

Kalman Filtering in multiple dimensions:

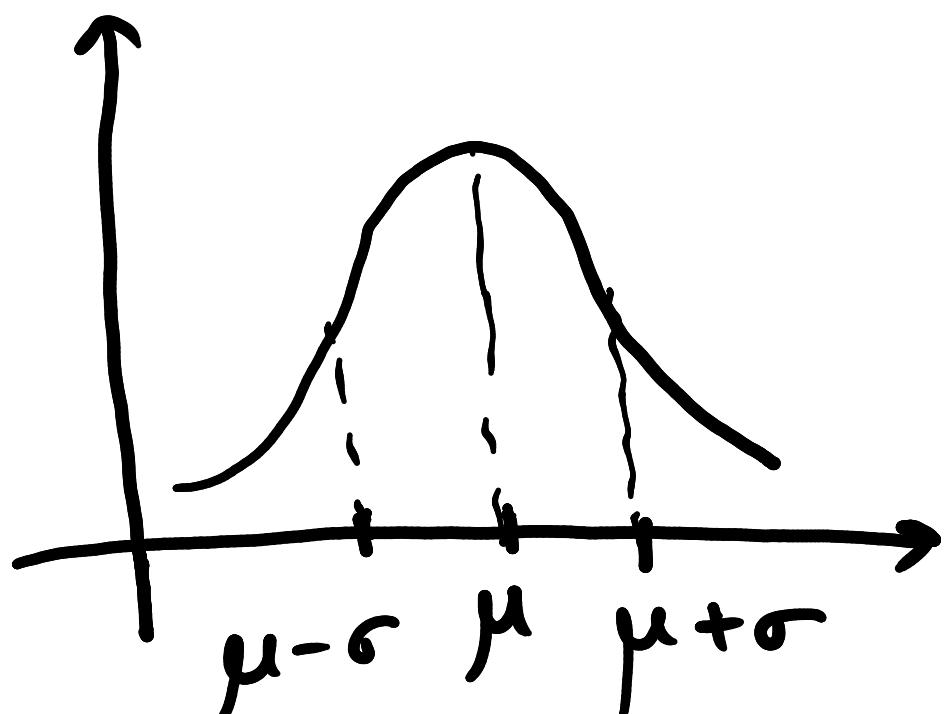
→ In a 1D normal distribution,

$$X \sim N(x; \mu, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow x = \mu \pm \sigma$$

$$p(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2}$$

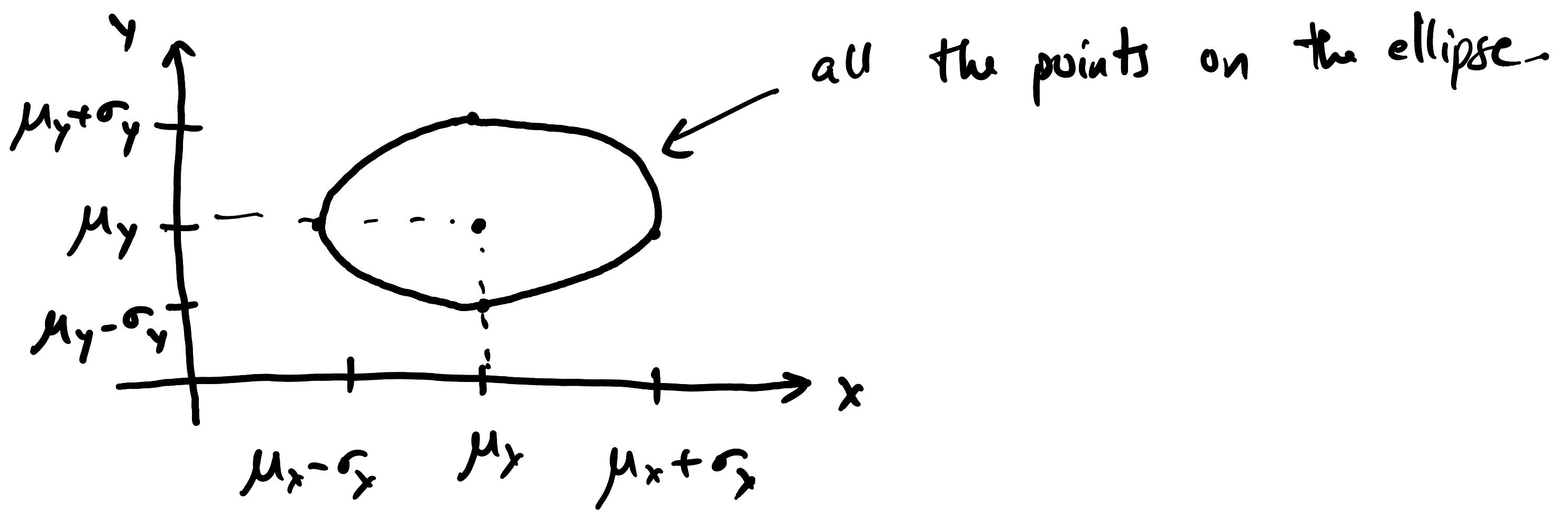
when $\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2 = 1$

