

ME 233 Advanced Control II

Lecture 11

Kalman Filters Stationary Properties and LQR-KF Duality

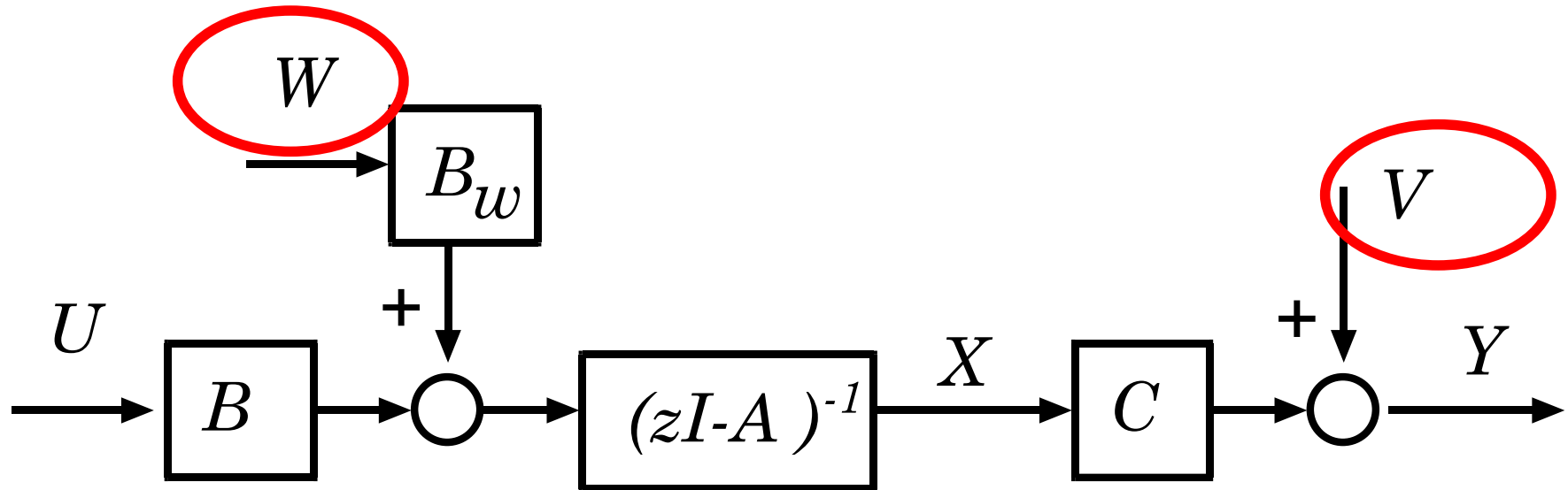
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Summary

- Stationary Kalman filters (KF):
 - KF algebraic Riccati equation
 - Convergence properties
- Kalman filter / LQR duality
- KF return difference equality
 - Reciprocal root locus
 - Guaranteed robustness margins

Stochastic State Estimation

Linear system contaminated by noise:



Two random disturbances:

- Input noise $w(k)$ - contaminates the state $x(k)$
- Measurement noise $v(k)$ - contaminates the output $y(k)$

Stochastic state model

State estimation of LTI system:

$$x(k+1) = Ax(k) + Bu(k) + B_w w(k)$$

$$y(k) = Cx(k) + v(k)$$

Where:

- $u(k)$ **known control input**
- $w(k)$ Gaussian, uncorrelated, zero mean, input noise
- $v(k)$ Gaussian, uncorrelated, zero mean, meas. noise
- $x(0)$ Gaussian

Assumptions (review)

- Initial conditions:

$$E\{x(0)\} = x_o \quad E\{\tilde{x}^o(0)\tilde{x}^{oT}(0)\} = X_o$$

- Noise properties:

$$E\{w(k)\} = 0$$

$$E\{v(k)\} = 0$$

$$E\{w(k+l)w^T(k)\} = W(k)\delta(l)$$

$$E\{v(k+l)v^T(k)\} = V(k)\delta(l)$$

$$E\{w(k+l)v^T(k)\} = 0$$

**Zero-mean
Gaussian
uncorrelated
noises**

$$E\{\tilde{x}^o(0)w^T(k)\} = 0$$

$$E\{\tilde{x}^o(0)v^T(k)\} = 0$$

Kalman Filter Solution V-1 (review)

A-posteriori state observer structure:

$$\hat{x}(k) = \hat{x}^o(k) + F(k) \tilde{y}^o(k)$$

$$\hat{x}^o(k+1) = A \hat{x}(k) + B u(k)$$

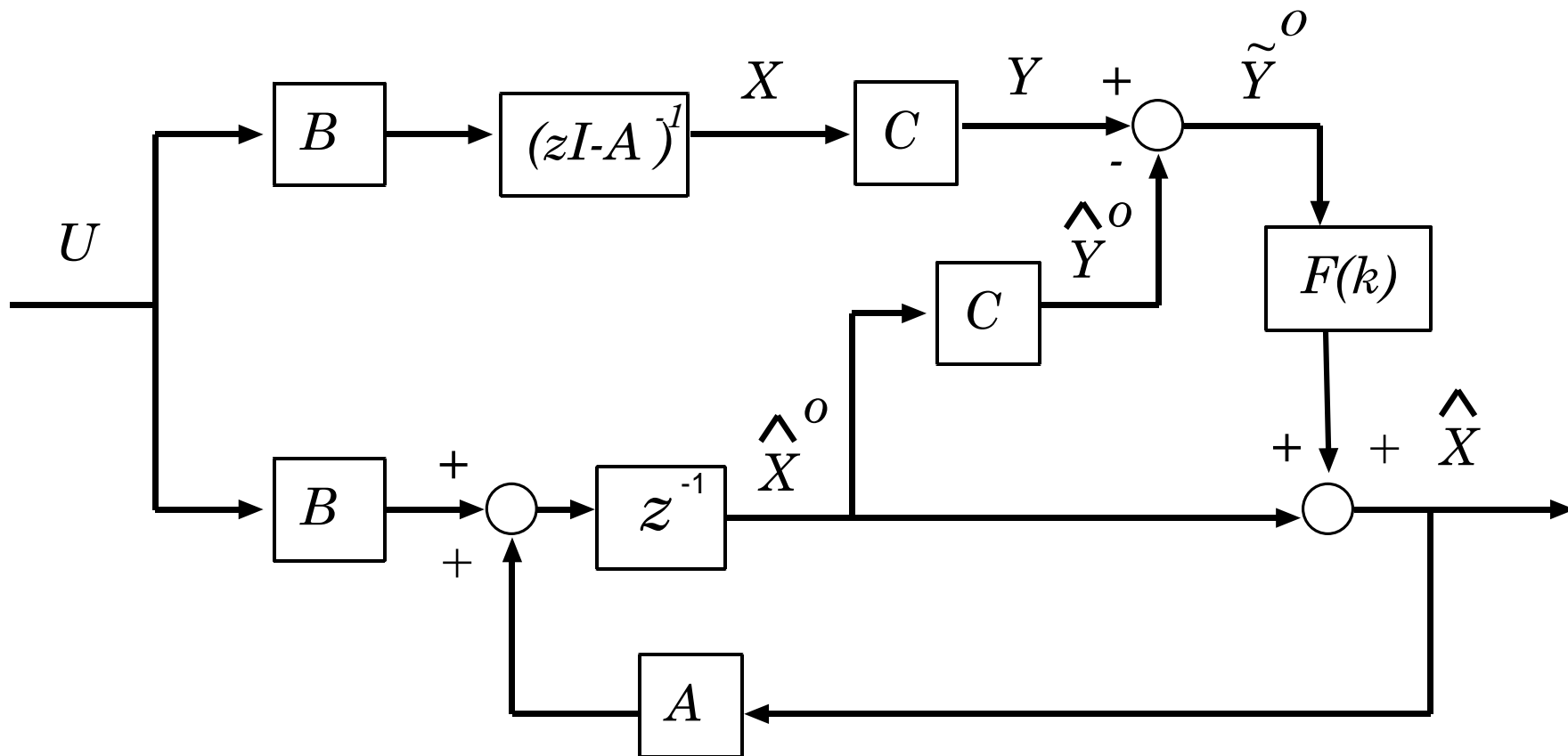
$$\tilde{y}^o(k) = y(k) - C \hat{x}^o(k)$$

$$F(k) = M(k)C^T [C M(k)C^T + V(k)]^{-1}$$

$$M(k+1) = AM(k)A^T + B_w W(k)B_w^T \\ - AM(k)C^T [CM(k)C^T + V(k)]^{-1} CM(k)A^T$$

Kalman Filter Solution V-1 (review)

- A-posteriori estimator as output



Kalman Filter Solution V-2 (review)

A-priori state observer structure:

$$\hat{x}^o(k+1) = A \hat{x}^o(k) + B u(k) + L(k) \tilde{y}^o(k)$$

$$\tilde{y}^o(k) = y(k) - C \hat{x}^o(k)$$

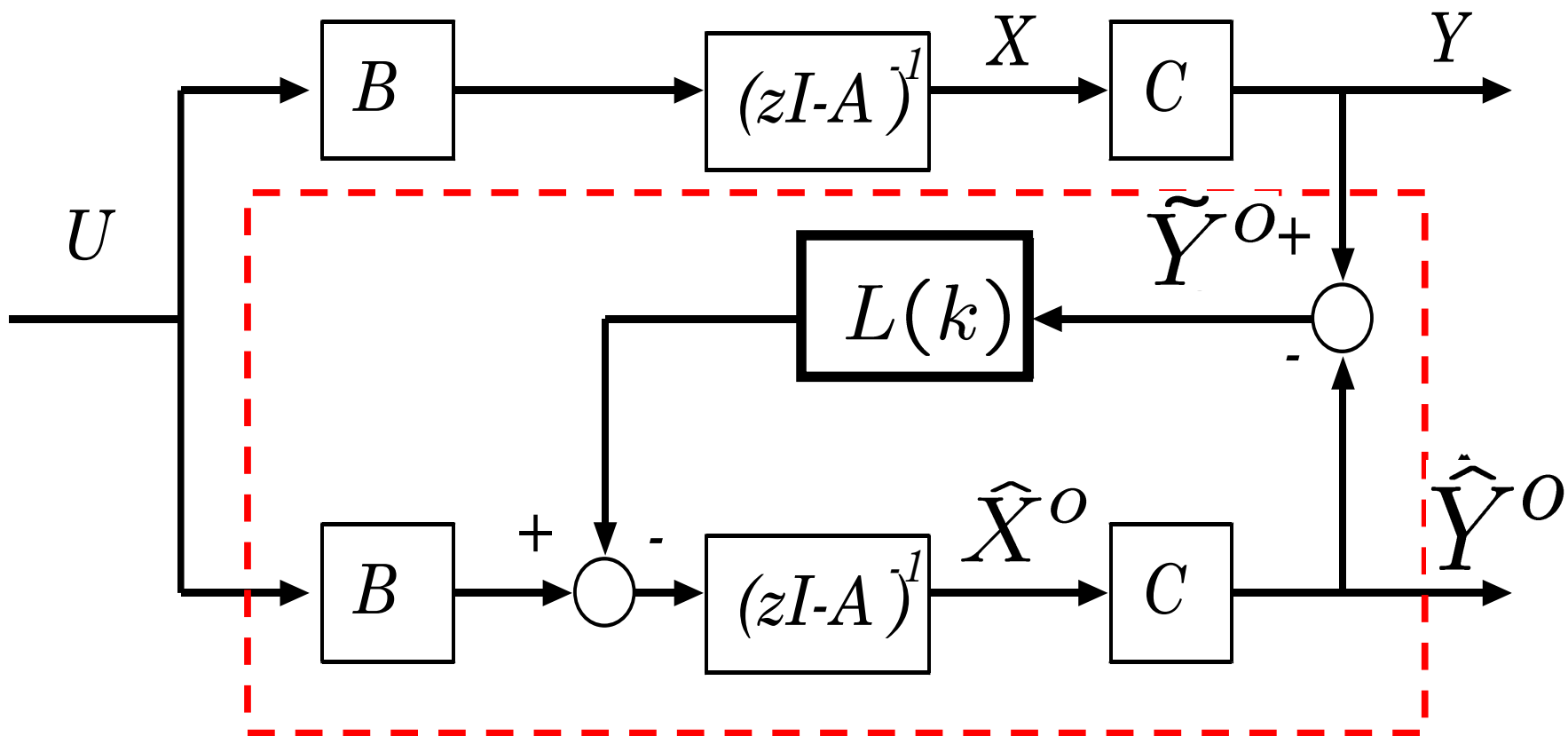
$$L(k) = A M(k) C^T [C M(k) C^T + V(k)]^{-1}$$

$$M(k+1) = A M(k) A^T + B_w W(k) B_w^T \\ - A M(k) C^T [C M(k) C^T + V(k)]^{-1} C M(k) A^T$$

$$M(0) = X_o$$

Kalman Filter Solution V-2 (review)

