

# Neuroinformatics Lecture (L2)

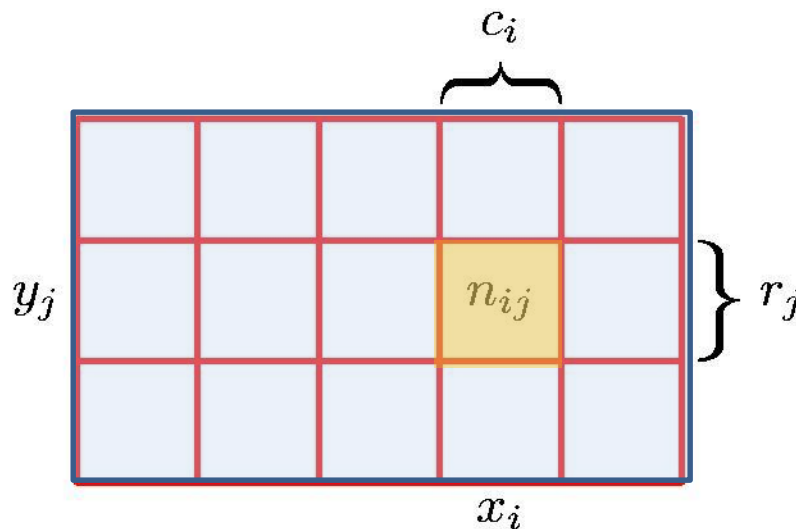
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Classes of events  $x$  and  $y$  i.e. :

Classes  $x$ : Color: Red or Blue

Classes  $y$ : Fruit: Apple or Orange



$$N = \sum_{i,j} n_{i,j} \quad c_i = \sum_j n_{i,j}$$

## Marginal Probability

(Probability of  $X=x$  irrespective of class  $y$ )

$$p(X = x_i) = \frac{c_i}{N}.$$

## Conditional Probability

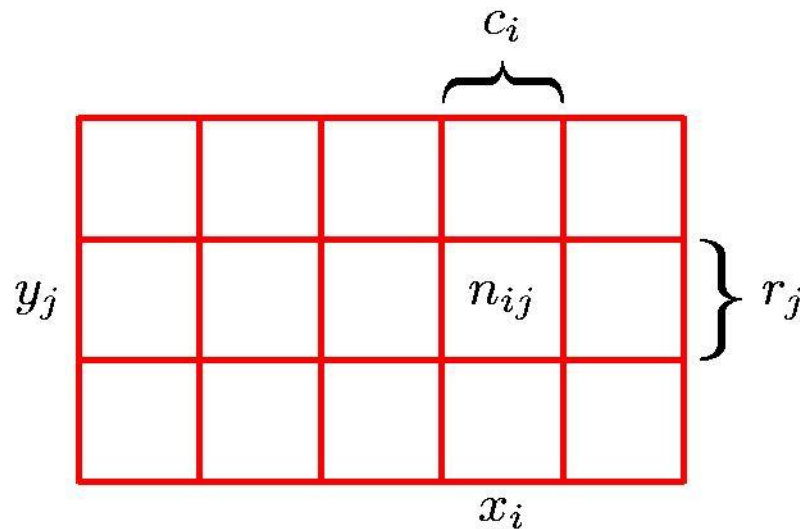
(Probability of  $Y=y$  given class  $X=x$ )

$$p(Y = y_j | X = x_i) = \frac{n_{ij}}{c_i}$$

## Joint Probability

(Probability of  $X=x$  and  $Y=y$ )

$$p(X = x_i, Y = y_j) = \frac{n_{ij}}{N}$$

**Sum Rule**

marginal probability

$$p(X = x_i) = \frac{c_i}{N} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^L n_{ij}$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^L p(X = x_i, Y = y_j)$$

joint probability

**Product Rule**

$$p(X = x_i, Y = y_j) = \frac{n_{ij}}{N} = \frac{n_{ij}}{c_i} \cdot \frac{c_i}{N}$$

$$= p(Y = y_j | X = x_i) p(X = x_i)$$

joint probability

conditional probability

marginal probability

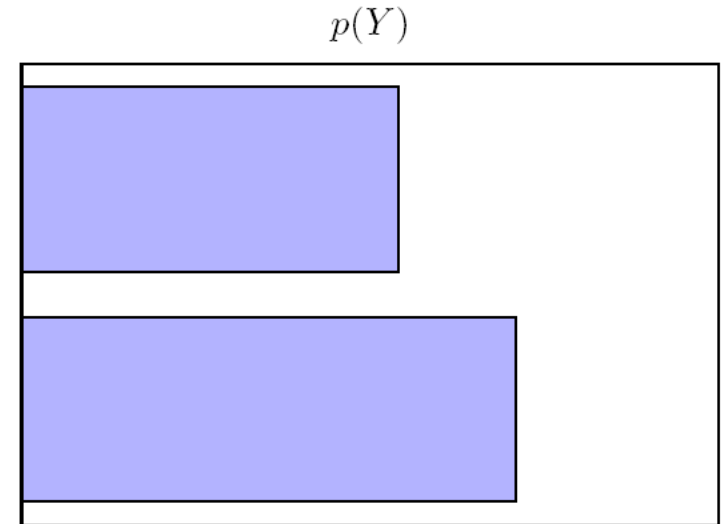
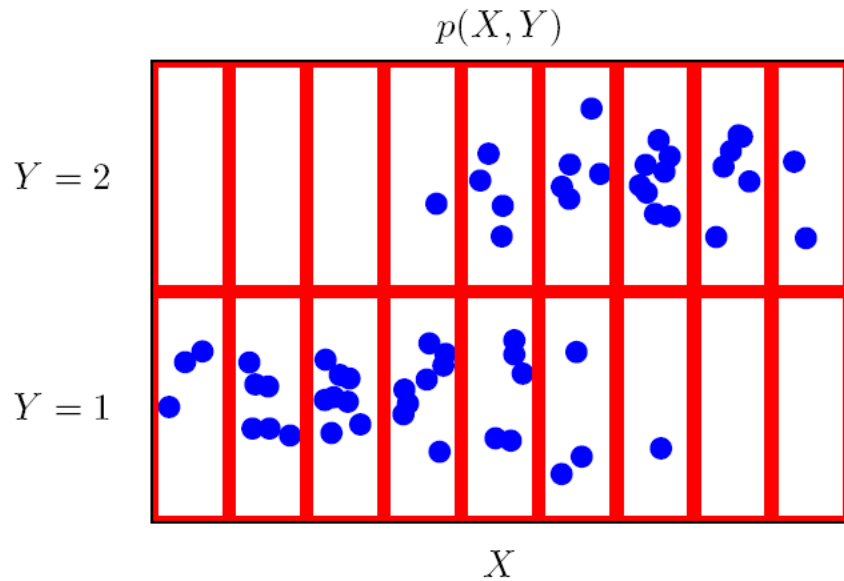


