

Project Parameter Estimation

Part II: Short introduction to Kriging

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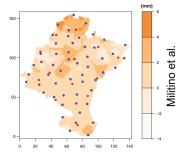
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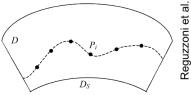
Interpolation

- DEM
 - Not going to spoil you
- GPS positional errors
 - Quality of GPS measurements influenced by factors, which are spatially distributed themselves
 - Systematic positional errors due to unmodelled effects
 - Interesting error patterns
- Geoid
 - Kriging on a sphere
 - Earths gravity potential modeled as consisting of three parts, one of them random field to be predicted
 - How to translate the stationarity assumptions into a spherical framework?
- (Bisgletscher Application Example)



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Applications of Kriging

Estimation

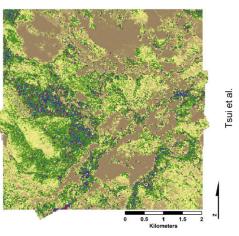
- Population density
 - Derive underlying population from Thematic mapper imagery
 - Regression Kriging using impervious surface as auxiliary data
 - Error: -0.3 % entire area, 10-15 % Block level

Biomass

- Integrating field measurements, LiDAR and SAR measurements
- Estimation biomass in regions, where otherwise seldom possible
- «Sensor Fusion» task
- Alternative to «stratify and multiply» approach



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Applications of Kriging

Image Analysis

- Enhance spatial resolution
 - -Use relationships between overlapping high and low resolution images to sharpen the low res image.
 - -Uses Inverse to Block Kriging

Point measurements -> Average values over blocks

-Limited usefulness, when spatial relationships change harshly in the image to be sharpened or coregistration or choice of training area is lacking.

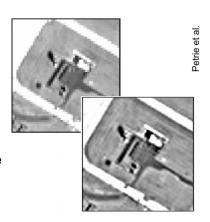
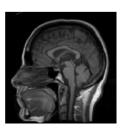


Image registration

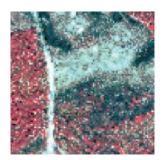
- Exploit spatial relations between two images to optimally estimate a displacement field between them
- -The displacement field is known only sparsely beforehand due to a landmark-based approach
- Method is generalization of widely used thin-plate-splines



Applications of Kriging

Image analysis

- Image fusion
 - -Merging Information from remote sensors surveying the same region
 - -Current algorithms have normally problems, when lmages do not stem from the same sensor and time
 - -Considering spatial correlations between two images leads to simple procedures and promising results



Meng, Borders, Madden 2009

- Inpainting
 - -Satellite images with obstructed views due to clouds are examined
 - -The probabilities of pixels being pasture or not are estimated using indicator kriging
 - -Quality of results depend on amount of spatial pattern



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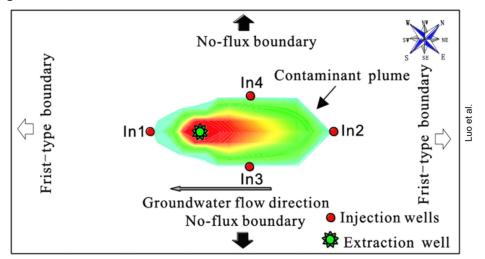
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Applications of Kriging

Surrogate models



- Kriging as a metamodelling tool
- Interpolate Computer experiments and by that reduce the computational Burden
- Discuss! How would you interpolate for example simulations? What are the coordinates?

Applications of Kriging

Data analysis

- Epidemic data analysis
 - -Analysis of number of Dengue cases and tuberculosis occurrences in india
 - -Various forms of Kriging Methods applied (Simple, ordinary, universal, bayesian Kriging)
 - -Variation pattern in time/space used for prediction of cases in districts, for which data of neighboring districts was already compiled
- Landscape spatial patterns
 - -Strong link between landscape patterns and ecological functions is assumed
 - -Hundreds of quantitative measures to capture characteristics of spatial heterogeneity
 - -Covariance can capture heterogeneity at different scales

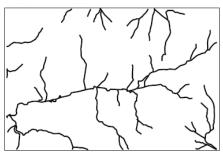
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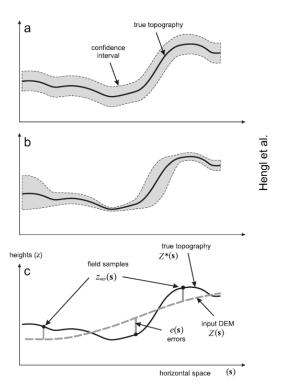
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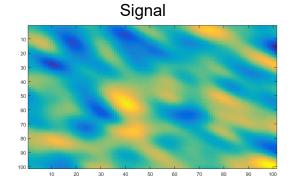


