

Exercise 7: Markov Chains

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```
library(Matrix)
```

Part 1

```
Q <- matrix(0,2,2)
Q
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]     0     0
[2,]     0     0
```

```
Q[1,2] <- 5
Q
```

```
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]     0     5
[2,]     0     0
```

```
today <- c(1,0)
names(today) <- c("Sunny", "Rainy")
```

```
rates <- c(0, 0.7635756,
          0.1527151, 0)
```

```
Q <- matrix(rates, 2, 2)
```

```
Q
```

```
[,1]      [,2]
[1,] 0.0000000 0.1527151
[2,] 0.7635756 0.0000000
```

```
rownames(Q) <- colnames(Q) <- c("Sunny", "Rainy")
diag(Q) <- -rowSums(Q)
Q
```

	Sunny	Rainy
Sunny	-0.1527151	0.1527151
Rainy	0.7635756	-0.7635756

Question 1:

$$r_{\text{sunny} \rightarrow \text{rainy}} = 0.1527151$$

$$r_{\text{rainy} \rightarrow \text{sunny}} = 0.7635756$$

Part 2

```
time <- 1
P_t <- expm(t(Q)*time) %*% today
P_t
```

```
2 x 1 Matrix of class "dgeMatrix"
[,1]
Sunny 0.90000001
Rainy 0.09999999
```

Question 3: $P(\text{sunny} \mid t = 1) = 0.90000001$

```
time <- 2
P_t <- expm(t(Q)*time) %*% today
P_t
```

```

2 x 1 Matrix of class "dgeMatrix"
[,1]
Sunny 0.86
Rainy 0.14

```

Question 4: $P(\text{rain} \mid t = 2) = 0.14$

```

times <- c(10,100,1000)

for (i in times) {
  P_t <- expm(t(Q)*i) %*% today

  print(paste("t =", i))
  print(P_t)
}

```

```

[1] "t = 10"
2 x 1 Matrix of class "dgeMatrix"
[,1]
Sunny 0.8333508
Rainy 0.1666492
[1] "t = 100"
2 x 1 Matrix of class "dgeMatrix"
[,1]
Sunny 0.8333334
Rainy 0.1666666
[1] "t = 1000"
2 x 1 Matrix of class "dgeMatrix"
[,1]
Sunny 0.8333334
Rainy 0.1666666

```

Question 5: In the long run, the probability of having a sunny day stabilizes to ~ 0.83 , meaning that we expect to have a sunny day $\sim 83\%$ of the time, or we expect 83% of days to be sunny.

Part 3

```
nucleotides <- c("A", "C", "G", "T")
```

```

rates <- c(0,
          0.2,
          0.4,
          0.2,
          0.3,
          0,
          0.3,
          0.9,
          0.6,
          0.3,
          0,
          0.3,
          0.2,
          0.6,
          0.2,
          0)

Q <- matrix(rates, 4, 4)

diag(Q) <- -rowSums(Q)

rownames(Q) <- colnames(Q) <- nucleotides

Q

```

	A	C	G	T
A	-1.1	0.3	0.6	0.2
C	0.2	-1.1	0.3	0.6
G	0.4	0.3	-0.9	0.2
T	0.2	0.9	0.3	-1.4

```

Jer.obs <- c(1, 0, 0, 0)

names(Jer.obs) <- nucleotides

Jer.DNA <- expm(Q*0.3) %*% Jer.obs

Jer.DNA

```

4 x 1 Matrix of class "dgeMatrix"
[,1]

```
A 0.73074054  
C 0.05183636  
G 0.09311238  
T 0.05183636
```

```
Keyrock.obs <- c(0, 1, 0, 0)  
  
names(Keyrock.obs) <- nucleotides  
  
Keyrock.DNA <- expm(Q*0.3) %*% Keyrock.obs  
  
Keyrock.DNA
```

```
4 x 1 Matrix of class "dgeMatrix"  
[1]  
A 0.07775453  
C 0.74177012  
G 0.07775453  
T 0.19295848
```

```
combined.probs <- Jer.DNA * Keyrock.DNA  
  
combined.probs
```

```
4 x 1 Matrix of class "dgeMatrix"  
[1]  
A 0.05681839  
C 0.03845066  
G 0.00723991  
T 0.01000226
```

```
sum(combined.probs)
```

```
[1] 0.1125112
```

Question 6: The overall probability is 0.1125112.

Question 7: The likeliest nucleotide state is an A, which means that your brother is the mutant, not you.