

New representation of a tree structured model in terms of marginals ⁽¹⁾

- given a Tree structured model, can write

$$P(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{1}{Z} \left[\prod_{i \in V} \psi_i(x_i) \right] \left[\prod_{ij \in E} \phi_{ij}(x_i, x_j) \right]$$

- we can compute marginals for this distribution easily by (say) message passing.

- Write

$$\mu_i(x_i)$$
$$\mu_{ij}(x_i, x_j)$$

for marginal of x_i
for marginal of (x_i, x_j)
(which is only interesting if there is an edge)
 $i - j$)

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Because they are marginals,
they must satisfy

$$\sum_{x_i} \mu_i(x_i) = 1$$

$$\sum_{x_i} \mu_{ij}(x_i, x_j) = \mu_j(x_j)$$

$$\sum_{x_j} \mu_{ij}(x_i, x_j) = \mu_i(x_i)$$

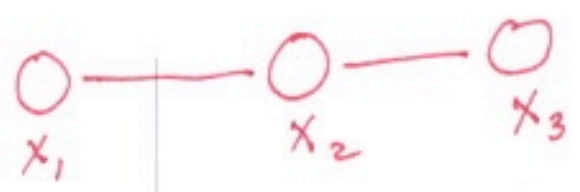
Claim

$$P(X_1, \dots, X_N)$$

$$= \prod_{i \in V} \mu_i(x_i) \cdot \prod_{i,j \in E} \frac{\mu_{ij}(x_i, x_j)}{\mu_i(x_i) \mu_j(x_j)}$$

is a probability distribution that has marginals μ_i, μ_{ij}

Proof: (2 examples, induction)



$$P(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \frac{\mu_{12} \mu_{23}}{\mu_2}$$

(check that products clear)

$$P(x_1) = \sum_{x_2} \frac{M_{12}}{M_2} \left[\sum_{x_3} M_{23} \right]$$

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↑ recall the message passing reasoning!

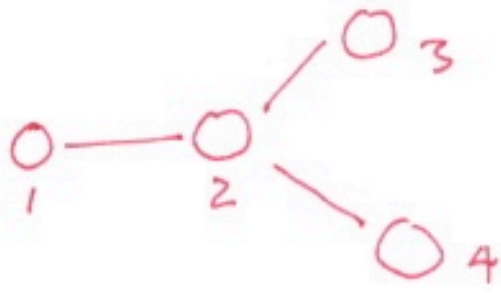
$$= \sum_{x_2} \frac{M_{12}}{M_2} \left[M_2 \right]$$

↑ constraints!

$$= M_1$$

and $P(x_2)$, $P(x_3)$, $P(x_1, x_2)$
 $P(x_2, x_3)$

work the same way.



$$P(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = \frac{\mu_{12} \mu_{23} \mu_{24}}{\mu_2^2}$$

$$P(x_1) = \sum_{x_2} \frac{\mu_{12}}{\mu_2^2} \left[\sum_{x_3} \mu_{23} \right] \left[\sum_{x_4} \mu_{24} \right]$$

$$= \sum_{x_2} \frac{\mu_{12}}{\mu_2^2} \left[\mu_2 \right] \left[\mu_2 \right]$$

$$= \mu_1$$

etc.

Induction

⇒ all this works for any tree.

Conclude :

- supply μ_i , $i \in V$
 μ_{ij} , $i, j \in E$ of some tree.
- you have supplied a P.D. on that tree.

Consequences :

- We can do ~~that~~ Mean field inference for Q a tree
- Linear program on trees is easy (hardly a shock!)
 DP works!

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Q: a tree.

We must compute

$$E_Q \log P$$

and $E_Q \log Q$

1) We can compute $E_Q \log Q$

$$q(x_1 \cdots x_N) = \left[\prod_{i \in V} q_i \right] \left[\prod_{ij \in E} \frac{q_{ij}}{q_i q_j} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\prod_{ij \in E} q_{ij}}{\prod_{i \in V} q_i^{(d_i-1)}}$$

← $d_i = \text{degree of vert.}$

So

$$\sum_Q \log Q$$

$$= \sum_{\text{values of pairs}} \left[\sum_{ij \in E} q_{ij} \log q_{ij} \right]$$

$$= \sum_{\text{values}} \left[(d_i - 1) \sum_{i \in V} q_i \log q_i \right]$$

this is tractable: eg second term is

$$\sum_{i \in V} \left[\sum_{\text{values at } i} \left\{ (d_i - 1) q_i \log q_i \right\} \right]$$

etc ...

