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# **PyDynamic Documentation**

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PyDynamic is a Python software package developed jointly by mathematicians from [Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt](#) (Germany) and [National Physical Laboratory](#) (UK) as part of the joint European Research Project [EMPIR 14SIP08 Dynamic](#)<sup>1</sup>.

For the PyDynamic homepage go to [GitHub](#)<sup>2</sup>.

*PyDynamic* is written in Python 3 and strives to run with all [Python versions with upstream support](#)<sup>3</sup>. Currently it is tested to work with Python 3.6 to 3.9.

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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.euramet.org/research-innovation/search-research-projects/details/project/standards-and-software-to-maximise-end-user-uptake-of-nmi-calibrations-of>

<sup>2</sup> <https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic>

<sup>3</sup> <https://devguide.python.org/#status-of-python-branches>



## INSTALLATION

There is a *quick way* to get started but we advise to setup a virtual environment and guide through the process in the section *Proper Python setup with virtual environment*

### 1.1 Quick setup (not recommended)

If you just want to use the software, the easiest way is to run from your system's command line

```
pip install --user PyDynamic
```

This will download the latest version from the Python package repository and copy it into your local folder of third-party libraries. Note that PyDynamic runs with **Python versions 3.6 to 3.9**. Usage in any Python environment on your computer is then possible by

```
import PyDynamic
```

or, for example, for the module containing the Fourier domain uncertainty methods:

```
from PyDynamic.uncertainty import propagate_DFT
```

#### 1.1.1 Updating to the newest version

Updates can then be installed via

```
pip install --user --upgrade PyDynamic
```

### 1.2 Proper Python setup with virtual environment (recommended)

The setup described above allows the quick and easy use of PyDynamic, but it also has its downsides. When working with Python we should rather always work in so-called virtual environments, in which our project specific dependencies are satisfied without polluting or breaking other projects' dependencies and to avoid breaking all our dependencies in case of an update of our Python distribution.

If you are not familiar with *Python virtual environments*<sup>4</sup> you can get the motivation and an insight into the mechanism in the *official docs*<sup>5</sup>.

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<sup>4</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/glossary.html#term-virtual-environment>

<sup>5</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/tutorial/venv.html>

### 1.2.1 Create a virtual environment and install requirements

Creating a virtual environment with Python built-in tools is easy and explained in more detail in the [official docs of Python itself](#)<sup>6</sup>.

It boils down to creating an environment anywhere on your computer, then activate it and finally install PyDynamic and its dependencies.

#### **venv creation and installation in Windows**

In your Windows command prompt execute the following:

```
> py -3 -m venv LOCAL\PATH\TO\ENVS\PyDynamic_venv
> LOCAL\PATH\TO\ENVS\PyDynamic_venv\Scripts\activate.bat
(PyDynamic_venv) > pip install PyDynamic
```

#### **venv creation and installation on Mac and Linux**

In your terminal execute the following:

```
$ python3 -m venv /LOCAL/PATH/TO/ENVS/PyDynamic_venv
$ /LOCAL/PATH/TO/ENVS/PyDynamic_venv/bin/activate
(PyDynamic_venv) $ pip install PyDynamic
```

### 1.2.2 Updating to the newest version

Updates can then be installed on all platforms after activating the virtual environment via:

```
(PyDynamic_venv) $ pip install --upgrade PyDynamic
```

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<sup>6</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/tutorial/venv.html#creating-virtual-environments>



## EXAMPLES

On the project website in the *examples* and *tutorials* subfolders and the separate [PyDynamic\\_tutorials](https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic_tutorials)<sup>7</sup> repository you can find various examples illustrating the application of PyDynamic. Here is just a short list to get you started.

### 2.1 Quick Examples

Uncertainty propagation for the application of an FIR filter with coefficients  $b$  with which an uncertainty  $ub$  is associated. The filter input signal is  $x$  with known noise standard deviation  $\sigma$ . The filter output signal is  $y$  with associated uncertainty  $uy$ .

```
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_filter import FIRuncFilter
y, uy = FIRuncFilter(x, sigma, b, ub)
```

Uncertainty propagation through the application of the discrete Fourier transform (DFT). The time domain signal is  $x$  with associated squared uncertainty  $ux$ . The result of the DFT is the vector  $X$  of real and imaginary parts of the DFT applied to  $x$  and the associated uncertainty  $UX$ .

```
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT import GUM_DFT
X, UX = GUM_DFT(x, ux)
```

Sequential application of the Monte Carlo method for uncertainty propagation for the case of filtering a time domain signal  $x$  with an IIR filter  $b,a$  with uncertainty associated with the filter coefficients  $Uab$  and signal noise standard deviation  $\sigma$ . The filter output is the signal  $y$  and the Monte Carlo method calculates point-wise uncertainties  $uy$  and coverage intervals  $Py$  corresponding to the specified percentiles.

```
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_MonteCarlo import SMC
y, uy, Py = SMC(x, sigma, b, a, Uab, runs=1000, Perc=[0.025,0.975])
```

### 2.2 Detailed examples

More comprehensive examples you can find in provided Jupyter notebooks, which require additional dependencies to be installed. This can be achieved by appending `[examples]` to PyDynamic in the install command, e.g.

```
pip install PyDynamic[examples]
```

Afterwards you can browser through the following list:

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<sup>7</sup> [https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic\\_tutorials](https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic_tutorials)

```
%pylab inline
import numpy as np
import scipy.signal as dsp
from palettable.colorbrewer.qualitative import Dark2_8

colors = Dark2_8.mpl_colors
rst = np.random.RandomState(1)
```