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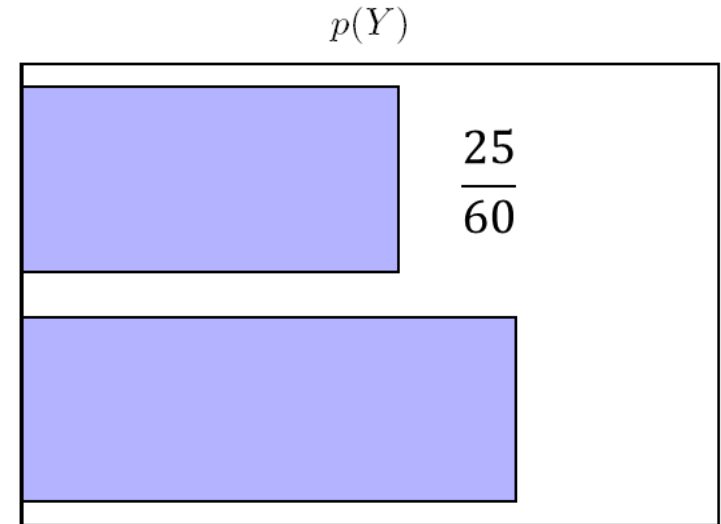
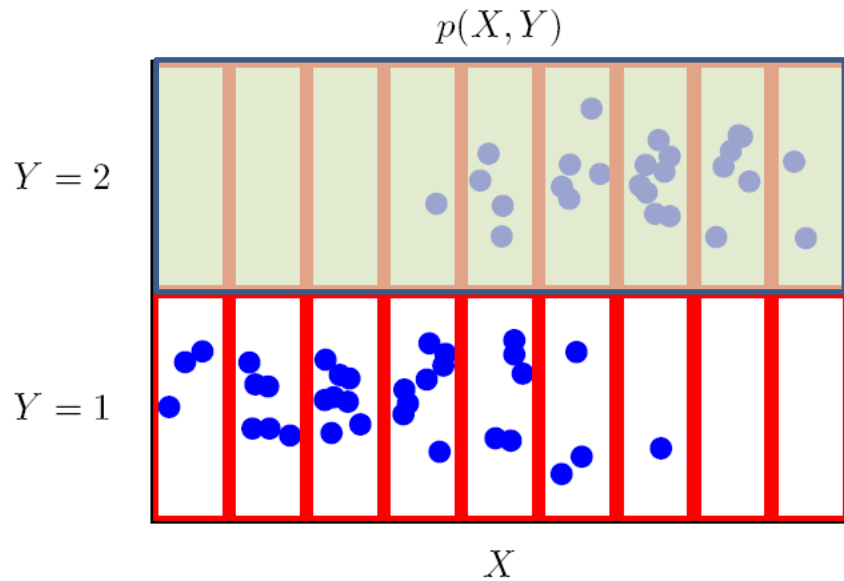
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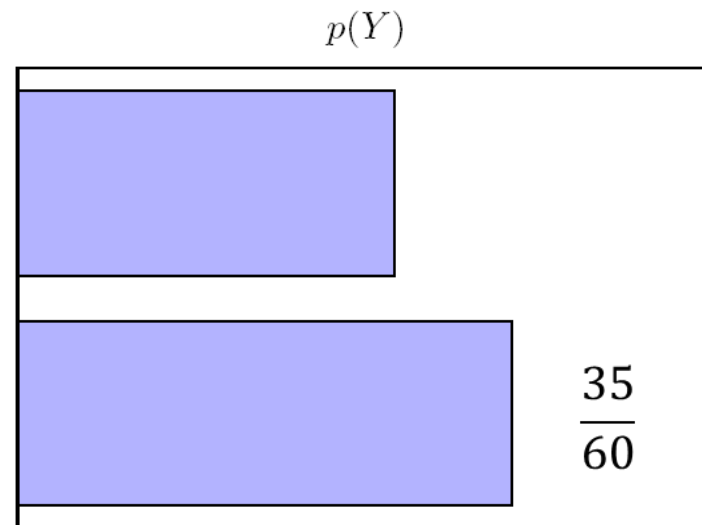
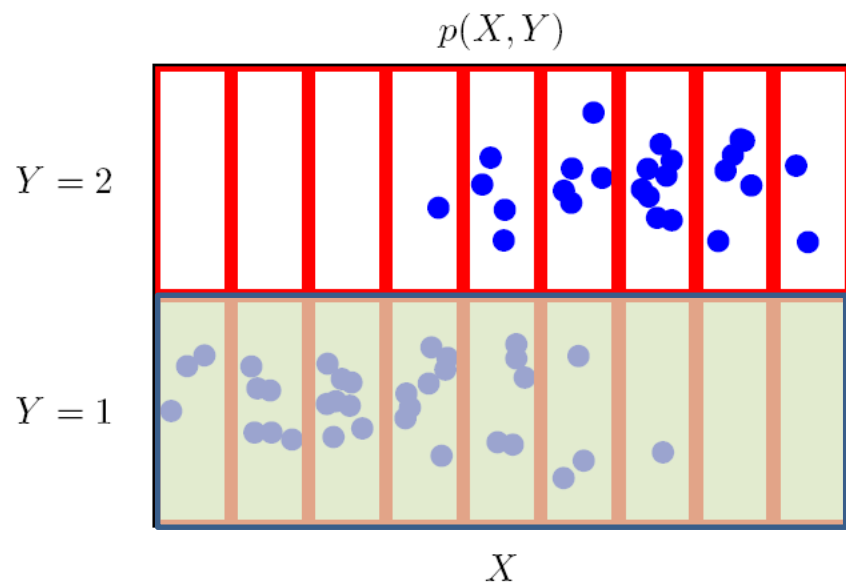
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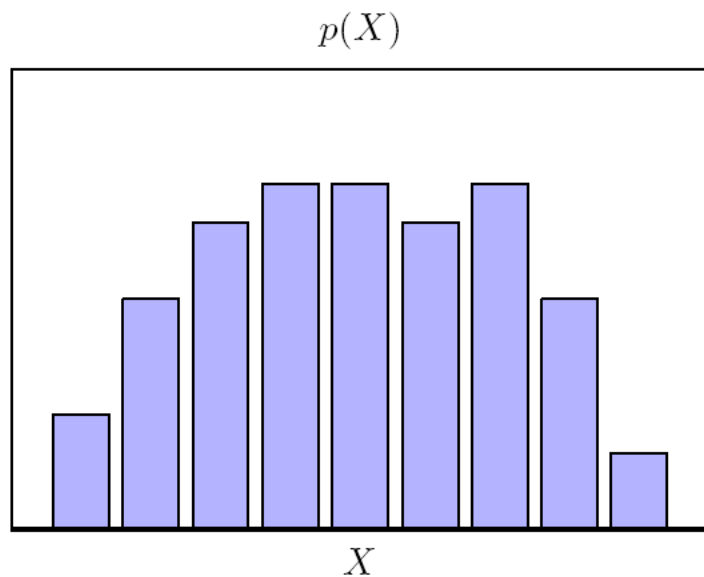
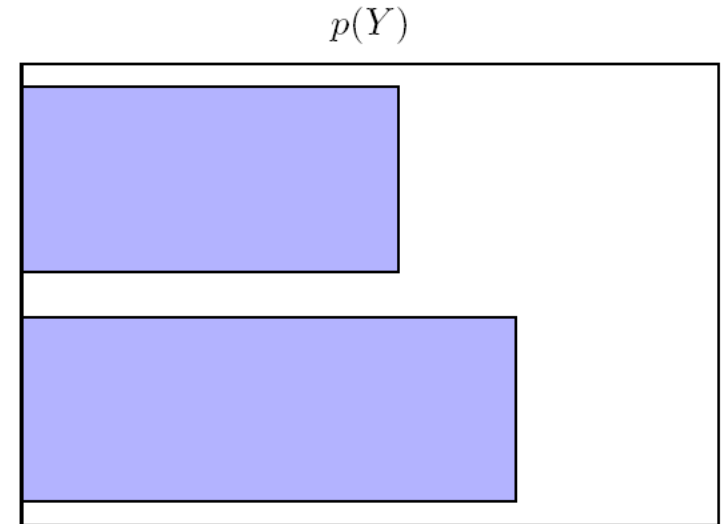
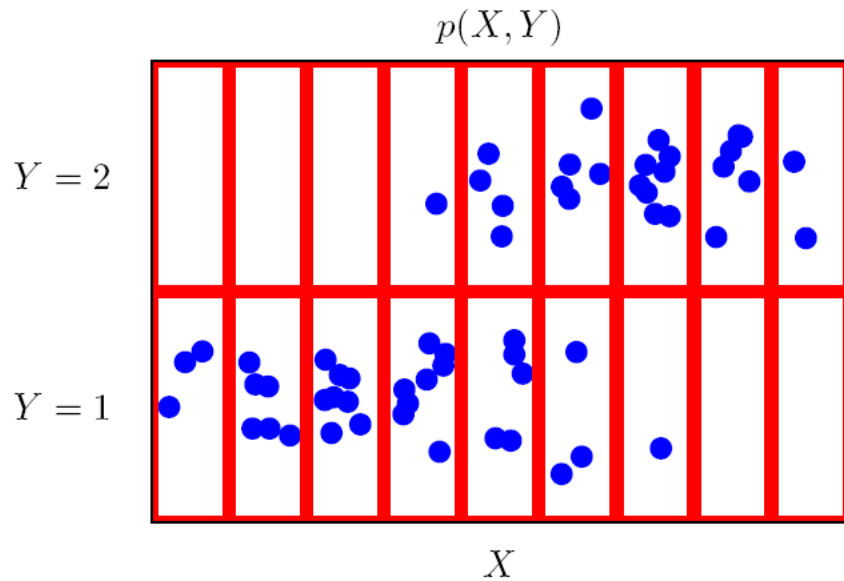
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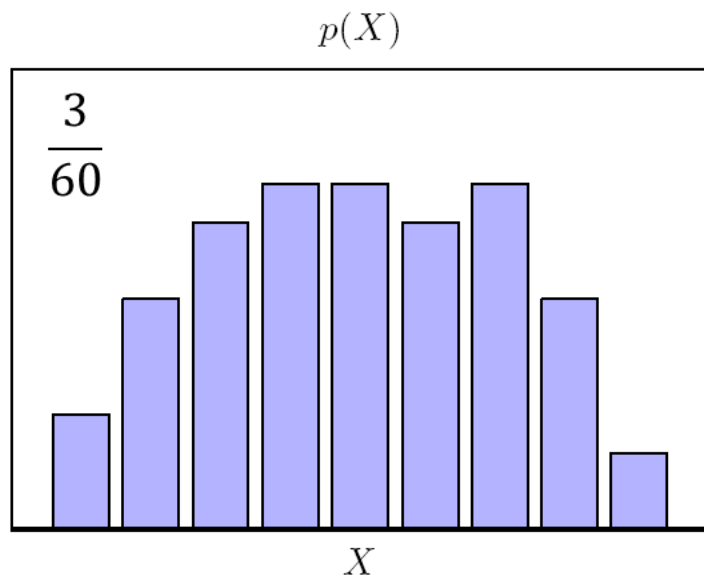
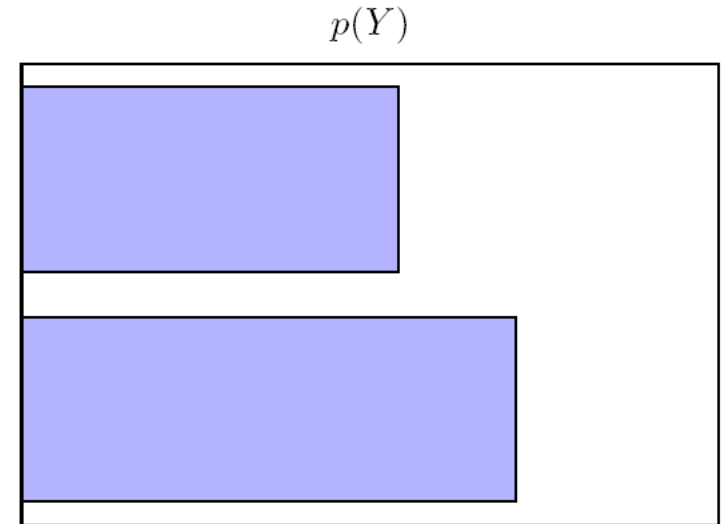
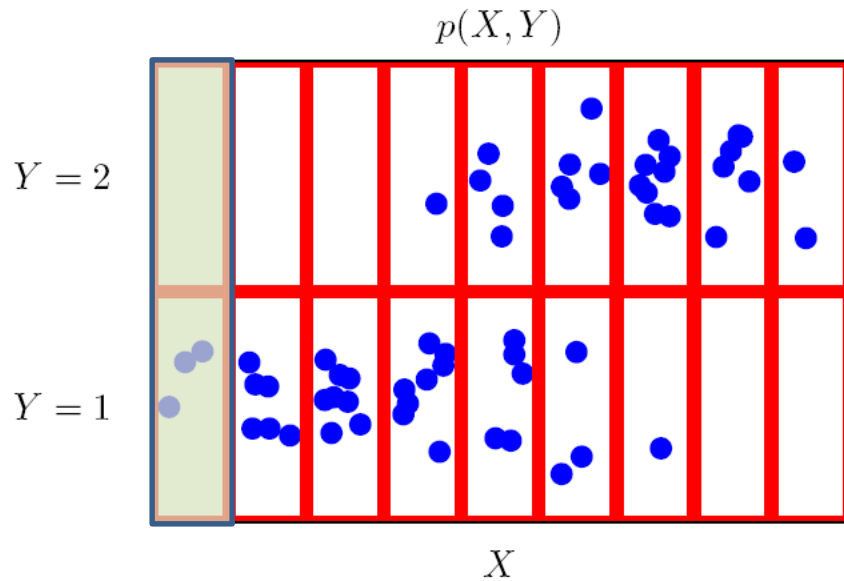
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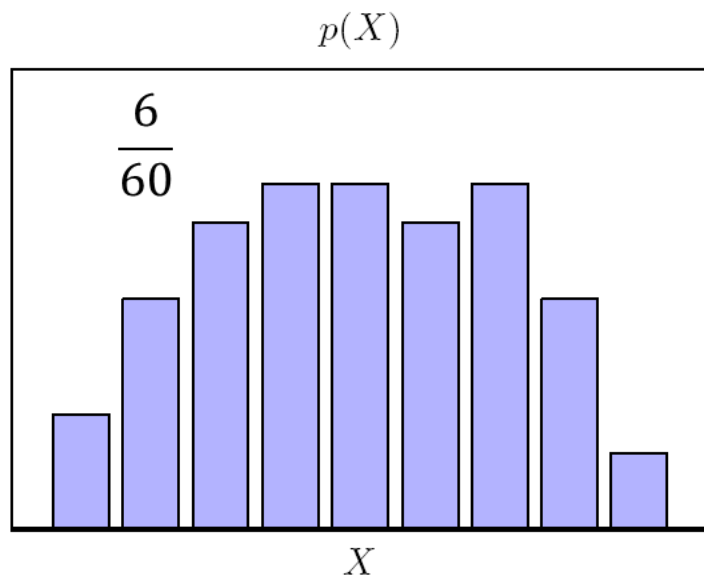
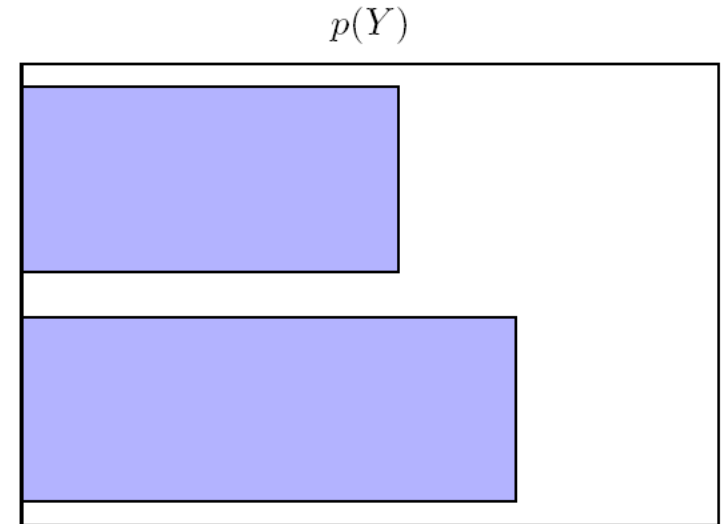
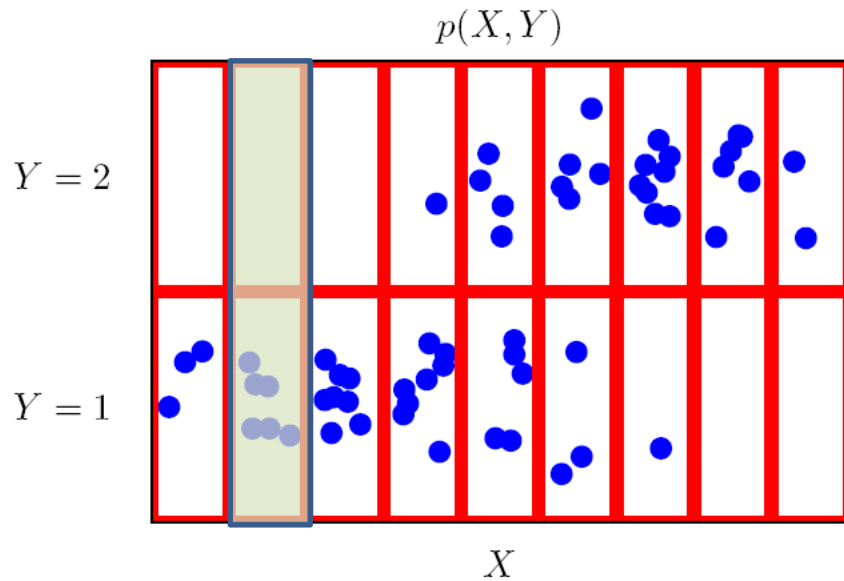
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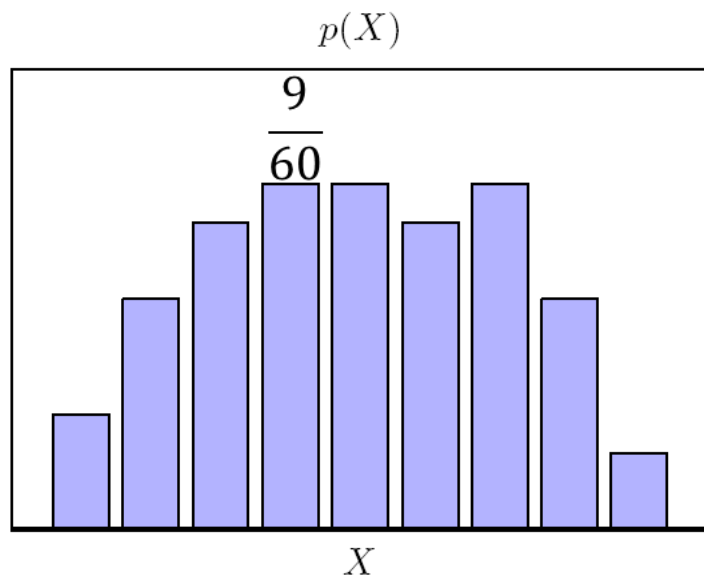
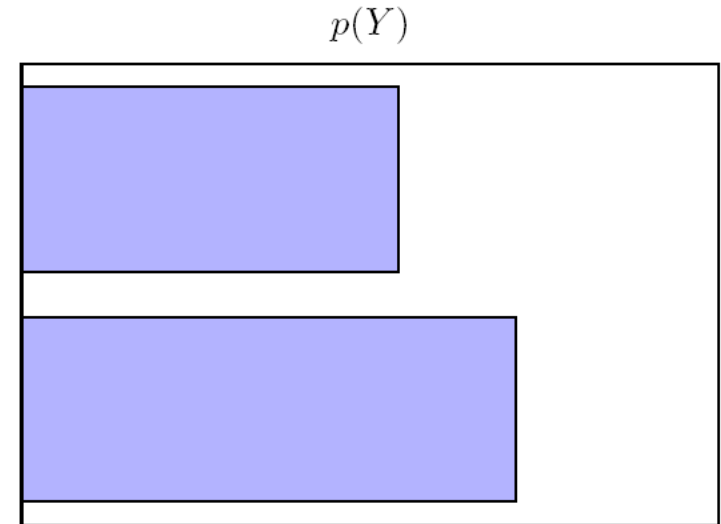
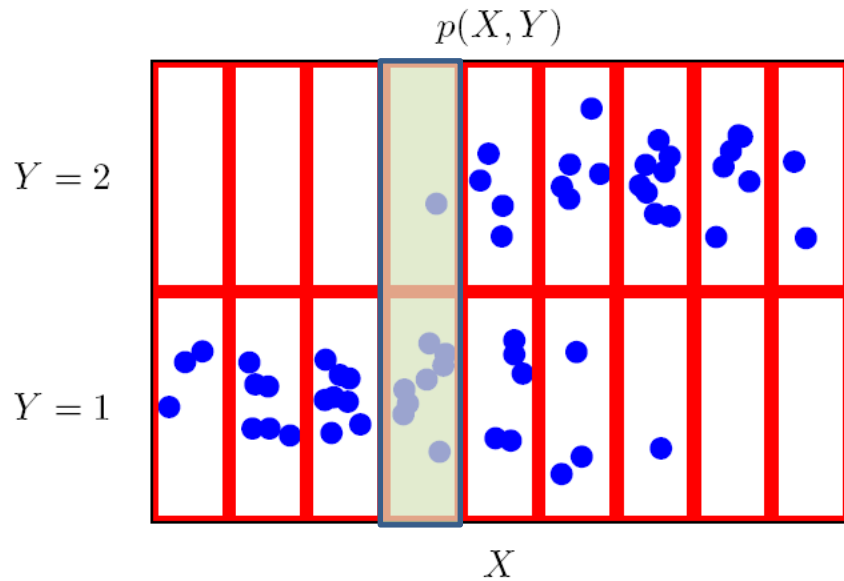
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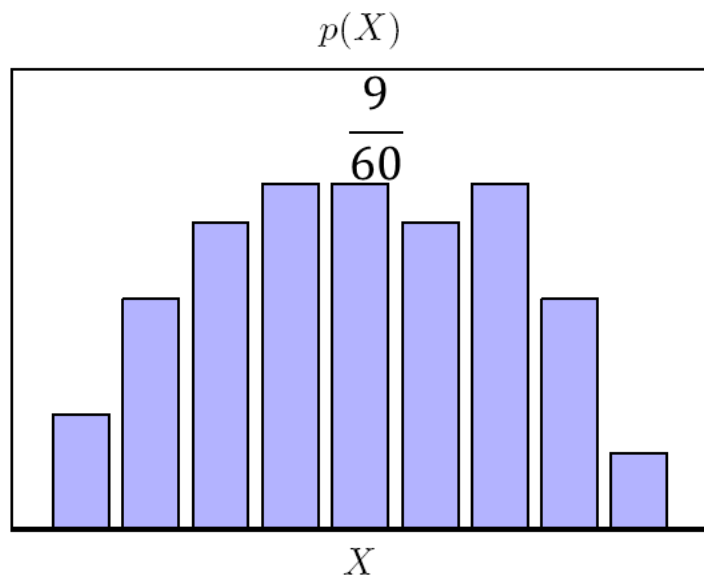
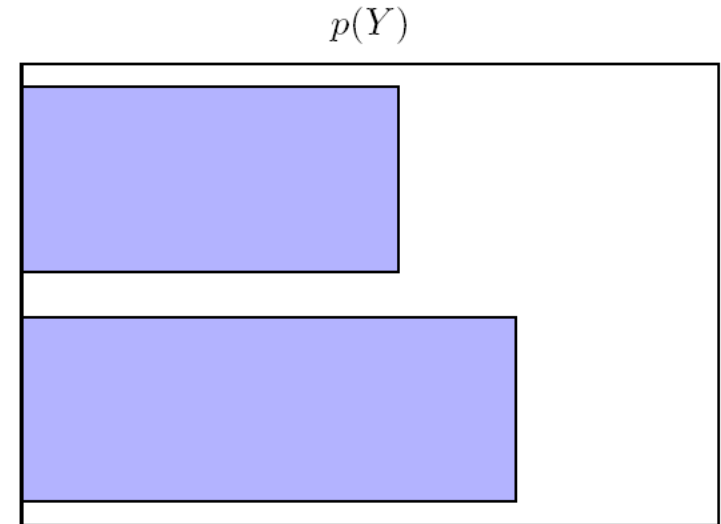
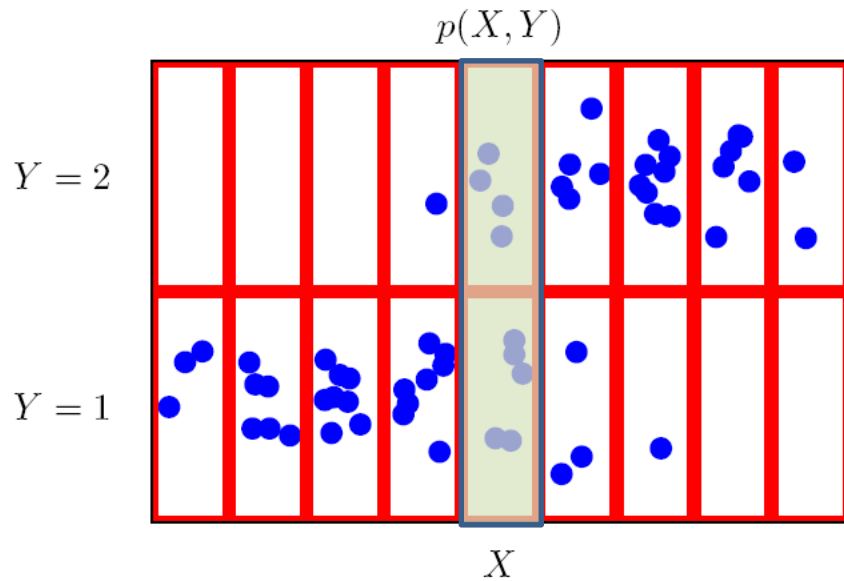
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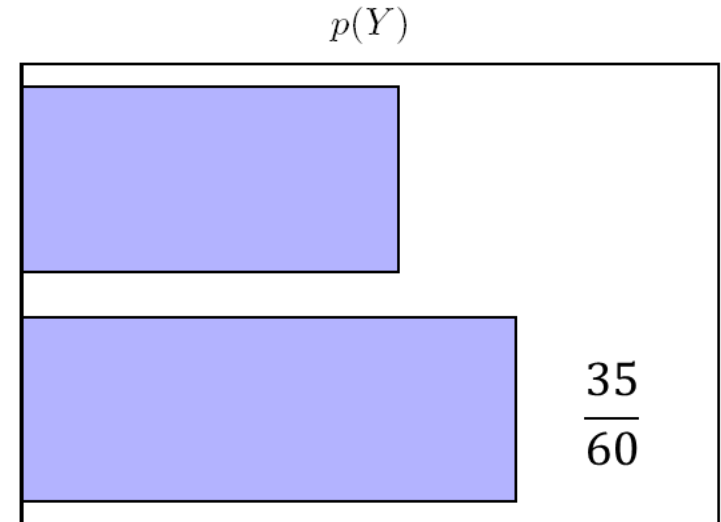
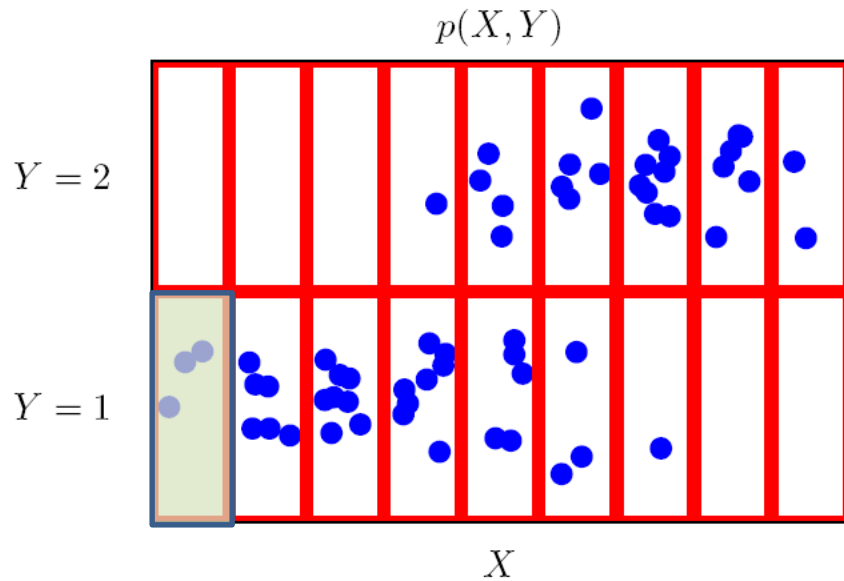
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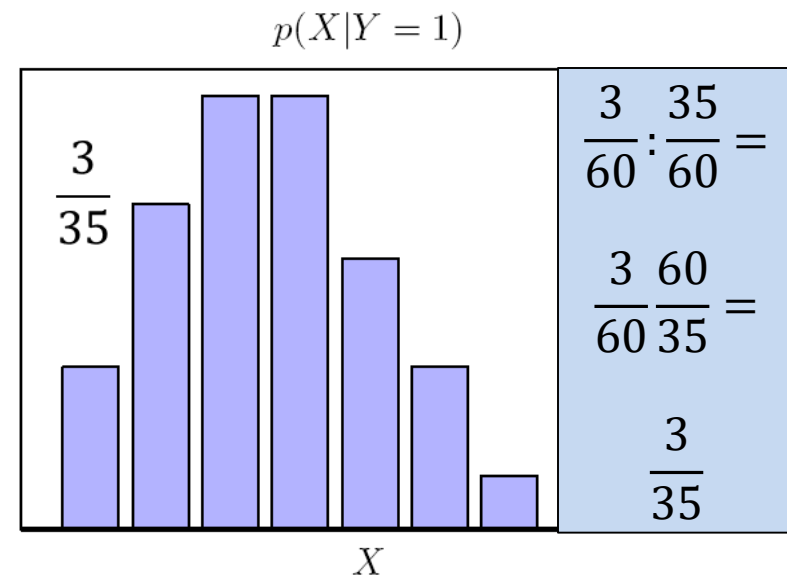
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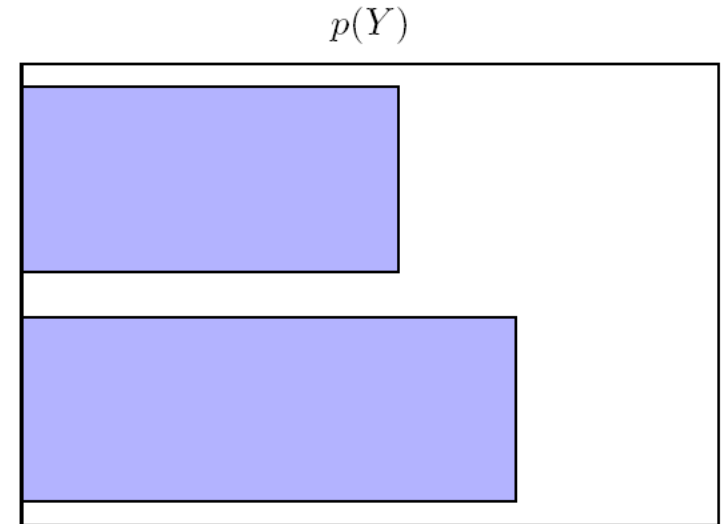
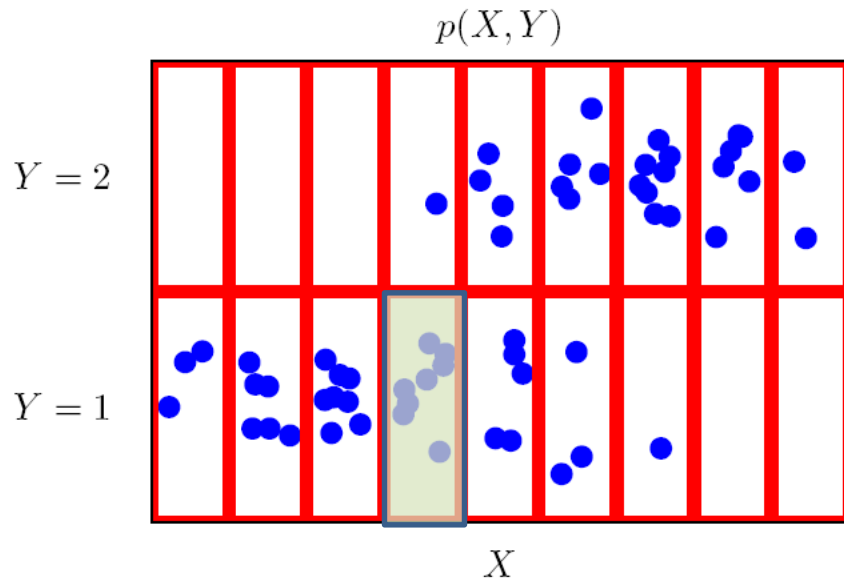


