

# Intelligent Systems (AI-2)

## Computer Science cpsc422, Lecture 17

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Slide Sources

*D. Koller*, Stanford CS – Probabilistic Graphical Models

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Several Figures from

“Probabilistic Graphical Models: Principles and Techniques” *D. Koller, N. Friedman* 2009

# Lecture Overview

Finish (directed) temporal models

Probabilistic Graphical models

- Undirected models

# Simple but Powerful Approach: Particle Filtering

**Idea from Exact Filtering:** should be able to compute  
 $P(X_{t+1} / \mathbf{e}_{1:t+1})$  from  $P(X_t / \mathbf{e}_{1:t})$

*“.. One slice from the previous slice...”*

**Idea from Likelihood Weighting**

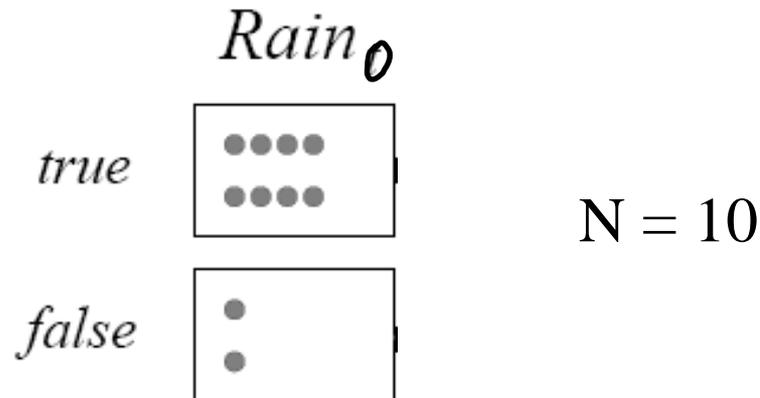
- Samples should be weighted by the probability of evidence given parents

**New Idea:** run multiple samples simultaneously through the network

# Particle Filtering

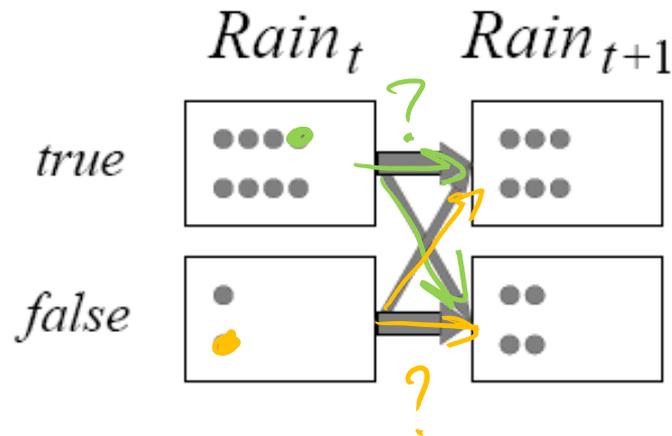
- Run all **N samples together** through the network, one slice at a time

**STEP 0:** Generate a population on N initial-state samples by sampling from initial state distribution  $P(X_0)$



# Particle Filtering

**STEP 1:** Propagate each sample for  $x_t$  forward by sampling the next state value  $x_{t+1}$  based on  $P(X_{t+1} | X_t)$



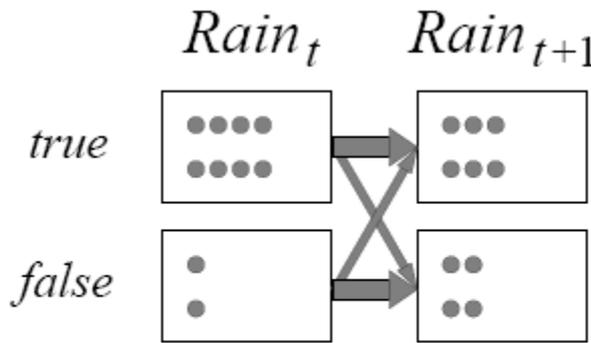
$R_t$	$P(R_{t+1}=t)$
$t$	0.7
$f$	0.3

(a) Propagate

# Particle Filtering

**STEP 2:** Weight each sample by the likelihood it assigns to the evidence

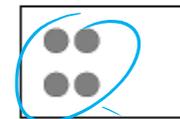
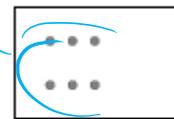
- E.g. assume we observe not umbrella at  $t+1$



