

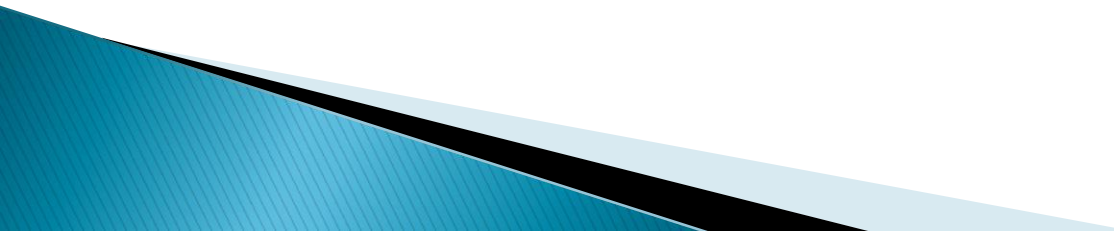
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# Extended Bayesian networks

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# Outline

- ▶ Reminder
  - ▶ Bayesian network extensions
    - Canonical local models
    - Decision tree/graph local models
    - Dynamic Bayesian networks
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# Independence, Conditional independence

$I_p(X;Y|Z)$  or  $(X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y|Z)_p$  denotes that  $X$  is independent of  $Y$  given  $Z$  defined as follows

for all  $x, y$  and  $z$  with  $P(z) > 0$ :  $P(x; y|z) = P(x|z) P(y|z)$

(Almost) alternatively,  $I_p(X;Y|Z)$  iff

$P(X|Z, Y) = P(X|Z)$  for all  $z, y$  with  $P(z, y) > 0$ .

Other notations:  $D_p(X;Y|Z) = \text{def} = \neg I_p(X;Y|Z)$

Direct dependence:  $D_p(X;Y|V/\{X, Y\})$

# The independence model of a distribution

The independence map (model)  $M$  of a distribution  $P$  is the set of the valid independence triplets:

