MECH 5970/6970 (GPS) Homework #1 Due: 1/31/2025

- 1. Chapter 1, Problem 1-4
- 2. Generate two random sequences that are 100 long and randomly comprised of ± 1 . There are several ways to do this using the normal Gaussian random signal generator (randn) or the uniformly distributed random signal generator (rand):

>>2*ceil(rand(100,1)-0.5)-1

>>2*ceil(0.1*randn(100,1))-1

- a) Plot the histogram on each sequence
- b) Plot the spectral analysis on each sequence

There are multiple methods to make the Power Spectral Density (PSD):

- c) Plot the autocorrelation each sequence with itself (i.e. a sequence delay cross correlation). I recommend you write code to do this and check again matlab functions
- d) Plot the cross autocorrelation between the two sequences. **Bonus:** Perform a Monte Carlo Simulation by repeating the cross autocorrelation between the first sequence and 100 different sequences (finding the mean and standard deviation) **Bonus:** Repeat parts a-d for a sequence that is 1000 long and compare to above.
- 3. Generate 3 sequences 1000 long (this is a simple Monte-Carlo simulation)

A=3+3*randn(1000,1)

B=5+5*randn(1000,1)

C=A+B

D = 3A + 4B

E=3A-4B

DATA=[A B C D E]

- a) Find the mean (>>mean) and variance (>>std or >>var) for A, B, C, D, and E
- b) Find the mean of DATA
- c) Find the Covariance Matrix of DATA (>>cov)
- 4. Develop the Taylor Series linearized approximation the following equation

$$r(x, y) = \sqrt{(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2}$$

5. Write code to perform a time autocorrelation of a 1 Hz sine wave. Plot the result (from -1 seconds to +1 seconds) and the normalized result.