

# Wrap-up RL

RL II slide

# Midterm 2

## Topics

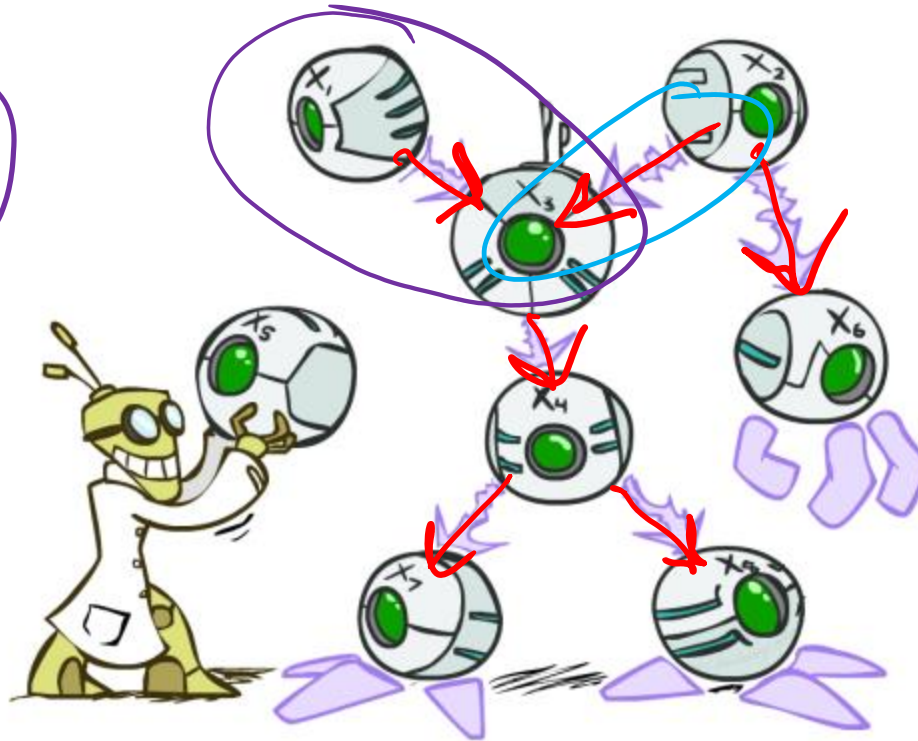
- Logic
- Planning
- MDPs
- RL
- Probability (but not Bayes Nets)

See Piazza for details

# AI: Representation and Problem Solving

## Bayes Nets

$$P(x_3 | x_1)$$



$$P(x_3 | x_2)$$

Instructor: Pat Virtue

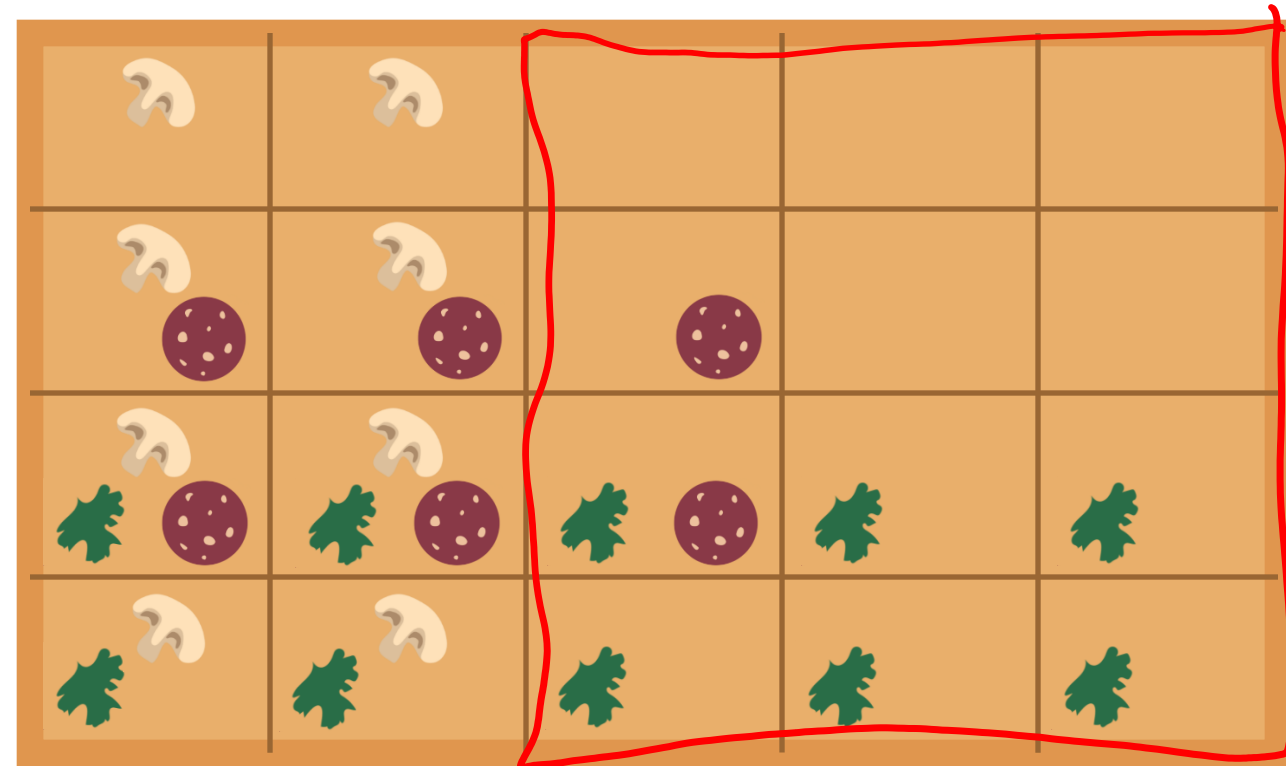
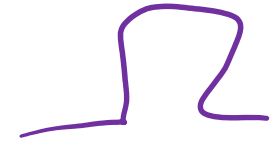
Slide credits: CMU AI and <http://ai.berkeley.edu>

# Omega Pizzeria!

What is the probability of getting a slice with:

- 1) No mushrooms
- 2) Spinach and no mushrooms
- 3) Spinach, when asking for slice with no mushrooms

- Mushrooms
- Spinach
- No spinach
- No spinach and mushrooms
- No spinach when asking for no mushrooms
- No spinach when asking for mushrooms
- Spinach when asking for mushrooms
- No mushrooms and no spinach



# Probability Notation

## Notation and conventions in this course

$$P(\underline{B} = +b, C) = \sum_{a \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}} P(A = a, B = +b, C)$$

$$P(+b, C) = \sum_{a \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}} P(a, +b, C) \approx \sum_a P(a, +b, C)$$

### ■ Random variables:

- ■ Capitalized
  - Represents all potential outcomes
  - e.g.  $C$

### ■ Outcomes (values):

- lower case
- e.g.  $+b, a_1, a_2, a_3$

### ■ Variables for values:

- lower case
- E.g.  $a$  ←

# Probability Notation

Notation and conventions in this course

$$P(B = +b, C) = \sum_{a \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}} P(A = a, B = +b, C)$$

$$P(+b, C) = \sum_{a \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}} P(a, +b, C)$$

# Discrete Probability Distributions

## Partitions

For each random variable

- Discrete outcomes
- Disjoint outcomes
- Accounts for entire event space
- Not always binary

## Discrete Random Variables

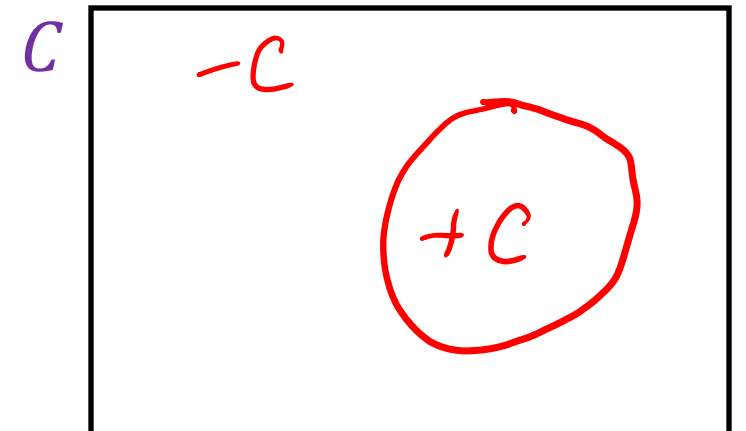
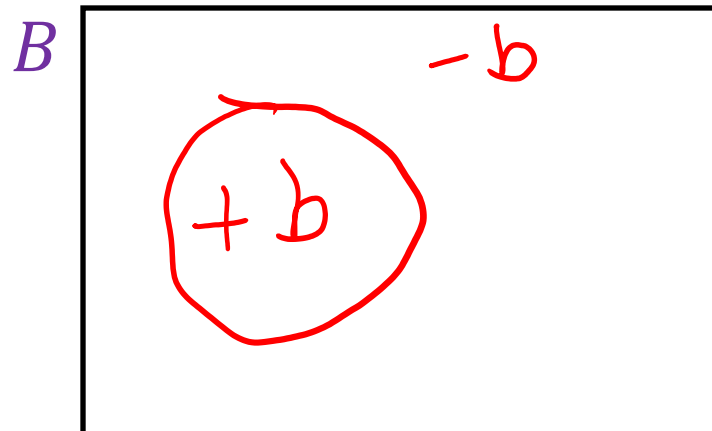
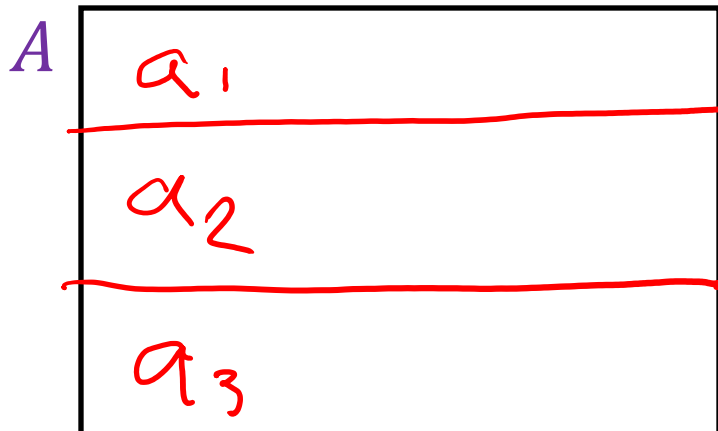
(and their domains)

