Engineering Tripos Part IIB

FOURTH YEAR

4F7 Adaptive filters and Spectrum estimation Examples Paper 2

1. Regularised LMS. Let

$$J(\mathbf{h}) = E\{e^2(n)\} + \alpha \|\mathbf{h}\|^2$$

where

$$e(n) = d(n) - \mathbf{h}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{u}(n)$$

• Show that the LMS update rule for $\mathbf{h}(n)$ is

$$\mathbf{h}(n+1) = (1 - \mu\alpha)\mathbf{h}(n) + \mu\mathbf{u}(n)e(n).$$

• Show that if $\lim_{n\to\infty} E\left\{\mathbf{h}\left(n\right)\right\}$ exists then it satisfies

$$\overline{\mathbf{h}} = \lim_{n \to \infty} E\left\{\mathbf{h}\left(n\right)\right\} = (\mathbf{R} + \alpha \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{p}$$

where $\mathbf{R} = E \{ \mathbf{u}(n) \mathbf{u}^{\mathrm{T}}(n) \}$, $\mathbf{p} = E \{ \mathbf{u}(n) d(n) \}$ and clearly state any approximations used.

- What is the requirement for the stepsize μ to ensure convergence? When could the use of this algorithm be beneficial?
- 2. A constant variable C is measured through two different sensors. The measurements are noisy and have different accuracy,

$$y_1 = C + e_1$$
$$y_2 = C + e_2$$

where $\mathbf{e} = (e_1 \ e_2)^{\mathrm{T}}$ is a zero-mean noise term of covariance

$$\mathbf{R} = \left(\begin{array}{cc} \sigma_1^2 & 0\\ 0 & \sigma_2^2 \end{array}\right).$$

Consider the following estimate of C

$$\widehat{C} = a_1 y_1 + a_2 y_2.$$

Find (a_1, a_2) so that \widehat{C} is unbiased and has minimum variance.

3. Consider the following state-space model

$$\mathbf{x}(n) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(n-1) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{v}(n) \mathbf{y}(n) = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x}(n) + \mathbf{w}(n)$$

where $\{\mathbf{w}(n)\}\$ is a white noise sequence but noise sequence $\{\mathbf{v}(n)\}\$ satisfies

$$\mathbf{v}(n) = \mathbf{A}_{v}\mathbf{v}(n-1) + \mathbf{B}_{v}\mathbf{e}(n)$$

where sequence $\{\mathbf{e}(n)\}\$ is a white noise sequence. How could the Kalman filter be applied to estimate $\mathbf{x}(n)$ from the observation sequence $\mathbf{y}(n)$?

4. Assume we observe for $n \ge 0$

$$y(n) = \alpha + w(n) \tag{1}$$

where $\{w(n)\}\$ is a zero-mean white noise sequence of variance σ_w^2 and α is a random variable with mean zero and standard deviation σ_{α} .

- Give the state-space representation for the signal (1).
- Derive the Kalman filter to obtain the l.m.m.s.e. $\hat{\alpha}(n)$ of α given $\{y(0), \ldots, y(n)\}$. What is the limit of the covariance of this estimate as $n \to \infty$?
- 5. Consider the following autoregressive-moving average model

$$\alpha(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{p} a_i \alpha(n-i) + v(n),$$

$$\beta(n) = \sum_{i=0}^{q-1} b_i \alpha(n-i) + w(n).$$

and give a state-space representation of this model. Distinguish the cases where $p \ge q$ and p < q.