

1 Generative Models

Problem 1.1

IWAE

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By Jensen's Inequality, $f(E[X]) \leq E[f(x)]$, $\forall f(\cdot)$ is a convex function

$\therefore \log(\cdot)$ isn't a convex function

$$\Rightarrow IWAE(K) = E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\log(\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x; \phi)})]$$

$$\leq \log(\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x; \phi)}]) = \log p(x; \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow IWAE(K) \leq \log p(x; \theta) - (1)$$

$$\text{又 } \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \log(\frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x, \phi)}) \leq \log(\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x, \phi)})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\log(\frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x, \phi)})] \leq E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\log(\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x, \phi)})]$$

$$\Rightarrow E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\log(\frac{p(z, x; \theta)}{q(z|x, \phi)})] \leq E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\log(\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x, \phi)})]$$

$$\Rightarrow IWAE(1) \leq IWAE(K) - (2)$$

By (1), (2)

$$\Rightarrow IWAE(1) \leq IWAE(K) \leq \log p(x; \theta) \text{得证}$$

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$$\text{首先得 } \lim_{k \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x, \phi)} = E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\frac{p(z, x; \theta)}{q(z|x, \phi)}] = p(z, x; \theta)$$

$$\therefore \lim_{k \rightarrow +\infty} IWAE(K) = \lim_{k \rightarrow +\infty} E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\log(\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x, \phi)})]$$

$$= E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\log(\lim_{k \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x, \phi)})]$$

$$= E_{q(z|x, \phi)}[\log p(z, x; \theta)]$$

$$= \log p(z, x; \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{k \rightarrow +\infty} IWAE(K) = \log p(z, x; \theta) \text{得证}$$

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$\therefore \log(\cdot)$ is a monotonic function

$$\therefore K < L, \log(\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x; \phi)}) \leq \log(\frac{1}{L} \sum_{k=1}^L \frac{p(z^{(k)}, x; \theta)}{q(z^{(k)}|x; \phi)}) \Rightarrow IWAE(K) \leq IWAE(L) \text{得证}$$

Problem 1.2

Affine VAE and probabilistic PCA

By equation in slide, $\log p(x^{(1)}, x^{(2)}, \dots, x^{(n)}) = \log \prod_{i=1}^n p(x^{(i)})$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \int q(z|x^{(i)}) \log \frac{p(x^{(i)}, z)}{q(z|x^{(i)})} dz + \sum_{i=1}^n KL(q(z|x^{(i)}) || p(z|x^{(i)}))$$
$$= ELBO + \sum_{i=1}^n KL(q(z|x^{(i)}) || p(z|x^{(i)}))$$
$$\Rightarrow ELBO = \sum_{i=1}^n \int q(z|x^{(i)}) \log \frac{p(x^{(i)}, z)}{q(z|x^{(i)})} dz$$

如果 x is constant , 则 $\log p(x)$ is constant
已知 $\mu^*, S^* \Rightarrow q(z|x^{(i)}) = p(z|x^{(i)})$
 $\Rightarrow p(z|x) \sim \text{Multivariant Guassian Distribution}$
 $\Rightarrow \max ELBO = \log p(x)$

故下求 $\log p(x)$:

$$p(x) = \int p(x|z)p(z)dz = N(b, \lambda I + WW^T)$$
$$q(z|x) = p(z|x) = N((\lambda I + W^T W)^{-1} W^T (x - b), \lambda (\lambda I + W^T W)^{-1}) = N(\mu^*, (S^*)^2)$$
$$\Rightarrow ELBO = \log p(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n \log p(x^i) = - \sum_i (x^{(i)} - b)^T (\lambda I + WW^T)^{-1} (x^{(i)} - b) - n \log |\lambda I + WW^T|$$

