

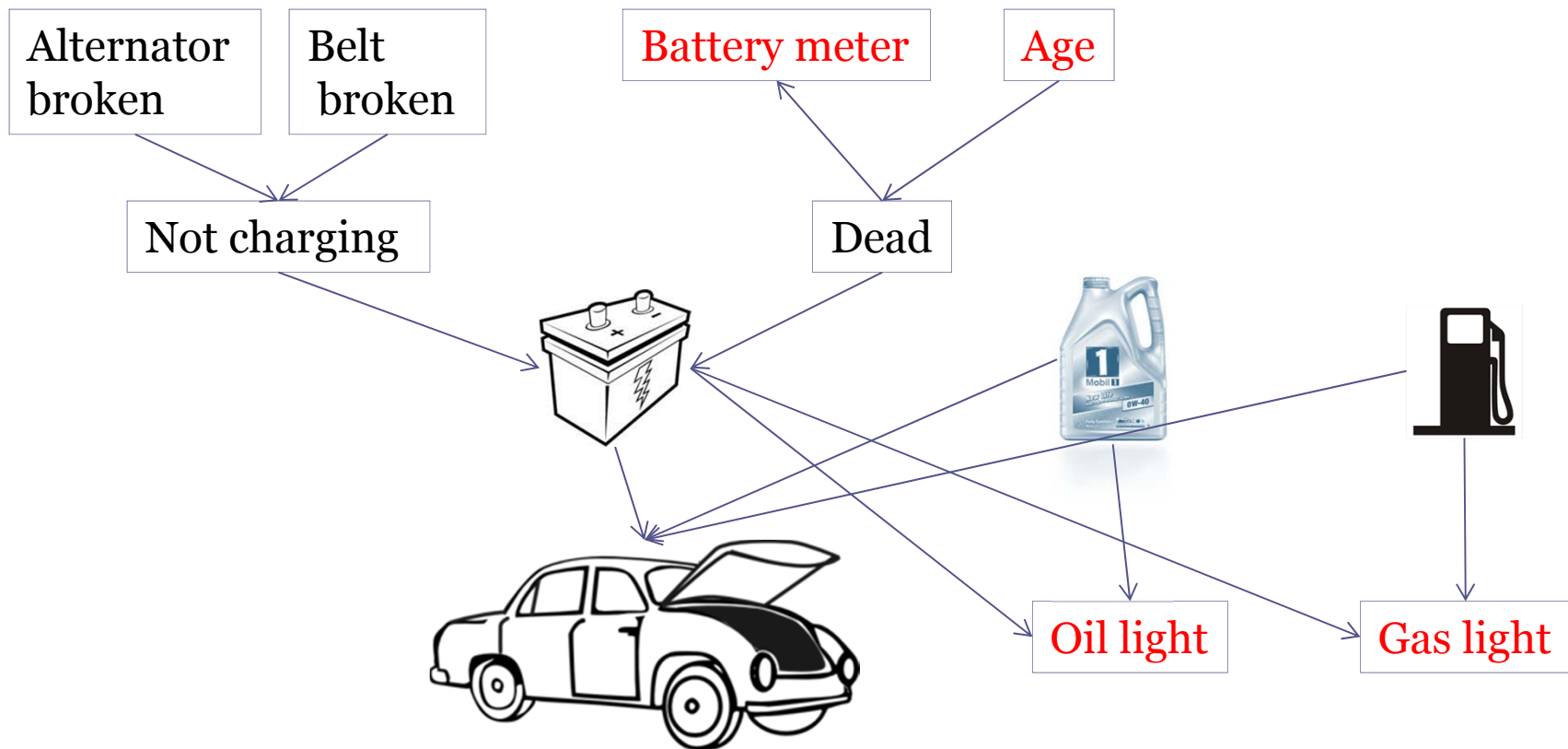
Intro to Artificial Intelligence

Lecture 3: Probability in AI

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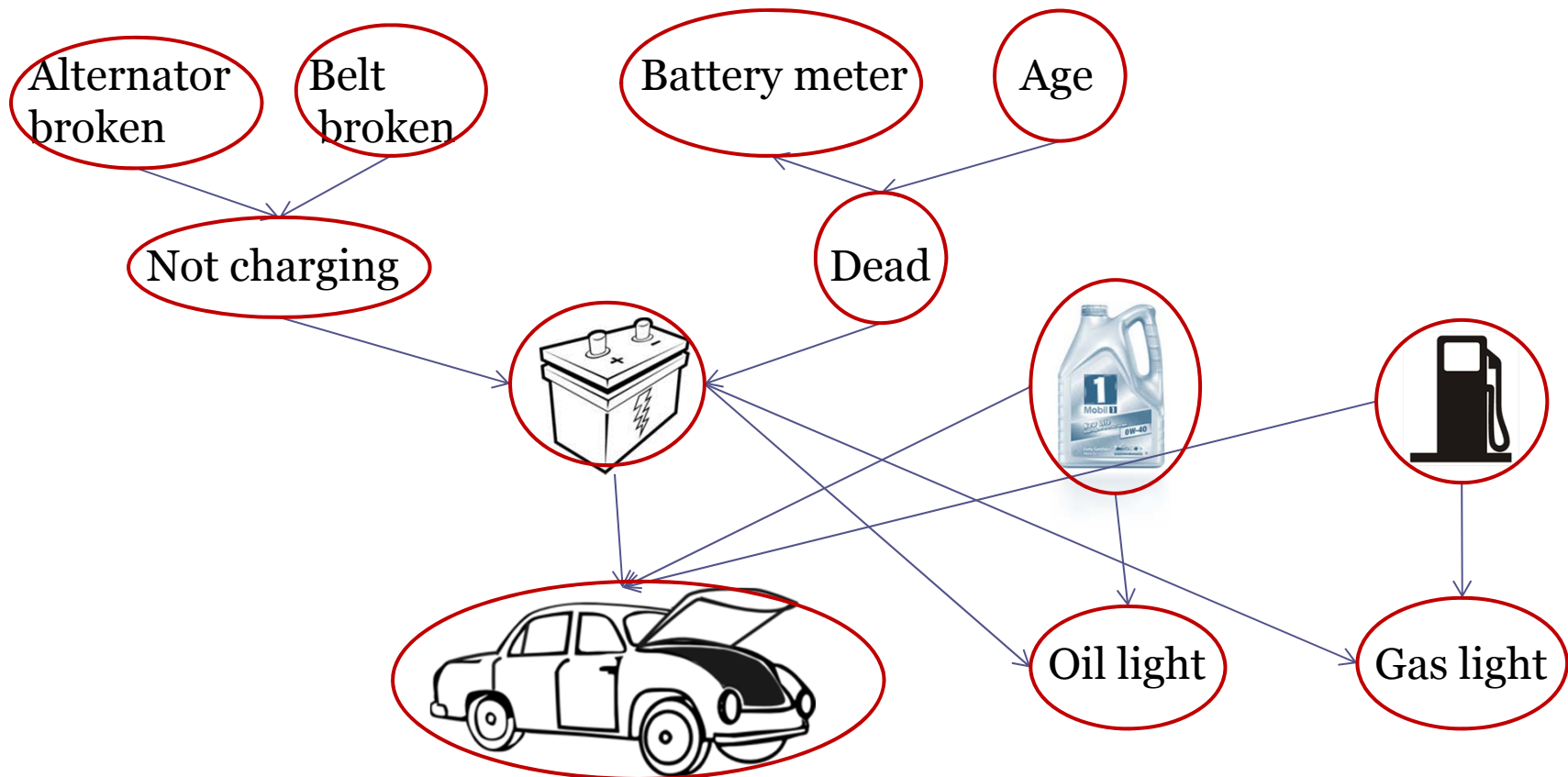
Complex problem

- Many Reasons !
 - Can we diagnose ?



- Bayes Network can assist to diagnose this complex problem

Bayes Network



- Set of nodes
 - Represent events you might/not know
 - Called random variables
- Arcs
 - Represent influence of child by its parent
 - Influence is Probabilistic not Deterministic
- Suppose these 12 variables are binary then we have 2^{16} values to choose between.
- That's why we need Bayes Network.

Bayes network

- Applications
 - Diagnostic.
 - Prediction.
 - Machine learning.
 - Finance
 - Robotics
- AI advanced techniques
 - Particle filters
 - Kalman filters
 - Hidden Markov chain
 - MDPs and POMDPs

Goals

- How to construct Bayes network!
- How to compute the probability!
- How to observe reasons!

Assumptions

- Binary events
- Simple bayes network

Probabilities

Basics



- $P(H) + P(T) = 1$
- If $P(H) = 0.5$ then $P(T) = ?$
 - $P(T) = 0.5$ (fair coin)
- If $P(H) = 0.25$ then $P(T) = ?$
 - $P(T) = 0.75$ (unfair coin)

Independent events

- If we have fair coin then $P(H, H, H) = ?$
