

# Optimal Estimation Methods — Homework 1

John L. Crassidis

University at Buffalo

September 26, 2017

## Exercise 1.7

Using the simple model

$$y = x_1 + x_2 \sin 10t + x_3 e^{2t^2}$$

with  $x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = 1.0$ , generate four sets of “synthetic data” at the instants  $t = 0, 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, \dots, 1.0$  by truncating each  $y$  value after 6, 4, 2, and 1 significant figures, respectively, to simulate (crudely) measurement errors. Use the normal equations (1.26) to process the measurements and derive  $\hat{x}_i$  estimates for each of the four cases. Compare the estimates with the true values (1, 1, 1) in each case.

## *% Exercise 1.7*

### *% Truth*

```
t=[0:0.1:1]';m=length(t);  
x=[1;1;1];  
y=x(1)+x(2)*sin(10*t)+x(3)*exp(2*t.^2);
```

### *% Truncation Values*

```
r6=1e6;r4=1e4;r2=1e2;r1=1e1;
```

### *% Get Truncated Measurements*

```
y1=ceil(y*r1)/r1;  
y2=ceil(y*r2)/r2;  
y4=ceil(y*r4)/r4;  
y6=ceil(y*r6)/r6;
```

### *% Least Squares Solutions for All Sets*

```
h=[ones(m,1) sin(10*t) exp(2*t.^2)];  
z=inv(h'*h)*h';  
x1=z*y1  
x2=z*y2  
x4=z*y4  
x6=z*y6
```

```
>> problem1_7
```

```
x1 =
```

```
1.0315
```

```
0.9942
```

```
1.0024
```

```
x2 =
```

```
1.0046
```

```
1.0015
```

```
1.0001
```

```
x4 =
```

```
1.0000
```

```
1.0000
```

```
1.0000
```

x6 =

1.0000

1.0000

1.0000

## Exercise 1.9

Consider the following partitioned matrix (assume that  $|A_{11}| \neq 0$  and  $|A_{22}| \neq 0$ ):

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

Prove that the following matrices are all valid inverses:

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11}^{-1} + A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & -A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1} \\ -B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & B_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} B_{11}^{-1} & -B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ -A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1} & A_{22}^{-1} + A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} B_{11}^{-1} & -A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1} \\ -A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1} & B_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $B_{ij}$  is the *Schur complement* of  $A_{ij}$ , given by

$$B_{11} = A_{11} - A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}, \quad B_{22} = A_{22} - A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}$$

Also, prove the matrix inversion lemma from these matrix inverses.

# Exercise 1.9

- Brute Force (first form)

$$\begin{aligned} A A^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_{11}^{-1} + A_{11}^{-1} A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} & -A_{11}^{-1} A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} \\ -B_{22}^{-1} A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} & B_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} C & D \\ E & F \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$C \equiv I + A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} - A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} = I \quad \checkmark$$

$$D \equiv A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} - A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$E \equiv A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} + A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} - A_{22} B_{22}^{-1} A_{21} A_{11}^{-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F &\equiv A_{22} B_{22}^{-1} - A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} \\ &= \underbrace{(A_{22} - A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} A_{12})}_{=B_{22}} B_{22}^{-1} = I \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise 1.9

- Work on  $E$

$$\begin{aligned} E &\equiv A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} + A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} - A_{22}B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} \\ &= (I + A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1} - A_{22}B_{22}^{-1})A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} \\ &= (B_{22} + \underbrace{A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}A_{12} - A_{22}}_{=-B_{22}})B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} \\ &= (B_{22} - B_{22})B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} \\ &= 0 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$



## Exercise 1.9

- Another Approach

$$\begin{aligned} X &\equiv \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & 0 \\ 0 & \underbrace{A_{22} - A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}}_{=B_{22}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & A_{11}^{-1}A_{12} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} - A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}A_{12} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & A_{11}^{-1}A_{12} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} = A \end{aligned}$$

- Use the following matrix inverses

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & I \end{bmatrix}^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ -A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & I \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} I & A_{11}^{-1}A_{12} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix}^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} I & -A_{11}^{-1}A_{12} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise 1.9

