# 10-315 Introduction to Machine Learning (SCS Majors) Lecture 6: Naive Bayes

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Reading: <a href ="http://www.cs.cmu.edu/~tom/mlbook/NBayesLogReg.pdf"> (http://www.cs.cmu.edu/~tom/mlbook/NBayesLogReg.pdf">) Generative and Disciminative Classifiers </a> by Tom Mitchell.

#### Lecture outcomes:

- Conditional Independence
- Naïve Bayes, Gaussian Naive Bayes
- Practical Examples

#### The Naïve Bayes Algorithm

Naïve Bayes assumes conditional independence of the  $X_i$ 's:

$$P(X_1,\ldots,X_d|Y)=\prod_i P(X_i|,Y)$$

(more on this assumption soon!)

Using Bayes rule with that assumption:

$$P(Y = y_k | X_1, ..., X_d) = \frac{P(Y = y_k) \prod_i P(X_i | Y = y_k)}{P(X)}$$

- Train the algorithm (estimate  $P(X_i|Y=y_k)$  and  $P(Y=y_k)$ )
- To classify, pick the most probable  $Y^{\text{new}}$  for a new sample  $X^{\text{new}} = (X_1^{\text{new}}, X_2^{\text{new}}, \dots, X_d^{\text{new}})$  as:

$$Y^{\text{new}} \leftarrow \underset{y_k}{\operatorname{argmax}} P(Y = y_k) \prod_i P(X_i^{\text{new}} | Y = y_k)$$

#### Naïve Bayes - Training and Prediction Phase - Discrete $oldsymbol{X}_i$

Training:

- Estimate  $\pi_k \equiv P(Y = y_k)$ , get  $\hat{\pi}_k$
- Estimate  $\theta_{ijk} \equiv P(X_i = x_{ij} | Y = y_k)$ , get  $\hat{\theta}_{ijk}$ 
  - $\theta_{ijk}$  is estimate for each label  $y_k$ :
    - $\circ$  For each variable  $X_i$ :
      - $\circ$  For each value  $x_{ij}$  that  $X_i$  can take.
- Prediction: Classify  $Y^{\text{new}}$   $Y^{\text{new}} = \underset{y_k}{\operatorname{argmax}} P(Y = y_k) \prod_i P(X_i^{\text{new}} = x_j^{\text{new}} | Y = y_k)$   $= \underset{y_k}{\operatorname{argmax}} \pi_k \prod_i \theta_{i, X_i^{\text{new}}, k}$

But... how do we estimate these parameters?

#### Naïve Bayes - Training Phase - Discrete $X_i$ - Maximum (Conditional) Likelihood Estimation

 $P(X|Y=y_k)$  has parameters  $\theta_{ijk}$ , one for each value  $x_{ij}$  of each  $X_i$ .

P(Y) has parameters  $\pi$ .

To follow the MLE principle, we pick the parameters  $\pi$  and  $\theta$  that maximizes the (conditional) likelihood of the data given the parameters.

To estimate:

Compute

$$\hat{\pi}_k = \hat{P}(Y = y_k) = \frac{\#D(Y = y_k)}{|D|}$$

- For each label  $y_k$ :
  - For each variable  $X_i$ :

• For each value 
$$x_{ij}$$
 that  $X_i$  can take, compute: 
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#### Method 2: Maximum A Posteriori Probability Estimation

To follow the MAP principle, pick the parameters  $\theta$  with maximum posterior probability given the conditional likelihood of the data and the prior on  $\theta$ .

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#### Method 2: Maximum A Posteriori Probability Estimation (Beta or Dirichlet priors)

- K: the number of values Y can take
- J: the number of values X can take (we assume here that all  $X_j$  have the same number of possible values, but this can be changed)
- Example prior for  $\pi_k$  where K > 2:
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These priors will act as imaginary examples that smooth the estimated distributions and prevent zero values.

To estimate:

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$$\hat{\pi}_k = \hat{P}(Y = y_k) = \frac{\#D(Y = y_k) + (\beta_{\pi} - 1)}{|D| + K(\beta_{\pi} - 1)}$$

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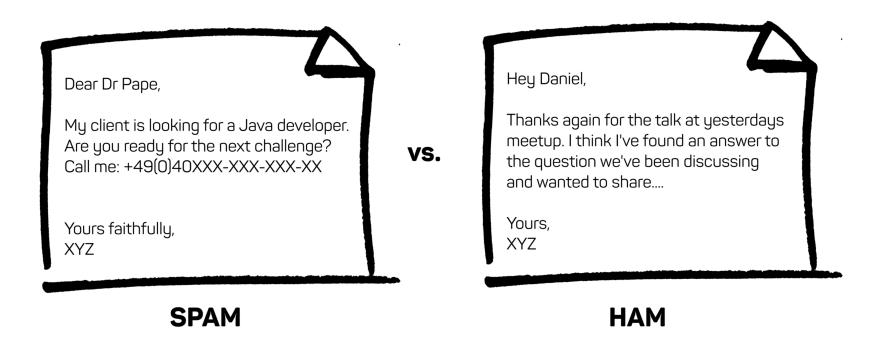
$$\hat{\theta}_{ijk} = \hat{P}(X_i = x_{ij} | Y = y_k)$$

$$= \frac{\#D(X_i = x_{ij} \land Y = y_k) + (\beta_{\theta} - 1)}{\#D(Y = y_k) + J(\beta_{\theta} - 1)}$$

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#### **Example: Text classification**

Classify which emails are spam?