Populating the interactive namespace `from numpy and matplotlib`

## 2.2.1 Design of a digital deconvolution filter (FIR type)

```
from PyDynamic.deconvolution.fit_filter import LSFIR_unc
from PyDynamic.misc.SecondOrderSystem import *
from PyDynamic.misc.testsignals import shocklikeGaussian
from PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff import kaiser_lowpass, db
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_filter import FIRuncFilter
from PyDynamic.misc.tools import make_semiposdef
```

```
# parameters of simulated measurement
Fs = 500e3
Ts = 1 / Fs

# sensor/measurement system
f0 = 36e3; uf0 = 0.01*f0
S0 = 0.4; uS0= 0.001*S0
delta = 0.01; udelta = 0.1*delta

# transform continuous system to digital filter
bc, ac = sos_phys2filter(S0,delta,f0)
b, a = dsp.bilinear(bc, ac, Fs)

# Monte Carlo for calculation of unc. assoc. with [real(H),imag(H)]
f = np.linspace(0, 120e3, 200)
Hfc = sos_FreqResp(S0, delta, f0, f)
Hf = dsp.freqz(b,a,2*np.pi*f/Fs)[1]

runs = 10000
MCS0 = S0 + rst.randn(runs)*uS0
MCd = delta+ rst.randn(runs)*udelta
MCf0 = f0 + rst.randn(runs)*uf0
HMC = np.zeros((runs, len(f)),dtype=complex)
for k in range(runs):
    bc_,ac_ = sos_phys2filter(MCS0[k], MCd[k], MCf0[k])
    b_,a_ = dsp.bilinear(bc_,ac_,Fs)
    HMC[k,:] = dsp.freqz(b_,a_,2*np.pi*f/Fs)[1]

H = np.r_[np.real(Hf), np.imag(Hf)]
uAbs = np.std(np.abs(HMC),axis=0)
uPhas= np.std(np.angle(HMC),axis=0)
```

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```
UH= np.cov(np.hstack((np.real(HMC),np.imag(HMC))),rowvar=0)
UH= make_semiposdef(UH)
```

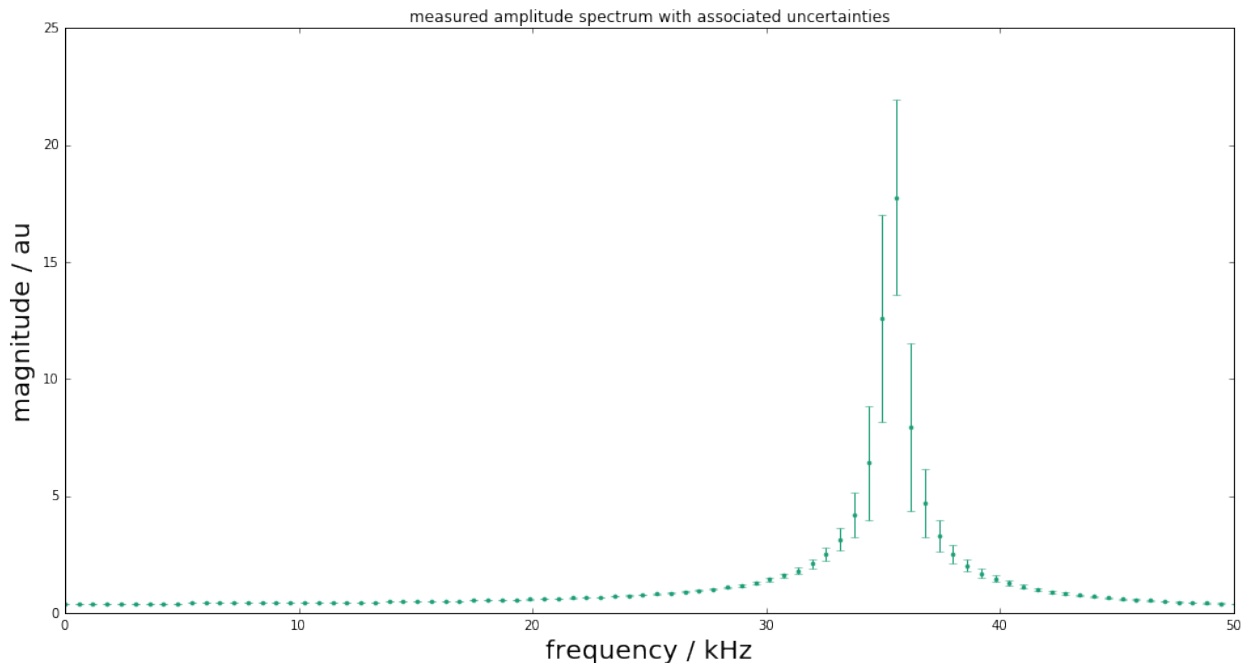
## Problem description

Assume information about a linear time-invariant (LTI) measurement system to be available in terms of its frequency response values  $H(j\omega)$  at a set of frequencies together with associated uncertainties:

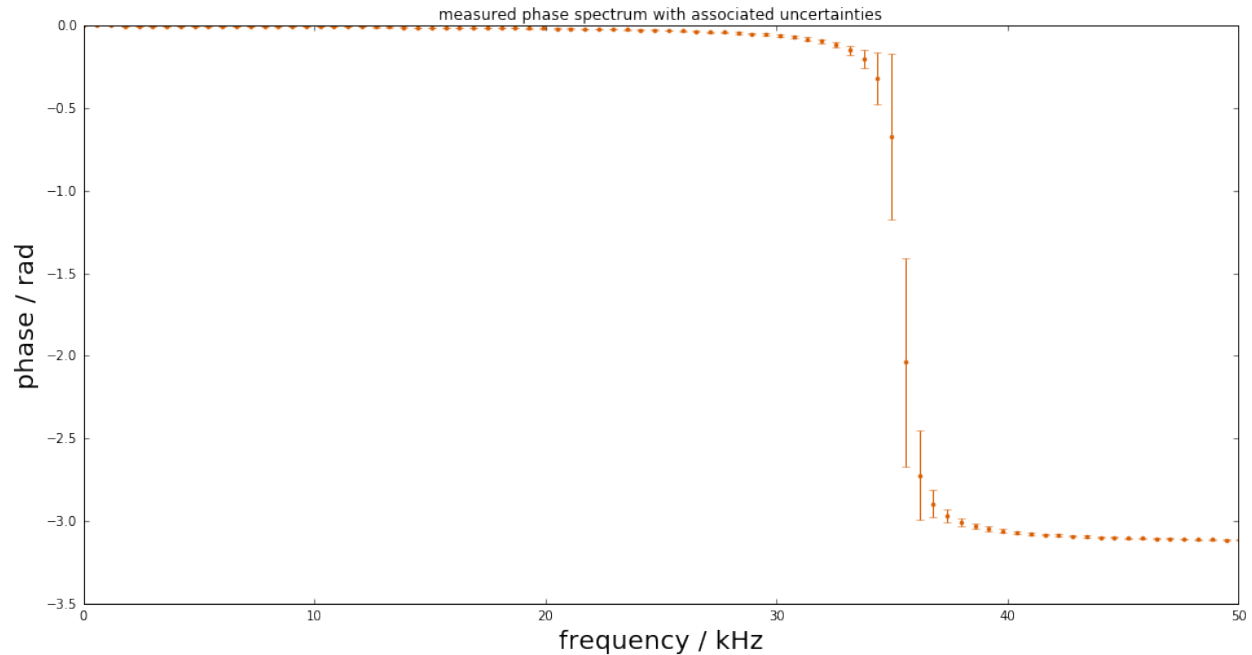
$$\mathbf{H} = (|H(j\omega_1)|, \dots, |H(j\omega_N)|, \angle H(j\omega_1), \dots, \angle H(j\omega_N)) \quad (2.1)$$

$$u(\mathbf{H}) = (u(|H(j\omega_1)|), \dots, u(|H(j\omega_N)|), u(\angle H(j\omega_1)), \dots, u(\angle H(j\omega_N)))$$

