

Topic Modeling with Latent Dirichlet Allocation

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Background

- A number of techniques for text analysis and information retrieval have been developed over the past decades
- This presentation focuses on one such technique known as *Latent Dirichlet Allocation*
- *Latent Dirichlet Allocation* (LDA) was introduced by David Blei, Andrew Ng and Michael Jordan in a 2003 paper in Journal of Machine Learning Research
- Since its introduction LDA has been employed for applications beyond text analysis
- LDA has also seen a number of extensions

Topic Modeling

- LDA aims at classifying large collections of documents through statistical relationships amongst words, known as *topics*
- *Topics* are distributions over a vocabulary of words
- LDA employs Bayesian inference techniques to estimate the statistical quantities that are *topics*
- The LDA approach to text analysis does not assume any knowledge of language structure
- Documents in a text collection are treated as *bag-of-words*

Applications

A Small Sampling

- Exploring scientific, political, wikipedia articles
- Audio information retrieval using acoustic features
- Image segmentation using visual features
- Identifying surprising events in video data
- Analysis of stock categories using financial topic models
- Development of user recommendation systems in social media
- Topic models for gene expression analysis
- Analysis of twitter data for public health status and trends

Finding Out More

A really small sampling...so just google it!

- Workshops
 - ▶ Topic Models: Computation, Application, and Evaluation (NIPS 2013)
 - ▶ Applications for Topic Models: Text and Beyond (NIPS 2009)
 - ▶ Workshop on Topic Models: Structure, Applications, Evaluation, and Extensions (ICML 2010)
 - ▶ Topic Modeling for Humanities Research (MITH 2012)
- Topic Modeling Software
 - ▶ *lda-c*: C-code by David Blei
 - ▶ *lda*: R-language package at CRAN
 - ▶ *gensim*: Python package includes Latent Dirichlet Allocation
 - ▶ *mallet*: Java machine learning package, including topic modeling
 - ▶ *topictoolbox*: Matlab toolbox by UCI
- Data
 - ▶ UCI machine learning repository:
<http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets.html>
 - ▶ infochimps: <http://www.infochimps.com>
 - ▶ Enron dataset: <https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~enron/>
 - ▶ LDC (not free): <http://catalog.ldc.upenn.edu>

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Bayes' Theorem

Consider the dataset $\mathcal{X}_N^{(K)}$ which consists of N samples

$$\mathcal{X}_N^{(K)} = \{\mathbf{x}_1 \cdots \mathbf{x}_N\}$$

where $\mathbf{x}_i = [x_{1,i} \cdots x_{K,i}]^T$ is sample from the random vector $\mathcal{X}_i^{(K)}$

The random vector $\mathcal{X}_i^{(K)}$ has a distribution $p(\mathcal{X}_i^{(K)}|\boldsymbol{\theta})$ parameterized by $\boldsymbol{\theta}$. And $\{\mathcal{X}_i^{(K)}\}$ are independent and identically distributed random vectors.

Bayes' Theorem

$$\text{posterior} \equiv p(\boldsymbol{\theta}|\mathcal{X}^{(K)}) = \frac{p(\mathcal{X}^{(K)}|\boldsymbol{\theta}) \cdot p(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{p(\mathcal{X}^{(K)})} \equiv \frac{\text{likelihood} \cdot \text{prior}}{\text{evidence}}$$

Key Distributions

Univariate Case

Binomial Distribution

$$\text{Bin}(x|\theta, N) \triangleq p(\mathcal{X} = x|\theta, N) = \binom{N}{x} \theta^x (1 - \theta)^{1-x} \quad x \in \mathbb{N}_1$$

Bernoulli Distribution

$$\text{Bern}(x|\theta) \triangleq p(\mathcal{X} = x|\theta) = \theta^x (1 - \theta)^{1-x} \quad x \in \{0, 1\}$$

