

R-TREES: SOLUTION

NDBI007: Practical Class 6

EXERCISE 1

- Finish splitting of the overflowed node
 - Continue with Guttman's method
 - The maximum number of items in a node is $M = 8$
 - The minimum number of items in a node is $m = 3$
- If there are more options to choose, explain the reason of yours choice

A	A		F	F			D
	A			B	B		
			B	B	B		
E	E	E					
E	E	E					
			C	C	C	G	
	H					G	
	H					I	I

EXERCISE 1: SOLUTION

- Next, iteratively add such an object into a node which will maximise the difference in the node areas if the object was inserted into the first or second node

Object	ABEF	GI	Difference
C	$6 \times 6 - 30 = 6$	$5 \times 3 - 6 = 9$	$ 6 - 9 = 3$
D	$8 \times 5 - 30 = 10$	$2 \times 8 - 6 = 10$	$ 10 - 10 = 0$
H	$6 \times 8 - 30 = 18$	$7 \times 3 - 6 = 15$	$ 18 - 15 = 3$

- The biggest difference shows the objects C and H, but we choose C so it will be inserted into the node which is closer, i.e., ABEF
- So now we have nodes ABCEF and GI

A	A		F	F			D
	A			B	B		
			B	B	B		
E	E	E					
E	E	E					
			C	C	C	G	
	H					G	
	H					I	I

EXERCISE 1: SOLUTION

- Next, iteratively add such an object into a node which will maximise the difference in the node areas if the object was inserted into the first or second node

Object	ABCEF	GI	Difference
D	$8 \times 6 - 36 = 12$	$2 \times 8 - 6 = 10$	$ 12 - 10 = 2$
H	$6 \times 8 - 36 = 12$	$7 \times 3 - 6 = 15$	$ 12 - 15 = 3$

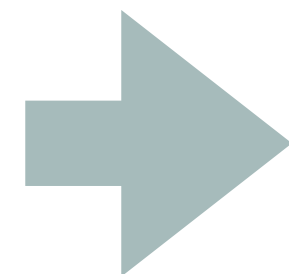
- The biggest difference shows the object H so it will be inserted into the node which is closer, i.e., ABCEF
- So now we have nodes ABCEFH and GI

A	A		F	F			D
	A			B	B		
			B	B	B		
E	E	E					
E	E	E					
			C	C	C	G	
	H					G	
	H					I	I

EXERCISE 1: SOLUTION

- Finally, object D must be placed in the node GI because the minimum number of items per node is $m = 3$ and $|GI| = 2$, i.e., $|GI| < m$
- As a result, we have nodes ABCEFH and DGI

ABCDEFGHI



A	A		F	F			D
	A			B	B		
			B	B	B		
E	E	E					
E	E	E					
			C	C	C	G	
	H					G	
	H					I	I

EXERCISE 2

- Finish splitting of the overflowed node
 - Continue with Guttman's method
 - The maximum number of items in a node is $M = 8$
 - This time, the minimum number of items in a node is $m = 4$, i.e., $m = M/2$
- If there are more options to choose, explain the reason of yours choice
- Compare and comment the results of exercises 1 and 2

A	A		F	F			D
	A			B	B		
			B	B	B		
E	E	E					
E	E	E					
			C	C	C	G	
	H					G	
	H					I	I

EXERCISE 2: SOLUTION

- Next, iteratively add such an object into a node which will maximise the difference in the node areas if the object was inserted into the first or second node

Object	ABEF	GI	Difference
C	$6 \times 6 - 30 = 6$	$5 \times 3 - 6 = 9$	$ 6 - 9 = 3$
D	$8 \times 5 - 30 = 10$	$2 \times 8 - 6 = 10$	$ 10 - 10 = 0$
H	$6 \times 8 - 30 = 18$	$7 \times 3 - 6 = 15$	$ 18 - 15 = 3$