```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
errorbar(f*1e-3, np.abs(Hf), uAbs, fmt=".", color=colors[0])
title("measured amplitude spectrum with associated uncertainties")
xlim(0,50)
xlabel("frequency / kHz",fontsize=20)
ylabel("magnitude / au",fontsize=20);
```



```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
errorbar(f*1e-3, np.angle(Hf), uPhas, fmt=".", color=colors[1])
title("measured phase spectrum with associated uncertainties")
xlim(0,50)
xlabel("frequency / kHz",fontsize=20)
ylabel("phase / rad",fontsize=20);
```



### Simulated measurement

Measurements with this system are then modeled as a convolution of the system's impulse response

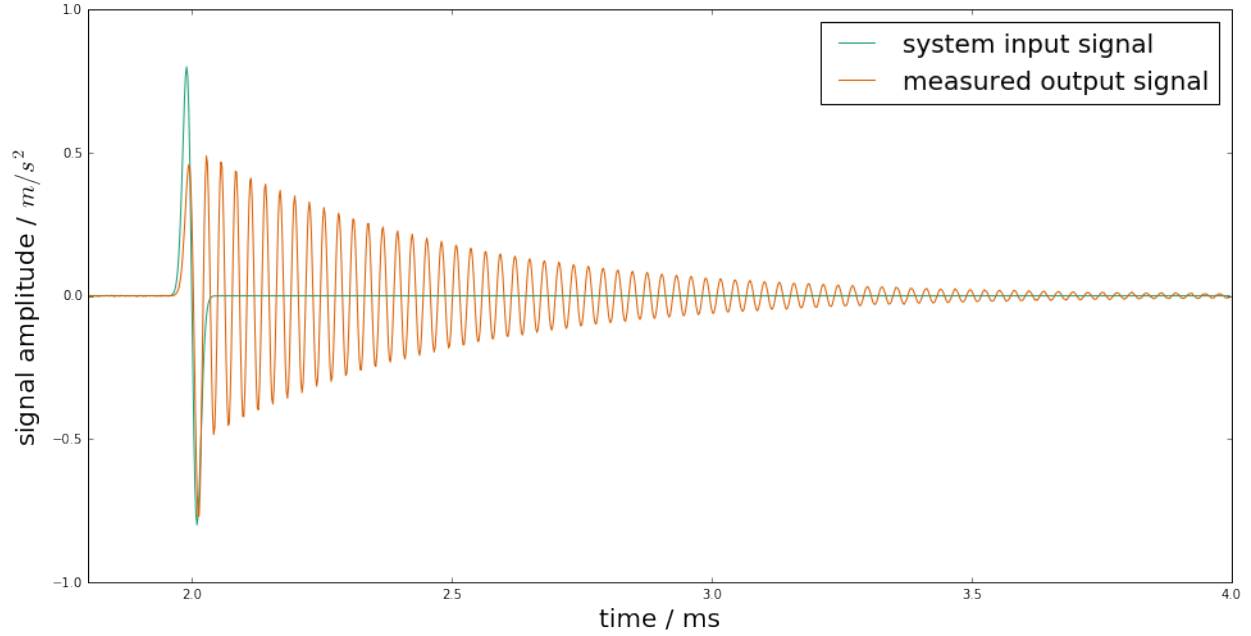
$$h(t) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}(H(j\omega))$$

with the input signal  $x(t)$ , after an analogue-to-digital conversion producing the measured signal

$$y[n] = (h * x)(t_n) \quad n = 1, \dots, M$$

```
# simulate input and output signals
time = np.arange(0, 4e-3 - Ts, Ts)
#x = shocklikeGaussian(time, t0 = 2e-3, sigma = 1e-5, m0=0.8)
m0 = 0.8; sigma = 1e-5; t0 = 2e-3
x = -m0*(time-t0)/sigma * np.exp(0.5)*np.exp(-(time-t0) ** 2 / (2 * sigma ** 2))
y = dsp.lfilter(b, a, x)
noise = 1e-3
yn = y + rst.randn(np.size(y)) * noise
```

