Machine Learning 10-601

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Today:

- Graphical models
- Bayes Nets:
  - EM
  - Mixture of Gaussian clustering
  - Learning Bayes Net structure (Chow-Liu)

Readings:

- Bishop chapter 8
- Mitchell chapter 6

Learning of Bayes Nets

- Four categories of learning problems
  - Graph structure may be known/unknown
  - Variable values may be fully observed / partly unobserved

- Easy case: learn parameters for graph structure is *known*, and data is *fully observed*

- Interesting case: graph *known*, data *partly known*

- Gruesome case: graph structure *unknown*, data *partly unobserved*

Learning CPTs from Fully Observed Data

- Example: Consider learning the parameter

$$\theta_{s|ij} \equiv P(S=1|F=i, A=j)$$

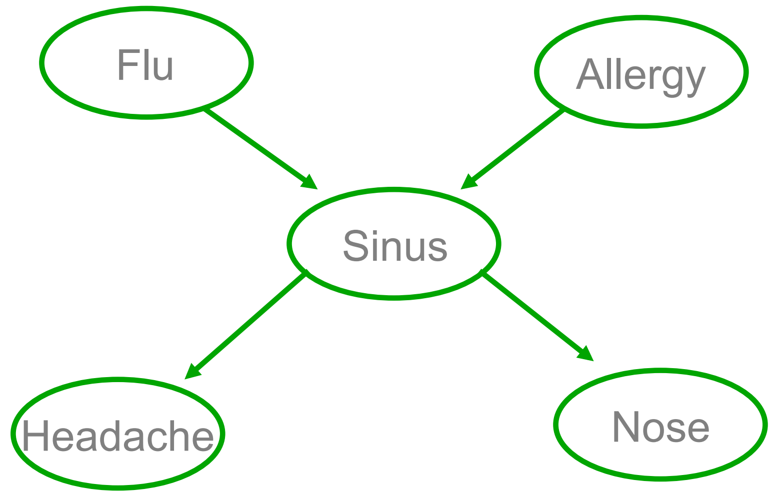
- Max Likelihood Estimate is

$$\theta_{s|ij} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{K} \delta(f_k = i, a_k = j, s_k = 1)}{\sum_{k=1}^{K} \delta(f_k = i, a_k = j)}$$

k^{th} training example

$\delta(x)$ = 1 if x=true,
= 0 if x=false

- Remember why?

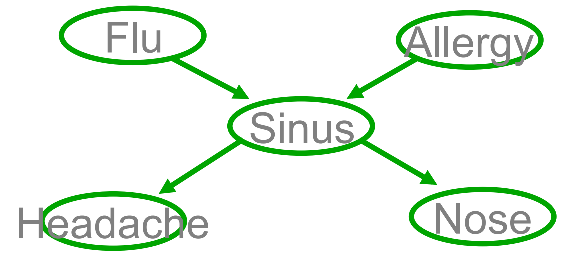


let's use p(a,b) as shorthand for p(A=a, B=b)

MLE estimate of $\theta_{s|ij}$ from fully observed data

- Maximum likelihood estimate

$$\theta \leftarrow \arg\max_{\theta} \log P(data|\theta)$$



- Our case:

$$P(data|\theta) = \prod_{k=1}^{K} P(f_k, a_k, s_k, h_k, n_k)$$

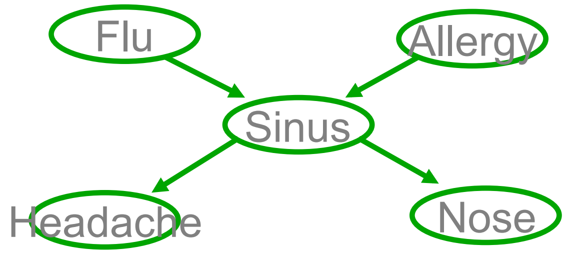
$$P(data|\theta) = \prod_{k=1}^{K} P(f_k)P(a_k)P(s_k|f_k a_k)P(h_k|s_k)P(n_k|s_k)$$

$$\log P(data|\theta) = \sum_{k=1}^{K} \log P(f_k) + \log P(a_k) + \log P(s_k|f_k a_k) + \log P(h_k|s_k) + \log P(n_k|s_k)$$

$$\frac{\partial \log P(data|\theta)}{\partial \theta_{s|ij}} = \sum_{k=1}^{K} \frac{\partial \log P(s_k|f_k a_k)}{\partial \theta_{s|ij}}$$

$$\theta_{s|ij} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{K} \delta(f_k = i, a_k = j, s_k = 1)}{\sum_{k=1}^{K} \delta(f_k = i, a_k = j)}$$

Estimate θ from partly observed data



- What if FAHN observed, but not S?
- Can't calculate MLE

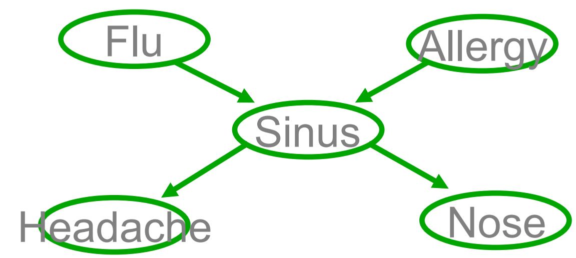
$$\theta \leftarrow \arg\max_\theta \log \prod_k P(f_k, a_k, s_k, h_k, n_k|\theta)$$

- Let X be all *observed* variable values (over all examples)
- Let Z be all *unobserved* variable values
- Can't calculate MLE:

$$\theta \leftarrow \arg\max_\theta \log P(X, Z|\theta)$$

- WHAT TO DO?

