

Graphical Models

Conditional & Local Probability Models

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Learning objective

- Conditional Random Fields
- Local probability Models:
 - Deterministic CPDs
 - Noisy-OR model
 - Generalized Linear Model

Conditional Random Fields; **Motivation**

Structured prediction: output labels are structured

X is always observed

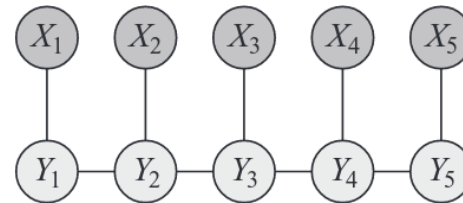
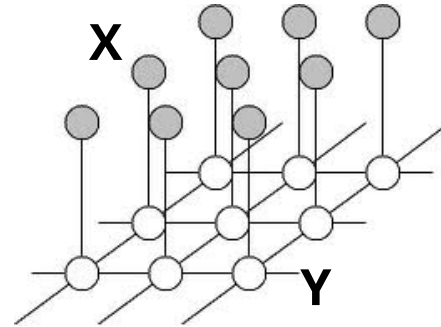
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Examples:

image segmentation

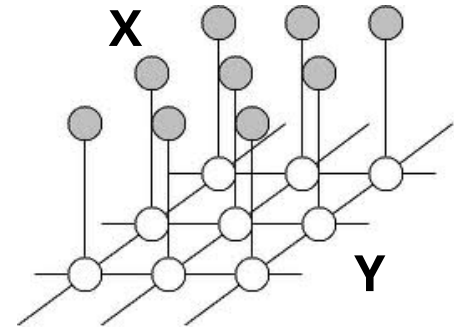
part of speech tagging

optical character recognition



Conditional Random Fields (CRF)

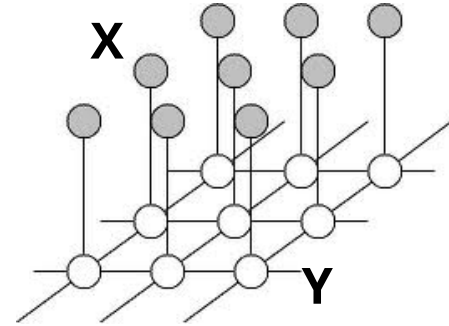
- a **conditional** graphical model $P(\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{X})$
 - **first attempt:** $P(\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{X}) = \frac{P(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y})}{P(\mathbf{X})}$
- for prediction, no need to model $P(\mathbf{X})$
 - may not have enough data
 - \mathbf{X} could be high-dim and complex



Conditional Random Fields (CRF)

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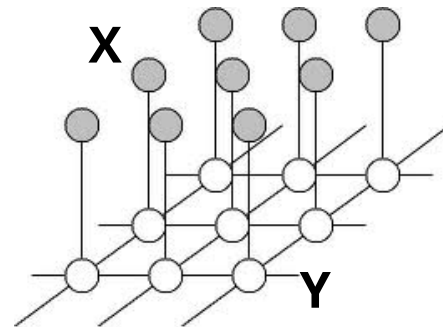
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- differs from MRF in the **partition function**
 - *input-dependent* $Z(\mathbf{X}) = \sum_{\mathbf{Y}} \tilde{P}(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{X})$

Conditional Random Fields; a running **example**

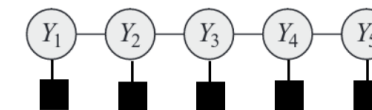
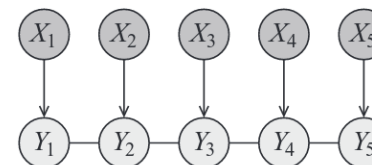
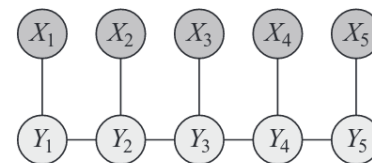
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practically the same as

- *e.g., in speech recognition (what do potentials encode?)*

for each $\mathbf{X}=\mathbf{x}$, we have a different **MRF**



Conditional Random Fields; **another benefit**

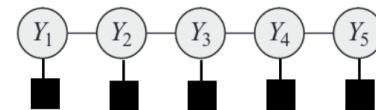
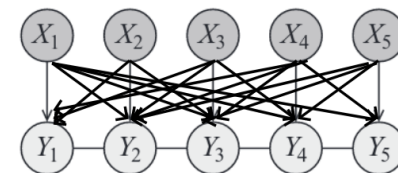
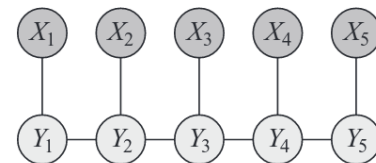
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what if $\phi_i(\mathbf{X}, Y_i)$ instead of $\phi_i(X_i, Y_i)$?

