INTRODUCTION TO SPECTRAL ANALYSIS

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• Data: multi-channel EEG, fMRI time series at several ROIs

Goals of our research

- Characterize and define dependence in a brain network
- Develop estimation and inference methods
- Develop classification methods that use connectivity as a biomarker

- Predicting motor intent (Left vs. Right movement)
- Differentiating patient groups (bipolar vs. healthy)

- Models and methods must incorporate information
 - Across trials, across subjects
- Models for estimating effect of a stimulus on brain network

- Model that use multi-modal data (EEG, fMRI, DTI)
- Dimension reduction: extract information from massive data that is most relevant for estimating dependence

Some References for Time Series Analysis

- Brillinger (1981) Theory for Spectral Analysis.
- Brockwell and Davis (1991) Theory book with emphasis on time domain analysis.

 Shumway and Stoffer (2007) - Combination of theory, methods, real-life examples.





EEG Motor Experiment

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Local Field Potentials



Magnetoencephalograms



Epileptic Seizure EEGs



Epileptic Seizure EEGs

SPECIFIC GOALS IN ANALYZING TIME SERIES DATA

Time-domain Analysis

- Dependence. What is the correlation between Y(t) and Y(t + h)?
- Prediction. Suppose that you have monthly sales data for 2000-2010, predict the monthly sales in January 2011 using
 - Past data for January 2000,2001, ... (annual seasonality)

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 Immediate past months December, November, 2010 (lagged relationships)

SPECIFIC GOALS IN ANALYZING TIME SERIES DATA

Spectral-domain Analysis

- Signal decomposition. What oscillations are present in the time series?
- Coherence. What is the interactions between oscillations in different time series?

BASIC TIME DOMAIN ANALYSIS

- Time Series Data [*X*(*t*), *Y*(*t*)]', *t* = 1, 2, ...
- Mean $\mu(t) = [\mathbb{E}X(t), \mathbb{E}Y(t)]', t = 1, 2, ...$
- Variance

$$\gamma_{XX}(t,t) = \mathbb{C}\mathrm{ov}[X(t),X(t)]$$

$$\gamma_{YY}(t,t) = \mathbb{C}\mathrm{ov}[Y(t),Y(t)]$$

Auto-covariance function

$$\gamma_{XX}(s,t) = \mathbb{C}\mathrm{ov}[X(s), X(t)]$$

$$\gamma_{YY}(s,t) = \mathbb{C}\mathrm{ov}[Y(s), Y(t)]$$

Cross-covariance function

$$\gamma_{XY}(\mathbf{s}, t) = \mathbb{C}\mathrm{ov}[X(\mathbf{s}), Y(t)]$$

$$\gamma_{XY}(t, \mathbf{s}) = \mathbb{C}\mathrm{ov}[X(t), Y(\mathbf{s})]$$

BASIC TIME DOMAIN ANALYSIS

[X(t), Y(t)]' is a weakly stationary time series if

Mean is constant in time

$$\mu(t) = [\mu_X, \mu_Y]'$$
 for all $t = 1, 2, ...$

Variance is constant in time

$$\gamma_{XX}(t,t) = \gamma_{XX}(0,0)$$

 $\gamma_{YY}(t,t) = \gamma_{YY}(0,0)$

 Auto-covariance and cross-covariance depends only on the lag h

$$\begin{split} \gamma_{XX}(t+h,t) &= \mathbb{C}\operatorname{ov}[X(t+h),X(t)] = \gamma_{XX}(h,0) := \gamma_{XX}(h) \\ \gamma_{XY}(t+h,t) &= \mathbb{C}\operatorname{ov}[X(t+h),Y(t)] = \gamma_{XY}(h,0) := \gamma_{XY}(h) \\ \gamma_{XY}(t,t+h) &= \mathbb{C}\operatorname{ov}[X(t),Y(t+h)] = \gamma_{XY}(0,h) := \gamma_{XY}(-h) \end{split}$$

