# Understanding kernel computations

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### Abstract

Kernels are explained

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### 1 Data

### Problem setting

• States:  $|S| = 2 \longrightarrow S = \{0, 1\}$ 

• Actions:  $|A| = 2 \longrightarrow A = \{0, 1\}$ 

• Observations:  $|\Omega| = 2 \longrightarrow \Omega = \{0, 1\}$ 

### MDP

• 1D transition matrix: T(s, a) = s'

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{|A||S|}$$

• 1D inverse transition matrix:  $T_{\text{inv}}(s', a) = s$ 

$$T_{\text{inv}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{|A||S|}$$

• Observation matrix:  $O(a, s', o) = \Pr(o \mid a_t = a, s_{t+1} = s')$ 

$$O = \begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 & 0.2 \\ 0.1 & 0.2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 & 0.2 \\ 0.1 & 0.2 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}_{|A||S||\Omega|}$$

• Reward: R(s, a)

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}_{|S||A|}$$

### Alpha vectors + belief set

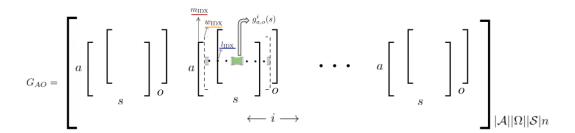
• Alpha vectors: n=2

$$\Gamma = \begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}_{n|S|}$$

• Belief set: |B| = 2

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0.4 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}_{|B||S|}$$

## 2 Compute $G_{AO}$



$$g_{a,o}^{i}(\mathbf{s}) = \sum_{s'} O(a, s', o) T(\mathbf{s}, a, s') \alpha_{i}(s')$$

$$= O(a, s', o) \underbrace{T(\mathbf{s}, a, s')}_{=1} \alpha_{i}(s') \text{ with } s' = T(\mathbf{s}, a)$$

Access:

$$g_{a,o}^{i}(s) = G_{AO} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} i \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{4D}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} o \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{3D}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{2D}}$$
$$O(a, s', o) = O \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} o \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{3D}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s' \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{2D}}$$
$$\alpha_{i}(s') = \Gamma[i][s']$$

### Computation:

$$\begin{split} i &= 0, o = 0 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 0][a = 0][s = 0] \leftarrow O[o = 0][a = 0] \underbrace{[s' = 0]}_{T[a = 0][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 0] = 0.1 \cdot 1 = 0.1 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 0][a = 0][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 0][a = 0] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 0][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 0][a = 1][s = 0] \leftarrow O[o = 0][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 0][a = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 0][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ i &= 0, o = 1 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 0][s = 0] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 0] \underbrace{[s' = 0]}_{T[a = 0][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 0] = 0.1 \cdot 1 = 0.1 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 0][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 0] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 0][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s = 0] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1][s' = 1] \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1][s' = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1][s' = 1] \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 2 = 0.4 \\ G_{AO}[i = 0][o = 1][a = 1][s' = 1][s' = 1] \cdot \Gamma[i = 0][s' = 1][s' = 1][s'$$

$$\begin{split} i &= 1, o = 0 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 0][a = 0][s = 0] \leftarrow O[o = 0][a = 0] \underbrace{[s' = 0]}_{T[a = 0][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 0] = 0.1 \cdot 0 = 0 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 0][a = 0][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 0][a = 0] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 0][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 0][a = 1][s = 0] \leftarrow O[o = 0][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 0][a = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 0][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 1]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ \vdots &= 1, o = 1 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 0][s = 0] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 0] \underbrace{[s' = 0]}_{T[a = 0][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 0] = 0.1 \cdot 0 = 0 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 0][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 0] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 1][s = 0] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1] \underbrace{[s' = 1]}_{T[a = 1][s = 0]} \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1][s = 1] \leftarrow O[o = 1][a = 1][s = 1] \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1][s = 1][s' = 1] \cdot \Gamma[i = 1][s' = 1] = 0.2 \cdot 3 = 0.6 \\ G_{AO}[i = 1][o = 1][a = 1][s = 1][s' =$$

