

# Project: Calibration of an Accelerometer using GPS Measurements

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# 1 Abstract

Odometry is the process of using data from motion sensors such as Inertial Measurement Units (IMUs) or GPS devices in order to estimate changes in position over time. This concept is widely applied in the field of robotics to address the problem of navigation and traversability in various terrain. More specifically, in underground, GPS-denied environments, a simpler navigation system is normally taken to surpass the constraints of communication and power of such places. Therefore, having a good estimation from an IMU is critical to reaching the objectives on the field for a robot. Unfortunately, while these electronic components are very cheap and handy for everyday applications, their measurements are corrupted by stochastic processes such as noise and bias that motivate their frequent calibration. In this manuscript, a method to calibrate a 1-D accelerometer using a GPS through a Kalman Filter is proposed. Moreover, the accelerometer's position and velocity are estimated through its kinematic equations and compared with those measured by the GPS in an interval of  $t=30s$ . The results show that the bias is properly estimated, and through Monte Carlo experiments over different epochs, the estimator can reduce the average error and variance in all the system's variables of interest. This didactic example shows step-by-step the correct implementation of a minimum variance estimator and proves the theoretical orthogonality properties of stochastic processes.

## 2 Introduction

### 2.1 Problem Statement

Initially, we are provided with the current/true acceleration profile in one dimension of a vehicle with an accelerometer

$$a(t) = A \cdot \sin(\omega t) \text{ m/sec}^2 \quad (1)$$

Since these electronic devices are prone to introduce error to their measurements, the accelerometer measurements are modeled with an additive Gaussian noise  $w$  and a bias  $b_a$ , both with known a priori statistics.

$$a_c(t_j) = a(t_j) + b_a + w(t_j) \quad (2)$$

On the other hand, the GPS is used to provide measured position and velocity synchronized with the accelerometer. Likewise, the GPS measurements are modeled with noises sequences with a priori known statistics in the following way

$$\begin{aligned} z_{1_i} &= x(t_i) + \eta_{1_i} \\ z_{2_i} &= v(t_i) + \eta_{2_i} \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Table 1 and 2 summarize all the information provided by the prompt of the assignment.

Table 1: Summary of all Accelerometer parameters provided by the problem

#	Parameter	Variable	Value	Unit
<b><u>Accelerometer</u></b>				
1	Sampling Rate	$f_{IMU}$	200	Hz
2	Amplitude	$A$	10	$m/s^2$
3	Experiment Length	$T$	30	$s$
4	Frequency	$\omega$	0.1	$rad/s$
5	Bias Mean	$\bar{b}_0$	0	$m/s^2$
6	Noise bias	$\bar{w}_0$	0	$m/s^2$
7	Bias Variance	$\sigma_b^2$	0.01	$(m/s^2)^2$
8	Noise Variance	$\sigma_w^2$	0.0004	$(m/s^2)^2$

Table 2: Summary of all GPS parameters provided by the problem

#	Parameter	Variable	Value	Unit
<b><u>GPS-Acceleration</u></b>				
9	Sampling Rate	$f_{gps}$	5	Hz
3	Experiment Length	$T$	30	$s$
<b><u>GPS-Pos- A priori</u></b>				
10	Position Mean	$\bar{x}$	0	$m$
11	Position Variance	$\sigma_x^2$	100	$m^2$
12	Position Noise Mean	$\eta_{p0}$	0	$m$
13	Position Noise Variance	$\sigma_{\eta,p0}^2$	1	$m^2$
<b><u>GPS-Vel- A priori</u></b>				
14	Velocity Mean	$\bar{v}$	0	$(m/s)$
15	Velocity Variance	$\sigma_v^2$	1	$(m/s)^2$
16	Velocity Noise Mean	$\eta_{v0}$	0	$(m/s)$
17	Velocity Noise Variance	$\sigma_{\eta,v0}^2$	0.0016	$(m/s)^2$

It is worth highlighting that the initial conditions for the position and velocity in Equation (3) are given by variables 10 and 12 in Table (2).

## 2.2 Objectives

In this manuscript, the first section recaps all the information provided by the problem statement and the objectives of the assignment. The Section 'Theory' essentially introduces concepts related to the Stochastic Processes Theory used for the design of the Kalman filter. Next, the section 'Methods & Results' goes over step-by-step the algorithm designed in MATLAB for the Kalman Filter and presents the plots obtained for each section. Finally, the last Section 'Conclusions' summarizes the important results of this work. According to the assignment prompt, these are expectations for the work

1. Determine an associated stochastic discrete-time system that is approximately independent of the acceleration profile.
2. Design a Kalman filter and plot the estimates of position, velocity, an accelerometer bias as well as the filter error variance (considering one sigma bound)
3. For the validation of the minimum variance estimator, we should follow a Monte Carlo approach to do ensemble realizations. Specifically, the batches proposed are [10 40 160 640] realizations
  - Proof that over an ensemble of realizations, the simulated error variance is close to the filter error variance
  - Show the theoretical orthogonalities and independence properties are satisfied for this filter.

## 3 Theory

### 3.1 Inertial Measurement Unit

An Inertial Measurement Unit, also known as IMU, is an electronic device that measures and reports acceleration, orientation, angular rates, and other gravitational forces. It is normally composed of 3 accelerometers, 3 gyroscopes, and depending on the heading requirement – 3 magnetometers [3].



Figure 1: Comercial Inertial Measurement Unit. Figure extracted from [3]

### 3.2 Conditional Probability

The conditional probability of event B is the probability that the event will occur given the knowledge that event A has already occurred. This probability is written  $P(B|A)$ , a notation for the probability of B given A. In the case where events A and B are independent (where event A has no effect on the probability of event B), the conditional probability of event B given event A is simply the probability of event B, that is  $P(B)$  [4].

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} \quad (4)$$

The conditional probability density function of  $X$ , given that  $Y = y$ , is defined by [2]:

$$g(x|y) = \frac{f(x, y)}{f_Y(y)} \quad (5)$$

In the proposition above, we assume that the marginal pmf  $f_Y(y)$  is known. If it is not, it can be derived from the joint  $f_{XY}(x, y)$  by marginalization.

### 3.3 Gauss-Markov Processes

A random variable is a Markov process when the future is independent of the past. Therefore, For all  $t > s$  and arbitrary values  $x(t), x(s)$  and  $x(u)$  for all  $u < s$ , it can be affirmed that

$$P(X(t) \leq x(t)|X(s) \leq x(s), X(u) \leq x(u)) = P(X(t) \leq x(t)|X(s) \leq x(s)) \quad (6)$$

We can say that this process is memoryless because the future doesn't depend on previous instants. On the other hand, a process is said to be Gaussian when all probability distributions are Gaussian [1]. For arbitrary  $n > 0$ , the sample instants  $t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n$  their corresponding realizations

$$X(t_1), X(t_2), \dots, X(t_n) \quad (7)$$

are jointly Gaussian Random variables. Moreover, these random variables should be related to either a sum or a scalar multiplication to keep the Gaussian condition. A Gauss-Markov process preserves both Gaussian and Markov conditions.

### 3.4 Discrete Kalman Filter

The continuous estimation of a set of parameters whose values change over time is the problem we are seeking to solve. For this purpose, the conditional probability density function  $f_{x|z}$  contains all the minimum information that we need to solve any estimation problem. Thus, we want to estimate the current state of our system  $x$  given the measurements we have of it  $z$ , and to minimize the minimum variance of the estimate of a state  $\mathbf{x}$ . The mathematical formulation is the following

$$\tilde{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\tilde{\mathbf{x}}}{\operatorname{argmin}} E[||\tilde{\mathbf{x}} - x||^2 | z] = E[x | z]$$

In this case, the conditional mean will be the solution to the minimization problem. The system we want to minimize has the formulation below:

$$\begin{aligned} x_{k+1} &= \Phi_k x_k + \Gamma_k W_k \\ z_x &= H_k x_k + v_k \end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

And we are going to have two stages for the Kalman filter, First, we will propagate the error in the system and then update it with the computed estimation for each measured instant. This, the a priori state mean to the formulation for the propagation stage

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x}_{k+1} &= \Phi_k \hat{x}_k \\ M_{k+1} &= \Phi_k P_k \Phi_k^T + \Gamma_k W_k \Gamma_k^T \end{aligned} \tag{9}$$

Where the apriori error variance matrix in the next instant  $M_{k+1}$  is calculated based on the a posteriori error variance matrix in the previous instant  $P_k$ . Then, for the update stage

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{x}_k &= \bar{x}_k + P_k H_k^T V_k^{-1} (z_k - H_k \bar{x}_k) \\ P_k &= \left( M_k^{-1} + H_k^T V_k^{-1} H_k \right)^{-1} \end{aligned} \tag{10}$$

Considering that  $P_k$  can reach values near zero and be singular, we can use the matrix inversion Lemma to rewrite the  $P_k$  matrix into a more computationally efficient fashion

$$\begin{aligned} P_k &= \left( M_k^{-1} + H_k^T V_k^{-1} H_k \right)^{-1} \\ P_k &= \left( I - K_k H_k \right) M_k \left( I - K_k H_k \right)^T + K_k V_k K_k^T \end{aligned} \tag{11}$$

Furthermore, we can define two additional variables called residual  $r_k$ , and the Kalman gain  $K_k$ , defined in the following way

$$\begin{aligned} r_k &= z_k - H_k \bar{x}_k \\ K_k &= P_k H_k^T V_k^{-1} \end{aligned} \tag{12}$$

Hence, the updating process for  $\hat{x}$  can reduce the Equation 10 can be understood as operating the filter's gain upon the residual and it is presented below

$$\hat{x}_k = \bar{x}_k + P_k H_k^T V_k^{-1} (z_k - H_k \bar{x}_k) \longrightarrow \hat{x}_k = \bar{x}_k + K_k r_k \tag{13}$$

Moreover, errors can be included in the system formulation 8 by defining a new state vector. Thus the a priori and a posteriori errors can be defined like this

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{e}_k &= x_k - \bar{x}_k \\ &= \Phi_{k-1} \bar{e}_{k-1} + \Gamma_{k-1} w_{k-1} \\ e_k &= x_k - \hat{x}_k \\ &= \Phi_{k-1} e_{k-1} + \Gamma_{k-1} w_{k-1}\end{aligned}\tag{14}$$

Where the a posteriori error is orthogonal to the estimated state and therefore is independent. Mathematically, this property is expressed as follows

$$E[e_k \hat{x}_k^T] = 0\tag{15}$$

On the other hand, the residuals are an independent sequence of all the previous measurements as well, then the innovation process referred to is presented below,

$$E[r_k r_j^T] = 0 \quad \forall j < k\tag{16}$$

These equations will be implemented in an algorithm in the next Section using MATLAB 2019b

## 4 Methods & Results

In this section, the algorithm developed for the solution of the assignment is presented and explained. Next, the key plots of each intermediate result are included.

