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Syllabus

Time Series: Theory and Methods. Brockwell and Davis
Asymtotic Theory of Weakly dependent Random Process
Martingale Limit Theory

Durret - Probability Theory and Examples

Questions

Ask what I need to get and review before classes start
Measure Theory: not hardcore
look into textbooks and ergodic theory
Ask the professors of the classes to audit
What is the $X(\omega)$ noations

Acronyms

R.V. - Random Variable
S.P. - Stochastic Process
fn - Function
dist - Distribution
G.P. - Gaussian Process
iid - independent and identically distributed
a.s. - Almost Surely
w.p 1 - with probability 1

1 Notes

1.1 9/2/2025 Lecture 1

We use Stochastic Process to model time series data

Definition (Stochastic Process). A stochastic process is a family of random variables $\{X_t : t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ defined on a common probability space $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$.

$\mathcal{T} = \mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}$ Discrete Time

$\mathcal{T} = \mathbb{R}$ Continuous Time (not focusing on this)

$\mathcal{T} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ Geospatial, with location and time, (not focusing on this)

$\mathcal{T} \subseteq \mathbb{S}^3$ Unit Sphere w/Geophysics.

Definition (Realization of a S.P.). The functions $\{X(\omega), \omega \in \Omega\}(\mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{R})$ are realizations or sample passes of the process.

- Fix t , X_t is a fn of Ω
- Fix an outcome $\omega \in \Omega$, $X(\omega)$ is a fn on \mathcal{T}
- The time series we observe is a realization of the S.P.
- Conventionally the observed time series is indexed by $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ie $\{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\}$ (known as the lens/sample size)

Example (1.2.1 from book). Suppose $A \geq 0$ is a R.V and given by $\Theta \sim Uniform(0, 2\pi)$. and they are independent. and $v > 0$ is a known constant

Then $X_t = A \cos(vt + \Theta), t \in \mathbb{Z}$

For every $\omega \in \Omega$, $A(\omega), \Theta(\omega)$ are fixed

$$X_t(\omega) = A(\omega) \cos(vt + \Theta(\omega))$$

A determines the amplitude and Θ determines the phase.

What we do is we take a model, and have the data as a realization, and solve the inverse problem of determining the parameters of the model.

Example (1.2.2 from the book). Consider X_1, X_2, X_3, \dots are IID and take value 1, -1 with probability 1/2

I'm considering to use some binomial theorem thing...

Example (1.2.3 from the book). Suppose X_t coming from prior question.

$S_t = \sum_{i=1}^t X_i = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_t$ $S_t : t \in \mathbb{N}$ is a S.P. called a simple symmetric random walk

Consider a man in 1D who starts at 0, and takes a random draw to walk left or right. The path of this miserable guy is S_t

The realization is a plot of $S_t(\omega)$ against t .

Definition (The Distribution of a Stochastic Process). Let \mathcal{I} be the collection of all tuples $\{\mathbf{t} = (t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n)' \in \mathcal{T}, t_1 < t_2 < \dots < t_n\}$ The finite dimensional dist. fns of $\{X_t, t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ are the collection of fns $\{F_t(\cdot) : \mathbf{t} \in \mathcal{I}\}$ where

$$F_{\mathbf{t}}(\mathbf{x}) = P(X_{t_1} = x_1, X_{t_2} = x_2, \dots, X_{t_n} = x_n)$$

$$\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)' \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

ie $F_{\mathbf{t}}(\mathbf{x})$ is the joint distribution of the process of the R.V. \mathbf{x} .

Theorem 1 (Kolmogorov (consistency) Theorem). *The prob. distribution fns $\{F_{\mathbf{t}}(\cdot) : \mathbf{t} \in \mathcal{I}\}$ are the distribution functions of some S.P. \iff for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\mathbf{t} = (t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n)' \in \mathcal{T}$ and $1 \leq i \leq n$*

$$\lim_{x_i \rightarrow \infty} F_{\mathbf{t}}(\mathbf{x}) = F_{t_i}(\mathbf{x}_i)$$

Where $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)'$,

$\mathbf{t}_i = (t_1, t_2, \dots, t_{i-1}, t_{i+1}, \dots, t_n)'$ and $\mathbf{x}_i = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n)'$

essentially the i are the missing ones

$$F(x_1, x_2) = \mathbb{P}(X_1 \leq x_1, X_2 \leq x_2)$$

$$\lim_{x_2 \rightarrow \infty} F(x_1, x_2) = \mathbb{P}(X_1 \leq x_1)$$

"https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kolmogorov_extension_theorem"

We essentially only need to specify the consistency of the finite dimensional distributions to define a S.P.

1.2 9/9/2025 Lecture 2

Definition (Autocovariance function). If $X_t, t \in \mathcal{T}$ is a S.P. s.t $E(X_t^2) < \infty$, then for every $t \in \mathcal{T}$ the autocovariance function is defined as

$$\gamma_x(r, s) = Cov(X_r, X_s), r, s \in \mathcal{T}$$

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$$\rho_x(r, s) = Corr(X_r, X_s) = \frac{\gamma_x(r, s)}{\sqrt{\gamma_x(r, r)\gamma_x(s, s)}}, r, s \in \mathcal{T}$$

Definition (Stationary S.P.). A stochastic process $X_t, t \in \mathcal{T}$ is said to be stationary

- $E(X_t^2) < \infty$ for all $t \in \mathcal{T}$
- $E(X_t) = \mu$ for all $t \in \mathcal{T}$
- $\gamma_x(r, s) = \gamma_x(r + h, s + h)$ for all $r, s, h \in \mathcal{T}$

Weakly Stationary/Covariance Stationary/Wide Sense Stationary/Second Order Stationary

ASK: If our \mathcal{T} is a non convex set, does this still hold?

Also if X_t is stationary, then $\gamma_x(r, s) = \gamma_x(0, s - r) = \gamma_x(s - r)$ ie we can define the autocovariance as a fn of the one variable: the lag $h = s - r$

Similarly $\rho_x(h) = \frac{\gamma_x(h)}{\gamma_x(0)}$

Definition (Strict Stationarity). A stochastic process $X_t, t \in \mathcal{T}$ is said to be strictly stationary if for every $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n \in \mathcal{T}$ and $h \in \mathcal{T}$ the random vectors $(X_{t_1}, X_{t_2}, \dots, X_{t_n})'$ and $(X_{t_1+h}, X_{t_2+h}, \dots, X_{t_n+h})'$ have the same distribution.

ie the finite dimensional distributions are shift invariant.

If Strict Stationarity with finite second moments \Rightarrow Weak Stationarity.

Definition (Gaussian Time Series (S.P.)). A Gaussian S.P. is a S.P. $X_t, t \in \mathcal{T}$ if all the finite dimensional distributions fns of $\{X_t\}$ are multivariate normal.

ie for every $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n \in \mathcal{T}$ the random vector $(X_{t_1}, X_{t_2}, \dots, X_{t_n})'$ has a multivariate normal distribution. - IF a G.P. is stationary, then it is strictly stationary.

Definition (Stationarity of IID). IID variables are strictly stationary.

Definition (White Noise). A S.P. X_t is said to be white noise if can also be written as $WN(0, \sigma^2)$

- $E(X_t) = 0$ for all t
- $Var(X_t) = \sigma^2 < \infty$ for all t
- $Cov(X_t, X_s) = 0$ for all $t \neq s$

It is a weakly stationary S.P.

Example (Example of White Noise not Strictly Stationary). Let X_t with $t = even$ be $N(0, 1)$ and X_t with $t = odd$ be $Rademacher(0, 1)$
Then X_t is white noise but not strictly stationary.

Example (1.3.1). $X_t = A \cos(\Theta t) + B \sin(\Theta t)$ where $E(A) = E(B) = 0$, $Var(A) = Var(B) = 1$, $Cov(A, B) = 0$

- $E(X_t) = 0$
- $Var(X_t) = E(A^2 \cos^2(\Theta t) + B^2 \sin^2(\Theta t)) = \cos^2(\Theta t) + \sin^2(\Theta t) = 1$
- $Cov(X_t, X_s) = E(X_t X_s) = E[(A \cos(\Theta t) + B \sin(\Theta t))(A \cos(\Theta s) + B \sin(\Theta s))] = E[A^2] \cos(\Theta t) \cos(\Theta s) + E[B^2] \sin(\Theta t) \sin(\Theta s) = \cos(\Theta t) \cos(\Theta s) + \sin(\Theta t) \sin(\Theta s) = \cos(\Theta(t - s))$

Note that the $Cov(X_t, X_s)$ is only a fn of $t - s$

Thus X_t is weakly stationary.

Example (1.3.2). Let $Z_t, t \in \mathbb{Z}$ be IID($0, \sigma^2$)

$$X_t = Z_t + \Theta Z_{t-1}$$

- $E(X_t) = 0$
- $Var(X_t) = Var(Z_t) + \Theta^2 Var(Z_{t-1}) = (1 + \Theta^2)\sigma^2$
- $Cov(X_t, X_s) = E(X_t X_s) = E[(Z_t + \Theta Z_{t-1})(Z_s + \Theta Z_{s-1})] = \Theta\sigma^2$ if $|t - s| = 1$, $(1 + \Theta^2)\sigma^2$ if $t = s$, 0 otherwise

Thus X_t is weakly stationary.

