

Sensing, Perception and Actuation

HW4

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1. Calculating u^*

a) Our SISO system & Parameters:

Consider the following SISO system,

$$x_{k+1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.5 & 0 \\ -0.5 & 0.7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.9 \end{bmatrix} x_k + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u_k, \quad x_o = \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 \\ 0.2 \\ 0.3 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$y_k = [0 \quad -1 \quad 1]x_k + 0.5u_k$$

So our Parameters are:

```
% A matrix
A=[0.7 0.5 0;
   -0.5 0.7 0;
    0 0 0.9];

% B vector
B=[1;1;1];

% C vector
C=[0 -1 1];

%D=0.5
D=0.5;

% N|
N=0:19;

% y ref
y_ref=[1 0 0 4 4 1 0 2 0 1 3 4 4 2 1 2 4 3 2 2]';

% x0
xo=[0.1;0.2;0.3];
```

b) Calculating u^*

To calculate u^* we can use this formula:

$$u^* = (Q^T Q)^{-1} Q^T (y^{ref} - \phi x_0)$$

But first we need to calculate Q & phi in order to calculate u^* :

Where Q can be computed as following:

N is our horizon

$$Q_k = CA^{k-1}B.$$
$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} Q_0 & \dots & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ Q_1 & Q_0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ Q_2 & Q_1 & Q_0 & \dots & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ Q_{N-1} & Q_{N-2} & \dots & \dots & Q_0 \end{bmatrix}}_Q.$$

Phi can be computed as following:

N is our horizon

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{t+N-1} \end{bmatrix}}_{\phi}$$

c) Plot our data:

Now we can get our y and compare it to y_ref through the following:

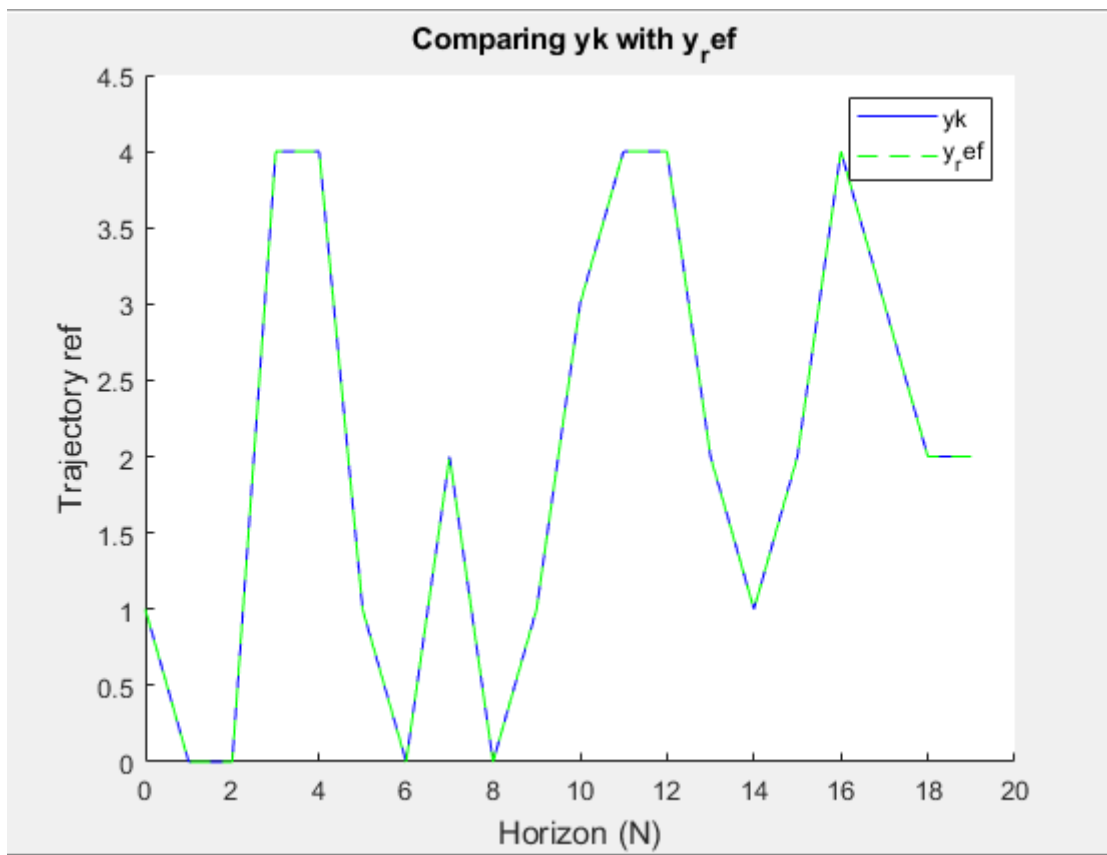
$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} y_t \\ y_{t+1} \\ \vdots \\ y_{t+N-1} \end{bmatrix}}_y = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{t+N-1} \end{bmatrix}}_\phi x_0 + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} Q_0 & \dots & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ Q_1 & Q_0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ Q_2 & Q_1 & Q_0 & \dots & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ Q_{N-1} & Q_{N-2} & \dots & \dots & Q_0 \end{bmatrix}}_Q \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} u_t \\ u_{t+1} \\ \vdots \\ u_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}}_u$$

