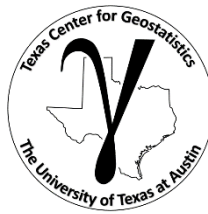


Multivariate Modeling: Probability and Statistics



Lecture outline . . .

- **Probability and Statistics**



Lecture 2: **Probability**



Lecture outline . . .

- Probability Definitions
- Venn Diagrams
- Frequentist Concepts
- Bayesian Concepts

Introduction

General Concepts

Statistics

Probability

Univariate

Bivariate

Time Series Analysis

Spatial Analysis

Machine Learning

Uncertainty Analysis

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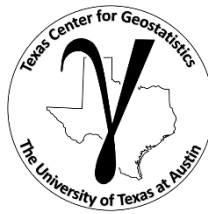
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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NnQeospi6Qg>

Multivariate Modeling: Probability and Statistics



For Next Lecture

Self Study Summary Statistics:

<http://y2u.be/wAcbA2clqec>

Lecture 04, PGE 337 in Canvas.

For measures of centrality, dispersion.



Measures of Central Tendency



- Arithmetic Average / Mean

$$\text{Sample mean, } \bar{x} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N x_i$$

Note, population mean is denoted as μ .

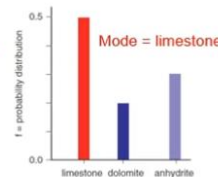
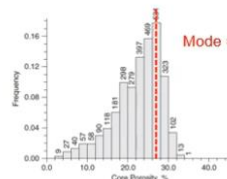
assumes sorted into
ascending order

- Median (P50)

$$\text{Median}(x) = \begin{cases} x_{(N+1)/2} & , \text{ if } N \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{x_{N/2} + x_{(N/2+1)}}{2} & , \text{ if } N \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$



- Mode
 - Most common value.
 - Continuous
 - sensitive to bins
 - Categorical
 - highest frequency



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What Will You Learn?

Why Cover Probability?

- We will formulate prior and likelihood probability models
- We will use Bayesian updating to combine spatial and multivariate information sources!

Probability

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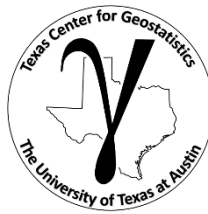
**Multivariate, Spatial
Uncertainty**

Probability and Statistics

What should you learn from this lecture?

- **Fundamentals of Statistics and Probability**
 - **Fundamentals of Probability**
 - » **Basic Definitions and Rules**
 - » **Venn Diagram**
 - » **Conditional Probability**
 - » **Probability tree**
 - » **Bayes' Theorem**
 - » **Applications of Probability in Decision Making**

Probability Supports Decision Making



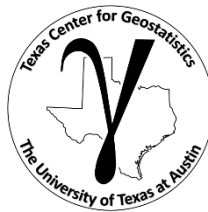
For example:

- What is the probability that a well is a success? – *drill the well*
- What is the probability that a valve has a crack? – *replace the valve*
- What is the probability that a seismic survey finds a reservoir? – *acquire the seismic*
- What is the probability that a reservoir seal will fail? – *inject the CO₂*

Most of our decisions involve uncertainty:

- By quantifying probability we can make better decisions.

Probability in Modeling Workflows



**Model Parameter
Probability Density Functions**

**Local Probability
of Occurrence**

**Discrete Scenario
Probability of Occurrence**

**Equiprobable
Realizations**

Scenario I

Scenario II

Scenario III

Geostatistical Subsurface Modeling

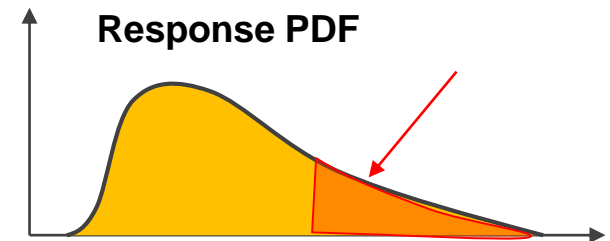
1. The entire workflow is based on probability (and statistics).
2. We must understand probability and statistics!
3. Let's make sure we are on the same page.

**Transfer
Function**

**Probability of Exceeding
Economic Hurdle**

Response PDF

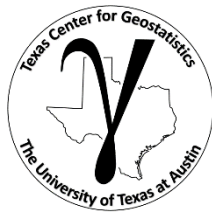
Recovery Factor



Probability Definitions

What is Probability?

Frequentist Approach



Measure of the likelihood that an event will occur. For random experiments and well-defined settings (such as coin tosses):

$$\text{Prob}(A) = P(A) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n(A)}{n(\Omega)} \right)$$

frequentist approach to probability is the limit of relative frequency over a large number of trials.

where:

$n(A)$ = number of times event A occurred

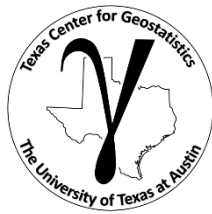
$n(\Omega)$ = number of trials

Example: Possibility of drilling a dry hole for the next well, encountering sandstone at a location (\mathbf{u}_α), exceeding a rock porosity of 15% at a location (\mathbf{u}_α).

Probability Definitions

What is Probability?

Bayesian Approach



Measure of the likelihood that an event will occur. For any occurrence:

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A)P(A)}{P(B)}$$

Bayesian approach probability is interpreted as reasonable likelihood representing a state of knowledge or as quantification of a personal belief. Specify a prior and update with new information.

where:

$P(A)$ = prior

$P(B|A)$ = likelihood

$P(B)$ = evidence

$P(A|B)$ = posteriori

Example: Given a prior probability of 40%, a likelihood of 10% and evidence term of 20% the updated posteriori is 20%.

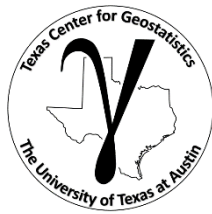
Probability and Statistics

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 - » **Frequentist**
 - » **Probability Concepts**

Probability Definitions

What is Probability?



We will start with Frequentist notions and then move to Bayesian approaches.

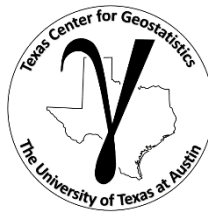
Knowledge of both is essential as there are many classes of problems that can only be addressed practically with Frequentist or Bayesian approaches.

- We need both frequentist and Bayesian frameworks

We build up to Bayesian Updating with frequentist concepts but we accept the role of belief and updating with new evidence.

Probability Concepts

Venn Diagrams



Venn Diagrams are a tool to communicate probability

Experiments (Sampling) (J): Establishment of conditions that produce an outcome.

Simple Event (x): A single outcome of an experiment.

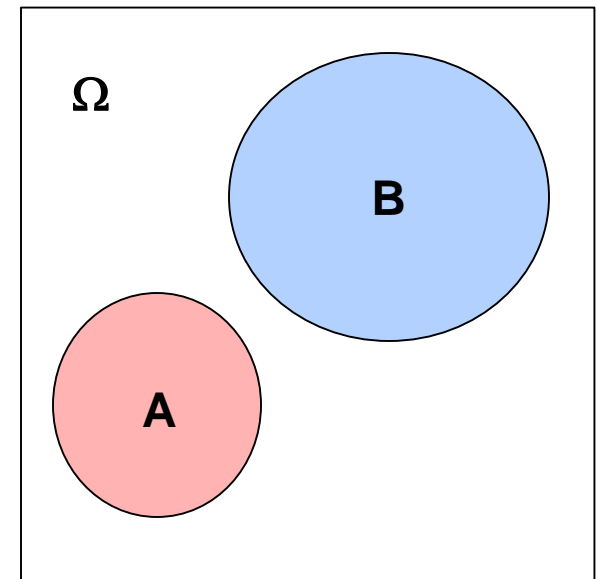
Event (A, B, ...): Collection of simple events.

Occurrence of A: A has occurred if the outcome of experiment (sampling) belongs to it.

Sample Space (Ω): Collection of all possible events.

What do we learn from a Venn diagram?

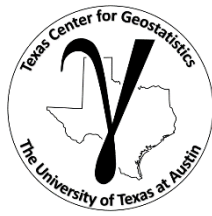
- size of regions = probability of occurrence
- overlap = probability of joint occurrence
- excellent tool to visualize marginal, joint and conditional probability.



Venn Diagram – illustration of events and relations to each other.

Probability Definitions

Venn Diagram Example



Experiments (Sampling) (J):

- Facies determined from a set of well cores (N=3,000 measures at 1 foot increments)

Sample Space (Ω):

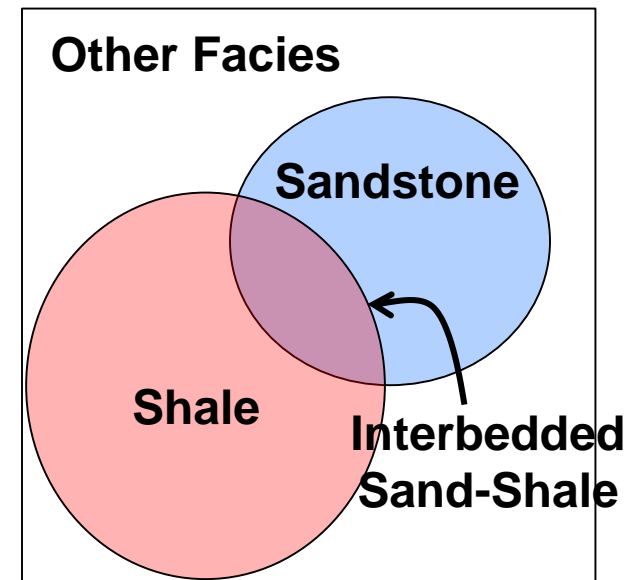
- Facies for the N=3,000 core measures

Event (A, B, ...):

- Facies = {Sandstone, Interbedded Sandstone and Shale, Shale and other facies}

Venn Diagram Tells Us About Probability:

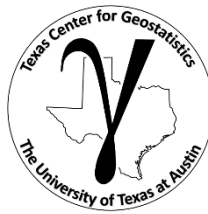
- $\text{Prob}\{\text{Other Facies}\} > \text{Prob}\{\text{Shale}\} > \text{Prob}\{\text{Sandstone}\} > \text{Prob}\{\text{Interbedded}\} = \text{Prob}\{\text{Shale and Sandstone}\}$
- $\text{Prob}\{\text{Sandstone and Shale given Sandstone}\} < \text{Prob}\{\text{Sandstone}\}$



Venn Diagram – illustration of events and relations to each other.

