R2. Model fitting and evaluation

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Requirements

All analyses require the R software (v3.4.3) for data retrieval, data processing, and summarizing model results, and the JAGS software (v4.2.0) for Markov chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) simulation. Please note that some of the R code below may not work with older versions of JAGS due to some changes in the ways that arrays are handled.

We also need a few packages that are not included with the base installation of R, so we begin by installing them (if necessary) and then loading them.

```
if(!require("here")) {
  install.packages("here")
  library("here")
if(!require("readr")) {
  install.packages("readr")
  library("readr")
}
if(!require("rjags")) {
  install.packages("rjags")
  library("rjags")
}
if(!require("loo")) {
  install.packages("loo")
  library("loo")
}
if(!require("ggplot2")) {
  install.packages("ggplot2")
  library("ggplot2")
}
if(!require("coda")) {
  install.packages("coda")
  library("coda")
if(!require("shinystan")) {
  install.packages("shinystan")
  library("shinystan")
if(!require("R2jags")) {
  install.packages("R2jags")
  library("R2jags")
## set directory locations
datadir <- here("data")</pre>
jagsdir <- here("jags")</pre>
analdir <- here("analysis")</pre>
savedir <- here("analysis/cache")</pre>
```

We also need a couple of helper functions.

```
## better round
Re2prec <- function(x, map = "round", prec = 1) {
    ## 'map' can be "round", "floor", or "ceiling"
    ## 'prec' is nearest value (eg, 0.1 means to nearest tenth; 1 gives normal behavior)</pre>
```

```
if(prec<=0) { stop("\"prec\" cannot be less than or equal to 0") }</pre>
 do.call(map,list(x/prec))*prec
}
## wrapper function to fit JAGS models & rearrange output
fit_jags <- function(model, data, params, inits, ctrl, dir = jagsdir) {</pre>
  jm <- jags.model(file.path(jagsdir, model),</pre>
                    data,
                    inits,
                    ctrl$chains,
                    ctrl$burn,
                    quiet = TRUE)
  return(coda.samples(jm, params, ctrl$length, ctrl$thin))
#alternative wrapper to fit model in parallel; one chain per core
fit_jags2<-function(model,data,params,inits,ctrl,dir=jagsdir){</pre>
  jm<-jags.parallel(data=data,</pre>
                     inits=inits,
                     parameters.to.save=params,
                     model.file = file.path(jagsdir, model),
                    n.chains = ctrl$chains,
                    n.iter = ctrl$length,
                    n.burnin = ctrl$burn,
                     n.thin = ctrl$thin,
                    DIC = TRUE,
 )
  return(as.mcmc.list(as.mcmc(jm)))
```

User inputs

We begin by supplying values for the following parameters, which we need for model fitting and evaluation.

```
## first & last years of fish data
yr_frst <- 1978
yr_last <- 2020

## min & max adult age classes
age_min <- 3
age_max <- 8
## years (if any) of age-comp to skip; see below
age_skip <- 0

## number of years ahead for run forecasts
n_fore <- 1

## number of recent year forecasts
n_forecasts <- 5

## upper threshold for Gelman & Rubin's potential scale reduction factor (Rhat).
Rhat_thresh <- 1.1</pre>
```

Next we specify the names of three necessary data files containing the following information:

- 1. observed total number of adult spawners (escapement) by year;
- 2. observed age composition of adult spawners by year;
- 3. observed total harvest by year;

```
## 1. file with escapement data
## [n_yrs x 2] matrix of obs counts; 1st col is calendar yr
fn_esc <- "skagit_sthd_esc.csv"

## 2. file with age comp data
## [n_yrs x (1+A)]; 1st col is calendar yr
fn_age <- "skagit_sthd_age.csv"

## 3. file with harvest data
## [n_yrs x 2] matrix of obs catch; 1st col is calendar yr
fn_harv <- "skagit_sthd_catch.csv"</pre>
```

Loading the fish data

Here we load in the first three data files and do some simple calculations and manipulations. First the spawner data:

```
## escapement
dat_esc <- read_csv(file.path(datadir, fn_esc))
## years of data
dat_yrs <- dat_esc$year

## number of years of data
n_yrs <- length(dat_yrs)

## log of escapement
ln_dat_esc <- c(log(dat_esc$escapement),rep(NA,n_fore))</pre>
```

Next the age composition data:

```
dat_age[,"sum"] <- apply(dat_age, 1, sum)
## row indices for any years with no obs age comp
idx_NA_yrs <- which(dat_age$sum<A, TRUE)
## replace 0's in yrs w/o any obs with NA's
dat_age[idx_NA_yrs,(1:A)] <- NA
## change total in yrs w/o any obs from 0 to A to help dmulti()
dat_age[idx_NA_yrs,"sum"] <- A
## convert class
dat_age <- as.matrix(dat_age)</pre>
```

And then the harvest data:

```
## harvest
dat_harv <- read_csv(file.path(datadir, fn_harv))
## drop year col & first age_max rows
dat_harv <- c(dat_harv$catch,rep(NA,n_fore))</pre>
```

Loading the covariates

Our analysis investigates 5 covariates as possible drivers of the population's instrinic growth rate:

- 1. Maximum river discharge in winter;
- 2. Minimum river discharge in summer;
- 3. North Pacific Gyre Oscillation;

All of the covariates are contained in the file /data/skagit_sthd_covars.csv. We will load and then standardize them to have zero-mean and unit-variance.

```
dat_cvrs <- read_csv(file.path(datadir, "skagit_sthd_covars.csv"))
## drop year col
dat_cvrs <- dat_cvrs[,-1]
## transform the covariates to z-scores
scl_cvrs <- as.matrix(scale(dat_cvrs))
## total number of covariates
n_cov <- dim(dat_cvrs)[2]</pre>
```

Specifying models in JAGS

Now we can specify the model in JAGS. We fit a total one model, which we outline below, based on a beverton holt process model with covariates.

