

Variational Ensemble kalman filtering technique  
in Jablonska-Capasso-Bianchi-Morale Model;  
Electricity and Oil spot Prices as case studies

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## Jablonska-Capasso-Bianchi-Morale Model

$$dX_t^k = 3\left[\frac{\gamma_t}{3}X_t^* + \frac{\theta_t}{3}h(k, X_t) + \frac{\varepsilon_t}{3}g(k, X_t) - X_t^k\right]dt + \sigma_t dW_t$$

where  $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots, N$ , stands for ensemble size,  
 $\gamma_t$  is the moving mean reversion rate at the time  $t$ ,  
 $X_t^*$  is one year the moving average which model the short-term  
thinking of the traders about the market behavior

$\frac{\theta_t}{3}h(k, X_t)$  - Global momentum

$h(k, X_t)$  - Mean(Mean - Mode).

$g(k, X_t) - \max(X_t^k - X_t)$

# Least Square Method

$$X_t, t=1,2,3,\dots,n$$

$$Y = b_0 + \sum_{t=1}^k b_t x_t$$

$$b_0 \text{ and } b_t, t=1,2,\dots,k$$

$$\hat{b} = (X'X)^{-1}X'Y$$

$$\text{cov}(\hat{b}) = \delta^2(X'X)^{-1}$$

## Bayes formula

$$\Pi(b) \propto P(Y/b)P(b)$$

$P(Y/b)$  - is the likelihood function and  
 $P(b)$  - is the prior probability

## Bayes Formula to Linear Kalman Filter

$$P(Y/b)P(b) = e^{-\frac{1}{2}((b-b_a)'S_a^{-1}(b-b_a)+(Y-Xb)'S_\epsilon^{-1}(Y-Xb))}$$

$$S_a^{-1} = K_a'K_a \text{ and}$$

$$S_\epsilon^{-1} = K_\epsilon'K_\epsilon$$

$$-2 \log \Pi(b) = \| K_\epsilon Xb - K_\epsilon Y \|^2 + \| K_a b - K_a b_a \|^2$$

which is the norm of least square problem  $\tilde{X}b = \tilde{Y}$  where  $\tilde{X} = \begin{pmatrix} K_\epsilon X \\ K_a \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\tilde{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} K_\epsilon Y \\ K_a b_a \end{pmatrix}$  with which least square method can be used to determine  $\hat{b}$  and  $cov(\hat{b})$  as  $\hat{b} = (\tilde{X}'\tilde{X})^{-1}\tilde{X}'\tilde{y}$  and  $cov(\hat{b}) = (\tilde{X}'\tilde{X})^{-1}$  which yield

$$\hat{b} = (X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X + S_a^{-1})^{-1} (X' S_\epsilon^{-1} Y + S_a^{-1} b_a)$$

$$cov(\hat{b}) = (X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X + S_a^{-1})^{-1}$$

Introduce  $I = S_a^{-1}S_a$

To  $\hat{b}$  and

$cov(\hat{b})$

$$\begin{aligned} cov(\hat{b}) &= (X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X + S_a^{-1})^{-1} S_a^{-1} S_a \\ &= (S_a X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X + I)^{-1} S_a \\ &= (S_a X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X + I)^{-1} ((S_a X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X + I) S_a - S_a X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X S_a) \\ &= S_a - (S_a X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X + I)^{-1} S_a X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X S_a \\ &= S_a - (X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X + S_a^{-1})^{-1} X' S_\epsilon^{-1} X S_a \end{aligned}$$



Taking  $S_\epsilon$  in and  $S_a$  out, we end up getting

$$\text{cov}(\hat{b}) = S_a - X' S_a (X' S_a^{-1} X + S_\epsilon)^{-1} X S_a$$

$$\text{let } G = X' S_a (X' S_a^{-1} X + S_\epsilon)^{-1}$$

$$\text{cov}(\hat{b}) = S_a - G X S_a$$

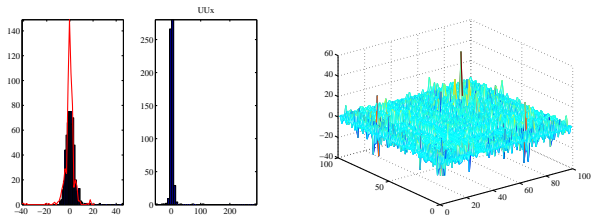
Do the same for  $\hat{b}$  to get

$$\hat{b} = b_a + G(Y - X b_a)$$

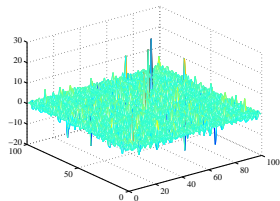
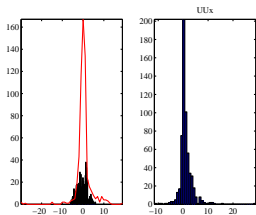
# Kalman Filter for Nonlinear Models

- For simple nonlinear: linearize then use Extended Kalman Filter.
- For nonlinear with three parameters : Ensemble Kalman Filter.
- For nonlinear with four parameters : Variational Ensemble Kalman Filter.

