# ASEN 6519 Project Final Project Using Variational Gaussian Mixture Models for

# Autonomous Task Segmentation

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### **Application and Context**

#### Overview

This project will implement and extend prior work on robot trajectory segmentation. A robot trajectory consists of a sequence of robot state data, captured over a given time period, that encodes the progression of movements / actions taken by the robot. State data usually consists of low-level features such as robot joint configuration, end effector position, object position, and object-object relative data etc. This project will also incorporate high-level features such as behavioral constraints that capture abstract concepts, such as keeping a certain object upright for a determined segment of the task. These trajectories are often used as sample data in robotic learning techniques such as Learning from Demonstration (LfD).

A robot trajectory might constitute a number of sub-tasks that have goal and stylistic behaviors distinct from other sub-task in other parts of the trajectory. Unless explicitly segmented and outline by a human operator, there is no clear obvious indicators that differentiate one sub-task sequence from another sub-task sequence withing the same trajectory. Thus, the goal of autonomous trajectory segmentation is to generate a candidate segmentation sequence for which each segment ideally captures the dynamics (style) and goals (pertinent objects, target locations, constraints etc,.) of some sub-task. For example, the standard pick-and-place task ubiquitously used throughout robotic research might consist of three sub-tasks:

- 1. **Pick**: The goal of this sub-task is to pick up a target object. Most sub-sequences of a trajectory will consist of data that signifies the end-effector moving towards the target object.
- 2. Carry: This sub-task can be vague, but often consists of the aspect of the pick-and-place task where the robot carries an object over to a the target area for placement.
- 3. **Place**: The goal of this sub-task is to place. The state data sequence will generally consist of moving towards the target location and releasing the object.

#### **GMM Components as Segments**

Many autonomous segmentation techniques make use of Gaussian Mixture Models. Ghahramani et. al. [1] showed how Gaussian Mixture models are a form of linear regression that linearize around the mixture means. In the spirit of this idea, Lee et. al. [2] fit GMM directly to the robot trajectory data where each data point  $x_t \in X$ , where X is a sequence of state vectors  $x_i$ , is assigned to the best fitting component. Thus each  $x_i \in X$  is assigned to a cluster of points representing a segment. Each component is, in a sense, a regression around the data for that specific segment. To capture more of the model dynamics, [3] utilizes the stacked vector of  $\begin{bmatrix} x_t \\ x_{t+1} \end{bmatrix}$  and fits a GMM on this newly generated sequence of data. The GMM in this case can be thought of as a switched linear dynamical system in which each component's  $\mu$  and  $\Sigma$  represent the dynamics for all data most associated with that given component. In either case, these works utilized the clustering of points to their corresponding mixture component to generate a segmentation of the entire trajectory.

# Probabilistic Graphical Model

The model will be the Variational GMM model a la Bishop [4], built upon an observation set of state vectors but augmented with additional "observations" that consists of a vector of boolean, or one-hot, constraints assignments. The motivation is that during any given robot trajectory demonstration, a user might assign a set of boolean evaluated hard constraints. The constraints might include such high-level concepts such as, "keeping a cup upright" or "the object must be over the target before pouring". These abstract constraints are evaluated on each  $x_i \in X$  of the robot state vector i.e. the set of observations.

A demonstration is defined as a single episode of capturing a sequence of robot state trajectory and constraint assignments. Thus a demonstration represents X. For any set of demonstrations associated with a specific skill or task, this model will be run separately. There will be K parameters associated with S components of the mixture model. K will be determined automatically from the way the variational method

up-scales / down-scales the mixand component weights. However, since the model is only using a Dirichlet prior and not a Dirichlet process, K must be appropriately high for the model.

The random variables  $\mu$  and  $\Lambda$  represent means and precisions of the components as they best fit to the data  $x_1 : N$ . Precisions are used as they are more computationally tractable during the algorithm. What I am still attempting to design is the emission distribution for  $C_i$ , the set of applied boolean constraints for any given component. Perhaps each constraint will receive some probability of being true, and the output for a generated sample will the component-wise threshold indication of the estimated distribution. Thus if  $p(c_i|Z_i=m)=[.1,.5,.7,.2]$  the resulting output will be [0,1,1,0] assuming a threshold of .5.

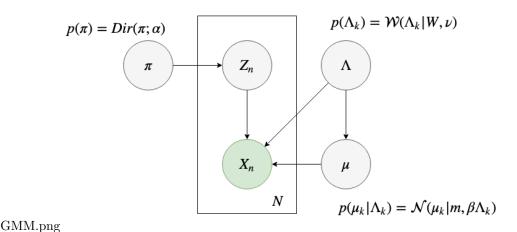


Figure 1: Graphical model of the variational GMM that emits both robot state vectors as well as a one-hot boolean encoding of constraints.

