HOMEWORK 2 : MAP estimation on NMF

Introduction to Probabilistic Graphical Models

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1 Exercise 1

We have that $\hat{V} = WH$, $w_{fk} \sim G(\alpha_w, \beta_w)$, $h_{kn} \sim G(\alpha_h, \beta_h)$ and $v_{fn}|w_{f,:}, h_{:,n} \sim \mathcal{P}(\langle w_{f,:}, h_{:,n} \rangle)$.

$$\langle W^*, H^* \rangle = \underset{(W,H)}{\operatorname{argmax}} \log(P(W, H|V))$$

$$= \underset{(W,H)}{\operatorname{argmax}} \log(\frac{P(V|W, H) \times P(W, H)}{P(V)})$$

$$= \underset{(W,H)}{\operatorname{argmax}} \log(P(V|W, H)) + \log(P(W, H))$$

$$= \underset{(W,H)}{\operatorname{argmax}} \sum_{f_n} \left(V_{f_n} \times \log(\hat{V}_{f_n}) - \hat{V}_{f_n} \right) + \log(P(W, H))$$

$$\log(P(W, H)) = \sum_{fk} \log P(w_{fk}) + \sum_{kn} \log P(h_{kn})$$

$$= \underset{(W, H)}{\operatorname{argmax}} \left(\sum_{fn} V_{fn} \times \log(\hat{V}_{fn}) - \hat{V}_{fn} \right) + \sum_{fk} \log \frac{w_{fk}^{\alpha_w - 1} \times \exp(-w_{fk} \times \beta_w) \times \beta_w^{\alpha_w}}{\Gamma(\alpha_w)}$$

$$+ \sum_{kn} \log \frac{h_{kn}^{\alpha_h - 1} \times \exp(-h_{kn} \times \beta_h) \times \beta_h^{\alpha_h}}{\Gamma(\alpha_h)}$$

$$= \underset{(W, H)}{\operatorname{argmax}} \left[\sum_{fn} (V_{fn} \times \log(\hat{V}_{fn}) - \hat{V}_{fn}) + \sum_{fk} ((\alpha_w - 1) \times \log w_{fk} - w_{fk} \times \beta_w) + \sum_{kn} ((\alpha_h - 1) \log h_{kn} - \beta_h \times h_{kn}) \right]$$

$$S_{fnk}|w_{fk}, h_{kn} \sim \mathcal{P}(w_{fk}, h_{kn})$$
$$V_{fn}|S_{fnk} \sim \delta(V_{fn} - \sum_{k} S_{fnk})$$

We can apply the EM algorith, that is composed by two steps:

• E-step: We have to compute

$$\mathcal{L}_t(W, H) = \mathbb{E}[\log(P(V, S, W, H))]_{P(S|V, H_t, W_t)}$$

= $\mathbb{E}_{S|V, H_t, W_t}[\log P(S, V|W, H) \times P(W, H)] \times P(S|V, H_t, W_t)$

- $\underline{\text{M-step}}: W_{t+1}, H_{t+1} = \underset{(W,H)}{\operatorname{argmax}} \mathcal{L}_t(W, H)$
- \Rightarrow Application of the algorithm:
- 1. E-step:

$$\log P(V, S|W, H) = \log[P(V|S, W, H) \times P(S|W, H)]$$

$$= \sum_{fn} \log(\delta(V_{fn} - \sum_{k} S_{fnk})) + \log P(S|W, H)$$

$$= \sum_{fnk} (S_{fnk} \times \log(w_{fk} \times h_{kn}) - w_{fk} \times h_{kn} - \log \Gamma(S_{fnk}))$$

$$+ \sum_{fn} \log \left(\delta(V_{fn} - \sum_{k} S_{fnk})\right)$$

$$\log P(W, H) = \sum_{fk} (\alpha_w - 1) \times \log w_{fk} - w_{fk} \times \beta_w$$
$$+ \sum_{kn} (\alpha_h - 1) \times \log h_{kn} - h_{kn} \times \beta_h$$
$$+ \dots (constant)$$

