Multivariable \mathcal{H}_2 -optimal approximation

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Continuous- and Discrete-time State-space Models



(explicit) continuous time-invariant (explicit) discrete time-invariant $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = Ax + Bu \\ u = Cx \end{cases} \qquad \begin{cases} x_{k+1} = Ax_k + Bu_k \\ y_k = Cx_k \end{cases}$

(explicit) discrete time-varying

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_{k+1} &=& A_k x_k + B_k u_k \\ y_k &=& C_k x_k \end{array}$$

Time invariant model reduction idea



where $n \ll N$, $\hat{A} = W^T A V$, $\hat{B} = W^T B$, $\hat{C} = C V$

 $P = VW^T$ is a projector for $W^T V = I_n$

Error model (CT)

The difference of the systems

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = Ax + Bu \\ y = Cx \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{cases} \dot{\hat{x}} = \hat{A}\hat{x} + \hat{B}u \\ \hat{y} = \hat{C}\hat{x} \end{cases}$$

is the error model, where $e := y - \hat{y}$

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\tilde{x}} = A_e \tilde{x} + B_e u\\ e = C_e \tilde{x} \end{cases} \quad E(s) := H(s) - \hat{H}(s) = C_e (sI - A_e)^{-1} B_e$$

with

$$(A_e, B_e, C_e) := \left(\begin{bmatrix} A \\ & \hat{A} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} B \\ \hat{B} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} C & -\hat{C} \end{bmatrix} \right),$$

Reduced Model via $||E(s)||_{\mathcal{H}_2}$ (CT)

$$\mathcal{J} = \|E(s)\|_{\mathcal{H}_2} = \operatorname{tr}\left(C_e P_e C_e^T\right) = \operatorname{tr}\left(B_e^T Q_e B_e\right)$$

where gramians P_e and Q_e solve the Lyapunov equations

$$A_e P_e + P_e A_e^T + B_e B_e^T = 0, \quad Q_e A_e + A_e^T Q_e + C_e^T C_e = 0$$

One can also partition

$$P_e := \begin{bmatrix} P & X \\ X^T & \hat{P} \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q_e := \begin{bmatrix} Q & Y \\ Y^T & \hat{Q} \end{bmatrix}$$

Reduced Model via $||E(z)||_{\mathcal{H}_2}$ (CT)

Solve partitioned equations for gramians

$$\begin{bmatrix} A \\ & \hat{A} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P & X \\ X^T & \hat{P} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} P & X \\ X^T & \hat{P} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A^T \\ & \hat{A}^T \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} B \\ \hat{B} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B^T & \hat{B}^T \end{bmatrix} = 0,$$

and

$$\begin{bmatrix} A^T & \\ & \hat{A}^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} Q & Y \\ Y^T & \hat{Q} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} Q & Y \\ Y^T & \hat{Q} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A & \\ & \hat{A} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} C^T \\ -\hat{C}^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C & -\hat{C} \end{bmatrix} = 0.$$

$$\mathcal{J} = \operatorname{tr}\left(B^T Q B + 2B^T Y \hat{B} + \hat{B}^T \hat{Q} \hat{B}\right) = \operatorname{tr}\left(CPC^T - 2CX\hat{C}^T + \hat{C}\hat{P}\hat{C}^T\right),$$

Gradients (CT)

Theorem 1.1 (Wilson 70, but rederived several times).

$$\nabla_{\hat{A}}\mathcal{J} = 2(\hat{Q}\hat{P} + Y^TX), \quad \nabla_{\hat{B}}\mathcal{J} = 2(\hat{Q}\hat{B} + Y^TB), \quad \nabla_{\hat{C}}\mathcal{J} = 2(\hat{C}\hat{P} - CX),$$

where

$$\begin{split} A^T Y + Y \hat{A} - C^T \hat{C} &= 0, \quad \hat{A}^T \hat{Q} + \hat{Q} \hat{A} + \hat{C}^T \hat{C} = 0, \\ X^T A^T + \hat{A}^T X^T + \hat{B} B^T &= 0, \quad \hat{P} \hat{A}^T + \hat{A} \hat{P} + \hat{B} \hat{B}^T = 0. \end{split}$$

