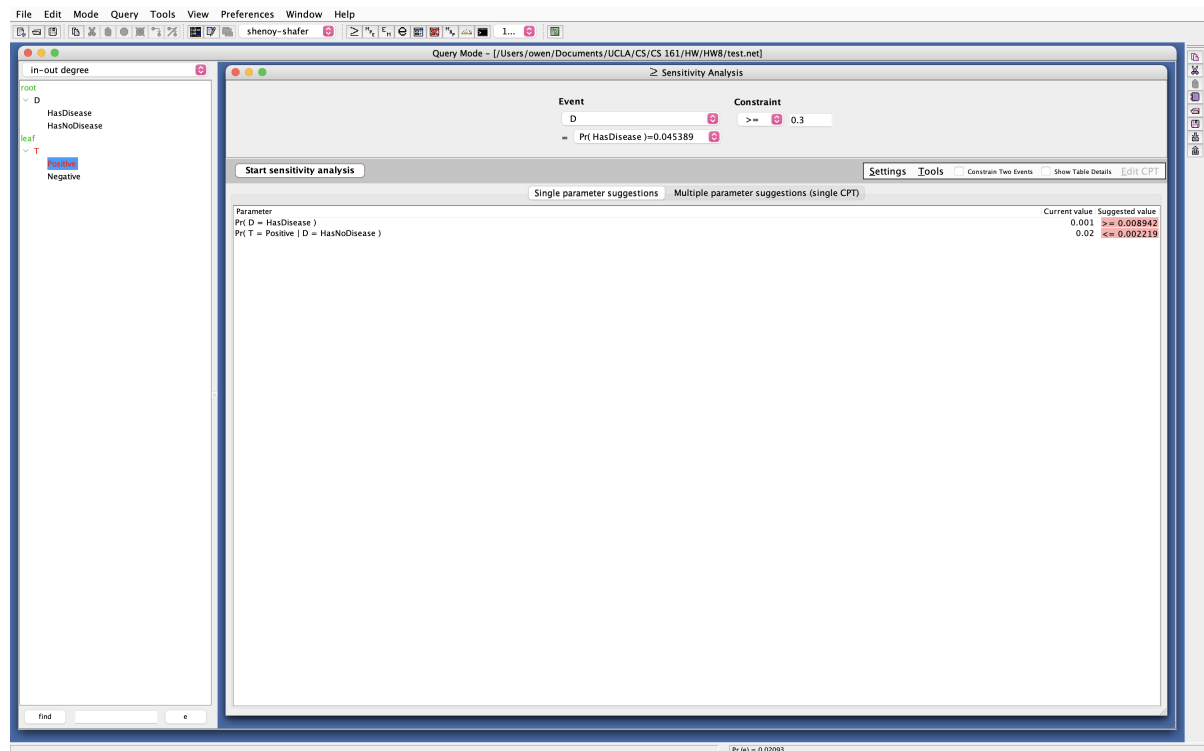


CS 161 HW 8

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1 Question 1:



By the attached image above, we see that in order to ensure that $Pr(D|T) \geq 0.3$:

- The prior probability of having the disease need to be greater than 0.008942;
- The probability of false positive for the test need to be less than 0.002219;
- The probability of false negative for the test has no constraint.

2 Question 2:

a.

The set of variables and their values:

ExpectingGuests: Yes/No

FamilyHome: Yes/No

SoundSensor: On/Off

LightSensor: On/Off

HearableBarking: Yes/No

Battery: OK/Dead

SoundSensorHealth: OK/Broken

LightSensorHealth: OK/Broken

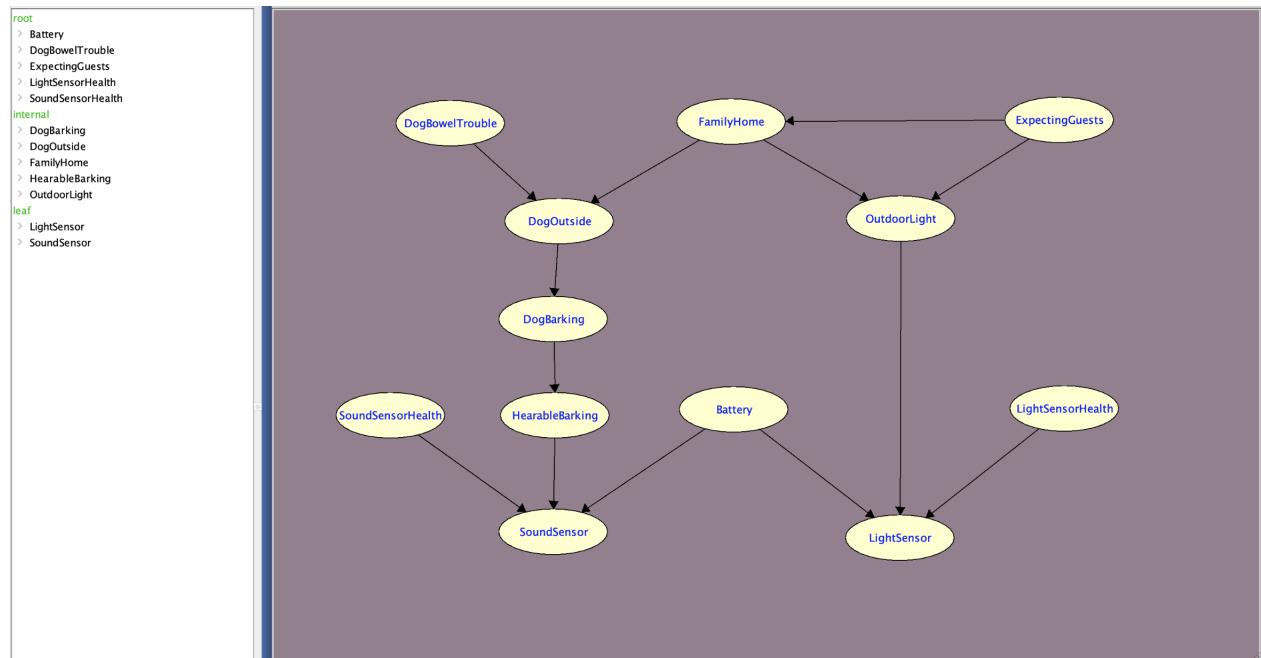
DogBarking: Yes/No

DogOutside: Yes/No

OutdoorLight: On/Off

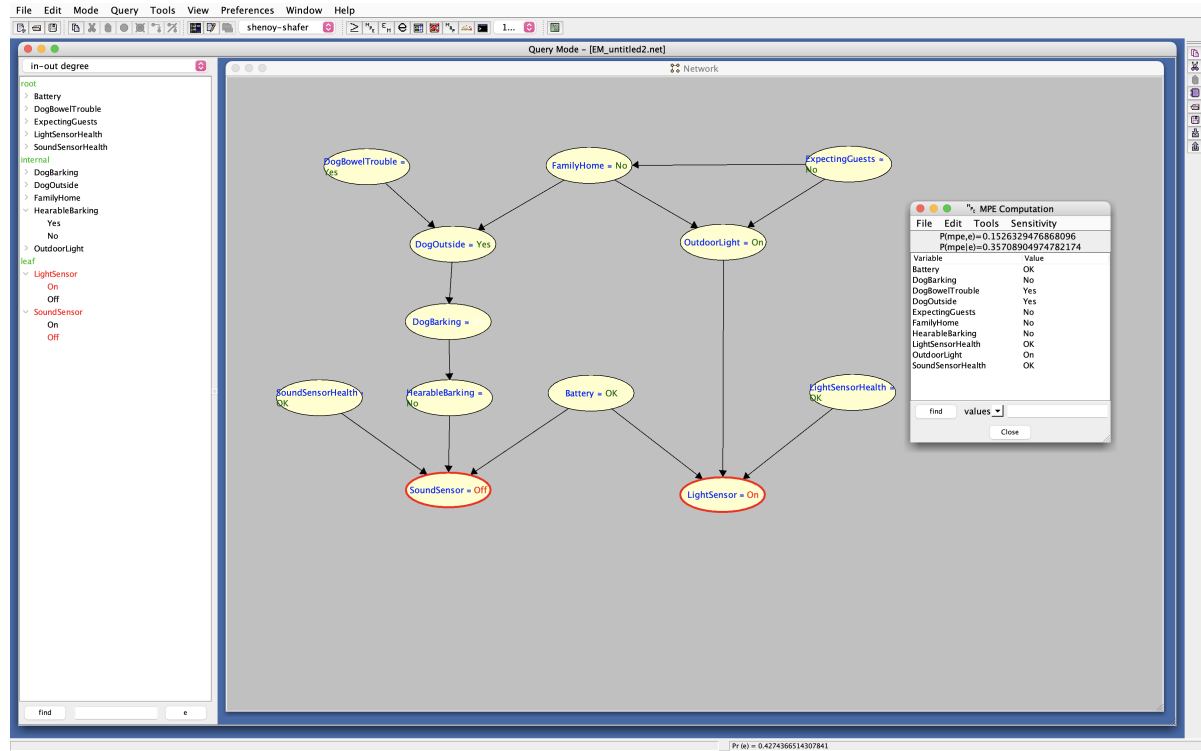
DogBowelTrouble: Yes/No

b.



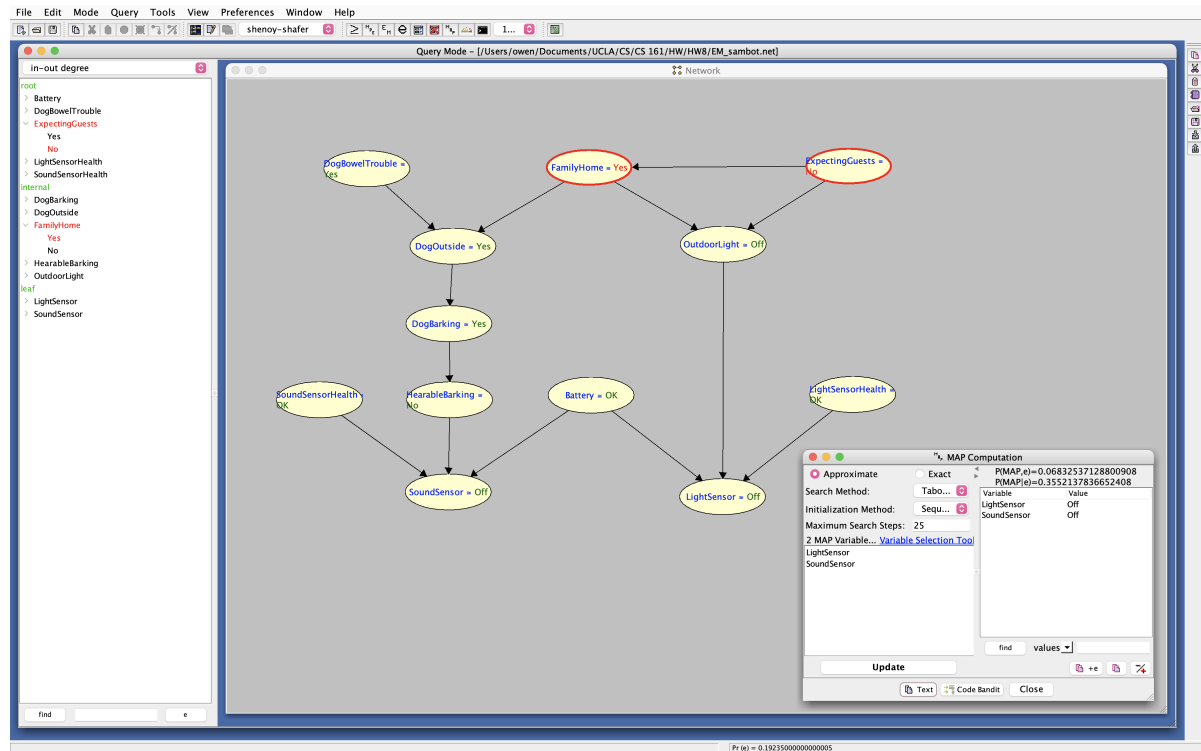
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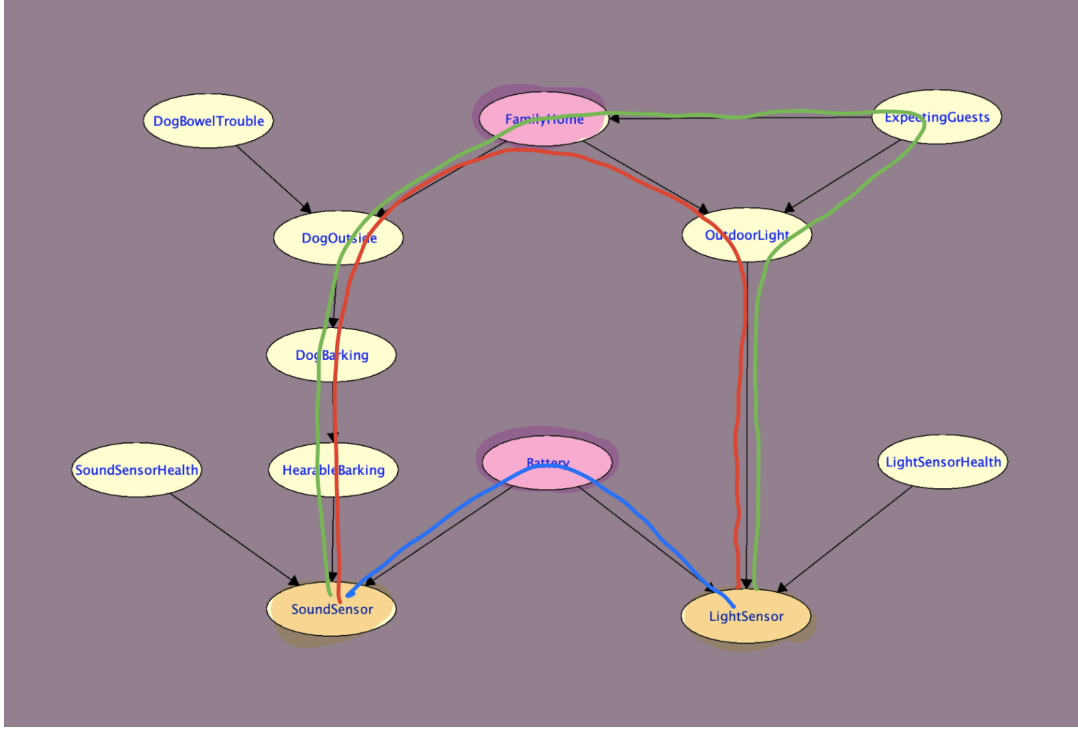
After running the EM algorithm, I switched into Query Mode and set the variable “Sound-Sensor = Off” and “LightSensor = On”. Then in the Query Menu Tab I used MFE Computation to get the result shown in the diagram above, which indicates that the most likely instantiation of all other variables are “Battery = OK”, “DogBarking = No”, “Dog-BowelTrouble = Yes”, “DogOutside = Yes”, “EspectingGuests = No”, “FamilyHome = No”, “HearableBarking = No”, “LightSensorHealth = Ok”, “OutdoorLight = On”, and “SoundSensorHealth = OK”.

