

# Simultaneous dynamical tracking and removal of multiple violin modes

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# Background & Motivation

- Violin modes are narrowband noise in the output of a detector that arise due to excitation of mirror suspension wires.
- Gravitational waves incident on an interferometer change the distance between the mirrors without disturbing the mirror suspensions.
- Study of dynamics of the violin modes can thus be used as a diagnostic to separate the mechanical disturbances from gravitational waves.
- Instrumental artifacts can be removed from the data to leave a cleaner residual for subsequent search for signals of astrophysical interest.
- Strip chart operator display helps track each mode for correlations and sudden nonstationarities.
- Instantaneous mode temperature estimation can be done.

# Dynamical model

A viscously damped simple harmonic oscillator driven by white noise.

$$\ddot{x}_0 + (\omega_0 / Q) \dot{x}_0 + \omega_0^2 x_0 = F$$

Measurement equation :

$$y(t) = H x(t) + V(t)$$

Problem :

Given  $y(t)$ , estimate  $x(t)$  .

# Method

A Kalman filter estimates the state of a dynamical system driven by a random force.

State equation :

$$X_{k+1} = A_k X_k + W_k$$

Measurement equation :

$$Y_k = H_k X_k + V_k$$

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$$\hat{X}_{k|k-1} \longrightarrow \hat{Y}_k$$

$$Y_k - \hat{Y}_k = \epsilon_k$$

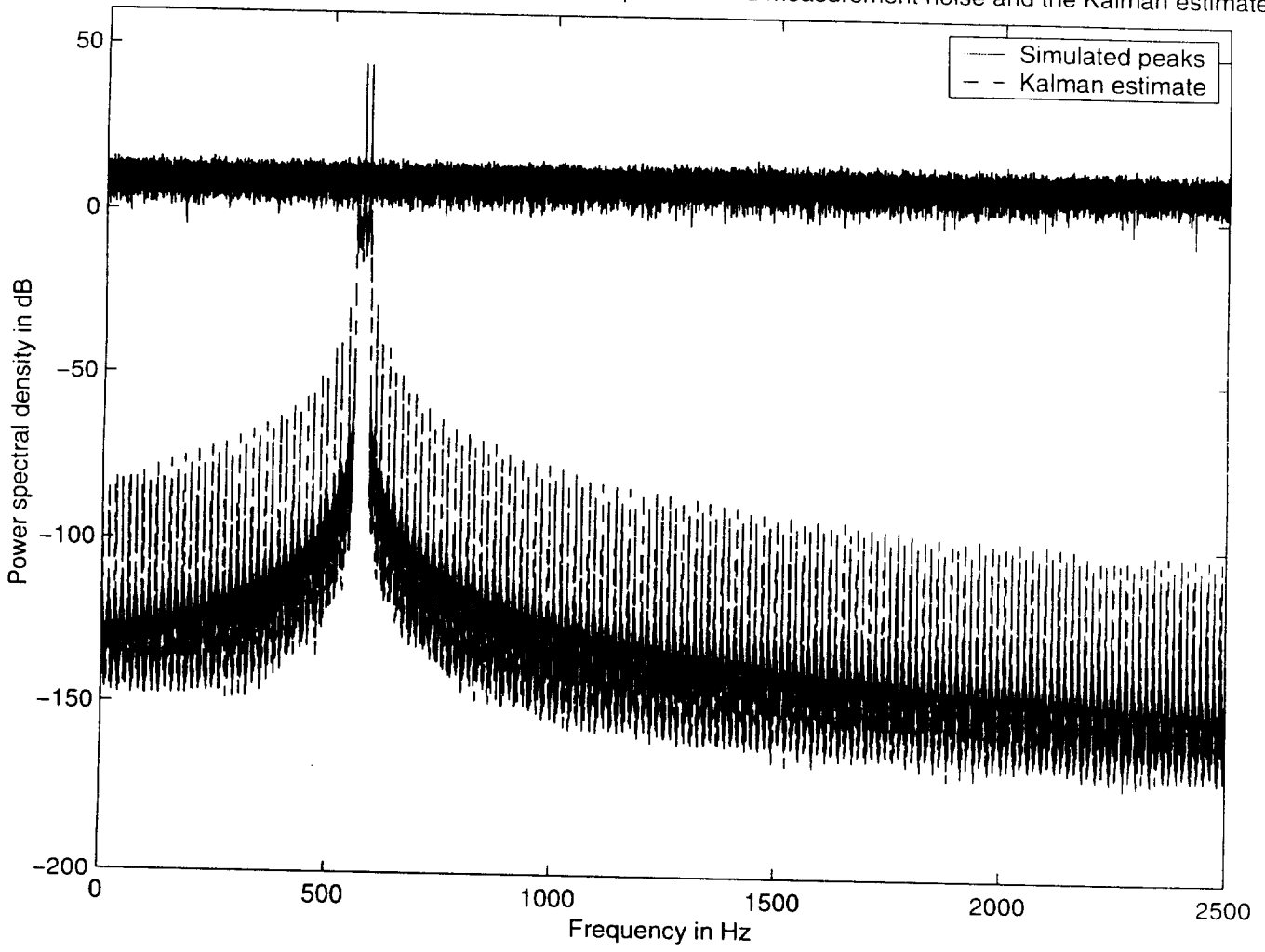
$$G_k \epsilon_k + \hat{X}_{k|k-1} \longrightarrow \hat{X}_k$$

