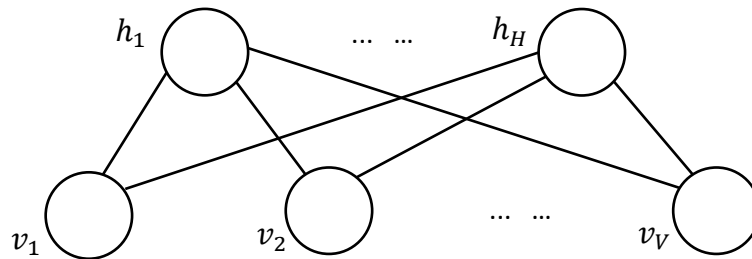


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Exercise 2

**Question 1**



**Fig. 1.1**

The restricted Boltzmann machine is a Markov Random Field (MRF) defined on a bipartite graph as shown in Fig. 3.1. It consists of a layer of visible variables  $\mathbf{v} = [v_1, \dots, v_V]^T$  and hidden variables  $\mathbf{h} = [h_1, \dots, h_H]^T$ , where all variables are binary taking states  $\{0,1\}$ . The joint distribution of the MRF is given by:

$$p(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{h}) = \frac{1}{Z(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b})} \exp(\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} \mathbf{h} + \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{h}),$$

where  $\theta = \{\mathbf{W}_{V \times H}, \mathbf{a}_{V \times 1}, \mathbf{b}_{H \times 1}\}$  are the parameters of the potential functions, and  $Z(\cdot)$  is the partition function.

a) Given that:

$$p(h_i = 1 \mid \mathbf{v}) = \sigma(b_i + \sum_j W_{ji} v_j),$$

where  $\sigma(x) = \frac{e^x}{1+e^x}$  is the sigmoid activation function. Show that the distribution of hidden units conditioned on the visible units factorizes as:

$$p(\mathbf{h} \mid \mathbf{v}) = \prod_i p(h_i \mid \mathbf{v}).$$

Show all your workings clearly.

**Answer:**

Using product rule, we have:

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(\mathbf{h}|\mathbf{v}) &= \frac{p(\mathbf{h}, \mathbf{v})}{\sum_{\mathbf{h}} p(\mathbf{h}, \mathbf{v})} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{1}{Z} \exp\{\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} \mathbf{h} + \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{h}\}}{\frac{1}{Z} \sum_{\mathbf{h}} \exp\{\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} \mathbf{h} + \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{h}\}} \\
 &= \frac{\exp\{(\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} + \mathbf{b}^T) \mathbf{h}\} \exp\{\mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{v}\}}{\sum_{\mathbf{h}} \exp\{\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} + \mathbf{b}^T\} \mathbf{h}\} \exp\{\mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{v}\}} \\
 &= \frac{\exp\{(\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} + \mathbf{b}^T) \mathbf{h}\}}{\sum_{\mathbf{h}} \exp\{\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} + \mathbf{b}^T\} \mathbf{h}\}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $\mathbf{m}^T = \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} + \mathbf{b}^T$  and since  $\mathbf{h} = [h_1, h_2, \dots, h_H]^T$ , we have:

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(\mathbf{h}|\mathbf{v}) &= \frac{\exp\{[m_1, m_2 \dots m_H][h_1, h_2 \dots h_H]^T\}}{\sum_{\mathbf{h}} \exp\{[m_1, m_2 \dots m_H][h_1, h_2 \dots h_H]^T\}} \\
 &= \frac{\exp\{m_1 h_1, m_2 h_2 \dots m_H h_H\}}{\sum_{\mathbf{h}} \exp\{m_1 h_1, m_2 h_2 \dots m_H h_H\}} \\
 &= \frac{\exp(m_1 h_1) \exp(m_2 h_2) \dots \exp(m_H h_H)}{\sum_{h_1} \sum_{h_2} \dots \sum_{h_H} \exp(m_1 h_1) \exp(m_2 h_2) \dots \exp(m_H h_H)} \\
 &= \frac{\exp(m_1 h_1)}{\sum_{h_1} \exp(m_1 h_1)} \frac{\exp(m_2 h_2)}{\sum_{h_2} \exp(m_2 h_2)} \dots \frac{\exp(m_H h_H)}{\sum_{h_H} \exp(m_H h_H)} \\
 &= \prod_i \frac{\exp(m_i h_i)}{\sum_{h_i} \exp(m_i h_i)} \\
 &= \prod_i \frac{\exp(m_i h_i)}{\exp(m_i h_i = 0) + \exp(m_i h_i = 1)} \\
 &= \prod_i \frac{\exp(m_i h_i)}{1 + \exp(m_i h_i = 1)} \\
 &= \prod_i p(h_i|\mathbf{v})
 \end{aligned}$$

- b) Assuming that the restricted Boltzmann machine consists of only 2 visible and 1 hidden variables, and the joint distribution of the MRF is given by:

$h$	$v_1$	$v_2$	$\exp(\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{W} \mathbf{h} + \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{v} + b h)$
0	0	0	1.00
0	0	1	2.13
0	1	0	4.65
0	1	1	9.90
1	0	0	3.65
1	0	1	8.66
1	1	0	4.22
1	1	1	10.01

Find the unknown parameters, i.e.  $\theta = \{\mathbf{W}_{2 \times 1}, \mathbf{a}_{2 \times 1}, b\}$ .

**Answer:**

$$\exp\left\{[v_1 \ v_2] \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} h + [a_1 \ a_2] \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} + b h\right\}$$

**Case 1:**  $h = 0, v_1 = 0, v_2 = 1$

$$\exp\left\{[0 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} 0 + [a_1 \ a_2] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + b \cdot 0\right\} = 2.13$$

$$\Rightarrow \exp(a_2) = 2.13 \Rightarrow a_2 = 0.756$$

**Case 2:**  $h = 0, v_1 = 1, v_2 = 0$

$$\exp\left\{[0 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} 0 + [a_1 \ a_2] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + b \cdot 0\right\} = 4.65$$

$$\Rightarrow \exp(a_1) = 4.65 \Rightarrow a_1 = 1.537$$

**Case 3:**  $h = 1, v_1 = 0, v_2 = 0$

$$\exp\left\{[0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} 1 + [a_1 \ a_2] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + b \cdot 1\right\} = 3.65$$

$$\Rightarrow \exp(b) = 3.65 \Rightarrow b = 1.2947$$

**Case 4:**  $h = 1, v_1 = 0, v_2 = 1$

$$\exp\left\{[0 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} 1 + [a_1 \ a_2] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + b \cdot 1\right\} = 8.66$$

$$\Rightarrow \exp(w_2 + a_2 + b) = 8.66 \Rightarrow \exp(w_2 + 0.756 + 1.2947) = 8.66$$

$$\Rightarrow w_2 + 2.0507 = 2.1587 \Rightarrow w_2 = 0.1080$$

**Case 5:**  $h = 1, v_1 = 1, v_2 = 0$

$$\exp\left\{[1 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} 1 + [a_1 \ a_2] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + b \ 1\right\} = 4.22$$

$$\Rightarrow \exp(w_1 + a_1 + b) = 4.22 \Rightarrow \exp(w_1 + 1.537 + 1.2947) = 4.22$$

$$\Rightarrow w_1 + 2.8317 = 1.4398 \Rightarrow w_1 = -1.3919$$

**Verifications:**

**Case 1:**  $h = 0, v_1 = 0, v_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \exp(0) = 1.00$

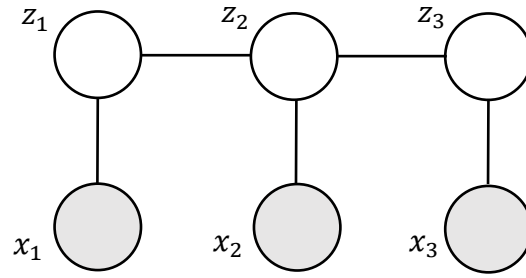
**Case 2:**  $h = 0, v_1 = 1, v_2 = 1 \Rightarrow \exp(a_1 + a_2) = \exp(1.537 + 0.756) = 9.90$

**Case 3:**  $h = 1, v_1 = 1, v_2 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \exp(v_1 W_1 h + v_2 W_2 h + a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + b h) = \exp(w_1 + w_2 + a_1 + a_2 + b)$$

$$= \exp(-1.3919 + 0.1080 + 1.537 + 0.756 + 1.2947) = 10.0122$$

## Question 2



**Fig. 2.1**

Fig. 4.1 shows a Markov Random Field (MRF) representation of a Hidden Markov Model (HMM) over three time steps. The hidden variables  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are discrete random variables that take three possible states  $z_n \in \{F, H, M\}$ , and  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  are the observed variables that take on real values  $x_n \in \mathbb{R}$ . The joint distribution is given by:

$$p(z_1, z_2, z_3, x_1, x_2, x_3) = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{n=2}^3 \psi_t(z_n, z_{n-1}) \prod_{n=1}^3 \psi_e(x_n, z_n),$$

where  $Z$  is the partition function, and the transition potential  $\psi_t(z_n, z_{n-1})$  and the emission potentials  $\psi_e(x_n, z_n)$  are given by:

$\psi_t(z_n, z_{n-1})$	$z_n = F$	$z_n = H$	$z_n = M$
$z_{n-1} = F$	2.0	3.0	5.0
$z_{n-1} = H$	1.0	6.0	3.0
$z_{n-1} = M$	4.5	2.0	2.5

$z_1$	$\psi_e(x_1, z_1)$
$F$	1.0
$H$	8.0
$M$	1.0

$z_2$	$\psi_e(x_2, z_2)$
$F$	7.0
$H$	1.0
$M$	2.0

$z_3$	$\psi_e(x_3, z_3)$
$F$	2.0
$H$	3.0
$M$	5.0

Decode the message that corresponds to the states of the hidden variables that give the maximal probability. Show all your workings clearly.

