





Probability

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	Level	Completed	Goal	
	Beginner	9	5722	12
	Intermediate	5		
	Advanced	0	Total Completed	
	Expert	0	14	

Probability

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Probabilities

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1: Correct, 0: Incorrect

A. How are you?	
B. How do you do?	
C. Howdy?	
D. How are you doing?	
E. How is you?	
F. How am you?	

3: very high, 2: high, 1: low, 0: wrong

A. How are you?	
B. How do you do?	
C. Howdy?	
D. How are you doing?	
E. How is you?	
F. How am you?	

Context: Texas +2

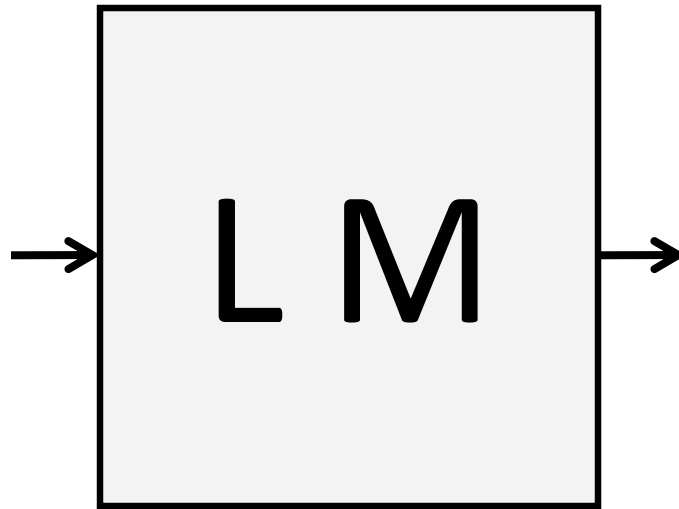
	A. How are you?	3
	B. How do you do?	2
	C. Howdy?	1
	D. How are you doing?	3
	A. How are you?	3
	B. How do you do?	2
	C. Howdy?	1
	D. How are you doing?	3

Context: Formal +1, Texas +2

Formal	Texas	A. How are you?	3
		B. How do you do?	2
		C. Howdy?	1
		D. How are you doing?	3
	!Texas	A. How are you?	3
		B. How do you do?	2
		C. Howdy?	1
		D. How are you doing?	3
!Formal	Texas	A. How are you?	3
		B. How do you do?	2
		C. Howdy?	1
		D. How are you doing?	3
	!Texas	A. How are you?	3
		B. How do you do?	2
		C. Howdy?	1
		D. How are you doing?	3

Language Model: Input and Output

x_1 : formal?
↓
 x_2 : Texas?
↓
 x_3 : sentence



Joint Probability

$$\frac{P(x_1, x_2, x_3)}{= P(x_1) P(x_1 | x_2) P(x_3 | x_1, x_2)}$$

a chain of conditional probability.

Aggregate

Formal	Texas	A. How are you?	3
		B. How do you do?	3
		C. Howdy?	3
		D. How are you doing?	3
	!Texas	A. How are you?	3
		B. How do you do?	3
		C. Howdy?	1
		D. How are you doing?	3
!Formal	Texas	A. How are you?	3
		B. How do you do?	2
		C. Howdy?	2
		D. How are you doing?	3
	!Texas	A. How are you?	3
		B. How do you do?	2
		C. Howdy?	1
		D. How are you doing?	3

Joint probability

$P(x_1, x_2, x_3)$					
\downarrow					
x_1	x_2	x_3			
Formal	Texas	A. How are you?	3	3/41	
		B. How do you do?	3	3/41	
		C. Howdy?	3		
		D. How are you doing?	3		
	!Texas	A. How are you?	3		
		B. How do you do?	3		
		C. Howdy?	1	1/41	
		D. How are you doing?	3		
!Formal	Texas	A. How are you?	3		
		B. How do you do?	2	2/41	
		C. Howdy?	2	2/41	
		D. How are you doing?	3		
	!Texas	A. How are you?	3		
		B. How do you do?	2	2/41	
		C. Howdy?	1	1/41	
		D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	
41	22	10	10	19	10

Conditional probability

x_1		x_2	x_3	$p(x_3 x_1, x_2)$	
Formal 22	Texas 12	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/12
		B. How do you do?	3	3/41	3/12
		C. Howdy?	3	3/41	
		D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	
	!Texas 10	A. How are you?	3	3/41	
		B. How do you do?	3	3/41	
		C. Howdy?	1	1/41	1/10
		D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	
!Formal 19	Texas 10	A. How are you?	3	3/41	
		B. How do you do?	2	2/41	2/10
		C. Howdy?	2	2/41	3/10
		D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	
	!Texas 9	A. How are you?	3	3/41	
		B. How do you do?	2	2/41	
		C. Howdy?	1	1/41	1/9
		D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/9

Joint probability

$$p(x_3 | x_2, x_1)$$

x_1		x_2	$p(x_1, x_2)$	x_3	$p(x_1, x_2, x_3)$		
Formal	22	Texas 12	$\frac{12}{41}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/12
				B. How do you do?	3	3/41	3/12
				C. Howdy?	3	3/41	3/12
				D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/12
	22	!Texas 10	$\frac{10}{41}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/10
				B. How do you do?	3	3/41	3/10
				C. Howdy?	1	1/41	1/10
				D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/10
!Formal	19	Texas 10	$\frac{10}{41}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/10
				B. How do you do?	2	2/41	2/10
				C. Howdy?	2	2/41	2/10
				D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/10
	19	!Texas 9	$\frac{9}{41}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/9
				B. How do you do?	2	2/41	2/9
				C. Howdy?	1	1/41	1/9
				D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/9

Conditional probability

$$p(x_2|x_1)$$

$$p(x_3 | x_2, x_1)$$

$$p(x_1, x_2)$$

$$p(x_1, x_2, x_3)$$

Formal	Texas	12	$\frac{12}{41}$	$\frac{12}{22}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/12
					B. How do you do?	3	3/41	3/12
					C. Howdy?	3	3/41	3/12
					D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/12
	!Texas	10	$\frac{10}{41}$	$\frac{10}{22}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/10
					B. How do you do?	3	3/41	3/10
					C. Howdy?	1	1/41	1/10
					D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/10
!Formal	Texas	10	$\frac{10}{41}$	$\frac{10}{19}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/10
					B. How do you do?	2	2/41	2/10
					C. Howdy?	2	2/41	2/10
					D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/10
	!Texas	9	$\frac{9}{41}$	$\frac{9}{19}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/9
					B. How do you do?	2	2/41	2/9
					C. Howdy?	1	1/41	1/9
					D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/9

Probability

		$p(x_1)$		$p(x_2 x_1)$		$p(x_3 x_2, x_1)$			
x_1				$p(x_1, x_2)$		$p(x_1, x_2, x_3)$			
Formal	22	Texas	12	$\frac{12}{41}$	$\frac{12}{22}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/12
						B. How do you do?	3	3/41	3/12
						C. Howdy?	3	3/41	3/12
						D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/12
		!Texas	10	$\frac{10}{41}$	$\frac{10}{22}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/10
						B. How do you do?	3	3/41	3/10
						C. Howdy?	1	1/41	1/10
						D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/10
!Formal	19	Texas	10	$\frac{10}{41}$	$\frac{10}{19}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/10
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						D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/10
		!Texas	9	$\frac{9}{41}$	$\frac{9}{19}$	A. How are you?	3	3/41	3/9
						B. How do you do?	2	2/41	2/9
						C. Howdy?	1	1/41	1/9
						D. How are you doing?	3	3/41	3/9



Calculate Joint Probabilities $p(x_1, x_2)$



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x_1	x_2	Freq	$p(x_1, x_2)$
!Angry 80	A. woof	40	40/160
	B. growl	20	20/160
	C. bark	20	20/160
Angry 20	A. woof	4	4/160
	B. growl	8	8/160
	C. bark	8	8/160

☒ ☐ Calculate Conditional Probabilities $p(x_2 | x_1)$



x_1	x_2	Freq	$p(x_2 x_1)$
!Angry 80	A. woof	40	40/80
	B. growl	20	20/80
	C. bark	20	20/80
Angry 20	A. woof	4	4/20
	B. growl	8	8/20
	C. bark	8	8/20



Calculate $p(\text{home?})$

(Simplify the fractions)

!Home 15	!Angry 10	A. woof	3
		B. growl	2
		C. bark	5
	Angry 5	A. woof	1
		B. growl	3
		C. bark	1

Home 30	!Angry 20	A. woof	12
		B. growl	4
		C. bark	4
	Angry 10	A. woof	2
		B. growl	5
		C. bark	3

$$p(\text{home}) = \frac{30}{45}$$

$$p(\text{!home}) = \frac{15}{45}$$



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Calculate $p(\text{angry?}, \text{home?})$

(Simplify the fractions)

!Home 15	!Angry 10	A. woof	3
		B. growl	2
		C. bark	5
	Angry 5	A. woof	1
		B. growl	3
		C. bark	1

Home 30 45	!Angry 20	A. woof	12
		B. growl	4
		C. bark	4
	Angry 10	A. woof	2
		B. growl	5
		C. bark	3

$$p(\text{angry} | \text{!home}) = \frac{5}{15}$$

$$p(\text{!angry} | \text{home}) = \frac{20}{30}$$





Calculate $p(\text{angry?}, \text{home?})$

(Simplify the fractions)

!Home 13	!Angry 10	A. woof	3
		B. growl	2
		C. bark	5
	Angry 5	A. woof	1
		B. growl	3
		C. bark	1

Home 43 30	!Angry 20	A. woof	12
		B. growl	4
		C. bark	4
	Angry 10	A. woof	2
		B. growl	5
		C. bark	3

$$p(\text{angry}, \text{!home}) = \frac{5}{45}$$

$$p(\text{!angry}, \text{home}) = \frac{20}{45}$$



☒ ☐ Calculate $p(\text{sound?}, \text{angry?}, \text{home?})$

(Simplify the fractions)



