

Fundamentals of Kalman Filtering: A Practical Approach

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Seminar Outline - 1

- **Numerical Techniques**
 - **Required background**
 - **Introduction to source code**
- **Method of Least Squares**
 - **How to build batch process least squares filter**
 - **Performance and software comparison of different order filters**
- **Recursive Least Squares Filtering**
 - **How to make batch process filter recursive**
 - **Formulas and properties of various order filters**

Seminar Outline - 2

- **Polynomial Kalman Filters**
 - **Relationship to recursive least squares filter**
 - **How to apply Kalman filtering and Riccati equations**
 - **Examples of utility in absence of a priori information**
- **Kalman Filters in a Non Polynomial World**
 - **How polynomial filter performs when mismatched to real world**
 - **Improving Kalman filter with a priori information**
- **Continuous Polynomial Kalman Filter**
 - **How continuous filters can be used to understand discrete filters**
 - **Using transfer functions to represent and understand Kalman filters**

Seminar Outline - 3

- **Extended Kalman Filtering**
 - **How to apply equations to a practical example**
 - **Showing what can go wrong with several different design approaches**
- **Drag and Falling Object**
 - **Designing two different extended filters for this problem**
 - **Demonstrating the importance of process noise**
- **Cannon Launched Projectile Tracking Problem**
 - **Comparing Cartesian and polar extended filters in terms of performance and software requirements**
 - **Comparing extended and linear Kalman filters in terms of performance and robustness**

Seminar Outline - 4

- **Tracking a Sine Wave**
 - **Developing different filter formulations and comparing results**
- **Satellite Navigation (Simplified GPS Example)**
 - **Step by step approach for determining receiver location based on satellite range measurements**
- **Biases**
 - **Filtering techniques for estimating biases in GPS example**
- **Linearized Kalman Filtering**
 - **Two examples and comparisons with extended filter**
- **Miscellaneous Topics**
 - **Detecting filter divergence**
 - **Practical illustration of inertial aiding**

Seminar Outline - 5

- **Tracking an Exoatmospheric Target**
 - **Comparison of Kalman and Fading Memory Filters**
- **Miscellaneous Topics 2**
 - **Using additional measurements**
 - **Batch processing**
 - **Making filters adaptive**
- **Filter Banks**
- **Practical Uses of Chain Rule**
 - **3D GPS**
- **Finite Memory Filter**
- **Extra**
 - **Stereo, Filtering Options, Cramer-Rao & More**

Numerical Basics

Numerical Basics Overview

- **Simple vector and matrix operations**
- **Numerical integration**
- **Noise and random variables**
 - **Definitions**
 - **Gaussian noise example**
 - **Simulating white noise**
- **State space notation**
- **Fundamental matrix**

Simple Vector and Matrix Operations

Vector Operations - 1

Column vector

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Example of vector

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Vector addition

$$\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_2 + y_2 \\ x_3 + y_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x_n + y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Vector Operations - 2

Vector subtraction

$$\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - y_1 \\ x_2 - y_2 \\ x_3 - y_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x_n - y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Example

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{s} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{r} + \mathbf{s} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 13 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{s} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Vector Operations - 3

Column vector transpose

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \mathbf{x}^T = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}^T = [x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3 \ \cdot \ \cdot \ \cdot \ x_n]$$

Row vector transpose

$$\mathbf{z} = [z_1 \ z_2 \ z_3 \ \cdot \ \cdot \ \cdot \ z_n] \longrightarrow \mathbf{z}^T = \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ z_3 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ z_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Numerical example

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \mathbf{r}^T = [5 \ 7 \ 2]$$

Simple Matrix Operations - 1

Matrix is an array of elements

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & a_{2n} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & a_{3n} \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & a_{m3} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Example of 3 by 3 square matrix

$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 6 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 & -5 \\ 7 & 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Diagonal elements are -1, 4 and 8

Matrix addition only defined when matrices have same dimensions

$$\mathbf{S} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ -7 & 2 \\ 5 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \mathbf{S} + \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ -7 & 2 \\ 5 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & -5 \\ -6 & 7 \\ 3 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

FORTRAN Program To Perform Matrix Addition

```
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
REAL*8 S(3,2),T(3,2),U(3,2)
S(1,1)=2.
S(1,2)=-6.
S(2,1)=1.
S(2,2)=5.
S(3,1)=-2.
S(3,2)=3.
T(1,1)=9.
T(1,2)=1.
T(2,1)=-7.
T(2,2)=2.
T(3,1)=5.
T(3,2)=8.
CALL MATADD(S,3,2,T,U)
WRITE(9,*)U(1,1),U(1,2)
WRITE(9,*)U(2,1),U(2,2)
WRITE(9,*)U(3,1),U(3,2)
PAUSE
END

SUBROUTINE MATADD(A,IROW,ICOL,B,C)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
REAL*8 A(IROW,ICOL),B(IROW,ICOL),C(IROW,ICOL)
DO 120 I=1,IROW
DO 120 J=1,ICOL
    C(I,J)=A(I,J)+B(I,J)
CONTINUE
RETURN
END
```

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MATLAB and True BASIC Equivalents For Performing Matrix Addition

MATLAB

```
S=[2 -6;1 5;-2 3];  
T=[9 1;-7 2;5 8];  
U=S+T
```

True BASIC

```
OPTION NOLET  
DIM S(3,2),T(3,2),U(3,2)  
S(1,1)=2.  
S(1,2)=-6.  
S(2,1)=1.  
S(2,2)=5.  
S(3,1)=-2.  
S(3,2)=3.  
T(1,1)=9.  
T(1,2)=1.  
T(2,1)=-7.  
T(2,2)=2.  
T(3,1)=5.  
T(3,2)=8.  
MAT U=S+T  
MAT PRINT U  
END
```

Simple Matrix Operations - 2

Matrix subtraction

$$\mathbf{S} - \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ -7 & 2 \\ 5 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -7 \\ 8 & 3 \\ -7 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Transpose of matrix

$$\mathbf{S}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -2 \\ -6 & 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix is symmetric if rows and columns can be interchanged or

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}^T$$

The following matrix is symmetric

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Because

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

FORTRAN Program To Perform Matrix Subtraction

```
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
REAL*8 S(3,2),T(3,2),U(3,2)
S(1,1)=2.
S(1,2)=-6.
S(2,1)=1.
S(2,2)=5.
S(3,1)=-2.
S(3,2)=3.
T(1,1)=9.
T(1,2)=1.
T(2,1)=-7.
T(2,2)=2.
T(3,1)=5.
T(3,2)=8.
CALL MATSUB(S,3,2,T,U)
WRITE(9,*)U(1,1),U(1,2)
WRITE(9,*)U(2,1),U(2,2)
WRITE(9,*)U(3,1),U(3,2)
PAUSE
END
```

```
SUBROUTINE MATSUB(A,IROW,ICOL,B,C)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
REAL*8 A(IROW,ICOL),B(IROW,ICOL),C(IROW,ICOL)
DO 120 I=1,IROW
DO 120 J=1,ICOL
    C(I,J)=A(I,J)-B(I,J)
120 CONTINUE
RETURN
END
```

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FORTRAN Program To Perform Matrix Transpose

```
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
REAL*8 S(3,2),ST(2,3)
S(1,1)=2.
S(1,2)=-6.
S(2,1)=1.
S(2,2)=5.
S(3,1)=-2.
S(3,2)=3.
CALL MATTRN(S,3,2,ST)
WRITE(9,*)ST(1,1),ST(1,2),ST(1,3)
WRITE(9,*)ST(2,1),ST(2,2),ST(2,3)
PAUSE
END
```

```
SUBROUTINE MATTRN(A,IROW,ICOL,AT)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
REAL*8 A(IROW,ICOL),AT(ICOL,IROW)
DO 105 I=1,IROW
DO 105 J=1,ICOL
AT(J,I)=A(I,J)
CONTINUE
RETURN
END
```

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Simple Matrix Operations - 3

A matrix with m rows and n columns can only be multiplied by a matrix with n rows and q columns

- **Multiply each element of the rows of matrix A with each element of the columns of matrix B**
- **New matrix has m rows and q columns**