Example (1.3.4). Assume X_t is IID($0, \sigma^2$)

$$S_t = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_t \quad t \geq 1$$

- $E(S_t) = 0$
- $Var(S_t) = t\sigma^2$ Not constant

- $Cov(S_r, S_t) = E(S_r S_t) = r\sigma^2$ WLOG $r \leq t$
- $Cov(S_r, S_t) = (r \wedge t)\sigma^2$

Proposition 1 (1.5.1). Suppose X_t is weakly stationary with $\gamma_x(h), \rho_x(h)$ as the autocovariance and autocorrelation fns. Then

- $\gamma_x(0) \geq 0$
- $|\gamma_x(h)| \leq \gamma_x(0)$ for all $h \in \mathcal{T}$
- $\gamma_x(h) = \gamma_x(-h)$ for all $h \in \mathcal{T}$

Remark (Some Statistics...). Observe $\{X_t\}, t = 1, 2, \dots, n$ Want to estimate $\mu, \gamma(0), \gamma(1), \dots, \gamma(n-1)$

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\mu} &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i := \bar{X} \\ \hat{\gamma}(0) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \\ \hat{\gamma}(1) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (X_i - \bar{X})(X_{i+1} - \bar{X}) \\ \hat{\gamma}(h) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n-h} (X_i - \bar{X})(X_{i+h} - \bar{X})\end{aligned}$$

The reason why we divide by n we want to shrink it. intuition is that we want to make autocorrelation smaller as n increases.

1.3 9/11/2025 Lecture 3

Remark (Matrix Form of Autocovariance). Observe X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n
 $\hat{\gamma}(h) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n-h} (X_i - \bar{X})(X_{i+h} - \bar{X})$.

$$\Gamma_n = \text{Cov} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \vdots \\ X_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \gamma_x(0) & \gamma_x(1) & \gamma_x(2) & \dots & \gamma_x(n-1) \\ \gamma_x(1) & \gamma_x(0) & \gamma_x(1) & \dots & \gamma_x(n-2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \gamma_x(n-1) & \gamma_x(n-2) & \gamma_x(n-3) & \dots & \gamma_x(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

This is a Toeplitz matrix. ie constant along the diagonals. It is also positive semidefinite. ie $a' \Gamma_n a \geq 0$ for all $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

For the Sample version, we have

$$\hat{\Gamma}_n = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\gamma}(0) & \hat{\gamma}(1) & \hat{\gamma}(2) & \dots & \hat{\gamma}(n-1) \\ \hat{\gamma}(1) & \hat{\gamma}(0) & \hat{\gamma}(1) & \dots & \hat{\gamma}(n-2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \hat{\gamma}(n-1) & \hat{\gamma}(n-2) & \hat{\gamma}(n-3) & \dots & \hat{\gamma}(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

We use n as a common denominator to ensure that $\hat{\Gamma}_n$ is positive semidefinite.

Γ_n is called the order- n autocovariance matrix of the process.

$\hat{\Gamma}_n$ is called the order- n sample autocovariance

Theorem 2. A real valued fn defined on the integers is the autocovariance fn of a weakly stationary Time Series iff

- It is even. ie $\gamma(h) = \gamma(-h)$ for all $h \in \mathcal{T}$
- It is non-negative definite. ie for every $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{R}$

$IE \sum_{i,j}^n a_i k(t_i - t_j) a_j \geq 0$ for all $n \geq 1$, $\mathbf{t} = (t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n)' \in \mathbb{N}^n$, and $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)' \in \mathbb{R}^n$

Proof. LOOK MORE INTO THIS THEOREM

\implies

It is straightforward to see that $\gamma_x(h)$ is even.

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\mathbf{t} = (t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n)' \in \mathbb{N}^n$, and $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)' \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$\sum_{i,j}^n a_i \gamma_x(t_i - t_j) a_j = \sum_{i,j}^n a_i Cov(X_{t_i}, X_{t_j}) a_j = Cov\left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i X_{t_i}, \sum_{j=1}^n a_j X_{t_j}\right) = Var\left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i X_{t_i}\right) \geq 0$$

\Leftarrow

Let $k(h)$ be a real valued fn defined on the integers which is even and non-negative definite.

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\mathbf{t} = (t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n)' \in \mathbb{N}^n$, and $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)' \in \mathbb{R}^n$

Define $\Gamma_n = [k(t_i - t_j)]_{i,j=1}^n$

Then Γ_n is a non-negative definite matrix. ie $a' \Gamma_n a \geq 0$ for all $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

Thus by the spectral theorem, there exists a random vector $\mathbf{X} = (X_{t_1}, X_{t_2}, \dots, X_{t_n})'$ with mean 0 and covariance matrix Γ_n . ie $E(\mathbf{X}) = 0$ and $Cov(\mathbf{X}) = \Gamma_n$.

ie $Cov(X_{t_i}, X_{t_j}) = k(t_i - t_j)$ for all $1 \leq i, j \leq n$

By Kolmogorov's theorem, there exists a S.P. $X_t, t \in \mathbb{Z}$ with autocovariance fn $k(h)$.

□

Example. Suppose $k(h) = \begin{cases} 1 & h = 0 \\ \rho & h = \pm 1 \\ 0 & otherwise \end{cases}$

When is k an autocovariance fn of a weakly stationary S.P.?

- $|\rho| \leq .5$ then

Remember Z_t is IID($0, \sigma^2$), $X_t = Z_t + \Theta Z_{t-1}$ with acovf $\gamma_x(h) = \begin{cases} (1 + \Theta^2)\sigma^2 & h = 0 \\ \Theta\sigma^2 & h = \pm 1 \\ 0 & otherwise \end{cases}$

$\rho(1) = \frac{\Theta}{1+\Theta^2}$ then $1 + \Theta^2 \leq 2\theta$ ie $|\rho| \leq .5$

- If $.5 < \rho \leq 1$ then $k(h)$ is not an acovf.

Then you can find a n s.t.

$$\sum_{i,j}^{2n} a_i a_j k(i-j) = 2n - 2(n-1)\rho < 0$$

Where does this formula on the RHS come from?

- If $-1 \leq \rho < -.5$ then $k(h)$ is not an acovf.

Definition (Mixing Conditions). Suppose \mathcal{G} and \mathcal{H} are two sub σ -fields on the same probability space $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$. $\mathcal{G} \subset \mathcal{F}$ and $\mathcal{H} \subset \mathcal{F}$.

Definition (α -mixing:). α -mixing: $\alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) = \sup_{G \in \mathcal{G}, H \in \mathcal{H}} |\mathbb{P}(G \cap H) - \mathbb{P}(G)\mathbb{P}(H)|$
 X_1 and X_2 are independent $\mathcal{G} = \sigma(X_1) = \sigma([X_1 \leq c], c \in \mathbb{R})$ and $\mathcal{H} = \sigma(X_2)$

- $\alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) = 0$ iff \mathcal{G} and \mathcal{H} are independent
- $0 \leq \alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) \leq .25$ for all \mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H} sub σ -fields of \mathcal{F}
- $\mathbb{P}(G \cap H) - \mathbb{P}(G)\mathbb{P}(H) = \mathbb{E}[I_G I_H] - \mathbb{E}[I_G]\mathbb{E}[I_H] = Cov(I_G, I_H)$

$$|Cov(c_1 I_G, c_2 I_H)| \leq c_1 c_2 \alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H})$$

Definition (ϕ -mixing:). ϕ -mixing: $\phi(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) = \sup_{G \in \mathcal{G}, H \in \mathcal{H}, \mathbb{P}(G) > 0} |\mathbb{P}(H|G) - \mathbb{P}(H)|$

- $\phi(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) = 0$ iff \mathcal{G} and \mathcal{H} are independent
- $0 \leq \phi(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) \leq 1$ for all \mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H} sub σ -fields of \mathcal{F}
- $\alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) \leq \frac{1}{2}\phi(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H})$

Example. X is G -measureable and Y is H -measureable, $|X| \leq C_1$ and $|Y| \leq C_2$ a.s.
Then $|Cov(X, Y)| \leq 4C_1 C_2 \alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H})$

1.4 9/16/2025 Lecture 4

Remark (Last Class Review). Mixing Conditions:

Suppose \mathcal{G} and \mathcal{H} are two sub σ -fields on the same probability space $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$. $\mathcal{G} \subset \mathcal{F}$ and $\mathcal{H} \subset \mathcal{F}$. **LOOK INTO TEXTBOOK ASSIGNMENTS**

- α -mixing: $\alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) = \sup_{G \in \mathcal{G}, H \in \mathcal{H}} |\mathbb{P}(G \cap H) - \mathbb{P}(G)\mathbb{P}(H)|$
 - ϕ -mixing: $\phi(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) = \sup_{G \in \mathcal{G}, H \in \mathcal{H}, \mathbb{P}(G) > 0} |\mathbb{P}(H|G) - \mathbb{P}(H)|$
1. $\alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) = 0$ iff \mathcal{G} and \mathcal{H} are independent

2. $0 \leq \alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) \leq .25$ for all \mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H} sub σ -fields of \mathcal{F} , $0 \leq \phi(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) \leq 1$ for all \mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H} sub σ -fields of \mathcal{F}

3. $\alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H}) \leq \frac{1}{2}\phi(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H})$

Equal definition: $\alpha(X, Y) = \sup_{c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}} |\mathbb{P}(X \leq c_1, Y \leq c_2) - \mathbb{P}(X \leq c_1)\mathbb{P}(Y \leq c_2)|$
 Equal definition: $\phi(X, Y) = \sup_{c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{P}(X \leq c_1) > 0} |\mathbb{P}(Y \leq c_2 | X \leq c_1) - \mathbb{P}(Y \leq c_2)|$

Theorem 3 (Ibragimov 1962). $\mathbb{P}(G \cap H) - \mathbb{P}(G)\mathbb{P}(H) = \text{Cov}(I_G, I_H)$

$$|\text{Cov}(c_1 I_G, c_2 I_H)| \leq c_1 c_2 \alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H})$$

Sup. $|X| \leq C_1$ and $|Y| \leq C_2$ a.s.