Likelihood of N Bernoulli observations

$$p(\mathcal{X}_N^{(1)}|\theta) = \prod_{i=1}^N \theta^{\mathbb{I}(x_i=1)} (1 - \theta)^{\mathbb{I}(x_i=0)} = \theta^{n_1} (1 - \theta)^{n_0} \quad N = n_0 + n_1$$

Key Distributions

Multivariate Case

Multinomial Distribution

$$\text{Mult}(\mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\theta}, N) \triangleq p(\mathcal{X}^{(K)} = \mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\theta}, N) = \binom{N}{\mathbf{x}} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{x_k} \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{N}_1^K, \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k = 1$$

Categorical Distribution

$$\text{Cat}(\mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\theta}) \triangleq p(\mathcal{X}^{(K)} = \mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\theta}, 1) = \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{x_k} = \theta_k \mathbb{I}(x_k = 1) \quad \mathbf{x} \in \{0, 1\}^K$$

Key Distributions

Multivariate Case (continued)

Likelihood of N Bernoulli observations

$$p(\mathcal{X}_N^{(K)} | \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \prod_{i=1}^N p(\mathbf{x}_i | \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \prod_{i=1}^N \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{\mathbb{I}(x_{i,k}=1)} = \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{n_k}$$

where

$$\sum_{k=1}^K n_k = N$$

Parameterized Priors

Hyperparameters

Generalization: Parameter θ depends on the hyperparameter ϑ

$$p(\theta) \Rightarrow p(\theta|\vartheta)$$

Bayes' Theorem

$$p(\theta|\mathcal{X}_N^{(K)}, \vartheta) = \frac{p(\mathcal{X}_N^{(K)}|\theta)p(\theta|\vartheta)}{\int p(\mathcal{X}_N^{(K)}|\theta)p(\theta|\vartheta)d\theta}$$

Conjugate Priors

Univariate Case: $p(\theta|\vartheta)$

Beta Distribution: $\vartheta = (\alpha, \beta)$

$$\text{Beta}(\theta|\alpha, \beta) \triangleq p(\theta|\alpha, \beta) = \frac{1}{B(\alpha, \beta)} \theta^{\alpha-1} (1-\theta)^{\beta-1} \quad B(\alpha, \beta) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}$$

Posterior Distribution: $p(\theta|\mathcal{X}_N^{(1)}, \vartheta)$

$$\begin{aligned} p(\theta|\mathcal{X}_N^{(1)}, \vartheta) &= \frac{\frac{1}{B(\alpha, \beta)} \theta^{n_1 + \alpha - 1} (1 - \theta)^{n_0 + \beta - 1}}{\frac{1}{B(\alpha, \beta)} \int \theta^{n_1 + \alpha - 1} (1 - \theta)^{n_0 + \beta - 1} d\theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{B(n_1 + \alpha, n_0 + \beta)} \theta^{n_1 + \alpha - 1} (1 - \theta)^{n_0 + \beta - 1} \\ &\triangleq \text{Beta}(\theta|n_1 + \alpha, n_0 + \beta) \end{aligned}$$

Prediction

Univariate Case

Marginalizing out likelihood parameters

$$\begin{aligned} p(\mathcal{X}_N^{(1)} | \alpha, \beta) &= \int p(\mathcal{X}_N^{(1)} | \theta) p(\theta | \alpha, \beta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{B(\alpha, \beta)} \int \theta^{n_1 + \alpha - 1} (1 - \theta)^{n_0 + \beta - 1} d\theta = \frac{B(n_1 + \alpha, n_0 + \beta)}{B(\alpha, \beta)} \\ &= \frac{\Gamma(n_1 + \alpha) \Gamma(n_0 + \beta) \Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma(n_1 + n_0 + \alpha + \beta) \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \end{aligned}$$

New sample likelihood

$$p(\tilde{x} = 1 | \mathcal{X}_N^{(1)}, \alpha, \beta) = \frac{p(\tilde{x} = 1, \mathcal{X}_N^{(1)} | \alpha, \beta)}{p(\mathcal{X}_N^{(1)} | \alpha, \beta)} = \frac{n_1 + \alpha}{n_1 + n_0 + \alpha + \beta}$$

