

## Chap - 4

### # Markov chain

Chain → Previous state  $\rightarrow$  Gap Depend

Not consider state predict ~~not~~

### Stochastic Process

- a collection of RVs.

$\rightarrow$  time  $\rightarrow$  gap define ~~not~~  $\rightarrow$   
 $\rightarrow \{X(t), t \in T\}$   
 $\rightarrow$  Transition Probability ~~not~~

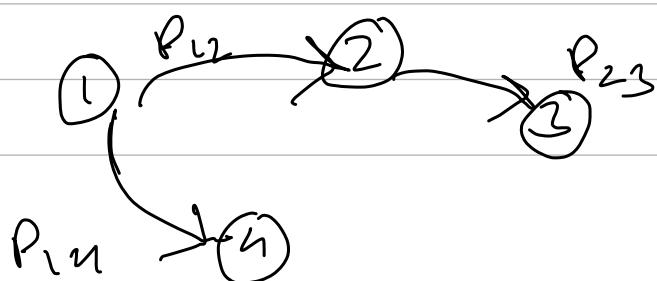
### Markov Chain:

- Markov Chain is an stochastic process  $\{X_n, n=1, 2, 3, \dots\}$  such that

whenever the process is in state  $i$ ,

there is a fixed probability  $p_{ij}$

that it will next be in state  $j$



$$P_{ij} = P \{ X_{n+1} = j \mid X_n = i, X_{n-1} = i-1, \dots, \\ \dots, X_1 = i, X_0 = i_0 \}$$

The  $P_{ij}$  is independent of past states

and depends only on the present state.

i)  $P_{ij} \geq 0$

ii)  $\sum_j P_{ij} = 1$ , at each step, there must be a transition.

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} & 0 & 1 & \dots & n \\ 0 & P_{00} & P_{01} & \dots & P_{0n} \\ 1 & P_{10} & P_{11} & \dots & P_{1n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ n & P_{n0} & P_{n1} & \dots & P_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Arrow  $\rightarrow$  # col  $\rightarrow$  transition,

Ex:

Weather : Rainy (R), Sunny (S)  
(States)

R      S

$$P = R \begin{bmatrix} d & 1-d \\ s & 1-s \end{bmatrix}$$

row  $\rightarrow$  today

col  $\rightarrow$  tomorrow

d  $\rightarrow$  today rainy  $\rightarrow$  tomorrow rainy

s  $\rightarrow$  " sunny  $\rightarrow$  " rainy

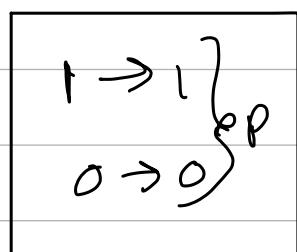
## Communication System:



0      1      output      Given

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & p & 1-p \\ 1 & 1-p & p \end{bmatrix}$$

input +



# Chapman-Kolmogorov Equation

state  $i$   state  $j$

$P_{ij}$  = One step transition probability

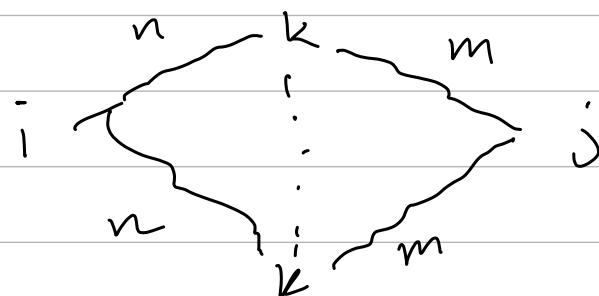
$P_{ij}^{(n)}$  =  $n$  " " " that

a process is in a state,  $i$  will reach state,  $j$  after  $n$  transitions.

$$P_{ij}^{(n+m)} = \sum_k P_{ik}^n P_{kj}^m$$



$i \rightarrow j$  in  $(n+m)$  steps in total probability



Proof:

$$P_{ij}^{(n+m)} = P \{ X_{n+m} = j \mid X_0 = i \}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} P \{ X_{n+m} = j \mid X_n = k, X_0 = i \} P \{ X_n = k \mid X_0 = i \}$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} P \{ X_{n+m} = j | X_n = i \} P \{ X_n = i | X_0 = i \}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} p_{ik}^m p_{jk}^n = p^{n+m} = p^n p^m$$