<u>image by Daniel Pape (https://blog.codecentric.de/en/2016/06/spam-classification-using-sparks-dataframes-ml-zeppelin-part-1/)</u>

- Classify which emails promise an attachment?
- Classify which web pages are student home pages?

How shall we represent text documents for Naïve Bayes?

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- Some words always present
- Some words very infrequent
- Doesn't count how often a word appears
- Conditional independence assumption is false...

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- $X = (X_1, X_2, ... X_d)$  = document
- $X_i$  is a random variable describing the word at position i in the document
- possible values for  $X_i$ : any word  $w_k$  in English
- $X_i$  represents the ith word position in document
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#### **Conditional Independence Assumption** very useful:

• reduce problem to only computing  $P(X_i|Y)$  for every  $X_i$ .

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(this is not true of language, but can be a useful assumption for building a classifier)

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Art installation in Gates building (now removed)

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Since all  $X_i$ s have the same distribution, we only have to estimate one parameter per word, per class.

 $P(X|Y = y_k)$  is a multinomial distribution:

$$P(X|Y=y_k) \propto \theta_{1k}^{\alpha_{1k}} \theta_{2k}^{\alpha_{2k}} \dots \theta_{dk}^{\alpha_{dk}}$$

#### **Review of distributions**

$$P(X_i = w_j) \begin{cases} \theta_1, & \text{if } X_i = w_1 \\ \theta_2, & \text{if } X_i = w_2 \\ \dots \\ \theta_k, & \text{if } X_i = w_K \end{cases}$$

Probability of observing a document with  $\alpha_1$  count of  $w_1$ ,  $\alpha_2$  count of  $w_2$  ... is a multinomial:

$$\frac{|D|!}{\alpha_1!\cdots\alpha_I!}\theta_1^{\alpha_1}\theta_2^{\alpha_2}\theta_3^{\alpha_3}\cdots\theta_J^{\alpha_J}$$

#### **Review of distributions**

Dirichlet Prior examples:

if constant across classes and words:

$$P(\theta) = \frac{\theta^{\beta_{\theta}} \theta^{\beta_{\theta}}, \dots \theta^{\beta_{\theta}}}{\text{Beta}(\beta_{\theta}, \beta_{\theta}, \dots, \beta_{\theta})}$$

if constant across classes but different for different words:

$$P(\theta) = \frac{\theta^{\beta_1} \theta^{\beta_2}, \dots \theta^{\beta_J}}{\text{Beta}(\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_J)}$$

• if different for different classes *k* and words:

$$P(\theta_k) = \frac{\theta^{\beta_{1k}} \theta^{\beta_{2k}}, \dots \theta^{\beta_{Jk}}}{\text{Beta}(\beta_{1k}, \beta_{2k}, \dots, \beta_{Jk})}$$

## MAP estimates for Bag of words:

(Dirichlet is the conjugate prior for a multinomial likelihood function)

$$\theta_{jk} = \frac{\alpha_{jk} + \beta_{jk} - 1}{\sum_{m} (\alpha_{mk} + \beta_{mk} - 1)}$$

Again the prior acts like halucinated examples

What  $\beta$ s should we choose?

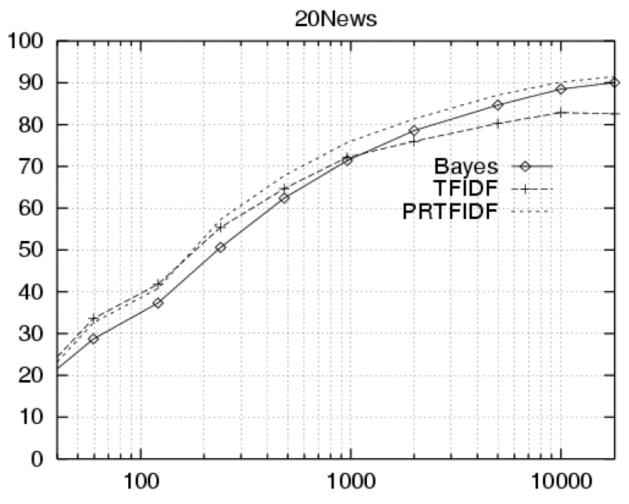
## **Example: Twenty NewsGroups**

For code and data, see www.cs.cmu.edu/~tom/mlbook.html click on "Software and Data".

Can group labels into groups that share priors:

- comp.graphics, comp.os.ms-windows.misc, comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware, comp.sys.max.hardware, comp.windows.x
- misc.forsale
- rec.autos, rec.motorcycles, rec.sport.baseball, rec.sport.hockey
- alt.atheism,
- soc.religion.christian,
- talk.religion.misc, talk.politics.mideast, talk.politics.misc, talk.politics.guns,
- sci.space, sci.crypt, sci.electronics, sci.med
- Naïve Bayes: 89% classification accuracy

# Learning curve for 20 Newsgroups



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

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More recently, algorithms such as LSTMs and Transformers have become very good

- are able to capture the sequential aspect of language and produce more complex representations.
- They do have many parameters, but nowhere as much as we mentioned before (  $10000^{1000}$ ).

