

### Part I: Pen and paper

1. Complete the given decision tree using Information gain with Shannon entropy ( $\log_2$ ). Consider that:  
i) a minimum of 4 observations is required to split an internal node, and ii) decisions by ascending alphabetic order should be placed in case of ties.

	$Y_1$	$Y_2$	$Y_3$	$Y_4$	$Y_{out}$
$x_6$	0.68	2	2	1	A
$x_7$	0.9	0	1	2	A
$x_8$	0.76	2	2	0	A
$x_9$	0.46	1	1	1	B
$x_{10}$	0.62	0	0	1	B
$x_{11}$	0.44	1	2	2	C
$x_{12}$	0.52	0	2	0	C

Para a escolha da variável, utiliza-se o ganho de informação

$$IG(Y_i) = H(Y_{out}) - E(Y_{out} | Y_i, Y_i > 0.4)$$

$$H(Y_{out}) = -\sum P_{Y_{out}} \log_2 P_{Y_{out}}$$

$$= -\left(\frac{3}{7} \log_2 \frac{3}{7} + \frac{2}{7} \log_2 \frac{2}{7} + \frac{2}{7} \log_2 \frac{2}{7}\right)$$

$$\approx 1,5567$$

$$H(Y_{out} | Y_2, Y_i > 0.4) = \frac{3}{7} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{3} \log_2 \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} \log_2 \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} \log_2 \frac{1}{3}\right)\right) + \frac{2}{7} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2}\right)\right) + \frac{2}{7} (-\log_2 1) \approx 0,9650$$

$$IG(Y_{out} | Y_2, Y_i > 0.4) = 1,5567 - 0,9650 = 0,5917$$

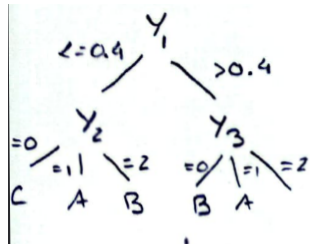
$$H(Y_{out} | Y_3, Y_i > 0.4) = \frac{1}{7} (-\log_2 1) + \frac{2}{7} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2}\right)\right) + \frac{4}{7} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2}\right)\right) \approx 0,8571$$

$$IG(Y_{out} | Y_3, Y_i > 0.4) = 1,5567 - 0,8571 = \boxed{0,6996}$$

$$H(Y_{out} | Y_4, Y_i > 0.4) = \frac{2}{7} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2}\right)\right) + \frac{3}{7} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{3} \log_2 \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \log_2 \frac{2}{3}\right)\right) + \frac{2}{7} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2}\right)\right) \approx 0,9650$$

$$IG(Y_{out} | Y_4, Y_i > 0.4) = 1,5567 - 0,9650 = 0,5917$$

A variável  $Y_3$  é a que apresenta um maior ganho de informação



- Por observação da tabela, existe uma observação  $Y_3=0$  onde  $Y_{out}=B$

- Existem 2 observações com  $Y_3=1$ , que levam a  $Y_{out}=A$  e  $Y_{out}=B$ , escolhendo por ordem alfabética a folha fica com A

- Existem 4 observações com  $Y_3=2$ , sendo este ramo o próximo a expandir

$$H(Y_{out}) = -\left(\frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2}\right) = 1$$

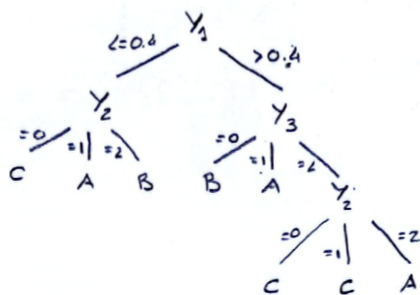
$$H(Y_{out} | Y_2, Y_1 > 0.4, Y_3 = 2) = \frac{1}{4} (-1 \log_2 1) + \frac{1}{4} (-1 \log_2 1) + \frac{1}{2} (1 \log_2 1) = 0$$

$$IG(Y_{out} | Y_2, Y_1 > 0.4, Y_3 = 2) = 1 - 0 = \underline{1}$$

$$H(Y_{out} | Y_1, Y_1 > 0.4, Y_3 = 2) = \frac{1}{2} \left(-\left(\frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1}{2}\right)\right) + \frac{1}{4} (-1 \log_2 1) + \frac{1}{4} (-1 \log_2 1) = 0.5$$

$$IG(Y_{out} | Y_1, Y_1 > 0.4, Y_3 = 2) = 1 - 0.5 = 0.5$$

$Y_2$  tem o maior ganho de informação



Por observação da tabela

para  $Y_2=0$  o output é C

para  $Y_2=1$  o output é C

para  $Y_2=2$  o output é A

2. Draw the training confusion matrix for the learnt decision tree.

D		$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$	$x_4$	$x_5$	$x_6$	$x_7$	$x_8$	$x_9$	$x_{10}$	$x_{11}$	$x_{12}$
Real		A	B	B	C	C	A	A	A	B	B	C	C
Previsão		A	B	C	C	C	A	A	A	A	B	C	C

