

Problem - 3 (HW #1 - ML) (CS 273A)

(a)

Maximum Likelihood

$$P(y) \quad \forall y \in \{-1, 1\}$$

$$P(y=1) = \frac{\sum_{i: y^{(i)}=1} y_i}{\sum_{i: y^{(i)}=1} 1} = 0.4$$

$$P(y=-1) = \frac{6}{10} = 0.6$$

Feature	$y = -1$				$y = 1$			
	0's	1's	$P(x_i=1/y)$	$P(x_i=0/y)$	0's	1's	$P(x_i=1/y)$	$P(x_i=0/y)$
x_1	3	3	0.5	0.5	1	3	0.75	0.25
x_2	1	5	0.83	0.17	4	0	0	1
x_3	2	4	0.67	0.33	1	3	0.75	0.25
x_4	1	5	0.83	0.17	2	2	0.5	0.5
x_5	4	2	0.33	0.67	3	1	0.25	0.75

(b) Naive Bayes

$$\begin{aligned} \langle i \rangle \quad & P(y=1 / x = \langle 0, 0, 0, 0, 0 \rangle) \\ &= P(y=1) \times P(x_1=0/y=1) \times P(x_2=0/y=1) \dots P(x_5=0/y=1) \\ &= 0.4 \times 0.25 \times 1 \times 0.25 \times 0.5 \times 0.75 \\ &= 0.009 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & P(y=-1 / x = \langle 0, 0, 0, 0, 0 \rangle) \\ &= 0.6 \times 0.5 \times 0.17 \times 0.33 \times 0.17 \times 0.67 \\ &= 0.002 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore The class chosen is $y=1$.

$$\langle ii \rangle \quad P(y=1 | x = (11010))$$

$$= 0.4 \times 0.75 \times 0 \times 0.25 \times 0.5 \times 0.75 = 0.$$

$$P(y=-1 | x = (11010))$$

$$= 0.6 \times 0.5 \times 0.83 \times 0.33 \times 0.83 \times 0.67$$

$$= 0.046.$$

\therefore ~~the~~ chosen class is $y = -1$.

$$(c) \quad P(y=1 | \underline{x} = \langle 1, 1, 0, 1, 0 \rangle)$$

$$= 0$$

(d) 5 features (binary) \therefore we have 2^{32} parameters but 10 data points

\therefore Bayes classifier would overfit.