Course name: Data Science (ITE4005)

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## < Programming Assignment #2 >

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### 1. Environment

- OS: Windows, Mac OS, or Linux
- Languages: Java or Python (any version is ok)
- 2. Goal: Build a decision tree, and then classify the test set using it

## 3. Requirements

The program must meet the following requirements:

- Execution file name: **dt.exe** (or, dt.py, dt.etc...)
- Execute the program with three arguments: training file name, test file name, output file name
  - Example:

## C:\}dt.exe dt\_train.txt dt\_test.txt dt\_result.txt

- Training file name='dt\_train.txt', test file name='dt\_test.txt', output file name='dt\_result.txt'
- If using python, you are allowed to use 'dt.py' file instead of 'dy.exe'.
- Dataset
  - We provide you with 2 datasets
    - Buy computer: dt train.txt, dt test.txt
    - Car\_evaluation: dt\_train1.txt, dt\_test1.txt
  - You need to make your program that can deal with **any** datasets
  - We will evaluate your program with other datasets. (format will be the same)
- File format for a training set

```
[attribute_name_1]\t[attribute_name_2]\t ... [attribute_name_n]\n
[attribute_1]\t[attribute_2]\t ... [attribute_n]\n
[attribute_1]\t[attribute_2]\t ... [attribute_n]\n
[attribute_1]\t[attribute_2]\t ... [attribute_n]\n
```

**attribute** name 1 - [attribute name n]: n attribute names

- - *n-1* attribute values of the corresponding tuple
  - All the attributes are **categorical** (not continuous-valued)
- [attribute\_n]: a class label that the corresponding tuple belongs to
- Example 1 (data train.txt):

```
age
        income student credit_rating
                                          Class:buys_computer
<=30
        high
                no
                         fair
                                          no
                         excellent
<=30
        high
                                          no
                no
                                          yes
31...40
        high
                no
                         fair
>40
        medium no
                         fair
                                          yes
```

Figure 1. An example of the first training set.

■ Example 2 (data\_train1.txt):

buying	maint	doors	persons	lug_boo	t	safety	car_evaluation
high	high	3	4	big	low	unacc	
med	high	2	2	small	med	unacc	
low	med	5more	2	big	high	unacc	
low	high	2	4	med	low	unacc	
med	vhigh	4	2	med	med	unacc	

Figure 2. An example of the second training set.

- Data name: car evaluation database
- Attribute values
  - Buying: vhigh, high, med, low
  - Maint: vhigh, high, med, low
  - Doors: 2, 3, 4, 5more
  - Persons: 2, 4, more
  - Lug\_boot: small, med, big
  - Safety: low, med, high
- Class labels: unacc, acc, good, vgood
- Number of instances: training set 1,382; test set 346
- Attribute selection measure: information gain, gain ratio, or gini index
- File format for a test set

- The test set does not have [attribute\_name\_n] (class label)
- Example 1 (dt\_test.txt):

```
age income student credit_rating
<=30 low no fair
<=30 medium yes fair
31...40 low no fair
```

Figure 3. An example of the first test set.

■ Example 2 (dt\_test1.txt):

buying	maint	doors	persons	lug_bo	ot	safety
med	vhigh	2	4	med	med	
low	high	4	4	small	low	
high	vhigh	4	4	med	med	
high	vhigh	4	more	big	low	
low	high	3	more	med	low	

Figure 4. An example of the second test set.

#### Output file format

```
[attribute_name_1]\t[attribute_name_2]\t ... [attribute_name_n]\n
[attribute_1]\t[attribute_2]\t ... [attribute_n]\n
[attribute_1]\t[attribute_2]\t ... [attribute_n]\n
[attribute_1]\t[attribute_2]\t ... [attribute_n]\n
```

- Output file name: dt\_result.txt (for 1th dataset), dt\_result1.txt (for 2<sup>nd</sup> dataset)
- You must print the following values:
  - [attribute\_1] ~ [attribute\_n-1]: given attribute values in the test set
  - [attribute\_n]: a class label predicted by your model for the corresponding tuple
- Please **DO NOT CHANGE the order of the tuples** in each test set when you print your outputs
- Please be sure to use \t to identify your attributes.

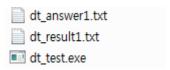
#### 5. Submission

- Please submit the program files and the report to GitLab
  - Report
    - File format must be \*.pdf.
    - Guideline
      - ✓ Summary of your algorithm
      - ✓ Detailed description of your codes (for each function)
      - ✓ Instructions for compiling your source codes at TA's computer (e.g. screenshot) (*Important!!*)
      - ✓ Any other specification of your implementation and testing
  - Program and code
    - An executable file
      - ✓ If you are in the following two cases, please submit alternative files (e.g., .py file, jar file, makefile)
        - 1. You cannot meet the requirements (.exe file) of the programming assignment due to your computing environment (ex. Mac OS or Linux)
        - 2. You are using python for implementing your program

- ✓ You MUST SUBMIT instructions for compiling your source codes. If TAs read your instructions but cannot compile your program, you will get a penalty. Please, write the instructions carefully.
- All source files

# 6. Testing program

• Please put the following files in a same directory: Testing program, your output files (dt\_result.txt, dt\_result1.txt), an attached answer file (dt\_answer.txt, dt\_answer1.txt)



• Execute the testing program with two arguments (answer file name and your output file name)

Check your score for the input file

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- the number of your correct prediction / the number of correct answers
- The test program was build with program 'mono'. So, even if you are using mac or linux instead of window, you can run dt test.exe using C# mono.

#### 7. Penalty

- Late submission
  - 1 week delay: 20%
  - 2 weeks delay: 50%
  - Delay more than 2 weeks: 100%
- Requirements unsatisfied
  - Penalty up to 100% will be given depending on how the requirements are well-satisfied