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Gaussian Mixtures

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(a) **Parameter Estimation** Our unknown parameters are $\theta = \{p_+, \mu_-, \mu_+, \operatorname{diag}\Sigma_-, \operatorname{diag}\Sigma_+\}$.

First we determine the log likelihood of a given sample S. We denote the indicator function to be

$$[[y_i = 1]] = (1 + y_i)/2$$

and

$$[[y_i = -1]] = (1 - y_i)/2$$

Additionally, we denote the density of a multivariate Gaussian with mean μ and covariance Σ to be

$$f(x|\mu, \Sigma) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^d |\Sigma|}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(x - \mu)^\mathsf{T}\Sigma^{-1}(x - \mu)\right)$$

We derive the log-likelihood as follows:

$$\ell(\theta|S) = \log P(S|\theta) = \log\prod_{i=1}^m P(x_i, y_i|\theta) = \log\prod_{i=1}^m P(y_i|\theta)P(x_i|y_i, \theta)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m \log(P(y_i|\theta)) + \sum_{i=1}^m \log(P(x_i|y_i, \theta))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = 1]]\log(p_+) + [[y_i = -1]]\log(1 - p_+) + \sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = 1]]\log f(x_i|\mu_+, \Sigma_+) + [[y_i = -1]]\log f(x_i|\mu_-, \Sigma_-)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = 1]](\log(p_+) + \log f(x_i|\mu_+, \Sigma_+)) + [[y_i = -1]](\log(1 - p_+) + \log f(x_i|\mu_-, \Sigma_-))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = 1]](\log(p_+) - \frac{1}{2}(x_i - \mu_+)^\mathsf{T}\Sigma_+^{-1}(x_i - \mu_+) - \frac{d}{2}\log(2\pi) - \frac{1}{2}\log|\Sigma_+|)$$

$$+ [[y_i = -1]](\log(1 - p_+) - \frac{1}{2}(x_i - \mu_-)^\mathsf{T}\Sigma_-^{-1}(x_i - \mu_-) - \frac{d}{2}\log(2\pi) - \frac{1}{2}\log|\Sigma_-|)$$

From here, we can take the derivatives with respect to each parameter.

(a) p_+ is the probability of a positive sample. We then take the derivative of the log likelihood w.r.t. p_+ and set it to 0, which yields

$$\frac{\partial\ell}{\partial p_+} = \sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = +1]]\frac{1}{p_+} - \sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = -1]]\frac{1}{1 - p_+} = 0$$

$$\implies \frac{p_+}{1 - p_+} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = +1]]}{\sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = -1]]}$$

$$\implies p_+ = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = +1]]}{\sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = +1]] + [[y_i = -1]]}$$

$$\hat{p}_+ = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = +1]]}{m}$$

(b) To find μ_+, we take the gradient with respect to μ_+ and set it to 0.

$$\nabla_{\mu_+}\ell = \sum_{i=1}^m [[y_i = 1]](-1)(\Sigma_+^{-1} + \Sigma_+^{-1\mathsf{T}})(x_i - \mu_+) = 0$$

Since Σ_+ is a diagonal matrix, the inverse is symmetric.

$$0 = \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] \Sigma_+^{-1} (x_i - \mu_+)$$

$$\implies \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] x_i = \mu_+ \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]]$$

$$\hat{\mu}_+ = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] x_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]]}$$

(c) The process to find μ_- is the same as above, so we have

$$\hat{\mu}_- = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = -1]] x_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = -1]]}$$

(d) In the cases of Σ_+ and Σ_- we thankfully rely on the fact that Σ is diagonal,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \Sigma_+} \ell(\theta|S) = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] \frac{\partial}{\partial \Sigma_+} \left((x_i - \mu_+)^{\mathsf{T}} \Sigma_+^{-1} (x_i - \mu_+) + \log|\Sigma_+| \right)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] \left(-\Sigma_+^{-\mathsf{T}} (x_i - \mu_+)(x_i - \mu_+)^{\mathsf{T}} \Sigma_+^{-\mathsf{T}} + \Sigma_+^{-1} \right)$$

$$\implies \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] \Sigma_+^{-1} = \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] \Sigma_+^{-1} (x_i - \mu_+)(x_i - \mu_+)^{\mathsf{T}} \Sigma_+^{-1}$$

These derivatives are elementary[1] matrix calculus operations[2]. From here, we simplify further.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] I_d = \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] \Sigma_+^{-1} (x_i - \mu_+)(x_i - \mu_+)^{\mathsf{T}}$$

$$\Sigma_+ \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] = \sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] (x_i - \mu_+)(x_i - \mu_+)^{\mathsf{T}}$$

$$\hat{\Sigma}_+ = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] (x_i - \mu_+)(x_i - \mu_+)^{\mathsf{T}}}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]]}$$

(e) The process to find Σ_- is the same as above, so we have

$$\hat{\Sigma}_- = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = -1]] (x_i - \mu_-)(x_i - \mu_-)^{\mathsf{T}}}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = -1]]}$$

