

# Advanced Data Science

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# Agenda



## Topics Covered:

- Naive Bayes
- Gaussian Naive Bayes

## Additional Reading:

- Bishop Ch. 1 thru 1.2.3
- Bishop Ch. 2 thru 2.2
- Andrew Moore's online tutorial  
(<http://web.engr.oregonstate.edu/~xfern/classes/cs434/slides/prob-5-slides.pdf>)
- Mitchell: "Naïve Bayes and Logistic Regression"  
(<http://www.cs.cmu.edu/~tom/mlbook/NBayesLogReg.pdf>)









# Using the Joint Distribution

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		rich	0.0245895	
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		rich	0.0971295	
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		rich	0.105933	

Once you have the JD  
you can ask for the  
probability of any logical  
expression involving  
your attribute

$$P(E) = \sum_{\text{rows matching } E} P(\text{row})$$

# Learning and the joint distribution

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Suppose we want to learn the function  $f: \langle G, H \rangle \rightarrow W$

Equivalently,  $P(W \mid G, H)$

Solution: learn joint distribution from data, calculate  $P(W \mid G, H)$

e.g.,  $P(W=\text{rich} \mid G = \text{female}, H = 40.5- ) = 0.024 / (0.024+0.25)$

# Estimating Parameters

- **Maximum Likelihood Estimate (MLE):** choose  $\theta$  that maximizes probability of observed data  $\mathcal{D}$

$$\hat{\theta} = \arg \max_{\theta} P(\mathcal{D} | \theta)$$

- **Maximum a Posteriori (MAP)** estimate:  
choose  $\theta$  that is most probable given prior probability and the data

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\theta} &= \arg \max_{\theta} P(\theta | \mathcal{D}) \\ &= \arg \max_{\theta} = \frac{P(\mathcal{D} | \theta)P(\theta)}{P(\mathcal{D})}\end{aligned}$$

# Naïve Bayes in a Nutshell

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Another way to view Naïve Bayes (Boolean Y): Decision rule: is this quantity greater or less than 1?

$$\frac{P(Y = 1|X_1 \dots X_n)}{P(Y = 0|X_1 \dots X_n)} = \frac{P(Y = 1) \prod_i P(X_i|Y = 1)}{P(Y = 0) \prod_i P(X_i|Y = 0)}$$

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$$0 \gtrless \log \frac{P(Y=1|X_1 \dots X_n)}{P(Y=0|X_1 \dots X_n)} = \log \frac{P(Y=1)}{P(Y=0)} + \sum_i \log \left[ \frac{P(X_i|Y=1)}{P(X_i|Y=0)} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\theta}_{ik} &= \hat{P}(X_i=1|Y=k) \\ 1 - \hat{\theta}_{ik} &= \hat{P}(X_i=0|Y=k) \end{aligned} \quad 0 \gtrless \log \frac{P(Y=1)}{P(Y=0)} + \sum_i \left[ x_i \log \frac{\theta_{i1}}{\theta_{i0}} + (1-x_i) \log \frac{(1-\theta_{i1})}{(1-\theta_{i0})} \right]$$

# Naïve Bayes: classifying text documents

- Classify which emails are spam?
- Classify which emails promise an attachment?

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How shall we represent text documents for Naïve Bayes?

# Learning to classify documents: $P(Y|X)$

$Y$  discrete valued.

– e.g., Spam or not

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$X_i$  is boolean, 1 if word  $i$  is in document, else 0 e.g.,  $X_{\text{pleased}} = 1$

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Answer 2:

$X_i$  represents the  $i^{\text{th}}$  word position in document

- $X_1 = \text{"I"}, X_2 = \text{"am"}, X_3 = \text{"pleased"}$
- and, let's assume the  $X_i$  are iid (indep, identically distributed)

$$P(X_i|Y) = P(X_j|Y) \quad (\forall i, j)$$

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# Learning to classify document: $P(Y|X)$ the “Bag of Words” model

- $Y$  discrete valued. e.g., Spam or not
- $X = \langle X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \rangle =$  document
- $X_i$  are iid random variables. Each represents the word at its position  $i$  in the document
- Generating a document according to this distribution = rolling a 50,000 sided die, once for each word position in the document
- The observed counts for each word follow a ??? distribution