### 4.1 Algorithm

In this section, it will be explained code excerpts from the main code. The excerpts that start with a function are located at the end of the main MATLAB file. The full code for this Kalman Filter is provided in the Appendix,

#### 4.1.1 Initialization

This code represents the variable initialization for each of the values in Table 1 and 2.

```
1 %% 1. Variable Initialization
2 clc
3 clear all
4 % 1.A Accelerometer / Data from the problem
5 s_rate = 200; % 1/s, Variable 1
6 step = (1/s_rate);
7 Ampl = 10; % m/s^2, Variable 2
8 L = 30; % s, Experiment length, Variable 3
9 w = 0.1; % f, 2pi, Variable 4
10
11 % 1.B Accelerometer Truth
12 t_sin = [0:(step):L];
13 acc_sin = Ampl*sin(w*t_sin);
14 n_samples = length(t_sin);
15
16 % 1.C Accelerometer Measured: Bias + Noise
17 bias_mean = 0; % (m/s^2)^2, Variable 5
18 noise_mean = 0; % (m/s^2)^2, Variable 6
19
```

```

20 bias_var = 0.01;    %(m/s^2)^(2),Variable 7
21 noise_var = 0.0004; %(m/s^2)^(2),Variable 8
22
23 % 1.D GPS, 'Current' Dynamics: Position & Velocity
24 % prior position
25 freq_gps = 5;      %Hz, synchronized with accelerometer,Variable 9
26 p_mean = 0;        % 0 meters,Variable 10
27 p_var = 100;       % (10 meters)^2,Variable 11
28 % prior velocity
29 v_mean = 100;      % 10 meters/s,Variable 14
30 v_var = 1;         % (1 meters/s)^(2),Variable 15
31
32 %A priori stadistics for the dynamic noise processes
33 etap_mean = 0;     %m,Variable 12
34 etap_var = 1;      %m^2,Variable 13
35 %velocity noise
36 etav_mean = 0;     %cm/m,Variable 16
37 etav_var = (0.04)^2; %convert(4cm/s)^2 to (m/s)^2,,Variable 17

```

#### 4.1.2 Accelerometer model

Then, the current and measured acceleration, velocity, and position are computed from the current/true acceleration that has the sine function profile provided at the beginning.

```

1 %% 2. Accelerometer
2 [acc_meas, bias_model, noise_model] = acc_mod(acc_sin, noise_mean, noise_var, bias_mean, bias_var, n_samples);
3 %IDEAL+BIAS+NOISE=REAL
4 [pos_mod, vel_mod] = dynamics_mod(acc_meas, p_mean, v_mean, step, n_samples);
5 %INTEGRAL(REAL)= MODEL (deterministic)
6
7 [pos_est, vel_est] = dynamics_real(p_mean, p_var, v_mean, v_var, acc_sin, step, n_samples);
8 %INTEGRAL(IDEAL) = IDEAL

```

The first function refers to Equation (2), where the current acceleration from the vehicle is added with a bias and a noise.

```

1 function [acc_meas, bias_model, noise_model] = acc_mod(a_sin, noise_mean, noise_var, bias_mean, bias_var, n_samples)
2     noise_model = normrnd(noise_mean, sqrt(noise_var), 1, n_samples); %Gaussian model, dimension 1 of each element
3     bias_model = ones(1, n_samples) * normrnd(bias_mean, sqrt(bias_var)); %The bias is constant
4     acc_meas = a_sin + bias_model + noise_model; %Real model
5 end

```

Note that the noise is being generated with a random sequence using the MATLAB command '*normrnd*'. Conversely, the bias is a constant random number added to all the elements of the vector. The next function computes the measured velocity and position of the vehicle using the measured acceleration from the accelerometer.

```

1 function [pos_mod, vel_mod] = dynamics_mod(acc_theo, po_mean, vo_mean, step, n_samples)
2 pos_mod = zeros(1, n_samples); %position
3 pos_mod(1) = po_mean;
4 vel_mod = zeros(1, n_samples); %velocity
5 vel_mod(1) = vo_mean;
6 for j=2:n_samples
7     vel_mod(j) = vel_mod(j-1) + acc_theo(j-1)*step;
8     pos_mod(j) = pos_mod(j-1) + vel_mod(j-1)*step + 0.5*acc_theo(j-1)*(step)^2;
9 end
10 end

```



Note that lines 7-8 represent the following kinematic equations for a Uniformly Accelerated Rectilinear Motion (UARM) using an Euler integration formula

$$\begin{aligned} v_c(t_{j+1}) &= v_c(t_j) + a_c(t)\Delta t \\ p_c(t_{j+1}) &= p_c(t_j) + v_c(t)\Delta t + a_c(t)\frac{\Delta t^2}{2} \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

Furthermore, a similar logic is used to obtain the true position and velocity

```

1 function [pos_est, vel_est] = dynamics_real(p_mean, p_var, v_mean, v_var, acc_sin, step, n_samples)
2 %
3 p_initial = normrnd(p_mean, sqrt(p_var));
4 pos_est = zeros(1, n_samples);
5 pos_est(1) = p_initial;
6 %
7 v_initial = normrnd(v_mean, sqrt(v_var));
8 vel_est = zeros(1, n_samples);
9 vel_est(1) = v_initial;
10
11 for j=2:n_samples
12     vel_est(j) = vel_est(j-1) + acc_sin(j-1)*step;
13     pos_est(j) = pos_est(j-1) + vel_est(j-1)*step + 0.5*acc_sin(j-1)*((step))^2;
14 end
15 end

```

where the Euler integration looks like this

$$\begin{aligned} v_E(t_{j+1}) &= v_E(t_j) + a(t)\Delta t \\ p_E(t_{j+1}) &= p_E(t_j) + v_E(t)\Delta t + a_c(t)\frac{\Delta t^2}{2} \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

with initial statistics  $v(0) = v_E(0) \sim N(\bar{v}_0, M_0^v)$  and  $p(0) = p_E(0) \sim N(\bar{p}_0, M_0^p)$ . These results are plugged into the upcoming sections of the code for the computation of the GPS Dynamics.

#### 4.1.3 Derivation of the Dynamic Model

The objective is to define a stochastic discrete-time system that is independent of the acceleration profile, as suggested in the assignment prompt. Therefore, the Equation 18 is subtracted from Equation 17 to obtain the following state space realization

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_{t_{j+1}} &= \Phi \delta_{t_j} - \Gamma w(t_j) \\ \begin{bmatrix} \delta_{PE}(t_{j+1}) \\ \delta_{vE}(t_{j+1}) \\ b(t_{j+1}) \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \Delta t & -\frac{\Delta t^2}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & -\Delta t \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_{PE}(t_j) \\ \delta_{vE}(t_j) \\ b(t_j) \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\Delta t^2}{2} \\ \Delta t \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} w(t_j) \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

where the initial conditions are defined below

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_{PE}(t_0) &\sim N(0, M_0^p) \\ \delta_{vE}(t_0) &\sim N(0, M_0^v) \\ b &\sim N(0, M_0^b) \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

this code shows the implementation of this model

```

1 %% 3. Derivation of Dynamic Model
2 % Vector provided in the solution of the Project
3 deltax_r = [pos_est - pos_mod;
4             vel_est - vel_mod;

```

```

5         bias_model];
6 % For the initialization of the Kalman Filter
7 d_pe = deltax_r(1,:);
8 d_ve = deltax_r(2,:);
9 % Propagation matrixes
10 Phi = [1, step, -(1/2)*(step^2);
11        0, 1, -step;
12        0, 0, 1];
13 Gamma = [(1/2)*(step^2);
14           step;
15           0];

```

where lines 3-5 show the state vector independent of the acceleration profile.

#### 4.1.4 GPS Model

In the following lines of code, the measured position from the GPS is extracted from the current position and velocity calculated in the previous subsection.

```

1 %% 4. GPS
2 dt_gps = 1/freq_gps;
3 t_gps = 0:dt_gps:L;
4 n_samples_gps = length(t_gps);
5
6 %Equations for the GPS
7 [z_pos, z_vel, idx, eta_pos, eta_vel]=GPS_dynamics(n_samples,n_samples_gps,etap_mean,etap_var,etav_mean,etav_var,
8           pos_est,vel_est);
9
10 % Difference between GPS measurement and ground truth
11 % GPS measurement that will be included in the Kalman Filter Algorithm
12 dz = [d_pe(idx) + eta_pos;
13       d_ve(idx) + eta_vel];

```

The first lines are computing a new time vector based on the sampling frequency of the GPS. The MATLAB function 'GPS\_dynamics' is explained below

```

1 function [z_pos, z_vel, idx, eta_pos, eta_vel] = GPS_dynamics(n_samples, n_samples_gps, etap_mean, etap_var,
2           etav_mean,etav_var, pos_est, vel_est)
3 %Index for the update of GPS measurements corresponding to
4 %Accelerometer
5 idx = 1:40:n_samples;
6 %Etas noise
7 eta_pos = normrnd(etap_mean,sqrt(etap_var),1,n_samples_gps); % This is not a bias
8 eta_vel = normrnd(etav_mean,sqrt(etav_var),1,n_samples_gps); % This is not a bias, random number
9 %gps measurements
10 z_pos = pos_est(idx) + eta_pos;
11 z_vel = vel_est(idx) + eta_vel;
12 end

```

A real GPS is a very accurate device, yet it has to include in its modeling the effects of a Gaussian noise for each of the true velocity a position. The output  $dz$  on line 9 will be identified as the "measured" variables from the GPS.

#### 4.1.5 Kalman Filter: Initialization

Prior to starting with the updating process for each sample time, it is important to initialize each of the variables and matrices in Equations (8-11) explained in subsection (3.4).

```

1 %% 5. Kalman Filter Algorithm
2 %% 5.A Initialization
3 % Prior Knowledge
4 LdimKal = Phi^(0);

```

```

5 W = noise_var;
6 % Equations taken from Chp4 – Slide 39
7 % GPS Covariance
8 V = [etap_var      0 ;
9       0      etap_var ];
10 % C/H matrix Output
11 H = [1 0 0;
12       0 1 0]; % We are mutting the Bias Channel
13 % Update
14 % Initial Values
15 % (known) Covariance
16 M0 = [p_var      0      0;
17        0 v_var      0;
18        0      0 bias_var];
19 % Slide 43
20 x0_mean = [ d_pe(1);
21             d_ve(1);
22             bias_model(1)];
23 %
24 K0 = M0*H'*(H*M0*H'+V)^(-1);
25 % (known) A posteriori Covariance, Slide 48
26 P0 = (I.dimKal-K0*H)*M0*(I.dimKal-K0*H)' + K0*V*K0';
27 % Estimate state, Slide 49
28 x0_est = x0_mean + K0*(dz(:,1)-H*x0_mean);
29 %
30 x_est_total = zeros(3,n_samples);
31 x_est_total(:,1) = x0_est;
32 x_mean_total = zeros(3,n_samples);
33 x_mean_total(:,1) = x0_mean;
34 % Matrices
35 M_total{1,1} = M0;
36 K_total{1,1} = K0;
37 P_total{1,1} = P0;

```

Note that the matrix  $H$  is defined in such a way that the channel dedicated to the bias is muted because is not being measured. Moreover, there is no covariance among the position, velocity, and bias in matrices  $M_k, P_k, P_k$  (off-diagonal elements equal to zero).

#### 4.1.6 Kalman Filter: Real-Time Algorithm

The code below basically shows the backbone of the Kalman Filter algorithm. It is running from 2 sampling instants to the number of samples that correspond to the frequency of the accelerometer ( $T = 30$ ) because the first instant in for the initial conditions. Lines 17 to 24 explicitly show the updated algorithm considered in Slide 43-Chapter 4 of our lecture notes. Note that the 'if' condition in line 9 is playing a critical role in the proper calculation of the gain and matrices. The values are being updated every 40 sampling instants because of the ratio between the GPS frequency (5 Hz) and the accelerometer one (200 Hz).

```

1 %% 5.B Real-Time Algorithm
2 for i=2:n_samples
3     M_prev = M_total{1,i-1};
4     K_prev = K_total{1,i-1};
5     P_prev = P_total{1,i-1};
6     % Equation of Slide 43 – Propagation
7     x_mean_total(:,i) = Phi*x_est_total(:,i-1);
8     % Verification if this matches the sampling time of the Accelerometer
9     if mod(i-1, 40) ~= 0
10         %Fixing the matrixes if that doesn't match
11         x_est_total(:,i) = x_mean_total(:,i);
12         M_total{1,i} = M_prev;

```

```

13     K_total{1,i} = K_prev;
14     P_total{1,i} = P_prev;
15 else
16     %Slide 43
17     M_next = Phi*P_prev*Phi'+Gamma*W*Gamma';
18     K_next = M_next*H'*(H*M_next*H'+V)^(-1);
19     P_next = (I.dimKal - K_next*H)*M_next*(I.dimKal - K_next*H)' + K_next*V*K_next';
20     % Update
21     M_total{1,i} = M_next;
22     K_total{1,i} = K_next;
23     P_total{1,i} = P_next;
24     x_est_total (:, i) = x_mean_total(:, i) + K_next*(dz(:,(i-1)/40+1) - H*x_mean_total(:,i));
25 end
26 end

```

#### 4.1.7 Data collection

These are the output vectors obtained from the Kalman Filter Algorithm. Each element of each vector is extracted to provide separated plots for the velocity, position, and bias

```

1 % Final vectors
2 % Estimated Position Mean
3 final_p_est = x_est_total (1,:);
4 final_v_est = x_est_total (2,:);
5 final_b_est = x_est_total (3,:);
6
7 % Position Mean
8 final_p_prior = x_mean_total(1,:);
9 final_v_prior = x_mean_total(2,:);
10 final_b_prior = x_mean_total(3,:);
11
12 for i=1:n_samples
13     P_current = P_total{1,i};
14     pos_est_var_cell {1,i} = P_current(1,1);
15     vel_est_var_cell {1,i} = P_current(2,2);
16     bias_est_var_cell {1,i}= P_current(3,3);
17 end
18
19 %Variance of the Estimated Position
20 pos_est_var = cell2mat( pos_est_var_cell );
21 vel_est_var = cell2mat( vel_est_var_cell );
22 bias_est_var = cell2mat( bias_est_var_cell );
23
24 % Prior error
25 e_priori = deltax_r - x_mean_total;
26 e_posteriori = deltax_r - x_est_total;

```

#### 4.1.8 Monte Carlo Approach: Ensemble of realizations

After completing the analysis for one realization, the process is repeated for different epochs, so that the filter performance improves as the prior knowledge after each iteration is updated. Moreover, with these ensembled realizations the error variance, the orthogonality property among the errors, and the residuals are computed and graphed. The epochs are selected to increase 4 times each other in this way: [10 40 160 640]. The code for this experiment is provided in Appendix 2.

