

Moving Averages

Below we use both the moving average and autoregressive model and compare their estimations.

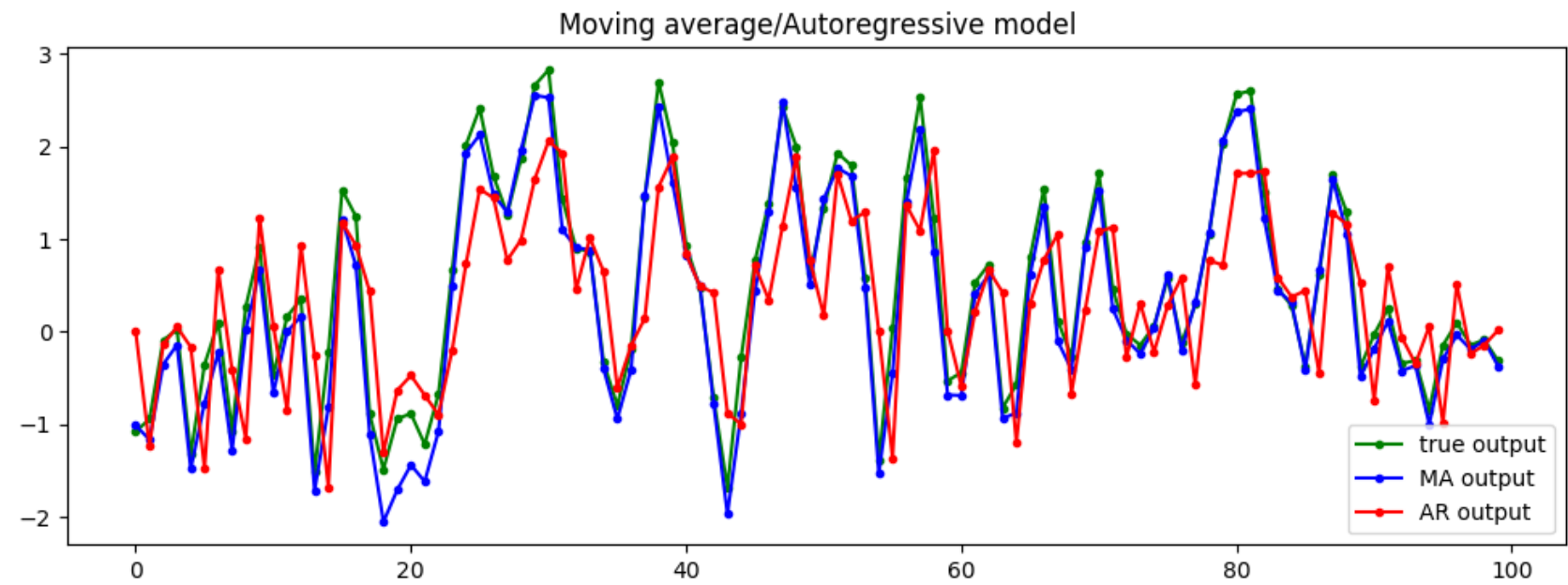
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In [346]: # Load the data file (ref: Boyd/263)
raw = readcsv("/home/john/Julia/uy_data.csv");
u = raw[:,1];
y = raw[:,2];
T = length(u);
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In [347]: # generate A matrix. Using more width creates better fit.  (MA model)
width = 5
A = zeros(T,width)
B = zeros(T,width)
for i = 1:width
    A[i:end,i] = u[1:end-i+1]
    B[(i+1):end,i] = y[1:end-i]
end

