

Comprehension Model Equations

1 Terms

Boolean fork and join variables $f, j \in \mathbb{B} = \{\top, \perp\}$

Words $w \in \mathbb{W}$

Category labels $\ell \in \mathbb{L}$

Semantic contexts $k \in \mathbb{K}$ (e.g. $eat_2, apple_1$ for an eaten apple; $eat_0, apple_{1,-2}$ for eating an apple)

Context sets $K, K' \in \mathbb{B}^{\mathbb{K}}$ (a.k.a. $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{K})$, a.k.a. $2^{\mathbb{K}}$)

Operators $o, o' \in \mathbb{O} \subset \mathbb{B}^{\mathbb{K}} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}^{\mathbb{K}}$

Signs $a, b, c, p = K : \ell = \langle K, \ell \rangle \in \mathbb{B}^{\mathbb{K}} \times \mathbb{L}$

Incomplete signs $q = a/b = \langle a, b \rangle \in (\mathbb{B}^{\mathbb{K}} \times \mathbb{L}) \times (\mathbb{B}^{\mathbb{K}} \times \mathbb{L})$

Depth $d \in \{1, \dots, D\}$

2 Model equations

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbb{P}(q_t^{1..D} w_t | q_{1..t-1}^{1..D} w_{1..t-1}) &= \mathbb{P}(q_t^{1..D} w_t | q_{t-1}^{1..D}) && \text{Markov assumption} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbb{P}(f_t K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t} w_t j_t o_t o'_t a_t^{1..D} b_t^{1..D} | q_{t-1}^{1..D}) && \text{redundant variables} \\
 &= \mathbb{P}_{\phi}(f_t K_{p_t} | q_{t-1}^{1..D}) \cdot && \text{fork, preterminal context} \\
 &\quad \mathbb{P}_{\pi}(\ell_{p_t} | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t}) \cdot && \text{preterminal label} \\
 &\quad \mathbb{P}_{\xi}(w_t | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t}) \cdot && \text{word} \\
 &\quad \mathbb{P}_i(j_t o_t o'_t | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t} w_t) \cdot && \text{join, left/right operators} \\
 &\quad \mathbb{P}_{\alpha}(a_t^{1..D} | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t} w_t j_t o_t o'_t) \cdot && \text{apex signs} \\
 &\quad \mathbb{P}_{\beta}(b_t^{1..D} | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t} w_t j_t o_t o'_t a_t^{1..D}) && \text{brink signs}
 \end{aligned}$$

Fork decision and preterminal context:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbb{P}_{\phi}(f_t K_{p_t} | q_{t-1}^{1..D}) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbb{P}_{\phi}(f_t K_{p_t} | d K_{j_{t-1}^d}); \quad d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_{\perp}\} \\
 \mathbb{P}_{\phi}(f K' | d K) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\exp \sum_{k \in K, k' \in K'} \phi_{d,k,f,k'}}{\sum_{f, K'} \exp \sum_{k \in K, k' \in K'} \phi_{d,k,f,k'}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Preterminal label:

$$\mathbb{P}_{\pi}(\ell_{p_t} | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbb{P}_{\pi}(\ell_{p_t} | d b_t^d K_{p_t}); \quad d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_{\perp}\}$$

Word:

$$\mathbf{P}_\xi(w_t | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbf{P}_\xi(w_t | K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t})$$

Join decision and left/right operators:

$$\mathbf{P}_i(j_t o_t o'_t | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \begin{cases} \mathbf{P}_i(j_t o_t o'_t | d K_{a_{t-1}^d} K_{b_{t-1}^{d-1}}); & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \perp \\ \mathbf{P}_i(j_t o_t o'_t | d K_{p_t} K_{b_{t-1}^d}); & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \top \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{P}_i(j o o' | d K K') \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{\exp \sum_{k \in K, k' \in K'} \iota_{d,k,k',j,o,o'}}{\sum_{j,o,o'} \exp \sum_{k \in K, k' \in K'} \iota_{d,k,k',j,o,o'}}$$