```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
plot(time*1e3, x, label="system input signal", color=colors[0])
plot(time*1e3, yn,label="measured output signal", color=colors[1])
legend(fontsize=20)
xlim(1.8,4); ylim(-1,1)
xlabel("time / ms",fontsize=20)
ylabel(r"signal amplitude / $m/s^2$",fontsize=20);
```



### Design of the deconvolution filter

The aim is to derive a digital filter with finite impulse response (FIR)

$$g(z) = \sum_{k=0}^K b_k z^{-k}$$

such that the filtered signal

$$\hat{x}[n] = (g * y)[n] \quad n = 1, \dots, M$$

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Publication

- Elster and Link “Uncertainty evaluation for dynamic measurements modelled by a linear time-invariant system” Metrologia, 2008
- Vuerinckx R, Rolain Y, Schoukens J and Pintelon R “Design of stable IIR filters in the complex domain by automatic delay selection” IEEE Trans. Signal Process. 44 2339–44, 1996

Determine FIR filter coefficients such that

$$H(j\omega)g(e^{j\omega/F_s}) \approx e^{-j\omega n_0/F_s} \quad \text{for} \quad |\omega| \leq \omega_1$$

with a pre-defined time delay  $n_0$  to improve the fit quality (typically half the filter order).

Consider as least-squares problem

$$(y - Xb)^T W^{-1} (y - Xb)$$

with -  $y$  real and imaginary parts of the *reciprocal* and phase shifted measured frequency response values -  $X$  the model matrix with entries  $e^{-jk\omega/F_s}$  -  $b$  the sought FIR filter coefficients -  $W$  a weighting matrix (usually derived from the uncertainties associated with the frequency response measurements)

Filter coefficients and associated uncertainties are thus obtained as

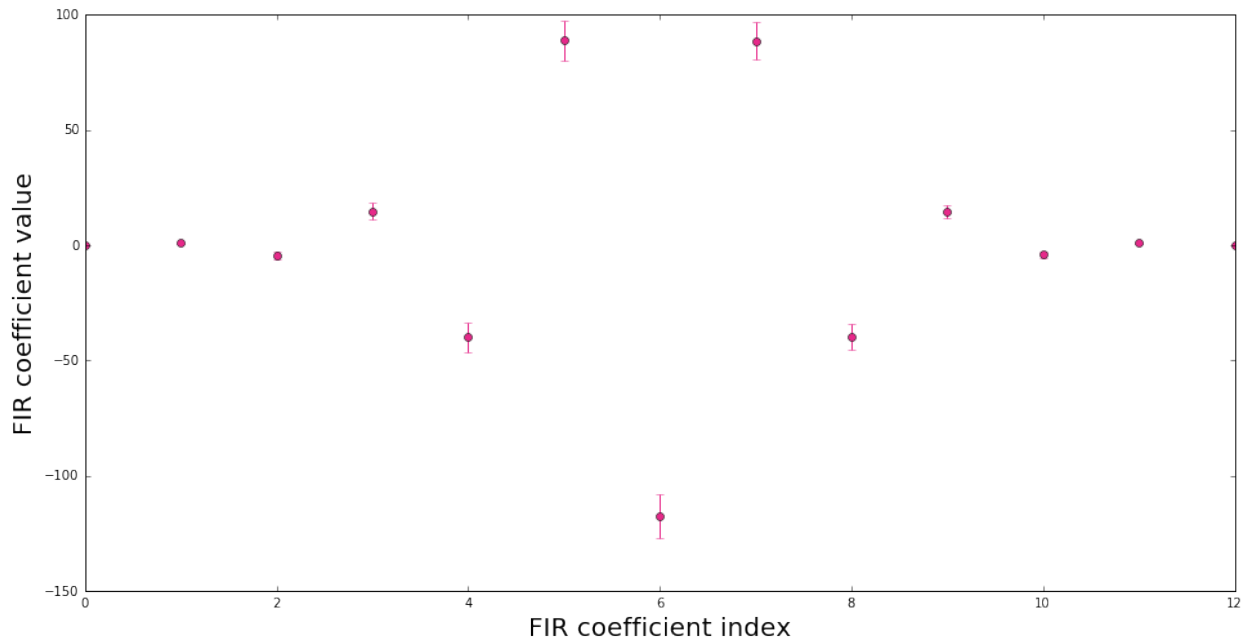
$$b = (X^T W^{-1} X)^{-1} X^T W^{-1} y$$

$$u_b = (X^T W^{-1} X)^{-1} X^T W^{-1} U_y W^{-1} X (X^T W^{-1} X)^{-1}$$

```
# Calculation of FIR deconvolution filter and its assoc. unc.
N = 12; tau = N//2
bF, UbF = deconv.LSFIR_unc(H,UH,N,tau,f,Fs)
```

Least-squares fit of an order 12 digital FIR filter to the reciprocal of a frequency response given by 400 values and propagation of associated uncertainties.  
Final rms error = 1.545423e+01

