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Non-additive measures and integrals

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Topic. Non-additive measures

- A generalization of additive measures (probabilities)
- Non-additive measures also known as
 - fuzzy measures (Sugeno, 1974),
 - capacities (Choquet, 1954),
 - monotone games (Aumann and Shapley, 1974),
 - premeasures (Šipoš, 1979)

Why are these measures studied?

- Mathematical interest
 - Properties
 - * Equalities and inequalities (e.g. Cauchy-Schwarz type inequalities)
 - * Measures and distances (e.g. entropy/Hellinger)
 - Constructions
 - * Integrals with respect to these measures (e.g. Choquet integral)

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- Applications
 - Some problems that cannot be solved with additive measures can be solved with non-additive measures
 - \star Decision making
 - \star Subjective evaluation
 - * Data fusion (e.g. computer vision)
- \rightarrow a common theme:
 - to take into account interactions
- \rightarrow a common advantage:

more expressive power than with the additive models

1. Introduction

- 2. Some definitions
- 3. Distances (new definitions)
- 4. Properties
- 5. Applications
- 6. Summary

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Finite case: $\mu(A \cup B) = \mu(A) + \mu(B)$ for disjoint A, B

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- Probability, if $\mu(X) = 1$.

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- (X, \mathcal{A}) a measurable space, a non-additive (fuzzy) measure μ on (X, \mathcal{A}) is a set function $\mu : \mathcal{A} \to [0, 1]$ satisfying the following axioms:
- (i) $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$, $\mu(X) = 1$ (boundary conditions) (ii) $A \subseteq B$ implies $\mu(A) \le \mu(B)$ (monotonicity)

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- If $m(x) = x^p$, then $\mu_m(A) = (\lambda(A))^p$



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$$\mu_{m,P}(A) = m(P(A)) \tag{2}$$

Unconstrained fuzzy measures



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• When the measure is additive, this is the Lebesgue integral



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$$(C)\int fd\mu = \sum_{i=1}^{N} [f(x_{s(i)}) - f(x_{s(i-1)})]\mu(A_{s(i)}),$$

where $f(x_{s(i)})$ indicates that the indices have been permuted so that $0 \leq f(x_{s(1)}) \leq \cdots \leq f(x_{s(N)}) \leq 1$, and where $f(x_{s(0)}) = 0$ and $A_{s(i)} = \{x_{s(i)}, \dots, x_{s(N)}\}.$

Choquet integral: Example:

• $m: \mathbb{R}^+ \to \mathbb{R}^+$ a continuous and increasing function s.t. m(0) = 0, m(1) = 1; P a probability distribution. μ_m , a non-additive (fuzzy) measure:

$$\mu_m(A) = m(P(A)) \tag{4}$$

• $CI_{\mu_m}(f)$ (a) \rightarrow max, (b) \rightarrow median, (c) \rightarrow min, (d) \rightarrow mean (expectation)



Properties: (X be a reference set)

- Comonotonicity. f and g are comonotonic if, for all $x_i, x_j \in X$, $f(x_i) < f(x_j)$ imply that $g(x_i) \le g(x_j)$
- ${\mathcal I}$ is comonotonic monotone if and only if, for comonotonic f and g,

 $f \leq g \text{ imply that } \mathcal{I}(f) \leq \mathcal{I}(g)$

• $\mathcal I$ is comonotonic additive if and only if, for comonotonic f and g, $\mathcal I(f+g) = \mathcal I(f) + \mathcal I(g)$

Choquet integral. Characterization

- Theorem (Schmeidler, 1986; Narukawa and Murofushi, 2003). Let $\mathcal{I}: [0,1]^n \to \mathbb{R}_+$ be a functional with the following properties
 - $\circ~\mathcal{I}$ is comonotonic monotone
 - $\circ~\mathcal{I}$ is comonotonic additive
 - $\circ \ \mathcal{I}(1,\ldots,1) = 1$

Then, there exists a non-additive measure μ such that $\mathcal{I}(f)$ is the Choquet integral of f with respect to μ .

It is also true that a Choquet integral satisfies the conditions above.

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Choquet integral. Properties

• Proposition 1. If μ is submodular, then

$$(C)\int (f+g)d\mu \leq (C)\int fd\mu + (C)\int gd\mu.$$

• Proposition 2. If μ is supermodular, then

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where

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 \bullet Cauchy-Schwarz inequality: If μ is a submodular non-additive measure; then

$$((C)\int fgd\mu)^2 \le (C)\int f^2d\mu(C)\int g^2d\mu$$

• Another inequality: If μ is a submodular non-additive measure; then

$$((C)\int (f+g)^2d\mu)^{\frac{1}{2}} \le ((C)\int f^2d)^{\frac{1}{2}} + ((C)\int g^2d\mu)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

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• f may not be unique, but if f_0 and f_1 are both Radon-Nikodym derivatives of ν , then $f_0 = f_1$ almost everywhere μ

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• μ , ν two non-additive measures. If μ is a Choquet integral of ν , and g is a function such that Equation 5 is satisfied, then

$$d\nu/d\mu = g,$$

 $\rightarrow g$ is a derivative of ν with respect to $\mu.$

 \rightarrow Graf and Sugeno studied conditions of when this derivative exists.

