# hw5\_report

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## 1 CS189 Spring 2016: Introduction to Machine Learning

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#### 1.1.1 Decision Trees for Classification

In this homework, we will implement decision trees and random forests for classification on 2 datasets: 1. the spam data 2. a census income dataset

to predict whether or not a person makes over 50k in income. In lectures, we were given a basic introduction to decision trees and how such trees are trained. We were also introduced to random forests and boosting algorithms. We have freedom to research different decision tree techniques online.

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In [1]: import numpy as np
        import scipy.io as sio
        import pandas as pd
        from collections import Counter
        from operator import itemgetter
In [2]: spam_rawdata = sio.loadmat('./spam-dataset/spam_data.mat')
        census_rawdata = pd.read_csv('./census_data/train_data.csv')
In [98]: sp_test = spam_rawdata['test_data']
         sp_trainf = spam_rawdata['training_data']
         sp_trainv = spam_rawdata['training_labels'][0,]
1.1.2 Preprocessing
In [130]: census_rawdata.values.shape
          census_fv = census_rawdata.values[:,0:14]
          census_lb = census_rawdata.values[:,14]
          census_test = np.array(pd.read_csv('./census_data/test_data.csv').values)
In [131]: type(census_test[0,1])
Out[131]: str
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#### 1.1.3 Code for DecisionTree class

Choosing categorical data We keep the categories as strings. Then we implement functionality in decision trees to determine split rules based on the subsets of categorical variables that maximizes information gain.

**stopping condition** We stop growing tree when a node meets any of the following conditions:

- 1. limit the max depth of tree as 1000
- 2. give the lower bound on the number of data in a node as 10
- 3. more than 95% of labels are the majority label.

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In [159]: def hist_labels(labels):
              def f(n):
                  if n == 1:
                      return sum(labels)
                  else:
                      return len(labels) - sum(labels)
              return f
          def powerset(orig, newset):
              if orig == []:
                  return [newset]
              else:
                  res = []
                  for s in powerset(orig[1:], newset + [orig[0]]):
                      res.append(s)
                  for s in powerset(orig[1:], newset):
                      res.append(s)
                  return res
          class DecisionTree(object):
              def __init__(self, data, labels, limit):
                  self.root = None
                  self.values = Counter(labels).keys()
                  self.data = data
                  self.labels = labels
                  self.limit = limit
              def impurity(self, left_label_hist, right_label_hist):
                  '''A method that takes in the result of a split: two histograms
                  (a histogram is a mapping from label values to their frequencies)
                  that count the frequencies of labels on the "left" and "right" side of that split.
                  The method calculates and outputs a scalar value representing the impurity
                  (i.e. the "badness") of the specified split on the input data. '''
                  left_freq = [left_label_hist(i) for i in self.values]
                  right_freq = [right_label_hist(i) for i in self.values]
                  left_total = len(left_freq)
                  right_total = len(right_freq)
                  left_prob = [i/ left_total for i in left_freq]
                  right_prob = [ i/ right_total for i in right_freq]
                  left_loss = sum([-(p * np.log(p))/np.log(2) for p in left_prob])
                  right_loss = sum([-(p * np.log(p))/np.log(2) for p in right_prob])
                  return (left_total * left_loss + right_total * right_loss)/ (left_total + right_total
              def segmenter(self, data, labels):
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for a Node using the impurity measure and input data. There are many different types
segmenters you might implement, each with a different method of choosing a threshold.
The usual method is exhaustively trying lots of different threshold values from the d
and choosing the combination of split feature and threshold with the lowest impurity
The final split rule uses the split feature with the lowest impurity value and the th
seamenter.
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counter = Counter(labels)
keys = list(counter.keys())
freq = list(counter.values())
n = len(labels)
segment = []
temp = None
risk = 0
if freq[0]/n > 0.95:
    return keys[0]
elif freq[1]/n < 0.05:
   return keys[1]
elif sum(freq) < 10:</pre>
    if freq[0] > freq[1]:
        return keys[0]
    else:
        return keys[1]
else:
   num_feat = data.shape[1]
    for i in range(num_feat) :
        feat_values = data[ :,i]
        counter_fvalues = Counter(feat_values)
        fvkeys = list(counter_fvalues.keys())
        fvfreq = list(counter_fvalues.values())
        if len(fvkeys) == 1:
            continue
        elif type(feat_values[0]) == str :
            temp = self.segmenter_str(feat_values, labels,i)
        else:
            temp = self.segmenter_int(feat_values, labels,i)
        temp_segment = temp[0]
        temp_risk = temp[1]
        if risk == 0:
            risk = temp_risk
            segment = [i, temp_segment]
        elif risk > temp_risk:
            segment = [i, temp_segment]
            risk = temp_risk
    if risk == 0:
        if sum(labels) > 0.5:
            return 1
        else:
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'''A method that takes in data and labels. When called, it finds the best split rule

