

DistMCMC: Maximum Likelihood Estimation of Pairwise Distance Using Markov

Chain Monte Carlo

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Abstract

Estimation of the number of nucleotide substitution between DNA sequences is a fundamental question in the field of molecular evolution. The JC69 and K80 are the simplest nucleotide substitution models. Maximum likelihood estimation is a method of estimating parameters under a certain model. Markov chain Monte Carlo can be used to get the probability distribution of parameters by sampling from the equilibrium distribution of a Markov chain that has experienced enough generations. To learn nucleotide substitution models, maximum likelihood estimation, and Markov chain Monte Carlo, I write a Perl program called DistMCMC, which perform maximum likelihood estimation of distance between two DNA sequences using Markov chain Monte Carlo. For learning purpose, only JC69, JC69+ Γ , K80 and K80+ Γ are implemented.

Introduction

It has been a long time for me to learn molecular evolution, but it's always hard for me to understand such mathematic models and statistic concepts. I always feel confused when perform analysis using phylogenetic software, especially when there a lot of parameters need to be specified. I say I have waited for three years for the course of molecular evolution. During this summer, after having the course by Dr. Xia, a lot of confusedness has become clear in my mind. I think nucleotide substitution models, maximum likelihood estimation and

Markov chain Monte Carlo are three of them. So I write a Perl program called DistMCMC, which arrange the three concepts properly. I have asked a question in class. From JC69 to JC69+ Γ or K80, both of the two have added only one parameter, but why JC69+ Γ make the variance larger than K80. I run DistMCMC on real data, and compare the results on different nucleotide substitution models, and get the answer of the question I have asked in class.

JC69 is a nucleotide substitution model introduced by Jukes and Cantor in 1969, which assumed equal base frequency and equal substitution rate among different substitution types. Given two aligned DNA sequences, let d be the number of substitution per site, the probability of each aligned nucleotides being different is (Yang, 2006):

$$P_1 = 0.75 - 0.75\exp(-4d/3) \quad (1)$$

And the probability of each aligned nucleotides being same is:

$$P_2 = 0.25 + 0.75\exp(-4d/3) \quad (2)$$

If assume the distribution of substitution rate among nucleotides is gamma distribution, let α be the shape parameter, the probability of each aligned nucleotides being different is (Yang, 2006):

$$P_3 = 0.75 - 0.75(1 + 4d/3\alpha)^{(-\alpha)} \quad (3)$$

And the probability of each aligned nucleotides being same is:

$$P_4 = 0.25 + 0.75(1 + 4d/3\alpha)^{(-\alpha)} \quad (4)$$

K80 model is also called Kimura's two-parameter model, which assumed equal base frequency, and different substitution rate between transition and transversion. Given two aligned DNA sequences, let d be the number of substitution per site, κ be the transition and transversion rate ratio, the probability of each aligned nucleotides being different with transition is (Yang, 2006):

$$P_5 = 0.25 + 0.25\exp[-4d/(\kappa+2)] - 0.5\exp[-2d(\kappa+1)/(\kappa+2)] \quad (5)$$

And the probability of each aligned nucleotides being different with transversion is:

$$P_6 = 0.5 - 0.5\exp[-4d/(\kappa+2)] \quad (6)$$

And the probability of each aligned nucleotides being same is:

$$P_7 = 0.25 + 0.25\exp[-4d/(\kappa+2)] + 0.5\exp[-2d(\kappa+1)/(\kappa+2)] \quad (7)$$

If assume the distribution of substitution rate among nucleotides is gamma distribution, let α be the shape parameter, the probability of each aligned nucleotides being different with transition is (Yang, 2006):

$$P_8 = 0.25 + 0.25[1 + 4d/\alpha(\kappa+2)]^{\wedge}(-\alpha) - 0.5[1 + 2d(\kappa+1)/\alpha(\kappa+2)]^{\wedge}(-\alpha) \quad (8)$$

