

AI Programming

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Bayesian Networks

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17-0: Probabilistic Reasoning

- Given:
 - Set of conditional probabilities ($P(t1|d)$, etc)
 - Set of prior probabilities ($P(d)$)
 - Conditional independence information ($P(t1|d, t2) = P(t1|d)$)
- We can calculate any quantity that we like
- Problems:
 - Hard to know exactly what data we need
 - Even given sufficient data, calculations can be complex – especially dealing with conditional independence

17-1: Bayesian Networks

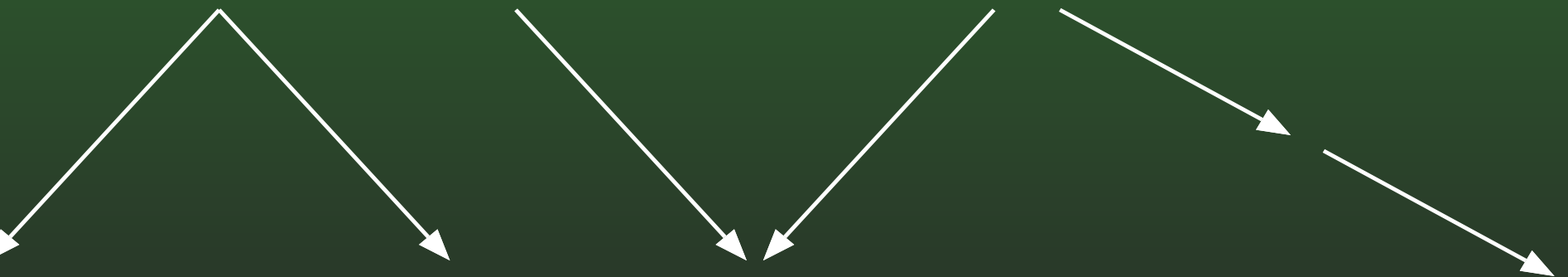
Bayesian Networks are:

- Clever encoding of conditional independence information
- Mechanical, “turn the crank” method for calculation
 - Can be done by a computer

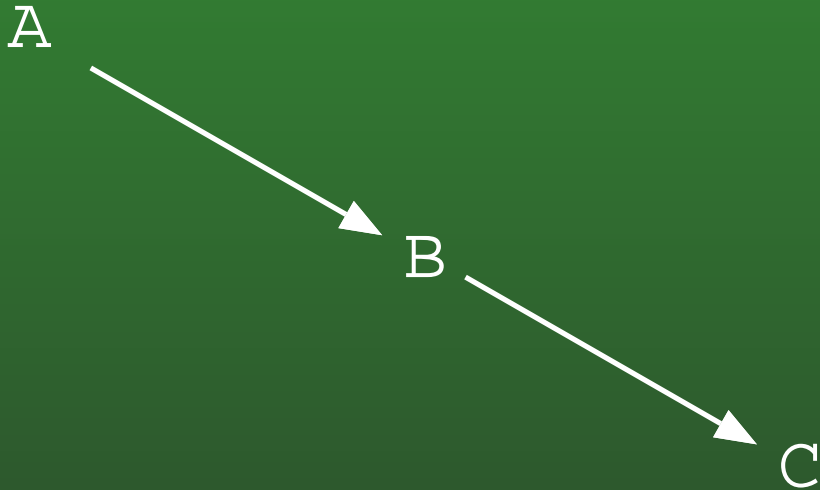
Nothing “magic” about Bayesian Networks

17-2: Directed Acyclic Graphs

- We will encode conditional independence information using Directed Acyclic Graphs (or DAGs)
- While we will use causal language to give intuitive justification, these DAGs are *not necessarily* causal (more on this later)
- Three basic “junctions”

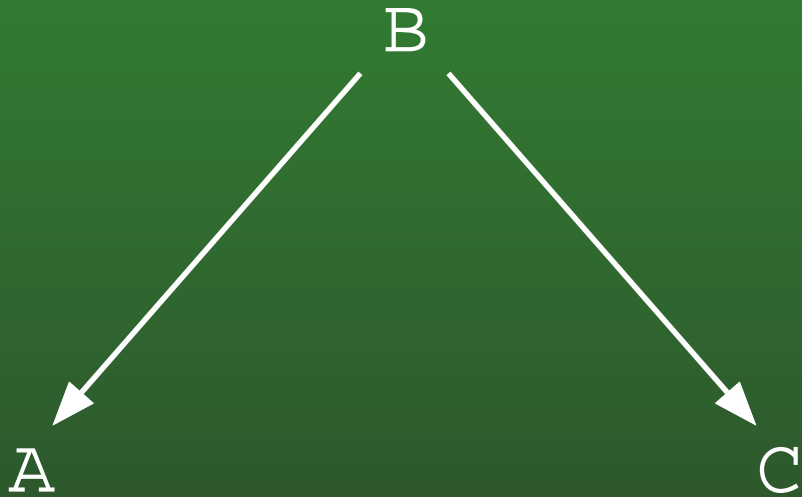


17-3: Head-to-Tail



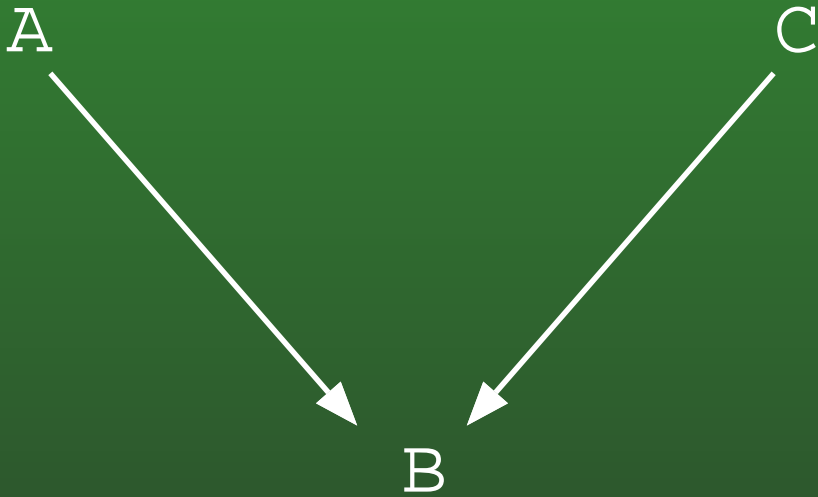
- “Causal Chain”
- Rain \rightarrow Wet Pavement \rightarrow Slippery Pavement
 - $(A \not\perp C)$
 - $(A \perp C|B)$

17-4: Tail-to-Tail



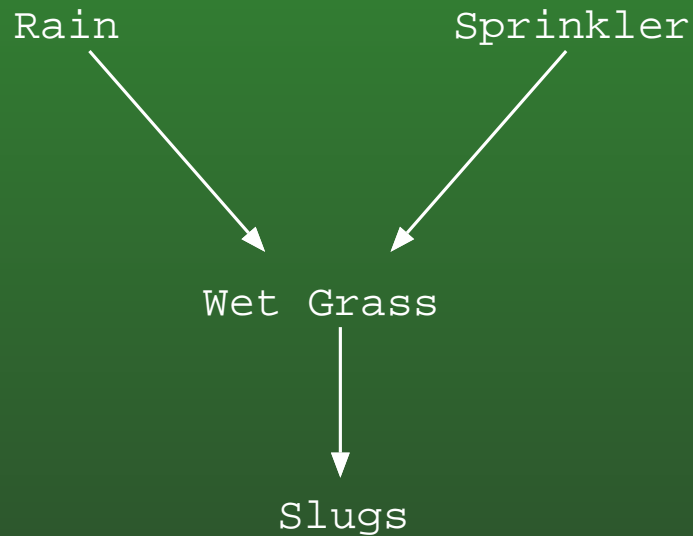
- “Common Cause”
- Reading Ability \leftarrow Age \rightarrow Shoe Size
 - $(A \not\perp C)$
 - $(A \perp C|B)$

17-5: Head-to-Head



- “Common Effect”
- Rain \rightarrow Wet Grass \leftarrow Sprinkler
 - $(A \perp\!\!\!\perp C)$
 - $(A \not\perp\!\!\!\perp C|B)$

17-6: Head-to-Head



- Also need to worry about descendants of head-head junctions.
- $(\text{Rain} \perp\!\!\!\perp \text{Sprinkler})$
- $(\text{Rain} \not\perp\!\!\!\perp \text{Sprinkler} \mid \text{Slugs})$

17-7: Markovian Parents

- V is an ordered set of variables X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n .
- $P(V)$ is a joint probability distribution over V
- Define the set of Markovian Parents of variable X_j , PA_j as:
 - Minimal set of predecessors of X_j such that
 - $P(X_j|X_1, \dots, X_{j-1}) = P(X_j|PA_j)$
- The Markovian Parents of a variable X_j are often (*but not always*) the direct causes of X_j

17-8: Markovian Parents & Joint

- For any set of variables X_1, \dots, X_n , we can calculate any row of the joint:

- $$P(x_1, \dots, x_n) = P(x_1)P(x_2|x_1)P(x_3|x_1, x_2) \dots P(x_n|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1})$$

- Using Markovian parents

- $$P(x_1, \dots, x_n) = P(x_1)P(x_2|PA_2)P(x_3|PA_3) \dots P(x_n|PA_n)$$

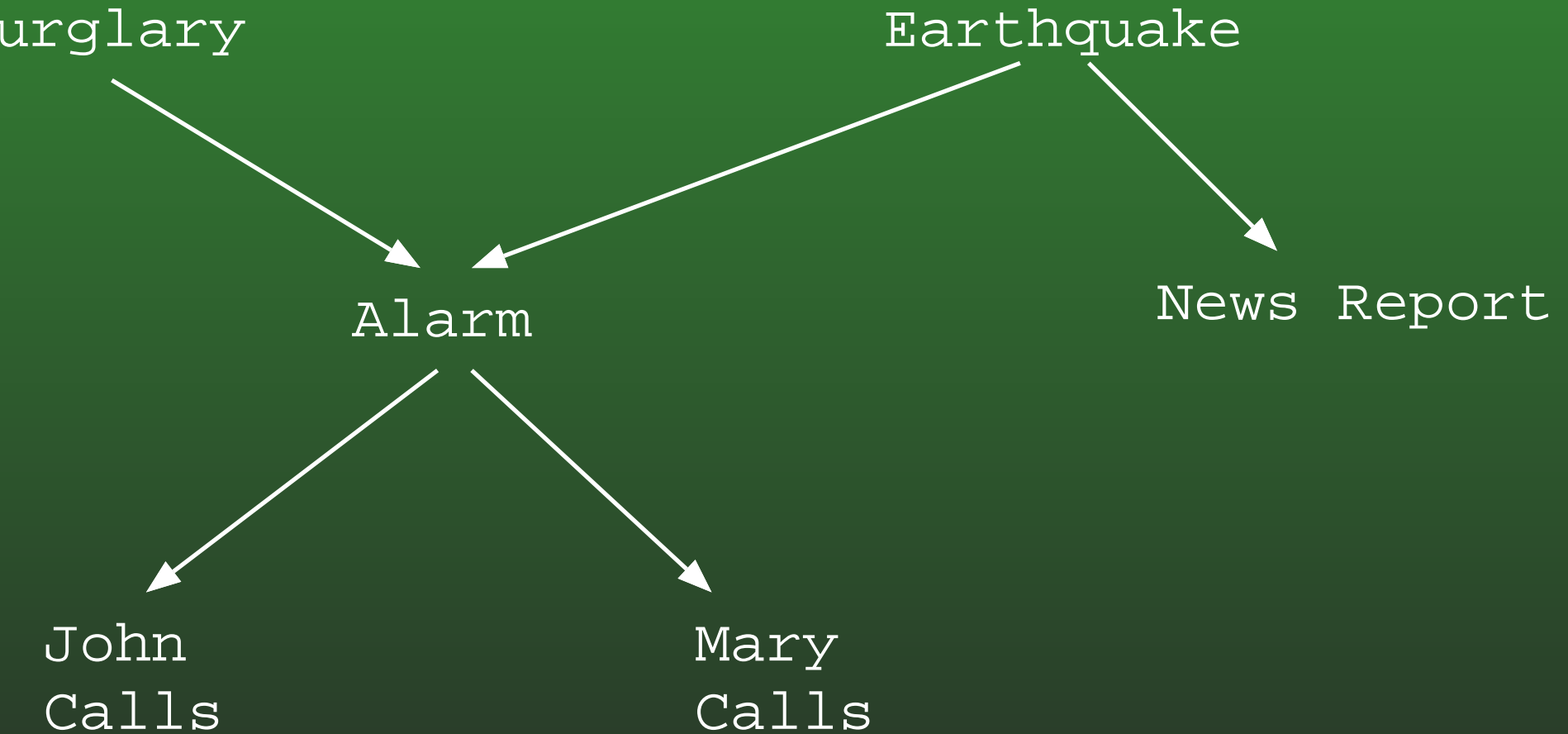
17-9: Markovian Parents & DAGs

- We can create a DAG which represents conditional independence information using Markovian parents.
 - Each variable is a node in the graph
 - For each variable X_j , add a directed link from all elements in PA_j to X_j