where in the probability distribution function (PDF),



$\pm 1\sigma : 68\%$
 $\pm 2\sigma : 95.5\%$
 $\pm 3\sigma : 99.7\%$

→ In 2D, the locus that satisfies: $\frac{(x-\mu_x)^2}{\sigma_x^2} + \frac{(y-\mu_y)^2}{\sigma_y^2} = 1$ is



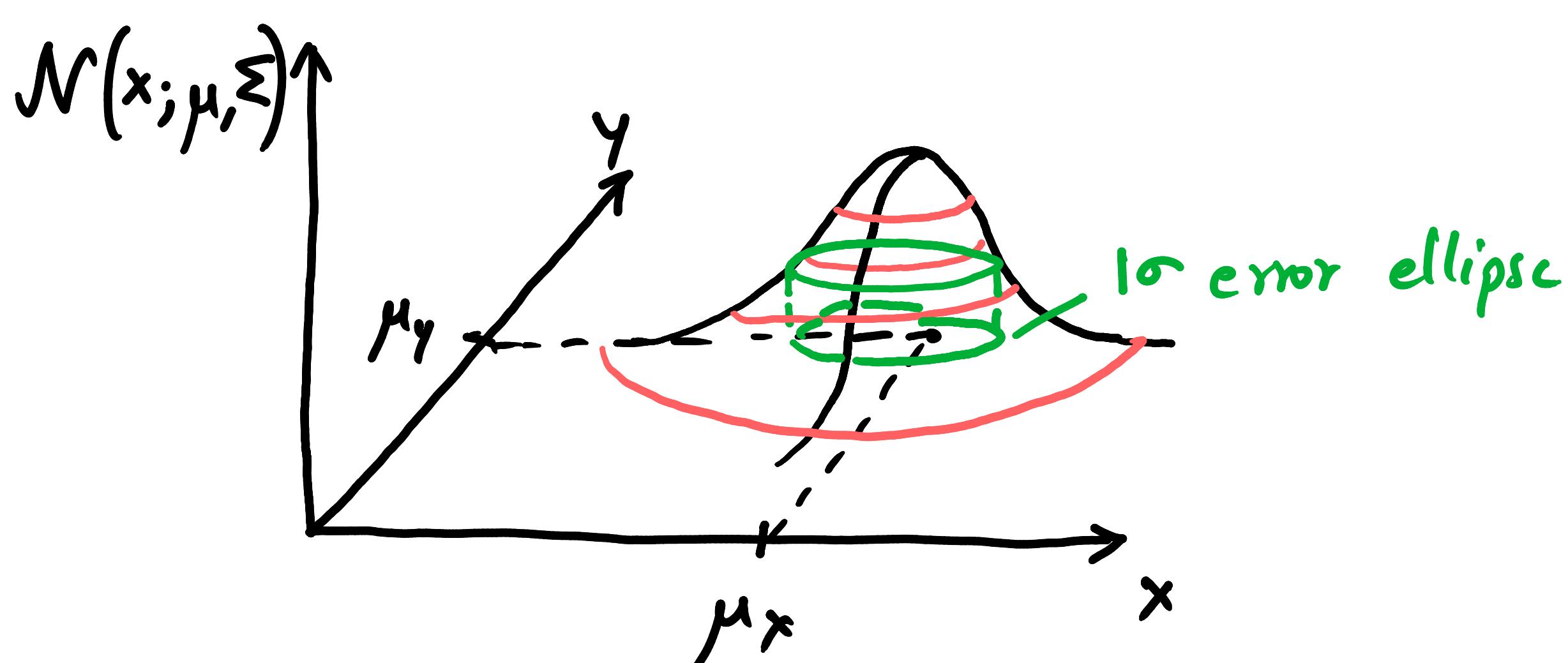
→ In matrix form, we can write $\frac{(x-\mu_x)^2}{\sigma_x^2} + \frac{(y-\mu_y)^2}{\sigma_y^2}$ as:

$$[x - \mu_x, y - \mu_y] \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sigma_x^2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sigma_y^2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x - \mu_x \\ y - \mu_y \end{bmatrix} = (x - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x - \mu)$$

where $(x - \mu) = [x - \mu_x, y - \mu_y]$

and Σ (Covariance matrix) = $\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_x^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_y^2 \end{bmatrix}$

→ Therefore, PDF = $\alpha \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{2}(x-\mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x-\mu)}$



→ When X and Y are independent (X and Y are uncorrelated)

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_x^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_y^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

→ When X and Y are correlated

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_x^2 & \sigma_{xy} \\ \sigma_{xy} & \sigma_y^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

From eigen decomposition:

$$\Sigma = V \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} V^T$$

Eigen values $\begin{bmatrix} v_1 & v_2 \end{bmatrix}$ Eigen vectors

$\rightarrow \mathbb{J}_n nD,$

$$p(x) = \det(2\pi\Sigma)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{2}(x-\mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x-\mu)}$$

$\hookrightarrow \mathcal{N}(x; \mu; \Sigma)$

n n n x n

$\rightarrow \underline{\text{Kalman Filter}} \text{ (1D):}$

Prediction:

$$x_t = a_t x_{t-1} + b_t u_t + \varepsilon_R$$

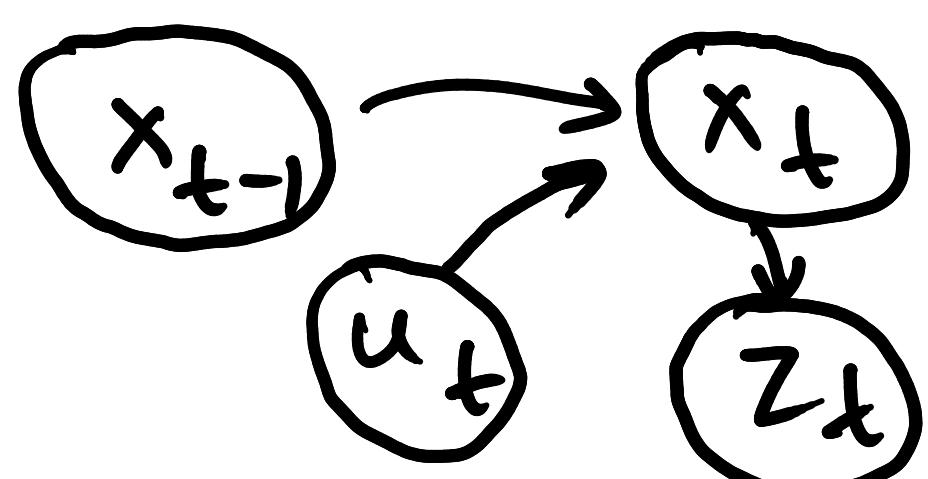
$$\overline{\text{bel}(x)}_t \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \bar{\mu}_t = a_t \cdot \mu_{t-1} + b_t \cdot u_t \\ \bar{\sigma}_t^2 = a_t^2 \cdot \sigma_{t-1}^2 + \sigma_R^2 \end{array} \right.$$