And the probability of each aligned nucleotides being different with transversion is:

$$P_9 = 0.5 - 0.5[1 + 4d/\alpha(\kappa+2)]^{\wedge}(-\alpha) \quad (9)$$

And the probability of each aligned nucleotides being same is:

$$P_{10} = 0.25 + 0.25[1 + 4d/\alpha(\kappa+2)]^{\wedge}(-\alpha) + 0.5[1 + 2d(\kappa+1)/\alpha(\kappa+2)]^{\wedge}(-\alpha) \quad (10)$$

Maximum likelihood estimation is a method of estimating parameters under a certain model. Equation (1) ~ (10) have defined models and provide basic elements of following likelihood functions. In addition to taking partial derivative of likelihood functions to get the maximum value, Markov chain Monte Carlo can be used to get the probability distribution of parameters by sampling from the equilibrium distribution of a Markov chain that has experienced enough generations.

In this paper, I will first build the likelihood function of each nucleotide substitution model, and then introduce the Markov chain Monte Carlo used to sample the probability distribution of parameters. Finally applied the program on real data, and try to find the difference of variance under different nucleotide substitution model.

Methods

Likelihood Function

Given two aligned DNA sequences, if the number of total nucleotide pairs is n , the number of segregated nucleotide pairs is x , in which y is transition, and z is transversion, the probability of observing this alignment, which is also being called likelihood, should be:

Under JC69 model:

$$L(x, n, d) = P(x, n | d) = P_1^x * P_2^{n-x} \quad (11)$$

Under JC69+ Γ model:

$$L(x, n, d, \alpha) = P(x, n | d, \alpha) = P_3^x * P_4^{n-x} \quad (12)$$

Under K80 model:

$$L(y, z, n, d, \kappa) = P(y, z, n | d, \kappa) = P_5^y * P_6^z * P_7^{n-y-z} \quad (13)$$

Under K80+ Γ model:

$$L(y, z, n, d, \kappa, \alpha) = P(y, z, n | d, \kappa, \alpha) = P_8^y * P_9^z * P_{10}^{n-y-z} \quad (14)$$

In these likelihood functions, $P_1 \sim P_{10}$ are from equation (1) ~ (10).

Markov Chain Monte Carlo

To build the Markov chain Monte Carlo, under the JC69 model, I specify a hard interval (a, b) of the only estimating parameter d , and generate a random number $r_1 \sim U(a, b)$, and specify r_1 as the initial state of d , which is assigned as d_0 . Then specify a sliding window size of w (assign as step 1), and propose a new state by generating a random number $r_2 \sim U(d_0 - w/2, d_0 + w/2)$. If $r_2 < a$, new state of d , assigned as $d_1 = 2a - r_2$; if $r_2 > b$, assign $d_1 = 2b - r_2$; else, assign $d_1 = r_2$. Then calculate the acceptance ratio η with the following equation, in which the likelihood function is from equation (11):

$$\eta = \min [1, L(x, n, d_0)/L(x, n, d_1)] \quad (15)$$

Then generate another random number $r_3 \sim U(0, 1)$. If $\eta > r_3$, accept the new state d_1 , which means assigning $d_0 = d_1$; else keep the old state d_0 . Then go back to step 1 and repeat as many generations as enough. For each generation, there is a d saved. After burning in, the

remaining ones are used to calculate mean, median, and 95% highest probability density (95% HPD) interval. The mean or median represents the maximum likelihood estimate of d , and 95% HPD interval can represent the level of variance of d .

When JC69+ Γ model is applied, one has to use equation (12) instead of (11) and specify the gamma shape parameter α . When K80 model is applied, another parameter κ is taken part into estimation. For each generation of Markov chain, in addition to sampling d , κ is also being sampled with same algorithm, and equation (13) is applied to calculate likelihood. When K80+ Γ model is applied, in contrast to K80 model, just specify the gamma shape parameter α , and use equation (14) for likelihood calculating.