zopt = B\y
zest = B*zopt

wopt = A\y
yest = A*wopt

figure(figsize=(12,4))
plot(y,"g.-",yest,"b.-",zest,"r.-")
legend(["true output", "MA output", "AR output"], loc="lower right");
title("Moving average/Autoregressive model");
println("MA error: ", norm(yest-y))
println("AR error: ", norm(zest-y))
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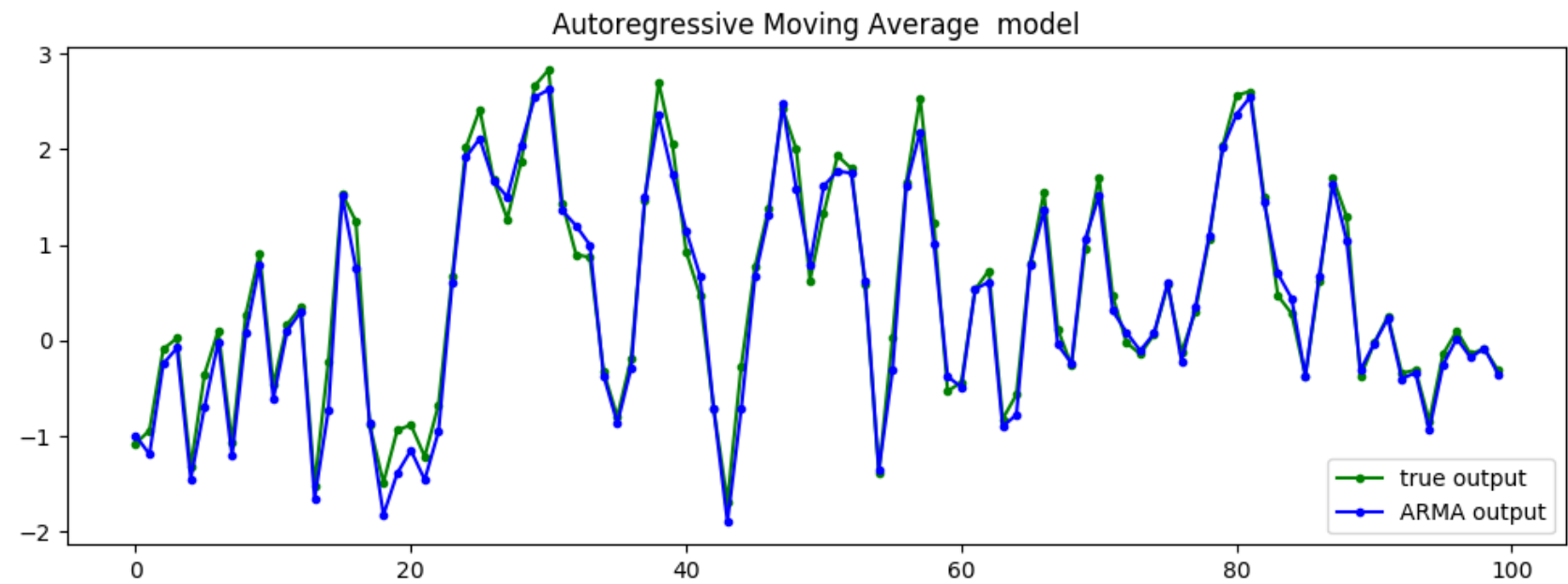
MA error: 2.460854388269911
AR error: 7.436691765656793

Here we combine moving averages and autoregression into one estimation method and calculate it's error.

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In [348]: width = 2
C = zeros(T,width)
for i = 2:T
    C[i,1] = y[i-1]
    C[i-1,2] = u[i-1]
end
C[T,2] = u[T]

mropt = C\y
mrest = C*mropt;
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In [349]: figure(figsize=(12,4))
plot(y,"g.-",mrest,"b.-")
legend(["true output", "ARMA output"], loc="lower right");
title("Autoregressive Moving Average model");
println()
println("ARMA error: ", norm(mrest-y))
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ARMA error: 1.8565828148734604

Voltage Smoothing

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In [350]: using JuMP
using Gurobi

raw = readcsv("/home/john/Julia/voltages.csv");
T = length(raw);

In [351]: v = raw[:,1]

n = 10
lambda = logspace((1/10), 3, n)
J1 = zeros(n)
J2 = zeros(n)

