

CS 440

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

Lecture 13:

Probability and Bayesian Networks

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- **End of section on deterministic reasoning**
 - **Problem Formalization**
 - **State/Action/Transition/Observation/ect.**
 - **Local Search**
 - **Hill Climbing**
 - **Gradient descent**
 - **Search**
 - **BFS/DFS/SPF**
 - **Heuristics**
 - **A* Search**
 - **Adversarial Search**
 - **Minimax Search**
 - **Alpha-Beta Pruning**
 - **Decision Trees**
 - **Constructing Decision Trees**
 - **Constraint Satisfaction**
 - **Backtracking Algorithm**
 - **Logic**

- Thus far we have assumed environment is completely observable
 - Agent know state of environment after each step
 - Agent can generate state from environment
- What to do when environment not observable
 - Example Wumpus world

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1,2 B OK	2,2 P?	3,2	4,2
1,1 V OK	2,1 A B OK	3,1 P?	4,1

- **Probability**
 - **Likelihood something will happen**
 - **Examples**
 - **Probability you will get in a car accident**
 - **Probability you will have a heart attack**
 - **Probability you will win the lottery**
 - **Expected time for next bus to arrive**
 - **What factors impact probability of each of these?**
 - **Likelihood of an unobserved event**
 - **Examples**
 - **If I have a card in my hand what is the likelihood it is an ace**
 - **What is the likelihood you have cancer**
 - **What observations can help improve accuracy of this?**

- Notation: $p(x)$
 - Wumpus World $p(P_{3,1})$
 - $p(\text{car_accident})$
- Hint: Think about probabilities in terms of of total population
 - $p(\text{car_accident})$
 - Proportion of drivers that have gotten in a car accident
 - number of drivers who have gotten in car accident over total number of drivers
 - $n_{\text{accident_drivers}} / n_{\text{drivers}}$
 - What are some limitations of this and who would we address them?
 - Hint think about a driver with a lot of accidents vs a driver with a clean record

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- **Notation: $p(x|y)$**
 - **Probability of x given y**
 - **Example: probability you will get in a car accident given that you have a clean record**
 - **$p(\text{accident}|\text{clean_record})$**
- **Compute proportion for population which condition holds**
 - **$p(\text{accident}|\text{clean_record}) = n_{\text{accident clean record}}/n_{\text{clean record}}$**
 - **Number of drivers with clean record that got into accident over total number of drivers with clean record**
- **More observations you can make - more accurate your prediction**

	Number	Lung Cancer
Smokers	300	105
Non-smokers	1700	20
Total	2000	125

- What is $p(\text{lung_cancer})$?
- What is $p(\text{smoker})$?
- What is $p(\text{lung_cancer} | \text{smoker})$?
- What is $p(\text{lung_cancer} | \text{non-smoker})$?

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- What is $p(P_{1,3})$, $p(P_{2,2})$ and $p(P_{3,1})$?
 - Assume all valid states of Wumpus World are equally likely
 - $p(P_{1,3} | B_{1,2} \wedge B_{2,1})$
 - Number of states with $B_{1,2} \wedge B_{2,1} \wedge P_{1,3}$ over number of states with $B_{1,2} \wedge B_{2,1}$

