

Homework #4 MIE 1613

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In [72]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
import scipy.stats as stats
import math
import SimFunctions
import SimRNG
import SimClasses
sns.set_style('whitegrid')
%matplotlib inline
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Problem #1 : Steady State Waiting time Estimation for M/G/1 Queue

The problem is a simulation of the M/G/1 queue using Lindley's equation:

$$Y_i = \max\{0, Y_{i-1} + X_{i-1} - A_i\}, i = 1, 2, \dots$$

where Y_i is the i th customer's waiting time, X_i is that customer's service time, and A_i is the interarrival time between customers $i - 1$ and i

Step 1: Determine the warm up

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In [2]: #Code Adapted from the python notebook from class

def t_mean_confidence_interval(data,alpha):
    a = 1.0*np.array(data)
    n = len(a)
    m, se = np.mean(a), np.std(a,ddof=1)
    h = stats.t.ppf(1-alpha/2, n-1)*se/np.sqrt(n)
    return m, "+/-", h

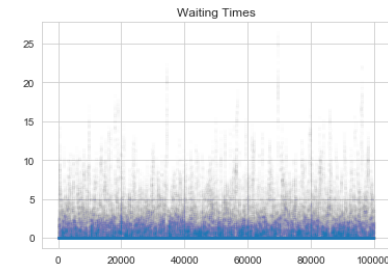
m = 100000 #length
d = 0 #warmup of zero for now

MeanTBA = 1.0 # average interarrival time
MeanST = 0.8 # average service time

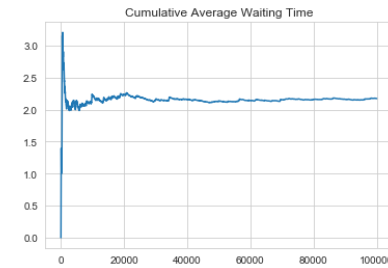
def simulate_mg1(m,d, MeanTBA, MeanST):
    np.random.seed(1)
    Y = np.zeros(m-d)
    for i in range(1,d+1,1):
        print(i)
        A = np.random.exponential(MeanTBA, 1)
        X = np.sum(np.random.exponential(MeanST/3,3))
        Y[i] = max(0, Y[i-1] + X - A)

    for i in range(1+d,m,1):
        A = np.random.exponential(MeanTBA, 1)
        X = np.sum(np.random.exponential(MeanST/3,3))
        Y[i] = max(0, Y[i-1] + X - A)
    return Y
Y = simulate_mg1(m,d, MeanTBA, MeanST)
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In [3]: plt.title("Waiting Times")
plt.plot(Y,'.',alpha = 0.005);
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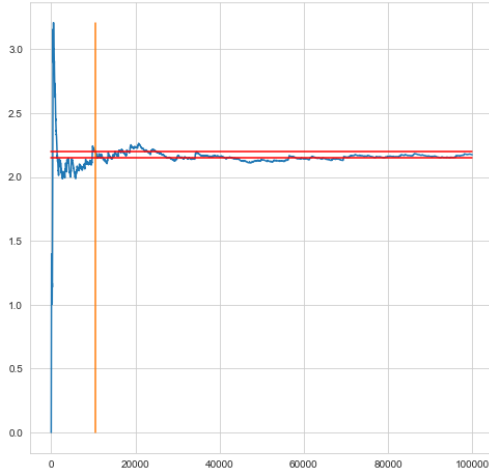


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In [4]: #cumulative Average
plt.title("Cumulative Average Waiting Time")
Y_j = Y.cumsum()/np.arange(1,len(Y)+1)
plt.plot(Y_j);
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In [5]: # detecting when the average does not deviate from the final average by more than
#the specified tolerance
tol = 0.01*Y_j[-1]
i=0
m = 100
j = 0
while i < len(Y):
    if abs(Y_j[i] - Y_j[-1]) < tol:
        j = j + 1
        if j >= m:
            break
    else:
        j = 0
    i = i + 1
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In [6]: plt.figure(figsize = (8,8))
plt.plot(Y_j);
plt.plot([i,i],[0,np.max(Y_j)]);
plt.plot([0,len(Y_j)],[Y_j[-1]+tol,Y_j[-1]+tol], 'red');
plt.plot([0,len(Y_j)],[Y_j[-1]-tol,Y_j[-1]-tol], 'red');
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Drop the first observations up to index d.