After initializing all the parameters from the previous code, we can initialize the global vectors that are going to store all the results after each epoch.

```

1 %% Epochs
2 Epochs = [10 40 160 640];

```

```

3 Final_Table_Properties=zeros(length(Epochs),9);
4 time = zeros(1,length(Epochs));
5 for it = 1:length(Epochs)
6     tic;
7     dim = Epochs(it);
8     e_posteri_global = zeros(3,n_samples,dim);
9     x_mean_global = zeros(3,n_samples,dim);
10    x_est_global = zeros(3,n_samples,dim);
11    dz_total = zeros(2,n_samples_gps,dim);
12    orth_res = zeros(2,2,dim);
13    for j=1:dim
14        [acc_m measu, bias_model, noise_model] = acc_mod(acc_sin, noise_mean, noise_var, bias_mean, bias_var,n_samples);
15        %REAL + BIAS + NOISE = MEASURED
16        [pos_mod, vel_mod] = dynamics_mod(acc_m measu, p_mean, v_mean,step ,n_samples); %INTEGRAL(
17        MEASURED) = Model, there is no variances here (deterministic)
18        [pos_est, vel_est] = dynamics_real(p_mean, p_var, v_mean, v_var, acc_sin,step, n_samples); %INTEGRAL(
19        REAL) = Estimate (stochastic)
20        % Delta of state variables
21        dx_real =[pos_est - pos_mod;
22                  vel_est - vel_mod;
23                  bias_model];
24        d_pe = dx_real(1,:);
25        d_ve = dx_real(2,:);
26        % GPS
27        [z_pos, z_vel, idx, eta_pos, eta_vel] = GPS_dynamics(n_samples, n_samples_gps, etap_mean, etap_var,
28        etav_mean,etav_var, pos_est, vel_est);
29        % Difference between GPS measurement and ground truth
30        dz = [d_pe(idx) + eta_pos;
31              d_ve(idx) + eta_vel];
32        dz_total (:,j)=dz; %%%%%%%%%%%%%%
33        % Initialization
34        %
35        x0_mean = [ d_pe(1);
36                   d_ve(1);
37                   bias_model(1)];
38        x0_est = x0_mean + K0*(dz(:,1)-H*x0_mean);
39        %
40        x_est_total = zeros(3,n_samples);
41        x_est_total (:,1) = x0_est;
42        x_mean_total = zeros(3,n_samples);
43        x_mean_total(:,1) = x0_mean;
44        % Matrices
45        M_total{1,1} = M0;
46        K_total{1,1} = K0;
47        P_total{1,1} = P0;
48        %%%%%%%%%%%%%%

```

From lines 6-10 these global vectors are initialized according to the current epoch selected. Note that on line 5 we use the 'tic' command of MATLAB to take the runtime. After doing the real-time Kalman algorithm, we store the values in the same way as before but we are including the results of each epoch in a global vector (lines 27-29)

```

1 time(it)=toc;
2 % Final vectors
3 final_p_est = x_est_total (1,:);
4 final_v_est = x_est_total (2,:);
5 final_b_est = x_est_total (3,:);
6
7 final_p_prior = x_mean_total(1,:);
8 final_v_prior = x_mean_total(2,:);
9 final_b_prior = x_mean_total(3,:);
10

```

```

11 for k=1:n_samples
12     P_current = P_total{1,k};
13     pos_est_var_cell {1,k} = P_current(1,1);
14     vel_est_var_cell {1,k} = P_current(2,2);
15     bias_est_var_cell {1,k} = P_current(3,3);
16 end
17
18 pos_est_var = cell2mat( pos_est_var_cell );
19 vel_est_var = cell2mat( vel_est_var_cell );
20 bias_est_var = cell2mat( bias_est_var_cell );
21
22 % Priori error
23 e_posteriori = dx_real - x_est_total;
24
25 % Total matrices
26 e_posteri_global (:,:, j) = e_posteriori; % errors
27 x_est_global (:,:, j) = x_est_total;
28 x_mean_global (:,:, j) = x_mean_total;
29 end

```

Moreover, after a epoch is finalized all the errors are averaged and the maximum value is stored in the matrices from lines 10-12

```

1 % 1.Property: Average of the ensemble error
2 e_pave = sum(e_posteri_global(1,idx,:), 3)/dim;
3 e_vave = sum(e_posteri_global(2,idx,:), 3)/dim;
4 e_bave = sum(e_posteri_global(3,idx,:), 3)/dim;
5
6 e_ave = [e_pave;
7         e_vave;
8         e_bave];
9
10 Prop1p = max(max(e_pave));
11 Prop1v = max(max(e_vave));
12 Prop1b = max(max(e_bave));

```

Next, the variance of the estimated error is compared with the error that the filter obtains for each sampling instant, for each realization. This is the mathematical expression for the implemented code

$$\overline{\sigma^2} = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{k=1}^{k=1} [e^k(t_i) - \bar{e}(t_i)][e^k(t_i) - \bar{e}(t_i)]^T \quad (21)$$

$$\overline{\sigma^2} - \sigma^2 \approx 0$$

for any instant  $i > 0$ , and  $k \leq N$ , the number of ensemble of realizations. In line 14, the a posteriori error is subtracted from the average error computed in the previous section. Then in line 23, the result is averaged over the number of epochs, as it is done in Equation (21). Finally, this result is subtracted from the matrix  $P_k$  that has all the variances from the system.

Furthermore, the orthogonal property

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^{k=1} [e^k(t_i) - \bar{e}(t_i)][\tilde{\delta}_x]^T \approx 0 \quad (22)$$

and for the residuals

$$r^l(t_i) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^{k=1} r^l(t_i) r^l(t_m) \approx 0, \forall i < m \quad (23)$$

are implemented in lines 18 and lines 35-40, respectively (lines 13-21)

```

1 % 2.Property: (Error Variance vs Filter) + Orthogonality Properties
2 delta = zeros(3,n_samples_gps,dim);
3 P_var_av = zeros(3,3,n_samples_gps);
4
5 err_var = P_var_av;
6 Diff_var = P_var_av;
7
8 orth = P_var_av;
9 Orth_var = P_var_av;
10
11 for x = 1:n_samples_gps
12     for y = 1:dim
13         %2.Property: Second Order Stadistics
14         delta (:,x,y) = e_posteri_global (:,x,y)- e_ave(:,x);
15         err_var (:,y) = delta (:,x,y)*delta (:,x,y)'; %Ortogonalidad de los errores
16
17         %3.Property: Independece + orthogonality E[()x']
18         orth (:,y) = delta (:,x,y)*x_est_global (:,x,y)';
19         end
20
21         %2. Second Order Stadistics
22         P_var_av (:,y,x) = sum(err_var,3)/(dim-1); %Average del Error Variance
23         Diff_var (:,y,x) = P_var_av (:,y,x) - P_total{1,x}; % Diferencia entre el Error Variance y el que te bota el
        filtro , Esto tiene que ser zero
24
25         %3
26         Orth_var (:,y,x) = sum(orth,3)/(dim-1);
27     end
28
29     %
30     Prop2 = max(max(max(Diff_var)));
31     Prop3= max(max(max(Orth_var)));
32
33     % 4.Property: Residuals
34
35     for f=1:dim
36         res = dz_total (:,f) - x_mean_global(1:2, idx, f); % medicion del GPS -
37         orth_res (:,f) = res(:,13+1)*res(:,13)'; % verificar entre un tiempo y el tiempo siguiente, esto tiene que ser
        zero
38     end
39     Res_ave (:,f) = (1/dim)*sum(orth_res,3);
40     Prop4_res = max(max(max(Res_ave)));

```

We are considering a sample in instant 13 to validate the independence of its residuals from the previous ones (line 37).

## 4.2 Results

The values obtained by the use of the previous code are plotted and also zoomed in to obtain a better perspective of what is happening from each sampling time to the next one

- **Plot for the Accelerometer's dynamics:**

Figure (2) presents the difference between the current state of the variables (from the Euler integration) and the measured by the accelerometer. Notice from the zoom-in figures on each plot that the measured velocity and position are very close to the calculated one by the Euler integration of acceleration profile. It will be shown later that this offset will increase as time goes on. Furthermore, the noise and bias are explicitly affecting each measurement of the acceleration, resulting in a constant offset along the experiment length. Therefore, in the third plot zoom in, we can see the measurements of a real accelerometer.

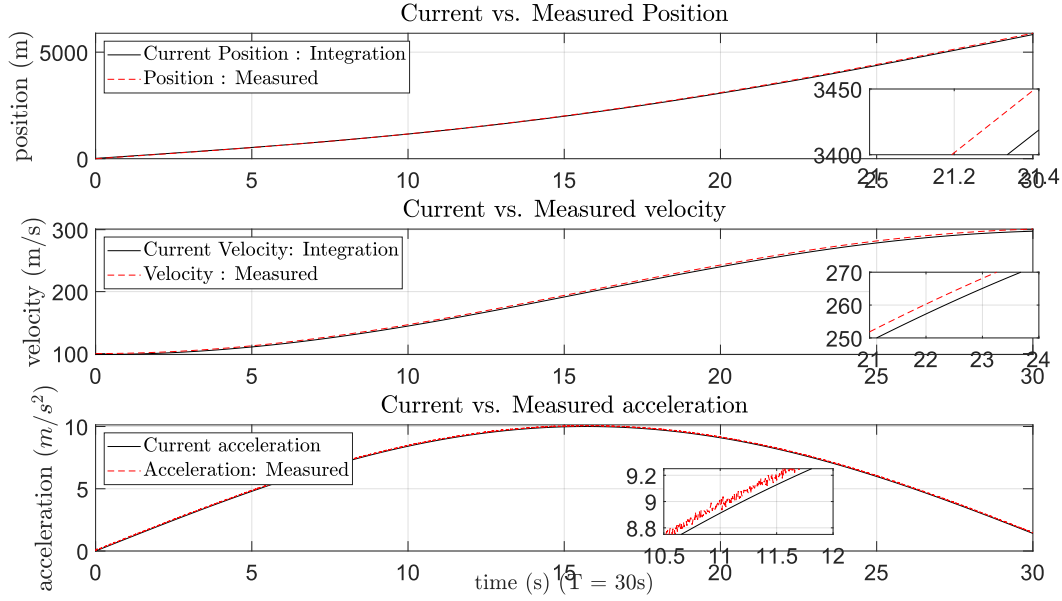


Figure 2: Accelerometer's Dynamics

- **Accelerometer's dynamics**

Figure (3) presents on the left the comparison of plots for the velocity and position between the GPS measurements (affected by  $\eta_0$ ) and the calculated ones from the Euler integration. From a first impression of the left plots and their respective zoom-in plots, these plots match. However, if we compute the difference between these two plots, we would be capable of reproducing the  $\eta$ 's in Equation (3) - Plots to the right.

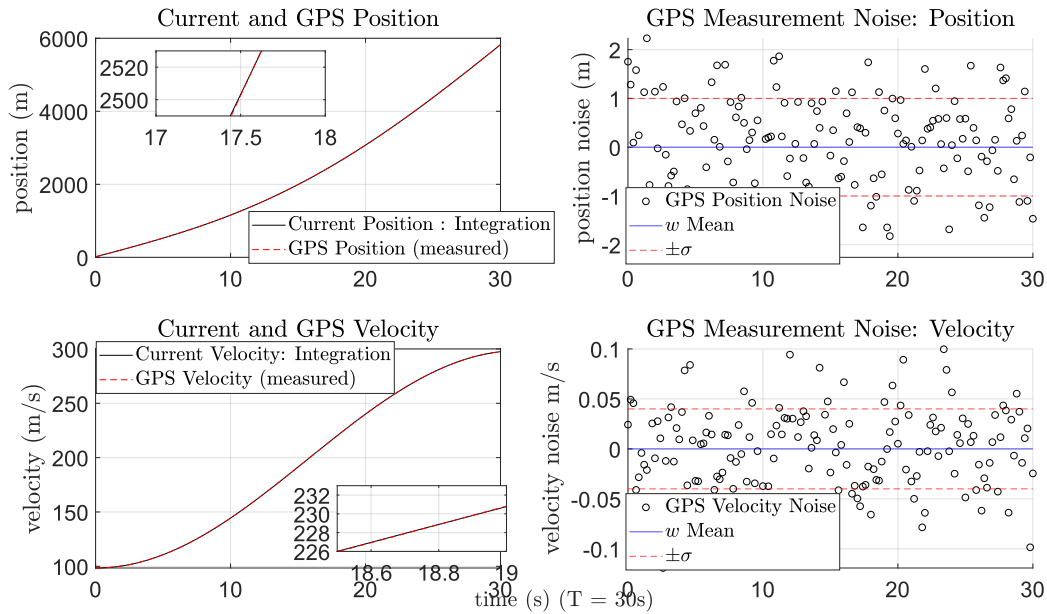


Figure 3: GPS' dynamics



- **Plot for the difference between the three models ( GPS vs.Euler vs.Measured)**

Figure (4) presents the pairwise comparison of each approach. We can draw a straightforward interpretation from the results that are in the yellow plot: the difference between the current position and velocity and the measured by the GPS oscillates around 0 because of Equation(3).

