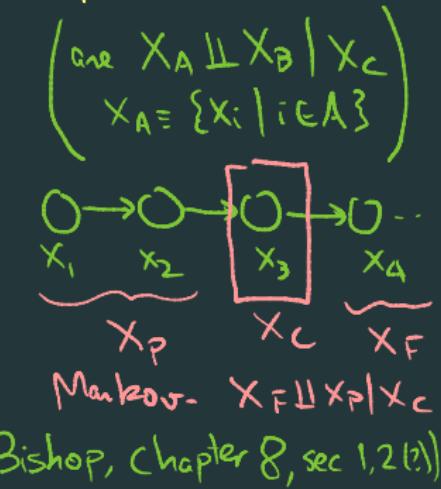


## Last 2 classes

- Beta-Bernoulli model (for learning 'P' from  $\text{Ber}(p)$  data)
- Decision theory - MAP estimator, posterior prediction, credible intervals
- Bayes Nets - Graphical 'language' for complex probabilistic models (DAG which represents independence rel's in your model)
- Conditional independence  $\equiv$  d-separation

## Today

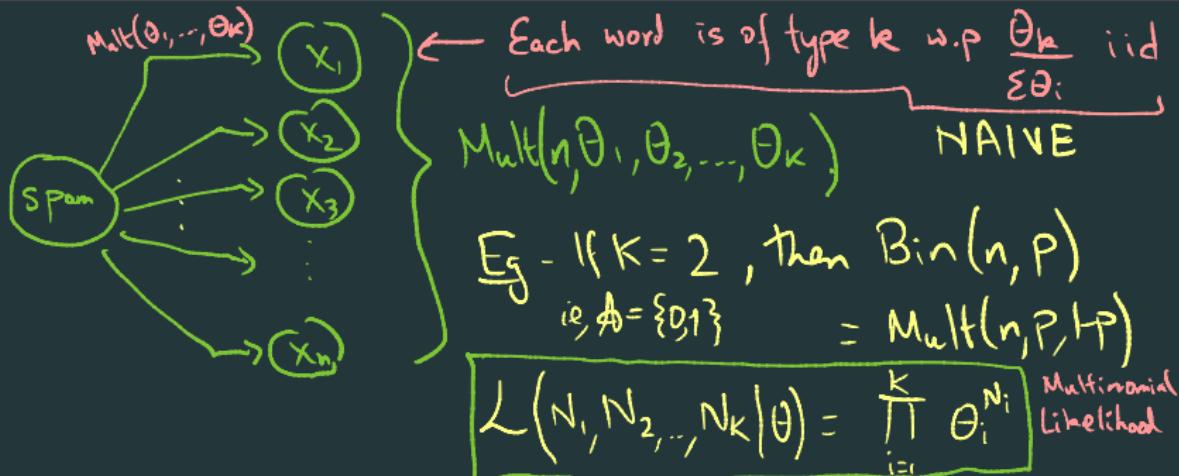
- Dirichlet priors
- Naive Bayes classifier
- Gaussian models



# multiclass data (clustering / classification)

- data  $D = \{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\} \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}^n$  count of word i in data number of words
- for  $i \in [K]$ , data  $D$  contains  $N_i$  copies of type  $i$  eg - set of English words
- model  $M$ :  $X_i$  generated i.i.d. from  $Multinomial(\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_K)$  distn

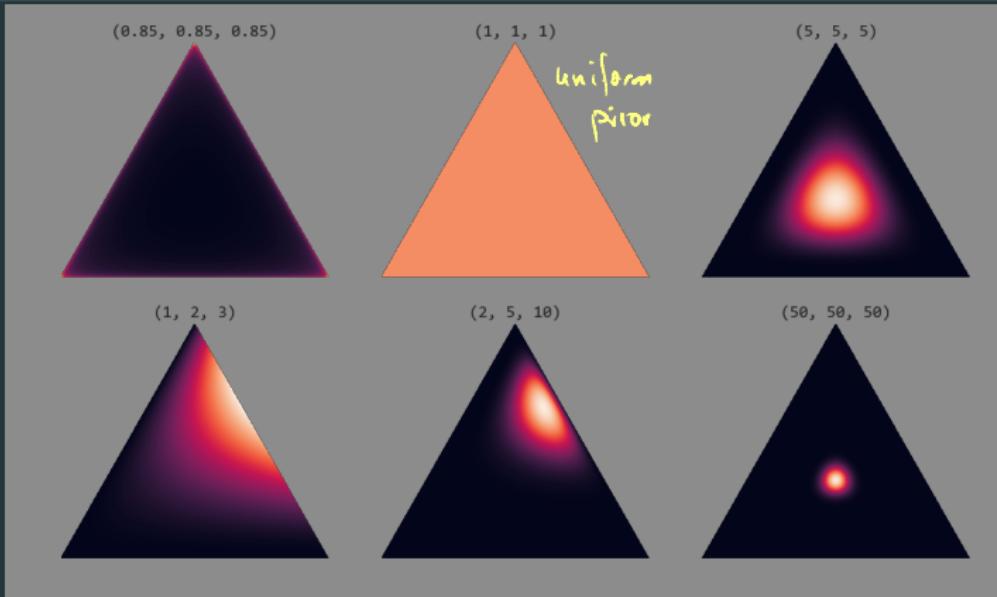
Eg - email filtering, classes = {spam, not spam}  
 sentiment analysis datasets = 'bag of words' rep of an email



