

Warm-up as You Log In



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winter	hot	sun	0.10
winter	hot	rain	0.05
winter	cold	sun	0.15
winter	cold	rain	0.20

Announcements

Midterm 2

- Mon, 11/9, during lecture
- See Piazza for details

An abstract graphic on the left side of the slide, featuring a sphere-like shape composed of a dense grid of intersecting red, green, and blue lines. The lines are curved and follow the contour of the sphere, creating a complex, woven pattern. The sphere is set against a dark gray background.

Introduction to Machine Learning

Hidden Markov Models

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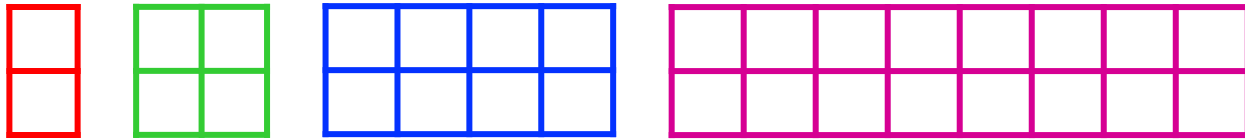
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Bayesian Networks

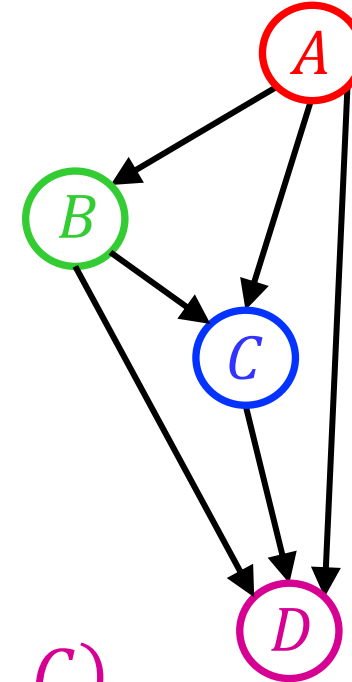
One node per random variable

Directed-Acyclic-Graph

One CPT per node: $P(\text{node} \mid \text{Parents}(\text{node}))$



Bayes net



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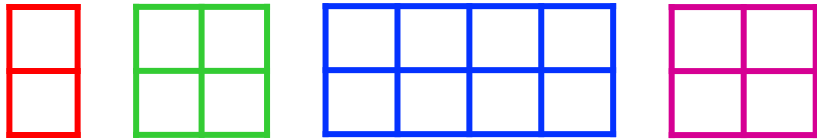
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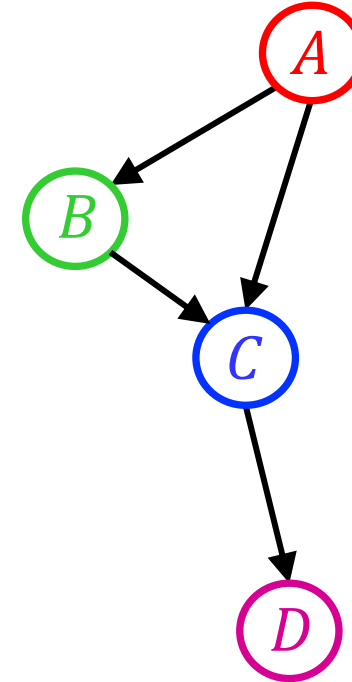
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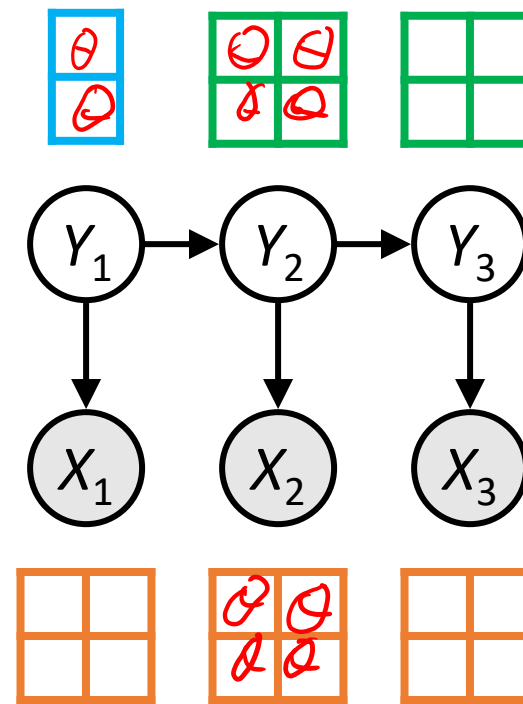
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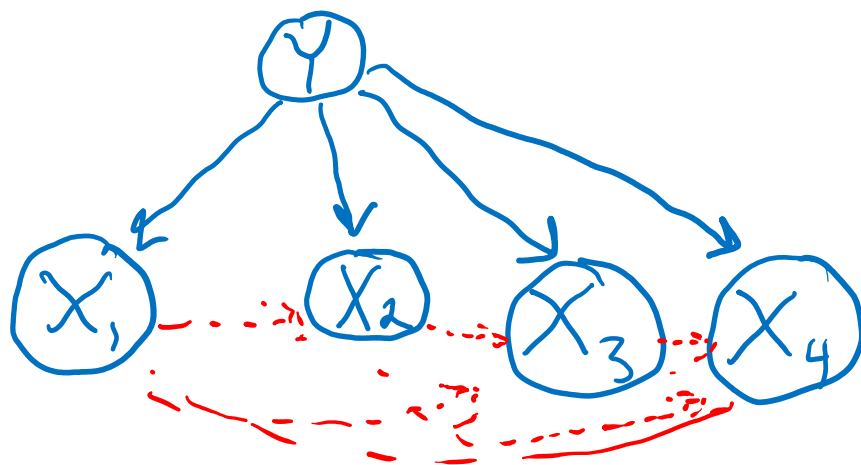


$$P(Y_3 | x_1, x_2, x_3)$$

Generative Stories and Bayes Nets

SPAM: Bag of words, naïve Bayes

- Generative story and Bayes net



$$Y \sim \text{Bern}(\phi)$$

$$X_{m,y=0} \sim \text{Bern}(\theta_{m,y=0})$$

$$X_{m,y=1} \sim \text{Bern}(\theta_{m,y=1})$$

$$P(Y=1)$$

$$P(X_m=1 | Y=0)$$

$$P(X_m=1 | Y=1)$$

- Assumptions

$$X_i \perp\!\!\!\perp X_j \mid Y \quad \forall i \neq j$$

- Joint distribution

$$P(Y) P(X_1 | Y) P(X_2 | Y) P(X_3 | Y) P(X_4 | Y)$$

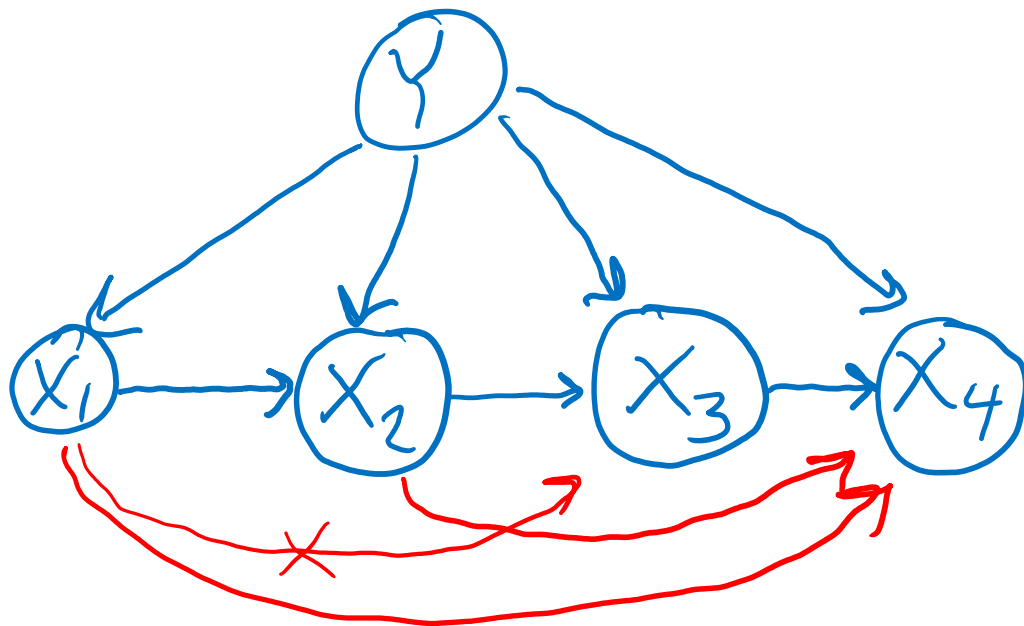
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$$P(Y, X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4) = P(Y) P(X_1 | Y) P(X_2 | Y, \underline{X_1}) P(X_3 | Y, \underline{X_1, X_2}) P(X_4 | Y, \underline{X_1, X_2, X_3})$$

Generative Stories and Bayes Nets

News article: Bigram

- Generative story and Bayes net



$$Y \sim \text{Categorical}(\boldsymbol{\phi})$$

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Generative Stories and Bayes Nets

Weather

- Generative story and Bayes net

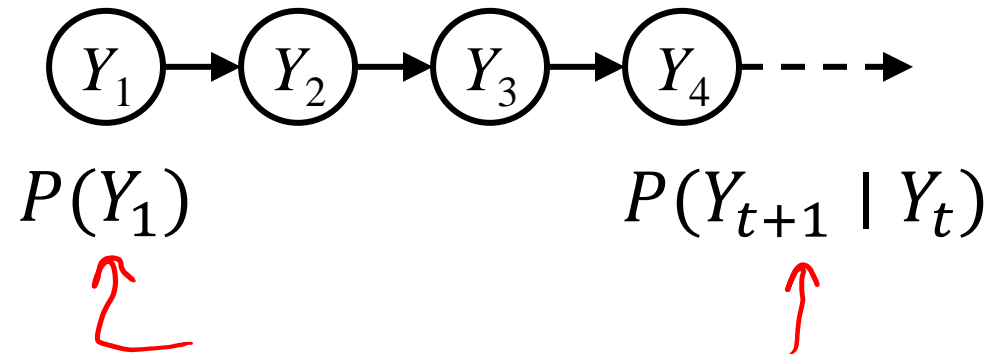


- Assumptions ?