Then $|E(XY) - E(X)E(Y)| \leq 4c_1 c_2 \alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H})$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} E(XY) - E(X)E(Y) &= E[X(Y - E(Y))] \\ &= E[X(E(Y|X) - E(Y))] \\ &= E[E(XY|X) - E(Y)] \\ |E(XY) - E(X)E(Y)| &= |E[X(E(Y|X) - E(Y))]| \\ &\leq c_1 E|E(Y|X) - E(Y)| \end{aligned}$$

Define $\eta = \text{sign}(E(Y|X) - E(Y))$

$$\begin{aligned} &= c_1 E[\eta(E(Y|X) - E(Y))] \\ \eta E(Y|X) &= E(\eta Y|X) \\ c_1 E[E(\eta Y|X) - \eta E(Y)] &= c_1 [E(\eta Y) - E(\eta)E(Y)] \\ E(\eta Y) - E(\eta)E(Y) &\leq E[Y[E(\eta|Y) - E(\eta)]] \end{aligned}$$

Let $\xi = \text{sign}(E(\eta|Y) - E(\eta))$

$$E(\eta Y) - E(\eta)E(Y) \leq c_2 (E[\xi\eta] - E(\xi)E(\eta))$$

$$E(XY) - E(X)E(Y) \leq c_1 c_2 (E[\xi\eta] - E(\xi)E(\eta))$$

$$\eta = I_{\eta=1} - I_{\eta=-1}, \xi = I_{\xi=1} - I_{\xi=-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cov}(\xi, \eta) &= \text{Cov}(I_{\xi=1} - I_{\xi=-1}, I_{\eta=1} - I_{\eta=-1}) \\ &= \text{Cov}(I_{\xi=1}, I_{\eta=1}) + \text{Cov}(I_{\xi=-1}, I_{\eta=-1}) \\ &\quad - \text{Cov}(I_{\xi=1}, I_{\eta=-1}) - \text{Cov}(I_{\xi=-1}, I_{\eta=1}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\implies |\text{Cov}(\xi, \eta)| \leq 4\alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H})$$

$$|E(XY) - E(X)E(Y)| \leq 4c_1 c_2 \alpha(\mathcal{G}, \mathcal{H})$$

□

Why are we doing this?

Consider X_1, X_2, \dots IID($0, \sigma^2$)

$$\frac{X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n}{n} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, \sigma^2)$$

Now how do we get CLT?

Consider X_1, X_2, \dots is a weakly stationary S.P, with $E(X_t) = 0$

$$\frac{X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n}{n} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, \sigma^2)$$

We can see this is the variance $S_n = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n$

$$Var(S_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n Var(X_i) + 2 \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} Cov(X_i, X_j)$$

$$= n\gamma_x(0) + 2 \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} (\gamma_x(j-i))$$

$$= n\gamma_x(0) + 2 \sum_{h=1}^{n-1} (n-h)\gamma_x(h)$$

$$Var(\frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}}) = \gamma_x(0) + 2 \sum_{h=1}^{n-1} (1 - \frac{h}{n})\gamma_x(h)$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Var(\frac{S_n}{\sqrt{n}}) = \gamma_x(0) + 2 \sum_{h=1}^{\infty} \gamma_x(h)$$

We want this infinite series to converge. ie $\sum_{h=1}^{\infty} |\gamma_x(h)| < \infty$.

Consider X_1, X_2, \dots is a strictly stationary S.P.

Define $\alpha_0 = \frac{1}{2}$, and $\alpha_n = \alpha(X_0, X_n)$ for $n \geq 1$

Assume $E|X_0|^p < \infty$ for some $p > 2$

$$\text{Then } |\gamma_x(k)| = |Cov(X_0, X_k)| \leq 8||X_0||_p^2 \alpha_k^{1-\frac{2}{p}}$$

Corollary (Only Y is bounded). Suppose $E[X^2] < \infty$ for some $p > 1$ and $|Y| \leq C$ a.s.

Then $E(XY) - E(X)E(Y) \leq 6C||X||_p [\alpha(X, Y)]^{1-\frac{1}{p}}$ where $||X||_p = (E|X|^p)^{\frac{1}{p}}$

Proof. Through Truncation:

$$X_1 = XI_{|X| \leq C_1} \text{ and } X_2 = X - X_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} |E(XY) - E(X)E(Y)| &\leq |E(X_1Y) - E(X_1)E(Y)| + |E(X_2Y) - E(X_2)E(Y)| \\ &\leq 4CC_1\alpha(X, Y) + 2CE|X_2| \end{aligned}$$

$$E|X_2| = E|XI_{|X| > C_1}| \leq \frac{E|X|^p}{C_1^{p-1}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_{|X| > C_1} &< \frac{|X|^p}{C_1^{p-1}} \\ &= \frac{||X||_p^p}{C_1^{p-1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } |E(XY) - E(X)E(Y)| \leq 4CC_1\alpha(X, Y) + \frac{||X||_p^p}{C_1^{p-1}}.$$

Take $C_1 = \alpha^{-\frac{1}{p}}||X||_p$ to get best bound.

Then the corollary follows.

Look into bernstein inequality

□

Corollary (No bounded (Davydov 1968)). Suppose $E|X|^p < \infty$ and $E|Y|^q < \infty$ for some $p, q > 1$ and $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} < 1$ then

$$|E(XY) - E(X)E(Y)| \leq 8||X||_p ||Y||_q [\alpha(X, Y)]^{1-\frac{1}{p}-\frac{1}{q}}$$

Review of Hilbert Spaces

Definition (Inner Product Space). A vector space \mathcal{V} over the field \mathbb{F} is called an inner product space if there exists a fn $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$

- $\langle u, v \rangle = \overline{\langle v, u \rangle}$ for all $u, v \in \mathcal{V}$
- $\langle u + v, w \rangle = \langle u, w \rangle + \langle v, w \rangle$ for all $u, v, w \in \mathcal{V}$
- $\langle cu, v \rangle = c\langle u, v \rangle$ for all $u, v \in \mathcal{V}$ and $c \in \mathbb{F}$
- $\langle u, u \rangle \geq 0$ for all $u \in \mathcal{V}$
- $\langle u, u \rangle = 0$ iff $u = 0$

We will see that for the prob space $\langle X, Y \rangle = E[XY]$ but this only holds a.s.

1.5 9/18/2025 Lecture 5

Definition (Inner Product Space). \mathcal{H} is an inner product space with inner product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$

Example (2.2.2). $L^2(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}) = \{X : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} | X \text{ is measurable and } E(X^2) < \infty\}$

$$\langle X, Y \rangle = E(XY) = \int_{\Omega} X(\omega)Y(\omega)d\mathbb{P}(\omega)$$

$$\langle X, X \rangle = E(X^2) = 0 \implies X = 0 \text{ a.s.}$$

Define an equivalence relation $X \sim Y$ if $X = Y$ a.s.

- The elements of L^2 are equivalence classes
- $\|X\| = \sqrt{\langle X, X \rangle} = \sqrt{E(X^2)}$ is a norm on L^2

Remark. IP Properties:

- $|\langle x, y \rangle| \leq \|x\| \|y\|$ (Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality)
- $\|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$ (Triangle Inequality)
- If $\|x_n - x\| \rightarrow 0$ and $\|y_n - y\| \rightarrow 0$ then $\langle x_n, y_n \rangle \rightarrow \langle x, y \rangle$ (Continuity of Inner Product)

Definition (Limit of a Sequence in Hilbert Space). Let \mathcal{H} be a Hilbert Space and $\{x_n\}$ be a sequence in \mathcal{H}

We say that $x_n \rightarrow x$ if $\|x_n - x\| \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Suppose $\{X_n\}$ is a sequence of random variables in $L^2(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$ which converges to X . Then consider the RV 1 (constant)

Consider $\langle X_n, 1 \rangle \rightarrow \langle X, 1 \rangle$

ie $E(X_n) \rightarrow E(X)$

$X_n \rightarrow X$

$$\langle X_n, X_n \rangle \rightarrow \langle X, X \rangle \text{ ie } E(X_n^2) \rightarrow E(X^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} X_n &\rightarrow X, Y_n \rightarrow Y \\ \langle X_n, Y_n \rangle &\rightarrow \langle X, Y \rangle \\ \text{ie } E(X_n Y_n) &\rightarrow E(XY) \end{aligned}$$

Definition (Cauchy Sequence). A sequence of elements $\{x_n\}$ in an inner product space \mathcal{H} is called a Cauchy sequence if for every $\epsilon > 0$ there exists $N \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $\|x_n - x_m\| < \epsilon$ for all $n, m \geq N$.

Definition (Hilbert Space). An inner product space \mathcal{H} is called a Hilbert Space if every Cauchy sequence in \mathcal{H} converges to an element in \mathcal{H} .

Example. Consider $\mathcal{M}(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P}) = \{X : |X| \leq C, C > 0\}$

$$\langle X, Y \rangle = E(XY)$$

$$X \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$X_n = XI_{|X| \leq n}$$

$$E|X - X_n|^2 = E[X^2 I_{|X| > n}] \rightarrow 0 \text{ by DCT (Dominated Convergence Theorem)}$$

So $X_n \rightarrow X$ in L^2 but $X \notin \mathcal{M}$

Thus \mathcal{M} is not a Hilbert Space.