**Answer:**

The solution can be evaluated as:

$$\max_{z_1, z_2, z_3} \psi(z_3, x_3) \psi(z_2, z_3) \psi(z_2, x_2) \psi(z_1, z_2) \psi(z_1, x_1) =$$

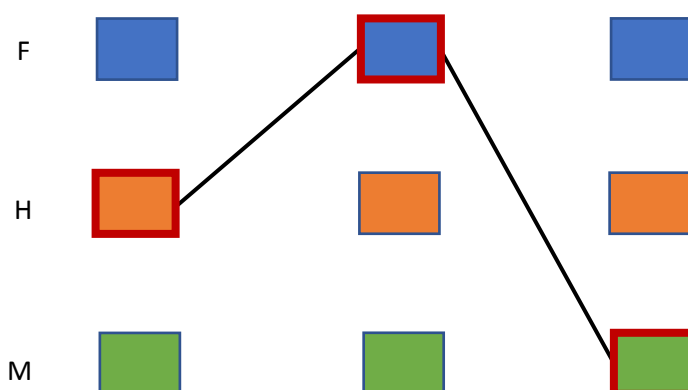
$$\max_{z_3} \psi(z_3, x_3) \max_{z_2} \psi(z_2, z_3) \psi(z_2, x_2) \max_{z_1} \psi(z_1, z_2) \psi(z_1, x_1)$$

$z_2$	$\max_{z_1} \psi(z_1, z_2) \psi(z_1, x_1) = z_2^{max}(z_1)$	$\delta^{max}(z_1)$
<b>F</b>	$\max(2.0 \times 1.0, 1.0 \times 8.0, 4.5 \times 1.0) = \max(2.0, 8.0, 4.5) = 8.0$	<b>H</b>
H	$\max(3.0 \times 1.0, 6.0 \times 8.0, 2.0 \times 1.0) = \max(3.0, 48.0, 2.0) = 48.0$	H
M	$\max(5.0 \times 1.0, 3.0 \times 8.0, 2.5 \times 1.0) = \max(5.0, 24.0, 2.5) = 24.0$	H

$z_3$	$\max_{z_2} \psi(z_2, z_3) \psi(z_2, x_2) z_2^{max}(z_1) = z_3^{max}(z_2)$	$\delta^{max}(z_2)$
F	$\max(2.0 \times 7.0 \times 8.0, 1.0 \times 1.0 \times 48.0, 4.5 \times 2.0 \times 24.0)$ $= \max(112.0, 48.0, 216.0) = 216.0$	M
H	$\max(3.0 \times 7.0 \times 8.0, 6.0 \times 1.0 \times 48.0, 2.0 \times 2.0 \times 24.0)$ $= \max(168.0, 288.0, 96.0) = 288.0$	H
<b>M</b>	$\max(5.0 \times 7.0 \times 8.0, 3.0 \times 1.0 \times 48.0, 2.5 \times 2.0 \times 24.0)$ $= \max(280.0, 144.0, 120.0) = 280.0$	<b>F</b>

$\max_{z_3} \psi(z_3, x_3) z_3^{max}(z_2)$	$\delta^{max}(z_3)$
$\max(216 \times 2.0, 288.0 \times 3.0, 280 \times 5.0)$ $= \max(432.0, 864.0, 1400.0) = 1400.0$	<b>M</b>

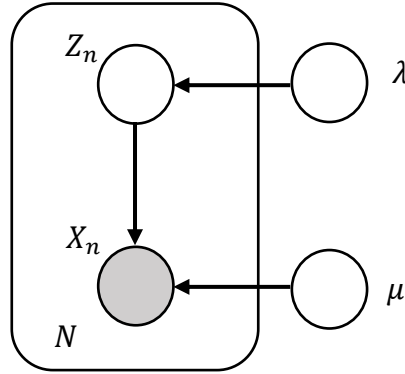
Backtracking:



The code is: HFM

### Question 3

Fig. 3.1 shows a Bayesian network of the mixture of Bernoulli Distribution.  $X_n$  is a binary random variable, i.e.  $x_n \in \{0,1\}$ .  $N$  is the total number of observations.  $Z_n$  is the 1-of- $k$  indicator random variable,  $z_{nk} = 1 \Rightarrow z_{n,j \neq k} = 0$  indicates the assignment of the random variable  $x$  to the  $k^{th}$  Bernoulli density.  $z_{nk} \in \{0,1\}$  and  $\sum_k z_{nk} = 1$ .



**Fig. 3.1**

Given the expressions for the Bernoulli distribution:

$$p(x | \mu) = \prod_{n=1}^N \mu^{x_n} (1 - \mu)^{(1-x_n)},$$

and marginal distribution of  $Z_n$ , which is a categorical distribution specified in terms of the mixing coefficients  $\lambda_k$ :

$$p(z_n) = \prod_{k=1}^K \lambda_k^{z_{nk}} = \text{cat}_{z_n}[\lambda], \text{ where } 0 \leq \lambda_k \leq 1 \text{ and } \sum_k \lambda_k = 1.$$

(a) Show that the mixture of Bernoulli distribution is given by:

$$p(x | \mu, \lambda) = \prod_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K \lambda_k \mu_k^{x_n} (1 - \mu_k)^{(1-x_n)}.$$

(b) Derive the responsibility  $\gamma(z_{nk}) = p(z_{nk} = 1 | x)$ , and show that the updates for the unknown parameters  $\mu$  and  $\lambda$  in the maximization step of the EM algorithm are given by:

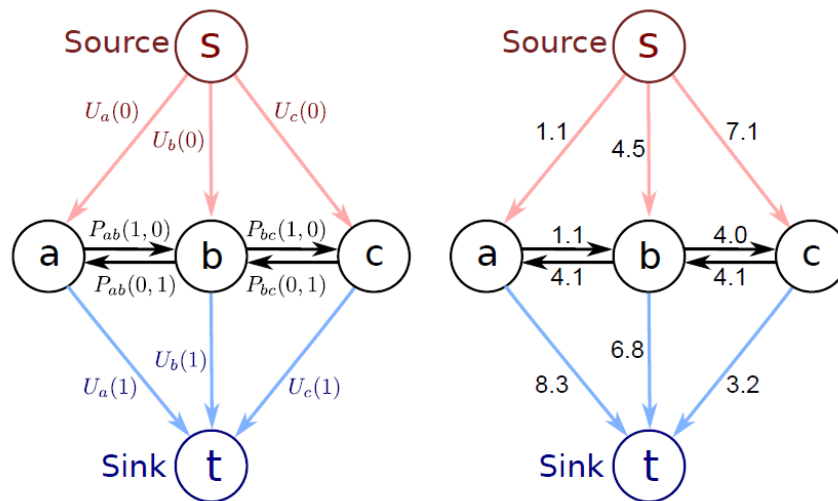
$$\begin{aligned} \mu_k &= \frac{1}{N_k} \sum_{n=1}^N \gamma(z_{nk}) x_n, \\ \lambda_k &= \frac{N_k}{N}, \text{ where } N_k = \sum_{n=1}^N \gamma(z_{nk}). \end{aligned}$$

Show all your workings clearly.

**Answer:**

Refer to Section 9.3.3 in “Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning”, Christopher Bishop.

