

Assignment 02

Machine Learning

Weka Explorer

Preprocess Classify Cluster Associate Select attributes Visualize

Classifier: Choose **J48 -C 0.25 -M 2**

Test options:
☐ Use training set
☐ Supplied test set Set...
☒ Cross-validation Folds 10
☐ Percentage split % 66
More options...

(Nom) Gender

Start Stop

Result list (right-click for options)
23:58:28 - trees.J48

Classifier output

Scheme: weka.classifiers.trees.J48 -C 0.25 -M 2
Relation: Names
Instances: 91
Attributes: 2
Name
Gender
Test mode: 10-fold cross-validation

=== Classifier model (full training set) ===

J48 pruned tree

: 1 (91.0/45.0)

Number of Leaves : 1
Size of the tree : 1

Time taken to build model: 0 seconds

=== Stratified cross-validation ===
=== Summary ===

Correctly Classified Instances	41	45.0549 %
Incorrectly Classified Instances	50	54.9451 %
Kappa statistic	-0.099	
Mean absolute error	0.5005	
Root mean squared error	0.5006	
Relative absolute error	100.0025 %	
Root relative squared error	100.0031 %	
Total Number of Instances	91	

Status OK

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Weka Classifier Tree Visualizer: 23:58:28 - trees.J48 (Names)

Tree View

1 (91.0/45.0)

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Classifier

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More options...

(Nom) Gender

Start Stop

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00:05:33 - trees.J48

Classifier output

Attributes: 3

Name

Length

Gender

Test mode: 10-fold cross-validation

=== Classifier model (full training set) ===

J48 pruned tree

Length <= 5: 1 (46.0/17.0)

Length > 5: 0 (44.0/16.0)

Number of Leaves : 2

Size of the tree : 3

Time taken to build model: 0 seconds

=== Stratified cross-validation ===

=== Summary ===

Correctly Classified Instances	54	60	%
Incorrectly Classified Instances	36	40	%
Kappa statistic	0.2		
Mean absolute error	0.48		
Root mean squared error	0.4989		
Relative absolute error	95.8734 %		
Root relative squared error	99.6404 %		
Total Number of Instances	90		

Status OK

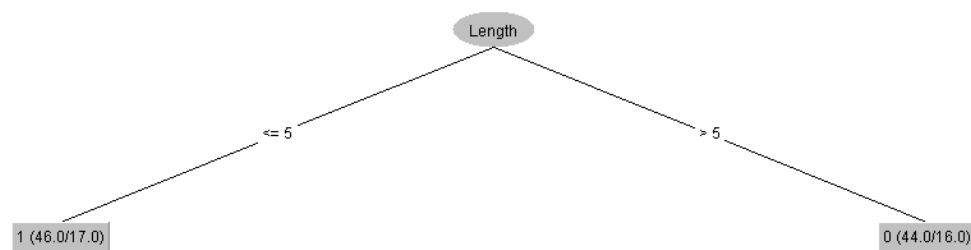
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Weka Classifier Tree Visualizer: 00:43:38 - trees.J48 (Names)

Tree View



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Classifier

Choose J48 -C 0.25 -M 2

Test options

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☐ Supplied test set Set...

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More options...

(Nom) Gender

Start Stop

Result list (right-click for options)

00:20:28 - trees.J48

Classifier output

Attributes: 4

Name

Length

Start_with_vowel

Gender

Test mode: 10-fold cross-validation

=== Classifier model (full training set) ===

J48 pruned tree

Start_with_vowel <= 0: 0 (49.0/9.0)

Start_with_vowel > 0: 1 (42.0/5.0)

