

DL HW4

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1 Variational Inference

1.1

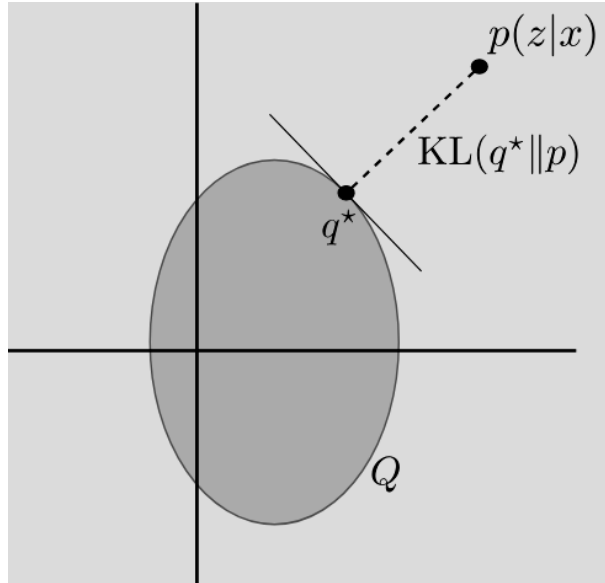


Figure 1: Abstraction of the variational inference problem. We seek to find an approximate posterior distribution that minimizes the KL divergence. Figure credit: Jeffrey Regier

$$\begin{aligned} q^* &= \operatorname{argmin}_{q \in Q} \operatorname{KL}(q(z) || p(z|x)) \\ &= \operatorname{argmin}_{q \in Q} \mathbb{E}_q[\log(q(z)) - \log(p(z|x))] \\ &= \operatorname{argmin}_{q \in Q} \mathbb{E}_q[\log(q(z)) - \log(p(z, x))] + \log(p(x)) \\ &= \operatorname{argmin}_{q \in Q} \mathbb{E}_q[\log(q(z)) - \log(p(z, x))] \\ &= \operatorname{argmin}_{q \in Q} \mathbb{E}_q[\log(q(z)) - \log(p(x|z) - \log(p(z)))] \\ &= \operatorname{argmax}_{q \in Q} \mathbb{E}_q[\log(p(x|z))] - \operatorname{KL}(q(z) || p(z)) = \text{ELBO} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\log p(x) &= \mathbb{E}_q[\log p(x)] \\
&= \mathbb{E}_q \left[\log \frac{p(x|z)p(z)}{p(z|x)} \right] \\
&= \mathbb{E}_q \left[\log \left(\frac{p(x|z)p(z)}{p(z|x)} \times \frac{q(z)}{q(z)} \right) \right] \\
&= \mathbb{E}_q[\log p(x|z)] - \mathbb{E}_q \left[\log \frac{q(z)}{p(z)} \right] + \mathbb{E}_q \left[\log \frac{q(z)}{p(z|x)} \right] \\
&= \mathbb{E}_q[\log p(x|z)] - \text{KL}(q(z)||p(z)) + \text{KL}(q(z)||p(z|x)) \\
&= \text{ELBO} + \text{KL}(q(z)||p(z|x))
\end{aligned}$$

1.2

$$\psi, \theta = \psi, \theta - \eta \nabla_{\psi, \theta} \sum_{i=1}^N \text{ELBO}(q_{\psi_i}, x_i, \theta)$$

1.3

Stochastic VI

$$\psi, \theta = \psi, \theta - \eta \frac{N}{B} \nabla_{\psi, \theta} \sum_{i=1}^B \text{ELBO}(q_{\psi_i}, x_i, \theta)$$

Amortized VI

$$\phi, \theta = \phi, \theta - \eta \frac{N}{B} \nabla_{\phi, \theta} \sum_{i=1}^B \text{ELBO}(q_{\phi}(\cdot|x_i), x_i, \theta)$$

1.4

$$\begin{aligned}
p_{\theta}(x|z) &= \frac{1}{(\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma)^D} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|x - f_{\theta}(z)\|^2} \\
\log p_{\theta}(x|z) &= C - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|x - f_{\theta}(z)\|^2
\end{aligned}$$

where D is the dimensionality of the x .

