

Assignment 2, Part 2 Math derivations

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Given:

$$w_t = \frac{1}{t+1} \tag{1}$$

Definition of sample mean:

$$m_t = \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t x_i \tag{2}$$

$$tm_t = \sum_{i=1}^t x_i \tag{3}$$

Deriving unbiased recursive sample mean:

$$m_{t+1} = \frac{1}{t+1} \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} x_i \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{t+1} \left(x_{t+1} + \sum_{i=1}^t x_i \right) \tag{5}$$

$$= \frac{1}{t+1} (x_{t+1} + tm_t) \tag{6}$$

See eq 3

$$= \frac{1}{t+1} x_{t+1} + \frac{t}{t+1} m_t \tag{7}$$

$$= \frac{1}{t+1} x_{t+1} + \frac{t+1-1}{t+1} m_t \tag{8}$$

$$= \frac{1}{t+1} x_{t+1} + \left(\frac{t+1}{t+1} - \frac{1}{t+1} \right) m_t \tag{9}$$

$$= \frac{1}{t+1} x_{t+1} + \left(1 - \frac{1}{t+1} \right) m_t \tag{10}$$

$$= w_t x_{t+1} + (1 - w_t) m_t \tag{11}$$

See eq 1

Additional equations used to derive formula for unbiased recursive sample variance:

$$m_{t+1} = \frac{1}{t+1} x_{t+1} + \left(1 - \frac{1}{t+1} \right) m_t \tag{12}$$

See eq 10

$$m_{t+1} = m_t + \left(\frac{1}{t+1} \right) (x_{n+1} - m_t) \tag{13}$$

$$m_{t+1} - m_t = \frac{x_{n+1} - m_t}{t+1} \tag{14}$$

Definition of Sample variance:

$$s_t^2 = \frac{1}{t-1} \sum_{i=1}^t (x_i - m_t)^2 \quad (15)$$

Deriving unbiased recursive sample variance:

$$s_{t+1}^2 = \frac{1}{(t+1)-1} \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_{t+1})^2 \quad (16)$$

$$= \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_{t+1})^2 \quad (17)$$

$$ts_{t+1}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_{t+1})^2 \quad (18)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} [(x_i - m_t) + (m_t - m_{t+1})]^2 \quad (19)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_t)^2 + 2 \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_t)(m_t - m_{t+1}) + \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (m_t - m_{t+1})^2 \quad (20)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_t)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^t (x_i - m_t)^2 + (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad \text{Part of eq 20} \quad (21)$$

$$= (t-1)s_t^2 + (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad \text{See of eq 15} \quad (22)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_t)(m_t - m_{t+1}) = (m_t - m_{t+1}) \left[\sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_t) \right] \quad \text{Part of eq 20} \quad (23)$$

$$= (-m_{t+1} + m_t) \left[\sum_{i=1}^t (x_i - m_t) + (x_{t+1} - m_t) \right] \quad (24)$$

$$= (-1)(m_{t+1} - m_t) \left[\sum_{i=1}^t x_i - tm_t + x_{t+1} - m_t \right] \quad (25)$$

$$= - \left(\frac{x_{n+1} - m_t}{t+1} \right) \left[\sum_{i=1}^t x_i - t \left(\frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t x_i \right) + x_{t+1} - m_t \right] \quad \text{See eqs 3,14} \quad (26)$$

$$= - \left(\frac{x_{n+1} - m_t}{t+1} \right) \left[\sum_{i=1}^t x_i - \sum_{i=1}^t x_i + x_{t+1} - m_t \right] \quad (27)$$

$$= - \left(\frac{x_{n+1} - m_t}{t+1} \right) (x_{t+1} - m_t) \quad (28)$$

$$= - \frac{(x_{n+1} - m_t)^2}{t+1} \quad (29)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (m_t - m_{t+1})^2 = (t+1)(m_t - m_{t+1})^2 \quad \text{Part of eq 20} \quad (30)$$

$$= (t+1)(m_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (31)$$

$$= (t+1) \left(\frac{x_{n+1} - m_t}{t+1} \right)^2 \quad \text{See eq 14} \quad (32)$$

$$= \frac{1}{t+1} (x_{n+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (33)$$

$$ts_{t+1}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_t)^2 + 2 \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (x_i - m_t)(m_t - m_{t+1}) + \sum_{i=1}^{t+1} (m_t - m_{t+1})^2 \quad \text{Eq 20} \quad (34)$$

$$= [(t-1)s_t^2 + (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2] + 2 \left[-\frac{(x_{n+1} - m_t)^2}{t+1} \right] + \left[\frac{1}{t+1} (x_{n+1} - m_t)^2 \right] \quad \text{Eqs 22,29,33} \quad (35)$$

$$= (t-1)s_t^2 + (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 - 2\frac{1}{t+1}(x_{n+1} - m_t)^2 + \frac{1}{t+1}(x_{n+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (36)$$

$$= (t-1)s_t^2 + \left(1 - 2\frac{1}{t+1} + \frac{1}{t+1} \right) (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (37)$$

$$= (t-1)s_t^2 + \left(1 - \frac{1}{t+1} \right) (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (38)$$

$$= (t-1)s_t^2 + \left(\frac{t+1}{t+1} - \frac{1}{t+1} \right) (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (39)$$

$$= (t-1)s_t^2 + \left(\frac{t+1-1}{t+1} \right) (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (40)$$

$$= (t-1)s_t^2 + \left(\frac{t}{t+1} \right) (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (41)$$

$$s_{t+1}^2 = \frac{1}{t}(t-1)s_t^2 + \frac{1}{t} \left(\frac{t}{t+1} \right) (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (42)$$

$$= \frac{t-1}{t}s_t^2 + \left(\frac{1}{t+1} \right) (x_{t+1} - m_t)^2 \quad (43)$$