### 1 General definitions

### 1.1 Basic

Sample variance

$$S_X^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2$$
 (1.1)

• Sample correlation coefficient

$$r_{X,Y} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{(n-1)\sqrt{(S_X^2 S_Y^2)}}$$
(1.2)

- QQ-plot for cumulative distribution function F is the set of points  $\left(q_F\left(\frac{i}{n+1}\right), x_{(i)}\right)$ , where  $q_F(\cdot)$  is the quantile function for the distribution.
- Mean Squared Error (MSE)

$$MSE(\theta; T(X), g(\theta)) = \mathbb{E}_{\theta} (T(X) - g(\theta))^{2}$$
(1.3)

• Bias-variance decomposition

$$MSE(\theta; T(X)) = var_{\theta}T + (\mathbb{E}_{\theta}T(X) - g(\theta))^{2}$$
(1.4)

• Empirical distribution function

$$\hat{F}_n(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{I}(X_i \le x) \tag{1.5}$$

# 1.2 k-th order statistic $X_{(k)}$

 $X_{(k)} - k - th$  order statistic distribution for n i.i.d. variables from continuous distribution F.

$$f_{(k)}(x) = \frac{n!}{(k-1)!(n-k)!} F(x)^{k-1} (1 - F(x))^{n-k} f(x)$$
 (1.6)

$$F_{(k)}(x) = \sum_{j=k}^{n} {n \choose j} F(x)^{j} (1 - F(x))^{n-j}$$
(1.7)

$$\mathbb{E}F(X_{(k)}) = \frac{k}{n+1} \tag{1.8}$$

### 1.3 Time Series

Time series below are assumed to be weakly stationary in the following sense:

- Stochastic time series  $X_t(\omega)$  are called weakly stationary, if  $\mathbb{E}X_t$  and  $\text{Cov}(X_t, X_s)$  are inependent of time shifts; in particular, it first and second moments exist.
- For a weakly stationary time series  $X_t$ , the following function are defined:
  - Autocovariance function:

$$\gamma_X(h) = \mathbb{E}(X_{t+h}, X_t) \tag{1.9}$$

- Autocorrelation function

$$\rho_X(h) = \frac{\gamma_X(h)}{\gamma_X(0)} \tag{1.10}$$

- Partial autocorrelation function  $\varphi(h)$  is defined as the coefficient the regression of  $X_{t+h}$  on  $X_t$  when controlled for constant and  $X_{t+1}, \ldots X_{t+h-1}$  (see Proposition 3.35). In particular,  $\varphi(0) = 1$ and  $\varphi(1) = \rho(1)$ 

# 2 Important distributions

- Student's t-distribution  $t_{\nu}, \nu \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$ 
  - pdf

$$\frac{\Gamma(\frac{\nu+1}{2})}{\sqrt{\pi\nu} \Gamma(\frac{\nu}{2})} \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{\nu}\right)^{-\frac{\nu+1}{2}} \tag{2.1}$$

- cdf

$$\frac{1}{2} + x\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu+1}{2}\right) \frac{{}_{2}F_{1}\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{\nu+1}{2}; \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{x^{2}}{\nu}\right)}{\sqrt{\pi\nu} \Gamma(\frac{\nu}{2})}$$
(2.2)

- t-distribution with  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  degrees of freedom arises from the ratio of independent N(0,1)- and  $\chi_n^2$ -distributions

- Poisson distribution Poisson( $\lambda$ ),  $\lambda > 0$ 
  - $-\lambda$  is the average number of events per interval
  - pdf

$$p_{\lambda}(k) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} \tag{2.3}$$

• Geometric distribution  $G(\theta)$ ,  $0 \le \theta \le 1$ 

$$f_{\theta}(k) = (1 - \theta)^{1 - k} \theta \tag{2.4}$$

- cdf

$$F_{\theta}(k) = 1 - (1 - \theta)^k \tag{2.5}$$

• Exponential distribution  $F(x; \lambda)$ 

$$f_{\lambda}(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} \tag{2.6}$$

- cdf

$$F_{\lambda}(x) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x} \tag{2.7}$$

$$-\mathbb{E}_{\lambda}X = 1/\lambda$$

- Beta distribution  $B(\alpha, \beta), \ \alpha, \beta > 0$ 
  - pdf

$$f_{\alpha,\beta}(x) = \frac{x^{\alpha-1}(1-x)^{\beta-1}}{B(\alpha,\beta)}, \ B(\alpha,\beta) \equiv \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}$$
 (2.8)

- Weibull distribution
  - $-\alpha$  and  $\lambda$  are the "shape" and 'inverse scale" parameters.
  - pdf

$$f_{\lambda,\alpha}(x) = \lambda^{\alpha} \alpha x^{\alpha - 1} e^{-(\lambda x)^{\alpha}}$$
(2.9)

- cdf

$$F_{\lambda,\alpha}(x) = 1 - e^{-(\lambda x)^{\alpha}} \tag{2.10}$$

• Gamma distribution  $\Gamma(\alpha, \lambda), \ \alpha > 0, \lambda > 0$ 

 $-\alpha$  and  $\lambda$  are known as "shape" and "inverse scale" parameters.

- pdf

$$f_{\alpha,\lambda}(x) = \frac{x^{\alpha-1}\lambda^{\alpha}e^{-\lambda x}}{\Gamma(\alpha)}$$
 (2.11)

– cdf (where  $\gamma(s,x)=\int_0^x t^{s-1}e^{-t}dt$  — is the "incomplete gamma function")

$$F_{\alpha,\lambda}(x) = \frac{\gamma(\alpha, x\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)}$$
 (2.12)

**Definition 2.1.** A family of probability densities  $p_{\theta}$  that depends on a parameter  $\theta$  is called a k-dimensional exponential family if there exist functions  $c(\theta)$ , h(x),  $Q_j(\theta)$ , and  $V_j(x)$  such that

$$p_{\theta}(x) = c(\theta)h(x)e^{\sum_{j=1}^{k} Q_{j}(\theta)V_{j}(x)}$$

# 3 Fundamental results

# 3.1 Convergence types and $o_p$ - and $O_p$ -notations

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $X_n, n \in \mathbb{N}$  be a sequence of random vectors.