(a) Propagate

*weighted 0.1*

$Rain_{t+1}$



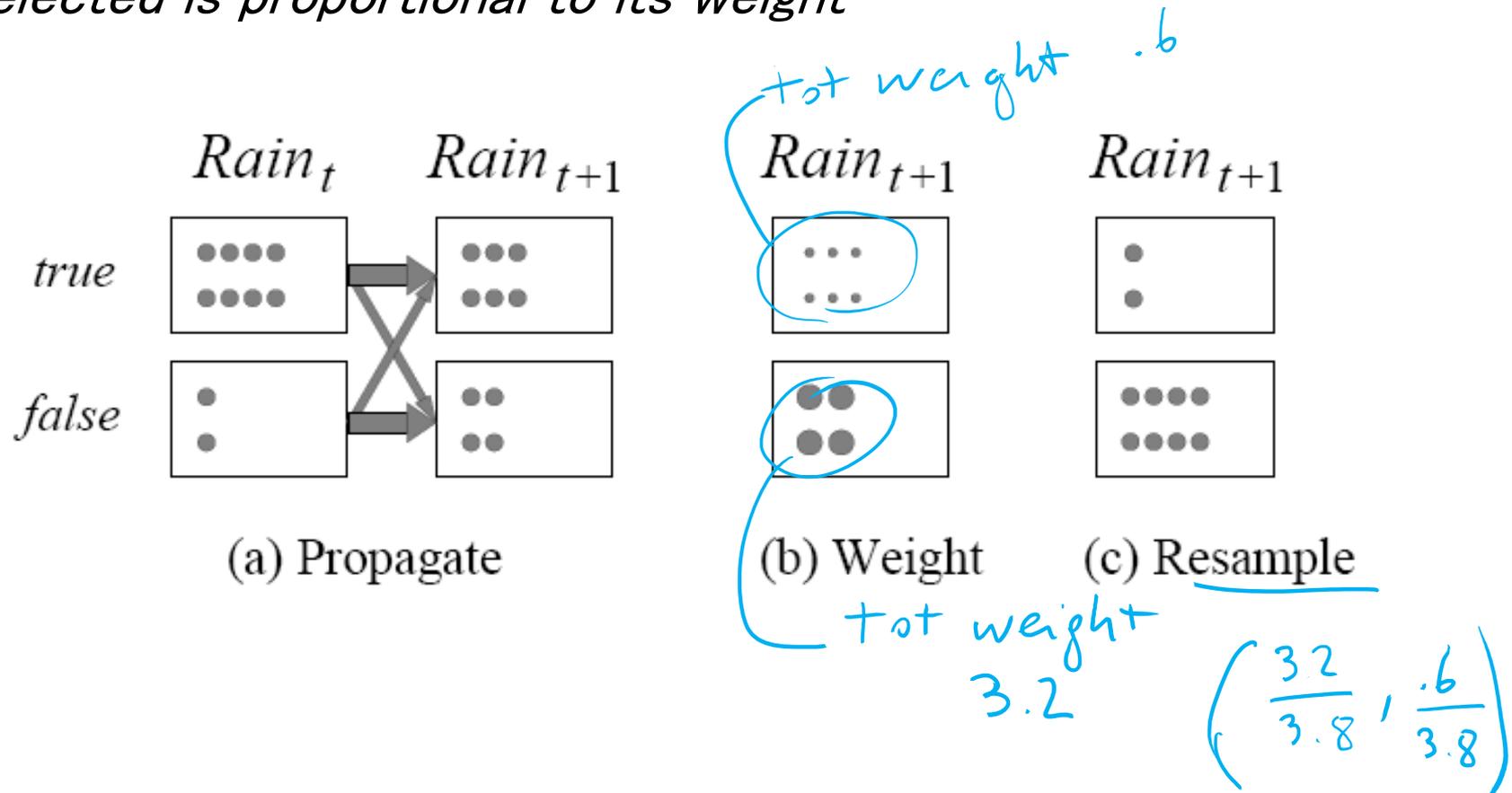
(b) Weight

*weighted 0.8*

$R_t$	$P(u_t)$	$P(\neg u_t)$
$t$	0.9	0.1
$f$	0.2	0.8

# Particle Filtering

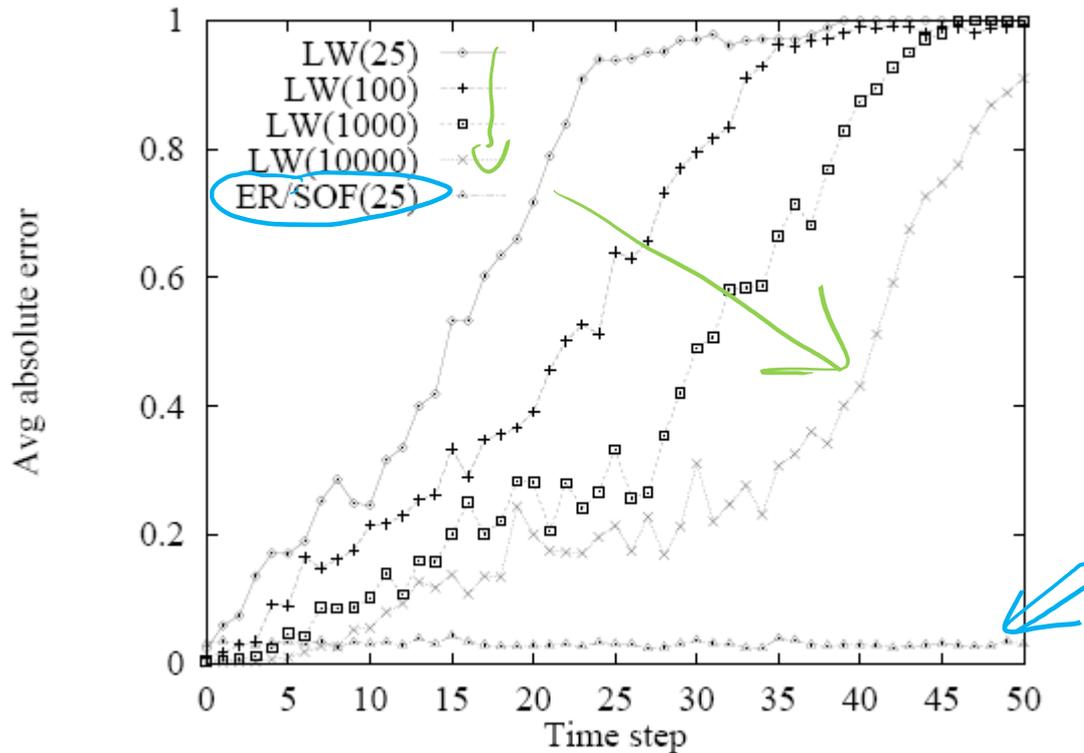
**STEP 3:** Create a new population from the population at  $X_{t+1}$ , *i.e.* resample the population so that the probability that each sample is selected is proportional to its weight



➤ Start the Particle Filtering cycle again from the new sample

# Is PF Efficient?

In practice, approximation error of particle filtering remains bounded overtime



It is also possible to prove that the approximation maintains bounded error with high probability

(with specific assumption: probs in transition and sensor models  $>0$  and  $<1$ )

# 422 big picture: Where are we?

StarAI (statistical relational AI)

