

Goal: Compare EKF w/ Particle Filter.

Scalar, non-linear model:

$$x_k = \frac{1}{2} x_{k-1} + \frac{25 x_{k-1}}{1 + x_{k-1}^2} + 8 \cos(1.2(k-1)) + u_k \quad (1)$$

$$y_k = \frac{1}{20} x_k^2 + v_k \quad (2)$$

 $\{u_k\}, \{v_k\}$ are white, Gaussian noise sequences w/ unit variance.

$$Q_k = 1, R_k = 1$$

$$\text{initial state: } x_0 = 0.1, \hat{x}_0 = 0, \hat{\sigma}_0 = 2$$

note: both state & measurement processes are non-linear.

Q1) Plot ^{the state process} x_k via python (see python code for plot)

Now for the Particle Filter

method:

- 1) draw n samples from the prior $x_0^{(i)} \sim p(x_0) \quad i=1 \dots n$
and set $w^{(i)} = \frac{1}{n}$ for $i=1 \dots n$

- 2) For each $k=1 \dots T$

- a) draw samples $x_k^{(i)}$ from importance distributions

$$x_k^{(i)} \sim \pi(x_k | x_{0:k-1}^{(i)}, y_{0:k}) \quad i=1 \dots n$$

- b) compute new weights

$$w_k^{(i)} \propto w_{k-1}^{(i)} \frac{p(y_k | x_k^{(i)}) p(x_k^{(i)} | x_{k-1}^{(i)})}{\pi(x_k^{(i)} | x_{0:k-1}^{(i)}, y_{0:k})} \quad \text{and normalize}$$

- 3) If the effective # of particle is too low, re-sample and reset to

uniform weights, where $n_{\text{eff}} \approx \frac{1}{\sum_{j=1}^n (w_k^{(j)})^2}$ (i.e. the # of effective particles at a particular time-step)

But, in class we did not specify how to choose the importance distribution and how to perform the sampling.

↑
(Ideally, try to get as close to real distr. as possible, and be Markovian)

Now, we choose

$$q(x_k^{(i)} | x_{0:k-1}^{(i)} y_{1:n}) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} p(x_k^{(i)} | x_{k-1}^{(i)}) \quad (3)$$

that is, we only push the current particle $x_{k-1}^{(i)}$ through a process update.

Q2] Given a set of particles $\{x_{k-1}^{(i)}\}$, show that sampling from the importance distribution $q(x_k | x_{0:k-1}^{(i)} y_{1:n})$ then reduces to computing:

$$\frac{1}{2} x_{k-1}^{(i)} + \frac{25 x_{k-1}^{(i)}}{1 + (x_{k-1}^{(i)})^2} + 8 \cos(1.2(k-1)) \quad (4)$$

and adding the realization of the 0-mean white Gaussian noise.

Q2 cont'd

from (3) we have

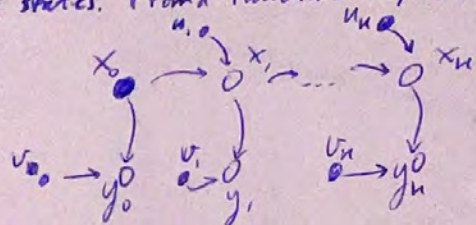
$$\pi(x_n | x_{0:n-1}^{(i)}, y_{1:n}) \triangleq p(x_n | x_{n-1}^{(i)})$$

from eqn

$$(1) \Rightarrow p(x_n | x_{n-1}^{(i)}) = p\left(\frac{1}{2}x_{n-1} + \frac{25x_{n-1}}{1+x_{n-1}^2} + 8\cos(1.2(n-1)) + u_n | x_{n-1}^{(i)}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}x_{n-1}^{(i)} + \frac{25x_{n-1}^{(i)}}{1+(x_{n-1}^{(i)})^2} + 8\cos(1.2(n-1)) + p(u_n | x_{n-1}^{(i)})$$

Since u_n is Gaussian white noise, it is independent of past and present states. From a Functional Dependence Graph perspective, we see that indeed



u_n is independent of x_{n-1} .

$$\text{Thus, } p(u_n | x_{n-1}^{(i)}) = p(u_n) = 0$$

In summary,

$$\pi(x_n | x_{0:n-1}^{(i)}, y_{1:n}) \triangleq p(x_n | x_{n-1}^{(i)}) = \frac{1}{2}x_{n-1}^{(i)} + \frac{25x_{n-1}^{(i)}}{1+(x_{n-1}^{(i)})^2} + 8\cos(1.2(n-1)) + p(u_n)$$

so that when we sample from the importance distribution, given $\{x_{k-1}^{(i)}\}$, then the resultant sample is eqn (1) plus the realization of $\{u_n\}$.

[Q3] Explicit expression for computation of weights $w_n^{(i)}$ as a function of $w_{n-1}^{(i)}$. Make the subsequent normalization to avoid unnecessary computations.

Q3 cont'd

$$w_n^{(i)} \propto w_{n-1}^{(i)} \frac{p(y_n | x_n^{(i)}) p(x_n^{(i)} | x_{n-1}^{(i)})}{\pi(x_n^{(i)} | x_{0:n-1}, y_{0:n})}$$

$$\pi(x_n^{(i)} | x_{0:n-1}, y_{0:n})$$

how to deal w/ this?
is it the same as
 $\pi(x_n | x_{0:n-1}, y_{0:n})$?