17-10: Burglary Example

- I want to know if my house has been robbed
- I install an alarm
 - Have two neighbors, John & Mary, who call me if they hear my alarm
- Small earthquakes could also set off the alarm
- Sometimes, small earthquakes are reported on the radio
- Variables:
 - Burglary, Earthquake, News Report, Alarm, John Calls, Mary Calls

17-11: DAG Example

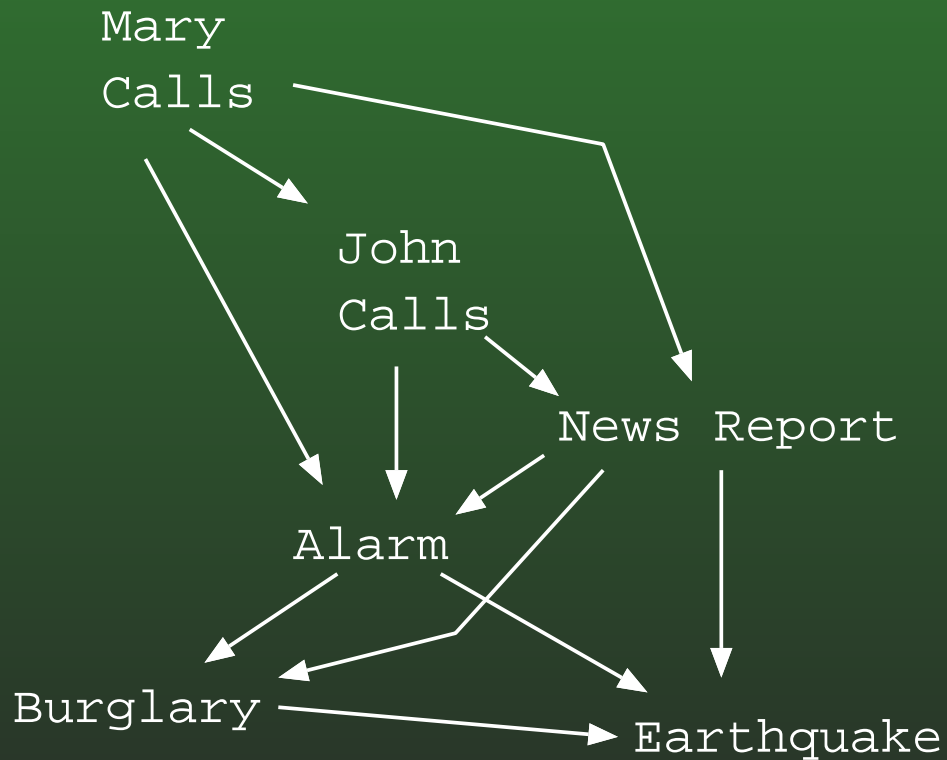


17-12: Markovian Parents & DAGs

- The order that we consider variables is important!
- Causal ordering gives “best” DAGs, but non-causal works, too
- Example: Mary Calls, John Calls, News Report, Alarm, Burglary, Earthquake

17-13: DAG Example

- Order: Mary Calls, John Calls, News Report, Alarm, Burglary, Earthquake

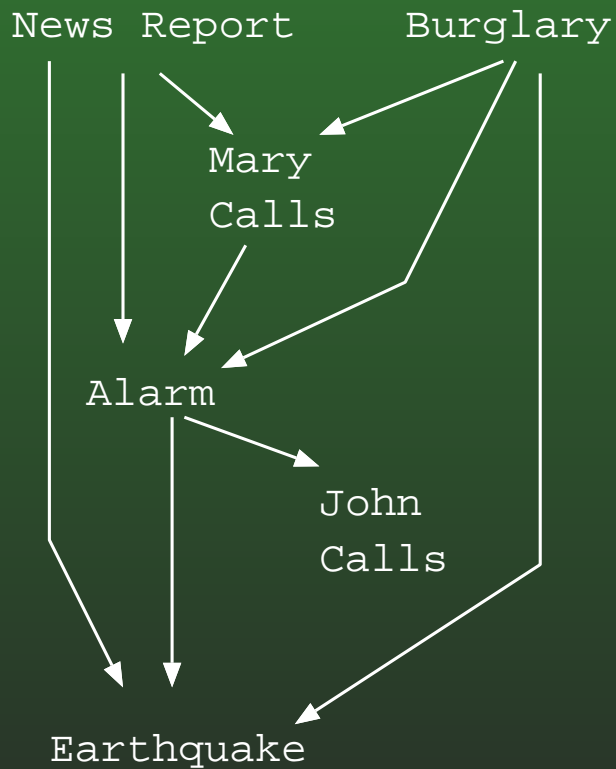


17-14: Markovian Parents & DAGs

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- Example: News Report, Burglary, Mary Calls, Alarm, John Calls, Earthquake

17-15: DAG Example

- Order: News Report, Burglary, Mary Calls, Alarm, John Calls, Earthquake

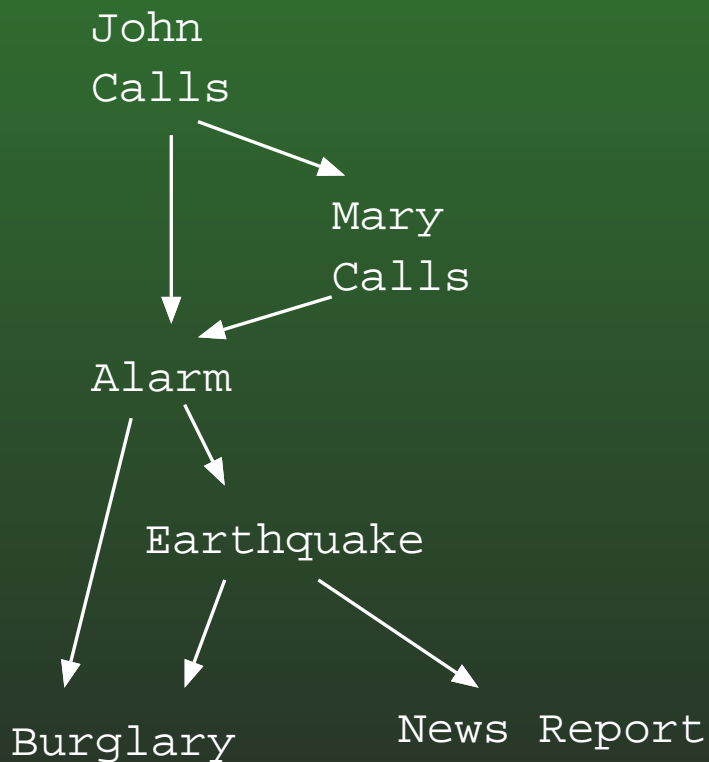


17-16: Markovian Parents & DAGs

- The order that we consider variables is important!
- Causal ordering gives “best” DAGs, but non-causal works, too
- Example: John Calls, Mary Calls, Alarm, Earthquake, News Report, Burglary,

17-17: DAG Example

- Order: John Calls, Mary Calls, Alarm, Earthquake, News Report, Burglary,



17-18: DAGs & Cond. Independence

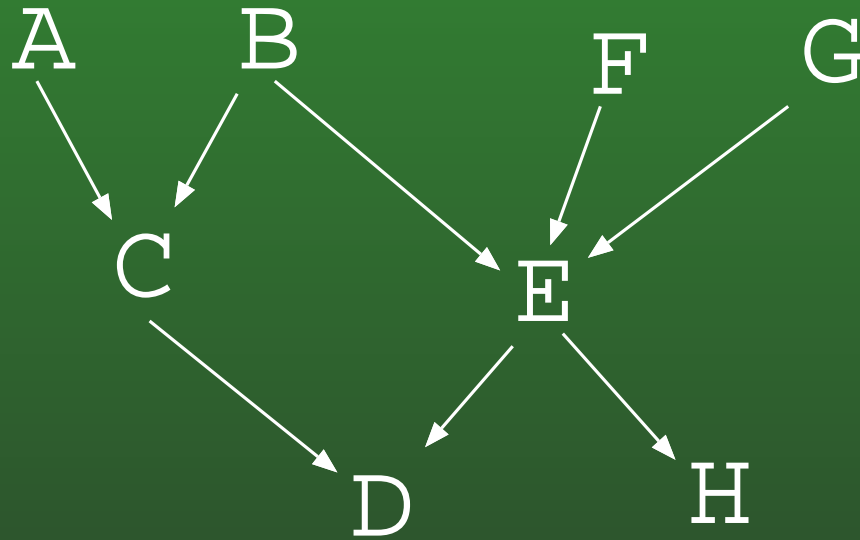
- Given a DAG of Markovian Parents, we know that every variable X_i is independent of its ancestors, given its parents
- We also know quite a bit more

17-19: d-separation

To determine if a variable X is conditionally independent of Y given a set of variables Z :

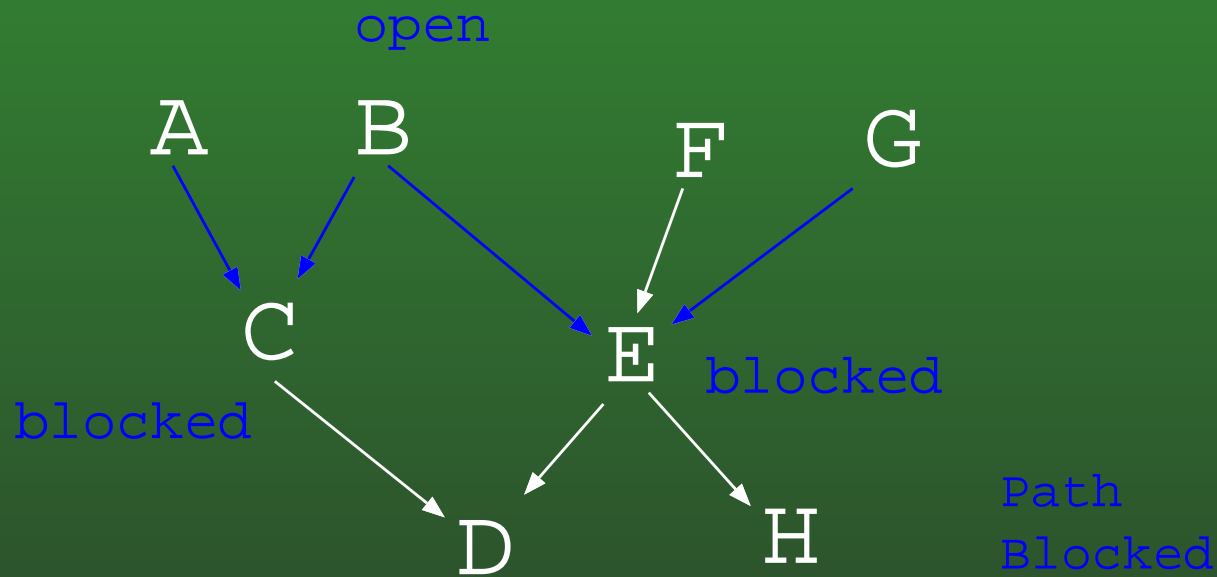
- Examine all paths between X and Y in the graph
- Each node along a path can be “open” or “blocked”
 - A node at a head-to-tail or tail-to-tail junction is open if the node is not in Z , and closed otherwise.
 - A node at a head-to-head junction is open if the node *or any of its descendants* is not in Z , and closed otherwise.

