Two Perspectives to Learning with Circuits

Motivation

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...and people's preferences...































...how can we model this as a probability distribution...







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Marginals

Conditionals

MPE

Logical events

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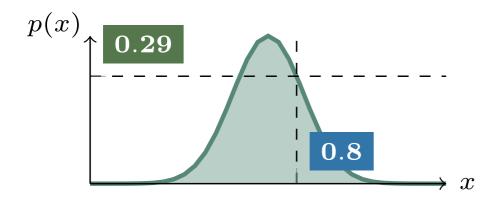
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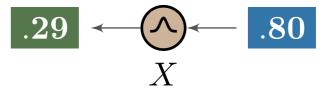
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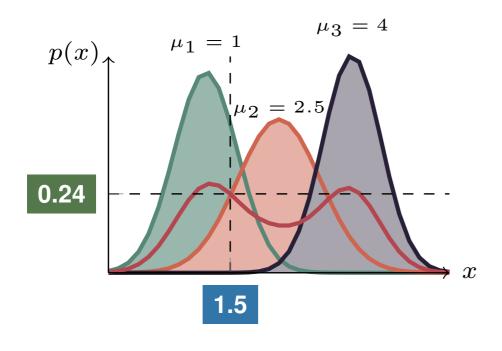
Probabilistic Circuits – Inputs

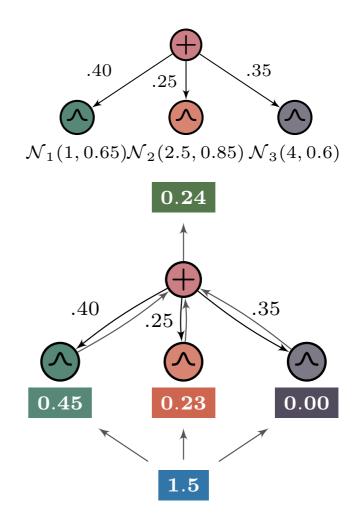


$$p(x) \longleftarrow x$$

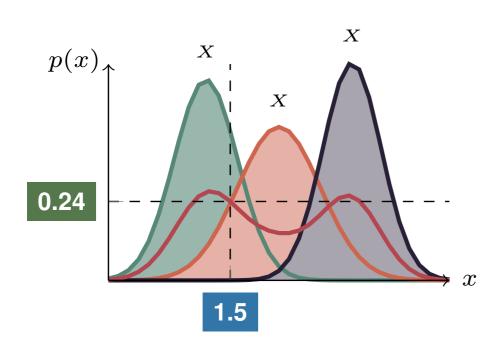


Probabilistic Circuits – Sums

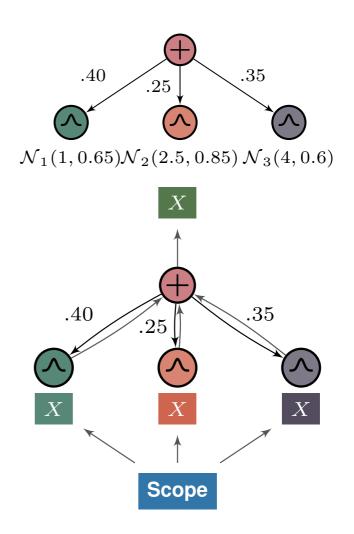




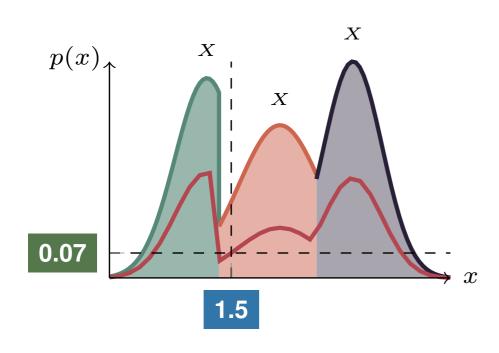
Probabilistic Circuits – Smoothness



Definition 1 (Smoothness). *Every sum node child mentions the <u>same</u> variables.*