$A \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$  ← Categorical

$B \in \{+b, -b\}$  ↔ Bernoulli

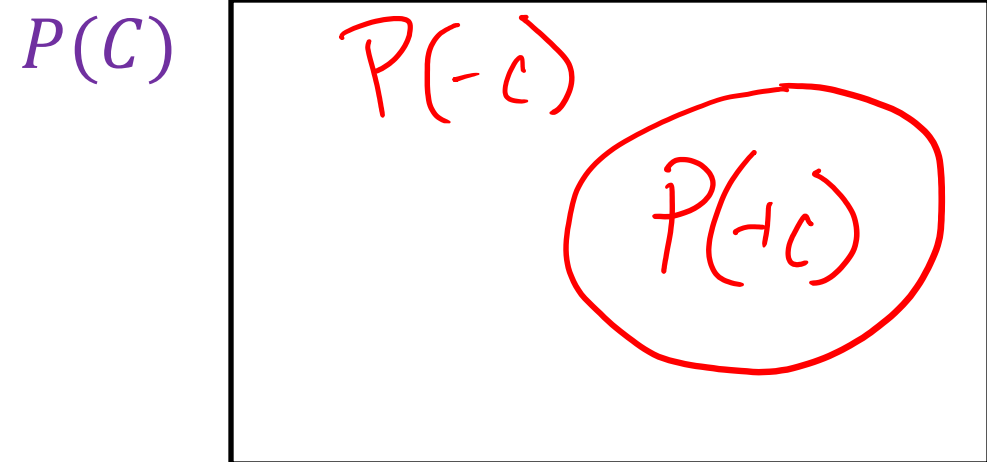
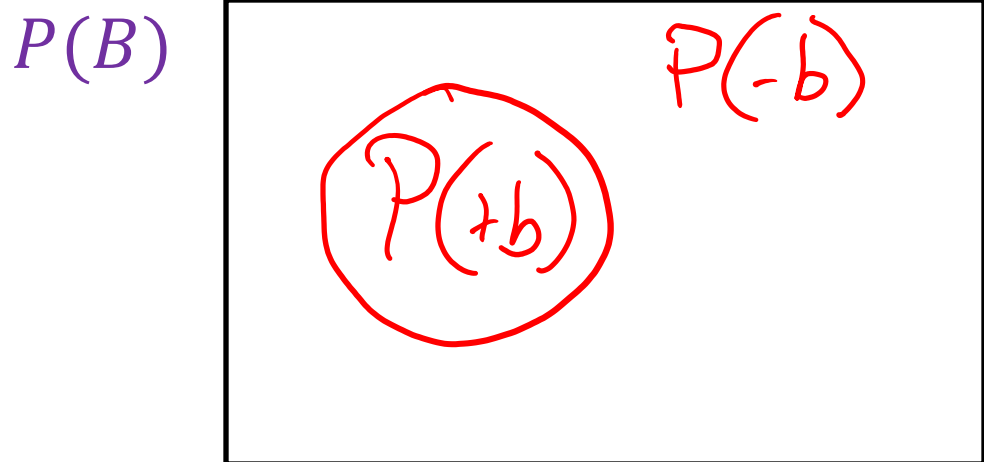
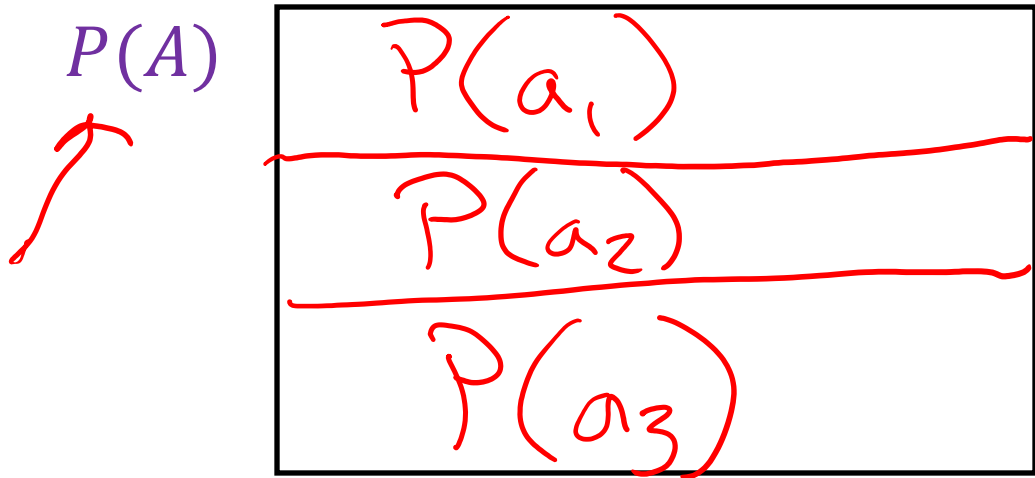
$C \in \{+c, -c\}$  ↗

## Event space



# Discrete Probability Distributions

## Marginal distribution



Discrete Random Variables  
(and their domains)

$$A \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$$

$$B \in \{+b, -b\}$$

$$C \in \{+c, -c\}$$



# Discrete Probability Distributions

Joint distribution

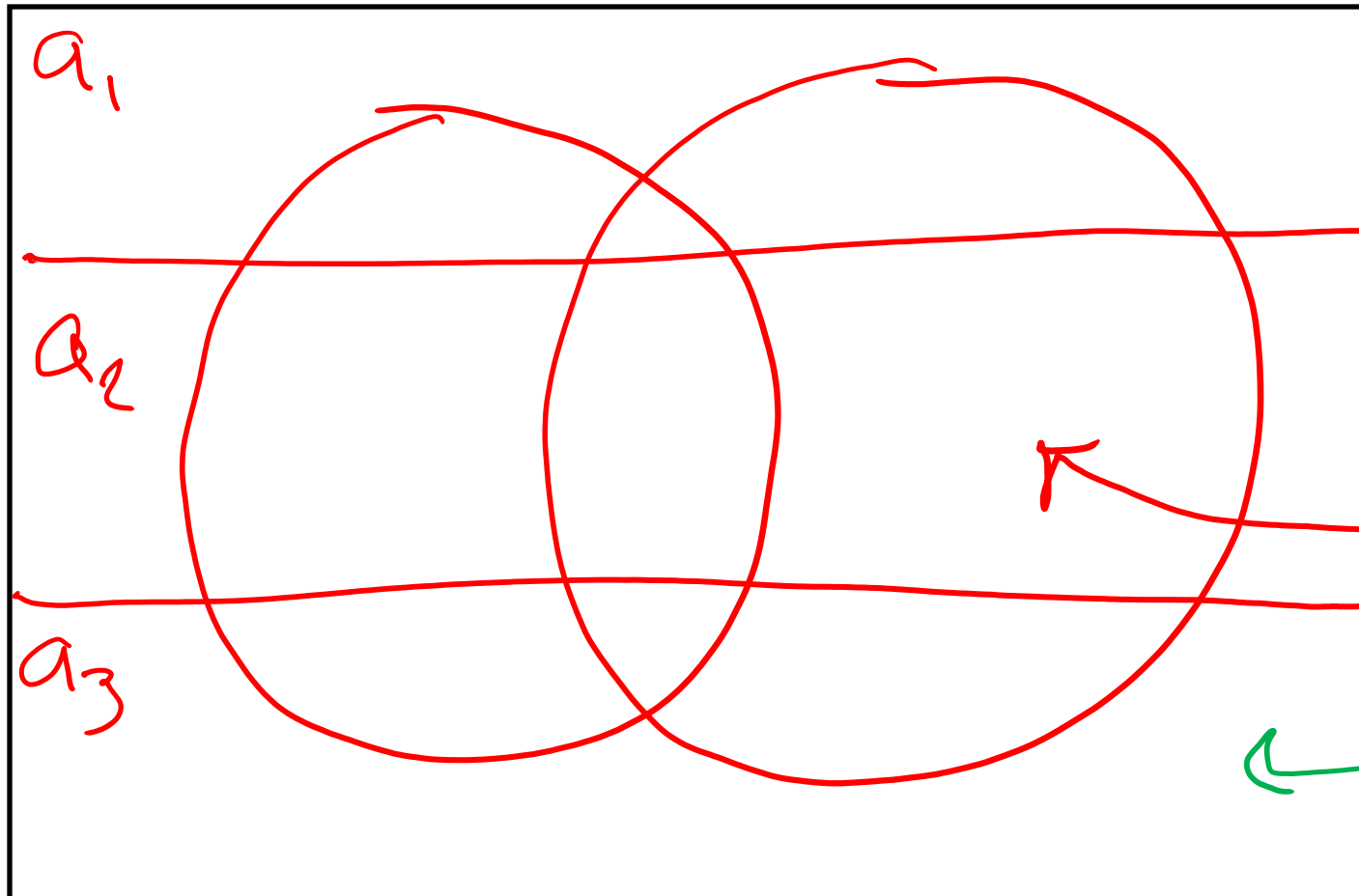
$P(A, B, C)$

Discrete Random Variables  
(and their domains)

