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MRF MAP INFERENCE

① Goal:

→ Given MRF $G = (V, E)$

→ Given a set of factors $F = \{ \psi_c(x_c) \}$

$$\text{Find } \vec{x}_{\text{MAP}} = \underset{\vec{x}}{\text{argmax}} \frac{1}{Z} \prod_c \psi_c(x_c)$$

→ Notation: Log-Potentials/Factors or Local "Scores"

$$\theta_c(x_c) \equiv \log \psi_c(x_c)$$

Note 1: Notice that $\underset{\vec{x}}{\text{argmax}} \frac{1}{Z} \prod_c \psi_c(x_c)$

$$= \underset{\vec{x}}{\text{argmax}} \log \left[\frac{1}{Z} \prod_c \psi_c(x_c) \right]$$

[Why? ∵
log is an
increasing fn]

$$= \underset{\vec{x}}{\text{argmax}} \left[\sum_c \theta_c(x_c) - \log Z \right]$$

$$= \underset{\vec{x}}{\text{argmax}} \sum_c \theta_c(x_c)$$

$$\equiv \underset{\vec{x}}{\text{argmax}} \left[\sum_i \theta_i(x_i) + \sum_{\substack{(i,j) \\ \in E}} \theta_{ij}(x_i, x_j) \right]$$

For pairwise MRFs.

② MAP Inference with message-passing / DP / BP

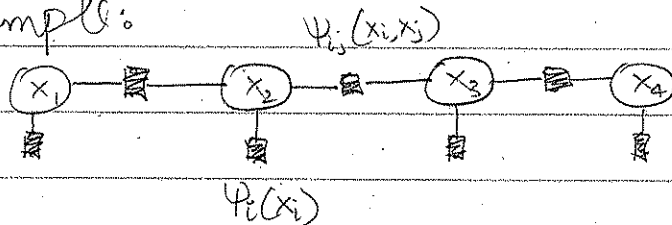
→ In short: all technique developed in previous lectures for marginal inference (or sum-product inference) generalise to max-product as well.

→ sum-product \Rightarrow max-product

(or max-sum in log-space)

(or min-sum in "energy" space)

Example:



MAP

$$\max_{x_1} \max_{x_2} \max_{x_3} \max_{x_4} \left\{ \begin{aligned} &\theta_1(x_1) + \theta_2(x_2) + \theta_3(x_3) + \theta_4(x_4) \\ &+ \theta_{12}(x_1, x_2) + \theta_{23}(x_2, x_3) + \theta_{34}(x_3, x_4) \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Only-terms that depend on x_4 . Similar to old arguments, we can "push \max_{x_4} " in

$$\lambda_{4 \rightarrow 3}(x_3) = \max_{x_4} \left[\theta_4(x_4) + \theta_{34}(x_3, x_4) \right]$$

$$\lambda_{3 \rightarrow 2}(x_2) = \max_{x_3} \left[\theta_3(x_3) + \theta_{23}(x_2, x_3) + \lambda_{4 \rightarrow 3}(x_3) \right]$$

$$\lambda_{2 \rightarrow 1}(x_1) = \max_{x_2} \left[\theta_2(x_2) + \theta_{12}(x_1, x_2) + \lambda_{3 \rightarrow 2}(x_2) \right]$$

$$\text{MAP value (in log-space)} = \max_{x_1} \left[\theta_1(x_1) + \lambda_{2 \rightarrow 1}(x_1) \right]$$

Note 1: For argmax backtrack

Note 2: max-marginal $\mu_i(x_i) = \theta_i(x_i) + \lambda_{2 \rightarrow 1}(x_i)$

$$= \left. \begin{aligned} & \max_x \sum_c \theta_c(x_c) \\ & \text{s.t. } x_i = x_i \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Interesting interpretation!

of max-marginals. Force a variable to take a state

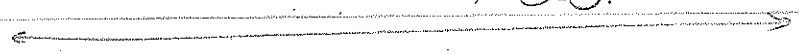
to maximize over everything else.

Why should you care? Useful to prove things about

→ decoding MAP configuration without backtracking

→ 2nd best MAP search

→ etc.

