

ML2 HOME Assignment 5

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PROBLEM 1

$$\text{GMM: } p(x) = \sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k N(x | \mu_k, \Sigma_k)$$

1. Given: $E_{\text{posterior}}(\ln p(X, Z | \mu, \Sigma, \pi)) = \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K f(z_{nk}) \cdot$

- $(\ln \pi_k + \ln N(x_n | \mu_k, \Sigma_k))$.

Derive update rules for μ, Σ, π .

1) To derive update rules I'll find gradients with respect to parameters μ_k, Σ_k and π_k .

$$E_{\text{posterior}}(\ln p(X, Z | \mu, \Sigma, \pi)) = \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K f(z_{nk}) (\ln \pi_k - \frac{D}{2} \ln 2\pi - \frac{1}{2} \ln |\Sigma_k| - \frac{1}{2} (x_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma_k^{-1} (x_n - \mu_k)), \text{ assuming } x_n \in \mathbb{R}^D$$

$$\frac{\partial E_{\text{posterior}}}{\partial \mu_k} (\ln p(X, Z | \mu, \Sigma, \pi)) = \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) \Sigma_k^{-1} (x_n - \mu_k) = 0 \Big| \times \Sigma_k$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) \cdot \mu_k = \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) x_n \Rightarrow \mu_k = \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) x_n}{\sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk})} = \\ = \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) x_n}{N_k} \quad \text{with} \quad N_k = \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk})$$

2)

$$\frac{\partial E_{\text{posterior}}}{\partial \Sigma_k} (\ln p(X, Z | \mu, \Sigma, \pi)) = \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) \left(-\frac{\partial}{\partial \Sigma_k} \ln |\Sigma_k| - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \Sigma_k} (x_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma_k^{-1} (x_n - \mu_k) \right) \Leftrightarrow$$

To derive this gradient I will use the following identities, taken from the "The Matrix Cookbook"

$$\frac{\partial \ln |\det X|}{\partial X} = (X^T)^{-1}, \text{ in case of } X \text{ symmetric then } (X^T)^{-1} = X^{-1}.$$

$$\frac{\partial a^T X^{-1} b}{\partial X} = -(X^T)^{-1} ab^T (X^T)^{-1}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) \left(-\frac{1}{2} \Sigma_k^{-1} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_k^{-1} (x_n - \mu_k)(x_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma_k^{-1} \right) = 0 \Big| \Sigma_k$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) \cdot \mathbb{I} = \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) (x_n - \mu_k)(x_n - \mu_k)^T \Sigma_k^{-1}, \text{ where } \mathbb{I} \text{ is an identity matrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma_k^{-1} = N_k \cdot \mathbb{I} \left(\sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) (x_n - \mu_k)(x_n - \mu_k)^T \right)^{-1} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma_k = \frac{1}{N_k} \cdot \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) (x_n - \mu_k)(x_n - \mu_k)^T$$

3) When deriving an update rule for π_k we need to keep in mind that π_k is subject to constraint: $\sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k = 1$. Thus we introduce Lagrange multiplier λ and our objective function changes to:

$$E_{\text{posterior}}(\ln p(X, Z | \mu, \Sigma, \pi)) + \lambda \left(\sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k - 1 \right) \rightarrow \max_{\pi}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \pi_n} E_{\text{posterior}}(\ln p(X, Z | \mu, \Sigma, \pi)) + \lambda \left(\sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k - 1 \right) =$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) \frac{1}{\pi_k} + \lambda = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda \pi_k = -N_k \mid \text{sum over } k \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \underbrace{\sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k}_{1} = -N \Rightarrow \lambda = -N.$$

Thus $\pi_k = \frac{N_k}{N}$.

So if $\Sigma_k = \Sigma \forall k$ then update rule for $\Sigma_k = \Sigma$ will change:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \Sigma} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K \gamma(z_{nk}) \left(-\frac{1}{2} \ln |\Sigma| - \frac{1}{2} (x_n - \mu_k)^\top \Sigma^{-1} (x_n - \mu_k) \right) =$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K \gamma(z_{nk}) \left(-\frac{1}{2} \Sigma^{-1} + \frac{1}{2} \Sigma^{-1} (x_n - \mu_k) (x_n - \mu_k)^\top \Sigma^{-1} \right) = 0 \times \Sigma$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K \gamma(z_{nk}) \left(-\frac{1}{2} \cdot I + \frac{1}{2} (x_n - \mu_k) (x_n - \mu_k)^\top \Sigma^{-1} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K \gamma(z_{nk}) \cdot I = \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K \gamma(z_{nk}) (x_n - \mu_k) (x_n - \mu_k)^\top \Sigma^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma^{-1} = \frac{N}{\sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K \gamma(z_{nk}) (x_n - \mu_k) (x_n - \mu_k)^\top}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{k=1}^K \gamma(z_{nk}) (x_n - \mu_k) (x_n - \mu_k)^\top$$

PROBLEM 2

EM to maximize the posterior $p(\Theta|X)$.