ii.



After running the EM algorithm, I switched into Query Mode and set the variable “FamilyHome = Yes” and “ExpectingGuest = No”. Then I used MAP Computation and used Variable Selection Tool to select the variables “LightSensor” and “SoundSensor”. Finally, I derived the results as shown in the image above, which indicates that the most likely instantiation for sensors are “LightSensor = Off” and “SoundSensor = Off”.

iii.



The smallest set is $Z = \{FamilyHome, Battery\}$.

Consider the three possible paths:

For the blue path, we see that $SoundSensor \leftarrow Battery \rightarrow LightSensor$ is a divergent valve, and since $Battery \in Z$, we see this valve is closed, and hence this path is blocked.

For the green path, we see that $ExpectingGuests \rightarrow FamilyHome \rightarrow DogOutside$ is a sequential valve, and since $FamilyHome \in Z$, we see this valve is closed, and hence this path is blocked.

For the red path, we see that $DogOutside \leftarrow FamilyHome \rightarrow OutdoorLight$ is a divergent valve, and since $FamilyHome \in Z$, we see this valve is closed, and hence this path is blocked.

Since all three possible paths are blocked, we see that the two sensors are independent given $Z = \{FamilyHome, Battery\}$.

iv.

The type of network you constructed is a multiply-connected network, as there are multiple paths between two nodes.

For instance, between the nodes “ExpectingGuests” and “OutdoorLight”, there are two paths:

ExpectingGuests \rightarrow FamilyHome \rightarrow OutdoorLight
ExpectingGuests \rightarrow OutdoorLight