Incorporating Random effect into GP Sparse Approximation

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1 GP linear mixed model

1.1 Model specifications

The model specifications remain the same except that the random effect term has been added.

$$y|\theta \sim \mathcal{N}\left(Z\alpha + A\beta, \gamma^{2}I_{n}\right), (n \times n)$$

$$\alpha|\sigma^{2} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, \frac{\sigma^{2}}{m}I_{2m}\right), (2m \times 1)$$

$$\beta \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, \Sigma_{\beta}\right), (s \times 1)$$

$$\lambda \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mu_{\lambda}, \Sigma_{\lambda}\right), (d \times 1)$$

$$\sigma \sim \text{half-Cauchy}\left(A_{\sigma}\right)$$

$$\gamma \sim \text{half-Cauchy}\left(A_{\gamma}\right)$$

where A is the design matrix for the random effects and β is the parameter vector of the random effects.

1.2 Lower bound

$$p(y,\theta) = \mathcal{N}\left(y|Z\alpha + A\beta, \gamma^{2}I_{n}\right)\mathcal{N}\left(\alpha\left|0, \frac{\sigma^{2}}{m}I_{2m}\right)\mathcal{N}\left(\beta|0, \Sigma_{\beta}\right)\mathcal{N}\left(\lambda|\mu_{\lambda}, \Sigma_{\lambda}\right)\operatorname{HC}\left(A_{\sigma}\right)\operatorname{HC}\left(A_{\gamma}\right)\right)$$

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(1)
$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(y|\theta\right)\right] = -\frac{n}{2}\log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{n}{2}\mathbb{E}\left[\log\gamma^{2}\right]$$
$$-\frac{1}{2}\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right]\left\{y^{T}y - 2\left(\mathbb{E}\left[Z\right]m_{\alpha} + Am_{\beta}\right)^{T}y + \operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathbb{E}\left[Z^{T}Z\right]S_{\alpha}\right) + m_{\alpha}^{T}\mathbb{E}\left[Z^{T}Z\right]m_{\alpha}\right\}$$
$$+2m_{\beta}^{T}A^{T}\mathbb{E}\left[Z\right]m_{\alpha} + \operatorname{Tr}\left(A^{T}AS_{\beta}\right) + m_{\beta}^{T}A^{T}Am_{\beta}$$

(2)
$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(\alpha|\sigma\right)\right] = -m\log\left(2\pi\right) - m\mathbb{E}\left[\log\sigma^{2}\right] + m\log m - \frac{m}{2}\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\sigma^{2}}\right]\operatorname{Tr}\left(S_{\alpha} + m_{\alpha}m_{\alpha}^{T}\right)$$

$$(3) \mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(\beta\right)\right] = -\frac{s}{2}\log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{1}{2}\log\left|\Sigma_{\beta}\right| - \frac{1}{2}\left\{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}S_{\beta}\right) + m_{\beta}^{T}\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}m_{\beta}\right\}$$

$$(4) \mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(\lambda\right)\right] = -\frac{d}{2}\log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{1}{2}\log\left|\Sigma_{\lambda}\right| - \frac{1}{2}\left(m_{\lambda} - \mu_{\lambda}\right)^{T}\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\left(m_{\lambda} - \mu_{\lambda}\right) - \frac{1}{2}\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}S_{\lambda}\right)$$

(5)
$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(\sigma\right)\right] = \log\left(2A_{\sigma}\right) - \log \pi - \mathbb{E}\left[\log\left(A_{\sigma}^{2} + \sigma^{2}\right)\right]$$

(6)
$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(\gamma\right)\right] = \log\left(2A_{\gamma}\right) - \log \pi - \mathbb{E}\left[\log\left(A_{\gamma}^{2} + \gamma^{2}\right)\right]$$

$$(1) \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\alpha\right)\right] = -m\log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{1}{2}\log\left|S_{\alpha}\right| - m$$

$$(2) \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\lambda\right)\right] = -\frac{d}{2}\log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{1}{2}\log\left|S_{\lambda}\right| - \frac{d}{2}$$

(3)
$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\beta\right)\right] = -\frac{s}{2}\log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{1}{2}\log\left|S_{\beta}\right| - \frac{s}{2}$$

$$(4) \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\sigma\right)\right] = -C_{\sigma} \frac{\mathcal{H}\left(2m, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2}\right)}{\mathcal{H}\left(2m - 2, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2}\right)} - \log \mathcal{H}\left(2m - 2, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2}\right) - 2m\mathbb{E}\left[\log \sigma\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log \left(A_{\sigma}^{2} + \sigma^{2}\right)\right]$$

$$(5) \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\gamma\right)\right] = -C_{\gamma} \frac{\mathcal{H}\left(n, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2}\right)}{\mathcal{H}\left(n-2, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2}\right)} - \log \mathcal{H}\left(n-2, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2}\right) - n\mathbb{E}\left[\log \gamma\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log \left(A_{\gamma}^{2} + \gamma^{2}\right)\right]$$

$$\mathcal{L} = (1) + (2) + (3) + (4) + (5) + (6) - (1) - (2) - (3) - (4) - (5)$$

$$= -\frac{n}{2} \log (2\pi) + m \log m - \frac{m}{2} \mathbb{E} \left[\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right] \left(\text{Tr} (S_{\alpha}) + m'_{\alpha} m_{\alpha} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} S_{\beta} \right| + \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1} S_{\lambda} \right| + \frac{1}{2} \log |S_{\alpha}|$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \text{Tr} \left(\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} S_{\beta} \right) + m'_{\beta} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} m_{\beta} \right\} - \frac{1}{2} (m_{\lambda} - \mu_{\lambda})' \Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1} (m_{\lambda} - \mu_{\lambda}) + \log \left(\frac{4A_{\sigma} A_{\gamma}}{\pi^2} \right) + m + \frac{d}{2} + \frac{s}{2}$$

$$+ C_{\sigma} \frac{\mathcal{H} \left(2m, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2} \right)}{\mathcal{H} \left(2m - 2, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2} \right)} + C_{\gamma} \frac{\mathcal{H} \left(n, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2} \right)}{\mathcal{H} \left(n - 2, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2} \right)} + \log \mathcal{H} \left(2m - 2, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2} \right) + \log \mathcal{H} \left(n - 2, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2} \right)$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E} \left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}} \right] \left\{ y'y - 2 \left(\mathbb{E} \left[Z \right] m_{\alpha} + Am_{\beta} \right)' y + \text{Tr} \left(\mathbb{E} \left[Z'Z \right] \left(S_{\alpha} + m_{\alpha} m'_{\alpha} \right) \right) + 2m'_{\beta} A' \mathbb{E} \left[Z \right] m_{\alpha}$$

