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entropy

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Calculates Shannon's entropy

# Description

```
Formula: H(S) = -P_i * \sum log_2 * P_i, where P_i is the probability of the corresponding i-th class
```

# Usage

```
entropy(df, classAtt)
```

# **Arguments**

df A discrete data.frame

 ${\tt classAtt} \qquad \qquad A \; {\tt class} \; {\tt column} \; {\tt of} \; {\tt the} \; {\tt df} \; ({\tt string})$ 

# Value

The Shannon's entropy of the df, based on the classAtt attribute

```
entropy(golf, "Play")
```

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golf

Golf example dataset for Interaction graphs

# **Description**

An example dataset containing the discrete data.frame (i.e. all columns are factors) with variables used as an input for making a decision whether a party of golf would be played, or not.

#### Usage

golf

#### **Format**

A data.frame with 6 discrete variables (i.e. factors) and 14 rows (i.e. observations). 5 input variables and 1 class (i.e. context) variable:

Outlook Input attribute, values: Overcast, Rainy, Sunny Temperature Input attribute, values: Cool, Hot, Mild Humidity Input attribute, values: High, Normal Windy Input attribute, values: True, False

**Others** Artifically added input attribute indicating whether the players on the other courts were playing the golf at the given time, values: Yes, No

**Play** Class attribute, indicating whether the decision was to play or not to play a party of golf, values: Yes, No

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ig

Constructs Interaction Graph (S3 class)

# Description

Constructs Interaction Graph (S3 class)

# Usage

```
ig(n, e)
```

# Arguments

```
n ig.nodes (a list of igNode objects)
e ig.edges (a list of igEdge objects)
```

#### Value

An instance of the ig class

igNode igNode

 ${\tt igEdge}$ 

Constructs Interaction Graph Edges (S3 class)

# **Description**

Constructs Interaction Graph Edges (S3 class)

# Usage

```
igEdge(n1, n2, w)
```

# Arguments

w igEdge.weight (i.e. 3-way Interaction Gain) (double)

#### Value

An instance of the igEdge class

igNode

Constructs Interaction Graph Nodes (S3 class)

# Description

Constructs Interaction Graph Nodes (S3 class)

# Usage

```
igNode(n, v)
```

# Arguments

n igNode.name (character)

v igNode.value (double) (i.e. 2-way Interaction Gain)

# Value

An instance of the igNode class

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igToGrViz

Exports Interaction graph to a GraphViz file

# **Description**

Exports Interaction graph to a GraphViz file

#### Usage

```
igToGrViz(ig, path = "", fName = "InteractionGraph")
```

# **Arguments**

ig Interaction graph

path The folder in which to write the GraphViz file;

fName The name of the file to be created; "InteractionGraph" by default

#### Value

Writes the ig interaction graph to a GraphViz .gv file to the folder specified in the path

# **Examples**

```
#create temp dir path with slashes
myDir <- gsub("\\\", "/", tempdir())

#create interaction graph
g <- interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10)

#write to 'graphviz' file
igToGrViz(g, path = myDir, fName = "MyGraph")</pre>
```

igToPDF

Exports Interaction graph to a PDF file

# Description

Exports Interaction graph to a PDF file

# Usage

```
igToPDF(ig, path = "", fName = "InteractionGraph", h = 2000)
```

igToPNG

#### **Arguments**

ig Interaction graph

path The folder in which to write the PDF file;

fName The name of the file to be created; "InteractionGraph" by default

h Desired height of the image in pixels; 2000px by default

#### Value

Writes the ig interaction graph to a PDF (.pdf) file to the folder specified in the path

#### **Examples**

```
#create temp dir path with slashes
myDir <- gsub("\\\", "/", tempdir())

#create interaction graph
g <- interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10)

#write to PDF
igToPDF(g, path = myDir, fName = "MyGraph", h = 2000)</pre>
```

igToPNG

Exports Interaction graph to a PNG file

# Description

Exports Interaction graph to a PNG file

# Usage

```
igToPNG(ig, path = "", fName = "InteractionGraph", h = 2000)
```

# **Arguments**

ig Interaction graph

path The folder in which to write the PNG file;

fName The name of the file to be created; "InteractionGraph" by default

h Desired height of the image in pixels; 2000px by default

#### Value

Writes the ig interaction graph to a PNG (.png) file to the folder specified in the path

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#### **Examples**

```
#create temp dir path with slashes
myDir <- gsub("\\\", "/", tempdir())

#create interaction graph
g <- interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10)

#write to PNG
igToPNG(g, path = myDir, fName = "MyGraph", h = 2000)</pre>
```

igToPS

Exports Interaction graph to a PS (PostScript) file

# Description

Exports Interaction graph to a PS (PostScript) file

#### Usage

```
igToPS(ig, path = "", fName = "InteractionGraph", h = 2000)
```

# Arguments

ig Interaction graph
path The folder in which to write the PS file;
fName The name of the file to be created; "InteractionGraph" by default

h Desired height of the image in pixels; 2000px by default

#### Value

Writes the ig interaction graph to a PostScript (.ps) file to the folder specified in the path

```
#create temp dir path with slashes
myDir <- gsub("\\\", "/", tempdir())

#create interaction graph
g <- interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10)

#write to PS
igToPS(g, path = myDir, fName = "MyGraph", h = 2000)</pre>
```

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Exports Interaction graph to a SVG file

# Description

Exports Interaction graph to a SVG file

#### Usage

```
igToSVG(ig, path = "", fName = "InteractionGraph", h = 2000)
```

#### **Arguments**

ig Interaction graph

path The folder in which to write the SVG file;

fName The name of the file to be created; "InteractionGraph" by default

h Desired height of the image in pixels; 2000px by default

#### Value

Writes the ig interaction graph to a SVG (.svg) file to the folder specified in the path

# **Examples**

```
#create temp dir path with slashes
myDir <- gsub("\\\", "/", tempdir())

#create interaction graph
g <- interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10)

#write to SVG
igToSVG(g, path = myDir, fName = "MyGraph", h = 2000)</pre>
```

infoGain

Calculates Information Gain (2-way Interaction Gain) of a discrete data.frame

# **Description**

InfoGAIN = H(S) - H(S|X), where H(S) is the difference in the Shannon's entropy of the system S before a new attribute X is introduced, and H(S|X) is the entropy of the system after the attribute X has been introduced.

