

Q3. Nonlinear Filters

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In [ ]: import q3_simulator_class as sim
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
from sklearn.preprocessing import normalize
import time
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(a) EKF

The EKF uses the Jacobian matrices of the state transition and measurement models to linearize around the current estimate.

Extended Kalman Filter (EKF):

- Nonlinear Update: Uses a nonlinear measurement model
- Linearization of Measurement Model: The EKF linearizes the measurement model using the Jacobian matrix evaluated at the predicted state.
- Kalman Gain and State Update: Similar to KF, but using the Jacobian for updates.
- Covariance Update: Updated similarly to KF.

Some parameters

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In [ ]: # Define update parameters
n_steps = 100
dt = robot.dt # [s]

# Define base station location, p_j
p_1 = robot.base_station_locs[0] # [m]
p_2 = robot.base_station_locs[1] # [m]

# Define noise matrix
Q = robot.q_mat # process noise
R = robot.r_mat # measurement noise

# Define control input
s_t = 1 # speed input [m/s]
phi_t = lambda t: np.sin(t) # rotation rate input [rad/s] (as a function of t)

# Define initial state estimation
mu_0 = np.array([0, 0, 0]) # mean, [m,m,rad]
sigma_0 = 0.1 * np.eye(3) # cov

# A (function), Jacobian of state transition matrix (f(xt,ut))
A_func = lambda mu, u: np.array([[1, 0, -dt * u[0] * np.sin(mu[2])],
                                  [0, 1, dt * u[0] * np.cos(mu[2])],
                                  [0, 0, 1]])

# C_func = lambda mu: np.block([(mu[:2] - p_1) / np.sqrt(np.sum((mu[:2] - p_1) **
#                                  [(mu[:2] - p_2) / np.sqrt(np.sum((mu[:2] - p_2) ** 2)),
#                                  # C (function), Jacobian of the measurement model (Yt)
C_func = lambda mu: np.block([(mu[:2] - p_1) / np.linalg.norm(mu[:2] - p_1), 0],
                              [(mu[:2] - p_2) / np.linalg.norm(mu[:2] - p_2), 0])
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Initialize State

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In [ ]: state = mu_0 # assume initial state = initial state estimation
robot = sim.MobileRobotSimulator()
pos_hist, meas_hist, u_hist = robot.simulate(state, n_steps)
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EKF function + Updated State

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In [ ]: def EKF(mu_0, sigma_0, u_arr, y_arr, A, C, Q, R):
    mu_update = [mu_0] # Updated state mean
    cov_update = [sigma_0] # Updated state covariance
    mu_pred = [] # Predicted state mean
    cov_pred = [] # Predicted state covariance
    A_list = []
    C_list = []

    for t, (u, y) in enumerate(zip(u_arr, y_arr)):
        # Current state estimate for Jacobian calculation
        mu_cur = mu_update[-1]

        # Compute Jacobians for the current estimate
        A_t = A(mu_cur, u)
        C_t = C(mu_cur)

        # PREDICT
        mu_bar_next, _ = robot.noiseless_dynamics_step(mu_cur, t = t) # nonlinear
        sigma_bar_next = A_t @ cov_update[-1] @ A_t.T + Q # Predict the next covar

        # UPDATE
        K_t_numerator = sigma_bar_next @ C_t.T
        K_t_denominator = C_t @ sigma_bar_next @ C_t.T + R
        K_t = K_t_numerator @ np.linalg.inv(K_t_denominator) # Kalman gain

        # Observation prediction
        expected_y = robot.noiseless_measurement_step(mu_cur) # non-linear measure
        # print(mu_bar_next.shape, K_t.shape, y.shape, expected_y.shape)
        mu_next = mu_bar_next + K_t @ (y - expected_y) # Updated state mean

        sigma_next = (np.eye(len(mu_0)) - K_t @ C_t) @ sigma_bar_next # Updated st

        # Collect results for output
        mu_update.append(mu_next) # store the updated
        cov_update.append(sigma_next)
        mu_pred.append(mu_bar_next) # Store the predicted
        cov_pred.append(sigma_bar_next)
        A_list.append(A_t) # store the Jacobians
        C_list.append(C_t)

    return np.array(mu_update[1:]), np.array(cov_update[1:]), np.array(mu_pred), np

mu_update, cov_update, mu_pred, cov_pred, A_arr, C_arr = EKF(mu_0, sigma_0, u_hist,
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Check observable