Conjugate Priors

Multivariate Case: $p(\boldsymbol{\theta}|\boldsymbol{\vartheta})$

Dirichlet Distribution

$$\text{Dir}(\boldsymbol{\theta}|\boldsymbol{\vartheta}) \triangleq p(\boldsymbol{\theta}|\boldsymbol{\vartheta}) = \frac{1}{\Delta(\boldsymbol{\vartheta})} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{\vartheta_k-1} \quad \Delta(\boldsymbol{\vartheta}) = \frac{\prod_{k=1}^K \Gamma(\vartheta_k)}{\Gamma(\sum_{k=1}^K \vartheta_k)}, \quad \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k = 1$$

Posterior Distribution: $p(\boldsymbol{\theta}|\mathcal{X}_N^{(K)}, \boldsymbol{\vartheta})$

$$\begin{aligned} p(\boldsymbol{\theta}|\mathcal{X}_N^{(K)}, \boldsymbol{\vartheta}) &= \frac{\frac{1}{\Delta(\boldsymbol{\vartheta})} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{n_k+\vartheta_k-1}}{\frac{1}{\Delta(\boldsymbol{\vartheta})} \int \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{n_k+\vartheta_k-1} d\boldsymbol{\theta}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\Delta(\mathbf{n} + \boldsymbol{\vartheta})} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{n_k+\vartheta_k-1} \triangleq \text{Dir}(\boldsymbol{\theta}|\mathbf{n} + \boldsymbol{\vartheta}) \end{aligned}$$

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Modeling Text

Notation

$\mathbf{x}_{i,m}$ \equiv i -th word in m -th document

$\mathbf{z}_{i,m}$ \equiv topic from which i -th word in m -th document is drawn

ω_j \equiv value taken by $\mathbf{x}_{i,m}$, where $j \in [1, V]$ and V is vocabulary size

ξ_k \equiv value taken by $\mathbf{z}_{i,m}$, where $k \in [1, K]$ and K is topic count

θ_m \equiv topic distribution for m -th document

ϕ_k \equiv word distribution for k -th topic

α \equiv hyperparameters for document topic distribution

β \equiv hyperparameters for topic word distribution

$X_{N_m}^{(V)}$ \equiv words in document m

$\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{N}}^{(V)}$ \equiv words in all documents (corpus)

$Z_{N_m}^{(K)}$ \equiv topics associated with words in document m

$\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{N}}^{(K)}$ \equiv topics associated with words in corpus

Modeling Text

Latent Dirichlet Allocation

Generative Model

for all topics $k \in [1, K]$ **do**

$$\phi_k \sim \text{Dir}(\phi_k | \beta)$$

for all documents $m \in [1, M]$ **do**

$$\theta_m \sim \text{Dir}(\theta_m | \alpha)$$

$$N_m \sim \text{Pois}(N_m | \xi)$$

for all words $i \in [1, N_m]$ in document m **do**

$$\text{topic index } \mathbf{z}_{i,m} \sim \text{Mult}(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} | \theta_m, \mathbf{1})$$

$$\text{word } \mathbf{x}_{i,m} \sim \text{Mult}(\mathbf{x}_{i,m} | \phi_{\{k: \mathbb{I}(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} = \xi_k)\}}, \mathbf{1})$$

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Latent Dirichlet Allocation

Joint Distribution of Known and Hidden Variables

i -th word in m -th document

$$p(\mathbf{x}_{i,m}, \mathbf{z}_{i,m}, \theta_m, \Phi | \alpha, \beta)$$

All words in m -th document

$$p(X_{N_m}^{(V)}, Z_{N_m}^{(K)}, \theta_m, \Phi | \alpha, \beta) = \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} p(\mathbf{x}_{i,m}, \mathbf{z}_{i,m}, \theta_m, \Phi | \alpha, \beta)$$