Beverton-Holt with covars

```
cat("
   model {
    ##------
```

```
## PRIORS
##----
## alpha = intrinsic productivity
alpha ~ dnorm(0,0.001) T(0,);
mu_BH_a <- log(alpha);</pre>
E_BH_a \leftarrow mu_BH_a + sigma_r/(2 - 2*phi^2);
## strength of dens depend
beta_inv ~ dnorm(0, 1e-9) T(0,);
beta <- 1/beta_inv;</pre>
## covariate effects
for(i in 1:n_cov) { gamma[i] ~ dnorm(0,0.01) }
## AR(1) coef for proc errors
#phi ~ dunif(-0.999,0.999);
#phi <- 0;</pre>
phi_prior ~ dbeta(2,2);
phi <- phi_prior*2-1;</pre>
#phi ~ dunif(0,0.999);
## innovation in first year
innov_1 ~ dnorm(0,tau_r*(1-phi*phi));
## process variance for recruits model
sigma_r ~ dnorm(0, 2e-2) T(0,);
tau_r <- 1/sigma_r;</pre>
## obs variance for spawners
tau_s <- 1/sigma_s;</pre>
sigma_s ~ dnorm(0, 0.001) T(0,);
## unprojectable early recruits;
## hyper mean across all popns
Rec_mu ~ dnorm(0,0.001);
## hyper SD across all popns
Rec_sig ~ dunif(0,100);
## precision across all popns
Rec_tau <- pow(Rec_sig,-2);</pre>
## multipliers for unobservable total runs
ttl_run_mu ~ dunif(1,5);
ttl_run_tau ~ dunif(1,20);
## get total cal yr returns for first age_min yrs
for(i in 1:(age_min+age_skip)) {
ln_tot_Run[i] ~ dnorm(ttl_run_mu*Rec_mu,Rec_tau/ttl_run_tau);
tot_Run[i] <- exp(ln_tot_Run[i]);</pre>
## maturity schedule
## unif vec for Dirch prior
theta <-c(1,10,10,5,1,1)
## hyper-mean for maturity
```

```
pi_eta ~ ddirch(theta);
## hyper-prec for maturity
pi_tau ~ dnorm(0, 0.01) T(0,);
for(t in 1:(n_yrs-age_min+n_fore)) { pi_vec[t,1:A] ~ ddirch(pi_eta*pi_tau) }
## estimated harvest rate
for(t in 1:(n_yrs+n_fore)) { h_rate[t] ~ dunif(0,1) }
##-----
## LIKELIHOOD
##-----
## predicted recruits in BY t
covar[1] <- inprod(gamma,mod_cvrs[1,]);</pre>
ln BH a[1] <- mu BH a + covar[1];</pre>
E_{\ln Rec[1]} \leftarrow \ln_{BH_a[1]} + \ln_{Sp[1]} - \log(1 + beta*Sp[1]) + phi*innov_1;
tot_ln_Rec[1] ~ dnorm(E_ln_Rec[1],tau_r);
res_ln_Rec[1] <- tot_ln_Rec[1] - E_ln_Rec[1];</pre>
w[1] <- phi * innov_1 + res_ln_Rec[1];</pre>
## median of total recruits
tot_Rec[1] <- exp(tot_ln_Rec[1]);</pre>
## R/S
ln_RS[1] <- tot_ln_Rec[1] - ln_Sp[1];</pre>
## brood-yr recruits by age
for(a in 1:A) {
Rec[1,a] <- tot_Rec[1] * pi_vec[1,a];</pre>
## brood years 2:(n_yrs-age_min)
for(t in 2:(n_yrs-age_min+n_fore)) {
## predicted recruits in BY t
covar[t] <- inprod(gamma, mod_cvrs[t,]);</pre>
ln_BH_a[t] <- mu_BH_a + covar[t];</pre>
E_{\ln Rec[t]} \leftarrow \ln_BH_a[t] + \ln_Sp[t] - \log(1 + beta*Sp[t]) + phi*res_ln_Rec[t-1];
tot_ln_Rec[t] ~ dnorm(E_ln_Rec[t],tau_r);
res_ln_Rec[t] <- tot_ln_Rec[t] - E_ln_Rec[t];</pre>
w[t] <- phi * res_ln_Rec[t-1] + res_ln_Rec[t];</pre>
## median of total recruits
tot_Rec[t] <- exp(tot_ln_Rec[t]);</pre>
## R/S
ln_RS[t] <- tot_ln_Rec[t] - ln_Sp[t];</pre>
## brood-yr recruits by age
for(a in 1:A) {
Rec[t,a] <- tot_Rec[t] * pi_vec[t,a];</pre>
} ## end t loop over year
## get predicted calendar year returns by age
## matrix Run has dim [(n_yrs-age_min) x A]
## step 1: incomplete early broods
```

```
## first cal yr of this grp is first brood yr + age_min + age_skip
for(i in 1:(age_max-age_min-age_skip)) {
## projected recruits
for(a in 1:(i+age_skip)) {
Run[i,a] <- Rec[(age_skip+i)-a+1,a];</pre>
## imputed recruits
for(a in (i+1+age_skip):A) {
lnRec[i,a] ~ dnorm(Rec_mu,Rec_tau);
Run[i,a] <- exp(lnRec[i,a]);</pre>
## total run size
tot_Run[i+age_min+age_skip] <- sum(Run[i,1:A]);</pre>
## predicted age-prop vec for multinom
for(a in 1:A) {
age_v[i,a] <- Run[i,a] / tot_Run[i+age_min];</pre>
}
## multinomial for age comp
dat_age[i,1:A] ~ dmulti(age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);
lp_age[i] <- logdensity.multi(dat_age[i,1:A],age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);</pre>
## step 2: info from complete broods
## first cal yr of this grp is first brood yr + age_max
for(i in (A-age_skip):(n_yrs-age_min-age_skip+n_fore)) {
for(a in 1:A) {
Run[i,a] <- Rec[(age_skip+i)-a+1,a];</pre>
## total run size
tot_Run[i+age_min+age_skip] <- sum(Run[i,1:A]);</pre>
## predicted age-prop vec for multinom
for(a in 1:A) {
age_v[i,a] <- Run[i,a] / tot_Run[i+age_min];</pre>
## multinomial for age comp
dat_age[i,1:A] ~ dmulti(age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);
lp_age[i] <- ifelse(i < n_yrs-age_min-age_skip+n_fore, logdensity.multi(dat_age[i,1:A],age_v[i,1:A]</pre>
}
## get predicted calendar year spawners
## first cal yr is first brood yr
for(t in 1:(n_yrs+n_fore)) {
## obs model for spawners
#Sp[t] <- max(10,tot_Run[t] - dat_harv[t]);</pre>
est_harv[t] = ifelse(t > n_yrs,1,h_rate[t] * tot_Run[t]);
```

```
dat_harv[t] ~ dlnorm(log(est_harv[t]), 20);
Sp[t] = tot_Run[t] - est_harv[t];
ln_Sp[t] <- log(Sp[t]);
ln_dat_esc[t] ~ dnorm(ln_Sp[t], tau_s);

lp_esc[t] <- ifelse(t < n_yrs + 1,logdensity.norm(ln_dat_esc[t],ln_Sp[t], tau_s),0);
}
## end model description

", file=file.path(jagsdir, "IPM_BH_cov_AR.txt"))</pre>
```

