

# Linear Discriminant Analysis, Naïve Bayes Classifiers

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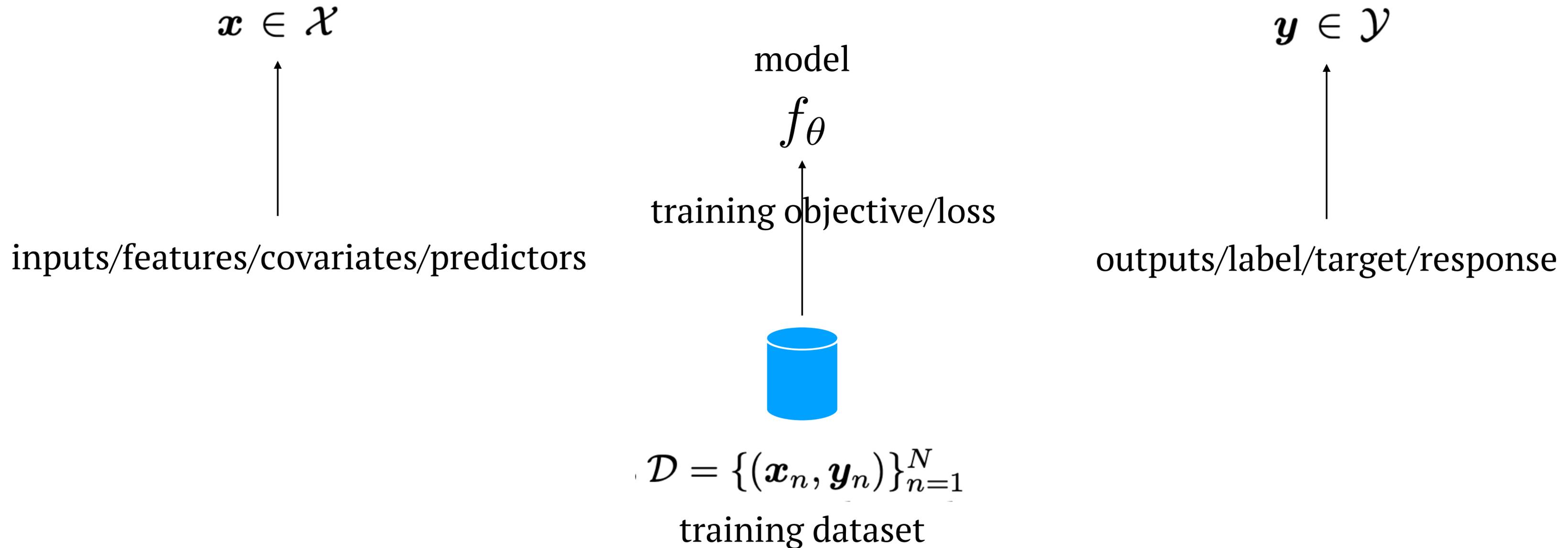
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# Recap: Supervised Learning in a Nutshell



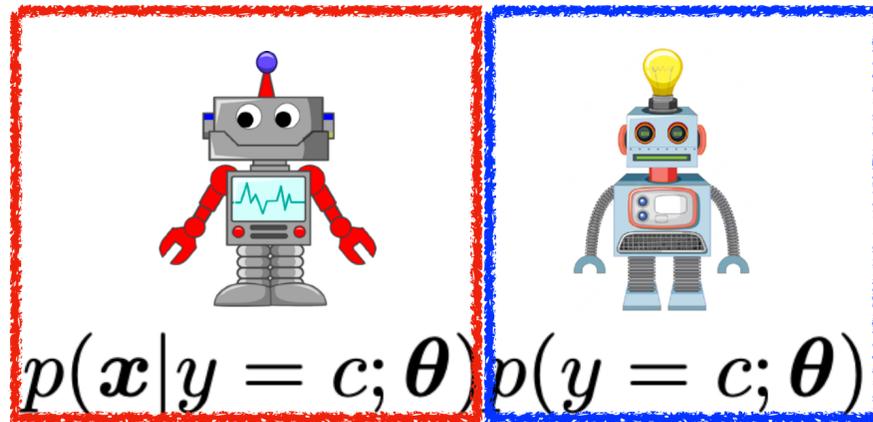
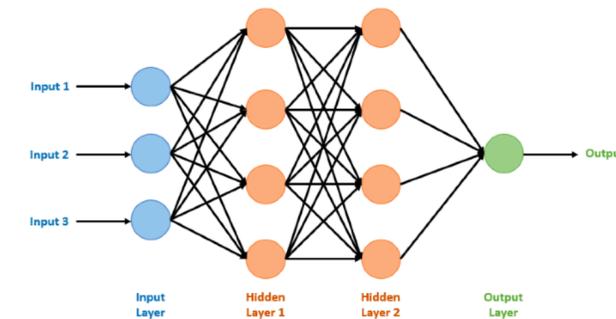
# Building a Classifier

