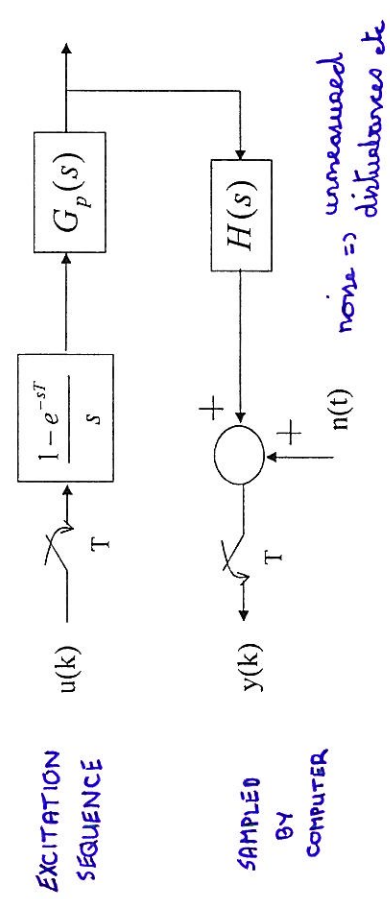


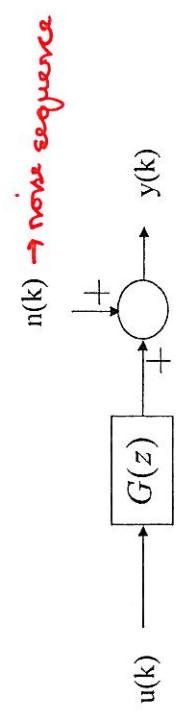
# Chapter 8. System Identification

## 8.1 Introduction

Identify  $G(z)$  from experimental results:



Could be represented as:



Could identify  $G(z)$ :

- A convolution model:  $G(z) = g_0 + g_1 z^{-1} + \dots + g_N z^{-N}$
- Robust to miscalculation of the order
- Simple test (could be generated easily from a step response)
- Many parameters needed 30-100 depends on  $T_s$
- A transfer function:  $G(z) = \frac{B(z)}{A(z)}$  (IIR)
- Order structure is important

## 8.2 The Least Squares Algorithm

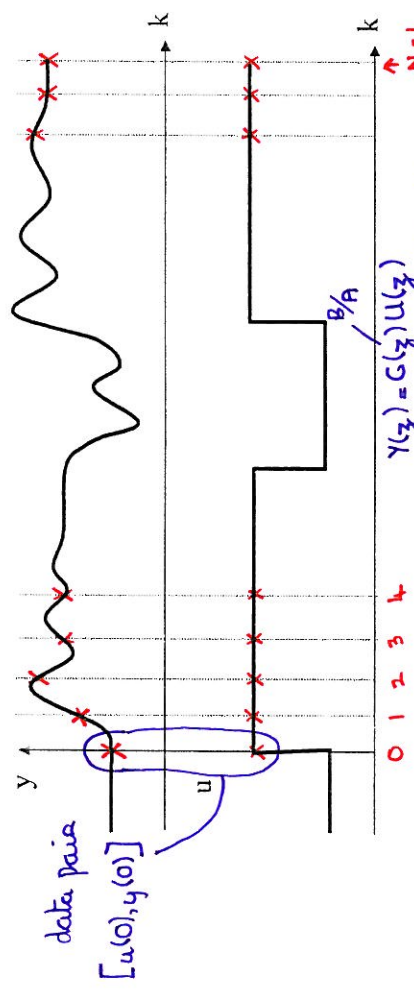
Consider that the SISO process can be represented by the transfer function:

$$\frac{Y(z)}{U(z)} = G(z) = \frac{z^{-d}(b_1 z^{-1} + b_2 z^{-2} + \dots + b_m z^{-m})}{1 - a_1 z^{-1} - a_2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_n z^{-n}} = \frac{B(z)}{A(z)}$$

pure time delay

order

Carry out the experiment - excite the process, collect  $N_1$  data pairs:



Specify the candidate model:

$$\hat{y}(k+1) = \hat{a}_1 y(k) + \hat{a}_2 y(k-1) + \dots + \hat{a}_n y(k-n+1) + \hat{b}_1 u(k-d) + \hat{b}_2 u(k-d-1) + \dots + \hat{b}_m u(k-d-m+1)$$

ESTIMATE

The first valid "test" equation is then:

$$\hat{y}(m+d) = \hat{a}_1 y(m+d-1) + \hat{a}_2 y(m+d-2) + \dots + \hat{a}_n y(m+d-n) + \hat{b}_1 u(m-1) + \hat{b}_2 u(m-2) + \dots + \hat{b}_m u(0)$$

N.B

We need a measure of how good our candidate model fits the data-set.

