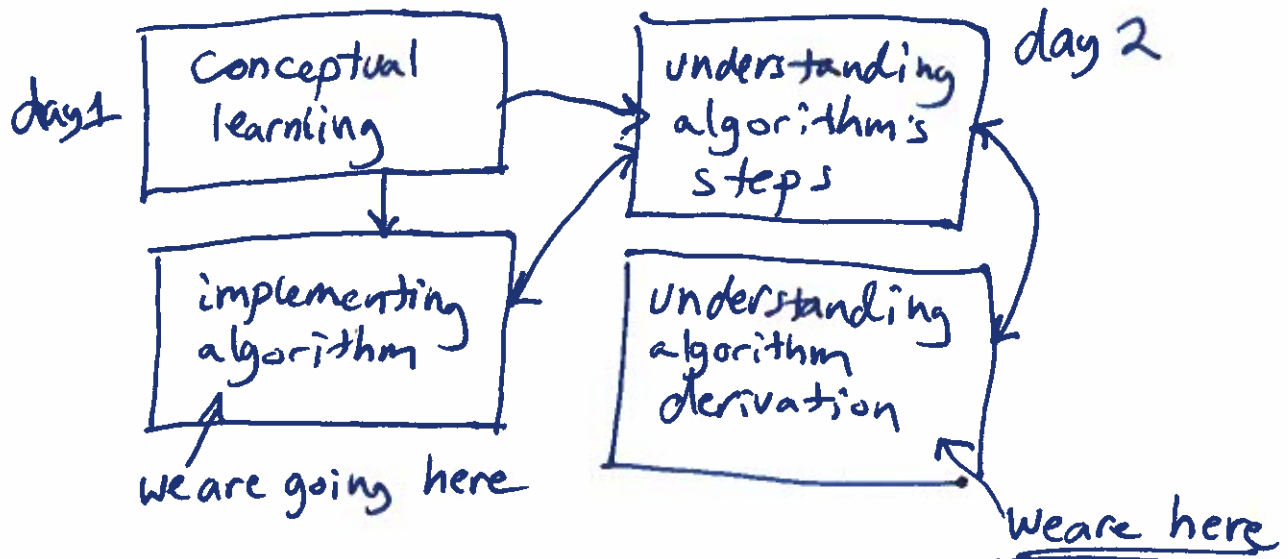


Algorithm learning process Map

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Derivation of the Bayes filter for robot state estimation

(very general... can be applied to any Markov process)

Before we start: why probabilities? why Bayes?

- probabilities: make underlying model of the world explicit... Express uncertainty and randomness.

- Bayes: a framework for how to ~~better~~ reason about hidden causes given evidence

Tool 1 Bayes Rule

$$P(H|E) = \frac{P(E|H)P(H)}{P(E)}$$

Annotations: "evidence" points to E ; "given hypothesis" points to H .

Tool 2 Product Rule

$$P(A, B) = P(A)P(B|A)$$

(you choose the order)

Tool 3 Conditional Independence

$$p(A, B | C) = p(A | C) p(B | C)$$

is true when A and B are conditionally independent given C.

When is this true? We have some formal tools, but we're not going to go into it.

Tool 4 Law of total probability

Given some mutually exclusive and exhaustive set of events $B_1 \dots B_n$

$$p(A) = p(A, B_1) + p(A, B_2) + \dots + p(A, B_n)$$

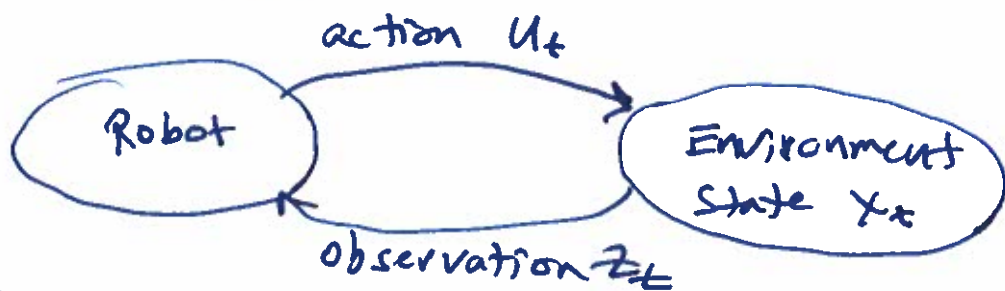
Invite folks to leave if they want an independent experience

Bayes Filter via Robot State Estimation

Strategy: derive for particular problem and then state the general form.

(see "Probabilistic Robotics for detail")

Notation and Model



Time line:

robot starts in state x_0
 does action u_1
 arrives in state x_1
 observes z_1
 does action u_2
 arrives in state x_2
 observes z_2

x_0
 u_1
 x_1
 z_1
 u_2
 x_2
 z_2

time



Goal:
compute $P(X_t | u_1 \dots u_t, z_1 \dots z_t)$

Ex



$X_t \triangleq \begin{cases} 1 & \text{door open @ time } t \\ 0 & \text{" closed @ " "} \end{cases}$
 $u_t \triangleq \begin{cases} 1 & \text{robot pushes door @ time } t \\ 0 & \text{" doesn't push " " " "} \end{cases}$
 $z_t \triangleq \begin{cases} 1 & \text{robot senses door open @ time } t \\ 0 & \text{" doesn't sense " " " " "} \end{cases}$

Let's model our system!

