

Lecture 4:

$$P(\theta|x) = \frac{P(x|\theta) P(\theta)}{P(x)}$$

Bayes rule for 2 RV's x, y

$$P(y|x) = \frac{P(x|y) P(y)}{P(x)}$$

Assume θ was fixed i.e. $\theta \sim \text{Deg}(\theta_0)$

$\rightarrow P(x=x|\theta=\theta_0)$ Jmf, JDF equal to likelihood

$$P(\theta) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \theta = \theta_0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise (0/1)} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(\theta|x) = \begin{cases} \frac{P(x|\theta=\theta_0)}{P(x)} & \text{if } \theta = \theta_0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise } \theta \neq \theta_0 \end{cases}$$

$$P(x) = \sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(x|\theta) P(\theta) = P(x|\theta=\theta_0)$$

$$= \int_{\Theta} P(x|\theta) P(\theta) d\theta$$

Assume θ in a non degenerate r.v

$$P(\theta|x) = \frac{\overbrace{P(x|\theta)}^{\text{Likelihood}} \overbrace{P(\theta)}^{\text{Prior}}}{\underbrace{P(x)}_{\text{Prior predictive distribution}}}$$

$$= \frac{P(x, \theta)}{\sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(x, \theta)}$$

Prior: Your thoughts about θ you see any data

Posterior: Your thought about θ after you see the data, x

for example; $F = \text{iid Bernoulli, Bul}$

$$\Theta = \{0.1\}$$

$$\Theta_0 = \{0.5, 0.75\}$$

$$x = \langle 0, 1, 1 \rangle$$

$$P(\theta = 0.75|x) > P(\theta = 0.5|x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P(x|\theta=0.75) P(\theta=0.75)}{P(x|\theta=0.75) P(\theta=0.75) + P(x|\theta=0.5) P(\theta=0.5)}$$

$$\hookrightarrow P(x) = \sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(x|\theta) P(\theta)$$

$$\frac{P(x|\theta=0.5) P(\theta=0.5)}{P(x|\theta=0.75) P(\theta=0.75) + P(x|\theta=0.5) P(\theta=0.5)}$$

$P(x)$ is the same.

$$\Rightarrow P(\theta = 0.75 | x) = 0.53$$

$$\Rightarrow P(\theta = 0.5 | x) = 0.47$$

We need $P(\theta = 0.75)$ and $P(\theta = 0.5)$; assume principle of indifference:-

all $\theta \in \Theta$ are equally likely i.e

$$P(\theta) = \frac{1}{|\Theta|}$$

$$P(\theta) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } \theta = 0.5 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } \theta = 0.75 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$P(\theta) \xrightarrow{x} P(\theta | x)$ Bayesian conditionalism

$$x \in X = \{0,1\} \times \{0,1\} \times \{0,1\}$$

$$= \{ \langle 1,1,1 \rangle, \langle 1,1,0 \rangle, \langle 1,0,1 \rangle, \langle 0,1,1 \rangle, \langle 0,1,0 \rangle, \langle 0,0,1 \rangle, \langle 0,0,0 \rangle, \langle 1,0,0 \rangle \}$$

$P(x, \langle 1,1,1 \rangle | \theta = 0.75) = 0.922$

$P(x, \langle 1,1,0 \rangle | \theta = 0.75) = 0.191$

$P(x, \langle 1,0,1 \rangle | \theta = 0.75) = 0.047$

$P(x, \langle 0,1,1 \rangle | \theta = 0.75) = 0.016$

0.75	$\langle 1,1,1 \rangle$	$\langle 1,1,0 \rangle$	$\langle 1,0,1 \rangle$	$\langle 0,1,1 \rangle$	$\langle 0,0,1 \rangle$	$\langle 0,1,0 \rangle$	$\langle 1,1,0 \rangle$	$\langle 0,1,0 \rangle$
0.5	$\langle 1,1,1 \rangle$	$\langle 1,1,0 \rangle$	$\langle 0,0,1 \rangle$	$\langle 0,1,1 \rangle$	$\langle 0,0,1 \rangle$	$\langle 0,1,0 \rangle$	$\langle 0,1,0 \rangle$	$\langle 1,0,1 \rangle$

$$P(\theta = 0.75 | x = \langle 1,1,0 \rangle) = \frac{P(x, \langle 1,1,0 \rangle | \theta = 0.75) P(\theta = 0.75)}{P(x, \langle 1,1,0 \rangle)}$$

$$P(\theta | x) = \frac{P(x | \theta) P(\theta)}{P(x)} = \frac{P(x, \theta)}{P(x)} = \frac{P(x, \theta)}{\sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(x, \theta)}$$

Another example:-

$T = \text{iid Bernoulli}$, But.

$$\Theta = \{0, 1\}$$

$$\Theta_0 = [0.1, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 0.9]$$

$$x = \langle 0, 1, 1 \rangle$$

$$\text{prior? } P(\theta) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{5} & \text{if } \theta \in \Theta_0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Principle of indifference.