$$M_P = \{I_{P,1}(X_1; Y_1 | Z_1), \dots, I_{P,K}(X_K; Y_K | Z_K)\}$$

If  $P(X, Y, Z)$  is a Markov chain, then

$$M_P = \{D(X; Y), D(Y; Z), I(X; Z | Y)\}$$

Normally/almost always:  $D(X; Z)$

Exceptionally:  $I(X; Z)$

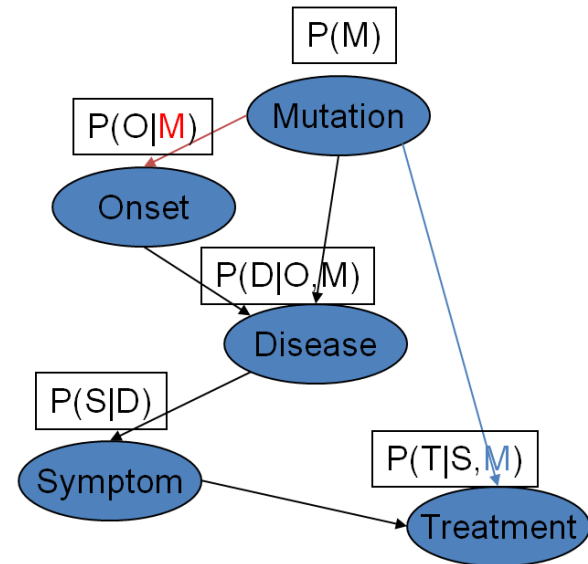


# Bayesian networks: three facets

## 3. Concise representation of joint distributions

$$P(M, O, D, S, T) =$$

$$P(M)P(O | M)P(D | O, M)P(S | D)P(T | S, M)$$



## 1. Causal model

$$M_P = \{I_{P,1}(X_1; Y_1 | Z_1), \dots\}$$

## 2. Graphical representation of (in)dependencies

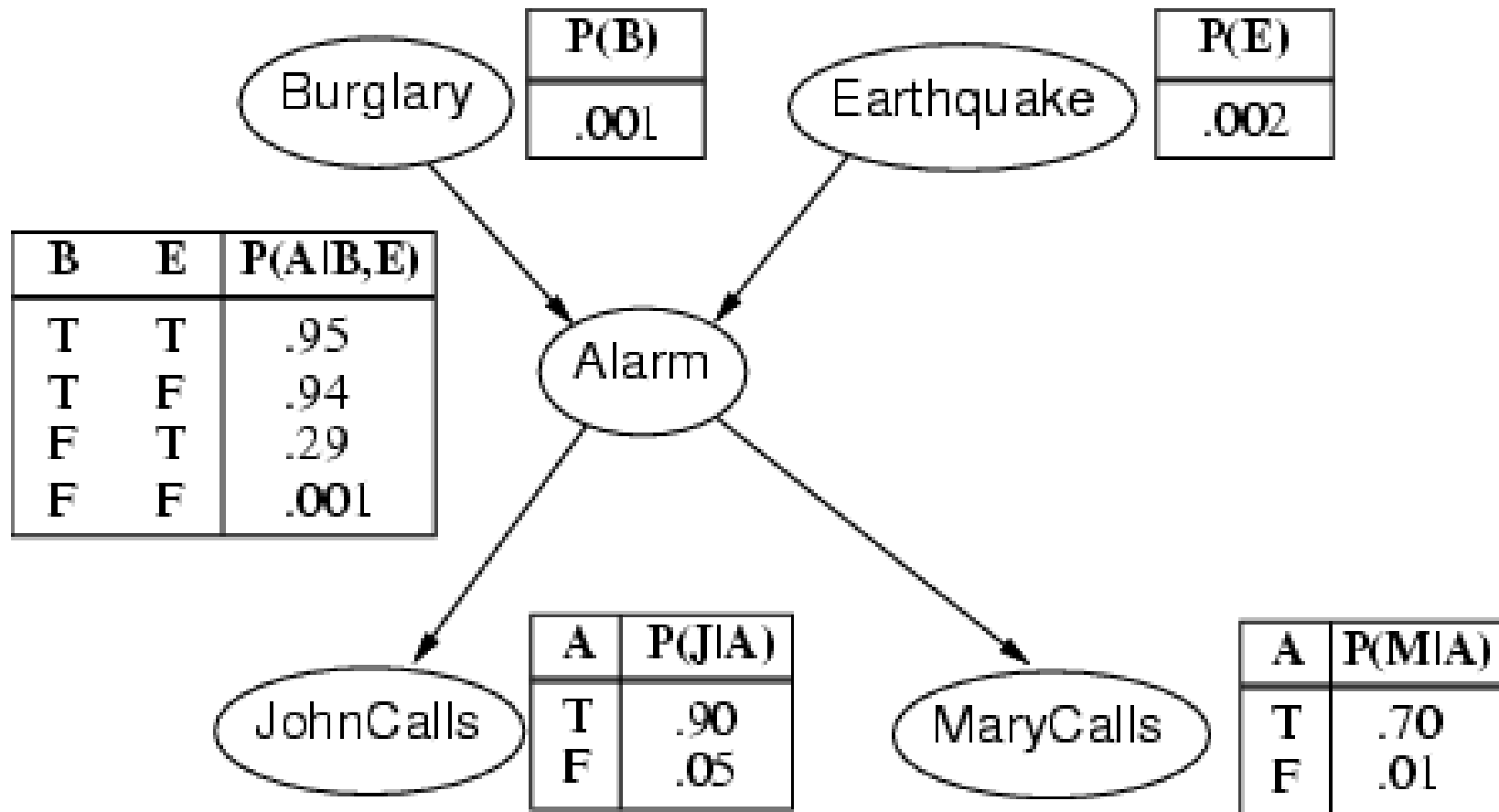
# Bayesian networks

- ▶ A simple, graphical notation for conditional independence assertions and hence for compact specification of full joint distributions
- ▶ Syntax:
  - a set of nodes, one per variable
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  - a directed, acyclic graph (link  $\approx$  "directly influences")
  - a conditional distribution for each node given its parents:  
$$P(X_i \mid \text{Parents}(X_i))$$
- ▶ In the simplest case, conditional distribution represented as a **conditional probability table** (CPT) giving the distribution over  $X_i$  for each combination of parent values