Number of Leaves : 2

Size of the tree : 3

Time taken to build model: 0 seconds

=== Stratified cross-validation ===

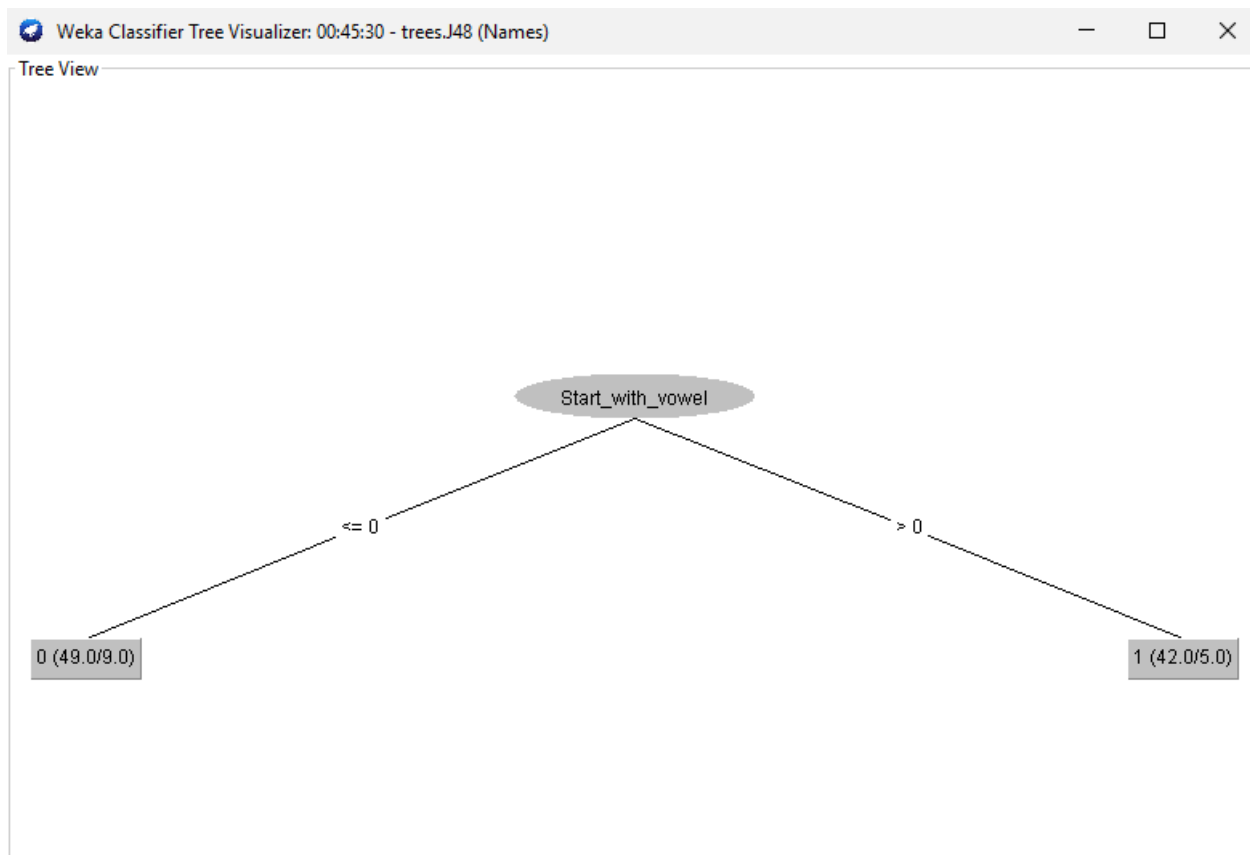
=== Summary ===

Correctly Classified Instances	77	84.6154 %
Incorrectly Classified Instances	14	15.3846 %
Kappa statistic	0.6926	
Mean absolute error	0.2617	
Root mean squared error	0.3651	
Relative absolute error	52.2775 %	
Root relative squared error	72.9424 %	
Total Number of Instances	91	

Status OK

Log

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Weka Explorer

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Classifier

Choose J48 -C 0.25 -M 2

Test options

☐ Use training set

☐ Supplied test set Set...

☒ Cross-validation Folds 10

☐ Percentage split % 66

More options...

(Nom) Gender

Start Stop

Result list (right-click for options)

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Classifier output

Name
Length
Start_with_vowel
Length_even_odd
Gender

Test mode: 10-fold cross-validation

=== Classifier model (full training set) ===

J48 pruned tree

Start_with_vowel <= 0: 0 (49.0/9.0)
Start_with_vowel > 0: 1 (42.0/5.0)

Number of Leaves : 2

Size of the tree : 3

Time taken to build model: 0 seconds

=== Stratified cross-validation ===

=== Summary ===

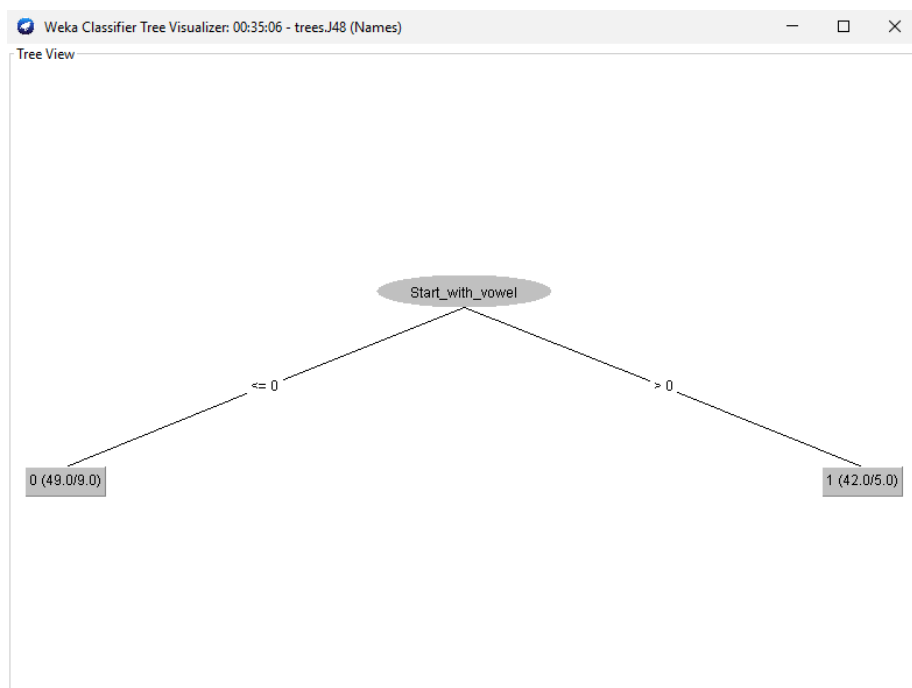
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Running decision tree (J48) algorithm on names data set was quick, and WEKA provided a comprehensive breakdown of the classification results, including the confusion matrix, accuracy, precision, and recall. WEKA explorer also let you preprocess the dataset, you can convert attribute types, add drop attributes, and visualize attributes. Observing the decision tree visually enhanced my understanding of the decision-making process of the model. I also noticed that running J48 strictly requires your dataset's attributes to be of type nominal or numeric. In WEKA, J48 algorithm do not work on string type attribute. Overall, the pipeline offered a clear flow from data preprocessing to model evaluation, making it easier to analyze the strengths and weaknesses of the algorithm. This experience also highlighted the importance of understanding the data and selecting appropriate metrics to assess model performance. The results above clearly indicates that as you increase the number features in a dataset, the accuracy rate of the algorithm also increases. By visualizing the tree, its evident that J48 algorithm chooses most dominant attribute among all the available choices and place it as root node. In case of only single attribute, it selects the one available.