All words in corpus

$$\begin{aligned} p(X_N^{(V)}, Z_N^{(K)}, \Theta, \Phi | \alpha, \beta) &= \prod_{m=1}^M p(X_{N_m}^{(V)}, Z_{N_m}^{(K)}, \theta_m, \Phi | \alpha, \beta) \\ &= \prod_{m=1}^M \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} p(\mathbf{x}_{i,m} | \mathbf{z}_{i,m}, \Phi) p(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} | \theta_m) p(\theta_m | \alpha) p(\Phi | \beta) \end{aligned}$$

Latent Dirichlet Allocation

Conditional Distributions - Word Likelihoods

Word in Document

$$p(\mathbf{x}_{i,m} | \mathbf{z}_{i,m}, \Phi) = \prod_{j=1}^V \prod_{k=1}^K \phi_{k,j}^{\mathbb{I}(\mathbf{x}_{i,m}=\omega_j \wedge \mathbf{z}_{i,m}=\xi_k)}$$

All Words in Document

$$\begin{aligned} \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} p(\mathbf{x}_{i,m} | \mathbf{z}_{i,m}, \Phi) &= \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} \prod_{j=1}^V \prod_{k=1}^K \phi_{k,j}^{\mathbb{I}(\mathbf{x}_{i,m}=\omega_j \wedge \mathbf{z}_{i,m}=\xi_k)} \\ &= \prod_{j=1}^V \prod_{k=1}^K \phi_{k,j}^{\rho_{k,j}} \end{aligned}$$

$\rho_{k,j}$ is the count of word j assigned to topic k

Latent Dirichlet Allocation

Conditional Distributions - Topic Likelihoods

Topic Likelihood for Single Word

$$p(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} | \boldsymbol{\theta}_m) = \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_{m,k}^{\mathbb{I}(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} = \boldsymbol{\xi}_k)}$$

Topic Likelihood for all Words in Document

$$\begin{aligned} \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} p(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} | \boldsymbol{\theta}_m) &= \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_{m,k}^{\mathbb{I}(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} = \boldsymbol{\xi}_k)} \\ &= \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_{m,k}^{v_{m,k}} \end{aligned}$$

$v_{m,k}$ is the count of words in document m assigned to topic k

Latent Dirichlet Allocation

Priors

Topic Distribution for Document

$$p(\boldsymbol{\theta}_m | \boldsymbol{\alpha}) = \frac{1}{\Delta(\boldsymbol{\alpha})} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_{m,k}^{\alpha_k - 1}$$

Word Distribution over Topics

$$p(\Phi | \beta) = \frac{1}{\Delta(\beta)} \prod_{k=1}^K \prod_{j=1}^V \phi_{k,j}^{\beta_j - 1}$$

Latent Dirichlet Allocation

Full Joint Distribution

$$\begin{aligned} & p(\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{N}}^{(V)}, \mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{N}}^{(K)}, \Theta, \Phi | \alpha, \beta) \\ &= \prod_{m=1}^M \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} p(\mathbf{x}_{i,m} | \mathbf{z}_{i,m}, \Phi) p(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} | \theta_m) p(\theta_m | \alpha) p(\Phi | \beta) \\ &= \frac{1}{\Delta(\alpha)\Delta(\beta)} \prod_{m=1}^M \prod_{j=1}^V \prod_{k=1}^K \phi_{k,j}^{\rho_{k,j} + \beta_j - 1} \theta_{m,k}^{v_{m,k} + \alpha_k - 1} \end{aligned}$$

Latent Dirichlet Allocation

Integrating out Θ and Φ

$$\begin{aligned} p(x_{\mathcal{N}}^{(V)}, z_{\mathcal{N}}^{(K)} | \alpha, \beta) &= \frac{1}{\Delta(\alpha)\Delta(\beta)} \int \prod_{m=1}^M \prod_{j=1}^V \prod_{k=1}^K \phi_{k,j}^{\rho_{k,j} + \beta_j - 1} \theta_{m,k}^{v_{m,k} + \alpha_k - 1} d\Theta d\Phi \\ &= \prod_{m=1}^M \frac{\Delta(v_m + \alpha)}{\Delta(\alpha)} \prod_{k=1}^K \frac{\Delta(\rho_k + \beta)}{\Delta(\beta)} \end{aligned}$$