# Example

- ▶ I'm at work, neighbor John calls to say my alarm is ringing, but neighbor Mary doesn't call. Sometimes it's set off by minor earthquakes. Is there a burglar?
- ▶ Variables: *Burglary, Earthquake, Alarm, JohnCalls, MaryCalls*
- ▶ Network topology reflects "causal" knowledge:
  - A burglar can set the alarm off
  - An earthquake can set the alarm off
  - The alarm can cause Mary to call
  - The alarm can cause John to call

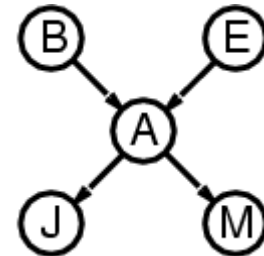
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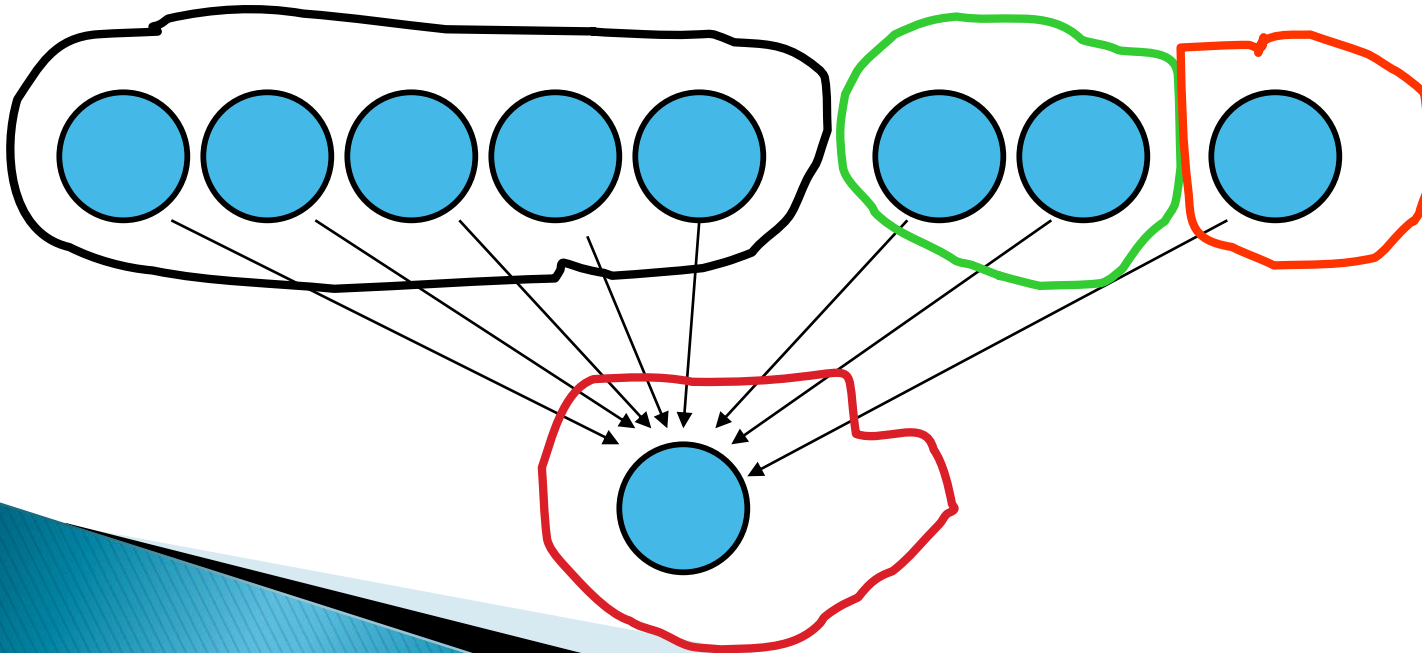
# Compactness

- ▶ A CPT for Boolean  $X_i$  with  $k$  Boolean parents has  $2^k$  rows for the combinations of parent values
- ▶ Each row requires one number  $p$  for  $X_i = \text{true}$  (the number for  $X_i = \text{false}$  is just  $1-p$ )
- ▶ If each variable has no more than  $k$  parents, the complete network requires  $O(n \cdot 2^k)$  numbers
- ▶ I.e., grows linearly with  $n$ , vs.  $O(2^n)$  for the full joint distribution
- ▶ For burglary net,  $1 + 1 + 4 + 2 + 2 = 10$  numbers (vs.  $2^5 - 1 = 31$ )



# A multinomiális általános eset I.

Tfh:                    5 szülő csomópont bináris értékű  
                          2 szülő csomópont 3-as értékű  
                          1 szülő csomópont 4-es értékű és  
                          az eredmény csomópont 5-ös értékű ??????



