

Introduction

Motivation and Overview



predisposing factors symptoms test results diseases treatment outcomes



millions of pixels or thousands of superpixels

each needs to be labeled {grass, sky, water, cow, horse, ...}

Probabilistic Graphical Models



Uncertainty

- Partial knowledge of state of the world
- Noisy observations
- Phenomena not covered by our model
- Inherent stochasticity

Probability Theory

- <u>Declarative</u> representation with clear semantics
- Powerful reasoning patterns decision malcing
- Established learning methods

Complex Systems

predisposing factors symptoms test results diseases treatment outcomes

class labels for thousands of superpixels

Random variables $X_1, ..., X_n$ him valued Joint distribution $P(X_1, ..., X_n)$ possible slotes



Graphical Models

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M. Pradhan, G. Provan, B. Middleton, M. Henrion, UAI 94



Graphical Representation

- Intuitive & compact data structure
- Efficient reasoning using general-purpose algorithms
- <u>Sparse</u> parameterization
 feasible elicitation

- learning from data - - - learning from data

Many Applications

- Medical diagnosis
- Fault diagnosis
- Natural language processing
- Traffic analysis
- Social network models
- Message decoding

- Computer vision
 - Image segmentation
 - 3D reconstruction
 - Holistic scene analysis
- Speech recognition
- Robot localization & mapping

Image Segmentation



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Textual Information Extraction



Multi-Sensor Integration: Traffic



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Biological Network Reconstruction



Causal protein-signaling networks derived from multiparameter single-cell data Sachs et al., *Science* 2005

Overview

- Representation
 - Directed and undirected
 - Temporal and plate models
- Inference (example)
 - Exact and approximate
 - Decision making
- Learning
 - Parameters and structure
 - With and without complete data