

## Lesson 2 Naive Bayes

### Supervised Classification

- learning from labeled data. After understanding the data, the algorithm determines which label should be given to new data by associating patterns to the unlabeled new data.
- Examples
  - Identifying someone from a set of pictures
  - Song recommendation based on previous liked songs

### Features and Labels

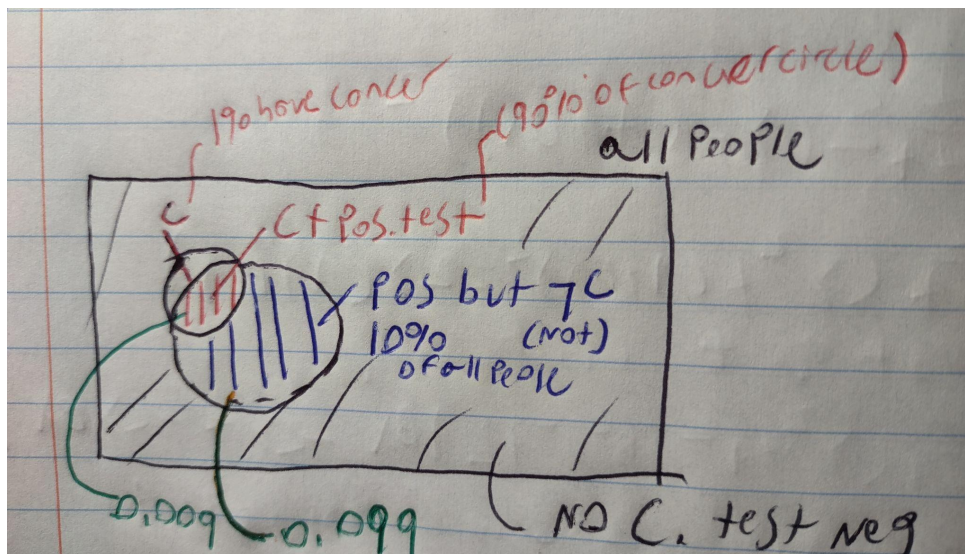
- Song example
- Features
  - Intensity, Temp, Genre, Voice gender
- Labels
  - Like, Dislike

### Naive Bayes

$p(c) = 0.01$ ,  $c$  = Cancer

Test: 90% it is positive if you have C (Sensitivity)  
90% it is negative if you don't have C (Specificity)

Question: Test = Positive



What is the Probability of Having cancer?  
about 8%, see diagram in written notes

- **Sensitivity** (True Positive Rate) refers to the proportion of those who received a positive result on this test out of those who actually have the condition (when judged by the 'Gold Standard').
- **Specificity** (True Negative Rate) refers to the proportion of those who received a negative result on this test out of those who do not actually have the condition (when judged by the 'Gold Standard').

## Bayes Rule

Prior probability \* test evidence → posterior probability

Prior:  $p(c) = 0.01 = 1\%$                        $p(\text{not } c) = 0.99 = 99\%$   
 $p(\text{pos} | c) = .9 = 90\%$   
 $p(\text{neg} | \text{not } c) = 0.9$                        $p(\text{pos} | \text{not } c) = 0.1$

Posterior (joint probability):

$p(c, \text{pos.}) = p(c) * p(\text{pos} | c) = 0.01 * .9 = 0.009$   
 $p(\text{not } c, \text{pos}) = p(\text{not } c) * p(\text{pos} | \text{not } c) = .99 * 0.1 = 0.099$