Hybrid: Det +Sto

*Prob CFG*

*Prob Relational Models*

*Markov Logics*

Deterministic

Stochastic

Query

Planning

<p><i>Logics</i> <i>First Order Logics</i></p> <p><i>Ontologies</i> <i>Temporal rep.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full Resolution</li> <li>• SAT</li> </ul>	<p><i>Belief Nets</i></p> <p>Approx. : Gibbs</p> <p><i>Markov Chains and HMMs</i></p> <p>Forward, Viterbi...</p> <p>Approx. : Particle Filtering</p> <p><i>Undirected Graphical Models</i> <i>Markov Networks</i> <i>Conditional Random Fields</i></p>
	<p><i>Markov Decision Processes and Partially Observable MDP</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Value Iteration</li> <li>• Approx. Inference</li> </ul> <p><i>Reinforcement Learning</i></p>

*Applications of AI*

*Representation*

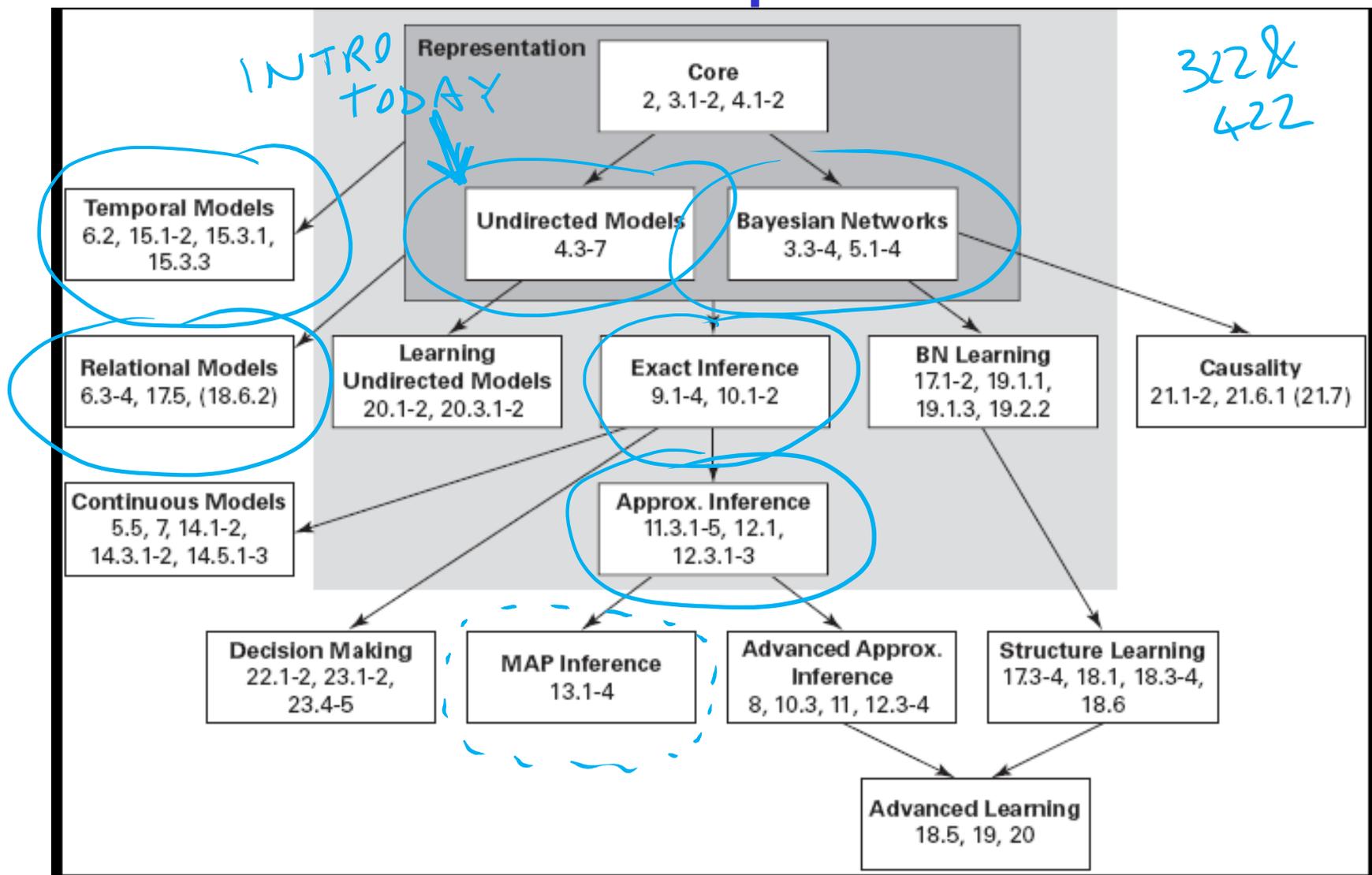
Reasoning  
Technique

# Lecture Overview

## Probabilistic Graphical models

- Intro
- Example
- **Markov Networks Representation (vs. Belief Networks)**
- Inference in Markov Networks (Exact and Approx.)
- **Applications of Markov Networks**

# Probabilistic Graphical Models

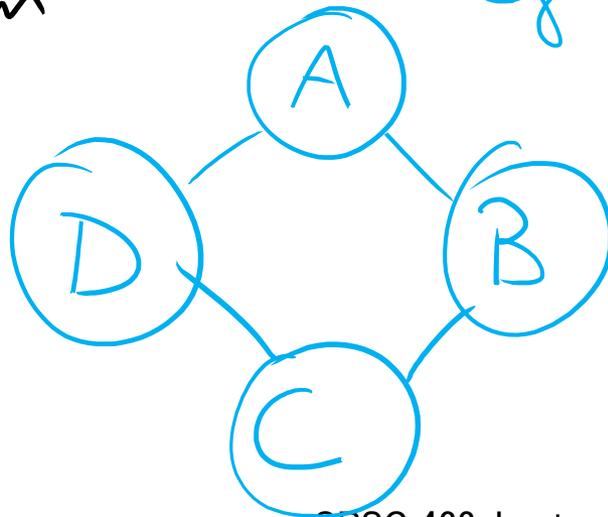


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# Misconception Example

- Four students (Alice, Bill, Debbie, Charles) get together in pairs, to work on a homework
- But only in the following pairs: AB AD DC BC
- Professor misspoke and might have generated misconception
- A student might have figured it out later and told study partner

Four random  
vars



eg

A random var  
two values

$\partial^1$  Alice has the  
misc.