Apply DistMCMC on Real Data

Cytochrome B DNA sequences of 8 bear species or subspecies were used to test DistMCMC, including sloth bear (*Melursus ursinus*, Genbank: NC_009970), brown bear (*Ursus arctos*, Genbank: NC_003427), polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*, Genbank: NC_003428), sun bear (*Helarctos malayanus*, Genbank: NC_009968), American black bear (*Ursus americanus*, Genbank: NC_003426), Asiatic black bear (*Ursus thibetanus formosanus*, Genbank: NC_009331), Asiatic black bear (*Ursus thibetanus ussuricus*, Genbank: NC_011117) and Asiatic black bear (*Ursus thibetanus thibetanus*, Genbank: NC_011118). For each pair of DNA sequences, JC69, JC69+ Γ , K80 and K80+ Γ distance were calculated. The hard interval of parameter d was set to (0, 1), and sliding window size was set to 0.1. The hard interval of parameter κ was set to (0, 100), and sliding window size was set to 10. The length of Markov chain was set to 100000, and burn in was set to 10000. Save states of parameters every 100 generations, so for each parameter, there were 1000 samples, which were used to calculate the mean, median and 95% HPD interval. The shape parameter α was set to 0.2, 0.6 and 1.0 to run models with gamma rate.

Result

The mean or median of d output from DistMCMC is consisting with results output from PAUP* (Swofford, 2003) on any of the nucleotide substitution models. When gamma rate was arranged, as decreasing of shape parameter α , there was an obvious trend on increasing of estimated d , and there was also an obvious trend on increasing of 95% HPD interval of d (Table 1). These two trends were observed on both JC69 and K80 models.

Discussion

Because of limited time, I didn't perform hypothesis testing of my results. Actually, every conclusion talked in my results need statistic support, but I only test them by eye. The observed trends on both mean d and 95% HPD interval of d are consistent with Dr. Xia said in class and are also consistent with several text books (Nei, 2000; Yang, 2006).

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Table 1. Distance estimated with DistMCMC. Result show only NC_003426 compared with other sequences.

