

# 02\_gp\_2d\_inference

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## 1 Bivariate Gaussian Process Regression

### 1.1 Required Modules

```
[1]: import sys
      sys.path.append("../")

      import torch
      import pyro
      import pyro.contrib.gp as gp
      import pyro.infer
      import pyro.optim

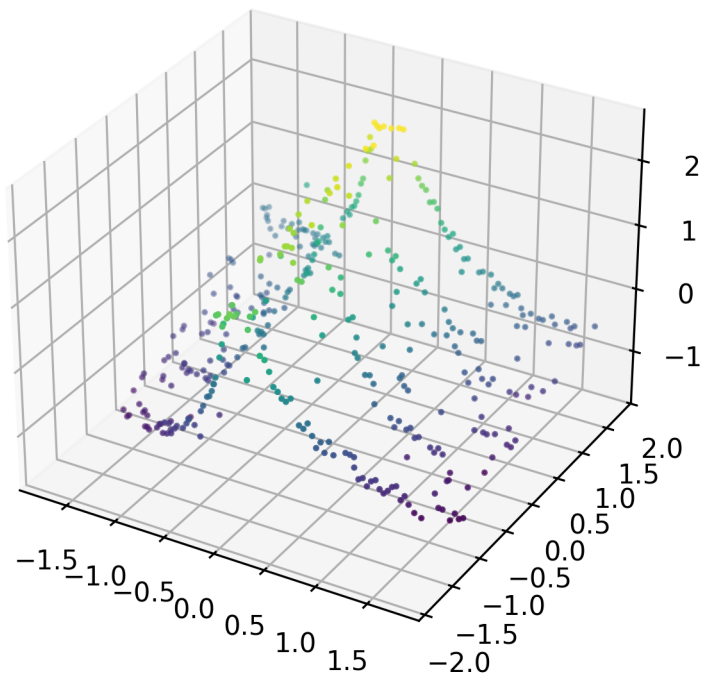
      import pyro.distributions as dist
      from pyro.infer import Trace_ELBO
      pyro.set_rng_seed(0)
```

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/home/ale/pythonEnv/tut/lib/python3.12/site-packages/tqdm/auto.py:21:
TqdmWarning: IProgress not found. Please update jupyter and ipywidgets. See
https://ipywidgets.readthedocs.io/en/stable/user\_install.html
  from .autonotebook import tqdm as notebook_tqdm
```

### 1.2 Data Retrieval and Inspection

```
[2]: from src.data import read_data
      from src.view import view_data_2D

      # X_train, y_train = read_data("../point_cloud_reduced.xyz")
      X_train, y_train = read_data("../data/point_cloud.xyz")
      view_data_2D(X_train, y_train)
```



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### 1.3 GP Regression Setting

$$y(x) = f(x) + \epsilon \quad f \sim \text{GP}(m(x), k(x)) \quad \epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_n^2)$$

### 1.4 Initialising the Regression

```
[3]: # initial guesses of kernel's parameters
var = torch.tensor(1.0)
length = torch.tensor((1.0, 1.0))
noise = torch.tensor(0.1)

# load RBF kernel and GP regression
kernel = gp.kernels.RBF(input_dim=2, variance=var, lengthscale=length)
gpr = gp.models.GPRegression(X_train, y_train, kernel, noise=noise)
```

### 1.5 Solving the Regression Problem

From a computational perspective, pyro-pp1 seeks to maximise this loss function to accomplish regression:

$$\text{ELBO} = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbb{Q}_{\lambda}[\theta]} [\log \mathbb{P}[\mathbf{x}|\theta] - \log \mathbb{Q}_{\lambda}[\theta]]$$

The optimisers (Adam) requires a learning rate to regulate the rate of the gradient evaluation of

the loss function. Specifically, the loss function implemented by `pyro-ppl` is `Trace_ELBO`. We also need to specify how many `steps` should last the training. Finally, the training is handled the an helper function `train_helper`, which wraps `pyro-ppl` utilities.

```
[4]: # load optimiser and loss function
learning_rate = 0.01
optimiser = pyro.optim.Adam({"lr": learning_rate})
loss_fn = Trace_ELBO()
steps = 1000
```

```
[5]: from src.view import inspect_loss
from src.inference import train_helper
# train and inspect loss function
loss = train_helper(gpr, optimiser, loss_fn, steps)
inspect_loss(loss)
```

```
--- Step 0 - Loss: 125.65497890092195
* Variance: 1.0100501775741577
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.9900, 1.0101], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.09900498390197754

--- Step 100 - Loss: -137.31452267905632
* Variance: 1.616642713546753
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.4794, 2.9148], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.03274150565266609

--- Step 200 - Loss: -177.25498432239988
* Variance: 1.3321934938430786
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.4053, 4.8909], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.01844858191907406

--- Step 300 - Loss: -177.6921562407274
* Variance: 1.329177737236023
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.3979, 5.0931], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.017371196299791336

--- Step 400 - Loss: -177.69241324184065
* Variance: 1.3359442949295044
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.3980, 5.1047], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.01736351102590561

