

Michael Interferometer

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Abstract. ABSTRACT

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INTRODUCTION

$$F = \frac{V_{\max} - V_{\min}}{V_{\max} + V_{\min}} \quad (1)$$

RESULTS & ANALYSIS

DISCUSSION

CONCLUSION

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Appendix

Raw Data

Analysis Code

Toolkit

```
1 # -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
2 """
3 Created on Tue Jan 23 12:34:34 2024
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4 Updated on Mon Oct 14 21:22:09 2024
5 Updated on Mon Feb 10 09:51:03 2025
6
7 Lab Toolkit
8
9 @author: Aditya K. Rao
10 @github: @adirao-projects
11 """
12 import numpy as np
13 from scipy.optimize import curve_fit
14 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
15 import matplotlib.gridspec as gridspec
16 import os
17 import math
18 import textwrap
19
20 #from uncertainties import ufloat
21
22 font = {'family' : 'DejaVu Sans',
23         'size'   : 30}
24
25 plt.rc('font', **font)
26
27 def curve_fit_data(xdata, ydata, fit_type, override=False,
28                   override_params=(None,), uncertainty=None,
29                   res=False, chi=False, uncertainty_x=None,
30                   model_function_custom=None, guess=None):
31
32     def chi_sq_red(measured_data:list[float], expected_data:list[float],
33                   uncertainty:list[float], v: int):
34         if type(uncertainty)==float:
35             uncertainty = [uncertainty]*len(measured_data)
36             chi_sq = 0
37
38             # Converting summation in equation into a for loop
39             for i in range(0, len(measured_data)):
40                 chi_sq += (pow((measured_data[i] \
41                               - expected_data[i]),2)/(uncertainty[i]**2))
42
43             chi_sq = (1/v)*chi_sq
44
45             return chi_sq
46
47
48     def residual_calculation(y_data: list, exp_y_data) -> list[float]:
49         residuals = []
50         for v, u in zip(y_data, exp_y_data):
51             residuals.append(u-v)
52
53         return residuals
54
55     def model_function_linear_int(x, m, c):
56         return m*x+c
57
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58     def model_function_exp(x, a, b, c):
59         return a*np.exp**(b*x)
60
61     def model_function_log(x, a, b):
62         return b*np.log(x+a)
63
64     def model_function_linear_int_mod(x, m, c):
65         return m*(x+c)
66
67     def model_function_linear(x, m):
68         return m*x
69
70     def model_function_xlnx(x, a, b, c):
71         return b*x*(np.log(x)) + c
72
73     def model_function_ln(x, a, b, c):
74         return b*(np.log(x)) + c
75
76     def model_function_sqrt(x, a):
77         return a*np.sqrt(x)
78
79     model_functions = {
80         'linear' : model_function_linear,
81         'linear-int' : model_function_linear_int,
82         'xlnx' : model_function_xlnx,
83         'log' : model_function_log,
84         'exp' : model_function_exp,
85         'custom' : model_function_custom
86     }
87
88     try:
89         model_func = model_functions[fit_type]
90
91     except:
92         raise ValueError(f'Unsupported fit-type: {fit_type}')
93
94
95     if not override:
96         new_xdata = np.linspace(min(xdata), max(xdata), num=100)
97
98
99         if type(uncertainty) == int:
100             abs_sig = True
101         else:
102             abs_sig = False
103
104         if guess is not None:
105             popt, pcov = curve_fit(model_func, xdata, ydata, sigma=uncertainty,
106                                   maxfev=20000, absolute_sigma=abs_sig, p0=guess)
107         else:
108             popt, pcov = curve_fit(model_func, xdata, ydata, sigma=uncertainty,
109                                   maxfev=20000, absolute_sigma=abs_sig)
110         param_num = len(popt)
111
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112     exp_ydata = model_func(xdata,*popt)
113
114     deg_free = len(xdata) - param_num
115
116     new_ydata = model_func(new_xdata, *popt)
117
118     residuals = None
119     chi_sq = None
120
121     if res:
122         residuals = residual_calculation(exp_ydata, ydata)
123
124     if chi:
125         chi_sq = chi_sq_red(ydata, exp_ydata, uncertainty, deg_free)
126
127     data_output = {
128         'popt' : pop,
129         'pcov' : pcov,
130         'plotx': new_xdata,
131         'ploty': new_ydata,
132         'chisq' : chi_sq,
133         'residuals' : residuals,
134         'pstd' : np.sqrt(np.diag(pcov))
135     }
136
137     return data_output
138
139 else:
140     return model_func(xdata, *override_params)
141
142
143 def quick_plot_residuals(xdata, ydata, plot_x, plot_y,
144                         residuals, meta=None, uncertainty=[], save=False,
145                         uncertainty_x=[]):
146     """
147     Relies on the python uncertainties package to function as normal, however,
148     this can be overridden by providing a list for the uncertainties.
149     """
150     fig = plt.figure(figsize=(14,14))
151     gs = gridspec.GridSpec(ncols=11, nrows=11, figure=fig)
152     main_fig = fig.add_subplot(gs[:6,:])
153     res_fig = fig.add_subplot(gs[8:,:])
154
155     main_fig.grid('on')
156     res_fig.grid('on')
157     if type(uncertainty) is int:
158         uncertainty = [uncertainty]*len(xdata)
159
160     elif len(uncertainty) == 0:
