

assignment 6 - sensitivity analysis

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1 EPA1361 - Model-Based Decision Making

2 Week 3 - Sensitivity analysis

This exercise uses the same predator-prey model we used for the multi-model exercise, focusing on the Python version. As with the other exercise, define a model object for the function below, with the uncertainty ranges provided:

Parameter	Range or value
prey_birth_rate	0.015 – 0.035
predation_rate	0.0005 – 0.003
predator_efficiency	0.001 – 0.004
predator_loss_rate	0.04 – 0.08

- Sensitivity analysis often focuses on the final values of an outcome at the end of the simulation. However, we can also look at metrics that give us additional information about the behavior of the model over time. Using [the statsmodel library](#) and an appropriate sampling design, fit a linear regression model for each of the following indicators. What can we conclude about the behavior of the model, and about the importance of the different inputs?
 - The final values of the *prey* outcome
 - The mean values of the *prey* outcome over time, within each experiment
 - The standard deviations of the *prey* outcome over time, within each experiment
- Use the Sobol sampling functionality included in the Workbench to perform experiments with a sample size of $N=50$, then analyze the results with SALib for the same three indicators. This requires specifying the keyword argument '**uncertainty_sampling**' of `perform_experiments`. Note that when using Sobol sampling, the meaning of the keyword argument **scenarios** changes a bit. In order to properly estimate Sobol scores as well as interaction effects, you require $N * (2D+2)$ scenarios, where D is the number of uncertain parameters, and N is the value for scenarios passed to `perform_experiments`. Repeat the analysis for larger sample sizes, with $N=250$ and $N=1000$. How can we interpret the first-order and total indices? Are these sample sizes sufficient for a stable estimation of the indices?

You'll need to use the `get_SALib_problem` function to convert your Workbench experiments to a problem definition that you can pass to the SALib analysis function.

- *hint*: sobol is a deterministic sequence of quasi random numbers. Thus, you can run with $N=1000$ and simply slice for 1:50 and 1:250.
- Use the [Extra-Trees analysis](#) included in the Workbench to approximate the Sobol total indices, with a suitable sampling design. As a starting point, use an ensemble of 100 trees and a `max_features` parameter of 0.6, and set the analysis to regression mode. Are the estimated importances stable relative to the sample size and the analysis parameters? How do the results compare to the Sobol indices? For more details on this analysis see [Jaxa-Rozen & Kwakkel \(2018\)](#)

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[1]: ### Start of assignment

import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import statsmodels.api as sm

from ema_workbench import (Model, RealParameter, TimeSeriesOutcome,
    ↪perform_experiments, ema_logging, MultiprocessingEvaluator)

from ema_workbench.em_framework.evaluators import LHS, SOBOL, MORRIS

from ema_workbench.analysis import feature_scoring
from ema_workbench.analysis.scenario_discovery_util import RuleInductionType
from ema_workbench.em_framework.salib_samplers import get_SALib_problem
from SALib.analyze import sobol
import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
```

2.0.1 Python Model Creation

```
[2]: import sys
sys.path.insert(0, './model/')
import PredPrey as PP

uncertainties = [RealParameter('prey_birth_rate', 0.015, 0.035),
    RealParameter('predation_rate', 0.0005, 0.003),
    RealParameter('predator_efficiency', 0.001, 0.004),
    RealParameter('predator_loss_rate', 0.04, 0.08)]

outcomes = [TimeSeriesOutcome('TIME', function=np.squeeze),
    TimeSeriesOutcome('predators', function=np.squeeze),
    TimeSeriesOutcome('prey', function=np.squeeze)]

#Define the Python model
py_model = Model('Python', function=PP.PredPrey)
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py_model.uncertainties = uncertainties
py_model.outcomes = outcomes

processes = 10
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3 Linear regression on Prey

The sampling technique chosen for this part is Latin Hypercube Sampling as recommended in the course materials. This method of sampling makes sure that there are no points of the analysis that are not “investigated”.

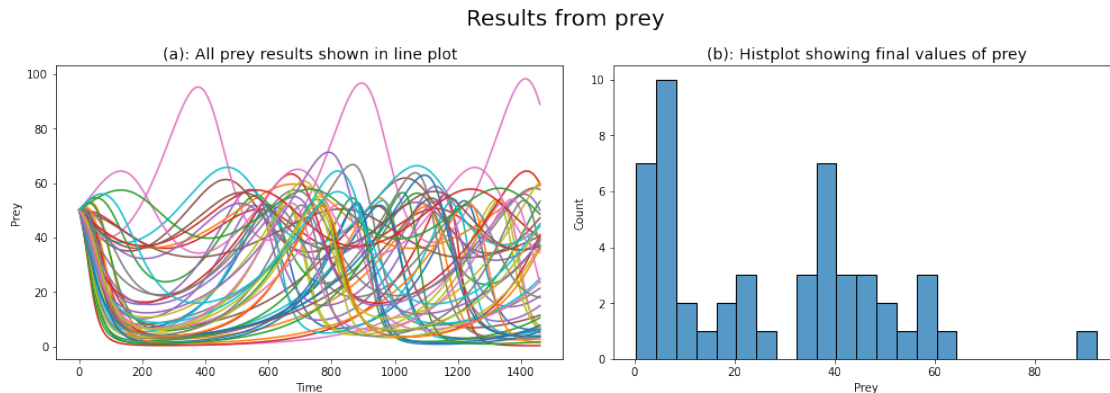
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[5]: with MultiprocessingEvaluator(py_model, n_processes=processes) as evaluator:
      experiments, outcomes = perform_experiments(py_model, 50,
      ↪uncertainty_sampling=LHS)
```

3.1 Look at final values of prey

The final values of prey are shown in the figure below.