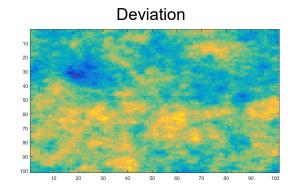


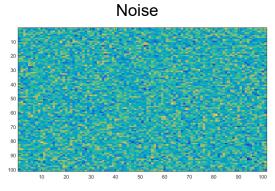
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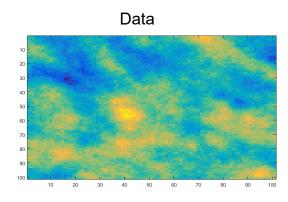


Advanced applications: Filtering, Simulation







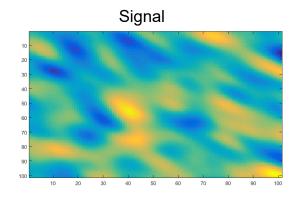


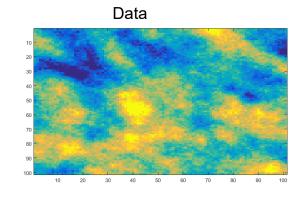
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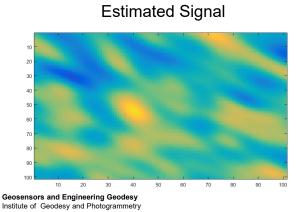
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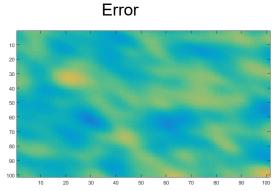
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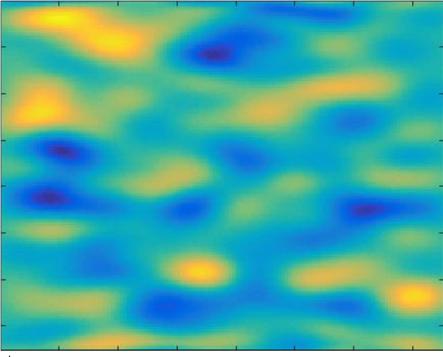




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Advanced applications: SPDE, Filtering, Simulation

A spatiotemporal random field with squared exponential covariance



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Advanced applications: SPDE, Filtering, Simulation

Mitigation of atmospheric effects in terrestrial radar interferometry

A hierarchy of estimation tasks (debatable!)

Name	Signal	Noise	Example
-	Deterministic	Stochastic	
P	Stochastic	None	
-	Stochastic	Stochastic	

Introduction of additional constraints and uncertainties possible:

- Regression on axiliary data
- Regression on second RF
- ✓ Inclusion of physical laws
- ✓ Restriction to subspaces of R^n

All of the above can be handled in the scalar, vector, tensor case.

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A compendium of Kriging types and their SLAE's

Univariate methods

- Simple Kriging: Kriging with known mean
- Ordinary Kriging: Kriging with unkown constant mean
- Universal Kriging: Kriging with unkown nonconstant mean and possibly external drift
- Intrinsic Kriging: Kriging for instationary RF's that can be mapped linearly to stationary RF's

Multivariate methods

- Simple Cokriging: Kriging where the RF to be estimated is only stochastically related to the observed RF
- Universal Cokriging: Like Simple Cokriging but with drifts for each
 RF
- Disjunctive Kriging: Kriging with estimators that are nonlinear functions of the data

Simple Kriging Kriging with known mean

$$\hat{Z}_{s_0} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} \lambda_k Z_k \qquad \hat{Z}_{s_0} = \vec{\lambda}^T \vec{z} \qquad \text{where } Z_{\cdot}(\cdot) \text{ is 0 mean}$$

$$\vec{\lambda} = \underline{C}^{-1} \qquad \vec{c}_0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c(s_1, s_1) & \cdots & c(s_1, s_n) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c(s_n, s_1) & \cdots & c(s_n, s_n) \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} c(s_1, s_0) \\ \vdots \\ c(s_n, s_0) \end{bmatrix}$$

