



RELIABLE AIR DATA SOLUTIONS FOR SMALL UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS

Final Oral Exam

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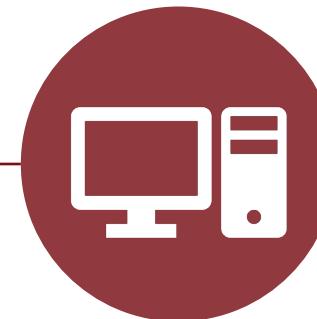
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Discoveries and treatments for brain conditions



ROAD TO FINAL GOAL



Air Data Software

- Calibration (Chapter 3-4)
- Air Data Estimation (Chapter 5)
- Fault Detection & Isolation (Chapter 6)



Requirements

- Accuracy
- Continuity
- Integrity
- Availability

Reliable Air Data Solution for Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS)

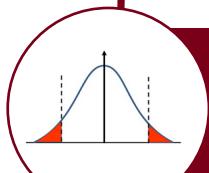
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Air Data Calibration (Chapter 3-4)

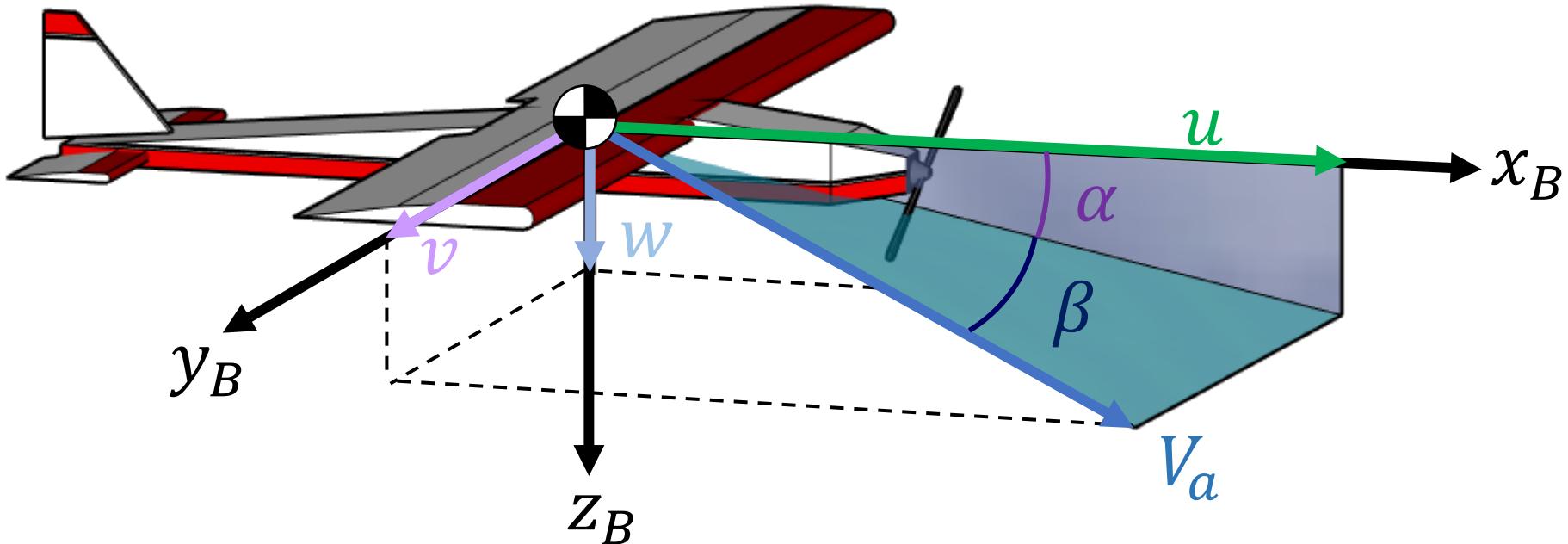


Air Data Fault Detection and Isolation (Chapter 6)



Conclusion and Future Outlook (Chapter 7)

AIR DATA SYSTEM (ADS)



V_a : airspeed
 α : angle of attack
 β : angle of sideslip

ADS provide measurements needed for the **safe** operation of an aircraft.

AIR DATA SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS EXAMPLES

	Commercial Aircraft (Part 25, FAR)	Unmanned Air Carrier (Part 135)
Sensor	# of Sensor Requirement	
Pitot Static System	≥ 2	1
Angle Vane System	≥ 2	Optional
Parameter	Accuracy Requirement	
Airspeed V_a	± 4 knots ($V_a > 100$ knots)	5% or ± 10 knots
Angle-of-Attack (AoA)	± 0.25 deg	± 2 deg
Sideslip	± 0.25 deg	5%
Sensor	Functional Requirement	
Single AoA Sensor	$< 10^{-3}$ failure/hr	Unspecified
Combined 2 AoA sensors	$< 10^{-7}$ failure/hr	Unspecified

FAR: Federal Aviation Regulation

Part 25: Airworthiness Standards: Transport Category Airplanes

Part 135: Air Carrier and Operator Certification

MOTIVATION: ALTERNATIVE STRATEGIES FOR ADS

Hardware Redundancy (HR)



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Analytical Redundancy (AR)



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Issues with Hardware Redundancy

- Expensive, Common Mode Failure
- Size, Weight, and Power (SWAP) Limitations

Solution: Analytical Redundancy (AR)

Analytically provide synthetic quantities via mathematical models and indirect sensing information

KEY QUESTIONS

Boeing 787



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1. Can analytical redundancy be used to provide alternative reliable estimates of air data?

- In-situ Calibration [1] [2]
- Model-free Synthetic Air Data System [3][4]

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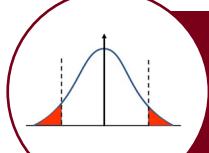
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AIR DATA CALIBRATION

OBJECTIVE

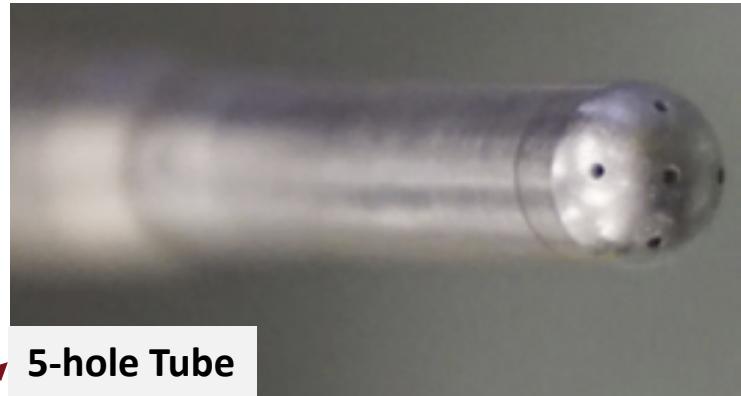
Air data sensors on small UAS need to be calibrated in-situ to account for installation error, upwash, and wind effect

CHALLENGES

- No direct ground true reference
- Dominating wind
- Sensor noise



Ultra Stick 120e Testbed



AIR DATA CALIBRATION METHODS

Existing Method	Requirement	Advantage	Disadvantage	Examples
Wind tunnel testing	Wind tunnel	Accurate at the sensor level	Inaccessible; Installation error	N/A
In-flight Calibration	Air data Nose Boom (true reference)	Account for all errors (static and time-varying)	Insufficient data; Developed for large sized aircraft	Kalman filtering; Recursive Least Square (RLS)
Post-flight Calibration	Air data Nose Boom (true reference)	Can process large amount of data	Periodic update; Developed for large sized aircraft	Least Square (LS); Maximum Likelihood Estimation (MLE)

MAIN ISSUE

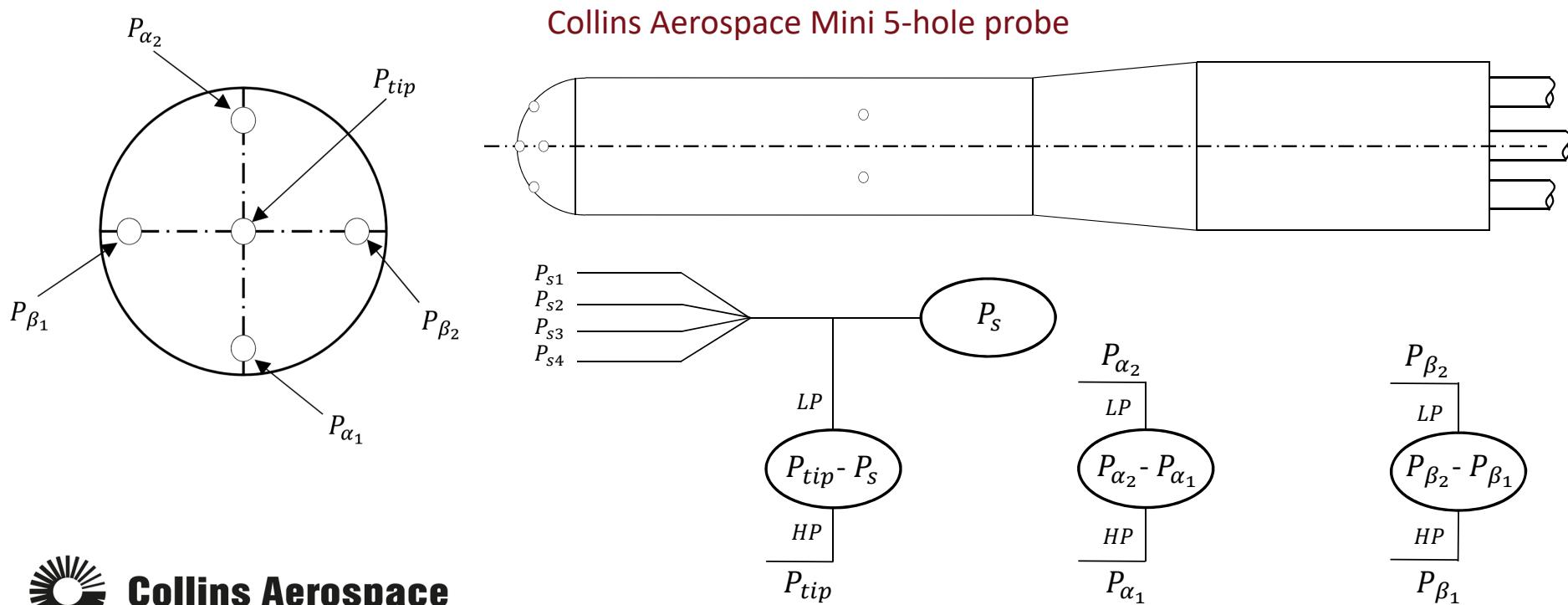
	Traditional Aircraft	Small UAV
Wind effect	10 % of airspeed	Up to 50% of airspeed

How do we calibrate air data sensors that can accommodate for wind?

AIR DATA SENSOR - FIVE HOLE PITOT TUBE

- 5-Hole probe provides (α, β, V_a)
- Post-flight calibration using GPS, IMUs and wind triangle kinematic equation

PRESSURE READING CONFIGURATION



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INITIAL CALIBRATION ATTEMPT

STEP 1: Wind tunnel testing $\alpha = \frac{P_{\alpha 1} - P_{\alpha 2}}{K_\alpha(P_t - P_s)}$, $\beta = \frac{P_{\beta 1} - P_{\beta 2}}{K_\beta(P_t - P_s)}$

Sensitivity Coefficient	Wind Tunnel Testing	Manufacturer
K_α	0.0825	0.079
K_β	0.0853	0.079

STEP 2: Measurement modeling

$$V_a = (1 + \lambda_{V_a}) \sqrt{\frac{2(P_t - P_s)}{\rho}} + b_{V_a}$$

$$\alpha = (1 + \lambda_\alpha) \frac{P_{\alpha 1} - P_{\alpha 2}}{K_\alpha(P_t - P_s)} + b_\alpha \quad \longrightarrow \quad V_{a,s} = \begin{bmatrix} V_a \cos \alpha \cos \beta \\ V_a \sin \beta \\ V_a \sin \alpha \cos \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\beta = (1 + \lambda_\beta) \frac{P_{\beta 1} - P_{\beta 2}}{K_\beta(P_t - P_s)} + b_\beta$$

$$V^n = C_b^n V_{a,cg} + W^n = C_b^n [C(\epsilon_\phi) V_{a,s} - [\omega]_x \mathbf{r}] + W^n$$

STEP 3: Solve the unknown through nonlinear parameter optimization

Inconsistent, non-sensical solution!

PROPOSED: TWO STAGE ESTIMATOR

MEASUREMENT MODEL

$$\mathbf{z}_k = \mathbf{h}_k(x_k, u_k, \xi) + v_k$$



$$\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{v}$$



$$\mathbf{z}_k = \mathbf{A}(\xi_2)\xi_1 + \mathbf{b}(\xi_2) + v_k$$

FLOWCHART

STAGE 1

Linear Least Square

$$\arg \min_{\xi_{1p}} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \|\mathbf{z}_k - \mathbf{A}(\xi_{2p})\xi_{1p} - \mathbf{b}(\xi_{2p})\|_1^2$$

STAGE 2

Nonlinear Optimization

$$\arg \min_{\xi_2, R} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \|\mathbf{z}_k - \mathbf{A}(\xi_2)\xi_{1p} - \mathbf{b}(\xi_2)\|_R^2 + \frac{N}{2} \ln |\mathbf{R}|$$

$$\xi_1^*, \xi_2^*, \mathbf{R}$$

Advantages

1. Canonical Form (e.g., Mag. Calibration, Data Compatibility)
2. Systematic Approach

TWO STAGE ESTIMATOR - FORMULATION

MEASUREMENT

$$\mathbf{z}_k = \mathbf{h}_k(\mathbf{x}_k, \mathbf{u}_k, \boldsymbol{\xi}) + \boldsymbol{\nu}_k$$

MODEL

How do you estimate $\boldsymbol{\xi}$?

CANONICAL FORM

$$\mathbf{z}_k = \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_2)\boldsymbol{\xi}_1 + \mathbf{b}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_2) + \boldsymbol{\nu}_k$$

$$\mathbf{E}\{\boldsymbol{\nu}_k\} = \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{E}\{\boldsymbol{\nu}_k \boldsymbol{\nu}_k^T\} = \mathbf{R}$$

COST FUNCTION

$$\boldsymbol{\xi}^* = \arg \min_{\boldsymbol{\xi} \in \boldsymbol{\xi}_{limit}} J(\boldsymbol{\xi})$$

$$J(\boldsymbol{\xi}) = J(\boldsymbol{\xi}_1, \boldsymbol{\xi}_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \|\mathbf{z}_k - \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_2)\boldsymbol{\xi}_1 - \mathbf{b}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_2)\|_{\mathbf{R}}^2 + \frac{N}{2} \ln |\mathbf{R}|$$

TWO STAGE ESTIMATOR – PROCEDURE (1 OF 2)

OBJECTIVE

$$\arg \min_{\xi_1, \xi_2} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \|\mathbf{z}_k - \mathbf{A}(\xi_2) \xi_1 - \mathbf{b}(\xi_2)\|_{\mathbf{R}}^2 + \frac{N}{2} \ln |\mathbf{R}|$$

FIRST STAGE (LINEAR LEAST SQUARE)

Solve for ξ_{1p}

$$\arg \min_{\xi_{1p}} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \|\mathbf{z}_k - \mathbf{A}(\xi_{2p}) \xi_{1p} - \mathbf{b}(\xi_{2p})\|_{\mathbf{I}}^2$$

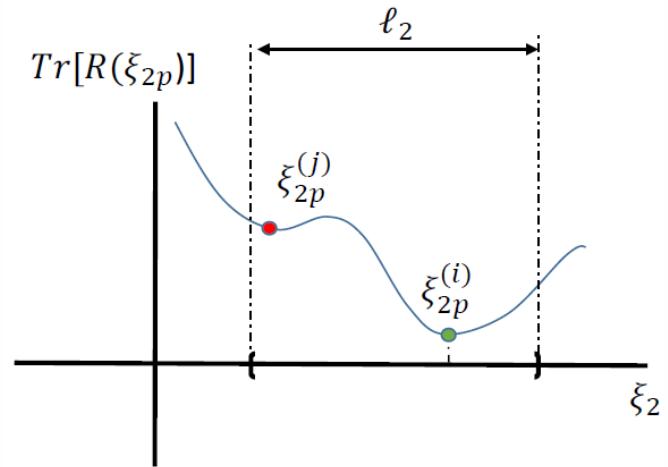
For this, an appropriate ξ_{2p} is selected

$$\arg \min_{\xi_{2p}} \text{Tr}[\mathbf{R}(\xi_{2p})] = \arg \min_{\xi_{2p}} \sum_{k=1}^N \text{Tr}(\mathbf{v}_k \mathbf{v}_k^T)$$

where $\mathbf{v}_k = \mathbf{z}_k - \mathbf{A}(\xi_{2p}) \hat{\xi}_{1p} - \mathbf{b}(\xi_{2p})$

and $\hat{\xi}_{1p} = (\mathcal{A}^T \mathcal{A})^{-1} \mathcal{A}^T (\mathbf{Z} - \mathcal{B})$

for $\xi_{2p} \in S_{\xi_2}$



TWO STAGE ESTIMATOR – PROCEDURE (2 OF 2)

OBJECTIVE

$$\arg \min_{\xi_1, \xi_2} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \| \mathbf{z}_k - \mathbf{A}(\xi_2) \xi_1 - \mathbf{b}(\xi_2) \|_{\mathbf{R}}^2 + \frac{N}{2} \ln |\mathbf{R}|$$

SECOND STAGE (NONLINEAR OPTIMIZATION)

Use ξ_{1p} , ξ_{2p} , $\mathbf{R}(\xi_{2p})$ as initial conditions to solve for ξ_2^* and \mathbf{R}

$$\arg \min_{\xi_2, R} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \| \mathbf{z}_k - \mathbf{A}(\xi_2) \xi_{1p} - \mathbf{b}(\xi_2) \|_{\mathbf{R}}^2 + \frac{N}{2} \ln |\mathbf{R}|$$

Solve ξ_1^* using weighted linear least squares

Two STAGE ESTIMATOR - PROPERTIES

1. Bounded from **above and below**:

$$J(\xi_1^*, \xi_{2p}) - E \leq J(\xi_1^*, \xi_2^*) \leq J(\xi_1^*, \xi_{2p})$$

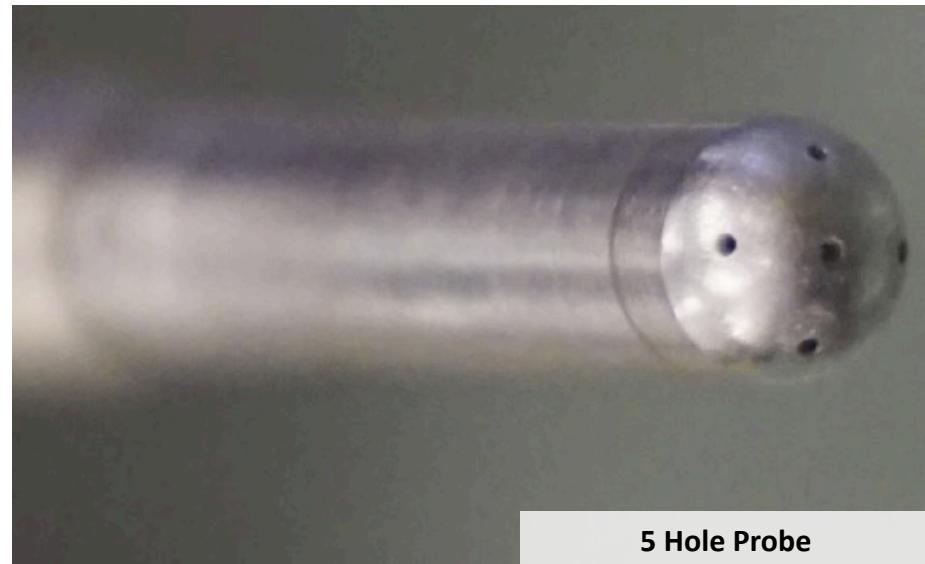
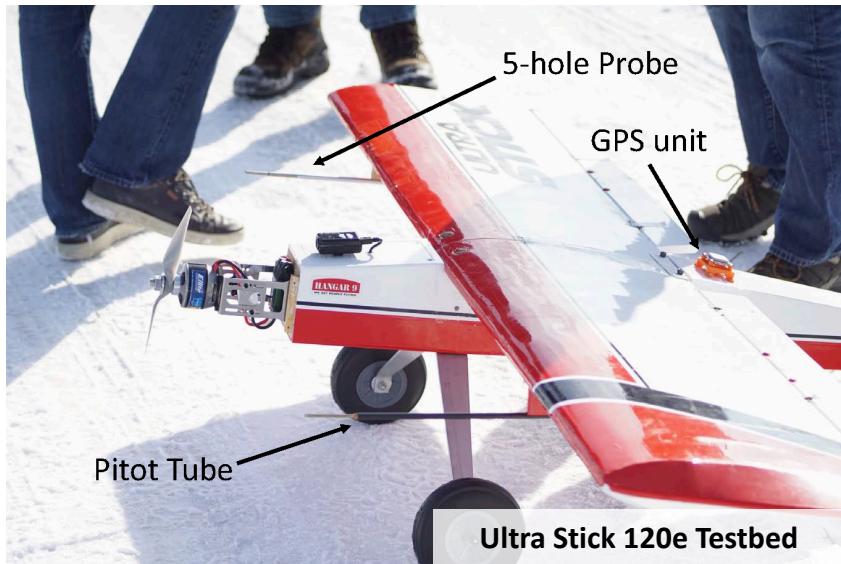
2. E is upper **bounded** and function of ξ_{2p} :

$$\begin{aligned} E &= \max_{\xi_1, \xi_2} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \left(\left\| [\mathbf{A}(\xi_2) - \mathbf{A}(\xi_{2p})] \xi_1 \right\|^2 + \left\| \mathbf{b}(\xi_2) - \mathbf{b}(\xi_{2p}) \right\|^2 \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \left(\max_{\xi_1, \xi_2} \left\| [\mathbf{A}(\xi_2) - \mathbf{A}(\xi_{2p})] \xi_1 \right\|^2 \right)^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N \left(\max_{\xi_1, \xi_2} \left\| \mathbf{b}(\xi_2) - \mathbf{b}(\xi_{2p}) \right\|^2 \right)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^N (E_1^2 + E_2^2) \leq \frac{N}{2} (L_A^2 \ell_2^2 \ell_1^2 + L_b^2 \ell_2^2) = \frac{N}{2} \ell_2^2 (L_A^2 \ell_1^2 + L_b^2) \\ E &\leq \frac{N}{2} \ell_2^2 (L_A^2 \ell_1^2 + L_b^2) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} E_1 &\triangleq \max_{\xi_1, \xi_2} \left\| [\mathbf{A}(\xi_2) - \mathbf{A}(\xi_{2p})] \xi_1 \right\| \leq \max_{\xi_1, \xi_2} \left\| \mathbf{A}(\xi_2) - \mathbf{A}(\xi_{2p}) \right\| \|\xi_1\| \quad E_2 \triangleq \max_{\xi_1, \xi_2} \left\| \mathbf{b}(\xi_2) - \mathbf{b}(\xi_{2p}) \right\| \leq L_b \|\xi_2^* - \xi_{2p}\| \leq L_b \ell_2 \\ &\leq \max_{\xi_2} \left\| \mathbf{A}(\xi_2) - \mathbf{A}(\xi_{2p}) \right\| \ell_1 \leq L_A \|\xi_2^* - \xi_{2p}\| \ell_1 \\ &\leq L_A \ell_2 \ell_1 \end{aligned}$$

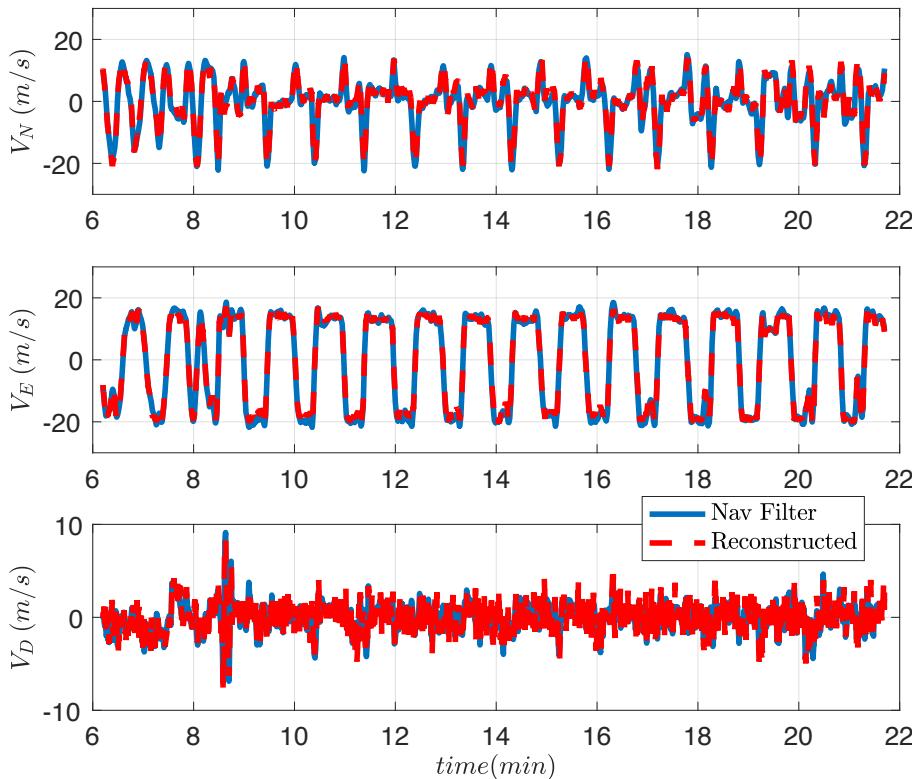
FLIGHT TEST EXAMPLE - 5 HOLE AIR DATA CALIBRATION