### Question 4



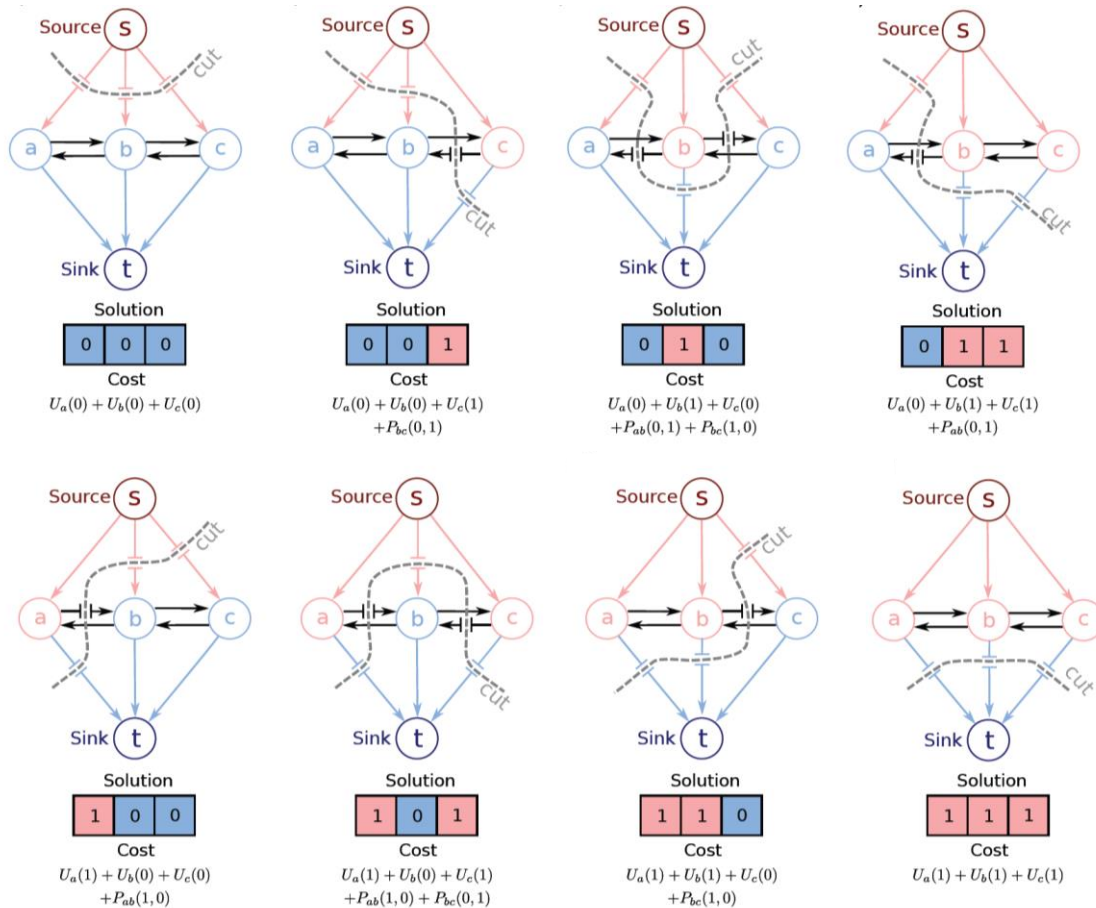
**Fig 4.1**

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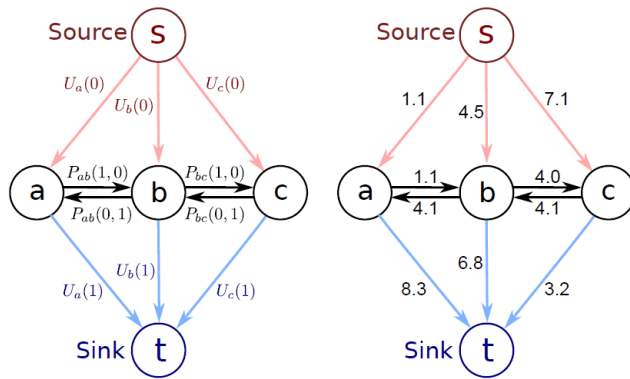
Compute the **MAP solution** to the three-pixel graph cut problem in Fig. 4.1 by

- computing the cost of all eight possible solutions explicitly and finding the one with the minimum cost, and

**Answer:**







$$U_a(0) + U_b(0) + U_c(0) = 1.1 + 4.5 + 7.1 = 12.7$$

$$U_a(0) + U_b(0) + U_c(1) + P_{bc}(0,1) = 1.1 + 4.5 + 3.2 + 4.1 = 12.9$$

$$U_a(0) + U_b(1) + U_c(0) + P_{ab}(0,1) + P_{bc}(1,0) = 1.1 + 6.8 + 7.1 + 4.1 + 4.0 = 23.1$$

$$U_a(0) + U_b(1) + U_c(1) + P_{ab}(0,1) = 1.1 + 6.8 + 3.2 + 4.1 = 15.2$$

$$U_a(1) + U_b(0) + U_c(0) + P_{ab}(1,0) = 8.3 + 4.5 + 7.1 + 1.1 = 21$$

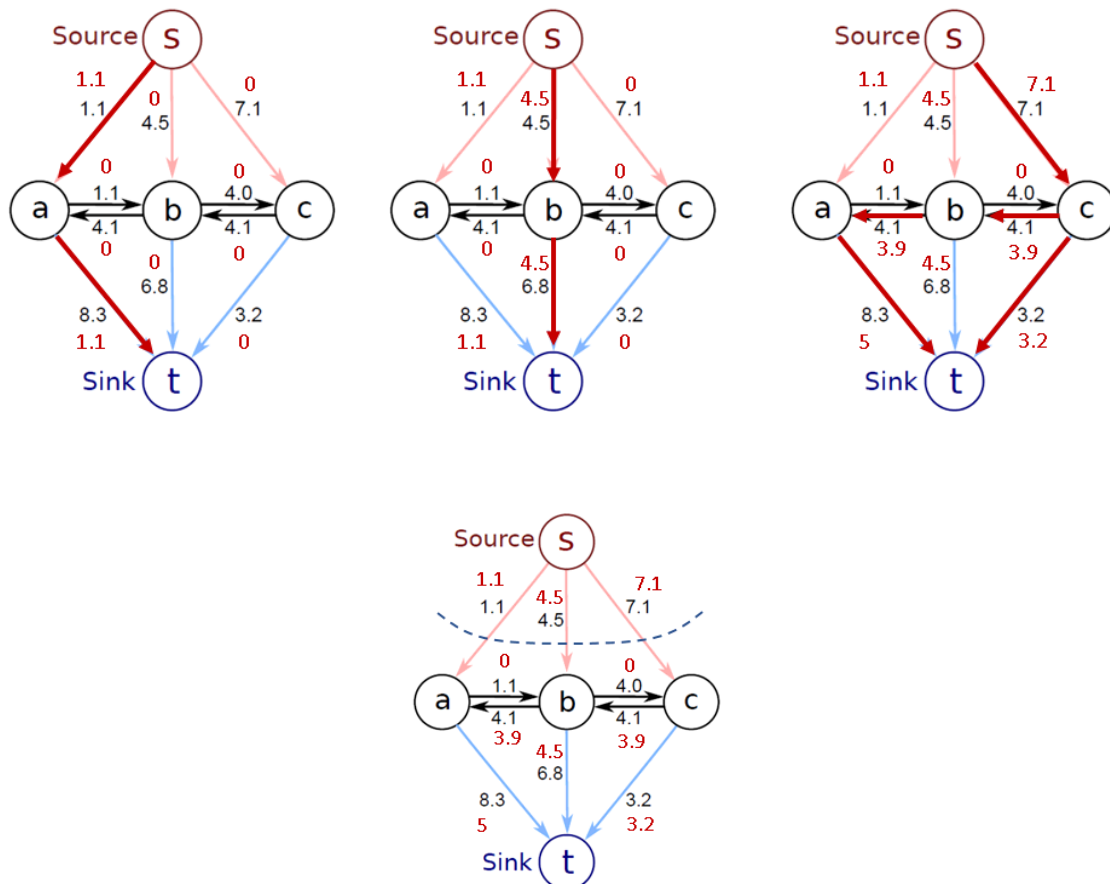
$$U_a(1) + U_b(0) + U_c(1) + P_{ab}(1,0) + P_{bc}(0,1) = 8.3 + 4.5 + 3.2 + 1.1 + 4.1 = 21.2$$

$$U_a(1) + U_b(1) + U_c(0) + P_{bc}(1,0) = 8.3 + 6.8 + 7.1 + 4.0 = 26.2$$

$$U_a(1) + U_b(1) + U_c(1) = 8.3 + 6.8 + 3.2 = 18.3$$

(ii) running the augmenting paths algorithm on this graph by hand and interpreting the minimum cut.

**Answer:**



### Question 5

Consider the simple 3-node graph shown in Fig. 5.1 in which the observed node  $X$  is given by a Gaussian distribution  $\mathcal{N}(x|\mu, \tau^{-1})$  with mean  $\mu$  and precision  $\tau$ . Suppose that the marginal distributions over the mean and precision are given by  $\mathcal{N}(\mu|\mu_0, s_0)$  and  $\text{Gam}(\tau|a, b)$ , where  $\text{Gam}(\cdot|\cdot, \cdot)$  denotes a gamma distribution. Write down expressions for the conditional distributions for the conditions distributions  $p(\mu|x, \tau)$  and  $p(\tau|x, \mu)$  that would be required to apply Gibbs sampling to the posterior distribution  $p(\mu, \tau | x)$ .