!Home 15	!Angry 10	A. woof	3
		B. growl	2
		C. bark	5
	Angry 5	A. woof	1
		B. growl	3
		C. bark	1

Home 45 30	!Angry 20	A. woof	12
		B. growl	4
		C. bark	4
	Angry 10	A. woof	2
		B. growl	5
		C. bark	3

$$p(\text{growl}, \text{angry}, \text{!home}) = \frac{2}{45}$$

$$p(\text{woof}, \text{angry}, \text{!home}) = \frac{1}{45}$$

$$p(\text{woof}, \text{angry}, \text{home}) = \frac{2}{45}$$

$$p(\text{bark}, \text{!angry}, \text{home}) = \frac{4}{45}$$



Calculate $p(\text{sound?} \mid \text{angry?, home?})$

(Simplify the fractions)

!Home 15	!Angry 10	A. woof	3
		B. growl	2
		C. bark	5
	Angry 5	A. woof	1
		B. growl	3
		C. bark	1

Home 45 30	!Angry 20	A. woof	12
		B. growl	4
		C. bark	4
	Angry 10	A. woof	2
		B. growl	5
		C. bark	3



$$p(\text{growl} \mid \text{angry, !home}) = \frac{3}{10}$$

$$p(\text{woof} \mid \text{angry, !home}) = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$p(\text{woof} \mid \text{angry, home}) = \frac{2}{10}$$

$$p(\text{bark} \mid \text{!angry, home}) = \frac{3}{20}$$

The Chain Rule of Probabilities

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Conditional \rightarrow Joint Probabilities

		$p(x_1)$		$p(x_2 x_1)$		$p(x_1, x_2, x_3)$		
Formal	Texas	12	$\frac{12}{41}$	$\frac{12}{22}$	A. How are you?	3	$\frac{3}{41}$	$\frac{3}{12}$
					B. How do you do?	3	$\frac{3}{41}$	$\frac{3}{12}$
					C. Howdy?	3	$\frac{3}{41}$	$\frac{3}{12}$
					D. How are you doing?	3	$\frac{3}{41}$	$\frac{3}{12}$
	!Texas	10	$\frac{10}{41}$	$\frac{10}{22}$	A. How are you?	3	$\frac{3}{41}$	$\frac{3}{10}$
					B. How do you do?	3	$\frac{3}{41}$	$\frac{3}{10}$
					C. Howdy?	1	$\frac{1}{41}$	$\frac{1}{10}$
					D. How are you doing?	3	$\frac{3}{41}$	$\frac{3}{10}$
22								

$$p(x_1) \cdot$$

$$p(x_2|x_1) \cdot p(x_3|x_2, x_1) = p(x_1, x_2, x_3)$$

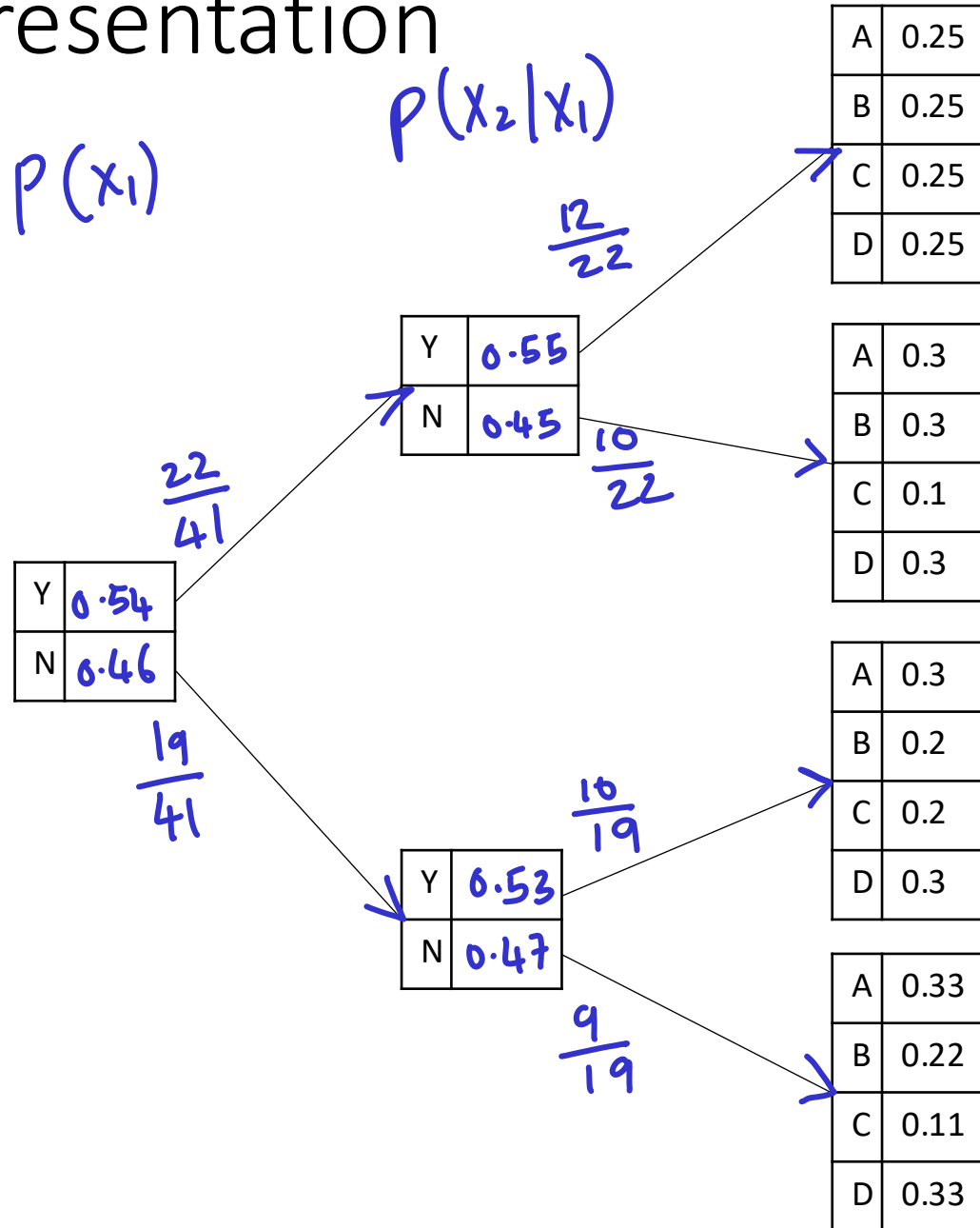
$$\frac{\cancel{22}}{41} \cdot \frac{\cancel{12}}{\cancel{22}} \cdot \frac{3}{\cancel{12}} = \frac{3}{41}$$