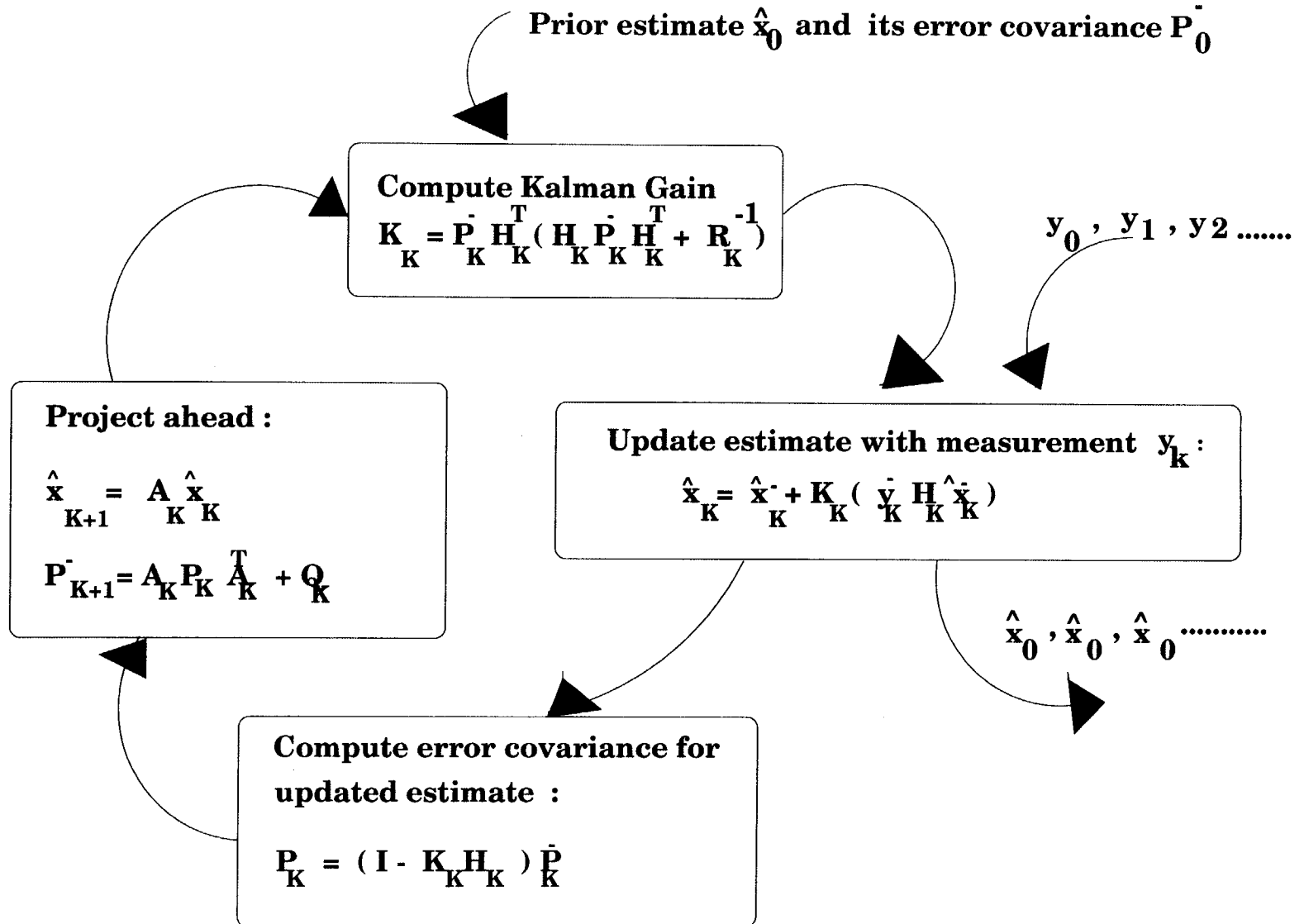
$$\hat{X}_{k+1|k} = A_k \hat{X}_k \dots\dots\dots$$

Minimum mean square estimation  
(MMSE).

Kalman, R. E. 1960 Trans. ASME, J Basic  
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Simulated thermal peaks with mixture Gaussian process and measurement noise and the Kalman estimate





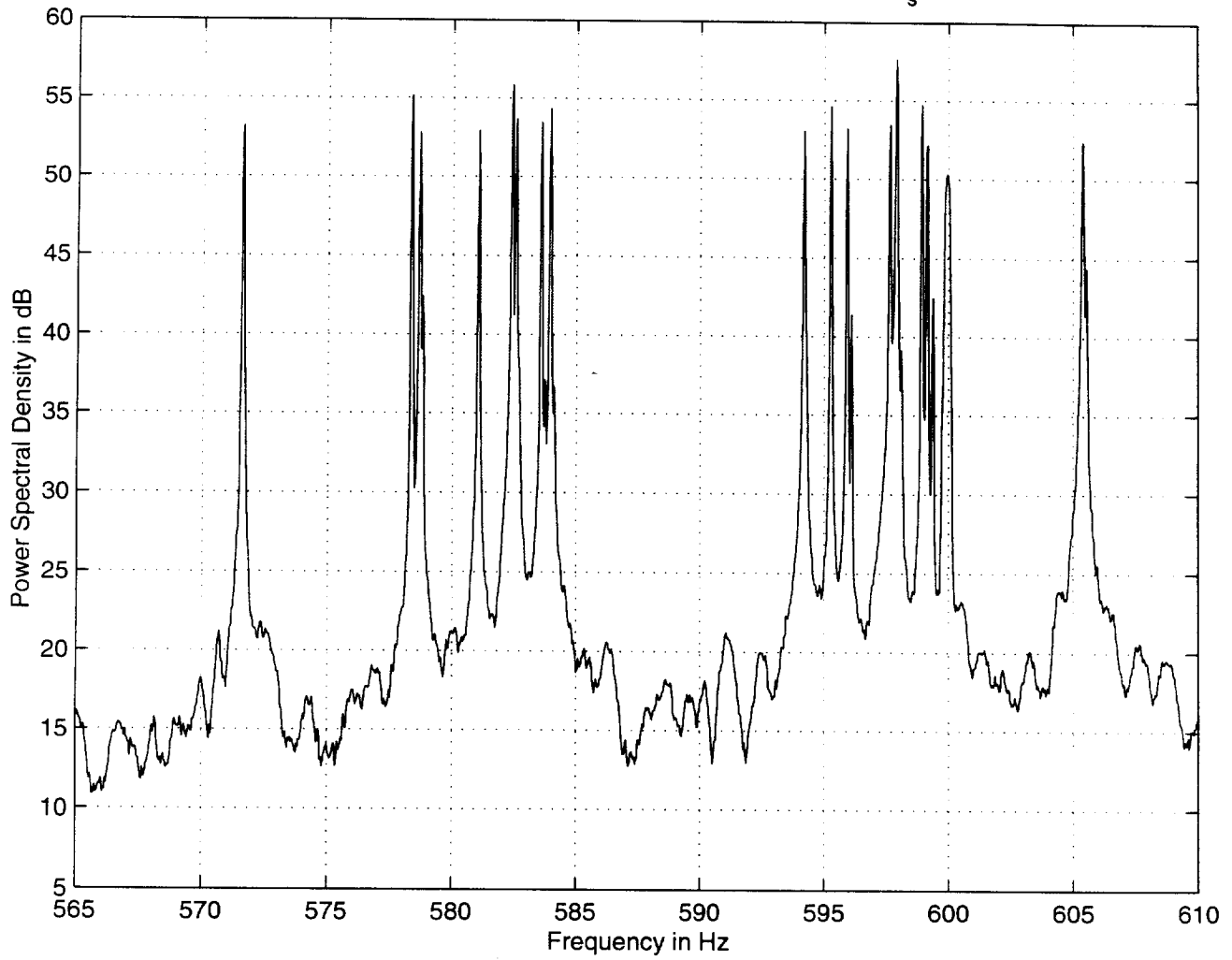
# Data

- ◆ Caltech 40 meter data : 19 November , 1994 run.
  - ◆ Sampling frequency : 9868.421 Hz
  - ◆ IFO output from a 12 bit AD converter : -2047 -- 2048
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- ◆ Fundamental violin modes lie between 571.6 Hz and 605.425 Hz.
- ◆ More lines than the expected number.
- ◆ Higher frequency counterparts.