- Then  $A^{-1}$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} A^{-1} \equiv X^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} I & -A_{11}^{-1}A_{12} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_{11}^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & B_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ -A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & I \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11}^{-1} & -A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1} \\ 0 & B_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ -A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & I \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11}^{-1} + A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & -A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1} \\ -B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & B_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise 1.9

- Brute Force (second form)

$$\begin{aligned} A A^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{11}^{-1} & -B_{11}^{-1} A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} \\ -A_{22}^{-1} A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} & A_{22}^{-1} + A_{22}^{-1} A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} C & D \\ E & F \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C &\equiv A_{11} B_{11}^{-1} - A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} \\ &= \underbrace{(A_{11} - A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} A_{21})}_{=B_{11}} B_{11}^{-1} = I \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$D \equiv A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} + A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} - A_{11} B_{11}^{-1} A_{12} A_{22}^{-1}$$

$$E \equiv A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} - A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$F \equiv I + A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} - A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} = I \quad \checkmark$$

## Exercise 1.9

- Work on  $D$

$$\begin{aligned} D &\equiv A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} + A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} - A_{11}B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ &= (I + A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1} - A_{11}B_{11}^{-1})A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ &= (B_{11} + \underbrace{A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} - A_{11}}_{=-B_{11}})B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ &= (B_{11} - B_{11})B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ &= 0 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

# Exercise 1.9

- Another Approach

$$\begin{aligned} Y &\equiv \begin{bmatrix} I & A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \underbrace{A_{11} - A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}}_{=B_{11}} & 0 \\ 0 & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} & I \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} - A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} & A_{12} \\ 0 & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} & I \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} = A \end{aligned}$$

- Use the following matrix inverses

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} I & A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix}^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} I & -A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} & I \end{bmatrix}^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ -A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} & I \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise 1.9

- Then  $A^{-1}$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} A^{-1} \equiv Y^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ -A_{22}^{-1}A_{21} & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{11}^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & A_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & -A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} B_{11}^{-1} & 0 \\ -A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1} & A_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & -A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} B_{11}^{-1} & -B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ -A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1} & A_{22}^{-1} + A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise 1.9

- Brute Force (third form)

$$\begin{aligned} A A^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{11}^{-1} & -A_{11}^{-1} A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} \\ -A_{22}^{-1} A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} & B_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} C & D \\ E & F \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C &\equiv A_{11} B_{11}^{-1} - A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} \\ &= \underbrace{(A_{11} - A_{12} A_{22}^{-1} A_{21})}_{=B_{11}} B_{11}^{-1} = I \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$D \equiv A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} - A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$E \equiv A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} - A_{21} B_{11}^{-1} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{aligned} F &\equiv A_{22} B_{22}^{-1} - A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} A_{12} B_{22}^{-1} \\ &= \underbrace{(A_{22} - A_{21} A_{11}^{-1} A_{12})}_{=B_{22}} B_{22}^{-1} = I \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise 1.9

- Matrix Inversion Lemma (look at first and second forms)

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11}^{-1} + A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & -A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1} \\ -B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1} & B_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} B_{11}^{-1} & -B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \\ -A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1} & A_{22}^{-1} + A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Look at 1 – 1 element to give the following identity

$$B_{11}^{-1} = A_{11}^{-1} + A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}B_{22}^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}$$

- Change  $A_{12}$  to  $-A_{12}$ , and substitute  $B_{11}$  and  $B_{22}$  to prove the matrix inversion lemma

$$(A_{11} + A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21})^{-1} = A_{11}^{-1} - A_{11}^{-1}A_{12}(A_{22} + A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}A_{12})^{-1}A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}$$

Now let  $A \equiv A_{11}$ ,  $B \equiv A_{12}$ ,  $C \equiv A_{22}^{-1}$ , and  $D \equiv A_{21}$  to give

$$(A + BCD)^{-1} = A^{-1} - A^{-1}B(C^{-1} + DA^{-1}B)^{-1}DA^{-1} \quad \checkmark$$



## Exercise 1.9

- Another Approach
- Look at 2 – 2 element to give the following identity

$$B_{22}^{-1} = A_{22}^{-1} + A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}B_{11}^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}$$

