

**CS1571
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11/4 In-Class Worksheet**

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Where were you sitting in class today: Back right

A. Pre-Reflection

On a scale of 1-5, with 5 being most confident, how well do you think you could execute these learning objectives:

15.1 Explain a backward planning approach. _____

17.1 Describe key elements of probability theory. _____

17.2 Make inferences about the world from a joint distribution. _____

17.3 Explain the complexity of inferences from a joint distribution. _____

B. Inferences from Joint Distributions

Answer the following questions given this joint distribution.

		WBCCount		
		high	medium	low
Pneumonia	True	.08	.04	.01
	False	.22	.56	.09

1. What is $P(\text{Pneumonia}=\text{True}, \text{WBCCount} = \text{high})$?

.08

2. What is $P(\text{Pneumonia}=\text{False})$?

.87

3. What is $P(\text{WBCCount} = \text{Medium})$?

.60

Answer the following questions given this joint distribution

	Paleness		~Paleness	
	<i>Fever</i>	<i>~Fever</i>	<i>Fever</i>	<i>~Fever</i>
<i>Pneumonia</i>	.15	.04	.10	.01
<i>~Pneumonia</i>	.10	.20	.15	.25

4. What is $P(\text{Pneumonia} = \text{True})$?

.30

5. What is $P(\text{Fever} = \text{True}, \text{Pneumonia} = \text{True})$?

.25

6. What is $P(\text{Pneumonia} = \text{True} \mid \text{Fever} = \text{True})$

$.25/.50 == .50$

7. What is $P(\text{Pneumonia} = \text{True} \mid \text{Fever} = \text{True}, \text{Paleness} = \text{True})$

$.15/.25 == .6$ ---- consider pneumonia conditioned on fever and paleness at the same time not separately

8. How many probabilities are there in the joint distribution for $P(\text{Pneumonia}, \text{Fever}, \text{Paleness}, \text{WBCCCount})$?

24

9. How many values need to be stored?

23

10. What is the time complexity to calculate $P(\text{Pneumonia} = \text{True})$?

Hint: how many summations are you doing?

Total number of values in table / possible values in domain of pneumonia ==
12 – exponential (grows with the number of variables you have)

C. Post-Reflection

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