

ELL333

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Questions

1. What is the "filter" in Kalman Filter for?
2. This Kalman Filter observer has gain L which is actually $L_k = \frac{Q \Sigma_{k|k-1}}{\Sigma_{k|k-1} + \Sigma_w}$.

Does L_k converge to some constant L ?

$$L_k \rightarrow L?$$

Is $A - LC$ stable?

3. $L_k \rightarrow L$ if $\Sigma_{k+1|k} \rightarrow \Sigma$. Does Σ exist?

Note: evolution of $\Sigma_{k+1|k}$ only depends on A, C, Σ_w, Σ_v

Kalman Filter equations of the last example

$$\hat{x}_{k+1|k} = A \hat{x}_{k|k-1} + \frac{Q \Sigma_{k|k-1}}{\Sigma_{k|k-1} + \Sigma_w} (y_k - C \hat{x}_{k|k-1})$$

$$\Sigma_{k+1|k} = \frac{A \Sigma_{k|k-1} A^T + \Sigma_w + C^T \Sigma_{k|k-1} C}{\Sigma_{k|k-1} + \Sigma_w}$$

#3 Does $\Sigma_{k+1|k} \rightarrow \Sigma$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$?

Map, f is a mapping from α_k to α_{k+1}

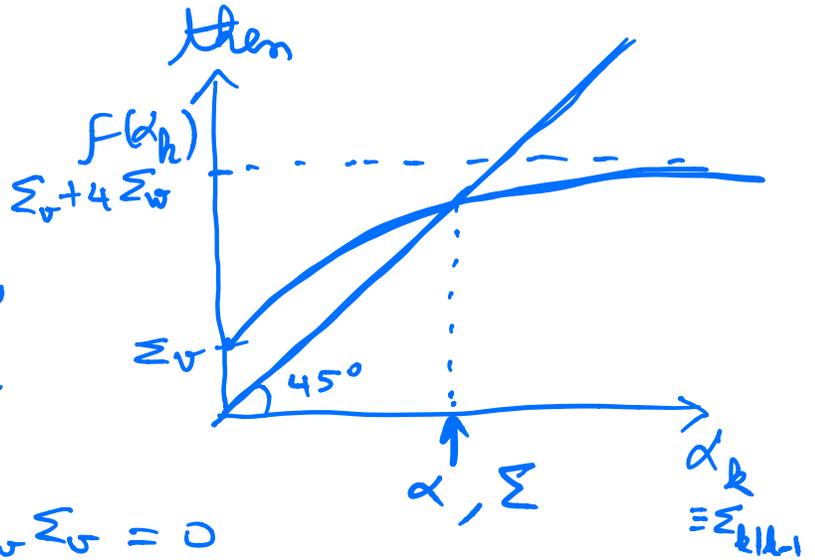
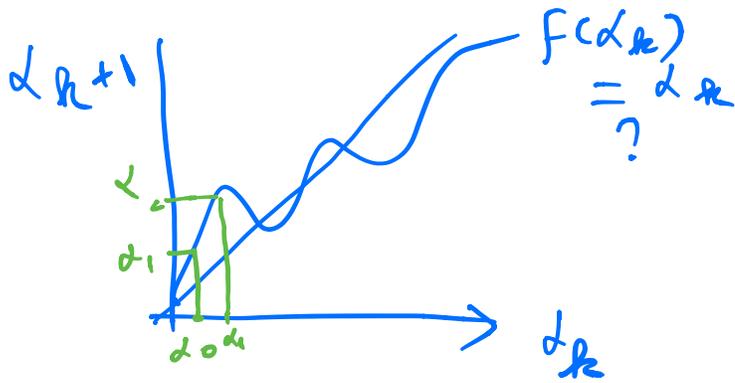
$$\text{i.e. } \alpha_{k+1} = f(\alpha_k), \alpha_k \in \mathbb{R}$$