Ordinary Kriging Kriging with unknown but constant mean

$$\hat{Z}_{s_0} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} \lambda_k Z_k \qquad \hat{Z}_{s_0} = \hat{\lambda}^T \vec{z} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} \vec{\lambda} \\ \mu_1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad = \qquad \begin{bmatrix} \underline{C} & \underline{F} \\ \underline{F}^T & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} \vec{c}_0 \\ f_0 \end{bmatrix} \\
\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_n \\ \mu_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c(s_1, s_1) & \cdots & c(s_1, s_n) & 1 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ c(s_n, s_1) & \cdots & c(s_n, s_n) & 1 \\ 1 & \cdots & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} c(s_1, s_0) \\ \vdots \\ c(s_n, s_0) \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Universal Kriging Kriging with unkown nonconstant mean and possibly external drift

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Note: f^l in addition to deterministic functions can be any everywhere known variable;

- for example altitudes, temperature or whatever else is available

Instrinsic Kriging Kriging for instationary RF's that can be mapped linearly to stationary RF's

$$\hat{Z}_{s_0} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} \lambda_k Z_k \qquad \hat{Z}_{s_0} = \hat{\lambda}^T \vec{z}
\begin{bmatrix} \vec{\lambda} \\ \vec{\mu} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \underline{G} & \underline{F} \\ \underline{F}^T & \underline{0} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} \vec{g}_0 \\ \vec{f}_0 \end{bmatrix}
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Note: This is exactly the same system as for UK but with the generalized covariances g(s,t) instead of the regular covariances c(s,t).

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Generalized covariances

Here $g(\cdot, \cdot)$ is called the generalized covariance. It satisfies the following equation: Let ∇ be a differential operator such that $\nabla Z_{\cdot}(\cdot) = X_{\cdot}(\cdot)$ is a second order stationary RF with stationary covariance $c_X(\cdot, \cdot)$ and $c_Z(\cdot, \cdot)$ be the instationary covariance function of $Z_{\cdot}(\cdot)$.

Then $\nabla \otimes \nabla g(\cdot, \cdot) = \nabla \otimes \nabla c_Z(\cdot, \cdot); \ g(\cdot, \cdot) - c_Z(\cdot, \cdot) \in \ker \nabla \otimes \nabla \ \text{such that} \ g(\cdot, \cdot) \ \text{denotes}$ the equivalence class of functions differing from the true underlying $c_Z(\cdot, \cdot)$ by an element that gets mapped to 0 by $\nabla \otimes \nabla$. This is done simply because $c_Z(\cdot, \cdot)$ is not inferrable from the data but $g(\cdot, \cdot) = \int \otimes \int c_X(\cdot, \cdot)$ is, where $(\int \nabla - \mathrm{id}) Z_{\cdot}(\cdot) \in \ker \nabla$.

Simple Cokriging Kriging where the RF to be estimated is only stochastically related to the observed RF

$$\hat{Z}_{s_0}^1 = \sum_{i=1}^p \sum_{j=1}^n \lambda_{ij} Z_j^i \qquad \hat{Z}_{s_0} = \sum_{i=1}^p \vec{\lambda}_i^T \vec{z}^i \\
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Universal Cokriging Like Simple Cokriging but with algebraically independent drifts for each RF

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Explanation of terms

 Z_{s_0} : The random variable to be estimated. Is located at position $s_0 \in U$.

 \hat{Z}_{s_0} : The estimator for the RV Z_{s_0}

 $U \subset \mathbb{R}^N$: The underlying N-dimensional space; to each $s \in U$ is associated a RV by the random fields Z, Z^i, X and so on. In most practical cases $U \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ and this corresponds to the usual 2-d RF's we already know well.

 $Z_{\cdot}(\cdot)$: A RF. In the simple, ordinary, universal and instrinsic Kriging cases, the RF for which estimation is to be performed.

$$Z_{\cdot}(\cdot): \Omega \times U \ni (\omega, s) \mapsto Z_{s}(\omega) \in \mathbb{R}$$

 $\left\{Z_{\cdot}^{i}(\cdot)\right\}_{i=1}^{p}$: A set of p RF's. The estimation is to be performed for the RF $Z_{\cdot}^{1}(\cdot)$. $Z_{\cdot}^{i}(\cdot): \Omega \times U \ni (\omega, s) \mapsto Z_{\cdot s}^{i}(\omega) \in \mathbb{R}$

Ω: The probability (measure) space with σ – Algebra and probability measure

 $m(\cdot)$: The mean function. $m(\cdot): U \ni s \mapsto m(s) = E[Z_s] \in \mathbb{R}$

 $c(\cdot,\cdot)$: The covariance function. $c(\cdot,\cdot): U \times U \ni (s,t) \mapsto c(s,t) = \sigma(Z_s,Z_t) \in \mathbb{R}$