# Multinomial Distribution

- $P(\theta)$  and  $P(\theta|D)$  have the same form

**Eg. 2** Dice roll problem (6 outcomes instead of 2)



Likelihood is  $\sim \text{Multinomial}(\theta = \{\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_k\})$

$$P(\mathcal{D} | \theta) = \theta_1^{\alpha_1} \theta_2^{\alpha_2} \dots \theta_k^{\alpha_k} \quad \text{Count for side K}$$

If prior is Dirichlet distribution,

$$P(\theta) = \frac{\prod_{i=1}^k \theta_i^{\beta_i-1}}{B(\beta_1, \dots, \beta_k)} \sim \text{Dirichlet}(\beta_1, \dots, \beta_k)$$

Then posterior is Dirichlet distribution

$$P(\theta|D) \sim \text{Dirichlet}(\beta_1 + \alpha_1, \dots, \beta_k + \alpha_k)$$

**For Multinomial, conjugate prior is Dirichlet distribution.**



# Multinomial Bag of Words

ebay Shop by category Search... All Categories Search Advanced

## Sharp shooting

Shot detailed, realistic images thanks to the 20-megapixel sensor which is powered by DIGIC 4+ processor.

Images are sharp and video is smooth thanks to Canon's Image Stabilisation which combats camera shake – ideal when using the 8 x optical zoom.

## User-friendly

Simply point and shoot – there's no need to adjust settings every time you want to take a picture thanks to Smart Auto with Auto Button which optimises the settings for each scene.

Framing the perfect portrait is easy thanks to the 2.7" screen with adjustable brightness and Face Detection technology.

Shooting HD video with the Canon **IXUS 175 Compact Camera** is also made simple thanks to the dedicated movie button.

## Technical specifications for CANON IXUS 175 Compact Camera - Silver

### OVERVIEW

Camera type	Compact camera
Processor	DIGIC 4+ with ISAPS technology

### SENSOR

Resolution	20 megapixels
Type	CCD
Size	1/2.3" / 6.17 x 4.55 mm
ISO sensitivity	AUTO, 100 - 1600
Image stabiliser	Image Stabilisation (IS)

### LENS

Focal length	5 - 40 mm
35 mm equivalent	28 - 224 mm
Maximum aperture	f/3.2 - f/6.9
Minimum distance	1 cm
Normal distance	1 cm to infinity
Focusing	Autofocus



aardvark	0
about	2
all	2
Africa	1
apple	0
anxious	0
...	
gas	1
...	
oil	1
...	
Zaire	0

50000

# MAP estimates for bag of words

## Map estimate for multinomial

$$\theta_i = \frac{\alpha_i + \beta_i - 1}{\sum_{m=1}^k \alpha_m + \sum_{m=1}^k (\beta_m - 1)}$$

MLE

$$\theta_{aardvark} = P(X_i = \text{aardvark}) = \frac{\# \text{ observed 'aardvark' } + \# \text{ hallucinated 'aardvark' } - 1}{\# \text{ observed words } + \# \text{ hallucinated words } - k}$$

What  $\beta$ 's should we choose?

# Naïve Bayes Algorithm – discrete $X_i$

- Train Naïve Bayes (examples)

for each value  $y_k$   $P(\text{Category} = \text{'Phones'})$

estimate  $\pi_k \equiv P(Y = y_k)$

for each value  $x_{ij}$  of each attribute  $X_i$

estimate  $\theta_{ijk} \equiv P(X_i = x_{ij} | Y = y_k)$

prob that word  $x_{ij}$  appears  
in position  $i$ , given  $Y=y_k$

- Classify ( $X^{new}$ )

$$Y^{new} \leftarrow \arg \max_{y_k} P(Y = y_k) \prod_i P(X_i^{new} | Y = y_k)$$

$$Y^{new} \leftarrow \arg \max_{y_k} \pi_k \prod_i \theta_{ijk}$$

\* Additional assumption: word probabilities are position independent  $\theta_{ijk} = \theta_{mjk}$  for  $i \neq m$

# Twenty NewsGroups

Given 1000 training documents from each group  
Learn to classify new documents according to  
which newsgroup it came from