Tree Representation

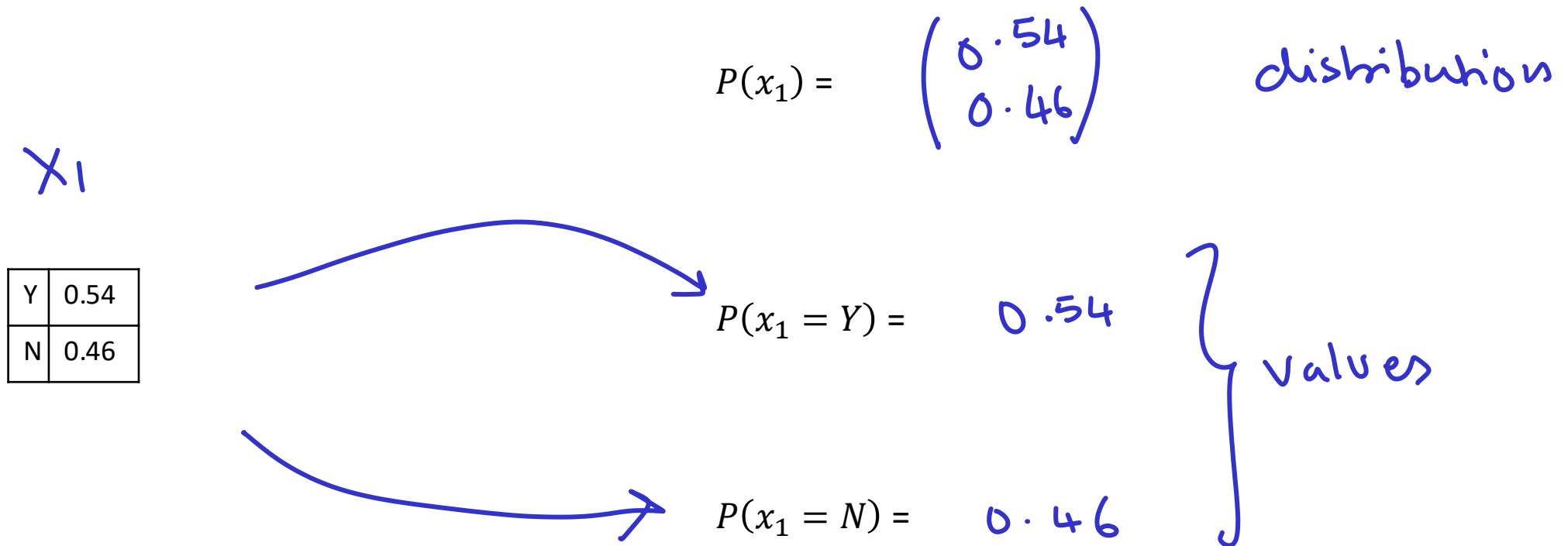
$P(x_1)$

$P(x_2|x_1)$

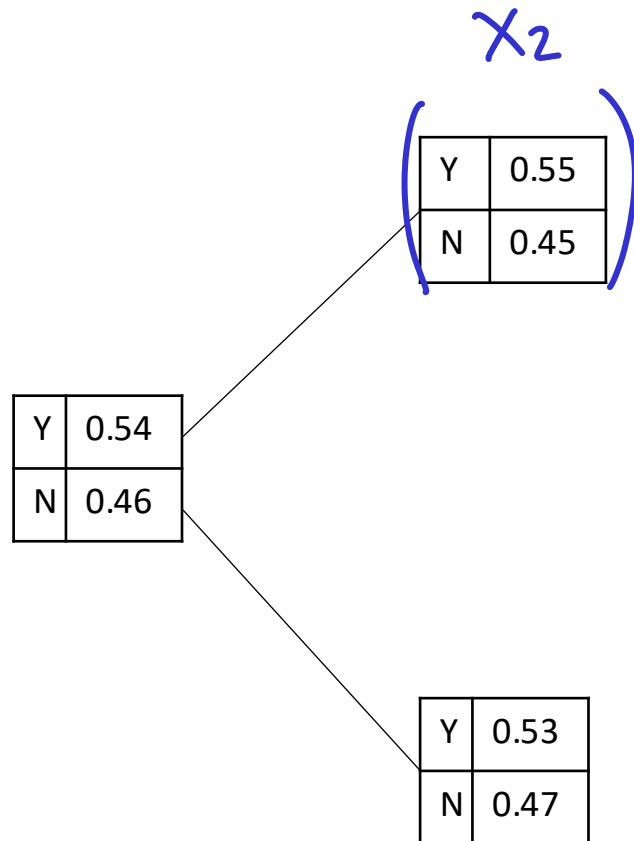
$P(x_3|x_1, x_2)$



Probability Distribution vs. Values



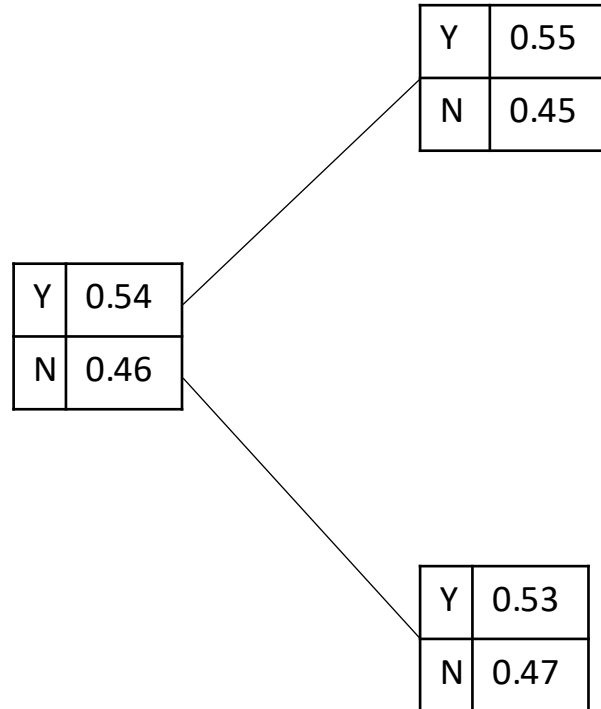
Conditional Probability Distributions



$$P(x_2 | x_1 = Y) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.55 \\ 0.45 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P(x_2 | x_1 = N) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.53 \\ 0.47 \end{pmatrix}$$

Conditional Probability Values



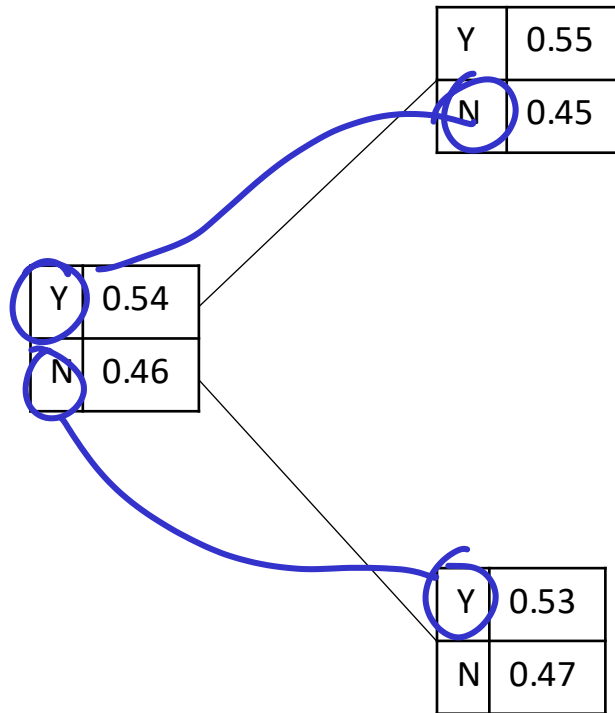
$$P(x_2 | x_1 = Y) = \begin{pmatrix} .55 \\ .45 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{dist.}$$

$$P(x_2 = Y | x_1 = Y) = 0.55$$

$$P(x_2 | x_1 = N) = \begin{pmatrix} .53 \\ .47 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{dist}$$

$$P(x_2 = N | x_1 = N) = 0.47$$

Joint Probability “Values” by the Chain Rule



Joint Probability of x_1, x_2

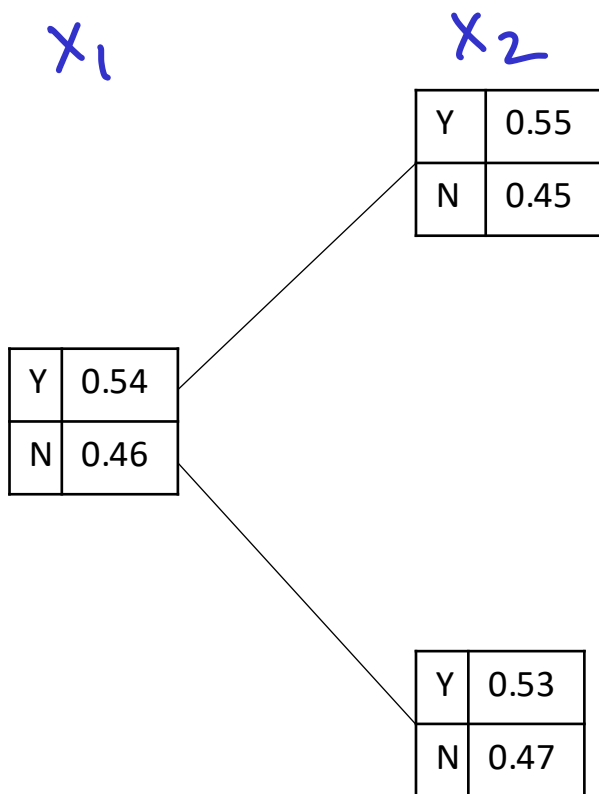
$$= p(\underline{x_1}, \underline{x_2})$$

$$= p(\underline{x_1}) \times p(\underline{x_2 | x_1})$$

$$P(x_1 = Y, x_2 = N) = 0.54 \times 0.45$$

$$P(x_1 = N, x_2 = Y) = 0.46 \times 0.53$$

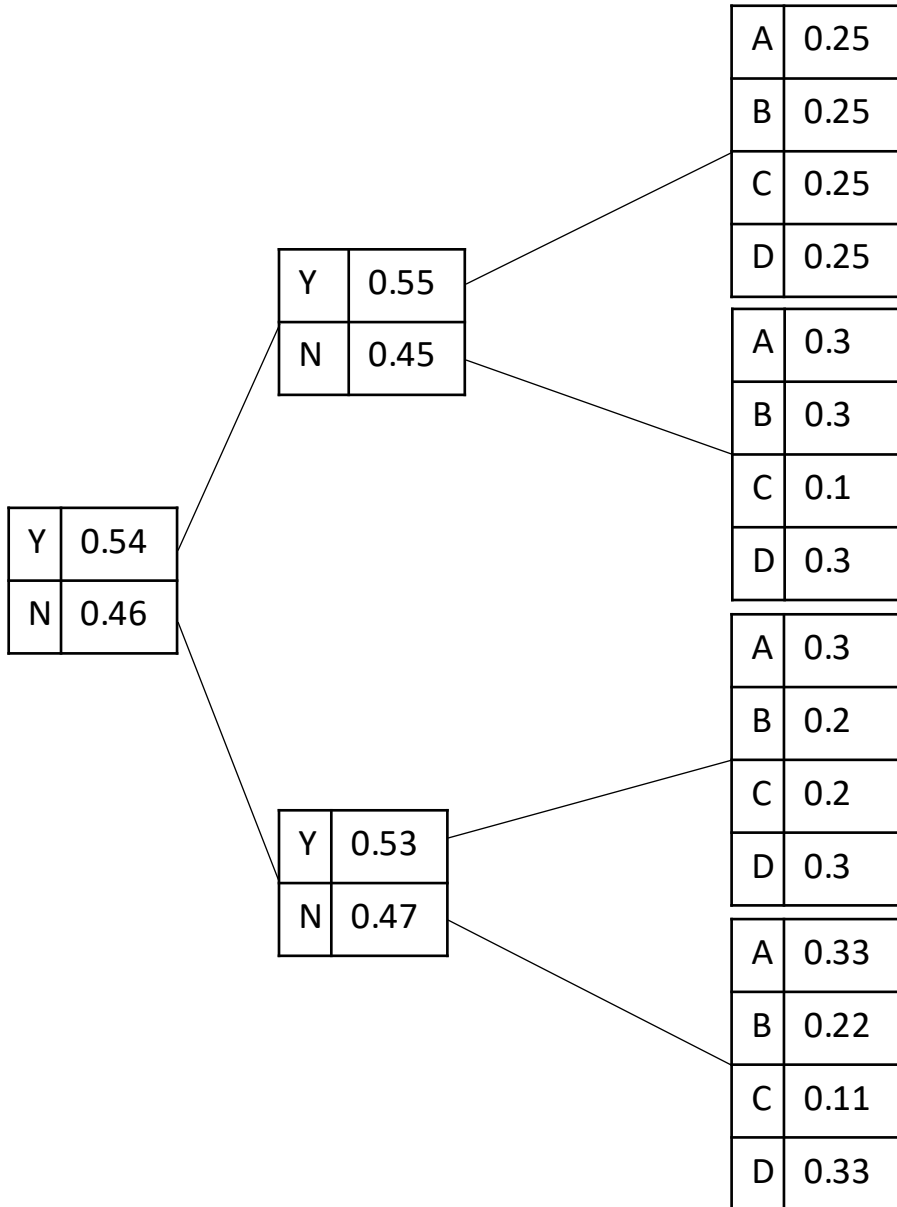
Joint Probability “Distributions” by the Chain Rule



$$P(x_1 = Y | x_2) = 0.54 \times \begin{bmatrix} 0.55 \\ 0.45 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(x_1 = N | x_2) = 0.46 \times \begin{pmatrix} 0.55 \\ 0.45 \end{pmatrix}$$

