

Bayesian Network (Directed G.M)

Probabilistic Graphical Model $\begin{cases} \text{Markov Random Field (Undirected G.M)} \\ \text{Factor Graphs.} \end{cases}$

Graph Separation

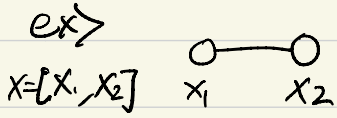
Graph

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Factorization

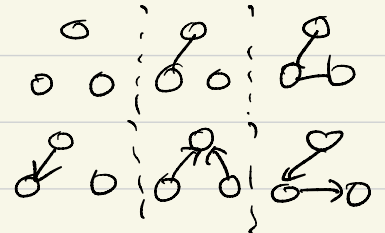
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Conditional Independence



$$P(X_1, X_2)$$

none



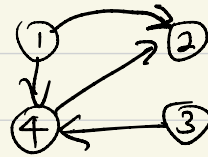
$$P(X_1) P(X_2)$$

$X_1 \perp\!\!\!\perp X_2$

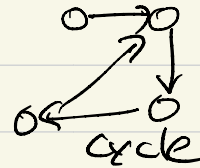
* Directed Graphical Models

Def. Directed Acyclic Graphs (DAG) $G = (V, E)$

- $V = \{1, \dots, n\}$ set of nodes
- $E = \{ (1, 2), (4, 2), (3, 4), (1, 4) \}$ set of directed edges
 $(1, 2) \neq (2, 1)$



no cycle



cycle

- Parent set of node i : $\pi_i \triangleq \{j \in V \mid (j, i) \in E\}$

Directed Graphical Model on a DAG $G = (V, E)$ is a family of distributions on $X = [X_1, \dots, X_n]$ that factorizes as

$$P(X_1, \dots, X_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_i(X_i, X_{\pi_i})$$

$$f_i: \mathcal{X}^{|\pi_i|+1} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$$

s.t. $\sum_{x_i \in \mathcal{X}} f_i(x_i, X_{\pi_i}) = 1$

$$X_{\pi_i} \triangleq \{X_j \mid j \in \pi_i\}$$

$P(\cdot | X_{\pi_i})$: PMF

Claim: $f_i(X_i, X_{\pi_i}) = P(X_i | X_{\pi_i})$

I could of said

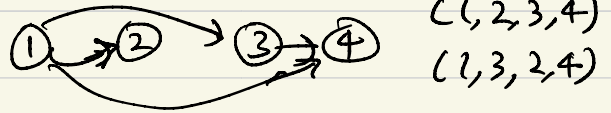
w.l.o.g.

Z_i is a disc R.V

suppose that $G=(V,E)$ has a topological ordering of $(1, 2, \dots, n)$.

$$P_{Z_i}(Z_i) = P(Z_i = z_i)$$

$\cong (i, j) \Rightarrow i < j$



$$(1) P(X_i^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_i(X_i, X_{\pi_i})$$

$$(2) P(X_i^{n-1}) = \sum_{X_n \in X} P(X_i^n) \stackrel{\text{Topological ordering}}{=} \left(\sum_{X_n \in X} f_n(X_n, X_{\pi_n}) \right) \times \prod_{i=1}^{n-1} f_i(X_i, X_{\pi_i}) = \prod_{i=1}^{n-1} f_i(X_i, X_{\pi_i})$$

$$f_n(X_n, X_{\pi_n}) = \frac{P(X_i^n)}{P(X_i^{n-1})} \stackrel{?}{=} P(X_n | X_i^{n-1}) \stackrel{?}{=} \underline{P(X_n | X_{\pi_n})}$$

↑ depends only on X_n, X_{π_n}

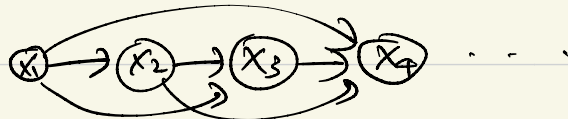
by induction for rest. \square

Directed Graphical Models encode Bayes rule (=chain rule)