Probability Definitions

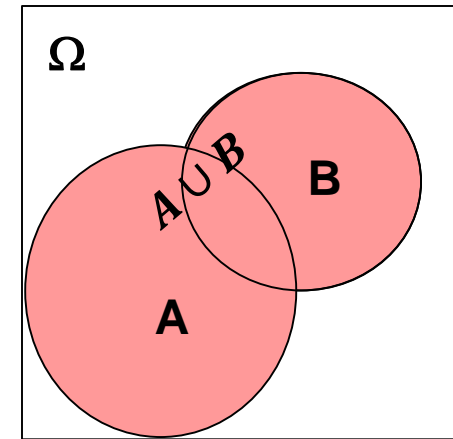
Probability Operators



Union of Events:

- All outcomes in the sample space that belong to either event A or B

$$A \cup B = \{x: x \in A \text{ or } x \in B\}$$

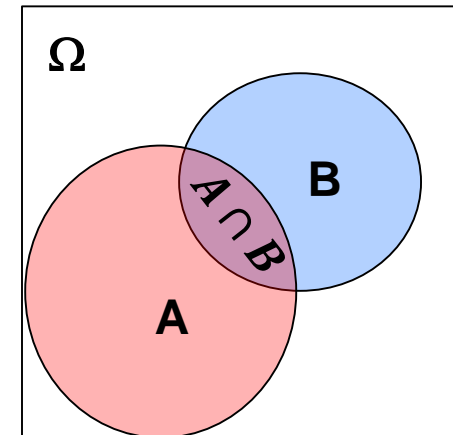


Venn Diagram – illustrating union.

Intersection of Events:

- All outcomes in the sample space that belong to both events A and B

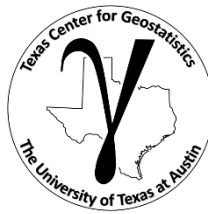
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Venn Diagram – illustrating intersection.

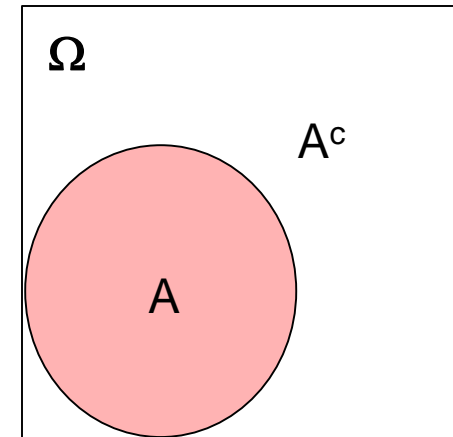
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Complementary Events: A^c

- All outcomes in the sample space that do not belong to A

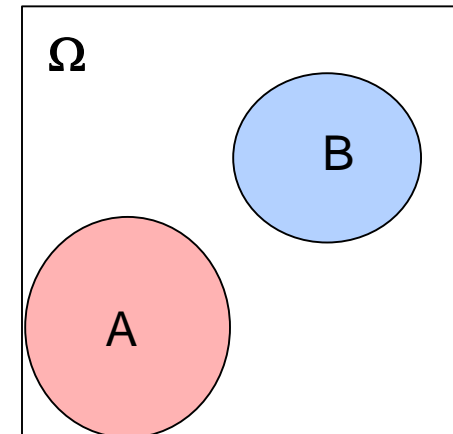


Venn Diagram – illustrating complementary events.

Mutually Exclusive Events:

- The events that do not intersect or do not have any common outcomes

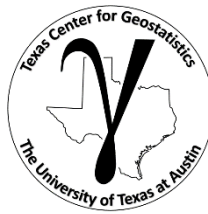
$$A \cap B = \emptyset \rightarrow \text{Null Set}$$



Venn Diagram – illustrating mutually exclusive.

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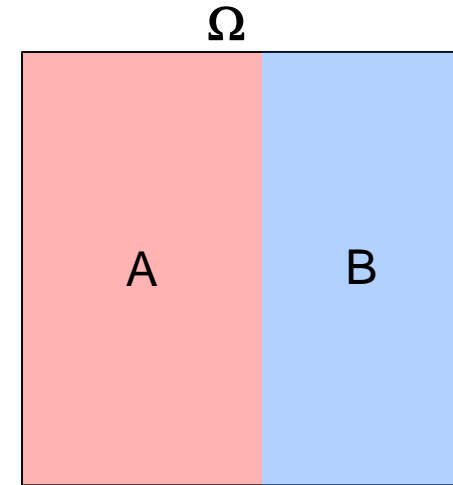


Exhaustive, Mutually Exclusive Sequence of Events:

- The sequence of events whose union is equal to the sample space

$$A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n = \Omega$$

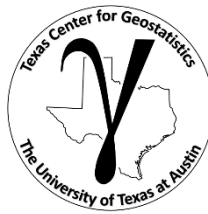
- For example, all the samples are either A or B



Venn Diagram – illustrating exhaustive events.

Probability Definitions

Now We Refine Probability



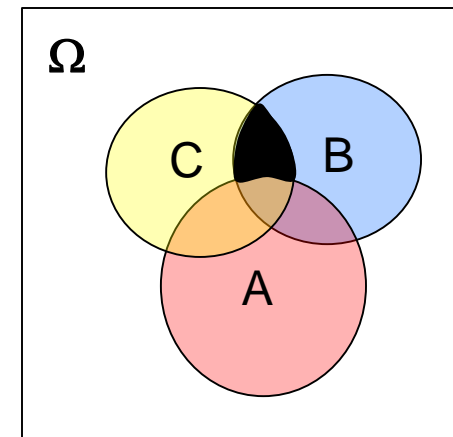
where:
$$\text{Prob}(A) = P(A) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\text{Area}(A)}{\text{Area}(\Omega)} \right)$$

$\text{Area}(A)$ = area of A / total area = $P(A)$

$\text{Area}(\Omega)$ = total area / total area = probability of any possible outcome = $P(\Omega) = 1.0$

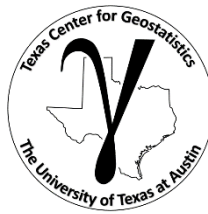
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$$\text{Prob}(A^c \cap B \cap C) = \text{Area}(A^c \cap B \cap C) / \text{Area}(\Omega)$$



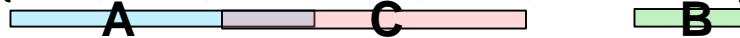
Probability Definitions

Test Your Knowledge



Example: A petrophysicist has measured porosity of 7 core samples from a carbonate formation in the laboratory as follows:

Sample Space: {0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.15, 0.17, 0.19, 0.25}



We would like to investigate the following events:

- Event A: Porosity values of less than 0.15, {0.10, 0.12, 0.14}
- Event B: Porosity values of greater than 0.20, {0.25}
- Event C: Porosity values of between 0.14 and 0.17 {0.14, 0.15, 0.17}

Union of Events:

$$A \cup B =$$

$$B \cup C =$$

$$A \cup C =$$

Intersection of Events:

$$A \cap B =$$

$$B \cap C =$$

$$A \cap C =$$

Complementary Events:

$$A^c =$$

$$B^c =$$

$$C^c =$$

Mutually Exclusive Events:

$$A \cap B =$$

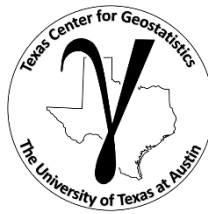
$$B \cap C =$$

All Events:

$$A \cup B \cup C =$$

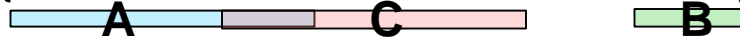
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Union of Events:

$$A \cup B = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.25\}$$

$$B \cup C = \{0.14, 0.15, 0.17, 0.25\}$$

$$A \cup C = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.15, 0.17\}$$

Intersection of Events:

$$A \cap B = \phi$$

$$A \cap C = \{0.14\}$$

$$B \cap C = \phi$$

Complementary Events:

$$A^c = \{0.15, 0.17, 0.19, 0.25\}$$

$$B^c = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.15, 0.17, 0.19\}$$

$$C^c = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.19, 0.25\}$$

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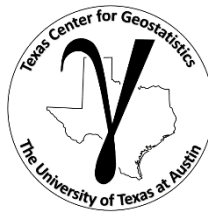
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Probability Definitions Test Your Knowledge



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We would like to investigate the following events:

- Event A: Porosity values of less than 0.15, {0.10, 0.12, 0.14} $P(A) = 3/7$
- Event B: Porosity values of greater than 0.20, {0.25} $P(B) = 1/7$
- Event C: Porosity values of between 0.14 and 0.17 {0.14, 0.15, 0.17} $P(C) = 3/7$

Union of Events:

$$A \cup B = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.25\}$$

$$P(A \cup B) = 4/7$$

$$B \cup C = \{0.14, 0.15, 0.17, 0.25\}$$

$$P(B \cup C) = 4/7$$

$$A \cup C = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.15, 0.17\}$$

$$P(A \cup C) = 5/7$$

Intersection of Events:

$$A \cap B = \phi, P(A \cap B) = 0$$

$$A \cap C = \{0.14\}, P(A \cap C) = 1/7$$

$$A \cap B = \phi, P(B \cap C) = 0$$

Complementary Events:

$$A^c = \{0.15, 0.17, 0.19, 0.25\} \quad P = 4/7 \quad B^c = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.15, 0.17, 0.19\} \quad P = 6/7 \quad C^c = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.19, 0.25\} \quad P = 4/7$$

Mutually Exclusive Events:

$$A \cap B = \phi \quad P(A \cap B) = 0$$

$$B \cap C = \phi$$

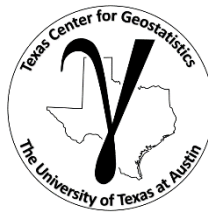
$$P(B \cap C) = 0$$

All Events:

$$A \cup B \cup C = \{0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.15, 0.17, 0.25\} = \Omega, P(A \cup B \cup C) = 6/7$$

Probability Definitions

Probability Concepts

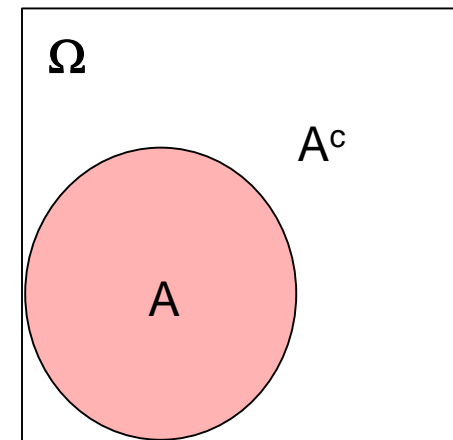


Non-negativity, Normalization:

- Fundamental probability constraints
 - Bounded $0 \leq P(A) \leq 1$
 - Closure $P(\Omega) = 1$
 - Null Sets $P(\phi) = 0$

Complimentary Events:

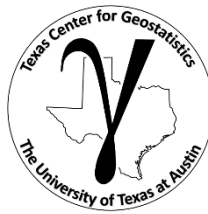
- Closure $P(A^c) + P(A) = 1$



Venn Diagram – illustrating complementary events.