| Sequence Pair | Model | d_mean | d_median | d 95HPD lower | d 95HPD upper | 95HPD upper-lower |
|---------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------|
| NC_003426 NC_003427 | JC69 | 0.121779095 | 0.122335533 | 0.101403037 | 0.144491786 | 0.043088749 |
| NC_003426 NC_003427 | JC69+G a=1 | 0.131619389 | 0.131894491 | 0.104165372 | 0.155996301 | 0.051830929 |
| NC_003426 NC_003427 | JC69+G a=0.6 | 0.140525672 | 0.139418419 | 0.112867081 | 0.168057979 | 0.055190898 |
| NC_003426 NC_003427 | JC69+G a=0.2 | 0.18868148 | 0.188131457 | 0.140643147 | 0.235334916 | 0.094691769 |
| NC_003426 NC_003427 | K80 | 0.125906076 | 0.125544147 | 0.103037854 | 0.149574246 | 0.046536392 |
| NC_003426 NC_003427 | K80+G a=1 | 0.144636641 | 0.144028142 | 0.116761877 | 0.174235496 | 0.057473619 |
| NC_003426 NC_003427 | K80+G a=0.6 | 0.157696394 | 0.157247583 | 0.122647092 | 0.192800005 | 0.070152913 |
| NC_003426 NC_003427 | K80+G a=0.2 | 0.246946744 | 0.243486352 | 0.174767968 | 0.326332556 | 0.151564588 |
| NC_003426 NC_003428 | JC69 | 0.11466155 | 0.114413361 | 0.097512979 | 0.135950324 | 0.038437345 |
| NC_003426 NC_003428 | JC69+G a=1 | 0.124209907 | 0.123489075 | 0.099807591 | 0.149981623 | 0.050174032 |
| NC_003426 NC_003428 | JC69+G a=0.6 | 0.130956527 | 0.130636399 | 0.104193365 | 0.15510275 | 0.050909384 |
| NC_003426 NC_003428 | JC69+G a=0.2 | 0.173944338 | 0.173269248 | 0.130441876 | 0.215643119 | 0.085201244 |
| NC_003426 NC_003428 | K80 | 0.119346508 | 0.118380683 | 0.095614138 | 0.139590645 | 0.043976508 |
| NC_003426 NC_003428 | K80+G a=1 | 0.133816873 | 0.133565721 | 0.107981778 | 0.161143271 | 0.053161493 |
| NC_003426 NC_003428 | K80+G a=0.6 | 0.144882708 | 0.144323113 | 0.114188663 | 0.180463439 | 0.066274776 |
| NC_003426 NC_003428 | K80+G a=0.2 | 0.223725467 | 0.220238558 | 0.149650773 | 0.290675006 | 0.141024233 |
| NC_003426 NC_009331 | JC69 | 0.093693592 | 0.0931432 | 0.07541727 | 0.114349584 | 0.038932314 |
| NC_003426 NC_009331 | JC69+G a=1 | 0.099118716 | 0.097839957 | 0.0764107 | 0.118201847 | 0.041791146 |
| NC_003426 NC_009331 | JC69+G a=0.6 | 0.104547949 | 0.104267303 | 0.081513852 | 0.12959173 | 0.048077878 |
| NC_003426 NC_009331 | JC69+G a=0.2 | 0.130878637 | 0.129652762 | 0.099702721 | 0.171104904 | 0.071402183 |
| NC_003426 NC_009331 | K80 | 0.096316535 | 0.095555842 | 0.077497687 | 0.116533024 | 0.039035337 |
| NC_003426 NC_009331 | K80+G a=1 | 0.106750798 | 0.106793493 | 0.08283534 | 0.129789275 | 0.046953935 |
| NC_003426 NC_009331 | K80+G a=0.6 | 0.112645283 | 0.112083264 | 0.088267181 | 0.138746266 | 0.050479085 |
| NC_003426 NC_009331 | K80+G a=0.2 | 0.159061346 | 0.157207016 | 0.111143243 | 0.205033407 | 0.093890164 |
| NC_003426 NC_009968 | JC69 | 0.105126824 | 0.104279713 | 0.087620301 | 0.125548034 | 0.037927733 |
| NC_003426 NC_009968 | JC69+G a=1 | 0.113134053 | 0.11304212 | 0.092789789 | 0.135241627 | 0.042451838 |
| NC_003426 NC_009968 | JC69+G a=0.6 | 0.118711976 | 0.118414241 | 0.095994461 | 0.145037583 | 0.049043122 |
| NC_003426 NC_009968 | JC69+G a=0.2 | 0.153846068 | 0.152926728 | 0.116873875 | 0.194953768 | 0.078079893 |
| NC_003426 NC_009968 | K80 | 0.108874224 | 0.108621671 | 0.088417497 | 0.13081555 | 0.042398053 |
| NC_003426 NC_009968 | K80+G a=1 | 0.121505483 | 0.120748098 | 0.095999437 | 0.147050147 | 0.05105071 |
| NC_003426 NC_009968 | K80+G a=0.6 | 0.131221818 | 0.131131695 | 0.100592241 | 0.162739432 | 0.062147191 |
| NC_003426 NC_009968 | K80+G a=0.2 | 0.194420589 | 0.192012442 | 0.135841622 | 0.252852701 | 0.117011079 |
| NC_003426 NC_009970 | JC69 | 0.118007425 | 0.117695143 | 0.097602027 | 0.140453863 | 0.042851836 |
| NC_003426 NC_009970 | JC69+G a=1 | 0.128542532 | 0.128159728 | 0.103755807 | 0.152699061 | 0.048943254 |
| NC_003426 NC_009970 | JC69+G a=0.6 | 0.135479762 | 0.134711415 | 0.108487033 | 0.164891583 | 0.056404551 |
| NC_003426 NC_009970 | JC69+G a=0.2 | 0.180799177 | 0.179524809 | 0.139328385 | 0.22894759 | 0.089619205 |
| NC_003426 NC_009970 | K80 | 0.121983151 | 0.121678164 | 0.099397179 | 0.144623213 | 0.045226035 |
| NC_003426 NC_009970 | K80+G a=1 | 0.13835114 | 0.137531291 | 0.110335329 | 0.167316857 | 0.056981528 |
| NC_003426 NC_009970 | K80+G a=0.6 | 0.150893591 | 0.149758007 | 0.11817273 | 0.188331703 | 0.070158973 |
| NC_003426 NC_009970 | K80+G a=0.2 | 0.235351523 | 0.231202154 | 0.164062328 | 0.309389009 | 0.145326681 |
| NC_003426 NC_011117 | JC69 | 0.096476777 | 0.096216259 | 0.07961697 | 0.117154384 | 0.037537414 |
| NC_003426 NC_011117 | JC69+G a=1 | 0.102185617 | 0.10143042 | 0.082591691 | 0.125450286 | 0.042858594 |
| NC_003426 NC_011117 | JC69+G a=0.6 | 0.107309788 | 0.106831566 | 0.086481923 | 0.13028535 | 0.043803427 |
| NC_003426 NC_011117 | JC69+G a=0.2 | 0.137947257 | 0.136386182 | 0.102357663 | 0.174465277 | 0.072107614 |
| NC_003426 NC_011117 | K80 | 0.099964715 | 0.099589394 | 0.08062685 | 0.120513052 | 0.039886202 |
| NC_003426 NC_011117 | K80+G a=1 | 0.109496374 | 0.109157228 | 0.087125772 | 0.13305262 | 0.045926848 |
| NC_003426 NC_011117 | K80+G a=0.6 | 0.117181924 | 0.117293557 | 0.092420902 | 0.146522902 | 0.054102 |
| NC_003426 NC_011117 | K80+G a=0.2 | 0.168130694 | 0.165053967 | 0.119332825 | 0.221189479 | 0.101856654 |
| NC_003426 NC_011118 | JC69 | 0.100628687 | 0.100229396 | 0.080977265 | 0.119524015 | 0.03854675 |
| NC_003426 NC_011118 | JC69+G a=1 | 0.107832024 | 0.107402249 | 0.085100617 | 0.130870259 | 0.045769642 |
| NC_003426 NC_011118 | JC69+G a=0.6 | 0.112118393 | 0.111021845 | 0.089236343 | 0.138138474 | 0.04890213 |
| NC_003426 NC_011118 | JC69+G a=0.2 | 0.143333125 | 0.142133561 | 0.110517451 | 0.184295221 | 0.073777771 |
| NC_003426 NC_011118 | K80 | 0.10403723 | 0.103701677 | 0.084268062 | 0.125447325 | 0.041179264 |
| NC_003426 NC_011118 | K80+G a=1 | 0.115450674 | 0.114980417 | 0.091259429 | 0.140350629 | 0.0490912 |
| NC_003426 NC_011118 | K80+G a=0.6 | 0.124024021 | 0.123762792 | 0.095293713 | 0.152896586 | 0.057602872 |
| NC_003426 NC_011118 | K80+G a=0.2 | 0.181950913 | 0.180217637 | 0.125868117 | 0.232103101 | 0.106234984 |