Definition (Complex Random Variable). A complex random variable is a fn $Z : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ such that $Z = X + iY$ where X, Y are real random variables.

Definition (Closed Subspace). A linear subspace of a Hilbert Space \mathcal{H} is called a closed subspace if \mathcal{M} contains its limit points. ie if $\{x_n\} \subset \mathcal{M}$ and $x_n \rightarrow x$ in \mathcal{H} then $x \in \mathcal{M}$.

Proposition 2 (2.3.1). Review the definition If \mathcal{M} is a closed subset of a H.S \mathcal{H} then the orthogonal compliment $\mathcal{M}^\perp = \{x \in \mathcal{H} : x \perp y, \forall y \in \mathcal{M}\}$ closed linear subspace of \mathcal{H} .

Theorem 4 (2.3.1 Projection Theorm). If \mathcal{M} is a closed linear subspace of a H.S \mathcal{H} and $x \in \mathcal{H}$ then

- (i) there is a unique element $\hat{x} \in \mathcal{M}$ such that $\|x - \hat{x}\| = \inf_{y \in \mathcal{M}} \|x - y\|$
- (ii) $\hat{x} \in \mathcal{M}$ and $\|x - \hat{x}\| = \inf_{y \in \mathcal{M}} \|x - y\|$ iff $\hat{x} \in \mathcal{M}$ and $x - \hat{x} \in \mathcal{M}^\perp$

Definition (2.4.1 Closed Span). The closed span $\overline{\text{sp}}\{X_t, t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ of any subset $\{X_t, t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ of a H.S \mathcal{H} is the smallest closed linear subspace of \mathcal{H} containing $\{X_t, t \in \mathcal{T}\}$.

Definition (Orthonormal Set). A set $\{e_t : t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ of element of an IP space is said to be

$$\text{orthonormal if } \langle e_s, e_t \rangle = \begin{cases} 1 & s = t \\ 0 & s \neq t \end{cases} \text{ for all } s, t \in \mathcal{T}$$

Definition (Complete Orthonormal Set). An orthonormal set $\{e_t : t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ in a H.S \mathcal{H} is said to be complete if $\overline{\text{sp}}\{e_t, t \in \mathcal{T}\} = \mathcal{H}$

Definition (Seperability). The HS is separable if it has a finite or countable infinite complete orthonormal set.

Example (Separable HS). 1. \mathbb{R}^d

2. $L^2(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$

Theorem 5 (2.4.2). *If \mathcal{H} is a separable H.S and $\mathcal{H} = \overline{\text{sp}}\{e_t : t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ where $\{e_t : t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ is an orthonormal set then*

- The set of all finite linear combinations of $\{e_t : t \in \mathcal{T}\}$ is dense in \mathcal{H} . ie for every $x \in \mathcal{H}$ and $\epsilon > 0$ there exists $y = \sum_{j=1}^n a_j e_{t_j}$ such that $\|x - y\| < \epsilon$
- $x = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \langle x, e_i \rangle e_i$ for each $x \in \mathcal{H}$ ie $\|x - \sum_{i=1}^n \langle x, e_i \rangle e_i\| \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$
- $\|x\|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |\langle x, e_i \rangle|^2$ for each $x \in \mathcal{H}$ (Parseval's Identity)
- $\langle x, y \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \langle x, e_i \rangle \langle y, e_i \rangle$ for all $x, y \in \mathcal{H}$
- $x = 0 \iff \langle x, e_i \rangle = 0$ for all $i \geq 1$

1.6 9/23/2025 Lecture 6

Definition (ARMA models: ARMA(p, q)). Let $\{Z_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$. The process $\{X_t, t \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ is said to be an *ARMA(p, q)* process if

- $\{X_t\}$ is stationary for all $t \in \mathbb{Z}$
- $X_t - \phi_1 X_{t-1} - \dots - \phi_p X_{t-p} = Z_t + \theta_1 Z_{t-1} + \dots + \theta_q Z_{t-q}$ for all $t \in \mathbb{Z}$ where $\phi_1, \dots, \phi_p, \theta_1, \dots, \theta_q$ are real constants with $\phi_p, \theta_q \neq 0$.

Remark. There are a few special cases of the *ARMA(p, q)* model:

- When $q = 0$ we can write the model as $X_t - \phi_1 X_{t-1} - \dots - \phi_p X_{t-p} = Z_t$ and call it an *AR(p)* model.
- When $p = 0$ we can write the model as $X_t = Z_t + \theta_1 Z_{t-1} + \dots + \theta_q Z_{t-q}$ and call it a *MA(q)* model.
- When $p = 0$ and $q = 0$ we have $X_t = Z_t$ and call it a white noise model.
- $\{X_t\}$ is defined relative to the white noise process $\{Z_t\}$.
- Stationarity is a critical requirement for the *ARMA(p, q)* model.
- AR polynomial: $\phi(z) = 1 - \phi_1 z - \dots - \phi_p z^p$
- MA polynomial: $\theta(z) = 1 + \theta_1 z + \dots + \theta_q z^q$
- Backshift operator: $BX_t = X_{t-1}$, $B^2X_t = X_{t-2}$, \dots , $B^kX_t = X_{t-k}$
- AR(p) model: $\phi(B)X_t = Z_t$
- MA(q) model: $X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$

- ARMA(p, q) model: $\phi(B)X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$
- More general model with a mean: $\{X_t + \mu : t \in \mathbb{Z}\}$
- Can also be characterized by $X_t = \phi_0 + \phi_1 X_{t-1} + \dots + \phi_p X_{t-p} + Z_t + \theta_1 Z_{t-1} + \dots + \theta_q Z_{t-q}$
where $\phi_0 = \mu(1 - \phi_1 - \dots - \phi_p)$

Example (Staitionary solution to AR(1)).

$$\begin{aligned}
X_t &= \phi X_{t-1} + Z_t \\
&= Z_t + \phi(Z_{t-1} + \phi X_{t-2}) = Z_t + \phi Z_{t-1} + \phi^2 X_{t-2} \\
&= Z_t + \phi Z_{t-1} + \phi^2(Z_{t-2} + \phi X_{t-3}) = Z_t + \phi Z_{t-1} + \phi^2 Z_{t-2} + \phi^3 X_{t-3} \\
&\vdots \\
&= Z_t + \phi Z_{t-1} + \phi^2 Z_{t-2} + \dots + \phi^k Z_{t-k} + \phi^{k+1} X_{t-(k+1)}
\end{aligned}$$

If $|\phi| < 1$ then $\phi^{k+1} X_{t-(k+1)} \rightarrow 0$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$

Thus the stationary solution is $X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \phi^j Z_{t-j}$

If $|\phi| \geq 1$ then there is no stationary solution since we can see that $X_{t+1} = \phi X_t + Z_{t+1} \iff X_t = -\frac{1}{\phi} Z_{t+1} + \frac{1}{\phi} X_{t+1}$

$$\begin{aligned}
X_t &= \phi^{-1} X_{t+1} - \phi^{-1} Z_{t+1} \\
&= \phi^{-1}(\phi^{-1} X_{t+2} - \phi^{-1} Z_{t+2}) - \phi^{-1} Z_{t+1} \\
&= \phi^{-2} X_{t+2} - \phi^{-1} Z_{t+1} - \phi^{-2} Z_{t+2} \\
&\vdots \\
&= \phi^{-k} X_{t+k} - \sum_{j=1}^k \phi^{-j} Z_{t+j} \\
&= - \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \phi^{-j} Z_{t+j}
\end{aligned}$$

We will see later that why this is the unique stationary solution when $|\phi| < 1$

Remark. Uniqueness of stationary solution to AR(1):

- If $X_t = \phi X_{t-1} + Z_t$, where $|\phi| > 1$ then we can rewrite this as $X_t = \phi^* X_{t-1} + Z_t^*$ with $\phi^* < 1$ and $Z_t^* \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$ [Homework problem]

Definition (3.1.3: Causality). An ARMA(p, q) process $\phi(B)X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$ is said to be causal if ther exists a sequence of constants $\{\psi_j\}$ such that $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty$ and $X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j}$ for all $t \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Proposition 3 (3.1.1). If $\{X_t, t \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ is a sequence of rv st. $\sup_t E|X_t| < \infty$ and if $\{\psi_j\}_{j \geq 0}$ is a sequence of numbers s.t $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty$ then the series $\psi(B)X_t = \left(\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j B^j\right) X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j X_{t-j}$ converges absolutely w.p 1

If in addition $\sup_t E(X_t^2) < \infty$ then the series converges in L^2 to the same limit.

Proof.

- Consider $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| |X_{t-j}|$, which always exists (may be infinite)
- Monotone Convergence Theorem implies $E\left(\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| |X_{t-j}|\right) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| E|X_{t-j}| \leq (\sup_t E|X_t|) \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty \implies \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| |X_{t-j}| < \infty$ w.p 1
- $\implies \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j X_{t-j}$ converges absolutely w.p 1, call the limit W_t .
- Verify $\sum_{j=0}^n \psi_j X_{t-j}$ is a Cauchy sequence in L^2 : We do this by showing $\|\sum_{j=n}^m \psi_j X_{t-j}\|_2 \rightarrow 0$ as $n, m \rightarrow \infty$.
- So it converges in L^2 to some limit S_t .
- $E(S_t - W_t)^2 = E[\liminf_n (S - \sum_{j=0}^n \psi_j X_{t-j})^2]$ by Fatou's Lemma
 $\leq \liminf_n E(S - \sum_{j=0}^n \psi_j X_{t-j})^2 = 0$
 $\implies S_t = W_t$ a.s. since the second moment is 0.

