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卡尔曼滤波算法可以从不同的角度审视和推导,通常可以更加方便地 建立滤波公式,同时也有利于快速记忆。首先,对于一步预测,即时间修 正,不涉及新的量测信息,相对简单。

这里不再复述标准假设。设已知 (\hat{x}_k, P_k) ,由系统的状态方程

$$\boldsymbol{x}_{k+1} = \boldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k} \boldsymbol{x}_k + \boldsymbol{\Psi}_{k+1,k} \boldsymbol{u}_k + \boldsymbol{\Gamma}_k \boldsymbol{w}_k \tag{1}$$

可知

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} = E[\boldsymbol{x}_{k+1}|\boldsymbol{Y}_1^k] = \boldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k}E[\boldsymbol{x}_k|\boldsymbol{Y}_1^k] + \boldsymbol{\Psi}_{k+1,k}\boldsymbol{u}_k$$

$$= \boldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k}\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_k + \boldsymbol{\Psi}_{k+1,k}\boldsymbol{u}_k$$
(2)

由(1)和(2)式可导出

$$\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k} = \boldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k} \boldsymbol{P}_k \boldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k}^T + \boldsymbol{\Gamma}_k \boldsymbol{Q}_k \boldsymbol{\Gamma}_k^T$$
(3)

(2) 和(3) 便构成了最优一步预测公式(时间修正)。

1 → 融合估计与 KF

当获得 k+1 次量测,即

$$y_{k+1} = H_{k+1}x_{k+1} + v_{k+1}, \quad v_{k+1} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, R_{k+1})$$
 (4)

可以建立此时的一个最优估计 (最小二乘)

$$\begin{cases}
\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1}^{a} = (\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^{T} \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1})^{-1} \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^{T} \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} \\
\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1}^{a} = (\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^{T} \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1})^{-1}
\end{cases} (5)$$

$$\begin{cases}
\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1} = \boldsymbol{P}_{k+1}(\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1}\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^{T}\boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1}\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1}) \\
\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1} = (\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} + \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^{T}\boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1}\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1})^{-1}
\end{cases} (6)$$

上式可以变换为其他等价形式。

考虑到卡尔曼滤波的结构为

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1} = \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{K}_{k+1} (\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} - \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1} \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k})$$

$$= (\boldsymbol{I} - \boldsymbol{K}_{k+1} \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}) \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{K}_{k+1} \boldsymbol{y}_{k+1}$$
(7)

(9)

比较 (6) 与 (7), 可知

$$\mathbf{K}_{k+1} = \mathbf{P}_{k+1} \mathbf{H}_{k+1}^{T} \mathbf{R}_{k+1}^{-1}
\mathbf{P}_{k+1} = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{K}_{k+1} \mathbf{H}_{k+1}) \mathbf{P}_{k+1|k}$$
(8)

$$m{P}_{k+1} = (m{I} - m{K}_{k+1} m{H}_{k+1}) m{P}_{k+1|k}$$

(7)、(8)、(9) 是常见的卡尔曼滤波公式。

在 k+1 时刻. 我们有

$$\hat{x}_{k+1|k} = x_{k+1} + \epsilon_{k+1}, \epsilon_{k+1} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, P_{k+1|k})$$
 (10)

$$y_{k+1} = H_{k+1}x_{k+1} + v_{k+1}, \quad v_{k+1} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, R_{k+1})$$
 (11)

将(10)也视为量测方程之一,于是

$$\mathcal{H} = egin{bmatrix} oldsymbol{I}_{n imes n} \ oldsymbol{H} = egin{bmatrix} oldsymbol{I}_{n imes n} \ oldsymbol{H}_{k+1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathcal{V} = egin{bmatrix} oldsymbol{\epsilon}_{k+1} \ oldsymbol{v}_{k+1} \end{bmatrix} \ \mathcal{E}\mathcal{V}\mathcal{V}^T = egin{bmatrix} oldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k} & 0 \ 0 & oldsymbol{R}_{k+1} \end{bmatrix} & \overset{\mathsf{def}}{=} & \mathcal{W}^{-1}, \Rightarrow \mathcal{W} = egin{bmatrix} oldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} & 0 \ 0 & oldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