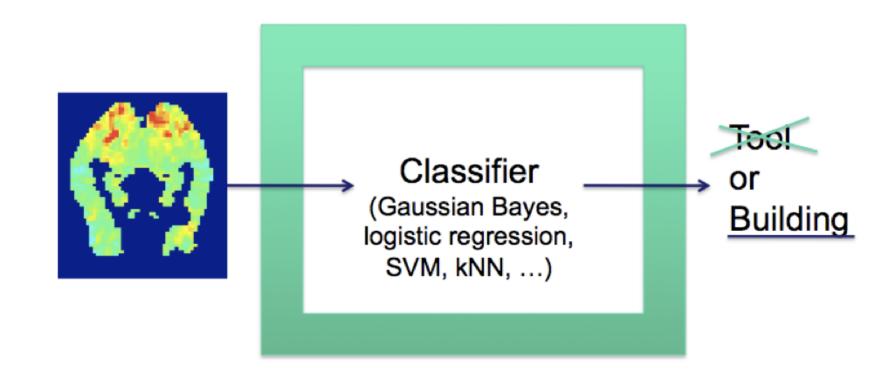
## Continuous $X_i$ s

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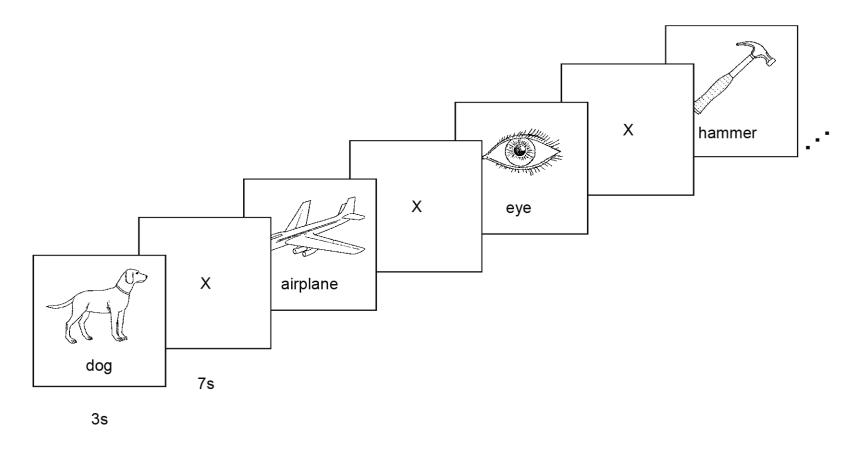
E.g. image classification, where  $X_i$  is real valued

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?



## Stimulus for the study

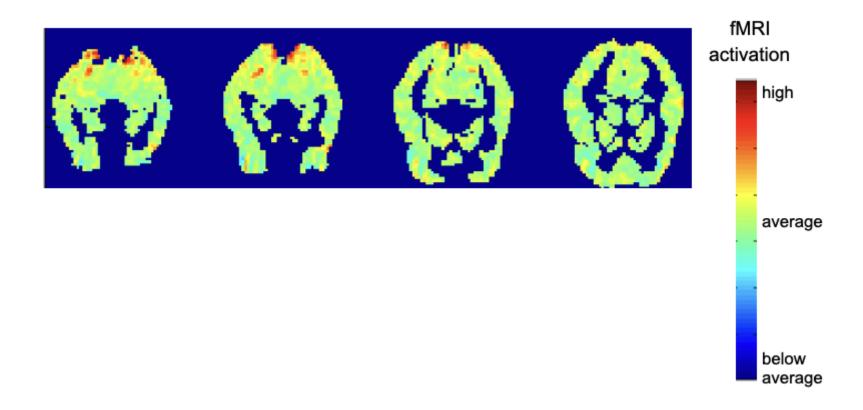


60 distinct exemplars, presented 6 times each

#### Mitchell et al. Science 2008

(https://science.sciencemag.org/content/320/5880/1191.abstract), data available online (https://www.cs.cmu.edu/afs/cs/project/theo-73/www/science2008/data.html).

# Continuous $X_i$



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

 $X_i$  are the voxel activities (voxel = volume pixel).

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

$$P(Y = y_k | X_1, \dots, X_d) = \frac{P(Y = y_k) \prod_i P(X_i | Y = y_k)}{\sum_{\ell} (Y = y_{\ell}) \prod_i P(X_i | Y = y_{\ell})}$$

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What can we do?

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

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

Sometimes assume standard deviation

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

# Gaussian Naïve Bayes Algorithm – continuous $\boldsymbol{X}_i$ (but still discrete Y)

- Training:
  - Estimate  $\pi_k \equiv P(Y = y_k)$
  - Each label  $y_k$ :
    - For each variable  $X_i$  estimate  $P(X_i = x_{ij} | Y = y_k)$ :
      - $\circ$  estimate class conditional mean  $\mu_{ik}$  and standard deviation  $\sigma_{ik}$
- ullet Prediction: Classify  $Y^{
  m new}$

$$Y^{\text{new}} = \underset{y_k}{\operatorname{argmax}} P(Y = y_k) \prod_{i} P(X_i^{\text{new}} = x_j^{\text{new}} | Y = y_k)$$
$$= \underset{y_k}{\operatorname{argmax}} \pi_k \prod_{i} \mathcal{N}(X_i^{\text{new}}; \mu_{ik}, \sigma_{ik})$$

