

Robust Functional Classification for Time Series

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- Most authors have studied the classification of stationary time series.

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Classification of Stationary Series

- Pulli (1996) considers the ratio of spectra.
- Kakizawa, Shumway and Taniguchi (1998) discriminate multivariate time series with the Kullback-Leibler's and the Chernoff's information measures.

Classification of Nonstationary Series

- Ombao et al. (2001) introduce the SLEX spectrum for a nonstationary random process.
- Caiado et al. (2006): define a measure, based on the periodogram, for both clustering and classifying stationary and nonstationary time series.

INTRODUCTION

Models for Nonstationary Series

- Priestley (1965) introduces the concept of a Cramér representation with time-varying transfer function.

$$X_t = \int_{-\pi}^{+\pi} e^{i\lambda t} A_t(\lambda) d\xi(\lambda)$$

- Dahlhaus (1996) establishes an asymptotic framework for locally stationary processes.

$$X_{t,T} = \mu\left(\frac{t}{T}\right) + \int_{-\pi}^{+\pi} e^{i\lambda t} A_{t,T}^0(\lambda) d\xi(\lambda)$$

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- **The Tools**

Functional Data: Each element is a real function $\chi(t)$, $t \in I \subset \mathbb{R}$.

Depth: The “centrality” or “outlyingness” of an observation within a set of data. It provides a criterion to order data from center-outward.

FUNCTIONAL DATA

Let $(x_t) = (x_1, \dots, x_T)$ be a time series, the **periodogram** and its cumulative version, the **integrated periodogram**, are:

$$I_T(\lambda_j) = \frac{1}{2\pi T} \left| \sum_{t=+1}^T x_t e^{-it\lambda_j} \right|^2, \quad \lambda_j \in \mathcal{S}$$

$$F_T(\lambda_j) = \frac{1}{c_T} \sum_{i=1}^j I_T(\lambda_i), \quad \lambda_i \in \mathcal{S}, \quad \lambda_j \in \mathcal{S}$$

where

$$\mathcal{S} = \left\{ \lambda_j = \frac{2\pi j}{T}, j = -\left[\frac{T-1}{2}\right], \dots, -1, 0, +1, \dots, +\left[\frac{T}{2}\right] \right\}$$

is the *Fourier set of frequencies*.

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A new function χ is assigned to the group minimizing its distance to a reference function \mathcal{R} of the group.

- The reference function: The **mean**

$$\mathcal{R}^{(k)}(t) = \bar{\chi}^{(k)}(t) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{e=1}^N \chi_e^{(k)}(t)$$

- The distance: The distance

$$d(\chi_1, \chi_2) = \int_I |\chi_1(t) - \chi_2(t)| dt, \quad \chi_k \in \mathcal{L}^1(I), \quad k = 1, 2$$

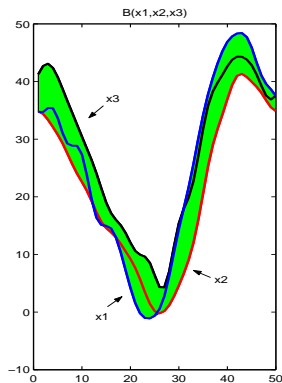
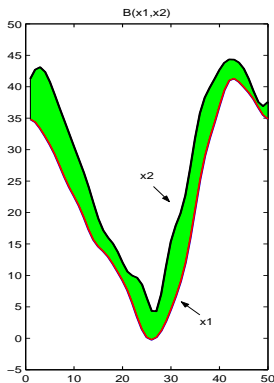
Remark: Our functional data belong to $\mathcal{L}^1(I)$

DEPTH

Let $G(\chi(t)) = \{(t, \chi(t)) : t \in [a, b]\}$ denote the graph of χ in \mathbb{R}^2 , and let

$$B(\chi_{i_1}, \dots, \chi_{i_k}) = \{(t, y) \mid t \in [a, b], \min_{r=1, \dots, k} \chi_{i_r}(t) \leq y \leq \max_{r=1, \dots, k} \chi_{i_r}(t)\}$$

be the band determined by k functions.



The Band Depth

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ADDING ROBUSTNESS

1. Our method depends on the group reference curve.
2. The mean function of a set of functions is not robust.
3. Robustness can be added to the process through the reference curve.