The final matrix is

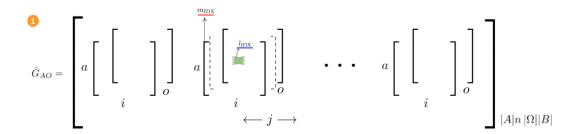
$$G_{AO} = \begin{bmatrix} o = 0 & o = 1 \\ a \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 & 0.4 \\ 0.4 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 & 0.4 \\ 0.4 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix} & i = 0 \\ s & s \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} o = 0 & o = 1 \\ a \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.6 \\ 0.6 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.6 \\ 0.6 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} & i = 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Kernel computation example: element  $G_{AO}[i=1][o=1][o=1][a=0][s=1] = 0.6$ 

$$\begin{split} l_{\mathrm{IDX}} &= 13 \\ i &= l_{\mathrm{IDX}}/(|A||\Omega||S|) = 13/8 = 1 \\ m_{\mathrm{IDX}} &= i|A||\Omega|S| = 1*8 = 8 \\ o &= (l_{\mathrm{IDX}} - m_{\mathrm{IDX}})/|A|S| = (13-8)/4 = 5/4 = 1 \\ a &= (l_{\mathrm{IDX}} - m_{\mathrm{IDX}} - o|A||S|)/|S| = (13-8-1*4)/2 = 1/2 = 0 \\ s &= (l_{\mathrm{IDX}} - m_{\mathrm{IDX}} - o|A||S|) - a|S| = 1 - 0 = 1 \\ T[a|S| + s] &= T[0+1] = T[1] = s' = 1 \\ O[o|A||S| + a|S| + s'] &= O[1*4+0+1] = O[5] = 0.2 \\ \Gamma[i|S| + s] &= \Gamma[1*2+1] = \Gamma[3] = 3 \\ G_{AO}[l_{\mathrm{IDX}}] &= G_{AO}[13] = O[5] * T[3] = 0.2*3 = 0.6 \end{split}$$

# 3 Compute $\hat{G}_{AO}$



$$g_a^b = r_a + \gamma \sum_o \underset{\{g_{a,o}^i\}_i}{\operatorname{arg\,max}} b \cdot g_{a,o}^i$$

Access:

$$\hat{G}_{AO}$$
  $\underbrace{[j]}_{\text{4D}}$   $\underbrace{[o]}_{\text{3D}}$   $\underbrace{[a][i]}_{\text{2D}} = b_j \cdot g_{a,o}^i$ 

$$g_{a,o}^i = G_{AO}[i][o][a][:] \longrightarrow \text{find linear range}$$

$$b_j = B[j][:] \longrightarrow \text{find linear range}$$

### Computation:

$$j = 0, o = 0$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=0][o=0][a=0][i=0] \leftarrow B[j=0][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=0][o=0][a=0][:] = [0.7 \ 0.3] \cdot [0.1 \ 0.4]^T = 0.07 + 0.12 = 0.19$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=0][o=0][a=0][i=1] \leftarrow B[j=0][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=1][o=0][a=0][:] = [0.7\ 0.3] \cdot [0\ 0.6]^T = 0 + 0.18 = 0.18$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=0][o=0][a=1][i=0] \leftarrow B[j=0][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=0][o=0][a=1][:] = [0.7 \ 0.3] \cdot [0.4 \ 0.4]^T = 0.28 + 0.12 = 0.4$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=0][o=0][a=1][i=1] \leftarrow B[j=0][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=1][o=0][a=1][:] = [0.7\ 0.3] \cdot [0.6\ 0.6]^T = 0.42 + 0.18 = 0.6$$

$$j = 0, o = 1$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=0][o=1][a=0][i=0] \leftarrow B[j=0][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=0][o=1][a=0][:] = [0.7 \ 0.3] \cdot [0.1 \ 0.4]^T = 0.07 + 0.12 = 0.19$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=0][o=1][a=0][i=1] \leftarrow B[j=0][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=1][o=1][a=0][:] = [0.7 \ 0.3] \cdot [0 \ 0.6]^T = 0 + 0.18 = 0.18$$

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$$i = 1, o = 0$$

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$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=1][o=0][a=0][i=1] \leftarrow B[j=1][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=1][o=0][a=0][:] = [0.4\ 0.6] \cdot [0\ 0.6]^T = 0 + 0.36 = 0.36$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=1][o=0][a=1][i=0] \leftarrow B[j=1][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=0][o=0][a=1][:] = [0.4\ 0.6] \cdot [0.4\ 0.4]^T = 0.16 + 0.24 = 0.4$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=1][o=0][a=1][i=1] \leftarrow B[j=1][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=1][o=0][a=1][:] = [0.4 \ 0.6] \cdot [0.6 \ 0.6]^T = 0.24 + 0.36 = 0.6$$

$$j = 1, o = 1$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[j=1][o=1][o=1][a=0][i=0] \leftarrow B[j=1][:] \cdot G_{AO}[i=0][o=1][a=0][:] = [0.4 \ 0.6] \cdot [0.1 \ 0.4]^T = 0.04 + 0.24 = 0.28$$

