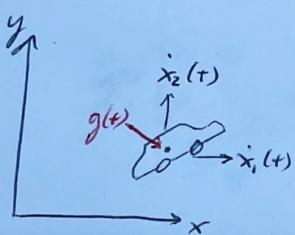


#1] Kalman Filter in Action

→ use Jupyter notebooks + python (numpy + scipy)

State Space model of a vehicle subject to unknown forces



$$\vec{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \quad (\text{vehicle moving in a plane})$$

$$\vec{g}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} g_1(t) \\ g_2(t) \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \quad \text{unknown force as a time-varying vector}$$

From Newtonian physics: $\ddot{\vec{x}}(t) = m \frac{d^2 \vec{x}(t)}{dt^2}$

We choose to model $\vec{g}(t)/m$ as a 2D Gaussian white noise process with auto-correlation function $S(t)$ s.t. $R_w = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\frac{d^2 \vec{x}(t)}{dt^2} \triangleq \vec{w}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} w_1(t) \\ w_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Set $x_3(t) \triangleq \frac{dx_1(t)}{dt}$ and $x_4(t) \triangleq \frac{dx_2(t)}{dt}$ to consider augmented state of car:

$$\vec{x}(t) \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \\ x_3(t) \\ x_4(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Q1] Show the evolution of $\vec{x}(t)$ is governed by the matrix differential eqtn:

$$\frac{d\vec{x}(t)}{dt} = F \vec{x}(t) + G \vec{w}(t) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d\vec{x}(t)}{dt} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1(t) \\ \dot{x}_2(t) \\ \dot{x}_3(t) \\ \dot{x}_4(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \\ \frac{d^2 x_1}{dt^2} \\ \frac{d^2 x_2}{dt^2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \\ w_1(t) \\ w_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\triangleq F} \vec{x}(t) + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\triangleq G} \vec{w}$$

Q2] position of vehicle: measured through a noisy sensor $\vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$

which is a corrupted version of the true position by a 2D Gaussian white noise process $\vec{v}(t)$ w/ auto-correlation $\sigma^2 \delta(t) \Rightarrow R_v = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma^2 \end{bmatrix}$

Show: measurement equation given by $\vec{y} = H\vec{z} + \vec{v}(t)$ & specify H :

$$\vec{y}(t) = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\triangleq H} \vec{z}(t) + \vec{v}(t) \quad \left(= \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} v_1(t) \\ v_2(t) \end{bmatrix} \right) \quad (2)$$

Simulations & filters run in discrete time, need to sample at a period Δ .
Therefore only consider state of vehicle at times $t_k \in \{k\Delta : k \in \mathbb{N}\}$

Discretization: takes some care to get a meaningful time model.

One can show the solution of (1) satisfies for $k \geq 0$:

$$\vec{z}(t_{k+1}) = e^{F\Delta} \vec{z}(t_k) + \underbrace{\int_0^\Delta \exp(F(1-\tau)) G \vec{w}(\tau+t_k) d\tau}_{\triangleq \vec{u}(t_k)} \quad (3)$$

One can also show that the discrete-time process $\{\vec{u}(t_k)\}_{k \geq 0}$ is Gaussian and white with a covariance matrix \underline{Q} that can be computed from F , G , Δ and the auto-correlation function of $\vec{w}(t)$. For $\Delta \ll 1$, one can show

$$\underline{Q} = \Delta \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{3} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{4}{3} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (4)$$

Q3] writing $\vec{x}_n \triangleq \vec{z}(t_n)$ and $\vec{u}_n \triangleq \vec{u}(t_n)$ and using (3), show that the discretized state-space model when $\Delta \ll 1$ is:

$$\vec{x}_{n+1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}_n + \vec{u}_n \quad , \text{ where } \{\vec{u}_n\} \text{ is white with covariance } Q$$



Q3 cont'd

$$\underline{F} A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \exp(\underline{F} A) = e^{\frac{\underline{F} A}{t=1}} = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ (sI - \underline{F})^{-1} \right\}_{t=1}$$

$$(sI - \underline{F})^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} s & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & s \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{s} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{s} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{s} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{s} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{L} \left\{ (sI - \underline{F})^{-1} \right\} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & t & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & t \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathcal{L} \left\{ (sI - \underline{F})^{-1} \right\}_{t=1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \exp(\underline{F} A)$$

Thus the discretized state-space model from ③ when $A \ll 1$ is

$$\vec{x}_{k+1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}_k + \vec{u}_k, \text{ where } \{u_k\} \text{ is white noise covariance } Q \text{ given above.}$$

Q4 See jupyter notebook for plot of data.

Q5 Kalman Filter equations

From class: Time Update:

- 1) (prediction) $\begin{cases} \hat{x}_{i|i-1} = \bar{F}_{i-1} \hat{x}_{i-1|i-1} \\ P_{i|i-1} = F_{i-1} P_{i-1|i-1} F_{i-1}^T + G_i Q_i G_i^T \end{cases}$

2) Measurement Update

- (correction) $\begin{cases} \hat{x}_{i|i} = \hat{x}_{i|i-1} + K_{f,i} (y_i - H_i \hat{x}_{i|i-1}) \\ K_{f,i} = P_{i|i-1} H_i^T (H_i P_{i|i-1} H_i^T + R_i)^{-1} \\ P_{i|i} = P_{i|i-1} - K_{f,i} H_i P_{i|i-1} = (I - K_{f,i} H_i) P_{i|i-1} \end{cases}$

To write out the equations further:

1) Time Update:

$$\hat{x}_{i|i-1} = F \hat{x}_{i-1|i-1}$$

no dependence on time

$$P_{i|i-1} = F P_{i-1|i-1} F^T + G Q_{i|i-1} G^T$$

Note:

2) Measurement Update:

$$\hat{x}_{i|i} = \hat{x}_{i|i-1} + K_{f,i} u_i \quad \dots \text{same as previous actually}$$

Q6 | Implement Kalman Filter

(try both update first + prediction first)

State Space Model:

$$\vec{x}_{k+1} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_F \vec{x}_k + G \vec{u}_k \quad G = \text{Identity}(4)$$
$$\vec{y}_k = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_H \vec{x}_k + \vec{v}_k$$

$$K_{f,i} = P_{i|i-1} H_i^T (H_i P_{i|i-1} H_i^T + R_i)^{-1}$$

$$(4 \times 4)(4 \times 2)(2 \times 2)(4 \times 4)(4 \times 2) + 2 \times 2$$
$$(4 \times 4 \times 4 \times 2 \times 2)^{-1}$$

$$= (4 \times 2) \quad \boxed{\quad} \checkmark$$

See Jupyter Notebook for code

Markov chain ✓ (uses cond. indep.)