I don't think so... there's a comma there...

but it is the same \rightarrow should be a comma always!

where $\pi(x_n^{(i)} | x_{0:n-1}, y_{0:n})$
 $= p(x_n^{(i)} | x_{n-1}^{(i)})$

then,

$$w_{n-1}^{(i)} \frac{p(y_n | x_n^{(i)}) p(x_n^{(i)} | x_{n-1}^{(i)})}{\pi(x_n^{(i)} | x_{0:n-1}, y_{0:n})} = w_{n-1}^{(i)} p(y_n | x_n^{(i)})$$

\swarrow
 $p(x_n^{(i)} | x_{n-1}^{(i)})$

$$\text{and } \mathbb{E} p(y_n | x_n^{(i)}) = \mathbb{E} \left(\frac{1}{2\sigma} x_n^2 + v_n | x_n^{(i)} \right) = \mathbb{E} \left(\frac{1}{2\sigma} x_n^2 | x_n^{(i)} \right) + \mathbb{E} (v_n | x_n^{(i)})$$

$$\text{note: } \mathbb{E} (v_n | x_n^{(i)}) = \mathbb{E} (v_n) \text{ b/c } v_n \text{ is independent of } x_n^{(i)}$$

$$\text{and thus } \mathbb{E} (v_n) = 0, \text{ then;}$$

$$\left| \mathbb{E} p(y_n | x_n^{(i)}) = \mathbb{E} \left(\frac{1}{2\sigma} x_n^2 | x_n^{(i)} \right) = \frac{1}{2\sigma} (x_n^{(i)})^2 \right| \quad (5)$$

such that

$$w_n^{(i)} \propto w_{n-1}^{(i)} p(y_n | x_n^{(i)}) = \frac{w_{n-1}^{(i)} (x_{n-1}^{(i)})^2}{2\sigma}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{w_n^{(i)} \propto \frac{1}{2\sigma} w_{n-1}^{(i)} (x_{n-1}^{(i)})^2} \quad (6)$$

Q3 cont'd)

each y_n is Gaussian distributed around the mean, due to the Gaussian noise $\{v_n\}$. Thus,

$$y_n \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbb{E}[y_n], 1) \quad \text{since } v_n \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Note: } K_y &= \mathbb{E}[(y_n - \mu_y)(y_n - \mu_y)^T] = \mathbb{E}\left[\left(\frac{1}{20}x_n^{(i)} + v_n - \frac{1}{20}x_n^{(i)}\right)\left(\frac{1}{20}x_n^{(i)} + v_n - \frac{1}{20}x_n^{(i)}\right)^T\right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}(v_n^2) = K_n = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now, } p_y(y_n | x_n^{(i)}) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{y_n - \mu_y}{\sigma^2}\right)^2\right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{p_{y_n}(y_n | x_n^{(i)}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(y_n - \frac{1}{20}x_n^{(i)}\right)^2\right]} \quad (7)$$

such that,

$$w_n^{(i)} \propto w_{n-1}^{(i)} p(y_n | x_n^{(i)})$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{w_n^{(i)} \propto w_{n-1}^{(i)} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(y_n - \frac{1}{20}x_n^{(i)}\right)^2\right] \right)} \quad (8)$$

Q4) Implement particle Filter without the resampling step. Use 200 part.

4.1) Provide a graph w/ at least mean & var. of filter superposed to data.

4.2) Plot the n_{eff} as a function of time index k .

→ see python code

(recall PF method on page 1, given in problem statement)

1) draw n samples from the prior. $x_0^{(i)} \sim p(x_0)$ $i = 1 \dots n$

and set $w^{(i)} = \frac{1}{n}$ for $i = 1 \dots n$.

↳ note: $x_0 \sim (0, 2)$ from problem statement: $[x_0 = 0.1, \hat{x}_0 = 0, \sigma_0 = 2]$

2) For each $k = 1 \dots T$

a) draw samples $x_k^{(i)}$ from importance distributions

$$x_k^{(i)} \sim \pi(x_k^{(i)} | x_{0:n-1}^{(i)}, y_{0:k})$$

$$\Rightarrow x_k^{(i)} \sim p(x_k^{(i)} | x_{k-1}^{(i)})$$

$$\text{where } p(x_k^{(i)} | x_{k-1}^{(i)}) = \frac{1}{2} x_{k-1}^{(i)} + \frac{25 x_{k-1}^{(i)}}{1 + (x_{k-1}^{(i)})^2} + 8 \cos(1.2(k-1)) + p(u_k)$$

$$\text{and } u_k \sim (0, 1)$$

b) compute new weights, and normalize:

$$w_k^{(i)} \propto w_{k-1}^{(i)} \frac{p(y_k | x_k^{(i)}) p(x_k^{(i)} | x_{k-1}^{(i)})}{\pi(x_k^{(i)} | x_{0:n-1}^{(i)}, y_{0:k})} \Rightarrow w_k^{(i)} \propto \frac{1}{20} w_{k-1}^{(i)} (x_{k-1}^{(i)})^2$$

$$\text{then, } \hat{w}_k^{(i)} = \frac{w_k^{(i)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_k^{(i)}}, i = 1 \dots n$$

3) skip for this part/problem

~~$\|w_k^{(i)}\| = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (w_k^{(i)})^2}$~~
want only that $\sum w_k^{(i)} = 1$, to prepare for re-sampling & to standardize weights

Q4 cont'd

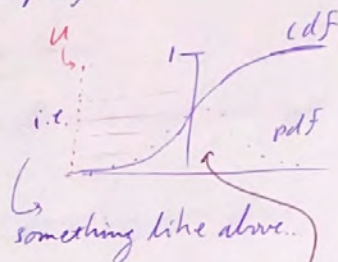
weighted mean: $\mu_w = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i}$

baised weighted variance: $\hat{\sigma}_w^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i (x_i - \mu_w)^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i}$

Q5] Let X be a random variable with PDF p_X and CDF F . Let U be a random variable uniformly distributed in $[0, 1]$. Show that the variable $F^{-1}(U)$ is distributed according to p_X . s.t. we can sample from

$\sum_{i=1}^n w_i^{(i)} \delta[x - x_i^{(i)}]$ (CDF)

