

Augment Hierarchical-Gaussian with Trigonometric Functions

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In several contexts it is useful to be able to augment a joint hierarchical-Gaussian distribution with the trigonometric functions sine and cosine of one or more of its coordinates. The resulting distribution is not Gaussian, but we can compute exactly the first and second (central) moments of the augmented distribution. Additionally, the derivative of these moments wrt. the parameters of the joint distribution are also computed.

Let \mathbf{x} be a D dimensional hierarchical-Gaussian

$$\mathbf{x} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{A}) \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{F}), \mathbf{A}),$$

which we want to augment by sine and cosine of $\mathbf{x}_i, \forall i \in I$, where d is the number of elements in I , resulting in the $D+2d$ dimensional joint Gaussian

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \\ \mathbf{z} \end{bmatrix} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a} \\ \mathbf{b} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{B} \\ \mathbf{B}^\top & \mathbf{C} \end{bmatrix}\right) \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mathcal{N}\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{f} \\ \mathbf{g} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F} & \mathbf{G} \\ \mathbf{G}^\top & \mathbf{H} \end{bmatrix}\right), \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{B} \\ \mathbf{B}^\top & \mathbf{C} \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

Below we derive expressions for the elements $\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{G}, \mathbf{H}, \mathbf{B}$ and \mathbf{C} .

For the mean, we have for $i = 1, \dots, d$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{b}_{2i-1} &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x}}[\sin(\mathbf{x}_{I(i)})] = \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)}) \sin(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)}), \\ \mathbf{b}_{2i} &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x}}[\cos(\mathbf{x}_{I(i)})] = \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)}) \cos(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)}). \end{aligned}$$

For the mean of the mean, we have for $i = 1, \dots, d$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{g}_{2i-1} &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\mathbf{b}_{2i-1}] = \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)}) \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\sin(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)})] \\ \mathbf{g}_{2i} &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\mathbf{b}_{2i}] = \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)}) \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\cos(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)})]. \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\sin(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)})] &= \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(i)}) \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}), \\ \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\cos(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)})] &= \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(i)}) \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}). \end{aligned}$$

For the variance of the mean we have for $i = 1, \dots, d, j = 1, \dots, D$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{G}_{j,2i-1} &= \mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{a}}[\mathbf{a}_j, \mathbf{b}_{2i-1}] = \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)}) \mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{a}}[\mathbf{a}_j, \sin(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)})] \\ &= \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)} + \mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(i)})) \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}) \mathbf{F}_{j,I(i)}, \\ \mathbf{G}_{j,2i} &= \mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{a}}[\mathbf{a}_j, \mathbf{b}_{2i}] = \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)}) \mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{a}}[\mathbf{a}_j, \cos(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)})] \\ &= -\exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)} + \mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(i)})) \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}) \mathbf{F}_{j,I(i)}, \end{aligned}$$

and for $i, j = 1, \dots, d, i \neq j$

$$\begin{aligned}
H_{2i-1,2i-1} &= V_a[b_{2i-1}] = \alpha_i V_a[\sin(a_{I(i)})] \\
H_{2i,2i} &= V_a[b_{2i}] = \alpha_i V_a[\cos(a_{I(i)})] \\
H_{2i,2i-1} &= H_{2i-1,2i} = C_a[b_{2i-1}, b_{2i}] = \alpha_i C_a[\sin(a_{I(i)}), \cos(a_{I(i)})] \\
H_{2i-1,2j-1} &= C_a[b_{2i-1}, b_{2j-1}] = \alpha_{ij} C_a[\sin(a_{I(i)}), \sin(a_{I(j)})] \\
H_{2i,2j} &= C_a[b_{2i}, b_{2j}] = \alpha_{ij} C_a[\cos(a_{I(i)}), \cos(a_{I(j)})] \\
H_{2i,2j-1} &= C_a[b_{2i}, b_{2j-1}] = \alpha_{ij} C_a[\cos(a_{I(i)}), \sin(a_{I(j)})] \\
H_{2i-1,2j} &= C_a[b_{2i-1}, b_{2j}] = \alpha_{ij} C_a[\sin(a_{I(i)}), \cos(a_{I(j)})]
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha_i &= \exp(-A_{I(i),I(i)}) \\
\alpha_{ij} &= \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(A_{I(i),I(i)} + A_{I(j),I(j)})) \\
V_a[\sin(a_{I(i)})] &= \beta_i (1 + \exp(-F_{I(i),I(i)}) \cos(2f_{I(i)})) \\
V_a[\cos(a_{I(i)})] &= \beta_i (1 - \exp(-F_{I(i),I(i)}) \cos(2f_{I(i)})) \\
C_a[\sin(a_{I(i)}), \cos(a_{I(i)})] &= -\beta_i \exp(-F_{I(i),I(i)}) \sin(2f_{I(i)}) \\
C_a[\sin(a_{I(i)}), \sin(a_{I(j)})] &= \beta_{ij} ([\exp(F_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \cos(f_{I(i)} - f_{I(j)}) - [\exp(-F_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \cos(f_{I(i)} + f_{I(j)})) \\
C_a[\cos(a_{I(i)}), \cos(a_{I(j)})] &= \beta_{ij} ([\exp(F_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \cos(f_{I(i)} - f_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-F_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \cos(f_{I(i)} + f_{I(j)})) \\
C_a[\cos(a_{I(i)}), \sin(a_{I(j)})] &= \beta_{ij} (-[\exp(F_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \sin(f_{I(i)} - f_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-F_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \sin(f_{I(i)} + f_{I(j)})) \\
C_a[\sin(a_{I(i)}), \cos(a_{I(j)})] &= \beta_{ij} ([\exp(F_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \sin(f_{I(i)} - f_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-F_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \sin(f_{I(i)} + f_{I(j)})) \\
\beta_i &= \frac{1}{2} (1 - \exp(-F_{I(i),I(i)})) \\
\beta_{ij} &= \frac{1}{2} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(F_{I(i),I(i)} + F_{I(j),I(j)}))
\end{aligned}$$

