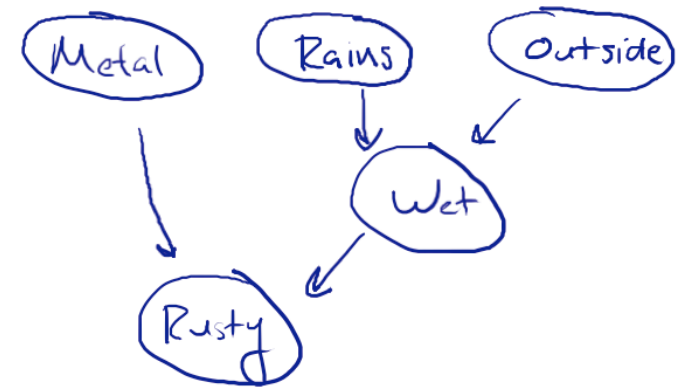


Review: graphical models

- Represent a distribution over some RVs
 - using both diagrams and numbers
- Chief problem: given a GM (the **prior**) and some evidence (**data**), compute properties of the conditional distribution $P(\text{RVs} \mid \text{data})$ (the **posterior**)
 - called **inference**

Review: Bayes nets

- Bayes net = DAG + CPT
- Independence
 - from DAG alone v. accidental
 - d-separation
 - blocking, explaining away
- Markov blanket



Review: CPTs

- $P(W \mid R_a, O) =$

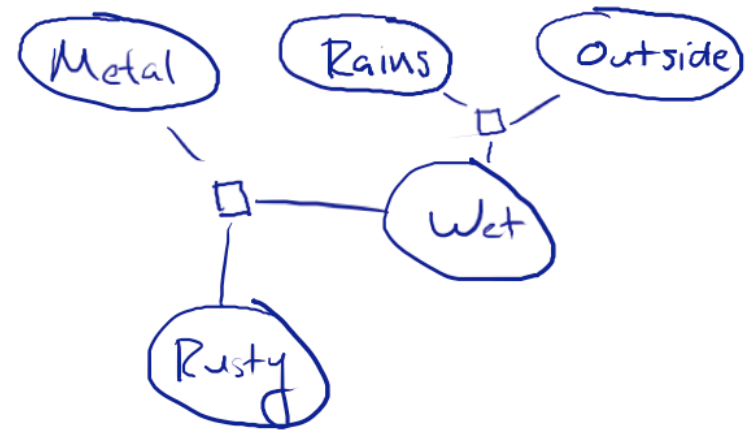
$R_a O$

		T	F
T	TT	.5	.5
T	TF	.5	.5
F	FT	.5	.5
F	FF	.33	.67

- Represents probability distribution(s)
- for:
- sums to 1:

Review: factor graphs

- Undirected, bipartite graph
 - factor & variable nodes
- Both Bayes nets and factor graphs can represent **any** distribution
 - either may be more efficient
 - conversion is easier bnet \rightarrow factor graph
 - accidental v. graphical indep's may differ



Review: factors

$$\phi(R_a, O) = \begin{array}{cc} & \begin{array}{c} T \\ F \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R_a, O \\ T \\ F \end{array} & \begin{array}{cc} & \begin{array}{c} T \\ F \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} T \\ F \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} 1/2 \\ 1/2 \end{array} \end{array}$$

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- sum constraints: none!!
- often results from: conditioning
- note: many ways to display same table!

