# Probabilistic Logic and Deep Learning Timothy Zhang Stony Brook University Research Proficiency Examination

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- Deep Learning
- ► Logical Student-Teacher Network
- Probabilistic Logic Programming
- TensorLog
- Conclusion

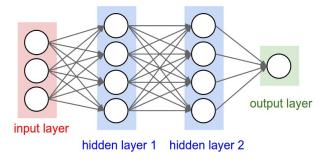


Figure: A two layer neural network  $g(\mathbf{x}) = o(h_2(h_1(x)))$ .

- $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}$
- $h_1(\mathbf{x}) = \phi_1(W_1\mathbf{x} + b_1)$
- $h_2(h_1(\mathbf{x})) = \phi_2(W_2h_1(\mathbf{x}) + b_2)$
- $o(h_2(h_1(\mathbf{x}))) = \psi(W_3\phi_2(\phi_1(\mathbf{x})) + b_3)$



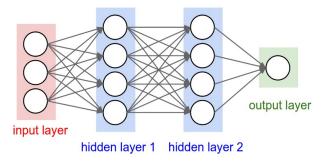


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- ▶ Each  $\phi_i$  is a nonlinear function applied element-wise to the hidden layer output.
- Ex: tanh, ReLu, logistic sigmoid
- $\blacktriangleright$   $\psi_j$  is a function applied to the output layer output.
- Ex: identity, softmax



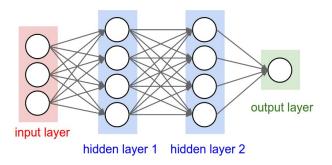


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- ▶ A loss (objective, reward, etc) function is defined with respect to the output of the network and the ground truth label.
- Ex: MSE is  $\sum_{i} (\mathbf{y}^{(i)} g(\mathbf{x}^{(i)}))^2$

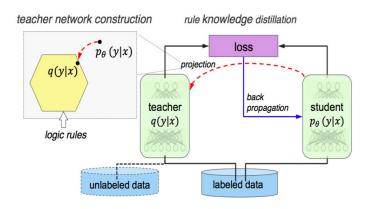
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Data: Training data S = \{(\mathbf{x}^{(n)}, \mathbf{y}^{(n)})\}_{n=1}^{N},
            Hyperparameters: \eta learning rate
Result: \theta^* which minimizes \mathcal{L}
Initialize DNN parameters \theta
while ¬ converged do
     Sample a minibatch (X, Y) \subset \mathcal{S}
     Set g \leftarrow 0
     for (x, y) \in (X, Y) do
     Compute gradient: g \leftarrow g + \nabla_{\theta} \mathcal{L}(f_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}), \mathbf{y}; \boldsymbol{\theta})
     end
     Apply update: \theta \leftarrow \theta - \eta g
end
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**Algorithm 1:** Stochastic Gradient Descent

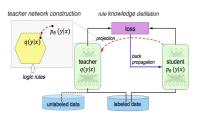
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#### Architecture



#### Loss Function



$$\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(t+1)} = \underset{\boldsymbol{\theta} \in \Theta}{\operatorname{argmin}} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^{N} (1 - \pi) \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{y}_n, \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\mathbf{x}_n)) + \pi \mathcal{L}(s_n^{(t)}, \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\mathbf{x}_n)) \tag{1}$$

- $\triangleright \mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{y}_n$ : nth sample
- L is an arbitrary loss (assume cross-entropy)
- $\triangleright$   $\pi$  is the mixture weight between student and teacher networks
- $ightharpoonup \sigma_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}_n)$  is the output from the student network (assumed to be a softmax vector)
- $m s_n^{(t)}$ : teacher network output at iteration t



#### Logic Rules

- ▶  $\mathcal{R} = \{(R_l, \lambda_l)\}_{l=1}^L$  where each  $R_l$  is a first-order logic formula with an associated confidence  $\lambda_l \in [0, \infty]$ .
- ▶ These rules are encoded using a continuous logic called soft logic which allows continuous truth values  $\in$  [0,1] with the following semantics:

$$\neg A = 1 - A$$

$$A&B = \max\{A + B - 1, 0\}$$

$$A \lor B = \min\{A + B, 1\}$$

$$A_1 \land ... \land A_N = \sum_i A_i / N$$
(2)

