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1 Introduction

- Introduce general idea and possible hypothesis to test
- Maybe focus on two sample setting

2 Functional Data Analysis

- Ramsay and Silverman 2005
- Kokoszka and Reimherr 2021
- Hsing and Eubank 2015

2.1 Hilbert Space of Square Integrable Functions

Definition 1 (Inner Product)

A function $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : \mathbb{V}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ on a vector space \mathbb{V} is called an inner product if the following four conditions hold for all $v, v_1, v_2 \in \mathbb{V}$ and $a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}$.

1. $\langle v, v \rangle \geq 0$
2. $\langle v, v \rangle = 0$ if $v = 0$
3. $\langle a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2, v \rangle = a_1 \langle v_1, v \rangle + a_2 \langle v_2, v \rangle$
4. $\langle v_1, v_2 \rangle = \overline{\langle v_2, v_1 \rangle}$

Hsing and Eubank 2015

Definition 2 (Inner Product Space)

A vector space with an associated inner product is called an inner product space.

Hsing and Eubank 2015

Definition 3 (Hilbert Space)

A complete inner product space is called a Hilbert space.

Definition 4 (Basis of a Hilbert Space)

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Definition 5 (Separable Hilbert Space)

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Definition 6 (Hilbert Space of Square Integrable Functions)

The space of square integrable functions on a closed interval A together with the norm $\langle f, g \rangle = \int_A f(t)g(t)dt$ is a Hilbert space. A function $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called square integrable if the following condition holds.

$$\int_A [f(t)]^2 dt < \infty \tag{1}$$

The Hilbert space of all square integrable functions on A is denoted by $\mathbb{L}_2(A)$.

2.2 Bases of \mathbb{L}_2

- Orthogonality
- Orthonormality
- Fourier Basis

2.3 Random Functions

2.4 Probability Measures on \mathbb{L}_2

- Kolmogorov Extension Theorem
- Gihman and Skorokhod 2004

2.5 Functional Integration on \mathbb{L}_2

- Skorohod 1974
- Perturbation theory

Functional Integral:

$$\int_{\mathbb{L}_2(\mathcal{I})} G[f][Df] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} G[f] \prod_x df(x) \quad (2)$$

If a representation in terms of an orthogonal functional basis is possible:

$$\int_{\mathbb{L}_2(\mathcal{I})} G[f][Df] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} G(f_1, f_2, \dots) \prod_n df_n \quad (3)$$

3 Cramér-von Mises Tests

- Darling 1957
- Anderson and Darling 1952
- Büning and Trenkler 2013

3.1 Empirical Distribution Functions

Gibbons and Chakraborti 2021

Definition 7

Order Statistic

Let $\{x_i \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}$ be a random sample from a population with continuous cumulative distribution function F_X . Then there almost surely exists a unique ordered arrangement within the sample.

$$X_{(1)} < X_{(2)} < \cdots < X_{(n)}$$

$X_{(r)}$ $r \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ is called the r th-order statistic.

Definition 8

Empirical Distribution Function

$$F_n(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x < x_{(1)} \\ \frac{r}{n} & \text{if } x_{(r)} \leq x < x_{(r+1)} \\ 1 & \text{if } x \geq x_{(n)} \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

3.2 Nullhypothesis

3.3 Cramér-von Mises Statistic

Bünig and Trenkler 2013

$$C_{m,n} = \left(\frac{nm}{n+m} \right) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (F_m(x) - G_n(x))^2 d \left(\frac{mF_m(x) + nG_n(x)}{m+n} \right) \quad (5)$$

3.4 Asymptotic Distributions

4 Multiple Testing

- Dunn 1961

4.1 Bonferroni Correction

Bonferroni Inequality / Boole's Inequality

$$\mathbb{P} \left[\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i \right] \leq \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{P}[A_i] \quad (6)$$

for a countable set of events A_1, A_2, \dots

5 Permutation Tests

- Lehmann and Romano 2005
- Vaart and Wellner 1996

5.1 Functional Principle of Permutation Tests

5.2 Size and Power

6 Test by Bugni and Horowitz (2021) - Two Samples

- Bugni and Horowitz 2021
- Bugni, Hall, et al. 2009

Distribution Functions

$$\begin{aligned} F_X(z) &= \mathbb{P}[X(t) \leq z(t) \quad \forall t \in \mathcal{I}] \quad z \in \mathbb{L}_2(\mathcal{I}) \\ F_Y(z) &= \mathbb{P}[Y(t) \leq z(t) \quad \forall t \in \mathcal{I}] \quad z \in \mathbb{L}_2(\mathcal{I}) \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