Conditional Independence. ✓

Q9 ~~contd~~

given our discrete-time probabilistic state-space model

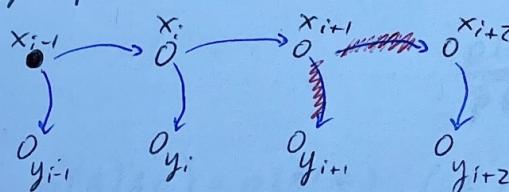
$$x_{i+1} \sim p(x_{i+1} | x_{0:i}, y_{0:i}) \text{ and } y_i \sim p(y_i | x_{0:i}, y_{0:i-1})$$

that is Markovian & satisfies the conditional independent property of measurements:

$$p(x_{i+1} | x_{0:i}, y_{0:i}) = p(x_{i+1} | x_i) \text{ and } p(y_i | x_{0:i}, y_{0:i-1}) = p(y_i | x_i)$$

Show that $p(x_i | \cancel{x_{i+1}}, y_{0:n}) = p(x_i | x_{i+1}, y_{0:i})$

1) sub-graph of our probabilistic state-space model:



2) Condition on x_{i+1} shown by breaking the edge coming out of x_{i+1} (in red)

This shows us visually the conditional independent relationships.

As we can see, by breaking the edges out of x_{i+1} , we have that $y_{0:i:n}$ are no longer connected to x_i by any edge. Thus, by the Functional Dependence Graph theorem and definition given in class,

$$\boxed{p(x_i | x_{i+1}, y_{0:n}) = p(x_i | x_{i+1}, y_{0:i})}$$

□

Q10 Using Bayes' rule and the properties of the state space model show that:

$$p(x_i/x_{i+1}, y_{0:n}) = \frac{p(x_{i+1}/x_i) p(x_i/y_{0:i})}{p(x_{i+1}/y_{0:i})}$$

Bayes' Rule: $P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A) P(A)}{P(B)}$, $p(A, B) = p(A|B) p(B)$.

let $A = x_i$, $B = x_{i+1}$, $C = y_{0:n}$

then we have: $p(A|B, C) = \frac{p(B|A) p(A|C)}{p(B|C)}$ ~~as an derived relationship.~~

Using Bayes' Rule, $p(A|B, C) = \frac{p(BC|A) p(A)}{p(BC)}$
~~as an derived relationship.~~
 $= \frac{p(ABC)}{p(BC)}$ ~~can, but not where we want to go~~

Note: $p(B|AC) = p(B|A)$ (i.e. Markovian Property)

$$\text{S.t. } p(A|BC) = \frac{p(ABC)}{p(BC)} = \frac{p(AC) p(B|AC)}{p(BC)} = \frac{p(A|C) p(C) p(B|AC)}{p(C) p(B|C)}$$

$$p(B|AC) = \frac{p(ABC)}{p(AC)} \quad * = \text{Bayes' Rule used.} \quad = \frac{p(B|AC) p(A|C)}{p(B|C)}$$

(Bayes' Rule)

Using conditional $\rightarrow = \frac{p(B|C) p(A|C)}{p(B|C)}$
 independent property
 of Markovian)

$$= \frac{p(x_{i+1}|x_i) p(x_i/y_{0:i})}{p(x_{i+1}/y_{0:i})} \quad \square$$

Q11 Show that the joint distribution of x_i and x_{i+1} given $y_{0:n}$ is given by

$$p(x_i, x_{i+1} | y_{0:n}) = \frac{p(x_{i+1} | x_i) p(x_i | y_{0:i}) p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:n})}{p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:i})}$$

So, $p(x_i, x_{i+1} | y_{0:n}) = \frac{p(x_i, x_{i+1}, y_{0:n})}{p(y_{0:n})} = \frac{p(x_{i+1} | x_i, y_{0:n}) p(x_i | y_{0:n})}{p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:i})}$

did not get us where we wanted. Looking first at results from Q9 & Q10:

$$p(x_i | x_{i+1}, y_{0:n}) = p(x_i | x_{i+1}, y_{0:i}) \quad (11-1)$$

$$p(x_i | x_{i+1}, y_{0:n}) = \frac{p(x_{i+1} | x_i) p(x_i | y_{0:i})}{p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:i})} \quad (11-2)$$

noting that 11-2 has the denominator we are looking for, we use Bayes' Theorem to get the term $p(x_i | x_{i+1}, y_{0:n})$ from our initial distribution. (11-3)

$$p(x_i, x_{i+1} | y_{0:n}) \quad (11-3)$$

$$\Rightarrow p(x_i, x_{i+1} | y_{0:n}) = \frac{p(x_i, x_{i+1}, y_{0:n})}{p(y_{0:n})} = \frac{p(x_i | x_{i+1}, y_{0:n}) p(x_{i+1}, y_{0:n})}{p(y_{0:n})}$$

sub in (11-2):

$$= \frac{p(x_{i+1} | x_i) p(x_i | y_{0:i}) p(x_{i+1}, y_{0:n})}{p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:i}) p(y_{0:n})}$$

use Bayes' Rule:

$$= \frac{p(x_{i+1} | x_i) p(x_i | y_{0:i}) p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:n}) p(y_{0:n})}{p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:i}) p(y_{0:n})} = \begin{cases} \frac{p(x_{i+1} | x_i) p(x_i | y_{0:i}) p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:n})}{p(x_{i+1} | y_{0:i}) p(y_{0:n})} \\ \hline \end{cases}$$