To summarize, our MLE estimators are:

$$\hat{p}_+ = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = +1]]}{m}$$

$$\hat{\mu}_+ = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = +1]] x_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = +1]]}$$

$$\hat{\mu}_- = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = -1]] x_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = -1]]}$$

$$\hat{\Sigma}_+ = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]] (x_i - \mu_+)(x_i - \mu_+)^{\mathsf{T}}}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = 1]]}$$

$$\hat{\Sigma}_- = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = -1]] (x_i - \mu_-)(x_i - \mu_-)^{\mathsf{T}}}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} [[y_i = -1]]}$$

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[1] Wikipedia matrix calculus
[2] MSE post differentiating quadratic form

(b) **Prediction**

$$P(Y = 1|x) = \frac{P(X = x|Y = 1)P(Y = 1)}{P(X = x)} = \frac{P(X = x|Y = 1)p_+}{P(X = x|Y = 1)P(Y = 1) + P(X = x|Y = 0)P(Y = 0)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{P(X=x|Y=0)P(Y=0)}{P(X=x|Y=1)P(Y=1)}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1-p_+}{p_+}\frac{f(x|\mu_-,\Sigma_-)}{f(x|\mu_+,\Sigma_+)}}$$

We obtain the following discriminant:

$$r(x) = \log\left(\frac{p_+}{1 - p_+}\right) + \log\left(\frac{f(x|\mu_+,\Sigma_+)}{f(x|\mu_-,\Sigma_-)}\right)$$

$$= \log\left(\frac{p_+}{1 - p_+}\right) + \log\left(\frac{\sqrt{|\Sigma_-|}}{\sqrt{|\Sigma_+|}}\right) - \frac{1}{2}(x - \mu_+)^\mathsf{T}\Sigma_+^{-1}(x - \mu_+) + \frac{1}{2}(x - \mu_-)^\mathsf{T}\Sigma_-^{-1}(x - \mu_-)$$

$$= \log\left(\frac{p_+}{1 - p_+}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\log\left(\frac{|\Sigma_-|}{|\Sigma_+|}\right) + \frac{1}{2}(\mu_+^\mathsf{T}\Sigma_+^{-1}\mu_+ - \mu_-^\mathsf{T}\Sigma_-^{-1}\mu_-) + \frac{1}{2}x^\mathsf{T}(\Sigma_-^{-1} - \Sigma_+^{-1})x + x^\mathsf{T}(\Sigma_+^{-1}\mu_+ - \Sigma_-^{-1}\mu_-)$$

The Bayes predictor is simply

$$h(x) = \text{sign}(r(x))$$

Since, when $r(x) > 0$, we have $P(Y = 1|x) > \frac{1}{2}$, and when $r(x) < 0$, we have $P(Y = 1|x) < \frac{1}{2}$.

(c) **As a Linear Predictor** Letting

$$b = \log\left(\frac{p_+}{1 - p_+}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\log\left(\frac{|\Sigma_-|}{|\Sigma_+|}\right) + \frac{1}{2}(\mu_+^\mathsf{T}\Sigma_+^{-1}\mu_+ - \mu_-^\mathsf{T}\Sigma_-^{-1}\mu_-)$$

$$\text{diag}(a_1, \ldots, a_d) = \frac{1}{2}(\Sigma_-^{-1} - \Sigma_+^{-1})$$

$$v = \Sigma_+^{-1}\mu_+ - \Sigma_-^{-1}\mu_-$$

We can write our discriminant as

$$r(x) = b + x^\mathsf{T}Ax + x^\mathsf{T}v$$

Let $v = (v_1, \ldots, v_d)^\mathsf{T}$. Then we can write

$$r(x) = b + \sum_{i=1}^{d} a_i x_i^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{d} v_i x_i$$

Thus, it is clear that with the feature map:

$$\phi : x \mapsto (1, x_1, \ldots, x_d, x_1^2, \ldots, x_d^2)^\mathsf{T}$$

r is a linear predictor. Namely:

$$r(x) = \langle w, \phi(x) \rangle$$

$$w = (b, v_1, \ldots, v_d, a_1, \ldots, a_d)^\mathsf{T}$$

This shows that $D = 2d + 1$ is good enough.

(d) Given

$$w = (b, v_1, \ldots, v_d, a_1, \ldots, a_d)^\mathsf{T}$$

Note that we have $4d + 1$ parameters in our model. First, let us write b, A and v in terms of μ_+, μ_-, Σ_+ and Σ_-. Let

$$\mu_y = (\mu_y[1], \ldots, \mu_y[d])^\mathsf{T}$$

$$\Sigma_y = \text{diag}(s_y[1], \ldots, s_y[d])^\mathsf{T}$$

Then we have:

$$v = \text{diag}(s_+[1]^{-1}, \ldots, s_+[d]^{-1})\mu_+ - \text{diag}(s_-[1]^{-1}, \ldots, s_-[d]^{-1})\mu_-$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{d} \frac{\mu_+[i]}{s_+[i]} e_i - \sum_{i=1}^{d} \frac{\mu_-[i]}{s_-[i]} e_i$$

