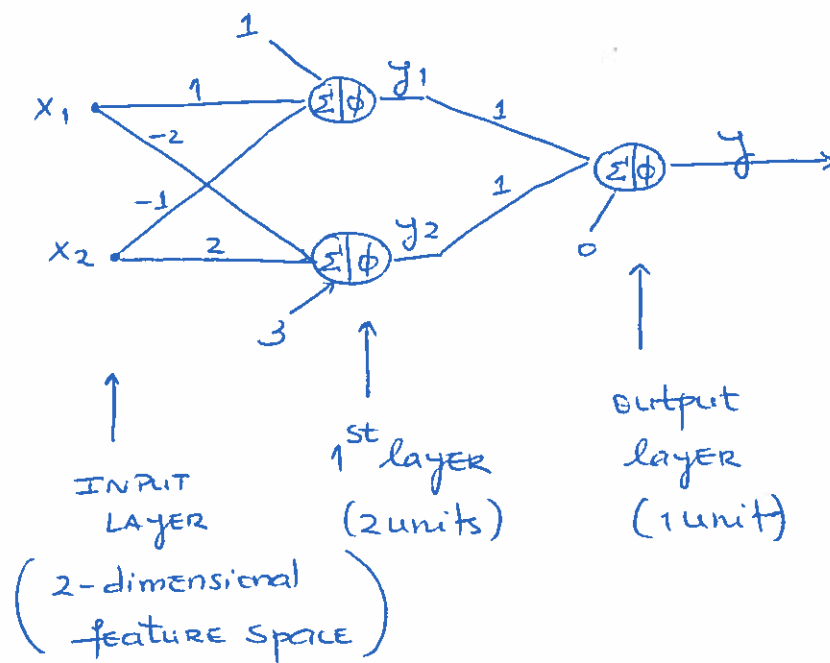


Lecture 15 - Practice Problems

①

$$\phi(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x > 0 \\ -1, & x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$



①.1 $y_1 = \phi(1 \cdot x_1 + (-1) \cdot x_2 + 1)$

$y_2 = \phi(-2 \cdot x_1 + 2 \cdot x_2 + 3)$

$y = \phi(1 \cdot y_1 + 1 \cdot y_2 + 0)$

①.2 • $(x_1, x_2) = (0, 0)$: $y_1 = \phi(1) = 1$
 $y_2 = \phi(3) = 1$
 $y = \phi(2) = 1 \Rightarrow (0, 0) \text{ belongs to class 1}$

• $(x_1, x_2) = (-2, -2.5)$: $y_1 = \phi(1.5) = 1$
 $y_2 = \phi(2) = 1$
 $y = \phi(2) = 1 \Rightarrow (-2, -2.5) \text{ belongs to class 1}$

• $(x_1, x_2) = (-5, 5)$: $y_1 = \phi(-9) = 0$
 $y_2 = \phi(23) = 1$
 $y = \phi(1) = 1 \Rightarrow (-5, 5) \text{ belongs to class 1}$

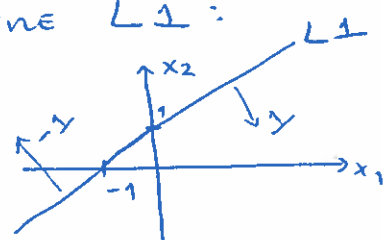
- $(x_1, x_2) = (10, 3)$: $y_1 = \phi(8) = 1$
 $y_2 = \phi(-11) = 0$
 $y = \phi(1) = 1 \Rightarrow (10, 3) \text{ belongs to class } 1$

1.3 Each unit in the first layer of a network is "drawing a line", that is, it is partitioning the input space (x_1, x_2) into 2 regions.