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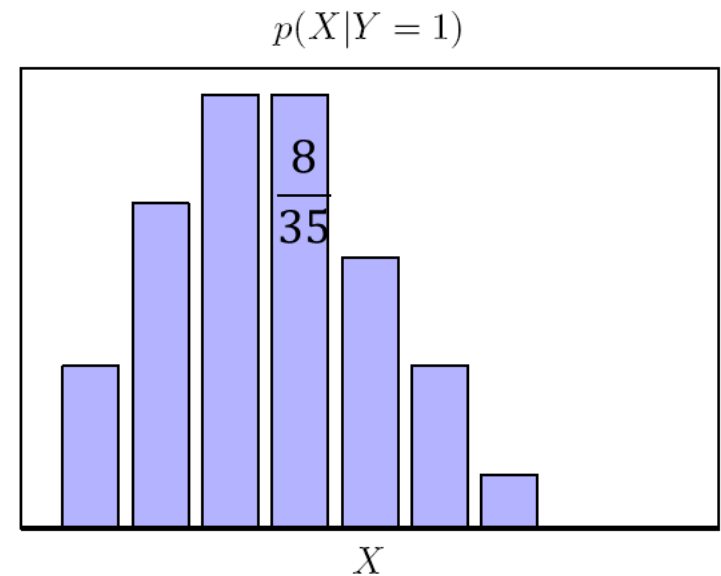


