

# Bayesian Analysis of Stochastic Nanopore Data

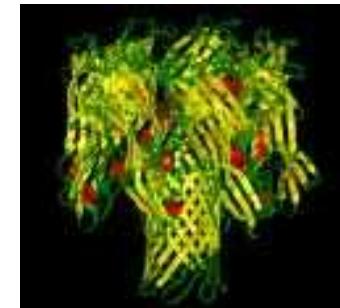
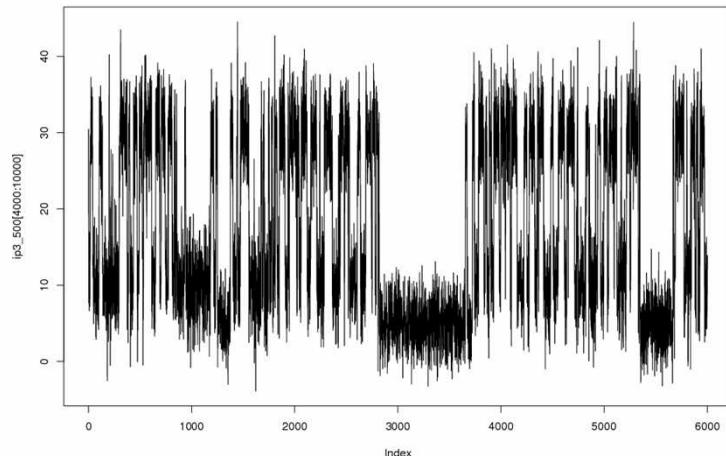
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- Bayesian detection of Co-Zn mixtures concentration, based on QUB sim.
  - with quantified probability distributions
- Studies of detection probability distribution dependence on # of events and noise level
- Detector ROC curves generated from Bayesian analysis of simulated nanopore data with Co-Zn mixtures

# Assessment and Challenges

- Key Challenges:
  - Dealing with signal noise, detector drift
  - Training for mixtures concentration detection
    - In the absence of sufficient empirical data
- Objectives:
  - Demonstrate detection from noisy data
  - Demonstrate detection with intermediate signal levels
  - Demonstrate single/mixed agent detection

# Stochastic nanopore array data



## Attributes of stochastic signal

- Frequency of transitions
- Statistics of open and closed intervals
- Current Amplitude

## Challenges

- Noise of signal (SNR) and ability to identify transitions (duration and amplitude)
- Multiple states (intermediate current levels)
- Modelling stochastic behaviour of mixtures
- Response time of detector (computational cost must be low)
- Signal artifacts, baseline drift, outliers
- Trade-off Probability of Detection vs Probability of False Alarm

# Applying Bayes Theorem

Identify the agents present in the sample, and estimate their concentrations. The joint posterior pdf of the unknowns is

$$p(M | data) = \frac{p(data | M) \cdot p(M)}{p(data)}$$

$$M = \{Agent(s) ID, Concentration(s)\}$$

## Specification of the Likelihood Function

Predictive probability of the data (attributes of the stochastic signal)

Attributes are assumed statistically independent

$$p(data | M) \equiv \prod p(attribute_i | M)$$

# Modelling

Frequency of transitions,  $n/N$ .  $n$ =number of transitions.  $N$ =sample size

$$n \sim \text{Binomial}(n \mid \theta, N)$$

Duration of open/closed intervals. Dirichlet discretization into  $k$  intervals.

$$\mathbf{n} \sim \text{Multinomial}(\mathbf{n} \mid \boldsymbol{\theta}), \quad \mathbf{n} = \{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_k\} \quad \boldsymbol{\theta} = \{\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_k\}$$

## Bayesian Estimation Of The Unknown Parameters (training)

### Binomial-Beta model

$$n \sim \text{Binomial}(n \mid \theta, N)$$

$$\theta \sim \text{Beta}(\theta \mid \alpha_1, \alpha_2)$$

$$p(\theta \mid n, N) \propto \text{Binomial}(n \mid \theta, N) \cdot \text{Beta}(\theta \mid \alpha_1, \alpha_2) \sim \text{Beta}(\theta \mid n + \alpha_1, N - n + \alpha_2)$$

Multinomial-Dirichlet model (multivariate generalization of Binomial-Beta model)

$$\mathbf{n} \sim \text{Multinomial}(\mathbf{n} \mid \boldsymbol{\theta})$$

$$\boldsymbol{\theta} = (\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_k) \sim \text{Dirichlet}(\boldsymbol{\theta} \mid \boldsymbol{\alpha})$$

$$p(\boldsymbol{\theta} \mid \mathbf{n}, M) \propto \text{Multinomial}(\mathbf{n} \mid \boldsymbol{\theta}) \cdot \text{Dirichlet}(\boldsymbol{\theta} \mid \boldsymbol{\alpha}) \sim \text{Dirichlet}(\boldsymbol{\theta} \mid \mathbf{n} + \boldsymbol{\alpha})$$

$$p(\mathbf{n}_{+1}) = \int Multinomial(\mathbf{n}_{+1} | \boldsymbol{\theta}) \cdot Dirichlet(\boldsymbol{\theta} | \mathbf{n} + \boldsymbol{\alpha}) d\boldsymbol{\theta} = NHG(\mathbf{n}_{+1} | \mathbf{n}_{+1} + \mathbf{n} + \boldsymbol{\alpha})$$