# A multinomiális általános eset II.

Sz1	Sz2	Sz3	Sz4	Sz5	Sz6	Sz7	Sz8	Kimeneti változó				
								e1	e2	e3	e4	e5
.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	P	P	P	P	P
.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	P	P	P	P	P
1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	P	P	P	P	P
0	0	0	0	0	e1	e1	.	P	P	P	P	P
.	.	.	.	.	e2	e2	.	P	P	P	P	P
.	.	.	.	.	e3	e3	.	P	P	P	P	P
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Minden kombináció

$2^5 \times 3^2 \times 4$  szülői feltétel van (FVT sor) és 4 (független érték)

(FVT oszlop) = összesen:  $(32 \times 9 \times 4) \times 4 = 4608$

együttes eloszláshoz kell:  $2^5 \times 3^2 \times 4 \times 5 - 1 = 5759$

# Constructing Bayesian networks

- ▶ 1. Choose an ordering of variables  $X_1, \dots, X_n$
- ▶ 2. For  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
  - add  $X_i$  to the network
  - select parents from  $X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}$  such that

$$P(X_i \mid \text{Parents}(X_i)) = P(X_i \mid X_1, \dots, X_{i-1})$$

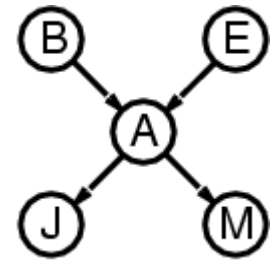
This choice of parents guarantees:

$$\begin{aligned} P(X_1, \dots, X_n) &= \prod_{i=1}^n P(X_i \mid X_1, \dots, X_{i-1}) && \text{//(chain rule)} \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n P(X_i \mid \text{Parents}(X_i)) && \text{//(by construction)} \end{aligned}$$

# Semantics

The full joint distribution is defined as the product of the local conditional distributions:

$$P(X_1, \dots, X_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(X_i \mid \text{Parents}(X_i))$$



