

9) Markov Chain

$$P^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 & 0.2 & 0.7 \\ 0.3 & 0.14 & 0.56 \\ 0.24 & 0.4 & 0.36 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$1. \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0.1 & 0.2 & 0.7 \\ 0.4 & 0 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3 & 0.14 & 0.56 \\ 0.238 & 0.328 & 0.434 \\ 0.184 & 0.32 & 0.496 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a) P(X_2=3, X_1=3 | X_0=1)$$

$$= P\{X_2=3 | X_1=3\} \cdot P\{X_1=3 | X_0=1\}$$

$$= P_{33} \cdot P_{13} = 0.6 \times 0 = 0$$

$$b) P(X_4=2, X_3=1 | X_0=2)$$

$$= P\{X_4=2 | X_3=1\} \cdot P\{X_3=1 | X_0=2\}$$

$$= P_{12} \cdot P_{21}^{(3)} = 1 \cdot 0.238 = 0.238$$

$$c) P(X_3=1 | X_0=3) = P_{31}^{(3)} = 0.184$$

$$d) P(X_5=1, X_2=0 | X_1=3)$$

$$= P\{X_5=1 | X_2=0\} \cdot P\{X_2=0 | X_1=3\}$$

$$= P_{01}^{(3)} \cdot P_{30}$$

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$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1/2 & 1/3 & 1/6 \\ 0 & 1/3 & 2/3 \\ 1/2 & 0 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 & 5/18 & 7/18 \\ 1/3 & 1/9 & 5/9 \\ 1/2 & 1/6 & 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 13/36 & 11/54 & 47/108 \\ 4/9 & 4/27 & 11/27 \\ 5/12 & 2/9 & 13/36 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$d) P(X_3 = 2 | X_1 = 0) = P_{02}^{(2)} = 7/18$$

~~13/36~~

c) initial distribution X_0 is ~~0.25~~

$$\pi^{(0)} = (0.25 \quad 0.35 \quad 0.4)$$

$$\pi^{(2)} = \pi^{(0)} \cdot P^{(2)} = (0.25 \quad 0.35 \quad 0.4) \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 & 5/18 & 7/18 \\ 1/3 & 1/9 & 5/9 \\ 1/2 & 1/6 & 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (2/5 \quad 7/10 \quad 17/40)$$

$$E(X_2) = \frac{0.2}{5} + \frac{1.7}{40} + \frac{2.17}{40} = \frac{21}{40}$$

$$b) P(X_5 = 1, X_2 = 0 | X_0 = 2)$$

$$= P\{X_5 = 1 | X_2 = 0\} \cdot P\{X_2 = 0 | X_0 = 2\}$$

$$= P_{01}^{(3)} \cdot P_{20}^{(2)} = 11/54 \cdot 1/2 = 11/108$$

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