

Statistics 222, Spatial Statistics.

Outline for the day:

1. Variance of compound Poisson.
2. Gibbs process.
3. Strauss process.
4. Matern process.
5. Hawkes process.
6. ETAS.
7. Likelihood.

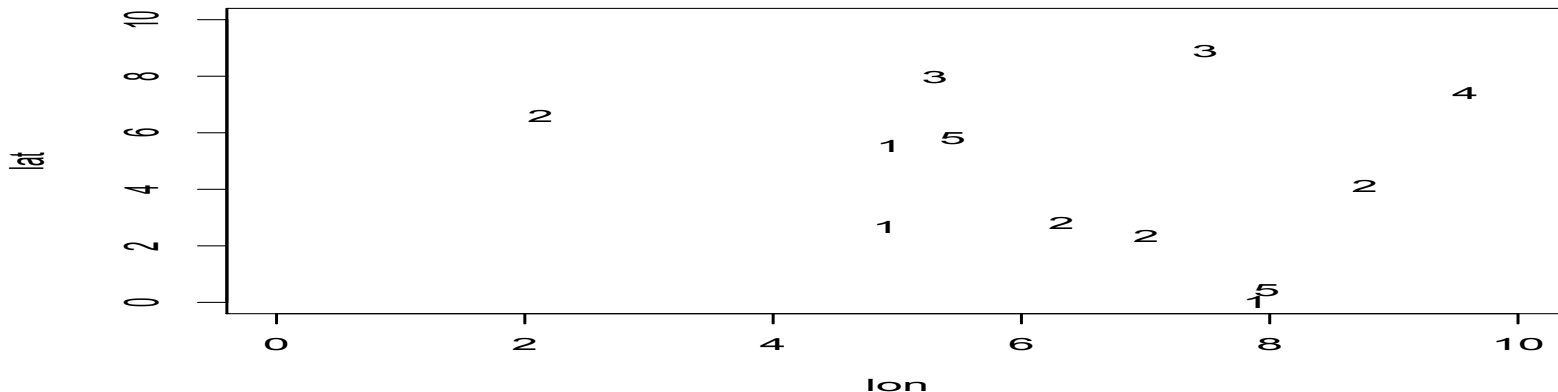
1. Variance of the compound Poisson processes, from last time.

Suppose N is not simple, and instead, it is generated as follows. You first generate a stationary Poisson process M with intensity c , and then for each point τ_i of M , N will have some non-negative number Z_i of points right at τ_i , where Z_i are all iid and independent of M . Then N is a compound Poisson process.

For a compound Poisson process, again the variance \geq the mean.

$E(N(B)) = c|B|E(Z)$, and

$V(N(B)) = c|B|V(Z) + c|B|(E(Z))^2 = c|B|E(Z^2) \geq E(N(B))$, because, for a non-negative integer-valued random variable Z , $E(Z^2) \geq E(Z)$ with equality iff. Z can only be 0 or 1.



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Fix B. Let M denote M(B). For a compound Poisson process,

$$\begin{aligned} E(N(B)) &= \sum E(N(B)|m) f(m), \text{ where the sum is from } m = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \\ &= \sum E(Z_1 + Z_2 + \dots + Z_m) f(m) \\ &= \sum (m E(Z)) f(m) \\ &= E(Z) \sum m f(m) \\ &= E(Z) E(M) = c|B| E(Z). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(N(B)^2) &= \sum E(N(B)^2|m) f(m) \\ &= \sum E(Z_1 + Z_2 + \dots + Z_m)^2 f(m) \\ &= \sum (mE(Z^2) + (m^2-m) E(Z)^2) f(m) \\ &= E(Z^2) \sum m f(m) - E(Z)^2 \sum m f(m) + E(Z)^2 \sum m^2 f(m) \\ &= E(Z^2) E(M) - E(Z)^2 E(M) + E(Z)^2 E(M^2) \\ &= V(Z)E(M) + E(Z)^2 E(M^2). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } V(N(B)) &= E(N(B)^2) - (E(N(B)))^2 \\ &= V(Z)E(M) + E(Z)^2 E(M^2) - E(M)^2 E(Z)^2 \\ &= V(Z) E(M) + E(Z)^2 (E(M^2) - E(M)^2) \\ &= V(Z) E(M) + E(Z)^2 V(M). \end{aligned}$$

M is Poisson, so $E(M) = V(M) = c|B|$, so

$$V(N(B)) = c|B| (V(Z) + E(Z)^2) = c|B| E(Z^2) \geq EN(B), \text{ since } E(Z^2) \geq E(Z).$$

2. Gibbs process.

For any finite collection $\{\tau_1, \tau_2, \dots, \tau_n\}$ of points in space-time, suppose the joint density is

$$C(\theta) \exp[-\theta \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \psi_1(\mathbf{x}_i) + \sum_{i \neq j} \psi_2(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j) \right)].$$

Then N is a Gibbs process.

