

2. Let $\{W^H(t) : t \in \mathbb{R}_+^d\}$ be a centered Gaussian random field with the covariances

$$\text{cov}(W^H(s), W^H(t)) = \frac{1}{2}(\|t\|^{2H} + \|s\|^{2H} - \|t-s\|^{2H}), \quad t, s \in \mathbb{R}_+^d,$$

$$\text{var}(W^H(t)) = \|t\|^{2H}$$

where $H \in (0, 1)$. Such a random field is called the *Lévy's fractional Brownian random field*. Show that it is an intrinsically stationary random field and determine its variogram.

$H = \frac{1}{2}$... Brownian RF

intrinsic stationary : 1) $\mathbb{E}(W^H(s) - W^H(t)) = 0 \quad \forall s, t \in \mathbb{R}^d$
 $\hookrightarrow \text{var}(W^H(s) - W^H(t))$ is a function of $|t-s|$ only.

and 1) $W^H(t)$ is centered ✓

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and 2)} \quad \text{var}(W^H(s) - W^H(t)) &= \text{var} W^H(s) + \text{var} W^H(t) - \\ &\quad + 2 \text{cov}(W^H(s), W^H(t)) = \\ &= \|s\|^{2H} + \|t\|^{2H} - (\|s\|^{2H} + \|t\|^{2H} - \|t-s\|^{2H}) = \|t-s\|^{2H} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow \{W^H(t), t \in \mathbb{R}_+^d\}$ is intrinsic stationary
 (univariate stac.)

$$\text{variogram: } 2\gamma(h) = \text{var}(W^H(t+h) - W^H(t)) = \|h\|^{2H},$$

$$\text{semivariogram: } \gamma(h) = \frac{1}{2} \|h\|^{2H}, \quad h \in \mathbb{R}_+^d$$

assume: $\{Z(t), t \in \mathbb{R}_+^d\}$ weakly stationary ... $C(h) = \text{cov}(Z(t+h), Z(t))$,
 $Z\gamma(h) = \text{var}(Z(t+h) - Z(t)) = \text{var}(Z(t+h)) + \text{var}(Z(t)) -$
 $- 2 \text{cov}(Z(t+h), Z(t)) = C(0) + C(0) - 2 \cdot C(h) =$
 $= 2C(0) - 2C(h)$

$$\rightarrow \gamma(h) = C(0) - C(h)$$