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In [ ]: def check_observability_from_step(A_arr, C_arr):
    # Initialize parameters
    is_observable_from = None
    last_known_observable = False

    # Number of steps to check
    total_steps = len(A_arr)
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for k in range(1, total_steps + 1): # Start from 1 to avoid zero-step scenario
    rank_O_k, state_dimension, is_observable = calculate_observability(A_arr, C_arr, k)

    # Output results only if state changes
    if is_observable and not last_known_observable:
        print(f"System becomes observable from step {k} onwards (0-index)")
        is_observable_from = k
        last_known_observable = True
    elif not is_observable and last_known_observable:
        print(f"System loses observability at step {k} (0-index)")
        last_known_observable = False

    # print every step's detail (comment out)
    # print(f"Step {k}: Rank = {rank_O_k}, Dimension = {state_dimension}, Observable = {is_observable}")

return is_observable_from

# Call the function
observable_from_step = check_observability_from_step(A_arr, C_arr)
if observable_from_step is not None:
    print(f"The system is consistently observable from step {observable_from_step} onwards (0-index)")
else:
    print("The system is never fully observable within the given steps.")

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Plot EKF

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In [ ]: # plot error ellipse from Pset2
import scipy
from scipy.stats import chi2

def error_ellipse(ax, mu, sig, p=0.95):
    # Ellipse
    t = np.linspace(0, 2*np.pi, 100)
    circ = np.array([np.cos(t), np.sin(t)]).T
    # calculate stretch
    r = chi2.ppf(p, df=2)
    eta = scipy.linalg.sqrtm(sig) * np.sqrt(r)
    ellipse = circ @ eta + mu

    # Draw
    ax.plot(ellipse[:,0], ellipse[:,1], color='k', alpha=0.2, label="Error Ellipse")

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In [ ]: # PLOT result (traj)

# Plot true pose
fig_ekf = robot.plot_pose_history(pos_hist, show_plot=False)

# Plot updated traj
ax = fig_ekf.axes[0]
ax.plot(mu_update[:,0], mu_update[:,1], color='r', label="Updated Position History")

# Plot the updated pose
labeled = False
for px, py, theta in mu_update:
    plt.scatter(px, py,
                edgecolors='red', facecolors='none',
                s=50, zorder=2,
                marker=(3, 0, -90 + np.rad2deg(theta)),
                label="pose" if not labeled else None)

