Modelos gráficos probabilísticos para analítica escalable de datos: TIN2013-46638-C3-2-P

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 - Carlos Bernardo Morales Ramos (Ministerio Defensa)
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Objective 3: Approximate inference and learning with recursive probability trees

Objective

To define new algorithms for **learning PGMs from data** (*massive data sets*)

- We propose to define approximate algorithms for learning canonical models from data.
- Conditional probability distributions (CPTs) of a variable given a big set of parents will be represented as a mixture (sum) of smaller CPTs: we will use **Recursive Probability Trees** (RPTs).

$$P(X_i|\Pi(X_i)) = \sum_{k} \alpha_k \cdot P_k(X_i|\Pi(X_i))$$

• Algorithms for making **exact and approximate inference** in PGMs with potentials represented with RPTs must be defined.

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Planning

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Execution period: T1 - T6

Milestone M2: Inference developments successfully completed. T6 **Deliverables:**

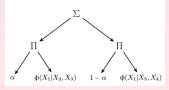
- - D5 State of the art of canonical models literature. T1
 - D6 Report describing the solutions designed for learning, T3
 - D7 Report describing the solutions designed for inference, T6

Objective 3: Approximate inference and learning with recursive probability trees

[Cano et al., 2014]

A. Cano, M. Gómez, S. Moral, C.B. Pérez-Ariza (2014). Extended Probability Trees for Probabilistic Graphical Models. *PGM'2014*.

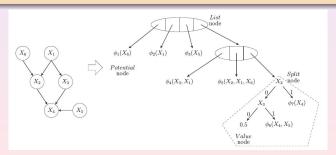
- **Sum nodes** have been incorporated to recursive probability trees: **Extended Probability Trees** (ePTs)
- Inference algorithms are provided using ePTs, providing a description of the operations on potentials with ePTs.
- A way of **approximating** a CPT with an ePT is given.



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[Cano et al., 2015]

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• It describes an algorithm for learning RPTs from a database.

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- The RPTs contains only multiplicative factorizations.
- Experiments with artificial databases:
 - Sampled from random RPTs with different levels of factorization and cs-independences: we tried to detect if the learning algorithm was able to detect those patterns.
 - We measured the Kullback-Leibler divergence of the learned RPTs with respect to the original ones, and the sizes (number of probability values).
- Experiments with databases from the UCI repository.
 - We calcultated the BIC score and sizes.

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Work in progress

Estimating Conditional Probabilities by Mixtures of Low Order Conditional Distributions

It is given a procedure to estimate a large conditional probability distributions $P(Y|X_1,\ldots,X_n)$ by means of an average of low order conditional probability distributions $P(Y|\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^{k} \alpha_i P_i(Y|\mathbf{x}_{\mathbf{z}_i})$:

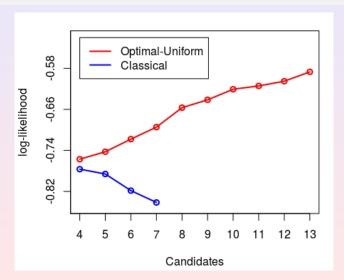
- ① Determine a family Z_1, \ldots, Z_k of subsets of X, where each Z_i is of a moderate size.
- 2 Compute a conditional probability distribution $P_i(Y|\mathbf{Z}_i)$ for each $i = 1, \dots, k$, by using maximum likelihood or Laplace correction.
- **3** Estimate P(Y|X) as a convex combination $P(Y|\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i P_i(Y|\mathbf{x}_{\mathbf{Z}_i})$, where $\alpha_i \in [0,1]$ and $\sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i = 1$.

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Experiments: 31 datasets from UCI Machine Learning Repository have been used

- **Objective:** To estimate a conditional distribution of the class (variable Y) given the attributes (X): P(Y|X). We assume that the class is dependent of all the attributes.
- Different runs of the algorithm are permorfed selecting as X the first / attributes in the dataset.
- The average of the log-likelihood of the conditional probabilities $P(y|\mathbf{x})$ (for all the test cases \mathbf{x} in the dataset) is evaluated to compare a **classical method** of estimation of probabilities by maximum likelihood (using Laplace correction) with our proposals.

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Planning

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Execution period: T1 - T8

Milestone M3: Inference developments successfully completed, T8 Deliverables:

- D14 State of the art on learning from data streams, T3
- D15 Report describing the solutions designed for learning, T8

[Oviedo et al., 2016a]

B. Oviedo, S. Moral and A. Puris (2016). A Hierarchical Clustering Method: Applications to Educational Data. *Intelligent Data Analysis Journal*.



- It proposes procedures for learning PGMs in situations with many variables which are **dependent of some hidden common variables**: classical methods produce too complex graphs.
- This is the case in socio-economic data of students.
- It proposes a model to learn a set of hidden variables with a tree structure.