Normalizer

$p(c, \text{pos.}) + p(\text{not } c, \text{pos}) = 0.009 + 0.099 = 0.108$

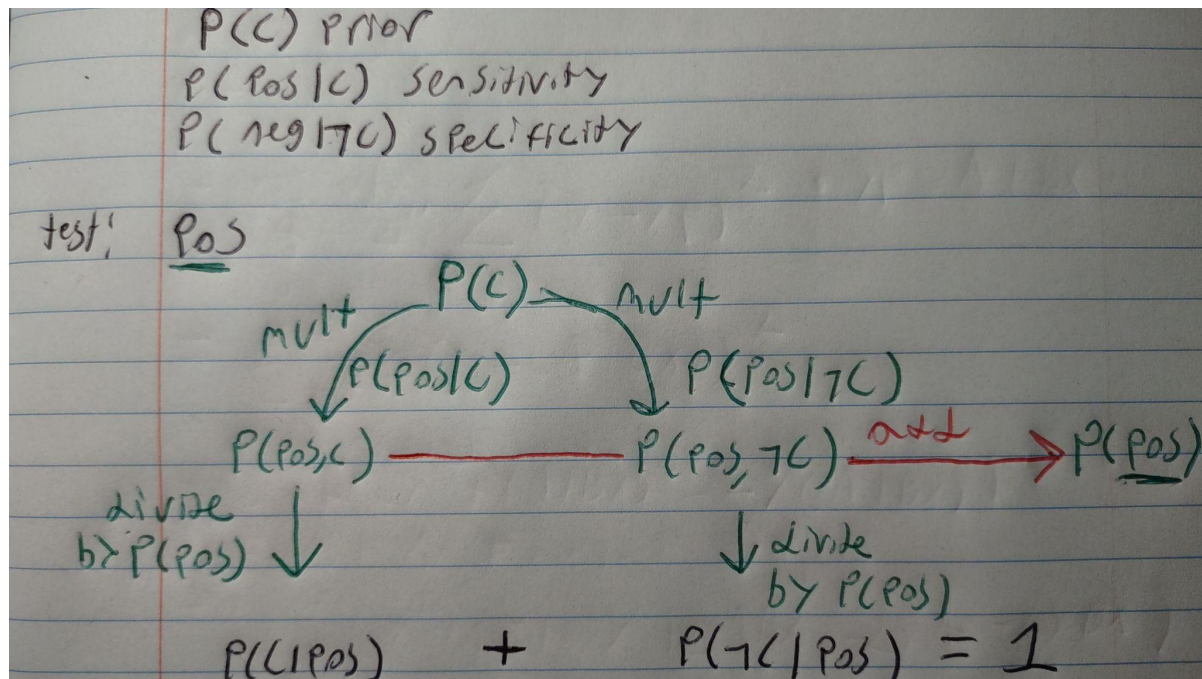
Posterior (actual):

$$p(c | \text{pos}) = \frac{0.009}{0.108} = 0.0833$$

$$p(\text{not } c | \text{pos}) = \frac{0.099}{0.108} = 0.9167$$

$$p(c | \text{pos}) + p(\text{not } c | \text{pos}) = 0.0833 + 0.9167 = 1$$

## Bayes Rule Diagram



## Bayes Rule for Classification

$$P(c|x) = \frac{P(x|c)P(c)}{P(x)}$$

Labels in the diagram:

- Likelihood:  $P(x|c)$
- Class Prior Probability:  $P(c)$
- Posterior Probability:  $P(c|x)$
- Predictor Prior Probability:  $P(x)$

$$P(c|X) = P(x_1|c) \times P(x_2|c) \times \dots \times P(x_n|c) \times P(c)$$

### Random email identification example:

Naive Bayes allows us to determine who is likely to have sent an email if given at random

Probabilities of using word in email

- Chris - love (.1), Deal(.8), life(.1)
- Sara - love (.5), Deal(.2), life(.3)

Prior probabilities:

- $p(\text{chris}) = 0.5$
- $p(\text{sara}) = 0.5$

Who is likely to have sent the following emails given the probabilities?