- Joint distribution $P(w_1, w_2, w_3 \dots) = P(w_1)P(w_2|w_1)P(w_3|w_2) \dots$

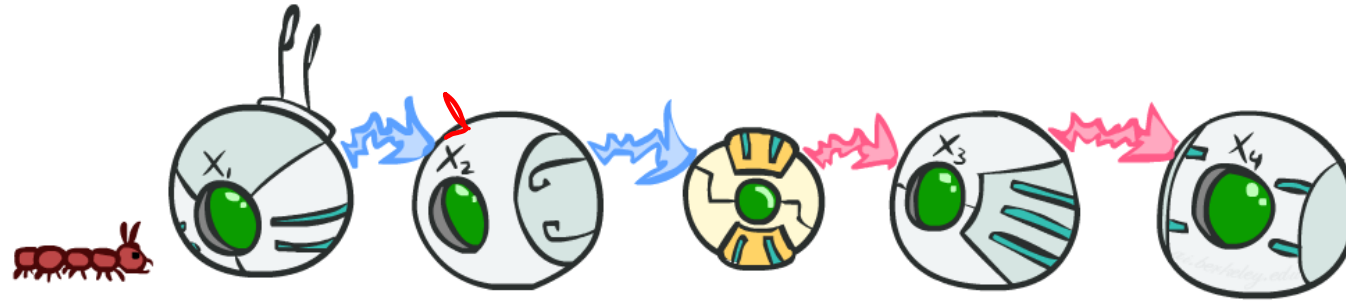
Markov Models

- Value of Y at a given time is called the **state**



- Parameters: called **transition probabilities** or dynamics, specify how the state evolves over time (also, initial state probabilities)
- Stationarity assumption: transition probabilities the same at all times

Markov Model Conditional Independence



Basic conditional independence:

- Past and future independent given the present
- Each time step only depends on the previous
- This is called the (first order) Markov property

$$Y_{t-1} \perp\!\!\!\perp Y_{t+1} \mid Y_t$$

$$Y_{t-2} \perp\!\!\!\perp Y_{t+1} \mid Y_t$$

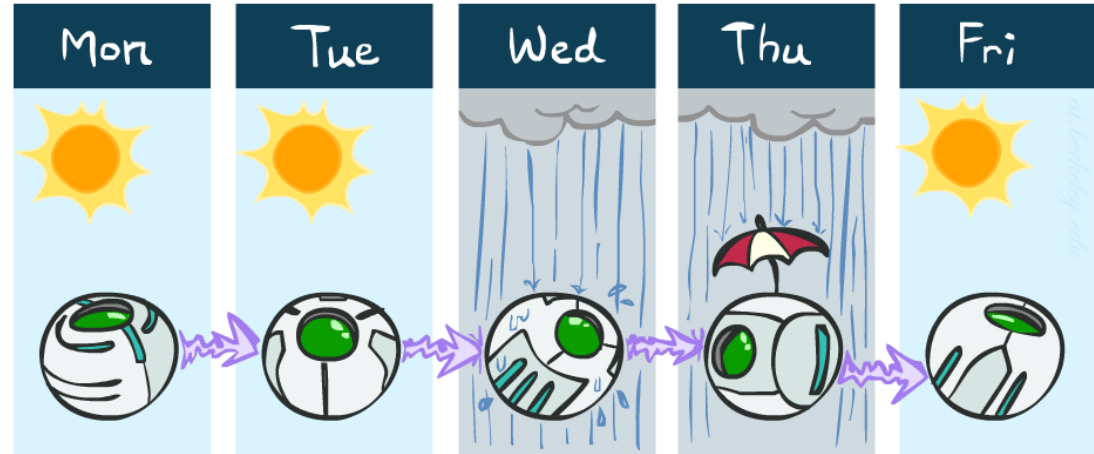
Example: Markov Chain Weather

States: $Y = \{\text{rain}, \text{sun}\}$

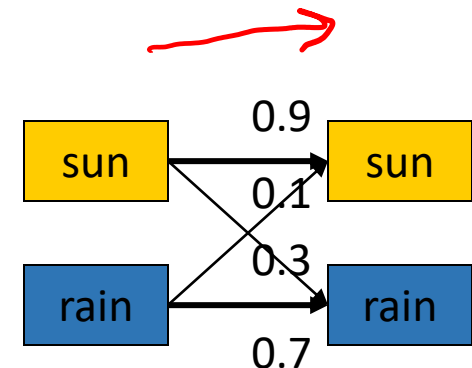
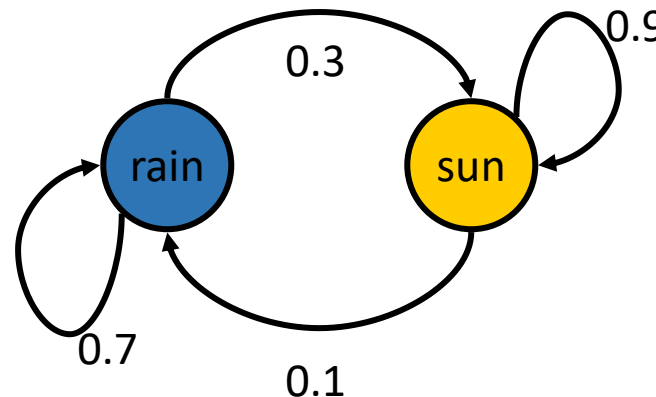
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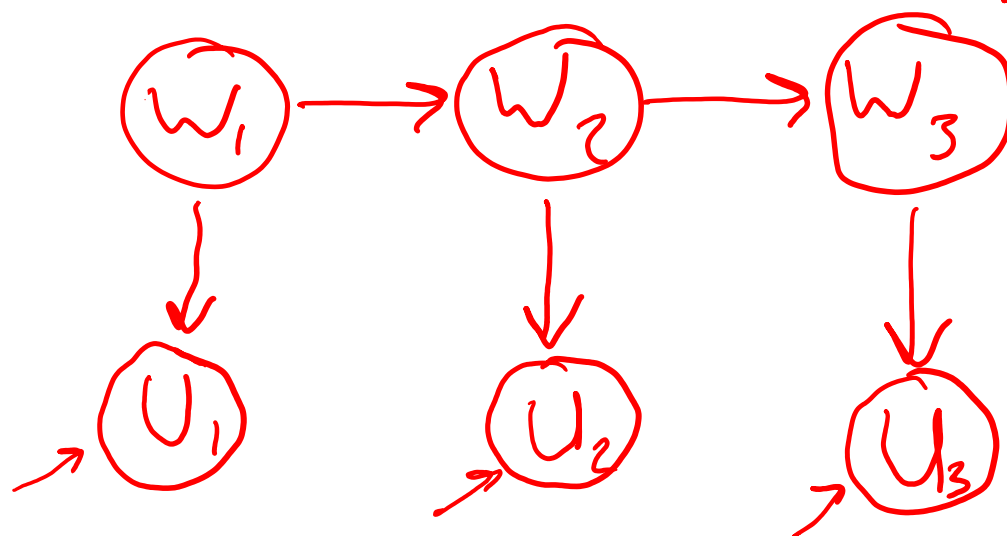
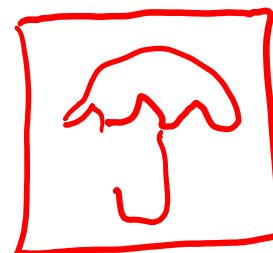
Two other ways of representing the same CPT



Generative Stories and Bayes Nets

Weather, Umbrella

- Generative story and Bayes net



$$p(W_3 \mid U_1=T, U_2=T, U_3=F)$$

- Assumptions

- Joint distribution

Hidden Markov Models

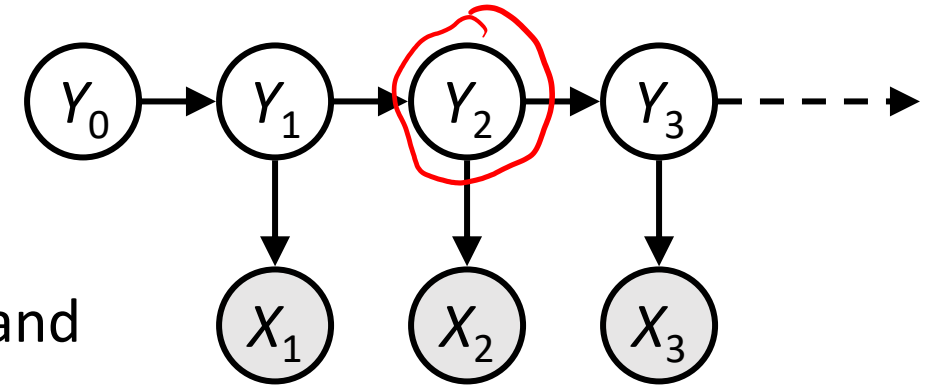


Hidden Markov Models

Usually the true state is not observed directly

Hidden Markov models (HMMs)