Q-12]

Assume $x_{i-1}|y_{0:i-1}$ is distributed according to Gaussian distribution

$$N(\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1}, P_{i-1|0:i-1})$$

Show that joint distribution of x_{i-1} and x_i given $y_{0:i-1}$ is:

$$N\left(\begin{bmatrix} \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} \\ \hat{x}_{i|0:i-1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} P_{i-1|0:i-1} & P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T \\ FP_{i-1|0:i-1} & P_{i|0:i-1} \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

where $\hat{x}_{i|0:i-1} = F\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1}$

$$P_{i|0:i-1} = FP_{i-1|0:i-1}F^T + Q$$

Gauss-Markov model: $x_{i+1} = Fx_i + u_i$, $y_i = Hx_i + v_i$

$R_u = QS_{ij}$, $R_v = RS_{ij}$, $\{u_i\}$, $\{v_i\}$ are white d Gaussian

from page 8 of Lecture 18 we have the following Lemma:

Lemma: let $x \sim N(\mu_x, \Sigma_x)$ and $y|x \sim N(Hx, R)$ (e.g. $y = Hx + v$)

Then $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \sim N\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mu_x \\ H\mu_x \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_x & \Sigma_x H^T \\ H\Sigma_x & H\Sigma_x H^T + R \end{bmatrix}\right)$

we are given the distribution of $x_{i-1}|y_{0:i-1}$ and the state-space model $x_{i+1} = Fx_i + u_i$. Thus if we set $x = x_{i-1}|y_{0:i-1}$ and $y = x_i|y_{0:i-1}$ then we have $y = Fx + u$, which matches the form given in the example of the Lemma.

To prove the result to ourselves, we will actually calculate the joint distribution:

$$\text{let } N(\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1}, P_{i-1|0:i-1}) = N(\mu_x, \Sigma_x) \text{ i.e. } \mu_x \triangleq \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} \\ \Sigma_x \triangleq P_{i-1|0:i-1}$$

First, we calculate the mean of $x_i|y_{0:i-1}$:

$$\hat{x}_{i|0:i-1} = \mathbb{E}(x_i|y_{0:i-1}) = \mathbb{E}(F\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} + u_i|y_{0:i-1}) = F\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} + \underbrace{\mathbb{E}(u_i|y_{0:i-1})}_0 = F\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} = F\mu_x$$

process noise is independent of part measurements
uncorrelated & $\mathbb{E}(u_i) = 0$

Q12 contd

Covariance of $x_i | y_{0:i-1}$:

$$\mathbb{E}((x_i - \mathbb{E}(x_i | y_{0:i-1})) (x_i - \mathbb{E}(x_i | y_{0:i-1}))^T | y_{0:i-1})$$

$$= \mathbb{E}((x_i - F\mu_x)(x_i - F\mu_x)^T | y_{0:i-1})$$

$$= \mathbb{E}(x_i x_i^T - x_i \cancel{\mu_x^T F^T} - F\mu_x x_i^T + F\mu_x \mu_x^T F^T | y_{0:i-1})$$

$$= \mathbb{E}((x_{i-1} + u_{i-1})(F_{x_{i-1}} + u_{i-1})^T | y_{0:i-1}) - F\mu_x \mu_x^T F^T - \cancel{F\mu_x \mu_x^T F^T} + \cancel{F\mu_x \mu_x^T F^T}$$

$$= F \cancel{R_x F^T} + F \mathbb{E}[x_{i-1} u_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}] + \mathbb{E}[u_{i-1} x_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}] F^T + \mathbb{E}[u_{i-1} u_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}] \underset{\text{uncorrelated}}{\cancel{\mathbb{E}[u_{i-1} u_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}]}} - F\mu_x \mu_x^T F^T$$

$$= F \mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} x_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}) + F \mathbb{E}[x_{i-1} | y_{0:i-1}] \mathbb{E}[u_{i-1} | y_{0:i-1}]^T + \mathbb{E}[u_{i-1} | y_{0:i-1}] \mathbb{E}[x_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}] F^T + Q - F\mu_x \mu_x^T F^T$$

$\nearrow x_{i-1} \perp u_{i-1} \text{ independent} \quad \nearrow \{u_i\} \text{ white noise, (0-mean)}$

$$= F \left(\underbrace{\mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} x_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}) - \mu_x \mu_x^T}_{\mathcal{E}_x} \right) F^T + Q$$

$$= \mathcal{E}_x = \mathbb{E}((x_{i-1} - \mu_x)(x_{i-1} - \mu_x)^T | y_{0:i-1}) = P_{i-1 | 0:i-1}$$

$$= P_{i-1 | 0:i-1} F^T + Q$$

$\triangleq P_i | 0:i-1$ as given in problem statement.