由加权最小二乘估计可得

$$\mathcal{H}^{T}\mathcal{W} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I}_{n \times n} & \mathbf{H}_{k+1}^{T} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbf{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} & \mathbf{H}_{k+1}\mathbf{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$
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其中

$$\mathcal{H}^{T}\mathcal{W} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I}_{n \times n} & \mathbf{H}_{k+1}^{T} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbf{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} & \mathbf{H}_{k+1}\mathbf{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$
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因此

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1} = \boldsymbol{P}_{k+1} \left(\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1} \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} \right)$$
(12)

其他讨论同上小节,不再赘述。

3 极大验后估计与 KF

极大验后估计指

$$f(\boldsymbol{x}|\boldsymbol{y}) = \frac{f(\boldsymbol{y}|\boldsymbol{x})f(\boldsymbol{x})}{f(\boldsymbol{y})} \Rightarrow \max_{\boldsymbol{x}} f(\boldsymbol{y})$$

对于我们目前的问题, 对应的概率密度函数为

$$f(y|x) = f(y_{k+1}|x_{k+1}) = \mathcal{N}(H_{k+1}x_{k+1}, R_{k+1})$$

 $f(x) = f(x_{k+1}) = \mathcal{N}(\hat{x}_{k+1|k}, P_{k+1|k})$

极大验后概率密度相当于

$$J(\boldsymbol{x}_{k+1}) = \frac{1}{2} (\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} - \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1} \boldsymbol{x}_{k+1})^T \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} (\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} - \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1} \boldsymbol{x}_{k+1})$$
$$+ \frac{1}{2} (\boldsymbol{x}_{k+1} - \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k})^T \boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} (\boldsymbol{x}_{k+1} - \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k}) \Rightarrow \min$$

所以

$$\begin{aligned} & \boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} \left(\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1} - \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} \right) - \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^{T} \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \left(\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} - \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1} \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1} \right) = 0 \\ & \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1} = \boldsymbol{P}_{k+1} \left(\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^{T} \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} \right) \\ \boldsymbol{P}_{k+1} = \left(\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}^{-1} + \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^{T} \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1}^{-1} \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1} \right)^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

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→ 最小方差估计与 KF

已知

$$egin{aligned} oldsymbol{y}_{k+1} &= oldsymbol{H}_{k+1} oldsymbol{x}_{k+1} + oldsymbol{v}_{k+1} \ &\sim \mathcal{N}(\hat{oldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k}, oldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}) \ oldsymbol{v}_{k+1} &\sim \mathcal{N}(oldsymbol{0}, oldsymbol{R}_{k+1}) \end{aligned}$$

由(线性)最小方差估计理论可知

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1} = \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{K}_{k+1}(\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} - \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k})$$
(13)

其中

$$m{K}_{k+1} = m{P}_{m{x}_{k+1}m{y}_{k+1}}m{P}_{m{y}_{k+1}}^{-1}$$

容易导出

$$egin{aligned} oldsymbol{P}_{oldsymbol{y}_{k+1}} &= oldsymbol{H}_{k+1} oldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k} oldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^T + oldsymbol{R}_{k+1} \ oldsymbol{P}_{oldsymbol{x}_{k+1} oldsymbol{y}_{k+1}} &= oldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k} oldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^T \end{aligned}$$

所以 Kalman 增益为

$$\mathbf{K}_{k+1} = \mathbf{P}_{k+1|k} \mathbf{H}_{k+1}^{T} (\mathbf{H}_{k+1} \mathbf{P}_{k+1|k} \mathbf{H}_{k+1}^{T} + \mathbf{R}_{k+1})^{-1}$$
(14)