We shall consider the α -**trimmed mean**, where only the deepest elements are averaged:

$$\mathcal{R}^{(k)}(t) = \bar{\chi}^{\alpha}(t) = \frac{1}{n - [n\alpha]} \sum_{e=1}^{n - [n\alpha]} \chi_{(e)}(t)$$

with $[\cdot]$ being the integer part function.

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- ③ A new series (x_t) **is classified** in

$$\begin{cases} k = 1 & \text{if } d(\chi(\lambda), \mathcal{R}(\lambda)^{(1)}) < d(\chi(\lambda), \mathcal{R}(\lambda)^{(2)}) \\ k = 2 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

THE SLEXbC METHOD

Using the SLEX (smooth localized complex **exponential**) model of a nonstationary random process, Huang et al. (2004) propose a classification method (SLEXbC).

We compare our algorithms with this method.

How SLEXbC works

- 1 It finds a basis from the SLEX library that can best detect the differences.
- 2 It assigns to the class minimizing the Kullback-Leibler divergence between the SLEX spectra.

SIMULATIONS

Let $(x_t)_e^{(k)}$ be the e -th series of the k -th population; let $\epsilon_t \sim N(0, 1)$ be Gaussian noise.

Simulation 1. Series are stationary

$$X_t^{(1)} = \phi X_{t-1}^{(1)} + \epsilon_t^{(1)} \quad t = 1, \dots, T$$

$$X_t^{(2)} = \epsilon_t^{(2)} \quad t = 1, \dots, T$$

Training data sets sizes: $n = 8$ series of length $T = 1024$.

Testing data sets sizes: $n = 10$ series of length $T = 1024$.

Six comparisons: Values $\phi = -0.5, -0.3, -0.1, +0.1, +0.3$ and $+0.5$.

Runs: 1000.

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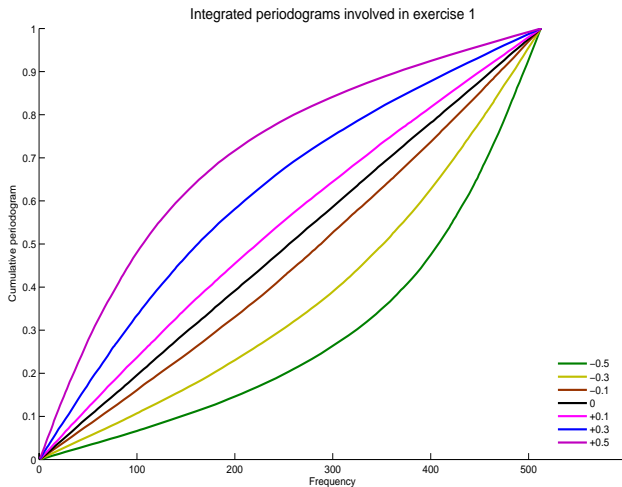
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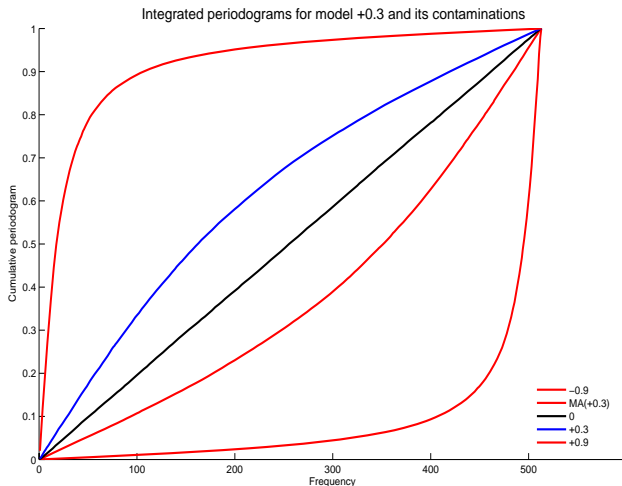
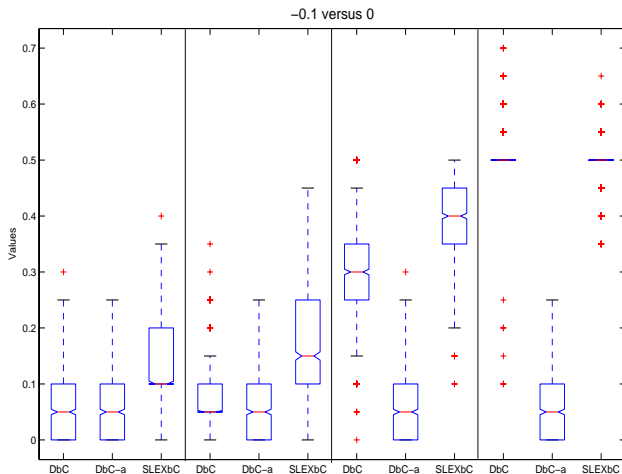


