

Algebraic Analytic Urns

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Outline

1. Analytic combinatorics on Pólya urns
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1. Analytic combinatorics on Pólya urns

Balanced Pólya urns

$$\begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix} \quad \alpha, \delta \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad \beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{N}$$

Balanced urn : $\alpha + \beta = \gamma + \delta$ (deterministic total number of balls)

A given initial configuration (a_0, b_0) : a_0 balls \bullet (counted by x)

b_0 balls \circ (counted by y)

Definition

History of length n : a sequence of n evolutions (n rules, n drawings)

$$H(x, y, z) = \sum_{n,a,b} H_{n,a,b} x^a y^b \frac{z^n}{n!}$$

$H_{n,a,b}$: number of histories of length n , beginning in the configuration (a_0, b_0) , and ending in (a, b) .

Analytic properties

EDP [FIGaPe05]

$$\partial_z H = x^{a+1} y^b \partial_x H + x^c y^{d+1} \partial_y H.$$

Isomorphism theorem [FIDuPu06]

Urn $\begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & \delta \end{pmatrix}$ and $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} (a_0, b_0) \\ \alpha + \beta = \gamma + \delta \end{array} \right. \implies$ with $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} H = X^{a_0} Y^{b_0} \\ \dot{X} = X^{\alpha+1} Y^\beta \\ \dot{Y} = X^\gamma Y^{\delta+1} \end{array} \right.$

First integral for balanced urns [FIDuPu06]

Let $p := \gamma - \alpha = \beta - \delta$,

$$X^p - Y^p = x^p - y^p$$

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2. Automatic search and proof

Automatic guess-and-prove

1. Power series expansion (150 terms)
2. Guess an algebraic equation
3. Rigorous computer-aided proof

MAPLE Code

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%%% INITIALIZATION %%%
restart; libname := "/Users/basilemorcrette/", libname: with(gfun): gfun:-version();
pas := 150;
balancemax := 10;
CondInit := x;
       %%% CONSTRUCTION DE LA SERIE TRONQUEE %%%
Dop := proc(f,a,b,c,d)
expand( x^(1+a) * y^(b) * diff(f,x) + x^(c) * y^(1+d) * diff(f,y) ); end:

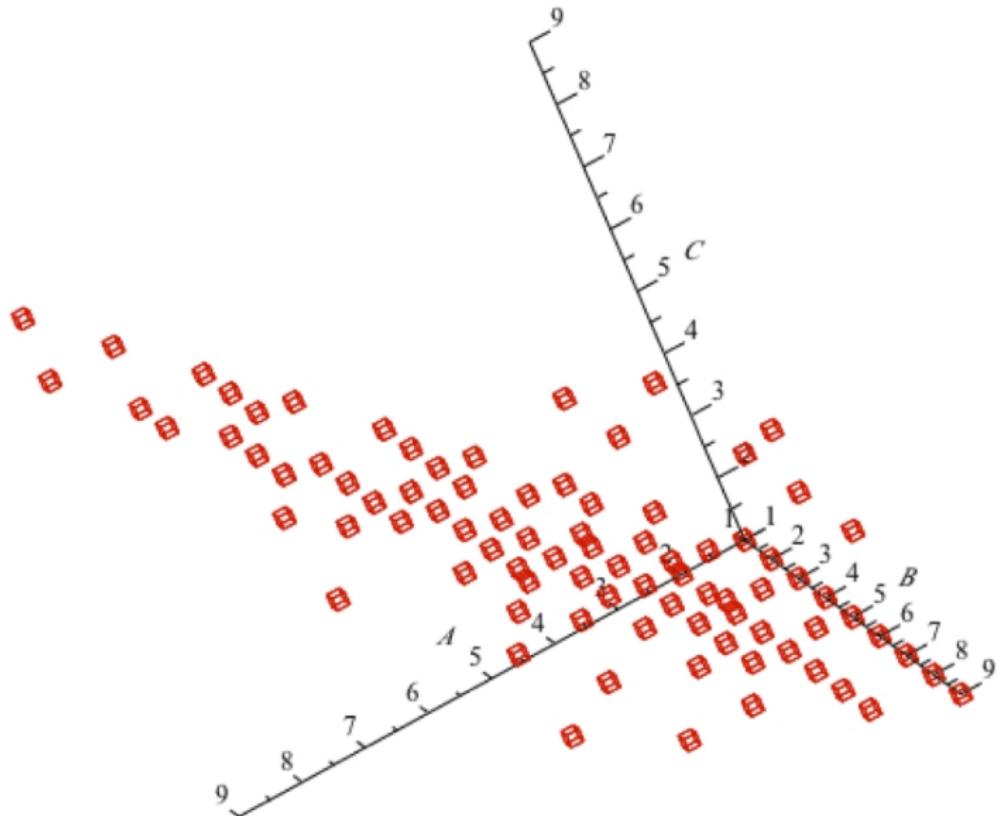
SerieCons := proc(n,init,a,b,c,d) local res, iter, i; option remember;
res := init; iter := init;
for i from 1 to n do
    iter := 1/i * Dop(iter,a,b,c,d);
    res := res+iter*z^i;
end: end proc;