- Change  $A_{21}$  to  $-A_{21}$ , and substitute  $B_{11}$  and  $B_{22}$  to prove the matrix inversion lemma

$$(A_{22} + A_{21}A_{11}^{-1}A_{12})^{-1} = A_{22}^{-1} - A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}(A_{11} + A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}A_{21})^{-1}A_{12}A_{22}^{-1}$$

Now let  $A \equiv A_{22}$ ,  $B \equiv A_{21}$ ,  $C \equiv A_{11}^{-1}$ , and  $D \equiv A_{12}$  to give

$$(A + BCD)^{-1} = A^{-1} - A^{-1}B(C^{-1} + DA^{-1}B)^{-1}DA^{-1} \quad \checkmark$$

## Exercise 1.10

Create 101 synthetic measurements  $\tilde{y}$  at 0.1 second intervals of the following:

$$\tilde{y}_j = a \sin t_j - b \cos t_j + v_j$$

where  $a = b = 1$ , and  $v$  is a zero-mean Gaussian noise process with standard deviation given by 0.01. Determine the unweighted least squares estimates for  $a$  and  $b$ . Using the same measurements, find a value of  $\tilde{\mathbf{y}}$  that is near zero (near time  $\pi/4$ ), and set that “measurement” value to 1. Compute the unweighted least squares solution, and compare it to the original solution. Then, use weighted least squares to “deweight” the measurement.

## *% Exercise 1.10*

### *% Truth*

```
dt=0.1;tf=10;  
t=[0:dt:tf]';m=length(t);  
x=[1;1];  
ym=x(1)*sin(t)-x(2)*cos(t)+0.01*randn(m,1);
```

### *% Find Measurement Near Time pi/4*

```
point_pi4=round((pi/4)/dt);
```

### *% Corrupted Measurements*

```
ym_corrupt=ym;  
ym_corrupt(point_pi4)=1;
```

### *% Least Squares Solution with Good Measurements*

```
h=[sin(t) -cos(t)];  
xe=inv(h'*h)*h'*ym
```

### *% Least Squares Solution with Corrupt Measurements*

```
h=[sin(t) -cos(t)];  
xe_corrupt=inv(h'*h)*h'*ym_corrupt
```

```
% Set Weight Matrix
```

```
w=eye(m);w(point_pi4 , point_pi4)=1e-8;
```

```
% Weighted Least Squares Solution with Corrupt Measurements
```

```
h=[sin(t) -cos(t)];
```

```
xe_weighted=inv(h'*w*h)*h'*w*ym_corrupt
```

```
>> problem1_10
```

```
xe =
```

```
1.0034
```

```
0.9986
```

```
xe_corrupt =
```

```
1.0178
```

```
0.9829
```

```
xe_weighted =
```

```
1.0034
```

```
0.9986
```

## Exercise 1.12

Using the method of Lagrange multipliers, find all solutions  $\mathbf{x}$  of the first necessary conditions for extremals of the function

$$J(\mathbf{x}) = (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^T W (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})$$

subject to  $\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{x} = c$

where  $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$  are constant vectors,  $c$  is a scalar, and  $W$  is a symmetric, positive definite matrix.

## Exercise 1.12

- Appended Loss Function

$$J(\mathbf{x}) = (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^T W (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}) + \lambda(\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{x} - c)$$

- Necessary Conditions

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} J = 2W \mathbf{x} - 2W \mathbf{a} + \lambda \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{a} - \frac{1}{2} \lambda W^{-1} \mathbf{b} \quad (1)$$

$$\nabla_{\lambda} J = \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{x} - c = 0 \quad (2)$$

## Exercise 1.12

- Substitute Eq. (1) into Eq. (2)

$$\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{a} - \frac{1}{2} \lambda \mathbf{b}^T W^{-1} \mathbf{b} - c = 0$$

$$\lambda = -2(\mathbf{b}^T W^{-1} \mathbf{b})^{-1}(c - \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{a})$$

- Substitute  $\lambda$  into Eq. (1)

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{a} + (\mathbf{b}^T W^{-1} \mathbf{b})^{-1}(c - \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{a})W^{-1} \mathbf{b}$$



## Exercise 1.13

Consider the following dynamic model:

$$y_k = \sum_{i=1}^n \phi_i y_{k-i} + \sum_{i=1}^p \gamma_i u_{k-i}$$

where  $u_i$  is a known input. This ARX (AutoRegressive model with eXogenous input) model extends the simple scalar model given in example 1.2. Given measurements of  $y_i$  and the known inputs  $u_i$  recast the above model into least squares form and determine estimates for  $\phi_i$  and  $\gamma_i$ .

