HW3

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HW 3 - DSC 441

Problem 1

For this problem, you will perform a straightforward training and evaluation of a decision tree, as well as generate rules by hand. Load the breast_cancer_updated.csv data. These data are visual features computed from samples of breast tissue being evaluated for cancer. As a preprocessing step, remove the IDNumber column and exclude rows with NA from the dataset.

```
library(tidyverse)
```

```
## -- Attaching core tidyverse packages ----- tidyverse 2.0.0 --
## v dplyr
          1.1.4
                    v readr
                                 2.1.5
## v forcats 1.0.0
                      v stringr
                                 1.5.1
                     v tibble
## v ggplot2 3.5.1
                                3.2.1
## v lubridate 1.9.3
                     v tidyr
                                1.3.1
             1.0.2
## v purrr
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()
                  masks stats::lag()
## i Use the conflicted package (<a href="http://conflicted.r-lib.org/">http://conflicted.r-lib.org/</a>) to force all conflicts to become error
cancer <- read_csv("/Users/danielkim/Downloads/breast_cancer_updated.csv")</pre>
## Rows: 699 Columns: 11
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (1): Class
## dbl (10): IDNumber, ClumpThickness, UniformCellSize, UniformCellShape, Margi...
## i Use 'spec()' to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set 'show_col_types = FALSE' to quiet this message.
head(cancer)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 11
     IDNumber ClumpThickness UniformCellSize UniformCellShape MarginalAdhesion
##
##
        <dbl>
                       <dbl>
                                       <dbl>
                                                        <dbl>
## 1 1000025
                          5
                                           1
                                                           1
                                                                             1
## 2 1002945
                           5
                                           4
                                                                             5
## 3 1015425
                           3
                                           1
                                                                             1
```

```
## 4 1016277
                           6
                                           8
                                                             8
                                                                              1
## 5 1017023
                           4
                                           1
                                                             1
                                                                              3
## 6 1017122
                           8
                                          10
                                                            10
## # i 6 more variables: EpithelialCellSize <dbl>, BareNuclei <dbl>,
       BlandChromatin <dbl>, NormalNucleoli <dbl>, Mitoses <dbl>, Class <chr>
dim(cancer)
## [1] 699
           11
cancer <- cancer %>% select(-c("IDNumber")) %>% drop_na()
summary(cancer)
   ClumpThickness
                     UniformCellSize UniformCellShape MarginalAdhesion
   Min.
          : 1.000
                            : 1.000
                                             : 1.000
                                                               : 1.00
##
                     Min.
                                      Min.
                                                        Min.
##
   1st Qu.: 2.000
                     1st Qu.: 1.000
                                      1st Qu.: 1.000
                                                        1st Qu.: 1.00
  Median : 4.000
                     Median : 1.000
                                      Median : 1.000
                                                        Median: 1.00
         : 4.442
                                                               : 2.83
## Mean
                     Mean
                           : 3.151
                                      Mean
                                             : 3.215
                                                        Mean
##
   3rd Qu.: 6.000
                     3rd Qu.: 5.000
                                      3rd Qu.: 5.000
                                                        3rd Qu.: 4.00
## Max.
          :10.000
                     Max.
                            :10.000
                                      {\tt Max.}
                                             :10.000
                                                        Max.
                                                              :10.00
## EpithelialCellSize
                         BareNuclei
                                        BlandChromatin
                                                          NormalNucleoli
          : 1.000
## Min.
                       Min.
                              : 1.000
                                        Min.
                                               : 1.000
                                                          Min.
                                                                 : 1.00
                                        1st Qu.: 2.000
##
  1st Qu.: 2.000
                       1st Qu.: 1.000
                                                          1st Qu.: 1.00
## Median : 2.000
                       Median : 1.000
                                        Median : 3.000
                                                          Median: 1.00
## Mean
          : 3.234
                              : 3.545
                                              : 3.445
                                                                : 2.87
                       Mean
                                        Mean
                                                          Mean
##
   3rd Qu.: 4.000
                       3rd Qu.: 6.000
                                         3rd Qu.: 5.000
                                                          3rd Qu.: 4.00
##
   Max.
           :10.000
                       Max.
                              :10.000
                                        Max. :10.000
                                                          Max.
                                                                 :10.00
##
       Mitoses
                        Class
## Min.
          : 1.000
                     Length:683
                     Class :character
##
   1st Qu.: 1.000
## Median : 1.000
                     Mode :character
## Mean
          : 1.603
## 3rd Qu.: 1.000
## Max.
           :10.000
dim(cancer)
## [1] 683
  • a: Apply decision tree learning (use rpart) to the data to predict breast cancer malignancy (Class) and
    report the accuracy using 10-fold cross validation.
library(caret)
## Loading required package: lattice
## Attaching package: 'caret'
## The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':
```

##

lift

```
library(lattice)
train_control <- trainControl(method = 'cv', number = 10)</pre>
model_tree <- train(Class ~., data = cancer, method = 'rpart', trControl = train_control)</pre>
model_tree
## CART
##
## 683 samples
     9 predictor
##
     2 classes: 'benign', 'malignant'
##
## No pre-processing
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 614, 615, 615, 615, 615, 615, ...
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
##
                 Accuracy
                            Kappa
     ср
##
    0.02510460 0.9428815 0.8755201
     0.05439331 0.9282822 0.8458280
##
    ##
##
## Accuracy was used to select the optimal model using the largest value.
## The final value used for the model was cp = 0.0251046.
The accuracy for the optimal model was 93.84%, which had a corresponding complexity parameter value of
0.0251.
tree_predictions <- predict(model_tree, cancer)</pre>
confusionMatrix(as.factor(cancer$Class), tree_predictions)
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
              Reference
## Prediction benign malignant
##
     benign
                  424
##
     malignant
                   17
                            222
##
##
                  Accuracy: 0.9458
                    95% CI: (0.9261, 0.9616)
##
##
       No Information Rate: 0.6457
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : <2e-16
##
##
##
                     Kappa: 0.8813
##
##
   Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 0.7423
##
##
               Sensitivity: 0.9615
```

