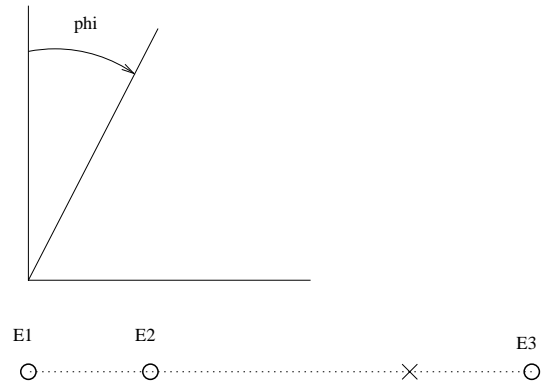
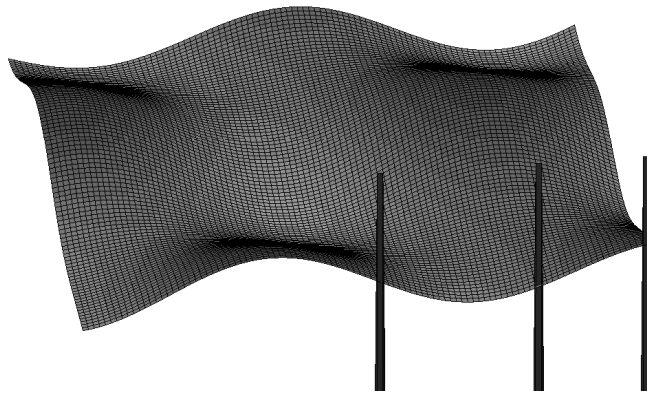


**MOMENT PROBLEMS AND RELATIVE ENTROPY**  
**SENSOR ARRAYS, SOURCE LOCALIZATION**  
**AND MULTIDIMENSIONAL SPECTRAL ESTIMATION...**

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MOTIVATING NON-CLASSICAL PROBLEM  
NON-UNIFORM ARRAY



Sensor readings:  $u_\ell(t) = \int A(\theta) e^{j(\omega t - px_\ell \cos(\theta) + \phi(\theta))} d\theta$

Correlations:  $R_k = E\{u_{\ell_1} \bar{u}_{\ell_2}\} := \int \overbrace{e^{-jk \cos(\theta)}}^{g_k(\theta)} \overbrace{f(\theta) d\theta}^{d\mu}$  with  $f = A(\theta)^2$ ,

$$k \in \{0, 1, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2} + 1\}.$$

Given  $R_0, R_1, R_{\sqrt{2}}, R_{\sqrt{2}+1}$

- (i) how can we tell they come from an  $f > 0$ ?
- (ii) how can we recover  $f$ ?
- (iii) how can we describe all admissible  $f$ 's?

$$\int \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ e^{-j\tau} \\ e^{-j\sqrt{2}\tau} \end{bmatrix} \overbrace{f(\theta)d\theta}^{d\mu} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & e^{j\tau} & e^{j\sqrt{2}\tau} \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} R_0 & R_1 & R_{\sqrt{2}+1} \\ \bar{R}_1 & R_0 & R_{\sqrt{2}} \\ \bar{R}_{\sqrt{2}+1} & \bar{R}_{\sqrt{2}} & R_0 \end{bmatrix} \geq 0$$

necessary but not sufficient

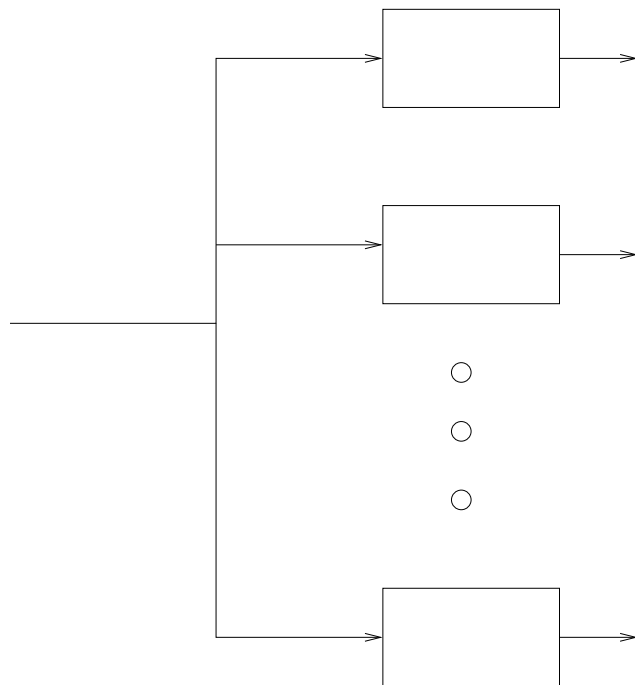
Given  $R_0, R_1, R_{100}$ , with  $R_2, \dots, R_{99}$  missing,  
 $\exists?$  values for the missing  $R$ 's so that  $T_{100} > 0$ ?

$$T_{100} := \begin{bmatrix} R_0 & R_1 & x_2? & x_3? & x_4? & \dots & x_{98}? & R_{99} \\ R_1 & R_0 & R_1 & x_2? & x_3? & \dots & x_{97}? & x_{98}? \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

Solvable in principle via LMI's.

## POWER SPECTRUM OF INPUT GIVEN OUTPUT MEASUREMENTS

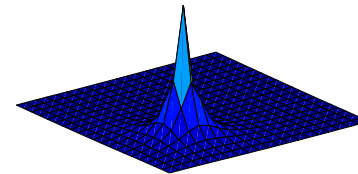
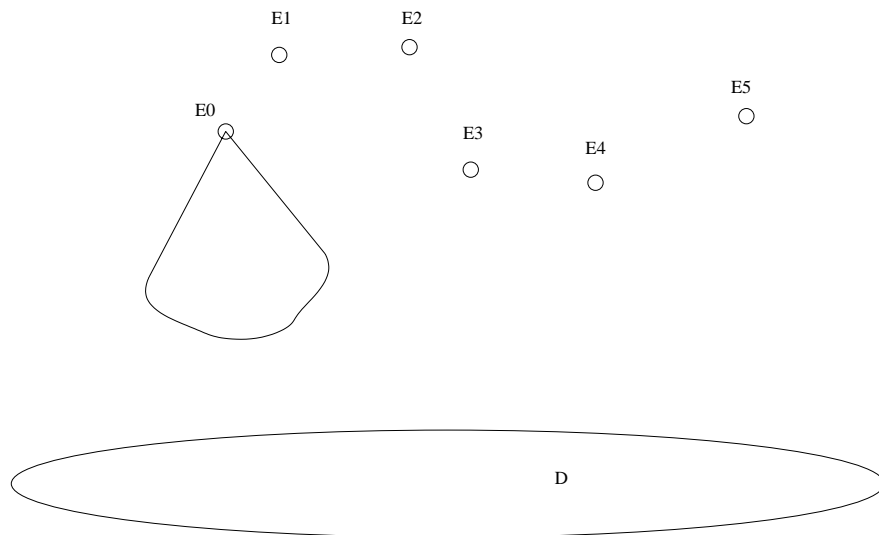
- Low-pass “sensors”  $H_k(i\omega) = 1/(1 + i\omega/\tau_k)$
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- Scattered “sensors”  $E_0, E_1, \dots$   
with Green’s functions/transfer functions/etc.  $g_k(\omega, \theta)$
- stochastic excitation with spectral measure  $d\mu(\omega, \theta)$
- knowledge of correlations of sensor readings

$$r_{k,\ell} = \int g_k(\omega, \theta) d\mu(\omega, \theta) g_\ell(\omega, \theta)$$