Now we have computed ϕ , Q & u^* and we are ready to use them to get y

But for u^* I will use two approaches , first to take u^* as we get exactly from equation

Second to limit the u^* and see what happens on the plot

First approach u^* as it is:

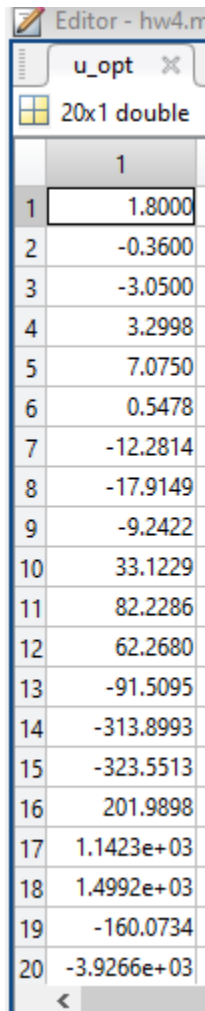


As we can see y_k got same result as y_ref as expected from u^*

Second u^* after limit its values:

- u^* is our control input so it is computed without taking into consideration control and physical world actuation limits maybe it is so now I will limit the value of u^* to not exceed 100 and don't be less than -100
- so : $-100 < u_k < 100$
this will be our graph in case we limit the u^* system input which will be more realistic in real life situation:

u_opt



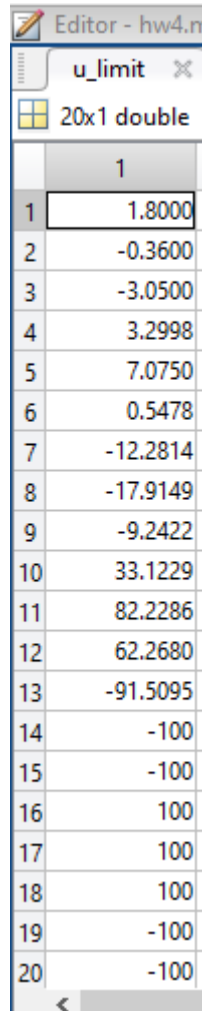
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u_opt

20x1 double

	1
1	1.8000
2	-0.3600
3	-3.0500
4	3.2998
5	7.0750
6	0.5478
7	-12.2814
8	-17.9149
9	-9.2422
10	33.1229
11	82.2286
12	62.2680
13	-91.5095
14	-313.8993
15	-323.5513
16	201.9898
17	1.1423e+03
18	1.4992e+03
19	-160.0734
20	-3.9266e+03