#### Variational Approximation

Often the main goal of a probabilistic model is to infer the posterior distribution P(z|x) where z are latent random variables. Ultimately the inference problem can be stated with the following [5]:

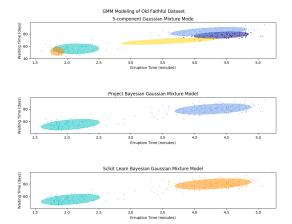
$$p(z|x,\theta) = \frac{p(z,x|\theta)}{\int_{z} p(x,z|\theta)}$$

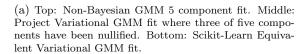
where, again, z are the latent variables, x is the known data, and  $\theta$  represents the parameters on the latent variables. Depending on the graphical model, such as when the latent variables z are themselves representative of unknown prior distributions on the model, the above inference equation becomes intractable. Specifically, the integral for the evidence in the denominator that marginalizes over the latent variables is often unavailable in closed form or requires exponential time to compute [5].

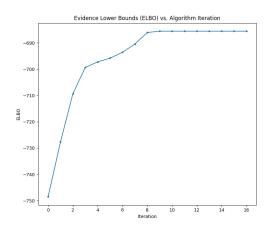
To over come this intractability, an approximate distribution q(Z) is chosen from a family of approximate densities  $\Omega$  as a representative proxy for the actual posterior distribution, with Z representing the set of latent variables. This distribution is called the variational distribution. The closer q(z) is to the true posterior, the more accurate our approximate inference becomes. Thus we transform the intractable inference problem to a tractable optimization problem where we solve for the optimal  $q^*(Z)$  via:

$$q^*(z) = \mathop{argmin}_{q(z) \in \Omega} KL(q(Z)||p(z|x))$$

where KL is the Kullback-Leibler divergence, a pseudo-metric that serves as a measure of distances between two distributions. The true optimal solution is when  $q^*(z) = p(z|x)$ , but in practice we only achieve parity within a chosen tolerance. The KL divergence can be computed as follows, where all expectations are taken with respect to q(z) [5]:







(b) Evidence Lower Bounds increases at every iteration, plateauing until it the successive difference is below tolerance.

Figure 2: Old Faithful eruption data set with 3 models and the ELBO increase for the project model.

$$KL(q(Z)||p(z|x)) = E[log(q(z))] - E[log(p(z,x))] + log(p(x))$$
  
$$\mathcal{L} = E[log(q(z))] - E[log(p(z,x))]$$

where the term  $\mathcal{L}$  is known as the evidence lower bound (ELBO). By maximizing the ELBO (since p(x) is positive), we minimize the KL divergence.

With respect the variational Gaussian Mixture Model outlined in Figure 1, the chosen variational distribution is a factorized distribution built upon the chosen prior distributions of the model itself [4]:

$$q(Z, \pi, \mu, \Lambda) = q(Z)q(\pi, \mu, \Lambda)$$

and the variational lower bounds is represented by [4]:

$$\mathcal{L} = E[log(q(X, Z, \pi, \mu, \Lambda))] - E[log(q(Z, \pi, \mu, \Lambda))]$$

The optimization algorithm, akin the Expectation Maximization algorithm, for the Variational Gaussian mixture model that optimizes the above is outlined in Algorithm 1.

