

- No class on Mon 1/16 and we meet on Wed 1/18

Recap

- Sample vs variable in the random sense

$$P(y_1, y_2) = P(y_1) P(y_2 | y_1)$$

↳ conditionals

$$= P(y_1) P(y_2)$$

- likelihood given a sample $= [y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n]$

$$\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i)$$

$$\propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \mu)^2\right)$$

- Maximum Likelihood Estimate (MLE)

$$\hat{\mu} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i$$

$$\hat{\sigma} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{\mu})^2}{n}$$

→ $y_i = [y_0^i, y_1^i, \dots, y_{k-1}^i] \leftarrow$ size k

$y_i \sim \text{mvn}(\mu, \Sigma) \sim \mathcal{N}^k(\mu, \Sigma)$

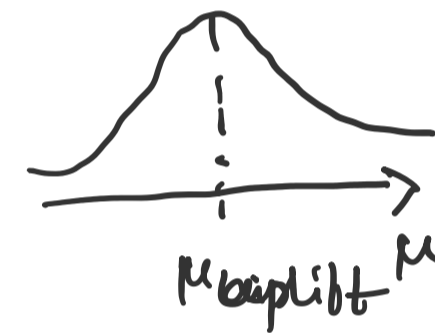
$$\hat{\mu} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i$$

$$\hat{\Sigma} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{\mu})(y_i - \hat{\mu})^T$$

MAP estimates

prior - your knowledge about some parameters
 posterior - after you encode your prior knowledge

$$\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i)$$

$$= P(\mu) P(y | \mu)$$


$P(\hat{\mu}) = \mathcal{N}(\mu_0, \sigma_0)$

$$= \mathcal{N}(\mu_0, \sigma_0) \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i | \mu)$$

$$\propto \mathcal{N}(\mu_0, \sigma_0) \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \mu)^2\right)$$

Maximize the likelihood to obtain values for μ, σ

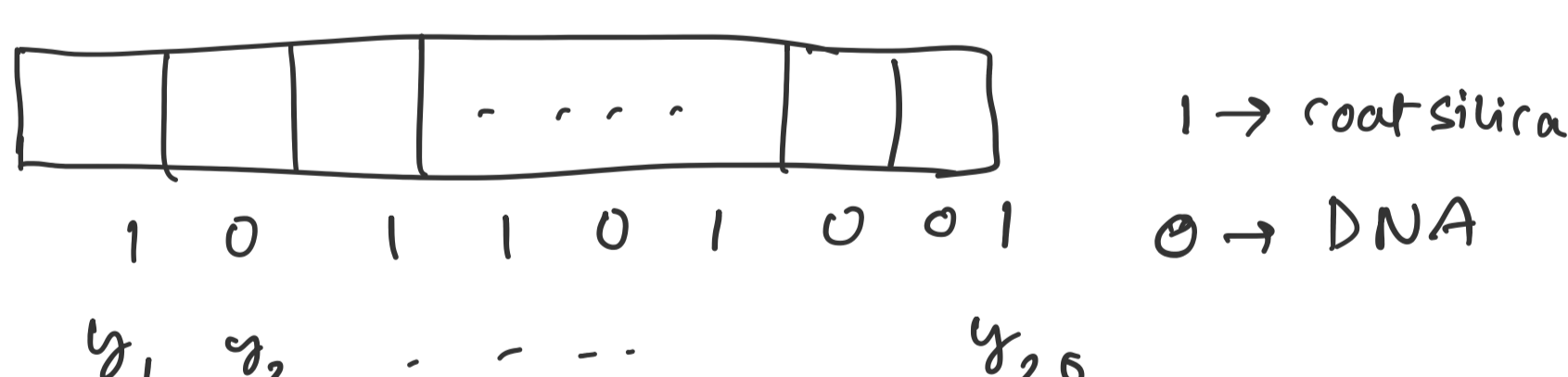
$$\propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \sum \frac{(y_i - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{2\sigma_0^2} (\mu - \mu_0)^2\right)$$

$$\log \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) \propto -\frac{1}{2} \sum \frac{(y_i - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2} - \frac{1}{2\sigma_0^2} (\mu - \mu_0)^2$$

↑
Maximum of $\log \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) =$ MAP estimate
(maximum a-posteriori)