- Underlying Markov chain over states Y
- You observe evidence X at each time step
- Y_t is a single discrete variable; X_t may be continuous and may consist of several variables



HMM conditional independence

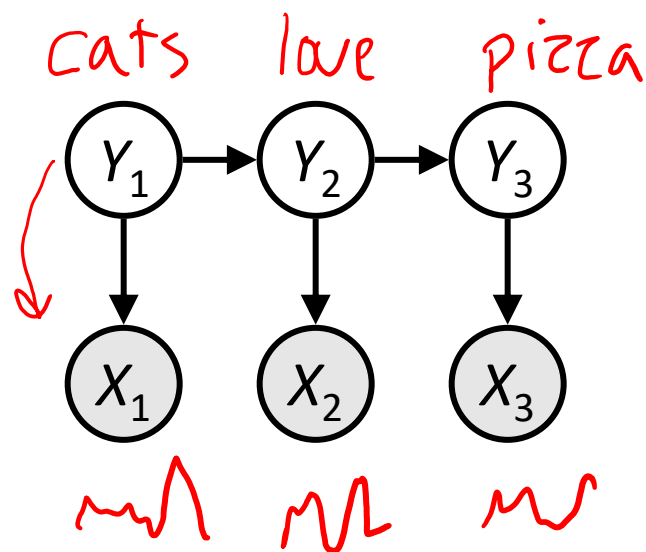
- Past Y and future Y independent given the present Y_t
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Past $X \perp\!\!\!\perp$ current $X_t \mid Y_t$
Future $X \perp\!\!\!\perp X_t \mid Y_t$

Generative Stories and Bayes Nets

Speech recognition

- Generative story and Bayes net



Y_t : word_t

X_t : audio for word_t

- Assumptions: HMM conditional independence assumptions
- Joint distribution: $P(Y_1, \dots, Y_T, X_1, \dots, X_T) = P(Y_1) \prod P(Y_{t+1} | Y_t) \prod P(X_t | Y_t)$

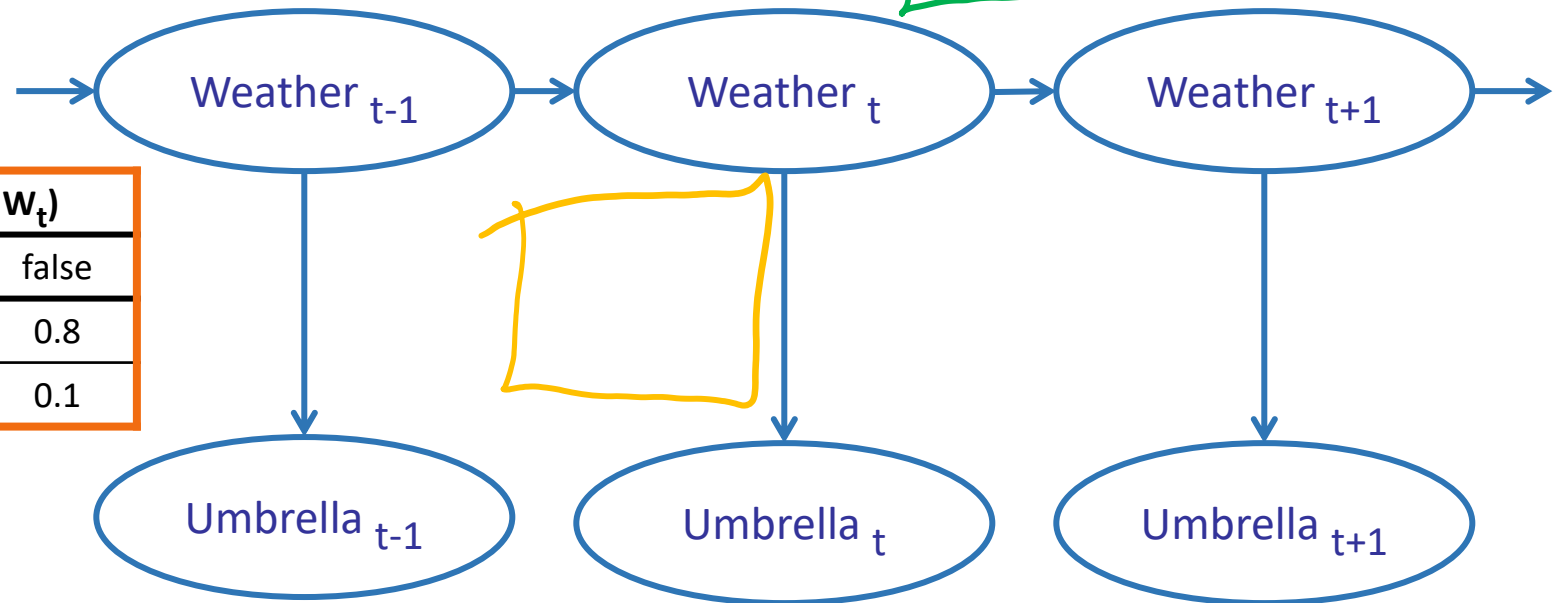
Example: Weather HMM

An HMM is defined by:

- Initial distribution: $P(W_0)$
- Transition model: $P(W_t | W_{t-1})$ ←
- Emission model: $P(U_t | W_t)$ ←

W_t	$P(U_t W_t)$	
	true	false
sun	0.2	0.8
rain	0.9	0.1

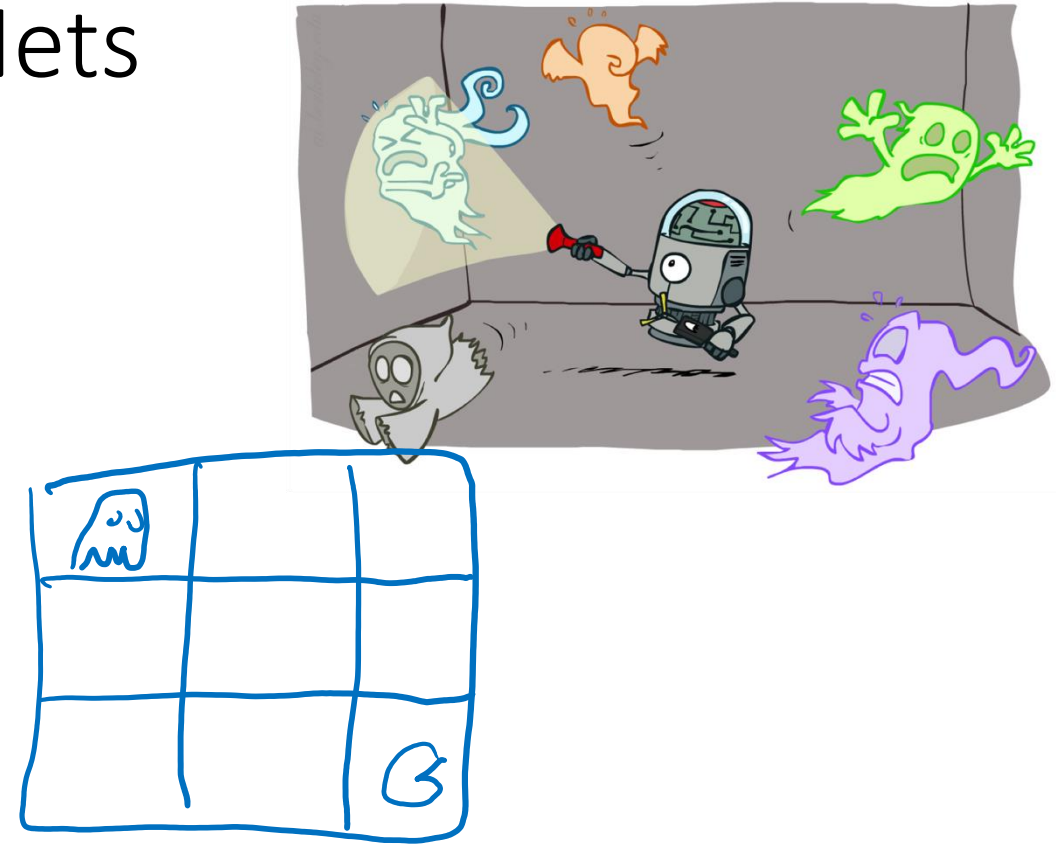
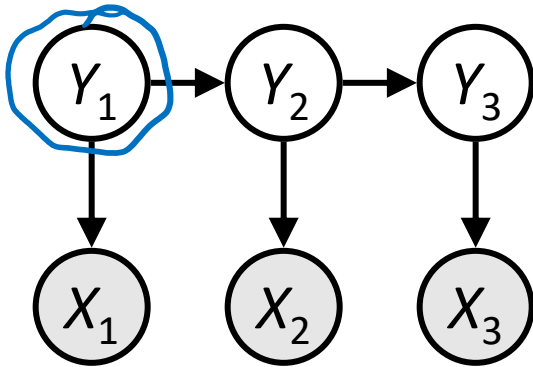
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Generative Stories and Bayes Nets