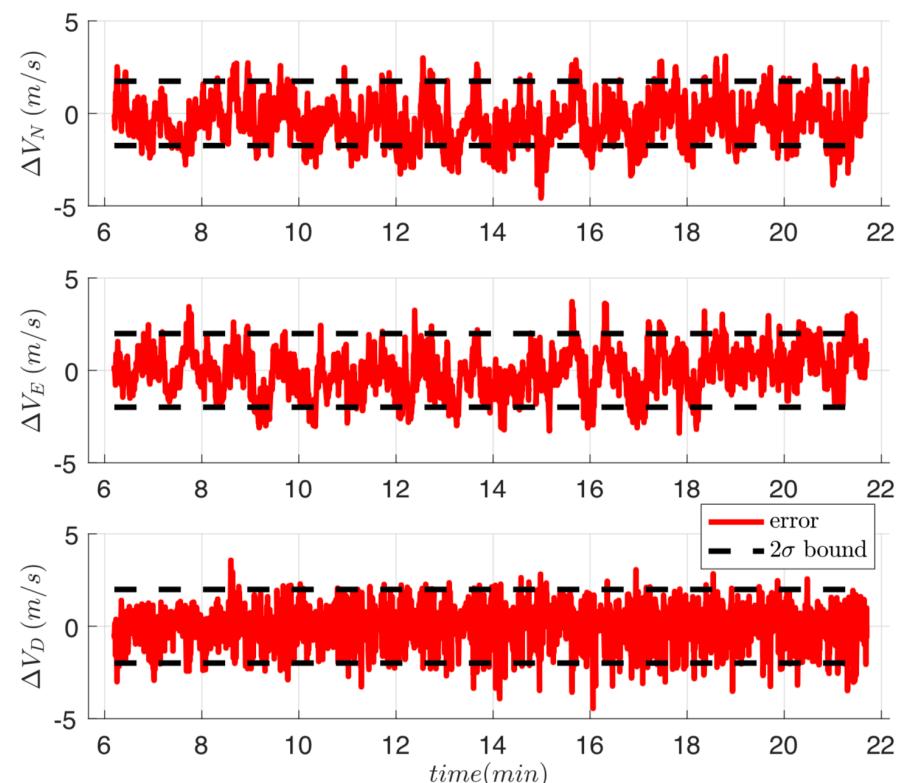
State	$\mathbf{x} = [p \quad q \quad r \quad b_{g_x} \quad b_{g_y} \quad b_{g_z} \quad \phi \quad \theta \quad \psi]^T$
Input	$\mathbf{u} = [P_{\Delta\alpha} \quad P_{\Delta\beta} \quad P_t \quad P_s]^T$
Output	$\mathbf{z} = [V_N \quad V_E \quad V_D]^T$
Estimated Parameters	$\boldsymbol{\xi} = [\lambda_{V_a} \quad b_{V_a} \quad \lambda_\alpha \quad b_\alpha \quad \lambda_\beta \quad b_\beta \quad \epsilon_\phi \quad W_N \quad W_E \quad W_D]^T$
Input Design for Observability	Wind circle, chirps, doublet, multi-sine, pushover-pullup

FLIGHT TEST EXAMPLE - RESULTS

Reconstructed vs. Navigation Solution



Error and its 2 sigma bounds



Root Mean Square
Error (m/s)

V_N

1.2564

V_E

1.1028

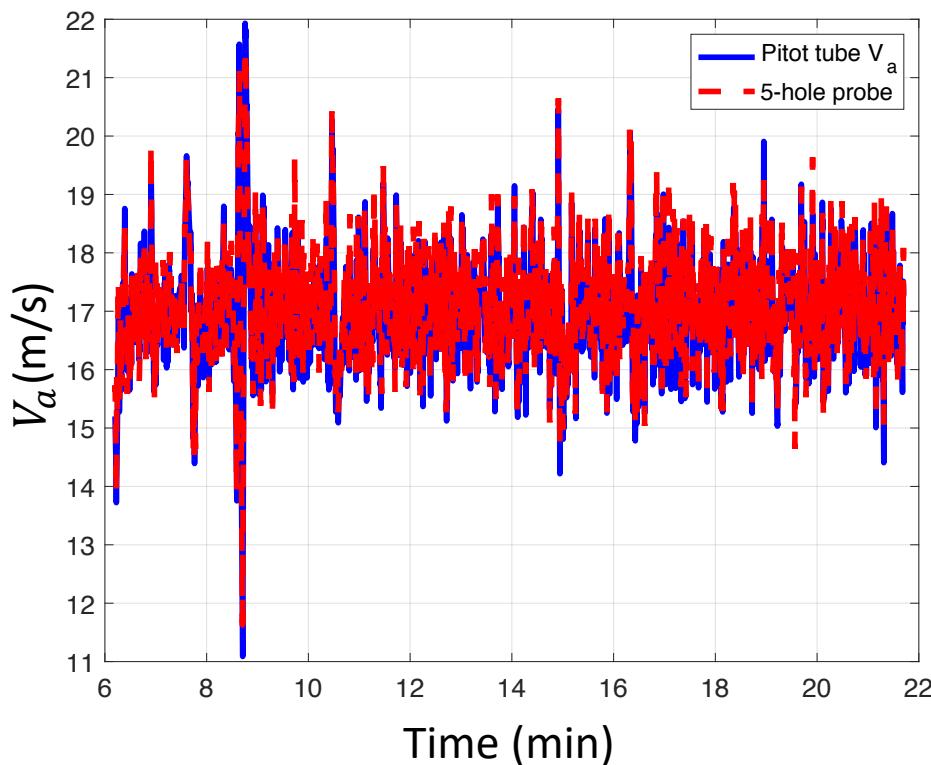
V_D

0.8321

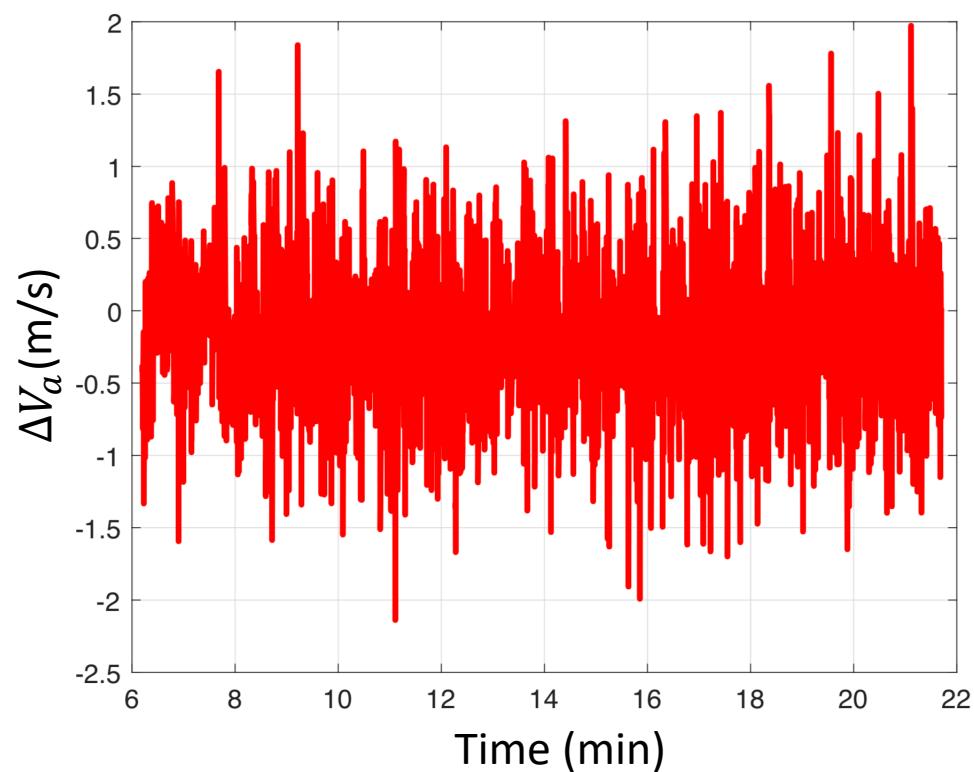
Inertial velocity error is small and bounded

FLIGHT TEST EXAMPLE - RESULTS

Pitot Tube vs. 5-hole probe



Error between Pitot Tube vs. 5-hole probe



Calibration results are compatible with the Pitot tube

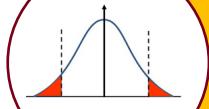
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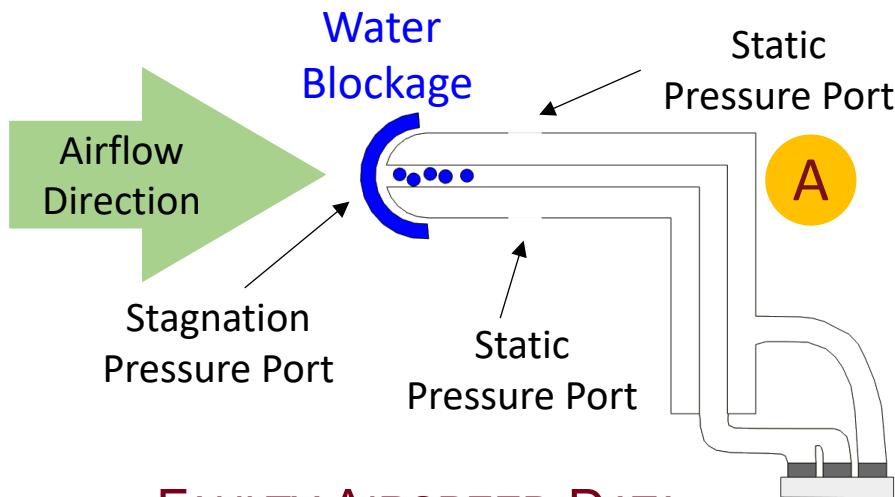
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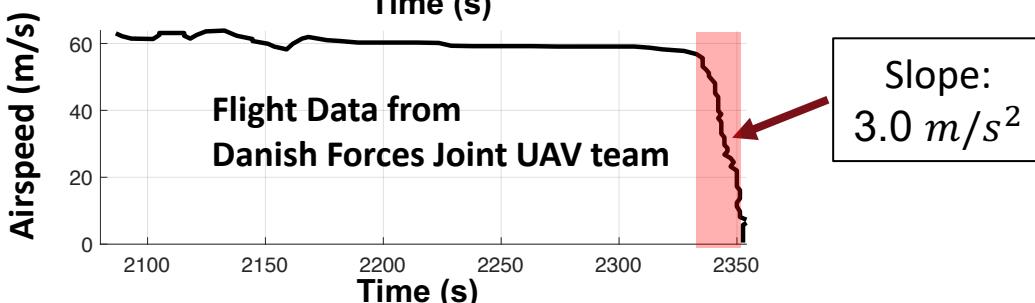
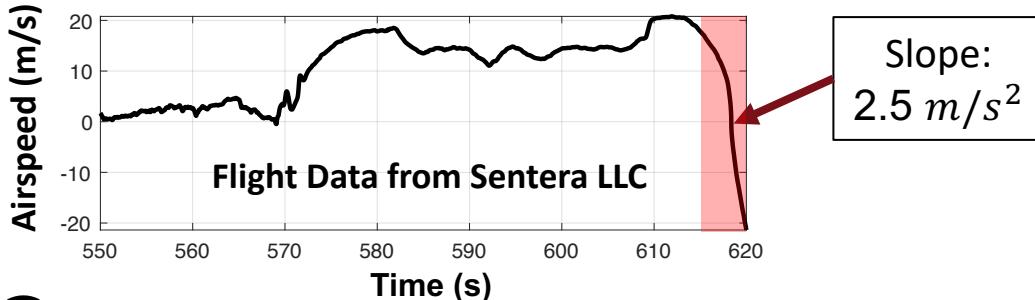
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INTRO: AIR DATA SYSTEM ON SMALL UAS

PITOT TUBE UNDER FOGGY CONDITIONS



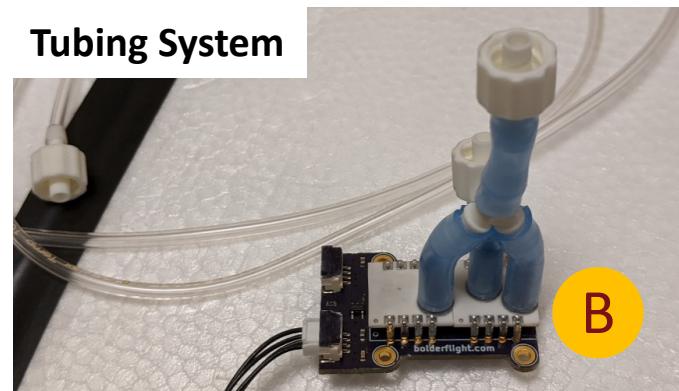
FAULTY AIRSPEED DATA



Pitot Static Tube



Tubing System



AIR DATA FAULT DETECTION AND ISOLATION (FDI)

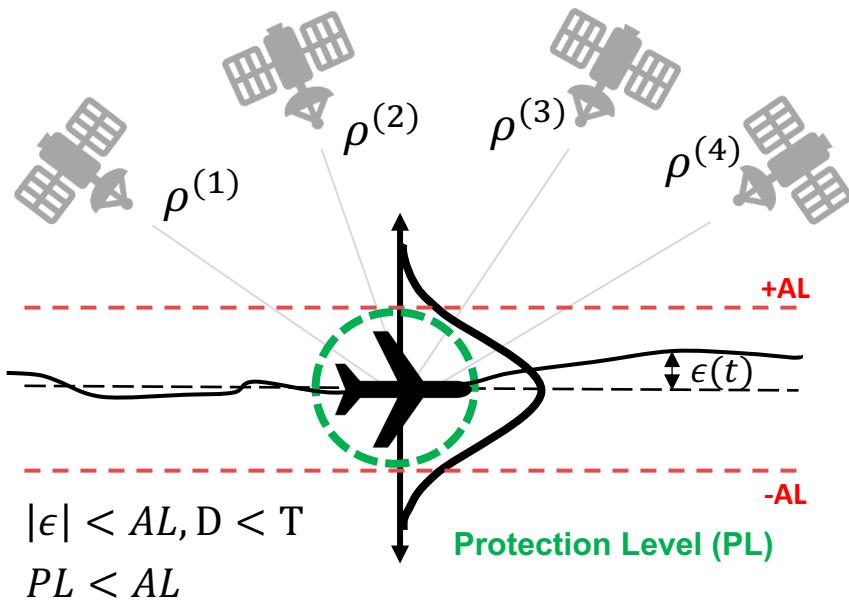
PRIOR WORK

Model-Based	Model-Free	Data-Driven
Utilize dynamic model to estimate fault, reject disturbances, and provide robustness to model errors	Filtering approach (e.g., EKF, UKF) and it relies on kinematic relationships to reject bad measurement via statistical test	Data dependent input-output models (e.g., neural net, auto-regressive) to reject inconsistent measurement
E.g.: Freeman (2013) - H_∞ robust filter to estimate and detect Pitot tube blockage fault	E.g.: Lu (2016) – Three step UKF to detect and isolate faults	E.g.: Fravolini (2019) – data driven approach to select regressors for the input-output modeling and minimize false alarms

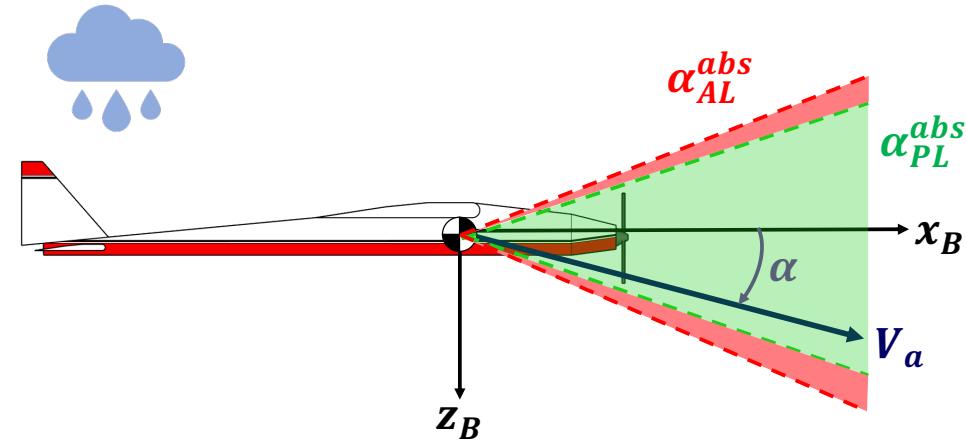
- Existing methods focus on algorithm
- Proposed solution: **Integrity Monitoring** framework, which focuses on system requirement

INTEGRITY MONITORING (IM) FRAMEWORK

GNSS APPLICATIONS



AIR DATA SYSTEM



Note: Threshold T and Protection Level PL are derived from system requirements.

D: Detection function/test statistics, AL: alert limit

Challenges with ADS

Observability, nonlinearity, limited measurements, sensor accuracy

IM – SYSTEM REQUIREMENT

“HIGH-LEVEL” PERFORMANCE METRICS:

- **Accuracy** – estimation error
- **Integrity** – correctness of the estimate, be able to alert
- **Continuity** – performing its function without interruptions
- **Availability** – the percentage of time that the services of the system are usable by the navigator

$$\text{INTEGRITY RISK: } I = P(MD) + P(MI|DF)P(DF)$$

$$\text{CONTINUITY RISK: } C = P(FA) + P(NI|DF)P(DF)$$

MD = Missed Detection, DF = Detected Failure
 MI = Mis-Identified failure, NI = Non-Isolable failure
 FA = False Alarm

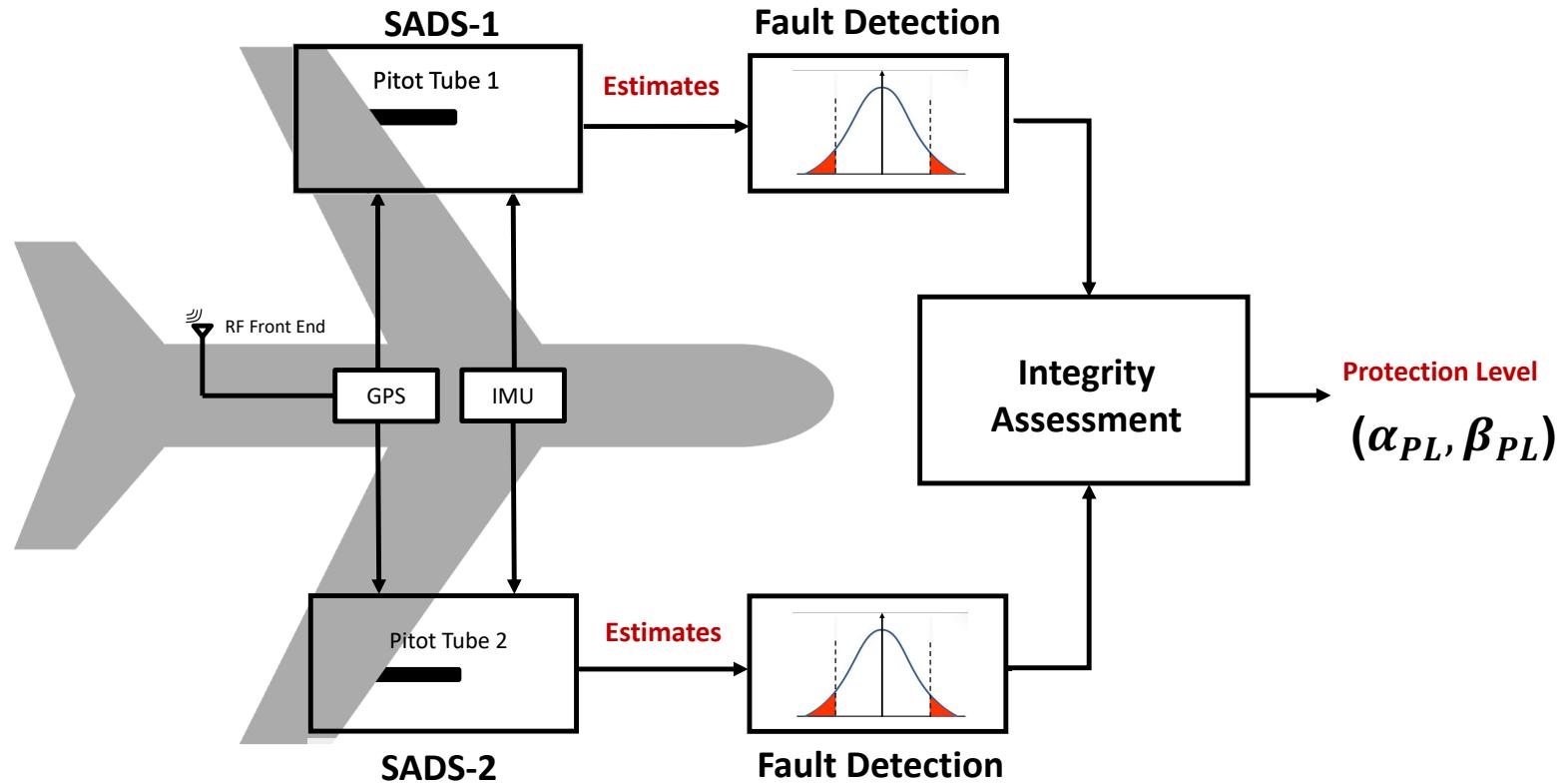
GNSS requirements example for civil aviation [ICAO, 2006]

Typical Operation	Accuracy (95%)		Integrity			Continuity	Availability
	Horiz.	Vert.	$P_{int} (I)$	HAL	VAL		
En-route	3.7km	N/A	$10^{-7}/h$	7.4 km (oceanic) 3.7 km (continental)	N/A	5min	$1 - 10^{-4}/h$ to $1 - 10^{-8}/h$
Category I Precision Approach	16m	6m to 4m	$2 \cdot 10^{-7}$ in any approach	40m	35m to 10m	6s	$1 - 10^{-6}$ per 15s

PROPOSED AIR DATA FDI DESIGN

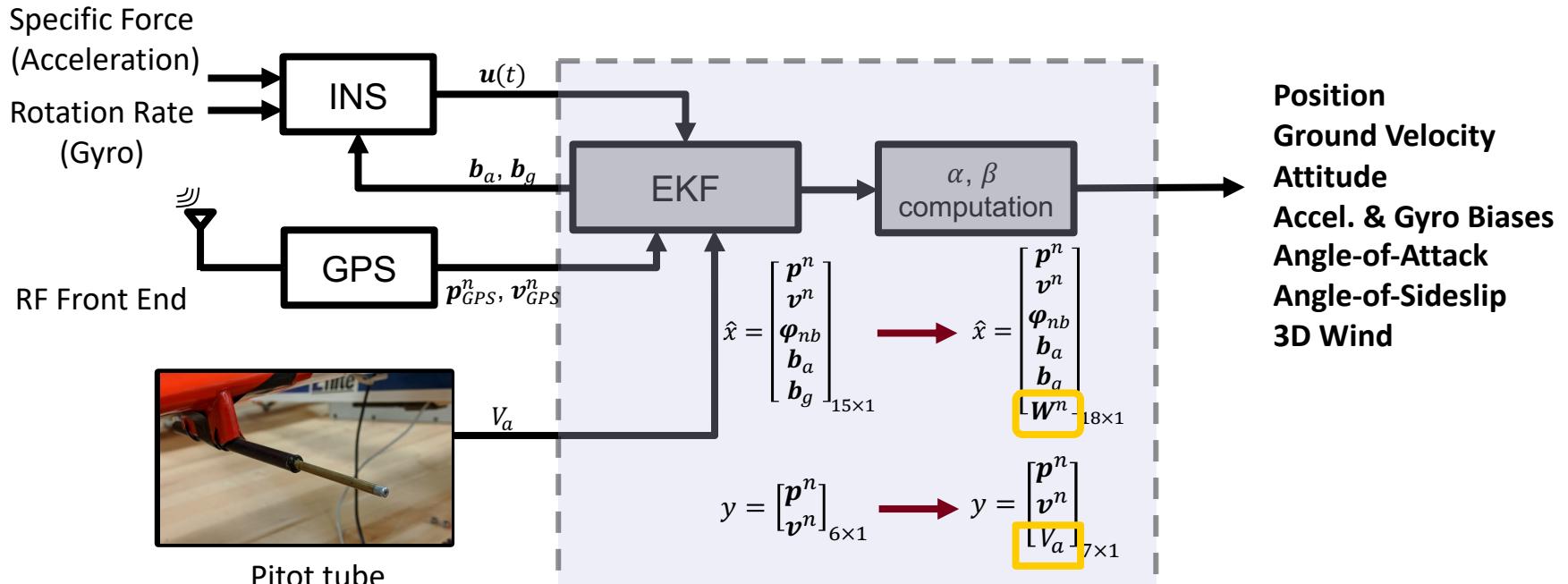
Dual Pitot Tube ADS with IM

1. Two independent Synthetic Air Data System (SADS)
2. Fault Detectability against Pitot tube WB fault
3. Isolation is achieved by independent fault software



SADS: Synthetic Air Data System

MODEL-FREE SADS ESTIMATOR (CHAPTER 5)



SADS: Synthetic Air Data System

OBSERVABILITY CONDITIONS

1. Airplane is accelerating (enabled by heading change)
2. Wind is quasi-static (slow time varying)

FAULT DETECTION DESIGN VIA IM

PROCEDURE

1. DEFINE

- a. Performance Requirement (P_{MD}, P_{FA})
- b. Fault Mode and Fault Profile Modeling