Define the Least-Squares cost function:

$$J = \sum_{i=m+d}^{N_1-1} e^2(i)$$

*sum of squared errors over the N valid data points*

where:  $e(i) = y(i) - \hat{y}(i)$  K ESTIMATE

Now we will define the error vector  $\underline{E}$  over the valid data-set:

$$\underline{E} = \begin{bmatrix} e(m+d) \\ e(m+d+1) \\ \vdots \\ e(N_1-1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y(m+d) \\ y(m+d+1) \\ \vdots \\ y(N_1-1) \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \hat{y}(m+d) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+1) \\ \vdots \\ \hat{y}(N_1-1) \end{bmatrix}$$

*ERROR VECTOR = MEASUREMENT VECTOR - ESTIMATE VECTOR*

$$\underline{E} = \underline{Y}_N - \hat{\underline{Y}}_N$$

Then we can write the least-squares cost function as:

$$J = \sum_{i=m+d}^{N_1-1} e^2(i) = \underline{E}^T \underline{E} = \begin{bmatrix} e(m+d) & \dots & e(N_1-1) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e(m+d) \\ \vdots \\ e(N_1-1) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= e(m+d)^2 + e(m+d+1)^2 + \dots + e(N_1-1)^2$$

Could be rewritten as:  $J = \underline{E}^T \underline{E}$

$$J = \left( \underline{Y}_N - \hat{\underline{Y}}_N \right)^T \left( \underline{Y}_N - \hat{\underline{Y}}_N \right)$$

But we know:

$$\hat{\underline{Y}}_N = \Phi \underline{\hat{\theta}}$$

$$\therefore J = (\underline{Y}_N - \Phi \underline{\hat{\theta}})^T (\underline{Y}_N - \Phi \underline{\hat{\theta}})$$

We can repeat this, to generate output estimates over the valid dataset: using OUR GUESS FOR  $\hat{a}_1, \dots, \hat{b}_m$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{y}(m+d) &= \hat{a}_1 y(m+d-1) + \hat{a}_2 y(m+d-2) + \dots + \hat{a}_n y(m+d-n) + \hat{b}_1 u(m-1) + \hat{b}_2 u(m-2) + \dots + \hat{b}_m u(0) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+1) &= \hat{a}_1 y(m+d) + \hat{a}_2 y(m+d-1) + \dots + \hat{a}_n y(m+d-n+1) + \hat{b}_1 u(m) + \hat{b}_2 u(m-1) + \dots + \hat{b}_m u(1) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+2) &= \hat{a}_1 y(m+d+1) + \hat{a}_2 y(m+d) + \dots + \hat{a}_n y(m+d-n+2) + \hat{b}_1 u(m+1) + \hat{b}_2 u(m) + \dots + \hat{b}_m u(2) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+3) &= \hat{a}_1 y(m+d+2) + \hat{a}_2 y(m+d+1) + \dots + \hat{a}_n y(m+d-n+3) + \hat{b}_1 u(m+2) + \hat{b}_2 u(m+1) + \dots + \hat{b}_m u(3) \\ &\vdots \\ &\vdots \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{y}(N_1-1) = \hat{a}_1 y(N_1-2) + \hat{a}_2 y(N_1-3) + \dots + \hat{a}_n y(N_1-1-n) + \hat{b}_1 u(N_1-d-2) + \hat{b}_2 u(N_1-d-3) + \dots + \hat{b}_m u(N_1-d-1-m)$$

we now have (N<sub>1</sub> - M - d) valid equations  
⇒ N equations

Could be written in matrix form as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \hat{y}(m+d) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+1) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+2) \\ \vdots \\ \hat{y}(N_1-2) \\ \hat{y}(N_1-1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y(m+d-1) & \dots & y(m+d-n) & \dots & u(m-1) & \dots & u(0) \\ y(m+d) & \dots & y(m+d-n+1) & \dots & u(m) & \dots & u(1) \\ y(m+d+1) & \dots & y(m+d-n+2) & \dots & u(m+1) & \dots & u(2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ y(N_1-3) & \dots & y(N_1-n-2) & \dots & u(N_1-d-3) & \dots & u(N_1-d-m-2) \\ y(N_1-2) & \dots & y(N_1-n-1) & \dots & u(N_1-d-2) & \dots & u(N_1-d-m-1) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{a}_1 \\ \hat{a}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{a}_n \\ \hat{b}_1 \\ \hat{b}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{b}_m \end{bmatrix}$$

*Φ* Y<sub>N</sub> θ̂

This could be rewritten as:

$$\hat{\underline{Y}}_N = \Phi \underline{\hat{\theta}}$$

where:

*Φ: Regressor matrix - contains measured samples of i/o*

$$\underline{\hat{\theta}} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{a}_1 & \hat{a}_2 & \dots & \hat{a}_n & \hat{b}_1 & \hat{b}_2 & \dots & \hat{b}_m \end{bmatrix}^T$$

*GUESS OR ESTIMATE OF PARAMETERS*

INSTEAD OF SOLVING USING  $\frac{\partial J}{\partial \hat{\theta}} = 0$   
WE WILL USE COMPLETING  
THE SQUARE

Solution by completing the square:

First consider

could easily solve for  
minimum point  $\frac{\partial J}{\partial x} = 2x + 3$   
min occurs when  $x = -\frac{3}{2}$

$$J = x^2 + 3x + 1$$

Completing the square yields,

$$J = (x + \frac{3}{2})^2 + (1 - \frac{9}{4})$$

The minimum occurs at:

$$x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

Now consider:

$$J = 5x^2 + 3x + 1$$

Try the following candidate for completing the square:

$$J = (x + \alpha) 5(x + \alpha) + \beta$$

Multiplying out yields,

$$J = 5x^2 + 10\alpha x + 5\alpha^2 + \beta$$

$$\therefore 10\alpha = 3$$

$$\alpha = \frac{3}{10}$$

MIN WHEN  $x = -\alpha = -\frac{3}{10}$   
N.B. MIN COST  $J_{\min} = \beta$

Now consider the following cost based on vector  $\underline{x}$

$$\text{SCALAR} \rightarrow J = \underline{x}^T M \underline{x} - G \underline{x} + J_0 \quad (1)$$