- Same structure as deterministic a-priori observer



Kalman Filter State Space (review)

$$\hat{x}^o(k+1) = [A - L(k)C]\hat{x}^o(k) + \begin{bmatrix} B & L(k) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u(k) \\ y(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{x}(k) = [I - F(k)C]\hat{x}^o(k) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & F(k) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u(k) \\ y(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$F(k) = M(k)C^T [C M(k)C^T + V(k)]^{-1}$$

$$L(k) = AM(k)C^T [C M(k)C^T + V(k)]^{-1}$$

$$M(k+1) = AM(k)A^T + B_w W(k) B_w^T$$

$$- AM(k)C^T [C M(k)C^T + V(k)]^{-1} CM(k)A^T$$

Kalman Filter (KF) Properties (review)

The KF a-priori output error (*a-priori output residual*)

$$\tilde{y}^o(k) = y(k) - C \hat{x}^o(k)$$

is often called the **innovation**

it contains only the “new information” in $y(k)$

Moreover,

$$\Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o \tilde{y}^o}(k, j) = [CM(k)C^T + V(k)]\delta(j)$$

i.e. $\tilde{y}^o(k)$ is an uncorrelated RVS

KF as an innovations filter (review)

For the figure on the next slide, we will assume without loss of generality that the control input is zero, i.e.

$$u(k) = 0 \quad k = 0, 1, \dots$$

- **Plant:**

$$x(k+1) = Ax(k) + B_w w(k)$$

$$y(k) = Cx(k) + v(k)$$

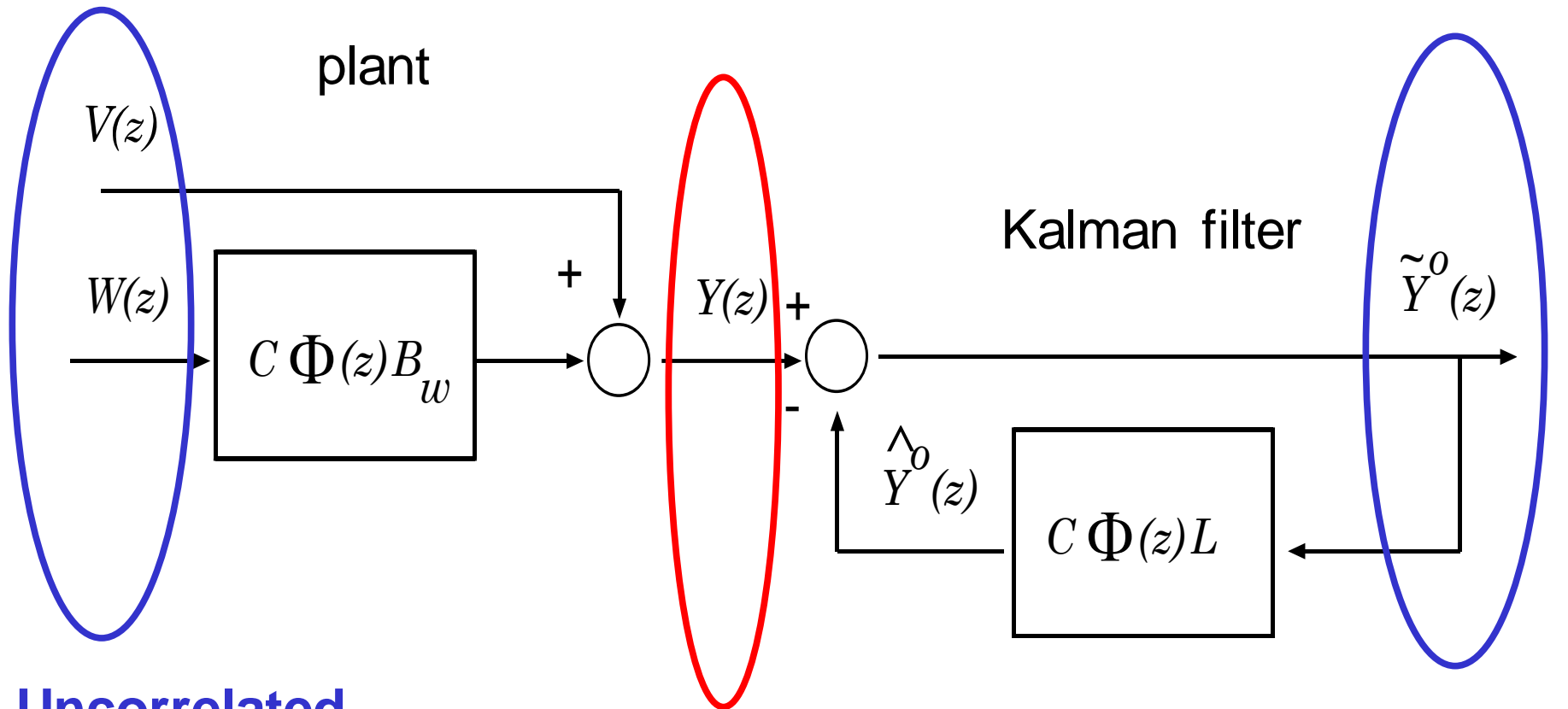
- **Kalman filter V-2:**

$$\hat{x}^o(k+1) = A\hat{x}^o(k) + L(k)\tilde{y}^o(k)$$

$$\tilde{y}^o(k) = C\hat{x}^o(k)$$

KF as an innovations filter (review)

$$\Phi(z) = (zI - A)^{-1}$$



**Uncorrelated
noise input**

$$\begin{bmatrix} V(k) & 0 \\ 0 & W(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

**Correlated
noise output**

**Uncorrelated
noise output**

$$CM(k)C^T + V(k)$$

Kalman Filter (KF) Properties (review)

- The KF is a linear time varying estimator.
- The KF is the **optimal state estimator** when the input and measurement noises are Gaussian.
- The KF is still the **optimal *linear* state estimator** even when the input and measurement noises are **not** Gaussian.
- The KF covariance Riccati equation is iterated in a forward manner, rather than in a backwards manner as in the LQR.

$$M(0) \rightarrow M(k)$$

Steady State Kalman Filter

- Assume now that we want to estimate the state under zero-mean, stationary input and output Gaussian white noise, i.e.

$$x(k+1) = Ax(k) + Bu(k) + B_w w(k)$$

$$y(k) = Cx(k) + v(k)$$

$$E\{w(k)\} = 0$$

$$E\{v(k)\} = 0$$

$$E\{w(k+l)w^T(k)\} = W \delta(l)$$

$$E\{v(k+l)v^T(k)\} = V \delta(l)$$

$$E\{w(k+l)v^T(k)\} = 0$$

WSS
Gaussian
Noise

A priori estimation error dynamics


$$\tilde{x}^o(k+1) = [A - L(k)C]\tilde{x}^o(k) + B_w w(k) - L(k)v(k)$$

Proof:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x(k+1) = Ax(k) + Bu(k) + B_w w(k) \\ \hat{x}^o(k+1) = A\hat{x}^o(k) + Bu(k) + L(k)\tilde{y}^o(k) \end{array} \right.$$

Subtracting equations gives

$$\tilde{x}^o(k+1) = A\tilde{x}^o(k) + B_w w(k) - L(k)\tilde{y}^o(k)$$



$$C\tilde{x}^o(k) + v(k)$$



Steady state Kalman filter, question 1

1) When does there exist a **BOUNDED limiting** solution

$$M_\infty$$

to the Riccati Eq.

$$M(k+1) = AM(k)A^T + B_w W B_w^T - AM(k)C^T [CM(k)C^T + V]^{-1} CM(k)A^T$$

for each choice of $M(0) \succeq 0$?

Steady state Kalman filter, question 2

2) When does there exist a **UNIQUE limiting** solution

$$M_{\infty}$$

to the Riccati Eq.

$$M(k+1) = AM(k)A^T + B_w W B_w^T - AM(k)C^T [CM(k)C^T + V]^{-1} CM(k)A^T$$

regardless of the choice of $M(0) \succeq 0$?

Steady state Kalman filter, question 3

3) When does the **limiting** solution

$$M_{\infty}$$

to the Riccati Eq.

yield **asymptotically stable** estimation error dynamics?

$$A_c = A - L_{\infty}C \quad \text{is Schur} \\ \text{(all eigenvalues inside unit circle)}$$

$$L_{\infty} = AM_{\infty}C^T [CM_{\infty}C^T + V]^{-1}$$

Detectability Assumption

We are only interested in the case where the estimation error dynamics are asymptotically stable

If (C,A) is not detectable, then there does not exist a estimator that results in asymptotically stable estimation error dynamics

→ For the stationary Kalman filter, we always assume that (C,A) is detectable

Theorem 1 : Existence of a bounded \mathbf{M}_∞

Let (C, A) be detectable
(unobservable modes are asymptotically stable)

Then, for $M(0) = X_0 = 0$ as $k \rightarrow \infty$
the solution of the Riccati Eq.

$$M(k+1) = AM(k)A^T + B_w W B_w^T - AM(k)C^T [CM(k)C^T + V]^{-1} CM(k)A^T$$

converges to a **BOUNDED limiting** solution \mathbf{M}_∞
that satisfies the algebraic Riccati equation (DARE):

$$M_\infty = AM_\infty A^T + B_w W B_w^T - AM_\infty C^T [CM_\infty C^T + V]^{-1} CM_\infty A^T$$

Theorem 1 : Notes

- Theorem 1 only guarantees the existence of a bounded solution \mathbf{M}_∞ to the algebraic Riccati Equation

$$\begin{aligned} M_\infty = & AM_\infty A^T + B_w W B_w^T \\ & - AM_\infty C^T [CM_\infty C^T + V]^{-1} CM_\infty A^T \end{aligned}$$

- The solution may not be unique.
- Different initial conditions $M(0) = X_0$ may result in different limiting solutions \mathbf{M}_∞ or may yield no limiting solution at all!

Theorem 2 : Existence and uniqueness of a positive definite asymptotic stabilizing solution

If (C,A) is detectable and $(A,B_w W^{1/2})$ is controllable

1) There exists a unique, bounded

solution $M_\infty \succ 0$ to the DARE

$$M_\infty = AM_\infty A^T + B_w W B_w^T - AM_\infty C^T [CM_\infty C^T + V]^{-1} CM_\infty A^T$$

2) The estimation error dynamics are **asymptotically stable**

$$\tilde{x}^o(k+1) = [A - L_\infty C] \tilde{x}^o(k) + B_w w(k) - L_\infty v(k)$$

$$L_\infty = AM_\infty C^T [CM_\infty C^T + V]^{-1}$$

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Theorem 4: A different approach

The discrete algebraic Riccati equation (DARE) has a solution for which $A - L_\infty C$ is Schur

if and only if

(C, A) is detectable and the matrix pair $(A, B_w W^{1/2})$ has no uncontrollable modes on the unit circle.

$$L_\infty = AM_\infty C^T [CM_\infty C^T + V]^{-1}$$

$$M_\infty = AM_\infty A^T + B_w W B_w^T - AM_\infty C^T [CM_\infty C^T + V]^{-1} CM_\infty A^T$$

Kalman Filter Solution V-1

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$$F = MC^T [CMC^T + V]^{-1}$$

$$M = AMA^T + B_wWB_w^T - AMC^T (CMC^T + V)^{-1}CMA^T$$

$A - AFC$ is Schur

Kalman Filter Solution V-2

A-priori state observer structure:

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$$\tilde{y}^o(k) = y(k) - C\hat{x}^o(k)$$

$$L = AMC^T [CMC^T + V]^{-1}$$

$$M = AMA^T + B_wWB_w^T - AMC^T (CMC^T + V)^{-1}CMA^T$$

$A - LC$ is Schur

Kalman Filter State Space

$$\hat{x}^o(k+1) = [A - LC]\hat{x}^o(k) + \begin{bmatrix} B & L \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u(k) \\ y(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{x}(k) = [I - FC]\hat{x}^o(k) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & F \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u(k) \\ y(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