For the blue plots, these patterns occur because the measured velocity and position integrate the bias and error of the measured acceleration. For the velocity, integrating once a constant causes a linear pattern. For the position, integrating twice a constant produces a quadratic pattern.

Finally, the red dashed plot is equal to the previous one but with an additive noise.

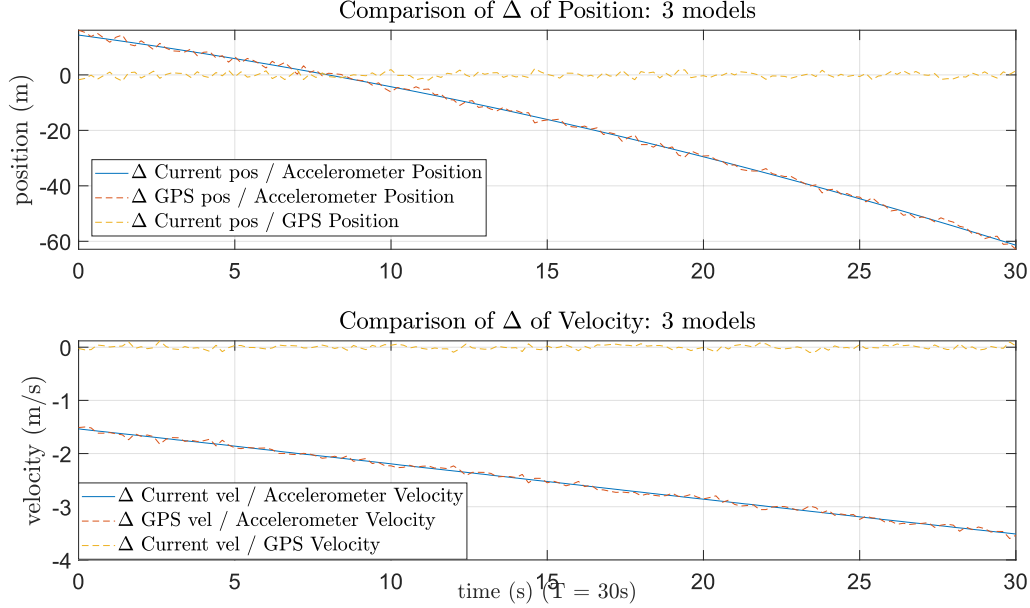


Figure 4: Comparison of the GPS, Accelerometer, and Euler models for the system

- **Kalman Filter Results**

The following plots show the successful implementation of a I-D Kalman Filter. Figure (5) shows how the estimated delta of the position, velocity, and bias is able to 'follow' their errors of their corresponding variables. Moreover, the sigma bound lies within reasonable proximity to the blue plots. It is worth mentioning that the variance for the bias in the third plot in Figure (5) decreases reasonably fast in the experiment length. Almost in  $t=28s$ , the estimated bias reached the real bias. Figure (6) validates these arguments by showing that the variance ('uncertainty') decreases. The third plot in this figure shows that the bias takes more time in decreasing to zero. Figure (7) shows that all the errors are reduced considerably to zero.

- **Apriori vs. Aposteriori**

Figure (8) presents the relationship between the a priori and a posteriori results. From the equation (13), we can affirm that one plot is delayed with respect to the other because the update process occurs just every 40 sampling instants. Moreover, the term  $K_k r_k$  causes a small difference between the  $\bar{x}$  term and  $\tilde{x}$

- **Emsemble of realizations**

Figure (9) presents the average error for each number of epochs selected, for each sample time. It can be clearly seen that the system improves its estimation because the a priori statistics are updated

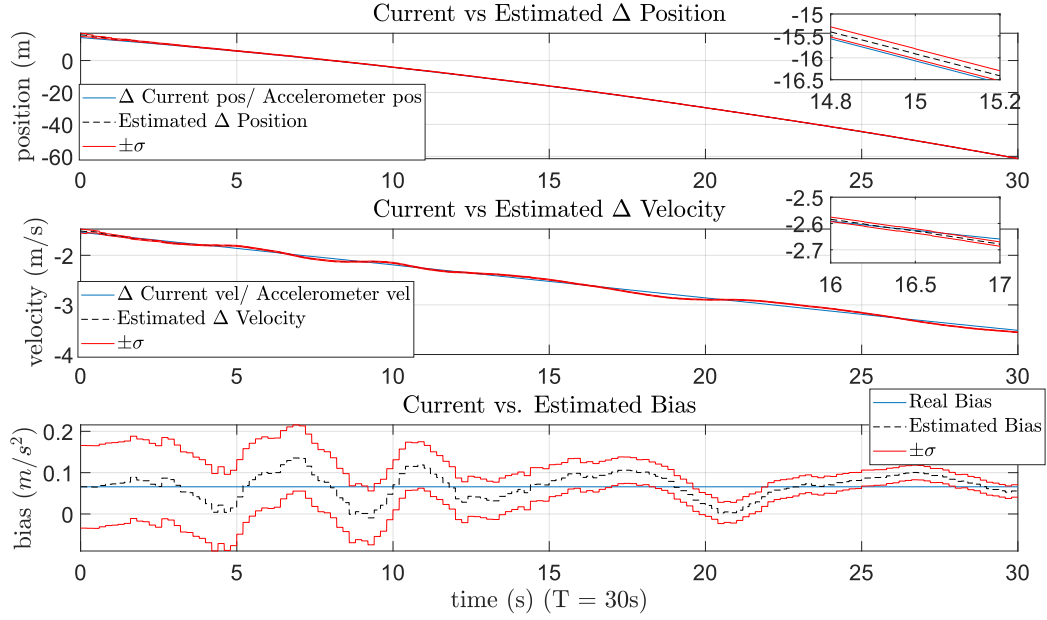


Figure 5: Comparison of the  $\Delta$  of the current and estimated variables of the system

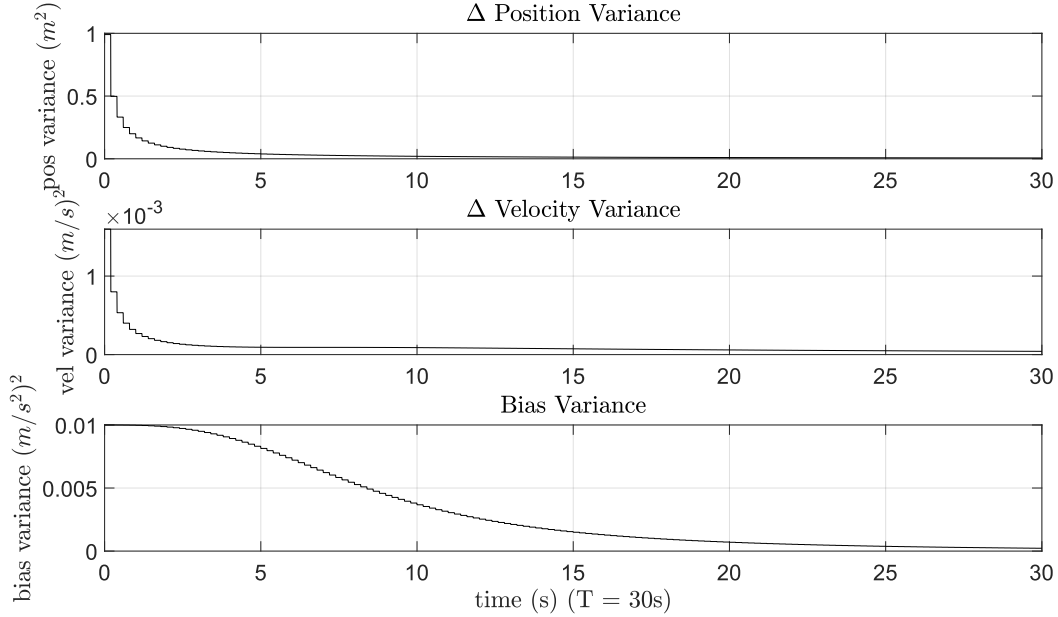


Figure 6: Evolution of the  $\Delta$  variances

and the error for each of the variables of interest reduces to zero. The position takes more time to settle than the velocity and the bias. Moreover, the computation for each ensemble realization experiment is included in each legend. The algorithm improves reasonably well for a short number of epochs and increases the calculation linearly. After 640 epochs the error is nearly 0 for the average position error (purple line).

- **Error variance and Orthogonality properties**

The first plot of Figure (10) presents the variance for the comparison between the estimation error

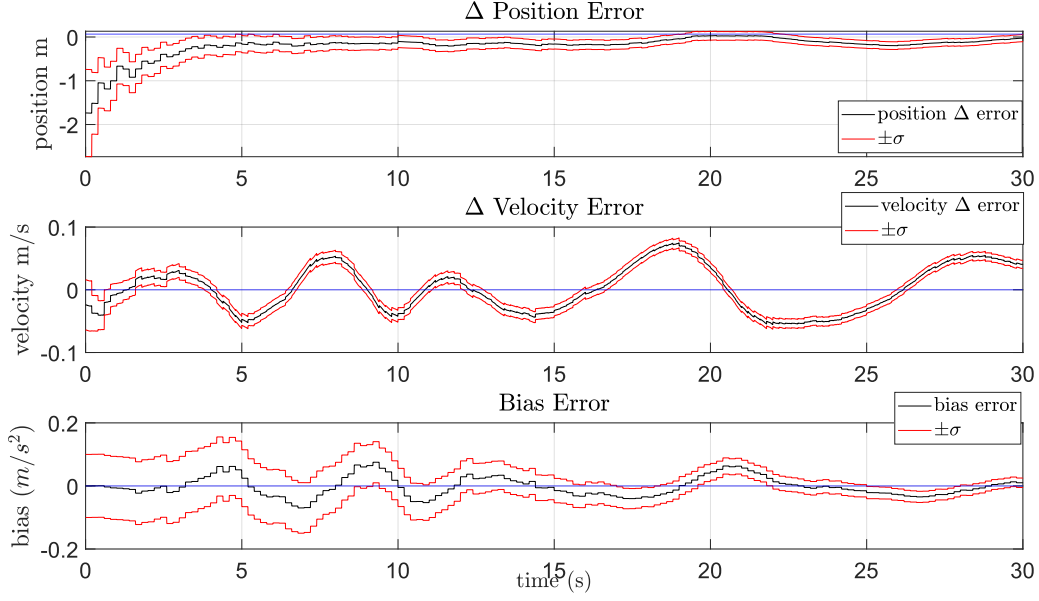


Figure 7:  $\Delta$  of the errors for each of the variables of the system

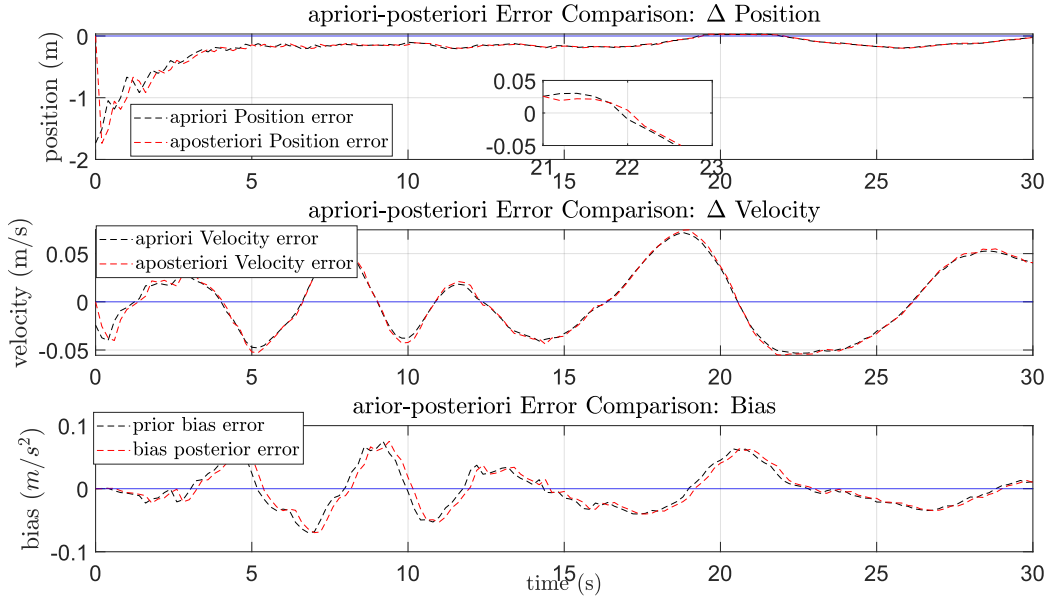


Figure 8: A priori - a posteriori errors

and the mean error, also introduced in Equation (21). This result proves that our Kalman filter is properly implemented because the simulated error variance is close to the filter error variance. Moreover, the results of the Equation (22) and (23) for the orthogonality properties are presented in the second and third plots of Figure (10). Since the experimental results are near zero, this validates the theoretical independence of the errors and the residuals, demonstrating that this is a Markov process. Notice how as the number of epochs increases, the error is reduced considerably. It was foreseeable that for 10 epochs the errors were the highest from the batch because the filter doesn't