Specificity: 0.9174

##

```
##
            Pos Pred Value: 0.9550
##
            Neg Pred Value: 0.9289
##
                Prevalence: 0.6457
##
            Detection Rate: 0.6208
##
      Detection Prevalence: 0.6501
         Balanced Accuracy: 0.9394
##
##
##
          'Positive' Class : benign
##
```

The predictions made on the testing set using the trained model earned an accuracy of 94.58% with a statistically significant p-value, rejecting the null hypothesis which stated there was no relationship between the independent and dependent variables. The no information rate, for which it describes the proportion of the majority class, was 64.57%.

• b: Generate a visualization of the decision tree.

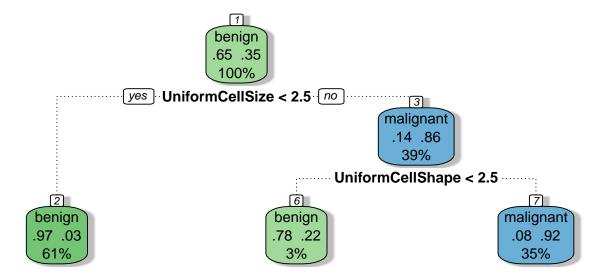
```
library(rattle)
```

```
## Loading required package: bitops

## Rattle: A free graphical interface for data science with R.
## Version 5.5.1 Copyright (c) 2006-2021 Togaware Pty Ltd.
## Type 'rattle()' to shake, rattle, and roll your data.

attributes(model_tree)
```

```
## $names
    [1] "method"
                         "modelInfo"
                                         "modelType"
                                                         "results"
                                                                         "pred"
##
                         "call"
    [6] "bestTune"
                                         "dots"
                                                         "metric"
                                                                         "control"
                                                                         "resample"
  [11] "finalModel"
                         "preProcess"
                                         "trainingData"
                                                         "ptype"
  [16] "resampledCM"
                         "perfNames"
                                         "maximize"
                                                         "yLimits"
                                                                         "times"
## [21] "levels"
                         "terms"
                                         "coefnames"
                                                         "xlevels"
## $class
## [1] "train"
                        "train.formula"
```



Decision Tree for Breast Tissue Classification

• c: Generate the full set of rules using IF-THEN statements.

model_tree\$finalModel

```
## n= 683
##
## node), split, n, loss, yval, (yprob)
##
         * denotes terminal node
##
##
  1) root 683 239 benign (0.65007321 0.34992679)
##
     2) UniformCellSize< 2.5 418 12 benign (0.97129187 0.02870813) *
##
     3) UniformCellSize>=2.5 265 38 malignant (0.14339623 0.85660377)
##
       6) UniformCellShape< 2.5 23
                                     5 benign (0.78260870 0.21739130) *
       7) UniformCellShape>=2.5 242 20 malignant (0.08264463 0.91735537) *
##
```

- If the breast tissue has a uniform cell size that is less than 2.5 mm,
 - then the breast tissue cell is a benign tumor.
- If the breast tissue has a uniform cell size that is greater than or equal to 2.5 mm
 - and has a uniform cell shape of less than 2.5 mm,
 - * then the breast tissue cell is a benign tumor.
 - and has a uniform cell shape of greater than or equal to 2.5 mm,
 - * then the breast tissue cell is a malignant tumor.

