

Algorithm for dr-tree reconstruction

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Let D_{nj} be the data corresponding to n th sample and j th gene. We assume for now that the data is Gaussian in its distribution. We assume there are K factors or nodes of the tree. We assume the model

$$E[D_{nj}|Z_n = (k_1, k_2), \lambda_n = q, F] = qF_{k_1,j} + (1 - q)F_{k_2,j}$$

We assume a prior on λ ,

$$Pr[\lambda_n = q] = \pi_q$$

Then we can write

$$Pr[D_n|Z_n = (k_1, k_2), F] = \sum_q \pi_q Pr[D_n|Z_n = (k_1, k_2), \lambda_n = q, F]$$

We also assume the prior

$$Pr[Z_n = (k_1, k_2)] = \pi_{k_1, k_2} \quad k_1 < k_2$$

Then we can write

$$Pr[D_n|\pi, F] = \sum_{k_1 < k_2} \pi_{k_1, k_2} Pr[D_n|Z_n = (k_1, k_2), F]$$

The overall likelihood

$$L(\pi, F) = \prod_{n=1}^N Pr[D_n|\pi, F]$$

We assume that q can take a finite set of values between 0 and 1, say $1/100, 2/100, \dots, 90/100, 1$.

Suppose we have run upto m iterations. For the $(m+1)$ th iteration, we have

$$\delta_{n, k_1, k_2, c}^{(m+1)} = Pr[Z_n = (k_1, k_2), \lambda_n = q | \pi^{(m)}, F^{(m)}, D_n]$$

$$\delta_{n, k_1, k_2, c}^{(m+1)} \propto Pr[Z_n = (k_1, k_2)] Pr[\lambda_n = q] Pr[D_n | \pi^{(m)}, F^{(m)}, Z_n = (k_1, k_2), \lambda_n = q]$$

$$\delta_{n, k_1, k_2, c}^{(m+1)} \propto \pi_{k_1, k_2}^{(m)} \pi_q^{(m)} \prod_j N(D_{nj} | qF_{k_1,j} + (1 - q)F_{k_2,j}, s_j^2)$$

where s_j^2 is the estimated variance of the gene j .

We define

$$\pi_{k_1, k_2}^{(m+1)} \pi_q^{(m+1)} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \delta_{n, k_1, k_2, q}^{(m+1)}$$

Taking sum over q on either side we get

$$\pi_{k_1, k_2}^{(m+1)} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_q \sum_{n=1}^N \delta_{n, k_1, k_2, q}^{(m+1)}$$

Again taking sum over k_1 and k_2 ,

$$\pi_q^{(m+1)} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k_1 < k_2} \sum_{n=1}^N \delta_{n, k_1, k_2, q}^{(m+1)}$$

We have therefore updated $\pi_{k_1, k_2}^{(m)}$ to $\pi_{k_1, k_2}^{(m+1)}$ and $\pi_q^{(m)}$ to $\pi_q^{(m+1)}$.

We define the parameter

$$\theta := (\pi_{k_1, k_2}, \pi_\lambda, F)$$

We define the complete loglikelihood

$$\log L(\theta; D, Z) = \log \pi_\lambda + \log \pi_{k_1, k_2} + \log L(D|Z, q, F)$$

We take the expectation of this quantity with respect to $[Z, \lambda|D, \theta^{(m)}]$.

$$Q(\theta|\theta^{(m)}) = - \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k_1 < k_2} \sum_q \delta_{k_1, k_2, q}^{(m+1)} \sum_j \frac{(D_{nj} - qF_{k_1, j} - (1-q)F_{k_2, j})^2}{s_j^2}$$

We try to maximize this quantity with respect to F ,

Conditional on $[Z, \lambda|D, \theta^{(m)}]$, we can write

$$D_{N \times J} = L_{N \times K} F_{K \times J} + E_{N \times J}$$

where

$$e_{nj} \sim N(0, s_j^2)$$

We define

$$D'_{nj} := \frac{D_{nj}}{s_j}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L_{nk} &= q \text{ or } (1-q) & \lambda_n &= q \\ &= 0 \text{ o.w} \end{aligned}$$

We have

$$E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} [L_{nk}] = \sum_q \sum_{k_2 > k} q \delta_{n,k,k_2,q}^{(m+1)} + \sum_q \sum_{k_1 < k} (1-q) \delta_{n,k_1,k,q}^{(m+1)}$$

$$E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} [L_{nk}^2] = \sum_q \sum_{k_2 > k} q^2 \delta_{n,k,k_2,q}^{(m+1)} + \sum_q \sum_{k_1 < k} (1-q)^2 \delta_{n,k_1,k,q}^{(m+1)}$$

Also for any $k \neq l$,

$$E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} [L_{nk} L_{nl}] = \sum_q q(1-q) \delta_{n,k,l,q}^{(m+1)}$$

We use these to solve for the equation

$$[E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} (L^T L)] F \approx [E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} (L)]^T D$$

The solution therefore is

$$F \approx [E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} (L^T L)]^{-1} [E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} (L)]^T D$$

For $W = L^T L$

$$W_{kl} = \sum_n L_{kn} L_{nl}$$

$$E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} (W_{kl}) = \sum_n E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} (L_{kn} L_{nl})$$

We use the definition of $E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} [L_{nk}^2]$ and $E_{Z,\lambda|D,\theta^{(m)}} [L_{nk} L_{nl}]$ from above to solve this linear solver.