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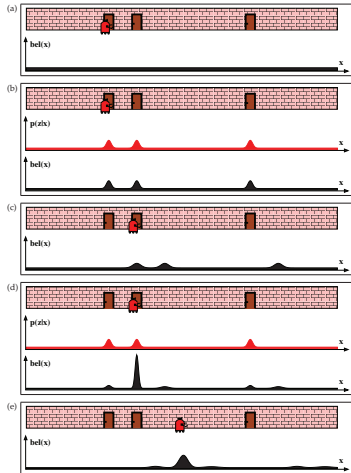


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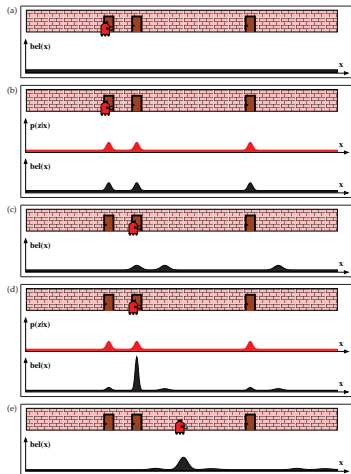


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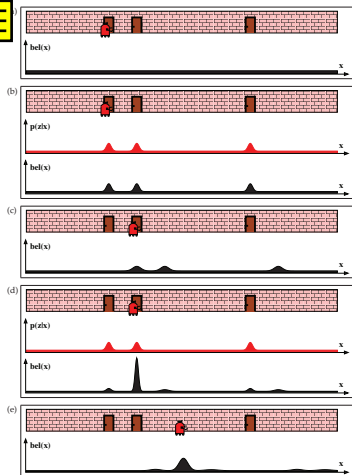


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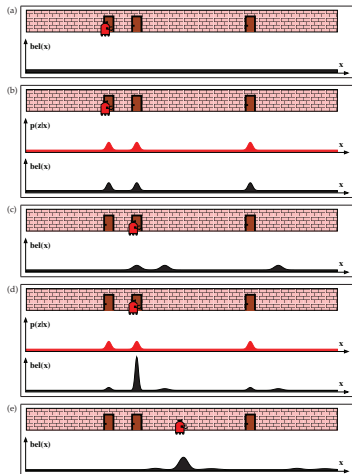


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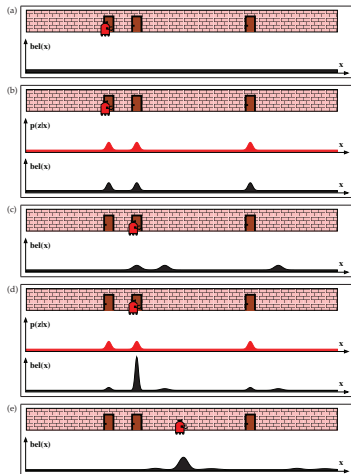


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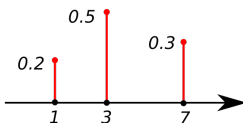


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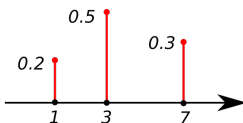


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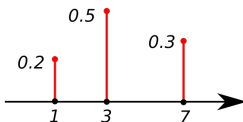


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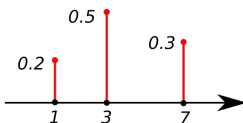


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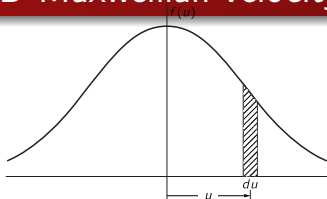


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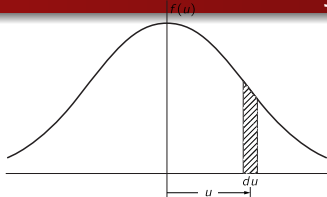