Problem 2

In this problem you will generate decision trees with a set of parameters. You will be using the storms data, a subset of the NOAA Atlantic hurricane database, which includes the positions and attributes of 198 tropical storms (potential hurricanes), measured every six hours during the lifetime of a storm. It is part of the dplyr library, so load the library and you will be able to access it. As a preprocessing step, view the data and make sure the target variable (category) is converted to a factor (as opposed to character string).

```
library(dplyr)
data(storms)
dim(storms)
## [1] 19537
                 13
storms$category <- as.factor(storms$category)</pre>
head(storms)
## # A tibble: 6 x 13
##
            year month
                          day hour
     name
                                       lat
                                           long status
                                                               category
                                                                          wind pressure
##
           <dbl> <dbl> <int> <dbl>
                                     <dbl> <dbl> <fct>
                                                               <fct>
                                                                         <int>
                                                                                   <int>
                                      27.5 -79
                                                                            25
                                                                                    1013
## 1 Amy
            1975
                           27
                                  0
                                                 tropical de~ <NA>
                      6
## 2 Amy
            1975
                      6
                           27
                                  6
                                      28.5 - 79
                                                 tropical de~ <NA>
                                                                            25
                                                                                    1013
                                                                            25
## 3 Amy
            1975
                      6
                           27
                                 12
                                      29.5 -79
                                                 tropical de~ <NA>
                                                                                    1013
## 4 Amy
            1975
                      6
                           27
                                 18
                                      30.5 -79
                                                 tropical de~ <NA>
                                                                            25
                                                                                    1013
## 5 Amy
            1975
                      6
                           28
                                  0
                                      31.5 -78.8 tropical de~ <NA>
                                                                            25
                                                                                    1012
## 6 Amy
            1975
                      6
                           28
                                  6
                                     32.4 -78.7 tropical de~ <NA>
                                                                            25
                                                                                    1012
## # i 2 more variables: tropicalstorm_force_diameter <int>,
       hurricane force diameter <int>
# drop rows without classification
storms <- storms %>% drop_na(category)
dim(storms)
## [1] 4803
              13
# hurricane_force_diameter and tropicalstorm_force_diameter have null values
dim(storms)
## [1] 4803
              13
summary(storms)
##
                                            month
        name
                             year
                                                               day
```

```
Length: 4803
                        Min.
                               :1975
                                        Min.
                                               : 1.000
                                                          Min.
                                                                 : 1.00
                                                          1st Qu.: 8.00
##
    Class :character
                        1st Qu.:1992
                                        1st Qu.: 8.000
##
    Mode :character
                        Median:2001
                                        Median : 9.000
                                                          Median :16.00
                               :2001
##
                        Mean
                                        Mean
                                               : 8.952
                                                          Mean
                                                                 :15.88
##
                        3rd Qu.:2012
                                        3rd Qu.: 9.000
                                                          3rd Qu.:24.00
##
                        Max.
                               :2022
                                        Max.
                                               :12.000
                                                                 :31.00
                                                          Max.
```

```
##
##
        hour
                         lat
                                         long
                    Min. : 9.50
                                           :-119.3
   Min. : 0.000
   1st Qu.: 5.000
                    1st Qu.:19.70
                                    1st Qu.: -76.2
   Median :12.000
                    Median :26.40
                                    Median : -63.2
##
   Mean
         : 9.156
                          :26.49
                                         : -63.9
                    Mean
                                    Mean
   3rd Qu.:18.000
                    3rd Qu.:32.50
                                    3rd Qu.: -51.8
                                         : -14.1
##
   Max. :23.000
                    Max.
                          :50.80
                                    Max.
##
##
                      status
                                 category
                                               wind
                                                              pressure
## hurricane
                         :4803
                                 1:2548
                                          Min.
                                                : 65.00
                                                           Min.
                                                                 : 882.0
                                 2: 993
## disturbance
                                          1st Qu.: 70.00
                                                           1st Qu.: 958.0
                             0
                                 3: 593
   extratropical
                             0
                                          Median : 80.00
                                                          Median: 973.0
                                                          Mean : 968.8
##
                                4: 553
   other low
                             0
                                          Mean : 86.59
## subtropical depression:
                             0
                                 5: 116
                                          3rd Qu.:100.00
                                                           3rd Qu.: 983.5
##
   subtropical storm
                             0
                                          Max.
                                                :165.00
                                                           Max.
                                                                 :1005.0
##
   (Other)
                             0
## tropicalstorm_force_diameter hurricane_force_diameter
## Min. : 50.0
                                Min. : 0.00
## 1st Qu.:175.0
                                1st Qu.: 35.00
## Median :232.5
                                Median : 50.00
## Mean
         :254.1
                                Mean : 62.87
## 3rd Qu.:310.0
                                3rd Qu.: 85.00
## Max.
          :870.0
                                Max.
                                       :300.00
## NA's
          :2633
                                NA's
                                       :2633
# first drop rows with null values in hurricane_force_diametere
storms <- storms %>% drop_na(hurricane_force_diameter)
dim(storms)
## [1] 2170
             13
# confirmed no more null values
sum(is.na(storms))
## [1] 0
head(storms)
## # A tibble: 6 x 13
##
                        day hour
                                    lat long status
    name
           year month
                                                        category wind pressure
##
    <chr> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <fct>
                                                        <fct>
                                                                 <int>
                                                                          <int>
## 1 Alex
                                   33
                                        -77.4 hurricane 1
                                                                           983
           2004
                    8
                          3
                                6
                                                                   70
## 2 Alex
           2004
                          3
                               12
                                   34.2 -76.4 hurricane 2
                                                                    85
                                                                           974
           2004
                                   35.3 -75.2 hurricane 2
                                                                           972
## 3 Alex
                          3
                               18
                                                                    85
                    8
## 4 Alex
           2004
                    8
                          4
                                0
                                   36
                                      -73.7 hurricane 1
                                                                    80
                                                                           974
## 5 Alex
           2004
                                6
                                   36.8 -72.1 hurricane 1
                                                                   80
                                                                           973
                    8
                          4
## 6 Alex
           2004
                    8
                          4
                               12 37.3 -70.2 hurricane 2
                                                                           973
## # i 2 more variables: tropicalstorm_force_diameter <int>,
## # hurricane_force_diameter <int>
```

```
# drop columns with NA values
# with a sample size of 4803 remaining, dropping 2633 samples with missing values would reduce the samp
# rather keep the sample size and drop columns with missing values especially as many force diameter da
# name was dropped as it's purpose is the ID the specific storm
# status was dropped as all instances were categorized under hurricane once rows without categories wer
summary(storms$status)
##
             disturbance
                                 extratropical
                                                           hurricane
##
                                                                2170
##
                                                   {\tt subtropical}\ {\tt storm}
               other low subtropical depression
##
##
     tropical depression
                                tropical storm
                                                       tropical wave
##
storms <- storms %>% select(-c("name", "status"))
head(storms)
## # A tibble: 6 x 11
                             lat long category wind pressure
     year month
                  day hour
    <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <fct>
                                                <int>
                                                        <int>
                         6 33
                                 -77.4 1
                                                   70
                                                          983
## 1 2004
              8
                    3
## 2 2004
                            34.2 -76.4 2
              8
                    3
                        12
                                                   85
                                                          974
## 3 2004
              8
                    3
                        18
                            35.3 -75.2 2
                                                   85
                                                          972
## 4 2004
                                                  80
                                                          974
              8
                    4
                        0 36 -73.7 1
## 5 2004
                         6 36.8 -72.1 1
                                                   80
                                                          973
              8
                    4
## 6 2004
                        12 37.3 -70.2 2
              8
                    4
                                                   85
                                                          973
## # i 2 more variables: tropicalstorm_force_diameter <int>,
    hurricane_force_diameter <int>
summary(storms)
##
                     month
                                                      hour
        year
                                       day
## Min. :2004
                Min. : 1.000
                                  Min. : 1.00
                                                 Min. : 0.000
  1st Qu.:2008
                 1st Qu.: 8.000
                                  1st Qu.: 7.00
                                                 1st Qu.: 5.000
## Median :2012
                Median : 9.000
                                 Median :15.00
                                                 Median :10.500
## Mean :2013
                 Mean : 8.951
                                  Mean :15.13
                                                 Mean : 9.112
## 3rd Qu.:2018
                  3rd Qu.: 9.000
                                  3rd Qu.:23.00
                                                  3rd Qu.:16.750
## Max. :2022
                                                 Max. :23.000
                  Max. :12.000
                                  Max.
                                        :31.00
##
        lat
                                                  wind
                                                                pressure
                       long
                                    category
## Min. : 9.50
                 Min. :-119.30
                                  1:1083 Min. : 65.00
                                                             Min. : 882.0
  1st Qu.:19.10
                  1st Qu.: -78.20 2: 434
                                             1st Qu.: 70.00
                                                             1st Qu.: 954.0
## Median :25.40
                 Median : -65.20
                                    3: 291
                                             Median : 85.00
                                                             Median: 969.0
## Mean
         :25.59
                 Mean : -65.13
                                   4: 297
                                             Mean : 88.53
                                                             Mean : 965.6
## 3rd Qu.:31.20
                   3rd Qu.: -53.35
                                    5: 65
                                             3rd Qu.:100.00
                                                             3rd Qu.: 981.0
```