$$\implies v_i = \frac{\mu_+[i]}{s_+[i]} - \frac{\mu_-[i]}{s_-[i]}$$

$$\text{diag}(a_1, \ldots, a_d) = \frac{1}{2}(\text{diag}(s_-[1]^{-1}, \ldots, s_-[d]^{-1}) - \text{diag}(s_+[1]^{-1}, \ldots, s_+[d]^{-1}))$$

$$= \text{diag}\left(\frac{1}{2}\left(s_-[1]^{-1} - s_+[1]^{-1}\right), \ldots, \frac{1}{2}\left(s_-[d]^{-1} - s_+[d]^{-1}\right)\right)$$

$$\implies a_i = \frac{1}{2}\left(s_-[i]^{-1} - s_+[i]^{-1}\right)$$

$$b = \log\left(\frac{p_+}{1-p_+}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\log\left(\frac{|\Sigma_-|}{|\Sigma_+|}\right) + \frac{1}{2}(\mu_+^\intercal \Sigma_+^{-1} \mu_+ - \mu_-^\intercal \Sigma_-^{-1} \mu_-)$$

$$\frac{|\Sigma_-|}{|\Sigma_+|} = \prod_{i=1}^{d} \frac{s_-[i]}{s_+[i]} \implies \frac{1}{2}\log\frac{|\Sigma_-|}{|\Sigma_+|} = \frac{1}{2}\sum_{i=1}^{d} s_-[i] - s_+[i]$$

$$\mu_+^\intercal \Sigma_+^{-1} \mu_+ = \sum_{i=1}^{d} \frac{\mu_+[i]^2}{s_+[i]} \qquad \mu_-^\intercal \Sigma_-^{-1} \mu_- = \sum_{i=1}^{d} \frac{\mu_-[i]^2}{s_-[i]}$$

$$b = \log\left(\frac{p_+}{1-p_+}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\sum_{i=1}^{d} s_-[i] - s_+[i] + \frac{\mu_+[i]^2}{s_+[i]} - \frac{\mu_-[i]^2}{s_-[i]}$$

Modeling Text Documents

2. **A Simple Model.**

(a) We shall denote p_{topic} as p, since it is given that this is a single probability. For simplicity, we assume that $y \in \{0, 1\}$, and that $x \in \{0, 1\}^N$. We denote $x[i]$ to be the ith coordinate of the sample x.

Given a sample

$$S = \{(x_1, y_1), \ldots, (x_n, y_n)\}$$

We define the following sample statistics. For $x \in \{0, 1\}$, $y \in \{0, 1\}$:

$$n_j(y, x) = |\{i : (x_i, y_i) \in S, x_i[j] = x, y_i = y\}|$$

$$n(y) = |\{i : (x_i, y_i) \in S, y_i = y\}|$$

We want to find estimators for p and for

$$P(x[1] = x_1, \ldots, x[N] = x_N | y = y)$$

By the independence of $x[i]|y$, we can simplify this expression:

$$P(x[1] = x_1, \ldots, x[N] = x_N | y = y) = \prod_{i=1}^{N} P(x[i] = x_i | y = y)$$

Thus, we can focus on estimators of p and $P(x[i] = x|y = y) := p_i(x|y)$ (I know that this swaps the arguments of $n_i(y, x)$, it's too much to change now). We should expect our MLEs for p and $p_i(x|y)$ to be the sample means, i.e.

$$\hat{p} = \frac{n(1)}{n}$$

$$\hat{p}_i(x|y) = \frac{n_i(y, x)}{n(y)}$$

We define our log-likelihood function as

$$\ell(\theta|S) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(P(y = y_i, x[1] = x_i[1], \ldots, x[N] = x_i[N]))$$

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Given that S was drawn i.i.d., we can simplify.

$$\ell(\theta|S) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(P(x[1] = x_i[1], \ldots, x[N] = x_i[N]|y = y_i)P(y = y_i))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(P(y = y_i) \prod_{j=1}^{N} P(x[j] = x_i[j]|y = y_i))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(P(y = y_i)) + \sum_{j=1}^{N} \log(P(x[j] = x_i[j]|y = y_i))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(P(y = y_i)) + \sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N} \log(p_j(x_i[j]|y_i))$$

Writing the parameters explicitly, we have:

$$\ell(\theta|S) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(P(y = y_i|p)) + \sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N} \log(P(x[i] = x_j[i]|y_i, p_i(x|y)))$$

To solve for the minmimum of $\ell(\theta|S)$, we use the method of Lagrange multipliers. First, we can split the problem into two steps. It's clear that that right sum does not depend on p, so we can begin by finding the optimal p.