Appendix 1. Perl Script of DistMCMC

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#!/usr/bin/perl
use strict;
use warnings;

die("
Program: DistMCMC
DistMCMC does maximum likelihood estimation of pairwise distance using Markov chain Monte Carlo algorithm.
Only JC69, JC69+G, K80 and K80+G are available now.\n
Version: 1.0
Release: Aug. 3, 2014
Auther: Woody\n
Usage: $0 <in.fasta> <out.txt>
Please edit the Perl script directly if you want to make changes of parameters.
\n") if (@ARGV<2);

my $NoItera = 100000; # Number of iterations
my $Burnin = 10000; # Burn in
my $Savfreq = 100; # Frequency of saving states after burn in
my $Prifreq = 50000; # Frequency of printing states on screen
my $dSlidWin = 0.1; # Sliding window size of distance
my $kSlidWin = 10; # Sliding window size of kappa
my @dRange = (0, 1); # Range of distance
my @kRange = (0, 100); # Range of kappa
my $alpha = 0.5; # Gamma shape parameter

my $i = shift;
my $o = shift;
open my $i1, "<", "$i";
open O, ">", "$o";

my $nchar;
my %dna = %{&readfasta($i1)};
close $i1;

my %nseg; # Hash of pairwise number of segregation sites
foreach my $s1 (sort keys %dna) {
    foreach my $s2 (sort keys %dna) {
        if ($nseg{"$s1 $s2"} or $nseg{"$s2 $s1"}) {
            next;
        } elsif ($s1 eq $s2) {
            next;
        } else {
            $nseg{"$s1 $s2"} = &calnseg($dna{$s1}, $dna{$s2});
        }
    }
}