#### Variational Iterative (EM) Algorithm

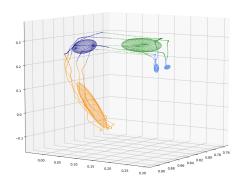
```
/* Initial or prior parameters of prior distributions.
                                                                                                      */
/* W: Prior Wishart scaling matrix
                                                                                                      */
/* \nu: Degrees of freedom on Wishart distribution
                                                                                                      */
/* \alpha: Prior Dirichlet parameter
/* \beta: Prior scale on precisions for normal distribution
/* tolerance: Lower bound change tolerance to indicate convergence.
/* maxIter: Maximum number of iterations allowed.
Input: W, \nu, \alpha, \beta, tolerance, maxIter
/* \pi: Expected weights
                                                                                                      */
/* means: Expected means
                                                                                                      */
/* \Lambda: Expected precisions.
                                                                                                      */
/* resp: Responsibilities.
Output: \pi, means, \Lambda, resp
/* Initialize all parameters. Often uses KMeans clustering to generate means and
    covariances for prior distributions.
initialization();
lowerBoundPrior \leftarrow -\inf;
for i \leftarrow 2 to n do
   /* Variational E-Step:
   logPi \leftarrow updateExpectedLogPi(); // Log weights
    logLambda \leftarrow updateExpectedLogLambda(); // Expected log determinant of precisions
    resp \leftarrow estimateResponsibilities(); // Calculate component responsibilities.
   /* Variational M-Step:
                                                                                                      */
   N_k, x_b a r_k, S_k \leftarrow \text{estimateGaussianStatistics}(resp); // \text{Calculates current component}
       association, means, and covariances
    \alpha \leftarrow \text{updateDirichletPriorParameter}(N_k); // \text{Updates current dirichlet parameter}
    \nu \leftarrow \text{updateWishartPriorParameters}(N_k); // Updates component degrees of freedom.
    \beta \leftarrow \text{updateGaussianPriorParameters}(N_k); // \text{Updates beta precision scaling for each}
       component.
    \pi \leftarrow \text{estimateWeights}(N_k); // \text{Updates current weights.}
    means \leftarrow estimateMeans(N_k, x_b a r_k); // Updates current means.
    \Lambda \leftarrow \text{calculatePrecisionsCholesky}(\text{estimateWishartMatrix}(N_k, x_b a r_k, S_k)); // \text{ Updates}
       precisions from estimated Wishart matrix
   /* Check for convergence:
                                                                                                      */
   lowerBoundCurr \leftarrow calculateELBO(logPi, logLambda, resp., \alpha, \beta, means, \Lambda); if
    abs(lowerBoundPrior - lowerBoundCurr) \le tolerance then
      break;
   end
end
return \pi, means, \Lambda, resp;
```

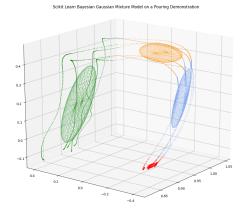
**Algorithm 1:** Variational EM algorithm.

# Project Level Results and Discussion

This project originally sought to emulate the the work of [3] but incorporate the use of conceptual constraints from my own prior work [6]. What the project was able to accomplish is a generation of a sequence of broad segments using the variational Gaussian Mixture Model which automatically select the number of components. The following outlines the progress made towards each project level:







- (a) Mixand ellipsoids overlayed on 5 trajectories of demonstrations of placing an object onto a shelf.
- (b) Mixand ellipsoids overlayed on 5 trajectories of demonstrations of a pouring task.

Figure 3: Example of project model fitted onto actual Sawyer trajectory demonstration data two tasks.

#### Level 1

While implementation woes prevented much progress towards the stated goal of expanding upon the work of [3], the project does successfully reach most of the stated Level 1 goals:

- Implement variational expectation-maximization-like algorithm for the variational model.
- Compare output of implementation to expected results on Old Faithful data set.

The project employs a successful implementation of a Variational Gaussian Mixture Model, mirrors established clustering on the Old Faithful data set (Figure 2a), produces adequate lower bounds increase (Figure 2b), and, lastly, provides reasonable autonomous segmentation of existing demonstration trajectory data from prior work done in [6]. For the lower bound, two approaches were attempted for the lower bound. One used the lower bound equations in chapter 10 of [4], verbatim, but could not successfully integrate with the chosen implementation of using Cholesky decomposed precision matrices in lieu of the standard Wishart scaling matrix. As such, the successful implementation mirrors Scikit-Learns BayesianGaussianMixture class implementation, and uses the same simplified lower bound / ELBO functions.

#### Level 2

For level two, the project only managed to reach one goal:

• Use model on robot trajectory demonstration data used in the experiments conducted by Mueller et. al [6].

The variational Gaussian Mixture model provided quite intuitive segmentation based on the mixands (See Figures 3a & 3b). For this project, the model only uses end-effector (X, Y, Z) position and thus the segmentation is inherently confined to variations in trajectories based on the scope of the state data. However, the model successfully segments broad motor movements that outline changes the dynamics of the end-effector movement, as well as segments where the end effector shows little variation in its position. This is usually when the end-effector is doing high-precision movement (pouring or placing the object) but is

localized in a tight X, Y, Z space. This type of dynamics-based segmentation seems to validate the Transition State Clustering approach of [3].

Unfortunately, the planned MIME data set modeling to not come to fruition. The data set only uses robot joint position for the Baxter robot. While the model could be run on this data, running forward kinematics to create easily visualized end-effector data was not possible in the remaining time since updating the project's goals. However, software development kits do exist that could allow this same approach on the Baxter data. This would provide a larger data set to evaluate the segmentation approach.