From the textbook:

1. Divide the remaining $m-d$ observations into from $10 \leq k \leq 30$ batches, looking for a value of k that divides $m-d$ close to evenly (if there are data left over, delete from the beginning).
2. Compute the sample mean and form the batch means confidence interval (8.17)

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In [7]: d = i
Y_warm = Y[d:]
#Choose 20 batches for approx 5000 obs per batch estimate
k = 20
batches = np.array_split(Y_warm, k)
q = 0.8
quantiles = [np.quantile(batches[i], q) for i in range(len(batches))]
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In [8]: quantiles
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Out[8]: [3.797904887289595,
3.809169173830547,
3.7913387039923063,
3.1534725475813654,
3.833335753413503,
3.570918537466137,
3.6439724762647483,
3.2691966493436073,
3.967381245234501,
3.627543555651312,
4.005163588715895,
3.566109267260474,
3.556233593691834,
4.265966082084617,
3.5900237641242576,
3.6646907480739483,
4.565980422551518,
3.0872559953553544,
3.3636521748132924,
4.387382311072847]
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In [9]: t_mean_confidence_interval(quantiles,0.05)
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Out[9]: (3.7258345738905825, '+- ', 0.1793907463113432)
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Problem #2

Part a: Simulation Logic

The code below provides an implementation of a discrete event based simulation model for the inventory system considered in the question. The code is broken down into two components.

Part 1: Problem Set Up

- Define the statistics of interest and set them up in using the boilerplate code from previous experiments.
- Define the distribution function for the random demand amount
- Specify problem parameters such as costs and probability of times

Part 2: Simulation Function

- Specify the event functions and helper functions
- Replication loop
- For the case of one replication output the sample path information (for sense checking)

Event Functions

Three events are outlined: i) The arrival of new demand, ii) Placing Orders, iii) Arriving Orders. Please read the doc strings in the sub functions inside the function:

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simulate_inventory
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for more information.

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In [138]: s = 20 #policy parameter
S = 40 #policy parameter
N = 1 #number of replications
T = 120 #Length of simulation in months
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In [151]: #Part 1 Problem Set up
          ##STATISTICS OF INTEREST (USED TO CALCULATE THE EXPECTED COST)
          I = SimClasses.CTStat()
          I_neg = SimClasses.CTStat()
          I_pos = SimClasses.CTStat()
          Order_Cost = SimClasses.DTStat()
          Calendar = SimClasses.EventCalendar()

          ##Setting up the statistics
          TheCTStats = []
          TheDTStats = []
          TheQueues = []
          TheResources = []
          TheCTStats.append(I)
          TheCTStats.append(I_neg)
          TheCTStats.append(I_pos)
          TheDTStats.append(Order_Cost)

          #Part 2 Function Definition
          def simulate_inventory(s,S,N,T):

              ##SPECIFYING THE PROBABILITY DISTRIBUTION FOR
              ##THE DEMAND FUNCTION
              Demand_Elements = [1,2,3,4]
              Demand_Probabilities = np.array([1/6, 1/3, 1/3, 1/6])
              distrib = list(Demand_Probabilities.cumsum())

              ##MODEL PARAMETERS GIVEN IN THE QUESTION
              start = 60 #starting inventory
              K = 32 #setup cost
              i = 3 #incremental cost
              MeanTBD = 0.1 #time between demands
              lowerOLT = 0.5 #order lag time
              upperOLT = 1 #order lag time
              TBO = 1 #time between orders
              pi = 5 #shortage cost
              h = 1 #excess inventory cost

              ## EVENT FUNCTIONS
              def DemandArrival():
                  '''This function updates the Inventory counts
                  according to the random discrete distribution
                  and schedules the next demand arrival according
                  to an exponential distribution'''
                  #schedule next demand
                  SimFunctions.Schedule(Calendar,"DemandArrival",SimRNG.Expon(MeanTBD, 1))
                  #the demand is random iid
                  D = SimRNG.Random_integer(distrib,2)
                  New_I = I.Xlast - D
                  update_inventories(I, I_neg, I_pos, New_I, record)

              def OrderArrival(Z):
                  '''Upon an orders arrival the inventory will increase
                  this function takes in an amount Z of inventory
                  updates the inventory amount'''
                  #Update inventory
                  New_I = I.Xlast + Z
                  update_inventories(I, I_neg, I_pos, New_I, record)

              def ScheduleOrder(s,S):
                  '''This function:
                  i) Schedules the next order TBO time units from clock
                  ii) Take in the policy parameters s and S to determine the order size.
                     if there is an order then the order's arrival is scheduled
                  iii) the function returns the order amount'''
                  SimFunctions.Schedule(Calendar,"ScheduleOrder",TBO)
                  #determine order size
                  if I.Xlast < s:
                      #schedule the order
                      #track the cost