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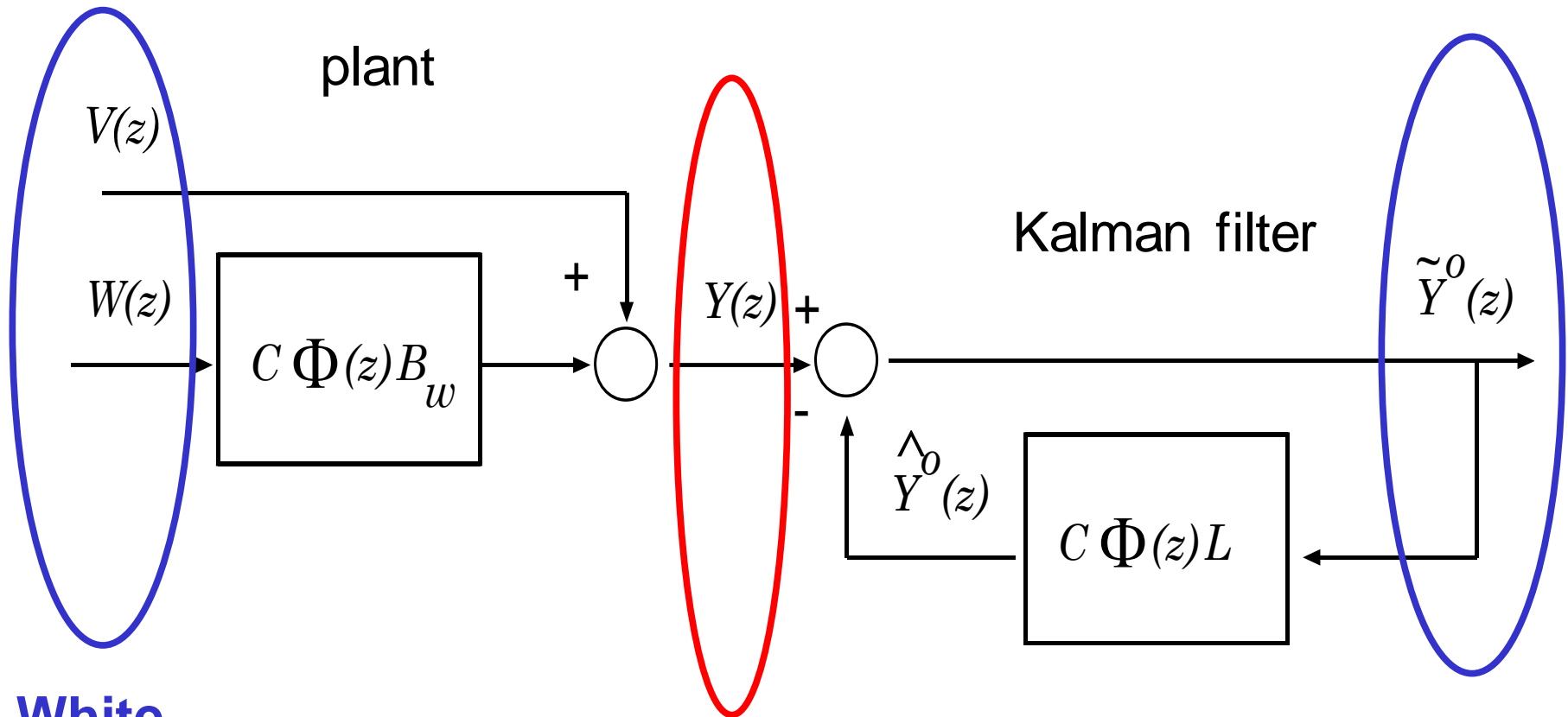
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KF as an innovations (whitening) filter

$$\Phi(z) = (zI - A)^{-1}$$



**White
noise input**

$$\begin{bmatrix} V & 0 \\ 0 & W \end{bmatrix}$$

**Colored
noise output**

**White
noise output**

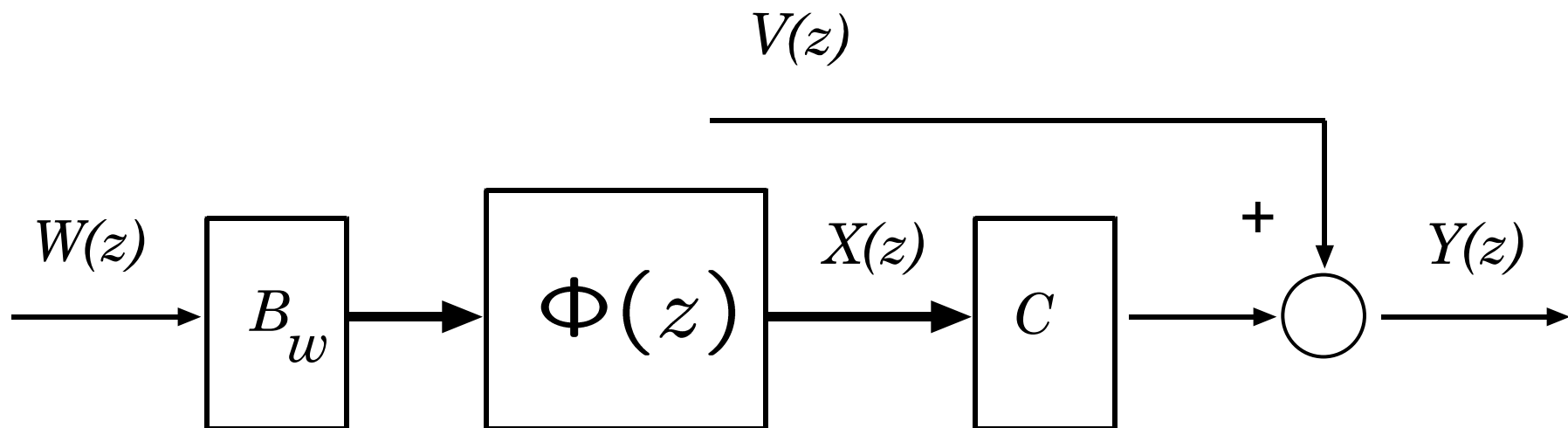
$$CMC^T + V$$

Output $Y(k)$ is colored noise

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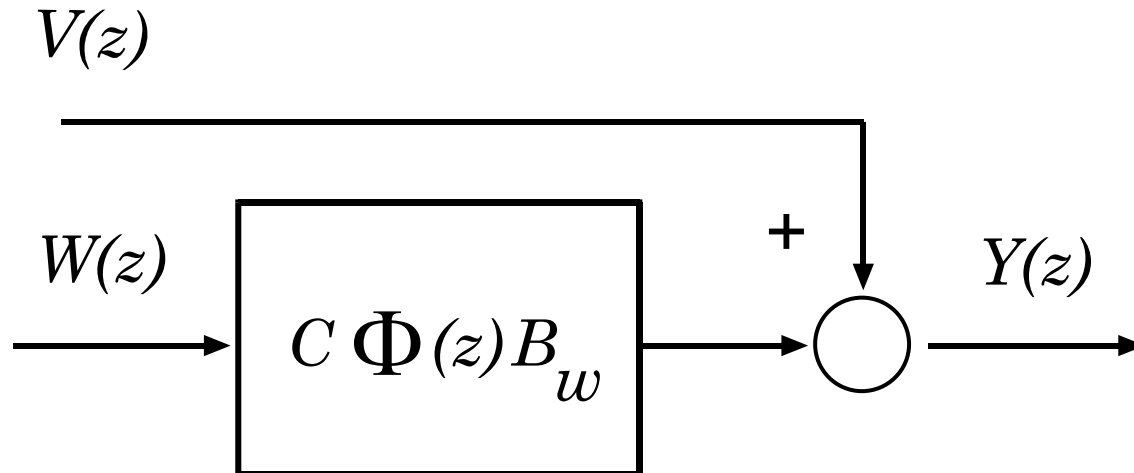
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Output $Y(k)$ is colored noise

- **Plant:**

$$Y(z) = [C\Phi(z)B_w] W(z) + V(z)$$

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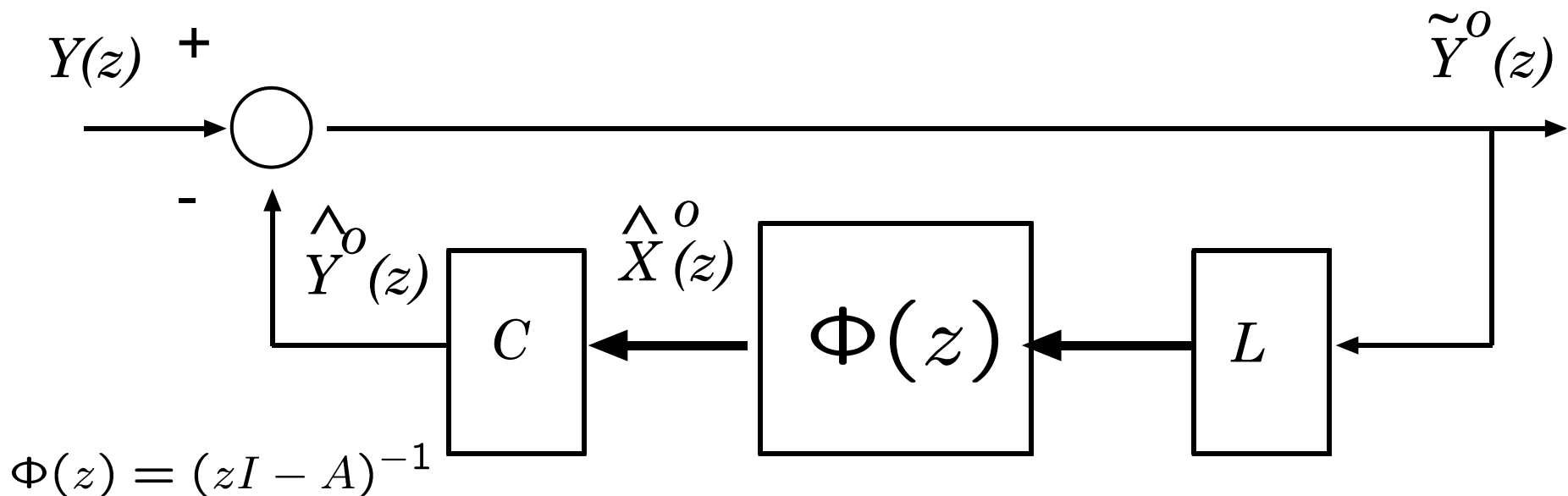


KF as an innovations filter

- **A-priori KF:**

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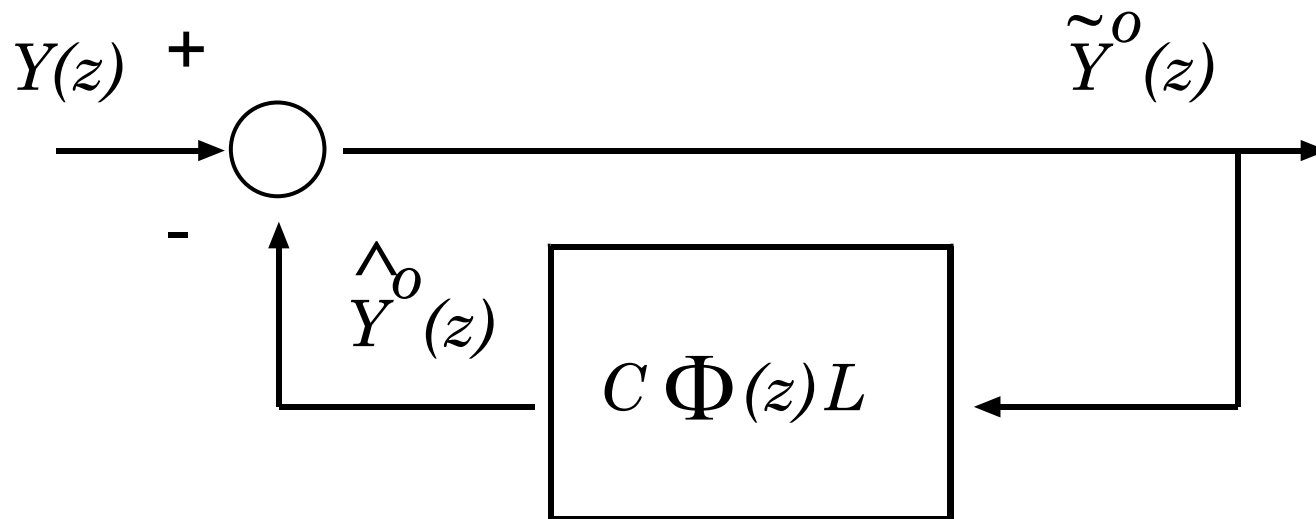


KF as an innovations filter

- **A-priori KF:**

$$\tilde{Y}^o(z) = [I + C\Phi(z)L]^{-1} Y(z)$$

$$\Phi(z) = (zI - A)^{-1}$$

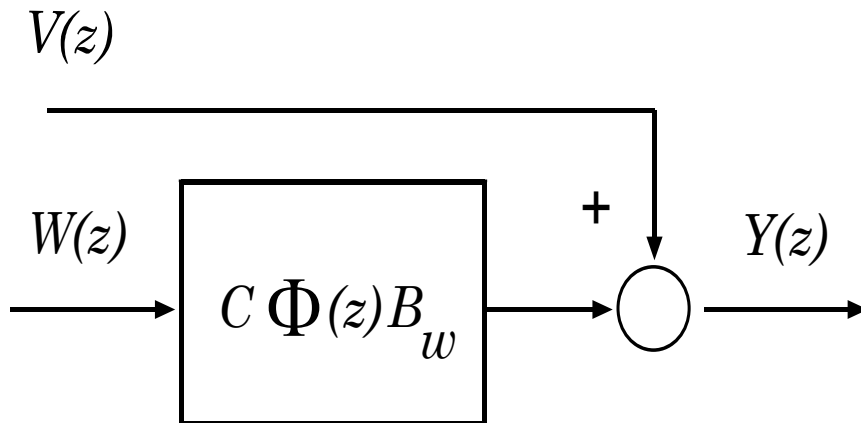


KF as an innovations filter

- **Plant** $Y(z) = [C\Phi(z)B_w] W(z) + V(z)$

- **A-priori KF:**

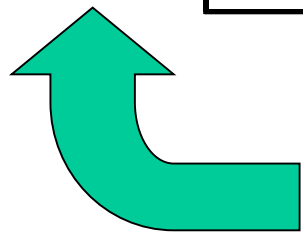
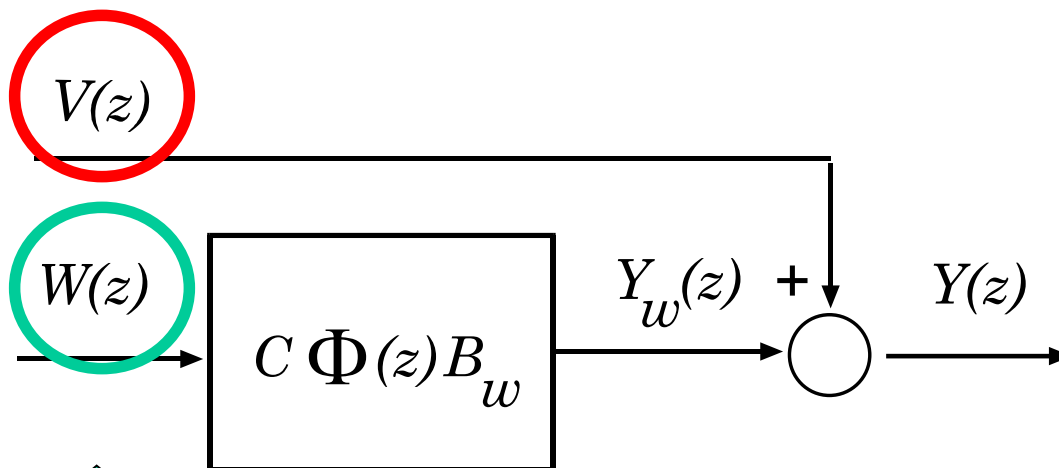
$$\tilde{Y}^o(z) = [I + C\Phi(z)L]^{-1} Y(z)$$