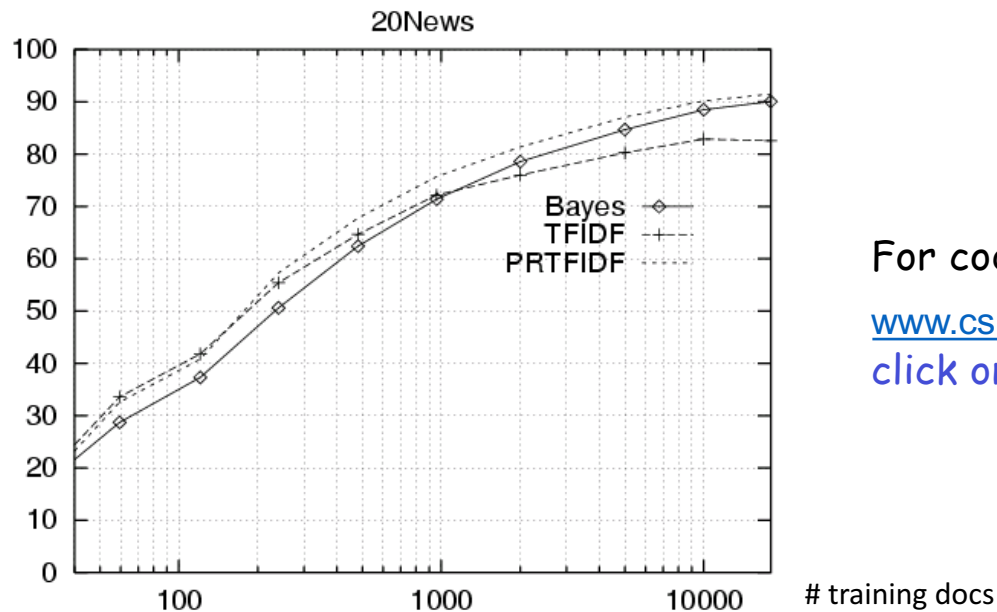
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comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware	rec.motorcycles
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comp.windows.x	rec.sport.hockey

alt.atheism	sci.space
soc.religion.christian	sci.crypt
talk.religion.misc	sci.electronics
talk.politics.mideast	sci.med
talk.politics.misc	
talk.politics.guns	

Naive Bayes: 89% classification accuracy

# Learning Curve for 20 Newsgroups

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For code and data, see

[www.cs.cmu.edu/~tom/mlbook.html](http://www.cs.cmu.edu/~tom/mlbook.html)  
click on "Software and Data"

Accuracy vs. Training set size (1/3 withheld for test)

# Summary

- **Maximum Likelihood Estimate (MLE):** choose  $\theta$  that maximizes probability of observed data  $\hat{\theta} = \arg \max_{\theta} P(\mathcal{D} | \theta)$
- **Maximum a Posteriori (MAP) Estimate:** choose  $\theta$  that is most probable given prior probability and the data  $\hat{\theta} = \arg \max_{\theta} P(\theta | \mathcal{D}) = \arg \max_{\theta} \frac{P(\mathcal{D} | \theta)P(\theta)}{P(\mathcal{D})}$
- **Naive Bayes:** Represent the joint probability  $P(X,Y)$  and estimate its params via MLE or MAP
  - Representation of  $P(X,Y)$  done assuming bayes rule:  $P(X,Y) = P(Y)P(X|Y)$
  - Training done by estimating the following parameters (via MLE or MAP):

$$P(Y = y_k) \quad \theta_{ijk} \equiv P(X_i = x_{ij} | Y = y_k)$$

- Prediction:

$$Y^{new} \leftarrow \arg \max_{y_k} P(Y = y_k) \prod_i P(X_i^{new} | Y = y_k)$$

# What if we have continuous $X_i$ ?

Eg., image classification:  $X_i$  is real-valued  $i^{\text{th}}$  pixel



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Naïve Bayes requires  $P(X_i | Y=y_k)$ , but  $X_i$  is real (continuous)

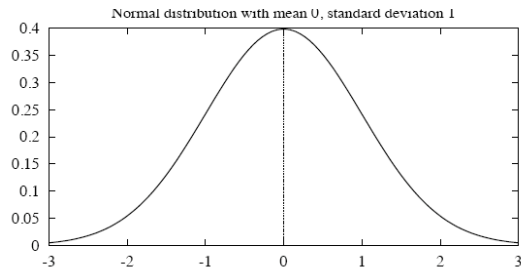
$$P(Y = y_k | X_1 \dots X_n) = \frac{P(Y = y_k) \prod_i P(X_i | Y = y_k)}{\sum_j P(Y = y_j) \prod_i P(X_i | Y = y_j)}$$

Common approach: assume  $P(X_i | Y=y_k)$  follows a Normal (Gaussian) distribution