Tracking: Ghostbusting

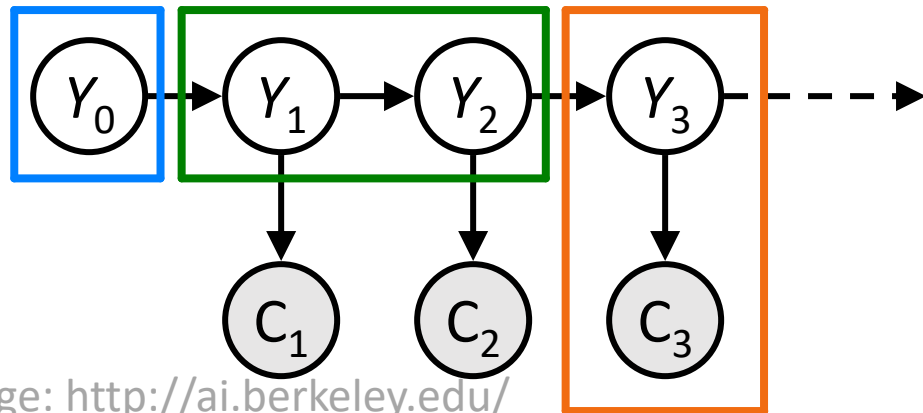
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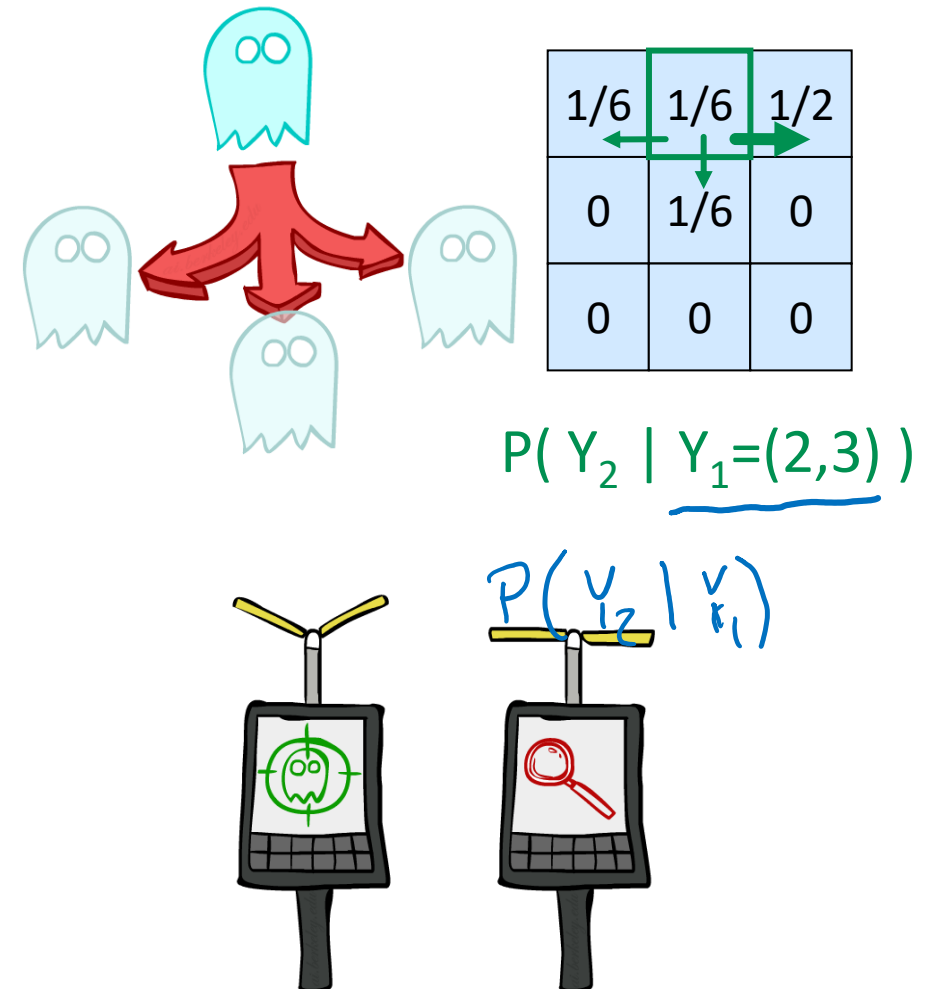
Example: Ghostbusters HMM

- State: location of moving ghost
- Observations: Color recorded by ghost sensor at clicked squares
- $P(Y_0)$ = uniform
- $P(Y_t | Y_{t-1})$ = usually move clockwise, but sometimes move randomly or stay in place
- $P(C_t | Y_t)$ = sensor model:

 red means close, green means far away.



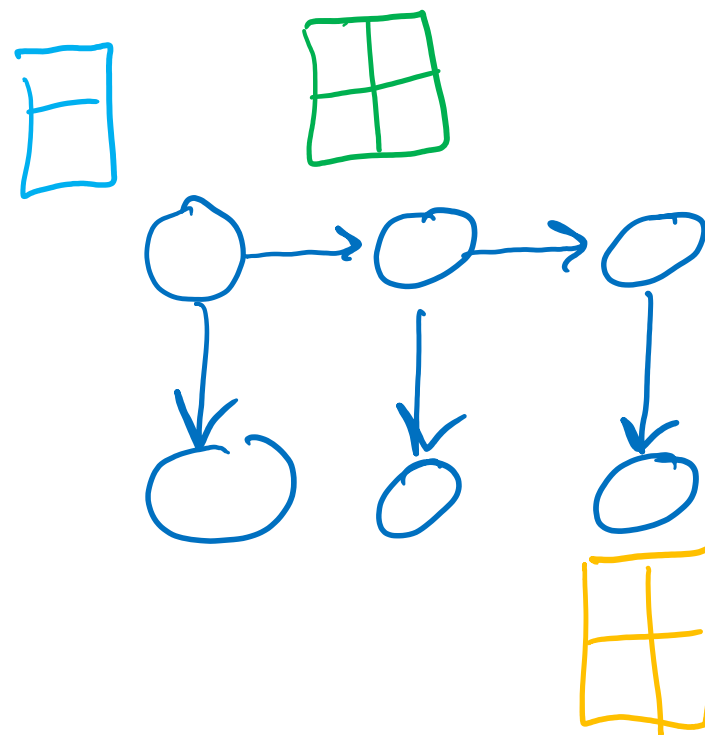
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$P(Y_1)$



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$$p(y_3 | c_1, c_2, c_3)$$

Piazza Poll 1

Assume Y is a discrete random variable taking on 7 distinct values. For example choice of fruit on a given day:

$y \in \{apple, banana, orange, strawberry, watermelon, pear, grape\}$

How many entries are in the conditional probability table $P(Y_{t+1} \mid Y_t)$?


A. 7

B. 14

C. 49

D. 2^7

E. $7!$

Piazza Poll 2

Which of the following expressions always equal one?

Select ALL that apply

A. $P(y_{t+1} | y_t)$

B. $\sum_{y_t \in \mathcal{Y}} P(y_{t+1} | y_t)$

☒ C. $\sum_{y_{t+1} \in \mathcal{Y}} P(y_{t+1} | y_t)$

☒ D. $\sum_{y_{t+1} \in \mathcal{Y}} \sum_{y_t \in \mathcal{Y}} P(y_{t+1} | y_t) = 7$

apple $\rightarrow y_{t+1}$

banana $\rightarrow y_{t+1}$

orange $\rightarrow y_{t+1}$

$y_t \rightarrow$ banana

If it's helpful, consider the fruit example:

$y \in \{\text{apple, banana, orange, strawberry, watermelon, pear, grape}\}$



Piazza Poll 3

S, S, S, r, r, r, s, r, r, s, s

How do could we estimate $P(Y_{t+1} = b \mid Y_t = a)$ from data?

A. $\#(\text{start in state } a, \text{ end in state } b) / \#(\text{start in state } a)$

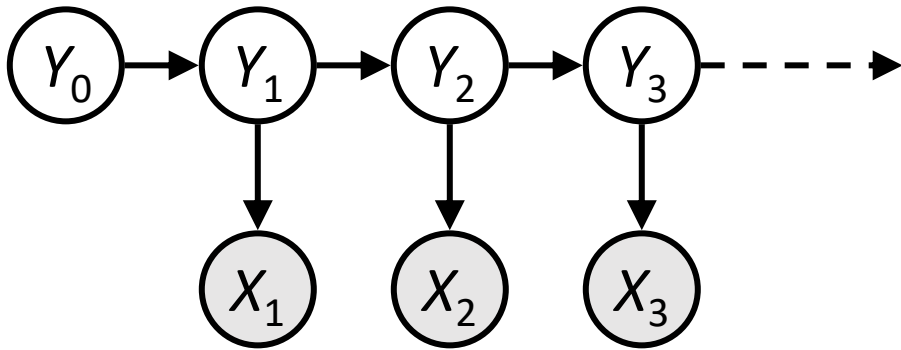
B. $\#(\text{start in state } a, \text{ end in state } b) / \#(\text{end in state } b)$

C. I have no idea

$\#()$ notation is the count of occurrences

HMM MLE

Estimate probabilities of categorical distributions



Parameters for:

Initial: $P(Y_0)$

Transition: $P(Y_t | Y_{t-1})$

Emission: $P(X_t | Y_t)$

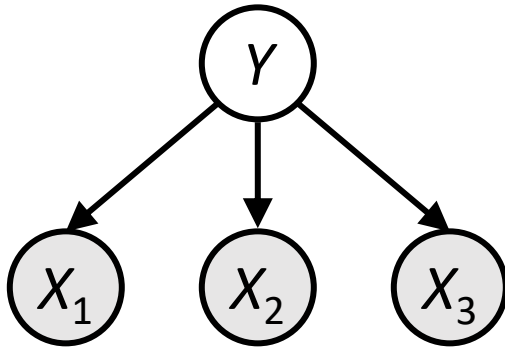
$|Y|$

$|Y|^2$

$|Y| \times |X|$

Reminder: Naïve Bayes MLE

SPAM: Bag of words, naïve Bayes



Parameters for:

Class prior: $P(Y)$ ϕ

Class conditional: $P(X_m | Y)$

$$\theta_{m,y=0}$$

$$\theta_{m,y=1}$$

Reminder: Naïve Bayes MLE

$$L(\phi, \Theta) = p(\mathcal{D} \mid \phi, \Theta)$$

$$= \prod_{n=1}^N p(\mathcal{D}^{(n)} \mid \phi, \Theta) \quad \text{i.i.d assumption}$$

$$= \prod_{n=1}^N p(y^{(n)}, \mathbf{x}^{(n)} \mid \phi, \Theta)$$

$$= \prod_{n=1}^N p(y^{(n)} \mid \phi) p(\mathbf{x}^{(n)} \mid y^{(n)}, \Theta) \quad \text{Generative model}$$

$$= \prod_{n=1}^N p(y^{(n)} \mid \phi) p(x_1^{(n)}, x_2^{(n)}, \dots, x_M^{(n)} \mid y^{(n)}, \Theta)$$

$$= \prod_{n=1}^N p(y^{(n)} \mid \phi) \prod_{m=1}^M p(x_m^{(n)} \mid y^{(n)}, \theta_{m,y}) \quad \text{Naïve Bayes}$$

$$= \prod_{n=1}^N \phi^{y^{(n)}} (1 - \phi)^{1-y^{(n)}} \prod_{m=1}^M \theta_{m,1}^{\mathbb{I}(y^{(n)}=1 \wedge x_m^{(n)}=1)} (1 - \theta_{m,1})^{\mathbb{I}(y^{(n)}=1 \wedge x_m^{(n)}=0)} \\ \theta_{m,0}^{\mathbb{I}(y^{(n)}=0 \wedge x_m^{(n)}=1)} (1 - \theta_{m,0})^{\mathbb{I}(y^{(n)}=0 \wedge x_m^{(n)}=0)}$$

$$= \phi^{N_{y=1}} (1 - \phi)^{N_{y=0}} \prod_{m=1}^M \theta_{m,1}^{N_{y=1, x_m=1}} (1 - \theta_{m,1})^{N_{y=1, x_m=0}} \theta_{m,0}^{N_{y=0, x_m=1}} (1 - \theta_{m,0})^{N_{y=0, x_m=0}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{D} &= \{y^{(n)}, \mathbf{x}^{(n)}\}_{n=1}^N \\ y^{(n)} &\in \{0,1\} \\ \mathbf{x}^{(n)} &\in \{0,1\}^M \\ \phi &\in [0,1] \\ \Theta &\in [0,1]^{M \times 2} \end{aligned}$$

Reminder: Naïve Bayes MLE


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$$\ell(\phi, \Theta) = \log p(\mathcal{D} \mid \phi, \Theta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= N_{y=1} \log \phi + N_{y=0} \log (1 - \phi) \\ &\quad + \sum_{m=1}^M N_{y=1,x_m=1} \log \theta_{m,1} + N_{y=1,x_m=0} \log (1 - \theta_{m,1}) \\ &\quad + \sum_{m=1}^M N_{y=0,x_m=1} \log \theta_{m,0} + N_{y=0,x_m=0} \log (1 - \theta_{m,0}) \end{aligned}$$

Optimization breaks down for each parameter:

- Set $\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \phi}$ equal to zero and solve: $\phi = \frac{N_{y=1}}{N_{y=1} + N_{y=0}} = \frac{N_{y=1}}{N}$ 
- Set $\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \theta_{m,1}}$ equal to zero and solve: $\theta_{m,1} = \frac{N_{y=1,x_m=1}}{N_{y=1,x_m=1} + N_{y=1,x_m=0}} = \frac{N_{y=1,x_m=1}}{N_{y=1}}$

HMM MLE

Categorical distributions

- Initial: $Y_0 \sim \text{Categorical}(\boldsymbol{\phi}_{\text{initial}})$, $y_0 \in \{1 \dots J\}$
- Transition (given $Y_t = y_t$): $Y_{t+1} \sim \text{Categorical}(\boldsymbol{\phi}_{\text{trans}, y_t})$, $y_{t+1} \in \{1 \dots J\}$
- Emission (given $Y_t = y_t$): $X_t \sim \text{Categorical}(\boldsymbol{\phi}_{\text{emiss}, y_t})$, $x_t \in \{1 \dots K\}$

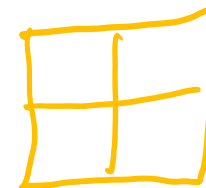
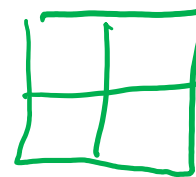
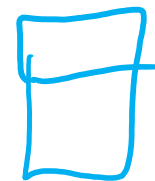
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(With Lagrange multiplier trick on constraint that each $\boldsymbol{\phi}$ vector sum to 1, $\sum_i \phi_i = 1$)

- Set $\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \phi_{\text{initial}, j}}$ equal to zero and solve: $\phi_{\text{initial}, j} = \frac{\#(Y_0=j)}{\sum_{i=1}^J \#(Y_0=i)} = \frac{\#(Y_0=j)}{N}$
- Set $\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \phi_{\text{trans}, y_t, j}}$ equal to zero and solve: $\phi_{\text{trans}, y_t, j} = \frac{\#(Y_{t+1}=j, Y_t=y_t)}{\sum_{i=1}^J \#(Y_{t+1}=i, Y_t=y_t)} = \frac{\#(Y_{t+1}=j, Y_t=y_t)}{\#(Y_t=y_t)}$
- Set $\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \phi_{\text{emiss}, y_t, k}}$ equal to zero and solve: $\phi_{\text{emiss}, y_t, k} = \frac{\#(X_t=k, Y_t=y_t)}{\sum_{i=1}^K \#(X_t=i, Y_t=y_t)} = \frac{\#(X_t=k, Y_t=y_t)}{\#(Y_t=y_t)}$

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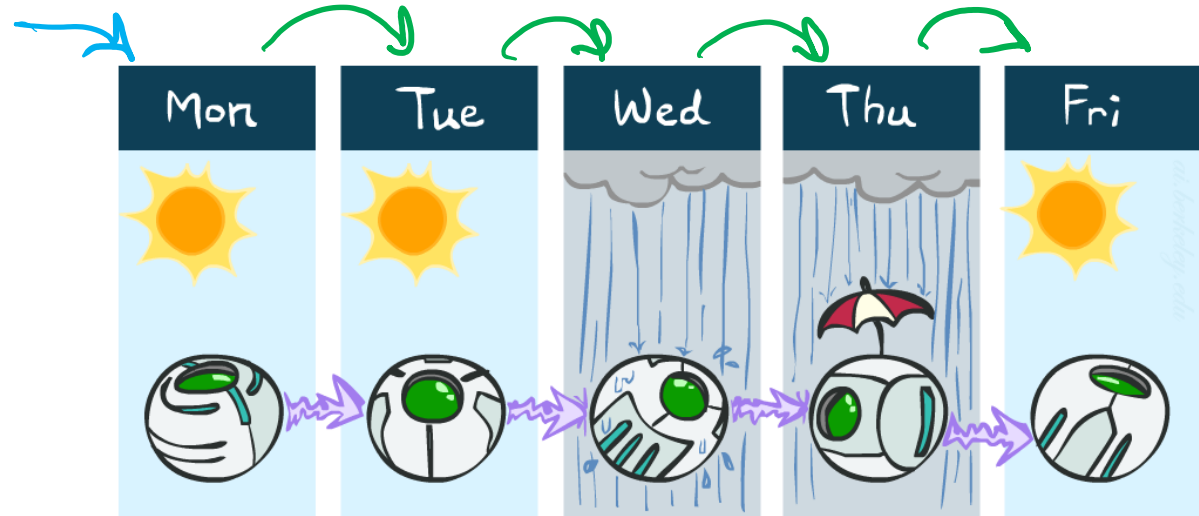
Example: Markov Chain Weather

States: $Y = \{\text{rain}, \text{sun}\}$

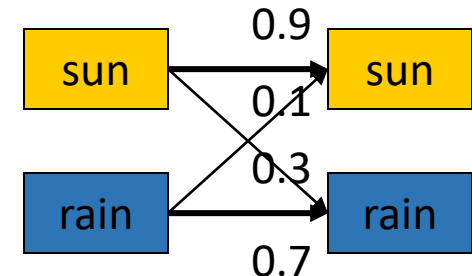
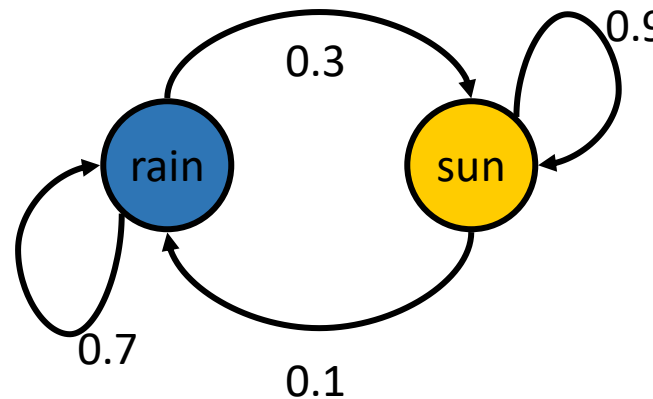
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Two other ways of representing the same CPT



