

# MDL

## Assignment-3 Part-1 REPORT

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We know that, POMDP models depict are generalizations of MDP models, with a sensor-based approach.

A POMDP can be represented by 7-tuple  $(S, A, T, R, \Omega, O, \gamma)$ . In our case, the entries of the tuple are explained as follows:

→ Set of states,  $S = \{S_1, S_2, S_3, S_4, S_5, S_6\}$

→ Set of actions,  $A = \{Left, Right\}$

→ Transition probabilities,  $T$ , can be given by the transition table below:

Note that, for our case,

Roll number considered = 2019111009

Last 4 digits = 1009, Last 2 digits = 09

$$x = 1 - \left(\frac{19+1}{100}\right) = 1 - \left(\frac{20}{100}\right) = 0.8$$

$$y = (09) \% 4 + 1 = 1 + 1 = 2$$

Current state	Action	Next State	Transition probability
$S_1$	Left	$S_1$	0.8
$S_1$	Right	$S_2$	0.8
$S_1$	Right	$S_1$	0.2
$S_2$	Left	$S_1$	0.8
$S_2$	Left	$S_3$	0.2
$S_2$	Right	$S_3$	0.8
$S_2$	Right	$S_1$	0.2
$S_3$	Left	$S_2$	0.8
$S_3$	Left	$S_4$	0.2
$S_3$	Right	$S_4$	0.8
$S_3$	Right	$S_2$	0.2
$S_4$	Left	$S_3$	0.8
$S_4$	Left	$S_5$	0.2
$S_4$	Right	$S_5$	0.8
$S_4$	Right	$S_3$	0.2
$S_5$	Left	$S_4$	0.8
$S_5$	Left	$S_6$	0.2
$S_5$	Right	$S_6$	0.8
$S_5$	Right	$S_4$	0.2
$S_6$	Left	$S_5$	0.8
$S_6$	Left	$S_6$	0.2
$S_6$	Right	$S_6$	0.8
$S_6$	Right	$S_5$	0.2
$S_1$	Left	$S_2$	0.2

→ Set of observations,  $\Omega = \{\text{Green, Red}\}$

→ Set of conditional observation probabilities ' $O$ ' are given by the following table

(Table: 2 of pdf as we have  $y=2$ )

State	Colour	Red is observed	Green is observed
$S_1$	Red	0.9	0.1
$S_2$	Green	0.15	0.85
$S_3$	Red	0.9	0.1
$S_4$	Green	0.15	0.85
$S_5$	Green	0.15	0.85
$S_6$	Red	0.9	0.1

→ We ignore ' $R$ ' and ' $V$ ' as they are not relevant for computation of belief state.

→ We know that, belief state at each time step is updated by the formulation:

$$b'(s') = \frac{p(o' | s', a_m) \left( \sum_{s \in S} p(s' | a_m, s) b(s) \right)}{p(o' | a_m, b)}$$

where ' $b$ ', is current belief state,  $a_m$  is action taken,  $s, s' \in S$

→ Initial belief state:

Initially, agent knows that it is <sup>in</sup> one of red states:  $S_1, S_3, S_6$ . Hence, initial belief state of the POMDP would be given

$$b(S_1) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$b(S_2) = 0$$

$$b(S_3) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$b(S_4) = 0$$

$$b(S_5) = 0$$

$$b(S_6) = \frac{1}{3}$$

→ Thus, based on all above information, we can start with the computations:



\* For a state, Let's define,

$$b''(s) = \sum_{s' \in S} P(s|a, s') b(s') P(o|s)$$

Here, 'o' is the observation observed on taking action 'a' from state 's' to reach 's'.

$P(s|a, s')$  → ~~Prob~~ Transition probability of reaching state 's' from 's' on taking action 'a'.

$P(o|s)$  → <sup>probability that</sup> 'o' is observed on reaching 's'.

$b(s')$  → probability that agent was initially in state 's'.

Let's define normalization factor,  $N = \left( \frac{1}{\sum_{s \in S} b''(s)} \right)$

Hence, current belief state for a state  $s_1$  can now be given as

$$b'(s) = b''(s) \cdot N$$

Let us use this approach in all computation below.