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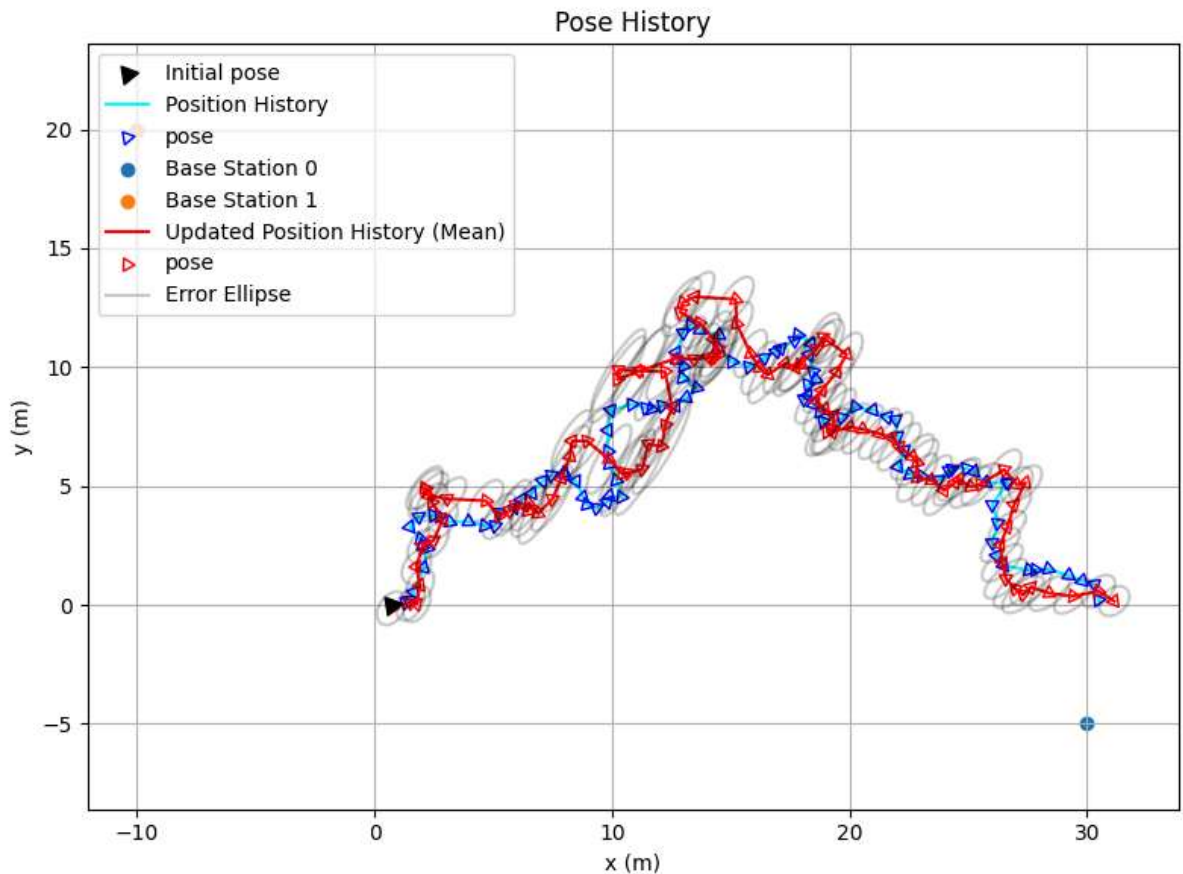
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labeled = True

# Plot Error Ellipse
for t in range(mu_update.shape[0]):
    mean = mu_update[t,:2] # mean for pos
    cov = cov_update[t,:2, :2] # cov for pos
    error_ellipse(ax, mean, cov)

handles, legends = ax.get_legend_handles_labels()
plt.legend(handles[:8], legends[:8])
plt.show()

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(b) UKF

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In [ ]: def UKF(robot=robot, mu0=mu_0, sig0=sigma_0, Q=Q, R=R, yrun_hist=meas_hist, n_steps
# Initialize arrays to store predicted and updated means and covariances
mu_pred_UKF = np.zeros((n_steps + 1, mu0.shape[0])) # (101, 3)
sig_pred_UKF = np.zeros((n_steps + 1, sig0.shape[0], sig0.shape[0])) # (303, 3, 3)
mu_update_UKF = np.zeros_like(mu_pred_UKF)
sig_update_UKF = np.zeros_like(sig_pred_UKF)

# Set initial predicted and updated states
mu_pred_UKF[0, :] = mu0
sig_pred_UKF[0, ...] = sig0
mu_update_UKF[0, :] = mu0
sig_update_UKF[0, ...] = sig0

# Unscented Transform function
def unscented_transform(mean, cov, lam=2):
    n = cov.shape[0]
    sqrt_cov = np.sqrt(lam + n) * sqrtm(cov)
    sigma_points = np.tile(mean, (2 * n + 1, 1))
    weights = lam / (lam + n) * np.ones((2 * n + 1, 1))

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    for i in range(1, n + 1):
        sigma_points[i] += sqrt_cov[:, i - 1]
        weights[i] = 1 / (2 * (lam + n))
        sigma_points[i + n] -= sqrt_cov[:, i - 1]
        weights[i + n] = 1 / (2 * (lam + n))

    return sigma_points, weights

# Function to invert the Unscented Transform
def unscented_transform_inverse(sigma_points, weights):
    mean = np.sum(weights * sigma_points, axis=0)
    cov = (sigma_points - mean).T @ (weights * (sigma_points - mean))
    return mean, cov