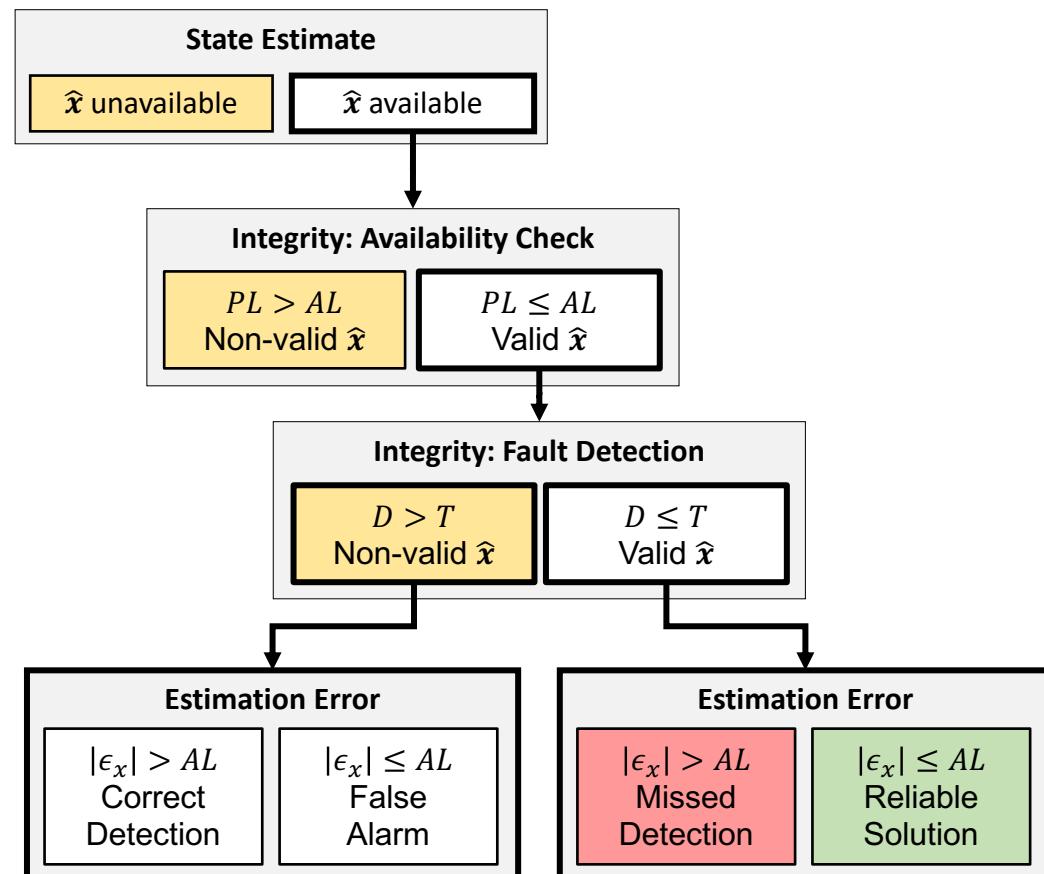
2. DESIGN

- a. Threshold T via Detector Operating Characteristic (DOC) Curves
- b. Detection Function Selection D
- c. Protection Level (**PL**) Calculations

3. PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

- a. Detectability (**D**)
- b. PL vs. Alert Limit (**AL**)

EXAMPLE



FAULT MODELING AND REQUIREMENT DEFINITION (1)

DEFINE

A. PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENT

Requirement	Description
Integrity	$I_{req} \approx P_{MD} = P(\text{Pitot tube fault not sensed} \mid \text{Pitot tube has failed})$
Continuity	$C_{req} \approx P_{FA} = P(\text{issuing an alarm} \mid \text{no Pitot tube failure})$
Minimum Detectable Error (MDE)	Measure for size of the error can be detected with certain (P_{FA} , P_{MD})

B. FAULT MODE AND FAULT PROFILE MODELING

Measurement Model Equation

$$V_a = \|V^n - W^n\|_2 + f_{V_a} + n_{V_a}$$

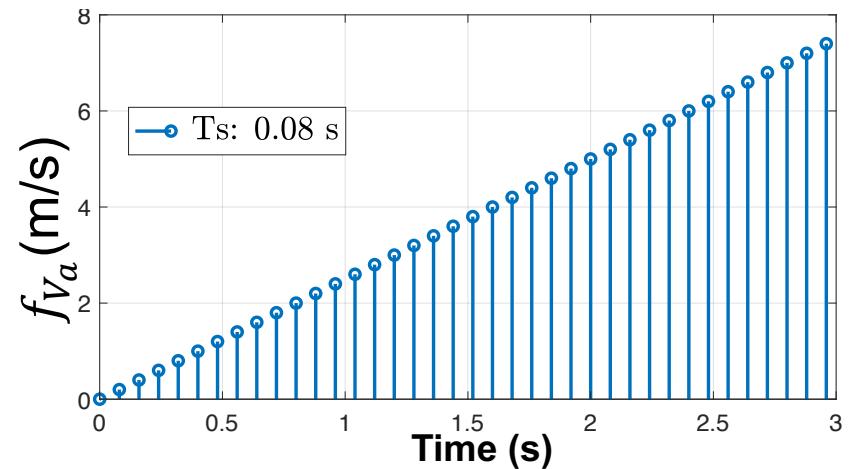
Maximum Allowable Error (MAE)

$$MAE = \bar{V}_a - V_{a,stall} = 17.5 - 10 = 7.5 \text{ m/s}$$

Maximum Detection Time

$$\tau_{max} = \frac{\bar{V}_a - V_{a,stall}}{slope} = \frac{17.5 - 10}{2.5} = 3s$$

Fault Profile Modeling

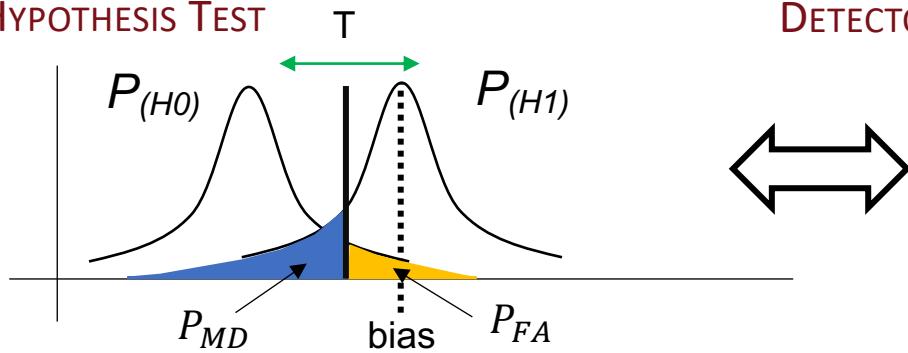


$$MDE_{req}(P_{FA}, P_{MD}) \leq AE \leq MAE(\bar{V}_a, V_{a,stall})$$

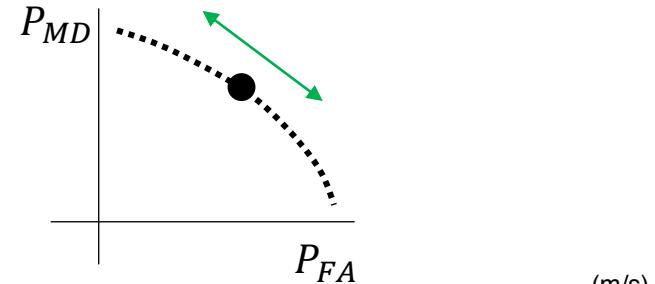
TRADEOFF ANALYSIS – VIA DOC CURVES (2A)

OBJECTIVE: Determine Threshold T and Minimum Detectable Error requirement MDE_{req}

DUAL HYPOTHESIS TEST



DETECTOR OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC (DOC) CURVES



DOC GENERATION EQUATION

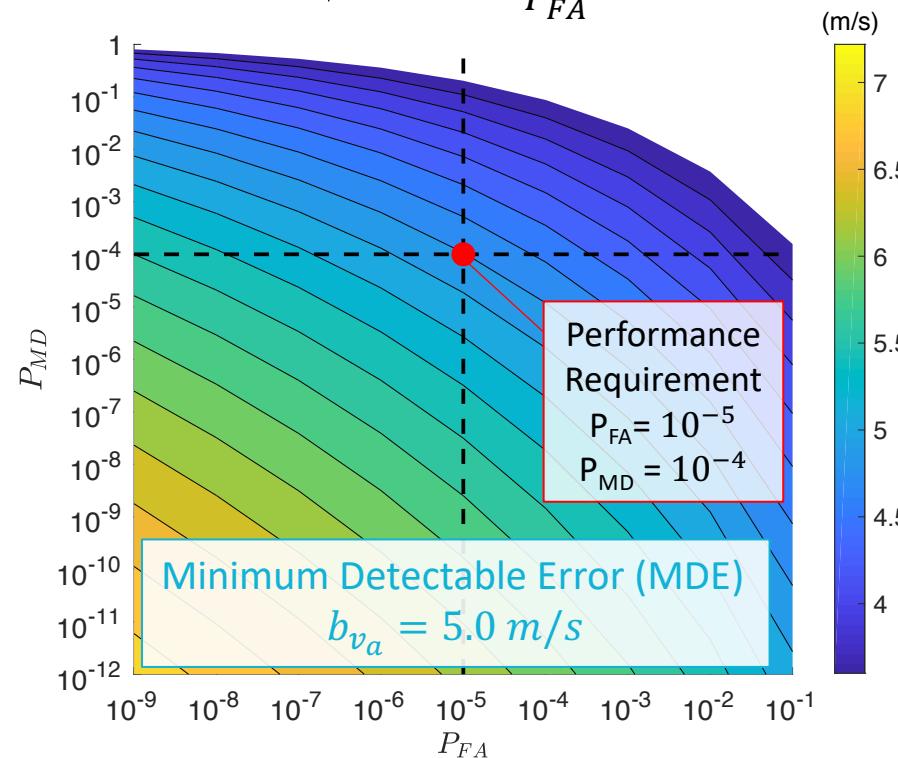
$$P_{MD} = F_{\chi^2(\lambda)}(T, Df) = F_{\chi^2(\lambda)}(F_{\chi^2}^{-1}(1 - P_{FA}, Df), Df)$$

WHERE

$$\overline{MDE} \triangleq \sqrt{\lambda} = \sqrt{\sum_{j=k-q+1}^k \frac{f_{Vaj}^2}{\sigma_{Vaj}^2}} \rightarrow MDE_{req} \triangleq f_{Vak}$$

Requirement (P_{MD}, P_{FA})	Allowable (airframe)
$MDE_{req} = 5 \text{ m/s}$	$AE = 7.5 \text{ m/s}$
$\tau_{req} = 2 \text{ s}$	$\tau_{allow} = 3 \text{ s}$

Df : Degree-of-freedom. q : window size



DETECTION FUNCTION (2B)

GIVEN Dynamic Model $x_k = \Phi_{k-1}x_{k-1} + G_{k-1}w_{k-1}$
 Measurement Model $z_k = H_k x_k + v_k + f_k$

CONVENTIONAL DETECTION FUNCTION \mathbf{D}

- Kalman Filter Innovation test $\gamma_k = z_k - H_k \hat{x}_k^-$
$$D_{\gamma,k}|H_0 = \frac{1}{q} \sum_{j=k-q+1}^k \gamma_j^T S_j^{-1} \gamma_j \sim \chi^2(m)$$
 - Residual test: $r_k = z_k - H_k \hat{x}_k^+$
$$D_{r,k}|H_0 = r_k^T W r_k = z_k^T W (I - H_k H_k^*) z_k \sim \chi^2(m-n) \quad (\text{if } m > n)$$
-

PROPOSED (SEQUENTIAL RESIDUAL)

$$D_{r,k}|H_0 = r_{k-q:k}^T \Sigma^{-1} r_{k-q:k} \sim \chi^2(mq - n)$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{k-q:k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{r}_{k-q} \\ \mathbf{r}_{k-q+1} \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{r}_k \end{bmatrix} \triangleq (I_{mq \times mq} - \boxed{\mathcal{O}_{k-q:k}} \mathcal{O}_{k-q:k}^*) \mathbf{Z}_{k-q:k} \quad \text{Observability-Aware}$$

$$\Sigma = I_{q \times q} \otimes R + Q_{w,k-q:k} (I_{q \times q} \otimes R_w) Q_{w,k-q:k}^T = W^{-1}$$

m: number of measurement, n: number of state, q: window size, k: current time step

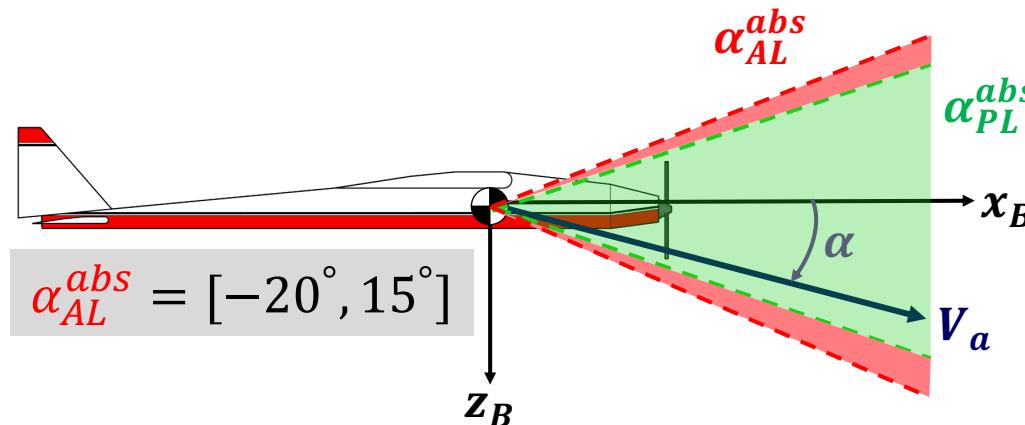
PROTECTION LEVEL CALCULATIONS (2c)

OBJECTIVE: Provide statistical bound on ϵ to protect against fault

Protection Level (PL): Guaranteed upper bound of estimation error (i.e., $PL = K\sigma$)

Alert Limit (AL): the maximum error that can be tolerated (i.e., $PL < AL$)

Mathematically: $P(|\epsilon| > PL | H_i) = P(|\epsilon| > K\sigma | H_i) \leq P_{MD}$



	H_0 (Fault Free)	H_1 (Faulted)
α_{PL}	$K_{\alpha,0}\sigma_\alpha$	$\frac{\sigma_\alpha}{\sqrt{D_k}}\sqrt{\lambda_U} + K_{\alpha,1}\sigma_\alpha$

K : Inflation Factor, σ : standard deviation, α_{PL}^{abs} : absolute Alert Limit ($\alpha_{PL}^{abs} = \alpha + \alpha_{PL}$)

FLIGHT DATA TESTING (3)

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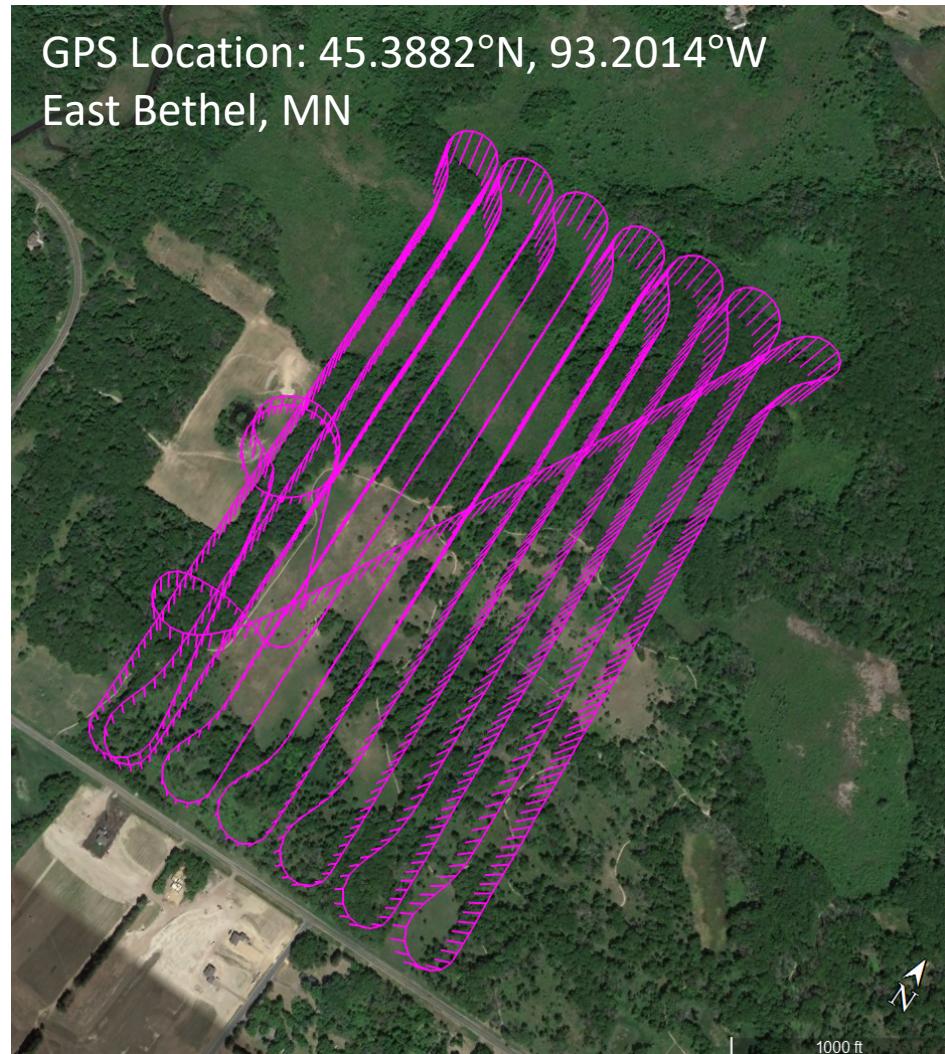
EAGLE TREE PITOT TUBE



Performance Specifications

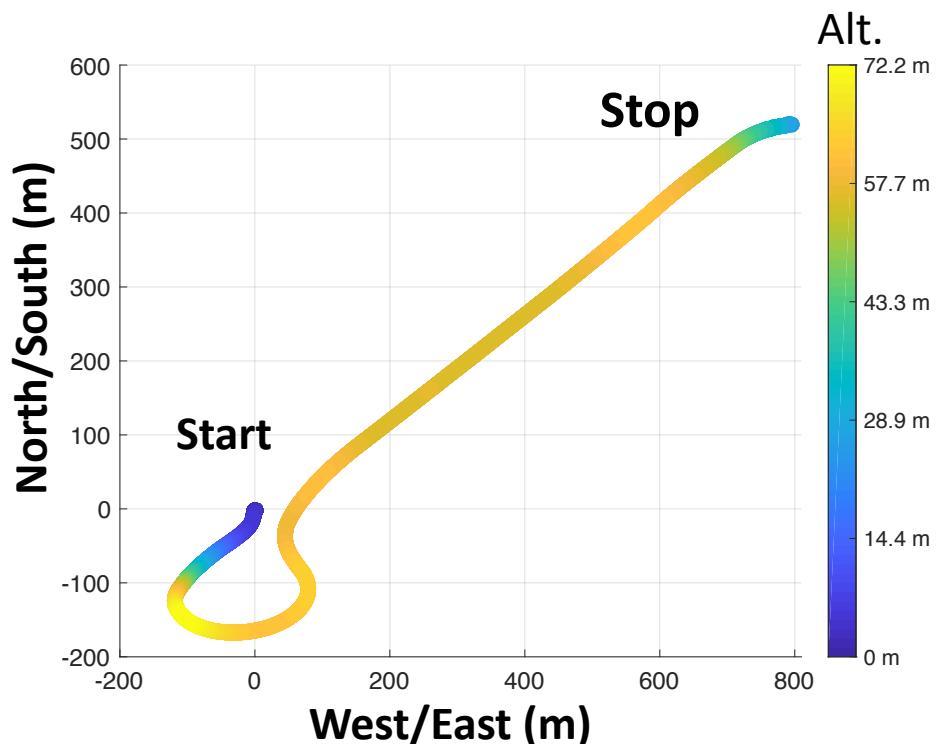
Takeoff weight	4.2 lbs (1.9 kg)
Wingspan	4.5 ft (1.4 m)
Max speed	45 kts (20.6 m/s)

AGRICULTURAL INSPECTION

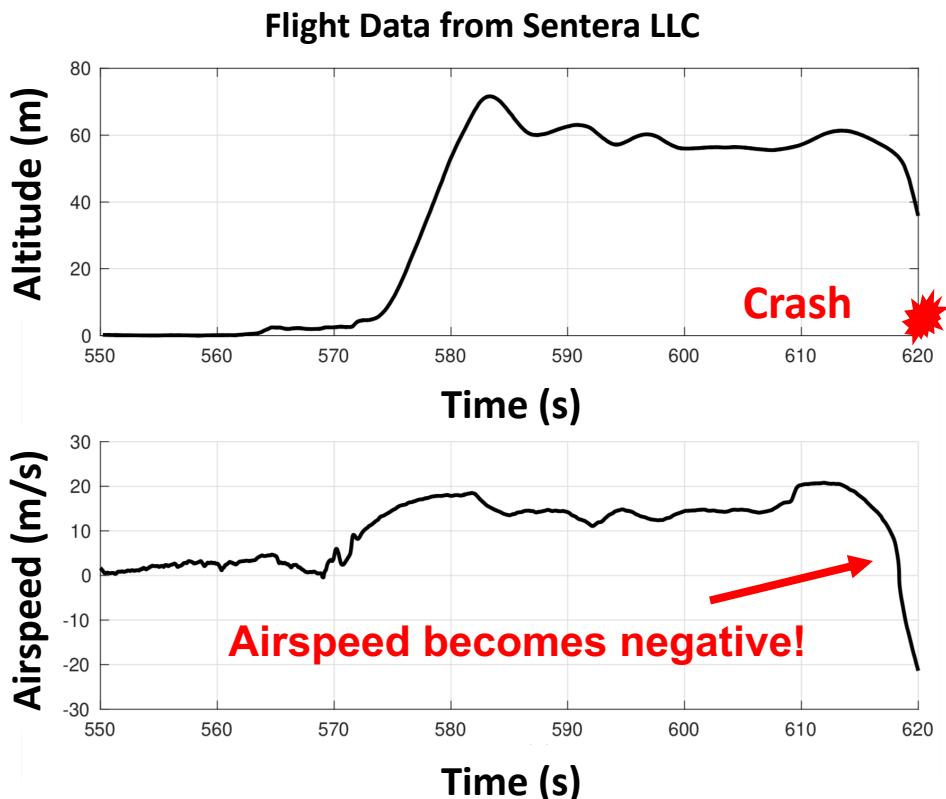


PERFORMANCE EVALUATION - FLIGHT DATA TESTING

FLIGHT TRAJECTORY



ALTITUDE AND AIRSPEED



Flight Information

Takeoff	Around 570 s
Crash	Around 623 s

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION- DETECTOR (3A)

ADDITIONAL DETECTOR/TEST STATISTIC

$$D_{r,k}^{GMA}|H_0 = (\mathbf{r}_{k-q:k}^{GMA})^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{r}_{k-q:k}^{GMA}$$

Where $\mathbf{r}_{k-q:k}^{GMA} = [\mu^q \mathbf{r}_{k-q}^T \cdots \mu \mathbf{r}_{k-1}^T \mathbf{r}_k^T]^T$
and μ is the discounting factor

GMA: Geometric Moving Average

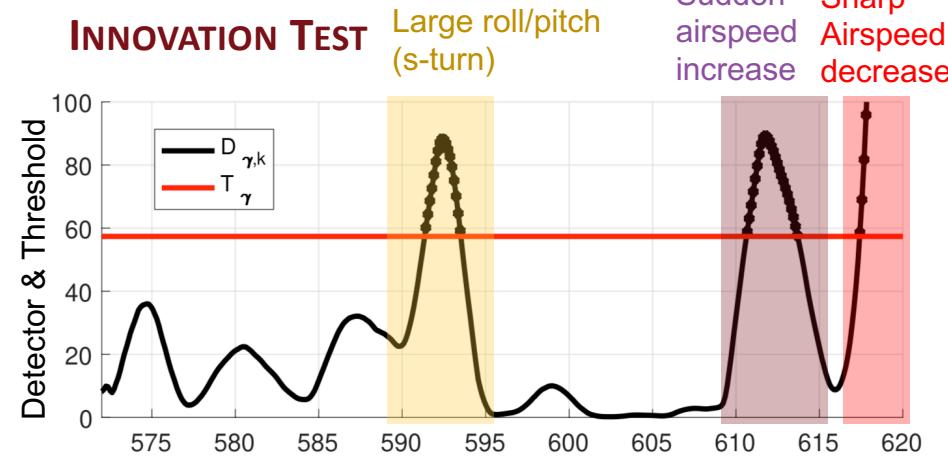
FAULTY AIRSPEED ESTIMATION

Parameter	Estimated Onset	Estimated Detection
Time (s)	616	618
Airspeed (m/s)	15	10*

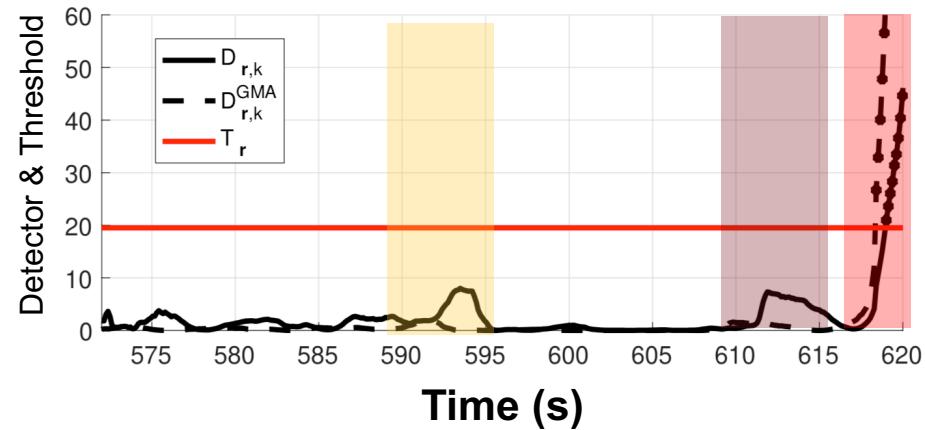
*: The actual record airspeed is -10 m/s