Let $F = \sum_{i=1}^n w_i^{(i)} \delta(x - x_i^{(i)})$



$P(F^{-1}(U) \leq x) = F(x)$

$F^{-1}(\alpha)$ will give the value x s.t. $F(x) = \alpha (= P(X \leq x))$

so, the probability that $F^{-1}(U) \leq x$ is $P(F^{-1}(U) \leq x) =$

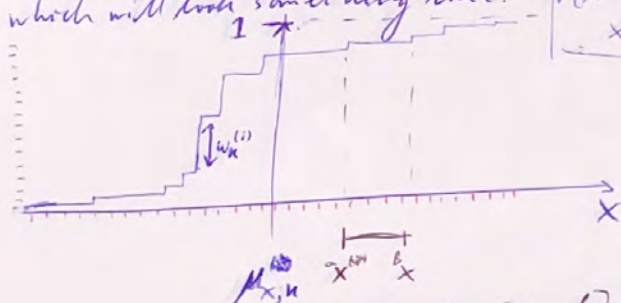
$F^{-1}(U) \leq x \Rightarrow U \leq F(x) \Rightarrow P(F^{-1}(U) \leq x) = P(U \leq F(x)) = F(x)$

$\Rightarrow F^{-1}(U) \sim p_X$
(distributed according to p_X)

since U is a uniform distribution, any value in $[0, 1]$ is equally probable, s.t. the probability that $U \leq F(x)$ is simply the value of $F(x)$.

so, $F(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n w_i^{(i)} \delta(x - x_i^{(i)})$

which will look something like:



so, $F^{-1}(0.9) = [x^\alpha, x^\beta]$

so have to figure out how to split and sample. if $F^{-1}(U_i)$ is between two values, choose the lower one. Then within the range of values that it is $[x^\alpha, x^\beta]$, randomly select a point in between. (w/ uniform distr.)

Q6] Plot the PF with re-sampling if $n_{eff} < 20$ (10% of samples particles)

method for resampling:

at step k , if $n_{eff}[k-1] < 20$:

draw new samples according to:

$$P(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n w_n^{(i)} \delta(x - x_n^{(i)}) \rightarrow$$

\rightarrow ~~bins~~ bins = iterative sum of $w^{(i)}$

$U = \text{random}(\text{uniform}, 200)$

foreach $U^{(i)}$:

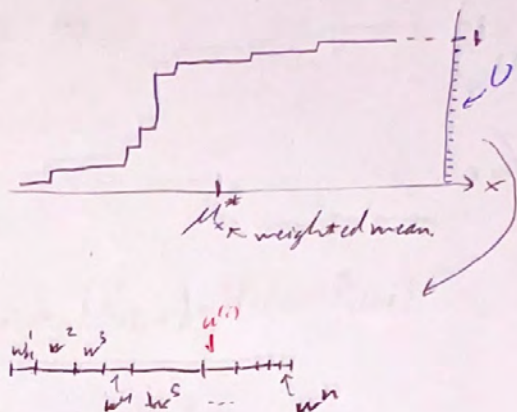
~~for~~ foreach bin: (in reverse)

if $U^{(i)} \geq \text{bin}$:

$$x_{\text{new}}^{(i)} = x_k^{(i)} + (x_n^{(i)} + x_n^{(i+1)}) * \text{random}(\text{uniform})$$

break/continue
and continue algorithm...

\rightarrow do this so not the same point each time



See python code for implemented PF and algorithm

(Q7) \rightarrow

Q7 Derive a linearized version of the non-linear system:

System:

$$y_k = \frac{1}{20} x_k^2 + v_k$$

$$x_k = \frac{1}{2} x_{k-1} + \frac{25 x_{k-1}}{1 + x_{k-1}^2} + 8 \cos(1.2(k-1)) + u_k$$

per Lec 17.

$$x_i = f_i(x_{i-1}) + u_{i-1}, \quad y_i = h_i(x_i) + v_i$$

$$f_i(x_i) \approx f_i(\hat{x}_{i|i-1}) + F_i(x_i - \hat{x}_{i|i-1}), \quad h_i(x_i) \approx h_i(\hat{x}_{i|i-1}) + H_i(x_i - \hat{x}_{i|i-1})$$

where $F_i = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_{i,1}}{\partial x_{i,1}} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_{i,n}}{\partial x_{i,n}} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_{i,n}}{\partial x_{i,1}} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_{i,n}}{\partial x_{i,n}} \end{bmatrix}$ and similar for H_i

let $z_k = x_k - 8 \cos(1.2(k-1))$

$$\Rightarrow z_k = \frac{1}{2} x_{k-1} + \frac{25 x_{k-1}}{1 + x_{k-1}^2} + u_k \Rightarrow \text{let } \left\{ \begin{aligned} f_k(x_k) &= \frac{1}{2} x_{k-1} + \frac{25 x_{k-1}}{1 + x_{k-1}^2} \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (7.1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ F_k = \frac{\partial f_k}{\partial x_k} = \frac{1}{2} + 25(1 + x_k^2)^{-1} + 25 x_k (-1)(2 x_k)^{-2} \right\} \quad (7.2)$$

s.t. $z_{k+1} \approx f_k(\hat{x}_{k|k}) + F_k(\hat{x}_{k|k})(x_k - \hat{x}_{k|k}) + u_k$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ x_{k+1} \approx f_k(\hat{x}_{k|k}) + F_k(\hat{x}_{k|k})(x_k - \hat{x}_{k|k}) + 8 \cos(1.2(k-1)) + u_k \right\} \quad (7.3)$$

let $\left\{ \begin{aligned} h_k(x_k) &= \frac{1}{20} x_k^2 \Rightarrow h_k(x_k) \approx h_k(\hat{x}_{k|k-1}) + H_k(\hat{x}_{k|k-1})(x_k - \hat{x}_{k|k-1}) \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (7.4)$

s.t. $\left\{ y_k = h_k(\hat{x}_{k|k-1}) + H_k(\hat{x}_{k|k-1})(x_k - \hat{x}_{k|k-1}) + v_k \right\} \quad (7.5)$

$$\left\{ H_k(x_k) = \frac{\partial h_k}{\partial x_k} = \frac{1}{10} x_k \right\} \quad (7.6)$$

EHF equations:

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \hat{x}_{i+1|i} = f_i(\hat{x}_{i|i}) \\ \hat{x}_{i|i} = \hat{x}_{i|i-1} + K_{f,i} (y_i - h_i(\hat{x}_{i|i-1})) \\ K_{f,i} = P_{i|i-1} H_{i|i-1}^T (H_{i|i-1} P_{i|i-1} H_{i|i-1}^T + R_i)^{-1} \\ P_{i|i} = (I - K_{f,i} H_{i|i-1}) P_{i|i-1} \\ P_{i+1|i} = F_{i|i} P_{i|i} F_{i|i}^T + G_i Q_i G_i^T, \quad G_i = I_{\text{identity}} \end{array} \right.$$