$n=1, m=1$   
 $p^2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{12}$

## Example

$$d = 0.7 \quad R \quad S, \quad \beta = 0.4$$

$$P = \begin{matrix} R \\ S \end{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P^2 = P \cdot P$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0.61 & 0.39 \\ 0.52 & 0.48 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_{00}^{(2)} = 0.61 \rightarrow \text{Today Rainy, 2 days ago Rainy}$$

$$P_{11}^{(2)} = 0.48 \rightarrow \text{" sunny , 2 days ago sunny"}$$

$$P^4 = P^2 \times P^2$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\{0, 1\} \rightarrow$  Recurrent state

$0, 1 \rightarrow$  temporary transient and temporary absorbing

$0, 1 \rightarrow$  temporary,

$\{2\} \rightarrow$  Transient state

(long term  $\rightarrow$  temporary transient)

$\{3\} \rightarrow$  Absorbing state.

long term  $\rightarrow$  permanent

transient terminate absorbed

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Markov chain is irreducible if  
 there is only one class  
 i.e. all state communicate with  
 each other.

# Markov chain

$X_1$

$X_2$

$X_3$

	RR	RS	SR	SS
MT	0.7	0.3	0	0
RR	0	0	0.4	0.6
RS	0.5	0.5	0	0
SR	0	0	0.2	0.8
SS				

MT → Mon and Tue

TW → Tue and Wed

MT → RR ?

Thursday → Rainy → Prob?

	RR	RS	SR	SS
MT	0.49	0.21	0.12	0.18
RR	0.20	0.20	0.12	0.48
RS	0.35	0.15	0.20	0.30
SR	0.1	0.1	0.16	0.64
SS				

$$P_{00} + P_{02} = 0.49 + 0.12 \\ = 0.61$$

# Limiting Probability

Theorem :

if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p_{ij}^n$  exists and is independent  
of  $i$  and  $\pi_j = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p_{ij}^n$ ,  $j \geq 0$ .

then  $\pi_j$  is the unique

non negative 'sol<sup>n</sup>' of

$$\pi_j = \sum_{i=0}^m \pi_i p_{ij}, j \geq 0$$

$$\sum_{j=0}^m \pi_j = 1$$

Ex

R	S
R	$\alpha \quad 1-\alpha$
S	$\beta \quad 1-\beta$
$\pi_0$	$\pi_1$

$$\pi_0 + \pi_1 = 1$$

$$\pi_0 = \alpha \pi_0 + \beta \pi_1$$

$$\pi_1 = (1-\alpha) \pi_0 + (1-\beta) \pi_1$$

$$\pi_0 = \frac{\beta}{\alpha + \beta} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{(rain)} \\ \text{long run} \end{matrix}$$

$$\pi_1 = \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 - \alpha + \beta} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{(sunny)} \\ \text{long run} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \pi_0 & \pi_1 \\ \pi_0 & \pi_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

## 2 properties of Markov Chain

① Period  $\rightarrow$  state  $i$  is said to have period of  $d$  if  $p_{ii}^d = 0$

whenever  $n$  is not divisible by

$d$  and  $d$  is the largest integer with this property.

# A state with period  $d$  is said to be aperiodic.

# Markov Chain in Genetics

## Hardy Weinberg Law

Male - Female ratio same  
Note 1

$$P\{AA\} = p_0, P\{aa\} = q_0, P\{Aa\} = r_0$$

$$p_0 + q_0 + r_0 = 1$$

Let,  
next generation probability,

$$P\{AA\} = p, P\{Aa\} = q, P\{aa\} = r$$

$$P\{A\} = P\{A | AA\} p_0 + P\{A | aa\} q_0 +$$

$$P\{A | Aa\} r_0$$

$$= p_0 + 0 + \frac{r_0}{2}$$

$$= p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2}$$

$$P = P\{AA\} = \left(p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2}\right)^2$$

$$q = p \{ \text{acc} \} = \left( q_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right)^2$$

$$r = p \{ \text{Acc} \} = 2 \left( p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right) \left( q_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right)$$

$$p + q + r = \left( p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right)^2 + \left( q_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right)^2$$

$$+ 2 \left( p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right) \left( q_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right)$$