NHG: Negative HyperGeometric Distribution. Analytical Form

$$NHG(\mathbf{n}_{+1} | \mathbf{n}_{+1} + \mathbf{n} + \boldsymbol{\alpha}) = \frac{Z(\mathbf{n}_{+1} + \mathbf{n} + \boldsymbol{\alpha})}{Z(\mathbf{n} + \boldsymbol{\alpha}) \cdot M(\mathbf{n}_{+1})} \quad Z(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\prod_i \Gamma(x_i)}{\Gamma(\sum_i x_i)} \quad M(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\prod_i x_i!}{(\sum_i x_i)!}$$

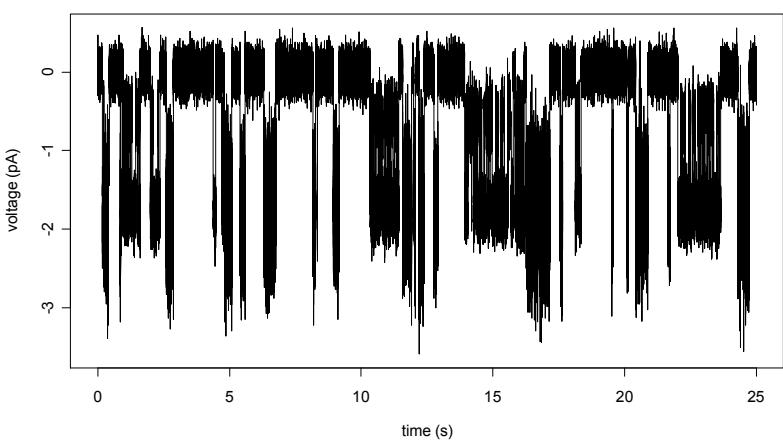
**Continuous parameterization and Interpolation of counts  $\mathbf{n}$  as a function of concentrations of mixture components  $\mathbf{M}_s$**

$$\mathbf{n}_s = \varphi(M_s, \mathbf{n}_{training}, M_{training}, \xi)$$

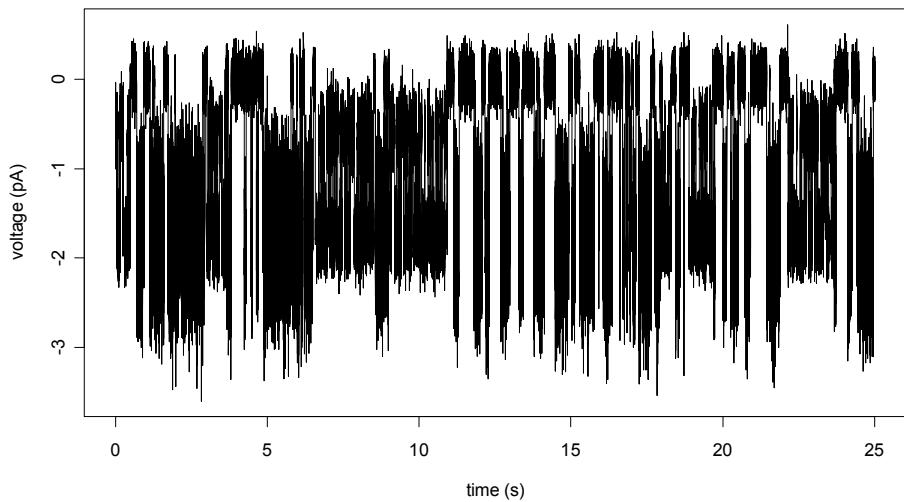
$$p(\boldsymbol{\theta} | \mathbf{n}_s, M_s) \approx Dirichlet(\mathbf{n}_s + \boldsymbol{\alpha})$$

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**Test : mixture Co-Zn,  $\alpha$ -Hemolysin Pore  
Simulated stochastic data QuB Software Suite.**