Correction:

$$z_t = c_t \cdot \bar{x}_t + \varepsilon_Q$$

$$k_t = \frac{c_t \cdot \bar{\sigma}_t^2}{c_t^2 \bar{\sigma}_t^2 + Q}$$

$$\text{bel}(x)_t \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu_t = \bar{\mu}_t + k_t (z_t - c_t \bar{\mu}_t) \\ \sigma_t^2 = (1 - k_t c_t) \bar{\sigma}_t^2 \end{array} \right.$$



Kalman Filter (nD):

Prediction:

$$x_t = A_t x_{t-1} + B_t u_t + \varepsilon_R$$

$$\overline{\text{bel}}(x_t) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \bar{\mu}_t = A_t \mu_{t-1} + B_t \mu_t \\ \bar{\Sigma}_t = A_t \Sigma_{t-1} A_t^T + R_t \end{array} \right.$$

Correction:

$$z_t = c_t \bar{x}_t + \varepsilon_Q$$

$$k_t = \bar{\Sigma}_t c_t^T (c_t \bar{\Sigma}_t c_t^T + Q_t)^{-1}$$

$$\text{bel}(x_t) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu_t = \bar{\mu}_t + k_t (z_t - c_t \bar{\mu}_t) \\ \Sigma_t = (I - k_t c_t) \bar{\Sigma}_t \end{array} \right.$$

Proof: Probabilistic robotics by Thrun, Burgard, and Fox.

\rightarrow Extended Kalman Filter :-

- The kalman filter works only with linear motion models.
- To make it work with non-linear motion models, we linearize the model at every state and use the kalman filter on the linearized motion model and the linearized measurement model.
- This version of the kalman filter is called extended kalman filter (EKF)

Prediction :

$$x_t = g(x_{t-1}, u_t) \quad g: \text{non-linear motion model}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x}_t & \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \bar{\mu}_t = g(\mu_{t-1}, u_t) \\ \bar{\Sigma}_t = G_t \Sigma_{t-1} G_t^T + V_t \Sigma_{\text{control}} V_t^T \end{array} \right. \end{aligned}$$

Correction :

$$z_t = h(x_t)$$

$$K_t = \bar{\Sigma}_t H_t^T (H_t \bar{\Sigma}_t H_t^T + Q_t)^{-1}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x}_t & \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu_t = \bar{\mu}_t + K_t (z_t - h(\bar{\mu}_t)) \\ \Sigma_t = (I - K_t H_t) \bar{\Sigma}_t \end{array} \right. \end{aligned}$$

H : Jacobian of h w.r.t state

$$: \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial h}{\partial \text{state}} \end{bmatrix}$$

G_t : Jacobian matrix of g w.r.t state

$$\Rightarrow G_t(\mu_{t-1}, u_t) : \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial g}{\partial \text{state}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$: \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial \theta} \\ \frac{\partial g_3}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial g_3}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial g_3}{\partial \theta} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow V$: Jacobian matrix of g w.r.t control

