# **Review**

**Correction and Supplement** 

### **Corrections**

#### **Book and slide**

- Book (Ch. 7, pp 204) 如如果是 即生行
  - Specificity = TN/(FP + TN) = True negative rate = 1 False positive rate
  - Sensitivity = TP/(TP + FN) = True positive rate
- Slide (Ch. 7, pp 29)

expected profit = 
$$p(\mathbf{p})$$
  $[p(\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{p}) \cdot b(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{p}) + p(\mathbf{N} \mid \mathbf{p}) \cdot c(\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{p})] + p(\mathbf{n}) \cdot [p(\mathbf{N} \mid \mathbf{n}) \cdot b(\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{n}) + p(\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{n}) \cdot c(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{n})]$ 

## Text book (pp. 204)

+ *FP*), which is the accuracy over the cases predicted to be positive. The *F-measure* is the harmonic mean of precision and recall at a given point, and is:

$$F\text{-measure} = 2 \cdot \frac{\text{precision} \cdot \text{recall}}{\text{precision} + \text{recall}}$$

Practitioners in many fields such as statistics, pattern recognition, and epidemiology speak of the sensitivity and specificity of a classifier:

Sensitivity 
$$=$$
  $TN / (TN + FP) =$  True negative rate = 1 - False positive rate Specificity  $=$   $TP / (TP + FN) =$  True positive rate

You may also hear about the *positive predictive value*, which is the same as precision.

Accuracy, as mentioned before, is simply the count of correct decisions divided by the total number of decisions, or:

$$Accuracy = \frac{TP + TN}{P + N}$$

Swets (1996) lists many other evaluation metrics and their relationships to the confusion matrix.

## Slide (Ch. 7, pp. 29)

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  - For each distribution, we can simply replace the *priors*
    - (ex) A unbalanced distribution:  $p(\mathbf{p}) = 0.7$ ,  $p(\mathbf{n}) = 0.3$
    - (ex) A balanced distribution:  $p(\mathbf{p}) = 0.5$ ,  $p(\mathbf{n}) = 0.5$

expected profit = 
$$p(\mathbf{p}) \left[ p(\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{p}) \cdot b(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{p}) + p(\mathbf{N} \mid \mathbf{p}) \cdot c(\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{p}) \right] + p(\mathbf{n}) \cdot \left[ p(\mathbf{N} \mid \mathbf{n}) \cdot b(\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{n}) + p(\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{n}) \cdot c(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{n}) \right]$$

The other factors in the equation will **not** change

# **Supplements**

### Ch.9: Advantages of Naive Bayes (1/2)

- It is a very simple classifier
  - Yet it still takes all the feature evidence into account
- It is very efficient in terms of storage space and execution time
  - **Training**: consists only of storing p(c) and  $p(e_i \mid c)$  for each c and  $e_i$ 
    - p(c): we count the proportions of examples of class c among all examples
    - $p(e_i \mid c)$ : we count the proportion of examples in class c for which  $e_i$  appears
  - Classification: requires only simple multiplications of them
- In spite of its simplicity and the strict independence assumption, it performs surprisingly well on many real-world tasks
  - Because the violation of the independence assumption tends not to hurt classification performance
  - What if two pieces of evidence are actually NOT independent and we treat them as being independent? → double counting of the evidence
    - However, double counting will not tend to hurt us (i.e., probability will be simply overestimated)
    - E.g.)  $P(AB) = P(A) \times P(B|A)$  vs.  $P(AB) = P(A) \times P(B)$

#### Ch. 7: Alternative Calculation of EV (4/4)

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expected profit = 
$$p(\mathbf{p}) \begin{bmatrix} p(\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{p}) \cdot b(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{p}) + p(\mathbf{N} \mid \mathbf{p}) \cdot c(\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{p}) \end{bmatrix} + p(\mathbf{n}) \begin{bmatrix} p(\mathbf{N} \mid \mathbf{n}) \cdot b(\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{n}) + p(\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{n}) \cdot c(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{n}) \end{bmatrix}$$

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#### **Example**

#### Model A

	р	n
Υ	500	200
N	0	300

$$P(Y|p) = 500/500 = 1$$
  
 $P(N|p) = 0/500 = 0$ 

$$P(Y|n) = 200/500 = 0.4$$
  
 $P(N|n) = 300/500 = 0.6$ 

#### Idea

	р	n
Υ	100	0
N	0	900

→ Accuracy 100%

	р	n	
Y	TP rate P(Y p)	FP rate P(Y n)	
N	FN rate P(N p)	TN rate P(N n)	

#### Model A

	р	n
Υ	100	360
N	0	540

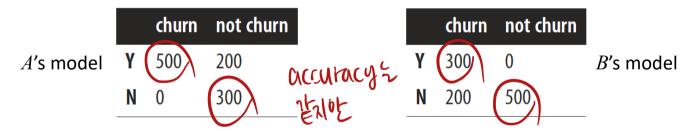
$$P(Y|p) = 100/100 = 1$$
  
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 $P(N|n) = 540/900 = 0.6$ 

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#### Ch. 7: Problems with Unbalanced Classes (2/3)

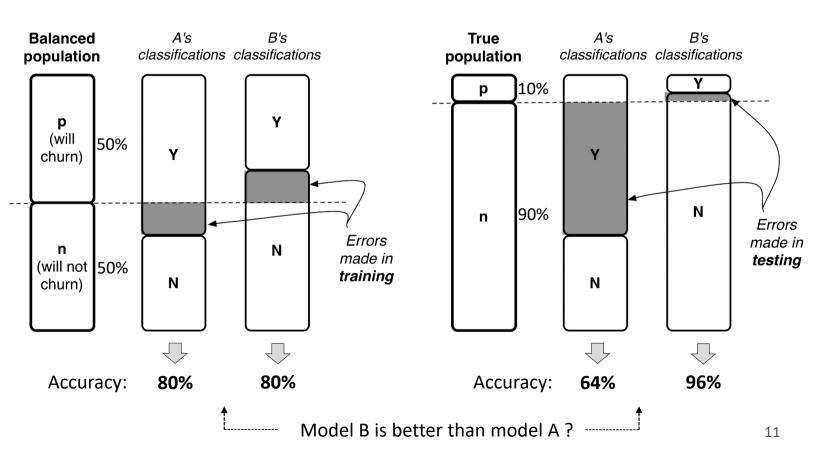
- Even when the skew is not so great, accuracy can be greatly misleading
- Example: consider again our cellular-churn problem
  - Suppose A and B build their own churn prediction models
  - In a test set of 1,000 customers, the confusion matrices are as follows



- A's model: correctly classifies 100% of "churn" but only 60% of "not churn"
- B's model: correctly classifies 100% of "not churn" but only 60% of "churn"
- Though they operate very differently, their accuracy are the same as 80%

#### Ch. 7: Problems with Unbalanced Classes (3/3)

Furthermore, their accuracy changes with different test sets



## **Example**

	р	n	
Y	TP rate P(Y p)	FP rate P(Y n)	
N	FN rate P(N p)	TN rate P(N n)	

		р	n
Model <b>A</b>	Υ	500	200
(Accuracy 80%)	Ν	0	300

Model A Y 100 360
N 0 540

$$TPR = 100/100 = 1$$
  
 $FNR = 0/100 = 0$ 

n

Model **B** Y **60** 0 N 40 **900** 

Accuracy: 96% = 960/1000

Accuracy: 64% = 640/1000