$A \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$

$B \in \{+b, -b\}$

$C \in \{+c, -c\}$



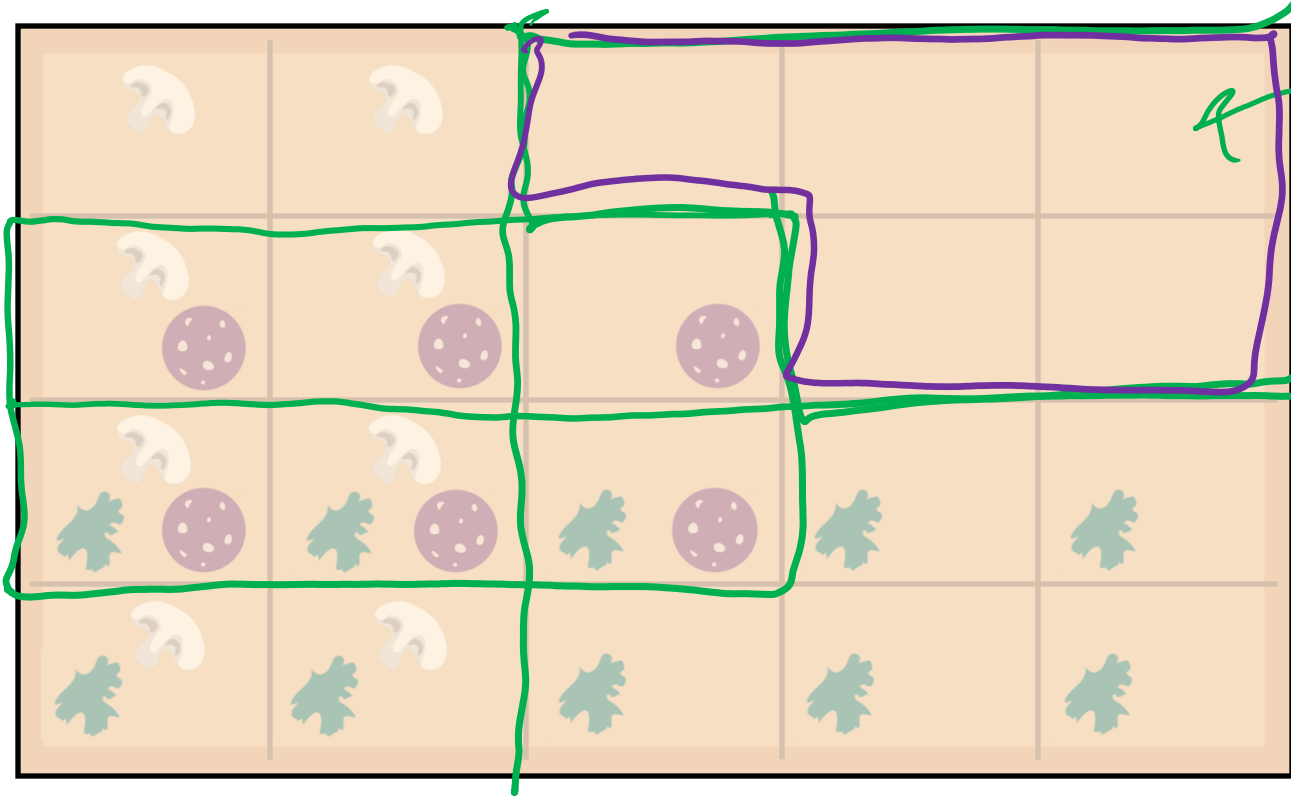
$P(a_2, -b, +c)$

$P(a_3, -b, -c)$

# Discrete Probability Distributions

Joint distribution

$P(M, S, R)$



Discrete Random Variables  
(and their domains)

$M \in \{\underline{m_1}, m_2\}$

$S \in \{\underline{s_1}, s_2\}$

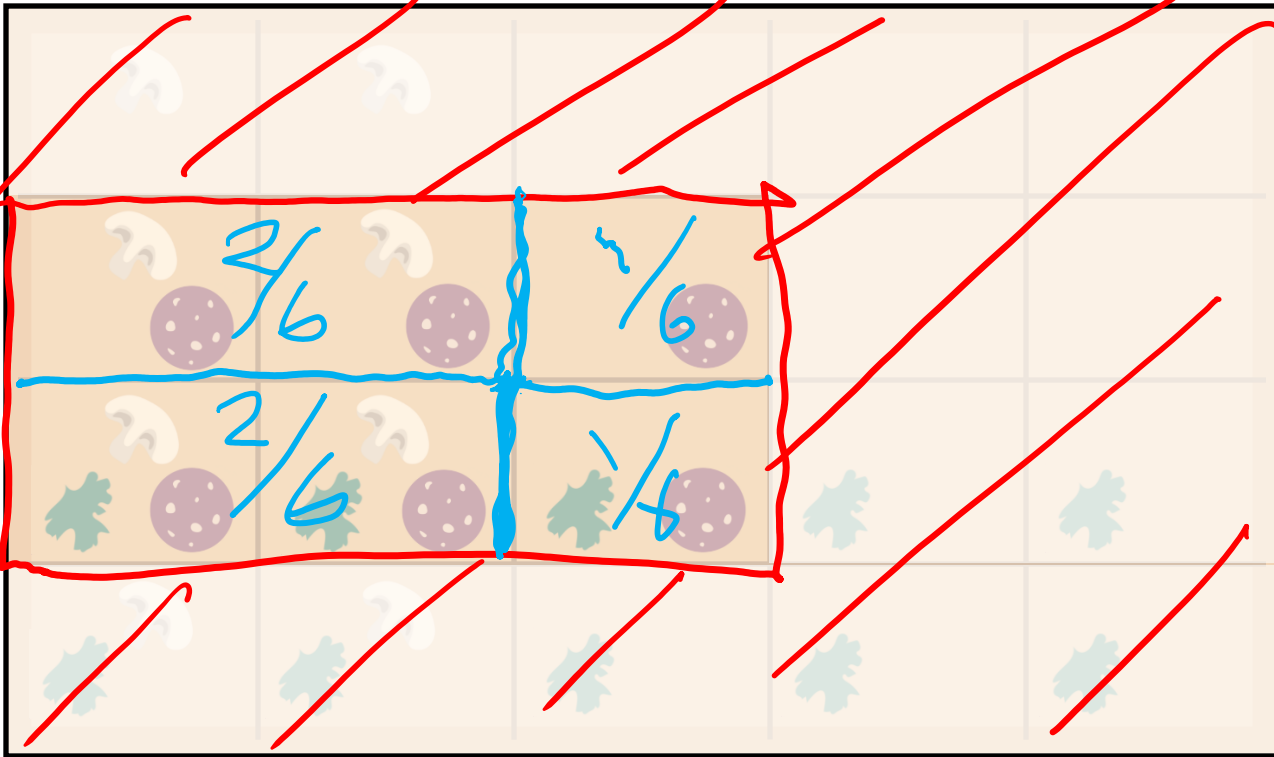
$R \in \{r_1, \underline{r_2}\}$

$$P(m_1, \underline{s_1}, r_1) = 5/20$$

# Discrete Probability Distributions

Conditional distribution

$$P(M, S | r_2)$$



Discrete Random Variables  
(and their domains)

$$M \in \{m_1, m_2\}$$

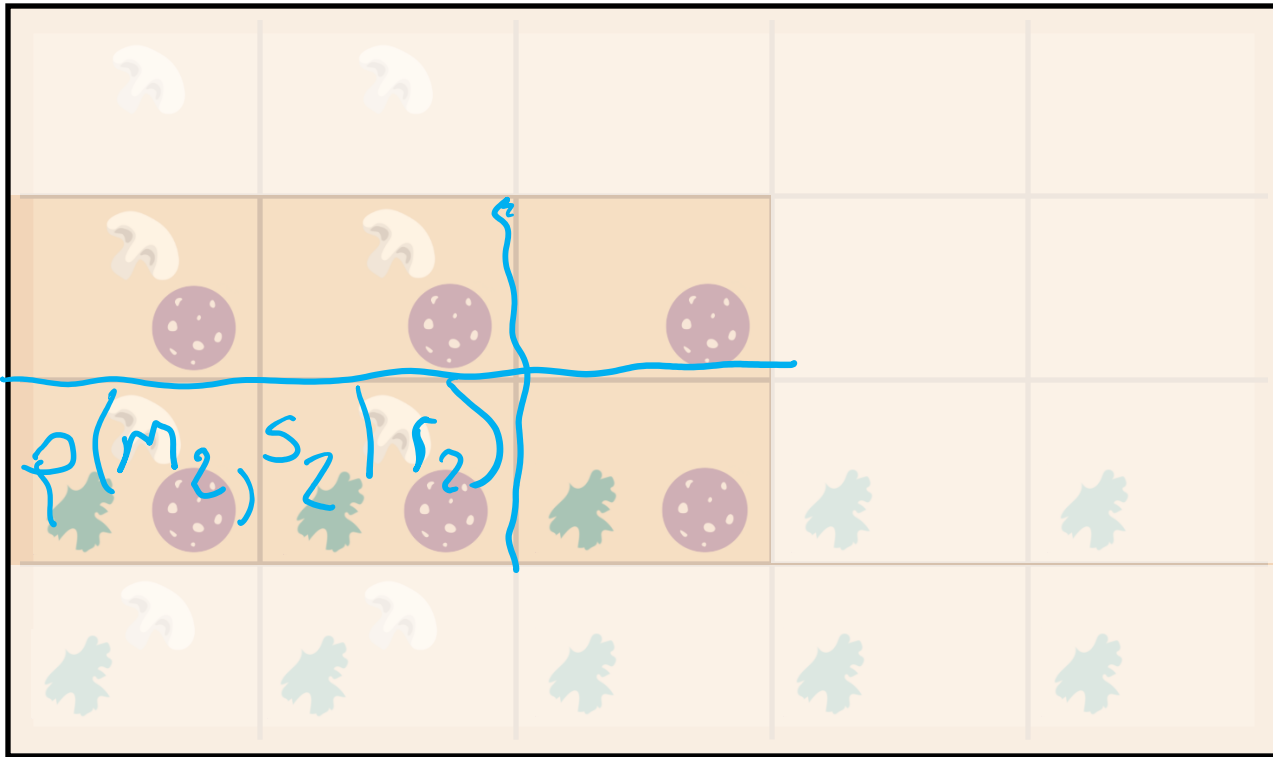
$$S \in \{s_1, s_2\}$$

$$R \in \{r_1, r_2\}$$

# Discrete Probability Distributions

Conditional distribution

$$P(M, S \mid r_2)$$



Discrete Random Variables  
(and their domains)