Beverton-Holt with covars

```
cat("
model {
  ##----
 ## PRIORS
  ##----
  ## alpha = intrinsic productivity
 alpha ~ dnorm(0,0.001) T(0,);
 mu_BH_a <- log(alpha);</pre>
  E_BH_a \leftarrow mu_BH_a + sigma_r/(2 - 2*phi^2);
  ## strength of dens depend
  beta_inv ~ dnorm(0, 1e-9) T(0,);
  beta <- 1/beta_inv;</pre>
  ## covariate effects
  for(i in 1:n_cov) { gamma[i] ~ dnorm(0,0.01) }
  ## AR(1) coef for recruitment residual
  #phi ~ dunif(-0.999,0.999);
  #phi <- 0;</pre>
  phi_prior ~ dbeta(2,2);
  phi <- phi_prior*2-1;</pre>
  #phi ~ dunif(0,0.999);
  ## MA(1) coef recruitment residual
  theta_res_prior ~ dbeta(2,2);
  theta_res <- theta_res_prior*2-1;</pre>
  #theta_res ~ dunif(0,0.999);
  ## innovation in first year
  #innov_1 ~ dnorm(0,tau_r*(1-phi*phi));#AR1
  innov_1 ~ dnorm(0,(1-phi^2)/((1+2*phi*theta_res+theta_res^2)*sigma_r^2));#AR1MA1
  ## process variance for recruits model
  sigma_r ~ dnorm(0, 2e-2) T(0,);
  tau_r <- 1/sigma_r;</pre>
```

```
## obs variance for spawners
tau_s <- 1/sigma_s;</pre>
sigma s ~ dnorm(0, 0.001) T(0,);
## unprojectable early recruits;
## hyper mean across all popns
Rec_mu ~ dnorm(0,0.001);
## hyper SD across all popns
Rec sig ~ dunif(0,100);
## precision across all popns
Rec_tau <- pow(Rec_sig,-2);</pre>
## multipliers for unobservable total runs
 ttl_run_mu ~ dunif(1,5);
 ttl_run_tau ~ dunif(1,20);
## get total cal yr returns for first age_min yrs
for(i in 1:(age_min+age_skip)) {
      ln_tot_Run[i] ~ dnorm(ttl_run_mu*Rec_mu,Rec_tau/ttl_run_tau);
      tot_Run[i] <- exp(ln_tot_Run[i]);</pre>
}
## maturity schedule
## unif vec for Dirch prior
theta \leftarrow c(1,10,10,5,1,1)
## hyper-mean for maturity
pi_eta ~ ddirch(theta);
## hyper-prec for maturity
pi_tau ~ dnorm(0, 0.01) T(0,);
for(t in 1:(n_yrs-age_min+n_fore)) { pi_vec[t,1:A] ~ ddirch(pi_eta*pi_tau) }
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for(t in 1:(n_yrs+n_fore)) { h_rate[t] ~ dunif(0,1) }
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## LIKELIHOOD
##----
## predicted recruits in BY t
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ln BH a[1] <- mu BH a + covar[1];</pre>
E_{n_{ec}[1]} \leftarrow n_{BH_a[1]} + n_{Sp[1]} - \log(1 + beta*Sp[1]) + phi * innov_1 + theta_res * 0;
tot_ln_Rec[1] ~ dnorm(E_ln_Rec[1], tau_r);
res_ln_Rec[1] <- tot_ln_Rec[1] - E_ln_Rec[1];</pre>
w[1] <- phi * innov_1 + theta_res * 0 + res_ln_Rec[1]</pre>
## median of total recruits
tot_Rec[1] <- exp(tot_ln_Rec[1]);</pre>
## R/S
ln_RS[1] <- tot_ln_Rec[1] - ln_Sp[1];</pre>
## brood-yr recruits by age
for(a in 1:A) {
  Rec[1,a] <- tot_Rec[1] * pi_vec[1,a];</pre>
```

```
## brood years 2:(n_yrs-age_min)
for(t in 2:(n_yrs-age_min+n_fore)) {
 ## predicted recruits in BY t
 covar[t] <- inprod(gamma, mod_cvrs[t,]);</pre>
 ln_BH_a[t] <- mu_BH_a + covar[t];</pre>
 #-----
 #version 4; more similar to AR1 original model
 tot_ln_Rec[t] ~ dnorm(E_ln_Rec[t], tau_r);
 res_ln_Rec[t] <- tot_ln_Rec[t] - E_ln_Rec[t];</pre>
 w[t] \leftarrow phi * w[t-1] + theta_res * res_ln_Rec[t-1] + res_ln_Rec[t];
 ## median of total recruits
 tot_Rec[t] <- exp(tot_ln_Rec[t]);</pre>
 ln_RS[t] <- tot_ln_Rec[t] - ln_Sp[t];</pre>
 ## brood-yr recruits by age
 for(a in 1:A) {
   Rec[t,a] <- tot_Rec[t] * pi_vec[t,a];</pre>
} ## end t loop over year
## get predicted calendar year returns by age
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## first cal yr of this grp is first brood yr + age_min + age_skip
for(i in 1:(age_max-age_min-age_skip)) {
 ## projected recruits
 for(a in 1:(i+age_skip)) {
   Run[i,a] <- Rec[(age_skip+i)-a+1,a];</pre>
 ## imputed recruits
 for(a in (i+1+age_skip):A) {
   lnRec[i,a] ~ dnorm(Rec_mu,Rec_tau);
   Run[i,a] <- exp(lnRec[i,a]);</pre>
 ## total run size
 tot_Run[i+age_min+age_skip] <- sum(Run[i,1:A]);</pre>
 ## predicted age-prop vec for multinom
 for(a in 1:A) {
   age_v[i,a] <- Run[i,a] / tot_Run[i+age_min];</pre>
 }
 ## multinomial for age comp
 dat_age[i,1:A] ~ dmulti(age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);
 lp_age[i] <- logdensity.multi(dat_age[i,1:A],age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);</pre>
}
## step 2: info from complete broods
```