#### Teacher Network Construction

Loss function

$$\min_{q,\xi \geq 0} KL(q(Y|X)||p_{\theta}(Y|X)) + C \sum_{l,g_{l}} \xi_{l,g_{l}}$$
s.t.  $\lambda_{l}(1 - \mathbf{E}_{q}[r_{l,g_{l}}(X,Y)]) \leq \xi_{l,g_{l}}$ 

$$g_{l} = 1, ..., G_{l}, l = 1, ..., L.$$
(3)

- Intuitively, we want the teacher network distribution q to be close to the student network  $p_{\theta}$ , so we use a KL term.
- Additionally we want the soft logic rules to approximately hold, so we use an expectation term in the constraints and introduce slack variables  $\xi$ .

#### **Teacher Network Construction**

#### **Dual Lagrangian**

Rewrite (3) in standard form.

$$\begin{split} \min_{q,\xi} \mathsf{KL}(q(Y|X)||p_{\theta}(Y|X)) + C \sum_{l,g_{l}} \xi_{l,g_{l}} \\ \text{s.t. } \lambda_{l}(1 - \mathbf{E}_{q}[r_{l,g_{l}}(X,Y)]) - \xi_{l,g_{l}} \leq 0 \\ -\xi_{l,g_{l}} \leq 0 \\ \sum_{Y} q(Y|X) - 1 = 0 \\ g_{l} = 1,...,G_{l}, l = 1,...,L \end{split}$$

Then add Lagrange multipliers and simplify (algebra)

$$\begin{aligned} \max_{\eta \geq 0, \mu \geq 0, \alpha \geq 0} \min_{q, \xi} \mathsf{KL}(q(Y|X)||p_{\theta}(Y|X)) + C \sum_{l, g_{l}} \xi_{l, g_{l}} \\ + \sum_{l, g_{l}} \eta_{l, g_{l}} (\mathsf{E}_{q}[\lambda_{l}(1 - r_{l, g_{l}}(X, Y))] - \xi_{l, g_{l}}) - \sum_{l, g_{l}} \mu_{l, g_{l}} \xi_{l, g_{l}} + \alpha (\sum_{Y} q(Y|X)) \end{aligned}$$

#### Teacher Network Construction

#### Teacher Construction Rule

By solving the dual Lagrangian we obtain the teacher network construction rule:

$$q^*(Y|X) \propto p_{\theta}(Y|X) \exp\left\{-\sum_{l,g_l} C\lambda_l(1-r_{l,g_l}(X,Y))\right\}.$$
 (4)

- $ightharpoonup q^*(Y|X)$  can be computed efficiently for a given example  ${f x}$
- ▶ We simply feed  $\mathbf{x}$  as input to the student network and use the output vector  $\sigma_{\theta}(\mathbf{x})$  as  $p_{\theta}(Y|X)$  in the above expression.
- ▶ Thus an inference step in the teacher network will have complexity of the order  $O(lg_l + \mathcal{I})$  where  $\mathcal{I}$  is the complexity of inference in the student network.