① Agent took 'Right' and observed 'green':

$$\begin{aligned} b''(s) &= \sum_{s' \in S} P(s|a, s') b(s') P(o|s) \\ &= \sum_{s' \in S} b(s') P(s|a, s') P(o|s) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore b''(s_1) &= P(s_1 | \text{Right}, s_1) b(s_1) P(\text{Green} | s_1) + \\ &\quad P(s_2 | \text{Right}, s_1) b(s_2) P(\text{Green} | s_1) \end{aligned}$$

$$= (0.2) \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) (0.1) + (0.8) \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) (0.8) = \frac{1}{150}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b''(s_2) &= P(s_2 | \text{Right}, s_1) b(s_1) P(\text{Green} | s_2) + \\ &\quad P(s_3 | \text{Right}, s_1) b(s_3) P(\text{Green} | s_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$= (0.8) \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) (0.85) + (0.2) \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) (0.85)$$

$$= \frac{85}{300}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b''(s_3) &= P(s_3 | \text{Right}, s_2) b(s_2) P(\text{Green} | s_3) + \\ &\quad P(s_4 | \text{Right}, s_2) b(s_4) P(\text{Green} | s_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 0$$

$$b''(s_4) = P(s_4 | \text{Right}, s_3) b(s_3) P(\text{Green} | s_4) + \\ P(s_4 | \text{Right}, s_5) b(s_5) P(\text{Green} | s_4) \\ = (0.8) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) (0.85) + 0 = \frac{68}{300}$$

$$b''(s_5) = P(s_5 | \text{Right}, s_4) b(s_4) P(\text{Green} | s_5) + \\ P(s_5 | \text{Right}, s_6) b(s_6) P(\text{Green} | s_5) \\ = 0 + (0.2) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) (0.8) = \frac{17}{300}$$

$$b''(s_6) = P(s_6 | \text{Right}, s_5) b(s_5) P(\text{Green} | s_6) + \\ P(s_6 | \text{Right}, s_6) b(s_6) P(\text{Green} | s_6) \\ = (0.8)(0) + (0.8) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) (0.1) = \frac{8}{300}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{s \in S} b''(s) = \frac{2}{300} + \frac{85}{300} + 0 + \frac{68}{300} + \frac{17}{300} + \frac{8}{300} \\ = \frac{180}{300} = 0.6$$

$$\therefore N = \frac{1}{\sum_{s \in S} b''(s)} = \frac{300}{180}$$

$$\therefore b'(s_1) = \left(\frac{1}{150}\right) \left(\frac{300}{180}\right) = \frac{1}{90}$$

$$b'(s_2) = \left(\frac{85}{300}\right) \left(\frac{300}{180}\right) = \frac{85}{180} = \frac{17}{36}$$

$$b'(A_3) = 0$$

$$b'(A_4) = \left(\frac{68}{300}\right)\left(\frac{300}{180}\right) = \frac{17}{45}$$

$$b'(A_5) = \left(\frac{17}{300}\right)\left(\frac{300}{180}\right) = \frac{17}{180}$$

$$b'(A_6) = \left(\frac{8}{300}\right)\left(\frac{300}{180}\right) = \frac{2}{45}$$

∴ Belief states after the given action are

$b(S_1) \approx 0.011111$	$= \frac{1}{90}$
$b(S_2) \approx 0.472222$	$= \frac{17}{36}$
$b(S_3) = 0$	$= 0$
$b(S_4) \approx 0.377778$	$= \frac{17}{45}$
$b(S_5) \approx 0.094444$	$= \frac{17}{180}$
$b(S_6) \approx 0.044444$	$= \frac{2}{45}$

② Agent took action 'Left' and observed 'Red' :

