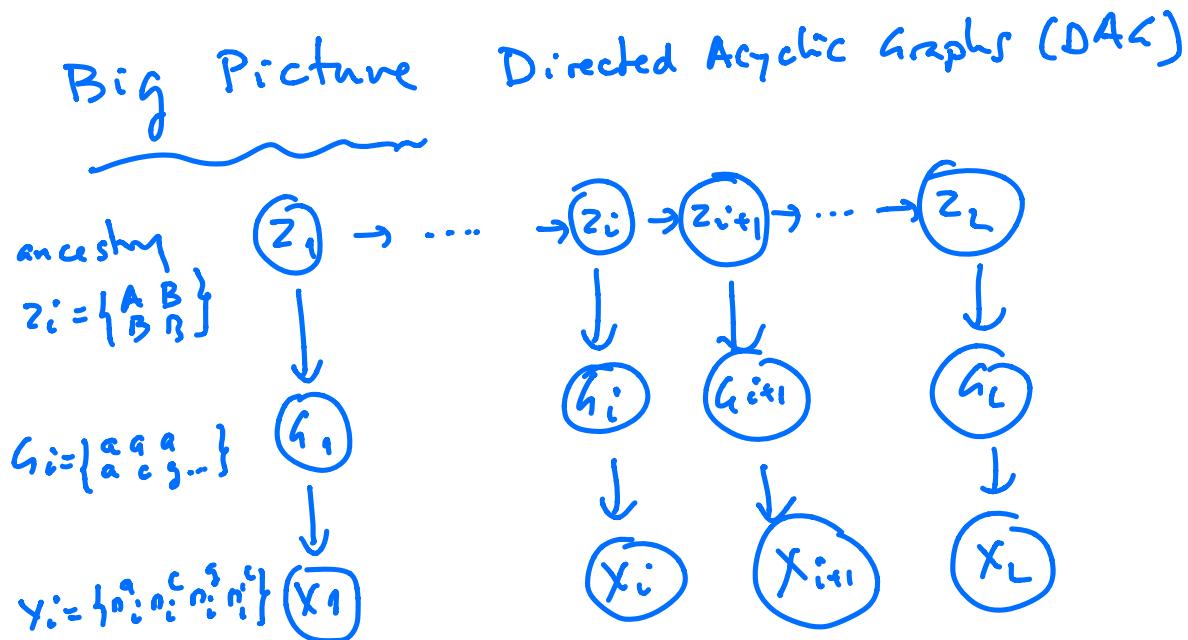


W07 - Probabilistic Models EM



$P(z_{i+1}|z_i) \rightarrow$ a Markov DAG = HMM

What to do with such model?

- ① Sample examples "follow the DAG"
need to know all probability distributions
(in our case $P = P(AB|AB) = P(BB|BB)$)
- ② Do Inference (W06)
- ③ Estimate parameter (W07)

② Do Inference (WGS)

we know $D = [X_1 \dots X_L]$

want to infer the ancestry at each position $[Z_1 \dots Z_L]$

$P(Z_i = AB | X_1 \dots X_L)$ is the posterior of the 2 possible ancestries at position i
 $P(Z_i = BB | X_1 \dots X_L)$ given all the data

To calculate these probabilities, it is convenient to calculate by dynamic programming

$f_z(i) = P(X_1 \dots X_i | Z_i = z)$
 forward algorithm

$$f_z(i) = \frac{f_z(i-1)}{f_z(i-1)} \cdot \underbrace{P(Z_i = z | X_1 \dots X_{i-1})}_{\text{transition probability}}$$

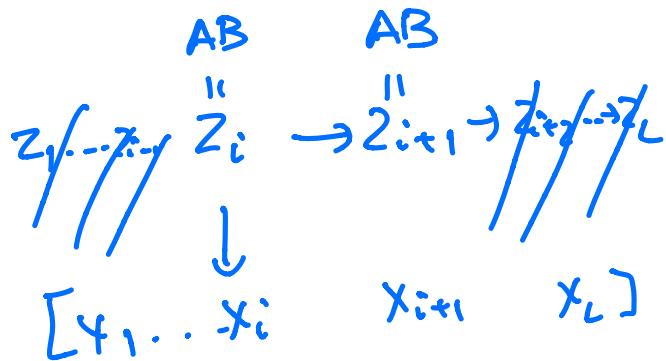
$b_z(i) = P(X_{i+1} \dots X_L | Z_i = z)$
 backward algorithm

$$b_z(i) = \underbrace{b_z(i+1)}_{\text{backward algorithm}} \cdot \underbrace{P(Z_i = z | X_{i+1} \dots X_L)}_{\text{transition probability}}$$