$Y(k)$ Power spectrum

Power spectrum of $y(k)$

$$Y(z) = \underbrace{[C\Phi(z)B_w] W(z)}_{Y_w(z)} + V(z)$$

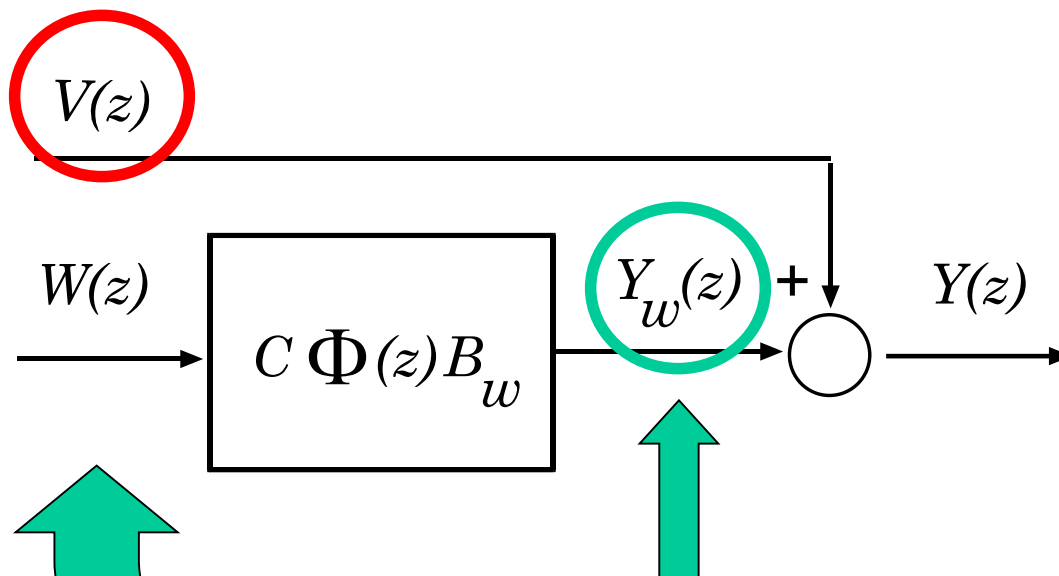


$w(k)$ and $v(k)$ are uncorrelated!

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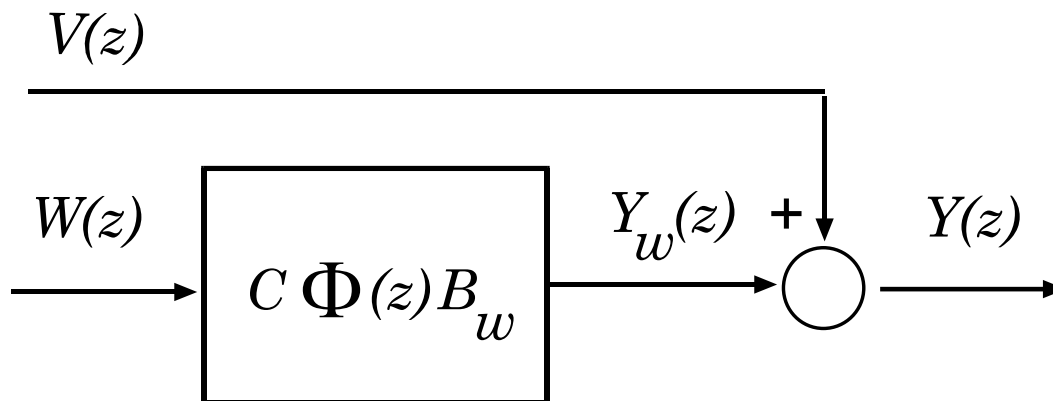


$y_w(k)$ and $v(k)$ are also uncorrelated!

$Y(k)$ Power spectrum

Power spectrum of $y(k)$

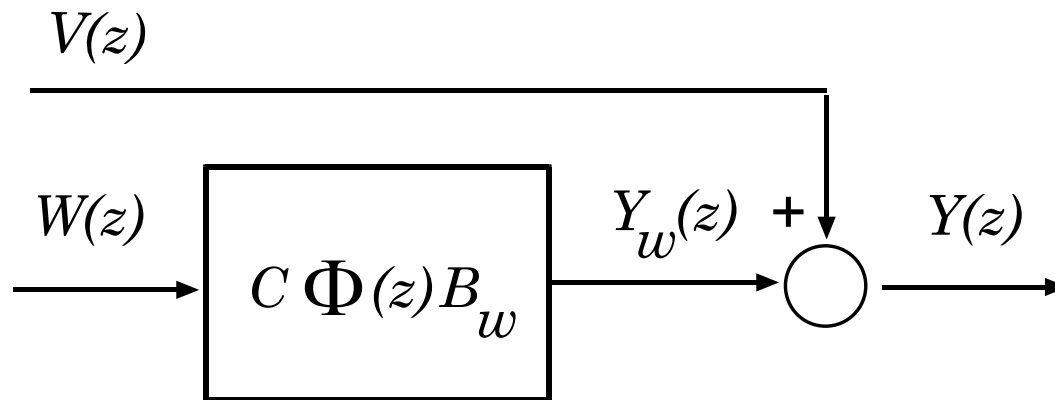
$$Y(z) = \underbrace{[C\Phi(z)B_w] W(z)}_{Y_w(z)} + V(z)$$



$$\Lambda_{yy}(z) = \Lambda_{y_w y_w}(z) + \Lambda_{vv}(z)$$

$Y(k)$ Power spectrum

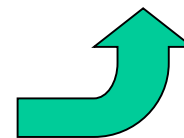
Power spectrum of $y(k)$



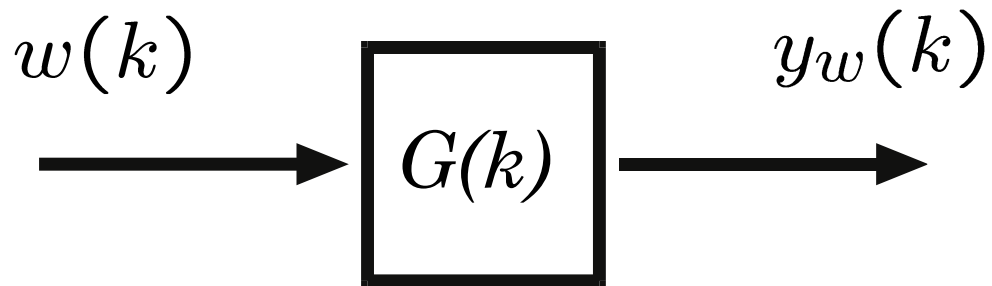
$$\Lambda_{yy}(z) = \Lambda_{y_w y_w}(z) + \underbrace{\Lambda_{vv}(z)}$$

V

$v(k)$ is white noise



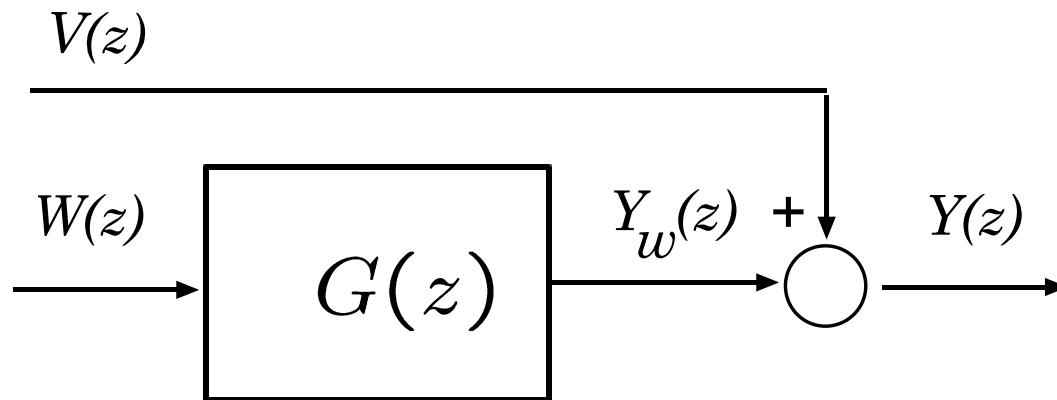
$Y(k)$ Power spectrum



$$\Lambda_{y_w y_w}(z) = G(z) \Lambda_{w w}(z) G^T(z^{-1})$$

$Y(k)$ Power spectrum

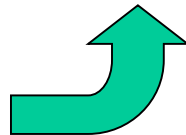
Power spectrum of $y(k)$



$$\Lambda_{yy}(z) = \underbrace{\Lambda_{y_w y_w}(z)} + V$$

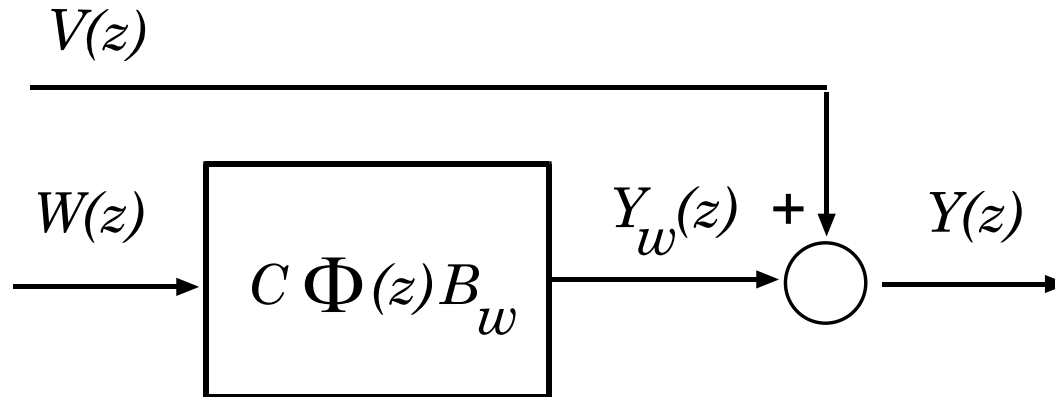
$$\Lambda_{y_w y_w}(z) = [C\Phi(z)B_w] \underbrace{W}_{\text{white noise}} [C\Phi(z^{-1})B_w]^T$$

$w(k)$ is white noise



$Y(k)$ Power spectrum

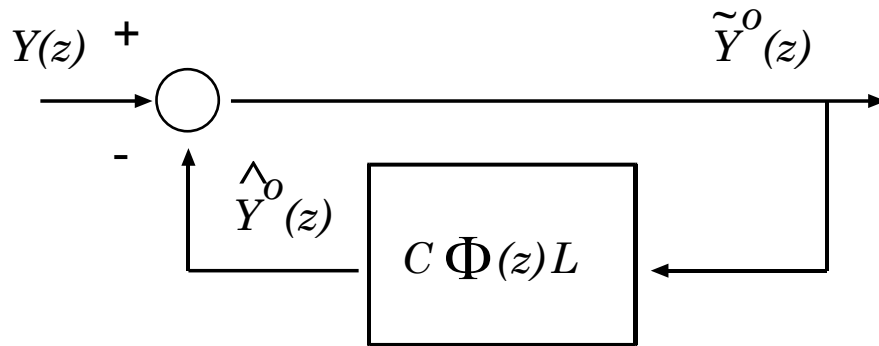
Power spectrum of $y(k)$



$$\Lambda_{yy}(z) = V + [C\Phi(z)B_w] W [C\Phi(z^{-1})B_w]^T$$

KF as an innovations filter

Power spectrum of $\tilde{y}^o(k)$



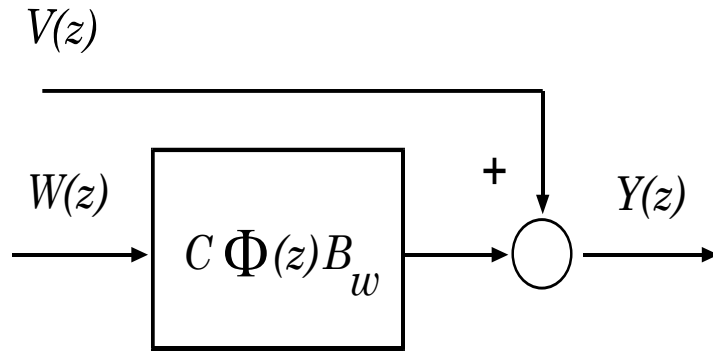
$$\tilde{Y}^o(z) = [I + C\Phi(z)L]^{-1} Y(z)$$

$$\Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o\tilde{y}^o}(z) = [I + C\Phi(z)L]^{-1} \Lambda_{yy}(z) [I + C\Phi(z^{-1})L]^{-T}$$

$$\Lambda_{yy}(z) = [I + C\Phi(z)L] \Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o\tilde{y}^o}(z) [I + C\Phi(z^{-1})L]^T$$

