

E5076 - Topics in Time Series Analysis

Assignment #7

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First way

I first rewrite $f_x(\lambda)$ and then use the insight from slide 127 to rewrite the power function. Furthermore I use that in a $MA(q)$ process the variance is given by $\gamma(0) = \sigma^2(1 + \sum_{i=1}^q c_i^2)$ where c_i represent the coefficients (similar to slide 30).

$$\begin{aligned} f_x(\lambda) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 T_c(\lambda) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \left| \sum_{j=0}^q b_j e^{-ij\lambda} \right|^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \left(\sum_{j=0}^q b_j^2 + 2 \sum_{h=1}^q \sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+h} \cos(\lambda h) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \left(1 + \sum_{j=1}^q b_j^2 \right) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \left(2 \sum_{h=1}^q \sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+h} \cos(\lambda h) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \gamma(0) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \left(2 \sum_{h=1}^q \underbrace{\sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+h} \cos(\lambda h)}_A \right) \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Since almost everything looks like it should be, except the part called A . That's why I look at what $\gamma(m)$ is for our process and whether I can simplify it further and maybe replace A by something different.

$$\begin{aligned}
\gamma(h) &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 f_x(\lambda) e^{ih\lambda} d\lambda \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(\sum_{j=0}^q b_j^2 + \sum_{k=1}^q \sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+k} \cos(\lambda k) \right) e^{ih\lambda} d\lambda \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \sum_{j=0}^q b_j^2 \underbrace{\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{ih\lambda} d\lambda}_{=0} + \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^q \sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+k} (e^{ik\lambda} + e^{-ik\lambda}) e^{ih\lambda} d\lambda \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(\sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+h} (e^{2ih\lambda} + 1) d\lambda \right) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sum_{k \neq h}^q \sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+k} (e^{ik\lambda} + e^{-ik\lambda}) e^{ih\lambda} d\lambda \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(\sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+h} (e^{2ih\lambda} + 1) d\lambda \right) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \sum_{k \neq h}^q \sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+k} \underbrace{\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(\lambda(h+k)) d\lambda}_{=0} \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sigma^2 \sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+h} \left(\underbrace{\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{2ih\lambda} d\lambda}_{=0} + \underbrace{\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 1 d\lambda}_{=2\pi} \right) \\
&= \sigma^2 \sum_{j=0}^q b_j b_{j+h} = \sigma^2 A
\end{aligned}$$

Inserting this into (1) then yields the final result

$$f_x(\lambda) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \gamma(0) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(2 \sum_{h=1}^q \gamma(h) \cos(\lambda h) \right)$$

Different approach

Here I used the information from slide 128 and 129 and approximated $f_x(\lambda)$ by a Fourier series and then rearranged things a little bit.

$$\begin{aligned}
f_x(\lambda) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{h=-q}^q \gamma(h) e^{-i\lambda h} \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\sum_{h=-q}^{-1} e^{-i\lambda h} \gamma(h) + \gamma(0) e^{-i\lambda 0} + \sum_{h=1}^q e^{-i\lambda h} \gamma(h) \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \gamma(0) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\sum_{h=-q}^{-1} e^{-i\lambda h} \gamma(h) + \sum_{h=1}^q e^{-i\lambda h} \gamma(h) \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \gamma(0) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\sum_{h=1}^q (e^{-i\lambda h} + e^{i\lambda h}) \gamma(h) \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \gamma(0) + \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\sum_{h=1}^q 2 \cos(\lambda h) \gamma(h) \right)
\end{aligned}$$