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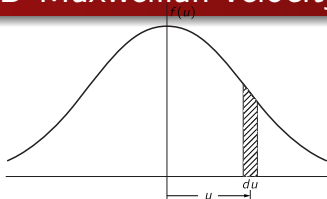


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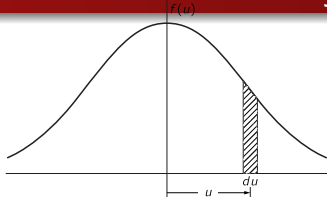


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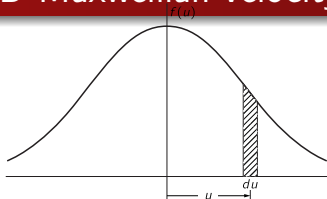


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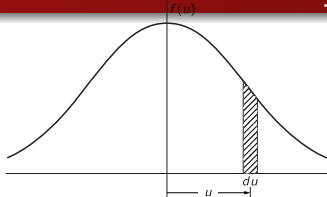


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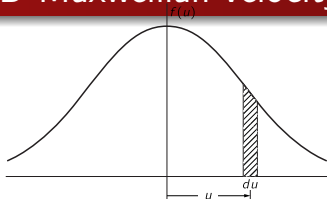


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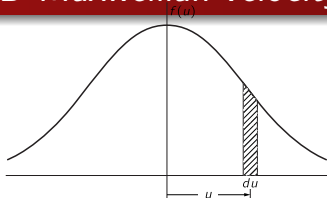


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Joint, conditional, total probability

$p(x, y)$	x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4	$p(y)$
y_1	1/8	1/16	1/32	1/32	
y_2	1/16	1/8	1/32	1/32	
y_3	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	
y_2	1/4	0	0	0	
$p(x)$					

- Joint probability $p(x_2, y_2) = 1/8$.
- Total probability $p(y_2)$?

- Conditional probability $p(x_2|y_2)$?
- $\sum_{x_i} p(x_i) = \sum_{y_i} p(y_i)$?
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$p(x)$	1/2	1/4	1/8	1/8	

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$$p(y_2) = \sum_{x_i} p(y_2, x_i) = 1/16 + 1/8 + 1/32 + 1/32 = 1/4$$

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- $\sum_{x_i} p(x_i) = \sum_{y_i} p(y_i)$? $\sum_x p(x) = \sum_y p(y) = 1$.
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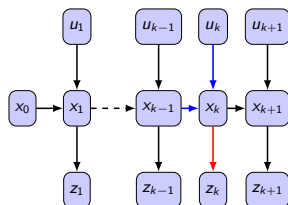


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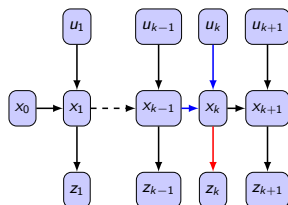


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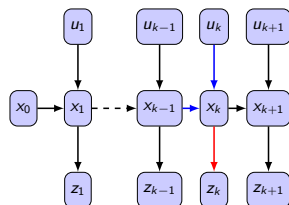


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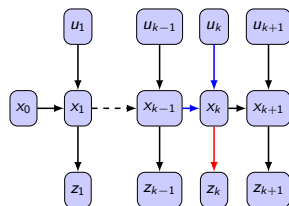


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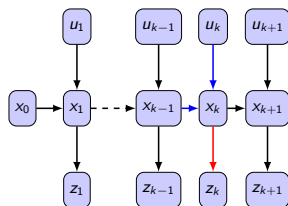


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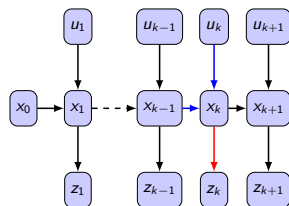


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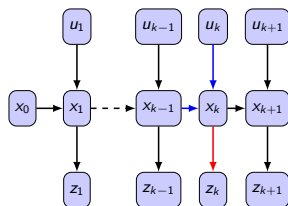


