

1. Using the Naive Bayes Algorithm, how would you classify a new email that contained both the words 'viagra' and 'unsubscribe'?
2. Using the Naive Bayes Algorithm, how would you classify a new email that doesn't contain either 'viagra' or unsubscribe?

Frequency Table:

	Viagra	Not Viagra	Unsubscribe	Not unsubscribe	
Spam	4	36	11	29	40
Ham	1	159	10	150	160
	5	195	21	179	200

S = Spam

H = Ham

V = Viagra

U = Unsubscribe

Probabilities:

$$P(S) = 40/200$$

$$P(H) = 160/200$$

$$P(V|S) = 4/40$$

$$P(\sim V|S) = 36/40$$

$$P(U|S) = 11/40$$

$$P(\sim U|S) = 29/40$$

$$P(V|H) = 1/160$$

$$P(\sim V|H) = 159/160$$

$$P(U|H) = 10/160$$

$$P(\sim U|H) = 150/160$$

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$$P(S | V, U) = P(V, U | S) * P(S) / P(V, U)$$

Law of total probabilities:

$$P(V, U) = P(V, U | S) * P(S) + P(V, U | H) * P(H)$$

Plugging in all the values into:

$$P(S | V, U) = P(V, U | S) * P(S) / [P(V, U | S) * P(S) + P(V, U | H) * P(H)]$$

$P(V, U | S) = P(V | S) * P(U | S)$  due to class conditional independence

$$P(V, U | H) = P(V | H) * P(U | H)$$

$$= 40/200 * 4/40 * 11/40 / (40/200 * 4/40 * 11/40 + 160/200 * 1/160 * 10/160)$$

$$= 0.9462$$

There is a 94.62% chance of an email being spam if it contains both the words Viagra and Unsubscribe.

- Using the Naive Bayes Algorithm, how would you classify a new email that doesn't contain either 'viagra' or unsubscribe?

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$P(\sim V, \sim U | S) = P(\sim V | S) * P(\sim U | S)$  due to class conditional independence

$$P(\sim V, \sim U | H) = P(\sim V | H) * P(\sim U | H)$$

$$= 36/40 * 29/40 * 40/200 / (36/40 * 29/40 * 40/200 + 160/200 * 159/160 * 150/160)$$

$$= 0.14900$$

There is a 14.9% chance of an email being spam if it contains none of the words Viagra and Unsubscribe.

