

# Section 8

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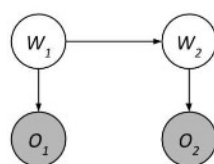


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## CS188 Fall 2018 Section 8: HMMs + Particle Filtering

### 1 HMMs

Consider the following **Hidden Markov Model**. temporal, unobservable state variables  
expect to receive: transition model, sensor model, occasional observation updates



$W_1$	$P(W_1)$
0	0.3
1	0.7

$W_t$	$W_{t+1}$	$P(W_{t+1} W_t)$
0	0	0.4
0	1	0.6
1	0	0.8
1	1	0.2

$W_t$	$O_t$	$P(O_t W_t)$
0	A	0.9
0	B	0.1
1	A	0.5
1	B	0.5

Suppose that we observe  $O_1 = A$  and  $O_2 = B$ .

Using the forward algorithm, compute the probability distribution  $P(W_2|O_1 = A, O_2 = B)$  one step at a time.

1. Compute  $P(W_1, O_1 = A)$ .

What's the partial JPD of getting both the evidence and each possible value for state  $W_1$ ?  
(Product Rule w/ sensor model)

$$P(W_1 = 0, O_1 = A) = P(O_1 = A | W_1 = 0) * P(W_1 = 0) = 0.9 * 0.3 = 0.27$$

$$P(W_1 = 1, O_1 = A) = P(O_1 = A | W_1 = 1) * P(W_1 = 1) = 0.5 * 0.7 = 0.35$$

2. Using the previous calculation, compute  $P(W_2, O_1 = A)$ .

$$P(W_2, o_1) = \sum_{x_1} P(W_2, x_1, o_1) = \sum_{x_1} P(W_2, |x_1, o_1) P(x_1, o_1) = \sum_{x_1} P(W_2, |x_1) P(x_1, o_1)$$

introduce a variable and sum it out, we can refactor into components that we know. Markov property simplifies

$$P(W_2 = 0, o_1 = A) = 0.27 * 0.4 + 0.35 * 0.8 = 0.388$$

$$P(W_2 = 1, o_1 = A) = 0.27 * 0.6 + 0.35 * 0.2 = 0.232$$

3. Using the previous calculation, compute  $P(W_2, O_1 = A, O_2 = B)$ .

$$P(W_2, o_1, o_2) = P(o_2 | W_2, o_1) * P(W_2, o_1) = P(o_2 | W_2) * P(W_2, o_1)$$

$$P(W_2 = 0, o_1 = A, o_2 = B) = 0.1 * 0.388 = 0.0388$$

$$P(W_2 = 1, o_1 = A, o_2 = B) = 0.5 * 0.232 = 0.116$$

4. Finally, compute  $P(W_2|O_1 = A, O_2 = B)$ .

get actual belief state at  $W_2$ , what the FUCK.

$$P(W_2 | O_1=A, O_2=B) = P(W_2, O_1=A, O_2=B) / P(O_1=A, O_2=B)$$

$$P(W_2 = 0 | O_1=A, O_2=B) = 0.0388 / 0.156 = 0.2487$$

$$P(W_2 = 1 | O_1=A, O_2=B) = 0.116 / 0.156 = 0.7436$$

remember, JPDs are the BOMB

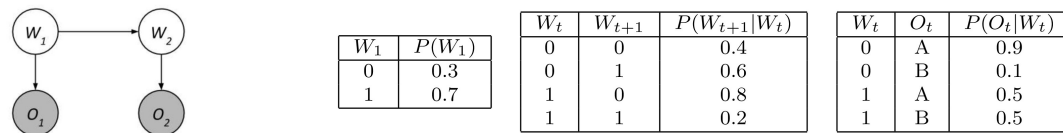
$$P(O_1 = A, O_2 = B) = \sum_{W_2} P(W_2, O_1 = A, O_2 = B) = 0.0388 + 0.116 = 0.156$$

od rule against  $o_2$ , then use the CI rules of sensor model to simplify  
e other term we pooped out was the previous belief state JPD

nug of a YUGE jpd

## 2 Particle Filtering

Let's use Particle Filtering to estimate the distribution of  $P(W_2|O_1 = A, O_2 = B)$ . Here's the HMM again:



We start with two particles representing our distribution for  $W_1$ .