 - $P(H, H, H) = 1/8$
- If $X_i =$ result of i flip, $X_i = \{H, T\}$, and we have a fair coin then $p(X_1 = X_2 = X_3 = X_4) = ?$
 - $P(X_1 = X_2 = X_3 = X_4) = 2/16$
- $P(\{X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4\} \text{ contains } \geq 3 \text{ heads}) = ?$
 - $= 5/16$

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Independent events rules

- Joint probability:

If $(X \perp Y)$ then $P(X, Y) = P(X) * P(Y)$

- If $P(H)=0.5$ then $P(H, H, H) = ?$
- $P(H, H, H) = P(H) * P(H) * P(H) = 1/8$

- If $X_i =$ result of i flip, $X_i = \{H, T\}$, $P(X_i) = 0.5 \forall i$ then $P(X_1 = X_2 = X_3 = X_4) = ?$

- $P(X_1 = X_2 = X_3 = X_4) = P(H, H, H, H) + P(T, T, T, T)$
 $= P(H) * P(H) * P(H) * P(H) + P(T) * P(T) * P(T) * P(T)$
 $= 1/16 + 1/16$

- Complement:

If $P(A) = p$ then $P(\neg A) = 1 - p$

Dependent events

- suppose X_1 is a fair coin, and X_2 is selected from a set of unfair coins such that:
 - $P(X_1) \rightarrow H: P(X_2=H | X_1=H)=0.9$
 - $P(X_1) \rightarrow T: P(X_2=T | X_1=T) =0.8$
- $P(X_2=H)= ?$
 - = 0.55
 - = $P(X_1=H) * P(X_2=H | X_1=H) + P(X_1=T) * P(X_2=H | X_1=T)$
 - = $0.5 * 0.9 + 0.5 * 0.2$
- X_1 is called conditional variable and $p(X_2)$ is called conditional probability.