We are looking for fixed points of the map

$$\text{i.e. } f(\alpha) = \alpha \Rightarrow \alpha \text{ is fixed point.}$$

To find this, especially for scalars,

$$\text{If } f(\alpha_k) = \frac{4\alpha_k \Sigma_w}{\alpha_k + \Sigma_w + \Sigma_v}$$



To find point of intersection,

$$\Sigma = \frac{4 \Sigma \Sigma_w}{\Sigma + \Sigma_w} + \Sigma_v$$

$$\Sigma^2 - (3\Sigma_w + \Sigma_v)\Sigma - \Sigma_w \Sigma_v = 0$$

$$\Sigma = \frac{(3\Sigma_w + \Sigma_v) + \sqrt{(3\Sigma_w + \Sigma_v)^2 + 4\Sigma_w \Sigma_v}}{2}$$

This is fixed point.

How to check whether this is stable i.e.

$$\{\Sigma_{k|k-1}\} \rightarrow \Sigma?$$

$$\alpha_{k+1} > \alpha_k \text{ if } \alpha_k < \alpha$$

$$\& \alpha_{k+1} < \alpha_k \text{ if } \alpha_k > \alpha$$

maybe next lecture

Good, cycles may be possible.

This $\Sigma_{k|k-1} \rightarrow \Sigma$ is important. $\frac{2\Sigma}{2 + \Sigma_w}$

#2 Because, if so, then $L_k \rightarrow L = \frac{2\Sigma}{2 + \Sigma_w}$

Then we can exactly determine the dynamics of the observer-like equation,

$$\hat{x}_{k+1|k} = \alpha \hat{x}_{k|k-1} + \frac{\alpha \Sigma_{k|k-1}}{\Sigma_{k|k-1} + \Sigma_w} (y_k - \hat{x}_{k|k-1})$$

$\rightarrow DL_k$

$$x_{k+1} = \alpha x_k + v_k, \quad y_k = x_k + w_k$$

$$\begin{aligned} e_{k+1} &= x_{k+1} - \hat{x}_{k+1|k} \\ &= \alpha x_k + v_k \\ &\quad - \alpha \hat{x}_{k|k-1} \oplus L_k (x_k + w_k - \hat{x}_{k|k-1}) \\ &= \alpha e_k + v_k \oplus L_k e_k + L_k w_k \\ &= (\alpha \oplus L_k) e_k + v_k + L_k w_k \end{aligned}$$

$$e_{k+1} = (\alpha - L_k) e_k + v_k + L_k w_k$$

$$\alpha - L_k = \alpha - \alpha \frac{\Sigma_{k|k-1}}{\Sigma_{k|k-1} + \Sigma_w} = \alpha \cdot \frac{\Sigma_w}{\Sigma_{k|k-1} + \Sigma_w}$$

Suppose $\Sigma_{k|k-1} \rightarrow \Sigma$, \Rightarrow $\alpha \cdot \frac{\Sigma_w}{\Sigma + \Sigma_w}$

$$\Sigma = \frac{(3\Sigma_w + \Sigma_v) + \sqrt{(3\Sigma_w + \Sigma_v)^2 + 4\Sigma_w \Sigma_v}}{2}$$

$$2-L = 2 \frac{\Sigma_w}{\Sigma + \Sigma_w}$$

$$\text{Suppose } \Sigma_w = \Sigma_v = 1, \quad \Sigma = \frac{4 + \sqrt{20}}{2}$$

$$= 2 + \sqrt{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2-L = 2 \frac{1}{3 + \sqrt{5}} < 1$$

In this case, $\Sigma > \Sigma_w \Rightarrow \Sigma + \Sigma_w > 2\Sigma_w$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\Sigma + \Sigma_w} < \frac{1}{2\Sigma_w}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2\Sigma_w}{\Sigma + \Sigma_w} < 1$$

(mean)

\Rightarrow error dynamics converge