#### Learning Algorithm

```
Rule set \mathcal{R} = \{(R_l, \lambda_l)\}_{l=1}^L,
        Hyperparameters: \pi imitation parameter,
                            C regularization strength
Result: Trained networks p_{\theta} and q
Initialize DNN parameters \theta
while ¬ converged do
    Sample a minibatch (X, Y) \subset S
    Construct teacher network q using (4)
    Update \theta using (1)
end
       Algorithm 2: Teacher and Student Network Training
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**Data:** Training data  $S = \{(\mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{y}_n)\}_{n=1}^N$ ,

### Sentence Level Sentiment Analysis

Student Network Architecture

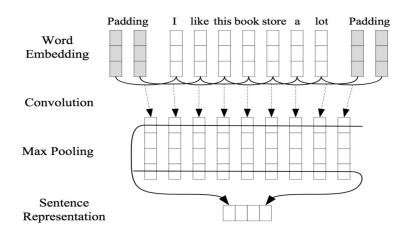


Figure: CNN architecture using Word2Vec vectors.

# Sentence Level Sentiment Analysis

Logic Rule

$$\mathsf{has} ext{-A-but-B-structure}(S) \Rightarrow \ (\mathbf{1}(y=+) \Rightarrow oldsymbol{\sigma}_{ heta}(B)_+ \wedge oldsymbol{\sigma}_{ heta}(B)_+ \Rightarrow \mathbf{1}(y=+)),$$

- ▶ Intuitively, if a sentence has a "but" in it we should take the sentiment of the subsentence after the "but".
- "At first I thought the movie was great but it turned out to be derivative and boring."

# Sentence Level Sentiment Analysis

#### Results

	Model	SST2	MR	CR
1	CNN (Kim, 2014)	87.2	81.3±0.1	84.3±0.2
2	$ ext{CNN-Rule-}p$	88.8	$81.6 {\pm} 0.1$	$85.0 \pm 0.3$
3	$\operatorname{CNN-Rule}-q$	89.3	$\textbf{81.7} {\pm} \textbf{0.1}$	$\textbf{85.3} {\pm} \textbf{0.3}$
4	MGNC-CNN (Zhang et al., 2016)	88.4	-	-
5	MVCNN (Yin and Schutze, 2015)	89.4	-	-
6	CNN-multichannel (Kim, 2014)	88.1	81.1	85.0
7	Paragraph-Vec (Le and Mikolov, 2014)	87.8	-	-
8	CRF-PR (Yang and Cardie, 2014)	_	-	82.7
9	RNTN (Socher et al., 2013)	85.4	-	-
10	G-Dropout (Wang and Manning, 2013)	-	79.0	82.1

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#### **PRISM**

