

1 Question 1

Let's compute the complete log-likelihood for the observations $\{y_{i,j}\}_{i,j}$. The parameters are $\theta = (\bar{t}_0, \bar{v}_0, \sigma_\xi, \sigma_\tau, \sigma) \in \mathbb{R}^5$. The latent variable is $Z = \{(z_{\text{pop}}, z_i)\}_i = \{((t_0, v_0), (\alpha_i, \tau_i))\}_i$. We want the result in the form

$$\log q(y, Z, \theta) = -\Phi(\theta) + \langle S(y, z), \Psi(\theta) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^5} + \text{cste}.$$

Since $\{z_i\}_i$ and z_{pop} are independant, and z_1, \dots, z_n are independant, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \log q(y, Z, \theta) &= \log q(y|Z, \theta)q(Z|\theta)p(\theta) \\ &= \log q(y|Z, \theta) + \log q(z_{\text{pop}}|\theta) + \sum_{i=1}^N \log q(\{z_i\}|\theta) + \log p(\theta) \end{aligned}$$

Let's compute this term by term.

- We have $\xi_{i,j} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2) \implies y_{i,j} \sim \mathcal{N}(d_i(t_{i,j}), \sigma^2)$ and then

$$\log q(y, Z, \theta) = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^K \left(\frac{y_{i,j} - d_i(t_{i,j})}{\sigma^2} \right)^2 + KN \log \sigma + \text{cste}.$$

- We have $\xi_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_\xi^2)$ and $\tau_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_\tau^2)$. Since $(\xi_i)_i$ and $(\tau_i)_i$ are independant, $(\alpha_i)_i$ and $(\tau_i)_i$ are independant. Plus $\alpha_i = \exp(\xi_i)$. Let's consider the change of variable $T : x \mapsto \exp(x)$ from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R}_+^* . It's a diffeomorphism and its density is given by

$$p(\alpha_i|\theta) = \mathcal{N}(T^{-1}(\alpha_i); 0, \sigma_\xi^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_\xi^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{\log(\alpha_i)}{2\sigma_\xi^2}\right) |\det J[\log](\alpha_i)|$$

where $\det J[\log](\alpha_i) = 1/\alpha_i$. Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} \log q(z_i|\theta) &= \log q(\alpha_i|\theta) + \log q(\tau_i|\theta) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{\xi_i}{\sigma_\xi} \right)^2 + \log(\alpha_i) + \left(\frac{\tau_i}{\sigma_\tau} \right)^2 \right] - \log(\sigma_\xi) - \log(\sigma_\tau) + \text{cste} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{\xi_i}{\sigma_\xi} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\tau_i}{\sigma_\tau} \right)^2 \right] - \log(\sigma_\xi) - \log(\sigma_\tau) + \text{cste}. \end{aligned}$$

- We have $t_0 \sim \mathcal{N}(\bar{t}_0, \sigma_{t_0}^2)$ and $v_0 \sim \mathcal{N}(\bar{v}_0, \sigma_{v_0}^2)$. Conditionality to θ , the parameters of the normals are deterministic and

$$\begin{aligned} \log q(z_{\text{pop}}|\theta) &= -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{t_0 - \bar{t}_0}{\sigma_{t_0}} \right)^2 - \log(\sigma_{t_0}) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{v_0 - \bar{v}_0}{\sigma_{v_0}} \right)^2 - \log(\sigma_{v_0}) + \text{cste} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{t_0 - \bar{t}_0}{\sigma_{t_0}} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{v_0 - \bar{v}_0}{\sigma_{v_0}} \right)^2 + \text{cste}. \end{aligned}$$

- We assume the following *a priori* on $\theta = (\bar{t}_0, \bar{v}_0, \sigma_\xi, \sigma_\tau, \sigma)$:

$$\bar{t}_0 \sim \mathcal{N}(\bar{\bar{t}}_0, s_{\bar{t}_0}^2); \quad \bar{v}_0 \sim \mathcal{N}(\bar{\bar{v}}_0, s_{\bar{v}_0}^2); \quad \sigma_\xi^2 \sim \mathcal{W}^{-1}(v_\xi, m_\xi); \quad \sigma_\tau^2 \sim \mathcal{W}^{-1}(v_\tau, m_\tau); \quad \sigma^2 \sim \mathcal{W}^{-1}(v, m).$$