BASIC TIME DOMAIN ANALYSIS

Cross-correlation function

Auto-correlation function

$$\rho_{XX}(h) = \mathbb{C}\operatorname{orr}[X(t+h), X(t)] = \frac{\gamma_{XX}(h)}{\gamma_{XX}(0)}$$
$$\rho_{YY}(h) = \mathbb{C}\operatorname{orr}[Y(t+h), Y(t)] = \frac{\gamma_{YY}(h)}{\gamma_{YY}(0)}$$

Cross-correlation function

$$\rho_{XY}(h) = \mathbb{C}\operatorname{orr}[X(t+h), Y(t)] = \frac{\gamma_{XY}(h)}{\sqrt{\gamma_{XX}(0)\gamma_{YY}(0)}}$$
$$\rho_{XY}(-h) = \mathbb{C}\operatorname{orr}[X(t), Y(t+h)] = \frac{\gamma_{XY}(-h)}{\sqrt{\gamma_{XX}(0)\gamma_{YY}(0)}}$$

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White Noise

- Time Series *X*(*t*)
- $\mathbb{E}X(t) = \mu$
- $\operatorname{Var} X(t) = \sigma_X^2$
- Auto-covariance function

$$\gamma_{XX}(h) = \begin{cases} \sigma_{XX}^2, & h = 0\\ 0, & h \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

Plot of the auto-covariance and auto-correlation functions.

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Moving Average Model MA(q)

- $Z(t) \sim WN(0, \sigma_Z^2)$
- X(t) is MA(q) if it has the representation

$$X(t) = Z(t) + \theta_1 Z(t-1) + \ldots + \theta_q Z(t-q)$$

- Intuition: applying a moving window of size q + 1 on the white noise {Z(t)}
- Auto-covariance function

$$\gamma_{XX}(h) = \begin{cases} [1 + \theta_1^2 + \ldots + \theta_q^2] \sigma_Z^2, & h = 0\\ \text{something}, & h = \pm 1\\ \ldots, & \ldots\\ \text{something}, & h = \pm q\\ 0, & h = \pm (q+1), \ldots \end{cases}$$

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Auto-regressive Model AR(p)

Z(t) ~ WN(0, σ_Z²)
X(t) is AR(p) if it has the representation

$$X(t) = \sum_{\ell=1}^{p} \phi_{\ell} X(t-\ell) + Z(t)$$

• Consider the simple case AR(1). When $|\phi_1| < 1$,

$$X(t) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \phi_1^{\ell} Z(t-\ell)$$

- Causal: X(t) depends only on the current and past noise values
- Auto-covariance function

$$\gamma_{XX}(h) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sigma_Z^2}{1-\phi_1^2}, & h = 0\\ \phi_1^{|h|} \frac{\sigma_Z^2}{1-\phi_1^2}, & h = \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots \end{cases}$$

Estimating the AR parameters

•
$$\phi = [\phi_1, \ldots, \phi_p]'$$

Conditional least squares criterion

$$S(\phi) = \sum_{t=p+1}^{T} \left[X(t) - \left(\phi_1 X(t-1) + \ldots + \phi_p X(t-p)\right)\right]^2$$

- Conditional maximum likelihood
 - $X(t) = \phi_1 X(t-1) + \ldots + \phi_p X(t-p) + \epsilon(t); \ \epsilon(t) \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$
 - Define $m_p(t) = \phi_1 X(t-1) + ... + \phi_p X(t-p)$
 - Define $\mathcal{X}(t-1) = [X(t-1), X(t-2), \ldots]'$
 - $X(t)|\mathcal{X}(t-1) \sim N(m_{\rho}(t),\sigma^2)$
 - Conditional likelihood

$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{C}}(\phi) = f(X(p+1), \dots X(T) \mid \mathcal{X}(p))$$
(1)

$$= f(X(p+1)|\mathcal{X}(p)) \dots f(X(T)|\mathcal{X}(T-1))$$
 (2)

Selecting the best order - acf and pacf plots

	ACF	PACF
MA	zero after q	tapers slowly
AR	tapers slowly	zero after p
ARMA	tapers slowly	tapers slowly

