



UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

Statistica Spaziale M

2021-2-F8204B010

Learning objectives

The course aims at providing students with a set of methodologies to deal with the estimation and prediction of spatial data.

Contents

Exploratory spatial data analysis; analysis of Spatial point pattern; geostatistics; introduction of spatial lattice data.

Detailed program

Spatial point processes: homogeneous and non homogeneous Poisson process. CSR tests. Parametric estimation of the intensity function of an inhomogeneous Poisson process.

Geostatistics: exploratory spatial data analysis; variogram, covariogram and correlogram; isotropy and some isotropic variogram models; variogram estimation: empirical and robust variogram, the kernel estimation, parametric modeling of the variogram function: OLS, WLS, GLS and maximum likelihood estimation; simple, ordinary and universal kriging;

Laboratory sessions in R.

Prerequisites

Elements of inferential statistics, stochastic processes and R programming .

Teaching methods

Class lessons and lab sessions.

During the Covid 19 pandemic, lessons will be made available via on the University web platforms

Assessment methods

Lab assesment and oral examination .

The overall mark is obtained by averaging the marks obtained in each part.

Exams and assesments during the Covid 19 pandemic will take place on the University web platforms

Textbooks and Reading Materials

O. Schabenberger, C.A. Gotway, 2005, Statistical methods for spatial data analysis Chapman & Hall/CRC.

Additional readings, R-codes, datasets and case studies will be made available through the eLearning web page of the course.

Semester

First term of the first semester.

Teaching language

Italian.