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## first cal yr of this grp is first brood yr + age_max
  for(i in (A-age_skip):(n_yrs-age_min-age_skip+n_fore)) {
    for(a in 1:A) {
      Run[i,a] <- Rec[(age_skip+i)-a+1,a];</pre>
    }
    ## total run size
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    #lp_age[i] <- logdensity.multi(dat_age[i,1:A],age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);</pre>
    lp_age[i] <- ifelse(i < n_yrs-age_min-age_skip+n_fore,</pre>
    logdensity.multi(dat_age[i,1:A],age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]),0)
  }
  ## get predicted calendar year spawners
  ## first cal yr is first brood yr
  for(t in 1:(n_yrs+n_fore)) {
    ## obs model for spawners
    # Sp[t] <- max(10,tot_Run[t] - dat_harv[t]);
    est_harv[t] = h_rate[t] * tot_Run[t];
    dat_harv[t] ~ dlnorm(log(est_harv[t]), 20);
    Sp[t] = tot_Run[t] - est_harv[t];
    ln_{p[t]} \leftarrow log(Sp[t]);
    ln_dat_esc[t] ~ dnorm(ln_Sp[t], tau_s);
    lp_esc[t] <- ifelse(t < n_yrs + 1,logdensity.norm(ln_dat_esc[t],ln_Sp[t], tau_s),0);</pre>
} ## end model description
", file=file.path(jagsdir, "IPM_BH_cov_MA1_AR1.txt"))
```

Beverton-Holt with covars

```
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model {

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## PRIORS
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## alpha = intrinsic productivity
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mu_BH_a <- log(alpha);
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## strength of dens depend
beta_inv ~ dnorm(0, 1e-9) T(0,);
beta <- 1/beta_inv;</pre>
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## covariate effects
for(i in 1:n_cov) { gamma[i] ~ dnorm(0,0.01) }
## AR(1) coef for recruitment residual
#phi ~ dunif(-0.999,0.999);
#phi <- 0;</pre>
phi_prior ~ dbeta(2,2);
phi <- phi prior*2-1;</pre>
#phi ~ dunif(0,0.999);
## innovation in first year
innov_1 ~ dnorm(0,tau_r*(1-phi*phi));#AR1
## process variance for recruits model
sigma_r ~ dnorm(0, 2e-2) T(0,);
tau_r <- 1/sigma_r;</pre>
## obs variance for spawners
tau_s <- 1/sigma_s;</pre>
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## maturity schedule
## unif vec for Dirch prior
theta \leftarrow c(1,10,10,5,1,1)
## hyper-mean for maturity
pi_eta ~ ddirch(theta);
## hyper-prec for maturity
pi_tau ~ dnorm(0, 0.01) T(0,);
for(t in 1:(n_yrs-age_min+n_fore)) { pi_vec[t,1:A] ~ ddirch(pi_eta*pi_tau) }
## estimated harvest rate
for(t in 1:(n_yrs+n_fore)) { h_rate[t] ~ dunif(0,1) }
##-----
## LIKELIHOOD
```