Consider the candidate for completing the square:

$$J = (\underline{x} - \underline{\alpha})^T M (\underline{x} - \underline{\alpha}) + \beta \quad (2)$$

The minimum of this cost function then occurs when:

$$\underline{x} = \underline{\alpha}$$

Multiplying out equation (2) yields:

Revision:  $(A+B)^T = A^T + B^T$   
 $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$   
 $\Rightarrow (\underline{Y}_N - \Phi \hat{\theta})^T = \underline{Y}_N^T - (\Phi \hat{\theta})^T$   
 $= \underline{Y}_N^T - \hat{\theta}^T \Phi^T$

The cost can be expanded as follows:

N.B. SCALAR  $\rightarrow J = (\underline{Y}_N^T - \hat{\theta}^T \Phi^T) (\underline{Y}_N - \Phi \hat{\theta}) = (\underline{Y}_N^T - \hat{\theta}^T \Phi^T) (\underline{Y}_N - \Phi \hat{\theta})$   
 $= \underline{Y}_N^T \underline{Y}_N - \underline{Y}_N^T \Phi \hat{\theta} - \hat{\theta}^T \Phi^T \underline{Y}_N + \hat{\theta}^T \Phi^T \Phi \hat{\theta}$   
SAME

Which could be rearranged to yield:

$$J = \hat{\theta}^T \Phi^T \Phi \hat{\theta} - 2 \underline{Y}_N^T \Phi \hat{\theta} + \underline{Y}_N^T \underline{Y}_N$$

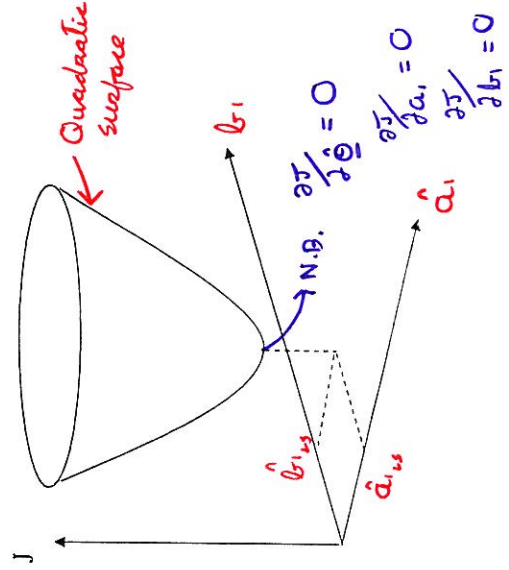
This is a quadratic function of the parameter vector:-

We will choose  $\hat{\theta}$  to minimise  $J$  "best fit" IN A LEAST SQUARES SENSE

Consider a simple example where we are trying to identify the parameters of the following first order model:

$$G(z) = \frac{b_1 z^{-1}}{1 - a_1 z^{-1}}$$

The least-squares cost function could be plotted for various choices of parameters:



N.B. minimum cost  $\neq 0$   
due to "noise"

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial a_1} = 0 \quad \frac{\partial J}{\partial b_1} = 0$$



SCALAR  $\rightarrow J = \underline{x}^T M \underline{x} - \underline{\alpha}^T M \underline{x} - \underline{x}^T M \underline{\alpha} + \underline{\alpha}^T M \underline{\alpha} + \beta$  (3)

*SAME*

Comparing equation (3) with the cost equation (1):

$$J = \underline{x}^T M \underline{x} - \underline{\alpha}^T M \underline{x} - \underline{x}^T M \underline{\alpha} + \underline{\alpha}^T M \underline{\alpha} + \beta$$

$$J = \underline{x}^T M \underline{x} - 2 \underline{\alpha}^T M \underline{x} + (\underline{\alpha}^T M \underline{\alpha} + \beta)$$

$$G \underline{x} = 2 \underline{\alpha}^T M \Rightarrow G = 2 \underline{\alpha}^T M$$

$$\frac{1}{2} G \underline{x} = \underline{\alpha}^T M \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} G M^{-1} = \underline{\alpha}^T M M^{-1}$$

$$\underline{\alpha}^T = \frac{1}{2} G M^{-1}$$

Hence the cost of equation (1) is a minimum when:

$$\underline{\alpha} = \underline{\alpha} \quad \text{or} \quad \underline{x}^T = \underline{\alpha}^T = \frac{1}{2} G M^{-1}$$

Now we will return to the least squares cost for system identification:

POSITIVE DEFINITE AND SYMMETRIC

$$J = \underline{\hat{\theta}}^T (\Phi^T \Phi \underline{\hat{\theta}} - 2 \underline{Y}_N \Phi \underline{\hat{\theta}} + \underline{Y}_N^T \underline{Y}_N)$$

$$= \underline{\hat{\theta}}^T M \underline{\hat{\theta}} - G \underline{\hat{\theta}} + J_0$$

$$\underline{\hat{\theta}}_{LS}^T = \underline{\hat{\theta}}^T$$

This will then be minimised when:

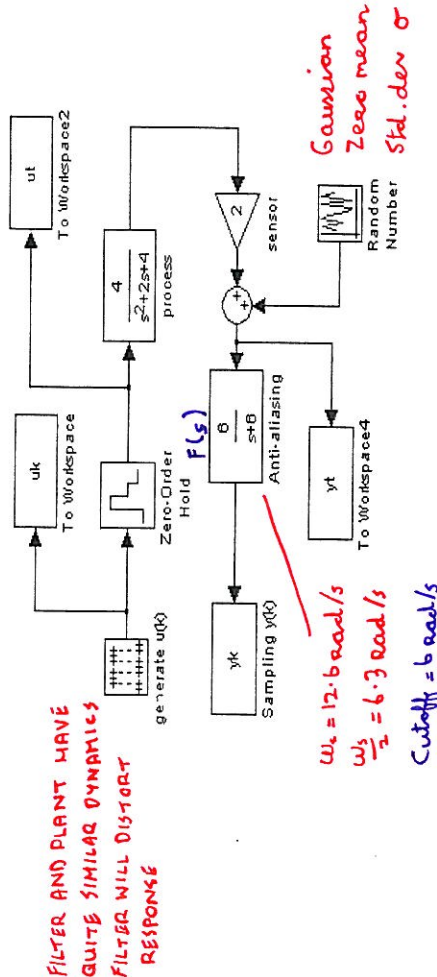
$$\underline{\hat{\theta}}_{LS}^T = \frac{1}{2} G M^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} (\underline{Y}_N^T \Phi \Phi^T \underline{Y}_N)^{-1}$$

$$\underline{\hat{\theta}}_{LS}^T = \underline{Y}_N^T \Phi (\Phi^T \Phi)^{-1}$$

$$\underline{\hat{\theta}}_{LS}^T = (\Phi^T \Phi)^{-1} \Phi^T \underline{Y}_N$$

Revision:  $(ABC)^T = C^T B^T A^T$   $(\Phi^T \Phi)^{-1}$  is symmetric

EXAMPLE: Sample time = 0.5 seconds  
 $\therefore \omega_s = \frac{2\pi}{T} = 12.6 \text{ rad/s}$



The antialiasing filter is chosen as:

$$\frac{\omega_s}{2} \approx 6 \text{ rad/s} \quad F(s) = \frac{6}{s + 6}$$

The transfer function  $G(z)$  is then determined as:

$$G(z) = Z \left\{ \frac{1 - e^{-sT}}{s} \cdot \frac{6}{s + 6} \right\}$$

Handwritten notes: "LOH" (Zero-Order Hold), "H F" (Half Sample), "SINCE F(s) HAS AN EFFECT ON THE BASEBAND"

$$= \frac{0.3975z^{-1} + 0.652z^{-2} + 0.0565z^{-3}}{1 - 0.835z^{-1} + 0.407z^{-2} - 0.0183z^{-3}}$$

Hence:

$$\underline{\theta}_{me} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0.835 & -0.407 & 0.0183 & 0.3975 & 0.652 & 0.0565 \end{bmatrix}^T$$

TRUE

The first valid equation is: (3rd order)

$$\hat{y}k(3) = \hat{a}_1 yk(2) + \hat{a}_2 yk(1) + \hat{a}_3 yk(0) + \hat{b}_1 u(2) + \hat{b}_2 u(1) + \hat{b}_3 u(0)$$

The regressor matrix  $\Phi$  is:

$$\Phi = \begin{bmatrix} y_k(2) & y_k(1) & y_k(0) & u(2) & u(1) & u(0) \\ y_k(3) & y_k(2) & y_k(1) & u(3) & u(2) & u(1) \\ y_k(4) & y_k(3) & y_k(2) & u(4) & u(3) & u(2) \\ y_k(5) & y_k(4) & y_k(3) & u(5) & u(4) & u(3) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

The least squares solution could be implemented as an M file:

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n=length(yk);
y=yk-1;
u=uk-0.5;
y3=y(1:n-3);
y2=y(2:n-2);
y1=y(3:n-1);
u3=u(1:n-3);
u2=u(2:n-2);
u1=u(3:n-1);
phi=[y1,y2,y3,u1,u2,u3];
yn=y(4:n);
theta=inv(phi'*phi)*phi'*yn
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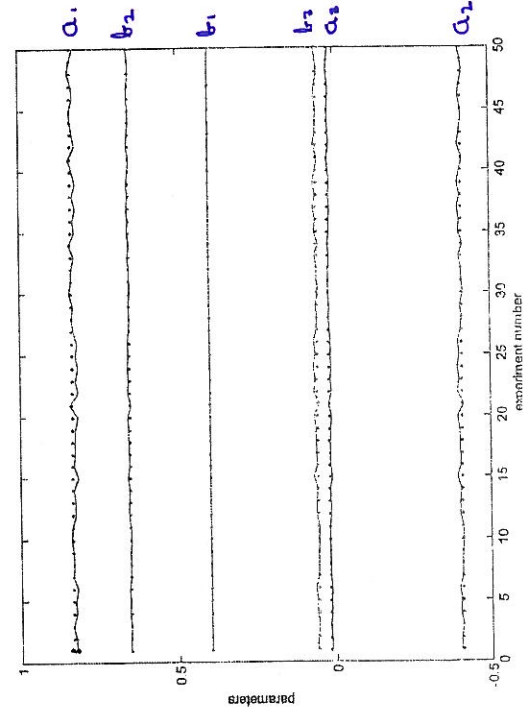
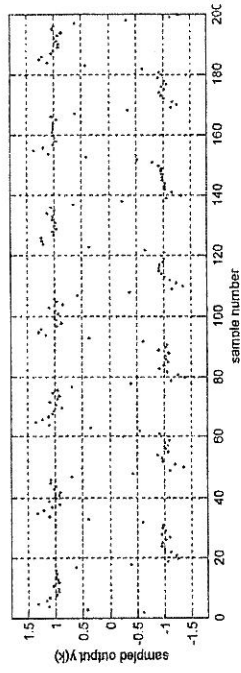
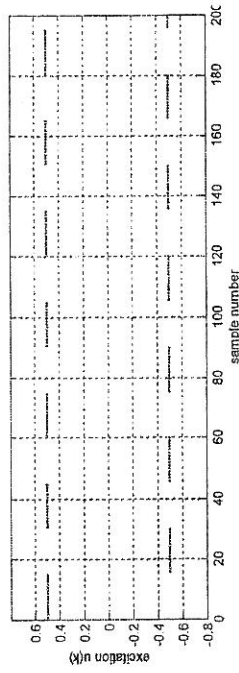
VALID  
MEAS

→

theta=inv(phi'\*phi)\*phi'\*yn

## Expt 1: Low standard deviation noise

- 50 different data sets collected each consisting of 200 points
- Parameter vector estimated for each data-set:

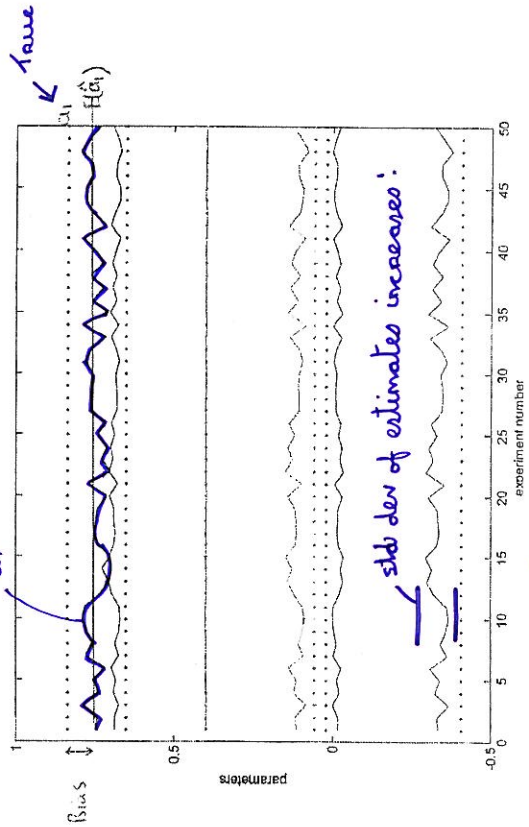
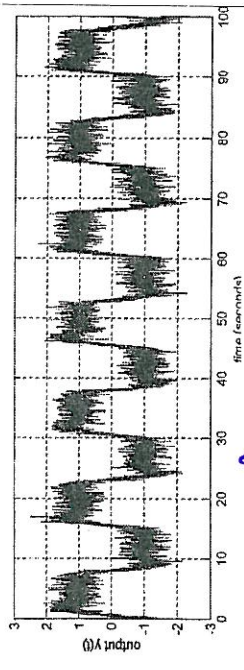
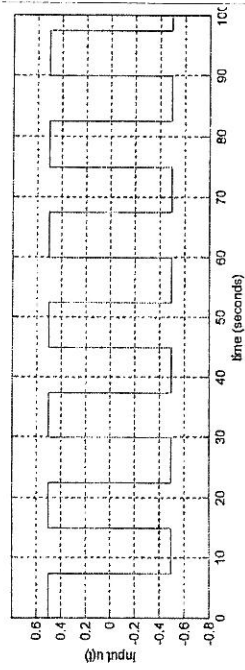


N.B  
THERE IS A  
SLIGHT BIAS

EACH DATASET IS DIFFERENT  
AND YIELDS A DIFFERENT  
PARAMETER VECTOR

## Expt 2: Large standard deviation noise

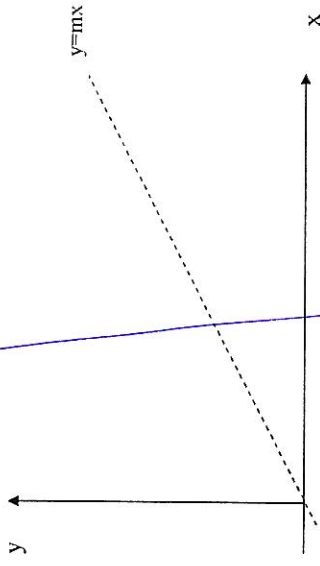
- 50 different data sets collected each consisting of 200 points
- Parameter vector estimated for each data-set:



as noise  $\sigma \uparrow \rightarrow$  bias  $\uparrow$  and std dev of parameters  $\uparrow$   
 accuracy  $\downarrow$  and uncertainty  $\uparrow$

## 8.2.1 A Note on Bias

Consider the simple line fitting problem:



The true system is  $y=mx$ , but the data is corrupted by noise, hence the measurements  $x$  and  $y$  are related by:

$$y = mx + \varepsilon$$

If the measurement noise is random with zero mean:

Now consider the system identification problem of obtaining unbiased estimates of the  $A(z)$  and  $B(z)$  polynomials.