Probability Definitions

Probability Concepts



The Addition Rule:

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

Must account for the intersection!

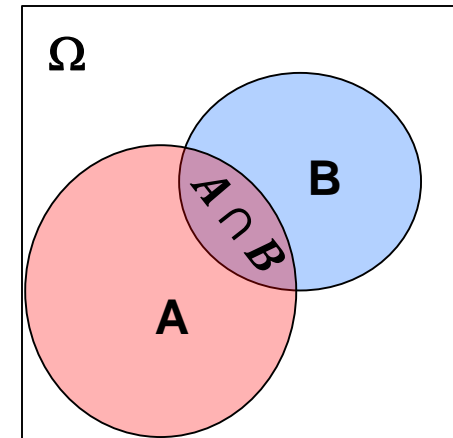
If mutually exclusive events:

$$A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset, \forall i \neq j$$

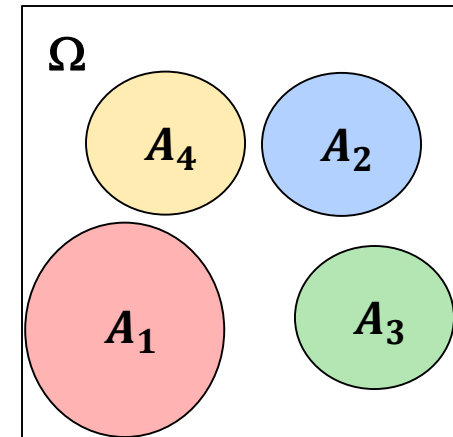
then,

$$P\left(\bigcup_{i=1}^k A_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^k P(A_i)$$

no intersections to account for.



Venn Diagram – illustrating intersection.

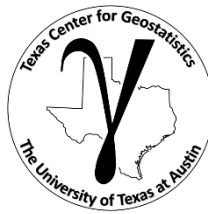


Venn Diagram – illustrating no intersection.

Probability Definitions

Hands-on Addition Rule

Example



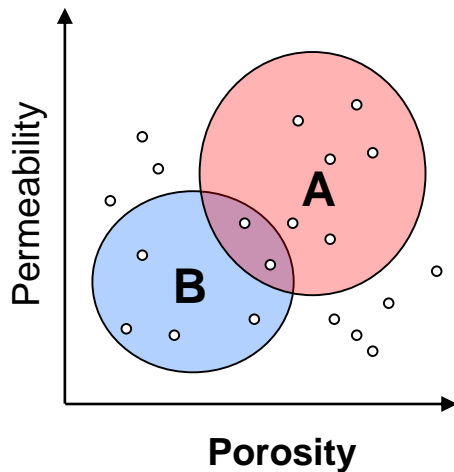
Calculate the following probabilities for event A and B: Note Event A: Sandstone and Event B: Shale

$$P(A) =$$

$$P(B) =$$

$$P(A \cap B) =$$

$$P(A \cup B) =$$

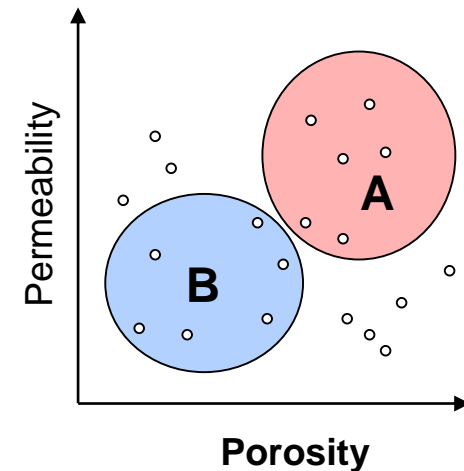


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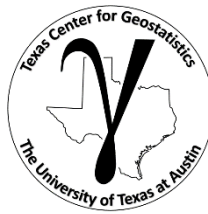
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Probability Definitions Addition Rule Example



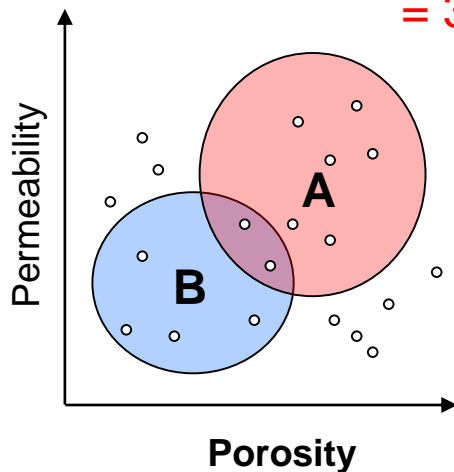
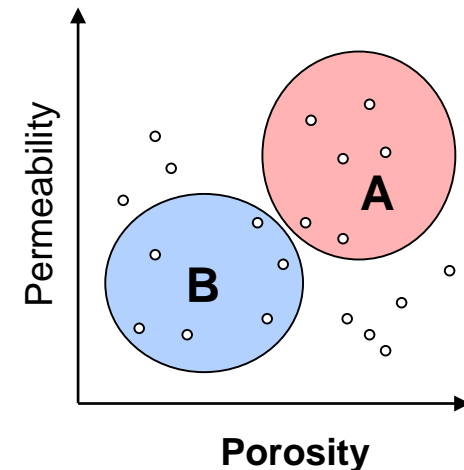
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$$P(A) = 6/20 = 30\%$$

$$P(B) = 6/20 = 30\%$$

$$P(A \cap B) = 0/20 = 0\%$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(A \cup B) &= P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) \\ &= 30\% + 30\% - 0\% = 60\% \end{aligned}$$



$$P(A) = 8/20 = 40\%$$

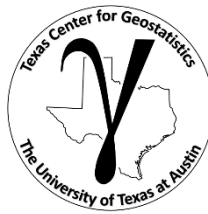
$$P(B) = 6/20 = 30\%$$

$$P(A \cap B) = 2/20 = 10\%$$

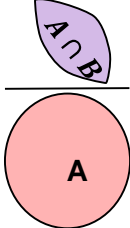
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Probability Definitions

Conditional Probability

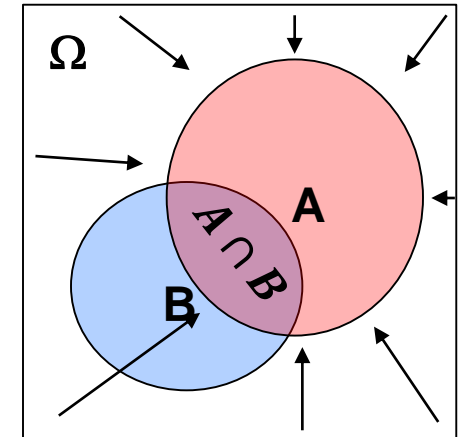


Probability of B given A occurred? $P(B | A)$

$$P(B | A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)}$$


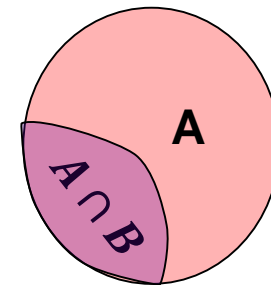
$P(A \cap B)$

$P(A)$



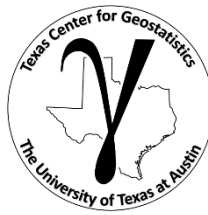
Conceptually we shrink space of possible outcomes.

A occurred
so we shrink
our space to
only event A.



Probability Definitions

Conditional, Marginal and Joint Probability



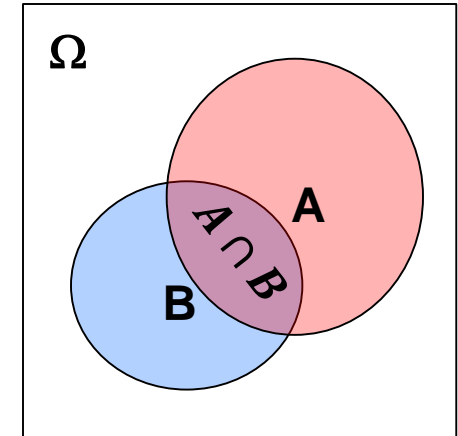
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Conditional Probability

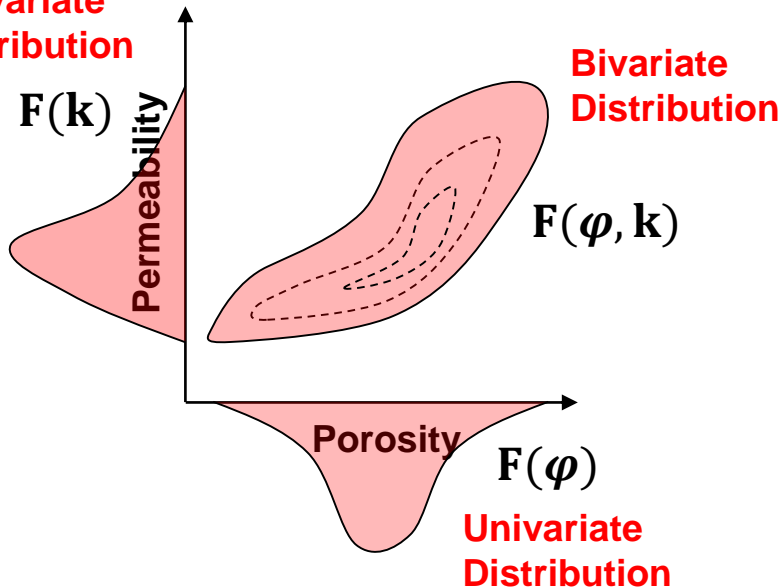
Joint Probability

$$P(B | A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} = \frac{P(A \text{ and } B)}{P(A)}$$

Marginal Probability

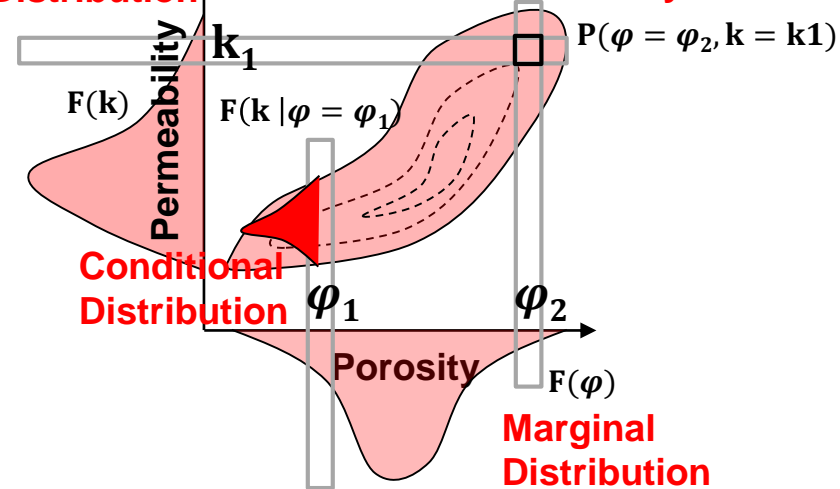


Univariate Distribution



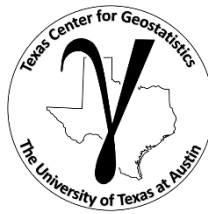
Marginal Distribution

Joint Probability



Probability Definitions

Conditional, Marginal and Joint Probability



Marginal Probability: Probability of an event, irrespective of any other event

$$P(X), P(Y)$$

Conditional Probability: Probability of an event, given another event is already true.

$$P(X \text{ given } Y), P(Y \text{ given } X)$$

$$P(X | Y), P(Y | X)$$

Joint Probability: Probability of multiple events occurring together.