# Gaussian Distribution (also called “Normal”)

$p(x)$  is a *probability density function*, whose integral (not sum) is 1



$$p(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2}$$

The probability that  $X$  will fall into the interval  $(a, b)$  is given by

$$\int_a^b p(x) dx$$

- Expected, or mean value of  $X$ ,  $E[X]$ , is

$$E[X] = \mu$$

- Variance of  $X$  is

$$Var(X) = \sigma^2$$

- Standard deviation of  $X$ ,  $\sigma_X$ , is

$$\sigma_X = \sigma$$

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Gaussian Naïve Bayes (GNB): assume

$$p(X_i = x | Y = y_k) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_{ik}^2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-\mu_{ik}}{\sigma_{ik}}\right)^2}$$

Sometimes assume variance

- is independent of  $Y$  (i.e.,  $\sigma_i$ ),
- or independent of  $X_i$  (i.e.,  $\sigma_k$ )
- or both (i.e.,  $\sigma$ )

# Gaussian Naïve Bayes Algorithm – continuous $X_i$ (but still discrete $Y$ )

- Train Naïve Bayes (examples)

for each value  $y_k$

estimate\*  $\pi_k \equiv P(Y = y_k)$

for each attribute  $X_i$  estimate  $P(X_i|Y = y_k)$

- class conditional mean  $\mu_{ik}$ , variance  $\sigma_{ik}$

- Classify ( $X^{new}$ )

$$Y^{new} \leftarrow \arg \max_{y_k} P(Y = y_k) \prod_i P(X_i^{new} | Y = y_k)$$

$$Y^{new} \leftarrow \arg \max_{y_k} \pi_k \prod_i \mathcal{N}(X_i^{new}, \mu_{ik}, \sigma_{ik})$$

\* probabilities must sum to 1, so need estimate only n-1 parameters...

# Estimating Parameters: $Y$ discrete, $X_i$ continuous

Maximum likelihood estimates:

$$\hat{\mu}_{ik} = \frac{1}{\sum_j \delta(Y^j = y_k)} \sum_j X_i^j \delta(Y^j = y_k)$$

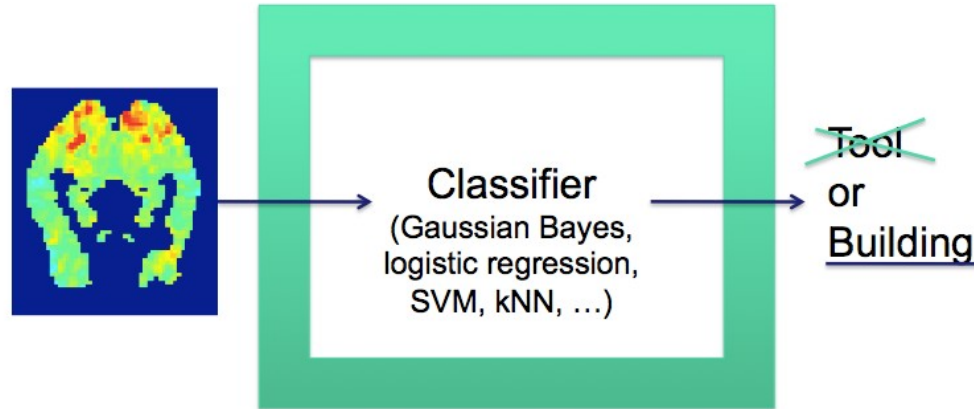
Diagram illustrating the components of the maximum likelihood estimate for the mean parameter  $\hat{\mu}_{ik}$ :

- $\hat{\mu}_{ik}$ : ith feature, kth class
- $X_i^j$ : jth training example
- $\delta(Y^j = y_k)$ :  $\delta()=1$  if  $(Y^j=y_k)$  else 0

$$\hat{\sigma}_{ik}^2 = \frac{1}{\sum_j \delta(Y^j = y_k)} \sum_j (X_i^j - \hat{\mu}_{ik})^2 \delta(Y^j = y_k)$$

