

Robotic HW3 Chen Hao Cheng

- ① ultrasound sensor measures distance $X = \frac{c \Delta t}{2}$, c is speed of sound, Δt = difference btw emitting and receiving a signal
variance time measurement Δt be σ^2

What can you say about X , when c is assumed to be constant?

Hint: How does a change in Δt affect X ?

If c is constant, and denominator is also constant (2), the only thing that can change X is Δt .

If the difference btw emitting and receiving a signal (Δt) is getting bigger, then X will be bigger too. In other word, if the ultrasound sensor will measure the distance that's smaller, the X will be smaller too.

② a unicycle turning w/ angular velocity $\dot{\phi}$ w/ radius r .

speed: $v = f(\dot{\phi}, r) = r\dot{\phi}$ $\frac{df}{d\dot{\phi}} = r$

use the error propagation law to calculate the resulting variance of your speed estimate σ_v^2

Error Propagation law:

$\sigma_y^2 = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \sigma_x^2$ Page 133 (8.1)

base on book, let the standard deviation of x be given by σ_x , then we can calculate σ_y^2

Consider $y = f(x)$ w/ $v = f(\dot{\phi}, r)$ based on book, then $\dot{\phi}$ has a standard deviation $\sigma_{\dot{\phi}}^2$. Consider the speed equation, we can think v has a standard deviation of $\sigma_v^2 = \frac{\partial f}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \sigma_{\dot{\phi}}^2$

Since f function equals to $r\dot{\phi}$, then we can say $\sigma_v^2 = \frac{\partial (r\dot{\phi})}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \sigma_{\dot{\phi}}^2$

if we take derivative for f function such that $\frac{df}{d\dot{\phi}} = r$

so, we will get $\sigma_v^2 = \frac{\partial r^2}{\partial \dot{\phi}} \sigma_{\dot{\phi}}^2$

Thus, $\sigma_v^2 = r^2 \sigma_{\dot{\phi}}^2$

③

 $P(\text{marker} | \text{reading})$ Derive $P(\text{marker} | \text{reading})$ $\text{marker } P(\text{reading} | \text{marker})$ $P(\text{marker})$

Use the Bayes Law:

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A|B)P(B)}{P(A)}$$

$$P(\text{marker} | \text{reading}) = \frac{P(\text{reading} | \text{marker}) \cdot P(\text{marker})}{P(\text{reading})}$$

Since $P(\text{marker})$ & $P(\text{reading} | \text{marker})$ are given, then we can derive $P(\text{reading})$

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A|B)P(B)}{P(A)}$$

③ Based on previous answer, we get Bayes Law

$$P(\text{marker} | \text{reading}) = \frac{P(\text{reading} | \text{marker}) P(\text{marker})}{P(\text{reading})}$$

Reading a marker correctly = 0.9
 " marker wrong = 0.1

Do not see a marker = 0.2

Do see a marker = 0.8

Total: 4 markers

calculate the Prob. to be indeed underneath marker 3.

$P_1 = \dots$

$P_2 =$

$P_3 =$

$P_4 =$

$$\boxed{P_3} = \frac{P_3}{P_1 + P_2 + P_3 + P_4}$$

Since there are 4 of markers so each one is 25% = 0.25 for $P(\text{marker})$

$$P(\text{marker} | \text{reading}) = \frac{(0.8)(0.25)}{0.9} = 0.222$$

We need to consider that it reads first two and not see a marker, which is 20% (0.2), and then it sees the marker 3 which is 80% (0.8), and consider it reading correctly which is 90% (0.9)

marker 1 marker 2 marker 3

$$0.2 \times 0.2 \times 0.8 \times 0.9 = 0.0288$$

$$= 2.88\%$$

3b



suppose the robot reads the first one? But it's wrong?

$$(0.1 \times 0.8) = 0.08 = 8\%$$

suppose the robot reads the second one and it's wrong?

$$0.2 \times (0.8 \times 0.1) = 0.016 = 1.6\%$$

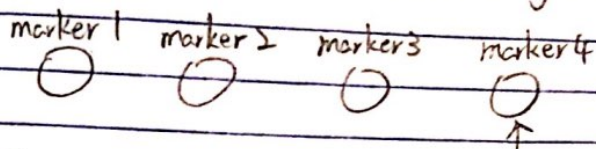
suppose the robot reads the fourth marker and it's wrong?

$$0.2 \times 0.2 \times (0.8 \times 0.1) \times (0.8 \times 0.9) = 0.002304 = 0.23\%$$

Normalize

$$P_3 = \frac{P_3}{P_1 + P_2 + P_3 + P_4} = \frac{0.0288}{0.08 + 0.016 + 0.0288 + 0.002304} = 0.3537$$

© Could the robot also possibly be underneath marker 4?



□ →

Reading a marker correctly = 0.9
" marker wrong = 0.1

Do not see a marker = 0.2

Do see a marker = 0.8

We need to consider that there has been 3 that's passed which means not see markers (0.2), we know it's the fourth one, then skip 80%

Thus, $0.2 \times 0.2 \times 0.2 \times 0.9 = 0.0072$ multiply

Thus, $0.2 \times 0.2 \times 0.2 \times 0.1 = 0.0008 = 0.08\%$

We also need to consider what if the robot read marker 3 that the robot thinks it's the fourth marker?

Then, it will be

$$0.2 \times 0.2 \times \overset{\text{marker 3}}{0.8} \times 0.1 = 0.0032$$

see a marker see marker wrong

and multiply the total probability of reading a marker as marker 3

$$0.0032 \times \frac{1}{3} = 0.001067 = 0.1067\%$$

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③ $P_1 = P(m=1 | r=3) = \text{under marker 1, reading as marker 3}$

$$P_2 = P(m=2 | r=3)$$

$$P_3 = P(m=3 | r=3)$$

$$P_4 = P(m=4 | r=3)$$

Normalize

$$\frac{P_4}{P_1 + P_2 + P_3 + P_4} = \frac{P(m=4 | r=3)}{P(m=1 | r=3) + P(m=2 | r=3) + P(m=3 | r=3) + P(m=4 | r=3)}$$

$$= \frac{0.002}{0.266 + 0.053 + 0.096 + 0.002}$$

$$= 0.004796 = 0.5\%$$