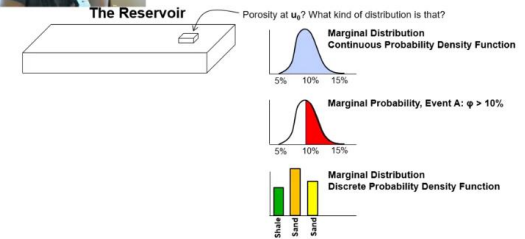
$$P(X \text{ and } Y), P(Y \text{ and } X)$$

$$P(X \cap Y), P(Y \cap X)$$

$$P(X, Y), P(Y, X)$$



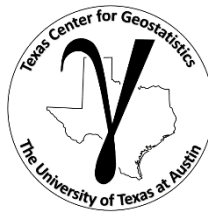
Discussion on Marginal, Conditional and Joint Probabilities



See YouTube Video on Marginals, Conditionals and Joints!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bL2gPwMfYpc&index=5&t=0s&list=PLG19vXLQHvSB-D4XKYieEku9GQM0yAzjI>

Probability Definitions Generalizing Conditional Probability



General Form for Conditional Probability?

$$P(C | B, A) = \frac{P(A \cap B \cap C)}{P(A \cap B)}$$

Recall:

$$P(B | A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)}$$

Substitute:

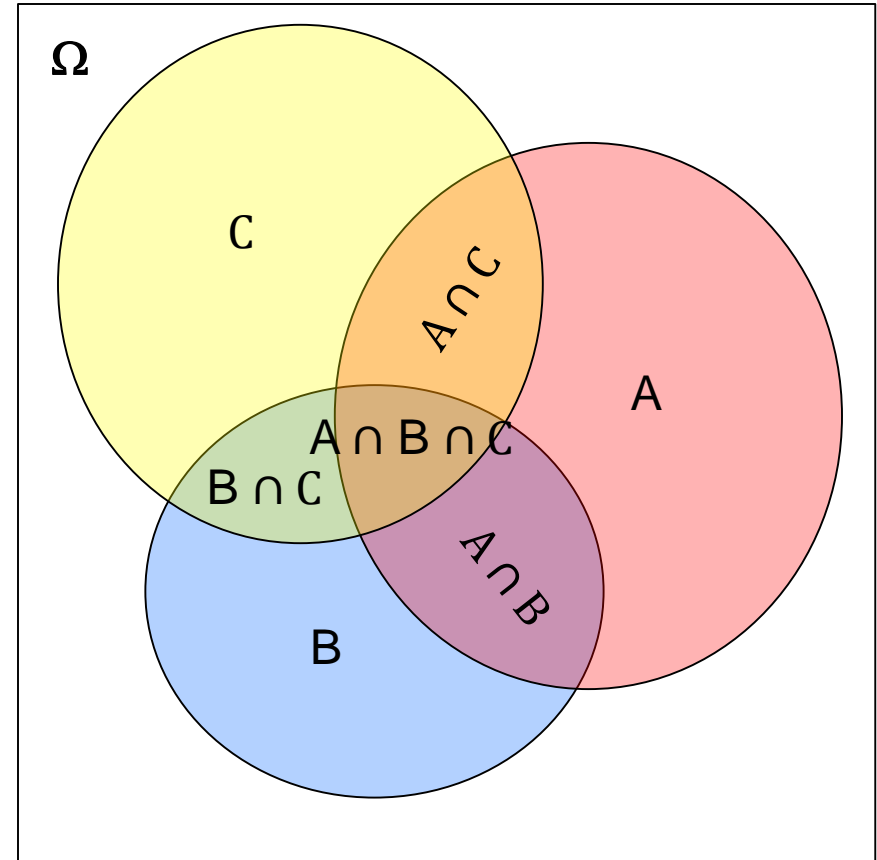
$$P(C | B, A) = \frac{P(A \cap B \cap C)}{P(B|A)P(A)}$$

Reorganize:

$$P(A \cap B \cap C) = P(C | B, A)P(B|A)P(A)$$

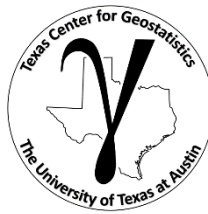
$$P(A_1 \cap \dots \cap A_n) = P(A_n | A_{n-1}, \dots, A_1)P(A_{n-1} | A_{n-2}, \dots, A_1) \dots P(A_1)$$

General Form, Recursion of Conditionals



Probability Definitions

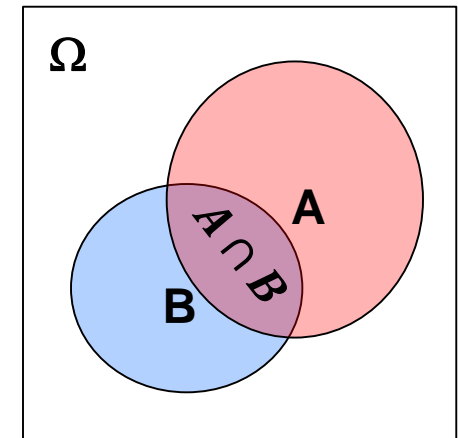
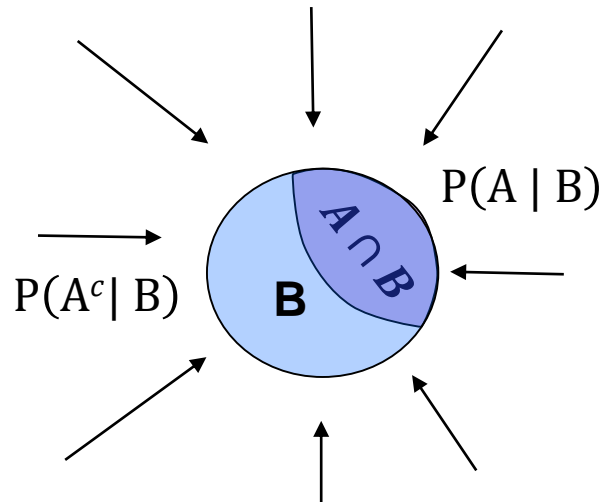
More on Conditional Probability



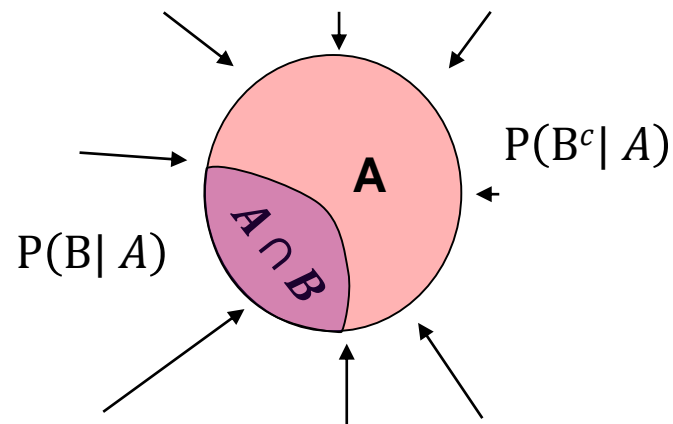
Other Relations with Conditional Probability

- Closure with conditional probabilities:

$$P(A | B) + P(A^c | B) = 1$$

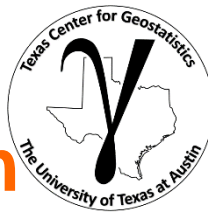


$$P(B | A) + P(B^c | A) = 1$$



Probability Definitions

Conditional Probability Hands-on



Recall:

$$P(B | A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)}$$

For Case 1 calculate:

$$P(A | B) =$$

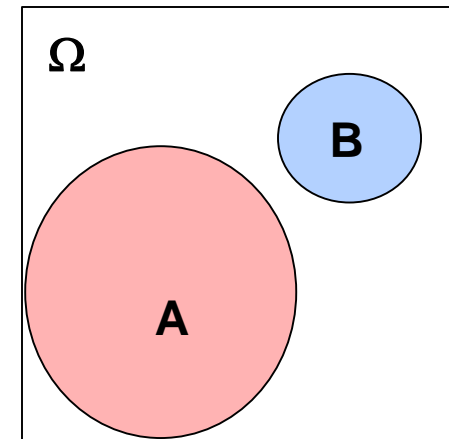
$$P(B | A) =$$

For Case 2 calculate:

$$P(A | B) =$$

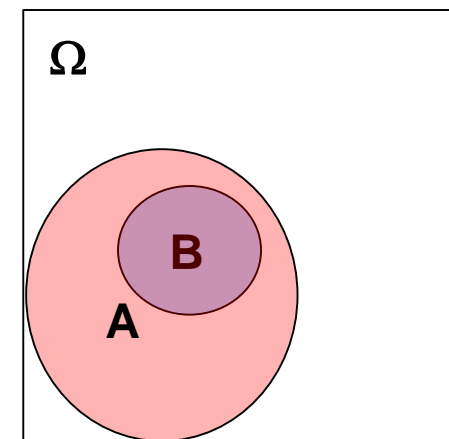
$$P(B | A) =$$

Case 1:



Venn Diagram – case 1.