e.g.,  $P(j \wedge m \wedge a \wedge \neg b \wedge \neg e)$

$$= P(j \mid a) P(m \mid a) P(a \mid \neg b, \neg e) P(\neg b) P(\neg e)$$

# Noisy-OR

Noisy-OR distributions model multiple noninteracting causes

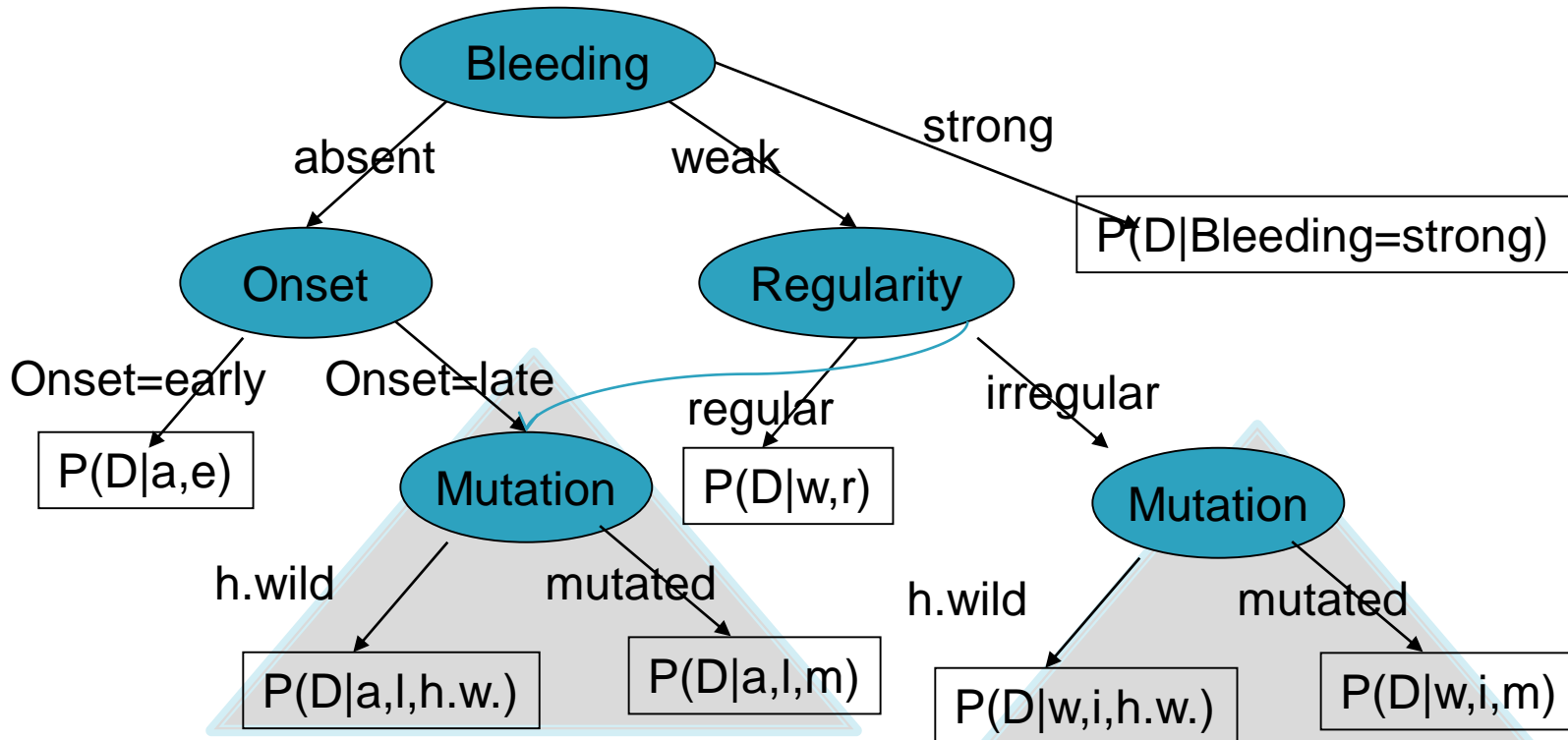
- 1) Parents  $U_1 \dots U_k$  include all causes (can add leak node)
- 2) Independent failure probability  $q_i$  for each cause alone

$$\Rightarrow P(X|U_1 \dots U_j, \neg U_{j+1} \dots \neg U_k) = 1 - \prod_{i=1}^j q_i$$

<i>Cold</i>	<i>Flu</i>	<i>Malaria</i>	$P(\text{Fever})$	$P(\neg \text{Fever})$
F	F	F	<b>0.0</b>	1.0
F	F	T	0.9	<b>0.1</b>
F	T	F	0.8	<b>0.2</b>
F	T	T	0.98	$0.02 = 0.2 \times 0.1$
T	F	F	0.4	<b>0.6</b>
T	F	T	0.94	$0.06 = 0.6 \times 0.1$
T	T	F	0.88	$0.12 = 0.6 \times 0.2$
T	T	T	0.988	$0.012 = 0.6 \times 0.2 \times 0.1$

