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# **tsBNgen**

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## **DESCRIPTION**

tsBNgen is a Python library to generate time series data based on an arbitrary dynamic Bayesian network. The intention behind writing tsBNgen is to let researchers generate time series data according to arbitrary model they want.

tsBNgen is released under the MIT license.

Following are the features and capabilities of this software:

- It handles discrete nodes, continuous nodes and hybrid (Mixture of discrete and continuous) network.
- It uses multinomial distribution for the discrete nodes and Gaussian distribution for the continuous nodes.
- It handles arbitrary Bayesian network structure.
- It supports arbitrary loopback values.
- The code can be modified easily to handle arbitrary static and temporal structures.

## INSTRUCTION

Either clone this repository <https://github.com/manitadayon/tsBNgen> or install the package using

```
pip install tsBNgen.
```

Then import necessary libraries using the following commands:

```
from tsBNgen import *  
from tsBNgen.tsBNgen import *
```

There are in general two functions you should be running if you want to generate data:

- `BN_data_gen()`: Use this function under the following conditions: `custom_time` variable is not specified and the value of the loopback for all the variables is at most 1.

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**Note:** condition 1 describes the classical dynamic Bayesian network in which some nodes at time  $t-1$  are connected to themselves at time  $t$ .

- `BN_sample_gen_loopback()`:
  1. `custom_time` is not specified and you want the loopback value for some nodes to be at most 2.
  2. `custom_time` is specified and it is at least equal to the maximum loopback value of the loopbacks2.

Following are the explanation of the some of the variables and parameters in `tsBNgen`:

- **T** : Length of each time series.
- **N** : Number of samples.
- **N\_level** : list. Number of possible levels for discrete nodes.
- **Mat** : data-frame. Adjacency matrix for each time point.
- **Node\_Type** :list. Type of each variable in Bayesian Network.
- **CPD** : dict. Conditonal Probability Distribution for initial time point.
- **Parent** : dict. Identifying parent of each node in Bayesian network at initial time.
- **CPD2** : dict. Conditonal Probability Distribution.
- **Parent2** : dict. Identifying parent of each node in Bayesian network.
- **loopbacks** : dict. Describing the temporal interconnection between nodes.
- **CPD3** : dict. Conditonal Probability Distribution. Use this entry when `BN_sample_gen_loopback()` is called.
- **Parent3** : dict. Identifying parent of each node in Bayesian network. Use this entry when `BN_sample_gen_loopback()` is called.

- **loopback2** : dict. Describing the temporal interconnection between nodes. Use this entry when `BN_sample_gen_loopback()` is called.

### Example 1

```
from tsBNgen import *
from tsBNgen.tsBNgen import *
T=20
N=2000
N_level=[2,4]
Mat=pd.DataFrame(np.array([[0,1,1],[0,0,1],[0,0,0]]))
Node_Type=['D','D','C']
CPD={'0':[0.6,0.4],'01':[[0.5,0.3,0.15,0.05],[0.1,0.15,0.3,0.45]],'012':{'mu0':10,
↪ 'sigma0':2,'mu1':30,'sigma1':5,
    'mu2':50,'sigma2':5,'mu3':70,'sigma3':5,'mu4':15,'sigma4':5,'mu5':50,'sigma5':5,
↪ 'mu6':70,'sigma6':5,'mu7':90,'sigma7':3
}}
Parent={'0':[],'1':[0],'2':[0,1]}

CPD2={'00':[[0.7,0.3],[0.2,0.8]],'011':[[0.7,0.2,0.1,0],[0.6,0.3,0.05,0.05],[0.35,0.5,
↪ 0.15,0],
[0.2,0.3,0.4,0.1],[0.3,0.3,0.2,0.2],[0.1,0.2,0.3,0.4],[0.05,0.15,0.3,0.5],[0,0.05,0.
↪ 25,0.7]],'012':{'mu0':10,'sigma0':2,'mu1':30,'sigma1':5,
    'mu2':50,'sigma2':5,'mu3':70,'sigma3':5,'mu4':15,'sigma4':5,'mu5':50,'sigma5':5,
↪ 'mu6':70,'sigma6':5,'mu7':90,'sigma7':3
}}

Parent2={'0':[0],'1':[0,1],'2':[0,1]}
loopbacks={'00':[1],'11':[1]}
Parent2={'0':[0],'1':[0,1],'2':[0,1]}
Time_series1=tsBNgen(T,N,N_level,Mat,Node_Type,CPD,Parent,CPD2,Parent2,loopbacks)
Time_series1.BN_data_gen()
```