u_limit



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u_limit

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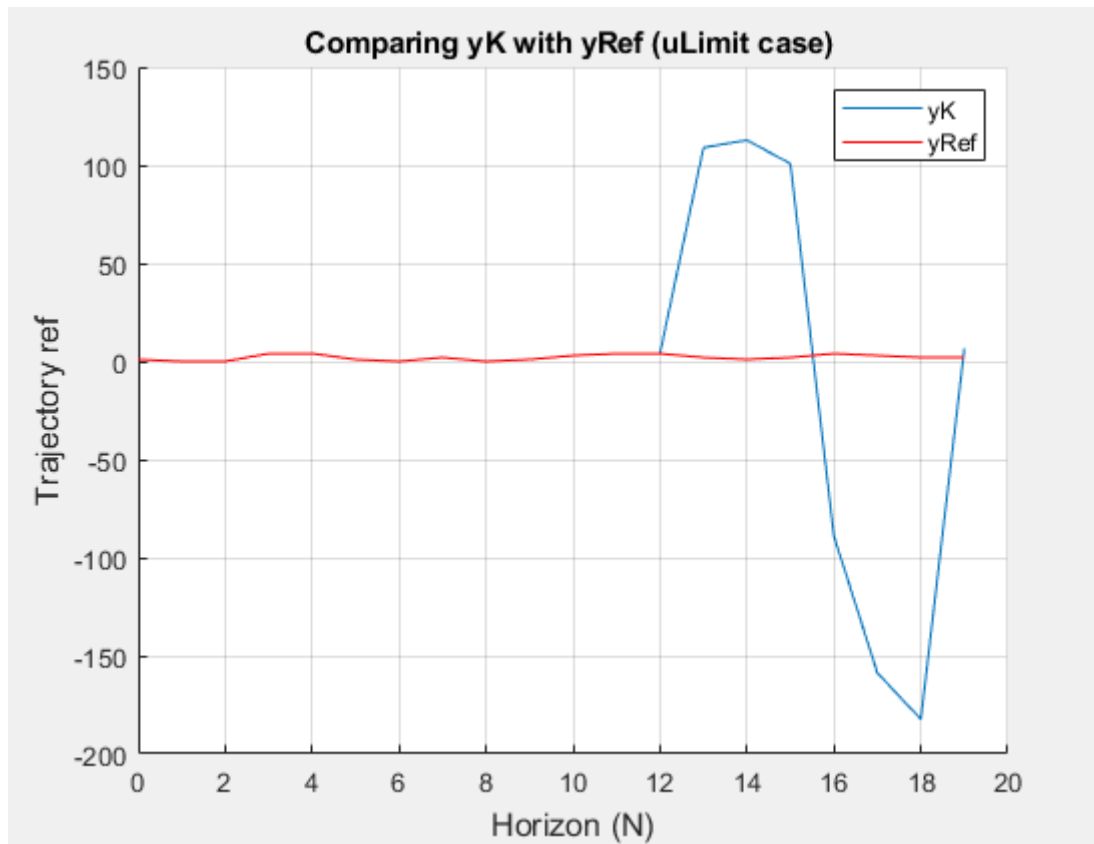
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18	100
19	-100
20	-100

we limited our control to not exceed 100 and not be less -100

But for last steps we can see that u^* change hugely from u_limit

Which indicates that our y_k will get disturbed much at the end and wouldn't be equal to y_ref

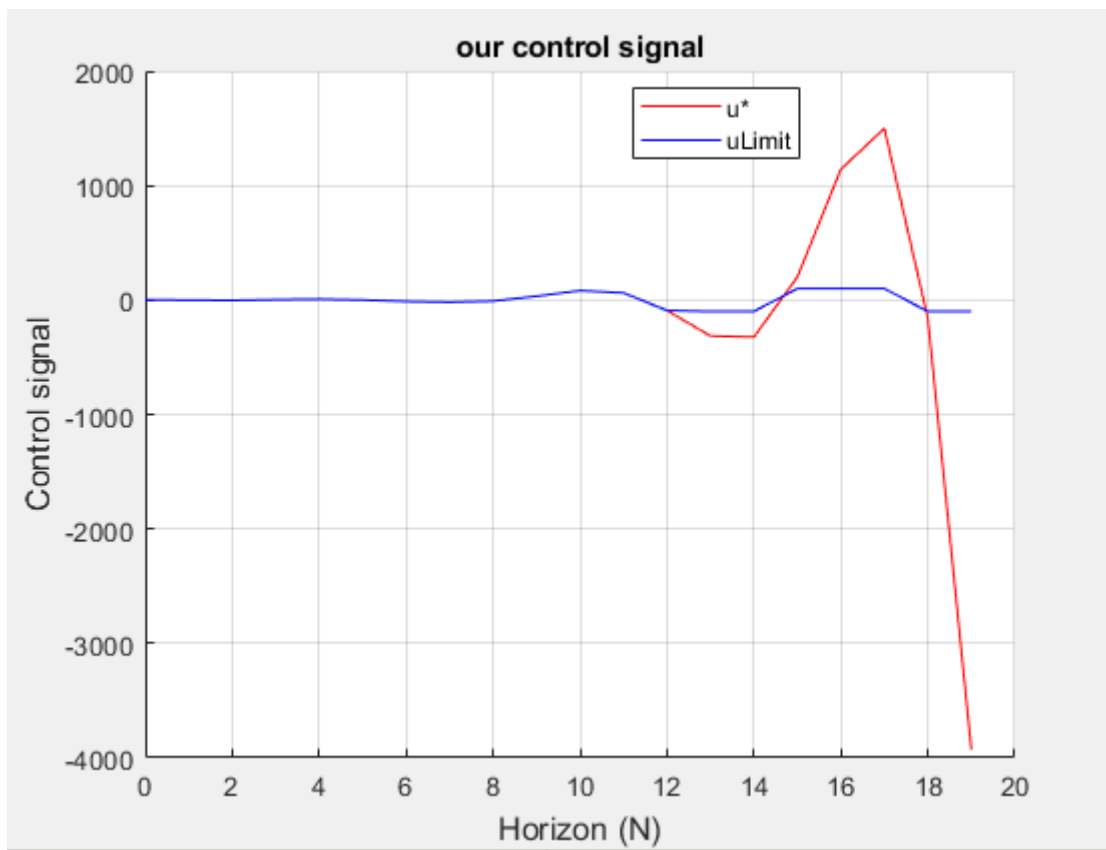
Our plot:



Exactly as we expect

Which means u^* may not be the best solution for real life application and some other techniques may be used to achieve more robust and soft controller

Our control signal:



As we can see u^* may be very hard to achieve in real life

And $uLimit$ didn't achieve our desired $yRef$ values as we see in last figure

Which may lead us to use another controlling technique like PID control for example

2. (Multidimensional Kalman Filter)

a) Our Measurements:

$$z_k = x_k + [\mathcal{N}(0, 1.7), \mathcal{N}(0, 1.0), \mathcal{N}(0, 1.8)]^T$$

b) Our Process model:

$$x_{k+1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.5 & 0 \\ -0.5 & 0.7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.9 \end{bmatrix} x_k + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u_k, \quad x_o = \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 \\ 0.2 \\ 0.3 \end{bmatrix}$$

c) Our Design Parameters:

```
% phi matrix (Transition State Matrix)
phi=[0.7 0.5 0;
      -0.5 0.7 0;
      0 0 0.9];

% Q matrix (White Noise Covariance matrix)
q= [0.5 0 0;
    0 0.5 0;
    0 0 0.5];

% H matrix
H= [1 0 0;
    0 1 0;
    0 0 1];

% R matrix (Sensor Covariance matrix)
R= [1.7 0 0;
    0 1 0;
    0 0 1.8];

% P matrix
P= [1 0 0;
    0 1 0;
    0 0 1];
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Phi = A; both act as Transition state matrix

Q: is the covariance of model will assume it as 0.5

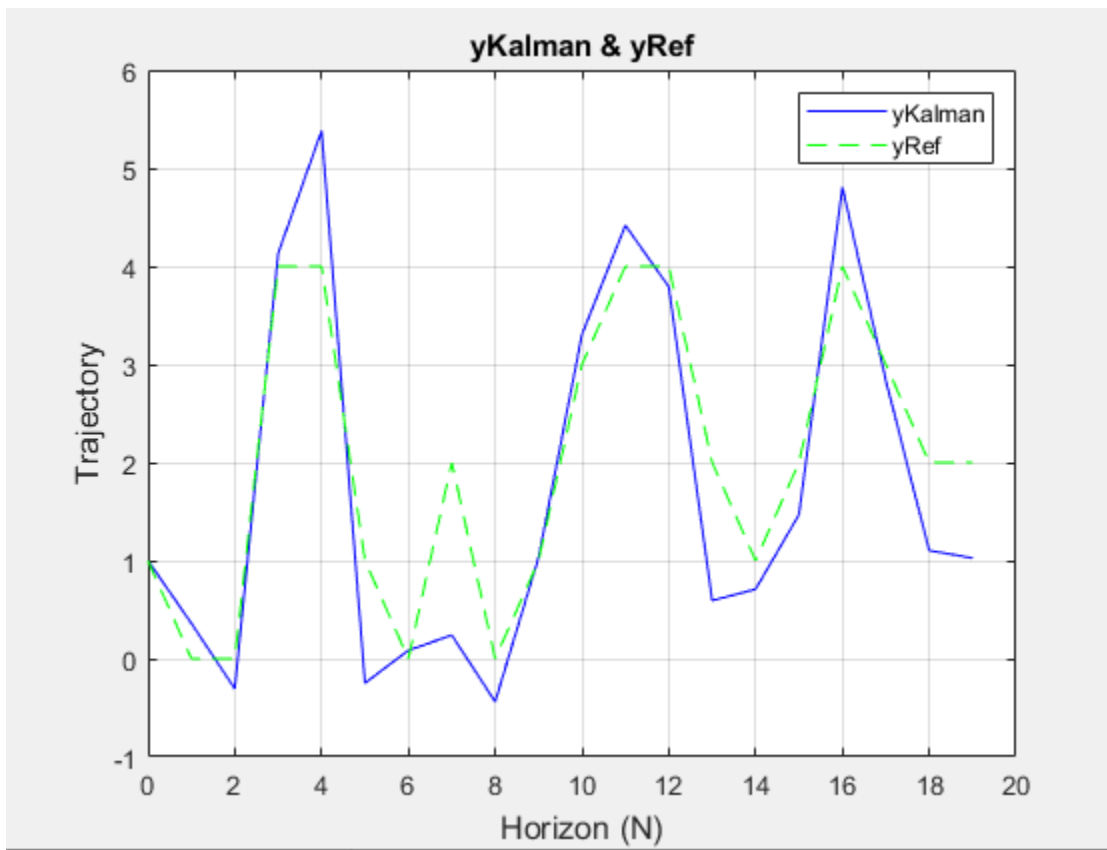
H: Conversion matrix (I need sensor measurements as they are)

R: is the Covariance of sensor reading will make it as the given variances for sensor

P: we can initialize P with any value it will converge to a specific value eventually

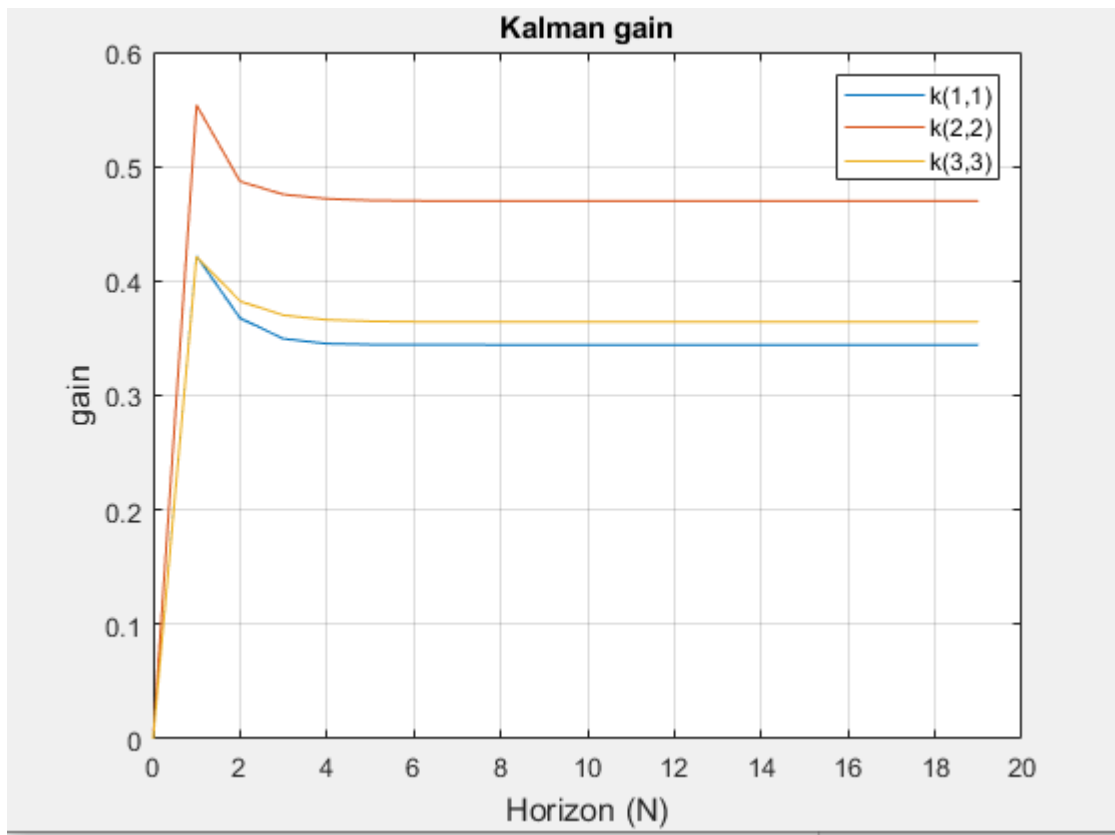
d) Plot our data:

After we the loop of kalman filter here's the data we obtained:



As we can see our kalman filter performs very well and close to yRef

3. (Plot Kalman gain)



As we can see K reaches 0.35 & 0.48 so our kalman filter depends on both model and sensors with closely equal weights ... but depends on model more as it has less Covariance than sensor

[github link:](https://github.com/Mohamed-Moustafa/SPA_HW4.git)

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