Example

$$\mathbf{RS} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 6 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 & -5 \\ 7 & 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1*2+6*1+2*(-2) & -1*(-6)+6*5+2*3 \\ 3*2+4*1-5*(-2) & 3*(-6)+4*5-5*3 \\ 7*2+2*1+8*(-2) & 7*(-6)+2*5+8*3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 42 \\ 20 & -13 \\ 0 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

FORTRAN Program To Perform Matrix Multiplication

```
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
REAL*8 S(3,2),R(3,3),RS(3,2)
S(1,1)=2.
S(1,2)=-6.
S(2,1)=1.
S(2,2)=5.
S(3,1)=-2.
S(3,2)=3.
R(1,1)=-1.
R(1,2)=6.
R(1,3)=2.
R(2,1)=3.
R(2,2)=4.
R(2,3)=-5.
R(3,1)=7.
R(3,2)=2.
R(3,3)=8.
CALL MATMUL(R,3,3,S,3,2,RS)
WRITE(9,*)RS(1,1),RS(1,2)
WRITE(9,*)RS(2,1),RS(2,2)
WRITE(9,*)RS(3,1),RS(3,2)
PAUSE
END

SUBROUTINE MATMUL(A,IROW,ICOL,B,JROW,JCOL,C)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
REAL*8 A(IROW,ICOL),B(JROW,JCOL),C(IROW,JCOL)
DO 110 I=1,IROW
DO 110 J=1,JCOL
    C(I,J)=0.
    DO 110 K=1,ICOL
        C(I,J)= C(I,J)+A(I,K)*B(K,J)
    END DO
END DO
CONTINUE
RETURN
END
```

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Simple Matrix Operations - 4

Identity matrix has unity diagonal elements and zeroes elsewhere

Two by two

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Three by three

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix times it's inverse is identity matrix

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{I}$$

Matrix Inverse For Two By Two Square Matrix

Two by two formula

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

Numerical example

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{2*3-(-4)*1} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} .3 & .4 \\ -.1 & .2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Check

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} .3 & .4 \\ -.1 & .2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} .3*2+.4*1 & .3*(-4)+.4*3 \\ -.1*2+.2*1 & -.1*(-4)+.2*3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix Inverse For Three By Three Square Matrix - 1

Three by three formula

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{aei + bfg + cdh - ceg - bdi - afh} \begin{bmatrix} ei-fh & ch-bi & bf-ec \\ gf-di & ai-gc & dc-af \\ dh-ge & gb-ah & ae-bd \end{bmatrix}$$

For example, given

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Coefficient given by

$$\frac{1}{aei + bfg + cdh - ceg - bdi - afh} = \frac{1}{1*5*10 + 2*6*7 + 3*4*8 - 3*5*7 - 2*4*10 - 1*6*8} = \frac{-1}{3}$$

Matrix Inverse For Three By Three Square Matrix - 2

Matrix itself given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} ei-fh & ch-bi & bf-ec \\ gf-di & ai-gc & dc-af \\ dh-ge & gb-ah & ae-bd \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5*10-6*8 & 3*8-2*10 & 2*6-5*3 \\ 7*6-4*10 & 1*10-7*3 & 4*3-1*6 \\ 4*8-7*5 & 7*2-1*8 & 1*5-2*4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -3 \\ 2 & -11 & 6 \\ -3 & 6 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore inverse of A computed as

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{-1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -3 \\ 2 & -11 & 6 \\ -3 & 6 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2/3 & -4/3 & 1 \\ -2/3 & 11/3 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Check

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} -2/3 & -4/3 & 1 \\ -2/3 & 11/3 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2/3-16/3+7 & -4/3-20/3+8 & -2-8+10 \\ -2/3+44/3-14 & -4/3+55/3-16 & -2+22-20 \\ 1-8+7 & 2-10+8 & 3-12+10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Or

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

MATLAB and True BASIC Do Not Require Inverse Formulas

MATLAB

```
A=[1 2 3;4 5 6;7 8 10];  
AINV=inv(A)
```

True BASIC

```
OPTION NOLET  
DIM A(3,3),AINV(3,3)  
A(1,1)=1.  
A(1,2)=2.  
A(1,3)=3.  
A(2,1)=4.  
A(2,2)=5.  
A(2,3)=6.  
A(3,1)=7.  
A(3,2)=8.  
A(3,3)=10.  
MAT AINV=INV(A)  
MAT PRINT AINV  
END
```

Numerical Integration of Differential Equations

Euler Integration

Given first-order differential equation

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = f(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

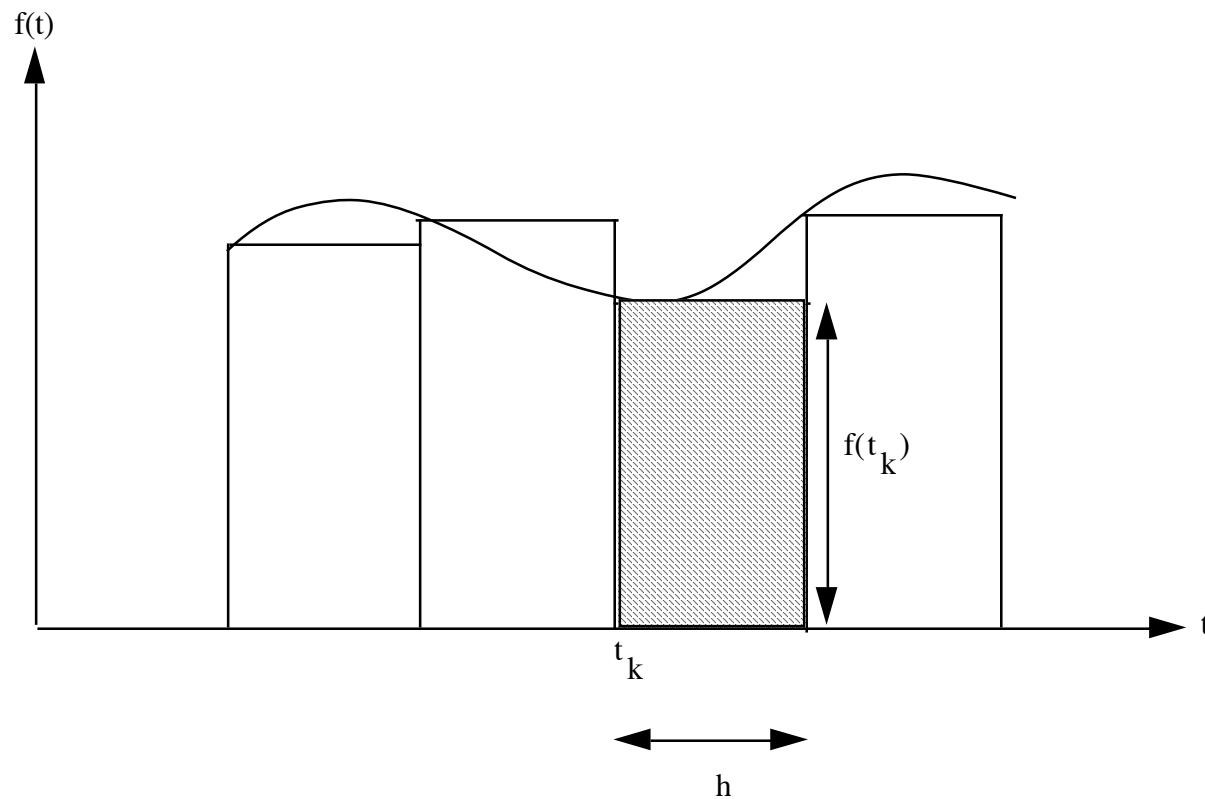
From the definition of a derivative in calculus

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = f(\mathbf{x}, t) = \frac{\mathbf{x}(t+h) - \mathbf{x}(t)}{h} = \frac{\mathbf{x}_k - \mathbf{x}_{k-1}}{h}$$

Rearranging terms

$$\mathbf{x}_k = \mathbf{x}_{k-1} + hf(\mathbf{x}, t) \longleftarrow \text{Euler integration}$$

Finding Area Under Curve is Equivalent to Euler Integration



Making Up a Differential Equation To Test Euler Integration

Answer

$$x = \sin\omega t$$

Take first derivative

$$\dot{x} = \omega\cos\omega t$$

Take second derivative

$$\ddot{x} = -\omega^2\sin\omega t$$

Therefore

$$\ddot{x} = -\omega^2 x \quad \leftarrow \text{Second-order differential equation we want to solve}$$