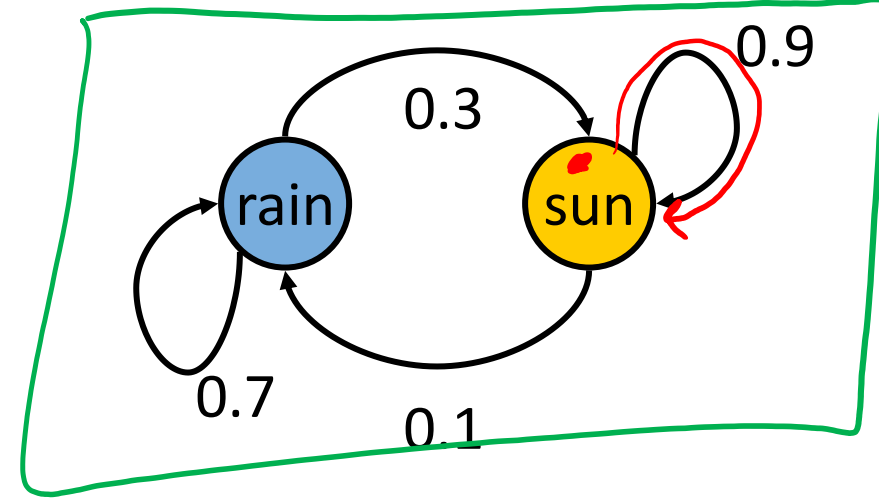
Example: Markov Chain Weather

Initial distribution: $P(Y_1 = \text{sun}) = 1.0$

$$P(Y_1 = \text{rain}) = 0.0$$

What is the probability distribution after one step?

$$P(Y_2 = \text{sun}) = ?$$

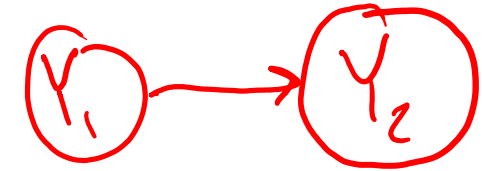
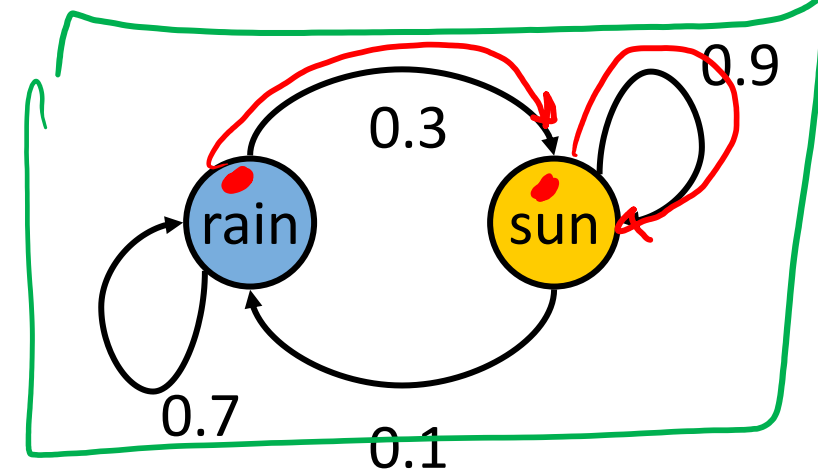


Example: Markov Chain Weather

Initial distribution: $P(Y_1 = \text{sun}) = 1.0$

What is the probability distribution after one step?

$$P(Y_2 = \text{sun}) = ?$$



$$\begin{aligned} \underline{P(Y_2 = \text{sun})} &= \sum_{y_1} P(Y_1 = y_1, Y_2 = \text{sun}) \\ &= \sum_{y_1} \underline{P(Y_2 = \text{sun} \mid Y_1 = y_1)} \underline{P(Y_1 = y_1)} \\ &= P(Y_2 = \text{sun} \mid Y_1 = \text{sun})P(Y_1 = \text{sun}) + \\ &\quad P(Y_2 = \text{sun} \mid Y_1 = \text{rain})P(Y_1 = \text{rain}) \\ &= \underline{0.9} \cdot \underline{1.0} + \underline{0.3} \cdot \underline{0.0} = \underline{0.9} \end{aligned}$$

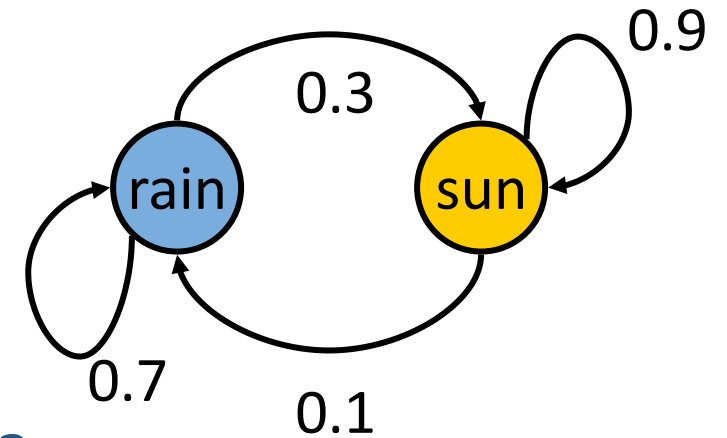
Piazza Poll 4

Initial distribution: $P(Y_2 = \text{sun}) = 0.9$

$$P(Y_2 = \text{rain}) = 0.1$$

What is the probability distribution after the next step?

$$P(Y_3 = \text{sun}) = ?$$



A) 0.81

☒ B) 0.84

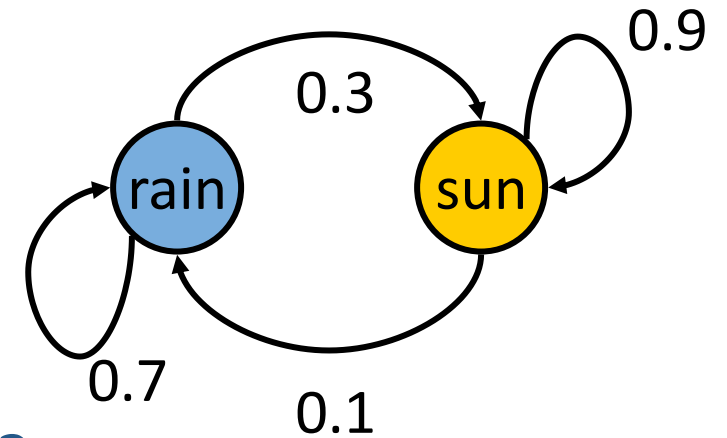
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E) 1.2

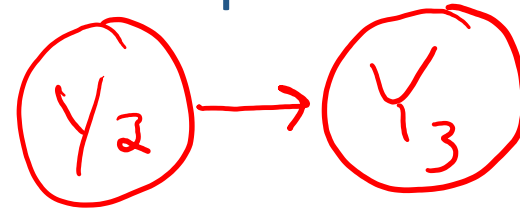
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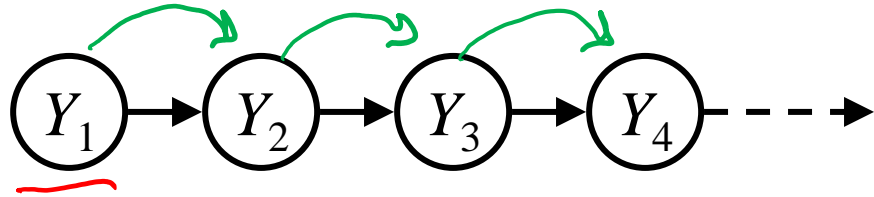
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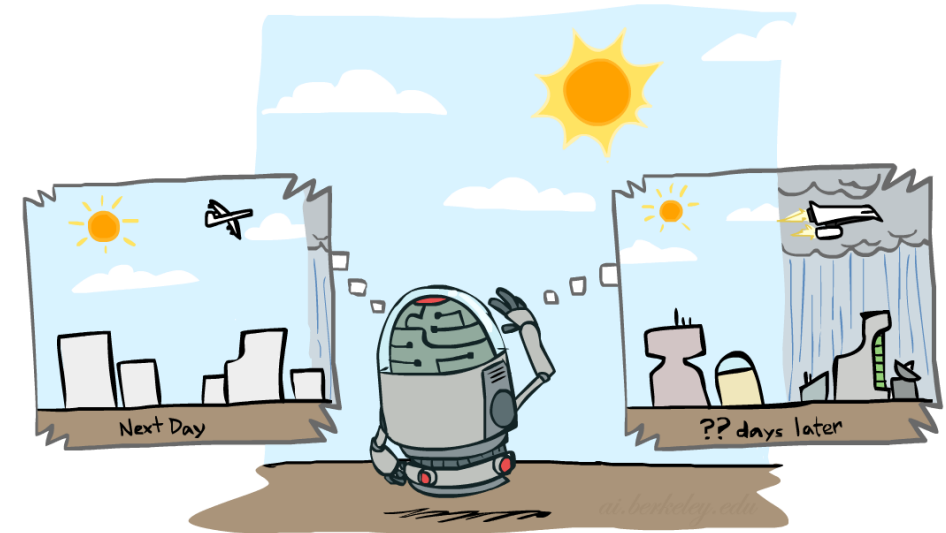
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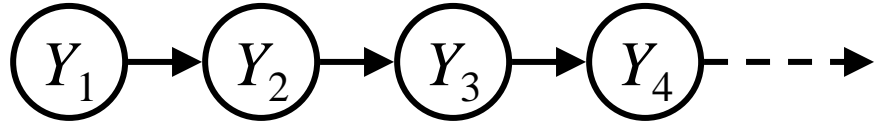
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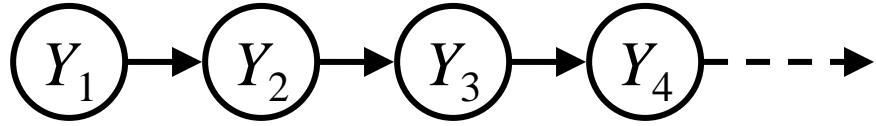