		Real		
		A	B	C
Previsão	A	4	1	0
	B	0	2	0
	C	0	1	4

Matriz de Confusão

3. Identify which class has the lowest training F1 score.

$$\text{Precision}_A = \frac{TP_A}{TP_A + FP_A} = \frac{4}{4+1} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{Recall}_A = \frac{TP_A}{TP_A + FN_A} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

$$\text{F1-score}_A = 2 \times \frac{\frac{4}{5} \times 1}{\frac{4}{5} + 1} = \frac{8}{9}$$

A fórmula do F1 score para  $\beta = 1$  e  $\alpha = 0.5$  é:

$$\text{F1-score} = \frac{2 \times \text{Precision} \times \text{Recall}}{\text{Precision} + \text{Recall}}$$

$$\text{Precision}_B = \frac{TP_B}{TP_B + FP_B} = \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

$$\text{Recall}_B = \frac{TP_B}{TP_B + FN_B} = \frac{2}{1+2+1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{F1-score}_B = 2 \times \frac{1 \times \frac{1}{2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{Precision}_C = \frac{TP_C}{TP_C + FP_C} = \frac{4}{1+4} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{Recall}_C = \frac{TP_C}{TP_C + FN_C} = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

$$\text{F1-score}_C = 2 \times \frac{\frac{4}{5} \times 1}{\frac{4}{5} + 1} = \frac{8}{9}$$

A classe B é a que apresenta menor F1 score

4. Considering  $y_2$  to be ordinal, assess if  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are correlated using the Spearman coefficient.

	$y_1$	$y_2$	$R(y_1)$	$R(y_2)$	(1) $R(y_1) - \overline{R(y_1)}$	(2) $R(y_2) - \overline{R(y_2)}$	(1) $\times$ (2)
$x_1$	0.24	1	3	8	-3,5	1,5	-5,25
$x_2$	0.06	2	2	11	-4,5	4,5	-20,25
$x_3$	0.04	0	1	3,5	-5,5	-3	16,50
$x_4$	0.36	0	5	3,5	-1,5	-3	4,50
$x_5$	0.32	0	4	3,5	-2,5	-3	7,50
$x_6$	0.68	2	10	11	3,5	4,5	15,75
$x_7$	0.9	0	12	3,5	5,5	-3	-16,50
$x_8$	0.76	2	11	11	4,5	4,5	20,25
$x_9$	0.46	1	7	8	0,5	1,5	0,75
$x_{10}$	0.62	0	9	3,5	2,5	-3	-7,50
$x_{11}$	0.44	1	6	8	-0,5	1,5	-0,75
$x_{12}$	0.52	0	8	3,5	1,5	-3	-4,50
$\overline{R(y_1)} = 6,5$ $\overline{R(y_2)} = 6,5$							10,5

$$r_s(y_1, y_2) = \frac{\text{COV}(R(y_1), R(y_2))}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(R(y_1))} \sqrt{\text{Var}(R(y_2))}}$$

$$\text{Var}(R(y_1)) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(R(y_{1i}) - \overline{R(y_1)})^2}{n-1} = \frac{143}{11}$$

$$\text{Var}(R(y_2)) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(R(y_{2i}) - \overline{R(y_2)})^2}{n-1} = \frac{121,5}{11}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{COV}(R(y_1), R(y_2)) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(R(y_{1i}) - \overline{R(y_1)})(R(y_{2i}) - \overline{R(y_2)})}{n-1} \\ &= \frac{10,5}{11} = 0,95 \end{aligned}$$

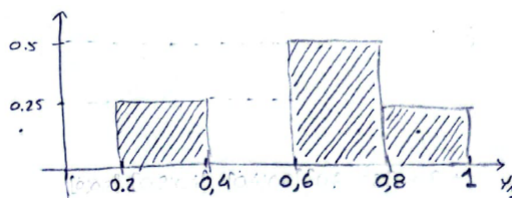
$$r_s(y_1, y_2) = \frac{0,95}{\sqrt{\frac{143}{11}} \times \sqrt{\frac{121,5}{11}}} = 0,0797$$

Como o valor de correlação entre as duas variáveis está muito próximo de 0, é possível concluir que as variáveis  $y_1$  e  $y_2$  estão pouco relacionadas.