Gibbs Sampling

Sampling the Posterior $p(\mathcal{Z}|\mathcal{X}, \alpha, \beta)$

Sampling Algorithm

initialize \mathcal{Z} to $\mathcal{Z}^{(0)} = \{\mathbf{z}_1^{(0)} \dots \mathbf{z}_N^{(0)}\}$ at iteration $l = 0$

for $l \in [0, L]$ **do**

for $n \in [1, N]$ **do**

 sample $\mathbf{z}_n^{(l+1)} \sim p(\mathbf{z}_n^{(l+1)} | \{\mathbf{z}_1^{(l+1)} \dots \mathbf{z}_{n-1}^{(l+1)}, \mathbf{z}_{n+1}^{(l)} \dots \mathbf{z}_N^{(l)}\}, \mathcal{X}, \alpha, \beta)$

After sufficient iterations the sampler converges, and the samples $\mathbf{z}_n^{(l)}$ are instances of $p(\mathcal{Z}|\mathcal{X}, \alpha, \beta)$

Constructing the Posterior for Gibbs Sampler

$$p(\mathbf{z}_n | \mathcal{Z}_{-n}, \mathcal{X}, \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta}) = \frac{p(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Z} | \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta})}{p(\mathcal{X}_{-n}, \mathcal{Z}_{-n} | \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta}) p(\mathbf{x}_n | \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta})} \propto \frac{p(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Z} | \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta})}{p(\mathcal{X}_{-n}, \mathcal{Z}_{-n} | \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta})}$$

$$p(\mathcal{X}_{-n}, \mathcal{Z}_{-n} | \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta}) = \int p(\mathcal{X}_{-n} | \mathcal{Z}_{-n}, \boldsymbol{\Phi}) p(\mathcal{Z}_{-n} | \boldsymbol{\Theta}) p(\boldsymbol{\Theta} | \boldsymbol{\alpha}) p(\boldsymbol{\Phi} | \boldsymbol{\beta}) d\boldsymbol{\Theta} d\boldsymbol{\Phi}$$

$$p(\mathcal{X}_{-n} | \mathcal{Z}_{-n}, \boldsymbol{\Phi}) = \prod_{m=1}^M \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} \prod_{j=1}^V \prod_{k=1}^K \phi_{k,j}^{\mathbb{I}(\mathbf{x}_{i,m} = \omega_j \wedge \mathbf{z}_{i,m} = \xi_k)} = \prod_{j=1}^V \prod_{k=1}^K \phi_{k,j}^{\rho_{k,j}^{(-n)}}$$

$n = (q, r, s, t)$
 $\neg n \rightarrow (m, i, j, k) \neq (q, r, s, t)$

$$p(\mathcal{Z}_{-n} | \boldsymbol{\Theta}) = \prod_{m=1}^M \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_{m,k}^{\mathbb{I}(\mathbf{z}_{i,m} = \xi_k)} = \prod_{m=1}^M \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_{m,k}^{v_{m,k}^{(-n)}}$$

$n = (q, r, s, t)$
 $\neg n \rightarrow (m, i, k) \neq (q, r, t)$

Defining Counts for Posterior in Gibbs Sampler

Counts words assigned to topics k : $\rho_k, \rho_k^{(-n)}$

$$\rho_{k,j}^{(-n)} = \begin{cases} \rho_{k,j} & (j, k) \neq (s, t) \\ \rho_{k,j} - 1 & (j, k) = (s, t) \end{cases}$$

Counts words in document m assigned to topics: $v_m, v_m^{(-n)}$

$$v_{m,k}^{(-n)} = \begin{cases} v_{m,k} & (m, k) \neq (q, t) \\ v_{m,k} - 1 & (m, k) = (q, t) \end{cases}$$