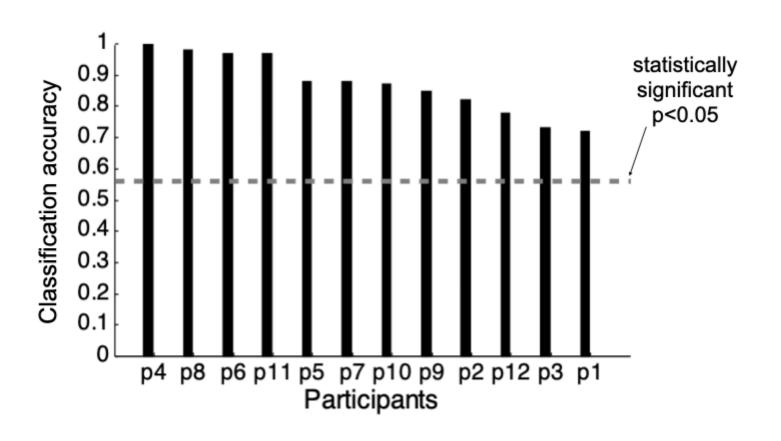
# Estimating Parameters: Y discrete, $X_i$ continuous

$$\hat{\mu}_{ik} = \frac{1}{\sum_{j} \delta(Y^{j} = y_{k})} \sum_{j} X_{i}^{j} \delta(Y^{j} = y_{k})$$

- i: index of feature
- j: index of data point
- k: index of class
- $\delta$  function is 1 if argument is true and 0 otherwise

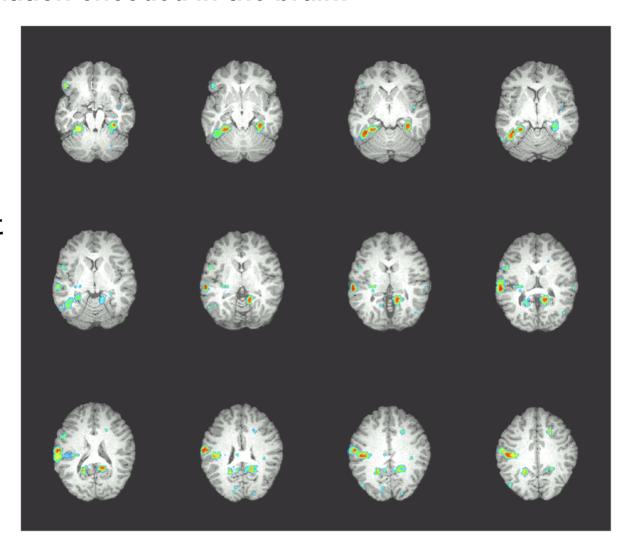
$$\hat{\sigma}_{ik}^2 = \frac{1}{\sum_j \delta(Y^j = y_k)} \sum_j (X_i^j - \hat{\mu}_{ik})^2 \delta(Y^j = y_k)$$

# Classification task: is person viewing a "tool" or "building"?



#### Where is information encoded in the brain?

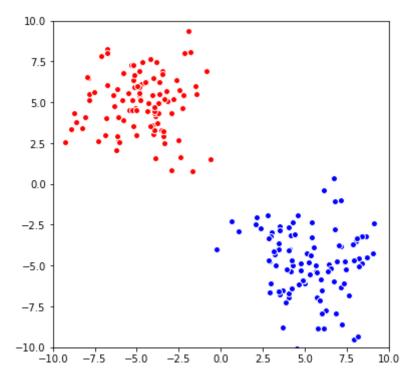
Accuracies of cubical 27-voxel classifiers centered at each significant voxel [0.7-0.8]

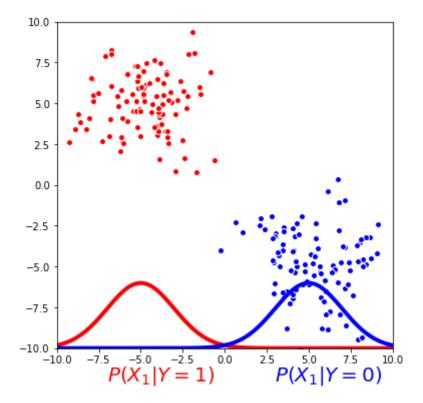


### Let's simulate the behavior of GNB!

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In [1]: | import numpy as np
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         %matplotlib inline
         from scipy.stats import norm
        x1 = np.linspace(-10, 10, 1000)
        x2 = np.linspace(-10, 10, 1000)
         # Assume I know the true parameters, this is not the case usually!
         mu 1 1 = -5; sigma 1 1 = 2
         mu 2 1 = 5; sigma 2 1 = 2
         mu \ 1 \ 0 = 5; sigma \ 1 \ 0 = 2
         mu 2 0 = -5; sigma 2 0 = 2
        # Sample data from these distributions
        X positive = norm.rvs(loc=[mu 1 1,mu 2 1], scale=[sigma 1 1, sigma 2 1], size = (1
        00,2))
         X negative = norm.rvs(loc=[mu 1 0,mu 2 0], scale=[sigma 1 0, sigma 2 0], size = (1
         00,2))
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In [16]: plt.figure(figsize=(6,6))
   plt.scatter(X_positive[:, 0], X_positive[:, 1], facecolors='r', edgecolors='w')
   plt.scatter(X_negative[:, 0], X_negative[:, 1], facecolors='b', edgecolors='w')
   plt.axis([-10,10,-10,10], 'equal');
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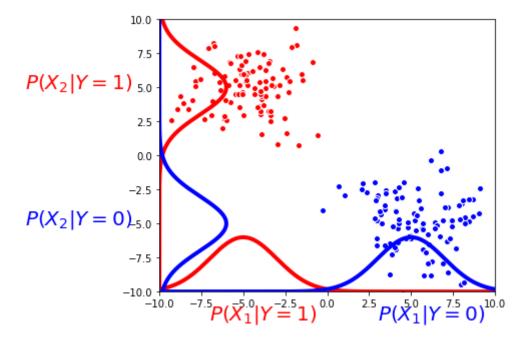