# Exercise 1.13

- Expand the series with  $m$  measurements, with  $y_i = u_i = 0$  for  $i < 0$

$$y_1 = \phi_1 y_0 + \gamma_1 u_0$$

$$y_2 = \phi_1 y_1 + \phi_2 y_0 + \gamma_1 u_1 + \gamma_2 u_0$$

$$\vdots = \quad \quad \quad \vdots$$

$$y_m = \phi_1 y_{m-1} + \phi_2 y_{m-2} + \cdots + \phi_n y_{m-n} \\ + \gamma_1 u_{m-1} + \gamma_2 u_{m-2} + \cdots + \gamma_p u_{m-p}$$

- Define the following vector  $\mathbf{x}$

$$\mathbf{x} = [\phi_1 \quad \phi_2 \quad \cdots \quad \phi_n \quad \gamma_1 \quad \gamma_2 \quad \cdots \quad \gamma_p]^T$$

- Define the following vector  $\mathbf{y}$

$$\mathbf{y} = [y_1 \quad y_2 \quad \cdots \quad y_m]^T$$

# Exercise 1.13

Now we have

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_m \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & u_0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ y_1 & y_0 & \cdots & 0 & u_1 & u_0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \cdots & \\ y_{m-1} & y_{m-2} & \cdots & y_{m-n} & u_{m-1} & u_{m-2} & \cdots & u_{m-p} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \\ \vdots \\ \phi_n \\ \gamma_1 \\ \gamma_2 \\ \vdots \\ \gamma_p \end{bmatrix}$$

- This has the form  $\mathbf{y} = H\mathbf{x}$
- $\mathbf{y}$  is  $m \times 1$ ,  $H$  is  $m \times (n + p)$ , and  $\mathbf{x}$  is  $(n + p) \times 1$
- We require  $m \geq n + p$  to have a valid least squares solution

## Exercise 1.16

Consider the following dynamic model:

$$\begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix}_{k+1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix}_k$$

and measurement model

$$\tilde{y}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \sin(\omega_0 \Delta t k) & \cos(\omega_0 \Delta t k) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix}_k + v_k$$

where  $\omega_0$  is the harmonic frequency, and  $\Delta t$  is the sampling interval. Create synthetic measurements of the above process with  $\omega_0 = 0.4\pi$  rad/sec and  $\Delta t = 0.1$  seconds. Also, create different synthetic measurement sets using various values for the standard deviation of  $v$  in the measurement errors. Use nonlinear least squares to find an estimate for  $\omega_0$  for each synthetic measurement set.

*% Exercise 1.16*

*% Time*

```
dt=0.1;tf=10;  
t=[0:dt:tf]';m=length(t);
```

*% Set k Vector*

```
k=[0:1:m-1]';
```

*% Pick Low-Noise and High-Noise Standard Deviation*

```
sig_low=0.01;  
sig_high=0.5;
```

```
%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
```

