



# Inference with Graphical Models

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## Overview

- Query Types
- Complexity of answering queries
- Simple Inferences for chain, loop n/ws
- Variable Elimination

## Query I: Conditional Probability

- Given evidence:  $E=e$
- Query:  $Y$
- $P(Y=y|E=e) = P(Y=y, E=e) / P(E=e)$
- $P(Y=y, E=e) = \sum_w P(Y=y, E=e, w); W=X-Y-E$
- $P(E=e) = \sum_y P(Y=y, E=e)$

## Query II: Most Probable Explanation

- Given evidence:  $E=e$
- Find: most likely assignment to ALL non-evidence variables;  $W=X-E$
- $MPE(W|E=e) = \max_w P(w, E=e)$
- $MPE(A, W-A|E=e) \neq \max P(A|E=e)$

## Query III: Maximum A Posteriori

- Given evidence:  $E=e$
- Find: most likely assignment to only SOME non-evidence variables;  $Y=X-E-Z$
- $\text{MAP}(Y|E=e) = \max_y \sum_z P(y,z|E=e)$
- Non-monotonic:  
 $\text{MAP}(Y_1|E) \neq \text{MAP}(Y_1, Y_2|E=e)$
- General Case of MPE

## Summary

- Probability Query
  - Find:  $P(Y|E=e)$
- MPE
  - Find:  $\max_w P(w|E=e)$ ;  $W=X-E$
- MAP
  - Find:  $\max_y P(y|E=e)$ ;  $Y=X-E-Z$

## Complexity

Given BN  $\beta$  over  $X$ , where  $x \in \text{val}(X)$

- Probability Query

Decide:  $P(X=x) > 0$

NP-complete

Compute:  $P(X=x)$

#P-complete

- MPE:

If there exists  $x$  such that  $P(x) > \delta$

NP-complete

- MAP:

NP-hard

## #P (Sharp-P)

- NP problems:

are there any solutions that satisfy given constraints?

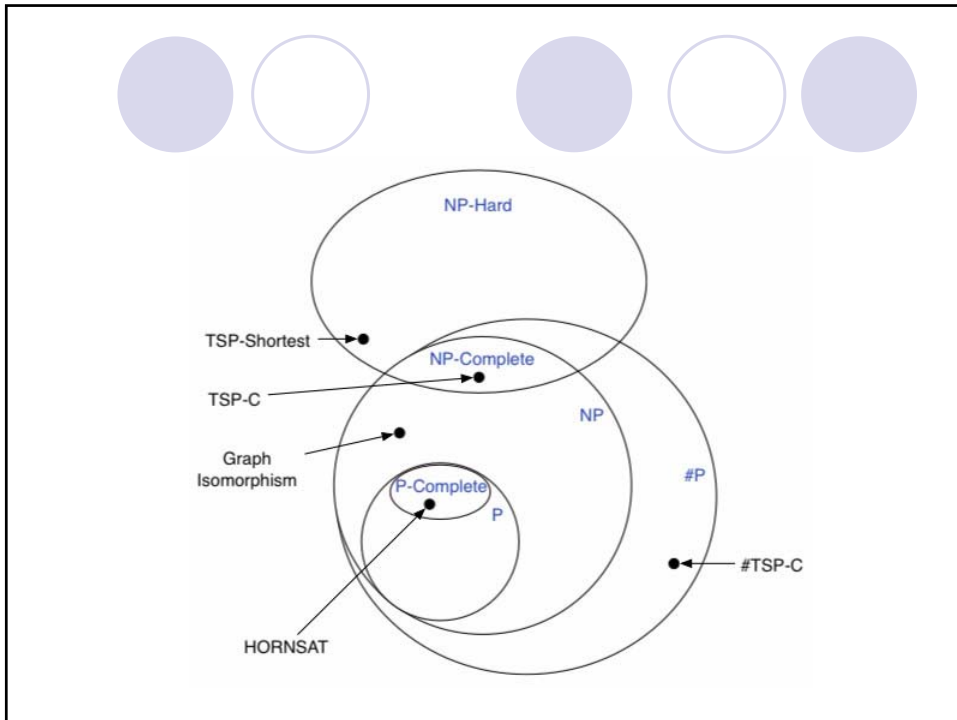
e.g. 3SAT problem, subset-sum problem

- #P

How many solutions?

