

Task 2: Examples 2.12, 2.13, 2.16, Question 2.21

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Example 2.12: Excitation

The need for persistency of excitation is illustrated in this example. A simulation of the estimates when the input is a unit pulse at $t = 50$ is shown in Fig. (1). The estimate a appears to converge to the correct value, but the estimate b does not. The reason for this is that information about the a parameter is obtained through the excitation by the noise. Information about the b parameter is obtained only through the pulse that is not persistently exciting.

In Fig (2), the experiment is repeated, but the input is now a square wave of unit amplitude and a period of 100 samples. Both li and $bwill$ converge to their true values, because the input is persistently exciting. The absolute values of the elements of $P(t)$ are decreasing with time.

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clear all
close all
warning('off', 'all');

N = 1000;
t = 1:N;
u = zeros(N,1);
std_e = 0.5;
mean_e = 0;
e = sqrt(std_e)*randn(N,1)+mean_e;
a = -0.8;
b = 0.5;
c = 0;
y = zeros(N,1);
for i=2:N
    if i == 50
        u(i) = 1;
    end
    y(i) = -a*y(i-1)+b*u(i-1)+e(i)+c*e(i-1);
end

phi = zeros(2,N);

for k = 2:N
    phi(:,k) = [-y(k-1); u(k-1)];
    theta(:,k) = inv(phi*phi') *(phi*y);
end

figure(1), plot(t,a,t, theta(1,:), t,b,t,theta(2,:)), legend('real a', 'estimated a', 'real b', 'estimated b'), xlabel('time'), ylabel('Estimated parameters'),
title('Example 2.12 (a)')

T = 100;
u2 = zeros(N,1);
y2 = zeros(N,1);

for i=2:N/T
    for j=1:T
        index = (i-1)*T+j;
        if j <= T/2
            u2(index) = 1;
        else
            u2(index) = 0;
        end
        y2(index) = -a*y2(index-1)+b*u2(index-1)+e(index)+c*e(index-1);
    end
end

phi2 = zeros(2,N);

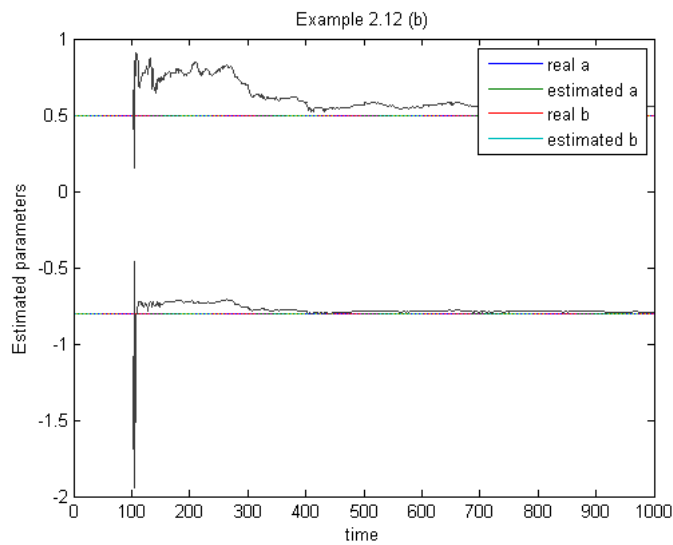
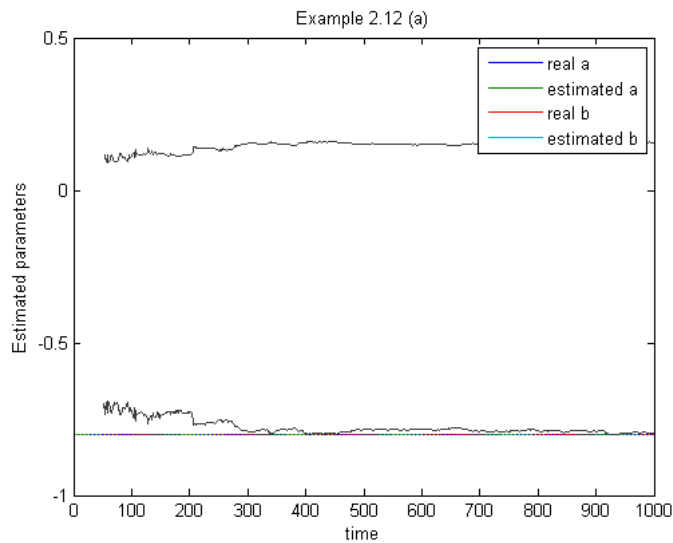
for k = 2:N
    phi2(:,k) = [-y2(k-1); u2(k-1)];
    theta2(:,k) = inv(phi2*phi2') *(phi2*y2);
end

