Naïve Bayes Classification

Naive Bayes

a supervised machine learning algorithm, which is used for classification tasks, it is one of the simplest supervised learning algorithms.

Naive Bayes assumption

It takes a strong assumption that all features are independent of each other. The effect of one feature on a given class or dataset is independent of the value on other features.

Naive Bayes Performance

is the fast, accurate and reliable algorithm. Naive Bayes classifiers have high accuracy and speed on large datasets.

Types:

- Gaussian Naive Bayes.
- Multinomial Naive Bayes.
- Bernoulli Naive Bayes

How does Naive Bayes work:

Example No	Color	Туре	Origin	Stolen ?
1	Red	Sports	Domestic	YES
2	Red	Sports	Domestic	NO
3	Red	Sports	Domestic	YES
4	Yellow	Sports	Domestic	NO
5	Yellow	Sports	Imported	YES
6	Yellow	SUV	Imported	NO
7	Yellow	SUV	Imported	YES
8	Yellow	SUV	Domestic	NO
9	Red	SUV	Imported	NO
10	Red	Sports	Imported	YES

Q 1: New Instance = (Red , SUV , Domestic) yes or no?

• Step One:

P(YES) = 5/10

P(NO) = 5/10

• Step Two

Frequency Tables

Color	P(yes)	P(no)
Red	3/5	2/5
Yellow	2/5	3/5

Туре	P(yes)	P(no)
Sports	4/5	2/5
SUV	1/5	3/5

Origin	P(yes)	P(no)
Domestic	2/5	3/5
Imported	3/5	2/5

• Step three

(Red , SUV , Domestic)

P(Yes | New instance) (x1,x2,x3)

P(No | New instance) (x1,x2,x3)

$$5/10 * 2/5 * 3/5 * 3/5 = 0.072.$$

The (Red, SUV, Domestic) car is not stolen!

Sources: https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/naive_bayes.html
https://www.datacamp.com/tutorial/naive-bayes-scikit-learn