#### Level 3

Unfortunately, I did not make any progress towards my level 3 goals. One continued approach to advance this project towards a more substantial research endeavour would be to develop a mechanisms to easily distinguish high variation broad movements from low variation (with respect to euclidean end-effector space) that indicate high precision movements. This would enable a system to autonomously deconstruct a task from a low-level perspective in order to build a more abstracted representation of the task. Additionally, the models do not directly incorporate conceptual constraints. Encoding constraints and generating meaningful segmentation is a next avenue of research. Determining how to encode constraints into the Transition States outlined in [3] will be a challenging extension to explore next.

#### Conclusion

I learned a tremendous amount completing this project. I learned how to represent a problem from my research domain as a graphical model. While the model I used was well-established and studied, learning how to apply an existing problem to fit such a model is a tremendous skill to learn. Likewise, I've developed an appreciation for Bayesian approaches to inference and the awesome expressive power they provide over standard expectation maximization approaches.

My advice to those following in my footsteps with regards to Probabilistic Modeling is to not trust the implementations of examples throughout the internet. Only by really deconstructing the algorithms with a deep understanding can one be certain that their own implementation is theoretically correct. This is something I failed to fully accomplish with respect to the evidence lower bound calculation. While I understand and implemented the equations outlined in Bishop's book, my own implementation was different than that used by Scikit-Learn. However, I feel confidence that I am armed with enough knowledge to fully deconstruct the ELBO calculation, and any other probabilistic model.

Thank you for offering such a great course. It was one of my favorites thus far in my graduate career.

#### Technical Contributors

All technical contributions will be completed by yours truly, Carl Mueller, as I am doing this project by myself.