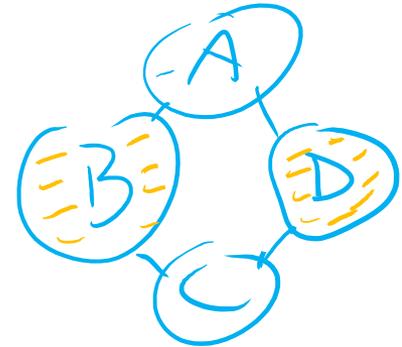
$\partial^0$  Alice doesn't have  
the misc.

# Example: In/Depencencies

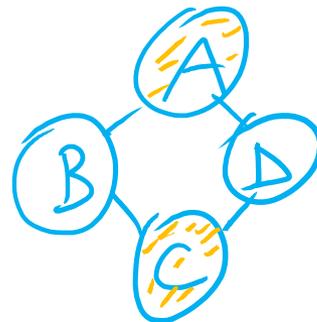
Are A and C independent because they never spoke?

No, because A might have figure it out and told B who then told C

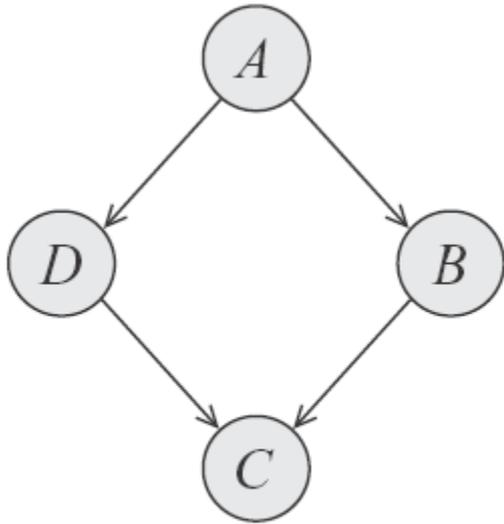
But if we know the values of B and D...



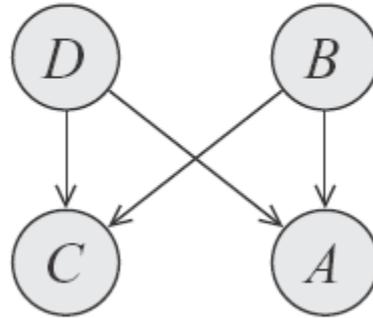
And if we know the values of A and C



Which of these two Bnets captures the two independencies of our example?



a.



b.

$(A \perp C \mid B D)$   
 $(B \perp D \mid A C)$

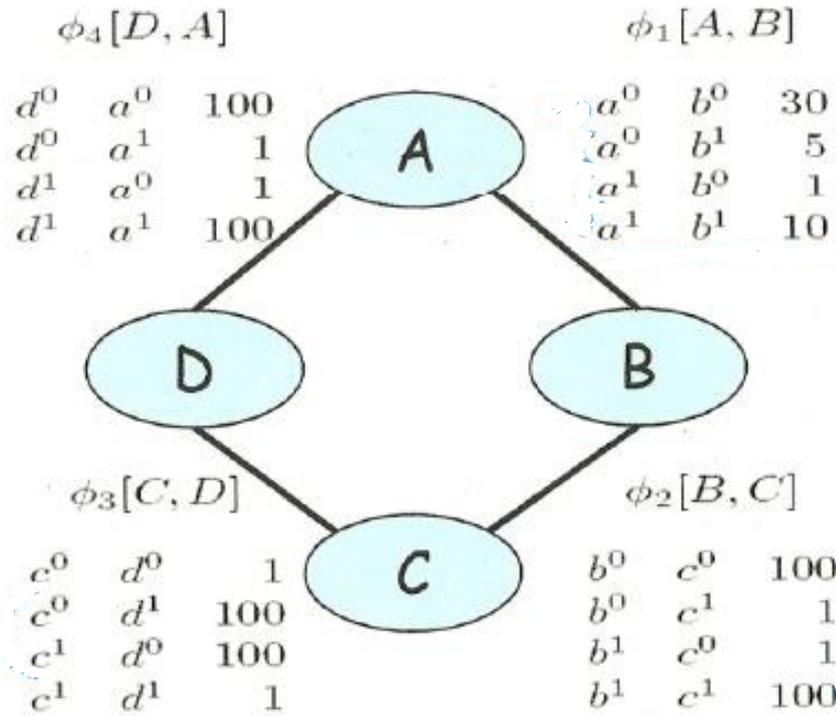
in a.  $B \not\perp D \mid C$

in b. same

c. Both

d. None

# Parameterization of Markov Networks



X set of random  
vars: A factor is  
 $\phi(\text{val}(X)) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Factors define the local interactions (like CPTs in Bnets)

What about the global model? What do you do with Bnets?

# How do we combine local models?

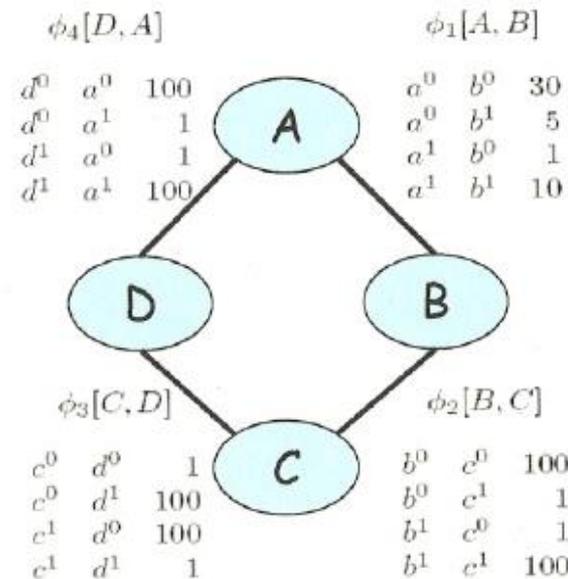
As in BNets by multiplying them!

