

Distributed Estimation:

LEAST SQUARES:

$$z = H\theta + v$$

↑ parameters
↑ noise

$$\begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_p \end{bmatrix} = \begin{matrix} \text{data pts} \\ \uparrow \\ \begin{bmatrix} H_1 & \dots & H_p \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_2 \end{bmatrix} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{ind variables} \end{matrix} + \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_p \end{bmatrix}$$

$H \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times 2}$

$v_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, V_i)$

Cost: $J(\theta) = (z - H\theta)^T V^{-1} (z - H\theta)$

$$\hat{\theta} = \underset{\theta}{\operatorname{argmin}} \{ J(\theta) \} \Rightarrow \hat{\theta} = \underline{(H^T V^{-1} H)^{-1} H^T V^{-1} z}$$

Distributed

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 &= H_1 \theta + v_1 \\ \vdots & \\ z_n &= H_n \theta + v_n \end{aligned}$$

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} V_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & V_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} H_1 \\ \vdots \\ H_n \end{bmatrix} \theta + \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\theta} = \begin{bmatrix} H_1^T & \dots & H_n^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_1^{-1} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & V_n^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} H_1 \\ \vdots \\ H_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} H_1^T & \dots & H_n^T \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} V_1^{-1} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & V_n^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \left[\sum_i \underbrace{H_i^T V_i^{-1} H_i}_{P_i} \right]^{-1} \sum_i \underbrace{H_i^T V_i^{-1} z_i}_{z_i}$$

Each node: trades $P_i, \tau_i \rightarrow$ consensus on these

Covariances:

$v_i \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad v_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, V_i)$

$V_i = E[v_i v_i^T] = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} v_i(x) v_i(x)^T p(x) dx$

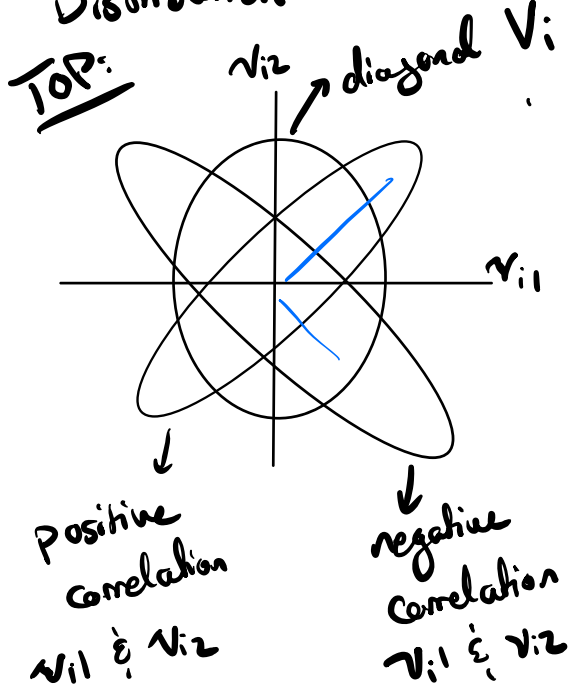
(Red annotations: $\sim \begin{pmatrix} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \uparrow & \uparrow \end{pmatrix} \sim \sim \sim$)

Normal Distribution

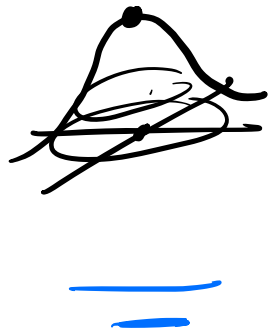
$p(v_i) =$

$\sim e^{-\frac{1}{2} (v_i^T V_i^{-1} v_i)}$

(Red annotations: \downarrow PD matrix)



$e^{(\cdot)}$



Kalman Filter: $\theta \rightarrow x$

Dynamics

$$x(k+1) = A(k)x(k) + B(k)u(k) + w(k) \quad \text{in general}$$

→ $x(k+1) = Ax(k) + w(k) \leftarrow \text{for now.}$

$$w(k) \sim \mathcal{N}(0, W_k)$$

Measurement

$$z(k) = H(k)x(k) + v(k) \leftarrow \right]$$

Before for LS: H was tall.

now $H(k)$ usually fat.

———— assume $w(k) = 0$

$$z(0) = H(0)x(0) + v(0)$$

$$z(1) = H(1)x(1) + v(1)$$

⋮

$$z(k) = H(k)x(k) + v(k)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} z(0) \\ z(1) \\ \vdots \\ z(k) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} H(0)x(0) \\ H(1)Ax(0) \\ \vdots \\ H(k)A^{k-1}x(0) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} v(0) \\ v(1) \\ \vdots \\ v(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} z(0) \\ \vdots \\ z(k) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} H(0) \\ H(1)A \\ \vdots \\ H(k)A^{k-1} \end{bmatrix} x(0) + \begin{bmatrix} v(0) \\ v(1) \\ \vdots \\ v(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

Notation:

x : true state.

\hat{x} : state estimate:

$\hat{x}(k|k-1)$ before take a meas. at time k |

$\hat{x}(k) = \hat{x}(k|k)$ after measurement. |

Σ : error covariance

$$\Sigma(k) = E[\tilde{x}(k)\tilde{x}(k)^T]$$

$$\tilde{x}(k|k-1) = \hat{x}(k|k-1) - x(k)$$

$$\tilde{x}(k) = \hat{x}(k) - x(k)$$

$$\Sigma(k|k-1) = E[\tilde{x}(k|k-1)\tilde{x}(k|k-1)^T]$$

Full column matrix = observability