

$$\begin{aligned}
 1. \quad a) \log p(x) &= \log \int_z p(x, z) dz \geq E_q \left[ \log \frac{p(x, z)}{q} \right] = F(q) \\
 E_q \left[ \log \frac{p(z|x)p(x)}{q} \right] &= E_q [\log p(x)] + E_q \left[ \log \frac{p(z|x)}{q} \right] \\
 &= \log p(x) - E_q \left[ \log \frac{q}{p(z|x)} \right] \\
 &= \log p(x) - D_{KL}(q \| p(z|x)) \quad \square
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 b) D_{KL}(q(z) \| p(z)) &= E_q \left[ \log \frac{q(z)}{p(z)} \right] = E_q \left[ \log \frac{\prod q(z_i)}{\prod p(z_i)} \right] \\
 &= E_q \left[ \sum \log \frac{q(z_i)}{p(z_i)} \right] \\
 &= \sum E_q \left[ \log \frac{q(z_i)}{p(z_i)} \right] \\
 &= \sum D_{KL}(q(z_i) \| p(z_i))
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = E[x^2] - E[x]^2$$

$$c) \text{ Recall } q(z_i) = \mathcal{N}(z_i; \mu_i, \sigma_i)$$

$$p(z_i) = \mathcal{N}(z_i; 0, 1)$$

$$D_{KL}(q(z_i) \| p(z_i)) = E_q \left[ \log \frac{q(z_i)}{p(z_i)} \right]$$

$$= E_q \left[ \log q(z_i) - \log p(z_i) \right]$$

$$= E_q \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \log 2\pi\sigma_i^2 - \frac{(z_i - \mu_i)^2}{2\sigma_i^2} + \frac{1}{2} \log 2\pi + \frac{z_i^2}{2} \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \log 2\pi\sigma_i^2 + \frac{1}{2} \log 2\pi + \frac{1}{2} E_q [z_i^2] - \frac{1}{2\sigma_i^2} E_q [z_i^2 - 2\mu_i z_i + \mu_i^2]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \log \sigma_i^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\sigma_i^2 + \mu_i^2) - \frac{1}{2\sigma_i^2} (\sigma_i^2 + \mu_i^2 - 2\mu_i^2 + \mu_i^2)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \log \sigma_i^2 + \frac{1}{2} (\sigma_i^2 + \mu_i^2) - \frac{1}{2}$$

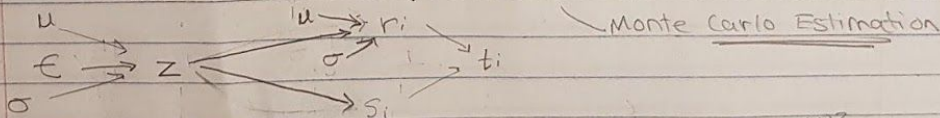
$$= -\log \sigma_i + \frac{1}{2} (\sigma_i^2 + \mu_i^2) - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$d) \quad \nabla_{\theta} E_q [\log q(z_i) - \log p(z_i)] = E_{\epsilon} [\nabla_{\theta} t_i] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(\epsilon) \nabla_{\theta} t_i d\epsilon \quad (\epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1))$$

$$\text{Fact: } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(\epsilon) d\epsilon = 1$$

$\nabla_{\theta} t_i$  is a fct of  $\epsilon$ .

$$\therefore \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(\epsilon) \nabla_{\theta} t_i d\epsilon \approx \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \nabla_{\theta} t_i(\epsilon_j) \quad \text{where } \epsilon_j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1), j=1 \dots N$$



$$\bar{S} = 1$$

$$\bar{r} = -1$$

$$r = \log q_i(z_i) = -\frac{1}{2} \log 2\pi\sigma^2 - \frac{(z-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{dz} = -\frac{2(z-\mu)}{2\sigma^2} = -\frac{(z-\mu)}{\sigma^2}$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\mu} = +\frac{(z-\mu)}{\sigma^2} \quad \frac{dr}{d\sigma} = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \cdot 4\pi\sigma + \frac{3}{2} \frac{(z-\mu)}{\sigma^3} = -\frac{1}{\sigma} + \frac{3}{2} \frac{(z-\mu)}{\sigma^3}$$

$$s = \log p(z_i) = -\frac{1}{2} \log 2\pi - \frac{z^2}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ds}{dz} = -z$$

$$\therefore \bar{z} = \bar{r} \frac{dr}{dz} + \bar{S} \frac{ds}{dz}$$

$$\text{Finally: } \bar{\mu} = \bar{z}(\mu) + \bar{r} \frac{dr}{d\mu} \quad \bar{\sigma} = \bar{z}(\sigma) + \bar{r} \frac{dr}{d\sigma}$$