We can also compute (9)

$$-E_Q \log P.$$

$$P(H|x) = \frac{1}{Z} \exp \left[-\sum_{ij} \theta_{ij}(H_i, H_j) - \sum_i \theta_i(H_i) \right]$$

$$-\log P = \log Z + \sum_{ij} \theta_{ij}(H_i, H_j) + \sum_j \theta_j(H_j).$$

↑
constant; don't care cause
we are minimizing in H .

$$-E_Q \log P = \log Z$$

$$+ \left[\sum_{ij \in E} \left\{ \sum_{\text{values}} q_{ij} [\theta_{ij} + \theta_i + \theta_j] \right\} \right]$$

$$+ \left[\sum_{i \in V} \left[\sum_{\text{values}} (d_i - 1) q_i \theta_i \right] \right]$$

Notice this looks like entropy

rewrite

$$\tau_{ij} = \theta_{ij} + \theta_i + \theta_j$$

$$\tau_i = \theta_i$$

We get

$$\min \left[\sum_{ij \in E} \left[\sum_{\text{values}} q_{ij} (\log q_{ij} + \tau_{ij}) \right] \right]$$

$$+ \sum_{i \in V} \left[\sum_{\text{values}} q_i (\log q_i + \tau_i) \right]$$

where q_{ij}, q_i are marginals
 E are edges of tree

- τ_{ij}, τ_i are known
- want q_{ij}, q_i

Marginals satisfy

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$$\sum_i q_{ij} = q_j$$

$$\sum_j q_{ij} = q_i$$

$$\sum_i q_i = 1$$

• We have a constrained, continuous optimization problem

• Lagrangian, Lagrange Mults, etc.

λ_{ϵ_i} ——— L.M.'s associated w/

$$\sum_j q_{ij} = q_i$$

λ_{ϵ_j} —

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$$\sum_i q_{ij} = q_j$$

λ_{v_i} ———

$$\sum_i q_i = 1$$

Notice:

λ_{ϵ_i} is a vector

λ_{v_i} is a scalar

at soln,

$$\left[\frac{\partial L}{\partial q_{ij}} \right]_{uv} = 0 = \left[\log q_{ij} \right]_{uv} + 1 + \tau_{ij} + \sum \left[\lambda_{\epsilon_i} \right]_u + \sum \left[\lambda_{\epsilon_j} \right]_v$$

Sum over all edges attached to v_i

" j

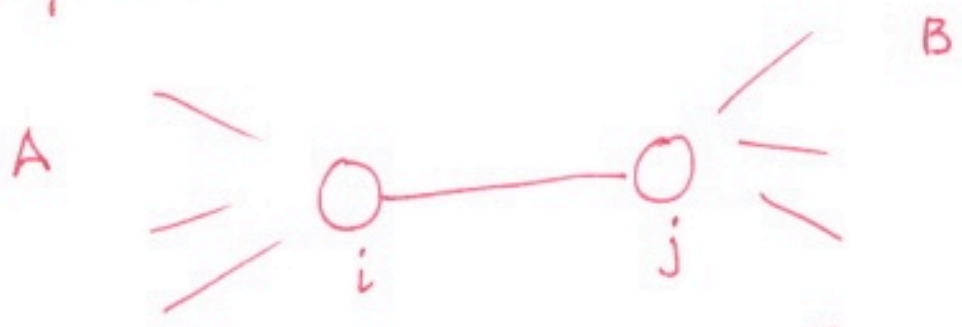
q_{ij} is a table; this is the u, v 'th component

so

$$[q_{ij}]_{uv} \propto [e^{-\bar{c}_{ij}}]_{uv} \cdot [e^{\sum \lambda_{zi}}]_u \cdot [e^{\sum \lambda_{zj}}]_v$$

(Q: What is const. of proportionality?)

Compare with B.P.



$$[q_{ij}]_{uv} \propto [\psi_{ij} \psi_i \psi_j]_{uv} \cdot \left[\begin{array}{l} \prod \text{all inc} \\ \text{to } i \\ m_{ia} \end{array} \right]_u \cdot \left[\begin{array}{l} \prod \text{all inc} \\ \text{to } j \\ m_{jb} \end{array} \right]_v$$

Conclusion :

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- $-\log \text{ messages} \equiv \log \text{ L.M.s}$
- we can fit a var. model of a single tree.
- extract MAP from Q (easy!)
- loopy BP "like" fitting a tree without attending to what tree