RESULT

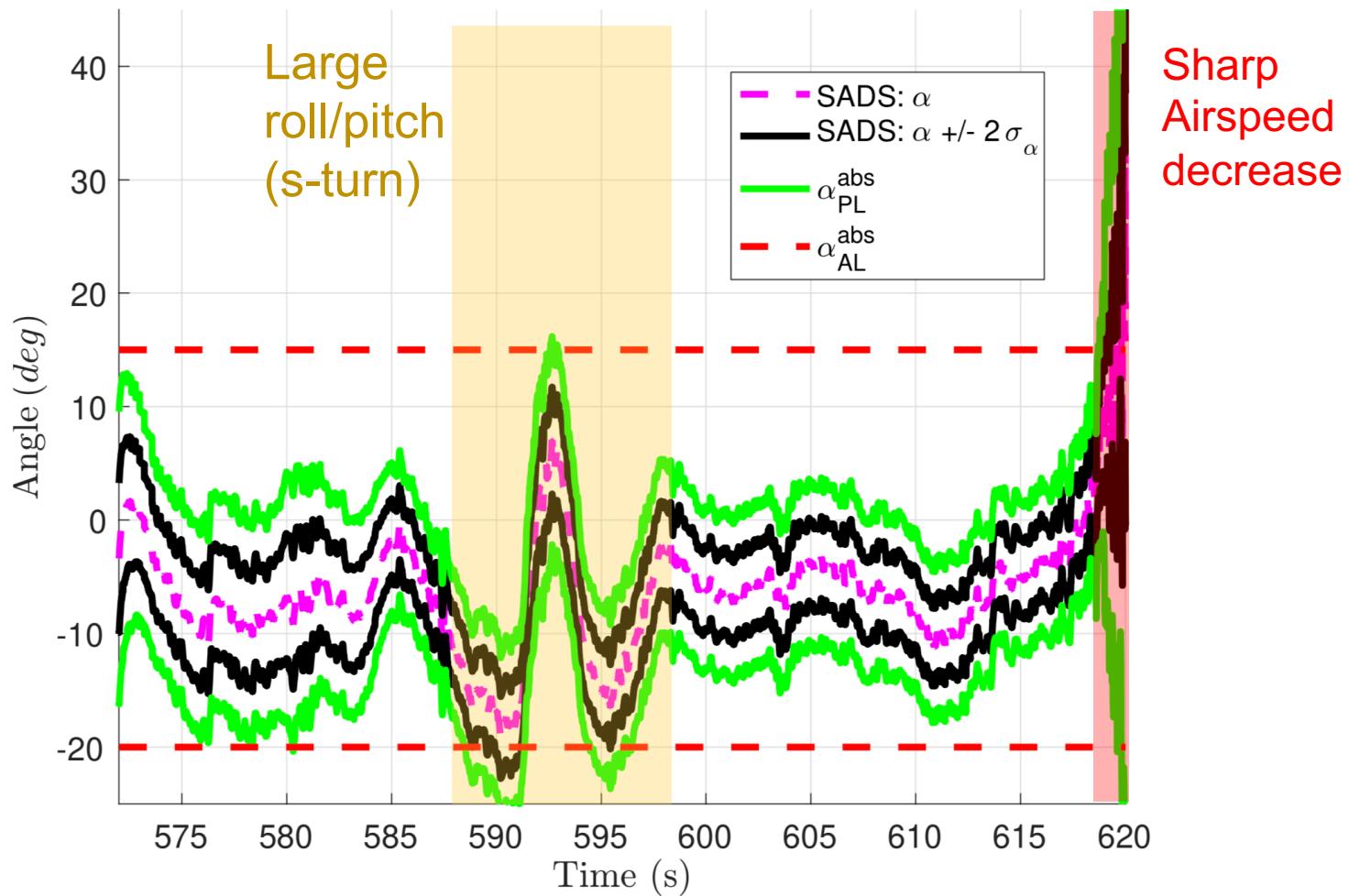
INNOVATION TEST



RESIDUAL-BASED TEST



PROTECTION LEVEL OF ANGLE-OF-ATTACK (3B)

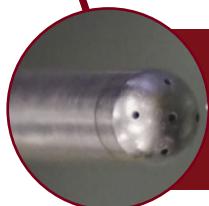


Loss of Integrity due to aggressive s-turn and faulty Pitot tube

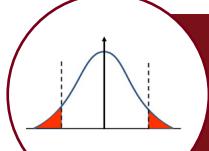
OVERVIEW



Introduction (Chapter 1-2)



Air Data Calibration (Chapter 3-4)



Air Data Fault Detection and Isolation (Chapter 6)



Conclusion and Future Outlook (Chapter 7)

CONCLUSION

- Presented **two aspects** of air data solution to improve reliability of ADS on small UAS
 - Air data calibration
 - Air data fault detection and isolation



Air Data Software

- Calibration (Chapter 3-4)
- Air Data Estimation (Chapter 5)
- Fault Detection & Isolation (Chapter 6)



Requirements

- Accuracy
- Continuity
- Integrity
- Availability

FUTURE WORK

THEORETICAL WORK ON OBSERVABILITY

- Observability of SADS
- Existing tools are not sufficient
- Extension of Observability using differential geometry, Lie groups

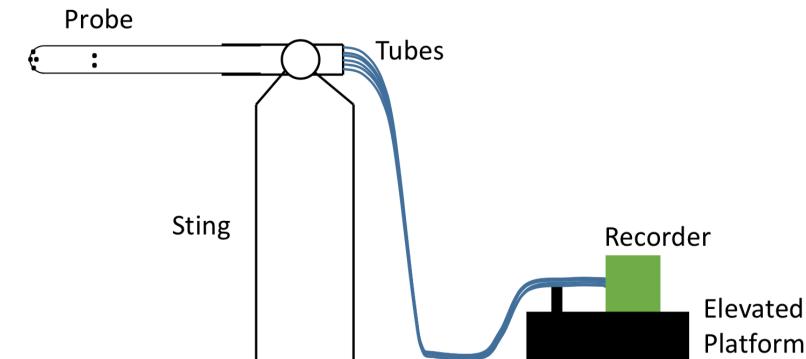
EXPERIMENTAL WORK ON FAULT MODE ANALYSIS (FMEA)

- Fault mode study
- Improve measurement modeling
- Realistic Requirement

OTHER POSSIBLE FAULT MODES FOR 5-HOLE PROBE

Fault Mode	Failure Rate	Effect
Partial Water Blockage	?	?
Shape Degradation	?	?
Foreign Object	?	?

WIND TUNNEL PROBE SETUP





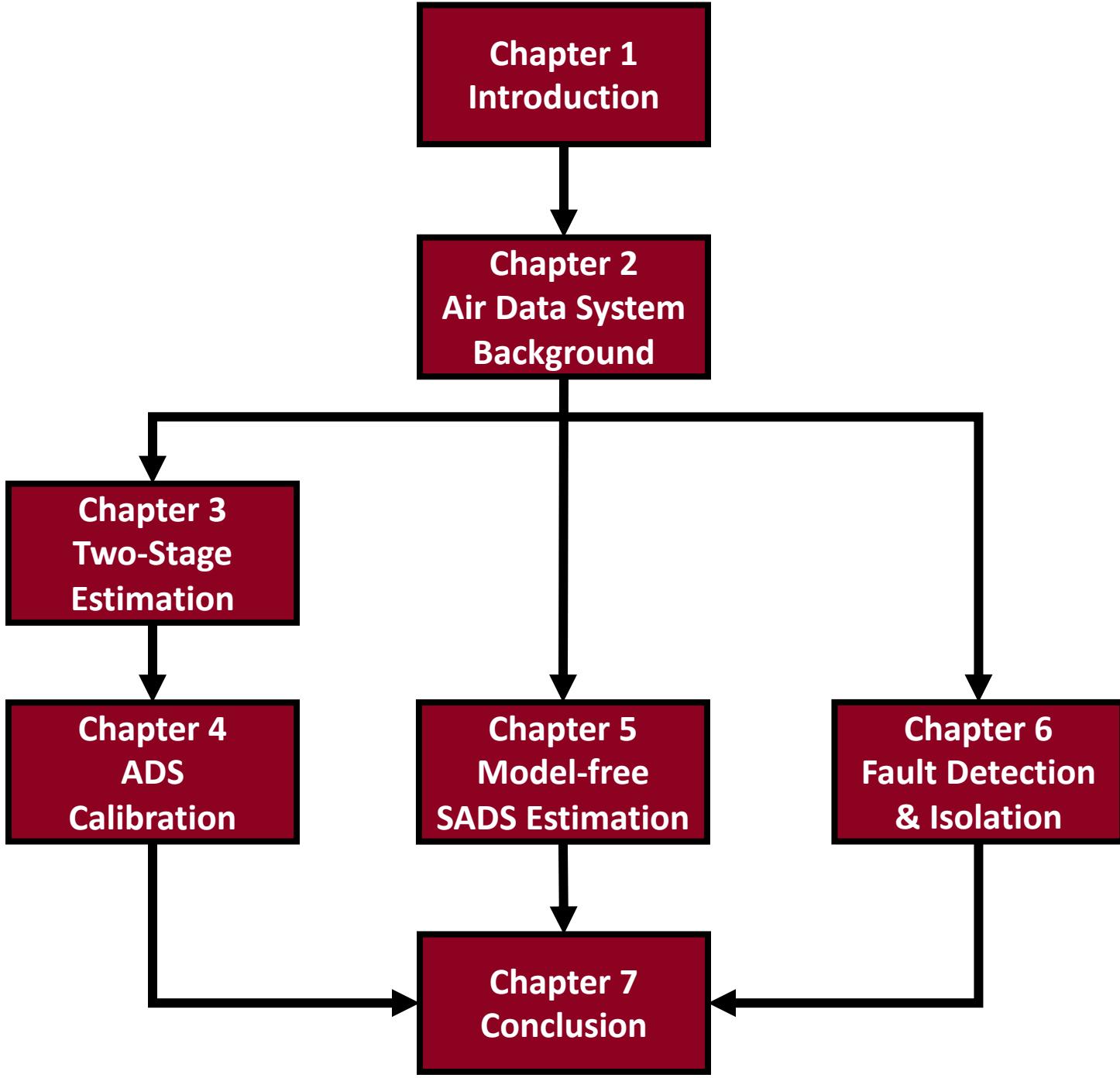
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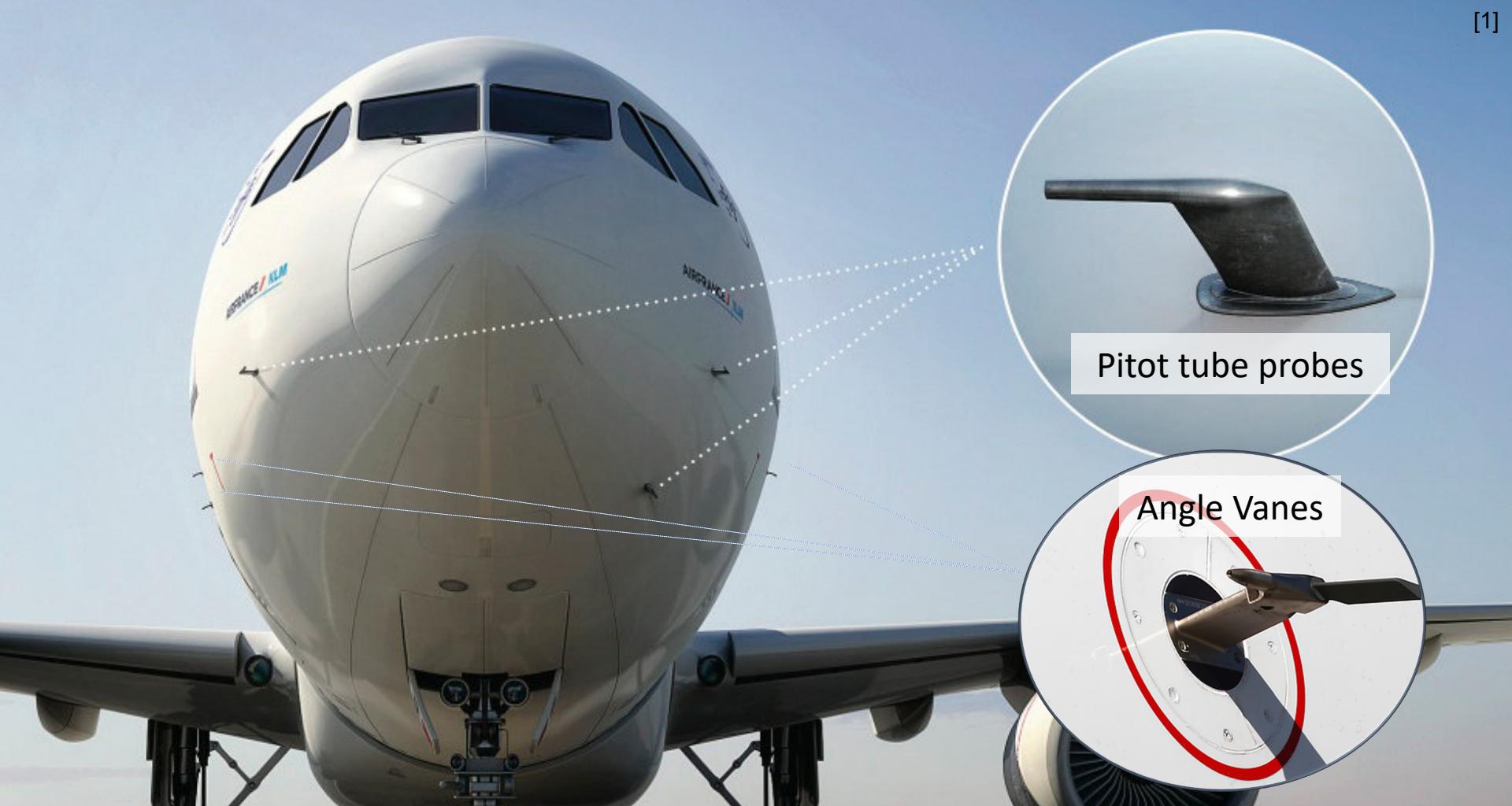
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BACKUP SLIDES



RELIABILITY VIA HARDWARE REDUNDANCY

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Pitot tube probes

Angle Vanes

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LIMITATIONS OF PHYSICAL REDUNDANCY

AIR FRANCE FLIGHT 447 | CRASH IN 2009



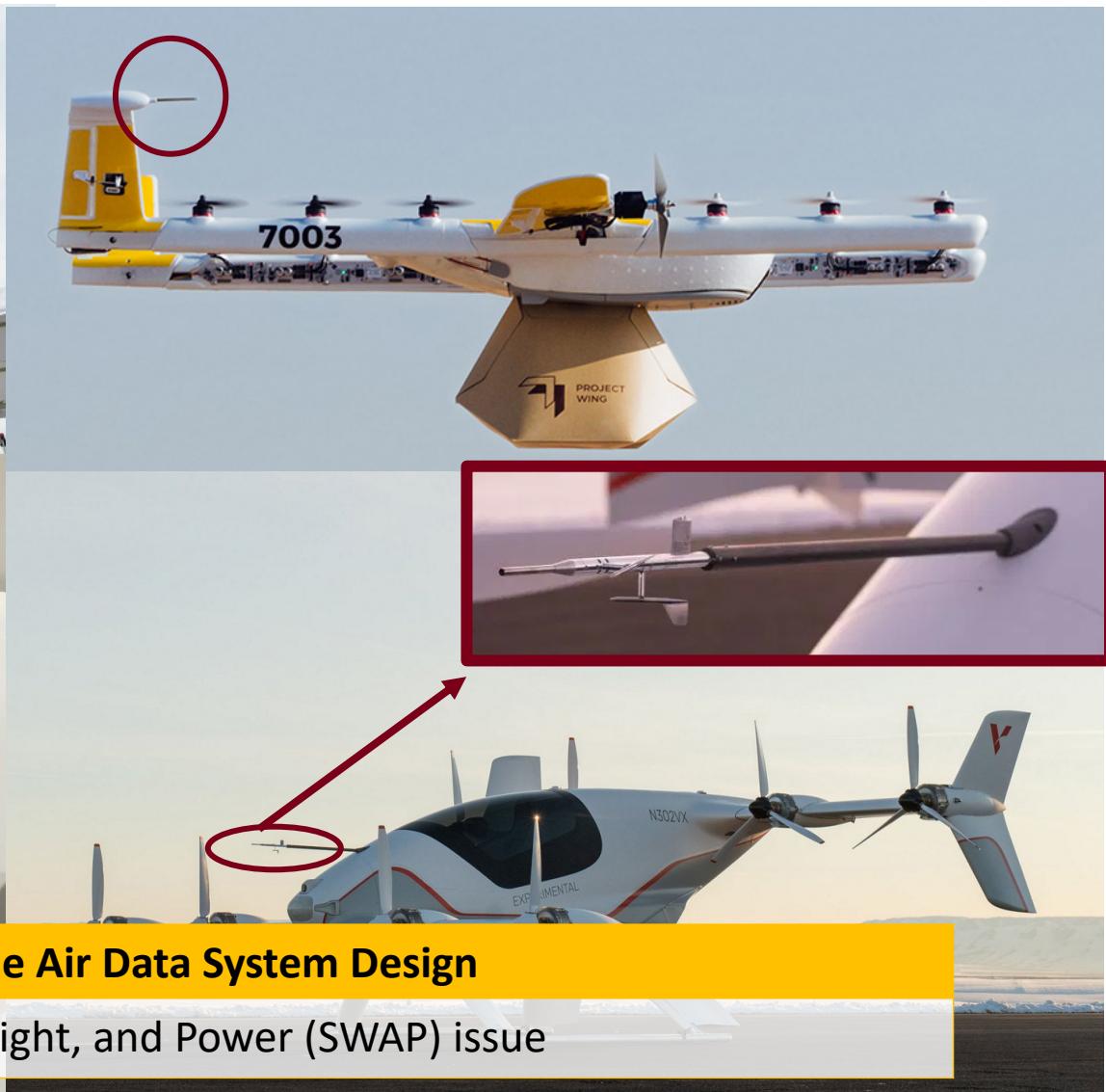
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MODERN DRONES/UAVS



Single Air Data System Design

Size, Weight, and Power (SWAP) issue

PROPOSED: TWO STAGE ESTIMATOR

MEASUREMENT MODEL

$$\mathbf{z}_k = \mathbf{h}_k(\mathbf{x}_k, \mathbf{u}_k, \boldsymbol{\xi}) + \mathbf{v}_k$$



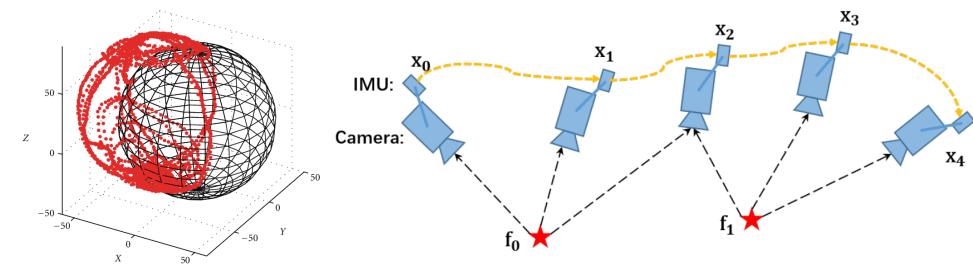
$$\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{v}$$



$$\mathbf{z}_k = \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_2)\boldsymbol{\xi}_1 + \mathbf{b}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_2) + \mathbf{v}_k$$

APPLICATIONS

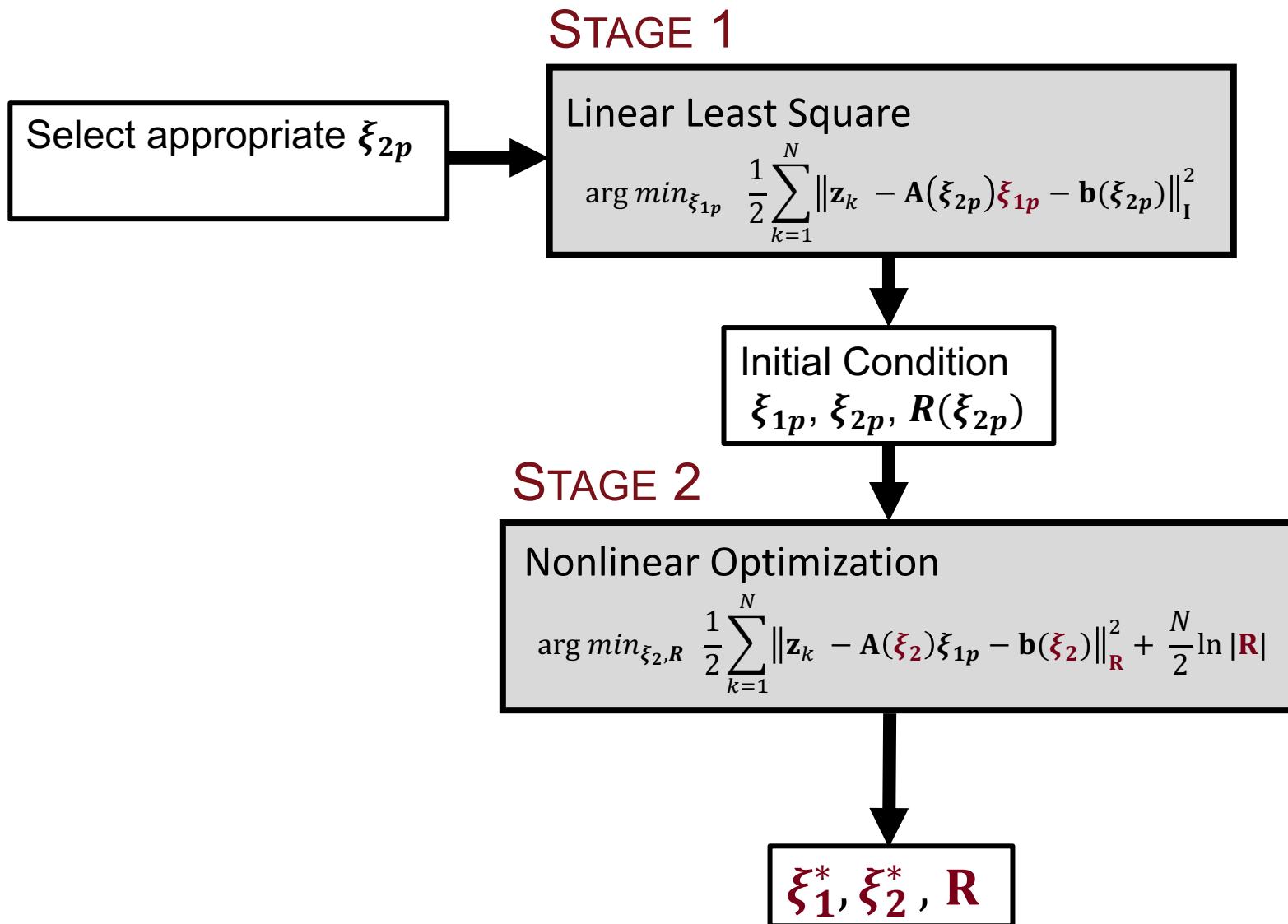
1. Magnetometer Calibration
2. Flight Data Compatibility
3. IMU-Camera Calibration



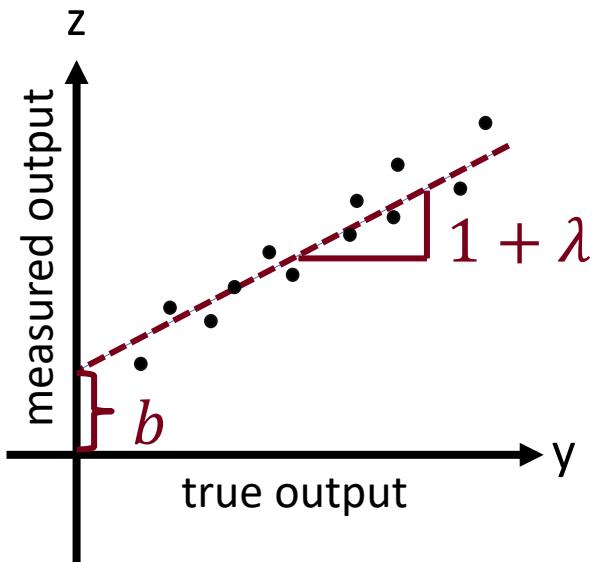
Advantages

1. Canonical Form
2. Systematic Approach

Two STAGE ESTIMATOR FLOWCHART



TWO STAGE ESTIMATOR - MOTIVATION



$$z_k = (1 + \lambda)y_k + b + v_k$$

Collect points: (y_k, z_k)

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ y_N & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \xi \\ \vdots & \ddots \\ 1 & \lambda \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_N \end{bmatrix}$$

Least square solution:
 $\xi = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T b$

PROBLEM STATEMENT

What if $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{v}$
where $\mathbf{C}(\xi_s) = \mathbf{C}_1 \mathbf{C}_2 \mathbf{C}_3 \dots$
 $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{f}(x, u, \xi_t)$

How do you estimate $\xi = \{\xi_s, \xi_t, \mathbf{b}\}$ and \mathbf{R} ?