Estimate θ from partly observed data



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- EM seeks* to estimate:

$$\theta \leftarrow \arg\max_\theta E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(X, Z|\theta)]$$

* EM guaranteed to find local maximum

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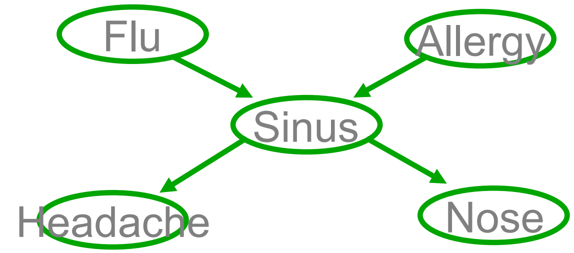

- here, observed X={F,A,H,N}, unobserved Z={S}

$$\log P(X,Z|\theta) = \sum_{k=1}^{K} \log P(f_k) + \log P(a_k) + \log P(s_k|f_k a_k) + \log P(h_k|s_k) + \log P(n_k|s_k)$$

$$E_{P(Z|X,\theta)} \log P(X,Z|\theta) = \sum_{k=1}^{K} \sum_{i=0}^{1} P(s_k = i | f_k, a_k, h_k, n_k)$$

$$[log P(f_k) + \log P(a_k) + \log P(s_k|f_k a_k) + \log P(h_k|s_k) + \log P(n_k|s_k)]$$

EM Algorithm - Informally

EM is a general procedure for learning from partly observed data

Given observed variables X, unobserved Z (X={F,A,H,N}, Z={S})

Begin with arbitrary choice for parameters θ

Iterate until convergence:

- E Step: estimate the values of unobserved Z, using θ
- M Step: use observed values plus E-step estimates to derive a better θ

Guaranteed to find local maximum.
Each iteration increases $E_{P(Z|X,\theta)}[\log P(X,Z|\theta')]$

EM Algorithm - Precisely

EM is a general procedure for learning from partly observed data

Given observed variables X, unobserved Z (X={F,A,H,N}, Z={S}) ✓

Define $Q(\theta'|\theta) = E_{P(Z|X,\theta)}[\log P(X,Z|\theta')]$

Iterate until convergence:

- E Step: Use X and current θ to calculate P(Z|X,θ)
- M Step: Replace current θ by

$$\theta \leftarrow \arg\max_{\theta'} Q(\theta'|\theta)$$

Guaranteed to find local maximum.
Each iteration increases $E_{P(Z|X,\theta)}[\log P(X,Z|\theta')]$

E Step: Use X, θ, to Calculate P(Z|X,θ)

observed X={F,A,H,N},
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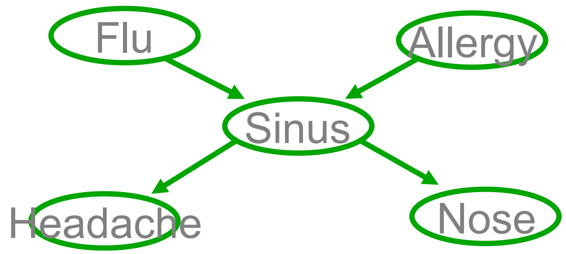

- How? Bayes net inference problem.

$$P(S_k = 1 | f_k a_k h_k n_k, \theta) =$$

$$P(S_k = 1 | f_k a_k h_k n_k, \theta) = \frac{P(S_k = 1, f_k a_k h_k n_k | \theta)}{P(S_k = 1, f_k a_k h_k n_k | \theta) + P(S_k = 0, f_k a_k h_k n_k | \theta)}$$

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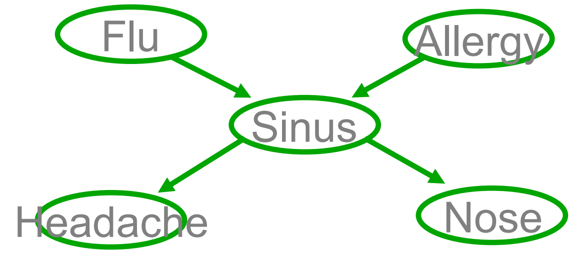
EM and estimating $\theta_{s|ij}$



observed X = {F,A,H,N}, unobserved Z={S}

E step: Calculate $P(Z_k|X_k; \theta)$ for each training example, k

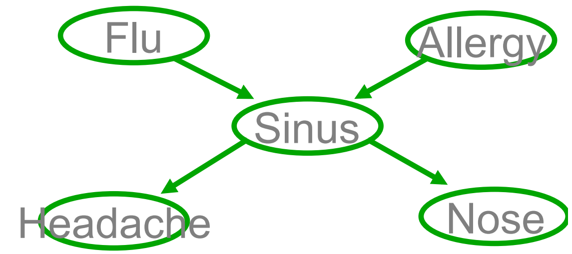
$$P(S_k = 1|f_k a_k h_k n_k, \theta) = \underbrace{E[s_k]}_{P(Z|X;\theta)} = \frac{P(S_k = 1, f_k a_k h_k n_k|\theta)}{P(S_k = 1, f_k a_k h_k n_k|\theta) + P(S_k = 0, f_k a_k h_k n_k|\theta)}$$

M step: update all relevant parameters. For example:

$$\theta_{s|ij} \leftarrow \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{K} \delta(f_k = i, a_k = j)\ E[s_k]}{\sum_{k=1}^{K} \delta(f_k = i, a_k = j)}$$

Recall MLE was: $\theta_{s|ij} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{K} \delta(f_k = i, a_k = j, s_k = 1)}{\sum_{k=1}^{K} \delta(f_k = i, a_k = j)}$

EM and estimating θ



More generally,
Given observed set X, unobserved set Z of boolean values

E step: Calculate for each training example, k

the expected value of each unobserved variable in each training example

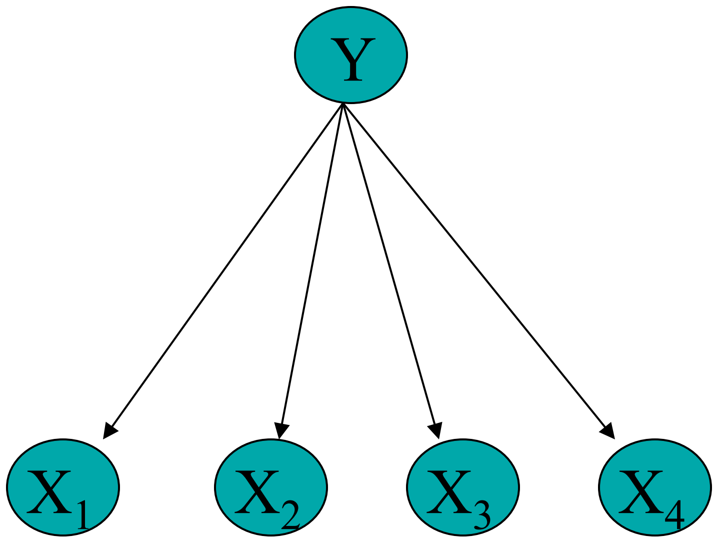
M step:

Calculate θ similar to MLE estimates, but replacing each count by its <u>expected count</u>

$$\delta(Y=1) \rightarrow E_{Z|X,\theta}[Y] \qquad \delta(Y=0) \rightarrow (1 - E_{Z|X,\theta}[Y])$$

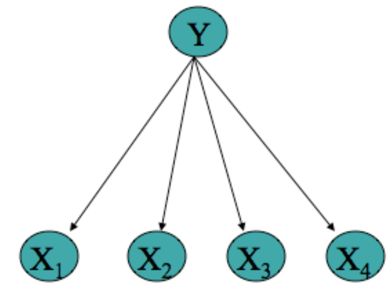
Using Unlabeled Data to Help Train Naïve Bayes Classifier

Learn P(Y|X)



Y	X1	X2	X3	X4
1	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
?	0	1	1	0
?	0	1	0	1

EM and estimating θ



Given observed set X, unobserved set Y of boolean values

E step: Calculate for each training example, k

the expected value of each unobserved variable Y

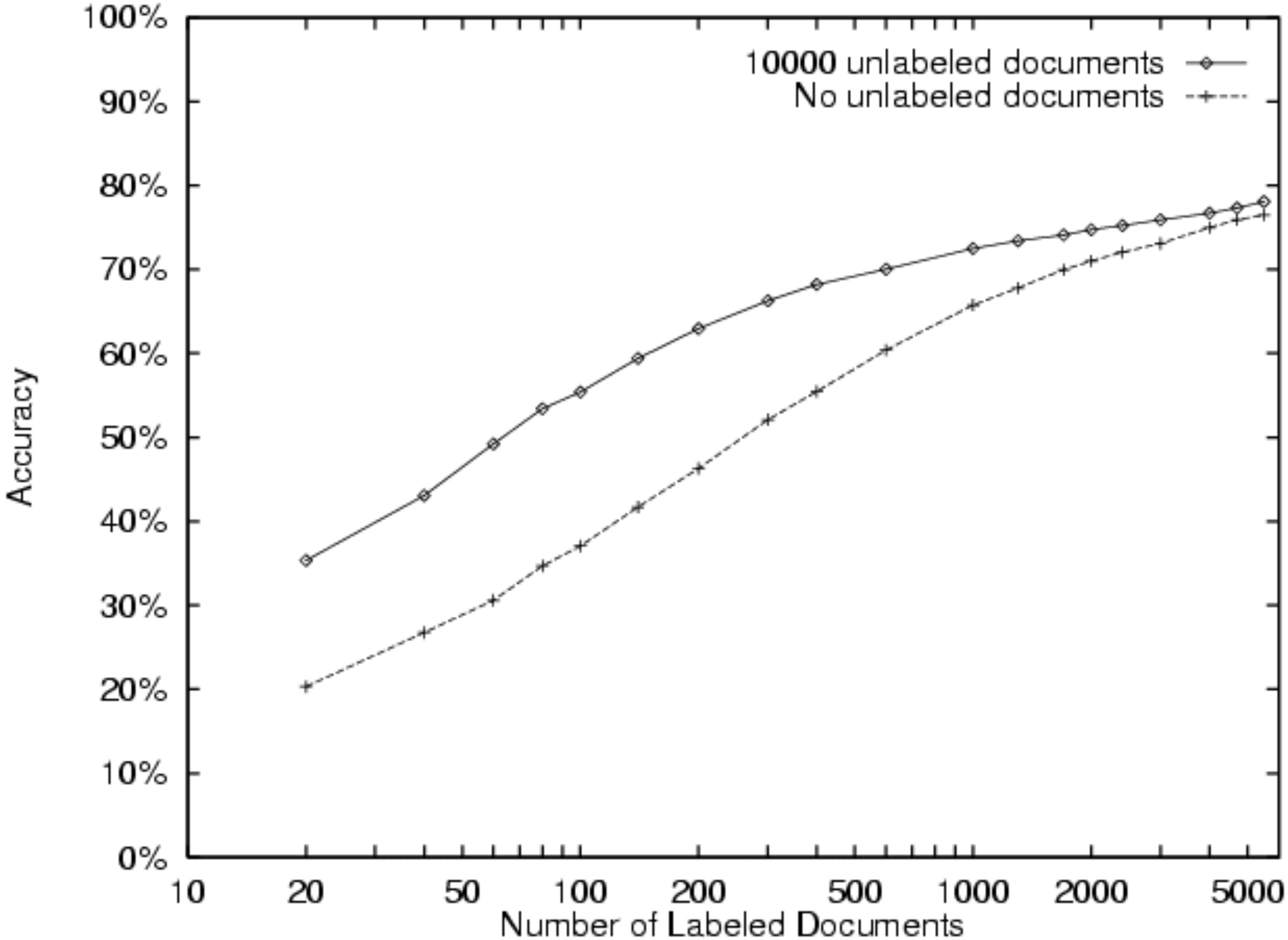
$$E_{P(Y|X_1 \ldots X_N)}[y(k)] = P(y(k)=1|x_1(k), \ldots x_N(k); \theta) = \frac{P(y(k)=1) \prod_i P(x_i(k)|y(k)=1)}{\sum_{j=0}^{1} P(y(k)=j) \prod_i P(x_i(k)|y(k)=j)}$$

M step: Calculate estimates similar to MLE, but replacing each count by its <u>expected count</u>

$$\theta_{ij|m} = \hat{P}(X_i = j|Y=m) = \frac{\sum_k P(y(k)=m|x_1(k) \ldots x_N(k)) \; \delta(x_i(k)=j)}{\sum_k P(y(k)=m|x_1(k) \ldots x_N(k))}$$