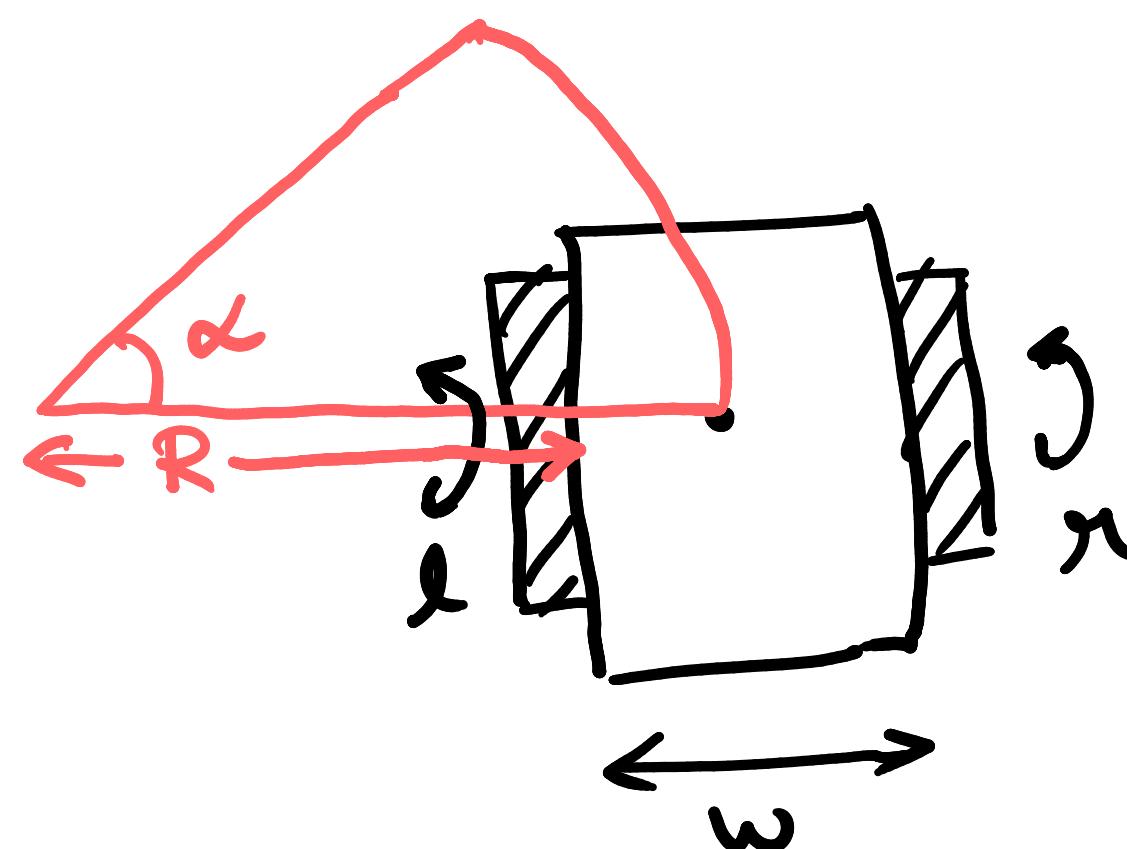
$$V(\mu_{t-1}, u_t) : \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial g}{\partial \text{control}} \end{bmatrix}$$

Example :-

→ Motion model :

$$\alpha = \frac{r_l - l}{\omega}$$

$$R = \frac{l}{\alpha} \text{ when } r_l \neq l$$



w - width of the robot

θ - current heading

α - change in heading

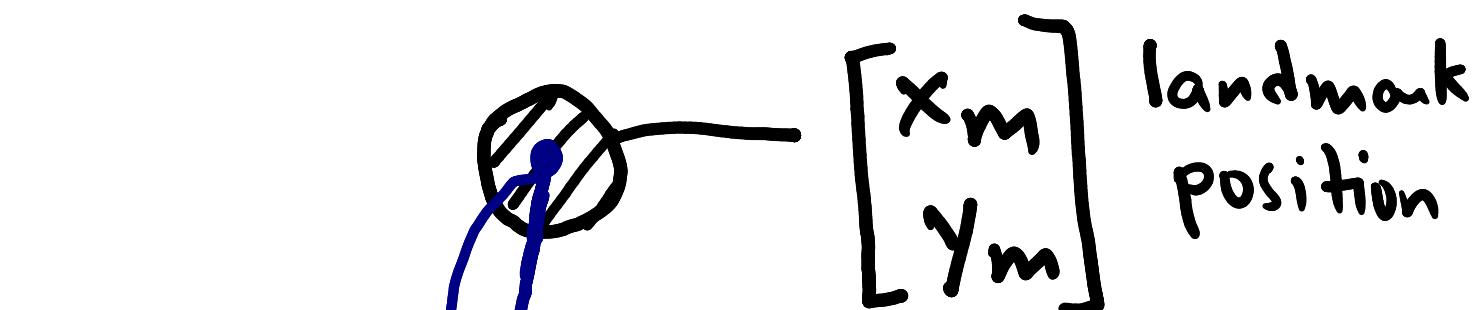
l, r_l - distance moved by each wheel

- $r_l \neq l$:

$$x_{t+1} = \begin{bmatrix} x_{t+1} \\ y_{t+1} \\ \theta_{t+1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_t \\ y_t \\ \theta_t \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} (R + \frac{w}{2})(\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t) \\ (R + \frac{w}{2})(-\cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) + \cos \theta_t) \\ \alpha_t \end{bmatrix} = g \begin{pmatrix} \underbrace{x_t, y_t, \theta_t}_{\text{state}}, \underbrace{l_t, r_t}_{\text{control}} \end{pmatrix} = g(x_t, u_t)$$

- $r_l = l$:

$$x_{t+1} = \begin{bmatrix} x_t \\ y_t \\ \theta_t \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} l \cos \theta_t \\ l \sin \theta_t \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

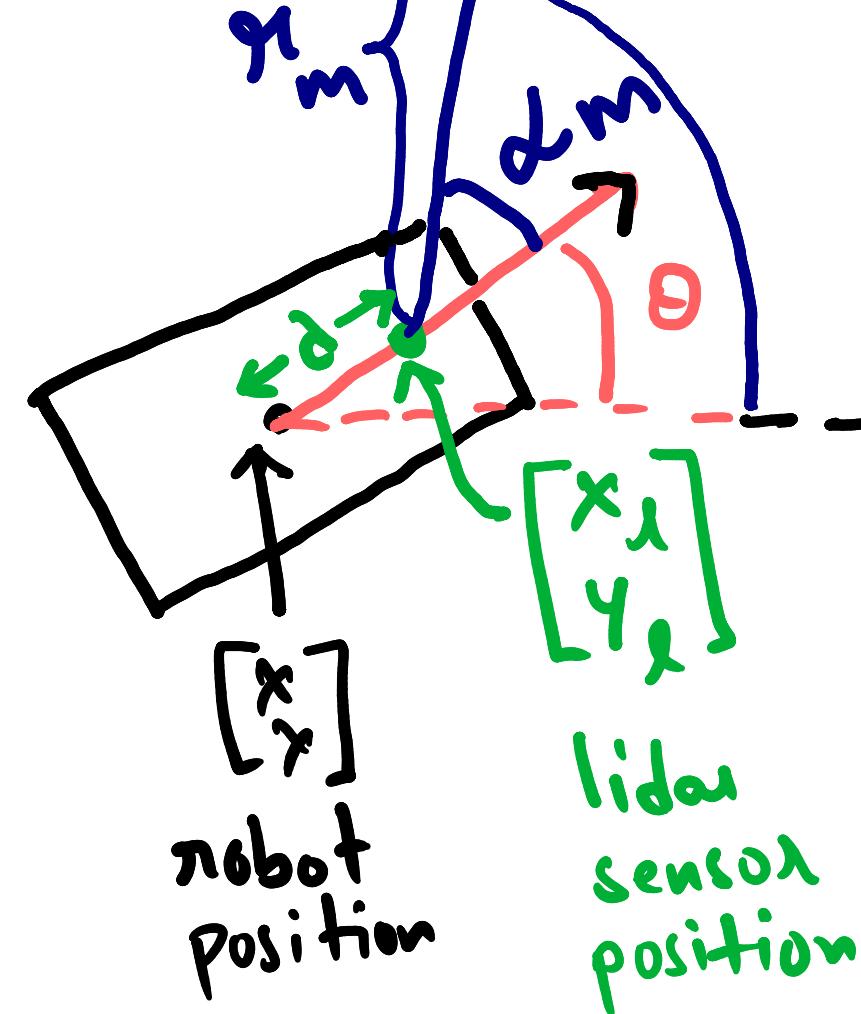


→ Measurement Model :