Initial conditions

$$x(0) = 0$$

$$x(\dot{0}) = \omega$$

Obtained from first and second equations at t=0

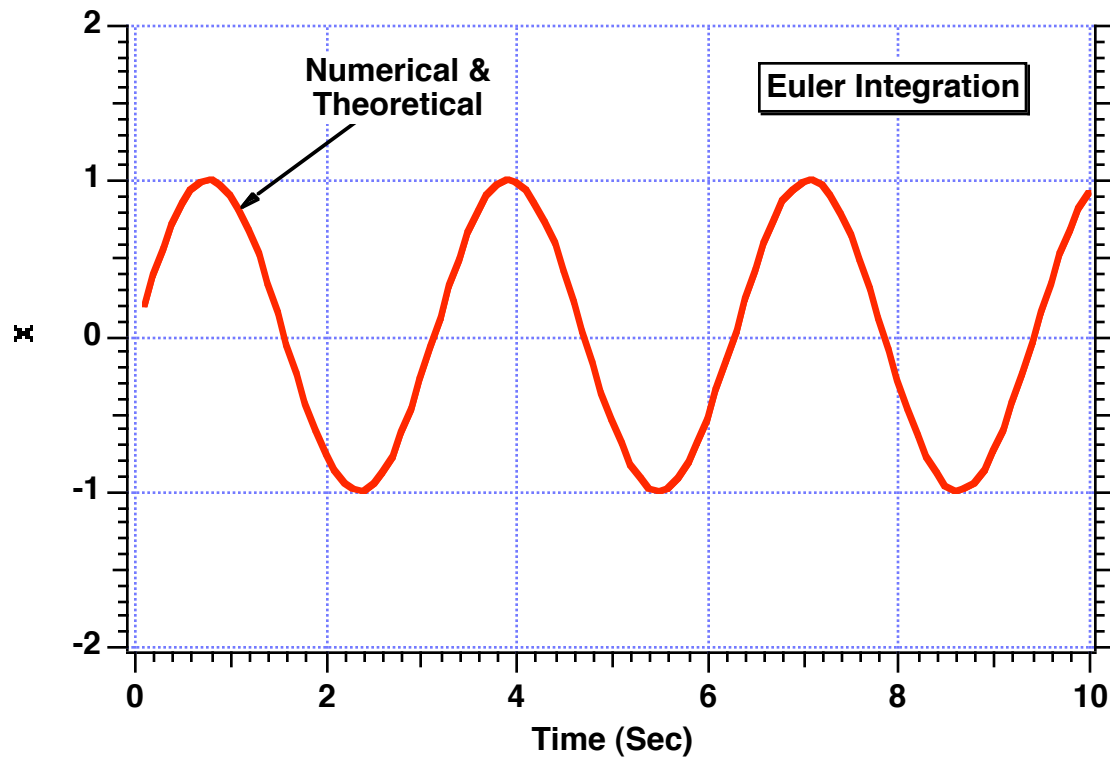
Using Euler Integration to Solve Second-Order Differential Equation

```
IMPLICIT REAL*8(A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8(O-Z)
OPEN(1,STATUS='UNKNOWN',FILE='DATFIL')
W=2.
T=0.
S=0.
X=0.
XD=W
H=.01
WHILE(T<=10.)
  S=S+H
  XDD=-W*W*X
  XD=XD+H*XDD
  X=X+H*XD
  T=T+H
  IF(S>=.09999)THEN
    S=0.
    XTHEORY=SIN(W*T)
    WRITE(9,*)T,X,XTHEORY
    WRITE(1,*)T,X,XTHEORY
  ENDIF
END DO
PAUSE
CLOSE(1)
END
```

Initial conditions

Differential equation and Euler integration

Euler Integration Accurately Solves Second-Order Differential Equation



Second-Order Runge-Kutta Integration

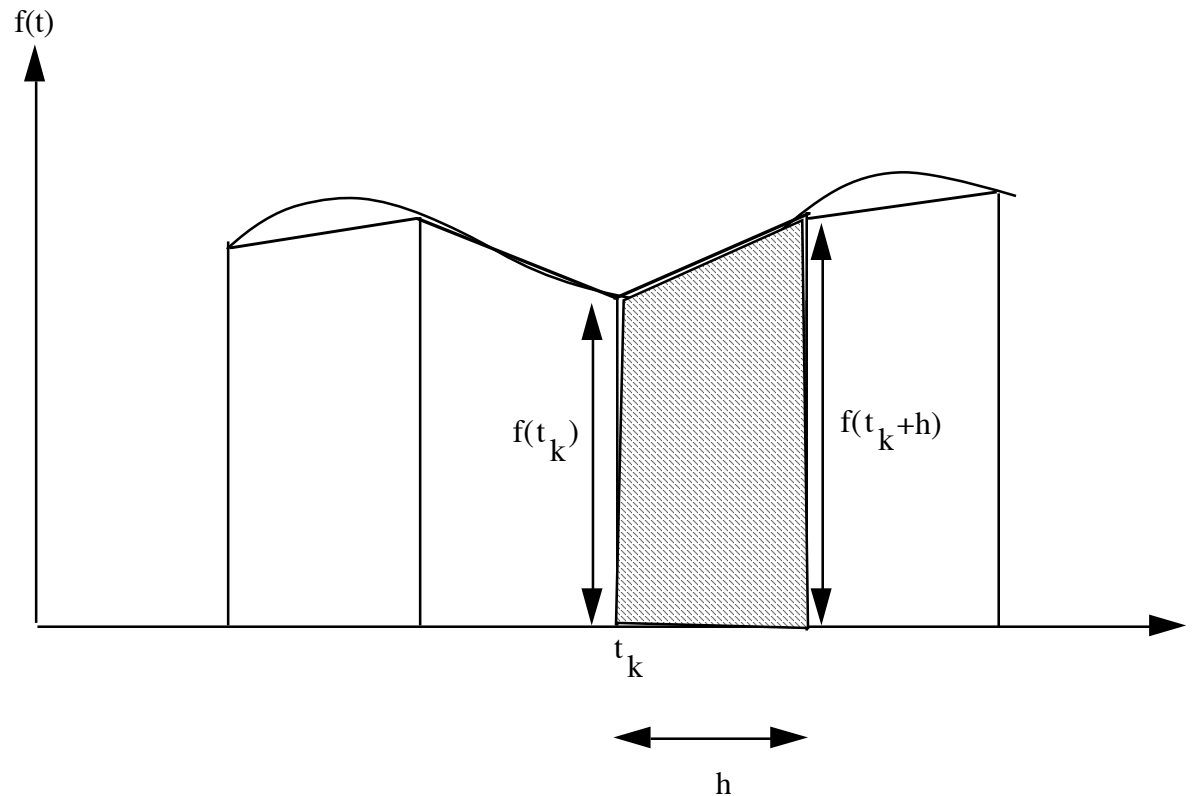
Given

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = f(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

