

Chapter 10. Directed graphical models (Bayes nets)

10.1.

$C, A, B \rightarrow E, A, B, D \rightarrow F$

10.2.

a. None.

b. C, F .

10.3.

$$\begin{aligned} p(X_i | X_{-i}) &= \frac{p(X)}{p(X_{-i})} = \frac{p(X)}{\sum_{X_i} p(X)} = \frac{\prod_j p(Y_j | \text{pa}(Y_j))}{\sum_{X_i} \prod_j p(Y_j | \text{pa}(Y_j))} \\ &= \frac{p(X_i | \text{par}(X_i)) \prod_{Y_j \in \text{ch}(X_i)} p(Y_j | \text{par}(Y_j))}{\sum_{X_i} p(X_i | \text{par}(X_i)) \prod_{Y_j \in \text{ch}(X_i)} p(Y_j | \text{par}(Y_j))}. \end{aligned}$$

10.4.

a. $p(X_{1:6}) = \sum_n (\prod_{i=1}^3 p(X_i)) (\prod_{j=4}^6 p(X_j | H = h)) p(H = h | X_{1:3})$.

Number of free parameters: $p(X_1) : 1, p(X_2) : 1, p(X_3) : 1, p(X_4 | H = h) : 2, p(X_5 | H = h) : 2, p(X_6 | H = h) : 2, p(H = h | X_{1:3}) : 8$.

Total : 17

b. $p(X_{1:6}) = \sum_n (\prod_{i=1}^3 p(X_i)) p(X_4 | X_{1:3}) p(X_5 | X_{1:4}) p(X_6 | X_{1:5})$.

Number of free parameters: $p(X_1) : 1, p(X_2) : 1, p(X_3) : 1, p(X_4 | X_{1:3}) : 8, p(X_5 | X_{1:4}) : 16, p(X_6 | X_{1:5}) : 32$. Total : 59

c. For binary features doing so becomes easier, because we have less number of free parameters.

10.5.

- a. $P(S = 1|V = 1) = P(S = 1) = P(S = 1|G = 0)P(G = 0) + P(S = 1|G = 1)P(G = 1) = \alpha(1 - \gamma) + (1 - \alpha)(1 - \beta)$.
- b. $P(S = 1|V = 0) = P(S = 1) = P(S = 1|V = 1)$.
- c. $\hat{\delta} = 0, \hat{\alpha} = 1/3, \hat{\gamma} = 1, \hat{\beta} = 0$.

10.6.

- a. $p(x_2 = S) = 0.85, p(x_2 = B) = 0.15$.
 $p(x_2 = S|x_4 = T) \simeq 0.872, p(x_2 = B|x_4 = T) \simeq 0.128$, therefore, the fish is much more likely to be a salmon.
- b. $p(x_1|x_3 = M, x_4 = T) = p(x_1|x_2 = S)p(x_2 = S|x_3 = M, x_4 = T) + p(x_1|x_2 = B)p(x_2 = B|x_3 = M, x_4 = T)$.

$$p(x_2|x_3 = M, x_4 = T) = \frac{p(x_3 = M|x_2)p(x_4 = T|x_2)p(x_2)}{\sum_f p(x_3 = M|x_2 = f)p(x_4 = T|x_2 = f)p(x_2 = f)}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_2) &= \sum_s p(x_2|x_1 = s)p(x_1 = s) = [0.6, 0.4] \\ \Rightarrow p(x_2|x_3 = M, x_4 = T) &\simeq [0.99832, 0.00168] \\ p(x_1|x_2 = S) &\simeq [0.375, 0.125, 0.167, 0.333] \\ p(x_1|x_2 = B) &\simeq [0.0625, 0.4375, 0.375, 0.125] \\ \Rightarrow p(x_1|x_3 = M, x_4 = T) &\simeq [0.3745, 0.1256, 0.167, 0.333] \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the season is most likely to be spring.

10.7.

- a. $p(\mathbf{z}_{1:3}|x_1, x_2, x_4) = p(z_1|x_1, x_2, x_4)p(z_2|x_2)p(z_3|x_4)$.
- b. By Noisy-OR assumption, if child node is off, all parents' link to that node fails, so it becomes removable, just marginalizing out from the prior.

10.8.

$$\begin{aligned} p(\mathbf{d}|\mathbf{f}^-) &\propto p(\mathbf{d})p(\mathbf{f}^-|\mathbf{d}) \\ p(\mathbf{d}) &= \prod_i p(d_i), \text{ so this can be done in } O(|\mathbf{d}|) \text{ times.} \\ p(\mathbf{f}^-|\mathbf{d}) &= \prod_j p(f_j^-|\mathbf{d}) = \prod_j \text{sigm}(\mathbf{w}_j^T \mathbf{d}_{\text{parent}(f_j^-)}), \text{ so this can be done in } \\ &O(|\mathbf{d}||\mathbf{f}^-|) \text{ times.} \\ \text{Hence the total time complexity is } &O(|\mathbf{d}||\mathbf{f}^-|). \end{aligned}$$

10.9.

$X \rightarrow Y \leftarrow Z$ moralizes to cycle of $X - Y - Z - X$. There is no addition in conditional independence statement sets by this operation.