

Approximation Theorems of the Empirical Distribution of the Sample Mean For Φ -Mixing Random Vectors

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ABSTRACT

Let $\{\vec{X}_i: -\infty < i < \infty\}$ be a ϕ -mixing stationary sequence of random vectors. Let $F_n(\vec{x})$ be the corresponding empirical distribution function of $\vec{X}_1, \dots, \vec{X}_n$, and let \bar{X} , be the sample mean of $\vec{X}_1, \dots, \vec{X}_n$. The object of the present investigation is to show that the asymptotic almost sure representation of $F_n(\bar{X})$. Two different orders of the remainder term, under different ϕ -mixing conditions, are obtained and used for proving functional central limit theorems, laws of iterated logarithm, Wiener processes embedding and invariant principles for $F_n(\bar{X})$.

Key words: weakly dependent random vectors; invariant principle; law of iterated logarithm; ϕ -mixing.

INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

Let $\{\vec{X}_i: -\infty < i < \infty\}$, $\vec{X}_i = (X_{i1}, \dots, X_{iq})$ with $q \geq 1$ be a stationary ϕ -mixing sequence of random vectors defined on a probability space (Ω, \mathcal{A}, P) . Thus if $M_{-\infty}^k$ and M_{k+n}^{∞} are respectively the σ -fields generated by $\{\vec{X}_i: i \leq k\}$ and $\{\vec{X}_i: i \geq k+n\}$ and if $E_1 \in M_{-\infty}^k$ and $E_2 \in M_{k+n}^{\infty}$, then for all $k (-\infty < k < \infty)$ and $n (n \geq 1)$,

$$|P(E_2|E_1) - P(E_2)| \leq \phi(n), \quad \phi(n) \geq 0 \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

where $1 \geq \phi(1) \geq \phi(2) \geq \dots$, and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \phi(n) = 0$. We may remark that both m-dependent and autoregressive processes belong to the general class of strong-mixing or ϕ -mixing processes, see for example, Billingsley (1968).

Throughout this work, $\{\vec{X}_i: -\infty < i < \infty\}$ is a stationary sequence of ϕ -mixing random vectors from a q-variate distribution $F(\vec{x})$ with $\text{Cov}(\vec{X}_1)$ exists, where $\vec{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_q) \in R^q$. Let $\vec{\xi} = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_q) = (EX_{11}, \dots, EX_{1q}) = E(\vec{X}_1)$ be a point in R^q such that for the j-th variate of \vec{X}_1 (i.e., for X_{1j}), $P\{X_{1j} \leq \xi_j\} = p_j$, $0 < p_j < 1$, $j = 1, \dots, q$. We assume that in some neighborhood of $\vec{\xi}$, $F(\vec{x})$ is strictly monotonic in each of its q coordinates, and admits of a continuous density function $f(\vec{x})$, such

Φ 混合隨機向量樣本平均之近似理論

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摘 要

本篇論文旨在討論在不同的 φ 混合條件下， φ 混合穩定隨機向量之樣本平均的近似表現，中央極限理論、對數反覆律及不變原理等性質。

關鍵字：弱相關隨機向量、不變原則、對數反覆律、 φ 混合。