# the Dirichlet distribution

## Dirichlet distribution

- $x \in \{x_i \in [0, 1], \sum_{i=1}^K x_i = 1\}$ , parameters:  $\Theta = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_K)$  ↪  $K$ -simplex
- pdf:  $p(x) \propto \prod_{i=1}^K x_i^{\alpha_i - 1}$       hyperparameters  $\alpha_i > 0$



# the Dirichlet distribution

## Dirichlet distribution

- $x \in \{x_i \in [0, 1], \sum_{i=1}^K x_i = 1\}$ , parameters:  $\Theta = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_K)$
- denote  $\alpha = \{\alpha_i\}_{i=1}^K$ ; Dirichlet pdf

$$p(x) = \frac{1}{Z(\alpha)} \prod_{i=1}^K x_i^{\alpha_i - 1}$$

$\Gamma(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_K) / \Gamma(\alpha_1) \Gamma(\alpha_2) \dots \Gamma(\alpha_K)$



- normalizing constant:  $\frac{1}{Z(\alpha)} = \frac{\Gamma(\sum_{i=1}^K \alpha_i)}{\prod_{i=1}^K \Gamma(\alpha_i)}$   
(Dirichlet normd const)

Recall -  $\Gamma(\alpha + 1) = \alpha \Gamma(\alpha)$ ,  $\Gamma(1) = 1$

$$\Gamma(k) = (k-1)! \quad \text{if } k \in \mathbb{N}$$

## multiclass data and Dirichlet priors

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### Dirichlet-Multinomial model

- prior parameters:  $\Theta_0 = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_K) \in \mathbb{R}_+^K$  (hyperparameters)
- Dirichlet prior:  $Dir(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_K) \sim p(\theta) \propto \prod_{i=1}^K \theta_i^{\alpha_i - 1}$
- likelihood:  $p(D|\theta) = \prod_{i=1}^K \theta_i^{N_i}$
- posterior:  $p(\theta|D) \sim Dir(\alpha_1 + N_1, \alpha_2 + N_2, \dots, \alpha_K + N_K)$
- marginal likelihood: let  $m = \sum_{i=1}^K \alpha_i$       
$$\text{Posterior} = \frac{\text{Prior} \times \text{likelihood}}{\text{marginal likelihood}}$$

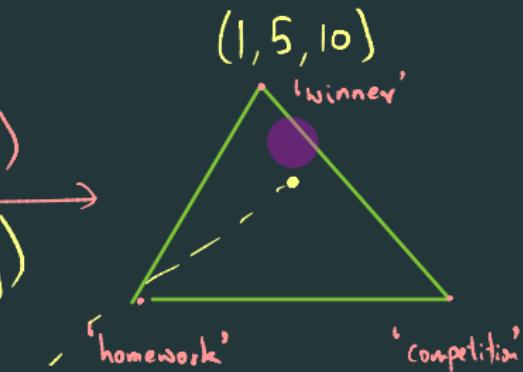
$$p(D) = \frac{\Gamma(m)}{\Gamma(n+m)} \prod_{i=1}^K \frac{\Gamma(N_i + \alpha_i)}{\Gamma(\alpha_i)}$$

## Spam filtering

- Consider only spam emails :  $D_1, D_2, \dots, D_{n_s}$
- $D_i \equiv (N_1^i, N_2^i, \dots, N_K^i) \equiv$  word counts