- Determine  $d\mu$
- Effect of  $g_k$ 's

Interpolation problem:

$$F(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{1+e^{-j\theta}}{1-e^{-j\theta}} f(\theta) d\theta.$$

Find  $F(z)$  analytic with positive real part so that:

$$F(0) = R_0, \frac{d}{dz}F(z)|_{z=0} = R_1, \frac{d^{1/2}}{dz^{1/2}}F(z)|_{z=0} = \hat{R}_{1/2},$$

or, e.g., more important,

$$R_{\sqrt{2}}, R_\pi, R_{1.534}, \text{etc.}$$

$$R = E\{xy\} = \int_{\mathcal{S}} g_{\ell} d\mu g_r$$

- Characterize  $R$
- Given  $R$  “find”  $d\mu$
- Parametrize all  $d\mu$ 's
- What is the effect of the  $g$ 's



## Moment problem – late 1800's early 1900's

Chebysev, Markov, Stieljes, Shohat, Tamarkin, Achiezer, Krein, Nudelman, ...

## Analytic interpolation – early 1900's ...

Caratheodory, Toeplitz, Schur, Nevanlinna, Pick... Krein, Arov, Sarason, Sz-Nagy, Foias, Ball, Helton, Gohberg, Dym...

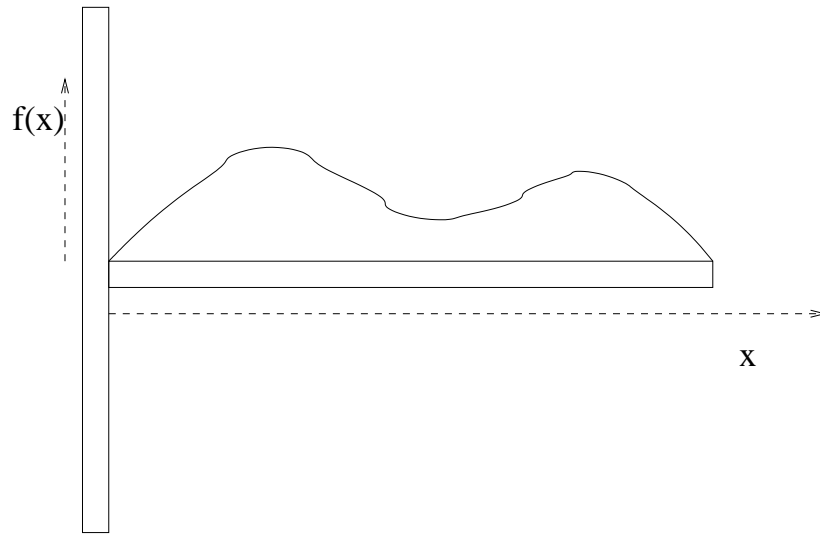
## Circuit theory, Stochastic processes, Control: 1950's ...

Levinson, Youla, Helton, Tannenbaum, Zames, Kalman, Kimura...

## Entropy and relative entropy functionals ...

von Neumann, Shanon... Kullback, Leibler...

- Motivating non-classical problem
- Classical moment problems
  - Necessity - positivity of a quadratic form
  - Sufficiency - constructive-canonical equations, entropy principle
- Classical + non-classical problems
  - existence & parametrization of solutions
    - via minimizers of relative entropy
    - homotopy methods
  - matricial/bi-tangential generalizations
- a theorem in analytic interpolation
- analogs in LMI's (if time permits)



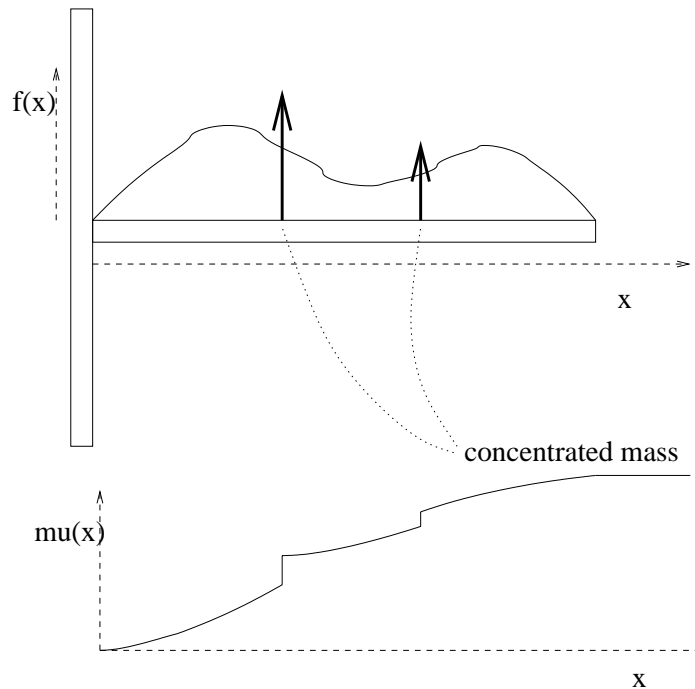
What can we infer about an unknown mass density  $f(x)$  from a set of moments:

$$R_k := \int_0^\infty x^k f(x) dx, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots?$$

$R_0$  : total mass

$R_1$  : torque to hold the beam

etc.



$$R_k := \int_0^{\infty} x^k d\mu(x), \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

$\mu(x)$  non-decreasing, distribution function

$f(x) = \dot{\mu}(x)$  non-negative density function

In general  $d\mu(x) = f(x)dx + d\mu_j(x) + d\mu_s(x)$   
 into “absolutely continuous,” “jump,” and “singular” parts.

**Basic questions:**

- Given  $R_0, R_1, \dots$ , determine whether  $\exists \mu(x)$
- If yes, determine one such  $\mu(x)$
- If possible, describe all such  $\mu(x)$ 's
- Determine bounds on integrals  $\int g(x)d\mu(x)$ , etc.

Existence question:

**Fact:** Polynomials in  $x$ , which are positive on  $[0, \infty)$   
include  $(a_0 + a_1x + \dots)^2$  and  $x(b_0 + b_1x + \dots)^2$ .

Necessity condition:

$$\int (a_0 + a_1x + \dots)^2 d\mu \geq 0 \text{ and } \int x(b_0 + b_1x + \dots)^2 d\mu(x) \geq 0$$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$$\begin{pmatrix} R_0 & R_1 & \dots & R_n \\ R_1 & R_2 & \dots & R_{n+1} \\ \dots & & & \\ R_n & R_{n+1} & \dots & R_{2n} \end{pmatrix} \geq 0, \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} R_1 & R_2 & \dots & R_{n+1} \\ R_2 & R_3 & \dots & R_{n+2} \\ \dots & & & \\ R_{n+1} & R_{n+2} & \dots & R_{2n+1} \end{pmatrix} \geq 0$$

Sufficient condition: Same!

