

Stoch. Analysis

Kolmogorov's model (Ω, \mathcal{F}, P)

$X: \Omega \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$ (\mathcal{X}, Σ) = meas. space
meas. (\mathcal{F}/Σ) = random variable

Notations:

$$\{X \in B\} = X^{-1}(B) := \{\omega \in \Omega : X(\omega) \in B\}$$

Facts:

$\{\{X \in B\} : B \in \Sigma\}$ is σ -alg
if Σ is σ -alg

$\{B \subseteq \mathcal{X} : \{X \in B\} \in \mathcal{F}\}$ is σ -alg
if \mathcal{F} is σ -alg.

Def Given meas. space (\mathcal{X}, Σ) and $T \neq \emptyset$ set, an \mathcal{X} -valued stoch. process is $\{X_t : t \in T\}$ where X_t is \mathcal{X} -valued R.V. $\forall t \in T$

Ex $T := \mathbb{N}$ $\{X_n : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$

$T := [0, \infty)$ stoch. process
 $t \dots$ interpret as time

$T := \mathbb{R}^d$ random field

$T = \sigma$ -alg. random measure

2 key examples

Def A homogeneous Poisson process
is \mathbb{N} -valued $\{N_t : t \in [0, \infty)\}$ s.t.

1) $N_0 = 0$

2) $\forall n \geq 1 \forall 0 = t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_n:$

$\{N_{t_i} - N_{t_{i-1}} : i = 1 \dots n\}$ are indep.

3) $\forall 0 \leq s < t : N_t - N_s = \text{Poisson}(t-s)$

4) any realization of $t \rightarrow N_t$
is right continuous & has left limit
RCLL/cadlag

- models arrivals of customers to a queue
- inhomogeneous version

3) $N_t - N_s = \text{Poisson}(G(t) - G(s))$

$G: \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+, \uparrow$ RCLL

e.g. $\{N_{G(t)} : t \in [0, \infty)\}$

- to be constructed later

D_t standard Brown motion
 is a random walk with B_t

(SBM) motion
 $B_t - B_s = \sqrt{t-s} Z$
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N.B. Can replace 3) by
 requiring $X_t - X_s =$ infinite divisible

$E(e^{iuX_t})$ (Lévy-Khinchin formula)

$$= \exp \left\{ i\mu t - \frac{\sigma^2}{2} t - t \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left(1 - e^{iux} - \frac{iux}{1+x^2} \right) \lambda(dx) \right\}$$

\wedge_u \wedge_{u^2} \uparrow
 Lévy measure

Lévy process

$$1 = \int_A e^{-\frac{x^2}{2t}} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{2\pi t}}$$

Q: Does SBM exist?

Def Let $\{X_t : t \in T\}$ be stoch process, \mathcal{X} -valued, $(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Z}) = \text{mean space}$.
 For $n \geq 1, t_1 \dots t_n \in T$:

$$M_{(t_1 \dots t_n)}(A) := P((X_{t_1} \dots X_{t_n}) \in A) \\ A \in \Sigma^{\otimes n}$$

We call $\{M_{(t_1 \dots t_n)} : n \geq 1, t_1 \dots t_n \in T\}$
 the finite dimensional distributions
 of X (FDD)

$$\Sigma \otimes \Sigma = \sigma(\{A_1 \times A_2 : A_1, A_2 \in \Sigma\}) \\ \Sigma^{\otimes n} = \sigma(\{\prod_{i=1}^n A_i : A_1, \dots, A_n \in \Sigma\}) \\ \sigma\text{-alg on } \mathcal{X}^n$$

Restrictions:

• permutation invariance: $\forall n \geq 1 \forall \sigma \in \mathcal{J}_n$

$$M_{(t_{\sigma(1)}, \dots, t_{\sigma(n)})}(A_{\sigma(1)} \times \dots \times A_{\sigma(n)}) \quad \forall t_i \\ = M_{(t_1, \dots, t_n)}(A_1 \times \dots \times A_n) \quad \forall A_i$$

• restriction:

$$M_{(t_1, \dots, t_n)}(A_1 \times \dots \times A_{n-1} \times \mathcal{X}) \\ = M_{(t_1, \dots, t_{n-1})}(A_1 \times \dots \times A_{n-1})$$