$$+ \text{Tr} \left(A'AS_{\beta} \right) + m'_{\beta} A' Am_{\beta} \right\}$$

1.3 Variational update

1.3.1 $q(\alpha)$

$$\log q(\alpha) \propto \left\langle \log \mathcal{N} \left(y | Z \alpha + A \beta, \gamma^{2} I_{n} \right) \mathcal{N} \left(\alpha \middle| 0, \frac{\sigma^{2}}{m} I_{2m} \right) \right\rangle$$

$$\propto \mathbb{E} \left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}} \right] \left(\mathbb{E} \left[Z' \right] y - \mathbb{E} \left[Z' \right] A m_{\beta} \right) \alpha - \frac{1}{2} \alpha' \left(m \mathbb{E} \left[\frac{1}{\sigma^{2}} \right] I_{2m} + \mathbb{E} \left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}} \right] \mathbb{E} \left[Z' Z \right] \right) \alpha$$

$$S_{\alpha} = \left(\frac{\mathcal{H} \left(n, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2} \right)}{\mathcal{H} \left(n - 2, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2} \right)} \mathbb{E} \left[Z' Z \right] + m \frac{\mathcal{H} \left(2m, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2} \right)}{\mathcal{H} \left(2m - 2, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2} \right)} I_{2m} \right)^{-1}$$

$$m_{\alpha} = \frac{\mathcal{H} \left(n, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2} \right)}{\mathcal{H} \left(n - 2, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2} \right)} S_{\alpha} \mathbb{E} \left[Z' \right] \left(y - A m_{\beta} \right)$$

1.3.2 $q(\beta)$

$$\log q(\beta) \propto \log \mathcal{N}\left(y|Z\alpha + A\beta, \gamma^{2}I_{n}\right) + \log \mathcal{N}\left(\beta|0, \Sigma_{\beta}\right)$$

$$\propto -\frac{1}{2}\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right]\left(-2y'A\beta + 2m'_{\alpha}\mathbb{E}\left[Z'\right]A\beta + \beta'A'A\beta\right) - \frac{1}{2}\beta'\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\beta$$

$$\propto -\frac{1}{2}\left\{\beta'\left(\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right]A'A + \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\right)\beta - 2\left(A'y - A'\mathbb{E}\left[Z\right]m_{\alpha}\right)\beta\right\}$$

$$S_{\beta} = \left(\frac{\mathcal{H}\left(n, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2}\right)}{\mathcal{H}\left(n - 2, C_{\gamma}, A_{\gamma}^{2}\right)}A'A + \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\right)^{-1}$$

$$m_{\beta} = S_{\beta}A'\left(y - \mathbb{E}\left[Z\right]m_{\alpha}\right)$$

1.3.3 $q(\sigma)$

$$\log q(\sigma) \propto \log \mathcal{N}\left(\alpha \middle| 0, \frac{\sigma^2}{m} I_{2m}\right) \operatorname{HC}(A_{\sigma})$$

$$\propto -m \log \sigma^2 - \frac{m}{2} \left(\operatorname{Tr}(S) + m_{\alpha}' m_{\alpha}\right) / \sigma^2 - \log \left(A_{\sigma}^2 + \sigma^2\right)$$

$$q(\alpha) \propto \frac{\exp\left\{-\frac{m}{2} \left(\operatorname{Tr}(S_{\alpha}) + m_{\alpha}' m_{\alpha}\right) / \sigma^2\right\}}{\sigma^{2m} \left(A_{\sigma}^2 + \sigma^2\right)}$$

1.3.4 $q(\gamma)$

$$\log q\left(\gamma\right) \propto \log \mathcal{N}\left(y|Z\alpha + A\beta, \gamma^{2}I_{n}\right) + \log \operatorname{HC}\left(A_{\gamma}\right)$$

$$\propto -n\log \gamma - \log\left(A_{\beta}^{2} + \gamma^{2}\right)$$

$$-\frac{1}{2\gamma^{2}}\left(y'y - 2y'\left(\mathbb{E}\left[Z\right]m_{\alpha} + Am_{\beta}\right) + \operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathbb{E}\left[Z'Z\right]\left(S_{\alpha} + m_{\alpha}m_{\alpha}'\right)\right) + 2m_{\beta}'A'\mathbb{E}\left[Z\right]m_{\alpha} + m_{\beta}'A'Am_{\beta} + \operatorname{Tr}\left(S_{\beta}\right)\right)$$

$$q\left(\gamma\right) \propto \frac{\exp\left\{-C_{\gamma}/\gamma^{2}\right\}}{\gamma^{n}\left(A_{\gamma}^{2} + \gamma^{2}\right)}$$

$$C_{\gamma} = \frac{1}{2}\left(y'y - 2y'\left(\mathbb{E}\left[Z\right]m_{\alpha} + Am_{\beta}\right) + \operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathbb{E}\left[Z'Z\right]\left(S_{\alpha} + m_{\alpha}m_{\alpha}'\right)\right) + 2m_{\beta}'A'\mathbb{E}\left[Z\right]m_{\alpha} + m_{\beta}'A'Am_{\beta} + \operatorname{Tr}\left(S_{\beta}\right)\right)$$

1.3.5 $q(\lambda)$

To perform nonconjugate variational message passing, we first need to compute $\mathbb{E}[\log p(y,\theta)]$ leaving only the parts that contain $(m_{\lambda}, S_{\lambda})$ since every other element will be eliminated once we differentiate it with regard to

the mean and covariance of lambda.

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(y,\theta\right)\right] \propto \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] y' \mathbb{E}\left[Z\right] m_{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \left(\operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathbb{E}\left[Z'Z\right]\left(S_{\alpha} + m_{\alpha}m_{\alpha}'\right)\right)\right)$$

$$- \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] m_{\beta}' A' \mathbb{E}\left[Z\right] m_{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}\left(m_{\lambda} - \mu_{\lambda}\right)' \Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\left(m_{\lambda} - \mu_{\lambda}\right) - \frac{1}{2}\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}S_{\lambda}\right)\right)$$

$$\propto \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \left\{y - Am_{\beta}\right\}' \mathbb{E}\left[Z\right] m_{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \left(\operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathbb{E}\left[Z'Z\right]\left(S_{\alpha} + m_{\alpha}m_{\alpha}'\right)\right)\right)$$

$$- \frac{1}{2}\left(m_{\lambda} - \mu_{\lambda}\right)' \Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\left(m_{\lambda} - \mu_{\lambda}\right) - \frac{1}{2}\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}S_{\lambda}\right)\right)$$