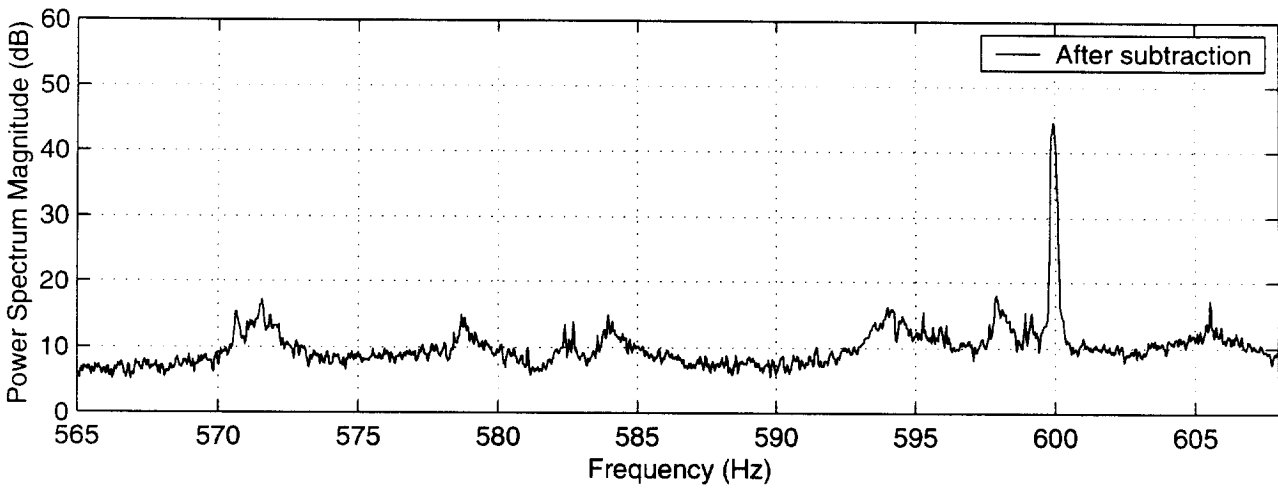
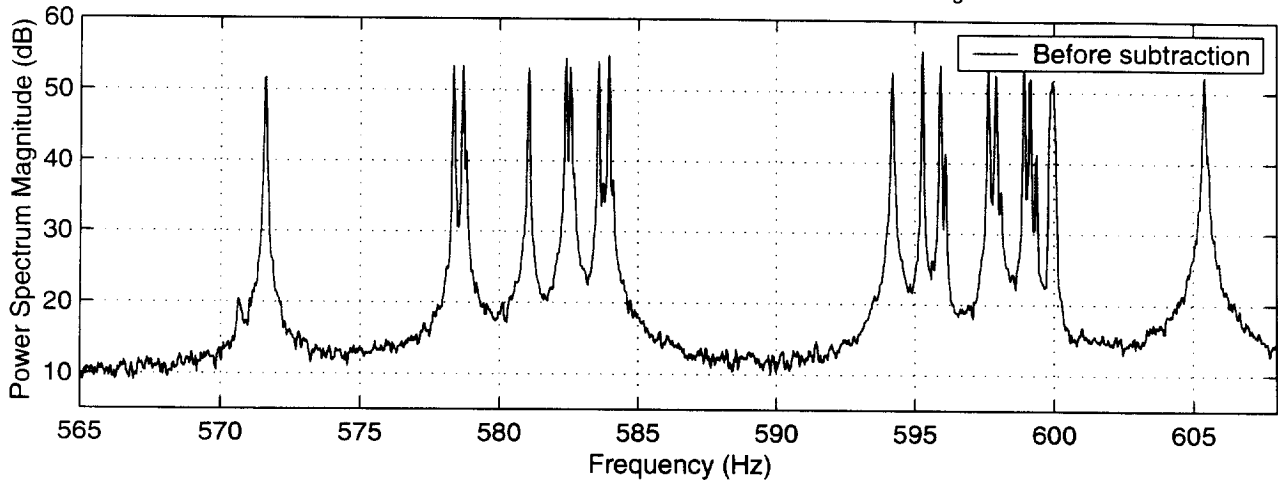


