

## Euredit binary tree function: tree\_score

### 1 Purpose

**tree\_score** scores a decision tree computed by **anova\_tree**, **gini\_tree** or **waid\_tree**.

### 2 Specification

```
#include <euredit_sys.h>
```

```
void tree_score (long rec1, long nvar, long nrec, long dblk, double data[],
                void (*dfun) (long , long , double [] , int *), int root,
                long opt_rand, long opt_score, long seed[], double res[],
                double acc[], int *info)
```

### 3 Parameters

**rec1**

*Input:* the first data point in the data block.

*Constraint:* **rec1**  $\geq 0$ .

**nvar**

*Input:* the number of variables in the data.

*Constraint:* **nvar**  $\geq 1$ .

**nrec**

*Input:* the number of consecutive records, beginning at **rec1**, used in the calculations.

*Constraints:* **nrec**  $> 1$  and **(rec1 + nrec)**  $\leq$  **dblk**.

**dblk**

*Input:* the number of records in the data block.

*Constraint:* **dblk**  $> 1$ .

**data[dblk\*nvar]**

*Input:* the element **data**[ $i * \mathbf{nvar} + j$ ] contains the (clean) data value for the  $j$ th variable of the  $i$ th data point, for  $j = 0, 1, \dots, \mathbf{nvar} - 1$ ; for  $i = 0, 1, \dots, \mathbf{dblk} - 1$ .

*Constraint:* if **dfun** is a valid pointer, the value of **data** must be NULL.

**dfun**

*Input:* the function **dfun**, supplied by the user, must return the **dblk** data records starting at record **rec1**.

*Constraint:* if the value of **dfun** is NULL, **data** must be a valid pointer.

The specification of **dfun** is:

```
void dfun (long rec1, long dblk, double x[], int *error)

    rec1
        Input: the first record to be returned.

    dblk
        Input: the number of records to be returned.

    x
        Output: x[ $i * \mathbf{nvar} + j$ ] is the value for the  $j$ th variable, for  $j = 0, 1, \dots, \mathbf{nvar} - 1$ ;
        for  $i = \mathbf{rec1}, \mathbf{rec1}+1, \dots, \mathbf{rec1} + \mathbf{nrec} - 1$ .

    error
        Output: if the value pointed to by error on return is greater than 100, the function
        will terminate immediately and info will point to this value.
```

**opt\_rand**

*Input:* if the value of **opt\_rand** is set equal to 1, a random number will be used to resolve dichotomies in the binary tree.

**opt\_score**

*Input:* the value of **opt\_score** determines the method used to score the binary decision tree. For a **gini\_tree**, **opt\_score** = 1 scores data with the modal class and **opt\_score** = 3 uses random imputation from data at a leaf node. For an **anova\_tree** or a **waid\_tree**, **opt\_score** = 1 scores data with mean values, **opt\_score** = 2 scores data with the modal class and **opt\_score** = 3 uses random imputation from data at a leaf node.

*Constraint:* **opt\_score**  $\in \{1, 3\}$  for a Gini decision tree.

*Constraint:* **opt\_score**  $\in \{1, 2, 3\}$  for an ANOVA or WAID decision tree.

**seed[5]**

*Input:* the value of the random seed used to resolve dichotomies. the elements of **seed** should be set by using the routine **set\_rand\_seed**. If the value of **opt\_rand** is not equal to 1, **seed** is not referenced.

*Constraint:* if **opt\_rand** = 1, **seed** must be a valid pointer.

**res[nrec]**

*Output:* **res**[*i*] contains the decision tree value for the (**rec1** + *i*)th data point, for *i* = 0, 1, ..., **nrec** - 1.

**acc[nrec]**

*Output:* **acc**[*i*] contains a measure of the accuracy of the prediction. For ANOVA trees, **acc**[*i*] contains the variance about the mean value at the leaf node giving the *i*th prediction, for *i* = 0, 1, ..., **nrec** - 1. For Gini trees, **acc**[*i*] contains the probability of class membership at the leaf node giving the *i*th prediction, for *i* = 0, 1, ..., **nrec** - 1.

**root**

*Output:* **root** points to an integer cast of the root of the decision tree.

**info**

*Output:* the value pointed to by **info** gives information on the success of the function call:

0: the function successfully completed its task.

-32: a path down the decision tree could not be found for a data point.

*i*; *i* = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12: the specification of the *i*th formal parameter was incorrect.

99: the function failed to allocate enough memory.

100: an internal error occurred during the execution of the function.

> 100: an error occurred in a function specified by the user.