

Covariance of slowness + traveltimes

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$$\text{let } C_{st}(\Delta x) = \langle \delta t(x) \delta t(x + \Delta x) \rangle$$

$$C_{ss}(\Delta x, \Delta y) = \langle \delta s(x, y) \delta s(x + \Delta x, y + \Delta y) \rangle$$

$$\delta t(x, t) = \int_0^t \delta s(x, y) dy$$

 $(x, y) = \text{position}$ $t = \text{time}$ $s = \text{slowness}$ $\langle \rangle = \text{expected value}$

Then

$$C_{st}(\Delta x) = \langle \int_0^t \delta s(x, y) dy \int_0^t \delta s(x + \Delta x, y') dy' \rangle$$

$$= \int_0^t dy \int_0^t dy' \langle \delta s(x, y) \delta s(x + \Delta x, y') \rangle$$

$$= \int_0^t dy \int_y^{t-y} \langle \delta s(x, y) \delta s(x + \Delta x, y + \Delta y) \rangle$$

$$= \int_0^t dy \int_y^{t-y} C_{ss}(\Delta x, \Delta y)$$

where we have employed transformation of variables

$$y' = y + \Delta y$$

$$\text{so } dy' = dy$$

$$\begin{aligned} y' = 0 & \quad \Delta y = -y \\ y' = t & \quad \Delta y = t - y \end{aligned}$$

example

$$C_{ss}(\Delta x, \Delta y) = s_0^2 e^{-a|\Delta x|} e^{-a|\Delta y|}$$

$$C_{st}(\Delta x, t) = 2s_0^2 e^{-a|\Delta x|} [t - (1 - e^{-at})]$$

$$C_{SS}(dx, dy) = e^{-a|dx|} e^{-a|dy|}$$

$$\int_0^H dy \int_{-y}^{H-y} dx C_{SS}(dx, dy) =$$

$$\int_0^H dy \int_{-y}^{H-y} dx e^{-a|dx|} e^{-a|dy|} =$$

$$e^{-a|dx|} \int_0^H dy \left[\int_{-y}^0 e^{+axy} dx + \int_0^{H-y} e^{-axy} dx \right] =$$

$$e^{-a|dx|} \int_0^H dy \left[\frac{1}{a} e^{axy} \Big|_{-y}^0 + \frac{1}{a} e^{-axy} \Big|_0^{H-y} \right] =$$

$$\frac{1}{a} e^{-a|dx|} \int_0^H dy \left[1 - e^{-ay} - e^{-aH+ay} + 1 \right] =$$

$$\frac{1}{a} e^{-a|dx|} \int_0^H \left[2 - e^{-ay} - e^{-aH+ay} \right] dy =$$

$$\frac{1}{a} e^{-a|dx|} \left[2y \Big|_0^H + \frac{1}{a} e^{-ay} \Big|_0^H - \frac{1}{a} e^{-aH+ay} \Big|_0^H \right] =$$

$$\frac{1}{a} e^{-a|dx|} \left[2H - \frac{1}{a} (1 - e^{-aH}) - \frac{1}{a} (e^{-aH} e^{aH} - e^{-aH}) \right] =$$

$$\frac{1}{a} e^{-a|dx|} \left[2H - \frac{1}{a} (1 - e^{-aH}) - \frac{1}{a} [1 - e^{-aH}] \right] =$$

$$\frac{1}{a} e^{-a|dx|} \left[2H - \frac{2}{a} (1 - e^{-aH}) \right] =$$

$$\frac{2}{a} e^{-a|dx|} \left[H - \frac{1}{a} (1 - e^{-aH}) \right] =$$

$$2 e^{-a|dx|} \left[H - (1 - e^{-aH}) \right]$$