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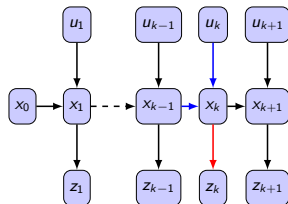


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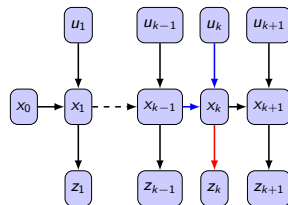


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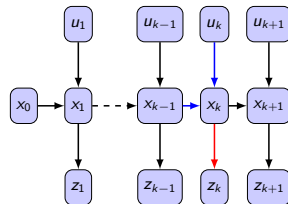


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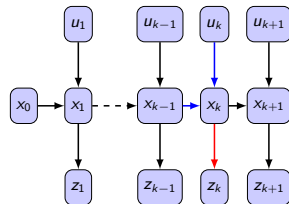


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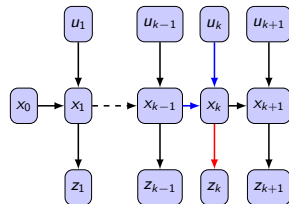


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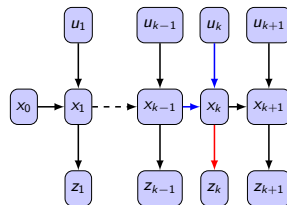


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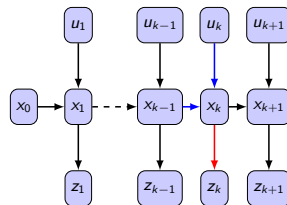


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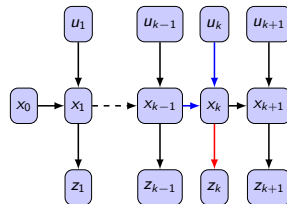


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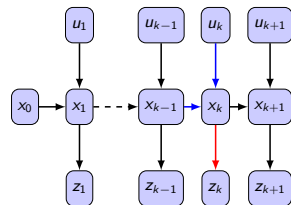


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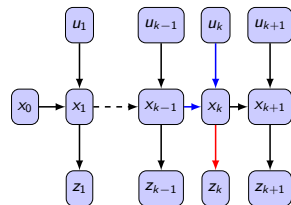


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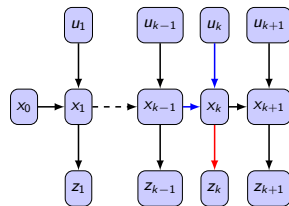


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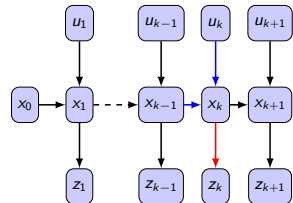


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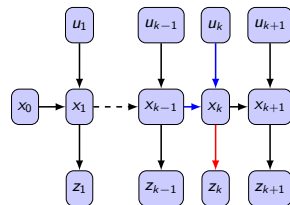


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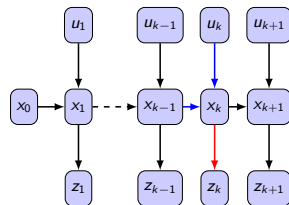


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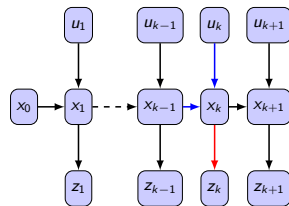


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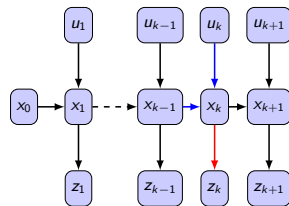


