

GECaM equations: algorithmic implementation

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We consider the GECaM equations for a linearly-coupled system of Langevin equations with additive noise, i.e. a system of linearly interacting Ornstein-Uhlenbeck processes.

$$\frac{d}{dt}\mu_{i\setminus j}(t) = -\lambda_i\mu_{i\setminus j}(t) + \sum_{k\in\partial i\setminus j} J_{ik}\mu_{k\setminus i}(t) + \sum_{k\in\partial i\setminus j} \int_0^t ds J_{ik}R_{k\setminus i}(t,s)J_{ki}\mu_{i\setminus j}(s), \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t}R_{i\setminus j}(t,t') = -\lambda_iR_{i\setminus j}(t,t') + \sum_{k\in\partial i\setminus j} \int_{t'}^t ds J_{ik}R_{k\setminus i}(t,s)J_{ki}R_{i\setminus j}(s,t') + \delta(t-t'), \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial t}C_{i\setminus j}(t,t') &= -\lambda_iC_{i\setminus j}(t,t') + \sum_{k\in\partial i\setminus j} \int_0^t ds J_{ik}R_{k\setminus i}(t,s)J_{ki}C_{i\setminus j}(s,t') + 2DR_{i\setminus j}(t',t) \\ &+ \sum_{k\in\partial i\setminus j} \int_0^{t'} ds R_{i\setminus j}(t',s)J_{ik}^2C_{k\setminus i}(t,s). \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Numerical solution

A numerical solution of Eqs. (1), (2) and (3) can be found by discretizing time with a timestep Δ , i.e. $t = n\Delta$, $n = 0, \dots, T$ with $T = \mathcal{T}/\Delta$. Within this discretization the cavity means become a time vector with T components $\mu_{i\setminus j}^n = \mu_{i\setminus j}(t = n\Delta)$, and the cavity correlation and response functions become time matrices with $(T+1) \times (T+1)$ components $C_{i\setminus j}^{n,n'} = C_{i\setminus j}(t = n\Delta, t' = n'\Delta)$ and $R_{i\setminus j}^{n,n'} = R_{i\setminus j}(t = n\Delta, t' = n'\Delta)$. Then a discretized version of GECaM equations is

$$\mu_{i \setminus j}^{n+1} = (1 - \lambda_i \Delta) \mu_{i \setminus j}^n + \Delta \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik} \mu_{k \setminus i}^n + \Delta^2 \sum_{m=0}^{n-1} \mu_{i \setminus j}^m \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik} J_{ki} R_{k \setminus i}^{n,m} \quad (4)$$

$$R_{i \setminus j}^{n+1, n'} = (1 - \lambda_i \Delta) R_{i \setminus j}^{n, n'} + \delta_{n, n'} + \Delta^2 \sum_{m=n'+1}^{n-1} R_{i \setminus j}^{m, n'} \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik} J_{ki} R_{k \setminus i}^{n, m} \quad (5)$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_{i \setminus j}^{n+1, n'} &= (1 - \lambda_i \Delta) C_{i \setminus j}^{n, n'} + 2\Delta D R_{i \setminus j}^{n', n} + \Delta^2 \sum_{m=0}^{n-1} C_{i \setminus j}^{m, n'} \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik} J_{ki} R_{k \setminus i}^{n, m} \\ &\quad + \Delta^2 \sum_{m=0}^{n'-1} R_{i \setminus j}^{n', m} \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik}^2 C_{k \setminus i}^{n, m} \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

where $R_{i \setminus j}^{n, n} = 0$ due to causality and $C_{i \setminus j}^{m, n'} = C_{i \setminus j}^{n', m}$.
The full marginals can be obtained as

$$\mu_i^{n+1} = (1 - \lambda_i \Delta) \mu_i^n + \Delta \sum_{k \in \partial i} J_{ik} \mu_{k \setminus i}^n + \Delta^2 \sum_{m=0}^{n-1} \mu_i^m \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik} J_{ki} R_{k \setminus i}^{n, m} \quad (7)$$

$$R_i^{n+1, n'} = (1 - \lambda_i \Delta) R_i^{n, n'} + \delta_{n, n'} + \Delta^2 \sum_{m=n'+1}^{n-1} R_i^{m, n'} \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik} J_{ki} R_{k \setminus i}^{n, m} \quad (8)$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_i^{n+1, n'} &= (1 - \lambda_i \Delta) C_i^{n, n'} + 2\Delta D R_i^{n', n} + \Delta^2 \sum_{m=0}^{n-1} C_i^{m, n'} \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik} J_{ki} R_{k \setminus i}^{n, m} \\ &\quad + \Delta^2 \sum_{m=0}^{n'-1} R_i^{n', m} \sum_{k \in \partial i \setminus j} J_{ik}^2 C_{k \setminus i}^{n, m} \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$