### Advanced Time Series

# Lecture 1: Introduction to time series

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## What is ATS about?

Time series are **sequences**.

- all the sequential **deep learning** blocks can be applied (RNN, CNN, combinations, etc.)
- various problems: forecasting, classification, event prediction
- **mental image** of time series problems how to select parameters, architectures, etc.

## What ATS is not about?

- AR, VAR, ARIMA, etc.
- specific domains
- econometrics
- financial time series

But we will **overview** the classical stuff. And will use it to build **intuition**.

## You should attend if...

#### ... most of the following is true:

- you have some basic experience with classical time series approaches
- know how to read research papers
- have some understanding of deep learning in general and RNN and CNN in particular
- have no problems at all with Python stack (especially PyTorch)

# How do we check prerequisites

- qualification homework
- Pandas time series functionality + PyTorch
- **10 days to submit** (deadline is 24:00 Feb 3)
- at least 5 points out of 7
- individual submissions

# Course logistics

#### 6 lectures, 3 hours each, Google classroom

- slides + notebook(-s)
- 4 homeworks (in pairs)
- 2 paper reviews + 2 paper implementations
- manual grading
- Slack

### Course structure

#### Intro + 4 topics:

- TS **forecasting**: RNNs<sup>(various)</sup>
- TS **classification**: CNN<sup>(various)</sup> and combined<sup>(RNN+CNN)</sup> models
- **TTE prediction**: DL models for predictive maintenance, survival analysis
- TS **representation learning**: VAMPnets, autoencoders<sup>(various)</sup>

### Course structure

Power consumption

Weather

Sales

Traffic

#### **Forecasting**

AR models RNNs Probabilistic forecasts

Any highly structured TS

#### Representation

VAMPnets AEs

#### **ATS**

Activity data (inertial sensors) Sound Medical signals

#### Classification

Dilated/causal convolutions CNNs and hybrid models Attention mechanism Segmentation

Equipment data Earthquakes and other physical signals

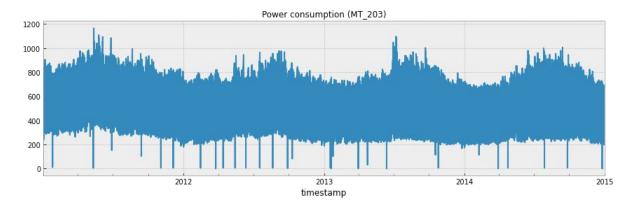
#### TTE prediction

Survival models interpretability

# Time series basics: time domain

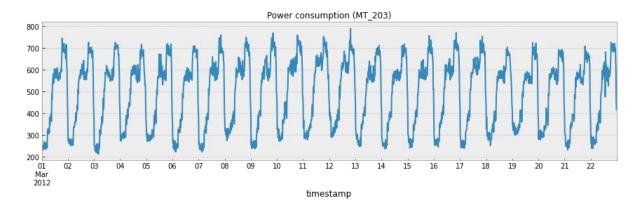
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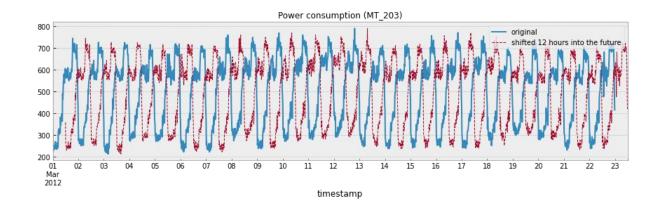
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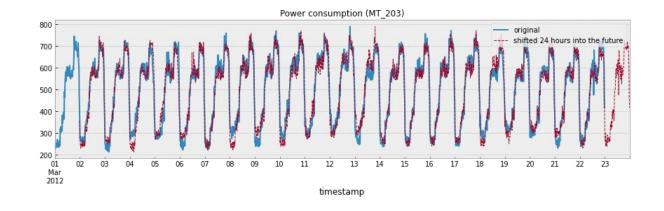
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- shift the data: 12 hours



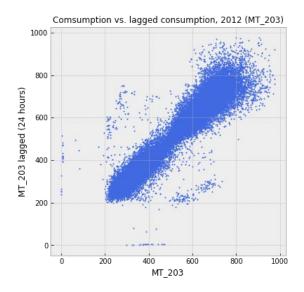
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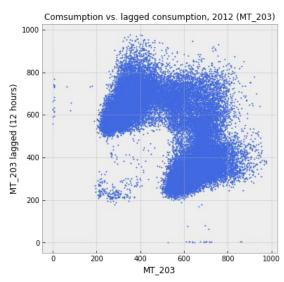
- shift the data: 24 hours