5. Draw the class-conditional relative histograms of  $y_1$  using 5 equally spaced bins in  $[0, 1]$ .

	$y_1$	$y_{\text{out}}$
$x_1$	0.24	A
$x_6$	0.68	A
$x_3$	0.9	A
$x_8$	0.76	A

bins:  $[0; 0.2]$   $[0.2; 0.4]$   $[0.4; 0.6]$   $[0.6; 0.8]$   $[0.8; 1]$



$$h_{\text{bin}2} = \frac{1}{4} = 0.25 \cdot 2$$

$$h_{\text{bin}4} = \frac{2}{4} = 0.5$$

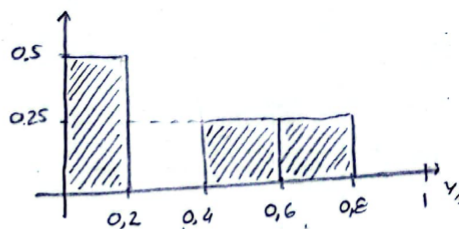
$$h_{\text{bin}5} = \frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$

	$y_1$	$y_{\text{out}}$
$x_2$	0.06	B
$x_3$	0.04	B
$x_9$	0.46	B
$x_{10}$	0.61	B

$$h_{\text{bin}1} = \frac{2}{4} = 0.5$$

$$h_{\text{bin}3} = \frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$

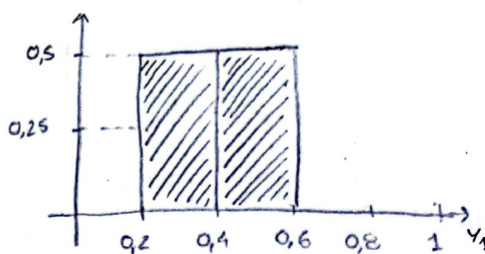
$$h_{\text{bin}4} = \frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$



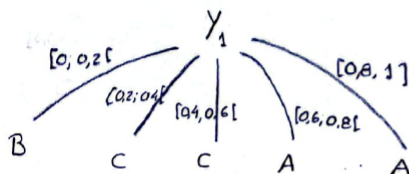
	$y_1$	$y_{\text{out}}$
$x_4$	0.36	C
$x_5$	0.32	C
$x_{11}$	0.44	C
$x_{12}$	0.55	C

$$h_{\text{bin}2} = \frac{2}{4} = 0.5$$

$$h_{\text{bin}3} = \frac{2}{4} = 0.5$$



Challenge: find the root split using the discriminant rules from these empirical distributions.



Pela observação dos histogramas condicionados à classe é possível criar uma árvore de decisão de um só nível onde cada ramo corresponde ao intervalo de um bin (0,2) e a folha, à classe com maior proporção dos 3 histogramas.