Co = 2  $\mu$ M, Zn = 90 nM

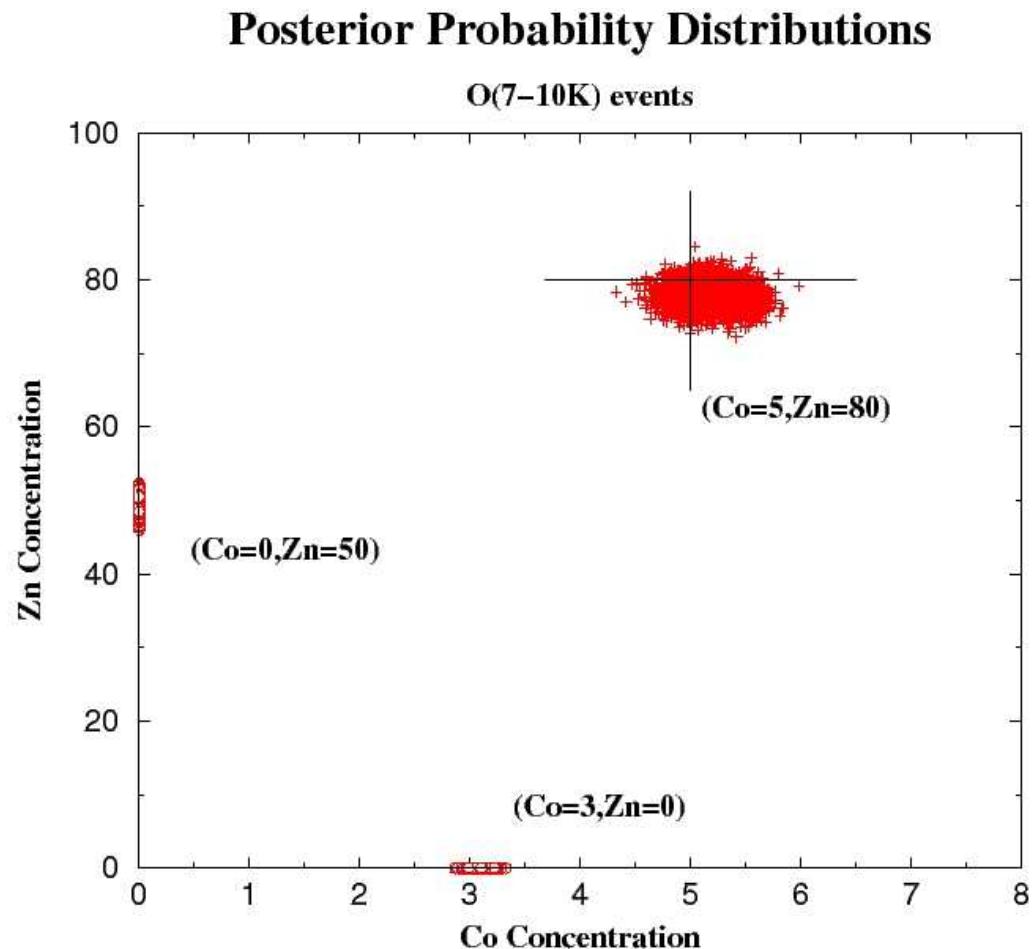


Co = 8  $\mu$ M, Zn = 90 nM

- Co: Width and frequency of top-level gaps are most useful attributes
- Zn: Width and frequency of bottom-level gaps are most useful
- Combination of top-level and bottom-level gap statistics and event frequencies is effective for mixtures of both

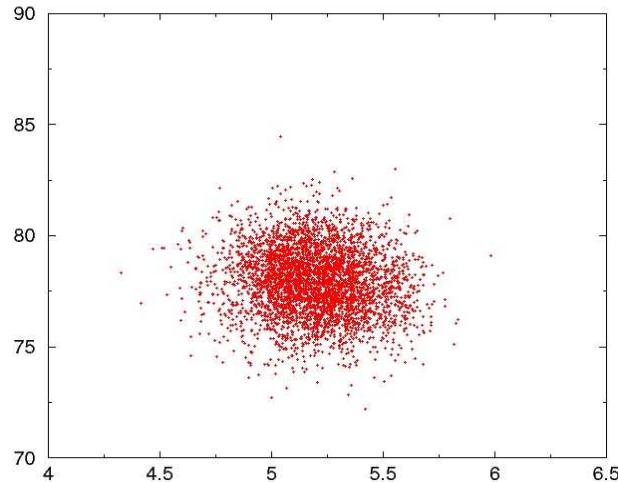
# Posterior Probability Distribution in the Co:Zn Plane

- Posterior plotted for
  - pure Co
  - pure Zn
  - Co+Zn
- Using MCMC
- $P([Co],[Zn] | \text{Data})$
- Highly peaked and well centered PDFs in all cases