Min. : 0.00

1st Qu.: 35.00

Median : 50.00

Max. :160.00

Max. :1001.0

Max. : -14.10

tropicalstorm_force_diameter hurricane_force_diameter

Max. :48.80

Min. : 50.0

1st Qu.:175.0

Median :232.5

```
## Mean : 254.1 Mean : 62.87
## 3rd Qu.:310.0 3rd Qu.: 85.00
## Max. :870.0 Max. :300.00
```

• a: Build a decision tree using the following hyperparameters, maxdepth=2, minsplit=5 and minbucket=3. Be careful to use the right method of training so that you are not automatically tuning the cp parameter, but you are controlling the aforementioned parameters specifically. Use cross validation to report your accuracy score. These parameters will result in a relatively small tree.

```
library(rpart)
# sample method
train_control = trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10)
#change hyperparameters
hypers <- rpart.control(minsplit = 5, maxdepth = 2, minbucket = 3)
# train the model
tree <- train(category ~., data = storms, control = hypers, trControl = train_control, method = "rpart1"
## CART
##
## 2170 samples
     10 predictor
##
      5 classes: '1', '2', '3', '4', '5'
##
##
## No pre-processing
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 1954, 1953, 1953, 1953, 1953, 1952, ...
## Resampling results:
##
##
     Accuracy
                Kappa
     0.8359504 0.7550553
##
```

The accuracy of the decision tree model using cross validation was 83.59%.

- b: To see how this performed with respect to the individual classes, we could use a confusion matrix. We also want to see if that aspect of performance is different on the train versus the test set.
 - 1. Create a train/test partition.
 - 2. Train on the training set.
 - 3. By making predictions with that model on the train set and on the test set separately, use the outputs to create two separate confusion matrices, one for each partition. Remember, we are testing if the model built with the training data performs differently on data used to train it (train set) as opposed to new data (test set).
 - 4. Compare the confusion matrices and report which classes it has problem classifying. Do you think that both are performing similarly and what does that suggest about overfitting for the model?

```
# Partition the data
index = createDataPartition(y=storms$category, p=0.7, list=FALSE)
# Everything in the generated index list
train_set = storms[index,]
```

```
# Everything except the generated indices
test_set = storms[-index,]
# Train the model with training set
tree1 <- train(category ~., data = train_set, method = "rpart1SE", trControl = train_control)</pre>
# Evaluate the fit on training set predictions
pred_tree1 <- predict(tree1, train_set)</pre>
# Evaluate the fit on testing set predictions
pred_tree1_2 <- predict(tree1, test_set)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix with training set predictions
confusionMatrix(pred_tree1, train_set$category)
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
             Reference
## Prediction
              1
                    2
                        3
                                5
            1 759
                    0
                            0
                                0
##
                        0
            2
                0 304
                        0
##
            3
                    0 204
##
                0
                            0
                                0
##
                0
                    0
                        0 208
                                0
##
            5
                    0
                            0 46
                0
                        0
##
## Overall Statistics
##
##
                  Accuracy: 1
##
                    95% CI: (0.9976, 1)
##
       No Information Rate: 0.499
##
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
##
##
                     Kappa: 1
##
##
   Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
##
## Statistics by Class:
##
##
                        Class: 1 Class: 2 Class: 3 Class: 4 Class: 5
                           1.000 1.0000 1.0000 1.0000 1.00000
## Sensitivity
## Specificity
                           1.000 1.0000
                                           1.0000
                                                    1.0000 1.00000
## Pos Pred Value
                           1.000
                                  1.0000
                                            1.0000
                                                     1.0000 1.00000
## Neg Pred Value
                                   1.0000
                           1.000
                                            1.0000
                                                     1.0000 1.00000
## Prevalence
                           0.499
                                  0.1999
                                            0.1341
                                                     0.1368
                                                             0.03024
## Detection Rate
                           0.499
                                  0.1999
                                            0.1341
                                                     0.1368
                                                             0.03024
## Detection Prevalence
                           0.499
                                  0.1999
                                            0.1341
                                                     0.1368
                                                             0.03024
## Balanced Accuracy
                           1.000
                                  1.0000
                                            1.0000
                                                     1.0000 1.00000
# Confusion Matrix with testing set predictions
```

