

Summarization

Probability Distributions:

Probability distributions describe how likely different outcomes are in a given scenario.

They can be discrete (for example, rolling a die) or continuous (like measuring heights).

Examples include the normal distribution, binomial distribution, Poisson distribution, etc.

Conditional Probability:

Conditional probability is the probability of an event occurring given that another event has already occurred.

It's denoted by P(A|B), the probability of event A given that event B has occurred.

For instance, the probability of raining today given that the weather forecast predicts cloudy skies.

Bayes' Theorem:

Bayes' theorem allows us to update our beliefs about the probability of an event based on new evidence.

Mathematically, it's expressed as P(A|B) = [P(B|A) * P(A)] / P(B), where:

P(A|B) is the probability of A given B,

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P(A) and P(B) are the probabilities of A and B respectively.

It's particularly useful in scenarios involving medical diagnosis, spam filtering, and many other fields.