```
## predicted recruits in BY t
covar[1] <- inprod(gamma,mod_cvrs[1,]);</pre>
ln_BH_a[1] <- mu_BH_a + covar[1];</pre>
E \ln Rec[1] <- \ln BH a[1] + \ln Sp[1] - \log(1 + beta*Sp[1]) + phi * innov 1;
tot ln Rec[1] ~ dnorm(E ln Rec[1], tau r);
res_ln_Rec[1] <- tot_ln_Rec[1] - E_ln_Rec[1];</pre>
w[1] <- phi * innov_1 + res_ln_Rec[1];
## median of total recruits
tot_Rec[1] <- exp(tot_ln_Rec[1]);</pre>
## R/S
ln_RS[1] <- tot_ln_Rec[1] - ln_Sp[1];</pre>
## brood-yr recruits by age
for(a in 1:A) {
     Rec[1,a] <- tot_Rec[1] * pi_vec[1,a];</pre>
## brood years 2:(n_yrs-age_min)
for(t in 2:(n_yrs-age_min+n_fore)) {
     ## predicted recruits in BY t
     covar[t] <- inprod(gamma, mod_cvrs[t,]);</pre>
     ln_BH_a[t] <- mu_BH_a + covar[t];</pre>
     E_{\ln_{c}} = \ln_{c} = \ln_{c} + \ln_{c} = 
     tot_ln_Rec[t] ~ dnorm(E_ln_Rec[t], tau_r);
     res_ln_Rec[t] <- tot_ln_Rec[t] - E_ln_Rec[t];</pre>
     w[t] <- phi * w[t-1] + res_ln_Rec[t];
     ## median of total recruits
     tot_Rec[t] <- exp(tot_ln_Rec[t]);</pre>
     ## R/S
     ln_RS[t] <- tot_ln_Rec[t] - ln_Sp[t];</pre>
     ## brood-yr recruits by age
     for(a in 1:A) {
          Rec[t,a] <- tot_Rec[t] * pi_vec[t,a];</pre>
} ## end t loop over year
## get predicted calendar year returns by age
## matrix Run has dim [(n_yrs-age_min) x A]
## step 1: incomplete early broods
## first cal yr of this grp is first brood yr + age_min + age_skip
for(i in 1:(age_max-age_min-age_skip)) {
     ## projected recruits
     for(a in 1:(i+age_skip)) {
          Run[i,a] <- Rec[(age_skip+i)-a+1,a];</pre>
     ## imputed recruits
     for(a in (i+1+age_skip):A) {
          lnRec[i,a] ~ dnorm(Rec_mu,Rec_tau);
          Run[i,a] <- exp(lnRec[i,a]);</pre>
     }
```

```
## total run size
    tot_Run[i+age_min+age_skip] <- sum(Run[i,1:A]);</pre>
    ## predicted age-prop vec for multinom
    for(a in 1:A) {
      age_v[i,a] <- Run[i,a] / tot_Run[i+age_min];</pre>
    ## multinomial for age comp
    dat_age[i,1:A] ~ dmulti(age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);
    lp_age[i] <- logdensity.multi(dat_age[i,1:A],age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);</pre>
  ## step 2: info from complete broods
  ## first cal yr of this grp is first brood yr + age_max
  for(i in (A-age_skip):(n_yrs-age_min-age_skip+n_fore)) {
    for(a in 1:A) {
      Run[i,a] <- Rec[(age_skip+i)-a+1,a];</pre>
    }
    ## total run size
    tot_Run[i+age_min+age_skip] <- sum(Run[i,1:A]);</pre>
    ## predicted age-prop vec for multinom
    for(a in 1:A) {
      age_v[i,a] <- Run[i,a] / tot_Run[i+age_min];</pre>
    }
    ## multinomial for age comp
    dat_age[i,1:A] ~ dmulti(age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);
    #lp_age[i] <- logdensity.multi(dat_age[i,1:A],age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]);</pre>
    lp_age[i] <- ifelse(i < n_yrs-age_min-age_skip+n_fore,</pre>
    logdensity.multi(dat_age[i,1:A],age_v[i,1:A],dat_age[i,A+1]),0)
  ## get predicted calendar year spawners
  ## first cal yr is first brood yr
  for(t in 1:(n_yrs+n_fore)) {
    ## obs model for spawners
    # Sp[t] <- max(10,tot_Run[t] - dat_harv[t]);
    est_harv[t] = h_rate[t] * tot_Run[t];
    dat_harv[t] ~ dlnorm(log(est_harv[t]), 20);
    Sp[t] = tot_Run[t] - est_harv[t];
    ln_Sp[t] \leftarrow log(Sp[t]);
    ln_dat_esc[t] ~ dnorm(ln_Sp[t], tau_s);
    lp_esc[t] <- ifelse(t < n_yrs + 1,logdensity.norm(ln_dat_esc[t],ln_Sp[t], tau_s),0);</pre>
  }
} ## end model description
 ", file=file.path(jagsdir, "IPM_BH_cov_AR_resid.txt"))
```

Fitting the models and generating the one year ahead forecasts

Before fitting the model in JAGS, we need to specify the MCMC control parameters.

```
## empty list for fits
n_mods <- 3
mod_fits <- vector("list", n_mods)</pre>
```

```
## 1. Data to pass to JAGS
dat_jags <- list(dat_age = dat_age,</pre>
                  ln_dat_esc = ln_dat_esc,
                  dat_harv = dat_harv,
                  A = A
                  age_min = age_min,
                  age_max = age_max,
                  age_skip = age_skip,
                  n_yrs = n_yrs,
                  n_fore = n_fore)
## 2. MCMC control params
mcmc_ctrl <- list(</pre>
  chains = 4,
 length = 2000, #5e5,
 burn = 1000, #2e5,
  thin = 1#400
## total number of MCMC samples after burnin
mcmc_samp <- mcmc_ctrl$length*mcmc_ctrl$chains/mcmc_ctrl$thin</pre>
```

Model with all covariates

Please note that the following code takes $\sim\!20$ min to run on a quad-core machine with 3.5 GHz Intel processors.