```
[7]: prey = pd.DataFrame(outcomes["prey"]).T
      preyfinal = pd.DataFrame(preymodel.iloc[-1])

[8]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20,15), ncols=2)
      prey.plot(legend=None, figsize=(14,5), ax = ax[0])
      sns.histplot(data=preyfinal, ax=ax[1], legend=None, binwidth=4)
      fig.suptitle('Results from prey', fontsize=20)
      ax[0].set_title('(a): All prey results shown in line plot', fontsize=14)
      ax[1].set_title('(b): Histplot showing final values of prey', fontsize=14)
      ax[1].set_xlabel('Prey')
      ax[0].set_xlabel('Time')
      ax[0].set_ylabel('Prey')
      fig.tight_layout()
      plt.show()
```



Analysis

- Figure (a) shows an overview of all the different model runs. Visual analysis shows that the number of ‘large’ outliers is around 9. At least the runs, where the model differst more from the rest of the model behaviour.
- Figure (b) shows the final values of the prey model. Some gaps can be identified there, which means that certain scores of prey are not in the final values.

3.2 Final results - regression

```
[9]: X = experiments[["predation_rate", "predator_efficiency", "predator_loss_rate",
    ↪ "prey_birth_rate"]]
X = sm.add_constant(X)
Y = preyfinal
```

```
[10]: # do the regression
mod_fv = sm.OLS(Y, X).fit()

#results of the regression
mod_fv.summary()
```

```
[10]: <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
      """
```

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                                OLS Regression Results
=====
Dep. Variable:                  1460    R-squared:                  0.568
Model:                            OLS    Adj. R-squared:              0.529
Method:                 Least Squares    F-statistic:                 14.76
Date:                Thu, 13 May 2021    Prob (F-statistic):         8.87e-08
Time:                  11:38:04    Log-Likelihood:             -201.95
No. Observations:                50    AIC:                        413.9
Df Residuals:                    45    BIC:                        423.5
Df Model:                          4
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Covariance Type:      nonrobust
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              coef      std err          t      P>|t|      [0.025
0.975]
-----
const              37.3262      15.610       2.391      0.021      5.886
68.766
predation_rate      666.4235     2844.770       0.234      0.816     -5063.238
6396.085
predator_efficiency -1.679e+04     2363.149      -7.106      0.000     -2.16e+04
-1.2e+04
predator_loss_rate   332.3645      179.026       1.857      0.070      -28.213
692.942
prey_birth_rate      435.1136      361.144       1.205      0.235     -292.268
1162.495
=====
Omnibus:              4.139    Durbin-Watson:              1.958
Prob(Omnibus):         0.126    Jarque-Bera (JB):              3.979
Skew:                  0.673    Prob(JB):                  0.137
Kurtosis:              2.684    Cond. No.                  1.39e+03
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Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

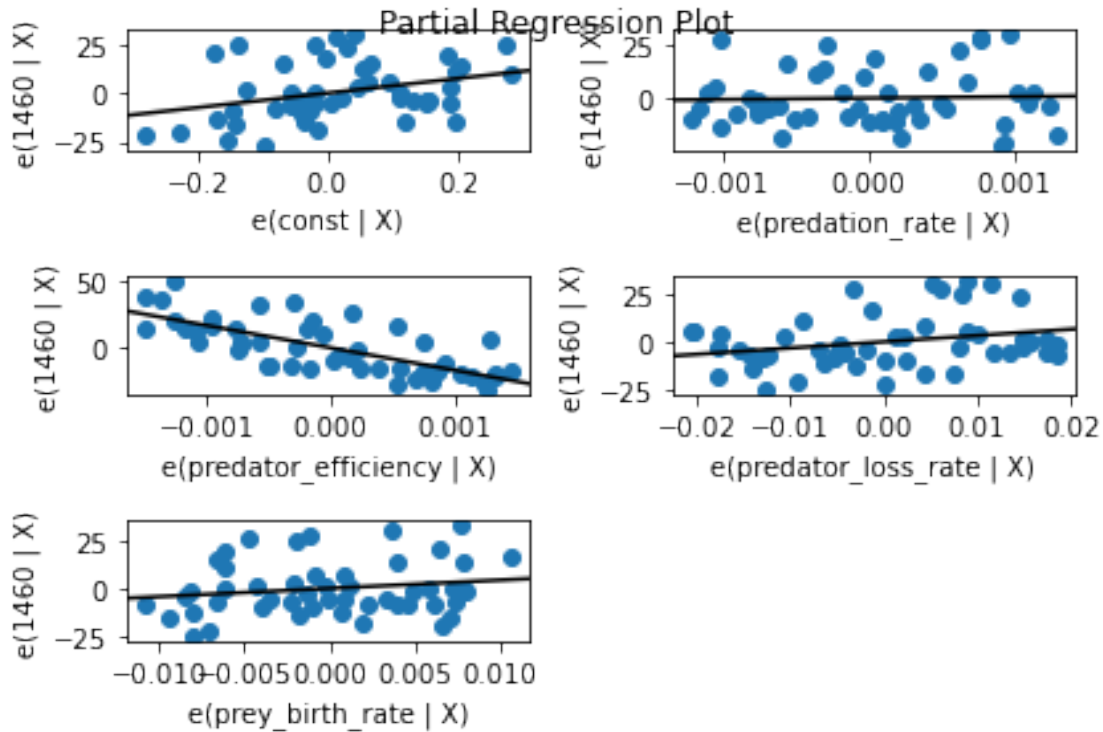
[2] The condition number is large, 1.39e+03. This might indicate that there are strong multicollinearity or other numerical problems.

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[11]: sm.graphics.plot_partregress_grid(mod_fv)
      fig.tight_layout(pad=1.0)

```



Analysis

The results mention that the condition number is large. Which might indicate that there is a multicollinearity issue.

