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RAVEN Statistical Framework

RAVEN Workshop





Objectives

- Learn the "Entities" of a generic statistical analysis
- Learn how these "Entities" are implemented in RAVEN
- Learn the concept of RAVEN "Step"
- Learn how RAVEN Steps and Entities are assembled in the input file
- Learn how to visualize output
- Learn how to perform a generic statistical analysis
- Learn how to perform a correlation analysis
- Basically, you should be able to start playing with RAVEN
- Additional info
 - RAVEN user manual (user guide)
 - Input files shown in this workshop
 - RAVEN regression tests



How to Think About the Task

RAVEN prospective

Prepare the environment: <RunInfo>

Describe the statistical property: < Distributions >

– Decide the exploration strategy: <Samplers>

Set up the data containers: < DataObjects>

– Define the actions: <Models>

Support files: <Files>

– Define the exporting method <OutStreams>

– Combine the "actors" <Steps>



Prepare the environment (test1.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Simulation>
<RunInfo>
<WorkingDir>.</WorkingDir>
<Sequence>GenerateData,Plot</Sequence>
<batchSize>4</batchSize>
</RunInfo>

...
...
</Simulation>
```



Describe the statistical property (test1.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Distributions>
<Normal name="Normal">
<mean>0</mean>
<sigma>0.2</sigma>
<lowerBound>-1</lowerBound>
<upperBound>1</upperBound>
</Normal>
<Uniform name="Uniform">
<lowerBound>0</lowerBound>
<upperBound>1000</upperBound>

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<lowerBound>0</lowerBound>
<upperBound>1000
</Uniform>
</Distributions>
```



Decide the exploration strategy (test1.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				



Set up the data containers (test1.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				



Define the actions (test1.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Models>
  <ExternalModel ModuleToLoad="CrisForwSampl" name="PythonModule" subType="">
    <variables>X1,X2,Y1,Y2</variables>
  </ExternalModel>
  </Models>
```

```
def initialize(self, runInfoDict, inputFiles):
    self.const1 = 3.5
    return

def run(self, Input):
    self.Y1 = self.X1*self.X2 + self.const1
    self.Y2 = 0.7*self.X1 + self.X2*self.const1
```



Define the exporting method (test1.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<OutStreams>
<Print name="fileOut">
   <type>csv</type>
  <source>Out</source>
 </Print>
 <Plot name="myPlot">
   <plot>plotSettings>
    <plot>
     <type>scatter</type>
     <x>Out|Input|X1</x>
     <y>Out|Input|X2</y>
     <z>Out|Output|Y1</z>
     <colorMap>Out|Output|Y2</colorMap>
    </plot>
    <xlabel>X1</xlabel>
    <ylabel>X2</ylabel>
    <zlabel>Y1</zlabel>
  </plotSettings>
   <actions><how>png, screen</how></actions>
 </Plot>
</OutStreams>
```



Combine the "actors" (test1.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				



Running??



Adding a Distribution (test2.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Distributions>
...
<Exponential name="Exp">
    <lambda>8.7E-4</lambda>
    </Exponential>
    <Triangular name="DistTri">
        <apex>1</apex>
        <min>-0.1</min>
        <max>3</max>
        </Distributions>
```



Changing the Used Distributions (test2.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Samplers>
<MonteCarlo name="myMC">
<samplerInit>
limit>1000</limit>
</samplerInit>
<variable name="X1">
<distribution>Exp</distribution>
</variable>
<variable name="X2">
<distribution>DistTri</distribution>
</variable>
</distribution>DistTri</distribution>
</wariable>
</monteCarlo>
</samplers>
```



Running??



Adding a New Sampler (test3.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				



Changing the Used Sampler (test3.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				



Running??



Adding a New Sampler (test4.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Samplers>
<EnsembleForward name="myEnse">
   <MonteCarlo name="theMC">
    <samplerInit>
     limit>100</limit>
    </samplerInit>
    <variable name="X2">
     <distribution>Uniform</distribution>
    </variable>
   </MonteCarlo>
   <Grid name="theGrid">
    <variable name="X1">
     <distribution>Normal</distribution>
     <grid construction="equal" type="CDF" steps="10">0 1</grid>
    </variable>
   </Grid>
  </EnsembleForward>
</Samplers>
```



Changing the Used Sampler (test4.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				



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Basic Statistic Recall

- Expected Value
- Minimum
- Maximum
- Median
- Variance
- Sigma
- Variation Coefficient
- Skewness
- Kurtosis
- Samples
- percentile_5
- percentile_95



Sensitivity Recall

- Sensitivity: derivate
- Covariance: measure the degree of correlation in the variable dispersion
- Pearson, aka correlation (sigma normalized covariance): linearity measure
- Normalized sensitivity: derivative normalized by the mean
- Variance Dependent Sensitivity:



Basic Statistic Analysis and Sensitivity Inputs

Starting from test1.xml

– Change event sequence: <RunInfo>

Adding a post processor action < Models>

– Adding the export file <Files>

Remove the plotting step <Steps>

– Add the post processor step <Steps>



Changing event sequence (test5.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Simulation>
<RunInfo>
<WorkingDir>.</WorkingDir>
<Sequence>GenerateData,PlotPP</Sequence>
<batchSize>4</batchSize>
</RunInfo>

...
...
</Simulation>
```



Adding a post processor action (test5.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				



Adding Export File (test5.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Files>
<Input name="Stat" type="">StaFile.csv</Input>
</Files>
```



Changing the Used Sampler (test4.xml)

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				

```
<Steps>
  <MultiRun name="GenerateData">
   <Sampler class="Samplers" type="EnsembleForward">myEnse/Sampler>
   <Input class="DataObjects" type="PointSet">DummyIN</Input>
   <Model class="Models" type="Dummy" >PythonModule</Model>
   <Output class="DataObjects" type="PointSet">Out/Output>
  </MultiRun>
  <|OStep name="Plot" pauseAtEnd="True">
   <Input_class="DataObjects" type="PointSet">Out</Input>
   <Output class="OutStreams" type="Print" >fileOut</Output>
   <Output class="OutStreams" type="Plot" >mvPlot</Output>
<del>-</IOStep></del>
<!-- >
  <PostProcess name="PP">
   <Input class="DataObjects" type="PointSet">Out</Input>
   <Model class="Models" type="PostProcessor">Stat</Model>
   <Output class="Files" type="">Stat</Output>
  </PostProcess>
 </Steps>
```



Running??



Playing with the Model



Changing the Analysis

RunInfo	Distributions	Samplers	DataObjects	Models	Files
OutStreams	Steps				