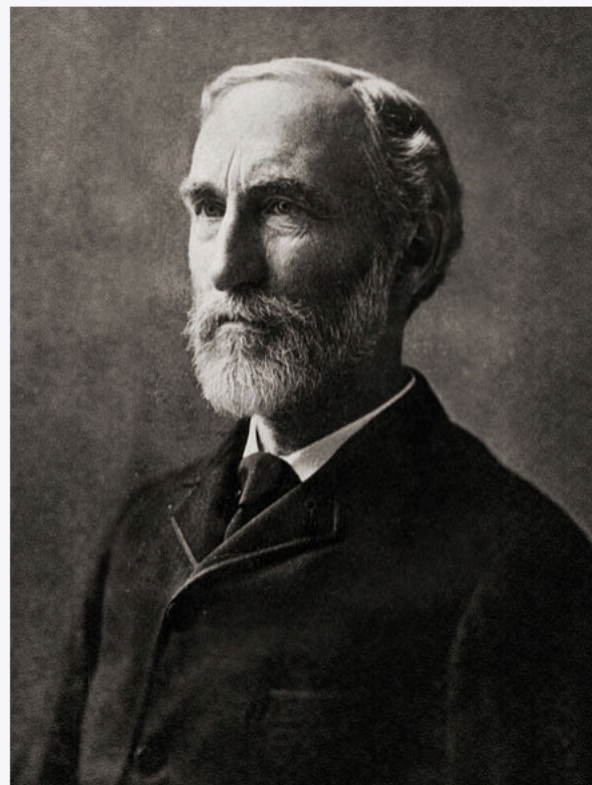
Often $\psi_2(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j)$ can be written $\psi(r)$, where $r = |\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}|$.

Some special cases are important.

a. When $\psi(r) = 0$, there are no interactions, and the process is an inhomogeneous Poisson process with intensity $\psi_1(\mathbf{x})$.

b. $\psi(r) = -\log[1 - e^{-(r/\sigma)^2}]$ defines a *soft-core* model. Weak repulsion.

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2. Gibbs process, continued.

$\psi_2(r)$ is called the *interaction potential*.

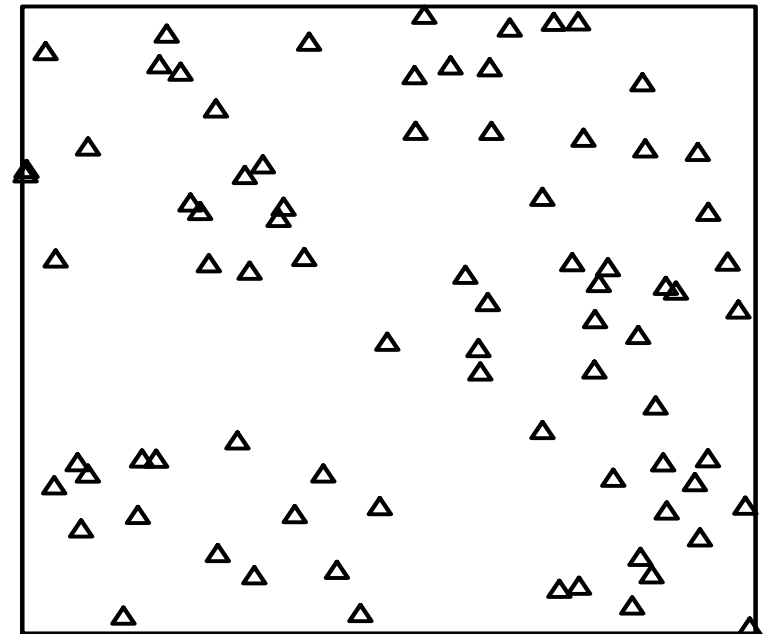
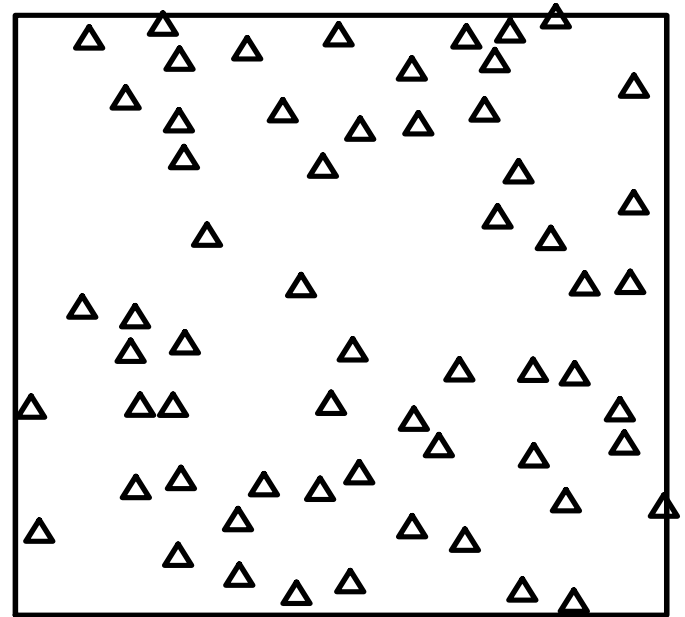
$$\begin{aligned} \text{c. } \psi(r) &= \infty \text{ for } r \leq \sigma \\ &= 0 \text{ for } r > \sigma \end{aligned}$$

