

LFM-WHITE x RBF-WHITE KERNEL

The cross-covariance between the output of the LFM-WHITE kernel and the RBF-WHITE kernel, for the r -th latent process, is given by

$$K_{Y_P \tilde{Y}_Q}^{(r)}(t, t') = \frac{S_{Pr} \sigma_r^2}{\omega_p \omega_q} \exp(-\alpha_p t) \int_0^t \exp(\alpha_p \tau) \sin(\omega_p(t-\tau)) h_q(t'-\tau) d\tau, \quad (4)$$

where $h_q(t'-\tau)$ is the functional form of the smoothing kernel used to obtain information from the white latent process, which, in this case, is an RBF,

$$h_q(t'-\tau) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi l_q^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{(t'-\tau)^2}{2l_q^2}\right). \quad (2)$$

Hence, the kernel becomes

$$K_{Y_P \tilde{Y}_Q}^{(r)}(t, t') = \frac{S_{Pr} \sigma_r^2}{j2\omega_p \omega_q \sqrt{2\pi l_q^2}} \exp(-\alpha_p t) \times \left\{ \exp(j\omega_p t) I(\tilde{\gamma}_p) - \exp(-j\omega_p t) I(\gamma_p) \right\}, \quad (3)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} I(r) &= \int_0^t \exp(r\tau) \exp\left(-\frac{(t'-\tau)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) d\tau \\ &= \int_0^t \exp\left(-\frac{\tau^2 - 2t'\tau + (t')^2 - 2l_q^2 r\tau}{2l_q^2}\right) d\tau \\ &= \int_0^t \exp\left(-\frac{(\tau - [t' + l_q^2 r])^2}{2l_q^2}\right) d\tau \times \exp\left(-\frac{(t')^2 - (t' + l_q^2 r)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) \\ &= \exp\left(-\frac{(t')^2 - (t' + l_q^2 r)^2 - 2l_q^2 r t' - l_q^2 r^2}{2l_q^2}\right) \times \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2} \times \sqrt{2l_q^2} \\ &\quad \times \int_{-(t' + l_q^2 r)/\sqrt{2l_q^2}}^{(t - t' - l_q^2 r)/\sqrt{2l_q^2}} \exp(-x^2) dx \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi} \end{aligned}$$

Recognizing in the last integral the familiar expression of the error function, the integral, I , becomes

$$I(r) = \frac{\sqrt{2\pi}l_q^2}{2} \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 r^2 + 2rt'}{2}\right) \times \left\{ \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t-t'-l_q^2 r}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) + \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t'+l_q^2 r}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) \right\} \quad (4)$$

And inserting this equation in the expression of the kernel,

$$K_{r_p \tilde{r}_q}^{(r)}(t, t') = \frac{Spr \tilde{\sigma} r^2}{j4\pi\omega p} \left\{ \exp(-\tilde{r}_p t) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p^2 + 2\tilde{r}_p t'}{2}\right) \times \left[\operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t-t'-\tilde{r}_p l_q^2}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) + \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t'+l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) \right] \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & - \exp(-r_p t) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 r_p^2 + 2r_p t'}{2}\right) \\ & \times \left[\operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t-t'-l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) + \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t'+l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) \right] \left\{ \right. \\ & = \frac{Spr \tilde{\sigma} r^2}{j4\pi\omega p} \left\{ \exp(-\tilde{r}_p (t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p^2}{2}\right) \right. \\ & \times \left[\operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t-t'-l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) + \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t'+l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) \right] \\ & - \exp(-r_p (t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 r_p^2}{2}\right) \\ & \times \left[\operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t-t'-l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) + \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t'+l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2}l_q^2}\right) \right] \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

$$= \frac{Spr \tilde{\sigma} r^2}{j4\pi\omega p} h_{pq}(t, t')$$

as we further define

$$E_q(t, t', r_p) = \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t-t'-l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2l_q^2}}\right) + \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{t'+l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2l_q^2}}\right), \quad (6)$$

so that

$$h_{pq}(t, t') = \exp(-\tilde{r}_p(t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p^2}{2}\right) \bar{E}_q(t, t', \tilde{r}_p) - \exp(-r_p(t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 r_p^2}{2}\right) \bar{E}_q(t, t', r_p) \quad (7)$$

Now, we have to obtain the gradients of $K_{rp\tilde{r}_q}^{(r)}(t, t')$ w.r.t its hyperparameters: $S_{pr}, \sigma_r^2, \theta_p \in \{\omega_p, c_p, \delta_p\}$ and l_q^2 .

$$\nabla_{S_{pr}} K_{rp\tilde{r}_q}^{(r)}(t, t') = \frac{1}{\sigma_r^2} K_{rp\tilde{r}_q}^{(r)}(t, t') \quad (8)$$