FLIGHT TEST EXAMPLE - FORMULATION

MEASUREMENT MODEL $\mathbf{z}_k = \mathbf{h}_k(\mathbf{x}_k, \mathbf{u}_k, \boldsymbol{\xi}) + \mathbf{v}_k$

Wind Triangle Equation: $V^n = C_b^n V_{a,cg} + W^n = C_b^n [C(\epsilon_\phi) V_{a,s} - [\omega] \times \mathbf{r}] + W^n$

5-hole Error Modeling:

$$v_a = (1 + \lambda_{V_a}) \sqrt{\frac{2(P_t - P_s)}{\rho}} + b_{V_a}$$

$$\alpha = (1 + \lambda_\alpha) \frac{P_{\alpha 1} - P_{\alpha 2}}{K_\alpha(P_t - P_s)} + b_\alpha$$

$$\beta = (1 + \lambda_\beta) \frac{P_{\beta 1} - P_{\beta 2}}{K_\beta(P_t - P_s)} + b_\beta$$

CANONICAL FORM $\mathbf{z}_k = \mathbf{A}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_2)\boldsymbol{\xi}_1 + \mathbf{b}(\boldsymbol{\xi}_2) + \mathbf{v}_k$

$$\mathbf{z}_k = \begin{bmatrix} V_N \\ V_E \\ V_D \end{bmatrix}_k = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} F & \sqrt{\frac{2(P_t - P_s)}{\rho}} & F & I_3 \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\xi}_2)} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_{V_a} \\ b_{V_a} \\ W_N \\ W_E \\ W_D \end{bmatrix}}_{\boldsymbol{\xi}_1} + \underbrace{F \sqrt{\frac{2(P_t - P_s)}{\rho}} - C_b^n [\omega] \times \mathbf{r}}_{\mathbf{b}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u}, \boldsymbol{\xi}_2)} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} v_{V_N} \\ v_{V_E} \\ v_{V_D} \end{bmatrix}}_k$$

where $F = C_b^n C(\epsilon_\phi) \begin{bmatrix} \cos\alpha \cos\beta \\ \sin\beta \\ \sin\alpha \cos\beta \end{bmatrix}$

FLIGHT TEST EXAMPLE - RESULTS

Input design and time specification

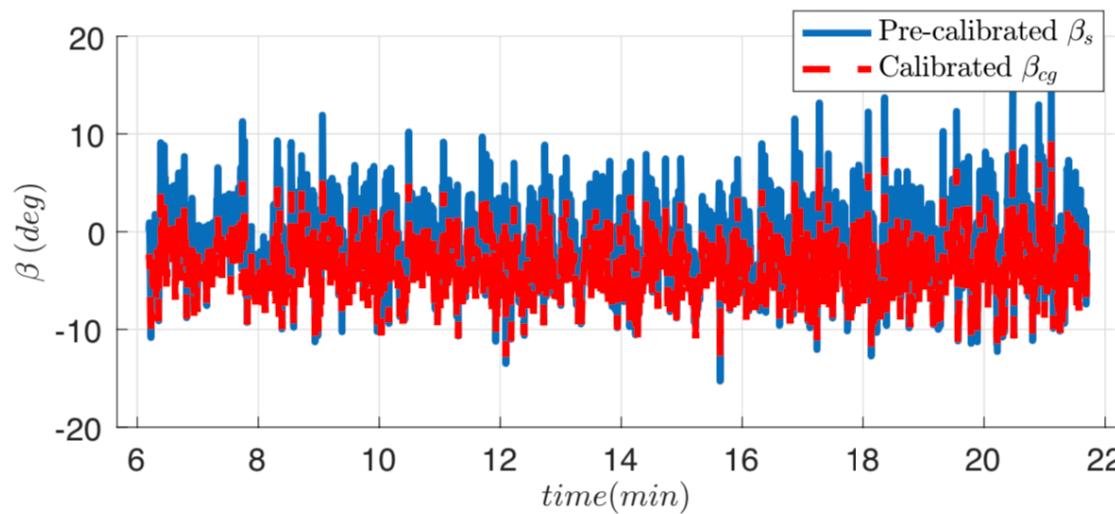
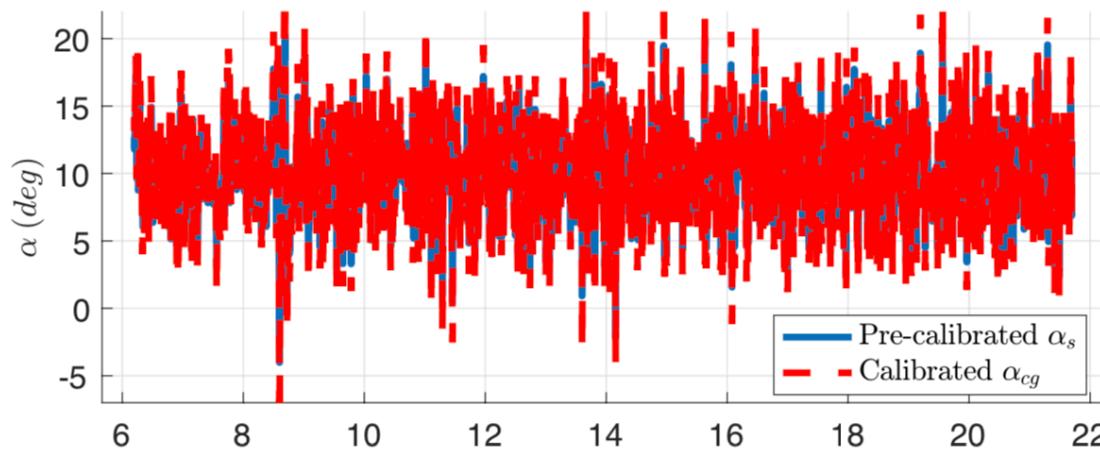
Maneuver Type	Time (sec)	Usage
Wind Circle 1	[384, 408.2]	Stage 1
Wind Circle 2	[411, 438.3]	Stage 1
POPU	[510.9, 530]	Stage 1
Multisine 1	[576, 596]	Stage 2
Multisine 2	[690, 711]	Stage 2
Multisine 3	[752, 772]	Stage 2
Multisine 4	[810, 830]	Stage 2
Pitch Chirp 1	[867, 887]	Stage 2
Yaw Chirp	[980.080, 1013.595]	Stage 2
Pitch Chirp 2	[1041, 1061]	Stage 2
Rudder Doublet	[1113, 1115]	Stage 2

FLIGHT TEST EXAMPLE - RESULTS

Parameter estimate, standard deviation, and constraint setting

Parameter	Two-stage (Standard deviation)	Unit	Constraint used
λ_{V_a}	-0.1748 (0.0739)	--	[-0.5, 0.5]
b_{V_a}	4.3553 (1.2672)	m/s	[-5, 5]
λ_α	0.2982 (0.3228)	--	[-0.5, 0.5]
b_α	-2.4854 (0.5603)	deg	[-5, 5]
λ_β	-0.2673 (0.2379)	--	[-0.5, 0.5]
b_β	-1.2980 (0.5164)	deg	[-5, 5]
ϵ_ϕ	-7.9068 (15.4641)	deg	[-15, 15]
W_N	-3.8038 (0.8704)	m/s	[-6, 6]
W_E	-2.4137 (0.9956)	m/s	[-6, 6]
W_D	-0.7168 (0.9952)	m/s	[-2, 2]

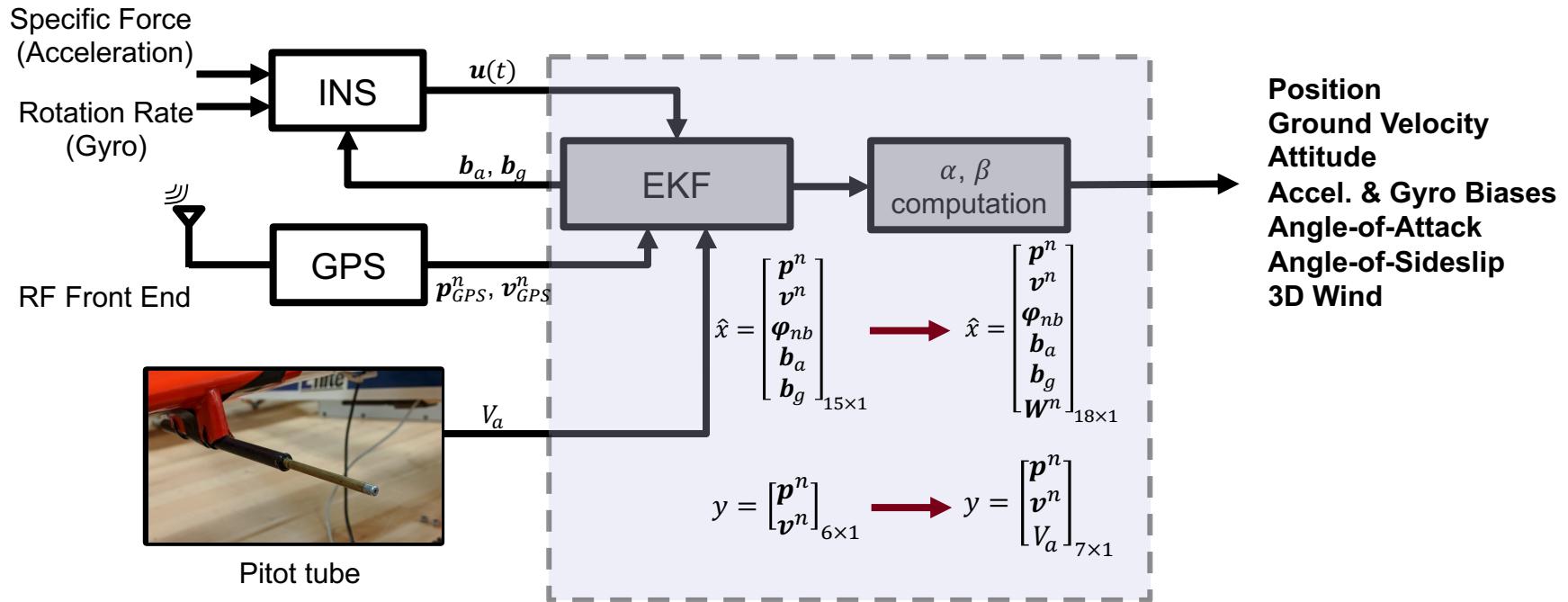
FLIGHT TEST EXAMPLE - RESULTS



Calibrated 5-hole probe vs. Pitot tube

MODEL-FREE SADS FILTER ARCHITECTURE

SADS: Synthetic Air Data System



ground speed

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_N \\ V_E \\ V_D \end{bmatrix} = C_b^n \begin{bmatrix} V_a \cos \alpha \cos \beta \\ V_a \sin \beta \\ V_a \sin \alpha \sin \beta \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} W_N \\ W_E \\ W_D \end{bmatrix}$$

airspeed

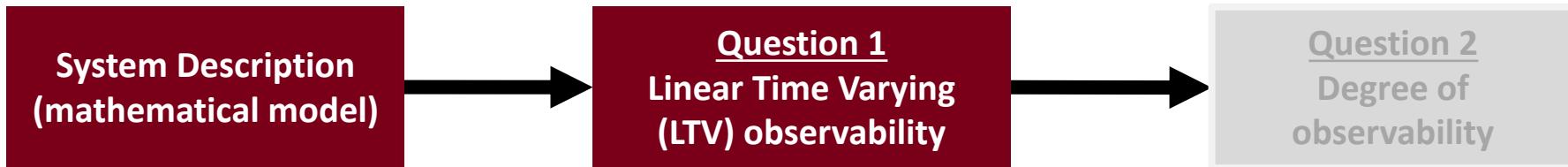
$$V_g^n = C_b^n V_a^b + W^n$$

wind

5 unknown
($\alpha, \beta, W_N, W_E, W_D$)

n: navigation frame
b: body frame

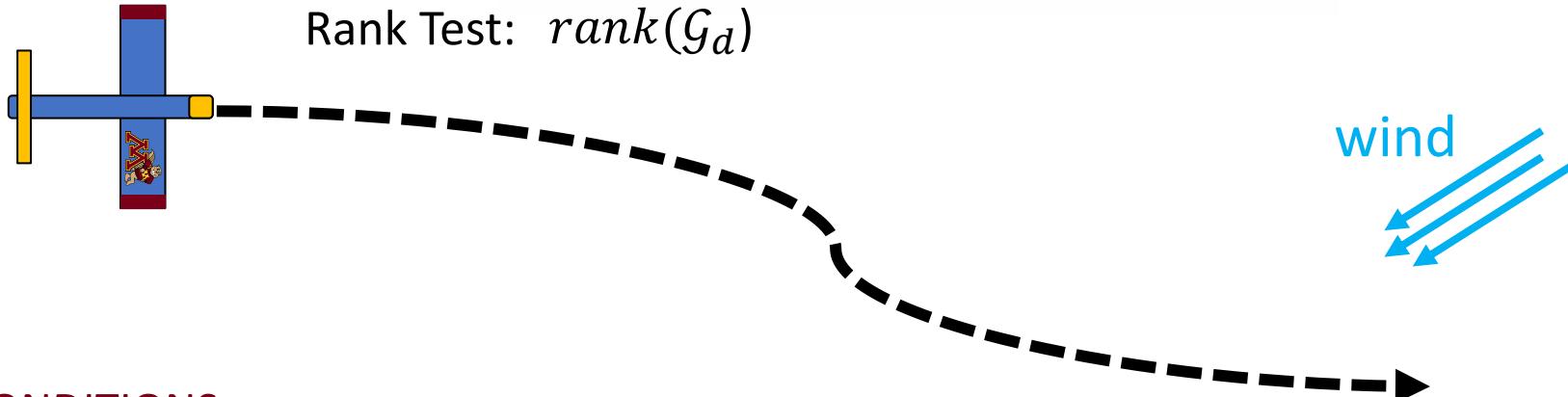
OBSERVABILITY ANALYSIS



SOLUTION TO QUESTION 1

Observability Gramian: $\mathcal{G}_d = H_0^T H_0 + \sum_{k=1}^n \Phi_{k-1,0}^T H_k^T H_k \Phi_{k-1,0}$

Rank Test: $rank(\mathcal{G}_d)$



CONDITIONS

1. Airplane is accelerating (enabled by heading change)
2. Wind is quasi-static (slow time varying)

$$\delta \dot{W}_i = -\frac{1}{\tau_{w_i}} \delta W_i + \eta_{w_i}$$

OBSERVABILITY OF YAW IN GNSS/INS (1)

Assume: perfect accelerometer, but biased gyro and no noise

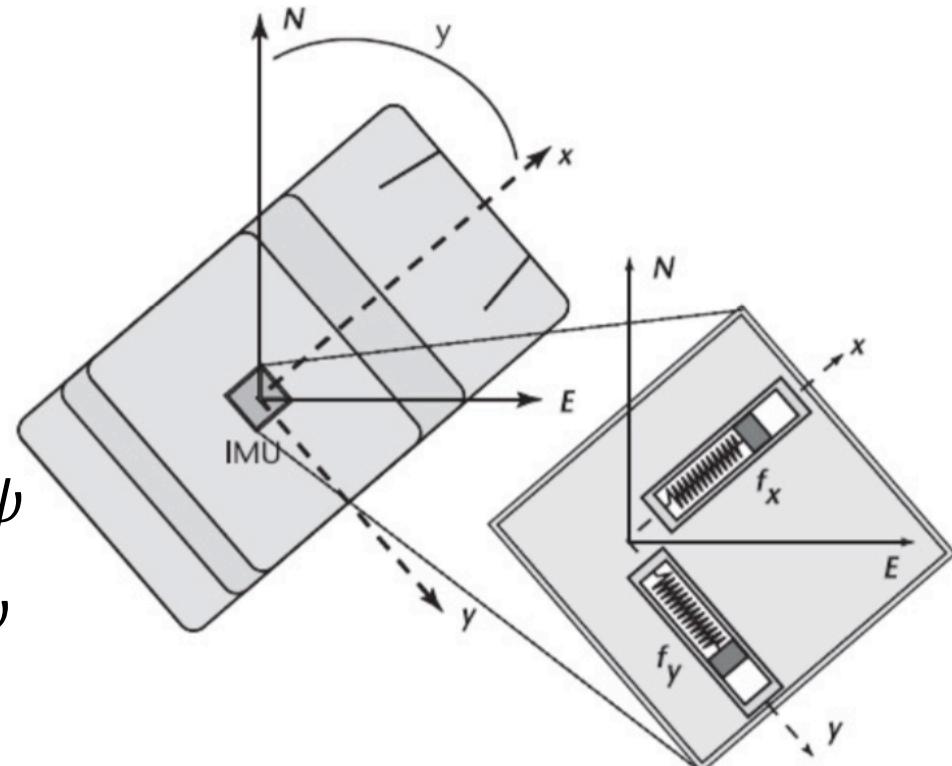
$$a_N = \dot{v}_N = f_x \cos(\psi) - f_y \sin(\psi)$$

$$a_E = \dot{v}_E = f_y \sin(\psi) + f_y \cos(\psi)$$

$$\hat{\psi} = \psi + \delta\psi = \psi + \int_{t_0}^t b_{g_z} d\tau$$

$$\hat{a}_N = a_N - [f_y \cos\psi + f_x \sin\psi] \delta\psi$$

$$\hat{a}_E = a_E + [f_y \sin\psi + f_x \cos\psi] \delta\psi$$



If f_x and f_y are zero, then $\delta\psi$

will NOT be reflected in position and velocity estimates, hence heading is unobservable

OBSERVABILITY OF YAW IN GNSS/INS (2)

Assume: perfect accelerometer, but biased gyro and no noise

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} \delta V_N \\ \delta V_E \\ \delta V_D \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \hat{f}_D & -\hat{f}_E \\ -\hat{f}_D & 0 & \hat{f}_N \\ \hat{f}_E & -\hat{f}_N & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta\phi \\ \delta\theta \\ \delta\psi \end{pmatrix}$$

- Yaw error ($\delta\psi$) can only affect velocity error when the specific force in east and north direction is nonzero.
- Similar statement can be made for the other two angle errors when accelerometer bias is non-zero.

OBSERVABILITY ANALYSIS

**System Description
(mathematical model)**

Question 1
Linear Time Varying
(LTV) observability

Question 2
Degree of
observability

$$\text{Groundspeed} = \text{Airspeed} + \text{Wind}$$

$$V_g^n = C_b^n V_a^b + W^n$$



$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}}_y = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \Psi_1 & \Omega_1 & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 2} & \cdots & \cdots & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 2} \\ \Psi_2 & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 2} & \Omega_2 & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 2} & \cdots & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 2} \\ \Psi_3 & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 2} & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 2} & \Omega_3 & \cdots & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \Psi_n & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \Omega_n \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathcal{H}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{W^n}{\alpha_1} \\ \beta_1 \\ \frac{\beta_2}{\alpha_2} \\ \beta_3 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_n \\ \beta_n \end{bmatrix}}_x$$

$$y_k = [u_g(k) - V_a(k) \quad v_g(k) \quad w_g(k)]^T$$

$$\Omega = \Omega(V_a)$$

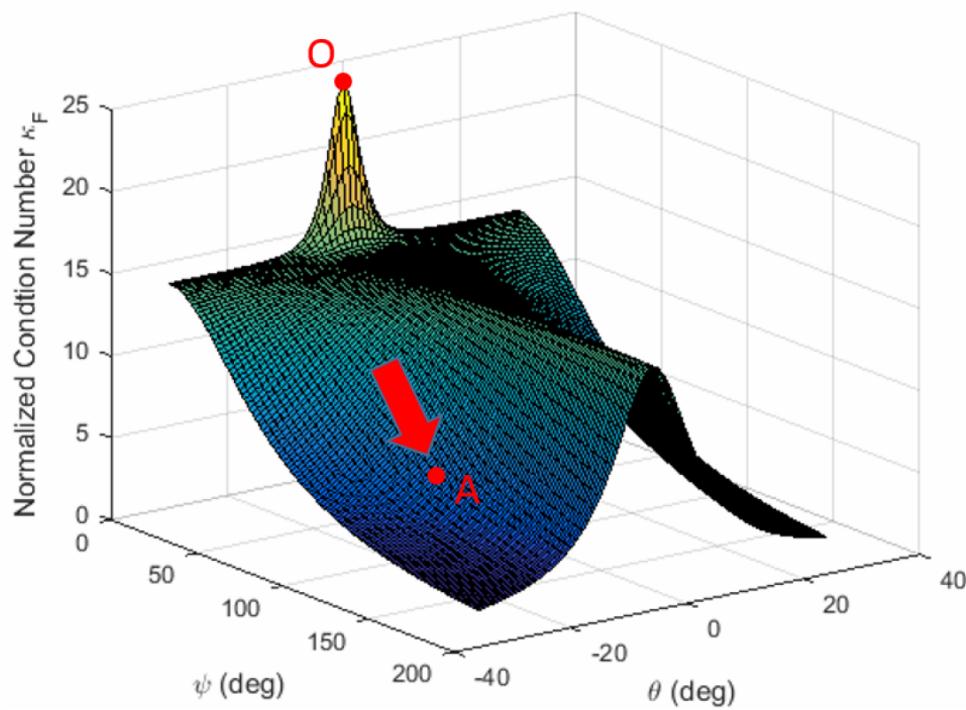
$$\Psi = C_n^b$$

$$\kappa(\mathcal{G}_d) = \|\mathcal{G}_d\| \cdot \|\mathcal{G}_d^{-1}\|$$

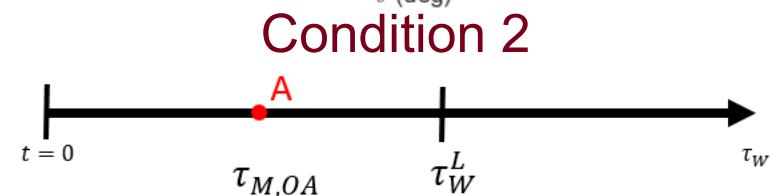
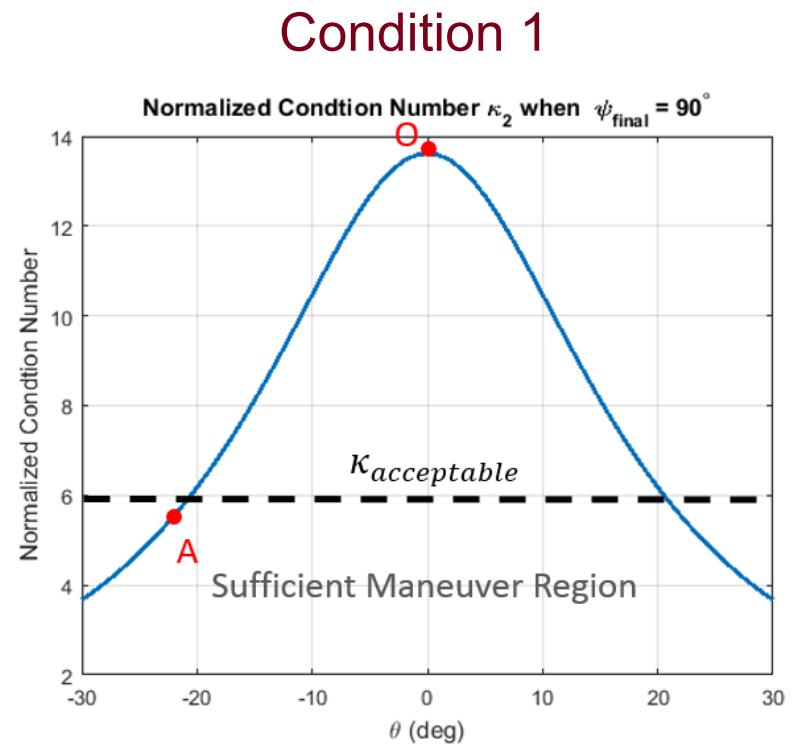
$$\operatorname{argmin} \kappa(\mathcal{G}_d)$$

Maneuver	V_a	ψ	θ	ϕ
2-D case				
1	Constant	Constant	Varying	— —
2	Constant	Varying	Constant	— —
3	Constant	Constant	— —	Varying
4	Varying	Constant	Varying	— —
5	Varying	Varying	Constant	— —
6	Varying	Constant	— —	Varying
3-D case				
1	Constant	Varving	Varving	— —
2	Varying	Varying	Varying	— —
3	Varying	Varying	Varying	Varying

OBSERVABILITY ENHANCEMENT

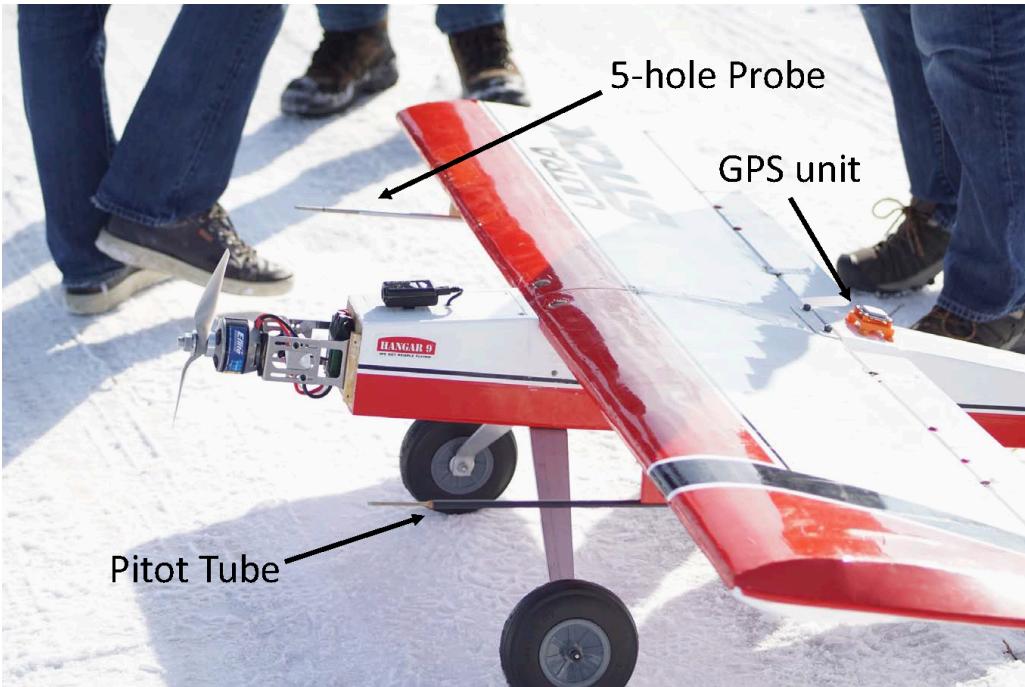


Normalized κ_F (\mathcal{G}_d) over ψ and θ



Acceptable maneuver condition: 1. $\kappa_{(\cdot)} \leq \kappa_{\text{accept}}$ 2. $\tau_{M,(\cdot)} \leq \tau_W^L$

