microburst trains

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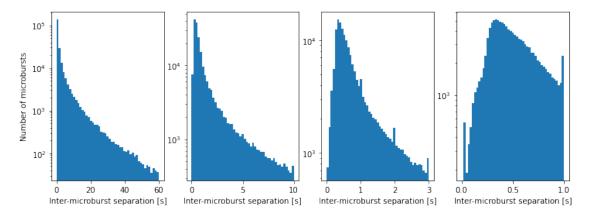
[]: import itertools

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import pandas as pd
     import numpy as np
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     from sampex_microburst_indices.load.catalog import Catalog
     from sampex_microburst_indices.id.index_intervals import get_index_intervals
    /home/mike/research/sampex_microburst_indices/env/lib/python3.9/site-
    packages/matplotlib_inline/config.py:66: DeprecationWarning:
    InlineBackend._figure_formats_changed is deprecated in traitlets 4.1: use
    Oobserve and Ounobserve instead.
      def _figure_formats_changed(self, name, old, new):
    Load the CSV file, parse the time stamps, remove rows with unfilled attitude data, and removes
    spin times.
[]: cat = Catalog(0, parse_dates=True).load()
[]: print(cat.columns, '\n', cat.shape)
    Index(['burst_param', 'date', 'GEO_Long', 'GEO_Lat', 'Altitude', 'L_Shell',
           'MLT', 'Att_Flag', 'Pitch', 'AE', 'AL', 'AU', 'SYM/D', 'SYM/H', 'ASY/D',
           'ASY/H'],
          dtype='object')
     (244020, 16)
[]: cat.head()
[]:
                              burst_param
                                                 date GEO_Long GEO_Lat Altitude \
     dateTime
     1997-11-09 19:56:40.720
                                     35.3 1997-11-09
                                                        108.686 69.4370
                                                                            681.303
     1997-11-09 19:56:46.920
                                     16.5
                                           1997-11-09
                                                        109.084 69.1038
                                                                            681.373
     1997-11-09 19:57:02.440
                                     10.4 1997-11-09
                                                        110.202 68.0984
                                                                            681.558
     1997-11-09 19:57:02.760
                                     10.2 1997-11-09
                                                        110.202 68.0984
                                                                            681.558
     1997-11-09 19:57:02.980
                                     10.4 1997-11-09
                                                        110.202 68.0984
                                                                            681.558
```

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MLT Att_Flag
                             L_Shell
                                                           Pitch
                                                                     ΑE
                                                                            AL \
    dateTime
    1997-11-09 19:56:40.720 5.47977 3.30990
                                                    0.0 32.9061 660.0 -518.0
                                                    0.0 32.8835 660.0 -518.0
    1997-11-09 19:56:46.920 5.34191 3.33664
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.440 4.99033 3.41316
                                                    0.0 32.8191 660.0 -518.0
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.760 4.99033 3.41316
                                                    0.0 32.8191 660.0 -518.0
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.980 4.99033 3.41316
                                                    0.0 32.8191 660.0 -518.0
                                AU SYM/D SYM/H ASY/D ASY/H
    dateTime
                                                          42.0
    1997-11-09 19:56:40.720 142.0
                                     -5.0 -16.0
                                                   23.0
    1997-11-09 19:56:46.920 142.0
                                     -5.0 -16.0
                                                   23.0
                                                          42.0
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.440 142.0
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    1997-11-09 19:57:02.760 142.0 -5.0 -16.0
                                                   23.0
                                                          42.0
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.980 142.0
                                     -5.0 -16.0
                                                   23.0
                                                          42.0
[]: cat['dt'] = cat.index.to_series().diff().dt.total_seconds()
     # cat = cat.dropna()
    cat['dt']
[]: dateTime
    1997-11-09 19:56:40.720
                                     NaN
    1997-11-09 19:56:46.920
                                    6.20
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.440
                                   15.52
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.760
                                    0.32
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.980
                                    0.22
    2007-08-11 19:25:55.640
                                    6.76
    2007-08-11 19:25:55.900
                                    0.26
    2007-08-11 19:25:55.940
                                    0.04
    2007-08-11 19:25:56.240
                                    0.30
    2007-08-22 14:22:12.900
                               932176.66
    Name: dt, Length: 244020, dtype: float64
[]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 4, figsize=(12, 4))
    ax[0].hist(cat['dt'], bins=np.linspace(0, 60))
    ax[1].hist(cat['dt'], bins=np.linspace(0, 10))
    ax[2].hist(cat['dt'], bins=np.linspace(0, 3))
    ax[3].hist(cat['dt'], bins=np.linspace(0, 1))
    for ax_i in ax:
        ax_i.set_yscale('log');
        ax_i.set_xlabel('Inter-microburst separation [s]')
    ax[0].set_ylabel('Number of microbursts')
    H, bins = np.histogram(cat['dt'], bins=np.linspace(0, 2))
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print(f'The peak of the dt distribution is at {round(bins[np.argmax(H)], 3)} s. \hookrightarrow')
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The peak of the dt distribution is at 0.327 s.



As we zoomed in, we found that the dt distribution is peaked at ~ 0.3 seconds.

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[]: np.nanquantile(cat['dt'], q=(0.25, .50, 0.75))
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[]: array([0.46, 0.96, 4.2])

Helper function for a progress bar.

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[]: def progressbar(i, n):
    # Update the status % in the terminal.
    progress_percent = round(100 * i / n)
    progress_str = "#" * (progress_percent // 5)
    print(f'Calculating intervals: |{progress_str:<20}| {progress_percent}%', □
    →end='\r')
    return
```