Review: parameter learning

- Bayes net, when fully observed
 - counting, Laplace smoothing
- Missing data: harder
- Factor graph: harder (even if fully observed)

Admin

poster session
Dec 4th 1-4 PM

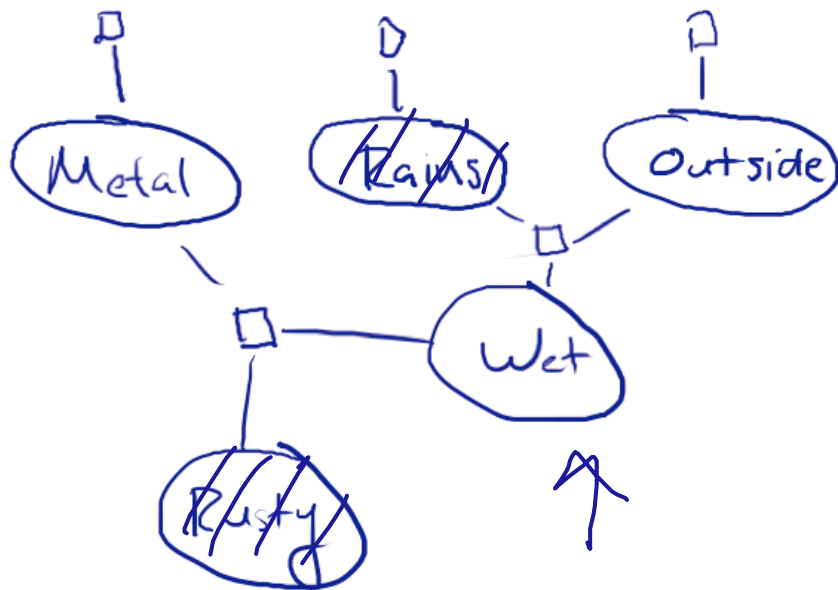
- HWs are due at 10:30
 - don't skip class to work on it and turn it in at noon
- Late HWs are due at 10:30 (+ n days)
 - must use a whole number of late days
- HWs should be complete at 10:30

Inference

- Inference: prior + evidence \rightarrow posterior
- We gave examples of inference in a Bayes net, but not a general algorithm
- Reason: general algorithm uses factor-graph representation
- Steps: instantiate evidence, eliminate nuisance nodes, normalize, answer query

Inference

$$P(M, R_a, O, W, R_u) = \phi_1(M) \phi_2(R_a) \phi_3(O) \phi_4(R_a, O, W) \phi_5(M, W, R_u) / Z$$



$$\phi_1(M) = \begin{matrix} T & 0.9 \\ F & 0.1 \end{matrix}$$

~~$$\phi_2(R_a) = \begin{matrix} T & 0.7 \\ F & 0.3 \end{matrix}$$~~

$$\phi_3(O) = \begin{matrix} T & 0.2 \\ F & 0.8 \end{matrix}$$

$$\phi_4(R_a, O, W) =$$

~~| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----|
| T | T | T | 0.9 |
| T | T | F | 0.1 |
| T | F | T | 0.1 |
| T | F | F | 0.9 |
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| F | F | F | 0.9 |~~