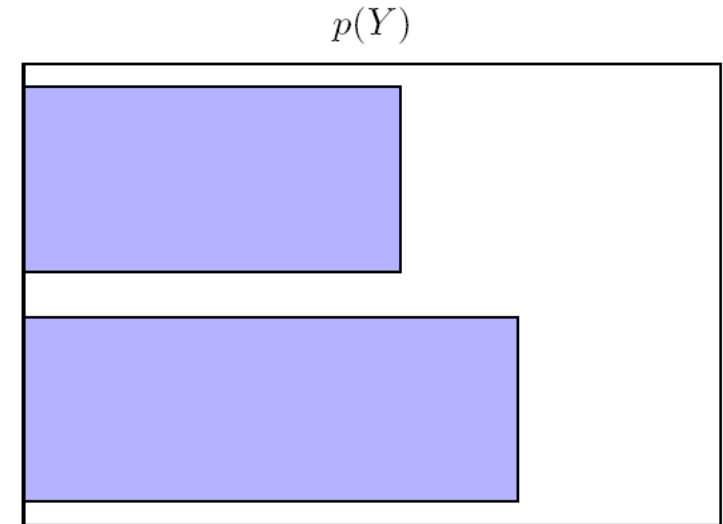
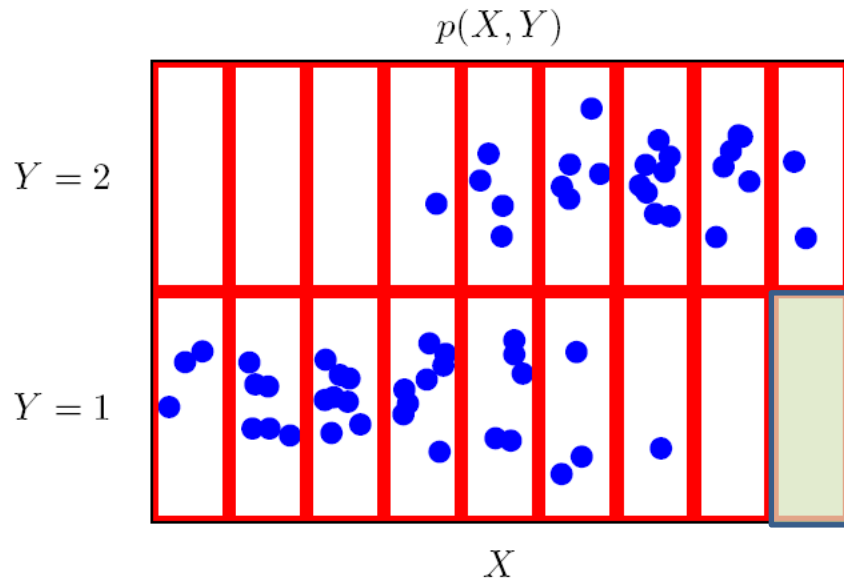


