skewed: tree size under sweepstakes reproduction

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Abstract

This code estimates the total tree size of a sample of a given size up to and including the total population. The population is finite and haploid and evolves according to a model of sweepstakes reproduction. The code is part of joint work with Jonathan A. Chetwyn-Diggle and Alison Etheridge about trying to understand what happens to genealogies when sample size becomes 'large' (1).

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skewed : estimates tree size for a sample from a haploid population with sweepstakes reproduction

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2 compilation and execution

```
Use ctangle to generate a C++ file ending in .c, and cweave to generate a LATEX file ending in .tex for compilin the documentation. Compiling the C++ code:

c++ -Wall -Wextra -pedantic -std=c++20 -m64 -0g -march=native poptreeskewed.c

-lm -lgsl -lgslcblas

The code passes valgrind checks for memory leaks, and a basic cppcheck.

Call the compiled code with

./a.out $(shuf -i 1000-100000 -n1)
```

3 intro

?(SEC:intro)?

Consider a haploid population evolving according to sweepstakes reproduction. In any given generation the current N individuals independently produce juveniles (potential offspring) according to a given law. From the total pool of at least N juveniles we sample N juveniles independently and uniformly at random without replacement to form the next set of reproducing individuals. The random number of juveniles is given the distribution

$$\mathbb{P}\left(X_{1} = k\right) = \mathbb{1}_{\{1 \le k \le u(N)\}} \left(\frac{1}{k^{\alpha}} - \frac{1}{(1+k)^{\alpha}}\right) \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{(1+u(N))^{\alpha}}},\tag{1} \text{ eq:1}$$

where $u(N) \in \{1, 2, ...\}$ is an upper bound on the number of juveniles. Assuming an upper bound on the number of juveniles is biologically reasonable. We assume $1 < \alpha < 2$.

We are interested in the tree size $B^N(N)$ of the whole population measured in generations. We would like to see if we can identify a scaling f(N) so that $B^N(N)/f(N)$ converges (ideally almost surely, but in L_1 would do), and we are hoping simulating this could give us an idea of the scaling (although for sure can be misleading).

4 code

?(SEC:code)?

The sampling is individual-based, meaning we consider a finite haploid population, traverse the tree backwards-in-time generation by generation, and measure the tree size in generations. The code is simple enough, unfortunately however, the sampling becomes damn slow for $N \ge 10^6$. The following sections describe each small part of the code, each is self-explanatory.

4.1 GSL random number generator

 $\langle \mathtt{SEC} : \mathtt{gslrng} \rangle$

We will use the GSL random number generators for drawing a random uniform from the unit interval, and in the hypergeometric sampling.

```
5 ⟨GSL rng 5⟩ ≡
    gsl_rng * rngtype;
static void setup_rng(unsigned long int s)
{
    const gsl_rng_type*T;
    gsl_rng_env_setup();
    T = gsl_rng_default;
    rngtype = gsl_rng_alloc(T);
    gsl_rng_set(rngtype, s);
}
```

4.2 constants

?(SEC:const)?

For convenience we define here the key data, the α parameter CONST_ALPHA and the cutoff u(N) CONST_CUTOFF of the juvenile distribution Eq (1), and the population size NCONST_POP_SIZE. The code is configured to estimate the tree size of the whole population, however any sample size works.

```
\begin{array}{l} 6 \quad \langle \mbox{ constants } 6 \rangle \equiv \\ \\ \mbox{ const double CONST_ALPHA} = 1.05; \\ \\ \mbox{ const size_t CONST_POP_SIZE} = 1 \cdot 10^1; \\ \\ \mbox{ const double CONST_CUTOFF} = 1. \cdot 10^1; \end{array}
```

4.3 includes

```
(SEC:includes)
```

Probably don't need all the libraries.

```
7 \langle \text{includes } 7 \rangle \equiv
  #include <iostream>
   #include <vector>
  #include <random>
   #include <functional>
   #include <memory>
  #include <utility>
   #include <algorithm>
   #include <ctime>
   #include <cstdlib>
   #include <cmath>
   #include <string>
   #include <fstream>
   #include <chrono>
   #include <assert.h>
   #include <math.h>
   #include <unistd.h>
  #include <omp.h>
   #include <stdio.h>
   #include <gsl/gsl_rng.h>
   #include <gsl/gsl_randist.h>
```

4.4 compute the cumulative density function

⟨SEC:cdf⟩

Compute the cumulative density function for sampling a number of juveniles using the mass function Eq (1).

```
static void mass_function ( std :: vector < double > & vcdf ) 

{     /* set probability of zero juveniles to zero vcdf [0] = 0.0 

     */     vcdf .push_back(0.0); 

for (double j = 1; j \le \text{CONST\_CUTOFF}; ++j) { 

     /* set vcdf [j] to vcdf [j - 1] +P (X<sub>1</sub> = j) Eq (1) 

     */     vcdf .push_back(vcdf .back() + (pow(1.0/j, CONST_ALPHA) - pow(1.0/(1. + j), CONST_ALPHA))/(1. - pow(1./(CONST_CUTOFF + 1.), CONST_ALPHA))); 

}
```

