



UNIVERSITÀ DI PAVIA

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IDENTIFICAZIONE DEI MODELLI E ANALISI DEI DATI B

Anno immatricolazione	2015/2016
Anno offerta	2015/2016
Normativa	DM270
SSD	ING-INF/04 (AUTOMATICA)
Dipartimento	DIPARTIMENTO DI INGEGNERIA INDUSTRIALE E DELL'INFORMAZIONE
Corso di studio	INDUSTRIAL AUTOMATION ENGINEERING - INGEGNERIA DELL'AUTOMAZIONE INDUSTRIALE
Curriculum	PERCORSO COMUNE
Anno di corso	1°
Periodo didattico	Secondo Semestre (29/02/2016 - 10/06/2016)
Crediti	6
Ore	45 ore di attività frontale
Lingua insegnamento	ITALIAN
Tipo esame	SCRITTO E ORALE CONGIUNTI
Docente	DE NICOLAO GIUSEPPE - 6 CFU
Prerequisiti	Basic notions of set theory, logic, calculus, function maximization.
Obiettivi formativi	Knowledge of basic notions of: estimation theory (maximum likelihood estimation, a-posteriori estimation); neural-based model identification; stochastic processes (mean, autocovariance, spectral density, optimal prediction); identification of ARMAX models. Ability to solve identification and prediction problems ranging from model formulation to the use of computer tools (Matlab) for parameter estimation and model simulation.
Programma e contenuti	System Identification deals with methodologies that enable the construction of mathematical models of systems and signals based on experimental data. In presence of complex systems whose behavior can be hardly reduced to known "laws of nature", the use of identification

techniques is often the only way to obtain models to be used in the context of forecasting, simulation, and control. The methods presented in the course are widely used in heterogeneous fields such as automation, biomedical engineering, econometry, hydrology, geophysics and telecommunications. Some basic notions of probability, estimation theory and stochastic processes are recalled. The main properties (stability, input-output description in the time and frequency domains) of linear discrete-time systems are introduced. In the context of parametric estimation, the issues of model validation and model complexity are extensively discussed. Neural based identification is also illustrated and discussed, pointing out pros and cons with respect to standard approaches. The study of dynamic systems addresses three main topics: the optimal prediction of stationary stochastic processes (Wiener filtering), the identification of linear discrete-time systems, and spectral estimation (both nonparametric and maximum-entropy).

Probability: basic notions

probability notion;
independence, conditional probability, total probability and Bayes theorems;
Bernoulli trials, Poisson events;
the notion of random variable (R.V.), cumulative distribution function, probability density function, functions on one R.V.;
mode, median, moments of a R.V.;
joint random variables: distribution, density, moments, independence, incorrelation, functions of random variables;
Law of Large Numbers, Gaussian R.V., Central Limit Theorem.

Statistics: basic notions

notion of estimator; properties of estimators;
sample moments and their main properties;
confidence interval for the sample mean, Student's t.

Identification of linear-in-parameter models:

the least squares method, normal equations, identifiability;
Best Linear Unbiased Estimator: estimator, variance of parameters;
validation and choice of complexity: chi-square test, F-test, FPE, AIC, and MDL criteria.

Estimation theory:

maximum likelihood estimation: properties and examples;
a-posteriori estimation, Bayes estimator;
cross-validation, model complexity and the bias-variance dilemma;
identification of nonlinear-in-parameter models.

Neural identification:

Radial basis function neural networks;
Multi-layer perceptron networks;

generalization, overfitting, selection of network size.

Stochastic processes and optimal prediction:

mean, autocorrelation, autocovariance, independence, incorrelation;
white noise, random walk, MA, AR, and ARMA processes, Yule-Walker
equations;

stationarity, power spectral density, nonparametric spectral estimation;
spectral factorization, optimal prediction.

Identification of dynamic systems:

classes of dynamic models: output error, ARX, ARMAX;
prediction-error methods for system identification;
least-squares identification of ARX models: probabilistic analysis and
persistent excitation.

Metodi didattici

Lectures (hours/year in lecture theatre): 75
Practical class (hours/year in lecture theatre): 25
Practicals / Workshops (hours/year in lecture theatre): 8

Testi di riferimento

A. Papoulis. Probability, Random Variables, and Stochastic Processes.
McGraw-Hill.

T. Söderstrom, P. Stoica. System identification. Prentice-Hall.

**Modalità verifica
apprendimento**

Written examination

Altre informazioni

Written examination

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