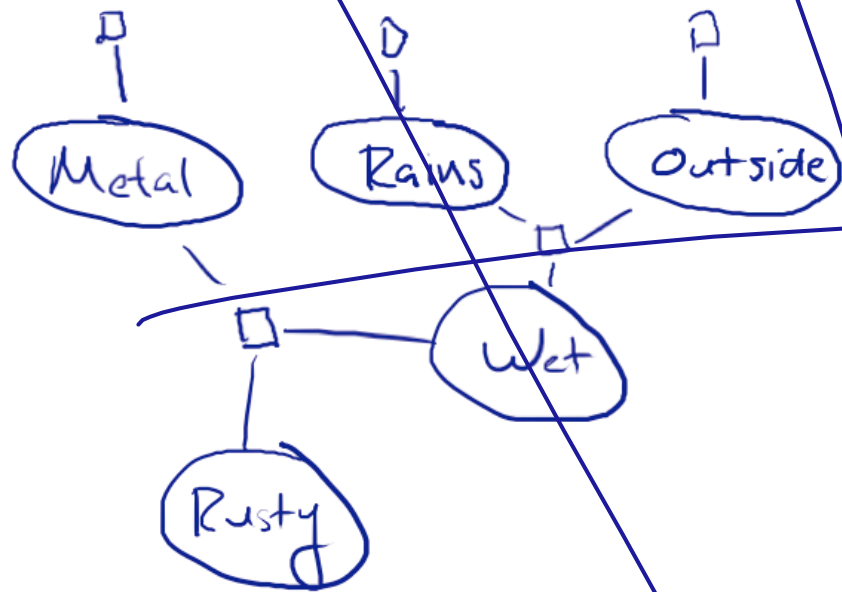
$$\phi_5(M, W, R_u) =$$

T	T	T	0.8
T	T	F	0.2
T	F	T	0.1
T	F	F	0.9
F	T	T	0
F	T	F	1
F	F	T	0
F	F	F	1

- Typical Q: given $R_a=F$, $R_u=T$, what is $P(W)$?

Incorporate evidence

$$P(M, R, O, W, Ru) = \phi_1(M) \phi_2(R) \phi_3(O) \phi_4(R, O, W) \phi_5(M, W, Ru) / Z$$



$$\phi_1(M) = \begin{matrix} T & 0.9 \\ F & 0.1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\phi_2(R) = \begin{matrix} T & 0.7 \\ F & 0.3 \end{matrix}$$

$$\phi_3(O) = \begin{matrix} T & 0.2 \\ F & 0.8 \end{matrix}$$

$$\phi_4(R, O, W) =$$

T	T	T	0.9
T	T	F	0.1
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F	F	F	0.9

$$\phi_5(M, W, Ru) =$$

T	T	T	0.8
T	T	F	0.2
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F	T	T	0
F	T	F	1
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Condition on $Ra=F, Ru=T$

Eliminate nuisance nodes

$$P(M, \cancel{R}, O, W, \cancel{R}) = \phi_1(M) \phi_2(\cancel{R}) \phi_3(O) \phi_4(\cancel{R}, O, W) \phi_5(M, W, \cancel{R}) / Z$$

- Remaining nodes: M, O, W
- Query: $P(W)$
- So, O&M are nuisance—marginalize away

- Marginal = $\sum_{O \in \{T, F\}} \sum_{M \in \{T, F\}} \phi_1(M) \phi_3(O) \phi_4(O, W) \phi_5(M, W) / Z$

6 FLOPs

Elimination order

$$\sum_M \sum_O \phi_1(M) \phi_3(O) \phi_4(O, \omega) \phi_5(M, \omega) / z$$

- Sum out the nuisance variables in turn
- Can do it in any order, but some orders may be easier than others
- Let's do O, then M

$$\phi_3(O) = \begin{matrix} T & 0.2 \\ F & 0.8 \end{matrix}$$

$$\sum_M \phi_1(M) \phi_5(M, \omega) \underbrace{\sum_O \phi_3(O) \phi_4(O, \omega)}_{\phi_6(\omega)} / z$$

$\phi_6(\omega)$
 $\omega = T: .1 \times .2 + .1 \times .8 = .1$
 $\omega = F: .9 \times .2 + .9 \times .8 = .9$

$\phi_4(\omega, O, \omega) =$

T	T	0.1
T	F	0.9
F	T	0.1
F	F	0.9

One last elimination ^{10 FLOPs + 3 FLOPs}

$$\sum_M \phi_1(M) \phi_5(M, \omega) \phi_6(\omega) / z$$

$$H = 19 \text{ FLOPs}$$

$$\omega = T: .9 \times .1 \times .8 + 0 = .072$$

$$\omega = F: .9 \times .9 \times 1 + 0 = .081$$

$$\Rightarrow z = .072 + .081$$

$$P(\omega = T) = .072 / z = 8/17$$

$$P(\omega = F) = .081 / z = 9/17$$

$$\phi_1(M) = \begin{matrix} T & .9 \\ F & .1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\phi_6(\omega) = \begin{matrix} T & .1 \\ F & .9 \end{matrix}$$