sparse structure after conditioning on $\mathbf{X}=\mathbf{x}$

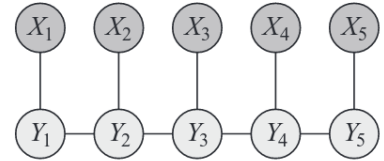
- *learning needs inference on this structure (discussed later)*
- *not true for the corresponding MRF*



Conditional Random Fields; **input structure**

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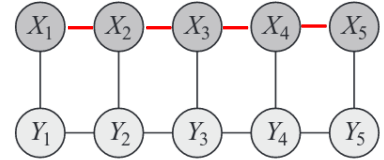
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How about the **structure of the input** ?

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$$\frac{1}{Z'(\mathbf{X})} \prod_{i=1}^5 \phi_i(X_i, Y_i) \prod_{i=1}^4 \psi_i(Y_i, Y_{i+1})$$

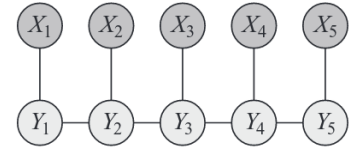


I.e., input structure can be ignored

Conditional Random Fields; parametrization

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- In practice we need to **learn the potentials**
- **parameterize** them and learn the parameters (*e.g., a neural network*)
 - traditionally: **a log-linear model:** $\phi_i(X_i, Y_i; w_i) \triangleq \exp(\sum_k w_{i,k} f_{i,k}(X_i, Y_i))$
 - *E.g.,* for binary input/output:

$$\phi_i(X_i, Y_i; w_i) = \exp(w_i \mathbb{I}(X_i = 1, Y_i = 1)) = \exp(w_i X_i Y_i)$$

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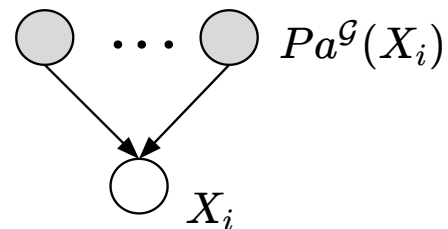
- conditional probability distributions (**CPDs**)

- in prediction $P(Y | X_1, \dots, X_n)$

- in Bayes-nets $P(X | Pa_X)$

- discrete variables (**CPTs**)

- exponential in $|Pa_{X_i}|$

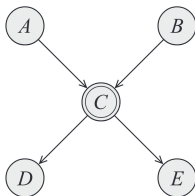


- how to **represent** these efficiently? exploit some sort of structure

Deterministic CPDs

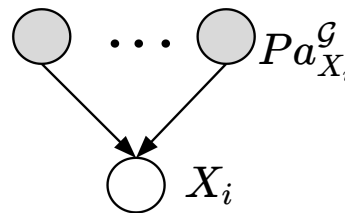
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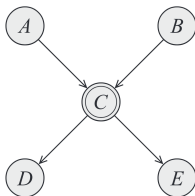
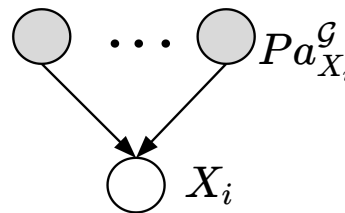
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deterministic d-separation: $(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y} | \mathbf{Z})?$

- add all the variables that deterministically follow \mathbf{Z} to define \mathbf{Z}^+
- run d-separation for $(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y} | \mathbf{Z}^+)$