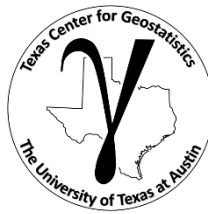
Case 2:



Venn Diagram – case 2.

Probability Definitions

Conditional Probability Example



Recall:

$$P(B | A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)}$$

For Case 1 calculate:

$$P(A | B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{\emptyset}{P(B)} = \emptyset$$

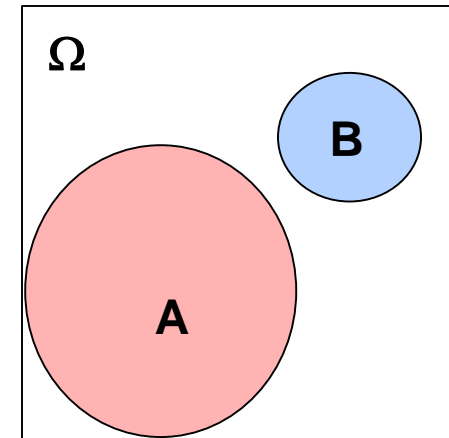
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For Case 2 calculate:

$$P(A | B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = 1, \text{ since } P(A \cap B) = P(B)$$

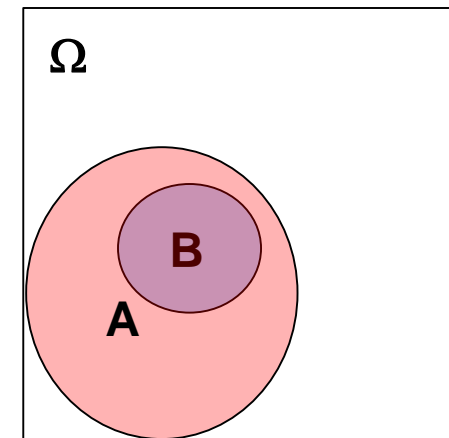
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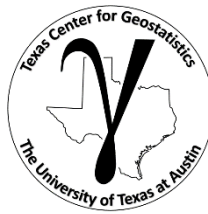
Case 2:



Venn Diagram – case 2.

Probability Definitions

Conditional Probability Example



Question: Calculate the following probabilities for events A and B:

Event A: Porosity $> 15\%$

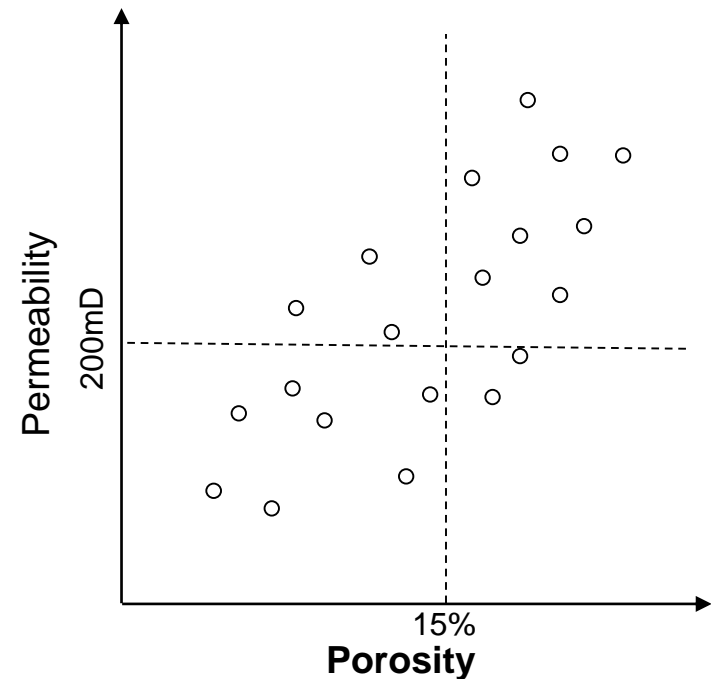
Event B: Permeability > 200 mD

For Case 1 calculate:

$P(A | B) =$

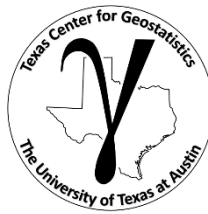
$P(B | A) =$

Bonus Question: How much information does event B tell you about event A and visa versa?



Probability Definitions

Conditional Probability Example



Question: Calculate the following probabilities for events A and B:

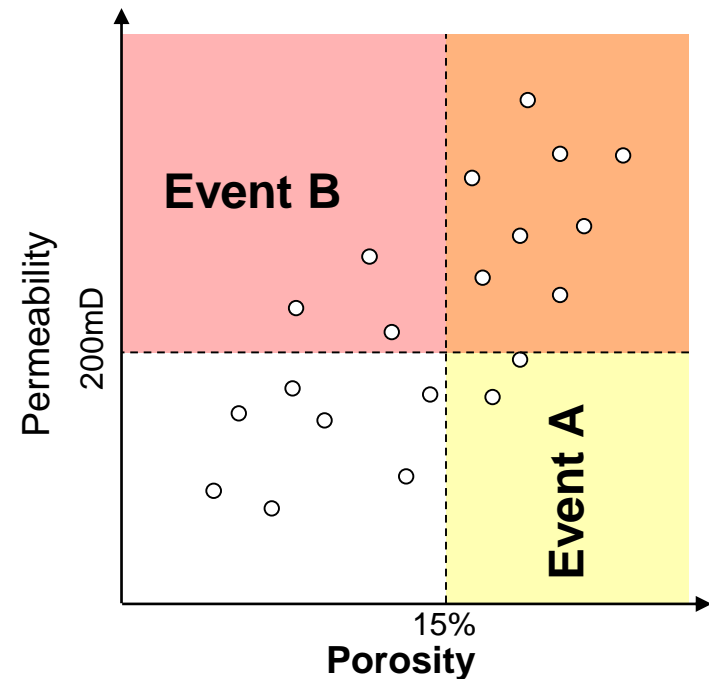
Event A: Porosity > 15%

Event B: Permeability > 200 mD

For Case 1 calculate:

$$P(A | B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{8/20}{11/20} = 8/11$$

$$P(B | A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} = \frac{8/20}{10/20} = 8/10$$



Bonus Question: How much information does B tell you about A and visa versa?

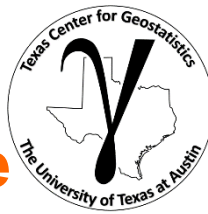
$P(A) = 10/20$, $P(A|B) = 8/11$ Probability from 50% → 73%

$P(B) = 11/20$, $P(B|A) = 8/10$ Probability from 55% → 80%

We cannot work with A and B independently, they provide information about each other.

Probability Definitions

Conditional, Marginal and Joint Example



Joint Distribution:

$$f_{XY}(x, y)$$

Marginal Distribution:

$$f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f_{XY}(x, y) dy$$

Conditional Distribution:

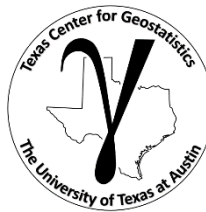
$$f_{X|Y}(x | y) = \frac{f_{XY}(x, y)}{f_Y(y)}$$

Table of Frequencies

| | | | | | | |
|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Porosity (%) | 25% | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 20% | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| | 15% | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| | 10% | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| | 5% | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | | 10% | 30% | 50% | 70% | 90% |
| | | Fraction Shale (%) | | | | |

Probability Definitions

Conditional Probability Example



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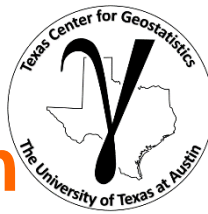
$$f_{X|Y}(x | y) = \frac{f_{XY}(x, y)}{f_Y(y)}$$

Table of Joint Probabilities

| | | | | | | |
|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Porosity (%) | 25% | 4% | 4% | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 20% | 8% | 12% | 8% | 0 | 0 |
| | 15% | 4% | 8% | 8% | 4% | 0 |
| | 10% | 0 | 0 | 8% | 12% | 8% |
| | 5% | 0 | 0 | 4% | 4% | 4% |
| | | 10% | 30% | 50% | 70% | 90% |
| | | Fraction Shale (%) | | | | |

Probability Definitions

Conditional Probability Hands-on



Given these joint probabilities calculate the: **Table of Joint Probabilities**

Marginal Distributions:

| | | | | | |
|---------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Vsh | 10% | 30% | 50% | 70% | 90% |
| $f_{Vsh}(v_{sh}) =$ | | | | | |

| | | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Porosity | 5% | 10% | 15% | 20% | 25% |
| $f_{\varphi}(\varphi) =$ | | | | | |

| | | | | | | |
|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Porosity (%) | 25% | 4% | 4% | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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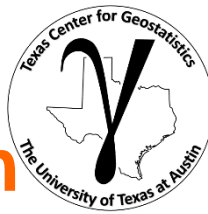
Conditional Distribution:

| | | | | | |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Vsh | 10% | 30% | 50% | 70% | 90% |
| | | | | | |

$$f_{Vsh|\varphi}(v_{sh}|\varphi = 15\%) =$$

Probability Definitions

Conditional Probability Hands-on



Given these joint probabilities calculate the: **Table of Joint Probabilities**

Marginal Distributions:

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Vsh | 10% | 30% | 50% | 70% | 90% |
| $f_{Vsh}(v_{sh})$ | 16% | 24% | 28% | 20% | 12% |

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|------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
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Conditional Distribution:

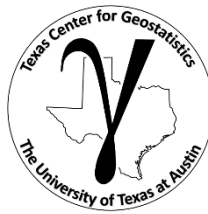
| | | | | | |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Vsh | 10% | 30% | 50% | 70% | 90% |
| | 1/6 | 1/3 | 1/3 | 1/6 | 0 |

| | | | | | | |
|--------------|-----|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Porosity (%) | 25% | 4% | 4% | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 20% | 8% | 12% | 8% | 0 | 0 |
| | 15% | 4% | 8% | 8% | 4% | 0 |
| | 10% | 0 | 0 | 8% | 12% | 8% |
| | 5% | 0 | 0 | 4% | 4% | 4% |
| | | 10% | 30% | 50% | 70% | 90% |
| | | Fraction Shale (%) | | | | |

$$f_{Vsh|\varphi}(v_{sh} | \varphi = 15\%) = f_{Vsh,\varphi}(v_{sh}, \varphi = 15\%) / f_{\varphi}(\varphi = 15\%)$$

Probability Definitions

Multiplication Rule



The Multiplication Rule:

$$P(A \cap B) = P(B|A) P(A)$$

If events A and B are independent:

$$P(B|A) = P(B)$$

Knowing something about A does nothing to help predict B. Then by substitution:

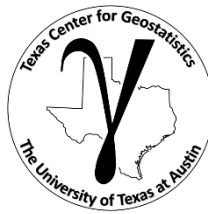
$$P(A \cap B) = P(B) P(A)$$

The general form given independence for all cases, $i = 1, \dots, k$:

$$P\left(\bigcap_{i=1}^k A_i\right) = \prod_{i=1}^k P(A_i)$$

Probability Definitions

Multiplication Rule Example



Given there is independence between fluid type and porosity:

Event A = Oil

Event B = Porosity > 10%

Given: $P(A) = 30\%$ and $P(B) = 50\%$

What is the $P(A \cap B)$?