17-20: d-separation Examples



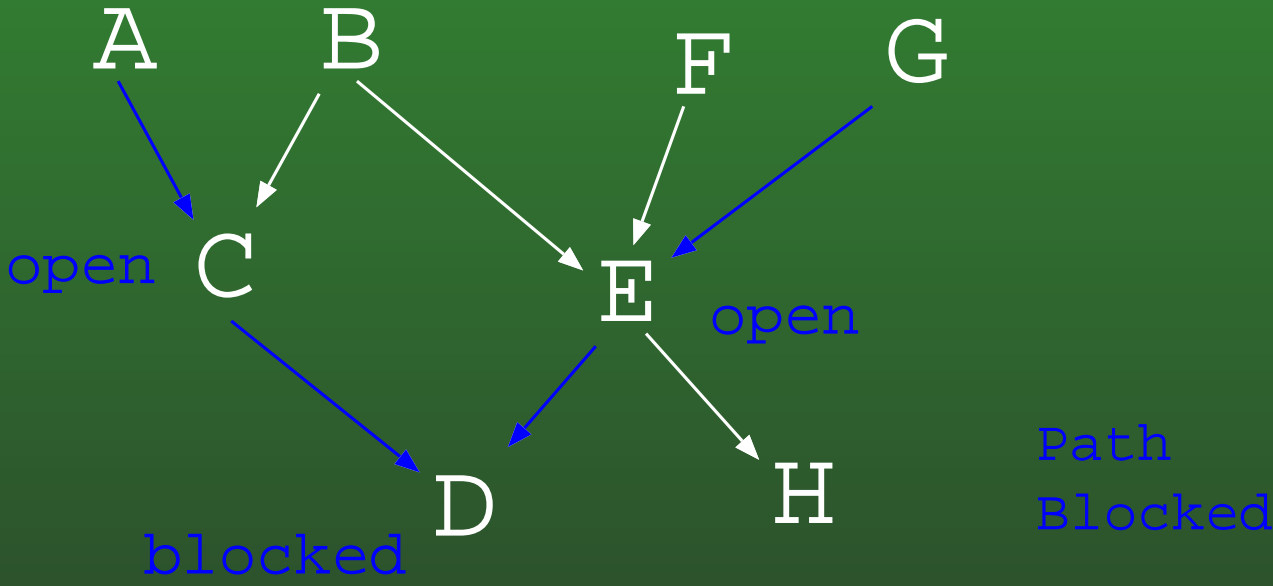
$(A \perp\!\!\!\perp G) ?$

17-21: d-separation Examples



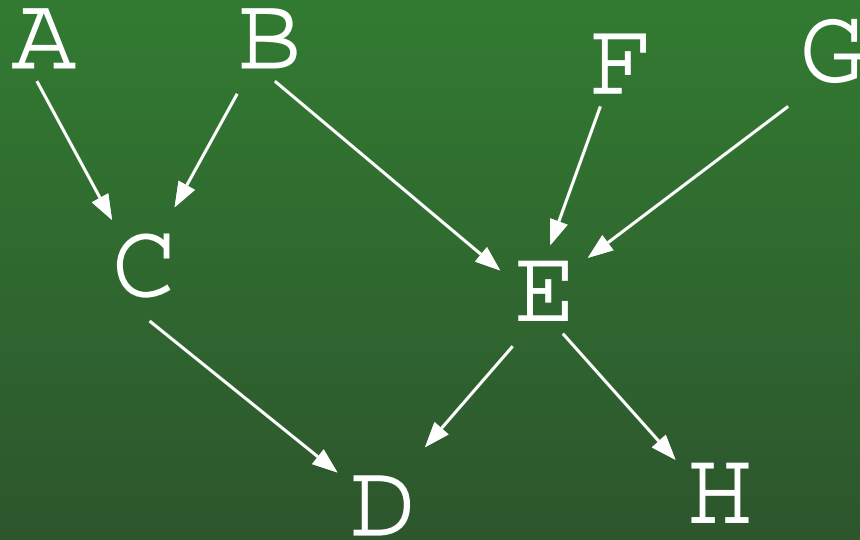
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17-22: d-separation Examples



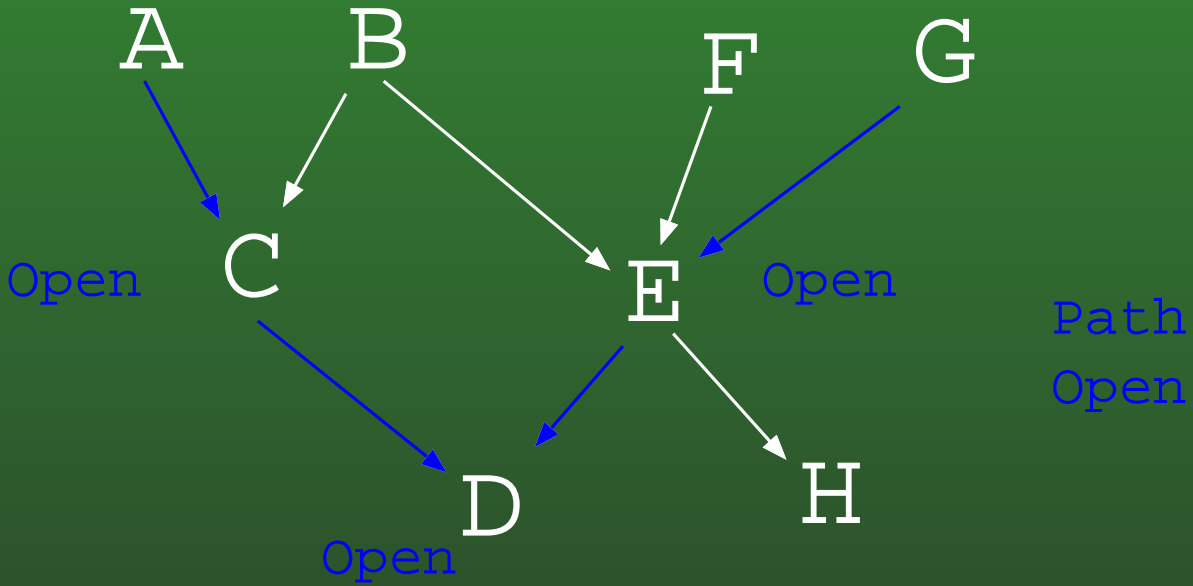
$$(A \perp\!\!\!\perp G) !$$

17-23: d-separation Examples



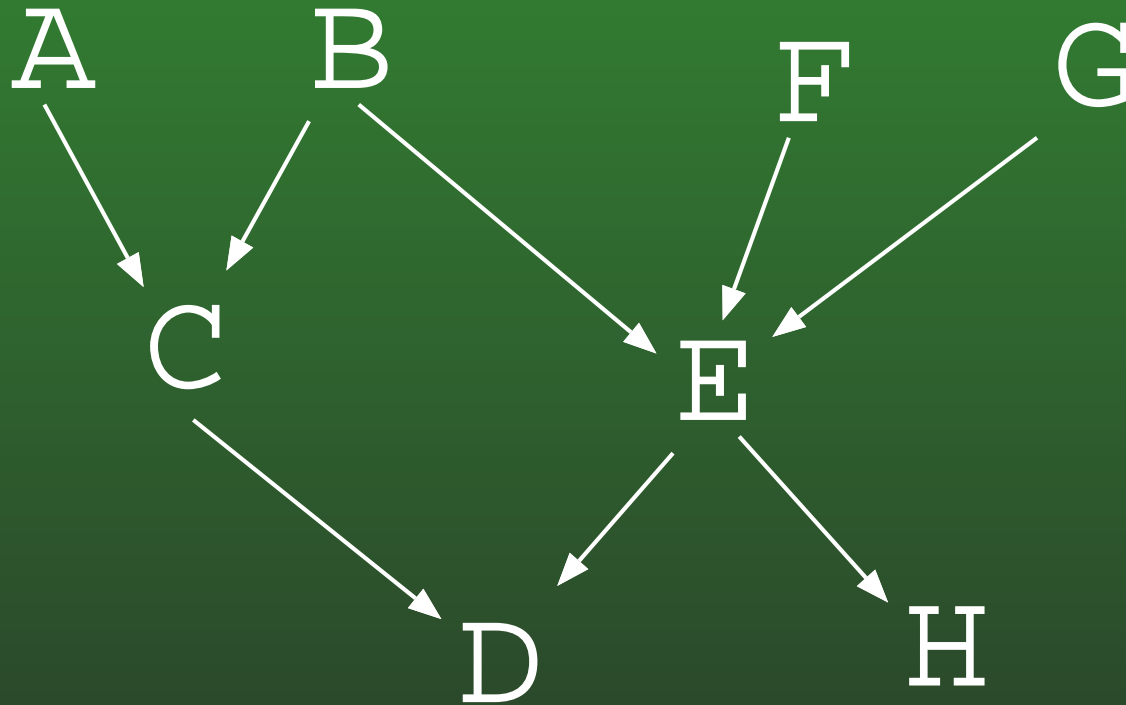
$(A \perp\!\!\!\perp G \mid D) ?$

17-24: d-separation Examples



$$(A \not\perp\!\!\!\perp G \mid D)$$

17-25: d-separation Examples



17-26: Bayesian Networks

To build a Bayesian Network:

- Select variables
- Order variables
 - Normally want a *causal* ordering
- Compute Markovian parents for each variable
- Compute $P(X_i|PA_i)$ for each variable

17-27: Test / Courier Example

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

Disease

$P(T D)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$D = \sim d$	0.9	0.1
$D = d$	0.1	0.9

Test

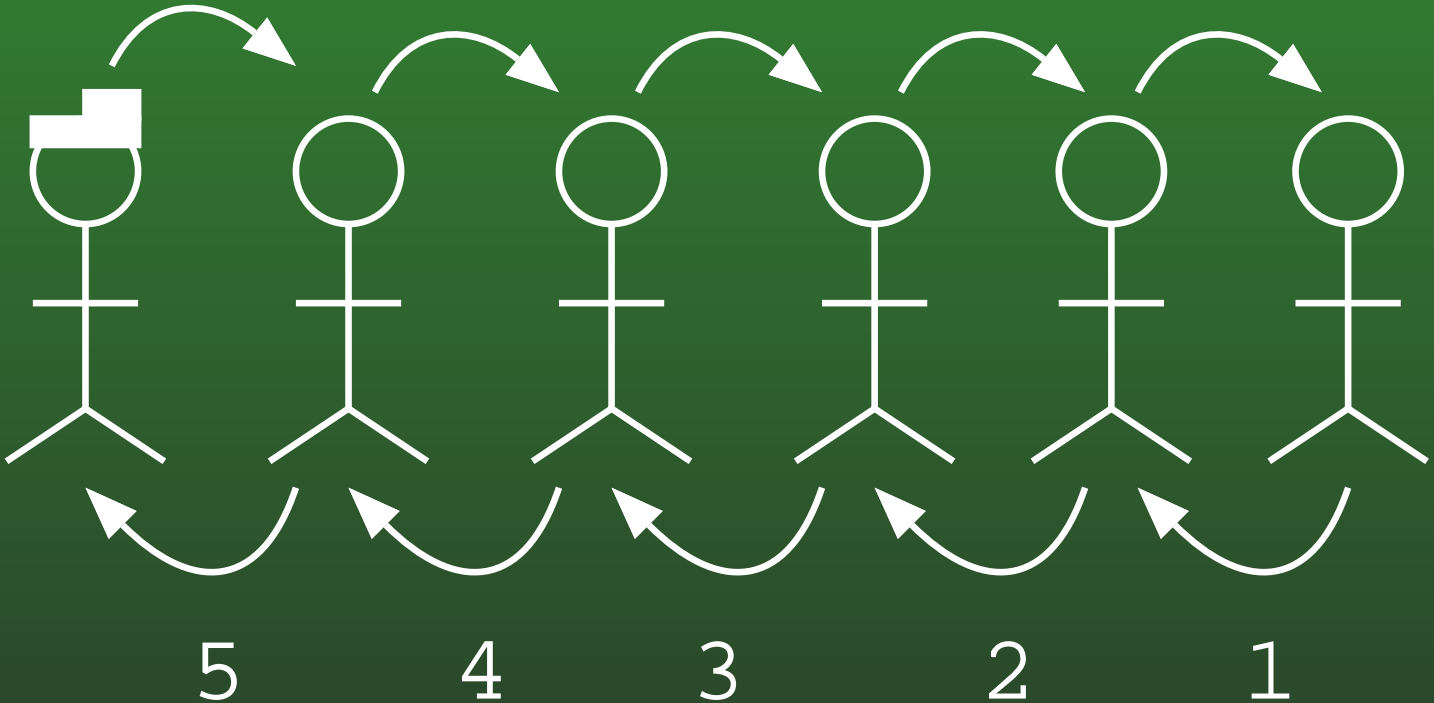
$P(C T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