Noisy-OR model

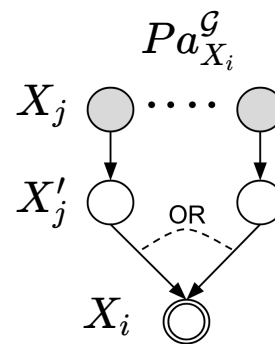
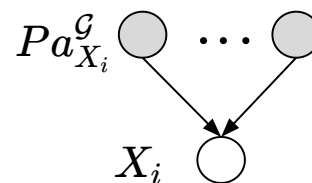
- for **binary** variables only
- number of parameters is linear in $|Pa_{X_i}^G|$
- each parent ($X_j = 1$) is an **independent cause**
- each cause is observed with prob $P(X'_j = 1) = \lambda_j X_j$

noise parameter

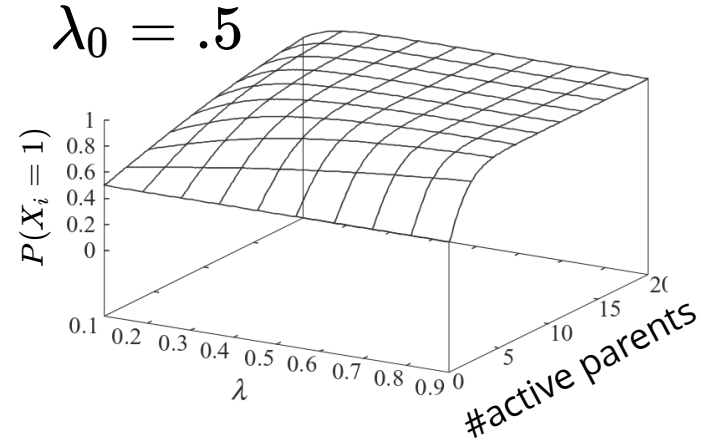
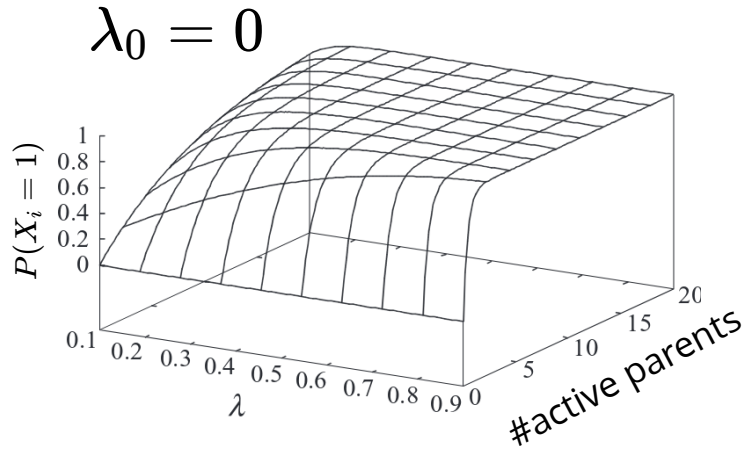
$$p(X_i = 0 \mid Pa_{X_i}) = (1 - \lambda_0) \prod_{X_j \in Pa_{X_i}} (1 - \lambda_j X_j)$$

leak parameter (role of a bias term)

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Noisy-OR model; **vis.**



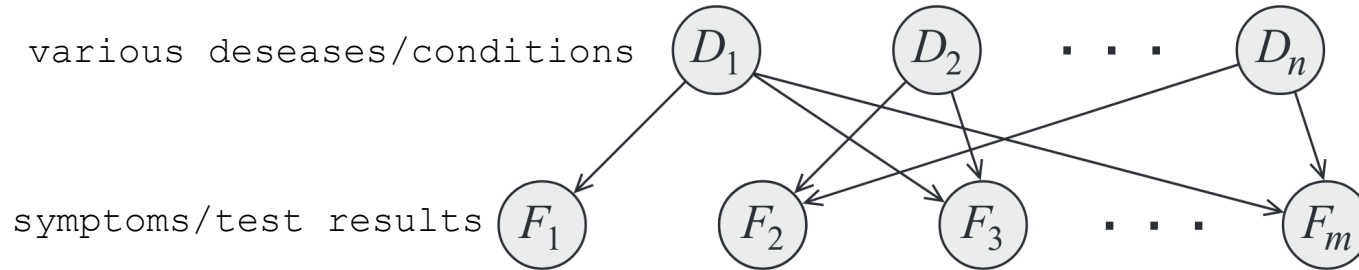
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Noisy-OR model; example

Medical diagnosis (*BN20 network*)



CPDs:
$$p(F_i = 0 \mid Pa_{F_i}) = (1 - \lambda_{i,0}) \prod_{D_j \in Pa_{F_i}} (1 - \lambda_{i,j} D_j)$$