Given there is independence between fluid type, porosity and saturation:

Event A = Oil

Event B = Porosity > 10%

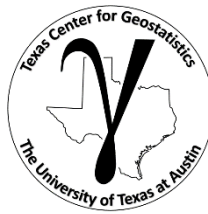
Event C = $S_{oil} > 40\%$

Given: $P(A) = 30\%$, $P(B) = 50\%$, $P(C) = 25\%$

What is the $P(A \cap B \cap C)$?

Probability Definitions

Multiplication Rule Example



Given there is independence between fluid type and porosity:

Event A = Oil

Given: $P(A) = 30\%$ and $P(B) = 50\%$

Event B = Porosity $> 10\%$

What is the $P(A \cap B)$? $30\% \times 50\% = 15\%$

Given there is independence between fluid type, porosity and saturation:

Event A = Oil

Given: $P(A) = 30\%$, $P(B) = 50\%$, $P(C) = 10\%$

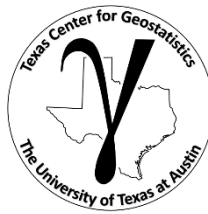
Event B = Porosity $> 10\%$

Event C = $S_{oil} > 40\%$

What is the $P(A \cap B \cap C)$? $30\% \times 50\% \times 10\% = 1.5\%$

Probability Definitions

Evaluating Independence



Events **A** and **B** are independent if and only if:

$$P(A \cap B) = P(B)P(A)$$

or

$$P(A|B) = P(A) \quad \text{and} \quad P(B|A) = P(B)$$

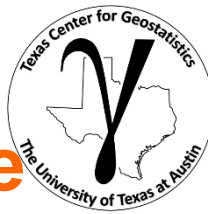
General Form:

Events A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n are independent if:

$$P\left(\bigcap_{i=1}^k A_i\right) = \prod_{i=1}^k P(A_i)$$

Probability Definitions

Evaluating Independence Example



Example: Facies F1, F2 and F3 in 10 wells:

| Position | Well 1 | Well 2 | Well 3 | Well 4 | Well 5 | Well 6 | Well 7 | Well 8 | Well 9 | Well 10 |
|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| Top | F3 | F2 | F2 | F1 | F1 | F1 | F2 | F2 | F1 | F1 |
| Middle | F1 | F1 | F1 | F1 | F2 | F2 | F1 | F2 | F2 | F2 |
| Bottom | F2 | F2 | F2 | F3 | F3 | F3 | F3 | F3 | F3 | F2 |

Event A_1 = F1 is middle facies

Event A_2 = F3 is bottom facies

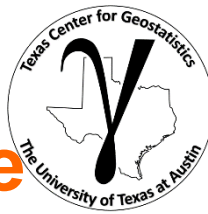
$$P(A_1 \cap A_2) = P(A_1)P(A_2) \text{ or}$$

$$P(A_1|A_2) = P(A_1) \text{ and } P(A_2|A_1) = P(A_2)$$

Question: are events A_1 and A_2 independent?

Probability Definitions

Evaluating Independence Example



Example: Facies F1, F2 and F3 in 5 wells:

| Position | Well 1 | Well 2 | Well 3 | Well 4 | Well 5 | Well 6 | Well 7 | Well 8 | Well 9 | Well 10 |
|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| Top | F3 | F2 | F2 | F1 | F1 | F1 | F2 | F2 | F1 | F1 |
| Middle | F1 | F1 | F1 | F1 | F2 | F2 | F1 | F2 | F2 | F2 |
| Bottom | F2 | F2 | F2 | F3 | F3 | F3 | F3 | F3 | F3 | F2 |

Event A_1 = middle facies if F1

Event A_2 = bottom facies is F3

$$P(A_1 \cap A_2) = P(A_1)P(A_2) \text{ or}$$

$$P(A_1|A_2) = P(A_1) \text{ and } P(A_2|A_1) = P(A_2)$$

Question: are events A_1 and A_2 independent?

$$P(A_1) = 5/10 = 50\%, P(A_2) = 6/10 = 60\%, P(A_1 \cap A_2) = 2/10 = 20\%$$

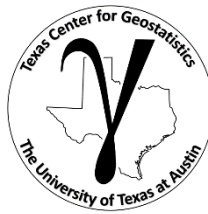
$$P(A_1)P(A_2) = 50\% \cdot 60\% = 30\% \neq P(A_1 \cap A_2) = 2/10 = 20\% \text{ Not independent.}$$

Probability and Statistics

What should you learn from this lecture?

- **Fundamentals of Statistics and Probability**
 - **Fundamentals of Probability**
 - » **Bayesian Approach and Examples**

Probability Definitions Bayesian Statistics



Product Rule:

$$P(B \cap A) = P(A|B) P(B)$$

$$P(A \cap B) = P(B|A) P(A)$$

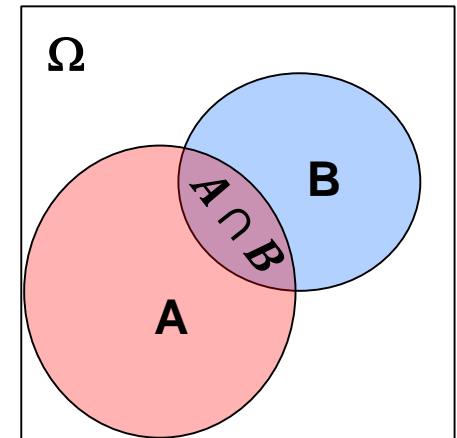
It follows that:

$$P(B \cap A) = P(A \cap B)$$

Therefore we combine two product rules, substitute:

$$P(A|B) P(B) = P(B|A) P(A)$$

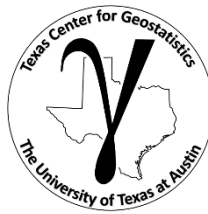
We get Bayes' Theorem!



Venn Diagram – illustrating intersection.

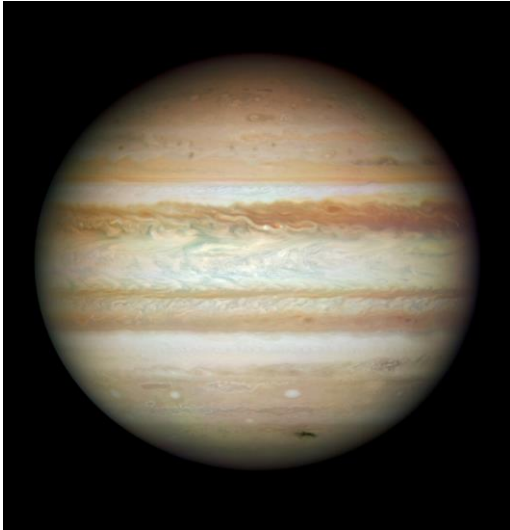
Probability Definitions

Bayesian Statistics



Bayesian Statistical Approaches:

- probabilities based on a degree of belief (expert experience) in an event
- updated as new information is available
- solve probability problems that we cannot use simple frequencies



From Sivia (1996), What is the mass of Jupiter?

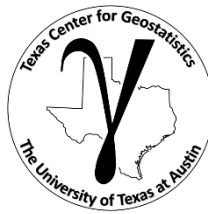
Frequentist: measure the mass of enough Jupiter-like planets from multiple solar systems.

Bayesian: form a prior probability and update with any available information.

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Probability Definitions

Bayesian Statistics



Bayes' Theorem:

Make an easy adjustment and we get the popular form.

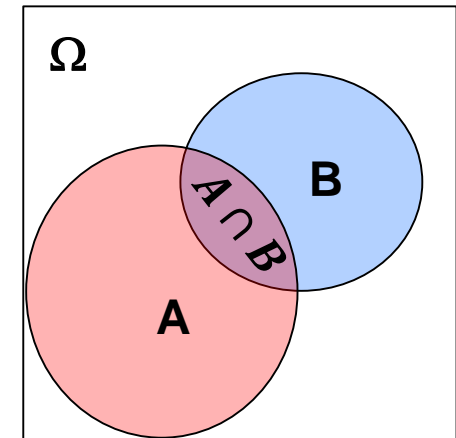
$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A) P(A)}{P(B)}$$

Observations:

1. We are able to get $P(A | B)$ from $P(B | A)$ as you will see this often comes in handy.
2. Each term is known as:

$$\text{Posterior} = \frac{\text{Likelihood} \times \text{Prior}}{\text{Evidence}}$$

3. Prior should have no information from likelihood.
4. Evidence term is usually just a standardization to ensure closure.

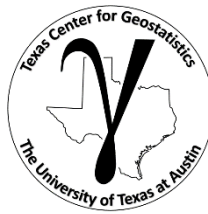


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Bayes Theorem:

A common example of Bayes' Theorem for modeling the subsurface.