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Selecting the best order - information criteria

• Data
$$X(t), t = 1, 2, ..., T$$

- Set of candidate orders $p \in \{1, \dots, P\}$
- Use data only for $t = P + 1, \dots, T$
- For each *p*, estimate φ₁,..., φ_p, compute the noise variance estimate

$$\widehat{\sigma}^2(p) = \frac{1}{T - P} \sum_{t=P+1}^T [X(t) - \widehat{m}_p(t)]^2$$

Akaike information criterion (AIC)

$$AIC(p) = \log(\widehat{\sigma}^2) + (2p+1)/(T-P)$$

• Bayesian information criterion (BIC)

$$BIC(p) = \log(\widehat{\sigma}^2) + (\log(p)p + 1)/(T - P)$$

• Choose *p*^{*} argmin of *AIC*(*p*) or *BIC*(*p*).

Some Examples in R

Time domain Models

See file CorrelationsandModels

Some Examples in R

Example - Time domain analysis of EEG

See file CLASS-EEG



X(t) STATIONARY TEMPORAL PROCESS

Cramér Representation

 $X_t = \int \exp(i2\pi\omega t) dZ(\omega), \ t = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

- Basis Fourier waveforms $\exp(i2\pi\omega t), \omega \in (-\pi, \pi)$
- Random coefficients $dZ(\omega)$ increment random process

- $\mathbb{E} dZ(\omega) = 0$ and
- $\mathbb{C}ov[dZ(\omega), dZ(\lambda)] = \delta(\omega \lambda)f(\omega)d\omega d\lambda$



Mixing of oscillations

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SPECTRUM – decomposition of variance

• $\mathbf{X} = [X(1), \dots, X(T)]'$ - zero mean stationary time series

- Φ columns are the orthogonal Fourier waveforms
- $\mathbf{d} = [\mathbf{d}(\omega_0), \dots, \mathbf{d}(\omega_{T-1})]'$ Fourier coefficients
- $\mathbf{X} = \Phi \mathbf{d}$
- X'X = d'd
- $\frac{1}{T}\mathbb{E}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X} = \frac{1}{T}\mathbb{E}\mathbf{d}'\mathbf{d}$
- $\operatorname{Var} X(t) \approx \int f(\omega) d\omega$

A more formal derivation ...

•
$$X(t) = \int \exp(i2\pi\omega t) dZ(\omega)$$

• $\gamma(h) = \mathbb{C}\operatorname{ov}[X(t+h), X(t)]$
• $f(\omega) = \sum_{h=-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma(h) \exp(-i2\pi\omega h)$
• $\gamma(h) = \int_{-0.5}^{0.5} f(\omega) \exp(-i2\pi\omega h) d\omega$
• $\gamma(0) = \int f(\omega) d\omega$

AR(1): $X_t = 0.9X_{t-1} + \epsilon_t$



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Spectrum of AR(1) with $\phi = 0.9$



AR(1):
$$X_t = -0.9X_{t-1} + \epsilon_t$$



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Spectrum of AR(1) with $\phi = -0.9$



Mixture: Low + High Frequency Signal



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SPECTRUM - GIVES VARIANCE DECOMPOSITION

Spectrum of the mixed signal



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GENERATING MIXTURES OF OSCILLATIONS

Discrete Cramér representation

$$X(t) = \sum_{k=-(T/2-1)}^{T/2} A(\omega_k) \exp\left(\frac{2\pi kt}{T}\right)$$

- Fourier waveforms $\phi_k(t) = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi kt}{T}\right)$, $k = -(T/2 - 1), \dots, T/2$
- Generate coefficients for k = 0, T/2: A(ω_k) ~ (0, f(ω_k))
- Generate coefficients for k = 1, ..., (T/2 1):

$$egin{aligned} & \mathcal{A}^R(\omega_k)\sim(0,rac{f(\omega_k)}{2})\ & \mathcal{A}^I(\omega_k)\sim(0,rac{f(\omega_k)}{2})\ & \mathcal{A}(\omega_k)=\mathcal{A}^R(\omega_k)+i\mathcal{A}^I(\omega_k) \end{aligned}$$