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ECE6555 HW5

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1 [Q1] Make a plot of the trajectory. This will serve as a reference throughout the problem

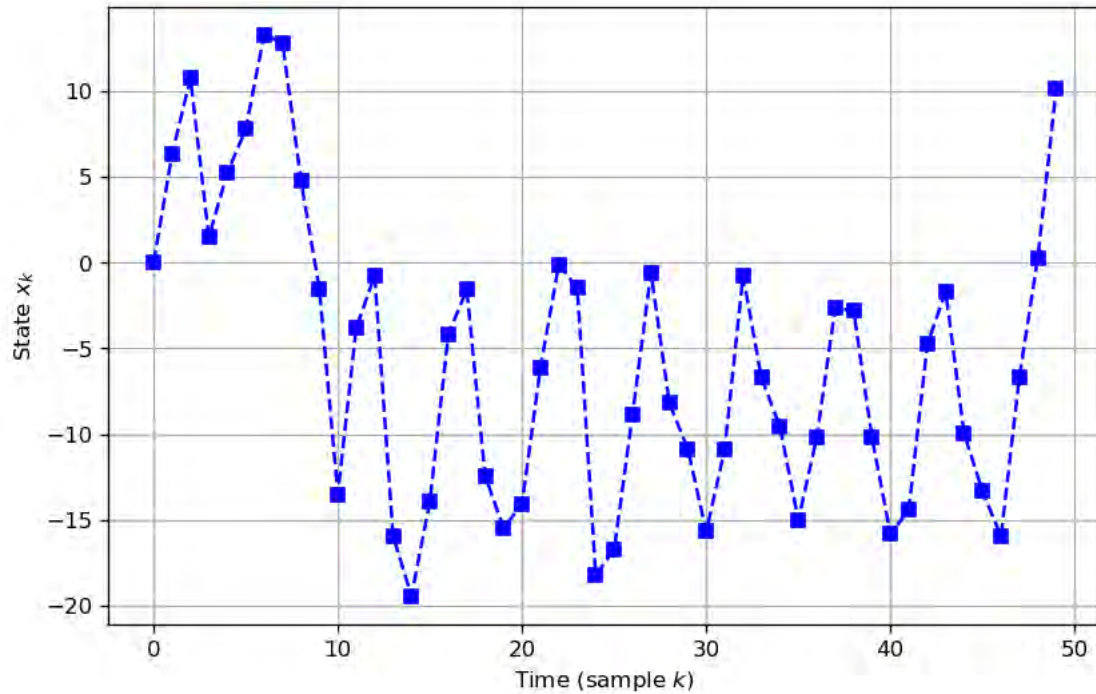
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In [1]: ▶ 1 import numpy as np
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3
4 # Create the trajectory
5 np.random.seed(202212)
6 NumSteps = 50
7 TimeScale = np.arange(1, NumSteps, 1)
8 x0=0
9 sigma=1
10
11 x = [x0]
12 y = [0]
13 for k in TimeScale:
14     xk = 0.5*x[-1]+25*x[-1]/(1+x[-1]**2)+8*np.cos(1.2*(k-1))+np.random.randn()
15     yk = 1/20*xk**2+np.random.randn()
16     x.append(xk)
17     y.append(yk)
18
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In [2]: 1 # Plot the trajectory
2 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,5), dpi=120)
3
4 ax.plot(np.insert(TimeScale,0,0),x,'b--')
5 ax.grid(True)
6 ax.plot(np.insert(TimeScale,0,0),x,'bs',markersize=6)
7 #plt.legend(['line','markers'])
8 ax.set_ylabel(r'State $x_k$')
9 ax.set_xlabel(r'Time (sample $k$)')
10
11 plt.show()

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2 [Q4] Implement the Particle Filter without the resampling step

Use 200 particles.

