

Error Propagation Law

$$\vec{x}, \Sigma_{xx}$$

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$$\sum_{yy} = ?$$

$$\vec{y} = A \vec{x} \quad A: \text{matrix of constants}$$

$$E(y) = E(Ax) = A E(x)$$

$$\rightarrow \mu_y = A \mu_x$$

$$\sum_{yy} = E\{(y - \mu_y)(y - \mu_y)^T\} \quad \text{defn. cov. } \Sigma_{yy}$$

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 $Ax \quad A\mu_x$

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$$\sum_{yy} = E\{(Ax - A\mu_x)(Ax - A\mu_x)^T\}$$

$$(x^T A^T - \mu_x^T A^T)$$

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$$\sum_{yy} = E\left\{ A (x - \mu_x) \underbrace{(x^T - \mu_x^T)}_{(x - \mu_x)^T} A^T \right\}$$

$$\sum_{yy} = A E\{(x - \mu_x)(x - \mu_x)^T\} A^T$$

$$\boxed{\sum_{yy} = A \sum_{xx} A^T}$$

$$y = Ax, \Sigma_{xx}$$

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examples

$$y = q_1 x_1 + q_2 x_2$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} q_1 & q_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma_{\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{x_1}^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_{x_2}^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad 21-3$$

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$$\hat{\sigma}_y^2 = \begin{bmatrix} q_1 & q_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{x_1}^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_{x_2}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_y^2 = q_1 \hat{\sigma}_{x_1}^2 + q_2 \hat{\sigma}_{x_2}^2 \quad \swarrow$$

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$$y = \begin{bmatrix} q_1 & q_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma_{xx} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{x_1}^2 & \sigma_{x_1 x_2} \\ \sigma_{x_1 x_2} & \sigma_{x_2}^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad 21-4$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_y^2 = \begin{bmatrix} q_1 & q_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{x_1}^2 & \sigma_{x_1 x_2} \\ \sigma_{x_1 x_2} & \sigma_{x_2}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_y^2 = q_1 \hat{\sigma}_{x_1}^2 + \underline{2q_1 q_2 \sigma_{x_1 x_2}} + q_2 \hat{\sigma}_{x_2}^2$$

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$$\begin{array}{l} \checkmark y_1 = x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \checkmark y_2 = 2x_1 + x_2 \end{array} \quad \sum_{xx} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad z \leftarrow y \leftarrow x \quad \stackrel{\text{2-5}}{\curvearrowright} \quad \stackrel{\text{2-5}}{\curvearrowright}$$

$$z = \underline{y_1} + 2\underline{y_2} \quad \stackrel{\text{v}}{\curvearrowright} \quad z \leftarrow x$$

$$z = x_1 + 2x_2 + 2(2x_1 + x_2) \quad 1\text{-step}$$

$$z = 5x_1 + 4x_2$$

$$z = [5 \quad 4] \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \sigma_z^2 = [5 \quad 4] \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} [5 \quad 4] = 204$$

$$\sigma_z = \sqrt{204}$$

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$$\begin{array}{l} y_1 = x_1 + 2x_2 \\ y_2 = 2x_1 + x_2 \end{array} \quad \sum_{xx} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sum_{yy} = A \sum_{xx} A^T \quad 2-6$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \sum_{yy} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 24 & 21 \\ 21 & 24 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$z = y_1 + 2y_2 \quad \boxed{\text{Two-Step}} \quad \equiv$$

$$z = [1 \quad 2] \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \sum_{zz} = \sigma_z^2 = [1 \quad 2] \begin{pmatrix} 24 & 21 \\ 21 & 24 \end{pmatrix} [1 \quad 2] = 204$$

$$\sigma_z^2 = 204, \quad \sigma_z = \sqrt{204} \quad 1\text{ step} \nmid 2\text{ step} \text{ yield}$$