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \left\{y - Am_{\beta}\right\}' \mathbb{E}\left[Z\right] m_{\alpha} = \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{m} e_{i} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}t_{ij}'S_{\lambda}t_{ij}\right\} \left(m_{j}^{\alpha} \cos\left(t_{ij}'m_{\lambda}\right) + m_{j+m}^{\alpha} \sin\left(t_{ij}'m_{\lambda}\right)\right)$$

$$F_{3} = \frac{\partial}{\partial m_{\lambda}} \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \left\{y - Am_{\beta}\right\}' \mathbb{E}\left[Z\right] m_{\alpha}$$

$$= \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{m} e_{i} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}t_{ij}'S_{\lambda}t_{ij}\right\} \left(m_{j+m}^{\alpha} \cos\left(t_{ij}'m_{\lambda}\right) - m_{j}^{\alpha} \sin\left(t_{ij}'m_{\lambda}\right)\right) t_{ij}$$

$$F_{1} = \frac{\partial}{\partial S_{\lambda}} \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \left\{y - Am_{\beta}\right\}' \mathbb{E}\left[Z\right] m_{\alpha}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{\gamma^{2}}\right] \sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{m} e_{i} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}t_{ij}'S_{\lambda}t_{ij}\right\} \left(m_{j}^{\alpha} \cos\left(t_{ij}'m_{\lambda}\right) + m_{j+m}^{\alpha} \sin\left(t_{ij}'m_{\lambda}\right)\right) t_{ij}t_{ij}'$$

2 GP Logistic Model

2.1 Model specifications

For logistic models, we first postulate a link function, $g(\cdot)$ for the predictors.

$$y = g^{-1}(\eta) + \epsilon, \quad \epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, \gamma^{2} I_{n}\right)$$

$$g\left(\mathbb{E}\left[y\right]\right) = \eta$$

$$\eta = f\left(x\right) + A\beta$$

$$g^{-1}\left(x\right) = \frac{e^{x}}{1 + e^{x}}$$

$$f \sim \mathcal{GP}\left(m\left(\cdot\right), \kappa\left(\cdot, \cdot\right)\right)$$

Since y is a Bernoulli random variable, $\mathbb{E}[y] = \mathbb{P}(y=1)$. Without loss of generality, we will assume the mean function to be zero and that the Gaussian process has a sparse approximation representation as in Tan & Nott. Therefore,

$$f(x) \approx \sum_{r=1}^{m} \left[a_r \cos \left\{ (s_r \odot x)^T \lambda \right\} + b_r \sin \left\{ (s_r \odot x)^T \lambda \right\} \right]$$

and this could further be represented in matrix form which reduces this to a linear model.

$$f(x) = Z\alpha$$

$$\eta = Z\alpha + A\beta$$

$$y = \exp\{(Z\alpha + A\beta) - \log(1 + \exp\{Z\alpha + A\beta\})\} + \epsilon$$

Every scalar function applied to a vector or a matrix is done so elementwise. We think of the following priors:

$$\alpha | \sigma \sim \mathcal{N} \left(0, \frac{\sigma^2}{m} I_{2m} \right)$$

$$\beta \sim \mathcal{N} \left(\mu_{\beta}, \Sigma_{\beta} \right)$$

$$\lambda \sim \mathcal{N} \left(\mu_{\lambda}, \Sigma_{\lambda} \right)$$

$$\sigma \sim \text{half-Cauchy} \left(A_{\sigma} \right)$$

$$\gamma \sim \text{half-Cauchy} \left(A_{\gamma} \right)$$

$$\theta = (\alpha, \beta, \lambda, \sigma, \gamma)$$

$$\log p(y,\theta) = y^{T} \left(Z\alpha + A\beta \right) - \mathbf{1}_{n}^{T} \log \left(\mathbf{1}_{n} + \exp \left\{ Z\alpha + A\beta \right\} \right) - \left(m + \frac{s+d}{2} \right) \log \left(2\pi \right) - m \log \sigma^{2} + m \log m$$

$$- \frac{m}{2\sigma^{2}} \alpha^{T} \alpha - \frac{1}{2} \log |\Sigma_{\beta}| - \frac{1}{2} \left(\beta - \mu_{\beta} \right)^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} \left(\beta - \mu_{\beta} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \log |\Sigma_{\lambda}| - \frac{1}{2} \left(\lambda - \mu_{\lambda} \right)^{T} \Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1} \left(\lambda - \mu_{\lambda} \right)$$

$$+ \log \left(2A_{\gamma} \right) + \log \left(2A_{\gamma} \right) 2 \log \pi - \log \left(A_{\gamma}^{2} + \sigma^{2} \right) - \log \left(A_{\gamma}^{2} + \gamma^{2} \right)$$

Because $-\mathbf{1}_n^T \log (\mathbf{1}_n + \exp \{Z\alpha + A\beta\})$ is analytically intractable for expectation which is essentially integration, we come up with the following approximation:

$$-\log\left(1+e^{x}\right) = \max_{\xi \in \mathbb{R}} \left\{ B\left(\xi\right) x^{2} - \frac{1}{2}x + C\left(\xi\right) \right\}, \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$
$$B\left(\xi\right) = -\tanh\left(\xi/2\right) / \left(4\xi\right)$$
$$C\left(\xi\right) = \xi/2 - \log\left(1+e^{\xi}\right) + \xi \tanh\left(\xi/2\right) / 4$$

then

$$-\mathbf{1}_{n}^{T} \log \left\{ \mathbf{1}_{n}^{T} + \exp \left(Z\alpha + A\beta \right) \right\} \ge \mathbf{1}_{n}^{T} \left\{ B\left(\xi \right) \odot \left(Z\alpha + A\beta \right)^{2} - \frac{1}{2} \left(Z\alpha + A\beta \right) + C\left(\xi \right) \right\}$$

$$= \left(Z\alpha + A\beta \right)^{T} \operatorname{Dg} \left\{ B\left(\xi \right) \right\} \left(Z\alpha + A\beta \right) - \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{1}_{n}^{T} \left(Z\alpha + A\beta \right) + \mathbf{1}_{n}^{T} C\left(\xi \right),$$

where $\xi = (\xi_1, ..., \xi_n)$.

$$\log \underline{p}(y,\theta;\xi) = y^{T} (Z\alpha + A\beta) + (Z\alpha + A\beta)^{T} \operatorname{Dg} \{B(\xi)\} (Z\alpha + A\beta) - \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{1}_{n}^{T} (Z\alpha + A\beta) + \mathbf{1}_{n}^{T} C(\xi)$$

$$- \left(m + \frac{s+d}{2}\right) \log (2\pi) - m \log \sigma^{2} + m \log m - \frac{m}{2\sigma^{2}} \alpha^{T} \alpha - \frac{1}{2} \log |\Sigma_{\beta}| - \frac{1}{2} (\beta - \mu_{\beta})^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} (\beta - \mu_{\beta})$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \log |\Sigma_{\lambda}| - \frac{1}{2} (\lambda - \mu_{\lambda})^{T} \Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1} (\lambda - \mu_{\lambda}) + \log (2A_{\sigma}) + \log (2A_{\gamma}) 2 \log \pi - \log (A_{\sigma}^{2} + \sigma^{2})$$

$$- \log (A_{\gamma}^{2} + \gamma^{2})$$

3 Sparse GP Probit Regression

This section will extensively use the results of [1] Tan, Linda S. L., Ong, Victor M. H., Nott, David J., and Jasra, Ajay. "Variational Inference for Sparse Spectrum Gaussian Process Regression," May 9, 2013.