1 Calculate the microburst trains

First define a maximum time threshold between microbursts to qualify as a microburst train

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[]: threshold_s = 1
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[]: def intervals(dt, threshold_s=1):
    """
    Given a list of time differences, dt, calculate the start and end indices
    →for
    intervals where dt < threshold_s (units of seconds).
    """
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i = 0
    indices = np.zeros((0, 2), dtype=int)
    while i < len(dt):</pre>
        progressbar(i, len(dt))
        if (dt[i] > threshold_s) or np.isnan(dt[i]):
             i += 1
             continue
        else:
             j = i
             if j == len(dt):
                 break
             while dt[j] <= threshold_s:</pre>
                 j += 1
             # This assumes pandas's inclusive index slicing. Change j-1 to j_{\perp}
 \rightarrow for numpy indexing.
             indices = np.vstack((indices, [i-1, j-1]))
    print() # Add a newline to avoid merging the progress bar and the next_{\sqcup}
 \rightarrowprint line.
    return indices
indices = intervals(cat['dt'], threshold_s=threshold_s)
indices
```

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Visually check that the first few indices match to the correct dt.

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[]: cat['dt'].reset_index().iloc[:20]
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```
[]: dateTime dt
0 1997-11-09 19:56:40.720 NaN
1 1997-11-09 19:56:46.920 6.20
2 1997-11-09 19:57:02.440 15.52
3 1997-11-09 19:57:02.760 0.32
4 1997-11-09 19:57:02.980 0.22
```

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5 1997-11-09 19:57:09.720
                                6.74
6 1997-11-09 20:42:16.280
                             2706.56
7 1997-11-10 00:31:21.700
                            13745.42
8 1997-11-10 00:47:48.780
                              987.08
9 1997-11-10 01:20:27.020
                             1958.24
10 1997-11-10 02:58:24.840
                             5877.82
11 1997-11-10 03:14:31.560
                              966.72
12 1997-11-10 04:52:21.960
                             5870.40
13 1997-11-10 04:52:22.540
                                0.58
14 1997-11-10 04:52:24.560
                                2.02
15 1997-11-10 04:52:25.180
                                0.62
16 1997-11-10 04:52:25.580
                                0.40
17 1997-11-10 04:52:26.500
                                0.92
18 1997-11-10 05:39:04.000
                             2797.50
19 1997-11-10 07:16:46.440
                             5862.44
```

1.1 Calculate train values