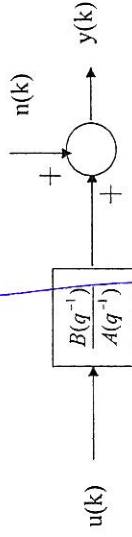
If the measurements are related via the ARX equation:

$$A(q^{-1})y(k) = B(q^{-1})u(k) + \varepsilon(k)$$

and the residual obeys:

then the parameter estimates will be unbiased.

Note: Consider the effect of sensor measurement noise:



Then:

$$y(k) = \frac{B(q^{-1})}{A(q^{-1})} u(k) + n(k)$$

Hence the estimates will be biased:

### 8.3 Recursive Least Squares

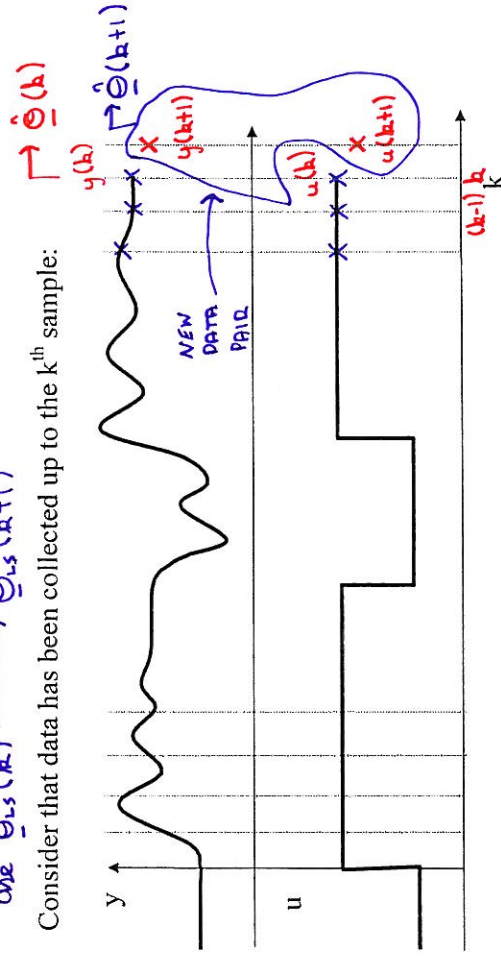
The least squares method is a batch algorithm:

$$\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS} = (\Phi^T \Phi)^{-1} \Phi^T \underline{y}$$

Recursive least Squares (RLS) is an on-line recursive algorithm – which will use each new sample pair  $\{u(k+1), y(k+1)\}$  to generate an updated estimate for the parameter vector.

$$\text{use } \hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k) \xrightarrow{\text{UPDATE}} \hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k+1)$$

Consider that data has been collected up to the  $k^{\text{th}}$  sample:



Define the measurement vector at time  $k$ :

$$\underline{Y}(k) = [y(m+d) \quad y(m+d+1) \quad \dots \quad y(k-1) \quad y(k)]^T$$

Now define the regressor matrix  $\Phi(k)$  as being formed from all the valid input and output data up to time  $k$ .

Hence the estimator equation becomes:



$$\hat{Y}(k) = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{y}(m+d) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+1) \\ \vdots \\ \hat{y}(k) \end{bmatrix} = \Phi(k) \hat{\theta}$$

And the least squares solution to the parameters at time k is :

N.B.  
 as time unfolds  $k \uparrow$   
 $Y(k)$  and  $\Phi(k)$   
 become larger  
 $\hat{\theta}_{LS}(k) = (\Phi(k)^T \Phi(k))^{-1} \Phi(k)^T Y(k)$   
 INVERSE IS NUMERICALLY INTENSIVE  
 Now consider that we have available the input/output pair  
 sampled at the  $(k+1)^{th}$  sample.

The measurement vector then becomes:

$$Y(k+1) = \begin{bmatrix} y(m+d) \\ y(m+d+1) \\ \vdots \\ y(k) \\ \text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \\ y(k+1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Y(k) \\ y(k+1) \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \begin{matrix} \text{new appended data} \\ \text{(Target)} \end{matrix}$$

The estimated output vector is:

$$\hat{Y}(k+1) = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{y}(m+d) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+1) \\ \vdots \\ \hat{y}(k) \\ \text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \\ \hat{y}(k+1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{Y}(k) \\ \hat{y}(k+1) \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \text{new prediction}$$

Where:

$$\hat{y}(k+1) = \hat{a}_1 y(k) + \dots + \hat{a}_n y(k-n+1) + \hat{b}_1 u(k-d) + \dots + \hat{b}_m u(k-d-m+1)$$

