# Infrared: a declarative tree decomposition-powered framework for bioinformatics

#### Additional file 1

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Recall the following few definitions and notation from the main text. Given the cluster tree  $(T, \chi, \phi)$ and a node u of T. If u has the parent v, then diff $(u) = \chi(u) \setminus \chi(v)$  and  $\operatorname{sep}(u) = \chi(v) \cap \chi(u)$ ; otherwise, if u is the root, diff $(u) = \chi(u)$  and  $\operatorname{sep}(u) = \emptyset$ . Moreover, we defined  $T_u$  as the subtree under node u,  $\chi(T_u) = \bigcup_{u' \in T_u} \chi(u')$  and diff $(T_u) = \chi(T_u) \setminus \operatorname{sep}(u)$ . We use the following lemma.

**Lemma S1.** {diff $(T_c) \mid c$  child of u} is a partition of  $\chi(T_u) \setminus \chi(u) = \text{diff}(T_u) \setminus \text{diff}(u)$ .

*Proof.* Let u be a node of the cluster tree  $(T, \chi, \phi)$ , c and c' be children of u, then  $\operatorname{diff}(T_c) \cap \operatorname{diff}(T_{c'}) = \emptyset$ , since—due to tree decomposition property (3)—any common element must be in  $\chi(u)$  in contradiction to the definition of diff on subtrees; moverover,

$$\bigcup \{ \operatorname{diff}(T_c) \mid c \text{ child of } u \} = \bigcup_{\substack{c \text{ child of } u \\ c \text{ child of } u}} \chi(c) \setminus \sup_{\substack{c \text{ child of } u \\ c \text{ child of } u}} \operatorname{sep}(c) \\ = \bigcup_{\substack{c \text{ child of } u \\ c \text{ child of } u}} \chi(c) \setminus \chi(u) = \operatorname{diff}(T_u) \setminus \operatorname{diff}(u).$$

### 1 Correctness of optimization

Proof of Proposition 1. We are going to show the correctness by structural induction on the cluster tree. For the base case, let u be a leaf of the cluster tree. Since the subtree  $T_u$  is the node u itself, Eq. 3 for a leaf u is written as

$$m_{u \to v}(\bar{x}) = \max_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u)}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \text{ is valid}}} \sum_{f \in \phi(u)} \alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}').$$

Thus, Proposition 1 holds for leaves u, since they do not have children.

For the induction step, let u be an internal node of the cluster tree and assume Proposition 1 holds for all children of u. Denote the children of u as  $c_1 \ldots, c_k$ . We directly apply the induction hypothesis to the r.h.s of the claim.

r.h.s. (4) = 
$$\max_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u)}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \text{ is valid}}} \left[ \begin{array}{c} \sum_{f \in \phi(u)} \alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}') \\ + \sum_{c_i \text{ child of } u} \max_{\bar{y}_i \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{c_i})}} \sum_{f \in \phi(T_{c_i})} \alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i) \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i \text{ is valid} \end{array} \right]$$

Our goal is to show equivalence to the r.h.s. of Eq. (3). By Lemma S1 set diff $(T_u) \setminus \text{diff}(u)$  is disjointly decomposed into diff $(T_{c_1}) \dots \text{diff}(T_{c_k})$ ; moreover,  $\phi(T_u) \setminus \phi(u)$  is partitioned into  $\phi(T_{c_i})$ ,  $i = 1 \dots k$ . It follows that for every fixed assignment  $\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}'$ , the maximizations over  $\bar{y}_i \in \text{diff}(T_{c_i})$  are independent for different *i*; as well the sum over the functions of bag *u* is independent of the maximizations. Thus, we can move the maximizations over the assignments  $\bar{y}_i$  in front of the summations.

$$= \max_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u)} \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \text{ is valid } \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i \text{ is valid } \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar$$

Then, we combine the maximizations over the single partial assignments  $\bar{y}_i$ ; moreover we replace the sums with a single sum ranging over the combined assignments  $\bar{y}$  of diff $(T_u) \setminus \text{diff}(u)$ .

$$= \max_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u)} \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid } \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid } \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid } } \max_{\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid } } \left[ \sum_{f \in \phi(T_u)} \alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}) \right]$$

The last term equals r.h.s. of Eq. (3), showing the induction step.