Logistic CPD

for **binary output** variables

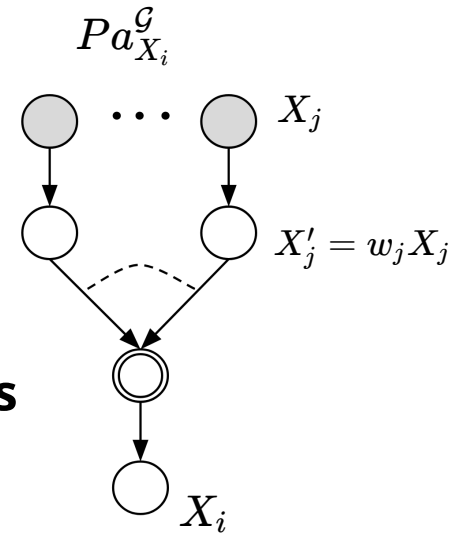
$$P(X_i = 1) = \frac{\exp(\sum_j w_j X_j)}{1 + \exp(\sum_j w_j X_j)}$$

logistic aggregation function

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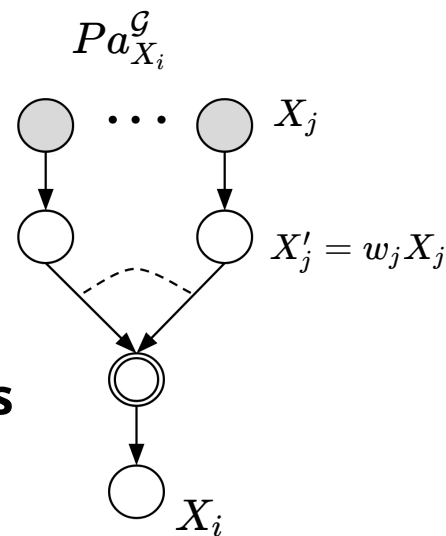
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binary input: *each cause has a multiplicative effect on the ratio* $\frac{P(X_i=1)}{P(X_i=0)}$



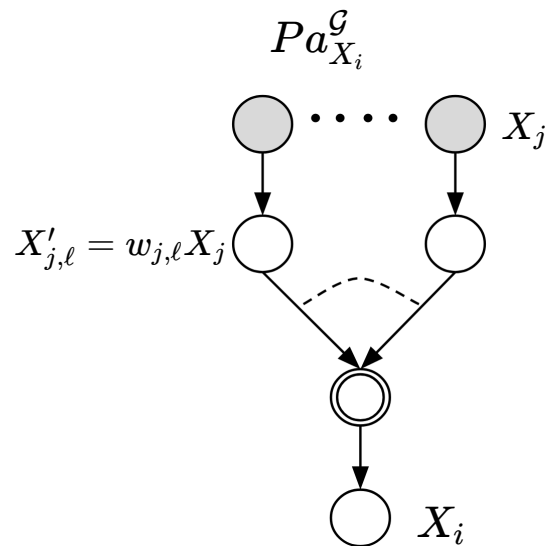
Softmax CPD

extension for **categorical** outputs
softmax function for aggregation:

$$f(z_\ell) = \frac{\exp(z_\ell)}{\sum_{\ell'} \exp(z_{\ell'})}$$

functional form of the CPD:

$$P(X_i = \ell) = \frac{\exp(\sum_j w_{j,\ell} X_j)}{\sum_{\ell'} \exp(\sum_j w_{j,\ell'} X_j)}$$



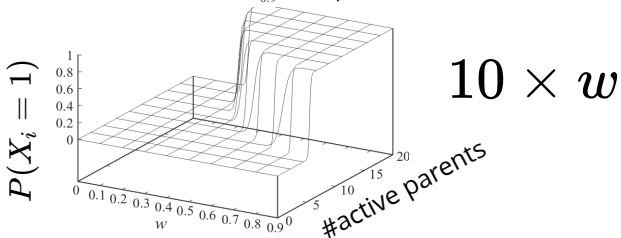
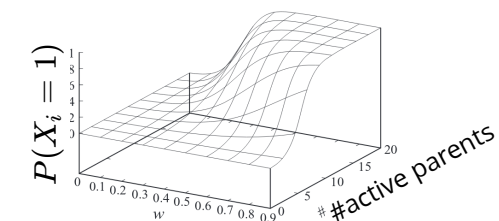
Independence of causal influence