• Sequence  $X_n$  is said to converge in distribution to a random vector X if at any continuity point x of c.d.f.  $F_X$ 

$$X_n \rightsquigarrow X \text{ if } \lim_{n \to \infty} F_{X_n}(x) = F_X(x)$$

• Let d(x, y) be a metric in a target space of  $X_n$ . Sequence  $X_n$  converges in porobability to a random vector X if

$$X_n \xrightarrow{p} X \text{ if } \mathbb{P}(d(X_n, X) > \varepsilon) \xrightarrow{n \to \infty} 0, \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

• For the above notations,  $X_n$  converges to X almost surely if

$$X_n \xrightarrow{as} X \text{ if } \mathbb{P}\left(\lim_{n \to \infty} X_n = X\right) = 1$$

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $X_n, n \in \mathbb{N}$  and X be random vectors. Then

- 1.  $X_n \xrightarrow{as} X$  implies  $X_n \xrightarrow{p} X$
- 2.  $X_n \xrightarrow{p} X$  implies  $X_n \rightsquigarrow X$
- 3.  $X_n \leadsto c$  for a constant c, if and only if  $X_n \xrightarrow{p} X$
- 4. If  $X_n \leadsto X$  and  $d(X_n, Y_n) \xrightarrow{p} 0$  then  $Y_n \leadsto X$
- 5. If  $X_n \rightsquigarrow X$  and  $Y_n \rightsquigarrow c$  for a constant c, then  $(X_n, Y_n) \rightsquigarrow (X, c)$
- 6. If  $X_n \xrightarrow{p} X$  and  $Y_n \xrightarrow{p} Y$  for a constant c, then  $(X_n, Y_n) \xrightarrow{p} (X, Y)$

**Theorem 3.3.** (Strong law of large numbers) Let  $g : \mathbb{R}^k \to \mathbb{R}^m$  be continuous at every point of a set c such that  $\mathbb{P}(X \in C) = 1$ .

- 1. If  $X_n \leadsto X$ , then  $g(X_n) \leadsto g(X)$
- 2. If  $X_n \xrightarrow{p} X$ , then  $g(X_n) \xrightarrow{p} g(X)$
- 3. If  $X_n \xrightarrow{as} X$ , then  $g(X_n) \xrightarrow{as} g(X)$

**Definition 3.4.** A family of random vectors  $X_{\alpha}$  is called *uniformally tight* if

$$\lim_{M \to \infty} \sup_{\alpha} \|X_{\alpha}\| = 0$$

**Theorem 3.5.** (Levy's continuity theorem) Let  $X_n$  and X be random vectors with values in  $\mathbb{R}^k$ , and let  $\varphi_{X_n}(t)$  and  $\varphi_X(t)$  be their characteristic functions respectively.

- If  $\varphi_{X_n}(t)$  converges to  $\varphi_X(t)$  pointwise then  $X_n \leadsto X$
- if  $\varphi_{X_n}$  converges pointwise to a function continuous at 0 then  $X_n$  converges in distribution to some random variable X with that characteristic function

**Definition 3.6.** Let  $X_n$  and  $R_n$  be sequences of random vectors. The following notations are used:

- $X_n = o_p(1)$  if  $X_n \xrightarrow{p} 0$
- $X_n = o_p(R_n)$  if  $X_n = Y_n R_n$  and  $Y_n = o_p(1)$  for some  $Y_n$
- $X_n = O_p(1)$  if  $X_n$  is uniformally tight

•  $X_n = O_p(R_n)$  if  $X_n = Y_n R_n$  and  $Y_n = O_p(1)$  for some  $Y_n$ 

**Proposition 3.7.** Let  $R: \mathbb{R}^k \to \mathbb{R}^m$  be a function with R(0) = 0. Let  $X_n \stackrel{p}{\to} 0$ . Then for every  $\alpha > 0$ 

- 1. If  $R(h) = o(\|h\|^{\alpha})$  as  $h \to 0$  then  $R(X_n) = o_p(\|X_n\|^{\alpha})$
- 2. If  $R(h) = O(\|h\|^{\alpha})$  as  $h \to 0$  then  $R(X_n) = O_p(\|X_n\|^{\alpha})$

**Theorem 3.8.** (Delta method) Let  $\varphi : \mathbb{R}^k \to \mathbb{R}^m$  be a map defined on a subset of  $\mathbb{R}^k$  and differentiable at  $\theta$ . Let  $T_n$  be random vectors taking values in the domain of  $\varphi$ . If  $r_n(T_n - \theta) \leadsto T$  for some numbers  $r_n \xrightarrow{n \to \infty} \infty$ , then

$$r_n\left(\varphi(X_n) - \varphi(\theta)\right) \leadsto \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}\varphi(\theta)(T)$$

where right hand side is the linear transformation of T given by the differential of  $\varphi$  at  $\theta$ .

**Example 3.9.** Let  $S_n$  be a sample variance of a sequence of i.i.d. random variables  $X_n$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  with  $\mathbb{E}X_n = 0$  and finite fourth moment. Denote by  $\kappa = \frac{\mu_4}{\mu_2^2} - 3$  kurtosis of  $X_n$ . Then

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{nS^2}{\mu_2} > \chi_{n,\alpha}^2\right) = \mathbb{P}\left(\sqrt{n}\left(\frac{S^2}{\mu_2}\right) > \frac{\chi_{n,\alpha}^2 - n}{\sqrt{n}}\right) \to 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{z_\alpha\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{\kappa + 2}}\right)$$

*Proof.* By central limit theorem 3.11

$$\sqrt{n} \left( \begin{pmatrix} \bar{X_n} \\ \bar{X_n^2} \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \end{pmatrix} \right) \rightsquigarrow N \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_2 - \alpha_1^2 & \alpha_3 - \alpha_1 \alpha_2 \\ \alpha_3 - \alpha_1 \alpha_2 & \alpha_4 - \alpha_2^2 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

As  $S^2$  does not change if  $X_n$  is replaced by its centered version, it can be assumed that  $\alpha_1 = 0$ . Delta method for 3.8 for  $\varphi(x, y) = y - x^2$  implies:

$$\sqrt{n}\left(S^2-\mu_2\right) \rightsquigarrow N(0,\mu_4-\mu_2^2)$$

# 3.2 Law of large numbers and central limit theorems

**Theorem 3.10.** (Strong law of large numbers) Let  $\bar{X}_n$  be the average of the first n of a sequence of independent identically distributed random vectors  $X_k$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . If  $\mathbb{E}||X_k|| < \infty$  then  $\bar{X}_n \xrightarrow{\text{as}} \mathbb{E} X_1$ .

**Theorem 3.11.** (Central Limit Theorem) Let  $\bar{X}_n$  be the average of the first n of a sequence of i.i.d. random vectors  $X_k$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . If  $\mathbb{E}||X_k||^2 < \infty$  then

$$\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mathbb{E}X_1) \leadsto N(0, \mathbb{V}(X_1)) \tag{3.1}$$

**Theorem 3.12.** (Lindeberg-Feller theorem). For each n let  $X_{n,1}, \ldots X_{n,k_n}$  be independent random vectors with  $\mathbb{E}||X_{n,i}||^2 < \infty$  and such that:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{k_n} \mathbb{E}\left(\|X_{n,i}\|^2 \mathbb{I}\left(\|X_{n,i}\| > \varepsilon\right)\right) \xrightarrow{n \to \infty} 0, \ \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{k_n} \mathbb{V}(X_{n,i}) \xrightarrow{n \to \infty} \Sigma$$

Then the sequence  $\sum_{i=1}^{k_n} (X_{n,i} - \mathbb{E}X_{n,i})$  converges in distribution to  $N(0,\Sigma)$ .