We note:

$$P(y = y_i|p) = P(y = y_i|y_i = 1, p)P(y_i = 1|p) + P(y = y_i|y_i = 0, p)P(y_i = 0|p)$$

$$= P(y = 1|p)[[y_i = 1]] + P(y = 0|p)[[y_i = 0]]$$

$$= p^{y_i}(1 - p)^{1-y_i}$$

Plugging this into our log-likelihood, we have:

$$\ell(\theta|S) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log(p^{y_i}(1-p)^{1-y_i}) + \sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N} \log(P(x[i] = x_j[i]|y_i, p_i(x|y)))$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i \log(p) + (1 - y_i)\log(1 - p) + \sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N} \log(P(x[i] = x_j[i]|y_i, p_i(x|y)))$$

Taking the derivative with respect to p and setting it to zero, we have:

$$\frac{d}{dp}\ell(\theta|S) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{y_i}{p} - \frac{1 - y_i}{1 - p} = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{y_i}{p} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1 - y_i}{1 - p}$$

$$\frac{1 - p}{p} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} 1 - y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}$$

$$p = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}{n}$$

Thus, we have that $\hat{p} = \frac{n(1)}{n}$.

Now, we solve for $\hat{p}_i(x|y)$, by using the method of Lagrange multipliers. Our objective function is as follows:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N} \log(P(x[j] = x_i[j]|y_i))$$

We can write this in a nicer form.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N}\log(P(x[j]=x_i[j]|y_i)) = \sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N}\log(p_j(x_i[j]|y_i))$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}[[x_i[j]=x]]\log(p_j(x|y_i))$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}\sum_{y\in\{0,1\}}[[x_i[j]=x \wedge y_i=y]]\log(p_j(x|y))$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}\sum_{y\in\{0,1\}}\log(p_j(x|y))\sum_{i=1}^{n}[[x_i[j]=x \wedge y_i=y]]$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{y\in\{0,1\}}\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}\log(p_j(x|y))n_j(y,x)$$

We now have the following constraints:

$$\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}p_j(x|y)=1 \qquad \forall y\in\{0,1\}, j\in[N]$$

This gives us the following Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L}=\sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{y\in\{0,1\}}\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}\log(p_j(x|y))n_j(y,x) + \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{y\in\{0,1\}}\lambda_j(y)\left(\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}p_j(x|y)-1\right)$$

Taking the derivatives with respect to $p_j(x|y)$, we have:

$$[p_j(x|y)]: \frac{n_j(y,x)}{p_j(x|y)}=\lambda_j(y)$$

$$[\lambda_j(y)]: \sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}p_j(x|y)=1$$

Since we have equality, in $\lambda_j(y)$, for $x\in\{0,1\}$ we can solve for $p_j(x|y)$:

$$\frac{n_j(y,x)}{p_j(x|y)}=\frac{n_j(y,1-x)}{p_j(1-x|y)}$$

$$p_j(1-x|y)=\frac{n_j(y,1-x)}{n_j(y,x)}p_j(x|y)$$

$$\implies 1=p_j(x|y)+\frac{n_j(y,1-x)}{n_j(y,x)}p_j(x|y)$$

$$n_j(y,x)=p_j(x|y)n_j(y,x)+n_j(y,1-x)p_j(x|y)$$

$$=p_j(x|y)(n_j(y,x)+n_j(y,1-x))$$

$$p_j(x|y)=\frac{n_j(y,x)}{n_j(y,x)+n_j(y,1-x)}$$

$$\hat{p}_j(x|y)=\frac{n_j(y,x)}{n(y)}$$

(b) Using Baye's Law, and conditional independence we have:

$$P(Y=1|X=x)=\frac{P(X=x|Y=1)P(Y=1)}{P(X=x)}$$

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$$= \frac{P(X[1] = x[1], \ldots, X[N] = x[N]|Y = 1)P(Y = 1)}{P(X[1] = x[1], \ldots, X[N] = x[n])}$$

$$= \frac{P(Y = 1)\prod_{i=1}^{N} P(X[i] = x[i]|Y = 1)}{P(X[1] = x[1], \ldots, X[N] = x[n]|Y = 1)P(Y = 1) + P(X[1] = x[1], \ldots, X[n] = x[n]|Y = 0)P(Y = 0)}$$

$$= \frac{p\prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|1)}{p\prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|1) + (1-p)\prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|0)}$$

Now we can reduce this into the form of a logistic function.

$$P(Y = 1|X = x) = \frac{p\prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|1)}{p\prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|1) + (1-p)\prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|0)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1-p}{p}\frac{\prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|0)}{\prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|1)}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + e^{-(\log(\frac{p}{1-p}) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}\log(\frac{p_i(x[i]|1)}{p_i(x[i]|0)}))}}$$

Therefore, we can get our discriminant as follows:

$$r(x) = \log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}\log\left(\frac{p_i(x[i]|1)}{p_i(x[i]|0)}\right)$$