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{KL}(q(z)||p(z)) &= \frac{1}{2} (tr(\text{diag}(\sigma_{\phi}^2(x))) + \mu_{\phi}(x)^T \mu_{\phi}(x) - k - \log \det \text{diag}(\sigma_{\phi}^2(x))) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} (\text{sum}(\sigma_{\phi}^2(x)) + \|\mu_{\phi}(x)\|^2 - k - \log \text{mul}(\sigma_{\phi}^2(x)))
\end{aligned}$$

where k is the dimensionality of the z .

$$\begin{aligned}
L &= -\mathbb{E}_q[\log p(x|z)] + \text{KL}(q(z)||p(z)) \\
&= \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|x - f_{\theta}(z)\|^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\text{sum}(\sigma_{\phi}^2(x)) + \|\mu_{\phi}(x)\|^2 - k - \log \text{mul}(\sigma_{\phi}^2(x)))
\end{aligned}$$

1.5

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{ELBO} &= -\text{KL}(q(z)||p(z|x)) \\
&= -\mathbb{E}_q[\log(q(z)) - \log(p(z|x))] \\
&= -\mathbb{E}_q[\log(q(z)) - \log(p(z, x))] + \log(p(x)) \\
&= -\mathbb{E}_q[\log(q(z)) - \log(p(z, x))] \\
&= -\mathbb{E}_{\prod_i q_i(z_i)}[\log(\prod_i q_i(z_i)) - \log(p(z, x))] \\
&= -\mathbb{E}_{\prod_i q_i(z_i)}[\sum_i \log q_i(z_i) - \log(p(z, x))] \\
&= -\int \prod_i q_i(z_i) \left[\sum_i \log q_i(z_i) + \log(p(z, x)) \right] dz \\
&= -\int \left[\prod_i q_i(z_i) \right] \sum_i \log q_i(z_i) dz + \int \left[\prod_i q_i(z_i) \right] \log(p(z, x)) dz \\
&= -\int q_j(z_j) \int \left[\prod_{i \neq j} q_i(z_i) \right] \sum_i \log q_i(z_i) dz + \int q_j(z_j) \int \left[\prod_{i \neq j} q_i(z_i) \right] \log(p(z, x)) dz \\
&= -\int q_j(z_j) \log q_j(z_j) \int \prod_{i \neq j} q_i(z_i) dz - \int q_j(z_j) \int \left[\prod_{i \neq j} q_i(z_i) \right] \sum_{i \neq j} \log q_i(z_i) dz + \int q_j(z_j) \mathbb{E}_{z_{-j}}[\log(p(z, x))] dz_j \\
&= -\int q_j(z_j) \log q_j(z_j) dz_j - \int \left[\prod_{i \neq j} q_i(z_i) \right] \sum_{i \neq j} \log q_i(z_i) dz_{-j} + \int q_j(z_j) \mathbb{E}_{z_{-j}}[\log(p(z, x))] dz_j \\
&= -\int q_j(z_j) \log q_j(z_j) dz_j + \int q_j(z_j) \mathbb{E}_{z_{-j}}[\log(p(z, x))] dz_j + C \\
&= -\int q_j(z_j) [\log q_j(z_j) - \mathbb{E}_{z_{-j}}[\log(p(z, x))]] dz_j + C
\end{aligned}$$

$$Lagrangian = -\int q_j(z_j) [\log q_j(z_j) - q_j(z_j) \mathbb{E}_{z_{-j}}[\log(p(z, x))]] dz_j - \sum_i \lambda_i \int q_i(z_i) dz_i$$

$$\frac{\partial Lagrangian}{\partial q_j} = \mathbb{E}_{z_{-j}}[\log(p(z, x))] - \log q_j(z_j) - 1 - \lambda_j = 0$$