## Part II: Programming

1. Apply `f_classif` from `sklearn` to assess the discriminative power of the input variables. Identify the input variable with the highest and lowest discriminative power. Plot the class-conditional probability density functions of these two input variables.

```
1 from sklearn.feature_selection import f_classif
2 import pandas as pd
3 from scipy.io.arff import loadarff
4 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
5 import seaborn as sns
6
7 data = loadarff('column_diagnosis.arff')
8 df = pd.DataFrame(data[0])
9
10 f_values = f_classif(df.iloc[:, :-1], df.iloc[:, -1])[0]
11
12 # Variable with lowest discriminative power
13 lowest = df.columns[f_values.argmin()]
14
15 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
16 plt.hist(df[lowest][df['class'] == b'Hernia'], alpha=0.2, color='blue',
17          ↪ density=True)
18 plt.hist(df[lowest][df['class'] == b'Spondylolisthesis'], alpha=0.2,
19          ↪ color='orange', density=True)
20 plt.hist(df[lowest][df['class'] == b'Normal'], alpha=0.2, color='green',
21          ↪ density=True)
22 df[lowest][df['class'] == b'Hernia'].plot(kind='kde', label='Hernia',
23          ↪ color='blue')
24 df[lowest][df['class'] == b'Spondylolisthesis'].plot(kind='kde',
25          ↪ label='Spondylolisthesis', color='orange')
26 df[lowest][df['class'] == b'Normal'].plot(kind='kde', label='Normal',
27          ↪ color='green')
28 plt.xlabel('Pelvic Radius')
29 plt.ylabel('Probability Density')
30 plt.xlim(50, 190)
31 plt.legend()
32 plt.show()
33
34 # Variable with highest discriminative power
35 highest = df.columns[f_values.argmax()]
36
37 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
38 plt.hist(df[highest][df['class'] == b'Hernia'], alpha=0.2, color='blue',
39          ↪ density=True)
40 plt.hist(df[highest][df['class'] == b'Spondylolisthesis'], alpha=0.2,
41          ↪ color='orange', density=True)
42 plt.hist(df[highest][df['class'] == b'Normal'], alpha=0.2, color='green',
43          ↪ density=True)
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35 df[highest][df['class'] == b'Hernia'].plot(kind='kde', label='Hernia',
↪   color='blue')
36 df[highest][df['class'] == b'Spondylolisthesis'].plot(kind='kde',
↪   label='Spondylolisthesis', color='orange')
37 df[highest][df['class'] == b'Normal'].plot(kind='kde', label='Normal',
↪   color='green')
38 plt.xlabel('Degree of Spondylolisthesis')
39 plt.ylabel('Probability Density')
40 plt.xlim(-100, 500)
41 plt.legend()
42 plt.show()

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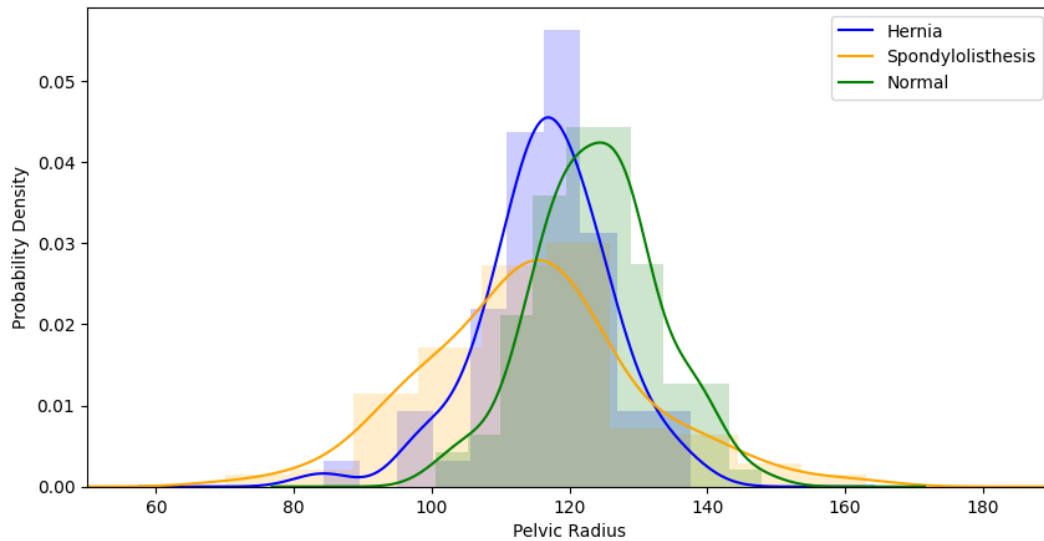


Figure 1: Variable with lowest discriminative power

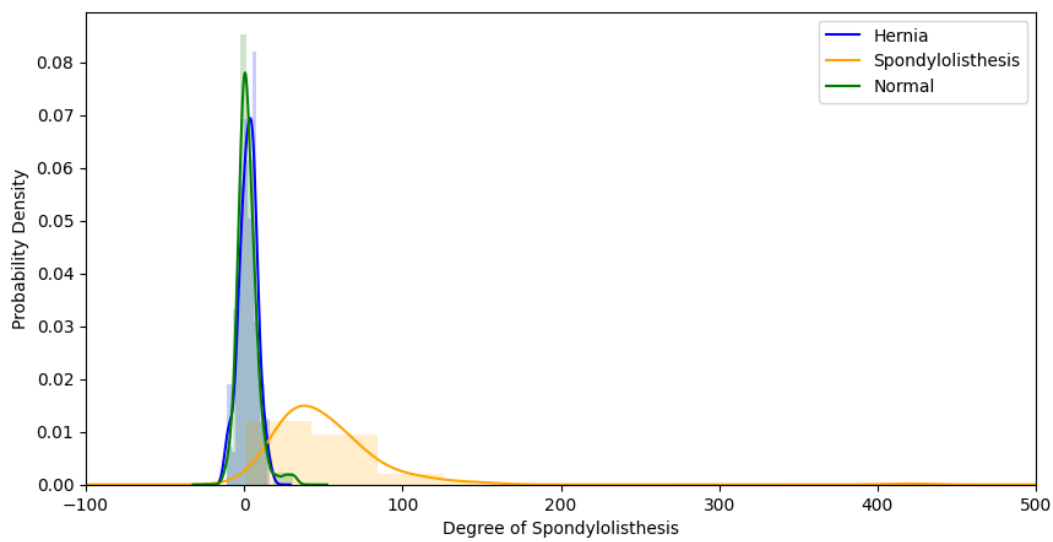


Figure 2: Variable with highest discriminative power

2. Using a stratified 70-30 training-testing split with a fixed seed (`random_state=0`), assess in a single plot both the training and testing accuracies of a decision tree with depth limits in  $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10\}$  and the remaining parameters as default.

[optional] Note that split thresholding of numeric variables in decision trees is non-deterministic in `sklearn`, hence you may opt to average the results using 10 runs per parameterization.