Apex signs:

$$\mathbf{P}_\alpha(a_t^{1..D} | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t} w_t j_t o_t o'_t) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \begin{cases} \prod_{d'=1}^{d-2} \llbracket a_t^{d'} = a_{t-1}^{d'} \rrbracket \cdot \llbracket a_t^{d-1} = a_{t-1}^{d-1} \rrbracket \cdot \prod_{d'=d}^D \llbracket a_t^{d'} = a_\perp \rrbracket; & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \perp, j_t = \top \\ \prod_{d'=1}^{d-1} \llbracket a_t^{d'} = a_{t-1}^{d'} \rrbracket \cdot \mathbf{P}_\alpha(a_t^d | d o_t b_{t-1}^{d-1} a_{t-1}^d) \cdot \prod_{d'=d+1}^D \llbracket a_t^{d'} = a_\perp \rrbracket; & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \perp, j_t = \perp \\ \prod_{d'=1}^{d-1} \llbracket a_t^{d'} = a_{t-1}^{d'} \rrbracket \cdot \llbracket a_t^d = a_{t-1}^d \rrbracket \cdot \prod_{d'=d+1}^D \llbracket a_t^{d'} = a_\perp \rrbracket; & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \top, j_t = \top \\ \prod_{d'=1}^d \llbracket a_t^{d'} = a_{t-1}^{d'} \rrbracket \cdot \mathbf{P}_\alpha(a_t^{d+1} | d o_t b_{t-1}^d p_t) \cdot \prod_{d'=d+2}^D \llbracket a_t^{d'} = a_\perp \rrbracket; & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \top, j_t = \perp \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{P}_\alpha(a | d o b c) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \llbracket K_a = o(K_c) \rrbracket \cdot \mathbf{P}_\alpha(\ell_a | d o \ell_b \ell_c)$$

Brink signs:

$$\mathbf{P}_\beta(b_t^{1..D} | q_{t-1}^{1..D} f_t K_{p_t} \ell_{p_t} w_t j_t o_t o'_t a_t^{1..D}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \begin{cases} \prod_{d'=1}^{d-2} \llbracket b_t^{d'} = b_{t-1}^{d'} \rrbracket \cdot \mathbf{P}_\beta(b_t^{d-1} | d o_t o'_t b_{t-1}^{d-1} a_{t-1}^{d-1}) \cdot \prod_{d'=d}^D \llbracket b_t^{d'} = b_\perp \rrbracket; & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \perp, j_t = \top \\ \prod_{d'=1}^{d-1} \llbracket b_t^{d'} = b_{t-1}^{d'} \rrbracket \cdot \mathbf{P}_\beta(b_t^d | d o_t o'_t a_t^d a_{t-1}^d) \cdot \prod_{d'=d+1}^D \llbracket b_t^{d'} = b_\perp \rrbracket; & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \perp, j_t = \perp \\ \prod_{d'=1}^{d-1} \llbracket b_t^{d'} = b_{t-1}^{d'} \rrbracket \cdot \mathbf{P}_\beta(b_t^d | d o_t o'_t b_{t-1}^d p_t) \cdot \prod_{d'=d+1}^D \llbracket b_t^{d'} = b_\perp \rrbracket; & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \top, j_t = \top \\ \prod_{d'=1}^d \llbracket b_t^{d'} = b_{t-1}^{d'} \rrbracket \cdot \mathbf{P}_\beta(b_t^{d+1} | d o_t o'_t a_t^{d+1} p_t) \cdot \prod_{d'=d+2}^D \llbracket b_t^{d'} = b_\perp \rrbracket; & d = \max_{d'} \{q_{t-1}^{d'} \neq q_\perp\} & \text{if } f_t = \top, j_t = \perp \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{P}_\beta(b | d o o' c a) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \llbracket K_b = o'(K_c) \rrbracket \cdot \mathbf{P}_\beta(\ell_b | d o o' \ell_c \ell_a)$$