```
values(gene,[a,b,o]).
bloodtype(P) :-
    genotype(X,Y),
    (X=Y->P=X
    : X=o \rightarrow P=Y
    : Y=o \rightarrow P=X
    : P=ab
genotype(X,Y) :- msw(gene,X),msw(gene,Y).
?- learn([count(bloodtype(a),40),count(bloodtype(b),20),
count(bloodtype(o),30),count(bloodtype(ab),10)]).
```

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#### Logical Inference and Neural Networks

- Logical specifications allow one to model aspects of the world and perform logical inference.
- ▶ In Prolog this is done using SLD-resolution, which is a search procedure over proofs for a query.
- Discrete search is not a differentiable function, and thus cannot directly be integrated in gradient-based learning systems.

#### TensorLog

- ► TensorLog proposes a differentiable (probabilistic) logical inference procedure.
- ► This algorithm can be seen as an instance of the Belief Propagation algorithm for probabilistic graphical models.
- Thus TensorLog offers a method of incorporating traditional logical inference as a component of a DNN.
- Alternatively, TensorLog offers a method of incorporating DNNs for traditional logical inference.

# Example TensorLog Model

Figure: Example  $\mathcal{DB}$  and  $\mathcal{T}$ .

# Logical Preliminaries

- ▶ A database  $\mathcal{DB} = \{f_1, ..., f_N\}$  where each  $f_i$  is a ground fact.
- ▶ A fact is of the form p(a,b) or q(c) where p and q are predicate symbols and  $a,b,c \in \mathcal{C}$  are constant symbols from domain  $\mathcal{C}$ .
- ightharpoonup A theory  $\mathcal{T}$ , is a set of function-free Horn clauses.
- ▶ The least model for  $(\mathcal{DB}, \mathcal{T})$  is written  $Model(\mathcal{DB}, \mathcal{T})$ .
- ▶ A fact f is true iff  $f \in Model(\mathcal{DB}, \mathcal{T})$

#### Probabilistic Logical Preliminaries

- ▶  $\Theta$  is a parameter vector over the facts  $f \in \mathcal{DB}$  s.t.  $\theta_f \in [0,1]$ .
- ► The semantics of this parameter vary in different probabilistic deductive database models
- ▶  $\Theta$  defines a distribution  $Pr(f|\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{DB}, \Theta)$  over facts in  $Model(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{DB})$ .

#### TensorLog Logical Restrictions

- ► TensorLog is function free.
- Predicates in TensorLog have arity at most 2.
- ▶ Queries are of the form  $q(a, X) \leftarrow b_1(a, c), ..., b_k(z, b)$ . or  $q(X, b) \leftarrow b_1(a, c), ..., b_k(z, b)$ .
- ▶ Thus we are interested in all relationships between some constant a and all other constants b s.t. q(a, X)[X/b] holds in the theory.
- TensorLog only models restricted Datalog programs of this form and does so using matrix representations of predicates and constants.

#### TensorLog Matrix Representation

- ▶ It is assumed that there is some arbitrary order on  $c \in C$  corresponding to indices [1,...,|C|] which holds in all matrices and vectors.
- ▶ Constants  $c \in C$  are represented using a one-hot row-vector  $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbf{R}^{|C|}$ .
- ▶ Binary predicates are represented as a sparse matrix  $\mathbf{M}_r$  where  $\mathbf{M}_r[i,j] = \theta_{r(i,j)}$  if  $r(i,j) \in \mathcal{DB}$ , and 0 otherwise.
- ▶ A unary predicate q is represented analogously as a row-vector  $\mathbf{v}_q$ .

#### TensorLog Matrix Representation Example

When the order is [liam, eve, dave, bob, joe, chip],

$$\mathbf{M}_{child} = \begin{bmatrix} \theta_{child(liam,liam)} & \theta_{child(liam,eve)} & \dots & \theta_{child(liam,chip)} \\ \theta_{child(eve,liam)} & \theta_{child(eve,eve)} & \dots & \theta_{child(eve,chip)} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \theta_{child(chip,liam)} & \theta_{child(chip,eve)} & \dots & \theta_{child(chip,chip)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{infant} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0 & 0.1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

We will use matrix multiplication to implement logical inference.



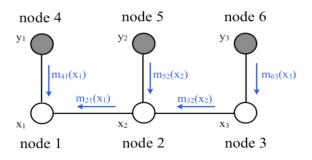
#### Probabilistic Graphical Models I

- A probabilistic graphical model (PGM) represents the joint probability distribution of a set of random variables Pr(X).
- ▶ Naively the joint factorizes as  $Pr(X = x_1, x_2, ..., x_n) = Pr(x_1) \times Pr(x_2|x_1) \times ... \times Pr(x_n|x_{n-1}, x_{n-2}, ..., x_2, x_1)$
- Generally, we want factorizations which minimize the number of parameters. We achieve this by introducing conditional independence relations.
- Ex: Bayesian networks (directed graphical models) encode the factorization as

$$p(X) = \prod_i p(x_i | \pi(x_i))$$

where 
$$\pi(x) = \{x' : (x', x) \in E\}.$$

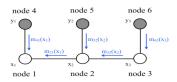
#### Probabilistic Graphical Models II



Markov chain with three observed variables  $y_1, y_2, y_3$  and three hidden variables  $x_1, x_2, x_3$ . The factorization of this example is:

$$p(X,Y) = \frac{1}{Z}\psi_{12}(x_1,x_2)\psi_{23}(x_2,x_3)\phi_1(x_1,y_1)\phi_2(x_2,y_2)\phi_3(x_3,y_3).$$

#### Probabilistic Graphical Models III



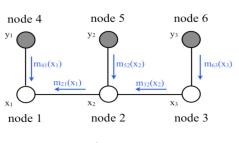