$$\begin{aligned}
 b''(S_1) &= P(S_1 | \text{Left}, S_1) b(S_1) P(\text{Red} | S_1) + \\
 &\quad P(S_1 | \text{Left}, S_2) b(S_2) P(\text{Red} | S_1) \\
 &= (0.8)\left(\frac{1}{90}\right)(0.9) + (0.8)\left(\frac{17}{36}\right)(0.9)
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\Rightarrow b''(s_1) = \frac{8}{1000} + \frac{340}{1000} = \frac{348}{1000}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b''(s_2) &= P(s_2 | \text{left}, s_3) b(s_3) P(\text{Red} | s_2) + \\ &\quad P(s_1 | \text{left}, s_1) b(s_1) P(\text{Red} | s_2) \\ &= (0.8)(0) + (0.2)\left(\frac{1}{90}\right)(0.15) = \frac{1}{3000} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b''(s_3) &= P(s_3 | \text{left}, s_4) b(s_4) P(\text{Red} | s_3) + \\ &\quad P(s_2 | \text{left}, s_2) b(s_2) P(\text{Red} | s_3) \\ &= (0.8)\left(\frac{17}{45}\right)(0.9) + (0.2)\left(\frac{17}{36}\right)(0.9) \\ &= \frac{272}{1000} + \frac{85}{1000} = \frac{357}{1000} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b''(s_4) &= P(s_4 | \text{left}, s_5) b(s_5) P(\text{Red} | s_4) + \\ &\quad P(s_1 | \text{left}, s_3) b(s_3) P(\text{Red} | s_4) \\ &= (0.8)\left(\frac{17}{180}\right)(0.15) + (0.2)(0) \\ &= \frac{17}{1500} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b''(s_5) &= P(s_5 | \text{left}, s_6) b(s_6) P(\text{Red} | s_5) + \\ &\quad P(s_1 | \text{left}, s_4) b(s_4) P(\text{Red} | s_5) \\ &= (0.8)\left(\frac{2}{45}\right)(0.15) + (0.2)\left(\frac{17}{45}\right)(0.15) \end{aligned}$$

$$b''(s_5) = \frac{8}{1500} + \frac{17}{1500} = \frac{25}{1500}$$

$$b''(s_6) = P(s_6 | \text{left}, s_6) b(s_6) P(\text{Red} | s_6) + \\ P(s_6 | \text{left}, s_5) b(s_5) P(\text{Red} | s_6)$$

$$= (0.2) \left( \frac{2}{45} \right) (0.9) + (0.2) \left( \frac{17}{180} \right) (0.9)$$

$$= \frac{25}{1000}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{s \in S} b''(s) = \frac{348}{1000} + \frac{1}{3000} + \frac{357}{1000} + \frac{17}{1500} + \frac{25}{1500} + \frac{25}{1000}$$

$$= \frac{2275}{3000} \approx 0.758333$$

$$N = \frac{1}{\left( \frac{2275}{3000} \right)} = \frac{3000}{2275}$$

$$b'(s_1) = \left( \frac{348}{1000} \right) \left( \frac{3000}{2275} \right) = \frac{1044}{2275}$$

$$b'(s_2) = \left( \frac{1}{3000} \right) \left( \frac{3000}{2275} \right) = \frac{1}{2275}$$

$$b'(s_3) = \left( \frac{357}{1000} \right) \left( \frac{3000}{2275} \right) = \frac{1071}{2275}$$

$$b'(s_4) = \left( \frac{17}{1500} \right) \left( \frac{3000}{2275} \right) = \frac{34}{2275}$$

$$b'(s_5) = \left( \frac{25}{1500} \right) \left( \frac{3000}{2275} \right) = \frac{50}{2275}$$

$$b'(s_6) = \left( \frac{25}{1000} \right) \left( \frac{3000}{2275} \right) = \frac{75}{2275}$$

∴ Belief states after the given action are:

$$\begin{aligned}
 b(s_1) &= \frac{1044}{2275} \approx 0.458901 \\
 b(s_2) &= \frac{1}{2275} \approx 0.000439 \\
 b(s_3) &= \frac{1071}{2275} \approx 0.470769 \\
 b(s_4) &= \frac{34}{2275} \approx 0.014945 \\
 b(s_5) &= \frac{50}{2275} \approx 0.021978 \\
 b(s_6) &= \frac{75}{2275} \approx 0.032967
 \end{aligned}$$

③ Agent took action 'left' and observed 'green':

$$\begin{aligned}
 b''(s_1) &= P(s_1 | \text{left}, s_1) b(s_1) P(\text{Green} | s_1) + \\
 &\quad P(s_1 | \text{left}, s_2) b(s_2) P(\text{Green} | s_1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= (0.8) \left( \frac{1}{90} \right) (0.1) + (0.8) \left( \frac{17}{36} \right) (0.1)$$

$$= \frac{8}{9000} + \frac{340}{9000} = \frac{348}{9000}$$

$$b''(s_2)$$

$$b''(s_1) = (0.8) \left( \frac{1044}{2275} \right) (0.1) + (0.8) \left( \frac{1}{2275} \right) (0.1)$$