$$\nabla_{\sigma_r^2} K_{rp\tilde{r}_q}^{(r)}(t, t') = \frac{1}{S_{pr}} K_{rp\tilde{r}_q}^{(r)}(t, t') \quad (9)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{\theta_p} K_{rp\tilde{r}_q}^{(r)}(t, t') = & - \left(\frac{\nabla_{\theta_p} \omega_p}{\omega_p} + \frac{\nabla_{\theta_p} \omega_p}{\omega_p} \right) K_{rp\tilde{r}_q}^{(r)}(t, t') \\ & + \frac{S_{pr} \sigma_r^2}{j 4 \omega_p \omega_p} \left\{ - (t-t') \nabla_{\theta_p} \tilde{r}_p \exp(-\tilde{r}_p(t-t')) \right. \\ & \times \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p^2}{2}\right) \bar{E}_q(t, t', \tilde{r}_p) + \exp(-\tilde{r}_p(t-t')) \\ & \times \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p^2}{2}\right) \nabla_{\theta_p} \bar{E}_q(t, t', \tilde{r}_p) + (t-t') \nabla_{\theta_p} r_p \\ & \times \exp(-r_p(t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 r_p^2}{2}\right) \bar{E}_q(t, t', r_p) \\ & \left. - \exp(-r_p(t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 r_p^2}{2}\right) \nabla_{\theta_p} \bar{E}_q(t, t', r_p) \right\} \quad (10) \end{aligned}$$

where the gradients w.r.t. the parameters of the system are the same as for the LFM-RBF kernel:

$$\nabla_{\theta_p} \omega_p = \begin{cases} 1, & \theta_p = \omega_p; \\ 0, & \theta_p \neq \omega_p. \end{cases}$$

$$\nabla_{\theta p} \omega_p = \begin{cases} [C_p^2 - 2\omega_p D_p] / [2\omega_p^2 \sqrt{4\omega_p D_p - C_p^2}], & \theta_p = \omega_p; \\ -C_p / [2\omega_p \sqrt{4\omega_p D_p - C_p^2}], & \theta_p = C_p; \\ 1 / \sqrt{4\omega_p D_p - C_p^2}, & \theta_p = D_p. \end{cases}$$

$$\nabla_{\theta p} r_p = \nabla_{\theta p} \alpha_p + j \nabla_{\theta p} \omega_p$$

$$\nabla_{\theta p} \tilde{r}_p = \nabla_{\theta p} \alpha_p - j \nabla_{\theta p} \omega_p$$

$$\nabla_{\theta p} \alpha_p = \begin{cases} -C_p / (2\omega_p^2), & \theta_p = \omega_p; \\ 1 / (2\omega_p), & \theta_p = C_p; \\ 0, & \theta_p = D_p. \end{cases}$$

And

$$\nabla_{\theta p} E_q(t, t', r_p) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{(t-t'-l_q^2 r_p)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) (-l_q^2 \nabla_{\theta p} r_p) \\ + \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{(t'+l_q^2 r_p)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) (l_q^2 \nabla_{\theta p} r_p)$$

$$= \frac{2l_q^2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left\{ \exp\left(-\frac{(t-t'-l_q^2 r_p)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) + \exp\left(-\frac{(t'+l_q^2 r_p)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) \right\} \nabla_{\theta p} r_p$$

(11)

Finally,

$$\nabla_{l_q^2} K_{rp\tilde{r}_p}^{(r)}(t, t') = \frac{S_{pr} \sigma_r^2}{j4\omega_p \omega_p} \left\{ \frac{\tilde{r}_p^2}{2} \exp(-\tilde{r}_p(t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p^2}{2}\right) E_q(t, t', \tilde{r}_p) \right. \\ + \exp(-\tilde{r}_p(t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 \tilde{r}_p^2}{2}\right) \nabla_{l_q^2} E_q(t, t', \tilde{r}_p) \\ - \frac{r_p^2}{2} \exp(-r_p(t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 r_p^2}{2}\right) E_q(t, t', r_p) \\ \left. - \exp(-r_p(t-t')) \exp\left(\frac{l_q^2 r_p^2}{2}\right) \nabla_{l_q^2} E_q(t, t', r_p) \right\}$$

(12)

with

$$\nabla_{l_q^2} E_q(t, t', r_p) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{(t-t'-l_q^2 r_p)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) \cdot \nabla_{l_q^2} \frac{t-t'-l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2l_q^2}} \\ + \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{(t'+l_q^2 r_p)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) \cdot \nabla_{l_q^2} \frac{t'+l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2l_q^2}},$$

where

$$\nabla_{l_q^2} \frac{t-t'-l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2l_q^2}} = \frac{-r_p (2l_q^2)^{1/2} - (t-t'-l_q^2 r_p) \frac{1}{2} (2l_q^2)^{-1/2}}{2l_q^2} \\ = \frac{-2l_q^2 r_p - t + t' + l_q^2 r_p}{(2l_q^2)^{3/2}} \\ = -\frac{t-t'+l_q^2 r_p}{(2l_q^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$\nabla_{l_q^2} \frac{t'+l_q^2 r_p}{\sqrt{2l_q^2}} = \frac{r_p (2l_q^2)^{1/2} - (t'+l_q^2 r_p) \frac{1}{2} (2l_q^2)^{-1/2}}{2l_q^2} \\ = \frac{2l_q^2 r_p - t' - l_q^2 r_p}{(2l_q^2)^{3/2}} \\ = -\frac{t' - l_q^2 r_p}{(2l_q^2)^{3/2}}$$

So finally

$$\nabla_{l_q^2} E_q(t, t', r_p) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi l_q^6}} \left\{ (t-t'+l_q^2 r_p) \exp\left(-\frac{(t-t'-l_q^2 r_p)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) \right. \\ \left. + (t'-l_q^2 r_p) \exp\left(-\frac{(t'+l_q^2 r_p)^2}{2l_q^2}\right) \right\}$$