□

1.7 9/25/2025 Lecture 7

Remark (Review). Review of last week:

- ARMA(p, q) process: $\phi(B)X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$ where $\{Z_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$
- MA(q) process: $X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$

Proposition 4 (3.1.2). If $\{X_t\}$ is a stationary process with autocovariance function $\gamma_x(\cdot)$ and if $\{\psi_j\}_{j \geq 0}$, $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty$, define $Y_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j X_{t-j}$ (converges absolutely, w.p 1).

Then Y_t is also stationary with autocovariance function $\gamma_y(h) = \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j \psi_k \gamma_x(h + j - k)$ where $\psi_j = 0$ for $j < 0$.

Proof. We need to show that $E(Y_t)$ is constant and $\text{Cov}(Y_{t+h}, Y_t)$ depends only on h .

$$\begin{aligned}
E(Y_t) &= E\left(\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j X_{t-j}\right) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j E(X_{t-j}) = \mu_x \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j \text{ (constant)} \\
\text{Cov}(Y_{t+h}, Y_t) &= E[(Y_{t+h} - E(Y_{t+h}))(Y_t - E(Y_t))] \\
&= E\left[\left(\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j (X_{t+h-j} - \mu_x)\right) \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \psi_k (X_{t-k} - \mu_x)\right)\right] \\
&= E\left[\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \psi_j \psi_k (X_{t+h-j} - \mu_x)(X_{t-k} - \mu_x)\right] \\
&= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \psi_j \psi_k E[(X_{t+h-j} - \mu_x)(X_{t-k} - \mu_x)] \\
&= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \psi_j \psi_k \gamma_x(h + j - k) \\
&= \sum_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi_j \psi_k \gamma_x(h + j - k) \text{ where } \psi_j = 0 \text{ for } j < 0
\end{aligned}$$

□

Remark. Let $\alpha(B) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \alpha_j B^j$ and $\beta(B) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \beta_j B^j$. Then $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\alpha_j| < \infty$ and $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\beta_j| < \infty$. Then the product $\psi(B) = \alpha(B)\beta(B) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j B^j$ then $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty$

Theorem 6 (3.1.1.a). If $\phi(z)$ and $\theta(z)$ have no common zeros, if $\phi(z) \neq 0$ for $|z| = 1$ and if $\{Z_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$ then exists a unique stationary solution given by

$$X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j} \text{ where } \psi(z) = \frac{\theta(z)}{\phi(z)} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j z^j$$

and $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty$. so that X_t is well-defined and causal.

Proof. (i) Find Solution

If $\phi(z) \neq 0$ for $|z| = 1$ then $\exists \epsilon > 0$ such that

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{\phi(z)} &:= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \zeta_j z^j =: \zeta(z), |z| \leq 1 + \epsilon \\
\implies |\zeta_j| &\leq (1 + \epsilon/2)^{-j} \text{ for some } K > 0
\end{aligned}$$

Consider $\frac{1}{1-z} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} z^j$ for $|z| < 1$

Consider $\frac{1}{1-0.5z} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} (0.5z)^j$ for $|z| < 2$

$\phi(z) = \prod_{j=1}^p (1 - w_j z)$, ie each of the roots are $\frac{1}{w_j}$.

Then $\frac{1}{\phi(z)} = \prod_{j=1}^p \frac{1}{1-w_j z}$

$$\implies \frac{1}{\phi(z)} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \zeta_j z^j \text{ for } |z| < \min_{1 \leq j \leq p} |w_j|^{-1}$$

We know that $\forall j, |w_j| < 1$ and then if we take $\epsilon = \min_{1 \leq j \leq p} |w_j|^{-1} - 1 > 0$ then we are done.

(ii) Find Stationary Solution

Define $X_t = \frac{\theta(B)}{\phi(B)} Z_t$ which is stationary

$$\phi(B)X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$$

(iii) Uniqueness of Stationary Solution

Suppose $\{W_t\}$ is another stationary solution to $\phi(B)W_t = \theta(B)Z_t$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(B)W_t &= \theta(B)Z_t \\ \zeta(B[\phi(B)W_t]) &= \zeta(B[\theta(B)Z_t]) \\ \implies W_t &= \zeta(B)[\theta(B)Z_t] = \frac{\theta(B)}{\phi(B)}Z_t = X_t \end{aligned}$$

□

Theorem 7 (3.1.1.b). Assume $\phi(z)$ and $\theta(z)$ have no common zeros. If there exists a stationary solution which is also causal then $\phi(z) \neq 0$ for $|z| \leq 1$.

1.8 9/30/2025 Lecture 8

Remark (Review). Prior class review:

- ARMA(p, q) process: $\phi(B)X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$ where $\{Z_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$
 $\phi(z)$ and $\theta(z)$ have no common zeros.

Theorem 8 (3.1.1.a & .b). (a) If $\phi(z) \neq 0$ for all $|z| \leq 1$ then there exists a unique stationary solution given by

$$X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j} \text{ where } \psi(z) = \frac{\theta(z)}{\phi(z)} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j z^j$$

and they satisfy $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty$.

(b) If there exists a stationary solution which is also causal then $\phi(z) \neq 0$ for all $|z| \leq 1$.

Remark. Not proving

- If $\phi(z) \neq 0$ for all $|z| = 1$ then there a unique stationary solution.
- If $\phi(z) = 0$ for some $|z| = 1$ then there is no stationary solution.
- If $\phi(z) \neq 0$ for all $|z| = 1$ and $\{X_t\}$ is the unique staitionary solution then one can find $\hat{\phi}(z)$ and $WN\{Z_t^*\}$ st $\hat{\phi}(z)X_t = \phi(B)Z_t^*$ and $\hat{\phi}(z) \neq 0$ for all $|z| \leq 1$.
- Only Focus on Causal and Invertable ARMA models

Definition (3.1.4). Suppose $\{X_t\}$ is a stationary solution of $\phi(B)X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$, it is said to be invertible if $\exists \pi_j$ such that $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\pi_j| < \infty$ and $Z_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \pi_j X_{t-j}$ for all $t \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Theorem 9 (3.1.2). Suppose X_t is the unique stationary solution of $\phi(B)X_t = \theta(B)Z_t$, then it is invertible iff $\theta(z) \neq 0$ for all $|z| \leq 1$.

When the condition holds $\{\pi_j\}$ are determined by $\pi(z) = \frac{\phi(z)}{\theta(z)} = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \pi_j z^j$.

Remark. IF the definition of invertability is relaxed to:

$$Z_t \in \overline{sp}\{X_t, X_{t-1}, \dots\}$$

then the condition relaxed to $\theta(z) \neq 0$ for all $|z| < 1$

Definition (3.2.1). Suppose $\{Z_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$, we say $\{X_t\}$ is an infinite order moving average denoted by $MA(\infty)$ if

$$\exists \{\psi_j\} \text{ such that } \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} |\psi_j| < \infty \text{ and } X_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j}$$

May relax condition to $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j^2 < \infty$ then take X_t as the L^2 limit.

Sometimes $MA(\infty)$ is called the linear process.

This is related to the Wold Decomposition Theorem.

Proposition 5 (3.2.1). If $\{X_t\}$ is a zero-mean stationary process with autocovariance function $\gamma_x(\cdot)$ such that $\gamma_x(h) = 0$ for $|h| > q$ and $\gamma_x(q) \neq 0$ then $\{X_t\}$ is an $MA(q)$ process.

IE: $\exists WN\{Z_t\}$ s.t. $X_t = Z_t + \theta_1 Z_{t-1} + \dots + \theta_q Z_{t-q}$ where $\theta_q \neq 0$.

Proof. • Find the WN $\{Z_t\}$

- Show that $X_t = Z_t + \theta_1 Z_{t-1} + \dots + \theta_q Z_{t-q}$ for some $\theta_1, \dots, \theta_q$ with $\theta_q \neq 0$

□

Definition (Linear Predictor). Suppose $Y \in \mathbb{R}$, $E[Y] = 0$, $\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^d$, $E[\mathbf{X}] = \mathbf{0}$.

$$\text{Cov}(\begin{bmatrix} Y \\ \mathbf{X} \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_Y^2 & \sigma'_{\mathbf{YX}} \\ \sigma_{\mathbf{YX}} & \Sigma_X \end{bmatrix}$$

A linear predictor takes the form $C^T \mathbf{X}$ where $C \in \mathbb{R}^d$.

The best linear predictor (BLP) of Y based on \mathbf{X} is the linear predictor $\hat{Y} = C^T \mathbf{X}$ that minimizes the mean squared error $\min_{C \in \mathbb{R}^d} E[(Y - C^T \mathbf{X})^2]$.

$$\begin{aligned} E[(Y - C^T \mathbf{X})^2] &= E[Y^2] - 2C^T E[Y \mathbf{X}] + C^T E[\mathbf{X} \mathbf{X}^T] C \\ &= \sigma_Y^2 - 2C^T \sigma_{\mathbf{YX}} + C^T \Sigma_X C \end{aligned}$$

The best solution is given taking the partial derivative and setting it to 0:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial C} E[(Y - C^T \mathbf{X})^2] &= -2\sigma_{\mathbf{YX}} + 2\Sigma_X C = 0 \\ \implies \hat{C} &= \Sigma_X^{-1} \sigma_{\mathbf{YX}} \\ \implies \hat{Y} &= \hat{C}^T \mathbf{X} = \sigma'_{\mathbf{YX}} \Sigma_X^{-1} \mathbf{X} \end{aligned}$$

$$E[(Y - \hat{Y})^2] = \sigma_Y^2 - \sigma'_{\mathbf{YX}} \Sigma_X^{-1} \sigma_{\mathbf{YX}}$$

Remark. $\{X_t\}$ is a mean-zero stationary process.