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# Appendix A: Code

```
import numpy as np
   from scipy import linalg
  from scipy.special import digamma, logsumexp, gammaln, multigammaln
   from sklearn.cluster import KMeans
   def compute_precisions_cholesky(covariances):
       # Pulled from sci-kit learn.
       n_components, n_features, _ = covariances.shape
       precisions_chol = np.empty((n_components, n_features, n_features))
10
       for k, covariance in enumerate (covariances):
11
12
               cov_chol = linalg.cholesky(covariance, lower=True)
13
           except linalg.LinAlgError:
               raise ValueError(
15
                    "Error. COllapsed samples. Try decreasing number of components or ...
16
                        increasing regularization.")
           precisions_chol[k] = linalg.solve_triangular(cov_chol,
17
                                                          np.eye(n_features),
                                                          lower=True).T
19
       return precisions_chol
20
21
   def _compute_log_det_cholesky(matrix_chol, n_features):
22
       """Compute the log-det of the cholesky decomposition of matrices.
24
25
       Parameters
26
       matrix_chol : array-like
27
           Cholesky decompositions of the matrices.
28
            'full' : shape of (n_components, n_features, n_features)
29
            'tied' : shape of (n_features, n_features)
30
           'diag' : shape of (n_components, n_features)
31
            'spherical' : shape of (n_components,)
32
33
       covariance_type : {'full', 'tied', 'diag', 'spherical'}
34
35
36
       n_features : int
           Number of features.
37
38
       Returns
39
40
       log_det_precision_chol : array-like, shape (n_components,)
41
           The determinant of the precision matrix for each component.
42
43
44
45
       n_components, _, _ = matrix_chol.shape
       log_det_chol = (np.sum(np.log(
46
           matrix_chol.reshape(
47
               n-components, -1)[:, ::n-features + 1]), 1))
48
49
50
       return log_det_chol
51
   def _log_dirichlet_norm(dirichlet_concentration):
       """Compute the log of the Dirichlet distribution normalization term.
53
54
```

```
Parameters
55
56
        dirichlet_concentration : array-like, shape (n_samples,)
57
            The parameters values of the Dirichlet distribution.
59
        Returns
60
61
        log_dirichlet_norm : float
62
            The log normalization of the Dirichlet distribution.
63
64
        return (gammaln(np.sum(dirichlet_concentration)) -
65
                np.sum(gammaln(dirichlet_concentration)))
66
67
    def _log_wishart_norm(degrees_of_freedom, log_det_precisions_chol, n_features):
69
        """Compute the log of the Wishart distribution normalization term.
70
71
        Parameters
72
73
        degrees_of_freedom : array-like, shape (n_components,)
74
            The number of degrees of freedom on the covariance Wishart
            distributions.
76
77
        log_det_precision_chol : array-like, shape (n_components,)
78
79
             The determinant of the precision matrix for each component.
80
        n_features : int
81
            The number of features.
82
83
        Return
84
85
        log_wishart_norm : array-like, shape (n_components,)
86
            The log normalization of the Wishart distribution.
88
        # To simplify the computation we have removed the np.log(np.pi) term
89
        return -(degrees_of_freedom * log_det_precisions_chol +
90
                 degrees_of_freedom * n_features * .5 * np.log(2.) +
91
92
                 np.sum(gammaln(.5 * (degrees_of_freedom -
                                       np.arange(n_features)[:, np.newaxis])), 0))
93
94
95
   class VariationalGMM():
96
        def __init__(self, n_components=3, max_iter=200, tolerance=1e-6, alpha_prior=None, ...
98
            beta_prior=1, dof=None,
                     wishart_matrix_prior=None, weights_prior=None, means_prior=None, ...
99
                         covariances_prior=None,
                     regularization=1e-6):
100
            self.n_components = n_components # Number of mixture components (K)
101
            self.max_iter = max_iter # number of iterations to run iterative update of ...
                varational inference
            self.tolerance = tolerance # Log-likelihood tolerance for terminating EM
103
            self.alpha.prior = alpha.prior # Dirichlet parameter for prior of weights. (1, K)
104
            self.beta_prior = beta_prior # scaling on precisions matrix.
105
106
            self.wishart_matrix_prior = wishart_matrix_prior
            self.dof = dof # degrees of freedom for Wishart distribution
107
            self.covariances.prior = covariances.prior # Initial covariances of mixands.
108
109
            self.weights_prior = weights_prior # Initial weights of mixands
            self.means_prior = means_prior # Initial means of mixands
110
111
            self.regularization = regularization
112
            self.fitted = False
        def _initialize_parameters(self, X):
114
            self.n_samples_ = np.shape(X)[0] # number of samples
115
            self.n_features_ = np.shape(X)[1] # number of features
116
            self.alpha_prior = 1. / self.n_components
117
            self.alpha_k = np.full([self.n_components, ], self.alpha_prior) # dirichlet ...
118
                parameters
```

```
self.means_prior = np.mean(X, axis=0)
119
120
            self.weights = self.weights.prior if self.weights.prior is not None else np.diag(
                np.random.uniform(0, 1, self.n_components))
121
            self.beta_k = np.full(self.n_components, self.beta_prior) # scale of precision ...
                matrix.
            self.log.pi = digamma(self.alpha_k) - digamma(np.sum(self.alpha_k))
123
124
            self.log_lambda = np.zeros(self.n_components)
            self.dof = self.dof if self.dof is not None else self.n_features_
125