e.g. how many solutions satisfy a CNF formula

how many subsets of set  $S$  add to  $T$

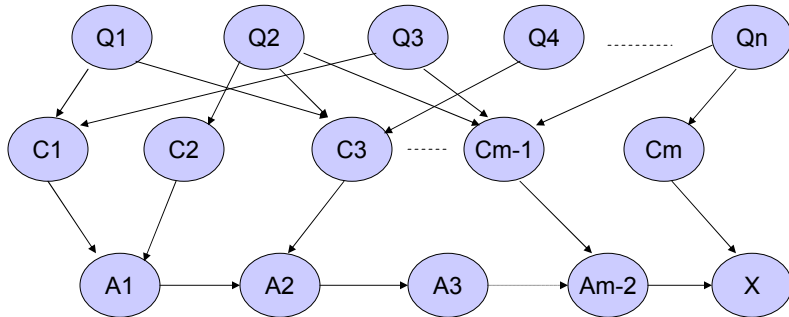


## Background (from wikipedia)

- **P**: solvable in polynomial time
- **P-complete**: subclass of P, which all problems in P can be reduced to in polynomial time
- **NP**: solution can be guessed or verified in polynomial time
- **NP-Hard**: every NP is reducible to, in poly-time
- **NP-complete**: subclass of NP which is NP-Hard  
if you solve a NP-complete problem in poly-time, you can solve all NP problems in poly-time

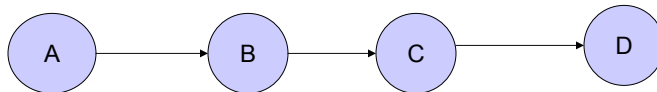
## Theorem 6.2.1

- Decision problem  $P(X=x) > 0$  is NP-complete



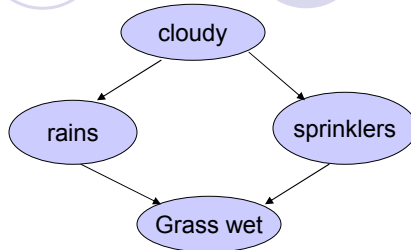
## Simple Chain

- $P(B) = \sum_a P(a) P(B|a)$
- $P(C) = \sum_b P(b) P(C|b)$



- $P(X_{i+1}) = \sum_{x_i} P(x_i) P(X_{i+1}|x_i)$  takes  $O(nk^2)$   
 $k^2$  multiplications,  $k(k-1)$  additions
- $P(X_n) = \sum_{x_{n-1}} \dots \sum_{x_2} \sum_{x_1} P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, X_n)$   
 takes  $O(k^n)$

# Loop



- $p(W) = \sum_c \sum_s \sum_r p(W|r,s) p(r|c) p(s|c) p(c)$
- $= \sum_s \sum_r p(W|r,s) \sum_c p(r|c) p(s|c) p(c)$
- $= \sum_s \sum_r p(W|r,s) \mathcal{I}(r,s)$
- $\neq \sum_s \sum_r p(W|r,s) p(r) p(s)$

# Factor Product

a1	b1	0.5
a1	b2	0.2
a2	b1	0.1
a2	b2	0.3
a3	b1	0.2
a3	b2	0.4

b1	c1	0.1
b1	c2	0.6
b2	c1	0.3
b2	c2	0.4

a1	b1	c1	0.5*0.1
a1	b1	c2	0.5*0.6
a1	b2	c1	0.2*0.3
a1	b2	c2	0.2*0.4
a2	b1	c1	0.1*0.1
a2	b1	c2	0.1*0.6
a2	b2	c1	0.3*0.3
a2	b2	c2	0.3*0.4
a3	b1	c1	0.2*0.1
a3	b1	c2	0.2*0.6
a3	b2	c1	0.4*0.3
a3	b2	c2	0.4*0.4

$$\vartheta(x,y,z) = \vartheta_1(x,y) \cdot \vartheta_2(y,z)$$

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a3	b1	0.2
a3	b2	0.4

b1	c1	0.1
b1	c2	0.6
b2	c1	0.3
b2	c2	0.4

a1	b1	c1	0.5*0.1
a1	b1	c2	0.5*0.6
a1	b2	c1	0.2*0.3
a1	b2	c2	0.2*0.4
a2	b1	c1	0.1*0.1
a2	b1	c2	0.1*0.6
a2	b2	c1	0.3*0.3
a2	b2	c2	0.3*0.4
a3	b1	c1	0.2*0.1
a3	b1	c2	0.2*0.6
a3	b2	c1	0.4*0.3
a3	b2	c2	0.4*0.4