defines a *hard-core* process.

d. $\psi(r) = (\sigma/r)^n$ is an intermediate choice between the soft-core and hard-core models.

3. Strauss process.

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_1(x) &= \alpha, \text{ and} \\ \psi_2(r) &= \beta, \text{ for } r \leq R, \\ \psi_2(r) &= 0, \text{ for } r > R. \end{aligned}$$



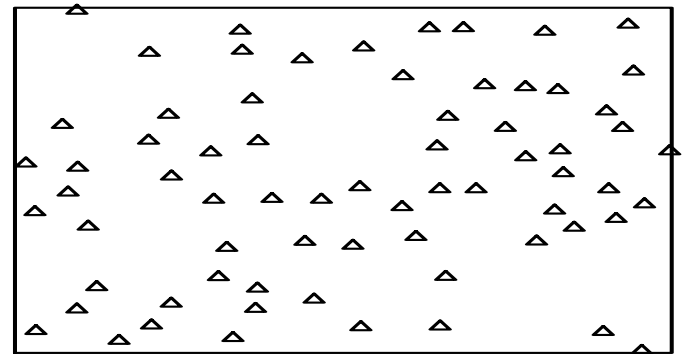
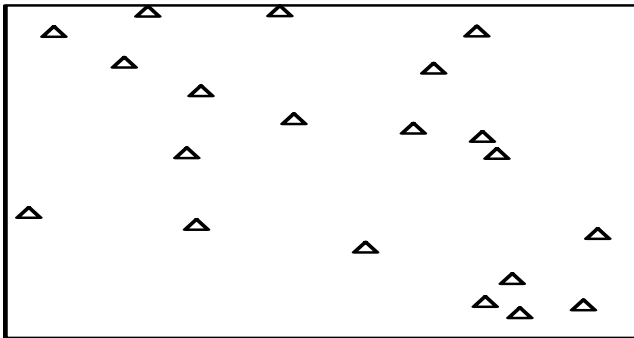
4. Matern process.

The Matern(I) process is generated as follows.

- Generate M according to a stationary Poisson process.
- Let N be all points of M that are not within some fixed distance r of any other point of M .

The Matern(II) process is generated a bit differently.

- Generate points τ_1, τ_2, \dots according to a stationary Poisson process.
- For $i = 1, 2, \dots$, keep point i if there is no *previous* kept point τ_j with $|\tau_i - \tau_j| \leq r$.



5. Hawkes process.

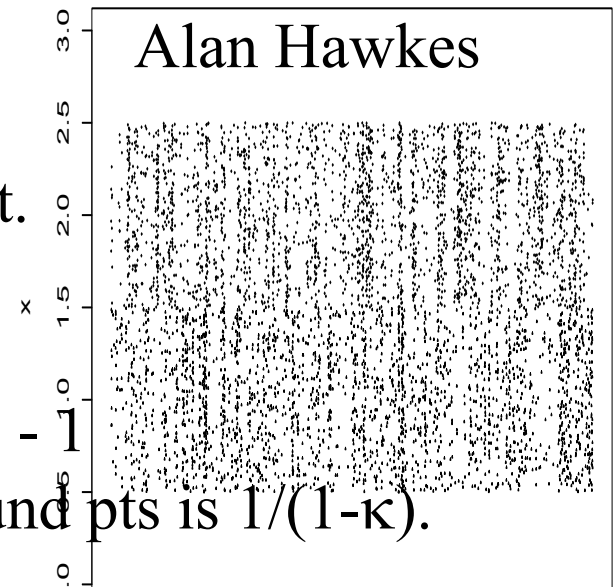
A Hawkes process or *self-exciting* process has conditional intensity

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda(t, \mathbf{x}, y) &= \mu(\mathbf{x}, y) + \kappa \int_{t' < t} g(t-t', \mathbf{x}-\mathbf{x}', y-y') dN(t', \mathbf{x}', y') \\ &= \mu(\mathbf{x}, y) + \kappa \sum_{\{t', \mathbf{x}', y': t' < t\}} g(t-t', \mathbf{x}-\mathbf{x}', y-y').\end{aligned}$$

g is called the *triggering function* or *triggering density* and κ is the *productivity*.

