

Stationary noise: if noise does not depend
on time, only difference of times,
it is diagonal in Fourier space

$$\langle |F(k)|^2 \rangle = FT(\text{cov}(x))$$

examples: white noise, random walk

Matched filter $A(x-s)^T N^{-1} A(y-s) m = A^T(x-s) N^{-1} d$

if N is stationary, we can do this
for all possible s via FT.

white noise $\Rightarrow \langle n_i \rangle^2 = N$

$$\langle n_i n_j \rangle = 0$$

random walk :

$$\langle (x_i - x_j)^2 \rangle = c|i-j|$$

$$N = \langle n_i n_j \rangle$$

$$\langle (x_i - x_j)^2 \rangle = c|i-j|$$

$$\langle x_i^2 - 2x_i x_j + x_j^2 \rangle = c|i-j|$$

$$\langle x_i^2 \rangle - 2\langle x_i x_j \rangle + \langle x_j^2 \rangle = c|i-j|$$

for stationary, $\langle x_i^2 \rangle$ is independent of i . Random walk starting from 0 is not stationary because $\text{Var}(x_i) = ci$

$$\text{we can take } \langle x_i^2 \rangle = \langle x_j^2 \rangle,$$

$$\langle x_i^2 \rangle = \langle x_j^2 \rangle = N$$

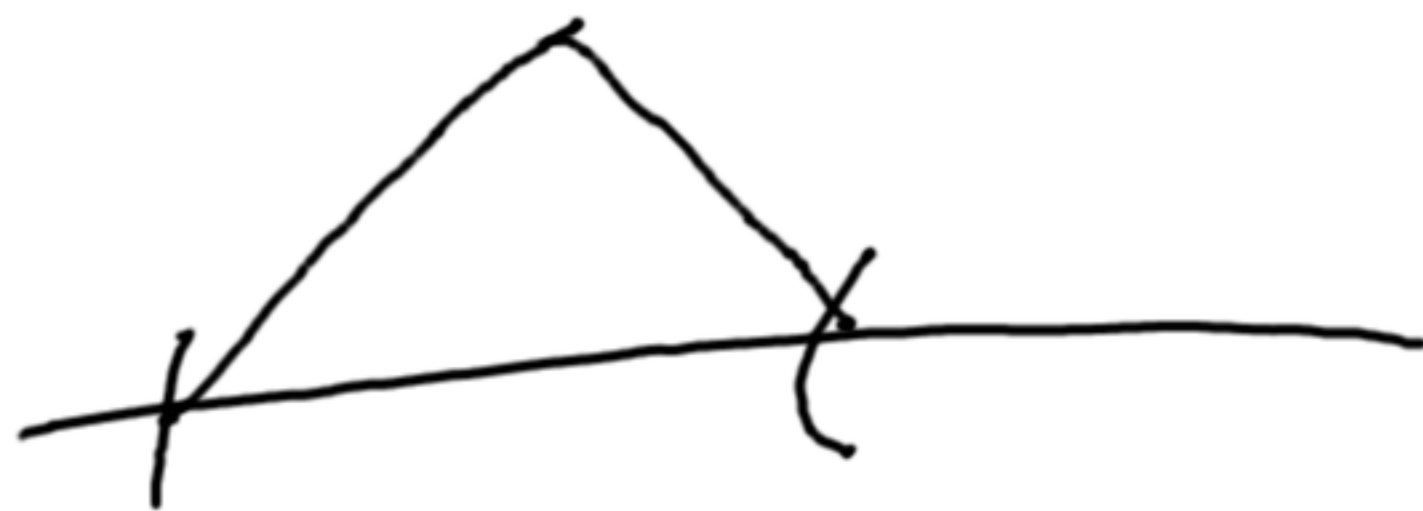
$$N - 2\langle x_i x_j \rangle + N = c|i-j|$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle x_i x_j \rangle = N - \frac{c}{2}|i-j|$$

we probably want $N > c|i-j| < N$

$$N \sim \frac{c|i-j|}{2}$$

\Rightarrow



how could we generate
a random walk in fourier space?

$$\langle |F(k)|^2 \rangle = FT(g) = FT(\bigwedge) \text{ for random walk.}$$

$$FT(\text{boxcar}) = \int_0^a e^{-ikx} dx = \frac{1}{-ik} e^{-ikx} \Big|_0^a$$

$$= \frac{i}{k} (e^{-ika} - 1) = -\frac{i}{k} (1 - e^{-ika})$$



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$= ?$



$$\sim \frac{1}{k^2}$$

$$\langle |F(k)|^2 \rangle = \frac{1}{k^2}, \quad FT(k) \sim \frac{1}{k} \text{ random if}$$

Matched filter: there might be a signal in data
where is it?



best-fit amplitude a
function of template shift

$$A^T N^+ A u = A^T N^+ d$$

$$\Rightarrow A(t-\delta)^T N^+ A(t-\delta) u = A(t-\delta)^T N^+ d$$

if we assume N_{ij} stationary

how does

$A(t-\delta)^T N^+ A(t-\delta)$ depend on δ ?

$$t' = t - \delta$$

$$\Rightarrow A(t') N(t' + \delta) A(t') \sim$$

$$N(t' + \delta) = ? \text{ if stationary}$$

$$\Rightarrow N(t' + \delta) = N(t')$$

$$(\text{or } N_{ij} = f(i-j))$$



$A^T N^+ A$ independent of δ

so it's just a # (for 1 param)

$$A^T(t-\delta) N^{-1} d(t)$$

$$\underbrace{(N^{-1} A(t-\delta))^T}_{\text{}} d(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow N A^T \cdot d(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_t N A(t+\delta) d(t) \Rightarrow \text{how do we do this as function of } \delta?$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Corr}(NA, d) \quad NA = N^T A$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Corr}(A, Nd) \quad Nd = N^T d$$