Imposing zero gradients yields non-minimal optimality conditions

Tangential Interpolation

Given $(\Sigma_{\sigma} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}, R \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n})$ and $(\Sigma_{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}, L \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n})$ Solve two Sylvester equations:

$$AV - V\Sigma_{\sigma} + BR = 0,$$
$$W^{T}A - \Sigma_{\mu}^{T}W^{T} + L^{T}C = 0,$$

Define:

$$\{\hat{A}, \hat{B}, \hat{C}\} := \{(W^T V)^{-1} W^T A V, (W^T V)^{-1} W^T B, CV\},\$$

If $W^T V$ is invertible, this uniquely determines the projected system $\{\hat{A}, \hat{B}, \hat{C}\}.$

Can specify n(m + p) parameters which is good for generic strictly proper transfer functions $\operatorname{Rat}_{pm}^{n}$.

Tangential Interpolation

Eigenvalues of Σ_{σ} and Σ_{μ} and columns of R and L specify the interpolation.

If realization is real then at most n(m + p) real conditions due to conjugate pairs.

For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$

$$[H(s) - \hat{H}(s)] \sum_{i=1}^{k} r_i (s - \lambda)^{i-1} = O(s - \lambda)^k, \quad r_1^T r_1 = 1$$
$$\sum_{i=1}^{k} \ell_i^T (s - \lambda)^{i-1} [H(s) - \hat{H}(s)] = O(s - \lambda)^k, \quad \ell_1^T \ell_1 = 1$$

where $\{r_1, \dots, r_k\}$ are columns from R, $\{\ell_1, \dots, \ell_k\}$ are columns from L corresponding to the Jordan blocks.

Tangential Interpolation

For $\lambda, \ \overline{\lambda} \in \mathbb{C}$

$$[H(s) - \hat{H}(s)] \sum_{i=1}^{k} (r_{2i-1} + jr_{2i})(s - \lambda)^{i-1} = O(s - \lambda)^{k},$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{k} (\ell_{2i-1} + j\ell_{2i})^{T} (s - \lambda)^{i-1} [H(s) - \hat{H}(s)] = O(s - \lambda)^{k},$$

$$r_{1}^{T} r_{2} = 0, \ r_{1}^{T} r_{1} + r_{2}^{T} r_{2} = 1, \ \ell_{1}^{T} \ell_{2} = 0, \ \ell_{1}^{T} \ell_{1} + \ell_{2}^{T} \ell_{2} = 1.$$

where $\{r_1, \dots, r_{2k}\}$ are columns from R or $\{\ell_1, \dots, \ell_{2k}\}$ are columns from L, corresponding each of the pair of Jordan blocks.

Stationary Points (CT)

At stationary points A, B, C and $\hat{A}, \hat{B}, \hat{C}$ are related via: **Theorem 1.2.** At every stationary point of \mathcal{J} where \hat{P} and \hat{Q} are invertible, we have the following identities

$$\hat{A} = W^T A V, \quad \hat{B} = W^T B, \quad \hat{C} = C V, \quad W^T V = I_n$$

where $W := -Y\hat{Q}^{-1}$, $V := X\hat{P}^{-1}$ and X, Y, \hat{P} and \hat{Q} satisfy the *Sylvester equations*

$$A^{T}Y + Y\hat{A} - C^{T}\hat{C} = 0, \quad \hat{A}^{T}\hat{Q} + \hat{Q}\hat{A} + \hat{C}^{T}\hat{C} = 0,$$
$$X^{T}A^{T} + \hat{A}^{T}X^{T} + \hat{B}B^{T} = 0, \quad \hat{P}\hat{A}^{T} + \hat{A}\hat{P} + \hat{B}\hat{B}^{T} = 0.$$



Rewriting the Sylvester equations shows the relation with the tangential interpolation equations:

Stationary point:

$$W^{T}A + (\hat{Q}^{-1}\hat{A}\hat{Q})^{T}W^{T} + (\hat{C}\hat{Q}^{-1})C = 0,$$
$$AV + V(\hat{P}\hat{A}^{T}\hat{P}^{-1}) + B(\hat{B}^{T}\hat{P}^{-1}) = 0,$$