SAME RESULT

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El for I/O LS method $\sum_{\delta\delta} = ?$ 21-7

$$\Delta = \underline{(\beta^T W \beta)^{-1} \beta^T W f} \Rightarrow \Delta = \underline{\underline{l}}, \sum_{\ell\ell}$$

$$f = d - l = d - \underline{\underline{l}}$$

$$f = \underline{\underline{-l}} + d$$

$$Q_{ff} = (-I) Q_{\ell\ell} (-I)^T \quad \begin{matrix} y = Ax \\ y = Ax + b \end{matrix}$$

$$Q_{ff} = Q_{\ell\ell} \quad (Q = Q_{\ell\ell})$$

$$\sum = \sigma^2 Q$$

$$\Delta = \underline{\underline{l \cdot f}}$$

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$$\Delta = \underline{(\beta^T W \beta)^{-1} \beta^T W f} \quad Q_{ff} = Q \quad WQ \in \underline{\underline{I}} \quad 21-8$$

$$Q_{\delta\delta} = \underline{(\beta^T W \beta)^{-1} \beta^T W} \cdot \underline{Q} \cdot \underline{[(\beta^T W \beta)^{-1} \beta^T W]^T}$$

$\underbrace{W \beta (\beta^T W \beta)^{-1}}$

$$Q_{\delta\delta} = (\beta^T W \beta)^{-1} = N^{-1} \stackrel{I}{\sim}$$

$$N\delta = t, \Delta = N^{-1}t$$

$$\text{if } \sigma_\delta^2 = 1$$

$$Q_{\delta\delta} = N^{-1},$$

$$\sum_{\delta\delta} = \sigma^2 Q_{\delta\delta}$$

$$\text{then } \sum_{\delta\delta} = Q_{\delta\delta}$$

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$$y = Ax + b$$

$$\Sigma_{yy} = A \Sigma_{xx} A^T$$

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$$y = F(x)$$

$$y = F^0 + \frac{dF}{dx} dx$$

$$\underline{y = y^0 + J \delta x}$$

similar for linear
nonlinear models

$$\Sigma_{yy} = J \Sigma_{xx} J^T$$

$$\Sigma = \sigma^2 Q$$

$$\Sigma_w = \sigma^2 Q_w$$

$$\Sigma_{xx} = \sigma^2 Q_{xx}$$

$$\Sigma_{\hat{\ell}\hat{\ell}} = \sigma^2 Q_{\hat{\ell}\hat{\ell}}$$

$$\Sigma_{\delta\delta} = \sigma^2 Q_{\delta\delta}$$

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$$\sigma_0^2$$

$$\frac{\sigma_i^2}{\sigma_0^2} = w_i$$

prior
post

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$$\hat{\sigma}_0^2 = \frac{V^T W V}{r}$$

$$\frac{(n-1) s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{n-1}$$

$$\frac{r \cdot \hat{\sigma}_0^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_r$$

σ_0^2 : a priori ref. var.

$\hat{\sigma}_0^2$: a posteriori ref. var.

$$\frac{r \cdot \frac{V^T W V}{\sigma_0^2}}{\sigma^2} = \frac{\frac{V^T W V}{\sigma_0^2}}{\sigma^2} \sim \tilde{\chi}^2_r$$

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when you choose a value for σ_0^2 , think of it as choosing the observation (and variance) that will be assigned $w=1$. That choice is arbitrary. After adjustment, the correction to that observation might be much less or much greater than σ_0^2 . That indicates that our results are not consistent with assumptions. We will test this formally by comparing $\hat{\sigma}_0^2$ with σ_0^2 (post vs. prior): $r \cdot \frac{\hat{\sigma}_0^2}{\sigma_0^2} \sim \chi_r^2$

$\hat{\sigma}_0^2 = \frac{\sqrt{W_r}}{r}$

$$\boxed{\frac{\sqrt{W_r}}{\sigma_0^2} \sim \chi_r^2}$$
 test statistic and distribution

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