# Unscented Kalman Filter
for t in range(1, n_steps + 1):
    # Prediction step
    sigma_points_pred, weights_pred = unscented_transform(mu_update_UKF[t - 1],
        sigma_points_pred_ = np.copy(sigma_points_pred))

    for i in range(sigma_points_pred_.shape[0]):
        sigma_points_pred_[i], _ = robot.noiseless_dynamics_step(sigma_points_pred_

    mu_pred, sig_pred = unscented_transform_inverse(sigma_points_pred_, weights
    sig_pred += Q # Adding process noise

    # Update step
    sigma_points_update, weights_update = unscented_transform(mu_pred, sig_pred
    y_pred = np.zeros((sigma_points_update.shape[0], 2))

    for i in range(y_pred.shape[0]):
        y_pred[i] = robot.noiseless_measurement_step(sigma_points_update[i])

    y_exp, sig_y = unscented_transform_inverse(y_pred, weights_update)
    sig_y += R # Adding measurement noise
    sig_xy = (sigma_points_update - mu_pred).T @ (weights_update * (y_pred - y

    kalman_gain = np.transpose(np.linalg.solve(sig_y.T, sig_xy.T))
    mu_update = mu_pred + kalman_gain @ (yrun_hist[t - 1] - y_exp)
    sig_update = sig_pred - kalman_gain @ sig_xy.T

    # Record predictions and updates
    mu_pred_UKF[t, :] = mu_pred
    sig_pred_UKF[t, ...] = sig_pred
    mu_update_UKF[t, :] = mu_update
    sig_update_UKF[t, ...] = sig_update

    return mu_pred_UKF, sig_pred_UKF, mu_update_UKF, sig_update_UKF

mu_pred_UKF, sig_pred_UKF, mu_update_UKF, sig_update_UKF = UKF()

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Plot UKF

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In [ ]: # PLOT result (traj)

# Plot true pose
fig_ukf = robot.plot_pose_history(pos_hist, show_plot=False)

# Plot updated traj
ax = fig_ukf.axes[0]
ax.plot(mu_update_UKF[:,0], mu_update_UKF[:,1], color='r', label="Updated Position

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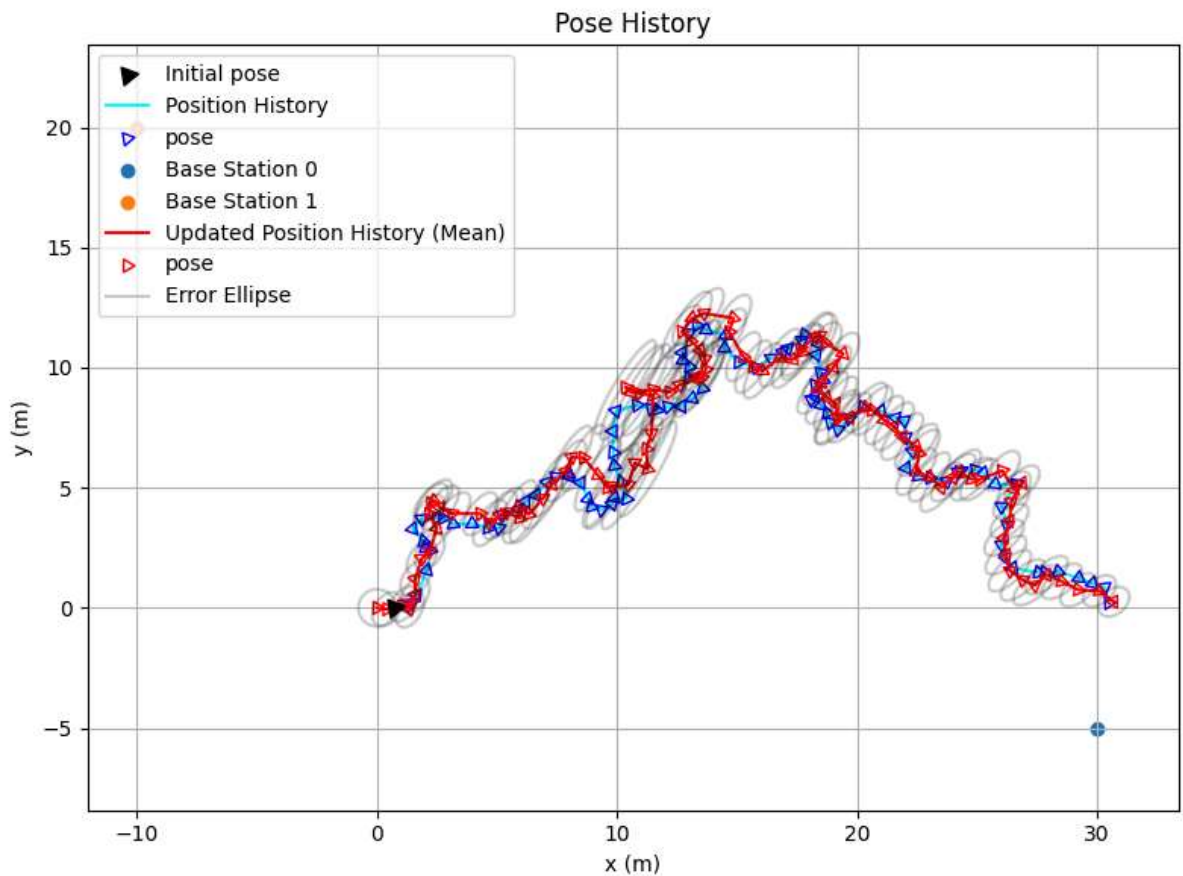
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# Plot the updated pose
labeled = False
for px, py, theta in mu_update_UKF:
    plt.scatter(px, py,
                edgecolors='red', facecolors='none',
                s=50, zorder=2,
                marker=(3, 0, -90 + np.rad2deg(theta)),
                label="pose" if not labeled else None)
    labeled = True