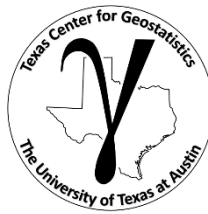
Model Updating with a New Data Source:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \text{Posterior} & & \text{Likelihood} & & \text{Prior} \\ \swarrow & & \swarrow & & \swarrow \\ P(\text{Model} \mid \text{New Data}) & = & \frac{P(\text{New Data} \mid \text{Model}) P(\text{Model})}{P(\text{New Data})} \end{array}$$

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Evidence

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Bayes Theorem:

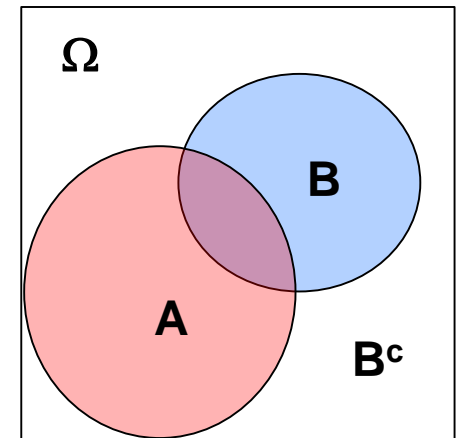
Alternative form, symmetry:

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A) P(A)}{P(B)} \quad P(B|A) = \frac{P(A|B) P(B)}{P(A)}$$

Alternative form to calculate evidence term:

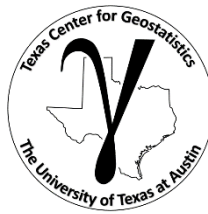
$$\text{Given: } P(A) = \underbrace{P(A|B) P(B)}_{P(A \text{ and } B)} + \underbrace{P(A|B^c) P(B^c)}_{P(A \text{ and } B^c)}$$

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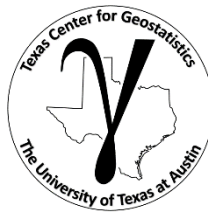
| Event A | Event B |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| You have a disease | You test positive for the disease |
| There is fault compartmentalization | Geologist says there's a fault |
| Low permeability of a sample | The laboratory measure is low |
| A valve will fail | X-ray test is positive |
| You drill a dry well | Seismic AVO response looks poor |

In all of these cases you need to calculate:

$$P\left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Something is} \\ \text{Happening} \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{c} \text{Looks like} \\ \text{its happening} \end{array}\right) = \frac{P\left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Looks like} \\ \text{its happening} \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{c} \text{Something is} \\ \text{Happening} \end{array}\right) P\left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Something is} \\ \text{Happening} \end{array}\right)}{P\left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Looks like} \\ \text{its happening} \end{array}\right)}$$

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Bayesian approaches allow you to solve statistical problems that are not possible otherwise. Consider:

Correct Detection Rate x Occurrence Rate

$$P(\text{Something is Happening} \mid \text{Looks like its happening}) = \frac{P(\text{Looks like its happening} \mid \text{Something is Happening}) P(\text{Something is Happening})}{P(\text{Looks like its happening})}$$

All Detection Rate (included false positives)

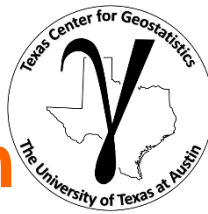
Often these terms are much easier to collect:

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A|B) P(B)}{P(A)} = \frac{P(A|B) P(B)}{P(A|B) P(B) + P(A|B^c) P(B^c)}$$

Let's try this out next.

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Bayesian Statistics Hands-on



Example: Prior information at a site suggests a channel feature exists at a given location with probability of 60%. We decide to further investigate this information using seismic data.

Seismic survey can show a feature

- is present with 90% probability if it really is present
- is not present with a probability 70% if it really is not

$$P(A) = 0.6$$

$$P(B|A) = 0.9$$

$$P(B^c|A^c) = 0.7$$

A=The feature is present

B=Seismic shows the feature

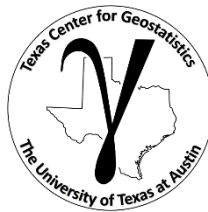
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Will seismic information be useful?

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$$P(B|A^c) = 1 - P(B^c|A^c) = 0.3$$

$$P(A^c) = 1 - P(A) = 0.4$$

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A) P(A)}{P(B)} = \frac{P(B|A) P(A)}{P(B|A) P(A) + P(B|A^c) P(A^c)} = \frac{\text{True Positive}}{\text{True Positive} + \text{False Positive}} = 82\%$$

Bayesian Hands-on Actual Happening Given Indicator



Bayesian Updating V2.0 - Inverting Conditional Probabilities

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With **Bayesian Updating** we can invert conditional probabilities (e.g. $P(A|B) \rightarrow P(B|A)$). This is very powerful, because often we can use an easier to calculate conditional probability to assess a more difficult to calculate, but more important conditional probability. For example, your doctor gives you a medical test that comes back positive for a disease. It would be important to know what is the probability that you have the disease given the positive test. This is a general category of problems that may be generalized as follows. **You have an positive indicator that something is happening, is the thing actually happening?** E.g. seismic interpretation indicates a fault, x-ray analysis indicates a crack etc.

$$P(\text{Actually Happening} | \text{Positive Indicator}) = \frac{P(\text{Positive Indicator} | \text{Actually Happening}) \times P(\text{Actually Happening})}{P(\text{Positive Indicator})}$$

It turns out that the denominator (Evidence Term) is often hard to calculate so we may use probability logic to calculate it as follows:

$$P(\text{Positive Indicator}) = \underbrace{P(\text{Positive Indicator} | \text{Actually Happening}) \times P(\text{Actually Happening})}_{\text{True Positive}} + \underbrace{P(\text{Positive Indicator} | \text{NOT Actually Happening}) \times P(\text{NOT Actually Happening})}_{\text{False Positive}}$$

Returning to the doctor's office. Your doctor has just informed you that you have tested positive (Positive Indicator) for a disease. Don't panic, resort to probability math. What information do you have to work with?

Instructions:

Adjust the yellow probabilities (that would likely be available) and observe the resulting probability of having the disease given a positive test. Note intermediate calculated probabilities are in blue cells.

Probability of getting this disease

$$P(\text{Actually Happening}) = 0.0001\%$$

By closure the complement, probability of not getting this disease

$$P(\text{Not Actually Happening}) = 1 - P(\text{Actually Happening}) = 99.9999\%$$

Probability of detecting the disease if you have it. This is the sensitivity of the test.

$$P(\text{Positive Indicator} | \text{Actually Happening}) = 99.000\%$$

Probability of detecting the disease if you don't have it. This is the false positive rate of the test.

$$P(\text{Positive Indicator} | \text{NOT Actually Happening}) = 0.010\%$$

$$P(\text{Positive Indicator}) = P(\text{Positive Indicator} | \text{Actually Happening}) \times P(\text{Actually Happening}) + P(\text{Positive Indicator} | \text{NOT Actually Happening}) \times P(\text{NOT Actually Happening})$$

$$P(\text{Positive Indicator}) = 0.99\% \times 0.00001\% + 0.0001\% \times 99.9999\% \rightarrow P(\text{Positive Indicator}) = 0.011\%$$

We now have everything we need to solve for the probability you have the disease given a positive test.

$$P(\text{Actually Happening} | \text{Positive Indicator}) = \frac{P(\text{Positive Indicator} | \text{Actually Happening}) \times P(\text{Actually Happening})}{P(\text{Positive Indicator})} = \frac{99.000\% \times 0.0001\%}{0.011\%} = P(\text{Actually Happening} | \text{Positive Indicator}) = 9.008\%$$

What should you observe?

Why is the $P(\text{Actually Happening} | \text{Positive Indicator})$ so low? Check out the following joint probabilities.

The probability of experiencing a false positive is $P(\text{Not Actually Happening and Positive Indicator}) =$

$$0.010\%$$

10.10 Ratio of Probability of False Positive / Probability of True Positive

Compare this to the true positive $P(\text{Actually Happening and Positive Indicator}) =$

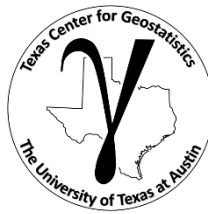
$$0.0001\%$$

The combination of a very unlikely event (rare disease) and a significant false positive rate results in 10.1x greater probability of a false positive than a true positive with this test. The problem is that given an apparently low false positive rate and a very high true positive rate most people would assume that the detected condition is actually happening, when in fact it is unlikely!

For more (geo)statistical demos check out [github/GeostatsGuy](https://github.com/GeostatsGuy) and twitter @GeostatsGuy.

Probability Definitions

Bayesian Statistics Example



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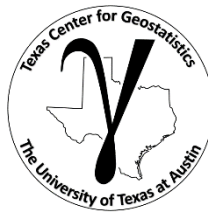
$P(A) = 0.001$ – crack rate

$P(B|A) = 0.99$ – true positive

$P(B|A^c) = 0.02$ – false positive

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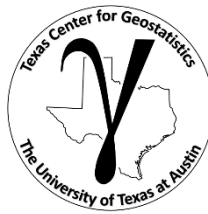
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True Positive False Positive

Probability of a crack in the BOP given a positive crack test is only 4.7%! Why?
Cracks are very unlikely + high false positive rate (2%)!

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Bayesian Statistics Example



Machine 1

$P(X_1)$, **20% Production**
 $P(Y|X_1)$, **5% Error Rate**

Machine 2

$P(X_2)$, **30% Production**
 $P(Y|X_2)$, **3% Error Rate**

Machine 3

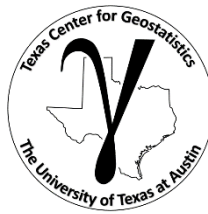
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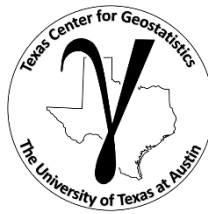
$$P(Y) = P(Y|X_1)P(X_1) + P(Y|X_2)P(X_2) + P(Y|X_3)P(X_3)$$

$$P(Y) = (0.20)(0.05) + (0.30)(0.03) + (0.50)(0.01)$$

$$P(Y) = 0.024 = 2.4\%$$

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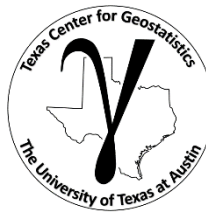
$$P(X_i|Y) = \frac{P(Y|X_i)P(X_i)}{P(Y)}$$

$$P(X_1|Y) = \frac{(0.05)(0.2)}{(0.024)} = 0.41$$

$$P(X_3|Y) = \frac{(0.01)(0.5)}{(0.024)} = 0.21$$

$$P(X_2|Y) = \frac{(0.03)(0.3)}{(0.024)} = 0.38$$

Bayesian Hands-on Updating Exploration Success



Induction with Bayes' Theorem for Updating Exploration Success Rate with Exploration Drilling Results

Michael Pyrcz, Associate Professor, the University of Texas at Austin

Problem: update the assumed exploration success rate with new exploration drilling results. Update the prior exploration probability of exploration success with n_s drilling successes out of n new exploration wells.

$$Prob \{ Model | Result \} = \frac{Prob \{ Result | Model \} \cdot Prob \{ Model \}}{Prob \{ Result \}}$$

we can use Bayes' Theorem go from $Prob \{ Result | Model \}$ (probability of exploration drilling outcome given exploration model) that is easy to calculate to the $Prob \{ Model | Outcome \}$ (probability of the exploration model success rate given drilling outcomes) that is not available.

$$Posterior = \frac{Likelihood \cdot Prior}{Evidence}$$

the prior is our belief of the probability of each possible exploration success rate (an uniform probability distribution is a naïve prior - we don't know) before drilling the new exploration wells.