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The final matrix is

$$\hat{G}_{AO} = \begin{bmatrix} o = 0 & o = 1 \\ a \begin{bmatrix} 0.19 & 0.18 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 0.19 & 0.18 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} & j = 0 \\ i & i & i \end{bmatrix} \quad j = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} o = 0 & o = 1 \\ a \begin{bmatrix} 0.28 & 0.36 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 0.28 & 0.36 \\ 0.4 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} & j = 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Kernel computation example: element  $\hat{G}_{AO}[j=1][o=1][o=1][i=0] = 0.4$ 

$$l_{\rm IDX} = 14$$

$$j = l_{\text{IDX}}/(|A|n|\Omega|) = 14/8 = 1$$

$$m_{\text{IDX}} = j|A|n|\Omega| = 1 * 8 = 8$$

$$o = (l_{\text{IDX}} - m_{\text{IDX}})/|A|n = (14 - 8)/4 = 6/4 = 1$$

$$a = (l_{\text{IDX}} - m_{\text{IDX}} - o|A|n)/n = (14 - 8 - 1 * 4)/2 = 2/2 = 1$$

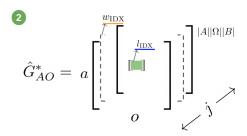
$$i = (l_{\text{IDX}} - m_{\text{IDX}} - o|A|n) - an = 2 - 1 * 2 = 0$$

$$B[j|S|:...+|S|-1] = B[1*2:...+1] = B[2:3] = [0.4 \ 0.6]$$

$$G_{AO}[i|A||\Omega||S| + o|A||S| + a|S| : \dots + |S| - 1] = G_{AO}[0 + 1 * 4 + 1 * 2 : +1] = G_{AO}[6 : 7] = [0.4 \ 0.4]$$

$$\hat{G}_{AO}[l_{\text{IDX}}] = G_{AO}[14] = B[2:3] \cdot G_{AO}[6:7] = [0.4 \ 0.6] \cdot [0.4 \ 0.4]^T = 0.16 + 0.24 = \frac{0.4}{100} \cdot [0.4 \ 0.4]^T = 0.24 = \frac{0.4}{100} \cdot [0.4 \ 0.4]^T = 0.24 = \frac{0.4}{100} \cdot [0.4$$

# 4 Compute $\hat{G}_{AO}^*$



$$g_a^b = r_a + \gamma \sum_o \left[ \underset{\{g_{a,o}^i\}_i}{\operatorname{arg\,max}} \ b \cdot g_{a,o}^i \right]$$

Access:

$$\hat{G}_{AO}^* \underbrace{[j]}_{\text{3D}} \underbrace{[a][o]}_{\text{2D}} = i_{a,o,j}^* = \arg \max_i \ b_j \cdot g_{a,o}^i$$

$$b_j \cdot g_{a,o}^i = \hat{G}_{AO}[j][o][a][i]$$

Computation:

$$\hat{G}_{AO}^{*}[j=0][a=0][o=0] = \arg\max_{i} \left\{ \hat{G}_{AO}[j=0][o=0][a=0][i] \middle| i=0,1 \right\} = 0$$

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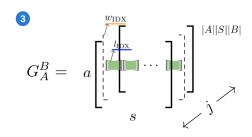
The final matrix is

$$\hat{G}_{AO}^* = \begin{bmatrix} a \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} j = 0 \\ o \\ a \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} j = 1 \\ o \end{bmatrix}$$

