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EM - algorithm

If complete, we could find the MLE with

$$\sum_{ij} (y_{ij} - \underbrace{(\mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j)}_{\gamma_{ij}})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{(X^T X)^{-1} X^T y}$$

The design matrix would be

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} \mu & \alpha_1 & \beta_1 & \beta_2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} y_{11} \\ y_{21} \\ y_{12} \\ y_{22} \\ y_{13} \\ y_{23} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_{11} \\ y_{21} \\ y_{12} \\ y_{22} \\ y_{13} \\ y_{23} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \alpha_1 \\ \beta_1 \\ \beta_2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_{11} \\ \epsilon_{21} \\ \epsilon_{12} \\ \epsilon_{22} \\ \epsilon_{13} \\ \epsilon_{23} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underbrace{(X^T X)^{-1}}_{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{6} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{6} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix}} \underbrace{X^T y}_{\begin{pmatrix} \sum_{ij} y_{ij} \\ \sum_{ij} \alpha_i y_{ij} - \sum_{ij} \beta_j y_{ij} \\ y_{11} + y_{21} - y_{13} - y_{23} \\ y_{12} + y_{22} - y_{13} - y_{23} \end{pmatrix}} = \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \alpha_1 \\ \beta_1 \\ \beta_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Our example:

$$y = (y_{11}, y_{12}, y_{13}, y_{21}, y_{22})$$

$$x = (y_{11}, y_{12}, y_{13}, y_{21}, y_{22}, y_{23})$$

$$\Theta = (\mu, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3)$$

$$y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j$$

log-likelihood

$$\Rightarrow L(\Theta; x) = \text{const} - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i,j} (y_{ij} - \gamma_{ij})^2$$

E-step

$$Q(\Theta) = E(L(\Theta; x) | \vec{y}, \Theta^{(i)})$$

$$= \text{const} - E \left[\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i,j} (y_{ij} - \gamma_{ij})^2 | \vec{y}, \Theta^{(i)} \right]$$

$$= \text{const} - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \left[E((y_{23} - \gamma_{23})^2 | \vec{y}, \Theta^{(i)}) + \sum_{(i,j) \in (2,3)} (y_{ij} - \gamma_{ij})^2 \right]$$

$$\Gamma \quad E[(X-c)^2] = E[(X - EX)^2] + (EX - c)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} & E(X^2 - 2XE(X) + (EX)^2) + (EX)^2 - 2cEX + c^2 \\ &= E(X^2) - 2(EX)^2 + (EX)^2 + (EX)^2 - 2cEX + c^2 \\ &= E(X^2) - 2cEX + c^2 = E[(X-c)^2] \end{aligned}$$

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$$\Rightarrow E(y_{23} | \vec{y}, \Theta^{(i)}) = \gamma_{23}^{(i)} = \hat{y}_{23}$$

$$\Rightarrow E[(y_{23} - \gamma_{23})^2 | \vec{y}, \Theta^{(i)}] = \underbrace{E[(y_{23} - \hat{y}_{23})^2]}_{\text{indep. of } \gamma_{23}} + (\hat{y}_{23} - \gamma_{23})^2$$

\Rightarrow indep. of $\Theta \Rightarrow$ not used in optimisation

\Rightarrow $Q(\theta)$ is the usual log-likelihood with imputed data for $y_{23} \Rightarrow$ we can maximise it (M-step)

If required, the MLE for σ^2 is

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{5} \sum_{i,j} (y_{ij} - \hat{\mu} - \hat{\alpha}_i - \hat{\beta}_j)^2$$

\uparrow goes over all available data.

Rao example

Complete data $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)$

$$y = h(x) = (x_1 + x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) \\ = (y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4)$$

log-likelihood

$$l(\theta, x) = x_1 \log\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + x_2 \log\left(\frac{\theta}{4}\right) + x_3 \log\left(\frac{1-\theta}{4}\right) + \\ x_4 \log\left(\frac{1-\theta}{4}\right) + x_5 \log\left(\frac{\theta}{4}\right) + \text{const.}$$

$$= (x_2 + x_5) \log(\theta) + (x_3 + x_4) \log(1-\theta) + \text{const.}$$

$$\Rightarrow l'(\theta, x) = \frac{x_2 + x_5}{\theta} + \frac{x_3 + x_4}{1-\theta} \cdot (-1) \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

$$(x_2 + x_5)(1-\theta) = (x_3 + x_4) \cdot \theta$$

$$x_2 + x_5 = \theta(x_3 + x_4 + x_2 + x_5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\theta} = \frac{x_2 + x_5}{x_2 + x_3 + x_4 + x_5}$$

E-step

$$Q(\theta) = E[l(\theta; x) | \vec{y}, \theta^{(i)}]$$

$$= \underbrace{(E(x_2 | \vec{y}, \theta^{(i)}) + x_5)}_{\text{only thing we need to compute}} \log \theta + (x_3 + x_4) \log(1-\theta)$$

$$\Gamma \quad y_1 = x_1 + x_2 \Rightarrow x_2 | y_1, \theta^{(i)} \sim \text{Bin}\left(y_1, \frac{\theta^{(i)}}{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\theta^{(i)}}{4}}\right)$$

L

$$\frac{\theta^{(i)}}{2 + \theta^{(i)}}$$

$$= \underbrace{\left(y_1 \cdot \frac{\theta^{c(1)}}{2 + \theta^{c(1)}} + x_5 \right)}_{\hat{x}_2} \log(\theta) + (x_3 + x_4) \log(1 - \theta)$$

M-step: Maximise $Q(\theta)$ for θ

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\theta} = \frac{\hat{x}_2 + x_5}{\hat{x}_2 + x_3 + x_4 + x_5}$$

iterate
between
these steps
until convergence

Illustration of a hidden Markov model (HMM)