### 3.3 Basic statistics

**Theorem 3.13.** Let  $X_1, \ldots X_n$  be an i.i.d. random variables from the  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  distribution, then

- 1.  $\bar{X}$  is  $N(\mu, \sigma^2/n)$  distributed;
- 2.  $(n-1)S_X^2/\sigma^2$  is  $\chi_{n-1}^2$ -distributed (see 1.1);
- 3.  $\bar{X}$  and  $S_X^2$  are independent;
- 4.  $\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}-\mu)/\sqrt{S_X^2}$  has the  $t_{n-1}$  distribution.

Proof. 
$$||X||^2 - n\bar{X}^2 = (n-1)S_X^2$$

**Definition 3.14.** Let  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$  and  $A^{\sim} \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times m}$ . Consider a list of conditions:

- 1.  $AA^{\sim}A = A$
- 2.  $A^{\sim}AA^{\sim} = A^{\sim}$
- 3.  $(AA^{\sim})^* = AA^{\sim}$
- 4.  $(A^{\sim}A)^* = A^{\sim}A$

If  $A^{\sim}$  satisfies the first condition, then it is a generalized inverse of A. If it satisfies the first two conditions, then it is a reflexive generalized inverse of A. If A satisfies all four conditions the it is called the Moore-Penrose inverse.

**Proposition 3.15.** The space of generalized inverse matrices to a given matrix has dimension  $2 \operatorname{rk} A \operatorname{corank} A$ . It is characterized by two properties:

- The restriction of  $A^{\sim}$  on Im A is an arbitrary lift of the inverse of induced isomorphism on the quotient by Ker A.
- The image of  $A^{\sim}$  equals  $A^{\sim} \operatorname{Im} A$ .

**Theorem 3.16.** Let  $X \sim N(\mu_X, \mathbb{V}_X)$  be a k-dimensional random vector, where  $\mathbb{V}_X$  might be singular. Then for any linear condition of the form BX = b and any linear transformation AX, conditional distributions of X and AX are given by the following formulae:

$$f(X|BX) \sim N(\mu_X + \mathbb{V}_X B^T (B\mathbb{V}_X B^T)^{\sim} (BX - B\mu_X),$$

$$\mathbb{V}_X - \mathbb{V}_X B^T (B\mathbb{V}_X B^T)^{\sim} B\mathbb{V}_X)$$

$$f(AX|BX) \sim N(A\mu_X + A\mathbb{V}_X B^T (B\mathbb{V}_X B^T)^{\sim} (BX - B\mu_X),$$

$$A\mathbb{V}_X A^T - A\mathbb{V}_X B^T (B\mathbb{V}_X B^T)^{\sim} B\mathbb{V}_X A^T)$$

where  $A^{\sim}$  denotes reflexive generalized inverse of matrix A.

*Proof.* Follows from the proposition below.

**Proposition 3.17.** Let Y be a Gaussian random vecor such that

$$Y = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \end{pmatrix} \sim N \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} V_{11} & V_{12} \\ V_{21} & V_{22} \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

Then  $Y_1$  conditional on  $Y_2$  is Gaussian:

$$f(Y_1|Y_2) \sim N(V_{12}V_{22}^{\sim}Y_2, V_{11} - V_{12}V_{22}^{\sim}V_{21})$$

Example 3.18. Let

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \sim N \begin{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \rho \\ \rho & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$$

Then

$$f(y|x) \sim N(\rho x, 1 - \rho^2)$$

Proof of Proposition 3.17. We only consider the case with  $\mathbb{V}(Y)$  nonsingular. It is generalized in a straightforward way, but does not admit straightforward matrix notation for Gaussian distributions.

By definition,

$$f(Y_1|Y_2 = y_2) = \frac{f(Y_1, y_2)}{\int_{Y_2 = y_2} f(Y_1, y_2) dY_1}$$
(3.2)

It is enough to show that

$$Y^{T}\mathbb{V}(Y)^{-1}Y = (Y_{1} - V_{12}V_{22}^{-1})^{T}(V_{11} - V_{12}V_{22}^{-1}V_{21})^{-1}(Y_{1} - V_{12}V_{22}^{-1}) + C(Y_{2})$$
(3.3)

where  $C(Y_2)$  is a term that does not depend on  $Y_1$ . Note that in (3.2) the part of the exponential in Gaussian density depending on  $C(Y_2)$  cancels out. After the cancellation, we are left with the required density up to a multiplicative constant. The latter has to have correct magnitude so that the whole expression corresponds to a density function; alternatively it can be computed directly.

The equation (3.3) is a direct consequence of the inversion formula for  $2 \times 2$  block matrix.

# 3.4 Reminder on different convergence types

**Definition 3.19.** Let  $X_n$  be a sequence of random variables defined on the probability space  $(\Omega, \mathbb{P})$ :

- $X_n$  is said to converge to X almost surely if  $\mathbb{P}(\lim_{n\to\infty} X_n = X) = 1$
- convergence in probability
- weak convergence
- $L_p$ -convergence

**Theorem 3.20.** If a sequence of random variables converges almost surely then it converges in probability.

**Proposition 3.21.** Assume  $\sum_{n\in\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{E}|X_n| < \infty$ , then  $\sum_{n\in\mathbb{Z}} X_n$  is defined as an almost sure limit and:

$$\mathbb{E}\sum_{n\in\mathbb{Z}}X_n=\sum_{n\in\mathbb{Z}}\mathbb{E}X_n$$

*Proof.* Established using Monotone and Dominated Convergence theorems applied to partial sums of random variables.

**Proposition 3.22.** Let f(x) be a function of period T that is absolutely integrable on the interval [-T/2, T/2]. Define its Fourier coefficients as follows:

$$a_k = \frac{2}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} f(x) \cos \frac{2\pi kx}{T} dx, \ k = 0, 1, \dots$$
$$b_k = \frac{2}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} f(x) \sin \frac{2\pi kx}{T} dx, \ k = 1, 2, \dots$$

Then the partial sum  $S_n(x) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} a_0/2 + \sum_{k=1}^n \left( a_k \cos \frac{2\pi kx}{T} + b_k \sin \frac{2\pi kx}{T} \right)$  of the Fourier series admits an integral presentation:

$$S_n(x) = \frac{2}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} f(x+u) \frac{\sin(n+\frac{1}{2})\frac{2\pi u}{T}}{\sin\frac{\pi u}{T}} dx$$

Remark: Note that the coefficient  $a_0$  defined by the formulas above is twice the coefficient to of the constant function in Fourier series (as the norm of a sine wave is twice less).

**Theorem 3.23.** Let f(x) be a function of period T that is absolutely integrable on the interval [-T/2, T/2].

- 1. At a point of continuity where f(x) has a right and a left derivative, the Fourier series coverge absolutely to the value f(x)
- 2. If f(x) is continuous and its derivative f'(x) is square integrable, then the Fourier series converge to f(x) absolutely and uniformly
- 3. If f(x) is continuous, then the Fourier series are uniformally summable to f(x) by the method of Cesàro

**Theorem 3.24.** If series  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (|a_k| + |b_k|)$  are absolutely summable then the associated trigonometric series

$$\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( a_k \cos \frac{2\pi kx}{T} + b_k \sin \frac{2\pi kx}{T} \right)$$

converges absolutely and uniformly to a continuous periodic function of period T of which it is a Fourier series

**Proposition 3.25.** Let  $(a_n)_{n\in\mathbb{Z}}$  be an element of  $l^1(\mathbb{Z})$ , and let  $(Z_t)_{t\in\mathbb{Z}}$  be a sequence of random variables satisfying  $\mathbb{E}|Z_t| < C_1 \ \forall t$  for some constant  $C_1$ . Then the convolution

$$X_t = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} a_n Z_{t-n}$$

is defined almost surely  $\forall t \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

Moreover, if there exists a constant such that  $\mathbb{E}Z_t^2 < C_2 \ \forall t$ , then  $X_t$  is also a limit in  $L^2$ -norm and  $\mathbb{E}X_t^2 \leq |a_n|_1^2 C_2$ .