$$\xrightarrow{\text{learning}} D_i = (0, 4, 9)$$



- Now if we get a new email  $D$ , what is  $P[D | \text{spam}]$

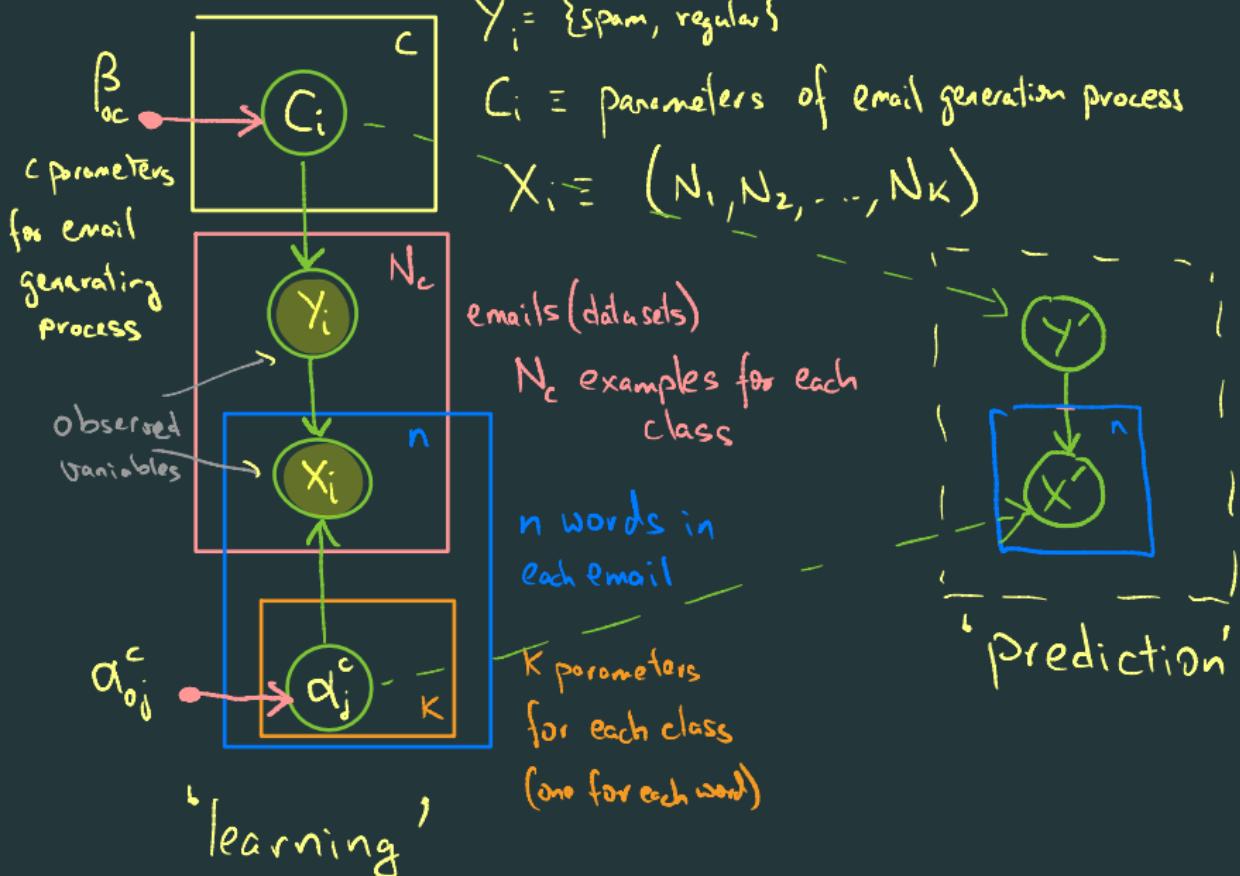
$$\propto \prod_{i=1}^K (d_i^s)^{N_i^s}$$

$$= \frac{1}{Z(1,5,10)} (1)^{N_1^s} (5)^{N_2^s} (10)^{N_3^s}$$

## Naive Bayes classifier

- For spam - take data  $D_1^s, D_2^s, \dots, D_{n_s}^s$ 
  - learn posterior  $\text{Dir}(\alpha_1^s, \alpha_2^s, \dots, \alpha_K^s)$
- For non-spam - take data  $D_1^r, D_2^r, \dots, D_{n_r}^r$ 
  - (regular)
    - learn posterior  $\text{Dir}(\alpha_1^r, \alpha_2^r, \dots, \alpha_K^r)$
- Given new email  $D'$  is it regular or spam?  
 $= (N_1, N_2, \dots, N_K)$ 
  - compute  $P(D' | \text{spam}) = \frac{\prod_{i=1}^K (\alpha_i^s)^{N_i}}{\sum_i (\alpha_i^s)}$ ,  $P(D' | \text{regular}) = \frac{\prod_{i=1}^K (\alpha_i^r)^{N_i}}{\sum_i (\alpha_i^r)}$
  - $P(\text{spam} | D') \propto P(D' | \text{spam}) \underbrace{P(\text{spam})}_{?}$ ,  $P(\text{regular} | D') \propto P(D' | \text{reg}) \underbrace{P(\text{reg})}_{?}$   
need model for class label ?

# Naive Bayes model for spam classification



## **generative models for continuous data**