161         for y in ydata:
162             uncertainty.append(y.std_dev)
163
164     if meta is None:
165         meta = {'title' : 'INSERT-TITLE',

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166         'xlabel' : 'INSERT-XLABEL',
167         'ylabel' : 'INSERT-YLABEL',
168         'chisq' : 0,
169         'fit-label': "Best Fit",
170         'data-label': "Data",
171         'save-name' : 'IMAGE',
172         'loc' : 'lower right'}
173
174     main_fig.set_title(meta['title'], fontsize = 46)
175     if len(uncertainty_x)==0:
176         main_fig.errorbar(xdata, ydata, yerr=uncertainty, #xerr=uncertainty_x,
177                           markersize='4', fmt='o', color='red',
178                           label=meta['data-label'], ecolor='black')
179     else:
180         main_fig.errorbar(xdata, ydata, yerr=uncertainty, xerr=uncertainty_x,
181                           markersize='4', fmt='o', color='red',
182                           label=meta['data-label'], ecolor='black')
183
184     main_fig.plot(plot_x, plot_y, linestyle='dashed',
185                  label=meta['fit-label'])
186
187     main_fig.set_xlabel(meta['xlabel'])
188     main_fig.set_ylabel(meta['ylabel'])
189     main_fig.legend(loc=meta['loc'])
190
191
192     res_fig.errorbar(xdata, residuals, markersize='3', color='red', fmt='o',
193                     yerr=uncertainty, ecolor='black', alpha=0.7)
194     res_fig.axhline(y=0, linestyle='dashed', color='blue')
195     res_fig.set_title('Residuals')
196     save_name = meta["save-name"]
197     plt.savefig(f'figures/{save_name}.png')
198
199 def quick_plot_test(xdata, ydata, plot_x = [], plot_y = [],
200                    uncertainty=[]):
201     plt.figure(figsize=((14,10)))
202
203     plt.title("Test Plot for data")
204     plt.xlabel("X Data")
205     plt.ylabel("Y Data")
206
207     if len(uncertainty) != 0:
208         plt.errorbar(xdata, ydata, yerr=uncertainty, fmt='o')
209     else:
210         plt.scatter(xdata, ydata)
211
212     plt.grid("on")
213     plt.show()
214     plt.savefig('Test.png')
215     plt.close()
216
217 def block_print(data: list[str], title: str, delimiter='=') -> None:
218     """
219     Prints a formatted block of text with a title and delimiter

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220
221     Parameters
222     -----
223     data : list[str]
224           Text to be printed (should be input as one block of text).
225     title : str
226           Title of the data being output.
227     delimiter : str, optional
228           Delimiter to be used. The default is '='.
229
230     Returns
231     -----
232     None.
233
234     Examples
235     -----
236     >>> r_log = 100114.24998718781
237     >>> r_dec = 0.007422298127465114
238     >>> data = [f'r^2 value (log): {r_log}',
239                f'r^2 value (real): {r_dec}']
240     >>> block_print(data, 'Regression Coefficient', '=')
241     ===== Regression Coefficient =====
242     r^2 value (log): 100114.24998718781
243     r^2 value (real): 0.007422298127465114
244     =====
245     """
246     term_size = os.get_terminal_size().columns
247
248     breaks = 1
249     str_len = len(title)+2
250     while str_len >= term_size:
251         breaks += 1
252         str_len = math.ceil(str_len/2)
253
254
255     str_chunk_len = math.ceil(len(title)/breaks)
256     str_chunks = textwrap.wrap(title, str_chunk_len)
257     output = ''
258     for chunk in str_chunks:
259         border = delimiter*(math.floor((term_size - str_chunk_len)/2)-1)
260         output = f'{border} {chunk} {border}\n'
261
262     output=output[:-1]
263
264     output+= '\n'+ '\n'.join(data) + '\n'
265     output+=delimiter*term_size
266
267     print(output)
268
269 def numerical_methods(method_type, args=None, custom_method=None):
270     def gaussxw(N):
271
272         # Initial approximation to roots of the Legendre polynomial
273         a = np.linspace(3,4*N-1,N)/(4*N+2)

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274     x = np.cos(np.pi*a+1/(8*N*N*np.tan(a)))
275
276     # Find roots using Newton's method
277     epsilon = 1e-15
278     delta = 1.0
279     while delta>epsilon:
280         p0 = np.ones(N,float)
281         p1 = np.copy(x)
282         for k in range(1,N):
283             p0,p1 = p1,((2*k+1)*x*p1-k*p0)/(k+1)
284             dp = (N+1)*(p0-x*p1)/(1-x*x)
285             dx = p1/dp
286             x -= dx
287             delta = max(abs(dx))
288
289     # Calculate the weights
290     w = 2*(N+1)*(N+1)/(N*N*(1-x*x)*dp*dp)
291
292     return x, w
293
294 def gaussxwab(N,a,b):
295     x,w = gaussxw(N)
296     return 0.5*(b-a)*x+0.5*(b+a),0.5*(b-a)*w
297
298     methods = {
299         'gaussxw' : gaussxw,
300         'gaussxwab' : gaussxwab,
301         'custom' : custom_method
302     }
303
304     try:
305         method = methods[method_type]
306
307     except:
308         raise ValueError(f'Unsupported method-type: {method_type}')
309
310     return method(*args)
311
312
313 def interpolation_methods(method_type, args=None, custom_method=None):
314
315     methods = {
316         'custom' : custom_method
317     }
318
319     try:
320         method = methods[method_type]
321
322     except:
323         raise ValueError(f'Unsupported method-type: {method_type}')
324
325     return method(*args)

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