• Generate coefficients for k = -1, ..., -(T/2 - 1): $A(\omega_k) = A^R(-\omega_k) - iA^I(-\omega_k)$

GENERATING MIXTURES OF OSCILLATIONS

See file IntroSpectralModels



- $X_t, t = 1, \dots, T$ (assume $\overline{X} = 0$)
- Estimate the spectrum
- Fourier coefficients $d(\omega_k) = \sum_t X_t \exp(-i2\pi\omega_k t)$



- Fourier coefficients $d(\omega_k) = < \mathbf{X}, \phi_k >$
- Correlation between **X** and the waveform ϕ_k

- Fourier periodograms $\mathcal{I}(\omega_k) = \frac{1}{T} |d(\omega_k)|^2$
- $\mathbb{E}\mathcal{I}(\omega) \approx f(\omega)$ but \mathbb{V} ar $\mathcal{I}(\omega) = f^2(\omega)$

•
$$\widehat{f}(\omega) = \mathsf{smooth}_{\lambda \in \mathcal{N}(\omega)} \, \mathcal{I}(\lambda)$$

• Other approaches: wavelet denoising, parametric (ARMA)

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Examples in R

See notes PeriodogramSmoothingNotes



IMPORTANCE OF THE SPECTRUM

SLEEP Studies

- Depression study: among recoverers (IPT + flouxetine) [joint with Psychiatry, Univ Pittsburgh]
 - Alpha power Post treatment < baseline
 - Beta power Post treatment > baseline
- Cognitive Experiment working memory load
 - Gamma (32-50 hertz) power
- Heart Rate Variability
 - Feature of interest: high frequency power in inter-beat interval sequence in EKG (parasymphathetic modulation)
 - Across NREM periods in the entire night: increase among controls, near-constant among stress group.

- Three time series X, Y, Z
- Cross-dependence between X and Y
- Simple measures: cross-correlation and partial cross-correlation

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Indirect vs direct dependence



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- Cross-correlation and Partial cross-correlation
- Indirect vs Direct

- Time series at 3 channels: X, Y, Z
- Cross-correlation $\rho(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y}) = \frac{\mathbb{C}ov(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y})}{\sqrt{\mathbb{V}ar \mathbf{X} \mathbb{V}ar \mathbf{Y}}}$
- Partial cross-correlation between X and Y given Z

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• Remove **Z** from **X**:
$$\epsilon_X = \mathbf{X} - \beta_X \mathbf{Z}$$

• Remove **Z** from **Y**:
$$\epsilon_{\mathbf{Y}} = \mathbf{Y} - \beta_{\mathbf{Y}}\mathbf{Z}$$

•
$$\rho(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y} | \mathbf{Z}) = \frac{\mathbb{C}ov(\epsilon_X, \epsilon_Y)}{\sqrt{\mathbb{V}ar \, \epsilon_X \, \mathbb{V}ar \, \epsilon_Y}}$$



	Model A	Model B
Cross-Corr	Yes	Yes
Partial CC	NO	Yes

- When *ρ*(X, Y|Z) ≠ 0, we want to identify the frequency bands that drive the linear association.
- Notation

$$\boldsymbol{U}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} X(t) \\ Y(t) \\ Z(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad \boldsymbol{d}Z(\omega) = \begin{pmatrix} dZ_X(\omega) \\ dZ_Y(\omega) \\ dZ_Z(\omega) \end{pmatrix}$$

Spectral representation of a stationary process

$$oldsymbol{U}(t) = \int_{-0.5}^{0.5} \exp(i2\pi\omega t) oldsymbol{d} Z(\omega).$$

Formal definition of coherency (correlation of Fourier coefficients)

$$\rho_{\omega}(X, Y) = \mathbb{C}\operatorname{orr}[dZ_X(\omega), dZ_Y(\omega)]$$