initial
state
model

$$P(X_0=1) = 1/2 \quad (\Rightarrow P(X_0=0) = 1/2)$$

motor
model

$$P(X_t=1 | X_{t-1}=0, u_t=0) = 0, \quad P(X_t=1 | X_{t-1}=0, u_t=1) = 4/5$$

$$P(X_t=1 | X_{t-1}=1, u_t=0) = 1, \quad P(X_t=1 | X_{t-1}=1, u_t=1) = 1$$

Sensor
Model

$$P(z_t=1 | X_t=1) = 3/5, \quad P(z_t=1 | X_t=0) = 1/5$$

Problem 1

$$P(X_1=1 | z_1=1, u_1=0)?$$

$$P(X_1=1 | z_1=1, u_1=0) = \frac{P(z_1=1 | X_1=1, u_1=0) P(X_1=1 | u_1=0)}{P(z_1=1 | u_1=0)} \quad \text{Bayes' Rule}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X_1=1 | u_1=0) &= P(X_1=1, X_0=0 | u_1=0) + P(X_1=1, X_0=1 | u_1=0) \quad \leftarrow \text{total Prob} \\ &= P(X_0=0 | u_1=0) P(X_1=1 | X_0=0, u_1=0) + P(X_0=1 | u_1=0) P(X_1=1 | X_0=1, u_1=0) \\ &= (1/2)(0) + (1/2)(1) = (1/2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(X_1=1 | z_1=1, u_1=0) \propto (1/2)(3/5) = 3/10$$

Next we need: $P(X_1=0 | Z_1=1, u_1=0)$
 From before: (analogous)

$$P(X_1=0 | Z_1=1, u_1=0) \propto P(\cancel{Z_1=1} | X_1=0) P(X_1=0 | u_1=0)$$

and... $P(X_1=0 | u_1=0) =$

$$\frac{P(\cancel{X_0=0}) P(X_1=0 | X_0=0, u_1=0)}{1} + \frac{P(\cancel{X_0=1}) P(X_1=0 | X_0=1, u_1=0)}{1/2}$$

$$= 1/2$$

$$\therefore P(X_1=0 | Z_1=1, u_1=0) \propto (1/5)(1/2) = (1/10)$$

$$\Rightarrow P(X_1=1 | Z_1=1, u_1=0) = \frac{3/10}{1/10 + 3/10} = 3/4$$

Problem 2

$$P(X_2=1 | Z_1=1, Z_2=1, u_1=0, u_2=1) ?$$

Bayes' Rule

$$= \frac{P(Z_2=1 | Z_1=1, X_2=1, u_1=0, u_2=1) P(X_2=1 | Z_1=1, Z_1=0, u_2=1)}{P(Z_2=1 | Z_1=1, u_1=0, u_2=1)}$$

$$\propto \frac{P(Z_2=1 | \cancel{Z_1=1}, X_2=1, \cancel{u_1=0}, \cancel{u_2=1})}{3/5} P(X_2=1 | Z_1=1, u_1=0, u_2=1)$$

$$P(X_2=1 | Z_1=1, u_1=0, u_2=1) = P(X_1=0, X_2=1 | Z_1=1, u_1=0, u_2=1) + P(X_1=1, X_2=1 | Z_1=1, u_1=0, u_2=1)$$

$$= P(X_1=0 | Z_1=1, u_1=0, \cancel{u_2=1}) P(X_2=1 | X_1=0, \cancel{Z_1=1}, \cancel{u_1=0}, u_2=1) + P(X_1=1 | Z_1=1, u_1=0, \cancel{u_2=1}) P(X_2=1 | X_1=1, \cancel{Z_1=1}, \cancel{u_1=0}, u_2=1)$$

$$= (1/4)(4/5) + (3/4)(1) = 19/20$$

Where did this come from?

$$\Rightarrow P(X_2=1 | Z_1=1, Z_2=1, u_1=0, u_2=1) \propto 57/100$$

Analogously

$$P(X_2=0 | z_1=1, z_2=1, u_1=0, u_2=1)$$

$$\propto P(z_2=1 | X_2=0)^{1/5}$$

and...

$$P(X_2=0 | z_1=1, u_1=0, u_2=1)$$

$$P(X_2=0 | z_1=1, u_1=0, u_2=1) =$$

$$P(X_1=0 | z_1=1, u_1=0) P(X_2=0 | X_1=0, u_2=1)$$

$$+ P(X_1=1 | z_1=1, u_1=0) P(X_2=0 | X_1=1, u_2=1)$$

$$= (1/4)(1/5) + (3/4)(0) = 1/20$$

$$\Rightarrow P(X_2=1 | z_1=1, z_2=1, u_1=0, u_2=1) \propto (1/5)(1/20) = 1/100$$

$$P(X_2=1 | z_1=1, z_2=1, u_1=0, u_2=1) = \frac{57/100}{57/100 + 1/100} = 57/58$$

Bayes' Binary

$$P(X_t=1 | u_1 \dots u_t, z_1 \dots z_t) \propto P(z_t | X_t=1) \times$$

$$\left[P(X_{t-1}=0 | u_1 \dots u_{t-1}, z_1 \dots z_{t-1}) P(X_t=1 | X_{t-1}=0, u_t) \right.$$

$$\left. + P(X_{t-1}=1 | u_1 \dots u_{t-1}, z_1 \dots z_{t-1}) P(X_t=1 | X_{t-1}=1, u_t) \right]$$

Bayes' discrete

$$P(X_t=i | u_1 \dots u_t, z_1 \dots z_t) \propto P(z_t | X_t=i) \sum_{j=1}^K P(X_{t-1}=j | u_1 \dots u_{t-1}, z_1 \dots z_{t-1}) P(X_t=i | X_{t-1}=j, u_t)$$

How does this scale?