Second-order Runge-Kutta formula

$$\mathbf{x}_k = \mathbf{x}_{k-1} + .5h[f(\mathbf{x}, t) + f(\mathbf{x}, t+h)]$$

Equivalent to using trapezoids to find area under curve



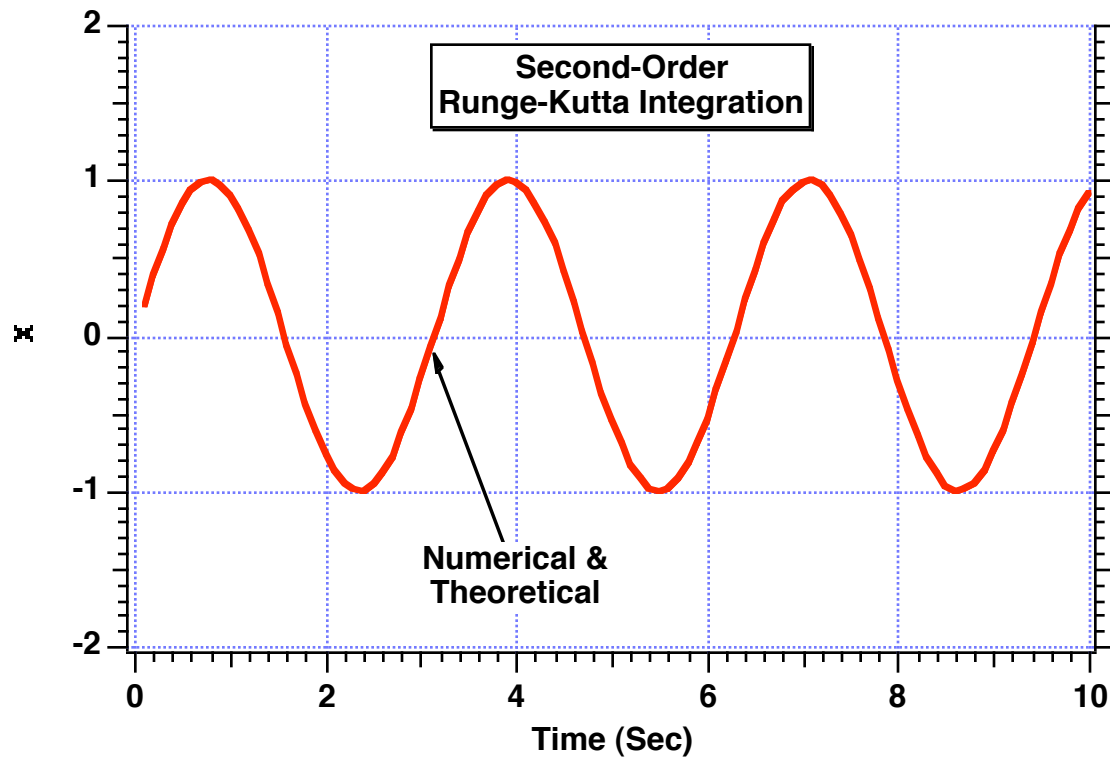
Using Second-Order Runge-Kutta Integration to Solve Same Differential Equation

```
IMPLICIT REAL*8(A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8(O-Z)
OPEN(1,STATUS='UNKNOWN',FILE='DATFIL')
W=2.
T=0.
S=0.
X=0.
XD=W
H=.01
WHILE(T<=10.)
  S=S+H
  XOLD=X
  XDOLD=XD
  XDD=-W*W*X
  X=X+H*XD
  XD=XD+H*XDD
  T=T+H
  XDD=-W*W*X
  X=.5*(XOLD+X+H*XD)
  XD=.5*(XDOLD+XD+H*XDD)
  IF(S>=.09999)THEN
    S=0.
    XTHEORY=SIN(W*T)
    WRITE(9,*)T,X,XTHEORY
    WRITE(1,*)T,X,XTHEORY
  ENDIF
END DO
PAUSE
CLOSE(1)
END
```

Initial conditions

Second-order Runge-Kutta integration

Second-Order Runge-Kutta Numerical Integration Also Accurately Solves Differential Equation



Noise and Random Variables

Basic Definitions - 1

Probability density function

$$p(x) \geq 0$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(x) dx = 1$$

Probability that x is between a and b

$$\text{Prob}(a \leq x \leq b) = \int_a^b p(x) dx$$

Distribution function

$$P(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x p(u) du$$

Basic Definitions - 2

Mean or expected value

$$m = E(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xp(x)dx$$

Property

$$E(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n) = E(x_1) + E(x_2) + \dots + E(x_n)$$

Mean squared value

$$E(x^2) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2p(x)dx$$

Root mean square value

$$\text{rms} = \sqrt{E(x^2)}$$

Basic Definitions - 3

Variance

$$\sigma^2 = E\{[x - E(x)]^2\} = E(x^2) - E^2(x)$$

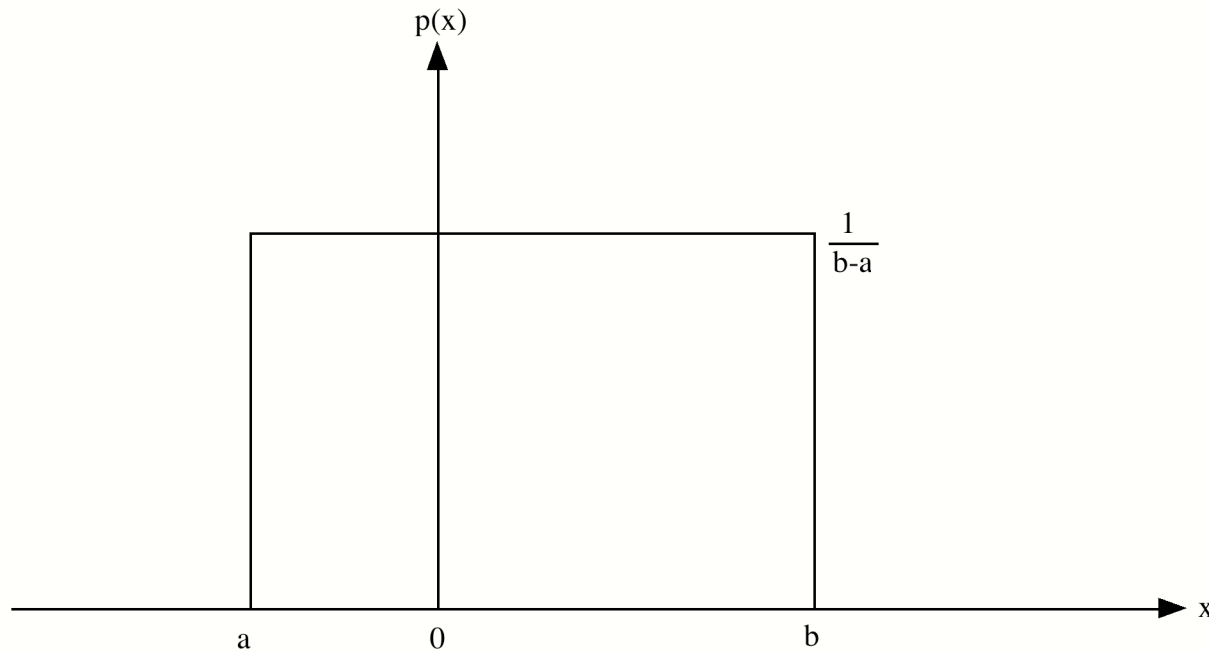
Property for independent random variables

$$\sigma^2 = \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2 + \dots + \sigma_n^2$$

Square root of variance is known as standard deviation

For zero mean processes the standard deviation and RMS values are identical

Uniform Probability Distribution



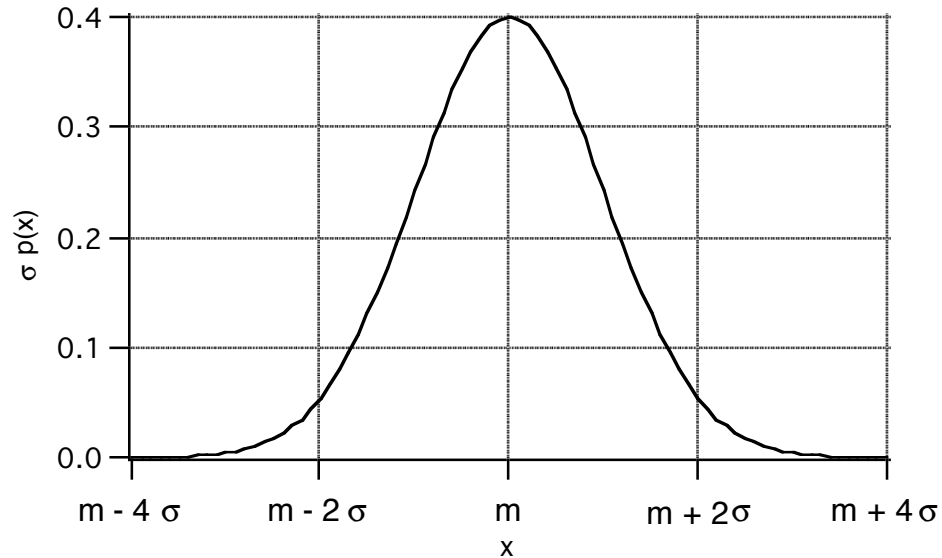
Mean

$$m = E(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xp(x)dx = \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b xdx = \frac{b+a}{2}$$