- ▶ In practice we will be interested in using a PGM to perform inference over some subset of the random variables; ie. computing the probability of the subset  $p(X' \subseteq X)$ .
- Assume that we wish to compute the marginal probability of x₁ given Y:

$$p(x_1|Y) = \frac{1}{p(Y)} \sum_{X_2} \sum_{X_3} p(X, Y),$$

where the equation is due to the fact that  $p(X|Y) = \frac{p(X,Y)}{p(Y)}$ .



# Belief Propagation I



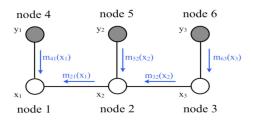
$$p(x_1|Y) = \frac{1}{p(Y)} \sum_{X_2} \sum_{X_3} p(X,Y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{p(Y)} \sum_{X_2} \sum_{X_3} \psi_{12}(x_1, x_2) \psi_{23}(x_2, x_3) \phi_1(x_1, y_1) \phi_2(x_2, y_2) \phi_3(x_3, y_3).$$

$$= \frac{1}{p(Y)} \phi_1(X_1, y_1) \sum_{X_2 = x_2} \psi_{12}(X_1, x_2) \phi_2(x_2, y_2) \sum_{X_3 = x_3} \psi_{23}(x_2, x_3) \phi_3(x_3, y_3)$$

$$= \frac{1}{p(Y)} m_{41}(x_1) \sum_{X_2 = x_2} \psi_{12}(X_1, x_2) m_{52}(x_2) \sum_{X_3 = x_3} \psi_{23}(x_2, x_3) m_{63}(x_3)$$

# Belief Propagation II



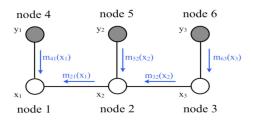
$$\frac{1}{p(Y)}m_{41}(x_1)\sum_{X_2=x_2}\psi_{12}(X_1,x_2)m_{52}(x_2)\sum_{X_3=x_3}\psi_{23}(x_2,x_3)m_{63}(x_3)$$

Let's take a closer look at these messages.

- $m_{41}(x_1) = \phi_1(x_1, y_1)$
- $m_{52}(x_2) = \phi_2(x_2, y_2)$
- $m_{63}(x_3) = \phi_3(x_3, y_3)$

All of these messages are scalars which are known.

# Belief Propagation III



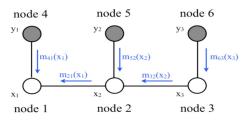
$$\frac{1}{p(Y)}m_{41}(x_1)\sum_{X_2=x_2}\psi_{12}(X_1,x_2)m_{52}(x_2)\sum_{X_3=x_3}\psi_{23}(x_2,x_3)m_{63}(x_3)$$

$$=\frac{1}{p(Y)}m_{41}(x_1)\sum_{X_2=x_2}\psi_{12}(X_1,x_2)m_{52}(x_2)m_{32}(x_2)$$

$$=\frac{1}{p(Y)}m_{41}(x_1)m_{21}(x_1).$$

Finally, if we were to compute say  $p(x_2|Y)$  we would be able to reuse many of these messages.

#### Belief Propagation IV

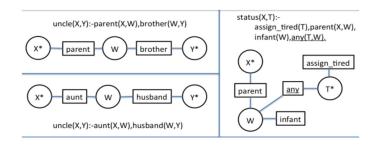


- ▶ BP for undirected graphical models is defined as follows:
  - 1. Convert the PGM to an equivalent PGM with only pairwise potentials.
  - 2. Compute  $m_{ji}(x_i)$  as:

$$m_{ji}(x_i) = \sum_{X_j = x_j} \psi_{ij}(x_i, x_j) \prod_{k \in N(j) \setminus i} m_{kj}(x_j).$$

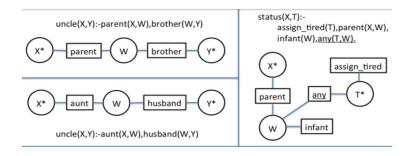
▶ In English: The message from some  $x_j$  to  $x_i$  is computed as the sum over products of all neighbors of  $n_j$  (except  $n_i$ ) and then weighted by the "compatibility" between  $n_j$  and  $n_i$ .

#### TensorLog Factor Graphs I



- ▶ TensorLog converts rules  $r \in \mathcal{T}$  into factor graphs  $G_r$ .
- A factor graph is like an undirected graphical model which explicitly represents factors as nodes.
- ▶ Predicate symbols become factors which have edges connected to logical variables which are the arguments of the predicate.
- ▶ The matrix of a factor node for predicate p is exactly  $\mathbf{M}_{p}$ .

#### TensorLog Factor Graphs II



- Special any/2 and assign/1 predicates are introduced.
- any/2 holds for any two constants in the language with probability 1. It is used to connect disjoint factor graphs.
- assign/1 is a syntactic restriction which is "algorithmically convenient".



#### TensorLog Inference I

 $G_r$  defines a distribution over possible groundings of the variables in r. Let  $X_1, ..., X_m$  be the variables in r. Then:

$$Pr_{G_r}(X_1 = c_1, ..., X_m = c_m) = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{(c_i, c_j) \in E_r} \phi_r(c_i, c_j) = \prod_{(c_i, c_j) \in E_r} \theta_{r(c_i, c_j)}.$$

If  $r(c_i, c_j) \notin \mathcal{DB}$  any substitution  $r(X_i, X_j)\{X_i/c_i, X_j/c_j\}$  will have 0 probability.

#### TensorLog Inference II

Assume that we are interested in the query uncle(c, Y) for some  $c \in C$ . We will perform BP over  $G_{uncle}$  conditioned on X = c. This corresponds to the following linear transformation:

$$(\mathbf{u}_{c}\mathbf{M}_{parent})\mathbf{M}_{brother}.$$

Recall that  $\mathbf{u}_c$  is a one-hot vector which encodes the position of the constant  $c \in C$ . Then  $\mathbf{v}_W = \mathbf{u}_c \mathbf{M}_{parent}$  is a vector where  $\mathbf{v}_W[c'] = \theta_{parent(c,c')}$ . Finally  $\mathbf{v}_Y = \mathbf{v}_W \mathbf{M}_{brother}$  computes the marginal probability for Y which is exactly what BP does in the message passing steps.

#### TensorLog Inference III

- ▶ BP in  $G_r$  corresponds to simple linear transformations of the probability vector representations over KB.
- In the case where some predicate is defined in multiple rules we simply return the sum of the response vectors for the individual definitions.
- For example,  $g_{io}^{\text{uncle}}(\mathbf{u}_c) = g_{io}^{\text{uncle}_1}(\mathbf{u}_c) + g_{io}^{\text{uncle}_2}(\mathbf{u}_c)$  where uncle; is the *ith* definition for the predicate.
- ▶ If a predicate r is defined by some  $r' \in \mathcal{T}$  (as opposed to some  $r' \in \mathcal{DB}$ ) we replace  $\mathbf{v}_{F,X} \leftarrow \mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{M}_r$  with  $\mathbf{v}_{F,X} \leftarrow g_{io}^{r'}(\mathbf{v}_i)$  in compileMessage( $F \rightarrow X$ ).

#### TensorLog BP Algorithm