Number of parameters **linear** in number of parents

# Decision trees, decision graphs

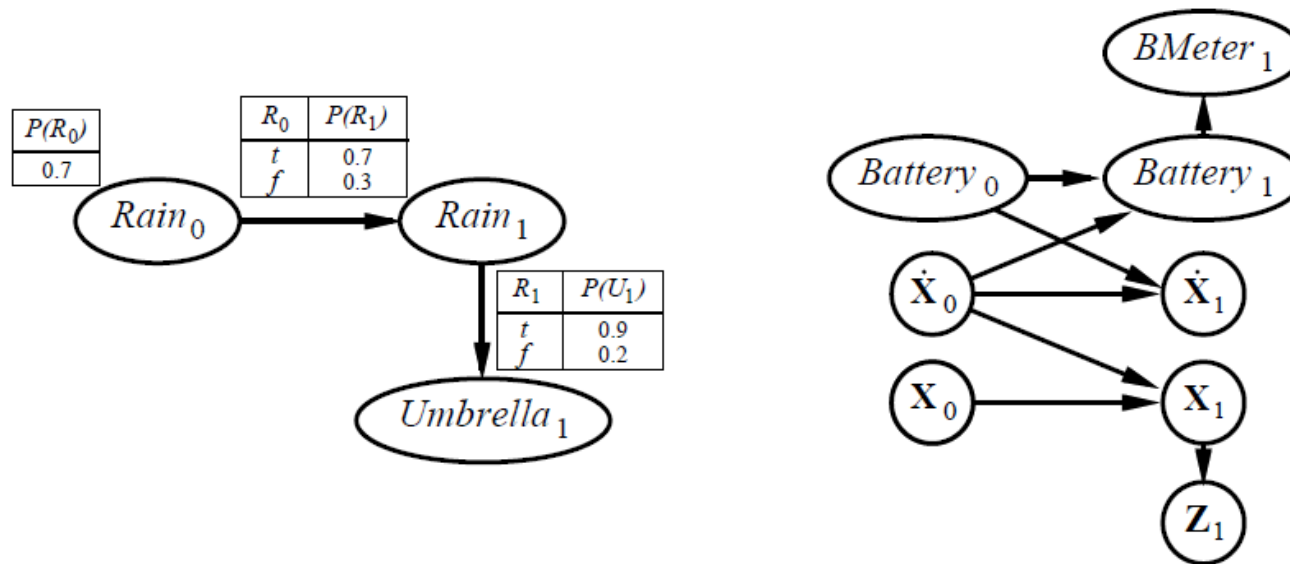


Decision tree: Each internal node represent a (univariate) test, the leafs contains the conditional probabilities given the values along the path.

Decision graph: If conditions are equivalent, then subtrees can be merged.  
E.g. If (Bleeding=absent, Onset=late) ~ (Bleeding=weak, Regularity=irreg)

# Dynamic Bayesian networks

$X_t, E_t$  contain arbitrarily many variables in a replicated Bayes net

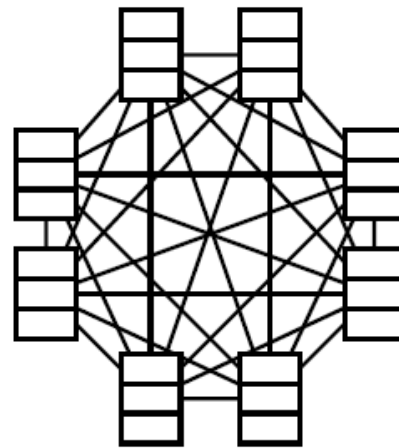
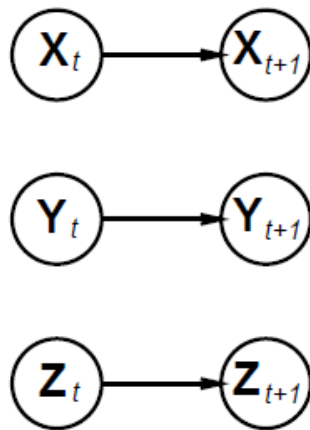


