

CS 480

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

November 15, 2022

Announcements / Reminders

- Follow Week 13 TO DO List
- Programming Assignment #02 due on **Sunday (11/20/22)** at 11:00 PM CST
- Grading TA assignment:
https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1ExS0bKnGt_fdf4LHa3YS1qRA7-lq4xqXVjfSAPMaGVk/edit?usp=sharing
- UPDATED Final Exam date:
 - **December 1st, 2022 (last week of classes!)**
 - Ignore the date provided by the Registrar

Plan for Today

- **Decision Networks**
- **Markov models [BONUS MATERIAL]**
- **Fuzzy logic [BONUS MATERIAL]**
- **Bio-Inspired AI [BONUS MATERIAL]**

Decision Network (Influence Diagram)

Decision networks (also called influence diagrams) are structures / mechanisms for making rational decisions.

Decision networks are based on Bayesian networks, but include additional nodes that represent **actions** and **utilities**.

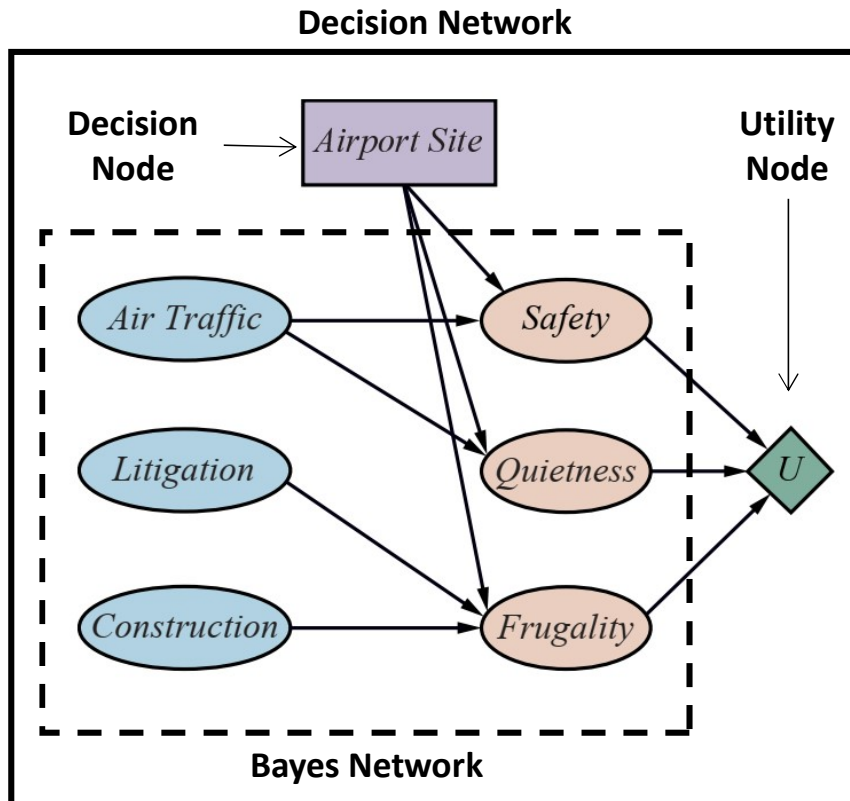
Decision Networks

The most basic decision network needs to include:

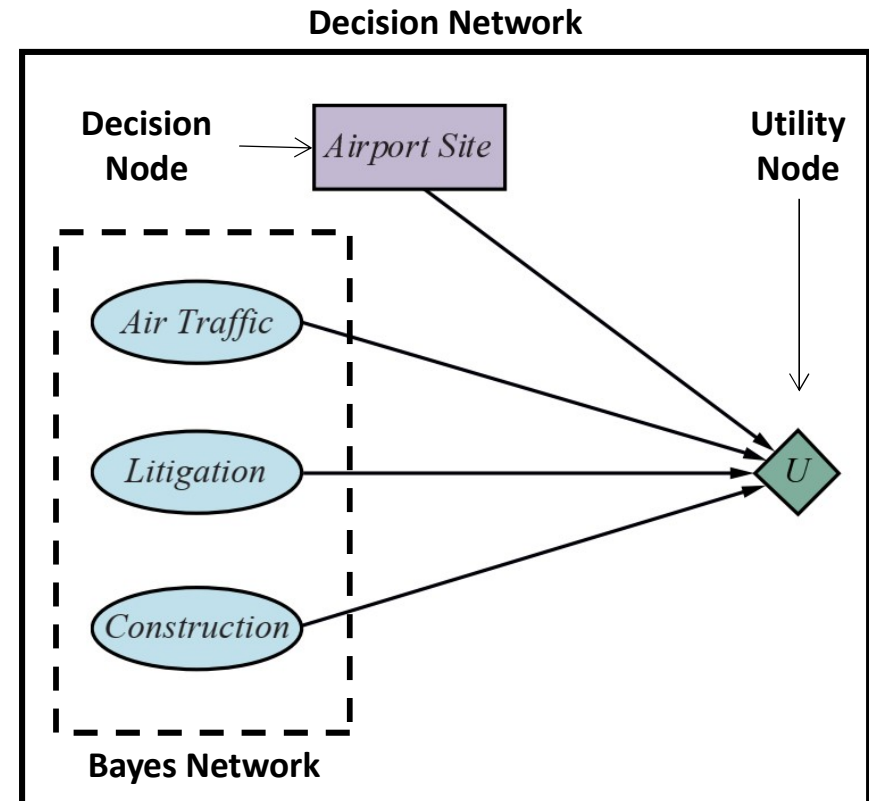
- information about current state s
- possible actions
- resulting state s' (after applying chosen action a)
- utility of the resulting state $U(s')$

(Single-Stage) Decision Networks

General Structure

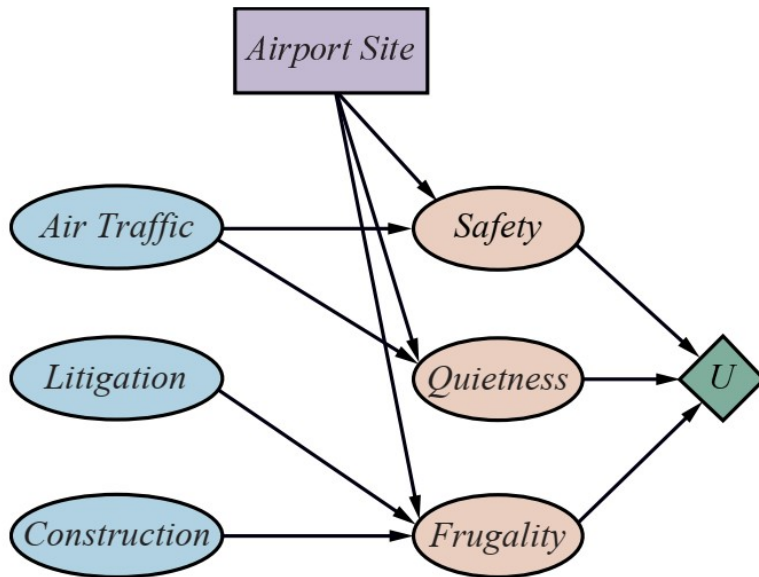


Simplified Structure



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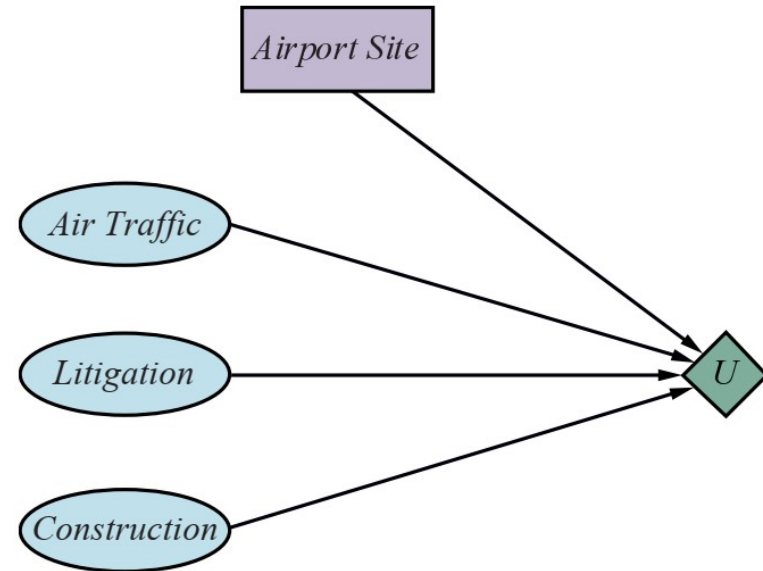
General Structure



Utility Table

S	low	low	low	low	high	high	high	high
Q	low	low	high	high	low	low	high	high
F	low	high	low	high	low	high	low	high
U	10	20	5	50	70	150	100	200

Simplified Structure



Action-Utility Table (not all columns shown)

AT	low	low	low	---	---	high	high	high
L	low	low	high	---	---	low	high	high
C	low	high	low	---	---	high	low	high
AS	A	A	A	---	---	B	B	B
U	10	20	5	---	---	150	100	200

Decision Network: Evaluation

The algorithm for decision network evaluation is as follows:

1. Set the evidence variables for the current state
2. For each possible value a of decision node:
 - a. Set the decision node to that value
 - b. Calculate the posterior probabilities for the parent nodes of the utility node
 - c. Calculate the utility for the action / value a
3. Return the action with highest utility

Agent's Decisions

Recall that agent **ACTIONS** change the state:

- if we are in state **s**
- action **a** is expected to
- lead to another state **s'** (outcome)

Given uncertainty about the current state **s** and action outcome **s'** we need to define the following:

- probability (belief) of being in state **s**: $P(\mathbf{s})$
- probability (belief) of action **a** leading to outcome **s'**: $P(\mathbf{s}' \mid \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{a})$

Now:

$$P(\mathbf{s}' \mid \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{a}) = P(\text{RESULT}(\mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{s}') = \sum_s P(\mathbf{s}) * P(\mathbf{s}' \mid \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{a})$$

Expected Action Utility

The **expected utility** of an action **a** given the evidence is the **average utility value** of all **possible outcomes s'** of action **a**, **weighted by their probability (belief) of occurrence**:

$$EU(a) = \sum_{s'} \sum_s P(s) * P(s' | s, a) * U(s') = \sum_{s'} P(Result(a) = s') * U(s')$$

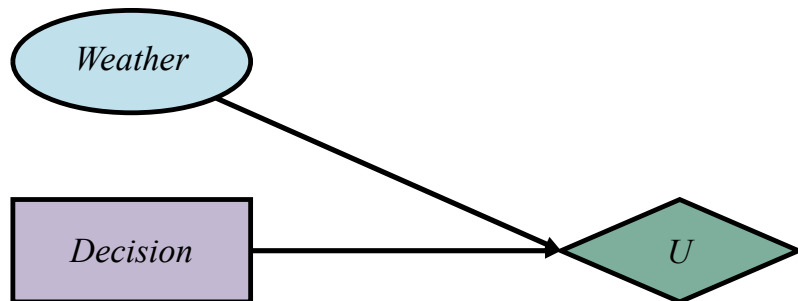
Rational agent should choose an action that **maximizes the expected utility**:

$$\text{chosen action} = \underset{a}{\operatorname{argmax}} EU(a)$$

Decision Networks: Example

Decision: **take** umbrella

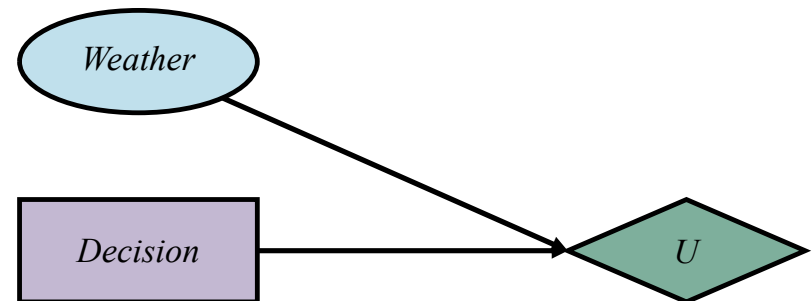
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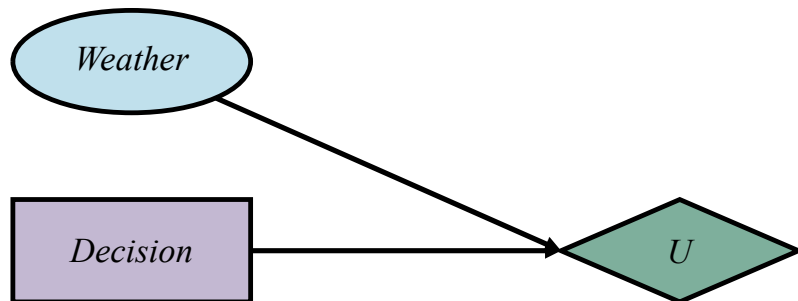
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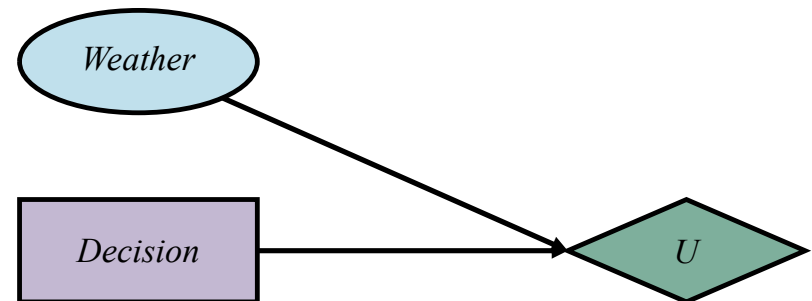
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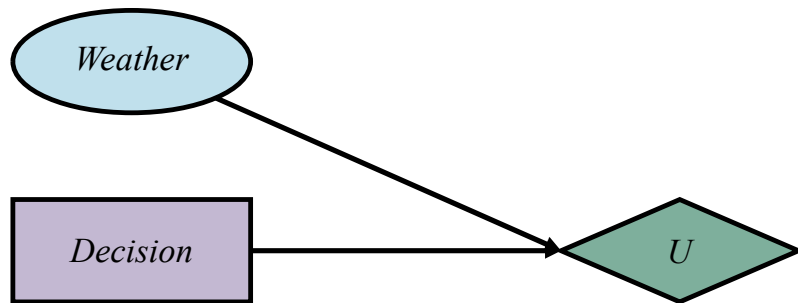
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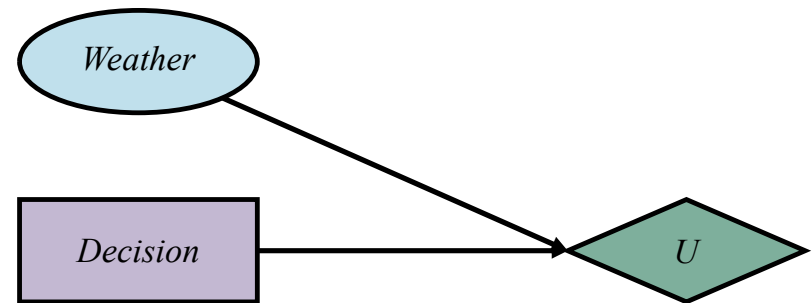
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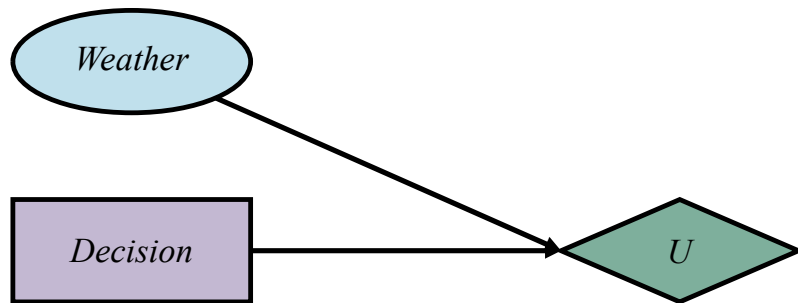
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Which action to choose: **take** or **leave** Umbrella?