T.I. problem:

$$W^{T}A - \Sigma_{\mu}^{T}W^{T} + L^{T}C = 0,$$
$$AV - V\Sigma_{\sigma} + BR = 0,$$

 $\hat{A} = -\Sigma_{\sigma} = -\Sigma_{\mu}$ implies tangential interpolation at the mirror images of the poles of $\hat{H}(s)$. (independent of order of the poles)

Distinct Poles (CT)

$$\hat{A}s_i = \hat{\lambda}_i s_i, \quad \hat{C}s_i = \hat{c}_i, \quad t_i^H \hat{A} = \hat{\lambda}_i t_i^H, \quad t_i^H \hat{B} = \hat{b}_i^H.$$

Theorem 1.3. Let $\hat{H}(s) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \hat{c}_i \hat{b}_i^H / (s - \hat{\lambda}_i)$ have distinct first order poles $\hat{\lambda}_i$ where $(\hat{\lambda}_i, \hat{b}_i, \hat{c}_i)$, i = 1, ..., n is self-conjugate, and let $-\hat{\lambda}_i$ not be poles of H(s). Then

$$\frac{1}{2} (\nabla_{\hat{B}} \mathcal{J})^{T} s_{i} = [H^{T}(-\hat{\lambda}_{i}) - \hat{H}^{T}(-\hat{\lambda}_{i})]\hat{c}_{i}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} t_{i}^{H} (\nabla_{\hat{C}} \mathcal{J})^{T} = \hat{b}_{i}^{H} [H^{T}(-\hat{\lambda}_{i}) - \hat{H}^{T}(-\hat{\lambda}_{i})]$$

$$\frac{1}{2} t_{i}^{H} (\nabla_{\hat{A}} \mathcal{J})^{T} s_{i} = \hat{b}_{i}^{H} \frac{d}{ds} [H^{T}(s) - \hat{H}^{T}(s)]\Big|_{s=-\hat{\lambda}_{i}} \hat{c}_{i}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} t_{i}^{H} (\nabla_{\hat{A}} \mathcal{J})^{T} s_{j} = \frac{1}{2(\hat{\lambda}_{i} - \hat{\lambda}_{j})} [\hat{b}_{i}^{H} (\nabla_{\hat{B}} \mathcal{J})^{T} s_{j} - t_{i}^{H} (\nabla_{\hat{C}} \mathcal{J})^{T} \hat{c}_{j}], i \neq j,$$

Distinct Poles (CT)

Corollary 1.4. If $(\nabla_{\hat{B}}\mathcal{J})^T = 0$, $(\nabla_{\hat{C}}\mathcal{J})^T = 0$ and diag $S^{-1}(\nabla_{\hat{A}}\mathcal{J})^T S = 0$ then $\nabla_{\hat{A}}\mathcal{J} = 0$ and the following tangential interpolation conditions are satisfied for all $\hat{\lambda}_i, i = 1, ..., n$:

$$[H^{T}(-\hat{\lambda}_{i}) - \hat{H}^{T}(-\hat{\lambda}_{i})]\hat{c}_{i} = 0, \quad \hat{b}_{i}^{H}[H^{T}(-\hat{\lambda}_{i}) - \hat{H}^{T}(-\hat{\lambda}_{i})] = 0,$$
$$\hat{b}_{i}^{H}\frac{d}{ds}\left[H^{T}(s) - \hat{H}^{T}(s)\right]\Big|_{s=-\hat{\lambda}_{i}}\hat{c}_{i} = 0.$$
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Equivalently, in terms of the Taylor expansion of $H(s) - \hat{H}(s)$:

$$[H^{T}(s) - \hat{H}^{T}(s)]\hat{c}_{i} = O(s + \hat{\lambda}_{i}), \quad \hat{b}_{i}^{H}[H^{T}(s) - \hat{H}^{T}(s)] = O(s + \hat{\lambda}_{i}),$$
$$\hat{b}_{i}^{H}[H^{T}(s) - \hat{H}^{T}(s)]\hat{c}_{i} = O(s + \hat{\lambda}_{i})^{2}.$$

This yields n(m+p) conditions.