3.1 Bayesian probit regression without random effects

The ordinary formulation goes like this:

$$\mathbb{P}\left(y_i = 1 | x_i, \beta\right) = \Phi\left(x_i^T \beta\right),\,$$

where Φ is the cumulative distribution of standard Gaussian distribution. Since the following likelihood

$$\mathbb{P}\left(Y = y | X, \beta\right) = \prod_{i=1}^{n} \Phi\left(x_i^T \beta\right)^{y_i} \left[1 - \Phi\left(x_i^T \beta\right)\right]^{1 - y_i}$$

hinders the tractable calculation of the posterior, we devise the following latent variable:

$$Z_i = x_i^T \beta + \epsilon_i, \quad \epsilon_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

for $i = 1, \ldots, n$ and let

$$y_i = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } Z_i \ge 0\\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

It automatically follows that

$$Z_i|y_i = 0, x_i, \beta \sim \mathcal{N}\left(x_i^T \beta, 1\right) \mathbf{1}\left[Z_i < 0\right]$$

 $Z_i|y_i = 1, x_i, \beta \sim \mathcal{N}\left(x_i^T \beta, 1\right) \mathbf{1}\left[Z_i \geq 0\right]$

suggesting a truncated Gaussian for each Z_i depending on what value y_i takes on. According to probit regression without random effects, the introduction of latent variables enables the tractable computation of the posterior with regards to the parameters.

$$\pi(Z, y, \beta) = C\pi(\beta) \prod_{i=1}^{n} \left\{ 1 \left[Z_{i} \geq 0 \right] 1 \left[y_{i} = 1 \right] + 1 \left[Z_{i} < 0 \right] 1 \left[y_{i} = 0 \right] \right\} \phi(Z_{i} - x_{i}^{T} \beta)$$

where C is the proportionality constant and ϕ is the density of standard Gaussian. Following the mean-field approximation and computing the optimal density for Z_i , it becomes a truncated normal about zero with mean $x_i^T \beta$ and variance 1.

3.2 Incorporating random effects and nonparametric statistics

Taking one step forward, the random effects can be taken into consideration in many situations. Furthermore, we often do not know exactly what functional form the parameters should take on. Such situations greatly call for the use of nonparametric statistics.

$$\mathbb{P}\left(y_{i}=1|f\right)=\Phi\left(f\left(x_{i}\right)\right).$$

In the previous section where linear probit regression was considered, the functional form was assumed to be linear, i.e. $x_i^T \beta$. However, we now insist that f could be any function. Adopting Gaussion process prior for f and using sparse approximation,

$$\mathbb{P}\left(y_i = 1|f\right) = \Phi\left(Z_i^T \alpha\right).$$

Note that Z_i is different from the one we used in the previous section. Moreover, we will assume there exist additive random effects:

$$\mathbb{P}\left(y_i = 1 | f, \alpha, \beta\right) = \Phi\left(z_i^T \alpha + a_i^T \beta\right).$$

Assume latent variables

$$y_i^* = z_i^T \alpha + a_i^T \beta + \epsilon, \quad \epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, 1\right).$$

Let

$$y_i = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } y_i^* \ge 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } y_i^* < 0. \end{cases}$$

Let's assume priors

$$\alpha | \sigma \sim \mathcal{N} \left(0, \frac{\sigma^2}{m} I_{2m} \right)$$

$$\beta \sim \mathcal{N} \left(\mu_{\beta}, \Sigma_{\beta} \right)$$

$$\lambda \sim \mathcal{N} \left(\mu_{\lambda}, \Sigma_{\lambda} \right)$$

$$\sigma \sim \text{half-Cauchy} \left(A_{\sigma} \right)$$

$$\theta = (\alpha, \beta, \lambda, \sigma)$$

$$\pi(y, y^*, \theta) = C\pi(\alpha | \sigma) \pi(\beta) \pi(\lambda) \pi(\sigma) \prod_{i=1}^{n} \{1 [y_i^* \ge 0] 1 [y_i = 1] + 1 [y_i^* < 0] 1 [y_i = 0] \} \phi(y_i^* - z_i^T \alpha_i - a_i^T \beta)$$

3.2.1 $q(\alpha)$

Let
$$y^* = \begin{bmatrix} y_1^* & \dots & y_n^* \end{bmatrix}^T$$
.

$$\begin{split} \log q\left(\alpha\right) &\propto \left\langle \log \pi\left(\alpha \middle| \sigma\right) \prod_{i=1}^{n} \phi\left(y_{i}^{*}-z_{i}^{T}\alpha-a_{i}^{T}\beta\right) \right\rangle \\ &\propto -\frac{m}{2} \left\langle \frac{1}{\sigma^{2}} \right\rangle \alpha^{T}\alpha + \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left\{ y_{i}^{*2}-2 \left(z_{i}^{T}\alpha+a_{i}^{T}\beta\right) y_{i}^{*} + \left(z_{i}^{T}\alpha+a_{i}^{T}\beta\right)^{2} \right\} \right] \right\rangle \\ &\propto -\frac{m}{2} \left\langle \frac{1}{\sigma^{2}} \right\rangle \alpha^{T}\alpha + \left\langle -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left[-2y_{i}^{*}z_{i}^{T}\alpha+\alpha^{T}z_{i}z_{i}^{T}\alpha+2\beta^{T}a_{i}z_{i}^{T}\alpha \right] \right\rangle \\ &\propto -\frac{m}{2} \left\langle \frac{1}{\sigma^{2}} \right\rangle \alpha^{T}\alpha - \frac{1}{2} \left\langle -2y^{*T}Z\alpha+\alpha^{T} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} z_{i}z_{i}^{T} \right) \alpha+2\beta^{T} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_{i}z_{i}^{T} \right) \alpha \right\rangle \\ &\propto -\frac{m}{2} \left\langle \frac{1}{\sigma^{2}} \right\rangle \alpha^{T}\alpha - \frac{1}{2} \left\{ -2 \left\langle y^{*T} \right\rangle \langle Z \rangle \alpha+\alpha^{T} \left\langle Z^{T}Z \right\rangle \alpha+2 \left\langle \beta \right\rangle^{T} A^{T} \langle Z \rangle \alpha \right\} \\ &\propto -\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \alpha^{T} \left(m \left\langle \frac{1}{\sigma^{2}} \right\rangle I_{2m} + \left\langle Z^{T}Z \right\rangle \right) \alpha-2 \left(\left\langle Z \right\rangle^{T} \langle y^{*} \right\rangle - \left\langle Z \right\rangle^{T} A \left\langle \beta \right\rangle \right)^{T} \alpha \right\} \\ &q\left(\alpha\right) = \mathcal{N} \left(\mu_{q(\alpha)}, \Sigma_{q(\alpha)} \right) \\ &\mu_{q(\alpha)} = \Sigma_{q(\alpha)} \left(\left\langle Z \right\rangle^{T} \langle y^{*} \right\rangle - \left\langle Z \right\rangle^{T} A \left\langle \beta \right\rangle \right) \\ &\Sigma_{q(\alpha)} = \left(m \left\langle \frac{1}{\sigma^{2}} \right\rangle I_{2m} + \left\langle Z^{T}Z \right\rangle \right)^{-1} \end{split}$$

