

Graphs for a-d. Observed nodes have a gradient, blocked ones are yellow.

Part 1

(a)

Assume that node B and F are clamped/observed.

Are D and E conditionally independent? Yes

Are A and E conditionally independent? Yes

Are G and C conditionally independent? Yes

(b)

Assume that node I and C are clamped/observed.

Are D and E conditionally independent? No

Are A and E conditionally independent? No

Are E and F conditionally independent? Yes

(c)

Assume that node E and H are clamped/observed.

Are C and I conditionally independent? Yes

Are A and I conditionally independent? No

(d)

Assume that node D is clamped/observed.

Are A and H conditionally independent? Yes

Are C and I conditionally independent? No

Are G and F conditionally independent? Yes

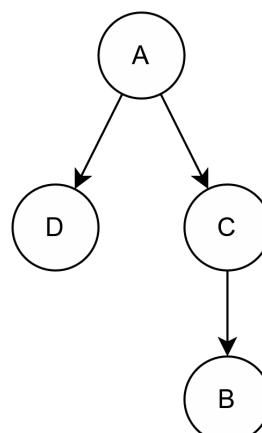
(e)

Now we look for a graph that satisfies certain relations.

Consider four random variables (A, B, C, D).

Find a graph that has the following relations.

1. A is a parent of D.
 2. B is a child of C.
 3. There is no edge between A and B.
 4. D and C are c.i. when A is observed.
 5. D and C are not c.i. when A is not observed.



Part 2

- (a)
- (b)
- (c)