

# Naïve Bayes and Logistic Regression

Required reading:

- Mitchell draft chapter (see course website)

Recommended reading:

- Mitchell, 6.10 (text learning example)
- Bishop, Chapter 3.1.3, 3.1.4
- Ng and Jordan paper

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- Design learning algorithms based on our understanding of probability
- Two of the most widely used
- Interesting relationship between these two
- Generative and Discriminative classifiers

# Bayes Rule

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Random variable

It's  $i$ th possible value

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Equivalently:

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Common abbreviation:

$$(\forall i, j) P(y_i | x_j) = \frac{P(x_j | y_i) P(y_i)}{P(x_j)}$$

# Bayes Classifier

Training data:

$X$						$Y$
Sky	Temp	Humid	Wind	Water	Forecst	EnjoySpt
Sunny	Warm	Normal	Strong	Warm	Same	Yes
Sunny	Warm	High	Strong	Warm	Same	Yes
Rainy	Cold	High	Strong	Warm	Change	No
Sunny	Warm	High	Strong	Cool	Change	Yes

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Learning = estimating  $P(X|Y)$ ,  $P(Y)$

Classification = using Bayes rule to calculate  $P(Y | X^{\text{new}})$

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Full joint  $P(X_1 \dots X_n | Y)$   
usually impractical!

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# Naïve Bayes

Naïve Bayes assumes

$X = \langle X_1, \dots, X_n \rangle$ ,  $Y$  discrete-valued

$$P(X_1 \dots X_n | Y) = \prod_i P(X_i | Y)$$

i.e., that  $X_i$  and  $X_j$  are conditionally independent given  $Y$ , for all  $i \neq j$

# Conditional Independence

Definition: X is conditionally independent of Y given Z, if the probability distribution governing X is independent of the value of Y, given the value of Z

$$(\forall i, j, k) P(X = x_i | Y = y_j, Z = z_k) = P(X = x_i | Z = z_k)$$

Which we often write

$$P(X|Y, Z) = P(X|Z)$$

E.g.,

$$P(\textit{Thunder} | \textit{Rain}, \textit{Lightning}) = P(\textit{Thunder} | \textit{Lightning})$$

Naïve Bayes uses assumption that the  $X_i$  are conditionally independent, given  $Y$

then:

$$\begin{aligned} P(X_1, X_2|Y) &= P(X_1|X_2, Y)P(X_2|Y) \\ &= P(X_1|Y)P(X_2|Y) \end{aligned}$$

$$P(X_1 \dots X_n|Y) = \prod_i P(X_i|Y)$$

How many parameters needed now for  $P(X|Y)$ ?  $P(Y)$ ?

$$\theta_{ij} \equiv P(X = x_i|Y = y_j) \quad \pi_j \equiv P(Y = y_j)$$

# Naïve Bayes classification

Bayes rule:

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

Assuming conditional independence:

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

So, classification rule for  $X^{new} = \langle X_1, \dots, X_n \rangle$  is:

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

# Naïve Bayes Algorithm

- Train Naïve Bayes (examples)

for each\* value  $y_k$

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

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

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

- Classify ( $X^{new}$ )

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

\* parameters must sum to 1

# Estimating Parameters: $Y, X_i$ discrete-valued

Maximum likelihood estimates:

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

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

MAP estimates (uniform Dirichlet priors):

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

$$\hat{\theta}_{ijk} = \hat{P}(X_i = x_{ij}|Y = y_k) = \frac{\#D\{X_i = x_{ij} \wedge Y = y_k\} + l}{\#D\{Y = y_k\} + lM}$$

# Naive Bayes: Example

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Consider *PlayTennis* again, and new instance

$\langle \text{Outlk} = \text{sun}, \text{Temp} = \text{cool}, \text{Humid} = \text{high}, \text{Wind} = \text{strong} \rangle$

Want to compute:

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

$$P(y) P(\text{sun}|y) P(\text{cool}|y) P(\text{high}|y) P(\text{strong}|y) = .005$$

$$P(n) P(\text{sun}|n) P(\text{cool}|n) P(\text{high}|n) P(\text{strong}|n) = .021$$

$$\rightarrow Y^{new} = n$$

# Learning to classify text documents

- Classify which emails are spam
- Classify which emails are meeting invites
- Classify which web pages are student home pages

How shall we represent text documents for Naïve Bayes?