Variance

$$\sigma^2 = E(x^2) - E^2(x) = \frac{b^3 - a^3}{3(b-a)} - \left(\frac{b+a}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$$

Gaussian or Normal Probability Density Function



Probability density function

$$p(x) = \frac{\exp\left[-\frac{(x-m)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right]}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}}$$

Gaussian Random Noise Generator in FORTRAN

```
C THE FIRST THREE STATEMENTS INVOKE THE ABSOFT RANDOM NUMBER GENERATOR ON THE MACINTOSH
GLOBAL DEFINE
    INCLUDE 'quickdraw.inc'
END
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
SIGNOISE=1.
OPEN(1,STATUS='UNKNOWN',FILE='DATFIL')
DO 10 I=1,1000
CALL GAUSS(X,SIGNOISE)
WRITE(9,*)I,X
WRITE(1,*)I,X
10 CONTINUE
CLOSE(1)
PAUSE
END

SUBROUTINE GAUSS(X,SIG)
IMPLICIT REAL*8(A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8(O-Z)
INTEGER SUM
SUM=0
DO 14 J=1,6
C THE NEXT STATEMENT PRODUCES A UNIF. DISTRIBUTED NUMBER FROM -32768 TO +32768
    IRAN=Random()
    SUM=SUM+IRAN
14 CONTINUE
    X=SUM/65536.
    X=1.414*X*SIG
RETURN
END
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Gaussian Random Number Generator in MATLAB and True BASIC

MATLAB

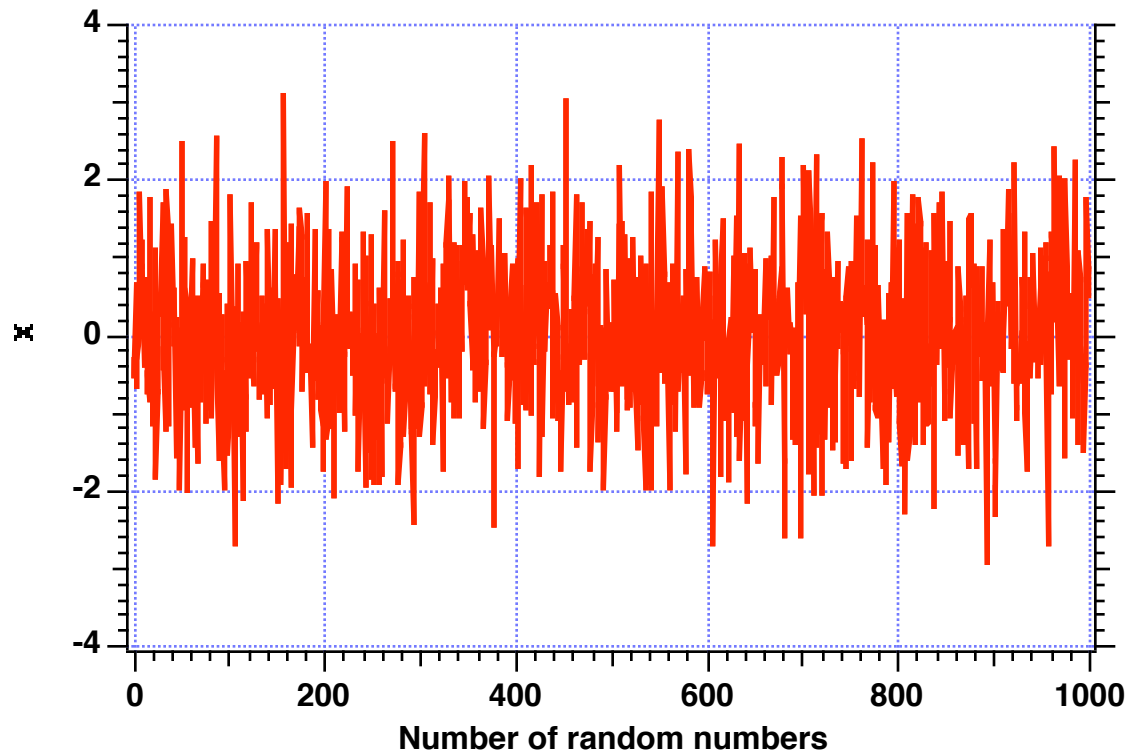
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SIGNOISE=1;
count=0;
for I=1:1000;
    X=SIGNOISE*randn;
    count=count+1;
    ArrayI(count)=I;
    ArrayX(count)=X;
end
clc
output=[ArrayI',ArrayX'];
save datfil output -ascii
disp 'simulation finished'
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True BASIC

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OPTION NOLET
REM UNSAVE "DATFIL"
OPEN #1:NAME "DATFIL",ACCESS OUTPUT,CREATE NEW, ORGANIZATION TEXT
SET #1: MARGIN 1000
SIGNOISE=1.
FOR I=1 TO 1000
    CALL GAUSS(X,SIGNOISE)
    PRINT I,X
    PRINT #1:I,X
NEXT I
CLOSE #1
END

SUB GAUSS(X,SIG)
LET X=RND+RND+RND+RND+RND+RND-3
LET X=1.414*X*SIG
END SUB
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One Thousand Random Numbers With Gaussian Distribution



Standard deviation appears to be correct

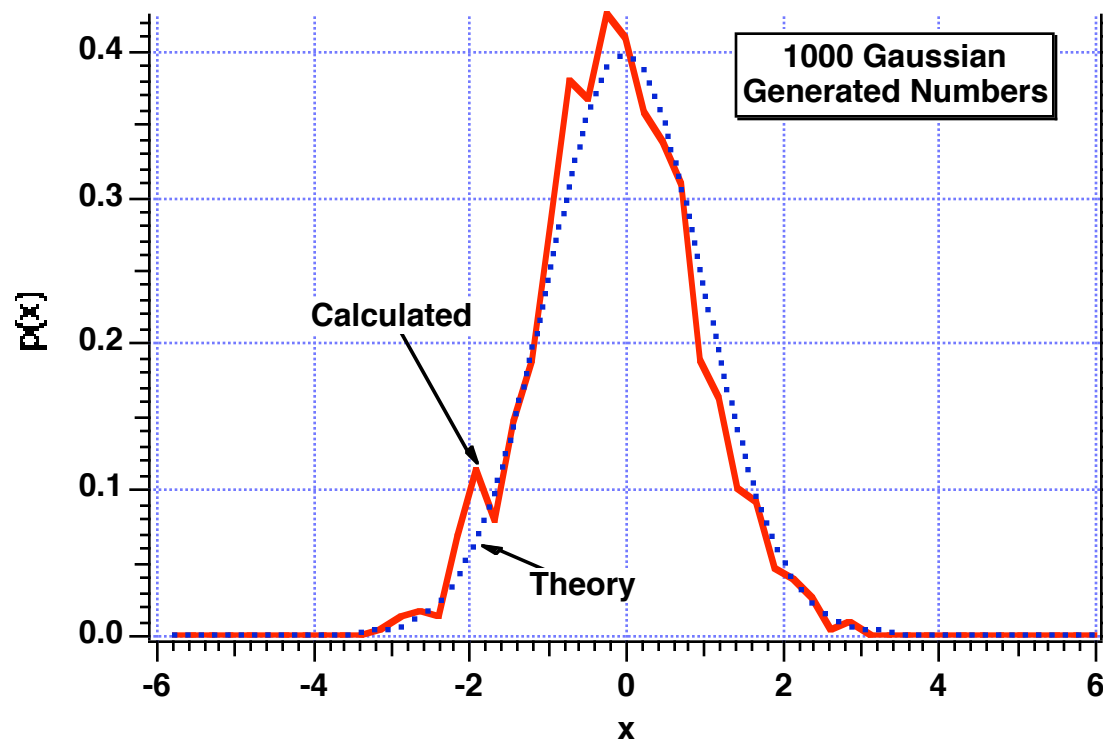
$$\sigma_{\text{APPROX}} \approx \frac{\text{Peak to Peak}}{6} \approx \frac{6}{6} = 1$$

Program to Generate Probability Density Function

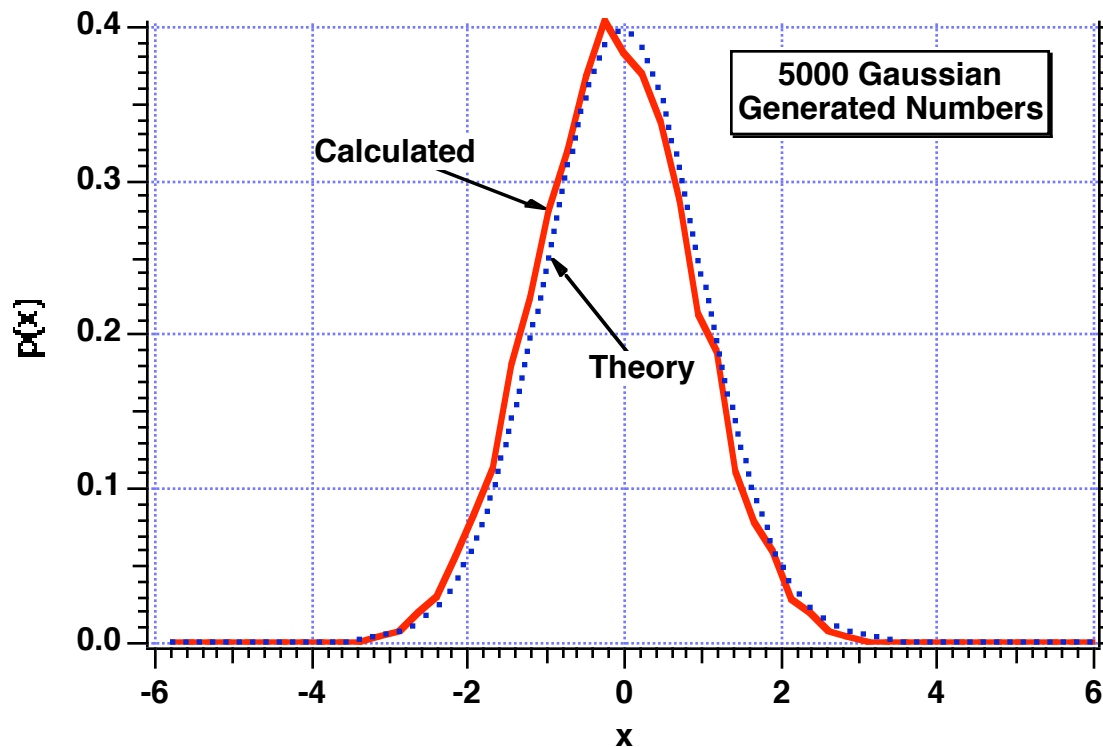
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GLOBAL DEFINE
      INCLUDE 'quickdraw.inc'
END
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
INTEGER BIN
REAL*8 H(2000),X(2000)
OPEN(1,STATUS='UNKNOWN',FILE='DATFIL')
XMAX=6.
XMIN=-6.
SIGNOISE=1.
RANGE=XMAX-XMIN
TMP=1./SQRT(6.28)
BIN=50
N=1000
DO 10 I=1,N
CALL GAUSS(Y,SIGNOISE)
X(I)=Y
CONTINUE
DO 20 I=1,BIN
H(I)=0
CONTINUE
DO 30 I=1,N
K=INT(((X(I)-XMIN)/RANGE)*BIN)+.99
IF(K<1)K=1
IF(K>BIN)K=BIN
H(K)=H(K)+1
CONTINUE
DO 40 K=1,BIN
PDF=(H(K)/N)*BIN/RANGE
AB=XMIN+K*RANGE/BIN
TH=TMP*EXP(-AB*AB/2.)
WRITE(9,*)AB,PDF,TH
WRITE(1,*)AB,PDF,TH
CONTINUE
PAUSE
CLOSE(1)
END
```