$$1. \quad p(\Theta|X) = \frac{p(X|\Theta)p(\Theta)}{p(X)} \propto p(X|\Theta)p(\Theta)$$

Thus the objective function changes to:

$$\ln(p(X|\Theta)p(\Theta)) = \ln p(X|\Theta) + \ln p(\Theta) = [\text{Bishop eq. 9.70 - 9.72}]$$

$$= L(q, \Theta) + KL(q||p) + \ln p(\Theta) \geq L(q, \Theta) + \ln p(\Theta) = \tilde{L}(q, \Theta)$$

During E-step we maximize $\tilde{L}(q, \Theta)$ with respect to q :

$$q(z) = \underset{q}{\operatorname{argmax}} \tilde{L}(q, \Theta) = \underset{q}{\operatorname{argmax}} (L(q, \Theta) + \ln(p(\Theta))) =$$

$$= \underset{q}{\operatorname{argmax}} L(q, \Theta)$$

So because $\ln p(\Theta)$ does not depend on q the E-step does not change.

2. During M-step we maximize $\tilde{L}(q, \Theta)$ with respect to Θ :

$$\Theta^{\text{new}} = \underset{\Theta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \tilde{L}(q, \Theta) = \underset{\Theta}{\operatorname{argmax}} (L(q, \Theta) + \ln p(\Theta)) =$$

$$= [\text{using Bishop's 9.74}] = \underset{\Theta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \left(\sum_z p(z|x, \Theta^{\text{old}}) \ln p(x, z|\Theta) \right)$$

$$- \underbrace{\sum_z p(z|x, \Theta^{\text{old}}) \ln p(z|x, \Theta^{\text{old}})}_{\text{does not depend on } \Theta} + \ln p(\Theta) =$$

$$= \underset{\Theta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \left(\sum_z p(z|x, \Theta^{\text{old}}) \ln p(x, z|\Theta) + \ln p(\Theta) \right).$$

PROBLEM 3

Using results of the previous problem we can conclude that E-step does not change and we can use Bishop's g. 56. Let's derive M-step:

We need to maximize with respect to μ and π :

$$E_z \ln p(x, z|\mu, \pi) + \ln p(\mu) + \ln p(\pi)$$

$$\text{Update rule for } \mu_{ki}: \frac{\partial (E_z \ln p(x, z|\mu, \pi) + \ln p(\mu) + \ln p(\pi))}{\partial \mu_{ki}} =$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{ni}) \cdot \left(x_{ni} \frac{1}{\mu_{ki}} - \frac{1-x_{ni}}{1-\mu_{ki}} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu_{ki}} \ln \prod_{n=1}^N \prod_{i=1}^D \frac{\mu_{ki}^{a_{ki}-1} (1-\mu_{ki})^{b_{ki}}}{B(a_{ki}, b_{ki})} =$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{ni}) \left(\frac{x_{ni}}{\mu_{ki}} - \frac{1-x_{ni}}{1-\mu_{ki}} \right) + \frac{a_{ki}-1}{\mu_{ki}} - \frac{b_{ki}-1}{1-\mu_{ki}} = 0 \quad | \times \mu_{ki} (1-\mu_{ki})$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{ni}) (x_{ni} (1-\mu_{ki}) - (1-x_{ni}) \mu_{ki}) + (a_{ki}-1)(1-\mu_{ki}) - (b_{ki}-1) \mu_{ki} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{ni}) (x_{ni} - \mu_{ki}) + a_{ki} - 1 - \mu_{ki} a_{ki} + \mu_{ki} - (b_{ki}-1) \mu_{ki} = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_{ki} \cdot (-N_k - a_{ki} - b_{ki} + 2) = - \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{ni}) x_{ni} - a_{ki} + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_{ki} = \frac{\sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{ni}) x_{ni} + a_{ki} - 1}{N_k + a_{ki} + b_{ki} - 2}.$$

Update rule for π_k :

When maximizing with respect to π_k we need to introduce multipliers, because π_k are subject to constraint $\sum_k \pi_k = 1$ Lagrange

$$E_z \ln p(x, z | \mu, \pi) + \ln p(\pi) + \lambda \left(\sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k - 1 \right) \rightarrow \max_{\pi_k}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \pi_k} (E_z \ln p(x, z | \mu, \pi) + \ln p(\pi) + \lambda \left(\sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k - 1 \right)) =$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) \frac{1}{\pi_k} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \pi_k} \ln \prod_{k=1}^K \frac{1}{B(\alpha)} \pi_k^{\alpha_k-1} + \lambda =$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N f(z_{nk}) \frac{1}{\pi_k} + \frac{\alpha_k-1}{\pi_k} + \lambda = 0 \quad | \times \pi_k \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow N_k + \alpha_k - 1 = -\pi_k \lambda \quad | \sum_{k=1}^K$$

$$\Rightarrow N + \sum_{k=1}^K \alpha_k - K = -\lambda \Rightarrow \lambda = K - N - \alpha_0, \text{ with } \alpha_0 = \sum_{k=1}^K \alpha_k$$

$$\text{Thus } \pi_k = \frac{N_k + \alpha_k - 1}{N + \alpha_0 - K}$$