figure(2), plot(t,a,t, theta2(1,:), t,b,t,theta2(2,:)), legend('real a', 'estimated a', 'real b', 'estimated b'), xlabel('time'), ylabel('Estimated parameters')
title('Example 2.12 (b)')

c = -0.5;
y3 = zeros(N,1);
for i=2:N
    y3(i) = -a*y3(i-1)+b*u2(i)+e(i-1)+c*e(i-1);
end

phi3 = zeros(2,N);

for k = 2:N
    phi3(:,k) = [-y3(k-1); u2(k-1)];
    theta3(:,k) = inv(phi3*phi3') *(phi3*y3);
end
```



Example 2.13: Model Structure

In this example, parameter c in Eq. (2.53) has the value -0.5 . Figure (3)

shows the estimates of parameters a and b . The estimates do not converge to their true values. This is because the equation error $e(t) + ce(t-1)$ is not white noise. The assumptions in Theorem 2.2 are thus violated. Figure (4). shows the estimates when the extended least squares (ELS) method is used. All three parameters a , b , and c are then estimated, and the estimates converge to the true values.

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figure(3), plot(t,a,t, theta3(1,:), t,b,t,theta3(2,:)), legend('real a', 'estimated a', 'real b', 'estimated b'), xlabel('time'), ylabel('Estimated parameters')
title('Example 2.13 (a)')

N = 1000;
t = 1:N;
u = zeros(N,1);
std_e = 0.5;
mean_e = 0;
e = sqrt(std_e)*randn(N,1)+mean_e;
a = -0.8;
b = 0.5;
c = -0.5;
y = zeros(N,1);

T = 200;
u = zeros(N,1);
y = zeros(N,1);

for i=1:N/T
    for j=1:T
        index = (i-1)*T+j;
        if j <= T/2
            u(index) = 1;
        else u(index) = 0;
        end
    end
end

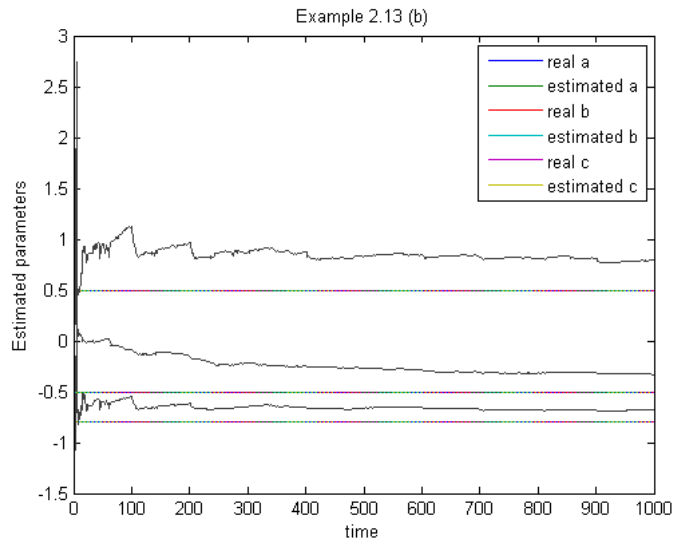
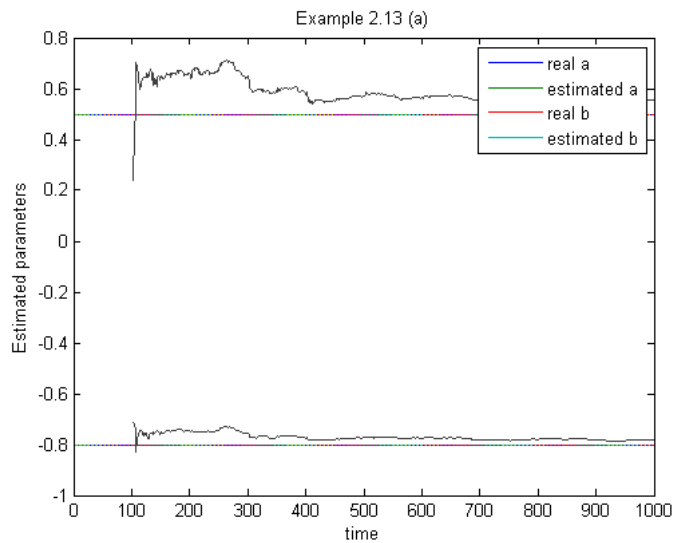
for index=2:N
    y(index) = -a*y(index-1)+b*u(index-1)+e(index)+c*e(index-1);
end

P = 100*eye(3);
phi = zeros(3,1);
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theta = zeros(3,1);
error_pred = zeros(N,1);
est_a = zeros(N,1);
est_b = zeros(N,1);
est_c = zeros(N,1);
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```
for i=2:N
    phi = [-y(i-1) u(i-1) error_pred(i-1)]';
    error_pred(i) = y(i)-(phi')*theta;
    K = P*phi/(1+phi'*P*phi);
    theta = theta + K*(y(i) - (phi')*theta);
    P = (eye(3) - K*(phi'))*P;
    est_a(i) = theta(1);
    est_b(i) = theta(2);
    est_c(i) = theta(3);
end
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```
figure(4), plot(t,a,t, est_a, t,b,t,est_b,t,c,t,est_c), legend('real a', 'estimated a', 'real b', 'estimated b','real c', 'estimated c'), xlabel('time'), ylabel('Estimated parameters')
title('Example 2.13 (b)')
```