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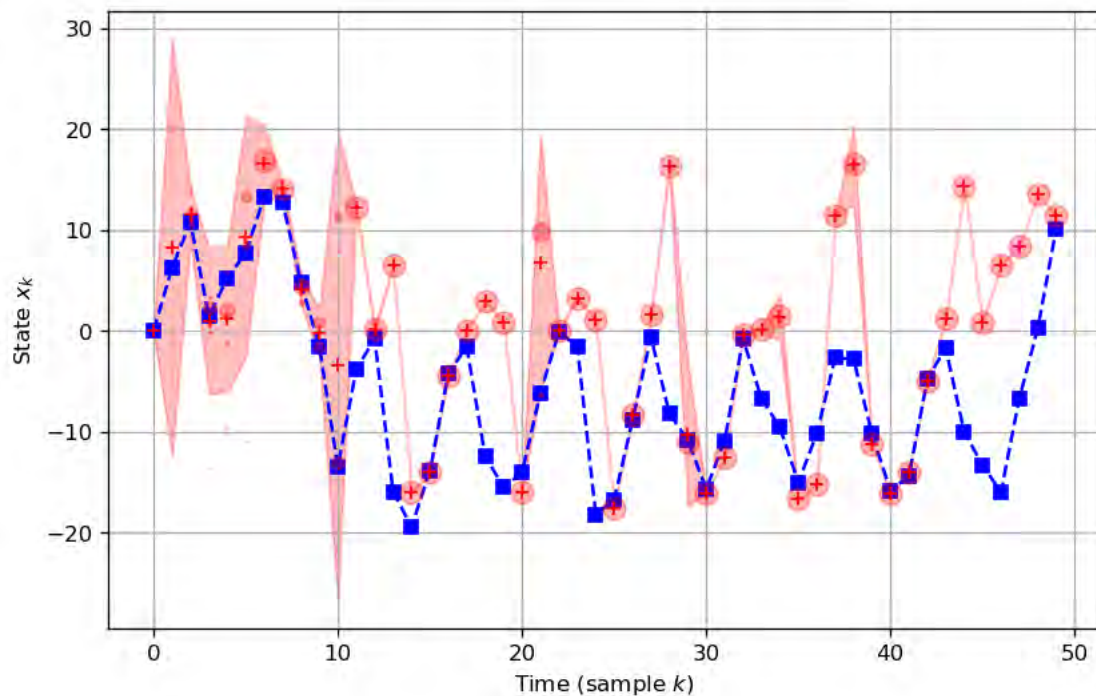
In [12]: 1 # 1) draw n samples from the prior
2 # 2) for each k = 1...T
3 #     a) draw samples  $x_k(i)$  from the importance distribution
4 #     b) compute the new weights
5 #     c) normalize the new weights
6
7 # initialize  $x^i_k$  and  $w^i_k$  matrices to keep track of state estimation distributions and weights
8 n = 200 # number of particles
9 xki = np.zeros((NumSteps,n),dtype=float)
10 wki = np.zeros((NumSteps,n),dtype=float)
11
12 # 1) draw n samples from the prior
13 x0_mu, x0_sigma = 0, np.sqrt(2)
14 x0 = np.random.normal(x0_mu, x0_sigma, n)
15 w0 = 1/n*np.ones(n)
16
17 # insert the samples from the prior into our matrices for keeping track of things
18 xki[0,:] = x0
19 wki[0,:] = w0
20
21 # initialize noise Gaussian parameters
22 u_mu, u_sigma = 0, 1
23 v_mu, v_sigma = 0, 1
24
25 # 2) for each k = 1...T
26 mean = np.zeros(NumSteps) # keep track of the mean of the particles
27 var = np.zeros(NumSteps) # keep track of the variance of the particles at each step
28 neff = np.zeros(NumSteps)
29
30 for k in np.arange(1,NumSteps,1):
31     # a) draw samples  $x_k(i)$  from the importance distribution
32     xki[k,:] = 1/2*xki[k-1,:] + 25*xki[k-1,:]/(1 + xki[k-1,:]**2) + 8*np.cos(1.2*(k-1)) + \
33         np.random.normal(u_mu, u_sigma,n)
34     # print(sum(xki[k,:]))
35     # b) compute the new weights
36     wki[k,:] = wki[k-1,:]*1/np.sqrt(2*np.pi)*np.exp(-0.5*(y[k] - 1/20*(xki[k-1,:]**2))**2)
37     # c) normalize the new weights
38     wki[k,:] = wki[k,:]/sum(wki[k,:])
39     mean[k] = np.average(xki[k,:],weights=wki[k,:])
40     var[k] = np.average((xki[k,:] - mean[k])**2,weights=wki[k,:])
41     #var[k] = np.average((xki[k,:]**2,weights=wki[k,:]) - (mean[k])**2
42     neff[k] = 1/sum(wki[k,:]**2)
43
44 # track mean for later analysis
45 mean_pf = mean

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2.1 [Q4.1] Provide a graph with at least the mean and variance of the filter superposed to the data.

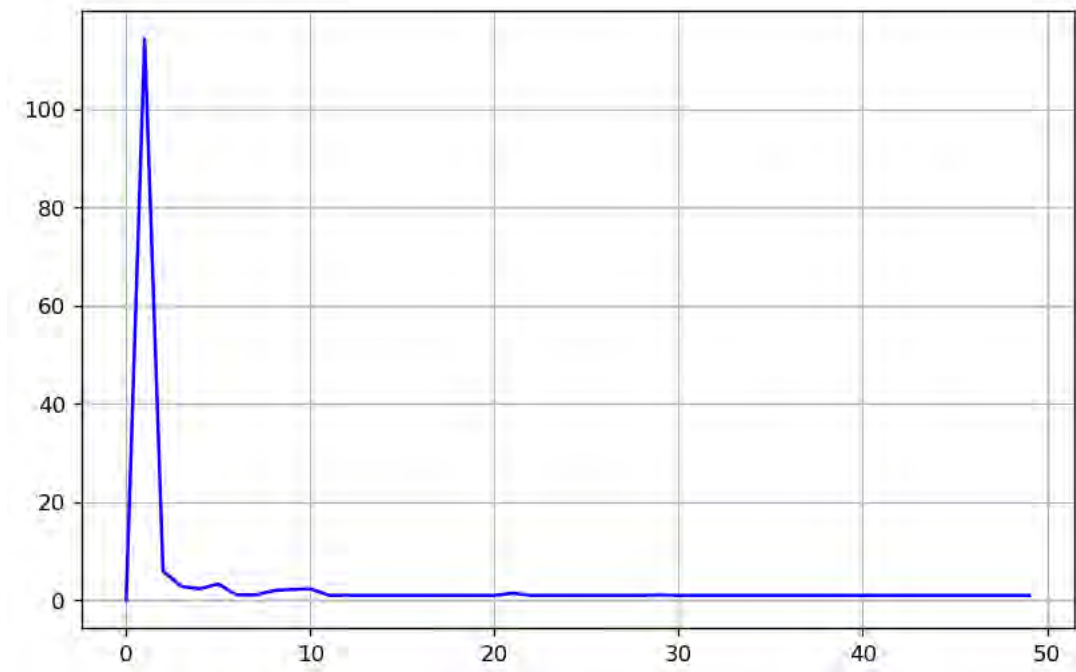
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In [4]: 1 # Plot the trajectory
2 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,5), dpi=120)
3
4 ax.plot(np.insert(TimeScale,0,0),x, 'b--')
5 ax.grid(True)
6 ax.plot(np.insert(TimeScale,0,0),x, 'bs', markersize=6)
7 #plt.legend(['Line', 'markers'])
8 ax.set_ylabel(r'State $x_k$')
9 ax.set_xlabel(r'Time (sample $k$)')
10 for k in np.arange(1, NumSteps, 1):
11     for i in np.arange(n):
12         if wki[k,i] > 1e-3:
13             ax.plot(k, xki[k,i], 'ro', markersize=10*wki[k,i], alpha=0.3)
14 ax.plot(mean, 'r+')
15 ax.fill_between(np.arange(NumSteps), mean-2*np.sqrt(var), mean+2*np.sqrt(var), alpha=0.25, color='r')
16 fig.suptitle('Particle Filter with NO re-sampling')
17
18 plt.show()
```

Particle Filter with NO re-sampling



2.2 [Q4.2] Plot the n_{eff} as a function of time index k .

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In [5]: 1 # Plot the neff
2 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,5), dpi=120)
3
4 ax.plot(np.insert(TimeScale,0,0),neff, 'b')
5 ax.grid(True)
6 plt.show()
```