- For unit y_1 , we have the line L_1 :

$$1 \cdot x_1 + (-1) \cdot x_2 + 1 = 0$$

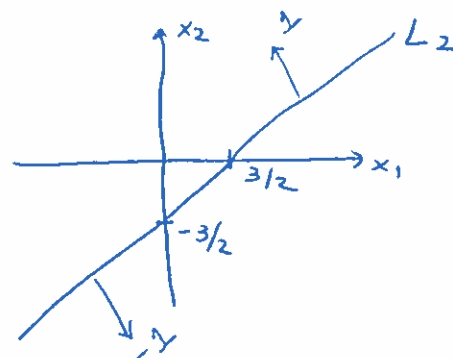
$$\Leftrightarrow x_2 = x_1 + 1$$



- For unit y_2 , we have the line L_2 :

$$-2x_1 + 2x_2 + 3 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x_2 = x_1 - \frac{3}{2}$$



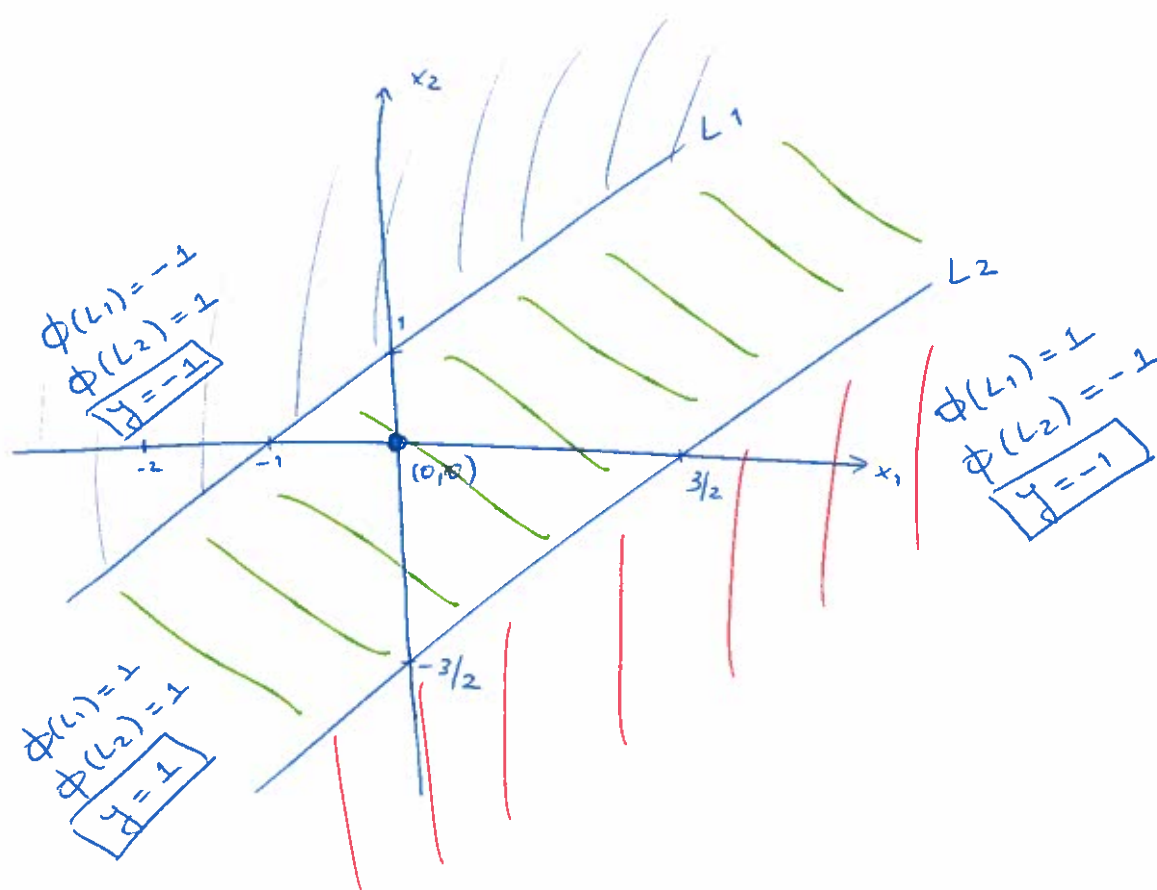
- Anything above the line L_1

will have $L_1: x_1 - 2x_2 + 1 > 0$ and therefore

$\phi(L_1) = 1$. Anything below the line L_1

will have $L_1 < 0$ and therefore $\phi(L_1) = -1$.