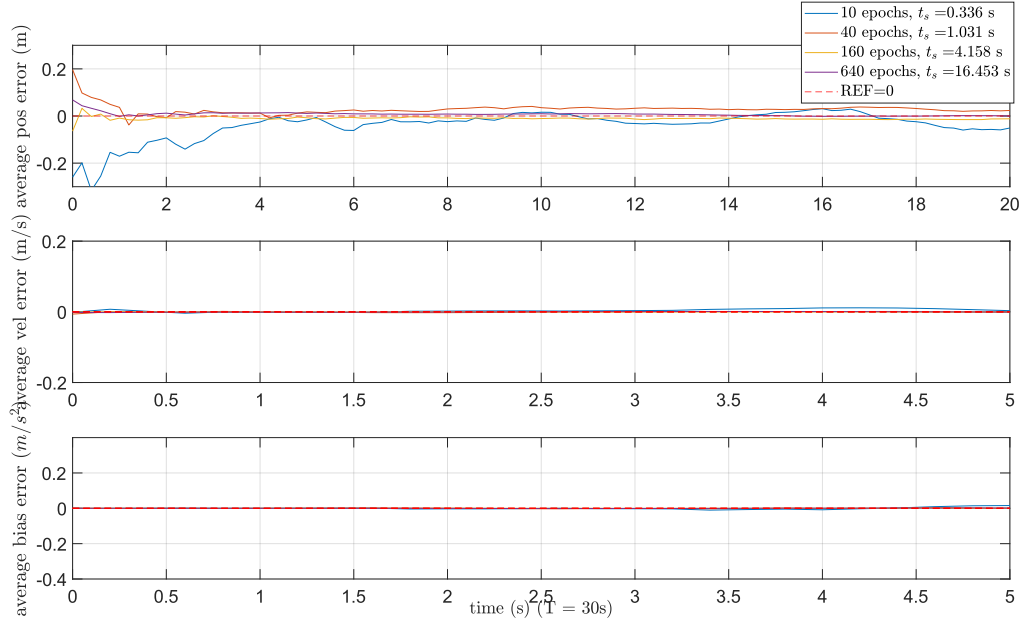


Figure 9: Results of the Errors after the ensembled realization experiments

have enough a priori information to reduce the error.

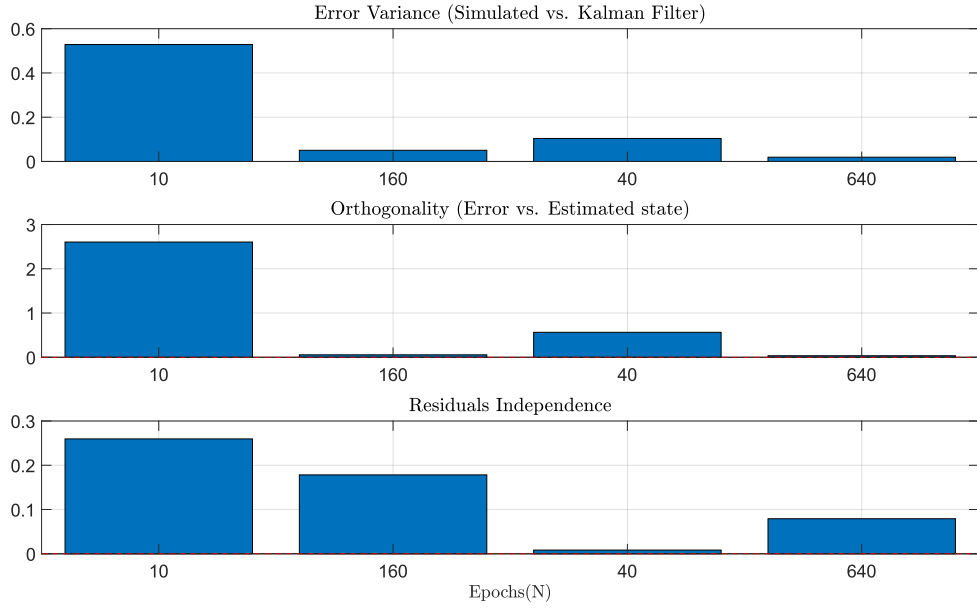


Figure 10: Error variances and orthogonality properties

## 5 Conclusions

This manuscript shows the step-by-step implementation of a Kalman filter for the estimation of the position and velocity of a car. For this purpose, an accelerometer is used to measure the acceleration, and then, through an Euler integration, the position and velocity are derived. Since this electronic device is affected by white noise and bias, our job is to calibrate it using a GPS. It was shown in Figure (5) that the error increases between the current state of the car and the accelerometer's measurements as time goes on. Therefore, a linear dynamic system is derived, independent from the acceleration - the model is presented in Equations (19) and (20). This work has attained to correctly model the propagation of the system dynamics and the update of the estimations through the GPS measurements for one realization and for ensembled realizations of [10, 40, 160, 640] epochs. The objectives at the beginning of this work are revised:

1. *Determine an associated stochastic discrete-time system that is approximately independent of the acceleration profile.*

**(Result).** The system that is independent of the acceleration is presented in equations 19 and 20 and then Implemented in section (4.1.3).

2. *Design a Kalman filter and plot the estimates of position, velocity, an accelerometer bias as well as the filter error variance (considering one sigma bound)*

**(Result).** It was shown in the plots of Figure (5)-(6)-(7) how the Kalmar filter is capable of correctly estimating the delta od the position, velocity and bias with very low uncertainty ( $1 \sigma$  bound ), and to reduce its error as time goes (7).

3. *For the validation of the minimum variance estimator, we should follow a Monte Carlo approach to do ensemble realizations. Specifically, the batches proposed are [10 40 160 640] realizations*

**(Result).** It was shown in the plots of Figure (9) how the filter is capable of reducing its average error over the experiment length for ensembled realizations. Indeed, the average error for 640 epochs is almost 0.

- *Proof that over an ensemble of realizations, the simulated error variance is close to the filter error variance*

**(Result).** It was shown in the top plot of Figure (10) how the theoretical error variance is close to the variance that the Kalman filter outputs. Furthermore, as the epoch increases, this error is almost reduced to zero.

- *Show the theoretical orthogonalities and independence properties are satisfied for this filter*

**(Result).** It was shown in the last two plots of Figure (10) how the orthogonal properties behave for the estimated error and the residuals. These errors were close to zero for a sampling instant '13' and they reduced when the epoch increases.

Even though this project was implemented for a 1-D case, it will help the reader to extend the scope to a 3-D case. Thus, further work could extend the implementation of this 1-D Kalman filter to a 3-D Kalman filter for more realistic applications for the industry.

## 6 Appendix

### 6.1 Code to implement one realization of the Kalman Filter

```
1 %% 1. Variable Initialization
2 clc
3 clear all
4 % 1.A Accelerometer / Data from the problem
5 s_rate = 200; % 1/s, Variable 1
6 step =(1/s_rate);
7 Ampl = 10; % m/s^2, Variable 2
8 L = 30 ; % s, Experiment length,Variable 3
9 w = 0.1 ; % f, 2pi,Variable 4
10
11 % 1.B Accelerometer Truth
12 t_sin = [0:(step):L];
13 acc_sin = Ampl*sin(w*t_sin);
14 n_samples = length(t_sin);
15
16 % 1.C Accelerometer Measured: Bias + Noise
17 bias_mean = 0; % (m/s^2)^2,Variable 5
18 noise_mean = 0; % (m/s^2)^2,Variable 6
19
20 bias_var = 0.01; % (m/s^2)^2,Variable 7
21 noise_var = 0.0004; % (m/s^2)^2,Variable 8
22
23 % 1.D GPS, 'Current' Dynamics: Position & Velocity
24 % prior position
25 freq_gps = 5; %Hz, synchronized with accelerometer,Variable 9
26 p_mean = 0; % 0 meters,Variable 10
27 p_var = 100; % (10 meters)^2,Variable 11
28 % prior velocity
29 v_mean = 100; % 10 meters/s,Variable 14
30 v_var = 1; % (1 meters/s)^2,Variable 15
31
32 %A priori stadistics for the dynamic noise processes
33 etap_mean = 0; %m,Variable 12
34 etap_var = 1; %m^2,Variable 13
35 %velocity noise
36 etav_mean = 0; %cm/m,Variable 16
37 etav_var = (0.04)^2; %convert(4cm/s)^2 to (m/s)^2,,Variable 17
38
39 %% 2. Accelerometer
40 [acc_meas, bias_model, noise_model] = acc_mod(acc_sin, noise_mean, noise_var, bias_mean, bias_var, n_samples); %IDEAL
41 %BIAS+NOISE=REAL
42 [pos_mod, vel_mod] = dynamics_mod(acc_meas, p_mean, v_mean,step ,n_samples);%INTEGRAL(REAL)= MODEL (
43 %deterministic)
44
45 [pos_est, vel_est] = dynamics_real(p_mean, p_var, v_mean, v_var, acc_sin,step, n_samples); %INTEGRAL(IDEAL) =
46 %IDEAL
47
48 %% 3. Derivation of Dynamic Model
49 % Vector provided in the solution of the Project
50 deltax_r =[pos_est - pos_mod;
51 % vel_est - vel_mod;
52 % bias_model];
53 % For the initialization of the Kalman Filter
54 d_pe = deltax_r(1,:);
55 d_ve = deltax_r(2,:);
56 % Propagation matrixes
57 Phi = [1, step, -(1/2)*(step^2);
```

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55     0,    1,        -step;
56     0,    0,        1];
57 Gamma = [(1/2)*(step^2);
58           step;
59           0];
60 %% 4. GPS
61 dt_gps = 1/freq_gps;
62 t_gps = 0:dt_gps:L;
63 n_samples_gps = length(t_gps);
64
65 %Equations for the GPS
66 [z_pos, z_vel, idx, eta_pos, eta_vel] = GPS_dynamics(n_samples, n_samples_gps, etap_mean, etap_var, etav_mean,
67           etav_var, pos_est, vel_est);
68
69 % Difference between GPS measurement and ground truth
70 % GPS measurement that will be included in the Kalman Filter Algorithm
71 dz = [d_pe(idx) + eta_pos;
72       d_ve(idx) + eta_vel];
73 %% 5. Kalman Filter Algorithm
74 %% 5.A Initialization
75 % Prior Knowledge
76 LdimKal = Phi^(0);
77 W = noise_var;
78 % Equations taken from Chp4 – Slide 39
79 % GPS Covariance
80 V = [etap_var    0 ;
81      0    etav_var ];
82 % C/H matrix Output
83 H = [1 0 0;
84      0 1 0]; % We are mutting the Bias Channel
85 % Update
86 % Initial Values
87 % (known) Covariance
88 M0 = [p_var    0    0;
89       0    v_var    0;
90       0    0    bias_var];
91 % Slide 43
92 x0_mean = [ d_pe(1);
93            d_ve(1);
94            bias_model(1)];
95 %
96 K0 = M0*H'*(H*M0*H'+V)^(-1);
97 % (known) A posteriori Covariance, Slide 48
98 P0 = (LdimKal-K0*H)*M0*(LdimKal-K0*H)' + K0*V*K0';
99 % Estimate state, Slide 49
100 x0_est = x0_mean + K0*(dz(:,1)-H*x0_mean);
101 %
102 x_est_total = zeros(3,n_samples);
103 x_est_total(:,1) = x0_est;
104 x_mean_total = zeros(3,n_samples);
105 x_mean_total(:,1) = x0_mean;
106 % Matrices
107 M_total{1,1} = M0;
108 K_total{1,1} = K0;
109 P_total{1,1} = P0;
110 %% 5.B Real-Time Algorithm
111 for i=2:n_samples
112     M_prev = M_total{1,i-1};
113     K_prev = K_total{1,i-1};
114     P_prev = P_total{1,i-1};
115     % Equation of Slide 43 – Propagation