--- Step 500 - Loss: -177.69250425307905
* Variance: 1.340414047241211
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.3981, 5.1123], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.017363859340548515

--- Step 600 - Loss: -177.69253398653802
* Variance: 1.3431421518325806
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* Lengthscale: tensor([0.3982, 5.1170], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.01736401580274105
```

```
--- Step 700 - Loss: -177.69254207197662
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```
* Variance: 1.3446455001831055
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.3982, 5.1195], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.01736411638557911
```

```
--- Step 800 - Loss: -177.6925439084505
```

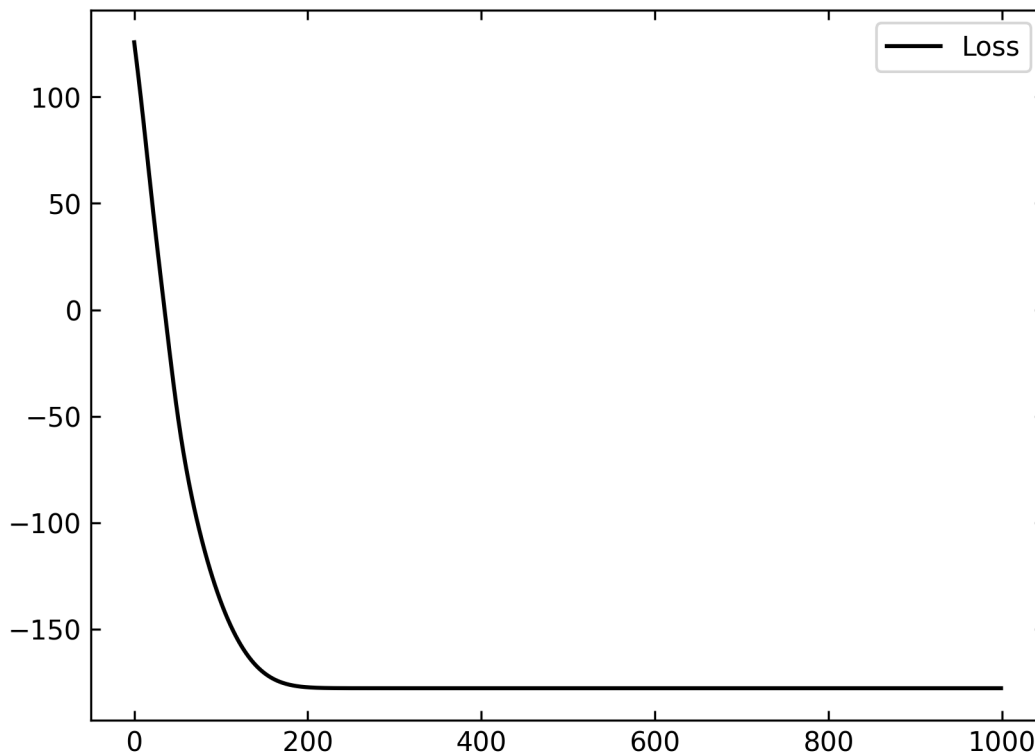
```
* Variance: 1.3453978300094604
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.3982, 5.1208], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.01736416481435299
```

```
--- Step 900 - Loss: -177.69254425678457
```

```
* Variance: 1.3457393646240234
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.3983, 5.1214], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.01736419089138508
```

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----- Summary -----
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* Variance: 1.3458789587020874
* Lengthscale: tensor([0.3983, 5.1216], grad_fn=<AddBackward0>)
* Noise: 0.01736420765519142
* Elapsed time: 6.79 s
```



## 1.6 Making Predictions

Conditioning to the training data:

$$\mathbb{E}[x_*] = k(x_*, x)[k(x, x) + \sigma_n^2 \mathbf{I}]^{-1} \mathbf{y}$$

$$\mathbb{V}[x_*] = k(x_*, x_*) - k(x_*, x)[k(x, x) + \sigma_n^2 \mathbf{I}]^{-1} k(x, x_*)$$

These operations are automatically handled by `forward` method of `gpr` (see `pyro-ppl` documentation).

To evaluate the above, we make an *grid* of test data, condition it to the training data, and finally inspect the result.

## 1.7 Graphical Inspection

```
[6]: # grid test data
from src.data import grid_factory
X_test = grid_factory(X_train[:, 0], X_train[:, 1])

# conditioning
y_mean, y_cov = gpr(X_test, full_cov=True)
y_std = y_cov.diag().sqrt()

[7]: from src.view import contour_and_scatter
from src.view import config_contour, contour, contour_3D_gp

# configure contour of the mean
cfg = config_contour(y_train, y_mean, levels=20)
contour_and_scatter(X_train, y_train, X_test=X_test, y_test=y_mean.detach(),
                    ↪label="Mean", config=cfg)

# configure contour of the uncertainty
cfg = config_contour(y_std.detach(), y_std.detach(), levels=20)
contour(X_test=X_test, y_test=y_std.detach(), label="Uncertainty", config=cfg)
contour_3D_gp(X_train=X_train, y_train=y_train,
              X_test=X_test, y_mean=y_mean.detach(), y_std=y_std.detach(),
              ↪levels=15)
```