$$\tilde{P}(A, B, C, D) = \phi_1(A, B) \times \phi_2(B, C) \times \phi_3(C, D) \times \phi_4(A, D)$$

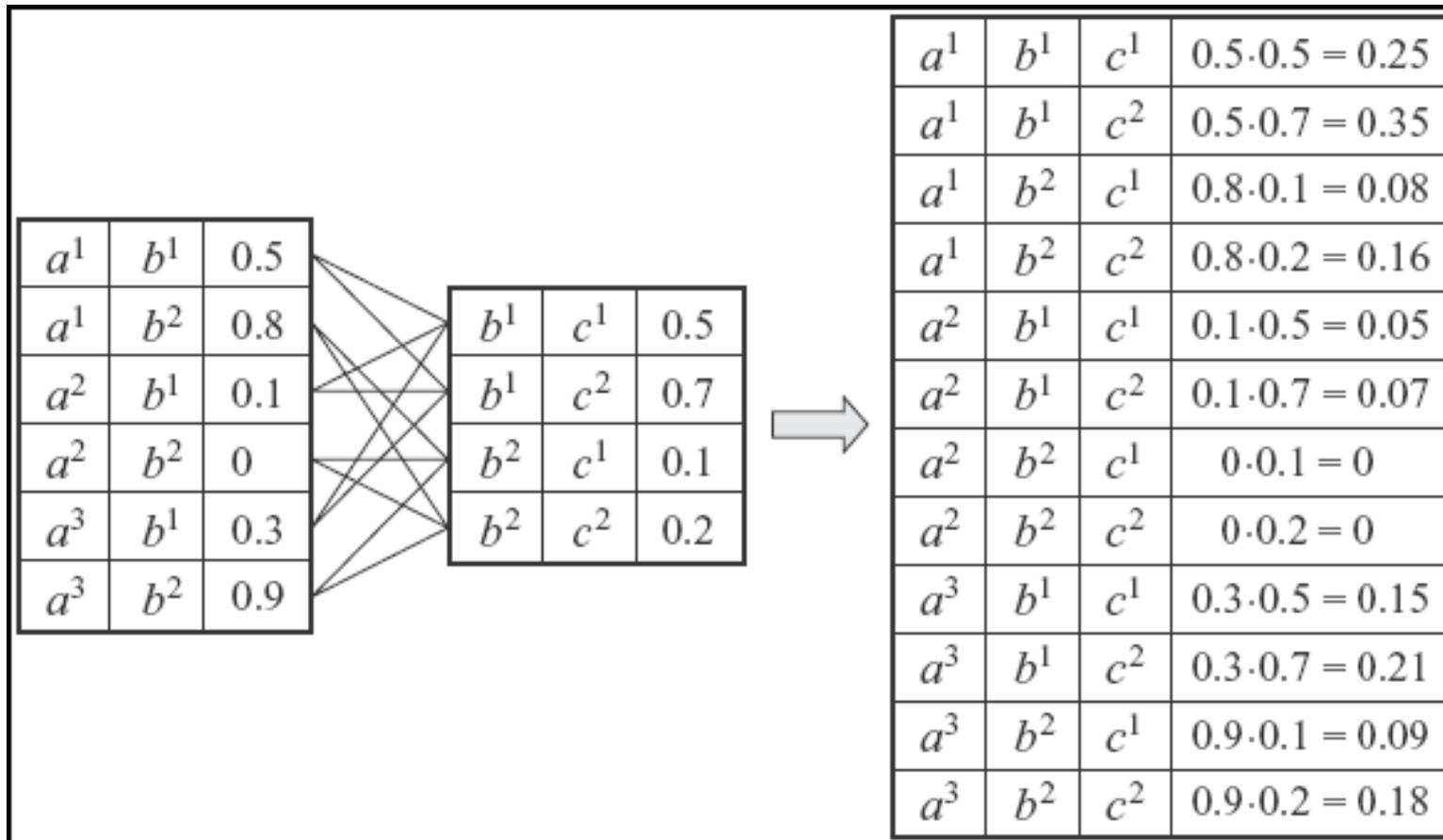
$$P(A, B, C, D) = \frac{1}{Z} \tilde{P}(A, B, C, D)$$

$P(A, B)$ ?

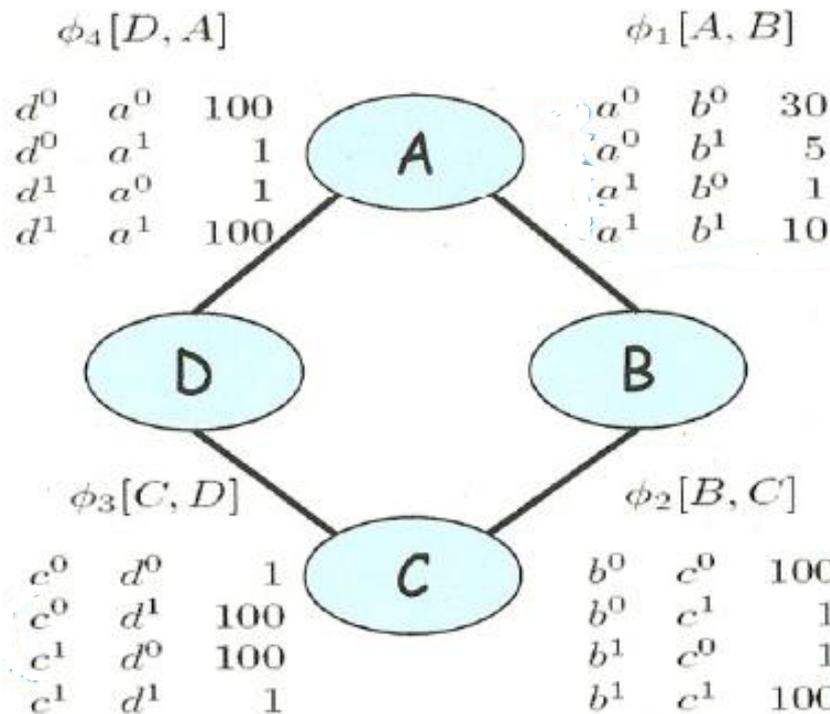
Assignment				Unnormalized	Normalized
$a^0$	$b^0$	$c^0$	$d^0$	300000	.04
$a^0$	$b^0$	$c^0$	$d^1$	300000	.04
$a^0$	$b^0$	$c^1$	$d^0$	300000	.04
$a^0$	$b^0$	$c^1$	$d^1$	30	$4.1 \times 10^{-6}$
$a^0$	$b^1$	$c^0$	$d^0$	500	...
$a^0$	$b^1$	$c^0$	$d^1$	500	...
$a^0$	$b^1$	$c^1$	$d^0$	5000000	.69
$a^0$	$b^1$	$c^1$	$d^1$	500	...
$a^1$	$b^0$	$c^0$	$d^0$	100	...
$a^1$	$b^0$	$c^0$	$d^1$	1000000	...
$a^1$	$b^0$	$c^1$	$d^0$	100	...
$a^1$	$b^0$	$c^1$	$d^1$	100	...
$a^1$	$b^1$	$c^0$	$d^0$	10	...
$a^1$	$b^1$	$c^0$	$d^1$	100000	...
$a^1$	$b^1$	$c^1$	$d^0$	100000	...
$a^1$	$b^1$	$c^1$	$d^1$	100000	...



