

Problem Set 3

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1. Probability

(a) Suppose:

$$D = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} d_1 & \text{if disease affects you} \\ d_2 & \text{if disease doesn't affect you} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$T = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} t_1 & \text{test was correct} \\ t_2 & \text{test was a false positive} \end{array} \right\}$$

Then:

$$P(D = d_1) = \frac{1}{8000}$$

$$P(T|D) = 0.97$$

$$P(\neg T|\neg D) = 0.97 \rightarrow P(T|\neg D) = 1 - P(\neg T|\neg D) = 0.03$$

$$P(D = d_1|T = t_1) = \alpha \left\langle 0.97(0.000125), (1 - 0.97)(1 - \frac{1}{8000}) \right\rangle$$

$$P(D = d_1|T = t_1) = \langle 0.00012125, 0.02999625 \rangle \cdot \frac{1}{0.00012125 + 0.02999625}$$

$$P(D = d_1|T = t_1) = \langle 0.00402589856395783, 0.995974101436042 \rangle$$

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No, you shouldn't have anything to worry about.

(b) Suppose:

We have a random variable M:

$$M = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} r & \text{if the marble is red} \\ b & \text{if the marble is blue} \end{array} \right\}$$

Given by the information we know that:

$$P(M = r) = 0.30$$

$$P(M = b) = 0.70$$

We know that we have a uniform distribution since $\sum_{m \in M} P(M = m) \leq 1$.

Therefore:

$$P(M = r \wedge M = r) = P(M = r)P(M = r) = (0.3)(0.3) = 0.09$$

$$P(M = b \wedge M = b) = P(M = b)P(M = b) = (0.7)(0.7) = 0.49$$

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Suppose you select one of your two marbles at random. What is the probability that it is blue?

$$P(M = b|M = r \wedge M = b) = 0.21$$

$$P(M = b|M = b \wedge M = b) = 0.49$$

$$P(M = b) = 0.7$$

2. Bayesian Networks

Special Exhibits:

$$E = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} g & \text{if Gourmet Food} \\ a & \text{if art on loan} \\ e & \text{if empty} \end{array} \right\}$$

Thieves:

$$T = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} t & \text{if will steal} \\ f & \text{if won't steal} \end{array} \right\}$$

Weather:

$$W = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} h & \text{if hot} \\ c & \text{if cold} \\ n & \text{if neutral} \end{array} \right\}$$

Alarm:

$$A = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} t & \text{if alarm sounded} \\ f & \text{if alarm didn't sound} \end{array} \right\}$$

Rats:

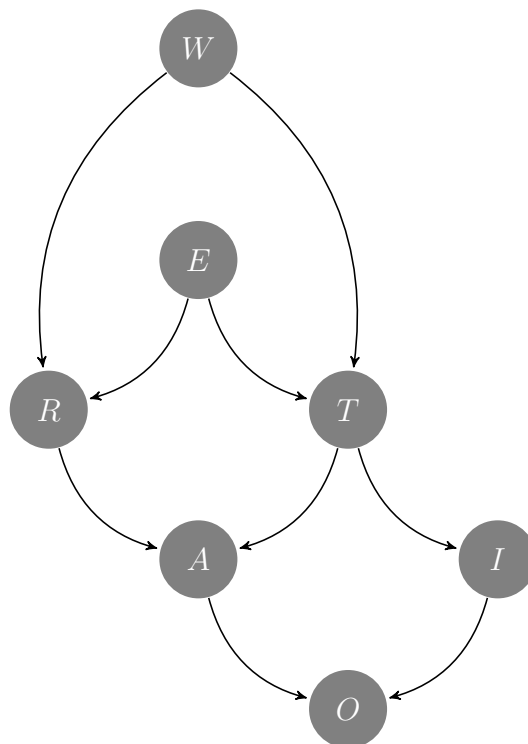
$$R = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} t & \text{if rats} \\ f & \text{if no rats} \end{array} \right\}$$

Insurance claim:

$$I = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} t & \text{if insurance claim} \\ f & \text{if no insurance claim} \end{array} \right\}$$

Overtime:

$$O = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} t & \text{if overtime} \\ f & \text{if no overtime} \end{array} \right\}$$



(a)

(b) This structure is a polytree since it is a directed, acyclic graph. This is because for every vertex there is no way to get back to vertex v . There relative difficulty

will be similar for both structures since they are both polytrees. However, the structure in problem 2 may have a larger algorithmic complexity to traverse the whole tree.

