

CSC520 - Artificial Intelligence

Lecture 18

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Class Exercise

Given:

D	W	$P(D W)$
wet	sun	0.1
dry	sun	0.9
wet	rain	0.7
dry	rain	0.3

W	$P(W)$
sun	0.8
rain	0.2

- What is $P(W|dry)$?

D	W	$P(W D) = \alpha P(D W)P(W)$
wet	sun	0.08
dry	sun	0.72
wet	rain	0.14
dry	rain	0.06

W	$\alpha P(W dry)$
sun	0.72α
rain	0.06α

W	$P(W dry)$
sun	0.92
rain	0.08

Agenda

- Bayesian network
- Bayesian network construction
- Inference by enumeration
- Inference by variable elimination
- Inference by sampling

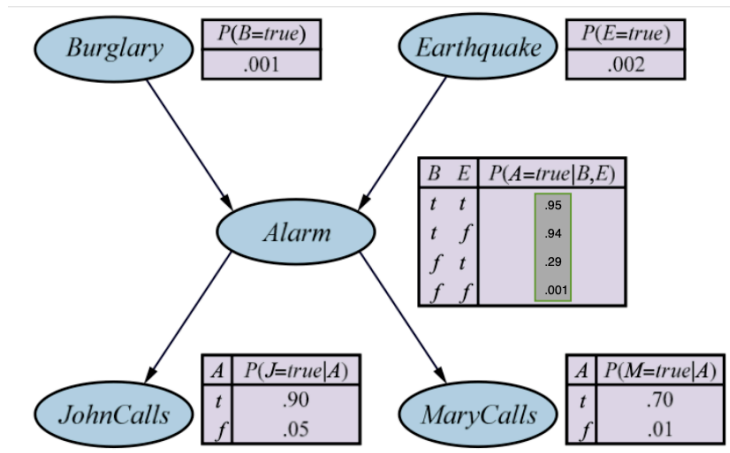
Bayesian Network

- Problem: Full joint distribution representation and inferencing requires exponential space
- Bayesian networks addresses this problem by employing conditional independence among the variables
- Bayesian network is a probabilistic graphical model
 - ▶ A directed acyclic graph (DAG)
 - ▶ A node represents a random variable
 - ▶ A directed link from X (parent) to Y (child) means X has direct influence on Y
 - ▶ Each node X_i has a conditional probability table (CPT):
 $P(X_i | Parents(X_i))$

Bayesian Network Example

- Your home has a burglar alarm which goes off in case of a burglary or when there is an earthquake
- John and Mary are your neighbors who have promised to call in case of an alarm
- John may fail to call if he confuses alarm with telephone ringing
- Mary may fail to call if she is listening to loud music

Bayesian Network Example



Only $1 + 1 + 4 + 2 + 2 = 10$ entries compared to $2^5 - 1 = 31$ entries in the full joint distribution

Semantics of Bayesian Network

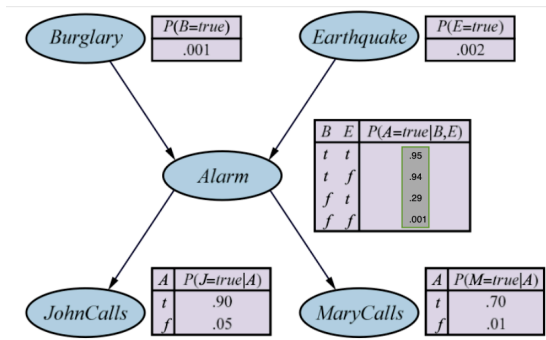
- By chain rule, we get:

$$\begin{aligned}P(J, M, A, B, E) \\&= P(J|M, A, B, E)P(M|A, B, E)P(A|B, E)P(B|E)P(E) \\&= P(J|A)P(M|A)P(A|B, E)P(B)P(E)\end{aligned}$$

- In general, Bayes network defines the joint distribution as:

$$P(X_1, \dots, X_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(X_i | \text{parents}(X_i))$$

Bayesian Network Example



- E.g. Probability that: alarms goes off, John calls, Mary calls, no burglary, no earthquake

$$\begin{aligned}P(j, m, a, \neg b, \neg e) &= P(j|a)P(m|a)P(a|\neg b \wedge \neg e)P(\neg b)P(\neg e) \\&= 0.9 \times 0.7 \times 0.001 \times 0.999 \times 0.998 = 0.000628\end{aligned}$$

Bayes Net Construction

- Nodes

- ▶ Identify the variables required to model the domain
- ▶ Order the variables $\{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\}$; any ordering will work but network will be more compact if causes precede effects