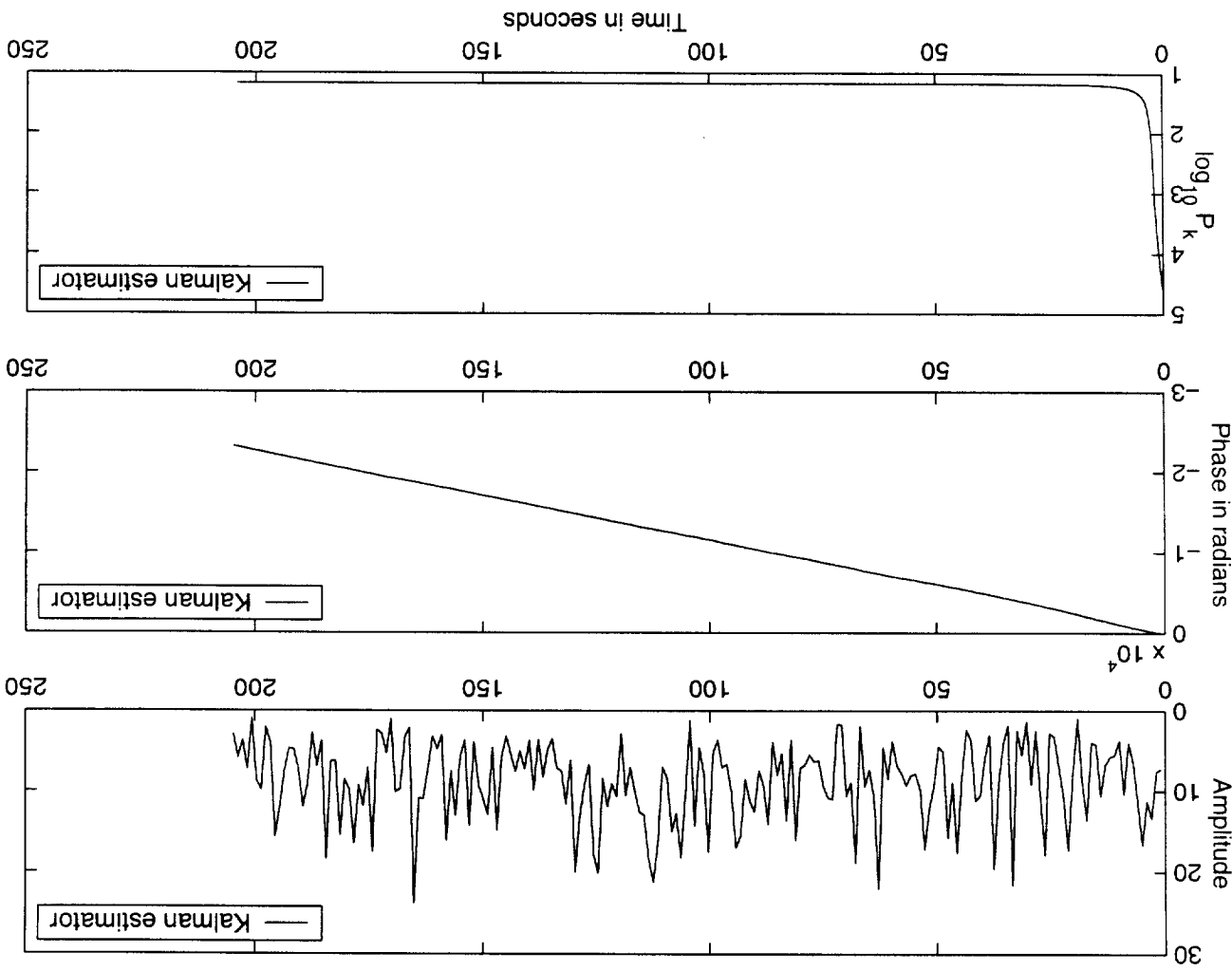
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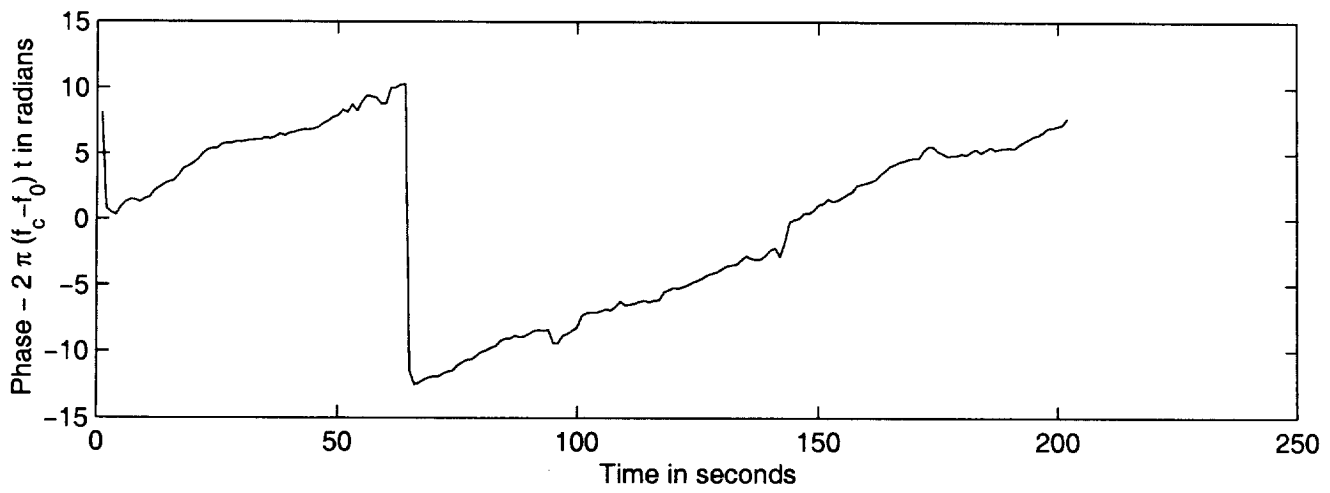
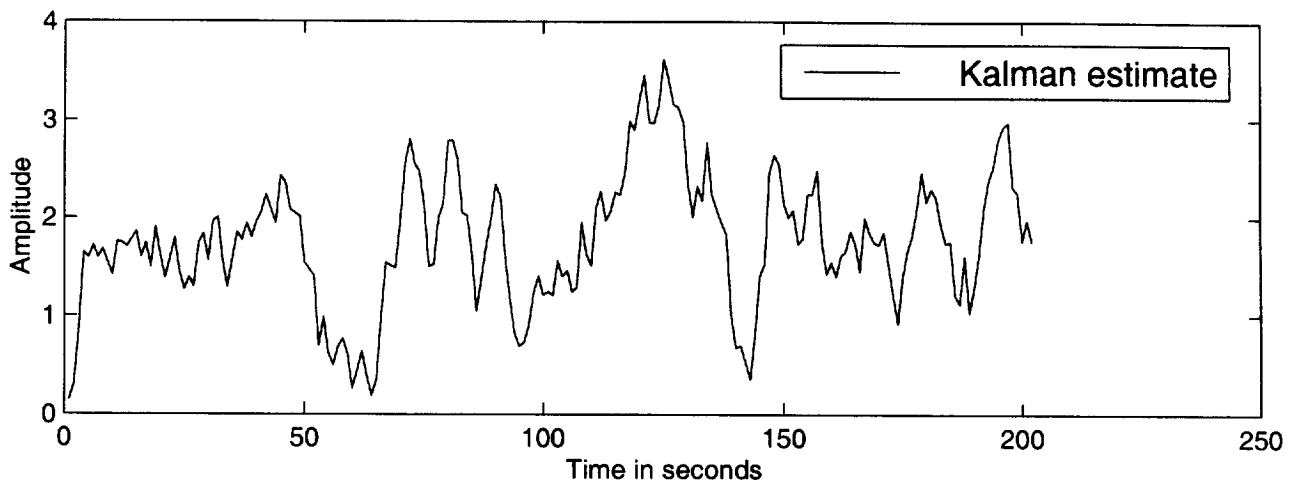