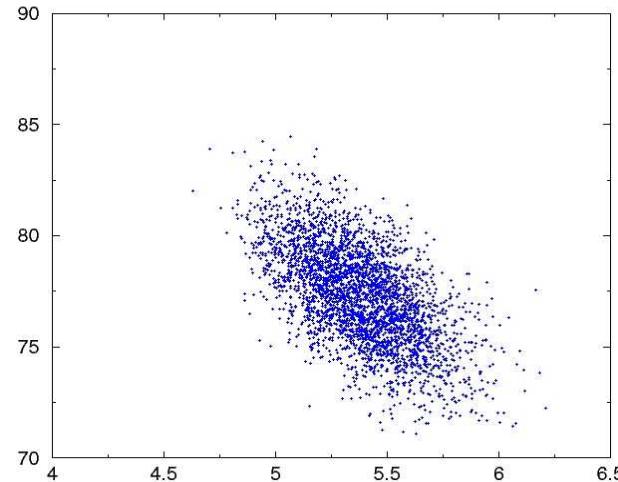


# Effect of Noise and Number of Events on Observed Posteriors

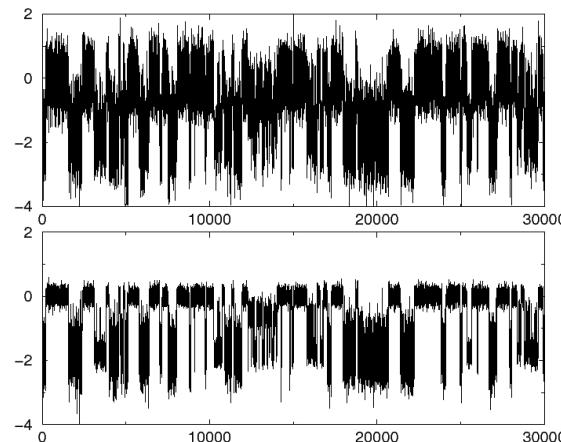
O(7–10K) events, moderate noise



O(7–10K) events, high noise



High Noise

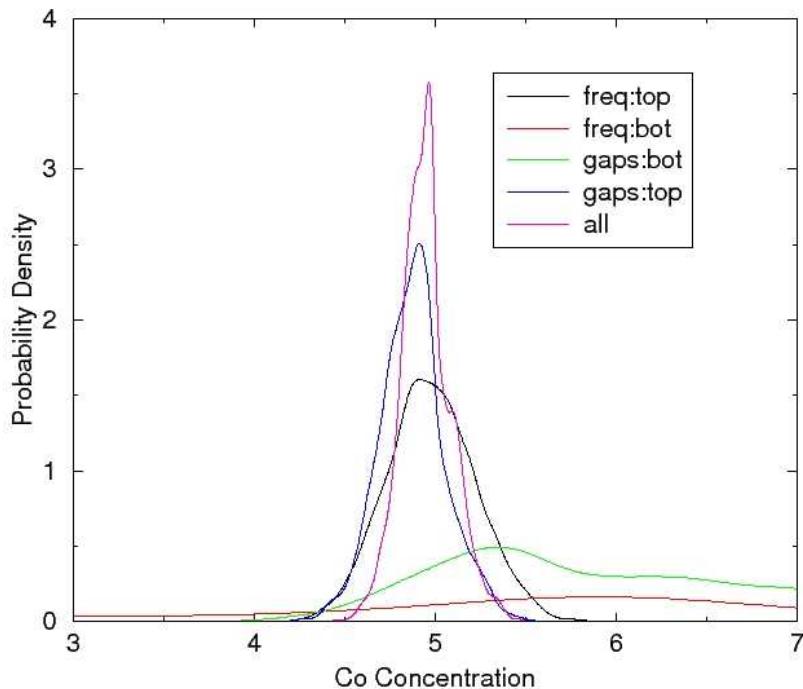


Moderate  
Noise

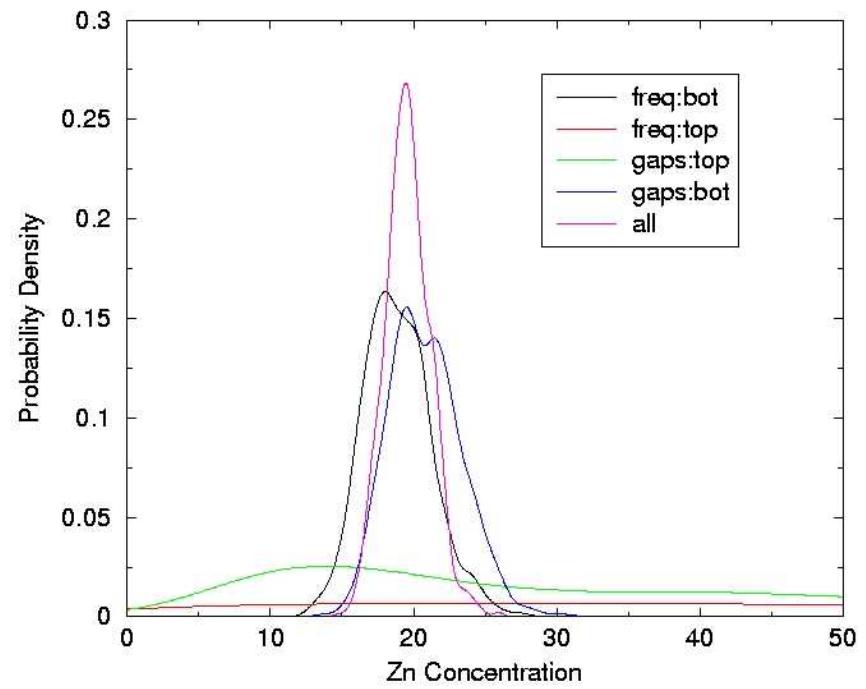
# Performance of Various Attributes

- Co: Width and frequency of top-level gaps are most useful attributes
- Zn: Width and frequency of bottom-level gaps are most useful
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Attributes for Co=5 Detection