## 2 Correctness of partition function computation

Proof of Proposition 2. Again, we will show the correctness by induction. Starting with the base case where u is a leaf of the cluster tree, the subtree  $T_u$  is the node u and the child set of u is empty. Eq 5 is then written as

$$m_{u \to v}(\bar{x}) = \sum_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u)}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \text{ is valid}}} \prod_{f \in \phi(u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}'))$$

which shows the correctness for leaves.

For the induction step, let u be an internal node of the cluster tree; we assume that the message  $m_{c_i \to u}$  for all children  $c_i$ ,  $i \in \{1, \ldots, k\}$  of u is correctly computed as in Proposition 2. Following the scheme as in the previous proof, we first rewrite the r.h.s of the claim applying the induction hypothesis,

$$\mathbf{r.h.s.} (6) = \sum_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u)}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' = \mathbf{x} \mathrm{vid}}} \left[ \begin{array}{c} \prod_{f \in \phi(u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}')) \\ \times \prod_{c_i \text{ child of } u} \sum_{\substack{\bar{y}_i \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{c_i})}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i \text{ is valid}}} \prod_{f \in \phi(T_{c_i})} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i)) \end{array} \right]$$

As the set  $\operatorname{diff}(T_u) \setminus \operatorname{diff}(u)$  is disjointly decomposed into  $\operatorname{diff}(T_{c_1}) \dots \operatorname{diff}(T_{c_k})$ , the second term in the bracket can be seen as the Cartesian product of k sets. We can move the summations in front of the production,

$$= \sum_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u)}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \text{ is valid}}} \left[ \begin{array}{c} \prod_{f \in \phi(u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}')) \\ \times \sum_{\substack{\bar{y}_i \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{c_1})}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i \text{ is valid}}} \sum_{\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i \text{ is valid}} \cdots \sum_{\substack{\bar{y}_k \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{c_k})}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_k \text{ is valid}}} \prod_{c_i \text{ child of } u} \prod_{f \in \phi(T_{c_i})} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i)) \right]$$

For every fixed assignment  $\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}'$ , the product over the functions of bag u is independent of the summations. Thus, we can move the summations over the assignments  $\bar{y}_i$  in front of the product,

$$= \sum_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u)}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \text{ is valid}}} \sum_{\substack{\bar{y}_1 \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{c_1})}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i \text{ is valid}}} \cdots \sum_{\substack{\bar{y}_k \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{c_k})}\\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i \text{ is valid}}} \left[ \prod_{f \in \phi(u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}')) \times \prod_{c_i \text{ child of } u} \prod_{f \in \phi(T_{c_i})} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}_i))} \right]$$

Then, we combine the summations over the single partial assignments  $\bar{y}_i$ ; moreover we replace the products with a single product ranging over the combined assignments  $\bar{y}$  of diff $(T_u)$ \diff(u) as  $\phi(T_u) \setminus \phi(u)$  is partitioned into  $\phi(T_{c_i})$ ,  $i = 1 \dots k$ .

$$= \sum_{\substack{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u)} \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid}}} \sum_{\substack{\bar{y} \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_u) \setminus \mathrm{diff}(u) \\ \bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid}}} \left[ \prod_{f \in \phi(T_u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y})) \right]$$

The last term equals r.h.s. of Eq. (5), showing the induction step.

#### 3 Correctness of sampling by stochastic traceback

**Lemma S2.** At edge  $u \to v$ , Alg. 3 choses a partial assignment  $\bar{x} \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u)}$  with probability

$$\mathbb{P}_{\text{alg}}(\bar{x} \mid x) = \frac{w_{u \to v}(\bar{x} \mid x)}{m_{u \to v}(x)}$$

where x is the partial assignment determined in the previous iterations and weight  $w_{u\to v}(\bar{x} \mid x)$  is defined as

$$w_{u \to v}(\bar{x} \mid x) = \prod_{f \in \phi(u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(x \cup \bar{x})) \prod_{c \text{ child of } u} m_{c \to u}(x \cup \bar{x}) = \sum_{\substack{\bar{y} \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(T_u) \setminus \text{diff}(u) \\ x \cup \bar{x} \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid}}} \prod_{f \in \phi(T_u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(x \cup \bar{x} \cup \bar{y})).$$
(S1)

*Proof.* Let us order the partial assignments  $\bar{x}_i$  in  $\mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u)}$  with i from 1 to  $|\mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u)}|$ , each is associated with weight  $w_{u\to v}(\bar{x}_i \mid x) = \prod_{f \in \phi(u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(x \cup \bar{x}_i)) \prod_{c \text{ child of } u} m_{c\to u}(x \cup \bar{x}_i)$ . Note that the sum of all weights  $\sum_{i=1}^{|\mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u)}|} w_{u\to v}(\bar{x}_i \mid x)$  equals to  $m_{u\to v}(x)$ .