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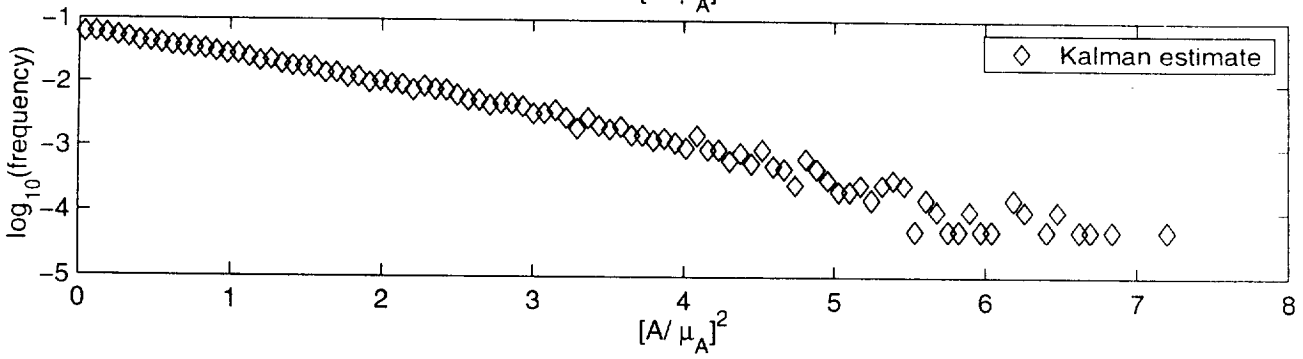
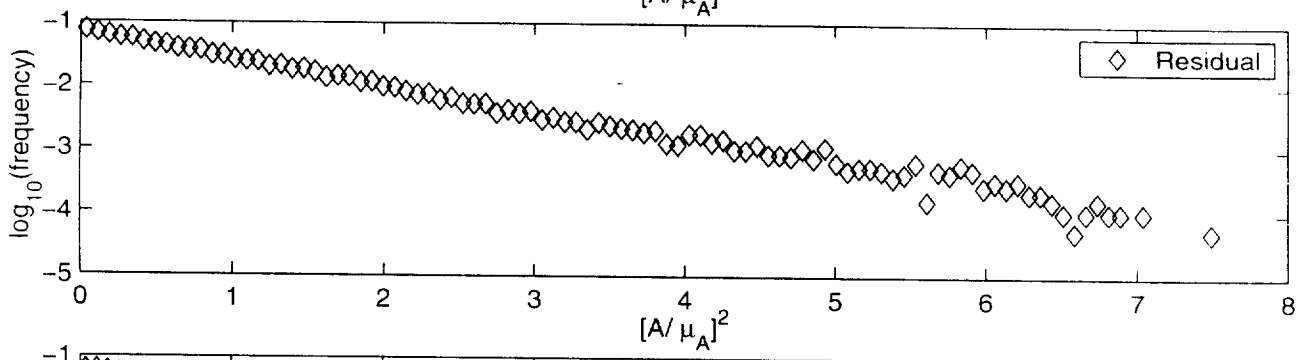
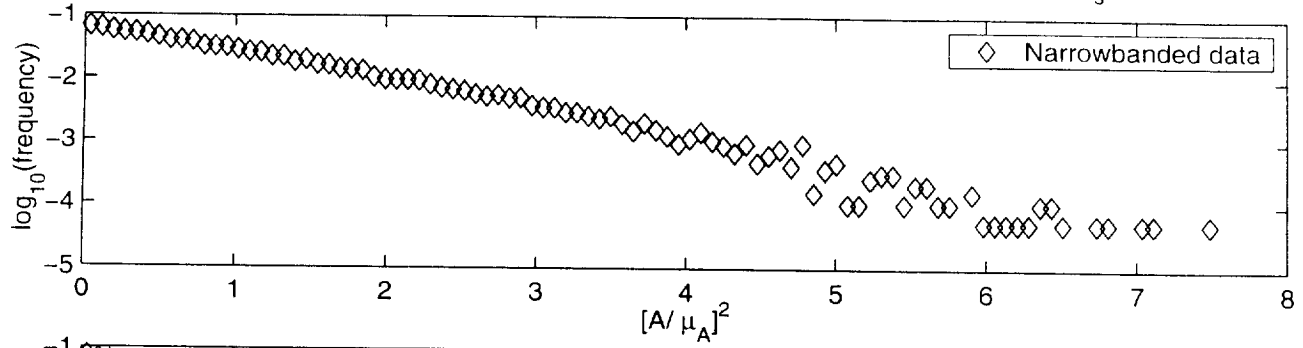
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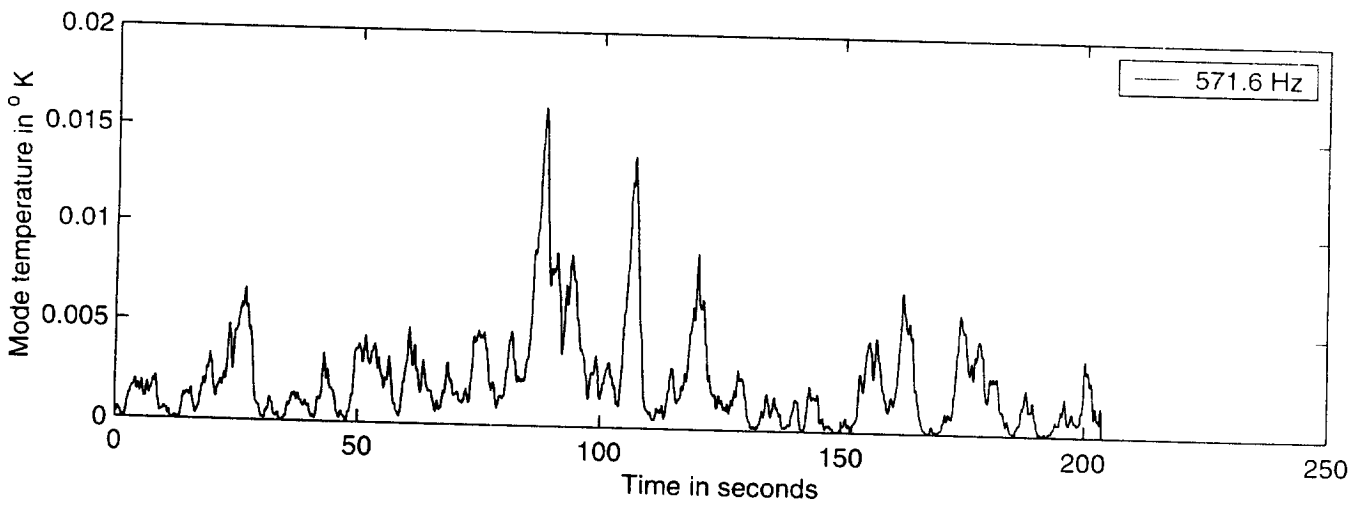
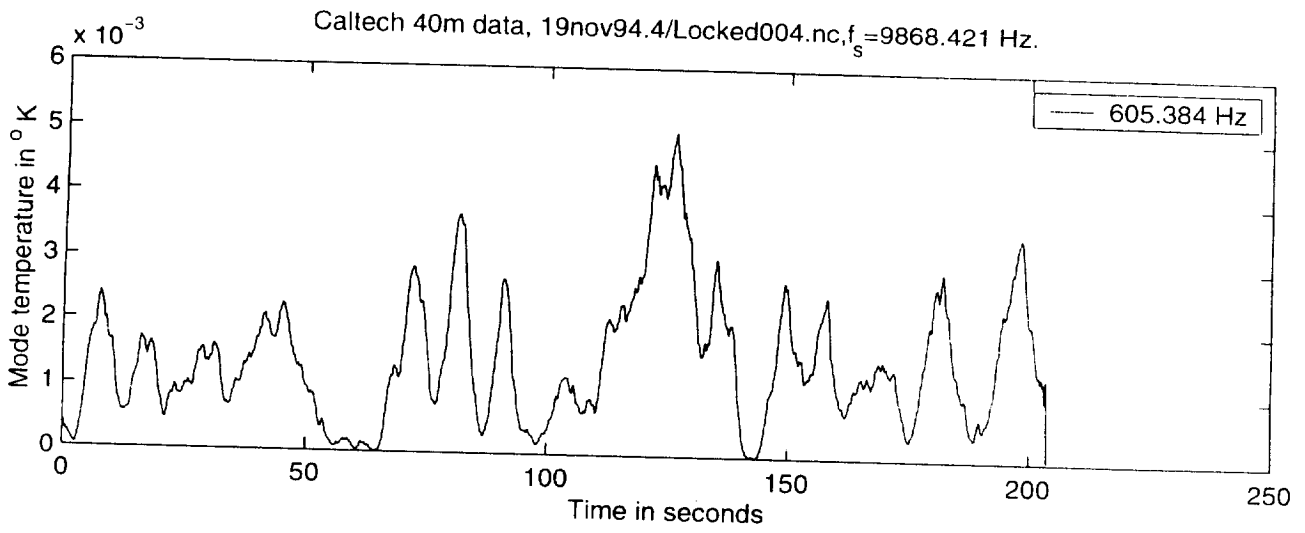


Kalman estimator and residual statistics, 19nov94.4/Locked004.nc,20.43 minutes ,  $f_s=9868.421$  Hz.



