EECS 861

Homework #12

1. (Concept: Detection with multiple observations in correlated noise)

A decision is based on 2 samples, Y_1 and Y_2 . Y is a multivariate Gaussian random vector

$$Y = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 $E[Y \mid H_0] = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $E[Y \mid H_1] = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ with $\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 1.3575 & 0.675 \\ 0.675 & 1.3575 \end{pmatrix}$

- a. Design the optimum detector. Assume $P(H_0) = P(H_1) = 1/2$.
- b. Find P_e .
- c. Repeat parts a. and b. with

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- d. Explain why the results, i.e., P_e , from b. and c. are different.
- e. The 500 bits in the file below (sheet labeled Volts maps 0->-1 and 1->+1)

are sampled at two sample/bit, the resulting transmitted signal is corrupted by additive Gaussian correlated noise with $\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \textbf{1.3575} & \textbf{0.675} \\ \textbf{0.675} & \textbf{1.3575} \end{pmatrix}$, apply optimum detector found in part a. to the

received signal given in the file below and estimate the P_e of your detector, then compare to P_e found in part b.

Here are the transmitted bits

http://www.ittc.ku.edu/~frost/EECS_861/EECS_861_HW_Fall_2025/data_HW12_Prob_1_bit-s.xls

The received signal is given in

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2. (Concept: Detection with multiple observations in white noise with different pulse shapes) Let $s_1[k] = -2, -2, -2$ for k = 0, 1, 2 and $s_0[k] = -s_1[k]$, i.e., $s_0[k] = 2, 2, 2$ for k = 0, 1, 2 Assume

$$P(s_1) = 0.5 = P(s_0)$$

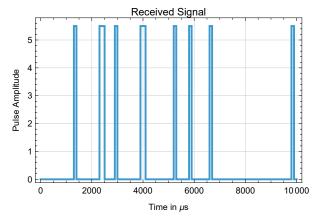
Y[k] = S[k] + N[k] for k = 0...2 where

S[k] & N[k] are statistically independent

N[k] is white Gaussian noise with a zero mean and variance= 4, i.e., σ_N =2.

- a. Find the MAP decision algorithm.
- b. Find the probability of error.
- c. Apply the MAP decision algorithm for the follow observations $y[k] = \{-0.4, 0.1, -0.1\}$, is the receiver output is $s_1[k]$ or $s_2[k]$?
- d. Repeat a)-b) for $s_1[k] = 1, -3.162, 1$
- e. Why is P_e from part b. and part d. the same.
- 3. (Concept: Pulse detection)

Time is slotted into 10 μ s time slots, in a received signal X(t) a time slot of 10 μ s may contain a pulse of amplitude +5.5, as shown below.



The received signal is R(t) = X(t) + N(t) where N(t) is bandlimited white Gaussian noise. The noise PSD is

$$S_N(f) = \begin{cases} 10^{-4} & |f| < 1 \text{MHz} \\ 0 & elsewhere \end{cases}$$

The received signal, R(t), is sampled at a rate of 10 Msamples/sec. Samples are collected in time synchronization with the pulses. The received signal is N(t) if no pulse for each pulse duration of 10 μ s or X(t)+N(t) for each pulse duration of 10 μ s a pulse is present.

- a. Design a MAP pulse detector assuming Prob(pulse)=0.5
- b. For your pulse detector and given the parameters above calculate the probability of detection and false alarm.
- c. Design a pulse detector using a Neyman-Pearson (N-P) rule with a $P_{\rm fa}$ = 0.01 and find probability of detection.
- d. Apply the MAP detector with Prob(pulse)=0.5 to the data set given below. How many pulses are in this record. This file contains a record of collected samples.

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4. (Concept: Biased/unbiased estimators)

Let
$$f_X(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5\pi}} e^{\frac{-(x-\theta)^2}{5}}$$
. Given $x_1 \dots x_N$ be N statistically independent samples from $f_X(x)$. Is $\overline{X} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} x_i$ an biased estimator for θ ; yes or no and justify.