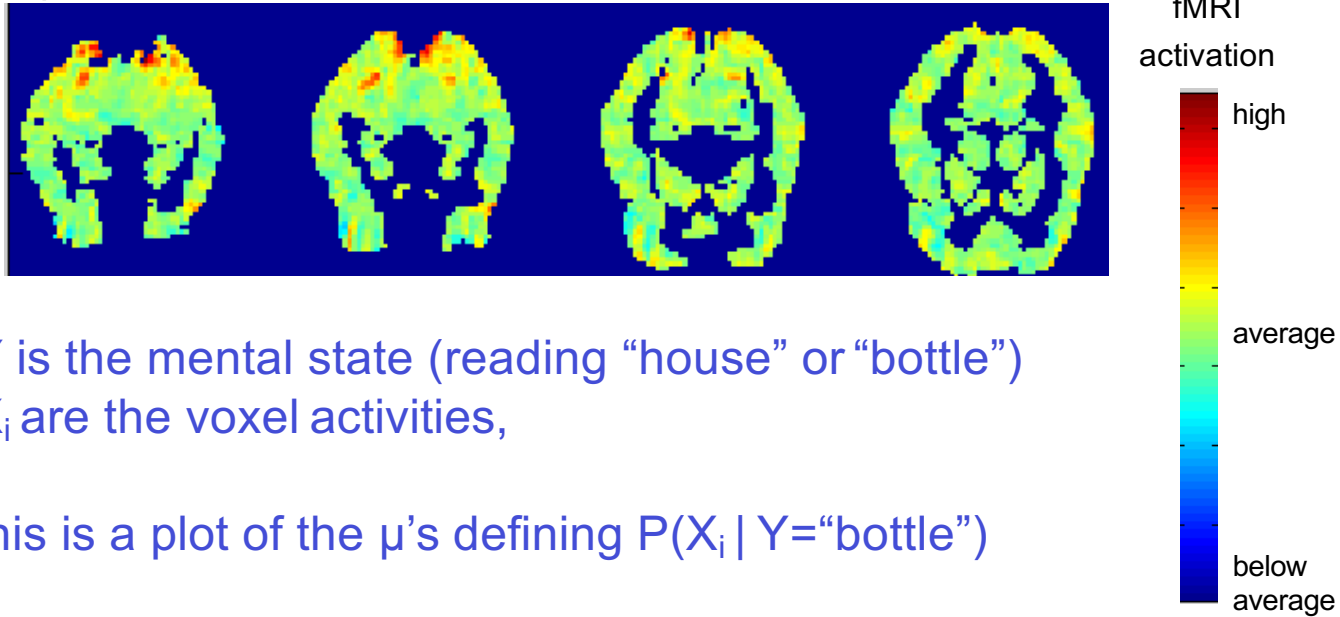
# GNB Example: Classify a person's cognitive state, based on brain image

- reading a sentence or viewing a picture?
- reading the word describing a “Tool” or “Building”?
- answering the question, or getting confused?