*% Monte Carlo Runs*

```
m_monte=1000;  
w0_est_low=zeros(m_monte,1);  
w0_est_high=zeros(m_monte,1);  
for j=1:m_monte
```

```
% Generate Measurements
```

```
w0=0.4*pi;
```

```
ym_low=sin(w0*dt*k)+cos(w0*dt*k)+sig_low*randn(m,1);
```

```
ym_high=sin(w0*dt*k)+cos(w0*dt*k)+sig_high*randn(m,1);
```

```
% Low-Noise NLS Solution
```

```
w0_c=0.4*pi*1.1; % Try 0 (it diverges; very sensitive)
```

```
dx_low=1000;eps=1e-8;i_count=1;max_iter=1000;
```

```
while abs(dx_low) > eps
```

```
    h=dt*k.*(cos(w0_c*dt*k)-sin(w0_c*dt*k));
```

```
    ye_low=sin(w0_c*dt*k)+cos(w0_c*dt*k);
```

```
    dy_low=ym_low-ye_low;
```

```
    dx_low=inv(h'*h)*h'*dy_low;
```

```
    w0_c=w0_c+dx_low;
```

```
    i_count=i_count+1;
```

```
    if i_count==max_iter
```

```
        disp('Max Iterations Reached')
```

```
        break
```

```
    end
```

```
end
```

```
w0_est_low(j)=w0_c;
```

*% High-Noise NLS Solution*

`w0_c=0.4*pi*1.1; % Try 0 (it diverges; very sensitive)`

`dx_high=1000;eps=1e-8;i_count=1;max_iter=1000;`

**while** `abs(dx_high) > eps`

`h=dt*k.*(cos(w0_c*dt*k)-sin(w0_c*dt*k));`

`ye_high=sin(w0_c*dt*k)+cos(w0_c*dt*k);`

`dy_high=ym_high-ye_high;`

`dx_high=inv(h'*h)*h'*dy_high;`

`w0_c=w0_c+dx_high;`

`i_count=i_count+1;`

**if** `i_count==max_iter`

`disp(' Max Iterations Reached')`

**break**

**end**

**end**

`w0_est_high(j)=w0_c;`

**end**

*% Final Estimates*

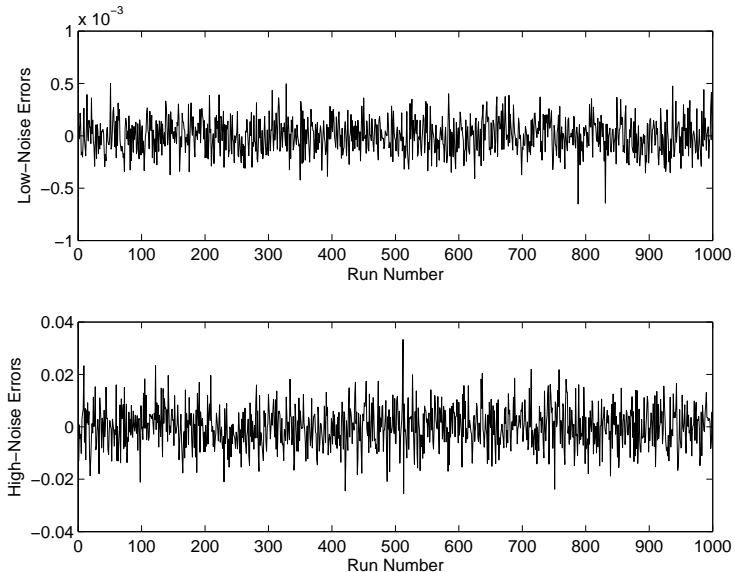
`ye_low=sin(w0_est_low(j)*dt*k)+cos(w0_est_low(j)*dt*k);`

`ye_high=sin(w0_est_high(j)*dt*k)+cos(w0_est_high(j)*dt*k);`

```
% Plot Error from Monte Carlo Runs  
subplot(211)  
plot([1:m_monte]', w0_est_low-w0)  
set(gca, 'fontsize', 12)  
ylabel('Low-Noise Errors')  
xlabel('Run Number')  
subplot(212)  
plot([1:m_monte]', w0_est_high-w0)  
set(gca, 'fontsize', 12)  
ylabel('High-Noise Errors')  
xlabel('Run Number')
```