For the mean of the variance we have for $i = 1, \dots, d, j = 1, \dots, D$

$$\begin{aligned}
B_{j,2i-1} &= E_a[C_x[x_j, \sin(x_{I(i)})]] = \exp(-\frac{1}{2}A_{I(i),I(i)}) E_a[\cos(a_{I(i)})] A_{j,I(i)}, \\
B_{j,2i} &= E_a[C_x[x_j, \cos(x_{I(i)})]] = -\exp(-\frac{1}{2}A_{I(i),I(i)}) E_a[\sin(a_{I(i)})] A_{j,I(i)},
\end{aligned}$$

and for $i, j = 1, \dots, d, i \neq j$

$$\begin{aligned}
C_{2i-1,2i-1} &= q_i (1 + \exp(-A_{I(i),I(i)}) E_a[\cos(2a_{I(i)})]) \\
C_{2i,2i} &= q_i (1 - \exp(-A_{I(i),I(i)}) E_a[\cos(2a_{I(i)})]) \\
C_{2i,2i-1} &= C_{2i-1,2i} = -q_i \exp(-A_{I(i),I(i)}) E_a[\sin(2a_{I(i)})] \\
C_{2i-1,2j-1} &= q_{ij} ([\exp(A_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] E_a[\cos(a_{I(i)} - a_{I(j)})] - [\exp(-A_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] E_a[\cos(a_{I(i)} + a_{I(j)})]) \\
C_{2i,2j} &= q_{ij} ([\exp(A_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] E_a[\cos(a_{I(i)} - a_{I(j)})] + [\exp(-A_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] E_a[\cos(a_{I(i)} + a_{I(j)})]) \\
C_{2i,2j-1} &= q_{ij} (-[\exp(A_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] E_a[\sin(a_{I(i)} - a_{I(j)})] + [\exp(-A_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] E_a[\sin(a_{I(i)} + a_{I(j)})]) \\
C_{2i-1,2j} &= q_{ij} ([\exp(A_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] E_a[\sin(a_{I(i)} - a_{I(j)})] + [\exp(-A_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] E_a[\sin(a_{I(i)} + a_{I(j)})]),
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{q}_i &= \frac{1}{2}(1 - \exp(-\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)})) \\
\mathbf{q}_{ij} &= \frac{1}{2} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{A}_{I(i),I(i)} + \mathbf{A}_{I(j),I(j)})) \\
\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\sin(2\mathbf{a}_{I(i)})] &= \gamma_i \sin(2\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}), \\
\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\cos(2\mathbf{a}_{I(i)})] &= \gamma_i \cos(2\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}), \\
\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\sin(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)} + \mathbf{a}_{I(j)})] &= \gamma_{ij}^+ \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} + \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}), \\
\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\sin(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)} - \mathbf{a}_{I(j)})] &= \gamma_{ij}^- \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} - \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}), \\
\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\cos(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)} + \mathbf{a}_{I(j)})] &= \gamma_{ij}^+ \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} + \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}), \\
\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{a}}[\cos(\mathbf{a}_{I(i)} - \mathbf{a}_{I(j)})] &= \gamma_{ij}^- \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} - \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}), \\
\gamma_i &= \exp(-2\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(i)}) \\
\gamma_{ij}^+ &= \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(i)} + 2\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)} + \mathbf{F}_{I(j),I(j)})), \\
\gamma_{ij}^- &= \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(i)} - 2\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)} + \mathbf{F}_{I(j),I(j)})).
\end{aligned}$$