$$\log q_j(z_j) = \mathbb{E}_{z_{-j}}[\log(p(z, x))] + C$$

$$q_j(z_j) \propto \exp[\mathbb{E}_{z_{-j}}[\log p(z, x)]]$$

2 Diffusion Models

2.1

$$\begin{aligned}
q(z_t|x) &= \mathcal{N}(a_t x, \sigma_t^2 I) \\
&= a_t x + \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_t^2 I) \\
&= \text{Dist}(0, a_t^2) + \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_t^2 I) \\
\text{Var}_q &= a_t^2 + \sigma_t^2 = 1 \\
a_t &= \sqrt{1 - \sigma_t^2}
\end{aligned}$$

2.2

$$q(z_s, z_t|x) = q(z_s|z_t, x)q(z_t|x) = q(z_s|z_t)q(z_t|x)$$

2.3

$$\begin{aligned}
z_s &\sim \mathcal{N}(a_s x, \sigma_s^2 I) \\
z_t &\sim \mathcal{N}(a_t x, \sigma_t^2 I) \\
\frac{a_t}{a_s} z_s &\sim \mathcal{N}(a_t x, \frac{a_t^2}{a_s^2} \sigma_s^2 I) \\
\mathcal{N}(0, (\sigma_t^2 - \frac{a_t^2}{a_s^2} \sigma_s^2) I) + \frac{a_t}{a_s} z_s &\sim \mathcal{N}(a_t x, \sigma_t^2 I) \\
\mathcal{N}(0, (\sigma_t^2 - \frac{a_t^2}{a_s^2} \sigma_s^2) I) + \frac{a_t}{a_s} z_s &\sim z_t \\
\mathcal{N}(\frac{a_t}{a_s} z_s, (\sigma_t^2 - \frac{a_t^2}{a_s^2} \sigma_s^2) I) &\sim z_t \\
\mathcal{N}(a_{t|s} z_s, \sigma_{t|s}^2 I) &\sim z_t
\end{aligned}$$

where,

$$a_{t|s} = \frac{a_t}{a_s}, \quad \sigma_{t|s}^2 = (\sigma_t^2 - \frac{a_t^2}{a_s^2} \sigma_s^2)$$

2.4

$$\begin{aligned}
q(z_s|z_t, x) &\propto q(z_t|z_s)q(z_s|x) \\
&\propto \mathcal{N}(a_{t|s}z_s, \sigma_{t|s}^2 I) \mathcal{N}(a_s x, \sigma_s^2 I) \\
&\propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{z_t - a_{t|s}z_s}{\sigma_{t|s}}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{z_s - a_s x}{\sigma_s}\right)^2\right) \\
&\propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \frac{(\sigma_s^2 a_{t|s}^2 + \sigma_{t|s}^2)z_s^2 + (z_t a_{t|s} \sigma_s^2 + a_s x \sigma_{t|s}^2)z_s}{\sigma_{t|s}^2 \sigma_s^2}\right) \\
&\propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \frac{(\sigma_t^2)z_s^2 + (z_t a_{t|s} \sigma_s^2 + a_s x \sigma_{t|s}^2)z_s}{\sigma_{t|s}^2 \sigma_s^2}\right) \\
&\propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \frac{z_s^2 + \frac{z_t a_{t|s} \sigma_s^2 + a_s x \sigma_{t|s}^2}{\sigma_t^2} z_s}{\frac{\sigma_{t|s}^2 \sigma_s^2}{\sigma_t^2}}\right) \\
&\propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{z_s - \mu_Q(z_t, x; s, t)}{\sigma_Q^2(s, t)}\right)^2\right) \\
&\propto \mathcal{N}(\mu_Q(z_t, x; s, t), \sigma_Q^2(s, t))
\end{aligned}$$

where,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu_Q(z_t, x; s, t) &= \frac{(a_{t|s} \sigma_s^2)}{\sigma_t^2} z_t + \frac{(a_s \sigma_{t|s}^2)}{\sigma_t^2} x \\
\sigma_Q^2(s, t) &= \frac{\sigma_{t|s}^2 \sigma_s^2}{\sigma_t^2}
\end{aligned}$$