 $\sigma(\cdot,\cdot) : \text{ The covariance function. } \sigma(\cdot,\cdot): L^2(\Omega) \times L^2(\Omega) \ni (Z_s,Z_t) \mapsto \sigma(Z_s,Z_t)$ $= E[Z_sZ_t] - E[Z_s]E[Z_t] \in \mathbb{R}$

Explanation of terms

 $\gamma(\cdot,\cdot)$: The variogram function $\gamma(\cdot,\cdot): U \times U \ni (s,t) \mapsto \gamma(s,t) = E[(Z_s - Z_t)^2] \in \mathbb{R}$

 $\{\lambda_k\}_{k=1}^n$: Set of n coefficients, $\lambda_k \in \mathbb{R}$

 $\{z_k\}_{k=1}^n$: Set of n data values, $z_k \in \mathbb{R}$, where z_k is a realization of $Z_{s_k}(\cdot)$

 $\vec{\lambda}$: (n,1) vector $[\lambda_1,...,\lambda_n]^T$ \vec{z} : (n,1) vector $[z_1,...,z_n]^T$

 λ_{ij} : Coefficient for z_j^i , where z_j^i is realization of $Z_{s_j}^i(\cdot)$

 $\vec{\lambda}_i$: (n,1) vector $[\lambda_{11},...,\lambda_{1n}]^T$

 $\left\{\mu_k\right\}_{k=1}^q$: Set of q Lagrange multipliers $\mu_k \in \mathbb{R}$

 $\vec{\mu}$: (q,1) vector $[\mu_1,...,\mu_q]^T$ $\vec{\mu}_i$: (q,1) vector $[\mu_{11},...,\mu_{1q}]^T$

 μ_{ij} : Lagrange multiplier for $\sum_{k=1}^{q} f^{j}(s_{k})$ which is a trend function for the RF $Z_{\cdot}^{i}(\cdot)$

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Explanation of terms

 \underline{C} : The (n,n) matrix $\{c(s_i, s_j)\}_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n s_j = 1$

 \vec{c}_0 : The (n,1) vector[c(s₁, s₀),...,c(s_n, s₀)]^T

 $f^{l}(\cdot)$: The l-th trend function of the RF $Z_{l}(\cdot)$. $f^{l}(\cdot): U \ni s \mapsto f^{l}(s) \in \mathbb{R}$

 \underline{F} : The (m,q) matrix $\left\{f^{j}(s_{i})\right\}_{i=1}^{n_{j=1}^{q}}$

 \underline{C}_{ij} : The (n,n) matrix $\left\{c_{ij}\left(s_{k},s_{l}\right)\right\}_{k=1}^{n_{l=1}^{n}}$

 $c_{ij}(\cdot,\cdot)$: The (cross-) covariance function. $c_{ij}(\cdot,\cdot): U \times U \ni (s,t) \mapsto c_{ij}(s,t)$

 $= \sigma(Z_s^i(\cdot), Z_t^j(\cdot)) \in \mathbb{R}$

 \underline{F}_i : The (n,q) matrix $\{f^l(s_j)\}_{j=1}^{n_{l=1}^q}$ of trend functions of the RF $Z^i(\cdot)$

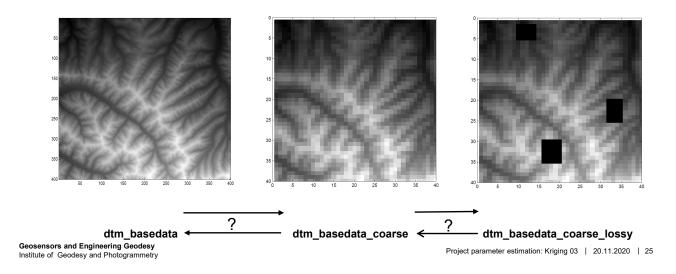
 \vec{c}_{i0} : The (n,1) vector $[c_{1i}(s_0, s_1), ..., c_{1i}(s_0, s_n)]^T$

 \vec{f}_{10} : The (q,1) vector[$f^1(s_0),...,f^q(s_0)$]^T

Programming Project

Programming project: background

- You have acquired coarse data concerning the elevation of a region that you are interested in.
- Sadly, in this DEM there are coverage holes that need to be eliminated before you can use it for further applications.
- Solve this Problem with ordinary Kriging and another interpolation method of your choice.