• chain rule: for any $P(X)$ & any ordering $(1, \dots, n)$

$$P(X) = P(X_1) P(X_2 | X_1) P(X_3 | X_1, X_2) \dots P(X_n | X_1^{n-1})$$

\Rightarrow any $P(X)$ can be represented by a complete DAG
all pairs connected



Q. What independence does a DAG (not complete) encode?

ex)

$P(X_1) P(X_2 | X_1) P(X_3 | X_1, X_2)$

dense \emptyset
complex
unstructured

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

$X_3 \perp\!\!\!\perp X_2 | X_1$

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

$X_3 \perp\!\!\!\perp X_2 | X_1$

$P(X_2) P(X_3) P(X_1 | X_2, X_3)$

$X_3 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_1, X_2)$

$P(X_1) P(X_2) P(X_3)$

all mutually indep.

$X_2 \perp\!\!\!\perp X_3$

Simple sparse structured

* Markov Property of Directed Graphical Models.

1. Directed ordered Markov Property

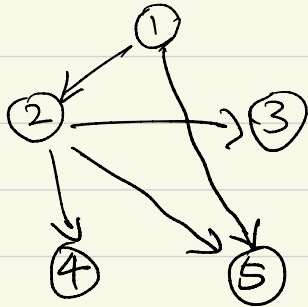
given a DAG $G=(V,E)$, and $(1,2,\dots,n)$

$$X_i \perp\!\!\!\perp X_{Pr_i \setminus \pi_i} \mid X_{\pi_i}$$

↑
see minus

$Pr_i \cong$ nodes before i
in the ordering.

proof > Chainrule \square .



ordering
(1, 3, 4, 5)

$$X_3 \perp\!\!\!\perp X_1 \mid X_2$$

$$X_4 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_1, X_3) \mid X_2$$

$$X_5 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_3, X_4) \mid (X_1, X_2)$$

ordering
(1, 2, 4, 5, 3)

$$X_3 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_1, X_4, X_5) \mid X_2$$

⋮

2. Directed local Markov Property

$$X_i \perp\!\!\!\perp X_{nd_i \setminus \pi_i} \mid X_{\pi_i}$$

$nd_i \cong$ non-descendants
set of nodes not
reachable from i by
following the direction paths

$$X_1 \emptyset$$

$$X_2 \emptyset$$

$$X_3 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_1, X_4, X_5) \mid X_2$$