Thus the prior log-probability is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \log p(\theta) &= -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\bar{t}_0 - \bar{\bar{t}}_0}{s_{\bar{t}_0}} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\bar{v}_0 - \bar{\bar{v}}_0}{s_{\bar{v}_0}} \right)^2 - \log(s_{\bar{t}_0}) - \log(s_{\bar{v}_0}) - (m_\xi + 2) \log(\sigma_\xi) - \frac{v_\xi^2}{2\sigma_\xi^2} \\ &\quad - (m_\tau + 2) \log(\sigma_\tau) - \frac{v_\tau^2}{2\sigma_\tau^2} - (m + 2) \log(\sigma) - \frac{v^2}{2\sigma^2} + \text{cste}. \end{aligned}$$

Recall that we want to find Φ mapping to \mathbb{R} , and Ψ and S mapping to \mathbb{R}^5 such that

$$\log q(y, z, \theta) = -\Phi(\theta) + \langle S(y, z), \Psi(\theta) \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^5} + \text{cste.}$$

Here we have

$$\begin{aligned} \log q(y, z, \theta) = & -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^K \left(\frac{y_{i,j} - d_i(t_{i,j})}{\sigma^2} \right)^2 + KN \log \sigma \\ & - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{t_0 - \bar{t}_0}{\sigma_{t_0}} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{v_0 - \bar{v}_0}{\sigma_{v_0}} \right)^2 \\ & - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \left[\left(\frac{\xi_i}{\sigma_\xi} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\tau_i}{\sigma_\tau} \right)^2 \right] - N \log(\sigma_\xi) - N \log(\sigma_\tau) \\ & - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\bar{t}_0 - \bar{\bar{t}}_0}{s_{t_0}} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\bar{v}_0 - \bar{\bar{v}}_0}{s_{v_0}} \right)^2 - \log(s_{t_0}) - \log(s_{v_0}) - (m_\xi + 2) \log(\sigma_\xi) - \frac{v_\xi^2}{2\sigma_\xi^2} \\ & - (m_\tau + 2) \log(\sigma_\tau) - \frac{v_\tau^2}{2\sigma_\tau^2} - (m + 2) \log(\sigma) - \frac{v^2}{2\sigma^2} + \text{cste.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{We take } \psi(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\bar{t}_0}{\sigma_{t_0}^2} \\ \frac{\bar{v}_0}{\sigma_{v_0}^2} \\ -\frac{N}{2\sigma_\xi^2} \\ -\frac{N}{2\sigma_\tau^2} \\ -\frac{NK}{2\sigma^2} \end{bmatrix}; \quad S(y, z) = \begin{bmatrix} t_0 \\ v_0 \\ \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \xi_i^2 \\ \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \tau_i^2 \\ \frac{1}{NK} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^K (y_{i,j} - d_i(t_{i,j}))^2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(\theta) = & \frac{1}{2} \frac{\bar{t}_0^2}{s_{t_0}^2} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\bar{t}_0^2}{\sigma_{t_0}^2} - \frac{\bar{t}_0 \bar{\bar{t}}_0}{s_{t_0}^2} \\ & + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\bar{v}_0^2}{s_{v_0}^2} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\bar{v}_0^2}{\sigma_{v_0}^2} - \frac{\bar{v}_0 \bar{\bar{v}}_0}{s_{v_0}^2} \\ & + (N + m_\tau + 2) \log(\sigma_\tau) \\ & + (N + m_\xi + 2) \log(\sigma_\xi) \\ & + (NK + m + 2) \log(\sigma) \end{aligned}$$

We assumed $K = k_i$ for all individual i .

2 Question 2

Let's compute the *a posteriori* distribution. It verifies $q(z|y, \theta) = \frac{q(y, z, \theta)}{q(y, \theta)} \propto q(y, z, \theta)$. Then, **up to a constant** we have

$$\begin{aligned} \log q(z|y, \theta) = & \log q(y, z, \theta) \\ = & -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^K \left(\frac{y_{i,j} - d_i(t_{i,j})}{\sigma^2} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{t_0 - \bar{t}_0}{\sigma_{t_0}} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{v_0 - \bar{v}_0}{\sigma_{v_0}} \right)^2 \\ & - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \left[\left(\frac{\xi_i}{\sigma_\xi} \right)^2 + \log(\alpha_i) + \left(\frac{\tau_i}{\sigma_\tau} \right)^2 \right]. \end{aligned}$$

We removed terms that do not depend of z .

References