# **Experiment No. 8**

AIM: Implementation of the recursive least squares (RLS) algorithm for adaptive filtering.

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#### THEORY:

## **Method of Least Squares:**

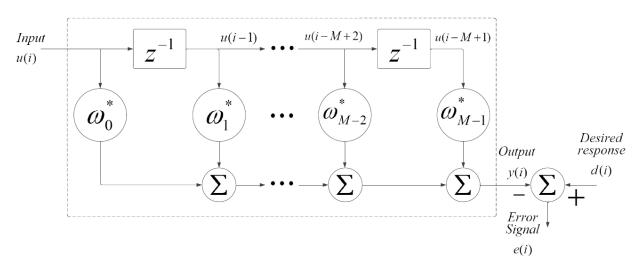


Figure 1: Filter model of least squares.

Method of least squares is deterministic in approach to minimize the sum of the squares of the difference between the desired signal d(i) and filter output y(i) for i = 1, 2, 3, ..., N.

$$y(i) = \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} \omega_k u(i-k)$$
 (1)

$$e(i) = d(i) - y(i) \tag{2}$$

u(i), u(i-1), u(i-2), ..., u(i-M+1) represents M-taped samples of input signal,  $\omega_k$ ; k = [0, M-1] is the filter weight of length M and e(i) is the estimation error. The tap weight  $\omega_k$  is tuned to minimize the cost function  $\xi$  consisting sum of error squares given as

$$\xi(\omega_0, ..., \omega_{M-1}) = \sum_{i=i_1}^{i_2} |e(i)|^2$$
(3)

where  $i_1$  and  $i_2$  defines the window for which the error minimization occurs. Gradient of  $\xi$  is given as

$$\nabla_k \xi = -2 \sum_{i=i_1}^{i_2} u(i-k) e^*(i) .$$
 (4)

For minimizing  $\xi$ 

$$\nabla_k \xi = 0. ag{5}$$

Substituting eq. 4 in eq. 5 we get

$$\sum_{i=i_1}^{i_2} u(i-k)e_{\min}^*(i) = 0$$
 (6)

where  $e_{\min}(i)$  denotes the value of e(i) for which  $\xi$  is minimized. As per the *principle of orthogonality* the minimum-error time series  $e_{\min}(i)$  is orthogonal to the time series u(i-k) applied to tap k of a filter of length M when filter is operating in its least-squares condition. Substituting eq. 1 in eq. 2 we get

$$e_{\min}(i) = d(i) - \sum_{t=0}^{M-1} \hat{\omega}_t^* u(i-t)$$
 (7)

Substituting eq. 7 in eq. 6 we get

$$\sum_{t=0}^{M-1} \hat{\omega}_t \sum_{i=l_1}^{l_2} u(i-k)u^*(i-t) = \sum_{i=l_1}^{l_2} u(i-k)d^*(i)$$
(8)

where  $\phi(t,k) = \sum_{i=i_1}^{i_2} u(i-k)u^*(i-t)$  is the *time average auto-correlation function* of tap inputs,

 $z(-k) = \sum_{i=i_1}^{i_2} u(i-k)d^*(i)$  is the *time average cross-correlation function* between the tap inputs

and the desired response and t = [0, M-1]. We can rewrite eq. 8 as

$$\sum_{t=0}^{M-1} \hat{\omega}_t \phi(t, k) = z(-k).$$
 (9)

The eq. 9 can be represented in matrix form as

$$\mathbf{\Phi}\hat{\mathbf{w}} = \mathbf{z} \tag{10}$$

where  $\Phi$  is the non-singular M-by-M time average auto-correlation matrix of tap inputs,  $\mathbf{z}$  is the M-by-1 time average cross correlation vector between tap inputs and desired response and  $\hat{\mathbf{w}}$  is the M-by-1 tap weight vector of the least squares filter.

$$\mathbf{\Phi} = \begin{bmatrix} \phi(0,0) & \phi(1,0) & \cdots & \phi(M-1,0) \\ \phi(0,1) & \phi(1,1) & \cdots & \phi(M-1,1) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \phi(0,M-1) & \phi(1,M-1) & \cdots & \phi(M-1,M-1) \end{bmatrix}$$
 (10)

$$\mathbf{z} = [z(0), z(-1), ..., z(-M+1)]^T$$
 (11)

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}} = [\hat{\omega}_0, \hat{\omega}_1, ..., \hat{\omega}_{M-1}]^T$$
 (12)

Finally, the tap-weight vector of the linear least-square filter can be derived as

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}} = \Phi^{-1} \mathbf{z} \,. \tag{13}$$

## **Recursive Least Squares:**

We extend to recursive least squares for use in real-time environments, where we estimate the weight prior to the availability of the input signal and update the weight with correction after the input is available.