$$M \in \{m_1, m_2\}$$

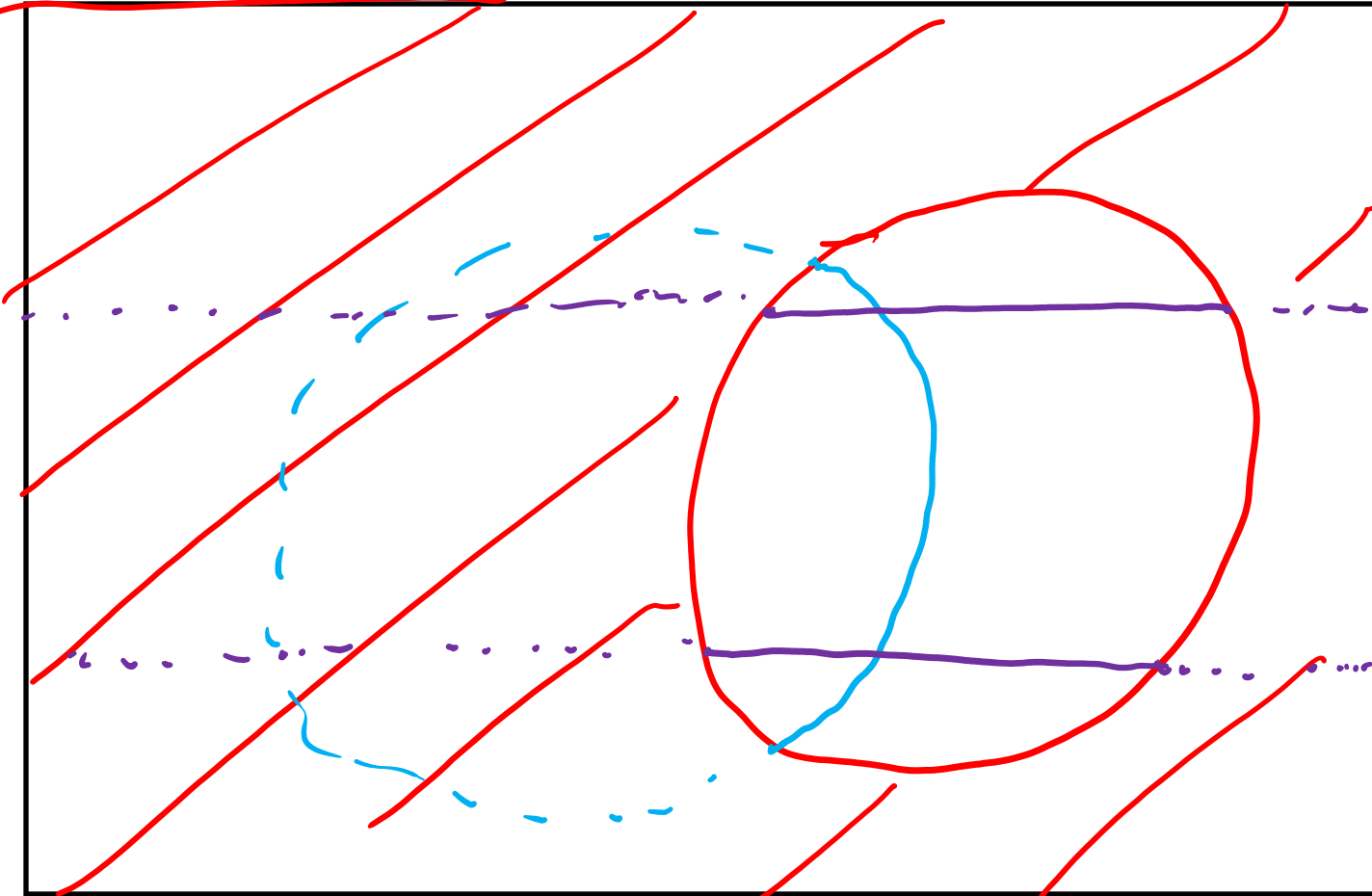
$$S \in \{s_1, s_2\}$$

$$R \in \{r_1, r_2\}$$

# Discrete Probability Distributions

Conditional distribution

$$P(A, B \mid +c)$$



Discrete Random Variables  
(and their domains)

$$A \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$$

$$B \in \{+b, -b\}$$

$$C \in \{+c, -c\}$$

# Discrete Probability Distributions

Conditional distribution

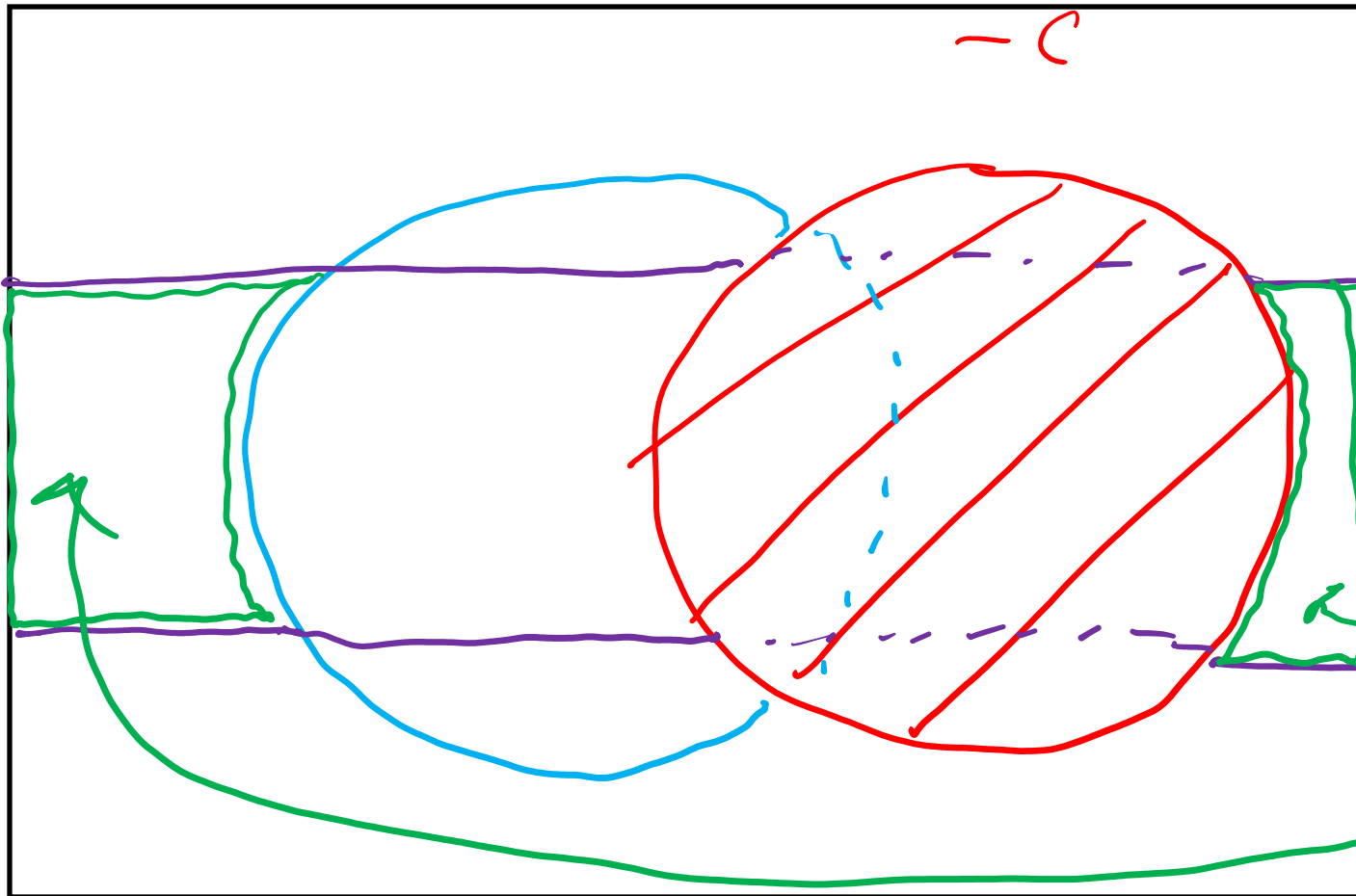
$$P(A, B \mid -c) \leftarrow$$

Discrete Random Variables  
(and their domains)

$$A \in \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$$

$$B \in \{+b, -b\}$$

$$C \in \{+c, -c\}$$



$$P(A, B \mid c)$$

$$P(a_2, -b \mid -c)$$

# Poll 1

definitely

Which of the following probability tables sum to one?

Select all that apply.

i.  $P(A | b)$

ii.  $P(A, b, C)$

iii.  $P(A, C | b)$

iv.  $P(a, c | b)$

v.  $P(a | B, C)$

vi.  $P(c | A)$

all | exactly one

$$P(U, V | \underline{x, y, z})$$

# Poll 1

Which of the following probability tables sum to one?

Select all that apply.

*i.*  $P(A \mid b)$

*ii.*  $P(A, b, C)$

*iii.*  $P(A, C \mid b)$

*iv.*  $P(a, b \mid c)$

*v.*  $P(a \mid B, C)$

*vi.*  $P(c \mid A)$



# Poll 2

How many valid equations can we compose using:

$P(x)$ ,  $P(y)$ ,  $P(x, y)$ ,  $P(x|y)$ ,  $P(y|x)$  and  $=$ ,  $\times$ ,  $\div$

First one:  $P(x|y) = P(x, y)/P(y)$

- A) 2
- B) 4
- C) 7
- D) >7
- E) Other

At most one use per probability term

e.g. Not  $P(x) = P(x)$

Must be different

e.g. Cannot also use

$P(x, y)/P(y) = P(x|y)$

## Poll 2

Also (less meaningful):  $P(y) = P(y|x)P(x) / P(x|y)$  <sup>(x2)</sup>  
 $P(y|x) / P(x|y) = P(y) / P(x)$  <sub>(x2)</sub>

How many valid equations can we compose using:

$P(x)$ ,  $P(y)$ ,  $P(x, y)$ ,  $P(x|y)$ ,  $P(y|x)$  and  $=$ ,  $\times$ ,  $\div$