$$\emptyset(x,y,z) = \emptyset1(x,y) \cdot \emptyset2(y,z)$$

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a1	b2	0.2
a2	b1	0.1
a2	b2	0.3
a3	b1	0.2
a3	b2	0.4

b1	c1	0.1
b1	c2	0.6
b2	c1	0.3
b2	c2	0.4

a1	b1	c1	0.5*0.1
a1	b1	c2	0.5*0.6
a1	b2	c1	0.2*0.3
a1	b2	c2	0.2*0.4
a2	b1	c1	0.1*0.1
a2	b1	c2	0.1*0.6
a2	b2	c1	0.3*0.3
a2	b2	c2	0.3*0.4
a3	b1	c1	0.2*0.1
a3	b1	c2	0.2*0.6
a3	b2	c1	0.4*0.3
a3	b2	c2	0.4*0.4

$$\emptyset(x,y,z) = \emptyset1(x,y) \cdot \emptyset2(y,z)$$



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a2	b2	0.3
a3	b1	0.2
a3	b2	0.4

b1	c1	0.1
b1	c2	0.6
b2	c1	0.3
b2	c2	0.4

a1	b1	c1	0.5*0.1
a1	b1	c2	0.5*0.6
a1	b2	c1	0.2*0.3
a1	b2	c2	0.2*0.4
a2	b1	c1	0.1*0.1
a2	b1	c2	0.1*0.6
a2	b2	c1	0.3*0.3
a2	b2	c2	0.3*0.4
a3	b1	c1	0.2*0.1
a3	b1	c2	0.2*0.6
a3	b2	c1	0.4*0.3
a3	b2	c2	0.4*0.4

$$\phi(x,y,z) = \phi_1(x,y) \cdot \phi_2(y,z)$$

# Factor Marginalization

a1	b1	c1	0.2
a1	b1	c2	0.35
a1	b2	c1	0.4
a1	b2	c2	0.15
a2	b1	c1	0.5
a2	b1	c2	0.1
a2	b2	c1	0.3
a2	b2	c2	0.2
a3	b1	c1	0.25
a3	b1	c2	0.45
a3	b2	c1	0.15
a3	b2	c2	0.25

a1	c1	0.6
a1	c2	0.5
a2	c1	0.8
a2	c2	0.3
a3	c1	0.4
a3	c2	0.7

$$\phi(x) = \sum_y \phi(x,y)$$

## Properties

- Commutative

- $\varnothing 1. \varnothing 2 = \varnothing 2. \varnothing 1$

- $\sum_x \sum_y \varnothing = \sum_y \sum_x \varnothing$

- Associative

- $(\varnothing 1. \varnothing 2). \varnothing 3 = \varnothing 1. (\varnothing 2. \varnothing 3)$

- $\sum_x \varnothing 1 \varnothing 2 = \varnothing 1 \sum_x \varnothing 2$  if  $x \notin \text{scope}[\varnothing 1]$

## Variable Elimination

- $p(d) = \sum_c \sum_b \sum_a p(a, b, c, d)$

- $= \sum_c \sum_b \sum_a \varnothing_a \varnothing_b \varnothing_c \varnothing_d$

- ...assuming

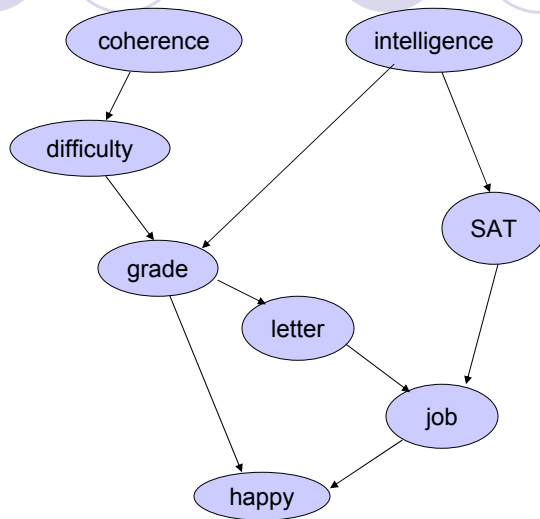
- scope[ $\varnothing_a$ ]={a}, scope[ $\varnothing_b$ ]={a,b}, scope[ $\varnothing_c$ ]={b,c}