# Model fitting and results



**Figure:** Original Prices with fitted in simulated electricity prices (left panel), mesh plot of simulated prices(right)



**Figure:** Original Prices with fitted in simulated oil prices (left panel), mesh plot of simulated prices(right)

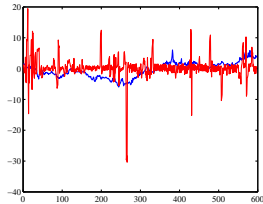
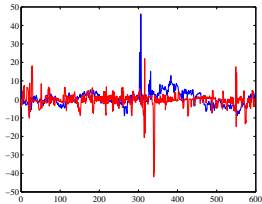


Figure: Timeline plot of original (blue) with simulated (red) for electricity and oil prices.

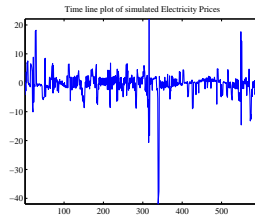
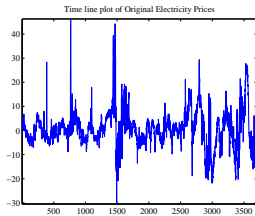


Figure: Timeline plot of original and simulated electricity prices.

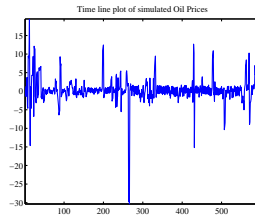
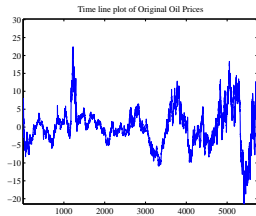


Figure: Timeline plot of original and simulated oil prices.

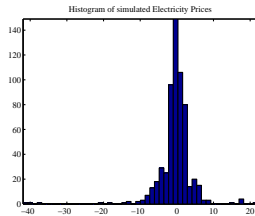
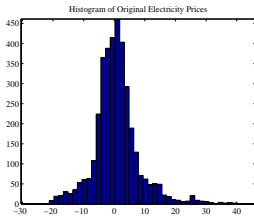


Figure: Histogram of original and simulated electricity prices.



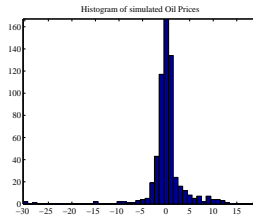
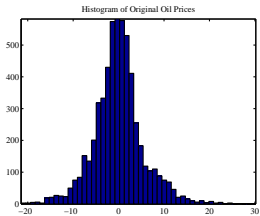


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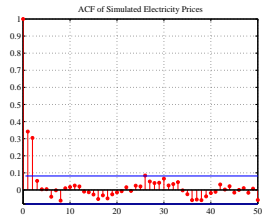
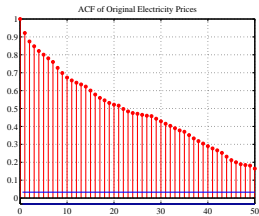


Figure: Autocorrelation plot of original and simulated electricity prices.

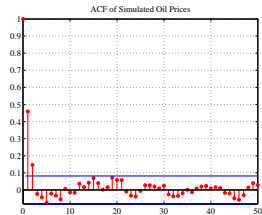
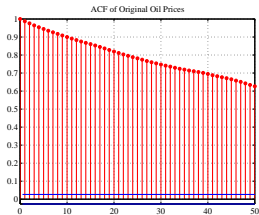


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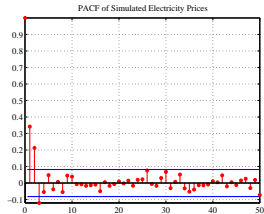
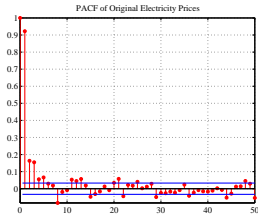


Figure: Partial Autocorrelation plots for Original and simulated Electricity prices.

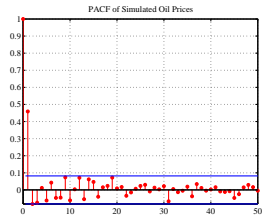
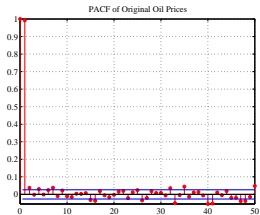


Figure: Partial Autocorrelation plots for Original and simulated oil prices.

	Original Elect prices	Simulated Elect prices
Mean	0.73	-0.40
Standard deviation	7.47	4.66
Skewness	0.92	-2.77
Kurtosis	6.97	30.4
5th moment	18.82	-212.5
6th moment	105	1929.96
7th moment	423	-15765.87

**Table:** Standard moments of Original electricity Prices and Simulated electricity Prices

## Basic statistics

	Original Oil prices	Simulated Oil prices
Mean	0	0.29
Standard deviation	5.47	3.68
Skewness	0.3	-0.2
Kurtosis	4.86	26.64
5th moment	4.99	-166.57
6th moment	46.32	1484.19
7th moment	93.51	-11317.04

Table: Standard moments of Original oil Prices and Simulated Oil Prices

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