(c) We can simplify the discriminant by noting

$$p_i(x|y) = p_i(1|y)^x p_i(0|y)^{1-x}$$

Giving us

$$r(x) = \log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}\log\left(\frac{p_i(1|1)^{x[i]}p_i(0|1)^{1-x[i]}}{p_i(1|0)^{x[i]}p_i(0|0)^{1-x[i]}}\right)$$

$$= \log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}\left(x[i]\log\left(\frac{p_i(1|1)}{p_i(1|0)}\right) + (1-x[i])\log\left(\frac{p_i(0|1)}{p_i(0|0)}\right)\right)$$

$$= \log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}x[i]\left(\log\left(\frac{p_i(1|1)}{p_i(1|0)}\right) - \log\left(\frac{p_i(0|1)}{p_i(0|0)}\right)\right) + \log\left(\frac{p_i(0|1)}{p_i(0|0)}\right)$$

$$= \log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}x[i]\log\left(\frac{p_i(1|1)}{p_i(1|0)}\right) + -x[i]\log\left(\frac{p_i(0|1)}{p_i(0|0)}\right) + \log\left(\frac{p_i(0|1)}{p_i(0|0)}\right)$$

$$= \log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}\log\left(\frac{p_i(0|1)}{p_i(0|0)}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}x[i]\left(\log\left(\frac{p_i(1|1)}{p_i(0|1)}\frac{p_i(0|0)}{p_i(1|0)}\right)\right)$$

The feature map must include a constant 1 to account for the term on the left, and must have N more features for each of $x[i]$. Thus, our feature map is simply:

$$\phi : x \mapsto (1, x[1], \ldots, x[N])$$

Therefore, our vector w, such that $r(x) = \langle w, \phi(x)\rangle$, is:

$$w = \left(\log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^{N}\log\left(\frac{p_i(0|1)}{p_i(0|0)}\right), \log\left(\frac{p_1(1|1)}{p_1(0|1)}\frac{p_1(0|0)}{p_1(1|0)}\right), \ldots, \log\left(\frac{p_N(1|1)}{p_N(0|1)}\frac{p_N(0|0)}{p_N(1|0)}\right)\right)$$

(d) The log odds term in the bias has a simple interpretation.

$$\frac{\hat{p}}{1-\hat{p}} = \frac{n(1)/n}{n(0)/n} = \frac{n(1)}{n(0)}$$

$$\log\left(\frac{\hat{p}}{1-\hat{p}}\right) = \log\left(\frac{n(1)}{n(0)}\right)$$

Similarly,

$$\frac{\hat{p}_i(x|y)}{\hat{p}_i(x'|y')} = \frac{n_i(y,x)/n(y)}{n_i(y',x')/n(y')}$$

So,

$$\frac{\hat{p}_i(0|1)}{\hat{p}_i(0|0)} = \frac{n_i(1,0)}{n_i(0,0)}\frac{n(0)}{n(1)}$$

$$\frac{\hat{p}_i(1|1)\hat{p}_i(0|0)}{\hat{p}_i(0|1)\hat{p}_i(1|0)} = \frac{n_i(1,1)/n(1)n_i(0,0)/n(0)}{n_i(1,0)/n(1)n_i(0,1)/n(0)}$$

$$= \frac{n_i(1,1)n_i(0,0)}{n_i(1,0)n_i(0,1)}$$

So we have the following simplification for w:

$$w = \left((N-1)\log\frac{n(0)}{n(1)} + \sum_{i=1}^{N}\log\frac{n_i(1,0)}{n_i(0,0)}, \log\frac{n_1(1,1)n_1(0,0)}{n_1(1,0)n_1(0,1)}, \ldots, \log\frac{n_N(1,1)n_N(0,0)}{n_N(1,0)n_N(0,1)}\right)$$

3. **Adding a Prior.**

(a) The MAP estimate is defined as follows:

$$\hat{\theta} = \arg\max_{\theta} p(\theta|S)$$

In our case,

$$\theta = (p, \{p_y\})$$

Where we define:

$$p = P(y=1)$$

$$p_y[i] = P(x[i]=1|y)$$

and p_y is a vector of N elements. Let S be a sample of n i.i.d. points.

$$S = ((x_1, y_1), \ldots, (x_n, y_n))$$

our posterior distribution, $p(\theta|S)$ is given by:

$$p(p, \{p_y\}|S) = \frac{p(S|p, \{p_y\})p(p, \{p_y\})}{p(S)}$$

$$= \frac{p(X|Y, p, \{p_y\})p(Y|p, \{p_y\})p(p, \{p_y\})}{p(S)}$$

$$= \frac{p(X|Y, \{p_y\})p(Y|p)p(p, \{p, p_y\})}{p(X|Y)p(Y)}$$

where X is the vector of x_i's and Y is the vector of y_i's.

Note that, we are not conditioning the denominator with respect to the parameters we are optimizing over. The denominator is the distribution over the distributions of p and $\{p_y\}$. Therefore, we can ignore it in the optimization problem.

$$\hat{\theta} = \arg\max_{p, \{p_y\}} p(X|Y, \{p_y\})p(Y|p)p(p, \{p_y\})$$

We break this expression down, term by term, first focusing on the last term.

$$p(p, \{p_y\}) = p(p)p(\{p_y\}) = f_{Dir(1)}(p)p(p_1)p(p_0)$$
$$= f_{Dir(\alpha)}(p_1)f_{Dir(\alpha)}(p_0)$$
$$= \frac{1}{Z(\alpha)^2} \prod_{i=1}^{N} p_1[i]^{\alpha-1} p_0[i]^{\alpha-1}$$

Since $Z(\alpha)^2$ is fixed, we can ignore it in the expression for $\hat{\theta}$. Now we focus on the second term.