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$$\begin{aligned} P(Y_5) &= \sum_{y_4} P(y_4, Y_5) \\ &= \sum_{y_4} P(Y_5 \mid y_4) P(y_4) \end{aligned}$$

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$$Y_1 \rightarrow Y_2 \rightarrow Y_3 \rightarrow Y_4 \rightarrow Y_5$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(Y_5) &= \sum_{y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4} \underline{P(y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4, Y_5)} \\ &= \sum_{y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4} P(Y_5 \mid y_4) P(y_4 \mid y_3) P(y_3 \mid y_2) P(y_2 \mid y_1) P(y_1) \\ &= \sum_{y_4} P(Y_5 \mid y_4) \underbrace{\sum_{y_1, y_2, y_3} P(y_4 \mid y_3) P(y_3 \mid y_2) P(y_2 \mid y_1) P(y_1)}_{P(y_4)} \\ &= \sum_{y_4} P(Y_5 \mid y_4) \underbrace{\sum_{y_1, y_2, y_3} P(y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4)}_{P(y_4)} \\ &= \sum_{y_4} P(Y_5 \mid y_4) P(y_4) \end{aligned}$$

Example: Markov Chain Weather

States {rain, sun}

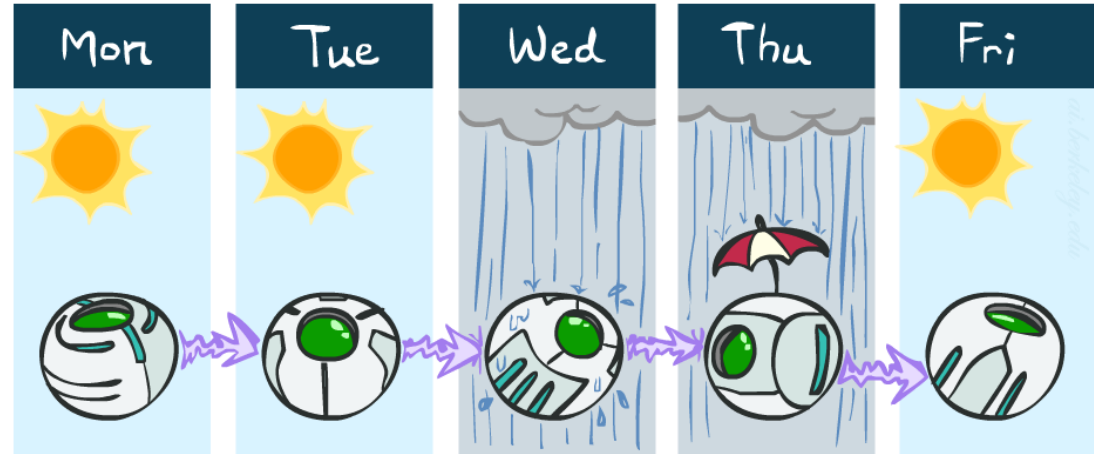
- Initial distribution $P(Y_0)$

$P(Y_0)$	
sun	rain
0.5	0.5

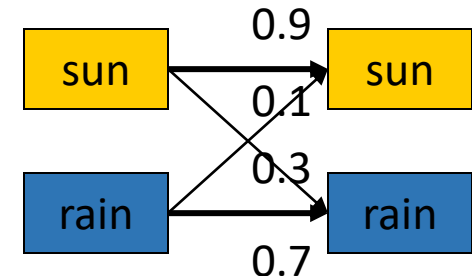
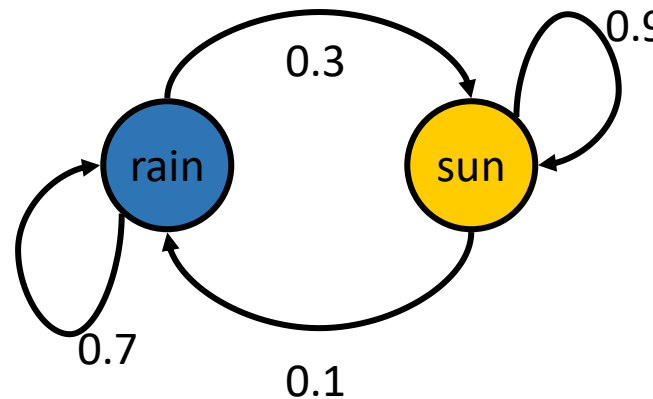
- Transition model $P(X_t | X_{t-1})$

Y_{t-1}	$P(Y_t Y_{t-1})$	
	sun	rain
sun	0.9	0.1
rain	0.3	0.7

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Two other ways of representing the same CPT



Weather prediction

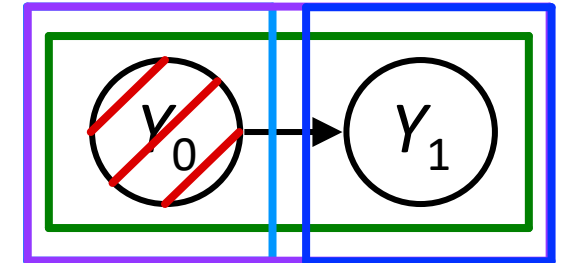
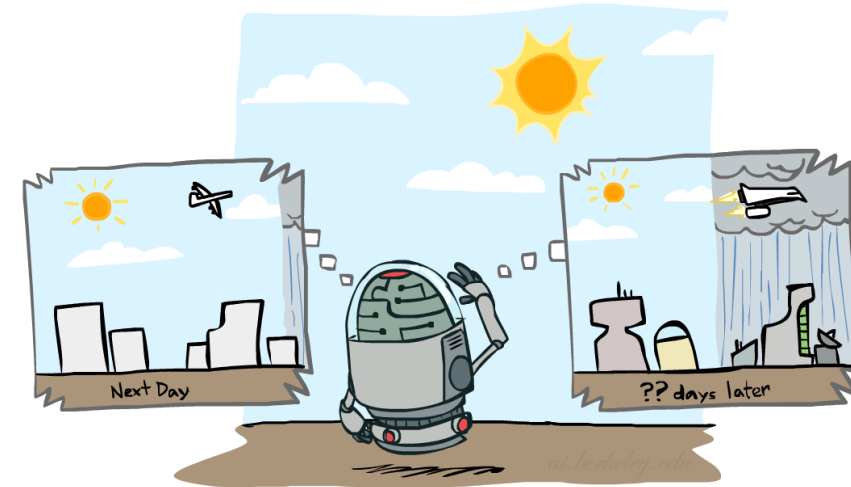
Time 0: $P(Y_0) = \langle 0.5, 0.5 \rangle$



Y_{t-1}	$P(Y_t Y_{t-1})$	
	sun	rain
sun	0.9	0.1
rain	0.3	0.7

What is the weather like at time 1?

$$\begin{aligned} P(Y_1) &= \sum_{y_0} P(Y_0=y_0, Y_1) \\ &= \sum_{y_0} P(Y_1 | Y_0=y_0) P(Y_0=y_0) \\ &= 0.5 \langle 0.9, 0.1 \rangle + 0.5 \langle 0.3, 0.7 \rangle \\ &= \langle 0.6, 0.4 \rangle \end{aligned}$$



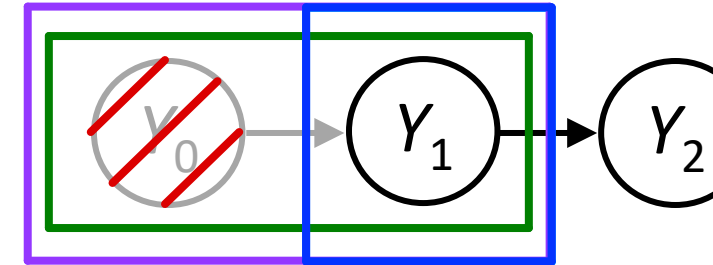
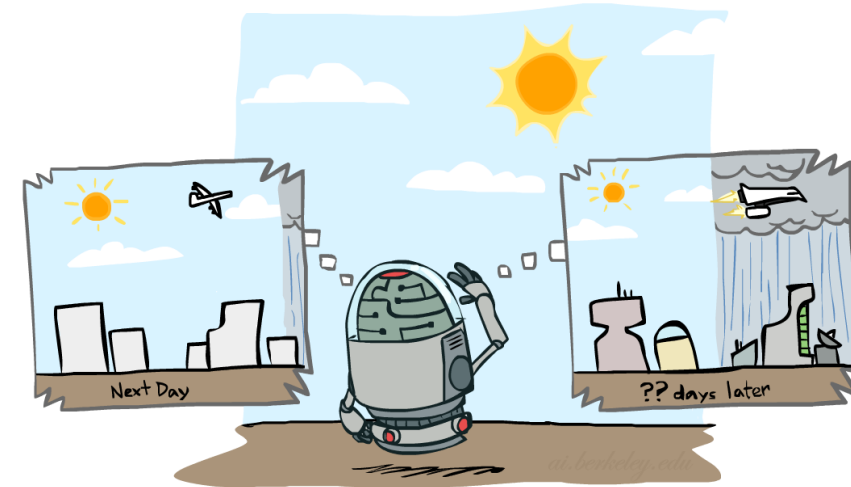
Weather prediction, contd.

