

# Neurons centered on a subset of positions

## Model

Rotational Invariance Assumption:

$$f_k(\theta) = f_0(\theta - c_k)$$

After discretization:

$$f_k(\theta_m) = f_0(\theta_m - c_k) := f_{m-c_k}$$

Assume the centers are a regular subset with equal distance:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Distance between centers:} \quad & \delta \geq 1 \\ \text{Number of centers:} \quad & N = \frac{M}{\delta} \\ \text{Position of centers:} \quad & c_k = \delta k, k = 1, \dots, N \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $r_k|\theta_m$  satisfies Poisson distribution:

$$p(r_k|\theta_m) = \frac{f_k(\theta_m)^{r_k}}{r_k!} e^{-f_k(\theta_m)} = \frac{f_{m-c_k}^{r_k}}{r_k!} e^{-f_{m-c_k}}$$

## Rotational Invariance and Mutual Information

From rotational invariance, we show that

$$D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)||p(\mathbf{r})) = D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_{m+\delta})||p(\mathbf{r})) \quad (1)$$

*Proof.*

$$\frac{p(\mathbf{r})}{p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)} = \frac{\frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N \frac{f_{i-c_k}^{r_k}}{r_k!} e^{-f_{i-c_k}}}{\prod_{k=1}^N \frac{f_{m-c_k}^{r_k}}{r_k!} e^{-f_{m-c_k}}} = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N \left( \frac{f_{i-c_k}}{f_{m-c_k}} \right)^{r_k} e^{-(f_{i-c_k} - f_{m-c_k})}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)||p(\mathbf{r})) &= -E_{\mathbf{r}|\theta_i} \left[ \ln \left( \frac{p(\mathbf{r})}{p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)} \right) \right] \\ &= -\sum_{\mathbf{r}} \prod_{k=1}^N \frac{f_{m-c_k}^{r_k}}{r_k!} e^{-f_{m-c_k}} \ln \left( \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N \left( \frac{f_{i-c_k}}{f_{m-c_k}} \right)^{r_k} e^{-(f_{i-c_k} - f_{m-c_k})} \right) \\ &= -\sum_{\mathbf{r}} C_1(\mathbf{r}) \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{m-c_k}} \ln \left( \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{-r_k} e^{f_{m-c_k}} \cdot C_2(\mathbf{r}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Where  $C_1(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{\prod_{k=1}^M r_k!}$ ,  $C_2(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N f_{i-c_k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{i-c_k}}$  does not depend on  $k$ . Since  $c_k = k\delta$ ,  $m + \delta - c_k = m - c_{k-1}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_{m+\delta})||p(\mathbf{r})) &= -\sum_{\mathbf{r}} C_1(\mathbf{r}) \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_{k-1}}^{r_k} e^{-f_{m-c_{k-1}}} \ln \left( \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_{k-1}}^{-r_k} e^{f_{m-c_{k-1}}} \cdot C_2(\mathbf{r}) \right) \\ &= -\sum_{\mathbf{r}} C_1(\mathbf{r}) \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{r_{k+1}} e^{-f_{m-c_k}} \ln \left( \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{-r_{k+1}} e^{f_{m-c_k}} \cdot C_2(\mathbf{r}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Taking the cyclic permutation of  $\mathbf{r}$  by 1 such that  $\tilde{r}_k = r_{k+1}$ , i.e.  $\tilde{\mathbf{r}} = (r_2, r_3, \dots, r_{M+1} = r_1)$ . Therefore, since  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are invariant under cyclic permutations of  $\mathbf{r}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_{m+\delta})||p(\mathbf{r})) &= \sum_{\mathbf{r}} C_1(\mathbf{r}) \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{r_{k+1}} e^{-f_{m-c_k}} \ln \left( \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{-r_{k+1}} e^{f_{m-c_k}} \cdot C_2(\mathbf{r}) \right) \\
&= \sum_{\tilde{\mathbf{r}}} C_1(\tilde{\mathbf{r}}_{-1}) \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{\tilde{r}_k} e^{-f_{m-c_k}} \ln \left( \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{-\tilde{r}_k} e^{f_{m-c_k}} \cdot C_2(\tilde{\mathbf{r}}_{-1}) \right) \\
&= \sum_{\tilde{\mathbf{r}}} C_1(\tilde{\mathbf{r}}) \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{\tilde{r}_k} e^{-f_{m-c_k}} \ln \left( \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k}^{-\tilde{r}_k} e^{f_{m-c_k}} \cdot C_2(\tilde{\mathbf{r}}) \right) \\
&= D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)||p(\mathbf{r}))
\end{aligned}$$