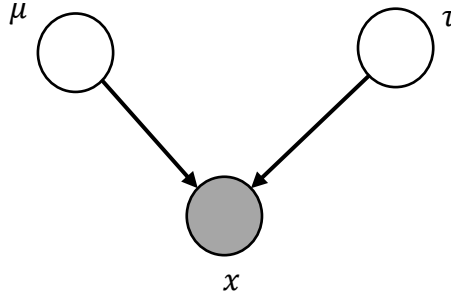


Fig. 5.1

**Answer:**

$$p(\mu|x, \tau) = \frac{p(\mu, x, \tau)}{\int p(\mu, x, \tau) d\mu} = \frac{p(\mu)p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau)}{\int p(\mu)p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau) d\mu} = \frac{p(\mu)p(x|\mu, \tau)}{\int p(\mu)p(x|\mu, \tau) d\mu}$$

$$p(x | \mu, \tau) = C_x \exp \{-0.5\tau(x - \mu)^2\}$$

$$p(\mu | \mu_0, s_0) = C_\mu \exp \{-0.5s_0(\mu_0 - \mu)^2\}$$

$$p(\mu)p(x|\mu, \tau) = C_x C_\mu \exp \{-0.5 [\mu^2(\tau + s_0) - 2\mu(\tau x - s_0\mu_0) + (\tau x^2 + s_0\mu_0^2)]\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(\mu|x, \tau) &= \frac{p(\mu)p(x|\mu, \tau)}{\int p(\mu)p(x|\mu, \tau) d\mu} \\ &= \frac{\exp\{-0.5 [\mu^2(\tau + s_0) - 2\mu(\tau x - s_0\mu_0) + (\tau x^2 + s_0\mu_0^2)]\}}{\int \exp\{-0.5 [\mu^2(\tau + s_0) - 2\mu(\tau x - s_0\mu_0) + (\tau x^2 + s_0\mu_0^2)]\} d\mu} \\ &= \frac{\exp\{-0.5 [\mu^2(\tau + s_0) - 2\mu(\tau x - s_0\mu_0)]\}}{\int \exp\{-0.5 [\mu^2(\tau + s_0) - 2\mu(\tau x - s_0\mu_0)]\} d\mu} \\ &= \frac{\exp\{-\alpha\mu^2 + \beta\mu\}}{\int \exp\{-\alpha\mu^2 + \beta\mu\} d\mu}, \quad \text{where } \alpha = 0.5(\tau + s_0) \text{ and } \beta = \tau x - s_0\mu_0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Since } \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \exp\{-\alpha x^2 + \beta x\} dx = \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{\alpha}} \exp\left\{\frac{\beta^2}{4\alpha}\right\},$$

$$p(\mu|x, \tau) = \frac{\exp\{-\alpha\mu^2 + \beta\mu\}}{\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{\alpha}} \exp\left\{\frac{\beta^2}{4\alpha}\right\}}$$

$$p(\tau|x, \mu) = \frac{p(\mu, x, \tau)}{\int p(\mu, x, \tau) d\tau} = \frac{p(\mu)p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau)}{\int p(\mu)p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau) d\tau} = \frac{p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau)}{\int p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau) d\tau}$$

$$p(x|\mu, \tau) = C_x \exp\{-0.5\tau(x - \mu)^2\}$$

$$p(\tau|a, b) = C_\tau \tau^{a_0-1} \exp(-b_0\tau)$$

$$p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau) = C_x C_\tau \tau^{a_0-1} \exp\{\tau[-0.5(x - \mu)^2 - b_0]\}$$

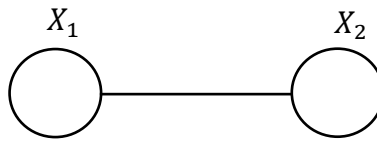
$$\begin{aligned} p(\tau|x, \mu) &= \frac{p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau)}{\int p(\tau)p(x|\mu, \tau) d\tau} = \frac{\tau^{a_0-1} \exp\{\tau[-0.5(x - \mu)^2 - b_0]\}}{\int \tau^{a_0-1} \exp\{\tau[-0.5(x - \mu)^2 - b_0]\} d\tau} \\ &= \frac{\tau^n \exp\{-\alpha\tau\}}{\int \tau^n \exp\{-\alpha\tau\} d\tau}, \quad \text{where } n = a_0 - 1 \text{ and } \alpha = 0.5(x - \mu)^2 + b_0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Since } \int_0^\infty x^n \exp\{-\alpha x\} dx = \begin{cases} \frac{\Gamma(n+1)}{\alpha^{n+1}}, & (n > -1, \alpha > 0) \\ \frac{n!}{\alpha^{n+1}}, & (n = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \alpha > 0) \end{cases},$$

$$p(\tau|x, \mu) = \frac{\tau^n \exp\{-\alpha\tau\}}{\frac{\Gamma(n+1)}{\alpha^{n+1}}}, \quad \text{since } a_0 > 0.$$

### **Question 6**

Figure 6.1 shows a Markov Random Field (MRF) with two random variables  $X_1$  and  $X_2$ , where  $x_i \in \{0,1\}$ . Furthermore, let  $\phi_1(x_1)$  and  $\phi_2(x_2)$  denote the unary potentials, and  $\psi_{12}(x_1, x_2)$  denotes the pairwise potential. Given the observations over 14 trials as shown in Table 6.1, find the unknown value of  $\psi_{12}(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0)$  in the potential tables shown in Table 6.2. Show all your workings clearly.



**Figure 6.1**

Trial Number	Outcomes	
	$X_1$	$X_2$
1	0	0
2	1	0
3	1	1
4	1	0
5	0	0
6	0	1
7	1	1
8	0	0
9	1	0
10	1	1
11	0	0
12	0	0
13	1	0
14	1	1

**Table 6.1**

$X_1$	$\phi_1(x_1)$
0	2
1	1

$X_2$	$\phi_2(x_2)$
0	1
1	2

$X_1$	$X_2$	$\psi_{12}(x_1, x_2)$
0	0	$\psi_{12}(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0)$
0	1	1
1	0	2
1	1	2

**Table 6.2**

**Answer:**

Joint probability:

$$p(x_1, x_2) = \prod_n \frac{1}{Z_p} \phi_1(x_{1,n}) \phi_2(x_{2,n}) \psi_{12}(x_{1,n}, x_{2,n}),$$

where

$$Z_p = \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} \phi_1(x_1) \phi_2(x_2) \psi_{12}(x_1, x_2).$$

$$\ln p(x_1, x_2) = \sum_n \ln \phi_1(x_{1,n}) + \sum_n \ln \phi_2(x_{2,n}) + \sum_n \ln \psi_{12}(x_{1,n}, x_{2,n}) - N \ln Z_p,$$

where  $N = \#$  observations.

Note that:

$$\sum_n \ln \phi(x_{1,n}) = \ln \phi(x_{1,1}) + \ln \phi(x_{1,2}) + \dots + \ln \phi(x_{1,n}) = \sum_{x_1} N(x_1) \ln \phi(x_1),$$

where  $N(x_1)$  is # times  $x_1$  takes a state, e.g.  $x_1 = 0$ .

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \ln p(x_1, x_2) &= \sum_n \ln \phi(x_{1,n}) + \sum_n \ln \phi_2(x_{2,n}) + \sum_n \ln \psi_{12}(x_{1,n}, x_{2,n}) - N \ln Z_p \\ &= \sum_{x_1} N(x_1) \ln \phi(x_1) + \sum_{x_2} N(x_2) \ln \phi(x_2) + \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} N(x_1, x_2) \ln \psi(x_1, x_2) - N \ln Z_p \end{aligned}$$

To find:  $\underset{\psi_{12}}{\operatorname{argmax}} \ln p(x_1, x_2),$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial \ln p(x_1, x_2)}{\partial \psi(x_1=0, x_2=0)} &= \sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} \frac{N(x_1, x_2)}{\psi(x_1=0, x_2=0)} - \frac{N}{Z_p} \frac{\partial Z_p}{\partial \psi(x_1=0, x_2=0)} \\ &= \frac{N(x_1=0, x_2=0)}{\psi(x_1=0, x_2=0)} - \frac{N \phi_1(x_1=0) \phi_2(x_2=0)}{\sum_{x_1} \sum_{x_2} \phi_1(x_1) \phi_2(x_2) \psi_{12}(x_1, x_2)} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{N(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0)}{\psi(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0)} - N \frac{\phi_1(x_1 = 0) \phi_2(x_2 = 0)}{k} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} k &= \phi_1(x_1 = 0) \phi_2(x_2 = 0) \psi_{12}(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0) + \phi_1(x_1 = 0) \phi_2(x_2 = 1) \psi_{12}(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 1) + \\ &\quad \phi_1(x_1 = 1) \phi_2(x_2 = 0) \psi_{12}(x_1 = 1, x_2 = 0) + \phi_1(x_1 = 1) \phi_2(x_2 = 1) \psi_{12}(x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1) \end{aligned}$$

From Table 1.1,

$$N(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0) = 5,$$

$$N(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 1) = 1,$$

$$N(x_1 = 1, x_2 = 0) = 4,$$

$$N(x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1) = 4.$$

Now, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{5}{\psi(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0)} - 14 \times \frac{(2)(1)}{(2)(1)\psi_{12}(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0) + (2)(2)(1) + (1)(1)(2) + (1)(2)(2)} = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &\frac{5}{\psi_{12}(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0)} - \frac{28}{2\psi_{12}(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0) + 10} = 0 \\ \Rightarrow &\psi_{12}(x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0) = \frac{25}{9} \end{aligned}$$

### Question 7

The Bayesian network shown in Figure 7.1 has five random variables  $X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4, X_5$ , where  $x_i \in \{0,1,2\}$  for  $i = 1, 2$  and  $x_i \in \{0,1\}$  for  $i = 3, 4, 5$ .

