

EE 771 : Recent Topics in Analytical Signal Processing

Assignment 2

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Q1

We are given the bandlimited field $g(x, y)$ as

$$g(x, y) = \sum_{l=-10}^{10} \sum_{k=-5}^5 a[k, l] \exp(j2\pi kx + j2\pi ly)$$

We are also given that we move along the path $y = \sqrt{2}x$ and this path is denoted by L. g is parametrized by time as

$$h(t) = g(t, \sqrt{2}t) \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1/\sqrt{2}$$

Let the samples taken along the path L be separated by distances of Δ . Slope of the line is $\sqrt{2}$ and thus its projections of x-axis and y-axis are $\Delta_x = \Delta/\sqrt{3}$ and $\Delta_y = \Delta\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{3}$

1a

We need to find the degrees of freedom along the two axes of the 2d field g . First we consider along the x-axis i.e. y is a constant (here taken to be y_0) and x is variable.

$$\begin{aligned} g(x, y_0) &= \sum_{l=-10}^{10} \sum_{k=-5}^5 a[k, l] \exp(j2\pi kx + j2\pi ly_0) \\ g(x, y_0) &= \sum_{k=-5}^5 \exp(j2\pi kx) \sum_{l=-10}^{10} a[k, l] \exp(j2\pi ly_0) \end{aligned}$$

Let $\alpha[k] = \sum_{l=-10}^{10} a[k, l] \exp(j2\pi ly_0)$

$$g(x, y_0) = \sum_{k=-5}^5 \exp(j2\pi kx) \alpha[k] \quad (1)$$

Therefore we can reconstruct $g(x, y_0)$ from the values of $\alpha[k]$ and 11 such values are required. Therefore degrees of freedom along x-axis is 11.

For y-axis we have constant x (say x_0) and variable y .

$$\begin{aligned} \beta[l] &= \sum_{k=-5}^5 a[k, l] \exp(j2\pi kx_0) \\ g(x_0, y) &= \sum_{l=-10}^{10} \exp(j2\pi ly) \beta[l] \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Again, we can reconstruct $g(x_0, y)$ from the values of $\beta[l]$ and 21 such values are required. Therefore degrees of freedom along y-axis is 21.

1b

We note that the representations in 1 and 2 readily suggest the bandlimitness of the 1d representation. For the case of $g(x, 0.5)$ we note that 1 directly implies that the maximum frequency required would be when $k = +5$ or $k = -5$ both of which correspond to 5Hz. Also we note that this value is independent of the value of y_0 . Similarly for the case of $g(0.25, y)$ we have maximum frequency of 10Hz. Therefore both 1d representations are bandlimited.

1c

We first note that $g(x, y)$ is bandlimited to $[-\rho_x, \rho_x]x[-\rho_y, \rho_y]$ where $\rho_x = 10\pi$ and $\rho_y = 20\pi$. For $h(t)$ to cover all degrees of freedom of $g(x, y)$ we need that there should be no aliasing in either dimension. That is, we need $\Delta_x \leq \pi/\rho_x$ and $\Delta_y \leq \pi/\rho_y$. That is:

$$\Delta/\sqrt{3} \leq 1/10$$

$$\Delta\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{3} \leq 1/20$$

The above reduces to $\Delta \leq \sqrt{3}/10$ and $\Delta \leq \sqrt{3}/(20\sqrt{2})$. Clearly the second inequality is stronger and therefore we need $\Delta \leq \sqrt{3}/(20\sqrt{2})$ so that $h(t)$ can capture all degrees of freedom of $g(x, y)$.

1d

As shown in above part, if $\Delta \leq \sqrt{3}/(20\sqrt{2})$ then we can reconstruct $g(x, y)$ from $h(t)$.

Q2

We are given that $W(x)$ is a white noise process. We are also given that $S_W(\omega) \propto \frac{1}{\omega}$ for $|\omega| \geq \frac{\pi}{X}$ where X is the sampling distance.

From power spectral density theory we know that:

$$S_{W_s}(\omega) = \frac{1}{X} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} S_W(\omega - \frac{2\pi k}{X}) \quad |\omega| \leq \frac{\pi}{X}$$

We note that the required variance of W_s is given by $\sigma^2 = S_{W_s}(0)$

$$S_{W_s}(0) = \frac{1}{X} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} S_W(\frac{2\pi k}{X})$$
$$\sigma^2 = S_{W_s}(0) = \frac{S_W(0)}{X} + \frac{1}{X} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}, k \neq 0} S_W(\frac{2\pi k}{X})$$

Further, we know, power spectral density is always positive. Also the power spectral density of a real valued process is a real and even function of frequency. Therefore $S_W(\omega) = S_W(-\omega)$.

This gives us:

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{S_W(0)}{X} + \frac{2}{X} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} S_W(\frac{2\pi k}{X})$$

Using the fact that X is sufficiently small we get:

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{S_W(0)}{X} + \frac{2}{X} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha X}{2\pi k}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{S_W(0)}{X} + \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k}$$

Clearly, this diverges to ∞ and therefore the variance of sampled white noise is ∞ .

Q3

Q4

We are given a polynomial field $g(x) = a + bx + cx^2$ where $x \in [0, 1]$. Denote the legendre polynomial of degree k by $p_k(x)$. We know that the legendre polynomials are orthogonal in $[-1, 1]$ but the function g given to us is in $[0, 1]$. So we have to first convert it into another polynomial with range $[-1, 1]$.

