

Assignment 8

Task 1:

Probability of sensor S in Maine, $P(M) = 0.05$

Probability of sensor S in Sahara, $P(S) = 1 - 0.05 = 0.95$

Let, X = probability of getting a daily high temperature of 80 degrees or more.

Y = probability of getting a daily high temperature less than 80 degrees.

$P(X|M)$ = probability of getting a daily high temperature of 80 degrees or more in Maine.

$$P(X|M) = 0.2$$

$P(Y|M)$ = probability of getting a daily high temperature less than 80 degrees or more in Maine.

$$P(Y|M) = 1 - 0.2 = 0.8$$

$P(X|S)$ = probability of getting a daily high temperature of 80 degrees or more in Sahara.

$$P(X|S) = 0.9$$

$P(Y|S)$ = probability of getting a daily high temperature less than 80 degrees or more in Sahara.

$$P(Y|S) = 1 - 0.9 = 0.1$$

- a. Let $P(M|Y)$ = probability that the sensor is placed in Maine given a daily high temperature under 80 degrees.

$$P(M|Y) = [(P(M) * P(Y|M)) / P(Y)]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } P(Y) &= P(Y|M) * P(M) + (Y|S) * P(S) \\ &= 0.8 * 0.05 + 0.1 * 0.95 = 0.135 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Therefore, } P(M|Y) &= [(P(M) * P(Y|M)) / P_1(Y)] \\
 &= [(0.05 * 0.8) / 0.135] \\
 &= 0.2963
 \end{aligned}$$

The probability that the sensor is placed in Maine given the first email you got from sensor S indicates a daily high under 80 degrees is **29.63%**.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b. } P_2(M) &= [(P(Y|M) * P(M)) / P_1(Y)] \\
 &= [(0.8 * 0.05) / 0.135] = 0.2963
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_2(S) &= [(P(Y|S) * P_1(S)) / P_1(Y)] \\
 &= [(0.1 * 0.95) / 0.135] = 0.704
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_2(Y) &= P(Y|S) * P_2(S) + P(Y|M) * P_2(M) \\
 &= 0.1 * 0.704 + 0.8 * 0.2963 = 0.3074
 \end{aligned}$$

The probability that the second email also indicates a daily high under 80 degrees if the first email indicates a daily high under 90 degrees is **30.74%**.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{c. } P_3(M) &= [(P(Y|M) * P(M)) / P_2(Y)] \\
 &= [(0.8 * 0.2963) / 0.3074] = 0.771
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_3(S) &= [(P(Y|S) * P(S)) / P_2(Y)] \\
 &= [(0.1 * 0.704) / 0.3074] = 0.229
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_3(Y) &= P(Y|S) * P_3(S) + P(Y|M) * P_3(M) \\
 &= 0.1 * 0.229 + 0.8 * 0.771 = 0.6397
 \end{aligned}$$

The probability that the first three emails all indicate daily highs under 80 degrees is,

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_1(Y) * P_2(Y) * P_3(Y) &= 0.135 * 0.3074 * 0.6397 \\
 &= \mathbf{0.02654}
 \end{aligned}$$

Task 2:

- a. As A is independent and it has 5 values, we have to store all of them. Also, B1,.....,B10 is dependent on A, so for single variable we have to store 7 values. Therefore, total number of values we need to store In joint distribution table for these 11 variables will be = **$5 * (7^{10})$ values.**
- b. For each variable of B, we need to store $5 * 6 = 30$ values; as we can calculate the 7th value from 1 – total of 6 values. Similarly, for variable A we need to store only 4 values as we can calculate 5th value. For each variables we only need to store $30 * 10 + 4 =$ **304 values.**

Task 3:

$$P(A=T, B=T, C=T) = 0.048$$

$$P(A=T, B=T, C=F) = 0.196$$

$$P(A=T, B=F, C=T) = 0.192$$

$$P(A=T, B=F, C=F) = 0.084$$

$$P(A=F, B=T, C=T) = 0.012$$

$$P(A=F, B=T, C=F) = 0.294$$

$$P(A=F, B=F, C=T) = 0.048$$

$$P(A=F, B=F, C=F) = 0.126$$

- a. $P(A|B) = P(A=T, B=T, C=T) + P(A=T, B=T, C=F)$
 $P(A=T, B=F, C=T) + P(A=T, B=F, C=F)$
 $P(A=F, B=T, C=T) + P(A=F, B=T, C=F)$

$$\begin{aligned}
& P(A=F, B=F, C=T) + P(A=F, B=F, C=F) \\
&= 0.048 + 0.196 \\
&\quad 0.192 + 0.084 \\
&\quad 0.012 + 0.294 \\
&\quad 0.048 + 0.126 \\
&= 0.244/0.982 \quad 0.276/0.982 \quad 0.288/0.982 \\
&\quad 0.174/0.982
\end{aligned}$$

b. $P(A|B, C) = P(A=T, B=T, C=T) \quad P(A=T, B=F, C=T)$
 $P(A=T, B=T, C=F) \quad P(A=T, B=F, C=F)$
 $P(A=F, B=T, C=T) \quad P(A=F, B=F, C=T)$
 $P(A=F, B=T, C=F) \quad P(A=F, B=F, C=F)$
 $= \begin{array}{cc} 0.048 & 0.192 \\ 0.012 & 0.048 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{cc} 0.196 & 0.084 \\ 0.294 & 0.126 \end{array}$

c. $P(A, C|B) = P(A=T, B=T, C=T) + P(A=T, B=T, C=F)$
 $+ P(A=F, B=T, C=T) + P(A=F, B=T, C=F)$
 $P(A=T, B=F, C=T) + P(A=T, B=F, C=F)$
 $+ P(A=F, B=F, C=T) + P(A=F, B=F, C=F)$
 $= 0.048 + 0.196 + 0.012 + 0.294$
 $\quad 0.192 + 0.084 + 0.048 + 0.126$
 $= 0.55 \quad 0.45$

d. Given B, is A conditionally independent of C?
For A to be conditionally independent of C,
 $P(A|B, C) = P(A|B)$

From b, we have

$$P(A|B, C) = \begin{array}{cc} 0.048 & 0.192 \\ 0.196 & 0.084 \end{array}$$

0.012 0.048 0.294 0.126

From a, we have

$$P(A|B) = \frac{0.244}{0.982} \quad \frac{0.276}{0.982} \quad \frac{0.288}{0.982} \\ \frac{0.174}{0.982}$$

We see that $P(A|B, C) \neq P(A|B)$. Therefore, A is not conditionally independent of C.