$$p(y = c | \mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) =$$



for example

$$\sigma(b + w_0x_0 + w_1x_1 + \dots + w_{n-1}x_{n-1} + w_nx_n)$$



$$p(y = c | \mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) =$$

$$\frac{p(\mathbf{x} | y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta}) p(y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta})}{\sum_{c'} p(\mathbf{x} | y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta}) p(y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta})}$$

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On Discriminative vs. Generative classifiers: A comparison of logistic regression and naive Bayes

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(Ng and Jordan, 2001)

# Bayes' rule

$$p(H = h|Y = y) = \frac{p(H = h)p(Y = y|H = h)}{p(Y = y)}$$

**prior distribution** — what we know about possible values of H before we see any data

$$p(H)$$

**observation distribution** — possible outcomes Y we expect to see if H =h

$$p(Y|H = h)$$

**likelihood** — evaluate the observation distribution at a point corresponding to the actual observations, y

$$p(Y = y|H = h)$$

**marginal likelihood**

$$p(Y = y) = \sum_{h' \in \mathcal{H}} p(H = h')p(Y = y|H = h') = \sum_{h' \in \mathcal{H}} p(H = h', Y = y)$$

**posterior** — our new belief state about the possible value of H

$$p(H = h|Y = y)$$

# Generative Classifier

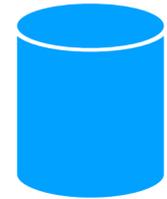
$$p(y = c | \mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{p(\mathbf{x} | y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta})p(y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta})}{\sum_{c'} p(\mathbf{x} | y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta})p(y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta})}$$

Why the word “generative”?

It specifies a way to generate the features  $\mathbf{x}$  for each class  $c$ , by sampling from  $p(\mathbf{x} | y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta})$

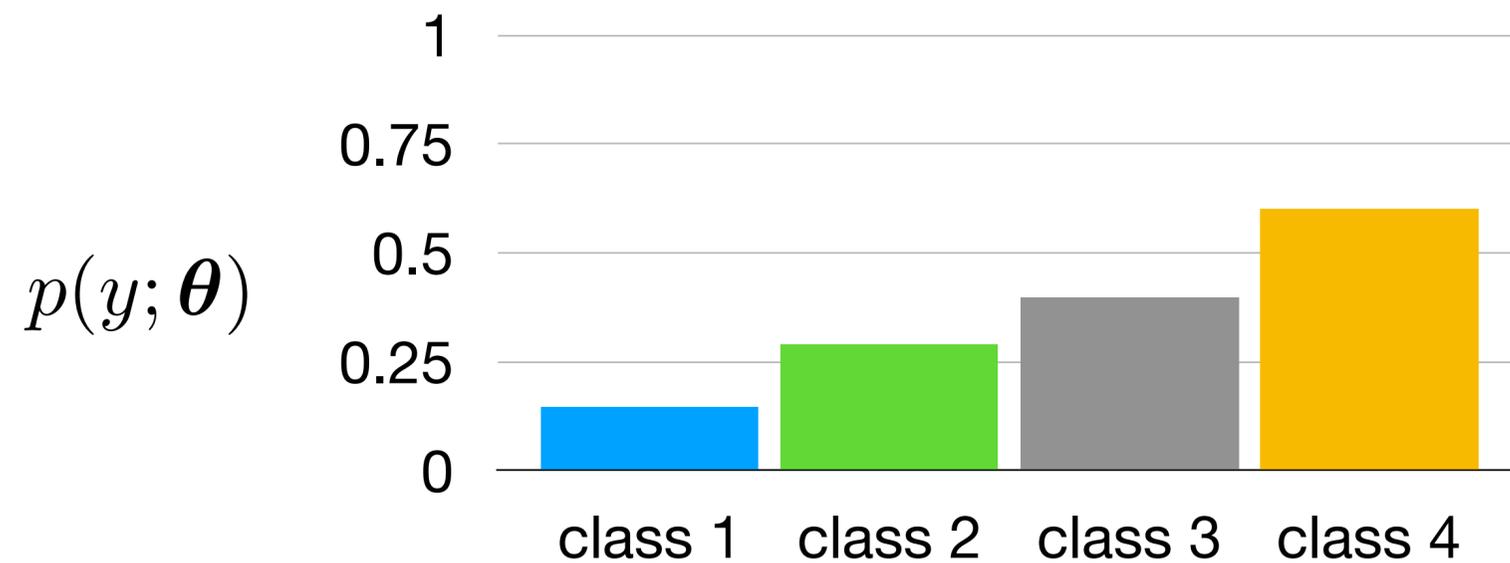
A **discriminative classifier** directly models the class posterior  $p(y | \mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta})$