Randomization and design

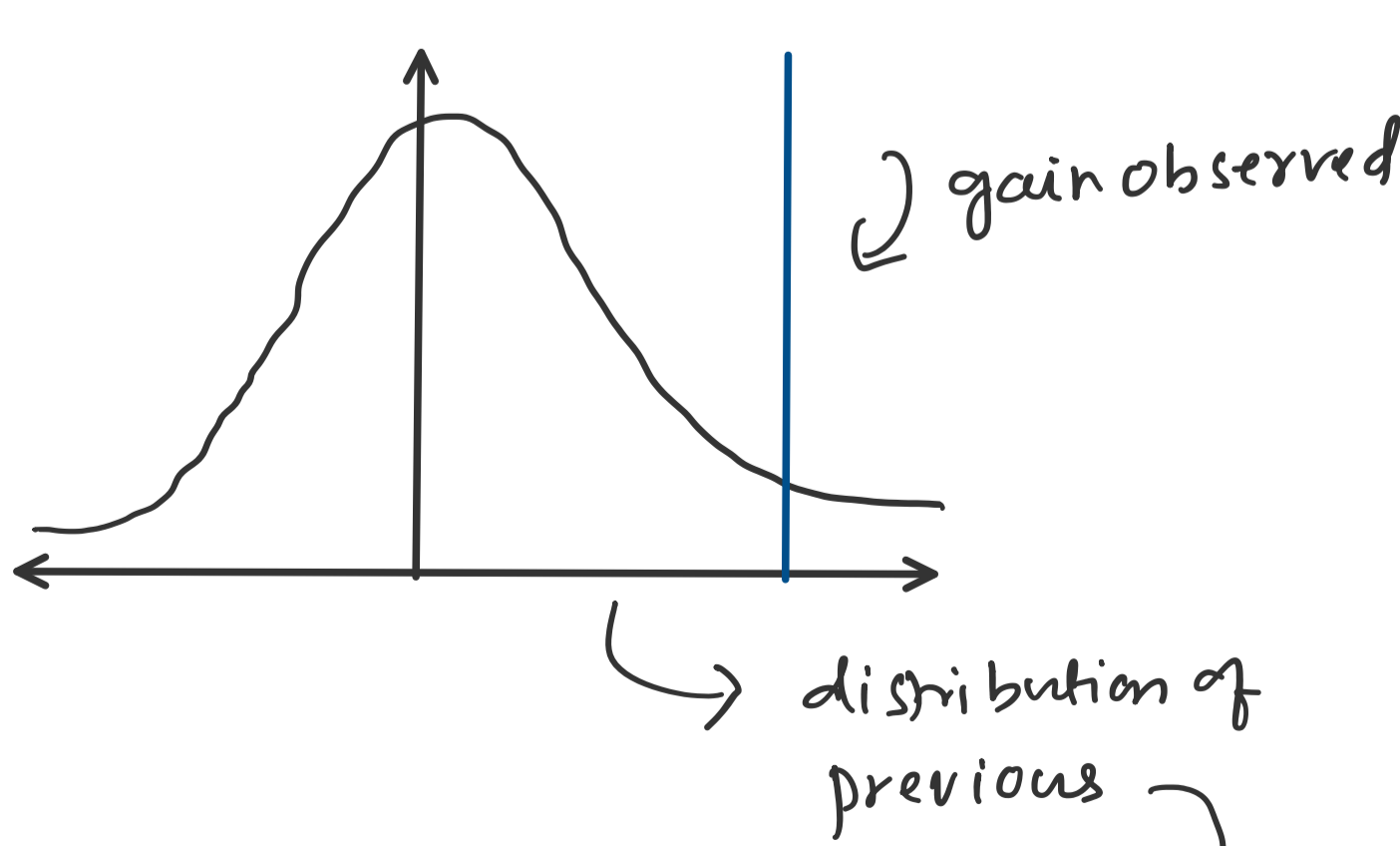
- Silica based nanoparticles for reducing effects of fertilizers on the crop yield
- 20 seeds 1) with silica NP 2) without silica NP



gain = $\bar{y}_1 - \bar{y}_0 \leftarrow$ does not tell us the full story
 in terms of variance (or)
 effects of experimental errors

known reference distribution:

- conditions of experiment
- only use those that are relevant



10 batches of w/o modification seed data

some measure of statistical significance but we have access to only samples

significant/not $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} t = \text{gain apparent in your expt} \\ y_i = \text{differences between batches} \end{array} \right.$

↑
Student's t-distribution