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SIE321 HW6

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1. American families: urban, rural, suburban location

a) $P(\text{stay in urban}) = 1 - 0.06 - 0.12 = 0.82$

$P(\text{move to suburban}) = 6\% = 0.06$

$P(\text{move to rural}) = 12\% = 0.12$

$$P(\text{stay in urban 2 yrs}) = P(\text{urban yr1}) \cdot P(\text{urban in yr2} | \text{stay in urban yr1})$$

$$= 0.82(1 - 0.04 - 0.08)$$

$$P(\text{stay in urban 2 yrs}) = 0.7544$$

$$P(\text{suburban in 2 yrs}) = P(\text{move to suburban}) \cdot P(\text{stay in suburban yr2} | \text{move to suburban in yr1})$$

$$= 0.06(1 - 0.05 - 0.08) + 0.94(0.04)$$

$$P(\text{suburban in 2 yrs}) = 0.0804$$

$$P(\text{rural in 2 yrs}) = P(\text{move to rural in yr1}) \cdot P(\text{move to rural in yr2} | \text{stay in rural yr1})$$

$$= 0.12(1 - 0.06 - 0.05) + 0.88(0.06)$$

$$P(\text{rural in 2 yrs}) = 0.1056$$

b) Suppose at present:

$P(\text{urban}) = 0.30, P(\text{suburban}) = 0.45, P(\text{rural}) = 0.25$

$P(\text{urban in 3 yrs}) = P(\text{urban after 2 yrs}) \cdot P(\text{urban after 1 yr})$

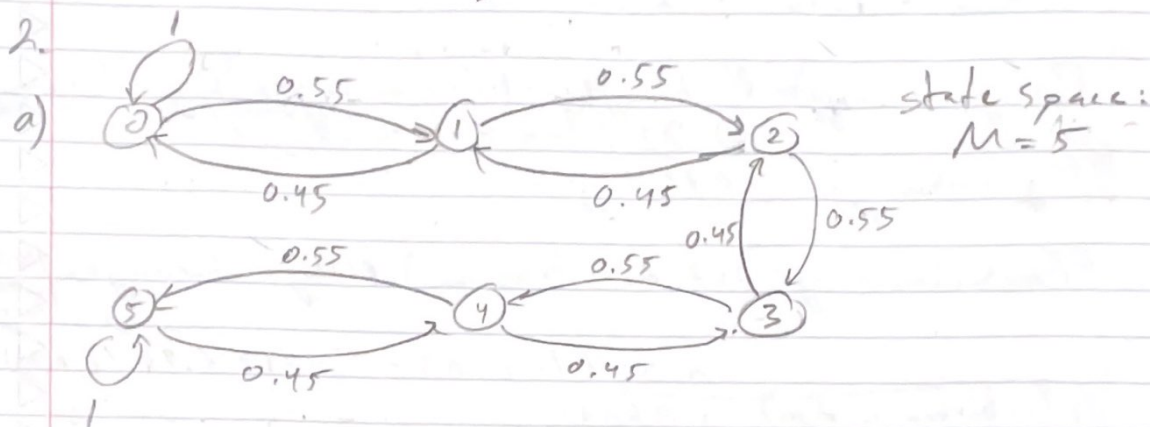
$P(\text{urban after 1 yr}) = 0.82(0.88) = 0.7216$

$P(\text{urban after 2 yrs}) = 0.7216(0.7216) = 0.5206$

$$P(\text{urban in 3 yrs}) = 0.2(0.5206) + 0.45(0.1404) + 0.25(0.1123)$$

$$P(\text{urban in 3 yrs}) = 0.2679$$

- c) The problem with using this model to predict the future population distribution of the U.S. is that the probabilities are held constant as time progresses, and in real-life, this may not be the case. There are many external factors (economy, social, political) that may affect these outcomes.