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115 x_mean_total(:,i) = Phi*x_est_total(:,i-1);
116 % Verification if this matches the sampling time of the Accelerometer
117 if mod(i-1, 40) ~= 0
118     %Fixing the matrixes if that doesn't match
119     x_est_total(:,i) = x_mean_total(:,i);
120     M_total{1,i} = M_prev;
121     K_total{1,i} = K_prev;
122     P_total{1,i} = P_prev;
123 else
124     %Slide 43
125     M_next = Phi*P_prev*Phi'+Gamma*W*Gamma';
126     K_next = M_next*H'*(H*M_next*H'+V)^(-1);
127     P_next = (I.dimKal - K_next*H)*M_next*(I.dimKal - K_next*H)' + K_next*V*K_next';
128     % Update
129     M_total{1,i} = M_next;
130     K_total{1,i} = K_next;
131     P_total{1,i} = P_next;
132     x_est_total(:,i) = x_mean_total(:,i) + K_next*(dz(:,(i-1)/40+1) - H*x_mean_total(:,i));
133 end
134 end
135
136 % Final vectors
137 final_p_est = x_est_total(1,:);
138 final_v_est = x_est_total(2,:);
139 final_b_est = x_est_total(3,:);
140
141 final_p_prior = x_mean_total(1,:);
142 final_v_prior = x_mean_total(2,:);
143 final_b_prior = x_mean_total(3,:);
144
145 for i=1:n_samples
146     P_current = P_total{1,i};
147     pos_est_var_cell{1,i} = P_current(1,1);
148     vel_est_var_cell{1,i} = P_current(2,2);
149     bias_est_var_cell{1,i} = P_current(3,3);
150 end
151
152 pos_est_var = cell2mat(pos_est_var_cell);
153 vel_est_var = cell2mat(vel_est_var_cell);
154 bias_est_var = cell2mat(bias_est_var_cell);
155
156 % Prior error
157 e_priori = deltax_r - x_mean_total;
158 e_posteriori = deltax_r - x_est_total;
159
160 %% Functions
161
162 % [pos_est, vel_est, po, vo]
163 function [pos_est, vel_est] = dynamics_real(p_mean, p_var, v_mean, v_var, acc_sin, step, n_samples)
164 %
165 p_initial = normrnd(p_mean,sqrt(p_var));
166 pos_est = zeros(1,n_samples);
167 pos_est(1) = p_initial;
168 %
169 v_initial = normrnd(v_mean,sqrt(v_var));
170 vel_est = zeros(1,n_samples);
171 vel_est(1) = v_initial;
172
173 for j=2:n_samples
174     vel_est(j) = vel_est(j-1) + acc_sin(j-1)*step;
175     pos_est(j) = pos_est(j-1) + vel_est(j-1)*step + 0.5*acc_sin(j-1)*((step))^2;

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176     end
177 end
178
179 function [pos_mod, vel_mod] = dynamics_mod(acc_theo, po_mean, vo_mean, step, n_samples)
180 pos_mod = zeros(1, n_samples); %position
181 pos_mod(1) = po_mean;
182 vel_mod = zeros(1, n_samples); %velocity
183 vel_mod(1) = vo_mean;
184 for j=2:n_samples
185     vel_mod(j) = vel_mod(j-1) + acc_theo(j-1)*step;
186     pos_mod(j) = pos_mod(j-1) + vel_mod(j-1)*step + 0.5*acc_theo(j-1)*(step)^2;
187 end
188 end
189
190 function [acc_meas, bias_model, noise_model] = acc_mod(a_sin, noise_mean, noise_var, bias_mean, bias_var, n_samples)
191 noise_model = normrnd(noise_mean, sqrt(noise_var), 1, n_samples); %Gaussian model, dimension 1 of each element
192 bias_model = ones(1, n_samples)*normrnd(bias_mean, sqrt(bias_var)); %The bias is constant
193 acc_meas = a_sin + bias_model + noise_model; %True model
194 end
195
196 % Is going to measure corrupted measures of the velocity
197 function [z_pos, z_vel, idx, eta_pos, eta_vel] = GPS_dynamics(n_samples, n_samples_gps, etap_mean, etap_var,
198     etav_mean, etav_var, pos_est, vel_est)
199 %Index for the update of GPS measurements corresponding to
200 %Accelerometer
201 idx = 1:40:n_samples;
202 %Etas noise
203 eta_pos = normrnd(etap_mean, sqrt(etap_var), 1, n_samples_gps); % This is not a bias
204 eta_vel = normrnd(etav_mean, sqrt(etav_var), 1, n_samples_gps); % This is not a bias, random number
205 %gps measurements
206 z_pos = pos_est(idx) + eta_pos;
207 z_vel = vel_est(idx) + eta_vel;
208 end

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## 6.2 Code to implement ensembled realizations for the Kalman Filter

```

1 %% 1. Variable Initialization
2 clc
3 clear all
4 close all
5 font_S = 16;
6 % 1.A Accelerometer / Data from the problem
7 s_rate = 200; % 1/s
8 step = (1/s_rate);
9 Ampl = 10; % m/s^2
10 L = 30; % s, Experiment length
11 w = 0.1; % f, 2pi
12 % 1.B Acceleration Function
13 t_sin = [0:(step):L];
14 acc_sin = Ampl*sin(w*t_sin);
15 n_samples = length(t_sin);
16 % 1.C Accelerometer Truth: Bias + Noise
17 bias_mean = 0; %m/s^2
18 noise_mean = 0; %m/s^2
19
20 bias_var = 0.01; % (m/s^2)^2
21 noise_var = 0.0004; % (m/s^2)^2
22 % 1.D GPS, 'True' Dynamics: Position & Velocity
23 % prior position
24 p_mean = 0; % 0 meters
25 p_var = 100; % (10 meters)^2
26 % prior velocity

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27 v_mean = 100;      % 10 meters/s
28 v_var = 1;        % (1 meters/s)^2
29
30 %a priori stadistics
31 etap_mean = 0;     %m
32 etap_var = 1;      %m^2
33 %velocity noise
34 etav_mean = 0;     %cm/m
35 etav_var = (0.04)^2; %convert(4cm/s)^2 to (m/s)^2
36
37 freq_gps = 5; %Hz, synchronized with accelerometer
38 dt_gps = 1/freq_gps;
39 t_gps = 0:dt_gps:L;
40 n_samples_gps = length(t_gps);
41 % Propagation matrixes
42 Phi = [1, step, -(1/2)*(step^2);
43        0, 1, -step;
44        0, 0, 1];
45 Gamma = -1*((1/2)*(step^2); %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
46                step;
47                0];
48 LdimKal = Phi^0);
49 % Prior Knowledge
50 W = noise_var;
51 % Equations taken from Chp4 – Slide 39
52 % GPS Covariance
53 V = [etap_var 0 ;
54      0 etav_var ];
55 % C/H matrix Output
56 H = [1 0 0;
57      0 1 0]; % We are mutting the Bias Channel
58 % Update
59 % Initial Values
60 % (known) Covariance
61 M0 = [p_var 0 0;
62       0 v_var 0;
63       0 0 bias_var];
64 %
65 K0 = M0*H'*(H*M0*H'+V)^(-1);
66 % (known) A posteriori Covariance, Slide 48
67 P0 = (LdimKal-K0*H)*M0*(LdimKal-K0*H)' + K0*V*K0';
68
69 %% Epochs
70 Epochs = [10 40 160 640];
71 Final_Table_Properties=zeros(length(Epochs),9);
72 time = zeros(1,length(Epochs));
73 for it = 1:length(Epochs)
74     tic;
75     dim = Epochs(it);
76     e_posteri_global = zeros(3,n_samples,dim);
77     x_mean_global = zeros(3,n_samples,dim);
78     x_est_global = zeros(3,n_samples,dim);
79     dz_total = zeros(2,n_samples_gps,dim);
80     orth_res = zeros(2,2,dim);
81     for j=1:dim
82         [acc_m measu, bias_model, noise_model] = acc_mod(acc_sin, noise_mean, noise_var, bias_mean, bias_var,n_samples);
83         %REAL + BIAS + NOISE = MEASURED
84         [pos_mod, vel_mod] = dynamics_mod(acc_m measu, p_mean, v_mean,step ,n_samples); %INTEGRAL(
85         MEASURED) = Model, there is no variances here (deterministic)
86         [pos_est, vel_est] = dynamics_real(p_mean, p_var, v_mean, v_var, acc_sin,step, n_samples); %INTEGRAL(
87         REAL) = Estimate (stochastic)

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85 % Delta of state variables
86 dx_real =[pos_est - pos_mod;
87           vel_est - vel_mod;
88           bias_model];
89 d_pe = dx_real(1,:);
90 d_ve = dx_real(2,:);
91 % GPS
92 [z_pos, z_vel, idx, eta_pos, eta_vel] = GPS_dynamics(n_samples, n_samples_gps, etap_mean, etap_var,
93   etav_mean,etav_var, pos_est, vel_est);
94 % Difference between GPS measurement and ground truth
95 dz = [d_pe(idx) + eta_pos;
96       d_ve(idx) + eta_vel];
97 dz_total (:,:, j)=dz; %%%%%%%%%%%%%%
98 % Initialization
99 %
100 x0_mean = [ d_pe(1);
101            d_ve(1);
102            bias_model(1)];
103 x0_est = x0_mean + K0*(dz(:,1)-H*x0_mean);
104 %
105 x_est_total = zeros(3,n_samples);
106 x_est_total(:,1) = x0_est;
107 x_mean_total = zeros(3,n_samples);
108 x_mean_total(:,1) = x0_mean;
109 % Matrices
110 M_total{1,1} = M0;
111 K_total{1,1} = K0;
112 P_total{1,1} = P0;
113 %%%%%%%%%%%%%%
114 % Real-Time Algorithm
115 for i=2:n_samples
116     M_prev = M_total{1,i-1};
117     K_prev = K_total{1,i-1};
118     P_prev = P_total{1,i-1};
119     % Equation of Slide 43 – Propagation
120     x_mean_total(:,i) = Phi*x_est_total(:, i-1);
121     % Verification if this matches the sampling time of the Accelerometer
122     if mod(i-1, 40) ~= 0
123         %Fixing the matrixes if that doesn't match
124         x_est_total(:, i) = x_mean_total(:,i);
125         M_total{1,i} = M_prev;
126         K_total{1,i} = K_prev;
127         P_total{1,i} = P_prev;
128     else
129         %Slide 43
130         M_next = Phi*P_prev*Phi'+Gamma*W*Gamma';
131         K_next = M_next*H'*(H*M_next*H'+V)^(-1);
132         P_next = (I_dimKal - K_next*H)*M_next*(I_dimKal - K_next*H)' + K_next*V*K_next';
133         % Update
134         M_total{1,i} = M_next;
135         K_total{1,i} = K_next;
136         P_total{1,i} = P_next;
137         x_est_total(:, i) = x_mean_total(:,i) + K_next*(dz(:,(i-1)/40+1) - H*x_mean_total(:,i));
138     end
139 end
140 time(it)=toc;
141 % Final vectors
142 final_p_est = x_est_total(1,:);
143 final_v_est = x_est_total(2,:);
144 final_b_est = x_est_total(3,:);

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145     final_p_prior = x_mean_total(1,:);
146     final_v_prior = x_mean_total(2,:);
147     final_b_prior = x_mean_total(3,:);
148
149
150     for k=1:n_samples
151         P_current = P_total{1,k};
152         pos_est_var_cell {1,k} = P_current(1,1);
153         vel_est_var_cell {1,k} = P_current(2,2);
154         bias_est_var_cell {1,k} = P_current(3,3);
155     end
156
157     pos_est_var = cell2mat( pos_est_var_cell );
158     vel_est_var = cell2mat( vel_est_var_cell );
159     bias_est_var = cell2mat( bias_est_var_cell );
160
161     % Priori error
162     e_posteriori = dx_real - x_est_total;
163
164     % Total matrices
165     e_posteri_global (:,j) = e_posteriori;% errors
166     x_est_global (:,j) = x_est_total;
167     x_mean_global (:,j) = x_mean_total;
168 end
169 % 1.Property: Average of the ensemble error
170 e_pave = sum(e_posteri_global(1,idx,:), 3)/dim;
171 e_vave = sum(e_posteri_global(2,idx,:), 3)/dim;
172 e_bave = sum(e_posteri_global(3,idx,:), 3)/dim;
173
174 e_ave = [e_pave;
175         e_vave;
176         e_bave];
177
178 Prop1p = max(max(e_pave));
179 Prop1v = max(max(e_vave));
180 Prop1b = max(max(e_bave));
181
182 % 2.Property: (Error Variance vs Filter) + Orthogonality Properties
183 delta = zeros(3,n_samples_gps,dim);
184 P_var_av = zeros(3,3,n_samples_gps);
185
186 err_var = P_var_av;
187 Diff_var = P_var_av;
188
189 orth = P_var_av;
190 Orth_var = P_var_av;
191
192 for x = 1:n_samples_gps
193     for y = 1:dim
194         %2.Property: Second Order Stadistics
195         delta (:,x,y) = e_posteri_global (:,x,y) - e_ave(:,x);
196         err_var (:,y) = delta (:,x,y)*delta (:,x,y)'; %Ortogonalidad de los errores
197
198         %3.Property: Independece + orthogonality E[()x']
199         orth (:,y) = delta (:,x,y)*x_est_global (:,x,y)';
200     end
201
202     %2. Second Order Stadistics
203     P_var_av (:,x) = sum(err_var,3)/(dim-1); %Average del Error Variance
204     Diff_var (:,x) = P_var_av (:,x) - P_total{1,x}; % Diferencia entre el Error Variance y el que te bota el
    filtro , Esto tiene que ser zero

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205
206     %3
207     Orth_var (:,:, x) = sum(orth,3)/(dim-1);
208 end
209
210 %
211 Prop2 = max(max(max(Diff_var)));
212 Prop3= max(max(max(Orth_var)));
213
214 % 4.Property: Residuals
215
216 for f=1:dim
217     res = dz_total (:,:, f) - x_mean_global(1:2, idx, f); % medicion del GPS -
218     orth_res (:,:, f) = res(:,13+1)*res(:,13)'; % verificar entre un tiempo y el tiempo siguiente, esto tiene que ser
    zero
219 end
220 Res_ave (:,:) = (1/dim)*sum(orth_res,3);
221 Prop4_res = max(max(max(Res_ave)));
222
223 %
224 %%%%%%%%%%%
225 Flag_validation=1;%
226 %%%%%%%%%%%
227 if Flag_validation==1
228     h1 = subplot(3,1,1);
229     plot(t_gps, e_pave)
230     hold on
231     ylim([-0.3 0.3])
232     xlim([0 20]);
233     ylabel('average pos error (m)', 'interpreter', 'latex')
234     set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
235     grid on
236
237     h2 =subplot(3,1,2);
238     plot(t_gps, e_vave)
239     hold on
240     yline(0, 'r--')
241     xlim([0 5]);
242     ylim([-0.2 0.2])
243
244     ylabel('average vel error (m/s)', 'interpreter', 'latex')
245     set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
246     grid on
247
248     h3 =subplot(3,1,3);
249     plot(t_gps, e_bave)
250     hold on
251     yline(0, 'r--')
252     xlim([0 5]);
253     ylim([-0.4 0.4])
254     ylabel('average bias error $(m/s^2)$', 'interpreter', 'latex')
255     set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
256     grid on
257 end
258
259 Final_Table_Properties(it,:)=[it, bias_model(1), dim, Prop1p, Prop1v, Prop1b, Prop2, Prop3 ,Prop4_res];
260 end
261 s_legend = [string(Epochs)+' epochs, '+ '$ t_s= $'+ string(round(time,3))+ ' s', " REF=0"];
262 subplot(3,1,1);
263 yline(0, 'r--')
264 hold on

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265 legend(h1,s_legend, 'interpreter ', 'latex');
266 subplot(3,1,2);
267 yline(0, 'r--')
268 hold on
269 subplot(3,1,3);
270 yline(0, 'r--')
271 hold on
272 fig = get(groot,'CurrentFigure');
273 han=axes(fig,'visible ', 'off');
274 han.XLabel.Visible='On';
275 xlabel(han,'time (s) (T = 30s)', 'FontSize',font_S, 'interpreter ', 'latex')
276
277 X = categorical(string(Final.Table.Properties(:,3)));
278 %% Verification of Properties
279 if Flag_validation==1
280     fig2 = figure(2)
281
282     h1 = subplot(3,1,1);
283     bar(X, Final_Table.Properties(:,7))
284     hold on
285     title('Error Variance (Simulated vs. Kalman Filter)', 'interpreter ', 'latex')
286     set(gca, 'FontSize',font_S)
287     grid on
288
289     h2 =subplot(3,1,2);
290     bar(X, Final_Table.Properties(:,8))
291     hold on
292     yline(0, 'r--')
293     grid on
294     title('Orthogonality (Error vs. Estimated state)', 'interpreter ', 'latex')
295     set(gca, 'FontSize',font_S)
296     grid on
297
298     h3 =subplot(3,1,3);
299     bar(X, Final_Table.Properties(:,9))
300     hold on
301     yline(0, 'r--')
302     title('Residuals Independence', 'interpreter ', 'latex')
303     xlabel('Epochs', 'FontSize',font_S, 'interpreter ', 'latex')
304     set(gca, 'FontSize',font_S)
305     grid on
306     xlabel('Epochs(N)', 'FontSize',font_S, 'interpreter ', 'latex')
307
308 end
309 %%
310 %[pos_est, vel_est, po, vo]
311 function [pos_est, vel_est] = dynamics_real(p_mean, p_var, v_mean, v_var, acc_sin, step, n_samples)
312 %
313 p_initial = normrnd(p_mean,sqrt(p_var));
314 pos_est = zeros(1,n_samples);
315 pos_est(1) = p_initial;
316 %
317 v_initial = normrnd(v_mean,sqrt(v_var));
318 vel_est = zeros(1,n_samples);
319 vel_est(1) = v_initial;
320
321 for j=2:n_samples
322     vel_est(j) = vel_est(j-1) + acc_sin(j-1)*step;
323     pos_est(j) = pos_est(j-1) + vel_est(j-1)*step + 0.5*acc_sin(j-1)*((step))^2;
324 end
325 end