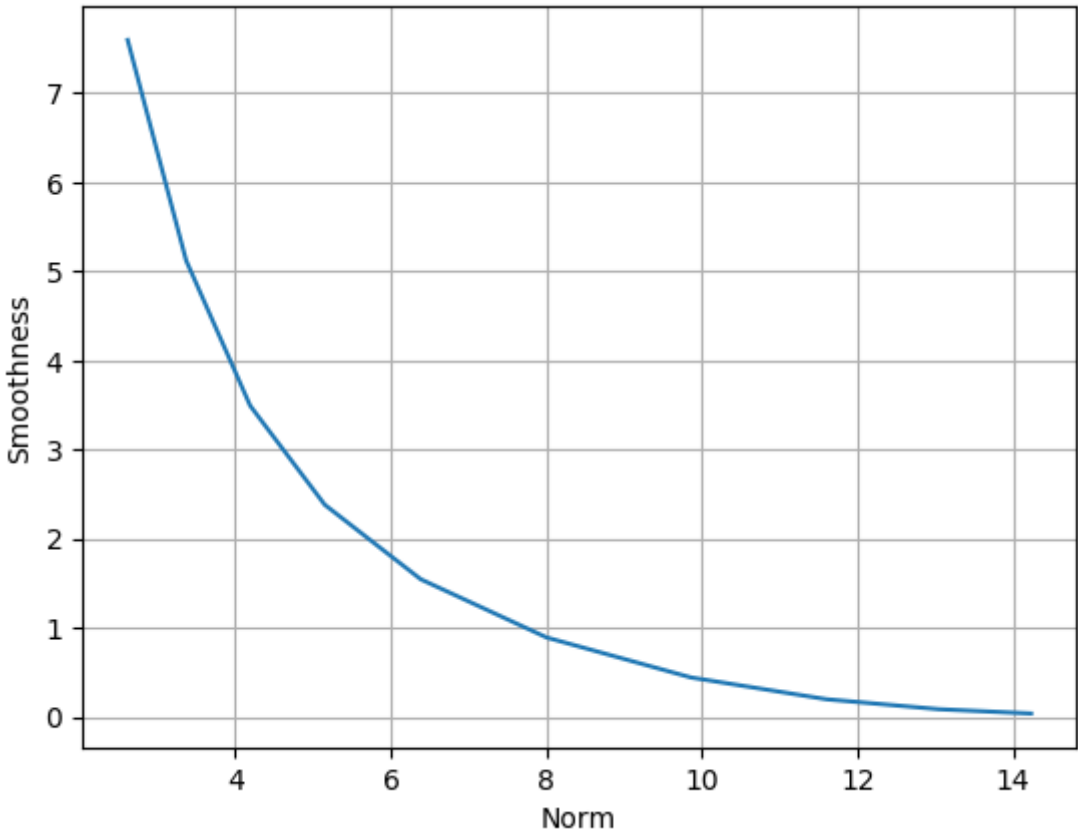
for j = 1:n
    m = Model(solver=GurobiSolver())
    @variable(m, x[1:T])
    @objective(m, Min, sum((x - v).^2) + lambda[j]*(sum((x[i-1] - x[i])^2 for i = 2:T)))
    solve(m)
    y = getvalue(x)
    z = getobjectivevalue(m)
    J1[j] = norm(y - v)
    J2[j] = sum((y[i-1] - y[i])^2 for i = 2:T)
end
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Optimize a model with 0 rows, 200 columns and 0 nonzeros
Model has 399 quadratic objective terms
Coefficient statistics:
Matrix range [0e+00, 0e+00]
Objective range [1e+00, 4e+00]
Q0bjective range [5e+00, 7e+00]
Bounds range [0e+00, 0e+00]
RHS range [0e+00, 0e+00]
Presolve time: 0.00s
Presolved: 0 rows, 200 columns, 0 nonzeros
Presolved model has 399 quadratic objective terms
Ordering time: 0.00s

Barrier statistics:
Free vars : 399
AA' NZ : 4.700e+02
Factor NZ : 2.449e+03
Factor Ops : 3.695e+04 (less than 1 second per iteration)
Threads : 1

Tradeoff Graph

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In [335]: plot(J1, J2)
xlabel("Norm")
ylabel("Smoothness")
grid()
```



Spline Fitting

Below we find the cubic polynomial which best fits our data.

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In [359]: raw = readcsv("/home/john/Julia/xy_data.csv")
width = 4
x = raw[:,1]
y = raw[:,2]
T = length(x)
A = zeros(T,width) #width of 4 for cubic poly
for i = 1:T
    for j = 1:width
        A[i,j] = x[i]^(4 - j)
    end
end
end
```