# Exercise 1.16



## Exercise 1.17

A measurement process used in three-axis magnetometers for low-Earth attitude determination involves the following measurement model:

$$\mathbf{b}_j = A_j \mathbf{r}_j + \mathbf{c} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_j$$

where  $\mathbf{b}_j$  is the measurement of the magnetic field (more exactly, magnetic induction) by the magnetometer at time  $t_j$ ,  $\mathbf{r}_j$  is the corresponding value of the geomagnetic field with respect to some reference coordinate system,  $A_j$  is the orthogonal attitude matrix (see §A.7.1),  $\mathbf{c}$  is the magnetometer bias, and  $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_j$  is the measurement error. We can eliminate the dependence on the attitude by transposing terms and computing the square, and can define an effective measurement by

$$\tilde{y}_j = \mathbf{b}_j^T \mathbf{b}_j - \mathbf{r}_j^T \mathbf{r}_j$$

## Exercise 1.17

which can be rewritten to form the following measurement model:

$$\tilde{y}_j = 2\mathbf{b}_j^T \mathbf{c} - \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{c} + v_j$$

where  $v_j$  is the effective measurement error, whose closed-form expression is not required for this problem. For this exercise assume that

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{r} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \sin(0.001t) \\ 5 \sin(0.002t) \\ 10 \cos(0.001t) \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.3 \\ 0.6 \end{bmatrix}$$

## Exercise 1.17

Also, assume that  $\epsilon$  is given by a zero-mean Gaussian noise process with standard deviation given by 0.05 in each component. Using the above values create 1001 synthetic measurements of  $\mathbf{b}$  and  $\tilde{y}$  at 5-second intervals. The estimated output is computed from

$$\hat{y}_j = 2\mathbf{b}_j^T \hat{\mathbf{c}} - \hat{\mathbf{c}}^T \hat{\mathbf{c}}$$

where  $\hat{\mathbf{c}}$  is the estimated solution from the nonlinear least square iterations. Use nonlinear least squares to determine  $\hat{\mathbf{c}}$  for a starting value of  $\mathbf{x}_c = [0 \ 0 \ 0]^T$ . Also, try various starting values to check convergence. Note:  $\mathbf{r}^T \mathbf{r} = \mathbf{r}^T \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{r}$ , since  $\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I}$ .

*% Exercise 1.17*

*% Time*

```
dt=5;tf=5000;  
t=[0:dt:tf]';m=length(t);
```

*% Measurements*

```
x=[0.5;0.3;0.6];  
ar=[10*sin(0.001*t) 5*sin(0.002*t) 10*cos(0.001*t)];  
bm=ar+kron(ones(m,1),x')+0.05*randn(m,3);  
ym=bm(:,1).*bm(:,1)+bm(:,2).*bm(:,2)+bm(:,3).*bm(:,3)...  
    -ar(:,1).*ar(:,1)-ar(:,2).*ar(:,2)-ar(:,3).*ar(:,3);
```

```

% NLS Solution
x_c=[0;0;0];
dx=1000;eps=1e-8;i_count=1;max_iter=1000;
while norm(dx) > eps
    h=2*bm-2*kron(ones(m,1),x_c');
    ye=2*(x_c(1)*bm(:,1)+x_c(2)*bm(:,2)+x_c(3)*bm(:,3))...
        -x_c'*x_c;
    dy=ym-ye;
    dx=inv(h'*h)*h'*dy;
    x_c=x_c+dx;
    i_count=i_count+1;
    if i_count==max_iter
        disp(' Max Iterations Reached')
        break
    end
end
x,x_c

```

```
>> problem1_17
```

```
x =
```

```
0.5000
```

```
0.3000
```

```
0.6000
```

```
x_c =
```

```
0.5003
```

```
0.2906
```

```
0.5986
```

## Exercise 1.18

An approximate linear solution to exercise 1.17 is possible. The original loss function is quartic in  $\hat{\mathbf{c}}$ . But this can be approximated by a quadratic loss function using a process known as *centering*. The linearized solution proceeds as follows. First, compute the following averaged values:

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m \tilde{y}_j$$

$$\bar{\mathbf{b}} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m \mathbf{b}_j$$

where  $m$  is the total number of measurements, which is equal to 1001 from exercise 1.17. Next, define the following variables:

$$\check{y}_j = \tilde{y}_j - \bar{y}$$

$$\check{\mathbf{b}}_j = \mathbf{b}_j - \bar{\mathbf{b}}$$



## Exercise 1.18

The centered estimate now minimizes the following loss function:

$$\bar{J}(\hat{\mathbf{c}}) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^m \left( \check{y}_j - 2\check{\mathbf{b}}_j^T \hat{\mathbf{c}} \right)^2$$

