1 Inference

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Given the boolean random variables X, Y, and Z, and the following model:

$$P(+x) = 0.3$$

$$P(-x) = 0.7$$

$$P(+y|+x) = 0.8$$

$$P(+y|-x) = 0.3$$

$$P(+z|+x) = 0.8$$

$$P(+z|-x) = 0.4$$

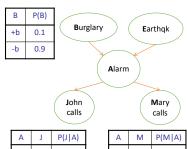
 $Y \perp \!\!\! \perp Z \mid X$ (i.e., Y and Z are conditionally independent, given X)

Please compute (and show your work):

- 1. P(-y|+x)
- 2. P(-z|-x)
- 3. P(-y|+x,+z)
- 4. P(+y,-z,-x)
- 5. P(-y)
- 6. P(+y|+z)
- 7. P(-y|+z)

2 Joint Probabilities from BNs

Consider the following Bayes' Net:



Α	J	P(J A)		Α	М	P(M A)
ŀа	+j	0.4		+a	+m	0.6
+a	-j	0.6		+a	-m	0.4
-a	+j	0.05		-a	+m	0.1
-a	-j	0.95		-a	-m	0.9

Е	P(E)
+e	0.002
-е	0.998

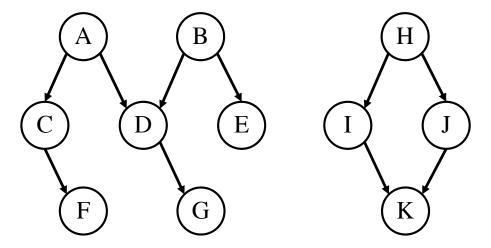
В	Е	Α	P(A B,E)
ь		А	F(A D,L)
+b	+e	+a	0.95
+b	+e	-a	0.05
+b	-е	+a	0.92
+b	-е	-a	0.08
-b	+e	+a	0.2
-b	+e	-a	0.8
-b	-е	+a	0.1
-b	-е	-a	0.9

Please compute (and show your work):

- 1. P(+b,-e,+a,+j,+m)
- 2. P(-b,-e,+a,-j,-m)
- 3. P(-b,+e,+a,+j,+m)
- 4. P(-b,-e,-a,-j,-m)

3 D-Separation

Consider the following Bayes' Net:

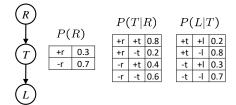


Please answer the following with 'yes', 'no', or 'not enough information'. Hint: review the lectures for why I've included 'not enough information' as an option.

- 1. Is A independent of B?
- 2. Is A independent of B given D?
- 3. Is A independent of I?
- 4. Is A independent of F?
- 5. Is A independent of B given G?
- 6. Is D independent of E?
- 7. Is D independent of E given B?
- 8. Is I independent of J?
- 9. Is I independent of J given H?

4 Variable Elimination

Consider the following Bayes' Net:

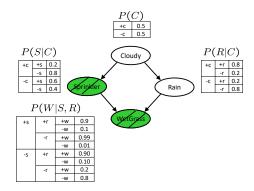


We are performing variable elimination in order to determine P(L). Please do so using the following steps, showing your work and all intermediate factors.

- 1. Perform a join on R to determine P(R,T).
- 2. Sum out R from P(R,T) to determine P(T).
- 3. Perform a join on T to determine P(T,L).
- 4. Sum out T from P(T,L) to determine P(L).

5 Sampling

Consider the following Bayes' Net:



We are performing likelihood weighting sampling, in which we have fixed Sprinkler to +s and WetGrass to +w.

Please answer the following questions, showing your work.

What should the associate weight be for the following samples?

- 1. (+c, +s, +r, +w)
- 2. (-c, +s, +r, +w)
- 3. (+c, +s, -r, +w)
- 4. (-c, +s, -r, +w)

Let's assume we have drawn these 5 random samples:

$$(+c, +s, +r, +w)$$

$$(-c, +s, +r, +w)$$

$$(-c, +s, +r, +w)$$

$$(-c, +s, -r, +w)$$

$$(-c, +s, -r, +w)$$

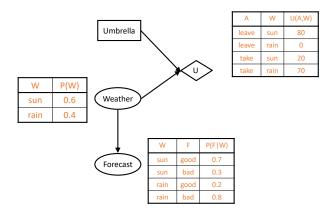
What will our estimate be for

5.
$$P(+c|+s,+w)$$
?

6.
$$P(-c|+s,+w)$$
?

6 Decision Networks

Consider the following decision network:



Please answer the following questions, showing your work.

- 1. What is the expected utility of taking an umbrella, given no evidence?
- 2. What is expected utility of leaving the umbrella behind, given no evidence?
- 3. What is the optimal decision, taking or leaving the umbrella, given no evidence.
- 4. What is the expected utility of taking an umbrella, given that Forecast = good?
- 5. What is the expected utility of leaving the umbrella behind, given that Forecast = good?
- 6. What is the optimal decision, leave or take the umbrella, given that Forecast = good.