Time 1: $P(Y_1) = \langle 0.6, 0.4 \rangle$

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	sun	rain
sun	0.9	0.1
rain	0.3	0.7

What is the weather like at time 2?

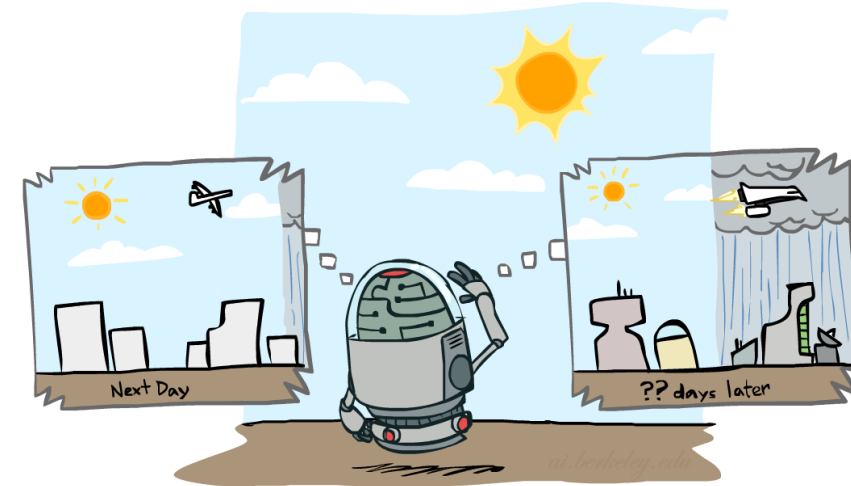
$$\begin{aligned} P(Y_2) &= \sum_{y_1} P(Y_1=y_1, Y_2) \\ &= \sum_{y_1} P(Y_2 | Y_1=y_1) P(Y_1=y_1) \\ &= 0.6 \langle 0.9, 0.1 \rangle + 0.4 \langle 0.3, 0.7 \rangle \\ &= \langle 0.66, 0.34 \rangle \end{aligned}$$



Weather prediction, contd.

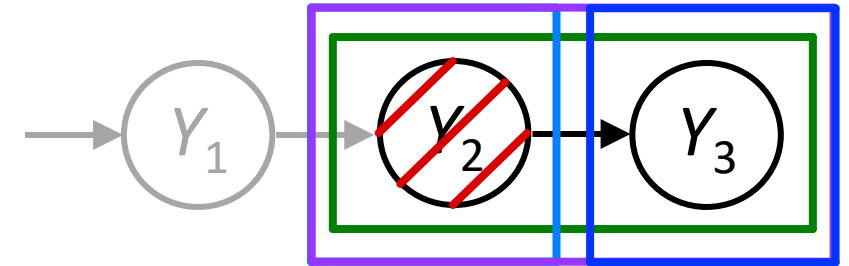
Time 2: $P(Y_2) = \langle 0.66, 0.34 \rangle$

Y_{t-1}	$P(Y_t Y_{t-1})$	
	sun	rain
sun	0.9	0.1
rain	0.3	0.7



What is the weather like at time 3?

$$\begin{aligned} P(Y_3) &= \sum_{y_2} P(Y_2=y_2, Y_3) \\ &= \sum_{y_2} P(Y_3 | Y_2=y_2) P(Y_2=y_2) \\ &= 0.66 \langle 0.9, 0.1 \rangle + 0.34 \langle 0.3, 0.7 \rangle \\ &= \langle 0.696, 0.304 \rangle \end{aligned}$$



Forward algorithm (simple form)

What is the state at time t ?

$$\begin{aligned} P(Y_t) &= \sum_{y_{t-1}} P(Y_{t-1}=y_{t-1}, Y_t) \\ &= \sum_{y_{t-1}} \underbrace{P(Y_t | Y_{t-1}=y_{t-1})}_{\text{Transition model}} \underbrace{P(Y_{t-1}=y_{t-1})}_{\text{Probability from previous iteration}} \end{aligned}$$

Iterate this update starting at $t=1$

Inference: Hidden Markov Models



HMM as Probability Model

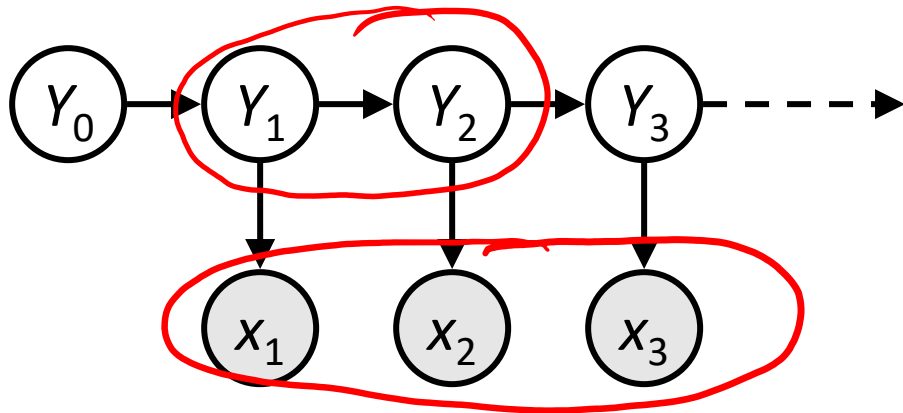
- Joint distribution for Markov model:

$$P(Y_0, \dots, Y_T) = P(Y_0) \prod_{t=1:T} P(Y_t | Y_{t-1})$$

- Joint distribution for hidden Markov model:

$$\rightarrow P(Y_0, Y_1, X_1, \dots, Y_T, X_T) = P(Y_0) \prod_{t=1:T} P(Y_t | Y_{t-1}) P(X_t | Y_t)$$

- Future states are independent of the past given the present
- Current evidence is independent of everything else given the current state
- Are evidence variables independent of each other?



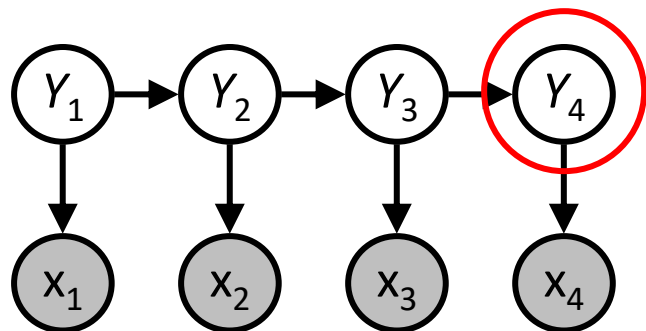
Notation alert!

Useful notation: $\underline{Y_{a:b}} = Y_a, Y_{a+1}, \dots, Y_b$

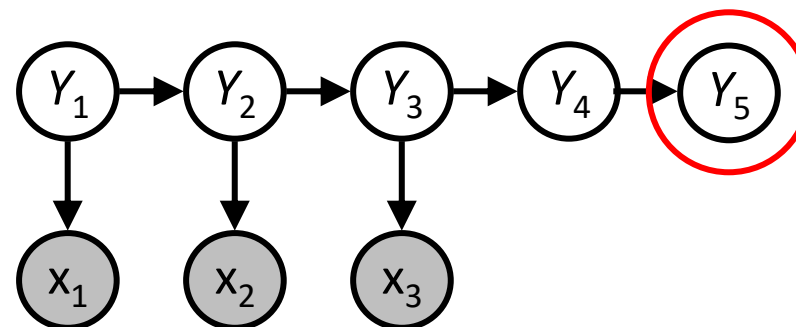
For example: $P(\underline{Y_{1:2}} | \underline{x_{1:3}}) = P(Y_1, Y_2, | x_1, x_2, x_3)$

HMM Queries

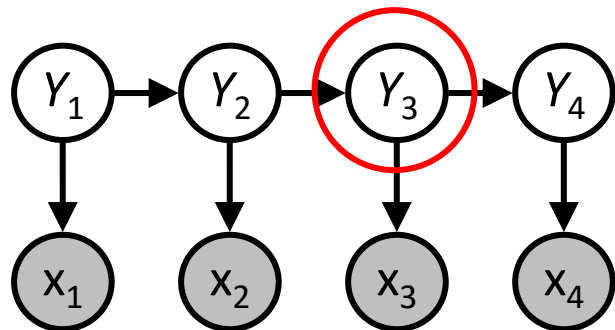
Filtering: $P(Y_t | x_{1:t})$



Prediction: $P(Y_{t+k} | x_{1:t})$



Smoothing: $P(Y_k | x_{1:t}), k < t$



Explanation: $P(Y_{1:t} | x_{1:t})$