Dependent events rules

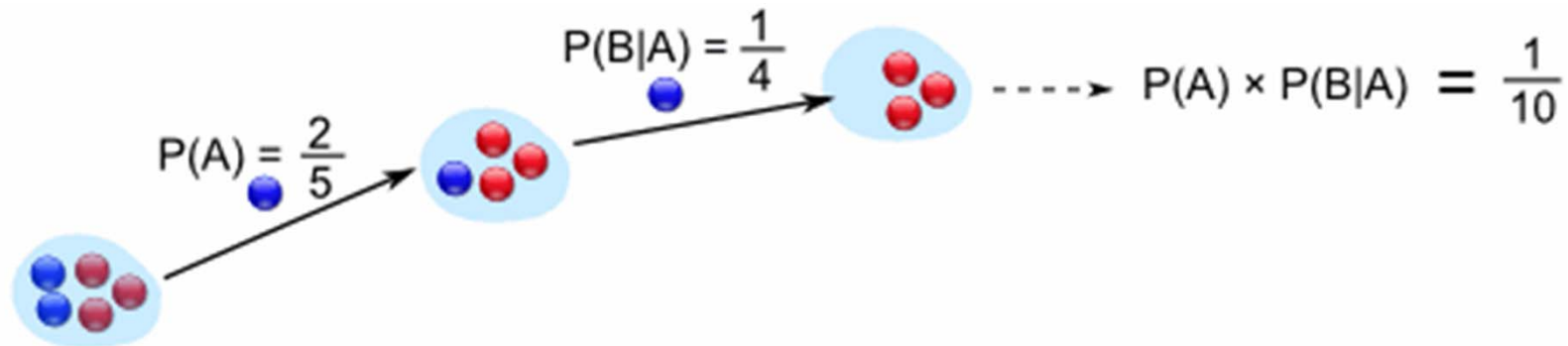
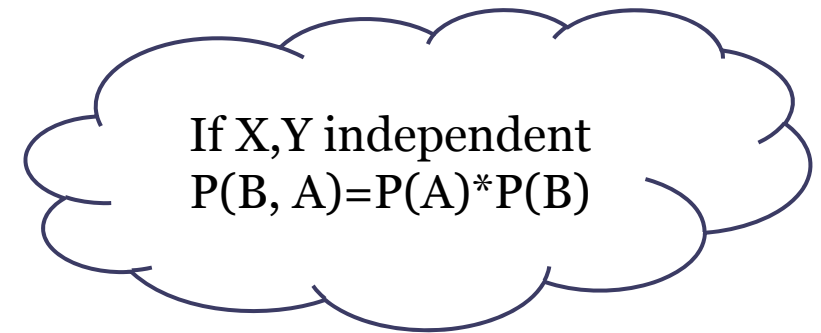
- Total probability:
 - If Y is depend on X then
$$P(Y) = \sum_i P(X_i) * P(Y|X_i)$$
- Complement:
 - $P(\neg Y|X) = 1 - P(Y|X)$
 - $P(Y|\neg X) = \text{X} - P(Y|X)$

Quiz

- Sunny/Rainy days example.
 - $P(D_1=S)=0.9$
 - $P(D_2=S|D_1=S)=0.8$
 - $P(D_2=S|D_1=R)=0.6$
- $P(D_2=R|D_1=S)=?$
 - $1-0.8=0.2$
- $P(D_2=R|D_1=R)=?$
 - $1-0.6=0.4$
- $P(D_2=S)=?$
 - $= (0.9*0.8)+(0.1*0.6)=0.78$

Dependent events rules cont.

- Joint probability :
 - If B is depend on A then
 $P(B,A)=?$
 $=P(A) * P(B|A)$



- $P(A)$ is called the prior, $P(B|A)$ is called the posterior.

Quiz

- Cancer example.

- $P(C)=0.01$

- $P(\neg C)=0.99$

- $P(+|C)=0.9$

- $P(-|C)=0.1$

- $P(+|\neg C)=0.2$

- $P(-|\neg C)=0.8$

- $P(+, C)=?$

- $=0.01*0.9$

- $P(-, C)=?$

- $=0.01*.1$

Dependent events rules cont.

- Continue with the cancer example

- $P(C|+)=?$

$$P(C)=0.01$$

$$P(+|C)=0.9$$

$$P(+|\neg C)=0.2$$

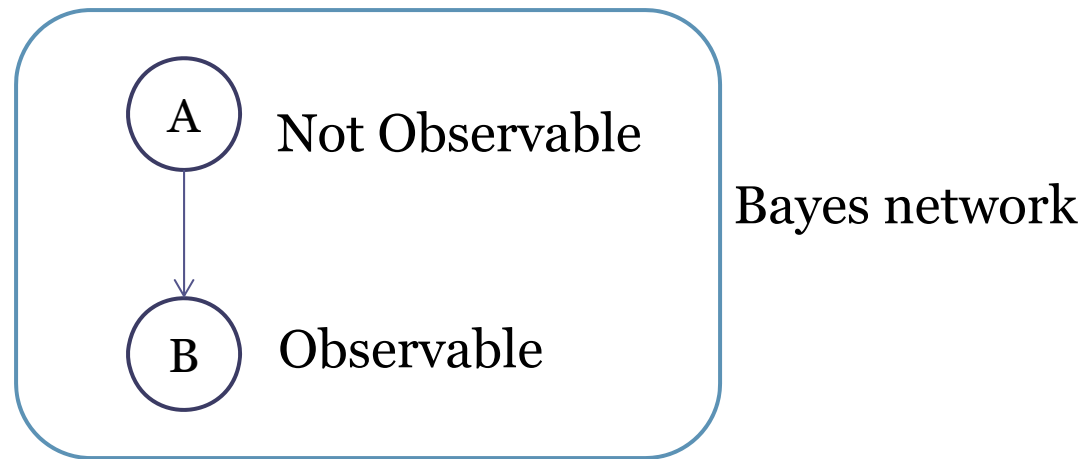
- $\therefore P(C,+) = P(+)*P(C|+)$
 - $=P(C)*P(+|c)$

