

Multispecies Model- Dorazio Notation

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1 Introduction and motivation

2 Model of one season detection

2.1 Modelling assumptions

- There is an ecological motivation for the detection probabilities, the \mathbf{p} , coming from a common distribution and the occupancy probabilities, the $\mathbf{\Psi}$, coming from a common distribution
- There is no heterogeneity in unobserved covariates for \mathbf{p} and $\mathbf{\Psi}$
- All species are "theoretically" available to be sampled
- No seasonality
- Closed populations within the K visits
- The actual number of species, N , lies between the observed number of species n and the number of augmented species Ω

2.2 Data model

For $j = 1, \dots, J$ sites, $i = 1, \dots, N$ 'actual' species (out of a total of Ω species), and for $k = 1, \dots, K$ revisits at each site

$$y_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } Z_{ij} = 0 \\ \text{Binom}(K, p_i) & \text{if } Z_{ij} = 1 \end{cases}$$

where y_{ij} is the number of times that species i is seen at site j during K visits, Z_{ij} is an indicator of presence or absence of species i at site j , and p_i is the detection probability for species i .

2.3 Process

$$Z_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } W_i = 0 \\ \text{Bern}(\Psi_i) & \text{if } W_i = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$p_i \sim \text{Beta}(\alpha_p, \beta_p)$$

$$\Psi_i \sim \text{Beta}(\alpha_\Psi, \beta_\Psi)$$

$$W_i \sim \text{Bern}(\lambda)$$

where W_i is an indicator of whether a species exists or not in the population; $\sum_{i=1}^{\Omega} W_i = N$ is the species richness; Ψ_i is the presence probability for species i ; and λ is the probability of a species being real.

2.4 Parameter

$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha_p &\sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha_{\alpha_p}, \beta_{\alpha_p}) \\
\beta_p &\sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha_{\beta_p}, \beta_{\beta_p}) \\
\alpha_\Psi &\sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha_{\alpha_\Psi}, \beta_{\alpha_\Psi}) \\
\beta_\Psi &\sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha_{\beta_\Psi}, \beta_{\beta_\Psi}) \\
\lambda &\sim \text{Beta}(\alpha_\lambda, \beta_\lambda)
\end{aligned}$$

3 Ideas

- model $\Psi_k = f(\Psi_{-i}) + \text{randomness and species interaction}$
- $Z_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } W_i = 0 \\ \text{Bern}(\Psi_i) & \text{if } W_i = 1 \end{cases}$ where W_i represents "ghost species"
- Let Ω represent the total number of possible species, $\Omega \geq N \geq n$
- $W_i \sim \text{Bern}(\lambda) \Leftrightarrow N \sim \text{Binom}(\Omega, \lambda) \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^{\Omega} W_i = N$
- Goal: estimate Ψ_i and predict N

4 Posterior

$$\begin{aligned}
&[Z, p, \Psi, W, \alpha_p, \beta_p, \alpha_\Psi, \beta_\Psi, \lambda | y, K] \propto \\
&\left[\prod_{i=1}^{\Omega} \left[\prod_{j=1}^J [y_{ij} | K, p_i]^{Z_{ij}} I\{y_{ij} = 0\}^{(1-Z_{ij})} [Z_{ij} | \Psi_i]^{W_i} I\{Z_{ij} = 0\}^{(1-W_i)} \right] [p_i | \alpha_p, \beta_p] [\Psi_i | \alpha_\Psi, \beta_\Psi] [W_i | \lambda] \right] \\
&\quad \times [\alpha_p] [\beta_p] [\alpha_\Psi] [\beta_\Psi] [\lambda] \quad (1)
\end{aligned}$$

5 Full conditionals

5.1 Z_{ij}

For $W_i = 0$, $Z_{ij} = 0$.

For $y_{ij} \geq 1$, $Z_{ij} = 1$.

For $y_{ij} = 0$ and $W_i = 1$:

$$\begin{aligned}
[Z_{ij} | \cdot] &\propto [y_{ij} | K, p_i]^{Z_{ij}} I\{y_{ij} = 0\}^{(1-Z_{ij})} [Z_{ij} | \Psi_i]^{W_i} I\{Z_{ij} = 0\}^{(1-W_i)} \\
&\propto (1 - p_i)^{J Z_{ij}} \Psi_i^{Z_{ij} W_i} (1 - \Psi_i)^{(1-Z_{ij}) W_i} \\
&\propto ((1 - p_i)^K \Psi_i)^{Z_{ij}} (1 - \Psi_i)^{(1-Z_{ij})}
\end{aligned}$$

which is $\text{Bern}(\tilde{\Psi}_i)$ where $\tilde{\Psi}_i = ((1 - p_i)^K \Psi_i) / ((1 - p_i)^K \Psi_i + (1 - \Psi_i))$