- (c) 287 parameters are needed for the full joint probability.
 (d) Baye's net parameters:

				E	W	$P(R W, E)$	E	W	$P(T W, E)$
				g	h	(g)	g	h	(p)
				g	e	(h)	g	e	(q)
W	$P(W)$	E	$P(E)$	g	n	(i)	g	n	(r)
h	(a)	g	(d)	a	h	(j)	a	h	(s)
c	(b)	a	(e)	a	e	(k)	a	e	(t)
n	(c)	e	(f)	a	n	(l)	a	n	(u)
				e	h	(m)	e	h	(v)
				e	e	(n)	e	e	(w)
				e	n	(o)	e	n	(x)

R	T	$P(A R, T)$	T	$P(I T)$	A	I	$P(O A, I)$
t	t	(y)	t	(ac)	t	t	(ae)
t	f	(z)	f	(ad)	t	f	(af)
f	t	(aa)			f	t	(ag)
f	f	(ab)			f	f	(ah)

34 parameters required for the baye's net
 Savings $\rightarrow 287 - 34 = 253$ less parameters.

- (e) Find the markov blankets for each of the 7 variables:

$MB(W) = \{ R, T, E \}$
 $MB(E) = \{ R, T, W \}$
 $MB(R) = \{ W, E, A, T \}$
 $MB(T) = \{ W, E, A, I, R \}$
 $MB(A) = \{ R, T, O, I \}$
 $MB(I) = \{ T, O, A \}$
 $MB(O) = \{ A, I \}$

- (f) No, the alarm going off is not conditionally independent of the insurance claim being submitted, given that there are rats.

This is a result of the random variable, R , having no influence on the random variable, I . The only influencing variable for I is whether or not the thieves did damage.

3. Probabilities in Bayesian Networks

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a)} \quad P(A) &= 0.00972 + 0.00972 + 0.00054 + 0.00144 + 0.08748 + 0.00648 + 0.00486 + \\
 &\quad 0.00096 + 0.01458 + 0.00648 + 0.00216 + 0.00036 + 0.13122 + 0.00432 + 0.01944 + \\
 &\quad 0.00024 \\
 P(A) &= 0.3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\neg A) &= 0.01008 + 0.13608 + 0.00056 + 0.2016 + 0.09072 + 0.09072 + 0.00504 + \\
 &\quad 0.01344 + 0.01512 + 0.09072 + 0.00224 + 0.00504 + 0.13608 + 0.06048 + 0.02016 + \\
 &\quad 0.00336 \\
 p(\neg A) &= 0.7
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(B) &= 0.00972 + 0.00972 + 0.08748 + 0.00648 + 0.01458 + 0.00648 + 0.13122 + \\
 &\quad 0.00432 + 0.01008 + 0.13608 + 0.09072 + 0.09072 + 0.01512 + 0.09072 + 0.13608 + \\
 &\quad 0.06048 \\
 P(B) &= 0.9
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(C|A) &= 0.00972 + 0.08748 + 0.01458 + 0.13122 + 0.00054 + 0.00486 + 0.00216 + \\
 &\quad 0.1944 \\
 P(C|A) &= 0.27
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(C|\neg A) &= 0.01008 + 0.09072 + 0.01512 + 0.13608 + 0.00056 + 0.00504 + 0.00224 + \\
 &\quad 0.02016 \\
 P(C|\neg A) &= 0.28
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(D|B, C) &= 0.00972 + 0.08748 + 0.01008 + 0.09072 \\
 P(D|B, C) &= 0.198
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(D|B, \neg C) &= 0.00972 + 0.00648 + 0.13608 + 0.09072 \\
 P(D|B, \neg C) &= 0.243
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(D|\neg B, C) &= 0.00054 + 0.00486 + 0.00056 + 0.00504 \\
 P(D|\neg B, C) &= 0.011
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(D|\neg B, \neg C) &= 0.00144 + 0.00096 + 0.02016 + 0.01344 \\
 P(D|\neg B, \neg C) &= 0.036
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(E|C) &= 0.00972 + 0.00054 + 0.01008 + 0.00056 + 0.01458 + 0.00216 + 0.01512 + \\
 &0.00224 \\
 P(E|C) &= 0.055
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(E|\neg C) &= 0.00972 + 0.00144 + 0.13608 + 0.02016 + 0.00648 + 0.00036 + 0.09072 + \\
 &0.00504 \\
 P(E|\neg C) &= 0.27
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Express $P(D|B)$ using the probabilities you calculated