# Multiplying Factors (same seen in 322 for VarElim)



# Factors do not represent marginal probs. !



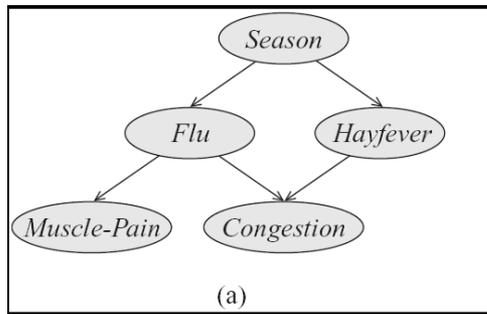
$a^0 b^0$	0.13
$a^0 b^1$	0.69
$a^1 b^0$	0.14
$a^1 b^1$	0.04

Marginal  $P(A, B)$

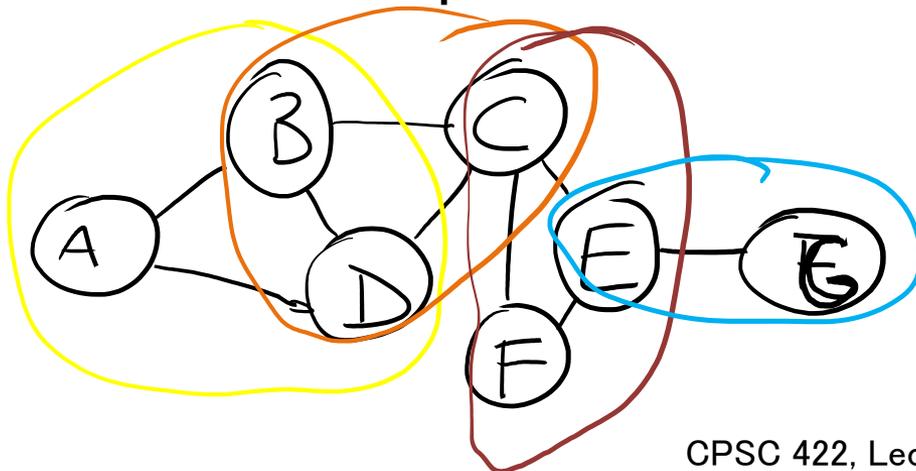
Computed from the joint

# Step Back... From structure to factors/potentials

In a Bnet the joint is factorized...