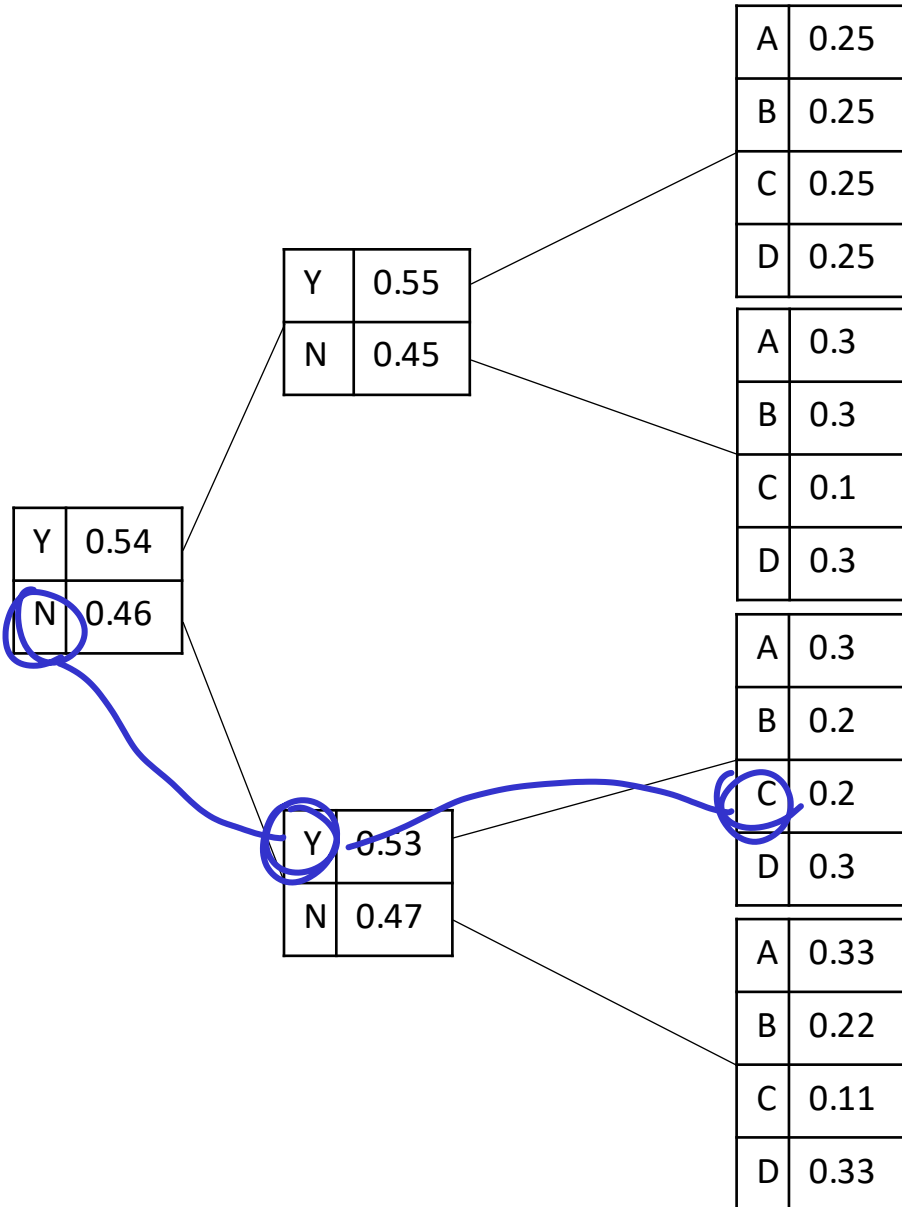
Conditional Probability Distributions



$$P(x_3 | x_1 = N, x_2 = Y) =$$

$$P(x_3 | x_1 = Y, x_2 = N) =$$

Conditional Probability Values



$$P(x_3 | x_1 = N, x_2 = Y) = \begin{pmatrix} .3 \\ .2 \\ .2 \\ .3 \end{pmatrix}$$

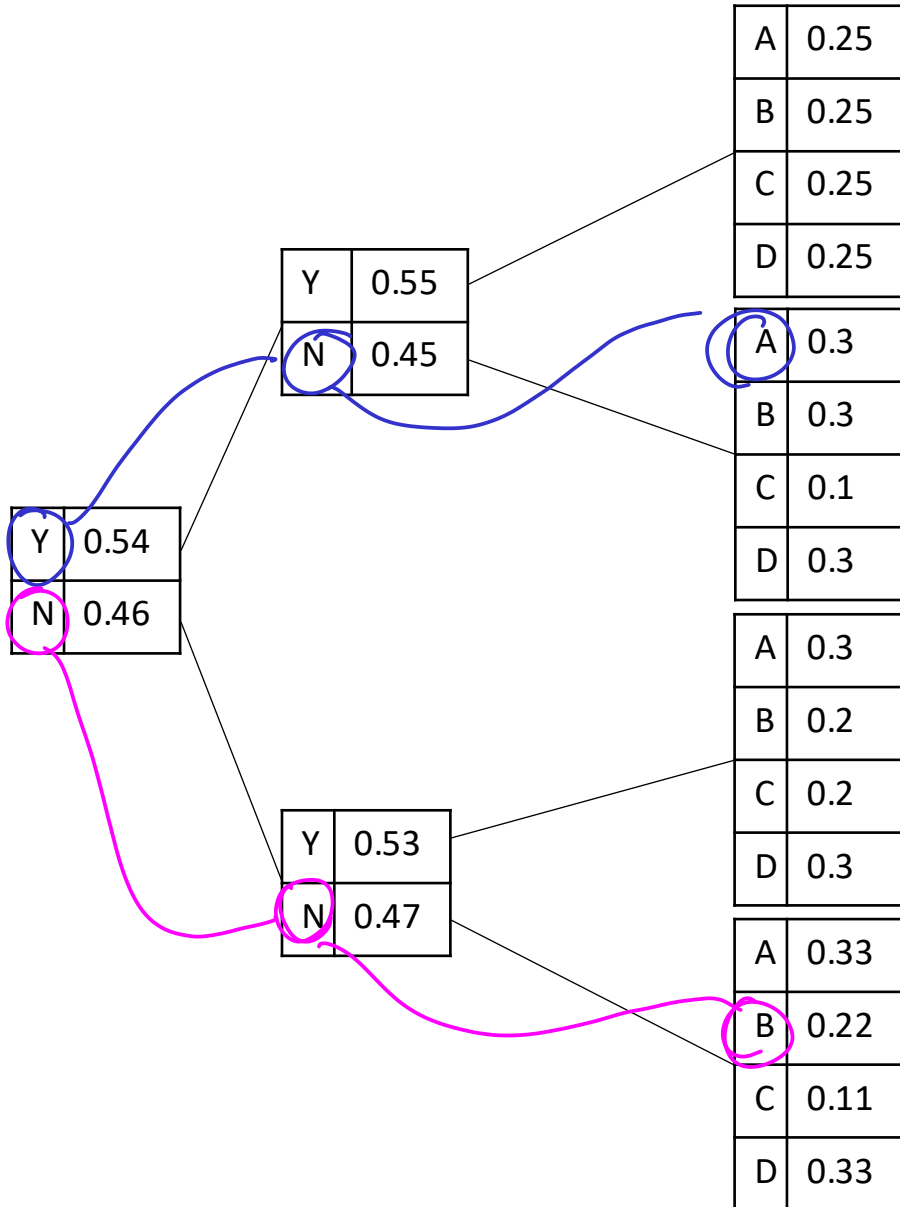
$$P(x_3 = C | x_1 = N, x_2 = Y) = 0.2$$

$$P(x_3 | x_1 = Y, x_2 = N) = \begin{pmatrix} .3 \\ .3 \\ .1 \\ .3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P(x_3 = D | x_1 = Y, x_2 = N) =$$