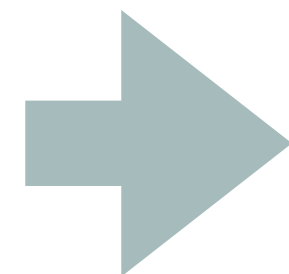
- The biggest difference shows the objects C and H, but we choose C so it will be inserted into the node which is closer, i.e., ABEF
- So now we have nodes ABCEF and GI

A	A		F	F			D
	A			B	B		
			B	B	B		
E	E	E					
E	E	E					
			C	C	C	G	
	H					G	
	H					I	I

EXERCISE 2: SOLUTION

- Finally, objects H and D must be placed in the node GI because the minimum number of items per node is $m = 4$ and $|GI| = 2$, i.e., $|GI| < m$
 - As a result, we have nodes ABCEF and DGHI
 - There is a smaller death space in ABCEF node but for a price of a huge overlapping area, therefore it is already better to use smaller value of m in this particular case

ABCDEFGHI



A	A	F	F			D
	A		B	B		
		B	B	B		
E	E					
E	E					
		C	C	C	G	
	H				G	
	H				I	I

EXERCISE 3

- Split the following overflown node with Greene's split method
 - The maximum number of items in a node is $M = 9$
 - The minimum number of items in a node is $m = 3$
- I.e., execute the following methods:
 - PickSeeds
 - ChooseAxis
 - Distribute (ordering and placement)

G			A			I	I				J
G		A	A	A							
			A					C			
	F							C	C		
	F				H	H		C			
	F										
				E	E	E		B	B	B	
D	D	D							B		

EXERCISE 3: SOLUTION

➤ PickSeeds

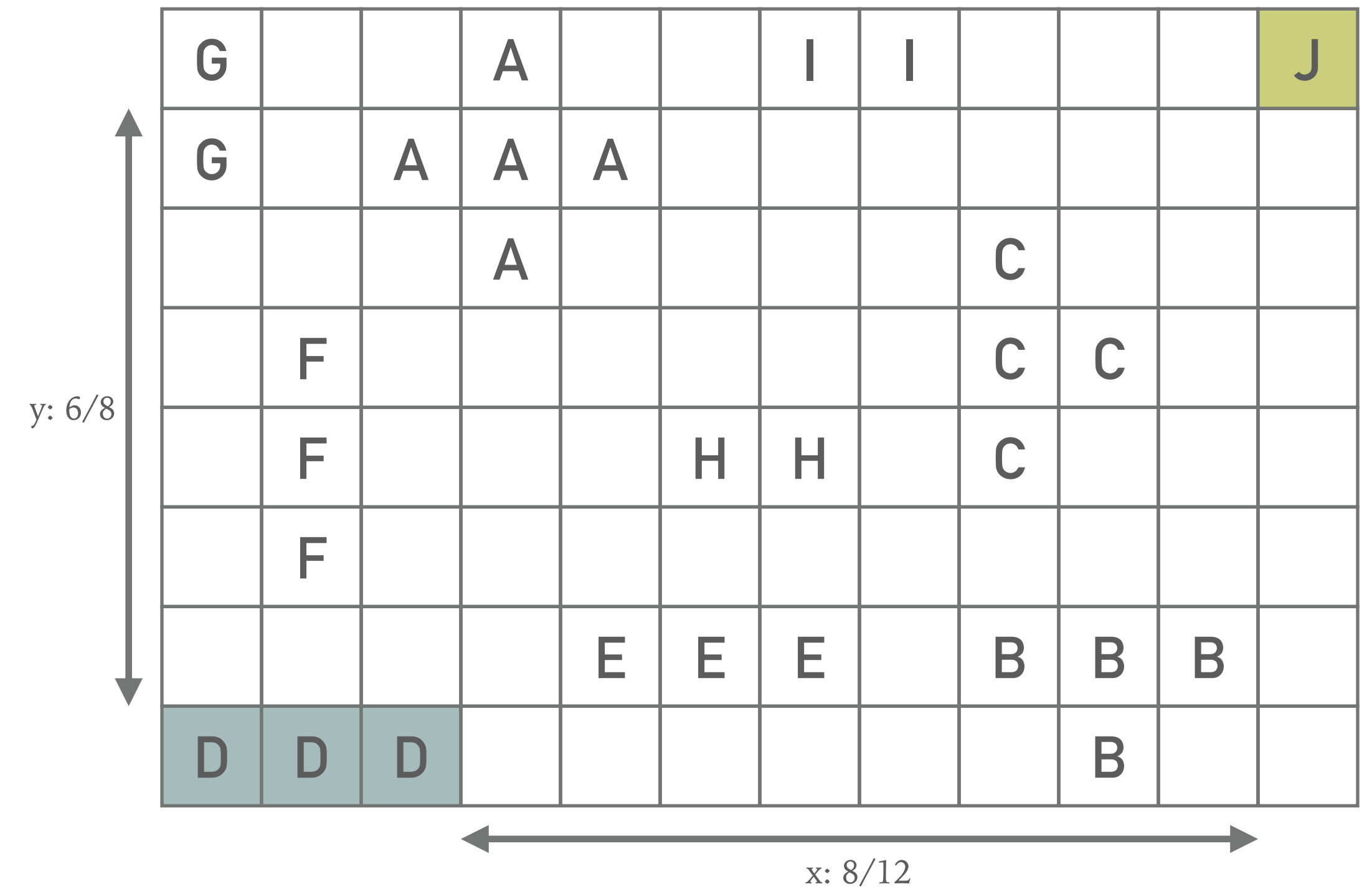
- The largest dead space has DJ thus those will be the seeds of the splitting method