Want to predict X_{k+1} based on $\{X_1, \dots, X_k\}$.

$$\min_{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_k} E[(X_{k+1} - \hat{X}_{k+1})^2]$$

Where $\hat{X}_{k+1} = \sum_{j=1}^k \phi_j X_{k+1-j}$

$$Gamma_{k+1} = Cov\left(\begin{bmatrix} X_{k+1} \\ X_k \\ \vdots \\ X_1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} \gamma(0) & \gamma(\mathbf{k})' \\ \gamma(\mathbf{k}) & \Gamma_k \end{bmatrix}$$

Where $\mathbf{gamma}(\mathbf{k}) = [\gamma(1), \dots, \gamma(k)]'$ and $\Gamma_k = [\gamma(i-j)]_{i,j=1}^k$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \hat{\phi}_1 \\ \hat{\phi}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{\phi}_k \end{bmatrix} = \Gamma_k^{-1} \gamma(\mathbf{k})$$

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Proposition 6 (3.2.1). IF $\{X_t\}$ is a zero-mean stationary process with autocovariance function $\gamma_x(\cdot)$ such that $\gamma_x(h) = 0$ for $|h| > q$ and $\gamma_x(q) \neq 0$ then $\{X_t\}$ is an MA(q) process.

Proof. Need to show

- Find $WN\{Z_t\}$
- Show that $X_t = Z_t + \theta_1 Z_{t-1} + \dots + \theta_q Z_{t-q}$ for some $\theta_1, \dots, \theta_q$ with $\theta_q \neq 0$

Linear prediction problem: Predict X_{k+1} using X_1, \dots, X_k

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\hat{\phi}}_k &= \arg \min_{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_k} E[(X_{k+1} - \hat{X}_{k+1})^2] \\ \hat{X}_{k+1} &= \sum_{j=1}^k \phi_j X_{k+1-j} \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{\hat{\phi}}_k = \Gamma_k^{-1} \underline{\gamma}(k) \text{ where } \underline{\gamma}(k) = [\gamma(1), \dots, \gamma(k)]'$$

$$E[(X_{k+1} - \underline{\hat{\phi}}_k \underline{X}_k)^2] = \underline{\gamma}(0) - \underline{\gamma}(\hat{k})' \Gamma_k^{-1} \underline{\gamma}(k) = \nu_k$$

Note that if we want

$$\begin{aligned} X_t &= Z_t + \theta_1 Z_{t-1} + \dots + \theta_q Z_{t-q} \\ Z_t &= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j X_{t-j} \\ Z_{t-1}, \dots, Z_{t-q} &\in \overline{sp}\{X_{t-1}, X_{t-2}, \dots\} \end{aligned}$$

Proof:

Define $\mathcal{M}_t = \overline{sp}\{X_t, X_{t-1}, \dots\}$ and $Z_t = X_t - \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{M}_{t-1}}(X_t)$. Notice that $Z_t \in \mathcal{M}_t$ and $Z_t \perp \mathcal{M}_{t-1}$.

- $E[Z_s Z_t] = 0$ if $s \neq t$ $s > t$.

$$\begin{aligned}
Z_t &\in \mathcal{M}_t \subset \mathcal{M}_{s-1} \\
Z_s &:= X_s - \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{M}_{s-1}}(X_s) \\
Z_s \perp \mathcal{M}_{s-1} &\implies Z_s \perp Z_t \\
X_t &= Z_t + \phi_1 Z_{t-1} + \dots + \phi_q Z_{t-q} \text{ for some } \phi_1, \dots, \phi_q \\
Z_t &= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j X_{t-j} \text{ for some } \psi_j \\
Z_{t-1}, \dots, Z_{t-q} &\in \overline{sp}\{X_{t-1}, X_{t-2}, \dots\}
\end{aligned}$$

and $\mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_{t-1}, X_{t-2}, \dots\}}(X_t) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{M}_t} X_t$ in L^2 as $k \rightarrow \infty$.

- $\|Z_t\| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|X_t - \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_{t-1}, \dots, X_{t-n}\}}(X_t)\|$
 $= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} E[(X_{t-1} - \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_{t-2}, \dots, X_{t-n-1}\}}(X_t))] = \|Z_{t-1}\|$
Denote $\sigma^2 = \|Z_t\|^2$ then $\{Z_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$
- $\mathcal{M}_{t-1} = \overline{sp}\{X_{t-1}, X_{t-2}, \dots\} = \overline{sp}\{Z_{t-1}, \dots, Z_{t-q}, \dots, X_{t-q-1}, X_{t-q-2}, \dots\}$
Also $\overline{sp}\{Z_{t-1}, \dots, Z_{t-q}\} \perp \overline{sp}\{X_{t-q-1}, X_{t-q-2}, \dots\}$
So $\mathcal{M}_{t-1} = \overline{sp}\{Z_{t-1}, \dots, Z_{t-q}\} \oplus \mathcal{M}_{t-q-1}$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{M}_{t-1}}(X_t) &= \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{Z_{t-1}, \dots, Z_{t-q}\}}(X_t) + \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{M}_{t-q-1}}(X_t) \\
&= \frac{\langle X_t, Z_{t-1} \rangle}{\langle Z_{t-1}, Z_{t-1} \rangle} Z_{t-1} + \dots + \frac{\langle X_t, Z_{t-q} \rangle}{\langle Z_{t-q}, Z_{t-q} \rangle} Z_{t-q} + \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{M}_{t-q-1}}(X_t)
\end{aligned}$$

Note that $\gamma_x(h) = 0$ for $|h| > q \implies \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{M}_{t-q-1}}(X_t) = 0$

$$\implies X_t = Z_t + \sum_{j=1}^q \frac{\langle X_t, Z_{t-j} \rangle}{\sigma^2} Z_{t-j}$$

□

Proposition 7 (5.2.1 Durbin Levinson Algorithm). Suppose $\{X_t\}$ is a zero-mean stationary process with autocovariance function $\gamma(\cdot)$. Such that $\gamma(0) > 0$ and $\gamma(h) \rightarrow 0$ as $h \rightarrow \infty$.

Then $\phi_{11} = \rho(1)$ and $\nu_1 = \gamma(0)(1 - \rho(1)^2)$

$\phi_{nn} = [\gamma(n) - \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \phi_{n-1,j} \gamma(n-j)] \nu_{n-1}^{-1}$ for $n \geq 2$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \phi_{n1} \\ \phi_{n2} \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{n,n-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_{n-1,1} \\ \phi_{n-1,2} \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{n-1,n-1} \end{bmatrix} - \phi_{nn} \begin{bmatrix} \phi_{n-1,n-1} \\ \phi_{n-1,n-2} \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{n-1,1} \end{bmatrix} \text{ for } n \geq 2$$

$$\nu_n = \nu_{n-1}(1 - \phi_{nn}^2)$$

Given ϕ_{n-1} and ν_{n-1} How do we get ϕ_n and ν_n ?

The complexity is $O(n^2)$ instead of $O(n^3)$.

Proof. (1) $\phi_{11} = \rho(1)$ and $\nu_1 = \gamma(0)[1 - \rho(1)^2]$

Suppose we have $\underline{\phi}_{n-1}$ and ν_{n-1} , we want to find $\underline{\phi}_n$ and ν_n .

Want: $\mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}}(X_{n+1})$

Let $w_1 = X_1 - \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_2, \dots, X_n\}}(X_1)$ then $\begin{cases} w_1 \perp \overline{sp}\{X_n, \dots, X_{n-2}\} \\ \overline{sp}\{X_1, \dots, X_n\} = \overline{sp}\{w_1\} \oplus \overline{sp}\{X_2, \dots, X_n\} \end{cases}$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_n, \dots, X_2\}}(X_{n+1}) = \underline{\phi}_{n-1}' \begin{bmatrix} X_n \\ X_{n-1} \\ \vdots \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ Then want } \frac{\langle X_{n+1}, w_1 \rangle}{\langle w_1, w_1 \rangle} w_1$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_n, \dots, X_{n-2}\}}(X_1) = \underline{\phi}_{n-1}' \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \vdots \\ X_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w_1 = X_1 - \underline{\phi}_{n-1}' \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \vdots \\ X_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \|w_1\|^2 = \nu_{n-1} \quad \langle X_{n+1}, w_1 \rangle = \gamma(n) - \underline{\phi}_{n-1}' \begin{bmatrix} \gamma(n-1) \\ \gamma(n-2) \\ \vdots \\ \gamma(1) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}_{w_1}}(X_{n+1}) = \frac{\langle X_{n+1}, w_1 \rangle}{\langle w_1, w_1 \rangle} w_1 = \phi_{nn} w_1 \underline{\phi}_n' \begin{bmatrix} X_n \\ X_{n-1} \\ \vdots \\ X_1 \end{bmatrix} - \phi_{nn} \begin{bmatrix} \phi_{n-1,n-1} \\ \phi_{n-1,n-2} \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{n-1,1} \end{bmatrix} \nu_n = \nu_{n-1} - \phi_{nn}^2 \nu_{n-1} = (1 - \phi_{nn}^2) \nu_{n-1}$$