Let introduce two parameters  $\lambda^n$  and  $\delta$ . where  $\lambda$  is an exponential weighting factor;  $0 < \lambda \le 1$  for large value of n,  $\lambda^n$  tends to zero hence, act as a forgetting factor to forget past values and  $\delta$  is a positive real number called the regularization parameter which stabilizes RLS solution by smoothing it, where  $\delta$  takes a large positive constant for small SNR and small positive constant for large SNR.

The time average auto-correlation matrix can be written as

$$\mathbf{\Phi}(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda^{n-i} \mathbf{u}(i) \mathbf{u}^{H}(i) + \delta \lambda^{n} \mathbf{I}$$
(14)

$$\Phi(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \lambda^{n-1-i} \mathbf{u}(i) \mathbf{u}^{H}(i) + \delta \lambda^{n-1} \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{u}(n) \mathbf{u}^{H}(n)$$

$$\Phi(n) = \lambda \Phi(n-1) + \mathbf{u}(n) \mathbf{u}^{H}(n)$$
(15)

Similarly, time average cross-correlation matrix z can be written as

$$\mathbf{z}(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \lambda^{n-i} \mathbf{u}(i) d^{*}(i)$$

$$\mathbf{z}(n) = \lambda \mathbf{z}(n-1) + \mathbf{u}(n) d^{*}(n)$$
(16)

By using matrix inversion lemma on eq. 15 we get

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{\Phi}(n)$$

$$\mathbf{B}^{-1} = \lambda \mathbf{\Phi}(n-1)$$

$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{u}(n)$$

$$\mathbf{D} = 1$$

$$\mathbf{\Phi}^{-1}(n) = \lambda^{-1}\mathbf{\Phi}^{-1}(n-1) - \frac{\lambda^{-2}\mathbf{\Phi}^{-1}\mathbf{u}(n)\mathbf{u}^{H}(n)\mathbf{\Phi}^{-1}(n-1)}{1 + \lambda^{-1}\mathbf{u}^{H}(n)\mathbf{\Phi}^{-1}(n-1)\mathbf{u}(n)}.$$
(17)

For convenience let's consider

$$\mathbf{P}(n) = \mathbf{\Phi}^{-1}(n)$$

$$\mathbf{k}(n) = \frac{\lambda^{-1} \mathbf{P}(n-1) \mathbf{u}(n)}{1 + \lambda^{-1} \mathbf{u}^{H} \mathbf{P}(n-1) \mathbf{u}(n)}$$

$$\mathbf{P}(n) = \lambda^{-1} \mathbf{P}(n-1) - \lambda^{-1} \mathbf{k}(n) \mathbf{u}^{H}(n) \mathbf{P}(n-1).$$
(18)

By further simplifying it can be found that

$$\mathbf{k}(n) = \mathbf{P}(n)\mathbf{u}(n)$$

The estimate of weight of least-squares is given as

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}}(n) = \mathbf{\Phi}^{-1}(n)\mathbf{z}(n)$$

$$= \mathbf{\Phi}^{-1}(n)[\lambda \mathbf{z}(n-1) + \mathbf{u}(n)\mathbf{d}^{*}(n)]$$

$$= \lambda \mathbf{P}(n)\mathbf{z}(n-1) + \mathbf{P}(n)\mathbf{u}(n)\mathbf{d}^{*}(n)$$

Substituting the value of P(n) from eq. 18, we get

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}}(n) = \mathbf{P}(n-1)\mathbf{z}(n-1) - \mathbf{k}(n)\mathbf{u}^{H}(n)\mathbf{P}(n-1)\mathbf{z}(n-1) + \mathbf{P}(n)\mathbf{u}(n)d^{*}(n)$$

$$= \hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1) - \mathbf{k}(n)\mathbf{u}^{H}(n)\hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1) + \mathbf{P}(n)\mathbf{u}(n)d^{*}(n)$$

$$= \hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1) - \mathbf{k}(n)\mathbf{u}^{H}(n)\hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1) + \mathbf{k}(n)d^{*}(n)$$

$$= \hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1) - \mathbf{k}(n)[d^{*}(n) - \mathbf{u}^{H}(n)\hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1)].$$

So, the final weight updating equation for RLS algorithm is given as

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}}(n) = \hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1) - \mathbf{k}(n) [d^*(n) - \mathbf{u}^H(n) \hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1)]$$
$$= \hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1) - \mathbf{k}(n) \varepsilon^*(n).$$

