

# **CSC 446: Assignment #2**

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## Problem 1

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 H(Y|X) &= - \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log P(y|x) \\
 &= - \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log \frac{P(x,y)}{P(x)} \\
 &= - \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) (\log P(x,y) - \log P(x)) \\
 &= - \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log P(x,y) - - \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log P(x) \\
 &= - \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log P(x,y) - - \sum_x p(x) \log P(x) \\
 &= H(X,Y) - H(X)
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore:

$$H(X,Y) = H(X) + H(Y|X)$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 H(X) - H(X|Y) &= - \sum_x p(x) \log P(x) + \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log \frac{P(x,y)}{P(y)} \\
 &= \sum_x p(x) \log \frac{1}{P(x)} + \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log \frac{P(x,y)}{P(y)} \\
 &= \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log \frac{1}{P(x)} + \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log \frac{P(x,y)}{P(y)} \\
 &= \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log \frac{P(x,y)}{P(x)P(y)} \\
 &= I(X;Y)
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore:

$$I(X;Y) = H(X) - H(X|Y)$$

(c)

From (a) we know that

$$H(X,Y) = H(X) + H(Y|X) \quad (1)$$

$$H(Y,X) = H(Y) + H(X|Y) \quad (2)$$

(1) - (2), we have

$$0 = H(X) - H(Y) + H(Y|Z) - H(X|Y)$$

with a a little bit of rearrangement:

$$H(X) - H(X|Y) = H(Y) - H(Y|X)$$

(d)

From (a) we know

$$\begin{aligned} H(X, Y) &= H(X) + H(Y|X) \\ H(X) + H(Y) &\geq H(X) + H(Y|X) \\ H(Y) &\geq H(Y|X) \\ I(Y; X) &\geq 0 \text{ which is always true} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we have

$$H(X) + H(Y) \geq H(X, Y)$$

## Problem 2

(a)

$$L(\vec{x}, \lambda) = \|\vec{x}\|^2 + \lambda(\sum_i \vec{x} - 1)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \vec{x}} = 0 \\ \sum_i x_i - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial L}{\partial x_i} = 0 \\ \sum_i x_i - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} x_i = \frac{-\lambda}{2} \\ \sum_i x_i - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

Therefore

$$\begin{cases} \lambda = \frac{-2}{n} \\ x_i = \frac{1}{n} \end{cases} \quad (6)$$

(b)

$$L(\vec{x}, \lambda) = \sum_i x_i + \lambda \left( \sum_i x_i^2 - 1 \right)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \vec{x}} = 0 \\ \sum_i x_i^2 - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (7)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} 1 + 2\lambda x_i = 0 \\ \sum_i x_i^2 - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (8)$$

solve (8), we get:

$$\begin{cases} \lambda = \frac{\sqrt{n}}{2} \\ x_i = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{n}} \end{cases} \quad (9)$$

(c)

$$L(Q, \lambda) = \sum_i \ln \left( \frac{P(i)}{Q(i)} \right) P(i) - \lambda \left( \sum_i Q(i) - 1 \right)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial L}{\partial Q(i)} = 0 \\ \sum_i Q(i) - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (10)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} Q(i) = \frac{-P(i)}{\lambda} \\ \sum_i Q(i) - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (11)$$

solve (11), we get:

$$\begin{cases} \lambda = -1 \\ Q(i) = P(i) \end{cases} \quad (12)$$

**(d)**

$$L(Q, \lambda) = - \sum_k Q(k) \ln Q(k) + \lambda \left( \sum_k Q(k) - 1 \right)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial L}{\partial Q(k)} = 0 \\ \sum_i Q(k) - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (13)$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{cases} Q(k) = e^{\lambda-1} \\ \sum_k Q(k) - 1 = 0 \end{cases} \quad (14)$$

solve (14), we get:

$$\begin{cases} \lambda = 1 - \ln K \\ Q(k) = \frac{1}{K} \end{cases} \quad (15)$$