

Same setup as in [Felsenstein](#).

Outline

Input: T_σ, \mathcal{D}

Output: All marginal distributions $P(V_u | \mathcal{D}, T)$ for $u \in V \setminus L(T)$

This requires two passes of "message passing" (see N. Friedman Probabilistic graphical models: Principles and techniques, D Koller - 2009 - MIT Press: Cambridge, MA, USA).

Message

The messages and the DP algorithm to compute them is closely related to [Felsenstein](#).

Consider any tree edge $B \rightarrow A$ between inner nodes A and B .

Let $\mathcal{D}_{|u}$ for any $u \in V \setminus L(T)$ denote the data restricted to leaves below u .

Let $\mathcal{D}_{|-u}$ for any $u \in V \setminus L(T)$ denote the data restricted to all other leaves not below u .

Upward message:

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \uparrow_{A,B} &= \sum_a P(A = a | B) \prod_{C \in \text{child}(A)} \delta \uparrow_{C,A=a} \\ &= \sum_a P(A = a | B) \alpha(A, a) \\ &= P(D_{|A} | B) \end{aligned}$$

with $\delta \uparrow_{A,B=b} = P(D_{|A} | B = b)$. If $P_{B,A}$ is the transition matrix along edge $B \rightarrow A$ then $\delta \uparrow_{A,B} = P_{B,A} \alpha(A, \cdot)$.

Initial case (where A is leaf): $\delta \uparrow_{A,B} = P_{B,A} \mathcal{D}_A$.

Downward message:

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \downarrow_{B,A} &= \left(\prod_{C \in \text{child}(B) \setminus \{A\}} \delta \uparrow_{C,B=b} \right) \sum_p P(B | \text{parent}(B) = p) \delta \downarrow_{\text{parent}(B)=p,B} \\ &= \frac{\alpha(B, \cdot)}{\delta \uparrow_{A,B}} \sum_p P(B | \text{parent}(B) = p) \delta \downarrow_{\text{parent}(B)=p,B} \\ &= \frac{\alpha(B, \cdot)}{\delta \uparrow_{A,B}} P_{\text{parent}(B),B}^T \delta \downarrow_{\text{parent}(B),B} \\ &= P(D_{-A}, B) \end{aligned}$$

with $\delta \downarrow_{B=b,A} = P(D_{-A}, B = b)$.

Initial case (where B is root): $\delta \downarrow_{B,A} = P(B) \frac{\alpha(B, \cdot)}{\delta_{A,B}}$.

with α computed by [Felsenstein](#).

Beliefs:

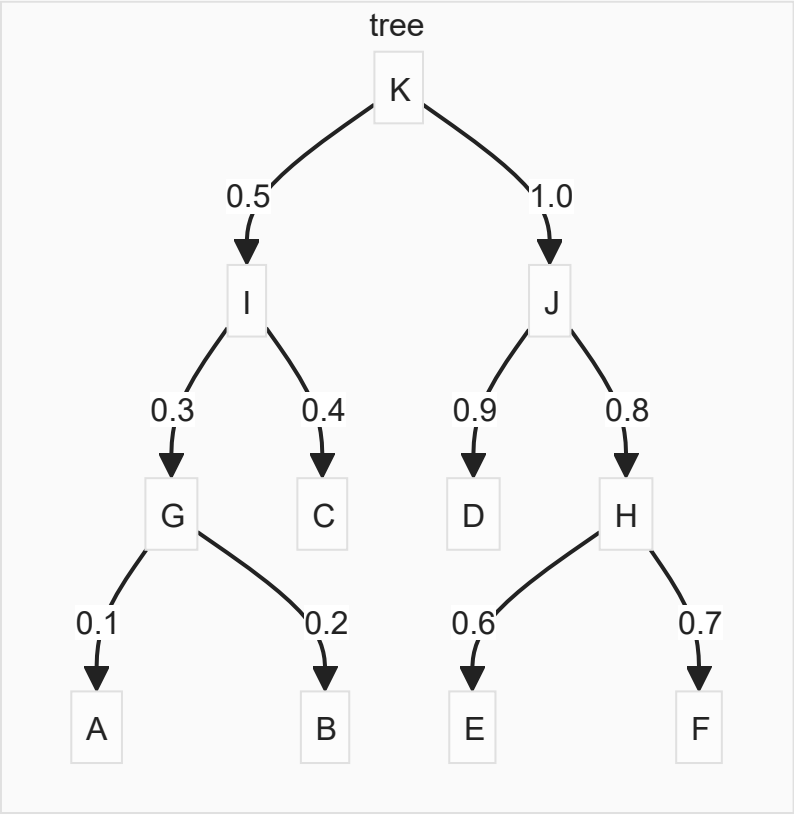
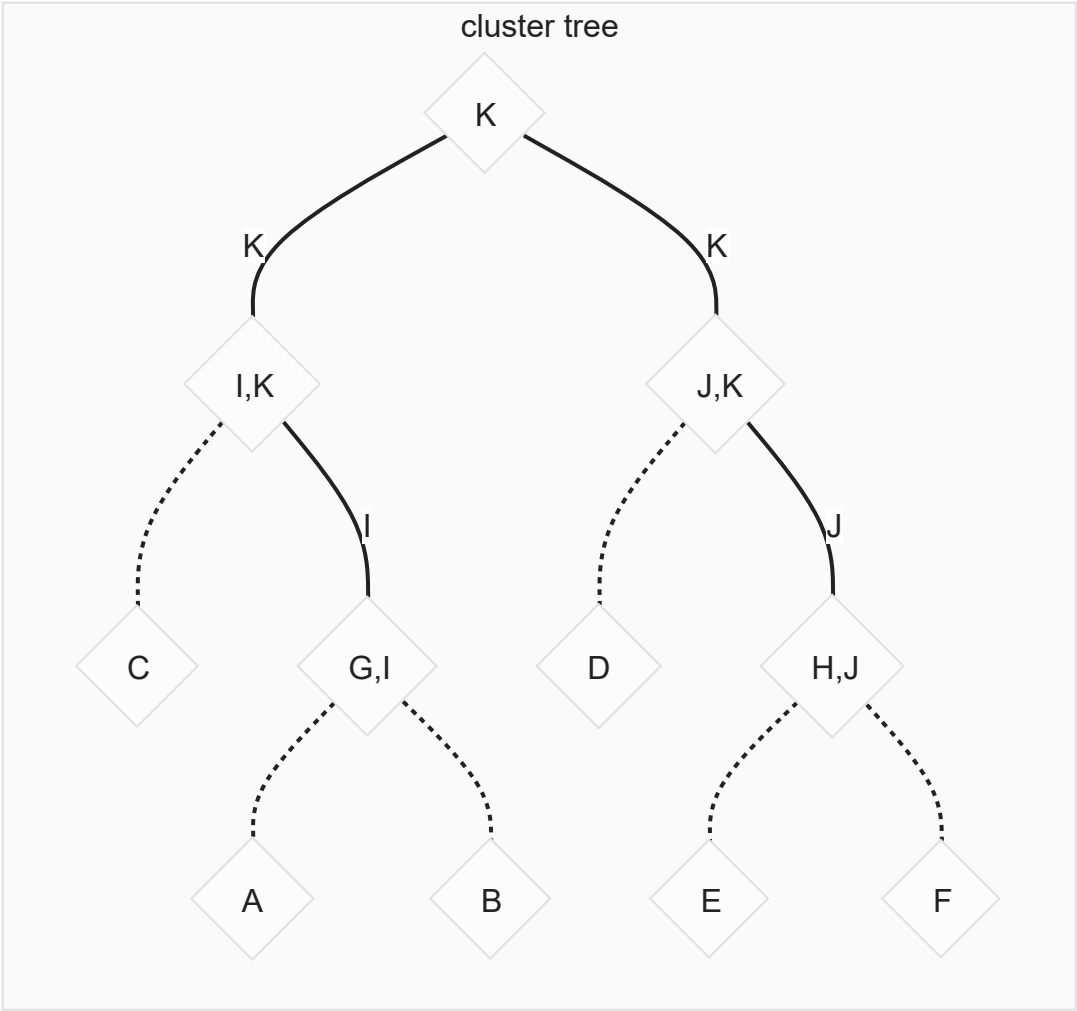
$$\begin{aligned} \beta_X &= \left(\prod_{C \in \text{child}(X)} \delta \uparrow_{C,X} \right) \sum_p P(X | \text{parent}(X) = p) \delta \downarrow_{\text{parent}(X)=p,X} \\ &= \alpha(X, \cdot) \sum_p P(X | \text{parent}(X) = p) \delta \downarrow_{\text{parent}(X)=p,X} \\ &= \alpha(X, \cdot) P_{\text{parent}(X),X}^T \delta \downarrow_{\text{parent}(X),X} \\ &= P(\mathcal{D}, X) \end{aligned}$$

for $X \neq \text{root}$ and $\beta_{\text{root}} = \alpha(\text{root}, \cdot) \pi$.