## Article from rec.sport.hockey

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Path: cantaloupe.srv.cs.cmu.edu!das-news.harvard.e  
From: xxx@yyy.zzz.edu (John Doe)  
Subject: Re: This year's biggest and worst (opinion)  
Date: 5 Apr 93 09:53:39 GMT

I can only comment on the Kings, but the most obvious candidate for pleasant surprise is Alex Zhitnik. He came highly touted as a defensive defenseman, but he's clearly much more than that. Great skater and hard shot (though wish he were more accurate). In fact, he pretty much allowed the Kings to trade away that huge defensive liability Paul Coffey. Kelly Hrudefy is only the biggest disappointment if you thought he was any good to begin with. But, at best, he's only a mediocre goaltender. A better choice would be Tomas Sandstrom, though not through any fault of his own, but because some thugs in Toronto decided

# Learning to Classify Text

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Target concept *Interesting?* : *Document*  $\rightarrow \{+, -\}$

1. Represent each document by vector of words
  - one attribute per word position in document
2. Learning: Use training examples to estimate
  - $P(+)$
  - $P(-)$
  - $P(doc|+)$
  - $P(doc|-)$

Naive Bayes conditional independence assumption

$$P(doc|v_j) = \prod_{i=1}^{length(doc)} P(a_i = w_k|v_j)$$

where  $P(a_i = w_k|v_j)$  is probability that word in position  $i$  is  $w_k$ , given  $v_j$

one more assumption:

$$P(a_i = w_k|v_j) = P(a_m = w_k|v_j), \forall i, m$$

# Baseline: Bag of Words Approach

the world of

**TOTAL**



**all about the company**

Our energy exploration, production, and distribution operations span the globe, with activities in more than 100 countries.

At TOTAL, we draw our greatest strength from our fast-growing oil and gas reserves. Our strategic emphasis on natural gas provides a strong position in a rapidly expanding market.

Our expanding refining and marketing operations in Asia and the Mediterranean Rim complement already solid positions in Europe, Africa, and the U.S.

Our growing specialty chemicals sector adds balance and profit to the core energy business.

► All About The Company

- Global Activities
- Corporate Structure
- TOTAL's Story
- Upstream Strategy
- Downstream Strategy
- Chemicals Strategy
- TOTAL Foundation
- Homepage



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

# Twenty NewsGroups

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

comp.graphics	misc.forsale
comp.os.ms-windows.misc	rec.autos
comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware	rec.motorcycles
comp.sys.mac.hardware	rec.sport.baseball
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

## LEARN\_NAIVE\_BAYES\_TEXT(*Examples*, *V*)

1. collect all words and other tokens that occur in *Examples*

- *Vocabulary*  $\leftarrow$  all distinct words and other tokens in *Examples*

2. calculate the required  $P(v_j)$  and  $P(w_k|v_j)$  probability terms

- For each target value  $v_j$  in *V* do

- $docs_j \leftarrow$  subset of *Examples* for which the target value is  $v_j$

- $P(v_j) \leftarrow \frac{|docs_j|}{|Examples|}$

- $Text_j \leftarrow$  a single document created by concatenating all members of  $docs_j$

- $n \leftarrow$  total number of words in  $Text_j$  (counting duplicate words multiple times)