KF as an innovations filter

Combining two results:



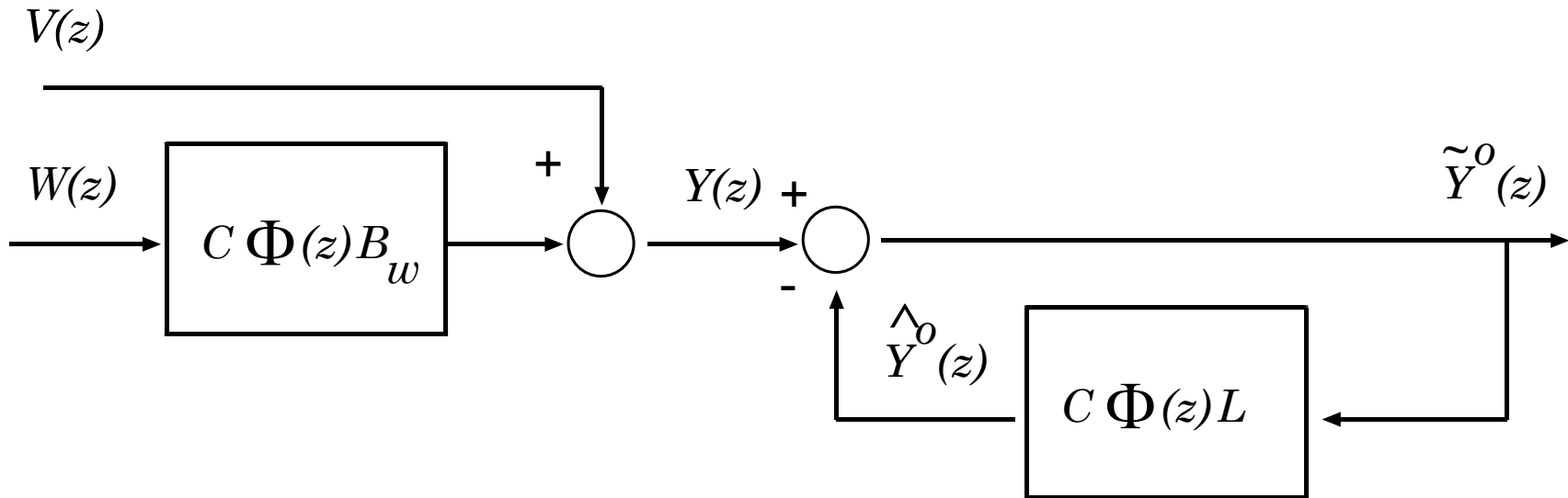
$$\Lambda_{yy}(z) = V + [C\Phi(z)B_w] W [C\Phi(z^{-1})B_w]^T$$

and

$$\Lambda_{yy}(z) = [I + C\Phi(z)L] \Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o\tilde{y}^o}(z) [I + C\Phi(z^{-1})L]^T$$

KF as an innovations filter

Combining two results:



$$[I + C\Phi(z)L] \Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o\tilde{y}^o}(z) [I + C\Phi(z^{-1})L]^T =$$

$$V + [C\Phi(z)B_w] W [C\Phi(z^{-1})B_w]^T$$

KF as an innovations filter

Recall what Theorem part 3) says about the a-priori output error (the innovation sequence)

$$\Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o \tilde{y}^o}(l) = E \left\{ \tilde{y}^o(k+l) \tilde{y}^{oT}(k) \right\}$$

$$= \left[C M C^T + V \right] \delta(l)$$

$\tilde{y}^o(k)$ is also white noise!! 

KF as an innovations filter

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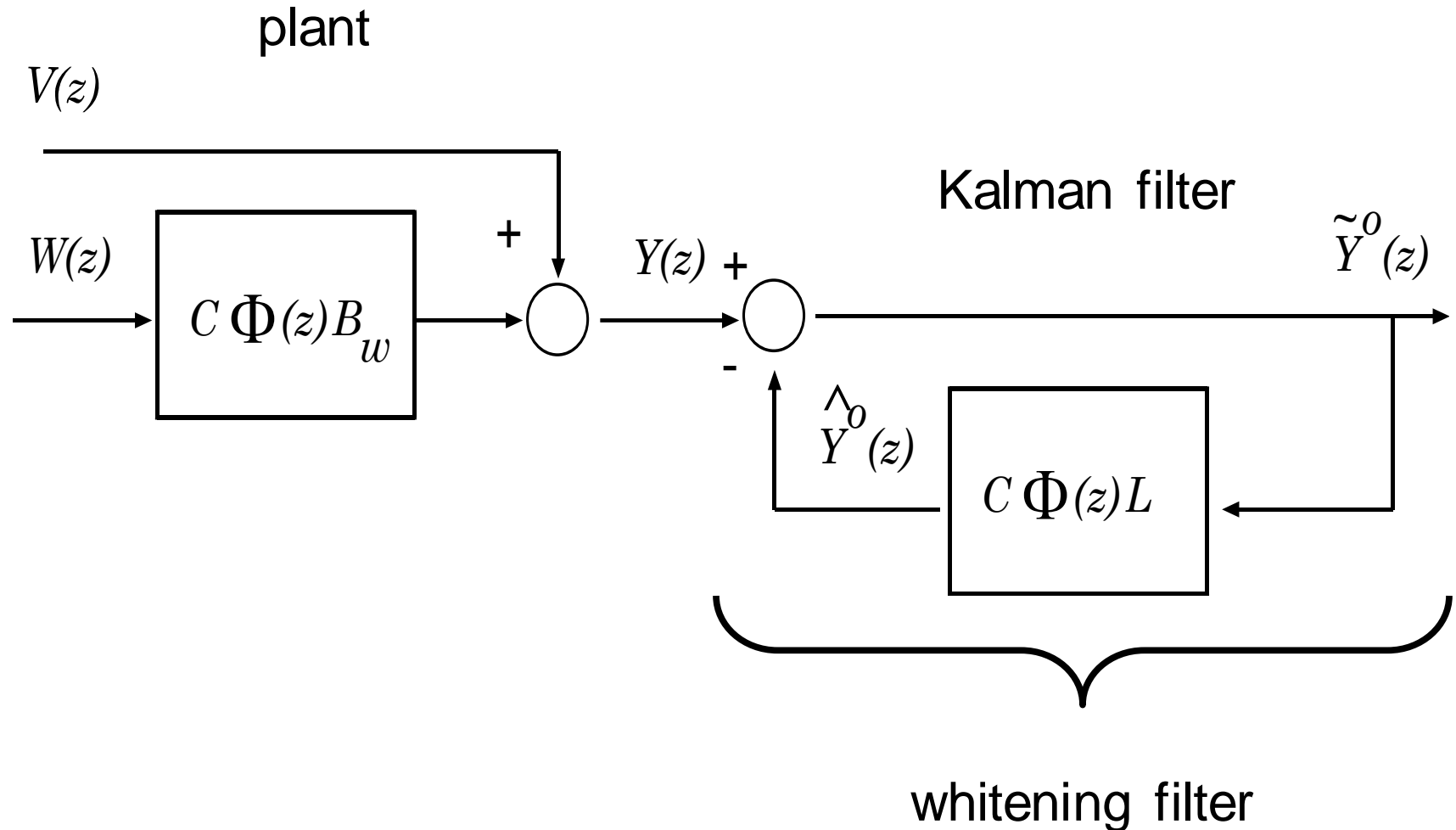
$$\Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o \tilde{y}^o}(l) = [C M C^T + V] \delta(l)$$

$$\Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o \tilde{y}^o}(z) = [C M C^T + V]$$

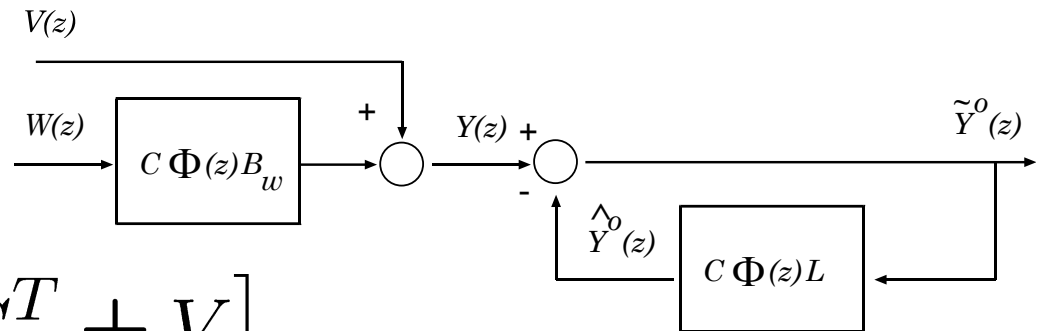
$$\Phi_{\tilde{y}^o \tilde{y}^o}(\omega) = [C M C^T + V]$$

KF as a innovations (whitening) filter

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KF as an innovations filter



$$\Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o \tilde{y}^o}(z) = [C M C^T + V]$$

therefore,

$$[I + C\Phi(z)L] \underbrace{[C M C^T + V]}_{=\Lambda_{\tilde{y}^o \tilde{y}^o}(z)} [I + C\Phi(z^{-1})L]^T =$$

$$\underbrace{V + [C\Phi(z)B_w] W [C\Phi(z^{-1})B_w]^T}_{=\Lambda_{yy}(z)}$$

KF return difference equality

$$\begin{aligned} [I + C\Phi(z)L] [C M C^T + V] [I + C\Phi(z^{-1})L]^T = \\ V + [C\Phi(z)B_w] W [C\Phi(z^{-1})B_w]^T \end{aligned}$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Recall Steady state LQR:

$$x(k+1) = Ax(k) + Bu(k)$$

$$u(k) = -Kx(k) + r(k)$$

$$J = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ x^T(k) C_Q^T C_Q x(k) + u^T(k) R u(k) \right\}$$

$$Q = C_Q^T C_Q \geq 0$$

$$R = R^T > 0$$

Note:

We need to distinguish between:

- **LQR:** state cost weight $Q = C_Q^T C_Q \geq 0$

$$J = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\{ x^T(k) C_Q^T C_Q x(k) + u^T(k) R u(k) \right\}$$

- **KF:** output matrix C

$$x(k+1) = A x(k) + B u(k) + B_w w(k)$$

$$y(k) = C x(k) + v(k)$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Infinite-horizon LQR Closed-loop dynamics:

$$x(k+1) = (A - BK)x(k) + Br(k)$$

$$K = [R + B^T P B]^{-1} B^T P A$$

$$\begin{aligned} A^T P A - P &= -C_Q^T C_Q \\ &+ A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A \end{aligned}$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Steady State KF Estimation error dynamics

$$\tilde{x}^o(k+1) = (A - LC) \tilde{x}^o(k) + B_w w(k) - Lv(k)$$

$$L = AMC^T [CMC^T + V]^{-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} AMA^T - M &= -B_w W B_w^T \\ &+ AMC^T [CMC^T + V]^{-1} CMA^T \end{aligned}$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Let's compare the DAREs:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 A^T P A - P = -C_Q^T C_Q \quad \boxed{LQR} \\
 \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\
 A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A \\
 \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\
 A M A^T - M = -B_w W B_w^T \quad \boxed{KF} \\
 \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\
 A M C^T [C M C^T + V]^{-1} C M A^T \\
 \boxed{P \Rightarrow M}
 \end{array}$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Let's compare the AREs:

$$A^T P A - P = \underbrace{-C_Q^T C_Q}_{\text{LQR}} + A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A$$

$$A M A^T - M = \underbrace{-B_w W B_w^T}_{\text{KF}} + A M C^T [C M C^T + V]^{-1} C M A^T$$

$$C_Q^T \Rightarrow B_w W^{1/2} = B_w'$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Let's compare the AREs:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & A^T P A - P = -C_Q^T C_Q \quad \boxed{LQR} \\
 & \quad \quad \quad + A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A \\
 & \downarrow \quad \quad \downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow \\
 & A M A^T - M = -B_w W B_w^T \quad \boxed{KF} \\
 & \quad \quad \quad + A M C^T [C M C^T + V]^{-1} C M A^T
 \end{aligned}$$

$$A \Rightarrow A^T$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Let's compare the AREs:

$$A^T P A - P = -C_Q^T C_Q$$

LQR

$$+ A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A$$

$$A M A^T - M = -B_w W B_w^T$$

KF

$$+ A M C^T [C M C^T + V]^{-1} C M A^T$$

$B \Rightarrow C^T$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Let's compare the AREs:

$$A^T P A - P = -C_Q^T C_Q$$

LQR

$$+ A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A$$

$$A M A^T - M = -B_w W B_w^T$$

KF

$$+ A M C^T [C M C^T + V]^{-1} C M A^T$$

$$R \Rightarrow V$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Let's compare the Feedback gains:

$$K = \left[R + B^T P B \right]^{-1} B^T P A \quad \boxed{LQR}$$

$$L^T = \left[V + C M C^T \right]^{-1} C M A^T \quad \boxed{KF}$$

$$P \Rightarrow M \quad B \Rightarrow C^T \quad A \Rightarrow A^T \quad R \Rightarrow V$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Let's compare the Feedback gains:

$$K^T = APB \left[R + B^T P B \right]^{-1} \quad \boxed{LQR}$$

$$L = AMC^T \left[V + CMC^T \right]^{-1} \quad \boxed{KF}$$

$$\boxed{K^T \Rightarrow L}$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