Example

Distribution $P(A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K) = P(K)P(I|K)P(J|K)P(C|I)P(G|I)P(A|G)P(B|G)P(D|J)P(H|J)P(E|H)P(F|H)$.

We have evidence $e = \{A, B, C, D\}$ so they disappear in the [cluster tree](#).



\mathcal{D}

	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	1	0	0	0	1	1
2	0	1	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	1	0	0	0
4	0	0	0	1	0	0

Model: Jukes-Cantor

$$P_{i,i}^{\tau} = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4}\exp(-\frac{4}{3}\tau)$$

$$P_{i,j}^{\tau} = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4}\exp(-\frac{4}{3}\tau)$$

Upward pass:

$$\delta \uparrow_{A,G} = (0.90638, 0.031207, 0.031207, 0.031207)^T$$

$$\delta \uparrow_{B,G} = (0.058518, 0.824446, 0.058518, 0.058518)^T$$

$$\delta \uparrow_{C,I} = (0.103338, 0.103338, 0.689985, 0.103338)^T$$

$$\delta \uparrow_{D,J} = (0.174701, 0.174701, 0.174701, 0.475896)^T$$

$$\delta \uparrow_{E,H} = (0.586997, 0.137668, 0.137668, 0.137668)^T$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \uparrow_{F,H} &= (0.544931, 0.15169, 0.15169, 0.15169)^T \\ \alpha(G, \cdot) &= (0.05303954, 0.02572849, 0.00182617, 0.00182617)^T \\ \alpha(H, \cdot) &= (0.31987286, 0.02088286, 0.02088286, 0.02088286)^T \\ \delta \uparrow_{G,I} &= (0.04234655, 0.02403941, 0.0080172, 0.0080172)^T \\ \delta \uparrow_{H,J} &= (0.17280427, 0.06990572, 0.06990572, 0.06990572)^T \\ \alpha(I, \cdot) &= (0.00437601, 0.00248418, 0.00553175, 0.00082848)^T \\ \alpha(J, \cdot) &= (0.03018908, 0.0122126, 0.0122126, 0.03326785)^T \\ \delta \uparrow_{I,K} &= (0.00385493, 0.00288363, 0.0044483, 0.00203356)^T \\ \delta \uparrow_{J,K} &= (0.02413692, 0.01939837, 0.01939837, 0.02494847)^T \\ \alpha(K, \cdot) &= (9.30461370e-05, 5.59377217e-05, 8.62897693e-05, 5.07342107e-05)^T \end{aligned}$$

Downward pass and Beliefs:

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \downarrow_{K,I} &= (0.00603423, 0.00484959, 0.00484959, 0.00623712)^T \\ \delta \downarrow_{K,J} &= (0.00096373, 0.00072091, 0.00111207, 0.00050839)^T \\ \delta \downarrow_{I,G} &= (0.00059633, 0.00053348, 0.00356204, 0.0006071)^T \\ \delta \downarrow_{J,H} &= (0.00015068, 0.0001395, 0.00015751, 0.00035334)^T \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_G &= (4.43660557e-05, 2.04372134e-05, 5.15791894e-06, 1.54072264e-06)^T \\ \beta_H &= (5.85991776e-05, 3.74529033e-06, 3.87472667e-06, 5.28214031e-06)^T \\ \beta_I &= (2.52526318e-05, 1.28245382e-05, 2.85575679e-05, 4.86720826e-06)^T \\ \beta_J &= (2.60383153e-05, 9.75177438e-06, 1.10109992e-05, 2.47007606e-05)^T \\ \beta_K &= (2.32615342e-05, 1.39844304e-05, 2.15724423e-05, 1.26835527e-05)^T \end{aligned}$$

Marginals:

$$\begin{aligned} P(G|\mathcal{D}) &= (0.62048769, 0.28582751, 0.0721368, 0.02154799)^T \\ P(H|\mathcal{D}) &= (0.81955362, 0.0523807, 0.05419097, 0.07387471)^T \\ P(I|\mathcal{D}) &= (0.35317405, 0.17935929, 0.39939567, 0.06807099)^T \\ P(J|\mathcal{D}) &= (0.36416282, 0.13638493, 0.15399601, 0.34545625)^T \\ P(K|\mathcal{D}) &= (0.32532723, 0.19558108, 0.30170421, 0.17738748)^T \end{aligned}$$