3.2.2 $q(\beta)$

$$\begin{split} \log q\left(\beta\right) &\propto \log \pi\left(\beta\right) \prod_{i=1}^{n} \phi\left(y_{i}^{*} - z_{i}^{T}\alpha - a_{i}^{T}\beta\right) \\ &\propto -\frac{s}{2} \log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{1}{2} \log\left|\Sigma_{\beta}\right| - \frac{1}{2} \left(\beta - \mu_{\beta}\right)^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{T} \left(\beta - \mu_{\beta}\right) \\ &+ \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^{T} \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(y_{i}^{*} - 2 \left(z_{i}^{T}\alpha + a_{i}^{T}\beta\right) y_{i}^{*} + \left(z_{i}^{T}\alpha + a_{i}^{T}\beta\right)^{2}\right) \right] \right\rangle \\ &\propto -\frac{1}{2} \left(\beta^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\beta - 2\mu_{\beta}^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\beta\right) + \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(-2y_{i}^{*}a_{i}^{T}\beta + 2\alpha^{T}z_{i}a_{i}^{T}\beta + \beta^{T}a_{i}a_{i}^{T}\beta\right) \right] \right\rangle \\ &\propto -\frac{1}{2} \left(\beta^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\beta - 2\mu_{\beta}^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\beta\right) - \frac{1}{2} \left(-2\left\langle y^{*T}\right\rangle A\beta + 2\left\langle \alpha^{T}\right\rangle \left\langle Z^{T}\right\rangle A\beta + \beta^{T}A^{T}A\beta\right) \\ &\propto -\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \beta^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\beta + \beta^{T}A^{T}A\beta - 2\mu_{\beta}^{T} \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\beta + 2\left\langle \alpha^{T}\right\rangle \left\langle Z^{T}\right\rangle A\beta - 2\left\langle y^{*T}\right\rangle A\beta\right\} \\ &\propto -\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \beta^{T} \left(\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} + A^{T}A\right)\beta - 2\left(\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\mu_{\beta} + A^{T}\left\langle y^{*}\right\rangle - A^{T}\left\langle Z\right\rangle \left\langle \alpha\right\rangle\right)^{T}\beta\right\} \\ q\left(\beta\right) &= \mathcal{N} \left(\mu_{q(\beta)}, \Sigma_{q(\beta)}\right) \\ \mu_{q(\beta)} &= \Sigma_{q(\beta)} \left(\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\mu_{\beta} + A^{T}\left\langle y^{*}\right\rangle - A^{T}\left\langle Z\right\rangle \left\langle \alpha\right\rangle\right) \\ \Sigma_{q(\beta)} &= \left(\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} + A^{T}A\right)^{-1} \end{split}$$

3.2.3 $q(y^*)$

$$\log q(y^*) \propto \left\langle \log \prod_{i=1}^{n} \left\{ 1 \left[y_i^* \ge 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 1 \right] + 1 \left[y_i^* < 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 0 \right] \right\} \phi \left(y_i^* - z_i^T \alpha - a_i^T \beta \right) \right\rangle$$

$$\propto \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left\{ 1 \left[y_i^* \ge 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 1 \right] + 1 \left[y_i^* < 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 0 \right] \right\}$$

$$+ \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(y_i^{*2} - 2 \left(z_i^T \alpha + a_i^T \beta \right) y_i^* + \left(z_i^T \alpha + a_i^T \beta \right)^2 \right) \right] \right\rangle$$

$$\propto \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left\{ 1 \left[y_i^* \ge 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 1 \right] + 1 \left[y_i^* < 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 0 \right] \right\}$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \left(y^{*T} y^* - 2 \left(\left\langle Z \right\rangle \left\langle \alpha \right\rangle + A \left\langle \beta \right\rangle \right)^T y^* \right)$$

$$q(y^*) = \mathcal{TN} \left(\left\langle Z \right\rangle \left\langle \alpha \right\rangle + A \left\langle \beta \right\rangle \right), I_n \right)$$

where TN indicates truncated normal distribution, in this case multivariate. Each element of y^* is truncated at zero. The direction of truncation remains the same.

$$\mu_{q(y^*)} = Z\mu_{q(\alpha)} + A\mu_{q(\beta)} + \frac{\phi \left(Z\mu_{q(\alpha)} + A\mu_{q(\beta)} \right)}{\left\{ \Phi \left(Z\mu_{q(\alpha)} + A\mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^y \left\{ \Phi \left(Z\mu_{q(\alpha)} + A\mu_{q(\beta)} \right) - 1_n \right\}^{1_n - y}}$$

3.2.4 $q(\sigma)$

$$\log q(\sigma) \propto \langle \log \pi(\alpha | \sigma) \pi(\sigma) \rangle$$

$$\propto -m \log \sigma^2 - \frac{m}{2} \langle \alpha^T \alpha \rangle / \sigma^2 - \log \left(A_{\sigma}^2 + \sigma^2 \right)$$

$$q(\sigma) \propto \frac{\exp\left(-C_{\sigma}/\sigma^2 \right)}{\sigma^{2m} \left(A_{\sigma}^2 + \sigma^2 \right)}$$

$$C_{\sigma} = \frac{m}{2} \left(\operatorname{Tr} \left(\Sigma_{q(\alpha)} \right) + \mu_{q(\alpha)}^T \mu_{q(\alpha)} \right)$$