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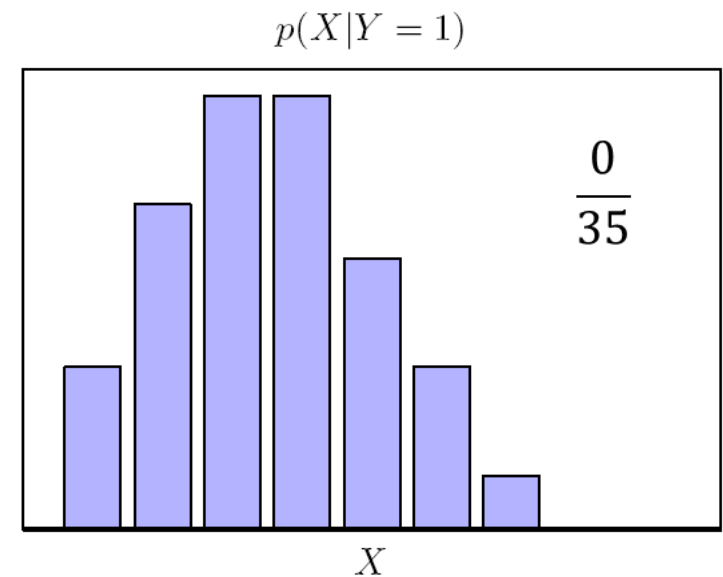




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## Thomas Bayes (1701–1761)

Thomas Bayes was born in Tunbridge Wells and was a clergyman as well as an amateur scientist and a mathematician. He studied logic and theology at Edinburgh University and was elected Fellow of the Royal Society in 1742. During the 18th century, issues regarding probability arose in connection with gambling and with the new concept of insurance. One particularly important problem concerned so-called inverse probability. A solution was proposed by Thomas Bayes in his paper 'Essay towards solving a problem in the doctrine of chances', which was published in 1764, some three years after his death, in the Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society. In fact, Bayes only formulated his theory for the case of a uniform prior, and it was Pierre-Simon Laplace who independently rediscovered the theory in general form and who demonstrated its broad applicability.







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posterior  $\propto$  likelihood  $\times$  prior

using  $p(X) = \sum_Y p(X, Y) \quad p(X, Y) = p(Y|X)p(X)$

$$p(X) = \sum_Y p(X, Y) = \sum_Y p(X|Y)p(Y)$$



Derive Bayes using the sum and product rule

$$p(X) = \sum_Y p(X, Y) \quad p(X, Y) = p(Y|X)p(X)$$

Timer (5min):

Start

Stop



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$$p(Y|X) = \frac{p(X|Y)p(Y)}{p(X)}$$



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# Questionnaire



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You may want to use this:

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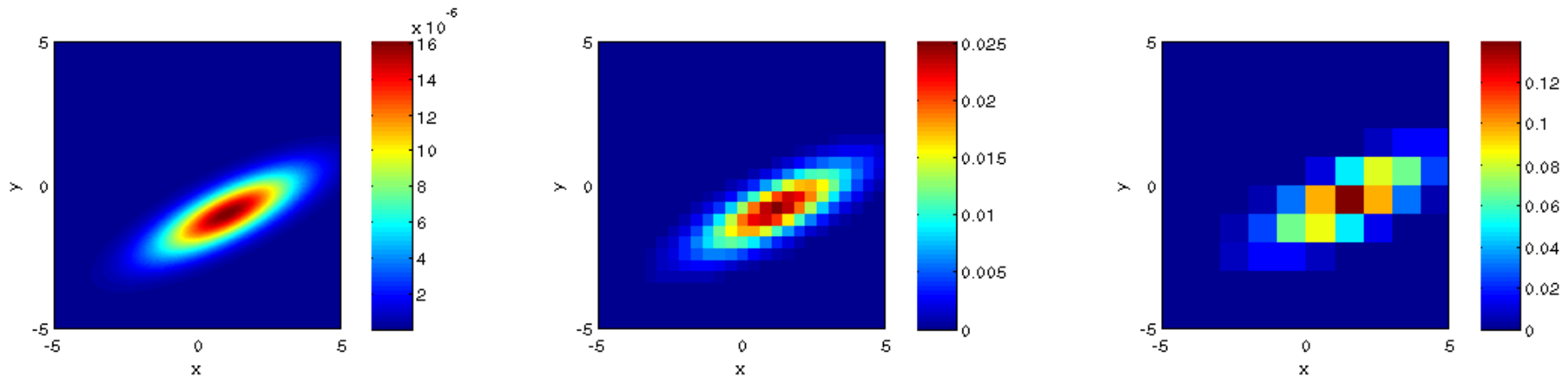


# Neuroinformatics Lecture

## Topics:

Continuous and Discrete random variables

# Probability Densities and Probability of Discrete Events



We introduced probabilities for discrete events.

Making the bins arbitrarily small leads to a probability density

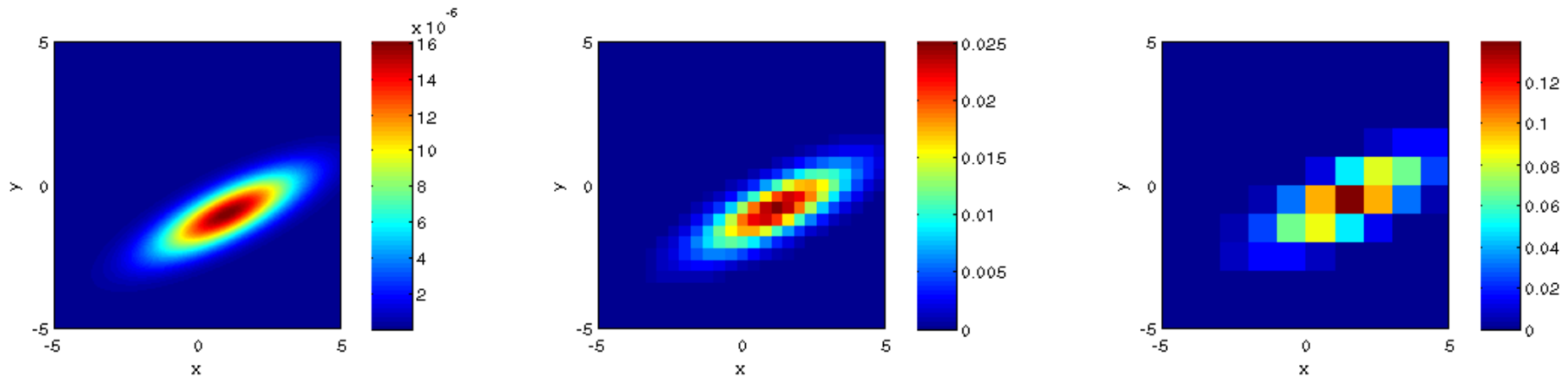
**PDF (probability density function)**

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See example source code [Prob\\_Density.m](#) to reproduce the figures

# Probability Densities and Probability of Discrete Events



This implies that, having a probability density, we need to define an interval to define a probability.

## Probability

$$p(x \in (a, b)) = \int_a^b p(x) dx$$



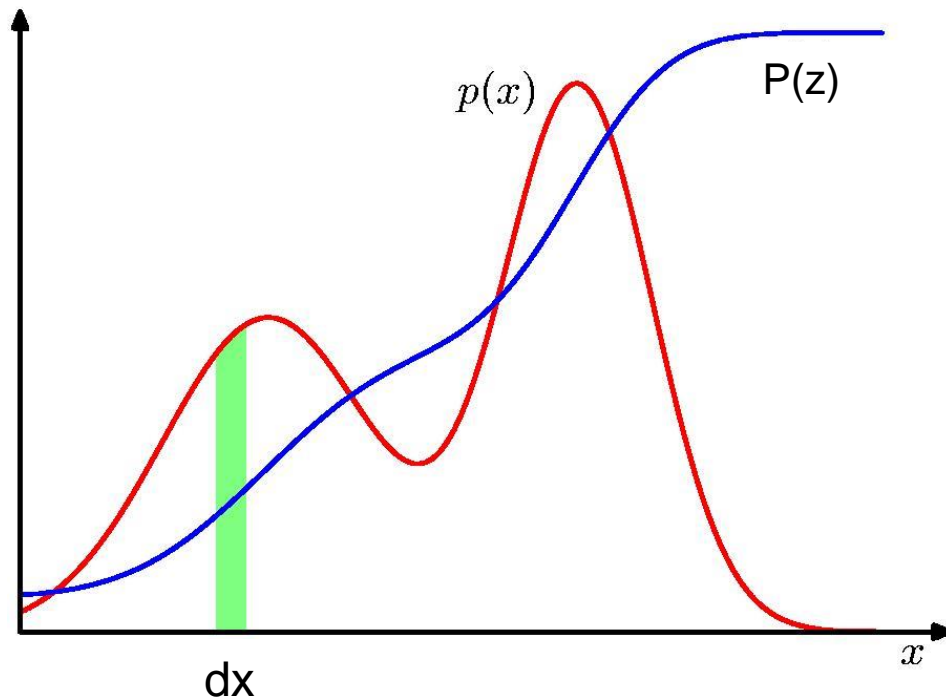
## Definitions:

- **A Discrete Random Variable:**

A random variable  $X$  is called discrete if the range of  $X$  is finite or countably infinite.