print O "#Pair\tDistance\tDistance_mean\tDistance_median\tDistance_95_HPD_lower\tDistance_95_HPD_upper\t";
print O "Kappa_mean\tKappa_median\tKappa_95_HPD_lower\tKappa_95_HPD_upper\n";

foreach (sort keys %nseg) {
    print "\n$_";
    print "\nJC69 MCMC simulating...\nNo. Iteration\tDistance\n";
    my @a = &JC69MCMC(@{$nseg{$_}});
}
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print O $_, "\tJC69\t", join("\t", @a), "\n";
print "\nJC69+G MCMC simulating...\nNo. Iteration\tDistance\n";
@a = &JC69gammaMCMC(@{$nseg{$_}});
print O $_, "\tJC69+G\t", join("\t", @a), "\n";
print "\nK80 MCMC simulating...\nNo. Iteration\tDistance\tKappa\n";
@a = &K80gammaMCMC(@{$nseg{$_}});
print O $_, "\tK80\t", join("\t", @a), "\n";
print "\nK80+G MCMC simulating...\nNo. Iteration\tDistance\tKappa\n";
@a = &K80gammaMCMC(@{$nseg{$_}});
print O $_, "\tK80+G\t", join("\t", @a), "\n";
}
close O;

sub readfasta { # Read fasta file
    my $in = $_[0];
    my %fa;
    while (<$in>) {
        $/ = ">";
        my $seq = <$in>;
        chomp $seq;
        $seq =~ s/\s//g;
        $/ = "\n";
        $nchar = length $seq unless $nchar;
        s/>/ /;
        /^(\S+)\s/;
        $fa{$1} = $seq;
    }
    return \%fa;
}

sub calnseg {
    my ($s1, $s2) = @_;
    my $total;
    my $ti = 0;
    my $tv = 0;
    foreach my $i (0 .. $nchar-1) {
        next unless (substr($s1, $i, 1) =~ /[ATCG]/) and (substr($s2, $i, 1) =~ /[ATCG]/);
        ++$total;
        if (substr($s1, $i, 1) eq "A") {
            if (substr($s2, $i, 1) eq "G") {
                ++$ti;
            } elsif (substr($s2, $i, 1) eq "A") {
                next;
            } else {
                ++$tv;
            }
        } elsif (substr($s1, $i, 1) eq "G") {
            if (substr($s2, $i, 1) eq "G") {
                next;
            } elsif (substr($s2, $i, 1) eq "A") {
                ++$ti;
            } else {
                ++$tv;
            }
        } elsif (substr($s1, $i, 1) eq "C") {
            if (substr($s2, $i, 1) eq "T") {
                ++$ti;
            } elsif (substr($s2, $i, 1) eq "C") {
                next;
            }
        }
    }
}

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        } else {
            ++$tv;
        }
    } elsif (substr($s1, $i, 1) eq "T") {
        if (substr($s2, $i, 1) eq "T") {
            next;
        } elsif (substr($s2, $i, 1) eq "C") {
            ++$ti;
        } else {
            ++$tv;
        }
    }
}
return [$ti, $tv, $total];
}

sub NewSta { # Propose new state
    my ($OldStat, $SlidWin, $LoBound, $UpBound) = @_;
    my $r1 = rand;
    my $TemStat = $OldStat + ($r1-0.5)*$SlidWin; # Temp state
    my $NewStat; # New state
    if ($TemStat < $LoBound) {
        $NewStat = 2*$LoBound - $TemStat;
    } elsif ($TemStat > $UpBound) {
        $NewStat = 2*$UpBound - $TemStat;
    } else {
        $NewStat = $TemStat;
    }
    return $NewStat;
}

