

Viability selection and high fecundity time to reach high frequency

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Abstract

This code simulates viability selection in a haploid population characterised by high fecundity and sweepstakes reproduction (HFSR). An estimate of the expected time of an allelic type to reach a given frequency, conditional on the event of reaching high frequency. We exclude mutation. This CWEB (KNUTH and LEVY, 1994) technical report describes corresponding C (KERNIGHAN and RITCHIE, 1988) code. CWEB documents may be compiled with `cweave` and `ctangle`.

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2 Introduction

Some populations are highly fecund broadcast spawners and may be characterised by Type III survivorship curve. The reproduction mode of such populations has been described as sweepstakes reproduction where few parents contribute most of the offspring to a new generation. Reproduction models which take into account sweepstakes reproduction do so through heavy-tailed, or skewed, offspring distributions. The impact of such reproduction modes on selection has been little discussed (DER *et al.*, 2012; FOUCART, 2013; ETHERIDGE *et al.*, 2010).

We consider a new model of HFSR in a haploid population of fixed size N . In each generation, individual i for $i \in [N] := \{1, 2, \dots, N\}$ for $N \in \mathbb{N} := \{1, 2, \dots\}$ independently contributes a random number X_i of juveniles. If the total count of juveniles exceeds N random sampling of juveniles takes place in which N juveniles are sampled to form the new set of adults. In case of a highly fecund population with sweepstakes reproduction (HFSR population), the distribution of X_i is heavy-tailed with parameters $\alpha, C, \gamma > 0$ and mass function

$$\mathbb{P}(X = k) := C \left(\frac{1}{k^\alpha} - \frac{1}{(k+1)^\alpha} \right), \quad 1 \leq k \leq \gamma. \quad (1)$$

One can choose C so that $\mathbb{P}(X_1 = 0) \geq 0$ and $\mathbb{E}[X_1] > 1$. Our main requirement is that $\mathbb{E}[X_1] > 1$ since then the total number of juveniles is at least N with high probability for large N .

We model viability selection as follows. We assume there are n allelic types segregating in the population; we label these types by the typespace $E = \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$. The juveniles inherit the types of their parents since we exclude mutation. We assume there is a *trait function* which maps the genetic type to a trait value. We assume the trait function

$$z(i) = \frac{i}{i+1}, \quad i \in \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}. \quad (2)$$

We assume there is a *fitness function* which maps the trait value to a fitness value. We consider an exponential fitness function, where s denotes the strength of selection and z_0 the optimal trait value,

$$w(z) = \exp \left(-s(z - z_0)^2 \right), \quad z \in [0, 1]; \quad (3)$$

and an algebraic fitness function

$$w(z) = \frac{1}{1 + s(z - z_0)}, \quad z \in [0, 1]. \quad (4)$$

If the count of juveniles is greater than N we draw a random exponential with rate $w(z)$ from either the algebraic (4) or exponential (3) fitness function. The N juveniles with smallest times then form the new set of adults. If the count of juveniles equals N then all juveniles survive; we draw a new set of juveniles in case the count is less than N .

Let Y_r denote the frequency of the type conferring highest fitness at time (generation) r . Define $T := \inf\{r \in \mathbb{N} : Y_r \geq y\}$ as the first time Y_r is at least y ; ie. the fittest type has reached frequency y . We estimate the conditional expected time $\tau := \mathbb{E}[T : Y_r > 0 \ \forall \ r]$. For comparison with our HFSR model (1) we model the number of juveniles according to a Poisson distribution with mean $\mathbb{E}^{(\text{HFSR})}[X_1]$.

3 Compile and run

Use `cweave` on the `.w` file to generate `.tex` file, and `ctangle` to generate a `.c` file.

The necessary parameters have preset values (see section 4.7). By way of example, assuming the executable is `a.out`, then with random seed `12345` the command

```
./a.out 12345 out.out
```

writes into `out.out`

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ten realisations of the time T .

4 Code

4.1 Random number generator

A random number generator of choice is declared using the *GSL_RNG_TYPE* environment variable. The default generator is the ‘Mersenne Twister’ random number generator ? as implemented in GSL.