Attributes for Zn=20 Detection



# Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC) Curves

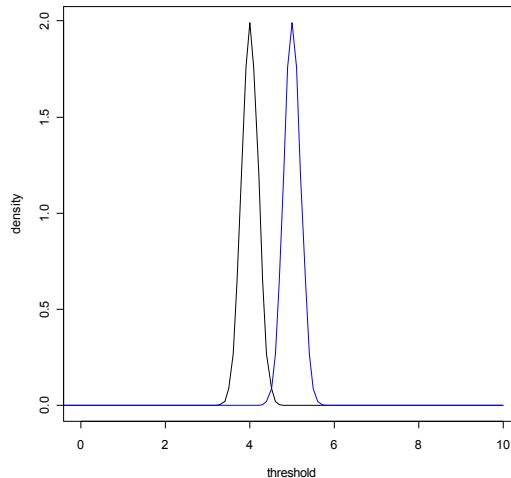
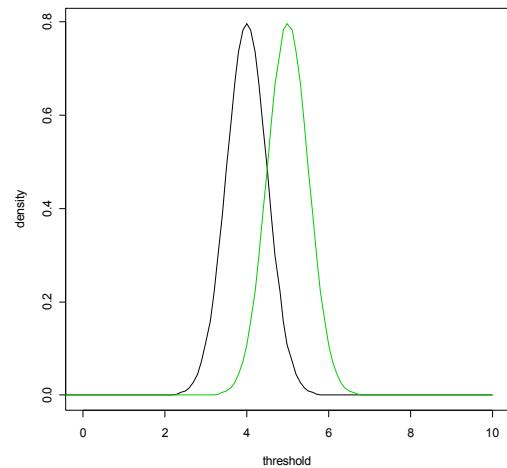
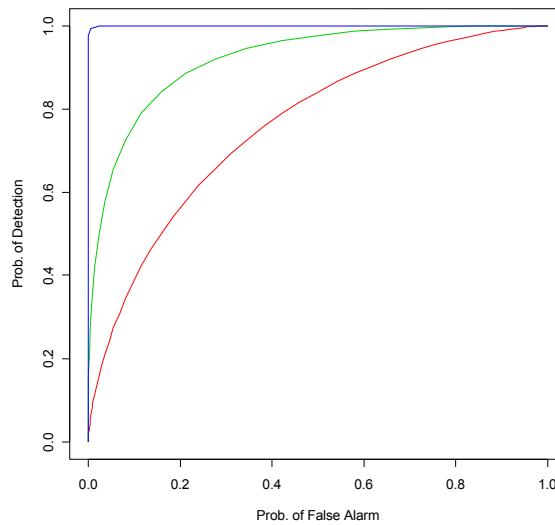
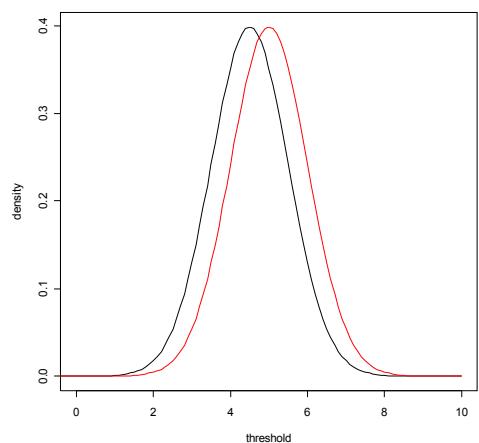
As a measure of the performance of a two-class classifier, a ROC curve shows the trade-off between sensitivity (true positives) and specificity (false negatives) for different values of a threshold.

If the threshold is the log of the Bayes Factor:

$$\log B_{YT} = \log \left( \frac{p(T | y_T)}{p(F | y_T)} \right) \quad p(\log B_{YT}) = \int p(\log B_{YT}, y_T) dy_T$$

$$\log B_{YF} = \log \left( \frac{p(T | y_F)}{p(F | y_F)} \right) \quad p(\log B_{YF}) = \int p(\log B_{YF}, y_F) dy_F$$