Comparing ARE's and feedback gains, we obtain the following duality

duality
→

LQR	KF
P	M
A	A^T
B	C^T
R	V
C_Q^T	$B'_w = B_w W^{1/2}$
K	L^T
$(A-BK)$	$(A-LC)^T$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

duality →

LQR	KF
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$$A^T P A - P + C_Q^T C_Q - A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A = 0$$

$$A M A^T - M + B'_w B_w'^T - A M C^T [C M C^T + V]^{-1} C M A^T = 0$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

duality →

LQR	KF
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$(A-BK)$	$(A-LC)^T$

$$K = [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A$$

$$L^T = [C M C^T + V]^{-1} C M A^T$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

- It is possible to use duality to prove theorems 1-4 for stationary Kalman filters from the corresponding theorems from the infinite horizon LQR
- The following slides give an outline of how to do this
- The main idea is to design an infinite horizon LQR for a fictitious system

Theorems 1-4 proof methodology

- Consider the LQR problem:

$$\bar{x}(k+1) = A^T \bar{x}(k) + C^T \bar{u}(k)$$

$$J = \bar{x}^T(N) X_0 \bar{x}(N) + \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \left\{ \bar{x}^T(k) B_w W B_w^T \bar{x}(k) + \bar{u}^T(k) V \bar{u}(k) \right\}$$

- Solution:

$$\bar{u}(k) = -[C\bar{P}(k+1)C^T + V]^{-1} C\bar{P}(k+1)A^T \bar{x}(k)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{P}(k-1) &= A\bar{P}(k)A^T + B_w W B_w^T \\ &\quad - A\bar{P}(k)C^T [C\bar{P}(k)C^T + V]^{-1} C\bar{P}(k)A^T \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{P}(N) = X_0 = M(0)$$

Theorems 1-4 proof methodology

- The solution of the Riccati equation

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{P}(k-1) &= A\bar{P}(k)A^T + B_w W B_w^T \\ &\quad - A\bar{P}(k)C^T [C\bar{P}(k)C^T + V]^{-1} C\bar{P}(k)A^T \\ \bar{P}(N) &= X_0 = M(0)\end{aligned}$$

is $\bar{P}(N-k) = M(k)$

- Use LQR convergence results for $\bar{P}(0)$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$ to yield convergence results for $\bar{M}(N)$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$

Theorems 1-4 proof methodology

- Other key ideas in proofs
 - (A^T, C^T) stabilizable iff (C, A) detectable
 - Unobservable modes of $((B_w W^{1/2})^T, A^T)$ are the uncontrollable modes of $(A, B_w W^{1/2})$
 - $A^T - C^T L^T$ is Schur iff $A - LC$ is Schur

Steady State LQR

Theorem 1):

If the pair $[A, B]$ is controllable (or stabilizable), the solution of the DRE

$$\begin{aligned}
 -P(k) = & A^T P(k+1)A + C_Q^T C_Q \\
 & - A^T P(k+1)B [B^T P(k+1)B + R]^{-1} B^T P(k+1)A \\
 & \text{with } P(N) = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

converges, as $N \rightarrow \infty$, to a constant that satisfies

$$P = A^T P A + C_Q^T C_Q - A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A$$

Steady State LQR

Theorem 2:

If the pair $[A, C_q]$ is observable (*or detectable*)

Then $[A, B]$ is controllable (*or stabilizable*) if and only if:

1) The solution of

$$\begin{aligned}
 -P(k) = & A^T P(k+1)A + C_Q^T C_Q \\
 & - A^T P(k+1)B [B^T P(k+1)B + R]^{-1} B^T P(k+1)A \\
 & \text{with } P(N) \succeq 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Converges to a **unique** stationary solution P , which satisfies

$$P = A^T P A + C_Q^T C_Q - A^T P B [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A$$

Steady State LQ



Theorem 2: (continuation)

2) P is positive definite (*semi-definite*)

3) The close loop matrix $A_c = A - BK$
is **Schur**

$$K = [B^T P B + R]^{-1} B^T P A$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

LQR		KF
P		M
A		A^T
B		C^T
R		V
C_Q^T		$B'_w = B_w W^{1/2}$
K		L^T
$(A-BK)$		$(A-LC)^T$

LQR

$[A, B]$ controllable

duality



KF



$[A^T, C^T]$ controllable



KF

$[C, A]$ observable

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

LQR		KF
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LQR

$[C_Q, A]$ observable

duality


KF

$[B'_w{}^T, A^T]$ observable

↓

KF

$[A, B'_w]$ controllable

Steady State Kalman Filter

Theorem 1:

If the pair $[A, C]$ is observable (or detectable):
the solution of

$$M(k+1) = AM(k)A^T + B_w W B_w^T - AM(k)C^T [CM(k)C^T + V]^{-1} CM(k)A^T$$

with $M(0) = 0$

Converges to a stationary solution, M , which satisfies

$$M = AMA^T + B_w W B_w^T - AMC^T [CMC^T + V]^{-1} CMA^T$$

Steady State Kalman Filter

Theorem 2:

If the pair $[A, B'_w]$ is controllable (*or stabilizable*), where

$$B'_w = B_w W^{1/2}$$

Then $[A, C]$ is observable (or detectable) if and only if:

1) The solution of

$$M(k+1) = AM(k)A^T + B_w W B_w^T - AM(k)C^T [CM(k)C^T + V]^{-1} CM(k)A^T \quad M(0) \succeq 0$$

Converges to a **unique** stationary solution M , which satisfies

$$M = AMA^T + B_w W B_w^T - AMC^T [CMC^T + V]^{-1} CMA^T$$

Steady State Kalman Filter

Theorem 2: (continuation)

2) M is positive definite (*semi-definite*)

3) The close loop matrix $A_c = A - LC$
is **Schur**

$$L = A M C^T [C M C^T + V]^{-1}$$

Steady State Kalman Filter

Theorem 3:

Under stationary noise and the conditions in theorems 1) and 2),

The observer a-priori residual (innovations)

$$\tilde{y}^o(k) = y(k) - C \hat{x}^o(k)$$

is white

$$E \left\{ \tilde{y}^o(k+l) \tilde{y}^{oT}(k) \right\} = [C M C^T + V] \delta(l)$$

KF as an innovations filter

We will assume, without loss of generality that the control input is zero, i.e.

