Top Ten Reasons to be Bayesian

- 1. Inferences that make intuitive sense (unlike p-values and CI's)
- 2. Use of prior information in drawing final conclusions
- 3. Flexibility in modelling
- 4. Easy handling of missing data
- 5. Data predictions that include all uncertainty
- 6. Model averaging in regression for optimal predictions
- 7. Bias adjustments of all kinds (e.g., measurement error)
- 8. Ease of creating multi-level hierarchical models
- 9. Analysis in non-identifiable problems (e.g., diagnostic tests)
- 10. No complex theory needed, just Bayes theorem