nag_tsa_spectrum_univar (g13cbc)

1. Purpose

nag_tsa_spectrum_univar (g13cbc) calculates the smoothed sample spectrum of a univariate time series using spectral smoothing by the trapezium frequency (Daniell) window.

2. Specification

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#include <nag.h>
#include <nagg13.h>
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3. Description

The supplied time series may be mean or trend corrected (by least-squares), and tapered, the tapering factors being those of the split cosine bell:

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t - \frac{1}{2})}{T}\right) \right), \qquad 1 \le t \le T$$
$$\frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{\pi(n - t + \frac{1}{2})}{T}\right) \right), \quad n + 1 - T \le t \le n$$
$$1, \qquad \text{otherwise}$$

where $T = \left[\frac{np}{2}\right]$ and p is the tapering proportion. The unsmoothed sample spectrum

$$f^*(\omega) = \frac{1}{2}\pi \left| \sum_{t=1}^n x_t \exp(i\omega t) \right|^2$$

is then calculated for frequency values

$$\omega_k = \frac{2\pi k}{K} \;,\; k=0,1,\ldots,[K/2]$$

where [] denotes the integer part.

The smoothed spectrum is returned as a subset of these frequencies for which K is a multiple of a chosen value r, i.e.,

$$\omega_{rl} = \nu_l = \frac{2\pi l}{L}, \ l = 0, 1, \dots, [L/2]$$

where $K = r \times L$. The user will normally fix L first, then choose r so that K is sufficiently large to provide an adequate representation for the unsmoothed spectrum, i.e., $K \ge 2 \times n$. It is possible to take L = K, i.e., r = 1.

The smoothing is defined by a trapezium window whose shape is supplied by the function

$$\begin{split} W(\alpha) &= 1, & |\alpha| \leq p \\ W(\alpha) &= \frac{1 - |\alpha|}{1 - p}, & p < |\alpha| \leq 1 \end{split}$$

the proportion p being supplied by the user.

The width of the window is fixed as $2\pi/M$ by the user supplying M. A set of averaging weights are constructed:

$$W_k = g \times W\left(\frac{\omega_k M}{\pi}\right) \ , \ 0 \le \omega_k \le \frac{\pi}{M}$$

where g is a normalising constant, and the smoothed spectrum obtained is

$$\hat{f}(\nu_l) = \sum_{|\omega_k| < \frac{\pi}{M}} W_k f^*(\nu_l + \omega_k).$$

If no smoothing is required M should be set to n, in which case the values returned are $\hat{f}(\nu_l) = f^*(\nu_l)$. Otherwise, in order that the smoothing approximates well to an integration, it is essential that $K \gg M$, and preferable, but not essential, that K be a multiple of M. A choice of L > M would normally be required to supply an adequate description of the smoothed spectrum. Typical choices of $L \simeq n$ and $K \simeq 4n$ should be adequate for usual smoothing situations when M < n/5.

The sampling distribution of $\hat{f}(\omega)$ is approximately that of a scaled χ_d^2 variate, whose degrees of freedom d is provided by the routine, together with multiplying limits mu, ml from which approximate 95% confidence intervals for the true spectrum $f(\omega)$ may be constructed as $[ml \times \hat{f}(\omega), mu \times \hat{f}(\omega)]$. Alternatively, log $\hat{f}(\omega)$ may be returned, with additive limits.

The bandwidth b of the corresponding smoothing window in the frequency domain is also provided. Spectrum estimates separated by (angular) frequencies much greater than b may be assumed to be independent.

4. Parameters

nx

Input: the length of the time series, n. Constraint: $\mathbf{nx} \ge 1$.

mt_correction

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Input: whether the data are to be initially mean or trend corrected.

mt_correction = Nag_NoCorrection for no correction, mt_correction = Nag_Mean for mean

correction, mt_correction = Nag_Trend for trend correction.