# Generative Story

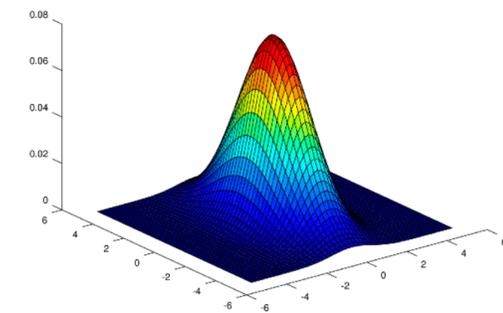


$\mathcal{D} = \{(\mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{y}_n)\}_{n=1}^N$   
training dataset

$$p(y = c | \mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{p(\mathbf{x} | y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta}) p(y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta})}{\sum_{c'} p(\mathbf{x} | y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta}) p(y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta})}$$



$\rightarrow y = 3$   
 $p(\mathbf{x} | y = 3)$   
 $\vdots$



$x_1 = 1.0 \quad x_2 = 2.3 \quad \dots$

$(x_1 = 1.0, x_2 = 2.3, \dots, y = 3)$

# Gaussian Discriminant Analysis

$$p(y = c | \mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{p(\mathbf{x} | y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta}) p(y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta})}{\sum_{c'} p(\mathbf{x} | y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta}) p(y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta})}$$

Conditional density: Multivariate Gaussians

$$p(\mathbf{x} | y = c, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x} | \boldsymbol{\mu}_c, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_c)$$

Gaussian discriminant analysis (GDA):

$$p(y = c | \mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta}) \propto \pi_c \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x} | \boldsymbol{\mu}_c, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_c) \quad \pi_c = p(y = c)$$

# Decision Boundaries

Quadratic decision boundaries

$$p(y = c | \mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta}) \propto \pi_c \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x} | \boldsymbol{\mu}_c, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_c)$$

$$\log p(y = c | \mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \log \pi_c - \frac{1}{2} \log |2\pi \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_c| - \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_c)^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_c^{-1} (\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_c) + \text{const}$$