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$$\overline{bel}(x_k) \xlongequal{\text{prediction def.}} p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k})$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{total probability}}$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{conditional probability}}$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{Markov assumption}}$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{conditional independence } u_k, x_{k-1}}$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{belief def.}}$$

Bayes filter: prediction/propagation step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
3:   UPDATE:  $bel(x_k) = \eta p(z_k | x_k) \overline{bel}(x_k)$ 
4: end for
5: return  $bel(x_k)$ 

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$$\overline{bel}(x_k) \xlongequal{\text{prediction def.}} p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k})$$

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Bayes filter: prediction/propagation step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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 &\stackrel{\text{Markov assumption}}{=} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{conditional independence } u_k, x_{k-1}}{=} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{belief def.}}{=}
 \end{aligned}$$

Bayes filter: prediction/propagation step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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 &\stackrel{\text{Markov assumption}}{=} \\
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Bayes filter: prediction/propagation step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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 &\stackrel{\text{conditional independence } u_k, x_{k-1}}{=} \\
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Bayes filter: prediction/propagation step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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 &\stackrel{\text{conditional independence } u_k, x_{k-1}}{=} \int p(x_k | x_{k-1}, u_k) p(x_{k-1} | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k-1}) dx_{k-1} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{belief def.}}{=}
 \end{aligned}$$

Bayes filter: prediction/propagation step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
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 &\stackrel{\text{conditional probability}}{=} \int p(x_k | x_{k-1}, z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) p(x_{k-1} | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) dx_{k-1} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{Markov assumption}}{=} \int p(x_k | x_{k-1}, u_k) p(x_{k-1} | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) dx_{k-1} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{conditional independence } u_k, x_{k-1}}{=} \int p(x_k | x_{k-1}, u_k) p(x_{k-1} | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k-1}) dx_{k-1} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{belief def.}}{=} \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

```

1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
3:   UPDATE:  $bel(x_k) = \eta p(z_k | x_k) \overline{bel}(x_k)$ 
4: end for
5: return  $bel(x_k)$ 

```

MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION step (corrección): the , $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of , η , , $p(z_k | x_k)$, and , $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

$$bel(x_k) \xlongequal{\text{belief def.}} p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k})$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{Bayes' rule}}$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{Normalizer}}$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{Markov assumption}}$$

$$\xlongequal{\text{prediction def.}}$$

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
3:   UPDATE:  $bel(x_k) = \eta p(z_k | x_k) \overline{bel}(x_k)$ 
4: end for
5: return  $bel(x_k)$ 

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$$\overline{bel}(x_k) \xrightarrow{\text{belief def.}} p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k})$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Bayes' rule}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Normalizer}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Markov assumption}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{prediction def.}}$$

MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION
 step (corrección): the **belief**, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of η , $p(z_k | x_k)$, and $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
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4: end for
5: return  $bel(x_k)$ 

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$$\overline{bel}(x_k) \xrightarrow{\text{belief def.}} p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k})$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Bayes' rule}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Normalizer}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Markov assumption}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{prediction def.}}$$

MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION step (corrección): the belief, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the multiplication of normalizer, η , $p(z_k | x_k)$, and $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
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4: end for
5: return  $bel(x_k)$ 

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$$\overline{bel}(x_k) \xrightarrow{\text{belief def.}} p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k})$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Bayes' rule}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Normalizer}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Markov assumption}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{prediction def.}}$$

MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION
 step (corrección): the **belief**, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of **normalizer**, η , **measurement probability**, $p(z_k | x_k)$, and $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive.Bayes.filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
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4: end for
5: return  $bel(x_k)$ 

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$$\overline{bel}(x_k) \xrightarrow{\text{belief def.}} p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k})$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Bayes' rule}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Normalizer}}$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{Markov assumption}}$$