According to the course, we have $\log P(S|V_t, W_t, H_t) = \log \prod_{fn} M(S_{fn:}, V_{fn}, [\Pi_1, \Pi_k]^{(t)})$ with $\Pi_k^{(t)} = \frac{w_{fk}^{(t)} \times h_{kn}^{(t)}}{\hat{v}_{fn}^{(t)}}$, so we obtain

$$\mathcal{L}_{t}(W, H) = \sum_{fnk} \mathbb{E}[S_{fnk}] \times \log(w_{fk} \times h_{kn}) - w_{fk} \times h_{kn}$$
$$+ \sum_{fk} (\alpha_{w} - 1) \times \log w_{fk} - w_{fk} \times \beta_{w} + \sum_{kn} \log h_{kn} - h_{kn} \times \beta_{h}$$
$$+ constant$$

2. M-step : To compute the argmax of \mathcal{L}_t , we use the derivative :

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_t}{\partial w_{fk}} = \sum_n \left(\frac{\mathbb{E}[S_{fnk}]}{w_{fk}} - h_{kn}^{(t)} \right) + \frac{\alpha_w - 1}{w_{fk}} - \beta_w = 0$$

Then, we obtain

$$w_{fk}^{(t+1)} = \frac{\sum_{n} \mathbb{E}[S_{fnk}] + \alpha_w - 1}{\beta_w + \sum_{n} h_{kn}^{(t)}}$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{n} \left(v_{fn} \times \frac{w_{fk}^{(t)} \times h_{kn}^{(t)}}{\hat{v}_{fn}^{(t)}}\right) + \alpha_w - 1}{\beta_w + \sum_{n} h_{kn}^{(t)}}$$

$$= \frac{w_{fk}^{(t)} \times \sum_{n} \frac{v_{fn}}{\hat{v}_{fn}^{(t)}} \times h_{kn}^{(t)} + \alpha_w - 1}{\beta_w + \sum_{n} h_{kn}^{(t)}}$$

Likewise for h,
$$h_{kn}^{(t+1)} = \frac{h_{kn}^{(t)} \times \sum_{f} \frac{v_{fn}}{\hat{v}_{fn}^{(t)}} \times w_{fk}^{(t+1)} + \alpha_h - 1}{\beta_h + \sum_{f} w_{fk}^{(t+1)}}$$

Finally, we have $\hat{V} = WH$, so,

$$W \leftarrow \frac{W \cdot [(V/\hat{V})H^{T}] + (Q_{w} - 1)O_{FK}}{O_{FN}H^{T} + \beta_{w}O_{FK}}$$
$$H \leftarrow \frac{H \cdot [W^{T}(V/\hat{V})] + (Q_{w} - 1)O_{KN}}{W^{T}O_{FN} + \beta_{w}O_{KN}}$$

with \cdot the element-wise matrix multiplication and / the element-wise division.

where
$$O_{KN} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \cdots & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 with K lines and N columns.

2 Exercise 2

Question 1 Please refer to the "EM_algorithm.m" matlab code.

Question 2 We can interpret the W matrix as the projection of the faces of the V matrix on a K dimensional space. Therefore every column of W is a 'feature' or 'base' face. Then the V matrix corresponds to the weightenings between the K faces to obtain the original faces.

The following figures show the Γ distibution for different values of α and $\beta = 1$.

Therefore, we interpret the β_W parameter as a sparsity parameter. We can tune β_W for some specific expected value. We interpret the α_W parameter as a variance parameter, therefore we control the range of values with a high probability.

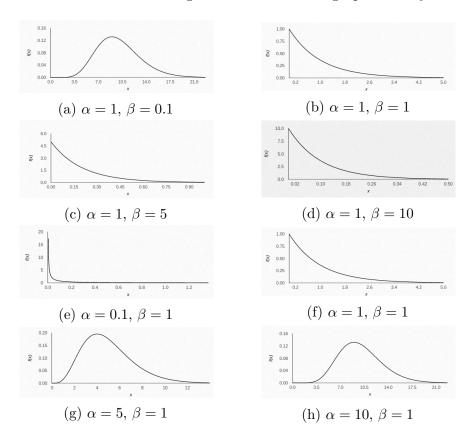


Figure 1: Gamma distribution for different values of α and β

The following figures shows the most relevant values of α , for $\beta_w = 1$ and $\beta_h = 1$ In the first figure, we see that increasing α_W decreases the sparcity of the W representation, because the range of the possible values with a higher probability increases.