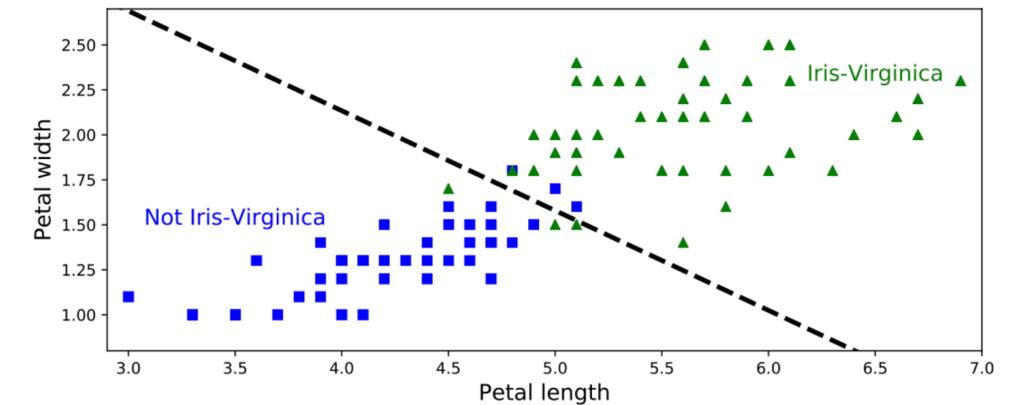
**discriminant function**

Linear decision boundaries

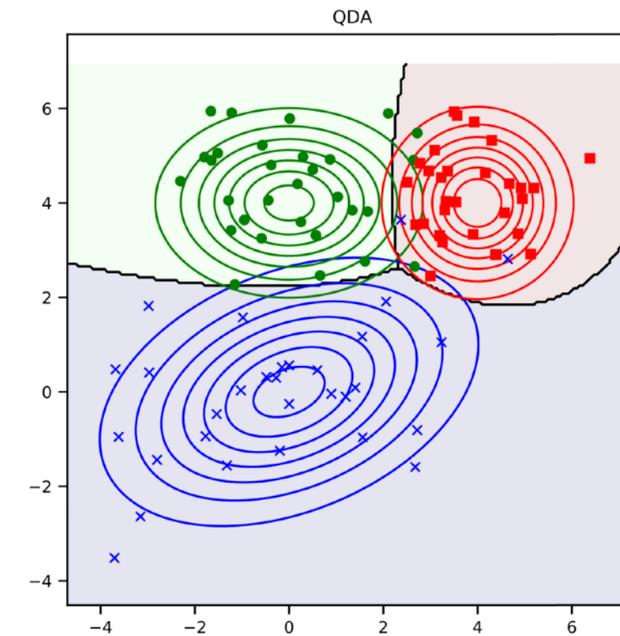
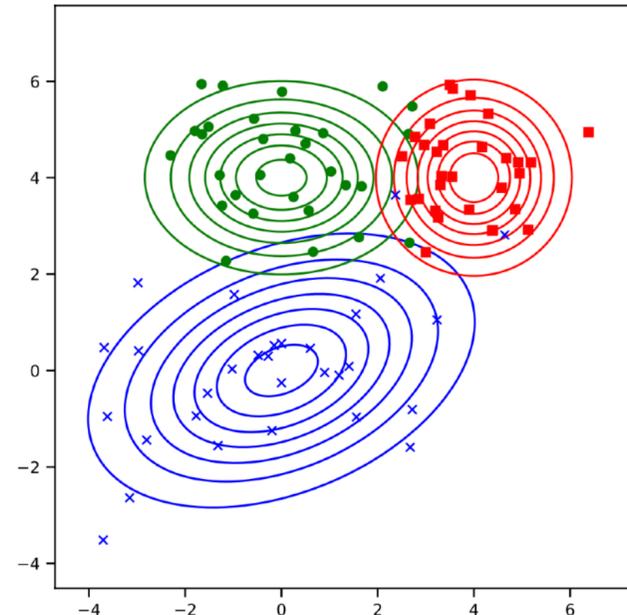
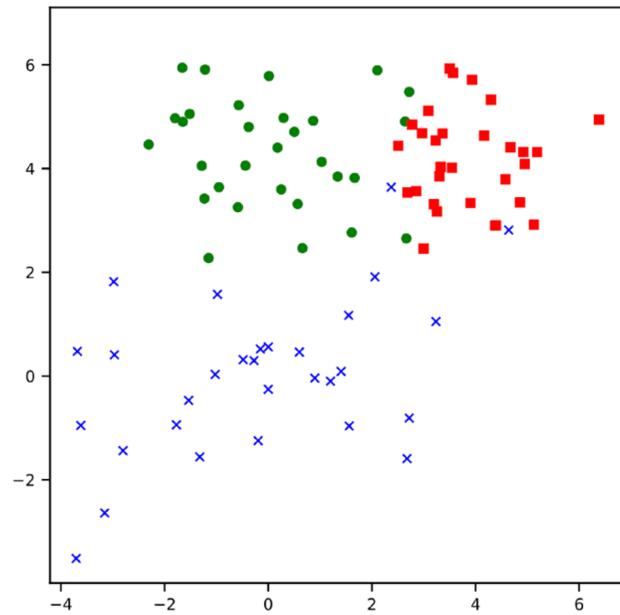
$$\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_c = \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \quad \text{💡 diagonal LDA — if we further assume a shared diagonal covariance matrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log p(y = c | \mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \log \pi_c - \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_c)^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} (\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_c) + \text{const} \\ &= \underbrace{\log \pi_c - \frac{1}{2} \boldsymbol{\mu}_c^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\mu}_c}_{\gamma_c} + \underbrace{\mathbf{x}^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\mu}_c}_{\boldsymbol{\beta}_c} + \underbrace{\text{const} - \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{x}^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \mathbf{x}}_{\kappa} \\ &= \gamma_c + \mathbf{x}^\top \boldsymbol{\beta}_c + \kappa \end{aligned}$$