Kernel computation example: element  $\hat{G}_{AO}^*[j=1][a=0][o=0]=1$   $l_{\mathrm{IDX}}=4$ 

$$\begin{split} j &= l_{\text{IDX}}/|A||\Omega| = 4/4 = 1 \\ w_{\text{IDX}} &= j|A||\Omega| = 1*4 = 4 \\ a &= (l_{\text{IDX}} - w_{\text{IDX}})/|\Omega| = (4-4)/2 = 0 \\ o &= (l_{\text{IDX}} - w_{\text{IDX}}) - a|\Omega| = 0 \\ i_k &= \{j|A|n|\Omega| + o|A|n + an + k \, | \, k = 0, 1\} = \{8, 9\} \\ \hat{G}_{AO}^*[l_{\text{IDX}}] &= \arg\max_k \, \hat{G}_{AO}[i_k] = \arg\max_k \{G_{AO}[i_{k=0} = 8], G_{AO}[i_{k=1} = 9]\} = \arg\max_k \{\underbrace{0.28}_{k=0}, \underbrace{0.36}_{k=1}\} = 1 \end{split}$$

# 5 Compute $G_A^B$



$$g_a^b = r_a + \gamma \sum_o \underset{\{g_{a,o}^i\}_i}{\operatorname{arg\,max}} \ b \cdot g_{a,o}^i$$

Access:

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$$G_A^B[j][a][:] = \underbrace{r_a}_{\text{access } R_{SA}} + \gamma \underbrace{\sum_o \operatorname*{arg \, max}_{\{g_{a,o}^i\}_i} g_{a,o}^i}_{\text{access } \hat{G}_{AO}^*, G_{AO}}$$

 $r_a = R_{SA}[a][:] \longrightarrow \text{find linear range}$ 

$$\arg\max_{\{g_{a,o}^i\}_i}g_{a,o}^i = G_{AO}[i_{a,o,j}^*][o][a][:] \text{ with } i_{a,o,j}^* = \hat{G}_{AO}^*[j][a][o]$$

 $\sum_{o} \arg \max_{\{g_{a,o}^i\}_i} g_{a,o}^i = G_{AO}[i_{a,o,j}^*][:][a][:] \longrightarrow \text{find double linear range, one for the index } s$ , one for the index o

Computation:

$$\begin{split} G_A^B[j=0][a=0][s=0] &= R_{SA}[a=0][s=0] + \\ &+ \gamma \Big(G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=0]}_{\hat{G}_{AO}^*[j=0][a=0][o=0]} [o=0][a=0][s=0] + G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=0]}_{\hat{G}_{AO}^*[j=0][a=0][o=1]} [o=1][a=0][s=0] \Big) = \\ &= 0 + (0.1+0.1) = 0.2 \\ G_A^B[j=0][a=0][s=1] &= R_{SA}[a=0][s=1] + \\ &+ \gamma \Big(G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=0]}_{\hat{G}_{AO}^*[j=0][a=0][o=0]} [o=0][s=1] + G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=0]}_{\hat{G}_{AO}^*[j=0][a=0][o=1]} [o=1][a=0][s=1] \Big) = \\ &= 1 + (0.4+0.4) = 1.8 \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} G_A^B[j=0][a=1][s=0] &= R_{SA}[a=1][s=0] + \\ &+ \gamma \Big(G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=1]}_{G_{AO}[j=0][a=1][o=0]} \underbrace{[o=0][a=1][s=0] + G_{AO}}_{G_{AO}[j=0][a=1][o=1]} \underbrace{[o=1][a=1][s=0]}_{G_{AO}^*[j=0][a=1][o=1]} \underbrace{[o=1][a=1][s=0]}_{G_{AO}^*[j=0][a=1][o=1]} = \\ &= 1 + (0.6+0.6) = 2.2 \\ G_A^B[j=0][a=1][s=1] &= R_{SA}[a=1][s=1] + \\ &+ \gamma \Big(G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=1]}_{G_{AO}^*[j=0][a=1][o=0]} \underbrace{[o=0][a=1][s=1] + G_{AO}}_{G_{AO}^*[j=0][a=1][o=1]} \underbrace{[o=1][a=1][s=1]}_{[o=1][o=1]} = \\ &= 0 + (0.6+0.6) = 1.2 \\ G_A^B[j=1][a=0][s=0] &= R_{SA}[a=0][s=0] + \\ &+ \gamma \Big(G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=1]}_{G_{AO}^*[j=1][a=0][o=0]} \underbrace{[o=0][a=0][s=0] + G_{AO}}_{G_{AO}^*[j=1][a=0][o=1]} \underbrace{[o=1][a=0][s=0]}_{[o=1]} = \\ &= 0 + (0+0) = 0 \\ G_A^B[j=1][a=0][s=1] &= R_{SA}[a=0][s=1] + \\ &+ \gamma \Big(G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=1]}_{G_{AO}^*[j=1][a=0][o=0]} \underbrace{[o=0][a=0][s=1] + G_{AO}}_{G_{AO}^*[j=1][a=0][o=1]} \underbrace{[o=1][a=0][s=1]}_{[o=1]} = \\ &= 1 + (0.6+0.6) = 2.2 \\ G_A^B[j=1][a=1][s=0] &= R_{SA}[a=1][s=0] + \\ &+ \gamma \Big(G_{AO} \underbrace{[i=1]}_{G_{AO}^*[j=1][a=1][o=0]} \underbrace{[o=0][a=1][s=0] + G_{AO}}_{G_{AO}^*[j=1][a=1][o=1]} \underbrace{[o=1][a=1][s=0]}_{[o=1][a=1][s=1]} = \\ &= 1 + (0.6+0.6) = 2.2 \\ G_A^B[j=1][a=1][s=1] &= 0 = 0 \\ &= 1 + (0.6+0.6) = 1.2 \end{aligned}$$