Courier

17-28: Message Passing

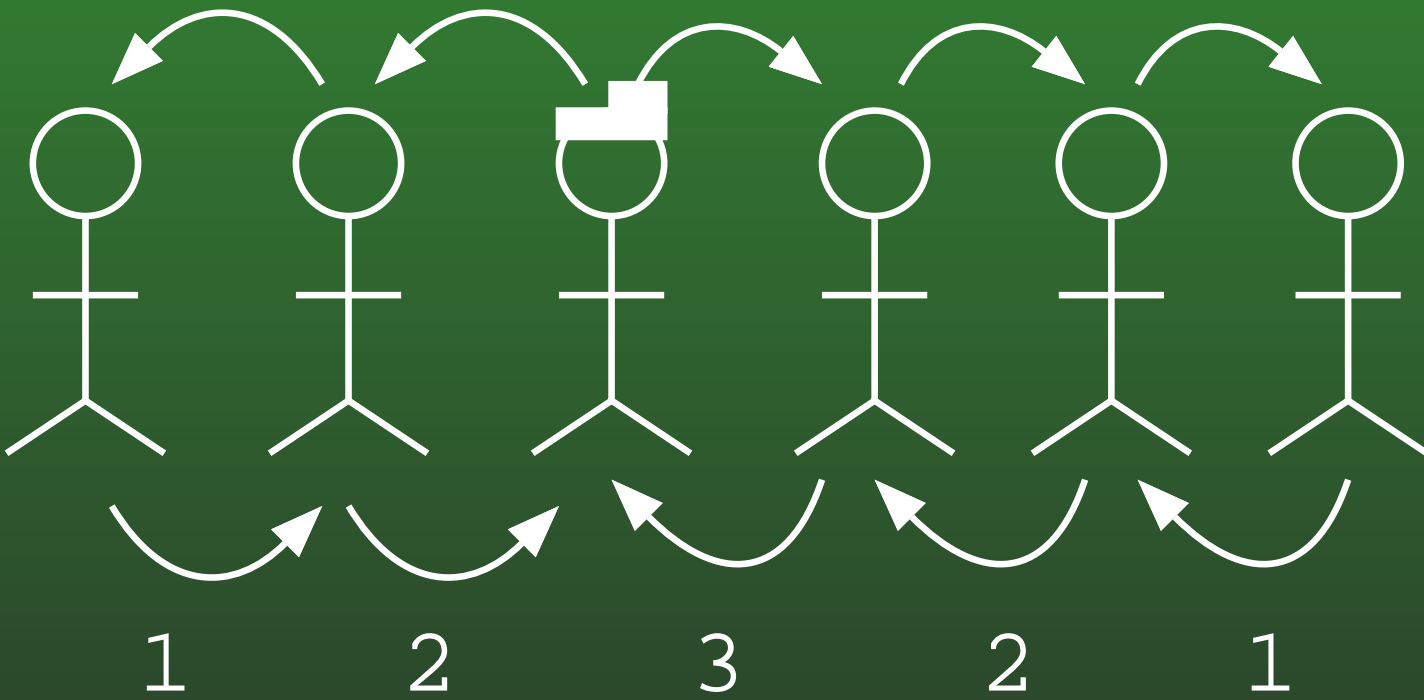
- Once we have our Bayesian Network, we will calculate probabilities using message passing
- Example:
 - Leader of a group of troops wants to know how many soldiers are in the group
 - Sends a “count” message down line of soldiers
 - Gets a count reply back

17-29: Message Passing



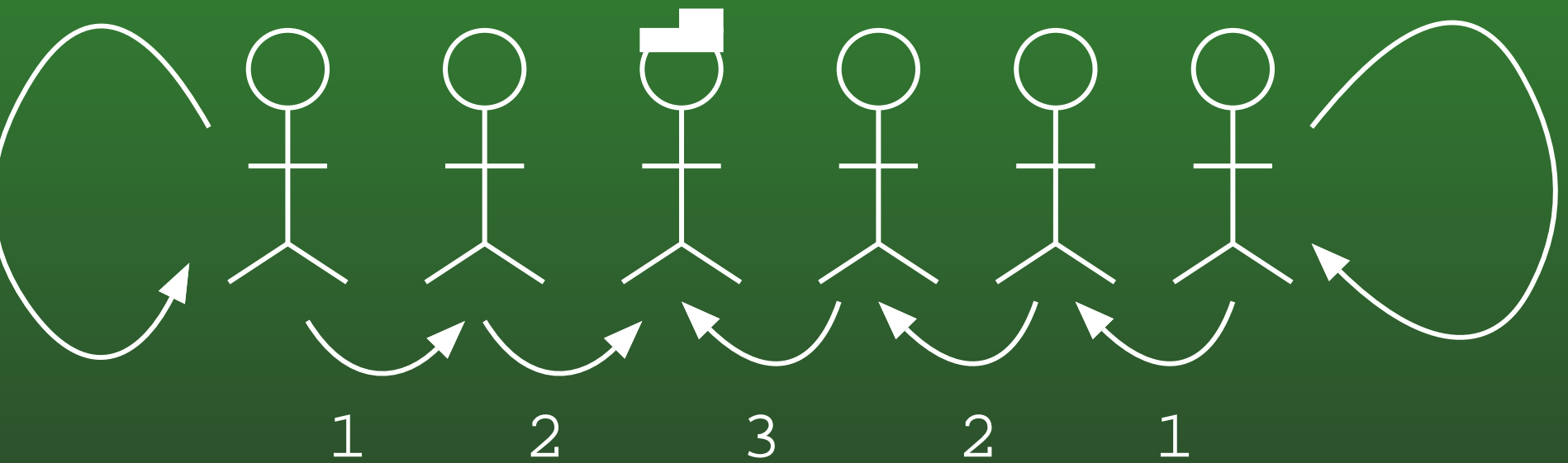
Platoon leader counting soldiers

17-30: Message Passing



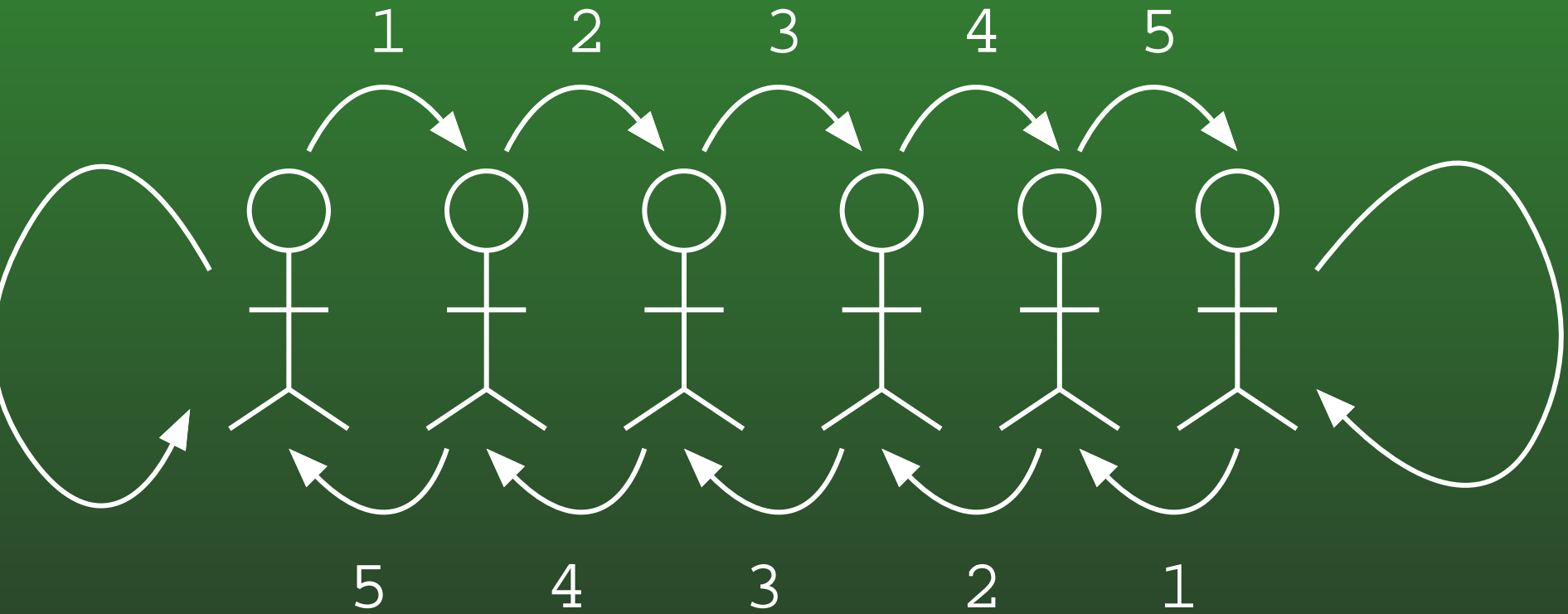
Platoon leader counting soldiers, from middle of line

17-31: Message Passing



atoon leader counting soldiers, with self-generating
ount signal

17-32: Message Passing



Leaderless Counting

17-33: Using Bayesian Networks

- A patient receives a “positive” result from the courier. Does the patient have the disease?
- What is $P(d|c)$?
- In general, what is $P(d|e)$, where e is all the evidence that we have?

17-34: Breaking Up Evidence

- Break evidence e into two pieces
 - “causal evidence” or “causal support”, e^+
 - “diagnostic evidence” or “evidential support” e^-

$$\begin{aligned}P(d|e_d^+, e_d^-) &= \frac{P(d|e_d^+)P(e_d^-|d, e_d^+)}{P(e_d^-)} \\ &= \frac{P(d|e_d^+)P(e_d^-|d)}{P(e_d^-)} \\ &= \alpha P(d|e_d^+)P(e_d^-|d)\end{aligned}$$

17-35: Renaming

$$\begin{aligned}P(d|e_d^+, e_d^-) &= \frac{P(d|e_d^+)P(e_d^-|d, e_d^+)}{P(e_d^-)} \\ &= \frac{P(d|e_d^+)P(e_d^-|d)}{P(e_d^-)} \\ &= \alpha P(d|e_d^+)P(e_d^-|d)\end{aligned}$$

- $\pi(x) = P(x|e_x^+)$
- $\lambda(x) = P(e_x^-|x)$

Thus, $P(d|e) = \alpha\pi(d)\lambda(d)$

17-36: Renaming

$$\begin{aligned}P(x|e_x^+, e_x^-) &= \alpha P(x|e_x^+)P(e_x^-|x) \\ &= \alpha \pi(x)\lambda(x)\end{aligned}$$

- $\pi(x)$ is the “message” from upstream.
- $\lambda(x)$ is the “message” from downstream.

17-37: Calculating $\pi(d)$

- $\pi(d)$ is the probability that $D = d$, given upstream evidence for D
- All we have for upstream evidence is the prior probability for D
- $\pi(d) = \text{Prior Probability on } d = P(d) !$

17-38: Calculating $\lambda(d)$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda(d) &= P(e_d^-|d) \\ &= \sum_{t \in T} P(e_d^-|d, t)P(t|d) \\ &= \sum_{t \in T} P(e_t^-|t)P(t|d) \\ &= \sum_{t \in T} \lambda(t)P(t|d)\end{aligned}$$

17-39: Calculating $\lambda(d)$

$$\lambda(d) = \sum_{t \in T} \lambda(t)P(t|d)$$

$$\lambda(\neg d) = \lambda(\neg t)P(\neg t|\neg d) + \lambda(t)P(t|\neg d)$$

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17-40: Calculating $\lambda(d)$

$$\lambda(d) = \sum_{t \in T} \lambda(t)P(t|d)$$

$$\lambda(D) = [\lambda(\neg d), \lambda(d)]$$

17-41: Calculating $\lambda(D)$

$$\lambda(d) = \sum_{t \in T} \lambda(t)P(t|d)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda(D) &= [\lambda(\neg d), \lambda(d)] \\ &= [\lambda(\neg t)P(\neg t|\neg d) + \lambda(t)P(t|\neg d), \lambda(\neg t)P(\neg t|d) + \lambda(t)P(t|d)]\end{aligned}$$

17-42: Calculating $\lambda(D)$

$$\lambda(d) = \sum_{t \in T} \lambda(t)P(t|d)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda(D) &= [\lambda(\neg d), \lambda(d)] \\ &= [\lambda(\neg t)P(\neg t|\neg d) + \lambda(t)P(t|\neg d), \lambda(\neg t)P(\neg t|d) + \lambda(t)P(t|d)] \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d) & P(t|\neg d) \\ P(\neg t|d) & P(t|d) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda(\neg t) \\ \lambda(t) \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

17-43: Calculating $\lambda(D)$

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17-44: Calculating $\lambda(D)$

- $\lambda(D) = M_{T|D}\lambda(T)$
- $\lambda(T) = M_{C|T}\lambda(C)$
- $\lambda(C) = ?$
 - What is the evidence that $C = \neg c, C = c$?
 - We know that $C = c$
 - $\lambda(C) = [0, 1]$

17-45: Test / Courier Example

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

Disease

$P(T D)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$D = \sim d$	0.9	0.1
$D = d$	0.1	0.9

Test

$P(C T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

$(C) = [0, 1]$

Courier

17-46: Test / Courier Example

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

Disease

$P(T D)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$D = \sim d$	0.9	0.1
$D = d$	0.1	0.9

$\lambda(T) = [0.05, 0.9]$

Test

$P(C T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

$\lambda(C) = [0, 1]$

Courier

17-47: Test / Courier Example

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

$\lambda(D) = [0.135, 0.815]$

Disease

$P(T D)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$D = \sim d$	0.9	0.1
$D = d$	0.1	0.9



$\lambda(T) = [0.05, 0.9]$

Test

$P(C T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9



$\lambda(C) = [0, 1]$

Courier

17-48: Calculating $P(D|e)$

- $\lambda(C) = [0, 1]$
- $\lambda(T) = M_{C|T}\lambda(C) = [0.05, 0.9]$
- $\lambda(D) = M_{T|D}\lambda(T) = [0.135, 0.815]$

From before, $\pi(D) = P(D) = [0.999, 0.001]$

- $P(D|e) = \alpha\pi(D)\lambda(D)$
- $P(D|e) = \alpha[0.999, 0.001][0.135, 0.815]$
- $P(D|e) = \alpha[0.134865, 0.000815]$
 - $\alpha = 1/0.13568$
- $P(D|e) = [0.993993, 0.006007]$

17-49: Calculating $P(T|e)$

- What if we wanted to calculate the probability that the test actually was positive, given that the courier delivered a positive result?
- $P(T|e) = \alpha\pi(T)\lambda(T)$
- We know $\lambda(T)$ from before
- What is $\pi(T)$?