Example 2.16: Different estimation methods

In the previous examples the RLS and ELS methods were used. Simplified estimation methods based on projection were discussed in Section 2.2. Three different projection algorithms will now be compared with the RLS method. The convergence properties of the four algorithms RLS, LMS, PAR and SA are compared in Fig. 5 to 8. All algorithms are initialized with

```
clear all

N = 1000;
t = 1:N;
u = zeros(N,1);
std_e = 0.5;
mean_e = 0;
e = sqrt(std_e)*randn(N,1)+mean_e;
a = -0.8;
b = 0.5;
c = 0;
y = zeros(N,1);

T = 200;
u = zeros(N,1);
y = zeros(N,1);
```

```

for i=1:N/T
    for j=1:T
        index = (i-1)*T+j;
        if j <= T/2
            u(index) = 1;
        else u(index) = 0;
        end
    end
end

for index=2:N
    y(index) = -a*y(index-1)+b*u(index-1)+e(index)+c*e(index-1);
end

P = 100*eye(2);
phi = zeros(2,N);
theta = zeros(2,N);
est_a = zeros(1,N);
est_b = zeros(1,N);
lambda = 1;
for i=2:N
    phi(:,i) = [-y(i-1) u(i-1)]';
    K = P*phi(:,i)*inv(lambda+(phi(:,i))*P*phi(:,i));
    P = (eye(2) - K * (phi(:,i))')* P/lambda;
    est_y(i) = phi(:,i)'*theta(:,i-1);
    error(i) = y(i)-est_y(:,i);
    theta(:,i) = theta(:,i-1) + K *error(i);
    est_a(i) = theta(1,i);
    est_b(i) = theta(2,i);
end

figure(5), plot(t,a,t, est_a, t,b,t,est_b), legend('real a', 'estimated a', 'real b', 'estimated b'), xlabel('time'), ylabel('Estimated parameters'),
title('Example 2.16 (a)')

%%%%
gamma = 0.01;

theta2 = zeros(2,N);
est_a2 = zeros(1,N);
est_b2 = zeros(1,N);

for i = 2:N

    phi(:,i) = [-y(i-1) u(i-1)]';