Using $f_z(i)$ and $b_z(i)$ we can calculate

$$\textcircled{2} \quad P(z_i=2 | x_1 \dots x_L) = \frac{f_z(i) b_z(i)}{f_{AB}(i) b_{AB}(i) + f_{BB}(i) b_{BB}(i)}$$

\textcircled{3} Expected values of transitions



$$P(x_1 \dots x_i | z_i=AB, x_{i+1} | z_{i+1}=AB, x_{i+2} \dots x_L) =$$

$$= f_{AB}(i) P(AB|AB) P(x_{i+1}|AB) b_{AB}(i+1)$$

in general

$$E_i(z_i=2, z_{i+1}=2' | p) \\ = f_{z_i}(i) P(z'|z) P(x_{i+1}|z') b_{z'}(i+1)$$

then we can do EM

i) start with $p = p^0$ (arbitrary)

ii) calculate Expectations

$$E_i(z_i=z, z_{i+1}=z' | p^{(0)})$$

iii) do ML estimation of next $p = p^{(1)}$

$$p^{(1)} = \frac{\sum_z \sum_m \sum_i E_i(z_i=z, z_{i+1}=z | p^{(0)})}{\sum_z \sum_i \sum_m E_i(z_i=z, z_{i+1}=z | p^{(0)}) + \sum_z \sum_m \sum_i E_i(z_i=z, z_{i+1}=z' | p^{(0)})}$$

and iterate
until $p^{(n+1)} \approx p^{(n)}$

Small Details implementing forward/backward

- Always work in log space
 - in log space all quantities are negatives
(they are all probabilities)

$$- P(X_i | Z=AB) =$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{10} P(X_i | G_k) P(G_k | AB)$$

only G_k with $P(G_k | AB) \neq 0$

is $G_k = g_i^A g_i^B$, then

$$\underbrace{P(X_i | Z=AB)}_j = P(X_i | G=g_i^A g_i^B) \cdot P(G=g_i^A g_i^B | AB)$$

$$= P(X_i | G=g_i^A g_i^B)$$

$$\left. \begin{cases} P(X_i | Z=AB) = P(X_i | G=g_i^A g_i^B) \\ P(X_i | Z=BB) = P(X_i | G=g_i^B g_i^B) \end{cases} \right\}$$

- If you get errors, `+>`, `log()`
go inside your loop and make print
statements

Causal Inference

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$P(A|B)$ conditional probability

$P(A|\text{do}(B))$ the adjustment formula
or causal effect rule

$T = (0, 1)$ a treatment

$O = (+, -, 0)$ an outcome (+ good
- not good)

$P(O|T=1)$

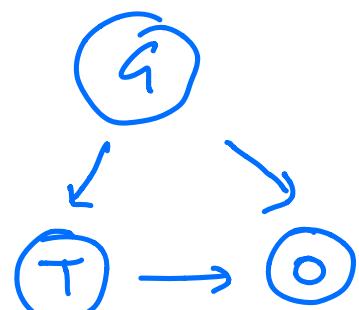
when are they

$P(O|\text{do}(T=1))$ different?