```

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326
327 function [pos_mod, vel_mod] = dynamics_mod(acc_theo, po_mean, vo_mean, step, n_samples)
328 pos_mod = zeros(1, n_samples); %position
329 pos_mod(1) = po_mean;
330 vel_mod = zeros(1, n_samples); %velocity
331 vel_mod(1) = vo_mean;
332 for j=2:n_samples
333     vel_mod(j) = vel_mod(j-1) + acc_theo(j-1)*step;
334     pos_mod(j) = pos_mod(j-1) + vel_mod(j-1)*step + 0.5*acc_theo(j-1)*(step)^2;
335 end
336 end
337
338 function [acc_meas, bias_model, noise_model] = acc_mod(a_sin, noise_mean, noise_var, bias_mean, bias_var, n_samples)
339 noise_model = normrnd(noise_mean, sqrt(noise_var), 1, n_samples); %Gaussian model, dimension 1 of each element
340 bias_model = ones(1, n_samples)*normrnd(bias_mean, sqrt(bias_var)); %The bias is constant
341 acc_meas = a_sin + bias_model + noise_model; %True model
342 end
343
344
345 % Is going to measure corrupted measures of the velocity
346 function [z_pos, z_vel, idx, eta_pos, eta_vel] = GPS_dynamics(n_samples, n_samples_gps, etap_mean, etap_var,
    etap_mean, etap_var, pos_est, vel_est)
347 %Index for the update of GPS measurements corresponding to
348 %Accelerometer
349 idx = 1:40:n_samples;
350 %Etas noise
351 eta_pos = normrnd(etap_mean, sqrt(etap_var), 1, n_samples_gps); % This is not a bias
352 eta_vel = normrnd(etap_mean, sqrt(etap_var), 1, n_samples_gps); % This is not a bias, random number
353 %gps measurements
354 z_pos = pos_est(idx) + eta_pos;
355 z_vel = vel_est(idx) + eta_vel;
356 end

```

### 6.3 Code to plot Figure 2

```

1 %% Figure 2
2 T2_flag = 1;
3 font_S = 20;
4 if T2_flag == 1
5     fig = figure;
6     subplot(3,1,1)
7     plot(t_sin, pos_est, 'k-', t_sin, pos_mod, 'r--')
8     ylabel('position (m)', 'interpreter', 'latex')
9     legend('Current Position : Integration', 'Position : Measured', 'interpreter', 'latex', 'Location', 'northwest')
10    title('Current vs. Measured Position', 'interpreter', 'latex')
11    set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
12    grid on
13
14    ax_zoom1 = axes('Parent', fig, 'Position', [0.77 0.7150 0.1400 0.1000]);
15    hold(ax_zoom1, 'on'); box(ax_zoom1, 'on')
16    plot(t_sin, pos_est, 'k-', t_sin, pos_mod, 'r--')
17    xlim(ax_zoom1, [21 21.4]);
18    ylim(ax_zoom1, [3400 3450]);
19    set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
20    grid on
21
22    subplot(3,1,2)
23    plot(t_sin, vel_est, 'k-', t_sin, vel_mod, 'r--')
24    ylabel('velocity (m/s)', 'interpreter', 'latex')
25    legend('Current Velocity: Integration', 'Velocity : Measured', 'interpreter', 'latex', 'Location', 'northwest')
26    title('Current vs. Measured velocity', 'interpreter', 'latex')
27    set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)

```

```

28 grid on
29
30 ax_zoom2 = axes('Parent',fig,'Position',[0.77 0.4350 0.1400 0.1000]);
31 hold(ax_zoom2,'on'); box(ax_zoom2,'on')
32 plot(t_sin, vel_est, 'k-',t_sin, vel_mod, 'r--')
33 xlim(ax_zoom2,[21 24]);
34 ylim(ax_zoom2,[250 270]);
35 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
36 grid on
37
38 subplot(3,1,3)
39 plot(t_sin, acc_sin, 'k-',t_sin, acc_meas, 'r--')
40 ylabel('acceleration (m/s^2)','interpreter','latex')
41 legend('Current acceleration', 'Acceleration: Measured','interpreter','latex','Location','northwest')
42 title('Current vs. Measured acceleration','interpreter','latex')
43 grid on
44 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
45 han=axes(fig,'visible','off');
46 han.XLabel.Visible='On';
47 xlabel(han,'time (s) (T = 30s)','FontSize',font_S,'interpreter','latex')
48
49 ax_zoom3 = axes('Parent',fig,'Position',[0.60 0.1350 0.1400 0.1000]);
50 hold(ax_zoom3,'on'); box(ax_zoom3,'on')
51 plot(t_sin, acc_sin, 'k-',t_sin, acc_meas, 'r--')
52 xlim(ax_zoom3,[10.5 12]);
53 ylim(ax_zoom3,[8.75 9.25]);
54 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
55 grid on
56
57 end

```

## 6.4 Code to plot Figure 3

```

1 %% Figure 3
2 % GPS Measurements
3 Flag_GPS = 1;
4 if Flag_GPS == 1
5     fig = figure;
6     subplot(2,2,1)
7     plot(t_sin, pos_est, 'k-',t_gps, z_pos, 'r--')
8     ylabel('position (m)','interpreter','latex')
9     legend('Current Position : Integration', 'GPS Position (measured)','interpreter','latex')
10    title('Current and GPS Position','interpreter','latex')
11    set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
12    grid on
13
14    ax_zoom1 = axes('Parent',fig,'Position',[0.18 0.800 0.1400 0.1000]);
15    hold(ax_zoom1,'on'); box(ax_zoom1,'on')
16    plot(t_sin, pos_est, 'k-',t_gps, z_pos, 'r--')
17    xlim(ax_zoom1,[17 18]);
18    ylim(ax_zoom1,[2490 2530]);
19    set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
20    grid on
21
22
23    subplot(2,2,3)
24    plot(t_sin, vel_est, 'k-',t_gps, z_vel, 'r--')
25    ylabel('velocity (m/s)','interpreter','latex')
26    legend('Current Velocity: Integration', 'GPS Velocity (measured)','interpreter','latex')
27    title('Current and GPS Velocity','interpreter','latex')
28    set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
29    grid on

```