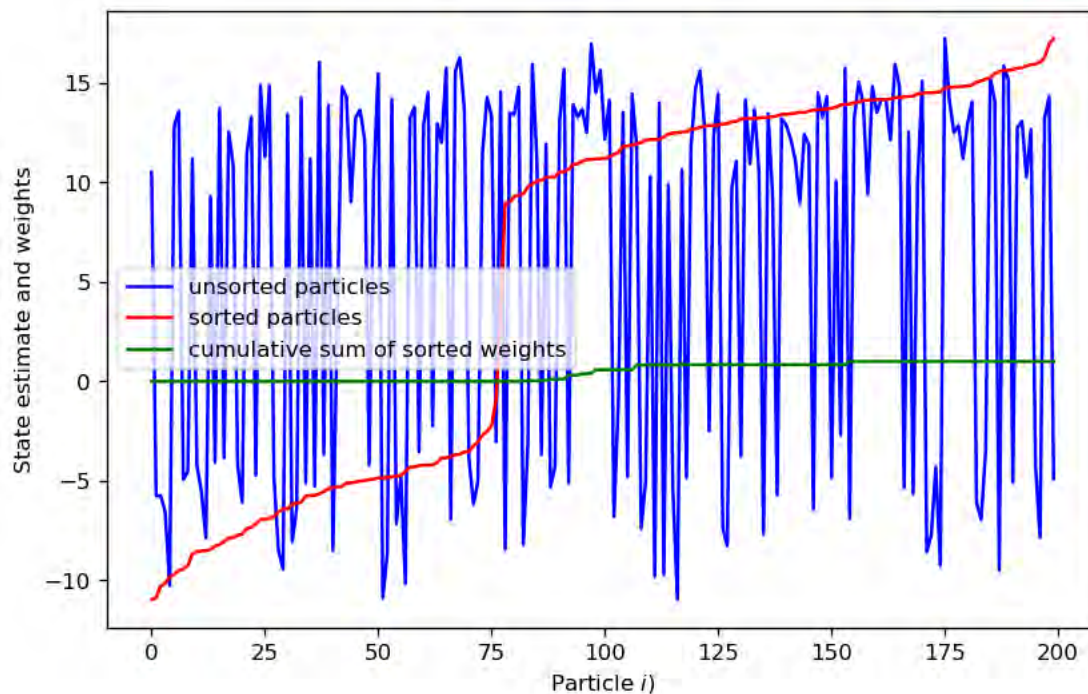


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In [ ]: 1
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3 [Q6] Implement the Particle Filter with the resampling step