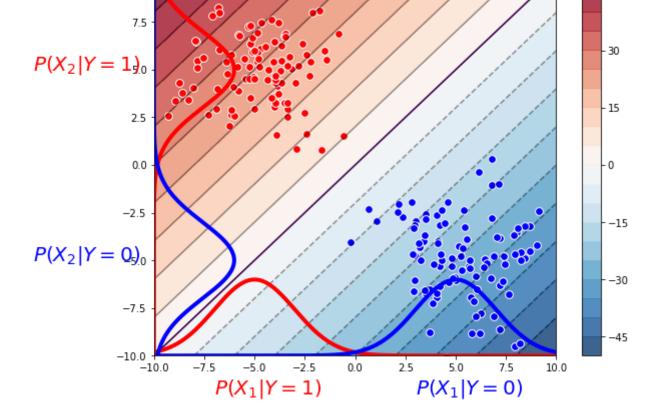
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In [18]: plt.figure(figsize=(6,5))
   plt.scatter(X_positive[:, 0], X_positive[:, 1], facecolors='r', edgecolors='w')
   plt.scatter(X_negative[:, 0], X_negative[:, 1], facecolors='b', edgecolors='w')

lim_plot = 10
   plt.plot(x1,P_X1_1*2*lim_plot-lim_plot,'r',linewidth=4)
   plt.text(-7, -12, r'$P(X_1|Y=1)$', color = 'red',fontsize=20)
   plt.plot(x1,P_X1_0*2*lim_plot-lim_plot,'b',linewidth=4)
   plt.text(3, -12, r'$P(X_1|Y=0)$', color = 'blue',fontsize=20)
   plt.plot(P_X2_1*2*lim_plot-lim_plot,x1,'r',linewidth=4)
   plt.text(-18,5, r'$P(X_2|Y=1)$', color = 'red',fontsize=20)
   plt.plot(P_X2_0*2*lim_plot-lim_plot,x1,'b',linewidth=4)
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#### Out[18]: [-10, 10, -10, 10]



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In [20]:
         plt.figure(figsize=(9,7))
         # plot contour plot
         cs = plt.contourf(X1, X2, fX,20,cmap='RdBu r',alpha=0.8);
         plt.colorbar()
         contours = plt.contour(cs, colors='k',alpha=0.4) # this redraws the lines in black
         plt.contour(contours,levels=[0],linewidth=5) # this makes the 0 line wider
         # previous stuff
         plt.scatter(X_positive[:, 0], X positive[:, 1], facecolors='r', edgecolors='w', s=60
         plt.scatter(X negative[:, 0], X negative[:, 1], facecolors='b', edgecolors='w', s=60
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         plt.plot(P X2 1*2*lim plot-lim plot,x1,'r',linewidth=4)
         plt.text(-16.5, r'$P(X 2|Y=1)$', color = 'red', fontsize=20)
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In [23]:
         def plot GNB(X positive, X negative, params):
              pY0 = 0.5; pY1 = 1 - pY0
              P X1 1 = norm.pdf(x1,params['mu 1 1'],params['sigma 1 1'])
             P X2 1 = norm.pdf(x1,params['mu 2 1'],params['sigma 2 1'])
             P X1 0 = norm.pdf(x1,params['mu 1 0'],params['sigma 1 0'])
             P X2 0 = norm.pdf(x1,params['mu 2 0'],params['sigma 2 0'])
              X1,X2 = np.meshgrid(x1, x2)
              # faster way to compute the log ratio, or can use fX = ratio log updated(X1,X
          2, params)
              fX = np.log(pY1/pY0) + np.log(P X1 1.reshape([1000,1]).dot(P_X2_1.reshape([1,1]))
         0001))/
                                       P X1 0.reshape([1000,1]).dot(P X2 0.reshape([1,1000
         1)))
              plt.figure(figsize=(10,8))
              # plot contour plot
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              plt.colorbar()
              contours = plt.contour(cs, colors='k',alpha=0.4)
              plt.contour(contours,levels=[0],linewidth=5)
              plt.scatter(X positive[:, 0], X positive[:, 1], facecolors='r', edgecolors='w', s=
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# The features $X_1$ and $X_2$ in the simulation where conditionally independent

What if:

- we make them dependent (use a non-diagonal covariance matrix to sample multivariate gaussian)
- We still use conditional independence as an assumption for GNB