17-50: Calculating $\pi(t)$

$$\begin{aligned}\pi(t) &= P(t|e_t^+) \\ &= \sum_{d \in D} P(t|d, e_t^+)P(d|e_t^+) \\ &= \sum_{d \in D} P(t|d, e_d^+)P(d|e_d^+) \\ &= \sum_{d \in D} P(t|d)P(d|e_d^+) \\ &= \sum_{d \in D} P(t|d)\pi(d)\end{aligned}$$

17-51: Calculating $\pi(t)$

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$$\pi(\neg t) = P(\neg t|\neg d)P(\neg d|e_d^+) + P(\neg t|d)P(d|e_d^+)$$

$$\pi(t) = P(t|\neg d)P(\neg d|e_d^+) + P(t|d)P(d|e_d^+)$$

17-52: Calculating $\pi(T)$

$$\pi(t) = \sum_{d \in D} P(t|d)\pi(d)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\pi(T) &= [\pi(\neg t), \pi(t)] \\ &= [P(\neg t|\neg d)\pi(\neg d) + P(\neg t|d)\pi(d), P(t|\neg d)\pi(\neg d) + P(t|d)\pi(d)] \\ &= [\pi(\neg d), \pi(d)] \begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d) & P(t|\neg d) \\ P(\neg t|d) & P(t|d) \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

17-53: Calculating $\pi(T)$

$$P(D) = [0.999, 0.001]$$

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

$$\lambda(D) = [0.135, 0.815]$$

Disease

$$\pi(T) = [0.8992, 0.1008]$$

$$\lambda(T) = [0.05, 0.9]$$

$$\lambda(C) = [0, 1]$$

$P(T D)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$D = \sim d$	0.9	0.1
$D = d$	0.1	0.9

Test

$P(C T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

Courier

17-54: Calculating $BEL(T) = P(T|e)$

- $BEL(T) = \alpha\pi(T)\lambda(T)$
 - $\lambda(T) = [0.05, 0.9]$
 - $\pi(T) = [0.8992, 0.1008]$
 - $\pi(T)\lambda(T) = [0.04496, 0.09072]$
 - $\alpha = 1/(0.04496 + 0.09072) = 1/(0.13568)$
- $BEL(T) = [0.331368, 0.668632]$

17-55: Computation for Chains

- Calculating π messages:
 - $\pi(\text{root}) = \text{Prior on root}$
 - For any other variable X with parent P ,
$$\pi(X) = \pi(P)M_{X|P}$$
- Calculating λ messages:
 - $\lambda(\text{leaf}) = \text{evidence for leaf}$
 - $([1, 1, \dots, 1])$ if no evidence)
 - For any other variable X with child C ,
$$\lambda(X) = M_{C|X}\lambda(C)$$

17-56: Computation for Chains

- Send π messages down
- Send λ messages up
- For any variable X , we can calculate $BEL(X) = P(X|e)$ by multiplying the messages together, and normalizing
 - $P(X|e) = \alpha \lambda(X) \pi(X)$
 - (Pairwise multiplication)

17-57: Variable # of Values / Variables

- Of course, variables can have > 2 values
- Each variable can have a different number of values
- Disease Example
 - Doctor test for a disease
 - Test can be positive, indeterminate, or negative
 - Doctor discusses the result with the courier
 - Courier delivers result

17-58: Variable # of Values / Variables

P(D)	D = $\sim d$	D = d
	0.999	0.001

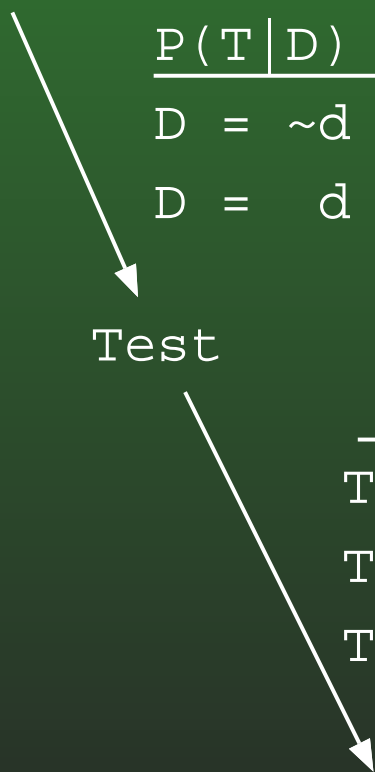
Disease

P(T D)	T = neg	T = ind	T = pos
D = $\sim d$	0.8	0.1	0.1
D = d	0.1	0.1	0.8

Test

P(C T)	C = $\sim c$	C = c
T = neg	0.9	0.1
T = ind	0.5	0.5
T = pos	0.1	0.9

Courier



17-59: Variable # of Values / Variables

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

$\lambda(D)=[0.22, 0.78]$

Disease

$P(T D)$	$T = \text{neg}$	$T = \text{ind}$	$T = \text{pos}$
$D = \sim d$	0.8	0.1	0.1
$D = d$	0.1	0.1	0.8

$\lambda(T)=[0.1, 0.5, 0.9]$

Test

$P(C T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \text{neg}$	0.9	0.1
$T = \text{ind}$	0.5	0.5
$T = \text{pos}$	0.1	0.9

Courier

$\lambda(C)=[0, 1]$

17-60: Computation for Trees

- What if some of the nodes have > 1 child?
- Example: Send message via two different couriers

17-61: Computation for Trees

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

Disease

$P(T D)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$D = \sim d$	0.9	0.1
$D = d$	0.1	0.9

$P(C1 T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

Test

$P(C2 T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

Courier1

Courier2

17-62: Computation for Trees

- How do we send λ messages in trees?
- Courier example: What is $\lambda(T)$, which is the probability of the downstream evidence given the test, if both couriers give a positive response?
- We will need to combine the messages that we get from each child into a single λ message
 - Use this λ message to compute $BEL(T)$
 - Use this λ message to send a message to D

17-63: Calculating $\lambda(t)$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda(t) &= P(e_t^-|t) \\ &= P(e_{C_1}^-, e_{C_2}^-|t) \\ &= P(e_{C_1}^-|t)P(e_{C_2}^-|t) \\ &= \sum_{c_1 \in C_1} P(e_{C_1}^-|c_1, t)P(c_1|t) \sum_{c_2 \in C_2} P(e_{C_2}^-|c_2, t)P(c_2|t) \\ &= \sum_{c_1 \in C_1} P(e_{C_1}^-|c_1)P(c_1|t) \sum_{c_2 \in C_2} P(e_{C_2}^-|c_2)P(c_2|t) \\ &= \sum_{c_1 \in C_1} \lambda(c_1)P(c_1|t) \sum_{c_2 \in C_2} \lambda(c_2)P(c_2|t)\end{aligned}$$

17-64: Calculating $\lambda(T)$

$$\lambda(t) = \sum_{c_1 \in C_1} \lambda(c_1)P(c_1|t) \sum_{c_2 \in C_2} \lambda(c_2)P(c_2|t)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda(T) &= M_{C_1|T}\lambda(C_1) * M_{C_2|T}\lambda(C_2) \\ &= \lambda_{C_1}(T) * \lambda_{C_2}(T)\end{aligned}$$

17-65: Computation for Trees

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

$\lambda(D) = [0.08325, 0.72925]$ Disease

$P(T D)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$D = \sim d$	0.9	0.1
$D = d$	0.1	0.9

$\lambda(T) = [0.0025, 0.81]$

Test

$\lambda_{C1}(T) = [0.05, 0.9]$

$\lambda_{C2}(T) = [0.05, 0.9]$

$P(C1 T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

$P(C2 T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

Courier1

Courier2

$\lambda(C1) = [0, 1]$

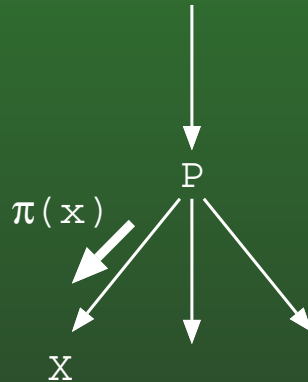
$\lambda(C2) = [0, 1]$

17-66: Computation for Trees

- $BEL(D) = \alpha\pi(D)\lambda(D)$
 - $\pi(D) = [0.999, 0.001]$
 - $\lambda(D) = [0.08325, 0.72925]$
 - $\pi(D)\lambda(D) = [0.0831667, 0.00072925]$
 - $\alpha = 1/(0.08389595)$
- $BEL(D) = [0.991308, 0.008692]$

17-67: Sending π Messages in Trees

- $\pi(x) = P(x|e_x^+)$
- That is, $\pi(x)$ is $P(X = x)$, given all upstream evidence from X



- $\pi(X) = P(P|e_X^+)P(X|P)$
- $\pi(P) * \lambda_{\text{other children of } P}(P)M_{X|P}$
- $(BEL(P)/\lambda_X(P))M_{X|P}$
 - Pairwise division

17-68: Sending π Messages in Trees

- What is the probability that Courier 1 will give a positive result, given that Courier 2 gave a positive result?
- $P(C1|e)$
 - Evidence e is the prior probability for disease, and the fact that Courier 2 gave a positive result

17-69: Sending π Messages in Trees

- What is the probability that Courier 1 will give a positive result, given that Courier 2 gave a positive result?
- $P(C1|e)$
 - Evidence e is the prior probability for disease, and the fact that Courier 2 gave a positive result
- $\pi(C1) = \alpha\pi(T) * \lambda_{C2}(T)M_{C1|T}$

17-70: Computation for Trees

P(D)	D = ~d	D = d
	0.999	0.001

$$\pi(D) = [0.999, 0.001]$$

Disease

P(T D)	T = ~t	T = t
D = ~d	0.9	0.1
D = d	0.1	0.9

$$\pi(T) = [0.8992, 0.1008]$$

Test

$$\pi(T) \lambda_{C2}(T) = [.04496, 0.09072]$$

$$\lambda_{C2}(T) = [0.05, 0.9]$$

P(C1 T)	C = ~c	C = c
T = ~t	0.95	0.05
T = t	0.1	0.9

P(C2 T)	C = ~c	C = c
T = ~t	0.95	0.05
T = t	0.1	0.9

Courier1

Courier2

$$\lambda(C2) = [0, 1]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \pi(C1) &= \alpha[0.051884, 0.083896] \\ &= [0.382952, 0.619232] \end{aligned}$$

17-71: Computation for Trees

- For root variable R , $\pi(R) = \text{Prior on } R$
- For unobserved leaf variables L , $\lambda(L) = [1, 1, \dots, 1]$
- For leaf variables L observed to have the value l_k , $\lambda(L) = [0, \dots, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0]$ – the k^{th} element is 1, all others are 0
- Pass π and λ messages through the tree
 - Multiply π message by λ messages from other children, then multiply the result by the link matrix
 - Multiply link matrix by λ messages
 - Multiple Children – multiply λ messages

17-72: Multiple Parents (Polytrees)

- Add a gender variable
- Test for disease depends upon gender, as well as disease state
- Need to expand link matrix for test to include gender
 - Need $P(t|g, d)$ for all values of t, g, d

17-73: Multiple Parents (Polytrees)

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

Disease

$P(G)$	$G = m$	$G = f$
	0.5	0.5

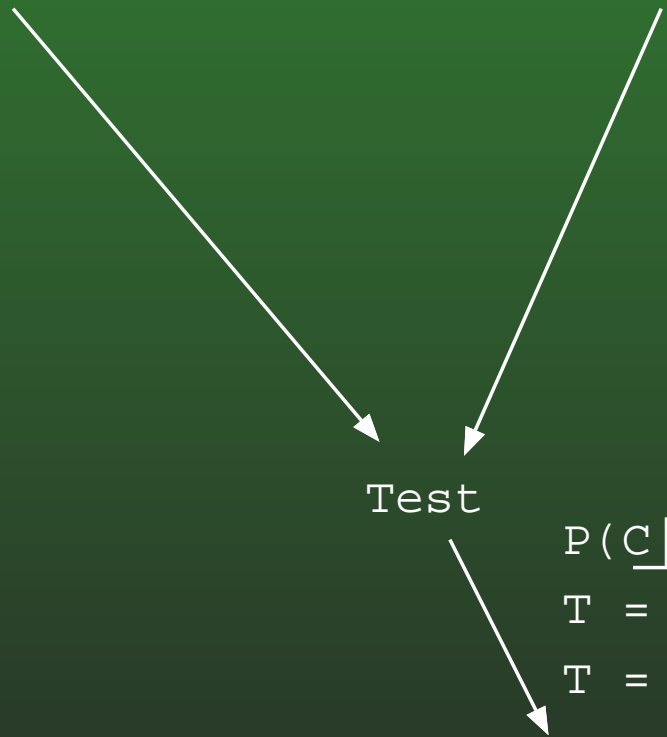
Gender

$T (D, G)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$\sim d, m$	0.9	0.1
$\sim d, f$	0.8	0.2
d, m	0.1	0.9
d, f	0.2	0.8