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MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION step (corrección): the **belief**, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of **normalizer**, η , **measurement probability**, $p(z_k | x_k)$, and **prediction**, $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
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MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION step (corrección): the **belief**, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of **normalizer**, η , **measurement probability**, $p(z_k | x_k)$, and **prediction**, $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \overline{bel}(x_k) & \xrightarrow{\text{belief def.}} p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k}) \\
 & \xrightarrow{\text{Bayes' rule}} \frac{p(z_k | x_k) p(x_k)}{p(z_k |)} \\
 & \xrightarrow{\text{Normalizer}} \\
 & \xrightarrow{\text{Markov assumption}} \\
 & \xrightarrow{\text{prediction def.}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION
 step (corrección): the **belief**, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of **normalizer**, η , **measurement probability**, $p(z_k | x_k)$, and **prediction**, $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \overline{bel}(x_k) &\stackrel{\text{belief def.}}{=} p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k}) \\
 &\stackrel{\text{Bayes' rule}}{=} \frac{p(z_k | x_k, z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k})}{p(z_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k})} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{Normalizer}}{=} \eta p(z_k | x_k, z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) \\
 &\stackrel{\text{Markov assumption}}{=} \\
 &\stackrel{\text{prediction def.}}{=} \\
 \eta &= \frac{1}{p(z_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k})}
 \end{aligned}$$

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
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MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION
 step (corrección): the **belief**, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of **normalizer**, η , **measurement probability**, $p(z_k | x_k)$, and **prediction**, $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

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 \overline{bel}(x_k) &\stackrel{\text{belief def.}}{=} p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k}) \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

$$\eta = \frac{1}{p(z_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k})} = \frac{1}{\int p(z_k | x_k, z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) dx_k}$$

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
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MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION step (corrección): the **belief**, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of **normalizer**, η , **measurement probability**, $p(z_k | x_k)$, and **prediction**, $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

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Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

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1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
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 \text{prediction def.} \quad & \overline{bel}(x_k) = \eta p(z_k | x_k) \overline{bel}(x_k)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\eta = \frac{1}{p(z_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k})} = \frac{1}{\int p(z_k | x_k, z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) dx_k}$$

Bayes filter: update/correction step

Recursive_Bayes_filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

```

1: for all possible values of state  $x_k$  do
2:   PREDICTION:  $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
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4: end for
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MEASUREMENT UPDATE/CORRECTION step (corrección): the **belief**, $bel(x_k)$, is given by the **multiplication** of **normalizer**, η , **measurement probability**, $p(z_k | x_k)$, and **prediction**, $\overline{bel}(x_k)$.

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 \text{belief def.} \quad & \overline{bel}(x_k) = p(x_k | z_{1:k}, u_{1:k}) \\
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 \text{Normalizer} \quad & \eta p(z_k | x_k, z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) \\
 \text{Markov assumption} \quad & \eta p(z_k | x_k) p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) \\
 \text{prediction def.} \quad & \overline{bel}(x_k) = \eta p(z_k | x_k) \overline{bel}(x_k)
 \end{aligned}$$

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 \eta &= \frac{1}{p(z_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k})} = \frac{1}{\int p(z_k | x_k, z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) p(x_k | z_{1:k-1}, u_{1:k}) dx_k} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\int p(z_k | x_k) \overline{bel}(x_k) dx_k}
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Robot and door state: model

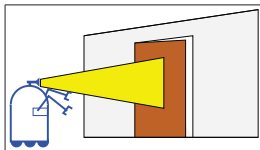


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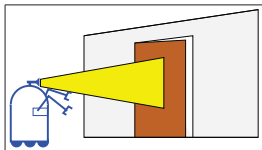


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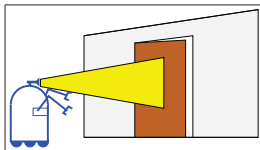


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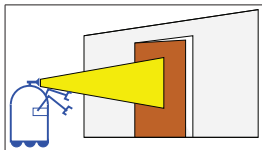


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$$P(Z_k = \text{s_open} | X_k = \text{open}) = 0.6 ,$$

$$P(Z_k = \text{s_closed} | X_k = \text{open}) = 0.4 ,$$

$$P(Z_k = \text{s_open} | X_k = \text{closed}) = 0.2 ,$$

$$P(Z_k = \text{s_closed} | X_k = \text{closed}) = 0.8 .$$

The sensor is **relatively reliable** in detecting a **closed** door (error probability 0.2), but not an open door (error probability 0.4).

Robot and door state: model

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If the door is **closed**, the robot has 80% *chance of success to open it*. If the door is already **open**, it remains *open*.

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The door **remains** its original state.

Robot and door state: Bayes filter

Recursive.Bayes.filter($bel(x_{k-1}), u_k, z_k$)