First one:  $P(x|y) = P(x, y) / P(y)$

$$P(y|x) = P(x, y) / P(x)$$

$$P(x, y) = P(y|x) P(x)$$

$$P(x, y) = P(x|y) P(y)$$

$$P(y|x)P(x) = P(x|y)P(y)$$

$$P(y|x) = P(x|y)P(y) / P(x)$$

$$P(x|y) = P(y|x)P(x) / P(y)$$

A) 2

B) 4

C) 7

D) >7

E) Other

At most one use per probability term

e.g. Not  $P(x) = P(x)$

Must be different

e.g. Cannot also use

$$P(x, y) / P(y) = P(x|y)$$

# Probability Tools Summary

## Our toolbox

1. Definition of conditional probability

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(A, B)}{P(B)}$$

2. Product Rule

$$P(B|A)P(A) = P(A, B) = P(A|B)P(B)$$

3. Bayes' theorem

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A|B)P(B)}{P(A)}$$

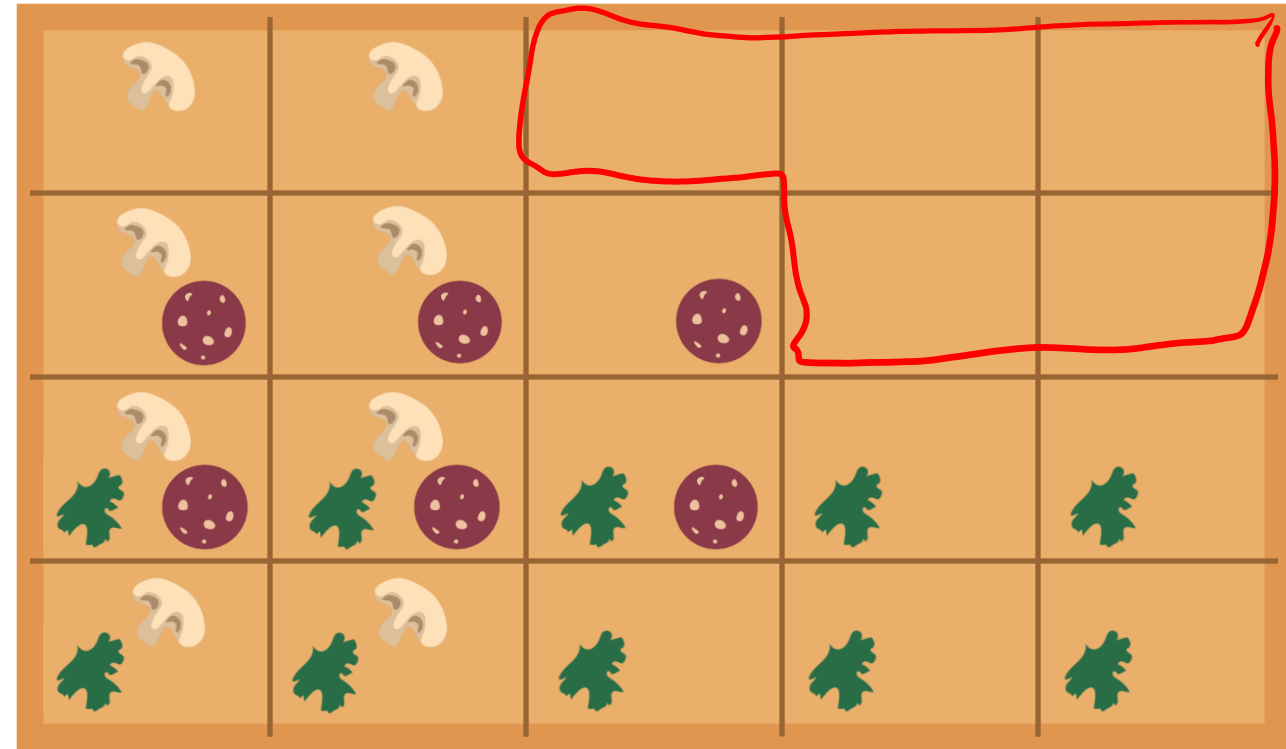
4. Chain Rule

$$P(X_1, \dots, X_N) = \prod_{n=1}^N P(X_n | X_1, \dots, X_{n-1})$$

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

What is the probability of getting a slice with:

- 1) No mushrooms
  - 2) Spinach and no mushrooms
  - 3) Spinach, when asking for slice with no mushrooms
- Mushrooms
  - Spinach
  - No spinach
  - No spinach and mushrooms
  - No spinach when asking for no mushrooms
  - No spinach when asking for mushrooms
  - Spinach when asking for mushrooms
  - No mushrooms and no spinach



# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

You can answer all of these questions:

$P(M)$

$m_1$	12/20
$m_2$	

$P(M, S)$

$m_1$	$s_1$	
$m_1$	$s_2$	6/20
$m_2$	$s_1$	
$m_2$	$s_2$	

$P(S)$

$s_1$	
$s_2$	

$P(M|s_1)$

$m_1$	
$m_2$	

$P(M|s_2)$

$m_1$	
$m_2$	

$P(S|m_1)$

$s_1$	
$s_2$	6/12

$P(S|m_2)$

$s_1$	
$s_2$	

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

$P(\text{Weather})?$

$P(\text{Weather} \mid \text{winter})?$

$P(\text{Weather} \mid \text{winter, hot})?$


Season	Temp	Weather	$P(S, T, W)$
summer	hot	sun	0.30
summer	hot	rain	0.05
summer	cold	sun	0.10
summer	cold	rain	0.05
winter	hot	sun	0.10
winter	hot	rain	0.05
winter	cold	sun	0.15
winter	cold	rain	0.20

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

P(Weather)?

$$P(W = \text{sun}) = .3 + .1 + .15$$
$$= \sum_s \sum_t P(s, t, W = \text{sun})$$

$$P(W = \text{rain})$$



Season	Temp	Weather	P(S, T, W)
summer	hot	<u>sun</u>	<u>0.30</u>
summer	hot	rain	0.05
summer	cold	<u>sun</u>	<u>0.10</u>
summer	cold	rain	0.05
winter	hot	<u>sun</u>	<u>0.10</u>
winter	hot	rain	0.05
winter	cold	<u>sun</u>	<u>0.15</u>
winter	cold	rain	0.20

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

P(Weather | winter)?

$$\begin{aligned} & P(W = \text{sun} | \text{winter}) \\ &= \frac{0.1 + 0.15}{0.1 + 0.05 + 0.15 + 0.20} \\ &= \frac{\sum_t p(\text{winter}, t, \text{sun})}{\sum_t \sum_w p(\text{winter}, t, w)} \\ &= \frac{P(\text{winter}, \text{sun})}{P(\text{winter})} \end{aligned}$$

$$= P(\text{sun} | \text{winter})$$

Season	Temp	Weather	P(S, T, W)
summer	hot	sun	0.30
summer	hot	rain	0.05
summer	cold	sun	0.10
summer	cold	rain	0.05
winter	hot	<u>sun</u>	0.10
winter	hot	rain	0.05
winter	cold	<u>sun</u>	0.15
winter	cold	rain	0.20



# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

$P(\text{Weather} \mid \text{winter, hot})?$

Season	Temp	Weather	$P(S, T, W)$
summer	hot	sun	0.30
summer	hot	rain	0.05
summer	cold	sun	0.10
summer	cold	rain	0.05
winter	hot	sun	0.10
winter	hot	rain	0.05
winter	cold	sun	0.15
winter	cold	rain	0.20

# Additional Probability Tools

- Marginalization (law of total probability) (summing out)

$$P(A) = \sum_b \sum_c P(A, \underline{b}, \underline{c})$$

- Normalization

$$\underline{P(B | a)} = \frac{P(a, B)}{P(a)}$$

$$P(B | a) \propto P(a, B)$$

$$P(B | a) = \frac{1}{z} P(a, B)$$

$$z = P(a) = \sum_b P(a, b)$$

✓

$$P(A, B) = \sum_c P(A, B, c)$$

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

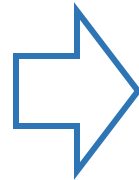
Joint distributions are the best!

$$P(e_1, e_2, e_3, q_1, q_2) \leftarrow$$

Joint

32



Query

$$P(q_1, q_2 \mid e_1, e_2, e_3)$$

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

Two tools to go from joint to query

1. Definition of conditional probability

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(A, B)}{P(B)}$$

2. Law of total probability (marginalization, summing out)

$$P(A) = \sum_b P(A, b)$$

$$P(Y | U, V) = \sum_x \sum_z P(x, Y, z | U, V)$$

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

Two tools to go from joint to query

Joint:  $P(\underline{H}_1, \underline{H}_2, Q, E)$

Query:  $P(\underline{Q} \mid \underline{e})$

1. Definition of conditional probability

$$P(Q|e) = \frac{P(Q, e)}{P(e)} \quad \leftarrow$$

2. Law of total probability (marginalization, summing out)

$$P(Q, e) = \sum_{h_1} \sum_{h_2} P(h_1, h_2, Q, e) \quad \leftarrow$$

$$P(e) = \sum_q \sum_{h_1} \sum_{h_2} P(h_1, h_2, q, e) \quad \leftarrow$$

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

$P(\text{Weather})?$

$P(\text{Weather} \mid \text{winter})?$

$P(\text{Weather} \mid \text{winter, hot})?$

Season	Temp	Weather	$P(S, T, W)$
summer	hot	sun	0.30
summer	hot	rain	0.05
summer	cold	sun	0.10
summer	cold	rain	0.05
winter	hot	sun	0.10
winter	hot	rain	0.05
winter	cold	sun	0.15
winter	cold	rain	0.20

# Answer Any Query from Joint Distribution

Joint distributions are the best!

## Problems with joints

- We aren't given the joint table
  - Usually some set of conditional probability tables

Joint

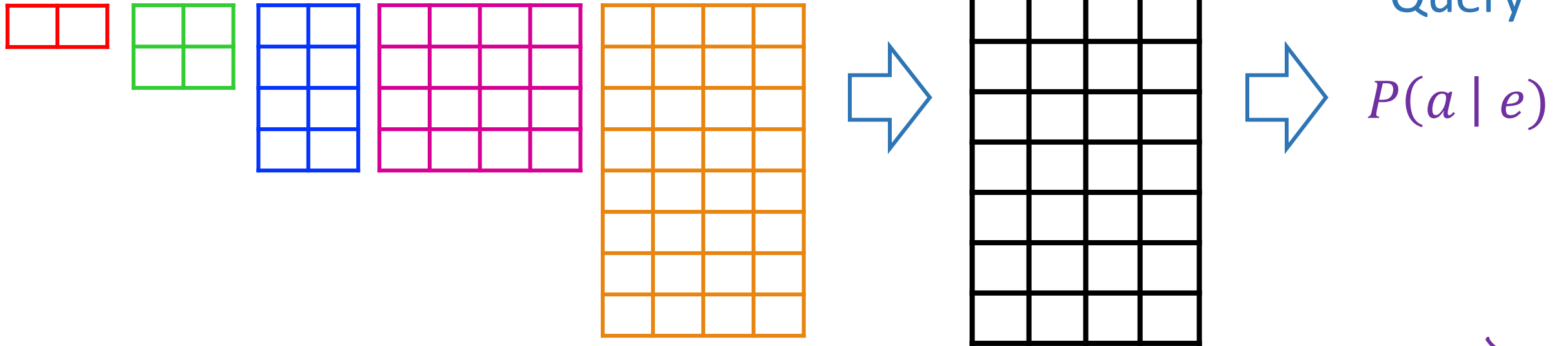



Query

$P(a | e)$

# Build Joint Distribution Using Chain Rule

Conditional Probability Tables  
and Chain Rule



$$\underline{P(A)} \underline{P(B|A)} \underline{P(C|A, B)} \underline{P(D|A, B, C)} \underline{P(E|A, B, C, D)} = P(A, B, C, D, E)$$