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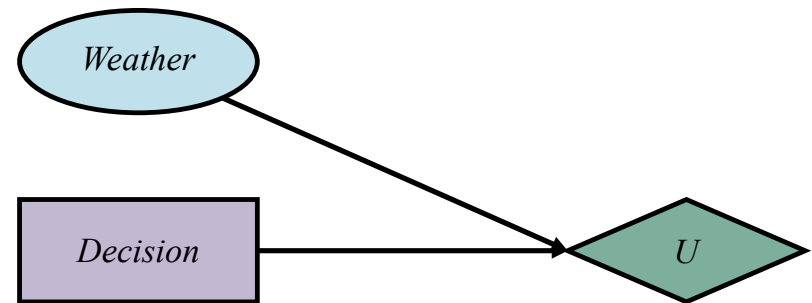
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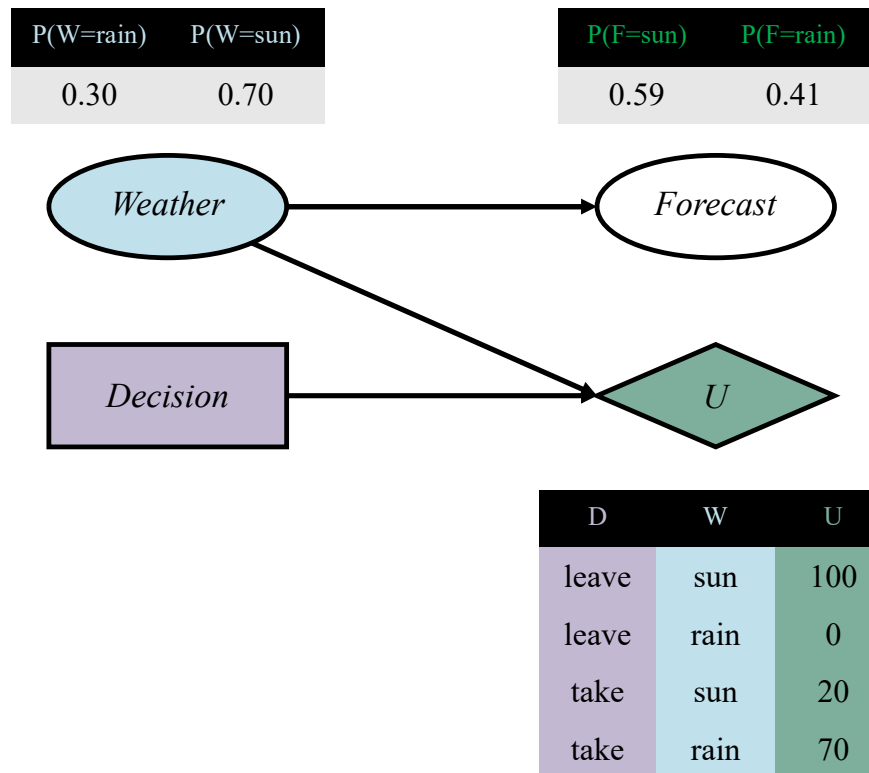
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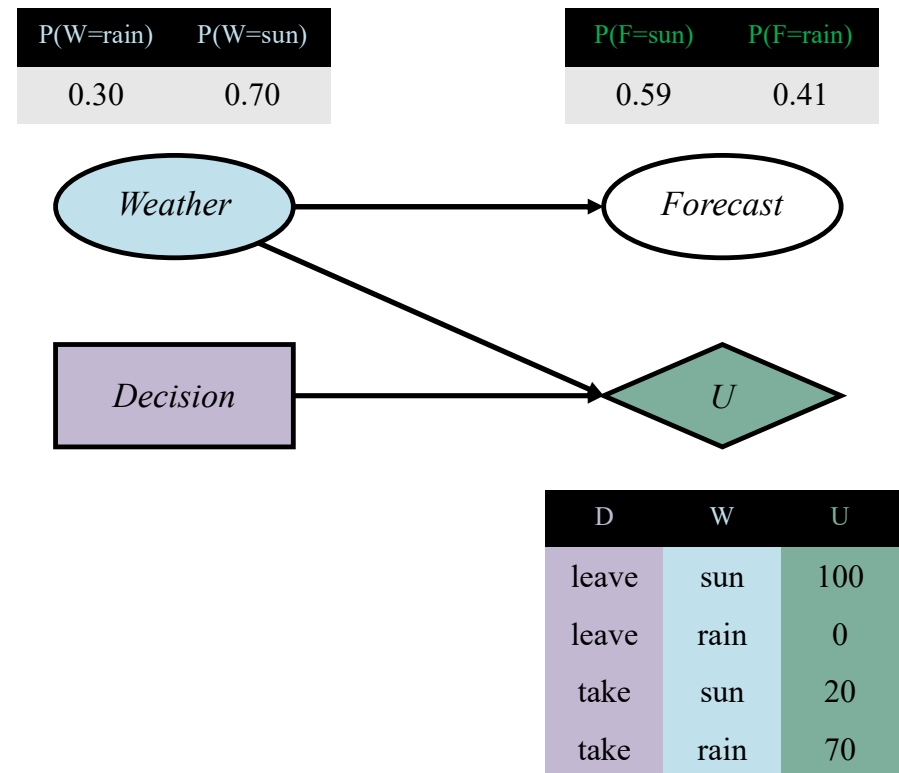
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Decision Networks: Example 2a

Decision: **take** umbrella



Decision: **leave** umbrella



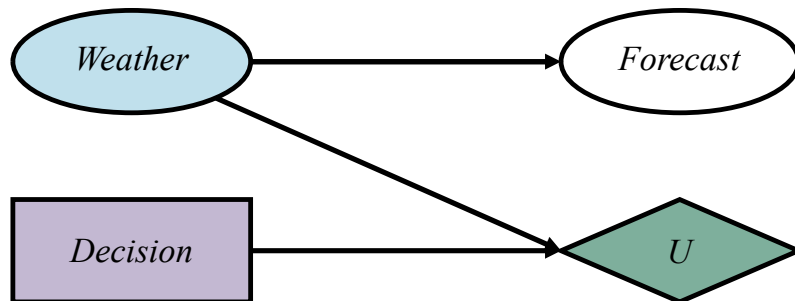
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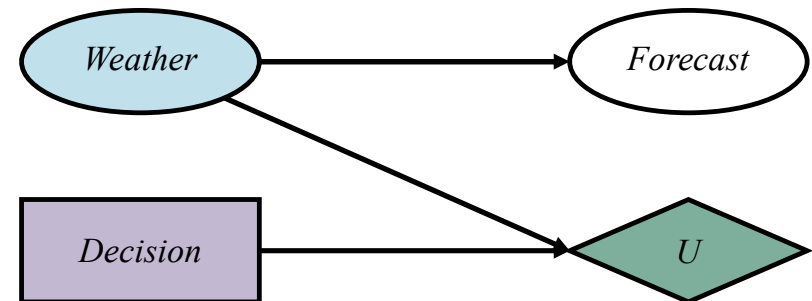
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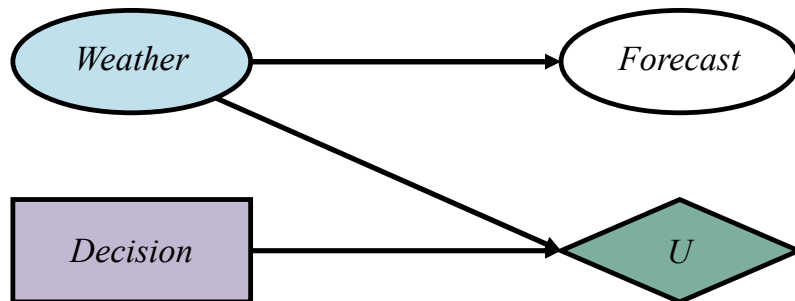
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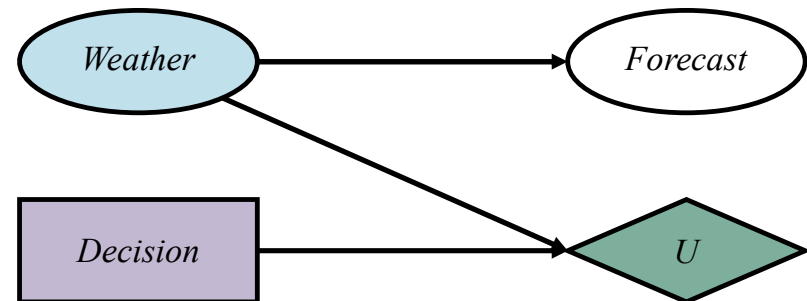
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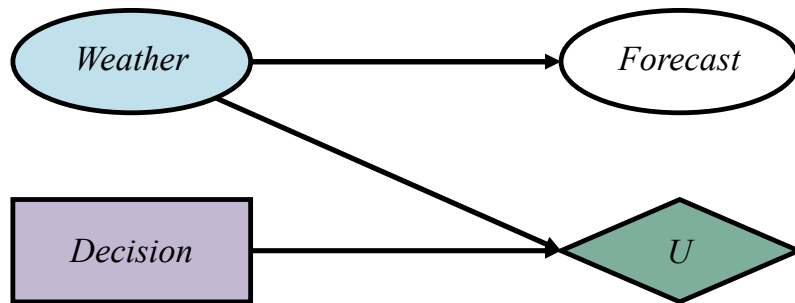
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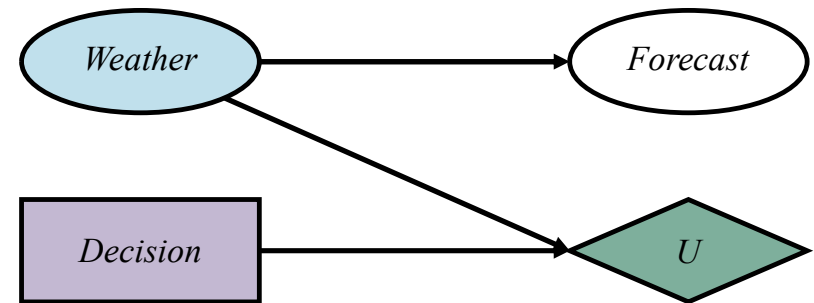
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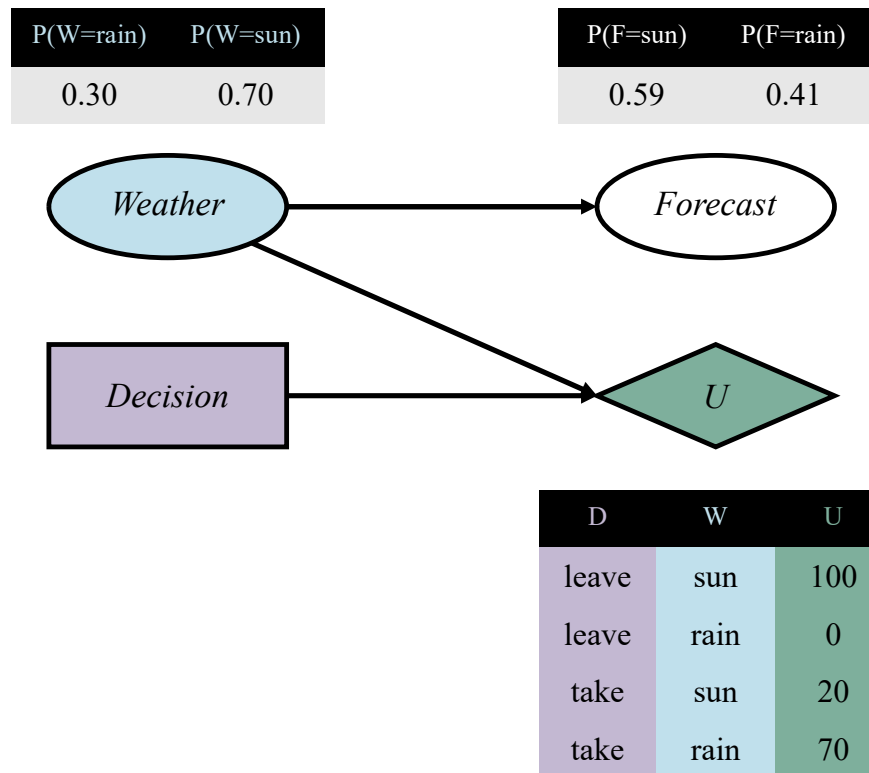
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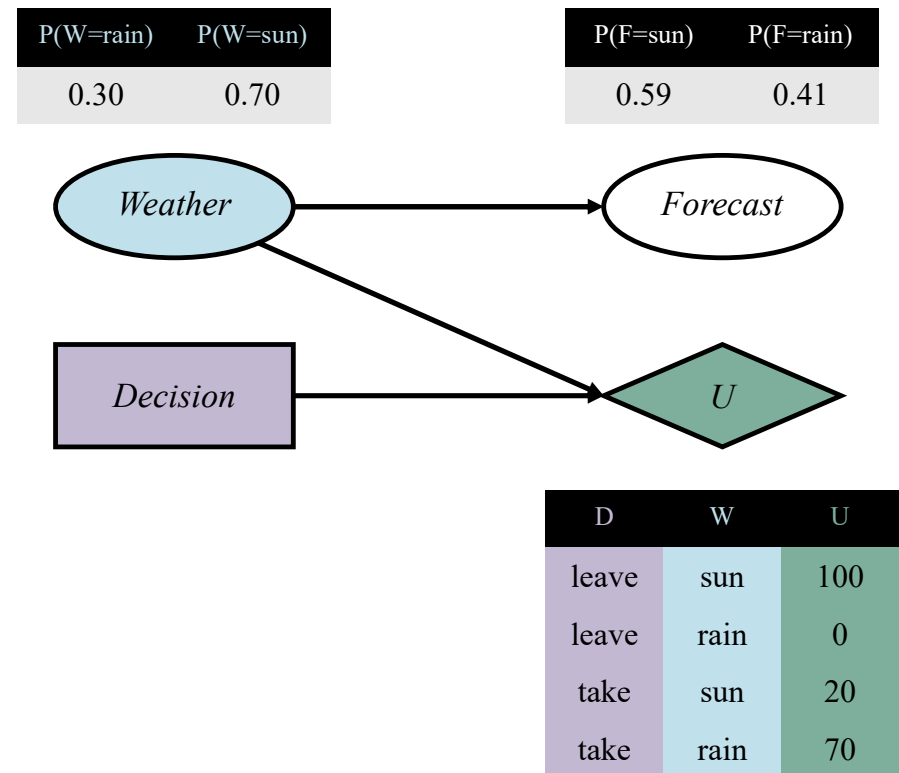
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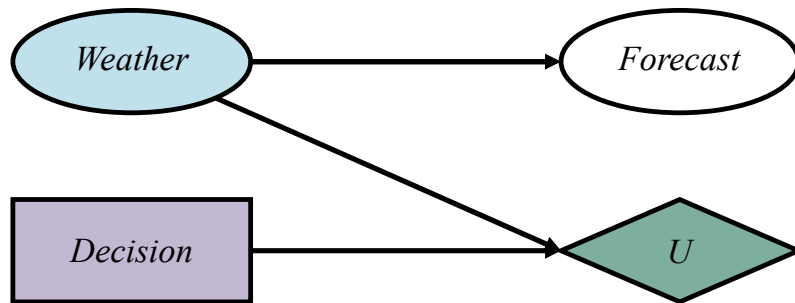
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Decision: **take** umbrella given **e**