Test

$P(C T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

Courier



17-74: Calculating $\pi()$ in Polytrees

- For each parent X , we have $P(X|e^+)$
 - $P(D) = [0.999, 0.001], P(G) = [0.5, 0, 5]$
- We need the probabilities for all combinations of parents
 - $P(\neg d, m), P(\neg d, f), P(d, m), P(d, f)$
- Parents are *independent* given upstream evidence
 - $P(\neg d, m) = P(\neg d)P(m)$

17-75: Calculating $\pi()$ in Polytrees

- We have $[P(\neg d), P(d)]$ and $[P(m), P(f)]$
- We need $[P(\neg d, m), P(\neg d, f), P(d, m), P(d, f)]$
 - $P(\neg d, m) = P(\neg d)P(m)$, $P(\neg d, f) = P(\neg d)P(f)$, etc.
- $P(\neg d, m) = 0.999 * 0.5$, $P(\neg d, f) = 0.999 * 0.5$,
 $P(d, m) = 0.001 * 0.5$, $P(d, f) = 0.001 * 0.5$
- $P(D, G) = [0.4995, 0.4995, 0.0005, 0.0005]$
- $\pi(T) =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \pi(\neg d, m) & \pi(\neg d, f) & \pi(d, m) & \pi(d, f) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d, m) & P(t|\neg d, m) \\ P(\neg t|\neg d, f) & P(t|\neg d, f) \\ P(\neg t|d, m) & P(t|d, m) \\ P(\neg t|d, f) & P(t|d, f) \end{bmatrix}$$

17-76: Calculating $\pi(T)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \pi(\neg d, m) & \pi(\neg d, f) & \pi(d, m) & \pi(d, f) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d, m) & P(t|\neg d, m) \\ P(\neg t|\neg d, f) & P(t|\neg d, f) \\ P(\neg t|d, m) & P(t|d, m) \\ P(\neg t|d, f) & P(t|d, f) \end{bmatrix}$$

=

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.4995 & 0.4995 & 0.0005 & 0.0005 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.9 & 0.1 \\ 0.8 & 0.2 \\ 0.1 & 0.9 \\ 0.2 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0.8493 & 0.1507 \end{bmatrix}$$

17-77: Calculating $BEL(T)$

- What is our belief that the test actually is positive, given that the courier delivers a positive message?
 - $\pi(T) = [0.8493, 0.1507]$
 - $\lambda(T) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.95 & 0.05 \\ 0.1 & 0.9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
 - $\lambda(T) = [0.05, 0.9]$
- $BEL(T) = \alpha[0.42465, 0.13565]$ ($\alpha = 1/0.5603$)
- $BEL(T) = [0.757898, 0.242102]$

17-78: Calculating $\pi()$ in Polytrees

- To calculate $\pi(X)$, when X has multiple parents m :
 - For each parent Y_k of X , calculate $P(Y_k|e_X^+)$
(Define message from Y_k to X , $\pi_X(Y_k) = (Y_k|e_X^+)$
 - If X is the only child of Y_k , $\pi_X(Y_k) = \pi(Y_k)$
 - If Y_k has children $C_1 \dots C_j$ other than X , then
$$\pi_X(Y_k) = \pi(Y_k) \prod_{i=1 \dots j} \lambda_{C_i}(Y)$$
 - (That is, $\pi_X(Y_k) = BEL(Y) / \lambda_X(Y)$)
 - Combine the π_X messages from all the parents, and multiply the result by the link matrix $M_{X|Y_1 \dots Y_m}$ to get $\pi(X)$

17-79: Calculating $\lambda()$ in Polytrees

$P(D)$	$D = \sim d$	$D = d$
	0.999	0.001

Disease

$P(G)$	$G = m$	$G = f$
	0.5	0.5

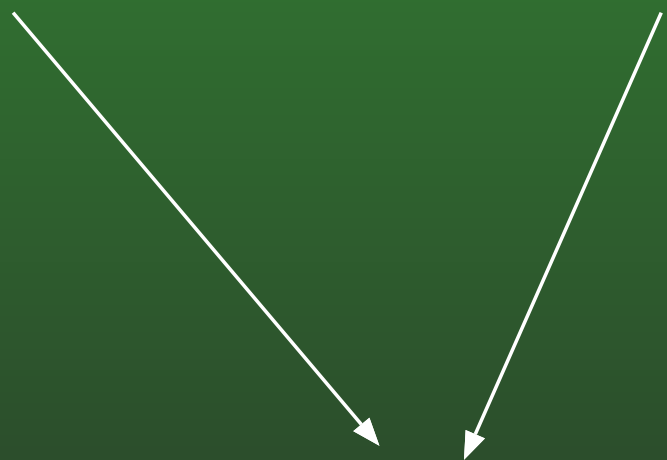
Gender

$T D, G)$	$T = \sim t$	$T = t$
$\sim d, m$	0.9	0.1
$\sim d, f$	0.8	0.2
d, m	0.1	0.9
d, f	0.2	0.8

Test

$P(C T)$	$C = \sim c$	$C = c$
$T = \sim t$	0.95	0.05
$T = t$	0.1	0.9

Courier



17-80: Calculating $\lambda()$ in Polytrees

- How do we send a λ message up to Disease, given the combined link matrix for Disease and

$$\text{Gender?} \begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d, m) & P(t|\neg d, m) \\ P(\neg t|\neg d, f) & P(t|\neg d, f) \\ P(\neg t|d, m) & P(t|d, m) \\ P(\neg t|d, f) & P(t|d, f) \end{bmatrix}$$

- If we knew that the gender was definitely male, then we could select the appropriate two rows, to

$$\text{create a 2x2 matrix:} \begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d, m) & P(t|\neg d, m) \\ P(\neg t|d, m) & P(t|d, m) \end{bmatrix}$$

17-81: Calculating $\lambda()$ in Polytrees

- How do we send a λ message up to Disease, given the combined link matrix for Disease and

$$\text{Gender?} \begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d, m) & P(t|\neg d, m) \\ P(\neg t|\neg d, f) & P(t|\neg d, f) \\ P(\neg t|d, m) & P(t|d, m) \\ P(\neg t|d, f) & P(t|d, f) \end{bmatrix}$$

- If we knew that the gender was definitely female, then we could select the appropriate two rows, to

$$\text{create a 2x2 matrix:} \begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d, f) & P(t|\neg d, f) \\ P(\neg t|d, f) & P(t|d, f) \end{bmatrix}$$

17-82: Calculating $\lambda()$ in Polytrees

- If we knew the value of Gender, we could select the correct rows to build the appropriate link matrix to send the lambda message.
- We don't know for certain the value of Gender, but we *do* know the probability G , given evidence upstream of T :

- $P(G|e_T^+) = \pi_T(G) = \pi(G) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$

- We can then average the rows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} P(\neg t|\neg d, m) * P(m) + P(\neg t|\neg d, f)P(f) & P(t|\neg d, m)P(m) + P(t|\neg d, f)P(f) \\ P(\neg t|d, m) * P(m) + P(\neg t|d, f)P(f) & P(t|d, m)P(m) + P(t|d, f)P(f) \end{bmatrix}$$

17-83: Calculating $\lambda()$ in Polytrees

Original Link Matrix $M_{T|D,C}$

$P(T D, C)$	$T = \neg t$	$T = t$
$\neg d, m$	0.9	0.1
$\neg d, f$	0.8	0.2
d, m	0.1	0.9
d, f	0.2	0.8

Revised Link Matrix $M_{T|D}$

$P(T D)$	$T = \neg t$	$T = t$
$\neg d$	0.85	0.15
d	0.15	0.85

17-84: Calculating $BEL(D)$

$$\lambda(D) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.85 & 0.15 \\ 0.15 & 0.85 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.05 \\ 0.9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0.1775 & 0.7725 \end{bmatrix}$$

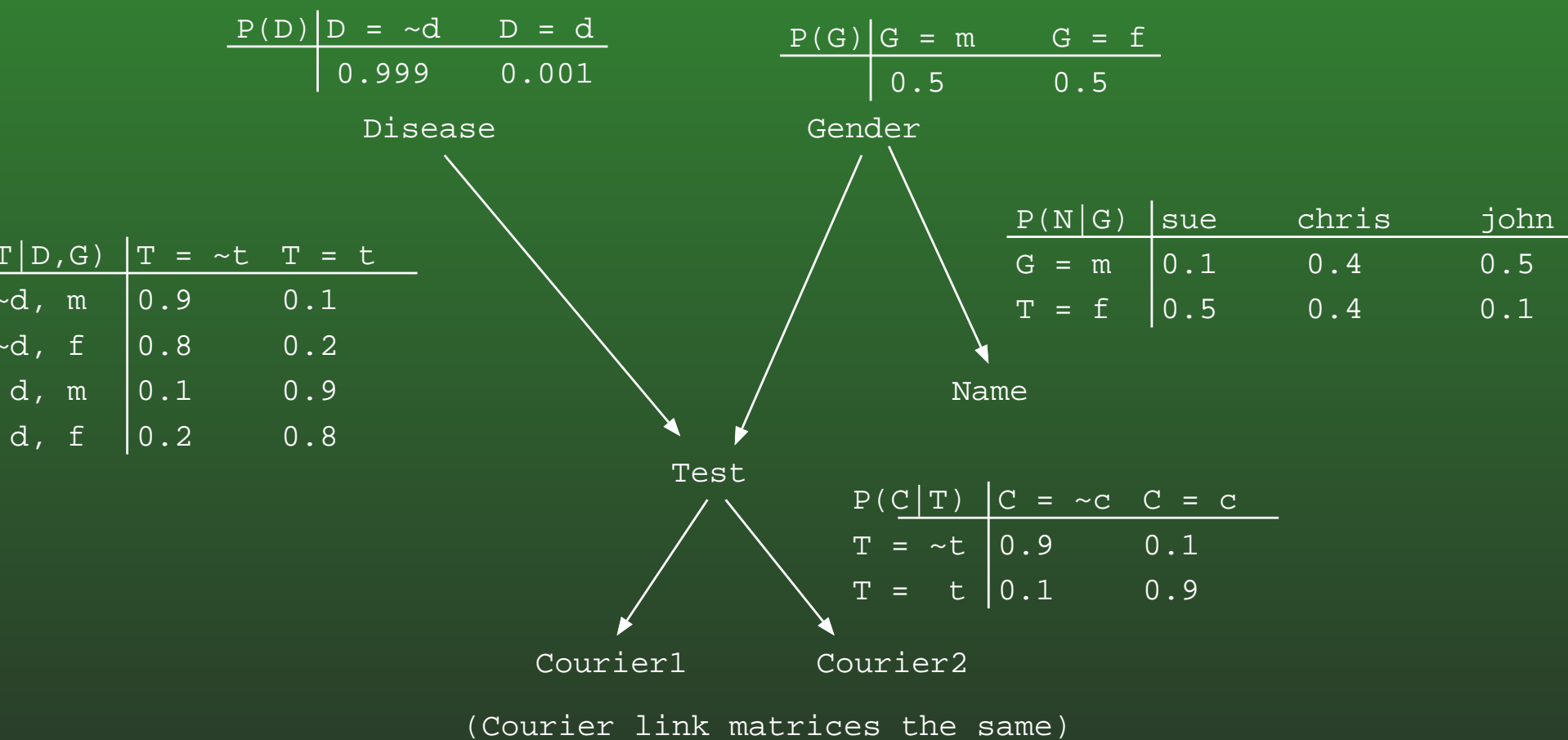
$$\pi(D) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.999 & 0.001 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$BEL(D) = \alpha \pi(D) \lambda(D)$$

$$= \alpha \begin{bmatrix} 0.177323 & 0.0007725 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0.99566 & 0.00434 \end{bmatrix}$$