Probability Transition Matrix (PTM)

	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	1	0.55	0	0	0	0
1	0.45	0	0.55	0	0	0
2	0	0.45	0	0.55	0	0
3	0	0	0.45	0	0.55	0
4	0	0	0	0.45	0	0.55
5	0	0	0	0	0.45	1

b)

$$P_{1,0}^{(3)} = \sum_{k=0}^5 P_{1,k}^{(1)} P_{k,0}^{(2)} ; P_{2,0}^{(2)} = P_{2,0}^{(1)} P_{0,0}^{(1)} + P_{2,1}^{(1)} P_{1,0}^{(1)} + P_{2,3}^{(1)} P_{3,0}^{(1)}$$

$$= 0.45(1) + 0.45(0.45) + 0$$

Probability of going broke after 3 rounds of play = 0.6525

3. Communication network transmits binary digits, 0 or 1, where each digit is transmitted 10 times in succession.

a) Construct (one-step) transition matrix:

$$P = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 0 & 1 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0.995 & 0.005 \\ 0.005 & 0.995 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

b) Find (10-step) transition matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \pi_0 & \pi_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.995 & 0.005 \\ 0.005 & 0.995 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \pi_0 \\ \pi_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P^{10} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.9646 & 0.0354 \\ 0.0354 & 0.9646 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\pi_0 + \pi_1 = 1$$

$$\pi_0 = \pi_1 = (1, 1) \left[P + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right]^{-1}$$

$$\pi_0 = 0.951 \pi_1 + 0.049 \pi_2$$

$$\pi_1 = 0.049 \pi_1 + 0.951 \pi_2$$

$$(\pi_0 = \pi_1) = 0.524$$

The probability that a digit entering the network will be recorded accurately after the last transmission is 52.4%

c) Repeat part (b) with single transmission accuracy of 0.998 instead of 0.995.

• (one-step) transition matrix

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0.998 & 0.002 \\ 0.002 & 0.998 \end{bmatrix}$$

• (10-step) transition matrix

$$P^{10} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.9804 & 0.0196 \\ 0.0196 & 0.9804 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$0.967 \pi_0 + 0.033 \pi_1 = \pi_0 ; \quad 0.934 \pi_0 + 0.033 \pi_1 = 0$$

$$0.033 \pi_0 + 0.967 \pi_1 = \pi_1 ; \quad 0.033 \pi_0 + 0.934 \pi_1 = 0$$

$$\pi_0 = \pi_1 = 0.967$$

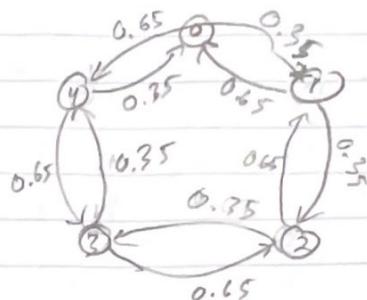
4. Particle moves on a circle through points that have been marked 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 (in a clockwise order)

$$P(\text{one point cw}) = 0.35$$

$$P(\text{one point ccw}) = 0.65$$

a) Construct the one-step transition matrix for X_n .

$$P = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.35 & 0 & 0 & 0.65 \\ 0.65 & 0 & 0.35 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.65 & 0 & 0.35 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.65 & 0 & 0.35 \\ 0.35 & 0 & 0 & 0.65 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$



b) Determine the n -step transitions for $n=5, 10, 20$:

$$n=5$$

$$P^5 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.121 & 0.181 & 0.312 & 0.049 & 0.336 \\ 0.336 & 0.121 & 0.181 & 0.312 & 0.049 \\ 0.049 & 0.336 & 0.121 & 0.181 & 0.312 \\ 0.312 & 0.049 & 0.336 & 0.121 & 0.181 \\ 0.181 & 0.312 & 0.049 & 0.336 & 0.121 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$n=10$$

$$P^{10} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.162 & 0.257 & 0.141 & 0.238 & 0.197 \\ 0.197 & 0.162 & 0.257 & 0.141 & 0.238 \\ 0.238 & 0.197 & 0.162 & 0.257 & 0.141 \\ 0.141 & 0.238 & 0.197 & 0.162 & 0.257 \\ 0.257 & 0.141 & 0.238 & 0.197 & 0.162 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$n = 20$$

$$P^{20} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.196 & 0.198 & 0.207 & 0.191 & 0.208 \\ 0.208 & 0.196 & 0.199 & 0.207 & 0.191 \\ 0.191 & 0.208 & 0.196 & 0.198 & 0.207 \\ 0.207 & 0.191 & 0.208 & 0.196 & 0.198 \\ 0.198 & 0.207 & 0.191 & 0.208 & 0.196 \end{bmatrix}$$