For a selected value t, Alg. 3 enumerates assignments  $\bar{x}_i$  starting from i = 1. In every iteration, it subtracts the weight  $w_{u\to v}(\bar{x}_i \mid x)$ . It is terminated as soon as t is negative, let this index be j, and assigns  $\bar{x}_j$  to diff(u). In other words,  $\bar{x}_j$  is assigned to diff(u) if

$$\sum_{i=0}^{j} w_{u \to v}(\bar{x}_i \mid x) \le t < \sum_{i=0}^{j+1} w_{u \to v}(\bar{x}_i \mid x)$$

with  $w_{u\to v}(\bar{x}_0 \mid x)$  is defined as 0 for i = 0. Since t is randomly and uniformly selected from 0 to  $m_{u\to v}(x)$ , the probability that Alg. 3 chooses  $\bar{x}$  is

$$\mathbb{P}_{\mathrm{alg}}(\bar{x} \mid x) = \frac{w_{u \to v}(\bar{x} \mid x)}{m_{u \to v}(x)}.$$

Finally, the weight  $w_{u\to v}(\bar{x} \mid x) = \prod_{f \in \phi(u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(x \cup \bar{x})) \prod_{c \text{ child of } u} m_{c\to u}(x \cup \bar{x})$  can be seen as a special case of Eq. 6 by replacing the partial assignment set  $\mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u)}$  with a singleton  $\{\bar{x}\}$ . Applying Proposition 2 gives

$$w_{u \to v}(\bar{x} \mid x) = \sum_{\substack{\bar{y} \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(T_u) \setminus \text{diff}(u) \\ x \cup \bar{x} \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid}}} \prod_{f \in \phi(T_u)} \exp(\alpha_f f(x \cup \bar{x} \cup \bar{y})).$$

Proof of Proposition 3. Let us assume that the non-root nodes of the cluster tree are labeled in preorder as  $u_1, u_2, \ldots, u_\ell$ . Alg. 3 assigns values in the order of  $\operatorname{diff}(u_1), \ldots, \operatorname{diff}(u_\ell)$ ; it finally generates a total assignment since  $\bigcup_{i=1}^{\ell} \operatorname{diff}(u_i) = \mathcal{X}$ .

Let  $x^* = \bar{x}_1^* \cup \cdots \cup \bar{x}_\ell^*$  be a total assignment where  $\bar{x}_i^*$  is a partial assignment of  $\mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u_i)}$  for *i* from 1 to  $\ell$ . The probability of  $x^*$  can be written as product of conditional probabilities

$$\mathbb{P}(x^*) = \mathbb{P}(\bar{x}_1^*) \mathbb{P}(\bar{x}_2^* \mid \bar{x}_1^*) \cdots \mathbb{P}(\bar{x}_\ell^* \mid \bigcup_{k=1}^{\ell-1} \bar{x}_k^*) = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\ell} \mathbb{P}(\bar{x}_i^* \mid \bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*)$$

with the conditional Boltzmann probability

$$\mathbb{P}(\bar{x}_{i}^{*} \mid \bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_{k}^{*}) = \frac{\sum_{\bar{x} \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u_{i+1}) \cup \dots \cup \text{diff}(u_{\ell})} \prod_{f \in \phi_{\text{all}}} \exp(\alpha_{f} f(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_{k}^{*} \cup \bar{x}_{i}^{*} \cup \bar{x}))}{\sum_{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u_{i})}} \sum_{\bar{x} \in \mathcal{A}_{\text{diff}(u_{i+1}) \cup \dots \cup \text{diff}(u_{\ell})} \prod_{f \in \phi_{\text{all}}} \exp(\alpha_{f} f(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_{k}^{*} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{x}))}}$$
(S2)

where  $\phi_{\text{all}}$  is the set of all network functions in the feature network. Note that for i = 1, the union  $\bigcup_{k=1}^{0} x_k^*$  is empty.