The final matrix is

$$G_A^B = \begin{bmatrix} a \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & 1.8 \\ 2.2 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix} j = 0 \\ s \\ a \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2.2 \\ 2.2 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix} j = 1 \\ s \end{bmatrix}$$

Kernel computation example: element  $G_A^B[j=0][a=1][s=1]=1.2$ 

$$l_{\rm IDX} = 3$$
 
$$j = l_{\rm IDX}/|A||S| = 3/4 = 0$$
 
$$w_{\rm IDX} = j|A||S| = 0$$

$$a = (l_{\text{IDX}} - w_{\text{IDX}})/|S| = (3 - 0)/2 = 1$$

$$s = (l_{\text{IDX}} - w_{\text{IDX}}) - a|S| = (3 - 0) - 1 * 2 = 1$$

$$\{t_k\} = \left\{j|A||\Omega| + a|\Omega| + k \mid k = 0, \dots, n - 1\right\} = \left\{0 + 1 * 2 + k \mid k = 0, 1\right\} = \left\{2, 3\right\}$$

$$\{p_k\} = \left\{i_{a,o,j}^{*(k)}|A||S||\Omega| + k|A||S| + a|S| + s \mid k = 0, 1\right\} \text{ with } i_{a,o,j}^{*(k)} = \hat{G}_{AO}^*[t_k]$$

$$= \left\{\hat{G}_{AO}^*[2] * 8 + 0 * 4 + 1 * 2 + 1 \right. , \quad \hat{G}_{AO}^*[3] * 8 + 1 * 4 + 1 * 2 + 1\right\}$$

$$= \left\{1 * 8 + 3 \right. , \quad 1 * 8 + 7\right\} = \left\{11, 15\right\}$$

$$G_A^B[l_{\text{IDX}}] = R[a|S| + s] + \gamma \sum_k G_{AO}[p_k] = R[1 * 2 + 1] + G_{AO}[11] + G_{AO}[15] = 0 + 0.6 + 0.6 = 1.2$$

# 6 Compute $\hat{G}_A^B$

$$\hat{G}_A^B = j \begin{bmatrix} \frac{l_{ ext{IDX}}}{\uparrow} \\ & \end{bmatrix}_{|B||A|}$$

$$backup(b) = \underset{\{g_a^b\}_{a \in \mathcal{A}}}{\arg \max} \left[ b \cdot g_a^b \right]$$

Access:

$$\begin{split} \hat{G}_A^B[\,j\,][\,a\,] &= b_j \cdot g_a^{b_j} \\ b_j &= B[\,j\,][\,:\,] \longrightarrow \text{find linear range} \\ g_a^{b_j} &= G_A^B[\,j\,][\,a\,][\,:\,] \longrightarrow \text{find linear range} \end{split}$$

