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#### Exercise(3-5)

Suppose each morning a factory posts the number of days worked in a row without any injuries. Assume that each day is injury free with probability 98/100. Furthermore, assume that whether tomorrow is injury free or not is independent of which of the preceding days were injury free. Let  $X_0=0$  be the morning the factory first opened. Let  $X_n$  be the number posted on the morning after n full days of work.

(a) Is  $X_n, n \geq 0$  a Markov chain? If so, give its state space, initial distribution, and transition matrix P. If not, show that it is not a Markov chain.

Whether tomorrow is injury free or not is independent of which of the preceding days were injury free.(markov property)

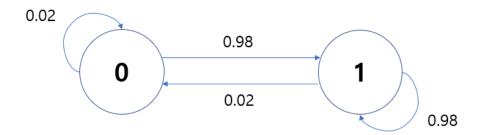
State space  $S = \{0, 1\}$  1 means injury free, 0 means not injury free.

Initial distribution  $\pi_0 = \{1, 0\}$ 

**Trainsition matrix** 

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 0.98 & 0.02 \\ 0.98 & 0.02 \end{pmatrix}$$

(b) Is the Markov chain irreducible? Explain.



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All states are connected in one transition. So it is irreducible.

(c) Is the Markov chain periodic or aperiodic? Explain and if it is periodic, also give the period.

```
import numpy as np
from numpy.linalg import matrix_power
P=np.array([[0.98,0.02],[0.98,0.02]])
matrix_power(P,2)
```

```
## array([[0.98, 0.02],
## [0.98, 0.02]])
```

$$P^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0.98 & 0.02 \\ 0.98 & 0.02 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P^2 = P^3 = P^{\infty}$$

This Markov chain is periodic, the period is 1.

(d) Find the stationary distribution.

$$P^2 = P^3 = P^{\infty}$$

$$s = \{0.98, 0.02\}$$

(e) Is the Markov chain positive recurrent? If so, why? If not, why not?

No, it is not recurrent.

#### Exercise(3-6)

Consider the following transition matrix:

$$P = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 0 & 0.5 & 0 & 0.5 \\ 0.6 & 0 & 0.4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.7 & 0 & 0.3 \\ 0.8 & 0 & 0.2 & 0 \end{array}\right)$$

(a) Is the Markov chain periodic? Give the period of each state.

```
import numpy as np
from numpy.linalg import matrix_power
P=np.array([[0,0.5,0,0.5],
          [0.6,0,0.4,0],
          [0,0.7,0,0.3],
          [0.8,0,0.2,0]])
print(matrix_power(P,200))
## [[0.6875 0. 0.3125 0.
                            ]
   [0.
           0.5625 0.
## [0.6875 0.
                 0.3125 0.
## [0.
           0.5625 0.
                        0.4375]]
print(matrix_power(P,201))
## [[0.
           0.5625 0.
                        0.4375]
## [0.6875 0.
                 0.3125 0.
## [0.
           0.5625 0.
                        0.4375]
## [0.6875 0.
                 0.3125 0.
print(matrix_power(P,202))
## [[0.6875 0. 0.3125 0.
                            ]
## [0.
           0.5625 0.
                        0.4375]
## [0.6875 0.
                0.3125 0.
## [0. 0.5625 0.
                        0.4375]]
P^{200} = P^{202}
```

:This Markov chain is periodic, and the period is 2

(b) Is A $(\pi_1, \pi_2, \pi_3, \pi_4)$  = (33/96,27/96,15/96,21/96) the stationary distribution of the Markov Chain?

$$\begin{split} &(\pi_1,\pi_2,\pi_3,\pi_4)\cdot P\\ &=(0.6\pi_2+0.8\pi_4,0.5\pi_1+0.7\pi_3,0.4\pi_2+0.2\pi_4,0.5\pi_1+0.3\pi_3)\\ &=(\frac{33}{96},\frac{27}{96},\frac{15}{96},\frac{21}{96}) \end{split}$$

 $A(0_1,0_2,0_3,0_4)$  is stationary distribution of the Markov Chain

(c) Is  $P_{11}^{100}=\pi_1$ ?  $P_{11}^{101}=\pi_1$ ? Is Give an expression for  $\pi_1$  in terms of  $P_{11}^{100}$  and  $P_{11}^{101}$ .

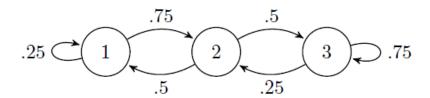
```
import numpy as np
from numpy.linalg import matrix_power
print(matrix_power(P,100))
```

```
## [[0.6875 0. 0.3125 0. ]
## [0. 0.5625 0. 0.4375]
## [0.6875 0. 0.3125 0. ]
## [0. 0.5625 0. 0.4375]]
```

matrix\_power(P,101)

#### Exercise(3-14)

Suppose you are working as an independent consultant for a company. Your performance is evaluated at the end of each month and the evaluation falls into one of three categories: 1, 2, and 3. Your evaluation can be modeled as a discrete-time Markov chain and its transition diagram is as follows.



Denote your evaluation at the end of nth month by  $X_n$  and assume that  $X_0=2$ .

(a) What are state space, transition probability matrix and initial distribution of  $X_n$ ?

**State space** 
$$S = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

Initial distribution  $\ \pi_0 = \{0,1,0\}$ 

trainsition matrix

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 0.25 & 0.75 & 0 \\ 0.5 & 0 & 0.5 \\ 0 & 0.25 & 0.75 \end{pmatrix}$$

(b) What is the stationary distribution?

$$\begin{split} &(\pi_1,\pi_2,\pi_3)\cdot P\\ &=(0.25\pi_1+0.5\pi_2,0.75\pi_1+0.25\pi_3,0.5\pi_2+0.75\pi_3)\\ &=(\pi_1,\pi_2,\pi_3)\\ &\pi_1+\pi_2+\pi_3=1\\ &\therefore \pi_1=\frac{2}{11},\pi_2=\frac{3}{11},\pi_3=\frac{6}{11}\\ &\text{Stationary distribution}=\left(\frac{2}{11},\frac{3}{11},\frac{6}{11}\right) \end{split}$$

#### (c) What is the long-run fraction of time when your evaluation is either 2 or 3?

## array([[0.18181818, 0.27272727, 0.54545455],
## [0.18181818, 0.27272727, 0.54545455],
## [0.18181818, 0.27272727, 0.54545455]])

$$P^{\infty} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.1818 & 0.2727 & 0.5454 \\ 0.1818 & 0.2727 & 0.5454 \\ 0.1818 & 0.2727 & 0.5454 \end{pmatrix}$$

Therefore, the long-run fraction of time when your evaluation is either 2 or 3

$$= 0.2727 + 0.5454 = 0.8181$$

Your monthly salary is determined by the evaluation of each month in the following way.

Salary when your evaluation is  $n = \$5000 + n^2 * \$5000$ , n = 1, 2, 3

#### (d) What is the long-run average monthly salary?

Salary when your evaluation is  $1 = \$5000 + 1^2 * \$5000 = \$10000$ Salary when your evaluation is  $2 = \$5000 + 2^2 * \$5000 = \$25000$ Salary when your evaluation is  $1 = \$5000 + 3^2 * \$5000 = \$50000$ 

Average monthly salary 10000 \* 0.1818 + 25000 \* 0.2727 + 50000 \* 0.5454 = \$35,905.5