# Interpretation of ROC Curves

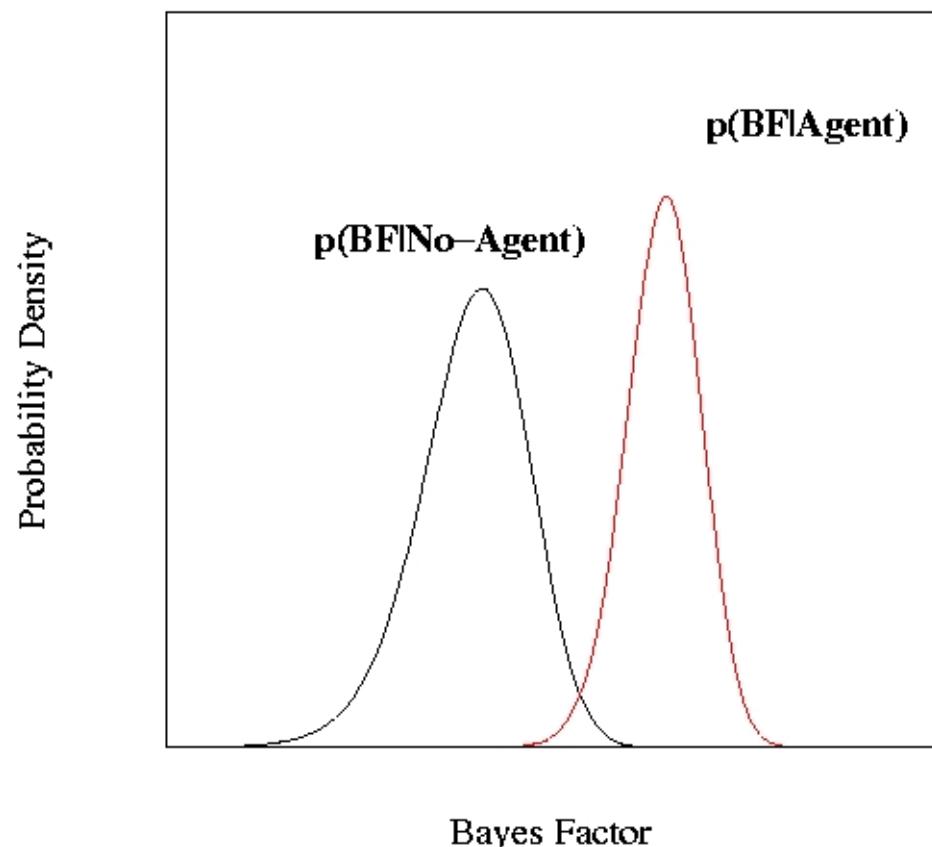


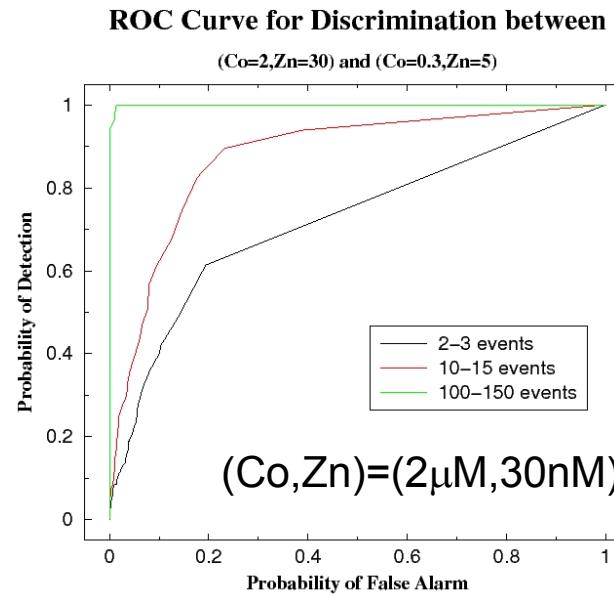
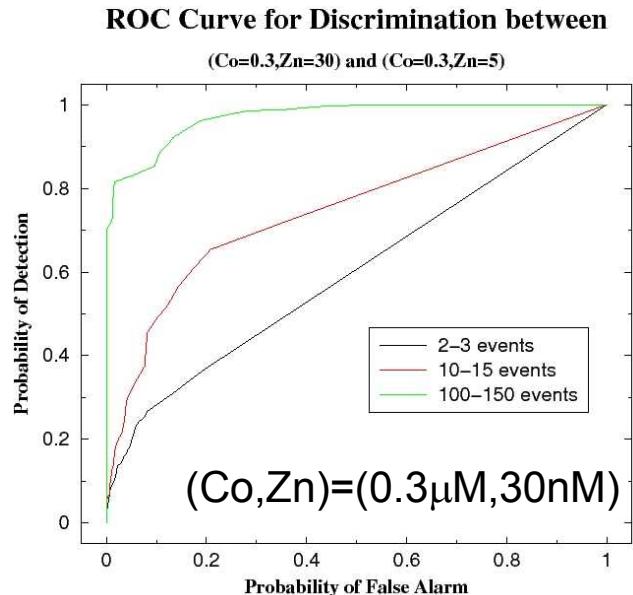
# ROC Curves Construction, given Bayesian Data Analysis

Bayes Factor (BF) defined as:

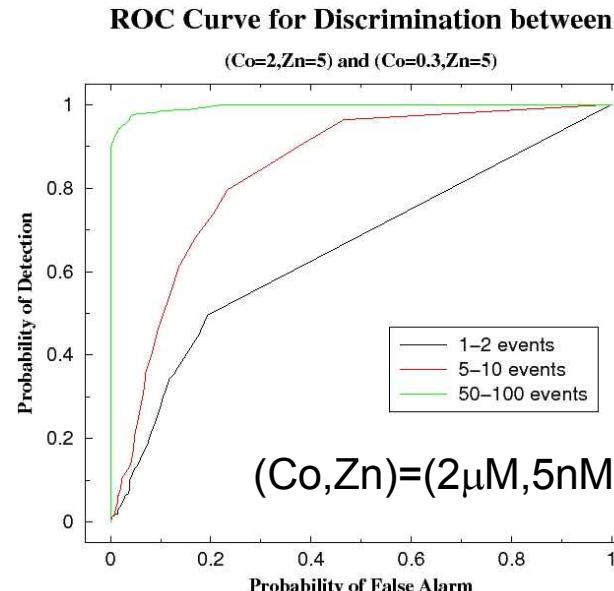
$$P(\text{Agent}|\text{data})/P(\text{No-Agent}|\text{data})$$