□

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Remark. Review of last class:

- Linear Predictor: Suppose $Y \in \mathbb{R}$, $E[Y] = 0$, $\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^d$, $E[\mathbf{X}] = \mathbf{0}$.

$$\text{Cov}(\begin{bmatrix} Y \\ \mathbf{X} \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_Y^2 & \Sigma_{YX} \\ \Sigma_{XY} & \Sigma_X \end{bmatrix}$$

The BLP is given by $\hat{X} = \phi'_n X_n$ where $\phi_n = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_{n1} \\ \phi_{n2} \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$ and $X_n = \begin{bmatrix} X_n \\ X_{n-1} \\ \vdots \\ X_1 \end{bmatrix}$

Suppose $\{X_t\}$ follows causal AR(p) process: $\phi(B)X_t = Z_t$ where $\{Z_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$

Predict X_t based on X_{t-1}, \dots, X_{t-p} . Then use $\phi_p = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \vdots \\ \phi_p \end{bmatrix}$

Definition (Partial Autocorrelation Function). Let $\{X_t\}$ be a mean-zero stationary process. Its partial autocorrelation function (PACF) $\alpha(\cdot)$ is a function on positive integers defined as follows:

- $\alpha(1) = \rho(1)$
- $\alpha(k) = \text{Cor}[X_{k+1} - \mathcal{P}_{\bar{s}\bar{p}\{X_k, \dots, X_2\}}(X_{k+1}), X_1 - \mathcal{P}_{\bar{s}\bar{p}\{X_2, \dots, X_1\}}(X_1)]$ for $k \geq 2$

Example (3.4.1). AR(1) process: $X_t = \phi X_{t-1} + Z_t$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha(1) &= \rho(1) = \phi \\ \alpha(2) &= \text{Cor}[X_3 - \mathcal{P}_{\bar{s}\bar{p}\{X_2\}}(X_3), X_1 - \mathcal{P}_{\bar{s}\bar{p}\{X_2\}}(X_1)] \\ &= \text{Cor}[X_3 - \phi X_2, X_1 - \phi X_2] \\ &= \text{Cor}[Z_3, X_1 - \phi X_2] = 0 \\ \alpha(k) &= 0 \text{ for } k > 1 \end{aligned}$$

Example (3.4.2). MA(1) process: $X_t = Z_t + \theta Z_{t-1}$ where $\{Z_t\} \sim WN(0, \sigma^2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha(1) &= \rho(1) = \frac{\theta}{1 + \theta^2} \\ \alpha(2) &= \text{Cor}[X_3 - \mathcal{P}_{\bar{s}\bar{p}\{X_2\}}(X_3), X_1 - \mathcal{P}_{\bar{s}\bar{p}\{X_2\}}(X_1)] \\ &= \text{Cor}[X_3 - \rho(1)X_2, X_1 - \rho(1)X_2] \\ &= \frac{-\theta^2}{1 + \theta^2 + \theta^4} \end{aligned}$$

Definition (Partial Least Squares). Model 1: $y_i = \beta_0 + \sum_{j=1}^p \beta_j x_{ij} + \epsilon_i$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$

Model 2: $y_i = \beta_0 + \sum_{j=1}^k \beta_j z_{ij} + \epsilon_i$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$

PLS procedure: Set LSE $\hat{\beta}_{(p-1)}$ based on Model 2

- regress \underline{x}_p on $\underline{x}_1, \dots, \underline{x}_{p-1}$ set the LSE to $\hat{\gamma}$ ie $\underline{x}_p = \sum_{j=1}^{p-1} \gamma_j \underline{x}_j + \underline{z}_p$
- Regress \underline{y} on \underline{z}_p , minimize $\|\underline{y} - c\underline{z}_{p-1}\|$ $\hat{c} = \frac{\langle \underline{y}, \underline{z}_p \rangle}{\langle \underline{z}_p, \underline{z}_p \rangle}$
- get the LSE $\hat{\beta}_p$ BA sed on Model 1

- See that $\hat{c} = \hat{\beta}_p$

Remark. Prediction problem 1:

Predict X_k using X_2, \dots, X_{k-1}

Prediction problem 2:

Predict X_k using X_{k-1}, \dots, X_2, X_1

Question how much does X_1 help in predicting X_k given X_2, \dots, X_{k-1}

$$\text{use } \frac{\langle X_1 - \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_2, \dots, X_{k-1}\}}(X_1), X_{k+1} - \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_2, \dots, X_{k-1}\}}(X_{k+1}) \rangle}{\|X_1 - \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_2, \dots, X_{k-1}\}}(X_1)\|^2} w_1 = X_1 - \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_2, \dots, X_{k-1}\}}(X_1)$$

$$w_1 = X_1 - \phi_{k-1,1}X_2 - \dots - \phi_{k-1,k-1}X_k$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_k \dots X_1\}}(X_{k+1}) &= \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_k \dots X_2\}}(X_k) + \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{w_1\}}(X_{k+1}) \text{ where } w_1 = X_1 - \mathcal{P}_{\overline{sp}\{X_2, \dots, X_{k-1}\}}(X_1) \\ &= \phi_{k-1,1}X_k + \dots + \phi_{k-1,k-1}X_2 + \hat{c}(X_1 - \phi_{k-1,1}X_2 - \dots - \phi_{k-1,k-1}X_k) \\ &= \hat{c}X_1 + \dots \\ &= \phi_{k,k}X_1 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Thus $\alpha(k) = \phi_{kk}$

Example. AR(p) process: $\phi(B)X_t = Z_t$

$$\alpha(1) = \rho(1) = \phi_1$$

$$\alpha(p) = \phi_p$$

$$\alpha(k) = 0 \text{ for } k > p$$

Table 1: Theoretical behaviour of the ACF and PACF for common linear time series models

Model	ACF behaviour	PACF behaviour	Identification rule (sample)
AR(p)	Tails off (exponential or damped sinusoid depending on roots).	Cuts off after lag p (i.e. $\alpha(k) \approx 0$ for $k > p$).	If sample ACF decays and sample PACF shows a clear cutoff at lag p , prefer AR(p).
MA(q)	Cuts off after lag q (theoretical autocorrelations $\rho_k = 0$ for $k > q$).	Tails off (no finite cutoff).	If sample ACF has significant spikes up to lag q then ≈ 0 afterwards, prefer MA(q).
ARMA(p, q)	Tails off (mixture-shaped decay from both AR and MA parts).	Tails off (mixture-shaped).	If both sample ACF and PACF tail off (no short cutoff), try ARMA(p, q) and select (p, q) by AIC/BIC.

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Remark (Estimating The PACF). Assume $\{X_t\}$ is a mean-zero stationary process .

Predict X_{k+1} based on X_k, \dots, X_1

Then the cooefficient of X_1 is $\alpha(k)$

Method 1 $\underline{\phi}_k = \Gamma_k^{-1} \underline{\gamma}_{k+1}$ where $\underline{\gamma}_k = [\gamma(1), \dots, \gamma(k)]'$ and $\Gamma_k = [\gamma(i-j)]_{i,j=1}^k$

Plug in the sample autocovariance function $\hat{\gamma}(h)$ to get an estimated $p\hat{\phi}_k$ and take $\hat{\alpha}(k) = \hat{\phi}_{kk}$

Method 2 $\min_{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_k} \sum_{t=k+1}^n (X_t - \mathcal{P}_{\bar{s}\bar{p}\{X_{k+1}, \dots, X_1\}}(X_t))^2$

$$= \sum_{t=k+1}^n (X_t - \phi_{k1}X_{t-1} - \dots - \phi_{kk}X_{t-k})^2$$

Then take $\hat{\alpha}(k) = \hat{\phi}_k$

Remark (ACF and PACF Estimation for ARMA(p, q)). Assume $\{X_t\}$ is a mean-zero stationary process and a causal and invertable ARMA(p, q) process.

How to calculate the ACF?

- AR(1): $X_t = \phi X_{t-1} + Z_t$
 $\gamma(0) = \phi^2 \gamma(0) + \sigma^2 \implies \gamma(0) = \frac{\sigma^2}{1-\phi^2}$ note that it needs to be causal so $|\phi| < 1$.
 $\gamma(h) = \phi \gamma(h-1)$ for $h \geq 1$
 $\implies \gamma(h) = \phi^{|h|} \gamma(0)$
- AR(2): $X_t = \phi_1 X_{t-1} + \phi_2 X_{t-2} + Z_t$
covariance with X_{t-1} is $\gamma(1) = \phi_1 \gamma(0) + \phi_2 \gamma(1) \implies \rho(1) = \phi_1 + \phi_2 \rho(1) \implies \rho(1) = \frac{\phi_1}{1-\phi_2}$
 $\gamma(h) = \phi_1 \gamma(h-1) + \phi_2 \gamma(h-2)$ for $h \geq 2 \implies \rho(h) = \phi_1 \rho(h-1) + \phi_2 \rho(h-2)$ for $h \geq 2$
- General ARMA(p, q):
Method 1: Write $X_t = \frac{\theta(B)Z_t}{\phi(B)} = \psi(B)Z_t = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j Z_{t-j}$
 $\gamma(0) = \psi_0^2 \sigma^2 + \psi_1^2 \sigma^2 + \dots = \sigma^2 \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j^2$
 $\gamma(h) = \sigma^2 \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \psi_j \psi_{j+h}$ for $h \geq 1$

$$\psi(z) = \frac{\theta(z)}{\phi(z)} \implies \phi(z)\psi(z) = \theta(z)$$

$$(1 - \phi_1 z - \dots - \phi_p z^p)(\psi_0 + \psi_1 z + \psi_2 z^2 + \dots) = 1 + \theta_1 z + \dots + \theta_q z^q$$