4.5 sample one number of juveniles

EC:samplejuvsangle

Sample one realisation of number of juveniles by the inverse-CDF method using the CDF computed by $mass_function \S 4.4$

4.6 sample a pool of juveniles

```
⟨SEC:pool⟩
          Sample a pool of juveniles using sample_juveniles § 4.5
      10 \langle pool 10 \rangle \equiv
             static size_t sample_pool_juveniles ( std::vector < size_t > &pool_juvs, const std::vector
                       < double > &v_cdf, gsl_rng*r)
                  {
                    pool_juvs.clear();
                     size_t s = 0;
                    for (size_t i = 0; i < CONST_POP_SIZE; ++i) {
                       pool\_juvs.push\_back(sample\_juveniles(v\_cdf, r));
                       s += pool\_juvs.back();
                           /* return the total number of juveniles; since \mathbb{P}(X_1 = 0) = 0 we always have
                            at least N juveniles
                            */
                    return (s);
                  }
```

4.7 compute new number of lines

(SEC:newlines)

Compute new number of lines by assigning current lines to families uniformly at random and without replacement; i.e. the joint distribution of number of lines per family is multivariate hypergeometric. We sample the marginals, and only need to record the number of families with at least one line. Conditional on $(X_1, \ldots, X_N) = (x_1, \ldots, x_N)$ and m current number of lines

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\left(\nu_{1},\ldots,\nu_{N}\right)=\left(m_{1},\ldots,m_{N}\right)\right)=\frac{\binom{x_{1}}{m_{1}}\cdots\binom{x_{N}}{m_{N}}}{\binom{\sum_{i}x_{i}}{m}}.$$

$$(2)\boxed{\text{eq:2}}$$

where $m_1 + \cdots + m_N = m$. Then the new number of lines is

$$m' = \sum_{i} \mathbb{1}_{\{m_i > 0\}}.$$
 (3) eq:3

We sample the marginals, meaning we sample consecutively ν_1 , ν_2 , etc. updating the number of remaining lines until all the current lines have been assigned a family, or we have sampled ν_{N-1} , in which case the remaining lines are assigned to ν_N .

11 \langle new number lines 11 $\rangle \equiv$

```
++i;  /* we can stop as soon as all lines have been assigned to a family
    */
    n_others -= v_juvs[i];
    x = gsl_ran_hypergeometric(r, v_juvs[i], n_others, k);
    new_number_lines += (x > 0 ? 1 : 0);
    k -= x;
}
new_number_lines += (k > 0 ? 1 : 0);  /* return m' in Eq (3)
    */
return (new_number_lines);
}
```

```
estimate the tree size
imatetreesize>
              Estimate the tree size
          12 \langle estimatesize 12\rangle \equiv
                 static void tree_size(gsl_rng * r) {
                          /* initialise the container for holding the CDF from Eq (1)
                           */
                      std::vector < \mathbf{double} > v_cdf;
                      v_cdf. reserve(static_cast\size_t\)(CONST_CUTOFF) + 1);
                          /* compute the CDF from Eq (1) § 4.4
                           */
                      mass\_function(v\_cdf);
                                                 /* initialise the container for holding realisations of
                           X_1, \ldots, X_N the random number of juveniles
                      std::vector < size_t > v_pjuvs;
                      v_pjuvs.reserve(CONST_POP_SIZE); /* initialise the local variables
                           */
                      size_t current_number_lines = CONST_POP_SIZE;
                      size_t SN = 0;
                      size_t tree_size = 0;
                      while (current\_number\_lines > 1) {
                                                                /* sample pool of juveniles § 4.6
                         tree_size += current_number_lines;
                             */
                        SN = sample\_pool\_juveniles(v\_pjuvs, v\_cdf, r);
                            /* compute the new number of lines § 4.7
                         current\_number\_lines = r\_new\_number\_lines(current\_number\_lines, v\_pjuvs, SN,
                             rngtype);
```

}

```
printf("%lu\n", tree_size); }
This code is used in chunk 13.
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       */
  ⟨GSL rng 5⟩
  \langle \text{ constants } 6 \rangle /* § 4.4
       */
  ⟨cdf 8⟩ /* § 4.5
       */
  \langle sample number juveniles 9\rangle /* § 4.6
       */
  ⟨pool 10⟩ /* § 4.7
       */
  \langle new number lines 11 \rangle /* § 4.8
       */
  ⟨estimatesize 12⟩
       int main(int argc, char *argv[])
       {
            /* estimate the tree size § 4.8
                     /* initialise the GSL random number generator § 4.1
               */
          setup\_rng(\mathbf{static\_cast} \langle \mathbf{unsigned\ long} \rangle (atol(argv[1])));
          tree_size(rngtype);
          gsl_rng_free(rngtype);
          return (0); /* at end of main function
               */ /* See § 2 for compiling and running.
               */
```

5 references

?(SEC:refs)?

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