- for each word  $w_k$  in *Vocabulary*

- \*  $n_k \leftarrow$  number of times word  $w_k$  occurs in  $Text_j$

- \*  $P(w_k|v_j) \leftarrow \frac{n_k+1}{n+|Vocabulary|}$

For code, see

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

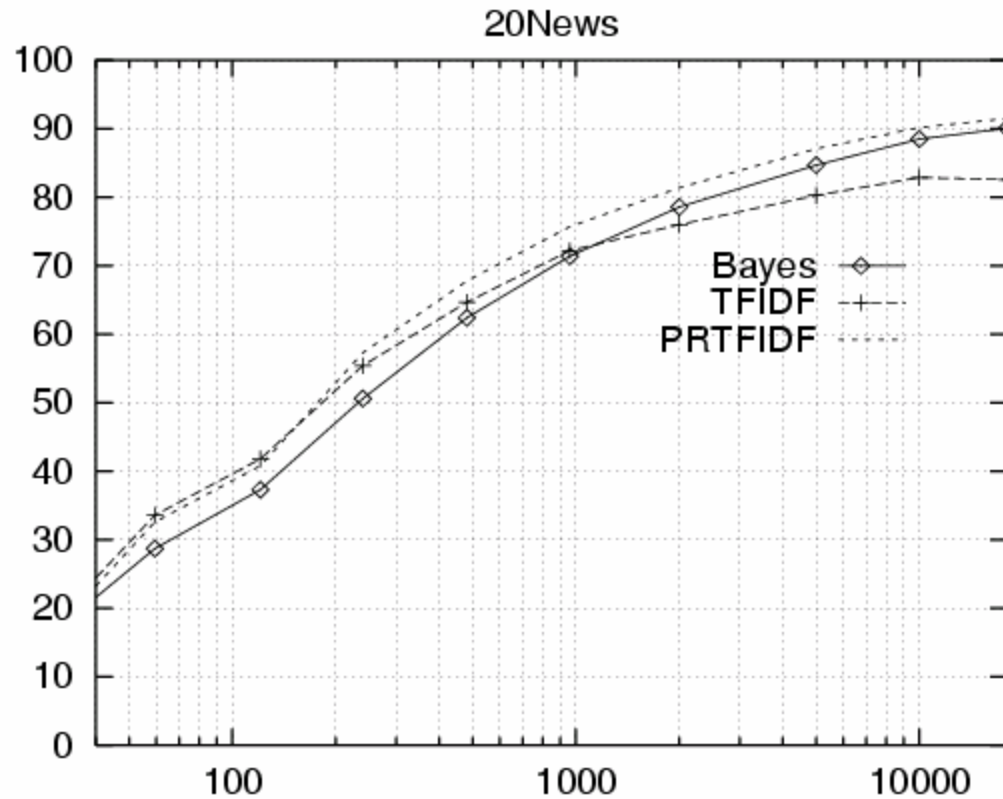
CLASSIFY\_NAIVE\_BAYES\_TEXT(*Doc*)

- *positions*  $\leftarrow$  all word positions in *Doc* that contain tokens found in *Vocabulary*
- Return  $v_{NB}$ , where

$$v_{NB} = \operatorname{argmax}_{v_j \in V} P(v_j) \prod_{i \in \text{positions}} P(a_i | v_j)$$

# Learning Curve for 20 Newsgroups

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

# What if we have continuous $X_i$ ?

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

Gaussian Naïve Bayes (GNB): assume

$$P(X_i = x \mid Y = y_k) = \frac{1}{\sigma_{ik}\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu_{ik})^2}{2\sigma_{ik}^2}}$$

Sometimes assume variance

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



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

Maximum likelihood estimates:

jth training example

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

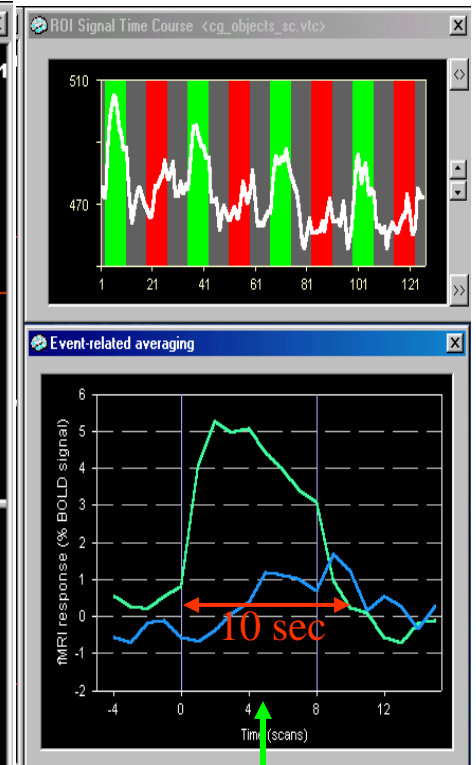
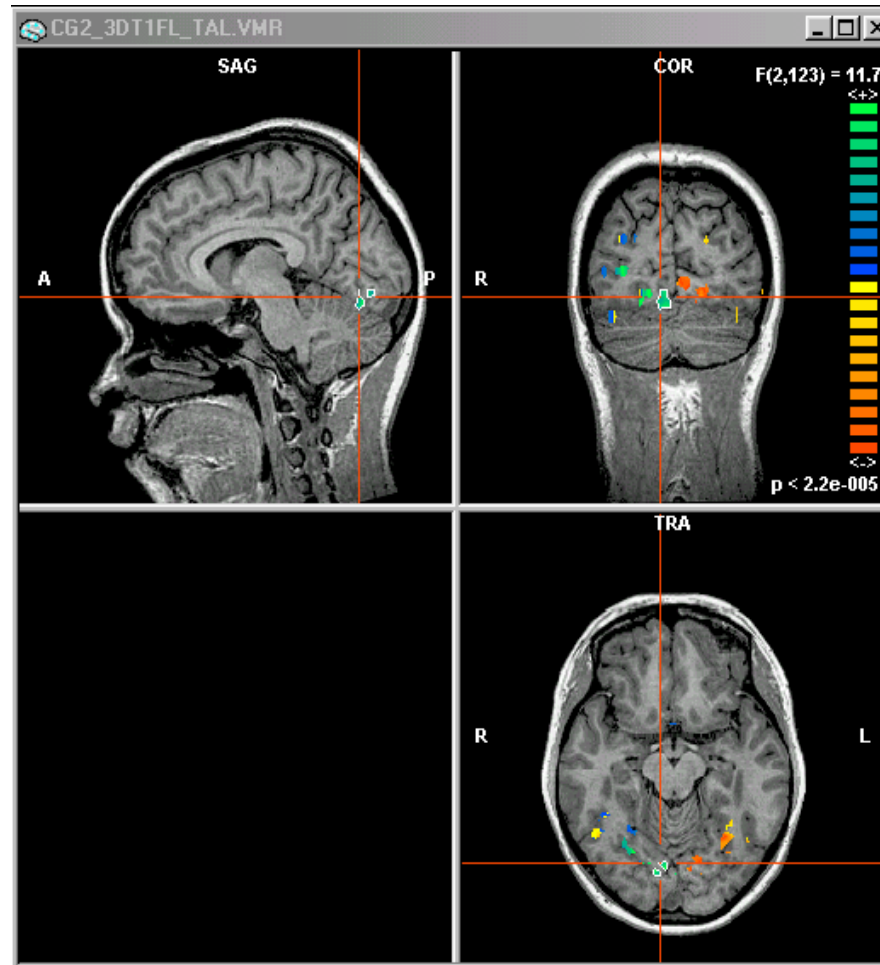
$\delta(x)=1$  if  $x$  true,  
else 0