6.1 Nullhypothesis

$$\begin{aligned} H_0 : \quad & F_X(z) = F_Y(z) \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{L}_2(\mathcal{I}) \\ H_1 : \quad & \mathbb{P}_\mu [F_X(Z) \neq F_Y(Z)] > 0 \end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

Here, μ is a probability measure on $\mathbb{L}_2(\mathcal{I})$ and Z is a random function with probability distribution μ . **Doesn't this leave out the case where the Probability functions only differ on a set of μ -measure zero?**

6.2 Assumptions

Assumption 1

Contains two assumptions

1. $X(t)$ and $Y(t)$ are separable, μ -measurable stochastic processes.
2. $\{X_i(t) \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}$ is an independent random sample of the process $X(t)$.
 $\{Y_i(t) \mid i = 1, \dots, m\}$ is an independent random sample of $Y(t)$ and is independent of $\{X_i(t) \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}$.

Assumption 2

$\mathbb{E}X(t)$ and $\mathbb{E}Y(t)$ exist and are finite for all $t \in [0, T]$.

Assumption 3

$X_i(t)$ and $Y_i(t)$ are observed for all $t \in \mathcal{I}$.

6.3 Cramér-von Mises type Test

Empirical Distribution Functions

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{F}_X(z) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{1} [X_i(t) \leq z(t) \quad \forall t \in \mathcal{I}] \\ \hat{F}_Y(z) &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbb{1} [Y_i(t) \leq z(t) \quad \forall t \in \mathcal{I}] \end{aligned} \tag{9}$$

Test statistic

$$\tau = \int_{\mathbb{L}_2(\mathcal{I})} [F_X(z) - F_Y(z)]^2 d\mu(z) \tag{10}$$

Sample analog:

$$\tau_{n,m} = (n+m) \int_{\mathbb{L}_2(\mathcal{I})} [\hat{F}_X(z) - \hat{F}_Y(z)]^2 d\mu(z) \tag{11}$$

Critical values for Permutation Test Statistic

$$t_{n,m}^*(1-\alpha) = \inf \left\{ \frac{1}{Q} \sum_{i=1}^Q \mathbb{1} [\tau_{n,m,q} \leq t] \geq 1-\alpha \quad \mid \quad t \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \tag{12}$$

6.4 Mean focused Test

Test statistic

$$\nu = \int_{\mathcal{I}} [\mathbb{E}X(t) - \mathbb{E}Y(t)]^2 dt \tag{13}$$

Mean Estimators

$$\hat{\mathbb{E}}X(t) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i(t) \quad (14)$$

$$\hat{\mathbb{E}}Y(t) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m Y_i(t) \quad (15)$$

Sample Analog

$$\nu_{n,m} = (n+m) \int_{\mathcal{I}} \left[\hat{\mathbb{E}}X(t) - \hat{\mathbb{E}}Y(t) \right]^2 dt \quad (16)$$

Critical values for Permutation Test Statistic

$$t_{n,m}^*(1-\alpha) = \inf \left\{ \frac{1}{Q} \sum_{i=1}^Q \mathbb{1}[\nu_{n,m,q} \leq t] \geq 1-\alpha \quad | \quad t \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \quad (17)$$

6.5 Combined Permutation Test

Bonferroni inequality under H_0 leads to

$$\max(\alpha_\tau, \alpha_\nu) \leq \mathbb{P} \left[(\phi_{n,m} > 0) \cup (\tilde{\phi}_{n,m} > 0) \right] \leq \alpha_\tau + \alpha_\nu \quad (18)$$

6.6 Properties

7 Simulation Study

7.1 Use of High-Performance Computing

- bonna - HPC/A-Cluster der Universität Bonn
- <https://www.dice.uni-bonn.de/de/hpc/hpc-a-bonn/infrastruktur>

7.2 Simulation Setup

7.3 Results

8 Application

9 Outlook

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11 Appendix

12 Versicherung an Eides statt

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