- $\therefore P(C|+) = \frac{P(C,+)}{P(+)}$
 - $= \frac{P(C)*P(+|C)}{P(C)*P(+|C) + P(\neg C)*P(+|\neg C)}$
 - $= \frac{0.01*0.9}{0.01*0.9 + 0.99*0.2} = 0.0434$

Bayes rule

- $P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A) * P(A)}{P(B)}$
- P(A) called the prior, P(A|B) called the posterior, P(B|A) is called likelihood, and P(B) is called marginal likelihood.
- P(B) is calculated with the total probability
 - $P(B) = \sum_i P(B|A_i) * P(A_i)$

Bayes network



- We have $P(A)$, $P(B|A)$, $P(B|\neg A)$
- We need to get $P(A|B)$. i.e., in the cancer example we interest to correctly diagnose the existence of cancer (event A) after performing the test (event B).
- This is called Diagnostic reasoning = inverse of causal reasoning

Bayes Network

Bayes rule adaptation

- $$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A)*P(A)}{P(B) = P(A)*P(B|A) + P(\neg A)*P(\neg B|A)}$$
 - $P(B)$ is complex to calculate.

- $$P(\neg A|B) = \frac{P(B|\neg A)*P(\neg A)}{P(B)}$$
 - $P(A|B) + P(\neg A|B) = 1$

Normalizer

- $$P^*(A|B) = P(B|A)*P(A)$$

Eta

- $$P(A|B) = \eta P^*(A|B)$$

- $$P^*(\neg A|B) = P(B|\neg A)*P(\neg A)$$

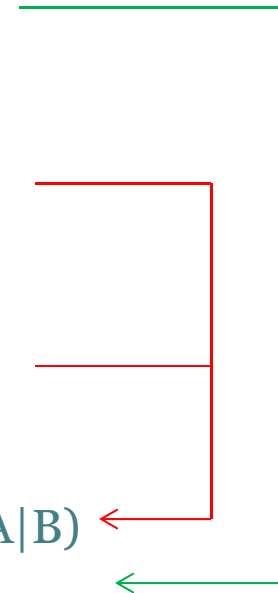
- $$P(\neg A|B) = \eta P^*(\neg A|B)$$

- $$\eta = ?$$

- $$\eta (P^*(A|B) + P^*(\neg A|B)) = P(A|B) + P(\neg A|B)$$

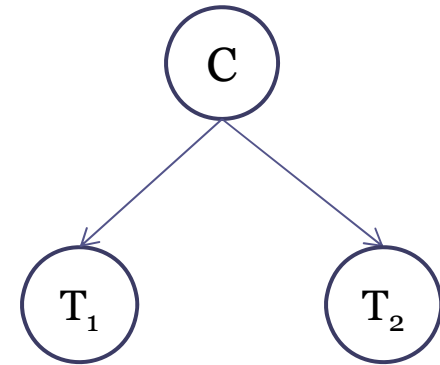
- $$\eta (P^*(A|B) + P^*(\neg A|B)) = 1$$

- $$\eta = (P^*(A|B) + P^*(\neg A|B))^{-1}$$



Bayes network

- $P(C)=0.01$
- $P(+|C)=0.9$
- $P(-|\neg C)=0.8$
- $P(C | ++)=??$
- $P(\neg C)=0.99$
- $P(-|C)=0.1$
- $P(+|\neg C)=0.2$

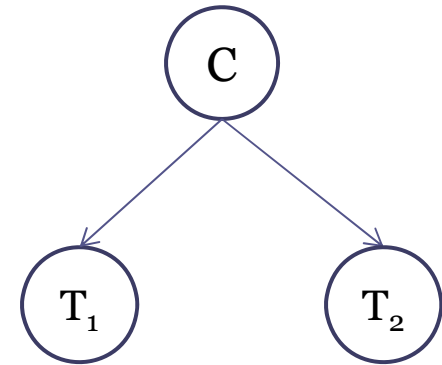


| | $P(..)$ | $P(+ ..)$ | $P(+ ..)$ | $P^*(.. ++)$ | $P(.. ++)$ |
|----------|---------|-------------|-------------|---------------------------------|------------|
| C | 0.01 | 0.9 | 0.9 | $0.01 * 0.9 * 0.9$ $=0.0081$ | 0.1698 |
| $\neg C$ | 0.99 | 0.2 | 0.2 | $0.99 * 0.2 * 0.2$ $=0.0396$ | 0.8302 |
| | | | | 0.0477 | |

Bayes network *cont.*

- $P(C)=0.01$
- $P(+|C)=0.9$
- $P(-|\neg C)=0.8$
- $P(\neg C)=0.99$
- $P(-|C)=0.1$
- $P(+|\neg C)=0.2$
- $P(C | T_1=+ T_2=-) \rightarrow P(C | + -) = ??$