MLE would be: $\hat{P}(X_i = j|Y=m) = \frac{\sum_k \delta((y(k)=m) \wedge (x_i(k)=j))}{\sum_k \delta(y(k)=m)}$

20 Newsgroups



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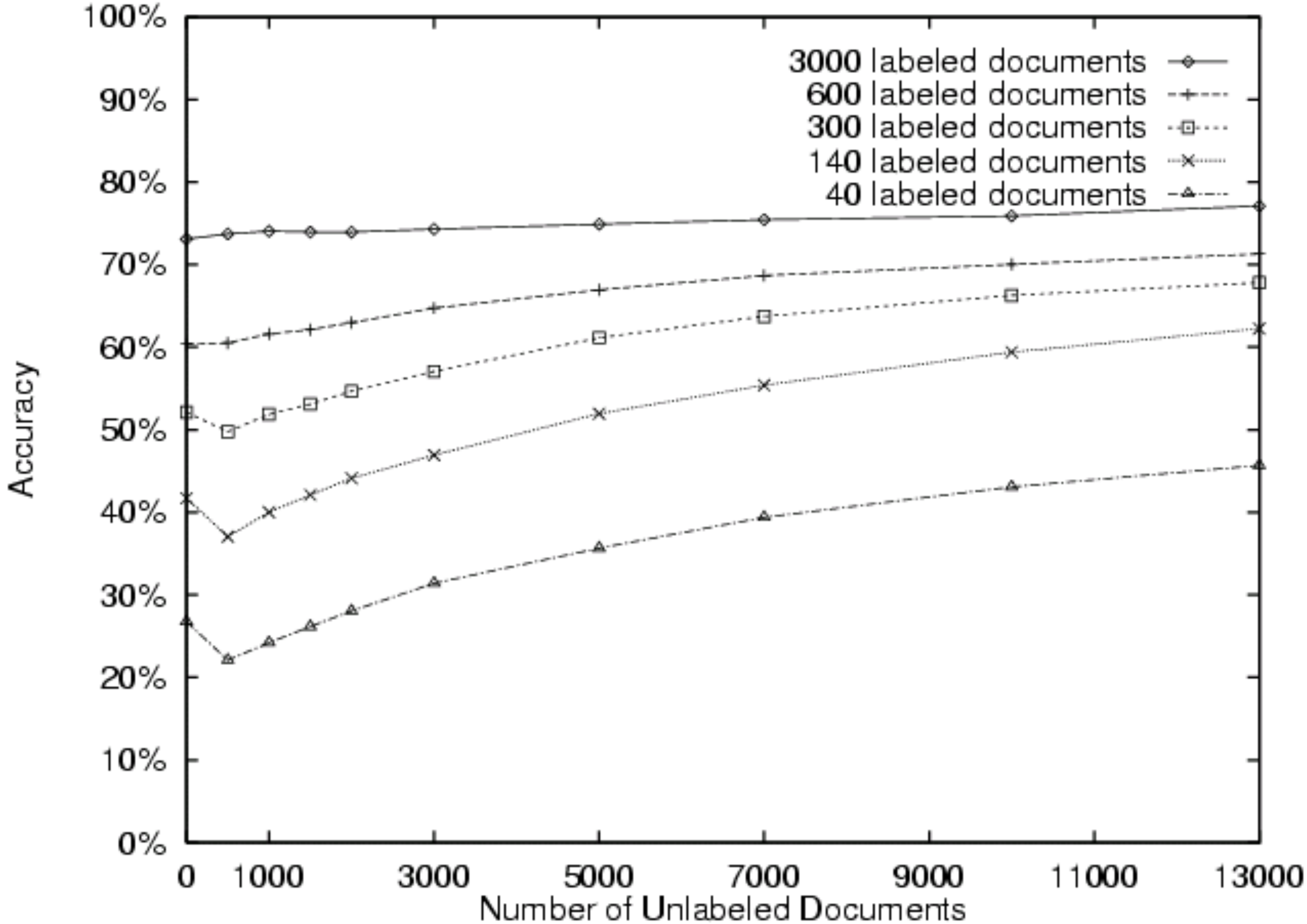


Unsupervised clustering

Just extreme case for EM with zero labeled examples…

Clustering

- Given set of data points, group them
- Unsupervised learning
- Which patients are similar? (or which earthquakes, customers, faces, web pages, …)

Mixture Distributions

Model joint $P(X_1 \ldots X_n)$ as mixture of multiple distributions.

Use discrete-valued random var Z to indicate which distribution is being use for each random draw

