

simulation_gp

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Simulate Gaussian process

For data generation, define covariance function as

$\gamma(d) = \theta * \exp(-|d|)$, and $\theta = 2$, where $d = ||x - y||_2, x, y \in \mathbb{R}^2$. distance between two input points.

```
# Set the number of points you want
n <- 100

# Define the range of the square
x_min <- 0
x_max <- 1
y_min <- 0
y_max <- 1

# Generate random x and y coordinates randomly
x <- runif(n, min = x_min, max = x_max)
y <- runif(n, min = y_min, max = y_max)

# x <- seq(0,10, length.out = n)
# y <- seq(0,10, length.out = n)

# Define covaraince function
theta <- 2 ; range = 2
d <- sqrt(outer(x,x,"-")^2 ) + sqrt(outer(y,y,"-")^2 )

# Construct n by n covariance matrix
cov_mat <- theta * exp(-d/range)
chol_matrix <- chol(cov_mat) # returns L^T where L is lower triangular.

# Generate finite subset of Gaussian Process
# whose covariance matrix is defined as above
z_list <- rnorm(n)
simulated_data <- t(chol_matrix) %*% z_list
```

covfun_name

We can fit the model using fit_model function in GpGp package by specifying covariance function as below:

matern15_scaledim: $M(x, y) = \sigma^2(1 + |D^{-1}|x - y|)|\exp(-||D^{-1}x - y||)$,

exponential_isotropic: $M(x, y) = \sigma^2\exp(-||x - y||/\alpha)$.

Remark: options in fit_model():

1. reorder=FALSE: maxmin ordering is not used unless nrow(locs) > 1e5.
2. m_seq: By default, a 10-neighbor approximation is maximized, then a 30-neighbor approximation is maximized using 10 neighbor estimates as starting values.

```
# set location matrix and design matrix X.
locs <- as.matrix(data.frame(x = x, y = y))
X <- cbind(rep(1,n), locs)

# fit the model using 'matern15_scaledim'
mod1 <- fit_model(simulated_data, locs = locs, X = X ,
                  covfun_name = 'matern15_scaledim', fixed_parms = c(2,3), start_parms = c(3,2,2,0))
# parameters in matern15_scaledim: variance, range_1,...range_d, nugget
# fixed_parms = c(2,3) means fix range_1 and range_2
# starting from start_parms = c(3,1,1,0).

# fit the model using the true covariance function
mod2 <- fit_model(simulated_data, locs = locs, X = X,
                  covfun_name = 'exponential_isotropic',
                  fixed_parms = c(2), start_parms = c(3,2,0))

cat("Given ", n, "samples with true [theta, range] =", matrix(c(2,2),nrow=1),
    "\n\nestimate of (theta, range ) by fitting with matern15_isotropic are :", mod1$covparms[1:2],
    "\n\nestimate of (theta, range ) by fitting with true exponential_isotropic are :", mod2$covparms[1:2])

## Given 100 samples with true [theta, range] = 2 2 ,
##
## estimate of (theta, range ) by fitting with matern15_isotropic are : 326.1131 2
##
## estimate of (theta, range ) by fitting with true exponential_isotropic are : 2.559718 2
```

Generate data using matern15_scaledim:

In this section, I wanted to do the opposite, generate data using $M(x, y) = \sigma^2(1 + ||x - y||/\alpha)\exp(-||D^{-1}x - y||/\alpha)$, and fit the model using exponential covariance function but I couldn't generate data because the covariance matrix is not positive definite. There are nearly 0 eigen values.

```
theta = 2 ; range = 1
cov_mat2 <- theta * (1+ d/range) * exp(-d/range)
round(eigen(cov_mat2)$values,3)
```

```
## [1] 171.610 13.616 11.197 2.368 2.039 1.116 0.924 0.505 0.458
## [10] 0.278 0.253 0.190 0.153 0.122 0.109 0.082 0.075 0.074
## [19] 0.048 0.041 0.039 0.032 0.028 0.027 0.021 0.019 0.016
## [28] 0.013 0.012 0.012 0.008 0.007 0.005 0.004 0.003 0.002
## [37] 0.002 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 -0.001 -0.001 -0.001 -0.002
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## [46] -0.003 -0.003 -0.003 -0.004 -0.005 -0.006 -0.007 -0.007 -0.008
## [55] -0.008 -0.010 -0.010 -0.011 -0.012 -0.013 -0.015 -0.016 -0.016
## [64] -0.018 -0.019 -0.020 -0.022 -0.024 -0.024 -0.026 -0.027 -0.029
## [73] -0.030 -0.031 -0.036 -0.037 -0.042 -0.043 -0.044 -0.052 -0.053
## [82] -0.057 -0.064 -0.072 -0.073 -0.080 -0.094 -0.101 -0.108 -0.123
## [91] -0.142 -0.144 -0.173 -0.217 -0.281 -0.321 -0.333 -0.610 -0.663
## [100] -1.111
```

```
# data2 <- mvrnorm(n = n, mu = rep(0,n), Sigma = cov_mat)
```

Use MLE

For this section, I fit parameters using MLE of covariance matrix:

```
# Generate 10000 observations of multivariate normal
# having exponential covariance function
n2 = 10000
theta = 2; range = 2
cov_mat <- theta * exp(-d/range)
data <- mvrnorm(n = n2, mu = rep(0,n), Sigma = cov_mat)

# mle of covariance matrix
mle_cov = 1/n2 * t(data) %*% data

# fit model using matern15_scaledim: sigma^2 * (1+d)%*% exp(-d/range)
sigma_sq = diag(mle_cov %*% solve( (1+d/range)* exp(-d/range) ))

# fite model using true exponential: sigma^2 * exp(-d/range)
sigma_sq2 = diag(mle_cov %*% solve(exp(-d/range) ))

cat("Given ", n2, "samples with true [theta, range] =", matrix(c(2,2),nrow=1),
    "\n\nestimate of (theta, range ) by fitting with matern15_isotropic are :", mean(sigma_sq),
    "\n\nestimate of (theta, range ) by fitting with true exponential_isotropic are :", mean(sigma_sq2) )

## Given 10000 samples with true [theta, range] = 2 2 ,
##
## estimate of (theta, range ) by fitting with matern15_isotropic are : 570.7625
##
## estimate of (theta, range ) by fitting with true exponential_isotropic are : 2.002314
```