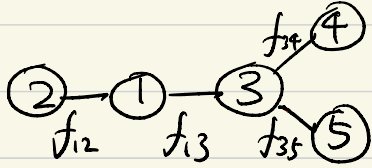


\* Elimination Algorithm on a tree T.

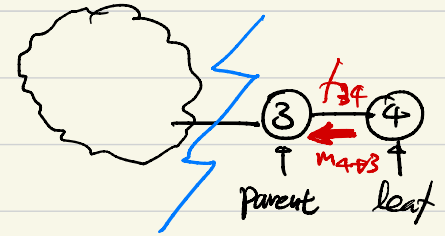
- Message-passing on T
- Parallelized
- Messages can be reused

⇒ Sum-Product Algorithm.



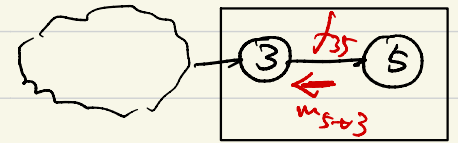
elimination ordering (4, 5, 3, 2, 1).

$$P(X_1) = \sum_{X_2, X_3, X_5} f_{12} \cdot f_{13} \cdot f_{35} \underbrace{\sum_{X_4} f_{34}(X_3, X_4)}_{M_{4 \rightarrow 3}(X_3) \text{ message/belief}}$$



meaning:  
If the whole graph  $\textcircled{3}-\textcircled{4}$   
then  $M_{4 \rightarrow 3}(X_3) \propto P(X_3)$

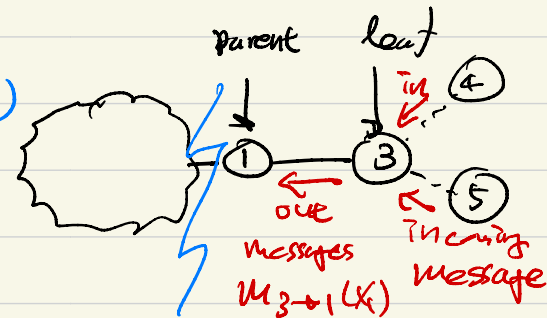
$$= \sum_{X_2, X_3} f_{12} \cdot f_{13} \cdot M_{4 \rightarrow 3}(X_3) \cdot \underbrace{\sum_{X_5} f_{35}(X_3, X_5)}_{M_{5 \rightarrow 3}(X_3)}$$



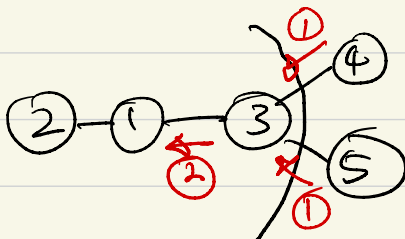
• note that  $M_{5 \rightarrow 3}(X_3)$  &  $M_{4 \rightarrow 3}(X_3)$  can be computed in parallel

$$= \sum_{X_2} f_{12} \cdot \underbrace{\sum_{X_3} f_{13}(X_2, X_3) \cdot M_{5 \rightarrow 3}(X_3) \cdot M_{4 \rightarrow 3}(X_3)}_{M_{3 \rightarrow 2}(X_2)}$$

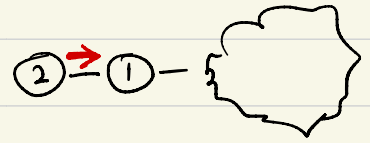
\* for  $\tilde{G}$   $\rightarrow P(X_1) \propto M_{3 \rightarrow 1}(X_1)$



\*  $M_{3 \rightarrow 1}$  requires  $M_{5 \rightarrow 3}, M_{4 \rightarrow 3}$



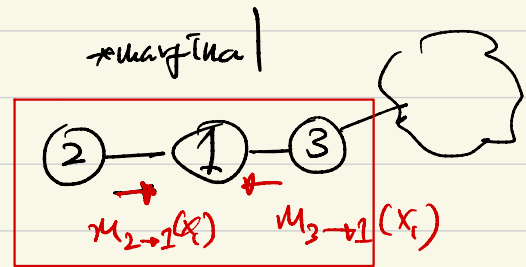
$$= \frac{1}{\sum_{x_1} m_{3 \rightarrow 1}(x_1)} \cdot \underbrace{\sum_{x_2} f_{c2}(x_1, x_2)}_{m_{2 \rightarrow 1}(x_1)}$$



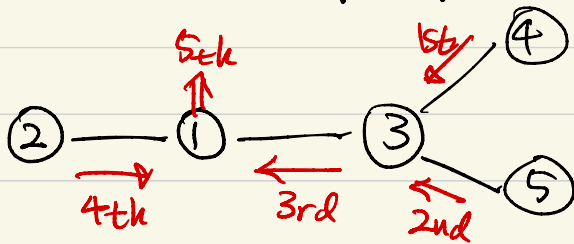
$$= \frac{1}{\sum_{x_1} m_{3 \rightarrow 1}(x_1) \cdot m_{2 \rightarrow 1}(x_1)}$$