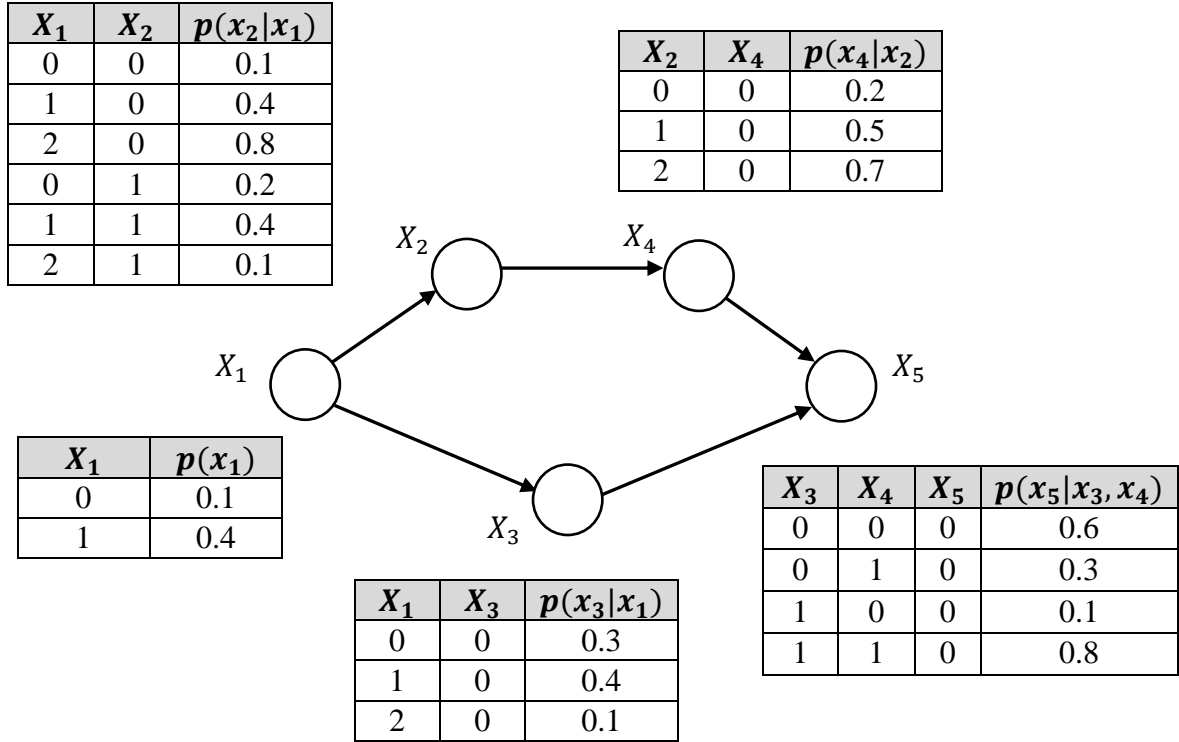


Figure 7.1

- (a) Given the following numbers drawn from a uniform distribution  $u \sim \mathcal{U}(0,1)$ :

$$u = [ 0.4387 \quad 0.4898 \quad 0.7513 \quad 0.4984 \quad 0.2760 ],$$

generate one set of samples from the joint distribution  $p(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)$  using Gibbs sampling. Use  $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0$  as the initialization. Show all your workings clearly.

- (b) Table 7.1 shows 10 sets of samples drawn from Gibbs sampling. Ignoring the burn-in effect and initialization, find the approximation for the following probabilities using the generated samples:
- $p(x_2)$
  - $p(x_3, x_5)$
  - $p(x_3, x_4 = 1, x_5 = 1)$
  - $p(x_3|x_2 = 1)$

Sample #	$X_1$	$X_2$	$X_3$	$X_4$	$X_5$
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	2	0	1	1	0
2	2	0	0	1	0
3	0	0	0	1	1
4	1	1	1	0	0
5	2	2	1	1	0
6	2	0	1	0	1
7	1	2	0	0	0
8	2	1	0	0	0
9	1	0	1	1	0
10	1	0	1	1	1

**Table 7.1**

**Answer:**

(a) Write down the expressions for the conditional probabilities:

$$p(x_1|x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) = \frac{p(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)}{p(x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)} = \frac{p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1)p(x_4|x_2)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)}{p(x_4|x_2)p(x_5|x_3, x_4) \sum_{x_1} p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1)} \\ \propto p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1)$$

$$p(x_2|x_1, x_3, x_4, x_5) = \frac{p(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)}{p(x_1, x_3, x_4, x_5)} = \frac{p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1)p(x_4|x_2)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)}{p(x_1)p(x_3|x_1)p(x_5|x_3, x_4) \sum_{x_2} p(x_2|x_1)p(x_4|x_2)} \\ \propto p(x_2|x_1)p(x_4|x_2)$$

$$p(x_3|x_1, x_2, x_4, x_5) = \frac{p(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)}{p(x_1, x_2, x_4, x_5)} = \frac{p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1)p(x_4|x_2)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)}{p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_4|x_2) \sum_{x_3} p(x_3|x_1)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)} \\ \propto p(x_3|x_1)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)$$

$$p(x_4|x_1, x_2, x_3, x_5) = \frac{p(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)}{p(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_5)} = \frac{p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1)p(x_4|x_2)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)}{p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1) \sum_{x_4} p(x_4|x_2)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)} \\ \propto p(x_4|x_2)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)$$

$$p(x_5|x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = \frac{p(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)}{p(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)} = \frac{p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1)p(x_4|x_2)p(x_5|x_3, x_4)}{p(x_1)p(x_2|x_1)p(x_3|x_1)p(x_4|x_2) \sum_{x_5} p(x_5|x_3, x_4)} \\ \propto p(x_5|x_3, x_4)$$

Gibbs sampling:

$t$	$X_1$	$X_2$	$X_3$	$X_4$	$X_5$
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	0	0	0

**Iteration 1:**

$$p(x_1 = 0 | x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) \propto p(x_1 = 0)p(x_2 = 0 | x_1 = 0)p(x_3 = 0 | x_1 = 0) \\ = (0.1)(0.1)(0.3) = 0.003$$

$$p(x_1 = 1 | x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) \propto p(x_1 = 1)p(x_2 = 0 | x_1 = 1)p(x_3 = 0 | x_1 = 1) \\ = (0.4)(0.4)(0.4) = 0.064$$

$$p(x_1 = 2 | x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) \propto p(x_1 = 2)p(x_2 = 0 | x_1 = 2)p(x_3 = 0 | x_1 = 2) \\ = (0.5)(0.8)(0.1) = 0.04$$

Normalization,

$$p(x_1 = 0 | x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.003}{0.107} = 0.028$$

$$p(x_1 = 1 | x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.064}{0.107} = 0.598$$

$$p(x_1 = 2 | x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.04}{0.107} = 0.374$$

**$u = 0.4387 \Rightarrow x_1 = 1$ .**

$$p(x_2 = 0 | x_1 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) \propto p(x_2 = 0 | x_1 = 1)p(x_4 = 0 | x_2 = 0) \\ = (0.4)(0.2) = 0.08$$

$$p(x_2 = 1 | x_1 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) \propto p(x_2 = 1 | x_1 = 1)p(x_4 = 0 | x_2 = 1) \\ = (0.4)(0.5) = 0.20$$

$$p(x_2 = 2 | x_1 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) \propto p(x_2 = 2 | x_1 = 1)p(x_4 = 0 | x_2 = 2) \\ = (0.2)(0.7) = 0.14$$

Normalization,

$$p(x_2 = 0 | x_1 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.08}{0.42} = 0.191$$



$$p(x_2 = 1|x_1 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.20}{0.42} = 0.476$$

$$p(x_2 = 2|x_1 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.14}{0.42} = 0.333$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0.4898} \Rightarrow \mathbf{x_2 = 1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_3 = 0|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) &\propto p(x_3 = 0|x_1 = 1)p(x_5 = 0|x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0) \\ &= (0.4)(0.6) = 0.24 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_3 = 1|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) &\propto p(x_3 = 1|x_1 = 1)p(x_5 = 0|x_3 = 1, x_4 = 0) \\ &= (0.6)(0.1) = 0.06 \end{aligned}$$