Generate 1000 random numbers with
Gaussian distribution

Sample Gaussian Distribution Matches Theoretical Distribution For 1000 Random Numbers



Sample Gaussian Distribution Matches Theoretical Distribution Even Better For 5000 Random Numbers



Calculating Random Variable Properties From a Finite Set of Data

$$\text{mean} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}$$

$$\text{mean square} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}{n - 1}$$

$$\text{standard deviation} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \text{mean})^2}{n - 1}}$$

White Noise

Autocorrelation function

$$\phi_{xx}(t_1, t_2) = E[x(t_1)x(t_2)]$$

Power spectral density in units squared per Hertz

$$\Phi_{xx} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi_{xx}(\tau) e^{-j\omega\tau} d\tau$$

Power spectral density of white noise is constant

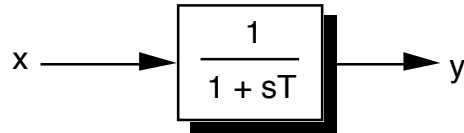
$$\Phi_{xx} = \Phi_0 \quad (\text{white noise})$$

Autocorrelation function of white noise is an impulse

$$\phi_{xx} = \Phi_0 \delta(\tau) \quad (\text{white noise})$$

Example of Simulating White Noise

Low-pass filter driven by white noise



Resultant differential equation

$$\frac{y}{x} = \frac{1}{1+sT} \longrightarrow y + \dot{y}T = x \longrightarrow \dot{y} = \frac{(x-y)}{T}$$

One can show that

$$E[y^2(t)] = \frac{\Phi_0(1 - e^{-2t/T})}{2T} \longleftarrow \text{Theoretical answer}$$

We can simulate pseudo white noise by adding Gaussian noise every integration interval with

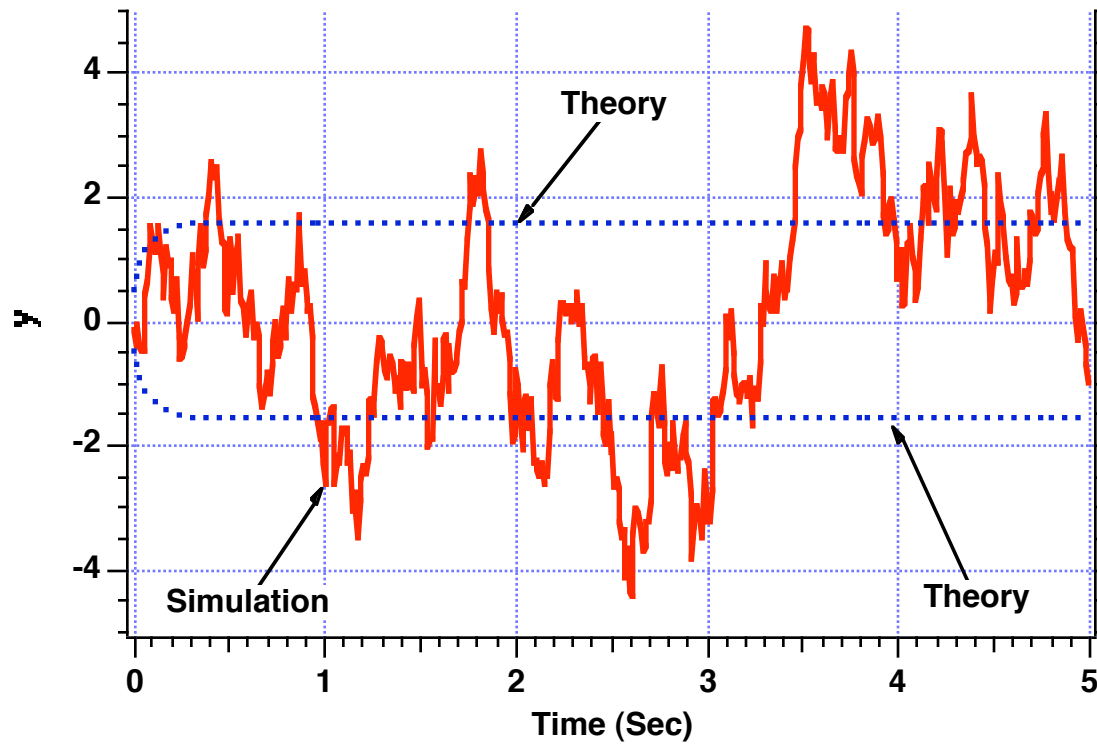
$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\Phi_0}{h}} \longleftarrow \text{Very important}$$