Problem 1.3

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By $\min_G \max_D (E_{p_{data(x)}} [\log D(X)] + E_{p(x)} [\log(l - D(G(Z)))])$

$$D(x) = \operatorname{argmax}_D E_{p_{data(x)}} [\log D(X)] + E_{p(x)} [\log(l - D(G(Z)))]$$
$$= \operatorname{argmax}_D \int p_{data(x)} [\log D(x)] dx + \int p(x) [\log(l - D(G(z)))] dz$$
$$= \operatorname{argmax}_D \int p_{data(x)} [\log D(x)] dx + \int p(G^{-1}(x)) [\log(l - D(G(x)))] \frac{1}{(G^{-1}(x))'} dx$$
$$= \operatorname{argmax}_D \int p_{data(x)} [\log D(x)] dx + p(G^{-1}(x)) [\log(l - D(G(x)))] \frac{1}{(G^{-1}(x))'} dx$$
$$= \operatorname{argmax}_D D(x)^{p_{data(x)}} (1 - D(x))^{p_{model(x)}}$$
$$\Rightarrow D(x) = \frac{p_{data(x)}}{p_{data(x)} + p_{model(x)}} \text{ 得证}$$

2 Reinforcement Learning

Problem 2.1

Policy Improvement Theorem

在 *Markov Decision Process* , 有 *policy* π , 可用下述方式将 π 更新至 π' :

$$\forall s \in S, \pi'(s) = \operatorname{argmax}_a q^\pi(s, a)$$

$$\text{欲证} \forall s \in S, v^{\pi'}(s) \geq v^\pi(s)$$

下证 :

$$\text{By definition of state - value function and action function, } v^\pi(s) = \sum_a \pi(a|s) q^\pi(s, a) \leq q^\pi(s, \pi'(s))$$

$$\Rightarrow v^\pi(s) \leq \pi'(s)$$

$$\text{且 } q^\pi(s, \pi'(s)) = E_\pi[R_{t+1} + \dots | S_t = s, A_t = \pi'(s)]$$

$$\text{故证 } q^\pi(s, \pi'(s)) = \pi'(s) \leq v^\pi(s) \text{ , 则 } v^{\pi'}(s) \geq v^\pi(s) \text{ 即可得证}$$

$$\text{现令 } \pi'(s) = f(1), v^\pi(s) = f(\infty) \text{ , 并求证 } f(k) \leq f(k+1)$$

$$f(k) = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \gamma^i E_{\pi'}[R_{t+i+1} | S_t = s] + \sum_{s_1} \dots \sum_{s_k} \sum_a P_{ss_1}^{\pi'(s)} P_{s_1s_2}^{\pi'(s_1)} \dots P_{s_{k-1}s_k}^{\pi'(s_{k-1})} \pi(a|s_k) E_\pi[\sum_{j=k}^{\infty} \gamma^j R_{t+j} | S_t = s, A_t = a]$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \gamma^i E_{\pi'}[R_{t+i+1} | S_t = s] + \sum_{s_1} \dots \sum_{s_k} \sum_a P_{ss_1}^{\pi'(s)} P_{s_1s_2}^{\pi'(s_1)} \dots P_{s_{k-1}s_k}^{\pi'(s_{k-1})} \pi(a|s_k) \gamma^k q^\pi(s_k, a)$$

$$\leq \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \gamma^i E_{\pi'}[R_{t+i+1} | S_t = s] + \sum_{s_1} \dots \sum_{s_k} \sum_a P_{ss_1}^{\pi'(s)} P_{s_1s_2}^{\pi'(s_1)} \dots P_{s_{k-1}s_k}^{\pi'(s_{k-1})} \gamma^k q^\pi(s_k, \pi'(s_k)) = f(k+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1) \leq f(\infty)$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi'(s) \leq v^\pi(s)$$

$$\Rightarrow v^\pi(s) \leq \pi'(s) \leq v^\pi(s)$$

$$\Rightarrow v^\pi(s) \leq v^{\pi'}(s) \text{ 得证}$$