FLIGHT TESTING VALIDATION

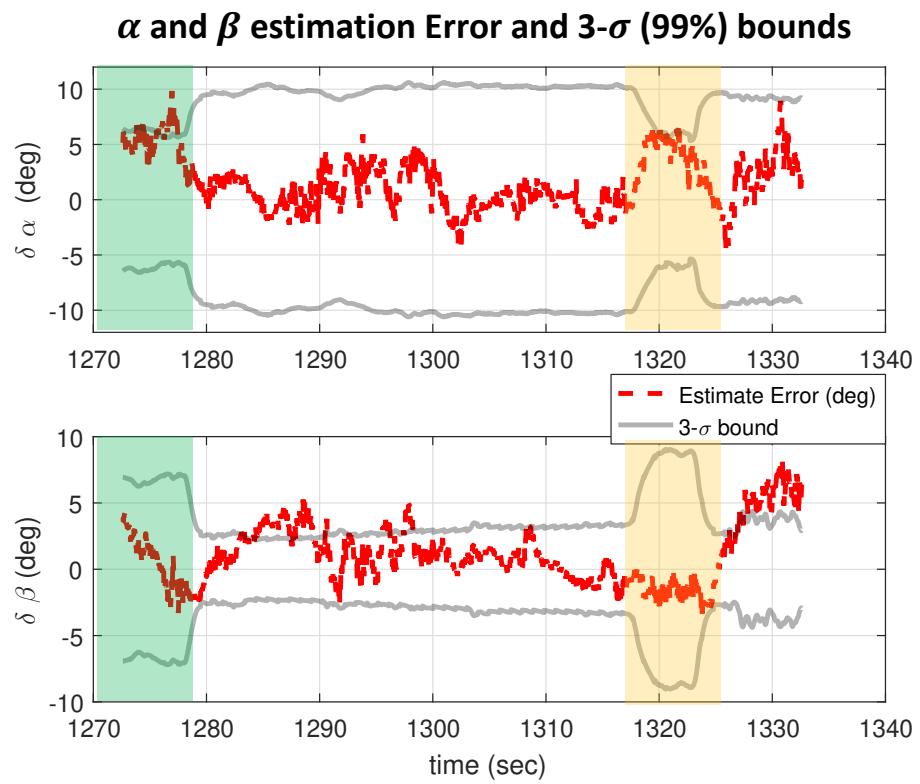
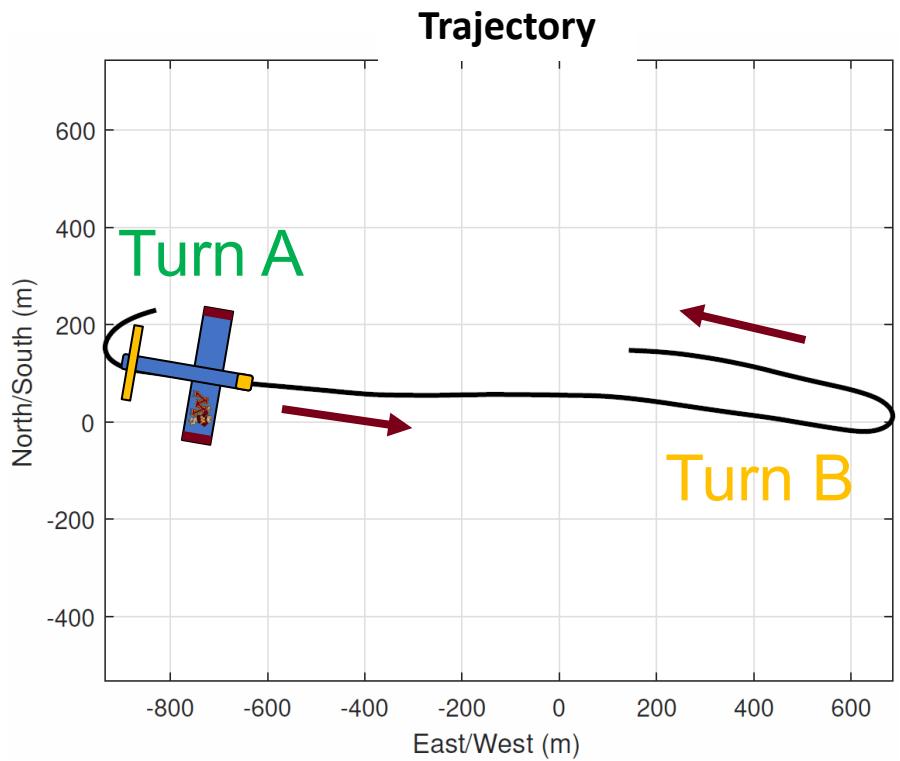


Ultra Stick 120e Testbed



University of Minnesota Wind Turbine

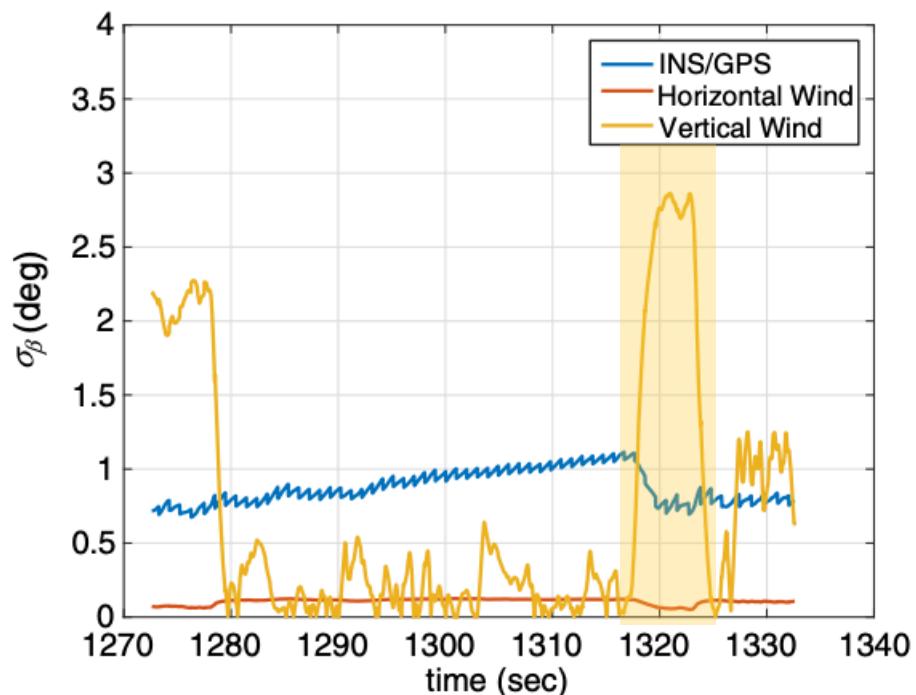
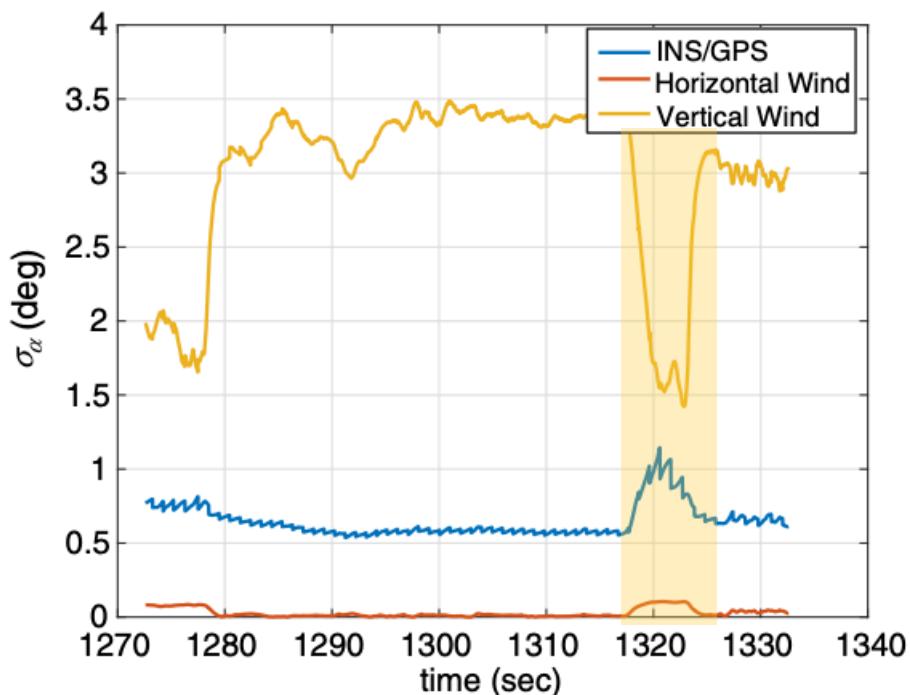
FLIGHT TEST RESULTS



Accuracy over the flight region: $\sigma_\alpha = 3.07^\circ$, $\sigma_\beta = 1.28^\circ$

FLIGHT TEST RESULTS- COVARIANCE ANALYSIS

Break down of the effect on $\sigma_\alpha, \sigma_\beta$



Dominant Uncertainty	σ_α	σ_β
σ_{w_D}	Decrease	Increase

PERFORMANCE LIMITATION – AIRSPEED

- Increasing airspeed can potentially increase the accuracy of α and β
- Small UAVs operate around 12 – 30 m/s, which inherently limits the performance of the estimator

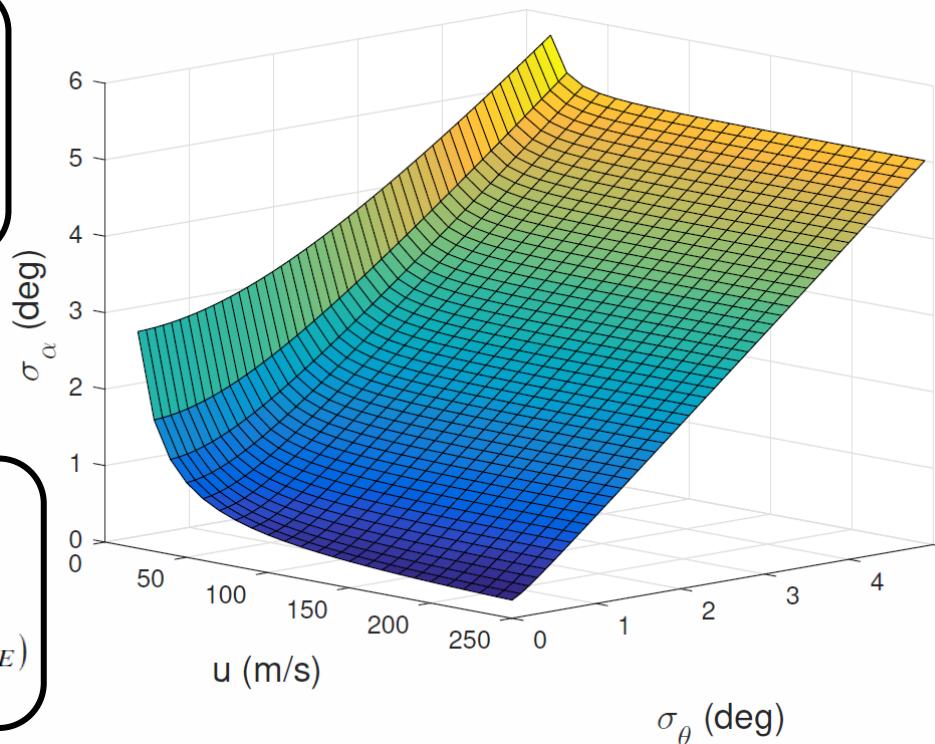
$$\delta\alpha = -\frac{w}{u^2 + w^2}\delta u + \frac{u}{u^2 + w^2}\delta w$$
$$\delta\beta = -\frac{uv}{V_a^2\sqrt{u^2 + w^2}}\delta u + \frac{u^2 + v^2}{V_a^2\sqrt{u^2 + w^2}}\delta v - \frac{vw}{V_a^2\sqrt{u^2 + w^2}}\delta w$$

if $u \gg v$ and $u \gg w$

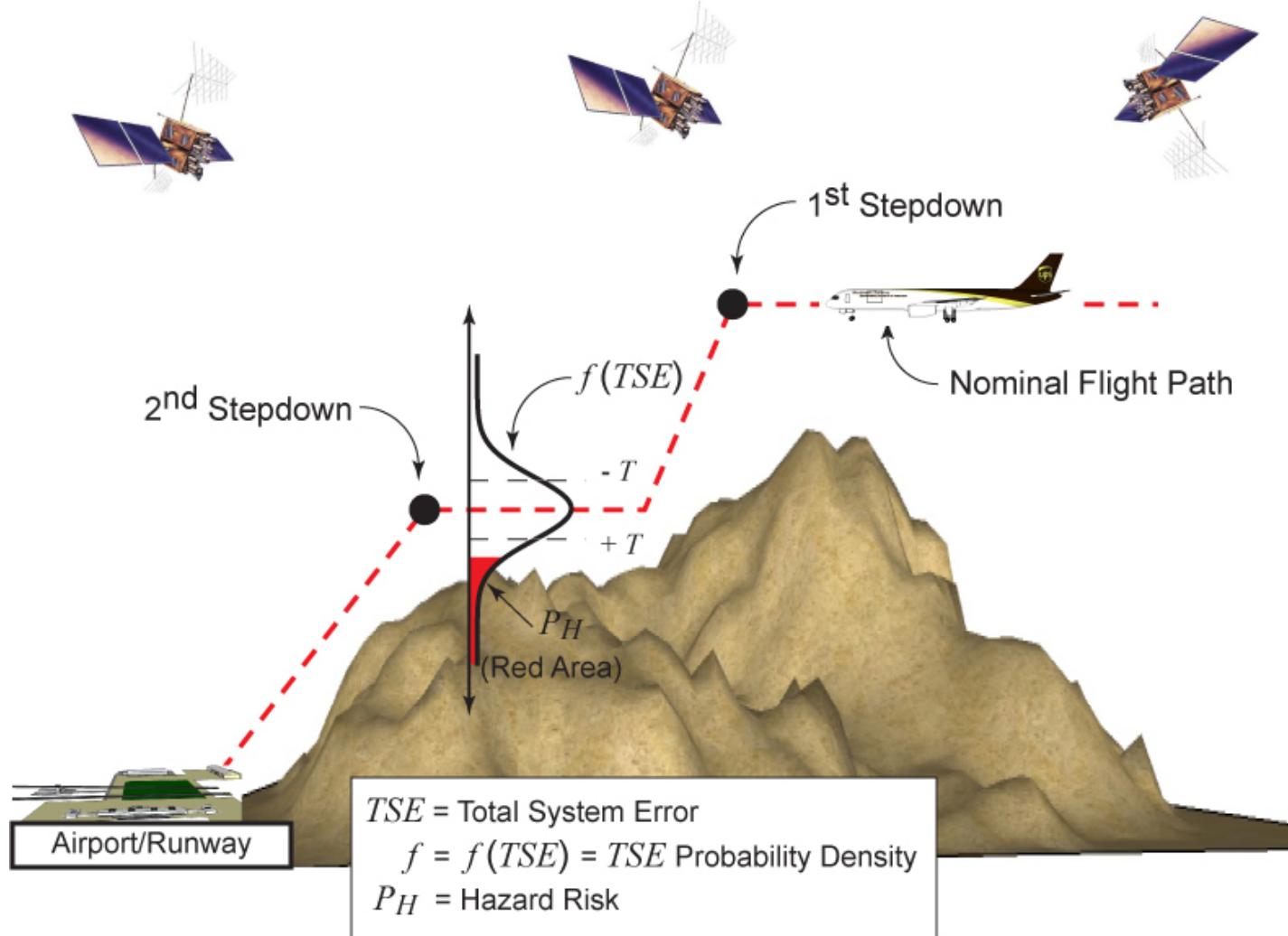


$$\delta\alpha \approx \frac{1}{u}\delta w = \delta\theta + \frac{1}{u}(\cos\theta\delta V_N - \cos\theta\delta W_N - \sin\theta\delta V_D + \sin\theta\delta W_D)$$

$$\delta\beta \approx \frac{1}{u}\delta v = -\delta\psi + \frac{1}{u}(-\sin\psi\delta V_N + \sin\psi\delta W_N + \cos\psi\delta V_E - \cos\psi\delta W_E)$$



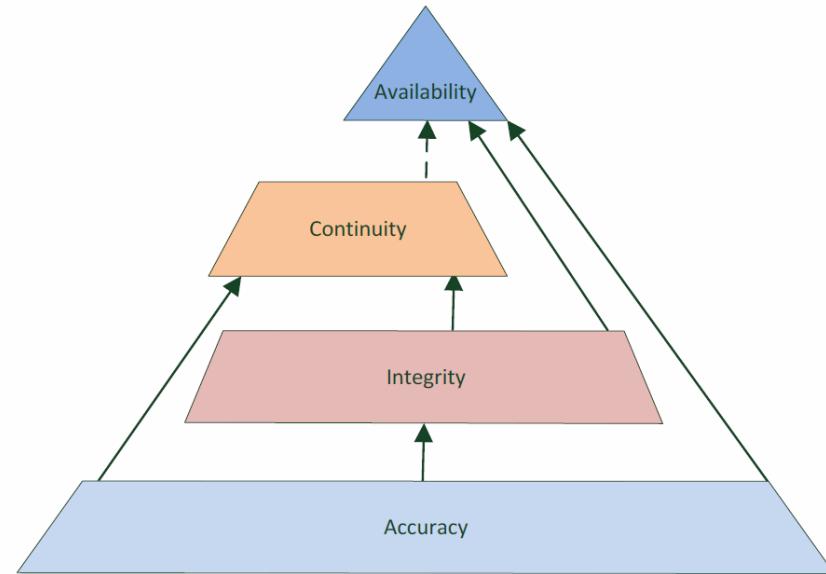
SAFE NAVIGATION



SAFE NAVIGATION REQUIREMENT

“HIGH-LEVEL” PERFORMANCE METRICS:

- **Availability** – the percentage of time that the services of the system are usable by the navigator
- **Continuity** – performing its function without interruptions
- **Integrity** – correctness of the position, be able to alert
- **Accuracy** – position error



INTEGRITY RISK

Fault Detection

$$I = P(MD) + P(MI|DF)P(DF)$$

Fault Isolation

MD = Missed Detection
DF = Detected Failure
MI = Mis-Identified failure
NI = Non-Isolable failure
FA = False Alarm

CONTINUITY RISK

$$C = P(FA) + P(NI|DF)P(DF)$$

ASSUME NO ISOLATION

INTEGRITY RISK

$$I = P(MD) + P(MI|DF)P(DF) = P(MD)$$

CONTINUITY RISK

$$C = P(FA) + P(NI|DF)P(DF) = P(FA) + P(DF) \approx P(FA)$$

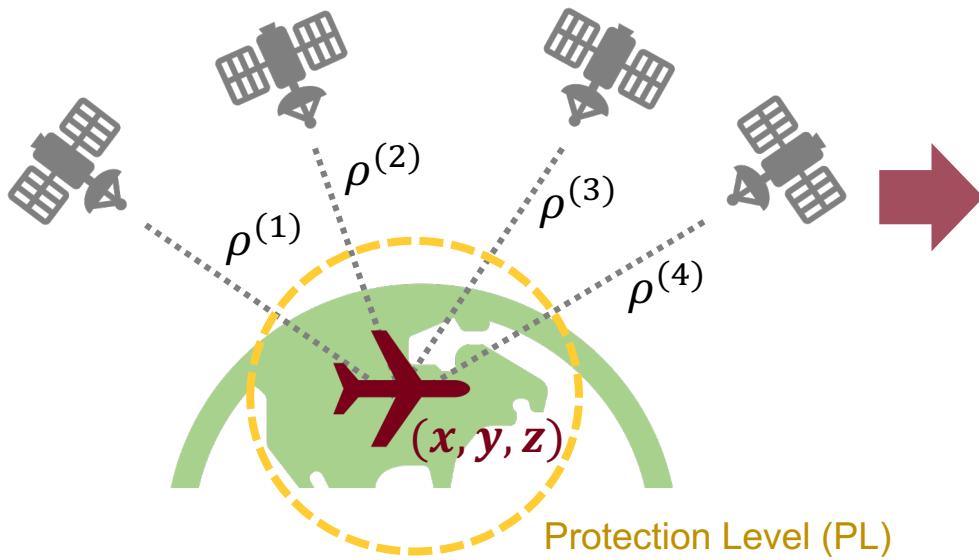
Where $P(MI|DF) = 0, P(NI|DF) = 1, P(DF) \approx 0$

MD = Missed Detection
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EXAMPLE - GNSS INTEGRITY MONITORING

MEASUREMENT MODEL

$$\rho^{(n)} = \sqrt{(x^{(n)} - x)^2 + (y^{(n)} - y)^2 + (z^{(n)} - z)^2 + b}$$



LINEARIZATION

$$\begin{bmatrix} \delta\rho^{(1)} \\ \delta\rho^{(2)} \\ \delta\rho^{(3)} \\ \vdots \\ \delta\rho^{(K)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{(x^{(1)} - x_0)}{\rho_0^{(1)}} & -\frac{(y^{(1)} - y_0)}{\rho_0^{(1)}} & -\frac{(z^{(1)} - z_0)}{\rho_0^{(1)}} & 1 \\ -\frac{(x^{(2)} - x_0)}{\rho_0^{(2)}} & -\frac{(y^{(2)} - y_0)}{\rho_0^{(2)}} & -\frac{(z^{(2)} - z_0)}{\rho_0^{(2)}} & 1 \\ -\frac{(x^{(3)} - x_0)}{\rho_0^{(3)}} & -\frac{(y^{(3)} - y_0)}{\rho_0^{(3)}} & -\frac{(z^{(3)} - z_0)}{\rho_0^{(3)}} & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ -\frac{(x^{(K)} - x_0)}{\rho_0^{(K)}} & -\frac{(y^{(K)} - y_0)}{\rho_0^{(K)}} & -\frac{(z^{(K)} - z_0)}{\rho_0^{(K)}} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta x \\ \delta y \\ \delta z \\ \delta b \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{H} \begin{bmatrix} \delta x \\ \delta y \\ \delta z \\ \delta b \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{b}$$

$$\mathbf{v} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{R})$$

\mathbf{b} : bias (fault)

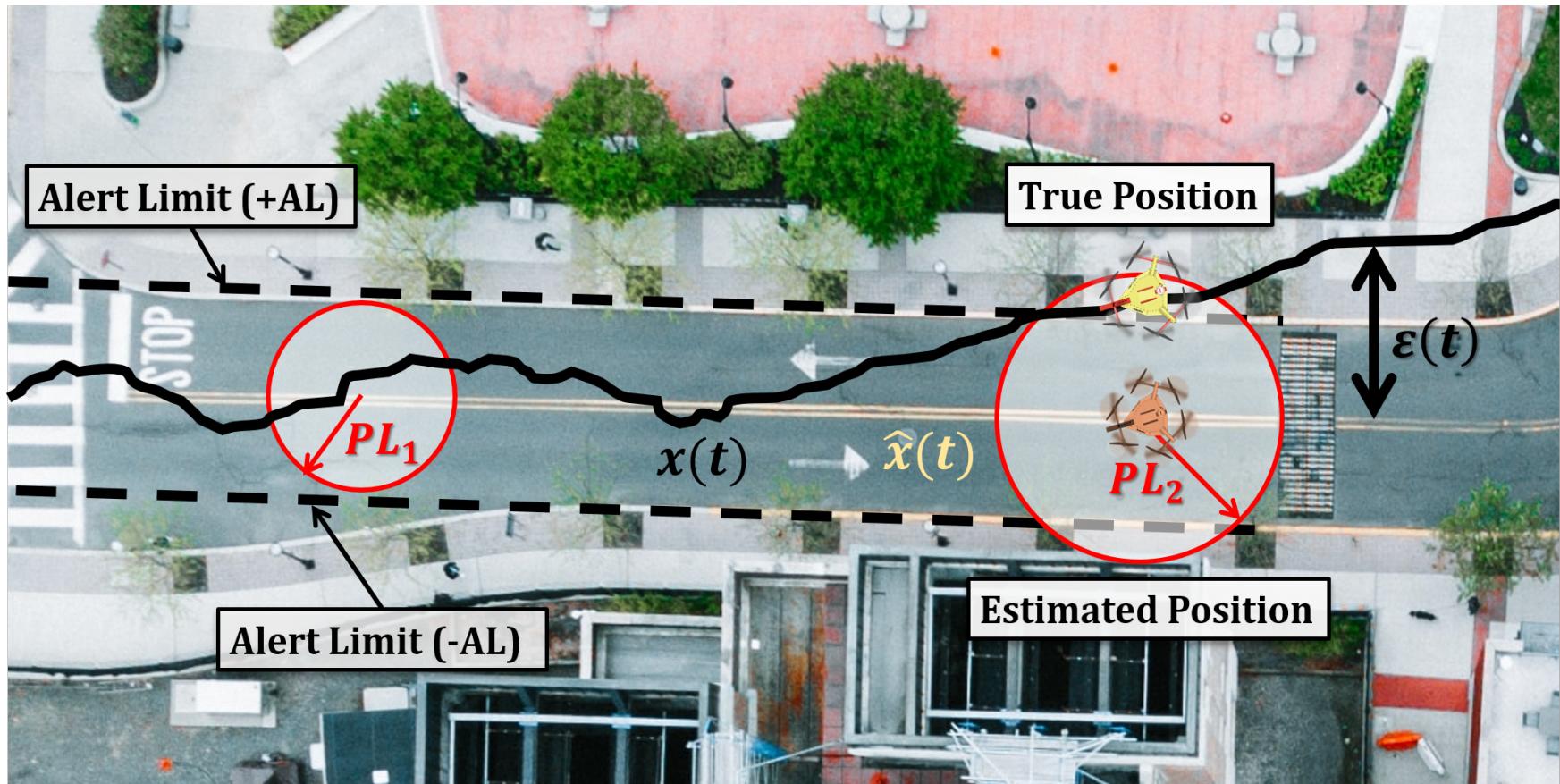
DUAL HYPOTHESES

$$D = \mathbf{z}^T \mathbf{W} (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{H}\mathbf{H}^*) \mathbf{z} \begin{cases} D \leq T: \text{No fault is present } (H_0) \\ D > T: \text{A fault is present } (H_1) \end{cases}$$

