

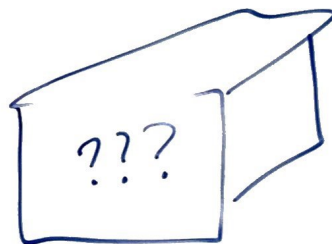
A fair $\theta = 0.5$

B $\theta = 0.6$

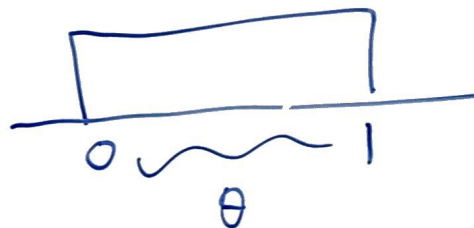
C $\theta = 0.9$

	support		
	0.5	0.6	0.9
$P(\theta)$	$\frac{2}{5}$	$\frac{2}{5}$	$\frac{1}{5}$

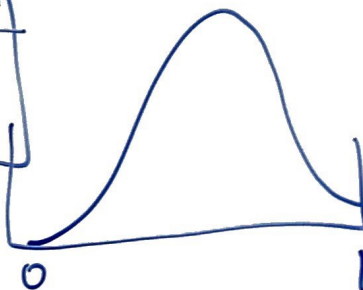
Prior PMF

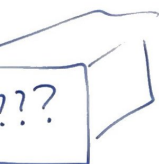


	Uniform Prior			
	0.1	0.2	...	0.9
$P(\theta)$				



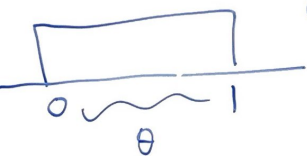
Beta Prior PDF



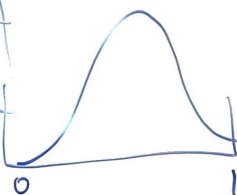


Uniform Prior

0.1	0.2	...	0.9



Beta
Prior PDF



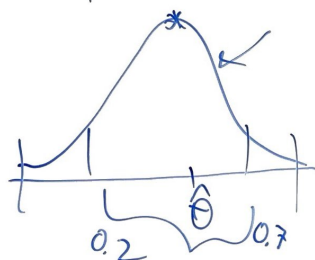
$L(\theta)$

	0.5	0.6	0.9
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	$0.5/2$	$0.6/2$	$0.9/2$

\approx

$$\text{Posterior} = \frac{\text{prior} \times \text{likelihood}}{\text{Bayes Denom}}$$

← Bayes Numerator



θ = binomial proportion?

Prior $\sim \text{Beta}(a, b) \sim \theta$

Binomial
 $L(\theta) = \theta^y (1-\theta)^{n-y}$
 $\theta^{y+1} (1-\theta)^{n-y+1}$
 hyper parameters
 y ← # of success

$\text{Beta}(\alpha, \beta) = \frac{\theta^{\alpha-1} (1-\theta)^{\beta-1}}{B(\alpha, \beta)}$

Beta-Binomial
 prior \times likelihood \propto

$B(k+a, n-k+b)$
 $\theta^{k+a-1} (1-\theta)^{n-k+b-1}$

$\text{Beta}(k+a, n-k+b)$

$L(\theta) \sim \text{Beta}(y+1, n+1-y)$

Beta conjugate prior
 posterior $\theta|y$

functional form
 of a Beta

Beta "kernel"