# Build Joint Distribution Using Chain Rule

Two tools to construct joint distribution

1. Product rule

$$P(A, B) = P(A | B)P(B)$$

$$P(A, B) = P(B | A)P(A)$$

2. Chain rule

$$P(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n) = \prod_i P(X_i | X_1, \dots, X_{i-1})$$

$$P(A, B, C) = P(A)P(B | A)P(C | A, B) \quad \text{for ordering A, B, C}$$

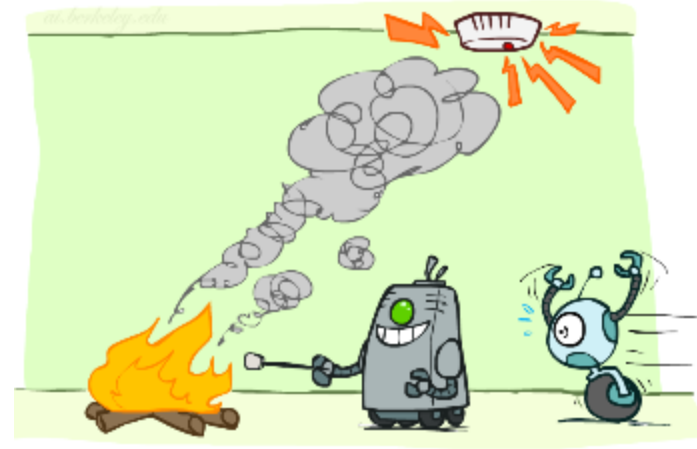
$$P(A, B, C) = P(A)P(C | A)P(B | A, C) \quad \text{for ordering A, C, B}$$

$$P(A, B, C) = P(C)P(B | C)P(A | C, B) \quad \text{for ordering C, B, A}$$

# Build Joint Distribution Using Chain Rule

## Binary random variables

- Fire
- Smoke
- Alarm



$$P(F, S, A) = P(F) P(S|F) P(A|F, S)$$

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|} \hline \color{red}{\boxed{\phantom{0}}} & & & \\ \hline & & & \\ \hline \end{array} = \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \color{red}{\boxed{\phantom{0}}} \\ \hline \end{array} \times \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline & \color{red}{\boxed{\phantom{0}}} \\ \hline & \\ \hline \end{array} \times \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|} \hline & & & \\ \hline & & & \color{red}{\boxed{\phantom{0}}} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$p(+f, +s, +a) = p(+f) p(+s|+f) p(+a|+f, +s)$$

# Poll 3

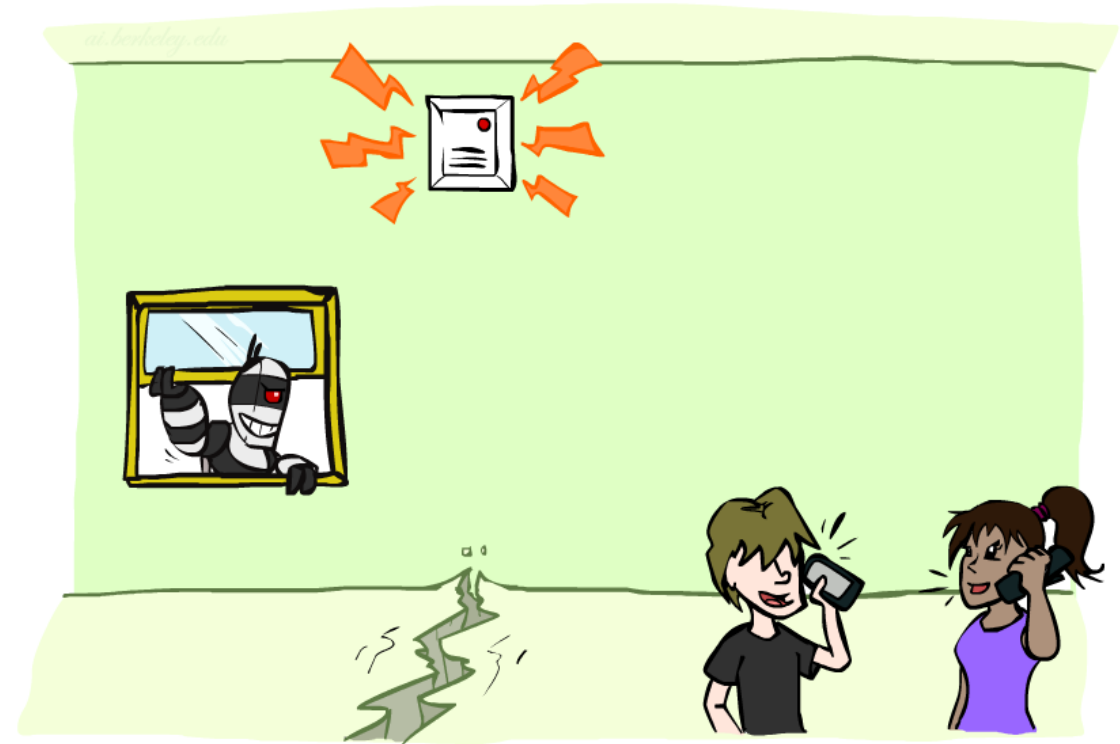
## Variables

- B: Burglary
- A: Alarm goes off
- M: Mary calls
- J: John calls
- E: Earthquake!

How many different ways can we write the chain rule?

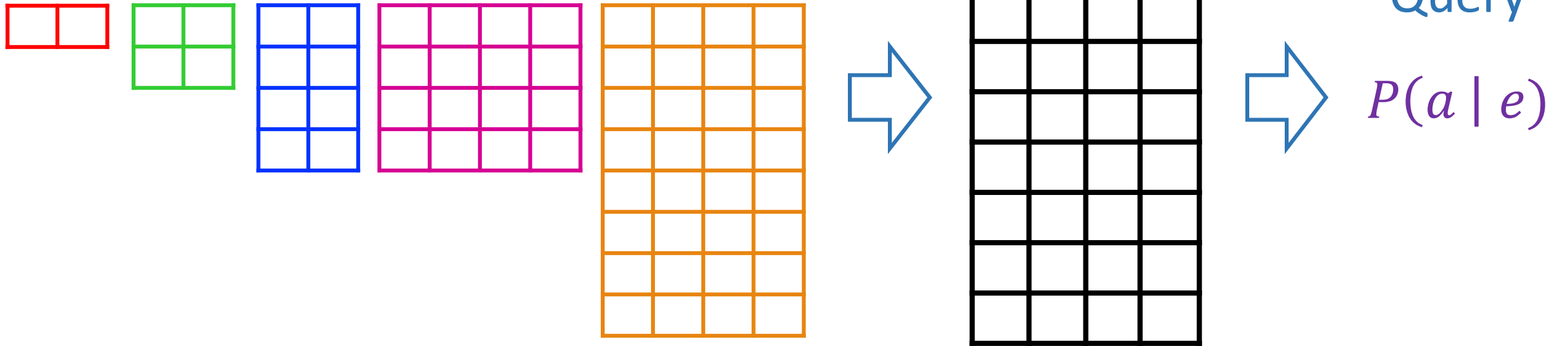
- A. 1
- B. 5
- C. 5 choose 5
- D. 5!
- E. 5<sup>5</sup>

$$P(B, A, M, J, E) = P(B)P(A|B)P(M|BA)P(J|BAM)P(E|BAMJ)$$



# Build Joint Distribution Using Chain Rule

Conditional Probability Tables  
and Chain Rule



$$P(A) P(B|A) P(C|A, B) P(D|A, B, C) P(E|A, B, C, D)$$

# Answer Any Query from Condition Probability Tables

Process to go from (specific) conditional probability tables to query

1. Construct the joint distribution
  1. Product Rule or Chain Rule
2. Answer query from joint
  1. Definition of conditional probability
  2. Law of total probability (marginalization, summing out)

# Answer Any Query from Condition Probability Tables

Bayes' rule as an example

Given:  $P(E|Q)$ ,  $P(Q)$       Query:  $P(Q | e)$

1. Construct the **joint** distribution

1. Product Rule or Chain Rule

$$P(E, Q) = P(E|Q)P(Q)$$

2. Answer **query** from **joint**

1. Definition of conditional probability

$$P(Q | e) = \frac{P(e, Q)}{P(e)}$$

2. Law of total probability (marginalization, summing out)

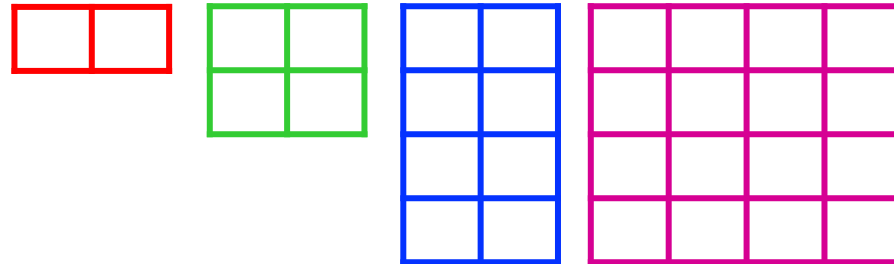
$$P(Q | e) = \frac{P(e, Q)}{\sum_q P(e, q)}$$

# Bayesian Networks

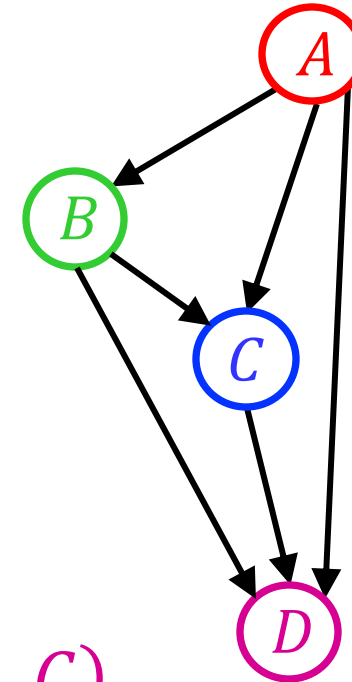
One node per random variable

DAG

One CPT per node:  $P(\text{node} \mid \text{Parents}(\text{node}))$



Bayes net



$$\underline{P(A, B, C, D)} = P(A) P(B|A) P(C|A, B) P(D|A, B, C)$$

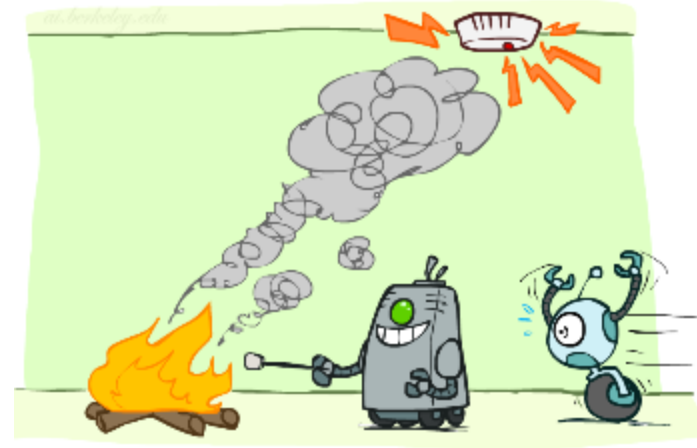
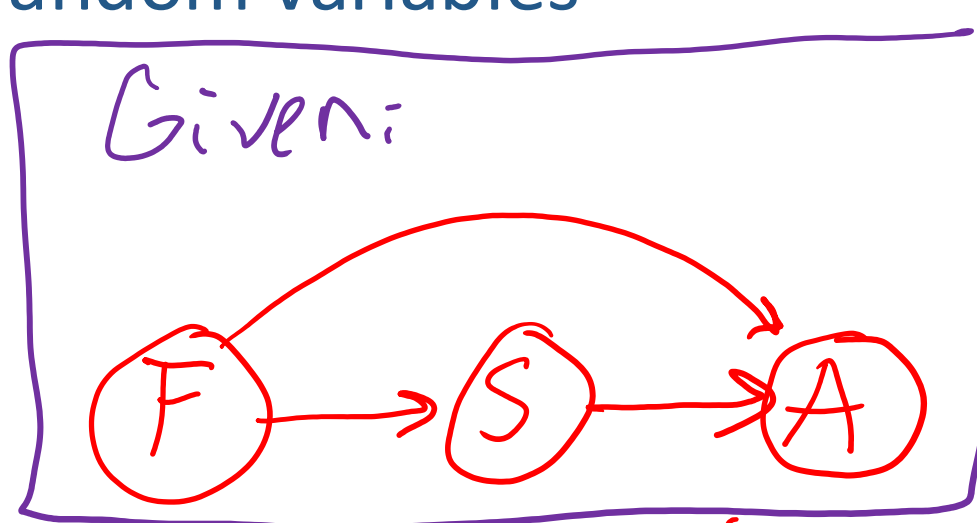
Encode joint distributions as product of conditional distributions on each variable