sub statis { # Calculate mean, median and 95% HPD of numbers
    my @d_sort = sort {@a <=> $b} @_;
    my $num_d = @_; # Number of samples in @_
    my $num_mid = int($num_d/2); # Middle number of @d_sort;
    my $d_mid = $d_sort[$num_mid];
    my $sum;
    foreach (@_) {
        $sum += $_;
    }
    my $d_mean = $sum/@_;
    my $num95_d = 0.95*$num_d; # %95 HPD number of samples
    my $intHPD95 = $d_sort[$num95_d-1] - $d_sort[0]; # %95 HPD interval
    my $intHPD95_l = $d_sort[0]; # Left boundary of %95 HPD interval
    my $intHPD95_r = $d_sort[$num95_d-1]; # Right boundary of %95 HPD interval
    for (my $i = 1; $num95_d+$i <= $num_d; ++$i) {
        my $int95 = $d_sort[$num95_d+$i-1] - $d_sort[$i]; # %95 interval
        if ($int95 < $intHPD95) {
            $intHPD95 = $int95;
            $intHPD95_l = $d_sort[$i];
            $intHPD95_r = $d_sort[$num95_d+$i-1];
        }
    }
    return ($d_mean, $d_mid, $intHPD95_l, $intHPD95_r);
}

sub JC69MCMC {
    my ($ti, $tv, $n) = @_;

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my $d = ($dRange[1]-$dRange[0])*(rand) + $dRange[0]; # Random initial state
my @d; # An array of saved states
foreach (1 .. $NoItera) {
    my $d_old = $d; # Old state
    my $d_new = &NewSta($d_old, $dSlidWin, @dRange);
    my $logOld = ($ti+$tv)*log(0.75-0.75*exp(-4/3*$d_old)) + ($n-$ti-$tv)*log(0.25+0.75*exp(-4/3*$d_old)); # Log likelihood of old state
    my $logNew = ($ti+$tv)*log(0.75-0.75*exp(-4/3*$d_new)) + ($n-$ti-$tv)*log(0.25+0.75*exp(-4/3*$d_new)); # Log likelihood of new state
    my $accRat; # Acceptance ratio
    if ($logNew > $logOld) {
        $accRat = 1;
    } else {
        $accRat = exp($logNew-$logOld);
    }
    my $r2 = rand;
    if ($r2 < $accRat) {
        $d = $d_new;
    }
    my $pri = $_/$Prifreq;
    print "$_\t$d\n" if $pri == int($pri);
    if ($_ > $Burnin) {
        my $sav = $_/$Savfreq;
        push @d, $d if $sav == int($sav);
    }
}
my @d_stat = &statis(@d);
return (@d_stat);
}

sub K80MCMC {
    my ($ti, $tv, $n) = @_;
    my $d = ($dRange[1]-$dRange[0])*(rand) + $dRange[0]; # Random initial state of distance
    my $k = ($kRange[1]-$kRange[0])*(rand) + $kRange[0]; # Random initial state of kappa
    my @d; # An array of saved states of distance
    my @k; # An array of saved states of kappa
    foreach (1 .. $NoItera) {
        my $d_old = $d; # Old state of distance
        my $d_new = &NewSta($d_old, $dSlidWin, @dRange);
        my $k_old = $k; # Old state of kappa
        my $k_new = &NewSta($k_old, $kSlidWin, @kRange);
        my $old1 = exp(-4*$d_old/($k_old+2));
        my $old2 = exp(-2*$d_old*($k_old+1)/($k_old+2));
        my $logOld = $ti*log(0.25+0.25*$old1-0.5*$old2)+$tv*log(0.5-0.5*$old1)+($n-$ti-$tv)*log(0.25+0.25*$old1+0.5*$old2); # Log likelihood of old state
        my $new1 = exp(-4*$d_new/($k_new+2));
        my $new2 = exp(-2*$d_new*($k_new+1)/($k_new+2));
        my $logNew = $ti*log(0.25+0.25*$new1-0.5*$new2)+$tv*log(0.5-0.5*$new1)+($n-$ti-$tv)*log(0.25+0.25*$new1+0.5*$new2); # Log likelihood of new state
        my $accRat; # Acceptance ratio
        if ($logNew > $logOld) {
            $accRat = 1;
        } else {
            $accRat = exp($logNew-$logOld);
        }
        my $r2 = rand;
        if ($r2 < $accRat) {
            $d = $d_new;
            $k = $k_new;
        }
        my $pri = $_/$Prifreq;
        print "$_\t$d\t$k\n" if $pri == int($pri);
        if ($_ > $Burnin) {