Email 1: Love Life! - A: Sara

$$\text{chris : } p(\text{chris} \mid \text{love}) \times p(\text{chris} \mid \text{life}) \times p(\text{chris}) = .1 \times .1 \times .5 = 0.005$$

$$\text{sara : } p(\text{sara} \mid \text{love}) \times p(\text{sara} \mid \text{life}) \times p(\text{sara}) = .5 \times .3 \times .5 = \underline{0.075}$$

Email 2: Life Deal! - A: Chris

$$\text{chris : } p(\text{chris} \mid \text{life}) \times p(\text{chris} \mid \text{deal}) \times p(\text{chris}) = .1 \times .8 \times .5 = \underline{0.04}$$

$$\text{sara : } p(\text{sara} \mid \text{life}) \times p(\text{sara} \mid \text{deal}) \times p(\text{sara}) = .3 \times .2 \times .5 = 0.03$$

Calculate the following posterior probabilities of the following

1)

$$p(\text{chris} \mid \text{"Life Deal"}) = \frac{0.04}{0.04 + 0.03} = 0.57$$

$$p(\text{sara} \mid \text{"Life Deal"}) = \frac{0.03}{0.04 + 0.03} = 0.43$$

2)

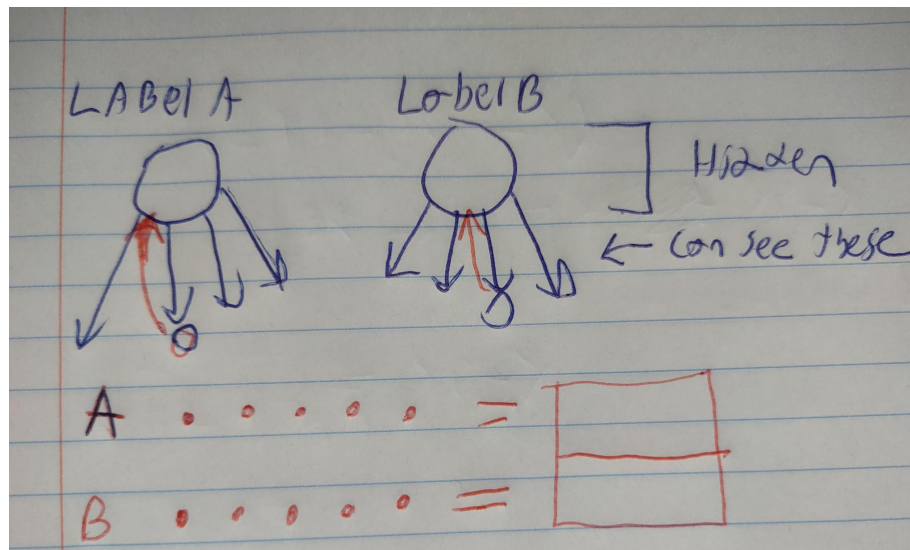
$$\text{chris : } p(\text{chris} \mid \text{love}) \times p(\text{chris} \mid \text{deal}) \times p(\text{chris}) = .1 \times .8 \times .5 = 0.04$$

$$\text{sara : } p(\text{sara} \mid \text{love}) \times p(\text{sara} \mid \text{deal}) \times p(\text{sara}) = .5 \times .2 \times .5 = 0.05$$

$$p(\text{chris} \mid \text{"Love Deal"}) = \frac{0.04}{0.04 + 0.05} = 0.444$$

$$p(\text{sara} \mid \text{"Love Deal"}) = \frac{0.05}{0.04 + 0.05} = 0.555$$

## Naive Bayes



- Target labels a and b are hidden, you don't get to see them
- What you see are things they do like words,
  - each with different probabilities
  - Each one you see gives you evidence as to whether it is A or B
- Multiply evidences for all the things you see
  - The product gives you the ratio whether you believe it is A or B
- Naive bayes lets you identify from a text source which label is more likely
- Called naive because it ignores one thing
  - Order of the words / Order of evidences

### Bayes rule (pros / cons)

#### Pros

- Easy to implement and efficient to run
- Deals well with very large feature sets
  - Example set being the 20,000 - 200,00 words in the english language

#### Cons

- Breaks in "funny" ways
- Phrases that incorporate multiple words do not work really well in naive bayes
  - Phrase "Chicago Bulls" could bring up pictures of an the animal bull and pictures of city of Chicago rather than pictures of the Chicago Bulls sports team