Mean activations over all training examples for  $Y = \text{"bottle"}$

$\mu \mid Y = \text{bottle}$

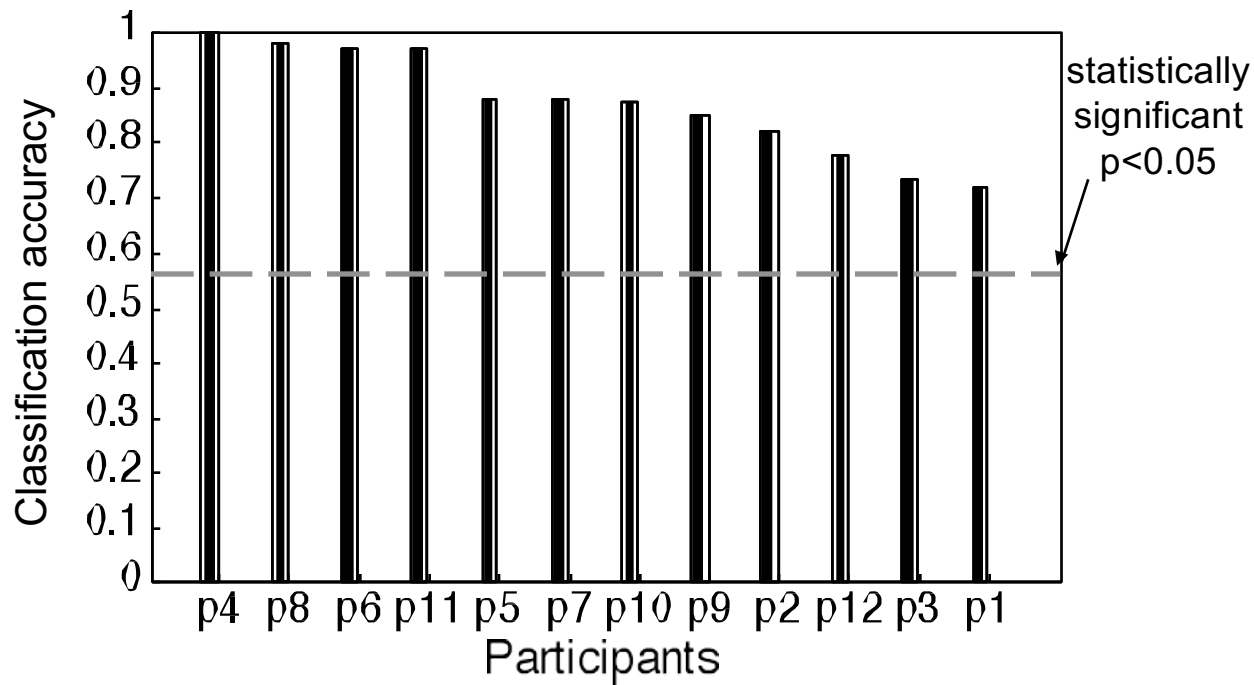


$Y$  is the mental state (reading "house" or "bottle")

$X_i$  are the voxel activities,

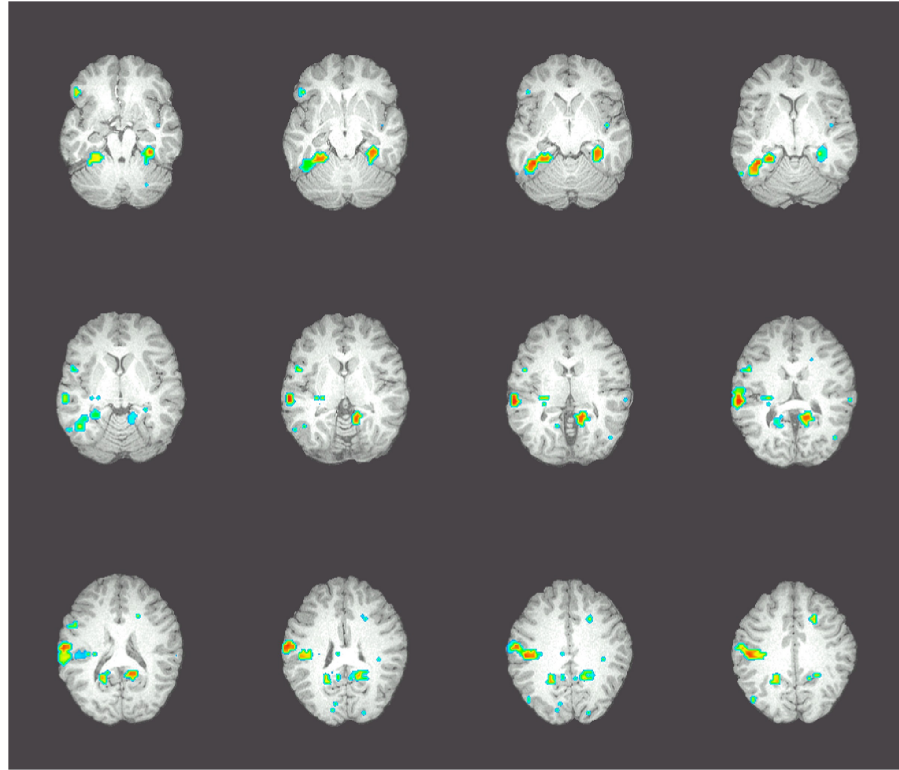
this is a plot of the  $\mu$ 's defining  $P(X_i \mid Y = \text{"bottle"})$

Classification task: is person viewing a “tool” or “building”?



# Where is information encoded in the brain?

Accuracies of  
cubical  
27-voxel  
classifiers  
centered at  
each significant  
voxel  
[0.7-0.8]





# Naïve Bayes: What you should know

- Designing classifiers based on Bayes rule
- Conditional independence
  - What it is
  - Why it's important
- Naïve Bayes assumption and its consequences
  - Which (and how many) parameters must be estimated under different generative models (different forms for  $P(X|Y)$ )
    - and why this matters
- How to train Naïve Bayes classifiers
  - MLE and MAP estimates
  - with discrete and/or continuous inputs  $X_i$

# Questions to think about:

- Can you use Naïve Bayes for a combination of discrete and real-valued  $X_i$ ?
- How can we easily model just 2 of  $n$  attributes as dependent?
- What does the decision surface of a Naïve Bayes classifier look like?
- How would you select a subset of  $X_i$ 's?