

A1 - Probability

Three types of Probability:

- Marginal | ^{un}Conditional Probability: Addition of probability of all values of Variable X, summing out all other values.
- Joint Probability: Probabilities of any 2 or more occurring simultaneously.
- Conditional Probability: Probability of one event occurring provided another event has already occurred.

eg. In a deck of 52 cards.

Probability of choosing a red card $= \frac{26}{52} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5 = P(R)$

Probability of choosing a card '8' $= \frac{4}{52} = \frac{1}{13} = P(8)$

∴ Joint probability of choosing a red card with is also '8' $= P(R) \cdot P(8) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{13} = \frac{1}{26}$
written as $P(A \cap B)$.

∴ Conditional Probability = $\left(\frac{1}{13} \times \frac{1}{2} \right) / \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{13}$
written as $P(A|B) = P(A \cap B) / P(B)$

Formulae

- $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$
- $P(A|B) = P(A \cap B) / P(B)$
- $P(B|A) = P(A \cap B) / P(A)$
- $P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A) P(A)}{P(B)}$

$$A \cap B = B \cap A$$

Same formulae for Probability Distributions P:

- $P(X|Y) = P(X \cap Y) / P(Y)$

Probability Distribution P is used when dealing with a variable that can have multiple values, or set of variables.

- Marginal Probability Here $\underline{Y}, \underline{Z}$ are variable sets

$$\underline{P}(\underline{Y}) = \sum_{\underline{z} \in \underline{Z}} \underline{P}(\underline{Y}, \underline{z}) \quad \underline{Z} \text{ is a set of values.}$$

Formula for JPD

If conditional probability then then the formula is

$$\underline{P}(\underline{Y} | \underline{z}) = \sum_{\underline{z} \in \underline{Z}} \underline{P}(\underline{Y} | \underline{z}) \underline{P}(\underline{z}) \rightarrow \text{Here } \underline{P} \text{ is not underlined, so not a P.D. as } \underline{z} \text{ is set of values \& not a variable/variable set}$$

- $\underline{P}(X, Y) = \underline{P}(X | Y) \underline{P}(Y)$ - Probabilities for all x, y values

- $\underline{P}(Y | X) = \alpha \underline{P}(X | Y) \underline{P}(Y)$ - General Bayes with normalization

Conditional Independence with 3rd variable

$$\underline{P}(X, Y | Z) = \underline{P}(X | Z) \underline{P}(Y | Z)$$

Absolute Independence

$$\underline{P}(X | Y, Z) = \underline{P}(X | Z) \quad \Delta \quad \underline{P}(Y | X, Z) = \underline{P}(Y | Z)$$

Naive Bayes

$$\underline{P}(\text{Cause}, \text{Effect}_1, \dots, \text{Effect}_n) = \underline{P}(\text{Cause}) \prod_{i=1}^n \underline{P}(\text{Effect}_i | \text{Cause})$$

$$\underline{P}(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n \underline{P}(x_i | \text{parents}(X_i))$$

$$\underline{P}(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \underline{P}(x_n | x_{n-1}, \dots, x_1) \underline{P}(x_{n-1} | x_{n-2}, \dots, x_1) \dots \underline{P}(x_2 | x_1) \underline{P}(x_1)$$

$$= \underline{P}(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n \underline{P}(x_i | x_{i-1}, \dots, x_1)$$

$$\therefore \underline{P}(X_i | \text{Parents}(X_i)) = \underline{P}(X_i | \text{Parents}(X_i))$$

Markov Chain First-order

$$\underline{P}(X_t | X_0 : t-1) = \underline{P}(X_t | X_{t-1})$$

$$\underline{P}(A | B, \underline{e}) = (\underline{P}(B | A, \underline{e}) \times \underline{P}(A | \underline{e})) / \underline{P}(B | \underline{e})$$

JPD in temporal models

$$\underline{P}(X_0, X_1, \dots, X_t, \epsilon_1, \dots, \epsilon_t) = \underline{P}(X_0) \prod_{i=1}^t \underline{P}(X_i | X_{i-1}) \underline{P}(\epsilon_i | X_i)$$

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