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Homework 3

1.

- a. How many levels are there in the decision tree?

There are 3 levels in this decision tree.

- b. What is the default class label associated with each vertex?

Level 1, Vertex 1: Default class label is setosa

Level 2, Vertex 2: Default class label is setosa

Level 2, Vertex 3: Default class label is versicolor

Level 3, Vertex 4: Default class label is versicolor

Level 3, Vertex 5: Default class label is virginica

- c. Starting from the root node, what is the name of the first attribute used for a decision, and what are the split points?

Level 1, split on attribute: Petal.Length

Split points: < 2.45 left subtree, ≥ 2.45 right subtree

Level 2, split on attribute: Petal. Width

Split Points: < 0.8 left subtree, ≥ 0.8 right subtree

- d. Each vertex has three lines.

- i. At each vertex, what do the three numbers in the middle line signify?

The three numbers in the middle represented the probability of each flower species being in that vertex.

- ii. At each vertex, what does the last line signify?

The last line signifies the amount of data that is in that vertex from the original dataframe.