

Statistics of individual tests for market graph identification in market network

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One way to analyze a complex system is to consider associated network model.

- Complete weighted graph $G = (V, E, \gamma)$.
- Nodes of the network model - elements of the system.
- Weights of edges in the network model are given by some measure γ of connection between elements of the system.

Examples: social networks, market networks, biological network.

Network structures - subgraphs of the network model.

$$G' = (V', E') : V' \subseteq V, E' \subseteq E$$

- Network structures contain useful information on the network model.
- Popular network structures for market network: maximum spanning tree (MST), planar maximally filtered graph (PMFG), market graph (MG), maximum cliques (MC) and maximum independent sets (MIS) of MG.
- Market graph (TG) of network model $G = (V, E, \gamma)$ - subgraph $G'(\gamma_0) = (V', E') : V' = V; E' \subseteq E, E' = \{(i, j) : \gamma_{i,j} > \gamma_0\}$, where γ_0 - given threshold.
- MST of network model $G = (V, E, \gamma)$ - tree (graph without circle) $G' = (V', E') : V' = V; E' \subset E; |E'| = |V| - 1$; such that $\sum_{(i,j) \in E'} \gamma_{i,j}$ is maximal.

History of market network analysis

- Mantegna(1999) - MST for market network.
- Pardalos (2003) - MG for market network. Maximum cliques and maximum independent sets.
- Now there are around 3000 papers.
- Main purpose - network structure construction by numerical algorithms to real market data (stock returns) and interpretation of obtained results. Examples of interpretation.

- Stocks returns are random variables.
- **Key problem - identify these network structures by observations of complex system elements.**
- Problem of network structures identification - statistical problem.
- **Problem of network structures identification:**
 - ① to choose measure of association between random variables.
 - ② to construct statistical procedure $\delta(x)$ with appropriate properties to identify network structure from observations.

Random variable network

Random variable network is a pair (X, γ) :

- $X = (X_1, \dots, X_N)$ —random vector,
- γ —measure of association.

Example - market network (nodes correspond to the stocks, behaviour of stocks is described by returns)

- Popular network:=Pearson network: $\gamma_{i,j}^P = \rho_{i,j} = \frac{E(X_i - E(X_i))(X_j - E(X_j))}{\sigma_i \sigma_j}$
- Alternative network 1:=Sign similarity network:
 $\gamma_{i,j}^{Sg} = p^{i,j} = P((X_i - E(X_i))(X_j - E(X_j)) > 0)$.
- Alternative network 2:=Kendall network:
 $\gamma_{i,j}^{Kd} = 2P(X_i(1) - X_i(2)(X_j(1) - X_j(2)) > 0) - 1$

Any random variable network generate network model. Network model is complete weighted graph $G = (V, E, \gamma)$

True network structures

Any network structure could be defined by adjacency matrix

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & s_{12} & \dots & s_{1N} \\ s_{12} & 0 & \dots & s_{2N} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ s_{1N} & s_{2N} & \dots & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

S -true network structure.

$$s_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{edge } (i,j) \text{ is included to the true network structure} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

In real practice available data for analysis is sample of observations

$$\begin{pmatrix} X_1(1) \\ X_2(1) \\ \dots \\ X_N(1) \end{pmatrix}, \dots, \begin{pmatrix} X_1(n) \\ X_2(n) \\ \dots \\ X_N(n) \end{pmatrix}$$

The problem of the market graph identification can be considered as multiple hypotheses testing problem of the following individual hypotheses:

$$h_{ij} : \gamma_{i,j} \leq \gamma_0 \quad (s_{i,j} = 0) \text{ versus } k_{ij} : \gamma_{i,j} > \gamma_0 \quad (s_{i,j} = 1)$$

Any statistical procedure for the market graph identification is therefore based on individual tests $\varphi_{ij}(x)$ of testing the individual hypotheses

$h_{ij} : \gamma_{i,j} \leq \gamma_0$ versus $k_{ij} : \gamma_{i,j} > \gamma_0$.

- $\delta(x) = d_Q$ - decision, that network structure has adjacency matrix $Q, Q \in \mathcal{G}$ iff $\Phi(x) = Q$

$$\Phi(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \varphi_{12}(x) & \dots & \varphi_{1N}(x) \\ \varphi_{12}(x) & 0 & \dots & \varphi_{2N}(x) \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \varphi_{1N}(x) & \varphi_{2N}(x) & \dots & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$\Phi(x)$ —sample network structure.

$$\varphi_{ij}(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{edge } (i,j) \text{ is added to the sample network structure} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Statistical procedure. Pearson network with normal distribution