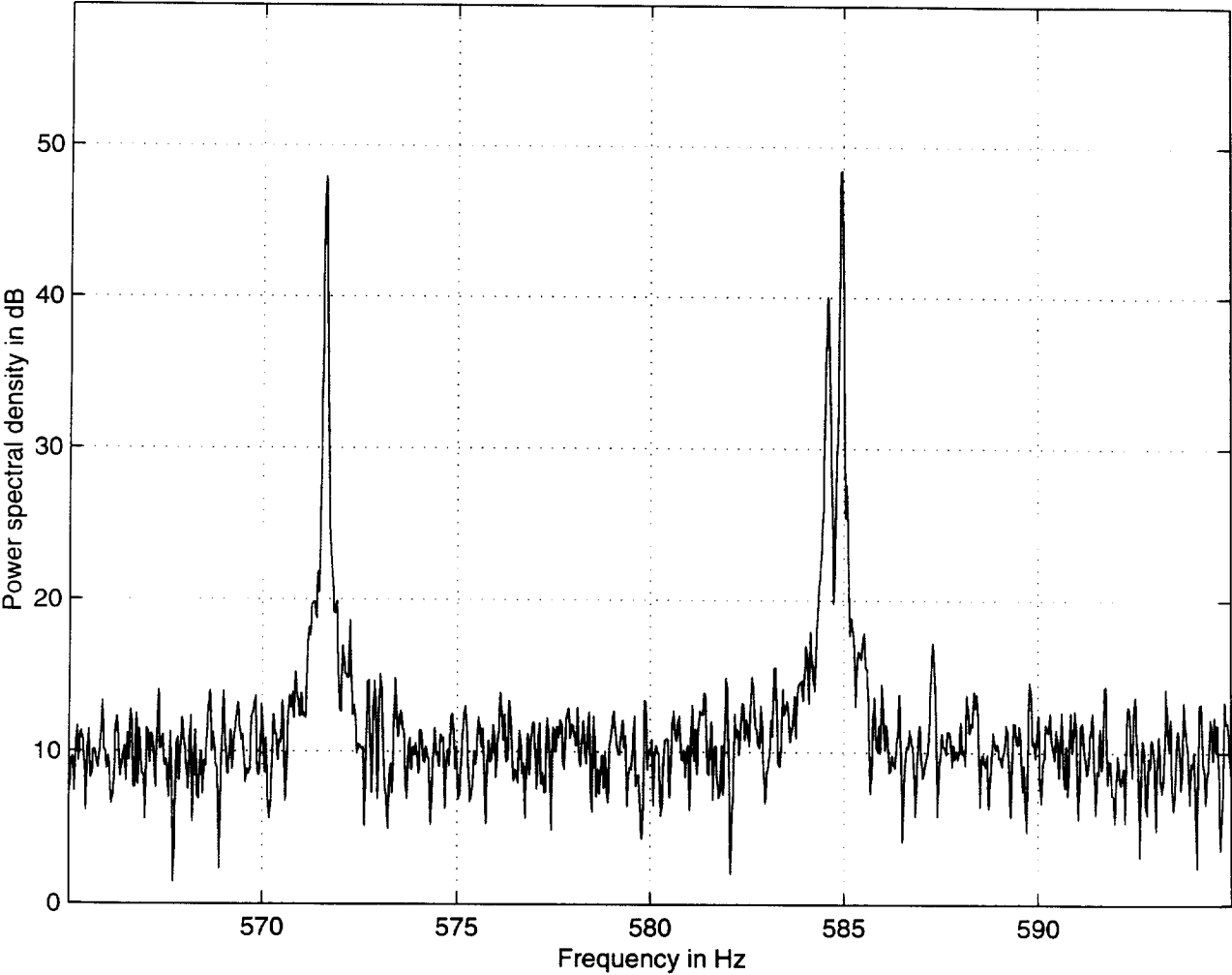
**Mode temperature estimation :**

$$\int S_X(f)df = \frac{K_B T f_0^2}{MQ\pi^2} \\ \times \pi \sin \left( \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2Q^2} - 1 \right) \right) \\ \times \operatorname{cosec} \left( \frac{1}{2Q^2} - 1 \right) \times \operatorname{cosec} \frac{\pi}{2}$$