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        my $sav = $_/$Savfreq;
        if ($sav == int($sav)) {
            push @d, $d;
            push @k, $k;
        }
    }
    my @d_stat = &statis(@d);
    my @k_stat = &statis(@k);
    return (@d_stat, @k_stat);
}

sub JC69gammaMCMC {
    my ($ti, $tv, $n) = @_;
    my $d = ($dRange[1]-$dRange[0])*(rand) + $dRange[0]; # Random initial state
    my @d; # An array of saved states
    foreach (1 .. $NoItera) {
        my $d_old = $d; # Old state
        my $d_new = &NewSta($d_old, $dSlidWin, @dRange);
        my $old1 = 1/(1+4*$d_old/3/$alpha)**$alpha;
        my $logOld = ($ti+$tv)*log(0.75-0.75*$old1) + ($n-$ti-$tv)*log(0.25+0.75*$old1); # Log likelihood of old state
        my $new1 = 1/(1+4*$d_new/3/$alpha)**$alpha;
        my $logNew = ($ti+$tv)*log(0.75-0.75*$new1) + ($n-$ti-$tv)*log(0.25+0.75*$new1); # Log likelihood of new state
        my $accRat; # Acceptance ratio
        if ($logNew > $logOld) {
            $accRat = 1;
        } else {
            $accRat = exp($logNew-$logOld);
        }
        my $r2 = rand;
        if ($r2 < $accRat) {
            $d = $d_new;
        }
        my $pri = $_/$Prifreq;
        print "$_\t$d\n" if $pri == int($pri);
        if ($_ > $Burnin) {
            my $sav = $_/$Savfreq;
            push @d, $d if $sav == int($sav);
        }
    }
    my @d_stat = &statis(@d);
    return (@d_stat);
}

sub K80gammaMCMC {
    my ($ti, $tv, $n) = @_;
    my $d = ($dRange[1]-$dRange[0])*(rand) + $dRange[0]; # Random initial state of distance
    my $k = ($kRange[1]-$kRange[0])*(rand) + $kRange[0]; # Random initial state of kappa
    my @d; # An array of saved states of distance
    my @k; # An array of saved states of kappa
    foreach (1 .. $NoItera) {
        my $d_old = $d; # Old state of distance
        my $d_new = &NewSta($d_old, $dSlidWin, @dRange);
        my $k_old = $k; # Old state of kappa
        my $k_new = &NewSta($k_old, $kSlidWin, @kRange);
        my $old1 = 1/(1+4*$d_old/($k_old+2)/$alpha)**$alpha;
        my $old2 = 1/(1+2*$d_old*($k_old+1)/($k_old+2)/$alpha)**$alpha;
        my $logOld = $ti*log(0.25+0.25*$old1-0.5*$old2)+$tv*log(0.5-0.5*$old1)+($n-$ti-$tv)*log(0.25+0.25*$old1+0.5*$old2); # Log likelihood of old state
        my $new1 = 1/(1+4*$d_new/($k_new+2)/$alpha)**$alpha;

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my $new2 = 1/(1+2*$d_new*($k_new+1)/($k_new+2)/$alpha)**$alpha;
my $logNew = $ti*log(0.25+0.25*$new1-0.5*$new2)+$tv*log(0.5-0.5*$new1)+($n-$ti-$tv)*log(0.25+0.25*$new1+0.5*$new2); # Log likelihood of new state
my $accRat; # Acceptance ratio
if ($logNew > $logOld) {
    $accRat = 1;
} else {
    $accRat = exp($logNew-$logOld);
}
my $r2 = rand;
if ($r2 < $accRat) {
    $d = $d_new;
    $k = $k_new;
}
my $pri = $_/$Prifreq;
print "$_\t$d\t$k\n" if $pri == int($pri);
if ($_ > $Burnin) {
    my $sav = $_/$Savfreq;
    if ($sav == int($sav)) {
        push @d, $d;
        push @k, $k;
    }
}
my @d_stat = &statis(@d);
my @k_stat = &statis(@k);
return (@d_stat, @k_stat);
}

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