1st: case where same variance

```
In []: from scipy.stats import multivariate_normal

# Same param as before
mu_1_1 = -5; sigma_1_1 = 2; mu_2_1 = 5; sigma_2_1 = 2
mu_1_0 = 5; sigma_1_0 = 2; mu_2_0 = -5; sigma_2_0 = 2

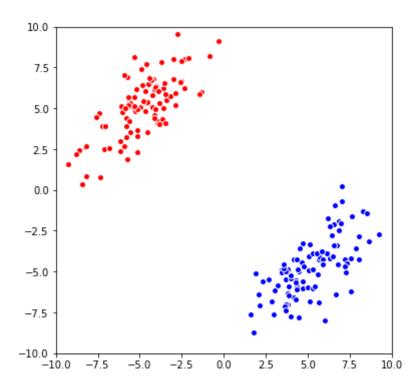
cov_positive = np.array([[sigma_1_1**2,3], [3,sigma_2_1**2]])
cov_negative = np.array([[sigma_1_0**2,3], [3,sigma_2_0**2]]))

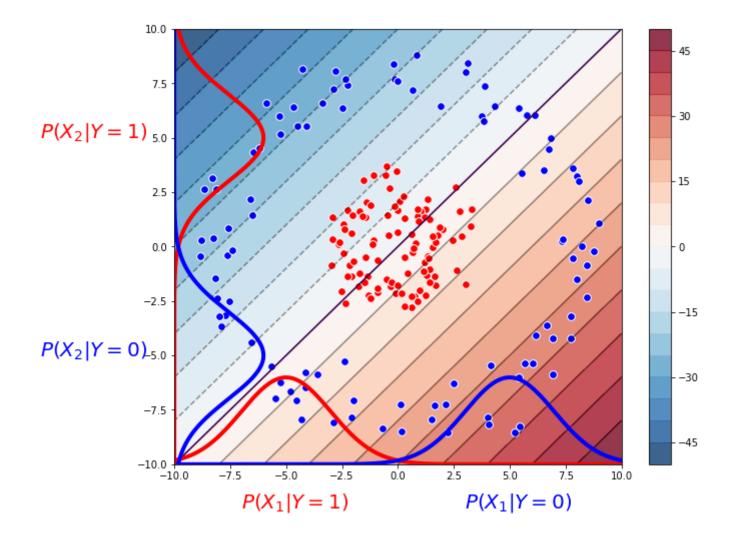
print(cov_positive)

# Sample data from these distributions
X_positive = multivariate_normal.rvs(mean=[mu_1_1,mu_2_1],cov=cov_positive,size=(1 00))
X_negative = multivariate_normal.rvs(mean=[mu_1_0,mu_2_0],cov=cov_negative,size=(1 00))
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In [20]: plt.figure(figsize=(6,6))
   plt.scatter(X_positive[:, 0], X_positive[:, 1], facecolors='r', edgecolors='w')
   plt.scatter(X_negative[:, 0], X_negative[:, 1], facecolors='b', edgecolors='w')
   plt.axis([-10,10,-10,10],'equal');
```

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In [22]: # Estimate

mu_1_1, mu_2_1 = np.mean(X_positive,axis=0)
mu_1_0, mu_2_0 = np.mean(X_negative,axis=0)

# Same Variance!

sigma_1_1, sigma_2_1 = np.std(X_positive,axis=0)
sigma_1_0, sigma_2_0 = np.std(X_negative,axis=0)
print(sigma_1_1, sigma_2_1)
print(sigma_1_0, sigma_2_0)
```

1.7556505128707445 1.830266323858797 1.8626233472002263 1.9122394301165095

## Is GNB a linear separator?

• It depends on whether we allow it to learn different standard deviations for each class

**Decision rule:** 

$$\ln \frac{P(Y=1|X_1...X_d)}{P(Y=0|X_1...X_d)} = \ln \frac{P(Y=1)}{P(Y=0)} + \sum_i \ln \frac{P(X_i|Y=1)}{P(X_i|Y=0)} > \text{ or } < 0?$$

If  $X_i$ s are  $\mathcal{N}(\mu_{ik}, \sigma_{ik})$ :

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

$$\ln \frac{P(Y=1|X_1...X_d)}{P(Y=0|X_1...X_d)} = \ln \frac{P(Y=1)}{P(Y=0)} + \sum_{i} \ln \frac{P(X_i|Y=1)}{P(X_i|Y=0)}$$
$$= \ln \frac{P(Y=1)}{P(Y=0)} + \sum_{i} \ln \frac{\sigma_{i0}}{\sigma_{i1}} + G(X)$$

$$G(X) = \sum_{i} \ln \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \frac{(x_{i} - \mu_{i1})^{2}}{\sigma_{i1}^{2}} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{(x_{i} - \mu_{i0})^{2}}{\sigma_{i0}^{2}}\right)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i} \left(x_{i}^{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_{i1}^{2}} - \frac{1}{\sigma_{i0}^{2}}\right) - 2x_{i} \left(\frac{\mu_{i1}}{\sigma_{i1}^{2}} - \frac{\mu_{i0}}{\sigma_{i0}^{2}}\right) + \left(\frac{\mu_{i1}^{2}}{\sigma_{i1}^{2}} - \frac{\mu_{i0}^{2}}{\sigma_{i0}^{2}}\right)\right)$$

What happens if we force  $\sigma_{i0} = \sigma_{i1}$ ?

• We get a linear decision boundary. Otherwise, it's a quadratic decision boundary.

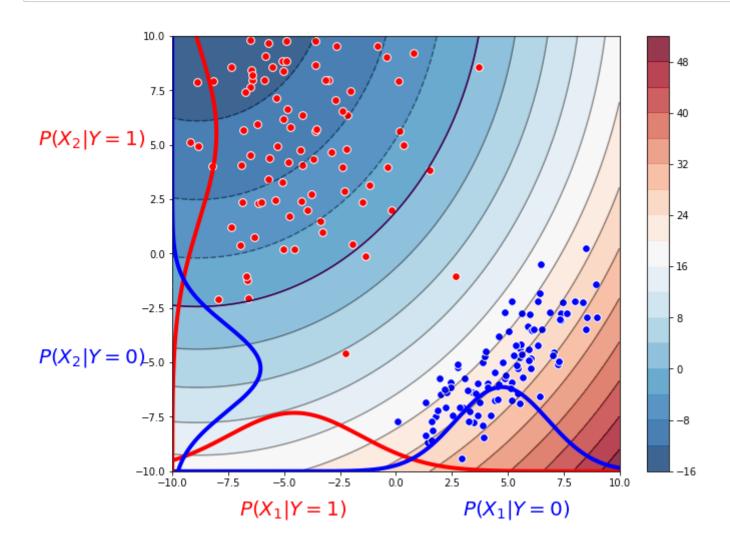
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In []: # Same param as before
    mu_1_1 = -5; sigma_1_1 = 2
    mu_2_1 = 5; sigma_2_1 = 2
    mu_1_0 = 5; sigma_1_0 = 2
    mu_2_0 = -5; sigma_2_0 = 2

cov_positive = np.array([[sigma_1_1**2,3], [3,sigma_2_1**2]])
    cov_negative = np.array([[sigma_1_0**2,3], [3,sigma_2_0**2]]))

# Sample data from these distributions
X_positive = multivariate_normal.rvs(mean=[mu_1_1,mu_2_1], cov=cov_positive, size = (100))
X_negative = multivariate_normal.rvs(mean=[mu_1_0,mu_2_0], cov=cov_negative, size = (100))
```