5 \langle random number generator 5 $\rangle \equiv$

declare the random number generator *rngtype*

gsl_rng * *rngtype*;

Define the function *setup_rng* which initializes *rngtype*:

void *setup_rng*(**unsigned long int** *seed*)

{

set the type as *mt19937*

rngtype = *gsl_rng_alloc*(*gsl_rng_mt19937*);

gsl_rng_set(*rngtype*, *seed*);

gsl_rng_env_setup();

}

This code is used in chunk 11.

4.2 Definitions

6 $\langle \text{object definitions 6} \rangle \equiv$

```
#define MAX_JUVENILES 10000000
```

This code is used in chunk 11.

4.3 Draw values for X_i

Draw values for X_i ; the diploid juveniles. We take $C, \alpha > 0$ and consider

$$\mathbb{P}(X_i = k) = Ck^{-\alpha} - C\mathbb{1}(k < \psi)(1 + k)^{-\alpha}, \quad k \in [\psi],$$

and we observe that $\mathbb{P}(X_i = 0) = 1 - C$. To have the mean $\mathbb{E}[X_1] > 1$ we require approximately $C > \alpha - 1$.

7 $\langle \text{initialize distribution for } X_i \text{ } \rangle \equiv$

```

void drawXi(int N, int psi, double a, double b, gsl_ran_discrete_t * Pmass, int
    *tXi, gsl_rng * r)
{
    int k, teljari;
    tXi[0] = 0;
    teljari = 0;
    while ((tXi[0] < N)  $\wedge$  (teljari < 1000000)) {
        teljari = teljari + 1;
        tXi[0] = 0;
        for (k = 1; k  $\leq$  N; k++) {
            tXi[k] = (a > 0. ? (int) gsl_ran_discrete(r, Pmass) : gsl_ran_poisson(r, b));
            tXi[0] = tXi[0] + tXi[k];
        }
    }
    assert(teljari < 1000000);
    assert(tXi[0]  $\leq$  MAX_JUVENILES);
}

```

This code is used in chunk 11.

4.4 Update population

Update population given numbers x_i of juveniles generated by each individual.

8 $\langle \text{population update } 8 \rangle \equiv$

```

double update_population(int N,double variance,int nalleles,double s,double
    znull,double epsilon,int *Pop,int *tXi,int *tempJuve,double *Z,double
    *locuseffects,double *etimes,size_t *aindex, gsl_rng *r)
{
    /* N is number of pairs, L is number of loci, s is selection coefficient, znull is trait
    optimum */

    int i, k, xindex;
    double Zbar = 0.;
    double w;

    /* tXi[0] =  $X_1 + \dots + X_N$  is the total number of juveniles */

    xindex = 0;
    for (i = 1; i ≤ N; i++) {
        /* check if individual i produced potential offspring, ie. if  $X_i > 0$  */

        if (tXi[i] > 0) {
            for (k = 1; k ≤ tXi[i]; k++) {
                /* if no mutation, copy the type of the parent */

                tempJuve[xindex + 1] = Pop[i];
                /* compute the trait value  $z_i = \mathbb{1}(v > 0) G(0, v) + \frac{i}{1+i}$  of juvenile i where v
                denotes the variance */

                Z[xindex + 1] = (variance > 0. ? gsl_ran_gaussian_ziggurat(r,
                    variance) : 0.) + locuseffects[tempJuve[xindex + 1]];
                /* compute fitness value  $w = 1/(1 + s(z_i - z_0)^2)$ ; now exponential fitness
                function  $w = \exp(-s(z_i - z_0)^2)$  */

                w = 1./ (1. + (s * gsl_pow_2(Z[xindex + 1] - znull)));
                assert(w > 0);    /* draw exponential times with rate w */
            }
        }
    }
}