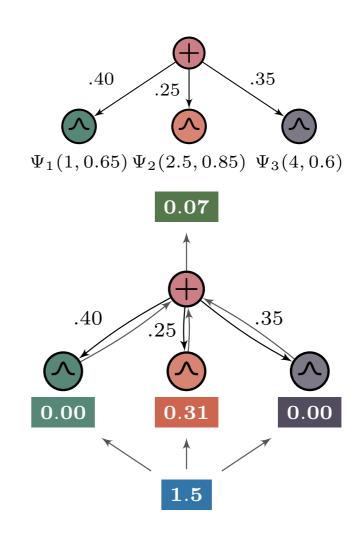


Probabilistic Circuits - Determinism

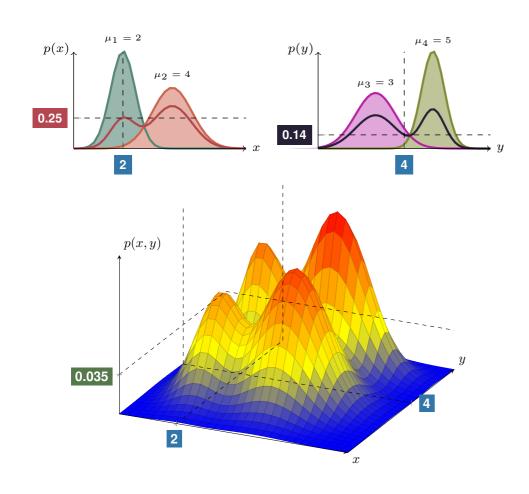


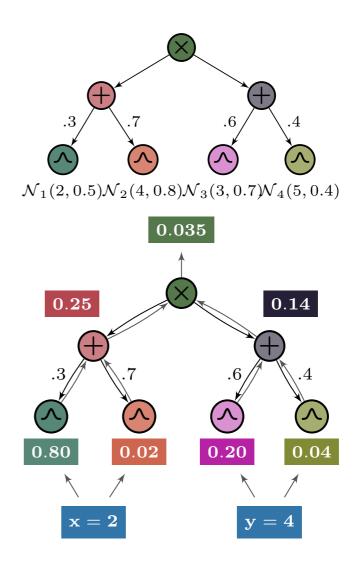
Definition 2 (Determinism).

At most one sum node child has a positive value.

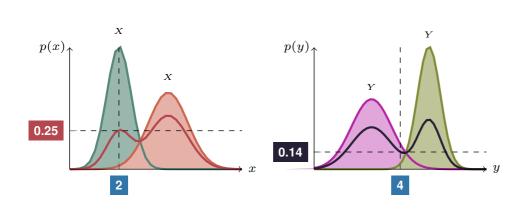


Probabilistic Circuits – Products

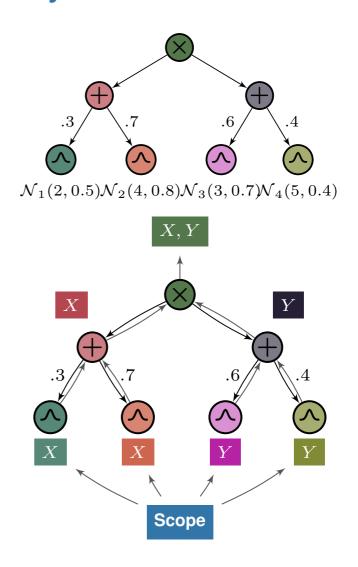




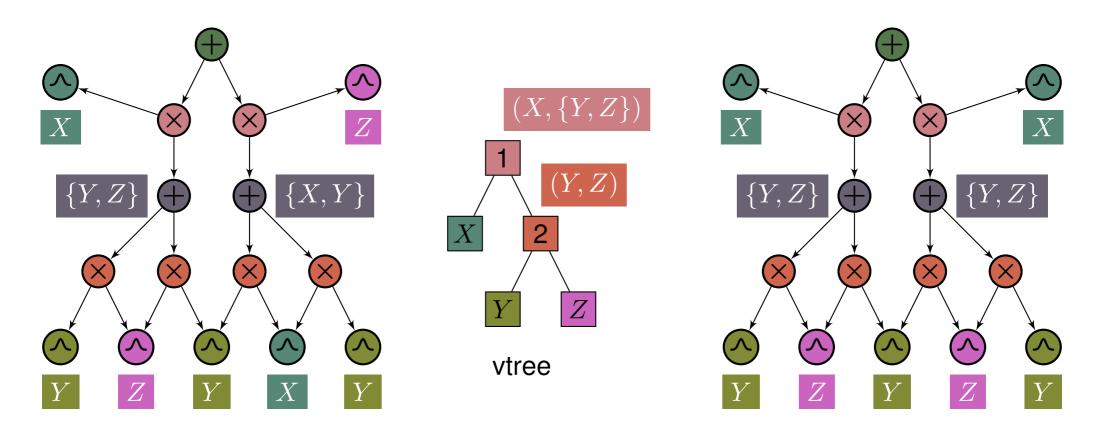
Probabilistic Circuits – Decomposability



Definition 3 (Decomposability). *Every product node child mentions <u>different</u> variables.*



Probabilistic Circuits – Structured Decomposability

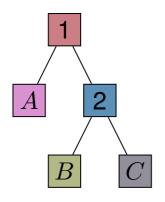


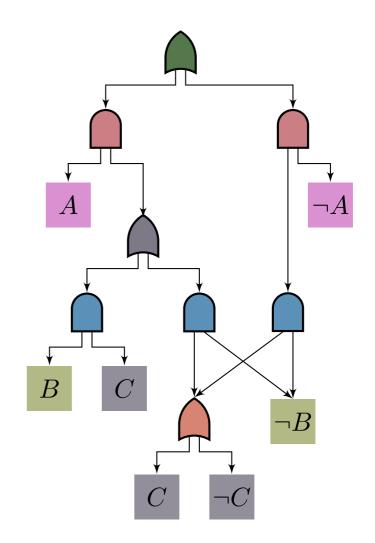
Definition 4 (Structured decomposability). *Every product node follows a vtree decomposition.*

