## Additional file 1 — Algorithm 2: Pseudo-code of the CLUS-HMC algorithm for top-down induction of HMC trees

## Algorithm 2 Top-down induction of CLUS-HMC

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1: procedure CLUSHMC(G, U) returns tree
 2: if stop(U) then
3:
      return leaf(Prototype(U))
 4: else
      (t^*, h^*, \mathcal{P}^*) = (null, 0, \emptyset)
 5:
      for each possible Boolean test t according to the values of attribute X in dataset U do
 7:
         \mathcal{P} = \{U_1, U_2\} partition induced by t on U
         h = Var'(U) - \frac{|U_1| \cdot Var'(U_1) + |U_2| \cdot Var'(U_2)}{|U_1| \cdot |U_2| \cdot |U_2|})
8:
                                               |U|
         if (h > h^*) then
9:
            (t^*, h^*, \mathcal{P}^*) = (t, h, \mathcal{P})
10:
         end if
11:
12:
      end for
      tree_1 = CLUSHMC(U_1)
13:
      tree_2 = CLUSHMC(U_2)
14:
      return node(t^*, tree_1, tree_2)
15:
16: end if
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