### Example 2

```
from tsBNgen import *
from tsBNgen.tsBNgen import *
T=10
N=1000
N_level=[2,4]
Mat=pd.DataFrame(np.array([[0,1,0],[0,0,1],[0,0,0]]))
Node_Type=['D','D','C']
CPD={'0':[0.5,0.5],'01':[[0.6,0.3,0.05,0.05],[0.1,0.2,0.3,0.4]],'12':{'mu0':10,'sigma0
↪ ':5,'mu1':30,'sigma1':5,
    'mu2':60,'sigma2':5,'mu3':80,'sigma3':5}}
Parent={'0':[],'1':[0],'2':[1]}

CPD2={'00':[[0.7,0.3],[0.3,0.7]],'0011':[[0.7,0.2,0.1,0],[0.5,0.4,0.1,0],[0.45,0.45,0.
↪ 1,0],
[0.3,0.4,0.2,0.1],[0.4,0.4,0.1,0.1],[0.2,0.3,0.3,0.2],[0.2,0.3,0.3,0.2],[0.1,0.2,0.3,
↪ 0.4],[0.3,0.4,0.2,0.1],[0.2,0.2,0.4,0.2],
[0.2,0.1,0.4,0.3],[0.05,0.15,0.3,0.5],[0.1,0.3,0.3,0.3],[0,0.1,0.3,0.6],[0,0.1,0.2,0.
↪ 7],[0,0,0.3,0.7]],'112':{'mu0':10,'sigma0':2,'mu1':30,'sigma1':2,
    'mu2':50,'sigma2':2,'mu3':60,'sigma3':5,'mu4':20,'sigma4':2,'mu5':25,'sigma5':5,
↪ 'mu6':50,'sigma6':5,'mu7':60,'sigma7':5,
    'mu8':40,'sigma8':5,'mu9':50,'sigma9':5,'mu10':70,'sigma10':5,'mu11':85,'sigma11
↪ ':2,'mu12':60,'sigma12':5,
```

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'mu13':60,'sigma13':5,'mu14':80,'sigma14':3,'mu15':90,'sigma15':3}

Parent2={'0':[0], '1':[0,0,1], '2':[1,1]}
loopbacks={'00':[1], '01':[1], '11':[1], '12':[1]}

Time_series2=tsBNgen(T,N,N_level,Mat,Node_Type,CPD,Parent,CPD2,Parent2,loopbacks)
Time_series2.BN_data_gen()
```

## 3.1 tsBNgen package

### 3.1.1 Submodules

### 3.1.2 tsBNgen.tsBNgen module

**class** `tsBNgen.tsBNgen.tsBNgen` (*T, N, N\_level, Mat, Node\_Type, CPD, Parent, CPD2, Parent2, loopbacks, CPD3=None, Parent3=None, loopbacks2=None, custom\_time=0*)

Bases: `object`

**BFS** (*Row*)

Perform Breadth-first search for the given node(row).

**Parameters** **Row** (*int*) – Corresponds to the row (node) in adjacency matrix.

**Returns** The node and all its children.

**Return type** `list`

**BN\_data\_gen** ()

It uses `Initial_sample` for initial time( $t=0$ ) and `BN_sample` for time point  $t=1$  up to time  $t=T$  (length of time series)

**Parameters** **None** –

**Returns** `None`

**Return type** `None`

**Raises** **Exception** – Parent of a discrete node cannot be continuous

#### Notes

Use this function under the following conditions: `custom_time` variable is not specified and the value of the loopback for all the variables is at most 1

**BN\_sample** ()

Generate samples for all the nodes after the initial time.

**Parameters** **None** –

**Returns**

**Return type** `None`

## Notes

Use this function to generate samples if the loopback values are at most one. Loopback=1 means that a node at time  $t$  is connected to the node at  $t-1$ .

**Raises Exception** – Parent of a discrete node cannot be continuous

**BN\_sample\_gen\_loopback()**

Generate time series data for all the nodes for all time. See Notes for the more information.

**Parameters None** –

**Returns**

**Return type** None

**Raises Exception** – Parent of a discrete node cannot be continuous

## Notes

This is more general form of BN\_data\_gen that supports only two different BN structures or loopback value of maximum one for all the nodes.

**BN\_sample\_loopback()**

Generate samples for all the nodes given CPD3 and Parent3 are used.

**Parameters None** –

**Returns**

**Return type** None

**Raises Exception** – Parent of a discrete node cannot be continuous

## Notes

Use this function when you want to incorporate three BNs.

**Child(Row)**

Finds the children of the node specified by the row of the adjacency matrix.

**Parameters Row (int)** – The row in the adjacency matrix, corresponding to the same node in a Bayesian network.

**Returns** All the children of the given node.

**Return type** list

**DAG\_ordering()**

Find the topological ordering of the graph

**Parameters None** –

**Returns**

**Return type** None

**Gaussian\_select(index1, index2, ii=0)**

**Initial\_sample()**

Generate samples for all the nodes at initial time ( $t=0$ )

**Parameters None** –



**Returns****Return type** None**Raises Exception** – Parent of a discrete node cannot be continuous**Level\_multiplied()****Multinomial\_Select** (*index1*, *index2*, *ii=0*)

Generate sample according to the Multinomial distribution.

**Parameters**

- **index1** (*string*) – key values of dictionary in CPD/CPD2/CPD3
- **index2** (*int*) – Determine which CPD entry to select.
- **ii** (*int*) – The node to generate the sample for. It defaults to 0.

**Returns** The new generated sample.**Return type** int**Role\_Assignment** ()

Identify the root node.

**Parameters** None –**Returns****Return type** None**Roots\_length** ()

Identifying the number of root nodes.

**Parameters** None –**Returns** Number of root nodes.**Return type** int**Valid\_BN** (*parent*)

Verify whether the parent-child relationships between nodes are valid.

**Parameters** **parent** (*dict*) – dictionary where the keys are the nodes and the values are the list of parents.**Returns****Return type** None**Raises Exception** – “Parent of a discrete node cannot be continuous”**continuous\_cpd** ()**static int\_to\_str** (*List*)

Concatenates list elements to a string.

**Parameters** **List** (*list*) –**Returns** concatenated list elements as a string.**Return type** string**parents\_len** (*Node*)**static zero\_loc** (*List*)

Find the index of zero values in a list.

**Parameters** **List** (*list*) –

**Returns** indices of zero values in a list.

**Return type** list

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