# Plot Error Ellipse
for t in range(mu_update_UKF.shape[0]):
    mean = mu_update_UKF[t,:2] # mean for pos
    cov = sig_update_UKF[t,:2, :2] # cov for pos
    error_ellipse(ax, mean, cov)

handles, legends = ax.get_legend_handles_labels()
plt.legend(handles[:8], legends[:8])
plt.show()

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(c) PF

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In [ ]: def PF(n_steps, initial_state_mean, initial_state_cov, num_particles=1000, robot=rc
        """
        Runs a Particle Filter for state estimation.

        Returns:
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        particle_history : np.ndarray
            History of particle states throughout the filtering process.
        weights : np.ndarray
            Final particle weights after all filtering steps.
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np.random.seed(42)
particle_history = np.zeros((n_steps + 1, num_particles, initial_state_mean.shape[0]))
particles = np.random.multivariate_normal(initial_state_mean, initial_state_cov, num_particles)
weights = np.ones(num_particles) / num_particles
particle_history[0] = particles

# Measurement Likelihood function
measurement_likelihood = lambda y, x: np.exp(-0.5 * (y - robot.noiseless_measure(x))**2)

for t in range(1, n_steps + 1):
    predicted_particles = np.zeros_like(particles)
    predicted_weights = np.zeros_like(weights)

    for i in range(num_particles):
        predicted_particles[i], _ = robot.noisy_dynamics_step(particles[i], t=t)
        predicted_weights[i] = measurement_likelihood(measurement_history[t-1], predicted_particles[i])

    # Normalize weights
    weights = predicted_weights / np.sum(predicted_weights)

    # Resampling step
    resample_indices = np.random.choice(num_particles, size=num_particles, p=weights)
    particles = predicted_particles[resample_indices]
    particle_history[t] = particles

    # Reset weights after resampling
    weights = np.ones(num_particles) / num_particles

return particle_history, weights
p_hist, _ = PF(n_steps, mu_0, sigma_0)