            self.nu_k = np.full([self.n_components, ], self.dof)
126
            self.W_k = np.zeros(
127
                 [self.n.components, self.n.features., self.n.features.]) # scaling matrix of ...
128
                     wishart distribution
            self.W_lb = np.zeros(
129
                 [self.n_components, self.n_features_,
131
                 self.n_features_]) # Collects inverse Wishart scaling matricies for use in ...
                      lowerbound
            self.W_prior = self.wishart_matrix_prior if self.wishart_matrix_prior is not None ...
132
                else np.atleast_2d(
                np.cov(X.T))
133
            self.W.prior.inv = np.linalg.inv(self.W.prior) # Inverse of initial wishart component
134
135
            self._kmeans_initialize(X)
136
        def _kmeans_initialize(self, X):
137
            kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=self.n_components, n_init=1,
138
                                        random_state=None).fit(
139
140
            resp = np.zeros((self.n_samples_, self.n_components))
141
            resp[np.arange(self.n_samples_), kmeans.labels_] = 1
142
            self.means = kmeans.cluster_centers_.T
143
            self._initialize(X, resp)
144
145
        def _initialize(self, X, resp):
146
             """Initialization of the mixture parameters.
147
148
149
            Parameters
150
            X : array-like, shape (n_samples, n_features)
151
152
            resp : array-like, shape (n_samples, n_components)
153
154
            N_k, x_bar_k, S_k = self._estimate_gaussian_statistics(X, resp)
155
156
            self._update_dirichlet_prior_parameter(N_k)
            self._update_wishart_prior_parameters(N_k)
            self._update_gaussian_prior_parameters(N_k)
158
            self._estimate_weights(N_k)
159
            self._estimate_means(N_k, x_bar_k)
160
161
            self._estimate_wishart_matrix(N_k, x_bar_k, S_k)
162
        def e_step(self, X):
163
            self._update_expected_log_pi()
164
            self._update_expected_log_lambda()
165
             # In the variational E step, the ultiamte goal is to calculate the responsibilities.
166
            return self.estimate_responsibilities(X)
167
168
169
        def m_step(self, X, resp):
            N_k, x_bar_k, S_k = self._estimate_gaussian_statistics(X, resp)
170
            self._update_dirichlet_prior_parameter(N_k)
            \verb|self._update_wishart_prior_parameters(N_k)|\\
172
173
            self._update_gaussian_prior_parameters(N_k)
174
            self._estimate_weights(N_k)
            self._estimate_means(N_k, x_bar_k)
175
            self._estimate_wishart_matrix(N_k, x_bar_k, S_k)
176
            return N_k, x_bar_k, S_k
177
178
179
        def fit(self, X):
            self._initialize_parameters(X)
180
181
            self.lower_bounds_ = []
182
```

```
prior_lb = -np.inf
183
184
            for n in range(0, self.max_iter):
                 # E-M Step
185
                 self.log_resp, self.resp = self.e_step(X)
                N_k, x_{a-k}, S_k = self.m_step(X, self.resp)
187
                new_lb = self._compute_lower_bound()
188
                 # new_lb = self._calculate_lower_bound(N_k, x_bar_k, S_k)
189
                 # new_lb = self.elbo()
190
191
                self.lower_bounds_.append(new_lb)
192
                 if abs(new_lb - prior_lb) < self.tolerance:</pre>
193
                     print("Converged.")
194
                     break
195
                prior_lb = new_lb
            if abs(new_lb - prior_lb) > self.tolerance:
197
                print("Algorithm maximum iterations inadequate to achieve convergence ...
198
                     according to given tolerance.")
            self.log_resp, self.resp = self.e_step(X)
199
            self.fitted = True
200
            return self
201
202
        def predict(self, X):
203
            if self.fitted is True:
204
205
                return self.get_weighted_log_probability(X).argmax(axis=1)
            else:
206
                 raise RuntimeError("Model not fitted.")
207
208
        def estimate_responsibilities(self, X):
209
            log_rho_nk = self.get_weighted_log_probability(X)
210
            Z = logsumexp(log_rho_nk, axis=1)
211
212
            log_resp = log_rho_nk - Z[:, np.newaxis]
            resp = np.exp(log_resp)
213
            return log_resp, resp
214
215
        def log_gauss(self, X):
216
             # Using scikit learns implementation
217
218
219
             # Get the log determinant of the Cholesky decomposed precisions.
            log_det_chol = (np.sum(np.log(
220
                 self.precisions_cholesky_.reshape(
221
                     self.n_components, -1)[:, ::self.n_features_ + 1]), 1))
222
223
            # Get the log probability of the gaussian
224
            log_prob = np.empty((self.n_samples_, self.n_components))
225
            for k, (mu, prec_chol) in enumerate(zip(self.means_, self.precisions_cholesky_)):
226
                y = np.dot(X, prec_chol) - np.dot(mu, prec_chol)
227
228
                log_prob[:, k] = np.sum(np.square(y), axis=1)
229
            return - .5 * (self.n_features_ * np.log(2 * np.pi) + log_prob) + log_det_chol
230
231
        def estimate_log_prob(self, X):
232
233
             # log rho, see Bishop 10.46
234
            log_gauss = self.log_gauss(X)
235
            return log_gauss + .5 * (self.log_lambda - self.n_features_ / self.beta_k)
236
        def get_weighted_log_probability(self, X):
237
            log_prob = self.estimate_log_prob(X)
238
239
            weighted_log_prob = log_prob + self.log_pi
            return weighted_log_prob
240
241
242
        def _estimate_gaussian_statistics(self, X, resp):
            S_k = np.zeros(
243
                 [self.n_components, self.n_features_, self.n_features_]) \# estimated ...
244
                     covariances of the components
245
            N_k = np.sum(resp,