$$\phi_5(M, \omega, \cancel{A}) =$$

T	T	T	0.8
T	F	T	0.1
F	T	T	0
F	F	T	0

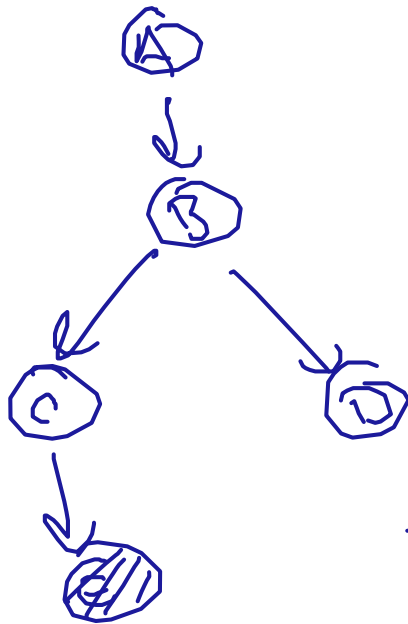
Checking our work

- <http://www.aistat.org/bayes/version5.1.6/bayes.jnlp>

Discussion

- FLOP count 19 FLOPs vs. 221 for naive method
- Steps: instantiate evidence, eliminate nuisance nodes, normalize, answer query
 - each elimination introduces: new ϕ_t (some RV)
- Normalization
- Each elimination order: different set of ϕ_s
 - some tables: bigger !!

Example: elim order



$$P(A) = .8 \quad \phi_1(A) = .8 \quad .2$$

$$P(B|A) = \begin{matrix} T & .3 \\ F & .5 \end{matrix}$$

$$\phi_2(A, B) = \begin{matrix} & B \\ & T & F \\ A & .3 & .7 \\ F & .5 & .5 \end{matrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{Z} \cdot \phi_1(A) \phi_2(A, B) \phi_3(B, C) \phi_4(B, D) \phi_5(C, \cancel{Z})$$

$$= P(A, B, C, D)$$

$$Q = P(A)$$

$$B < D \quad \vee \quad C < D$$

$$\frac{1}{Z} \sum_B \sum_C \sum_D \phi_1(A) \phi_2(A, B) \phi_3(B, C) \phi_4(B, D) \phi_5(C)$$

$$= \frac{1}{Z} \sum_C \sum_D \phi_1(A) \phi_5(C) \underbrace{\sum_B \phi_2(A, B) \phi_3(B, C) \phi_4(B, D)}_{\phi_6(A, C, D)}$$

