

## ET 4386 Estimation and Detection

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### Exercises -Detection

**Problem 1:** Binary detection problem with  $\mathbf{w} \sim N(\mathbf{0}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})$  and deterministic signal  $s[n] = Ar^n$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_0 \quad x[n] &= w[n] \\ \mathcal{H}_1 \quad x[n] &= Ar^n + w[n] \end{aligned}$$

**Problem 1a:** Find the NP detector.

**Problem 1b:** Determine the detection performance.

**Problem 1c:** What happens as  $N \rightarrow \infty$  for  $0 \leq r \leq 1$ ,  $r = 1$  and  $r \geq 1$ ?

**Problem 2:** To optimize the detection probability of a signal in WGN, different signals are investigated. These are

$$s_1[n] = A$$

and

$$s_2[n] = A(-1^n),$$

both for  $n = 0, \dots, N - 1$ .

**Problem 2a:** Which signal will have the best detection performance?

Now consider the case where the noise has correlation matrix  $\mathbf{C} = \sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + P \mathbf{1} \mathbf{1}^T$

**Problem 2b:** Which signal will have the best detection performance?

**Problem 3:** Given is a geometrically distribute random variable  $k$ , which is the number of failures before the first succes in a series of Bernoulli trials. The pmf is given by

$$f(k; p) = (1 - p)^k p.$$

We want to make a binary decision on the distribution of  $k$ , which is given by the following two hypotheses:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}_0 \quad k &\sim f(k; p_0) \\ \mathcal{H}_1 \quad k &\sim f(k; p_1) \end{aligned}$$

**Problem 3a:** Find the NP detector  $T(k)$ .

**Problem 3b:** Determine the detection performance as a function of  $P_{fa}$ .

**Problem 4:** Find the NP detector for the problem of a random Gaussian signal  $s[n]$  for  $n = 0, \dots, N - 1$  in white Gaussian noise. The covariance matrix  $\mathbf{C}_s$  is given by  $\mathbf{C}_s = \text{diag}(\sigma_{s_0}^2, \sigma_{s_1}^2, \dots, \sigma_{s_{N-1}}^2)$  and  $\mathbf{s} \sim N(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{C}_s)$ .

**Problem 5:** We want to detect a random DC level  $A$  embedded in WGN with variance  $\sigma^2$ . The two hypotheses are given by

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}_0 \quad x[n] &= w[n] \\ \mathcal{H}_1 \quad x[n] &= A + w[n]\end{aligned}$$

for  $n = 0, \dots, N - 1$  and  $A \sim N(0, \sigma_A^2)$ .

**Problem 5a:** Find the MMSE estimator of the signal  $\mathbf{s}$ .

**Problem 5b:** Find the NP detector  $T(\mathbf{x})$ .

**Problem 6:** We have the following binary detection problem

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}_0 \quad x[n] &= w[n] \\ \mathcal{H}_1 \quad x[n] &= Ar^n + w[n]\end{aligned}$$

with  $0 < r < 1$  and  $A \sim N(0, \sigma_A^2)$  and  $w[n]$  white Gaussian noise with variance  $\sigma^2$ .  $A$  and  $w[n]$  are independent.

**Problem 6a:** Find the test statistic  $T(\mathbf{x})$ .

**Problem 7:** Find the NP detector for the problem of a random zero-mean signal  $s[n]$  with covariance  $\mathbf{C}_s = \text{diag}(\sigma_{s_0}^2, \sigma_{s_1}^2, \dots, \sigma_{s_{N-1}}^2)$  embedded in WGN with variance  $\sigma^2$ . Assume that the data samples observed are  $x[n]$  for  $n = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$ .

**Problem 8:**

**Problem 8a:** Find the NP detector for the case where  $\mathbf{x}$  has dimension  $N \times 1$  and where

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}_0 \quad x[n] &= w[n] \\ \mathcal{H}_1 \quad x[n] &= s[n] + w[n]\end{aligned}$$

with  $\mathbf{w} \sim N(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{C}_w)$  and  $\mathbf{s} \sim N(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{C}_s) = N(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{C}_w \eta)$  with  $\eta > 0$ .

**Problem 8b:** Determine  $P_{fa}$  and  $P_D$  for general  $N$  as well as for  $N = 2$ . Hint: if  $\mathbf{x} \sim N(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{C})$ , then  $\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{C}^{-1} \mathbf{x} \sim \chi_N^2$ .

**Problem 9:** Let

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}_0 \quad x[n] &= w[n] \\ \mathcal{H}_1 \quad x[n] &= s[n] + w[n]\end{aligned}$$

with  $w[n] \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$  and  $s[n] \sim N(A, \sigma_s^2)$ . Give the NP detector for the case that the IID samples  $n = 0, \dots, N - 1$  are observed.

**Problem 10:** We wish to detect a damped exponential  $s[n] = Ar^n$ , where  $A$  is unknown and  $r$  is known ( $0 < r < 1$ ), in WGN with known variance  $\sigma^2$ , based on  $N$  samples for  $x[n]$ .

**Problem 10a:** Determine the MLE for  $A$ .

**Problem 10b:** Determine the GLRT that decides  $\mathcal{H}_1$ .