                          axis=0) + 1e-10 # from Bishop 10.51, sum or responsibilities for ...
246
                              each component i.e. number of data samples in each component
            x_bar_k = np.dot(resp.T, X) / N_k[:, np.newaxis] # Bishop 10.52
247
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248
                      for k in range(0, self.n_components):
249
                              x_cen = X - x_bar_k[k]
                              S_k[k] = np.dot(resp[:, k] * x_cen.T, x_cen) / N_k[k] # Bishop equation 10.53
250
251
                              S_k[k].flat[::self.n_features_ + 1] += self.regularization
                      return N_k, x_bar_k, S_k
252
253
254
               def _update_dirichlet_prior_parameter(self, N_k):
                      self.alpha_k = self.alpha_prior + N_k # from Bishop 10.58
255
256
              def _estimate_weights(self, N_k):
257
                      self.weights = (self.alpha_prior + N_k) / (
258
                                     self.n_components * self.alpha_prior + self.n_samples_) # Bishop 10.69
259
                      # self.weights = (self.alpha_prior + N_k) # scikit learn doesn't divide by ...
260
                              anything...why?
261
              def _update_wishart_prior_parameters(self, N_k):
262
                      self.nu_k = self.dof + N_k # from Bishop 10.63 and according to sci-kit learn, it ...
263
                              shouldn't have the +1
264
              def _update_gaussian_prior_parameters(self, N_k):
265
266
                       self.beta_k = self.beta_prior + N_k # from Bishop 10.60
267
              def _estimate_means(self, N_k, x_bar_k):
268
269
                      self.means = (self.beta_prior * self.means_prior + N_k[:, np.newaxis] * x_bar_k) / ...
270
                              self.beta_k[:,
                                                                                                                                                                                 np.newaxis] ...
271
                                                                                                                                                                                          . . .
                                                                                                                                                                                         # ...
                                                                                                                                                                                         from ...
                                                                                                                                                                                         Bishop ...
                                                                                                                                                                                         10.61
                      self.means_ = self.means
272
273
               def _estimate_wishart_matrix(self, N_k, x_bar_k, S_k):
274
275
                      for k in range(0, self.n_components):
                             mean_diff = x_bar_k[k] - self.means_prior
276
277
                             self.W_{-}k[k] = (self.W_{-}prior + N_{-}k[k] * S_{-}k[k] + N_{-}k[k] * self.beta_{-}prior \setminus S_{-}k[k] + N_{-}k[k] * self.beta_{-}prior + N_{-}k[k] * S_{-}k[k] + N_{-}k[k] * self.beta_{-}prior + N_{-}k[k] * S_{-}k[k] * self.beta_{-}prior + N_{-}k[k] * self.beta_{-}pri
                                                          / self.beta_k[k] * np.outer(mean_diff,
278
279
                                                                                                              mean_diff)) # from Bishop 10.62
                             self.W_lb[k] = np.linalg.inv(self.W_k[k])
280
281
                      self.W_k /= self.nu_k[:, np.newaxis, np.newaxis]
                      self.covariances_ = self.W_k
282
                      self.precisions_cholesky_ = compute_precisions_cholesky(self.covariances_)
283
284
               def _update_expected_log_pi(self):
285
286
                      self.log.pi = digamma(self.alpha_k) - digamma(np.sum(self.alpha_k)) # from Bishop ...
                              10.66
287
               def _update_expected_log_lambda(self):
288
                       for k in range(0, self.n_components):
289
                              digamma_sum = 0
290
291
                              for i in range(1, self.n_features_ + 1):
                                     digamma_sum += digamma((self.nu_k[k] + 1 - i) / 2)
292
293
                              self.log_lambda[k] = digamma_sum + self.n_features_ * np.log(2) + ...
                                     np.log(np.linalg.det(self.precisions_cholesky_[k])) # from Bishop 10.65
294
295
               def logB(self, W, nu):
296
297
                      n_{col} = np.shape(W)[1]
298
                      qamma_sum = 0
                      for i in range(1, n_col + 1):
300
                              gamma_sum += gammaln(0.5 * (nu + 1 - i))
301
302
                      # Compute logB function via Bishop B.79
                      return (-0.5 * nu * np.log(np.linalg.det(W)) - (0.5 * nu * n.col * np.log(2) + ...
303
                              0.25 * n_{col} * (n_{col} - 1) *
                                                                                                                np.log(np.pi) + gamma_sum))
304
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305
        def _calculate_lower_bound(self, N_k, x_bar_k, S_k):
306
             # DECREASES
307
308
            log_px = 0
            log_pml = 0
309
            log_pm12 = 0
310
            log\_qml = 0
311
            for k in range(0, self.n_components):
312
                 # Here we collect all terms that require summations index by the k-th component.
313
                diff = x_bar_k[k] - self.means[k]