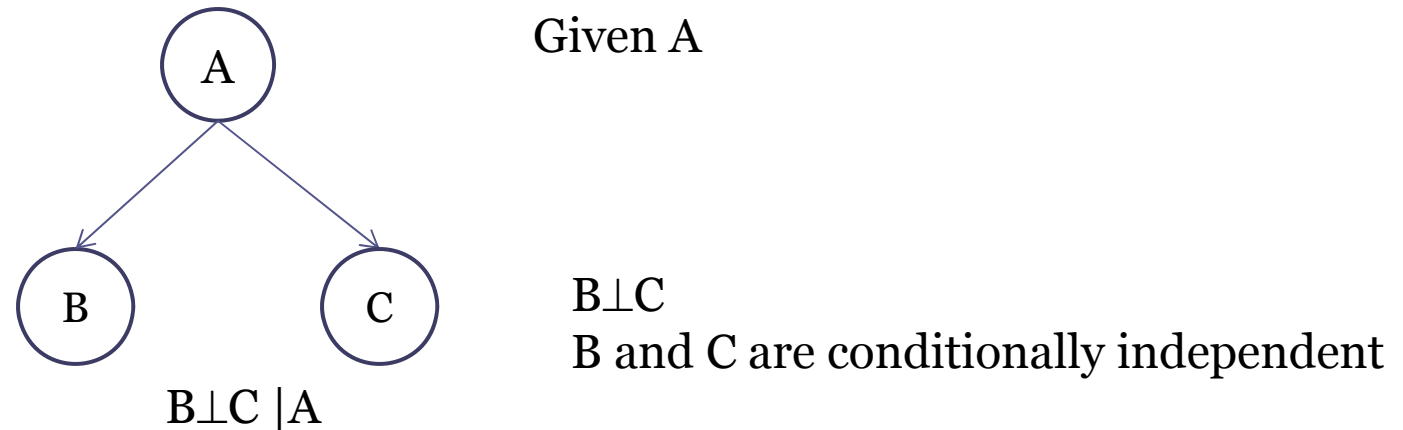
C causes T_1, T_2



But T_1, T_2 are independent

| | $P(..)$ | $P(+ ..)$ | $P(- ..)$ | $P^*(.. + -)$ | $P(.. + -)$ |
|----------|---------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| C | 0.01 | 0.9 | 0.1 | $0.01 * 0.9 * 0.1$ $= 0.0009$ | 0.0056 |
| $\neg C$ | 0.99 | 0.2 | 0.8 | $0.99 * 0.2 * 0.8$ $= 0.1584$ | 0.994 |
| | | | | <u>0.1593</u> | |

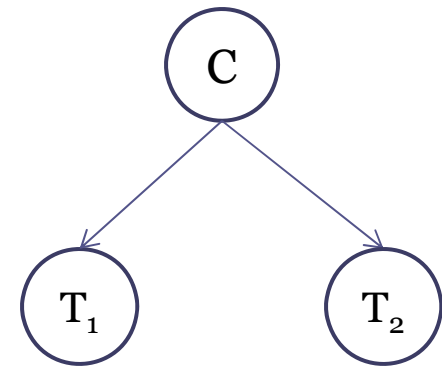
Conditional Independence



- Suppose that we don't know A (not given)
- Is B and C still independent ??
 - Yes
 - No
- E.g. The cancer example, if B is positive then the probability of A is raised and will affect the probability of C.

Conditional Independence cont.1

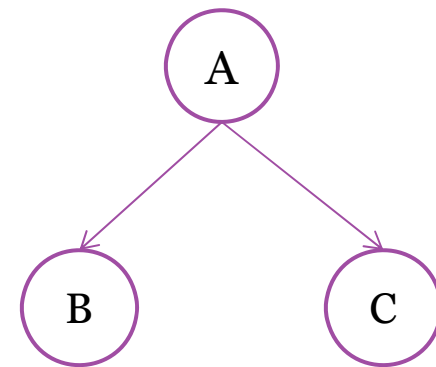
- $P(C)=0.01$
- $P(+|C)=0.9$
- $P(-|\neg C)=0.8$



- $P(+_2|C,+_1) = ??$
 - $\because P(+_2|C,+_1) = P(+_2 | +_1)$
 - $\because P(+_2) = P(C) * P(+|C) + P(\neg C) * P(+|\neg C)$
 - $\therefore P(+_2|+_1) = P(C|+_1) * P(+_2|C) + P(\neg C|+_1) * P(+_2|\neg C)$
 - $= 0.043 * 0.9 + 0.957 * 0.2$
 - $= 0.2301$
- That says, if my first test comes in positive, I expect my second test to be positive with probably 0.2301.

Conditional Independence *cont.2*

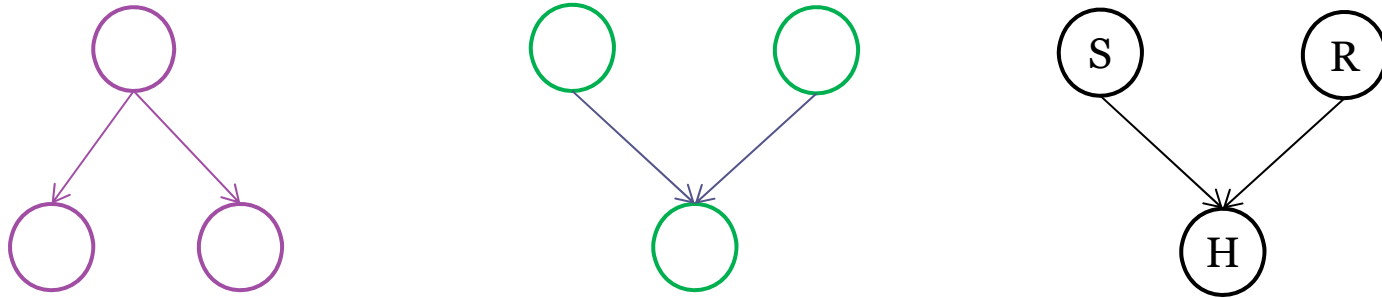
- $B \perp C$ (absolute independence)
- $B \perp C \mid A$ (conditional independence)



- Does $B \perp C \mid A \xRightarrow{\text{implies}} B \perp C$??
 - Yes
 - No
- Does $B \perp C \xRightarrow{\text{implies}} B \perp C \mid A$??
 - Yes
 - No

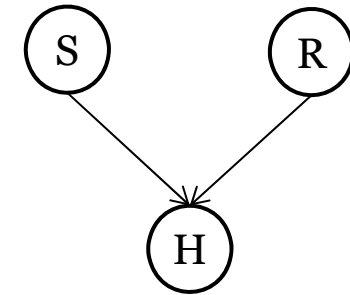
Different Type of Bayes Network

Confounding Cause



- Two independent hidden causes confounded by a single observational variable.
- Suppose I become happy if:
 - the weather is sunny
 - or I get a raise.