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else:
            return segment
def segmenter_int(self, values, labels, i):
   counter = Counter(values)
   uvalues = sorted(counter.keys())
   ufreq = [counter[i] for i in uvalues]
   pair = [[values[i], labels[i]] for i in range(len(values))]
   sort_pair = sorted(pair, key= itemgetter(0))
   sort_label = []
   count = 0
   risk = 0
   for i in range(len(uvalues)):
        sort_label.append([sort_pair[j][1] for j in range(count, count + ufreq[i])])
        count = count + ufreq[i]
   count = 0
   left_labels = []
   right_labels = sum(sort_label, [])
   for i in range(len(uvalues)-1):
        count = count + ufreq[i]
       left_labels = left_labels + sort_label[i]
       right_labels = right_labels[count:]
       left_histogram = hist_labels(left_labels)
       right_histogram = hist_labels(right_labels)
        temp_risk = self.impurity(left_histogram, right_histogram)
        if i == 0 :
            risk = temp_risk
            split = uvalues[i]
        elif risk > temp_risk:
            risk = temp_risk
            split = uvalues[i]
   def split_rule(x):
        if x == -1:
           return split
        else:
            return x > split
   return [split_rule, risk]
def segmenter_str(self, values, labels):
   print(0)
   counter = Counter(values)
   uvalues = sorted(counter.keys())
   ufreq = [counter[i] for i in uvalues]
   pair = [[values[i], labels[i]] for i in range(len(values))]
   sort_pair = sorted(pair, key= itemgetter(0))
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return 0

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sort_label = []
   count = 0
   for i in range(len(uvalues)):
        sort_label.append([sort_pair[j][1] for j in range(count, count + ufreq[i])])
       count = count + ufreq[i]
   count = 0
   left_labels = []
   right_labels = []
   risk = 0
   power_values = [1 for 1 in powerset([j for j in range(len(uvalues))],[])
                    if len(1) < len(uvalues)/2 and len(1) > 0
   for indice in power_values:
       left_labels = sum([sort_label[h] for h in indice],[])
       right_labels = sum([sort_label[h] for h in range(len(uvalues)) if h not in indice
       left_histogram = hist_labels(left_labels)
       right_histogram = hist_labels(right_labels)
       temp_risk = self.impurity(left_histogram, right_histogram)
       if risk == 0 :
           risk = temp_risk
            split = left_labels
        elif risk > temp_risk:
           risk = temp_risk
            split = left_labels
   def split_rule(x):
       return x in split
   return [split_rule, risk]
def train(self, data, labels):
   def construct_node(cdata, clabels, depth):
        segment = self.segmenter(cdata, clabels)
        if type(segment) != list:
           return Node(label = segment)
        elif depth > self.limit:
            if sum(clabels) > 0.5:
                temp_label = 1
            else:
                temp_label = 0
           return Node(label = temp_label )
        else:
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split_rule = segment[1]
                          split_fv = cdata[: , segment[0]]
                          split_cond = np.array([split_rule(i) for i in split_fv])
                          left_data = cdata[split_cond,:]
                          left_labels = clabels[split_cond]
                          right_data = cdata[~ split_cond,:]
                          right_labels = clabels[~split_cond]
                          return Node(split_rule= segment, left = construct_node(left_data, left_labels
                                      right = construct_node(right_data, right_labels, depth+1))
                  self.root = construct_node(data, labels, 0)
              def predict(self, data):
                  def test(feat, current):
                      if current.label != None:
                          return current.label
                      else:
                          current_rule = current.split_rule[1]
                          current_index = current.split_rule[0]
                          if current_rule(feat[current_index]):
                              return test(feat, current.left)
                          else:
                              return test(feat, current.right)
                  res = [test(data[i,:], self.root) for i in range(data.shape[0])]
                  return res
          class Node(object):
              def __init__(self, split_rule = None, left = None, right = None, label = None):
                  self.split_rule = split_rule
                  self.left = left
                  self.right = right
                  self.label = label
In [160]: test = DecisionTree(sp_trainf, sp_trainv, 100)
          test.train(sp_trainf, sp_trainv)
In [165]: print(test.root.split_rule[1](-1))
          print(test.root.split_rule)
          print(test.root.left.split_rule)
          print(test.root.right.split_rule)
          print(test.root.left.split_rule[1](-1))
          print(test.root.right.split_rule[1](-1))
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[8, <function DecisionTree.segmenter_int.<locals>.split_rule at 0x33e2b9d08>]
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#### Split conditions: For spam data,

- 1. 9th feature > 0.0
- 2. 3rd feature > 0.0
- 3. 23rd feature > 0.0

were the first three conditions that splits the data.

#### **Bagging**

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In [ ]: pred =[0 for i in range(5857)]
        for i in range(100):
            id0 = np.random.choice(sp_trainf.shape[0], 3000, replace = True)
            test.train(sp_trainf[id0, :], sp_trainv[id0])
            pred0 = test.predict(sp_test)
           pred = [(pred[i] + pred0[i]) for i in range(5857)]
In [101]: sp_test = [1*(pred[i] > 50) for i in range(5857)]
          sp_pred = np.asarray([[i+1, sp_test[i]] for i in np.arange(5857)])
          np.savetxt('sp_test2.csv', sp_pred, fmt = '%1.u', delimiter = ',', header = 'Id, Category', co
In [136]: test2 = DecisionTree(census_fv, census_lb, 100)
In [137]: id0 = np.random.choice(census_fv.shape[0], 1000, replace = True)
          test2.train(census_fv[id0,:], census_lb[id0])
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        <ipython-input-132-484401d796de> in train(self, data, labels)
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def predict(self, data):

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              pred = [(pred[i] + pred0[i]) for i in range(5857)]
Out[111]: (32724, 14)
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**Kaggle score** This results in Kaggle score 0.6837 for spam data.