$m_i(x_i)$  : marginal

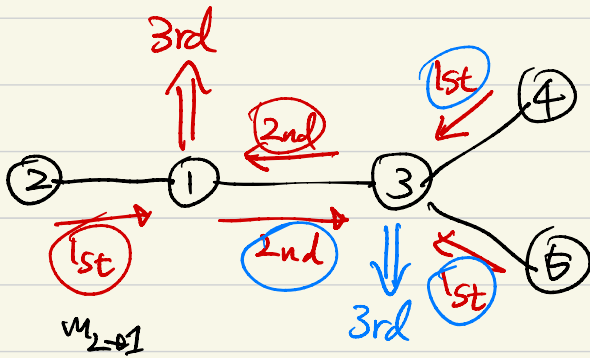
$$P(x_i) = \frac{m_i(x_i)}{\sum_{x_i'} m_i(x_i')}$$



\* Message Passing algorithm on a graph.



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

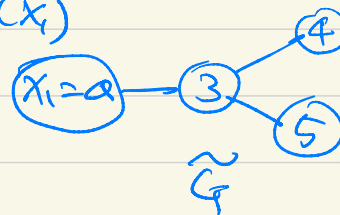


• all the messages can be reused for computing other marginals.

if you want  $P(x_1)$  &  $P(x_3)$ , for example.

\* Decimation:  $P(x_i) \rightarrow P(x_i | x_i = a)$

compute  $P(x_i, x_j) \rightarrow P(x_i)$



$$\rightarrow \tilde{P}(x_j) = P(x_j | x_j = a)$$

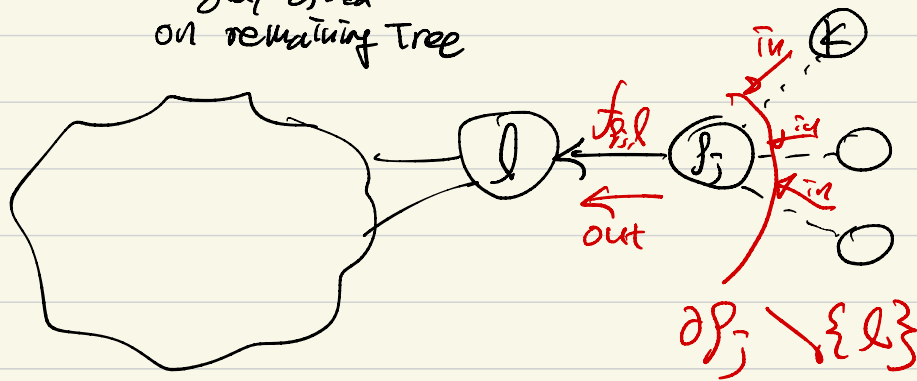
$\tilde{G}$

# \* Serial Elimination Algorithm on Tree for $P(X_i)$

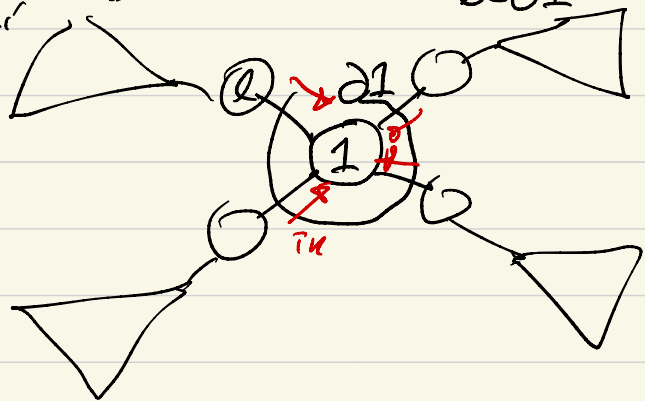
- ordering  $\beta = (\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n = X_1)$  s.t any node is a leaf on remaining graph
- for  $j=1 \dots, n$  do

$$M_{\beta_j \rightarrow \beta_j}(X_{\beta_j}) = \sum_{X_{\beta_j}} f_{\beta_j, \beta_j}(X_{\beta_j}, X_{\beta_j}) \cdot \prod_{K \in \partial \beta_j \setminus \{\beta_j\}} M_{K \rightarrow \beta_j}(X_{\beta_j})$$

$M_{\beta_j \rightarrow \beta_j}$  is a leaf  
 $\beta_j$  is the parent of  $\beta_j$   
 $\beta_j$  is uniquely defined on remaining tree



in the end.  $P(X_i) = \frac{m_i(X_i)}{\sum_{X_i} m_i(X_i)}$ ,  $m_i(X_i) = \prod_{l \in \partial 1} M_{l \rightarrow 1}(X_i)$



\* Sum-Product Algorithm = Belief Propagation.