$$p(Y|p) = P(Y_1 = y_1, \ldots, Y_n = y_n|p) = \prod_{i=1}^{n} P(Y_i = y_i|p)$$
$$= \prod_{i=1}^{n} p^{y_i}(1-p)^{1-y_i}$$

Now we focus on the first term.

$$p(X|Y, \{p_y\}) = P(X_1 = x_1, \ldots, X_n = x_n|Y_1 = y_1, \ldots, Y_n = y_n, \{p_y\})$$
$$= \prod_{i=1}^{n} P(X_i = x_i|Y_1 = y_1, \ldots, Y_n = y_n, \{p_y\})$$
$$= \prod_{i=1}^{n} P(X_i = x_i|Y_i = y_i, \{p_y\})$$
$$= \prod_{i=1}^{n} P(X_i[1] = x_i[1], \ldots, X_i[N] = x_i[N]|Y_i = y_i, \{p_y\})$$
$$= \prod_{i=1}^{n} \prod_{j=1}^{N} P(X_i[j] = x_i[j]|Y_i = y_i, \{p_y\})$$

Since log is monotone, we can take the log of our expression to get the arg max.

$$\hat{\theta} = \arg\max_{p, \{p_y\}} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{N} \log P(X_i[j] = x_i[j]|Y_i = y_i, \{p_y\})$$
$$+ \sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i \log(p) + (1-y_i) \log(1-p)$$
$$+ \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{y \in \{0,1\}} (\alpha - 1) \log(p_y[i])$$

First, we get $\hat{p}$ by differentiating with respect to p and setting it to zero.

$$\frac{d}{dp}\hat{\theta} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{y_i}{p} - \frac{1-y_i}{1-p} = 0$$
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{y_i}{p} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1-y_i}{1-p}$$
$$\frac{1-p}{p} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} 1-y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}$$
$$p = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}{n} = \frac{n(1)}{n}$$

Where $n(y)$ is the number of y_i's that are equal to y. Before we try and solve for $p_y[i]$, we can do a better job at simplifying the first term.

$$\log P(X_i[j] = x_i[j]|Y_i = y_i, \{p_y\}) = [[x_i[j] = 1]]\log(p_{y_i}[j]) + [[x_i[j] = 0]]\log(1 - p_{y_i}[j])$$

$$= \log(p_{y_i}[j]^{x_i[j]}(1 - p_{y_i}[j])^{1-x_i[j]})$$

$$= \sum_{y \in \{0,1\}} [[y_i = y]] \log(p_y[j]^{x_i[j]}(1 - p_y[j])^{1-x_i[j]})$$

$$\implies \sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N} \log P(X_i[j] = x_i[j]|Y_i = y_i, \{p_y\})$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{y \in \{0,1\}} [[y_i = y]] \log(p_y[j]^{x_i[j]}(1 - p_y[j])^{1-x_i[j]})$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{y \in \{0,1\}}\sum_{x \in \{0,1\}} [[y_i = y \wedge x_i[j] = x]] \log(p_y[j]^{x}(1 - p_y[j])^{1-x})$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{y \in \{0,1\}}\sum_{x \in \{0,1\}} \log(p_y[j]^{x}(1 - p_y[j])^{1-x}) \sum_{i=1}^{n}[[y_i = y \wedge x_i[j] = x]]$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{y \in \{0,1\}}\sum_{x \in \{0,1\}} \log(p_y[j]^{x}(1 - p_y[j])^{1-x})n_j(x,y)$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{y \in \{0,1\}}\sum_{x \in \{0,1\}} n_j(x,y)(x\log(p_y[j]) + (1-x)\log(1 - p_y[j]))$$

Where $n_j(x,y)$ is the number of (x_i, y_i)'s such that $x_i[j] = x$ and $y_i = y$. We differentiate with respect to $p_y[j]$ and set equal to zero.

$$\frac{d}{dp_y[j]}\hat{\theta} = \sum_{x \in \{0,1\}} n_j(x,y)\left(\frac{x}{p_y[j]} - \frac{1-x}{1-p_y[j]}\right) + (\alpha - 1)\frac{1}{p_y[j]}$$

$$= n_j(1,y)\frac{1}{p_y[j]} - n_j(0,y)\frac{1}{1-p_y[j]} + (\alpha-1)\frac{1}{p_y[j]} = 0$$

$$\implies \frac{1}{1-p_y[j]}n_j(0,y) = \frac{1}{p_y[j]}(n_j(1,y) + (\alpha - 1))$$

$$\implies \frac{1-p_y[j]}{p_y[j]} = \frac{n_j(0,y)}{n_j(1,y) + (\alpha - 1)}$$

$$\implies p_y[j] = \frac{n_j(1,y) + (\alpha - 1)}{n_j(0,y) + n_j(1,y) + (\alpha - 1)}$$

$$\implies \hat{p}_y[j] = \frac{n_j(1,y) + (\alpha - 1)}{n(y) + (\alpha - 1)}$$

(b) Recall that the discriminant is given by

$$r(x) = \log\frac{p}{1-p} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} \log\frac{p_1[i]^{x[i]}(1 - p_1[i])^{x[i]}}{p_0[i]^{x[i]}(1 - p_0[i])^{1-x[i]}}$$

