

Estimation Theory, Final exam 20.10.2017, Marko Vauhkonen

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Joint density function is given

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{2}(x^2 + y^2), & \text{when } 0 < x < 1, \quad 0 < y < 1 \\ 0 & \text{Otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

Calculate $E\{x|y = \frac{1}{2}\}$ and draw $f(x|y = \frac{1}{2})$.

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Prove that $f(z|\theta) = f_v(z - h(\theta))$, when θ and v are independent

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a) Calculate $\hat{\theta}_{\text{LMMS}}$ when observation model is

$$\begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \theta + v \quad (2)$$

Assume $\eta_v = \eta_\theta = 0$ and variances to be σ_θ^2 and σ_v^2

b) What happens when $\sigma_\theta^2 \rightarrow \infty$?

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a) It's known that in Bayes cost method

$$B(\hat{\theta}|z) = E\{C(\theta, \hat{\theta})|z\}. \quad (3)$$

Prove that

$$B(\hat{\theta}|z) = \text{trace } C_{\theta|z} + \|\hat{\theta} - \eta_{\theta|z}\|^2 \quad (4)$$

for MS estimate.

b) Based on a) what is $\hat{\theta}_{MS}$ and why?

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Density functions are

$$f(\theta) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{when } 0 < \theta < 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

and

$$f_v(v) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}v & \text{when } 0 < v < 2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}. \quad (6)$$

One observation was made: $z = \frac{5}{2}$. Calculate $\hat{\theta}_{\text{MS}}$, $\hat{\theta}_{\text{ML}}$ and $\hat{\theta}_{\text{MAP}}$ and draw corresponding figures.