Confounding Cause **cont.1**

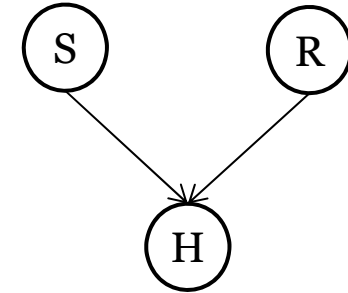


- $P(R|S)=??$
 - $=P(R)=0.01$
 - R, S are Independent causes when H is absence
- Explain away Effect
 - Seeing one cause can explain away any other potential causes. E.g. if it rains and I'm happy this explain away that I got a raise.
- $P(R|H, S)= ??$
 - Remember Bayes rule $\left(\frac{P(R) * P(H|R)}{P(H)}\right)$
 - $= \frac{P(R) * P(H|R,S)}{P(H|S)}$ (BR but **with respect to S**)
 - Remember the total probability $(P(R) * P(H|R) + P(\neg R) * P(H|\neg R))$
 - $= \frac{P(R) * P(H|R,S)}{P(R)*P(H|R,S)+P(\neg R)*P(H|\neg R,S)}$ (TP but **with respect to S**)
 - $= \frac{0.01 * 1}{0.01 * 1 + 0.99 * 0.7} = 0.0142$

- $P(S)=0.7$
- $P(R)=0.01$
- $P(H|S,R)=1$
- $P(H|\neg S,R)=0.9$
- $P(H|S,\neg R)=0.7$
- $P(H|\neg S,\neg R)=0.1$

Confounding Cause cont.2

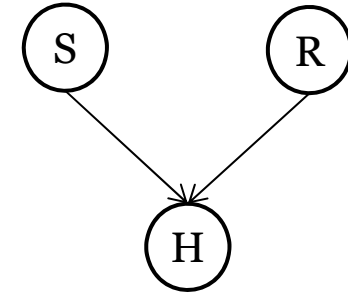
- $P(R|H) = ??$
 - $\frac{P(R) * P(H|R)}{P(H)}$ How to calculate $P(H)$
 - Remember the total probability ($P(R) * P(H|R) + P(\neg R) * P(H|\neg R)$)
 - But we have another cause S and **it's unknown (may be R)!**
 - $\therefore P(H) = P(R,S)*P(H|R,S) + P(\neg R,S) * P(H|\neg R,S) +$
 $P(R, \neg S) * P(H|R, \neg S) + P(\neg R, \neg S) * P(H|\neg R, \neg S)$
 - $P(H) = 0.5245$
 - $P(R|H) = \frac{P(R) * P(H|R)}{P(H)}$ (using **TB** for $P(H|R)$)
 - $= \frac{P(R) * (P(S)*P(H|R,S) + P(\neg S)*P(H|\neg S,R))}{P(H)}$
 - $= \frac{P(R) * 0.97}{P(H)}$
 - $= 0.0185$
- Compare this to $P(R|H, S) = 0.0142$
 - Because now we don't know about the weather the chances are higher to have a raise (**explain away effect**).



- $P(S) = 0.7$
- $P(R) = 0.01$
- $P(H|S,R) = 1$
- $P(H|\neg S,R) = 0.9$
- $P(H|S,\neg R) = 0.7$
- $P(H|\neg S,\neg R) = 0.1$

Confounding Cause cont.3

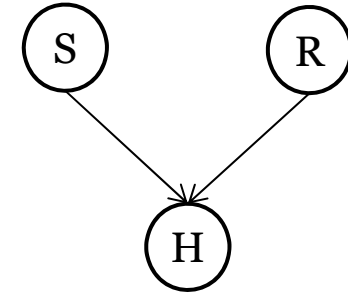
- $P(R|H, \neg S) = ??$
 - $= \frac{P(R) * P(H|R, \neg S)}{P(H|\neg S)}$ (BR but with respect to $\neg S$)
 - Remember the total probability ($P(R) * P(H|R) + P(\neg R) * P(H|\neg R)$)
 - $= \frac{P(R) * P(H|R, \neg S)}{P(R) * P(H|R, \neg S) + P(\neg R) * P(H|\neg R, \neg S)}$ (TP but with respect to $\neg S$)
 - $= \frac{0.01 * 0.9}{0.01 * 0.9 + 0.99 * 0.1} = 0.0142$
 - $= 0.0833$
- This to say, I'm happy but it's not sunny. So what the probability for having a raise causing me happy and not any other unknown random reason?



- $P(S) = 0.7$
- $P(R) = 0.01$
- $P(H|S, R) = 1$
- $P(H|\neg S, R) = 0.9$
- $P(H|S, \neg R) = 0.7$
- $P(H|\neg S, \neg R) = 0.1$

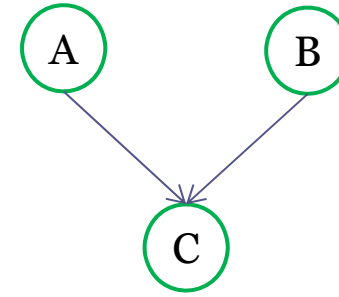
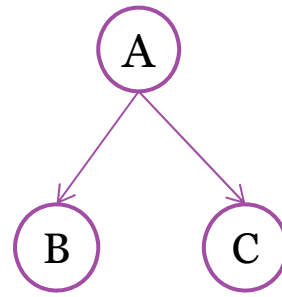
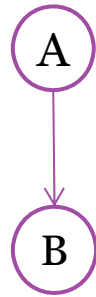
Conditional dependence

- $P(R|H,S) = 0.0142$ $\neq P(R|H)=0.0185$
- $P(R|S) = 0.01$ $= P(R) = 0.01$



- So, if H is given then S and R are conditional dependent on H.

