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Exam Random Signals and Filtering (201200135) on Tuesday April 14, 2015, 13.45 – 16.45 hours.

The solutions of the exercises need to be clearly formulated and written in a well-structured manner. Moreover, you always need to present a derivation or arguments to support your answer.

You can use one single-sided A4 page of handwritten notes with your exam.

1. Consider $\Omega = [0, \infty)$ and let \mathcal{P} be such that

$$\mathcal{P}([n, n+1)) = \frac{1}{2^{n+1}}, \quad \mathcal{P}([n, n+1]) = \frac{3}{2^{n+2}},$$

for $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. Can \mathcal{P} satisfy all axioms of a probability measure?

2. Consider the following nonlinear system:

$$\begin{aligned} X_{k+1} &= X_k^2 - W_k^2 \\ Y_k &= X_k V_k \end{aligned}$$

where X_0 , V_k and W_k are mutually independent and all have a uniform distribution on the interval $[0, 1]$. Moreover, the noise sequences $\{W_k\}$ and $\{V_k\}$ are assumed to be white.

- a) Determine $E[X_0|Y_0]$
- b) Determine $E[X_1|Y_0]$.

3. Consider the following nonlinear system:

$$\begin{aligned} X_{k+1} &= X_k^2 + W_k \\ Y_k &= X_k^2 + V_k \end{aligned}$$

where X_0 , V_k and W_k are mutually independent and all have a Gaussian distribution with mean 0 and variance 1. Moreover, the noise sequences $\{W_k\}$ and $\{V_k\}$ are assumed to be white.

- a) Determine $E_{\text{lin}}[X_1|Y_0]$.
- b) Determine $E_{\text{lin}}[X_1|Y_0, Y_1]$.

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4. Consider the following nonlinear system:

$$\begin{aligned}X_{k+1} &= (X_k - W_k)^2 \\ Y_k &= (X_k + V_k)^2\end{aligned}$$

where X_0 , V_k and W_k are mutually independent and all have a uniform distribution on $[-1, 1]$. Moreover, the noise sequences $\{W_k\}$ and $\{V_k\}$ are assumed to be white.

We are applying a particle filter without resampling where we recursively update our particles according to:

$$\pi(x_k | x_{k-1}^i, \mathcal{Y}_k) = p(x_k | x_{k-1}^i)$$

- a) Clarify how to compute updated weights when a measurement arrives in a program such as Matlab (the algorithm not the precise Matlab code)
- b) Clarify how to obtain updated particles x_k^i given x_{k-1}^i in a program such as Matlab (the algorithm not the precise Matlab code).

After step k we have particles x_k^i and associated weights q_k^i to estimate X_k based on measurements $\mathcal{Y}_0, \dots, \mathcal{Y}_k$.

- b) Indicate how to use the particles and weights to find an unbiased estimate for

$$E (X_k - E[X_k | \mathcal{Y}_0, \dots, \mathcal{Y}_k])^2$$

You can earn the following number of points for each exercise:

Exercise 1. 3 points Exercise 2. 5 points
Exercise 4. 5 points Exercise 5. 5 points

The grade is determined by adding two points to the total number of points and dividing by two.