0,1 ← PROGRAM(A,B,C,G)
Bayes Ball Algorithm

more generally we want to answer if

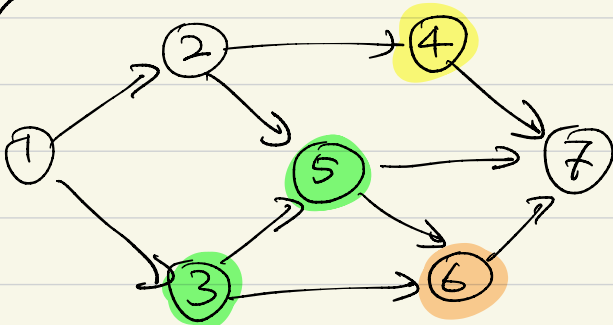
$$A = \{4\}$$

$$B = \{3, 5\}$$

$$C = \{6\}$$

$$X_A \perp\!\!\!\perp X_C \mid X_B$$

ex>



3. Directed Global Markov Property.

for any $A, B, C \subseteq V$

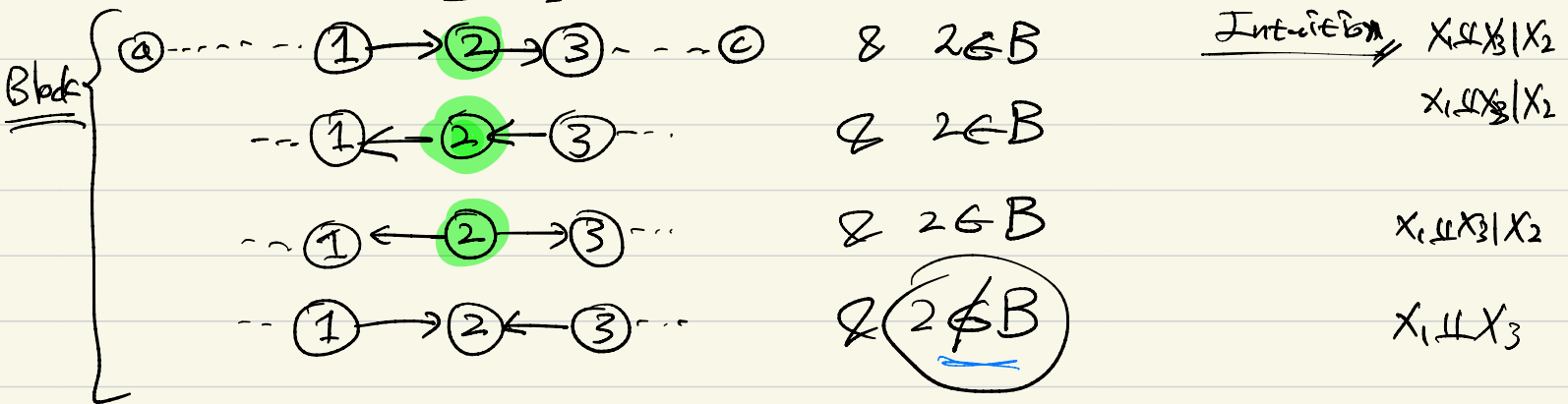
$X_A \perp\!\!\!\perp X_C \mid X_B$ if A is d-separated from C w.r.t B .

Def. $A \subseteq V$ is d-separated from C w.r.t B if every path between any node $a \in A$ & $c \in C$ is blocked (by B).

• Path: $a - p_1 - p_2 - \dots - p_k - c$ that does not repeat any node
either $(a, p_1) \in E$ or $(p_k, c) \in E$

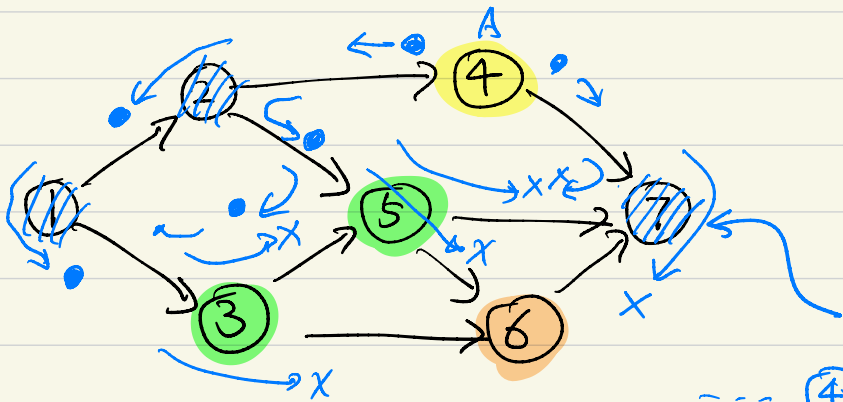
• Walk: can repeat nodes.

• a path is blocked if somewhere in the path \exists 3 nodes s.t.