5.2 p_i

$$\begin{aligned}
[p_i|\cdot] &\propto \prod_{j=1}^J [y_{ij}|K, p_i]^{Z_{ij}} [p_i|\alpha_p, \beta_p] \\
&\propto \prod_{j=1}^J (p_i^{y_{ij}} (1-p_i)^{K-y_{ij}})^{Z_{ij}} p_i^{(\alpha_p-1)} (1-p_i)^{(\beta_p-1)} \\
&\propto p_i^{(\alpha_p-1+\sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij} Z_{ij})} (1-p_i)^{(\beta_p-1+\sum_{j=1}^J Z_{ij}(K-y_{ij}))}
\end{aligned}$$

which is $\text{Beta}(\alpha_p + \sum_{j=1}^J y_{ij} Z_{ij}, \beta_p + \sum_{j=1}^J Z_{ij}(K - y_{ij}))$

5.3 Ψ_i

$$\begin{aligned}
[\Psi_i|\cdot] &\propto \prod_{j=1}^J [Z_{ij}|\Psi_i]^{W_i} [\Psi_i|\alpha_\Psi, \beta_\Psi] \\
&\propto \left(\prod_{j=1}^J \Psi_i^{Z_{ij}} (1-\Psi_i)^{(1-Z_{ij})} \right)^{W_i} \Psi_i^{(\alpha_\Psi-1)} (1-\Psi_i)^{(\beta_\Psi-1)} \\
&\propto \Psi_i^{(\alpha_\Psi-1+W_i \sum_{j=1}^J Z_{ij})} (1-\Psi_i)^{(\beta_\Psi-1+W_i \sum_{j=1}^J (1-Z_{ij}))}
\end{aligned}$$

which is $\text{Beta}(\alpha_\Psi + W_i \sum_{j=1}^J Z_{ij}, \beta_\Psi + W_i \sum_{j=1}^J (1 - Z_{ij}))$

5.4 W_i

If $\sum_{j=1}^J Z_{ij} > 0$, then $W_i = 1$. So only sample for $\sum_{j=1}^J Z_{ij} = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned}
[W_i|\cdot] &\propto \prod_{j=1}^J [Z_{ij}|\Psi_i]^{W_i} [W_i|\lambda] \\
&\propto \left(\prod_{j=1}^J \Psi_i^{(Z_{ij} W_i)} (1-\Psi_i)^{((1-Z_{ij}) W_i)} \right) \lambda^{W_i} (1-\lambda)^{(1-W_i)} \\
&\propto \left(\Psi_i^{\sum_{j=1}^J Z_{ij}} (1-\Psi_i)^{\sum_{j=1}^J (1-Z_{ij})} \lambda \right)^{W_i} (1-\lambda)^{(1-W_i)}
\end{aligned}$$

which is $\text{Bern}(\tilde{\lambda})$ where $\tilde{\lambda} = ((1-\Psi_i)^J \lambda) / ((1-\Psi_i)^J \lambda + (1-\lambda))$

5.5 α_p

$$[\alpha_p|\cdot] \propto \prod_{i=1}^{\Omega} [p_i|\alpha_p, \beta_p] [\alpha_p]$$

where $[p_i|\alpha_p, \beta_p]$ is $\text{Beta}(\alpha_p, \beta_p)$ and $[\alpha_p]$ is $\text{Gamma}(\alpha_{\alpha_p}, \beta_{\alpha_p})$. This can be sampled using Metropolis-Hastings

5.6 β_p

$$[\beta_p|\cdot] \propto \prod_{i=1}^{\Omega} [p_i|\alpha_p, \beta_p][\beta_p]$$

where $[p_i|\alpha_p, \beta_p]$ is Beta(α_p, β_p) and $[\beta_p]$ is Gamma($\alpha_{\beta_p}, \beta_{\beta_p}$). This can be sampled using Metropolis-Hastings

5.7 α_Ψ

$$[\alpha_\Psi|\cdot] \propto \prod_{i=1}^{\Omega} [\Psi_i|\alpha_\Psi, \beta_\Psi][\alpha_\Psi]$$

where $[\Psi_i|\alpha_\Psi, \beta_\Psi]$ is Beta(α_Ψ, β_Ψ) and $[\alpha_\Psi]$ is Gamma($\alpha_{\alpha_\Psi}, \beta_{\alpha_\Psi}$). This can be sampled using Metropolis-Hastings

5.8 β_Ψ

$$[\beta_\Psi|\cdot] \propto \prod_{i=1}^{\Omega} [\Psi_i|\alpha_\Psi, \beta_\Psi][\beta_\Psi]$$

where $[\Psi_i|\alpha_\Psi, \beta_\Psi]$ is Beta(α_Ψ, β_Ψ) and $[\beta_\Psi]$ is Gamma($\alpha_{\beta_\Psi}, \beta_{\beta_\Psi}$). This can be sampled using Metropolis-Hastings

5.9 λ

$$\begin{aligned} [\lambda|\cdot] &\propto \prod_{i=1}^{\Omega} [W_i|\lambda][\lambda] \\ &\propto \prod_{i=1}^{\Omega} \lambda^{W_i} (1-\lambda)^{(1-W_i)} \lambda^{(\alpha_\lambda-1)} (1-\lambda)^{(\beta_\lambda-1)} \end{aligned}$$

which is Beta($\alpha_\lambda + \sum_{i=1}^{\Omega} W_i, \beta_\lambda + \sum_{i=1}^{\Omega} (1-W_i)$)

6 Next Steps

- Include a probit link function.