```
## set of multi-covariate models
cset <- colnames(scl_cvrs)
dat_jags$n_cov <- length(cset)
dat_jags$mod_cvrs <- scl_cvrs[, cset]</pre>
```

First, we will fit a beverton holt model assuming MA1 and AR1 recruitment residuals

```
}
## params/states to return
par_jags <- c("alpha", "E_BH_a", "ln_BH_a",</pre>
                                                                        "beta",
                                                                        "gamma"
                                                                       "Sp", "Rec", "tot_ln_Rec", "ln_RS",
                                                                       "pi_eta", "pi_tau",
                                                                        "sigma_r", "sigma_s", "res_ln_Rec", "w", "theta_res", "phi",
                                                                       "lp_age","lp_esc"
cat("Count =", 1, "; Time =", round(((proc.time()-timer_start)/60)["elapsed"], 1), "\n",
                                                  file="cnt_time.txt", append=TRUE)
## fit model & save it
\# mod\_fits[[1]] \leftarrow fit\_jags("IPM\_BH\_cov\_MA1\_AR1.txt", dat\_jags, par\_jags, lateral fits[[1]] \leftarrow fit\_jags("IPM\_BH\_cov\_MA1\_AR1.txt", dat\_jags("IPM\_BH\_cov\_MA1\_AR1.txt", dat\_jags("IPM\_BH
                                                                                                                                               init_vals_cov, mcmc_ctrl)
mod_fits[[1]] <- fit_jags2(model="IPM_BH_cov_MA1_AR1.txt",</pre>
                                                                                                                                         data=dat_jags,
                                                                                                                                         params=par_jags,
                                                                                                                                         inits=init_vals_cov,
                                                                                                                                         ctrl=mcmc_ctrl
```

Model diagnostics

pi_eta[4]

1.03

1.00

1.08

1.01

Here is a table of the Gelman & Rubin statistics (R_{hat}) for the estimated parameters. Recall that we set an upper threshold of 1.1, so values larger than that deserve some additional inspection.

```
## params of interest
par_conv <- c("alpha","beta",paste0("gamma[",seq(3),"]"),</pre>
              "sigma_r", "sigma_s", "pi_tau", "theta_res", paste0("pi_eta[",seq(A-1),"]"))
## Gelman-Rubin
gelman.diag(mod_fits[[1]][,par_conv])
## Potential scale reduction factors:
##
##
             Point est. Upper C.I.
                    1.08
## alpha
                               1.21
## beta
                    1.07
                               1.19
## gamma[1]
                    1.00
                               1.01
## gamma[2]
                   1.01
                               1.03
## gamma[3]
                    1.00
                               1.00
## sigma_r
                   1.01
                               1.02
## sigma_s
                   1.18
                               1.46
## pi_tau
                   1.09
                               1.26
## theta_res
                   1.02
                               1.05
## pi_eta[1]
                               1.27
                   1.10
## pi eta[2]
                   1.00
                               1.01
## pi_eta[3]
```

```
## pi_eta[5]
                  1.22
                             1.56
##
## Multivariate psrf
## 1.33
## Autocorrelation
t(round(autocorr.diag(mod_fits[[1]][,par_conv],
                      lags = seq(mcmc_ctrl$thin, 4*mcmc_ctrl$thin, mcmc_ctrl$thin),
                      relative=FALSE), 2))
            Lag 1 Lag 2 Lag 3 Lag 4
##
## alpha
             0.98 0.96 0.93 0.91
             0.95 0.93 0.90 0.88
## beta
             0.38 0.23 0.15 0.12
## gamma[1]
## gamma[2]
             0.39 0.24 0.17 0.11
## gamma[3]
             0.30 0.18 0.13 0.09
             0.73 0.57 0.45 0.37
## sigma_r
## sigma_s
             0.90 0.85 0.81 0.77
## pi_tau
             0.71 0.63 0.59 0.58
## theta_res 0.80 0.67 0.57 0.49
## pi_eta[1] 0.96 0.93 0.90 0.86
## pi_eta[2] 0.88 0.78 0.69 0.62
## pi eta[3] 0.88 0.78 0.69 0.63
## pi_eta[4] 0.93 0.86 0.80 0.75
## pi_eta[5] 0.95 0.91 0.87 0.84
## Use ShinyStan to look at effective draws, Gelman-Rubin, Autocorrelation
fit_bh_cov_MA1_AR1 <- readRDS(file.path(savedir,"fit_bh_cov_MA1_AR1.rds"))</pre>
# my_sso2 <- launch_shinystan(as.shinystan(fit_bh_cov_MA1_AR1))</pre>
# summary_stats2<-data.frame(lapply(c("rhat", "neff", "mean", "sd", "quantiles"), function(x) retrieve(my_ss
# colnames(summary stats2)[1:4]<-c("rhat", "neff", "mean", "sd")
# write.csv(summary stats2, file.path(savedir, "Summary stats AR1 MA1.csv"))
write.csv(fit_bh_cov_MA1_AR1$BUGSoutput$summary, "Summary_stats_AR1_MA1.csv")
```

next we will fit a beverton holt model assuming AR1 process errors only

```
## function for inits
init_vals_cov <- function() {</pre>
 list(alpha = 5,
       beta_inv = exp(mean(ln_dat_esc, na.rm = TRUE)),
       gamma = rep(0, 3),
       pi_tau = 10,
       pi_eta = rep(1,A),
       pi_vec = matrix(c(0.01, 0.35, 0.47, 0.15, 0.01, 0.01),
                        n_yrs-age_min+n_fore, A,
                        byrow = TRUE),
       Rec_mu = log(1000),
       Rec_sig = 0.1,
       tot_ln_Rec = rep(log(1000), n_yrs - age_min + n_fore),
       phi prior = 0.5,
       innov_1 = 0)
}
```

```
## params/states to return
par_jags <- c("alpha", "E_BH_a", "ln_BH_a",</pre>
               "beta",
               "gamma",
               "Sp", "Rec", "tot_ln_Rec", "ln_RS",
               "pi_eta", "pi_tau",
               "sigma_r", "sigma_s", "res_ln_Rec",
               "lp_age", "lp_esc", "phi"
cat("Count =", 2, "; Time =", round(((proc.time()-timer_start)/60)["elapsed"], 1), "\n",
          file="cnt_time.txt", append=TRUE)
## fit model & save it
# mod_fits[[2]] <- fit_jaqs("IPM_BH_cov_AR.txt", dat_jaqs, par_jaqs,</pre>
                              init_vals_cov, mcmc_ctrl)
mod_fits[[2]] <- fit_jags2(model="IPM_BH_cov_AR.txt",</pre>
                             data=dat_jags,
                             params=par_jags,
                             inits=init_vals_cov,
                             ctrl=mcmc ctrl
```

Model diagnostics

Here is a table of the Gelman & Rubin statistics (R_{hat}) for the estimated parameters. Recall that we set an upper threshold of 1.1, so values larger than that deserve some additional inspection.