- Links

- ▶ For each node X_i select a minimal set of parents from $\{X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}\}$ such that: $P(X_i|X_{i-1}, \dots, X_1) = P(X_i|Parents(X_i))$
- ▶ Add a link from each $parent \in Parents(X_i)$ node to X_i
- ▶ Write CPT for each X_i , $P(X_i|Parents(X_i))$

Bayes Net Construction

$$P(J|M) = P(J)?$$

No

$$P(A|J, M) = P(A)?$$

No

$$P(A|J, M) = P(A|J)?$$

No

$$P(B|A, J, M) = P(B)?$$

No

$$P(B|A, J, M) = P(B|A)?$$

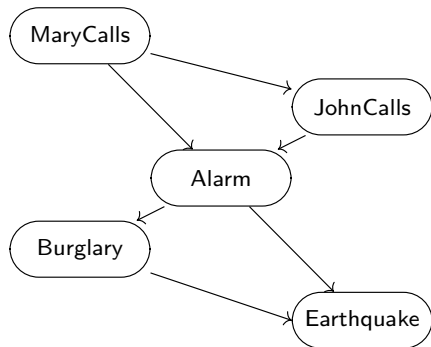
Yes

$$P(E|B, A, J, M) = P(E|A)?$$

No

$$P(E|B, A, J, M) = P(E|A, B)?$$

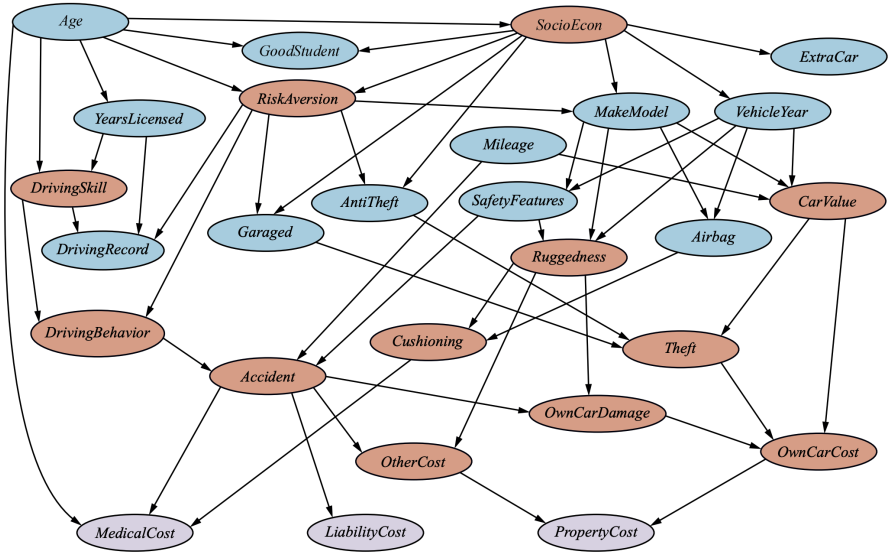
Yes



- Deciding conditional independence is hard in noncausal direction
- Network is less compact: $1 + 2 + 4 + 2 + 4 = 13$ numbers are needed

Bayes Network

Insurance Bayesian Network



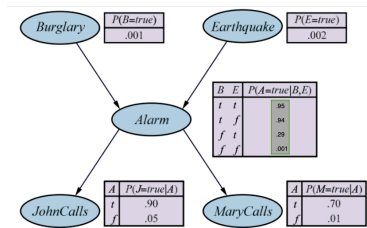
Inference in Bayes Network

- Queries are of the form: $P(Q|e_1, \dots, e_k)$
 - ▶ Evidence variables: $E_1, \dots, E_k = e_1, \dots, e_k$
 - ▶ Query variables: Q
 - ▶ Hidden variables: H_1, \dots, H_r
- Inference by enumeration
- Inference by variable elimination
- Inference by sampling

Inference by Enumeration

- Using joint distribution for inferencing without actually constructing the joint distribution fully
- E.g. Query: $P(\text{Burglary} | \text{JohnCalls} = \text{true}, \text{MaryCalls} = \text{true})$

$$\begin{aligned}P(B|j, m) &= \alpha P(B, j, m) \\&= \alpha \sum_e \sum_a P(B, j, m, e, a) \\&= \alpha \sum_e \sum_a P(B)P(e)P(a|B, e)P(j|a)P(m|a)\end{aligned}$$