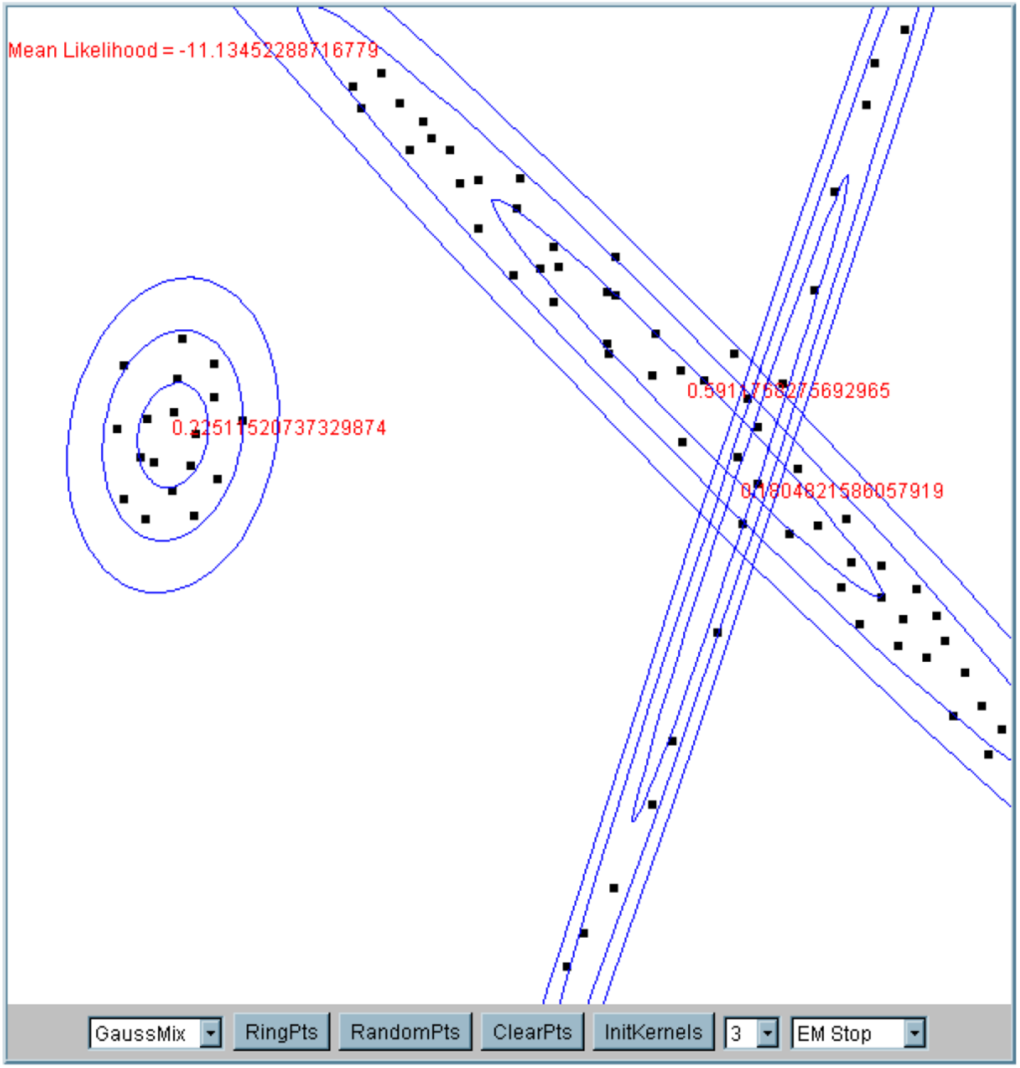
So $$P(X_1 \ldots X_n) = \sum_i P(Z=i) \;\; P(X_1 \ldots X_n | Z)$$

Mixture of *Gaussians*:

- Assume each data point X=<X1, … Xn> is generated by one of several Gaussians, as follows:

1. randomly choose Gaussian i, according to P(Z=i)
2. randomly generate a data point <x1,x2 .. xn> according to $N(\mu_i, \Sigma_i)$

Mixture of Gaussians



EM for Mixture of Gaussian Clustering

Let's simplify to make this easier:

1. assume $X=\langle X_1 \ldots X_n \rangle$, and the X_i are conditionally independent given Z.

$$P(X|Z=j) = \prod_i N(X_i|\mu_{ji}, \sigma_{ji})$$

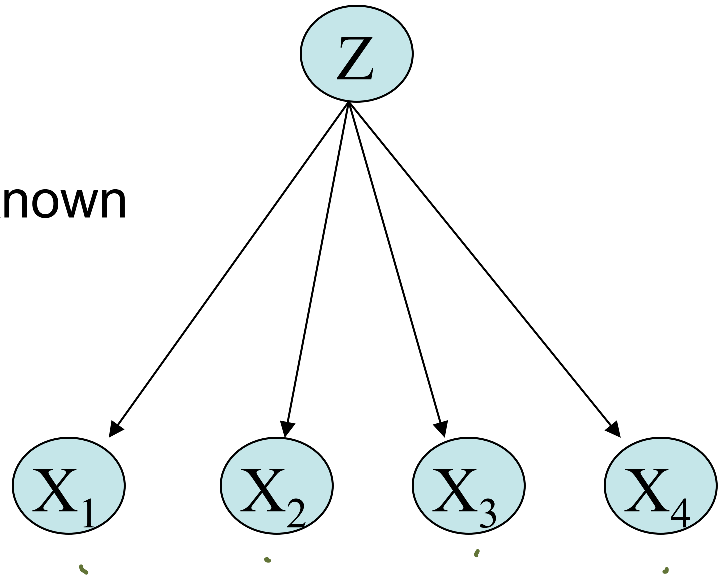
2. assume only 2 clusters (values of Z), and $\forall i, j, \sigma_{ji} = \sigma$

$$P(\mathbf{X}) = \sum_{j=1}^{2} P(Z=j|\pi) \prod_i N(x_i|\mu_{ji}, \sigma)$$

3. Assume σ known, $\pi_1 \ldots \pi_K, \mu_{1i} \ldots \mu_{Ki}$ unknown

Observed: $X=\langle X_1 \ldots X_n \rangle$

Unobserved: Z



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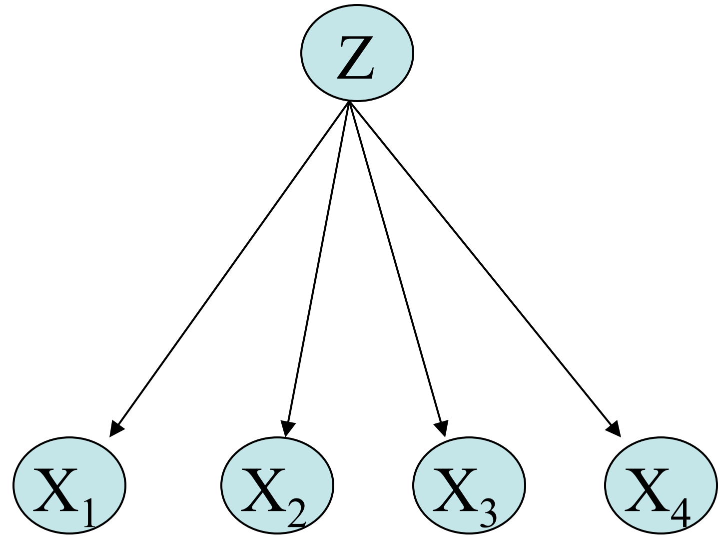