0.3

Joint Probability “Values” by the Chain Rule



Joint Probability of x_1, x_2, x_3

$$= p(\underline{x_1}, \underline{x_2}, \underline{x_3})$$

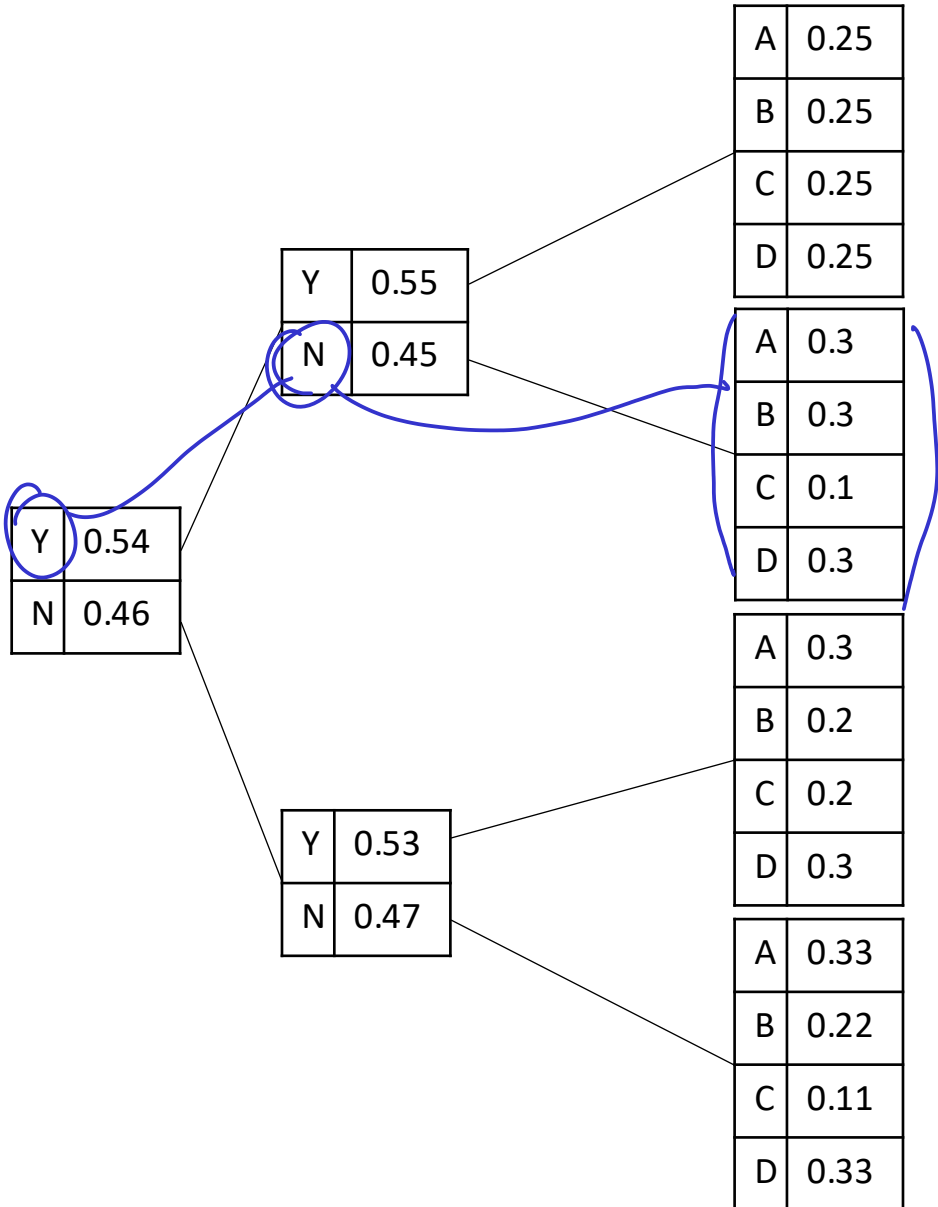
$$= p(\underline{x_1}) \times p(\underline{x_2/x_1}) \times p(\underline{x_3/x_2 x_1})$$

Joint P

$$P(x_1 = Y, x_2 = N, x_3 = A) = 0.54 \times 0.45 \times 0.3$$

$$P(x_1 = N, x_2 = N, x_3 = B) = 0.46 \times 0.47 \times 0.22$$

Joint Probability “Distributions” by the Chain Rule

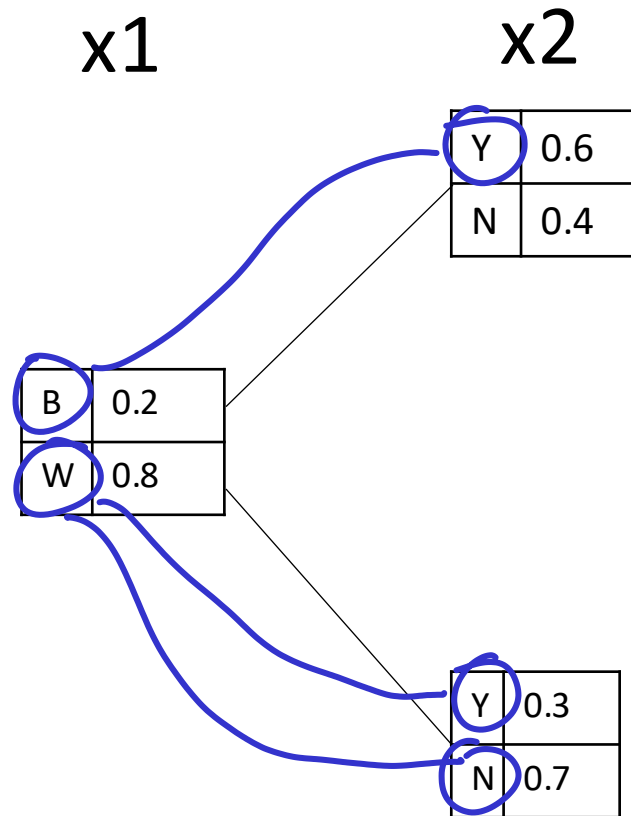


$$P(x_1 = Y, x_2 = N, x_3) = 0.54 \times 0.45 \times \begin{bmatrix} 0.3 \\ 0.3 \\ 0.1 \\ 0.3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(x_1 = Y, x_2 = N, x_3) = 0.54 \times 0.45 \times \begin{bmatrix} 0.3 \\ 0.3 \\ 0.1 \\ 0.3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(N, Y) = 0 \times 0 \times ()$$

