

## Exercises on second order statistics

Note: all random vectors are assumed of finite variance and zero mean.

1. For any two random vectors  $X, Y$  compute the minimum error of the linear estimation of  $X$  from  $Y$ :

$$\sigma_{min}^2 = \min_G E \| X - GY \|^2$$

2. Suppose  $Y = HX + W$  with  $(W, X)$  independent. Compute

$$\hat{G} = \underset{G}{\operatorname{argmin}} E \| X - GY \|^2$$

3. Take  $X = X_{1:N}$ ,  $W = W_{1:N}$  where the sequence  $(X_n)$  is binary  $\pm 1$  i.i.d.,  $(W_n)$  is gaussian with variance  $\beta$ . Give the expression of  $\hat{G}$  in this case .

4. Suppose  $(X, Y) \sim N(0, \Gamma)$  with

$$\Gamma = \begin{bmatrix} R_X & R_{XY} \\ R_{YX} & R_Y \end{bmatrix}$$

Show that  $X|Y \sim N(\hat{X}, R_e)$  with  $\hat{X} = R_{XY}R_Y^{-1}Y$  and  $R_e = R_X - R_{XY}R_Y^{-1}R_X$ .

5. Now  $(X_n)$  is a Markov sequence such that  $X_n = -X_{n-1}$  with probability  $\varepsilon$  independently from  $X_{1:n-1}$ . Compute the auto-correlation function  $\gamma_X(k) = E(X_n X_{n-k})$ . Explicit the structure of the correlation matrix  $R_X$ . Compute the spectrum density function of  $(X_n)$ .

6. Denote  $L_{X|Y} = E(XY^T)E(YY^T)^{-1}$ . Prove the following properties and interpret in terms of estimation:

- (a)  $L_{AX|Y} = AL_{AX|Y}$
- (b)  $L_{X|AY} = L_{X|Y}$
- (c) If  $Y = (Y_1, Y_2)$  with  $(Y_1, Y_2)$  uncorrelated,  $L_{X|Y} = L_{X|Y_1} + L_{X|Y_2}$ .

7. The sequence  $(X_n)$  is AR-m:

$$X_n = a_1 X_{n-1} + \dots + a_m X_{n-m} + U_n$$

where  $(U_n)$  is i.i.d . Compute the spectrum density of  $(X_n)$ .