## **PROCEDURE:**

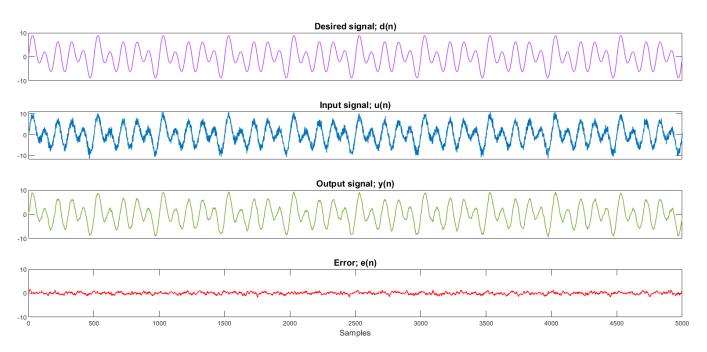
- **1.** Initialize  $\delta$ ,  $0 < \lambda \le 1$ ,  $\hat{\mathbf{w}}(0) = 0$  and  $\mathbf{P}(0) = \delta^{-1}\mathbf{I}$  where  $\delta$  is a large positive constant for small SNR and small positive constant for large SNR.
- 2. Compute k matrix given as

$$\mathbf{k} = \frac{\mathbf{P}(n-1)\mathbf{u}(n)}{\lambda + \mathbf{u}^{H}(n)\mathbf{P}(n-1)\mathbf{u}(n)}$$

- **3.** Compute a priori error  $\varepsilon(n) = d(n) \hat{\mathbf{w}}^H(n-1)\mathbf{u}(n)$ .
- **4.** Update weight matrix  $\hat{\mathbf{w}}(n) = \hat{\mathbf{w}}(n-1) + \mathbf{k}(n)\varepsilon^*(n)$ .
- **5.** Update **P** matrix  $P(n) = \lambda^{-1} [P(n-1) k(n)u^{H}(n)P(n-1)]$ .
- **6.** Repeat steps 2 to 5 for n = 1, 2, 3, ..., N where N represents the number of iterations for training weight.
- 7. Filter the input signal with final obtained weight vector.

## **RESULTS:**

RLS algorithm implementation (del= 10; lamda= 0.9995; N= 100; M= 20)



**Figure 2:** figure shows the desired signal, the desired signal with added noise, the output signal from RLS algorithm and the error between desired and output signal.

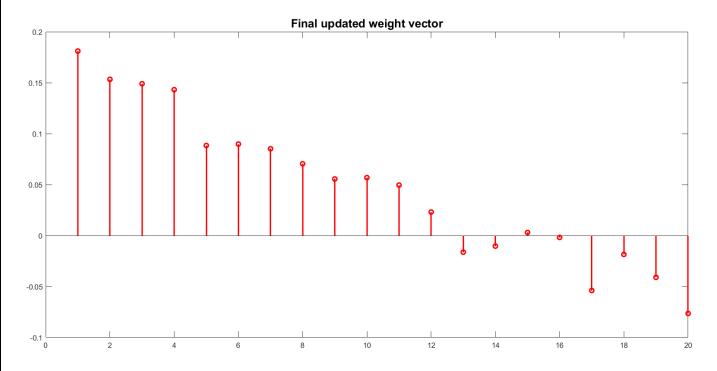


Figure 3: the figure shows the weight vector achieved at the final iteration of RLS algorithm.

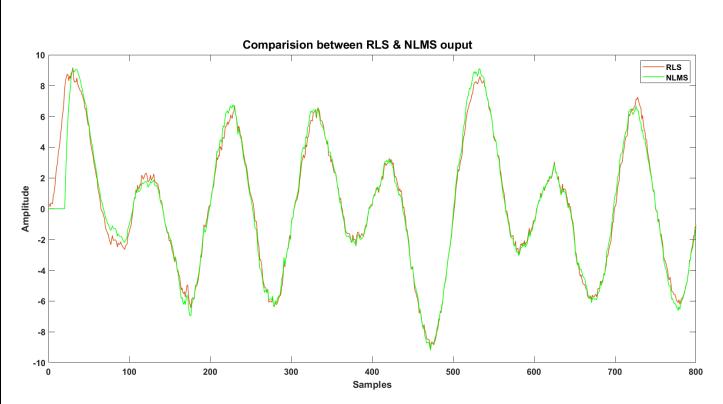


Figure 4: the figure shows the comparison between the output of NLMS and RLS algorithm.

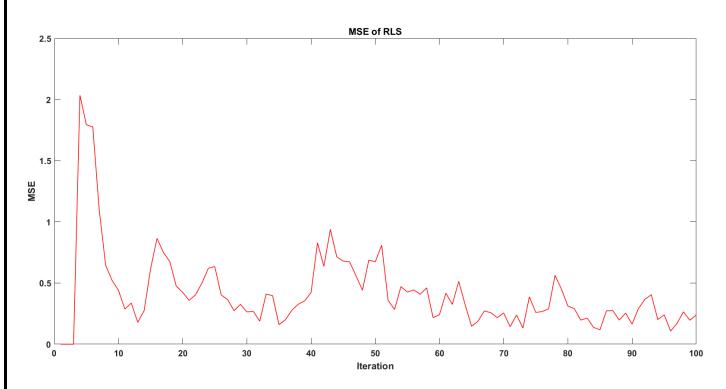


Figure 5: the figure shows the mean square error of RLS algorithm.