Simulation of Low-Pass Filter Driven By White Noise

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GLOBAL DEFINE
    INCLUDE 'quickdraw.inc'
END
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H)
IMPLICIT REAL*8 (O-Z)
OPEN(1,STATUS='UNKNOWN',FILE='DATFIL')
TAU=.2
PHI=1. ← Desired spectral density of white noise
T=0.
H=.01
SIG=SQRT(PHI/H) ← Standard deviation of pseudo white noise
Y=0.
WHILE(T<=4.999)
    CALL GAUSS(X,SIG) ← Pseudo white noise
    YOLD=Y
    YD=(X-Y)/TAU
    Y=Y+H*YD
    T=T+H
    YD=(X-Y)/TAU
    Y=(YOLD+Y)/2+.5*H*YD
    SIGPLUS=SQRT(PHI*(1.-EXP(-2.*T/TAU))/(2.*TAU))
    SIGMINUS=-SIGPLUS
    WRITE(9,*)T,Y,SIGPLUS,SIGMINUS
    WRITE(1,*)T,Y,SIGPLUS,SIGMINUS
END DO
PAUSE
CLOSE(1)
END
```

Second-order Runge-Kutta integration

Low-Pass Filter Output Agrees With Theory



State Space Notation

First-Order Example of State Space Notation

General form

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{G}\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{w}$$

Low-pass filter example

$$\dot{y} = \frac{(x - y)}{T}$$

Change notation to avoid confusion

$$\dot{x} = \frac{(n - x)}{T}$$

State space matrices are all scalars

$$\mathbf{F} = \frac{-1}{T}$$

$$\mathbf{G} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{w} = \frac{n}{T}$$

Second-Order Example of State Space Notation

General form

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{G}\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{w}$$

Second-order differential equation

$$\ddot{y} + 2\dot{y} + 3y = 4$$

Solve for highest derivative

$$\ddot{y} = -2\dot{y} - 3y + 4$$

Express in matrix form

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{y} \\ \ddot{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y \\ \dot{y} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} 4$$

By comparison state space matrices are

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} y \\ \dot{y} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{u} = 4$$

$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{G} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Fundamental Matrix

Definition of Fundamental Matrix

Given a system described by

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{x} \longleftarrow \mathbf{F} \text{ is time invariant}$$

There exists fundamental matrix to propagate states forward

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = \Phi(t - t_0)\mathbf{x}(t_0)$$

Two ways of finding fundamental matrix

$$\Phi(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})^{-1}] \longleftarrow \text{Laplace transform method}$$

$$\Phi(t) = e^{\mathbf{F}t} = \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{F}t + \frac{(\mathbf{F}t)^2}{2!} + \dots + \frac{(\mathbf{F}t)^n}{n!} + \dots \longleftarrow \text{Taylor series expansion}$$

Example of Laplace Transform Method For Finding Fundamental Matrix - 1

We have already shown that solution to

$$\ddot{x} = -\omega^2 x$$

With initial conditions

$$x(0) = 0$$

$$\dot{x}(0) = \omega$$

Is given by

$$x = \sin \omega t$$

And taking derivative we get

$$\dot{x} = \omega \cos \omega t$$

Rewriting original differential equation in state space form yields

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \ddot{x} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ \dot{x} \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{G}u + w$$

Systems dynamics matrix given by

$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example of Laplace Transform Method For Finding Fundamental Matrix - 2

Recall

$$\Phi(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})^{-1}]$$

Substitution yields

$$(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} s & -1 \\ \omega^2 & s \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

Using formulas for two by two inverse yields

$$\Phi(s) = (s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})^{-1} = \frac{1}{s^2 + \omega^2} \begin{bmatrix} s & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & s \end{bmatrix}$$

From inverse Laplace transform tables

$$\Phi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\omega t & \frac{\sin\omega t}{\omega} \\ -\omega\sin\omega t & \cos\omega t \end{bmatrix}$$

Checking Fundamental Matrix Solution

Initial conditions to differential equation

$$x(0) = \sin\omega(0) = 0$$

$$\dot{x}(0) = \omega\cos\omega(0) = \omega$$

Since

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = \Phi(t - t_0)\mathbf{x}(t_0)$$

We can also say that

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = \Phi(t)\mathbf{x}(0)$$

Substitution yields

$$\begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ \dot{x}(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\omega t & \frac{\sin\omega t}{\omega} \\ -\omega\sin\omega t & \cos\omega t \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ \dot{x}(0) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\omega t & \frac{\sin\omega t}{\omega} \\ -\omega\sin\omega t & \cos\omega t \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \omega \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sin\omega t \\ \omega\cos\omega t \end{bmatrix}$$

Or

$$x(t) = \sin\omega t$$

$$\dot{x}(t) = \omega\cos\omega t$$

Which are the correct solutions obtained without integration!

Using Taylor Series Method For Finding Fundamental Matrix - 1

Recall

$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore

$$\mathbf{F}^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\omega^2 & 0 \\ 0 & -\omega^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{F}^3 = \begin{bmatrix} -\omega^2 & 0 \\ 0 & -\omega^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\omega^2 \\ \omega^4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{F}^4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\omega^2 \\ \omega^4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \omega^4 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{F}^5 = \begin{bmatrix} \omega^4 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \omega^4 \\ -\omega^6 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{F}^6 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \omega^4 \\ -\omega^6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\omega^6 & 0 \\ 0 & -\omega^6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Using Taylor Series Method For Finding Fundamental Matrix - 2

Truncating Taylor series to 6 terms yields

$$\Phi(t) = e^{Ft} \approx \mathbf{I} + Ft + \frac{(Ft)^2}{2!} + \frac{(Ft)^3}{3!} + \frac{(Ft)^4}{4!} + \frac{(Ft)^5}{5!} + \frac{(Ft)^6}{6!}$$

Or

$$\Phi(t) \approx \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} -\omega^2 & 0 \\ 0 & -\omega^2 \end{bmatrix} \frac{t^2}{2} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\omega^2 \\ \omega^4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{t^3}{6} + \begin{bmatrix} \omega^4 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^4 \end{bmatrix} \frac{t^4}{24} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \omega^4 \\ -\omega^6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{t^5}{120} + \begin{bmatrix} -\omega^6 & 0 \\ 0 & -\omega^6 \end{bmatrix} \frac{t^6}{720}$$

Combining terms

$$\Phi(t) \approx \begin{bmatrix} 1 - \frac{\omega^2 t^2}{2} + \frac{\omega^4 t^4}{24} - \frac{\omega^6 t^6}{720} & t - \frac{\omega^2 t^3}{6} + \frac{\omega^4 t^5}{120} \\ -\omega^2 t + \frac{\omega^4 t^3}{6} - \frac{\omega^6 t^5}{120} & 1 - \frac{\omega^2 t^2}{2} + \frac{\omega^4 t^4}{24} - \frac{\omega^6 t^6}{720} \end{bmatrix}$$

Recognizing that

$$\sin \omega t \approx \omega t - \frac{\omega^3 t^3}{3!} + \frac{\omega^5 t^5}{5!} - \dots$$

$$\cos \omega t \approx 1 - \frac{\omega^2 t^2}{2!} + \frac{\omega^4 t^4}{4!} - \frac{\omega^6 t^6}{6!} + \dots$$

Using Taylor Series Method For Finding Fundamental Matrix - 3

We get

$$\Phi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\omega t & \frac{\sin\omega t}{\omega} \\ -\omega\sin\omega t & \cos\omega t \end{bmatrix}$$

Which is the same answer obtained with the Laplace transform method

Check of Fundamental Matrix

If our model of the real world is given by

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{g}\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{w}$$

The continuous fundamental matrix can also be found by solving

$$\dot{\Phi} = \mathbf{F}\Phi, \quad \Phi(0) = \mathbf{I}$$

As an example we already know that for

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \ddot{x} \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\omega^2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{F}} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ \dot{x} \end{bmatrix}$$

The continuous fundamental matrix is given by

$$\Phi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \omega t & \frac{\sin \omega t}{\omega} \\ -\omega \sin \omega t & \cos \omega t \end{bmatrix}$$

Integrating Matrix Differential Equation-1

```
IMPLICIT REAL*8(A-H,O-Z)