Constraint: mt_correction = Nag_NoCorrection, Nag_Mean or Nag_Trend
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Input: the proportion of the data (totalled over both ends) to be initially tapered by the split cosine bell taper. (A value of 0.0 implies no tapering). Constraint: $0.0 \leq \mathbf{px} \leq 1.0$.

mw

Input: the value of M which determines the frequency width of the smoothing window as $2\pi/M$. A value of n implies no smoothing is to be carried out. Constraint: $1 \leq \mathbf{mw} \leq \mathbf{nx}$.

pw

Input: the shape parameter, p, of the trapezium frequency window.

A value of 0.0 gives a triangular window, and a value of 1.0 a rectangular window.

If $\mathbf{mw} = \mathbf{nx}$ (i.e., no smoothing is carried out), then \mathbf{pw} is not used. Constraint: $0.0 \le \mathbf{pw} \le 1.0$. if $\mathbf{mw} \ne \mathbf{nx}$.

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Input: the frequency division, L, of smoothed spectral estimates as $2\pi/L$. Constraints: $l \ge 1$

l must be a factor of kc (see below).

kc

Input: the order of the fast Fourier transform (FFT), K, used to calculate the spectral estimates. **kc** should be a multiple of small primes such as 2^m where m is the smallest integer such that $2^m \ge 2n$, provided $m \le 20$.

Constraints: $\mathbf{kc} \geq 2 \times \mathbf{nx}$,

kc must be a multiple of **l**.

The largest prime factor of \mathbf{kc} must not exceed 19, and the total number of prime factors of \mathbf{kc} , counting repetitions, must not exceed 20. These two restrictions are imposed by nag_fft_real (c06eac) which performs the FFT.

lg_spect

Input: indicates whether unlogged or logged spectral estimates and confidence limits are required.

 $lg_spect = Nag_Unlogged$ for unlogged. $lg_spect = Nag_Logged$ for logged. Constraint: $lg_spect = Nag_Unlogged$ or Nag_Logged.

x[kc]

Input: the n data points.

\mathbf{g}

Output: vector which contains the **ng** spectral estimates $\hat{f}(\omega_i)$, for $i = 0, 1, \ldots, [L/2]$, in **g**[0] to **g**[**ng**-1] (logged if **lg_spect** = **Nag_Logged**). The memory for this vector is allocated internally. If no memory is allocated to **g** (e.g. when an input error is detected) then **g** will be NULL on return. If repeated calls to this function are required then **NAG_FREE** should be used to free the memory in between calls.

ng

Output: the number of spectral estimates, [L/2] + 1, in **g**.

stats[4]

Output: four associated statistics. These are the degrees of freedom in stats[0], the lower and upper 95% confidence limit factors in stats[1] and stats[2] respectively (logged if $lg_spect = Nag_Logged$), and the bandwidth in stats[3].

fail

The NAG error parameter, see the Essential Introduction to the NAG C Library.

5. Error Indications and Warnings

NE_BAD_PARAM

On entry, parameter **lg_spect** had an illegal value. On entry, parameter **mt_correction** had an illegal value.

NE_INT_ARG_LT

On entry, **nx** must not be less than 1: $\mathbf{nx} = \langle value \rangle$. On entry, **mw** must not be less than 1: $\mathbf{mw} = \langle value \rangle$. On entry, **l** must not be less than 1: $\mathbf{l} = \langle value \rangle$.

NE_REAL_ARG_LT

On entry, **px** must not be less than 0.0: $\mathbf{px} = \langle value \rangle$. On entry, **pw** must not be less than 0.0: $\mathbf{pw} = \langle value \rangle$.

NE_REAL_ARG_GT

On entry, **px** must not be greater than 1.0: $\mathbf{px} = \langle value \rangle$. On entry, **pw** must not be greater than 1.0: $\mathbf{pw} = \langle value \rangle$.

NE_2_INT_ARG_GT

On entry, $\mathbf{mw} = \langle value \rangle$ while $\mathbf{nx} = \langle value \rangle$. These parameters must satisfy $\mathbf{mw} \leq \mathbf{nx}$.

NE_2_INT_ARG_CONS

On entry, $\mathbf{kc} = \langle value \rangle$ while $\mathbf{nx} = \langle value \rangle$. These parameters must satisfy $\mathbf{kc} \geq 2^* \mathbf{nx}$ when $\mathbf{nx} > 0$.