Computation:

$$\hat{G}_{A}^{B}[j=0][a=0] = B[j=0][:] \cdot G_{A}^{B}[j=0][a=0][:] = [0.7 \ 0.3] \cdot [0.2 \ 1.8]^{T} = 0.14 + 0.54 = 0.68$$

$$\hat{G}_{A}^{B}[j=0][a=1] = B[j=0][:] \cdot G_{A}^{B}[j=0][a=1][:] = [0.7 \ 0.3] \cdot [2.2 \ 1.2]^{T} = 1.54 + 0.36 = 1.9$$

$$\hat{G}_{A}^{B}[j=1][a=0] = B[j=1][:] \cdot G_{A}^{B}[j=1][a=0][:] = [0.4 \ 0.6] \cdot [0 \ 2.2]^{T} = 0 + 1.32 = 1.32$$

$$\hat{G}_{A}^{B}[j=1][a=1] = B[j=1][:] \cdot G_{A}^{B}[j=1][a=1][:] = [0.4 \ 0.6] \cdot [2.2 \ 1.2]^{T} = 0.88 + 0.72 = 1.6$$

The final matrix is

$$\hat{G}_A^B = j \begin{bmatrix} 0.68 & 1.9 \\ 1.32 & 1.6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Kernel computation example: element  $\hat{G}_A^B[j=1][a=1]= {\color{red} 1.6}$ 

$$l_{\text{IDX}} = 3$$

$$\begin{split} j &= l_{\text{IDX}}/|A| = 3/2 = 1 \\ a &= l_{\text{IDX}} - j|A| = 3 - 1 * 2 = 1 \\ g_a^{b_j}[s] &= G_A^B[j|A||S| + a|S| + s] = G_A^B[1 * 4 + 1 * 2 + s] = G_A^B[6 + s] \text{ , with } s = 0, \dots, |S| - 1 \\ b_j &= B[j|S| + s] = B[1 * 2 + s] = B[2 + s] \text{ , with } s = 0, \dots, |S| - 1 \\ \hat{G}_A^B[l_{\text{IDX}}] &= B[2 + s] \cdot G_A^B[6 + s] \text{ with } s = 0, 1 = [0.4 \ 0.6] \cdot [2.2 \ 1.2]^T = 0.88 + 0.72 = 1.6 \end{split}$$

### 7 Compute $B_{KP}$

$$B_{KP} = j \begin{bmatrix} \frac{l_{\text{IDX}}}{\uparrow} \\ s \end{bmatrix}_{|B||S|}$$

$$\operatorname{backup}(b) = \underset{\{g_a^b\}_{a \in \mathcal{A}}}{\operatorname{arg\,max}} \ b \cdot g_a^b$$

Access:

$$B_{KP}[\,j\,][\,:\,] = \arg\max_{\{g_a^b\}_{a\in\mathcal{A}}} \ b_j\cdot g_a^b = G_A^B[\,j\,][\,a_{b_j}^*\,][\,:\,] \longrightarrow \text{find linear range}$$
 
$$a_{b_j}^* = \hat{G}_A^{B*}[\,j\,]$$

Computation:

$$B_{KP}[j=0][:] = G_A^B[j=0] \underbrace{[a=1]}_{\hat{G}_A^{B*}[j=0]} [:] = [2.2 \ 1.2]$$

$$B_{KP}[j=1][:] = G_A^B[j=1] \underbrace{[a=1]}_{\hat{G}_A^{B*}[j=1]}[:] = [2.2 \ 1.2]$$

The final matrix is

$$B_{KP} = j \begin{bmatrix} 2.2 & 1.2 \\ 2.2 & 1.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Kernel computation example: element  $B_{KP}[j=0][s=1]=1.2$ 

$$\begin{split} l_{\text{IDX}} &= 1 \\ j &= l_{\text{IDX}}/|S| = 1/2 = 0 \\ a^*_{b_j} &= \hat{G}_A^{B*}[j] = \hat{G}_A^{B*}[0] = 1 \\ s &= l_{\text{IDX}} - j|S| = 1 - 0 = 1 \\ B_{KP}[l_{\text{IDX}}] &= G_A^B[j|A||S| + a^*_{b_j}|S| + s] = G_A^B[0 + 1 * 2 + 1] = G_A^B[3] = 1.2 \end{split}$$

$$b^{a,o} = ig[egin{array}{ccc} rac{l_{ ext{IDX}}}{\uparrow} & & & \ & & & \ & & & \ & & & \ & & & \ & & & \ & & & \ & & & \ & & & \ & & \ & & \ & & \ & & \ & & \ & & \ & & \ & & \ & \ & & \ & & \ &$$