Normalization,

$$p(x_3 = 0|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.24}{0.30} = 0.8$$

$$p(x_3 = 1|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_4 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.06}{0.30} = 0.2$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0.7513} \Rightarrow \mathbf{x_3 = 0}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_4 = 0|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_5 = 0) &\propto p(x_4 = 0|x_2 = 1)p(x_5 = 0|x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0) \\ &= (0.5)(0.6) = 0.3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_4 = 1|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_5 = 0) &\propto p(x_4 = 1|x_2 = 1)p(x_5 = 0|x_3 = 0, x_4 = 1) \\ &= (0.5)(0.3) = 0.15 \end{aligned}$$

Normalization,

$$p(x_4 = 0|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.30}{0.45} = 0.667$$

$$p(x_4 = 1|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_5 = 0) = \frac{0.15}{0.45} = 0.333$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0.4984} \Rightarrow \mathbf{x_4 = 0}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_5 = 0|x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0) &\propto p(x_5 = 0|x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0) \\ &= 0.6 \end{aligned}$$

$$p(x_5 = 1 | x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0) \propto p(x_5 = 1 | x_3 = 0, x_4 = 0) \\ = 0.4$$

No need for normalization.

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0.2760} \Rightarrow x_5 = \mathbf{0}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i. } p(x_2 = 0) &= \frac{6}{10} = 0.6 \\ p(x_2 = 1) &= \frac{2}{10} = 0.2 \\ p(x_2 = 2) &= \frac{2}{10} = 0.2 \end{aligned}$$

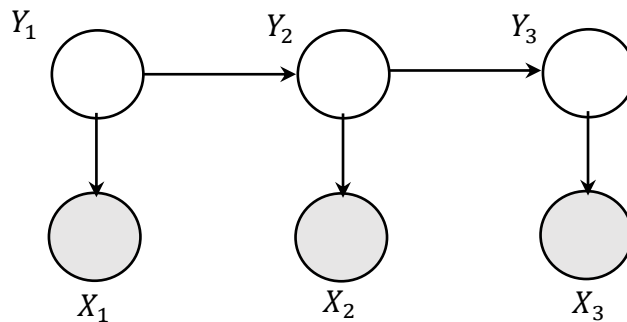
$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii. } p(x_3 = 0, x_5 = 0) &= \frac{3}{10} = 0.3 \\ p(x_3 = 0, x_5 = 1) &= \frac{1}{10} = 0.1 \\ p(x_3 = 1, x_5 = 0) &= \frac{4}{10} = 0.4 \\ p(x_3 = 1, x_5 = 1) &= \frac{2}{10} = 0.2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{iii. } p(x_3 = 0, x_4 = 1, x_5 = 1) = \frac{1}{10} = 0.1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iv. } p(x_3 = 0 | x_2 = 1) &= \frac{1}{2} = 0.5 \\ p(x_3 = 1 | x_2 = 1) &= \frac{1}{2} = 0.5 \end{aligned}$$

### Question 8

- a. Figure 8.1 shows a homogeneous hidden Markov Model (HMM) over three time steps. The latent random variables are  $Y_1, Y_2, Y_3$ , where  $Y_n \in \{0, 1, 2\}$ , and the observed random variables are  $X_1, X_2, X_3$ , where  $X_n \in \mathbb{R}$ .



**Figure 2.1**

The prior probability of the random variable  $Y_1$  is  $p(Y_1 | \pi) = \prod_k \pi_k^{y_{1k}}$ , where  $\pi = \{0.2, 0.5, 0.3\}$ . Furthermore, the transition probability is given by:

$$p(Y_n | Y_{n-1}, A) = \prod_k \prod_j A_{jk}^{y_{n-1,j} y_{nk}}, \text{ where } A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & \alpha & \beta \\ 0.1 & 0.6 & 0.3 \\ 0.4 & 0.5 & 0.1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and}$$

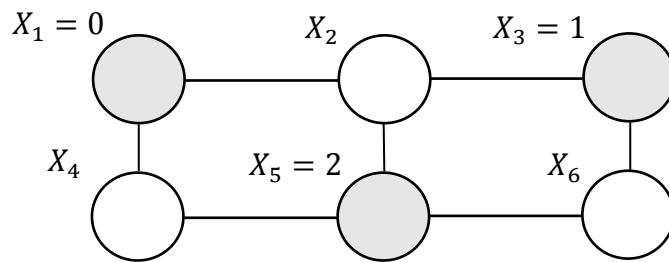
the emission probabilities of the respective observed random variables  $X_n$  are shown in Table 8.1.

	$k = 0$	$k = 1$	$k = 2$
$X_1$	0.3	0.6	0.4
$X_2$	0.5	0.4	0.4
$X_3$	0.3	0.8	0.5

**Table 8.1**

Given that the minimum probability of the joint distribution  $p(Y_1, Y_2, Y_3, X_1, X_2, X_3)$  is 0.000216 and occurs at  $Y_1 = 0, Y_2 = 1, Y_3 = 0$ , find the unknown values  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  in the transition probability.

- b. Figure 8.2 shows an undirected graphic model with six random variables  $X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4, X_5$  and  $X_6$ , where  $X_i \in \{0, 1, 2\}$ . The potential  $\psi(X_i, X_j)$  between any pair of nodes  $X_i$  and  $X_j$ , where  $i < j$  is given in Table 2.2. Given  $X_1 = 0, X_3 = 1$  and  $X_5 = 2$ , find the states of  $X_2, X_4$  and  $X_6$  that maximizes the joint distribution  $p(X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4, X_5, X_6)$ .



**Figure 8.2**

$X_i$	$X_j$	$\psi(X_i, X_j)$
0	0	1
0	1	5
0	2	7

1	0	2
1	1	4
1	2	8
2	0	3
2	1	6
2	2	9

**Table 8.2**

**Answer:**

a.

**Joint probability:**  $p(X, Y) = p(Y_1) \prod_{n=2} p(Y_n | Y_{n-1}) \prod_{n=1} p(X_n | Y_n)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \min_Y p(X, Y) &= \min_Y p(Y_1) \prod_{n=2} p(Y_n | Y_{n-1}) \prod_{n=1} p(X_n | Y_n) \\
 &= \min_{Y_1} \min_{Y_2} \min_{Y_3} p(Y_1) p(Y_2 | Y_1) p(Y_3 | Y_2) p(X_1 | Y_1) p(X_2 | Y_2) p(X_3 | Y_3) \\
 &= \min_{Y_3} p(X_3 | Y_3) \min_{Y_2} p(X_2 | Y_2) p(Y_3 | Y_2) \min_{Y_1} p(Y_1) p(X_1 | Y_1) p(Y_2 | Y_1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Given that the minimum probability equals 0.000216 and occurs at  $Y_1 = 0, Y_2 = 1, Y_3 = 0$ , this implies:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \min_Y p(X, Y) &= 0.000216 \\
 p(Y_1 = 0) p(Y_2 = 1 | Y_1 = 0) p(Y_3 = 0 | Y_2 = 1) p(X_1 | Y_1 = 0) p(X_2 | Y_2 = 1) p(X_3 | Y_3 = 0) \\
 &= (0.2)(\alpha)(0.1)(0.3)(0.4)(0.3) = 0.00072\alpha = 0.000216 \Rightarrow \alpha = 0.3 \\
 \text{Since each row of the transition matrix sums to one, we have } 0.2 + \alpha + \beta &= 1 \Rightarrow \beta = 0.5
 \end{aligned}$$

b.