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In [353]: m = Model(solver=GurobiSolver())
@variable(m, sol[1:width])
@constraint(m, sol[4] == 0) #a zero shift to ensure implication constraint
@objective(m, Min, sum(((A*sol - y)[i])^2 for i = 1:T))
solve(m)
yest = A*getvalue(sol);
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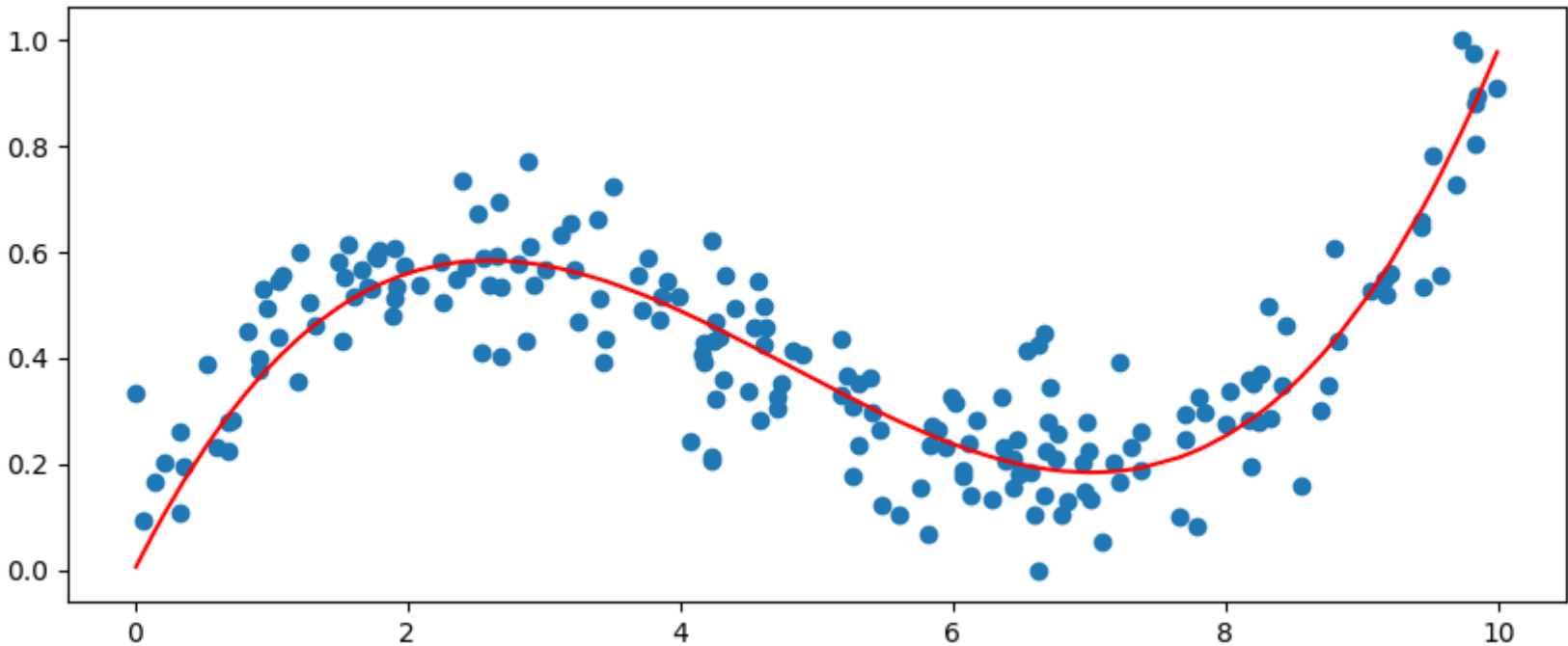
Optimize a model with 1 rows, 4 columns and 1 nonzeros
Model has 10 quadratic objective terms
Coefficient statistics:
Matrix range [1e+00, 1e+00]
Objective range [2e+02, 4e+04]
QObjective range [4e+02, 5e+07]
Bounds range [0e+00, 0e+00]
RHS range [0e+00, 0e+00]
Presolve removed 1 rows and 1 columns
Presolve time: 0.00s
Presolved: 0 rows, 3 columns, 0 nonzeros
Presolved model has 6 quadratic objective terms
Ordering time: 0.00s

Barrier statistics:
Free vars : 5
AA' NZ : 1.000e+00
Factor NZ : 3.000e+00
Factor Ops : 5.000e+00 (less than 1 second per iteration)
Threads : 1