Antoulas, Beattie, Gugercin; Bunse Gerstner et al.; Van Dooren et al,

A Second Order Case

Assume a real second order reduced model

$$\hat{H}(s) = \frac{cb^H}{s-\lambda} + \frac{\overline{c}\overline{b}^H}{s-\overline{\lambda}}$$

At every stationary point of \mathcal{J} :

$$\begin{split} H^{T}(-\lambda)c &= -b\frac{c^{H}c}{2\lambda}, \quad b^{H}H^{T}(-\lambda) = -c^{H}\frac{b^{H}b}{2\lambda}, \\ b^{H}\frac{d}{ds}H^{T}(s)c|_{s=-\lambda} &= -\frac{b^{H}bc^{H}c}{4\lambda^{2}}. \end{split}$$

 \therefore b and c must be the dominant singular vectors of $H^T(-\lambda)$ and can be eliminated from the optimization problem

Plot error $||E(s)||_{\mathcal{H}_2}$ as a function of interpolation point λ





Higher Order Poles (CT)

$$\hat{A}S_i = S_i\hat{A}_i, \quad \hat{C}S_i = \hat{C}_i, \quad T_i^H\hat{A} = \hat{A}_iT_i^H, \quad T_i^H\hat{B} = \hat{B}_i^H, \quad T_i^HS_i = I_k.$$

Theorem 1.5. Let $\hat{H}(s) = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} \hat{C}_i (sI - \hat{A}_i)^{-1} \hat{B}_i^H$ where \hat{A}_i is a Jordan block of size k_i for $\hat{\lambda}_i$, and where $-\hat{\lambda}_i$ is not a pole of H(s) or $\hat{H}(s)$. Then with

$$\psi_{\hat{\lambda}_i}(s) := \begin{bmatrix} (s+\hat{\lambda}_i)^{k_i-1} & \dots & (s+\hat{\lambda}_i) & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \hat{b}_i^H(s) := \psi_{\hat{\lambda}_i}(s)\hat{B}_i^H$$
$$\phi_{\hat{\lambda}_i}(s) := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & (s+\hat{\lambda}_i) & \dots & (s+\hat{\lambda}_i)^{k_i-1} \end{bmatrix}^T, \quad \hat{c}_i(s) := \hat{C}_i \phi_{\hat{\lambda}_i}(s)$$

we have

$$\frac{1}{2} (\nabla_{\hat{B}} \mathcal{J})^T S_i \phi_{\hat{\lambda}_i}(s) = [H^T(s) - \hat{H}^T(s)] \hat{c}_i(s) + O(s + \hat{\lambda}_i)^{k_i},$$
$$\frac{1}{2} \psi_{\hat{\lambda}_i}(s) T_i^H (\nabla_{\hat{C}} \mathcal{J})^T = \hat{b}_i^H(s) [H^T(s) - \hat{H}^T(s)] + O(s + \hat{\lambda}_i)^{k_i}$$

T.I. for Higher Order Poles (CT)

We do not have expressions for $T_i^H (\nabla_{\hat{A}} \mathcal{J})^T S_j$ that are clean extensions of the first order poles. We have:

Theorem 1.6. With usual assumptions. if $\nabla_{\hat{B}} \mathcal{J} = 0$, $\nabla_{\hat{C}} \mathcal{J} = 0$ and $\nabla_{\hat{A}} \mathcal{J} = 0$, then the following tangential interpolation conditions are satisfied for $i = 1, ..., \ell$:

$$[H^{T}(s) - \hat{H}^{T}(s)]\hat{c}_{i}(s) = O(s + \hat{\lambda}_{i})^{k_{i}},$$
$$\hat{b}_{i}(s)^{H}[H^{T}(s) - \hat{H}^{T}(s)] = O(s + \hat{\lambda}_{i})^{k_{i}},$$
$$\hat{b}_{i}(s)^{H}[H^{T}(s) - \hat{H}^{T}(s)]\hat{c}_{i}(s) = O(s + \hat{\lambda}_{i})^{2k_{i}},$$

where $\hat{b}_i^H(s) := \psi_{\hat{\lambda}_i}(s)\hat{B}_i^H$ and $\hat{c}_i(s) := \hat{C}_i \phi_{\hat{\lambda}_i}(s)$.

