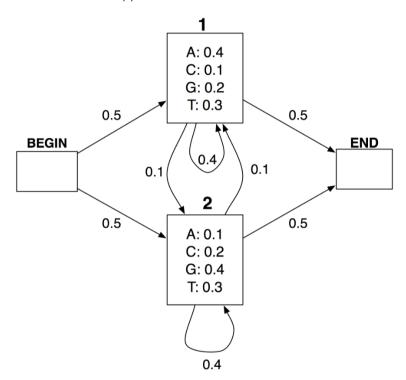
## BMI/CS 576 - Day 18

- Today
  - Intro to hidden Markov models
- Next week
  - HMMs in depth with applications

## Quiz

Given the HMM below and the sequence AC, which we assume has been generated by this HMM, what is the most likely path of hidden states?



• 1,1 
$$P(x, \pi = (1,1)) = a_{BEGIN,1}e_1(A)a_{1,1}e_1(C)a_{1,END} = 0.5 \times 0.4 \times 0.4 \times 0.1 \times 0.5 = 0.004$$
  
• 1,2  $P(x, \pi = (1,2)) = a_{BEGIN,1}e_1(A)a_{1,2}e_2(C)a_{2,END} = 0.5 \times 0.4 \times 0.1 \times 0.2 \times 0.5 = 0.002$   
• 2,2  $P(x, \pi = (2,2)) = a_{BEGIN,2}e_2(A)a_{2,2}e_2(C)a_{2,END} = 0.5 \times 0.1 \times 0.4 \times 0.2 \times 0.5 = 0.002$   
• 2,1  $P(x, \pi = (2,1)) = a_{BEGIN,2}e_2(A)a_{2,1}e_1(C)a_{1,END} = 0.5 \times 0.1 \times 0.1 \times 0.1 \times 0.5 = 0.00025$ 

## Most likely path?

$$\operatorname{argmax}_{\pi} P(\pi | \mathbf{x}) = \operatorname{argmax}_{\pi} \frac{P(\mathbf{x}, \pi)}{P(\mathbf{x})} = \operatorname{argmax}_{\pi} P(\mathbf{x}, \pi)$$

$$\operatorname{constant with respect to } \pi$$

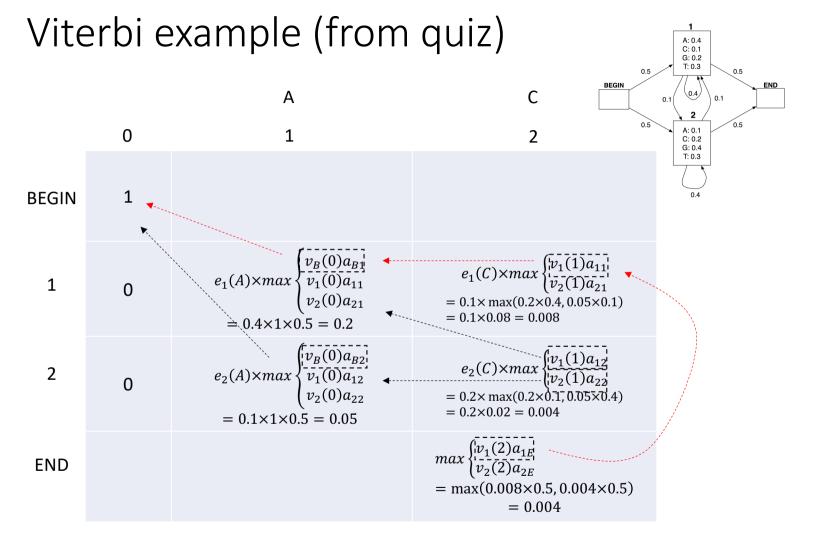
Using the quiz example:

$$P(x) = P(x, \pi = (1,1)) + P(x, \pi = (1,2)) + P(x, \pi = (2,2)) + P(x, \pi = (2,1))$$

$$= 0.004 + 0.002 + 0.00025$$

$$= 0.00825$$

$$P(x \mid \pi = (1,1)) = \frac{P(x,\pi = (1,1))}{P(x)} = \frac{0.004}{0.00825} \approx 0.485$$



Viterbi path from traceback: BEGIN, 1, 1, END