**Joint probability:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(X) &= \frac{1}{Z} \psi(X_1 = 0, X_2) \psi(X_1 = 0, X_4) \psi(X_2, X_3 = 1) \psi(X_2, X_5 = 2) \\
 &\quad \psi(X_3 = 1, X_6) \psi(X_4, X_5 = 2) \psi(X_5 = 2, X_6)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\max_{X_2} \max_{X_4} \max_{X_6} p(X) =$$

$$\max_{X_2} \psi(X_1 = 0, X_2) \psi(X_2, X_3 = 1) \psi(X_2, X_5 = 2) \max_{X_4} \psi(X_1 = 0, X_4) \psi(X_4, X_5 = 2) \\ \max_{X_6} \psi(X_3 = 1, X_6) \psi(X_5 = 2, X_6)$$

Consider

$$\max_{X_6} \psi(X_3 = 1, X_6) \psi(X_5 = 2, X_6) = \max[(2)(3), (4)(6), (8)(9)] = \max[6, 24, 72] \\ = 72 \quad (X_6 = 2)$$

$$\max_{X_4} \psi(X_1 = 0, X_4) \psi(X_4, X_5 = 2) = \max[(1)(7), (5)(8), (7)(9)] = \max[7, 40, 63] \\ = 63 \quad (X_4 = 2)$$

$$\max_{X_2} \psi(X_1 = 0, X_2) \psi(X_2, X_3 = 1) \psi(X_2, X_5 = 2) \\ = \max[(1)(5)(7), (5)(4)(8), (7)(6)(9)] = \max[35, 160, 378] = 378 \quad (X_2 = 2)$$

### **Question 9**

Figure 9.1 shows a Bayesian network with both binary and continuous state latent random variables, i.e.,  $Z \in \{0,1\}$  and  $T \in \mathbb{R}$ . In addition,  $X = 0.5$  is the observed random variable. The maximum log-likelihood of  $T$ :

$$\operatorname{argmax}_T \log p(T \mid X),$$

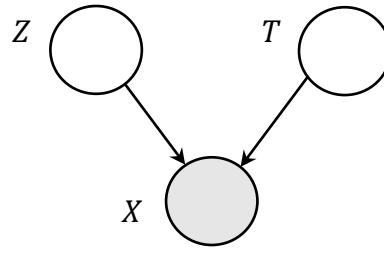
can be obtained from the Expectation-Maximization (EM) algorithm. The EM algorithm iterates between the Expectation step that evaluates the expected complete data log-likelihood with respect to  $p(Z \mid X, T^{old})$  and the Maximization step that maximizes  $T$  over the expected complete data log-likelihood with respect to  $p(Z \mid X, T^{old})$ .  $T^{old}$  is the value of  $T$  from the previous iteration of the EM algorithm.  $\{\lambda = 0.1, w_{a0} = 0.5, w_{a1} = 0.5, w_{b0} = 0.8, w_{b1} = 0.2, \tau_a = 1.0, \tau_b = 1.2, U = 0.6\}$  are known hyperparameters of the following distributions:

$$p(Z) = \lambda^Z (1 - \lambda)^{(1-Z)},$$

$$p(X \mid T, Z) = \mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)^Z \mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)^{(1-Z)},$$

$$\mathcal{N}(X \mid w_0 + w_1T, \tau) = \sqrt{\frac{\tau}{2\pi}} \exp\{-0.5\tau(X - w_0 - w_1T)^2\},$$

$$p(T) = U.$$



**Figure 9.1**

- Derive the expression for the posterior  $p(Z | X, T^{old})$  from the Bayesian Network.
- Derive the expression for  $T$  that maximizes the expected complete data log-likelihood with respect to  $p(Z | X, T^{old})$ .
- Given the initial value of  $T = 2.0$ , find the value of  $T$  in the next EM iteration.

**Answer:**

Joint distribution:

$$p(X, Z, T) = p(T) p(Z) p(X | T, Z) = p(Z) p(X | T, Z)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a. } p(Z | X, T^{old}) &= \frac{p(Z)p(X|T, Z)}{\sum_Z p(Z)p(X|T, Z)} = \frac{p(Z)p(X|T, Z)}{\sum_Z p(Z)p(X|T, Z)} \\
 &= \frac{\lambda^Z (1 - \lambda)^{(1-Z)} \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)^Z \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)^{(1-Z)}}{\sum_Z \lambda^Z (1 - \lambda)^{(1-Z)} \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)^Z \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)^{(1-Z)}} \\
 &= \frac{\lambda^Z (1 - \lambda)^{(1-Z)} \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)^Z \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)^{(1-Z)}}{\lambda \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a) + (1 - \lambda) \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let's define:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \gamma(Z = 0) &= p(Z = 0 | X, T^{old}) \\
 &= \frac{(1 - \lambda) \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)}{\lambda \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a) + (1 - \lambda) \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \gamma(Z = 1) &= p(Z = 1 | X, T^{old}) \\
 &= \frac{\lambda \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)}{\lambda \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a) + (1 - \lambda) \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{b. } Q &= \sum_Z p(Z | X, T^{old}) \ln p(X, Z | T) \\
&= \sum_Z \gamma(Z) \ln p(Z) p(X | T, Z) \\
&= \gamma(Z = 0) \ln p(Z = 0) p(X | T, Z = 0) + \gamma(Z = 1) \ln p(Z = 1) p(X | T, Z = 1) \\
&= \gamma(Z = 0) \ln \{(1 - \lambda) \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)\} + \\
&\quad \gamma(Z = 1) \ln \{\lambda \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)\} \\
&\quad \underset{T}{\operatorname{argmax}} \gamma(Z = 0) \ln \{(1 - \lambda) \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)\} \\
&\quad + \gamma(Z = 1) \ln \{\lambda \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
0 &= \gamma(Z = 0) \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \{\ln(1 - \lambda) + \ln \mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)\} \\
&\quad + \gamma(Z = 1) \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \{\ln \lambda + \ln \mathcal{N}(X | w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
0 &= \gamma(Z = 0) \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \left\{ \ln \sqrt{\frac{\tau_b}{2\pi}} - 0.5\tau_b(X - w_{b0} - w_{b1}T)^2 \right\} \\
&\quad + \gamma(Z = 1) \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \left\{ \ln \sqrt{\frac{\tau_a}{2\pi}} - 0.5\tau_a(X - w_{a0} - w_{a1}T)^2 \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
0 &= \gamma(Z = 0) \{w_{b1}\tau_b(X - w_{b0} - w_{b1}T)\} + \gamma(Z = 1) \{w_{a1}\tau_a(X - w_{a0} - w_{a1}T)\} \\
&= X(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}\tau_b) - w_{b0}(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}\tau_b) - w_{b1}T(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}\tau_b) + \\
&\quad X(\gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}\tau_a) - w_{a0}(\gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}\tau_a) - w_{a1}T(\gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}\tau_a) \\
&= X(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}\tau_b + \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}\tau_a) - T(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}^2\tau_b + \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}^2\tau_a) - \\
&\quad \gamma(Z = 0)w_{b0}w_{b1}\tau_b - \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a0}w_{a1}\tau_a
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
T(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}^2\tau_b + \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}^2\tau_a) &= \\
X(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}\tau_b + \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}\tau_a) &- \gamma(Z = 0)w_{b0}w_{b1}\tau_b - \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a0}w_{a1}\tau_a
\end{aligned}$$

$$T = \frac{X(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}\tau_b + \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}\tau_a) - \gamma(Z = 0)w_{b0}w_{b1}\tau_b - \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a0}w_{a1}\tau_a}{\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}^2\tau_b + \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}^2\tau_a}$$

c.

$$\mathcal{N}(X | w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b) = \mathcal{N}(X = 0.5 | 0.8 + (0.2)(2.0), 1.2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mathcal{N}(X = 0.5 \mid 1.2, 1.2) \\
&= \sqrt{\frac{1.2}{2\pi}} \exp\{-0.5(1.2)(0.5 - 1.2)^2\} = 0.3257
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a) &= \mathcal{N}(X = 0.5 \mid 0.5 + (0.5)(2.0), 1.0) \\
&= \mathcal{N}(X = 0.5 \mid 1.5, 1.0) \\
&= \sqrt{\frac{1.0}{2\pi}} \exp\{-0.5(1.0)(0.5 - 1.5)^2\} = 0.242
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\gamma(Z = 0) &= p(Z = 0 \mid X, T^{old}) \\
&= \frac{(1 - \lambda)\mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)}{\lambda\mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a) + (1 - \lambda)\mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)} \\
&= \frac{(1 - 0.1)0.3257}{(0.1)0.242 + (1 - 0.1)0.3257} = \frac{0.29313}{0.31733} = 0.924
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\gamma(Z = 1) &= p(Z = 1 \mid X, T^{old}) \\
&= \frac{\lambda\mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a)}{\lambda\mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{a0} + w_{a1}T, \tau_a) + (1 - \lambda)\mathcal{N}(X \mid w_{b0} + w_{b1}T, \tau_b)} \\
&= \frac{(0.1)0.242}{(0.1)0.242 + (1 - 0.1)0.3257} = \frac{0.0242}{0.31733} = 0.076
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&X(\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}\tau_b + \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a1}\tau_a) \\
&= (0.5)\{(0.924)(0.2)(1.2) + (0.076)(0.5)(1.0)\} = 0.130
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&-\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b0}w_{b1}\tau_b - \gamma(Z = 1)w_{a0}w_{a1}\tau_a \\
&= -(0.924)(0.8)(0.2)(1.2) - (0.076)(0.5)(0.5)(1.0) = -0.196
\end{aligned}$$

$$\gamma(Z = 0)w_{b1}^2\tau_b + \gamma(Z = 0)w_{a1}^2\tau_a = (0.924)(0.04)(1.2) + (0.076)(0.25)(1.0) = 0.063$$



$$T = \frac{X(\gamma(Z=0)w_{b1}\tau_b + \gamma(Z=1)w_{a1}\tau_a) - \gamma(Z=0)w_{b0}w_{b1}\tau_b - \gamma(Z=1)w_{a0}w_{a1}\tau_a}{\gamma(Z=0)w_{b1}^2\tau_b + \gamma(Z=0)w_{a1}^2\tau_a}$$

$$= \frac{0.130 - 0.196}{0.063} = -1.048$$

### Question 10

- a. The objective of image denoising is to recover the clean image (noise-free) from a given noisy image. Figure 10.1 shows a Markov Random Field (MRF) to solve a four-pixel binary image denoising problem. The latent random variable  $X_i \in \{-1, +1\}$  represents the pixels of the desired clean image, and the observed random variables  $Y_i \in \{-1, +1\}$  represents the pixels of the noisy image. We use the Ising model, i.e.,  $\psi(X_i, X_j) = \exp(JX_iX_j)$  as the edge potentials, where  $J$  is the coupling strength of the smoothness prior between neighboring pixels  $X_i$  and  $X_j$ . The observation model follows a Gaussian distribution:  $p(Y_i | X_i) = \mathcal{N}(Y_i | X_i, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left\{-0.5 \frac{(Y_i - X_i)^2}{\sigma^2}\right\}$ .