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# DBNs vs. HMMs

Every HMM is a single-variable DBN; every discrete DBN is an HMM



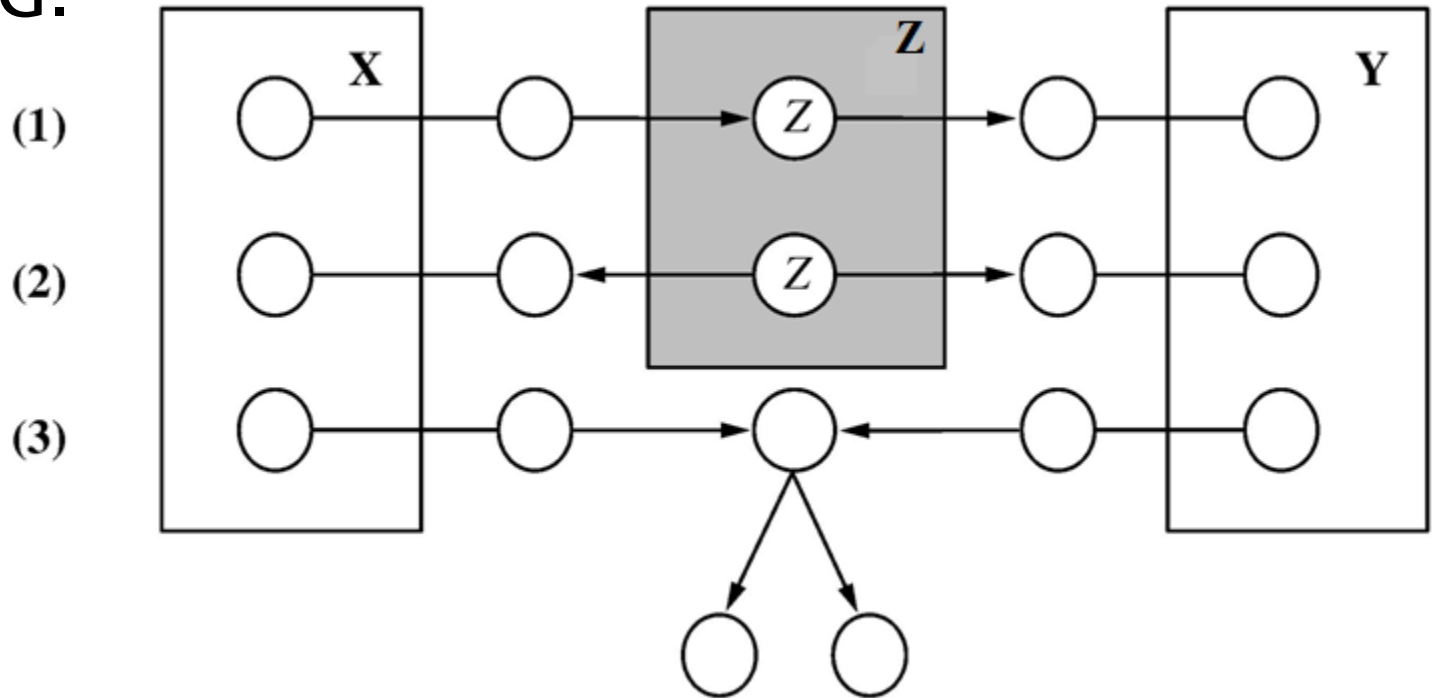
Sparse dependencies  $\Rightarrow$  exponentially fewer parameters;

e.g., 20 state variables, three parents each

DBN has  $20 \times 2^3 = 160$  parameters, HMM has  $2^{20} \times 2^{20} \approx 10^{12}$

# Inferring independencies from structure: d-separation

$I_G(X;Y|Z)$  denotes that  $X$  is d-separated (directed separated) from  $Y$  by  $Z$  in directed graph  $G$ .



# d-separation and the global Markov condition

**Definition 7** A distribution  $P(X_1, \dots, X_n)$  obeys the global Markov condition w.r.t. DAG  $G$ , if

$$\forall X, Y, Z \subseteq U \ (X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y|Z)_G \Rightarrow (X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y|Z)_P, \quad (9)$$

where  $(X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y|Z)_G$  denotes that  $X$  and  $Y$  are d-separated by  $Z$ , that is if every path  $p$  between a node in  $X$  and a node in  $Y$  is blocked by  $Z$  as follows

1. either path  $p$  contains a node  $n$  in  $Z$  with non-converging arrows (i.e.  $\rightarrow n \rightarrow$  or  $\leftarrow n \rightarrow$ ),
2. or path  $p$  contains a node  $n$  not in  $Z$  with converging arrows (i.e.  $\rightarrow n \leftarrow$ ) and none of its descendants of  $n$  is in  $Z$ .

# Summary

- ▶ Conditional independencies allows:
  - efficient representation of the joint probability distribution,
  - efficient inference to compute conditional probabilities.
- ▶ Bayesian networks use directed acyclic graphs to represent
  - conditional independencies,
  - conditional probability distributions,
  - causal mechanisms.
- ▶ Design of variables and order of the variables can drastically influence structure
- ▶ **Suggested reading:**
  - Charniak: Bayesian networks without tears, 1991
  - Koller, Daphne, et al. "Graphical models in a nutshell." *Introduction to statistical relational learning* (2007): 13–55.