Or :

$$\hat{y}(k+1) = \underline{\psi}^T(k+1) \hat{\theta}$$

$$\underline{\psi}(k+1) = \begin{bmatrix} y(k) \\ y(k-1) \\ \vdots \\ y(k-n+1) \\ \text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \\ u(k-d) \\ u(k-d-n+1) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\theta} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{a}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{a}_n \\ \text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \\ \hat{b}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{b}_m \end{bmatrix}$$

The estimator equation can then be written as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \hat{y}(m+d) \\ \hat{y}(m+d+1) \\ \vdots \\ \hat{y}(k) \\ \hat{y}(k+1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y(m+d-1) & \dots & y(m+d-n) & u(m-1) & \dots & u(0) \\ y(m+d) & \dots & y(m+d-n+1) & u(m) & \dots & u(1) \\ y(m+d+1) & \dots & y(m+d-n+2) & u(m+1) & \dots & u(2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ y(k-1) & \dots & y(k-n) & u(k-d-1) & \dots & u(k-d-m) \\ y(k) & \dots & y(k-n+1) & u(k-d) & \dots & u(k-d-m+1) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{a}_1 \\ \hat{a}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{a}_n \\ \hat{b}_1 \\ \hat{b}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{b}_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\hat{Y}}(k+1) = \underline{\Phi}(k+1) \hat{\theta}$$

Which could be written as:

$$\hat{Y}(k+1) = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{Y}(k) \\ \hat{y}(k+1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \Phi(k) \\ \underline{\psi}^T(k+1) \end{bmatrix} \hat{\theta}$$

The updated parameter vector could be calculated as:

$$\hat{\theta}_{LS}(k+1) = (\Phi(k+1)^T \Phi(k+1))^{-1} \Phi(k+1)^T Y(k+1)$$

as time progresses this becomes ridiculous !!!  
 $\Rightarrow$  memory and calc. time



Revision  $\begin{bmatrix} A & \\ & B \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A^{-1} & \\ & B^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$

Consider:

$$\Phi(k+1)^T \Phi(k+1) = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{\Phi(k)}{\psi^T(k+1)} \\ \frac{\Phi(k)}{\psi^T(k+1)} \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\Phi(k)}{\psi^T(k+1)} \\ \frac{\Phi(k)}{\psi^T(k+1)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \Phi(k)^T & \Psi(k+1) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Phi(k) \\ \psi^T(k+1) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \Phi(k)^T \Phi(k) + \Psi(k+1) \Psi^T(k+1)$$

Now we will define:

$$P(k) = (\Phi(k)^T \Phi(k))^{-1}$$

$$P(k+1) = (\Phi(k+1)^T \Phi(k+1))^{-1}$$

Hence we can now write:

$$P(k+1) = [\Phi(k)^T \Phi(k) + \Psi(k+1) \Psi^T(k+1)]^{-1}$$

$$= [P(k)^{-1} + \Psi(k+1) \Psi^T(k+1)]^{-1}$$

Householder's Matrix Inversion lemma states:

$$(A + BCD)^{-1} = A^{-1} - A^{-1}B(C^{-1} + DA^{-1}B)^{-1}DA^{-1}$$

Choose:  $A = P(k)^{-1}$

N.B.  $\rightarrow C = I$

sub dimension for inverse

$$B = \Psi(k+1)$$

$$D = \Psi^T(k+1)$$

Then:

$$P(k+1) = [P(k)^{-1} + \Psi(k+1) \Psi^T(k+1)]^{-1}$$

Could be written as:

$$P(k+1) = A^{-1} - A^{-1}B(C^{-1} + DA^{-1}B)^{-1}DA^{-1} \\ = P(k) - P(k) \Psi(k+1) [I + \Psi^T(k+1) P(k) \Psi(k+1)]^{-1} \Psi^T P(k)$$

$$\text{But } (I + \Psi^T(k+1) P(k) \Psi(k+1))^{-1} = \frac{1}{1 + \Psi^T P \Psi} \text{ SCALAR !!!}$$

NO INVERSION OF A LARGE MATRIX IS REQUIRED  $\rightarrow$  if we know  $P(k)$   $\rightarrow$  we get  $P(k+1)$

This can be simplified to:

$$P(k+1) = P(k) - \frac{P(k) \Psi(k+1) \Psi^T(k+1) P(k)}{1 + \Psi^T(k+1) P(k) \Psi(k+1)}$$

The updated parameter vector is then generated from:

$$\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k+1) = (\Phi(k+1)^T \Phi(k+1))^{-1} \Phi(k+1)^T \underline{Y}(k+1)$$

$$\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k+1) = P(k+1) \Phi^T(k+1) \underline{Y}(k+1) \quad \text{memory !!!}$$

But:  $\Phi(k+1) \quad \underline{Y}(k+1)$

$$\Phi(k+1)^T \underline{Y}(k+1) = \begin{bmatrix} \Phi(k)^T & \frac{\Phi(k)}{\psi^T(k+1)} \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} \underline{Y}(k) \\ \frac{\underline{Y}(k)}{\psi(k+1)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \Phi(k)^T & \Psi(k+1) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \underline{Y}(k) \\ \frac{\underline{Y}(k)}{\psi(k+1)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \Phi(k)^T \underline{Y}(k) + \Psi(k+1) \underline{Y}(k+1)$$