- **A Continuous Random Variable:**

A random variable  $X$  is called continuous if the range of  $X$  is uncountably infinite.



$p(x)$  is a density

$P(z)$  the CDF

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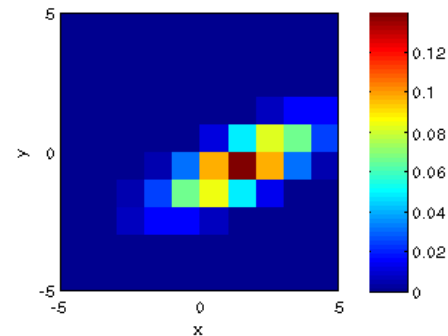
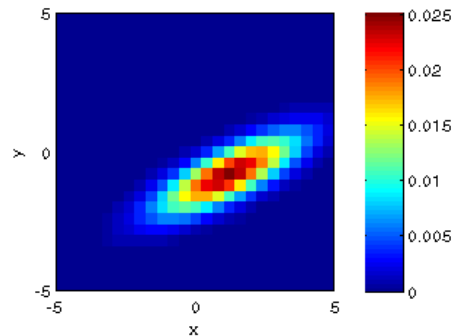
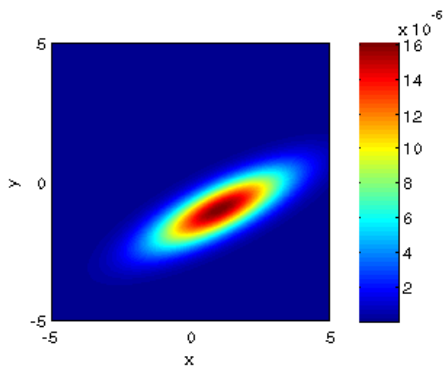
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## CDF (cumulative density function)

$$P(z) = \int_{-\infty}^z p(x) dx$$



- What is the difference between a continuous and discrete random variable.
- How can we compute the probability that a continuous random variable takes a value in the range between a and b given that you know its probability density



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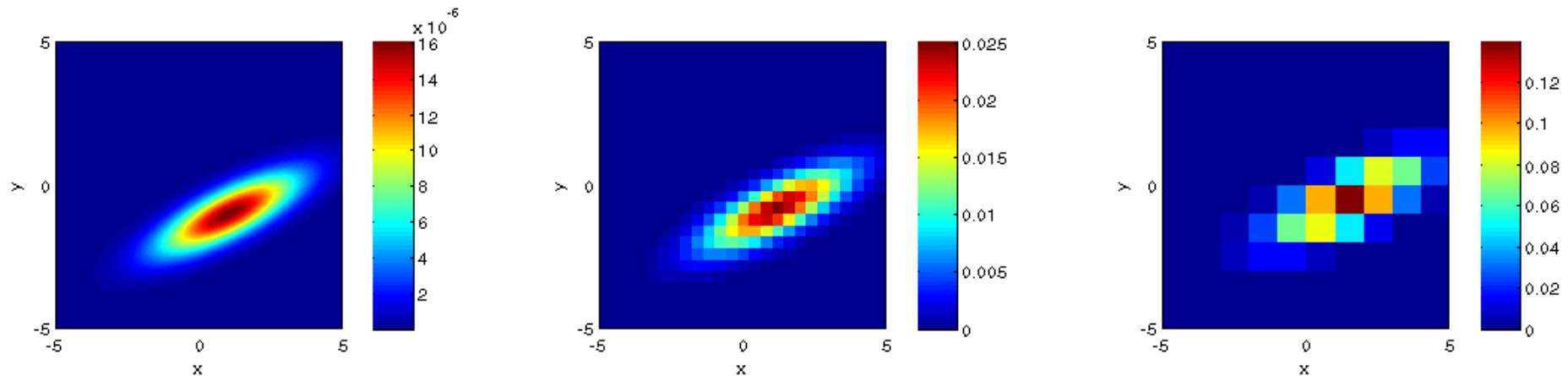
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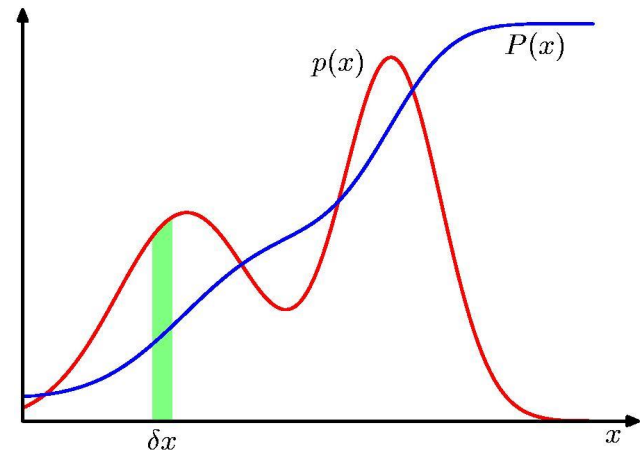
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## A Continuous Random Variable:

A random variable  $X$  is called continuous if the range of  $X$  is uncountably infinite.

**Probability:** 
$$P(x \in (a, b)) = \int_a^b p(x) dx$$



# The 4W question session

**What** is this it all about ?

**What** can I use it for ?

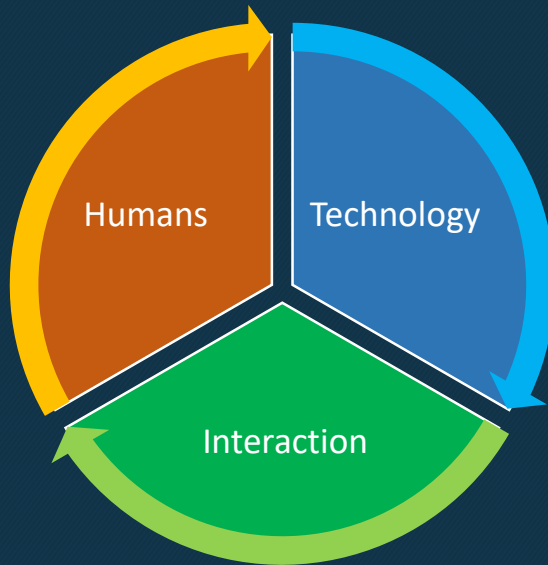
**Why** should I learn it ?

**What** are potential Bachelor and Master thesis topics ?



You can find this session at: <https://youtu.be/JEqVbuUnuno>

# Cognitive Computing – (The new AI)



Symbiotic fusion of the intelligent system, the user, and the expert.

Dialog between machine and human (natural language, intuitive graphics, and gestures)

The machine is the super assistant that enables the human to make truly intelligent decisions in complex scenarios.



At the core of  
Cognitive Computing  
since 15 years

10 full professors

~ 600 BSc

~ 200 MSc

~ 45 PhD students



# Cognitive Computing to predict and manage infectious outbreaks

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„For the **Robert Koch Institute** the machine learning and cognitive computing are very important topics for the future. The project **flu-prediction** of university Osnabrück demonstrates and highlights the huge potential of these technologies for public health“

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Assessment by  
**Prof. Dr. Lothar H. Wieler**  
President of the  
Robert Koch Institute



 [www.flu-prediction.com](http://www.flu-prediction.com)



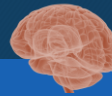
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matters



Prediction is  
important



Delayed and  
too little data



Data science  
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Social media  
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Watson as  
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Cognitive Computing

 **flu prediction**

A one year project  
by a core team of  
three master's  
students

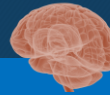




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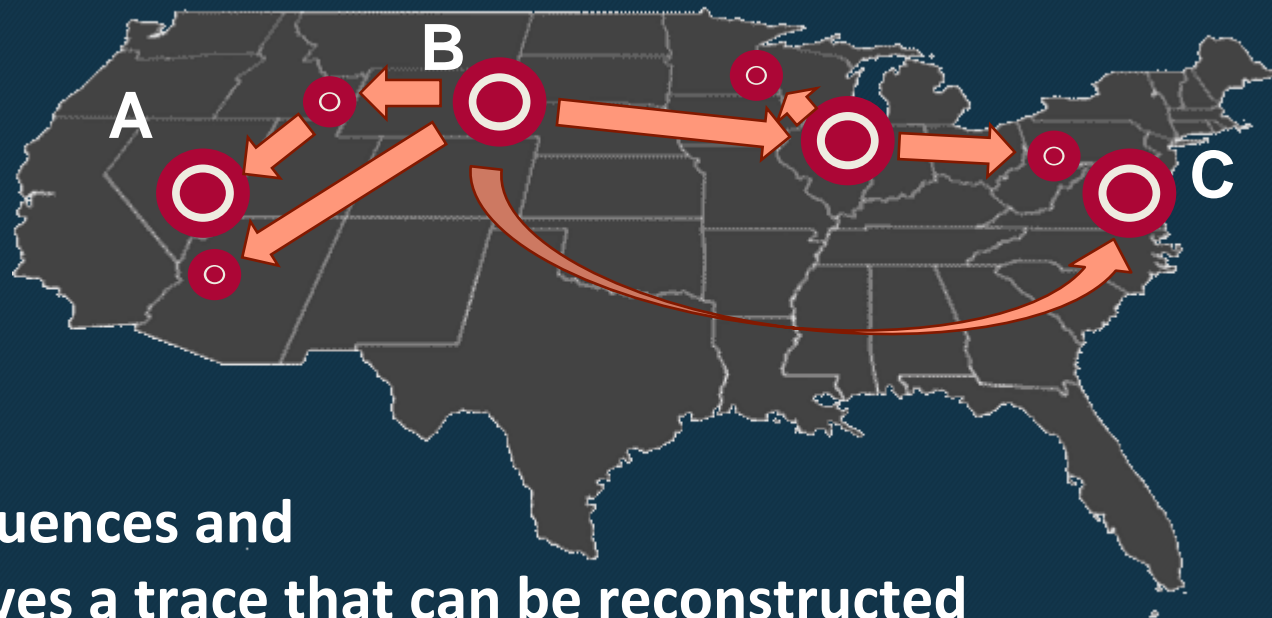
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## flu prediction



**A driver influences and  
thereby leaves a trace that can be reconstructed**

- Schumacher et al. (2015) - A Statistical Framework to Infer Delay and Direction of Information ...
- Sugihara et al. (2012) - Detecting Causality in Complex Ecosystems

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# Close the Gap by Fusing Data



## flu prediction

Realtime fuzzy  
social media



Slow but reliable  
CDC data



Twitter activity  
(geo tag + Tweet)

CDC - delayed  
influenza data

## Use the best from both worlds to improve prediction

# Sample Tweets from 29/09/16



**chaos tK**  @WhosChaos ·

Really hope I'm not getting the **flu** 🙄

himself  
worried



**Kim** @nanosounds

Anyone had any experience of getting better from **flu**, then getting worse? I was up and about yesterday, but today I'm exhausted and **sick** again

herself  
sick



**Rob Sinclair** @RSinclairAuthor

It's that time of the year again...the school/nursery **flu** merry-go-round - both boys **sick** tonight! 🤧 See you on the other side in April...