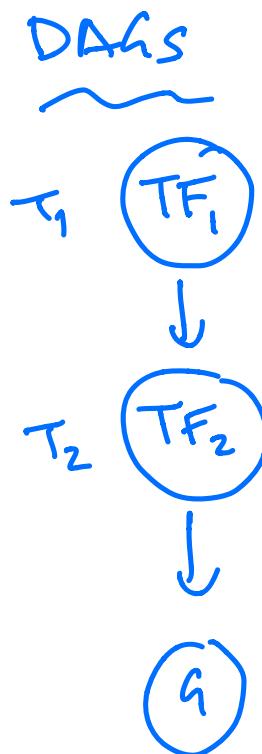
use DAGs



$$P(O|T) = P(O|\text{do}(T))$$



$$P(O|T) \neq P(O|\text{do}(T))$$

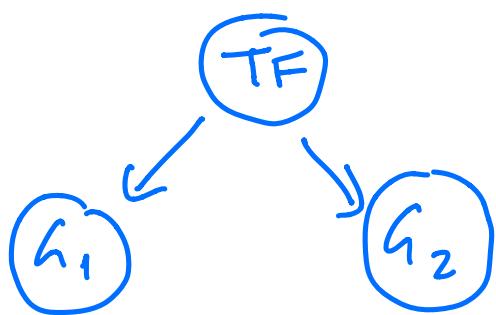


$$T_1 \not\perp G$$

$$T_1 \perp G \mid T_2$$

(a) $P(G|T_1, T_2) = P(G|T_2) P(T_2|T_1) P(T_1)$

chain

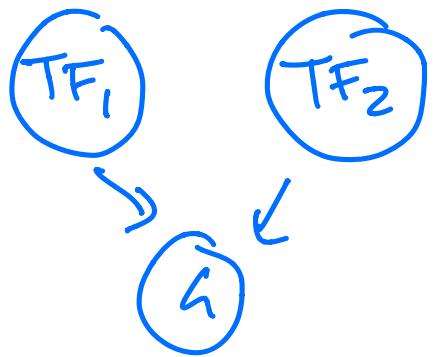


$$G_1 \not\perp G_2$$

$$G_1 \perp G_2 \mid T$$

$$P(T|G_1, G_2) = P(G_1|T) P(G_2|T) P(T)$$

for k



$$T_1 \perp T_2$$

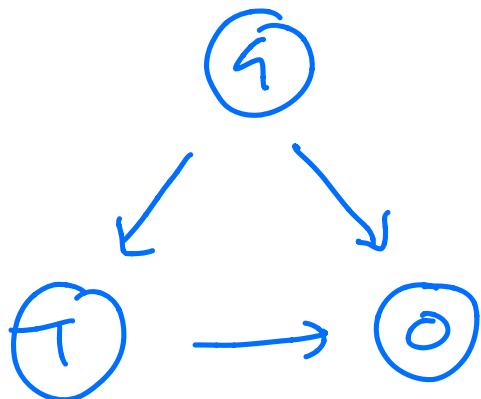
$$T_1 \not\perp T_2 \mid G$$

collider

$$P(G | T_1, T_2) = P(G | T_1, T_2) P(T_1) P(T_2)$$

→ using only the joint probabilities,
prove the conditional independence
of chains, forks and colliders