On entry, $\mathbf{kc} = \langle value \rangle$ while $\mathbf{l} = \langle value \rangle$. These parameters must satisfy $\mathbf{kc} \otimes \mathbf{l} = 0$ when $\mathbf{l} > 0$.

NE_FACTOR_GT

At least one of the prime factors of kc is greater than 19.

NE_TOO_MANY_FACTORS

kc has more than 20 prime factors.

NE_SPECTRAL_ESTIM_NEG

One or more spectral estimates are negative. Unlogged spectral estimates are returned in **g** and the degrees of freedom, unlogged confidence limit factors and bandwith in **stats**.

NE_CONFID_LIMIT_FACT

The calculation of confidence limit factors has failed. Spectral estimates (logged if requested) are returned in \mathbf{g} , and degrees of freedom and bandwith in stats.

NE_ALLOC_FAIL

Memory allocation failed.

NE_INTERNAL_ERROR

An internal error has occurred in this function. Check the function call and any array sizes. If the call is correct then please consult NAG for assistance.

6. Further Comments

nag_tsa_spectrum_univar carries out a FFT of length \mathbf{kc} to calculate the sample spectrum. The time taken by the routine for this is approximately proportional to $\mathbf{kc} \times \log (\mathbf{kc})$ (see nag_fft_real (c06eac) for further details).

6.1. Accuracy

The FFT is a numerically stable process, and any errors introduced during the computation will normally be insignificant compared with uncertainty in the data.

6.2. References

Bloomfield P (1976) Fourier Analysis of Time Series: an Introduction. Wiley. Jenkins G M and Watts D G (1968) Spectral Analysis and its Applications. Holden-Day.

7. See Also

None.

8. Example

The example program reads a time series of length 131. It selects the mean correction option, a tapering proportion of 0.2, the option of no smoothing and a frequency division for logged spectral estimates of $2\pi/100$. It then calls nag_tsa_spectrum_univar to calculate the univariate spectrum and prints the logged spectrum together with 95% confidence limits. The program then selects a smoothing window with frequency width $2\pi/30$ and shape parameter 0.5 and recalculates and prints the logged spectrum and 95% confidence limits.

8.1. Program Text

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/* nag_tsa_spectrum_univar(g13cbc) Example Program.
   *
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   * Mark 4, 1996.
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   */
#include <nag.h>
#include <nag.stdlib.h>
#include <nag_stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <nagg13.h>
#define KCMAX 400
#define NXMAX KCMAX/2
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main()
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  double stats[4];
  double x[KCMAX], xh[NXMAX], *g;
  double pw, px;
  Integer i, l;
  Integer kc, ng;
  Integer mw, nx;
  Vprintf("g13cbc Example Program Results\n");
  /* Skip heading in data file */
Vscanf("%*[^\n] ");
  Vscanf("%ld ",&nx);
  if (nx > 0 \&\& nx \le NXMAX)
    {
      for (i = 1; i <= nx; ++i)</pre>
       Vscanf("%lf ", &xh[i - 1]);
      px = .2;
      \overline{mw} = nx;
      pw = .5;
      kc = KCMAX;
      1 = 100;
      while ((scanf("%ld ", &mw)) != EOF)
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          if (mw > 0 && mw <= nx)
            {
              for (i = 1; i <= nx; ++i)</pre>
                x[i - 1] = xh[i - 1];
               g13cbc(nx, Nag_Mean, px, mw, pw, 1, kc, Nag_Logged, x, &g, &ng, stats,
                      NAGERR_DEFAULT);
               if (mw == nx)
                 Vprintf("\n No smoothing\n\n");
               else
                 Vprintf("\n Frequency width of smoothing window = 1/%ld\n\n", mw);
               Vprintf(" Degrees of freedom =%4.1f
                                                       Bandwidth =\%7.4f\lnn'',
                       stats[0],stats[3]);
               Vprintf(" 95 percent confidence limits -
                                                             Lower =%7.4f \setminus
Upper =%7.4f\n\n", stats[1], stats[2]);
              Vprintf("
                               Spectrum
                                                Spectrum
                                                                Spectrum\
       Spectrum\n");
              Vprintf("
                                estimate
                                                estimate
                                                                estimate\
       estimate\n\n");
               for (i = 1; i <= ng; ++i)
               Vprintf("%5ld%10.4f%s",i,g[i - 1], (i%4==0 ? "\n": ""));
Vprintf("\n");
               if (g)
                 NAG_FREE(g);
            }
        }
    }
  exit(EXIT_SUCCESS);
}
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8.2. Program Data