- applied to any  $G$  non-tree.

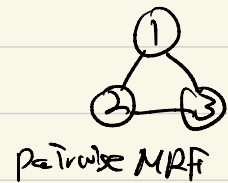
- only for pairwise MRF

- Exact if  $G$  is a tree, good approx if  $G$  is non-tree

HW2.

Def. Pairwise MRF on  $G = (V, E)$  is defined as

$$P(x) = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{(i,j) \in E} f_{ij}(x_i, x_j)$$



general MRF  
 $f(x_1, x_2, x_3)$

$\neq$

$$P(x) = \frac{1}{Z} f_{12}(x_1, x_2) f_{13}(x_1, x_3) \times f_{23}(x_2, x_3)$$

\* Sum-Product Algorithm

- Input:  $G = (V, E)$ ,  $\{f_{ij}(x_i, x_j)\}_{(i,j) \in E}$ ,  $\mathcal{X}$ ,  $T$ : # of iterations

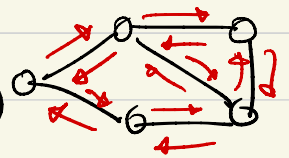
- Output:  $\{\hat{P}(x_i)\}_{i=1}^n$

- Initialize messages:  $\{m_{i \rightarrow j}(x_j), m_{j \rightarrow i}(x_i)\}_{(i,j) \in E} \stackrel{\text{Random}}{=} \mathbb{I}$

- for  $t=1, \dots, T$

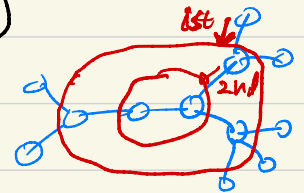
for all  $(i,j) \in E$  &  $(j,i) \in E$

• update 
$$m_{i \rightarrow j}(x_j) = \sum_{x_i} f_{ij}(x_i, x_j) \cdot \prod_{k \in \partial i \setminus \{j\}} m_{k \rightarrow i}(x_i)$$



- for all  $i \in V$ :  $m_i(x_i) = \prod_{k \in \partial i} m_{k \rightarrow i}(x_i)$

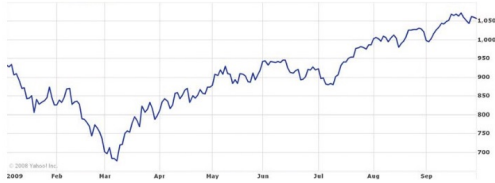
$$\hat{P}_i(x_i) = \frac{m_i(x_i)}{\sum_{x_i} m_i(x_i)}$$



\* If  $G$  is a tree of Diameter  $d$ , then  $T \geq d$

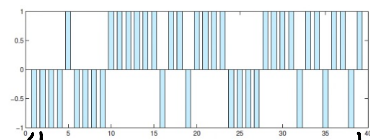
ensures  $\hat{P}_i(x_i) = P_i(x_i)$  ← length of longest path





(HW2)

# Hidden Markov Model (HMM)



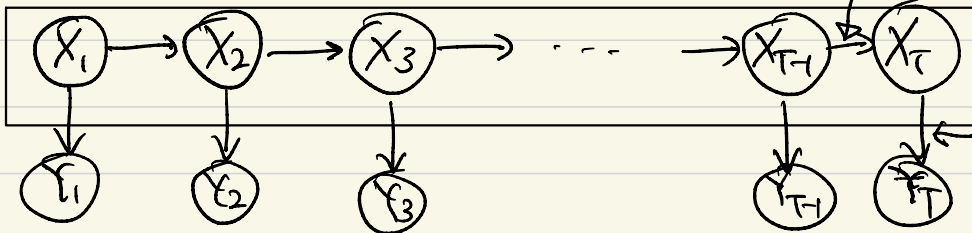
$y_1, y_2, \dots, y_T \in \{+1, -1\}$

$x_t \in \{\text{Good}, \text{Bad}\}$

- S&P 500 index over a period of time
- For each week, measure the price movement relative to the previous week: +1 indicates up and -1 indicates down
- a hidden Markov model in which  $x_t$  denotes the economic state (good or bad) of week  $t$  and  $y_t$  denotes the price movement (up or down)
- $x_{t+1} = x_t$  with probability 0.8
- $\mathbb{P}_{Y_t|X_t}(y_t = +1|x_t = \text{'good'}) = \mathbb{P}_{Y_t|X_t}(y_t = -1|x_t = \text{'bad'}) = q$

