

Assignment 3 Random Forest  
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1. Parameters setting:

Number of the trees :  $N = 5$ ;

Number of the features: featureNum = 3, total 6 features. I choose ceiling  $\sqrt{6} = 3$ .

2.

The best accuracy that I got is:

Accuracy:

0.5756385068762279

3. Another experiment

Accuracy:

0.5399476096922069

feature: [0,3,5] : 0.5756385068762279

feature: [2,4,5]: 0.5140798952193845

feature: [0,1,4]:0.518664047151277

feature:[1,2,4]: 0.5225933202357563

feature:[3,4,5] :0.5756385068762279

As can be seen from this experiment, the tree that uses feature 3 and feature 5 got higher accuracy, this means that these two features are better. And the feature 4 is in four different trees, and the accuracies are different, which may imply feature 4 is not so important.

4. For the training data, each time I randomly choose 2/3 of the training set. Total rows of training are 12212, so randomly choosing the dataset the total number of rows are approximately 8141.