**Theorem 3.26.** Let  $(X_t)_{t\in\mathbb{Z}} \in L^2\left(\Omega, \mathbb{P}, \mathbb{C}^{d_X}\right)$  and  $(Y_t)_{t\in\mathbb{Z}} \in L^2\left(\Omega, \mathbb{P}, \mathbb{C}^{d_Y}\right)$ . Let  $(a_m)_{m\in\mathbb{Z}} \in l^1(\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{C}^{d_X' \times d_X})$  and  $(b_n)_{n\in\mathbb{Z}} \in l^1(\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{C}^{d_Y' \times d_Y})$ . Then

1. Convolutions  $(a * X)_t$  and  $(b * Y)_t$  are well-defined elements of  $L^2(\Omega, \mathbb{P}, \mathbb{C}^{d'_X})$  and  $L^2(\Omega, \mathbb{P}, \mathbb{C}^{d'_Y})$ .

2.

$$\gamma_{a*X,b*Y}(h) = \sum_{m,n \in \mathbb{Z}} a_m \gamma_{X,Y}(h+n-m) \bar{b}_n^T$$

Corollary 3.27. Let  $(a_m)$ ,  $(b_n) \in l^1(\mathbb{Z})$  and  $(e_t)_{t \in \mathbb{Z}}$  be a sequence of uncorrelated  $(0, \sigma^2)$  random variables. Denote Let  $X_t = (a * e)_t$ ,  $Y_t = (b * X)_t$ . Then

1.

$$\gamma_X(h) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} a_m a_{m-h} \sigma^2$$

2.

$$\gamma_Y(h) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} c_n c_{n-h} \sigma^2, \tag{3.4}$$

where  $c_n = (a * b)_n$ .

**Theorem 3.28.** Let  $(a_m) \in l^1(\mathbb{Z})$ ,  $(b_n) \in l^2(\mathbb{Z})$  and  $(e_t)_{t \in \mathbb{Z}}$  be a sequence of uncorrelated  $(0, \sigma^2)$  random variables. Denote  $X_t = (a * e)_t$ , then

- 1. For each  $t \in \mathbb{Z}$  random variable  $Y_t$  defined as  $L_2$ -limit of the sequence  $\sum_{n=-N}^{N} b_n X_{t-n}$  is well defined.
- 2. Formula (3.4) holds for  $Y_t$ .

Corollary 3.29. For  $(b_n) \in l^2(\mathbb{Z})$  the sequence  $(b * e)_t$  is defined in  $L^2(\Omega, \mathbb{P})$ 

**Theorem 3.30.** Conclusions of Theorem 3.28 hold for  $(a_m) \in l^2(\mathbb{Z}), (b_n) \in l^1(\mathbb{Z})$ 

#### 3.5 Time Series

**Proposition 3.31.** Given the difference equation of order n:

$$y_t + a_1 y_{t-1} + a_2 y_{t-2} + \ldots + a_n y_{t-n} = r_t, \ t = n, n+1, \ldots$$
 (3.5)

The solution  $(y_n)_{n=0}^{\infty}$  can be expressed in the form:

$$y_t = \sum_{i=0}^{t} w_i r_{t-i}, \ t = 0, 1, \dots$$

with  $w_i \equiv 0$  for i < 0, and satisfying the homogeneous difference equation of  $(y_t)$ :

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n} a_i w_{t-i} = 0, \ i = 1, 2, \dots$$
(3.6)

*Proof.* Using recursive formula (3.5) for  $y_t$ , any element of the sequence can be written in the form:

$$y_t = \sum_{i=0}^{t} w_i^{(t)} r_{t-i}$$

for some  $w_i^{(t)}$  with  $t \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, \ 0 \leq i \leq t$ . Using inductive argument, we show that

- 1.  $w_i^{(t)} \equiv w_i$  for some constant depending on i only
- 2. The sequence  $w_i$  satisfies equation (3.6)

Indeed, from the equation 3.5 it is immediate to see that  $w_0 = 1$  and  $w_1 = -a_1$ . Assuming that the pair of statements above is shown for s < t, write:

$$y_t = r_t - \sum_{k=0}^n a_k^{(t)} y_{t-k} = r_t - \sum_{k=1}^t a_k \sum_{j=0}^{t-k} w_j r_{t-k-j}$$
 (3.7)

By definition, we set  $w_t$  to be the coefficient of  $r_0$ , that is,  $w_t = -\sum_{i=1}^n a_i w_{t-i}$ . Moreover, by rearranging terms in 3.7, we get:

$$y_t = -\sum_{j=0}^{t} r_j \sum_{k=1}^{t-j} a_k w_{t-j-k},$$

it follows that the coefficient  $w_{t-j}^{(t)}$  of  $r_j$ ,  $j=1,\ldots t$ , is equal to  $w_{t-j}$  by induction assumption and it concludes the proof.

**Theorem 3.32.** 1. Let  $X_t$  be an AR(p) process given by

$$X_t + \sum_{j=0}^{p} a_j X_{t-j} = e_t,$$

where  $(e_t)_{t\in\mathbb{Z}}$  is a sequence of uncorrelated  $(0,\sigma^2)$  random variables. Suppose that all roots of the polynomial

$$m^p + \sum_{i=0}^p a_i m^{p-j}$$

have magnitude less than 1. Then  $X_t$  admits an infinite MA-presentation  $X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} w_j e_{t-j}$ , where

$$w_0 = 1$$
  
 $w_j + \sum_{i=1}^{j} a_i w_{j-i} = 0, \ j = 1, \dots p - 1$   
 $w_j + \sum_{i=1}^{p} a_i w_{j-i} = 0, \ j = p, p + 1, \dots$ 

2. Let  $X_t$  be an MA(q) process given by

$$X_t = e_t + \sum_{j=0}^{q} b_j e_{t-j}$$

where  $(e_t)_{t\in\mathbb{Z}}$  is a sequence of uncorrelated  $(0,\sigma^2)$  random variables. Suppose that all roots of the polynomial

$$m^p + \sum_{j=0}^q b_j m^{q-j}$$

have magnitude less than 1. Then  $X_t$  admits an infinite AR-presentation

$$\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} c_j X_{t-j} = e_t, \text{ where}$$

$$c_0 = 1$$

$$c_j + \sum_{i=1}^{j} b_i c_{j-i} = 0, \ j = 1, \dots, q-1$$

$$c_j + \sum_{i=1}^{p} b_i c_{j-i} = 0, \ j = q, q+1, \dots$$

**Proposition 3.33.** Let  $X_t$  be an AR(p) process satisfying conditions of Theorem 3.32. Then the partial autocorrelation function  $\varphi(h) = 0$  for h > p

*Proof.* By definition,  $\varphi(h)$  is the correlation between the  $X_{t-h}$  and the residual obtained from the regression of  $X_t$  on  $X_{t-1}, \ldots X_{t-h+1}$ . The latter is  $e_t$  and the result follows.