另外,估计误差协方差为
$$(P_{\hat{x}}=P_x-P_{xy}P_y^{-1}P_{xy}^T=P_{\tilde{x}_{MV}})$$

$$P_{k+1} = P_{k+1|k} - P_{k+1|k} H_{k+1}^T (H_{k+1} P_{k+1|k} H_{k+1}^T + R_{k+1})^{-1} H_{k+1} P_{k+1|k}$$
(15)

$$= (I - K_{k+1}H_{k+1})P_{k+1|k}$$

另外,由(13)可知

$$egin{aligned} ilde{m{x}}_{k+1} &= m{x}_{k+1} - \hat{m{x}}_{k+1} = ilde{m{x}}_{k+1|k} - m{K}_{k+1} (m{y}_{k+1} - m{H}_{k+1} \hat{m{x}}_{k+1|k}) \ &= ilde{m{x}}_{k+1|k} - m{K}_{k+1} (m{H}_{k+1} ilde{m{x}}_{k+1|k} + m{v}_{k+1}) \ &= (m{I} - m{K}_{k+1} m{H}_{k+1}) ilde{m{x}}_{k+1|k} - m{K}_{k+1} m{v}_{k+1} \end{aligned}$$

干是

$$\mathbf{P}_{k+1} = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{K}_{k+1} \mathbf{H}_{k+1}) \mathbf{P}_{k+1|k} (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{K}_{k+1} \mathbf{H}_{k+1})^T + \mathbf{K}_{k+1} \mathbf{R}_{k+1} \mathbf{K}_{k+1}^T$$
 (16)

这是一个有利于保证正定对称性的计算公式,而且对于非最优的 K_{k+1} 也 成立!

相关噪声的滤波算法

这里从最小方差估计基本原理出发,给出不同干 YC Ho 方法的结果。 首先, 回顾过程噪声与量测噪声相关的滤波问题。

系统状态方程和量测方程为

$$egin{aligned} oldsymbol{x}_{k+1} &= oldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k} oldsymbol{x}_k + oldsymbol{\Psi}_{k+1,k} oldsymbol{u}_k + oldsymbol{\Gamma}_k oldsymbol{w}_k \ oldsymbol{y}_{k+1} &= oldsymbol{H}_{k+1} oldsymbol{x}_{k+1} + oldsymbol{v}_{k+1} \end{aligned}$$

过程噪声及量测噪声特性为

$$egin{aligned} oldsymbol{w}_k &\sim \mathcal{N}(oldsymbol{0}, oldsymbol{Q}_k) \ oldsymbol{v}_k &\sim \mathcal{N}(oldsymbol{0}, oldsymbol{R}_k) \ Eoldsymbol{w}_k oldsymbol{w}_j^T &= oldsymbol{Q}_k \delta_{kj} \ Eoldsymbol{v}_k oldsymbol{v}_j^T &= oldsymbol{R}_k \delta_{kj} \ Eoldsymbol{w}_k oldsymbol{v}_j^T &= oldsymbol{C}_k \delta_{k,j-1} \quad (Eoldsymbol{w}_k oldsymbol{v}_{k+1}^T &= oldsymbol{C}_k) \end{aligned}$$

注意这里关于两个噪声序列相关的假设和 YC Ho 描述的有一点差异。假设已经获得 k 时刻的无偏最优估计 (\hat{x}_k, P_k) , 即

$$oldsymbol{x}_k \sim \mathcal{N}(\hat{oldsymbol{x}}_k, oldsymbol{P}_k)$$

可以认为 x_k 与 w_k 和 v_{k+1} 无关,根据状态方程可得

$$egin{aligned} \hat{oldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} &= oldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k} \hat{oldsymbol{x}}_k + oldsymbol{\Psi}_{k+1,k} oldsymbol{u}_k \ oldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k} &= oldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k} oldsymbol{P}_k oldsymbol{\Phi}_{k+1,k}^T \end{aligned}$$