```

30
31 ax_zoom2 = axes('Parent',fig,'Position',[0.33 0.1350 0.1400 0.1000]);
32 hold(ax_zoom2,'on'); box(ax_zoom2,'on')
33 plot(t_sin, vel_est, 'k-',t_gps, z_vel, 'r--')
34 xlim(ax_zoom2,[18.5 19]);
35 ylim(ax_zoom2,[226 233]);
36 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
37 grid on
38
39 subplot(2,2,2)
40 scatter(t_gps, eta_pos, 'k')
41 hold on
42 yline(eta_pos_mean, 'b')
43 yline(eta_pos_mean + sqrt(eta_pos_var), 'r--')
44 yline(eta_pos_mean - sqrt(eta_pos_var), 'r--')
45 ylabel('position noise (m)', 'interpreter','latex')
46 legend('GPS Position Noise', '$w$ Mean', '$\pm \sigma$', 'interpreter','latex', 'Location','southwest')
47 title('GPS Measurement Noise: Position', 'interpreter','latex')
48 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
49 grid on
50
51 subplot(2,2,4)
52 scatter(t_gps, eta_vel, 'k')
53 hold on
54 yline(eta_vel_mean, 'b')
55 yline(eta_vel_mean + sqrt(eta_vel_var), 'r--')
56 yline(eta_vel_mean - sqrt(eta_vel_var), 'r--')
57 ylabel('velocity noise m/s', 'interpreter','latex')
58 legend('GPS Velocity Noise', '$w$ Mean', '$\pm \sigma$', 'interpreter','latex', 'Location','southwest')
59 title('GPS Measurement Noise: Velocity', 'interpreter','latex')
60 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
61 grid on
62
63 han=axes(fig,'visible','off');
64 han.XLabel.Visible='On';
65 xlabel(han,'time (s) (T = 30s)', 'FontSize',font_S, 'interpreter','latex')
66 end

```

## 6.5 Code to plot Figure 4

```

1 %% Figure 4
2 font_S = 20;
3 Flag_plot_delta_all_approach = 1;
4 if Flag_plot_delta_all_approach == 1
5     fig = figure;
6     subplot(2,1,1)
7     plot(t_sin, d_pe, '-',t_gps, dz(1,:), 'r--',t_gps, pos_est(idx) - z_pos, 'r--')
8     ylabel('position (m)', 'interpreter','latex')
9     legend('$\Delta$ Current pos / Accelerometer Position', ...
10           '$\Delta$ GPS pos / Accelerometer Position', ...
11           '$\Delta$ Current pos / GPS Position', 'interpreter','latex')
12     title('Comparison of $\Delta$ of Position: 3 models', 'interpreter','latex')
13     set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
14     grid on
15
16     subplot(2,1,2)
17     plot(t_sin, d_ve, '-',t_gps, dz(2,:), 'r--',t_gps, vel_est(idx) - z_vel, 'r--')
18     ylabel('velocity (m/s)', 'interpreter','latex')
19     legend('$\Delta$ Current vel / Accelerometer Velocity', ...
20           '$\Delta$ GPS vel / Accelerometer Velocity', ...
21           '$\Delta$ Current vel / GPS Velocity', 'interpreter','latex')
22     title('Comparison of $\Delta$ of Velocity: 3 models', 'interpreter','latex')

```

```

23 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
24 grid on
25
26 han=axes(fig,'visible','off');
27 han.XLabel.Visible='On';
28 xlabel(han,'time (s) (T = 30s)','FontSize',font_S,'interpreter','latex')
29
30 end

```

## 6.6 Code to plot Figures 5, 6, and 7

```

1 %% Figures 5–7
2 %%KF Estimates: Accelerometer Time D!
3 font_S = 20;
4 Flag_Kalman = 1;
5 if Flag_Kalman ==1
6     clc
7     close all
8     fig1 = figure;
9     subplot(3,1,1)
10    plot(t_sin,d_pe,'-',t_sin,final_p_est,'k--',t_sin,final_p_est + sqrt(pos_est_var),'r-',t_sin,final_p_est - sqrt(
        pos_est_var),'r-')
11    ylabel('position (m)','interpreter','latex')
12    legend({'$\Delta$ Current pos/ Accelerometer pos', 'Estimated $\Delta$ Position', '$\pm$ \sigma$'},'interpreter','
        latex','Location','southwest');
13    title('Current vs Estimated $\Delta$ Position','interpreter','latex')
14    set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
15    grid on
16
17    ax_zoom1 = axes('Parent',fig1,'Position',[0.75 0.83 0.1400 0.1000]);
18    hold(ax_zoom1,'on'); box(ax_zoom1,'on')
19    plot(t_sin,d_pe,'-',t_sin,final_p_est,'k--',t_sin,final_p_est + sqrt(pos_est_var),'r-',t_sin,final_p_est - sqrt(
        pos_est_var),'r-')
20    ylim(ax_zoom1,[-16.5 -15]);
21    xlim(ax_zoom1,[14.8 15.2]);
22    set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
23    grid on
24
25    subplot(3,1,2)
26    plot(t_sin,d_ve,'-',t_sin,final_v_est,'k--',t_sin,final_v_est + sqrt(vel_est_var),'r-',t_sin,final_v_est - sqrt(
        vel_est_var),'r-')
27    ylabel('velocity (m/s)','interpreter','latex')
28    legend('$\Delta$ Current vel/ Accelerometer vel', 'Estimated $\Delta$ Velocity', '$\pm$ \sigma$','interpreter','latex
        ','Location','southwest')
29    title('Current vs Estimated $\Delta$ Velocity','interpreter','latex')
30    set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
31    grid on
32
33    ax_zoom2 = axes('Parent',fig1,'Position',[0.75 0.55 0.1400 0.1000]);
34    hold(ax_zoom2,'on'); box(ax_zoom2,'on')
35    plot(t_sin,d_ve,'-',t_sin,final_v_est,'k--',t_sin,final_v_est + sqrt(vel_est_var),'r-',t_sin,final_v_est - sqrt(
        vel_est_var),'r-')
36    xlim(ax_zoom2,[16 17]);
37    ylim(ax_zoom2,[-2.75 -2.5]);
38    set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
39    grid on
40
41    subplot(3,1,3)
42    plot(t_sin,bias_model,'-',t_sin,final_b_est,'k--',t_sin,final_b_est + sqrt(bias_est_var),'r-',t_sin,final_b_est
        - sqrt(bias_est_var),'r-')
43    ylabel('bias ($m/s^2$)','interpreter','latex')
44    legend('Real Bias', 'Estimated Bias','$\pm$ \sigma$','interpreter','latex','Location','southwest')

```

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45 title('Current vs. Estimated Bias','interpreter','latex')
46 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
47 grid on
48
49 han=axes(fig1,'visible','off');
50 han.XLabel.Visible='On';
51 xlabel(han,'time (s) (T = 30s)','interpreter','latex')
52 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
53
54 set(fig1, 'Renderer', 'painters');
55
56 %Variances
57 fig2 = figure;
58 subplot(3,1,1)
59 plot(t_sin, pos_est_var, 'k-')
60 ylabel('pos variance $(m^2)$','interpreter','latex')
61 title('$\Delta$ Position Variance','interpreter','latex')
62 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
63 grid on
64
65 subplot(3,1,2)
66 plot(t_sin, vel_est_var, 'k-')
67 ylabel('vel variance $(m/s)^2$','interpreter','latex')
68 title('$\Delta$ Velocity Variance','interpreter','latex')
69 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
70 grid on
71
72 subplot(3,1,3)
73 plot(t_sin, bias_est_var, 'k-')
74 ylabel('bias variance $(m/s^2)^2$','interpreter','latex')
75 title('Bias Variance','interpreter','latex')
76 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
77 grid on
78
79 han=axes(fig2,'visible','off');
80 han.XLabel.Visible='On';
81 xlabel(han,'time (s) (T = 30s)','interpreter','latex')
82 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
83 grid on
84
85 %Error
86 fig3 = figure;
87 subplot(3,1,1)
88 plot(t_sin,d_pe - final_p_est,'k-',t_sin,d_pe-final_p_est + sqrt(pos_est_var),'r-',t_sin,d_pe-final_p_est - sqrt(
    pos_est_var), 'r-')
89 yline(bias_model(1), 'b')
90 ylabel('position m','interpreter','latex')
91 legend('position $\Delta$ error', '$\pm \sigma$','interpreter','latex','Location','southwest')
92 title('$\Delta$ Position Error','interpreter','latex')
93 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
94 grid on
95
96 subplot(3,1,2)
97 plot(t_sin,d_ve - final_v_est, 'k-',t_sin,d_ve - final_v_est + sqrt(vel_est_var), 'r-',t_sin,d_ve - final_v_est -
    sqrt(vel_est_var), 'r-')
98 yline(0, 'b')
99 ylabel('velocity m/s','interpreter','latex')
100 legend('velocity $\Delta$ error', '$\pm \sigma$','interpreter','latex','Location','southwest')
101 title('$\Delta$ Velocity Error','interpreter','latex')
102 set(gca,'FontSize',font_S)
103 grid on

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104
105 subplot(3,1,3)
106 plot(t_sin, bias_model - final_b_est, 'k--', t_sin, bias_model - final_b_est + sqrt(bias_est_var), 'r--', t_sin,
107      bias_model - final_b_est - sqrt(bias_est_var), 'r--')
108 yline(0, 'b')
109 ylabel('bias $(m/s^2)$', 'interpreter', 'latex')
110 legend('bias error', '$\pm \sigma$', 'interpreter', 'latex', 'Location', 'southwest')
111 title('Bias Error', 'interpreter', 'latex')
112 set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
113 grid on
114
115 han=axes(fig3, 'visible', 'off');
116 han.XLabel.Visible='On';
117 xlabel(han, 'time (s)', 'FontSize', font_S, 'interpreter', 'latex')
end

```

## 6.7 Code to plot Figure 8

```

1 %% Figure 8
2 %Errors – One Realization D!
3 %GPS time
4 font_S = 20;
5 Flag_Errors_T1 = 1;
6 if Flag_Errors_T1 == 1
7     fig1 = figure;
8     ax_zoom2 = subplot(3,1,1);
9     plot(t_gps, e_posteriori(1,idx), 'k--', t_gps, e_priori(1,idx), 'r--')
10    yline(0, 'b')
11    ylabel('position (m)', 'interpreter', 'latex')
12    legend('apriori Position error', 'aposteriori Position error', 'interpreter', 'latex')
13    title('apriori-posteriori Error Comparison: $\Delta$ Position', 'interpreter', 'latex')
14    set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
15    grid on
16
17    ax_zoom2 = axes('Parent', fig1, 'Position', [0.5 0.73 0.1400 0.1000]);
18    hold(ax_zoom2, 'on'); box(ax_zoom2, 'on')
19    plot(t_gps, e_posteriori(1,idx), 'k--', t_gps, e_priori(1,idx), 'r--')
20    ylim(ax_zoom2, [-0.05 0.05]);
21    xlim(ax_zoom2, [21 23]);
22    set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
23    grid on
24
25
26 subplot(3,1,2)
27 plot(t_gps, e_posteriori(2,idx), 'k--', t_gps, e_priori(2,idx), 'r--')
28 yline(0, 'b')
29 ylabel('velocity (m/s)', 'interpreter', 'latex')
30 legend('apriori Velocity error', 'aposteriori Velocity error', 'interpreter', 'latex')
31 title('apriori-posteriori Error Comparison: $\Delta$ Velocity', 'interpreter', 'latex')
32 set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
33 grid on
34
35 subplot(3,1,3)
36 plot(t_gps, e_posteriori(3,idx), 'k--', t_gps, e_priori(3,idx), 'r--')
37 yline(0, 'b')
38 ylabel('bias $(m/s^2)$', 'interpreter', 'latex')
39 legend('prior bias error', 'bias posterior error', 'interpreter', 'latex')
40 title('arior-posteriori Error Comparison: Bias', 'interpreter', 'latex')
41 set(gca, 'FontSize', font_S)
42 grid on
43
44 han=axes(fig1, 'visible', 'off');

```

```
45     han.XLabel.Visible='On';  
46     xlabel(han,'time (s)', 'FontSize',font_S, 'interpreter','latex')  
47 end
```

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