```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
errorbar(range(N+1), bF, np.sqrt(np.diag(UbF)), fmt="o", color=colors[3])
xlabel("FIR coefficient index", fontsize=20)
ylabel("FIR coefficient value", fontsize=20);
```



In order to render the ill-posed estimation problem stable, the FIR inverse filter is accompanied with an FIR low-pass filter.

Application of the deconvolution filter for input estimation is then carried out as

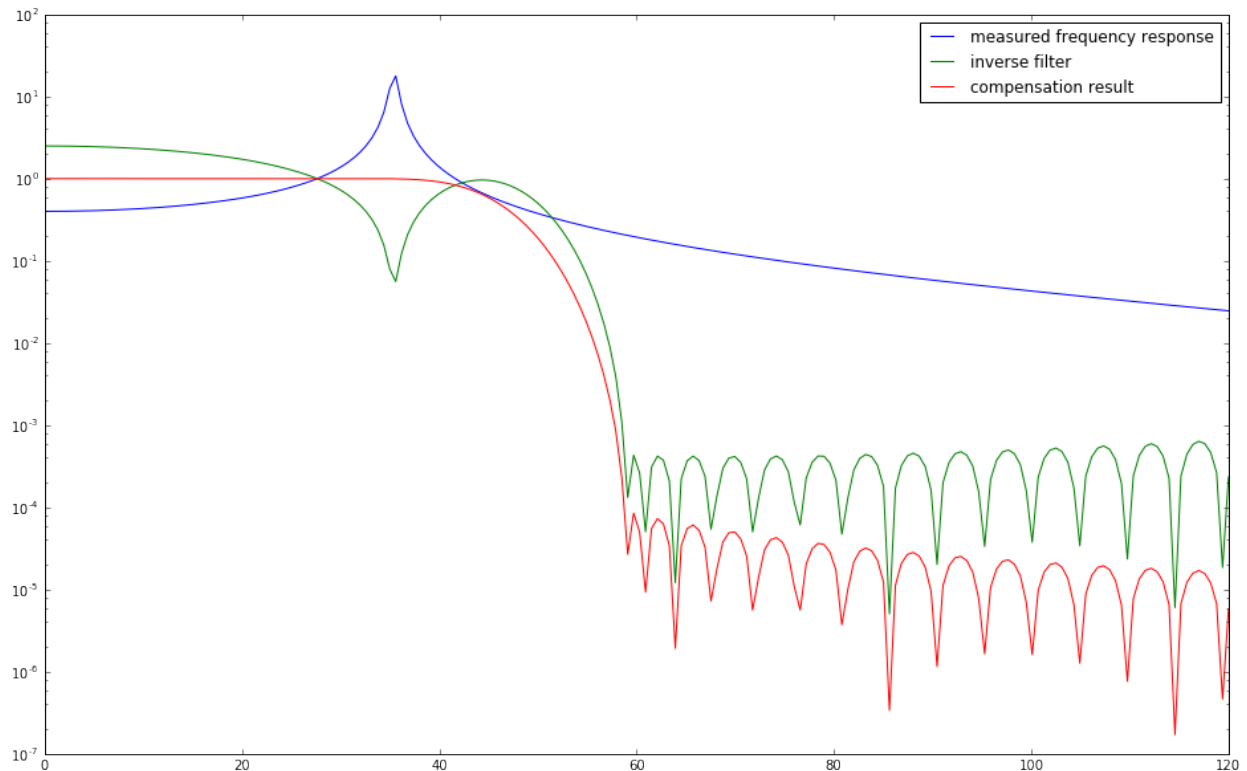
$$\hat{x}[n - n_0] = (g * (g_{low} * y))[n]$$

with point-wise associated uncertainties calculated as

$$u^2(\hat{x}[n - n_0]) = b^T U_{x_{low}[n]} b + x_{low}^T[n] U_b x_{low}[n] + \text{trace}(U_{x_{low}[n]} U_b)$$

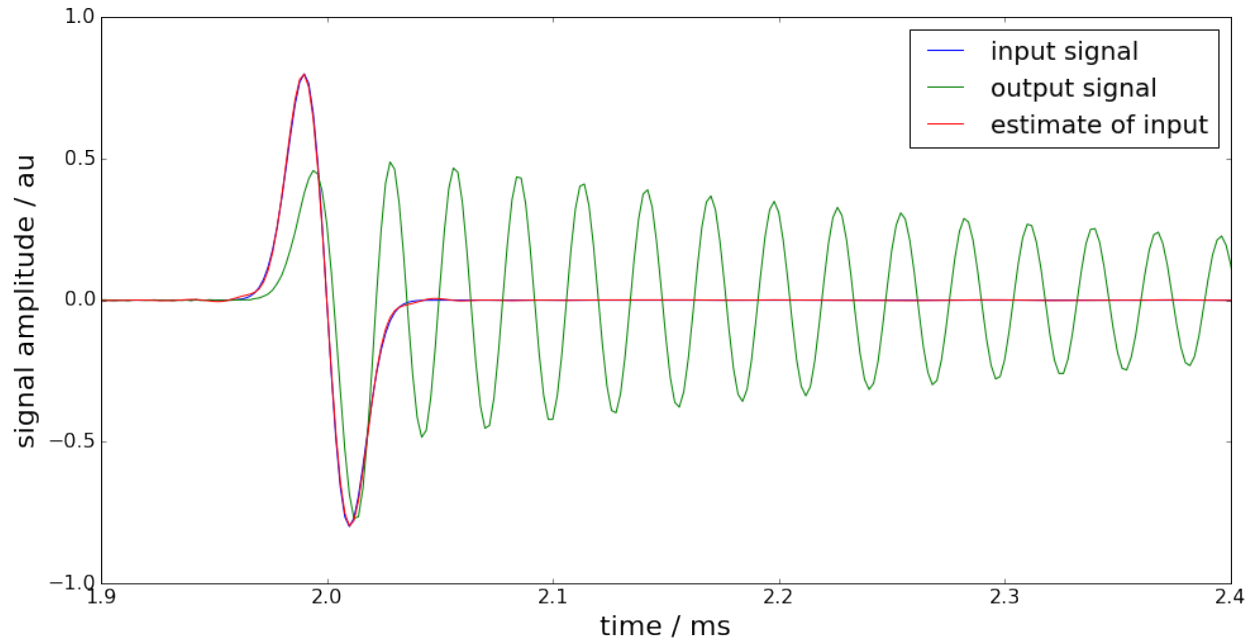
```
fcut = f0+10e3; low_order = 100
blow, lshift = kaiser_lowpass(low_order, fcut, Fs)
shift = -tau - lshift
```

```
figure(figsize=(16,10))
HbF = dsp.freqz(bF,1,2*np.pi*f/Fs)[1]*dsp.freqz(blow,1,2*np.pi*f/Fs)[1]
semilogy(f*1e-3, np.abs(Hf), label="measured frequency response")
semilogy(f*1e-3, np.abs(HbF),label="inverse filter")
semilogy(f*1e-3, np.abs(Hf*HbF), label="compensation result")
legend();
```

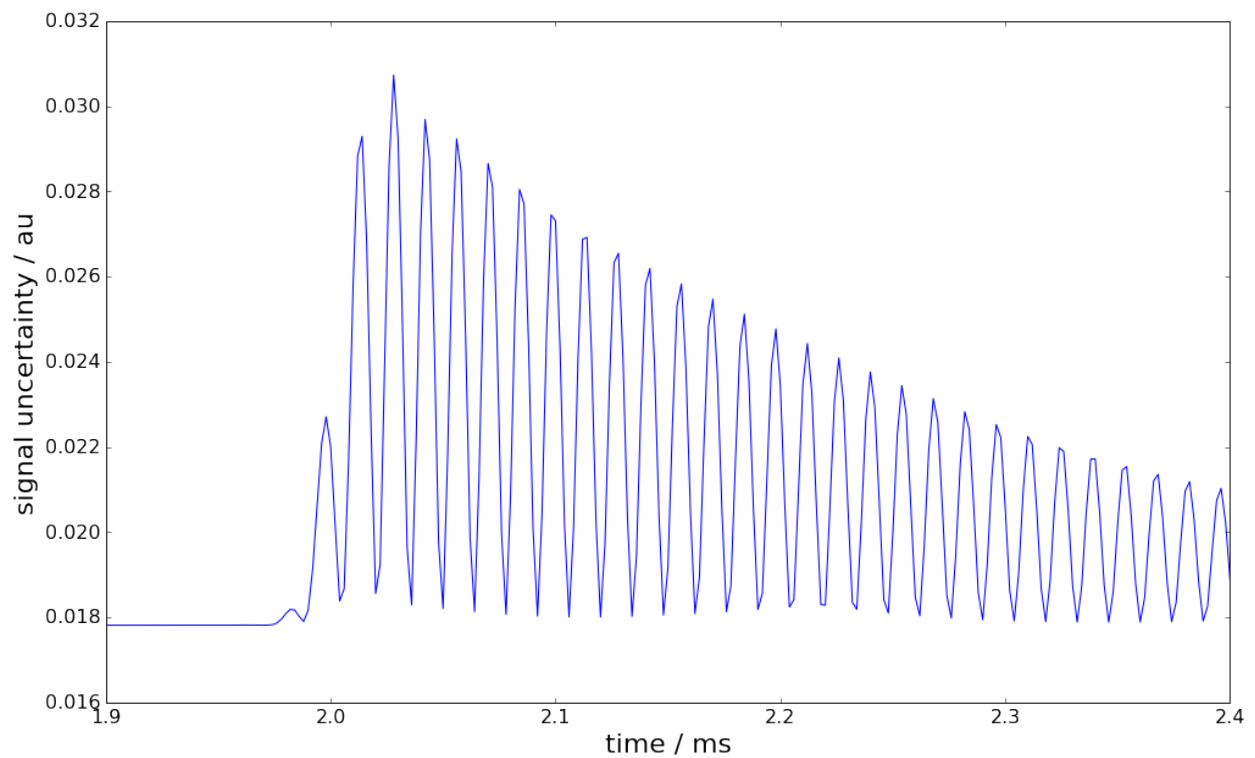