Bayes network different forms



Information:

$$P(A)$$

$$P(B|A)$$

$$P(B|\neg A)$$

$$P(A)$$

$$P(B|A)$$

$$P(B|\neg A)$$

$$P(C|A)$$

$$P(C|\neg A)$$

$$P(A)$$

$$P(B)$$

$$P(C|A)$$

$$P(C|\neg A)$$

$$P(C|B)$$

$$P(C|\neg B)$$

Query:

$$P(B)$$

$$P(B)$$

$$P(C)$$

$$P(C)$$

Total Probability

$$P(A|B)$$

$$P(A|B)$$

$$P(A|C)$$

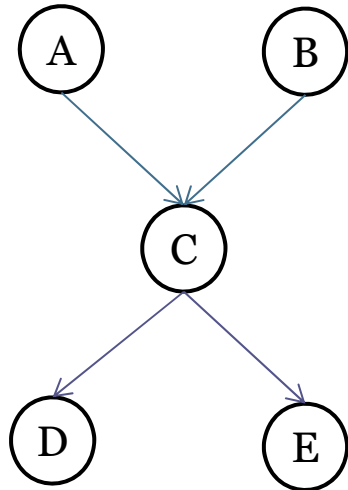
$$P(A|B)$$

$$P(A|C)$$

Bayes rule

General Bayes Network

Bayes Network



- $P(A), P(B)$

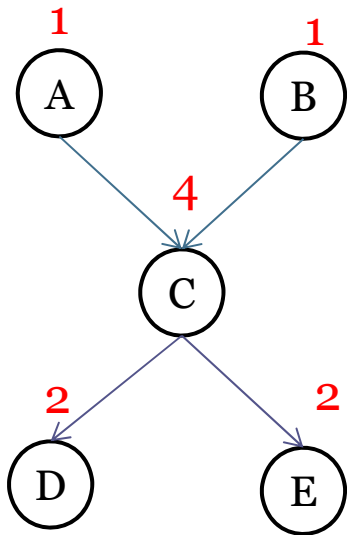
- $P(C|A,B), P(C|\neg A,B), P(C|A,\neg B), P(C|\neg A,\neg B)$

- $P(D|C), P(D|\neg C)$

- $P(E|C), P(E|\neg C)$

- Bayes network is a directed graph of random variables.
- It helps to define the distribution over these random variable.
- The Advantage of Bayes network is:
 - Instead of enumerating all possibilities of combination of these random variables. The Bayes network is defined by probability distribution that are inherent to each individual node.
- For Example to calculate $P(A,B,C,D,E)$ we have two methods:
 - Using joint probability
 $= 1 - (P(A,B,C,D,\neg E) + \dots + P(\neg A, \neg B, \neg C, \neg D, \neg E))$ ($2^5 - 1$ parameters)
 - Or by Bayes network which requires only 10 parameters as shown above
 $= P(A) * P(B) * P(C|A,B) * P(D|C) * P(E|C)$ (10 estimated parameters)

Bayes Network parameters estimation



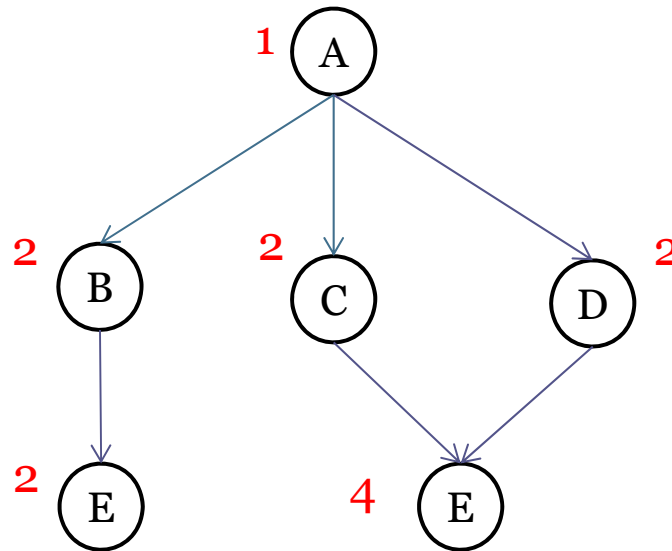
- $P(A), P(B)$

- $P(C|A,B), P(C|\neg A,B), P(C|A,\neg B), P(C|\neg A,\neg B)$

- $P(D|C), P(D|\neg C)$
- $P(E|C), P(E|\neg C)$

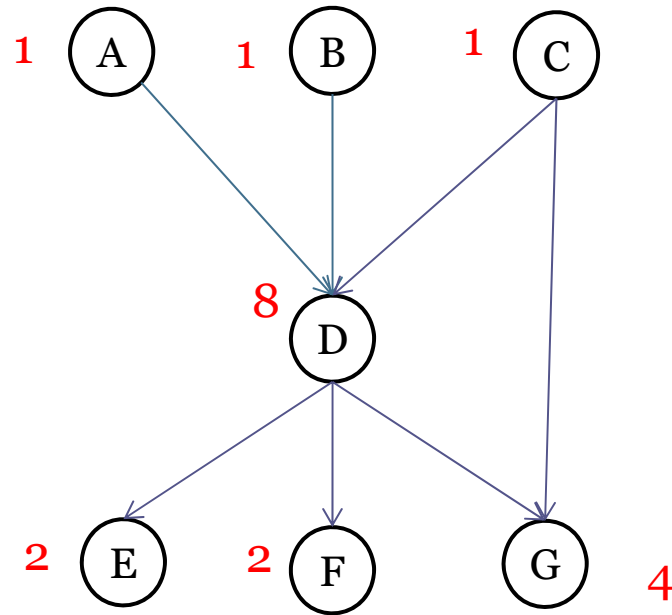
- Each node is conditioned on the incoming arcs.
- So No. of estimated parameters for node $X_i = 2^{(\text{in arcs})}$