D : detection function, T : threshold, $\mathbf{W} = \mathbf{R}^{-1}$: weight

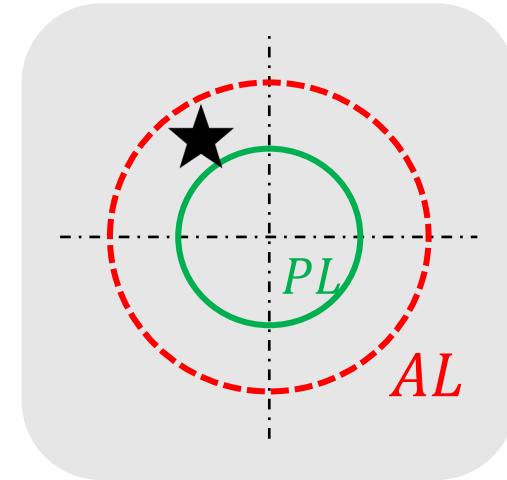
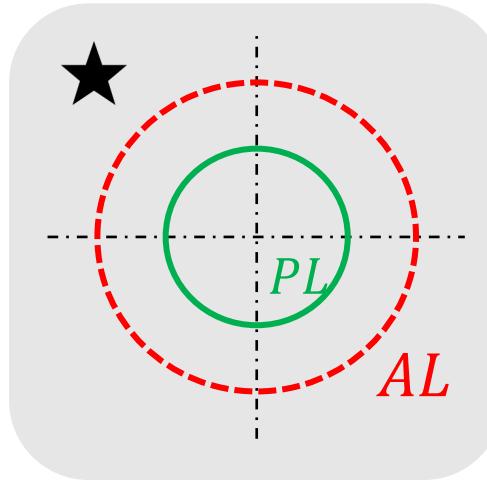
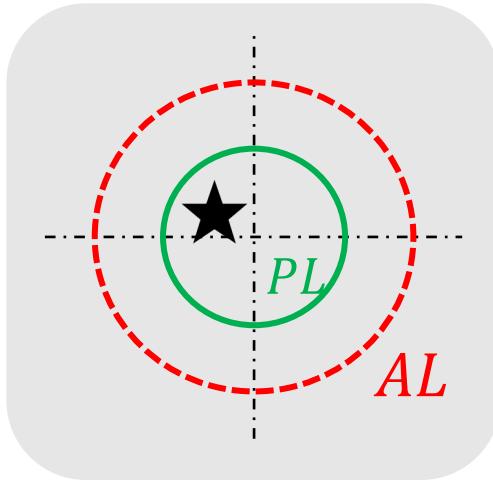
PROTECTION LEVELS

- Protect the user from experiencing position errors that are greater than the Alert Limit (AL)
- Provide ***Protection Levels (PL)*** for the vehicle

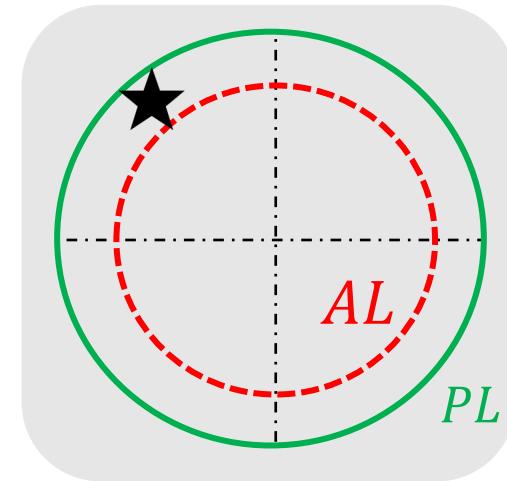
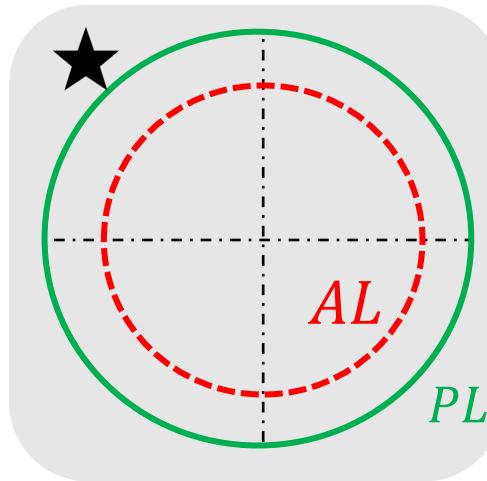
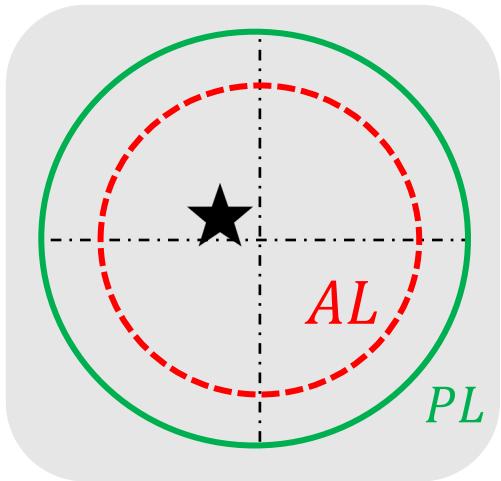


POSSIBLE CASES OF ESTIMATE & BOUNDS

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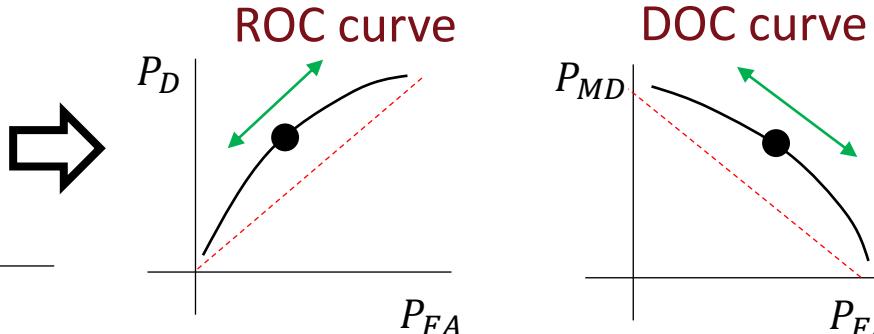
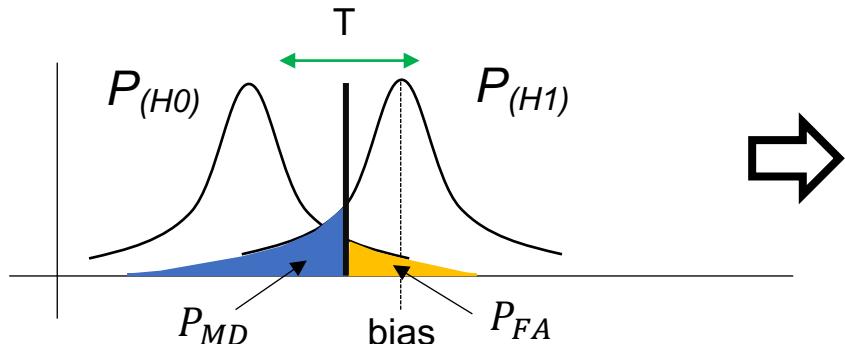


Not Available



TRADEOFF ANALYSIS – VIA DOC CURVES (2A)

Objective: determine Threshold T and Minimum Detectable Error requirement MDE_{req}

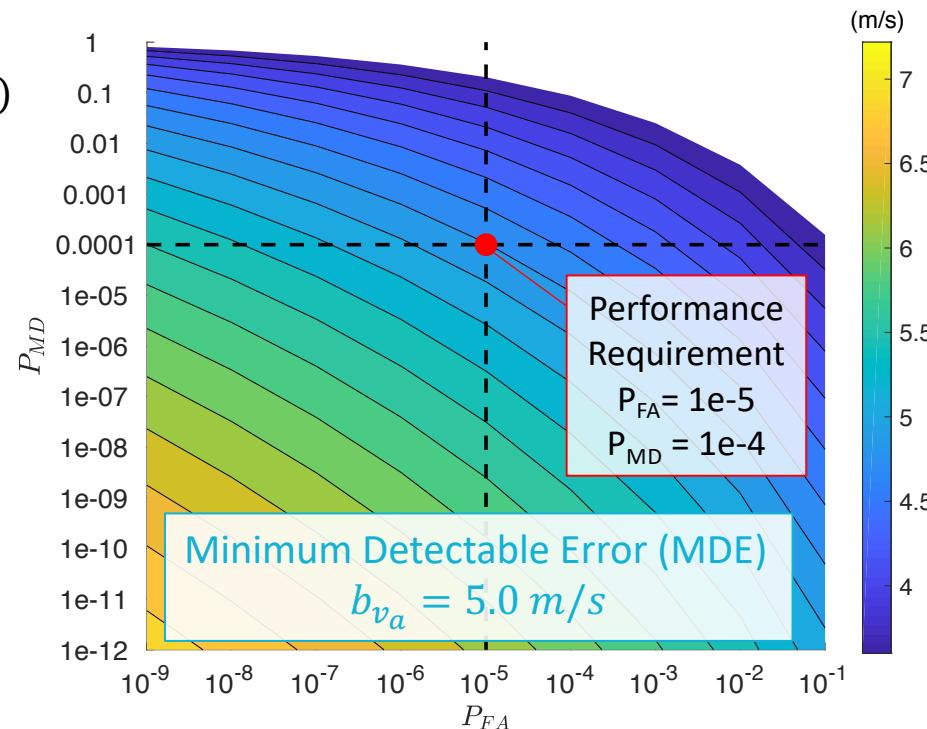


$$P_{MD} = F_{\chi^2(\lambda)}(T, Df) = F_{\chi^2(\lambda)}(F_{\chi^2}^{-1}(1 - P_{FA}, Df), Df)$$

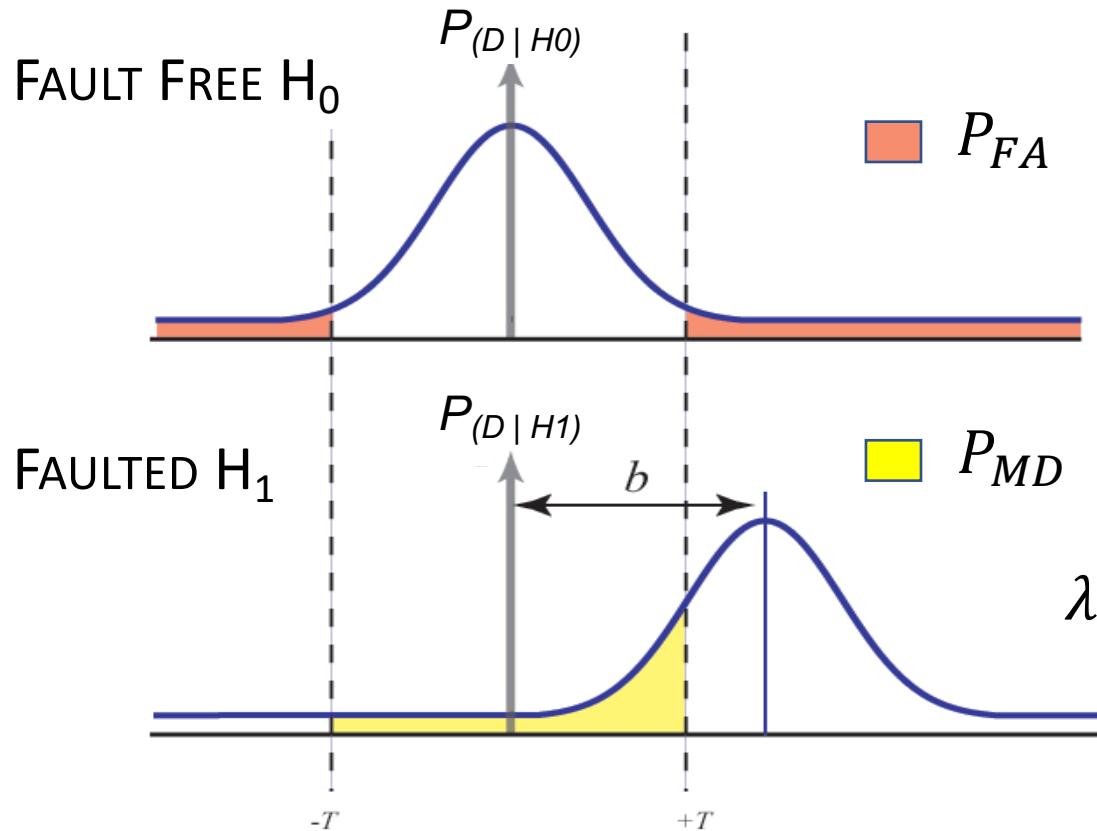
$$\overline{MDE} \triangleq \sqrt{\lambda} = \sqrt{\sum_{j=k-q+1}^k \frac{f_{V_{aj}}^2}{\sigma_{V_{aj}}^2}} \quad MDE_{req} \triangleq f_{V_{ak}}$$

Requirement (P_{MD}, P_{FA})	Allowable (airframe)
$MDE_{req} = 5 \text{ m/s}$	$AE = 7.5 \text{ m/s}$
$\tau_{req} = 2 \text{ s}$	$\tau_{allow} = 3 \text{ s}$

Df: Degree-of-freedom. q: window size



TRADEOFF OF P_{FA} AND P_{MD}



P_{FA} = Probability of False Alarm
 P_{MD} = Probability of Missed Detection
 P_D = Probability of Detection
 b = Range bias
 T = Threshold

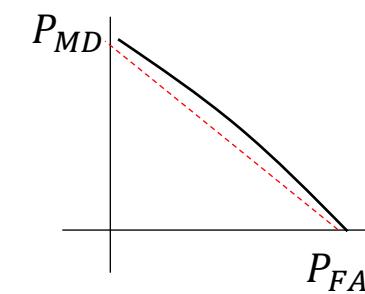
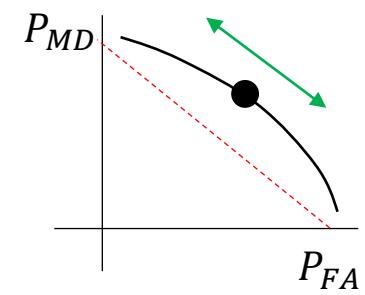
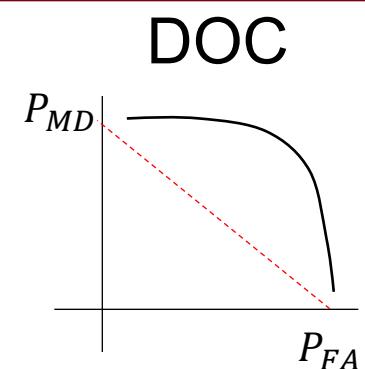
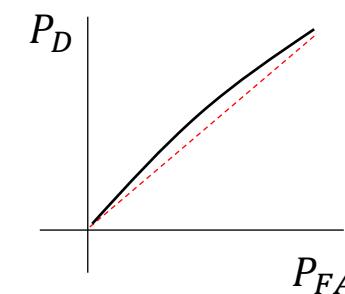
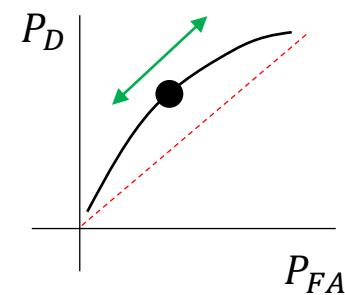
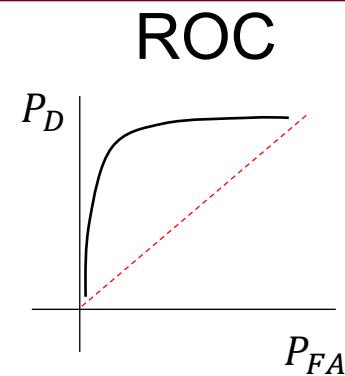
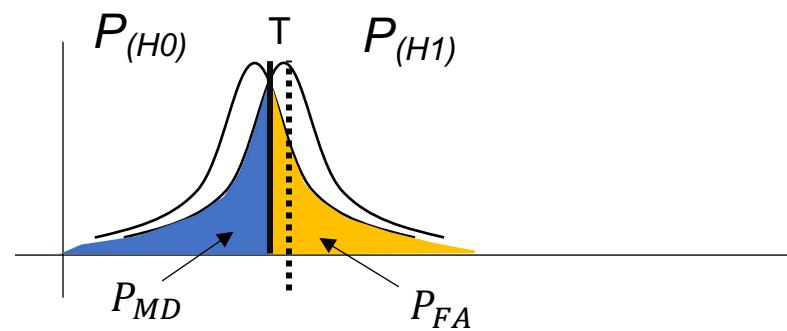
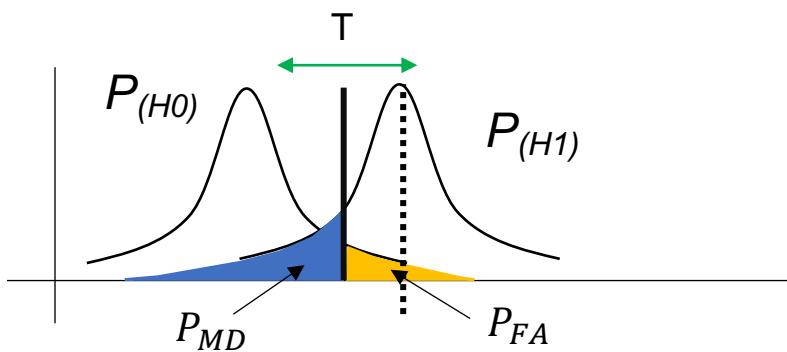
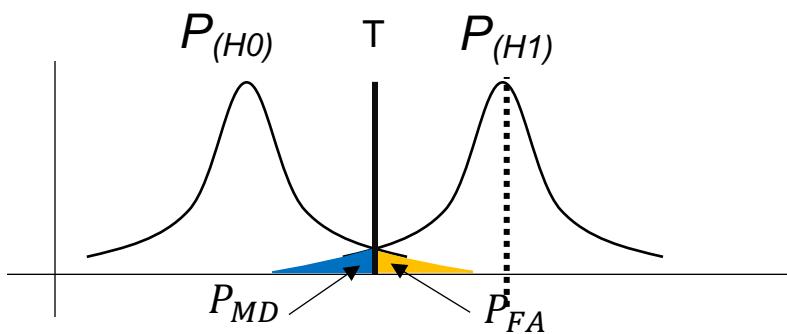
Associate Equation:

$$\chi^2_{P_{MD,n-m,\lambda}} = \chi^2_{1-P_{FA},n-m}$$

$$\lambda = b^2 = \left(n_{1-\frac{\alpha_0}{2}} + n_{1-P_{MD}}\right)^2$$

Threshold	Integrity	Continuity
Small / Tight	Increases (lower P_{MD})	Decreases (higher P_{FA})
Large / Loose	Decreases (higher P_{MD})	Increases (lower P_{FA})

ROC/DOC CURVES ILLUSTRATION



PERFORMANCE EVALUATION- DETECTOR

DETECTOR/TEST STATISTIC

$$\#1: D_{\gamma,k}|H_0 = \frac{1}{q} \sum_{j=k-q+1}^k \gamma_j^T S_j^{-1} \gamma_j$$

Where $\gamma_k = z_k - H_k \hat{x}_k^-$

$$\#2: D_{r,k}|H_0 = r_{k-q:k}^T \Sigma^{-1} r_{k-q:k}$$

Where $r_k = z_k - H_k \hat{x}_k^+$

$$\#3: D_{r,k}^{GMA}|H_0 = (r_{k-q:k}^{GMA})^T \Sigma^{-1} r_{k-q:k}^{GMA}$$

Where $r_{k-q:k}^{GMA} = [\mu^q r_{k-q}^T \dots \mu r_{k-1}^T r_k^T]^T$

FAULTY AIRSPEED ESTIMATION

Assume: $t_{detect} = 618 s$

Then:

$$t_{fault} = t_{detect} - \tau_{req} = 618 - 2 = 616 s$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{a,0} = 15 m/s$$

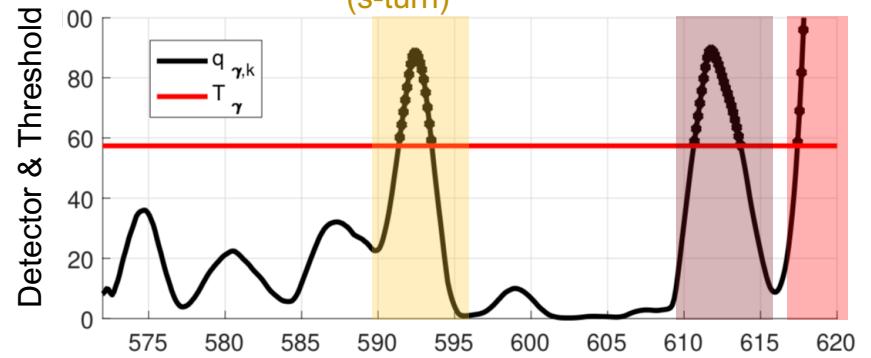
$$\Rightarrow V_{a,1} = 15 - MDE_{req} = 15 - 5 = 10 m/s$$

INNOVATION TEST

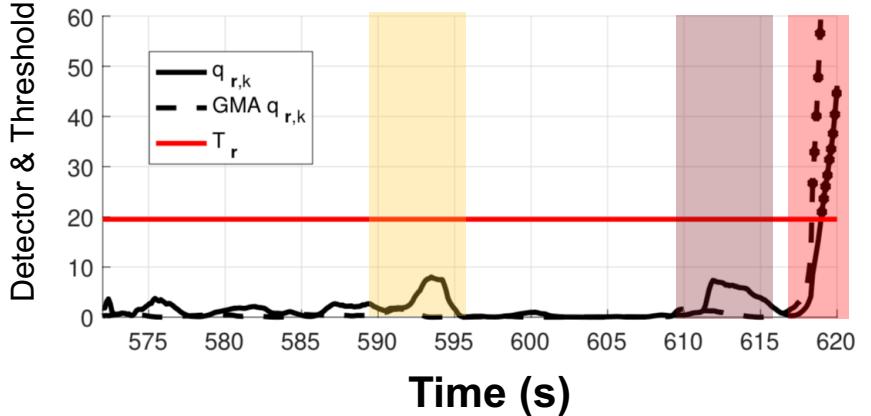
Large roll/pitch
(s-turn)

Sudden
airspeed
increase

Sharp
Airspeed
decrease

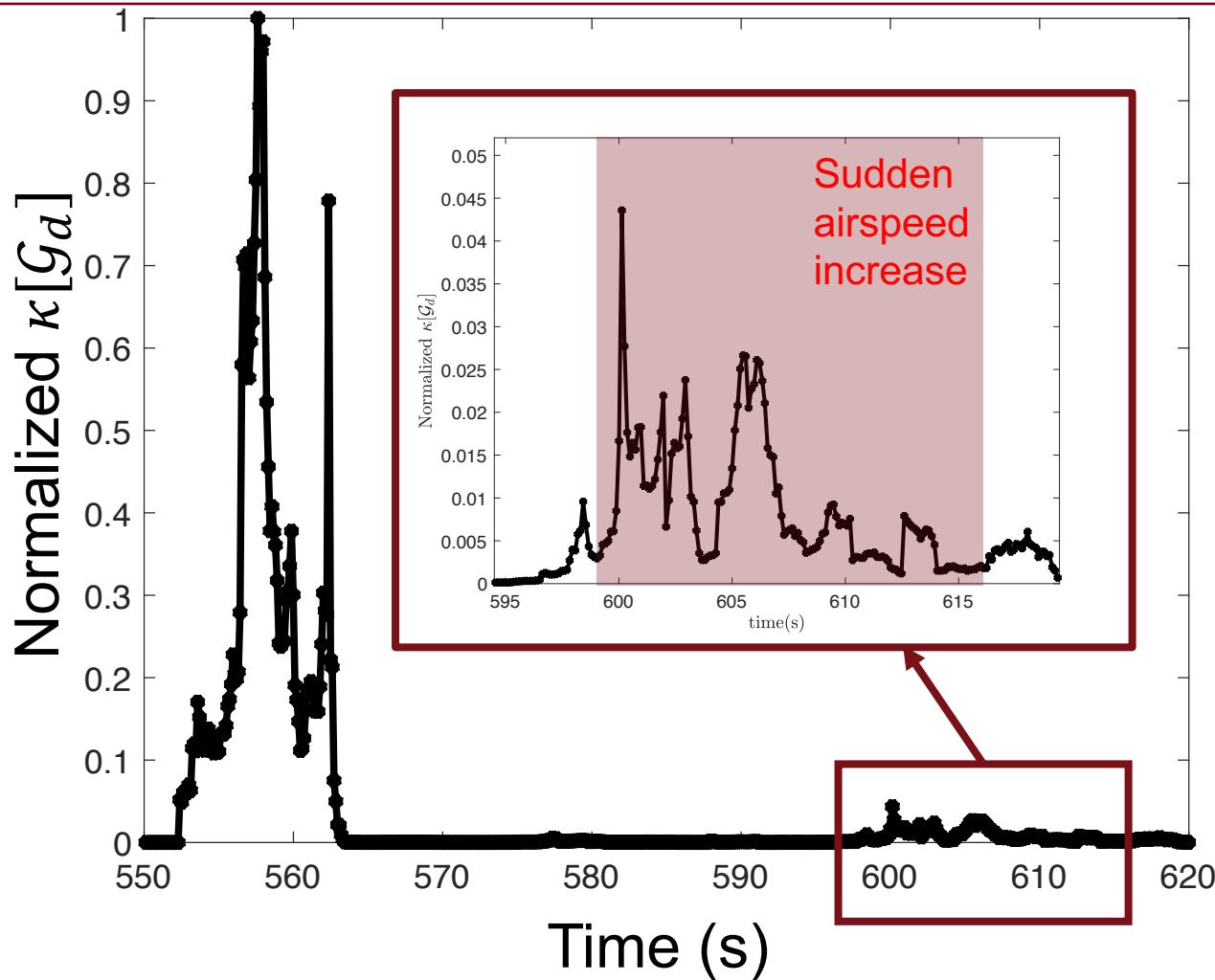


RESIDUAL-BASED TEST



Parameter	Estimated Start	Estimated Detection	Actual Recorded
Time (s)	616	618	618
Airspeed (m/s)	15	10	-10