We choose $h(x) = g(\frac{x+1}{2})$. Clearly the domain of definition for h is $[-1, 1]$. Let $h(x) = \alpha + \beta x + \gamma x^2$ then we get:

$$\alpha = a + \frac{b}{2} + \frac{c}{2}$$

$$\beta = \frac{b}{2} + c$$

$$\gamma = \frac{c}{2}$$

Clearly, estimating a, b, c is equivalent to estimating α, β, γ . So we now focus on estimating the latter. Denote the coefficients of h in the legendre polynomial basis be given by $A[k]$. We can therefore write:

$$A[k] = \frac{2k+1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 h(x) p_k(x) dx$$

We know approximate it using reimann sum (M point approximation):

$$A_R[k] = \frac{2k+1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^M h(\frac{2i}{M} - 1) p_k(\frac{2i}{M} - 1)$$

Here we have replaced $\frac{i}{M}$ with $\frac{2i}{M} - 1$ which is the transformation from g to h ($g(x) = h(2x - 1)$).

We note that we do not have samples at $\frac{2i}{M} - 1$ rather at points $\hat{S}_i = 2S_i - 1$. So we estimate it using

$$\hat{A}[k] = \frac{2k+1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^M h(\hat{S}_i) p_k(\frac{2i}{M} - 1)$$

First case we don't consider noise. We want to estimate $A[k]$ from $\hat{A}[k]$ and we try to give a bound for the same. All the following derivations are from the paper on location unaware mobile sensor by Animesh Kumar.

$$\mathbb{E}[|\hat{A}[k] - A[k]|^2] \leq 2\mathbb{E}[|\hat{A}[k] - A_R[k]|^2] + 2\mathbb{E}[|A_R[k] - A[k]|^2]$$

Consider the first term of RHS:

$$|\hat{A}[k] - A_R[k]| = \left| \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M [h(\hat{S}_i) - h(\frac{2i}{M} - 1)] p_k(\frac{2i}{M} - 1) \right|$$

$$|\hat{A}[k] - A_R[k]|^2 \leq \|h\|_\infty^2 \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M |\hat{S}_i - (\frac{2i}{M} - 1)|^2 p_k(\frac{2i}{M} - 1)$$

$$|\hat{A}[k] - A_R[k]|^2 \leq \|h\|_\infty^2 \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M |\hat{S}_i - (\frac{2i}{M} - 1)|^2$$

The last step follows because $p_k(x)$ are bounded between $[-1, 1]$.

Following the result from the paper we get:

$$\mathbb{E}[|\hat{A}[k] - A_R[k]|^2] \leq \frac{C_1}{n}$$

Here n is the oversampling rate.

Now consider the second term of RHS:

$$|A_R[k] - A[k]| = \left| \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \left[h\left(\frac{2i}{M} - 1\right) p_k\left(\frac{2i}{M} - 1\right) - \int_{\frac{2i}{M}-1}^{\frac{2i+2}{M}-1} h(x) p_k(x) dx \right] \right|$$

For some constants $Z_{i,m} \in [\frac{2i}{M} - 1, \frac{2i+2}{M} - 1]$ we have:

$$|A_R[k] - A[k]| = \left| \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \left[h\left(\frac{2i}{M} - 1\right) p_k\left(\frac{2i}{M} - 1\right) - h(Z_{i,m}) p_k(Z_{i,m}) \right] \right|$$

$$|A_R[k] - A[k]| \leq \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \left| Z_{i,m} - \frac{i}{M} \right| \left\| \frac{d}{dx} h(x) p_k(x) \right\|_{\infty}$$

$$|A_R[k] - A[k]| \leq \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{M} \left\| \frac{d}{dx} h(x) p_k(x) \right\|_{\infty}$$

$$|A_R[k] - A[k]| \leq \frac{1}{M} \left\| \frac{d}{dx} h(x) p_k(x) \right\|_{\infty}$$

$$\left| \frac{d}{dx} h(x) p_k(x) \right| = |h(x) p'_k(x) + h'(x) p_k(x)| \leq |h(x)| + |h'(x)| \leq C_2$$

$$|A_R[k] - A[k]| \leq \frac{C_2}{M} \leq \frac{C_3}{(n - \lambda)}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[|A_R[k] - A[k]|^2] \leq \frac{C_4}{(n - \lambda)^2}$$

Therefore we get:

$$\mathbb{E}[|\hat{A}[k] - A[k]|^2] \leq 2 \frac{C_1}{n} + 2 \frac{C_4}{(n - \lambda)^2}$$

So we see if number of samples are increased the error decreases as an order of $\frac{1}{n}$ and approaches 0. Once $A[k]$ are known we can estimate the original coefficients of g as well.

For the case where additive noise exists, it will lead to an additional term corresponding to the averaged noise given by:

$$\mathbb{E}(|W_{avg}[k]|^2) = \mathbb{E}\left[\left|\frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^M W(\hat{S}_i) p_k\left(\frac{2i}{M} - 1\right)\right|^2\right]$$

$$\mathbb{E}(|W_{avg}[k]|^2) = \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{M^2} \sum_{i=1}^M |W(\hat{S}_i)|^2\right]$$

$$\mathbb{E}(|W_{avg}[k]|^2) = \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{\sigma^2}{M}\right] \leq \frac{C_5}{n - \lambda}$$

Even when this term is added the error still decreases as an order of $\frac{1}{n}$ and hence our previous claims still holds.