Commutative and associative aggregation

Logistic CPD

transformation $X'_j = w_j X_j$

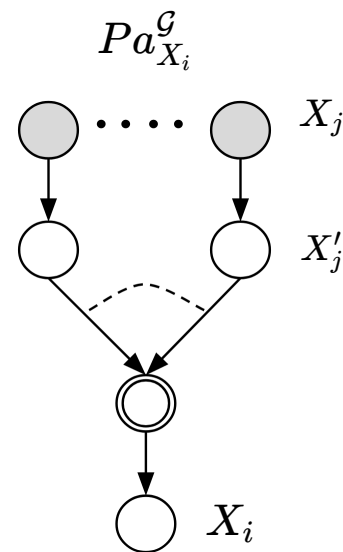
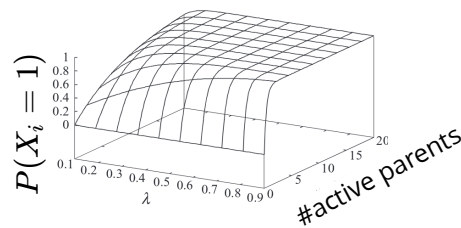
aggregation logistic function



Noisy-OR

$P(X'_j = 1) = \lambda_j X_j \quad 0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$

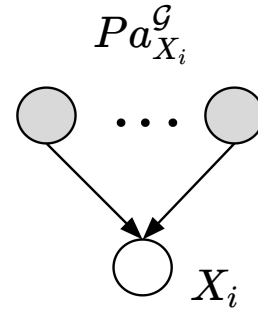
OR /Max/...



Linear Gaussian CPD

for **continuous** input/output variables

$$P(X_i) = \mathcal{N}(\sum_j w_j X_j; \sigma^2)$$

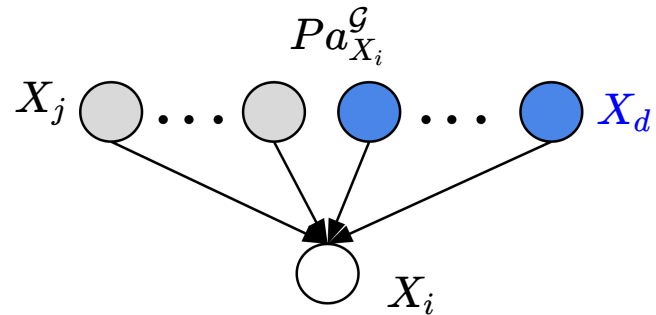


alternatively, a **discrete** input selects among **continuous** coefficients (produces a Gaussian mixture):

$$P(X_i) = \mathcal{N}(\sum_j w_{j, X_d} X_j; \sigma_{X_d}^2)$$

conditional linear Gaussian CPD:

one Gaussian mixture for each discrete assignment

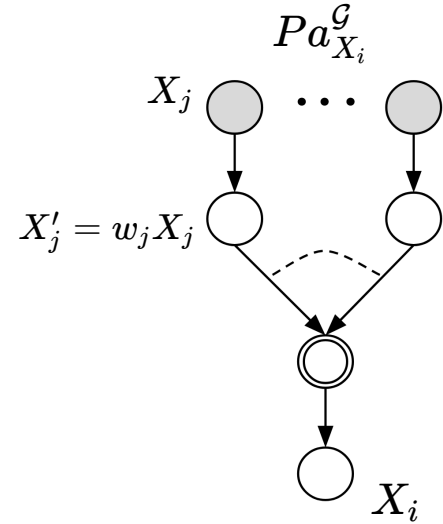


Generalized linear models

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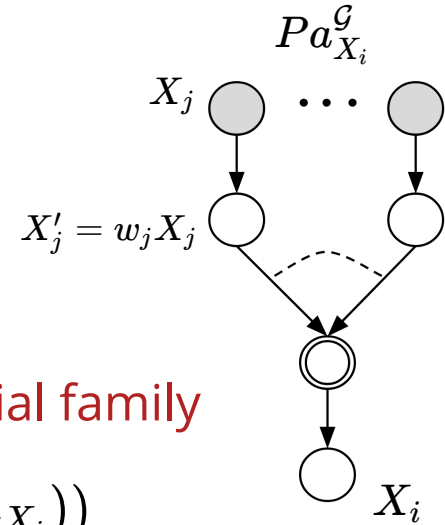
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conditional dist. is a member of the **exponential family**

$$p(x_i | Pa_{X_i}) = \underbrace{h(x_i)}_{\text{base measure}} \exp(\mathbf{w}^\top Pa_{X_i} - \underbrace{F(\mathbf{w}^\top Pa_{X_i})}_{\text{integral of } f})$$