现在的问题化为

$$egin{aligned} oldsymbol{y}_{k+1} &= oldsymbol{H}_{k+1} oldsymbol{x}_{k+1} + oldsymbol{v}_{k+1} \ oldsymbol{x}_{k+1|k}, oldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}) \end{aligned}$$

注意,此时 x_{k+1} 与 v_{k+1} 相关。由(线性)最小方差估计理论,可知

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1} = \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{K}_{k+1}(\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1} - \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k})$$

由干

$$\begin{aligned} \boldsymbol{P}_{\boldsymbol{x}_{k+1}\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1}} &= E[(\boldsymbol{x}_{k+1} - \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k})(\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}\boldsymbol{x}_{k+1} + \boldsymbol{v}_{k+1} - \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k})^T] \\ &= E[[\mathring{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k}(\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}[\mathring{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{v}_{k+1})^T] \\ &= \boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^T + \underline{\boldsymbol{\Gamma}_k\boldsymbol{C}_k} \\ \boldsymbol{P}_{\boldsymbol{y}_{k+1}} &= E[\mathring{\boldsymbol{y}}_{k+1}[\mathring{\boldsymbol{y}}_{k+1}^T] \\ &= E[(\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}[\mathring{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{v}_{k+1})(\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}[\mathring{\boldsymbol{x}}_{k+1|k} + \boldsymbol{v}_{k+1})^T] \\ &= \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}\boldsymbol{P}_{k+1|k}\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^T + \boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}\boldsymbol{\Gamma}_k\boldsymbol{C}_k + \boldsymbol{C}_k^T\boldsymbol{\Gamma}_k^T\boldsymbol{H}_{k+1}^T + \boldsymbol{R}_{k+1} \end{aligned}$$

因此

$$egin{aligned} m{K}_{k+1} &= m{P}_{m{x}_{k+1}} m{P}_{m{y}_{k+1}}^{-1} \ &= (m{P}_{k+1|k} m{H}_{k+1}^T + m{\Gamma}_k m{C}_k) \ & imes (m{H}_{k+1} m{P}_{k+1|k} m{H}_{k+1}^T + m{H}_{k+1} m{\Gamma}_k m{C}_k + m{C}_k^T m{\Gamma}_k^T m{H}_{k+1}^T + m{R}_{k+1})^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

关于滤波的协方差,有

$$P_{k+1} = E[\mathring{x}_{k+1}[\mathring{x}_{k+1}^T = P_{x_{k+1}} - P_{x_{k+1}y_{k+1}}P_{y_{k+1}}^{-1}P_{x_{k+1}y_{k+1}}^T \\
= P_{k+1|k} - K_{k+1}(P_{k+1|k}H_{k+1}^T + \Gamma_k C_k)^T \\
= (I - K_{k+1}H_{k+1})P_{k+1|k} - K_{k+1}C_k^T \Gamma_k^T$$

Example 5.1 考虑如下标量系统:

$$x_{k+1} = 0.8x_k + w_k$$

$$y_{k+1} = x_{k+1} + v_{k+1}$$

$$Ew_k w_j^T = 1.0\delta_{kj}$$

$$Ev_k v_j^T = 0.1\delta_{kj}$$

$$Ew_k v_j^T = C\delta_{k,j-1} \quad (Ew_k v_{k+1}^T = C)$$

我们用标准 Kalman 滤波算法 (不考虑过程噪声和量测噪声的相关性) 和 考虑过程噪声和量测噪声相关性的滤波算法进行仿真, 仿真 50 步后状态 估计误差的方差比较见表 1.

Table 1: 噪声与量测噪声相关仿真

| 噪声相关系数 C | 标准滤波算法 $(C=0)$ | 修正滤波算法 (采用 C 值进行修正) |
|----------|----------------|-----------------------|
| 0 | 0.076 | 0.076 |
| 0.25 | 0.030 | 0.019 |
| -0.25 | 0.117 | 0.052 |

