

Ex 10-1

Assignment due $A=a$

News group is busy $B=b$

Computer lab is full $C=c$

$A = \{a, \neg a\}$

$B = \{b, \neg b\}$

$C = \{c, \neg c\}$

B, C conditionally independent.

$$\Rightarrow P(BC|A) = P(B|A) P(C|A)$$

1)

$P(A, B, C)$			
a	b	c	0.032
a	b	$\neg c$	0.048
a	$\neg b$	c	0.008
a	$\neg b$	$\neg c$	0.012
$\neg a$	b	c	0.054
$\neg a$	b	$\neg c$	0.216
$\neg a$	$\neg b$	c	0.026
$\neg a$	$\neg b$	$\neg c$	0.504

2)

$P(B, C)$		
b	c	0.086
b	$\neg c$	0.264
$\neg b$	c	0.134
$\neg b$	$\neg c$	0.516

Notice:

$$P(B=b) = 0.35$$

$$P(\neg B \wedge C=c) = 0.022$$

$$P(B=b, C=c) = 0.086$$

$$P(B=b) P(C=c) = 0.35 \times 0.22 \neq 0.086 \\ = 0.077$$

3)

$$P(A|B=b)$$
$$\Rightarrow P(A=a|B=b) = \frac{P(A=a, B=b)}{P(B=b)} = \frac{0.08}{0.35} = 0.229$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A \neq a | B=b) = 1 - 0.229 = 0.771$$

4) $P(A|B=b, C=c)$

$$\Rightarrow P(A=a|B=b, C=c) = \frac{P(A=a, B=b, C=c)}{P(B=b, C=c)} = \frac{0.032}{0.086} = 0.372$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A \neq a | B=b, C=c) = 1 - 0.372 = 0.628$$

5) Observation:

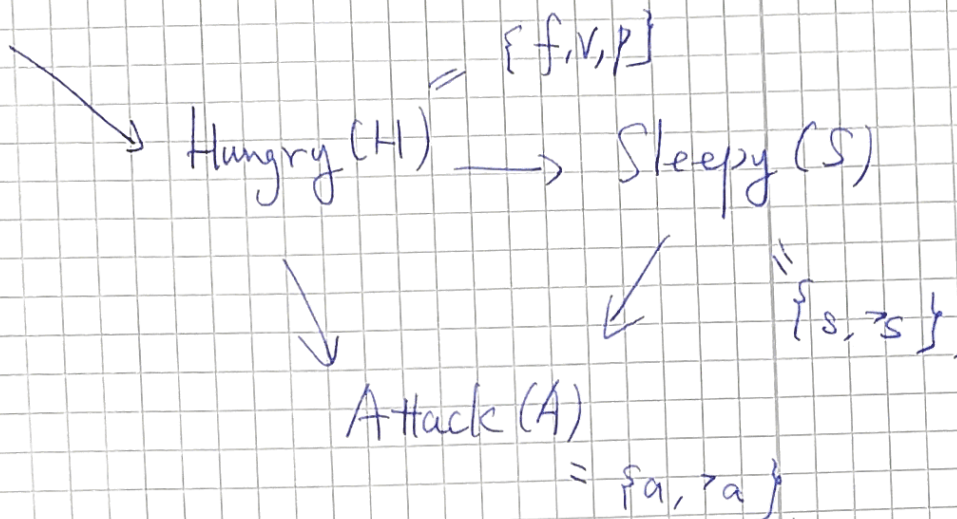
$$P(A=a) < P(A=a|B=b) < P(A=a|B=b, C=c)$$

more evidence increases belief in $A=a$

Ex 10-2

$$\text{Collar}(C) = \{c, \neg c\}$$

a)



b) $P(A=a, C=c, S=s, H=f)$

$$= P(A=a | H=f, S=s) \cdot P(S=s | H=f) \cdot P(H=f | C=c) P(C=c)$$

$$= 0.01 \times 0.9 \times 0.7 \times 0.4 = 0.00252$$

$$P(A=a, C=c, S=s)$$

$$= P(A=a, C=c, S=s, H=f) + P(A=a, C=c, S=s, H=v) + P(A=a, C=c, S=s, H=p)$$

$$= 0.01692$$

$$\textcircled{c} P(C=c, S=s) = P(C=c, S=s, H=f) + P(C=c, S=s, H=v) + P(C=c, S=s, H=p)$$
$$= 0.3$$

$$P(A=a | C=c, S=s) = \frac{P(A=a, C=c, S=s)}{P(C=c, S=s)} = 0.0564$$

c)

$$\begin{aligned} E(\text{utility}) &= -10 \times p(A=a | c=c, s=s) \\ &\quad + 5 \times p(A=\bar{a} | c=c, s=s) \\ &= 4.154 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(\text{utility}) &= x \cdot p(A=a | c=c, s=s) + 5 \cdot p(A=\bar{a} | c=c, s=s) \\ &\leq -2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \leq \frac{-2}{-0.199} = 119.113$$

d)