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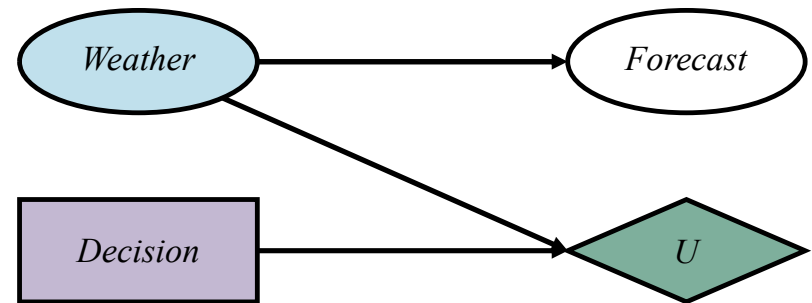
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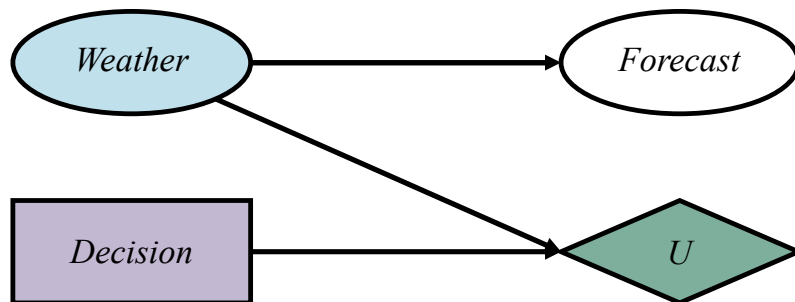
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Conditional probabilities
Assume that we are given:

F	W	P(F W)
sun	sun	0.80
rain	sun	0.20
sun	rain	0.10
rain	rain	0.90

By Bayes' Theorem:

$$P(W = \text{sun} | F = \text{sun}) = \frac{P(F = \text{sun} | W = \text{sun}) * P(W = \text{sun})}{P(F = \text{sun})} = \frac{0.80 * 0.70}{0.59} = 0.95$$

$$P(W = \text{sun} | F = \text{rain}) = \frac{P(F = \text{rain} | W = \text{sun}) * P(W = \text{sun})}{P(F = \text{rain})} = \frac{0.20 * 0.70}{0.41} = 0.34$$

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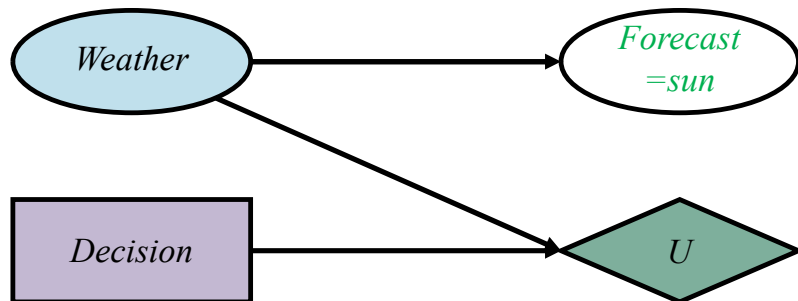
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Decision: **take** umbrella given **sun**

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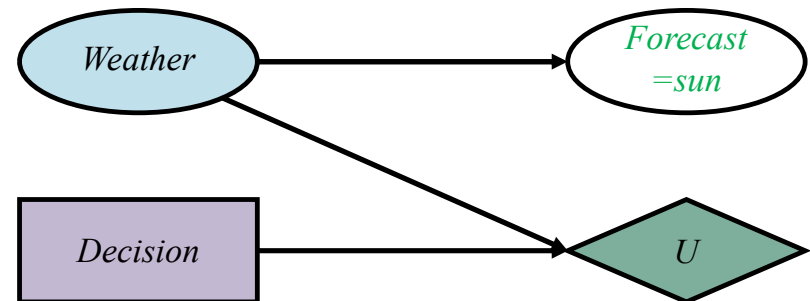
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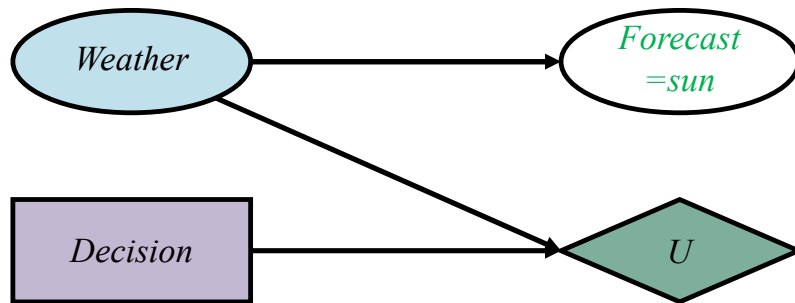
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EU(take) =

$$P(\text{Result}(\text{take})=S_1'|e)*U(S_1') + P(\text{Result}(\text{take})=S_2'|e)*U(S_2') = 0.95 * 20 + 0.05 * 70 = 22.5$$

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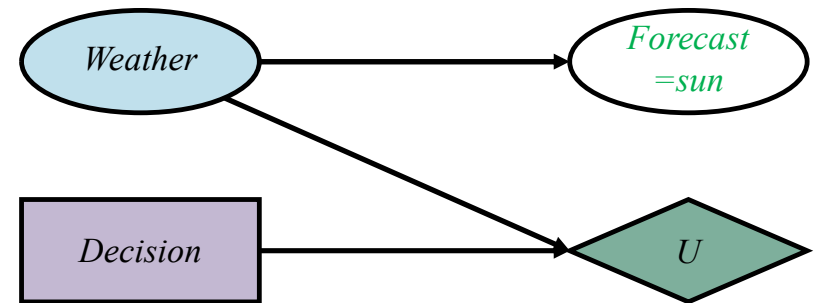
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$$P(\text{Result}(\text{leave})=S_3'|e)*U(S_3') + P(\text{Result}(\text{leave})=S_4'|e)*U(S_4') = 0.95 * 100 + 0.05 * 0 = 95$$

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$$EU(\text{leave given sun forecast}) = 95$$

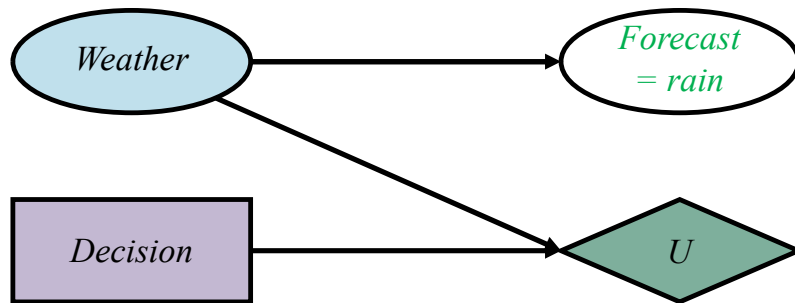
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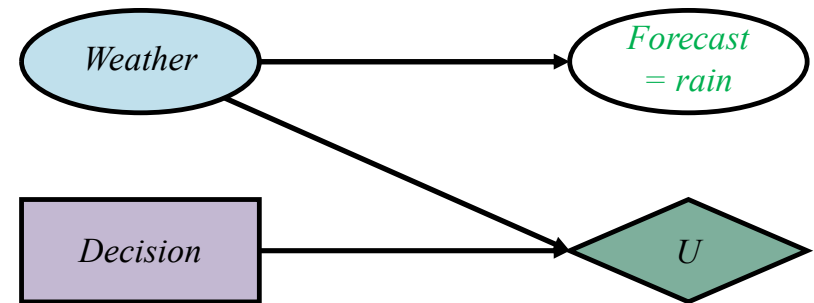
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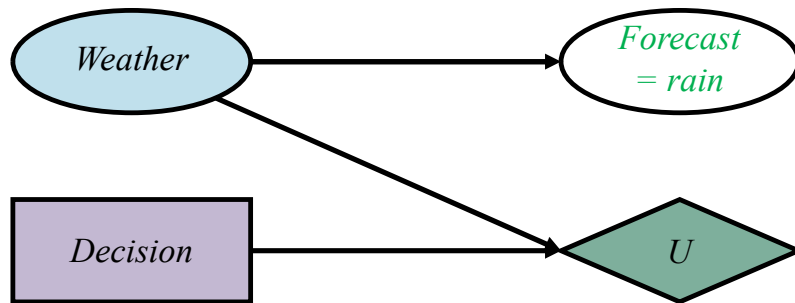
Decision Networks: Example 2b

Decision: **take** umbrella given **rain**

$$EU(a | e) = \sum_{s'} P(\text{Result}(a) = s' | e) * U(s')$$

P(rain F)	P(sun F)
0.66	0.34

P(F=sun)	P(F=rain)
0.59	0.41



S_1' : D = take, W = sun

S_2' : D = take, W = rain

$EU(\text{take}) =$

$$P(\text{Result}(\text{take})=S_1'|e)*U(S_1') + \\ P(\text{Result}(\text{take})=S_2'|e)*U(S_2') = \\ 0.34 * 20 + 0.66 * 70 = 53$$

D	W	U
leave	sun	100
leave	rain	0
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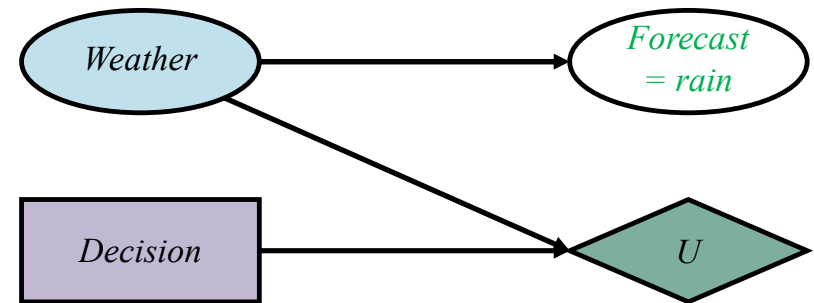
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S_3' : D = leave, W = sun

S_4' : D = leave, W = rain

$EU(\text{leave}) =$

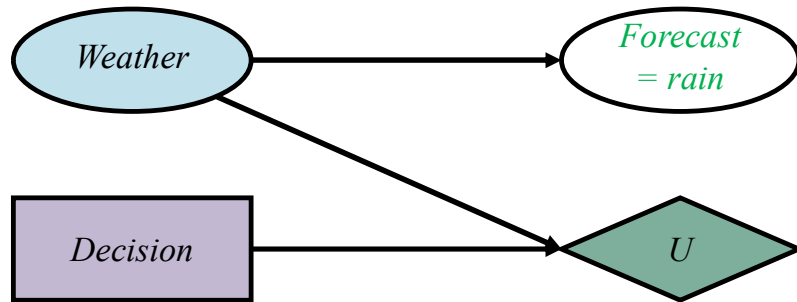
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D	W	U
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take	rain	70

$EU(\text{leave given rain forecast}) = 34$

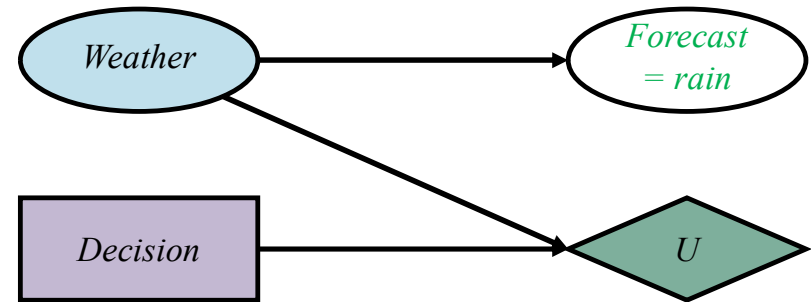
Decision Networks: Example 2b

Decision: **take** umbrella given **rain**



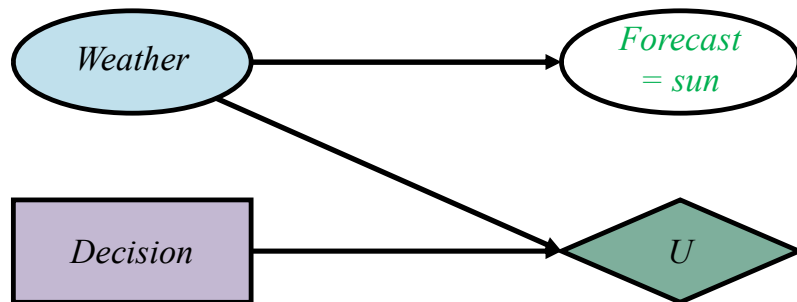
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Decision: **leave** umbrella given **rain**



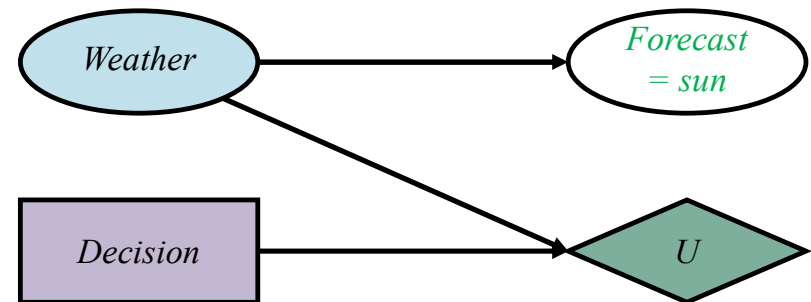
$$EU(\text{leave given rain forecast}) = 34$$

Decision: **take** umbrella given **sun**



$$EU(\text{take given sun forecast}) = 22.5$$

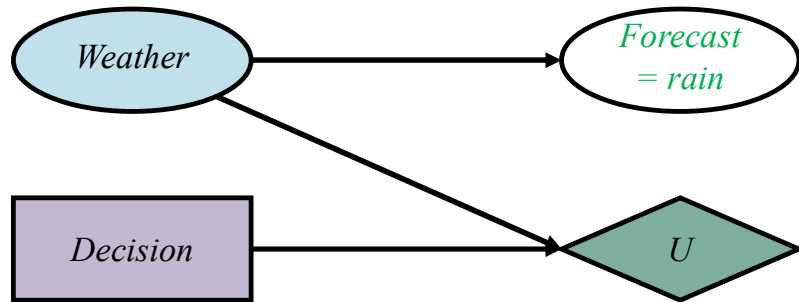
Decision: **leave** umbrella given **sun**



$$EU(\text{leave given sun forecast}) = 95$$

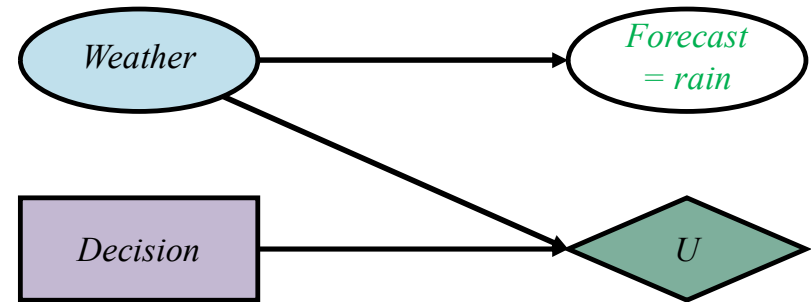
Decision Networks: Example 2b

Decision:take umbrella given rain



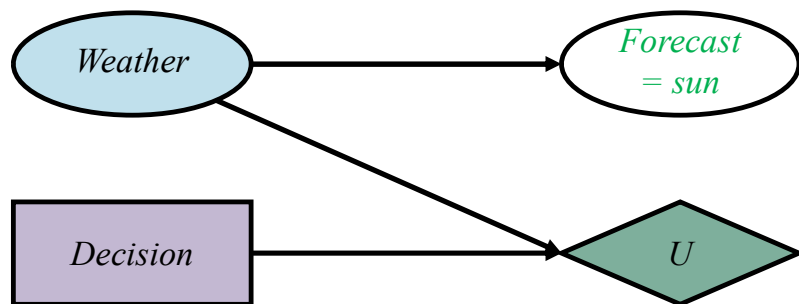
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Decision:leave umbrella given rain