## Variants of the problem

- Support of  $\mu$ :
  - $[0, \infty)$  (Stieljes),
  - $(-\infty, \infty)$  (Hamburger),
  - $[0, 1]$  (1-D Hausdorff), etc.
- Moment kernels:
  - $g_k(x) = x^k, x \in \mathbb{R}$  or  $[0, 1]$
  - $g_k$  being trigonometric, or
  - $g_k(\theta) = e^{jk\theta}, \theta \in [-\pi, \pi]$
- Index set:  $0, 1, \dots, n$ , or  $\mathbb{N}$

## Solvability

Non-negativity of quadratic forms

e.g., non-negativity of a Pick or Toeplitz matrix, Sarason operator, etc.

Trigonometric moments (finite indexing set):

$$R_k = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-jkx} d\mu(x), \quad k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm n.$$

L. Fejer and F. Riesz: Any non-negative trigonometric polynomial is of the form  $p(e^{jx}) = |a_0 + a_1 e^{jx} + \dots + a_n e^{njx}|^2$

Solvability condition:

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} p(e^{jx}) d\mu(x) = [\bar{a}_0 \quad \bar{a}_1 \quad \dots \quad \bar{a}_n] \begin{bmatrix} R_0 & R_1 & \dots & R_n \\ R_{-1} & R_0 & \dots & R_{n-1} \\ \dots & & & \\ R_{-n} & R_{-n+1} & \dots & R_0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ \dots \\ a_n \end{bmatrix} \geq 0, \forall a's$$

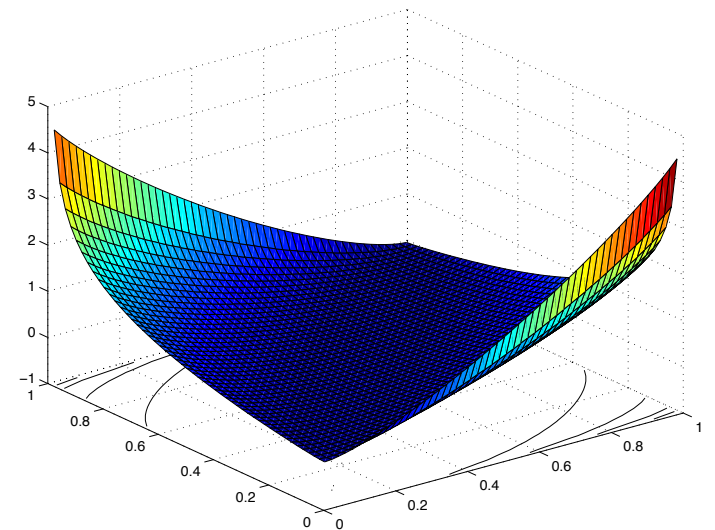
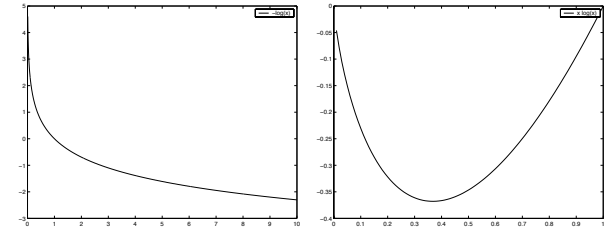


Distance between:

$$f = (p, 1 - p) \text{ and } \hat{f} = (\hat{p}, 1 - \hat{p})$$

$$\mathbb{S}(f||\hat{f}) = p \log \frac{p}{\hat{p}} + (1 - p) \log \frac{1 - p}{1 - \hat{p}}$$

SUFFICIENCY... , BARRIER FUNCTIONS



In general:  $\mathbb{S}(f||\hat{f}) = \int (f \log(f) - f \log(\hat{f}))$ , and  
 $\mathbb{S}(A||B) = \text{trace}(A \log A - A \log B)$ ,  
are jointly convex in their arguments

Kullback-Leibler, von Neumann, Lieb, ...

Example: Find  $f = (f_1, f_2)$ ,  $f_i > 0$  such that

$$f = \arg \min \{ \log(f_1) + \log(f_2) : f_1 a + f_2 b = R \}$$

Answer:

$$f_1 = \frac{R}{2a} \text{ and } f_2 = \frac{R}{2b}$$

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Parametrization of solutions via a choice of  $\hat{f}$  in:

$$f = \arg \min \{ \mathbb{S}(\hat{f} || f) = \hat{f}_1 \log(f_1) + \hat{f}_2 \log(f_2) : f_1 a + f_2 b = R \}$$

“Entropy rate” (concave)

$$\mathbb{I}_f := \int \log f(x) dx$$

“distance” to 1 (convex)

$$S(1||f) := \int (1 \cdot \log(1) - 1 \cdot \log(f(x))) dx = -\mathbb{I}_f$$

Find  $\operatorname{argmax}(\mathbb{I}_f)$

subject to  $\int G(e^{jx})f(x)dx = R$

where  $G := \begin{bmatrix} e^{-jnx} \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ e^{jnx} \end{bmatrix}$  and  $R := \begin{bmatrix} R_n \\ \vdots \\ R_0 \\ \vdots \\ R_{-n} \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Analysis:**  $L(f, \lambda) := \int \log f dx - \lambda(\int G f dx - R)$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta L(f, \lambda; \delta f) \equiv 0 &\Rightarrow \int \left(\frac{1}{f} - \lambda G\right) \delta f dx \equiv 0 \\ &\Rightarrow f = \frac{1}{\lambda G} \end{aligned}$$

Set

$$\lambda G = \sum_{-n}^n \lambda_k e^{jkx} =: \left| \sum_0^n a_k e^{jkx} \right|^2 = |a(e^{jx})|^2$$

Then

$$\int \frac{\bar{a}(e^{-jx})}{|a(e^{jx})|^2} = \int \frac{1}{a(e^{jx})} = \frac{1}{a_0}, \text{ and } \int \frac{e^{jkx} \bar{a}(e^{-jx})}{|a(e^{jx})|^2} = \int \frac{e^{jkx}}{a(e^{jx})} = 0, k \geq 1,$$

together with

$$R_k = \int e^{-jkx} \frac{1}{|a(e^{jx})|^2}, \text{ for } k = 0, \pm 1, \dots,$$

gives

$$\begin{bmatrix} R_0 & R_1 & \dots & R_n \\ R_{-1} & R_0 & \dots & R_{n-1} \\ \dots & & & \\ R_{-n} & R_{-n+1} & \dots & R_0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{a}_0 \\ \bar{a}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{a}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{a_0} \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \boxed{a\text{'s !}}$$

## Relative entropy, Kullback-Leibler-von Neumann distance

**Fact:** Let  $f, g$  non-negative functions, then

$$\mathbb{S}(f||g) := \int f \log(f) - f \log(g)$$

is jointly convex. Given one of  $f, g$  and specifying moments for the other, leads to a minimizer of a particular form.

**Idea:**

Choose “parameter”  $g$ ,  
then determine the minimizer  $f$  which agrees with the moments.

