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# BASIC CONCEPT PYTHAGORAS TREE FOR CONSTRUCT DATA VISUALIZATION ON DECISION TREE LEARNING

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Decision Tree in Data Mining frequently used to learn the pattern by interpreting data. A hierarchy of tree model in Decision Tree as data visualization which often used makes fully load space. Another option in using model is Phytagoras Tree. Pythagoras Tree in this study is the basic concept of Pythagorean Theorem that used by a binary hierarchy with a fractal technique which the shape using the square as branches enclose a right triangle. A fractal of Pythagoras Tree is the dataset which split the subsets into trunks and leaves. Construct a fractal of Pythagoras Tree depends on the angle  $\theta$  for build branches followed by square area. Pythagoras Tree model is an easy way to understanding the dataset based on the size of the square. The smaller the size, the fewer instances in the rectangle. Also, data associations easily traced when filled with color.

Key words: trees, fractals, decision trees, construction

#### INTRODUCTION

Data Mining is useful in learning pattern big data to understand the flow of the problem for the base of further decision. The techniques of the pattern as a data mining task for analyzing are descriptive, predictive, and prescriptive. One of the models which often used for predictive in Data Mining is Decision Tree. It serves by predicting attributes used as branches based on the target as part of the leaves. Decision Tree used for covering classification and regression with visualization for interpretation data in decision analysis. The Decision Tree Learning represented a tree model which makes the rule of IF-THEN or Association. A tree model has a role as a visualization that describes how the dataset is branched. Therefore, branches making it easier to trace interconnected data until dataset become leaves which it can not split again.

Based on the study of [1], a tree model with hierarchies which often used makes run out of space to visualization. The model becomes full and complex when branches are going to depth. Therefore, the alternative option that used is Pythagoras Tree, which based on Pythagorean Theorem. Pythagoras Tree of the first introduction by [2] that a tree model used a binary hierarchy with a fractal technique which the shape using the square as branches enclose a right triangle. A fractal of Pythagoras Tree is the dataset which split the subsets into trunks and leaves. A fractal becomes recursive until all dataset has been separate.

Therefore, we observe the Pythagoras Tree in Decision Tree Learning based on Pythagorean Theorem. Pythagoras Theorem had over 371 proofs by discoverers [3] which several visualizations can use to build the tree based on the dataset, such as in the study of [4] using the central square theory [5] form branches. Branches itself is using Geometrical Pythagoras' and Plato's visualizations by construct data.

Whereas the concept built tree in this study is to construct data visualization based on Pythagoras' Geometric with using a right-angled triangle [6], and Algebra [7] which square made with four right triangles. Both Pythagoras Theorem Proofs applied on Decision Tree Training. The Geometric is used to separate dataset and determine an angle in a right-angled triangle. The function is to make a tree model. Also, the algebraic used for measuring the number of datasets in a square. Therefore, the data visualization depended from the square's size and an angle in a right-angled triangle, until the result is a fractal of Pythagoras Tree.

Determined Phytagoras Tree uses the Decision Tree Algorithm, which has several methods that used as an experiment: ID3 [8], CART [9], and C4.5 [10]. In this study, we used ID3 with Standard Deviation Reduction (SDR) for discovering regression which the dataset is a numerical type. SDR used as branches separation determination for construct Pythagorean Tree as data visualization.

#### **METHODOLOGY**

#### Pythagorean theorem

Similar to the name, Pythagoras who discovered the right triangle which has two legs and one hypotenuse. Two legs in right triangle are Opposite and Adjacent. The opposite is across to the angle  $\theta$ , Adjacent is next to the angle  $\theta$ , and the hypotenuse has the longest distance, which is the sum of the opposite and adjacent. Also, the



value of hypotenuse always the same when the angle  $\theta$  changes, because of the side of the opposite has a 90-degree angle. The equation of edge for a right triangle is:

$$\sin \theta = \frac{Opposite}{Hypotenuse}, \cos \theta = \frac{Adjacent}{Hypotenuse}$$
(1)  
$$\tan \theta = \frac{Apposite}{Adjacent}$$

Pythagoras Theorem represented in terms of area, which the hypotenuse square area is equal to the sum of the opposite and adjacent square area. It illustrated as Figure 1 as below:





$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$$
(2)