2.5

$$\begin{aligned}
D_{\text{KL}}(q(z_s|z_t, x) || p_\theta(z_s|z_t)) &= \frac{1}{2} \left(d + \frac{1}{\sigma_Q^2(s, t)} \|\mu_Q(z_t, x; s, t) - \mu_\theta(z_t; s, t)\|_2^2 - d + \log(1)\right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2\sigma_Q^2(s, t)} \|\mu_Q(z_t, x; s, t) - \mu_\theta(z_t; s, t)\|_2^2
\end{aligned}$$

2.6

$$\begin{aligned}
D_{\text{KL}}(q(z_s|z_t, x) || p_\theta(z_s|z_t)) &= \frac{1}{2\sigma_Q(s, t)} \|\mu_Q(z_t, x; s, t) - \mu_\theta(z_t; s, t)\|_2^2 \\
&= \frac{1}{2\sigma_Q(s, t)} \left\| \frac{(a_{t|s} \sigma_s^2)}{\sigma_t^2} z_t + \frac{(a_s \sigma_{t|s}^2)}{\sigma_t^2} x - \frac{(a_{t|s} \sigma_s^2)}{\sigma_t^2} z_t + \frac{(a_s \sigma_{t|s}^2)}{\sigma_t^2} \hat{x}_\theta(z_t, t) \right\|_2^2 \\
&= \frac{(a_s^2 \sigma_{t|s}^4)}{2\sigma_t^4 \sigma_Q^2(s, t)} \|x - \hat{x}_\theta(z_t, t)\|_2^2 \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \gamma \|x - \hat{x}_\theta(z_t, t)\|_2^2
\end{aligned}$$

where,

$$\begin{aligned}
\gamma &= \frac{a_s^2 \sigma_{t|s}^4}{\sigma_t^4 \sigma_Q^2(s, t)} \\
&= \frac{a_s^2 \sigma_{t|s}^2}{\sigma_t^2 \sigma_s^2} \\
&= \frac{a_s^2 (\sigma_t^2 - \frac{a_t^2}{a_s^2} \sigma_s^2)}{\sigma_t^2 \sigma_s^2} \\
&= \frac{a_s^{\textcircled{2}} \sigma_t^2 - a_t^2 \sigma_s^2}{\sigma_t^2 \sigma_s^2} \\
&= \frac{a_s^2}{\sigma_s^2} - \frac{a_t^2}{\sigma_t^2} \\
&= \text{SNR}(s) - \text{SNR}(t)
\end{aligned}$$

2.7

$$\begin{aligned}
L_\infty(x) &= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} L_T(x) \\
&= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{T}{2} \mathbb{E}[(\text{SNR}(s(i)) - \text{SNR}(t(i))) \|x - \hat{x}_\theta(z_{t(i)}; t(i))\|_2^2] \\
&= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{T}{2} \mathbb{E}[(\text{SNR}(t - \frac{1}{T}) - \text{SNR}(t)) \|x - \hat{x}_\theta(z_{t(i)}; t(i))\|_2^2] \\
&= -\frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E}[\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} T(\text{SNR}(t) - \text{SNR}(t - \frac{1}{T})) \|x - \hat{x}_\theta(z_{t(i)}; t(i))\|_2^2] \\
&= -\frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E}[\text{SNR}'(t) \|x - \hat{x}_\theta(z_{t(i)}; t(i))\|_2^2]
\end{aligned}$$

3 Score Matching

3.1

$$\begin{aligned}
x_{t+1} &= x_t + \delta \nabla_x \log p(x_t) \\
\text{No Update: } x_t &= x_t + \delta \nabla_x \log p(x_t) \\
\nabla_x \log p(x_t) &= 0
\end{aligned}$$

At point x_t , $p(x)$ reaches a peak because the gradient is zero at this location.

Maximum likelihood typically identifies the global maximum, whereas this method may converge on a local maximum.