Probability distributions of BF for cases of Agent/No-Agent are used to construct ROC curves

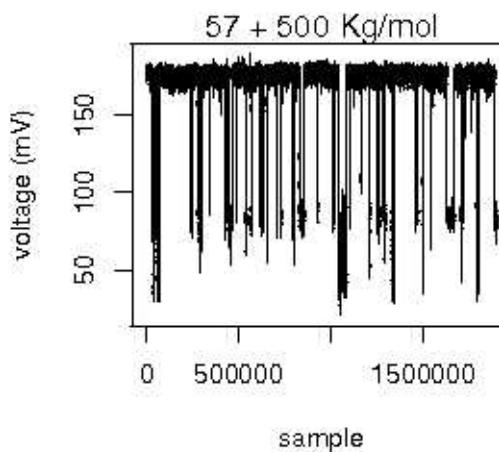
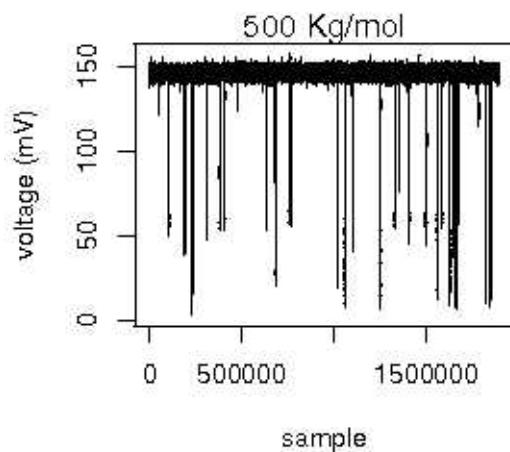
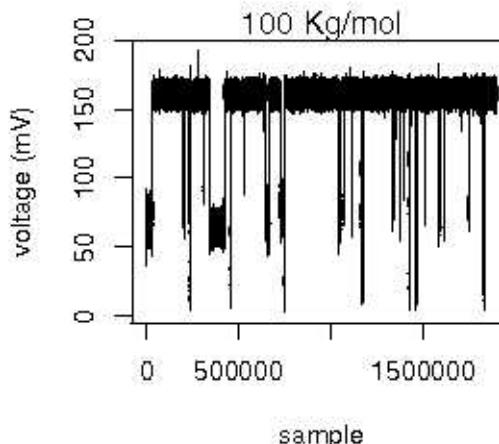
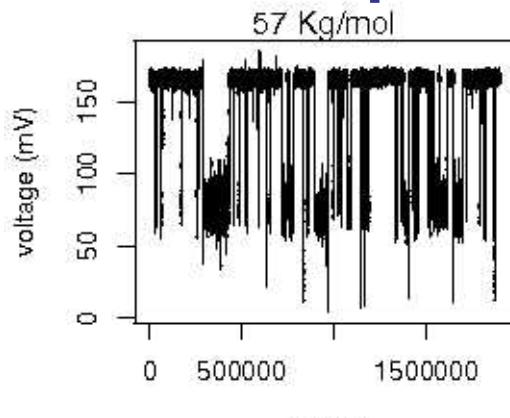