Example: elim order

- Compare: B,C,D vs. C,D, B

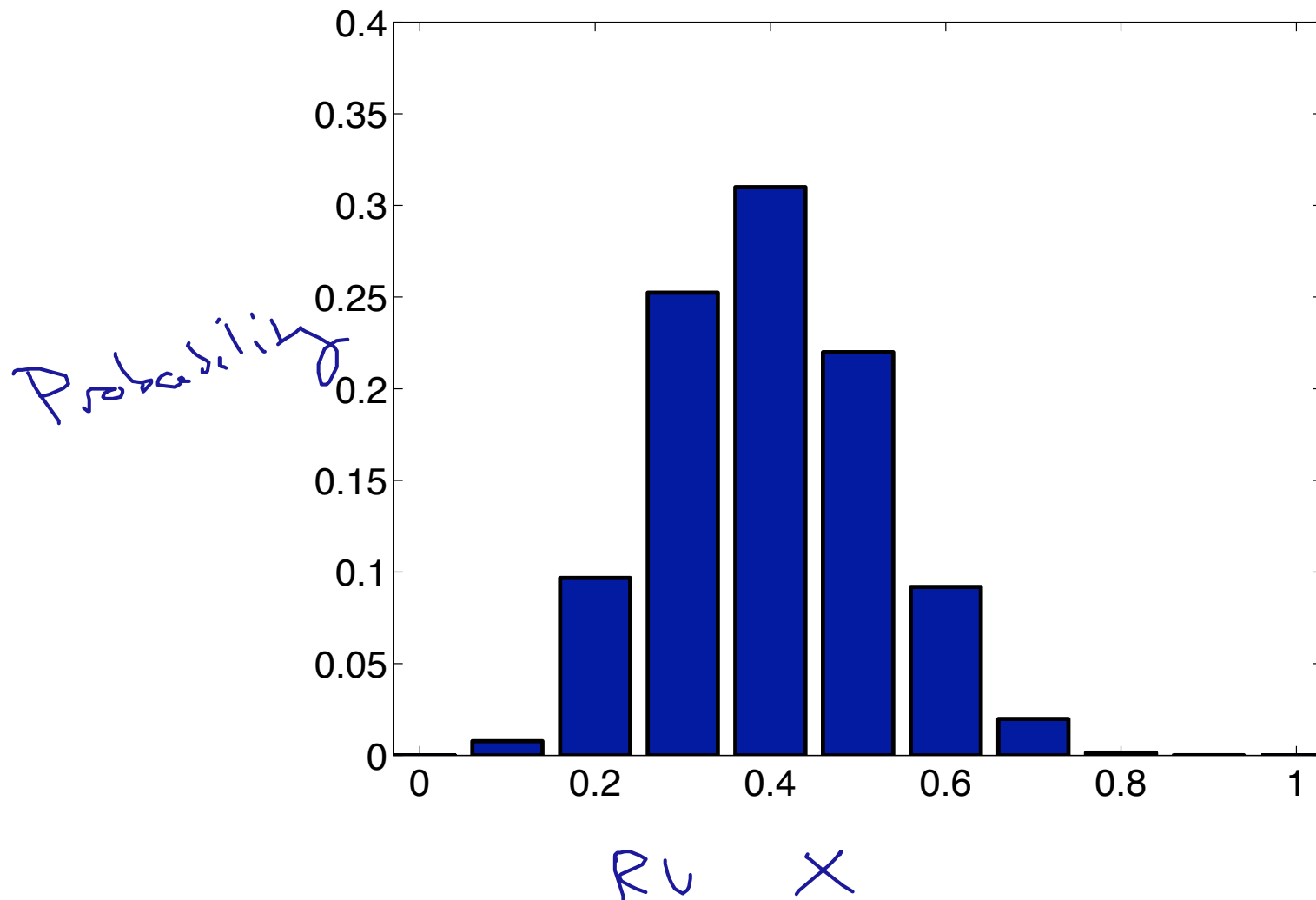
$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{2} \sum_B \sum_C \sum_D \phi_1(A) \phi_5(C) \phi_2(A,B) \phi_3(B,C) \phi_4(B,D) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_B \sum_D \phi_1(A) \phi_2(A,B) \phi_4(B,D) \underbrace{\sum_C \phi_5(C) \phi_3(B,C)}_{\phi'_6(B)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_B \phi_1(A) \phi_2(A,B) \underbrace{\phi'_6(B) \sum_D \phi_4(B,D)}_{\phi'_7(B)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \phi'_8(A)
 \end{aligned}$$