```
xhat,Uxhat = FIRuncFilter(yn,noise,bF,UbF,shift,blow)
```

```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
plot(time*1e3,x, label='input signal')
plot(time*1e3,yn,label='output signal')
plot(time*1e3,xhat,label='estimate of input')
legend(fontsize=20)
xlabel('time / ms',fontsize=22)
ylabel('signal amplitude / au',fontsize=22)
tick_params(which="both",labelsize=16)
xlim(1.9,2.4); ylim(-1,1);
```



```
figure(figsize=(16,10))
plot(time*1e3,Uxhat)
xlabel('time / ms',fontsize=22)
ylabel('signal uncertainty / au',fontsize=22)
subplots_adjust(left=0.15,right=0.95)
tick_params(which='both', labels=16)
xlim(1.9,2.4);
```





## Basic workflow in PyDynamic

Fit an FIR filter to the reciprocal of the measured frequency response

```
from PyDynamic.deconvolution.fit_filter import LSFIR_unc
bF, UbF = LSFIR_unc(H,UH,N,tau,f,Fs, verbose=False)
```

with

- H the measured frequency response values
- UH the covariance (i.e. uncertainty) associated with real and imaginary parts of H
- N the filter order
- tau the filter delay in samples
- f the vector of frequencies at which H is given
- Fs the sampling frequency for the digital FIR filter

Propagate the uncertainty associated with the measurement noise and the FIR filter through the deconvolution process

```
xhat,Uxhat = FIRuncFilter(yn,noise,bF,UbF,shift,blow)
```

with

- yn the noisy measurement
- noise the std of the noise
- shift the total delay of the FIR filter and the low-pass filter
- blow the coefficients of the FIR low-pass filter

```
%pylab inline
import scipy.signal as dsp
```

Populating the interactive namespace `from numpy and matplotlib`

## 2.2.2 Uncertainty propagation for IIR filters

```
from PyDynamic.misc.testsignals import rect
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_filter import IIRuncFilter
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_MonteCarlo import SMC
from PyDynamic.misc.tools import make_semiposdef
```

Digital filters with infinite impulse response (IIR) are a common tool in signal processing. Consider the measurand to be the output signal of an IIR filter with z-domain transfer function

$$G(z) = \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{N_b} b_n z^{-n}}{1 + \sum_{m=1}^{N_a} a_m z^{-m}}.$$

The measurement model is thus given by

$$y[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N_b} b_n x[k-n] - \sum_{m=1}^{N_a} a_m y[k-m]$$

As input quantities to the model the input signal values  $x[k]$  and the IIR filter coefficients  $(b_0, \dots, a_{N_a})$  are considered.

## Linearisation-based uncertainty propagation

Scientific publication

A. Link and C. Elster,  
 “Uncertainty evaluation for IIR filtering using a  
 state-space approach,”  
 Meas. Sci. Technol., vol. 20, no. 5, 2009.

The linearisation method for the propagation of uncertainties through the IIR model is based on a state-space model representation of the IIR filter equation

$$z^T[n+1] = \begin{pmatrix} -a_1 & \cdots & \cdots & -a_{N_a} \\ 0 & & & \\ \vdots & & I_{N_a-1} & \\ 0 & & & \end{pmatrix} z^T[n] + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} X[n], \quad (2.2)$$

$$y[n] = (d_1, \dots, d_{N_a}) z^T[n] + b_0 X[n] + \Delta[n], \quad (2.3)$$

$$y[n] = d^T z[n] + b_0 y[n] \quad (2.4)$$

$$u^2(y[n]) = \phi^T(n) U_\mu \phi(n) + d^T P_z[n] d + b_0^2, \quad (2.5)$$

where

$$\phi(n) = \left( \frac{\partial x[n]}{\partial \mu_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial x[n]}{\partial \mu_{N+N_a+N_b+1}} \right)^T$$

$$P_z[n] = \sum_{m < n} \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{z}[n]}{\partial y[m]} \right) \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{z}[n]}{\partial y[m]} \right)^T u^2(y[m]).$$

The linearization-based uncertainty propagation method for IIR filters provides

- propagation schemes for white noise and colored noise in the filter input signal
- incorporation of uncertainties in the IIR filter coefficients
- online evaluation of the point-wise uncertainties associated with the IIR filter output

## Implementation in PyDynamic

`y, Uy = IIRuncFilter(x, noise, b, a, Uab)`

with

- `x` the filter input signal sequency
- `noise` the standard deviation of the measurement noise in `x`
- `b, a` the IIR filter coefficient
- `Uab` the covariance matrix associated with  $(a_1, \dots, b_{N_b})$

Remark

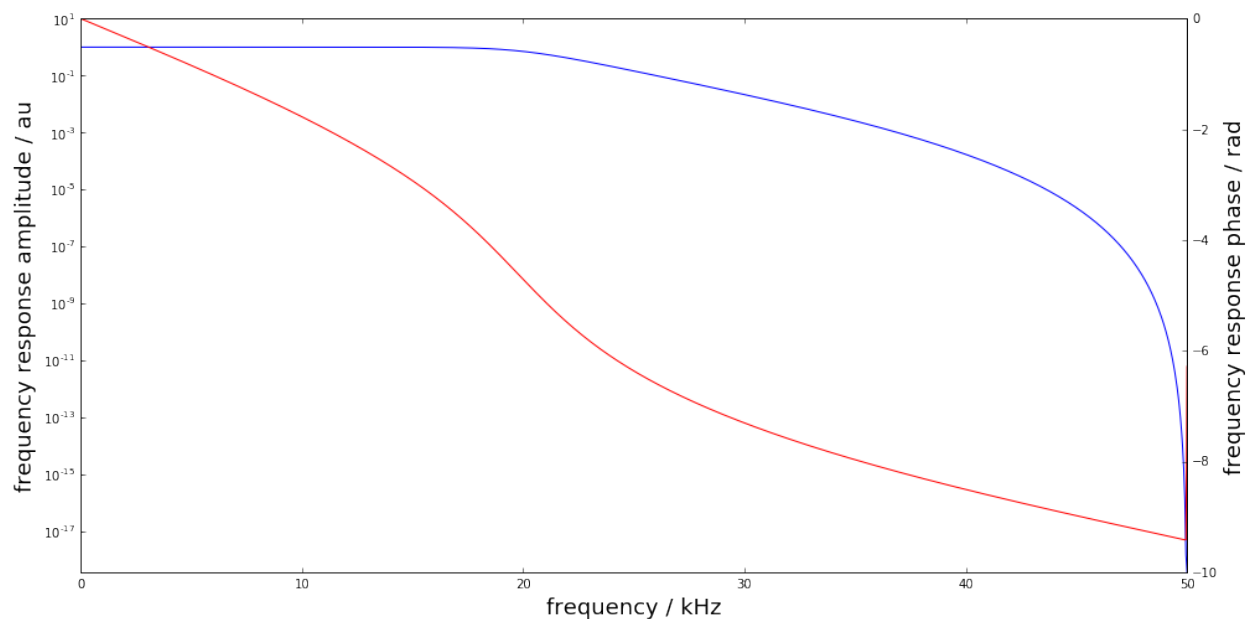
Implementation for more general noise processes than white noise is considered for one of the next revisions.

## Example

