

Information Mining - winter semester 2019/2020**Exercise sheet 3**

Exercise 1: Rules and decision trees

Following rules are given:

```
if speed = average and colour = blue
  then car_from_cologne
if speed = fast and colour = red
  then car_from_stuttgart
default car_from_wolfsburg
```

- (a) Create a decision tree based on these rules.

The attribute `speed` can have the values `fast`, `average`, `slow`. The attribute `colour` consists of the values `red`, `blue` or `other`.

- (b) How are decision trees transformed to rules?
- (c) Why is the transformation of rules to decision trees considered more complex than the transformation of decision trees to rules? Give an example from the lecture.

**Exercise 2: Rules and decision trees
in *RapidMiner***

- (a) Create two processes, which will create a decision tree and rules based on the given data¹. The attribute `label` is the class.

Hint: The creation of the decision tree and the induction of the rules may take several minutes on slower PCs.

¹http://www.is.inf.uni-due.de/courses/im_ws19/uebung/data_a7.csv