For Pearson correlation network with normal distribution individual hypotheses have the form: $h_{i,j} : \gamma_{i,j}^P \leq \gamma_0^P$. Individual test is:

$$\varphi_{ij}^{PN}(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \sqrt{n-1} \left(\frac{r_{i,j} - \gamma_0^P}{\sqrt{1 - r_{i,j}^2}} \right) > c_{i,j}^{PN} \\ 0, & \sqrt{n-1} \left(\frac{r_{i,j} - \gamma_0^P}{\sqrt{1 - r_{i,j}^2}} \right) \leq c_{i,j}^{PN} \end{cases}$$

where $r_{i,j}$ is the sample correlation. $c_{i,j}^{PN}$ is chosen to make the significance level of the test equal to prescribed value $\alpha_{i,j}$. For $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$p_{i,j}^{PN} = 1 - \Phi \left(\sqrt{n-1} \left(\frac{r_{i,j} - \gamma_0^P}{\sqrt{1 - r_{i,j}^2}} \right) \right)$$

Pearson network with elliptical distribution ¹

$$\varphi_{ij}^P(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \sqrt{\frac{n-1}{1+\bar{\kappa}}} \left(\frac{r_{i,j} - \gamma_0^P}{\sqrt{1-r_{i,j}^2}} \right) > c_{i,j}^P \\ 0, & \sqrt{\frac{n-1}{1+\bar{\kappa}}} \left(\frac{r_{i,j} - \gamma_0^P}{\sqrt{1-r_{i,j}^2}} \right) \leq c_{i,j}^P \end{cases}$$

$$\bar{\kappa} = \frac{\sum_{t=1}^n (x(t) - \bar{x})' S^{-1} (x(t) - \bar{x})}{(n-1)N(N+2)}, \quad S = \sum_{t=1}^n (x(t) - \bar{x})'(x(t) - \bar{x}). \quad \text{For } n \rightarrow \infty$$

$$p_{ij}^P = 1 - \Phi \left(\sqrt{\frac{n-1}{1+\bar{\kappa}}} \left(\frac{r_{i,j} - \gamma_0^P}{\sqrt{1-r_{i,j}^2}} \right) \right)$$

¹Definition: Class of elliptically contoured distribution is given by density functions:

$$f(x) = |\Lambda|^{-\frac{1}{2}} g\{(x - \mu)' \Lambda^{-1} (x - \mu)\}$$

where Λ is symmetric positive definite matrix, $g(x) \geq 0$, and

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \dots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(y' y) dy_1 \dots dy_N = 1$$

Statistical procedure. Sign network

For sign similarity network (X, γ^{Sg}) individual hypotheses have the form:
 $h_{i,j} : \gamma_{i,j}^{Sg} \leq \gamma_0^{Sg}$. Define

$$l_{i,j}(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & (x_i(t) - \mu_i)(x_j(t) - \mu_j) \geq 0 \\ 0, & (x_i(t) - \mu_i)(x_j(t) - \mu_j) < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$T_{i,j}^{sg} = \sum_{t=1}^n l_{i,j}(t)$$

Individual test is: $\varphi_{ij}^{Sg} = \begin{cases} 1, & T_{i,j}^{sg} > c_{i,j}^{Sg} \\ 0, & T_{i,j}^{sg} \leq c_{i,j}^{Sg} \end{cases}$

$$p_{i,j}^{Sg} = 1 - F_{\gamma_0^{Sg}}(T_{i,j}^{sg})$$

where $F_{\gamma_0^{Sg}}(x)$ is the distribution function of the binomial distribution $b(n, \gamma_0^{Sg})$. $c_{i,j}^{Sg}$ is chosen to make the significance level of the test equal to $\alpha_{i,j}$. In the case of unknown μ replace μ_i by \bar{x}_i .

Statistical procedure. Kendall network

For Kendall network (X, γ^{Kd}) individual hypotheses have the form:
 $h_{i,j} : \gamma_{i,j}^{Kd} \leq \gamma_0^{Kd}$. Individual test is:

$$\varphi_{ij}^{Kd} = \begin{cases} 1, & T_{ij}^{Kd} > c_{i,j}^{Kd} \\ 0, & T_{ij}^{Kd} \leq c_{i,j}^{Kd} \end{cases}$$

where

$$T_{ij}^{Kd} = \frac{1}{n(n-1)} \sum_{t \neq s} \text{sign}((x_i(t) - x_i(s))(x_j(t) - x_j(s)))$$

$c_{i,j}^{Kd}$ is chosen to make the significance level of the test equal to $\alpha_{i,j}$. For $n \rightarrow \infty$ and $\gamma_{i,j}^{Kd} = 0$

$$p_{i,j}^{Kd} = 1 - \Phi \left(\sqrt{\frac{9n(n-1)}{2(2n+5)}} \left(T_{ij}^{Kd} - \gamma_0^{Kd} \right) \right)$$

Experimental results.²

Class of elliptically contoured distribution with fixed matrix Λ .
The hypothesis $\lambda_{i,j} = 0$ is tested.

- Robustness of significance level with respect to g .
- Robustness of power function with respect to g .

The mixture distribution - $X = (X_1, \dots, X_N)$ takes value from $N(0, \Lambda)$ with probability ϵ and from $t_3(0, \Lambda)$ with probability $1 - \epsilon$.