$$P(X_1, \dots, X_N) = \prod_i P(\underline{X_i} \mid \text{Parents}(X_i))$$

# Build Bayes Net Using Chain Rule

## Binary random variables

- Fire
- Smoke
- Alarm



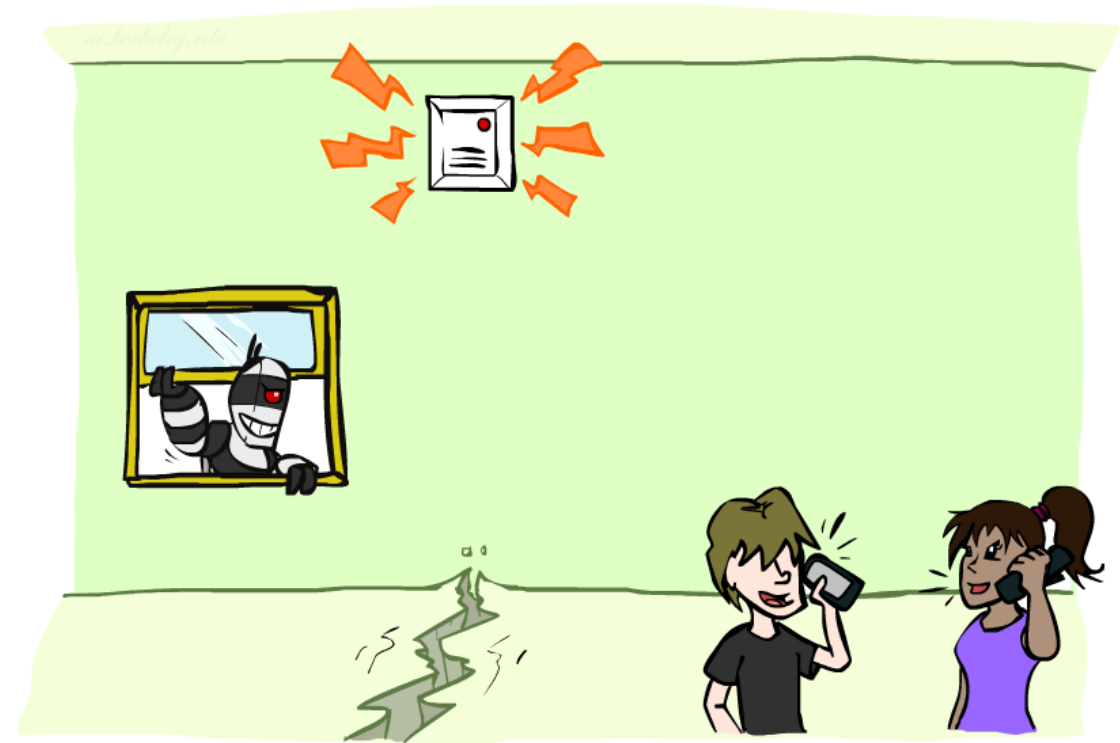
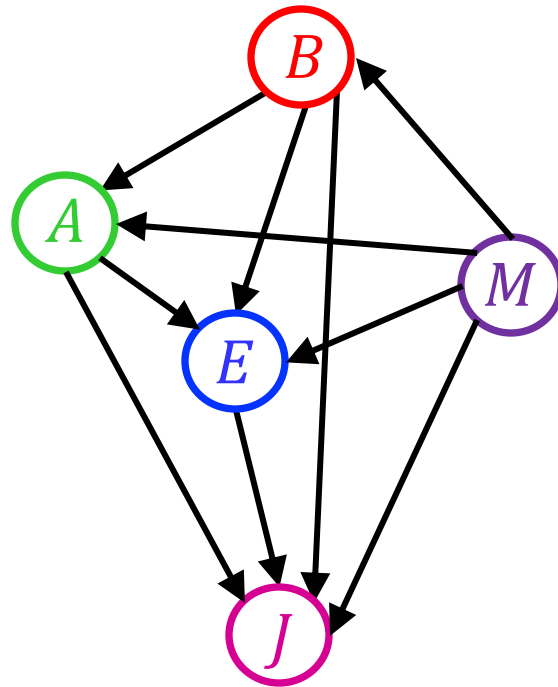
$$P(F, S, A) = P(F) P(S|F) P(A|F, S)$$



# Question

## Variables

- B: Burglary
- A: Alarm goes off
- M: Mary calls
- J: John calls
- E: Earthquake!



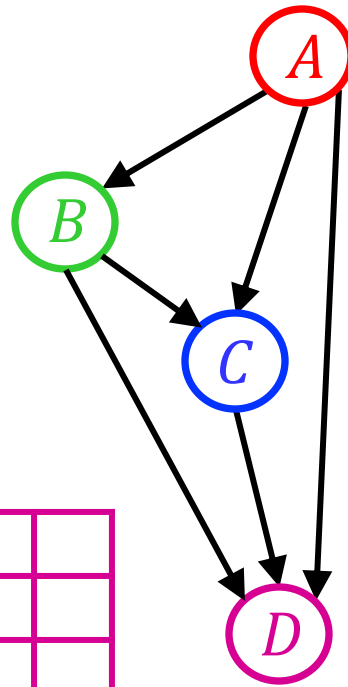
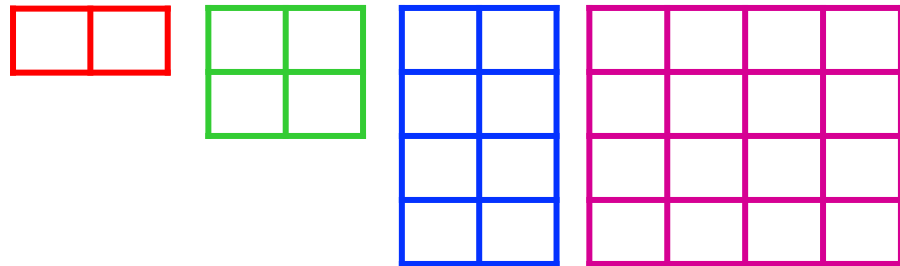
$$P(B, A, E, M)$$

Given the Bayes net, write the joint distribution?

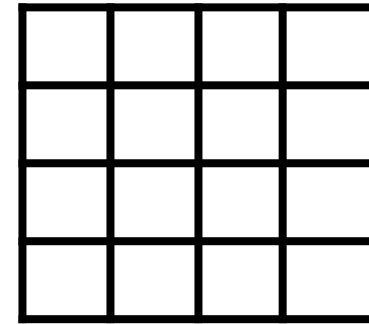
$$= P(B | M) P(A | B, M) P(J | A, E, B, M) P(E | A, B, M) P(M)$$

