

Statistics of
detects using cross-correlation
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signal A_i of length N . it has mean-squared
amplitude a^2 with $\sum_i A_i^2 = Na^2$
(A_i has zero mean)

signal B_i also of length N with mean-squared
amplitude b^2 with $\sum_i B_i^2 = Nb^2$
 B_i has zero mean

noise N_i of length N , uncorrelated, normally
distributed, zero mean, variance n^2

consider cross-correlation

$$\sum_i^N A_i (B_i + N_i) = \overset{\text{Term 1}}{\sum_i^N A_i B_i} + \overset{\text{Term 2}}{\sum_i^N A_i N_i}$$

now assume that $A_i \propto B_i$ (same signals, different ampl)
and assume A_i is uncorrelated w.r.t. N_i , so
it can be treated as r.v. in second term.
Then first term has constant value Nab and
second term has ~~variance~~ Variance = $Na^2 n^2$.

Lets say That a detection occurs when
 $\text{Term 1} > 2 \sqrt{\text{Variance of term 2}}$ ie 95% conf

or

$$Nab > 2 \sqrt{N} a n$$

or

$$\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{N} \frac{b}{n} > 1$$

Effect of Bandwidth

note correlation between (A_i, N_i) and (A_{i+1}, N_{i+1}) will make Term 2 larger than the uncorrelated case since $\text{Var}(z_1 + z_2) = \text{Var}(z_1) + \text{Var}(z_2) + 2\text{cov}(z_1, z_2)$.

Special (extreme) case of complete correlation. Note $\text{Var}(cZ) = c^2 \text{Var}(Z)$ so if $z_i = A_i B_i$ and all's z_i 's are fully correlated

$$\text{Var}(\sum z_i) = \text{Var}(N z_i) = N^2 \text{Var}(z_i) = N^2 a^2 n^2$$

in this case, the discrimination condition is

$$Nab > 2Nan$$

or

$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{b}{n} > 1$$

that is, there is no improvement in discrimination with number of points.

in the more general case of bandwidth, w , where $w=0$ means fully correlated and $w=1$ means fully uncorrelated, we might expect a formula something like

$$\frac{1}{2} N^{\frac{w}{2}} \frac{b}{n} > 1$$

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which at least has the right limits. The exact formula will depend upon the exact definition of "bandwidth", or more exactly, the autocorrelation function of z_i .

This follows from

$$\text{Var}(\sum z_i) = [1, 1, \dots] \text{cov}(z_i) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \sum_i \sum_j [\text{cov}(z)]_{ij}$$

suppose $[\text{cov}(z)]_{ij} \propto \exp\{-c|i-j|\}$

Then $\text{Var}(\sum z_i) = \sum_i \sum_j \exp\{-c|i-j|\}$

This can be divided into the diagonal part of the sum (that is $i=j$), which is just N , plus 2 times the upper triangle part (where $j > i$).

Note along ^{the first} row, this is $\sum_{j=1}^N \exp(-jc)$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^N (e^{-c})^j = \sum_{j=1}^N E^j \quad \text{with } E = e^{-c}$$

now Note G&R p1 0.112.0

$$\sum_{k=1}^n a q^{k-1} = \frac{a(q^n - 1)}{q - 1}$$

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with $a=1$ and $g=e^{-c}$ This gives $\sum_{k=1}^N (e^{-c})^{k-1} = \frac{e^{-Nc} - 1}{e^{-c} - 1}$

but This includes The zero order term $(e^{-c})^0 = 1$. so subtract it

$$\sum_{k=2}^N (e^{-c})^{k-1} = \frac{1 - e^{-Nc}}{1 - e^{-c}} - \frac{1 - e^{-c}}{1 - e^{-c}} = \frac{e^{-c} - e^{-Nc}}{1 - e^{-c}} \equiv f(c, N)$$

so The $Z_i, \bar{Z}_i, \text{cov}_{ii}$ will be something like

$$N + 2f(c, N)$$

ignoring The fact That all The rows are not quite The same as The first. so The detection condition would be

$$Nab > 2 \sqrt{N + 2f(c, N)} \quad \text{and}$$

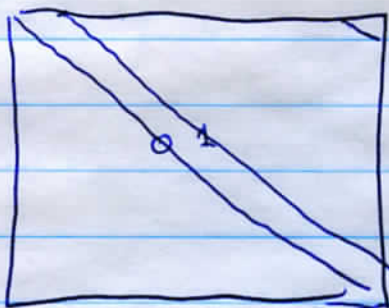
$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{N}{\sqrt{N + 2f}} \frac{b}{n} > 1$$

but This is approximation.

exact soln

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N



main diagonal $\bar{z} = N$

first diagonal $\bar{z} = (N-1)e^{-c}$

2nd diag $\bar{z} = (N-2)e^{-2c}$

last diagonal $\bar{z} = 1 e^{-(N-1)c}$

total sum has for $\sum_{j=1}^N (N-j+1)(e^{-c})^{j-1}$

$$\sum_{j=1}^N (N-j+1)(e^{-c})^{j-1} = \underbrace{(N+1) \sum_{j=1}^N (e^{-c})^{j-1}}_{\text{Term 1}} - \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^N j(e^{-c})^{j-1}}_{\text{Term 2}}$$

Term 1 is just from before $(N+1) \frac{1 - e^{-Nc}}{1 - e^{-c}}$

for term 2 see G+R 0.113 with $a=0$ and $r=1$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} k q^k = \frac{-(N-1)q^N}{1-q} + \frac{q(1-q^{N-1})}{(1-q)^2}$$

The fact that the sum starts at 0 rather than 1 is irrelevant since $k=0$ appears in leading term so

$$\sum_{k=1}^N k q^k = \frac{-Nq^N}{1-q} + \frac{q(1-q^N)}{(1-q)^2} = \frac{q(1-q^N)}{(1-q)^2} - \frac{Nq^N(1-q)}{(1-q)^2} = \frac{q - q^{N+1} - Nq^N + Nq^{N+1}}{(1-q)^2}$$

$$\frac{q(1-q^N)}{(1-q)^2} - \frac{Nq^N(1-q)}{(1-q)^2} = \frac{q - q^{N+1} - Nq^N + Nq^{N+1}}{(1-q)^2}$$

$$= \frac{(N-1)g^{N+1} - Ng^N + g}{(1-g)^2} = g(c, N) \quad \text{with } g = e^{-c} \quad (7)$$

so $\sum_{i,j} c_{ij}$ is twice this minus N (since we've counted the main diagonal twice) $(2g(c, N) - N)$

and detection criteria is

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{N}{\sqrt{2g - N}} \frac{b}{n} > 1$$