

# **CSCI-567: Assignment #5**

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## Problem 1

### Problem 1: (a)

To find  $\nabla_{y_t} L$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_{y_t} L &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y_t} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^T (y_i - \hat{y}_i) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y_t} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N (y_i^T y_i - 2y_i^T \hat{y}_i + \hat{y}_i^T \hat{y}_i) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (2y_t - 2\hat{y}_t) \\ &= y_t - \hat{y}_t\end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\nabla_{y_t} L = y_t - \hat{y}_t}$$

**Problem 1: (b)**

To find  $\nabla_{y_t} L$ :

$$\nabla_{s_t} L = \sum_{k=1}^T \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_k} \times \frac{\partial y_k}{\partial s_k} \times \frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_t}$$

Let's define  $z_k = W_{IH}x_t + W_{HH}s_{t-1}$

Thus,

$$z_k = W_{IH}x_k + W_{HH}s_{k-1}$$

$$s_k = \sigma(z_k)$$

$$y_k = W_{HO}s_k$$

Thus,

$$\frac{\partial y_k}{\partial s_k} = W_{HO} \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial s_k}{\partial z_k} = \sigma(z_k)(1 - \sigma(z_k)) \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial z_k}{\partial W_{IH}} = x_k \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial y_k}{\partial W_{HH}} = y_{k-1} \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial z_k}{\partial s_{k-1}} = W_{HH} \quad (5)$$

$$\frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_{k-1}} = \frac{\partial s_k}{\partial z_k} \frac{\partial z_k}{\partial s_{k-1}} = \sigma(z_k)(1 - \sigma(z_k))W_{HH} \quad (6)$$

Let's now consider  $\frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_t}$ :

$s_k$  depends on  $s_{k-1}, s_{k-2}, \dots, s_1$ . And hence:

$$\frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_t} = 0 \quad \forall k < t$$

For  $k \geq t$ :

$$\frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_t} = \frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_{k-1}} \times \frac{\partial s_{k-1}}{\partial s_{k-2}} \times \frac{\partial s_{k-2}}{\partial s_{k-3}} \times \dots \times \frac{\partial s_{k-(k-t)+1}}{\partial s_{k-(k-t)}}$$

Thus, consider a special case of  $t = T$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{s_T} L &= \sum_{k=T}^T \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_k} \times \frac{\partial y_k}{\partial s_k} \times \frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_t} \\ &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_T} \times \frac{\partial y_T}{\partial s_T} \\ &= (y_T - \hat{y}_T)W_{HO} \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\boxed{\nabla_{s_T} L = (y_T - \hat{y}_T)W_{HO}}$$

Let's consider  $\nabla_{s_t} L$  and  $\nabla_{s_{t+1}} L$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_{s_{t+1}} L &= \sum_{k=t+1}^T \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_k} \times \frac{\partial y_k}{\partial s_k} \times \frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_t} \\ \nabla_{s_t} L &= \sum_{k=t}^T \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_k} \times \frac{\partial y_k}{\partial s_k} \times \frac{\partial s_k}{\partial s_t} \\ \Rightarrow \nabla_{s_t} L &= \nabla_{s_{t+1}} L + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_t} \times \frac{\partial y_t}{\partial s_t} \times \frac{\partial s_t}{\partial s_t} \\ \Rightarrow \nabla_{s_t} L &= \nabla_{s_{t+1}} L + (y_t - \hat{y}_t) W_{HO}\end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\boxed{\nabla_{s_t} L = \nabla_{s_{t+1}} L + (y_t - \hat{y}_t) W_{HO}}$$

### Problem 1: (c)

$$\nabla_{W_{IH}} L = \sum_{k=1}^T \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_k} \times \frac{\partial y_k}{\partial s_k} \times \frac{\partial s_k}{\partial z_k} \times \frac{\partial z_k}{\partial W_{IH}}$$

### Problem 3

Given:

$$p(x_i) = \begin{cases} \pi + (1 - \pi)e^{-\lambda} & x_i = 0 \\ (1 - \pi)\frac{\lambda^{x_i}e^{-\lambda}}{x_i!} & x_i > 0 \end{cases}$$

Alternatively:

$$X_i = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{probability} = \pi + (1 - \pi)e^{-\lambda} \\ x_i & \text{probability} = (1 - \pi)\frac{\lambda^{x_i}e^{-\lambda}}{x_i!} \end{cases}$$