#### Temporal structure?

- shift the data: 12, 24 hours

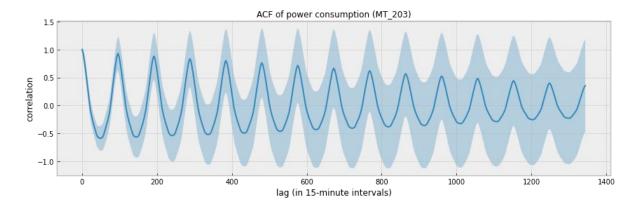




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## **Autocorrelation function**

#### ACF:

- quick assessment of signal temporal structure
- correlation length -> model parameters

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# Modeling

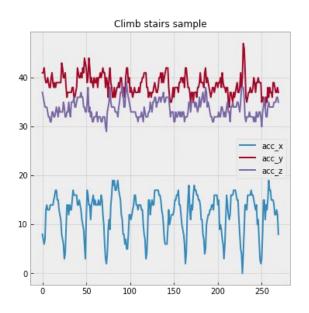
#### Modeling ideas:

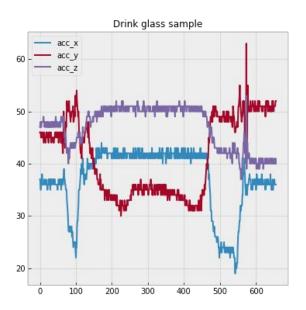
- use some AR-alike classical model
- use some RF, gradient boosting, provide lags explicitly
- **recurrent** model (modified?)

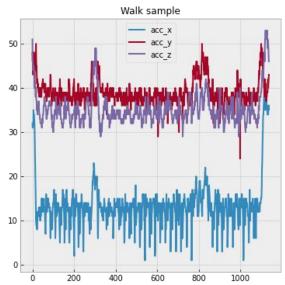
# Time series basics: frequency domain

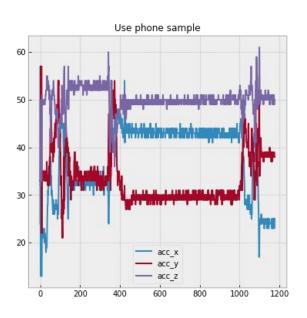
#### **ADL** Recognition dataset

- multiple activities, short samples
- 50 Hz sampling rate





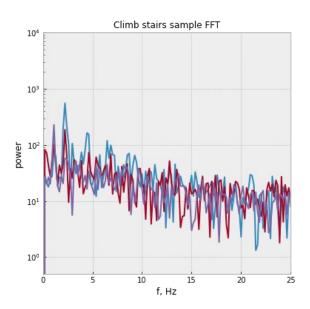


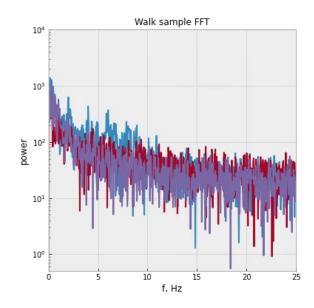


ACF? Non-informative: wrong "scale"

- FFT for the rescue

#### Power spectrum:





# Modeling

#### Modeling ideas:

- use manual features (tsfresh) and some classical model
- **CNN** model (modified?)

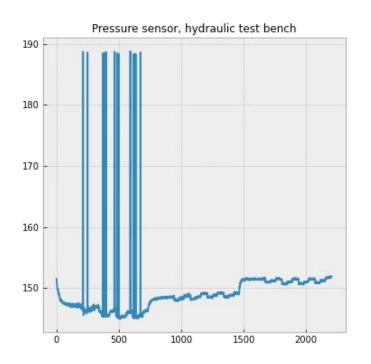
# Time series basics: other examples

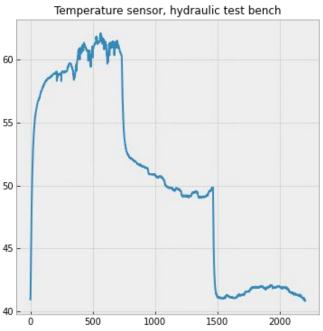
# Industrial equipment

#### Condition monitoring of hydraulic systems dataset

- multiple sensors (temperature, pressure)
- 100 Hz sampling rate

# Industrial equipment





## Time series basics: tools

## **Pandas**

#### Mostly for preprocessing:

- datetime operations
- resampling, rolling
- shifts

## **Cross-validation**

#### Random split cannot be applied to time series

- use fixed split
- use rolling CV
- otherwise, autocorrelation will kill your model

questions?