

BAYES NETS: I-Maps, P-maps,

① I-map: Independency map

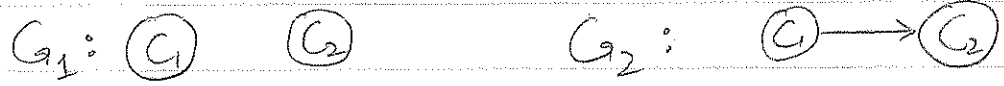
$I(G) = \{ \text{set of indep. assumptions encoded in } G \}$
 $I(P) = \{ \text{set of independencies in } P \}$

If $I(G) \subseteq I(P) \Rightarrow G$ is an I-map of P

e.g

Coin 1	Coin 2	Prob P_1	Prob P_2
H	H	0.25	0.5
H	T	0.25	0
T	H	0.25	0
T	T	0.25	0.5

$I(P_1) = \{ C_1 \perp C_2 \}$ $I(P_2) = \emptyset$



$I(G_1) = C_1 \perp C_2$ $I(G_2) = \emptyset$

For P_1 : both G_1 & G_2 are I-maps

For P_2 : only G_2 is an I-map

② Minimal I-map: Defn

G is an I-map of P

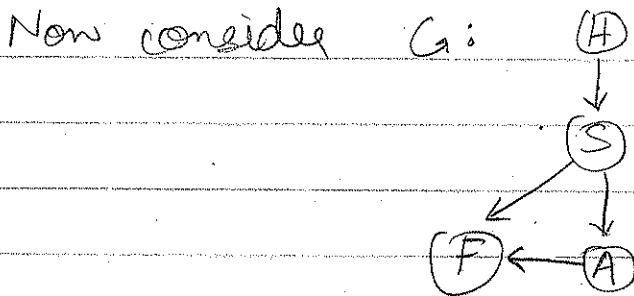
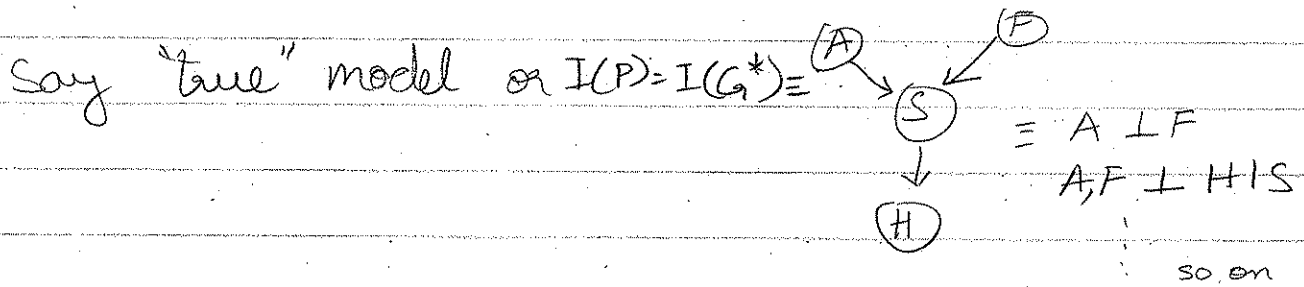
& removing an edge from G makes it no longer an I-map of P

e.g say $I(P) = \{X \perp Y \mid Z\}$



↑ drop this edge & you introduce an indep $X \perp Y$ & $Z \perp Y$ (Not true in P)

②.5 ~~Min~~ Minimal I-map not always 'simple' or unique



Now $I(G) \subset I(P)$

e.g $A, F \perp H \mid S \in I(G)$

but $A \perp F \notin I(G)$

But can't drop an edge from G (no longer an I-map)

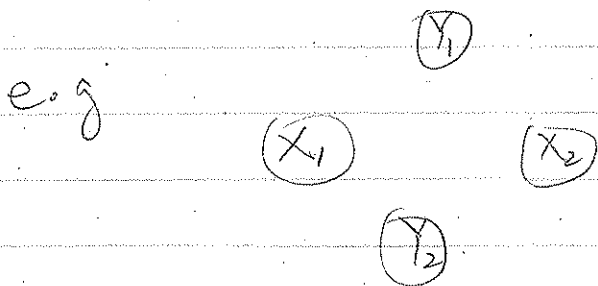
So both G & G^* are minimal I-maps of P but G is not very "natural" or "simple"

③ Perfect-Maps P-Map

G is a P-map of distribution P

$$\text{iff } I(G) = I(P)$$

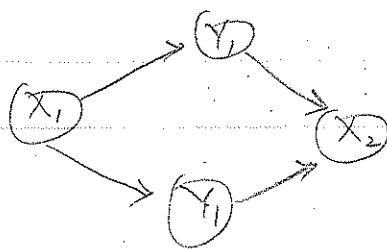
However P-Maps don't always exist!



Say $I(P) = \{ X_1 \perp X_2 \mid Y_1, Y_2 ; Y_1 \perp Y_2 \mid X_1, X_2 \}$

Can't construct a DAG

e.g.



$X_1 \perp X_2 \mid Y_1, Y_2$
but $Y_1 \perp Y_2 \mid X_1, X_2$ Not true!

∴ v-structures!

This counterexample needs Markov Nets
or MRFs (later in class!)

