

# TMA4285 Time Series Models, Kalman filter

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## 1 State space model

First equation is underlying mechanism, second equation is observation. First observation has its own distribution.

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{t+1} &= AY_t + Ga_{t+1} , & a_t &\sim N(0, \Sigma) \\ Z_t &= HY_t + b_t , & b_t &\sim N(0, \Omega) \\ Y_0 &\sim N(\mu_0, \Sigma_0) \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

## 2 Filtering Equations

We want to know something about the real states  $Y$  from observing the observable states  $Z$ . Define

$$\hat{Y}_{t+1|t} = E(Y_{t+1}|Z_0, \dots, Z_t) , \tag{2}$$

$$V_{t+1|t+1} = \text{Var}(Y_{t+1}|Z_0, \dots, Z_t) , \tag{3}$$

which are from 0 to  $t$  according to lecture notes page 48.<sup>1</sup> The filtering equations are

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{Y}_{t+1|t+1} &= \hat{Y}_{t+1|t} + K_{t+1}(Z_{t+1} - H\hat{Y}_{t+1|t}) , \\ \hat{Y}_{t+1|t} &= A\hat{Y}_{t|t} , \end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_{t+1|t+1} &= (I - K_{t+1}H)V_{t+1|t} , \\ V_{t+1|t} &= AV_{t|t}A^T + G^T , \\ K_{t+1} &= V_{t+1|t}H^T(HV_{t+1|t}H^T - \Omega)^{-1} . \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

### 2.1 Proofs of Filtering equations

Derive (4) from (1) and (2) like this:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{Y}_{t+1|t} &= E(Y_{t+1}|Z_0, \dots, Z_t) , \\ \hat{Y}_{t+1|t} &= E(AY_t + Ga_{t+1}|Z_0, \dots, Z_t) , \\ \hat{Y}_{t+1|t} &= A\hat{Y}_{t|t} . \end{aligned}$$

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<sup>1</sup>Might it sometimes in derivations mean for  $s \leq t$ ?

Derive (5) from (1) and (3) like this:

$$\begin{aligned}V_{t+1|t} &= \text{Var}(Y_{t+1}|Z_0, \dots, Z_t) , \\V_{t+1|t} &= \text{Var}(AY_t + Ga_{t+1}|Z_0, \dots, Z_t) , \\V_{t+1|t} &= AV_{t|t}A^T + G\Sigma G^T.\end{aligned}$$

Now when this is done we try our hand at the derivation from the LF in H12:

### **3 Done! :D**

And we should check that everything turns out alright for  $\Omega = 0, H = I$ , like some other exam. :) It does