□

Similarly, cross-covariance of $x_{i-1} | y_{0:i-1}$ and $x_i | y_{0:i-1}$:

$$\mathbb{E}((x_{i-1} - \mu_x)(x_i - F\mu_x)^T | y_{0:i-1}) = \mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} x_i^T + \mu_x \mu_x^T F^T - \cancel{\mu_x x_i^T} - x_{i-1} \mu_x^T F^T | y_{0:i-1})$$

$$= \mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} (F_{x_{i-1}} + u_{i-1})^T | y_{0:i-1}) - \mu_x \mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} + u_{i-1} | y_{0:i-1})^T - \cancel{\mu_x \mu_x^T F^T} + \cancel{\mu_x \mu_x^T F^T}$$

$$= \mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} x_{i-1}^T F^T | y_{0:i-1}) + \mu_x \mathbb{E}[u_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}]^T - \mu_x ((F\mu_x)^T + \mathbb{E}[u_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}]^T)$$

u_{i-1} independent of
 $y_{0:i-1} (\{u_i\}, \{v_i\}$ white, Gaussian)
 0-mean

$$= \mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} x_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}) F^T + 0 - \mu_x \mu_x^T F^T = (\mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} x_{i-1}^T | y_{0:i-1}) - \mu_x \mu_x^T) F^T$$

$$= \mathcal{E}_x F^T$$

Since $R_{xy} = R_{yx}^T$, $\mathbb{E}((x_{i-1} F\mu_x)(x_i - \mu_x)^T | y_{0:i-1}) = (\mathcal{E}_x F^T)^T = F \mathcal{E}_x$

□

Therefore,

$$\begin{bmatrix} \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} \\ \hat{x}_i|y_{0:i-1} \end{bmatrix} \sim N\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mu_x \\ F\mu_x \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_x & \varepsilon_x F^T \\ F\varepsilon_x & F\varepsilon_x F^T + Q \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

where $\varepsilon_x = P_{i-1|0:i-1}$, $\mu_x = \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1}$

□

Q13] Using the result of Q-12, show that the distribution of x_{i-1} given x_i and $y_{0:i-1}$, which is equal to distribution of x_{i-1} given x_i and $y_{0:i-1}$ by Q-9, is

$$x_{i-1}|x_i, y_{0:i-1} \sim N(\tilde{x}_{i-1|0:i-1}, \tilde{P}_{i-1|0:i-1})$$

$$\text{where } \tilde{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} = \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} + k_i(x_i - F\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1})$$

$$\tilde{P}_{i-1|0:i-1} = P_{i-1|0:i-1} - k_i(F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q) k_i^T$$

$$k_i = P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q)^{-1}$$

~~mean:~~ $E(x_{i-1}|x_i, y_{0:i-1}) = E(x_{i-1}|x_i, y_{0:i-1})$ by Q-9 (independence)

$$E(x_{i-1}|x_i, y_{0:i-1}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x_{i-1} p(x_{i-1}|x_i, y_{0:i-1}) dx_{i-1}$$

~~note from Q-10:~~ $p(x_{i-1}|x_i, y_{0:i-1}) = \frac{p(x_{i-1}|x_i) p(x_i|y_{0:i-1})}{p(x_{i-1}|y_{0:i-1})}$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} &= E(x_{i-1}|y_{0:i-1}) \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x_{i-1} p(x_{i-1}|y_{0:i-1}) dx_{i-1} \end{aligned}$$

From Lecture: if $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \sim N\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mu_x \\ \mu_y \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} R_x & R_{xy} \\ R_{yx} & R_y \end{bmatrix}\right)$ #18, pg 7

then $x \sim N(\mu_x, R_x)$, $y \sim N(\mu_y, R_y)$ and

$$x|y \sim N(\mu_x + R_{xy}R_y^{-1}(y - \mu_y), R_x - R_{xy}R_y^{-1}R_{yx}) \quad \text{with}$$

$$y|x \sim N(\mu_y + R_{yx}R_x^{-1}(x - \mu_x), R_y - R_{yx}R_x^{-1}R_{xy})$$

let $x_{i-1}|y_{0:i-1} = x$ and $x_i|y_{0:i-1} = y$ s.t.

$$\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} = \mu_x$$

$$P_{i-1|0:i-1} = R_x$$

$$P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T = R_{xy}$$

} from
Q-12

$$F\hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} = \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} = \mu_y$$

$$F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q = R_y$$

$$F P_{i-1|0:i-1} = R_{yx}$$



$$\text{and } x_{i-1} | \mathbf{x}_i, y_{0:i-1} = x_{i-1} | x_i y_{0:i-1} = x_i y$$

thus:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \hat{x}_{i-1} = \hat{x}_{i-1} + R_{xy} R_y^{-1} (y - \bar{y}) \\
 & = \mathbb{E}(x_{i-1} | x_i y_{0:i-1}) = \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} + \underbrace{P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q)^{-1} (x_i | y_{0:i-1} - \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1})}_{K_i} \\
 & = \mathbb{E}(x_i y) = \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} + K_i (\bar{x}_i - F \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1}) \\
 & = \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} \quad \square
 \end{aligned}$$

Now for the covariance:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Cov}(x_i y) &= R_x - R_{xy} R_y^{-1} R_{yx} \\
 \Rightarrow \tilde{P}_{i-1|i-1} &= P_{i-1|0:i-1} - \underbrace{P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q)^{-1} F P_{i-1|0:i-1}}_{K_i} \\
 &= P_{i-1|0:i-1} - K_i F P_{i-1|0:i-1} \\
 &= P_{i-1|0:i-1} - K_i (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q) (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q)^{-1} F P_{i-1|0:i-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Note: } K_i^T &= (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q)^{-T} F P_{i-1|0:i-1} \\
 &= (F P_{i-1|0:i-1}^T F^T + Q^T)^{-1} F P_{i-1|0:i-1} \\
 &= (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q)^{-1} F P_{i-1|0:i-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

where $P_{i-1|0:i-1} = P_{i-1|0:i-1}^T$
 self-covariance matrices are symmetric
 and $Q^T = Q = R_n$ (symmetric)

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{P}_{i-1|i-1} = P_{i-1|0:i-1} - K_i (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q) K_i^T$$