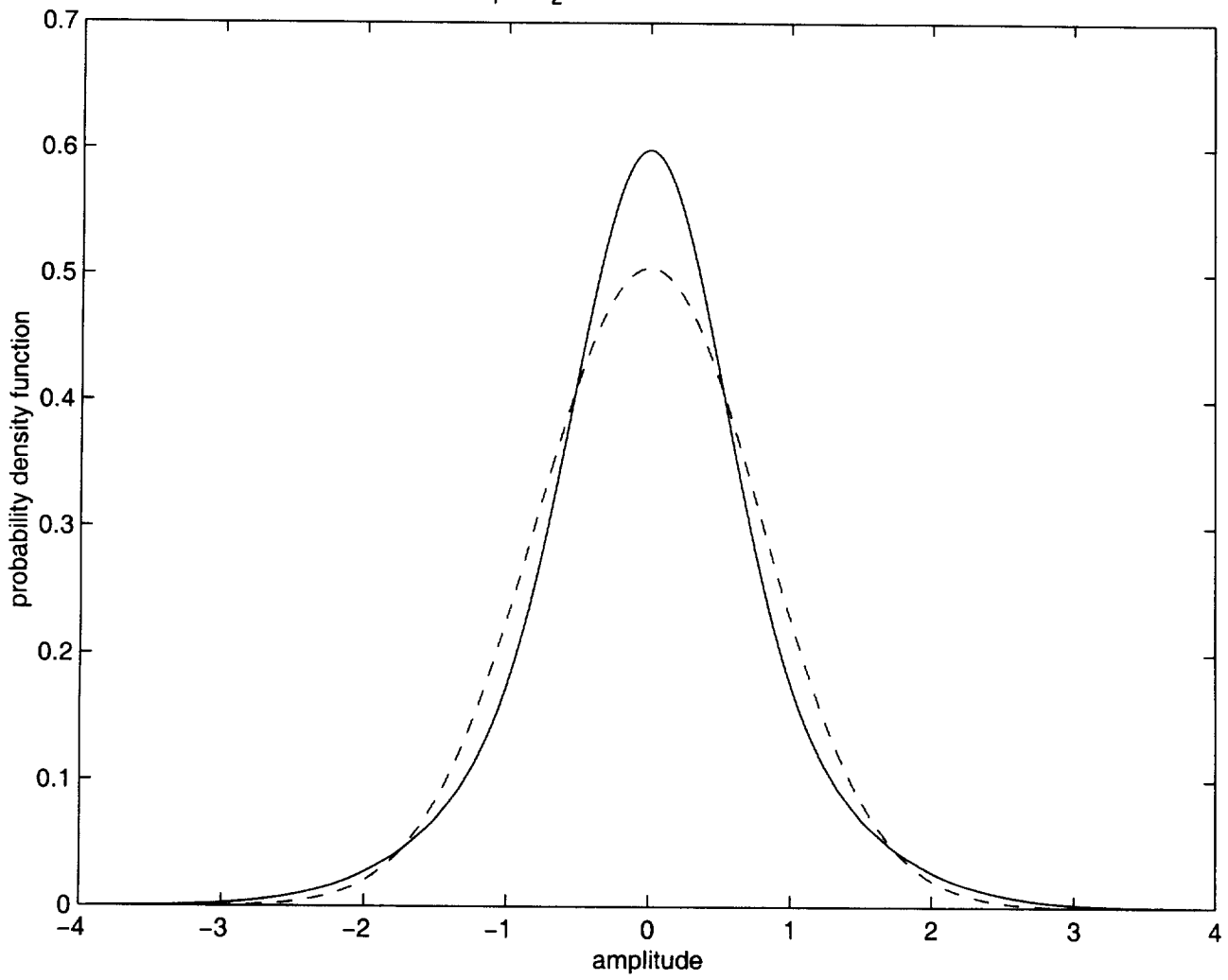


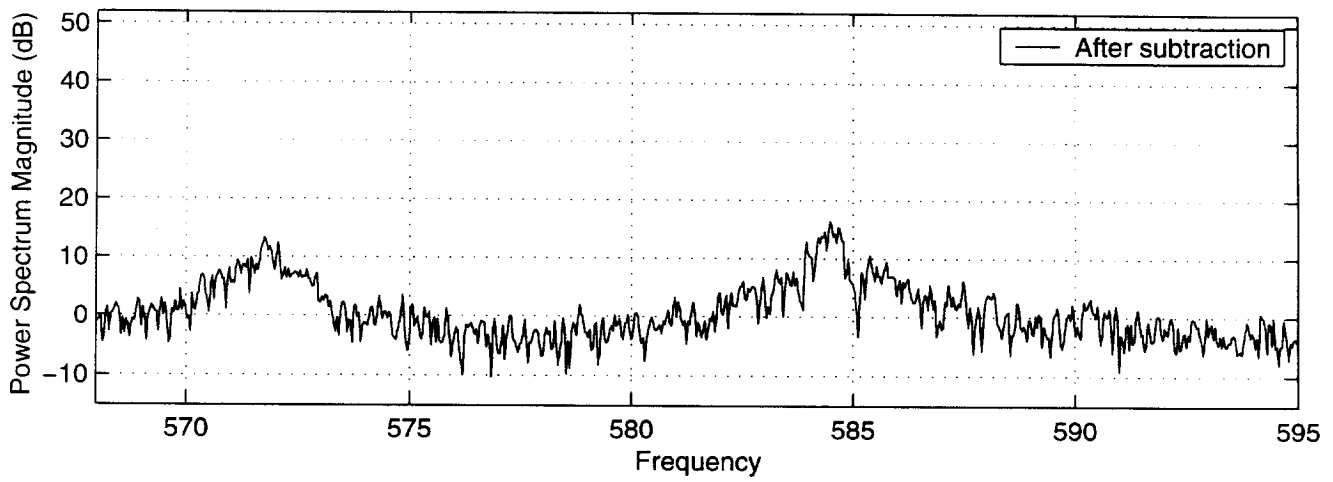
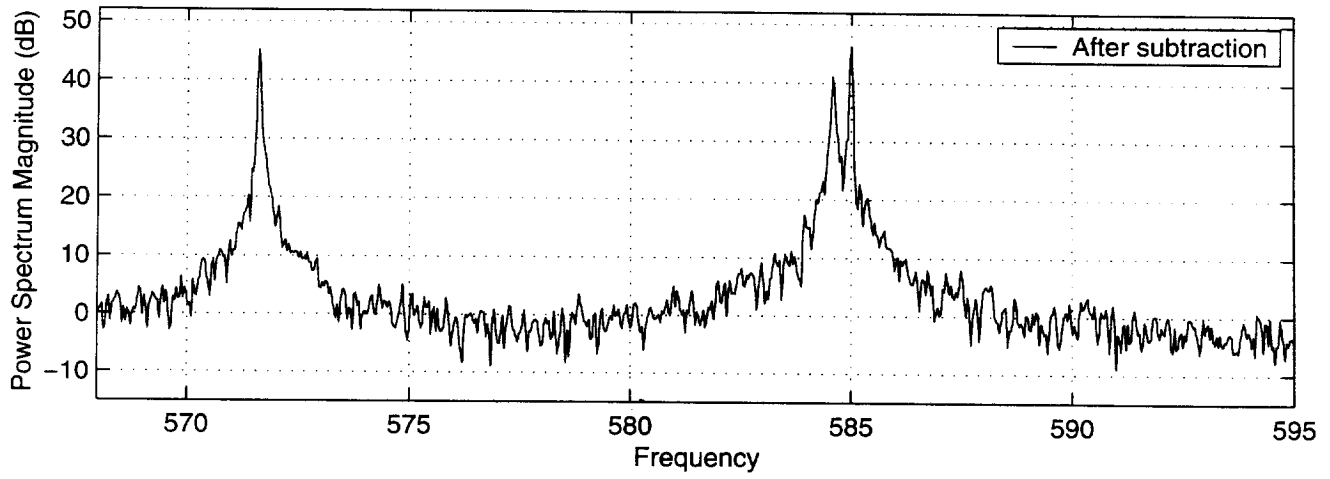