[Oviedo et al., 2015], [Oviedo et al., 2016b]

- B. Oviedo, L. Moreira, A. Puris and S. Moral (2015). Learning
 Bayesian network by a Mesh of Points. Asia-Pacific Conference
 on Computer Aided System Engineering.
- B. Oviedo, L. Moreira, A. Puris and S. Moral (2016). Learning
 Bayesian network by a Mesh of Points. IEEE World Congress On Evolutionary Computation.
- It proposes the use of the Variable Mesh Optimization
 Metaheuristic for structural learning of BNs with a score+search
 strategy.
- In the experiments, the learned BNs are used as Bayesian classifiers, and compared with other classifiers: best performance is obtained for classification accuracy.

[Masegosa et al., 2016]

A. R. Masegosa, A. J. Feelders and L.C. van der Gaag (2016). Learning from incomplete data in Bayesian networks with qualitative influences. International Journal of Approximate Reasoning.

- The paper proposes two algorithms to exploit prior knowledge of qualitative influences in learning the parameters of a Bayesian network from incomplete data.
- These algorithms are extensions of the standard EM.
- The experiments shows that exploitation of the qualitative influences improves the parameter estimates over standard EM.

[Sonntag et al., 2015]

D. Sonntag, J. M. Peña and M. Gómez-Olmedo (2015). Approximate Counting of Graphical Models Via MCMC Revisited. International Journal of Intelligent Systems, 30 (3): 384-420.

[Peña and Gómez-Olmedo, 2016]

J. M. Peña and M. Gómez-Olmedo (2015). Learning Marginal AMP Chain Graphs under Faithfulness Revisited. International Journal of Approximate Reasoning, 68: 108-126

[Masegosa et al., 2015]

Andrés R. Masegosa, Rubén Armañanzas, María M. Abad-Grau, Víctor Potenciano, Serafín Moral, Pedro Larrañaga, Concha Bielza and Fuencisla Matesanz (2015). Discretization of Expression Quantitative Trait Loci in Association Analysis Between Genotypes and Expression Data. Current Bioinformatics

Situational Awareness

Situational Awareness (SA) is the field of study concerned with quantifying the perception of the environment critical decision-makers in complex, dynamic areas. We will consider the case of aircrafts pilots.

- Measures of pilot SA are needed in order to know whether new concepts in display design help pilots.
- SA depends on the knowledge of a high number of variables with complex relationships with uncertainty.

Objective

- Dynamic Bayesian networks will be applied to obtain quantitative measures of the influence of information management and display.
- Our approach will consist of measuring SA as a function of unobservable variables for which we can obtain information from available observations and pilots decisions.
- We will also try to improve the quality of the information shown to the pilots to enhance their SA.

Planning

Participants: A. Cano Utrera, Anders Madsen, Serafín Moral Callejón,

Carlos Morales Ramos

Execution period: T1 - T12

Milestone M5: Requirement analysis completed, T2

Deliverables:

- D19 Requirements specification report, T2
- D15 Analysis and design of the proposed architecture, T8
- D21 Designed prototype, T12

[Morales and Moral, 2015]

Carlos Morales and Serafín Moral, (2015). Discretization of simulated flight parameters for estimation of Situational Awareness using Dynamic Bayesian Networks. Proceedings of the 2015 IEEE Twelfth International Symposium on Autonomous Decentralized Systems (ISADS 2015).

[Morales and Moral, 2016a]

Carlos Morales and Serafín Moral, (2016). **Modeling aircrew information** management for estimation of situational awareness using dynamic Bayesian networks. *Simulation Modelling Practice and Theory*

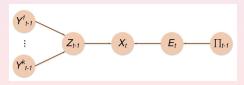
- These works use a simulation environment that collects data for measurements of certain continuous parameters of the SA of a pilot.
- The papers analyse the **influence of different discretization criteria** on the scores obtained by Dynamic Bayesian networks that learn variable dependencies from data.

[Morales and Moral, 2016b]

Carlos Morales and Serafín Moral, (2016). Regression Methods Applied to Flight Variables for Situational Awareness Estimation Using **Dynamic Bayesian Networks**. Eighth International Conference on Probabilistic Graphical Models

An approach for modelling the conditional probability distributions in a Dynamic Bayesian Network using for each variable a deterministic function of its parents and a hidden variable (which measures the error).

- It proposes a model in which linear regression is used to model variables.
- Each continuous variables X_{it} (variable X_i in period time t) is modelled using three variables:
 - A deterministic variable Z_{it} that depends (linear regression) on other variables in the same period of time $Z_{it} = a + b_1 Y_t^1 + \cdots + b_k Y_t^k$
 - An error variable (hidden) E_{it} that depends on a set of parents $\Pi_{i(t-1)}$
 - A deterministic variable $X_{it} = Z_{i(t-1)} + E_t$
- Error variables are discretized to learn the DBN.



Objective

To develop a generic care-assistant platform integrating PGMs on mobiles-devices technology.