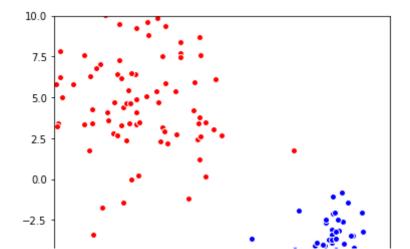
```
In [28]: params = dict()
# Estimate - Different variance because of limited sample size
params['mu_1_1'], params['mu_2_1'] = np.mean(X_positive,axis=0)
params['sigma_1_1'], params['sigma_2_1'] = np.std(X_positive,axis=0)
params['mu_1_0'], params['mu_2_0'] = np.mean(X_negative,axis=0)
params['sigma_1_0'], params['sigma_2_0'] = np.std(X_negative,axis=0)
```

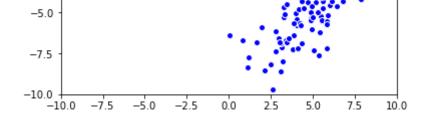
In [29]: plot\_GNB(X\_positive,X\_negative,params)



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In [40]:
         # Let's set up another example in which the variances are actually different
         mu 1 1 = -5; sigma 1 1 = 3
         mu 2 1 = 5; sigma 2 1 = 4
         mu \ 1 \ 0 = 5; sigma 1 \ 0 = 2
         mu 2 0 = -5; sigma 2 0 = 2
         cov positive = np.array([[sigma 1 1**2,3], [3,sigma 2 1**2]])
         cov negative = np.array([[sigma 1 0**2,3], [3,sigma 2 0**2]])
         # Sample data from these distributions
         X positive = multivariate normal.rvs(mean=[mu 1 1,mu 2 1],cov=cov positive,size=(1
         00))
         X negative = multivariate normal.rvs(mean=[mu 1 0,mu 2 0],cov=cov negative,size=(1
         00))
         plt.figure(figsize=(6,6))
         plt.scatter(X positive[:, 0], X positive[:, 1], facecolors='r', edgecolors='w')
         plt.scatter(X negative[:, 0], X negative[:, 1], facecolors='b', edgecolors='w')
         plt.axis([-10,10,-10,10], 'equal')
```

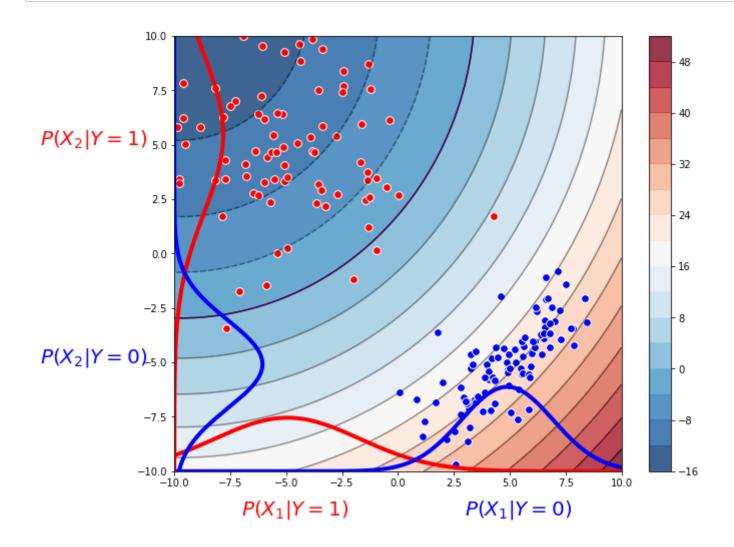
#### Out[40]: [-10, 10, -10, 10]





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In [41]: params = dict()
# Estimate - Different variance
params['mu_1_1'], params['mu_2_1'] = np.mean(X_positive,axis=0)
params['sigma_1_1'], params['sigma_2_1'] = np.std(X_positive,axis=0)
params['mu_1_0'], params['mu_2_0'] = np.mean(X_negative,axis=0)
params['sigma_1_0'], params['sigma_2_0'] = np.std(X_negative,axis=0)
```