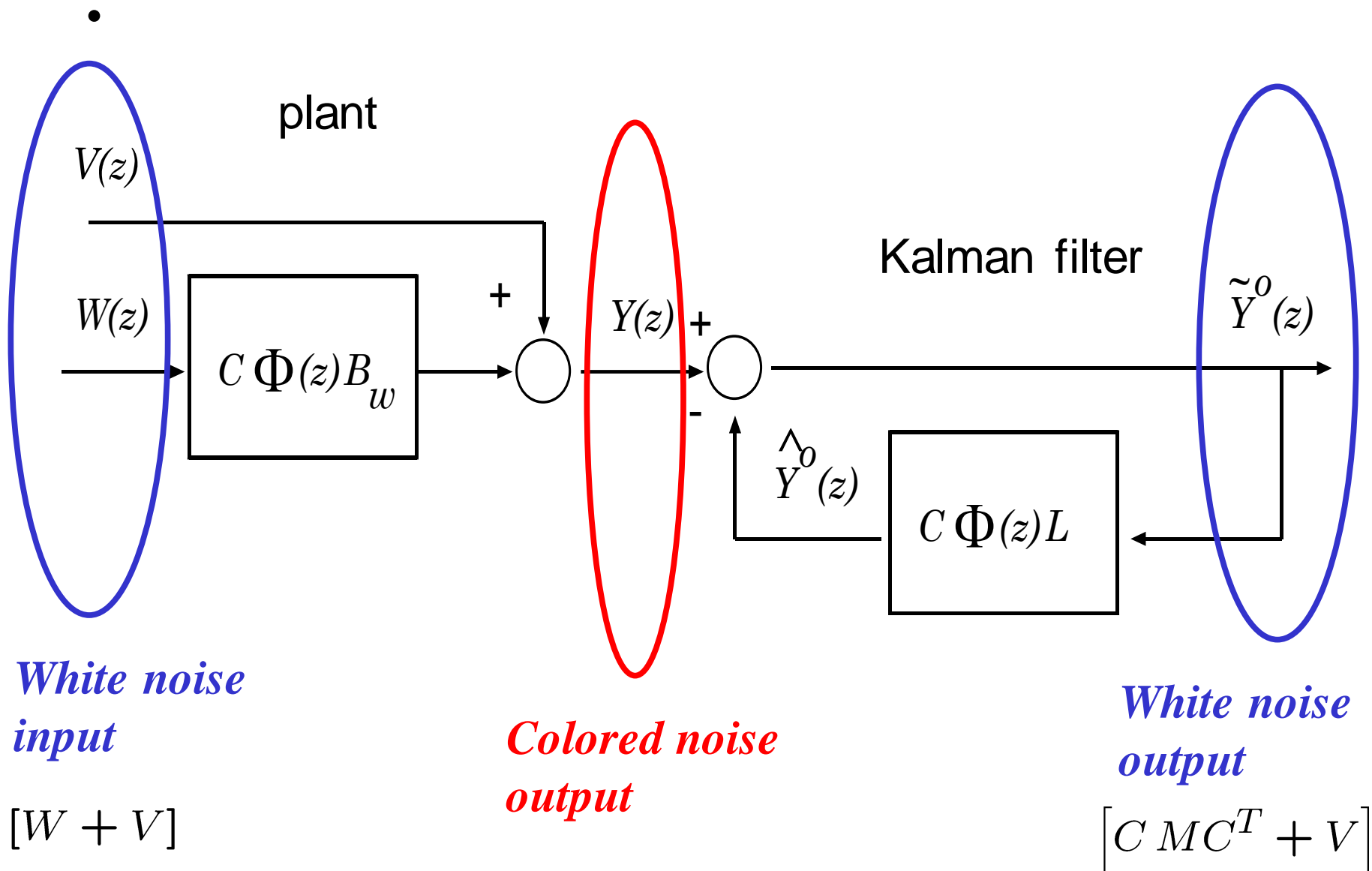
$$u(k) = 0 \quad k = 0, 1, \dots$$

•**Plant:**

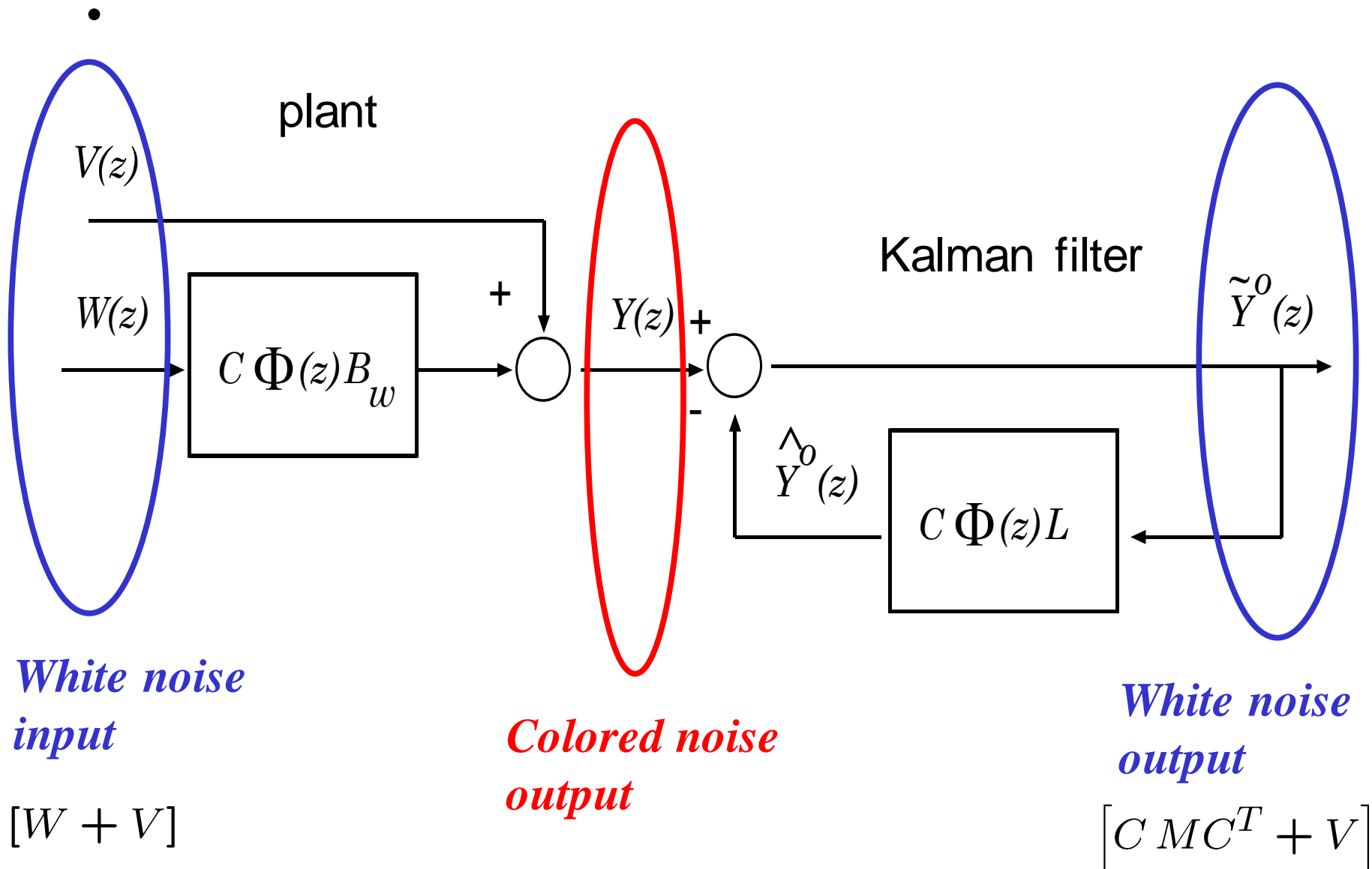
$$x(k+1) = Ax(k) + B_w w(k)$$

$$y(k) = Cx(k) + v(k)$$

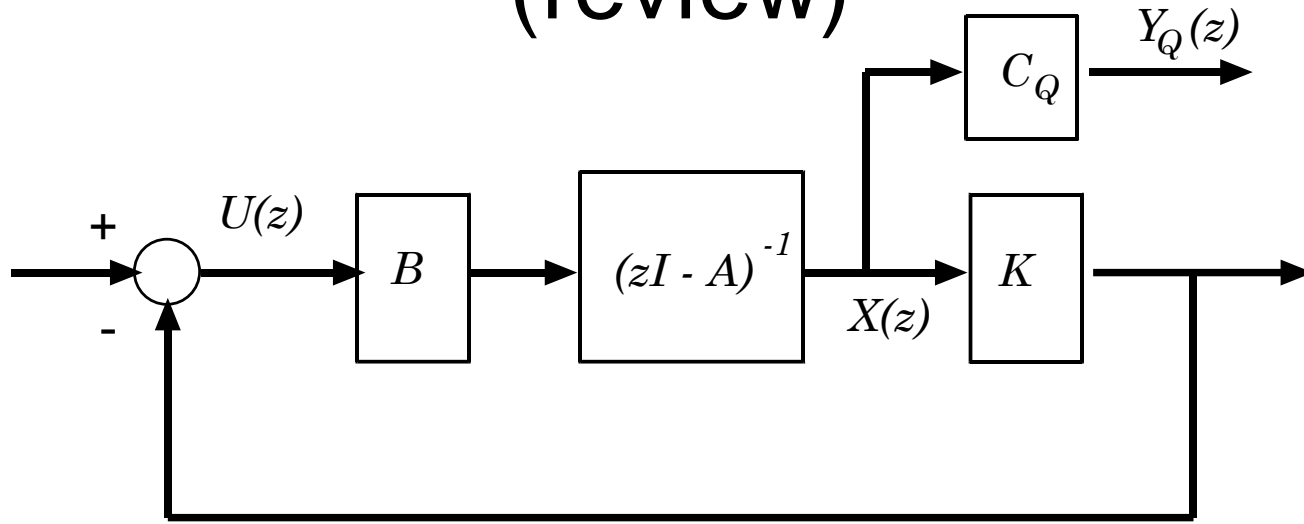
KF as an innovations (whitening) filter



KF as a innovations (whitening) filter



Return difference equality for LQR (review)



$$[I + G_o(z^{-1})]^T [R + B^T P B] [I + G_o(z)] = R + G_Q^T(z^{-1}) G_Q(z)$$

Open loop transfer function:

$$G_o(z) = K \Phi(z) B$$

TF from $U(z)$ to $Y_Q(z)$:

$$G_Q(z) = C_Q \Phi(z) B$$

Return difference equality for LQR (review)

Substituting,

$$G_o(z) = K\Phi(z)B$$

$$G_Q(z) = C_Q\Phi(z)B$$

into

$$[I + G_o(z^{-1})]^T [R + B^T P B] [I + G_o(z)] = R + G_Q^T(z^{-1}) G_Q(z)$$

We obtain,

$$\begin{aligned} [I + K\Phi(z^{-1})B]^T [B^T P B + R] [I + K\Phi(z)B] = \\ R + [C_Q\Phi(z^{-1})B]^T [C_Q\Phi(z)B] \end{aligned}$$

Kalman Filter & LQR Duality

$$[I + K\Phi(z)B]^T [B^T P B + R] [I + K\Phi(z^{-1})B] =$$

$$R + [C_Q \Phi(z)B]^T [C_Q \Phi(z^{-1})B]$$

LQR	KF
P	M
A	A^T
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LQR	KF
R	V
C_Q^T	$B'_w = B_w W^{1/2}$
K	L^T

$$[I + L^T \Phi^T(z) C^T]^T [C M C^T + V] [I + L^T \Phi^T(z^{-1}) C^T] =$$

$$V + [B_w'^T \Phi^T(z) C^T]^T [B_w'^T \Phi^T(z^{-1}) C^T]$$

KF return difference equality

From,

$$\begin{aligned} \left[I + L^T \Phi^T(z) C^T \right]^T \left[C M C^T + V \right] \left[I + L^T \Phi^T(z^{-1}) C^T \right] = \\ V + \left[B_w'^T \Phi^T(z) C^T \right]^T \left[B_w'^T \Phi^T(z^{-1}) C^T \right] \end{aligned}$$

we perform transpose operations and notice that:

$$B_w' B_w'^T = B_w W B_w^T$$

This gives the desired result:

$$\begin{aligned} \left[I + C \Phi(z) L \right] \left[C M C^T + V \right] \left[I + C \Phi(z^{-1}) L \right]^T = \\ V + \left[C \Phi(z) B_w \right] W \left[C \Phi(z^{-1}) B_w \right]^T \end{aligned}$$

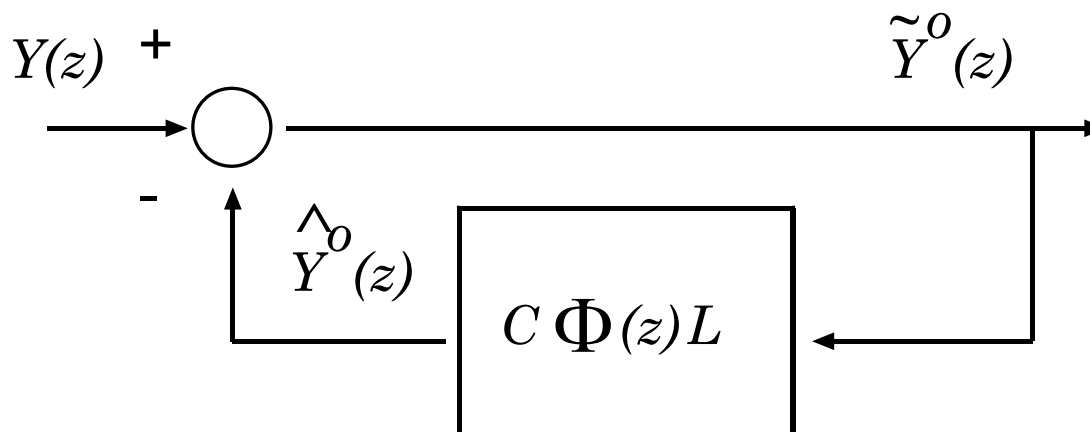
Kalman filter closed-loop eigenvalues

- A-priori KF (for $u(k) = 0$)

$$\hat{x}^o(k+1) = A \hat{x}^o(k) + L \tilde{y}^o(k)$$

$$\hat{y}^o(k) = C \hat{x}^o(k)$$

$$\tilde{y}^o(k) = y(k) - C \hat{x}^o(k)$$



Kalman filter closed-loop eigenvalues

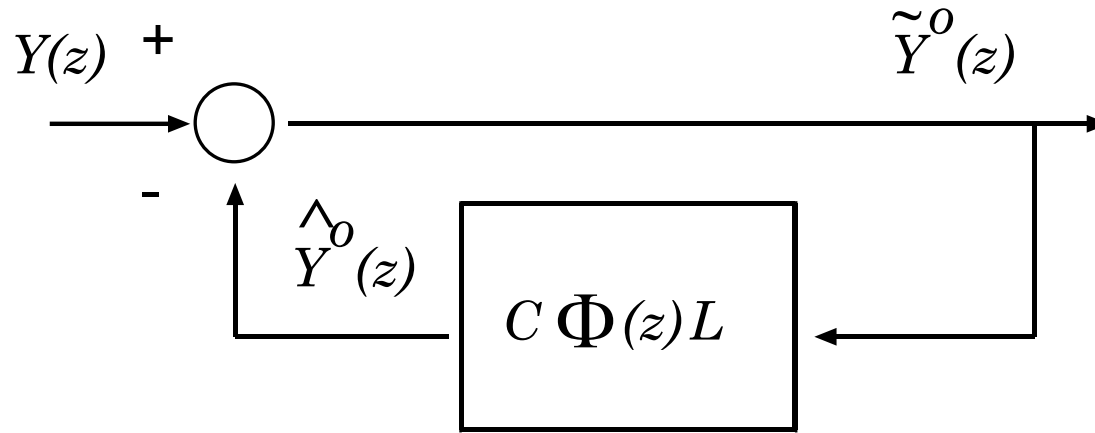
$$\hat{x}^o(k+1) = \underbrace{(A - LC)}_{A_c} \hat{x}^o(k) + L y(k)$$