Equation 2 was proof with the square area in Figure 1, was surrounded by four right triangles, illustrated in Figure 2, which is similar to comparison 5. Therefore, Decision Tree obtained from dataset  $c^2$  and subset  $a^2$  and  $b^2$ , which is split based on SDR.

$$Area1 = (a+b)^2 \tag{3}$$

$$Area2 = h^{2} + 4\left(\frac{1}{2}ab\right)$$

$$Area1 = Area2$$
(4)

$$(a + b)^{2} = h^{2} + 4\left(\frac{1}{2}ab\right)$$

$$a^{2} + 2ab + b^{2} = h^{2} + 2ab$$

$$a^{2} + b^{2} = h^{2}$$
(5)

## Standard Deviation Reduction ID3

SDR based on Standard Deviation ( $\sigma$ ) which to calculate a numerical dataset until itcontains instances the homogeneity values completely. The  $\sigma$  equation is [12]:

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (u_i - \mu)^2} \tag{6}$$

$$\mu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} u_i \tag{7}$$



Figure 2: Square constructed with four right triangles [7] The standard deviation isbeneficial to quantifythe spread dataset while the mean ( $\mu$ ) used as dataset concentration measurement, which able to describe a data in the range of the dataset. The mean is not able to measure of concentration for nominal and ordinal data types.

Therefore, the steps that can do with SDR are as follows:

- Calculate the standard deviation for the target's attributesas the basis of the decision.
- Separate the datasetto examine the relationship two attributes variable: target and predictor with equation  $\sigma(T,P)$ . The predictor is able used to determine the hypotenuse and two legs (opposite and adjacent) values.
- Compute the standard deviation for each branch. The result of the standard deviation, which subtracted from the standard deviation before separate to gain SDR.

$$SDR = \sigma - \sigma (T, P)$$
 (8)

where

$$\sigma(T,P) = \left(\frac{n_1}{n} \ x \ \sigma(P)_1\right) + \left(\frac{n_2}{n} \ x \ \sigma(P)_2\right) \tag{9}$$

The attribute with the most significant SDR values is the best choice.

Construct decision tree recursively until the Coefficient of Variant (CV) become smaller than the threshold which is determined.

$$CV = \frac{\sigma(P)}{\mu} x \ 100\% \tag{10}$$

## **RESULT AND DISCUSSION**

Data visualization of Decision Tree done made by the separation of datasets using SDR. Constructing the Pythagoras Tree is done by obtaining the number of instances that used as hypotenuse and legs. Table 2 is an example of a data sample where the total number of datasets for instances is n = 114 with SDR selected as the best choice, which the name attributes initialused an alphabet. As an example for SDR understanding can use some raw data in Tabel 1 as below.



Table 1: The raw sample data within
stances n = 114[13]

Predictors									
n	D	A	В	С	Target				
1	0.985673	897.67948	20	1530	31500				
2	0.952585	620.46443	22	245	28350				
3	0.948748	617.97662	21	836	25200				
4	0.964798	605.09624	20	501	28350				
5	0.925402	596.66193	20	1017	21000				
6	0.963987	580.92263	22	460	18900				
7	0.776459	496.49018	21	2101	0				
8	0.980644	454.78552	21	470	18900				
106	0.942809	163.10596	0	33	0				
107	0.978727	158.71686	5	66	0				
108	1	158	1	4	0				
109	0.958445	157.45874	4	47	0				
110	0.533533	157.34947	20	714	0				
111	0.973679	156.35663	6	203	0				
112	0.992839	153.9314	11	161	0				
113	0.882369	144.2674	0	37	0				
114	0.940258	137.27765	3	26	0				

The first step to a determined decision tree is to find  $\mu$ , which is the overall total attribute target/114 instances, based on equation 7.It is means (31500+28350+25200+28350+... +n114)/114 = 6138.816. Calculation  $\sigma$  by subtracting each attribute target with  $\mu$  and result of the value use power of two, which then added together. Also, it divided 114 instances and make a square root, which means  $\sigma$ =((31500-6138.816)2+(28350-6138.816)2+...+( n114+  $\mu$ )2)/114=  $\sqrt{48375220}$  = 6955.23.