**Proposition 3.34.** Let  $X_t$  be an AR(p) process satisfying conditions of Theorem 3.32. Then autocovariance function  $\gamma(h)$  satisfies:

$$\gamma(0) + a_1 \gamma(1) + \dots + a_p \gamma(p) = \sigma^2$$
  
 $\gamma(h) + a_1 \gamma(h-1) + \dots + a_p \gamma(h-p) = 0, h > 0$ 

*Remark:* this result allows one to express  $\gamma(0), \ldots \gamma(p)$  through the coefficients  $a_1, \ldots a_p$  and vice versa.

**Proposition 3.35.** Let  $X_t$  be weakly stationary time series:

1. The partial autocorrelation coefficient  $\varphi(h)$  equals  $\theta_{hh}$  in the linear regression:

$$X_{t+h} = \theta_{0h} + \theta_{1h}X_{t+h-1} + \ldots + \theta_{hh}X_t + a_{ht}$$

2. Let  $\rho_{t+h,t\cdot(t+1,\dots t+h-1)}$  denote the partial correlation of  $X_{t+h}$  and  $X_t$  when controlled for  $X_{t+1},\dots X_{t+h-1}$ . The squared norm of the residual term in the regression above equals:

$$\mathbb{E}(a_{ht}^2) = \gamma(0) \prod_{i=1}^{h} (1 - \rho_{t+h,t+i-1\cdot(t+i,\dots t+h-1)}^2)$$

*Proof.* These statements follow from basic Eucledian geometry. Denote by P the projection onto the subspace spanned by  $X_{t+i}, \ldots X_{t+h-1}$ . Now consider sequentially orthogonal decompositions  $X_{t+h} = P(X_{t+h}) + (1-P)(X_{t+h})$  and look at the component of the second summand along  $(1-P)(X_{t+i})$ .

**Proposition 3.36.** Let  $(Y_t)_{t\in\mathbb{Z}}$  be a sequence of elements in  $L^2(\Omega, \mathbb{P}, \mathbb{C})$ , denote  $\mathbf{Y}_n \equiv (Y_1, \ldots, Y_n)$ . Let  $\hat{Y}_{n+s}(Y_1, \ldots, Y_n) \equiv \mathbf{Y}_n b_{n,s}$ ,  $b_{n,s} \in \mathbb{C}^n$  be a linear predictor minimizing mean squared error

$$\tau_{n,s}^2 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} MSE\left(Y_{n+s}, \hat{Y}_{n+s}(Y_1, \dots Y_n)\right) \equiv \mathbb{E}\left\{ ||Y_{n+s} - \hat{Y}_{n+s}||^2 \right\}$$

Then  $b_{n,s} = (\mathbb{V}_{n,n})^+ V_{n,s}$  is a solution, where

$$V_{n,s} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbb{E} \left( \mathbf{Y}_n^T Y_{n+s} \right)$$

$$\mathbb{V}_{n,n} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbb{E} \left( \mathbf{Y}_n^T \mathbf{Y}_n \right)$$

Furthermore, MSE is given by:

$$\tau_{n,s}^2 = \mathbb{V}(Y_{n+s}) - b_{n,s}^T V_{n,s} = \mathbb{V}(Y_{n+s}) - V_{n,s}^T \mathbb{V}_{n,n}^+ V_{n,s}$$

*Proof.* Follows from standard linear regression theory.

**Definition 3.37.** A time-series is nonsingular (regular, nondeterministic) if the sequence of mean squared errors of one-preriod prediction  $\tau_{n,1}^2$  is bounded away from zero. A time series is singular (deterministic) if

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \tau_{n,1} = 0$$

**Theorem 3.38.** Let  $Y_t, b_{n,s}$  and  $\tau_{n,s}$  be as defined in Proposition 3.36 and assume that  $Y_t$  is weakly stationary, nondeterministic. Denote the components of  $b_{n,s}$  by  $b_{n,s,i}$ ,  $i = 1, \ldots n$  so that

$$\hat{Y}_{n+s}(Y_1, \dots Y_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n b_{n,s,i} Y_i$$

Then the following recursive relations take place:

1. 
$$b_{n,s,1} = \tau_{n-1,1}^{-2} \left( \gamma(n+s-1) - \sum_{i=1}^{n} b_{n-1,s,i} \gamma(n+s-1-i) \right)$$

2. 
$$\tau_{n,s}^2 = \tau_{n-1,s}^2 - b_{n,s,1} \tau_{n-1,1}^2$$

$$3. \begin{pmatrix} b_{n,s,2} \\ b_{n,s,3} \\ \vdots \\ b_{n,s,n} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b_{n-1,s,2} \\ b_{n-1,s,3} \\ \vdots \\ b_{n-1,s,n} \end{pmatrix} - b_{n,s,1} \begin{pmatrix} b_{n-1,1,n-1} \\ b_{n-1,1,n-2} \\ \vdots \\ b_{n-1,1,1} \end{pmatrix}$$

*Remark.* Note that one-step prediction terms,  $\tau_{n-1,1}$  and  $b_{n-1,1}$ , appear in the recursion, and the components of the last vector are reversed.

**Theorem 3.39.** (Gram-Schmidt) Let Let  $(Y_t)_{t\in\mathbb{Z}}$  from  $L^2(\Omega, \mathbb{P}, \mathbb{C})$  be a zero-mean, stationary, nondeterministic time series.

Then one can write  $Y_t = \sum_{i=1}^t c_{t,i} Z_i$  where

$$\mathbb{E}Z_{t,i} = 0$$

$$\mathbb{E}(Z_{t,i}Z_{t,j}) = \delta_{ij}\kappa_i^2$$

$$c_{t,1} = \kappa_1^{-2}\gamma_Y(t-1)$$

$$c_{t,i} = \kappa_i^{-2} \left(\gamma_Y(t-i) - \sum_{j < i} c_{t,j}c_{i,j}\kappa_i^2\right)$$

$$\kappa_t^2 = \gamma_Y(0) - \sum_{i=1}^{t-1} c_{t,i}^2\kappa_i^2$$

*Proof.* This is a result of direct application of Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization algorythm to the sequence  $Y_1, \ldots, Y_t$ . Note that the process can be generalized to vector-valued processes.

**Theorem 3.40.** The real valued function  $\rho(h)$  is the correlation function of a real valued stationary time series  $X_t(\omega)$  with index set  $t \in \mathbb{Z}$  if and only if it is representable in the form

$$\rho(h) = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{ihx} dG(x),$$

where G(x) is a symmetric distribution function

**Theorem 3.41.** Let the correlation function  $\rho(h)$  of a stationary time series be abcolutely summable. Then there exists a continuous function  $f(\omega)$  such that.