Back to the treatment



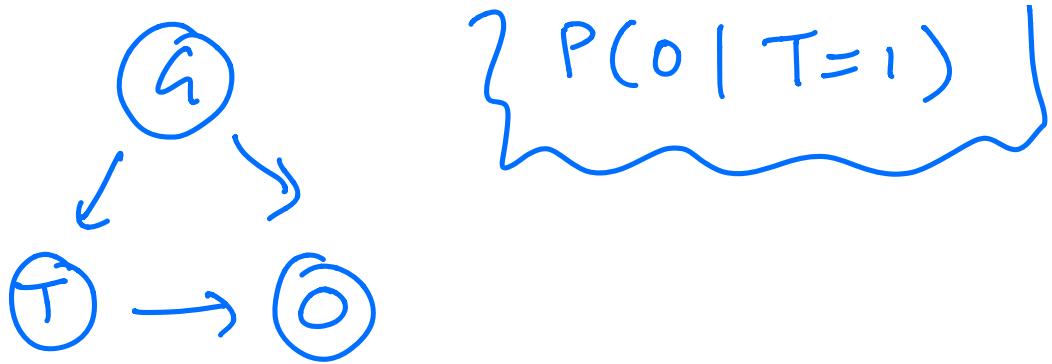
$G = \{M, F\}$ has an influence

$G \neq T$ " more F take treatment than M

$G \neq O$ " treatment has more effect
on M

$$P(T=1 | G=M) < P(T=1 | G=F)$$

$$P(O=+ | G=M) > P(O=- | G=F)$$



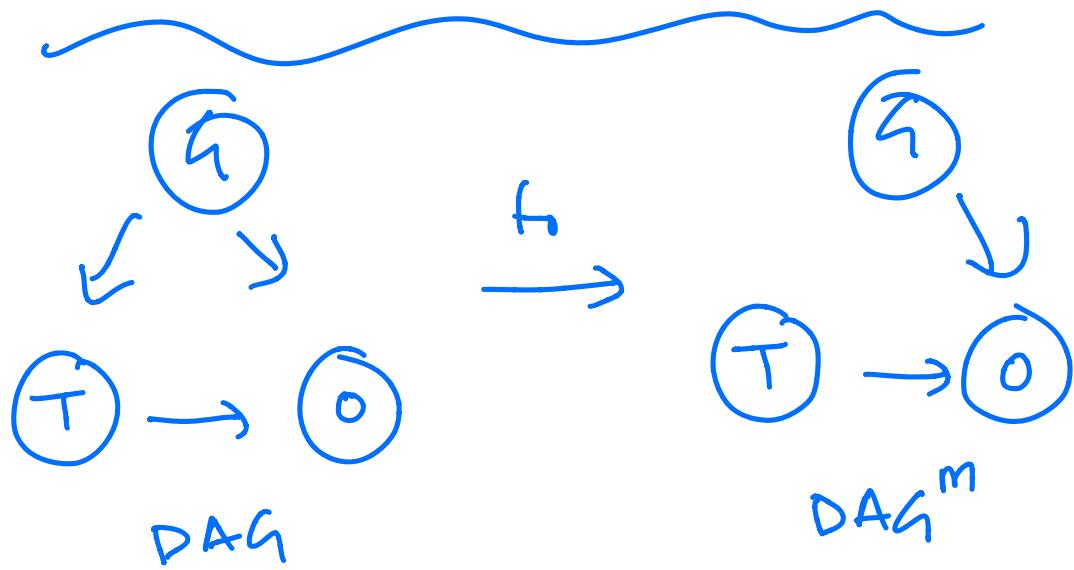
$$P(O \mid T=1) =$$

$$= \sum_{\zeta} P(O \mid G \mid T=1)$$

$$= \sum_{\zeta} P(O \mid T=1, \zeta) P(\zeta \mid T=1)$$

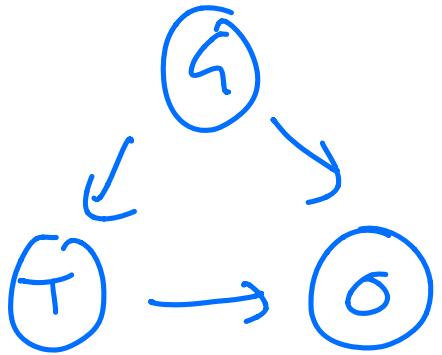
$$\left\{ P(O \mid T=1) = P(O \mid T=1 M) P(M \mid T=1) + P(O \mid T=1 F) \cdot P(F \mid T=1) \right.$$

What is $P(O | do(T=1))$?



$$P(O | do(T=1)) = \underset{DAG^m}{P(O | T=1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_g \overset{m}{\overbrace{P(O|G|T=1)}} \\ &= \sum_g P(O|T=1|g) \underset{\sim}{\overbrace{P(G|T=1)}} \\ &= \sum_g P(O|T=1|g) \underset{\sim}{\overbrace{P(G)}} \\ &= P(O|T=1|M) P(m) + P(O|T=1|F) P(F) \end{aligned}$$



$$P(O|T=1) = P(O|T=1 \cap M) P(M|T=1) + P(O|T=1 \cap F) P(F|T=1)$$

$$P(O|\Delta\omega(T=1)) = P(O|T=1 \cap M) P(M) + P(O|T=1 \cap F) P(F)$$

the adjustment formula

In general

$$P(Y|X) = \sum_{P_X} P(Y|X, P_X) P(P_X|X)$$

$$P(Y|do(X)) = \sum_{P_Y} (Y|X, P_X) \cdot P(P_X)$$

where P_X = parents of X in DAG.