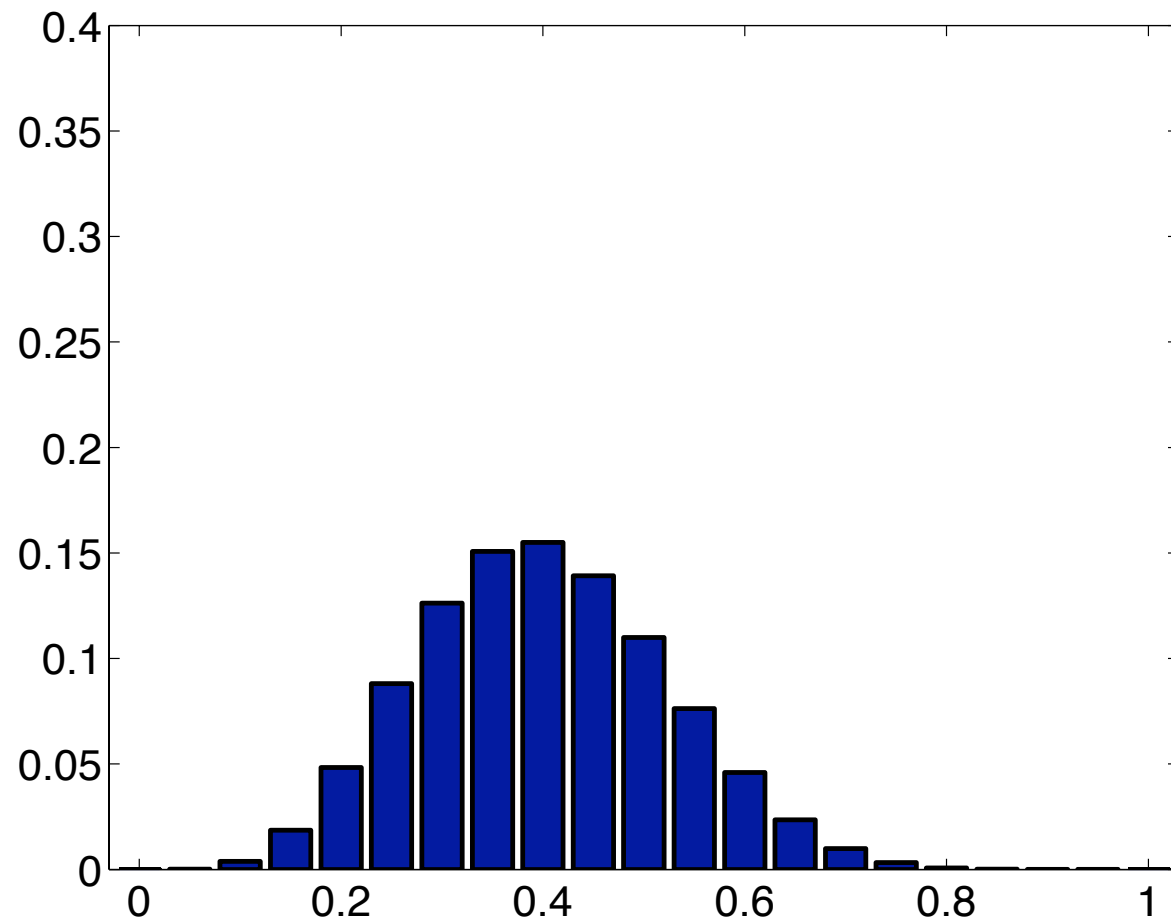
Continuous RVs

- All RVs we've used so far have been discrete
- Occasionally, we used a continuous one by ***discretization***
- We'll want to use truly continuous ones below