Iter	Objective		Residual		Compl	Time
	Primal	Dual	Primal	Dual		
0	0.00000000e+00	0.00000000e+00	0.00e+00	3.87e+04	0.00e+00	0s
1	-1.29931662e-01	-1.11441746e-04	1.73e-08	3.87e+04	0.00e+00	0s
2	-4.91220903e-01	-1.60752391e-03	3.80e-08	3.85e+04	0.00e+00	0s
3	-7.54239065e-01	-3.79341440e-03	8.33e-08	3.83e+04	0.00e+00	0s
4	-4.35367036e+00	-1.33657720e-01	1.79e-07	3.64e+04	0.00e+00	0s
5	-1.77007350e+01	-2.79881916e+00	7.58e-08	2.82e+04	0.00e+00	0s
6	-1.94466972e+01	-3.50819609e+00	1.93e-08	2.69e+04	0.00e+00	0s
7	-2.03507471e+01	-3.92241723e+00	4.37e-08	2.62e+04	0.00e+00	0s
8	-2.07536520e+01	-4.11735339e+00	9.62e-08	2.59e+04	0.00e+00	0s
9	-2.25060396e+01	-5.05462457e+00	2.06e-07	2.45e+04	0.00e+00	0s
10	-2.40679264e+01	-6.02124147e+00	4.43e-07	2.32e+04	0.00e+00	0s
11	-2.57178217e+01	-7.19771102e+00	9.47e-07	2.18e+04	0.00e+00	0s
12	-3.75882047e+01	-3.75472400e+01	1.06e-06	2.18e-02	0.00e+00	0s
13	-3.75472825e+01	-3.75472824e+01	3.99e-12	2.18e-08	0.00e+00	0s

Barrier solved model in 13 iterations and 0.00 seconds
Optimal objective -3.75472825e+01

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In [360]: figure(figsize=(10,4))
scatter(x,y)
plot(x,yest,"r-")
cubic_err = getobjectivevalue(m);
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Now we use a piecewise function to model our data.

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In [355]: m = Model(solver=GurobiSolver())

width = 3
A = zeros(T,width)

for i = 1:T
    for j = 1:width
        A[i,j] = x[i]^(width - j)
    end
end

@variable(m, pvar[1:3])
@variable(m, qvar[1:3])

@constraint(m, pvar[3] == 0)
@constraint(m, 16pvar[1] + 4pvar[2] + pvar[3] == 16qvar[1] + 4qvar[2] + qvar[3])
@constraint(m, 8pvar[1] + pvar[2] == 8qvar[1] + qvar[2])

