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The definition of independence is relative to the given distribution p , not the true underlying distribution in the world.

Example: I know X and Y are Bernoulli distributed with $\alpha = 0.1$

$$\text{By definition, } p(x, y) = p_\alpha(x) p_\alpha(y) \\ = \alpha^x (1-\alpha)^{1-x} \alpha^y (1-\alpha)^{1-y}$$

So they are independent.

Example 2: I know X and Y are Bernoulli distributed, but do not know α
But maybe I know $\alpha = 0.1$ with prob 0.5
and $\alpha = 0.8$ with prob 0.5

$$p(x, y) = \sum_{\alpha \in \{0.1, 0.8\}} \frac{1}{2} p_\alpha(x) p_\alpha(y) \\ = \frac{1}{2} 0.1^x 0.9^{1-x} 0.1^y 0.9^{1-y} + \frac{1}{2} 0.8^x 0.2^{1-x} 0.8^y 0.2^{1-y}$$

$$\neq p_{\alpha'}(x) p_{\alpha'}(y) \quad \text{for some } \alpha' \in [0, 1]$$

p is NOT the product of two Bernoulli's,
by definition

$\mathcal{D} = \{2, 5, 9, 5, 4, 8\}$ iid Poisson

$$p(x|\lambda) = \lambda^x e^{-\lambda} / x! \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{R}^+$$

$$\lambda = \underset{\lambda \in (0, \infty)}{\operatorname{argmax}} p(\mathcal{D}|\lambda)$$

$$\underbrace{\ln p(\mathcal{D}|\lambda)}_{c(\lambda)} = \ln \prod_{i=1}^n p(x_i|\lambda)$$
$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \ln p(x_i|\lambda)$$

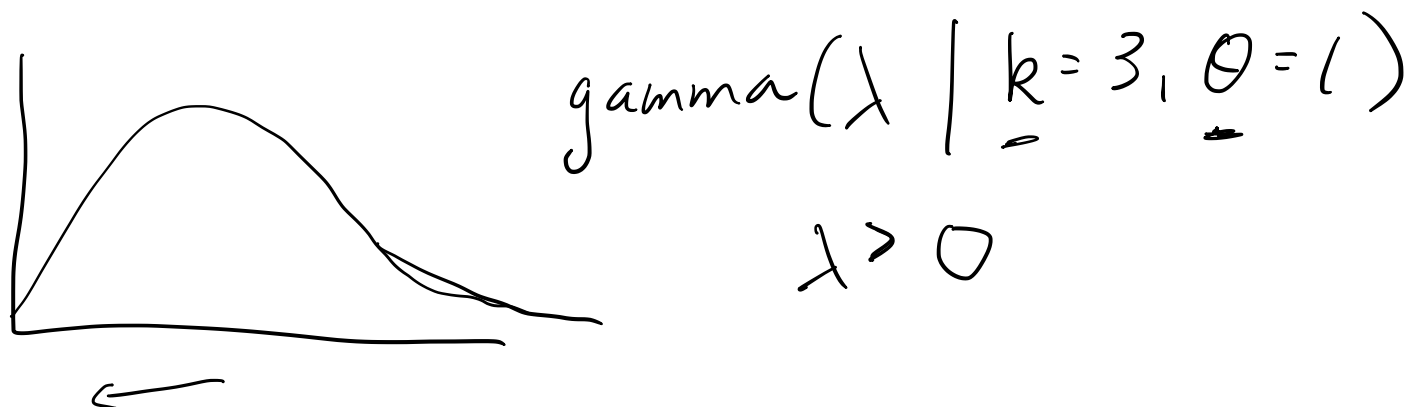
$$\begin{aligned} \ln p(x|\lambda) &= \ln (\lambda^x e^{-\lambda} / x!) \\ &= \ln(\lambda^x) + \ln(e^{-\lambda}) - \ln x! \\ &= \underline{x \ln \lambda} - \lambda - \underline{\ln x!} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dc(\lambda)}{d\lambda} &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{x_i}{\lambda} - 1 - 0 \right) = 0 \\ &= \frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = n \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \underline{5.5}$$

Example 10 : Poisson, same Φ

Prior on λ = gamma distribution



$$p(\lambda) = \frac{\lambda^{k-1} e^{-\lambda/\theta}}{\theta^k \Gamma(k)}$$

$$\arg \max_{\lambda \in (0, \infty)} \ln p(\lambda | \mathcal{D}) = \arg \max_{\lambda \in (0, \infty)} \ln p(\mathcal{D} | \lambda) p(\lambda)$$

$$\underbrace{\ln [p(\mathcal{D} | \lambda) p(\lambda)]}_{c(\lambda)} = \underbrace{\ln p(\mathcal{D} | \lambda)} + \underbrace{\ln p(\lambda)}$$

$$\frac{d}{d\lambda} c(\lambda) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{\text{MAP}} = \frac{k-1 + \sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n + \frac{1}{\theta}}$$

$$\underline{\lambda_{\text{MLE}} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i}$$

$$|\lambda_{\text{MAP}} - \lambda_{\text{MLE}}| = \left| \frac{k-1 + \sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n+1/\theta} - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n} \right|$$

$$\leq \underbrace{\frac{|k-1|}{n+1/\theta}}_{\rightarrow 0} + \underbrace{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n(n+1/\theta)}}_{\frac{\bar{x}}{n+1/\theta} \rightarrow 0} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$$

$$\lambda_{\text{MAP}} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda^*$$

$$E[\lambda_{\text{MAP}}] = \lambda^*$$

$$\lambda_{\text{MLE}} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda^*$$

$$\underline{E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \cancel{x_i}\right] = \mu}$$

- ① consistency
- ② biasedness
- ③ statistical efficiency
(data)

$$p(y|x) = \mathcal{N}(\mu=x, \sigma^2)$$

σ^2 is unknown

$$\mathcal{D} = \{(x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n)\}$$

$$\operatorname{argmax}_{\sigma^2 \in \mathbb{R}} \ln p(\mathcal{D}|\sigma)$$

$$= \operatorname{argmax}_{\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \ln p(y_i | x_i, \sigma^2)$$

$$\ln p(y_i | x_i, \sigma^2) = \ln \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{(y_i - x_i)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \right)$$

$$= \ln\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right) + \ln\left(\frac{1}{\sigma}\right) - \frac{(y_i - x_i)^2}{2\sigma^2}$$

$$= \ln\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right) - \ln(\sigma) - \frac{(y_i - x_i)^2}{2\sigma^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{d\sigma} \ln p(y_i | x_i, \sigma^2) = -\frac{1}{\sigma} + \frac{2}{2} \sigma^{-3} (y_i - x_i)^2$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n -\frac{1}{\sigma} + \sigma^{-3} (y_i - x_i)^2 = 0$$

$$-\frac{n}{\sigma} + \sigma^{-3} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - x_i)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -n\sigma^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - x_i)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\sigma^2} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - x_i)^2$$

$$\frac{dz^{-2}}{dz} = -2z^{-3}$$