```

1: for all possible values of the state  $x_k$  do
2:    $\overline{bel}(x_k) = \int p(x_k | u_k, x_{k-1}) bel(x_{k-1}) dx_{k-1}$ 
3:    $bel(x_k) = \eta p(z_k | x_k) \overline{bel}(x_k)$ 
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5: return  $bel(x_k)$ 

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- At $k = 1$, the robot **does nothing** ($u_1 = \text{nothing}$) and it **senses an open door** ($z_1 = \text{s_open}$).
- Prediction:** $\overline{bel}(x_1) = \sum_{x_0} p(x_1 | u_1, x_0) bel(x_0)$.

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 \end{aligned}$$

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5: return  $bel(x_k)$ 
```

● **Update:** $bel(x_1) = \eta P(Z_1 = s_open | x_1) \overline{bel}(x_1)$.

● The goal of **normalization**: $bel(X_1 = open) + bel(X_1 = closed) = 1$.

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$$\eta = 1/(0.3 + 0.1) = 2.5$$

$$bel(X_1 = \text{open}) = \eta P(Z_1 = s_open | X_1 = \text{open}) \times \overline{bel}(X_1 = \text{open})$$

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Robot and door state: Bayes filter

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4: end for
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$$\eta = 1 / (0.3 + 0.1) = 2.5$$

$$bel(X_1 = \text{open}) = \eta P(Z_1 = s_open | X_1 = \text{open}) \times \overline{bel}(X_1 = \text{open}) = 0.75$$

$$bel(X_1 = \text{closed}) = \eta P(Z_1 = s_open | X_1 = \text{closed}) \times \overline{bel}(X_1 = \text{closed}) = 0.25$$

● The goal of **normalization**: $bel(X_1 = \text{open}) + bel(X_1 = \text{closed}) = 1$.

Robot and door state: Bayes filter

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Robot and door state: Bayes filter

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● **Normalizer:**

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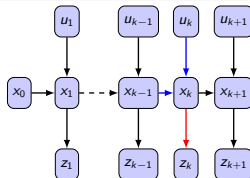
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Glossary



, x_k ; , z_k ; , u_k .

- Probabilistic distributions

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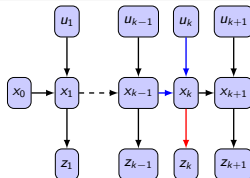