@objective(m, Min, sum(((A*pvar - y)[i])^2 for i = 1:76) + sum(((A*qvar - y)[i])^2 for i = 77:T))
solve(m)
spline_err = getobjectivevalue(m);
```

Optimize a model with 3 rows, 6 columns and 11 nonzeros
Model has 12 quadratic objective terms
Coefficient statistics:
Matrix range [1e+00, 2e+01]
Objective range [7e+01, 5e+03]
QObjective range [2e+02, 7e+05]
Bounds range [0e+00, 0e+00]
RHS range [0e+00, 0e+00]
Presolve removed 1 rows and 1 columns
Presolve time: 0.00s
Presolved: 2 rows, 5 columns, 9 nonzeros
Presolved model has 9 quadratic objective terms
Ordering time: 0.00s

Barrier statistics:
Free vars : 8
AA' NZ : 8.000e+00
Factor NZ : 1.500e+01
Factor Ops : 5.500e+01 (less than 1 second per iteration)
Threads : 1

Iter	Objective		Residual		Compl	Time
	Primal	Dual	Primal	Dual		
0	0.00000000e+00	0.00000000e+00	0.00e+00	4.61e+03	0.00e+00	0s
1	-1.63570631e+00	-1.83031578e-02	1.77e-08	4.51e+03	0.00e+00	0s
2	-2.64145055e+00	-4.84069233e-02	3.94e-08	4.44e+03	0.00e+00	0s
3	-7.19991515e+00	-3.84871915e-01	4.65e-08	4.14e+03	0.00e+00	0s
4	-9.76697661e+00	-7.38357090e-01	7.71e-08	3.96e+03	0.00e+00	0s
5	-1.34200049e+01	-1.48662734e+00	1.89e-07	3.69e+03	0.00e+00	0s
6	-2.83338539e+01	-9.65381443e+00	2.79e-07	2.27e+03	0.00e+00	0s
7	-3.61011676e+01	-2.48640245e+01	3.85e-07	8.49e+02	0.00e+00	0s
8	-3.73699921e+01	-3.73695143e+01	1.35e-07	8.49e-04	0.00e+00	0s
9	-3.73695289e+01	-3.73695289e+01	2.14e-13	8.49e-10	0.00e+00	0s

Barrier solved model in 9 iterations and 0.00 seconds
Optimal objective -3.73695289e+01