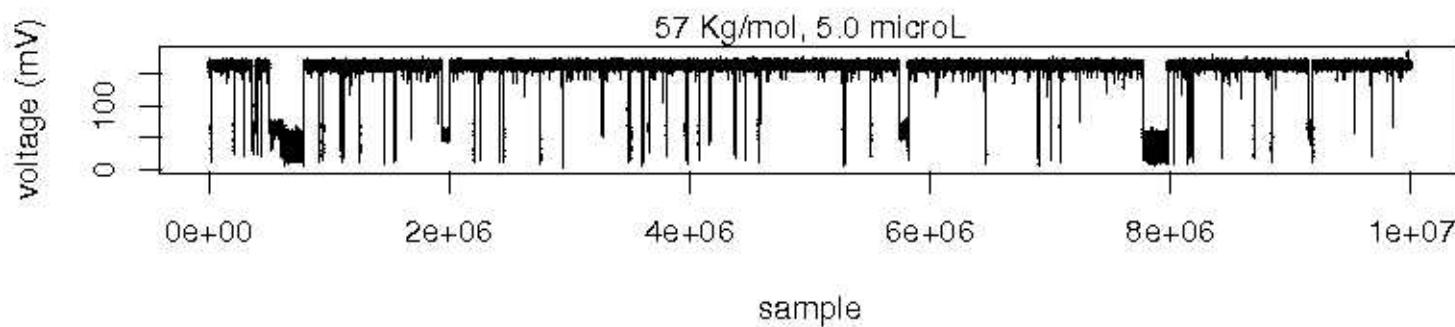
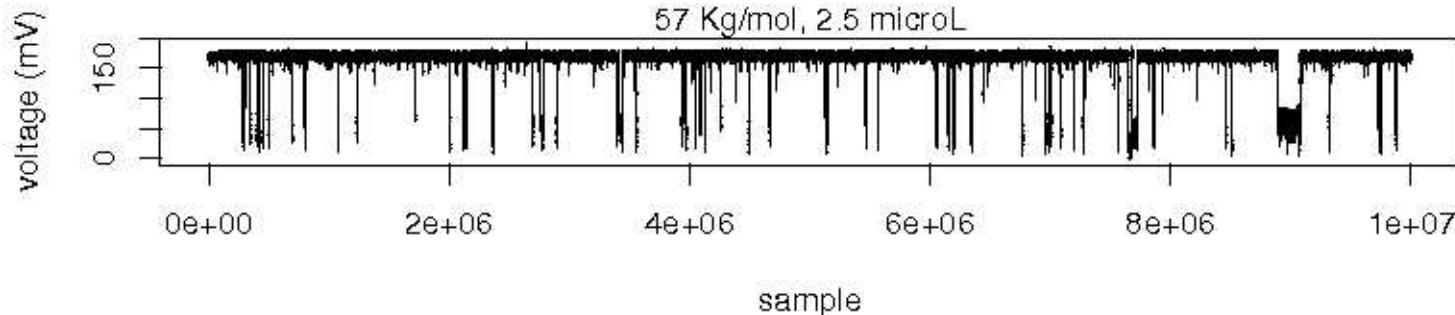
- ROC Curves constructed using Bayes Factors
  - general non-parametric PDFs
  - detection of  $(Co:Zn)$  mixtures
    - vs  $\sim$  zero levels
  - range of # of events
- $O(100)$  events sufficient for excellent performance



# Experimental Signal of long chain polymers

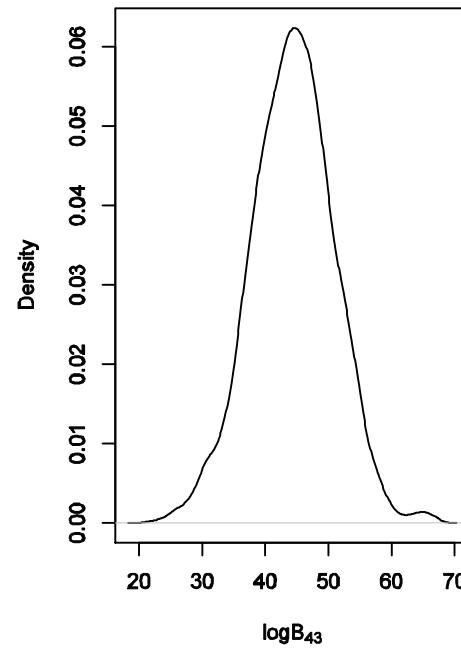
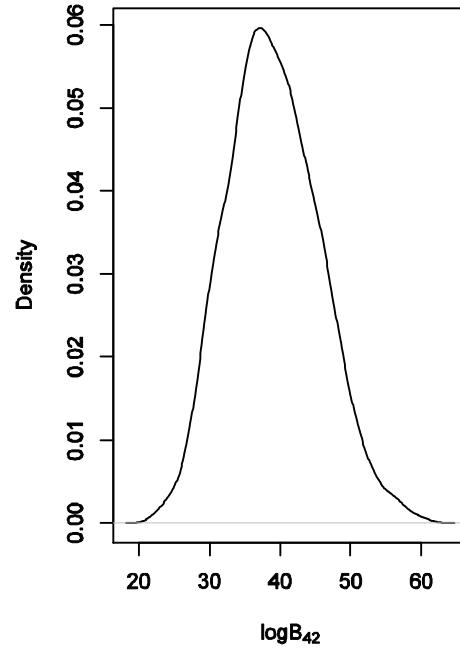
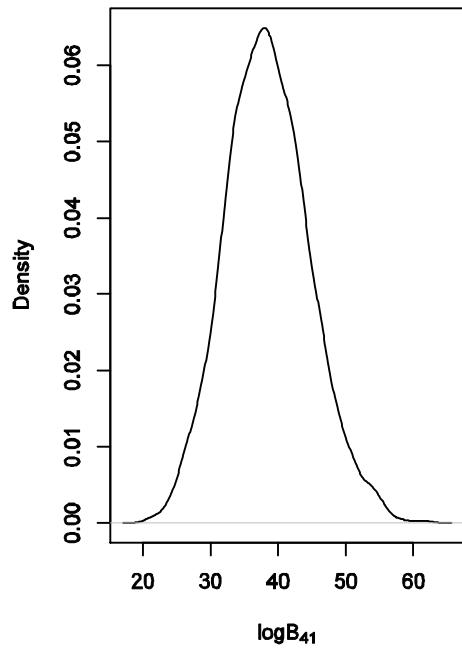


# Experimental Signal as a function of the concentration



# Bayes Factors Classification

## Different polymers



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