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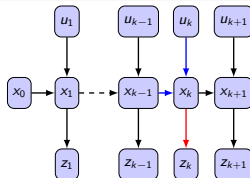
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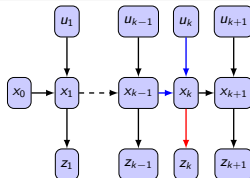
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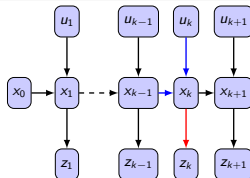
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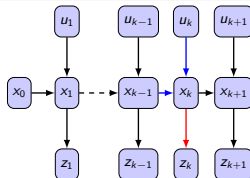
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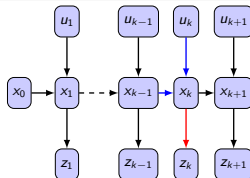
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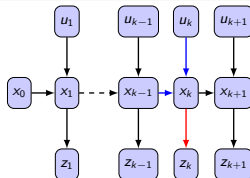
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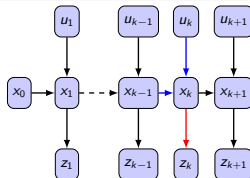
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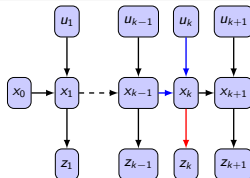
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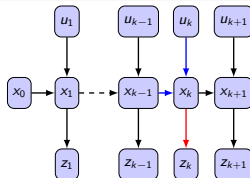
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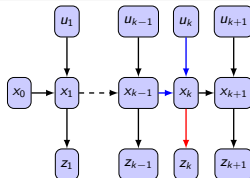
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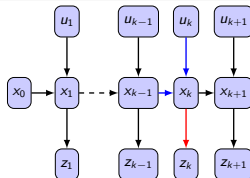
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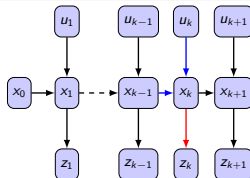
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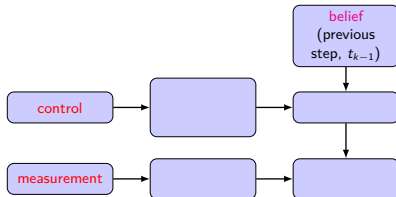
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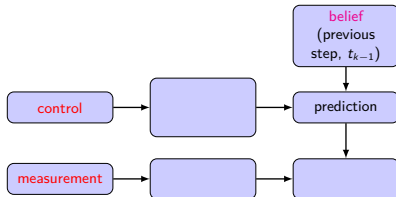
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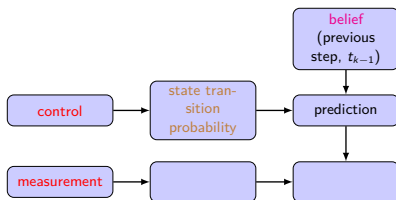
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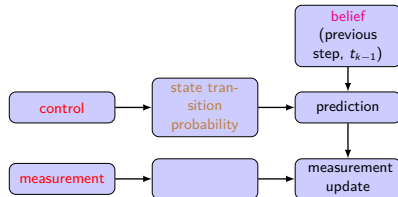
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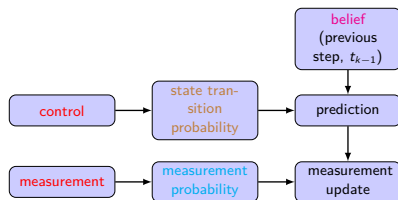
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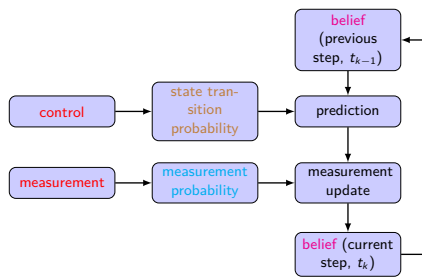
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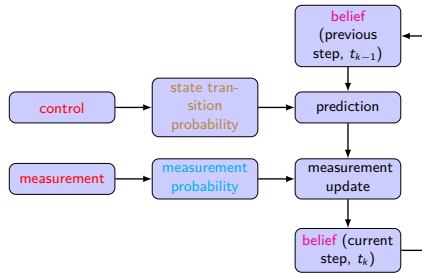
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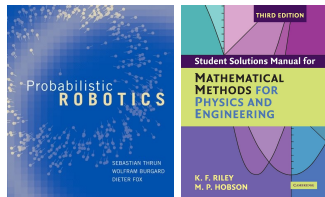


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Acrónimos

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PDF	Probability Distribution Function
PMF	Probability Mass Function

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