

## 1 ELBO diagonal Gaussian

The general form of the ELBO is:

$$\mathbb{E}_{q(w_l)} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n p(y_i | f(x_i)) + D_{KL}(q(w_l) \| p(w_l)) \right]$$

### 1.1 KL-divergence

We set the prior  $p(w_l)$  as well as  $q$  to a diagonal gaussian

$$\begin{aligned} D_{KL}(q(w_l) \| p(w_l)) &= \mathbb{E}_{q(w_l)} \left[ \log \left( \frac{p(w_l)}{q(w_l)} \right) \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{q(w_l)} \left[ \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}} \det(\Sigma_q)}} \exp \left( -\frac{1}{2} (w_l - \mu_q)^T \Sigma_q^{-1} (w_l - \mu_q) \right) \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}} \det(\Sigma_p)}} \exp \left( -\frac{1}{2} (w_l - \mu_p)^T \Sigma_p^{-1} (w_l - \mu_p) \right) \right) \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{q(w_l)} \left[ \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}} \det(\Sigma_q)}} \right) - \frac{1}{2} (w_l - \mu_q)^T \Sigma_q^{-1} (w_l - \mu_q) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}} \det(\Sigma_p)}} \right) + \frac{1}{2} (w_l - \mu_p)^T \Sigma_p^{-1} (w_l - \mu_p) \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{q(w_l)} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \log \left( \frac{\det(\Sigma_p)}{\det(\Sigma_q)} \right) - \frac{1}{2} (w_l - \mu_q)^T \Sigma_q^{-1} (w_l - \mu_q) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{2} (w_l - \mu_p)^T \Sigma_p^{-1} (w_l - \mu_p) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \log \left( \frac{\det(\Sigma_p)}{\det(\Sigma_q)} \right) - n + \text{tr}(\Sigma_p^{-1} \Sigma_q) + (\mu_p - \mu_q)^T \Sigma_p^{-1} (\mu_p - \mu_q) \right) \end{aligned}$$

As we assumed  $\Sigma$  is diagonal:

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left( \frac{\Sigma_{p_i}}{\Sigma_{q_i}} \right) - n + \frac{\Sigma_{q_i}}{\Sigma_{p_i}} + (\mu_{p_i} - \mu_{q_i})^2 \Sigma_{p_i}^{-1} \quad (1)$$

If we use a prior of  $\mu_p = 0$  and  $\Sigma_p = Id$ , then

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n -\log(\Sigma_{q_i}) - n + \Sigma_{q_i} + \mu_{q_i}^2 \quad (2)$$

### 1.2 Likelihood

Assuming  $f_w(x)$  outputs a probability distribution over the classes, we use a categorical distribution for the likelihood

$$p(y_i | f_w(x_i)) = \prod_{j=1}^k f_w(x_{i_j})^{y_{i_j}}$$

If we have just one true class  $l$  and one-hot encoded, we have:

$$= f_w(x_{i_l})$$

## 2 Predictions

$$\begin{aligned} p(y|f_w(x)) &= \mathbb{E}_{p(w)}[p(y|f_w(x))] \\ &\approx E_{q(w)}[p(y|f_w(x))] \\ &\approx \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^m P(y|f_{w_i}(x)) \end{aligned}$$