1. 
$$\rho(h) = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(\omega) \cos \omega h d\omega$$

- 2.  $\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(\omega) d\omega = 1$
- 3.  $f(\omega) \ge 0$
- 4.  $f(\omega)$  is an even function

## 3.6 Estimator convergence via information matrix

**Definition 3.42.** Let X be a random variable defined on probability space  $(\Omega, \mathbb{P}_{\theta}), \ \theta \in \Theta$ . Suppose that the likelihood function  $\theta \mapsto \ell_{\theta} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \log p_{\theta}$  is differentiable for all  $x \in \Omega$ . The gradient

$$\dot{\ell_{\theta}}(x) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ell_{\theta}(x)$$

is called the score function. The Fisher information is defined as the matrix

$$i_{\theta} = \mathbb{V}_{\theta} \left( \dot{\ell_{\theta}}(X) \right)$$

**Theorem 3.43.** Suppose that  $\Theta$  is compact and convex and that  $\theta$  is identifiable, and let  $\hat{\theta}_n$  be the maximum likelihood estimator based on a sample of size n from the distribution with (marginal) probability density  $p_{\theta}$ . Suppose, furthermore, that the map  $\theta \mapsto \log p_{\theta}(x)$  is continuously differentiable for all x, with derivative  $\dot{\ell}_{\vartheta}(x)$ , such that  $||\dot{\ell}_{\vartheta}(x)|| \leq L(x)$  for every  $\theta \in \Theta$ , where L(x) is a function with  $\mathbb{E}_{\theta}L^2(X) < \infty$ . If  $\theta$  is an interior point of  $\Theta$  and the function  $\theta \mapsto i_{\theta}$  is continuous and positive, then under  $\theta$ ,  $\sqrt{n}(\hat{\theta}_n - \theta)$  converges in distribution to a normal distribution with expectation 0 and variance  $i_{\theta}^{-1}$ . Therefore, under  $\theta$ , as  $n \to \infty$ , we have

$$\sqrt{n}(\hat{\theta}_n - \theta) \to N(0, i_{\theta}^{-1})$$

**Theorem 3.44.** (Cramer-Rao) Suppose  $\theta \mapsto p_{\theta}(x)$  is differentiable for every x. Then under certain regularity conditions any unbiased estimator T for  $g(\theta)$  satisfies:

$$\mathbb{V}_{\theta}(T) \ge g'(\theta) I_{\theta}^{-1} g'(\theta)^{T},$$

where  $I_{\theta}$  denotes the full information matrix.

#### 3.7 Sufficient Statistics and UMVU estimators

**Definition 3.45.** For a statistical model  $(\Omega, \mathbb{P}_{\theta})$ ,  $\theta \in \Theta$ , a statistic V(x) is called *sufficient* (for X) if conditional distribution f(x|V=v) is independent of V.

**Theorem 3.46.** A statistic V(x) is sufficient if there exist functions h(x) and  $g(v, \theta)$  such that

$$p_{\theta}(x) = h(x)g(V(x), \theta)$$

**Theorem 3.47.** (Rao-Blackwell) Let V = V(X) be a sufficient statistic, and let T = T(X) be an arbitrary real-valued estimator for  $g(\theta)$ . Then there exists an estimator  $T^* = T^*(V)$  for  $g(\theta)$  that depends only on V, such that  $\mathbb{E}_{\theta}T^* = \mathbb{E}_{\theta}T$  and  $\mathbb{V}_{\theta}T^* \leq \mathbb{V}_{\theta}T$  for all  $\theta$ . In particular, we have  $MSE(\theta; T^*) \leq MSE(\theta; T)$ . This inequality is strict unless  $\mathbb{P}_{\theta}(T^* = T) = 1$ .

**Definition 3.48.** For a statistical model  $(\Omega, \mathbb{P}_{\theta})$ ,  $\theta \in \Theta$ , a statistic V(x) is called complete if  $\mathbb{E}_{\theta}(f(V)) = 0$ ,  $\forall \theta \in \Theta$  implies f(V) = 0 a.s.

**Theorem 3.49.** Let V(x) be sufficient and complete, and T(V) be an unbiased estimator for  $g(\theta)$ . Then T(V) is UMVU estimator (i.e. has smallest variance among all unbiased estimators  $\forall \theta \in \Theta$ ).

**Theorem 3.50.** Suppose that for a k-dimensional exponential family (2.1) the set below contains an interior point:

$$(Q_1(\theta), \dots Q_k(\theta)), \ \theta \in \Theta$$

Then the random vector  $(V_1(x), \ldots V_n(x))$  is sufficient and complete.

## 4 Estimators

## 4.1 Maximum of *n* uniformally distributed statistics

Set up:  $X_1, X_2, ... X_n$  i.i.d. drown from  $U[0, \theta]$ , where  $\theta$  is the parameter of interest.

- $\bullet \ \hat{\theta} = 2\bar{X_n}$ 
  - method of moments estimator
  - unbiased

- 
$$MSE(\theta, \hat{\theta}) = \frac{\theta^2}{3n}$$
, see (1.6)

•  $X_{(n)}$  — n-th order statistic, i.e. maximum.

$$-\mathbb{E}_{\theta}X_{(n)} = \frac{n}{n+1}\theta$$
, see (1.6)

$$- MSE(\theta, X_{(n)}) = \frac{2\theta^2}{(n+2)(n+1)}$$

- $\bullet$   $\frac{n+2}{n+1}X_{(n)}$ 
  - best estimator of the form  $cX_{(n)}$

- 
$$MSE(\theta, \frac{n+2}{n+1}X_{(n)}) = \frac{\theta^2}{(n+1)^2}$$

## 4.2 Univariate normal distribution

• 
$$(\hat{\mu}, \hat{\sigma}^2) = \left(\bar{X}_n, \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X}_n)\right) = \left(\bar{X}_n, \frac{n-1}{n} S_X^2\right)$$

- maximum likelihood estimator
- method of moments estimator
- $-\hat{\mu}$  is unbiased
- $-\mathbb{E}_{(\mu,\sigma^2)}\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{n-1}{n}\sigma^2$

# 4.3 Empirical distribution function

Let  $X_1, \ldots X_n$  be an i.i.d. sample drawn from the distribution F.