Filtered Signals

 $X_{\omega}(t) = \mathcal{F}_{\omega}X(t) \quad Y_{\omega}(t) = \mathcal{F}_{\omega}Y(t) \quad Z_{\omega}(t) = \mathcal{F}_{\omega}Z(t)$

 $\bullet\,$ Coherency at frequency band around $\omega\,$

$$\rho_{X,Y}(\omega) = \mathbb{C}\operatorname{orr}[X_{\omega}(t), Y_{\omega}(t)]$$

Partial coherence

- Remove $Z_{\omega}(t)$ from $X_{\omega}(t)$: $\xi_{\omega}^{X}(t) = X_{\omega}(t) \beta_{X} Z_{\omega}(t)$
- Remove $Z_{\omega}(t)$ from $Y_{\omega}(t)$: $\tilde{\xi}_{\omega}^{\tilde{Y}}(t) = Y_{\omega}(t) \beta_{Y}Z_{\omega}(t)$

•
$$\rho_{\omega}^{2}(X, Y|Z) = \left| \frac{\mathbb{Cov}(\xi_{\omega}^{X}(t), \xi_{\omega}^{Y}(t))}{\sqrt{\mathbb{Var}\,\xi_{\omega}^{X}(t)\,\mathbb{Var}\,\xi_{\omega}^{Y}(t)}} \right|$$

- Relevant work:
 - Ombao and Van Bellegem (2008, IEEE Trans Signal Processing)
 - Fiecas and Ombao (2010, Annals of Applied Statistics)

An Illustration

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- Latent Signals
 - $U_1(t)$ low frequency
 - $U_2(t)$ high frequency
- Observed Signals

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$$X(t) = U_1(t) + U_2(t) + Z_2(t)$$

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$$Y(t) = U_1(t+\ell) + Z_1(t)$$

• X and Y are linearly related through U₁.



COHERENCE

- Identifies the oscillations that drive the linear association between X and Y.
- Identical Oscillations
 - Low freq oscillations in X vs Low freq oscillations in Y
 - High freq oscillations in X vs High freq oscillations in Y

Frequency bands

- (1,4) Hertz Delta
- (4,8) Hertz Theta
- (8, 12) Hertz Alpha
- (16, 30) Hertz Beta
- (30,70) Hertz Gamma
- Dependence between alpha oscillation activity in X and beta activity in Y



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Applications in the Neuroscience literature

- Working memory (hippocampus)
 - Gamma activity (amplitude) phase-locked to theta activity
 - Cross-frequency coupling predicts WM performance
- Reward processing (basal ganglia)
 - Bursts of high frequency activity (gamma) occurs preferentially during specific phases of lower frequency activity (alpha)

Probability and Statistics

Harmonizable Processes

$$X(t) = \int \exp(i2\pi\omega t) dZ(\omega)$$

where $\{dZ(\omega)\}$ not necessarily uncorrelated

- References
 - Loéve 1955 (Probability Theory)
 - Martin 1982
 - Sharf (1990's onwards)
 - Hindberg and Hanssen 2007

Generalizations

- In the neuroscience literature
 - Ideas are present; several descriptive analysis
 - There is a need to introduce formal framework for testing
- In the signal processing literature
 - No framework for comparing across conditions and patient groups
 - No framework for replicated time series
- No models for studying how past alpha activity may predict future beta activity.

GENERALIZED COHERENCE FOR HARMONIZABLE PROCESSES

Harmonizable process

$$X(t) = \int_{-0.5}^{0.5} \exp\{2\pi i\omega t\} dZ(\omega)$$

• $\{dZ(\omega)\}$ not necessarily uncorrelated.

GENERALIZED SPECTRUM - LOEVE SPECTRUM $\mathbb{C}ov(dZ(\omega), dZ(\lambda)) = f(\omega, \lambda)d\omega d\lambda$

• Allow correlation between different frequencies.