These conditions do not follow easily from earlier tangential interpolation conditions of Vandendorpe et al.

Algorithms for minimizing $||E(z)||_{\mathcal{H}_2}$

Define $(X, Y, \hat{P}, \hat{Q}) = F(\hat{A}, \hat{B}, \hat{C})$ where

 $A^T Y \hat{A} - C^T \hat{C} = Y, \quad \hat{A}^T \hat{Q} \hat{A} + \hat{C}^T \hat{C} = \hat{Q},$

 $\hat{A}X^TA^T + \hat{B}B^T = X^T, \quad \hat{A}\hat{P}\hat{A}^T + \hat{B}\hat{B}^T = \hat{P}$

and then $\operatorname{compute}(\hat{A},\hat{B},\hat{C})=G(X,Y,\hat{P},\hat{Q})$ from

$$W := -Y\hat{Q}^{-1}, V := X\hat{P}^{-1}\hat{A} = W^TAV, \hat{B} = W^TB, \hat{C} = CV,$$

The fixed point of $(\hat{A}, \hat{B}, \hat{C}) = G(F(\hat{A}, \hat{B}, \hat{C}))$ are also stationary points of $||E(z)||_{\mathcal{H}_2}$ and satisfy the interpolation conditions

Simpler forms of $\hat{H}(s)$ make more efficient algorithms One can also define a CG-like method or a Newton-like method see Antoulas,Sorenson; Beattie-Gugercin **Theorem 1.7.** Let $\hat{H}(s) = \hat{C}(sI_n - \hat{A})^{-1}\hat{B}$ be a given stable *n*-th degree transfer function, then there always exists a stable *N*-th degree transfer function $H(s) = C(sI_N - A)^{-1}B$ with N > n, for which $\hat{H}(s)$ is a stationary point of the \mathcal{H}_2 error function.

Theorem 1.8. Let $\hat{H}(s) = \hat{C}(sI_n - \hat{A})^{-1}\hat{B}$ and $H(s) = C(sI_N - A)^{-1}B$ be stable and minimal transfer functions such that $\hat{H}(s)$ is a stationary point of the error function $J = ||H(s) - \hat{H}(s)||_{\mathcal{H}_2}$. Then every (sufficiently) nearby transfer function $\hat{H}_{\Delta}(s)$ is a stationary point of a nearby system $H_{\Delta}(s)$. The same holds for every nondegenerate local minimum.

$$\hat{H}(s) = 1/(s-a)^2, \ a = -1$$

$$\hat{A} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 1 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}, \hat{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \hat{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H(s) = (0.25s^2 - 0.5s + 9.25)/(s^3 + 7s^2 + 19s + 9)$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & 1 & d \\ 0 & a & e \\ e & d & f \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ g \end{pmatrix}, C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & g \end{pmatrix}$$

$$f = -5, \ g = .5, \ d = 4ag, \ e = 4a^2g$$

are stable and satisfies the stationarity conditions.

 \hat{H} is also a local minimum of $\|H-\hat{H}\|_{\mathcal{H}_2}$

- We have a completely general expression of the stationarity conditions of the H₂ error function with Ĥ in Jordan canonical form and its relation to T.I.
- Using first order form of $\hat{H}(s)$ should be numerically sensitive if minimum is near a higher order pole minimum.
- For large scale problems, is this problem observed?
- If not common are there important classes of problems with higher order pole minima?
- Over-parameterization of \hat{A} , \hat{B} , \hat{C} in optimization \Leftrightarrow efficiency?