Match the coefficients of z^j for $j = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ to get ψ_0, ψ_1, \dots

- $\psi_0 = 1$
- $\psi_1 - \phi_1 \psi_0 = \theta_1 \implies \psi_1 = \phi_1 + \theta_1$
- $\psi_2 - \phi_1 \psi_1 - \phi_2 \psi_0 = \theta_2 \implies \psi_2 = \phi_1 \psi_1 + \phi_2 + \theta_2$

Method 2: Example ARMA(2,2) $X_t = \phi_1 X_{t-1} + \phi_2 X_{t-2} + Z_t + \theta_1 Z_{t-1} + \theta_2 Z_{t-2}$

Covariance with X_t : $\gamma(0) = \phi_1\gamma(1) + \phi_2\gamma(2) + \sigma^2(1 + \theta_1\psi_1 + \theta_2\psi_2)$

Covariance with X_{t-1} : $\gamma(1) = \phi_1\gamma(0) + \phi_2\gamma(1) + \sigma^2(\theta_1 + \theta_2\psi_1)$

Covariance with X_{t-2} : $\gamma(2) = \phi_1\gamma(1) + \phi_2\gamma(0) + \sigma^2\theta_2$

Now we can solve for $\gamma(0), \gamma(1), \gamma(2)$

Covariance with X_{t-h} for $h \geq 3$: $\gamma(h) = \phi_1\gamma(h-1) + \phi_2\gamma(h-2)$

Method 2.1: Solve the Difference Equation

Method 2.2: Get $\gamma(h)$ recursively

In general ARMA(p, q): make a system of $p + 1$ equations.

Remark (Statistical inference). Ask the questions: How do I know the order of the model? How do I estimate the parameters? How do I check if the model is good?

Remark (Spectral Representations of Stochastic Processes). New Chapter

Definition (Complex Random Variable). $X = Re(X) + iIm(X)$ where $Re(X), Im(X)$ are real random variables.

or $X = X_1 + iX_2$ where X_1, X_2 are real random variables on the same probability space.

Properties

$$E[X] = E[X_1] + iE[X_2]$$

Suppose $Y = Y_1 + iY_2$ is another complex random variable.

$$\text{Cov}(X, Y) = E[(X - E[X])(Y - E[Y])]$$

$$\text{Cov}(X, Y) = \overline{\text{Cov}(Y, X)}$$

Assume $E[X] = 0$ then $\text{Var}(X) = E[(X + iX_2)(X - iX_2)] = E[X_1^2 + X_2^2] \geq 0$

To get Properties of X_1, X_2 from X use Variance and Second moment

$$L_c^2(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P) = \{X : X = X_1 + iX_2, X_1, X_2 \in L^2(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P)\}$$

Definition (Stationary Process for Complex Random Variables). $\{X_t\}$ is a complex-valued process.

It is a complex valued stationary process if $E[|X_t|^2] < \infty$ and $E[X_t]$ does depend on t and $E[X_{t+h}\overline{X_t}]$ does not depend on t .

Write $X_t = X_{t1} + iX_{t2}$ where X_{t1}, X_{t2} are real-valued processes.

$$\begin{aligned} E[X_{t+h}\overline{X_t}] &= E[(X_{t+h,1} + iX_{t+h,2})(X_{t1} - iX_{t2})] \\ &= E[X_{t+h,1}X_{t1}] + E[X_{t+h,2}X_{t2}] + i(E[X_{t+h,2}X_{t1}] - E[X_{t+h,1}X_{t2}]) \end{aligned}$$

This means the sum of the auto and cross covariance functions do not depend on t .

If a process is complex-valued stationary process does it imply that the real and imaginary parts are stat-

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Remark. Review of last class:

- $X = X_1 + iX_2$ where X_1, X_2 are real random variables

- $E[X] = E[X_1] + iE[X_2]$
- $\langle X, Y \rangle = E[X\bar{Y}]$
- $\text{Cov}(X, Y) = E[(X - E[X])(\bar{Y} - E[\bar{Y}])] = \langle X, Y \rangle - \langle E[X], E[Y] \rangle$
- Complex L^2 space
- Complex-valued stationary process:
 - $E[|X_t|^2] < \infty$
 - $E[X_t]$ does not depend on t
 - $E[X_{t+h}\bar{X}_t]$ does not depend on t
- the autocovariance of a complex-valued stationary process is $\gamma(h) = E[X_{t+h}\bar{X}_t] = \langle X_{t+h}, X_t \rangle - \langle E[X_{t+h}], E[X_t] \rangle$.
- $\gamma(h) = \overline{\gamma(-h)}$ it is hermitian

Theorem 10 (4.1.1). *A function $k(\cdot)$ defined on the integers is an autocovariance function of a complex valued stationary process if and only if it is non-negative definite.*

$$IE \sum_{j,k=1}^n a_j k(j-k) \bar{a_k} \geq 0 \text{ for all } n \geq 1 \text{ and } a_1, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{C}$$

This also implies that the acf is also hermitian

Proof. \implies : Left As excrise

\Leftarrow : NND when $n = 1$ $a_1 = 1$ implies $k(0) \geq 0$

NND when $n = 2$ take $a_1 = 1$, $k(0) + k(0) \cdot |a_2|^2 + k(-1)\bar{a_2} + k(1)a_2 \geq 0$

it is always real $\implies k(1) = -k(-1)$

for an arbitrary n take $a_j = 0$ for $j \neq 1, n$

$a_1 = 1, k(1-n) = -k(n-1)$

Suppose $k(\cdot)$ is the acf of $X_t = Y_t + iZ_t$ where Y_t, Z_t are real-valued stationary processes with mean 0

Let $\underline{X} = (X_1, \dots, X_n)'$ and $\underline{Y} = (Y_1, \dots, Y_n)'$

$$\text{Cov}(\underline{X}) = E[\underline{X}\underline{X}^*] = E[(\underline{Y} + i\underline{Z})(\underline{Y}' - i\underline{Z}')]$$

$$= \Sigma_{yy} + \Sigma_{zz} + i(\Sigma_{zy} - \Sigma_{yz})$$

$$\text{Cov}(\underline{X}) = \begin{bmatrix} k(0) & k(-1) & k(-2) & \dots & k(1-n) \\ k(1) & k(0) & k(-1) & \dots & k(2-n) \\ k(2) & k(1) & k(0) & \dots & k(3-n) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ k(n-1) & k(n-2) & k(n-3) & \dots & k(0) \end{bmatrix} = K_1 + iK_2 \text{ where } K_1 \text{ and } K_2 \text{ are}$$

real matrices.

write $\underline{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_n)' = \underline{b} + i\underline{c}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j,k=1}^n a_j k(j-k) \overline{a_k} &= \underline{\mathbf{a}}' \underline{\mathbf{K}} \bar{\underline{\mathbf{a}}} \\ &= (\underline{\mathbf{b}} + i\underline{\mathbf{c}})'(K_1 + iK_2)(\underline{\mathbf{b}} - i\underline{\mathbf{c}}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Consider the transpose : } &= (\underline{\mathbf{b}}' - i\underline{\mathbf{c}}')(K_1 - iK_2)'(\underline{\mathbf{b}} + i\underline{\mathbf{c}}) \\ &= (\underline{\mathbf{b}}' - i\underline{\mathbf{c}}')(K_1 + iK_2)(\underline{\mathbf{b}} + i\underline{\mathbf{c}}) \text{ since hermitian} \\ &= b' K_1 b + c' K_1 c + 2c' K_2 b \\ &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Take $\Sigma_{yy} = \Sigma_{zz} = \frac{1}{2}K_1$ and $\Sigma_{zy} = \frac{1}{2}K_2$, $\Sigma_{yz} = \frac{1}{2}K'_2 = -\frac{1}{2}K_2$
 $K'_1 - iK'_2 = K_1 + iK_2$ thus $K'_2 = -K_2$

Construct $\begin{bmatrix} \underline{\mathbf{Y}} \\ \underline{\mathbf{Z}} \end{bmatrix} \sim N(0, \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} K_1 & K'_2 \\ K_2 & K_1 \end{bmatrix})$

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Example. $X_t = \sum_{j=1}^n A_j e^{it\lambda_j}$

- $-\pi < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots < \lambda_n = \pi$
- A_j are complex-valued random variables
- $E[A_j] = 0$, $E[A_j \overline{A_k}] = 0$ for $j \neq k$, $E[|A_j|^2] = \sigma_j^2 < \infty$

Write $A_j = C_j + iD_j$ then

$$\begin{aligned} (C_j + iD_j)e^{it\lambda_j} &= (C_j + iD_j)(\cos(t\lambda_j) + i \sin(t\lambda_j)) \\ &= (C_j \cos(t\lambda_j) - D_j \sin(t\lambda_j)) + i(C_j \sin(t\lambda_j) + D_j \cos(t\lambda_j)) \end{aligned}$$

We can see that this is a complex-valued stationary process, but if I want the X to be real then we require the condition that $C_j \sin(t\lambda_j) + D_j \cos(t\lambda_j) = 0$

Want X_t to be real valued $\begin{cases} \lambda_j = -\lambda_{n-j} \text{ for } j = 1, \dots, n-1 \\ A(\lambda_j) = \overline{A(\lambda_{n-j})} \text{ for } j = 1, \dots, n-1 \\ A_n \text{ is real} \end{cases}$

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