Joint Distributions and Posterior

$$p(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Z} | \alpha, \beta) = \prod_{m=1}^M \frac{\Delta(\mathbf{v}_m + \alpha)}{\Delta(\alpha)} \prod_{k=1}^K \frac{\Delta(\rho_k + \beta)}{\Delta(\beta)}$$

$$p(\mathcal{X}_{-n}, \mathcal{Z}_{-n} | \alpha, \beta) = \prod_{m=1}^M \frac{\Delta(\mathbf{v}_m^{(-n)} + \alpha)}{\Delta(\alpha)} \prod_{k=1}^K \frac{\Delta(\rho_k^{(-n)} + \beta)}{\Delta(\beta)}$$

$$p(\mathbf{z}_n | \mathcal{Z}_{-n}, \mathcal{X}, \alpha, \beta) \propto \frac{p(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Z} | \alpha, \beta)}{p(\mathcal{X}_{-n}, \mathcal{Z}_{-n} | \alpha, \beta)} = \frac{\Delta(\mathbf{v}_q + \alpha) \Delta(\rho_t + \beta)}{\Delta(\mathbf{v}_q^{(-n)} + \alpha) \Delta(\rho_t^{(-n)} + \beta)}$$

$$\Delta(\mathbf{y}) = \frac{\prod_{k=1}^K \Gamma(y_k)}{\Gamma(\sum_{k=1}^K y_k)} \quad \Gamma(y + 1) = y\Gamma(y)$$

Simplifying Expression for Posterior

$$\begin{aligned} p(\mathbf{z}_n | \mathcal{Z}_{-n}, \mathcal{X}, \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta}) &\propto \frac{\prod_{k=1}^K \Gamma(v_{q,k} + \alpha_k)}{\Gamma(\sum_{k=1}^K v_{q,k} + \alpha_k)} \cdot \frac{\prod_{j=1}^V \Gamma(\rho_{t,j} + \beta_j)}{\Gamma(\sum_{j=1}^V \rho_{t,j} + \beta_j)} \\ &\propto \frac{\prod_{k=1}^K \Gamma(v_{q,k}^{(-n)} + \alpha_k)}{\Gamma(\sum_{k=1}^K v_{q,k}^{(-n)} + \alpha_k)} \cdot \frac{\prod_{j=1}^V \Gamma(\rho_{t,j}^{(-n)} + \beta_j)}{\Gamma(\sum_{j=1}^V \rho_{t,j}^{(-n)} + \beta_j)} \\ &\propto \frac{\Gamma(v_{q,t} + \alpha_t)}{\Gamma(\sum_{k=1}^K v_{q,k} + \alpha_k)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\rho_{t,s} + \beta_s)}{\Gamma(\sum_{j=1}^V \rho_{t,j} + \beta_j)} \\ &\propto \frac{\Gamma(v_{q,t}^{(-n)} + \alpha_t)}{\Gamma(\sum_{k=1}^K v_{q,k}^{(-n)} + \alpha_k)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\rho_{t,s}^{(-n)} + \beta_s)}{\Gamma(\sum_{j=1}^V \rho_{t,j}^{(-n)} + \beta_j)} \\ &\propto \frac{\Gamma(v_{q,t} + \alpha_t)}{\Gamma(\sum_{k=1}^K v_{q,k} + \alpha_k)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\rho_{t,s} + \beta_s)}{\Gamma(\sum_{j=1}^V \rho_{t,j} + \beta_j)} \\ &\propto \frac{\Gamma(v_{q,t} + \alpha_t - 1)}{\Gamma(\sum_{k=1}^K v_{q,k} + \alpha_k - 1)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\rho_{t,s} + \beta_s - 1)}{\Gamma(\sum_{j=1}^V \rho_{t,j} + \beta_j - 1)} \\ &\propto \frac{v_{q,t} + \alpha_t - 1}{\sum_{k=1}^K v_{q,k} + \alpha_k - 1} \cdot \frac{\rho_{t,s} + \beta_s - 1}{\sum_{j=1}^V \rho_{t,j} + \beta_j - 1} \end{aligned}$$