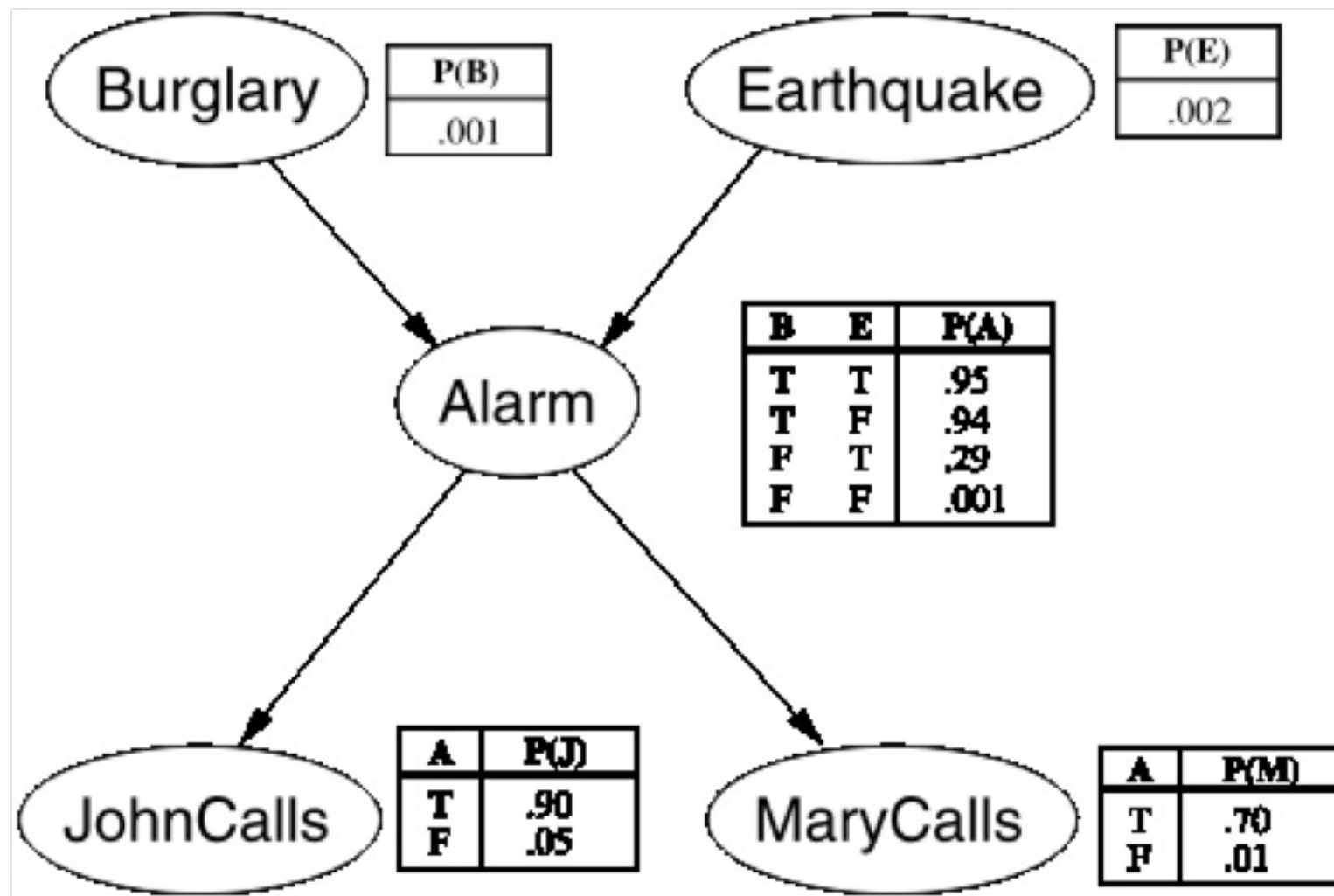
- Alice has lung cancer, what is the probability she is a smoker?
 - Given $p(\text{smoker})$, $p(\text{cancer})$ and $p(\text{cancer} \mid \text{smoker})$
 - Can you compute $p(\text{smoker} \mid \text{cancer})$?

- Alice has lung cancer, what is the probability she is a smoker?
 - Given $p(\text{smoker})$, $p(\text{cancer})$ and $p(\text{cancer}|\text{smoker})$
 - **Can you compute $p(\text{smoker}|\text{cancer})$?**
 - We know that $p(\text{smoker}|\text{cancer})$ equal to the number of people who are smokers with cancer over the total number of people with cancer.
 - $p(\text{smoker}|\text{cancer}) = n_{\text{smokers,cancer}} / n_{\text{cancer}}$
 - But we don't know $n_{\text{smokers,cancer}}$ or n_{cancer}
 - **What can we do?**

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 - But we don't know $n_{\text{smokers,cancer}}$ or n_{cancer}
 - Define n to be the size of our total population
 - We don't know what n is
 - $n_{\text{cancer}} = n * p(\text{cancer})$
 - $n_{\text{smokers}} = n * p(\text{smoker})$
 - $n_{\text{smokers,cancer}} = n_{\text{smokers}} * p(\text{cancer} | \text{smoker}) = n * p(\text{smoker}) * p(\text{cancer} | \text{smoker})$
 - $p(\text{smoker} | \text{cancer}) = p(\text{smoker}) * p(\text{cancer} | \text{smoker}) / p(\text{cancer})$