       %%% AUTOMATIC GUESS-AND-PROVE %%%
for s from 1 to balancemax do
for a from 0 to s-1 do
for d from 1 to s-1 do
    b := s - a; c := s - d;
    if gcd(gcd(gcd(a,b),c),d)=1 then

       %%% POWER SERIE EXPANSION %%%
maserieenz := series(subs(y=1, SerieCons(pas, CondInit, a, b, c, d)), z, pas);

       %%% GUESSING %%%
tt := seriestoalgeq(maserieenz, h(z), [ogf]):
if tt = 'FAIL' then
    print(Matrix([[a,b], [c,d]]), tt);
else
       %%% FORMAL PROOF %%%
P := subs(h(z)=T, tt[1]):
psi := RootOf(P,T):
preuve := simplify(normal( (1-(a+b)*z*x^c) * diff(psi,z) + (x^(c+1) - x^(a+1)) * diff(psi,x) - x^c*psi));
print(Matrix([[a,b],[c,d]]), P, preuve);
end if:
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Results



$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix} \text{ with } D = A + B - C.$$

3. Classification

Our classification theorem [M. et al. 2012]

Theorem: For an urn $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$, with $a, b, c, d > 0$, and $p := c-a = b-d$, if

- (i) $p = 0$
- (ii) $p < 0$ and $a \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$
- (iii) $p \geq 2$, $a \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$ and $b \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$

then $H(x, y, z)$ is algebraic.

Recall: $H = X^{a_0} Y^{b_0}$ and $X^p - Y^p = x^p - y^p$.

Degree of minimal polynomial for Y

- (i) $\sigma = a + b$
- (ii) $\sigma = a + b$
- (iii) $p(\sigma - p)$

Preliminary cases [FIDuPu06]

- ▶ $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} d & c \\ b & a \end{pmatrix}$ (Black \leftrightarrow White)
- ▶ $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sigma \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$, with $\sigma, c > 0$ are not algebraic
- ▶ Any triangular urn $\begin{pmatrix} a & \sigma - a \\ 0 & \sigma \end{pmatrix}$, with $\sigma \geq a > 0$ or $\sigma > a \geq 0$ is algebraic.

Case (i) : $p = 0$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ a & b \end{pmatrix}, \text{ with } a, b > 0 .$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(x, y, z) &= X(x, y, z)^{a_0} & Y(x, y, z)^{b_0} \\ &= \left(\frac{x}{(1 - \sigma x^a y^b z)^{1/\sigma}} \right)^{a_0} \left(\frac{y}{(1 - \sigma x^a y^b z)^{1/\sigma}} \right)^{b_0} \end{aligned}$$

Y cancels the polynomial $(1 - \sigma x^a y^b z)^{\sigma} - y^\sigma$

degree = σ

Case (ii) : $p < 0$ and $a \equiv 0$ [p]

$$\begin{pmatrix} (k+1)r & b \\ kr & b+r \end{pmatrix}, \text{ with } r, k, b > 0 .$$

$$[z - K(x, y)] Y^{r(k+1)+b} + \sum_{i=0}^k \binom{k}{i} \frac{(x^{-r} - y^{-r})^i}{r(k+1-i) + b} Y^{ir} = 0$$

$$\text{degree} = \sigma$$

Remark. For $k = 1$, $r = a$ we retrieve [M. 2012, LATIN]

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2a & b \\ a & a+b \end{pmatrix}$$

Case (iii) : $p \geq 2$, $a \equiv 1 [p]$ and $b \equiv -1 [p]$

$$\begin{pmatrix} kr+1-r & r\ell-1+r \\ kr+1 & r\ell-1 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ with } k, \ell > 0 \text{ and } r > 1 .$$

$$\frac{P(Y^r)}{(Y^{\textcolor{red}{r}} + C)^{\textcolor{red}{k+1/r-1}} Y^{\textcolor{red}{r\ell-1}} C^{\ell+k}} = \textcolor{blue}{z} - K(x, y)$$

where P is a polynomial of degree $k + \ell - 1$.

and $C = x^r - y^r$.

Let $Q(Y) := P(Y^r)$. Then,

$$Y(Y^r + C)Q'(Y) + [(r-1-k)r]Y^r + (1-r\ell)(Y^r + C) Q(Y) = C^{k+\ell}$$

$$\text{degree} = \textcolor{red}{r(rk+1-r) + r(r\ell-1)} = r^2(k + \ell - 1)$$

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