We can simplify this

$$r(x) = \log\frac{p}{1-p} + \sum_{i=1}^{N}\sum_{x \in \{0,1\}} [[x[i] = x]]\left(x\log\frac{p_1[i]}{p_0[i]} + (1-x)\log\frac{1 - p_1[i]}{1 - p_0[i]}\right)$$

$$= \log \frac{p}{1-p} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} [[x[i] = 1]] \log \frac{p_1[i]}{p_0[i]} + [[x[i] = 0]] \log \frac{1 - p_1[i]}{1 - p_0[i]}$$

Taking a slightly modified feature map from before, i.e.

$$\phi : x \mapsto (x[1], \dots, x[N])$$

We have the following $w \in \mathbb{R}^N$ and b in $\mathbb{R}$ such that $r(x) = \langle w, \phi(x) \rangle + b$:

$$w[i] = \log \frac{p_1[i]}{p_0[i]} - \log \frac{1 - p_1[i]}{1 - p_0[i]}$$

$$b = \log \frac{p}{1-p} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} \log \frac{1 - p_1[i]}{1 - p_0[i]}$$

Now we can easily plug in our MAP estimators.

$$w[i] = \log \frac{n_i(1,1) + (\alpha - 1)}{n(1) + (\alpha - 1)} \frac{n(0) + (\alpha - 1)}{n_i(1,0) + (\alpha - 1)} - \log \frac{n_i(0,1)}{n(1) + (\alpha - 1)} \frac{n(0) + (\alpha - 1)}{n_i(0,0)}$$

$$= \log \frac{n_i(1,1) + (\alpha - 1)}{n_i(1,0) + (\alpha - 1)} - \log \frac{n_i(0,1)}{n_i(0,0)}$$

$$b = \log \frac{n(1)/n}{n(0)/n} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} \log \frac{n_i(0,1)}{n(1) + (\alpha - 1)} \frac{n(0) + (\alpha - 1)}{n_i(0,0)}$$

$$= \log \frac{n(1)}{n(0)} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} \log \frac{n_i(0,1)}{n(1) + (\alpha - 1)} \frac{n(0) + (\alpha - 1)}{n_i(0,0)}$$

4. **Multiple Classes.**

(a) Let $p(k) = P(Y = k)$ and $p_i(x|y) = P(X[i] = x|Y = y)$.

$$P(Y = y|x) = \frac{P(X = x|Y = y)P(Y = y)}{P(X = x)} = \frac{P(X[1] = x[1], \dots, X[N] = x[n]|Y = y)p(y)}{P(X = x|Y = 1)P(Y = 1) + \dots + P(X = x|Y = k)P(Y = k)}$$

$$= \frac{p(y) \prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|y)}{\sum_{j=1}^{k} p(j) \prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|j)}$$

(b) We solve the equation:

$$\exp(\langle w_y, \phi(x) \rangle) = p(y) \prod_{i=1}^{N} p_i(x[i]|y)$$

We take the log of both sides and simplify.

$$\langle w_y, \phi(x) \rangle = \log(p(y)) + \sum_{i=1}^{N} \log(p_i(x[i]|y))$$

$$= \log(p(y)) + \sum_{i=1}^{N} [[x[i] = 1]] \log(p_i(1|y)) + [[x[i] = 0]] l(p0i(0|y))$$

We let the feature map be

$$\phi : x \mapsto (x[1], \dots, x[N], 1)$$

And we let $w_y \in \mathbb{R}^{N+1}$ be

$$w_y = \left((\log(p_i(1|y)) - \log(p_i(0|y)))_{i=1}^{N}, \log(p(y)) + \sum_{i=1}^{N} \log(p_i(0|y)) \right)$$

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(c) For convenience, we write the bias term separate from w. The process for computing the MAP estimators for the parameters is almost entirely the same as before. Our objective function, for a sample $S = X \times Y$ is as follows:

$$p(X|Y, \{p_y\})p(Y|p)p(p, \{p_y\}) = \prod_{i=1}^{n} p(X = x_i|Y = y_i, \{p_y\})p(Y = y_i|p)p(p)p(\{p_y\})$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^{n}\prod_{j=1}^{N}\prod_{l=1}^{k} p(X[j] = x_i[j]|Y_i = y_i, \{p_y\})p(Y = y_i|p)\frac{1}{Z(1)}p_l^{1-1}\frac{1}{Z(\alpha)^k}p_l[j]^{\alpha-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{Z(\alpha)^k}\prod_{i=1}^{n}\prod_{j=1}^{N}\prod_{l=1}^{k} p_j(x_i[j]|y_i)p(y_i)p_l[j]^{\alpha-1}$$