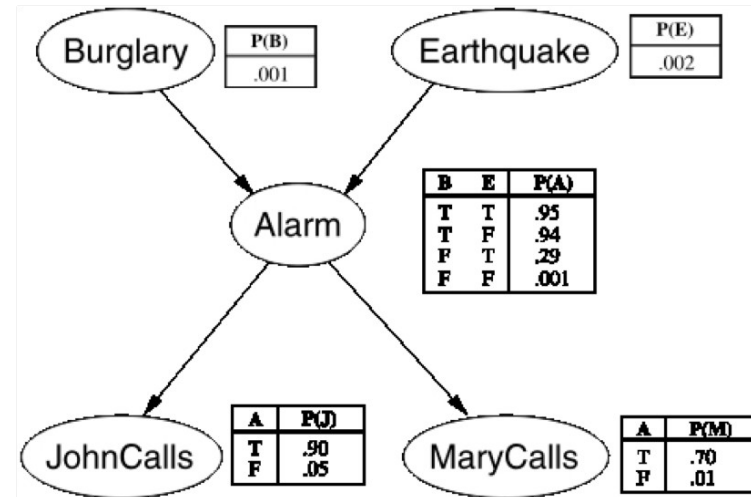
- Congratulations, you just derived Bayes' Theorem!!!!
 - $p(y|x) = p(y)*p(x|y) / p(x)$

- Lets say you are traveling and ask 2 of your neighbors (John and Mary) to watch your house
- There is a $P(B) = .001$ probability there will be a burglary while you are away
- There is also a $P(E) = .002$ probability there will be an earthquake
- Both a burglary and an earthquake may trigger your home alarm
 - $P(A | B \wedge \neg E) = .94$ probability that a burglary will trigger your alarm
 - $P(A | E \wedge \neg B) = .29$ probability an earthquake will trigger your alarm
 - $P(A | B \wedge E) = .95$ probability your alarm will go off if both a burglary and an earthquake occur
 - $P(A | \neg E \wedge \neg B) = .001$ probability alarm will go off if there is no
- There is a $P(J | A) = .9$ probability John will call if the alarm goes off
 - There is also a $P(J | \neg A) = .05$ probability John will call if there is no alarm
- There is a $P(M | A) = .7$ probability Mary will call if the alarm goes off
 - There is also a $P(M | \neg A) = .01$ probability Mary will call if there is no alarm



- A node is conditionally independent of its non-descendants, given its parents:

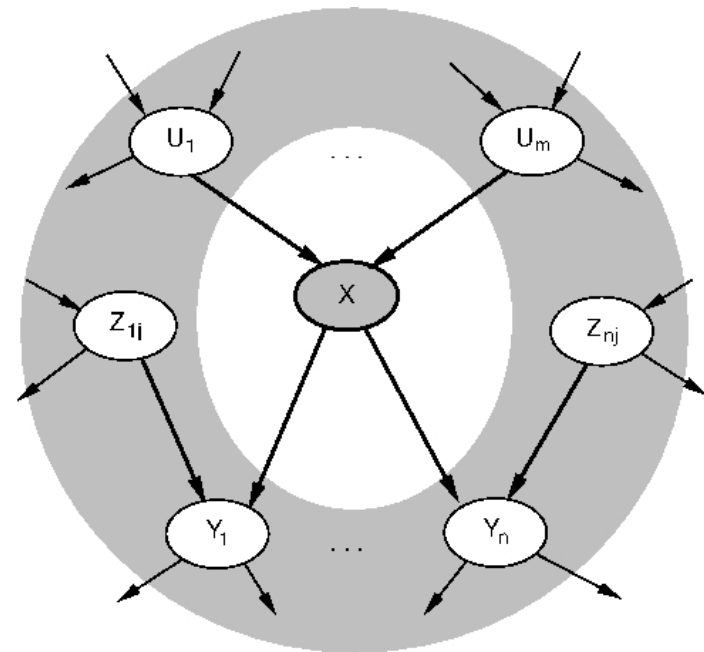
- e.g., JohnCalls is independent from Burglary and Earthquake given an Alarm