□

Q-14] Implement the Kalman Filter for smoothing

Summary:

$$\hat{x}_{i|0:i} = \text{(predict)}$$

$$\hat{x}_{i|0:i-1} = F \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1}$$

$$P_{i|0:i-1} = F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q$$

(update)

$$\hat{x}_{i|0:i} = \hat{x}_{i|0:i-1} + K_{f,i} (y_i - H_i \hat{x}_{i|0:i-1}) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{Kalman Filter}$$

$$K_{f,i} = P_{i|0:i-1} H_i^T (H_i P_{i|0:i-1} H_i^T + R_i)^{-1}$$

$$P_{i|0:i} = P_{i|0:i-1} - K_{f,i} H_i P_{i|0:i-1}$$

$$\tilde{x}_{i-1|i} = \hat{x}_{i-1|x_{i-1|0:i-1}} = \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1} + k_i (x_i - F \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1})$$

$$K_i = P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q)^{-1}$$

$$\tilde{P}_{i-1|i} = P_{i-1|i} - k_i (F P_{i-1|0:i-1} F^T + Q) K_i^T$$

$$\hat{x}_{i|0:n} = \hat{x}_{i|0:i-1} + k_i (\hat{x}_{i|0:n} - F \hat{x}_{i-1|0:i-1})$$

$$P_{i|0:n} = K_i P_{i|0:n} K_i^T + \tilde{P}_{i-1|i}$$

Kalman Smoother

so, in Q-6 we produced $\hat{x}_{i|0:i}$ and $P_{i|0:i}$, now we will use them to go backwards

and produce:

$$k_i, \quad \hat{x}_{i|0:n}$$

See code in Jupyter

Q-15] Plot the smoothed trajectory → see Jupyter

Q-16] Compute RMS for smoothed vs. true trajectory: $\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n \|\hat{x}_{i|0:n} - x_i\|_2^2}$

& How does it compare? See Jupyter code

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Q-4 Trajectory + Measurements Plot



```
In [1]: import numpy as np
from scipy import signal

np.random.seed(1992)
NumSteps = 201
TimeScale = np.linspace(0, 10, NumSteps)
DeltaSim = np.diff(TimeScale)[0]
SigmaInput = 1
SigmaNoise = 0.5

F = np.array([[1, 0, DeltaSim, 0], [0, 1, 0, DeltaSim], [0, 0, 1, 0], [0, 0, 0, 1]])
Q = SigmaInput**2 * np.array([[DeltaSim**3/3, 0, DeltaSim**2/2, 0],
                             [0, DeltaSim**3/3, 0, DeltaSim**2/2],
                             [DeltaSim**2/2, 0, DeltaSim, 0],
                             [0, DeltaSim**2/2, 0, DeltaSim]])
H = np.array([[1, 0, 0, 0], [0, 1, 0, 0]])
R = SigmaNoise**2 * np.identity(2)

State = np.zeros((4, NumSteps))
NoisyMeasurements = np.zeros((2, NumSteps))

for t in np.arange(1, NumSteps):
    ProcessNoise = np.squeeze(np.matmul(np.linalg.cholesky(Q), np.random.randn(4, 1)))
    State[:, t] = np.matmul(F, State[:, t-1]) + ProcessNoise
    MeasurementNoise = SigmaNoise * np.squeeze(np.random.randn(2))
    NoisyMeasurements[:, t] = np.matmul(H, State[:, t]) + MeasurementNoise
```

```

StateX1 = State[0,:]
StateX2 = State[1,:]

DownSampling=2
NoisyMeasurements = NoisyMeasurements[:,::DownSampling]
MeasurementY1 = NoisyMeasurements[0,:]
MeasurementY2 = NoisyMeasurements[1,:]

```

In [2]:

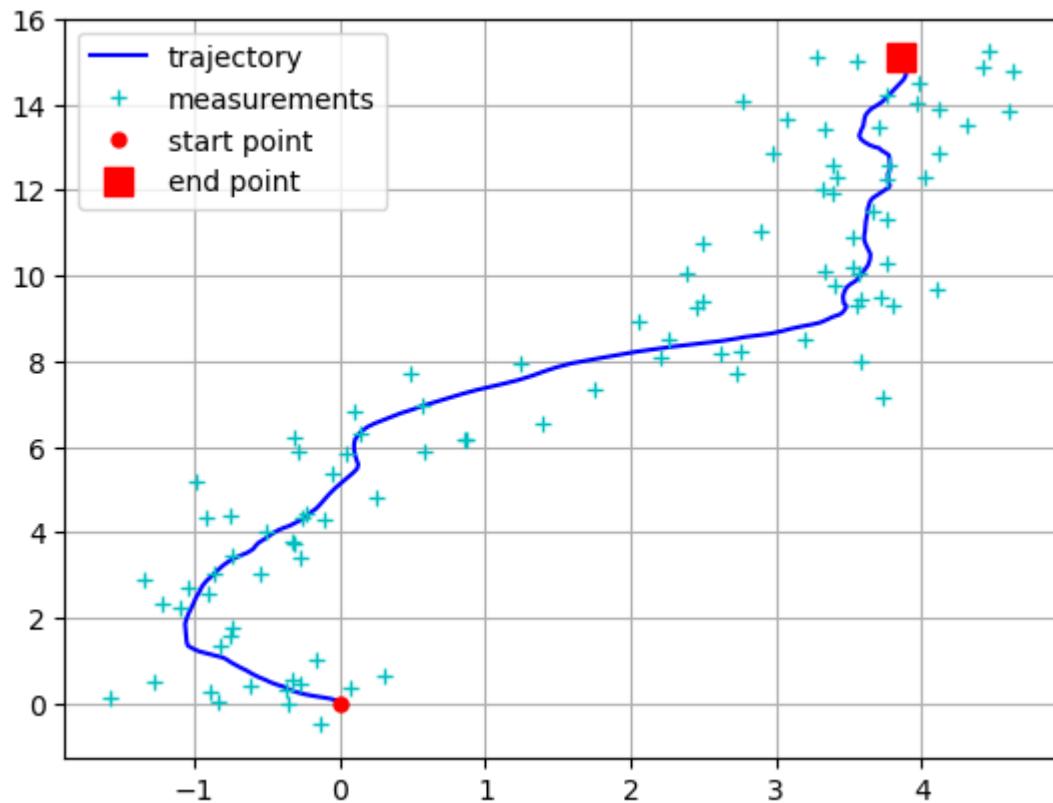
```

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# plt.figure(figsize=(3,3), dpi = 180)
plt.figure(1)
plt.plot(StateX1,StateX2,'b')
plt.plot(MeasurementY1,MeasurementY2,'c+')
plt.grid(True)
plt.plot(StateX1[0],StateX2[0],'r.',markersize=10)
plt.plot(StateX1[-1],StateX2[-1],'rs',markersize=10)
plt.legend(['trajectory','measurements','start point','end point'])

plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = [6, 6]
plt.rcParams['figure.dpi'] = 120 # 200 e.g. is really fine, but slower
plt.show()

