Stochastic simulation of reaction networks

Week 5

Basic Outline: 3 functions

gilldriver

[t,dimer]=mygill(tfin,rtab,x,c)

h=update(x)

[within driver]

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- Set parameters (these are given in notes)
- Set rtab (hard-code)
- Run Gillespie (mygill) nr times for first 6 reactions
 - Plot mean and STD
- Run Gillespie (mygill) nr times for all 8 reactions
 - Plot mean and STD

Reactant indices always in least to greatest order for those in *that reaction*

Building rtab

General idea: alternate between index and #

{[reactant index #gain/lose reactant index #gain/lose]

[reactant index #gain/lose for however many reactants]

... [indices and gain/loss for last reaction]}

For example, take reactions:

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A+B →C
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A→2B

A has index 1;

B has index 2;

C has index 3

rtab={[1 -1 2 -1 3 1] (lose an A, lose a B, gain a C) [1 -1 2 2]} (lose an A, gain 2 Bs)

Practice

Regarding the rtab convention established in the notes, if I wish to encode the reaction

$$X_3 --> X_1 + X_2 + 10X_{4}$$

then the associated row of rtab should be:

- A. [1 2 3 4 1 1 -1 10]
- B. [1 1 2 1 3 -1 4 10]
- C. [1 -1 2 -2 3 1 4 -10]

Your turn

Work with the person next to you to build **rtab** by hand for the reactions for this project.

Indices R: 1 Pr: 2 RPr: 3 P: 4 D: 5 I: 6

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R + Pr \rightarrow RPr
RPr \rightarrow R + Pr
RPr \rightarrow 10P + R + Pr
P + P \rightarrow D
D \rightarrow P + P
P \rightarrow P \rightarrow Pr + D \rightarrow Pr + D \rightarrow Pr + D
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Remember at first we only want to run Gillespie on these 6 reactions. Then run again for the *whole* ruletab!

How can we represent the first 6 rows of ruletab for our first call to mygill?

After setting values and building ruletab, run mygill

- Run mygill <u>nr times</u> (value specified earlier in code)
- [t,dimer]=mygill(tfin,rtab,x,c)
- What is x? What is c? Where do we find those?
- Interpolate. But before addressing this, a word on time:
 - we want to plot dimer vs. t for all times from 0 to tfin (100), at an increment of tinc (.1).
 - Build tvec as specified in notes
 - Each of the nr times you run mygill, interpolate t and x with tvec (see next slide).

Hint: find STD using std(x) in MATLAB

Using interp1

Use: YI = INTERP1(X,Y,XI)

Basic interpolation: you have y(x): vector of y values for given vector of x values. You want to find vector of yi values for vector of xi values

that you specify.

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Yi(2)
Yi(1)

Xi(2)

Xi(1)
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From notes (modify using interp):
for j=1:nr
[t,x] = mygill(tfin,rtab,x0,c);
X(j,:) = x;
end
avg = mean(X,1);
--find STD
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h = update(x)

 h is a vector, each of whose elements represents the number of ways the corresponding reaction can occur.

Remember that x contains the quantities of each reactant.

Write down h(1) through h(8) as functions of elements in x.

[t, dimer]=mygill(tfin,rtab,x,k)

- "1. The user is unsure of how to choose maxiter and would prefer to provide the final time, tfin."
 - → Substitute while for for (how?)
- -first call update h=update(x)
- -Cryptic notes: The use of update is relatively straightforward, e.g., a = c. * h; With this a in hand you may now use <u>cumsum</u> and <u>find</u> to find the next reaction index (in just a couple of lines and with NO if clauses). With this index in hand you may visit the proper element of **rtab**.
- -record your dimer count before cycling through while loop again. (Which element of x is dimer?)

Within the while loop

see lotkaedit.m

- Update counter
- Call update function
- Reaction probability: a_m = h_mc_m
- "We shall have occasion to call on:"

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a_0 = a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_M use MATLAB's <u>sum</u> function
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- Generate random number r₁
- Set t(i)=t(i-1)+T (tau in lotka) (solve 8.1 for T); 8.1: r₁ = exp (-a₀T)
- Generate random number r₂
- use cumsum and find and subsequently access elements of rtab to update x (quantites of each reactant present)
- Store dimer count, x(5).