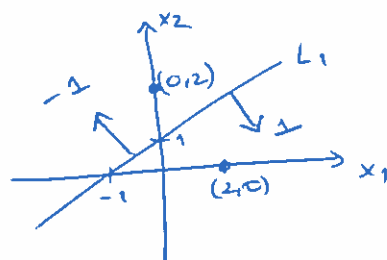
- Similarly, if $L_2 > 0 \Rightarrow \phi(L_2) = 1$,
 if $L_2 < 0 \Rightarrow \phi(L_2) = -1$. Putting it together,
 we have:



\Rightarrow Any point (x_1, x_2) below L_1 and above L_2 will be labeled as class 1. Any other point will be labeled as class -1.

NOTE: To understand which side of the line will land class 1 vs class -1, you can, for example, choose a point and compute whether the eq. of the line is > 0 or < 0 .

For example,



$$L_1 = x_1 - x_2 + 1$$

Let's evaluate at point $(x_1, x_2) = (0, 2)$: $L_1 = -1 < 0$
 $\Rightarrow \phi(L_1) = -1$

$(x_1, x_2) = (2, 0)$: $L_1 = 3 \Rightarrow \phi(L_1) = 1$

② Decision Tree

x_1 : chest pain?	x_2 : male?	x_3 : smokes?	x_4 : exercises?	y : HEART ATTA
1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	1	0
1	0	1	1	1
0	1	1	1	0

Classes:

$y = 1 \Rightarrow$ MEANS "HEART ATTACK"

$y = 0 \Rightarrow$ MEANS "NO HEART ATTACK"

Consider $0 \cdot \log_2(0) = 0$.

① The first step in constructing a decision tree is to compute which feature provides the most information to split the class labels. To do this, we will compute the Entropy of each feature x_i . We will choose the feature that minimizes entropy.

- For feature x_1 : x_1 is also a binary variable, and so we want to assess the class separability for each binary value of x_1 :

For $x_1 = 0$:

$$\frac{3}{6} \left(\frac{2}{2} \times \log_2\left(\frac{2}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{4} \times \log_2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \right) = -0.25$$

\uparrow
 3 0-entries
 out of
 6 possible values

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 How many
 of class
 $y=0$ does
 $x_1=0$ correctly

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 How many
 of class
 $y=1$ does
 $x_1=0$ correctly classifies

For $x_1 = 1$: $\frac{3}{6} \times \left(0 \times \log_2(0) + \frac{3}{4} \times \log_2\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) \right) \approx -0.156$

So the entropy of x_1 is $H(x_1) = -(-0.25 - 0.156)$
 $= 0.406$

• For feature x_2 : "male?" :

$x_2 = 0$: $\frac{2}{6} \times \left(0 \times \log_2(0) + \frac{2}{4} \times \log_2\left(\frac{2}{4}\right) \right) \approx -0.167$

$x_2 = 1$: $\frac{4}{6} \times \left(\frac{2}{2} \times \log_2\left(\frac{2}{2}\right) + \frac{2}{4} \times \log_2\left(\frac{2}{4}\right) \right) \approx -0.33$

$H(x_2) = -(-0.167 - 0.33) = 0.497$

• For feature x_3 : "smokes?" :

$x_3 = 0$: $\frac{2}{6} \times \left(\frac{1}{2} \times \log_2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{4} \times \log_2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \right) \approx -0.33$

$x_3 = 1$: $\frac{4}{6} \times \left(\frac{1}{2} \times \log_2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{3}{4} \times \log_2\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) \right) \approx -0.54$