OBSERVABILITY MONITORING



Monitoring Observability can potentially help rule out false alarm

PROTECTION LEVEL CALCULATIONS (2c)

OBJECTIVE: Provide some guarantee on ϵ

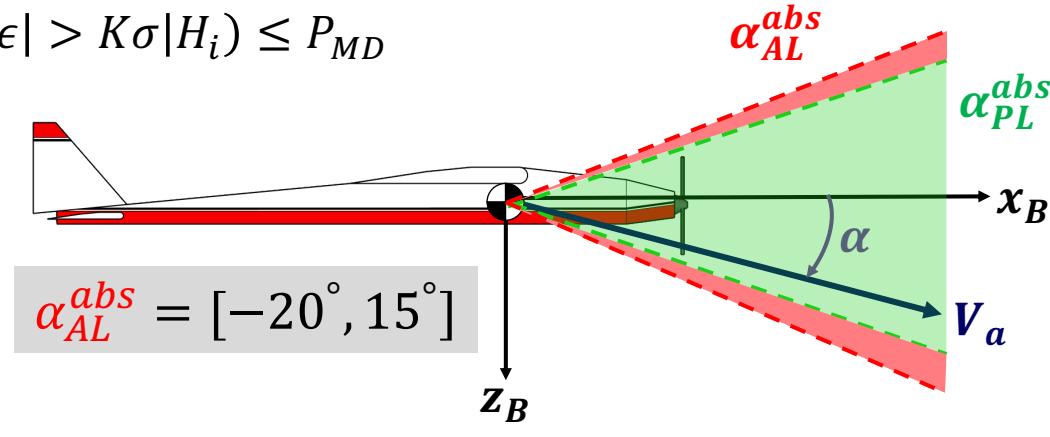
Protection Level (PL): Guaranteed upper bound of estimation error (i.e., $PL = K\sigma$)

Alert Limit (AL): the maximum error that can be tolerated (i.e., $PL < AL$)

Mathematically: $P(|\epsilon| > PL | H_i) = P(|\epsilon| > K\sigma | H_i) \leq P_{MD}$

INFLATION FACTOR K CALCULATION:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & P(|\epsilon_\alpha| > \alpha_{PL} | H_0) \\
 &= 2P\left(\frac{\epsilon_\alpha}{\sigma} < \frac{\alpha_{PL}}{\sigma} | H_0\right) \\
 &\leq 2P\left(\frac{\epsilon_\alpha}{\sigma} < \frac{\alpha_{PL}}{\sigma}\right) P(H_0) \\
 &\leq 2P\left(\frac{\epsilon_\alpha}{\sigma} < \frac{\alpha_{PL}}{\sigma}\right) \\
 &= 2Q\left(\frac{\alpha_{PL}}{\sigma}\right) = P_{MD} \Rightarrow \frac{\alpha_{PL}}{\sigma} = Q^{-1}\left(\frac{P_{MD}}{2}\right) \Rightarrow K_{\alpha,0} = Q^{-1}\left(\frac{P_{MD}}{2}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$



ABSOLUTE PL: $P(|\epsilon_\alpha| > \alpha_{PL} | H_0) = P(|\epsilon_\alpha| + \hat{\alpha} > \alpha_{PL} + \hat{\alpha} | H_0) = P(\alpha > \alpha_{PL}^{abs} | H_0)$

	H_0 (Fault Free)	H_1 (Faulted)
α_{PL}	$K_{\alpha,0}\sigma_\alpha$	$\frac{\sigma_\alpha}{\sqrt{D_k}}\sqrt{\lambda_U} + K_{\alpha,1}\sigma_\alpha$

Q: right hand cdf of a normal standard distribution

AL, PL AND INTEGRITY REQUIREMENT

$$P(|x - \hat{x}| \geq AL, y \in R) \leq 2Q\left(\frac{AL}{\sigma^{(0)}}\right) + \sum_{k=1}^K Q\left(\frac{AL - T}{\sigma^{(k)}}\right)p_k \leq P_{HMI} = I$$


$$2Q\left(\frac{PL}{\sigma^{(0)}}\right) + \sum_{k=1}^K Q\left(\frac{PL - T}{\sigma^{(k)}}\right)p_k = P_{HMI} = I$$

p_k : threat model (failure rate)

σ : nominal error model

T : threshold (false alarm)

P_{HMI} : integrity requirement (probability of hazard misleading information)

PROTECTION LEVEL CALCULATION (H1)

$$\lambda = \mathbb{E} [\mathbf{r}_{k-q:k}^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \mathbf{r}_{k-q:k}]$$

$$\lambda = \mathbf{E}_7 \mathbf{F}^T \mathbf{E}_7^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} (\mathbf{I} - \mathcal{O}\mathcal{O}^*) \mathbf{E}_7^T \mathbf{F} \mathbf{E}_7$$

$$\leq \mathbf{E}_7 \mathbf{F}^T \mathbf{E}_7^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \mathbf{E}_7^T \mathbf{F} \mathbf{E}_7$$

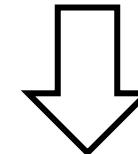
$$\leq \mathbf{E}_7 \mathbf{F}^T \mathbf{E}_7^T \mathbf{R}^{-1} \mathbf{E}_7^T \mathbf{F} \mathbf{E}_7$$

$$\leq \frac{f_{V_a}^2}{\sigma_{V_a}^2} q = \lambda_U$$

$$\overline{MDE} \triangleq \sqrt{\lambda}$$

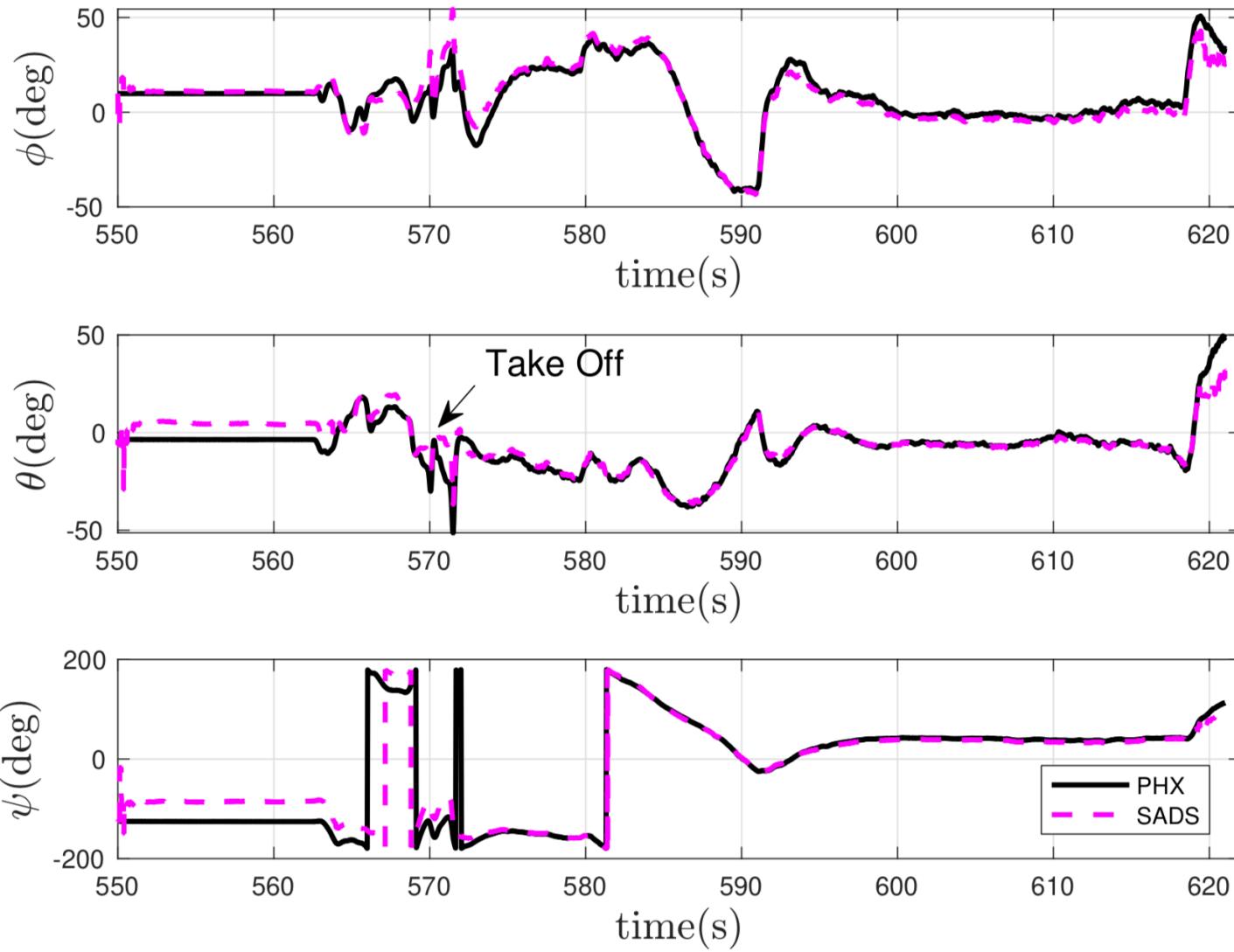
$$D_{r,k} = \mathbf{r}_{k-q:k}^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \mathbf{r}_{k-q:k}$$

$$\frac{\sigma_\alpha}{\sqrt{D_{r,k}}} = \frac{\sigma_{\alpha,U}}{\sqrt{\lambda_U}}$$

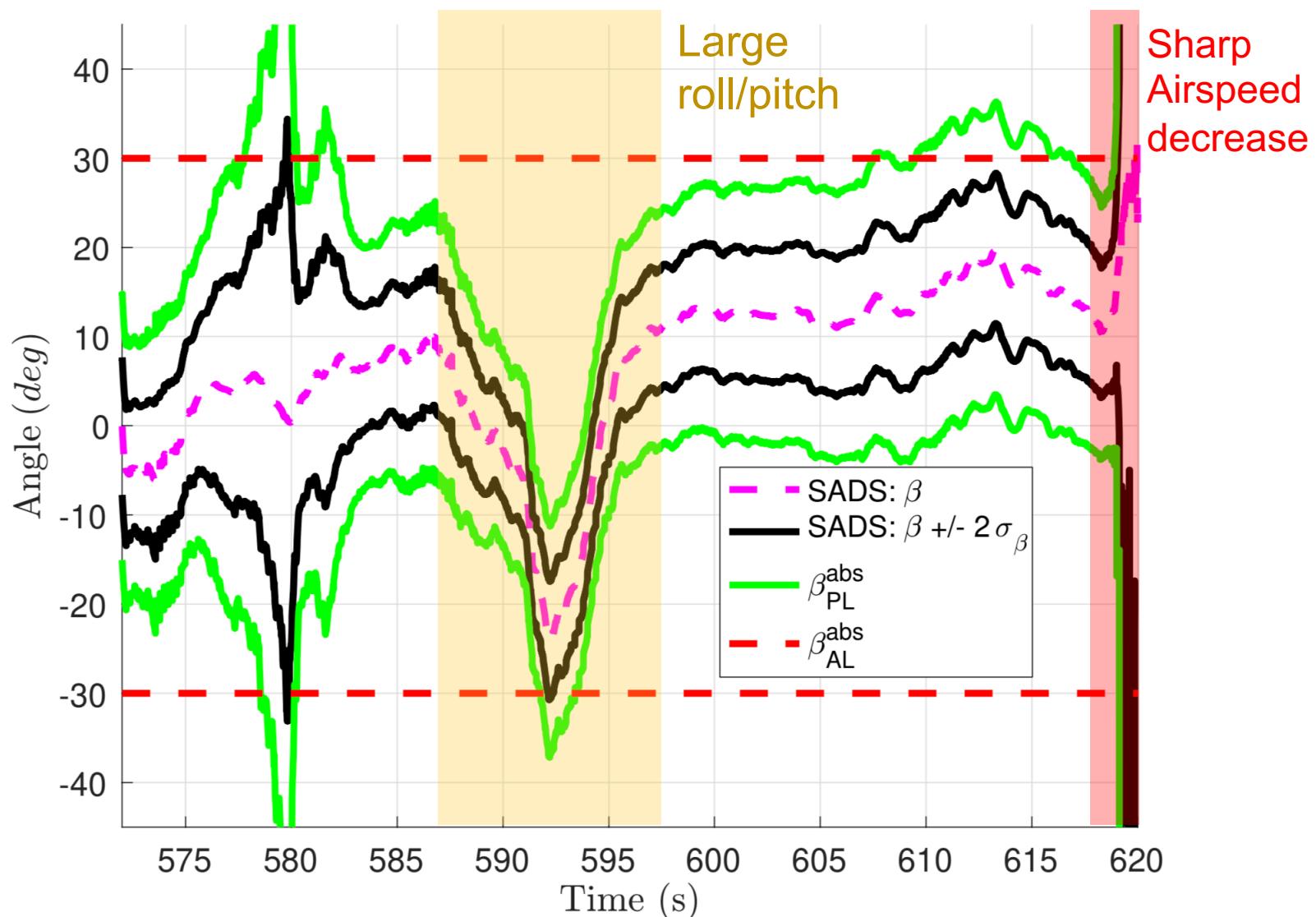


$$\sigma_{\alpha,U} = \frac{\sigma_\alpha}{\sqrt{D_{r,k}}} \sqrt{\lambda_U}$$

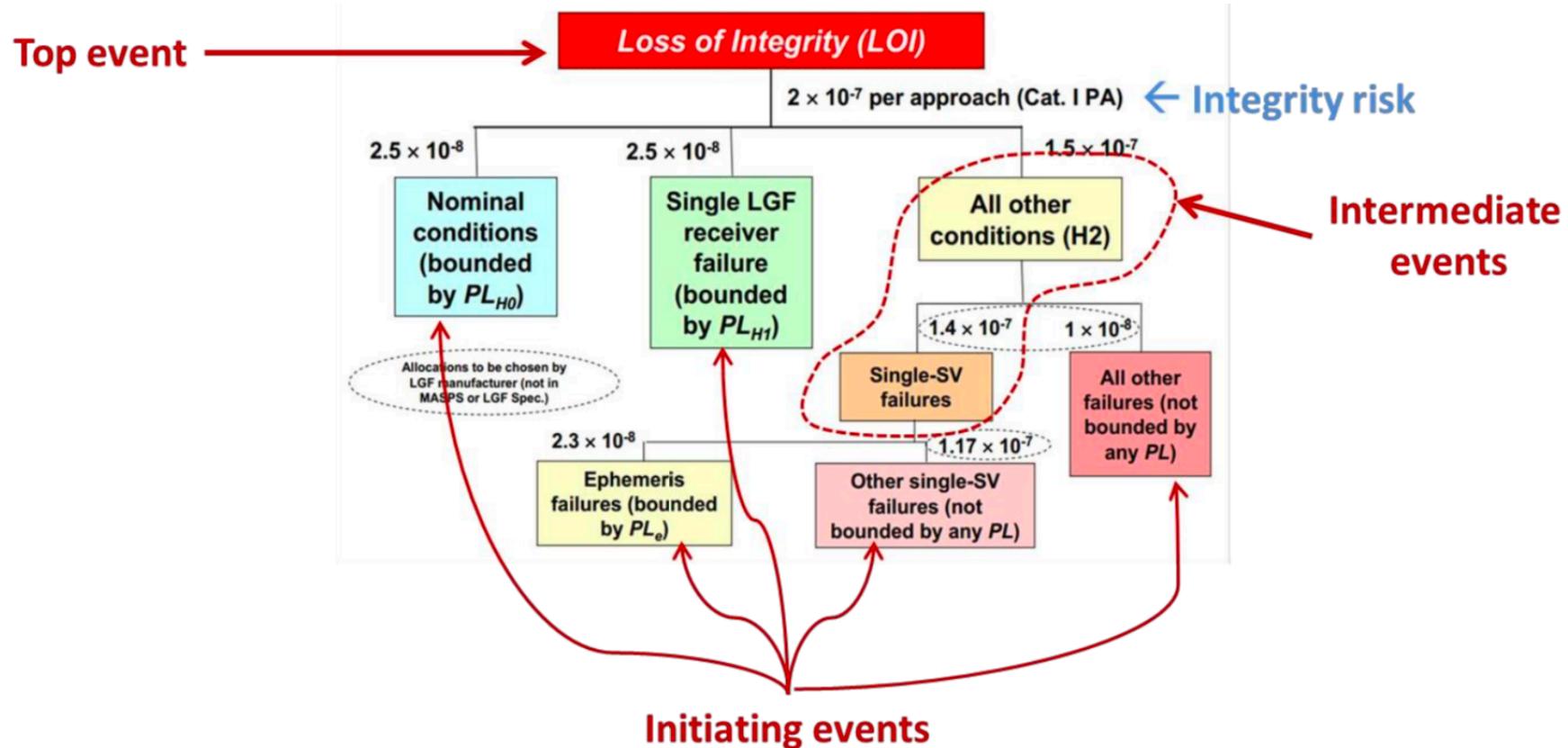
FLIGHT TEST ATTITUDE



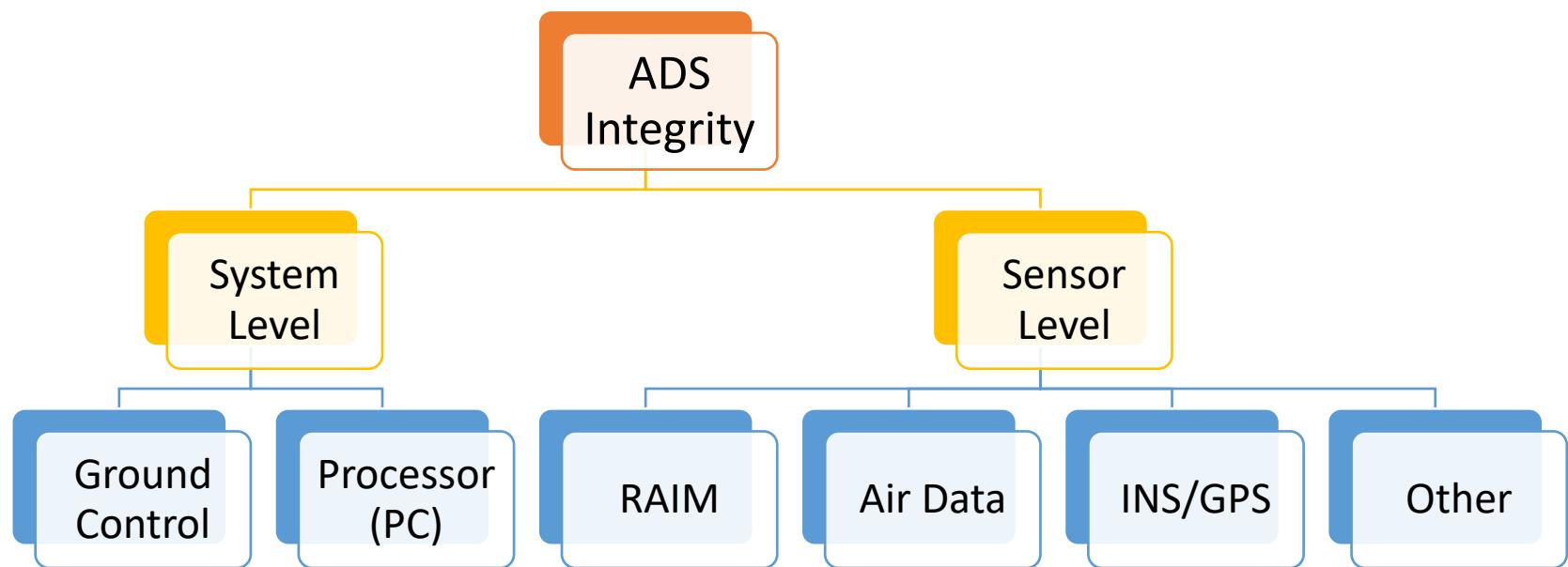
PROTECTION LEVEL OF SIDESLIP



INTEGRITY FAULT TREE EXAMPLE



ADS INTEGRITY



OBSERVABILITY

Linear System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= Ax(t) + Bu(t), x \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ y(t) &= Cx(t) + Du(t), y \in \mathbb{R}^m\end{aligned}$$

LTI Observability:

- Observable if and only if $\mathcal{O} = [C; CA; \dots; CA^{n-1}] = n$

LTV Observability:

- Observe if $\text{rank}(W_o) = n$ where $W_o = \int_0^\infty e^{A^T \tau} C^\tau C e^{A\tau} d\tau,$

Degree of LTV Observability:

- Usually measured by condition number, trace, etc.
 - e.g. $\kappa(W_o)$ is a measure of state observability

Stochastic Observability:

$$\sigma_{\max}(P_k) < T$$

GEOMETRIC CONTROL

Nonlinear system

$$\dot{x}(t) = f(x(t)) + \sum_{j=1} g_j(x(t)) u_j(t), x \in \mathbb{M}^n$$
$$y(t) = h(x(t)) + \sum_{j=1} g_j(x(t)) u_j(t), y \in \mathbb{M}^m$$

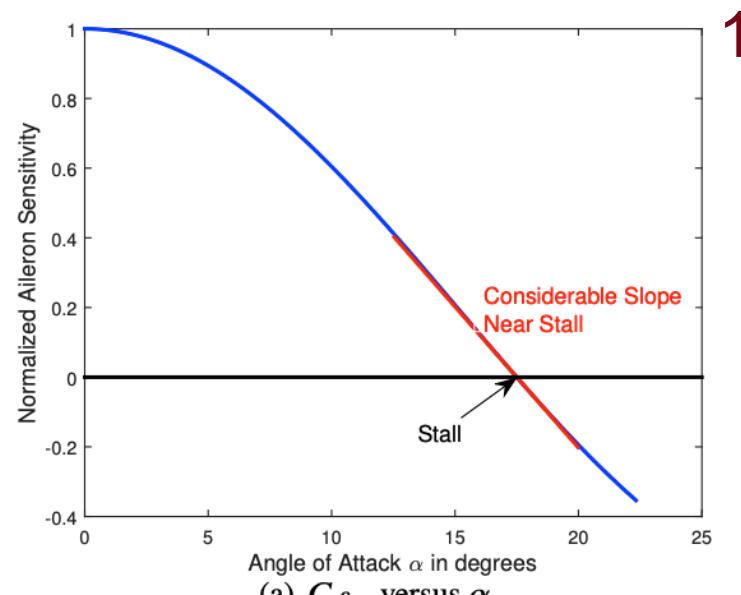
Using Lie bracket $[g_i, g_k] = \frac{\partial g_k}{\partial x} g_i - \frac{\partial g_i}{\partial x} g_k$ to recover nonlinear controllability (unactuated direction)

Ex. Nonlinear Interactions of Flight Control

Old: $C_L = C_{L_a} u_a$

New: $C_L = k \frac{\partial C_{L_a}}{\partial \alpha} u_{[g_e, g_a]}$

Can we flip this and find similar “new” measurement for observability?



DIFFERENTIAL GEOMETRY IN KALMAN FILTERING

- Invariant Extended Kalman Filtering (since 2008)

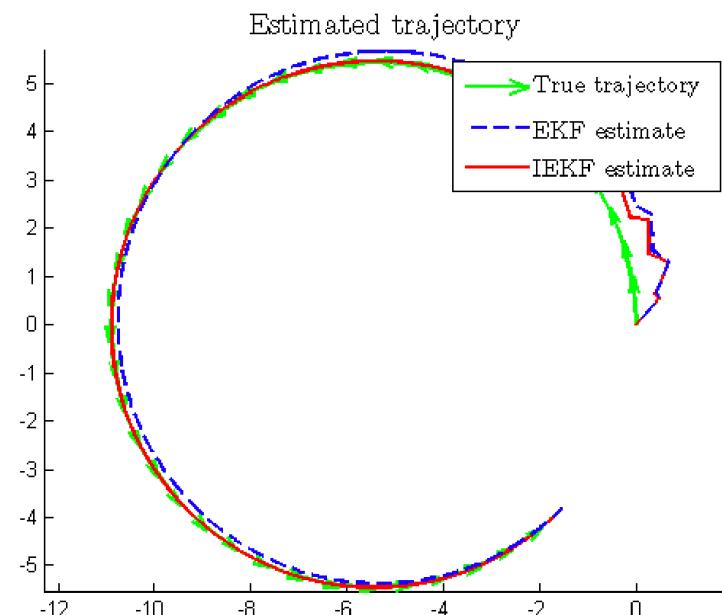
- Used for nonlinear systems possessing symmetries (invariances)
- Benefit: converge on a bigger set of trajectories than equilibrium points, which leads to a better convergence
- Uses differential geometry
- Applications: Lie group-based attitude estimation

Ex. 2D Wheel robot

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u_1 + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u_2$$



$$\frac{d}{dt} \xi_t = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \omega_t \\ -u_t & -\omega_t & 0 \end{pmatrix} \xi_t.$$



<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1410.1465.pdf>

<https://www.annualreviews.org/doi/pdf/10.1146/annurev-control-060117-105010>

Attitude error (angle)

PROPOSED RESEARCH QUESTIONS

- Notion of Degree of controllability - Is there a inconsistency between degree of observability and controllability?
- Connection between Geometric control and Invariant Kalman Filtering via differential geometry