

- PART 2

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1) Contribution to the likelihood function of the i -th experiment result.

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If $|y_i| > 1$ then y_i represents x_i and its contribution to the likelihood function is

$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \cdot \phi\left(\frac{y_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

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If $y_i = 0$ then the only information that gives y_i is that $|x_i| \geq 1$, thus

$$\Phi\left(\frac{1 - \mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-1 - \mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

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2) Log-likelihood function for the complete data

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The complete data means that the small quantities of x have also been observed and then only x_i have to be taken into account

$$l = \prod_{i=1, \dots, n} \frac{1}{\sigma} \cdot \phi\left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

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$$\mathcal{L} = \log(l) = \sum_{i=1, \dots, n} \log\left(\frac{1}{\sigma} \cdot \phi\left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)\right)$$

3) Log-likelihood function for the observed data

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$$l = \prod_{i|y_i > 1} \frac{1}{\sigma} \cdot \phi\left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right) \cdot \prod_{i|y_i = 0} \left(\Phi\left(\frac{1 - \mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-1 - \mu}{\sigma}\right) \right)$$

$|y_i| > 1$

$$\mathcal{L} = \log(l) = \sum_{i|y_i > 1} \log\left(\frac{1}{\sigma} \cdot \phi\left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)\right) + \sum_{i|y_i = 0} \log\left(\Phi\left(\frac{1 - \mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-1 - \mu}{\sigma}\right)\right)$$

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4) Expectation step in the EM algorithm. Give the expression of $Q(\mu, \sigma | \mu_m, \sigma_m)$

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Given a random variable X with density function $f(x)$ and distribution function $F(x)$, the density function of X conditional to $a < X < b$ is (with our nomenclature)

$$f_{X|y=0}(x) = \frac{\frac{1}{\sigma} \phi\left(\frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}\right)}{\Phi\left(\frac{1 - \mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-1 - \mu}{\sigma}\right)} \quad \text{if } -1 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$0 \quad \text{otherwise}$$

And the expectation of the variable is

$$E_{\mu, \sigma}(X|a < X < b) = \mu + \frac{\phi\left(\frac{a-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - \phi\left(\frac{b-\mu}{\sigma}\right)}{\Phi\left(\frac{1-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-1-\mu}{\sigma}\right)} \cdot \sigma$$

So,

$$Q(\mu, \sigma | \mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}) = E_{\mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}}(\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) | X = x)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) = \log(l) = \sum_{i=1, \dots, n} \log\left(\frac{1}{\sigma} \cdot \phi\left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)\right)$$

We know that, for a given μ_{it}, σ_{it}

$$E(x_i | y_i = 0) = \mu_{it} + \frac{\phi\left(\frac{a - \mu_{it}}{\sigma_{it}}\right) - \phi\left(\frac{b - \mu_{it}}{\sigma_{it}}\right)}{\Phi\left(\frac{1 - \mu_{it}}{\sigma_{it}}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-1 - \mu_{it}}{\sigma_{it}}\right)} \cdot \sigma_{it}$$

$$E(x_i | |y_i| > 1) = y_i$$

$$\phi(x) = \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}x^2}}{\sqrt{2 \cdot \pi}}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) = \sum_{i| |y_i| > 1} \log\left(\frac{1}{\sigma} \cdot \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2}}{\sqrt{2 \cdot \pi}}\right) + \sum_{i| y_i = 0} \log\left(\frac{1}{\sigma} \cdot \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2}}{\sqrt{2 \cdot \pi}}\right)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) = \sum_{i| |y_i| > 1} -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2 - \log(\sqrt{2 \cdot \pi} \cdot \sigma) + \sum_{i| y_i = 0} -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2 - \log(\sqrt{2 \cdot \pi} \cdot \sigma)$$

$$Q(\mu, \sigma | \mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}) = \frac{n \cdot \log(2 \cdot \pi \cdot \sigma^2)}{2} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2} \left(\sum_{i| |y_i| > 1} E[(x_i - \mu)^2] + \sum_{i| y_i = 0} E[(x_i - \mu)^2] \right)$$

It is known that

$$E_{\mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}}((X - \tau)^2 | a < X < b) = \text{var}(X | a < X < b) + (E(X | a < X < b) - \tau)^2$$

For the case where $|y_i| > 1$

$$E_{\mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}}[(X - \tau)^2] = \text{var}(X) + (E(X) - \tau)^2 = \sigma^2 + (y_i - \mu)^2$$

For the case where $y_i = 0$

$$\hat{x} = E_{\mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}}((X_i - \tau)^2 | a < X < b) = \text{var}(X | a < X < b) + (E(X | y_i = 0) - \tau)^2$$

Notice that for a given μ_{it} and σ_{it} the variance and expectation are fixed values.

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$$Q(\mu, \sigma | \mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}) = \frac{n \cdot \log(2 \cdot \pi \cdot \sigma^2)}{2} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2} \cdot \left(\sum_{i|y_i|>1} \sigma^2 + (y_i - \mu)^2 + \sum_{i|y_i=0} \hat{x}_i \right)$$

2) 5) Maximization step. Prove that maximizing $Q(\mu, \sigma | \mu_{it}, \sigma_{it})$ in (μ, σ) is equivalent to maximizing the complete log-likelihood calculated from a sample $\tilde{y}_1, \dots, \tilde{y}_n$ with

$$\tilde{y}_i = \begin{cases} y_i & \text{if } |y_i| > 1 \\ E_{\mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}}[X] - 1 < X < 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

In this case the complete log-likelihood function is

$$\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) = \frac{n \cdot \log(2 \cdot \pi \cdot \sigma^2)}{2} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2} \cdot \left(\sum_{i|y_i|>1} (y_i - \mu)^2 + \sum_{i|y_i=0} (E(x_i | y_i = 0) - \mu)^2 \right)$$

Remind that the Q was defined as

$$Q(\mu, \sigma | \mu_{it}, \sigma_{it}) = \frac{n \cdot \log(2\pi\sigma^2)}{2} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2} \cdot \left(\sum_{i|y_i|>1} \sigma^2 + (y_i - \mu)^2 + \sum_{i|y_i=0} C_1 + (C_2 - \mu)^2 \right)$$

We now derive the gradient of the function

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) = \frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2} \cdot \left(\sum_{i|y_i|>1} -2 \cdot (y_i - \mu) + \sum_{i|y_i=0} -2 \cdot (C_2 - \mu) \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} Q(\mu, \sigma) = \frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2} \cdot \left(\sum_{i|y_i|>1} -2 \cdot (y_i - \mu) + \sum_{i|y_i=0} -2 \cdot (C_2 - \mu) \right)$$

Where C_2 stands for $E(x_i | y_i = 0)$ in both cases (they are equivalents when maximizing μ).

When it comes to σ^2

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma) = \frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} Q(\mu, \sigma) = \frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2}$$

The MLE for the normal distribution are the following, which are found from the analytical derivatives

$$\hat{\mu} = \bar{X}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1,n} (x - \bar{X})^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2 \cdot \sigma^2} \cdot \left(\sum_{i=1,n} -2 \cdot (y_i - \mu) \right) = 0 \rightarrow n \cdot \mu = \sum_{i=1,n} y_i$$

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