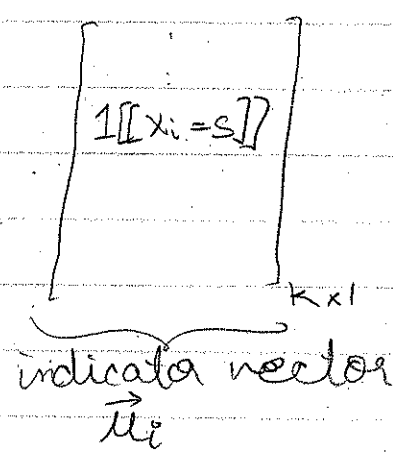


③ Marginal to MAP change in BP equations

Cluster Graph	Sum-Product	Max-Product	Max-Sum
<p>General</p>	$\delta_{i \rightarrow j}(S_{ij}) = \sum_{C_i, S_{ij}} \psi_i(C_i) \prod_{K \in N(C_i) \setminus j} \delta_{K \rightarrow i}(C_i)$	$\lambda_{i \rightarrow j}(S_{ij}) = \max_{C_i, S_{ij}} [\dots]$	$\chi_{i \rightarrow j}(S_{ij}) = \max_{C_i, S_{ij}} [\theta_i(C_i) + \sum_{K \in N(C_i) \setminus j} \lambda_{K \rightarrow i}(C_i)]$
<p>Beliefs</p>	$\delta_{c \rightarrow i}(x_i) = \sum_{x_c, x_i} \psi_c(x_c) \prod_{K \in N(C_i)} \delta_{K \rightarrow c}(x_c)$	$\lambda_{c \rightarrow i}(x_i) = \max_{x_c, x_i} [\dots]$	$\chi_{c \rightarrow i}(x_i) = \max_{x_c, x_i} [\theta_c(x_c) + \sum_{K \in N(C_i)} \lambda_{K \rightarrow c}(x_c)]$
<p>Loopy BP in Pairwise</p>	$\delta_{i \rightarrow j}(x_j) = \sum_{x_i, x_j} \psi_i(x_i) \psi_j(x_i, x_j) \prod_{K \in N(C_i) \setminus j} \delta_{K \rightarrow i}(x_i)$	$\lambda_{i \rightarrow j}(x_j) = \max_{x_j} [\dots]$	$\chi_{i \rightarrow j}(x_j) = \max_{x_j} [\theta_i(x_i) + \theta_j(x_i, x_j) + \sum_{K \in N(C_i) \setminus j} \lambda_{K \rightarrow i}(x_i)]$

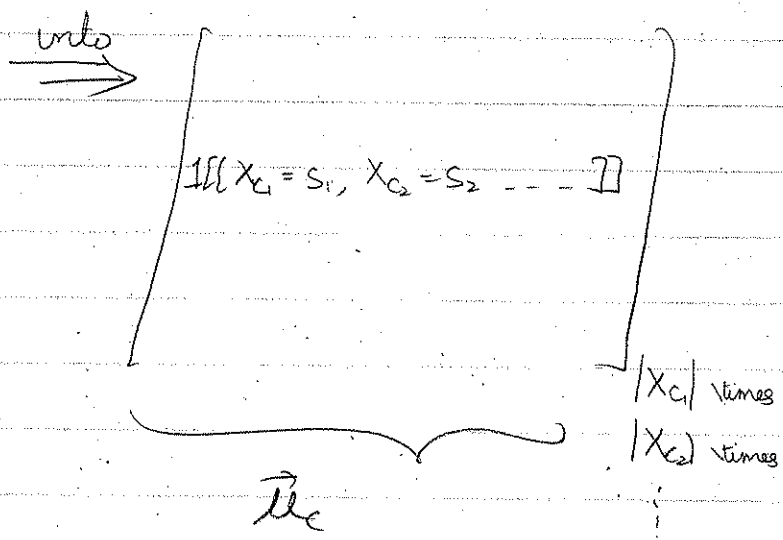
④ MAP as linear Integer program

→ Trick: Convert $x_i = \text{state} \xrightarrow{\text{into}} s$



Do same for factors

$\vec{x}_c = (x_{c1}, x_{c2}, \dots) = \text{states} (s_1, s_2, \dots, s_{k_c})$



$$\text{Now Score}(\vec{x}) = \sum_c \vec{\theta}_c^T \vec{u}_c$$

$$= \vec{\theta}^T \vec{u}$$

MAP-
Now IP.

$$\begin{aligned} & \max_{\vec{u}} \quad \vec{\theta}^T \vec{u} \\ & \text{s.t.} \quad \begin{cases} \sum_{x_i} u_i(x_i) = 1 \\ \sum_{x_c} u_c(x_c) = 1 \\ \sum_{x_i \times x_c} u_c(x_c) = u_i(x_i) \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

unique labelling
 consistent labelling