confusionMatrix(pred_tree1_2, test_set\$category)

```
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
              Reference
                                  5
                     2
                          3
## Prediction
                 1
##
             1 324
                     0
                          0
                                  0
             2
                 0 130
                          0
                              0
##
                                  0
##
             3
                 0
                     0
                         87
                              0
                                  0
##
             4
                 0
                     0
                         0
                             89
                                  0
##
             5
                     0
                          0
                              0
                                 19
##
##
   Overall Statistics
##
##
                   Accuracy: 1
##
                     95% CI: (0.9943, 1)
##
       No Information Rate: 0.4992
##
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
##
##
                      Kappa: 1
##
##
    Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
##
## Statistics by Class:
##
##
                          Class: 1 Class: 2 Class: 3 Class: 4 Class: 5
## Sensitivity
                            1.0000
                                     1.0000
                                               1.0000
                                                         1.0000
                                                                 1.00000
## Specificity
                            1.0000
                                     1.0000
                                               1.0000
                                                         1.0000
                                                                  1.00000
## Pos Pred Value
                                     1.0000
                                               1.0000
                                                         1.0000
                                                                  1.00000
                            1.0000
## Neg Pred Value
                            1.0000
                                     1.0000
                                               1.0000
                                                         1.0000
                                                                 1.00000
## Prevalence
                            0.4992
                                     0.2003
                                               0.1341
                                                         0.1371
                                                                 0.02928
## Detection Rate
                            0.4992
                                     0.2003
                                               0.1341
                                                         0.1371
                                                                  0.02928
## Detection Prevalence
                            0.4992
                                     0.2003
                                               0.1341
                                                         0.1371
                                                                  0.02928
## Balanced Accuracy
                            1.0000
                                     1.0000
                                               1.0000
                                                         1.0000
                                                                 1.00000
```

The decision tree did not have problems reporting any category classes. The model that was trained on the training set had the same performance on the training and testing sets, indicating that the model was not over fitting. There would be an issue with over fitting if the model had a better performance with the training set than it did with the testing set, however, as the performance of the model on both sets were the same, there was no over fitting issue.

Problem 3

- a: Partition your data into 80% for training and 20% for the test data set

```
# Partition the data
part = createDataPartition(y=storms$category, p=0.8, list=FALSE)

# Everything in the generated index list
train_part = storms[index,]
# Everything except the generated indices
test_part = storms[-index,]
```

• b: Train at least 10 trees using different sets of parameters, through you made need more. Create the graph described above such that you can identify the inflection point where the tree is over fitting