Summary

Let

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{\mathbf{a}} &= \mathbf{f}, \\
\hat{\mathbf{A}} &= \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{F}, \\
\mathbf{q}_{ij}^f &= \frac{1}{2} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(i)} + \mathbf{F}_{I(j),I(j)})) \\
\hat{\mathbf{q}}_{ij} &= \mathbf{q}_{ij} \mathbf{q}_{ij}^f = \frac{1}{2} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(\hat{\mathbf{A}}_{I(i),I(i)} + \hat{\mathbf{A}}_{I(j),I(j)}))
\end{aligned}$$

For the mean of the mean, we have for $i = 1, \dots, d$

$$\begin{aligned}
g_{2i-1} &= \exp(-\hat{\mathbf{A}}_{I(i),I(i)}/2) \sin(\hat{\mathbf{a}}_{I(i)}), \\
g_{2i} &= \exp(-\hat{\mathbf{A}}_{I(i),I(i)}/2) \cos(\hat{\mathbf{a}}_{I(i)}).
\end{aligned}$$

For the variance of the mean we have for $i = 1, \dots, d, j = 1, \dots, D$

$$\begin{aligned}
G_{j,2i-1} &= \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\hat{\mathbf{A}}_{I(i),I(i)}) \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}) \mathbf{F}_{j,I(i)}, \\
G_{j,2i} &= -\exp(-\frac{1}{2}\hat{\mathbf{A}}_{I(i),I(i)}) \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}) \mathbf{F}_{j,I(i)},
\end{aligned}$$

and for $i, j = 1, \dots, d, i \neq j$

$$\begin{aligned}
H_{2i-1,2j-1} &= 2\mathbf{q}_{ij} \mathbf{q}_{ij}^f ([\exp(\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} - \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}) - [\exp(-\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} + \mathbf{f}_{I(j)})) \\
H_{2i,2j} &= 2\mathbf{q}_{ij} \mathbf{q}_{ij}^f ([\exp(\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} - \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} + \mathbf{f}_{I(j)})) \\
H_{2i,2j-1} &= 2\mathbf{q}_{ij} \mathbf{q}_{ij}^f (-[\exp(\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} - \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} + \mathbf{f}_{I(j)})) \\
H_{2i-1,2j} &= 2\mathbf{q}_{ij} \mathbf{q}_{ij}^f ([\exp(\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} - \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-\mathbf{F}_{I(i),I(j)}) - 1] \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)} + \mathbf{f}_{I(j)}))
\end{aligned}$$

For the mean of the variance we have for $i = 1, \dots, d, j = 1, \dots, D$

$$\begin{aligned}
B_{j,2i-1} &= \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\hat{\mathbf{A}}_{I(i),I(i)}) \cos(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}) \mathbf{A}_{j,I(i)}, \\
B_{j,2i} &= -\exp(-\frac{1}{2}\hat{\mathbf{A}}_{I(i),I(i)}) \sin(\mathbf{f}_{I(i)}) \mathbf{A}_{j,I(i)},
\end{aligned}$$

and for $i, j = 1, \dots, d$, $i \neq j$

$$\begin{aligned}
C_{2i-1, 2j-1} &= q_{ij} q_{ij}^f ([\exp(\hat{A}_{I(i), I(j)}) - \exp(F_{I(i), I(j)})] \cos(f_{I(i)} - f_{I(j)}) - [\exp(-\hat{A}_{I(i), I(j)}) - \exp(-F_{I(i), I(j)})] \cos(f_{I(i)} + f_{I(j)})) \\
C_{2i, 2j} &= q_{ij} q_{ij}^f ([\exp(\hat{A}_{I(i), I(j)}) - \exp(F_{I(i), I(j)})] \cos(f_{I(i)} - f_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-\hat{A}_{I(i), I(j)}) - \exp(-F_{I(i), I(j)})] \cos(f_{I(i)} + f_{I(j)})) \\
C_{2i, 2j-1} &= q_{ij} q_{ij}^f (-[\exp(\hat{A}_{I(i), I(j)}) - \exp(F_{I(i), I(j)})] \sin(f_{I(i)} - f_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-\hat{A}_{I(i), I(j)}) - \exp(-F_{I(i), I(j)})] \sin(f_{I(i)} + f_{I(j)})) \\
C_{2i-1, 2j} &= q_{ij} q_{ij}^f ([\exp(\hat{A}_{I(i), I(j)}) - \exp(F_{I(i), I(j)})] \sin(f_{I(i)} - f_{I(j)}) + [\exp(-\hat{A}_{I(i), I(j)}) - \exp(-F_{I(i), I(j)})] \sin(f_{I(i)} + f_{I(j)})),
\end{aligned}$$