```

```

    etimes[xindex] = gsl_ran_exponential(r, 1./w);
    xindex = xindex + 1;
}
}
}
assert(xindex == tXi[0]);

/* sort the exponential times, if tXi[0] > N */
if (tXi[0] > N) {
    gsl_sort_index(aindex, etimes, 1, tXi[0]);

    /* the first N indexes in aindex are the indexes of the surviving juveniles */
    for (i = 0; i < N; i++) {
        Pop[i + 1] = tempJuve[aindex[i]];

        /* the trait value of the population is given by  $\bar{z} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i z_{\sigma(i)}$  where  $\sigma(i)$  is the
        ordered index  $i$ , in ascending order of the associated exponential times; we
        compute and return the fraction of the null type, the most fit type */
        /* Zbar counts the number of alleles of the fittest type; either type  $n - 1$  or 0
        can be the fittest types */
        Zbar = Zbar + (znull > 0. ? (Pop[i + 1] < nalleles - 1 ? 0.0 : 1.0) : (Pop[i + 1] > 0 ?
        0. : 1.0))/((double) N);
    }
}
else {
    /* exactly N juveniles, so all survive */
    for (i = 0; i < N; i++) {
        Pop[i + 1] = tempJuve[i + 1];

        /* Zbar counts the number of alleles of the fittest type; either type  $n - 1$  or 0
        can be the fittest types */
        Zbar = Zbar + (znull > 0. ? (Pop[i + 1] < nalleles - 1 ? 0.0 : 1.0) : (Pop[i + 1] > 0 ?
        0. : 1.0))/((double) N);
    }
}
return (Zbar);
}

```

This code is used in chunk 11.

4.5 Simulator

Run many replicates.

9 $\langle \text{replicates } 9 \rangle \equiv$

```

void simulator(int N,int nalleles,double variance,double a,double b,int Psi,double
    s,double znull,double epsilon,int nruns,char skra[200],gsl_rng *r)
{
    /* N is population size; nalleles is number of alleles */
    double zbar;
    int *Pop = (int *) calloc(N + 1, sizeof(int));
    double *Z = (double *) calloc(MAX_JUVENILES, sizeof(double));
    size_t *aindex = (size_t *) calloc(MAX_JUVENILES, sizeof(size_t));
    double *etimes = (double *) calloc(MAX_JUVENILES, sizeof(double));
    int *tempJuve = (int *) calloc(MAX_JUVENILES, sizeof(int));
    double *PXi = (double *) calloc(1 + Psi, sizeof(double));
    double *leffects = (double *) calloc(nalleles, sizeof(double));
    double X0;
    int *tXi = (int *) calloc(N + 1, sizeof(int));
    int k, ngens;
    double mean = 0.;
    PXi[0] = 0.;
    for (k = 1; k ≤ Psi; k++) {
        /*  $P(X_i = k) = k^{-\alpha} - (k+1)^{-\alpha}$  for  $1 \leq k \leq \psi$  */
        PXi[k] = (a > 0. ? (pow(1./(((double) k)), a) - pow(1./(((double)(1 + k))), a)) : 1.);
        assert(PXi[k] ≥ 0.);
        mean = mean + (((double) k) * PXi[k]);
    }
    gsl_ran_discrete_t *Pmass = gsl_ran_discrete_preproc(1 + Psi, PXi);
    /* here we set the allelic type effects  $\xi_j$ ; one option might be  $\xi_j = j/(1+j)$ , another
       option might be  $\xi_j = j/n$  where n is the number of types, and  $0 \leq j \leq n-1$ . */
    for (k = 0; k < nalleles; k++) {
        leffects[k] = (((double) k)/(((double)(1 + k)));
    }
    int rep = 0;
    while (rep < nruns) {

```

```

zbar = 0.;
/* initialise population by assigning allelic type from  $\{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$ , where
n is number of types, uniformly at random to each individual. Initialise
 $zbar = \bar{z} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i z_i$  where  $z_i = \mathbb{1}(\sigma > 0) N(0, \sigma) + \xi_i(g_i)$  where  $g_i$  is the genotype
of individual  $i$ , and  $N(0, \sigma)$  is a random Gaussian with mean 0 and variance  $\sigma$  */
X0 = 0.0;
for ( $k = 1$ ;  $k \leq N$ ;  $k++$ ) {
    /* assign a type modulo  $n$  where  $n$  is number of types; set  $\mathbb{R}_n := \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$ 
    and we assign type  $a_j = j \bmod n$  where  $a_j \in \mathbb{R}_n$  */
    Pop[k] = (int)( $k \% nalleles$ );
    /* starts almost fixed at type  $n-1$ ; one copy of each of other alleles */
    assert(Pop[k]  $\geq 0$ );
    assert(Pop[k] <  $nalleles$ );
    X0 = X0 + ( $znull > 0. ? (Pop[k] < nalleles - 1 ? 0.0 : 1.0) : (Pop[k] > 0 ? 0. : 1.)$ )/((double) N);
    zbar = zbar + ( $variance > 0. ? gsl\_ran\_gaussian\_ziggurat(r, variance) : 0.$ ) + leffects[Pop[k]];
}
ngens = 0;
/*  $\varepsilon$  is the fraction of the null type - the most fit type */
while ((( $ngens < 100000$ )  $\wedge$  ( $X0 < epsilon$ ))  $\wedge$  ( $X0 > 0.0$ )) {
    drawXi(N, Psi, a, b, Pmass, tXi, r);
    zbar = update_population(N, variance, nalleles, s, znull, epsilon, Pop, tXi,
        tempJuve, Z, leffects, etimes, aindex, r);
    ngens = ngens + 1;
    X0 = zbar;
}
if ( $X0 > 0.0$ ) {
    FILE *f = fopen(skra, "a");
    fprintf(f, "%d\n", ( $X0 > 0 ? ngens : -1$ ));
    fclose(f);
}
rep = rep + ( $X0 > 0.0 ? 1 : 0$ );
}
/* free memory */
free(Z);