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

# Example: GNB for classifying mental states

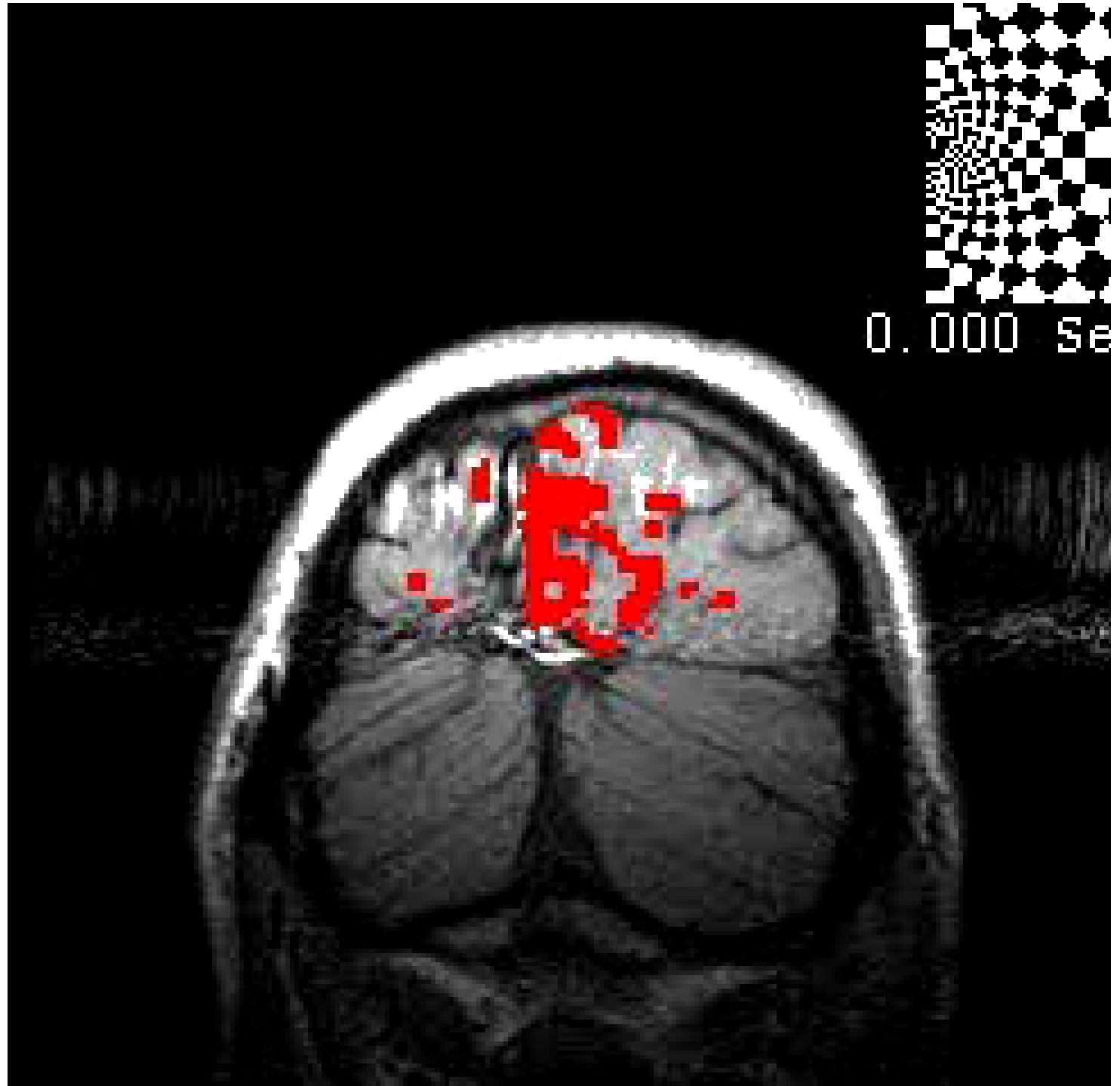
**~1 mm resolution**  
**~2 images per sec.**  
**15,000 voxels/image**  
**non-invasive, safe**