At the edge  $u_i \to v$ , where the variables  $\operatorname{diff}(u_1), \ldots, \operatorname{diff}(u_{i-1})$  have been assigned by  $\bar{x}_1^*, \ldots, \bar{x}_{i-1}^*$ , the probability that Alg. 3 chooses  $\bar{x}_i^*$  for  $\operatorname{diff}(u_i)$  is given by Lemma S2 as

$$\mathbb{P}_{\text{alg}}(\bar{x}_i^* \mid \bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*) = \frac{w_{u_i \to v}(\bar{x}_i^* \mid \bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*)}{m_{u_i \to v}(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*)}.$$
(S3)

Our goal is to show that two conditional probabilities  $\mathbb{P}(\bar{x}_i^* \mid \bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*)$  of Eq. S2 and  $\mathbb{P}_{alg}(\bar{x}_i^* \mid \bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*)$  of Eq. S3 are actually the same.

We rewrite  $\mathbb{P}_{alg}$  of Eq. S3 using Eq. S1 and the definition of conditional partition function as in Eq. 5

$$\begin{split} \mathbb{P}_{\mathrm{alg}}(\bar{x}_{i}^{*} \mid \cup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_{k}^{*}) \\ &= \frac{\sum_{\bar{y} \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{u_{i}}) \setminus \mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}}{\sum_{\bar{x} \cup \bar{x}_{i}^{*} \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid}} \prod_{f \in \phi(T_{u_{i}})} \exp(\alpha_{f} f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_{k}^{*} \cup \bar{x}_{i}^{*} \cup \bar{y}))}{\sum_{\bar{x}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}} \sum_{\bar{y} \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{u_{i}}) \setminus \mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}} \prod_{f \in \phi(T_{u_{i}})} \exp(\alpha_{f} f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_{k}^{*} \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}))}{\bar{x}' \text{ is valid}} \end{split}$$

Comparing with  $\mathbb{P}(\bar{x}_i^* \mid \bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*)$  of Eq. S2, only a subset of network functions  $\phi(T_u)$  are taken into account. We are going to bring the rest into the expression. First, let us consider the functions assigned to the nodes that Alg. 3 has visited before edge  $u_i \to v$ , denoted by  $\phi_{\text{visited}} := \bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \phi(u_k)$ . Multiplying nominator and denominator by partial partition function  $\prod_{f \in \phi_{\text{visited}}} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*))$  restricted to  $\phi_{\text{visited}}$  and the partial assignment  $\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*$  gives

$$=\frac{\left(\sum_{\bar{y}\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{u_{i}})\backslash\mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}}{x\cup\bar{x}_{i}^{*}\cup\bar{y}\text{ is valid}}\prod_{f\in\phi(T_{u_{i}})}\exp(\alpha_{f}f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_{k}^{*}\cup\bar{x}_{i}^{*}\cup\bar{y}))\right)\left(\prod_{f\in\phi_{\mathrm{visited}}}\exp(\alpha_{f}f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_{k}^{*}))\right)}{\left(\sum_{\bar{x}'\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}}\sum_{\bar{y}\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{u_{i}})\backslash\mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}}\prod_{f\in\phi(T_{u_{i}})}\exp(\alpha_{f}f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_{k}^{*}\cup\bar{x}'\cup\bar{y}))\right)\left(\prod_{f\in\phi_{\mathrm{visited}}}\exp(\alpha_{f}f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_{k}^{*}))\right)}\right)$$

As diff $(T_{u_i})$  is disjoint to the dependency of any function of  $\phi_{\text{visited}}$ , we can further group the products

$$= \frac{\sum_{\bar{y} \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{u_i}) \backslash \mathrm{diff}(u_i)}} \prod_{f \in \phi_{\mathrm{visited}} \cup \phi(T_{u_i})} \exp(\alpha_f f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^* \cup \bar{x}_i^* \cup \bar{y}))}{\sum_{x \cup \bar{x}_i^* \cup \bar{y} \text{ is valid}} \sum_{\bar{y} \in \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{u_i}) \backslash \mathrm{diff}(u_i)}} \prod_{f \in \phi_{\mathrm{visited}} \cup \phi(T_{u_i})} \exp(\alpha_f f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^* \cup \bar{x}' \cup \bar{y}))}}{\bar{x}' \text{ is valid}}$$