The coefficients show that predator loss rate has the most influence on the prey-variable. The P-value indicates that we can reject the null-hypothesis. Note that the margin of error for predation rate and predator efficiency is extremely high.

3.3 Mean values - regression

```
[12]: Y = [i.mean() for i in outcomes["prey"]]
      mod_mean = sm.OLS(Y, X).fit()
```

```
[13]: mod_mean.summary()
```

```
[13]: <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
      """
```

```

                                OLS Regression Results
=====
Dep. Variable:                  y      R-squared:                0.889
Model:                            OLS     Adj. R-squared:           0.879
Method:                           Least Squares    F-statistic:             90.22
Date:                            Thu, 13 May 2021    Prob (F-statistic):       6.78e-21
```

```

Time:                  11:38:13   Log-Likelihood:          -142.98
No. Observations:      50         AIC:                296.0
Df Residuals:          45         BIC:                305.5
Df Model:               4
Covariance Type:       nonrobust

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=====
              coef      std err          t      P>|t|      [0.025
0.975]
-----
-----
const              28.4146      4.799      5.921      0.000      18.748
38.081
predation_rate    -877.9919     874.610     -1.004      0.321    -2639.547
883.563
predator_efficiency -1.205e+04     726.538    -16.587      0.000    -1.35e+04
-1.06e+04
predator_loss_rate  416.4823      55.041      7.567      0.000      305.625
527.340
prey_birth_rate    197.8168     111.032      1.782      0.082     -25.813
421.447
=====
Omnibus:              9.157   Durbin-Watson:           2.212
Prob(Omnibus):        0.010   Jarque-Bera (JB):           8.412
Skew:                 0.891   Prob(JB):                  0.0149
Kurtosis:             3.928   Cond. No.                   1.39e+03
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Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

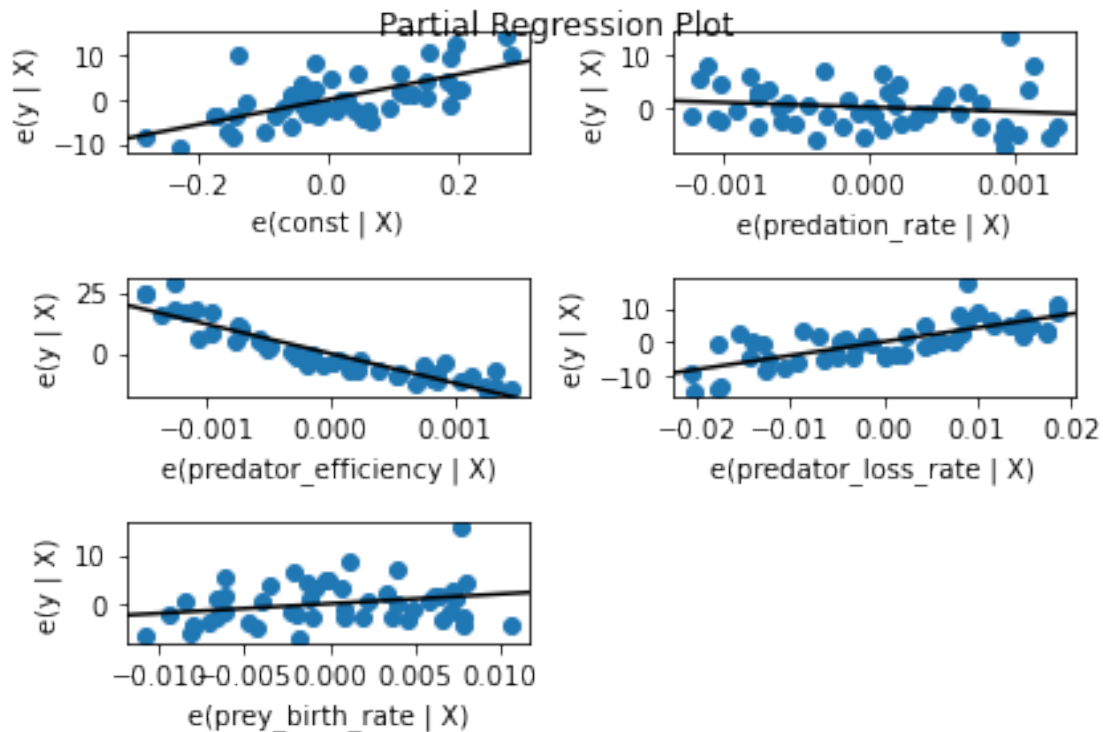
[2] The condition number is large, 1.39e+03. This might indicate that there are strong multicollinearity or other numerical problems.

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```

[14]: sm.graphics.plot_partregress_grid(mod_mean)
fig.tight_layout(pad=1.0)

```



Analysis

The results mention that the condition number is large. Which might indicate that there is a multicollinearity issue.

The coefficients show that predator loss rate has the most influence on the prey-variable. The P-value indicates that we can reject the null-hypothesis. Note that the margin of error for predation rate and predator efficiency is extremely high.