The parameter estimate can then be written as:

$$\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k+1) = \begin{bmatrix} P(k) - \frac{P(k) \Psi(k+1) \Psi^T(k+1) P(k)}{1 + \Psi^T(k+1) P(k) \Psi(k+1)} \end{bmatrix} \underbrace{\Phi(k+1)^T \underline{Y}(k+1)}_{\Phi(k+1)^T \underline{Y}(k+1)}$$

Multiplying this out:

$$\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k+1) = \underbrace{P(k) \Phi(k)^T \underline{Y}(k)}_{\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k)} + P(k) \Psi(k+1) \underline{Y}(k+1) \\ - \frac{P(k) \Psi(k+1) \Psi^T(k+1) P(k)}{1 + \Psi^T(k+1) P(k) \Psi(k+1)} \Phi(k)^T \underline{Y}(k) - \frac{P(k) \Psi(k+1) \Psi^T(k+1) P(k)}{1 + \Psi^T(k+1) P(k) \Psi(k+1)} \Phi(k)^T \underline{Y}(k+1)$$

## TUTORIAL:

Show that the parameter update algorithm can be expressed as:

**NEW DATA BECOMES AVAILABLE**  $[u(k+1), y(k+1)]$

$$L(k+1) = \frac{P(k)\underline{\psi}(k+1)}{1 + \underline{\psi}^T(k+1)P(k)\underline{\psi}(k+1)}$$

$$\hat{y}(k+1) = \underline{\psi}^T(k+1)\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k)$$

$$\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k+1) = \hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS}(k) + L(k+1)(y(k+1) - \hat{y}(k+1))$$

$$P(k+1) = \left[ P(k) - \frac{P(k)\underline{\psi}(k+1)\underline{\psi}^T(k+1)P(k)}{1 + \underline{\psi}^T(k+1)P(k)\underline{\psi}(k+1)} \right]$$

### 8.3.1 A Note on the Choice of Excitation Signal

The need to excite the dynamics of the process over the frequency range of interest – consider the solution to batch least squares:

$$\hat{\underline{\theta}}_{LS} = (\Phi^T \Phi)^{-1} \Phi^T \underline{Y}$$

If the data collected is not rich enough in information then:

$\Phi^T \Phi$  will become rank deficient and we will not get inverse

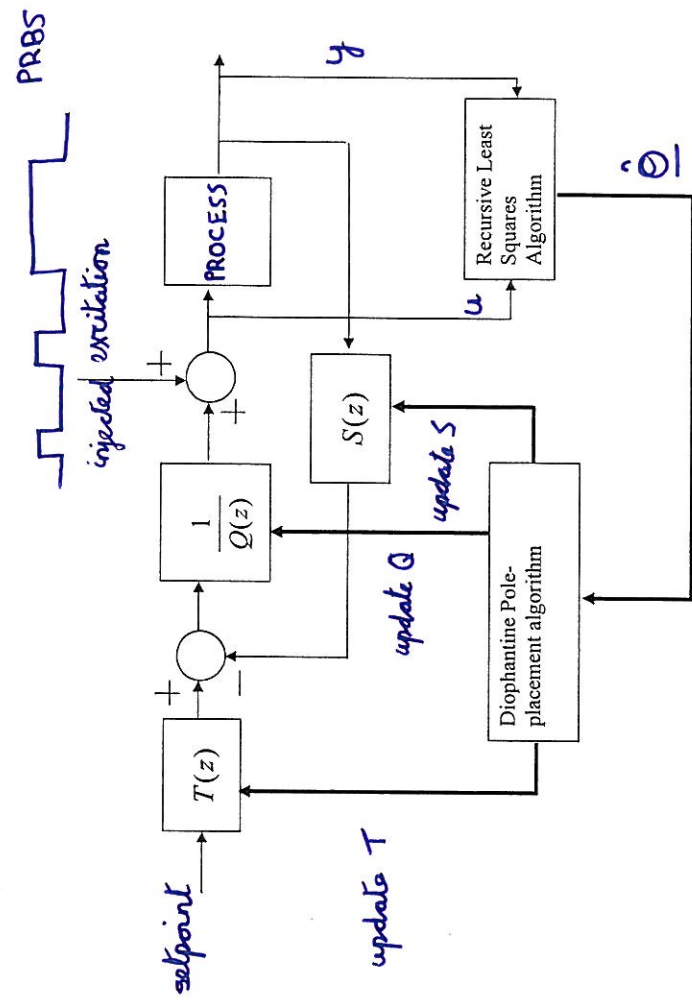
Choices of excitation include:

- \* sinusoids - mixture of freq range
- \* chirp  $\sim \sim \sim \sim \sim$
- \* square wave - contains odd harmonics
  - careful about frequency
- \* Pseudo Random Binary Sequence PRBS - it looks like white noise

### 8.3.2 Adaptive Pole Placement Control

Use RLS algorithm to provide on-line updates of the parameters – hopefully this will allow controller to track slow changes in the process.

Each new update of the parameter vector is then used, to design the controller polynomials, based on the polynomial pole-placement technique.



- \* note non linearity
- \* need for "packetting software" to protect the RLS estimator