3.2.5 LB: $\mathbb{E}[\log p(y, y^*|\theta)]$

Recall that

$$\pi\left(y, y^{*}, \theta\right) = C\pi\left(\alpha | \sigma\right)\pi\left(\beta\right)\pi\left(\lambda\right)\pi\left(\sigma\right)\prod_{i=1}^{n}\left\{1\left[y_{i}^{*} \geq 0\right]1\left[y_{i} = 1\right] + 1\left[y_{i}^{*} < 0\right]1\left[y_{i} = 0\right]\right\}\phi\left(y_{i}^{*} - z_{i}^{T}\alpha - a_{i}^{T}\beta\right)$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathbb{E}\left[\log\pi\left(y, y^{*}, \theta\right)\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(y^{*}\right)q\left(\theta\right)\right]$$

$$= \mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(y | y^{*}, \theta\right)\right] + \mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(y^{*} | \theta\right)\right] + \mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(\theta\right)\right]$$

The above equation includes all the nodes in the graphical model. Therefore, we compute the expectation of the logarithm of each node.

$$\log p(y, y^* | \theta) = \log \prod_{i=1}^{n} \left\{ 1 \left[y_i^* \ge 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 1 \right] + 1 \left[y_i^* < 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 0 \right] \right\} \phi \left(y_i^* - z_i^T \alpha - a_i^T \beta \right)$$

$$\implies \mathbb{E} \left[\sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left\{ 1 \left[y_i^* \ge 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 1 \right] + 1 \left[y_i^* < 0 \right] 1 \left[y_i = 0 \right] \right\} \right] + \sum_{i=1}^{n} \mathbb{E} \left[\log \phi \left(y_i^* - z_i^T \alpha - a_i^T \beta \right) \right]$$

If we set $U = \{1 [y_i^* \ge 0] \ 1 [y_i = 1] + 1 [y_i^* < 0] \ 1 [y_i = 0]\}$ and let it be a new random variable, it is always 1 with probability 1. Therefore, the logarithm of U, i.e. $\log U$ is always 0 which terminates the need for calculating the expected value since it's 0 regardless. We proceed to the remaining terms.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \mathbb{E}\left[\log \phi \left(y_{i}^{*} - z_{i}^{T} \alpha - a_{i}^{T} \beta\right)\right] \qquad \cdots (1)$$

The entropy of the variational distribution of $q(y_i^*)$ should be coupled with eqn (1) to simplify the calculation.

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{i=1}^{n} \mathbb{E} \left[\log \phi \left(y_{i}^{*} - z_{i}^{T} \alpha - a_{i}^{T} \beta \right) - \log \phi \left(y_{i}^{*} - \left\langle z_{i}^{T} \right\rangle \mu_{q(\alpha)} - a_{i}^{T} \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right] \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left(\left\{ \Phi \left(\left\langle z_{i} \right\rangle^{T} \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_{i}^{T} \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^{y_{i}} \left\{ 1 - \Phi \left(\left\langle z_{i} \right\rangle^{T} \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_{i}^{T} \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^{1-y_{i}} \right) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{n} \mathbb{E} \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(-2 \left(z_{i}^{T} \alpha + a_{i}^{T} \beta \right) y_{i}^{*} + \left(z_{i}^{T} \alpha + a_{i}^{T} \beta \right)^{2} + 2 \left(\left\langle z_{i} \right\rangle^{T} \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_{i}^{T} \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) y_{i}^{*} \right) \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left(\left(\left\langle z_{i} \right\rangle^{T} \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_{i}^{T} \mu_{q(\beta)} \right)^{2} \right) \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \log \left(\left\{ \Phi \left(\left\langle z_{i} \right\rangle^{T} \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_{i}^{T} \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^{y_{i}} \left\{ 1 - \Phi \left(\left\langle z_{i} \right\rangle^{T} \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_{i}^{T} \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^{1-y_{i}} \right) \end{split}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \left(\operatorname{Tr} \left(\langle Z^T Z \rangle \Sigma_{q(\alpha)} \right) + \mu_{q(\alpha)}^T \left(\langle Z^T Z \rangle - \langle Z \rangle^T \langle Z \rangle \right) \mu_{q(\alpha)} + \operatorname{Tr} \left(A^T A \Sigma_{q(\beta)} \right) \right)$$

$$+ \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left(\left\{ \Phi \left(\langle z_i \rangle^T \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_i^T \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^{y_i} \left\{ 1 - \Phi \left(\langle z_i \rangle^T \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_i^T \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^{1-y_i} \right)$$

3.2.6 LB: $\mathbb{E} \left[\log \pi \left(\alpha | \sigma \right) \right] - \mathbb{E} \left[\log q \left(\alpha \right) \right]$

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log\pi\left(\alpha|\sigma\right)\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\alpha\right)\right] = -m\left(\log\left(2\pi\right) + \left\langle\log\sigma^{2}\right\rangle - \log m\right) - \left\langle\frac{m}{2\sigma^{2}}\alpha^{T}\alpha\right\rangle \\ - \left\langle\left(-m\log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{1}{2}\log\left|\Sigma_{q(\alpha)}\right| - \frac{1}{2}\left(\alpha - \mu_{q(\alpha)}\right)^{T}\Sigma_{q(\alpha)}^{-1}\left(\alpha - \mu_{q(\alpha)}\right)\right)\right\rangle \\ = -m\left\langle\log\sigma^{2}\right\rangle + m\log m - \frac{m}{2}\left\langle\frac{1}{\sigma^{2}}\right\rangle\left(\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{q(\alpha)}\right) + \mu_{q(\alpha)}^{T}\mu_{q(\alpha)}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\log\left|\Sigma_{q(\alpha)}\right| + m$$

3.2.7 LB: $\mathbb{E}\left[\log \pi\left(\beta\right)\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\beta\right)\right]$

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log \pi\left(\beta\right)\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\beta\right)\right] = -\frac{1}{2}\log|2\pi\Sigma_{\beta}| - \left\langle \frac{1}{2}\left(\beta - \mu_{\beta}\right)^{T}\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\left(\beta - \mu_{\beta}\right)\right\rangle$$
$$- \left(-\frac{1}{2}\log|2\pi\Sigma_{q(\beta)}| - \left\langle \frac{1}{2}\left(\beta - \mu_{q(\beta)}\right)^{T}\Sigma_{q(\beta)}^{-1}\left(\beta - \mu_{q(\beta)}\right)\right\rangle\right)$$
$$= -\frac{1}{2}\log|2\pi\Sigma_{\beta}| - \frac{1}{2}\left\{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\Sigma_{q(\beta)}\right) + \left(\mu_{q(\beta)} - \mu_{\beta}\right)^{T}\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\left(\mu_{q(\beta)} - \mu_{\beta}\right)\right\}$$
$$- \left(-\frac{1}{2}\log|2\pi\Sigma_{q(\beta)}| - \frac{s}{2}\right)$$

3.2.8 LB: $\mathbb{E}\left[\log \pi\left(\sigma\right)\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\sigma\right)\right]$