☒ ☐ Calculate Joint Probability

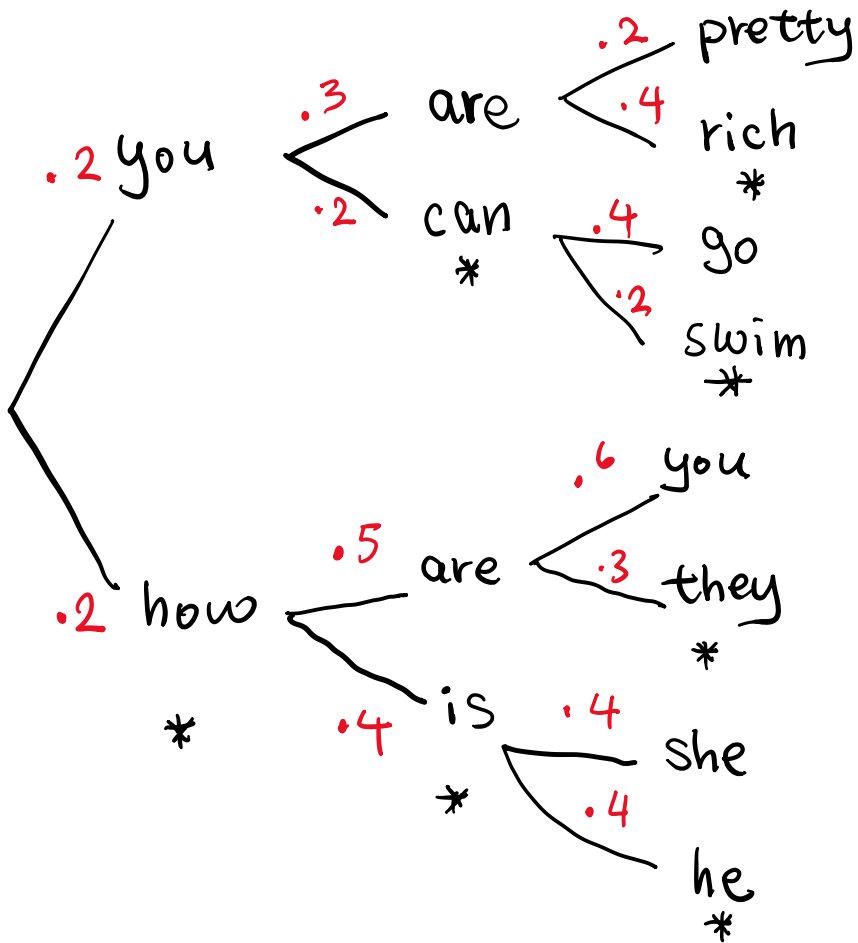


$$p(x1=B, x2=Y) = \underline{0.2 \times 0.6 = 0.12}$$

$$p(x1=W, x2=N) = \underline{0.8 \times 0.7 = 0.56}$$

$$p(x1=W, x2=Y) = \underline{0.8 \times 0.3 = 0.24}$$

Calculate Conditional Probability



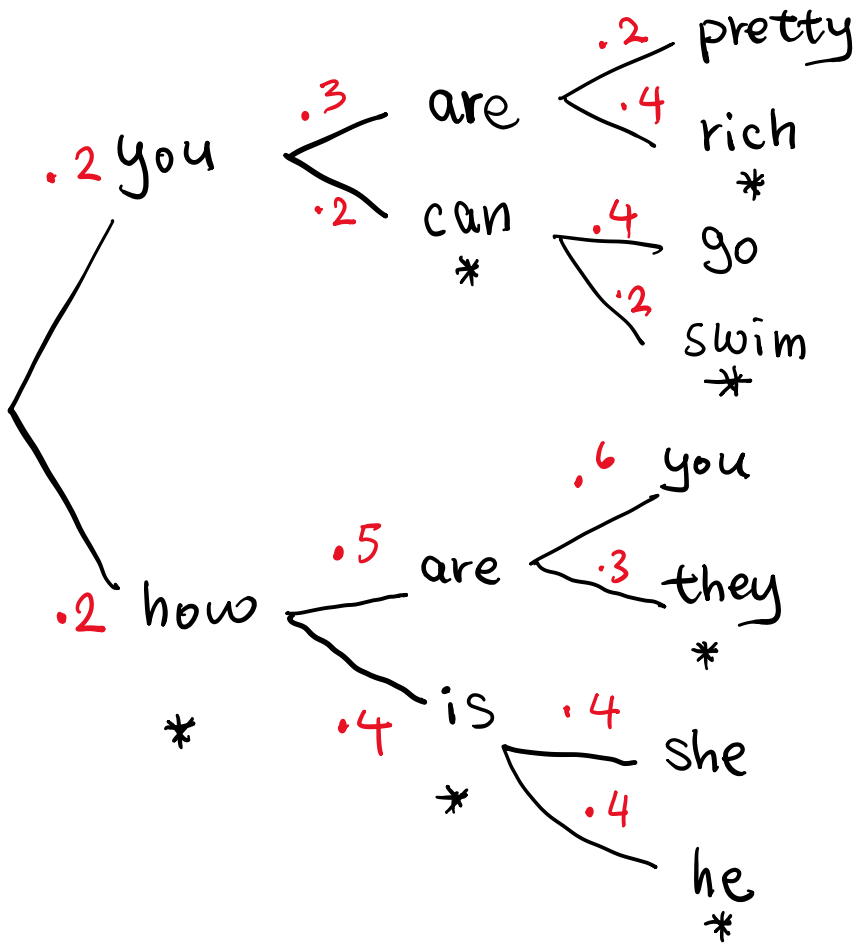
$$p(\text{"rich"} \mid \text{"you are"}) = \underline{0.4}$$

$$p(\text{"swim"} \mid \text{"you can"}) = \underline{0.2}$$

$$p(\text{"she"} \mid \text{"how is"}) = \underline{0.4}$$

$$p(\text{"he"} \mid \text{"how is"}) = \underline{0.4}$$

Calculate Joint Probability



$$p(\text{"you are rich"}) = \underline{0.2 \times 0.3 \times 0.4 = 0.024}$$

$$p(\text{"you can swim"}) = \underline{0.2 \times 0.2 \times 0.2 = 0.008}$$

$$p(\text{"how is she"}) = \underline{0.2 \times 0.4 \times 0.4 = 0.032}$$

$$p(\text{"how is he"}) = \underline{0.032}$$

Pixel-based Image Model

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Color Image

C	C	B	A
B	B	B	A
B	C	B	A
B	B	B	B

Part Labels

1 = skin, 2 = hair

2	2	2	1
1	1	1	2
1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1

Generative Image Model (Joint Probability)