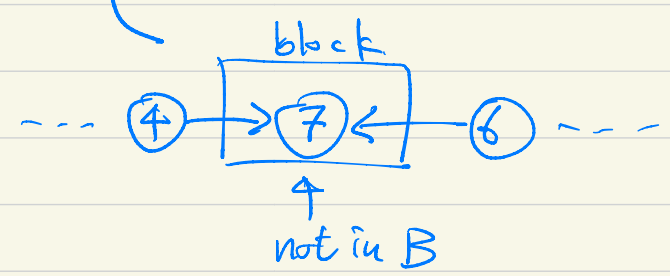


* Bayes ball algorithm identifies conditional independence

$$X_A \perp\!\!\!\perp X_C \mid X_B$$



$A = \{4\}$
 $B = \{3, 5\}$
 $C = \{6\}$



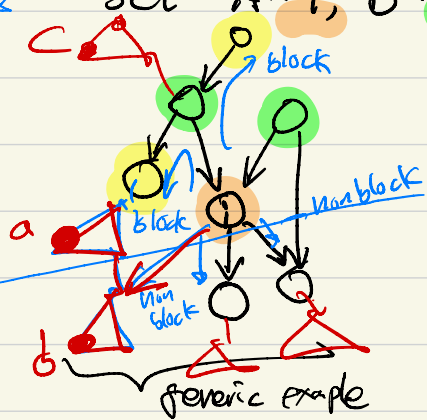
Theorem. the following are equivalent.

- a) $P(x)$ factorizes according to a DAG $G=(V,E)$
- b) $P(x)$ satisfies the directed global Markov property.
- c) $P(x)$ satisfies the directed local Markov property

Proof. $b) \Rightarrow c)$

set $A=i, B=\pi_i, C=nd_i \setminus \pi_i$

$c \perp\!\!\!\perp i \mid \pi_i$
 $a \perp\!\!\!\perp i \mid \pi_i$
 $b \not\perp\!\!\!\perp i \mid \pi_i$



$$X_A \perp\!\!\!\perp X_C \mid X_B$$

directed ordered M.P
 only has ordering

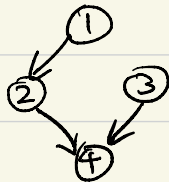
$c) \Rightarrow a)$ any topological ordering. $(1, \dots, n)$

$$P(x) \stackrel{\text{chain}}{=} \prod_i P_i(x_i \mid x_{1:i-1}) \stackrel{\text{local M.P}}{=} \prod_i P_i(x_i \mid x_{\pi_i})$$

Separate PDF.

$a) \Rightarrow b)$ uses induction (separate note)

let $I(G)$ is the set of all C.I. implied by $G=(V,E)$



$$I(G) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} X_3 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_1, X_2) \\ X_1 \perp\!\!\!\perp X_4 \mid (X_2, X_3) \end{array} \right\}$$

let $I(P)$ is the set of all C.I. implied by the factorization of $P(x)$

consider indep $Z_1, Z_2 \sim \text{Bern}(1/3)$

let $X_1 = Z_1, X_2 = Z_1, X_3 = Z_2, X_4 = X_2 \oplus X_3 \Rightarrow P(x^4)$

$$I(P) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} X_3 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_1, X_2) \\ X_1 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_3, X_4) \mid X_2 \\ X_2 \perp\!\!\!\perp (X_3, X_4) \mid X_1 \end{array} \right\}$$

R1. $\exists P(x)$ s.t. no DAG G satisfy $I(G) = I(P)$

proof $\left. \begin{array}{l} x_1 = x_2 \\ x_3 = x_1 + x_2 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} x_1 \perp\!\!\!\perp x_3 \mid x_2 \\ x_2 \perp\!\!\!\perp x_3 \mid x_1 \end{array} \right\} I(P)$

R2. $\forall G, \exists P$ s.t. $I(P) = I(G)$.

R3. $\exists G_1 \neq G_2$ s.t. $I(G_1) = I(G_2)$



Def. G is a perfect map for $P(x)$ if $I(P) = I(G)$

Def. G is an I-map for $P(x)$ if $I(G) \subseteq I(P)$

Def. G is a minimal I-map of $P(x)$ if
remove any edge in G results in
 G no longer being an I-map

R4. minimal I-map is not unique.

- different ordering of variables
- even with the same ordering, ^{minimal} I-map is not unique.

proof $\left. \begin{array}{l} x_1 = x_2 \\ x_3 = x_1 + x_2 \end{array} \right\}$