**measures Blood  
Oxygen Level  
Dependent (BOLD)  
response**

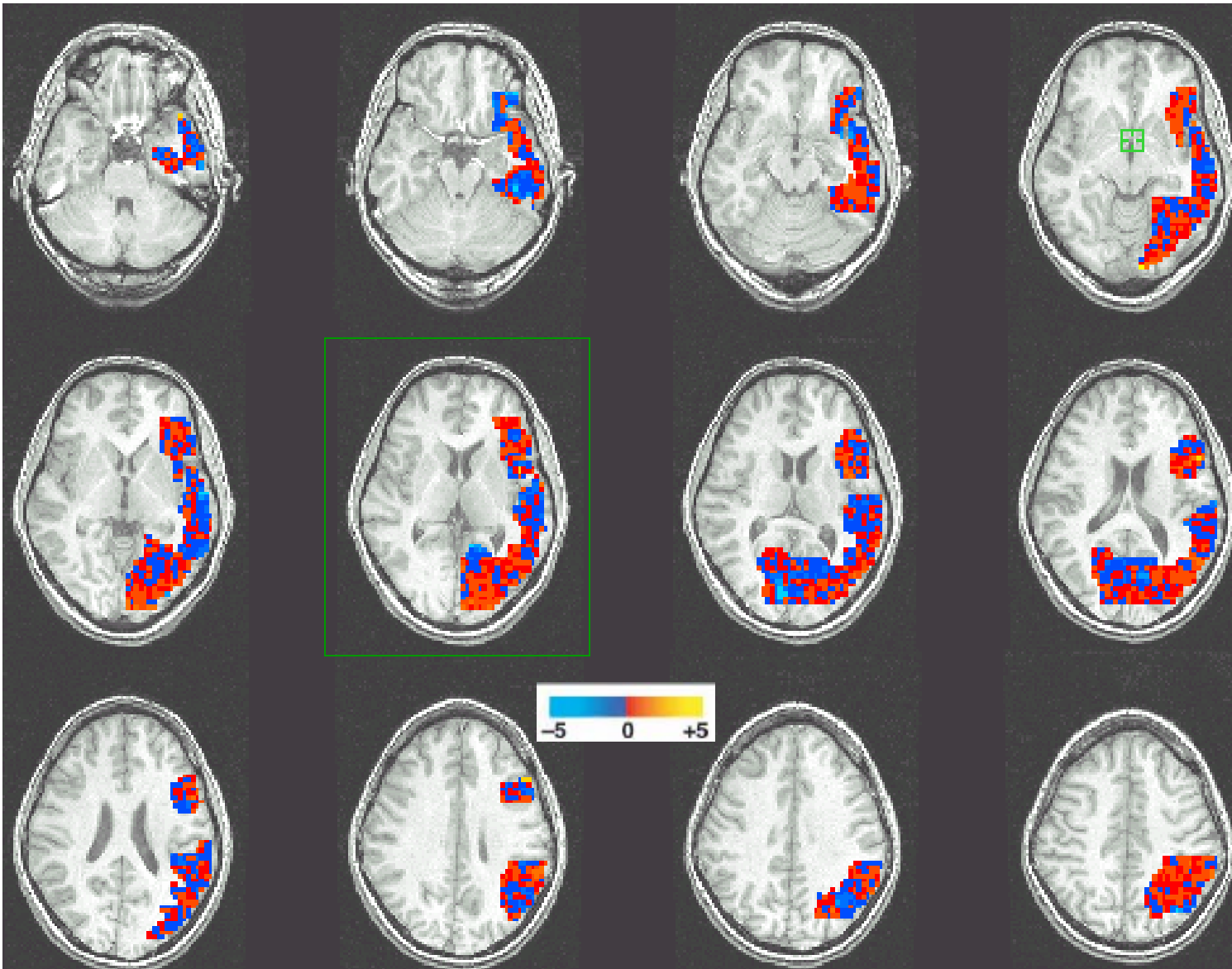


**Typical  
impulse  
response**

Brain scans can track activation with precision and sensitivity



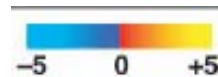
# Gaussian Naïve Bayes: Learned $\mu_{\text{voxel}, \text{word}}$ $P(\text{BrainActivity} \mid \text{WordCategory} = \text{People})$