- The empirical distribution function (ecdf)  $\hat{F}(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \mathbb{I}(X_i \leq x)$  (see 1.1)
  - unbiased
  - $\operatorname{cov}_F\left(\hat{F}(u), \hat{F}(v)\right) = n^{-1}(F(\min(u, v)) F(u)F(v))$  positively correlated

## 4.4 Linear Regression

**Theorem 4.1.** (Ordinary Least Squares)

(i) In one-factor setting, maximum likelihood estimators for slope, intercept and variance are given by (see (1.1, 1.2)):

$$\hat{\beta} = \frac{S_Y r_{X,Y}}{S_X}, \quad \hat{\alpha} = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}\bar{X}, \quad \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n = (Y_i - \hat{\beta}X_i - \hat{\alpha})^2$$

(ii) If the design matrix X in a multiple linear regression has full rank, then the maximum likelihood estimators are given by:

$$\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} (X^T Y), \quad \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\|Y - X \hat{\beta}\|^2}{n}$$

Theorem 4.2. (Weighted Least Squares/Heteroscedacity)

(i) Assume that error terms  $\varepsilon_i$  are have variance as  $\sigma_i^2 \equiv z_i \sigma^2$  for known constants  $z_i$ . Let  $w_i \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (z_i \sigma^2)^{-1}$ , then maximum likelihood estimators for slope, intercept and variance are given by (see (1.1, 1.2)):

$$\tilde{\beta} = \frac{\sum w_i(x - \tilde{x})(y - \tilde{y})}{\sum w_i(x - \tilde{x})^2} = \frac{\sum w_i \sum w_i x_i y_i - \sum w_i x_i \sum w_i y_i}{\sum w_i \sum w_i x_i^2 - (\sum w_i x_i)^2}$$
$$\tilde{\alpha} = \tilde{y} - \tilde{\beta}\tilde{x}$$
$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = n^{-1} \sum \frac{1}{z_i} (y_i - \tilde{\beta}x_i - \tilde{\alpha})^2$$

(ii) For the multi-factor model, maximum likelihood estimators can be written in the form:

$$\tilde{\beta} = (X^T W X)^{-1} (X^T W Y)$$

**Theorem 4.3.** Let  $V \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \operatorname{span}(X)$ , and  $V_0 \subset V$ . Denote the projection onto V by  $P_V$ .

1. The likelihood ratio statistic for  $H_0: X\beta_0 \in V_0$  equals

$$2\log \lambda_n(X,Y) = n\log \frac{\|(E - P_{V_0})Y\|^2}{\|(E - P_V)Y\|^2},$$

2. Under the null hypothesis, the following quantity has  $F_{n-p,p-p_0}$  distribution:

$$\frac{\|(P_V - P_{V_0})Y\|^2/(p - p_0)}{\|(E - P_V)Y\|^2/(n - p)}$$

### 5 Statistical tests

### 5.1 t-tests

### 5.1.1 One-sample t-test

Let  $X_1, X_2, ... X_n$  be an i.i.d. sample from the  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ -distribution with  $\mu$  and  $\sigma^2$  unknown. Given  $\mu_0 \in \mathbb{R}$  we test:

$$H_0: \mu \le \mu_0 \text{ against } H_1: \mu > \mu_0$$
 (5.1)

Test statistic:

$$T = \sqrt{n} \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_0}{S_X} \tag{5.2}$$

By Theorem 3.13, under  $\mu = \mu_0$  the statistic has Student's  $t_{n-1}$  distribution, consequently we can use.

$$\sup_{\mu \le \mu_0} \mathbb{P}\left(T \ge t_{n-1,1-\alpha}\right) \le \alpha \tag{5.3}$$

### 5.1.2 t-Test for paired observations

Let  $(X_1, Y_1), (X_2, Y_2), \ldots (X_n, Y_n)$  be the i.i.d. sample of paired observations. We assume that  $Z_i \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} X_i - Y_i$  is  $N(\Delta, \sigma^2)$  is normally distributed, and the ordinary One-sample t-test can be used to test the null hypotheses  $H_0: \Delta \geq 0$ . Note that if  $X_i$  and  $Y_i$  are strongly correlated then variance of  $Z_i$  decreases and this improves the power of the t-test.

#### 5.1.3 Two-sample t-test

Let  $X_1, X_2, ... X_n$  and  $Y_1, Y_2, ... Y_m$  be two mutually independent i.i.d samples from  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  and  $N(\nu, \sigma^2)$ . The test checks

$$H_0: \mu - \nu \le 0 \text{ against } H_1: \mu - \nu > 0$$
 (5.4)

Test statistic:

$$T = \frac{\bar{X} - \bar{Y}}{S_{X,Y}\sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m}}}$$
 (5.5)

$$S_{X,Y}^2 = \frac{1}{m+n-2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X}_n)^2 + \sum_{j=1}^m (Y_j - \bar{Y}_m)^2 \right)$$
 (5.6)

Theorem 3.13 implies that  $S_{X,Y}^2$  follows  $\sigma^2 \cdot \chi_{m+n-2}^2$  distribution.

### 5.2 Kolmogorov-Smirnov test

Given and i.i.d. sample  $X_1, \ldots X_n$  from some unknown distribution F, we want to test:

$$H_0: F = F_0 \text{ against } H_1: F \neq F_0$$
 (5.7)

The test statistic is given by

$$T = \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}} |\hat{F}_n(x) - F(x)|, \tag{5.8}$$

where  $\hat{F}_n(x)$  stands for the empirical distribution function (see 1.1). The distribution of T is the same for every continuous cdf  $F_0$ . The following limit establishes the test:

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \mathbb{P}_{F_0} \left( T > \frac{z}{n} \right) = 2 \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{j+1} e^{-j^2 z^2}$$
 (5.9)

# 6 Examples

### 6.1 Structural Models

### 6.1.1 Local level plus noise

• Model

$$\begin{cases} y_t = \mu_t + \varepsilon_t \\ m_t = \mu_{t-1} + \eta_t \end{cases}$$

• Stationary form

$$\Delta y_t = \eta_t + \Delta \varepsilon_t$$

• Reduced expression

$$y_t = \frac{\eta_t}{\Lambda} + \varepsilon_t$$

• Autocovariance generating function

$$g_{\Delta y_t}(L) = \sigma_{\eta}^2 + (1+L)(1+L^{-1})\sigma_{\varepsilon}^2$$

• Power spectrum

$$g_{\Delta y_t}(\lambda) = \sigma_{\eta}^2 + 2(1 - \cos \lambda)\sigma_{\varepsilon}^2$$

#### 6.1.2 Local linear trend

• Model

$$\begin{cases} y_t = \mu_t + \varepsilon_t \\ \mu_t = \mu_{t-1} + \beta_{t-1} + \eta_t \\ \beta_t = \beta_{t-1} + \zeta_t \end{cases}$$

• Stationary form

$$\Delta^2 y_t = \zeta_{t-1} + \Delta \eta_t + \Delta^2 \varepsilon_t$$

• Reduced expression

$$y_t = \frac{\zeta_{t-1}}{\Delta^2} + \frac{\eta_t}{\Delta} + \varepsilon_t$$

• Autocovariance generating function

$$g_{\Delta^2 y_t}(L) = \sigma_{\zeta}^2 + (1+L)(1+L^{-1})\sigma_{\eta}^2 + (1+L)^2(1+L^{-1})^2\sigma_{\varepsilon}^2$$

• Power spectrum

$$g_{\Delta y_t}(\lambda) = \sigma_{\zeta}^2 + 2(1 - \cos \lambda)\sigma_{\eta}^2 + 4(1 - \cos \lambda)^2\sigma_{\varepsilon}^2$$