$P_1 : W_1 = 0$

$P_2 : W_1 = 1$

Use the following random numbers to run particle filtering:

~~[0.22, 0.05, 0.33, 0.20, 0.84, 0.54, 0.79, 0.66, 0.14, 0.96]~~

1. **Observe:** Compute the weight of the two particles after evidence  $O_1 = A$ .

do LE weighting based on observed evidence

$W_1 = P(A | 0) = 0.9 \Rightarrow 0.9/1.4 = 0.6429$

$W_2 = P(A | 1) = 0.5 \Rightarrow 0.5/1.4 = 0.3571$

2. **Resample:** Using the random numbers, resample  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  based on the weights.

For re-sampling, we will re-normalize

P1:  $W_1 = 0$

P2:  $W_1 = 0$

3. **EIapse Time:** Now let's compute the elapse time particle update. Sample  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  from applying the time update.

P1:  $W_2 = 0$

P2:  $W_2 = 0$

4. **Observe:** Compute the weight of the two particles after evidence  $O_2 = B$ .

P1:  $W_2 = 0$  with weight  $P(B|0) = 0.1$

P2:  $W_2 = 0$  with weight  $P(B|0) = 0.1$

5. **Resample:** Using the random numbers, resample  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  based on the weights.

P1:  $W_2 = 0$

P2:  $W_2 = 0$

6. What is our estimated distribution for  $P(W_2|O_1 = A, O_2 = B)$ ?

100% chance of  $W_2 = 0$  baby!

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### 3 HMMs (Optional)

Consider a process where there are transitions among a finite set of states  $s_1, \dots, s_k$  over time steps  $i = 1, \dots, N$ . Let the random variables  $X_1, \dots, X_N$  represent the state of the system at each time step and be generated as follows:

**k possible states we can be in**

**N timesteps we are interested in**

- Sample the initial state  $s$  from an initial distribution  $P_1(X_1)$ , and set  $i = 1$
- Repeat the following:
  1. Sample a duration  $d$  from a duration distribution  $P_D$  over the integers  $\{1, \dots, M\}$ , where  $M$  is the maximum duration.
  2. Remain in the current state  $s$  for the next  $d$  time steps, i.e., set
 
$$x_i = x_{i+1} = \dots = x_{i+d-1} = s \tag{1}$$
  3. Sample a successor state  $s'$  from a transition distribution  $P_T(X_t|X_{t-1} = s)$  over the other states  $s' \neq s$  (so there are no self transitions)
  4. Assign  $i = i + d$  and  $s = s'$ .

This process continues indefinitely, but we only observe the first  $N$  time steps.

(a) Assuming that all three states  $s_1, s_2, s_3$  are different, what is the probability of the sample sequence  $s_1, s_1, s_2, s_2, s_2, s_3, s_3$ ? Write an algebraic expression. Assume  $M \geq 3$ .

At each time step  $i$  we observe a noisy version of the state  $X_i$  that we denote  $Y_i$  and is produced via a conditional distribution  $P_E(Y_i|X_i)$ .

(b) Only in this subquestion assume that  $N > M$ . Let  $X_1, \dots, X_N$  and  $Y_1, \dots, Y_N$  random variables defined as above. What is the maximum index  $i \leq N - 1$  so that  $X_1 \perp\!\!\!\perp X_N | X_i, X_{i+1}, \dots, X_{N-1}$  is guaranteed?

(c) Only in this subquestion, assume the max duration  $M = 2$ , and  $P_D$  uniform over  $\{1, 2\}$  and each  $x_i$  is in an alphabet  $\{a, b\}$ . For  $(X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4, X_5, Y_1, Y_2, Y_3, Y_4, Y_5)$  draw a Bayes Net over these 10 random variables with the property that removing any of the edges would yield a Bayes net inconsistent with the given distribution.



(d) In this part we will explore how to write the described process as an HMM with an extended state space. Write the states  $z = (s, t)$  where  $s$  is a state of the original system and  $t$  represents the time elapsed in that state. For example, the state sequence  $s_1, s_1, s_1, s_2, s_3, s_3$  would be represented as  $(s_1, 1), (s_1, 2), (s_1, 3), (s_2, 1), (s_3, 1), (s_3, 2)$ .

Answer all of the following in terms of the parameters  $P_1(X_1), P_D(d), P_T(X_{j+1}|X_j), P_E(Y_i|X_i), k$  (total number of possible states),  $N$  and  $M$  (max duration).

- What is  $P(Z_1)$ ?

$$P(x_1, t_1) =$$

- What is  $P(Z_{i+1}|Z_i)$ ? Hint: You will need to break this into cases where the transition function will behave differently.

$$P(X_{i+1}, t_{i+1} \mid X_i, t_i) =$$

- What is  $P(Y_i|Z_i)$ ?

$$P(Y_i \mid X_i, t_i) =$$