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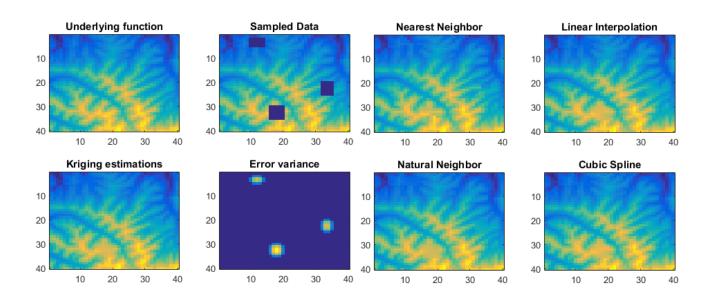
Programming Project

Programming project: goals

- Compare the output of both methods and explain the differences.
- Also explain the deviations from the true values and how you could improve your results.
- Achieving both of the above will probably force you to go through a variety of steps:
 - 1. Estimate covariances or semivariances
 - 2. Fit a model into an experimental variogram
 - 3. Use these models to look up the values needed to derive the weights for the BLUP
 - 4. Plot the difference between predicted and true values
 - 5. Give a quality estimate for each estimation
- You should do this in MATLAB in an orderly fashion
- In the end: Have a well documented function, that takes as inputs a set of measurements and coordinates and outputs a regularly spaced grid of interpolated values and coordinates.



Resulting algorithm

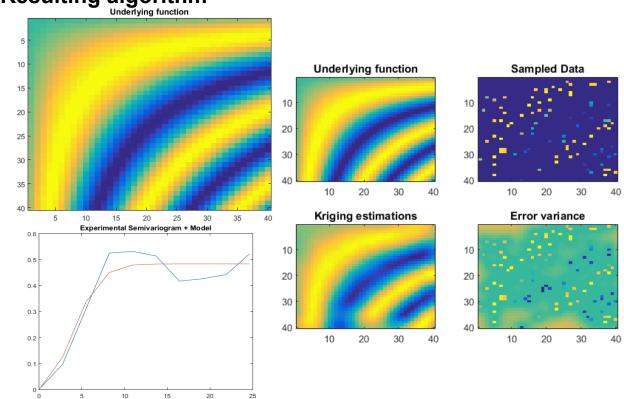


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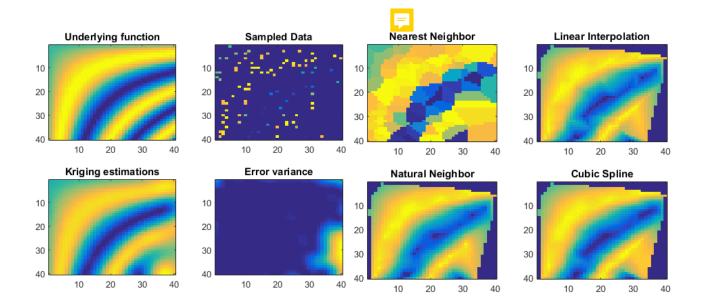
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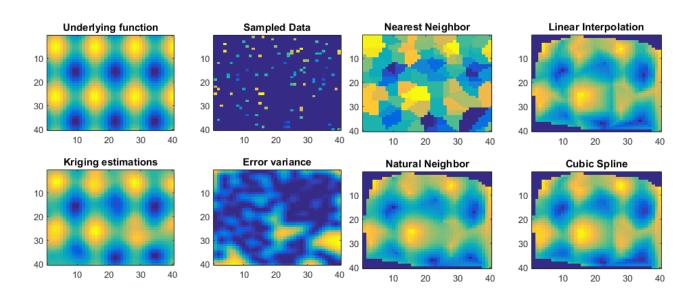


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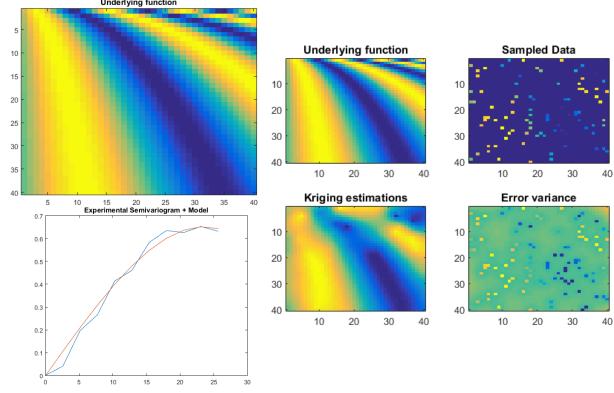
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Resulting algorithm



WARNING: Garbage in, garbage out!



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