and pick a high-quality decision tree. Your strategy should be to make at least one very simple model and at least one very complex model and work towards the center by changing different parameters. Generate a table that contains all of the parameters (maxdepth, minsplit, minbucket, etc) used along with the number of nodes created, and the training and testing set accuracy values. The number of rows will be equal to the number of sets of parameters used. You will use the data in the table to generate the graph. The final results to be reported for this problem are the table and graph.

```
# Initialize cross validation
train_control = trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10)
# Tree 1
hyper1 = rpart.control(minsplit = 2, maxdepth = 1, minbucket = 2)
tree1 <- train(category ~., data = train_part, control = hyper1, trControl = train_control, method = "r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree1 <- predict(tree1, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train1 <- confusionMatrix(train_set$category, pred_tree1)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree1 <- predict(tree1, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test1 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree1)</pre>
# Get training accuracy
acc_train <- cfm_train1$overall[1]</pre>
# Get testing accuracy
acc_test <- cfm_test1$overall[1]</pre>
# Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree1$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Form the table
comp_tbl <- data.frame("Nodes" = nodes, "TrainAccuracy" = acc_train, "TestAccuracy" = acc_test,</pre>
                        "MaxDepth" = 1, "Minsplit" = 2, "Minbucket" = 2)
# Tree 2
hyper2 = rpart.control(minsplit = 5, maxdepth = 2, minbucket = 5)
tree2 <- train(category ~., data = train_part, control = hyper2, trControl = train_control, method = "r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree2 <- predict(tree2, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train2 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree2)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree2 <- predict(tree2, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test2 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree2)</pre>
```

```
# Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train2$overall[1]</pre>
# Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test2$overall[1]</pre>
# Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree2$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add rows to the table - Make sure the order is correct
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 2, 5, 5))
# Tree 3
hyper3 = rpart.control(minsplit = 50, maxdepth = 3, minbucket = 50)
tree3 <- train(category ~., data = train_part, control = hyper3, trControl = train_control, method = "r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree3 <- predict(tree3, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train3 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree3)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree3 <- predict(tree3, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test3 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree3)</pre>
# Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train3$overall[1]</pre>
# Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test3$overall[1]</pre>
# Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree3$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add rows to the table - Make sure the order is correct
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 3, 50, 50))
# Tree 9
hyper9 = rpart.control(minsplit = 100, maxdepth = 3, minbucket = 100)
tree9 <- train(category ~., data=train_part, control = hyper9, trControl = train_control, method = 'rpa
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with confusion matrix
pred_tree9 <- predict(tree9, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train9 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree9)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree9 <- predict(tree9, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test9 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree9)</pre>
```

```
#Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train9$overall[1]</pre>
#Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test9$overall[1]</pre>
#Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree9$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add row to table
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 3, 100, 100))
# Tree 11
hyper11 = rpart.control(minsplit = 1000, maxdepth = 3, minbucket = 1000)
tree11 <- train(category ~., data=train_part, control = hyper11, trControl = train_control, method = 'r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with confusion matrix
pred_tree11 <- predict(tree11, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train11 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree11)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree11 <- predict(tree11, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test11 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree11)</pre>
#Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train11$overall[1]</pre>
#Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test11$overall[1]</pre>
#Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree11$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add row to table
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 3, 1000, 1000))
# Tree 12
hyper12 = rpart.control(minsplit = 25, maxdepth = 4, minbucket = 25)
tree12 <- train(category ~., data=train_part, control = hyper12, trControl = train_control, method = 'r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with confusion matrix
pred_tree12 <- predict(tree12, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train12 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree12)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree12 <- predict(tree12, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test12 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree12)</pre>
```

```
#Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train12$overall[1]</pre>
#Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test12$overall[1]</pre>
#Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree12$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add row to table
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 4, 25, 25))
# Tree 10
hyper10 = rpart.control(minsplit = 50, maxdepth = 4, minbucket = 50)
tree10 <- train(category ~., data=train_part, control = hyper10, trControl = train_control, method = 'r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with confusion matrix
pred_tree10 <- predict(tree10, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train10 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree10)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree10 <- predict(tree10, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test10 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree10)</pre>
#Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train10$overall[1]</pre>
#Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test10$overall[1]</pre>
#Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree10$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add row to table
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 4, 50, 50))
# Tree 4
hyper4 = rpart.control(minsplit = 100, maxdepth = 4, minbucket = 100)
tree4 <- train(category ~., data = train_part, control = hyper4, trControl = train_control, method = "r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree4 <- predict(tree4, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train4 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree4)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree4 <- predict(tree4, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test4 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree4)</pre>
```

```
# Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train4$overall[1]</pre>
# Get testing accuracy
a test <- cfm test4$overall[1]
# Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree4$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add rows to the table - Make sure the order is correct
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 4, 100, 100))
# Tree 5
hyper5 = rpart.control(minsplit = 1000, maxdepth = 4, minbucket = 1000)
tree5 <- train(category ~., data = train_part, control = hyper5, trControl = train_control, method = "r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree5 <- predict(tree5, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train5 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree5)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree5 <- predict(tree5, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test5 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree5)</pre>
# Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train5$overall[1]</pre>
# Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test5$overall[1]</pre>
# Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree5$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add rows to the table - Make sure the order is correct
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 4, 1000, 1000))
# Tree 13
hyper13 = rpart.control(minsplit = 25, maxdepth = 5, minbucket = 25)
tree13 <- train(category ~., data = train_part, control = hyper13, trControl = train_control, method =
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree13 <- predict(tree13, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train13 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree13)</pre>
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree13 <- predict(tree13, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test13 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree13)</pre>
```

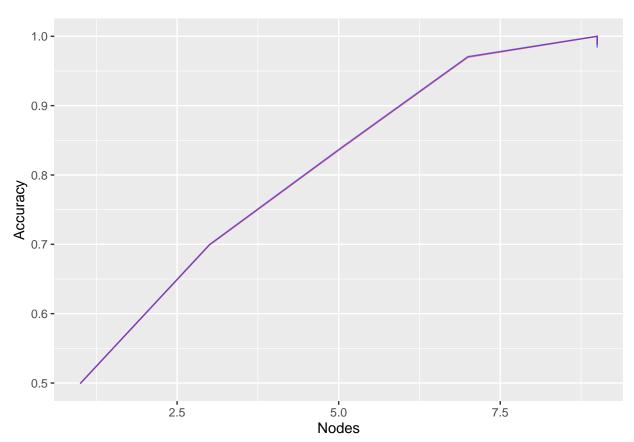
```
# Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train13$overall[1]</pre>
# Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test13$overall[1]</pre>
# Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree13$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add rows to the table - Make sure the order is correct
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 5, 25, 25))
# Tree 7
hyper7 = rpart.control(minsplit = 50, maxdepth = 5, minbucket = 50)
tree7 <- train(category ~., data = train_part, control = hyper7, trControl = train_control, method = "r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree7 <- predict(tree7, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train7 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree7)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree7 <- predict(tree7, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test7 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree7)</pre>
# Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train7$overall[1]</pre>
# Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test7$overall[1]</pre>
# Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree7$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add rows to the table - Make sure the order is correct
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 5, 50, 50))
# Tree 8
hyper8 = rpart.control(minsplit = 100, maxdepth = 5, minbucket = 100)
tree8 <- train(category ~., data=train_part, control = hyper8, trControl = train_control, method = 'rpa
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with confusion matrix
pred_tree8 <- predict(tree8, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train8 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree8)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree8 <- predict(tree8, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test8 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree8)</pre>
```

```
#Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train8$overall[1]</pre>
#Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test8$overall[1]</pre>
#Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree8$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add row to table
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 5, 100, 100))
# Tree 6
hyper6 = rpart.control(minsplit = 1000, maxdepth = 5, minbucket = 1000)
tree6 <- train(category ~., data = train_part, control = hyper6, trControl = train_control, method = "r
# Training Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree6 <- predict(tree6, train_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_train6 <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, pred_tree6)</pre>
# Test Set
# Evaluate the fit with a confusion matrix
pred_tree6 <- predict(tree6, test_part)</pre>
# Confusion Matrix
cfm_test6 <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, pred_tree6)</pre>
# Get training accuracy
a_train <- cfm_train6$overall[1]</pre>
# Get testing accuracy
a_test <- cfm_test6$overall[1]</pre>
# Get number of nodes
nodes <- nrow(tree6$finalModel$frame)</pre>
# Add rows to the table - Make sure the order is correct
comp_tbl <- comp_tbl %>% rbind(list(nodes, a_train, a_test, 5, 1000, 1000))
comp_tbl
```