Given observed variables X, unobserved Z

Define $Q(\theta'|\theta) = E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(X, Z|\theta')]$

where $\theta = \langle \pi, \mu_{ji} \rangle$

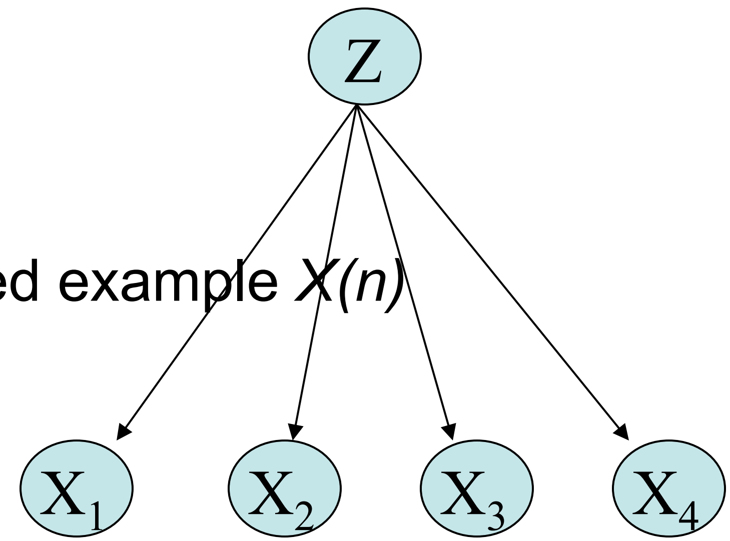
Iterate until convergence:

• E Step: Calculate $P(Z(n)|X(n),\theta)$ for each example $X(n)$. Use this to construct $Q(\theta'|\theta)$

• M Step: Replace current θ by

$$\theta \leftarrow \arg\max_{\theta'} Q(\theta'|\theta)$$

EM – E Step



Calculate $P(Z(n)|X(n),\theta)$ for each observed example $X(n)$

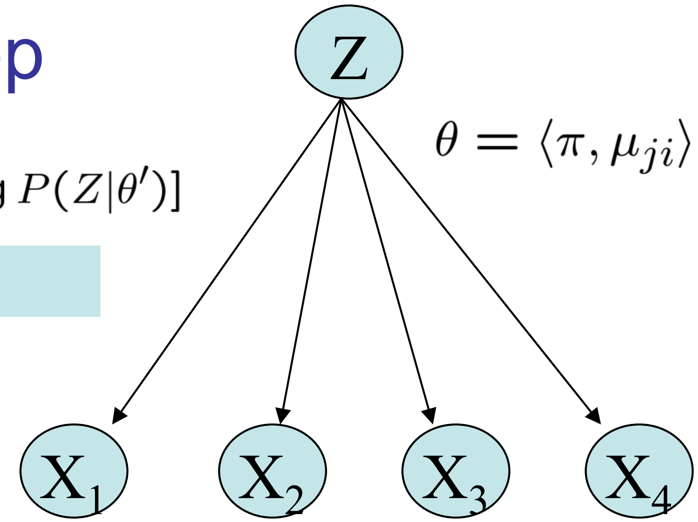
$X(n)=<x_1(n), x_2(n), \ldots x_T(n)>$.

$$P(z(n)=k|x(n),\theta) = \frac{P(x(n)|z(n)=k,\theta) \quad P(z(n)=k|\theta)}{\sum_{j=0}^{1} p(x(n)|z(n)=j,\theta) \;\; P(z(n)=j|\theta)}$$

$$P(z(n)=k|x(n),\theta) = \frac{\prod_i P(x_i(n)|z(n)=k,\theta)] \quad P(z(n)=k|\theta)}{\sum_{j=0}^{1} \prod_i P(x_i(n)|z(n)=j,\theta) \;\; P(z(n)=j|\theta)}$$

$$\boxed{P(z(n)=k|x(n),\theta) = \frac{\prod_i N(x_i(n)|\mu_{k,i},\sigma)] \quad (\pi^k(1-\pi)^{(1-k)})}{\sum_{j=0}^{1}[\prod_i N(x_i(n)|\mu_{j,i},\sigma)] \quad (\pi^j(1-\pi)^{(1-j)}))}}$$

EM – M Step



$$\theta = \langle \pi, \mu_{ji} \rangle$$

First consider update for π

$$Q(\theta'|\theta) = E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(X,Z|\theta')] = E[\log P(X|Z,\theta') + \log P(Z|\theta')]$$

π' has no influence

$$\pi \leftarrow \arg\max_{\pi'} E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(Z|\pi')]$$

z=1 for nth example

$$E_{Z|X,\theta}\left[\log P(Z|\pi')\right] = E_{Z|X,\theta}\left[\log\left(\pi'^{\sum_n z(n)}(1-\pi')^{\sum_n (1-z(n))}\right)\right]$$

$$= E_{Z|X,\theta}\left[\left(\sum_n z(n)\right)\log \pi' + \left(\sum_n (1-z(n))\right)\log(1-\pi')\right]$$

$$= \left(\sum_n E_{Z|X,\theta}[z(n)]\right)\log \pi' + \left(\sum_n E_{Z|X,\theta}[(1-z(n))]\right)\log(1-\pi')$$

$$\frac{\partial E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(Z|\pi')]}{\partial \pi'} = \left(\sum_n E_{Z|X,\theta}[z(n)]\right)\frac{1}{\pi'} + \left(\sum_n E_{Z|X,\theta}[(1-z(n))]\right)\frac{(-1)}{1-\pi'}$$

