

# Scalar on Function Regression

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Presentation Day

# Introduction

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Introductory Example  $\rightarrow$  Octane/NIR-spectrum

# Theory

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Motivation from multivariate regression (multivariate dgp).

# Theory

Jonghun

- Random Functions (name square integrable functions)
- Motivate continuous stochastic processes (growth curves/electricity consumption/yield curves/stonks)
- Use curves to predict a scalar response (show typical dgp)

# Theory

Jonghun

- Basis expansions (b-splines and fourier)
- Talk about purposes
- Plots and show bias variance tradeoff

# Theory

Jakob

- Random function represented as linear combination of basis functions
- Just transform to multiple linear regression setting
- You already know that from the beginning

# Theory - FPCA

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- Let's assume you know the theory of PCA (pc from varcov matrix)
- Introduce mean and covariance functions of random functions
- There is another cool basis  $\rightarrow$  Eigenbasis (Karhunen-Loeve Expansion)
- Sample Analog! (create a basis from observations and use for basis regression)
- Plot fpcs and approximation of function realization

# Spectral Representation of Random Vectors

Let  $X(\omega)$  be a random vector realizing in  $\mathbb{R}^p$ .

- Let  $\mu_X = \mathbb{E}(X)$  and  $\Sigma_X = \text{Cov}(X)$
- Let  $\{\gamma_i \mid i = 1, \dots, p\}$  be the orthonormal **Eigenvectors** of  $\Sigma_X$
- Let  $\{\lambda_i \mid i = 1, \dots, p\}$  be the corresponding **Eigenvalues** of  $\Sigma_X$

Then  $X$  can also be represented as

$$X(\omega) = \mu_X + \sum_{i=1}^p \xi_i(\omega) \gamma_i$$

where the  $\xi_i(\omega)$  have the following properties

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|---|--|
| 1 $\mathbb{E}[\xi_i(\omega)] = 0$         | 3 $\text{Cov}(\xi_i(\omega), \xi_j(\omega)) = 0$ for |
| 2 $\text{Var}(\xi_i(\omega)) = \lambda_i$ | $i \neq j$   |



# Principal Component Analysis

$\Sigma_X$  unknown  $\rightarrow$  **sample analogues**

- Let  $\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$  be the matrix containing the standardized regressors in the usual configuration.
- Let  $\hat{\Sigma}_X = \frac{\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}}{n}$
- Let  $\{\hat{\gamma}_i \mid i = 1, \dots, p\}$  be the orthonormal **Eigenvectors** of  $\hat{\Sigma}_X$
- Let  $\{\hat{\lambda}_i \mid i = 1, \dots, p\}$  be the corresponding **Eigenvalues** of  $\hat{\Sigma}_X$

# Karhunen-Loève Expansion

**Mean Function:**

$$\mu(t) = \mathbb{E} [F(\omega)(t)]$$

**Autocovariance Function:**

$$c(t, s) = \mathbb{E} [ (F(\omega)(t) - \mu(t)) (F(\omega)(s) - \mu(s)) ]$$

The **Eigenvalues** and **Eigenfunctions**:  $\{(\lambda_i, \nu_i) \mid i \in \mathcal{I}\}$  are solutions of the following equation:

$$\int_0^1 c(t, s) \nu(s) ds = \lambda \nu(t)$$

# Karhunen-Loève Expansion

A random function  $F$  can be expressed in terms of its mean function and its Eigenfunctions:

$$F(\omega)(t) = \mu(t) + \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \xi_j(\omega) \nu_j(t)$$

Where the  $\xi_j$  are scalar-valued random variables with the following properties.

1  $\mathbb{E}[\xi_i(\omega)] = 0$

2  $\text{Var}(\xi_i(\omega)) = \lambda_i$

3  $\text{Cov}(\xi_i(\omega), \xi_j(\omega)) = 0$  for  $i \neq j$

This representation is called the **Karhunen-Loève Expansion** of the random function  $F$  and the Eigenfunctions can serve as a basis to represent the function.

# Simulation Setup & Application

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- Compare b-spline / fourier regression chosen via criterion (cv/aic/...)
- Similar for fpca
- generate new curves from observed curves motivated by Karhunen-Loeve expansion
- Compare optimal variants with test and training sets
- Connect to Application

# Summary

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Just summarize what we have done...

# further reading

Put footnotes here!