

# Some Evidence Theory and Checking Algorithm

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## 1 Evidence theory

Consider the semi-supervised binary tensor factorization, under the scenario where treat covariate as predictors. The general model is:

$$\begin{aligned} U &= \text{logit}(\mathbb{E}Y) = B \times_1 X \\ B &= C \times_1 N_1 \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3 \end{aligned}$$

where  $Y$  is the given binary tensor,  $X$  is the given covariate.  $N_1, N_2, N_3$  are the factor matrices,  $C$  is the core tensor.  $B$  is the intermediate tensor.

### 1.1 Conclusion 1 : Each update has unique solution, and each update increases log-likelihood

To write in a general form, we have:

$$U = \text{logit}(\mathbb{E}Y) = C \times_1 X N_1 \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3$$

#### 1.1.1 Multi-process of GLM

First, we prove that the update of factor matrices or core tensor is just the multi-process of regular GLM.

**For updating  $N_3$  when fix  $C, N_1, N_2$  (update  $N_2$  is the same)** Since we have:

$$U_{(3)} = N_3 C_{(3)} [N_2 \otimes (X N_1)]^T$$

Where  $U_{(3)}, C_{(3)}$  are the unfold matrices of tensor  $U, C$  through mode-3.

Recalling the matrix form GLM, which is identical to this scenario:

Consider

$$\text{logit}[E(Y))_{n \times p}] = U_{n \times p} = X_{n \times R} \times \beta_{R \times p}$$

Where  $U_{n \times p} = (u_1, \dots, u_p)$ ,  $\beta_{R \times p} = (\beta_1, \dots, \beta_p)$

We have:

$$\begin{aligned} u_1^{N*1} &= X^{n*R} \times \beta_1^{R*1} \\ u_2^{N*1} &= X^{n*R} \times \beta_2^{R*1} \\ &\vdots \\ u_p^{N*1} &= X^{n*R} \times \beta_P^{R*1} \end{aligned}$$

Then we implement regular GLM on each equation(i.e. each column of matrix  $\beta$ ). These are multiprocessing and mutually independent GLM processes.

**For updating  $N_1$  when fix  $C, N_2, N_3$**

Since we have:

$$U_{(1)} = X N_1 C_{(1)} [N_3 \otimes N_2]^T$$

Where  $U_{(1)}, C_{(1)}$  are the unfold matrices of tensor U,C through mode-1.

Recalling the form on note **Semi-Supervised Binary Tensor Factorization on dna-tions data**:

$$U^{d_1 \times d_2 d_3} = Y^{d_1 p} W^{p r_1} G^{r_1 \times d_2 d_3}$$

we have already proved that through some vectorization of matrix, it can be written as regular GLM form :

$$Y = X\beta$$

where  $\beta$  is the vectorization of  $N_1$  in this scenario.

Thus it's still GLM.

**For updating  $C$  when fix  $N_1, N_2, N_3$**

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### 1.1.2 Conclusion 1 on GLM

Then we just need to show the conclusion is satisfied on the GLM, in this case logistic regression.

Consider the form:

$$\text{logit}(\mathbb{E}\tilde{Y}) = U = X\beta$$

Recalling the negative log-likelihood(i.e. cross-entropy), we have:

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= - \sum_{i=1}^n \{ \tilde{y}_i \log(\pi_i) + (1 - \tilde{y}_i) \log(1 - \pi_i) \} \\ \pi_i &= \frac{\exp(\mathbf{x}'_i \boldsymbol{\beta})}{1 + \exp(\mathbf{x}'_i \boldsymbol{\beta})} \end{aligned}$$

Where  $x_i$  are one observation. If our dimension is  $p$ , then  $x_i, \beta \in \mathbb{R}^p$   
 Consider  $\tilde{y}_i \in \{0, 1\}$ , let

$$y_i = 2\tilde{y}_i - 1 \in \{-1, 1\}$$

Then:

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= - \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left\{ \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-y_i x_i' \beta)} \right\} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \log \{1 + \exp(-y_i x_i' \beta)\} \end{aligned}$$

Then we consider the optimization problem:

$$\beta^* = \arg \min_{\beta} Q \tag{1}$$

$$= \arg \min_{\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n \log \{1 + \exp(-y_i x_i' \beta)\} \tag{2}$$

Since we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial Q}{\partial \beta} &= - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{y_i}{1 + \exp(y_i x_i' \beta)} x_i \\ \frac{\partial^2 Q}{\partial \beta^2} &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{y_i}{1 + \exp(y_i x_i' \beta)} \right]^2 x_i x_i^T \end{aligned}$$

Since for  $\forall z \in \mathbb{R}^p$ , we have:

$$z^T \frac{\partial^2 Q}{\partial \beta^2} z = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{y_i}{1 + \exp(y_i x_i' \beta)} \right]^2 (z^T x_i)^2 \geq 0$$

The equal sign holds if and only if  $z=0$ . Then we conclude that the Hessian matrix is positive definite.

According to:

$$\nabla^2 Q(\beta) > 0 \text{ for all } \beta \in \text{dom}(Q) = \mathbb{R}^p$$

We can conclude  $Q$  is strictly convex with respect to  $\beta$ . Then the optimization problem (2) has unique solution.

Consider the update at  $t$  step:

$$\begin{aligned} \beta^{(t)} &= \arg \min_{\beta} Q(\beta^{(t-1)}) \\ &= \arg \min_{\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n \log \{1 + \exp(-y_i x_i' \beta^{(t-1)})\} \end{aligned}$$

According to what we derived, each update has unique solution. And each update won't decrease the log-likelihood. If  $\beta^{(t-1)}$  reach the global minimum of objective function, the update will remain the same:  $\beta^{(t)} = \beta^{(t-1)}$ .

## 1.2 Conclusion 2 : The log-likelihood is invariant to orthogonalization

Suppose we have:

$$\begin{aligned} U &= \text{logit}(\mathbb{E}Y) = B \times_1 X \\ B &= C \times_1 N_1 \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3 \end{aligned}$$

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When we conduct the orthogonalization and normalization on  $N_1$  ( $N_2, N_3$  are the same), such as SVD:

$$N_1 = U \Sigma V^T$$

Take  $\tilde{N}_1 = U$  as orthonormal version of  $N_1$ , let  $P = \Sigma V^T$ , then:

$$N_1 = \tilde{N}_1 P$$

Let  $C = \tilde{C} P^{-1}$  Then we have:

$$\begin{aligned} B &= C \times_1 N_1 \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3 \\ &= \tilde{C} P^{-1} \times_1 \tilde{N}_1 P \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3 \\ &= \tilde{C} \times_1 \tilde{N}_1 \times_2 N_2 \times_3 N_3 \end{aligned}$$

Then the log-likelihood is the same.