Similarly, repeat with the roles of  $f$  and  $g$  reversed.

$$\mathbb{S}(f_1||f_2) = \int f_1 \log f_1 - f_1 \log f_2$$

Given  $\psi$  find  $\operatorname{argmin}(\mathbb{S}(f||\psi))$

subject to  $\int G(e^{jx})f(x)dx = R$

Given  $\psi$  find  $\operatorname{argmin}(\mathbb{S}(\psi||f))$

subject to  $\int G(e^{jx})f(x)dx = R$

If  $\exists$  a solution  $f$ , then it belongs to:

$$\mathfrak{F}_{\text{exp}} := \{\psi(\theta)e^{-\langle \lambda, G(\theta) \rangle}\} \text{ or, respectively, } \mathfrak{F}_{\text{rat}} := \left\{ \frac{\psi(\theta)}{\langle \lambda, G(\theta) \rangle} : \text{with } \lambda G > 0 \right\}$$

for any  $\psi(\theta) > 0$ .

We need to solve  $\int G(e^{jx})f(x)dx = R$

For general  $G$ , there exists  
no representation of positive elements

$$\lambda G = \sum_{\text{index set}} \lambda_k g_k$$

hence, no canonical equations, ...



Key observation:

If

$$h : \lambda \mapsto R = \int_{\mathcal{S}} G(\theta) \frac{\psi(\theta)}{\langle \lambda, G(\theta) \rangle} d\theta$$

then

$$\nabla h := \frac{\partial R}{\partial \lambda} = - \int_{\mathcal{S}} G(\theta) \left( \frac{\psi(\theta)}{\langle \lambda, G(\theta) \rangle} \right)^2 G(\theta)' d\theta$$

is non-singular  $\forall \lambda G > 0$ .

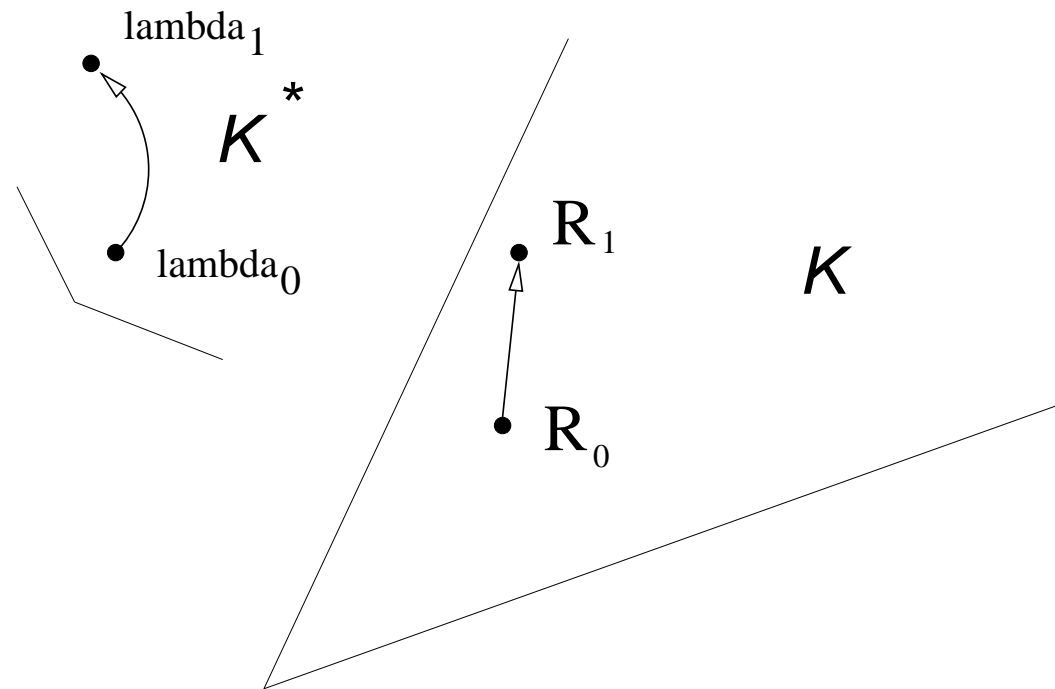
If

$$\kappa : \lambda \mapsto R = \int_{\mathcal{S}} G(\theta) \psi(\theta) e^{-\langle \lambda, G(\theta) \rangle} d\theta$$

then

$$\nabla \kappa := \frac{\partial R}{\partial \lambda} = - \int_{\mathcal{S}} G(\theta) \psi(\theta) e^{-\langle \lambda, G(\theta) \rangle} G(\theta)' d\theta$$

is non-singular  $\forall \lambda$ .



Homotopy on the  $R$ 's

Construction of homotopy:

$$R_\rho := R_0 + \rho(R_1 - R_0) \text{ for } \rho \in [0, 1]$$

$$\frac{dR_\rho}{d\rho} = R_1 - R_0, \text{ with } R_{\rho=0} = R_0 = \int_{\mathcal{S}} G(\theta) f(\lambda_0, \theta) d\theta$$

$$\frac{d\lambda_\rho}{d\rho} = \left( \frac{\partial R}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda_\rho} \right)^{-1} (R_1 - R_0).$$

$$\frac{dR_\rho}{d\rho} = (1 - \rho)(R_1 - R_\rho)$$

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and, for  $\rho = 1 - e^{-t}$ ,

$$\frac{d\lambda_t}{dt} = \left( \frac{\partial R}{\partial \lambda} \Big|_{\lambda_t} \right)^{-1} (R_1 - \int_{\mathcal{S}} G(\theta) f(\lambda_t, \theta) d\theta)$$

THM: Let  $\lambda_0$  such that  $\lambda_0 G > 0$ , and

$$\frac{d\lambda_t}{dt} = \left( \left. \frac{\partial R}{\partial \lambda} \right|_{\lambda_t} \right)^{-1} (R_1 - \int_S G(\theta) f(\lambda_t, \theta) d\theta)$$

for  $t \geq 0$  and

$$f(\lambda_t, \theta) = \frac{\psi(\theta)}{\langle \lambda_t, G(\theta) \rangle}.$$

If  $R_1 \in \text{int}(\mathcal{K})$ , then  $\lambda_t \in \mathcal{K}_+^*$  for all  $t \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\lambda_t \rightarrow \hat{\lambda} \in \mathcal{K}_+^*$ , and

$$R_1 = \int_S G(\theta) f(\hat{\lambda}, \theta) d\theta.$$

If  $R_1 \notin \text{int}(\mathcal{K})$ , then  $\|\lambda_t\| \rightarrow \infty$ .

THM: For any  $\lambda_0$  and

$$\frac{d\lambda_t}{dt} = \left( \left. \frac{\partial R}{\partial \lambda} \right|_{\lambda_t} \right)^{-1} \left( R_1 - \int_S G(\theta) f(\lambda_t, \theta) d\theta \right)$$

for  $t \geq 0$  and

$$f(\lambda_t, \theta) = \psi(\theta) e^{-\langle \lambda_t, G(\theta) \rangle}.$$

If  $R_1 \in \text{int}(\mathcal{K})$ , then  $\lambda_t \rightarrow \hat{\lambda}$ , remains bounded, and

$$R_1 = \int_S G(\theta) f(\hat{\lambda}, \theta) d\theta.$$

If  $R_1 \notin \text{int}(\mathcal{K})$ , then  $\|\lambda_t\| \rightarrow \infty$ .