Note that the counts $v_{m,k}$ and $\rho_{k,j}$ are updated over the Gibbs sampling iterations

Estimating Topic Model Parameters

Distribution of topics in documents

$$\begin{aligned} p(\boldsymbol{\theta}_m | Z_{N_m}, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) &= \frac{1}{C_{\boldsymbol{\theta}_m}} p(Z_{N_m} | \boldsymbol{\theta}_m) p(\boldsymbol{\theta}_m | \boldsymbol{\alpha}) \\ &= \frac{1}{C_{\boldsymbol{\theta}_m} \Delta(\boldsymbol{\alpha})} \prod_{i=1}^{N_m} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_{m,k}^{\mathbb{I}(\mathbf{z}_{(i,m)} = \boldsymbol{\xi}_k)} \theta_{m,k}^{\alpha_k - 1} \\ &= \frac{1}{C_{\boldsymbol{\theta}_m} \Delta(\boldsymbol{\alpha})} \prod_{k=1}^K \theta_{m,k}^{v_{m,k}} \theta_{m,k}^{\alpha_k - 1} = \text{Dir}(\boldsymbol{\theta}_m | \mathbf{v}_m + \boldsymbol{\alpha}) \end{aligned}$$

Estimating Topic Model Parameters

Continued

Distribution of words in topics

Let $N(\xi_k) = \{(i, m) : \mathbf{z}_{i,m} = \xi_k\}$

$$\begin{aligned} p(\phi_k | \mathcal{X}_{N(\xi)}, \mathcal{Z}_{N(\xi)}, \beta) &= \frac{1}{C_{\phi_k}} p(\mathcal{X}_{N(\xi)} | \phi_k) p(\phi_k | \beta) \\ &= \frac{1}{C_{\phi_k}} \prod_{N(\xi_k)} p(\mathbf{x}_{i,m} | \phi_k) p(\phi_k | \beta) \\ &= \frac{1}{C_{\phi_k} \Delta(\beta)} \prod_{N(\xi_k)} \prod_{j=1}^V \phi_{k,j}^{\mathbb{I}(\mathbf{x}_{i,m} = \omega_j)} \phi_{k,j}^{\beta_j - 1} \\ &= \frac{1}{C_{\phi_k} \Delta(\beta)} \prod_{j=1}^V \phi_{k,j}^{\rho_{k,j} + \beta_j - 1} = \text{Dir}(\phi_k | \rho_k + \beta) \end{aligned}$$

Estimating Topic Model Parameters

Continued

Given $\mathbf{x} = (x_1 \dots x_K) \sim \text{Dir}(\mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\alpha})$

$$\mathbb{E}[x_i] = \frac{\alpha_i}{\bar{\alpha}} \quad \text{Var}[x_i] = \frac{\alpha_i(\bar{\alpha} - \alpha_i)}{\bar{\alpha}^2(\bar{\alpha} + 1)} \quad \bar{\alpha} = \sum_{i=1}^K \alpha_i = \boldsymbol{\alpha}^T \mathbf{1}$$

Estimate for distribution of topics in documents $[a_k = (\mathbf{v}_m + \boldsymbol{\alpha})^T \mathbf{1}]$

$$\mathbb{E}[\theta_{m,k}] = \frac{v_{m,k} + \alpha_k}{a_k} \quad \text{Var}[\theta_{m,k}] = \frac{(v_{m,k} + \alpha_k)[a_k - (v_{m,k} + \alpha_k)]}{a_k^2(a_k + 1)}$$

Estimate for distribution of words in topics $[b_k = (\boldsymbol{\rho}_k + \boldsymbol{\beta})^T \mathbf{1}]$

$$\mathbb{E}[\phi_{k,j}] = \frac{\rho_{k,j} + \beta_j}{b_k} \quad \text{Var}[\phi_{k,j}] = \frac{(\rho_{k,j} + \beta_j)[b_k - (\rho_{k,j} + \beta_j)]}{b_k^2(b_k + 1)}$$