REAL*8 F(2,2),PHI(2,2),PHIOLD(2,2),PHID(2,2)
INTEGER ORDER
OPEN(1,STATUS='UNKNOWN',FILE='DATFIL')
ORDER=2
W=3.
TF=10.
T=0.
S=0.
DO 14 I=1,ORDER
DO 14 J=1,ORDER
F(I,J)=0.
PHI(I,J)=0.
CONTINUE
F(1,2)=1.
F(2,1)=-W*W
PHI(1,1)=1.
PHI(2,2)=1.
H=.01
WHILE(T<=TF)
DO 20 I=1,ORDER
DO 20 J=1,ORDER
PHIOLD(I,J)=PHI(I,J)
CONTINUE
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F and Φ_0

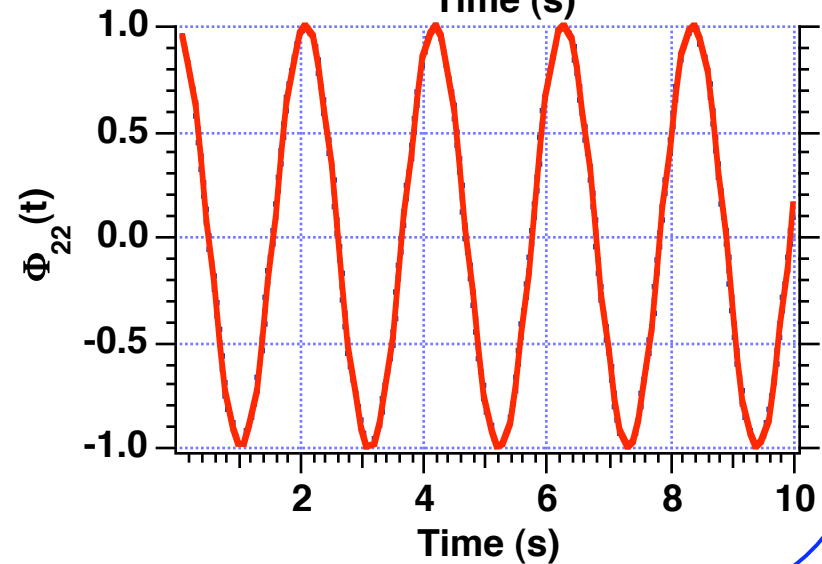
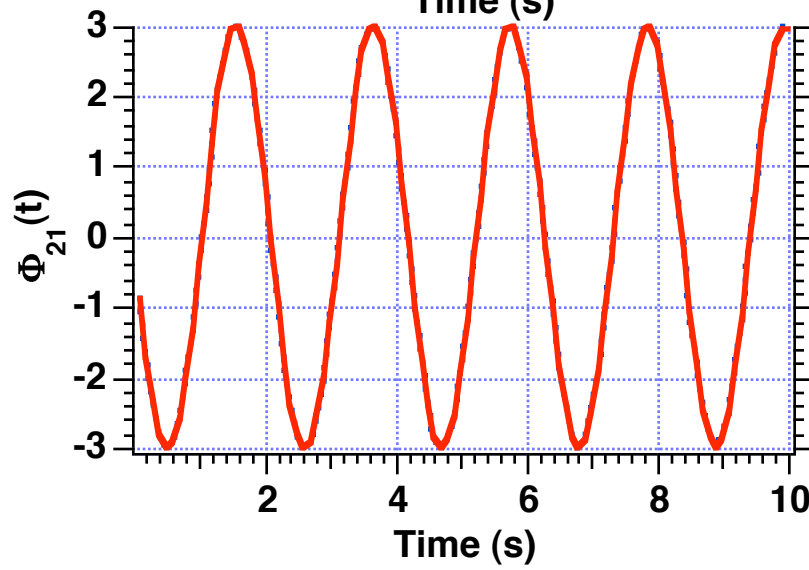
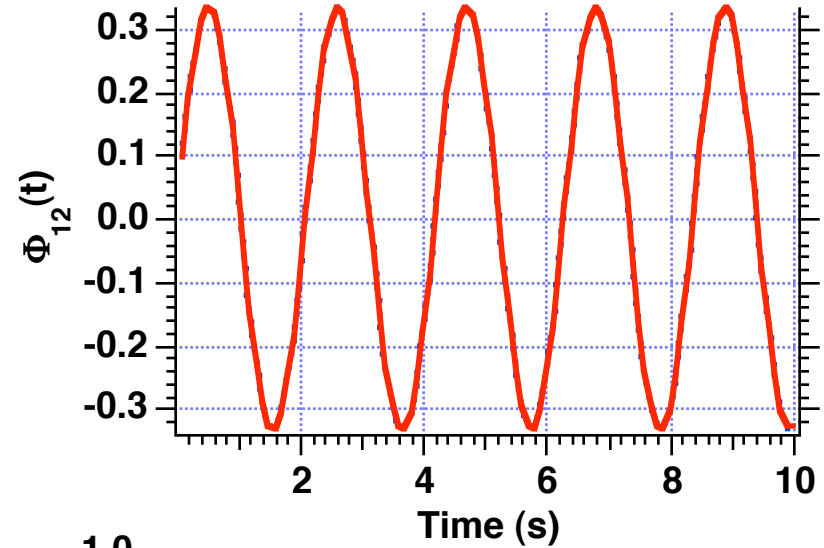
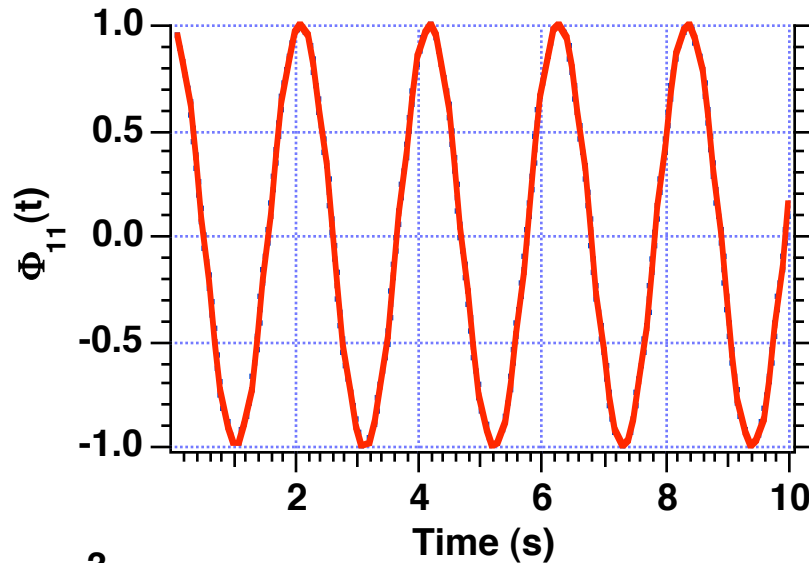
**Second-Order
Runge-Kutta
Integration**

Integrating Matrix Differential Equation-2

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CALL MATMUL(F,ORDER,ORDER,PHI,ORDER,ORDER,PHID)
DO 50 I=1,ORDER
DO 50 J=1,ORDER
    PHI(I,J)=PHI(I,J)+H*PHID(I,J)
CONTINUE
T=T+H
CALL MATMUL(F,ORDER,ORDER,PHI,ORDER,ORDER,PHID)
DO 60 I=1,ORDER
DO 60 J=1,ORDER
    PHI(I,J)=.5*(PHIOLD(I,J)+PHI(I,J)+H*PHID(I,J))
CONTINUE
S=S+H
IF(S>=.09999)THEN
    S=0.
    P11TH=COS(W*T)
    P12TH=SIN(W*T)/W
    P21TH=-W*SIN(W*T)
    P22TH=COS(W*T)
    WRITE(9,*)T,PHI(1,1),P11TH,PHI(1,2),P12TH,
        PHI(2,1),P21TH,PHI(2,2),P22TH
    WRITE(1,*)T,PHI(1,1),P11TH,PHI(1,2),P12TH,
        PHI(2,1),P21TH,PHI(2,2),P22TH
ENDIF
END DO
PAUSE
CLOSE(1)
END
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**Output
Matrix
Elements**

Simulated and Calculated Elements of Fundamental Matrix Agree



Numerical Basics Summary

- **Vector and matrix manipulations introduced and demonstrated**
- **Numerical integration techniques presented and verified**
- **Source code can easily be converted to other languages**
- **State space concepts and fundamental matrix introduced**