In both cases,

$$V(\lambda) = \left\| R_1 - \int_{\mathcal{S}} G(\theta) f(\lambda_t, \theta) d\theta \right\|^2$$

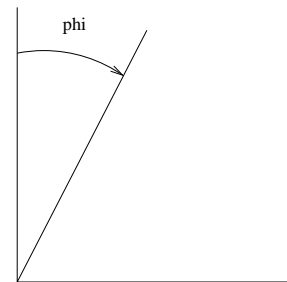
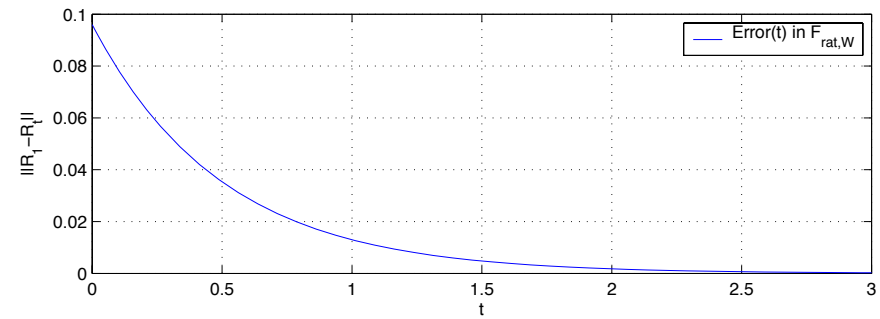
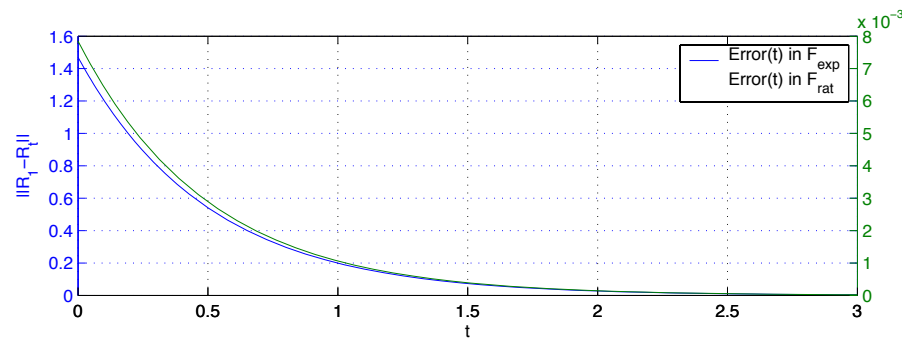
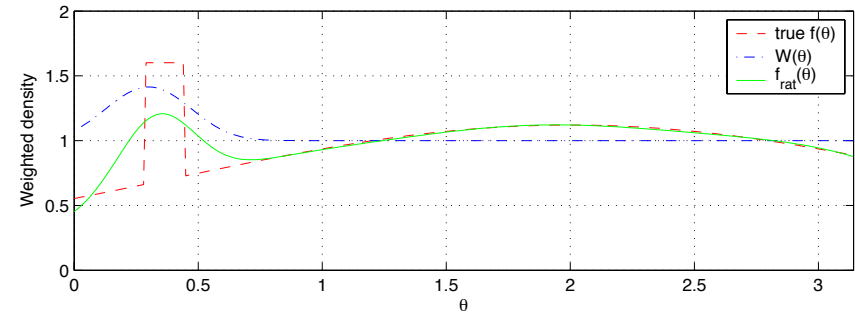
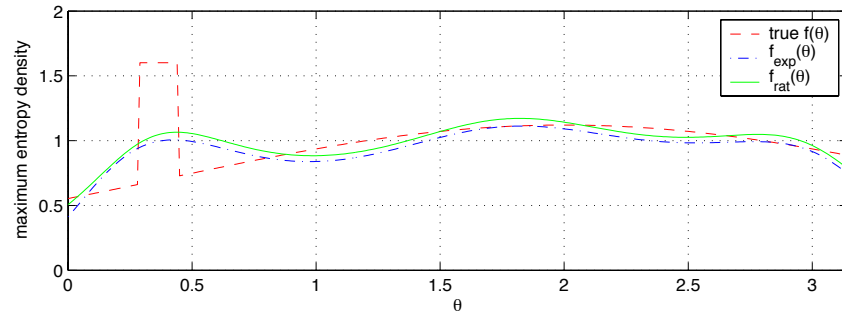
is a **Lyapunov function**, satisfying

$$\frac{dV(\lambda_t)}{dt} = -2V(\lambda_t),$$

- All positive densities solving  $R = \int G f$  can be obtained, with a suitable choice of  $\psi$ , via one of the two constructions.
- Given  $R, G, \psi$  either solution,  $\psi / \langle \lambda, G \rangle$  or,  $\psi e^{-\langle \lambda, G \rangle}$ , is unique.
- Convergence is “fast.”
- Failure to converge  $\Rightarrow$  no solution exists and  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ .



## EXAMPLE: SENSOR ARRAY



$$G(\theta) := \left[ 1 \quad e^{-j\tau} \quad e^{-j\sqrt{2}\tau} \quad e^{-j(\sqrt{2}+1)\tau} \right]'$$

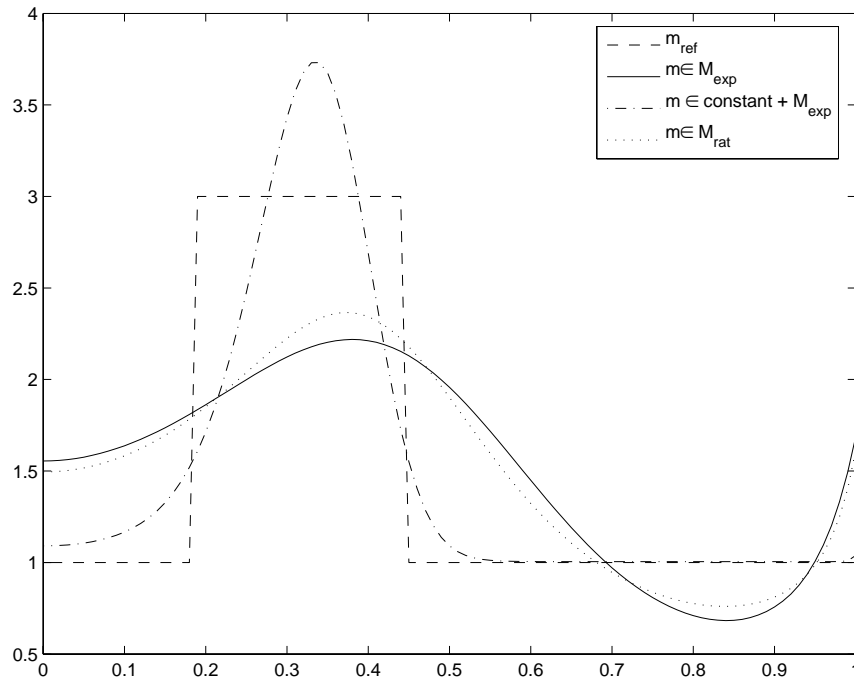
• Compute  $R_{1,\text{white}} = \int G(\theta)d\theta$

• Problem:

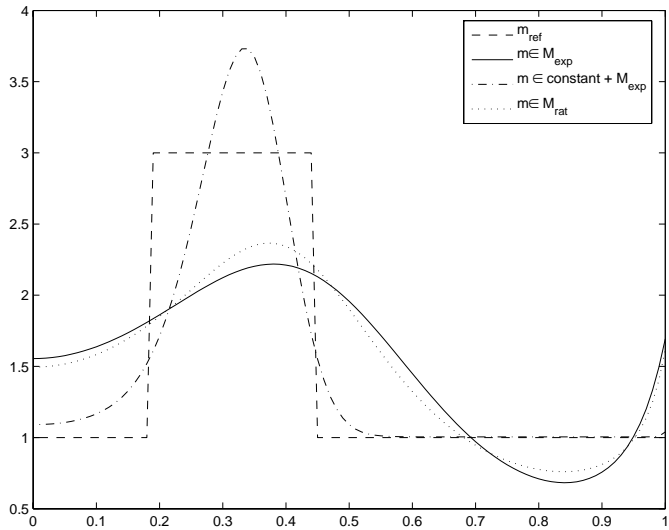
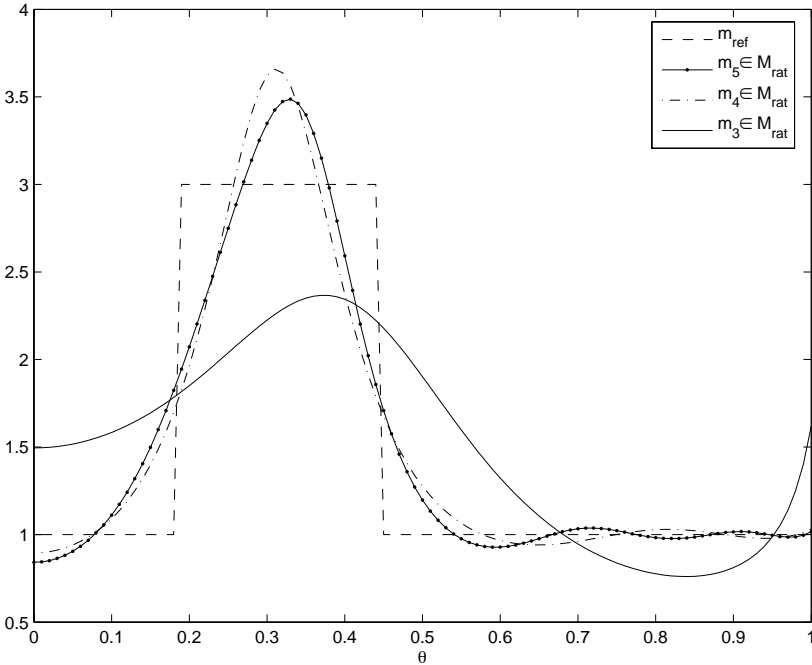
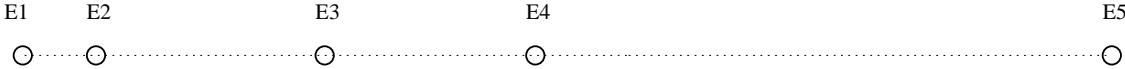
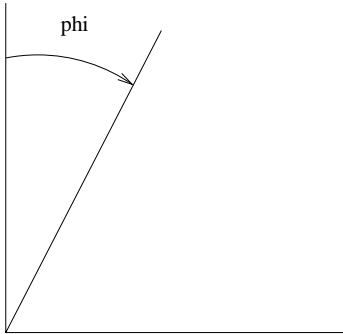
$$p_0 = \operatorname{argmax}\{p : R_1 - pR_{1,\text{white}} \in \mathcal{K}\}.$$

•  $d\mu?$  such that

$$R_1 = \int_0^1 G(\theta)(p_0d\theta + d\mu(\theta)).$$



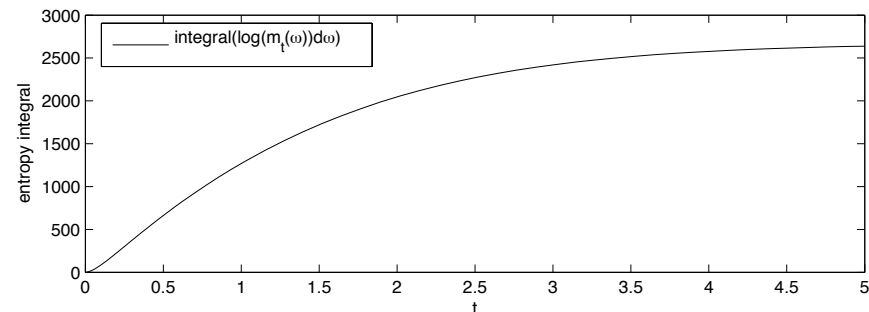
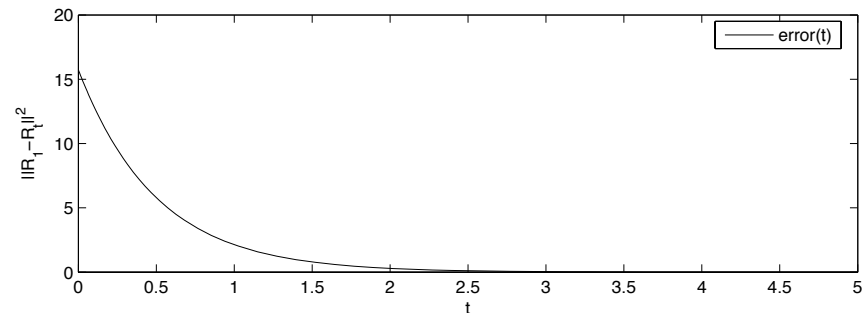
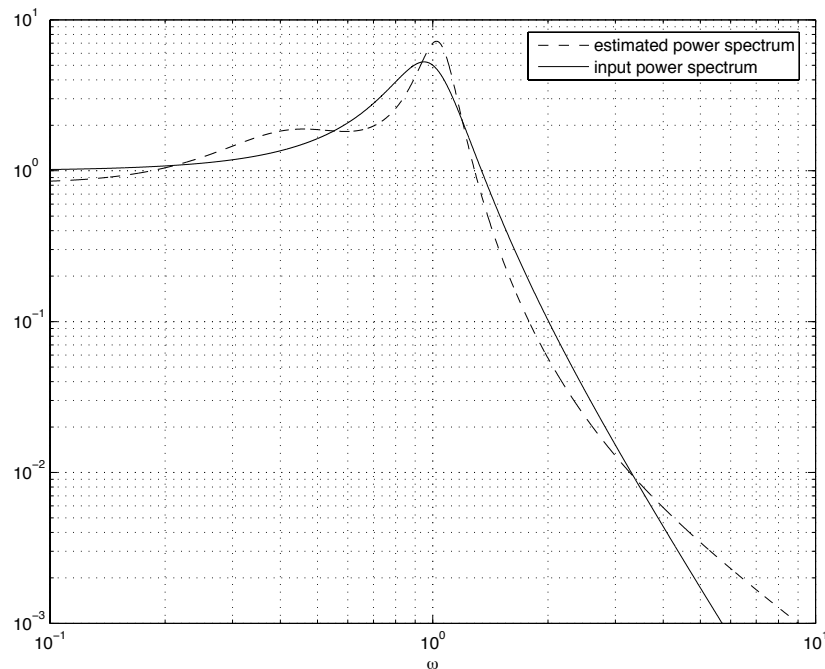
EXAMPLE: MORE "SAMPLES"