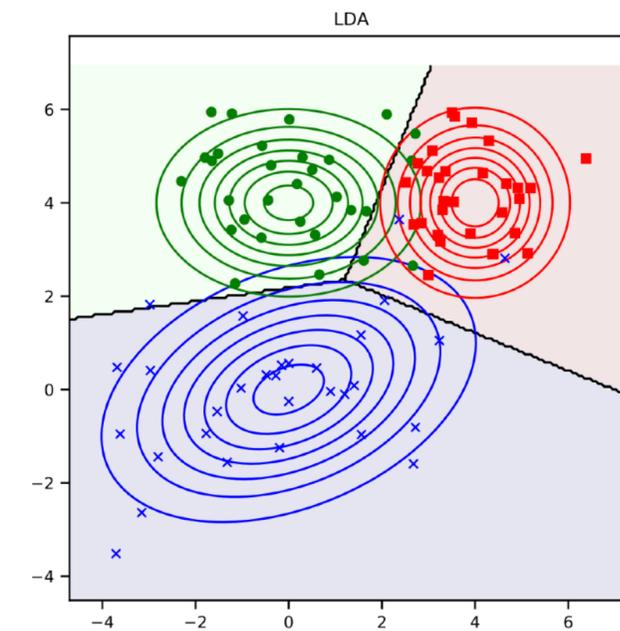
This is independent of c, hence does not affect our decision!



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# Model Fitting (Learning)

$$p(\mathcal{D}|\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \prod_{n=1}^N \mathcal{M}(y_n|\boldsymbol{\pi}) \prod_{c=1}^C \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}_n|\boldsymbol{\mu}_c, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_c)^{\mathbb{I}(y_n=c)}$$

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MLE:  $\boldsymbol{\theta} = \{\boldsymbol{\pi}, \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}\}$

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_c = \frac{1}{N_c} \sum_{n:y_n=c} \mathbf{x}_n$$

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_c = \frac{1}{N_c} \sum_{n:y_n=c} (\mathbf{x}_n - \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_c)(\mathbf{x}_n - \hat{\boldsymbol{\mu}}_c)^{\top}$$

$$\hat{\pi}_c = \frac{N_c}{N}$$

Note: not every parameter has closed form solution

# Naïve Bayes Classifier

$$p(y = c|\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{p(\mathbf{x}|y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta})p(y = c; \boldsymbol{\theta})}{\sum_{c'} p(\mathbf{x}|y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta})p(y = c'; \boldsymbol{\theta})}$$

In Gaussian discriminant analysis:

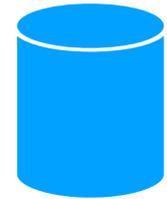
$$p(\mathbf{x}|y = c, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\mu}_c, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_c)$$

In naïve Bayes classifier:

$$p(\mathbf{x}|y = c, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \prod_{d=1}^D p(x_d|y = c, \boldsymbol{\theta}_{dc})$$

This is the naïve part – the naïve Bayes assumption

# Generative Story

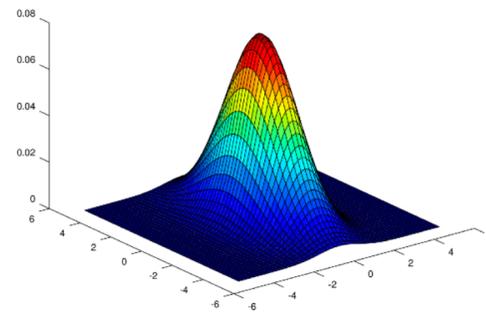


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$$p(y; \boldsymbol{\theta}) \rightarrow y = 3 \quad p(\mathbf{x} | y = 3)$$