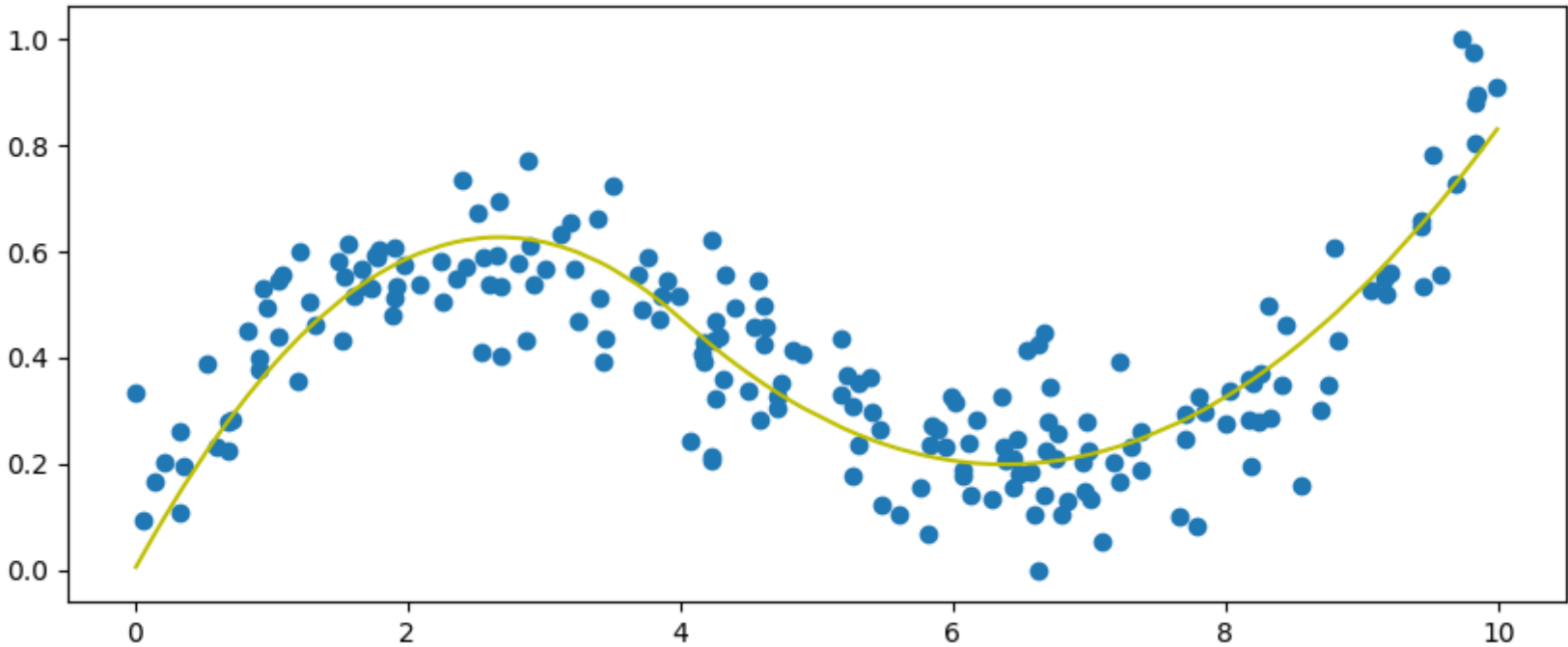
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In [356]: out[1:76]

p = getvalue(pvar)
q = getvalue(qvar)

for i = 1:76
    out[i] = p[1]*x[i]^2 + p[2]*x[i]
end

for i = 77:T
    out[i] = q[1]*x[i]^2 + q[2]*x[i] + q[3]
end

figure(figsize=(10,4))
scatter(x,y)
plot(x,out,"y-")
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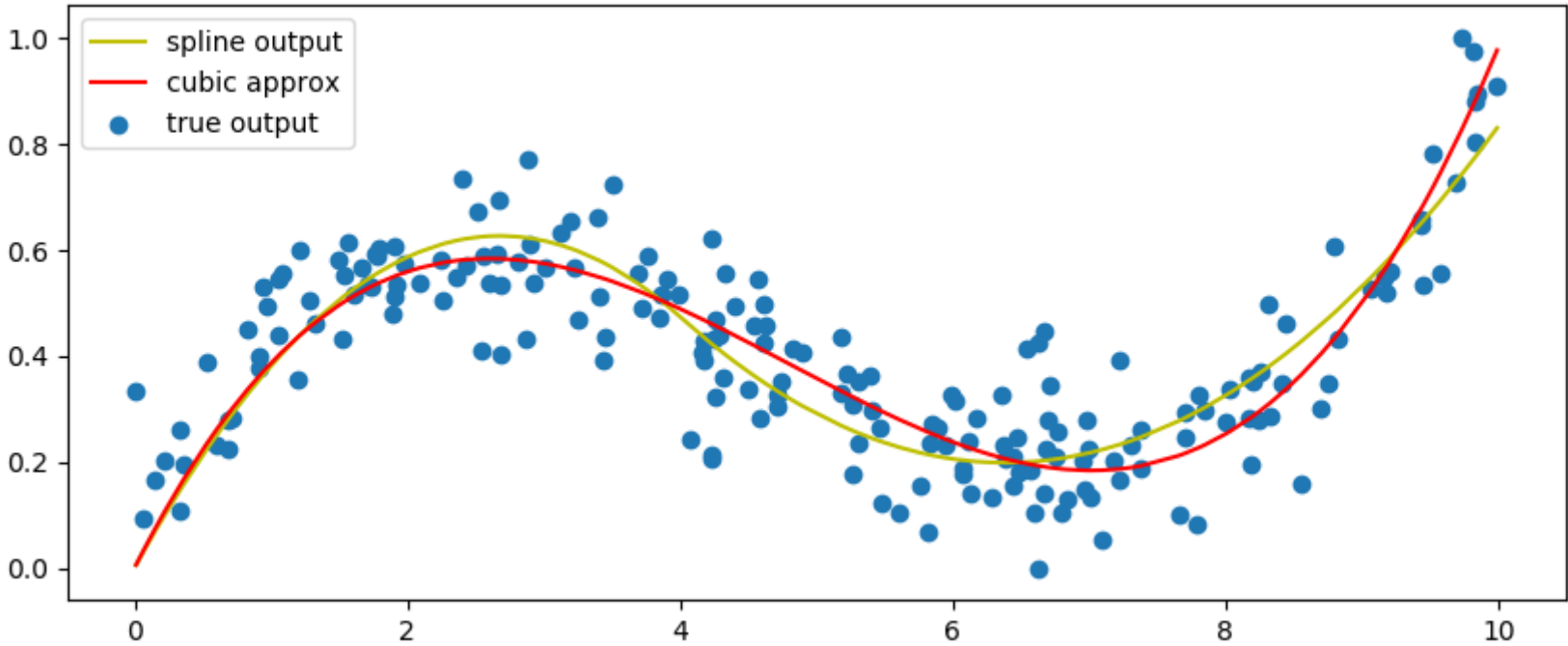


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Out[356]: 1-element Array{Any,1}:
PyObject <matplotlib.lines.Line2D object at 0x7f4d10cddf10>
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Comparison of Methods

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In [357]: figure(figsize=(10,4))
scatter(x,y)
plot(x,out,"y-")
plot(x,yest,"r-")
legend(["spline output", "cubic approx", "true output"], loc="upper left")

println("Error of cubic model: ", cubic_err)
println("Error of spline model: ", spline_err)
```



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Error of cubic model:  1.8806614807652764
Error of spline model: 2.05841510845044
```

I was a bit surprised that the cubic model had a better approximation than the spline model, as I would have thought that because we have essentially two separate functions for two halves of the graph that there would have been more freedom for the variables in the spline method. Maybe if we had used higher degree polynomials for the spline method (cubics perhaps) it would have produced better results.