#### Usage

```
infoGain(df, inAtt, classAtt)
```

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# **Arguments**

df A discrete data. frame

inAtt An input column of the data.frame df (string)
classAtt A class column of the data.frame df (string)

# Value

The Information Gain of df on the class attribute classAtt

#### **Examples**

```
infoGain(golf, "Windy", "Play")
infoGain(golf, "Outlook", "Play")
```

interactionGraph

Creates Interaction graph

# Description

Creates Interaction graph

#### Usage

```
interactionGraph(df, classAtt, intNo = 16, speedUp = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

df A discrete data.frame

classAtt A class column of the df (string)

intNo A desired number of interactions to show, i.e. an (integer) in range: [2,20];

Default value is 16.

speedUp A (boolean) parameter. If TRUE, indicates whether the pairs of attributes with

Information Gain equal to zero (on the 4th decimal) should be pruned. This speeds up calculations for larger datasets. By default it is turned off (i.e. set to

FALSE).

#### Value

An interaction graph object (string)

```
interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10)
interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10, speedUp = FALSE)
interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10, speedUp = TRUE)
```

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interactions3Way

Calculates 3-Way Interactions

#### **Description**

Formula: I(X;Y;C) = I(X,Y;C) - IG(X;C) - IG(Y;C), where I(X;Y;C) is 3-way Interaction gain of the attributes X and Y, given the context (i.e. class) attribute C. Hence, I(X,Y;C) is a joint 2-way interaction gain (i.e. Information Gain) of the attributes X and Y, and I(X;C) and I(Y;C) are 2-way Interaction gains (i.e. Information Gains) of the attributes X and Y, respectively.

#### Usage

```
interactions3Way(df, classAtt, speedUp = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

df A discrete data.frame

classAtt A class column of the df (string)

speedUp A (boolean) parameter. If TRUE, indicates whether the pairs of attributes with

Information Gain equal to zero (on the 4th decimal) should be pruned. This speeds up calculations for larger datasets. By default it is turned off (i.e. set to

FALSE).

#### Value

A list with a: 1) data frame with 3-way interactions, 2)list of 2-way interactions of the input attributes

# **Examples**

```
interactions3Way(golf, "Play")
interactions3Way(golf, "Play", speedUp = TRUE)
interactions3Way(golf, "Play", speedUp = FALSE)
```

isDiscreteDataFrame

Tests if data.frame is discrete (i.e. all of its columns are factors)

# **Description**

Tests if data.frame is discrete (i.e. all of its columns are factors)

# Usage

```
isDiscreteDataFrame(df)
```

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# Arguments

df

A data.frame

# Value

Boolean: TRUE if all columns of the data.frame df are factors, FALSE otherwise; If the provided df object is of other type than data.frame, the function throws an error.

# Examples

```
isDiscreteDataFrame(golf)
```

plotIntGraph

Plots Interaction graph

# Description

Plots Interaction graph

# Usage

```
plotIntGraph(ig)
```

# Arguments

ig

Interaction graph

#### Value

Plots the ig

```
plotIntGraph(interactionGraph(golf, "Play", intNo = 10))
```

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print.ig

Print generic method for Interaction Graph (S3 class)

# Description

Print generic method for Interaction Graph (S3 class)

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ig'
print(intGraph)
```

# Arguments

intGraph

An (ig) object

# Value

Print (ig) object

print.igEdge

Print generic method for Interaction Graph Edges (S3 class)

# Description

Print generic method for Interaction Graph Edges (S3 class)

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'igEdge'
print(edge)
```

# **Arguments**

edge

An (igEdge) object

#### Value

Print (igEdge) object

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print.igNode

Print generic method for Interaction Graph Nodes (S3 class)

# Description

Print generic method for Interaction Graph Nodes (S3 class)

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'igNode'
print(node)
```

# Arguments

node

An (igNode) object

# Value

Print (igNode) object

toString.ig

toString() generic method for Interaction Graph (S3 class)

# Description

toString() generic method for Interaction Graph (S3 class)

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'ig'
toString(intGraph)
```

# **Arguments**

intGraph

An ig object

#### Value

A character object made of the provided ig object

toString.igNode

toString.igEdge

toString() generic method for Interaction Graph Edges (S3 class)

# Description

toString() generic method for Interaction Graph Edges (S3 class)

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'igEdge'
toString(edge)
```

# Arguments

edge

An (igEdge) object

# Value

(character) object made of the provided (igEdge) object

toString.igNode

toString() generic method for Interaction Graph Nodes (S3 class)

# Description

toString() generic method for Interaction Graph Nodes (S3 class)

# Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'igNode'
toString(node)
```

# **Arguments**

node

An (igNode) object

# Value

(character) object made of the provided (igNode) object

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