colour

C	C	B	A
B	B	B	A
B	C	B	A
B	B	B	B

part

1 = skin, 2 = hair

2	2	2	1
1	1	1	2
1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1

$$P(\text{colour} = \{A, B, C\}, \text{part} = \{\text{skin}, \text{hair}\})$$

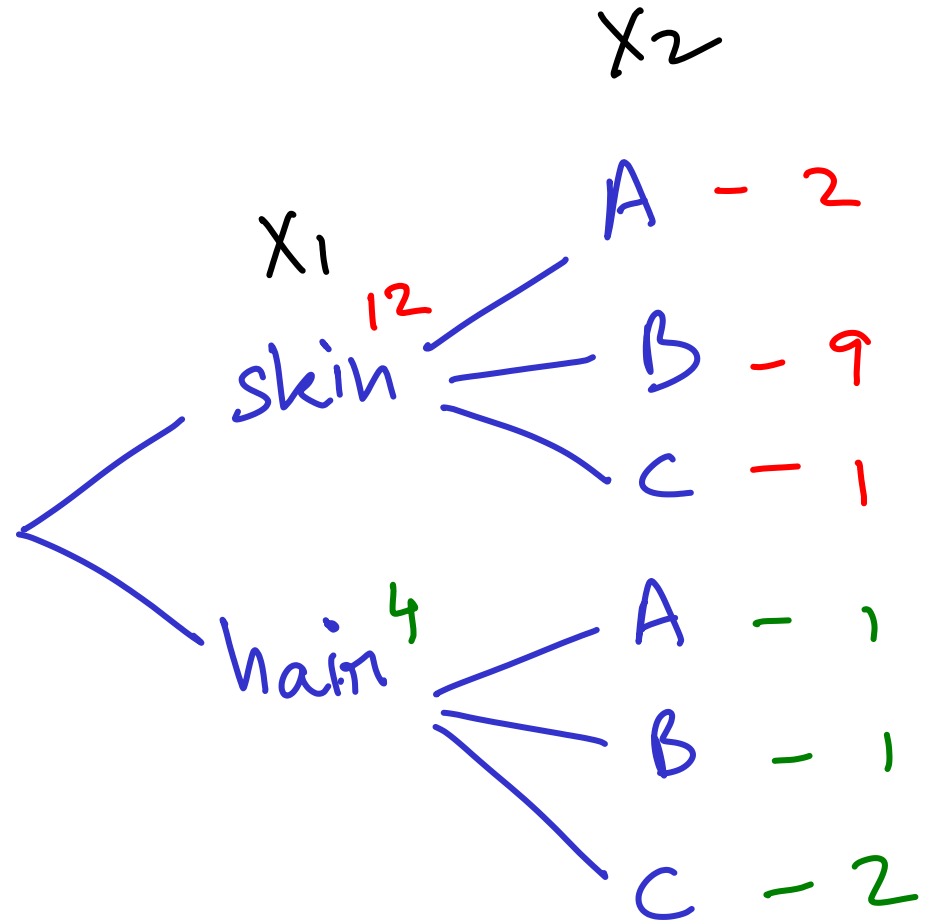
Tree Representation

C	C	B	A
B	B	B	A
B	C	B	A
B	B	B	B

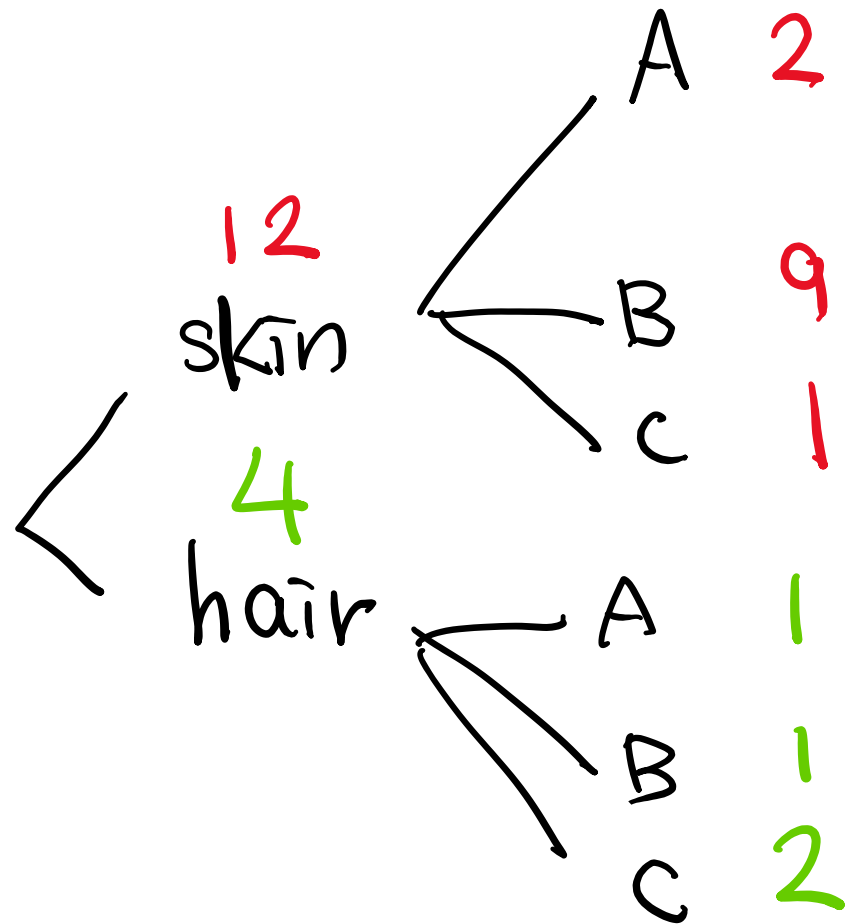
X_1

1 = skin, 2 = hair

2	2	2	1
1	1	1	2
1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1



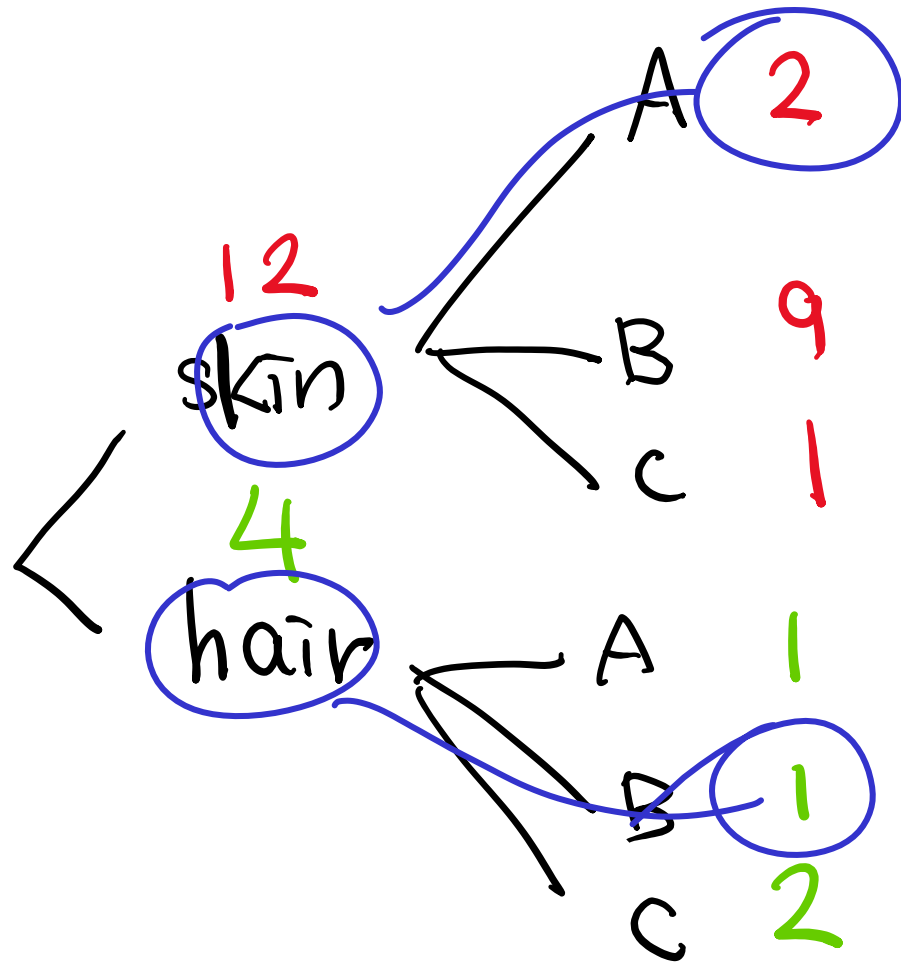
Conditional Probability Distribution



$$p(\text{color} \mid \text{part} = \text{skin}) = \frac{1}{12} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 9 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$p(\text{color} \mid \text{part} = \text{hair}) = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Conditional Probability Values



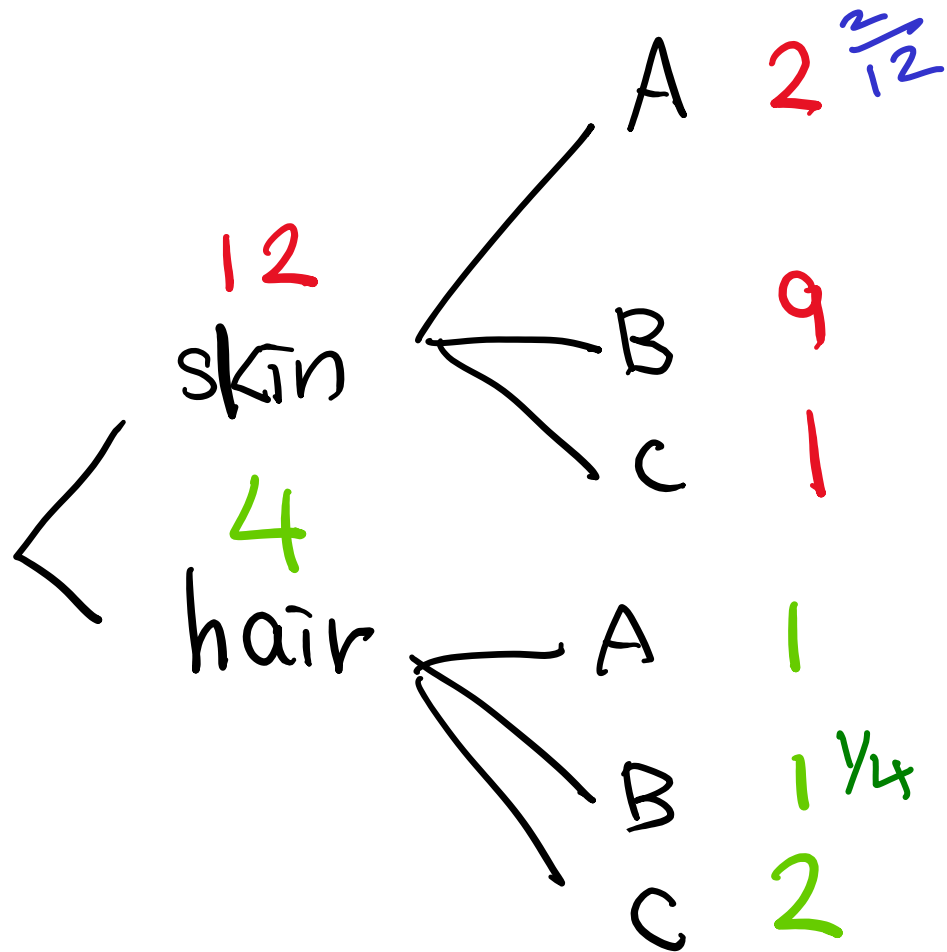
$$p(\text{color} = A \mid \text{part} = \text{skin}) = \frac{2}{12}$$

$$p(\text{color} = B \mid \text{part} = \text{hair}) = \frac{1}{4}$$

Joint Probability Distribution



Joint Probability Values



$$p(\text{color} = A, \text{part} = \text{skin}) = \frac{12}{16} \times \frac{2}{12}$$

$$p(\text{color} = B, \text{part} = \text{hair}) = \frac{4}{16} \times \frac{1}{4}$$



Fill the aggregation tree

1 = sky, 2 = land

1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	2
1	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2

light blue	dark blue	dark blue	light blue	dark blue
dark blue	dark blue	dark blue	dark blue	purple
dark blue	purple	purple	purple	purple
red	red	red	red	red
red	red	red	red	red

sky	10
land	15

white	2
blue	8
green	0
brown	0

white	1 0
blue	1 2
green	3
brown	10



Conditional Probability Values

1 = sky, 2 = land

1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	2
1	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2

	blue	blue		blue
blue	blue	blue	blue	blue
blue	green	blue	green	green
brown	brown	brown	brown	brown
brown	brown	brown	brown	brown

$$p(\text{color} = \text{blue} \mid \text{part} = \text{sky}) = 8/10$$

$$p(\text{color} = \text{blue} \mid \text{part} = \text{land}) = 2/15$$

$$p(\text{color} = \text{green} \mid \text{part} = \text{sky}) = 0/10 = 0$$

$$p(\text{color} = \text{green} \mid \text{part} = \text{land}) = 3/15$$

total = 25

sky	10
land	15

white	2
blue	8
green	0
brown	0

white	1 0
blue	1 2
green	3
brown	10



Joint Probability Values

1 = sky, 2 = land

1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	2
1	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2

	blue	blue		blue
blue	blue	blue	blue	blue
blue	green	blue	green	green
brown	brown	brown	brown	brown
brown	brown	brown	brown	brown

sky	10
land	15

white	2
blue	8
green	0
brown	0

white	x 0
blue	x 2
green	3
brown	10

$$p(\text{color} = \text{blue}, \text{part} = \text{sky}) = \frac{8}{10} \times \frac{10}{25} = \frac{8}{25}$$

$$p(\text{color} = \text{blue}, \text{part} = \text{land}) = \frac{2}{15} \times \frac{15}{25} = \frac{2}{25}$$

