

# 现代信号处理: Homework 5

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## Problem 1

Given observations  $x[n]$  for  $n = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$ , where the samples are i.i.d. and distributed according to  $U[\theta_1, \theta_2]$ , find a sufficient statistic for  $\boldsymbol{\theta} = [\theta_1, \theta_2]^T$ .

## Problem 2

For  $n = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$ , suppose  $x[n] = Ar^n + w[n]$ , where  $A$  is an unknown parameter,  $r$  is an unknown constant, and  $w[n]$  is white noise with zero mean and variance  $\sigma^2$ . Find the BLUE of  $A$  and its minimum variance. Does the minimum variance tend to zero as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ ?

## Problem 3

The observed i.i.d. samples  $\{x[0], x[1], \dots, x[N - 1]\}$  follow the distributions below:

a. Laplace:

$$p(x[n]; \mu) = \frac{1}{2} \exp[-|x[n] - \mu|]$$

b. Gaussian:

$$p(x[n]; \mu) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}(x[n] - \mu)^2\right]$$

Find the BLUE of the mean  $\mu$  for both cases. Also, explain the MVU estimator of  $\mu$ .

## Problem 4

Assume that the observed signal is  $x[n] = As[n] + w[n]$ , for  $n = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$ , where  $w[n]$  is noise with zero mean and covariance matrix  $\mathbf{C}$ , and  $s[n]$  is a known signal. The amplitude  $A$  is the parameter to be estimated. Find the BLUE of  $A$ . Discuss what happens if the characteristic vector of  $\mathbf{C}$  is  $\mathbf{s} = [s[0] \ s[1] \ \dots \ s[N - 1]]^T$ . Also, find the minimum variance.

## Problem 5

Prove the linearity property of the BLUE with respect to linear transformations of  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$ . Specifically, if we wish to estimate

$$\boldsymbol{\alpha} = \mathbf{B}\boldsymbol{\theta} + \mathbf{b},$$

where  $\mathbf{B}$  is a known  $p \times p$  invertible matrix and  $\mathbf{b}$  is a known  $p \times 1$  vector, prove that the BLUE of  $\boldsymbol{\alpha}$  is given by

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} = \mathbf{B}\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}} + \mathbf{b},$$

where  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}$  is the BLUE of  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$ . Assume the data model  $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{H}\boldsymbol{\theta} + \mathbf{w}$ , where  $E(\mathbf{w}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $E(\mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T) = \mathbf{C}$ . Hint: Substitute  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$  for  $\boldsymbol{\alpha}$  in the data model.

## Problem 6

For the general linear model

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{H}\boldsymbol{\theta} + \mathbf{s} + \mathbf{w},$$

where  $\mathbf{s}$  is a known  $N \times 1$  vector,  $E(\mathbf{w}) = \mathbf{0}$ , and  $E(\mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T) = \mathbf{C}$ , find the BLUE of  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$ .

## Problem 7

We observe  $N$  i.i.d. samples from the following PDFs:

a. Gaussian:

$$p(x; \mu) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}(x - \mu)^2\right]$$

b. Exponential:

$$p(x; \lambda) = \begin{cases} \lambda \exp(-\lambda x) & x > 0 \\ 0 & x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

In each case, find the MLE of the unknown parameter and verify that it indeed maximizes the likelihood function. Is the estimator meaningful?

## Problem 8

The following is the formal definition of a consistent estimator: If for any given  $\epsilon > 0$ , it satisfies

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \Pr\left\{|\hat{\theta} - \theta| > \epsilon\right\} = 0,$$

then the estimator  $\hat{\theta}$  is consistent.

Prove that for the problem of estimating a DC level  $A$  in white Gaussian noise with known variance, the sample mean is a consistent estimator. Hint: Use Chebyshev's inequality.