□

A special case is when  $\delta = 1$ , our original model:  $D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)||p(\mathbf{r})) = D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_0)||p(\mathbf{r}))$  for all  $m$ .  
Now we derive the mutual information:

$$\begin{aligned}
I(\mathbf{r}; \theta) &= D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}, \theta)||p(\mathbf{r})p(\theta)) \\
&= \int_{\theta} \int_{\mathbf{r}} p(\mathbf{r}, \theta) \ln \left( \frac{p(\mathbf{r}, \theta)}{p(\mathbf{r})p(\theta)} \right) d\mathbf{r} d\theta \\
&= \int_{\theta} \int_{\mathbf{r}} p(\mathbf{r}|\theta)p(\theta) \ln \left( \frac{p(\mathbf{r}|\theta)}{p(\mathbf{r})} \right) d\mathbf{r} d\theta \\
&= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{s=1}^M \int_{\mathbf{r}} p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_s) \ln \left( \frac{p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_s)}{p(\mathbf{r})} \right) d\mathbf{r} \\
&= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)||p(\mathbf{r})) \\
&= \frac{1}{\delta} \sum_{m=1}^{\delta} D_{KL}(p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)||p(\mathbf{r})) \tag{2}
\end{aligned}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\delta} \sum_{m=1}^{\delta} E_{\mathbf{r}|\theta_m} \left[ \ln \left( \frac{p(\mathbf{r})}{p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)} \right) \right] \tag{3}$$

## 1st Order Derivatives

For simplicity, we introduce the following notations:

$$P_m(\mathbf{r}) := P(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m) = \prod_{k=1}^N \frac{f_{m-c_k}^{r_k}}{r_k!} e^{-f_{m-c_k}} \tag{4}$$

$$S_m(\mathbf{r}) := \frac{p(\mathbf{r})}{p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)} = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N \left( \frac{f_{i-c_k}}{f_{m-c_k}} \right)^{r_k} e^{-(f_{i-c_k} - f_{m-c_k})} \tag{5}$$

$$Q_m^j(\mathbf{r}) := \prod_{k=1}^N \left( \frac{f_{j-c_k}}{f_{m-c_k}} \right)^{r_k} e^{-(f_{j-c_k} - f_{m-c_k})} \tag{6}$$

Therefore,

$$S_m(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{j=1}^M Q_m^j(\mathbf{r}) \quad (7)$$

$$\begin{aligned} I(\mathbf{r}; \theta) &= -\frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M E_{\mathbf{r}|\theta_m} \left[ \ln \left( \frac{p(\mathbf{r})}{p(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)} \right) \right] \\ &= -\frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M \sum_{\mathbf{r}} P_m(\mathbf{r}) [\ln S_m(\mathbf{r})] \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

$$\frac{\partial I(\mathbf{r}; \theta)}{\partial f_i} = -\frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \left[ \frac{\partial P_m(\mathbf{r})}{\partial f_i} \ln S_m(\mathbf{r}) + \frac{P_m(\mathbf{r})}{S_m(\mathbf{r})} \frac{\partial S_m(\mathbf{r})}{\partial f_i} \right] \quad (9)$$

Denote by  $i \sim m : (i - m) \bmod \delta = 0$ .

First, we compute the partial derivatives of  $P_m(\mathbf{r}) = \prod_{k=1}^N \frac{f_{m-c_k}^{r_k}}{r_k!} e^{-f_{m-c_k}}$ : notice that it only contains certain  $f_i$ 's such that  $i = m - c_l = m - \delta l$  for some integer  $l = 1, \dots, N$ :

$$\frac{\partial P_m}{\partial f_i} = 1_{\{i \sim m\}} \left( \frac{r_{\hat{m}}}{f_i} - 1 \right) P_m \quad (10)$$

where  $\hat{m} := \frac{m-i}{\delta}$  such that  $m - \delta \hat{m} = i$ .

