

CSDS 440: Assignment 2

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Problem 9

In *Problem 7*, every attribute has the equal amount of T s and F s and also equal amount of 0 and 1 labels corresponding to their T and F groups. Thus every attribute will have their $IG = 0$ and ID3 will stop.

However, in *Problem 8*, with the introduced weight, we have $IG(A_1) \approx IG(A_2) \approx IG(A_3) \approx 0.0343$ and $IG(A_4) \approx 0$. Therefore the algorithm may first split on any attribute among A_1 , A_2 , or A_3 and form a decision tree.