We define a *latent* variable  $Z_i$  for all cases where  $X_i = 0$ . It is latent because when we observed  $X_i = 0$  we do not know if it came out of the 'Poisson' distribution or it came out the 'degenerate' distribution (which has a probability of 1 at point 0.). we cannot observe the following. So  $X_i$  comes out of a mixture of a degenerate distribution as follows:

$$Z_i = \begin{cases} 1 & X_i \text{ is from the degenerate distribution} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$p(X_i = 0, Z_i = 1) = p(Z_i = 1) \times p(X_i = 0|Z_i = 1) = \pi \times 1$$

$$P(X_i = 0, Z_i = 0) = p(Z_i = 0) \times p(X_i = 0|Z_i = 0) = (1 - \pi)e^{-\lambda} \times 1$$

$$L(\text{Complete}) = \prod_{x_i=0} \pi^{Z_i} \times ((1 - \pi)e^{-\lambda})^{1-Z_i} \times \prod_{x_i>0} (1 - \pi)e^{\frac{\lambda^{x_i}e^{-\lambda}}{x_i!}} \quad (7)$$

$$\log L = \sum_{I(x_i=0)} z_i \log(\pi) + (1 - z_i)(\log(1 - \pi) - \lambda) + \sum_{I(x_i>0)} (\log(1 - \pi) + x_i \log(\lambda) - \lambda - \log(x_i!)) \quad (8)$$

E step:

$$Q(\theta, \theta_0) = \sum_{I(x_i=0)} E_{P(Z|X)}[z_i] \log(\pi) + (1 - E_{P(Z|X)}[z_i])(\log(1 - \pi) - \lambda)$$

$$+ \sum_{I(x_i>0)} (\log(1 - \pi) + x_i \log(\lambda) - \lambda - \log(x_i!))$$

$$E_{P(Z|X_i)}[z_i] = 0 \times p(Z_i = 0|X) + 1 \times p(Z_i = 1|X_i = 0)$$

$$= \frac{p(X_i = 0|Z_i = 1)p(Z_i = 1)}{p(X_i = 0|Z_i = 0)p(Z_i = 0) + p(X_i = 0|Z_i = 1)p(Z_i = 1)}$$

$$= \frac{\pi_0}{\pi_0 + (1 - \pi_0)e^{-\lambda_0}}$$

Hence,

$$Q(\theta, \theta_0) = \sum_{I(x_i=0)} \frac{\pi_0}{\pi_0 + (1 - \pi_0)e^{-\lambda_0}} \log(\pi) + \left(\frac{(1 - \pi_0)e^{-\lambda_0}}{\pi_0 + (1 - \pi_0)e^{-\lambda_0}}\right)(\log(1 - \pi) - \lambda)$$

$$+ \sum_{I(x_i>0)} (\log(1 - \pi) + x_i \log(\lambda) - \lambda - \log(x_i!))$$

M step:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial Q}{\partial \lambda} &= 0 \\
 &= \sum_{I(x_i=0)} (1 - E[z_i])(-1) + \sum_{I(x_i>0)} \left(\frac{x_i}{\lambda} - 1\right) = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \hat{\lambda} &= \frac{\sum_{I(x_i>0)} x_i}{n - \sum_{I(x_i=0)} E[z_i]} \\
 \hat{\lambda} &= \frac{\sum_{I(x_i>0)} x_i}{n - \sum_{I(x_i=0)} \hat{z}_i} \\
 \text{where } \hat{z} &= \frac{\pi_0}{\pi_0 + (1 - \pi_0)e^{-\lambda_0}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial Q}{\partial \pi} &= 0 \\
 &= \sum_{I(x_i=0)} \left(\frac{E[z_i]}{\pi} - \frac{1 - E[z_i]}{1 - \pi}\right) - \sum_{I(x_i>0)} \frac{1}{1 - \pi} = 0 \\
 &= \sum_{I(x_i=0)} \left(\frac{E[z_i]}{\pi} + \frac{E[z_i]}{1 - \pi}\right) - \frac{n}{1 - \pi} = 0 \\
 \Rightarrow \hat{\pi} &= \sum_{I(x_i=0)} \frac{\hat{z}_i}{n}
 \end{aligned}$$