3.4 Standard deviations

```
[15]: Y = outcomes["prey"].std(axis=1)
      mod_std = sm.OLS(Y, X).fit()
```

```
[16]: mod_std.summary()
```

```
[16]: <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
      """
```

```

                                OLS Regression Results
=====
Dep. Variable:                  y      R-squared:                0.401
Model:                            OLS     Adj. R-squared:           0.348
Method:                    Least Squares   F-statistic:                7.536
Date:                Thu, 13 May 2021   Prob (F-statistic):          9.79e-05
```



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Time:                  11:38:19   Log-Likelihood:          -120.64
No. Observations:      50         AIC:                251.3
Df Residuals:          45         BIC:                260.8
Df Model:               4
Covariance Type:       nonrobust

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=====
              coef      std err          t      P>|t|      [0.025
0.975]
-----
const              11.0209       3.070       3.590       0.001       4.838
17.204
predation_rate    1511.1281     559.450       2.701       0.010     384.338
2637.918
predator_efficiency 1950.9905     464.735       4.198       0.000    1014.966
2887.015
predator_loss_rate  -65.6511       35.207      -1.865       0.069    -136.562
5.260
prey_birth_rate   -30.5615       71.022      -0.430       0.669    -173.608
112.485
=====
Omnibus:                2.443   Durbin-Watson:           1.797
Prob(Omnibus):          0.295   Jarque-Bera (JB):         1.639
Skew:                   0.145   Prob(JB):                 0.441
Kurtosis:               3.838   Cond. No.                 1.39e+03
=====

```

Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

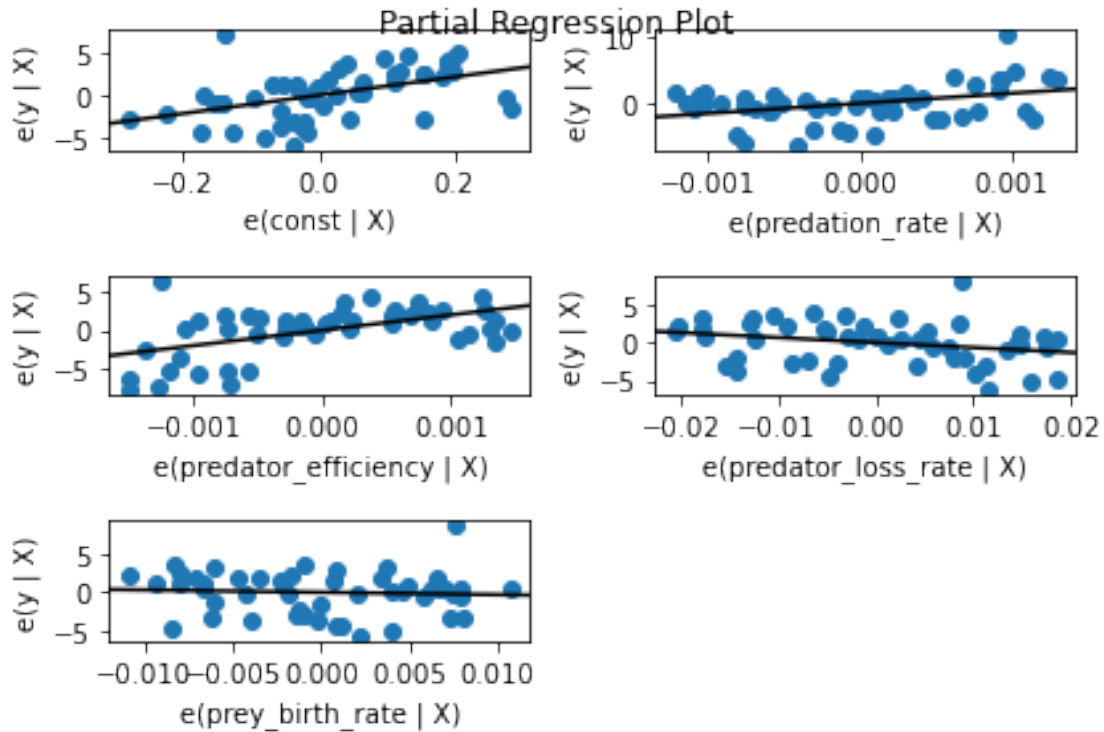
[2] The condition number is large, 1.39e+03. This might indicate that there are strong multicollinearity or other numerical problems.

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[17]: sm.graphics.plot_partregress_grid(mod_std)
fig.tight_layout(pad=1.0)

```



Analysis

The results mention that the condition number is large. Which might indicate that there is a multicollinearity issue.

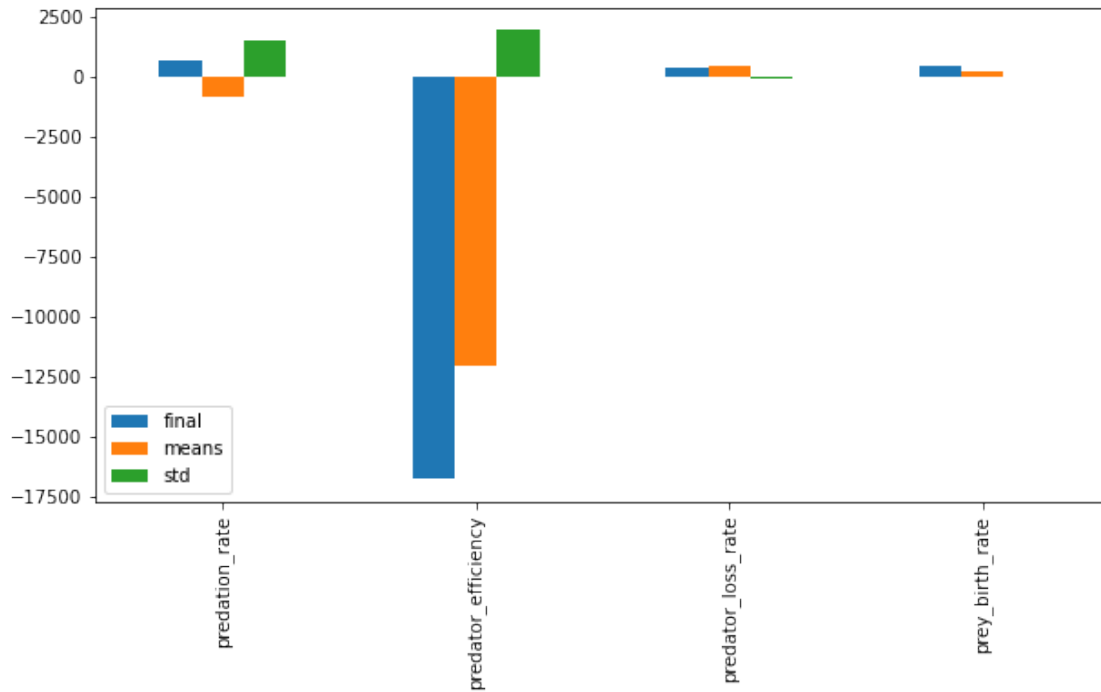
The coefficients show that predator loss rate has the most influence on the prey-variable. The P-value indicates that we can not reject the null-hypothesis. Note that the margin of error for predation rate and predator efficiency is extremely high.

