
- · DecisionTreeClassifier from sklearn.tree

```
1 import numpy as np
2 import pandas as pd
3 from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
```

#### About dataset

Imagine that you are a medical researcher compiling data for a study. You have collected data about a set of patients, all of whom suffered from the same illness. During their course of treatment, each patient responded to one of 5 medications, Drug A, Drug B, Drug c, Drug x and y.

Part of your job is to build a model to find out which drug might be appropriate for a future patient with the same illness. The feature sets of this dataset are Age, Sex, Blood Pressure, and Cholesterol of patients, and the target is the drug that each patient responded to.

It is a sample of binary classifier, and you can use the training part of the dataset to build a decision tree, and then use it to predict the class of a unknown patient, or to prescribe it to a new patient.

now, read data using pandas dataframe:

```
1 my_data = pd.read_csv("/content/drug200.csv", delimiter=",")
2 my_data[0:5]
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        Age Sex
                       BP Cholesterol Na_to_K
                                                 Drug
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     0
         23
              F
                     HIGH
                                 HIGH
                                         25.355 drugY
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                                         13.093 drugC
                     LOW
                                 HIGH
     1
         47
              M
                                         10.114 drugC
         47
              Μ
                     LOW
                                 HIGH
     3
              F
                NORMAL
                                 HIGH
                                          7.798 drugX
         28
                     LOW
                                 HIGH
                                         18.043 drugY
         61
```

#### Practice

What is the size of data?

```
1 # write your code here
2 data_size = my_data.size
3 print("The size of this data is: ",data_size)
The size of this data is: 1200
```

### Pre-processing

Using my\_data as the Drug.csv data read by pandas, declare the following variables:

- · X as the Feature Matrix (data of my\_data)
- y as the response vector (target)

Remove the column containing the target name since it doesn't contain numeric values.

```
1 X = my_data[['Age', 'Sex', 'BP', 'Cholesterol', 'Na_to_K']].values
2 X[0:5]
```

As you may figure out, some featurs in this dataset are catergorical such as **Sex** or **BP**. Unfortunately, Sklearn Decision Trees do not handle categorical variables. But still we can convert these features to numerical values. **pandas.get\_dummies()** Convert categorical variable into dummy/indicator variables.

```
1 from sklearn import preprocessing
 2 le_sex = preprocessing.LabelEncoder()
 3 le_sex.fit(['F','M'])
4 X[:,1] = le_sex.transform(X[:,1])
7 le_BP = preprocessing.LabelEncoder()
8 le_BP.fit([ 'LOW', 'NORMAL', 'HIGH'])
9 X[:,2] = le_BP.transform(X[:,2])
10
11
12 le_Chol = preprocessing.LabelEncoder()
13 le_Chol.fit([ 'NORMAL', 'HIGH'])
14 X[:,3] = le_Chol.transform(X[:,3])
15
16 X[0:5]
17
    array([[23, 0, 0, 0, 25.355],
            [47, 1, 1, 0, 13.093],
            [47, 1, 1, 0, 10.114],
            [28, 0, 2, 0, 7.798],
            [61, 0, 1, 0, 18.043]], dtype=object)
```

Now we can fill the target variable.

#### Setting up the Decision Tree

We will be using train/test split on our decision tree. Let's import train\_test\_split from sklearn.cross\_validation.

```
1 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
```

Now train\_test\_split will return 4 different parameters. We will name them:

 $X_{trainset}$ ,  $X_{testset}$ ,  $y_{trainset}$ ,  $y_{testset}$ 

The  $train\_test\_split$  will need the parameters:

X, y,  $test\_size=0.3$ , and  $random\_state=3$ .

The **X** and **y** are the arrays required before the split, the **test\_size** represents the ratio of the testing dataset, and the **random\_state** ensures that we obtain the same splits.

```
1 X_trainset, X_testset, y_trainset, y_testset = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.3, random_state=3)
```

## Practice

Print the shape of X\_trainset and y\_trainset. Ensure that the dimensions match

```
1 # your code
2 print("The X_trainset is: ",X_trainset.shape)
3 print ("The y_trainset is: ",y_trainset.shape)
4
5 if X_trainset.shape[0] == y_trainset.shape[0]:
6    print("Everything is ok, both values from X_trainset and y_trainset are equal")
7 else:
8    print("Error, X_trainset and y_trainset has different values")
```

```
The X_trainset is: (140, 5)
The y_trainset is: (140,)
Everything is ok, both values from X_trainset and y_trainset are equal
```

Print the shape of X\_testset and y\_testset. Ensure that the dimensions match

```
1 # your code
2 print("The X_trainset is: ",X_testset.shape)
3 print ("The y_trainset is: ",y_testset.shape)
4
5 if X_testset.shape[0] == y_testset.shape[0]:
6     print("Everything is ok, both values from X_trainset and y_trainset are equal")
7 else:
8     print("Error, X_trainset and y_trainset has different values")
9
10
```

```
The X_trainset is: (60, 5)
The y_trainset is: (60,)
Everything is ok, both values from X_trainset and y_trainset are equal
```

## Modeling

We will first create an instance of the DecisionTreeClassifier called drugTree.

Inside of the classifier, specify criterion="entropy" so we can see the information gain of each node.

```
1 drugTree = DecisionTreeClassifier(criterion="entropy", max_depth = 4)
2 drugTree # it shows the default parameters

DecisionTreeClassifier
```

```
DecisionTreeClassifier

DecisionTreeClassifier(criterion='entropy', max_depth=4)
```

Next, we will fit the data with the training feature matrix  $\mathbf{X}$ \_trainset and training response vector  $\mathbf{y}$ \_trainset

```
1 drugTree.fit(X_trainset,y_trainset)

DecisionTreeClassifier

DecisionTreeClassifier(criterion='entropy', max_depth=4)
```

## Prediction

Let's make some **predictions** on the testing dataset and store it into a variable called **predTree**.

```
1 predTree = drugTree.predict(X_testset)
```

You can print out predTree and y\_testset if you want to visually compare the prediction to the actual values.

#### Evaluation

Next, let's import metrics from sklearn and check the accuracy of our model.

Accuracy classification score computes subset accuracy: the set of labels predicted for a sample must exactly match the corresponding set of labels in y\_true.

In multilabel classification, the function returns the subset accuracy. If the entire set of predicted labels for a sample strictly match with the true set of labels, then the subset accuracy is 1.0; otherwise it is 0.0.

#### Practice

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Can you calculate the accuracy score without sklearn?

```
1 # your code here
 3 i = y_testset.size
 4 x = 0
 5 \text{ ok} = 0
 6 \text{ fail} = 0
 7 y_testset_comp = np.array(y_testset)
 8 predTree_comp = np.array(predTree)
10 for x in range(0,i):
      if y_testset_comp[x] == predTree_comp[x]:
11
12
           ok = ok + 1
13
       else:
14
           fail = fail + 1
15
16 accuracy = ok/i
17 print(accuracy)
18
```

### Visualization

Lets visualize the tree

```
1 !pip install six

Requirement already satisfied: six in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (1.16.0)
```

```
1 from six import StringIO
2 import pydotplus
3 import matplotlib.image as mpimg
4 from sklearn import tree
5 %matplotlib inline
```

```
1 dot_data = StringIO()
2 filename = "drugtree.png"
3 featureNames = my_data.columns[0:5]
4 targetNames = my_data["Drug"].unique().tolist()
5 out=tree.export_graphviz(drugTree,feature_names=featureNames, out_file=dot_data, class_names= np.unique(y_trainset), filled=True, specific speci
```