```
# parameters of simulated measurement
Fs = 100e3
Ts = 1.0/Fs

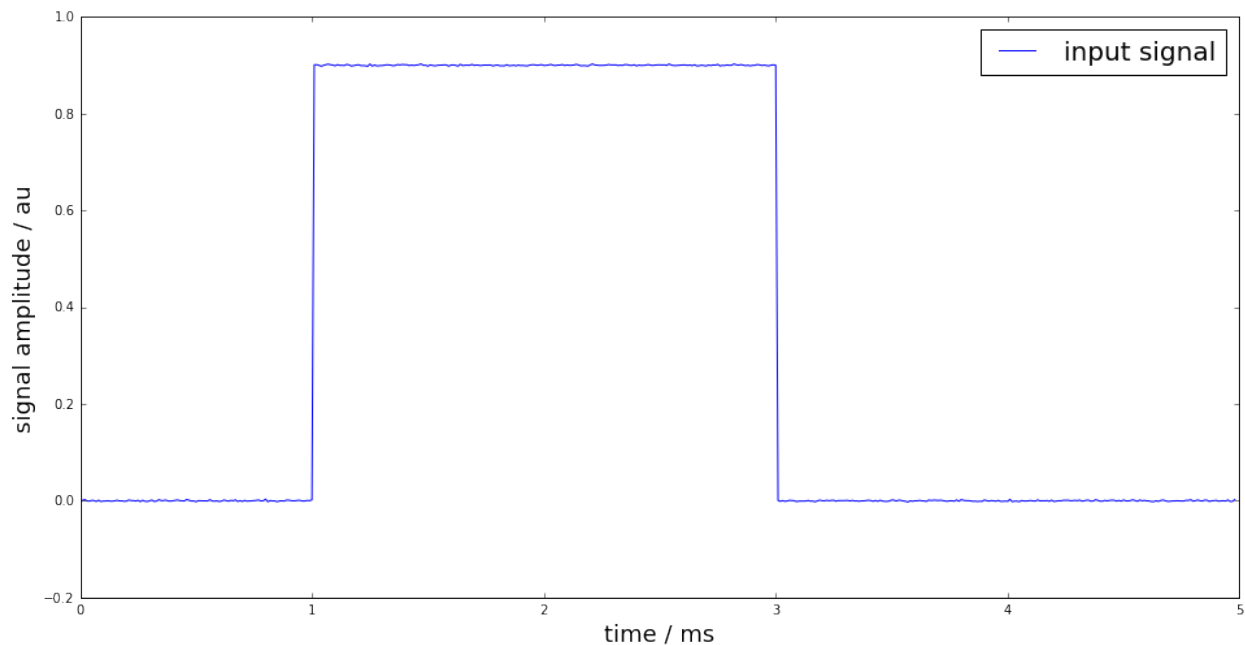
# nominal system parameter
fcut = 20e3
L = 6
b, a = dsp.butter(L, 2*fcut/Fs, btype='lowpass')
```

```
f = linspace(0, Fs/2, 1000)
figure(figsize=(16, 8))
semilogy(f*1e-3, abs(dsp.freqz(b, a, 2*np.pi*f/Fs)[1]))
ylim(0, 10);
xlabel("frequency / kHz", fontsize=18); ylabel("frequency response amplitude / au",
    fontsize=18)
ax2 = gca().twinx()
ax2.plot(f*1e-3, unwrap(angle(dsp.freqz(b, a, 2*np.pi*f/Fs)[1])), color="r")
ax2.set_ylabel("frequency response phase / rad", fontsize=18);
```



```
time = np.arange(0, 499*Ts, Ts)
t0 = 100*Ts; t1 = 300*Ts
height = 0.9
noise = 1e-3
x = rect(time, t0, t1, height, noise=noise)
```