3.4.1 Comparison of the coefficients

The following part is used to analyse the coefficients.

```
[18]: params = pd.DataFrame(mod_fv.params, columns=["final"])
      params["means"] = mod_mean.params
      params["std"] = mod_std.params
      params.drop(index="const", inplace=True)

      fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10,5))
      params.plot.bar(ax=ax)
      plt.show()
```



3.4.2 Comparison of rsquared

```
[19]: print(mod_fv.rsquared_adj)
      print(mod_mean.rsquared_adj)
      print(mod_std.rsquared_adj)
```

```
0.5290948580679158
0.8792716309677742
0.34791934824663817
```

Analysis

As can be seen in the comparison of the coefficients the predator_efficiency has a strong negative correlation with the amount of prey. Predator efficiency has no positive correlation with the amount of prey. Which makes sense, as

The R-Squared results show that the standard deviation results R-squared score is too low to take into account, the same counts for the final-values regression analysis. Only the results from the mean-regression have a high enough R-squared value. As this is the only value above 0.8 or 80%.

3.5 # Sobol

Start of the Sobol analysis

```

[24]: for N in [50, 250, 1000]:
        with MultiprocessingEvaluator(py_model, n_processes=processes) as evaluator:
            sa_experiments, sa_outcomes = perform_experiments(py_model,
            ↪scenarios=N, uncertainty_sampling=SOBOL)

            problem = get_SALib_problem(py_model.uncertainties)
            Si = sobol.analyze(problem, sa_outcomes['prey'].ravel(),
            ↪calc_second_order=True, print_to_console=False)

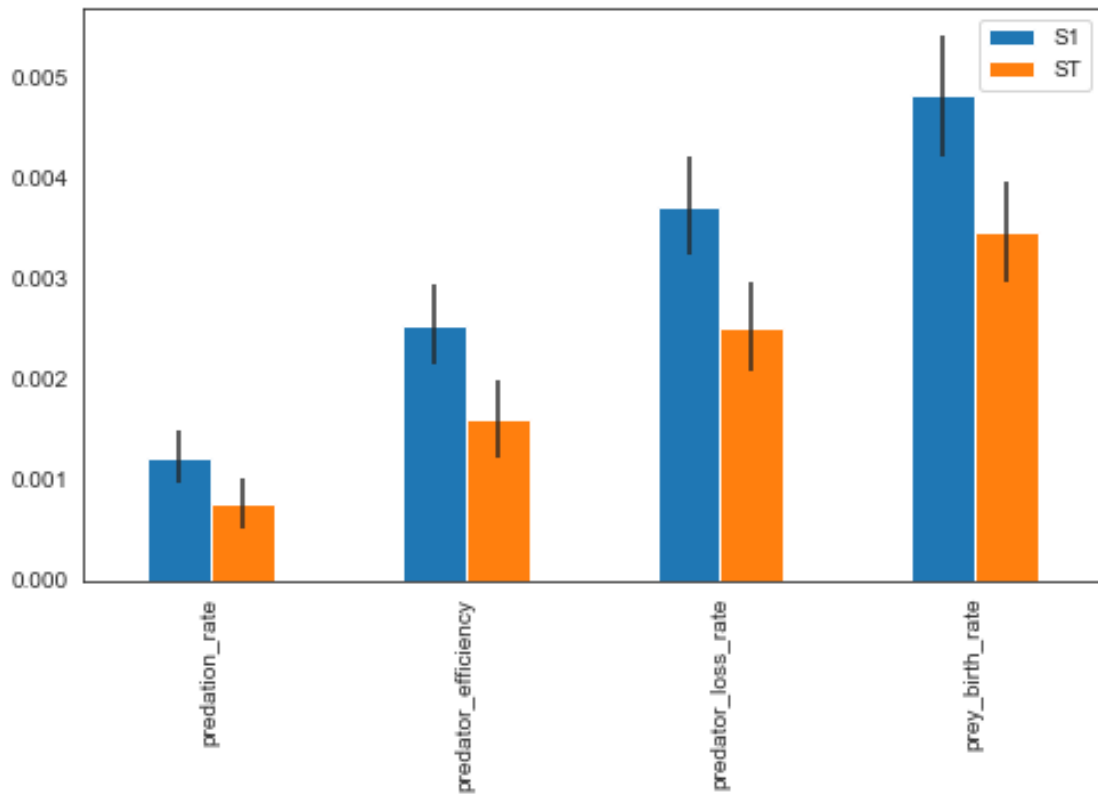
            scores_filtered = {k:Si[k] for k in ['ST','ST_conf','S1','S1_conf']}
            Si_df = pd.DataFrame(scores_filtered, index=problem['names'])
            sns.set_style('white')
            fig, ax = plt.subplots(1)

            indices = Si_df[['S1','ST']]
            err = Si_df[['S1_conf','ST_conf']]

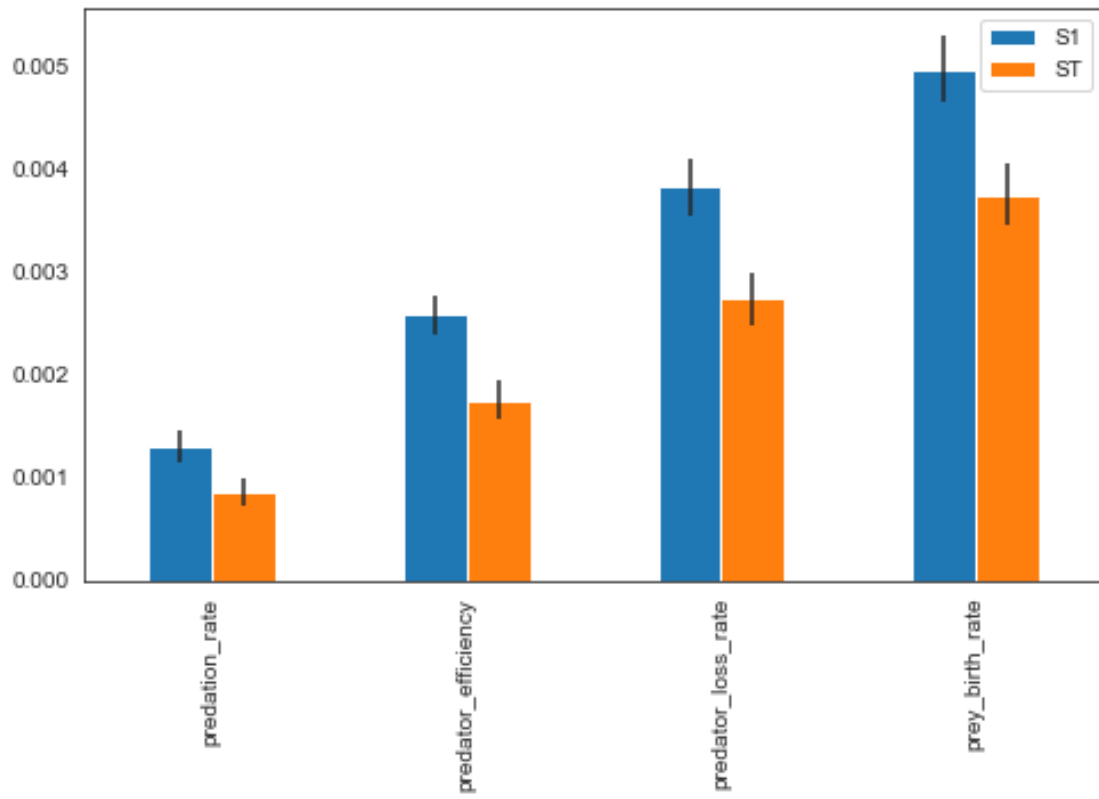
            indices.plot.bar(yerr=err.values.T,ax=ax)
            name = 'N size = ' + str(N)
            fig.suptitle(name, fontsize=20)
            fig.set_size_inches(8,6)
            fig.subplots_adjust(bottom=0.3)
            plt.show()

