

Bayesian Time Series Forecasting With Change Point and Anomaly Detection

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Time Series Model

Observation equation

$$y_t = \mu_t + \gamma_t + z_t^a o_t + (1 - z_t^a) \varepsilon_t$$

Transition Equations

Trend:

$$\mu_t = \mu_{t-1} + \delta_{t-1} + z_t^c r_t + (1 - z_t^c) u_t$$

$$\delta_t = \delta_{t-1} + v_t$$

Seasonality:

$$\gamma_t = - \sum_{s=1}^{S-1} \gamma_{t-s} + w_t$$

Anomaly point

$$\{z_t^a\}_{t=1}^n \sim \text{Ber}(p_a), \text{ i.i.d.}$$

Change point

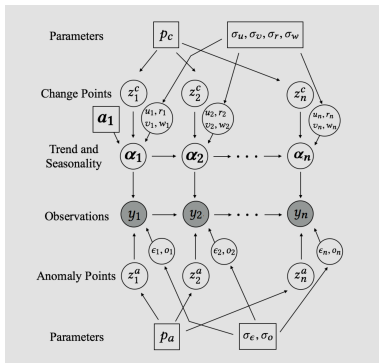
$$\{z_t^c\}_{t=1}^n \sim \text{Ber}(p_c), \text{ i.i.d.}$$

Noise

$o_t, \varepsilon_t, r_t, u_t, v_t, z_t$ -

independent zeros mean
normal noises

Graphical Model



Latent Variables

$$\{\alpha_t\}_{t=1}^n = (\mu_t, \delta_t, \gamma_t, \dots, \gamma_{t-S+2})_{t=1}^n$$

$$\{z_t\}_{t=1}^n = \{(z_t^a, z_t^c)\}_{t=1}^n$$

Parameters

$$a_1 = (\mu_o, \delta_o, \gamma_o, \dots, \gamma_{2-S})$$

$$p = (p_a, p_c)$$

$$\sigma = (\sigma_\epsilon, \sigma_o, \sigma_u, \sigma_r, \sigma_v, \sigma_w)$$

Algorithm

Part I: Initialization

- 1 Initialize $\sigma_\varepsilon, \sigma_o, \sigma_u, \sigma_r, \sigma_v, \sigma_w$ with the empirical standard deviation.
- 2 Initialize a_1 : $a_1[0] = \frac{1}{S} \sum_{t=1}^S y_t$, $a_1[1:] = 0$.
- 3 Initialize $p_a = p_c = \frac{1}{n}$, $\{z_t^a\}_{t=1}^n \sim \text{Ber}(p_a)$, $\{z_t^c\}_{t=1}^n \sim \text{Ber}(p_c)$

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Part II: Inference

while $L_{a_1,p,\sigma}(y, \alpha, z)$ does not converges:

- ① $\alpha \sim p_{a_1,p,\sigma}(\alpha|y, z)$ by Kalman filter, Kalman smoothing and “fake-path” trick
- ② $z_t^a \sim p_{a_1,p,\sigma}(z_t^a|y, \alpha) = \text{Ber}(p_t^a),$
 $z_t^c \sim p_{a_1,p,\sigma}(z_t^c|y, \alpha) = \text{Ber}(p_t^c)$
 $\{p_t^a\}_{t=1}^n = \mathbb{P}(z_t^a = 1|y, \alpha), \{p_t^c\}_{t=1}^n = \mathbb{P}(z_t^c = 1|y, \alpha)$
- ③ Segment control on z_c : requirement on the length of segment among two consecutive change points
- ④ Using α and z , update σ by the empirical standard deviation
- ⑤ Update a_1 . $a_1[: 2] = \alpha_1[: 2], a_1[2 :] = \alpha_{S+1}[2 :]$
- ⑥ Calculate $L_{a_1,p,\sigma}(y, \alpha, z)$

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The Joint Likelihood function

$$\begin{aligned}
L_{a_1, p, \sigma}(y, \alpha, z) = & \\
= & \prod_{t: z_t^a=0} \mathcal{N}(y_t | \mu_t + \gamma_t, \sigma_\varepsilon) \cdot \prod_{t: z_t^a=1} \mathcal{N}(y_t | \mu_t + \gamma_t, \sigma_o) \cdot \\
\cdot & \prod_{t: z_t^c=0} \mathcal{N}(\mu_t | \mu_{t-1} + \delta_{t-1}, \sigma_u) \cdot \prod_{t: z_t^c=1} \mathcal{N}(\mu_t | \mu_{t-1} + \delta_{t-1}, \sigma_r) \cdot \\
\cdot & \prod_{t=1}^n \mathcal{N}(\delta_t | \delta_{t-1}, \sigma_v) \cdot \prod_{t=1}^n \mathcal{N}(\gamma_t | - \sum_{s=1}^{S-1} \gamma_{t-s}, \sigma_w) \cdot \\
\cdot & \prod_{t=1}^n (p_a)^{z_t^a} (1 - p_a)^{1-z_t^a} (p_c)^{z_t^c} (1 - p_c)^{1-z_t^c}
\end{aligned}$$