Pair	Overall area	Area of the objects	Dead space
AB	$9 \times 8 = 72$	$5 + 4 = 9$	$72 - 9 = 63$
AC	$8 \times 5 = 40$	$5 + 4 = 9$	$40 - 9 = 31$
...			
BG	$11 \times 8 = 88$	$4 + 2 = 6$	$88 - 6 = 82$
...			
DJ	$12 \times 8 = 96$	$3 + 1 = 4$	$96 - 4 = 92$
...			
IJ	$6 \times 1 = 6$	$2 + 1 = 3$	$6 - 3 = 3$

G			A			I	I				J
G		A	A	A							
			A					C			
	F							C	C		
	F				H	H		C			
	F										
				E	E	E		B	B	B	
D	D	D							B		

EXERCISE 3: SOLUTION

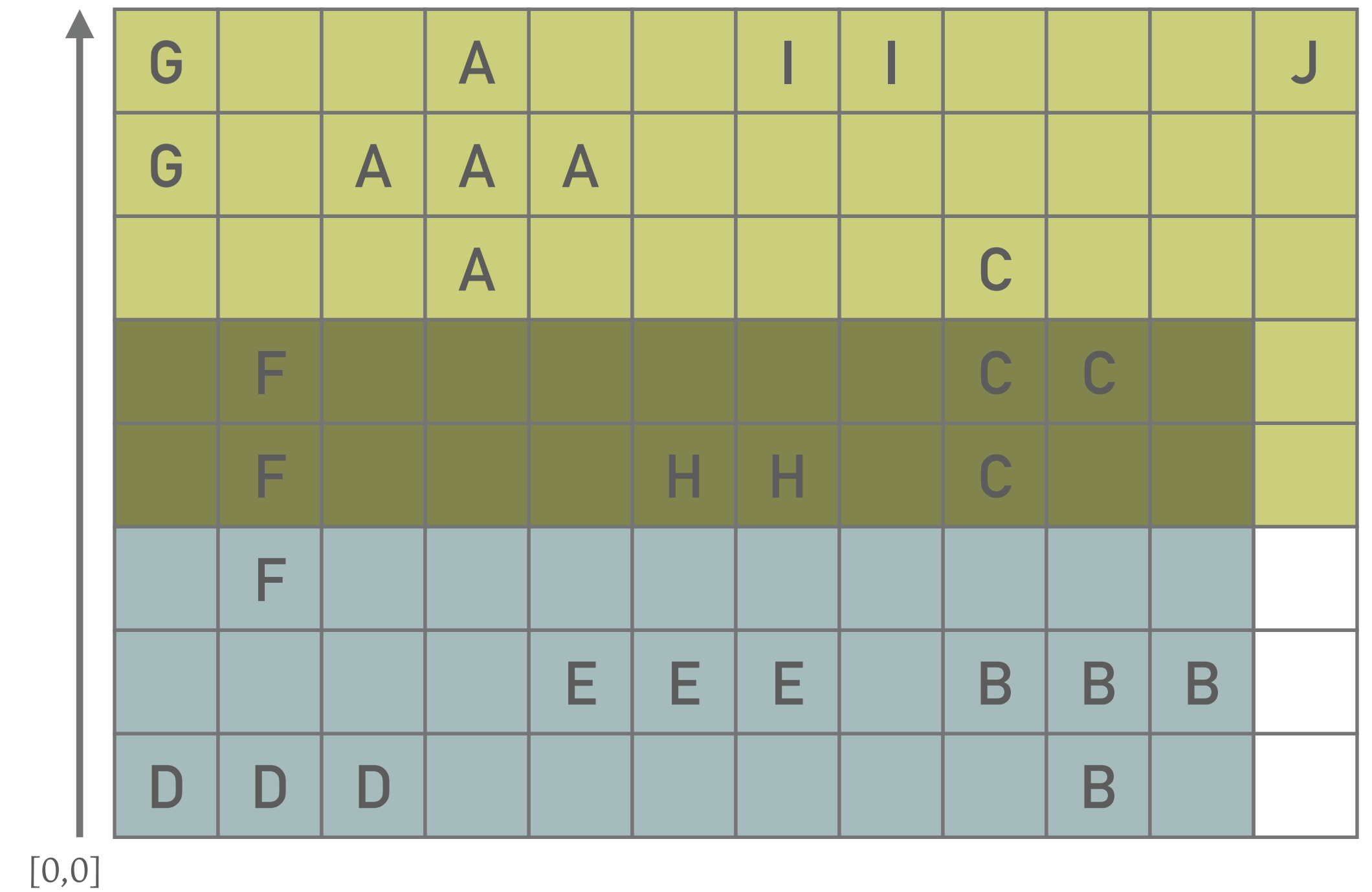
- Choose Axis
 - $x: 8/12 = 0.667$
 - $y: 6/8 = 0.750$
 - In our case, the axis better separating D and J is y



EXERCISE 3: SOLUTION

- Distribute according to axis y

Object	D	B	E	F	H	C	A	G	I	J
Start	0	0	1	2	3	3	5	6	7	7
end	0	1	1	4	3	5	7	7	7	7



- The solution:
 - BDEFH || ACGIJ

EXERCISE 4

- Split the following overflowed node with R*Tree split method
 - The maximum number of items in a node is $M = 9$
 - The minimum number of items in a node is $m = 3$
- I.e., execute the following methods:
 - ChooseSplitAxis
 - Distribute
 - Illustrate the result

G			A			I	I				J
G		A	A	A							
			A					C			
	F							C	C		
	F				H	H		C			
	F										
				E	E	E		B	B	B	
D	D	D							B		

EXERCISE 4: SOLUTION

- We chose splitting along the x-axis (smaller sum)
 - overlap-value (GDF | | AEHICBJ) = 8 (column AD)
 - overlap-value (GDFA | | EHICBJ) = 8 (column AE)
 - overlap-value (GDFAE | | HICBJ) = 16 (columns HE; IHE)
 - overlap-value (GDFAEH | | ICBJ) = 8 (column IHE)
 - overlap-value (GDFAEHI | | CBJ) = 0

- There is only one distribution having the smallest overlap, therefore the area-value does not have to be computed

- The result is: GDFAEHI | | CBJ

G			A			I	I				J
G		A	A	A							
			A					C			
	F							C	C		
	F				H	H		C			
	F										
				E	E	E		B	B	B	
D	D	D							B		