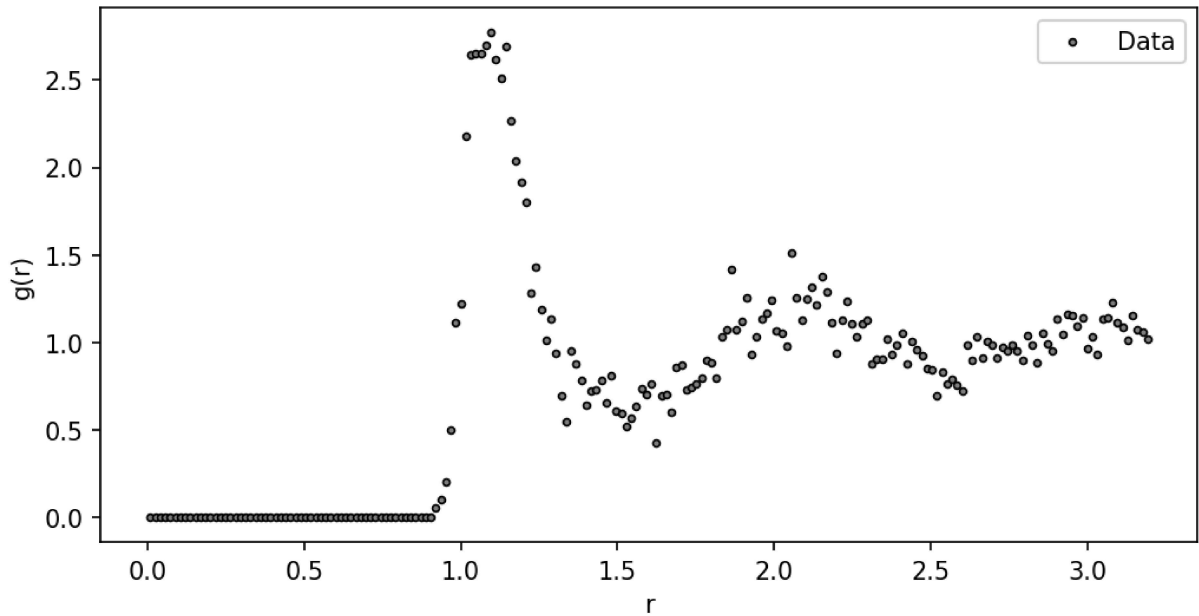


256 particles of liquid argon are simulated at 100K. A radial distribution function  $g(r)$  describes the density of particles a distance of  $r$  from each particle in the system. When an  $g(r)$  is computed in a simulation, it is done by creating a histogram of particle distances for a single simulation frame, resulting in a noisy function that is most often averaged over several frames.

First, run the cell below to load the data, etc.:

```
plot(r,g)
```



## Training regression trees

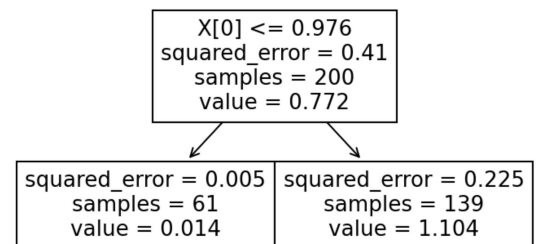
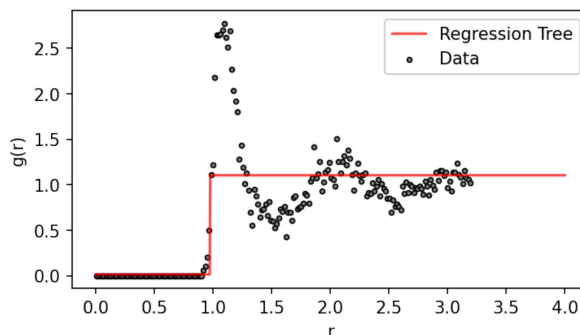
For input `r` and output `g`, train a `DecisionTreeRegressor()` to perform the regression with `max_depth` values of 1, 2, 6, 10.

Complete the code below, which will plot your decision tree results and visualize the tree. Name each decision tree within the loop `dt`.

Note: you may need to resize the input `r` as `r.reshape(-1,1)` before passing it as input into the fitting function.

```
In [4]: for max_depth in [1, 2, 6, 10]:
# YOUR CODE GOES HERE
# Create and fit `dt`
dt = DecisionTreeRegressor(max_depth=max_depth)
r = r.reshape(-1,1)
dt.fit(r,g)
dt.predict(r)

plot(r,g,dt)
```



Tree max. depth: 1

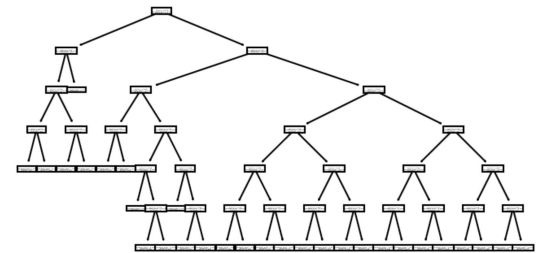
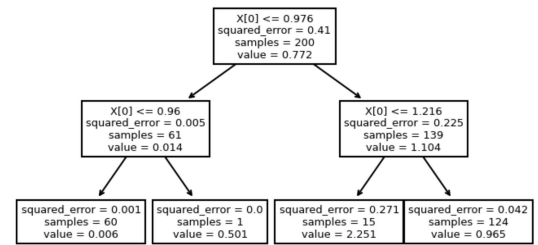
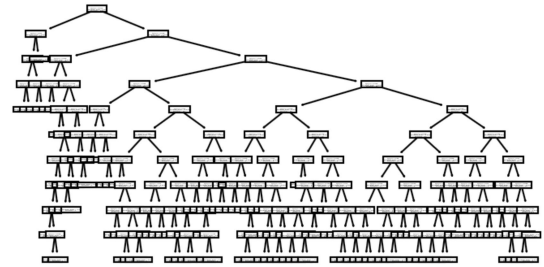


Figure 1 shows the radial distribution function  $g(r)$  as a function of distance  $r$ . The data points (black dots) and the regression tree fit (red line) are plotted. The fit captures the main features of the data, including the first sharp peak at  $r \approx 1.1$  and the subsequent oscillations.



Tree max. depth: 10