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          Z = S - I.Xlast
          Order_Cost.Record(K + i*Z)
          SimFunctions.Schedule(Calendar,"OrderArrival",SimRNG.Uniform(lowerOLT,upperOLT,3))
        else:
            Z = 0
        return Z

        #IF THERE IS ONE REPLICATION THE CODE
        #WILL OUTPUT THE INVENTORY SAMPLE PATH
        record = N == 1
        I_hist = []
        I_neg_hist = []
        I_pos_hist = []
        T_hist = []

        def update_inventories(I, I_neg, I_pos, x, record = False):
            #a short cut to update the statistics
            I.Record(x)
            I_pos.Record(np.max([I.Xlast, 0]))
            I_neg.Record(np.max([-1*I.Xlast, 0]))
            #if the record flag is true then the
            #append the statistic values to the historical
            #lists
            if record:
                I_neg_hist.append(I_neg.Xlast)
                I_pos_hist.append(I_pos.Xlast)
                I_hist.append(I.Xlast)
                T_hist.append(SimClasses.Clock)

        ##STORING REPLICATION COST OUTPUTS
        Cost = []

        ##REPLICATION LOOP
        for reps in range(0,N,1):
            SimFunctions.SimFunctionsInit(Calendar,TheQueues,TheCTStats,TheDTStats,TheResources)
            update_inventories(I, I_neg, I_pos, 60, record)
            SimFunctions.Schedule(Calendar,"DemandArrival",SimRNG.Expon(MeanTBD, 1))
            SimFunctions.Schedule(Calendar,"ScheduleOrder",TBO)
            SimFunctions.Schedule(Calendar,"EndSimulation",T)

            NextEvent = Calendar.Remove()
            SimClasses.Clock = NextEvent.EventTime
            if NextEvent.EventType == "DemandArrival":
                DemandArrival()
            elif NextEvent.EventType == "ScheduleOrder":
                ScheduleOrder(s,S)
            elif NextEvent.EventType == "EndSimulation":
                EndOfService()

            while NextEvent.EventType != "EndSimulation":
                NextEvent = Calendar.Remove()
                SimClasses.Clock = NextEvent.EventTime
                if NextEvent.EventType == "DemandArrival":
                    DemandArrival()
                elif NextEvent.EventType == "ScheduleOrder":
                    Z = ScheduleOrder(s,S)
                elif NextEvent.EventType == "OrderArrival":
                    OrderArrival(Z)

            #Calculate the cost experienced during that replication
            Total_Cost = pi*I_neg.Mean() + h*I_pos.Mean() + Order_Cost.Sum
            Cost.append(Total_Cost)

        #plot a sample path
        if record:
            plt.figure()
            plt.title("Inventory Sample Path")
            plt.step(T_hist, I_hist);
            plt.figure()
            plt.title("Positive and Negative Components")
            plt.step(T_hist,I_pos_hist, label = '$I^+$');
            plt.step(T_hist,-1*np.array(I_neg_hist), 'orange', label = '$I^-$');
            plt.legend()

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return np.array(Cost)

# Sample Path
simulate_inventory(20,40,N,T)

Out[151]: array([12076.1172379 , 11579.06937065, 12014.75442101, 12334.31855657,
11092.81275541, 11678.08648925, 11409.66368989, 11394.47530357,
12048.25517417, 12227.1819239 , 11676.40447402, 12037.4107458 ,
11669.06782494, 11153.62975018, 12153.17222227, 11372.57816615,
11513.30071949, 12402.21988052, 11369.01710141, 11664.05851795,
11737.79831876, 12094.46139202, 12704.17751957, 11858.09944783,
11771.88606619, 11936.7359108 , 11527.62589514, 11886.45579971,
12018.18707808, 12425.73400573, 11608.19951055, 11670.96279039,
11731.096491 , 12276.5859279 , 11776.25022994, 11718.64670963,
12113.52265456, 11079.26874654, 12048.74879641, 11908.88310948,
11904.37795911, 11699.3835998 , 11602.44549268, 11685.95482346,
11886.1826057 , 12034.08822576, 11933.34712996, 11613.2154371 ,
12181.29542285, 11956.95672875])
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Part b) Confidence Interval (95%) for the expected cost of a policy with $(s; S) = (20; 40)$ using 500 replications.