##		Nodes	TrainAccuracy	TestAccuracy	MaxDepth	Minsplit	Minbucket
##	Accuracy	3	0.6988823	0.6995378	1	2	2
##	1	5	0.8356345	0.8366718	2	5	5
##	11	7	0.9697567	0.9707242	3	50	50
##	12	7	0.9697567	0.9707242	3	100	100
##	13	1	0.4990138	0.4992296	3	1000	1000
##	14	9	1.0000000	1.0000000	4	25	25
##	15	9	0.9888231	0.9845917	4	50	50
##	16	7	0.9697567	0.9707242	4	100	100
##	17	1	0.4990138	0.4992296	4	1000	1000
##	18	9	1.0000000	1.0000000	5	25	25
##	19	9	0.9888231	0.9845917	5	50	50
##	110	7	0.9697567	0.9707242	5	100	100

111 1 0.4990138 0.4992296 5 1000 1000

```
# Visualize with line plot
ggplot(comp_tbl, aes(x=Nodes)) + geom_line(aes(y = TrainAccuracy), color = "red", alpha = 0.5) + geom_l
```



• c: Identify the final choice of model, list it parameters and evaluate with a the confusion matrix to make sure that it gets balanced performance over classes. Also get a better accuracy estimate for this tree using cross validation.

```
# train_control = trainControl(method = 'cv', numbers = 10)
final_hypers = rpart.control(maxdepth = 4, minsplit = 25, minbucket = 25)
final_tree <- train(category ~., data = train_part, trControl = train_control, control = final_hypers, train_predict <- predict(final_tree, train_part)
cfm_final_train <- confusionMatrix(train_part$category, train_predict)
cfm_final_train</pre>
```

```
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
              Reference
##
## Prediction
                      2
                                   5
                 1
                          3
             1 759
                      0
##
                          0
                                   0
##
             2
                 0 304
                          0
                                   0
             3
                 0
                      0 204
                              0
                                   0
##
##
                 0
                      0
                          0 208
```

```
##
                        0 0 46
##
## Overall Statistics
##
##
                  Accuracy : 1
##
                    95% CI: (0.9976, 1)
##
       No Information Rate: 0.499
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
##
##
##
                     Kappa: 1
##
##
   Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
##
## Statistics by Class:
##
##
                        Class: 1 Class: 2 Class: 3 Class: 4 Class: 5
                                   1.0000
                                            1.0000
                                                      1.0000 1.00000
## Sensitivity
                           1.000
## Specificity
                           1.000
                                   1.0000
                                            1.0000
                                                      1.0000
                                                              1.00000
## Pos Pred Value
                           1.000
                                  1.0000
                                            1.0000
                                                      1.0000
                                                              1.00000
## Neg Pred Value
                           1.000
                                  1.0000
                                            1.0000
                                                      1.0000
                                                              1.00000
## Prevalence
                           0.499
                                  0.1999
                                            0.1341
                                                      0.1368
                                                              0.03024
## Detection Rate
                           0.499
                                   0.1999
                                             0.1341
                                                      0.1368
                                                              0.03024
## Detection Prevalence
                           0.499
                                   0.1999
                                             0.1341
                                                      0.1368
                                                              0.03024
## Balanced Accuracy
                           1.000
                                   1.0000
                                             1.0000
                                                      1.0000 1.00000
test_predict <- predict(final_tree, test_part)</pre>
cfm_final_test <- confusionMatrix(test_part$category, test_predict)</pre>
cfm_final_test
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
             Reference
## Prediction
               1
                        3
                                5
##
            1 324
                    0
                                0
                0 130
##
            2
                        0
                            0
                                0
##
            3
                0
                    0
                       87
                            0
##
            4
                    0
                        0
                           89
                                0
                0
##
            5
                            0 19
                    0
                        0
##
## Overall Statistics
##
##
                  Accuracy: 1
                    95% CI : (0.9943, 1)
##
##
       No Information Rate: 0.4992
##
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
##
##
                     Kappa: 1
##
##
   Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
##
## Statistics by Class:
##
##
                        Class: 1 Class: 2 Class: 3 Class: 4 Class: 5
                          1.0000
                                  1.0000
                                           1.0000 1.0000 1.00000
## Sensitivity
```

```
## Specificity
                          1.0000
                                    1.0000
                                             1.0000
                                                      1.0000
                                                               1.00000
## Pos Pred Value
                           1.0000
                                             1.0000
                                                      1.0000
                                                               1.00000
                                    1.0000
                          1.0000
                                    1.0000
                                                               1.00000
## Neg Pred Value
                                             1.0000
                                                      1.0000
## Prevalence
                          0.4992
                                    0.2003
                                             0.1341
                                                      0.1371
                                                               0.02928
## Detection Rate
                          0.4992
                                    0.2003
                                             0.1341
                                                      0.1371
                                                               0.02928
## Detection Prevalence
                          0.4992
                                    0.2003
                                             0.1341
                                                      0.1371
                                                               0.02928
## Balanced Accuracy
                           1.0000
                                             1.0000
                                                      1.0000 1.00000
                                    1.0000
```

With the max depth parameter of 4, minimum bucket and minimum split of 25, the prediction accuracy on the training and testing sets for this decision tree model was 100%. The similarity in performance on both sets of data indicate the model does not have an issue with over fitting. With these parameters, the decision tree had a total of 9 nodes.