```

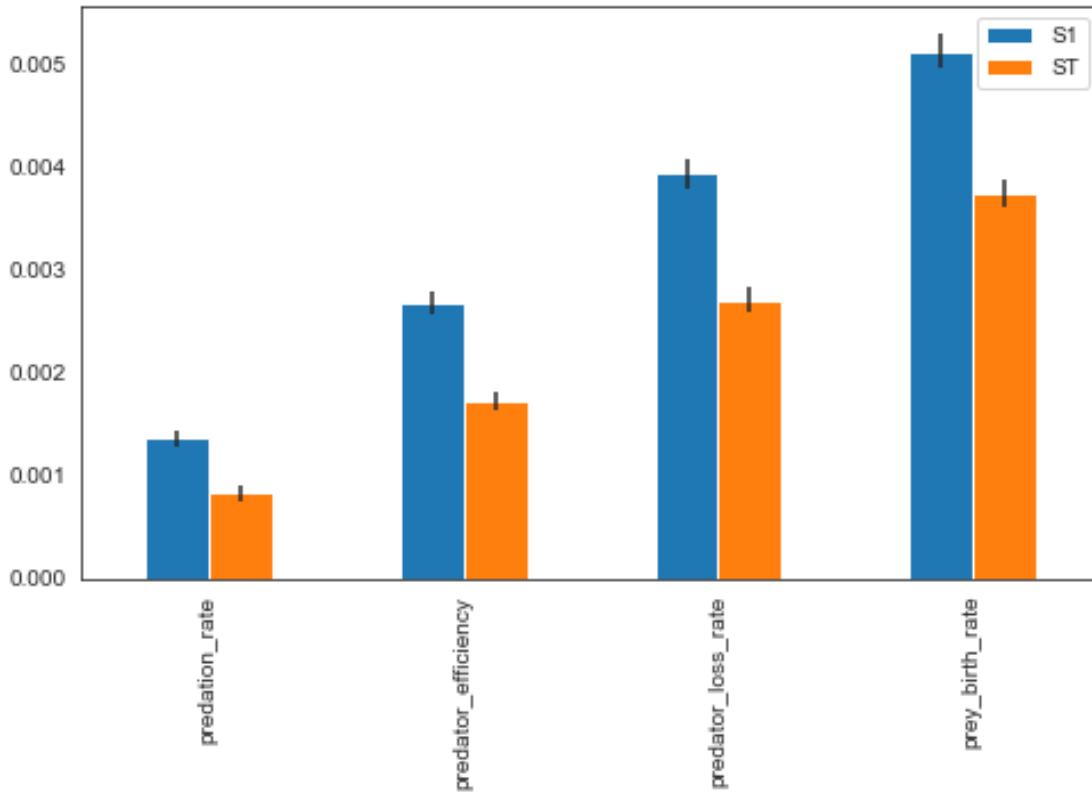
N size = 50



N size = 250



N size = 1000



Analysis

The figure above shows that for an N value of 50 none of the variables S1 value is higher than the Total effect. However, more important, the inputs where ST index ≈ 0 should be discarded. The ST index for the four variables is close to 0 as they are all below 0.005, and examples from the course theory talk about the $0.1 >$ range. For an N value of 250 none of the variables S1 value is higher than the Total effect. However, more important, the inputs where ST index ≈ 0 should be discarded. The ST index for the four variables is close to 0 as they are all below 0.005, and examples from the course theory talk about the $0.1 >$ range. For an N value of 1000 the total indices none of the variables S1 value is higher than the Total effect. However, more important, the inputs where ST index ≈ 0 should be discarded. The ST index for the four variables is close to 0 as they are all below 0.005, and examples from the course theory talk about the $0.1 >$ range. Note that the error margin, shown with the black lines get's smaller with the size of N increasing. The sample size does not seem high enough to make a for a stable estimation.