Derivative (Choquet integral): (Proposition 4 in (Sugeno, 2013))

• Let f(t) be a continuous and increasing function with f(0) = 0, let μ_m be a distorted Lebesgue measure, then there exists an increasing (non-decreasing) function g so that $f(t) = (C) \int_{[0,t]} g(\tau) d\mu_m$ and the following holds:

$$G(s) = F(s)/sM(s)$$
(6)

$$g(t) = L^{-1}[F(s)/sM(s)].$$
 (7)

Here, F(s) is the Laplace transformation of f, M the Laplace transformation of m, and G the Laplace transformation of g.

Computation:

- It is possible to compute the Radon-Nikodym derivative (for some examples)
- Computations use the Laplace transformation

Computation (Example): Applying Proposition 4 (Sugeno, 2013), we have $du^{p} = N^{p}(e) = \Gamma(n+1)$

$$L[\frac{d\nu^{p}}{d\mu_{m}}] = \frac{N^{p}(s)}{sM(s)} = \frac{\Gamma(p+1)}{2s^{p-1}}.$$

Then using the inverse Laplace transform on this expression we obtain:

$$\frac{d\nu^{p}}{d\mu_{m}} = L^{-1}\left[\frac{\Gamma(p+1)}{2s^{p-1}}\right] = \frac{\Gamma(p+1)}{2\Gamma(p-1)}t^{p-2}$$
$$= \frac{p(p-1)}{2}t^{p-2}.$$

f-divergence for non-additive measures

Given: P, Q two probabilities a.c. w.r.t. a prob. ν .

 $\bullet~f\mbox{-divergence}$ between P and Q w.r.t. ν

$$D_{f,\nu}(P,Q) = \int \frac{dQ}{d\nu} f\left(\frac{dP/d\nu}{dQ/d\nu}\right) d\nu$$

f-Divergence and distances

Examples of *f*-divergence between *P* and *Q* w.r.t. ν

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Some particular distances

• Hellinger distance when $f(x) = (1 - \sqrt{x})^2$,

$$H(P,Q) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \int \left(\sqrt{\frac{dP}{d\nu}} - \sqrt{\frac{dQ}{d\nu}}\right)^2 d\nu}$$

Here $dP/d\nu$ and $dQ/d\nu$ are the Radon-Nikodym derivatives • Variation distance when f(x) = |x - 1|,

$$\delta(P,Q) = \frac{1}{2} \int \left| \frac{dP}{d\nu} - \frac{dP}{d\nu} \right| d\nu$$

• Kullback-Leibler, Rényi distance, χ^2 -distance

f-Divergence: non-additive measures

Definition:

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$$D_{f,\nu}(\mu_1,\mu_2) = (C) \int \frac{d\mu_2}{d\nu} f\left(\frac{d\mu_1/d\nu}{d\mu_2/d\nu}\right) d\nu$$

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Hellinger Distance

Hellinger distance: properties

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• Computation (with more Choquet integral – and Laplace transforms):

$$H_{\mu m}(\nu^{2},\nu^{p}) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(C) \int_{0}^{1} \left(\sqrt{\frac{d\nu^{2}}{\mu_{m}}} - \sqrt{\frac{d\nu^{p}}{\mu_{m}}}\right)^{2} d\mu_{m}}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(C) \int_{0}^{1} \left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{p(p-1)}{2}} t^{(p-2)/2}\right)^{2} d\mu_{m}} \qquad (9)$$
$$= \sqrt{1 - \frac{4\sqrt{2p(p-1)}}{(p+2)p}} \qquad (10)$$

Example 2:

- $\mu_{m'}$ be the distorted Lebesgue measure with m'(t) = t.
- ν^p be the distorted Lebesgue measure with $n(t) = t^p$ (i.e., $\nu^p(A) = (\lambda(A))^p$ for $p \ge 2$, and $\nu^p([0,t]) = t^p$)
- Compute the Hellinger distance between ν^2 and ν^p w.r.t. $\mu_{m'}$. Only difference from Example 1 is $\mu_{m'}$

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$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}(C) \int_{0}^{1} \left(\sqrt{2t} - \sqrt{pt^{p-1}}\right)^{2} d\mu_{m}} \quad (11)$$
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Properties related to the previous example:

When
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,
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Both $H_{\mu_m}(\nu^2, \nu^p)$ and $H_{\mu_{m'}}(\nu^2, \nu^p)$ are increasing w.r.t. p>2, and the following holds

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- This case, difficult (work in progress)
 - E.g., if $m(x) = x^2$, then $m^c(x) = 2x x^2$.