# Learned Bayes Models – Means for $P(\text{BrainActivity} \mid \text{WordCategory})$

Pairwise classification accuracy: 85%

People words



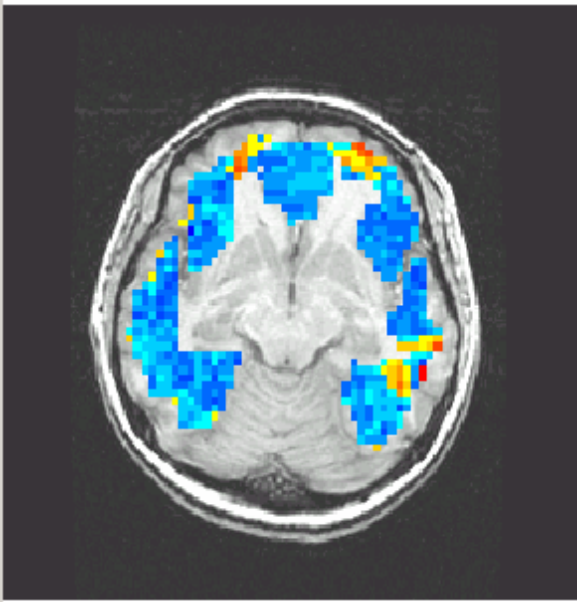
Animal words



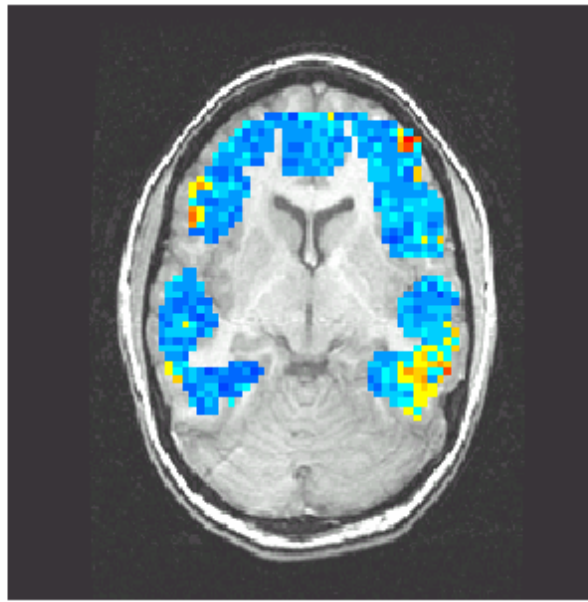
Plot of single-voxel classification accuracies.

Gaussian naïve Bayes classifier

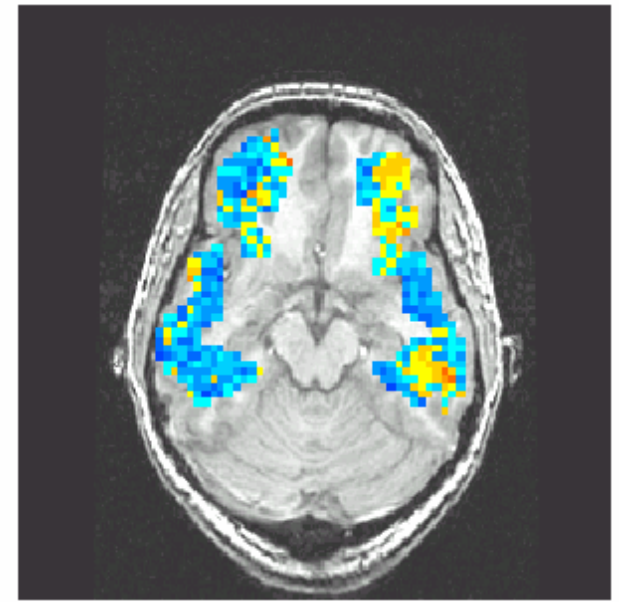
(yellow and red are most predictive).



Subject 1



Subject 2



Subject 3

## What you should know:

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- Learning (generative) classifiers based on Bayes rule
- Conditional independence
  - What it is
  - Why it's important
- Naïve Bayes assumption and its consequences
- Naïve Bayes with discrete inputs, continuous inputs