Split the dataset to examine the relationship attributes of target and predictor. For assumption, we splitthe A attributes predictor n = 1 to n = 6 and n = 7 to n = 114, which means it is split instances  $n \ge 496.49018$  and n<496.49018. Therefore, the total of datasets for attribute target n  $\ge 496.49018$  is 6 instances (31500, 28350, 25800, 28350, 21000, 18900) and n  $\ge 496.49018$  is 108 instances.

Decision Tree does some training by comparing SDR whichever is greater. Also, when the CV is higher than 10%, the dataset needs to be subdivided; otherwise the dataset becomes leaves. In this case, instances are 108 and 6, which use for legs in a right triangle is shown in Table 2.

Table 2: Hypotenuse (n) and two le	egs based on SDR
by three depth	

Spit by Attributes	и	д	Standard Deviation	Leg1	Leg2	Depth (Recursive)
А	114	6138.816	6955.23	108	6	1
А	6	25550	4399.432	4	2	2
А	4	28350	2227.386	0	0	2
А	2	19950	1050	0	0	2
В	108	5060.417	5281.241	38	70	2
С	38	248.684	1278.838	2	36	3
D	70	7672.5	4770.029	15	55	3

Based on table 2 that the value obtained on SDR depends on the number of instances in the dataset. Therefore, the depth to one is the overall dataset n = 114, and legs have 108 and 6. Dataset n is hypotenuse which the sum of two legs: 108 + 6. If a dataset is a square area under the Pythagoras Theorem, then  $c^2 = 114$  followed by  $a^2 = 108$  and  $b^2 = 6$ .

Construct a fractal of Pythagoras Tree also depends on the angle  $\theta$  for build branches followed by square area. Therefore, it is essential to determine which one of the two legs are opposite or adjacent. For example, to construct a tree trunk, adjacent is more used because this part is closer to hypotenuse when compared to the opposite.

According to equation 1, the value used is not a square area, but the value of each side, which based on Figure 2, where each square area is the length of a right triangle. Therefore, hypotenuse  $c = \sqrt{114} = 10.6770782520313$ . While the adjacent is gain from the other leg, 108>6 which means adjacent  $a = \sqrt{108} = 10.3923048454133$  and opposite  $b = \sqrt{6} = 2.4494897427832$ .

The calculation the angle  $\theta$  used from one of sin  $\theta$ , cos  $\theta$ , or tan  $\theta$ , the value is the same because it used a right triangle which the upright side has a 90-degree angle. Therefore, the value the angle is sin  $\theta$  = 2.449489742 7832/10.6770782520313 or  $\theta$  = sin-1 (2.4494897427832 /10.6770782520313). The result is 13.2626760083048°.

According to Figure 3, < BAC = 13.26267600830480 and <ACB = 900. Therefore, to obtain <ABC, reduce the value of <ACB to <BAC, 900-13.26267600830480 = 76.73732399169520. According to Figure 1, c<sup>2</sup> is an area of square 114, where the circumference of the rectangle is  $\sqrt{114}$ , which illustrated in Figure 4. The square area also applied to legs of a<sup>2</sup> and b<sup>2</sup>.

Perform recalculation instances for values of other legs. For example, the instances of 108 and 6 until there are no more legs. 6 instances divide to 4 and 2: where square area  $c^2 = 6$ ; hypotenuse c = 2.4494897427832; adjacent a = 2; opposite b = 1.4142135623731; and  $\theta = 35.26438968275470$ . A fractal Pythagoras Tree is



Figure 3: Construct the right triangle

recursive until the values become the homogenous instances (Figure 6).

In fundamental, datasets (assumption as black spot) for dataset itself had a classification in the square area such as Figure 5. It means the size of the square area is equal to the amount of data. It is call construct data visualization.

Illustrated by Pythagoras Tree is an easy way to understanding the dataset based on the size of the square. The smaller the size, the fewer instances in the rectangle. Also, data associations easily traced when filled with color, as in Figure 6,which shows the relationship data of IF-THEN based on the  $\mu$  values.

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Figure 5: The dataset in Square Area

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Figure 4: Pythagoras Tree on Depth to one



Figure 6: Pythagorean Tree with the  $\mu$  color



## CONCLUSION

Decision Tree with hierarchies model frequently fully loaded space in data visualization. Especially the branches are going to depth. Therefore, the alternative option that used is Pythagoras Tree, which based on Pythagorean Theorem.

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