$$= \frac{8352}{227500} + \frac{8}{227500} = \frac{8360}{227500}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b''(s_2) &= P(s_2 | \text{left}, s_3) b(s_3) P(\text{Green} | s_2) + \\
 &\quad P(s_2 | \text{left}, s_1) b(s_1) P(\text{Green} | s_2) \\
 &= (0.8) \left( \frac{1071}{2275} \right) (0.85) + (0.2) \left( \frac{1044}{2275} \right) (0.85) \\
 &= \frac{72828}{227500} + \frac{17748}{227500} = \frac{90576}{227500}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b''(s_3) &= P(s_3 | \text{left}, s_4) b(s_4) P(\text{Green} | s_3) + \\
 &\quad P(s_3 | \text{left}, s_2) b(s_2) P(\text{Green} | s_3) \\
 &= (0.8) \left( \frac{34}{2275} \right) (0.1) + (0.2) \left( \frac{1}{2275} \right) (0.1) \\
 &= \frac{272}{227500} + \frac{2}{227500} = \frac{274}{227500}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b''(s_4) &= P(s_4 | \text{left}, s_5) b(s_5) P(\text{Green} | s_4) + \\
 &\quad P(s_4 | \text{left}, s_3) b(s_3) P(\text{Green} | s_4) \\
 &= (0.8) \left( \frac{50}{2275} \right) (0.85) + (0.2) \left( \frac{1071}{2275} \right) (0.85) \\
 &= \frac{3400}{227500} + \frac{18207}{227500} = \frac{21607}{227500}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b''(s_5) &= P(s_5 | \text{left}, s_6) b(s_6) P(\text{Green} | s_5) + \\
 &\quad P(s_5 | \text{left}, s_4) b(s_4) P(\text{Green} | s_5) \\
 &= (0.8) \left( \frac{75}{2275} \right) (0.85) + (0.2) \left( \frac{34}{2275} \right) (0.85) \\
 &= \frac{5160}{227500} + \frac{578}{227500} = \frac{5678}{227500}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b''(s_6) &= P(s_6 | \text{left}, s_6) b(s_6) P(\text{Green} | s_6) + \\
 &\quad P(s_6 | \text{left}, s_5) b(s_5) P(\text{Green} | s_6) \\
 &= (0.2) \left( \frac{75}{2275} \right) (0.1) + (0.2) \left( \frac{50}{2275} \right) (0.1) \\
 &= \frac{150}{227500} + \frac{100}{227500} = \frac{250}{227500}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \sum_{s \in S} b''(s) &= \frac{8360}{227500} + \frac{90576}{227500} + \frac{274}{227500} + \frac{21607}{227500} + \\
 &\quad \frac{5678}{227500} + \frac{250}{227500} \\
 &= \frac{126745}{227500} \approx 0.557120
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore N = \frac{1}{\sum_{s \in S} b''(s)} = \frac{227500}{126745}$$

$$\therefore b'(s_1) = \left( \frac{8360}{227500} \right) \left( \frac{227500}{126745} \right) = \frac{8360}{126745}$$

$$b'(s_2) = \left( \frac{90576}{227500} \right) \left( \frac{227500}{126745} \right) = \frac{90576}{126745}$$

$$b'(s_3) = \left( \frac{274}{227500} \right) \left( \frac{227500}{126745} \right) = \frac{274}{126745}$$

$$b'(s_4) = \left( \frac{21607}{227500} \right) \left( \frac{227500}{126745} \right) = \frac{21607}{126745}$$

$$b'(s_5) = \left( \frac{5678}{227500} \right) \left( \frac{227500}{126745} \right) = \frac{5678}{126745}$$

$$b'(s_6) = \left( \frac{250}{227500} \right) \left( \frac{227500}{126745} \right) = \frac{250}{126745}$$



Belief states after the given action are:

$$b(s_1) = \frac{8360}{126745} \approx 0.065959$$

$$b(s_2) = \frac{90576}{126745} \approx 0.714631$$

$$b(s_3) = \frac{274}{126745} \approx 0.002161$$

$$b(s_4) = \frac{21607}{126745} \approx 0.170476$$

$$b(s_5) = \frac{5678}{126745} \approx 0.044798$$

$$b(s_6) = \frac{250}{126745} \approx 0.001972$$

Hence, based on above computations, the belief states after each action can be represented in the following table. (each probability approximated to 4 decimal places)

After Action	$b(s_1)$	$b(s_2)$	$b(s_3)$	$b(s_4)$	$b(s_5)$	$b(s_6)$
1	0.0111	0.4722	0	0.3778	0.0944	0.0444
2	0.4589	0.0004	0.4708	0.0149	0.0220	0.0330
3	0.0660	0.7146	0.0022	0.1705	0.0448	0.0020