$H(x_3) = -(-0.33 - 0.54) = 0.87$

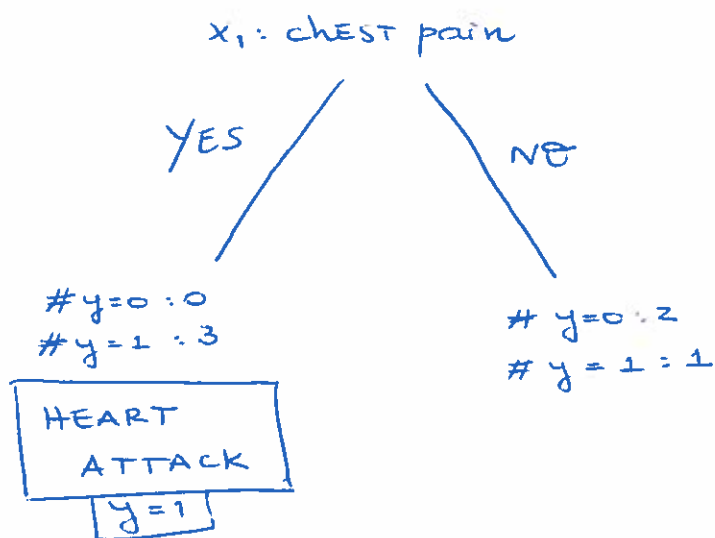
• For feature x_4 : "EXERCISES?" :

$x_4 = 0$: $\frac{2}{6} \times \left(0 \times \log_2(0) + \frac{2}{4} \times \log_2\left(\frac{2}{4}\right) \right) \approx -0.167$

$x_4 = 1$: $\frac{4}{6} \times \left(\frac{2}{2} \times \log_2\left(\frac{2}{2}\right) + \frac{2}{4} \times \log_2\left(\frac{2}{4}\right) \right) \approx -0.33$

$H(x_4) = -(-0.167 - 0.33) = 0.497$

So, feature x_1 minimizes entropy and will therefore be the root node.



If $x_1 = 1$ then we will classify that sample with $y = 1$
(HEART ATTACK).

If $x_1 = 0$ then we need to further split the tree.

At this stage, our samples for use are:

x_1 : chest pain?	x_2 : male?	x_3 : smokes?	x_4 : EXERCISES?	y : H.A.?
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	1	0

By looking at the table we already see that either feature x_2 or feature x_4 will be able to separate class $y=0$ from $y=1$. But let's compute the entropy:

• For feature x_2 :