# 8 Compute $b^{a,o}$

$$b_{a,o}(s') = \beta_{\text{norm}} \ O(a, s', o) \sum_{s \in \mathcal{S}} T(s, a, s') b(s)$$
$$= \beta_{\text{norm}} \ O(a, s', o) \underbrace{T(s, a, s')}_{=1} b(s)$$
$$= \beta_{\text{norm}} \ \hat{b}_{a,o}(s')$$

Access:

$$T_{\text{inv}}[a][s'] = s$$
  
 $b = [0.1 \ 0.9]$ 

### Computation:

$$\hat{b}_{a,o}[s'=0] \text{ with } a=1, o=0 \text{ given} \longrightarrow O[o=0][a=1][s'=0] * b \underbrace{[s=0]}_{T_{\mathrm{inv}}[a=1][s'=0]} = 0.1*0.1 = 0.01$$

$$\hat{b}_{a,o}[s'=1] \text{ with } a=1, o=0 \text{ given} \longrightarrow O[o=0][a=1][s'=1] \ * \ b \underbrace{[s=1]}_{T_{\text{inv}}[a=1][s'=1]} = 0.2*0.9 = 0.18$$

$$\beta_{\text{norm}} = \frac{1}{\sum_{s'} \hat{b}_{a,o}(s')} = \frac{1}{0.01 + 0.18} = 5.26$$

The final array is:

On CPU:

$$b_{a,o} = \beta_{\text{norm}} [0.01 \ 0.18] = [0.05 \ 0.95]$$

Kernel computation example: element  $b_{a,o}[s'=0] = 0.05$ 

$$l_{\text{IDX}} = 0 = s'$$
  
 $a = 1, o = 0$  given

$$s = T_{\rm inv}[a|S| + s'] = T_{\rm inv}[1*2+0] = 0$$

$$b_{a,o}[l_{\mathrm{IDX}}] = O[o|A||S| + a|S| + s'] * b[l_{\mathrm{IDX}}] = O[0 + 1 * 2 + 0] * b[0] = 0.1 * 0.1 = 0.01$$

On CPU: 
$$b_{a,o}[s'=0] = \beta_{\text{norm}} * \hat{b}_{a,o}[s'=0] = 5.26 * 0.01 = 0.05$$

### 9 Compute $t_{a,o}$

$$t_{a,o}(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{l_{\text{IDX}}}{\hat{r}} \\ s \end{bmatrix}_{|S|}$$

$$t_{a,o}(s) = \sum_{s' \in \mathcal{S}} T(s, a, s') O(a, s', o)$$
$$= \underbrace{T(s, a, s')}_{-1} O(a, s', o)$$

Access:

$$T_{\mathrm{inv}}[a][s] = s'$$

$$b = [0.1 \ 0.9]$$

Computation:

$$t_{a,o}[s=0] \text{ with } a=1, o=0 \text{ given} \longrightarrow O[o=0][a=1] \underbrace{[s'=1]}_{T[a=1][s=0]} = 0.2$$

$$t_{a,o}[s=1] \text{ with } a=1, o=0 \text{ given} \longrightarrow O[o=0][a=1] \underbrace{[s'=1]}_{T[a=1][s=1]} = 0.2$$

The final array is:

$$t_{a,o} = [0.2 \ 0.2]$$

Kernel computation example: element  $t_{a,o}[s=1] = 0.2$ 

$$l_{\text{IDX}} = 1 = s$$

$$a = 1, o = 0$$
 given

$$s' = T[a|S| + s] = T[1 * 2 + 1] = T[3] = 1$$

$$t_{a,o}[l_{\text{IDX}}] = O[o|A||S| + a|S| + s'] = O[0 + 1 * 2 + 1] = O[3] = 0.2$$

On CPU: 
$$p(o \mid b, a) = b \cdot t_{a,o} = [0.1 \ 0.9] \cdot [0.2 \ 0.2]^T = 0.02 + 0.18 = 0.2$$

### 10 Pseudocode

### Algorithm 1: Full backup on CUDA

### Input

- B: belief set (size  $|B| \times |S|$ )

-  $\gamma$ : discount factor

- R: reward matrix (size  $|A| \times |S|$ )

- T: transition matrix (size  $|A| \times |S|$ )

- O: observation matrix (size  $|\Omega| \times |A| \times |S|$ )

-  $\Gamma$ : set of alpha vector (size  $n \times |S|$ )

### Output

-  $B_{KP}$ : the set of new alpha vectors for each belief in the belief set B (size  $|B| \times |S|$ )