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- Extension to discrete time-varying systems vDooren,Gallivan,Absil

Time-varying case

$$\begin{cases} x_{k+1} = A_k x_k + B_k u_k \\ y_k = C_k x_k \end{cases} \begin{cases} \hat{x}_{k+1} = \hat{A}_k \hat{x}_k + \hat{B}_k u_k \\ \hat{y}_k = \hat{C}_k \hat{x}_k \end{cases}$$
$$e_k := y_k - \hat{y}_k, \ \mathcal{E} := \begin{cases} x_{k+1}^e = A_k^e x_k^e + B_k^e u_k \\ e_k = C_k^e x_k^e \end{cases}$$
$$\text{where } A_k^e := \begin{bmatrix} A_k \\ \hat{A}_k \end{bmatrix}, \ B_k^e = \begin{bmatrix} B_k \\ \hat{B}_k \end{bmatrix}, \ C_k^e = \begin{bmatrix} C_k & -\hat{C}_k \end{bmatrix}$$
$$x_{k_0}^e = 0 \Rightarrow x_k^e = \sum_{i=k_0}^{k-1} \Phi_{k,i+1}^e B_i^e u_i, \ \Phi_{k+1,i}^e = A_k^e \Phi_{k,i}^e \ (k \ge i), \ \Phi_{k,k}^e = I$$

The "stacked" error system response is $\tilde{e} = E\tilde{u}$ and the cost function to minimize are given by

$$\|\mathcal{E}\|_{\mathcal{H}_2}^2 := \mathcal{J}(k_0, k_f) := \operatorname{tr}(E^T E) = \operatorname{tr}(E E^T)$$

It follows that

$$\mathcal{J}(k_0, k_f) := \operatorname{tr} \sum_{k=k_0+1}^{k_f+1} C_k^e P_k^e C_k^{e^T} = \operatorname{tr} \sum_{k=k_0}^{k_f} B_k^{e^T} Q_k^e B_k^e$$

where

$$P_{k+1}^{e} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{k} & \\ & \hat{A}_{k} \end{bmatrix} P_{k}^{e} \begin{bmatrix} A_{k}^{T} & \\ & \hat{A}_{k}^{T} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} B_{k} \\ & \hat{B}_{k} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{k}^{T} & \hat{B}_{k}^{T} \end{bmatrix}, \quad P_{k_{0}}^{e} = 0$$
$$Q_{k-1}^{e} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{k}^{T} & \\ & \hat{A}_{k}^{T} \end{bmatrix} Q_{k}^{e} \begin{bmatrix} A_{k} & \\ & \hat{A}_{k} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} C_{k}^{T} \\ \hat{C}_{k}^{T} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C_{k} & \hat{C}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q_{k_{f}+1}^{e} = 0$$

Gradients are given by

$$\nabla_{\hat{A}_k} \mathcal{J} = 2(\hat{Q}_k \hat{A}_k \hat{P}_k + Y_k^T A_k X_k),$$
$$\nabla_{\hat{B}_k} \mathcal{J} = 2(\hat{Q}_k \hat{B}_k + Y_k^T B_k),$$
$$\nabla_{\hat{C}_k} \mathcal{J} = 2(\hat{C}_k \hat{P}_k - C_k X_k)$$

Updating rules and fixed point results are as before

$$\begin{split} W_{k} &:= Y_{k} \hat{Q}_{k}^{-1}, V_{k} = X_{k} \hat{P}_{k}^{-1} \\ (A_{k}^{e}, B_{k}^{e}, C_{k}^{e}) &:= (W_{k}^{T} A_{k} V_{k}, W_{k}^{T} B_{k}, C_{k} V_{k}). \\ \text{where } X_{k}, \quad Y_{k}, \quad \tilde{P}_{k}, \quad \tilde{Q}_{k} \text{ satisfy Stein like recurrences} \\ X_{k+1} &= A_{k} X_{k} \hat{A}_{k}^{T} + B_{k} \hat{B}_{k}^{T}, \quad X_{k_{0}} = 0 \\ \hat{P}_{k+1} &= \hat{A}_{k} \hat{P}_{k} \hat{A}_{k}^{T} + \hat{B}_{k} \hat{B}_{k}^{T}, \quad \hat{P}_{k_{0}} = 0 \\ Y_{k-1} &= A_{k}^{T} Y_{k} \hat{A}_{k}^{T} - C_{k}^{T} \hat{C}_{k}, \quad Y_{k_{f}+1} = 0 \\ \hat{Q}_{k-1} &= \hat{A}_{k}^{T} Q_{k} \hat{A}_{k} + \hat{C}_{k}^{T} \hat{C}_{k}, \quad \hat{Q}_{k_{f}+1} = 0 \end{split}$$