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Sugeno integral (Sugeno, 1974):

• μ a non-additive measure, g a measurable function. The Sugeno integral of g w.r.t. μ , where $\mu_g(r) := \mu(\{x | g(x) > r\})$:

$$(S) \int g d\mu := \sup_{r \in [0,1]} [r \wedge \mu_g(r)].$$
 (14)



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Sugeno integral. Discrete version

• μ a non-additive measure, f a measurable function. The Sugeno integral of f w.r.t. $\mu,$

$$(S) \int f d\mu = \max_{i=1,N} \min(f(x_{s(i)}), \mu(A_{s(i)})),$$

where $f(x_{s(i)})$ indicates that the indices have been permuted so that $0 \le f(x_{s(1)}) \le ... \le f(x_{s(N)}) \le 1$ and $A_{s(i)} = \{x_{s(i)}, ..., x_{s(N)}\}.$

Properties: (X a reference set, a a value in [0, 1])

- f, g functions $f, g: X \to [0, 1]$. Then,
 - $\circ \ \mathcal{I}$ is minimum homogeneous if and only if, for comonotonic f and g,

$$\mathcal{I}(a \wedge f) = a \wedge \mathcal{I}(f)$$

 $\circ~\mathcal{I}$ is comonotonic maxitive if and only if, for comonotonic f and g, $\mathcal{I}(f\vee g)=\mathcal{I}(f)\vee\mathcal{I}(g)$

Characterization of the Sugeno integral

- Theorem (Ralescu and Sugeno, 1996; Marichal, 2000; Benvenuti and Mesiar, 2000). Let $\mathcal{I}: [0,1]^n \to \mathbb{R}_+$ be a functional with the following properties
 - $\circ~\mathcal{I}$ is comonotonic monotone
 - $\circ~\mathcal{I}$ is comonotonic maxitive
 - $\circ~\mathcal{I}$ is minimum homogeneous
 - $\circ \ \mathcal{I}(1,\ldots,1) = 1$

Then, there exists a fuzzy measure μ such that $\mathcal{I}(f)$ is the Sugeno integral of f with respect to μ .

Applications

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$K_i \in \{0, 1\}$	(17)
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Decision:

- Different alternatives
- Users have preferences (an order on the alternatives \prec)
- GOAL: We want to model these preferences (to model \prec)

Decision under certainty

Decision under certainty. Multicriteria decision making

- Alternatives expressed in terms of utility functions
- Select best alternative by:

Step 1. Aggregate utilities: Choquet integral for non-independenceStep 2. Rank according to aggregated utilities



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$$E(u(f)) = \sum_{s \in S} u(f(s))P(\{s\}) = \sum_{x \in X} u(x)P(f^{-1}(x)).$$

- Computation of the expected utility for a particular act (alternative)
 - $S = \{Red, Black, Yellow\}$ • $f_{RY} = (0 \text{ for a Black, } 100 \text{ for Red, and } for Yellow)$

$$E(u(f_{RY})) = u(0)P(f^{-1}(0)) + u(100)P(f^{-1}(100))$$

= $u(0)P(\{B\}) + u(100)P(\{Y,R\})$
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• Problem. Given a player, and preferences \prec , determine *P* and *u* • E.g., *P*(*x*) = 1/3 and *u*(*x*) = *x*.

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- Choquet expected utility model (Schmeidler, 1989)
 - \circ Choquet integral (CI), utility u, non-additive (fuzzy) measure μ

 $E(u(f_{RY})) = u(0)\mu(\{B\}) + u(100)\mu(\{Y,R\})$ $\neq u(0)\mu(\{B\}) + u(100)\mu(\{Y\}) + u(100)\mu(\{R\})$

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Summary

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- Review of non-additive measures
- Extension of the Hellinger distance to non-additive measures
- Some properties
- Some applications

Thank you

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so, u(100)P(B) + u(0)P(R) < u(0)P(B) + u(100)P(R). Inequalities 1 and 2 are in contradiction: no u and P exist

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$$\begin{array}{l} \circ \ \mu(\emptyset) = 0 \\ \circ \ \mu(\{R\}) = 1/3, \ \mu(\{B\}) = \mu(\{Y\}) = 2/9 \\ \circ \ \mu(\{R,Y\}) = 5/9, \ \mu(\{B,Y\}) = \mu(\{R,B\}) = 2/3 \\ \circ \ \mu(\{R,B,Y\}) = 1 \end{array}$$

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