- $\epsilon = 1$ - normal case.
- $\epsilon = 0$ - Student case.

²Definition: Class of elliptically contoured distribution is given by density functions:

$$f(x) = |\Lambda|^{-\frac{1}{2}} g\{(x - \mu)' \Lambda^{-1} (x - \mu)\}$$

where Λ is symmetric positive definite matrix, $g(x) \geq 0$, and $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \dots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(y' y) dy_1 \dots dy_N = 1$

Experimental results. Robustness of significance level

- For $\alpha = 0.1$ and $\lambda_{ij} = 0$ test $\varphi_{ij}^{PN}(x)$ does not robust to deviation from normality. Namely under $n = 50, \epsilon = 1$ one has 104 rejection from 1000 experiments. But for decreasing of ϵ the number of rejection is increased. For $\epsilon = 0$ one has 255 rejections.
- For $\alpha = 0.1$ and $\lambda_{ij} = 0$ test $\varphi_{ij}^P(x)$ does not robust to deviation from normality. Namely under $n = 50, \epsilon = 1$ one has 108 rejection from 1000 experiments. But for decreasing of ϵ the number of rejection is increased. For $\epsilon = 0$ one has 177 rejections.

Then corrected Pearson test does not valid α -level test under deviation from normality.

Experimental results. Robustness of significance level

- For $\alpha = 0.05$ and $\lambda_{ij} = 0$ test $\varphi_{ij}^{Kd}(x)$ does not robust to deviation from normality. Namely under $n = 50, \epsilon = 1$ one has 52 rejection from 1000 experiments. But for decreasing of ϵ the number of rejection is increased. For $\epsilon = 0$ one has 94 rejections.
- For all α and $\lambda_{ij} = 0$ test $\varphi_{ij}^{Sg}(x)$ is robust to deviation from normality. ³

³Kalyagin V. A., Koldanov A. P., Petr A. Koldanov. Robust identification in random variables networks // Journal of Statistical Planning and Inference. 2017. Vol. 181, P. 30-40.

Experimental results. Robustness of power function

- For

$$\alpha = 0.05, n = 100, \epsilon = 1, \lambda_{ij} = 0.3$$

power function of test $\varphi_{ij}^{PN}(x)$ is 0.927 ($\hat{\alpha} = 0.046$). But for

$$\alpha = 0.05, n = 100, \epsilon = 0, \lambda_{ij} = 0.3$$

power function of test $\varphi_{ij}^{PN}(x)$ is 0.771 ($\hat{\alpha} = 0.21$).

- For

$$\alpha = 0.05, n = 100, \epsilon = 1, \lambda_{ij} = 0.3$$

power function of test $\varphi_{ij}^P(x)$ is 0.933 ($\hat{\alpha} = 0.046$). But for $\alpha = 0.05$, $n = 100$, $\epsilon = 0$ and $\lambda_{ij} = 0.3$ power function of test $\varphi_{ij}^P(x)$ is 0.611 ($\hat{\alpha} = 0.111$).

Experimental results. Robustness of power function

- For

$$\alpha = 0.1, n = 25, \epsilon = 1, \lambda_{ij} = 0.45$$

power function of test $\varphi_{ij}^{Kd}(x)$ is 0.828 ($\hat{\alpha} = 0.103$). But for

$$\alpha = 0.1, n = 25, \epsilon = 0, \lambda_{ij} = 0.45$$

power function of test $\varphi_{ij}^{Kd}(x)$ is 0.780 ($\hat{\alpha} = 0.125$).

- Power function of the test $\varphi_{ij}^{Sg}(x)$ is robust to deviation from normality.⁴

⁴Kalyagin V. A., Koldanov A. P., Petr A. Koldanov. Robust identification in random variables networks // Journal of Statistical Planning and Inference. 2017. Vol. 181, P. 30-40.

Experimental results. Robustness of significance level and power function for $\alpha = 0.5$

- For $\alpha = 0.5$ the probability of first kind error is equal to 0.5 for any ϵ .
- For power function the result does not valid. Namely for $\varphi_{ij}^{PN}(x), \varphi_{ij}^P(x)$ power function is 0.94 for $\epsilon = 1, \lambda = 0.15, n = 100$. But power function is 0.95 for $\epsilon = 0, \lambda = 0.35, n = 100$.
- For $\alpha = 0.5$ significance levels and power functions of the tests $\varphi_{ij}^{Sg}(x)$ and $\varphi_{ij}^{Kd}(x)$ are robust to deviation from normality.
- For $\alpha = 0.5$ power function of $\varphi_{ij}^{Kd}(x)$ is uniformly better than $\varphi_{ij}^{Sg}(x)$. Namely for $\epsilon = 0, \lambda = 0.3, n = 50$ power function of $\varphi_{ij}^{Kd}(x)$ is 0.97. For $\varphi_{ij}^{Sg}(x)$ power function is 0.97 for $\lambda = 0.4$ or power function of $\varphi_{ij}^{Sg}(x)$ is 0.97 for $n = 100$.

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