

Problem 2. Bayes

Posterior $p|Y \sim \text{Dirichlet}(Y + \alpha)$

$$f(p_1 = v_1, \dots, p_n = v_n | Y = y) = \frac{1}{B(y + \alpha)} \prod_{i=1}^n v_i^{y_{(i)} + \alpha_i - 1}$$

Proof:

In this model, there are 3 distributions:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Prior } p \sim \text{Dirichlet}(\alpha) \quad \text{where } p \in \mathbb{R}^n, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ \text{Observed } Y | p, M \sim \text{Multi}(p, M) \quad \text{where } Y \in \mathbb{N}^n, M \in \mathbb{R} \quad Y = \sum_{i=1}^M w_i \\ \text{Observed } w_i | p \sim \text{Discrete}(p), i \in [M] \quad \text{where } w_i \in \mathbb{N}^n \text{ is 1-sparse} \end{array} \right.$$

 n is the number of words in the vocabulary (a bag of words) M is the number of words in a document $p_j \in (0, 1)$ is the probability that word j occurs in a document $i \in [M], j \in [n]$

$$P((w_i)_{(j)} = 1) = p_j$$

 α is the parameter of Prior Dirichlet Distribution Y is a random vector with multinomial distribution:

$$P(Y = y | p_1 = v_1, \dots, p_n = v_n) = M! \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{p_i^{y_{(i)}}}{y_{(i)}!}$$

where $y_{(j)}$ is the number of times word j occurs in a document $j \in [n]$ w_i is a random vector generated i.i.d from Discrete(p)

$$P(w_1, w_2, \dots, w_M | p) = \prod_{i=1}^M p_i^{y_{(i)}}$$

By Bayes Rule, posterior is

$$P(p|Y) = \frac{P(Y|p)P(p)}{P(Y)}$$

$$\propto P(Y|p)P(p)$$

$$\propto P(w_1, w_2, \dots, w_m | p) P(p)$$

$$= \left(\prod_{i=1}^n p_i^{y_{(i)}} \right) \left(\frac{1}{B(\alpha)} \prod_{i=1}^n p_i^{\alpha_i - 1} \right)$$

$$\propto \prod_{i=1}^n p_i^{y_{(i)} + \alpha_i - 1}$$

Thus, $P(p|Y) \sim \text{Dirichlet}(Y + \alpha)$

$$f(p_1 = v_1, \dots, p_n = v_n | Y = y) = \frac{1}{B(y + \alpha)} \prod_{i=1}^n v_i^{y_{(i)} + \alpha_i - 1}$$

Problem 2 : word2vec as PCA

1) plug in $x = v_w^T v_c$ to $l(w, c)$

$$l(w, c) = \#(w, c) \log(\sigma(v_w^T v_c)) + k \#(w) \frac{\#(c)}{|D|} \log(\sigma(-v_w^T v_c))$$

$$= \#(w, c) \log(\sigma(x)) + k \#(w) \frac{\#(c)}{|D|} \log(\sigma(-x))$$

$$\sigma(x) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-x}}$$

$$\sigma'(x) = \frac{-e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})^2} = \frac{e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial l}{\partial x} = \#(w, c) \frac{\sigma'(x)}{\sigma(x)} + k \#(w) \frac{\#(c)}{|D|} \frac{\sigma'(-x)}{\sigma(-x)}$$

$$= \#(w, c) \frac{\frac{e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})^2}}{\frac{1}{1+e^{-x}}} + k \#(w) \frac{\#(c)}{|D|} \frac{-\frac{e^x}{(1+e^x)^2}}{\frac{1}{1+e^x}}$$

$$= \#(w, c) \frac{e^{-x}}{1+e^{-x}} - k \#(w) \frac{\#(c)}{|D|} \frac{e^x}{1+e^x}$$

$$= \#(w, c) \frac{1}{e^x+1} - k \#(w) \frac{\#(c)}{|D|} \frac{e^x}{e^x+1}$$

set $\frac{\partial l}{\partial x} = 0$

$$e^{2x} - \left(\frac{\#(w, c)}{k \cdot \#(w) \cdot \frac{\#(c)}{|D|}} - 1 \right) e^x - \frac{\#(w, c)}{k \cdot \#(w) \cdot \frac{\#(c)}{|D|}} = 0$$

let $y = e^x$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 - \left(\frac{\#(w, c)}{k \cdot \#(w) \cdot \frac{\#(c)}{|D|}} - 1 \right) y - \frac{\#(w, c)}{k \cdot \#(w) \cdot \frac{\#(c)}{|D|}} = 0$$

$$\begin{cases} y_1 = -1 \text{ (invalid)} \\ y_2 = \frac{\#(w, c)}{k \cdot \#(w) \cdot \frac{\#(c)}{|D|}} = \frac{\#(w, c) \cdot |D|}{\#(w) \cdot \#(c)} \cdot \frac{1}{k} \text{ (valid)} \end{cases}$$

$$x = \log y_2 = \log \left(\frac{\#(w, c) \cdot |D|}{\#(w) \cdot \#(c)} \cdot \frac{1}{k} \right) = \log \frac{\#(w, c) |D|}{\#(w) \cdot \#(c)} - \log k$$

2) Implicit matrix factorization of skip-gram

Since the association metric is defined as $\chi = \text{PMI}(w, c) - \log k$

Where PMI is the well-known pointwise mutual information matrix

$$\text{PMI}(w, c) = \log \left(\frac{\#(w, c) |D|}{\#(w) \#(c)} \right) \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times |V|}$$

The skip-gram embeddings obtained by optimizing the local objective are equivalent to factorizing matrix $M \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times |V|}$

$$M = W \cdot C^T$$

where $W \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times d}$ is the word embedding matrix
 $C \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times d}$ is the context embedding matrix

M is shifted positive PMI matrix

$$M = \text{SPPMI}_k(w, c) = \max(\text{PMI}(w, c) - \log k, 0)$$

Motivation for rank-d SVD of $M \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times |V|}$

Working directly with matrix PMI has 2 computational challenges

① The matrix is ill-defined

Because rows of matrix PMI contain many entries of word-context pairs (w, c) that were never observed in the corpus

$$\text{PMI}(w, c) = \log 0 \rightarrow -\infty$$

② The matrix is dense

Because the high dimensions of the matrix $(|V| \times |V|)$ it's a major practical issue.

But there are still advantages to working with dense low-dimensional vectors, such as improved computational efficiency and better generalization.

Thus we use truncated SVD to achieve the optimal rank d factorization with respect to L_2 loss

$$M_d = \arg \min_{M' | \text{rank}(M') = d} \|M' - M\|_F^2 \Rightarrow \boxed{M_d = U_d \Sigma_d V_d^T}$$

SVD factorizes matrix $M \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times |V|}$ into : $M = U \Sigma V^T$

where $U \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times |V|}$ is an orthonormal matrix, with columns of left singular vectors
 $\Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times |V|}$ is a diagonal matrix with diagonal entries of singular values
 $V \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times |V|}$ is an orthonormal matrix, with columns of right singular vectors

The matrix $M_d = U_d \Sigma_d V_d^T$ is the rank d matrix that best approximate the original matrix M by minimizing the reconstruction error

where $U_d \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times d}$ the columns of U_d are the top d left singular vectors of matrix M .

$\Sigma_d \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$ is the diagonal matrix formed from the top d singular values.

$V_d \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times d}$ the columns of V_d are the top d right singular vectors of matrix M .