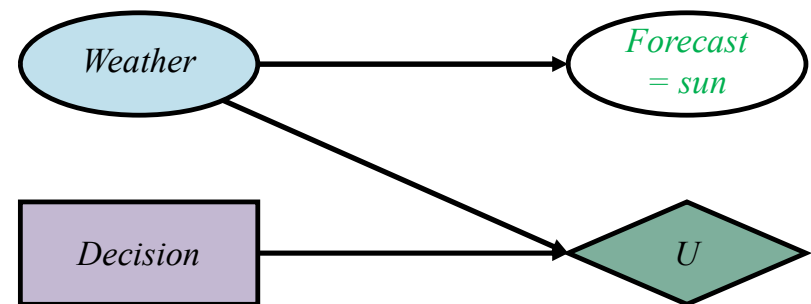
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Decision:take umbrella given sun



$$EU(\text{take given sun forecast}) = 22.5$$

Decision:leave umbrella given sun



$$EU(\text{leave given sun forecast}) = 95$$

Value of Perfect Information

The value/utility of best action α without additional evidence (information) is :

$$MEU(\alpha|\epsilon) = \max_a \sum_{s'} P(Result(a) = s') * U(s')$$

If we include new evidence/information ($E_j = e_j$) given by some variable E_j , value/utility of best action α becomes:

$$MEU(a_{e_j} | e_{j.sss}) = \max_a \sum_{s'} P(Result(a) = s' | e_j) * U(s')$$

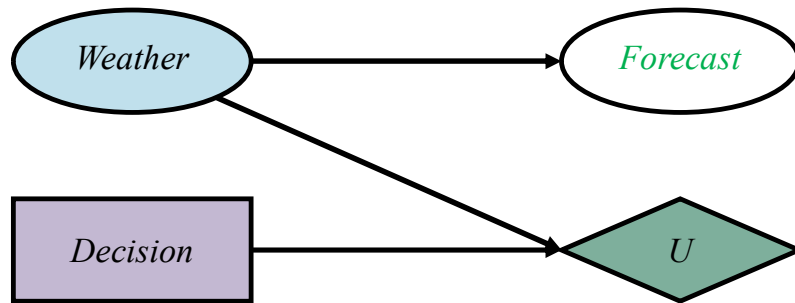
The value of additional evidence/information from E_j is:

$$VPI(E_j) = \left(\sum_{e_j} P(E_j = e_j) * MEU(a_{e_j} | E_j = e_j) \right) - MEU(a)$$

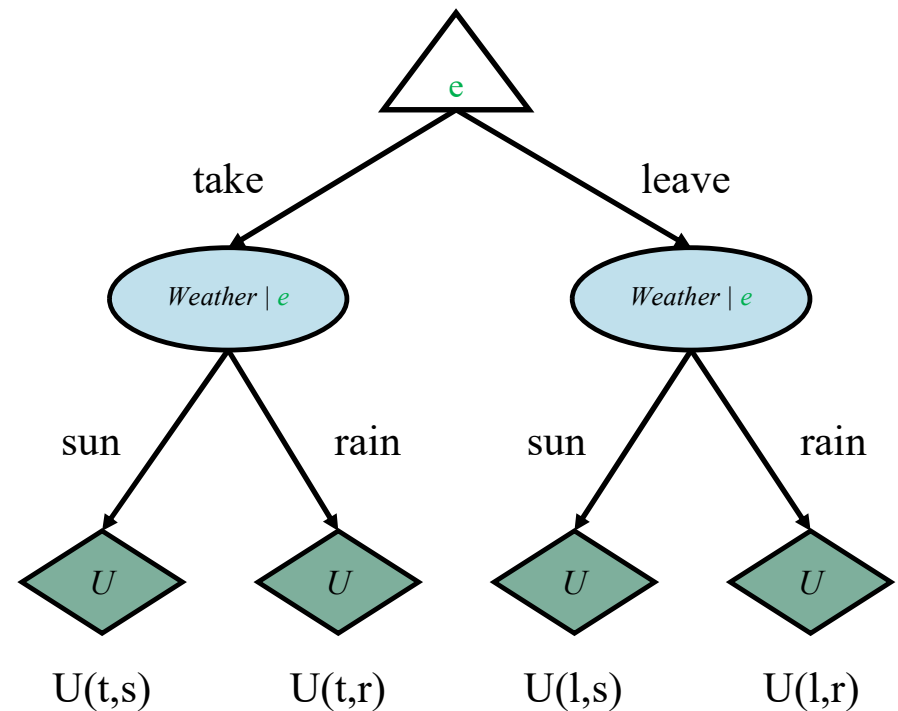
using our current **beliefs** about the world.

Decision Network: Example

Decision network



Outcome tree



The value of best action α without additional evidence

$$MEU(\alpha) = MEU(\text{leave}) = 70$$

With evidence information ($E_j = e_j$) given by Forecast:

$$MEU(a_{e_1} | e_1) = MEU(\text{take} | F = \text{rain}) = 53$$

$$MEU(a_{e_2} | e_2) = MEU(\text{leave} | F = \text{sun}) = 95$$

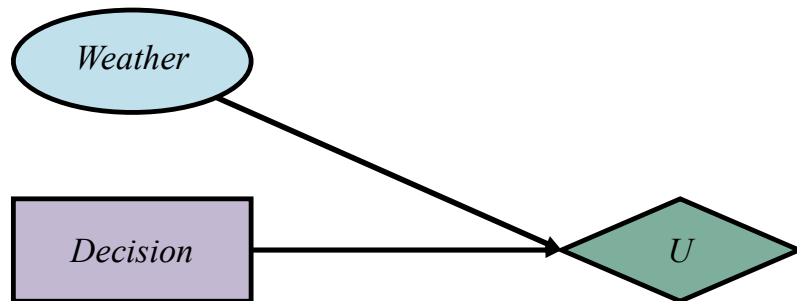
The value of additional evidence / information from F is:

$$VPI(E_j) = \left(\sum_{e_j} P(E_j = e_j) * MEU(a_{e_j} | E_j = e_j) \right) - MEU(\alpha)$$

$$\begin{aligned} VPI(F) &= (P(F = \text{rain}) * MEU(\text{take} | F = \text{rain}) + P(F = \text{sun}) * \\ &\quad MEU(\text{leave} | F = \text{sun})) - MEU(\text{leave}) = \\ &\quad (0.41 * 53 + 0.59 * 95) - 70 = 7.78 \end{aligned}$$

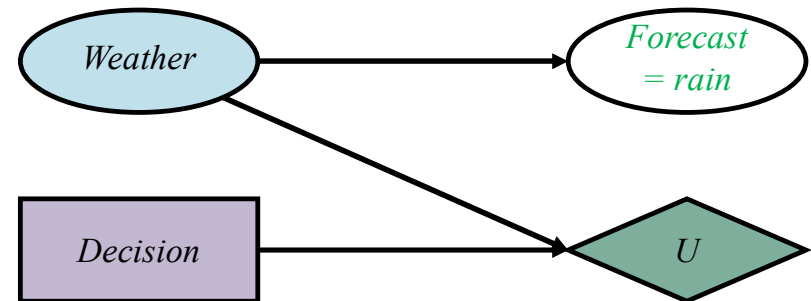
Decision Networks: Example

Decision: **leave** umbrella



$$EU(\text{leave}) = 70$$

Decision: **take** umbrella given **rain**



$$EU(\text{take given rain forecast}) = 53$$

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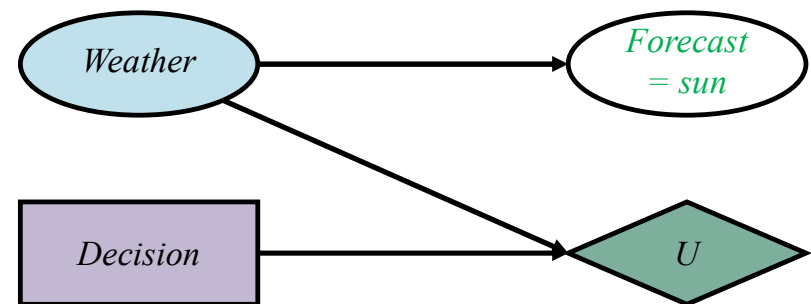
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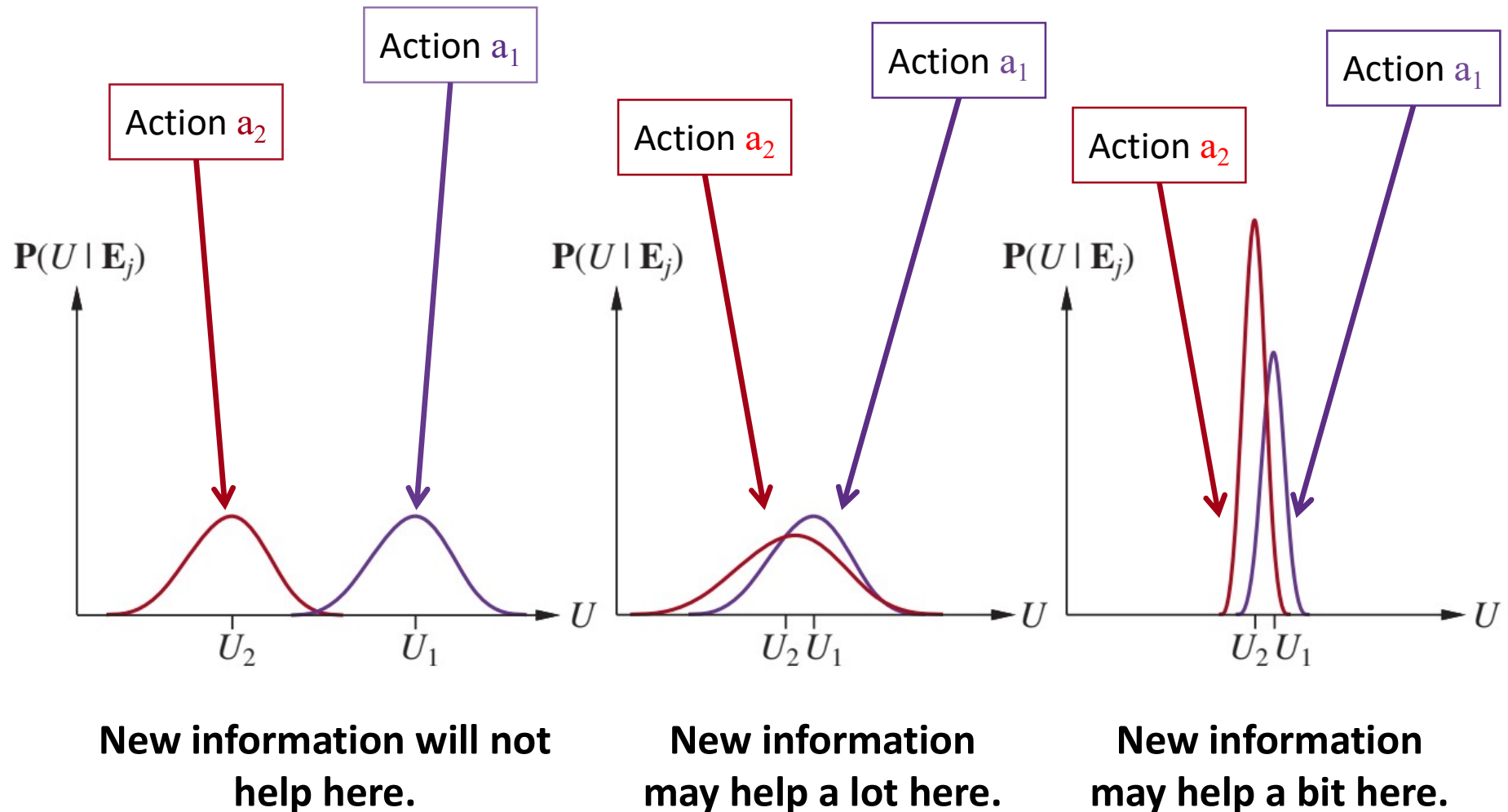
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Decision: **leave** umbrella given **sun**



$$EU(\text{leave given sun forecast}) = 95$$

Utility & Value of Perfect Information



VPI Properties

Given a decision network with possible observations E_j (sources of new information / evidence):

- The expected value of information is nonnegative:

$$\forall_j \text{VPI}(E_j) \geq 0$$

- VPI is not additive:

$$\text{VPI}(E_j, E_k) \neq \text{VPI}(E_j) + \text{VPI}(E_k)$$

- VPI is order-independent:

$$\text{VPI}(E_j, E_k) = \text{VPI}(E_j) + \text{VPI}(E_k | E_j) = \text{VPI}(E_k) + \text{VPI}(E_j | E_k) = \text{VPI}(E_k, E_j)$$

Information Gathering Agent

function INFORMATION-GATHERING-AGENT(*percept*) **returns** an *action*
persistent: D , a decision network

integrate *percept* into D

$j \leftarrow$ the value that maximizes $VPI(E_j) / C(E_j)$

if $VPI(E_j) > C(E_j)$

then return $Request(E_j)$

else return the best action from D

BONUS MATERIAL

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Conditional Independence

Causal Chain:



$$P(M | A, B) = \frac{P(A, B, M)}{P(A, B)} = \frac{P(B) * P(A | B) * P(M | A)}{P(B) * P(A | B)} = P(M | A)$$

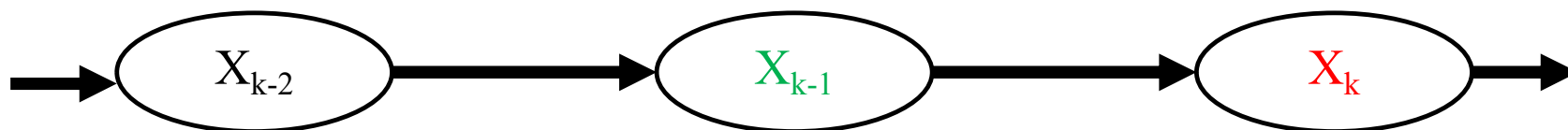
Burglary and **MaryCalls** are **CONDITIONALLY** independent given **Alarm**.

If **Alarm** is given, what “happened before” does not directly influence **MaryCalls**.

Markov Chains / Markov Property

A sequence of random variables $\{X_i\}$ is called a **Markov chain** if it has the **Markov property** (memoryless property):

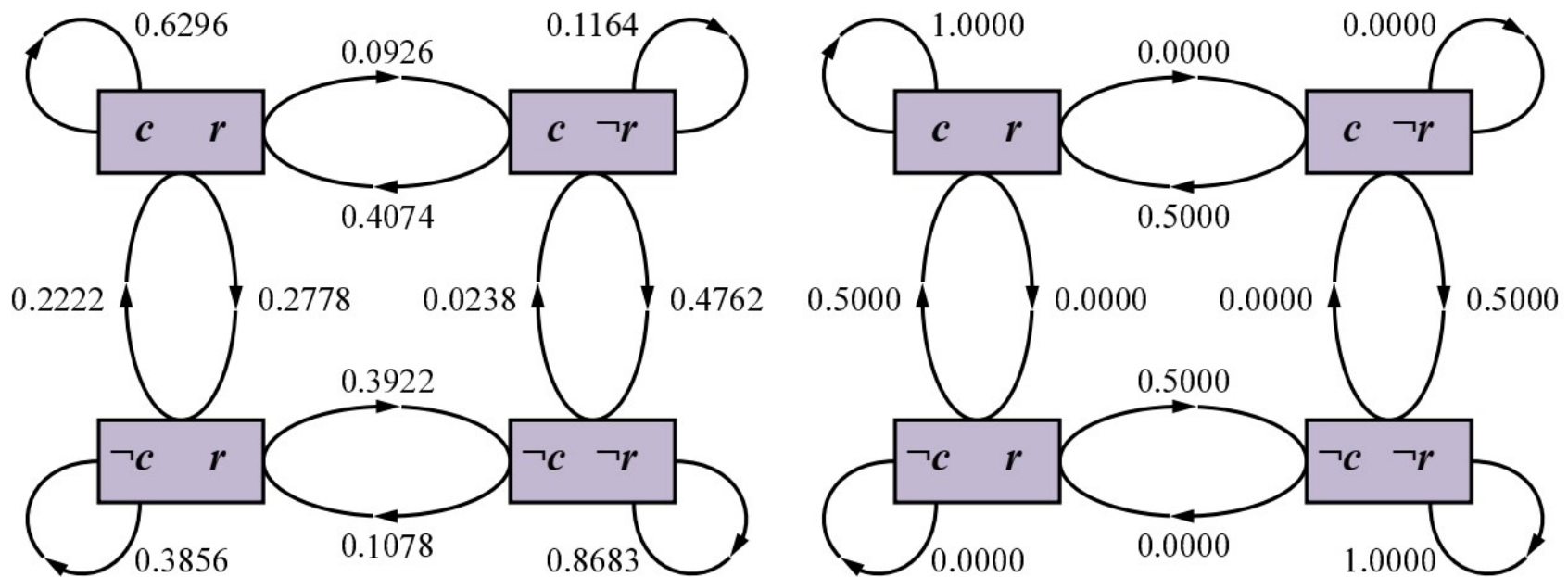
$$P(X_k = a \mid X_{k-1} = b, X_{k-2} = c, \dots, X_1 = z) = P(X_k = a \mid X_{k-1} = b)$$



Markov Model

A **Markov model** is a stochastic model used to model (pseudo-) randomly changing systems.