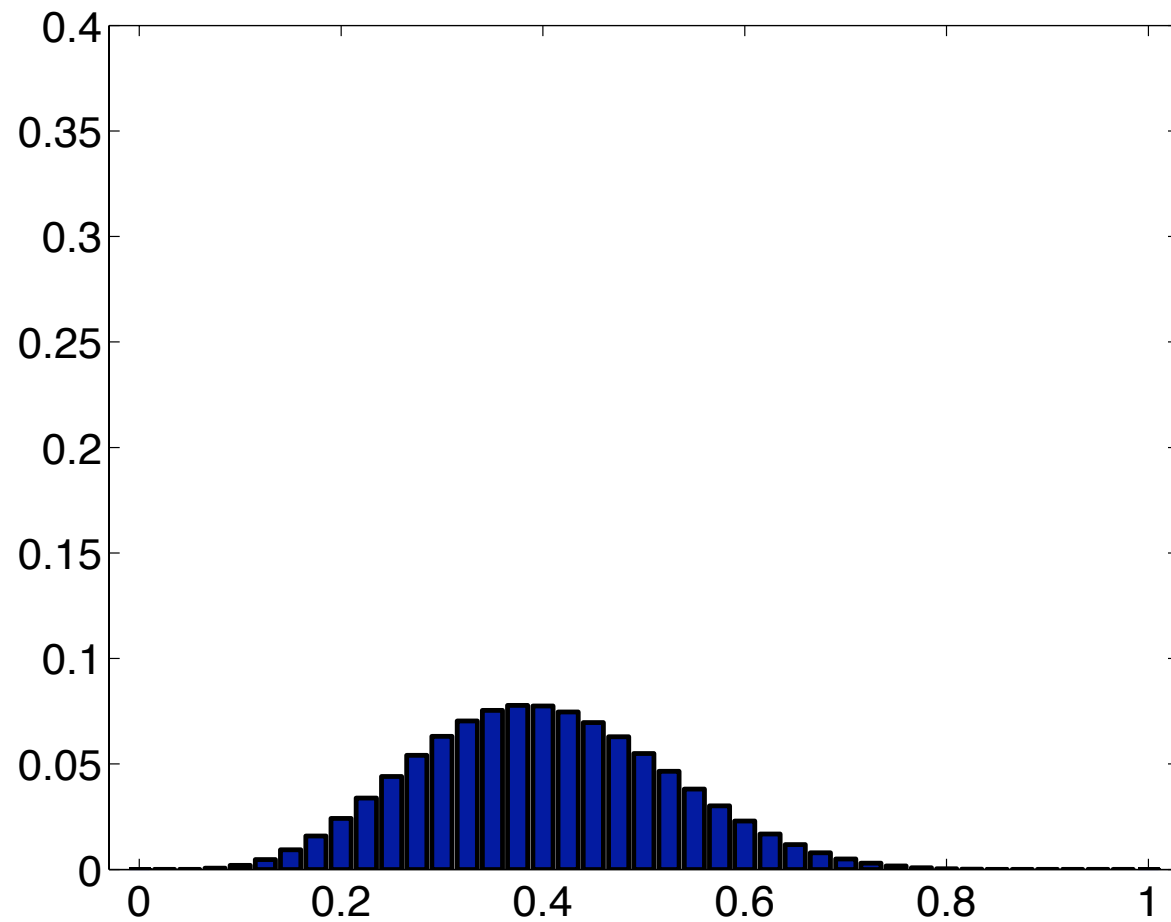
Finer & finer discretization



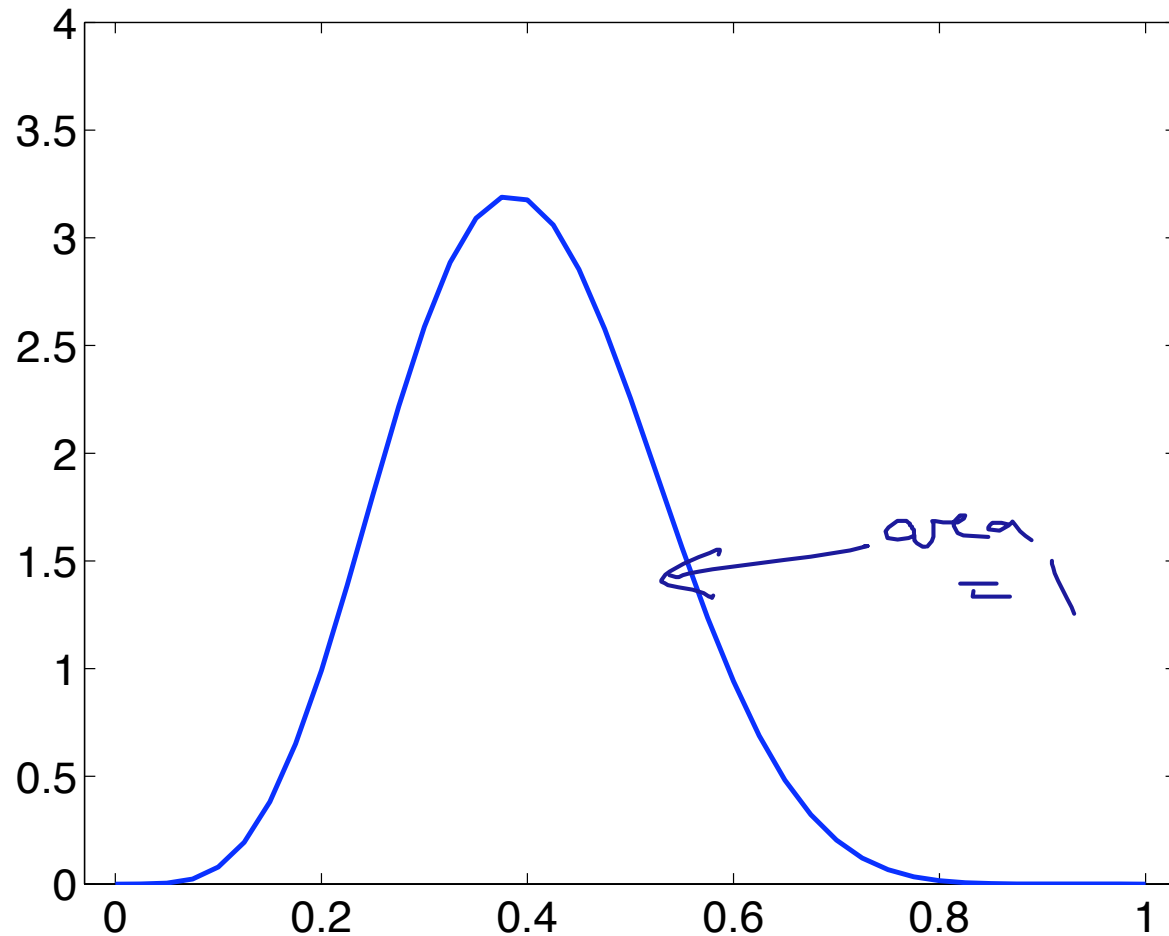
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In the limit: density



- $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} P(x \leq X \leq x+h) / h = P(x)$ ← density

Properties of densities

- instead of sum to 1, $\int dx$ to 1
- density may be > 1
- PDF = probability { density distribution function
- Confusingly, we use $P(\cdot)$ for both, and sometimes people say distribution to mean either discrete or continuous

mass \Rightarrow discrete

Events

- For continuous RVs X, Y :

- Sample space $\Omega = \{ \text{all settings of } (X, Y) \}$

- Event = subset of Ω