(will come back to this in exp. family lecture)

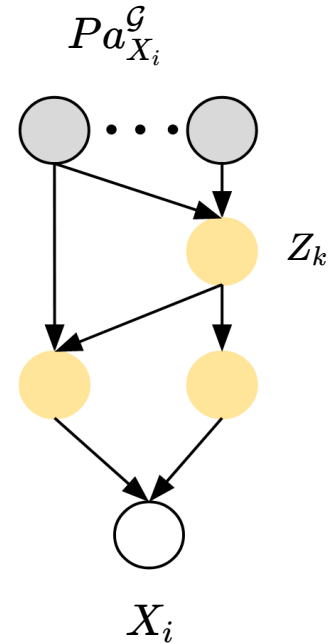


Conditional Bayesian networks

use an entire Bayes-net to represent a CPD

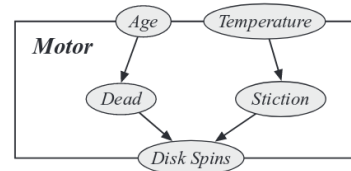
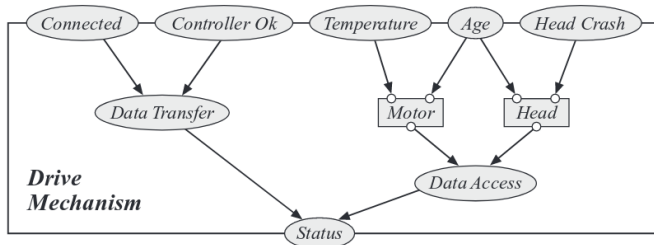
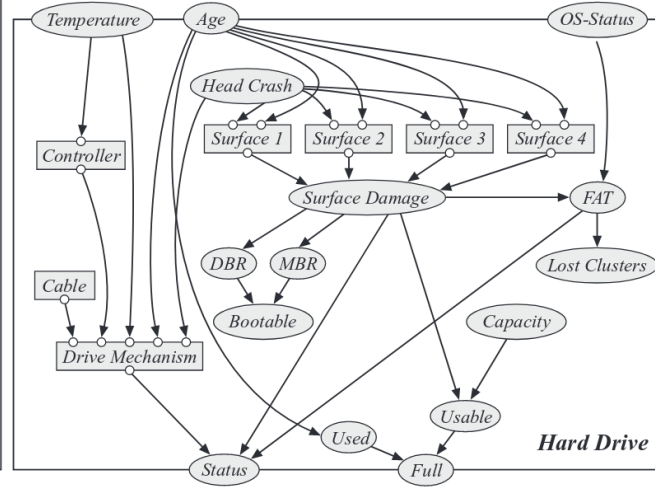
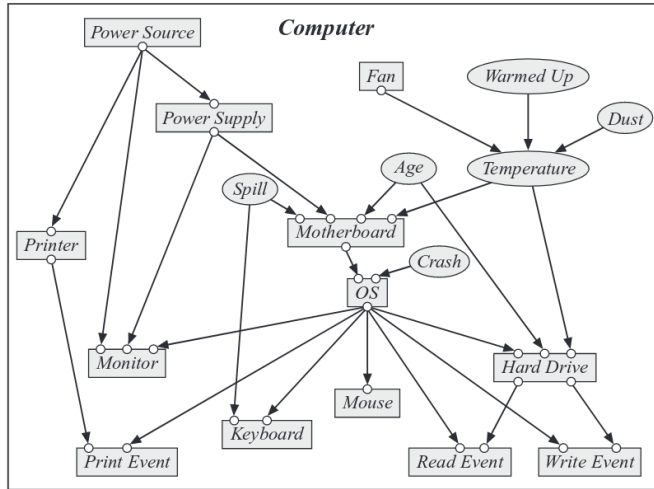
$Pa_{X_i}^{\mathcal{G}}$ is always observed (similar to a **CRF**)

$$P(X_i | Pa_{X_i}) = \sum_{\mathbf{Z}} P(X_i, \mathbf{Z} | Pa_{X_i})$$



Conditional Bayesian networks; **example**

can be used for encapsulation in complex models



Summary

the conditioned version of directed & undirected models:

- Conditional Random Fields
- Conditional Bayes-nets

representing conditional probabilities:

- **deterministic** CPD
 - **noisy-OR** model
 - **logistic** CPD
 - linear **Gaussian** CPD
- part of a bigger family of **GLMs**

how about using neural networks?