# Answer Any Query from Bayes Net

Bayes Net and  
Conditional  
Probability Tables



Joint

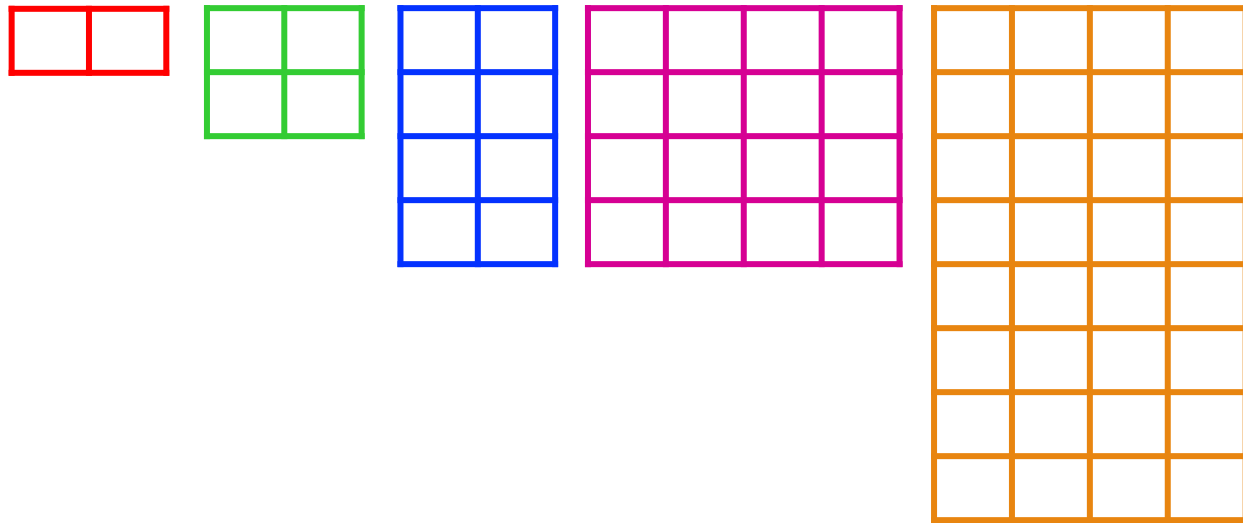


Query

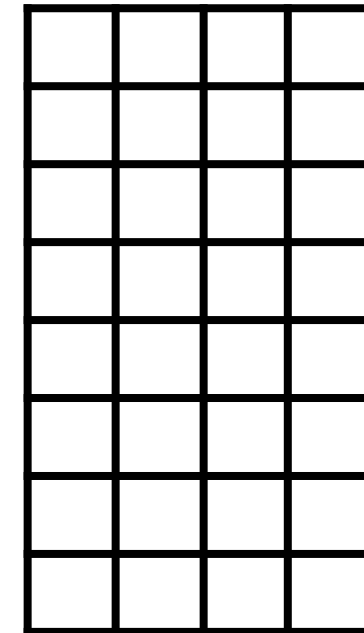
$$P(a | e)$$

# Answer Any Query from Condition Probability Tables

Conditional Probability Tables  
and Chain Rule



Joint



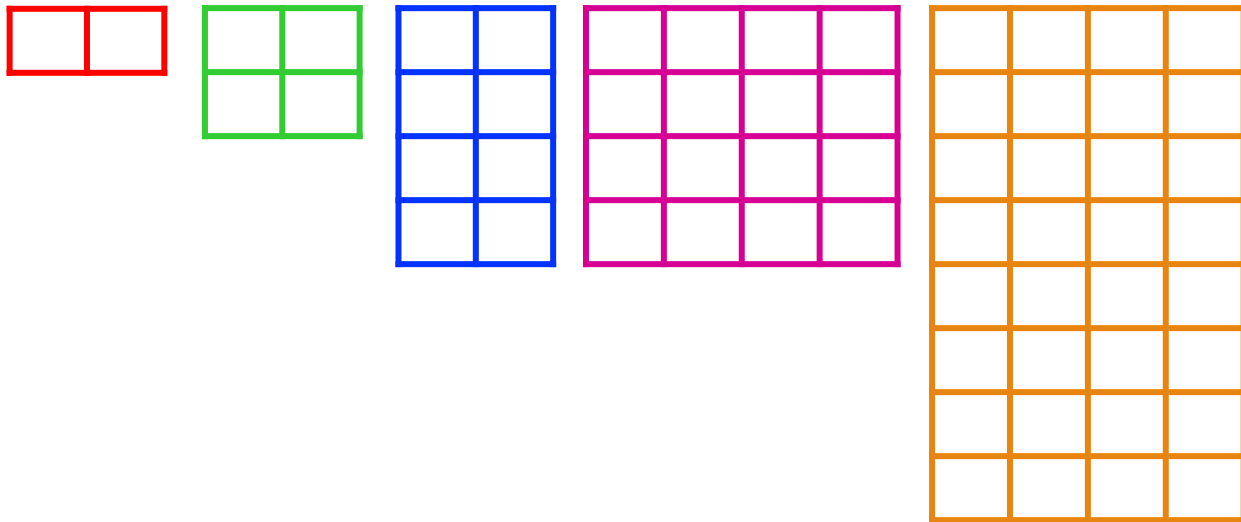
Query

$P(a | e)$

$P(A)$   $P(B|A)$   $P(C|A, B)$   $P(D|A, B, C)$   $P(E|A, B, C, D)$

# Answer Any Query from Condition Probability Tables

## Conditional Probability Tables and Chain Rule



$P(A)$   $P(B|A)$   $P(C|A, B)$   $P(D|A, B, C)$   $P(E|A, B, C, D)$

## Problems

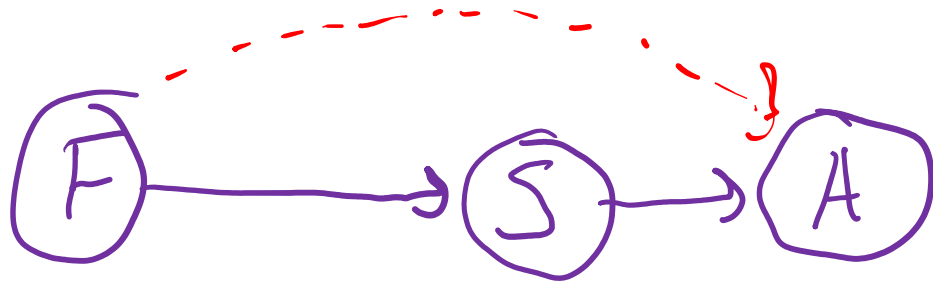
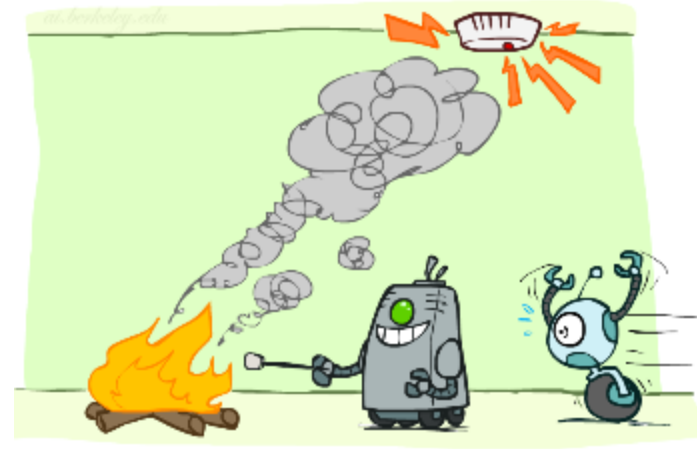
- Huge
  - $n$  variables with  $d$  values
  - $d^n$  entries
- We aren't given the right tables



# Do We Need the Full Chain Rule?

## Binary random variables

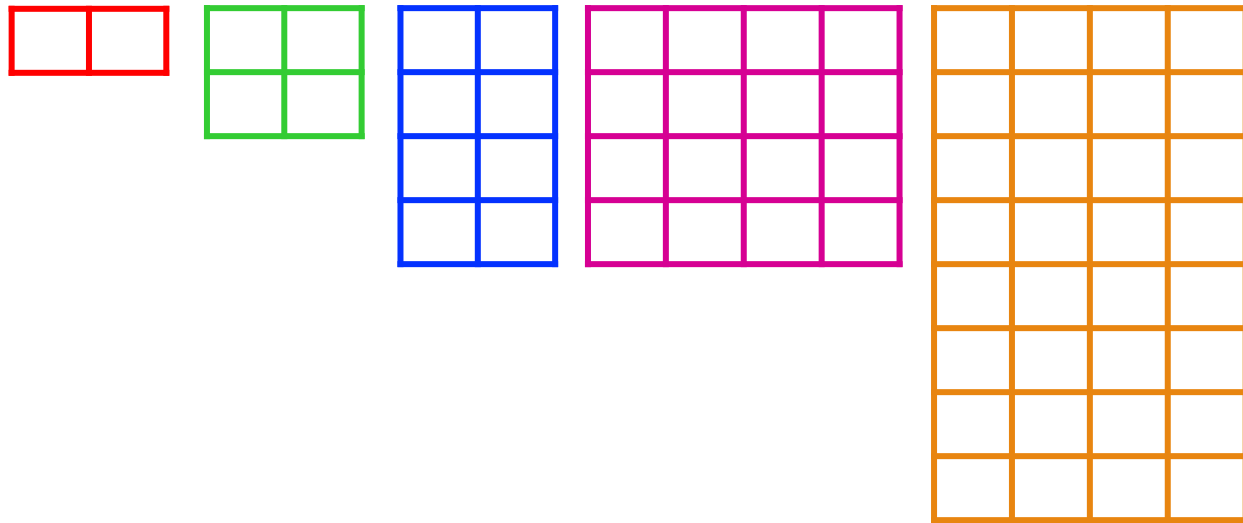
- Fire
- Smoke
- Alarm ← smoke



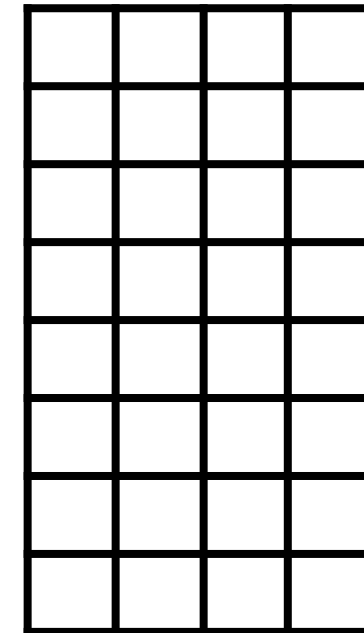
$$P(F, S, A) = P(F) P(S|F) \underline{P(A|S)}$$

# Answer Any Query from Condition Probability Tables

Conditional Probability Tables  
and Chain Rule



Joint



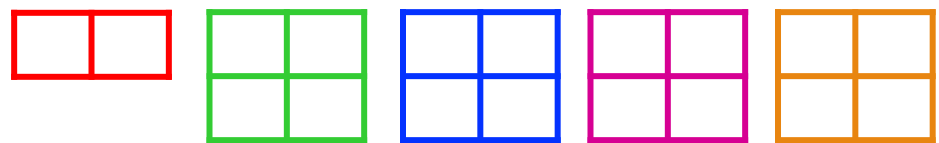
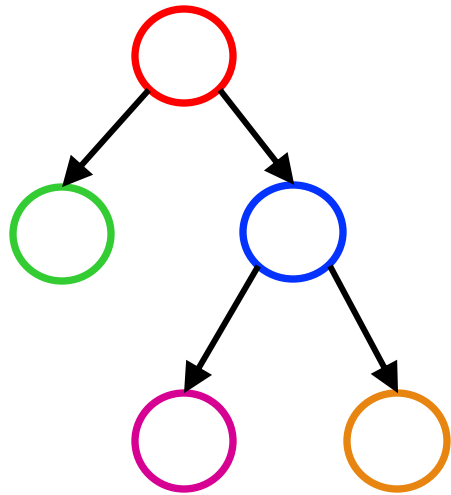
Query

$$P(a | e)$$

$$P(A) P(B|A) P(C|A, B) P(D|A, B, C) P(E|A, B, C, D)$$

# Answer Any Query from Condition Probability Tables

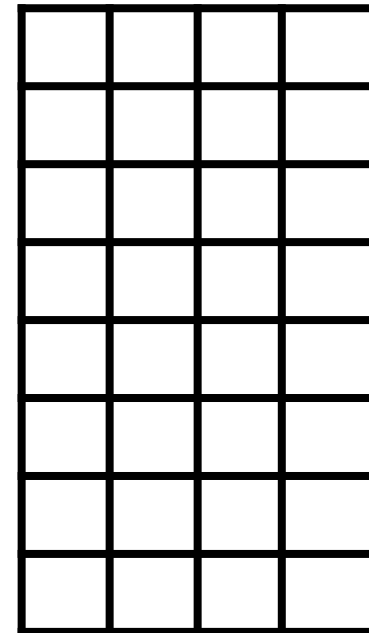
Bayes Net



$P(A)$   $P(B|A)$   $P(C|A)$   $P(D|C)$   $P(E|C)$

$$P(X_1, \dots, X_N) = \prod_i P(X_i | \text{Parents}(X_i))$$

Joint



Query

$P(a | e)$