

FYS4411 MARCH 4

Statistical analysis:

Bootstrap & Blocking:

estimates of covariance.

Our stochastic events are in general correlated, $\Rightarrow \text{cov}(x) \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ that variance

$\text{var}(x)$ gives an over-optimistic error (standard deviation)

iid = independent and identically distributed

$$\Rightarrow \text{cov}(x) = 0$$

$$\text{cov}(x) \geq 0$$

iid events:

$$X : \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N\}$$

PDF of X

$$P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N) = p(x_1)p(x_2)\dots p(x_N)$$

$$\text{cov}(x_i, x_j) =$$

$$\int dx_1 \dots dx_N (x_i - \mu_i)(x_j - \mu_j) \\ \times P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$$

$$\mu_i = \frac{1}{m_i} \sum_{j=1}^{m_i} x_j$$

$$(iid) : \mu_i = \mu_j = \mu$$

$$\text{cov}(x_i, x_j) = \int dx_1 \dots dx_N (x_i - \mu)(x_j - \mu) \\ p(x_1)p(x_2)\dots p(x_N)$$

$$\int p(x_i) dx_i = 1 \quad \int p(x_i) x_i dx_i \\ = \mu$$

$$= \int dx_i dx_j (x_i - \mu)(x_j - \mu) p(x_i) \\ \times p(x_j)$$

$$\int dx_i (\underline{x_i - \mu}) p(x_i) \int dx_j (x_j - \mu) p(x_j)$$

$$= (\mu - \mu_{\int dx_i p(G_i)}) (\mu - \mu_{\int dx_j p(G_j)})$$

= 0

$$\text{cov}(x_i, x_j) = E[(x_i - \mu_i)(x_j - \mu_j)]$$

$$\text{cov}(x, y) = E[(x - \mu_x)(y - \mu_y)]$$

$$\text{if } \text{cov}(x_i, x_j) = 0$$

$$\text{var}(x_i) = \text{var}(x) = E[x^2] - \mu_x^2$$

In our case

we don't have the exact μ
nor the exact $\text{var}(x)$.

- sample μ

$$\tilde{\mu} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N x_i \quad \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N E_L(\vec{r}_i) \right)$$

\neq exact μ

- sample variance

$$\approx 1 \left(r_1 - \tilde{\mu} \right)^2$$

$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \bar{x})$
 $\neq \text{var}(x)$

in our codes
Expected value (sample)
of $E[\bar{E}_L]$ and $E[\bar{E}_L^2]$

How do we estimate the covariance?

Central limit theorem

set of stochastic variables

$$X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N\}$$

we assume that x_i are iid, $p(x_i) = p(x_j) = \dots = p(x_N)$

what is the distribution (PDF) of the mean value

$$z = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + \dots + x_N}{N}$$

The PDF is a Gaussian

with $\mu = z$ and variance

$$\sigma_N^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{N} \quad \sigma^2 = \int (x-\mu)^2 p(x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow STD(iid) = \sigma / \sqrt{N}$$

PDF for z

$$\tilde{p}(z) = \int dx_1 p(x_1) \int dx_2 p(x_2)$$

$$\dots \int dx_N p(x_N) \delta\left(z - \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_N}{N}\right)$$

$$\delta\left(z - \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_N}{N}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dq \exp\left[iq\left(z - \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_N}{N}\right)\right]$$

insert $e^{i\mu q - i\mu q}$

$$\tilde{p}(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dq e^{i(z-\mu)q}$$

$$\left[\int dx p(x) e^{iq(\mu-x)/N} \right]^N$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left[-\infty \quad \right] \\
 & \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx p(x) e^{iq(\mu-x)/N} \\
 & \quad \mu = \int x p(x) dx \\
 & = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx p(x) \left[1 + \frac{iq(\mu-x)}{N} \right. \\
 & \quad \left. - \frac{q^2(\mu-x)^2}{2N^2} + \dots \right] \\
 & \quad 1 + O - \frac{q^2}{2N^2} \sigma^2 + \dots \\
 & \quad (\sigma^2 = \int (\mu-x)^2 p(x) dx)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Rightarrow \\
 & \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx p(x) e^{iq(\mu-x)/N} \right]^N \\
 & \simeq \left[1 - \frac{q^2 \sigma^2}{2N^2} \right]^N
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Rightarrow \\
 \tilde{p}(z) & = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dq e^{iq(z-\mu)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\tilde{p}(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi \sigma^2/N}} e^{-\frac{(z-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2/N}}$$

$$\Rightarrow z \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2/N)$$

each x_i in $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N\}$

has $E[x] = \mu$ and

$$\text{var}(x) = \sigma^2$$

$\tilde{p}(z)$ has a STD $\approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$

$$\text{cov}(z) = 0$$

Sample covariance —
we want to estimate it.

$$X_\alpha = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N\}$$

sample mean

$$M_\alpha = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{K=1}^N x_{\alpha, K}$$

sample variance

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{K=1}^N (x_{\alpha, K} - M_\alpha)^2$$

Repeat this experiment M -times.

$$\mu_M = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\alpha=1}^M \mu_\alpha = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{\alpha, k} x_{\alpha, k}$$

Total variance

$$\sigma_M^2 = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\alpha=1}^M (\underline{\mu}_\alpha - \mu_M)^2$$

$$\mu_\alpha - \mu_M = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{\alpha, k} (x_{\alpha, k} - \mu_M)$$

$$\sigma_M^2 = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\alpha=1}^M \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu_\alpha^2 - \mu_\alpha \mu_M \\ - \mu_\alpha \mu_M + \mu_M^2 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{M} \sum_{\alpha=1}^M \underline{\mu}_\alpha^2 \right) - \mu_M^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\alpha=1}^M \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{1}{N} \sum_{r=1}^N x_{\alpha, k} x_{\alpha, r} - \mu_M^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{MN^2} \sum_{\alpha} \sum_{k, r} (x_{\alpha, k} - \mu_M)(x_{\alpha, r} - \mu_M)$$

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$$= \left(\frac{1}{MN^2} \sum_{\alpha k} (x_{\alpha k} - \mu_M) \right) + \frac{2}{MN^2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^M \sum_{1 \leq k < l \leq N} (x_{\alpha k} - \mu_M)(x_{\alpha l} - \mu_M)$$

Cov

sample variance of
all MN experiments

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{\alpha k} (x_{\alpha k} - \mu_M)^2$$

$$\boxed{\sigma_M^2 = \left(\frac{\sigma^2}{N} \right) + \boxed{\text{Cov}}}$$

*use resampling
techniques*