314
                 # see Bishop 10.71; we remove (- self.n_features_ * np.log(2 * np.pi)) since ...
315
                    it is an additive constant.
                log_px = log_px + N_k[k] * (
316
                         \tt self.log\_lambda[k] - self.n\_features\_ / self.beta\_k[k] - self.nu\_k[k] \dots
317
                             * np.trace(
                     np.dot(S_k[k], self.W_lb[k])) - self.nu_k[k] * np.dot(
318
                    np.dot(diff, self.W_lb[k]), diff)) - self.n_features_ * np.log(2 * np.pi)
319
320
                 # see Bishop 10.74
321
                log_pml = log_pml + self.n.features_ * np.log(self.beta_prior / (2 * np.pi)) + ...
322
                     self.log_lambda[k] - \
                           (self.n_features_ * self.beta_prior) / self.beta_k[k] - ...
323
                               self.beta_prior * self.nu_k[k] * np.dot(
                     np.dot(np.transpose(self.means[k] - self.means_prior),
324
                            self.W_lb[k]), self.means[k] - self.means_prior)
325
326
                 # see Bishop 10.74
327
                log_pml2 = log_pml2 + self.nu_k[k] * np.trace(np.dot(self.W_prior_inv, ...
328
                     self.W_lb[k]))
329
                 # see Bishop 10.77
330
                log_qml = log_qml + 0.5 * self.log_lambda[k] + 0.5 * self.n_features_ * np.log(
331
                     self.beta_k[k] / (2 * np.pi)) 
333
                           - 0.5 * self.n_features_ - (-self.logB(W=self.W_lb[k], ...
                               nu=self.nu_k[k]) \
                                                         - 0.5 * (self.nu_k[k] - self.n_features_ ...
334
                                                             - 1) * self.log_lambda[
335
                                                            k] + 0.5 * self.nu_k[
                                                            k] * self.n_features_)
336
337
            log_px = 0.5 * log_px # see Bishop 10.71
338
            log_pml = 0.5 * log_pml + self.n_components * self.logB(W=self.W_prior, ...
339
                 nu=self.dof) + 0.5 * (
                    self.dof - self.n_features_ - 1) * np.sum(self.log_lambda) - 0.5 * ...
340
                         log_pml2 # see Bishop 10.74
            log_pz = np.sum(np.dot(self.resp, self.log_pi)) # see Bishop 10.72
341
342
            log_gz = np.sum(self.resp * self.log_resp) # 10.75
            log_pp = np.sum((self.alpha_prior - 1) * self.log_pi) + ...
343
                 gammaln(np.sum(self.n_components * self.alpha_prior)) - \
                      self.n_components * np.sum(gammaln(self.alpha_prior)) # 10.73
345
            log_qp = np.sum((self.alpha_k - 1) * self.log_pi) + gammaln(np.sum(self.alpha_k)) ...
346
                 - np.sum(
                gammaln(self.alpha_k)) # 10.76
347
348
            # Sum all parts to compute lower bound\
349
            print(log_px + log_pz + log_pp + log_pml - log_qz - log_qp - log_qml)
350
351
            return log_px + log_pz + log_pp + log_pml - log_qz - log_qp - log_qml
352
353
        def elbo(self):
354
            # ELBO: evidence lower bounds in order to test for convergence.
355
            # DECREASES
356
            lb = gammaln(np.sum(self.alpha.prior)) - np.sum(gammaln(self.alpha.prior)) \
357
                  - gammaln(np.sum(self.log_lambda)) + np.sum(gammaln(self.log_pi))
358
            lb -= self.n_samples_ * self.n_features_ / 2. * np.log(2. * np.pi)
359
            for k in range(0, self.n_components):
360
                lb += (-(self.dof * self.n_features_ * np.log(2.)) / 2.) \setminus
361
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+ ((self.nu_k[k] * self.n_features_ * np.log(2.)) / 2.)
362
363
                lb += - multigammaln(self.dof / 2., self.n_features_) \
                      + multigammaln(self.nu_k[k] / 2., self.n_features_)
364
                lb += (self.n_features_ / 2.) * np.log(np.absolute(self.beta_prior)) \
                      - (self.n_features_ / 2.) * np.log(np.absolute(self.beta_k[k]))
366
                367
368
                lb -= np.dot(np.log(self.alpha_k[k]).T, self.alpha_k[k])
369
370
            return lb
371
372
        def _compute_lower_bound(self):
             ""Estimate the lower bound of the model.
373
374
            The lower bound on the likelihood (of the training data with respect to
            the model) is used to detect the convergence and has to decrease at
376
            each iteration.
378
            Parameters
379
380
            X : array-like, shape (n_samples, n_features)
381
382
            log_resp : array, shape (n_samples, n_components)
383
384
                Logarithm of the posterior probabilities (or responsibilities) of
                the point of each sample in X.
385
386
            log_prob_norm : float
387
                Logarithm of the probability of each sample in X.
388
390
            Returns
391
392
            lower_bound : float
393
            # Contrary to the original formula, we have done some simplification
            # and removed all the constant terms.
395
            n_features, = self.means_prior.shape
396
397
            # We removed `.5 * n_features * np.log(self.degrees_of_freedom_)`
398
399
            # because the precision matrix is normalized.
            log_det_precisions_chol = (_compute_log_det_cholesky(
400
401
                self.precisions_cholesky_, n_features) -
                .5 * n_features * np.log(self.nu_k))
402
403
            log_wishart = np.sum(_log_wishart_norm(
405
                self.nu_k, log_det_precisions_chol, n_features))
406
407
            log_norm_weight = _log_dirichlet_norm(self.alpha_k)
408
409
            return (-np.sum(np.exp(self.log_resp) * self.log_resp) -
410
411
                    log_wishart - log_norm_weight -
                    0.5 * n_features * np.sum(np.log(self.beta_k)))
412
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