GENERALIZED COHERENCE FOR HARMONIZABLE PROCESSES

Generalized Spectrum

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$$\int \int |f(\omega,\lambda)| d\omega d\lambda < \infty$$

Relation with time varying covariance function

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma(s,t) &= \mathbb{E}[X(s)X^*(t)] \\ &= \int \int \exp\{2\pi i(s\omega - t\lambda)\}f(\omega,\lambda)d\omega d\lambda \\ \mathbb{V}ar(X(t)) &= \int \int \exp\{2\pi i s(\omega - \lambda)\}f(\omega,\lambda)d\omega d\lambda \end{aligned}$$

• $f(\omega, \lambda) = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \sum_{s} \sum_{t} \gamma(s, t) \exp\{-i(\omega s - \lambda t)\}$

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Harmonizable processes are generally non-stationary.

- A₁, B₁ iid (0, σ²₁);
- $A_2 = A_1 + Z_A$; $B_2 = B_1 + Z_B$;
- Consider the harmonizable sinusoidal process

 $X(t) = A_1 \cos(\omega_1 t) + B_1 \sin(\omega_1 t) + A_2 \cos(\omega_2 t) + B_2 \sin(\omega_2 t)$

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• $\operatorname{Var} X(t) = \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 + \sigma_1^2 \cos[(\omega_1 - \omega_2)t]$

Estimation

- $\mathbf{X}^r, \mathbf{Y}^r$ time series on trial $r = 1, \dots, R$
- Fourier coefficient

$$d_X^r(\omega) = \sum_{t=1}^T X^r(t) \exp(-i2\pi\omega t)$$

• Generalized cross-periodgram for the r-th trial

$$\mathcal{I}_{X,Y}^{r}(\omega,\lambda) = d_{X}^{r}(\omega)d_{Y}^{r*}(\lambda)$$

Estimate of the generalized spectrum

$$\widehat{f_{X,Y}}(\omega,\lambda) = \frac{1}{R} \sum_{r=1}^{R} \mathcal{I}_{X,Y}^{r}(\omega,\lambda)$$

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Estimation

Estimate of the generalized coherence

$$\widehat{\rho_{X,Y}}^{2}(\omega,\lambda) = \frac{|\widehat{f}_{X,Y}(\omega,\lambda)|^{2}}{\widehat{f}_{X,X}(\omega,\omega)\widehat{f}_{Y,Y}(\lambda,\lambda)}$$

PRELIMINARY EEG DATA ANALYSIS

- Visual Motor experiment (PI: J Sanes, Brown Neuroscience)
- Replicated trials (*r* = 1,..., *R* = 100+)
- Time blocks *b* = 1,...,4
- Stimulus presented at block 3
- Each time block has T = 128 time points
- We computed Generalized Coherence
 - between different channels
 - between pairs of different frequencies
 - for both the same and successive time blocks

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PRELIMINARY EEG DATA ANALYSIS

EEG Time Series



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Alpha-Beta coherence at Block 3



Connectivity - CZ seed channel



Connectivity - C4 seed channel



Connectivity - P3 seed channel



SPECTRAL AUTOREGRESSIVE MODEL

d_c(α, b)
alpha-band coefficient
channel c
time block b

The Spectral-AR model

$$\begin{aligned} d_c(\alpha, b) &= d_c(\alpha, b-1) + d_c(\beta, b-1) + \\ d_{c'}(\alpha, b-1) + d_{c'}(\beta, b-1) + \epsilon_c(\alpha, b) \end{aligned}$$

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SPECTRAL AUTOREGRESSIVE MODEL

- Parietal-Frontal connectivity
- Complex-valued data
- Potential variations
 - Magnitute $(b-1) \rightarrow$ Magnitude(b)

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• Phase $(b-1) \rightarrow$ Phase(b)

SPECTRAL AUTOREGRESSIVE MODEL



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CURRENT WORK

- Establish conditions for mean-squared consistency of the estimator
- Testing for differences in generalized coherence across conditions
- Penalized likelihood estimation method for the spectral-AR model

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