```
## Potential scale reduction factors:
##
##
             Point est. Upper C.I.
## alpha
                   1.73
                               4.83
## beta
                   1.29
                               1.81
## gamma[1]
                   1.01
                              1.03
## gamma[2]
                   1.08
                               1.22
## gamma[3]
                   1.05
                              1.16
## sigma_r
                   1.03
                               1.06
## sigma_s
                   1.54
                               2.98
## pi_tau
                   1.29
                               1.72
                   1.04
## phi
                              1.12
## pi_eta[1]
                   1.12
                              1.33
## pi_eta[2]
                   1.04
                              1.11
## pi_eta[3]
                   1.06
                              1.17
## pi_eta[4]
                   1.02
                              1.05
## pi_eta[5]
                   1.10
                              1.27
##
```

```
## 1.72
## Autocorrelation
t(round(autocorr.diag(mod_fits[[2]][,par_conv],
                      lags = seq(mcmc_ctrl$thin, 4*mcmc_ctrl$thin, mcmc_ctrl$thin),
                     relative=FALSE), 2))
##
            Lag 1 Lag 2 Lag 3 Lag 4
## alpha
             0.97 0.96 0.94 0.92
## beta
             0.97 0.95 0.93 0.91
## gamma[1]
             0.49 0.33 0.25 0.19
## gamma[2]
             0.51 0.39 0.33 0.29
## gamma[3]
             0.55 0.45 0.40 0.35
## sigma_r
             0.81 0.69 0.62 0.57
## sigma_s
             0.88 0.84 0.82 0.80
             0.74 0.68 0.65 0.63
## pi_tau
## phi
             0.74 0.60 0.52 0.44
## pi_eta[1] 0.95 0.91 0.87 0.83
## pi_eta[2] 0.88 0.78 0.69 0.62
## pi_eta[3] 0.89 0.80 0.71 0.64
## pi_eta[4] 0.91 0.83 0.76 0.70
## pi_eta[5] 0.97 0.93 0.90 0.87
## Use ShinyStan to look at effective draws, Gelman-Rubin, Autocorrelation
fit_bh_cov_AR <- readRDS(file.path(savedir, "fit_bh_cov_AR.rds"))</pre>
# my sso <- launch shinystan(as.shinystan(fit bh cov AR))</pre>
\# summary_stats1<-data.frame(lapply(c("rhat", "neff", "mean", "sd", "quantiles"), function(x) retrieve(my_ss
# colnames(summary_stats1)[1:4]<-c("rhat", "neff", "mean", "sd")
# write.csv(summary_stats1,file.path(savedir, "Summary_stats_AR.csv"))
write.csv(fit_bh_cov_AR$BUGSoutput$summary, "Summary_stats_AR.csv")
```

next we will fit a beverton holt model assuming AR1 recruitment residuals only

Multivariate psrf

##

```
## function for inits
init vals cov <- function() {</pre>
  list(alpha = 5,
       beta_inv = exp(mean(ln_dat_esc, na.rm = TRUE)),
       gamma = rep(0, 3),
       pi_tau = 10,
       pi_eta = rep(1,A),
       pi_vec = matrix(c(0.01, 0.35, 0.47, 0.15, 0.01, 0.01),
                        n_yrs-age_min+n_fore, A,
                        byrow = TRUE),
       Rec_mu = log(1000),
       Rec_sig = 0.1,
       tot_{ln_Rec} = rep(log(1000), n_yrs - age_min + n_fore),
       phi_prior = 0.5,
       innov_1 = 0)
}
## params/states to return
```

```
par_jags <- c("alpha","E_BH_a","ln_BH_a",</pre>
               "beta",
               "gamma",
               "Sp", "Rec", "tot_ln_Rec", "ln_RS",
               "pi_eta", "pi_tau",
               "sigma_r", "sigma_s", "res_ln_Rec",
               "lp_age","lp_esc","phi"
cat("Count =", 3, "; Time =", round(((proc.time()-timer_start)/60)["elapsed"], 1), "\n",
          file="cnt_time.txt", append=TRUE)
## fit model & save it
# mod_fits[[3]] <- fit_jags("IPM_BH_cov_AR_resid.txt", dat_jags, par_jags,</pre>
                             init_vals_cov, mcmc_ctrl)
mod_fits[[3]] <- fit_jags2(model="IPM_BH_cov_AR_resid.txt",</pre>
                            data=dat_jags,
                            params=par_jags,
                            inits=init_vals_cov,
                            ctrl=mcmc_ctrl
```

Model diagnostics AR1 recruitment residuals

Here is a table of the Gelman & Rubin statistics (R_{hat}) for the estimated parameters. Recall that we set an upper threshold of 1.1, so values larger than that deserve some additional inspection.