Probabilistic Circuits – Logic Circuits

$\overline{\Delta}$	B	\overline{C}	$\phi(\mathbf{x})$
			$\varphi(\mathbf{A})$
0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1
0	1	0	0
1	1	0	0
0	0	1	1
1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0
1	1	1	1

$$\phi(A, B, C) = (A \lor B) \land (\neg B \lor C)$$

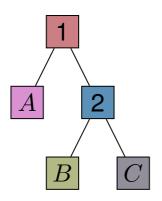


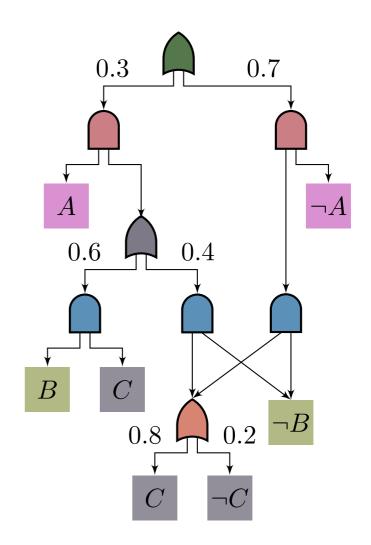


Probabilistic Circuits – Support

\overline{A}	B	C	$\phi(\mathbf{x})$	$p(\mathbf{x})$
0	0	0	1	0.140
1	0	0	1	0.024
0	1	0	0	0.000
1	1	0	0	0.000
0	0	1	1	0.560
1	0	1	1	0.096
0	1	1	0	0.000
1	1	1	1	0.180

$$\phi(A, B, C) = (A \vee B) \wedge (\neg B \vee C)$$





Probabilistic Circuits – Tractability

Query	+Sm?	+Dec?	+Det?	+Str Dec?
Evidence	√	√	√	√
Marginals	X	✓		√
Conditionals	X	✓		\checkmark
MPE	X	X	/	√
Shannon Entropy	X	X	\checkmark	√
Rényi Entropy	X	X	\checkmark	√
Cross Entropy	X	X	X	√
Kullback-Leibler Div	X	X	X	√
Rényi's Alpha Div	X	X	X	√
Cauchy-Schwarz Div	X	X	X	√
Logical Events	X	X	X	√
Mutual Information	X	X	X	√

Learning Probabilistic Circuits – Where are we right now?

Name	Class	Time Complexity	# hyperparams	Accepts logic?	Sm?	Dec?	Det?	Str Dec?	{0,1}?	№?	ℝ?	Reference
LEARNSPN	DIV	$\left\{ egin{aligned} \mathcal{O}\left(nkmc ight) & ext{, if sum} \ \mathcal{O}\left(nm^3 ight) & ext{, if product} \end{aligned} ight.$	≥ 2	×	1	✓	X	X	✓	✓	\	Gens and Domingos [2013]
ID-SPN	DIV	$ \begin{cases} \mathcal{O}\left(nkmc\right) & \text{, if sum} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(nm^3\right) & \text{, if product} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(ic(rn+m)\right) & \text{, if input} \end{cases} $	$\geq 2+3$	×	1	1	×	×	✓	✓	X	Rooshenas and Lowd [2014]
Prometheus	DIV	$\begin{cases} \mathcal{O}\left(nkmc\right) & \text{, if sum} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(m(\log m)^2\right) & \text{, if product} \end{cases}$	≥ 1	×	1	✓	X	×	1	✓	1	Jaini et al. [2018]
LEARNPSDD	INCR	$ \begin{cases} \mathcal{O}\left(m^2\right) & \text{, top-down vtree} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(m^4\right) & \text{, bottom-up vtree} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(i \mathcal{C} ^2\right) & \text{, circuit structure} \end{cases} $	1	✓	1	1	1	✓	1	Х	Х	Liang et al. [2017]
STRUDEL	INCR	$ \begin{cases} \mathcal{O}\left(m^2n\right) & \text{, CLT + vtree} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(i\left(\mathcal{C} n+m^2\right)\right) & \text{, circuit structure} \end{cases} $	1	✓	1	✓	✓	✓	1	Х	Х	Dang et al. [2020]
RAT-SPN	RAND	$\mathcal{O}\left(rd(s+l)\right)$	4	×	1	✓	X	X	1	✓	✓	Peharz et al. [2020]
XPC	RAND	$\mathcal{O}\left(i(t+kn)+ikm^2n\right)$	3	×	1	✓	✓	✓	1	X	X	Mauro et al. [2021]
SAMPLEPSDD	RAND	$\begin{cases} \mathcal{O}\left(m\right) & \text{, random vtree} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(kc\log c + \log_2^2 k\right) & \text{, per call} \end{cases}$	1	✓	1	1	✓	✓	1	Х	Х	Geh and Mauá [2021]
LEARNRP	RAND	$\left\{ egin{array}{ll} \mathcal{O}\left(m^2 ight) & \text{, top-down vtree} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(m^4 ight) & \text{, bottom-up vtree} \\ \mathcal{O}\left(knm ight) & \text{, per call} \end{array} ight.$	0	Х	1	✓	X	✓	1	✓	✓	To appear