What if I want the most likely value of θ given x ?

$$P(\theta | x) = \text{argmax}_{\theta \in \Theta_0} \{P(\theta | x)\}$$

$$= \text{argmax}_{\theta \in \Theta_0} \left\{ \frac{P(x | \theta) P(\theta)}{P(x)} \right\}$$

MAP: Maximum of Posterior

$$\hat{\theta}_{\text{MAP}} = \text{argmax}_{\theta \in \Theta_0} [P(x | \theta) P(\theta)]$$

under the principle of indifference.

$$\hat{\theta}_{\text{MAP}} = \text{argmax}_{\theta \in \Theta_0} [P(x | \theta)]$$

PMF of

Bernoulli

$$= p^x (1-p)^{1-x}$$

p if $x=1$

$1-p$ if $x=0$

$$\mathcal{L}(\theta, x) = \hat{\theta}_{\text{MLE}}$$

$$P(x=0 | \theta=0.1) P(x=1 | \theta=0.1) P(x=1 | \theta=0.1)$$

$$P(x | \theta=0.1) = 0.1^2 \times 0.9 = 0.009$$

standard PMF of Bernoulli

$$P(x | \theta=0.25) = .25^2 \times .75 = 0.047$$

$$P(x | \theta=0.5) = .5^2 \times .5 = 0.125$$

$$P(x | \theta=0.75) = .75^2 \times .25 = 0.141$$

$$P(x | \theta=0.9) = 0.9^2 \times 0.01 = 0.081$$

$$\hat{\theta}_{\text{MAP}} = 0.75$$

$$\sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} P(x) = 1, \quad \sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(x|\theta) = 1$$

PMF likelihood $\in P(x|\theta) = 1$

$$\text{PMF} \quad \sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(\theta) = 1, \quad \sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(\theta|x) = 1$$

$$P(\theta|x) = \frac{P(x|\theta)P(\theta)}{\sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(x|\theta)P(\theta)}$$

under principle of Indifference

$$= \frac{P(x|\theta)P(\theta)}{P(\theta) \sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(x|\theta)}$$

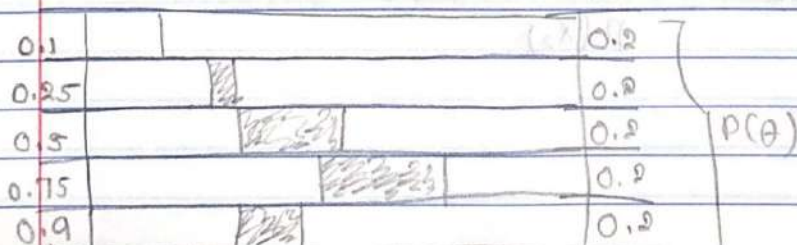
$$= \frac{P(x|\theta)}{\sum_{\theta \in \Theta} P(x|\theta)}$$

$$P(\theta = 0.75|x) = \frac{0.141}{0.009 + 0.477 + 0.125 + 0.141 + 0.081}$$

$$= \frac{0.141}{0.403} = 0.35$$

$$P(\theta = 0.75) \longrightarrow P(\theta = 0.75|x)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 0.2 & \xrightarrow{x} & 0.35 \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ P(\theta = 0.75) & & P(\theta = 0.75|x) \\ \text{without data} & & \text{given data} \end{array}$$



For example,

\mathcal{F} = iid Bernoulli Bv

$$\Theta = (0, 1)$$

$$\mathcal{H}_0 = \{0.5, 0.75\}$$

$$x = \langle 0, 1, 1 \rangle$$

Principle of indifference

$$P(\theta) = 0.5$$

$$P(\theta = 0.75 | x_1, x_2, x_3)$$

After seeing x ,

$$P(\theta = 0.75 | x_1 = 0)$$

$$= \frac{P(x_1 = 0 | \theta = 0.75) P(\theta = 0.75)}{P(x_1 = 0 | \theta = 0.75) P(\theta = 0.75) + P(x_1 = 0 | \theta = 0.5) P(\theta = 0.5)}$$

$$= \frac{0.25}{0.25 + 0.5} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(\theta = 0.5 | x = 0) = \frac{2}{3}$$

New my prior changes;

$$P(\theta) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{3} & \text{if } \theta = 0.75 \\ \frac{2}{3} & \text{if } \theta = 0.5 \end{cases}$$

$$P(\theta | x_2) = \frac{P(x_2 | \theta) P(\theta)}{P(x_2)}$$