Inference by Enumeration

$$P(B|j, m) = \alpha P(B) \sum_e P(e) \sum_a P(a|B, e) P(j|a) P(m|a)$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(\underline{b}|j, m) &= \alpha P(\underline{b}) \sum_e P(e) \sum_a P(a|\underline{b}, e) P(j|a) P(m|a) \\ &= \alpha P(b) \{ P(e) [P(a|b, e) P(j|a) P(m|a) + P(\neg a|b, e) P(j|\neg a) P(m|\neg a)] + \\ &\quad P(\neg e) [P(a|b, \neg e) P(j|a) P(m|a) + P(\neg a|b, \neg e) P(j|\neg a) P(m|\neg a)] \} \\ &= \alpha 0.001 \{ 0.002 * [(0.95 * 0.9 * 0.7) + (0.05 * 0.05 * 0.01)] + \\ &\quad 0.998 * [(0.94 * 0.9 * 0.7) + (0.06 * 0.05 * 0.01)] \} \\ &= 0.00059224\alpha \end{aligned}$$

$$P(\neg \underline{b}|j, m) = \alpha P(\neg \underline{b}) \sum_e P(e) \sum_a P(a|\neg \underline{b}, e) P(j|a) P(m|a)$$

$$P(\neg b|j, m) = 0.0014919\alpha$$

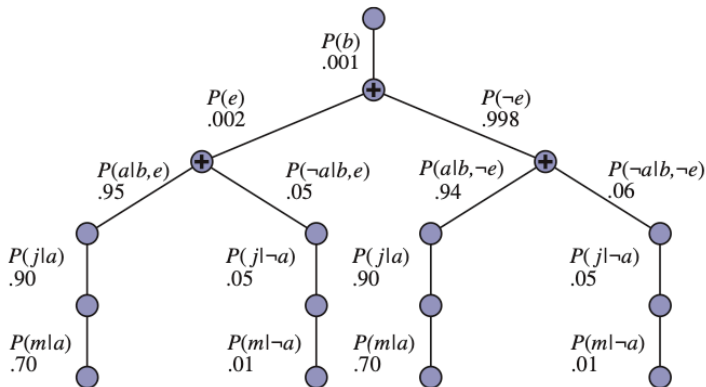
$$\alpha = 1 / (0.00059224 + 0.0014919) = 479.814216$$

$$P(b|j, m) = 479.814216 * 0.00059224 = 0.284$$

$$P(\neg b|j, m) = 479.814216 * 0.0014919 = 0.716$$

$$P(B|j, m) = \langle 0.284, 0.716 \rangle$$

Inference by Enumeration



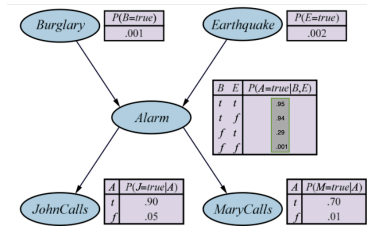
Inference by Variable Elimination

- Queries are of the form: $P(Q|e_1, \dots, e_k)$
 - ▶ Evidence variables: $E_1, \dots, E_k = e_1, \dots, e_k$
 - ▶ Query variables: Q
 - ▶ Hidden variables: H_1, \dots, H_r
- A factor is a function that maps a set of variables to a specific value
- Step 1: Start with initial factors
 - ▶ CPTs are factors, e.g. $P(A|E, B)$
- Step 2: While there are hidden variables:
 - ▶ Pick a hidden variable H
 - ▶ Join ALL factors mentioning H
 - ▶ Eliminate (sum out) H
- Step 3: Join all remaining factors and normalize

Inference by Variable Elimination

- Query: $P(\text{Burglary} | \text{JohnCalls} = \text{true}, \text{MaryCalls} = \text{true})$

$$\begin{aligned} P(B|j, m) &\propto P(B, j, m) \\ &= \sum_{e, a} P(B, j, m, e, a) \\ &= \sum_{e, a} P(B)P(e)P(a|B, e)P(j|a)P(m|a) \\ &= \sum_e P(B)P(e) \sum_a P(a|B, e)P(j|a)P(m|a) \\ &= \sum_e P(B)P(e)f_1(B, e) \\ &= P(B) \sum_e P(e)f_1(B, e) \\ &= P(B)f_2(B) \end{aligned}$$



Inference by Sampling

- Inference by enumeration or variable elimination can be time consuming on large Bayesian network
- Approximate answers to queries can be computed using randomized sampling (Monte Carlo method)
- Idea: Generate several random samples from the Bayes net
 - ▶ Use the samples to compute answers to the queries
- Simplest sampling method is direct or prior sampling
 - ▶ Random sampling from Bayes net with no associated evidence

