

EXO 10

Problem 1. Complexity class.

1. Polynomial time

- Find max, linear search, Shortest path in unweighted graph.
- Sorting of list, Dijkstra on non negative weights, BFS, DFS, mergesort

2. NP-complete.

- Sudoku
- 3 coloring graph, scheduling with conflicts
- Traveling Salesperson problem, Hamilton Cycle, Clique
- Cryptography, factoring large integers

Problem 2. Bayes

Disease affects 0.1% of people. ($P(\text{disease}) = 0.001$)

Test is 99% accurate.

Patient tests positive

Solution: $P(\text{disease} | \text{positive test})$

For example we have 100 000 people.

People with disease: $100000 \cdot 0.001 = 100$ people

True positive $100 \cdot 0.99 = 99$ people

People without disease: $100000 \cdot 0.999 = 99900$ people

False positive $99900 \cdot 0.01 = 999$ people.

Total positive: $99 + 999 = 1098$ people

Probability $P(\text{disease} | \text{positive}) = 99 / 1098 = 0.09 \approx 9\%$

Why is low? Because the disease is very rare (0.1%) even though the test is accurate there are many more healthy people getting false positive than sick people getting true positives

Problem 3. Shannon Entropy

$$H(x) = -\sum_{i=1}^n p_i \log_2(p_i)$$

For coin $n=2$ (H and T)

Coin A : Fair coin 50%

$$P(H) = 0.5 \quad P(T) = 0.5$$

$$H(A) = -(0.5 \cdot \log_2(0.5) + 0.5 \cdot \log_2(0.5)) = -(0.5 \cdot -1) + 0.5 \cdot (-1) = 1 \text{ bit}$$

Coin B (Biased 99% H)

$$P(H) = 0.99 \quad P(T) = 0.01$$

$$H(B) = -(0.99 \cdot \log_2(0.99) + 0.01 \cdot \log_2(0.01)) = -(0.99 \cdot (-0.0145) + 0.01 \cdot (-6.644))$$

$$\approx -(-0.0143 + 0.0664) = 0.052 \text{ bits}$$

Coin C (Biased, 1% H)

$$P(H) = 0.01 \quad P(T) = 0.99$$

$$H(C) = -(0.01 \cdot \log_2(0.01) + 0.99 \cdot \log_2(0.99)) = -(0.01 \cdot (-6.644) + 0.99 \cdot (-0.0145))$$

$$= 0.052 \text{ bits}$$

Fair coin : 1 bit + We truly don't know what will happen. Each flip gives you 1 full bit of information

99% biased coin : we almost always know it will be heads. When it comes up heads, you learn very little new information because you expected it.