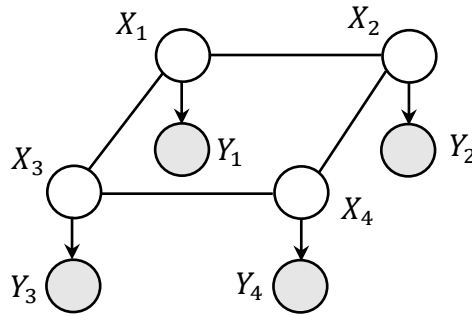


Figure 10.1

Given that we observe  $Y_1 = +1, Y_2 = -1, Y_3 = -1, Y_4 = +1$ , and the following random numbers are drawn from a uniform distribution  $u \sim \mathcal{U}(0,1)$ :

$$u = [0.6557 \quad 0.0357 \quad 0.9340 \quad 0.8491],$$

generate one set of samples from the joint distribution  $p(X, Y)$  using Gibbs sampling. Use  $X_1 = -1, X_2 = -1, X_3 = -1, X_4 = -1$  as the initialization and set  $J = 0.01, \sigma^2 = 1.0$ . Show all workings clearly.

- b. Draw the Bayesian Network and write down the factorized joint probability distribution that encodes all the following conditional independences:

1.  $X_4 \perp \{X_1, X_2, X_5\} \mid X_3$
2.  $X_5 \perp \{X_1, X_3, X_4\} \mid X_2$
3.  $X_3 \perp X_5 \mid \{X_1, X_2\}$

4.  $X_1 \perp X_2 \mid \emptyset$
5.  $X_1 \perp \{X_2, X_5\} \mid \emptyset$

**Answers:**

Joint probability:  $p(X, Y) = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_i p(Y_i \mid X_i) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i, X_j)$

$$= \frac{1}{Z} p(Y_1 \mid X_1) p(Y_2 \mid X_2) p(Y_3 \mid X_3) p(Y_4 \mid X_4) \psi(X_1, X_2) \psi(X_1, X_3) \psi(X_3, X_4) \psi(X_2, X_4)$$

Conditional distribution for each pixel  $X_i$ :

$$p(X_i \mid X_{\setminus i}, Y) = \frac{\frac{1}{Z} \prod_i p(Y_i \mid X_i) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i, X_j)}{\sum_{X_i} \frac{1}{Z} \prod_i p(Y_i \mid X_i) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i, X_j)}$$

$$= \frac{p(Y_i \mid X_i) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i, X_j)}{p(Y_i \mid X_i = -1) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i = -1, X_j) + p(Y_i \mid X_i = +1) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i = +1, X_j)}$$

$$p(X_i = +1 \mid X_{\setminus i}, Y)$$

$$= \frac{p(Y_i \mid X_i = +1) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i = +1, X_j)}{p(Y_i \mid X_i = -1) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i = -1, X_j) + p(Y_i \mid X_i = +1) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \psi(X_i = +1, X_j)}$$

$$= \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_i \mid +1, \sigma^2) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \exp(Jx_j)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_i \mid -1, \sigma^2) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \exp(-Jx_j) + \mathcal{N}(Y_i \mid +1, \sigma^2) \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \exp(Jx_j)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_i \mid -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_i \mid +1, \sigma^2)} \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(i)} \exp(-2Jx_j)}$$

$$p(X_i = -1 \mid X_{\setminus i}, Y) = 1 - p(X_i = +1 \mid X_{\setminus i}, Y)$$

$$\mathcal{N}(Y_i = +1 \mid +1, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}1^2} \exp\left\{-0.5 \frac{(1-1)^2}{1^2}\right\} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$$

$$\mathcal{N}(Y_i = +1 \mid -1, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}1^2} \exp\left\{-0.5 \frac{(1+1)^2}{1^2}\right\} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\{-2.0\}$$

$$\mathcal{N}(Y_i = -1 \mid +1, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}1^2} \exp\left\{-0.5 \frac{(-1-1)^2}{1^2}\right\} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\{-2.0\}$$

$$\mathcal{N}(Y_i = -1 \mid -1, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}1^2} \exp\left\{-0.5 \frac{(-1+1)^2}{1^2}\right\} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$$

**Consider  $X_1$ :**

Markov blanket:  $X_2 = -1, X_3 = -1, Y_1 = +1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} p(X_1 = +1 \mid X_{\setminus 1}, Y) &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_1 \mid -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_1 \mid +1, \sigma^2)} \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(1)} \exp(-2Jx_j)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_1 = +1 \mid -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_1 = +1 \mid +1, \sigma^2)} \exp(-2J(x_2 + x_3))} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{-2.0\} \exp\{-(2)(0.01)(-2)\}} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{-2.0 + 0.04\}} = \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{-1.96\}} = \mathbf{0.8765} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $u_1 = 0.6557 < p(X_1 = +1 \mid X_{\setminus 1}, Y) \Rightarrow X_1 = +1$

**Consider  $X_2$ :**

Markov blanket:  $X_1 = +1, X_4 = -1, Y_2 = -1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} p(X_2 = +1 \mid X_{\setminus 2}, Y) &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_2 \mid -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_2 \mid +1, \sigma^2)} \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(2)} \exp(-2Jx_j)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_2 = -1 \mid -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_2 = -1 \mid +1, \sigma^2)} \exp(-2J(x_1 + x_4))} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{+2.0\} \exp\{0\}} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{+2.0\}} = \mathbf{0.1192}$$

Since  $u_2 = 0.0357 < p(X_2 = +1 | X_{\setminus 2}, Y) \Rightarrow X_2 = +1$

**Consider  $X_3$ :**

Markov blanket:  $X_1 = +1, X_4 = -1, Y_3 = -1,$

$$\begin{aligned} p(X_3 = +1 | X_{\setminus 3}, Y) &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_3 | -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_3 | +1, \sigma^2)} \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(3)} \exp(-2Jx_j)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_3 = -1 | -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_3 = -1 | +1, \sigma^2)} \exp(-2J(x_1 + x_4))} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{+2.0\} \exp\{0\}} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{+2.0\}} = \mathbf{0.1192} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $u_3 = 0.9340 \geq p(X_3 = +1 | X_{\setminus 3}, Y) \Rightarrow X_3 = -1$

**Consider  $X_4$ :**

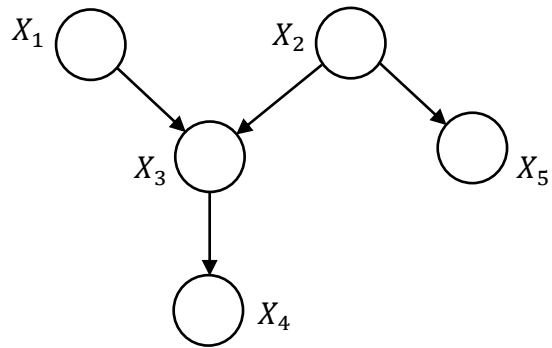
Markov blanket:  $X_2 = +1, X_3 = -1, Y_4 = +1,$

$$\begin{aligned} p(X_4 = +1 | X_{\setminus 4}, Y) &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_4 | -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_4 | +1, \sigma^2)} \prod_{j \in \text{nbr}(4)} \exp(-2Jx_j)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\mathcal{N}(Y_4 = +1 | -1, \sigma^2)}{\mathcal{N}(Y_4 = +1 | +1, \sigma^2)} \exp(-2J(x_2 + x_3))} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{-2.0\} \exp\{0\}} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \exp\{-2.0\}} = \mathbf{0.8808} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $u_4 = 0.8491 \geq p(X_4 = +1 | X_{\setminus 4}, Y) \Rightarrow X_4 = -1$

b.

$$p(X) = p(x_1)p(x_2)p(x_3|x_1, x_2)p(x_4|x_3)p(x_5|x_2)$$



--End--