⋮



$$x_1 = 1.0 \quad x_2 = 2.3 \quad \dots$$

$$(x_1 = 1.0, x_2 = 2.3, \dots, y = 3)$$

in naïve bayes

$$p(x_1 | y = 3)$$

$$p(x_2 | y = 3)$$

⋮



# Naïve Bayes Classifier

	$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$	$x_4$	$y$
	Outlook	Temperature	Humidity	Windy	Play Golf
0	Rainy	Hot	High	FALSE	No
1	Rainy	Hot	High	TRUE	No
2	Overcast	Hot	High	FALSE	Yes
3	Sunny	Mild	High	FALSE	Yes
4	Sunny	Cool	Normal	FALSE	Yes
5	Sunny	Cool	Normal	TRUE	No
6	Overcast	Cool	Normal	TRUE	Yes
7	Rainy	Mild	High	FALSE	No
8	Rainy	Cool	Normal	FALSE	Yes
9	Sunny	Mild	Normal	FALSE	Yes
10	Rainy	Mild	Normal	TRUE	Yes
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12	Overcast	Hot	Normal	FALSE	Yes
13	Sunny	Mild	High	TRUE	No

# Naïve Bayes Classifier

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$$p(y = c | \boldsymbol{\pi})$$

How many parameters?

$$p(y = \text{yes}) = \frac{9}{14}$$

$$p(y = \text{no}) = \frac{5}{14}$$

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$$p(x_d | y = c, \boldsymbol{\theta}_{dc})$$

How many parameters?

$$p(x_1 | y)$$

	y=yes	y=no	p(x1 y=yes)	p(x2 y=no)
Sunny	3	2	3/9	2/5
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### Outlook

	y=yes	y=no	p(x1 y=yes)	p(x2 y=no)
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Rainy	3	2	3/9	2/5

### Temperature

	y=yes	y=no	p(x1 y=yes)	p(x2 y=no)
Hot	2	2	2/9	2/5
Mild	4	2	4/9	2/5
Cool	3	1	3/9	1/5

### Humidity

	y=yes	y=no	p(x1 y=yes)	p(x2 y=no)
High	3	4	3/9	4/5
Normal	6	1	6/9	1/5

### Wind

	y=yes	y=no	p(x1 y=yes)	p(x2 y=no)
FALSE	6	2	6/9	2/5
TRUE	3	3	3/9	3/5

	y	p(y)
Yes	9	9/14
No	5	5/14

# Naïve Bayes Classifier

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today = {sunny, hot, normal, false}

$$p(y = \text{yes} | \text{today}) = \frac{\frac{9}{14} \cdot \frac{2}{9} \cdot \frac{2}{9} \cdot \frac{6}{9} \cdot \frac{6}{9}}{p(\text{today})} = 0.67$$

$$p(y = \text{no} | \text{today}) = \frac{\frac{5}{14} \cdot \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{2}{5}}{p(\text{today})} = 0.33$$

# Naïve Bayes Classifier (Learning)

$$\begin{aligned} p(\mathcal{D}|\boldsymbol{\theta}) &= \prod_{n=1}^N \mathcal{M}(y_n|\boldsymbol{\pi}) \prod_{d=1}^D p(x_{nd}|y_n, \boldsymbol{\theta}_d) \\ &= \prod_{n=1}^N \mathcal{M}(y_n|\boldsymbol{\pi}) \prod_{d=1}^D \prod_{c=1}^C p(x_{nd}|\boldsymbol{\theta}_{d,c})^{\mathbb{I}(y_n=c)} \end{aligned}$$

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MLE:  $\hat{\pi}_c = \frac{N_c}{N}$

discrete features

$$\hat{\theta}_{dck} = \frac{N_{dck}}{\sum_{k'=1}^K N_{dck'}} = \frac{N_{dck}}{N_c}$$

real-value features

$$\hat{\mu}_{dc} = \frac{1}{N_c} \sum_{n:y_n=c} x_{nd}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_{dc}^2 = \frac{1}{N_c} \sum_{n:y_n=c} (x_{nd} - \hat{\mu}_{dc})^2$$