Its key feature is the **assumption that future states depend only on the current state, not on the events that occurred before it** (it assumes the **Markov property**).



Check out this demo: <https://setosa.io/ev/markov-chains/>

Fuzzy Logic: the Idea

- Boolean (“crisp”) logic

true

false

- Fuzzy (many valued) logic

true

false

Fuzzy Logic: the Idea

- Boolean (“crisp”) logic

cold

hot

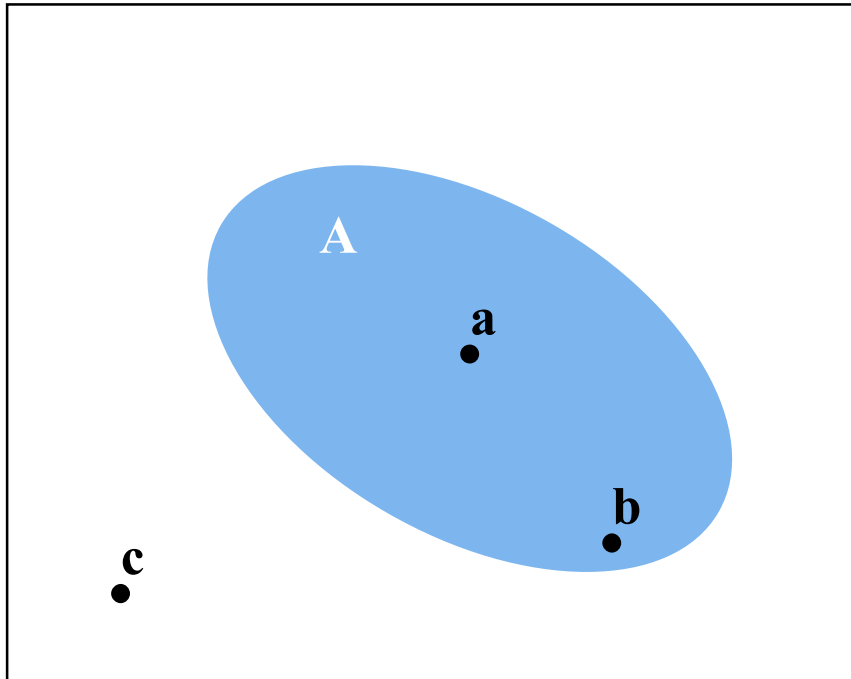
- Fuzzy (many valued) logic

cold warm hot

Fuzzy Logic: Fuzzy Sets

“Crisp” Set A

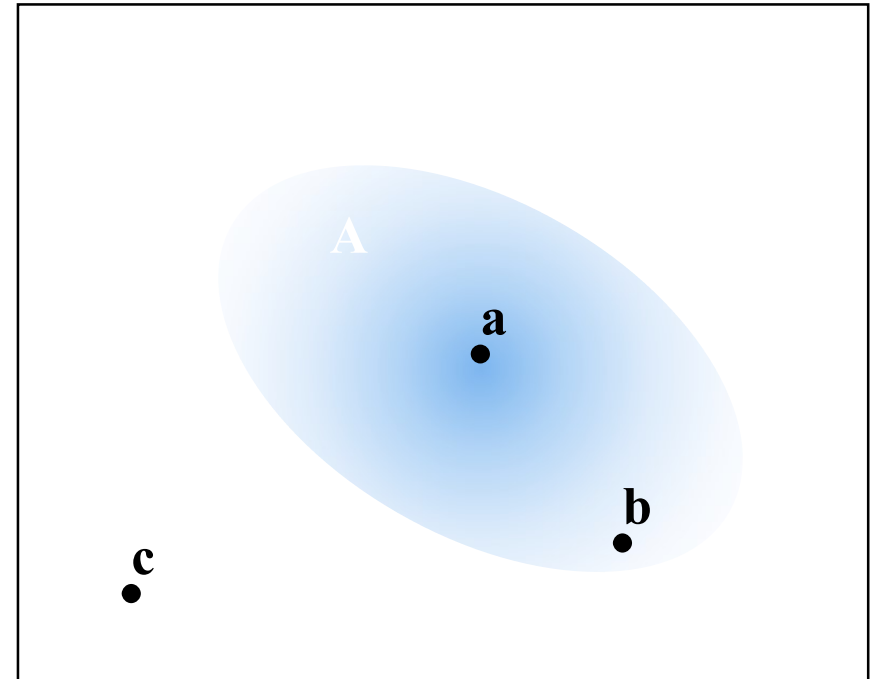
an element is a set member or not



$$\begin{aligned}a &\in A \\ b &\in A \\ c &\notin A\end{aligned}$$

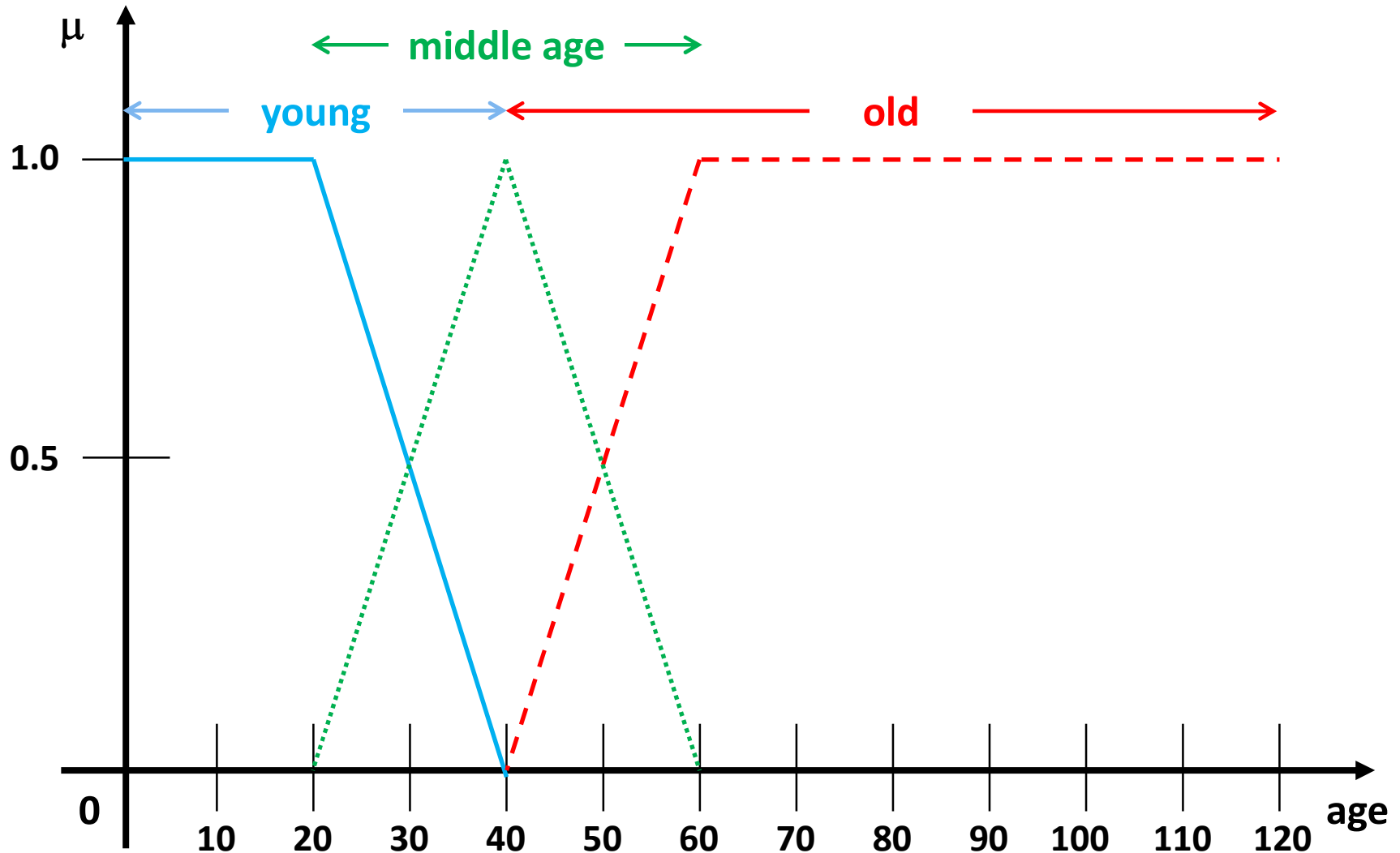
Fuzzy Set A:

an element is a set member
with some membership degree μ

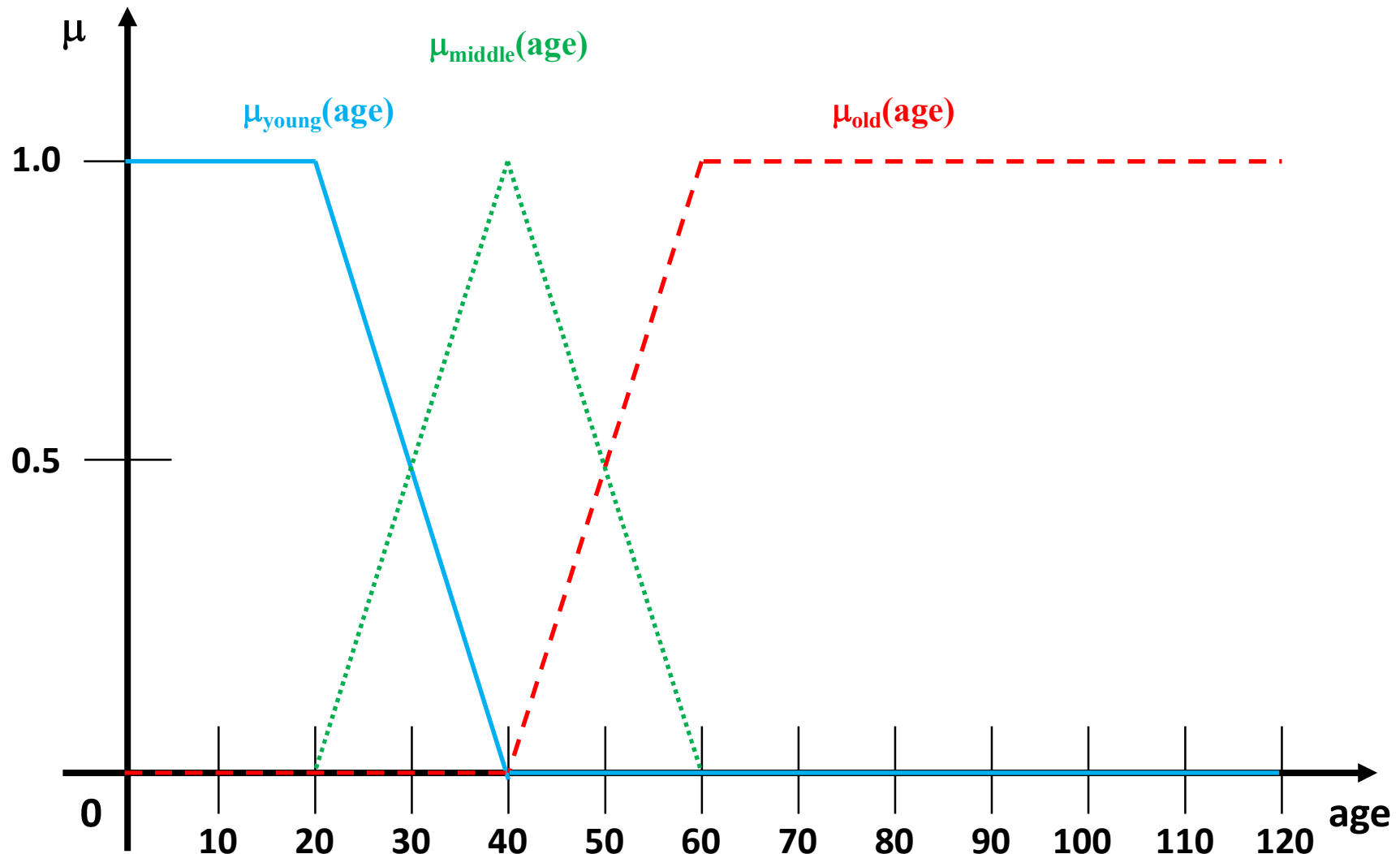


$$\begin{aligned}\mu(a) &= 1.0 \\ \mu(b) &= 0.1 \\ \mu(c) &= 0.0\end{aligned}$$

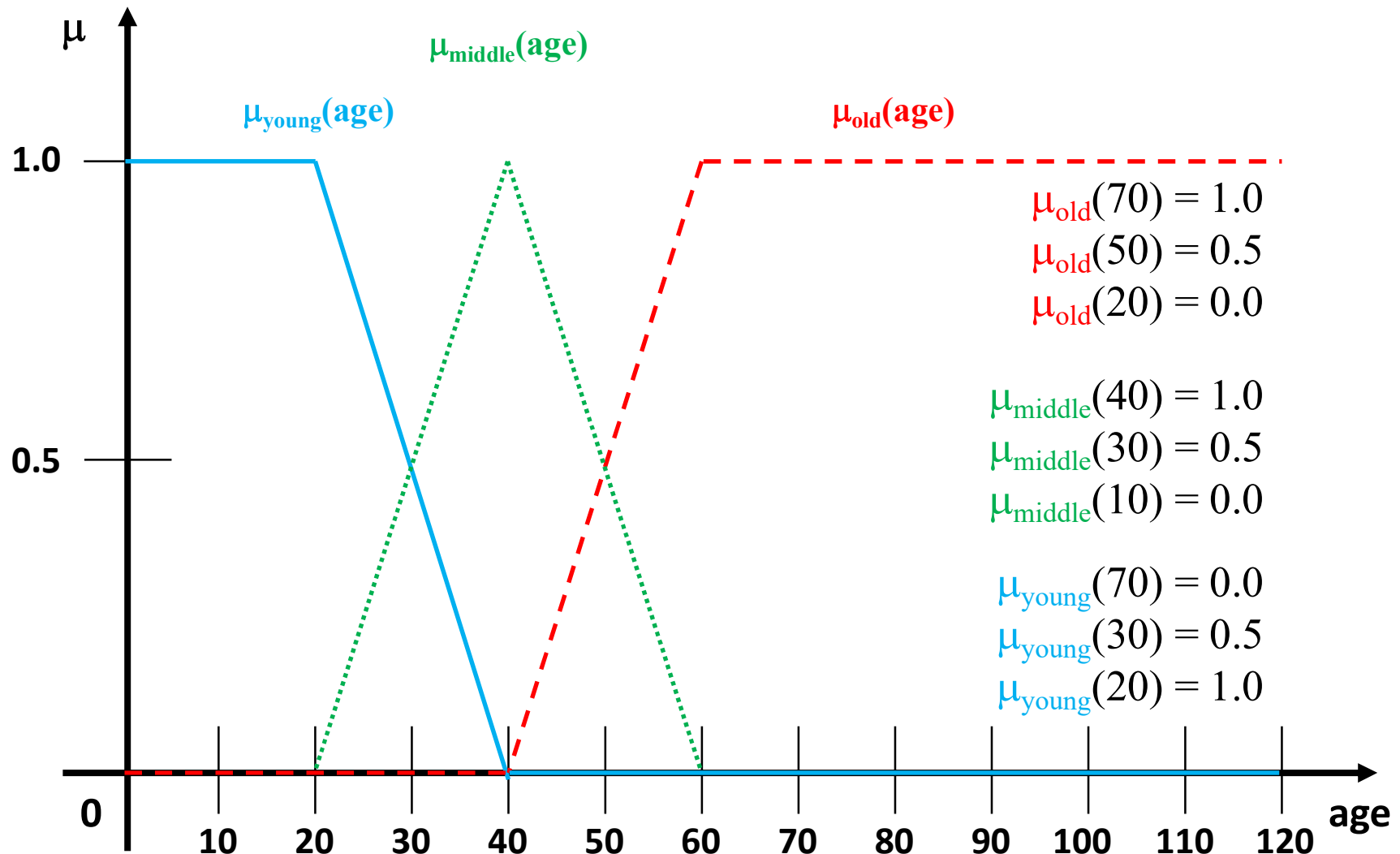
Fuzzy Logic: Fuzzy Sets



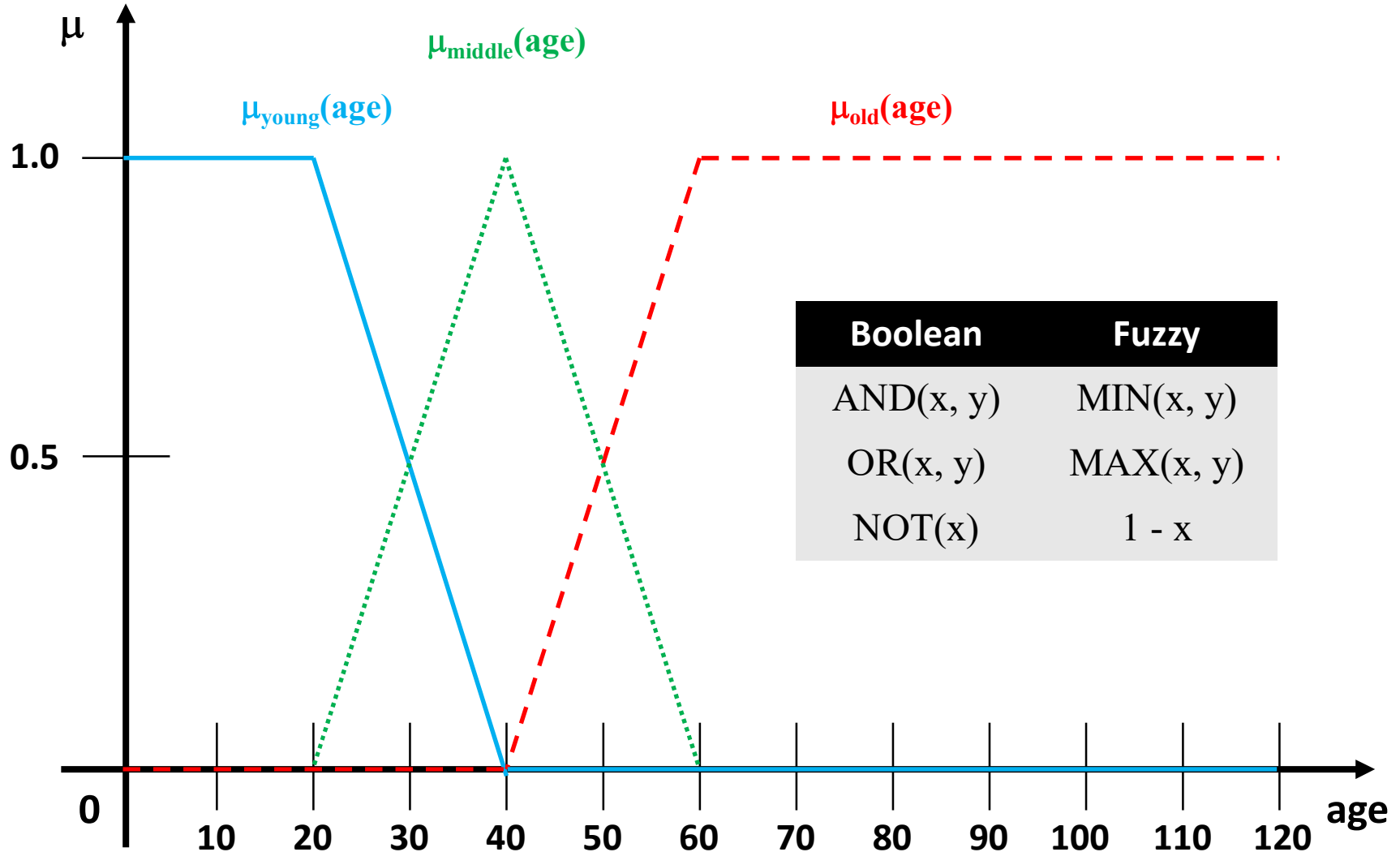
Fuzzy Logic: Membership Functions



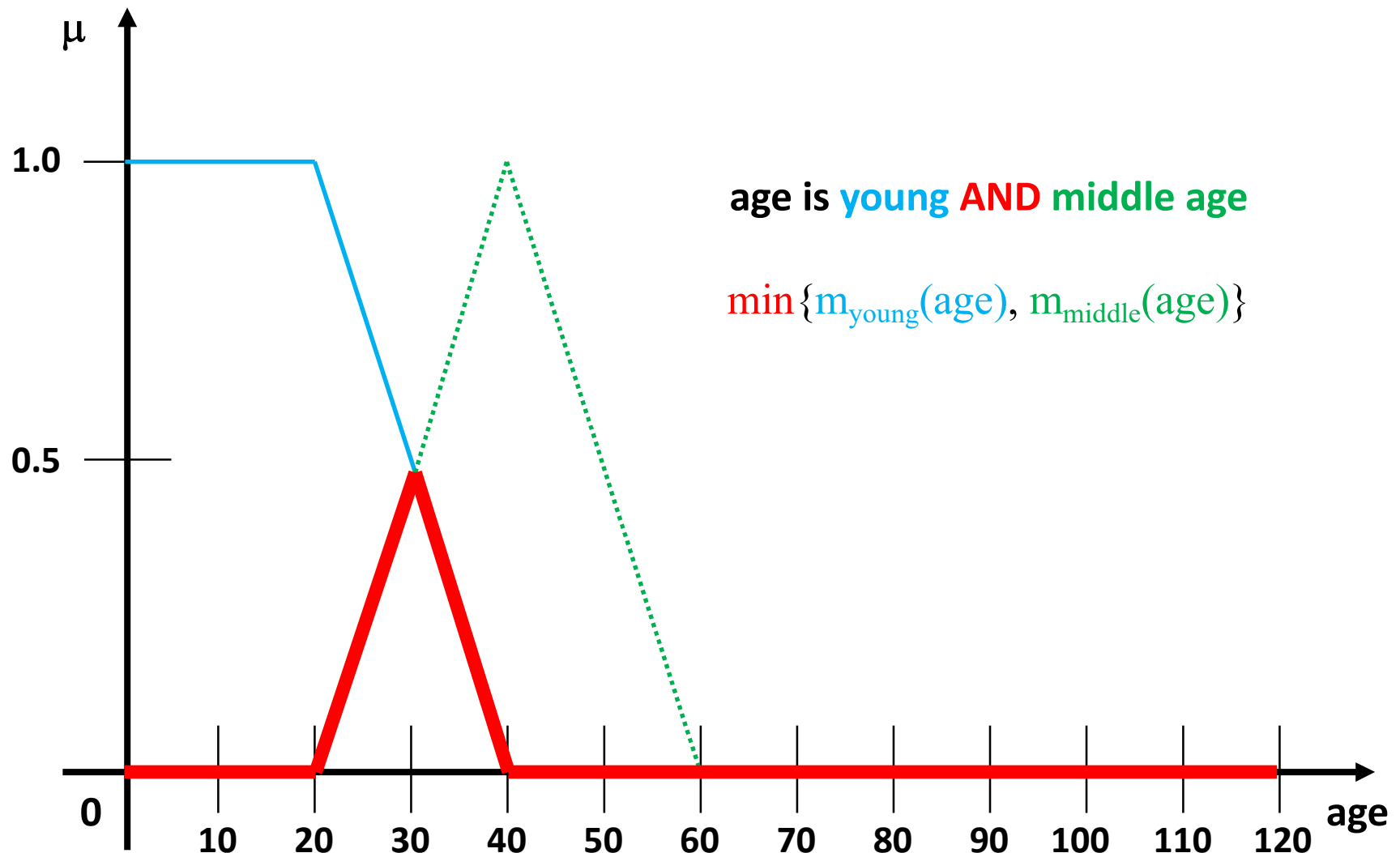
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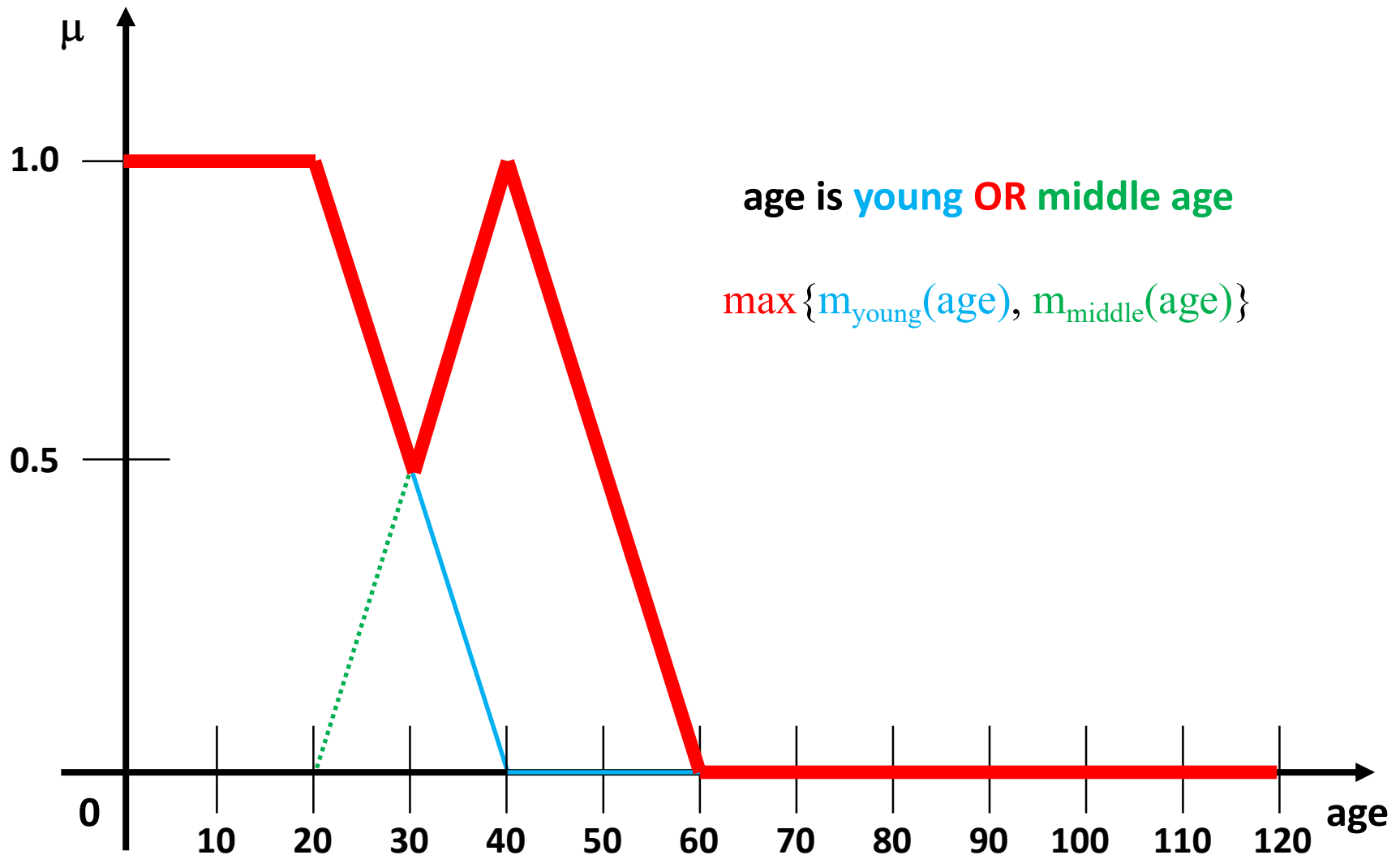
Fuzzy Logic: Logic Operators