    est_y2(:,i) = phi(:,i)*theta2(:,i-1);
    error_2(i,1) = y(i,1) - est_y2(:,i);
    K_2 = gamma * phi(:,i);
    theta2(:,i) = theta2(:,i-1) + K_2 * error_2(i,1);
    est_a2(i) = theta2(1,i);
    est_b2(i) = theta2(2,i);

end

figure(6), plot(t,a,t, est_a2, t,b,t,est_b2), legend('real a', 'estimated a', 'real b', 'estimated b'), xlabel('time'), ylabel('Estimated parameters'),
title('Example 2.16 (b)')

%%%%%%%%
alpha = 0.1;
gamma = 0.01;
theta3 = zeros(2,N);
est_a3 = zeros(1,N);
est_b3 = zeros(1,N);

for i = 2:N

    phi(:,i) = [-y(i-1) u(i-1)]';
    est_y3(:,i) = phi(:,i)*theta3(:,i-1);
    error_3(i,1) = y(i,1) - est_y3(:,i);
    K_3 = gamma * phi(:,i)* inv(alpha + phi(:,i)*phi(:,i));
    theta3(:,i) = theta3(:,i-1) + K_3 * error_3(i,1);
    est_a3(i) = theta3(1,i);
    est_b3(i) = theta3(2,i);

end

figure(7), plot(t,a,t, est_a3, t,b,t,est_b3), legend('real a', 'estimated a', 'real b', 'estimated b'), xlabel('time'), ylabel('Estimated parameters'),
title('Example 2.16 (c)')

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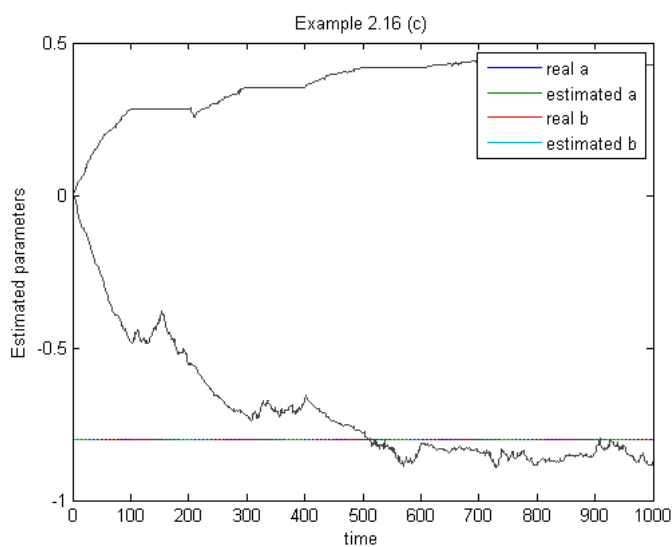
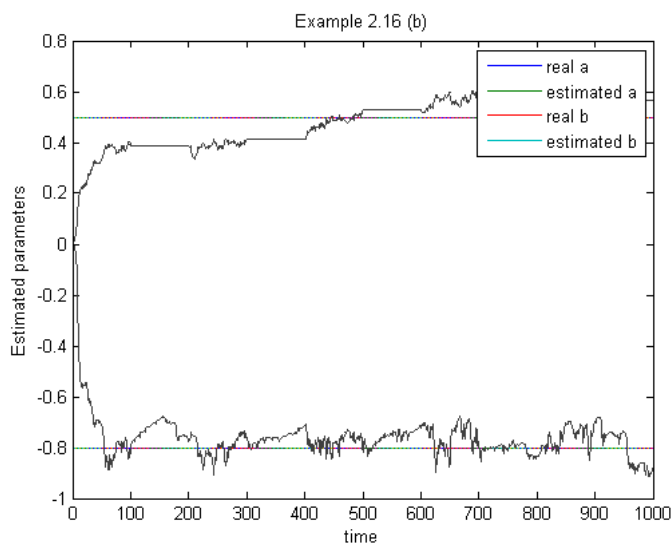
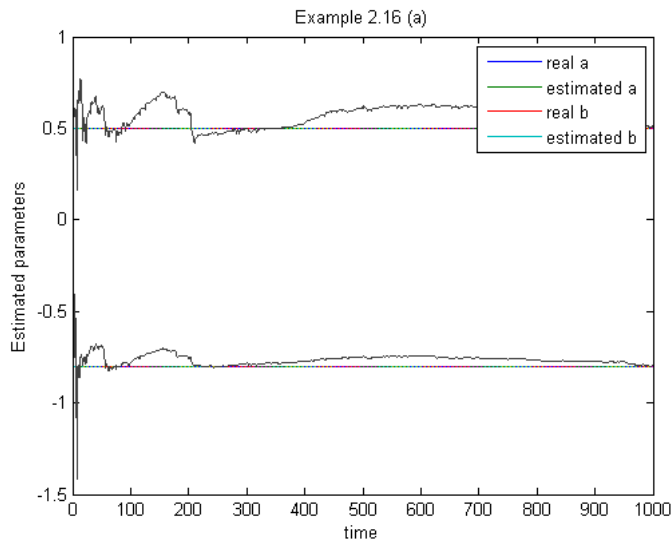
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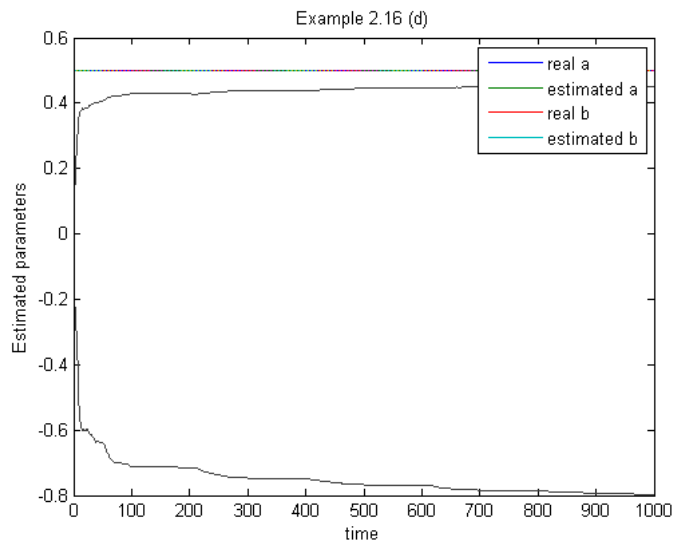
gamma = 0.2;
theta4 = zeros(2,N);
phi4 = zeros(2,N);
est_a4 = zeros(1,N);
est_b4 = zeros(1,N);
sum = 0;
fix_factor = -0.2; %adjustment factor based on empirical observations
for i = 2:N

    phi4(:,i) = [-y(i-1) u(i-1)]';
    est_y4(:,i) = phi4(:,i)*theta4(:,i-1);
    error_4(i,1) = y(i,1) - est_y4(:,i);
