

信息论第七次小测解答

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第 1 题

考虑离散随机变量 $(X, Y) \sim P_{XY}$, 证明:

1) $\forall Q_X$ over X , $I(X; Y) \leq D(P_{XY} \| Q_X P_Y)$.

2) $\forall Q_X$ over X , Q_Y over Y , $I(X; Y) = \min_{Q_X, Q_Y} D(P_{XY} \| Q_X Q_Y)$.

证明: a):

$$D(P_{XY} \| Q_X P_Y) - I(X; Y) \quad (1)$$

$$= \mathbf{E}_{P(X, Y)} \left[\log \frac{P_{XY}(X, Y)}{Q_X(X) P_Y(Y)} \right] - \mathbf{E}_{P(X, Y)} \left[\log \frac{P_{XY}(X, Y)}{P_X(X) P_Y(Y)} \right] \quad (2)$$

$$= \mathbf{E}_{P(X, Y)} \left[\frac{P_X(X)}{Q_X(X)} \right] = \mathbf{E}_{P(X)} \left[\frac{P_X(X)}{Q_X(X)} \right] \quad (3)$$

$$= D(P_X(X) \| Q_X(X)) \geq 0. \quad (4)$$

b):

$$D(P_{XY} \| Q_X Q_Y) - I(X; Y) \quad (5)$$

$$= \mathbf{E}_{P(X, Y)} \left[\log \frac{P_{XY}(X, Y)}{Q_X(X) Q_Y(Y)} \right] - \mathbf{E}_{P(X, Y)} \left[\log \frac{P_{XY}(X, Y)}{P_X(X) P_Y(Y)} \right] \quad (6)$$

$$= \mathbf{E}_{P(X, Y)} \left[\frac{P_X(X)}{Q_X(X)} \right] + \mathbf{E}_{P(X, Y)} \left[\frac{P_Y(Y)}{Q_Y(Y)} \right] \quad (7)$$

$$= \mathbf{E}_{P(X)} \left[\frac{P_X(X)}{Q_X(X)} \right] + \mathbf{E}_{P(Y)} \left[\frac{P_Y(Y)}{Q_Y(Y)} \right] \quad (8)$$

$$= D(P_X(X) \| Q_X(X)) + D(P_Y(Y) \| Q_Y(Y)) \geq 0. \quad (9)$$

从而:

1. $\forall Q_X$ over X , Q_Y over Y , $D(P_{XY} \| Q_X Q_Y) \geq I(X; Y)$ 。

2. 若 $Q_X(X) = P_X(X)$, $Q_Y(Y) = P_Y(Y)$, 则 $D(P_{XY} \| Q_X Q_Y) = I(X; Y)$ 。

故 $I(X; Y) = \min_{Q_X, Q_Y} D(P_{XY} \| Q_X Q_Y)$ 。

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