3.2

There are two reasons for the presence of a noise term. First, it helps the algorithm escape local maxima, especially if the starting point is close to one. Second, the noise encourages the discovery of flatter maxima.

3.3

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla_x \log q(x) &= \frac{q'(x)}{q(x)} = \frac{\frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{-2(x-x^{(i)})}{2\sigma^2} K(x|x^{(i)})}{\frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M K(x|x^{(i)})} \\ &= \frac{q'(x)}{q(x)} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (x^{(i)} - x) K(x|x^{(i)})}{\sum_{i=1}^M K(x|x^{(i)})}\end{aligned}$$

3.4

If we lack sufficient data in a particular region, this method will not produce an accurate density estimate for that area, which may prevent us from correctly identifying the peak of the density.

3.5

$$J_1(\theta) = \mathbb{E}_{q(x)}\left[\frac{1}{2}\|s_\theta(x)\|^2\right] - g(\theta) + C$$

$$\begin{aligned}g(\theta) &= \mathbb{E}_{q(x)}\left[\left\langle s(x), \frac{\partial \log q(x)}{\partial x} \right\rangle\right] \\ &= \int_x q(x) \left\langle s(x), \frac{\partial \log q(x)}{\partial x} \right\rangle dx \\ &= \int_x q(x) \left\langle s(x), \frac{\frac{\partial q(x)}{\partial x}}{q(x)} \right\rangle dx \\ &= \int_x \left\langle s(x), \frac{\partial q(x)}{\partial x} \right\rangle dx \\ &= \int_x \left\langle s(x), \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int_{x_0} q_0(x_0) q(x|x_0) dx_0 \right\rangle dx \\ &= \int_x \left\langle s(x), \int_{x_0} q_0(x_0) \frac{\partial q(x|x_0)}{\partial x} dx_0 \right\rangle dx \\ &= \int_x \left\langle s(x), \int_{x_0} q_0(x_0) q(x|x_0) \frac{\partial \log q(x|x_0)}{\partial x} dx_0 \right\rangle dx \\ &= \int_x \int_{x_0} q_0(x_0) q(x|x_0) \left\langle s(x), \frac{\partial \log q(x|x_0)}{\partial x} \right\rangle dx dx_0 \\ &= \int_x \int_{x_0} q(x, x_0) \left\langle s(x), \frac{\partial \log q(x|x_0)}{\partial x} \right\rangle dx dx_0 \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{q(x, x_0)} \left[\left\langle s(x), \frac{\partial \log q(x|x_0)}{\partial x} \right\rangle \right]\end{aligned}$$

So,

$$J_1(\theta) = J_2(\theta) + C$$

3.6

$$\begin{aligned}
J_2(\theta) &= \mathbb{E}_{q(x, x_0)} \left[\frac{1}{2} \|s_\theta(x) - \nabla_x \log q(x|x_0)\|^2 \right] \\
&= \mathbb{E}_{q(x, x_0)} \left[\frac{1}{2} \|s_\theta(x) - \frac{1}{\sigma^2}(x - x_0)\|^2 \right]
\end{aligned}$$

Algorithm 1 Diffusion Training

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1: for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $m$  do
2:    $x_1 = x^{(i)}$ 
3:   for  $t \leftarrow 1$  to  $T$  do
4:      $x_{t+1} = x_t + \lambda s_\theta(x_t) + \sqrt{2\lambda}\epsilon$ 
5:      $\theta = \theta - \eta \nabla_\theta J_2(\theta)$ 
6:   end for
7: end for

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Algorithm 2 Diffusion Evaluating

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1:  $x_1 \sim \mathcal{N}(0, I)$ 
2: for  $t \leftarrow 1$  to  $T$  do
3:    $x_{t+1} = x_t + \lambda s_\theta(x_t) + \sqrt{2\lambda}\epsilon$ 
4:    $\theta = \theta - \eta \nabla_\theta J_2(\theta)$ 
5: end for
6: return  $x_T$ 

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