Algorithm

State Space Equations

$$y_t = Z_t \alpha_t + A_t o_t + (1 - A_t) \varepsilon_t$$

$$\alpha_{t+1} =$$

$$T_t \alpha_t + R_t C_t \eta_t + R_t (1 - C_t) \xi_t,$$

where

$$o_t \sim \mathcal{N}(0, H_t^o)$$

$$\varepsilon_t \sim \mathcal{N}(0, H_t^\varepsilon)$$

$$\eta_t \sim \mathcal{N}(0, H_t^\eta)$$

$$\xi_t \sim \mathcal{N}(0, H_t^\xi),$$

$$A_t \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p_a)$$

$$C_t \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p_c)$$

Transition equations

$$\alpha_t = (\mu_t, \delta_t, \gamma_t, \dots, \gamma_{t-S+2})^T$$

$$\eta_t = (r_t, v_t, w_t),$$

$$\xi_t = (u_t, v_t, w_t)$$

$$Z_t = (1, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$T_t = \text{diag}(T_\mu, T_\gamma)$$

$$R = \text{diag}(R_\mu, R_\gamma)$$

$$H_t^o = \sigma_o^2,$$

$$H_t^\varepsilon = \sigma_\varepsilon^2$$

$$Q^\eta = \text{diag}(\sigma_r^2, \sigma_v^2, \sigma_w^2)$$

$$Q^\xi = \text{diag}(\sigma_u^2, \sigma_v^2, \sigma_w^2)$$

Algorithm

Kalman Filter Recursion

$$v_t = y_t - Z_t a_t$$

$$F_t = Z_t P_t Z_t^T + p_t^a H_t^o + (1 - p_t^a) H_t^\varepsilon$$

$$a_{t|t} = a_t + P_t Z_t^T F_t^{-1} v_t$$

$$P_{t|t} = P_t Z_t F_t^{-1} Z_t P_t$$

$$K_t = T_t P_t Z_t^T F_t^{-1}$$

Update equations:

$$a_{t+1} = T_t a_t + K_t v_t$$

$$P_{t+1} = T_t P_{t|t} T_t^T + R_t (p_t^c Q_t^\eta + (1 - p_t^c Q_t^\xi)) R_t^T$$

Kalman Smoothing Recursion

Inputs from Kalman Filter:

$$a_t, P_t, v_t, F_t, K_t$$

$$r_n = 0, N_n = 0$$

Update equations:

$$L_t = T_t - K_t Z_t$$

$$r_{t-1} = Z_t F_t^{-1} v_t + L_t r_t$$

$$\hat{\alpha}_t = a_t + P_t r_{t-1}$$

$$N_{t-1} = Z_t^T F_t^{-1} Z_t + L_t^T N_t L_t$$

$$V_t = P_t - P_t N_{t-1} P_t$$

Algorithm

"Fake-path" Trick

The purpose is to obtain posterior distribution $\mathbb{P}_{\alpha_1, p, \sigma}(\alpha|y, z)$. All hidden variables z, p, σ are given:

- 1 Pick some vector \tilde{a}_1 and generate a sequence of time series \tilde{y} from it. We also observe $\tilde{\alpha}$.
- 2 Obtain $\{\mathbb{E}(\tilde{\alpha}_t|\tilde{y})\}_{t=1}^n$ from \tilde{y} by Kalman filter and Kalman smoothing.
- 3 Use $\{\tilde{\alpha}_t - \mathbb{E}(\tilde{\alpha}_t|\tilde{y}) + \mathbb{E}(\alpha_t|y)\}_{t=1}^n$ as sampling distribution from the conditional distribution.

Algorithm

Segment control on change points

Denote $t_1 < t_2 < \dots$ to be all the indexes such that $z_{t_i}^c = 1$

while there exists i such that $|t_{i+1} - t_i| < l$ **do** :

- ① Check if $|\mu_{t_i-1} - \mu_{t_{i+1}+1}| \leq 2$. If so, exclude both of them from change points by setting $z_{t_i}^c = z_{t_{i+1}}^c = 0$. Otherwise, randomly exclude one of them by setting the corresponding coordinate in z^c to be 0.
- ② Update all the indexes of change points in z^c .

end

Algorithm

Part III: Forecasting

- 1 With a_n and σ , generate future time series y_{future} with length m . Repeat generative procedure to obtain future paths $y_{future}^{(1)}, y_{future}^{(2)}, \dots, y_{future}^{(N)}$.
- 2 Combine all the predictive paths and give the distribution for the future time series forecasting. Calculate the point-wise quantile intervals.

Algorithm

Generative Procedure

- 1 Generate the indexes of anomalies or change points occur

$$\{z_t^a\}_{t=1}^n \sim \text{Ber}(p_a), \quad \{z_t^c\}_{t=1}^n \sim \text{Ber}(p_c).$$

- 2 Generate $\varepsilon, o, u, r, v, w$ as independent normal r.v.'s with zero mean and standard deviations $\sigma_\varepsilon, \sigma_o, \sigma_u, \sigma_r, \sigma_v, \sigma_w$.
- 3 Generate $\alpha_{t=1}^m$ by transition functions.
- 4 Generate time series $\{y_t\}_{t=1}^m$ by the observation function.

Experiments