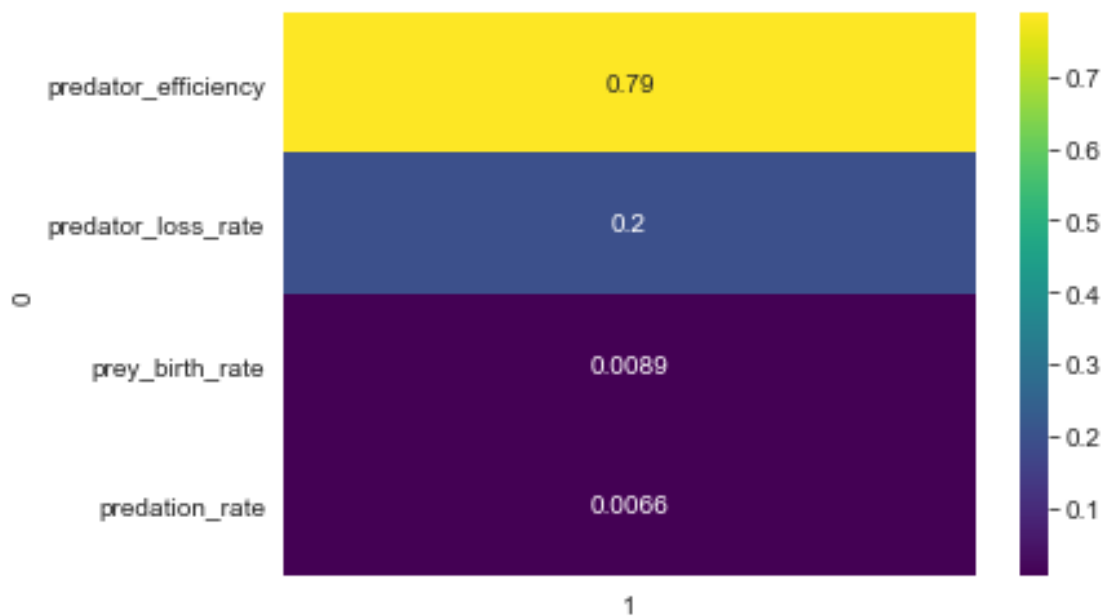
3.6 ## Extra-trees analysis

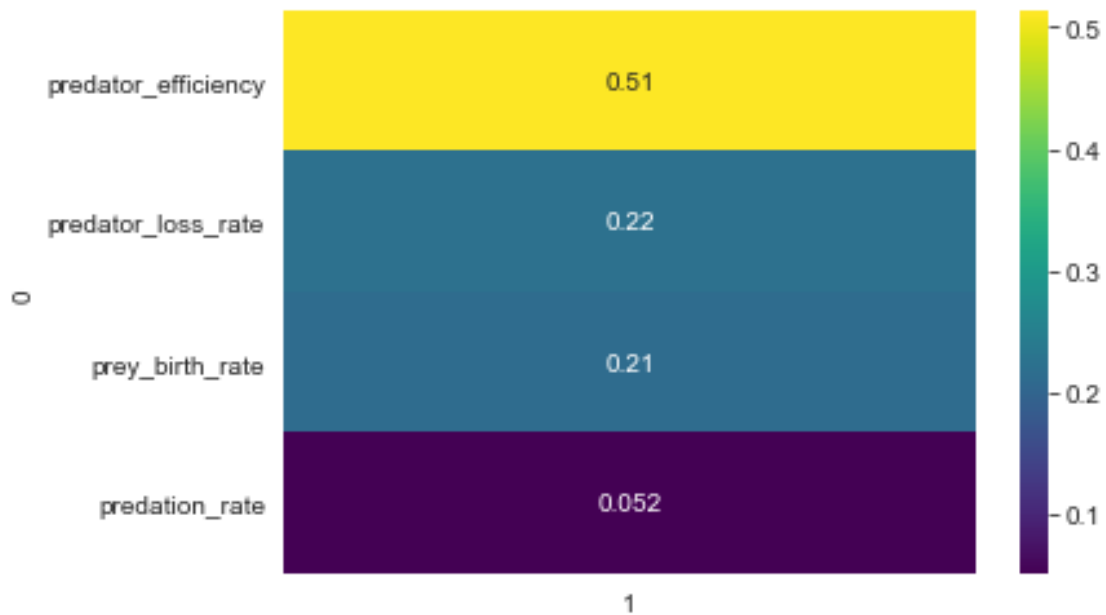
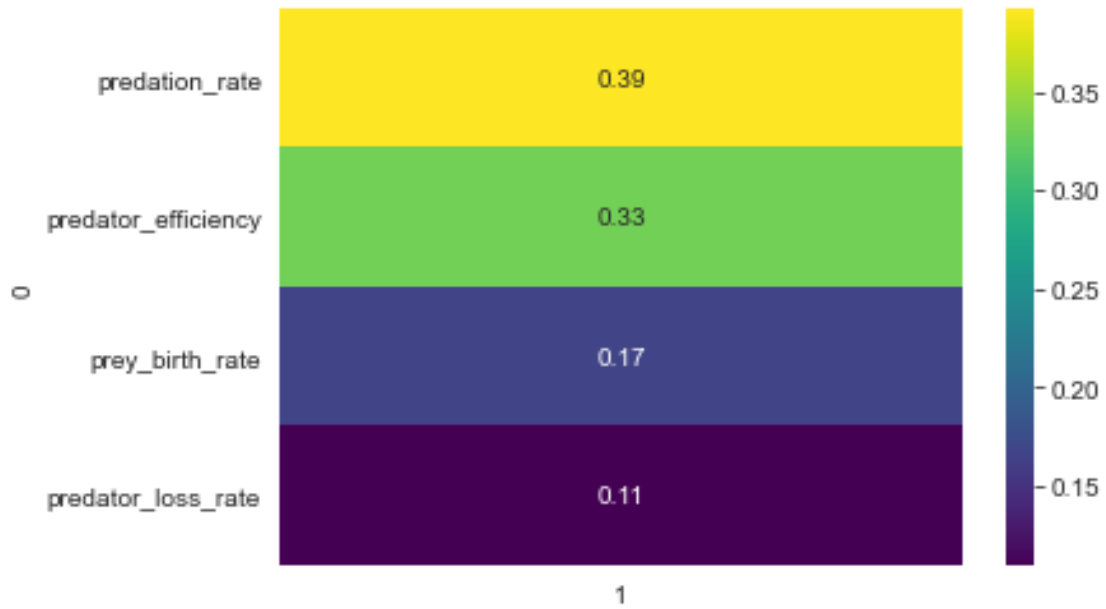
Now continue with the extra-trees analysis

```
[25]: sobol_mean = pd.Series([i.mean() for i in sa_outcomes["prey"]]).astype('int')
sobol_std = pd.Series(sa_outcomes["prey"].std(axis=1)).astype('int')
sobol_final = pd.DataFrame(sa_outcomes["prey"]).T.iloc[-1]
```

```
[26]: scores = []
for y in [sobol_mean, sobol_std, sobol_final]:
    scores.append(feature_scoring.get_ex_feature_scores(sa_experiments, y,
    ↪mode=RuleInductionType.REGRESSION, nr_trees=100, max_features=0.6)[0])

for i in scores:
    sns.heatmap(i, annot=True, cmap='viridis')
    plt.show()
```



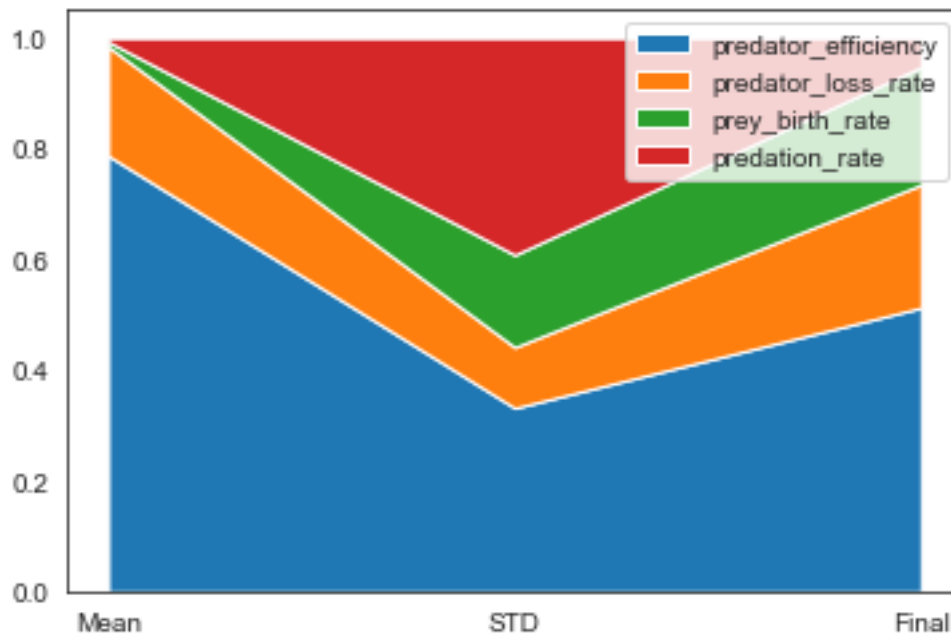


Analysis

Sobol' mean, the first figure, shows that predator_efficiency has the highest influence on the prey variable. For the standard deviation, this is predation_rate. The last figure shows the final values and that predator_efficiency is again the most important. All values above 0.05 can be considered stable enough for analysis. This means that prey_birth_rate and predation_rate are not stable enough compared to sample size.

```
[28]: scores_df = pd.concat(scores, axis=1, sort=False)
      scores_list = scores_df.to_numpy()
```

```
[29]: fig, ax = plt.subplots()
      ax.stackplot(range(scores_list.shape[1]), scores_list, labels=scores[0].index.
      ↪ values)
      plt.legend()
      ax.set_xticks(range(3)) # <--- set the ticks first
      ax.set_xticklabels(["Mean", "STD", "Final"])
      plt.show()
```



Analysis

The figure above shows that compared with the three different methods, predator_efficiency is the most important value for the prey value. The results can not be compared to the sobol indices as they don't show any valid results.

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