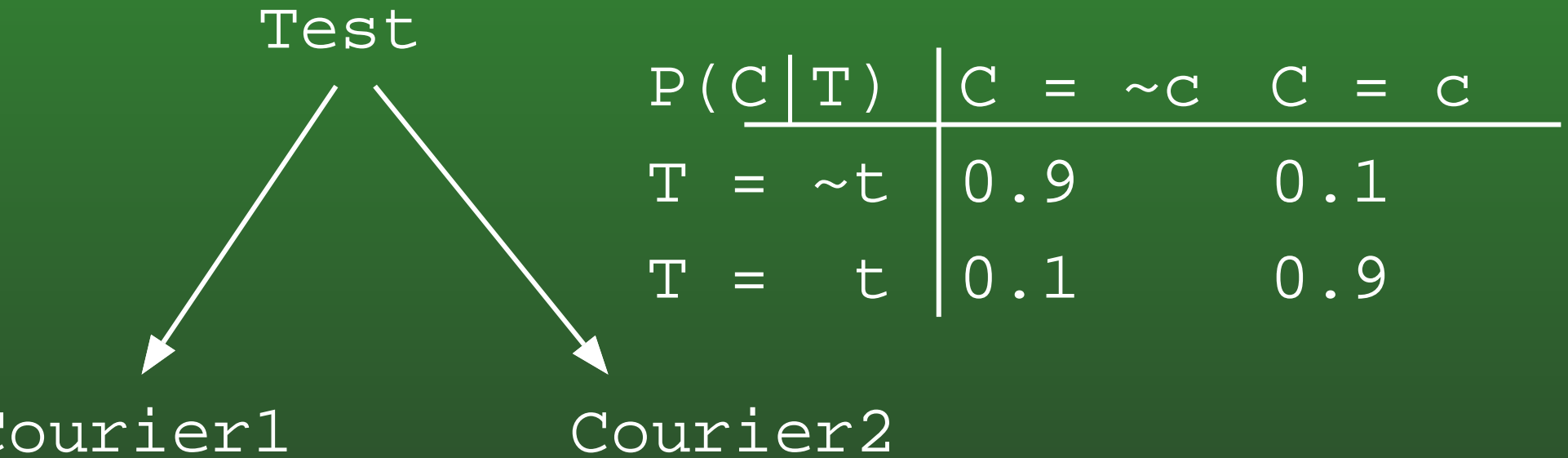
17-85: Complete Polytree Example



17-86: Complete Polytree Example

- Find $BEL(D)$, given that:
 - Both couriers return a positive result
 - Patients name is John

17-87: Polytree Example: λ s



- $\lambda(C_1) = \lambda(C_2) = [0, 1]$
- $\lambda_{C_1}(T) = [0.1, 0.9]$
- $\lambda_{C_2}(T) = [0.1, 0.9]$
- $\lambda(T) = [0.01, 0.81]$

17-88: Polytree Example: λ s

ender



$P(N G)$	sue	chris	john
$G = m$	0.1	0.4	0.5
$T = f$	0.5	0.4	0.1

Name

- $\lambda(N) = [0, 0, 1]$
- $\lambda(G) = [0.5, 0.1]$

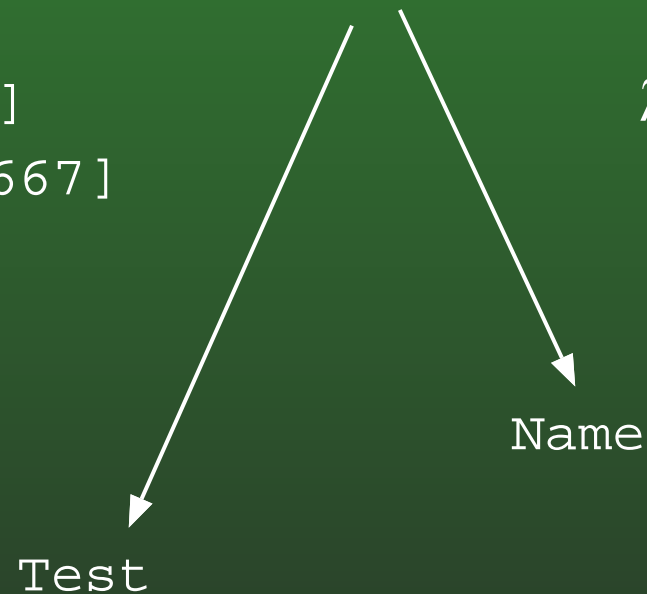
17-89: Polytree Example: λ s

$P(G)$	$G = m$	$G = f$
	0.5	0.5

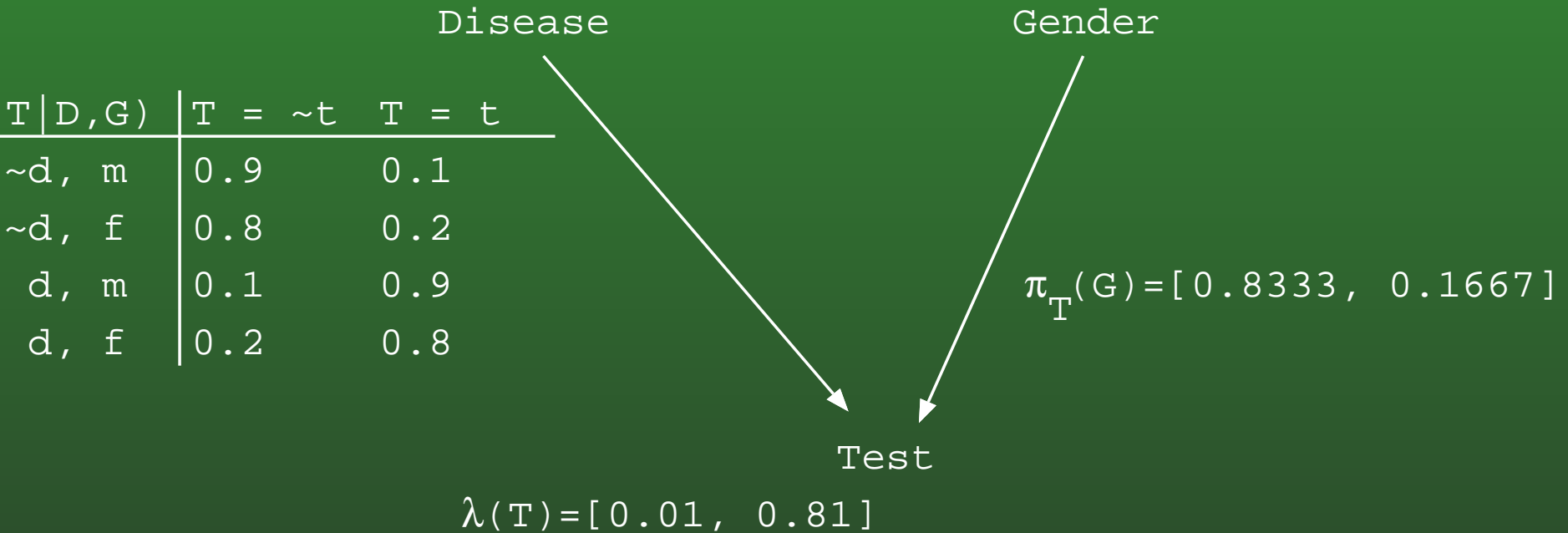
Gender

$$\begin{aligned} \tau(G) &= \alpha[0.25, 0.05] \\ &= [0.8333, 0.1667] \end{aligned}$$