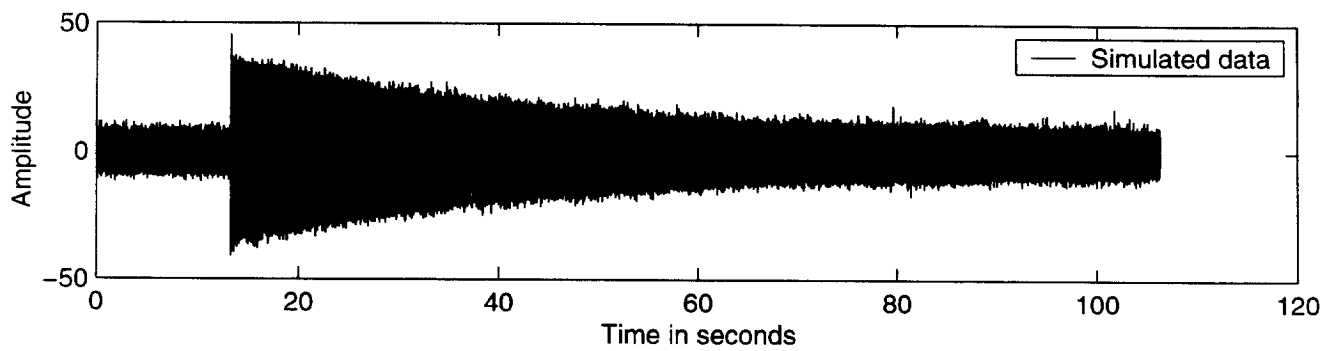
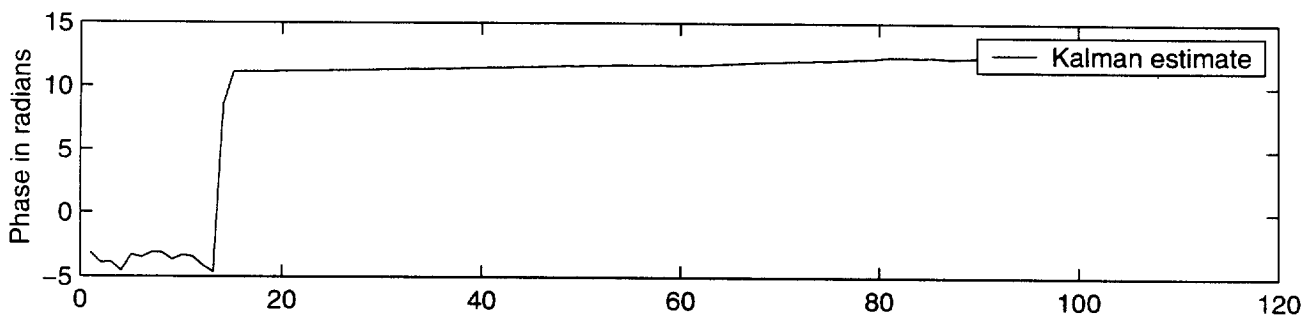
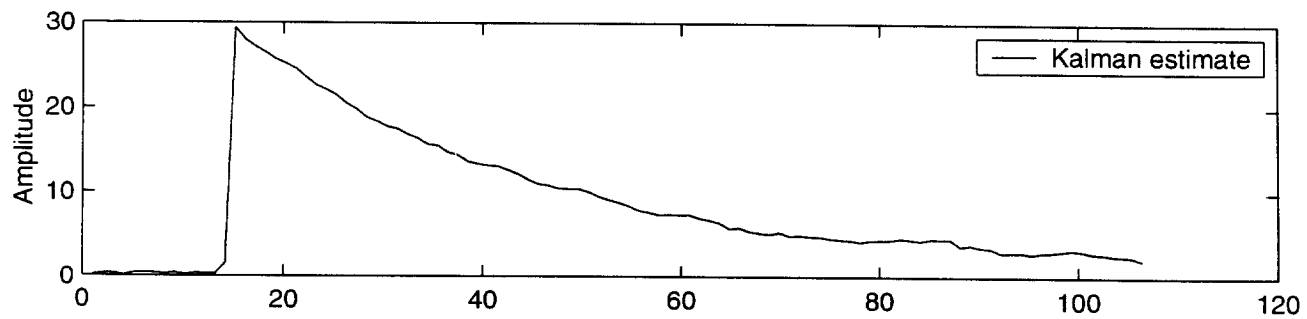
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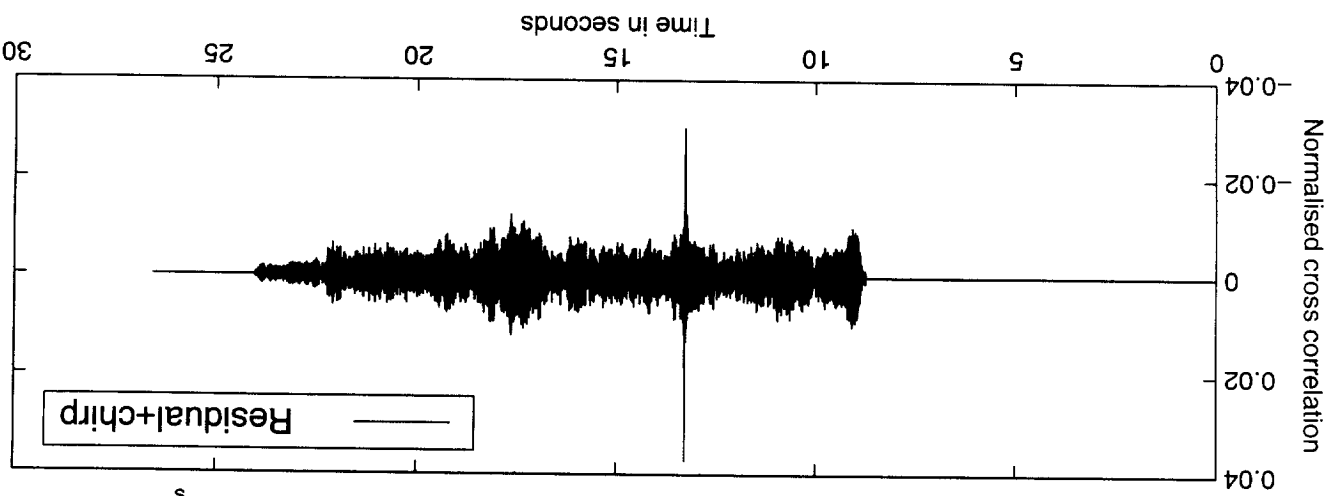
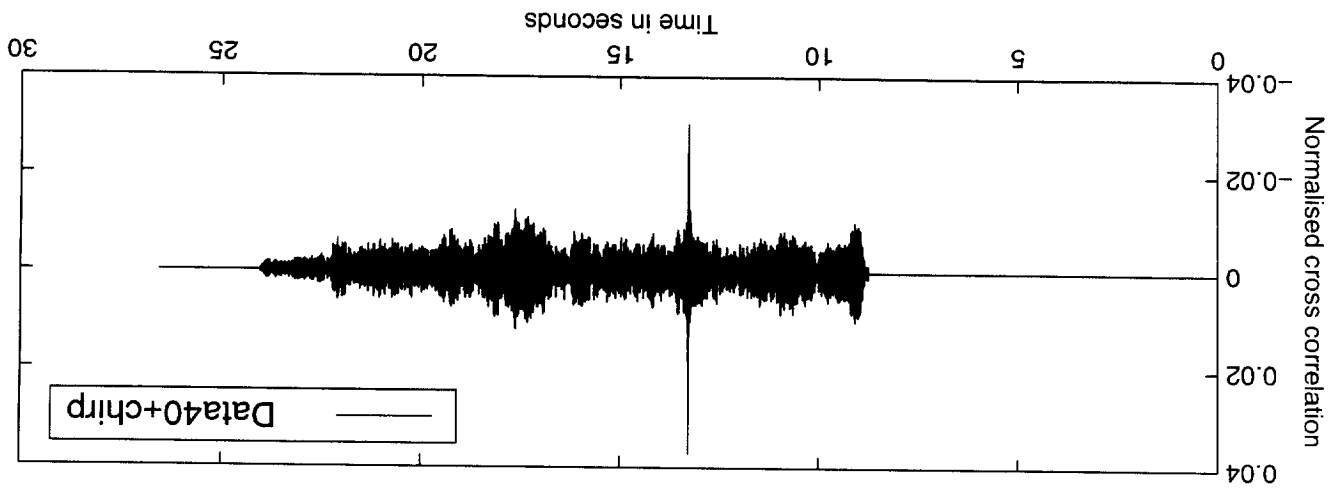


solid:mixture Gaussian  $\alpha=.5, \sigma_1=1, \sigma_2=.5$ ; dashed: Gaussian with same mean and variance









40m data, Kalman Estimator : 19Nov94.4, Locked001.nc,samples(3000001:3262145), $f_s=9868.421$  Hz

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