### EXAMPLE: POWER SPECTRUM OF INPUT GIVEN OUTPUT MEASUREMENTS

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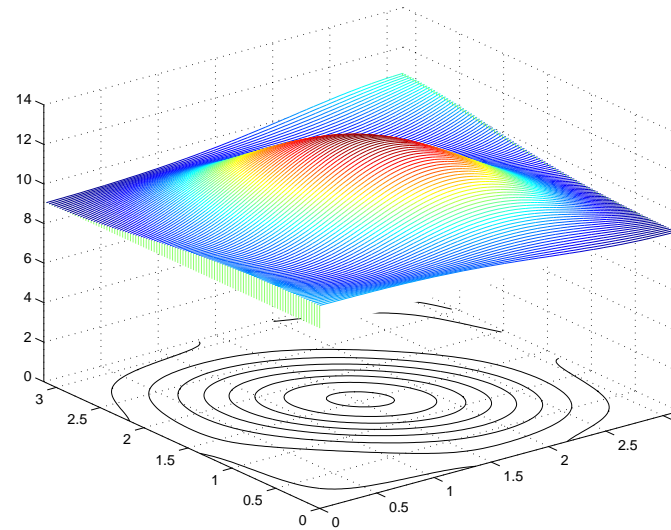
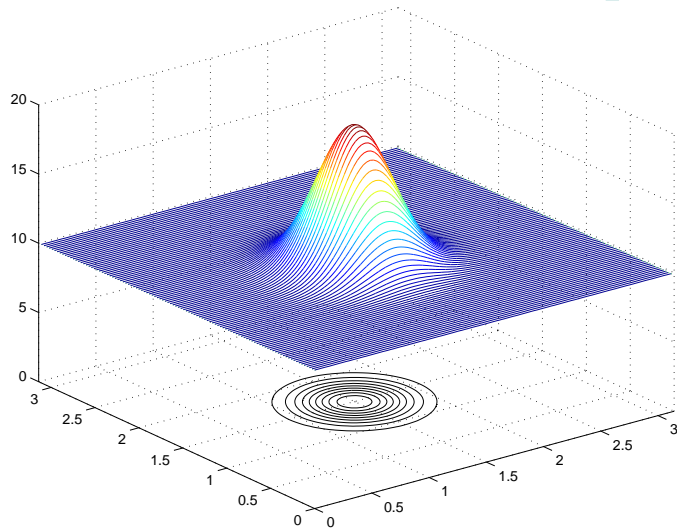
$$r_k = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g_k(\omega) d\mu(\omega), \text{ with } g_0 = 1, g_k(\omega) = \frac{1}{\omega^2/\tau_k^2 + 1}, k = 0, 1, 2, 3.$$



- Begin with  $m_{\text{ref}}(\theta, \phi)$ , and  $g_{k,l}(\theta, \phi) = \cos(k\theta + l\phi)$ ,  $k, l \in \{0, 1, 2\}$

$$R_1 = \left[ \int_S g_{k,l}(\theta, \phi) m_{\text{ref}}(\theta, \phi) d\theta d\phi \right]_{k,l=0}^{k,l=2} = \begin{bmatrix} 33.0129 & 0.3140 & -1.1417 \\ 0.3140 & -14.0469 & -0.2502 \\ -1.1417 & -0.2502 & 1.0310 \end{bmatrix}$$

- $m_{\text{ref}}$  and  $e^{-\langle \lambda, G \rangle}$  (for comparison).



$$R = \int_{\mathcal{S}} (G_{left} d\mu G_{right})$$

$G_{left}$ :  $\mathbb{C}^{p \times m}$ -valued ( $C^2$  and  $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathbb{R}^1$ )

$G_{right}$ :  $\mathbb{C}^{m \times q}$ -valued (same)

$d\mu$ :  $m \times m$  Hermitian non-negative measure

$R \in \mathbb{C}^{p \times q}$ .

- (i) Given  $G_{left}$ ,  $G_{right}$  and  $R$ ,  $\exists?$   $d\mu > 0$ ?
- (ii) It  $\exists$ , then find a particular one.
- (iii) Parametrize all  $d\mu$ 's.

Cf. tangential interpolation

The homotopy construction generalizes to

$\mathfrak{F}_{\text{rat}}$  : hermitian positive matrix-valued functions of the form

$$f = \psi^{1/2} ((G_{\text{right}} \lambda G_{\text{left}})_{\text{Hermitian}})^{-1} \psi^{1/2}$$

leading to:

$$\frac{d\lambda}{dt} = (\nabla h(\lambda))^{-1} (R_1 - \int (G_{\text{left}} f(\lambda) G_{\text{right}}))$$

$$h : \lambda \mapsto R = \int (G_{\text{left}} \psi^{1/2} ((G_{\text{right}} \lambda G_{\text{left}})_{\text{Hermitian}})^{-1} \psi^{1/2} G_{\text{right}}) dx$$

$$\nabla h : \delta\lambda \mapsto \delta R \quad \dots\dots \text{is invertible, } \dots$$

Given  $G_{left}, G_{right}, R$

choose  $\psi > 0$  on  $\mathcal{S}$ , and  $\lambda_0$  s.t.  $(G_{right}\lambda_0G_{left})_{Hermitian} > 0$ .

Then integrate the diff. equation  $\Rightarrow \lambda(t)$ :

• If  $\exists d\mu > 0 : R = \int G_{left}d\mu G_{right}$  then:

(1)  $\lambda(t) \rightarrow \hat{\lambda}$ .

(2)  $f = \psi^{1/2} \left( (G_{right}\hat{\lambda}G_{left})_{Hermitian} \right)^{-1} \psi^{1/2} > 0$

and  $R = \int G_{left}d\mu G_{right}$ , with  $d\mu = f d\theta$ .

(3)  $\hat{\lambda}$  does not depend on  $\lambda_0$ .

(4)  $V(\lambda) = \|R_1 - \int (G_{left}f(\lambda)G_{right})\|_F^2$  a Lyapunov function.

(5) convergence of  $\dot{\lambda} = (\nabla h)^{-1}(R_1 - \int G_{left}fG_{right})$  exponentially fast.

(6) all admissible  $d\mu$ 's can be obtained with suitable  $\psi$ .

• If  $\nexists d\mu > 0$ , then  $\|\lambda\| \rightarrow \infty$



The homotopy construction generalizes to

$\mathfrak{F}_{\text{exp}}$  : hermitian positive matrix-valued functions of the form

$$f = \psi^{1/2} e^{-((G_{\text{right}} \lambda G_{\text{left}})_{\text{Hermitian}})} \psi^{1/2}$$

leading to:

$$\frac{d\lambda}{dt} = (\nabla h(\lambda))^{-1} (R_1 - \int_{\mathcal{S}} (G_{\text{left}} f(\lambda) G_{\text{right}}))$$

with  $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathbb{R}^k$ ,  $k \geq 1$ .

## Moments/Interpolation problems, in absence of a “shift”

**Main points:** Existence and parametrization  
of solutions via **minimizers of relative entropy**  
Construction via **homotopy methods**  
Generalization **matricial/bi-tangential**

**Applications:** nonuniform sampling,  
irregular bases (e.g., wavelets),  
nonuniform arrays, and  
spacial distribution of sensors

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Discussion?