In a Markov Network you have one factor for each maximal clique



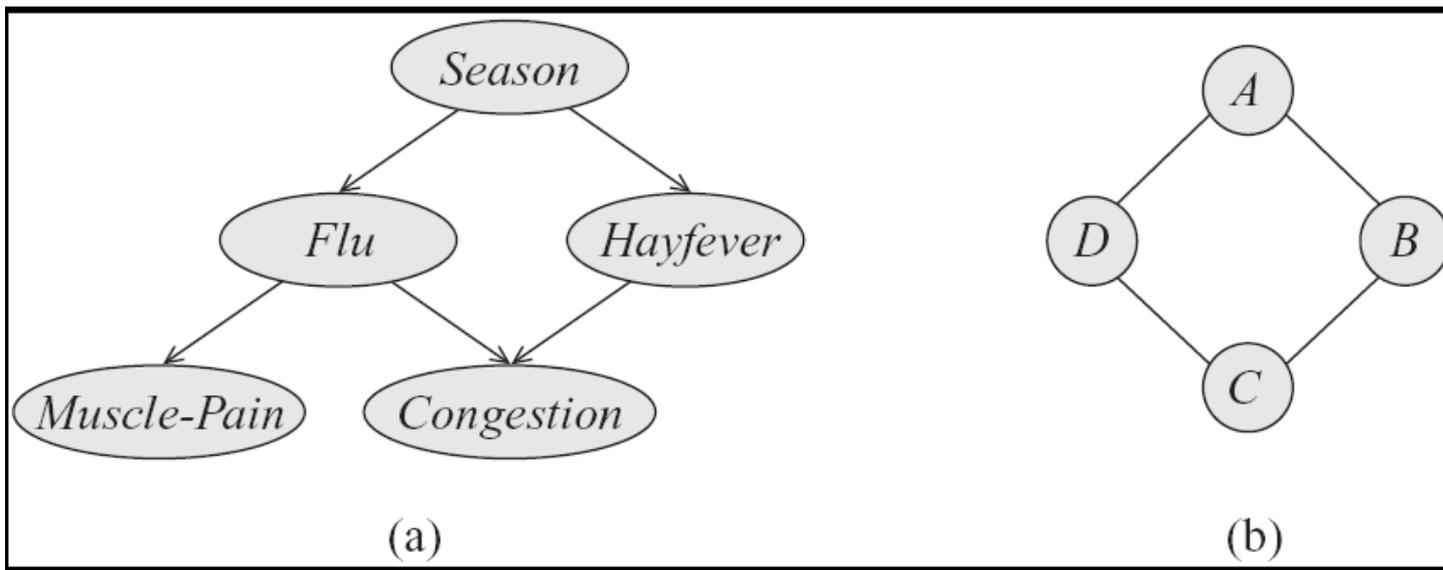
$$\Phi_1(A, B, D)$$

$$\Phi_2(B, D, C)$$

$$\Phi_3(C, E, F)$$

$$\Phi_4(E, G)$$

# Directed vs. Undirected



Independencies

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(F \perp H \mid S) \\
 &(C \perp S \mid F, H) \\
 &(M \perp C, H, S \mid F)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(A \perp C \mid B, D) \\
 &(B \perp D \mid A, C)
 \end{aligned}$$

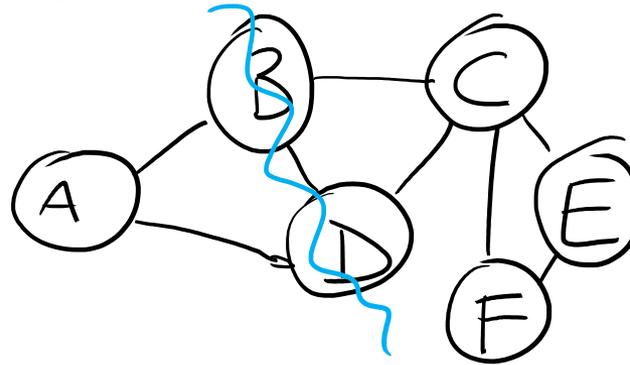
Factorization

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(S, F, H, M, C) = &P(S) * P(F \mid S) * P(H \mid S) * P(M \mid F) * \\
 &P(C \mid F, H)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(A, B, C, D) = &\frac{1}{Z} \prod_1 (A, B) * \\
 &* \prod_2 (B, C) * \prod_3 (C, D) * \prod_4 (A, D)
 \end{aligned}$$

# General definitions

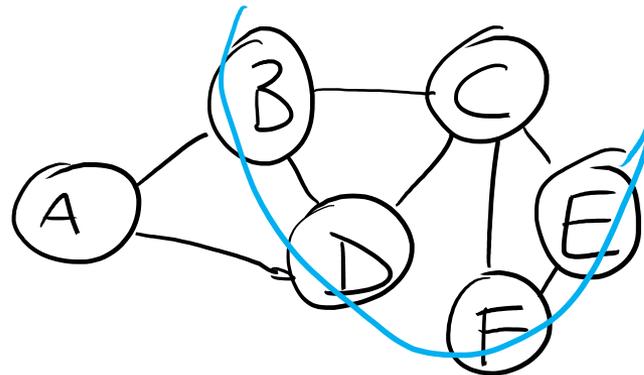
Two nodes in a Markov network are **independent** if and only if every path between them is cut off by evidence



eg for A C

So the **markov blanket** of a node is...

eg for C



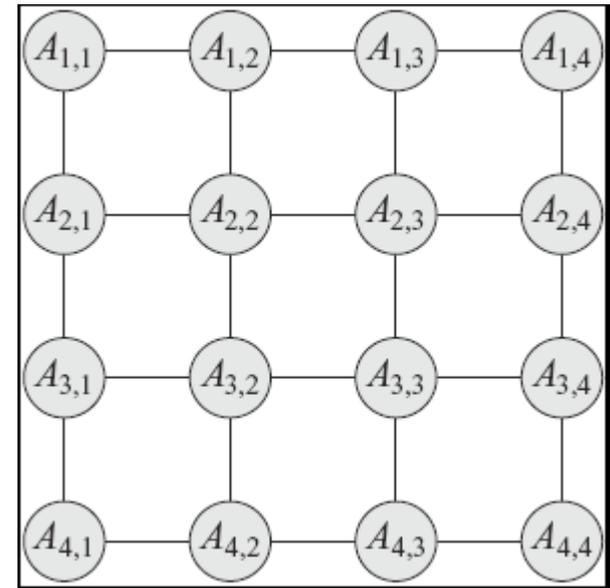
# Markov Networks Applications (1): Computer Vision