Problem 4

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• a: Build your initial decision tree model with minsplit=10 and maxdepth=20.

```
#change hyper parameters
hyper_prob4 <- rpart.control(minsplit = 10, maxdepth = 20)
# train the model
tree_prob4 <- train(category ~., data = storms, control = hyper_prob4, trControl = train_control, method
tree_prob4
## CART
##
## 2170 samples
##
     10 predictor
      5 classes: '1', '2', '3', '4', '5'
##
## No pre-processing
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 1953, 1953, 1954, 1953, 1951, 1954, ...
## Resampling results:
##
##
     Accuracy Kappa
```

• b: Run variable importance analysis on the model and print the result.

```
# View the variable importance scores
var_imp <- varImp(tree_prob4, scale = FALSE)
print(var_imp)

## rpart1SE variable importance
##
## Overall
## wind 1461.078
## pressure 700.375
## hurricane_force_diameter 174.656</pre>
```

```
## lat 117.377
## tropicalstorm_force_diameter 52.391
## long 16.022
## year 3.996
## month 0.000
## day 0.000
## hour 0.000
```

2170 samples

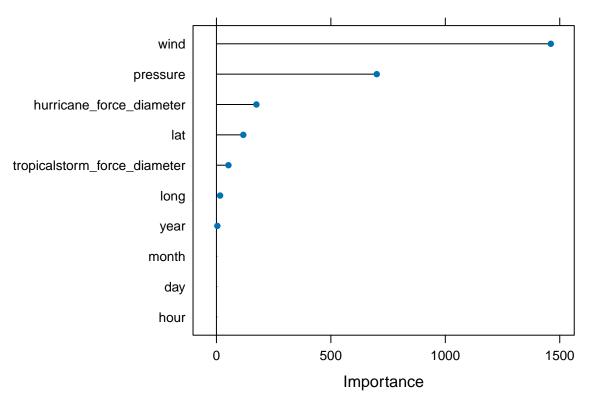
##

6 predictor

5 classes: '1', '2', '3', '4', '5'

• c: Generate a plot to visualize the variables by importance.

```
# Summarize importance
plot(var_imp)
```



• d: Rebuild your model with the top six variables only, based on the variable relevance analysis. Did this change have an effect on the accuracy?

```
storms_6vars <- storms %>% select(c("category", "wind", "pressure", "hurricane_force_diameter", "lat", "t
# train the model w/ top 6 vars
tree_prob4_b <- train(category ~., data = storms_6vars, control = hyper_prob4, trControl = train_contro
tree_prob4_b
## CART
##</pre>
```

```
##
## No pre-processing
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 1952, 1954, 1953, 1954, 1953, 1954, ...
## Resampling results:
##
## Accuracy Kappa
## 1 1

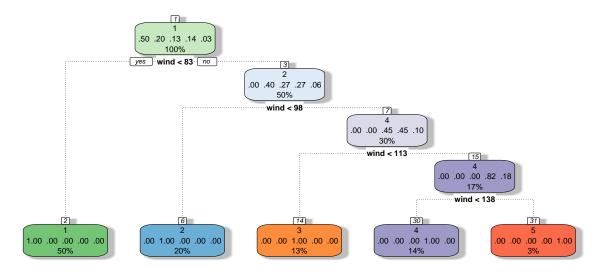
nodes_prob4 <- nrow(tree_prob4_b$finalModel$frame)
nodes_prob4</pre>
```

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With the use of only the top 6 variables, the model did not show any change on accuracy as it continued to have an accuracy rate of 100%.

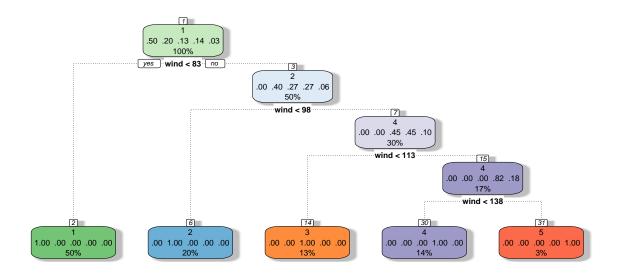
• e: Visualize the trees from (a) and (d) and report if reducing the number of variables had an effect on the size of the tree?

fancyRpartPlot(tree_prob4\$finalModel, caption = "Decision Tree for Storm Category")



Decision Tree for Storm Category

fancyRpartPlot(tree_prob4_b\$finalModel, caption = "Decision Tree for Storm Category with 6 Variables")



Decision Tree for Storm Category with 6 Variables

According to the decision trees that was trained from the entire data set and the data set with the top 6 important variables, there was no difference in performance, including regarding the size of the trees with the maximum depth parameter set to 20 and minimium split value of 10. These trees had a total of 9 nodes, including root, internal, and leaf nodes.