<u>Example</u>: Naïve Bayes Classifier with p=3 predictors ( $X_1$ ,  $X_2$ ,  $X_3$ ) and K=2 classes (Y=1 or Y=2) Variables  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are Continuous;  $X_3$  is Discrete (with possible outcomes 1,2,or 3) Classifying the observation vector:  $x^* = (.4, 1.5, 1)'$ 



 $P(Y=k \mid X=x^*) = f_{k1}(x_1^*) \bullet f_{k2}(x_2^*) \bullet f_{k3}(x_3^*) \bullet \pi_k / \sum_k (f_{k1}(x_1^*) \bullet f_{k2}(x_2^*) \bullet f_{k3}(x_3^*) \bullet \pi_k)$