$$p(\text{color} = \text{green}, \text{part} = \text{sky}) = \frac{0}{25} = 0$$

$$p(\text{color} = \text{green}, \text{part} = \text{land}) = \frac{3}{25}$$

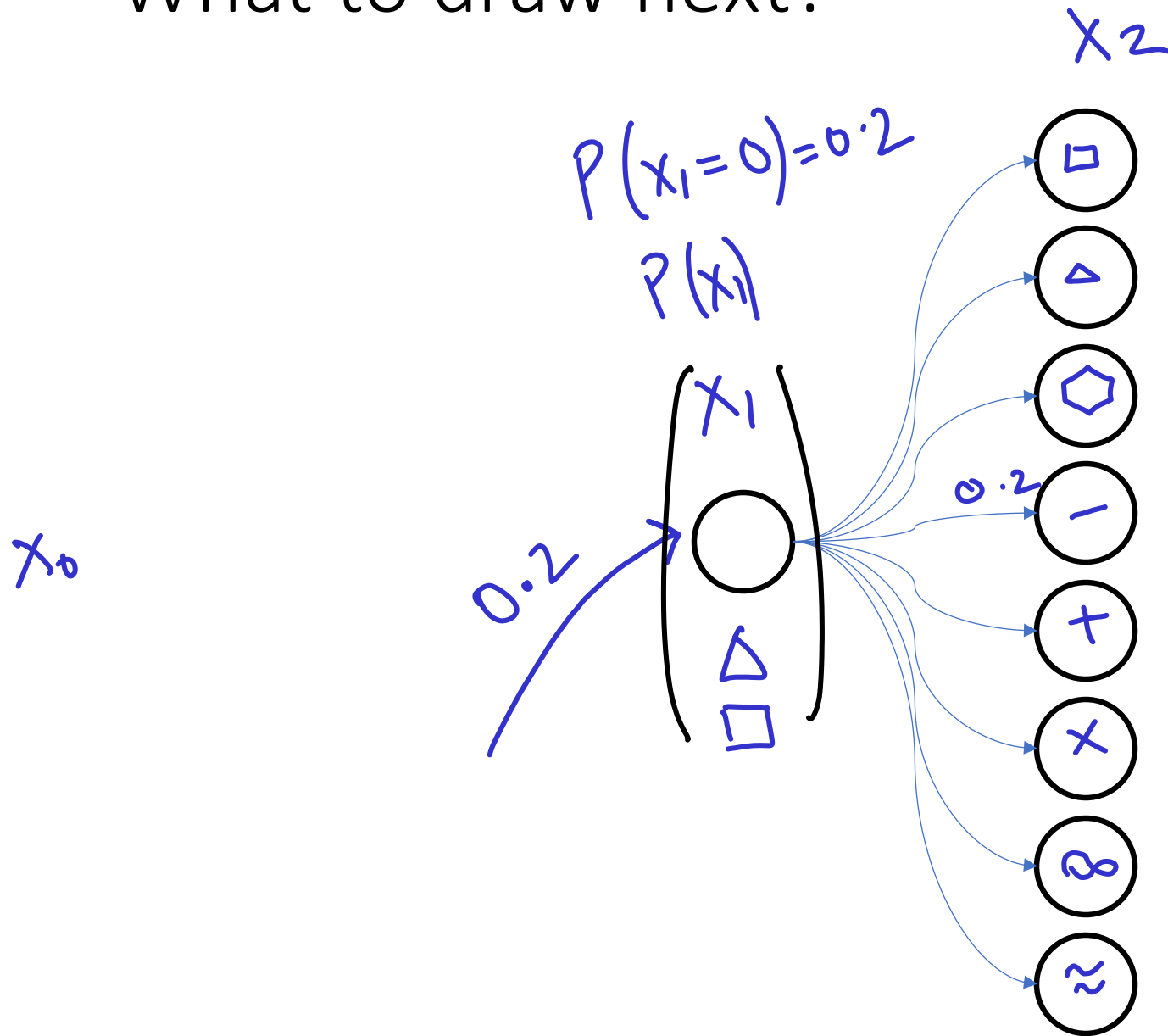
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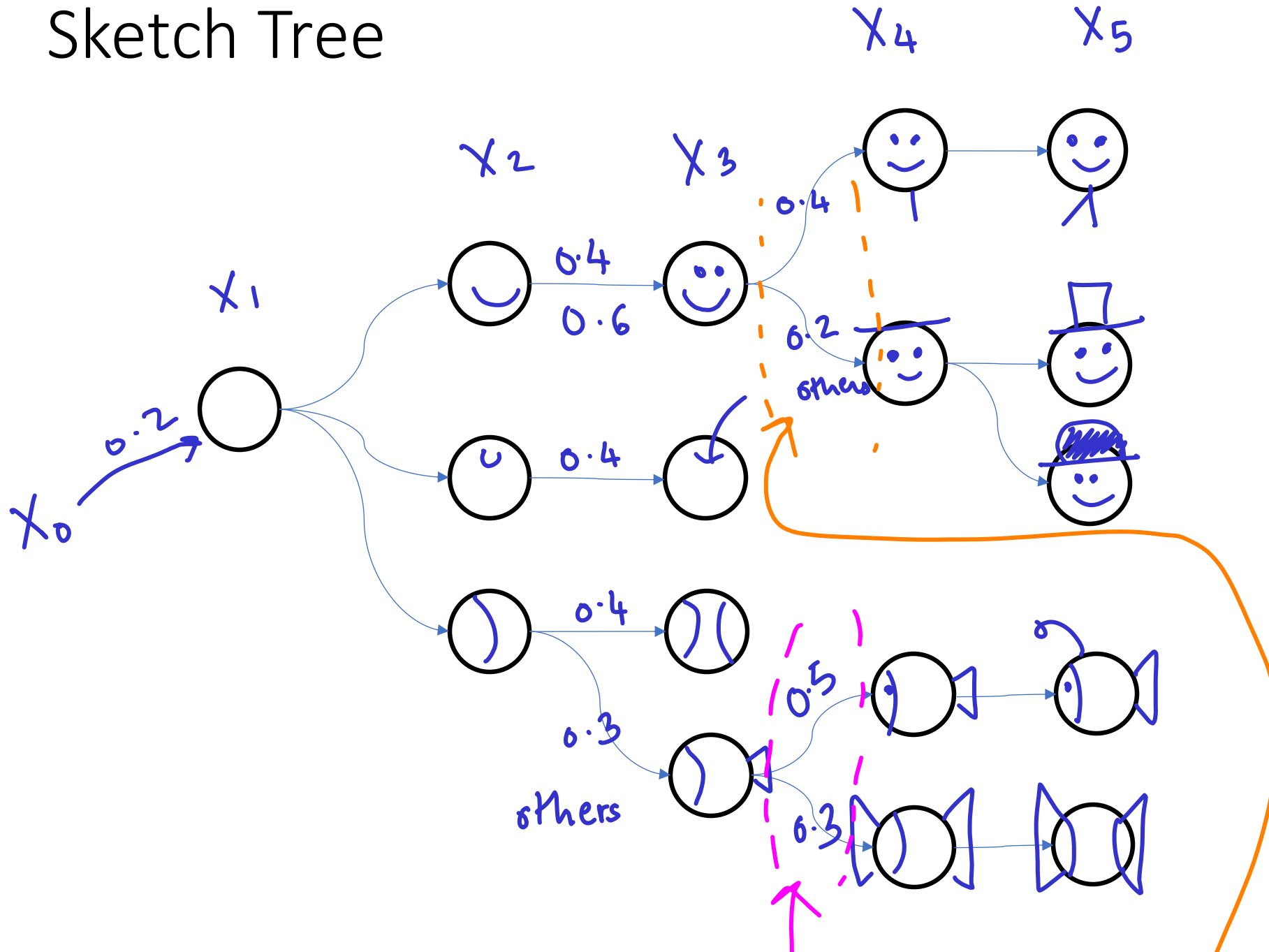
What to draw next?



$$P(x_2 | x_1 = 0)$$

$$P(X_2 = -1 | X_1 = 0) = 0.2$$

Sketch Tree



Conditional Probability

$$p(\overline{\text{😊}} | \text{😊}) = 0.2$$

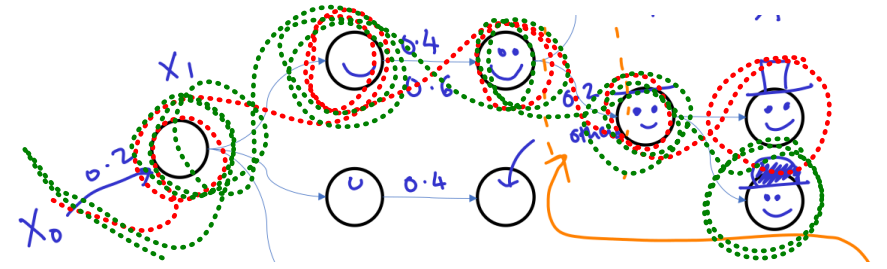
$$p(x_4 | \text{😊}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.4 \\ 0.2 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}$$

x_4
↑

$$p(\text{😞} | \text{😞}) = 0.5$$

$$p(x_4 | \text{😞}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.3 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}$$

Joint Probability



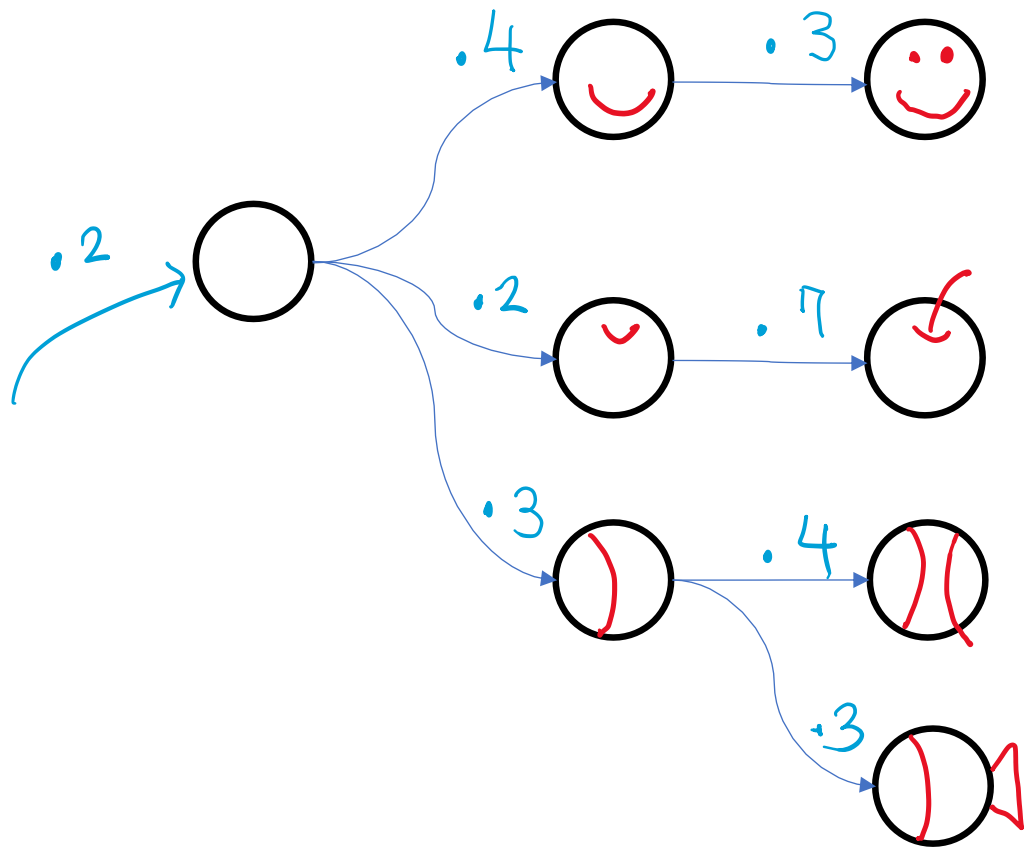
$$p(\text{smiley face with hat}) = 0.2 \times 0.5 \times 0.4 \times 0.2 \times 0.3$$

$$p(\text{smiley face}) =$$

$$p(\text{smiley face with hat}) = 0.2 \times 0.1 \times 0.3 \times 0.5 \times 0.4$$

$$p(\text{smiley face}) = 0.2 \times 0.2 \times$$

☒ ☐ Joint Probability



$$p(\text{😊}) = 0.3 \times 0.4 \times 0.2 = 0.024$$

$$p(\text{☹}) = 0.7 \times 0.2 \times 0.2 = 0.028$$

$$p(\text{😐}) = 0.4 \times 0.3 \times 0.2 = 0.024$$

$$p(\text{😐}) = 0.3 \times 0.3 \times 0.2 = 0.018$$