g13cbc Example Program Data 131 11.500 9.890 8.728 8.400 8.230 8.365 8.383 8.243 8.080 8.244 8.490 8.867 9.469 9.786 10.100 10.714 11.320 11.900 12.390 12.095 11.800 12.400 11.833 12.200 12.242 11.687 10.883 10.138 8.952 8.443 8.231 8.067 7.871 7.962 8.217 8.689 8.989 9.450 9.883 10.150 10.787 11.000 11.133 11.100 11.800 12.250 11.350 11.575 11.800 11.100 10.300 9.725 9.025 8.048 7.294 7.070

12.350 12.400 12.270 12.300 11.800 10.794 9.675 8.900 8.208 8.087 7.763 7.917 8.030 8.212 8.669 9.175 9.683 10.290 10.400 10.850 11.700 11.900 12.500 12.500 12.800 12.950 13.050 12.800 12.800 12.800 12.600 11.917 10.805 9.240 8.777 8.683 8.649 8.547 8.625 8.750 9.110 9.392 9.787 10.340 10.500 11.233 12.033 12.200 12.300 12.600 12.800 12.650 12.733 12.700 12.259 11.817 10.767 9.825 9.150 131 30 8.3. Program Results g13cbc Example Program Results No smoothing Degrees of freedom = 2.0Bandwidth = 0.048095 percent confidence limits -Lower =-1.3053 Upper = 3.6762 Spectrum Spectrum Spectrum Spectrum estimate estimate estimate estimate -5.9354 2 -0.1662 3 -0.8250 4 -0.9452 1 5 3.2137 6 0.2738 7 -1.0690 8 -1.0401 9 -1.2388 -3.5434 -5.2568 -3.2450 10 12 11 13 -2.4294-3.9987 -2.9853 -4.6631 14 15 16 17 -4.3317 18 -4.6982 19 -4.6335 20 -3.6732 21 -5.8411 22 -4.772723 -3.9747 24 -4.8351 -5.9979 -5.5245 -4.4774 -6.1169 25 26 27 28 29 -5.6331 30 -4.070731 -4.692132 -5.6515 33 -9.2919 34 -4.6302 35 -4.1700 36 -4.7829 -5.2714 40 37 -6.6058 38 -5.8145 39 -5.8736 -7.4055 41 -10.2188 42 -5.7887 43 -7.0751 44 45 -8.2774 46 -7.8966 47 -6.4435 48 -5.7844 49 -5.4690 50 -6.8709 51 -8.7123 Frequency width of smoothing window = 1/30Degrees of freedom = 7.0Bandwidth = 0.176795 percent confidence limits -Lower =-0.8275 Upper = 1.4213 Spectrum Spectrum Spectrum Spectrum estimate estimate estimate estimate 1 -0.17762 -0.4561 3 -0.17844 1.9042 -0.7659 -1.4734 5 2.1094 6 1.7061 7 8 9 -2.9151 -2.7055 -1.5939 10 -2.115711 12 13 -2.8200 14 -3.407715 -3.8813 16 -3.6607 -4.3092 17 -4.060118 -4.475619 -4.270020 -4.5711 -4.8111 -4.7285 21 22 23 -4.5658 24 25 -5.4386 26 -5.5081 27 -5.2325 28 -5.026229 -4.4539 30 -4.476431 -4.9152 32 -5.8492 -4.8904 33 -5.5872 34 -4.9804 35 36 -5.2666 37 -5.7643 38 -5.8620 39 -5.5011 40 -5.7129 -6.3894 -6.4027 -6.1352 -6.5766 41 42 43 44 45 -7.3676 46 -7.1405 47 -6.1674 48 -5.8600 49 -6.1036 50 -6.2673 51 -6.4321