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(D|B) &= \sum_{a \in A} \sum_{c \in C} P(A, B, C, D) = \sum_{a \in A} \sum_{c \in C} P(A)P(B)P(C|A)P(D|B, C) \\
 &= P(B) \sum_{a \in A} P(A) \sum_{c \in C} P(C|A)P(D|B, C)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(D|B) &= P(B) \{ P(a) [P(c|a)P(D|B, c) + P(\neg c|a)P(D|B, \neg c)] \\
 &\quad + P(\neg a) [P(c|\neg a)P(D|B, c) + P(\neg c|\neg a)P(D|B, \neg c)] \}
 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Use the calculated values from part (a) to obtain the value of $P(D|B)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(D|B) &= (0.9) \{ (0.3) [(0.27)(0.198) + (0.03)(0.243)] + (0.7) [(0.28)(0.198) + (0.42)(0.243)] \} \\
 &= (0.9) [(0.3)(0.06075) + (0.7)(0.1575)]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(D|B) = 0.1156275$$

(d) Compute the following probabilities

i. $P(E|A)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(E|A) &= \alpha \sum_{c \in C} P(A, E, C) = \alpha \sum_{c \in C} P(E|C)P(C|A)P(A) \\
 &= \alpha P(A) \sum_{c \in C} (P(E|C)P(C|A)) \\
 &= P(A) [P(E|c)P(c|A) + P(E|\neg c)P(\neg c|A)]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(E|A) = 0.006885$$

ii. $P(A|B)$

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A)P(A)}{P(B)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P(B|A) &= \sum_{a \in A} \sum_{c \in C} P(A, B, C, D) \\
&= \sum_{a \in A} \sum_{c \in C} P(A)P(B)P(C|A)P(D|B, C) \\
&= P(A)P(B) \sum_{c \in C} \sum_{d \in D} P(C|A)P(D|B, C) \\
&= P(A)P(B)[P(c|A)P(d|B, c) + P(c|A)P(\neg d|B, c) \\
&\quad + P(\neg c|A)P(d|B, \neg c) + P(\neg c|A)P(\neg d|B, \neg c)] \\
&= (0.3)(0.9)[(0.27)(0.198) + (0.27)(0.43308) + (0.03)(0.243) + (0.03)(0.162)] \\
&= (0.3)(0.9)(0.1825416)
\end{aligned}$$

$$P(B|A) = 0.049286232$$

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A)P(A)}{P(B)} = \frac{0.049286232 \cdot 0.3}{0.9}$$

$$P(A|B) = 0.016428744$$

iii. $P(B, D|C)$

$$P(B, D|C) = \frac{P(C|B, D)P(B, D)}{P(C)} = \frac{P(C|B, D)P(B)P(D|B, C)}{P(C)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P(C) &= \alpha \sum_{a \in A} P(A, C) \\
&= \alpha \sum_{a \in A} P(A)P(C|A) \\
&= P(a)P(C|a) + P(\neg a)P(C|\neg a) \\
&= (0.3)(0.27) + (0.7)(0.28) \\
&= 0.277
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P(C|D, B) &= \Sigma_{a \in A} \Sigma_{c \in C} P(A, B, C, D) \\
&= \Sigma_{a \in A} P(A) P(B) P(C|A) P(D|B, C) \\
&= P(B) P(D|B, C) \Sigma_{a \in A} P(A) P(C|A) \\
&= P(B) P(D|B, C) [P(a) P(C|a) + P(\neg a) P(C|\neg a)] \\
&= P(B) P(D|B, C) P(C)
\end{aligned}$$