Table: Simulation 1 with and without contamination

	$\phi = -0.3$	$\phi = -0.1$	$\phi = +0.1$	$\phi = +0.3$
DbC	0.000	0.063	0.060	0.000
DbC-α	0.000	0.065	0.062	0.000
SLEXbC	0.000	0.131	0.127	0.000
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Simulation 2. Series are made of stationary blocks

$$\begin{aligned} X_t^{(1)} &= \epsilon_t^{(1)} && \text{if } t = 1, \dots, T/2 \\ X_t^{(1)} &= -0.1X_{t-1}^{(1)} + \epsilon_t^{(1)} && \text{if } t = T/2 + 1, \dots, T \end{aligned}$$

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Training data sets sizes: $n = 8$ and 16 ; $T = 512, 1024$ and 2048 .

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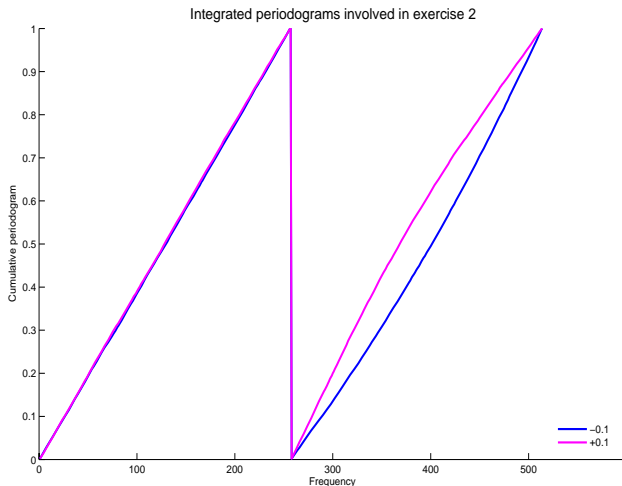
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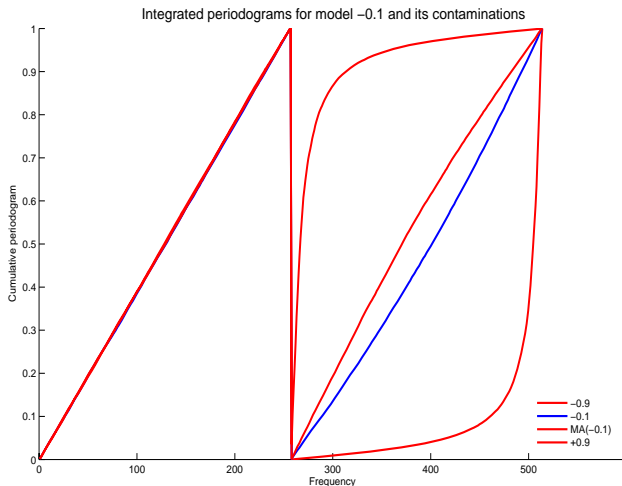
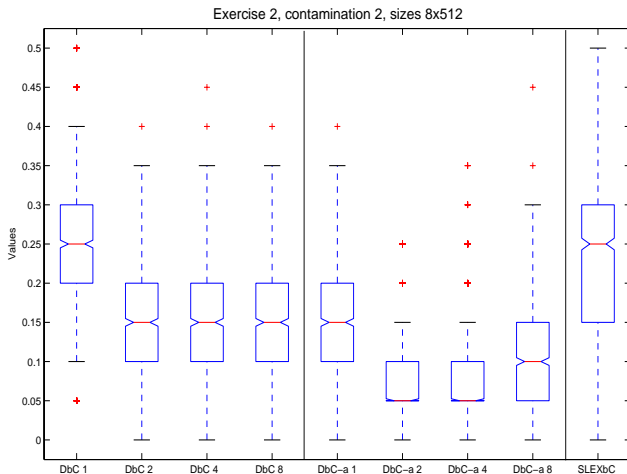