```



Q-5 Kalman Filter Equations

(see written work)

Q-6 & Q-7 Implementing + Plot the Kalman Filter



```
In [3]: # initialize all of the variables that we're going to need; F, H, G, Q, R
Delta = 0.1
Fk = np.array([[1,0,Delta,0],[0,1,0,Delta],[0,0,1,0],[0,0,0,1]])
Gk = np.identity(4)
Qk = np.array([[Delta**3/3,0,Delta**2/2,0],
               [0,Delta**3/3,0,Delta**2/2],
               [Delta**2/2,0,Delta,0],
               [0,Delta**2/2,0,Delta]])
Hk = np.array([[1,0,0,0],[0,1,0,0]])
Sigma = 0.5
Rk = Sigma**2 * np.identity(2)
```

```
In [10]: # the initial guesses of x and P
xhat_init = np.zeros((4,1))
P_init = np.identity(4)
NumSteps = len(MeasurementY1)

# initializing the matrices for computing Kalman filter state evolution over time
xhat_i_pred = np.zeros((4,NumSteps))
xhat_i_curr = np.zeros((4,NumSteps))
P_i_pred = np.zeros((NumSteps,4,4))
P_i_curr = np.zeros((NumSteps,4,4))
Kfi_curr = np.zeros((NumSteps,4,2))

# start running the Kalman Filter, using the NoisyMeasurements
for t in np.arange(0,NumSteps):
    # make the prediction update (time update)
    if t == 0:
        # use the initial guesses
        xhat_i_pred[:,t] = (Fk @ xhat_init).reshape(1,4)
        P_i_pred[t,:,:] = Fk @ P_init @ Fk.T + Gk @ Qk @ Gk.T
    elif t > 0:
        # then use the time-update (prediction) calculation
        # x i/i-1
        xhat_i_pred[:,t] = (Fk @ xhat_i_curr[:,t-1]).reshape(1,4)
        # P i/i-1
        P_i_pred[t,:,:] = Fk @ P_i_curr[t-1,:,:] @ Fk.T + Gk @ Qk @ Gk.T

    # make the measurement update
    # K f,i
    Kfi_curr[t,:,:] = P_i_pred[t,:,:] @ Hk.T @ np.linalg.inv(Hk @ P_i_pred[t,:,:] @ Hk.T + Rk)
    # P i/i
    P_i_curr[t,:,:] = (np.identity(4) - Kfi_curr[t,:,:] @ Hk) @ P_i_pred[t,:,:]
    # x i/i
    xhat_i_curr[:,t] = xhat_i_pred[:,t] + Kfi_curr[t,:,:] @ (NoisyMeasurements[:,t] -
                                                               Hk @ xhat_i_pred[:,t])

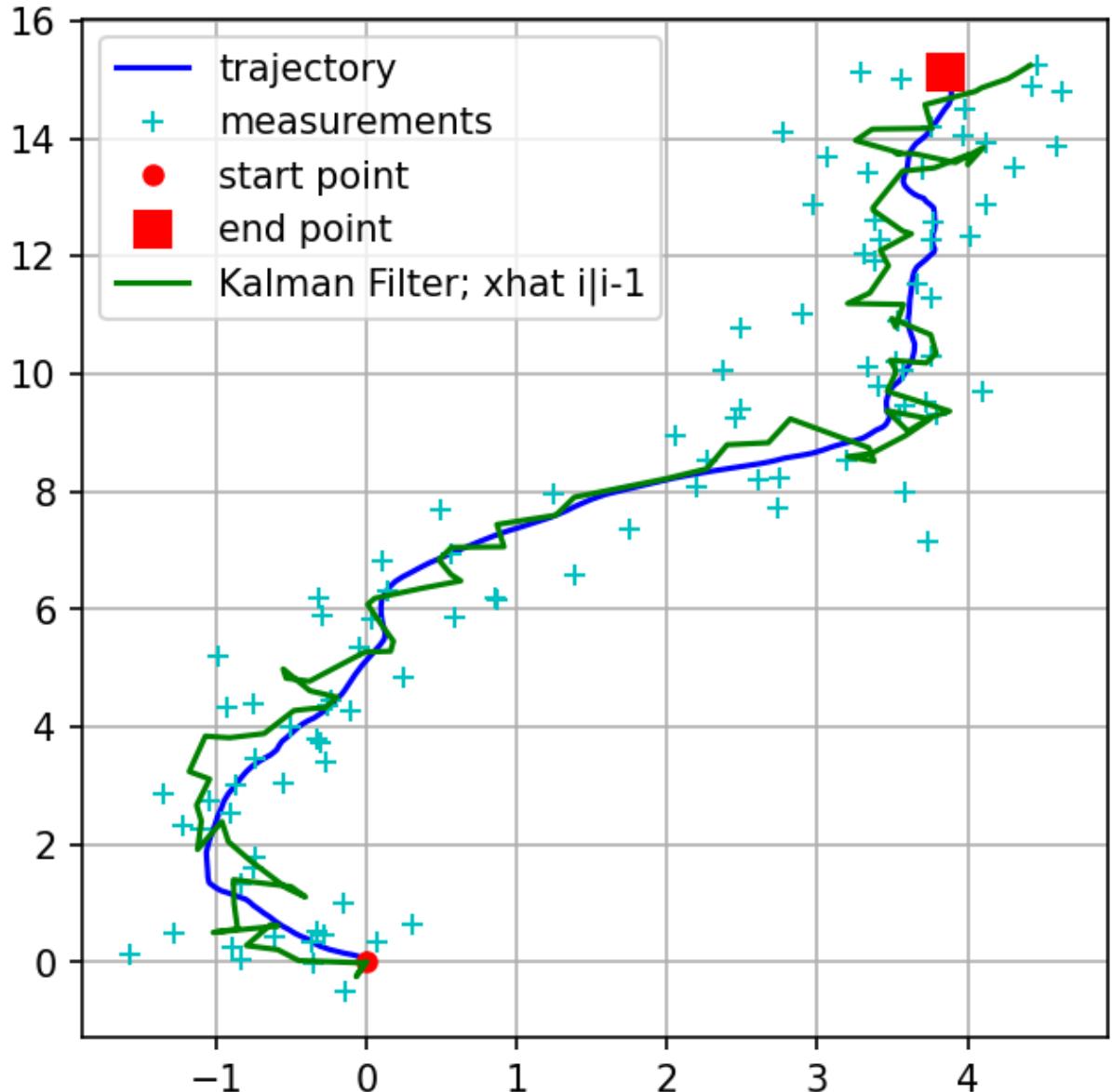
# plot the results
plt.figure()
plt.plot(StateX1,StateX2,'b')
plt.plot(MeasurementY1,MeasurementY2,'c+')
plt.grid(True)
plt.plot(StateX1[0],StateX2[0],'r.',markersize=10)
```

```

plt.plot(StateX1[-1],StateX2[-1], 'rs', markersize=10)
plt.plot(xhat_i_pred[0,:],xhat_i_pred[1,:], 'g')
plt.legend(['trajectory','measurements','start point',
           'end point','Kalman Filter; xhat i|i-1'])

plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = [4, 4]
plt.rcParams['figure.dpi'] = 120 # 200 e.g. is really fine, but slower
plt.show()