## Called Markov Random Fields

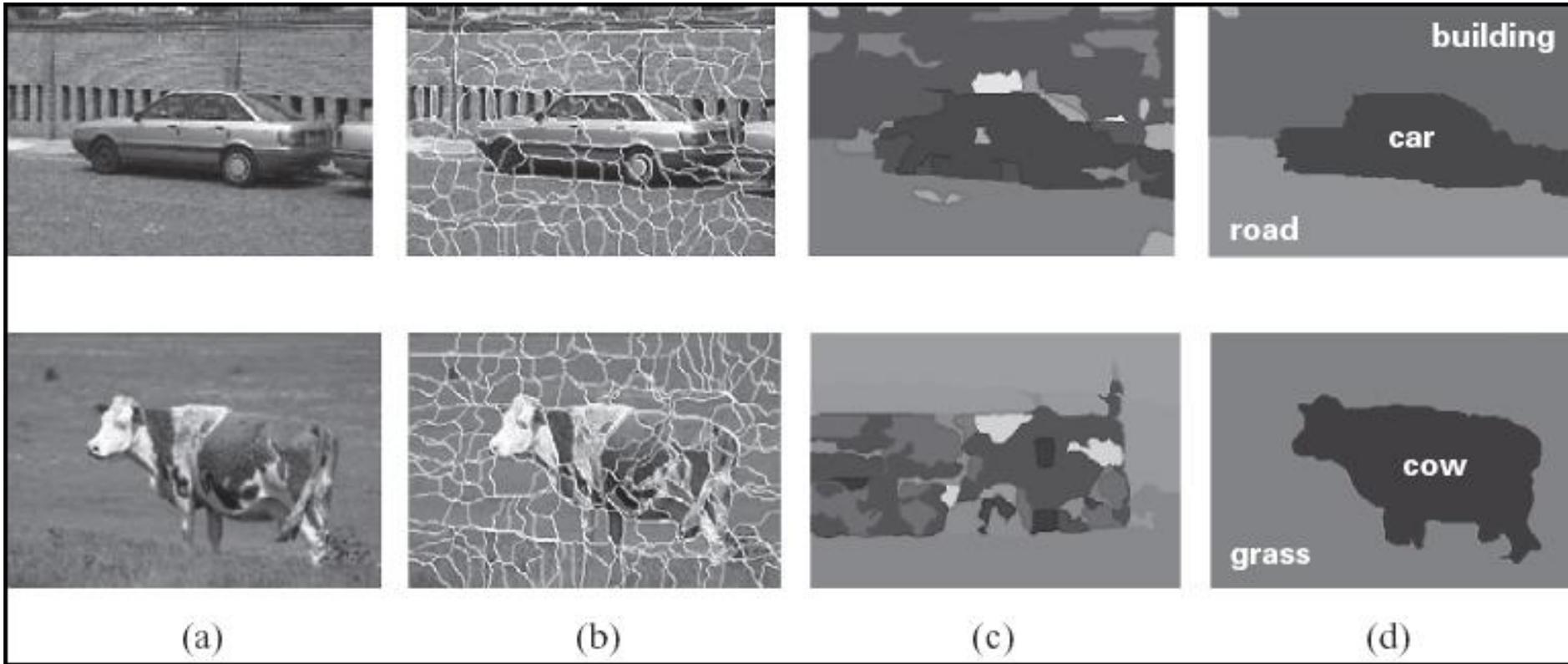
- Stereo Reconstruction
- Image Segmentation
- Object recognition

## Typically **pairwise MRF**

- Each *vars* correspond to a *pixel* (or *superpixel*)
- Edges (factors) correspond to interactions between adjacent pixels in the image
  - E.g., in segmentation: from generically penalize discontinuities, to road under car



# Image segmentation

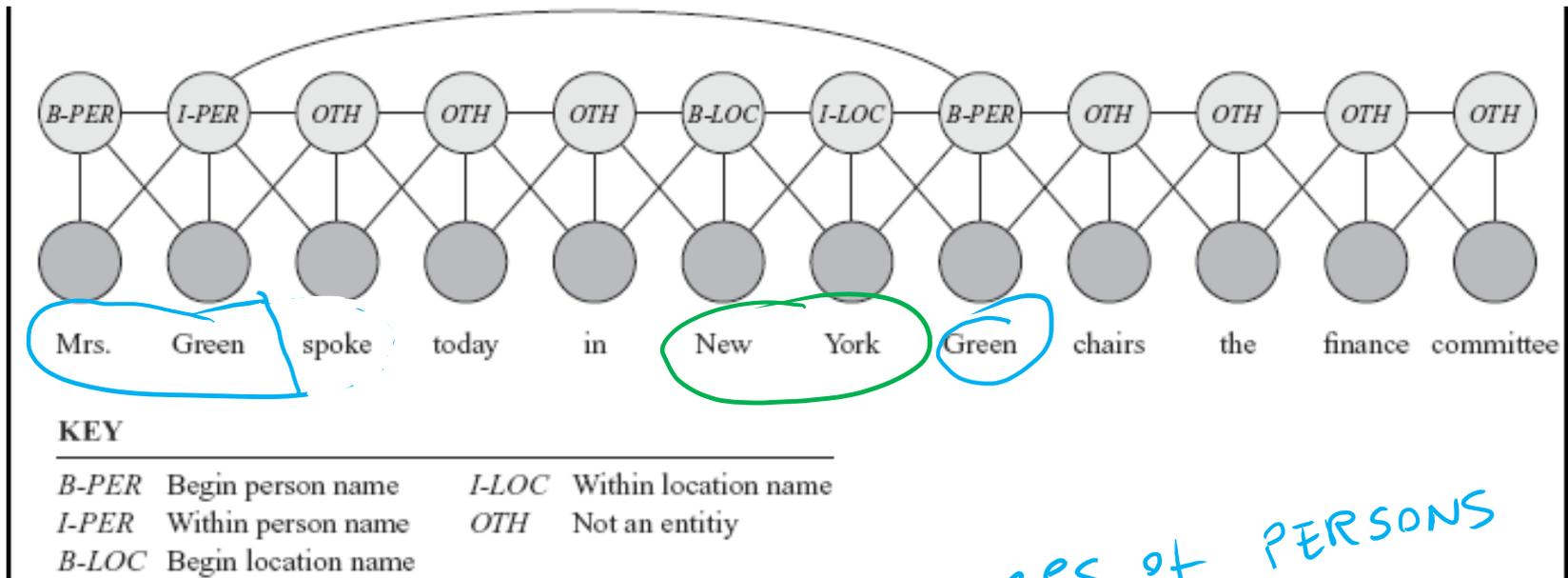


classifying  
each superpixel  
independently

with a  
Markov  
Random  
Field!

# Markov Networks Applications (2): Sequence Labeling in NLP and BioInformatics

Conditional random fields (next class Fri)



recognize names of PERSONS  
LOCATIONS etc  
NAMED ENTITIES

# Learning Goals for today's class

## ➤ You can:

- Justify the need for undirected graphical model (Markov Networks)
- Interpret local models (factors/potentials) and combine them to express the joint
- Define independencies and Markov blanket for Markov Networks
- Perform Exact and Approx. Inference in Markov Networks
- Describe a few applications of Markov Networks

One week to Midterm, Wed, Oct 26,  
we will start at 9am sharp

## How to prepare...

- Keep Working on **assignment-2** !
- Go to **Office Hours**
- **Learning Goals** (look at the end of the slides for each lecture – complete list has been posted)
- Revise all the **clicker questions** and **practice exercises**
- **More practice material** has been posted
- Check questions and answers on Piazza

# How to acquire factors?