Table: Simulation 2 without contamination

	8×512	16×512	8×1024	16×1024	8×2048	16×2048
DbC 1	0.141	0.131	0.062	0.060	0.014	0.014
2	0.066	0.061	0.015	0.014	0.001	0.001
4	0.078	0.069	0.015	0.014	0.001	0.001
8	0.090	0.080	0.020	0.018	0.002	0.001
DbC-α 1	0.143	0.132	0.063	0.061	0.015	0.014
2	0.069	0.064	0.016	0.015	0.001	0.001
4	0.083	0.073	0.017	0.016	0.002	0.001
8	0.105	0.088	0.024	0.019	0.002	0.002
SLEXbC	0.114	0.086	0.038	0.025	0.007	0.003

Table: Simulation exercise 2, sizes 8x512

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DbC 1	0.141	0.143	0.258	0.457
2	0.066	0.070	0.135	0.147
4	0.078	0.083	0.137	0.187
8	0.090	0.102	0.143	0.225
DbC-α 1	0.143	0.145	0.145	0.145
2	0.069	0.072	0.070	0.073
4	0.083	0.086	0.081	0.083
8	0.105	0.114	0.104	0.108
SLEXbC	0.114	0.128	0.239	0.376



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Simulation 3. Series are not stationary

If $a_{t;\tau} = 0.8 \cdot [1 - \tau \cos(\pi t/1024)]$, then

$$X_t^{(1)} = a_{t;0.5} X_{t-1}^{(1)} - 0.81 X_{t-2}^{(1)} + \epsilon_t^{(1)} \quad t = 1, \dots, T$$

$$X_t^{(2)} = a_{t;\tau} X_{t-1}^{(2)} - 0.81 X_{t-2}^{(2)} + \epsilon_t^{(2)} \quad t = 1, \dots, T$$

Training and testing data sets sizes: $n = 10$; $T = 1024$.

Three comparisons: τ values 0.4, 0.3 and 0.2.

Runs: 1000.

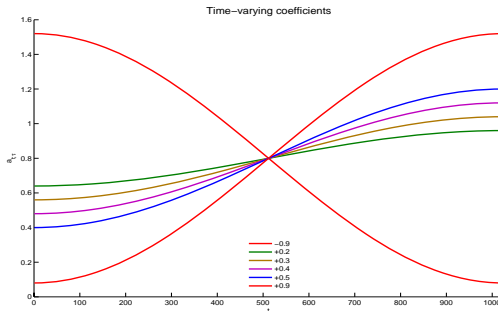
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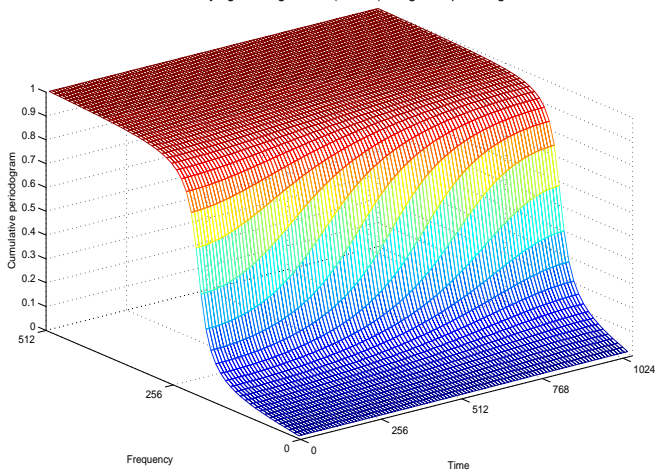
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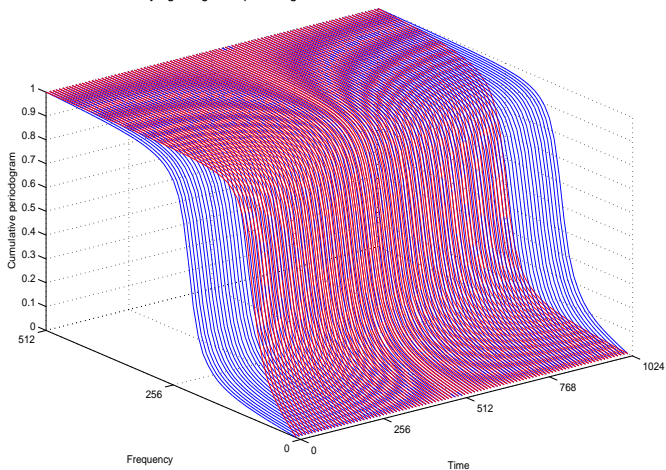
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Time-varying autoregressive ($\tau = 0.4$) integrated periodogram