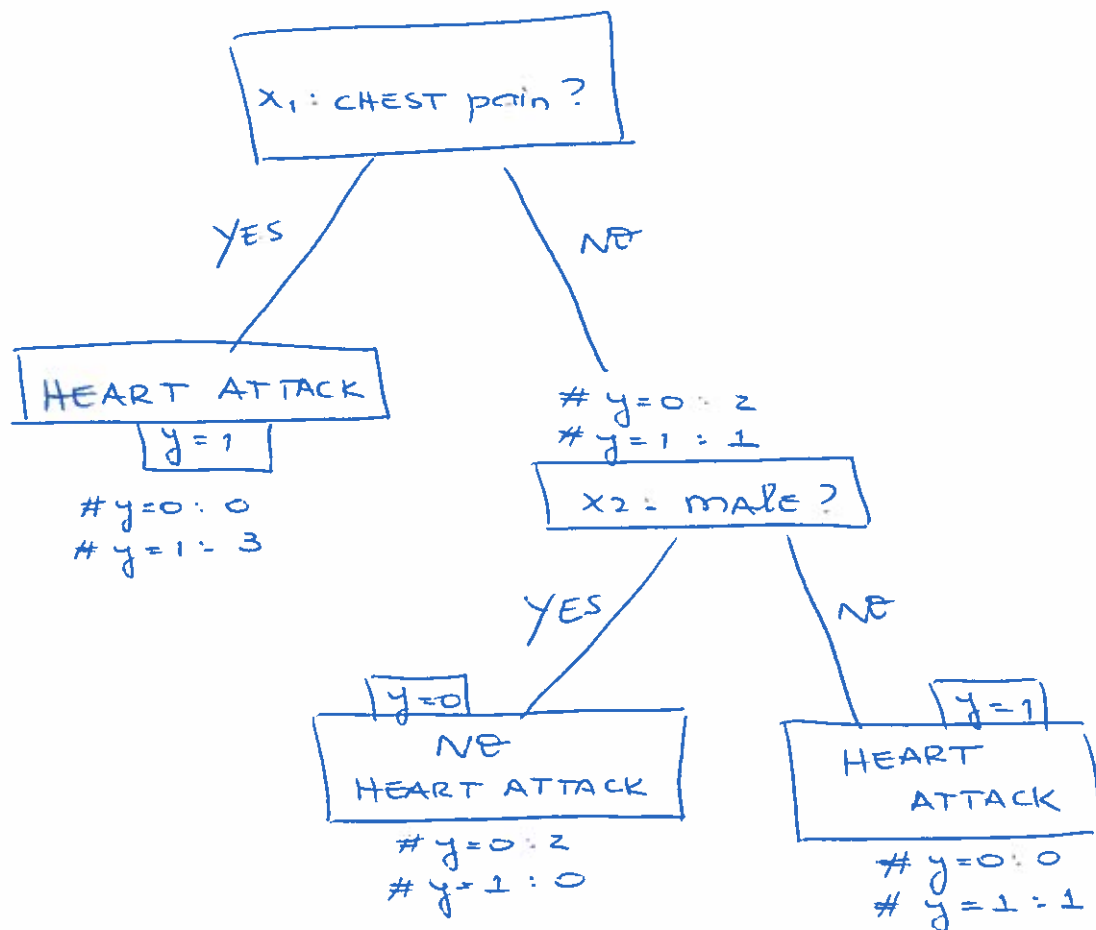
$$x_2 = 0 : \frac{1}{3} \times \left(0 \times \log_2(0) + \frac{1}{1} \times \log_2 \frac{1}{1} \right) = 0$$

$$x_2 = 1 : \frac{2}{3} \times \left(\frac{2}{2} \times \log_2 \left(\frac{2}{2} \right) + 0 \times \log_2(0) \right) = 0$$

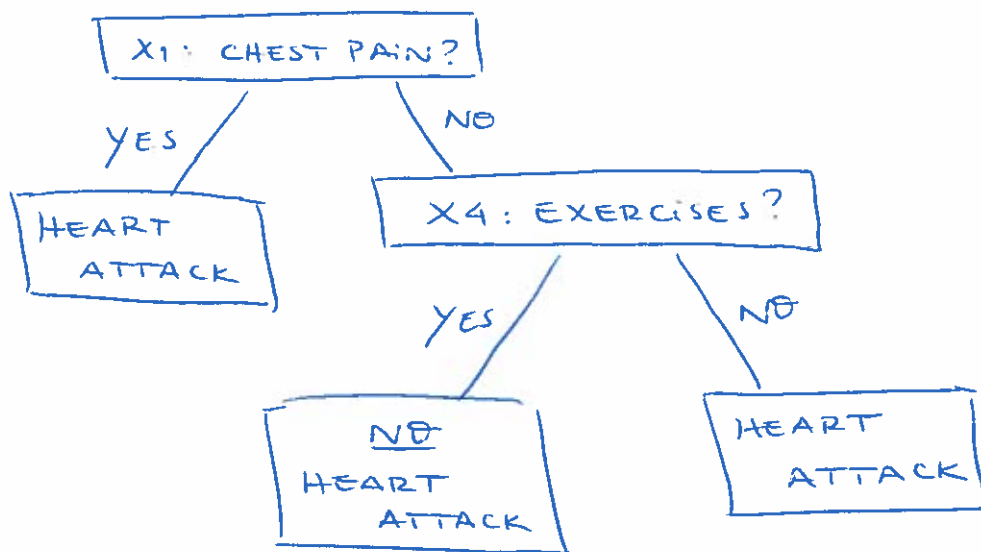
$$H(x_2) = 0$$

This is already the smallest entropy value

So the final tree is:



An alternative tree is:



↳ In cases where there are ties, we can: (1) flip a coin, and or (2) use cross-validation.