We consider now the rest of the network functions, denoted by  $\phi_{\text{rest}}$ . These functions are assigned to the cluster nodes, denoted by  $\mathcal{U}_{\text{rest}}$ , that have not been visited before the edge  $u_i \to v$  or are not in the subtree of  $u_i$ . Note that  $T_{u_i} \cup \mathcal{U}_{\text{rest}} = \{u_i, \ldots, u_\ell\}$ . The partial partition function restricted to  $\phi_{\text{rest}}$  for fixed partial assignment  $\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^*$  is

$$\sum_{\substack{\bar{y}' \in \mathcal{A}_{\cup_{u \in \mathcal{U}_{\text{rest}}} \text{diff}(u) \\ \bar{y}' \text{ is valid}}} \prod_{f \in \phi_{\text{rest}}} \exp(\alpha_f f(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} \bar{x}_k^* \cup \bar{y}')).$$

Multiplying again the partial partition function on nominator and denominator gives

$$= \frac{\left(\sum_{\bar{y}\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{u_{i}})\backslash\mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}} \prod_{f\in\phi_{\mathrm{visited}}\cup\phi(T_{u_{i}})} \exp(\alpha_{f}f(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_{k}^{*}\cup\bar{x}_{i}^{*}\cup\bar{y}))\right)}{\left(\sum_{x\cup\bar{x}_{i}^{*}\cup\bar{y}} \mathrm{is valid}} \left(\sum_{\bar{y}'\in\mathcal{A}_{\bigcup_{u\in\mathcal{U}_{\mathrm{rest}}}\mathrm{diff}(u)}} \prod_{f\in\phi_{\mathrm{rest}}} \exp(\alpha_{f}f(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_{k}^{*}\cup\bar{y}'))\right)}{\bar{y}' \mathrm{is valid}}\right)}\right)}{\left(\sum_{\bar{x}'\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}} \sum_{\bar{y}\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(T_{u_{i}})\backslash\mathrm{diff}(u_{i})}} \prod_{f\in\phi_{\mathrm{visited}}\cup\phi(T_{u_{i}})} \exp(\alpha_{f}f(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_{k}^{*}\cup\bar{x}'\cup\bar{y}))\right)}{\bar{x}'\,\mathrm{is valid}}\right)}\right)}{\left(\sum_{\bar{y}'\in\mathcal{A}_{\bigcup_{u\in\mathcal{U}_{\mathrm{rest}}}\mathrm{diff}(u)}} \prod_{f\in\phi_{\mathrm{rest}}} \exp(\alpha_{f}f(\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_{k}^{*}\cup\bar{y}'))\right)}{\bar{y}'\,\mathrm{is valid}}\right)}$$

Because of the disjointness between  $\operatorname{diff}(T_{u_i}) \setminus \operatorname{diff}(u_i)$  and  $\bigcup_{u \in \mathcal{U}_{rest}} \operatorname{diff}(u)$ , we can group the products and combine the partial assignments into one  $\bar{x} = \bar{y} \cup \bar{y}'$  as

$$= \frac{\sum_{\bar{x}\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u_{i+1})\cup\ldots\cup\mathrm{diff}(u_{\ell})}} \prod_{f\in\phi_{\mathrm{all}}} \exp(\alpha_f f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_k^*\cup\bar{x}_i^*\cup\bar{x}))}{\frac{\bar{x} \text{ is valid}}{\sum_{\bar{x}'\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u_i)}} \sum_{\bar{x}\in\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{diff}(u_{i+1})\cup\ldots\cup\mathrm{diff}(u_{\ell})}} \prod_{f\in\phi_{\mathrm{all}}} \exp(\alpha_f f(\cup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_k^*\cup\bar{x}'\cup\bar{x}))}}.$$

$$Thus, \mathbb{P}_{\mathrm{alg}}(\bar{x}_i^* \mid \cup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_k^*) = \mathbb{P}(\bar{x}_i^* \mid \cup_{k=1}^{i-1}\bar{x}_k^*).$$