

# Project proposal 'wind speed sequences'

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## Informal problem description

A non-imprecise probabilities colleague came to me with the following problem:

- ▶ I am interested in the yearly maximal 10-minute mean wind speed.
- ▶ We know the CDF  $F_{10}$  on the 10-minute means (it is usually Weibull).
- ▶ If we assume that the 10-minute means are independent, we can derive the CDF of the yearly maximal 10-minute mean ( $F_{yr} = F_{10}^N$  with  $N$  the number of 10-minute periods in a year).
- ▶ Obviously, the 10-minute means are not independent. Their between subsequent means is about 0.9. I would like to know what the impact is of this correlation on the yearly extreme.
- ▶ Also, I'd like to simulate 10-minute mean wind sequences that satisfy  $F_{10}$  and the assumed correlation.

## Assignment

- ▶ Identify partial knowledge aspects in the problem description (are my colleague's assumptions always)
- ▶ Find data to learn uncertainty models in the problem domain
- ▶ Formulate research questions in the problem domain related to partial knowledge and epistemic uncertainty
  - ▶ This can include, but can also be different from my colleague's questions
  - ▶ Include an investigation of the impact of the degree of imprecision
- ▶ Formalize the problem domain and work towards answering your research questions
- ▶ Create visualizations showing the result of your investigation