- Density: events $\rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$

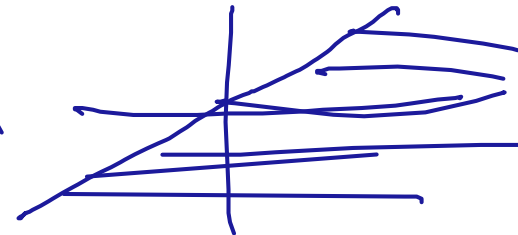
- disjoint union: additive

- $P(\Omega) = 1$

integrate to 1

\mathbb{R}^2

$x \geq y$

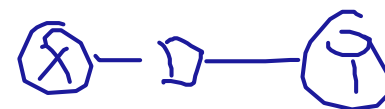


$$P(A) + P(B) = P(A \cup B) \\ \text{if } A \cap B = \emptyset$$

Continuous RVs in graphical models

- Very useful to have continuous RVs in GMs
- CPTs or potentials are now ^{non-negative} **functions** (tables where some dimensions are infinite)

- E.g.: $(X, Y) \in [0, 1]^2$



- $\phi(X, Y) = e^{-5(X-Y)^2} \geq 0$

- $P(X, Y) = \frac{1}{Z} \phi(X, Y)$
 $Z = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \phi(X, Y) dx dy$

Continuous GM example