```



Q-8 RMS Error



```

In [5]: StateX = State[:,::DownSampling][0:2,:]
error_measure = NoisyMeasurements - StateX
rms_measure = np.linalg.norm( np.linalg.norm( error_measure, ord=2, axis=0 ) ,ord=2)
error_kalman_f = xhat_i_pred[0:2,:] - StateX
rms_kalman_f = np.linalg.norm( np.linalg.norm( error_kalman_f, ord=2, axis=0 ), ord=2)

```

```
print(f'''RMS of the noisy measurements: {rms_measure}''')
print(f'''RMS of the Kalman filter estimates: {rms_kalman_f}'''')
```

RMS of the noisy measurements: 7.085174167758084
 RMS of the Kalman filter estimates: 3.889252921005451

RMS Conclusion

Based on the above RMS calculation, the RMS of the Kalman filter is less than the RMS of the Noisy Measurements. This is indeed expected since we are using the Kalman filter to "filter" out some of the effects of the noise on our measurements.

Q-14 & Q-15 Implementation + Plot of Kalman Smoother



In [12]:

```
# Recall the initial setup for computing Kalman filter
# xhat_i_pred = np.zeros((4,NumSteps))           # xhat i|i-1
# xhat_i_curr = np.zeros((4,NumSteps))           # xhat i|i
# P_i_pred = np.zeros((NumSteps,4,4))            # P i|i-1
# P_i_curr = np.zeros((NumSteps,4,4))            # P i|i
# Kfi_curr = np.zeros((NumSteps,4,2))            # K f,i

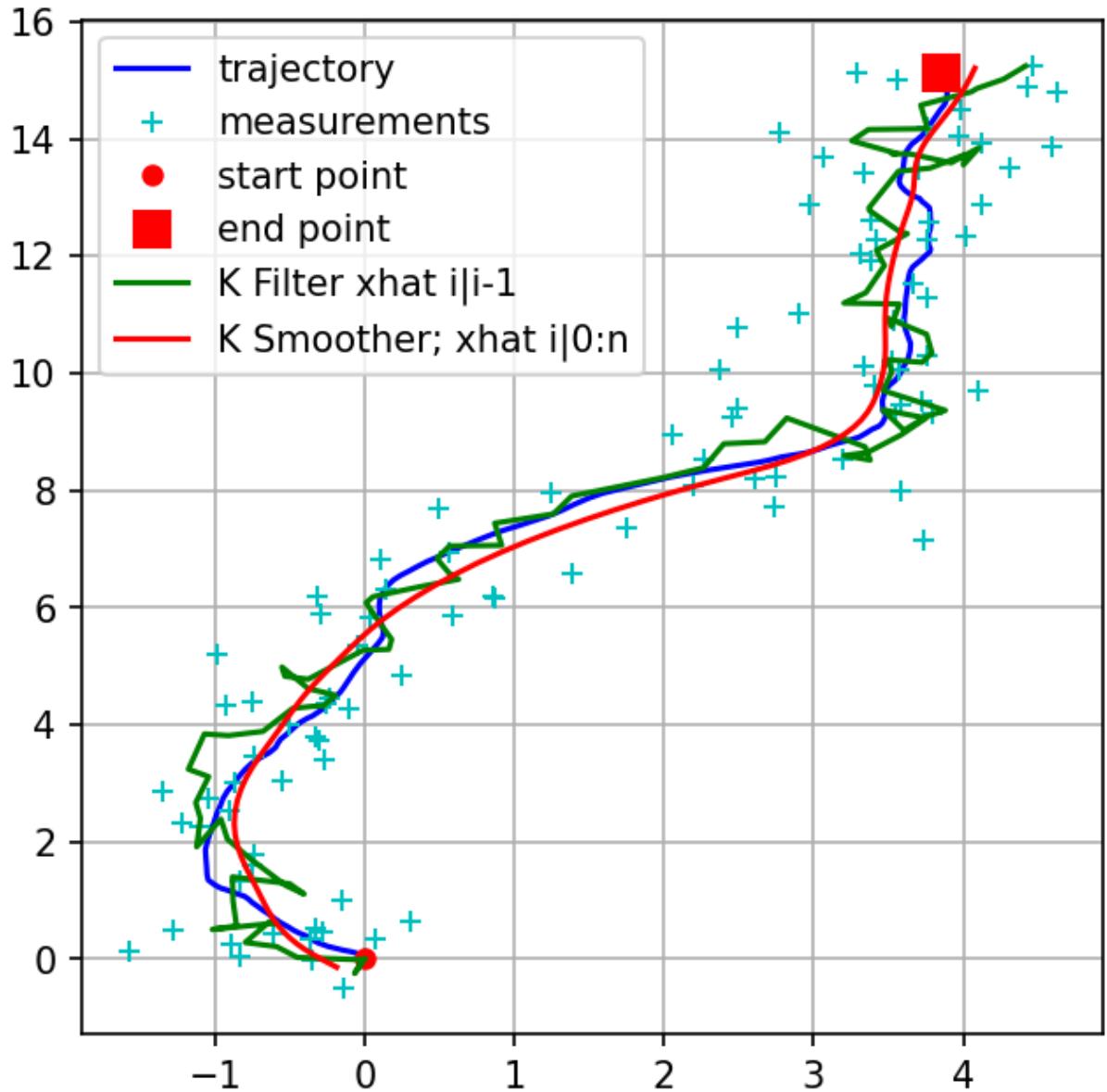
# initialize new variables to hold the Kalman Smoother data
xhat_i_min_1_given_n = np.zeros((4,NumSteps))    # xhat i-1|0:n
Ki = np.zeros((NumSteps,4,4))                      # K_i

## Implement the Kalman Smoothing algorithm, given the Kalman Filtered data
# for xhat n|0:n, use the last step of the Kalman Filter
xhat_i_min_1_given_n[:,NumSteps-1] = xhat_i_curr[:,NumSteps-1]

# now for each time step compute the Kalman Smoothed state evolution
for t in np.arange(NumSteps-1,0,-1):
    # Ki
    Ki[t,:,:] = P_i_curr[t-1,:,:] @ Fk.T @ np.linalg.inv(Fk @ P_i_curr[t-1,:,:] @
                                                          Fk.T + Qk)
    # xhat i-1|0:n
    xhat_i_min_1_given_n[:,t-1] = (xhat_i_curr[:,t-1] +
                                    Ki[t,:,:] @ (xhat_i_min_1_given_n[:,t] -
                                                  Fk @ xhat_i_curr[:,t-1]))

# plot the results
plt.figure()