In [42]: | plot\_GNB(X\_positive,X\_negative,params)



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In [43]: from sklearn import datasets

plt.figure(figsize=(5,5))
X, y = datasets.make_circles(n_samples=200, factor=.25, noise=.1)

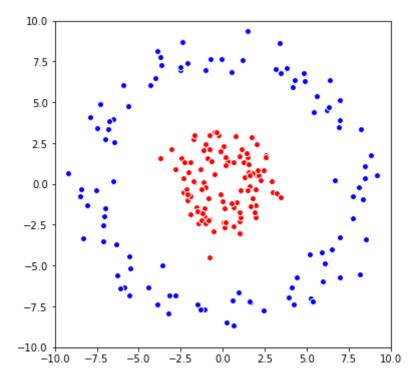
# scale
X_positive = X[y==1]*8
X_negative = X[y==0]*8
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<Figure size 360x360 with 0 Axes>

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In [44]: plt.figure(figsize=(6,6))

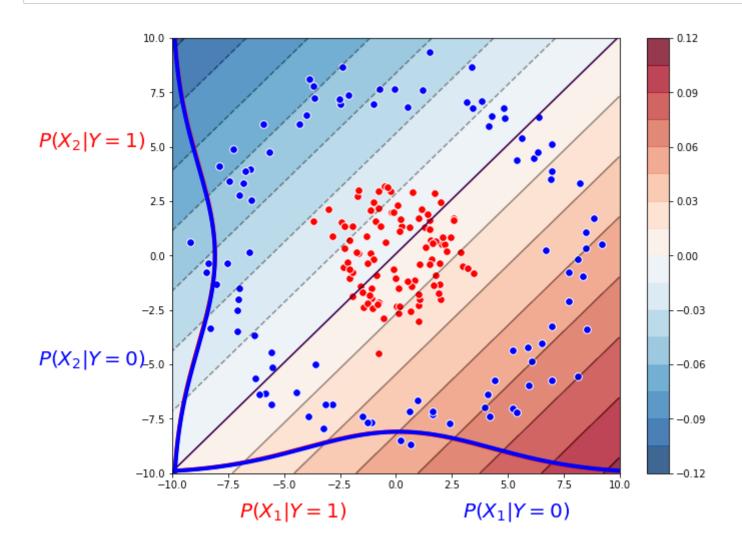
plt.scatter(X_positive[:, 0], X_positive[:, 1], facecolors='r', edgecolors='w')
plt.scatter(X_negative[:, 0], X_negative[:, 1], facecolors='b', edgecolors='w')
plt.axis([-10,10,-10,10], 'equal')
```

#### Out[44]: [-10, 10, -10, 10]



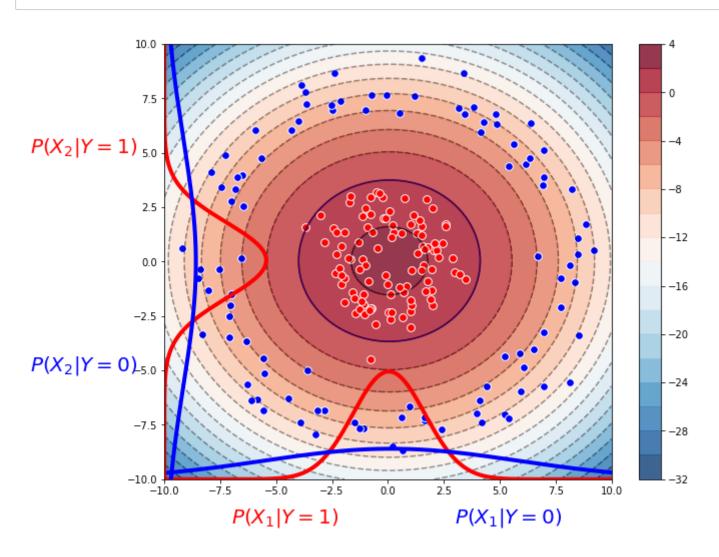
```
In [45]: params = dict()
# Artificially force same variances
params['mu_1_1'], params['mu_2_1'] = np.mean(X_positive,axis=0)
params['sigma_1_1'], params['sigma_2_1'] = np.std(np.vstack([X_positive,X_negative]),axis=0)
params['mu_1_0'], params['mu_2_0'] = np.mean(X_negative,axis=0)
params['sigma_1_0'], params['sigma_2_0'] = np.std(np.vstack([X_positive,X_negative]),axis=0)
```

In [46]: plot\_GNB(X\_positive,X\_negative,params)



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In [47]: params = dict()
# Estimate - Different variance
params['mu_1_1'], params['mu_2_1'] = np.mean(X_positive,axis=0)
params['sigma_1_1'], params['sigma_2_1'] = np.std(X_positive,axis=0)
params['mu_1_0'], params['mu_2_0'] = np.mean(X_negative,axis=0)
params['sigma_1_0'], params['sigma_2_0'] = np.std(X_negative,axis=0)
```

In [48]: | plot\_GNB(X\_positive,X\_negative,params)



## The last example is a case where the conditional independence assumption is incorrect

• but GNB does very well

## What you should know

Naïve Bayes classifier

- What's the assumption
- Why we use it
- How do we learn it
- The different observations we made about it
- Why is Bayesian estimation important