Minimizing this function yields

$$\hat{\mathbf{c}} = P \sum_{j=1}^m 2\check{y}_j \check{\mathbf{b}}_j$$

where

$$P \equiv \left[ \sum_{i=1}^m 4\check{\mathbf{b}}_i \check{\mathbf{b}}_i^T \right]^{-1}$$

## Exercise 1.18

Using the parameters described in exercise 1.17, compare the linear solution described here to the solution obtained by nonlinear least squares. Furthermore, find solutions for  $\hat{\mathbf{c}}$  using both approaches with the following trajectory for  $\mathbf{Ar}$ :

$$\mathbf{Ar} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \sin(0.001t) \\ 5 \\ 10 \cos(0.001t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Discuss the performance of the linear solution using this assumed trajectory for  $\mathbf{Ar}$ .

*% Exercise 1.18*

*% Time*

```
dt=5;tf=5000;  
t=[0:dt:tf]';m=length(t);
```

%%%

*% Monte Carlo Runs*

```
m_monte=1000;  
x_nls=zeros(m_monte,3);x_cen=zeros(m_monte,3);
```

*% First Set of Basis Functions*

```
for j = 1:m_monte
```

*% Measurements*

```
x=[0.5;0.3;0.6];  
ar=[10*sin(0.001*t) 5*sin(0.002*t) 10*cos(0.001*t)];  
bm=ar+kron(ones(m,1),x')+0.05*randn(m,3);  
ym=bm(:,1).*bm(:,1)+bm(:,2).*bm(:,2)+bm(:,3).*bm(:,3)...  
    -ar(:,1).*ar(:,1)-ar(:,2).*ar(:,2)-ar(:,3).*ar(:,3);
```

*% NLS Solution*

```
x_c=[0;0;0];
```

```

dx=1000;eps=1e-8;i_count=1;max_iter=1000;
while norm(dx) > eps
    h=2*bm-2*kron(ones(m,1),x_c');
    ye=2*(x_c(1)*bm(:,1)+x_c(2)*bm(:,2)+x_c(3)*bm(:,3))-x_c'*x_c;
    dy=ym-ye;
    dx=inv(h'*h)*h'*dy;
    x_c=x_c+dx;
    i_count=i_count+1;
    if i_count==max_iter, disp(' Max Iterations Reached'), break
end
x_nls(j,:)=x_c';

% Get Average Values
ym_bar=mean(ym);
bm_bar=mean(bm);

% Get Centered Measurements
y_cen=ym-ym_bar;
bm_cen=bm-kron(ones(m,1),bm_bar);

% Centered Estimate
p=1/4*inv(bm_cen'*bm_cen);
xe_cen=2*p*sum(kron(y_cen,[1 1 1]).*bm_cen)';

```

```
x_cen(j,:) = x_e_cen';
```

```
end
```

```
disp('First Set of Basis Functions')  
mean_nls = mean(x_nls), mean_cen = mean(x_cen)  
std_nls = std(x_nls), std_cen = std(x_cen)
```

```
% Plot Estimates
```

```
subplot(211)  
plot([1:m_monte]', x_nls)  
axis([0 m_monte 0.2 0.7])  
set(gca, 'fontsize', 12)  
set(gca, 'ytick', [0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7])  
ylabel('NLS Solution')  
xlabel('Run Number')  
subplot(212)  
plot([1:m_monte]', x_cen)  
axis([0 m_monte 0.2 0.7])  
set(gca, 'fontsize', 12)  
set(gca, 'ytick', [0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7])  
ylabel('Centered Solution')  
xlabel('Run Number')
```

**pause**

*% Second Set of Basis Functions*

**for** j = 1:m\_monte

*% Measurements*

x=[0.5;0.3;0.6];

ar=[10\*sin(0.001\*t) 5\*ones(m,1) 10\*cos(0.001\*t)];

bm=ar+kron(ones(m,1),x')+0.05\*randn(m,3);

ym=bm(:,1).\*bm(:,1)+bm(:,2).\*bm(:,2)+bm(:,3).\*bm(:,3)...  
-ar(:,1).\*ar(:,1)-ar(:,2).\*ar(:,2)-ar(:,3).\*ar(:,3);