The platform will allow the reasoning and the communication about the disease status of the patient.

- Main server: save the complete history of patients, hospital check-up measurements, PGMs related to several diseases and an intelligent model in charge of computing and reporting the patients health status
- Patient mobile-device: store patients data an personal observations, communicating with the main server.

Planning

Participants: Manuel Gómez Olmedo, Rafael Cabañas de Paz, Peter

Lucas, Cora B. Pérez Ariza Execution period: T1 - T12

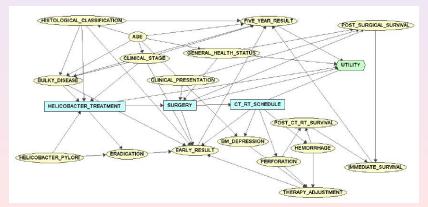
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- D24 Designed prototype, T12

- Peter Lucas has been working in a general framework using the Android framework for building specific applications.
- He has developed apps for chronic obstructive pulmonary disease and hypertension in pregnancy.
- These apps share the same basic structure. The particular elements (both the Bayesian network and queries to users) are hard-coded.

 We have worked in methodological tasks, particularly in the use of Influence Diagrams as the PGM for the development of Decision Support Systems to help patients in the treatments of their diseases.



[Cabañas et al., 2016b]

R. Cabañas, M. Gómez-Olmedo and A. Cano (2016). Using Binary Trees for the Evaluation of Influence Diagrams. International Journal of Uncertainty, Fuzziness and Knowlegde-Based Systems

- It proposes the use of binary probability trees (BTs) to represent the potentials of Influence Diagrams (utility potentials in particular: BUTs).
- It defines the new algorithms for building and pruning BUTs.
- It describes how to use BTs with different evaluation algoritms of IDs.



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R. Cabañas, A. Cano and M. Gómez-Olmedo (2015). Similarity Measures for Building Binary Utility Trees in the Approximate **Evaluation of Influence Diagrams**. CAEPIA'15

- It analysis the use of different similarity measures for building BUTs.
- It tests them with some IDs from the literature
- For each similarity measure, it measures required sizes of BUTs and error of the approximation of the MEU for different values of ϵ . Then, it calculates the *hyper-volume* (1 optimal solution, 0 the worst).

	EU	NORM	EXP	COS	JAC	KL
Car Buyer	0.139	0.129	0.125	0.041	0.138	0.138
Jaundice	0.859	0.805	0.804	0.803	0.861	0.86
Oil	0.442	0.407	0.193	0.22	0.192	0.192
Dating	0.227	0.22	0.215	0.095	0.059	0.215
Threat of entry	0.78	0.684	0.684	0.685	0.685	0.684
NHL	0.668	0.652	0.649	0.65	0.522	0.589

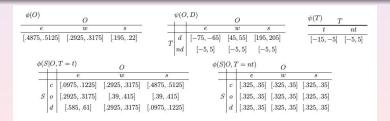
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R. Cabañas, A. Cano and M. Gómez-Olmedo (2016). Improvements to Variable Elimination and Symbolic Probabilistic Inference for **Evaluating Influence Diagrams**. International Journal of Approximate Reasoning

 It proposes new heuristic methods for deciding the order of combinations and marginalizations in the evaluation of influence diagrams using variable elimination and SPI algorithms.

[Cabañas et al., 2015a]

R. Cabañas, A. Antonucci, A. Cano and M. Gómez-Olmedo (2015). Variable Elimination for Interval-Valued Influence Diagrams. ECSQUARU 2015



- It extends the formalism of influence diagrams by allowing both probabilities and utilities to take **interval values**.
- It defines an approximate algorithm to evaluate an influence diagram with interval potentials.
- In the experiments, the approximate algorithm is compared with the exact solutions obtained using extreme points or a solution based on linear programming.

[Cabañas et al., 2017]

R. Cabañas, A. Antonucci, A. Cano and M. Gómez-Olmedo (2017). **Evaluating Interval-Valued Influence Diagrams**. International Journal of Approximate Reasoning

- It is an extension of the previous paper.
- It proposes new approaches to obtain **best approximations** to the exact solution:
 - The use of a linear programming approach with the variable elimination and arc reversals algorithms.
 - The use of a **fast Variable Elimination** algorithm.

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To do

We are planning the use of **MOA** and the **AMIDST Toolbox** to implement new learning algorithms from data streams:

• AMIDST Toolbox: contains tools to get a Stream from a static database (Weka).

```
DataStream<DataInstance> data = DataStreamLoader.openFromFile(
                                "datasets/SmallDataSet.arff");
Attribute attA = data.getAttributes().getAttributeBvName("A");
data.stream().forEach(dataInstance ->
                System.out.println("The value of attribute A for the current data "+
                                        instance is: " + dataInstance.getValue(attA))
                     );
```

• MOA: contains tools to get a Stream from a generator and to evaluate classifiers learnt from a data stream.