    sum = sum + phi4(:,i)*phi4(:,i);
    K_4 = gamma*phi4(:,i)/sum;
    theta4(:,i) = theta4(:,i-1) + K_4 * error_4(i,1);
    est_a4(i) = 1*fix_factor + theta4(1,i);
    est_b4(i) = theta4(2,i);
end

```

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end
figure(8), plot(t,a,t, est_a4, t,b,t,est_b4), legend('real a', 'estimated a', 'real b', 'estimated b'), xlabel('time'), ylabel('Estimated parameters'),
title('Example 2.16 (d)')
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Question 2.21 and Conclusions

The open-loop system of section 2.5 can be estimated using the least squares method. In order to achieve good results without the need to redo previous calculations, a recursive approach could be used.

$$\hat{\theta}(t) = \hat{\theta}(t-1) + K(t)e(t) \text{ where } K(t) = P(t)\phi(t)$$

The rate of convergence of $\hat{\theta}(t)$ will depend on the initial conditions $P(t)$ and its previous values $\hat{\theta}(t-1)$

The period T of the input signals is inversely proportional to its frequency. Increasing T , information about the system is lost, since less points are sampled. The forgetting factor λ is a weighted average of the points of the past. Low forgetting factors have high loss of information about the system. When $\lambda \simeq 1$ the estimation parameters have more fidelity with their respective original values. Since the noise are modeled with random variables, all the processes described here are stochastically defined. Good results are accomplished with noise reduction.

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