Likelihood comes from the binomial distribution. Evidence is the normalization constant such that the resulting posteriori PDF sums to 1.0.

$$Prob \{ Result \} = k \quad Prob \{ Result | Model \} = \binom{n_s}{n} P(n_s)^{n_s} \cdot (1 - P(n_s))^{n - n_s} \quad \text{where } n_s \text{ is the number successes, } n \text{ is the total number of wells and } P(n_s) \text{ is the probability of exploration success.}$$

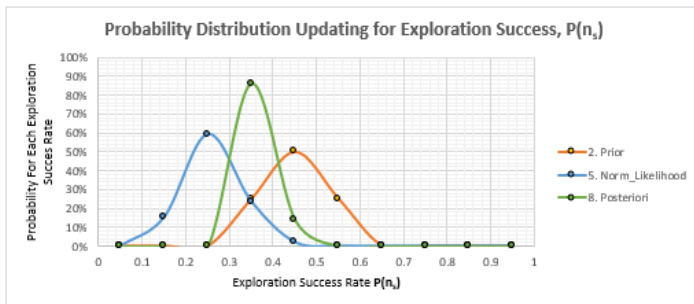
1. Data results - Exploration Outcome

| | |
|---------------------|----|
| Heads, n_s | 10 |
| Failures, $n - n_s$ | 30 |

Experimental Exploration Success Rate 33.3%

Prior, Likelihood and Posterior probabilities Binned by Probability of Exploration Drilling Success

| Prob. of Heads, H | 0.05 | 0.15 | 0.25 | 0.35 | 0.45 | 0.55 | 0.65 | 0.75 | 0.85 | 0.95 | Sum |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|
| 2. Prior | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.25000 | 0.50000 | 0.25000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 1.0000 |
| 3. Norm_Prior | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.25000 | 0.50000 | 0.25000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | |
| 4. Likelihood | 0.00002 | 0.03730 | 0.14436 | 0.05706 | 0.00469 | 0.00008 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.2435 |
| 5. Norm_Likelihood | 0.00007 | 0.15317 | 0.59284 | 0.23430 | 0.01926 | 0.00035 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | |
| 6. Prior x Likelihood | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.01426 | 0.00235 | 0.00002 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.0166 |
| 7. Evidence | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | 0.01663 | |
| 8. Posteriori | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.85770 | 0.14102 | 0.00127 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 0.00000 | 1.0000 |



Based on Sivia, D.S., 1996, Data Analysis, A Bayesian Tutorial, Oxford Science Publications, 189 p.

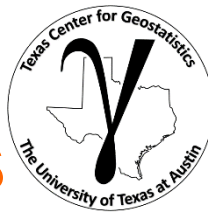
Instructions for Bayes' Theorem Excel Demo

1. Set any data outcome, Data. Where Heads, n_s , is the number of exploration successes and $n - n_s$ is the number of exploration failures and n is the total number of exploration wells.
2. Set the prior to any set of relative probabilities to reflect prior belief concerning the exploration drilling success rate prior to drilling the new exploration wells. Constant is a naïve prior (no idea) or higher for 0.4 reflects a prior / belief in a 40% exploration success rate.
3. The prior probabilities for each exploration success rate bin are standardized to sum to 1.0 as expected for a PDF.
4. The likelihood calculated from the binomial distribution based on the exploration drilling outcome.
5. The likelihood normalized sum to 1.0 as expected for a PDF (for plotting).
6. The product of the prior and the likelihood.
7. The evidence term as the sum of the product of prior and likelihood to ensure the posteriori sums to 1.0 over the exploration success rate bins as expected for a PDF.
8. The posterior as the product of prior and likelihood standardized by evidence for each exploration success rate bin.

What did we learn?

1. Bayes' Theorem may be applied to calculated conditional probabilities that otherwise would be difficult to assess.
2. The prior model has a significant impact on the posterior and must be selected carefully.
3. For a naïve prior the posterior is equal to the likelihood.

Bayesian Updating with Gaussian Distributions



There is an analytical solution for working with Gaussian distributions for Bayesian updating (Sivia, 1996).

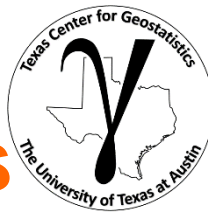
- Calculate the mean of the posterior from the prior and likelihood mean and variance.

$$\bar{x}_{\text{updated}} = \frac{\bar{x}_{\text{likelihood}}(\mathbf{u}) \cdot \sigma_{\text{prior}}^2(\mathbf{u}) + \bar{x}_{\text{prior}}(\mathbf{u}) \cdot \sigma_{\text{likelihood}}^2(\mathbf{u})}{[1 - \sigma_{\text{likelihood}}^2(\mathbf{u})][\sigma_{\text{prior}}^2(\mathbf{u}) - 1] + 1}$$

- Calculate the variance of the posterior from the prior and likelihood variances (no means, homoscedastic!).

$$\sigma_{\text{updated}}^2(\mathbf{u}) = \frac{\sigma_{\text{prior}}^2(\mathbf{u}) \sigma_{\text{likelihood}}^2(\mathbf{u})}{[1 - \sigma_{\text{likelihood}}^2(\mathbf{u})][\sigma_{\text{prior}}^2(\mathbf{u}) - 1] + 1}$$

Bayesian Hands-on Updating with Gaussian Distributions



Bayesian Gaussian Analytical Example Demo

Michael Pyrcz, the University of Texas at Austin, Geostatistical Reservoir Modeling Class

Formulation from Sivia, 1996.

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1. Prior Distribution

| | |
|----------|------|
| average | 0.40 |
| variance | 1.00 |

2. Likelihood Distribution

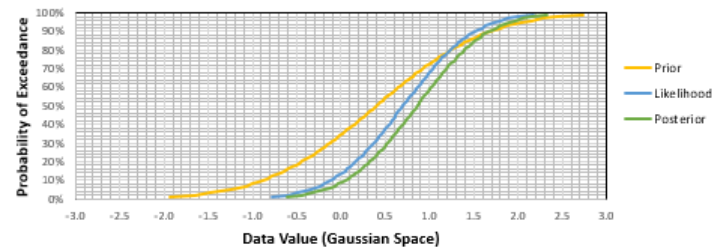
| | |
|----------|------|
| average | 0.70 |
| variance | 0.40 |

3. Posterior Distribution

| | |
|----------|------|
| average | 0.86 |
| variance | 0.40 |

| Percentile | Prior | Likelihood | Posterior |
|------------|--------|------------|-----------|
| 0.01 | -1.926 | -0.771 | -0.611 |
| 0.02 | -1.654 | -0.539 | -0.439 |
| 0.03 | -1.481 | -0.490 | -0.330 |
| 0.04 | -1.351 | -0.407 | -0.247 |
| 0.05 | -1.245 | -0.340 | -0.180 |
| 0.06 | -1.155 | -0.283 | -0.123 |
| 0.07 | -1.076 | -0.233 | -0.073 |
| 0.08 | -1.005 | -0.189 | -0.029 |
| 0.09 | -0.941 | -0.148 | 0.012 |
| 0.1 | -0.882 | -0.111 | 0.049 |
| 0.11 | -0.827 | -0.076 | 0.084 |
| 0.12 | -0.775 | -0.043 | 0.117 |
| 0.13 | -0.726 | -0.012 | 0.148 |
| 0.14 | -0.680 | 0.017 | 0.177 |
| 0.15 | -0.636 | 0.045 | 0.205 |
| 0.16 | -0.594 | 0.071 | 0.231 |
| 0.17 | -0.554 | 0.097 | 0.257 |
| 0.18 | -0.515 | 0.121 | 0.281 |
| 0.19 | -0.478 | 0.145 | 0.305 |
| 0.2 | -0.442 | 0.168 | 0.328 |
| 0.21 | -0.406 | 0.190 | 0.350 |
| 0.22 | -0.372 | 0.212 | 0.372 |
| 0.23 | -0.339 | 0.233 | 0.393 |
| 0.24 | -0.306 | 0.253 | 0.413 |
| 0.25 | -0.274 | 0.273 | 0.433 |
| 0.26 | -0.243 | 0.293 | 0.453 |
| 0.27 | -0.213 | 0.312 | 0.472 |
| 0.28 | -0.183 | 0.331 | 0.491 |
| 0.29 | -0.153 | 0.350 | 0.510 |
| 0.3 | -0.124 | 0.368 | 0.528 |
| 0.31 | -0.096 | 0.386 | 0.546 |
| 0.32 | -0.068 | 0.404 | 0.564 |
| 0.33 | -0.040 | 0.422 | 0.582 |
| 0.34 | -0.012 | 0.439 | 0.599 |
| 0.35 | 0.015 | 0.456 | 0.616 |
| 0.36 | 0.042 | 0.473 | 0.633 |

4. Analytical Bayesian Updating for Gaussian Distribution



Instructions for Analytical Bayesian Updating for Gaussian Distributions

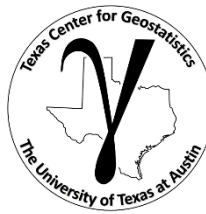
1. Set the average and the variance of the prior distribution (Gaussian parametric distribution).
2. Set the average and the variance of the likelihood distribution (Gaussian parametric distribution).
3. Observed the updated average and variance of the posterior distribution (Gaussian parametric distribution).
4. Observed the prior, likelihood and posterior cumulative distribution functions (CDFs).

What did we learn?

1. The posterior variance is only a function of the prior and likelihood variances. The prior and likelihood means have no influence.
2. In general updating results in a reduction variance. Posterior variance is equal to or less than the greater of the prior and the likelihood variance.
3. High certainty in either prior or likelihood distribution (very low variance) causes either term to dominate the updated posterior.

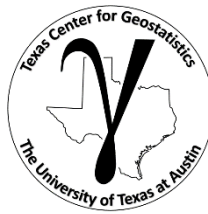
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Probability New Tools



| Topic | Application to Subsurface Modeling |
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| Frequentist Concepts | <p>When sufficient observations are available use (long-run) counting to access the required probabilities.</p> <p><i>Predict reservoir average porosity by pooling analogous fields.</i></p> |
| Bayesian Concepts Inversion of Conditionals | <p>Calculate a difficult to access conditional probability from an accessible one. Probability of event given indicator from probability indicator given event.</p> <p><i>Calculate probability of sealing fault given indicator of sealing fault.</i></p> |
| Bayesian Concepts Bayesian Updating | <p>Update prior belief with new information.</p> <p><i>Calculate probability of exploration success rate given prior model and outcomes from exploration drilling program.</i></p> |

Multivariate Modeling: Probability and Statistics



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Lecture 2: Probability



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