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_\lambda \\ y_\lambda \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_t \\ y_t \end{bmatrix} + d \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_t \\ \sin \theta_t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z_t = \begin{bmatrix} r_m \\ \alpha_m \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{(x_m - x_t)^2 + (y_m - y_t)^2}$$

$$\alpha_m = \text{atan} \left(\frac{y_m - y_t}{x_m - x_t} \right) - \theta_t$$



→ Jacobian for motion model (G) w.r.t state :

$$x_{t+1} = g(x_t, u) = \begin{bmatrix} x_t \\ y_t \\ \theta_t \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} (R + \frac{\omega}{2})(\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t) \\ (R + \frac{\omega}{2})(-\cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) + \cos \theta_t) \\ \alpha_t \end{bmatrix}$$

• $n \neq l$:

$$\frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial x_t} = 1 \quad \frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial y_t} = 0 \quad \frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial \theta_t} = \left(R + \frac{\omega}{2} \right) (\cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \cos \theta_t)$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{21}}{\partial x_t} = 0 \quad \frac{\partial g_{21}}{\partial y_t} = 1 \quad \frac{\partial g_{21}}{\partial \theta_t} = \left(R + \frac{\omega}{2} \right) (\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t)$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{31}}{\partial x_t} = 0 \quad \frac{\partial g_{31}}{\partial y_t} = 0 \quad \frac{\partial g_{31}}{\partial \theta_t} = \alpha_t$$

• $n = l$:

When $n = l$, $\alpha \rightarrow 0$

$$\frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial \theta_t} = R (\cos(\theta + \alpha) - \cos \theta) + \frac{\omega}{2} (\cos(\theta + \alpha) - \cos \theta)$$

$$\lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial \theta_t} = \frac{l}{\alpha} (\cos(\theta + \alpha) - \cos \theta) + \frac{\omega}{2} (\cos(\theta + \alpha) - \cos \theta) \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 0$$

Using L'Hopital rule, differentiate the numerator & denominator w.r.t α

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{\alpha \rightarrow 0} \frac{l \cdot -\sin(\theta + \alpha)}{1} \\ &= -l \sin \theta \end{aligned}$$

Finally,

$$G_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -l \sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & l \cos \theta \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

→ Jacobian for motion model (V) w.r.t control:

- $\eta \neq l$:

$$x_{t+1} = g(x_t, u_t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_t \\ y_t \\ \theta_t \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} (R + \frac{\omega}{2})(\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t) \\ (R + \frac{\omega}{2})(-\cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) + \cos \theta_t) \\ \alpha_t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R = \frac{l}{\alpha} ; \quad \alpha = \frac{\eta - l}{\omega} \Rightarrow R + \frac{\omega}{2} = \frac{l\omega}{\eta - l} + \frac{\omega}{2} = \frac{\omega}{2} \left(\frac{2l}{\eta - l} + 1 \right) = \frac{\omega}{2} \left(\frac{\eta + l}{\eta - l} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial \lambda} &= \frac{\omega}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{(\eta - l)} \cdot (\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t) - \frac{\omega}{2} \frac{(\eta + l)}{(\eta - l)^2} (\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t) \\ &\quad + \frac{\omega}{2} \left(\frac{\eta + l}{\eta - l} \right) (\cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) \left(-\frac{1}{\omega} \right)) \\ &= \frac{\omega}{2} \cdot \frac{(\eta - l) + (\eta + l)}{(\eta - l)^2} (\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\eta + l}{\eta - l} \right) \cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) \\ &= \frac{\omega \eta}{(\eta - l)^2} (\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t) - \frac{(\eta + l)}{2(\eta - l)} \cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial g_{21}}{\partial \lambda} &= \frac{\omega \lambda}{(\eta - l)^2} (-\cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) + \cos \theta_t) + \frac{\omega}{2} \left(\frac{\eta + l}{\eta - l} \right) (\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) \left(-\frac{1}{\omega} \right)) \\ &= \frac{\omega \eta}{(\eta - l)^2} (-\cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) + \cos \theta_t) - \frac{(\eta + l)}{2(\eta - l)} \sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{31}}{\partial \lambda} = -\frac{1}{\omega}$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial n} = \frac{-\omega l}{(n-1)^2} (\sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t) - \sin \theta_t) + \frac{n+l}{2(n-1)} \cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t)$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{21}}{\partial n} = \frac{-\omega l}{(n-1)^2} (-\cos(\theta_t + \alpha_t) + \cos \theta_t) + \frac{n+l}{2(n-1)} \cdot \sin(\theta_t + \alpha_t)$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{31}}{\partial n} = \frac{1}{\omega}$$