```
1 import numpy as np
2 from sklearn import tree
3 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
4 from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
5
6 x = df.iloc[:, :-1]
7 y = df.iloc[:, -1]
8
9 x_train, x_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(x, y, stratify=y, test_size =
    ↳ 0.3, random_state=0)
10 x_train = x_train.astype(np.float64)
11 y_train = y_train.astype(str)
12 x_test = x_test.astype(np.float64)
13 y_test = y_test.astype(str)
14
15 max_depth = (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10)
16 train_accuracy = []
17 test_accuracy = []
18
19 for depth in max_depth:
20     train = []
21     test = []
22     for i in range(10):
23         predictor = tree.DecisionTreeClassifier(max_depth=depth)
24         predictor.fit(x_train, y_train)
25         train_predictions = predictor.predict(x_train)
26         test_predictions = predictor.predict(x_test)
27         train.append(accuracy_score(y_train, train_predictions, normalize=True))
28         test.append(accuracy_score(y_test, test_predictions, normalize=True))
29     train_accuracy.append(np.mean(train))
30     test_accuracy.append(np.mean(test))
31
32 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
33 plt.plot(max_depth, train_accuracy, label='Train Accuracy', marker='x')
34 plt.plot(max_depth, test_accuracy, label='Test Accuracy', marker='x')
35 plt.xlabel('Max Depth')
36 plt.ylabel('Accuracy')
37 plt.grid()
38 plt.legend()
39 plt.show()
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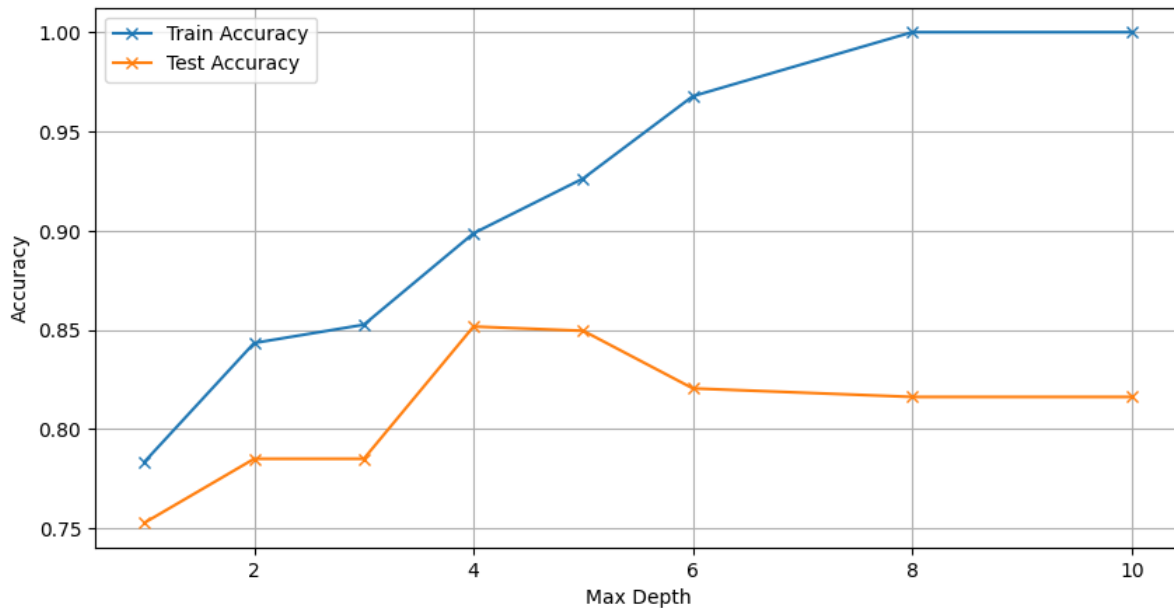