3.1 Illustration of sorted particles and weights at a single step

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In [6]: 1 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,5), dpi=120)
2
3
4 ax.plot(xki[2,:], 'b')
5 ax.plot(np.sort(xki[2,:]), 'r')
6 ax.plot(np.cumsum(np.take_along_axis(wki[2,:], np.argsort(xki[2,:]), axis=0)), 'g')
7 #plt.legend(['line', 'markers'])
8 ax.set_ylabel(r'State estimate and weights')
9 ax.set_xlabel(r'Particle $i$')
10 ax.legend(['unsorted particles', 'sorted particles', 'cumulative sum of sorted weights'])
11
12 plt.show()
```



3.2 [Q6.1] The Particle Filter algorithm (with resampling step)

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In [13]: 1 # 1) draw n samples from the prior
2 # 2) for each k = 1...T
3 #     a) draw samples x_k(i) from the importance distribution
4 #     b) compute the new weights
5 #     c) normalize the new weights
6
7 # initialize x^i_k and w^i_k matrices to keep track of state estimation distributions and weights
8 n = 200 # number of particles
9 xki = np.zeros((NumSteps,n),dtype=float)
10 wki = np.zeros((NumSteps,n),dtype=float)
11
12 # 1) draw n samples from the prior
13 x0_mu, x0_sigma = 0, np.sqrt(2)
14 x0 = np.random.normal(x0_mu, x0_sigma, n)
15 w0 = 1/n*np.ones(n)
16
17 # insert the samples from the prior into our matrices for keeping track of things
18 xki[0,:] = x0
19 wki[0,:] = w0
20
21 # initialize noise Gaussian parameters
22 u_mu, u_sigma = 0, 1
23 v_mu, v_sigma = 0, 1
24
25 # 2) for each k = 1...T
26 mean = np.zeros(NumSteps) # keep track of the mean of the particles
27 var = np.zeros(NumSteps) # keep track of the variance of the particles at each step
28 neff = np.zeros(NumSteps)
29
30 for k in np.arange(1,NumSteps,1):
31     # a) draw samples x_k(i) from the importance distribution
32     xki[k,:] = 1/2*xki[k-1,:] + 25*xki[k-1,:]/(1 + xki[k-1,:]**2) + 8*np.cos(1.2*(k-1)) + \
33         np.random.normal(u_mu, u_sigma,n)
34     # print(sum(xki[k,:]))
35     # b) compute the new weights
36     wki[k,:] = wki[k-1,:]*1/np.sqrt(2*np.pi)*np.exp(-0.5*(y[k] - 1/20*(xki[k-1,:]**2))**2)
37     # c) normalize the new weights
38     wki[k,:] = wki[k,:]/sum(wki[k,:])
39     mean[k] = np.average(xki[k,:],weights=wki[k,:])
40     var[k] = np.average((xki[k,:] - mean[k])**2,weights=wki[k,:])
41     neff[k] = 1/sum(wki[k,:]**2)
42     # draw new samples if the number of effective weights is < 20
43     if neff[k] < 20:
44         print(f"Effective particles < 20 for step {k}")
45         ind = np.argsort(xki[k,:]) # index sort of the particles
46         xki[k,:] = np.take_along_axis(xki[k,:],ind,axis=0)
47         wki[k,:] = np.take_along_axis(wki[k,:],ind,axis=0) # sort the weights according to the particles
48         bins = np.cumsum(wki[k,:]) # bins from which we are going to sample; cumulative sum of the weights
49         uni = np.random.uniform(0,1,n) # uniform distribution used for re-sampling
50         uni2 = np.random.uniform(0,1,n) # secondary random sampling for within bins
51         for i in np.arange(0,n):
52             for j in np.arange(n-1,-1,-1):
53                 if uni[i] >= bins[j]:
54                     xki[k,i] = xki[k,j] + (xki[k,j+1] - xki[k,j])*uni2[i]
55             # and reset the weights:
56             wki[k,i] = w0
57
58 # track mean for later analysis
59 mean_pf_resamp = mean

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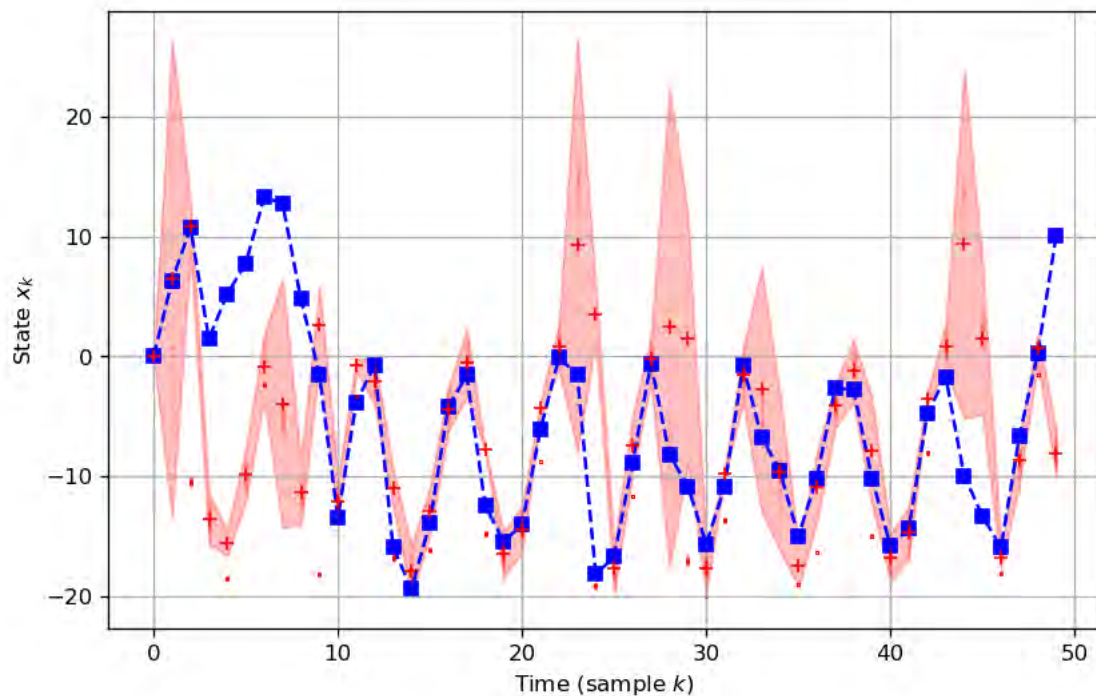
Effective particles < 20 for step 2
Effective particles < 20 for step 4
Effective particles < 20 for step 8
Effective particles < 20 for step 9
Effective particles < 20 for step 11
Effective particles < 20 for step 13
Effective particles < 20 for step 16
Effective particles < 20 for step 19
Effective particles < 20 for step 21
Effective particles < 20 for step 24
Effective particles < 20 for step 26
Effective particles < 20 for step 29
Effective particles < 20 for step 31
Effective particles < 20 for step 35
Effective particles < 20 for step 36
Effective particles < 20 for step 39
Effective particles < 20 for step 42
Effective particles < 20 for step 46
Effective particles < 20 for step 48

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3.3 [Q6.2] Plot mean and variance superposed to trajectory

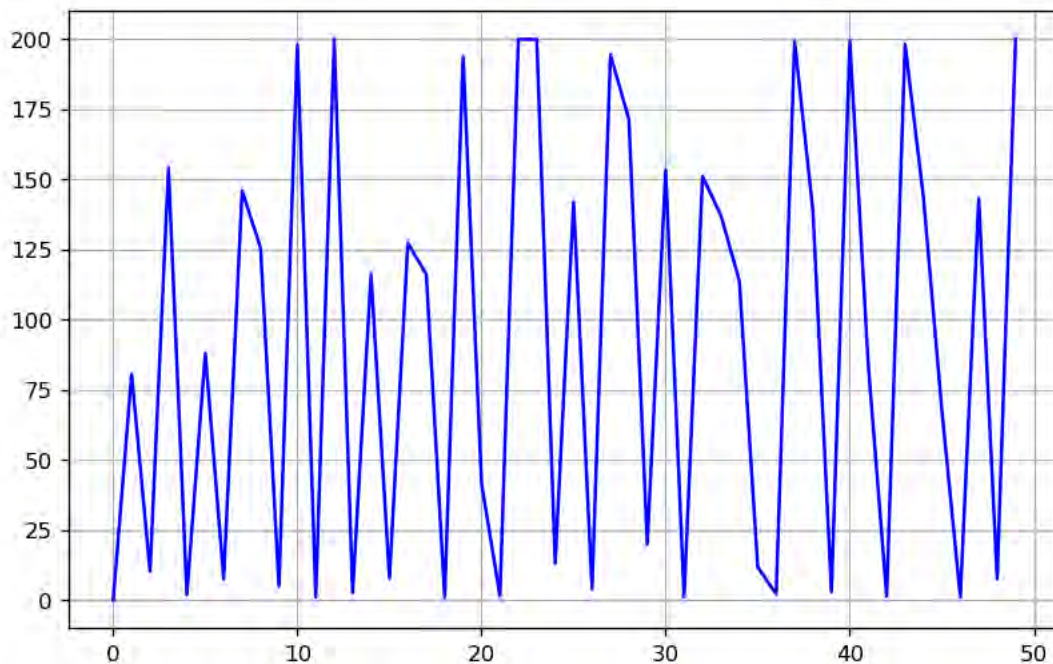
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In [8]: 1 # Plot the trajectory
2 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,5), dpi=120)
3
4 ax.plot(np.insert(TimeScale,0,0),x, 'b--')
5 ax.grid(True)
6 ax.plot(np.insert(TimeScale,0,0),x, 'bs',markersize=6)
7 #plt.Legend(['Line', 'markers'])
8 ax.set_ylabel(r'State $x_k$')
9 ax.set_xlabel(r'Time (sample $k$)')
10 for k in np.arange(1,NumSteps,1):
11     for i in np.arange(n):
12         if wki[k,i] > 1e-3:
13             ax.plot(k,xki[k,i], 'ro',markersize=10*wki[k,i],alpha=0.3)
14 ax.plot(mean, 'r+')
15 ax.fill_between(np.arange(NumSteps), mean-2*np.sqrt(var), mean+2*np.sqrt(var), alpha=0.25, color='r')
16 fig.suptitle('Particle Filter with re-sampling')
17
18 plt.show()
```