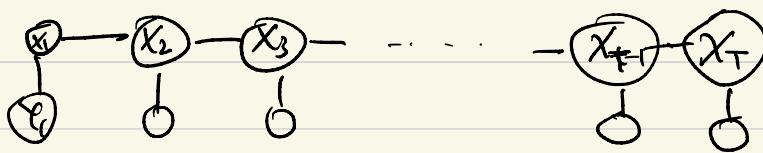
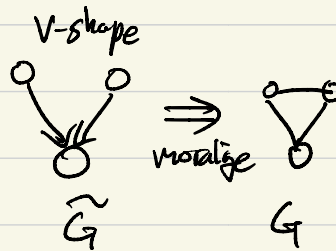
$$P_{x_{t+1}|x_t} = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} \text{Good} & \text{Bad} \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} \text{Good} \\ \text{Bad} \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0.2 \\ 0.2 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

BN:



$$P_{y_t|x_t} = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} +1 & -1 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} \text{Good} \\ \text{Bad} \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} q & 1-q \\ 1-q & q \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

① Moralize BN  $\tilde{G}$  to get MRF  $G$ .



② write the factors.

$$P(x) = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{i \in [T-1]} \underbrace{f_{i,i+1}(x_i, x_{i+1})}_{\parallel} = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} x_i \\ \text{Good} & \text{Bad} \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} \text{Good} \\ \text{Bad} \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ | & | \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} P(x_{i+1}|x_i) \cdot P(y_i|x_i) & i < T-1 \\ P(x_T|x_{T-1}) P(y_T|x_T) P(y_{T-1}|x_{T-1}) & i = T-1 \end{cases}$$

③ Write down the BP update

$$M_{i \rightarrow i+1}(X_{i+1}) = \sum_{X_i} f_{i,i+1}(X_i, X_{i+1}) M_{i-1 \rightarrow i}(X_i)$$

$$M_{i+1 \rightarrow i}(X_i) = \sum_{X_{i+1}} f_{i,i+1}(X_i, X_{i+1}) M_{i+2 \rightarrow i+1}(X_{i+1})$$

$$M_i(X_i) = M_{i-1 \rightarrow i}(X_i) M_{i+1 \rightarrow i}(X_i)$$

Elimin. Algo. on T for  $P(x_i)$   $\rightarrow$  Sum-Product Algorithm  $\checkmark$   
 Elimin. Algo. on T for  $\max_x P(x)$   $\rightarrow$  Max-Product Algorithm.

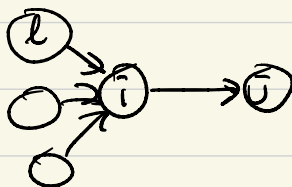
Def. Max-marginal :  $\tilde{P}_i(x_i) \triangleq \max_{X_{-i}} P(x)$

if  $\beta_i(x_i) = \begin{bmatrix} .3 \\ .5 \end{bmatrix}$  unique maximizer  
 $x_i^* = 1$

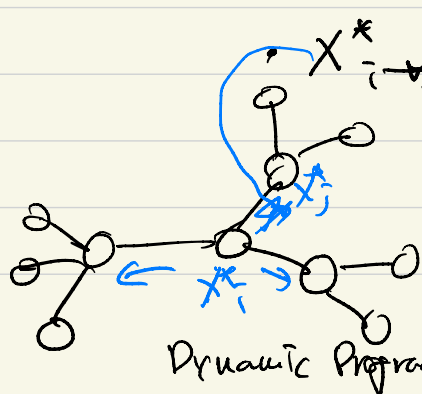
$X_{-i}^*(x_i) \triangleq \arg \max_{X_{-i}} P(x_i, X_{-i})$   
 $\mathbb{R}^{n-1}$

$\Downarrow$   
 $(x_i^*, \dots, x_n^*)$   
 maximize  $P(x)$

Update Rule for Max-Product Algorithm.



$M_{i \rightarrow j}^*(x_j) = \max_{X_i} f_{ij}(x_i, x_j) \prod_{l \in \text{in}(i)} M_{l \rightarrow i}^*(x_i)$



$X_{-i}^*(x_j) = \arg \max_{X_{-i}} f_{ij}(x_i, x_j) \prod_{l \in \text{in}(i)} M_{l \rightarrow i}^*(x_i)$   
 $\arg \max P(x)$   
 Dynamic Programming on T = Max-Product algorithm

· max-marginals

$$m_i^*(X_i) = \prod_{l \in \partial_i} m_{l \rightarrow i}^*(X_i)$$

$$\hat{P}(X_i) = \frac{m_i^*(X_i)}{\sum_{X_i'} m_i^*(X_i')}$$

To get  $X^*$ , you fix  $x_i^k$  and back-track.

If  $G=T$ , & # of iterations  $>$  diameter, then exact.