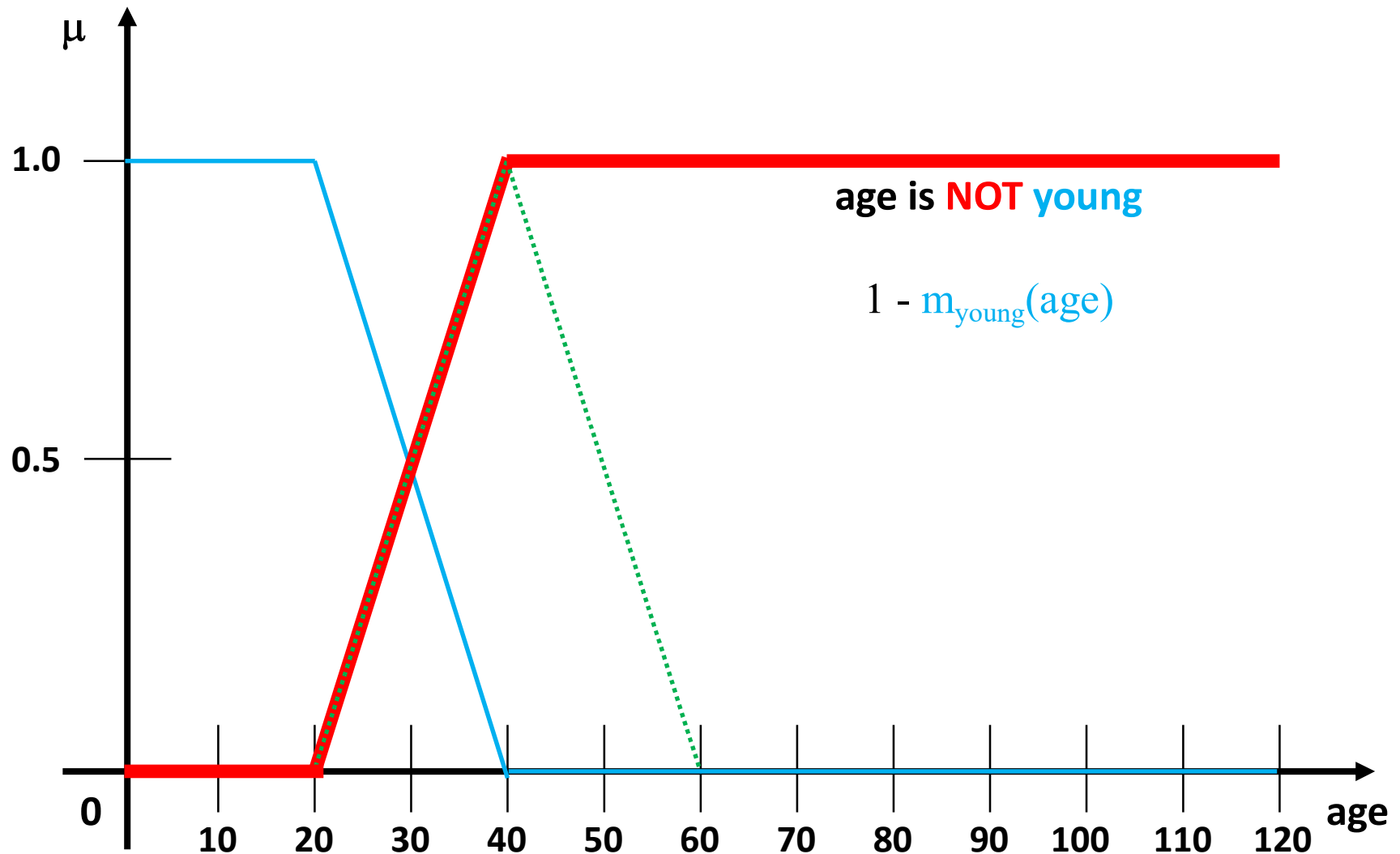
Fuzzy Logic: the AND Operator



Fuzzy Logic: the OR Operator



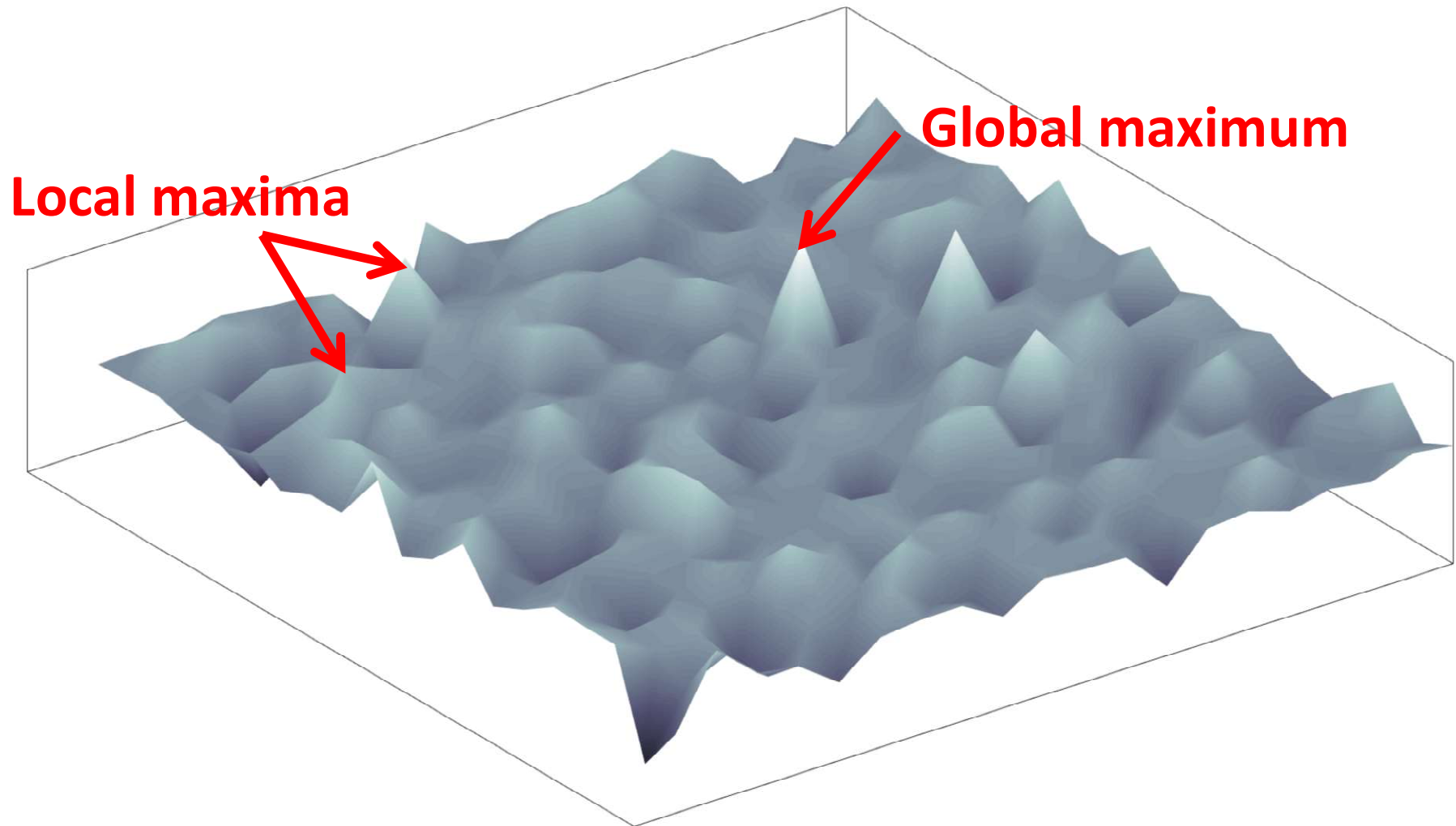
Fuzzy Logic: the NOT Operator



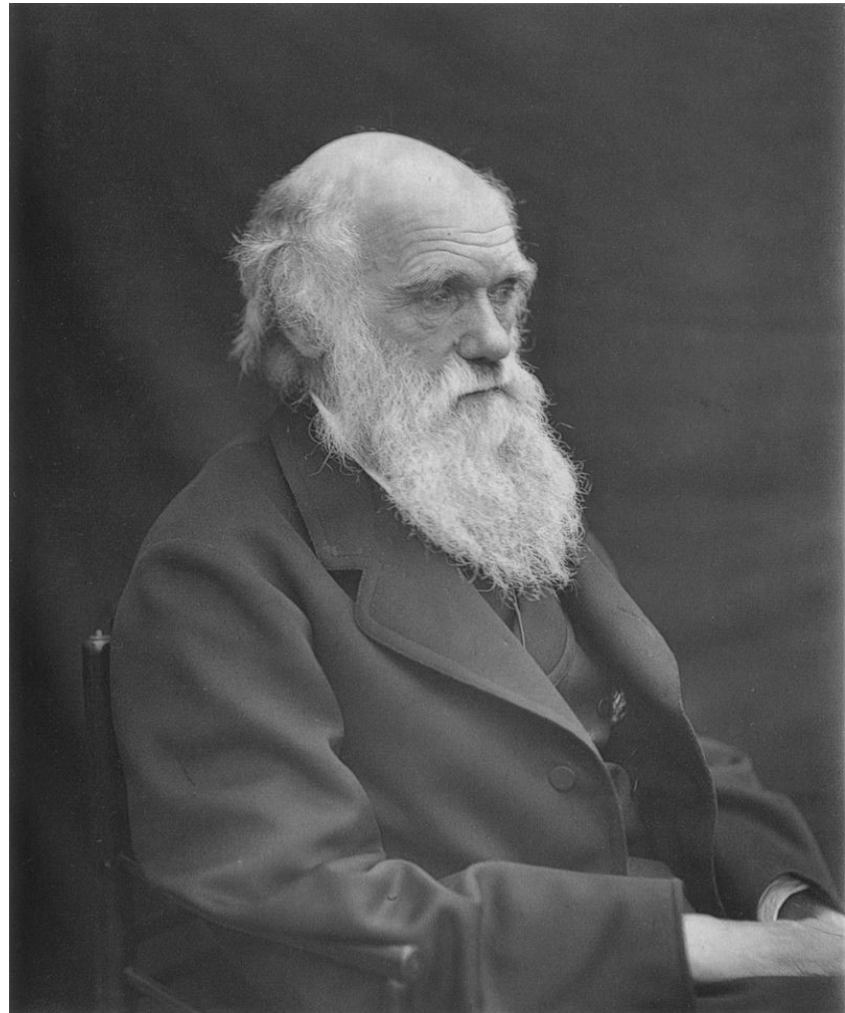
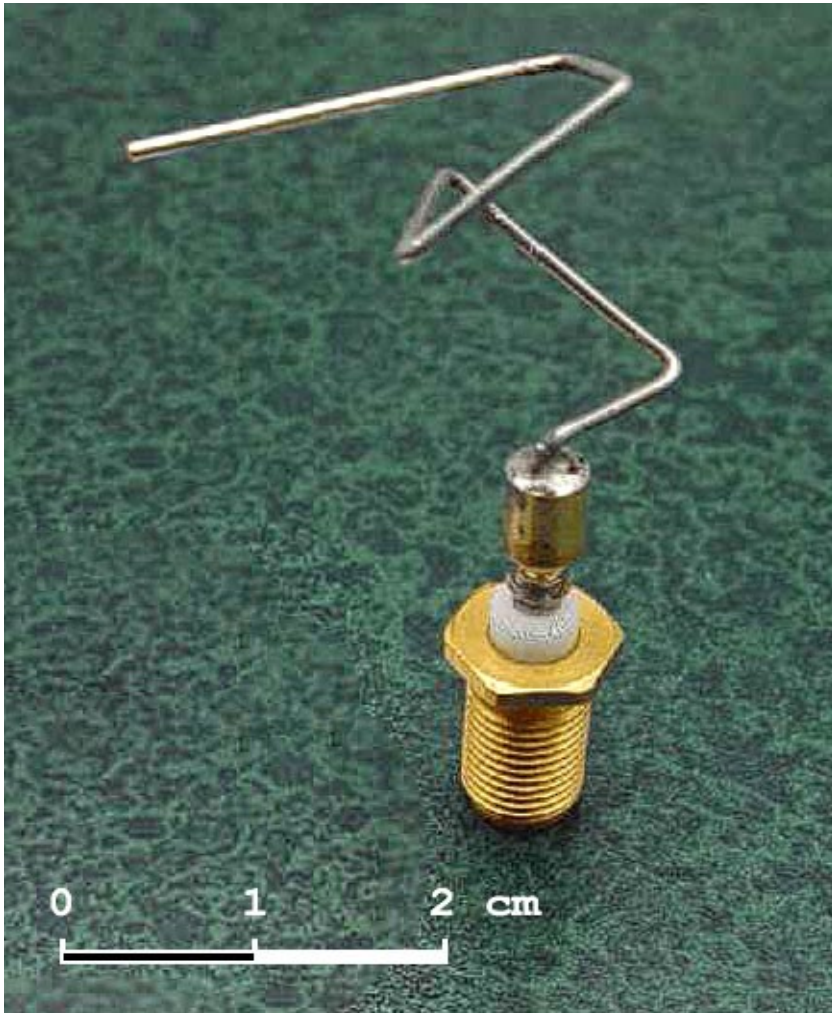
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Chapter 4 - related
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Search in Complex Environments

Complex Environments

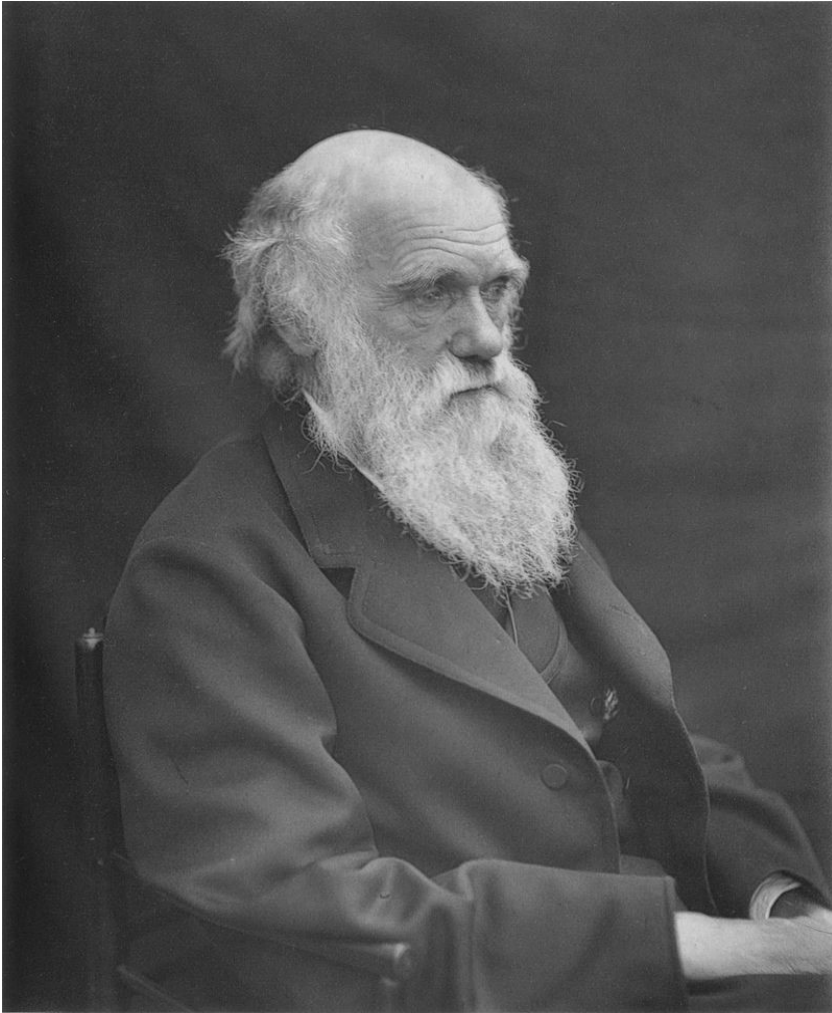


What's the Connection Here?



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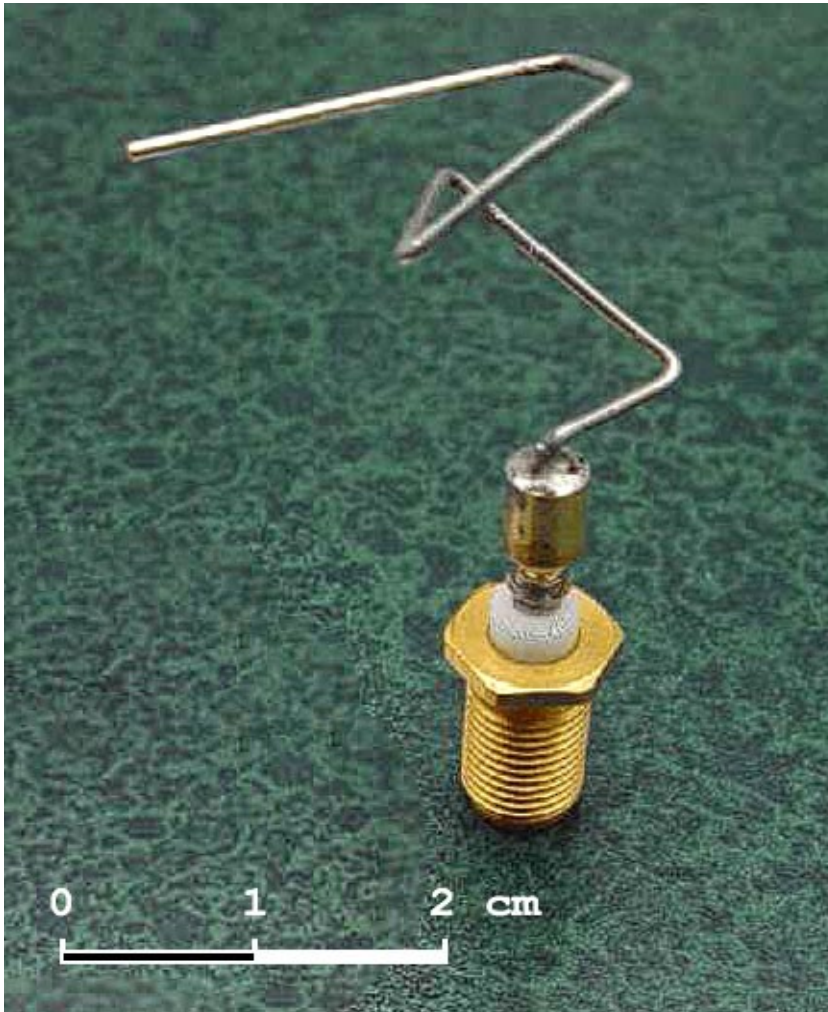
Charles Darwin



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Charles Robert Darwin was an English naturalist, geologist and biologist, best known for his contributions to the science of evolution. His proposition that all species of life have descended over time from common ancestors is now widely accepted, and considered a foundational concept in science.