Again, we can disregard the constant, and take log, to get the following:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{N} \log p_j(x_i[j]|y_i) + \sum_{i=1}^{n}\log(p(y_i)) + \sum_{l=1}^{k}\sum_{j=1}^{N}(\alpha-1)\log(p_l[j])$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{l=1}^{k}\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}}\sum_{i=1}^{n}[[x_i[j] = x \wedge y_i = l]]\log(p_j(x|l))$$

$$+ \sum_{l=1}^{k}\sum_{i=1}^{n}[[y_i = l]]\log(p(l)) + \sum_{l=1}^{k}\sum_{j=1}^{N}(\alpha-1)\log(p_l[j])$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{l=1}^{k}\sum_{x\in\{0,1\}} n_j(x,l)\log(p_j(x|l)) + \sum_{l=1}^{k} n(l)\log(p(l)) + \sum_{l=1}^{k}\sum_{j=1}^{N}(\alpha-1)\log(p_l[j])$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{N}\sum_{l=1}^{k} n_j(1,l)\log(p_l[j]) + n_j(0,l)\log(1 - p_l[j]) + \sum_{l=1}^{k} n(l)\log(p(l)) + \sum_{l=1}^{k}\sum_{j=1}^{N}(\alpha-1)\log(p_l[j])$$

Since we no longer have two $p(l)$'s, we need to apply Lagrange multipliers, with the constraint:

$$\sum_{l=1}^{k} p(l) = 1$$

We can write the Lagrangian, together with the first order conditions, as follows:

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{l=1}^{k} n(l)\log(p(l)) - \lambda\left(\sum_{l=1}^{k} p(l) - 1\right)$$

$$[p(l)] : \frac{n(l)}{p(l)} = \lambda$$

$$[\lambda] : \sum_{l=1}^{k} p(l) = 1$$

$$\implies 1 = p(l) + \sum_{m\neq l}\frac{n(m)}{n(l)}p(l)$$

$$\implies n(l) = p(l)\sum_{l=1}^{k} n(l) = p(l)n$$

$$\implies \hat{p}(l) = \frac{n(l)}{n}$$

We can now differentiate with respect to $p_l[j]$ and set equal to zero.

$$0 = \frac{n_j(1,l)}{p_l[j]} - \frac{n_j(0,l)}{1-p_l[j]} + \frac{\alpha-1}{p_l[j]}$$

$$\frac{p_l[j]}{1-p_l[j]} = \frac{n_j(1,l)+(\alpha-1)}{n_j(0,l)}$$

$$\hat{p}_l[j] = \frac{n_j(1,l)+(\alpha-1)}{n_j(0,l)+n_j(1,l)+(\alpha-1)} = \frac{n_j(1,l)+(\alpha-1)}{n(l)+(\alpha-1)}$$

Plugging $\hat{p}(l)$ and $\hat{p}_l[j]$ into w_y, we have:

$$w_y[j] = \log p_y[j] - \log(1-p_y[j]) = \log\frac{n_j(1,y)+(\alpha-1)}{n(y)+(\alpha-1)} - \log\frac{n(0,l)+(\alpha-1)}{n(l)+(\alpha-1)}$$

$$= \log\frac{n_j(1,y)+(\alpha-1)}{n_j(0,y)+(\alpha-1)}$$

$$b = \log(p(y)) + \sum_{j=1}^{N}\log(1-p_y[j]) = \log\frac{n(y)}{n} + \sum_{j=1}^{N}\log\frac{n_j(0,y)+(\alpha-1)}{n(y)+(\alpha-1)}$$

(d) We write $-\log P(\{y_i\}|\{x_i\},\{w_y\}) = -\log P(Y|X,W)$. Recall the posterior:

$$P(Y=y|x) = \frac{\exp(r_y(x))}{\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(r_l(x))} = \frac{\exp(\langle w_y, \phi(x)\rangle)}{\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(\langle w_l, \phi(x)\rangle)}$$

Noting that (x_i, y_i) are i.i.d., we have:

$$P(Y|X,w) = \prod_{i=1}^{n}P(Y_i=y_i|X_i=x_i,w) = \prod_{i=1}^{n}\frac{\exp(\langle w_{y_i}, \phi(x_i)\rangle)}{\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(\langle w_l, \phi(x_i)\rangle)}$$

$$-\log P(Y|X,w) = \sum_{i=1}^{n}\log\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(\langle w_l, \phi(x_i)\rangle) - \sum_{i=1}^{n}\langle w_{y_i}, \phi(x_i)\rangle$$

(e)

$$-\log P(Y|X,w) = \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(\log\left(\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(\langle w_l, \phi(x_i)\rangle)\right) - \langle w_{y_i}, \phi(x_i)\rangle\right)$$

$$\ell(y_i; r_1(x),\ldots,r_k(x)) = \log\left(\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(r_l(x))\right) - \log(\exp(r_{y_i}(x)))$$

$$= \log\left(\frac{\exp(r_{y_i}(x))}{\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(r_l(x))}\right) = \log\left(\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(r_l(x) - r_{y_i}(x))\right)$$

$$= \log\left(\sum_{l=1}^{k}\exp(\langle w_l - w_{y_i}, \phi(x)\rangle)\right)$$

5. **Adding Dependencies: A Markov Model.**