```
## params of interest
par_conv <- c("alpha","beta",paste0("gamma[",seq(3),"]"),</pre>
              "sigma_r", "sigma_s", "pi_tau", "phi", paste0("pi_eta[", seq(A-1), "]"))
## Gelman-Rubin
gelman.diag(mod_fits[[3]][,par_conv])
## Potential scale reduction factors:
##
##
             Point est. Upper C.I.
                   1.02
                               1.06
## alpha
## beta
                   1.41
                               2.51
## gamma[1]
                   1.01
                               1.03
## gamma[2]
                   1.01
                               1.01
## gamma[3]
                   1.07
                               1.18
## sigma_r
                   1.23
                               1.59
## sigma_s
                   3.02
                              16.16
## pi tau
                   1.34
                               1.80
## phi
                   1.09
                               1.25
## pi_eta[1]
                   1.34
                               1.82
## pi_eta[2]
                   1.03
                               1.08
## pi_eta[3]
                   1.06
                               1.18
## pi_eta[4]
                   1.04
                               1.11
## pi_eta[5]
                   1.25
                               1.66
##
## Multivariate psrf
```

```
##
## 2.76
## Autocorrelation
t(round(autocorr.diag(mod_fits[[3]][,par_conv],
                                                            lags = seq(mcmc_ctrl$thin, 4*mcmc_ctrl$thin, mcmc_ctrl$thin),
                                                           relative=FALSE), 2))
##
                                   Lag 1 Lag 2 Lag 3 Lag 4
## alpha
                                     0.97 0.95 0.92 0.89
## beta
                                     0.94 0.91 0.88 0.86
## gamma[1]
                                     0.42 0.30 0.24 0.19
## gamma[2]
                                     0.38 0.24 0.17 0.14
## gamma[3]
                                     0.33 0.21 0.17 0.16
## sigma r
                                     0.72 0.55 0.44 0.36
## sigma_s
                                     0.85 0.79 0.75 0.73
## pi tau
                                     0.75 0.68 0.65 0.62
                                     0.63 0.45 0.35 0.30
## phi
## pi_eta[1] 0.97 0.94 0.91 0.88
## pi_eta[2]
                                   0.89 0.80 0.72 0.66
## pi_eta[3] 0.89 0.79 0.72 0.65
## pi_eta[4] 0.91 0.84 0.77 0.72
## pi_eta[5] 0.95 0.90 0.86 0.82
## Use ShinyStan to look at effective draws, Gelman-Rubin, Autocorrelation
fit_bh_cov_AR_resid <- readRDS(file.path(savedir, "fit_bh_cov_AR_resid.rds"))</pre>
# my_sso <- launch_shinystan(as.shinystan(fit_bh_cov_AR_resid))</pre>
 \verb| # summary_stats3 < - data.frame(lapply(c("rhat", "neff", "mean", "sd", "quantiles"), function(x) | retrieve(my\_ss) | retrieve(ms\_ss) | retrieve(ms\_ss)
# colnames(summary_stats3)[1:4]<-c("rhat", "neff", "mean", "sd")
# write.csv(summary_stats3, file.path(savedir, "Summary_stats_AR_resid.csv"))
write.csv(fit_bh_cov_AR_resid$BUGSoutput$summary, "Summary_stats_AR_resid.csv")
```

Model selection

Via loo() and compare() with full table of results. Note that elpd_diff will be negative (positive) if the expected predictive accuracy for the first (second) model is higher.

```
LOOIC <- vector("list", n_mods)
## extract log densities from JAGS objects
for(i in 1:n_mods) {
    ## convert mcmc.list to matrix
    tmp_lp <- as.matrix(mod_fits[[i]])
    ## extract pointwise likelihoods
    tmp_lp <- tmp_lp[,grepl("lp_", colnames(tmp_lp))]
    ## if numerical underflows, convert -Inf to 5% less than min(likelihood)
    if(any(is.infinite(tmp_lp))) {
        tmp_lp[is.infinite(tmp_lp)] <- NA
        tmp_min <- min(tmp_lp, na.rm = TRUE)
        tmp_lp[is.na(tmp_lp)] <- tmp_min * 1.05
}
## calculate LOOIC</pre>
```

```
LOOIC[[i]] <- loo(tmp_lp)
}
## compute pseudo weights
model_weights <- loo_model_weights(LOOIC, method = "pseudobma",optim_method = "BFGS", optim_control = 1
## LOOIC for all data
tbl LOOIC <- round(loo compare(x = LOOIC), 2)
rownames(tbl_L00IC) <- sub("model", "", rownames(tbl_L00IC))</pre>
tbl_LOOIC <- tbl_LOOIC[order(as.numeric(rownames(tbl_LOOIC))), ]</pre>
tbl_LOOIC <- cbind(model = c("B-H", "B-H", "B-H"),</pre>
                   error = c("MA1_AR1","AR1","AR1_resid"),
                   as.data.frame(tbl_LOOIC),pseudo_bma_weight = as.matrix(model_weights))
tbl_LOOIC[order(tbl_LOOIC[,"looic"]), ]
     model
               error elpd_diff se_diff elpd_loo se_elpd_loo p_loo se_p_loo looic se_looic
##
       В-Н
                          0.00
                                  0.00 -398.53
                                                    49.21 133.67 10.84 797.06
## 1
             MA1 AR1
                        -36.93
                                  6.74 -435.46
                                                                                       93.40
## 3
       B-H AR1_resid
                                                      46.70 154.79
                                                                       10.62 870.92
## 2
       В-Н
                 AR1
                        -50.26
                                  7.44 -448.79
                                                       44.29 136.47
                                                                        9.58 897.58
                                                                                       88.59
## pseudo_bma_weight
## 1
         1.000000e+00
## 3
          1.068990e-10
## 2
          1.048806e-11
## best model
best_i <- which(tbl_LOOIC[,"looic"] == min(tbl_LOOIC[,"looic"]))</pre>
best fit <- mod fits[[best i]]</pre>
```

These results show that the Beverton-Holt model with MA1 & AR1 error has the lowest LOOIC value. All results will be derived from model averaging based on pseudo bayesian model average weights.