## **BLG 454E Learning From Data**

## **Homework 1 Report**

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If Saturday rains, Sunday 50%

If Saturday does not rain, Sunday 25%

P(Saturday|Sunday) = p(Saturday,Sunday) / p(Sunday)

P(Sunday, Saturday) = p(Saturday) \* p(Sunday|Saturday) = 1/4 \* 1/2 = 1/8

 $P(Sunday) = \frac{1}{4} * \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4} * \frac{1}{4} = \frac{5}{16}$ 

P(Saturday|Sunday) = p(Saturday,Sunday) / p(Sunday) = 1/8 / 5/16 = 2/5

**2)** 0 moves -> 
$$(A) = 1/7$$

1 move: 5/42

$$B \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/3$$

$$G \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/6$$

$$F \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/3$$

2 moves: 11/126

$$B \rightarrow G \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/3 * 1/6$$

$$C \rightarrow B \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/3 * 1/3$$

$$C \rightarrow G \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/3 * 1/6$$

$$D \rightarrow G \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/3 * 1/6$$

$$E -> G -> A = 1/7 * 1/3 * 1/6$$

$$F \rightarrow G \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/3 * 1/6$$

$$G \rightarrow B \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/6 * 1/3$$

$$G \rightarrow F \rightarrow A = 1/7 * 1/6 * 1/3$$

Total = 1/7 + 5/42 + 11/126 = 44/126

**3.a)** Gaussian distribution 
$$P(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-(x-\mu)^2/(2\sigma^2)}$$

- Likelihood function

$$\begin{split} \mathsf{L}(\mu,\,\sigma^2;\,\mathsf{x}1,\!\mathsf{x}2,...,\!\mathsf{x}\mathsf{n}) &= \prod_{i=1}^n f x(xi;\mu\,\sigma^2) \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n (2\pi\sigma^2)^{-1/2} \,\mathrm{e}^{(-\frac{1}{2}*(xi-\mu)^2/\sigma^2)} \end{split}$$

- Take the log

$$\begin{split} I(\mu,\,\sigma^2;\,x1,&x2,...,xn) = In(L(\mu,\,\sigma^2;\,x1,x2,...,xn)) \\ &= -n/2\,In(2\,\pi) - n/2\,In(\sigma^2) - 1/2\sigma^2\,\sum_{i=1}^n(xi-\mu\,)^2 \end{split}$$

- Take the derivative for  $\mu$  and  $\sigma^2$  and equal them to zero

d/d 
$$\mu$$
 ( I( $\mu$ ,  $\sigma^2$ ; x1,x2,...,xn) ) = 0 d/d  $\sigma^2$  ( I( $\mu$ ,  $\sigma^2$ ; x1,x2,...,xn) ) = 0

- Results

$$\mu' = 1/n \sum_{i=1}^{n} (xi)$$
 $\sigma'^2 = 1/n \sum_{i=1}^{n} (xi - \mu')^2$ 

 $12/125 > 2/125 \rightarrow x1=1, x2=1, x3=1 \rightarrow y=+$ 

Independent 
$$\rightarrow$$
 P(x1=1, x2=1) = P(x1=1 | x2=1) \* P(x2=1)

P(x2 = 1) = 3/10

$$P(x1=1, x2=1) = 5/10 + 3/10 - 1/10 = 7/10$$

**4.c)** P(x1 = 1) = 5/10

 $P(x1=1 \mid x2=1) * P(x2=1) = 1/3 * 3/10 = 1/10$ 

 $7/10 = 1/10 \rightarrow x1$  and x2 are not independent