- scope[ $\varnothing_d$ ]={c,d}

- $= \sum_c \sum_b \varnothing_c \varnothing_d \sum_a \varnothing_a \varnothing_b$

- $= \sum_c \varnothing_d \sum_b \varnothing_c \sum_a \varnothing_a \varnothing_b$

# Sum-Product



# Cont...

$$p(c,d,i,g,l,s,j,h)$$

$$= p(c) p(i) p(d|c) p(g|i,d) p(s|i) p(l|g) p(j|l,s) p(h|g,j)$$

$$= \emptyset(c) \emptyset(i) \emptyset(d,c) \emptyset(g,i,d) \emptyset(s,i) \emptyset(l,g) \emptyset(j,l,s) \emptyset(h,g,j)$$

Cont...

$$p(J) = \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \sum_h \sum_i \sum_d \sum_c \varnothing(c) \varnothing(i) \varnothing(d,c) \varnothing(g,i,d) \\ \varnothing(s,i) \varnothing(l,g) \varnothing(j,l,s) \varnothing(h,g,j)$$

Eliminating c,

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \sum_h \sum_i \sum_d \varnothing(i) \varnothing(g,i,d) \varnothing(s,i) \varnothing(l,g) \varnothing(j,l,s) \\ \varnothing(h,g,j) \sum_c \varnothing(c) \varnothing(d,c)$$

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \sum_h \sum_i \sum_d \varnothing(i) \varnothing(g,i,d) \varnothing(s,i) \varnothing(l,g) \varnothing(j,l,s) \\ \varnothing(h,g,j) \tau(d)$$

Cont...

Eliminating d,

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \sum_h \sum_i \varnothing(i) \varnothing(s,i) \varnothing(l,g) \varnothing(j,l,s) \varnothing(h,g,j) \\ \sum_d \tau(d) \varnothing(g,i,d)$$

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \sum_h \sum_i \varnothing(i) \varnothing(s,i) \varnothing(l,g) \varnothing(j,l,s) \varnothing(h,g,j) \\ \tau(g,i)$$

Eliminating i,

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \sum_h \varnothing(l,g) \varnothing(j,l,s) \varnothing(h,g,j) \sum_i \varnothing(i) \varnothing(s,i) \\ \tau(g,i)$$

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \sum_h \varnothing(l,g) \varnothing(j,l,s) \varnothing(h,g,j) \tau(s,g)$$

Cont...

Eliminating h,

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \phi(l,g) \phi(j,l,s) \tau(s,g) \sum_h \phi(h,g,j)$$

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \sum_g \phi(l,g) \phi(j,l,s) \tau(s,g) \tau(g,j)$$

Eliminating g,

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \phi(j,l,s) \sum_g \phi(l,g) \tau(s,g) \tau(g,j)$$

$$= \sum_l \sum_s \phi(j,l,s) \tau(l,s,j)$$

Eliminating s,

$$= \sum_l \tau(j,l)$$

Eliminating l,

$$= \tau(j)$$

## Restricted Factors - when given evidence

- Used for calculating conditional prob. queries

$$P(Y'|U = u) = \frac{P(Y', U = u)}{P(U = u)} = \frac{P(Y', U = u)}{\sum_y P(Y' = y, U = u)}$$

- Notation:  $\phi_{|U=u}(Y') = \phi(Y', u)$  where  $Y' = Y - U$

- Student Example revisited:

- $P(C, D, I, G, S, L, H)$

$$= \phi(C) \phi(I) \phi(D, C) \phi(G, I, D) \phi(S, I) \phi(L, G) \phi(J, L, S) \phi(H, G, J)$$

- Given  $I=i, H=h,$

$$P(C, D, I=i, G, S, L, J, H=h)$$

$$= \phi(C) \phi_{|I=i}(D) \phi(D, C) \phi_{|I=i}(G, D) \phi_{|I=i}(S) \phi(L, G) \phi(J, L, S) \phi_{|H=h}(G, J)$$