Figure 3: Training and Testing Accuracy

3. Comment on the results, including the generalization capacity across settings.

Podemos observar que a exatidão aumenta com a profundidade máxima no grupo de treino, enquanto que no grupo de teste a exatidão é mais elevada com profundidade máxima 4 ou 5, diminuindo de seguida. Esta diminuição é um exemplo de *overfitting* do modelo, sendo que este modelo poderia beneficiar de uma profundidade máxima dentro das mencionadas acima, assim como de *pruning* (remoção dos ramos menos fiáveis da *decision tree*).

4. To deploy the predictor, a healthcare team opted to learn a single decision tree (`random_state=0`) using all available data as training data, and further ensuring that each leaf has a minimum of 20 individuals in order to avoid overfitting risks.

- i) Plot the decision tree.

```

1 a = df.iloc[:, :-1]
2 b = df.iloc[:, -1]
3 a = a.astype(np.float64)
4 b = b.astype(str)
5
6 predictor = tree.DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=0, min_samples_leaf=20)
7 predictor.fit(a, b)
8 plt.figure(figsize=(20, 10))
9 tree.plot_tree(predictor, filled=True,
    ↪ feature_names=predictor.feature_names_in_,
    ↪ class_names=predictor.classes_)
10 plt.show()
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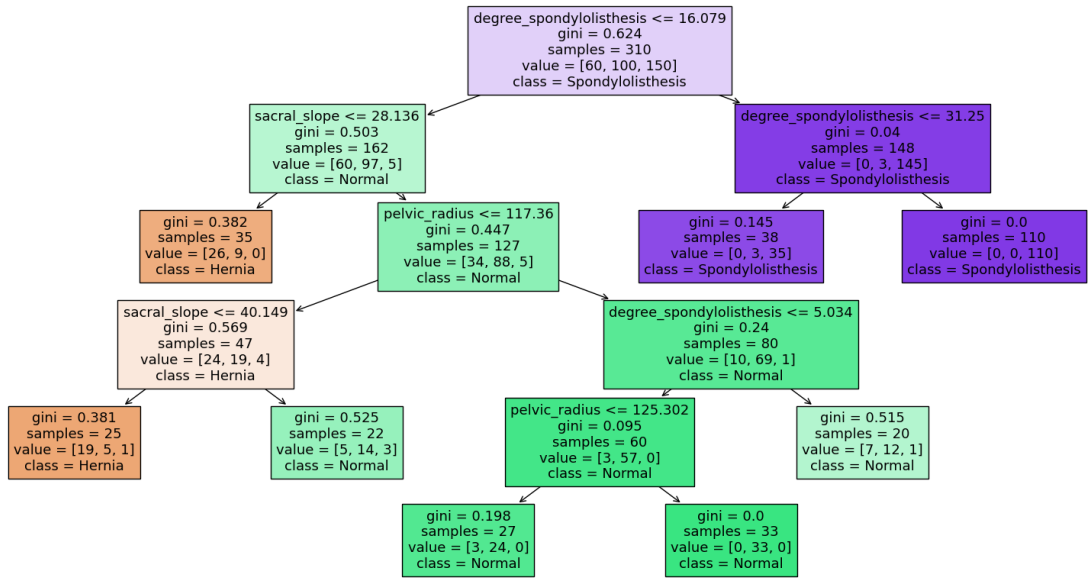


Figure 4: Decision Tree

ii) Characterize a hernia condition by identifying the hernia-conditional associations.

As condições que caraterizam uma hernia são:

$$\text{degree\_spondylolisthesis} \leq 16.079 \\ \wedge (\text{sacral\_slope} \leq 28.136 \vee (\text{pelvic\_radius} \leq 117.36 \wedge \text{sacral\_slope} \leq 40.149))$$