- KF closed-loop eigenvalues

$$\hat{C}(z) = \det\{(zI - A_c)\} = 0$$

$$= \det\{(zI - A + LC)\} = 0$$

Kalman filter return difference



$$\tilde{Y}^o(z) = [I + C\Phi(z)L]^{-1} Y(z)$$

Return difference: $[I + C\Phi(z)L]$

Kalman filter return difference

- Similar to the LQR case, we have that

$$\det\{[I + C\Phi(z)L]\} = \frac{\hat{C}(z)}{\hat{A}(z)}$$

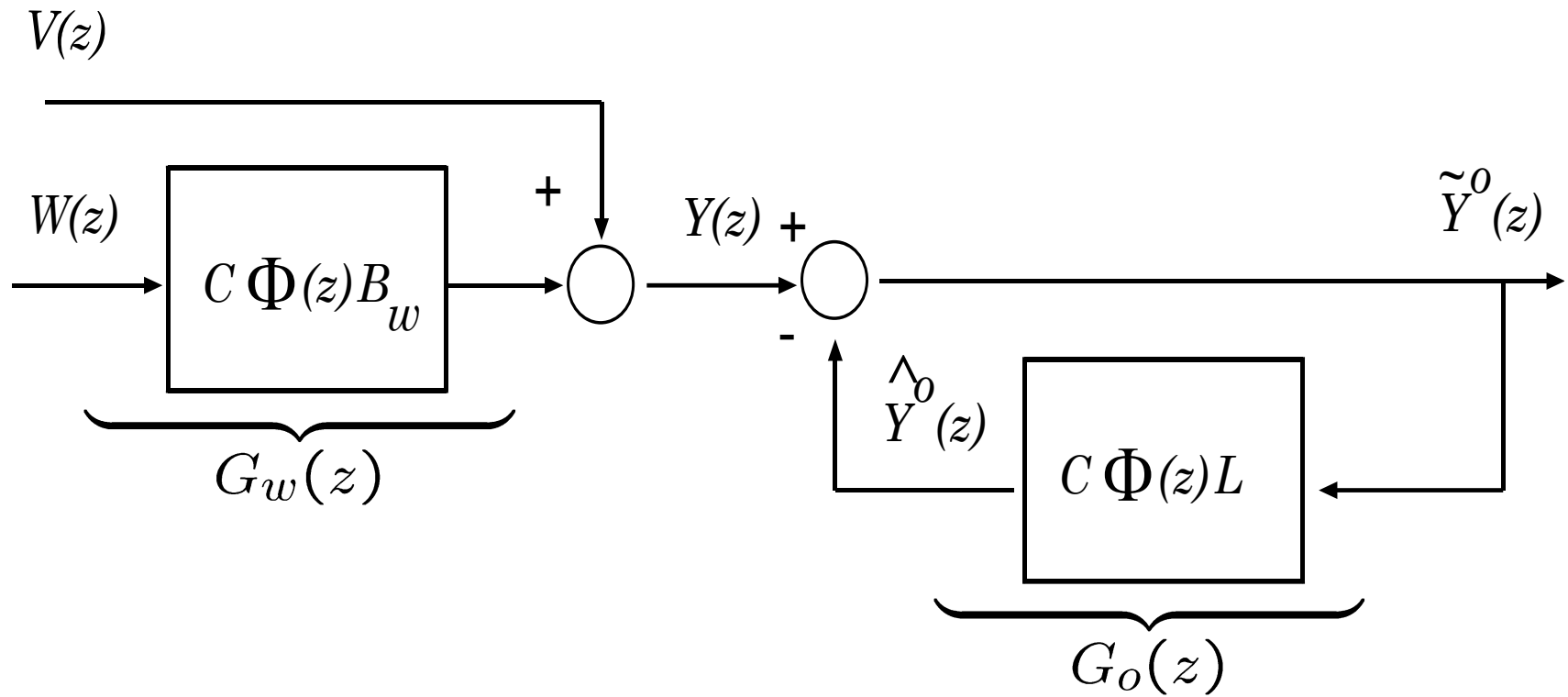
- KF closed-loop eigenvalues

$$\hat{C}(z) = \det\{(zI - A + LC)\} = 0$$

- KF open-loop eigenvalues

$$\hat{A}(z) = \det\{(zI - A)\} = 0$$

KF return difference equality

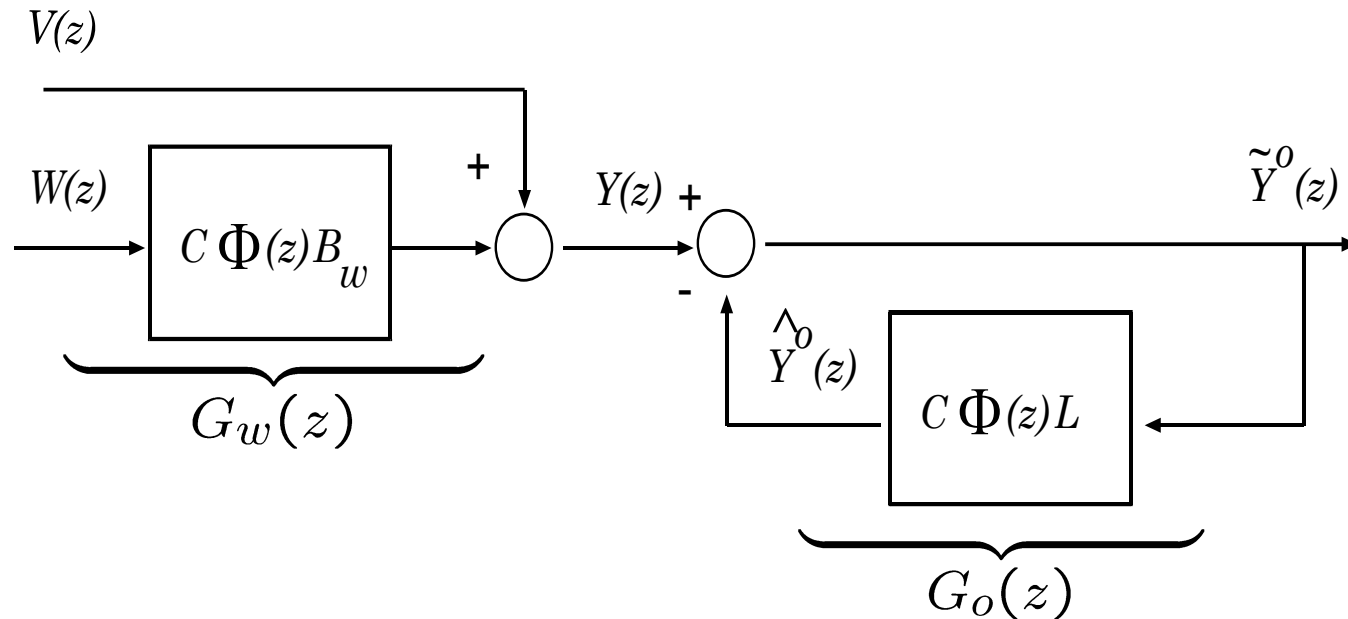


$$[I + G_o(z)] [C M C^T + V] [I + G_o(z^{-1})]^T =$$

$$V + G_w(z) W G_w^T(z^{-1})$$

KF return difference equality (SISO)

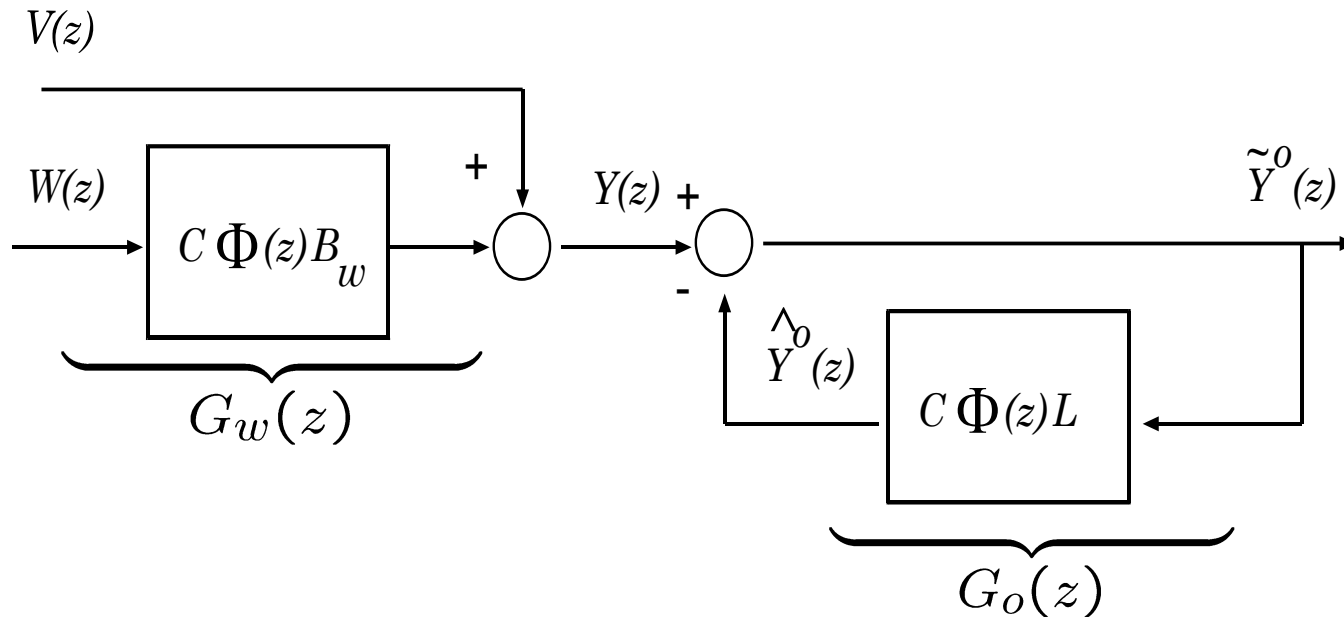
Assume that both, $w(k) \in \mathcal{R}$ and $y(k), v(k) \in \mathcal{R}$



$$[1 + G_o(z)][1 + G_o(z^{-1})] = \gamma \left[1 + \frac{W}{V} G_w(z) G_w(z^{-1})\right]$$

$$\gamma = \frac{V}{V + C M C^T}$$

KF root locus for SISO Systems



$$[1 + G_o(z)] = [1 + C\Phi(z)L] = \frac{\hat{C}(z)}{\hat{A}(z)} \begin{array}{l} \leftarrow \text{c.l. poles} \\ \leftarrow \text{o.l. poles} \end{array}$$

$$G_w(z) = C\Phi(z)B_w = \frac{\hat{B}_w(z)}{\hat{A}(z)} \begin{array}{l} \leftarrow \text{o.l. zeros} \\ \leftarrow \text{o.l. poles} \end{array}$$

KF root locus for SISO Systems

$$\frac{\hat{C}(z^{-1})\hat{C}(z)}{\hat{A}(z^{-1})\hat{A}(z)} = \gamma \left[1 + \rho \frac{\hat{B}_w(z^{-1})\hat{B}_w(z)}{\hat{A}(z^{-1})\hat{A}(z)} \right]$$

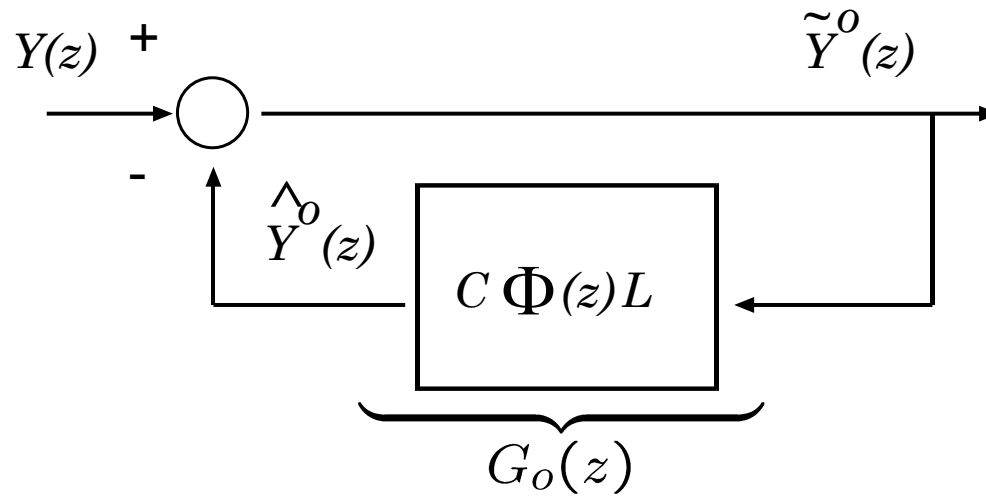
$$\rho = \frac{W}{V} \geq 0$$

input noise intensity

measurement noise intensity

$$\gamma = \frac{V}{V + C M C^T} > 0, \quad \text{for } V \in (0, \infty)$$

KF Loop phase margins (SISO)

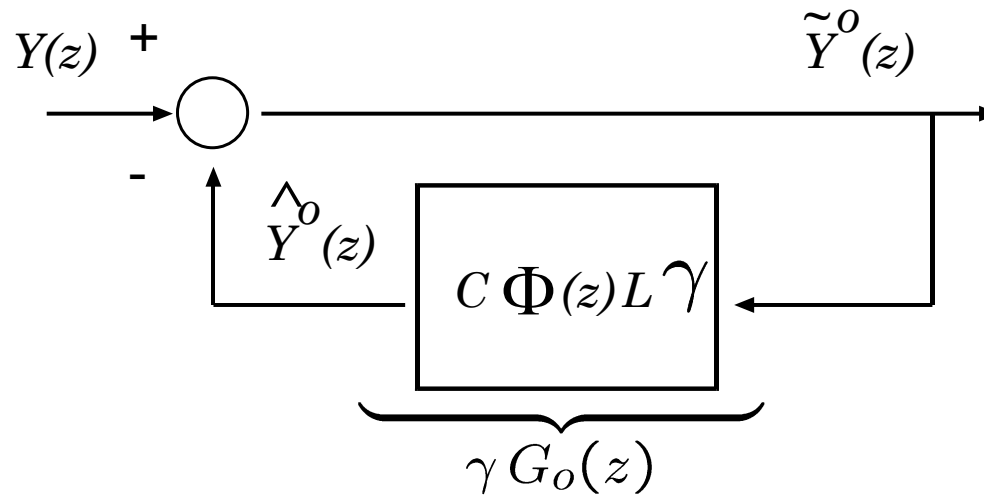


Utilizing LQR-KF duality, $|1 + G_0(e^{j\omega})| \geq \sqrt{\frac{V}{V + CMCT}}$

Therefore, a lower bound to the phase margin of $G_0(e^{j\omega})$ is:

$$PM \geq 2 \sin^{-1} \left\{ 0.5 \sqrt{\frac{V}{V + CMCT}} \right\}$$

KF Loop gain margins (SISO)



Estimator was designed for $\gamma = 1$

Estimator is **guaranteed** to remain asymptotically stable for

$$\frac{1}{1 + \sqrt{V/(V + CMC^T)}} < \gamma < \frac{1}{1 - \sqrt{V/(V + CMC^T)}}$$

Summary

- Stationary Kalman filters (KF):
 - KF algebraic Riccati equation
 - Convergence properties
- Kalman filter / LQR duality
- KF return difference equality
 - Reciprocal root locus
 - Guaranteed robustness margins