Particle Filter with re-sampling



3.4 [Q6.3] Plot the n_{eff} as a function of time step k

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In [9]: 1 # Plot the neff
2 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,5), dpi=120)
3
4 ax.plot(np.insert(TimeScale,0,0),neff, 'b')
5 ax.grid(True)
6 plt.show()
```



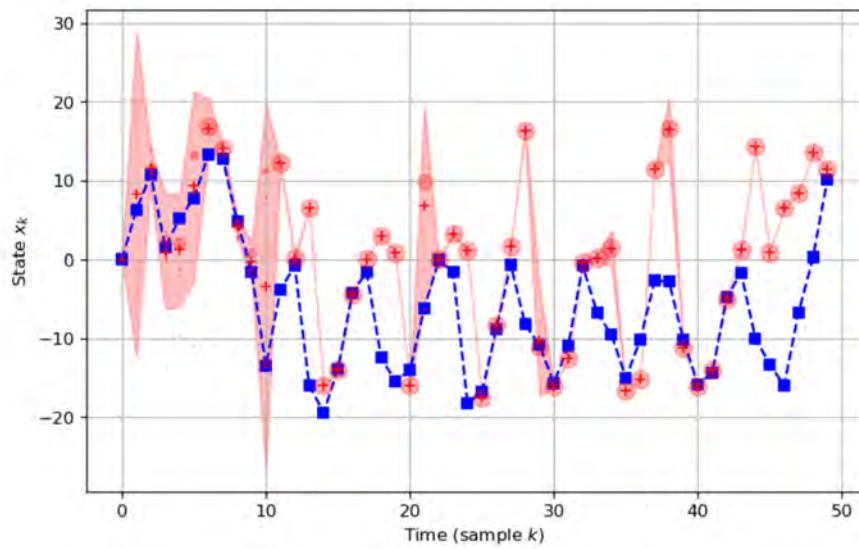
3.5 [Q6.4] Discussion of Results

As we can see from the below plots (re-captured from the above code), the particle filter with re-sampling maintains a better tracking on the variance of the estimation, and a slightly better tracking per the MSE calculation below.

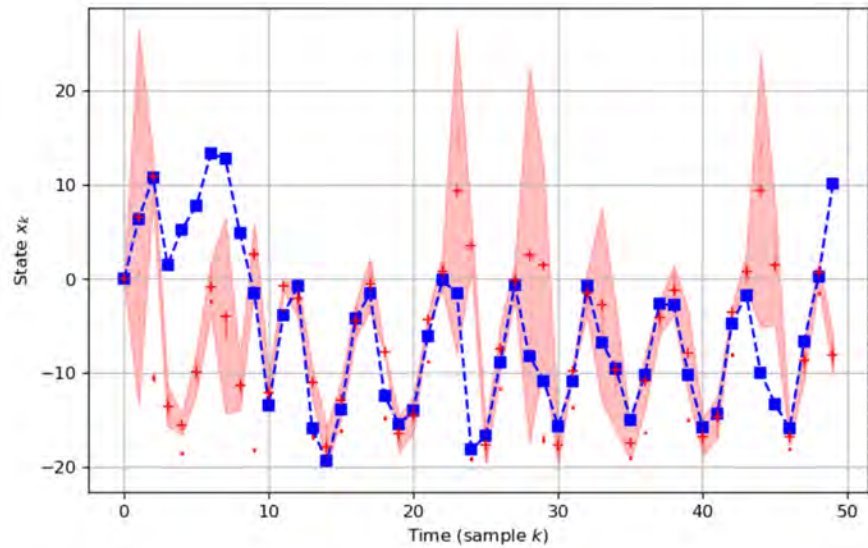
```
In [18]: 1 mse_pf = np.sum((mean_pf - x)**2)/NumSteps
2 mse_pf_resamp = np.sum((mean_pf_resamp - x)**2)/NumSteps
3 print(f"MSE of the PF without re-sampling: {mse_pf}")
4 print(f"MSE of the PF with re-sampling: {mse_pf_resamp}")
```

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MSE of the PF without re-sampling: 107.36649647973412
MSE of the PF with re-sampling: 76.75540576179377
```


Particle Filter with NO re-sampling



Particle Filter with re-sampling



NOTES:

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In [10]: 1 a = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4])
2 b = np.ones(4) + 1
3 a - b
4 a * b
5 j = np.arange(5)
6 2**(j + 1) - j
```

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Out[10]: array([ 2,  3,  6, 13, 28])
```

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In [11]: 1 list = [0, 1, 2, 3, 4]
2 display([0, list])
3 len(x)
```

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[0, [0, 1, 2, 3, 4]]
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Out[11]: 50
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