*% NLS Solution*

x\_c=[0;0;0];

dx=1000;eps=1e-8;i\_count=1;max\_iter=1000;

**while** norm(dx) > eps

h=2\*bm-2\*kron(ones(m,1),x\_c');

ye=2\*(x\_c(1)\*bm(:,1)+x\_c(2)\*bm(:,2)+x\_c(3)\*bm(:,3))-x\_c'\*x\_c

dy=ym-ye;

dx=inv(h'\*h)\*h'\*dy;

x\_c=x\_c+dx;

i\_count=i\_count+1;

```

    if i_count==max_iter , disp(' Max Iterations Reached'), break
end
x_nls(j,:)=x_c';

% Get Average Values
ym_bar=mean(ym);
bm_bar=mean(bm);

% Get Centered Measurements
y_cen=ym-ym_bar;
bm_cen=bm-kron(ones(m,1),bm_bar);

% Centered Estimate
p=1/4*inv(bm_cen'*bm_cen);
xe_cen=2*p*sum(kron(y_cen,[1 1 1]).*bm_cen)';
x_cen(j,:)=xe_cen';

end

disp(' ')
disp('Second Set of Basis Functions')
mean_nls=mean(x_nls),mean_cen=mean(x_cen)
std_nls=std(x_nls),std_cen=std(x_cen)

```

*% Plot Estimates*

```
subplot(211)
plot([1:m_monte]',x_nls)
axis([0 m_monte 0.2 0.7])
set(gca,'fontsize',12)
set(gca,'ytick',[0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7])
ylabel('NLS Solution')
xlabel('Run Number')
subplot(212)
plot([1:m_monte]',x_cen)
set(gca,'fontsize',12)
ylabel('Centered Solution')
xlabel('Run Number')
```



```
>> problem1_18
```

## First Set of Basis Functions

```
mean_nls =
```

0.5003	0.3011	0.5996
--------	--------	--------

```
mean_cen =
```

0.5001	0.3006	0.5998
--------	--------	--------

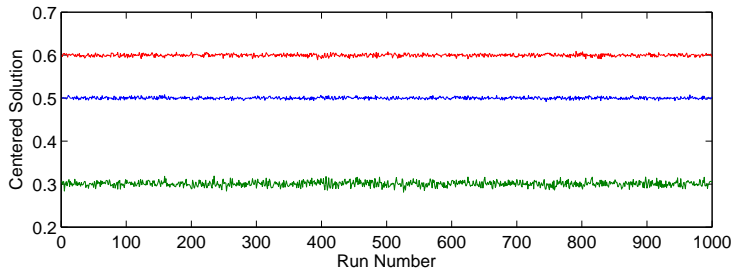
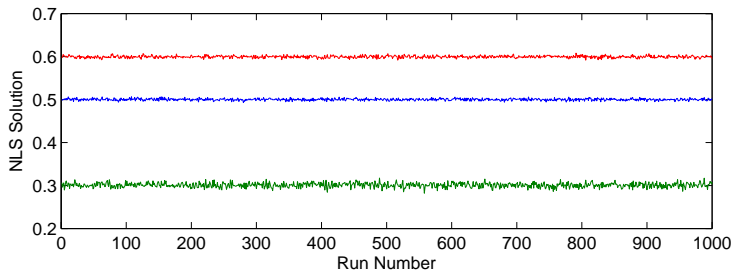
```
std_nls =
```

0.0024	0.0053	0.0026
--------	--------	--------

```
std_cen =
```

0.0026	0.0059	0.0030
--------	--------	--------

# Exercise 1.18



## Second Set of Basis Functions

mean\_nls =

0.5001	0.3013	0.5999
--------	--------	--------

mean\_cen =

0.5001	5.3004	0.5998
--------	--------	--------

std\_nls =

0.0026	0.0040	0.0028
--------	--------	--------

std\_cen =

0.0023	0.3141	0.0024
--------	--------	--------

# Exercise 1.18