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In [152]: N, s, S = 500, 20, 40
costs = simulate_inventory(s,S,N,T)

In [153]: plt.hist(costs, bins = 30);

In [154]: t_mean_confidence_interval(costs,0.05)

Out[154]: (11745.16062866661, '+/-', 33.12155292889283)
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Therefore the 95% confidence interval is 11740 +/- 30

Part c) Subset Selection Method

The goal is to deliver a set of feasible scenarios (I) such that the probability that the best scenario (x_b) is in the set is greater than some specified tolerance $1 - \alpha$.

i.e deliver I s.t

$Pr\{x_b \in I\} \geq 1 - \alpha$

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In [206]: ##STEP 0: SPECIFY PARAMETERS AND POPULATE THE SCENARIOS
alpha = 0.05
s = [20, 20, 20, 20, 40, 40, 40, 60, 60]
S = [40, 60, 80, 100, 60, 80, 100, 80, 100]
N = 100
I_ = {}
for i in range(len(ss)):
    I_[(s[i], S[i])] = simulate_inventory(s[i],S[i],N,T)

In [211]: pd.DataFrame(I_).hist(figsize = (6,6), sharex=True, sharey=True );

(20, 40) (20, 60) (20, 80)
(20, 100) (40, 60) (40, 80)
(40, 100) (60, 80) (60, 100)

In [212]: ## STEP 1 Calculate the t quantiles for each scenario
K = len(ss);
t = {};
ni = {};
q = (1 - alpha)**(1/(K-1))

for key in I_.keys():
    ni[key] = len(I_[key])
    t[key] = stats.t.ppf(q, ni[key]-1)

t

Out[212]: {(20, 40): 2.2575896178284887,
(20, 60): 2.2575896178284887,
(20, 80): 2.2575896178284887,
(20, 100): 2.2575896178284887,
(40, 60): 2.2575896178284887,
(40, 80): 2.2575896178284887,
(40, 100): 2.2575896178284887,
(60, 80): 2.2575896178284887,
(60, 100): 2.2575896178284887}
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In [213]: ## STEP 2.1: Calculate the sample means and sample variances
sample_means = {}
sample_vars = {}

for key, value in I_.items():
    sample_means[key] = np.mean(value)
    sample_vars[key] = np.var(value, ddof=1)

## STEP 2.2: Calculate the pairwise thresholds
Thresholds = {}
for key_i in I_.keys():
    for key_h in I_.keys():
        if key_i != key_h:
            #not the most computationally efficient way.
            Thresholds[(key_i, key_h)] = ((t[key_i]**2)*sample_vars[key_i]/ni[key_i] + (t[key_h]**2)*s
sample_vars[key_h]/ni[key_h])**0.5

In [214]: ## STEP 3.0: Form the subset of scenarios that are less than the others plus the threshold between the
m
Out = set()
for key_i in I_.keys():
    flag = 1
    for key_h in I_.keys():
        if key_i != key_h and sample_means[key_i] > sample_means[key_h] + Thresholds[(key_i, key_h
)]]:
            flag = 0
    if flag:
        Out.add(key_i)

In [215]: Out
Out[215]: {(20, 100)}
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Therefore the best design is s = 20, S = 100 with 95% confidence!

Part d)

The selection of the best algorithm guarantees that: $Pr\{\text{select } x_B | \theta(x_i) - \theta(x_b) \geq \delta, \forall i \neq B\} \geq 1 - \alpha$

i.e there is over a $1-\alpha$ probability that the best scenario is selected conditional on the cost difference between the best scenario and the other scenarios being larger than delta. In the case of $\delta = 10$ and $\alpha = 0.05$ and $(s, S) = (20, 60)$: it follows that out of all the scenarios that have over a 10 dollar higher average cost we are 95% confident that $(20, 60)$ is the best design.

Furthermore, if there is a scenario that has an expected cost within 10 dollars of the selected scenario then the selected scenario 20, 60 is within ten dollars of the best.

Problem # 3

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In [ ]:
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