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Plot PF

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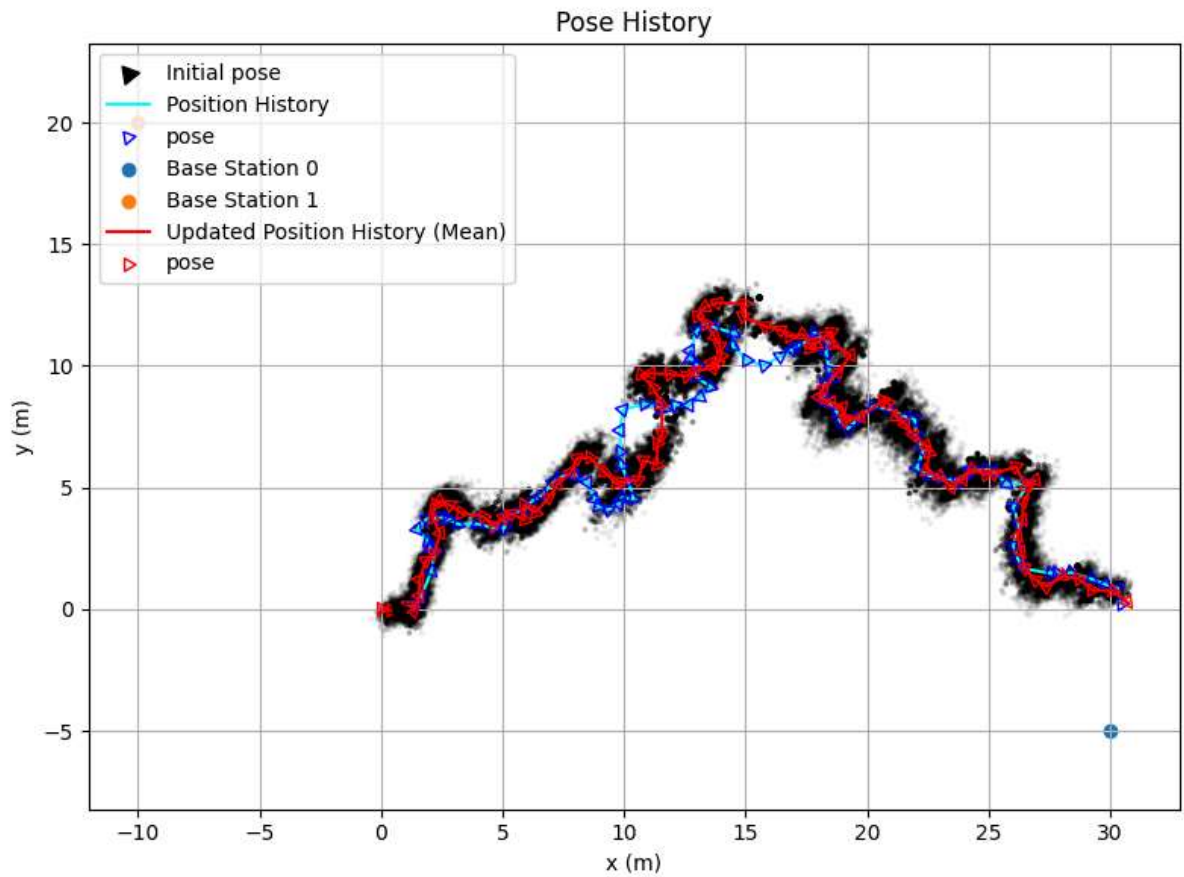
In [ ]: # PF
# Plot true pose
fig_PF = robot.plot_pose_history(pos_hist, show_plot=False)
ax = fig_PF.axes[0]

# Plot updated traj
mu_update_PF = np.mean(p_hist, axis=1)
for t in range(1, mu_update.shape[0]):
    plt.scatter(p_hist[t, :, 0], p_hist[t, :, 1], color='k', alpha=0.05, s=3) # particles
    ax.plot(mu_update_PF[:,0], mu_update_PF[:,1], color='r', label="Updated Position History")

# Plot the updated pose
labeled = False
for px, py, theta in mu_update_PF:
    plt.scatter(px, py,
                edgecolors='red', facecolors='none',
                s=50, zorder=2,
                marker=(3, 0, -90 + np.rad2deg(theta)),
                label="pose" if not labeled else None)
    labeled = True

handles, legends = ax.get_legend_handles_labels()
plt.legend(handles[:8], legends[:8])
plt.show()

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(d) Plot

Plots for EKF, UKF, and PF are shown in the previous section

(e) Computation Time

The computation time for PF \gg UKF \approx EKF. From the notebook output, we can see the time took for both UKF and EKF are nearly zero, which indicating the difference be in \sim ms. But for the PF, we can see it took 11.7s second for the computation which is much larger than other two filters.