If g is a density function, then κ is the expected number of points triggered directly by each point.

Each background point, associated with $\mu(\mathbf{x}, y)$, is expected to generate $\kappa + \kappa^2 + \kappa^3 + \dots = 1/(1-\kappa) - 1$ triggered points, so the exp. fraction of background pts is $1/(1-\kappa)$.



6. ETAS process.

An *Epidemic-Type Aftershock Sequence (ETAS)* process is a marked version of the Hawkes process, where points have different triggering functions depending on their magnitudes. Ogata (1988, 1998) introduced

$$\lambda(t,x,y) = \mu(x,y) + \sum_{\{t',x',y': t' < t\}} g(t-t',x-x',y-y')h(m'),$$

where $\mu(x,y)$ is estimated by smoothing observed large earthquakes,

$$h(m) = \kappa e^{\alpha(m-m_0)},$$

where m_0 is the catalog cutoff magnitude,

and $g(t,x,y) = g_1(t) g_2(r^2)$, where $r^2 = \|(x,y)\|^2$,

and g_1 and g_2 are power-law or *Pareto* densities,

$$g_1(t) = (p-1) c^{p-1} (t+c)^{-p}. \quad g_2(r^2) = (q-1) d^{q-1} (r^2+d)^{-q}.$$

An alternative is where g_2 is exponential or sum of exponentials.



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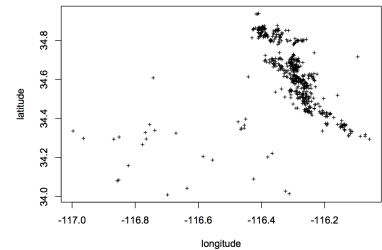


Figure 3: Recorded epicenters of Hector Mine $M \geq 3.0$ earthquakes from 10/16/1999 to 12/23/2000, from SCSN.

7. Likelihood.

For iid draws t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n , from some density $f(\theta)$, the likelihood is simply

$$L(\theta) = f(t_1; \theta) \times f(t_2; \theta) \times \dots \times f(t_n; \theta) \\ = \prod f(t_i; \theta).$$

This is the probability density of observing $\{t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n\}$, as a function of the parameter θ .



For a stationary Poisson process with intensity $\lambda(\theta)$, on $[0, T]$, the likelihood of observing the points $\{\tau_1, \tau_2, \dots, \tau_n\}$ is simply

$$\lambda(\tau_1) \times \lambda(\tau_2) \times \dots \times \lambda(\tau_n) \times \\ \exp\{-A(\tau_1)\} \times \exp\{-(A(\tau_2)-A(\tau_1))\} \times \dots \times \exp\{-(A(T)-A(\tau_n))\}, \\ = \prod \lambda(\tau_i) \exp\{-A(T)\},$$

where $A(t) = \int_0^t \lambda(t) dt$.

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7. Likelihood, continued.

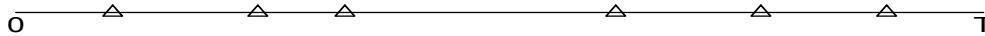
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So the log likelihood is $\sum \log(\lambda(\tau_i)) - A(T)$.

In the spatial-temporal case, the log likelihood is simply

$$\sum \log(\lambda(\tau_i)) - \int \lambda(t, x, y) dt dx dy.$$

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9. Code.

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install.packages("spatstat")  
library(spatstat)
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## STRAUSS process  
z = rStrauss(100,0.7,0.05)  
plot(z, pch=2,cex=.5)
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## HARDCORE process  
z = rHardcore(100,0.05)  
plot(z, pch=2,cex=.5)
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## MATERN(I).  
z = rMaternI(20,.05)  
plot(z, pch=2,cex=.5)
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## MATERN(II)
z = rMaternII(100,.05)
plot(z,pch=2,cex=.5)

## HAWKES.
install.packages("hawkes")
library(hawkes)

lambda0 = c(0.2,0.2)

alpha = matrix(c(0.5,0,0,0.5),byrow=TRUE,nrow=2)

beta = c(0.7,0.7)

horizon = 3600

h = simulateHawkes(lambda0,alpha,beta,horizon)
plot(c(0,3600),c(0,3),type="n",xlab="t",ylab="x")
points(h[[1]],.5+runif(length(h[[1]])),pch=2,cex=.1)
points(h[[2]],1.5+runif(length(h[[2]])),pch=3,cex=.1)
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