```
Function compileMessage(F \rightarrow X):
     Data: Factor F representing r(X) or r(X_i, X_o),
                  Random variable X representing the logical variable
     Result: Message from F to X: \mathbf{v}_{F,X}
     if F = r(X) then
      \perp \mathbf{v}_{F,X} \leftarrow \mathbf{v}_r
     else if X is the output variable X_o of F then
          \mathbf{v}_i \leftarrow \mathsf{compileMessage}(X_i \rightarrow F)
          \mathbf{v}_{F,X} \leftarrow \mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{M}_r
     else if X is the input variable X_i of F then
          \mathbf{v}_o \leftarrow \text{compileMessage}(X_o \rightarrow F)
\mathbf{v}_{F,X} \leftarrow \mathbf{v}_o \mathbf{M}_r^{\top}
     end
     return v_{F,X}
```

#### TensorLog BP Algorithm

```
Function compileMessage(X \rightarrow F):
    Data: Random variable X representing the logical variable,
              Factor F representing r(X) or r(X_i, X_o)
    Result: Message from X to F: \mathbf{v}_{X,F}
    if X is the given variable to the query then
    \mathbf{v}_{X,F} \leftarrow \mathbf{u}_c // return the one-hot vector
    // if the only factor which has X as an argument is F:
    else if \eta(X) = \{F\} then
        \mathbf{v}_{X,F} \leftarrow \mathbf{1} // return a vector of all 1's
    else
         // loop over all k of X's neighbor literals F_i except F
         foreach F_i \in \eta(X) \setminus F do
             \mathbf{v}_i \leftarrow \text{compileMessage}(F_i \rightarrow X)
         end
        \mathbf{v}_{X,F} \leftarrow \mathbf{v}_1 \circ ... \circ \mathbf{v}_k \ // \circ  is the element-wise product
    end
```

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#### Discussion

- ► The Student-Teacher network incorporates logical rules as a regularization term over the objective function.
- ▶ This general framework can be applied in any context where some common sense knowledge may be useful.
- ► TensorLog gives a differentiable probabilistic logical inference procedure which may be used as a component in a DNN.
- ► The parameters of TensorLog models lose the interpretation as probabilities but may be trained via SGD (as opposed to EM).