$$P(C|D, B) = (0.9)(0.198)(0.277) = 0.0493614$$

$$P(B, D|C) = \frac{P(C|B, D) P(B) P(D|B, C)}{P(C)} = \frac{(0.0493614)(0.9)(0.198)}{0.277}$$

$$P(B, D|C) = 0.03175524$$

iv. $P(C|D, E)$

$$P(C|D, E) = \frac{P(D, E|C) P(C)}{P(D, E)} = \frac{P(D, E|C) P(C)}{P(D) P(E)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P(D, E|C) &= \Sigma_{b \in B} \Sigma_{a \in A} P(A, B, C, D, E) \\
&= \Sigma_{b \in B} \Sigma_{a \in A} P(A) P(B) P(C|A) P(D|B, C) P(E|C) \\
&= P(E|C) \Sigma_{b \in B} P(B) P(D|B, C) \Sigma_{a \in A} P(A) P(C|A) \\
&= P(E|C) \{P(b) P(D|b, C) [P(a) P(C|a) + P(\neg a) P(C|\neg a)] \\
&\quad + P(\neg b) P(D|\neg b, C) [P(a) P(C|a) + P(\neg a) P(C|\neg a)]\} \\
&= (0.055) \{ (0.9)(0.198) [(0.3)(0.27) + (0.7)(0.28)] + (0.1)(0.011) [(0.3)(0.27) + (0.7)(0.28)] \} \\
&= (0.055) [(0.9)(0.198)(0.227) + (0.1)(0.011)(0.277)] \\
&= (0.055)(0.0496661)
\end{aligned}$$

$$P(D, E|C) = 0.0027316355$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P(D) &= \Sigma_{a \in A} \Sigma_{b \in B} \Sigma_{c \in C} P(A, B, C, D) \\
&= \Sigma_{a \in A} \Sigma_{b \in B} \Sigma_{c \in C} P(A) P(B) P(C|A) P(D|B, C) \\
&= \Sigma_{a \in A} P(A) \Sigma_{c \in C} P(C|A) \Sigma_{b \in B} P(D|B, C) P(B) \\
&= P(a) \{ P(c|a) [P(D|b, c) P(b) + P(D|\neg b, c) P(\neg b)] \\
&\quad + P(\neg|a) [P(D|b, \neg c) P(b) + P(D|\neg b, \neg c) P(\neg b)] \} \\
&\quad + P(\neg a) \{ P(c|\neg a) [P(D|b, c) P(b) + P(D|\neg b, c) P(\neg b)] \\
&\quad + P(\neg|\neg a) [P(D|b, \neg c) P(b) + P(D|\neg b, \neg c) P(\neg b)] \} \\
&= (0.3)[(0.27)(0.1793) + (0.03)(0.2223)] + (0.7)[(0.28)(0.1793) + (0.42)(0.2223)] \\
P(D) &= 0.117023
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P(E) &= \Sigma_{c \in C} \Sigma_{a \in A} P(A, C, E) \\
&= \Sigma_{c \in C} \Sigma_{a \in A} P(A) P(C|A) P(E|C) \\
&= P(E|c) [P(a) P(c|a) + P(\neg a) P(c|\neg a)] \\
&\quad + P(E|\neg c) [P(a) P(\neg c|a) + P(\neg a) P(\neg c|\neg a)] \\
&= (0.055)[(0.3)(0.27) + (0.7)(0.28)] + (0.27)[(0.3)(0.03) + (0.7)(0.42)] \\
P(E) &= 0.097045
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P(C|D, E) &= \frac{P(D, E|C) P(C)}{P(D) P(E)} \\
&= \frac{(0.0027316355)(0.277)}{0.117023(0.097045)}
\end{aligned}$$

$$P(C|D, E) \approx 0.0666282068465314$$