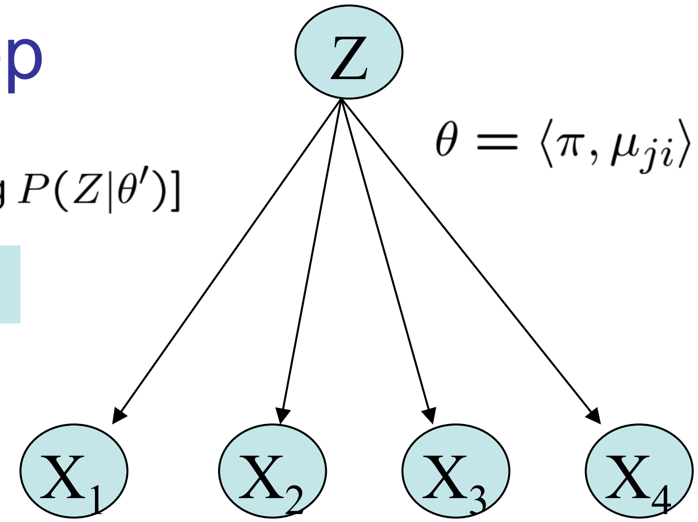
$$\boxed{\pi \leftarrow \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N E[z(n)]}{\left(\sum_{n=1}^N E[z(n)]\right) + \left(\sum_{n=1}^N (1-E[z(n)])\right)} = \frac{1}{N}\sum_{n=1}^N E[z(n)]}$$

EM – M Step

Now consider update for μ_{ji}

$$Q(\theta'|\theta) = E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(X,Z|\theta')] = E[\log P(X|Z,\theta') + \log P(Z|\theta')]$$

μ_{ji}' has no influence



$$\theta = \langle \pi, \mu_{ji} \rangle$$

$$\mu_{ji} \leftarrow \arg\max_{\mu'_{ji}} E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(X|Z,\theta')]$$

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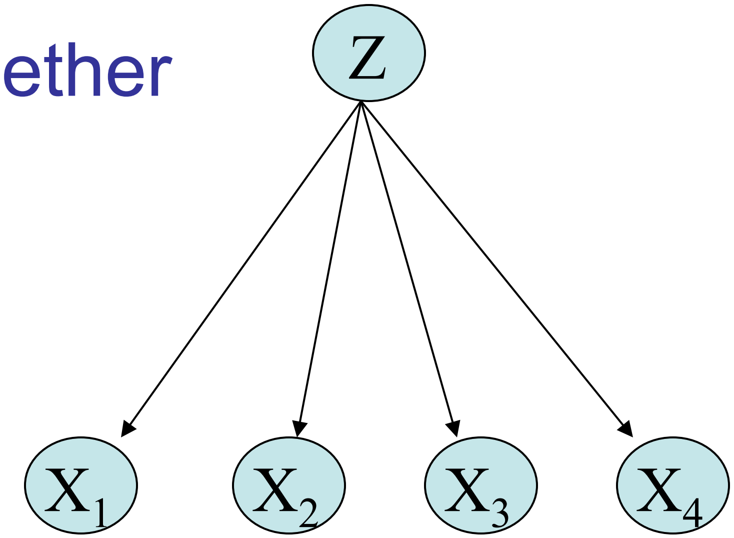
$$\boxed{\mu_{ji} \leftarrow \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{N} P(z(n)=j|x(n),\theta) \quad x_i(n)}{\sum_{n=1}^{N} P(z(n)=j|x(n),\theta)}}$$

Compare above to MLE if Z were observable:

$$\mu_{ji} \leftarrow \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{N} \delta(z(n)=j) \quad x_i(n)}{\sum_{n=1}^{N} \delta(z(n)=j)}$$

EM – putting it together



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- M Step: Update $\theta \leftarrow \arg\max_{\theta'} Q(\theta'|\theta)$

P(z=1)

$$\pi \leftarrow \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^{N} E[z(n)]$$

$$\mu_{ji} \leftarrow \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{N} P(z(n) = j|x(n), \theta) \quad x_i(n)}{\sum_{n=1}^{N} P(z(n) = j|x(n), \theta)}$$

What you should know about EM

- For learning from partly unobserved data
- MLE of θ = $\arg\max_\theta \log P(data|\theta)$
- EM estimate: θ = $\arg\max_\theta E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(X,Z|\theta)]$

  Where X is observed part of data, Z is unobserved
- Nice case is Bayes net of boolean vars:
  – M step is like MLE, with with unobserved values replaced by their expected values, given the other observed values
- EM for training Bayes networks
- Can also develop MAP version of EM
- Can also derive your own EM algorithm for your own problem
  – write out expression for $E_{Z|X,\theta}[\log P(X,Z|\theta)]$
  – E step: for each training example X^k, calculate $P(Z^k \mid X^k, \theta)$
  – M step: chose new θ to maximize

Learning Bayes Net Structure

How can we learn Bayes Net graph structure?

In general case, open problem

- can require lots of data (else high risk of overfitting)
- can use Bayesian methods to constrain search

One key result:

- Chow-Liu algorithm: finds “best” tree-structured network
- What’s best?
  - suppose P(**X**) is true distribution, T(**X**) is our tree-structured network, where **X** = <X_1, … X_n>
  - Chow-Liu minimizes Kullback-Leibler divergence:

$$KL(P(\mathbf{X}) \mid\mid T(\mathbf{X})) \equiv \sum_k P(\mathbf{X}=k) \log \frac{P(\mathbf{X}=k)}{T(\mathbf{X}=k)}$$

Chow-Liu Algorithm

Key result: To minimize KL(P || T), it suffices to find the tree network T that maximizes the sum of mutual informations over its edges

Mutual information for an edge between variable A and B:

$$I(A,B) = \sum_a \sum_b P(a,b) \log \frac{P(a,b)}{P(a)P(b)}$$

This works because for tree networks with nodes $\mathbf{X} \equiv \langle X_1 \ldots X_n \rangle$

$$\begin{aligned} KL(P(\mathbf{X}) \,||\, T(\mathbf{X})) &\equiv \sum_k P(\mathbf{X}=k) \log \frac{P(\mathbf{X}=k)}{T(\mathbf{X}=k)} \\ &= -\sum_i I(X_i, Pa(X_i)) + \sum_i H(X_i) - H(X_1 \ldots X_n) \end{aligned}$$

Chow-Liu Algorithm

1. for each pair of vars A,B, use data to estimate P(A,B), P(A), P(B)

