

## Homework 6

1. KL-divergence:  $f(\theta, d) = \sum_{w \in d, R(w, \theta_q) > 0} p(w | \theta_q) \left[ \frac{\log p_{\text{seen}}(w/d)}{\alpha_d p(w/c)} + \log \alpha_d \right]$

assuming  $p(w | \theta_q) = \frac{c(w, q)}{|Q|}$

$f(\theta, d)$  becomes

$$\sum_{\substack{w \in d \\ w \in Q}} \frac{c(w, q)}{|Q|} \cdot \frac{\log p_{\text{seen}}(w/d)}{\alpha_d p(w/c)} + \log \alpha_d$$

$|Q|$  can be ignored because it is constant

$$f(\theta, d) = \sum_{\substack{w \in d \\ w \in Q}} c(w, q) \frac{\log p_{\text{seen}}(w/d)}{\alpha_d p(w/c)} + \log \alpha_d$$

which is the query likelihood function

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$$a.) \quad p(\text{"the"}) = (.80)(.3) + (.2)(.3) = .3$$

$$b.) \quad p(\text{"the"}) = (.8)(.3) + (.2)(.3) = .3$$

$$c.) \quad p(H | w = \text{"data"}) = \frac{p(w = \text{"data"} | H) \cdot p(H)}{p(H)p(w = \text{"data"} | H) + p(T)p(w = \text{"data"} | T)}$$

$$= \frac{(.8)(.1)}{(.8)(.1) + (.2)(.1)} = .8$$

$$d. \quad \begin{aligned} p(\text{"the"}) &= .3 \\ p(\text{"computer"}) &= .17 \\ p(\text{"data"}) &= .1 \\ p(\text{"baseball"}) &= .18 \\ p(\text{"game"}) &= .18 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  data would occur least frequently  
b/c  $p(\text{"data"})$  is the smallest

$$e. \quad p(\text{"computer"}) = \frac{3}{10} = .3$$

$$p(\text{"game"}) = \frac{2}{10} = .2$$

d.

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i. when  $\lambda = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \log p(D|\theta, \pi) &= \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{|\mathcal{D}_i|} \log \left[ 0 \cdot p(d_{i,j}=w|D) + (1-0) \sum_{k=1}^K p(z_{i,j}=k|\pi_i) \cdot p(d_{i,j}=w|\theta_k) \right] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{|\mathcal{D}_i|} \log \left[ \sum_{k=1}^K p(z_{i,j}=k|\pi_i) p(d_{i,j}=w|\theta_k) \right] \end{aligned}$$

b.)  ~~$\tau$~~

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N c(w, D_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^N |D_i|}$$

c.) If  $\lambda$  is very large the log likelihood will depend less on the topics and more on the background language model. If  $\lambda$  is smaller the likelihood will depend more on the topics found by the model.

To test this hypothesis, one could run the PLSA multiple times with different values of  $\lambda$ . We could then use the data to see if the likelihood reflects the different topics more on the background model.

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$$a.) \quad p(z_{d,w}=k) = \frac{p(z_{i,j}=k | \pi_i^{(n)}) p(w_{i,j} | \Theta_k^{(n)})}{\sum_{k=1}^K p(z_{i,j}=k | \pi_i^{(n)}) p(w_{i,j} | \Theta_k^{(n)})}$$

$$p(z_{d,w}) = \beta = \frac{\lambda p(w_{i,j} | \Theta_B^{(n)})}{\lambda p(w_{i,j} | \Theta_B^{(n)}) + (1-\lambda) \sum_{k=1}^K p(z_{i,j}=k | \pi_i^{(n)}) p(w_{i,j} | \Theta_k^{(n)})}$$

$$h_{w,k} = \sum_{d \in D} c(w,d) p(z_{d,w}=k) \cdot (1 - p(z_{d,w} = \beta))$$

$$h_{d,k} = \sum_{w \in V} c(w,d) p(z_{d,w}=k) \cdot (1 - p(z_{d,w} = \beta))$$

$$b.) \quad p(w | \Theta_k^{(n+1)}) = \frac{h_{w,k}}{\sum_{w \in V} h_{w,k}}$$

$$p(z_{d,w}=k | \pi_k^{(n+1)}) = \frac{h_{d,k}}{\sum_{k=1}^K h_{d,k}}$$