plt.plot(StateX1,StateX2,'b')
plt.plot(MeasurementY1,MeasurementY2,'c+')
plt.grid(True)
plt.plot(StateX1[0],StateX2[0],'r.',markersize=10)
plt.plot(StateX1[-1],StateX2[-1],'rs',markersize=10)
plt.plot(xhat_i_pred[0,:],xhat_i_pred[1,:],'g')
plt.plot(xhat_i_min_1_given_n[0,:],xhat_i_min_1_given_n[1,:],'r')
plt.legend(['trajectory','measurements','start point','end point',
           'K Filter xhat i|i-1','K Smoother; xhat i|0:n'])
```

```
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = [6,6]
plt.rcParams['figure.dpi'] = 150 # 200 e.g. is really fine, but slower
plt.show()
```



Q-16 RMS Error of Kalman Smoother



```
In [14]: StateX = State[:,::DownSampling][0:2,:]
error_measure = NoisyMeasurements - StateX
rms_measure = np.linalg.norm( np.linalg.norm( error_measure, ord=2, axis=0 ) ,ord=2)
error_kalman_f = xhat_i_pred[0:2,:] - StateX
rms_kalman_f = np.linalg.norm( np.linalg.norm( error_kalman_f, ord=2, axis=0 ), ord=2)
error_kalman_f_curr = xhat_i_curr[0:2,:] - StateX
rms_kalman_f_curr = np.linalg.norm( np.linalg.norm( error_kalman_f_curr,
                                                     ord=2, axis=0 ), ord=2)
error_kalman_s = xhat_i_min_1_given_n[0:2,:] - StateX
rms_kalman_s = np.linalg.norm( np.linalg.norm( error_kalman_s, ord=2, axis=0 ), ord=2)
```

```
print(f'''RMS of the noisy measurements: {rms_measure}''')  
print(f'''RMS of the Kalman Filter xhat i|i-1 estimates: {rms_kalman_f}''')  
print(f'''RMS of the Kalman Filter xhat i|i estimates: {rms_kalman_f_curr}''')  
print(f'''RMS of the Kalman Smoother xhat i|0:n estimates: {rms_kalman_s}''')  
print(f'''RMS Kalman Smoother/RMS Kalman Filter: {rms_kalman_s/rms_kalman_f}''')
```

```
RMS of the noisy measurements: 7.085174167758084  
RMS of the Kalman Filter xhat i|i-1 estimates: 3.889252921005451  
RMS of the Kalman Filter xhat i|i estimates: 3.3022335707201216  
RMS of the Kalman Smoother xhat i|0:n estimates: 2.2990220257280076  
RMS Kalman Smoother/RMS Kalman Filter: 0.5911217584516627
```

RMS Conclusion

Based on the above RMS calculation, the RMS of the Kalman Smoother is ~41% less than the RMS of the Kalman Filter. This is good news since we expect our RMS to improve when using all of the measurements for each step.