```
[]: trains = pd.DataFrame(
    data=np.nan*np.zeros((indices.shape[0], len(cat.columns)+1)),
    index=cat.index[indices[:,0]],
    columns=np.concatenate((cat.columns.to_numpy(), ['n_microbursts']))
)
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[]: for i, (start, end) in enumerate(indices):
    progressbar(i, indices.shape[0])
    trains.loc[cat.index[start], cat.columns] = cat.iloc[start:end, :].mean()
    # The +1 is to avoid averaging the dt from the previous gap
    trains.loc[cat.index[start], 'dt'] = cat.loc[cat.index[start+1]:cat.
    →index[end], 'dt'].mean()
    trains.loc[cat.index[start], 'n_microbursts'] = end-start+1
    trains.drop(columns=['burst_param', 'date'], inplace=True)
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/tmp/ipykernel_427514/2220798002.py:3: FutureWarning: Dropping of nuisance columns in DataFrame reductions (with 'numeric_only=None') is deprecated; in a future version this will raise TypeError. Select only valid columns before calling the reduction.

trains.loc[cat.index[start], cat.columns] = cat.iloc[start:end, :].mean()

Calculating intervals: | ################ 100%

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[ ]: trains.head()
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[]: GEO_Long GEO_Lat Altitude L_Shell MLT \
dateTime
1997-11-09 19:57:02.440 110.202 68.0984 681.558 4.99033 3.41316

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1997-11-10 04:52:21.960
                             165.599 -53.4134
                                                531.769 4.82424 17.46640
    1997-11-10 04:52:24.560
                             165.728 -53.0439
                                                531.669 4.69422 17.45850
    1997-11-10 07:17:11.700
                             309.107 53.6210
                                                680.153 4.55372
                                                                  5.23839
    1997-11-14 12:38:19.000
                             215.561 62.1377
                                                681.167 5.36051
                                                                  2.23292
                            Att_Flag
                                         Pitch
                                                   ΑE
                                                         ΑL
                                                                AU SYM/D \
    dateTime
                                       32.8191 660.0 -518.0 142.0
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.440
                                 0.0
                                                                     -5.0
    1997-11-10 04:52:21.960
                                 0.0 155.8127 257.0 -58.0 199.0
                                                                      4.0
    1997-11-10 04:52:24.560
                                 0.0
                                      155.9210 257.0 -58.0 199.0
                                                                      4.0
    1997-11-10 07:17:11.700
                                 0.0
                                       25.8763 399.0 -298.0 101.0
                                                                      5.0
    1997-11-14 12:38:19.000
                                 0.0
                                       45.8750 405.0 -340.0 65.0
                                                                      4.0
                            SYM/H ASY/D ASY/H
                                                      dt n_microbursts
    dateTime
    1997-11-09 19:57:02.440 -16.0
                                    23.0 42.0 0.270000
                                                                    3.0
    1997-11-10 04:52:21.960 -43.0
                                           33.0 0.580000
                                                                    2.0
                                    32.0
    1997-11-10 04:52:24.560 -43.0
                                    32.0
                                           33.0 0.646667
                                                                    4.0
    1997-11-10 07:17:11.700 -34.0
                                    29.0
                                           51.0 0.980000
                                                                    2.0
    1997-11-14 12:38:19.000 -22.0
                                    16.0 45.0 0.710000
                                                                    3.0
[]: train_bins = np.arange(2, 20)
    fig, cx = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,6))
    cx.hist(trains['n_microbursts'], bins=train_bins)
    cx.set_xticks(train_bins)
    cx.set(xlabel='Microburst train length', ylabel='Number of trains');
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