

User's Manual for the code in Matlab

The code in **Matlab** and the User's Manual can be found at GitHub with the user's name **YalinR**.

1 Generating Random Variables from 8 UARS Distributions

In the code, α, β and γ specifying the location parameter \mathbf{S} are indicated by **a, b, g** respectively. \mathbf{S} is indicated by **S**. The concentration parameter κ is indicated by **k**.

The ranges for α, β, γ and κ are as follows: $\alpha \in [0, 2\pi], \beta \in [0, \pi], \gamma \in [0, 2\pi], \kappa \in (0, \infty)$.

(1) Function used: **randraw.m vmUARS.m**

(**randraw.m** is downloaded online: <https://www.mathworks.com/matlabcentral/fileexchange/7309-randraw/content/randraw.m> by Alex Bar-Guy Copyright (c) 2005, Alex Bar-Guy All rights reserved.)

[0, S]=vmUARS(k, a, b, g, n) generates n random variables from the Von Mises UARS distribution with location parameter \mathbf{S} (**a, b, g**) and concentration parameter **k**. \mathbf{S} is the calculated parameter from **a, b, g**. **0** are the generated n number of 3 by 3 matrix. The dimension of **0** is $3n$ by 3.

(2) Function used: **randraw.m,**

densityMF.m, MFUARS.m, MFUARSv.m, MFUARSfinal.m

(**randraw.m** is downloaded online, see above)

[0, S]=MFUARSfinal(k, a, b, g, n) generates n random variables from the Matrix Fisher UARS distribution with location parameter \mathbf{S} (**a, b, g**) and concentration parameter **k**. \mathbf{S} is the calculated parameter from **a, b, g**. **0** are the generated n number of 3 by 3 matrix. The dimension of **0** is $3n$ by 3.

(3) Function used: **wnUARS.m**

[0, S]=wnUARS(k, a, b, g, n) generates n random variables from the wrapped normal UARS distribution with location parameter \mathbf{S} (**a, b, g**) and concentration parameter **k**. \mathbf{S} is the calculated parameter from **a, b, g**. **0** are the generated n number of 3 by 3 matrix. The dimension of **0** is $3n$ by 3.

(4) Function used: **rwmb.m WTNUARS.m**

[0, S]=WTNUARS(k, a, b, g, n) generates n random variables from the wrapped

trivariate normal UARS distribution with location parameter S (a , b , g) and concentration parameter k . S is the calculated parameter from a , b , g . O are the generated n number of 3 by 3 matrix. The dimension of O is $3n$ by 3.

(5) Function used: `densitywmb.m` `rwmb.m` `BungeUARS.m`

`[O,S]=BungeUARS(k,a,b,g,n)` generates n random variables from the Bunge UARS distribution with location parameter S (a , b , g) and concentration parameter k . S is the calculated parameter from a , b , g . O are the generated n number of 3 by 3 matrix. The dimension of O is $3n$ by 3.

(6) Function used: `densitylorentz.m` `LorentzianUARS.m`

`[O,S]=LorentzianUARS(k,a,b,g,n)` generates n random variables from the Lorentzian UARS distribution with location parameter S (a , b , g) and concentration parameter k . S is the calculated parameter from a , b , g . O are the generated n number of 3 by 3 matrix. The dimension of O is $3n$ by 3.

(7) Function used: `densitycayley.m` `densitywmb.m` `rwmb.m` `CayleyUARS.m`

`[O,S]=CayleyUARS(k,a,b,g,n)` generates n random variables from the Cayley UARS distribution with location parameter S (a , b , g) and concentration parameter k . S is the calculated parameter from a , b , g . O are the generated n number of 3 by 3 matrix. The dimension of O is $3n$ by 3.

(8) Function used: `densityig.m` `densitywmb.m` `rwmb.m` `igUARS.m`

`[O,S]=igUARS(k,a,b,g,n)` generates n random variables from the isotropic Gaussian UARS distribution with location parameter S (a , b , g) and concentration parameter k . S is the calculated parameter from a , b , g . O are the generated n number of 3 by 3 matrix. The dimension of O is $3n$ by 3.

2 Bayesian Inference for Parameters in Matrix Fisher UARS Distribution

(1) Bayesian estimate and credible set for the location parameter S and the concentration parameter k

Function used: `SUM0.m` `posteriorordensityMFUARS.m` `mcmcburnin.m`

`[Shat,S95,Khat,K025,K975,rate1,rate2]`

`=mcmcburnin(k,a,b,g,delta,sigma,n,OS,m,burnin)` returns a Bayesian estimate $Shat$, a 95% credible set for S , a Bayesian estimate of k , a 95% credible set for k after one simulates m number of S s and k s from the posterior distribution and discards the first $burnin$ number of S s and k s. $rate1$

and `rate2` are the acceptance rates for \mathbf{S} and \mathbf{k} , respectively. In the function, `k` is the starting value for κ . `a`, `b`, `g` can decide the starting value for \mathbf{S} . `delta` is the parameter for r in Metropolis-Hastings within Gibbs algorithm. `sigma` is the parameter for the proposal of κ . `OS` is the data set used for the Bayesian inference. `n` is the number of 3 by 3 matrices included in the data set `OS`. The dimension of `OS` is $3n$ by 3. The credible set for \mathbf{S} is viewed in terms of the set of 3 cones of constant angle `S95` centered at `Shat`. (I used the method of Humbert et al.(1996) to get `Shat`).

(2) Trace plots
 need to be fixed
 Function used: `mcmc.m` `getvector.m` `plots.m`
`[h,kj,Shatm1,Shatm2,Shatm3,Shatm4,Shatm5,Shatm6,Shatm7,Shatm8,Shatm9]`
`=getvector(k,a,b,g,delta,sigma,n,OS,m)` generates the results needed for the trace plots. The explanation for `k`, `a`, `b`, `g`, `delta`, `sigma`, `n`, `OS` is the same as that in (1). `m` is the number of Bayesian estimates one can obtain.