```

```
free(tXi);  
free(PXi);  
gsl_ran_discrete_free(Pmass);  
free(tempJuve);  
free(etimes);  
free(aindex);  
free(Pop);  
free(leffects);  
}
```

This code is used in chunk 11.

4.6 run over parameters

Run over some parameters.

10 $\langle \text{parameters } 10 \rangle \equiv$

```
void run_parameters(int N,int nalleles,double variance,double a,double
    b,int Psi,double s,double znull,double epsilon,int nruns,char
    skra[200],gsl_rng * r)
{
    double ai = 1.;
    double out;
    int psii;
    while (ai < 2.) {
        for (psii = 100000; psii < 1000001; psii = psii + 100000) {
            out = new_simulator(N, nalleles, variance, (ai > 0. ? ai : 0.), b, psii, s, znull,
                epsilon, nruns, r);
            printf("%g_%d_%g\n", ai, psii, out);
            FILE *f = fopen(skra, "a");
            fprintf(f, "%g_", ai);
            fprintf(f, "%d_", psii);
            fprintf(f, "%g\n", out);
            fclose(f);
        }
        ai = ai + 0.1;
    }
}
```

4.7 the *main* function

```

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    int main(int argc, char *argv[])
    {
        initialise the random number generator
        setup_rng((unsigned long int) atoi(argv[1]));

        /* the expected value  $\mathbb{E}[X] = 11.09016$  when  $(\alpha, \gamma) = (1.0, 10^5)$ ;  $\mathbb{E}[X] = 2.606051$ 
        when  $(\alpha, \gamma) = (1.5, 10^5)$ ;  $\mathbb{E}[X] = 1.644924$  when  $(\alpha, \gamma) = (2.0, 10^5)$ ;  $\mathbb{E}[X] = 6.48$ 
        when  $(\alpha, \gamma) = (1.0, 10^3)$ ; */
        /* POP_SIZE is  $N$ ; N_ALLELES is number of alleles; PSI_TRUNCATION is  $\gamma$  in
        (1); TRAIT_OPTIMUM is  $z_0$  (4), (3); EPSILON is  $y$  the threshold frequency */

#define POP_SIZE 1000
#define N_ALLELES 100
#define VARIANCE 0.0
        /* If ALPHA ( $\alpha$ ) is 0 then the Poisson distribution is assumed with mean BETA */

#define ALPHA 1.0
#define BETA 7.485471
#define PSI_TRUNCATION 100000
#define S_SELECTION 1.0
#define TRAIT_OPTIMUM 0.0
#define EPSILON 0.95
#define RUNS 10
        simulator(POP_SIZE, N_ALLELES, VARIANCE, ALPHA, BETA, PSI_TRUNCATION,
            S_SELECTION, TRAIT_OPTIMUM, EPSILON, RUNS, argv[2], rngtype);
        gsl_rng_free(rngtype);
        return GSL_SUCCESS;
    }

```


5 Includes

12 \langle Includes 12 $\rangle \equiv$

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <math.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_rng.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_randist.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_vector.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_matrix.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_sf_pow_int.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_errno.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_sf_elementary.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_sf_gamma.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_fit.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_multifit_nlin.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_integration.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_sf_exp.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_sf_log.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_sf_expint.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_combination.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_linalg.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_combination.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_statistics_double.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_statistics_int.h>
#include <gsl/gsl_sort.h>
#include <assert.h>
```

This code is used in chunk 11.

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