Quiz



- How many probability values required to specify this Bayes network ?
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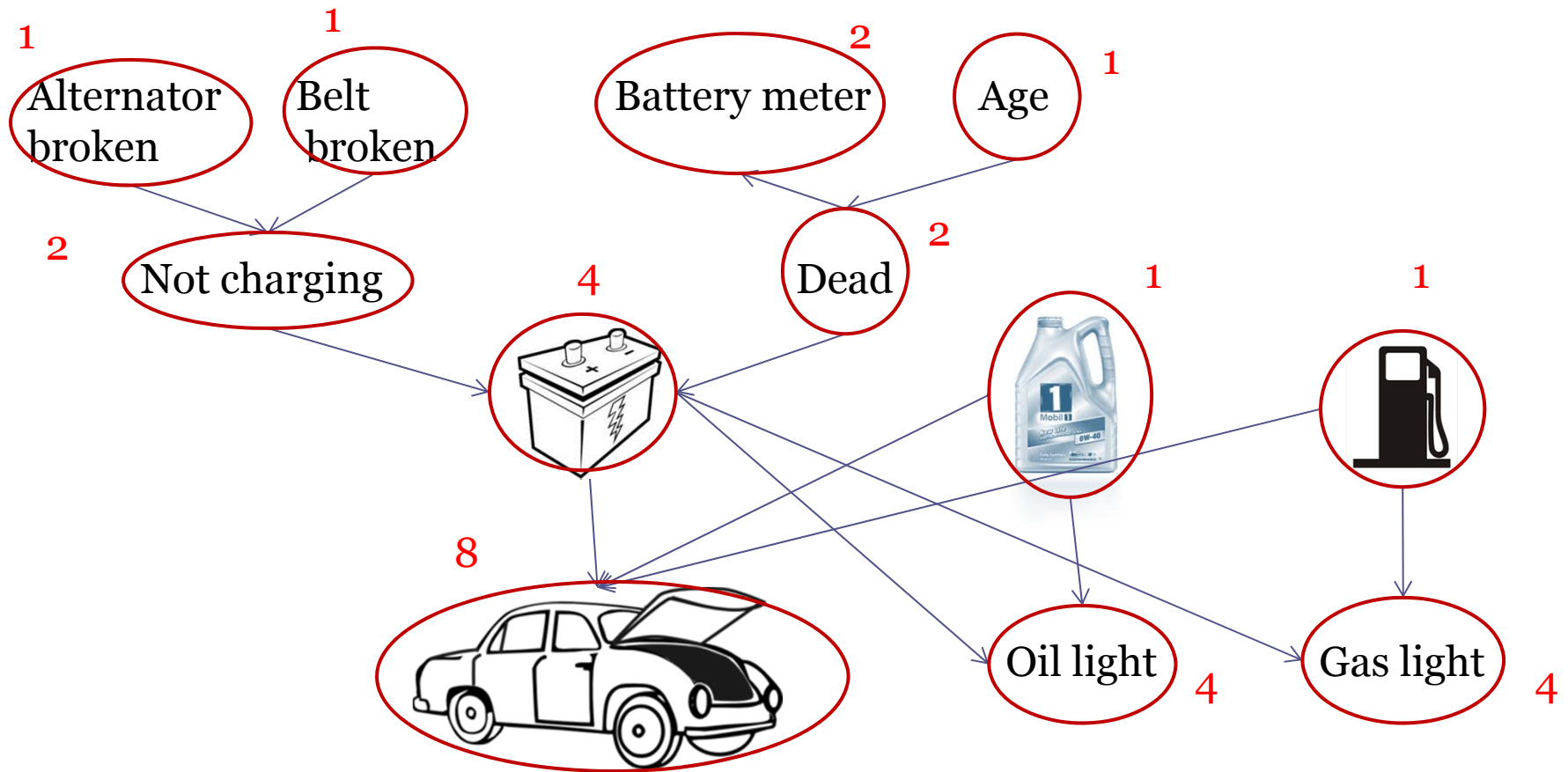
Quiz



- How many probability values required to calculate the full joint probability with Bayes network?
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Harvest

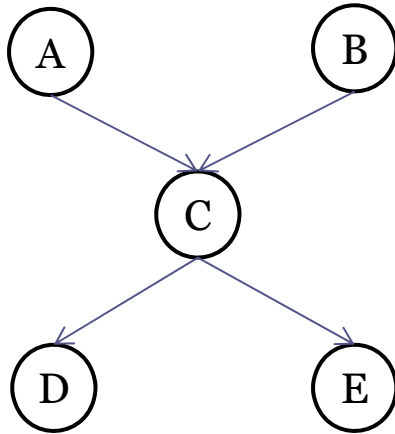
Back to car problem



- Using naïve probability requires:
 - $2^{12} = 4096 - 1$

- Using Bayes network requires:
 - 31

D-Separation



- $A \perp E$
- $A \perp E \mid B$
- $A \perp E \mid C$

- $D \perp E$
- $D \perp E \mid B$

- $A \perp B$
- $A \perp B \mid C$

Independence Check

Yes

No



- 2 variables are independent if there is a third variable separate them and **it's given**