Sampling from Distribution

- Suppose we want to generate a sample from the below distribution

W	$P(W)$
rain	0.6
sun	0.3
fog	0.1

- Generate a sample x from uniform distribution over $[0, 1)$

- For e.g., Python function: `random.random()`

- Assign the outcome based on the value of x

$$0 \leq x < 0.6 \rightarrow W = \text{rain}$$

$$0.6 \leq x < 0.9 \rightarrow W = \text{sun}$$

$$0.9 \leq x < 1 \rightarrow W = \text{fog}$$

- E.g. sampling 4 times gives:

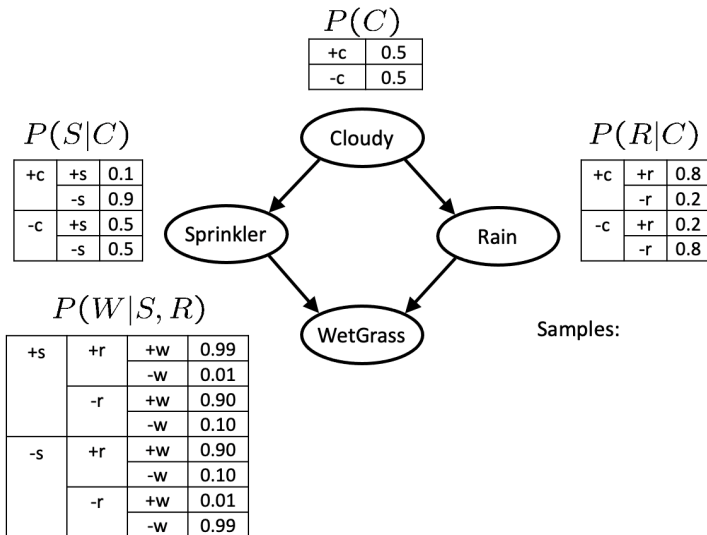
$$x = 0.151, W = \text{rain}$$

$$x = 0.059, W = \text{rain}$$

$$x = 0.217, W = \text{rain}$$

$$x = 0.810, W = \text{sun}$$

Inference by Sampling



Inference by Sampling

- Suppose we get the following samples

$$+c, -s, +r, +w$$

$$+c, +s, +r, +w$$

$$-c, +s, +r, -w$$

$$+c, -s, +r, +w$$

$$-c, -s, -r, +w$$

- What is the estimate of $P(W)$?
- What is the estimate of $P(C|+w)$?
- What is the estimate of $P(C|+r, +w)$?
- What is the estimate of $P(C|-r, -w)$?
- With infinite samples, the estimated distributions will equal the true distributions

Inference by Sampling

- Suppose we get the following samples

$+c, -s, +r, +w$

$+c, +s, +r, +w$

$-c, +s, +r, -w$

$+c, -s, +r, +w$

$-c, -s, -r, +w$

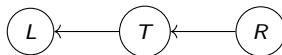
- What is the estimate of $P(W)$?
 - ▶ $P(+w) = 0.8, P(-w) = 0.2$
- What is the estimate of $P(C|+w)$?
 - ▶ $P(+c) = 0.75, P(-c) = 0.25$
- What is the estimate of $P(C|+r, +w)$?
 - ▶ $P(+c) = 1, P(-c) = 0$
- What is the estimate of $P(C|-r, -w)$?
 - ▶ Cannot be computed
- With infinite samples, the estimated distributions will equal the true distributions

Class Exercise

Use Variable Elimination

- Random variables

- ▶ R : Raining
- ▶ T : Traffic
- ▶ L : Late for class



Compute $P(L) = \alpha \sum_l \sum_r P(L, T, R) = \alpha \sum_l P(L|T) \sum_r P(T|R)P(R)$.

$T \quad P(T)$		\sum_r	$T \quad R \quad P(T, R)$			$T \quad R \quad P(T R)$			$R \quad P(R)$	
$+t$			$+t$	$+r$		$+t$	$+r$	0.8	$+r$	0.1
$-t$			$-t$	$+r$		$-t$	$+r$	0.2	$-r$	0.9
			$+t$	$-r$		$+t$	$-r$	0.1		
			$-t$	$-r$		$-t$	$-r$	0.9		
$L \quad P(L)$		\sum_t	$L \quad T \quad P(L, T)$			$L \quad T \quad P(L T)$			$T \quad P(T)$	
$+l$			$+l$	$+t$		$+l$	$+t$	0.7	$+t$	
$-l$			$-l$	$+t$		$-l$	$+t$	0.3	$-t$	
			$+l$	$-t$		$+l$	$-t$	0.1		
			$-l$	$-t$		$-l$	$-t$	0.9		