• $n = l$:

(Not sure how these were obtained)

$$\frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial l} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\cos \theta + \frac{l}{\omega} \sin \theta \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{21}}{\partial l} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\sin \theta - \frac{l}{\omega} \cos \theta \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{31}}{\partial l} = \frac{-1}{\omega}$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{11}}{\partial n} = \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{l}{\omega} \sin \theta + \cos \theta \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{21}}{\partial n} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{l}{\omega} \cos \theta + \sin \theta \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial g_{31}}{\partial n} = \frac{1}{\omega}$$

→ Jacobian for measurement model (H) w.r.t state :

$$Z_t = \begin{bmatrix} r_{mt} \\ \alpha_{mt} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{(x_{mt} - x_{st})^2 + (y_{mt} - y_{st})^2} \\ \text{atan}\left(\frac{y_{mt} - y_{st}}{x_{mt} - x_{st}}\right) - \theta_t \end{bmatrix}; \quad \begin{bmatrix} x_{st} \\ y_{st} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_t \\ y_t \end{bmatrix} + d \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_t \\ \sin \theta_t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\partial h_{11}}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{(x_{mt} - x_{st})^2 + (y_{mt} - y_{st})^2}} \cdot \cancel{x(x_{mt} - x_{st})} \cdot (-1)$$

$$= \frac{-(x_{mt} - x_{st})}{\sqrt{\Delta x^2 + \Delta y^2}}$$

Assume $\Delta x = x_{mt} - x_{st}$
 $\Delta y = y_{mt} - y_{st}$

$$\frac{\partial h_{11}}{\partial y} = \frac{-(y_{mt} - y_{st})}{\sqrt{\Delta x^2 + \Delta y^2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial h_{11}}{\partial \theta} = \frac{d(\Delta x \cdot \sin \theta - \Delta y \cdot \cos \theta)}{\sqrt{\Delta x^2 + \Delta y^2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial h_{21}}{\partial x} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x^2 + \Delta y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial h_{21}}{\partial y} = \frac{-\Delta x}{\Delta x^2 + \Delta y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial h_{21}}{\partial \theta} = \frac{-d(\Delta x \cos \theta + \Delta y \sin \theta)}{\Delta x^2 + \Delta y^2} - 1$$

\rightarrow EKF for the given example :

- Prediction Step :

$$\bar{\mu}_t = g(\mu_{t-1}, u_t)$$

$$\bar{\Sigma}_t = G_t \sum_{t-1} G_t^T + V_t \sum_{\text{control}} V_t^T$$

$$\sum_{\text{control}} = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_x^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_y^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

where, $\sigma_x^2 = (\gamma_1 \cdot 1)^2 + (\gamma_2 \cdot (1 - \gamma_1))^2$
 $\sigma_y^2 = (\gamma_1 \cdot \gamma_1)^2 + (\gamma_2 \cdot (1 - \gamma_1))^2$

where γ_1 : Error in control (30%)
 (control motion factor) γ_2 : Observed error in slip
 (control turn factor) when rotating (60%)

Note: \sum_{control} tries to model as many observed errors as possible.

- Correction Step :

$$K_t = \bar{\Sigma}_t H_t^T (H_t \bar{\Sigma}_t H_t^T + Q)^{-1}$$

$$\mu_t = \bar{\mu}_t + K_t (z_t - h(\bar{\mu}_t))$$

$$\Sigma_t = (I - K_t H_t) \bar{\Sigma}_t$$

Measurement Covariance matrix

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_n^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_\alpha^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

where σ_n : measurement distance std dev
 σ_α : measurement angle std dev