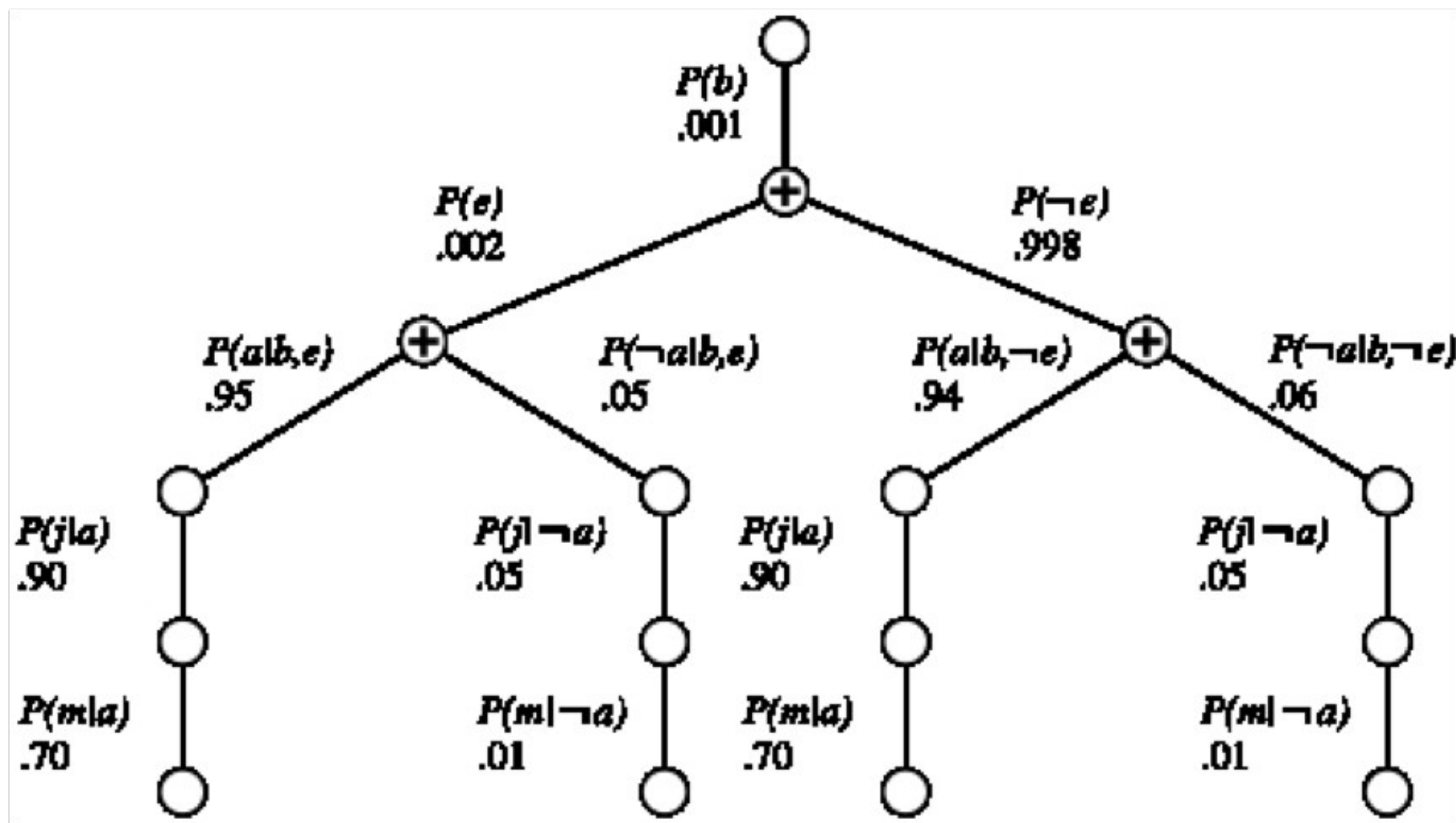


- A node is conditionally independent of all other nodes in the network given its:

- Markov blanket: which encompasses the parents, children and children's parents.

- e.g., Burglary is independent of JohnCalls and MaryCalls, given Alarm and Earthquake





- Assume you are given the following
 - $P(c)$ probability someone in construction business
 - $P(a)$ probability someone is exposed to asbestos
 - $P(a|c)$ probability someone exposed to asbestos given they work in construction
 - $P(s)$ probability someone is a smoker
 - $P(l)$ probability someone develops lung cancer
 - $P(l|a)$ probability someone develops lung cancer given they were exposed to asbestos
 - $p(l|s)$ probability of developing lung cancer given that someone is a smoker
- What is the probability someone who has lung cancer works in construction?
- What is the probability a smoker who works in construction will develop lung cancer?
- What is the probability someone who has lung cancer is both a smoker and works in construction?