In the second figure, we see that increasing α_H increases the sparsity of the solution. (The weights get bigger the bigger α_H I expected the opposite)

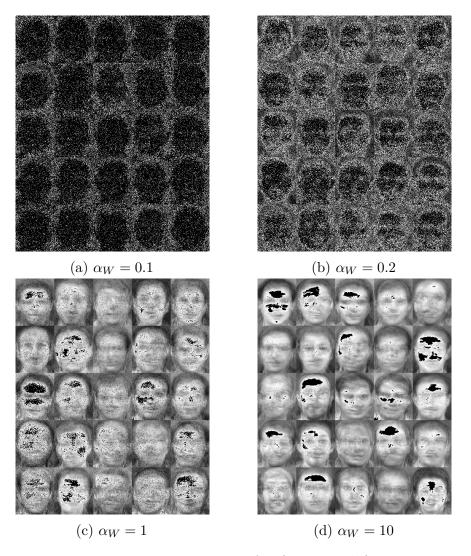


Figure 2: W matrix for $\beta_w=1$ and $\beta_h=1,\,\alpha_H=0.1$

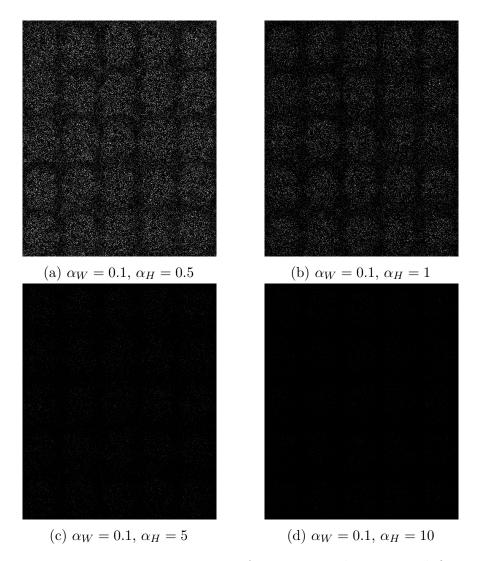


Figure 3: W matrix for $\alpha_w=1$ and $\alpha_h=1$ and $\beta_W=0.1$

Question 3 The following figure shows the most relevant values of β , for $\alpha_w = 1$ and $\alpha_h = 1$

In the first figure, as expected, by increasing β_W , the expectation of the prior decreases therefore the sparsity increases.

In the second figure, by increasing β_H the expectation of the weight decreases therefore the output value of the pixel decreases and the sparsity increases.

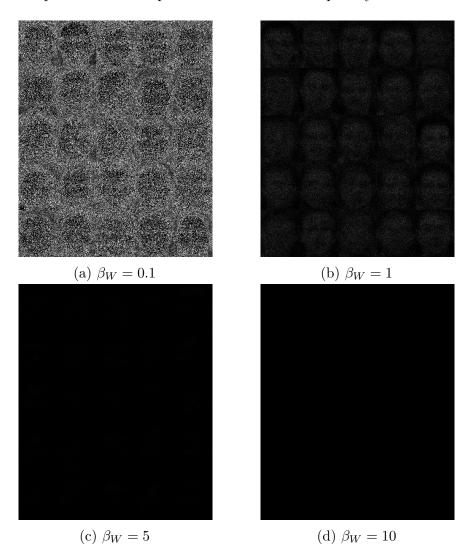


Figure 4: W matrix for $\alpha_w=1$ and $\alpha_h=1$ and $\beta_H=0.1$

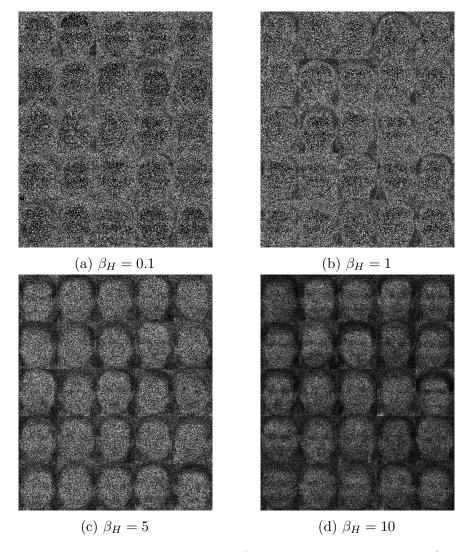


Figure 5: W matrix for $\alpha_w=1$ and $\alpha_h=1$ and $\beta_W=0.1$