### Pseudo-code

Each step corresponds to a CUDA kernel

1. Compute the matrix  $G_{AO}$  (size  $|A||\Omega||S|n$ ) element-wise

$$g_{a,o}^i(s) = \sum_{s'} O(a,s',o) T(s,a,s') \alpha_i(s')$$

2. Compute the matrix  $\hat{G}_{AO}$  (size  $|A|n|\Omega||B|$ ) element-wise

$$\hat{G}_{AO}$$
  $\underbrace{[j]}_{\text{4D}}$   $\underbrace{[o]}_{\text{3D}}$   $\underbrace{[a][i]}_{\text{2D}} = b_j \cdot g_{a,o}^i$ 

3. Compute the matrix  $\hat{G}_{AO}^*$  (size  $|A||\Omega||B|$ ) element-wise

$$\hat{G}_{AO}^* \underbrace{[j]}_{\text{3D}} \underbrace{[a][o]}_{\text{2D}} = i_{a,o,j}^* = \underset{i}{\operatorname{arg \, max}} \ b_j \cdot g_{a,o}^i$$

4. Compute the matrix  $G_{AB}$  (size |A||S||B|) element-wise

$$G_A^B \underbrace{[j]}_{\text{3D}} \underbrace{[a][:]}_{\text{2D}} = r_a + \gamma \sum_o \underset{\{g_{a,o}^i\}_i}{\operatorname{arg max}} b \cdot g_{a,o}^i$$

5. Compute the matrix  $\hat{G}_{AB}$  (size |B||A|) element-wise

$$\hat{G}_A^B[j][a] = b_j \cdot g_a^{b_j}$$

6. Compute the vector  $\hat{G}_{AB}^*$  (size |B|) on CPU element-wise:

$$\hat{G}_{AB}^*[j] = a_{b_j}^* = \operatorname*{arg\,max}_a b_j \cdot g_a^{b_j}$$

7. Compute the matrix  $B_{KP}$  (size |B||S|) element-wise

$$B_{KP}[\,j\,][\,s\,] = \mathop{\arg\max}_{\{g_a^b\}_{a \in \mathcal{A}}} \; b_j \cdot g_a^b = G_A^B[\,j\,][\,a_{b_j}^*\,][\,s\,]$$

### Algorithm 2: Policy evaluation on CUDA

#### Input

- b: current belief (size |S|)
- $\gamma$ : discount factor
- R: reward matrix (size  $|A| \times |S|$ )
- T: transition matrix (size  $|A| \times |S|$ )
- $T_{\text{inv}}$ : inverse transition matrix (size  $|A| \times |S|$ )
- O: observation matrix (size  $|\Omega| \times |A| \times |S|$ )
- $\Gamma$ : set of alpha vector (size  $n \times |S|$ )

### Output

-  $a^*$ : best action given the current belief

#### Pseudo-code

Split sum:

$$\pi_*(b) = \underset{a \in \mathcal{A}}{\operatorname{arg\,max}} \underbrace{\sum_{s \in \mathcal{S}} b(s) R(s, a)}_{c_1} + \gamma \underbrace{\sum_{o \in \Omega} p(o|b, a) v_*(b^{a, o})}_{c_2}$$

#### foreach $action \ a \in \mathcal{A} \ \mathbf{do}$

- 1. Compute  $\sum_{s \in \mathcal{S}} b(s) R(s, a)$  as a dot product on GPU  $\longrightarrow c_1 = b \cdot R[a][:]$
- 2. Initialize  $c_2 = 0$
- 3. foreach observation  $o \in \Omega$  do
  - 4. Compute  $b_{a,o}$  on GPU  $(b, O, T_{inv}, a, o)$
  - 5. Compute  $v_*(b_{a,o}) = \max_{\{\alpha_i\}_i} b_{a,o} \cdot \alpha_i \longrightarrow \text{each dot product } b_{a,o} \cdot \alpha_i \text{ on GPU}$ 6. Compute  $p(o \mid b, a) \longrightarrow \text{dot product } b \cdot t_{a,o} \text{ on GPU}$ 7.  $c_2 + = p(o \mid b, a) v_*(b_{a,o})$

$$\operatorname{sum}_a = c_1 + \gamma \, c_2$$

**return**  $a^* = \arg \max_a \operatorname{sum}_a$