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log \pi\left(\sigma\right)\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\sigma\right)\right] = \log\left(2A_{\sigma}\right) - \log \pi - \left\langle\log\left(A_{\sigma}^{2} + \sigma^{2}\right)\right\rangle + C_{\sigma}\frac{\mathcal{H}\left(2m, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2}\right)}{\mathcal{H}\left(2m - 2, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2}\right)} + \log \mathcal{H}\left(2m - 2, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^{2}\right) + 2m\left\langle\log\sigma\right\rangle + \left\langle\log\left(A_{\sigma}^{2} + \sigma^{2}\right)\right\rangle$$

3.2.9 LB: $\mathbb{E}\left[\log \pi\left(\lambda\right)\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\lambda\right)\right]$

$$\mathbb{E}\left[\log \pi\left(\lambda\right)\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[\log q\left(\lambda\right)\right] = -\frac{1}{2}\log|\Sigma_{\lambda}| - \frac{1}{2}\left\{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\Sigma_{q(\lambda)}\right) + \left(\mu_{q(\lambda)} - \mu_{\lambda}\right)^{T}\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\left(\mu_{q(\lambda)} - \mu_{\lambda}\right)\right\} + \frac{1}{2}\log|\Sigma_{q(\lambda)}| + \frac{d}{2}$$

3.2.10 LB

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \operatorname{Tr} \left(\left\langle Z^T Z \right\rangle \Sigma_{q(\alpha)} \right) + \mu_{q(\alpha)}^T \left(\left\langle Z^T Z \right\rangle - \left\langle Z \right\rangle^T \left\langle Z \right\rangle \mu_{q(\alpha)} + \operatorname{Tr} \left(A^T A \Sigma_{q(\beta)} \right) \right) \right\}$$

$$+ \sum_{i=1}^n \log \left(\left\{ \Phi \left(\left\langle z_i \right\rangle^T \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_i^T \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^{y_i} \left\{ 1 - \Phi \left(\left\langle z_i \right\rangle^T \mu_{q(\alpha)} + a_i^T \mu_{q(\beta)} \right) \right\}^{1-y_i} \right)$$

$$+ m \log m + \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \Sigma_{q(\alpha)} \right| + m - \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \Sigma_{\beta} \right| - \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \operatorname{Tr} \left(\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} \Sigma_{q(\beta)} \right) + \left(\mu_{q(\beta)} - \mu_{\beta} \right)^T \Sigma_{\beta}^{-1} \left(\mu_{q(\beta)} - \mu_{\beta} \right) \right\}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \Sigma_{q(\beta)} \right| + \frac{s}{2} + \log \left(2A_{\sigma} \right) - \log \pi + \log \mathcal{H} \left(2m - 2, C_{\sigma}, A_{\sigma}^2 \right) + \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \Sigma_{q(\lambda)} \right| + \frac{d}{2}$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \log \left| \Sigma_{\lambda} \right| - \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \operatorname{Tr} \left(\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1} \Sigma_{q(\lambda)} \right) + \left(\mu_{q(\lambda)} - \mu_{\lambda} \right)^T \Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1} \left(\mu_{q(\lambda)} - \mu_{\lambda} \right) \right\}$$

3.2.11 $q(\lambda)$

Notice that we have not yet come up with the updating algorithm for λ . This is because of the fact that the full conditional λ |rest is just the prior density of λ without any dependency on other parameters. Therefore, we instead rely on nonconjugate variational message passing.