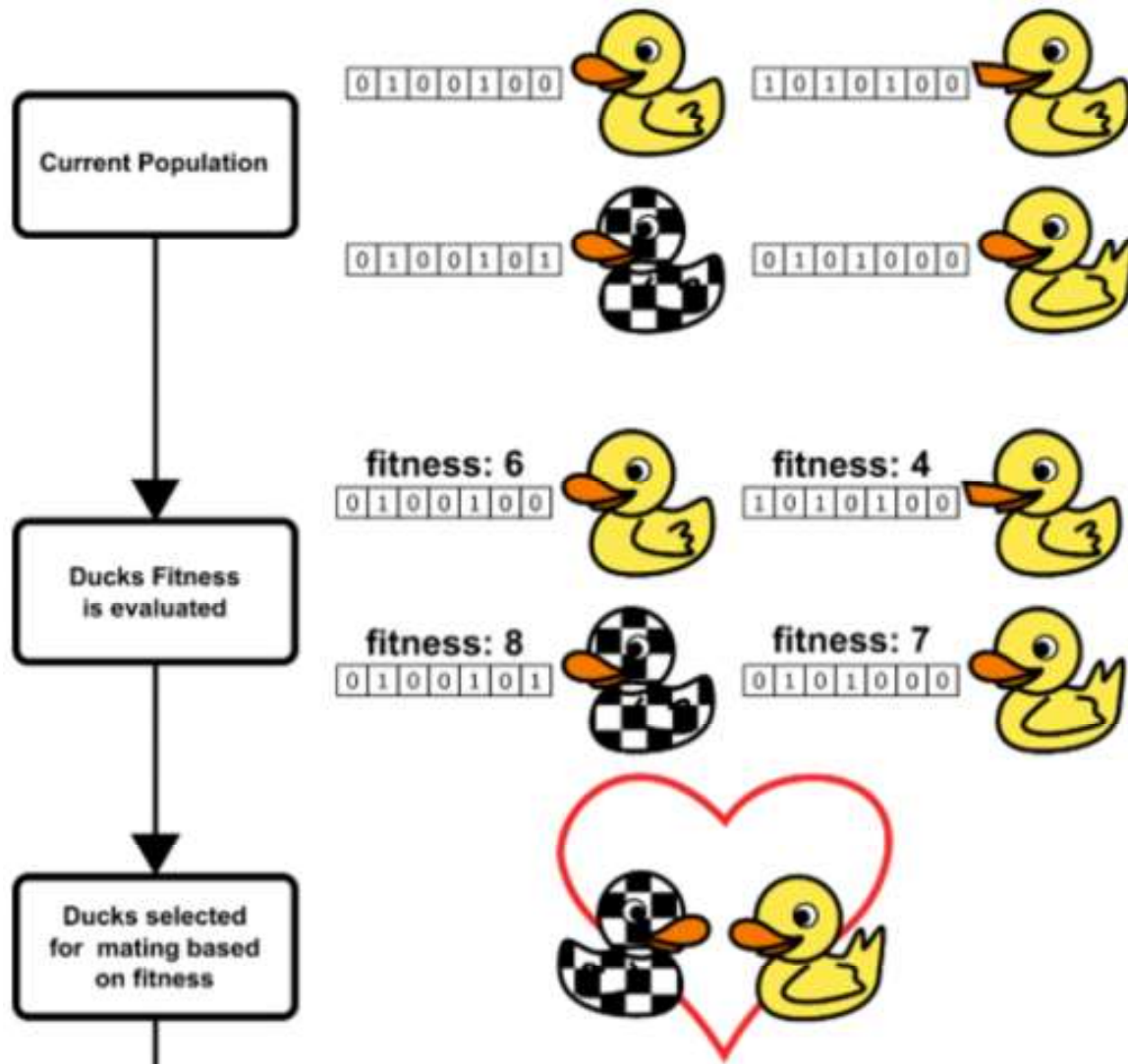
Evolved Antenna



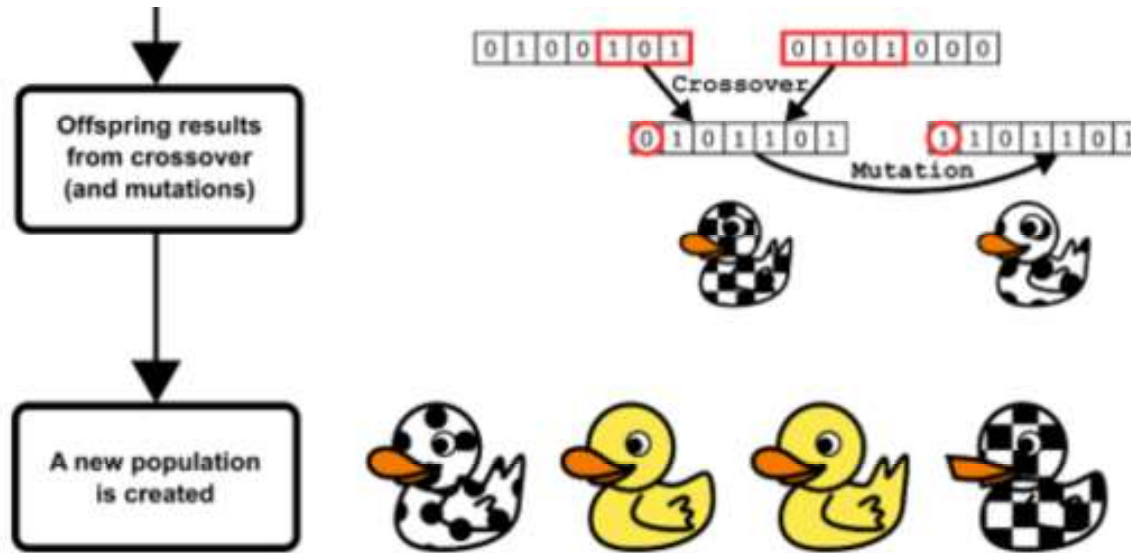
An evolved antenna is an antenna designed fully or substantially by an automatic computer design program that uses an evolutionary algorithm that mimics Darwinian evolution.

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Genetic Algorithm: The Idea



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Source: <https://livebook.manning.com/book/algorithms-and-data-structures-in-action/chapter-18/v-14/102>

Genetic Algorithm: Example

Population of points
(solutions)

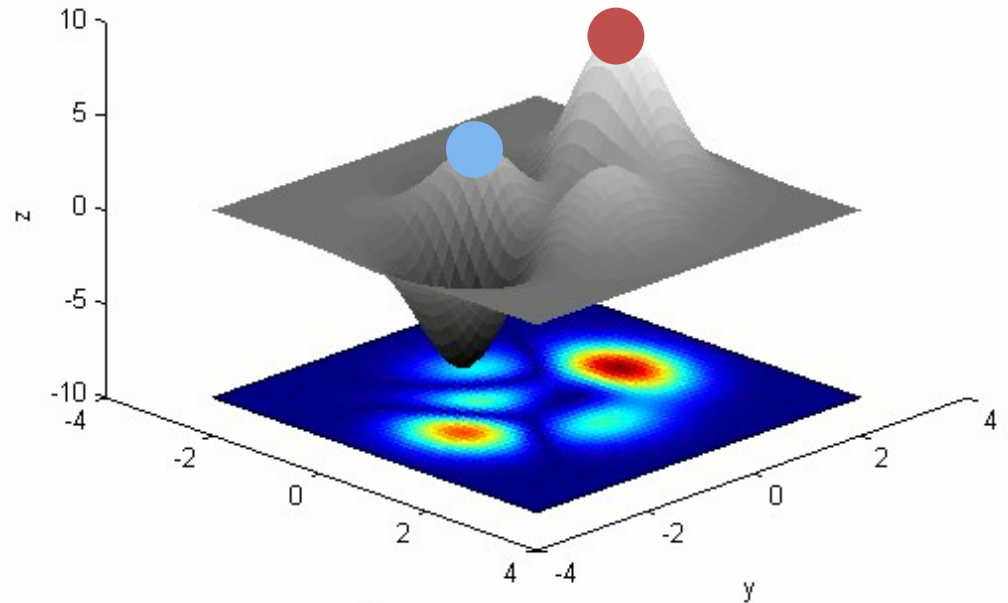
x				y	
0	1	0	1	0	1

x				y	
0	1	1	1	0	1

x				y	
0	0	0	1	0	1

x				y	
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x				y	
0	0	1	0	0	0



$y = f(x, y)$ - fitness function

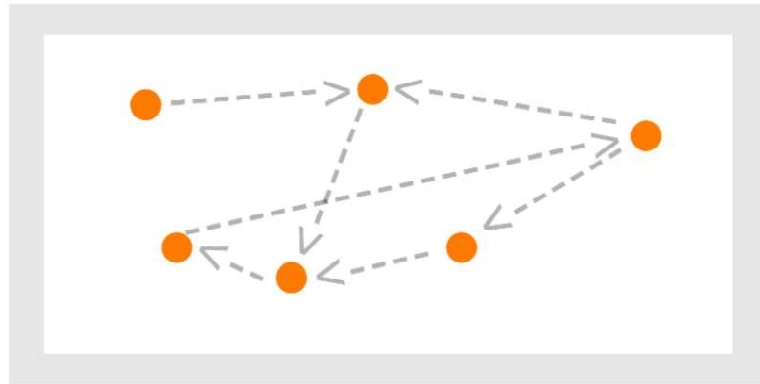


“Good enough” / local maximum

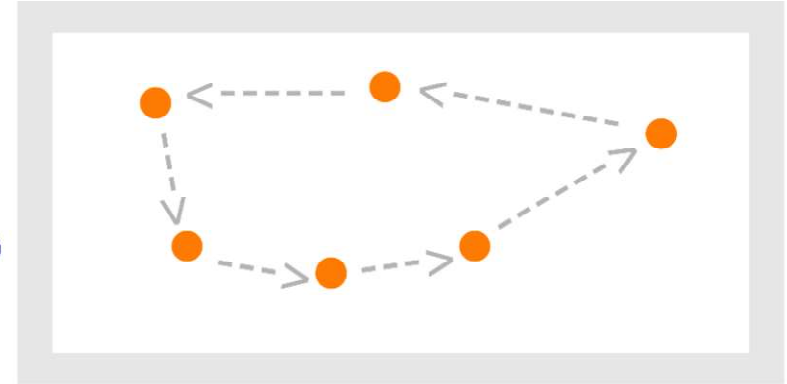


Best / global maximum

Traveling Salesman Problem



FROM THIS



TO THIS



A traveler needs to visit all the cities from a list, where distances between all the cities are known and each city should be visited just once. What is the shortest possible route that he visits each city exactly once and returns to the origin city?

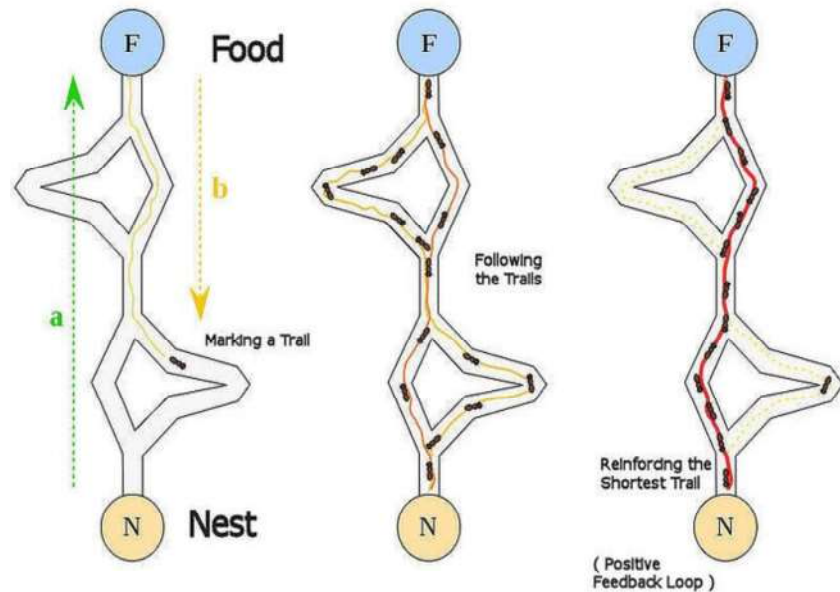
N cities $\rightarrow (N-1)!/2$ paths | 15 cities $\rightarrow 43589145600$ paths

Source: <https://medium.com/ivymobility-developers/traveling-salesman-problem-9ab623c88fab>

Example: Genetic Algorithm

<http://ostap0207.github.io/web-ga-tsp/>

Ant Colony Optimization: The Idea

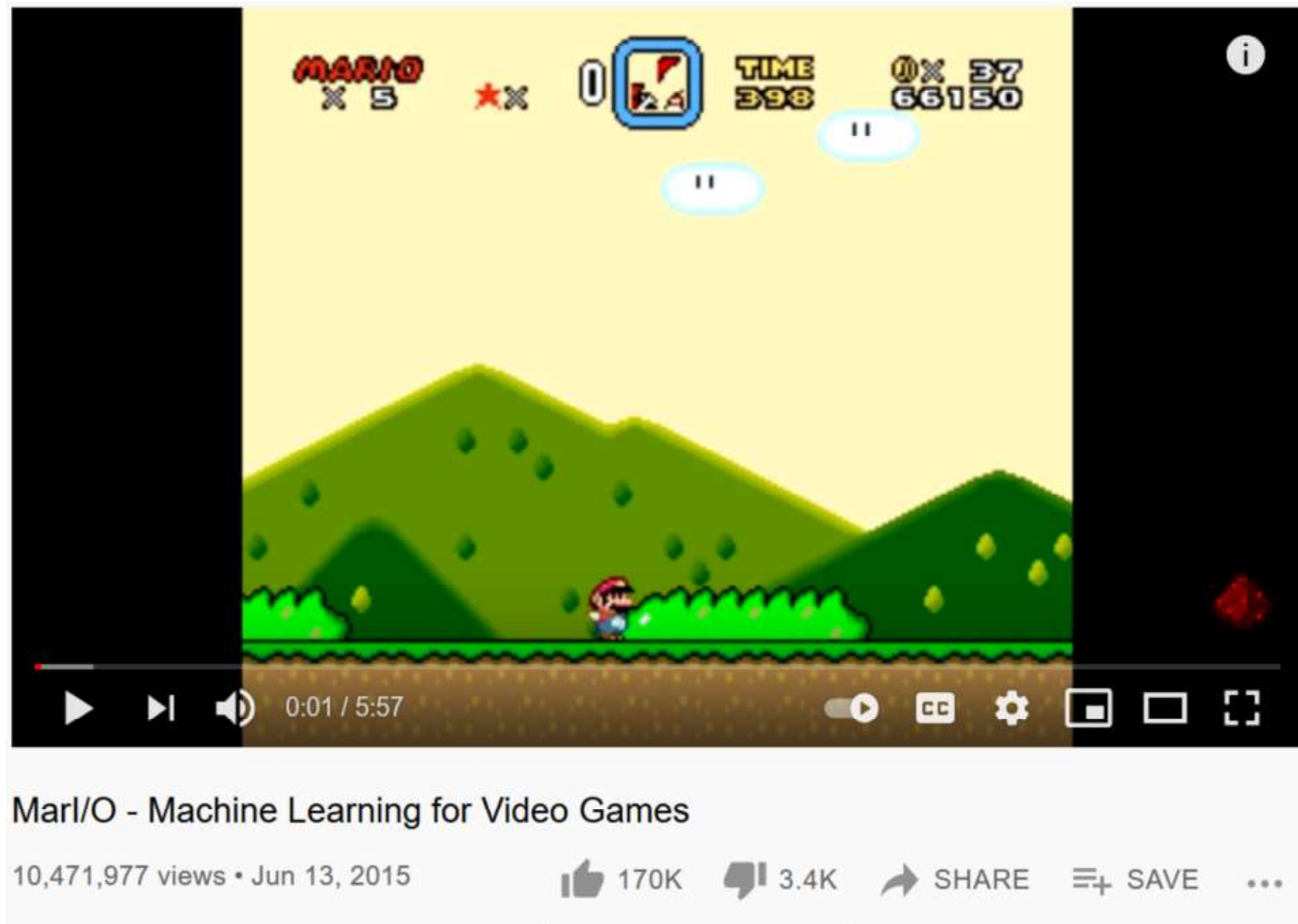


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Example: Ant Colony Optimization

<https://courses.cs.ut.ee/demos/visual-aco/>

Genetic Algorithm in Action



Source: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qv6UVOQ0F44>

Bonus DEFINITELY OPTIONAL Material