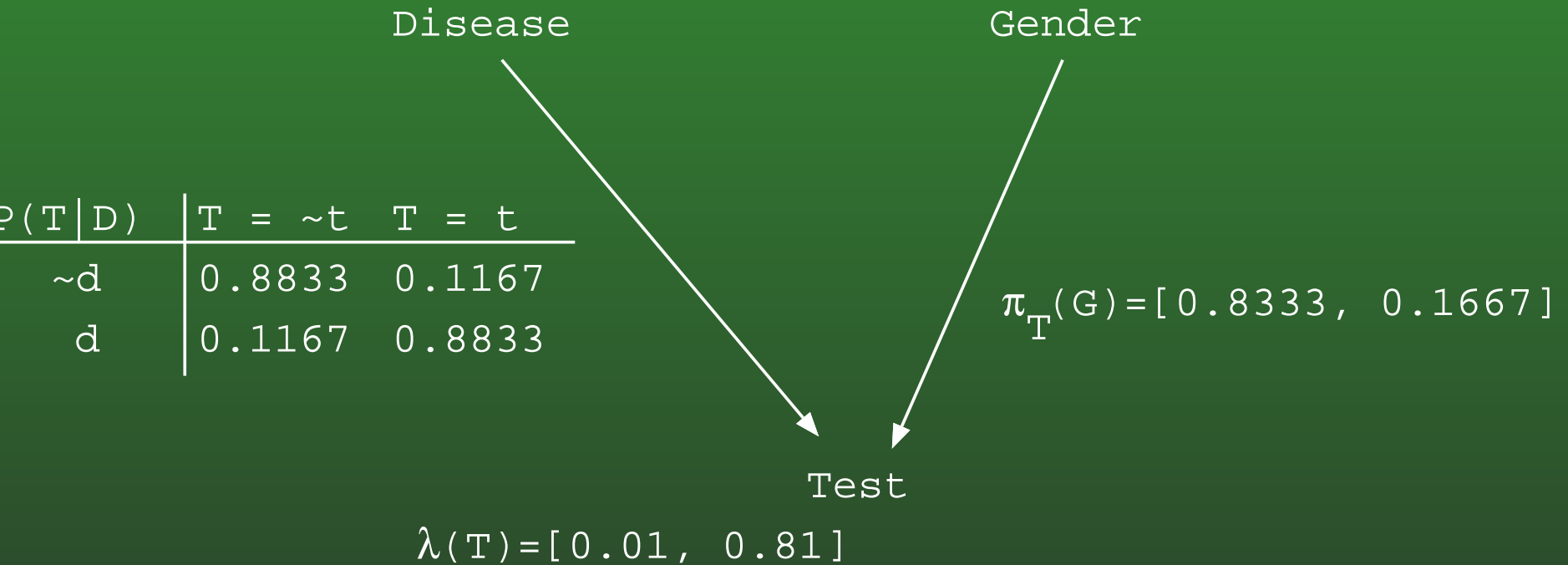
$$\lambda(G) = [0.5, 0.1]$$



17-90: Polytree Example: λ s

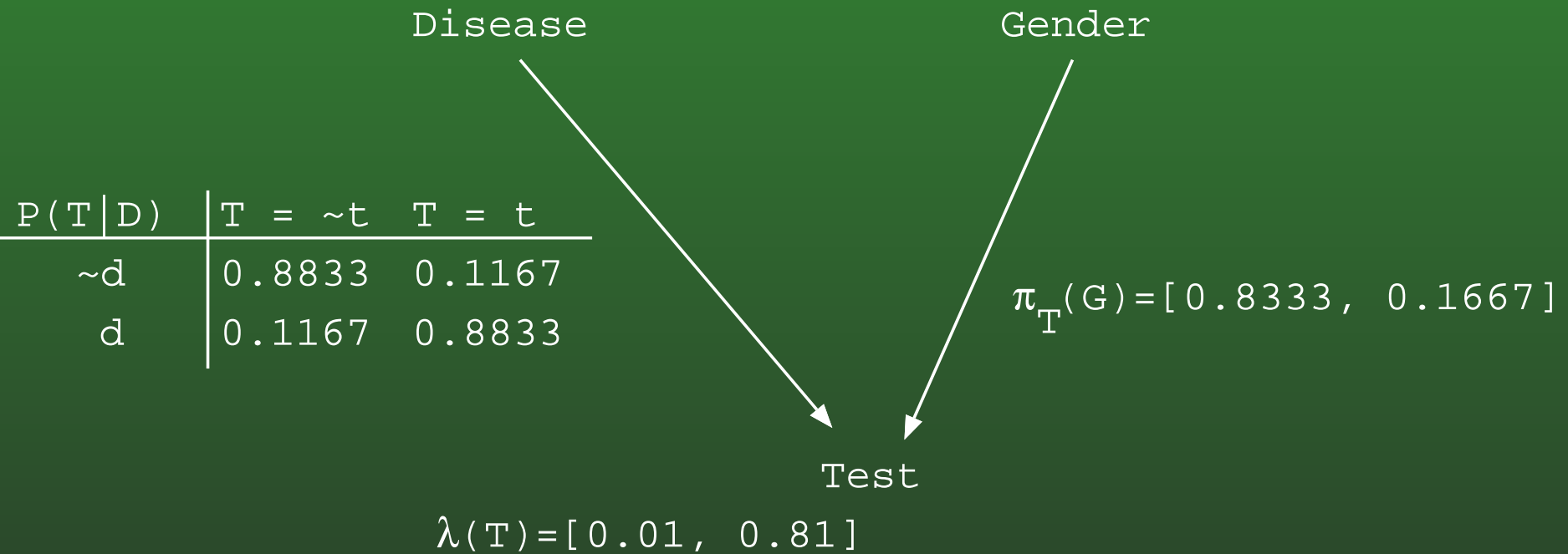


17-91: Polytree Example: λ s



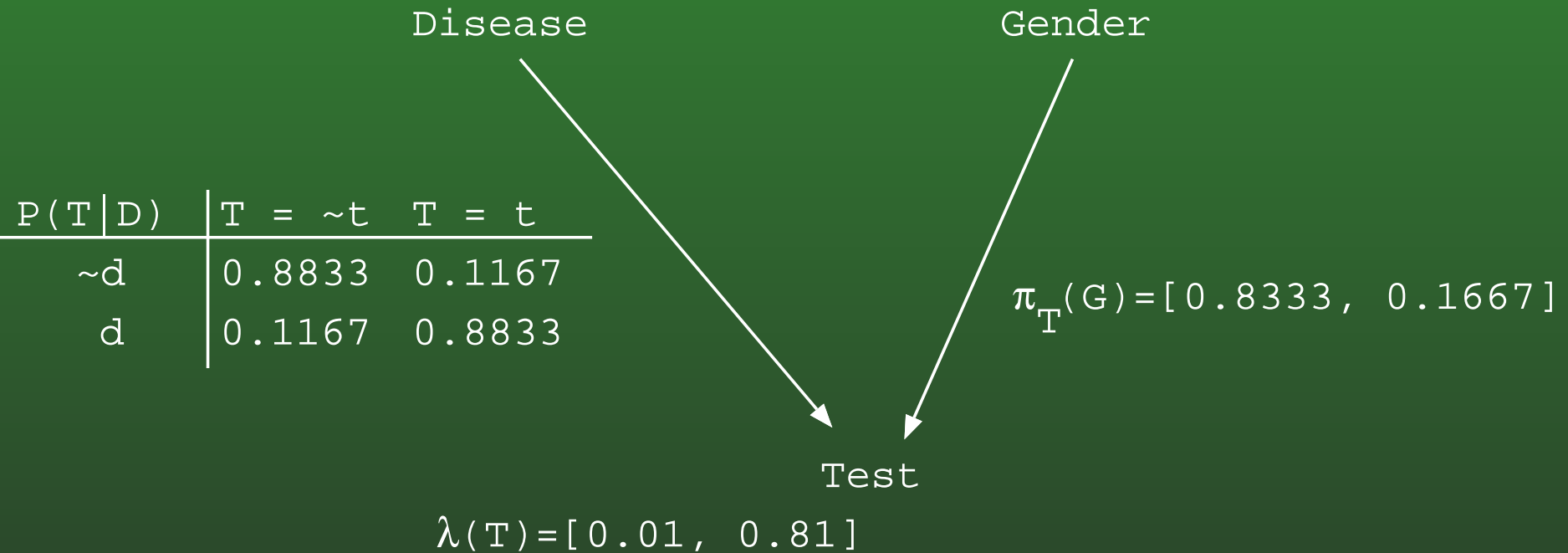
17-92: Polytree Example: λ s

$D)=[0.1034, 0.7166]$



17-93: Polytree Example: λ s

$\pi(D)=[0.1034, 0.7166]$



$$BEL(D) = \alpha \pi(D) \lambda(D)$$

$$BEL(D) = \alpha [0.999, 0.001] [0.1034, 0.7166]$$

$$BEL(D) = \alpha [0.1033, 0.0007]$$

$$BEL(D) = \alpha [0.9933, 0.0067]$$

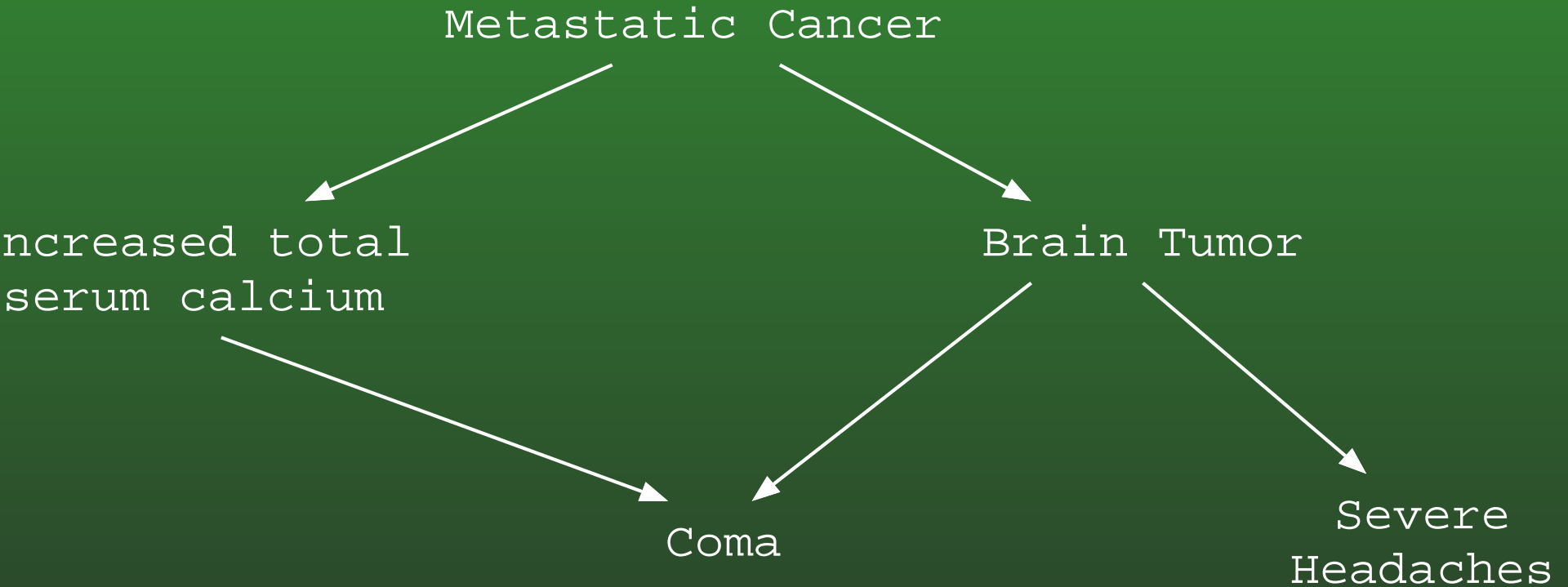
17-94: Observing Non-Leaves

- What if we observe a variable that is not a leaf?
 - For instance, we observe the actual test result
- Add a “phantom child”
- Set λ message from that child to $[0, \dots, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0]$, where the 1 occurs at the observed value
- This λ message will override all other evidence for the node

17-95: Bayesian Network Failures

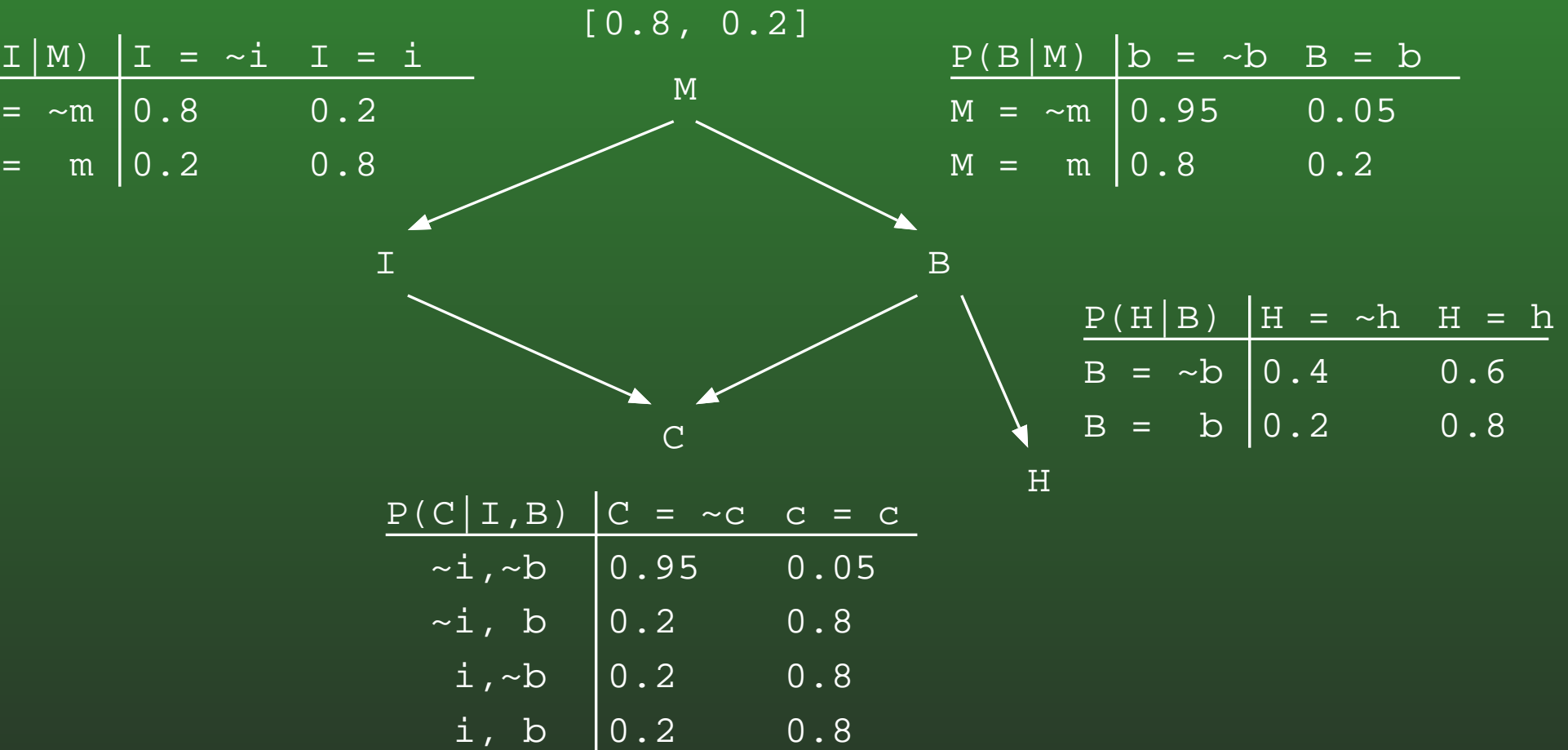
- Unfortunately, message passing only works for *polytrees* – DAGs whose underlying undirected graph has no cycles.
- There are systems that we would like to model (including many medical systems) whose Markovian DAG does not form a polytree.
- Message passing system is not guaranteed to produce correct results in non-polytrees.

17-96: Non-Polytree DAGs



- We can still calculate $P(X_i|PA_i) \dots$

17-97: Non-Polytree DAGs



- This is still enough information to answer queries – we just can't use the message passing scheme
 - why?

17-98: Monte Carlo Method

- For each root variable, pick a value for the variable according to the prior.
- For example:
 - X is a root variable
 - $\pi(X) = [0.3, 0.2, 0.5]$
 - \Rightarrow Pick the value x_1 for X with probability 0.3, x_2 with probability 0.2, and x_3 with probability 0.5

17-99: Monte Carlo Method

- Once a value for all of the parents of a node Z have been chosen, pick a value for the node based on the value of the parents, and $P(Z|PA_Z)$
- For example:
 - If Z has a single parent W
 - $W = [0, 1, 0]$,

	$P(Z W)$	z_1	z_2	z_3
• $P(Z W) =$	w_1	0.1	0.2	0.8
	w_2	0.3	0.4	0.3
	w_3	0.9	0.1	0

- \Rightarrow Pick z_1 with probability 0.3, z_2 with probability 0.4, and z_3 with probability 0.3.

17-100: Monte Carlo Method

- Once values have been chosen for all variables in the network, we have a single trial
- Do repeated trials, collect frequency information, and use that information to determine the values of queries.

17-101: Monte Carlo Method

- Once values have been chosen for all variables in the network, we have a single trial
- Do repeated trials, collect frequency information, and use that information to determine the values of queries.
 - To determine $P(x|y)$, count the number of trials in which $X = x$ and $Y = y$, and the number of trials in which $Y = y$, and divide to get an estimate on $P(x|y)$

17-102: Monte Carlo Method

- Disadvantages of the Monte Carlo Method:

17-103: Monte Carlo Method

- Disadvantages of the Monte Carlo Method:
 - Not guaranteed to find an exact probability in finite time.
 - Can require exponential time to get good results.
 - Calculating $P(x|y)$ when both x and y are unlikely can require a very large number of iterations to get good data.

17-104: Monte Carlo Method

- Advantages of the Monte Carlo Method:

17-105: Monte Carlo Method

- Advantages of the Monte Carlo Method:
 - Does not require exponential space
 - Do not need to modify the network (no node collapsing)
 - Easy to implement
 - And easy to parallelize
 - Can get approximate answers “quickly”, and can get better answers with more time

17-106: Other Techniques

- There are a plethora of other techniques for doing inference in non-polytrees
 - Combining nodes to remove cycles
 - Methods using undirected graphs
 - Leave those methods unexplored

17-107: Applications of Bayesian Networks

- Diagnosis (widely used in Microsoft's products)
- Medical diagnosis
- Spam filtering
- Expert systems applications (plant control, monitoring)
- Robotic control