2. for each pair of vars A,B calculate mutual information

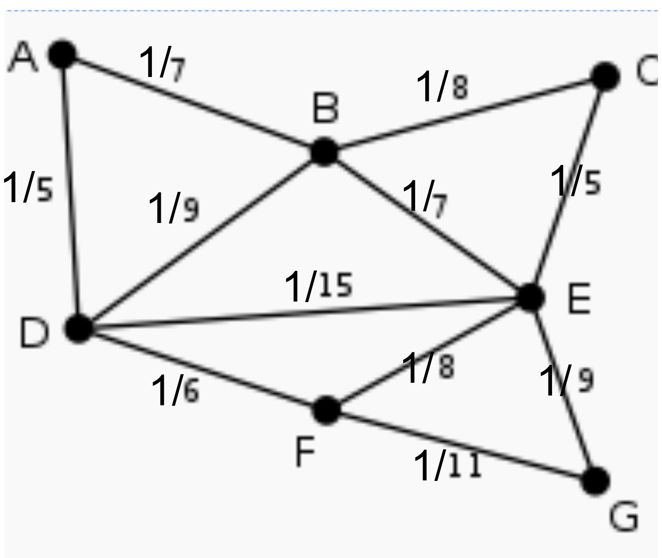
$$I(A,B) = \sum_a \sum_b P(a,b) \log \frac{P(a,b)}{P(a)P(b)}$$

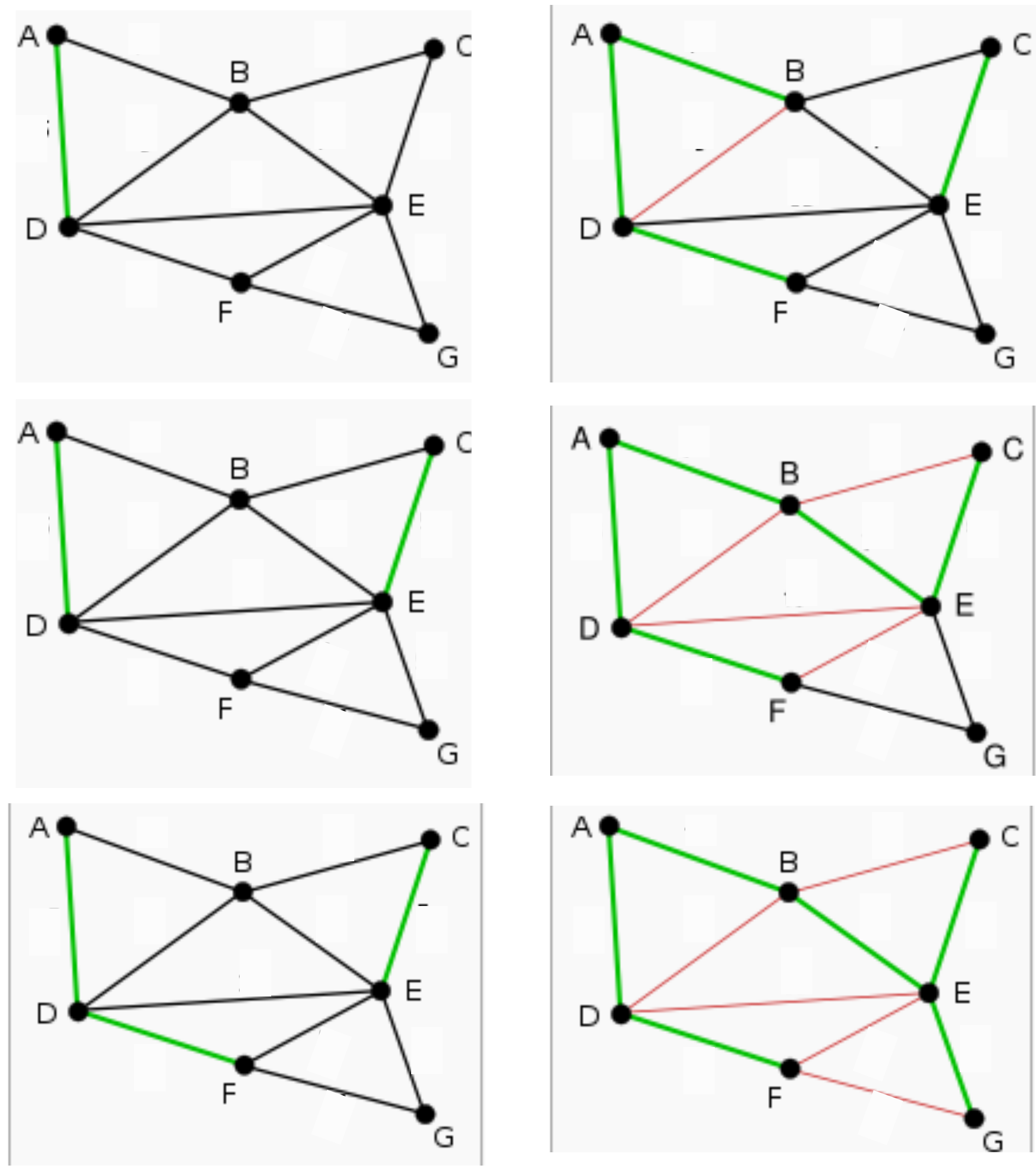
3. calculate the maximum spanning tree over the set of variables, using edge weights *I(A,B)*
   (given N vars, this costs only $O(N^2)$ time)

4. add arrows to edges to form a directed-acyclic graph

5. learn the CPD's for this graph

Chow-Liu algorithm example
Greedy Algorithm to find Max-Spanning Tree





[courtesy A. Singh, C. Guestrin]

Bayes Nets – What You Should Know

- Representation
  - Bayes nets represent joint distribution as a DAG + Conditional Distributions
  - D-separation lets us decode conditional independence assumptions
- Inference
  - NP-hard in general
  - For some graphs, closed form inference is feasible
  - Approximate methods too, e.g., Monte Carlo methods, …
- Learning
  - Easy for known graph, fully observed data (MLE's, MAP est.)
  - EM for partly observed data, known graph
  - Learning graph structure: Chow-Liu for tree-structured networks
  - Hardest when graph unknown, data incompletely observed