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$\mathbb{D}$  open unit disc

$$H^2 \subset L^2(\partial\mathbb{D})$$

$$U : L^2 \rightarrow L^2 : f(z) \mapsto zf(z)$$

**Beurling-Lax:**

All  $U$ -invariant subspaces of  $H_2$  are of the form  $\phi H_2$ ,  
with  $\phi$  inner in  $H^\infty$

**Sarason:** Let  $\mathcal{K} := H^2 \ominus \phi H^2$ ,  $S := \Pi_{\mathcal{K}}U|_{\mathcal{K}}$ , and  
 $T : \mathcal{K} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$  such that  $TS = ST$ :

- $\exists f \in H^\infty$  such that  $T = f(S)$  and  $\|T\| = \|f\|_\infty$ .
- If  $T$  has a maximal vector then  $f$  is unique and  $f = \frac{b}{a}$ ,  $a, b \in \mathcal{K}$ .

**Thm (BGLM):**

If  $\|T\| < 1$  and  $\psi$  arbitrary outer in  $\mathcal{K} = H^2 \ominus \phi H^2$ , then

$\exists! a, b \in \mathcal{K}$ :

- $f = \frac{b}{a} \in H^\infty$
- $\|f\|_\infty \leq 1$
- $f(S) = T$  and
- $|a|^2 - |b|^2 = |\psi|^2$ .

Proof based on maximizing  $\int_{\partial\mathbb{D}} |\psi|^2 \log(1 - |\underbrace{w + \phi v}_f|^2) dm$  over  $v$

$w$  is any  $H_\infty$ -function :  $w(S) = T$

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PROBLEM: Given  $L_i = L'_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ , determine  $x_i \in \mathbb{R}$ :

$$L(x) := L_0 + L_1x_1 + \dots + L_kx_k > 0.$$

**Below:**

a particular interior point method (special path of analytic centers)

**Caveat:**

- strict dual feasibility
- not clear if any advantage...

$$\mathcal{L} := \left\{ M : M = \sum_{i=1}^k L_i x_i, \text{ with } x \in \mathbb{R}^k \right\},$$

$$\mathcal{G} := \left\{ M : \langle M, L \rangle = 0, \forall L \in \mathcal{L} \right\}$$

$$\langle M_1, M_2 \rangle := \text{trace}(M_1 M_2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H} &:= \{ M : M = L_0 + L \text{ with } L \in \mathcal{L} \} \\ &= \{ M \in \mathbb{M} : \Pi_{\mathcal{G}} M = \Pi_{\mathcal{G}} L_0 =: R_1 \} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathfrak{R} := \{R \in \mathcal{G} : R = \Pi_{\mathcal{G}}M \text{ with } M > 0\}.$$

LMI PROBLEM:

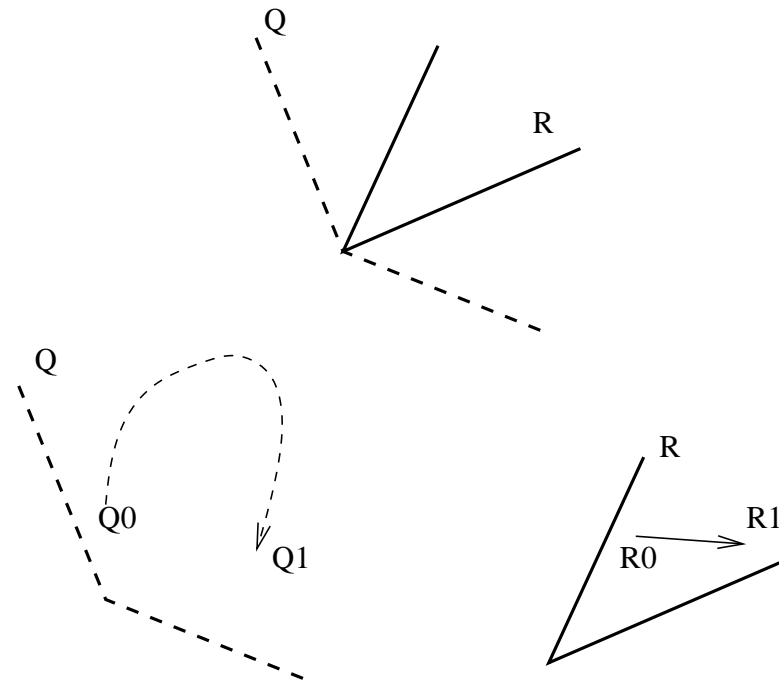
Is  $R_1 \in \mathfrak{R}$ ?

If yes, then determine all  $M > 0$  such that  $R_1 = \Pi_{\mathcal{G}}M$ .



$\mathfrak{R} = \{R \in \mathcal{G} : R = \Pi_{\mathcal{G}}M \text{ with } M > 0\}$  is a convex cone

$\mathcal{Q} := \{Q \in \mathcal{G} : \langle Q, R \rangle \geq 0, \forall R \in \mathfrak{R}\}$  is its dual.



we consider  $Q \mapsto R = \Pi_{\mathcal{G}}Q^{-1}$

and again “pull back” the homotopy  $R_\rho = (1 - \rho)R_0 + \rho R_1$ .

- map between  $\mathcal{Q}$  and  $\mathfrak{R}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} h &: \mathcal{Q}_+ \rightarrow \mathfrak{R} \\ &: Q \mapsto R = \Pi_{\mathcal{G}} Q^{-1}, \end{aligned}$$

- Jacobian (tangent map) at a  $Q \in \mathcal{Q}_+$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla h &: \mathcal{G} \rightarrow \mathcal{G} \\ &: \delta Q \mapsto \delta R = -\Pi_{\mathcal{G}}(Q^{-1} \delta Q Q^{-1}). \end{aligned}$$

$\nabla h|_Q$  is finite and invertible for all  $Q \ni Q > 0$

Also for  $Q \mapsto R = \Pi_{\mathcal{G}}(\Psi Q^{-1} \Psi), \dots$

Set  $Q(0) \in \mathcal{Q}_+$  and integrate:

$$\frac{dQ(t)}{dt} = \left( \nabla h|_{Q(t)} \right)^{-1} \left( R_1 - \Pi_{\mathcal{G}} Q(t)^{-1} \right).$$

- If  $R_1 \in \mathfrak{R}$ , then  $Q(t) \in \mathcal{Q}_+$  for all  $t \in [0, \infty)$ ,  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} Q(t) =: Q_1$  exists, and

$$R_1 = \Pi_{\mathcal{G}} Q_1^{-1}.$$

Moreover,  $V(Q) := \langle R_1 - \Pi_{\mathcal{G}} Q^{-1}, R_1 - \Pi_{\mathcal{G}} Q^{-1} \rangle$  satisfies  $\frac{dV(Q(t))}{dt} = -2V(Q(t))$ .

- If  $R_1 \notin \mathfrak{R}$  and if  $t_c \in (0, \infty)$  denotes the max value s.t.  $[R(0), R(t_c)) \subset \mathfrak{R}$ , then as  $t \rightarrow t_c$ , either  $\|Q(t)\| \rightarrow \infty$  or  $\|Q(t)^{-1}\| \rightarrow \infty$ .

Moment (and LMI-type) problems:  
find  $M > 0$  s.t.  $R_1 = \Pi M$ , parametrize all such

- as minimizers of relative entropy: existence & parametrization
- homotopy on the moments

Discussion?