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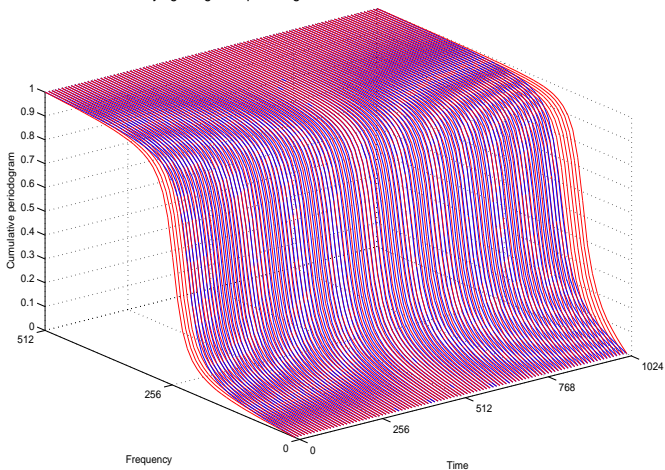


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	$\tau = 0.4$	$\tau = 0.3$	$\tau = 0.2$
DbC 1	0.218	0.063	0.019
2	0.119	0.006	0.000
4	0.101	0.002	0.000
8	0.123	0.003	0.000
DbC-α 1	0.226	0.065	0.021
2	0.128	0.006	0.000
4	0.112	0.002	0.000
8	0.139	0.004	0.000
SLEXbC	0.181	0.011	0.000

Table: Simulation 3, $\tau = +0.4$

	Without contam.	Contam. 1	Contam. 2	Contam. 3
DbC 1	0.218	0.232	0.254	0.257
2	0.119	0.143	0.500	0.153
4	0.101	0.144	0.500	0.128
8	0.123	0.177	0.499	0.132
DbC-α 1	0.226	0.241	0.231	0.234
2	0.128	0.131	0.128	0.125
4	0.112	0.121	0.113	0.114
8	0.139	0.150	0.141	0.138
SLEXbC	0.181	0.234	0.492	0.173

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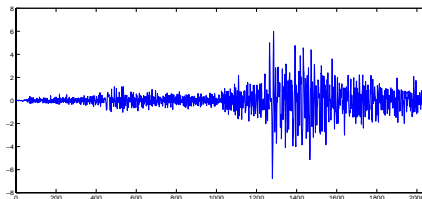
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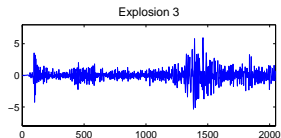
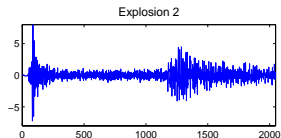
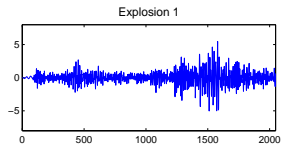
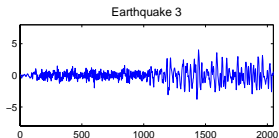
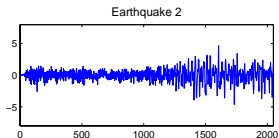
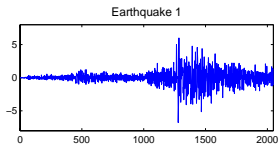
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We have evaluated our proposal in a benchmark data set containing 8 explosions, 8 earthquakes and 1 extra series—known as NZ event—not classified (but being an earthquake or an explosion). Each series has two parts: the first half is the part P, and the second half is S.

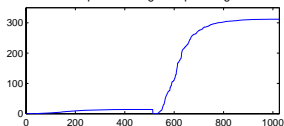


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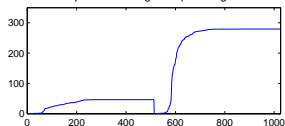


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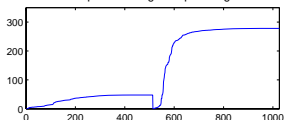
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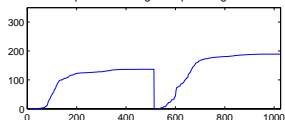
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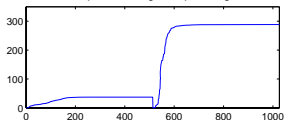
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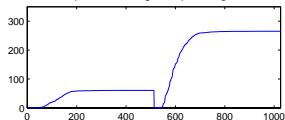
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