$$\begin{split} q\left(\lambda\right) &= \mathcal{N}\left(\mu_{q(\lambda)}, \Sigma_{q(\lambda)}\right) \\ &= \exp\left\{\eta' T\left(\lambda\right) - h\left(\eta\right)\right\} \\ \mathcal{V}\left(\eta\right) &= \frac{\partial^2 h\left(\eta\right)}{\partial \eta \partial \eta'} \\ p\left(y, \lambda\right) &= \prod_a f_a\left(y, \lambda\right) \\ S_a &= \mathbb{E}_q\left[\log f_a\left(y, \lambda\right)\right] \\ \nabla_{\eta} \mathcal{L} &= \mathcal{V}\left(\eta\right)^{-1} \sum_{a \in N(\lambda)} \frac{\partial S_a}{\partial \eta} - \eta \\ \eta &\leftarrow \mathcal{V}\left(\eta\right)^{-1} \sum_{a \in N(\lambda)} \frac{\partial S_a}{\partial \eta} \\ \Sigma_{q(\lambda)} &\leftarrow -\frac{1}{2} \left[\operatorname{vec}^{-1} \left(\sum_{a \in N(\lambda)} \frac{\partial S_a}{\partial \operatorname{vec}\left(\Sigma_{q(\lambda)}\right)} \right) \right]^{-1} \\ \mu_{q(\lambda)} &\leftarrow \mu_{q(\lambda)} + \Sigma_{q(\lambda)} \sum_{a \in N(\lambda)} \frac{\partial S_q}{\partial \mu_{q(\lambda)}} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} &-\frac{1}{2}\left\{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\sum_{\beta}^{-1}\Sigma_{q(\beta)}\right) + \left(\mu_{q(\beta)} - \mu_{\beta}\right)'\Sigma_{\beta}^{-1}\left(\mu_{q(\beta)} - \mu_{\beta}\right)\right\} - \frac{1}{2}\log|2\pi\Sigma_{\lambda}| \\ &-\frac{1}{2}\left\{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\Sigma_{q(\lambda)}\right) + \left(\mu_{q(\lambda)} - \mu_{\lambda}\right)'\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\left(\mu_{q(\lambda)} - \mu_{\lambda}\right)\right\} + \log\left(2A_{\sigma}\right) - \log\pi - \left\langle\log\left(A_{\sigma}^{2} + \sigma^{2}\right)\right\rangle \\ &-\frac{n}{2}\log\left(2\pi\right) - \frac{1}{2}\left[\left\langle y'y'y'\right\rangle - 2\left(\left\langle Z\right\rangle\mu_{q(\alpha)} + A\mu_{q(\beta)}\right)'\mu_{q(y')} + \operatorname{Tr}\left\{\left\langle Z'Z\right\rangle\left(\Sigma_{q(\alpha)} + \mu_{q(\alpha)}\mu_{q(\alpha)}'\right)\right\}\right] \\ &-\frac{1}{2}\left[2\mu_{q(\alpha)}'\langle Z\rangle'A\mu_{q(\beta)} + \operatorname{Tr}\left(A'A\Sigma_{q(\beta)}\right) + \mu_{q(\beta)}'A'A\mu_{q(\beta)}\right] \\ &-\frac{1}{2}\left[2\mu_{q(\alpha)}'\langle Z\rangle'\mu_{q(y')} + \operatorname{Tr}\left(A'A\Sigma_{q(\beta)}\right) + \mu_{q(\beta)}'A'A\mu_{q(\beta)}\right] \\ &+\frac{\partial}{\partial\mu_{q(\lambda)}}\mu_{q(\alpha)}'\langle Z\rangle'\mu_{q(y')} & \cdots\left(1\right) \\ &+\frac{\partial}{\partial\mu_{q(\lambda)}}\mu_{q(\alpha)}'\langle Z\rangle'\mu_{q(y')} & \cdots\left(2\right) \\ &-\frac{1}{2}\frac{\partial}{\partial\mu_{q(\lambda)}}\operatorname{Tr}\left\{\left\langle Z'Z\right\rangle\left(\Sigma_{q(\alpha)} + \mu_{q(\alpha)}\mu_{q(\alpha)}'\right)\right\} & \cdots\left(3\right) \\ &-\frac{\partial}{\partial\mu_{q(\lambda)}}\mu_{q(\alpha)}'\langle Z\rangle'A\mu_{q(\beta)} & \cdots\left(4\right) \\ &\left(1\right) &=-\frac{1}{2}\frac{\partial}{\partial\mu_{q(\lambda)}}\left(\mu_{q(\lambda)}'\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\mu_{q(\lambda)} - 2\mu_{q(\lambda)}'\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\mu_{\lambda} + \mu_{\lambda}'\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1}\mu_{\lambda}\right) \\ &=\sum_{\lambda}^{1}\left(\mu_{\lambda}-\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right) \\ &=\sum_{\lambda}^{1}\left(\mu_{\lambda}-\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right) \\ &=\sum_{\lambda}^{1}\left(\mu_{\lambda}-\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right) \\ &\left(2\right) + \left(4\right) &=\sum_{\lambda}^{1}\sum_{j=1}^{2}\sum_{r=1}^{m}\left[\mu_{jr}^{q(y'')} - \mu_{j}^{A\mu_{q(\beta)}}\right)\exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\mu_{jj}'\Sigma_{q(\lambda)}t_{ij}\right)\left\{\mu_{j+m}^{q(\alpha)}\cos\left(t_{ij}'\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right) - \mu_{j}^{q(\alpha)}\sin\left(t_{ij}'\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right)\right\}t_{ijr}^{r} \\ &+\mu_{ijr}^{r}\left\{2B_{jr}\cos\left(t_{ijr}'\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right) - \left(A_{jr} + D_{jr}\right)\sin\left(t_{ijr}'\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right)\right\}t_{ijr}^{r} \\ &\mu_{q(\lambda)}\leftarrow\mu_{q(\lambda)} + \Sigma_{q(\lambda)}\left(1\right) + \left(2\right) + \left(3\right) + \left(4\right)\right) \\ &E\left[\log p\left(y,\theta\right)\right] &=-\frac{1}{2}\left(\Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1} + F_{1} + F_{2}\right) \\ &F_{1} &=\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{m}\sum_{i=1}^{m}\left[\mu_{ij}^{q(y'')} - \mu_{i}^{A\mu_{q(\beta)}}\right)\exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}t_{ij}'\Sigma_{q(\lambda)}t_{ij}\right)\left\{\mu_{j}^{q(\alpha)}\cos\left(t_{ij}'\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right) + \mu_{j}^{q(\alpha)}\sin\left(t_{ij}'\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right)\right\}t_{ijr}^{r}t_{jr}^{r} \\ &F_{2} &=-\frac{1}{2}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{m}\sum_{i=1}^{m}\left[\nu_{ijr}^{q}\left\{\left(A_{jr} + D_{jr}\right)\cos\left(t_{ij}'\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right) + 2B_{jr}\sin\left(t_{ij}'\mu_{q(\lambda)}\right)\right\}t_{ijr}^{r}t_{jr}^{r} \\ \end{pmatrix}$$

 $\mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(y,\theta\right)\right] = -m\log\left(\frac{2\pi\sigma^{2}}{m}\right) - \frac{m}{2}\left\langle\frac{1}{\sigma^{2}}\right\rangle \left\{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\Sigma_{q(\alpha)}\right) + \mu'_{q(\alpha)}\mu_{q(\alpha)}\right\} - \frac{1}{2}\log|2\pi\Sigma_{\beta}|$

 $\Sigma_{a(\lambda)} \leftarrow \left\{ \Sigma_{\lambda}^{-1} + F_1 + F_2 \right\}^{-1}$

+ $\nu_{ijr}^{+} \left\{ (A_{jr} - D_{jr}) \cos \left(t_{ijr}^{+ \prime} \mu_{q(\lambda)} \right) + 2B_{jr} \sin \left(t_{ijr}^{+ \prime} \mu_{q(\lambda)} \right) \right\} t_{ijr}^{+} t_{ijr}^{+ \prime}$

4 Sparse GP Poisson mixed model

4.1 Model specifications

$$y = g^{-1}(\eta) + \epsilon, \quad \epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \gamma^{2}I_{n})$$

$$g(\mathbb{E}[y]) = \eta$$

$$\eta = f(x) + A\beta$$

$$g^{-1}(x) = e^{x}$$

$$f \sim \mathcal{GP}(m(\cdot), \kappa(\cdot, \cdot))$$

The canonical link function for Poisson regression model is $\log x$. Therefore,

$$y \sim \text{Poisson}(e^{\eta})$$

$$p(y|\alpha, \beta, X) = \exp\left\{y'(Z\alpha + A\beta) - 1'_n \exp\left\{Z\alpha + A\beta\right\} - 1'_n \log(y!)\right\}$$

$$\alpha|\sigma \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, \frac{\sigma^2}{m}I_{2m}\right)$$

$$\beta \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_{\beta}, \Sigma_{\beta})$$

$$\lambda \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_{\lambda}, \Sigma_{\lambda})$$

$$\sigma \sim \text{half-Cauchy}(A_{\sigma})$$

$$\theta = (\alpha, \beta, \lambda, \sigma)$$

4.2 $\mathbb{E}\left[\log p\left(y|\theta\right)\right]$

$$\log p(y|\theta) = y'(Z\alpha + A\beta) - 1'_n \exp\{Z\alpha + A\beta\} - 1'_n \log(y!)$$

$$\mathbb{E}\left[1'_n \exp\{Z\alpha + A\beta\}\right] = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E}\left\{\exp\left[\sum_{r=1}^m \left(a_r \cos\left\{(s_r \odot x_i)'\lambda\right\} + b_r \sin\left\{(s_r \odot x_i)'\lambda\right\}\right)\right]\right\} \mathbb{E}\left\{\exp\left(a'_i\beta\right)\right\}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E}\left[\exp\left\{z'_i\mu_{q(\alpha)} + \frac{1}{2}z'_i\Sigma_{q(\alpha)}z_i\right\}\right] \exp\left(a'_i\mu_{q(\beta)} + \frac{1}{2}a'_i\Sigma_{q(\beta)}a_i\right)$$