### 6.1.3 Cyclical models

• Model  $(0 \le \rho \le 1)$ 

$$\begin{pmatrix} \psi_t \\ \psi_t^* \end{pmatrix} = \rho \begin{pmatrix} \cos \lambda_c & \sin \lambda_c \\ -\sin \lambda_c & \cos \lambda_c \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \psi_{t-1} \\ \psi_{t-1}^* \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \kappa_t \\ \kappa_t^* \end{pmatrix}$$

- Stochastic cycle

$$y_t = \mu + \psi_t + \varepsilon_t$$

- Trend plus cycle

$$y_t = \mu_t + \psi_t + \varepsilon_t$$

Cyclical trend

$$\begin{cases} y_t = \mu_t + \varepsilon_t \\ \mu_t = \mu_{t-1} + \psi_{t-1} + \beta_{t-1} + \eta_t \\ \beta_t = \beta_{t-1} + \zeta_t \end{cases}$$

• Stationary form

- Stochastic cycle 
$$(y_t \text{ stationary iff } \rho < 1)$$
  
$$y_t = \frac{(1 - L\rho\cos\lambda_c)\kappa_t + (L\rho\sin\lambda_c)\kappa_t^*}{1 - 2L\rho\cos\lambda_c + \rho^2L^2} + \varepsilon_t$$

- Trend plus cycle

$$\Delta^2 y_t = \zeta_{t-1} + \Delta \eta_t + \Delta^2 \psi_t + \Delta^2 \varepsilon_t$$

- Cyclical trend

$$\Delta^2 y_t = \zeta_{t-1} + \Delta \eta_t + \Delta \psi_{t-1} + \Delta^2 \varepsilon_t$$

- Reduced form (skipped obvious from Stationary form)
- Autocovariance generating function (view as VAR(1) process to derive)
  - Stochastic cycle

$$g_{y_t}(L) = \frac{\sigma_{\kappa}^2}{1 - \rho^2} \sum_{\tau = -\infty}^{\tau = \infty} L^{\tau} \rho^{|\tau|} \cos \lambda_c \tau$$

- Trend plus cycle & Stochastic trend use stationary form and take a sum of autocovariance generating functions of components accounting for differencing operators
- Power spectrum ( $\rho < 1$ ). Easiest to see from the stationary form by substitution  $L = e^{i\lambda}$ . Note the difference between cycle frequency  $\lambda_c$  and the spectral parameter  $\lambda$ :

$$g_{\psi}(e^{i\lambda}) = \frac{|1 - \rho\cos\lambda_c e^{i\lambda}|^2 + |\rho\sin\lambda_c e^{i\lambda}|^2}{|1 - 2\rho\cos\lambda_c e^{i\lambda} + \rho^2 e^{2i\lambda}|}$$

## 6.1.4 Basic structural model (BSM)

• Model

$$y_t = \mu_t + \gamma_t + \varepsilon_t$$

- Dummy variable seasonal component

$$\sum_{\tau=0}^{s-1} \gamma_{t-\tau} = \omega_t$$

- Trigonometric seasonal component (c.f. Stochastic cycle):

$$\gamma_t = \sum_{j=1}^{\lfloor s/2 \rfloor} \gamma_{jt}, \ \gamma_{jt} = \frac{(1 - L\cos\lambda_j)\omega_t + (L\sin\lambda_j)\omega_t^*}{1 - 2L\cos\lambda_j + L^2}, \lambda_j = \frac{2\pi j}{s}$$

Note that cycles don't have dampening  $\rho$  factor, which makes the not stationary.

### Stationary form

To make seasonal component  $\gamma_t$  in both versions of BSM model stationary, seasonal averaging  $S(L) = 1 + L + \ldots + L^{s-1}$  must be applied (excercise), it won't be stationary as is due to absence of dampening factor.

- Dummy variable seasonal component  $(S(L)\gamma_t = \omega_t)$  $\Delta \Delta_s y_t = S(L)\zeta_{t-1} + \Delta S(L)\eta_t + \Delta^2 \omega_t + \Delta \Delta_s \varepsilon_t$
- Trigonometric seasonal component (below  $\bar{\gamma}_j = S(L)/(1-2L\cos\lambda_j + L^2)$ ; or (1+L) denominator for j=s/2 with even s):

$$S(L)\gamma_t = \sum_{j=1}^{\lfloor s/2\rfloor} \bar{\gamma_j} \left( (1 - L\cos\lambda_j)\omega_{jt} + (L\sin\lambda_j)\omega_{jt}^* \right)$$

#### • Reduced form

- Dummy variable seasonal component

$$y_t = \frac{\zeta_{t-1}}{\Delta^2} + \frac{\eta_t}{\Delta} + \frac{\omega_t}{S(L)} + \varepsilon_t$$

– Trigonometric seasonal component follow directy from the form of  $\gamma_{jt}$ . Also note that trigonometric components can be written in VAR(1) form.

#### • Autocovariance generating function

- Dummy variable seasonal component The formula for  $g_{\Delta\Delta_s y_t}$  follows from the stationary form. In particular, it follows that  $\gamma(\tau) = 0$  for  $\tau > s+1$
- Trigonometric seasonal component is more involved, can be derived directly by averaging and expressing  $S(L)\gamma_t$  as a sum of  $\omega_{jt}, \omega_{it}^*$ . For example, s=4:

$$S(L)\gamma_{t} = (1+L)(\omega_{1t} + \omega_{1t} - 1^{*}) + (1+L^{2})\omega_{2t}$$

$$\Delta\Delta_{4}y_{t} = S(L)\zeta_{t-1} + \Delta_{4}\eta_{t} + \Delta^{2}(1+L)(\omega_{1t} + \omega_{1t-1}^{*}) + \Delta^{2}(1+L^{2})\omega_{2t} + \Delta\Delta_{4}\varepsilon_{t}$$

- Power spectrum
  - Dummy variable seasonal component (follows from the stationary form by substitution  $L=e^{i\lambda}$ )

$$g_{\Delta\Delta_s y_t}(L) = S(L)S(L^{-1})\sigma_{\zeta}^2 + (1 - L^s)(1 - L^{-s})\sigma_{\eta}^2 + (1 - L)^2(1 - L^{-1})^2\sigma_{\omega}^2 + (1 - L)(1 - L^{-1})(1 - L^s)(1 - L^{-s})\sigma_{\varepsilon}^2$$

 Trigonometric seasonal component follow from the stationary form, doesn't seem to simplify significantly.

#### 6.1.5 ARMA models

• Model (all complex roots of  $\varphi(L)$  are required to have absolute value strictly greater than one)

$$\varphi(L)y_t = \theta(L)\varepsilon_t$$

- ullet Stationary form  $y_t$  is stationary without any transformations
- Reduced form

$$y_t = \frac{\theta(L)}{\varphi(L)} \varepsilon_t$$

• Autocovariance generation function

$$g_{y_t}(L) = \frac{\theta(L)\theta(L^{-1})}{\varphi(L)\varphi(L^{-1})}$$

• Power spectrum

$$f(\lambda) = \frac{|\theta(e^{i\lambda})|^2}{|\varphi(e^{i\lambda})|^2}$$