$$= \left( p_0 + q_0 + r \right)^2 = l^2 = l$$

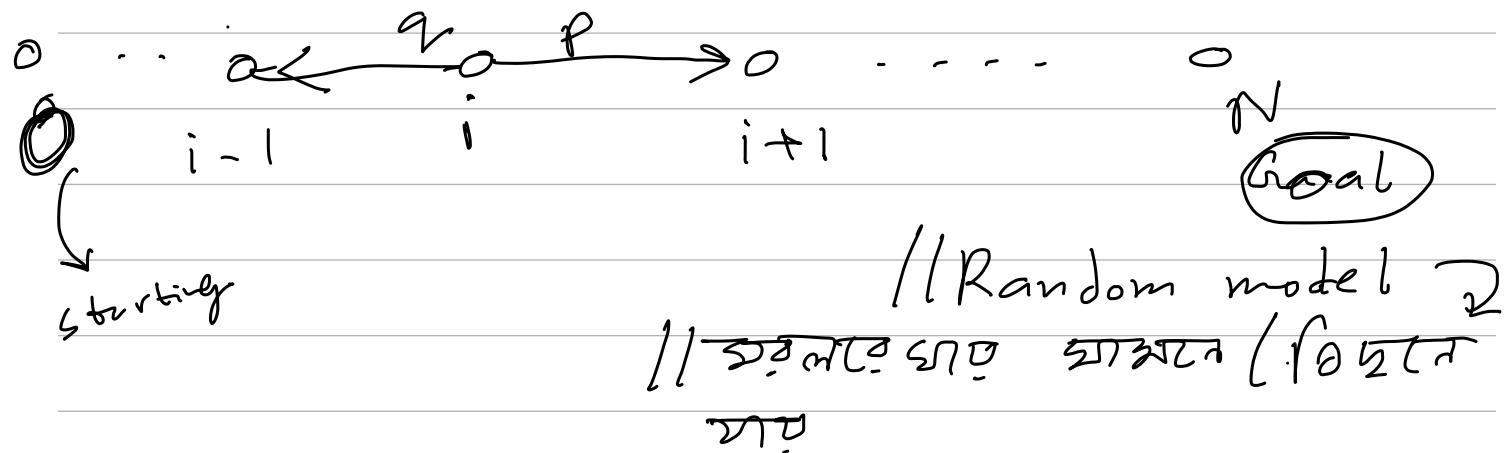
$$p + \frac{r}{2} = \left( p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right)^2 + \left( p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right) \left( q_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right)$$

$$= \left( p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2} \right) \left( p_0 + q_0 + r \right)$$

$$= p_0 + \frac{r_0}{2}$$

# Markov Chain

## The Gambler's Ruin Problem



Let,  $P_i \rightarrow P_{\text{prob}}$  that starting from  
 i the Gambler will eventually  
 reach N.

$$P_i = p P_{i+1} + q P_{i-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (p+q)P_i = p P_{i+1} + q P_{i-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{i+1} - P_i = \frac{q}{p} (P_i - P_{i-1})$$

//  $p+q = 1$

$$P_2 - P_1 = \frac{q}{p} (P_1 - P_0) = \frac{q}{p} P_1 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} P_0 = 0 \\ P_N = 1 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$P_3 - P_2 = \frac{q}{p} (P_2 - P_1) = \left(\frac{q}{p}\right)^2 P_1$$

$$P_i - P_{i-1} = \left(\frac{q}{p}\right)^{i-1} P_1$$

$$P_i - P_1 = P_1 \left[ \left(\frac{q}{p}\right) + \left(\frac{q}{p}\right)^2 + \cdots + \left(\frac{q}{p}\right)^{i-1} \right]$$

$$P_i = \begin{cases} P_1 \frac{\left(1 - \frac{q}{p}\right)^i}{1 - \frac{q}{p}} & ; \text{ if } q \neq p \\ i P_1 & \text{if } q = p \end{cases}$$

$$P_N = \frac{P_1 \left(1 - \left(\frac{q}{p}\right)^n\right)}{\left(1 - \frac{q}{p}\right)}, \quad p \neq \frac{1}{2}$$

,  $p = \frac{1}{2}$

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$$P_i = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \left(\frac{q}{p}\right)^i}{1 - \left(\frac{q}{p}\right)^N}, & \text{if } p \neq \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{i}{N}, & p = \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

$$P_i = \begin{cases} \left(1 - \frac{q}{p}\right)^i & p > \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & p \leq \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$