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sick

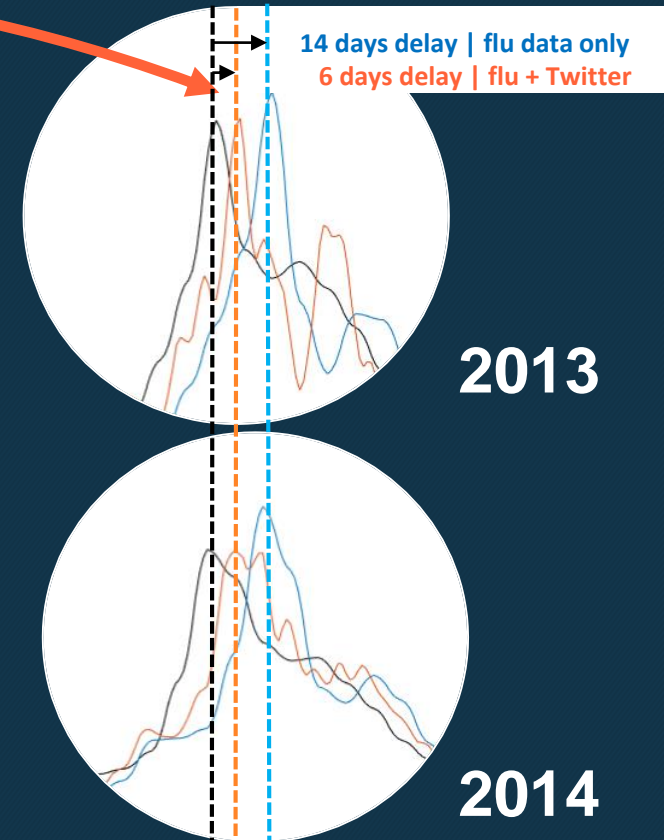
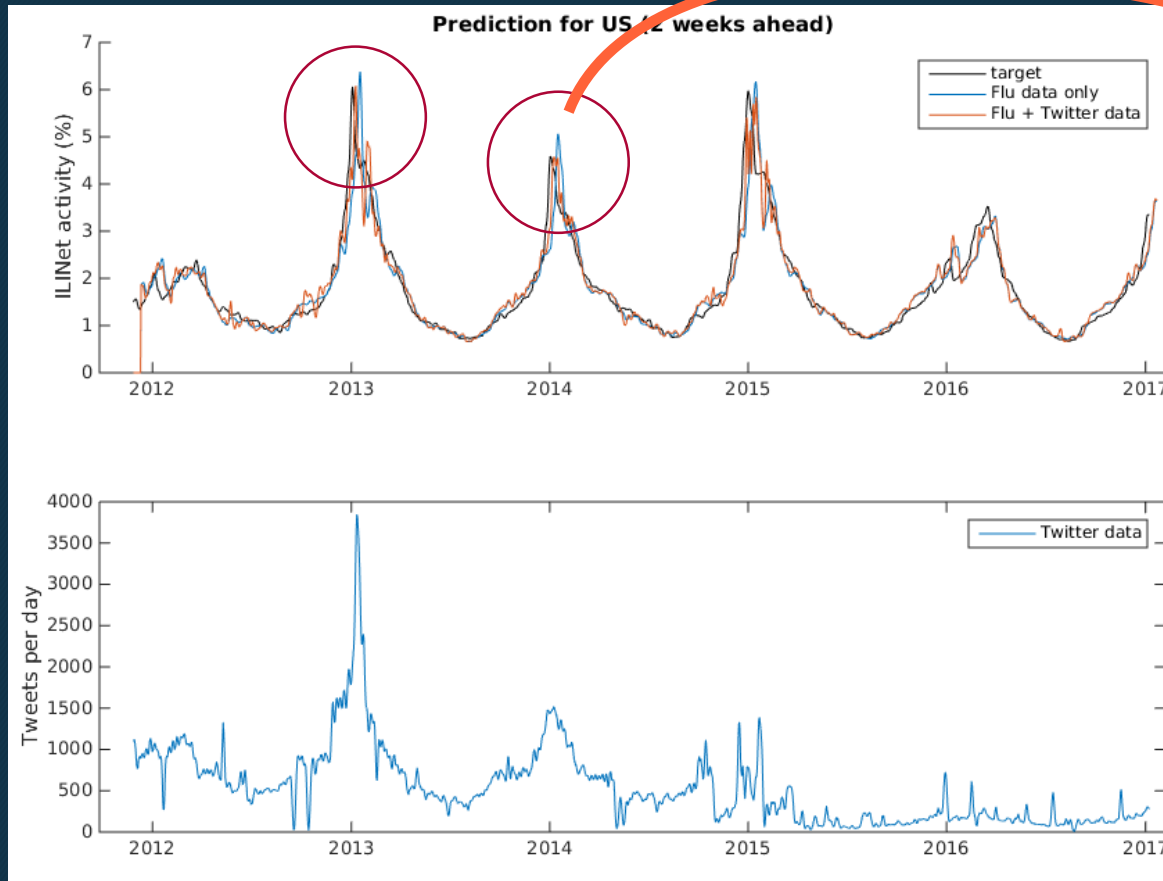


**Halen Sumner** @haysum10

The Centenary **flu** has started making its way around campus. For those who don't wish to die: cover yo mouth, wash yo hands, & shun the **sick**

friends are  
sick

# Delay Reduction with Twitter Data



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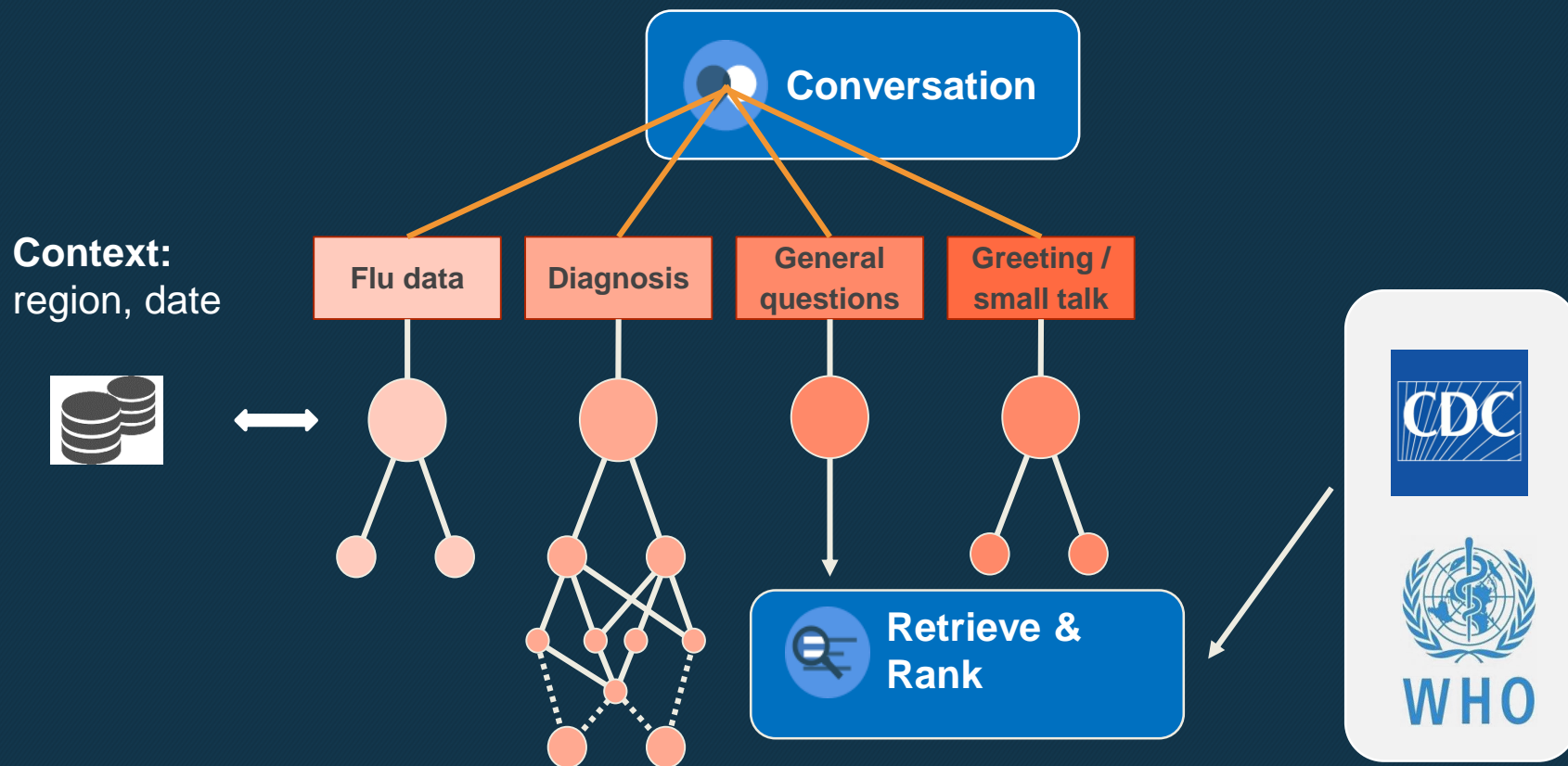
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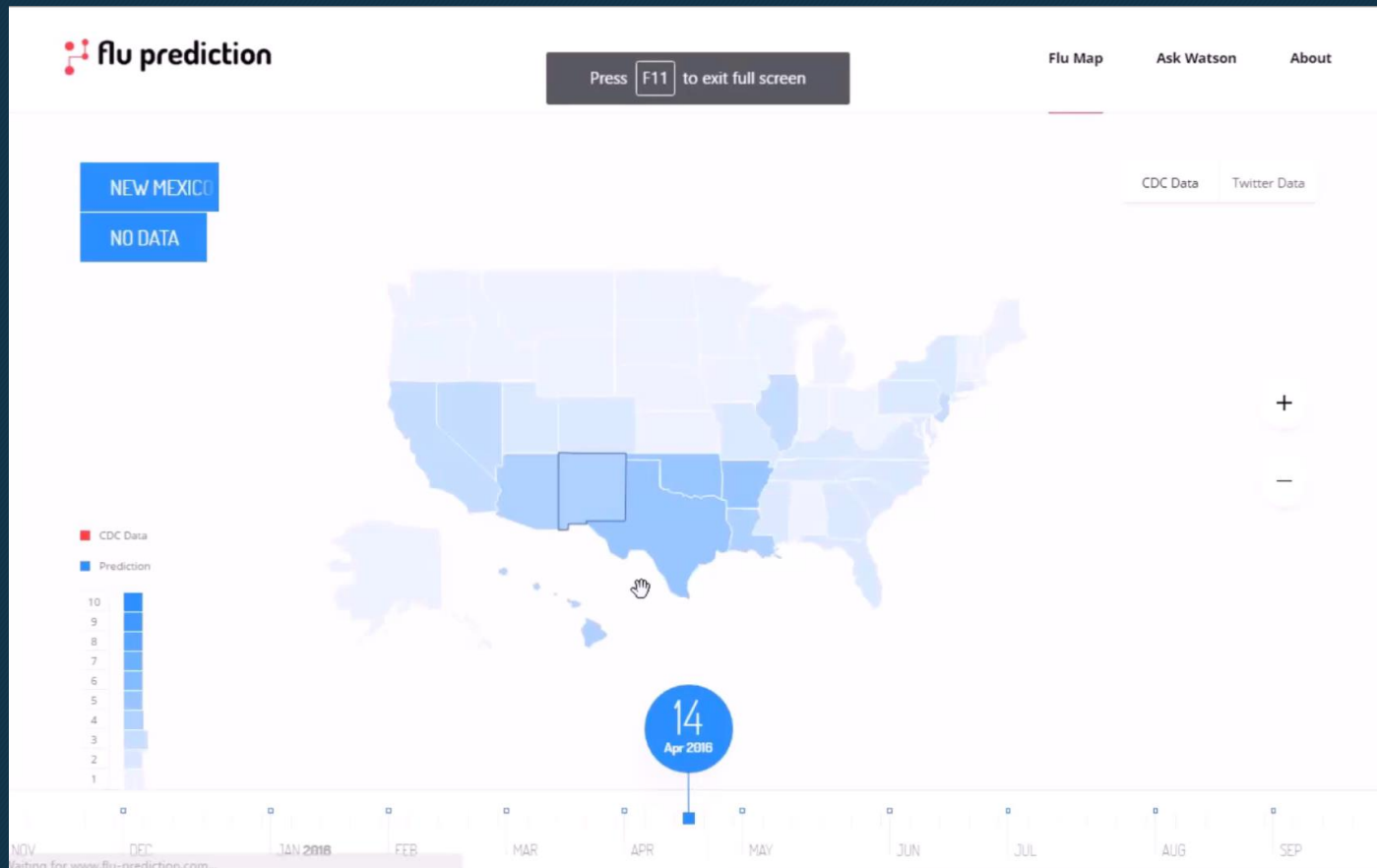
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# Speak with Watson Flu