Next, we show that the second term is zero:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial S_m(\mathbf{r})}{\partial f_i} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial f_i} \left[ \frac{1}{M} \sum_{j=1}^M Q_m^j \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{j=1}^M \frac{\partial Q_m^j}{\partial f_i} \\ &= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{j=1}^M \frac{\partial}{\partial f_i} \left[ \frac{\prod_{k=1}^N f_{j-\delta k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{j-\delta k}}}{\prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-\delta k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{m-\delta k}}} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{j=1}^M \left[ 1_{\{i \sim j\}} \left( \frac{r_{\hat{j}}}{f_i} - 1 \right) Q_m^j + 1_{\{i \sim m\}} \left( -\frac{r_{\hat{m}}}{f_i} + 1 \right) Q_m^j \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{j=1}^M \left[ 1_{\{i \sim j\}} \left( \frac{r_{\hat{j}}}{f_i} - 1 \right) - 1_{\{i \sim m\}} \left( \frac{r_{\hat{m}}}{f_i} - 1 \right) \right] Q_m^j \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
f_i \cdot \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M \frac{P_m(\mathbf{r})}{S_m(\mathbf{r})} \frac{\partial S_m(\mathbf{r})}{\partial f_i} &= f_i \cdot \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M \frac{P_m(\mathbf{r})}{S_m(\mathbf{r})} \frac{\partial S_m(\mathbf{r})}{\partial f_i} \\
&= \frac{1}{M^2} \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \sum_{m=1}^M \frac{P_m(\mathbf{r})}{S_m(\mathbf{r})} \sum_{j=1}^M \left[ 1_{\{i \sim j\}} (r_{\hat{j}} - f_i) - 1_{\{i \sim m\}} (r_{\hat{m}} - f_i) \right] \frac{P_j(\mathbf{r})}{P_m(\mathbf{r})} \\
&= \frac{1}{M^2} \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \sum_{m=1}^M \frac{P_j(\mathbf{r})}{S_m(\mathbf{r})} \sum_{j=1}^M \left[ 1_{\{i \sim j\}} (r_{\hat{j}} - f_i) - 1_{\{i \sim m\}} (r_{\hat{m}} - f_i) \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \sum_{m=1}^M \frac{\prod_{k=1}^N \frac{f_{j-\delta k}^{r_k}}{r_k!} e^{-f_{j-\delta k}}}{\sum_{l=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N \left( \frac{f_{l-\delta k}}{f_{m-\delta k}} \right)^{r_k} e^{-(f_{l-\delta k} - f_{m-\delta k})}} \sum_{j=1}^M \left[ 1_{\{i \sim j\}} (r_{\hat{j}} - f_i) - 1_{\{i \sim m\}} (r_{\hat{m}} - f_i) \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \frac{\sum_{m=1}^M \sum_{j=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-\delta k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{m-\delta k}} \cdot \prod_{k=1}^N f_{j-\delta k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{j-\delta k}} \cdot 1_{\{i \sim j\}} (r_{\hat{j}} - f_i)}{\prod_{k=1}^N r_k! \sum_{l=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N f_{l-\delta k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{l-\delta k}}} \\
&\quad - \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \frac{\sum_{m=1}^M \sum_{j=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N f_{m-\delta k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{m-\delta k}} \cdot \prod_{k=1}^N f_{j-\delta k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{j-\delta k}} \cdot 1_{\{i \sim m\}} (r_{\hat{m}} - f_i)}{\prod_{k=1}^N r_k! \sum_{l=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^N f_{l-\delta k}^{r_k} e^{-f_{l-\delta k}}} \\
&= 0
\end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial I(\mathbf{r}; \theta)}{\partial f_i} &= -\frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \left[ \frac{\partial P_m(\mathbf{r})}{\partial f_i} \ln S_m(\mathbf{r}) + \frac{P_m(\mathbf{r})}{S_m(\mathbf{r})} \frac{\partial S_m(\mathbf{r})}{\partial f_i} \right] \\
&= -\frac{1}{\delta} \sum_{m=1}^{\delta} \sum_{\mathbf{r}} \frac{\partial P_m(\mathbf{r})}{\partial f_i} \ln S_m(\mathbf{r}) (?) \\
&= -\frac{1}{\delta} \sum_{m=1}^{\delta} \sum_{\mathbf{r}} 1_{\{i \sim m\}} \left( \frac{r_{\hat{m}}}{f_i} - 1 \right) P_m(\mathbf{r}) \ln S_m(\mathbf{r}) \\
&= \frac{1}{\delta} \sum_{m=1}^{\delta} E \left[ 1_{\{i \sim m\}} \left( 1 - \frac{r_{\hat{m}}}{f_i} \right) \ln S_m(\mathbf{r}) \right]
\end{aligned}$$

## Notes from code

$\delta$ : stepPop,  $c_k$ : center[k],  $M$ : numBin,  $N$ : numPop.

$$lrate_m(k, j) := \ln \left( \frac{f_{j-c_k}}{f_{m-c_k}} \right)$$

$$dexp_m(k, j) := \sum_{k=1}^N f_{m-c_k} - f_{j-c_k}$$

$$mexp_m(i) := \sum_k r_k lrate_m(k, i) + dexp_m(i)$$

$$Max_m := \max_i mexp_m(i)$$

$$\prod_{k=1}^N \left( \frac{f_{i-c_k}}{f_{m-c_k}} \right)^{r_k} e^{-(f_{i-c_k} - f_{m-c_k})} = Q_m(i) = \exp mexp_m(i)$$

$$S_m(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \exp[mexp(i)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \exp[mexp(i) - Max] \cdot e^{Max}$$

$$mean_m := \ln(S_m(\mathbf{r})) \text{ where } \mathbf{r} \sim P(\mathbf{r}|\theta_m)$$

$$lave_m := \widehat{mean}_m = \frac{\sum_{l=1}^{Niter} mean_m(l)}{Niter}$$

$$MIcond(m) := -lave_m$$

$$MValue := -\sum_{m=1}^{\delta} lave(m)$$

$$I(\mathbf{r}; \theta) \approx \frac{1}{\delta} MValue / \ln(2)$$

$$tmpgrad_m(i) := -E_{\mathbf{r}|\theta_m} \left[ \frac{1}{S_m} \sum_{w=1}^N \left( \frac{r_w}{f_i} - 1 \right) Q_m(i + \delta w) \right]$$

$$MIgradcond(m, i) := -\partial_i L_m(?)$$

$$MIgrad(i) := \partial_i I$$