ASK QUESTIONS & GET ANSWERS

Type your question to Watson about the flu

ask

AND LAS VEGAS NEXT WEEK?

I predict a minimal flu risk (1.57 out of 10) for Las Vegas.

WHAT'S THE FLU LEVEL IN NEW YORK RIGHT NOW?

Alright, here is the data for New York from now: a minimal flu risk (1 out of 10). What else can I do for you?

HI WATSON!

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# ALP – Mobile Cloud Diagnosis

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# ALP: A Proposal for the use case epilepsy



- 50 million people worldwide, with 80% in developing regions
- There, mostly older AEDs are administered by non-physician health care workers (~10\$ a month)
- Sustainable service since the social and economic problems outweigh investment for treatment by far

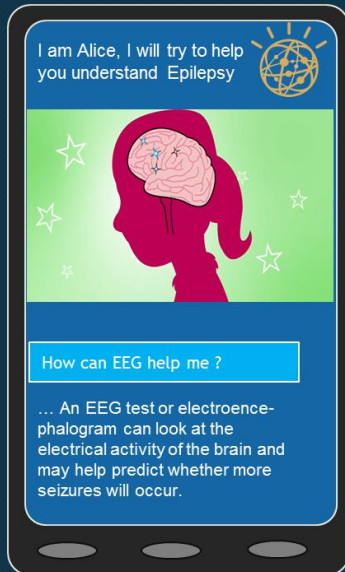
→ The crucial step is the diagnosis and crowd support by experts

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC2912535/>  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lhC0zCcUV3E>

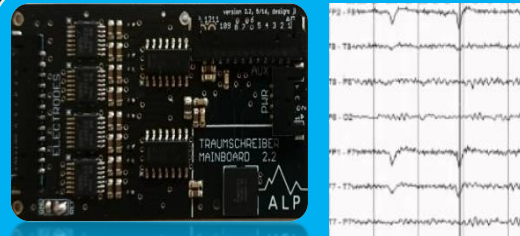




## ALP: A CLOUD IOT/AI System for treating epilepsy



IoT



EEG using mobil phones

### Cloud Services for

- Artificial Intelligence
- Distributing Data
- Managing Human Resources, Patients, and Devices

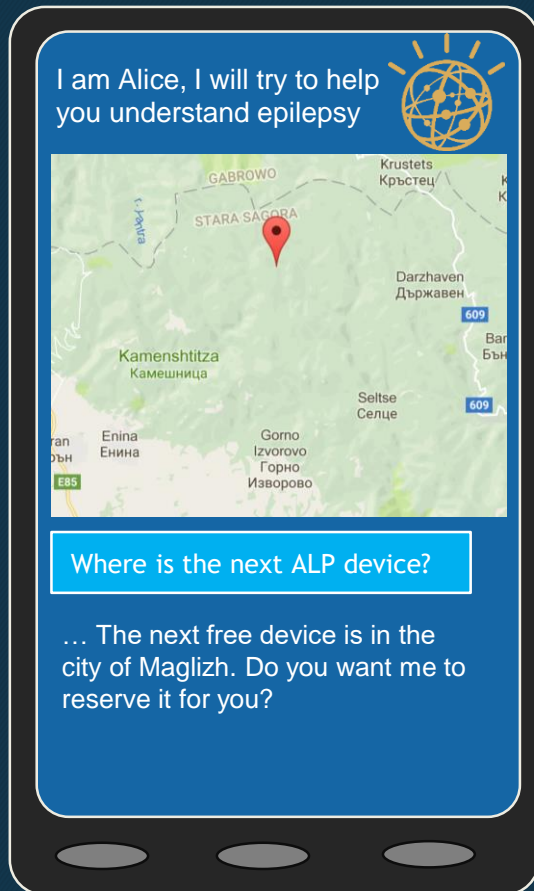


- Simple App for generating awareness and informing patients and relatives in spoken natural language

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LS4\\_jwVY3mc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LS4_jwVY3mc)  
from Epilepsy Action. The UK's leading epilepsy charity



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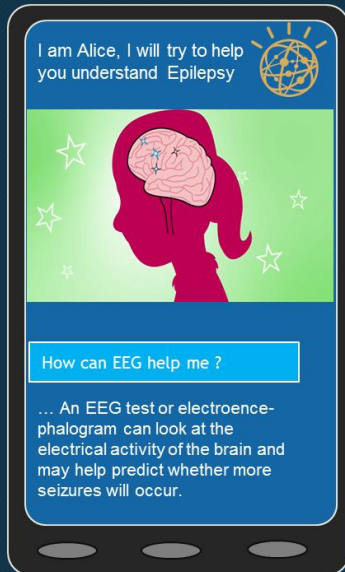


- It helps in locating ALP crowd EEG devices
- It establishes a network of patients and medical care

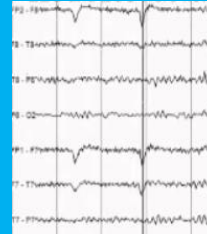
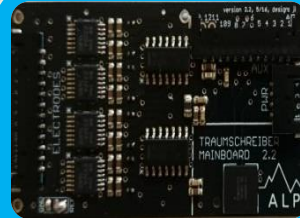




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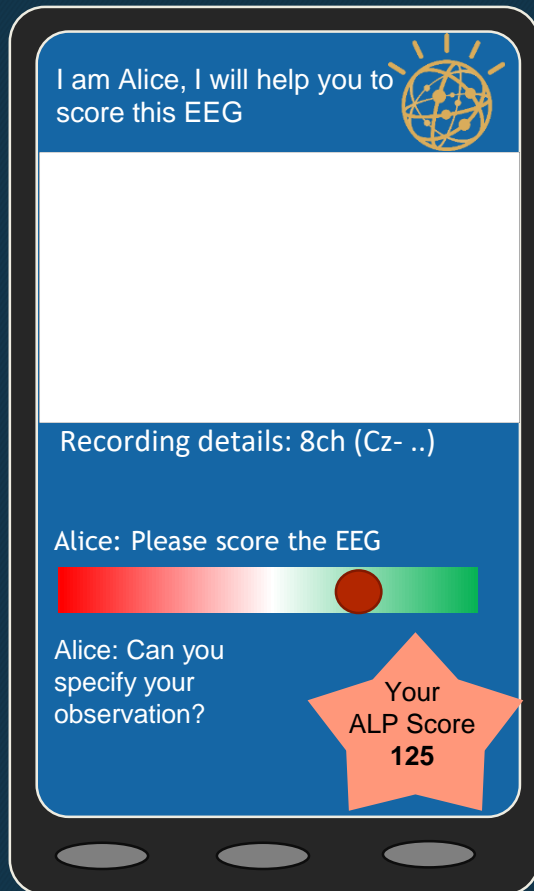
## Treatment Support



Expert assessment by cloud doctors supports the local teams



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- Simple App for **CLOUD scoring** the EEG and videos.
- **AI** to support treatment with **recommendations**
- Gamification for **CLOUD doctors** by **ALP Score**.  
(You contributed to helping 125 children already)