```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
plot(time*1e3, x, label="input signal")
legend(fontsize=20)
xlabel('time / ms',fontsize=18)
ylabel('signal amplitude / au',fontsize=18);
```



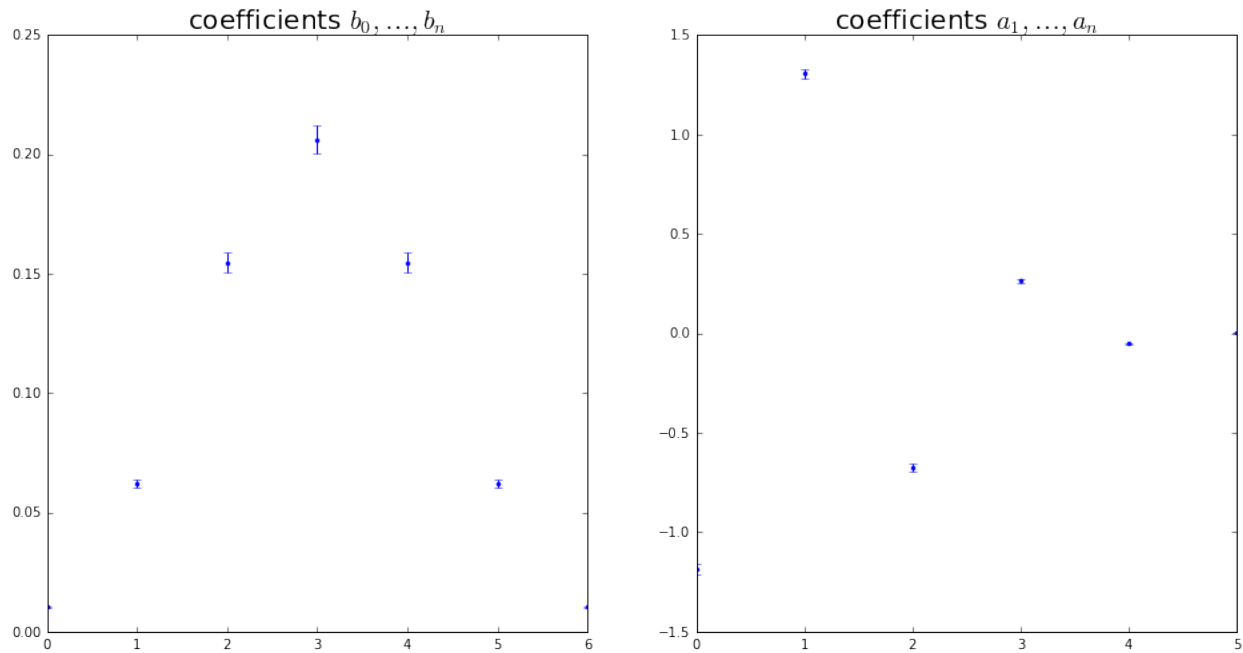
```
# uncertain knowledge: fcut between 19.8kHz and 20.2kHz
runs = 10000
FC = fcut + (2*np.random.rand(runs)-1)*0.2e3
AB = np.zeros((runs,len(b)+len(a)-1))

for k in range(runs):
    bb,aa = dsp.butter(L,2*FC[k]/Fs,btype='lowpass')
    AB[k,:] = np.hstack((aa[1:],bb))

Uab = make_semiposdef(np.cov(AB,rowvar=0))
```

Uncertain knowledge: low-pass cut-off frequency is between 19.8 and 20.2 kHz

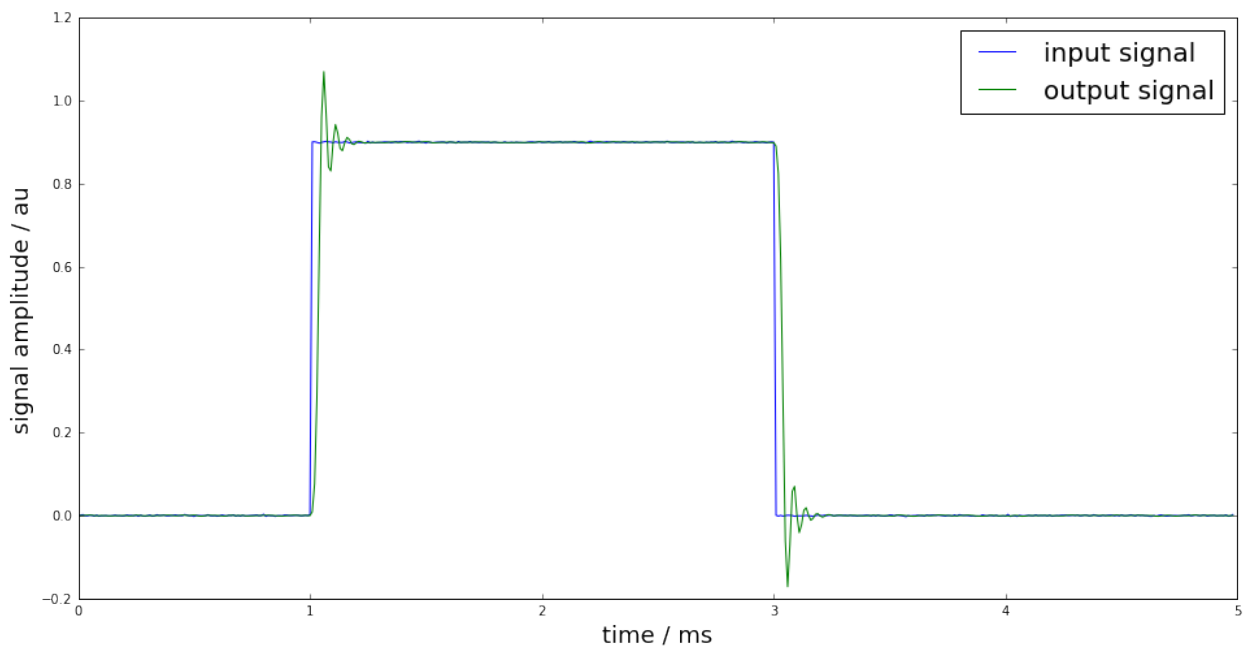
```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
subplot(121)
errorbar(range(len(b)), b, sqrt(diag(Uab[L:,L:])),fmt=".")
title(r"coefficients $b_0,\ldots,b_n$",fontsize=20)
subplot(122)
errorbar(range(len(a)-1), a[1:], sqrt(diag(Uab[:,L:])),fmt=".");
title(r"coefficients $a_1,\ldots,a_n$",fontsize=20);
```



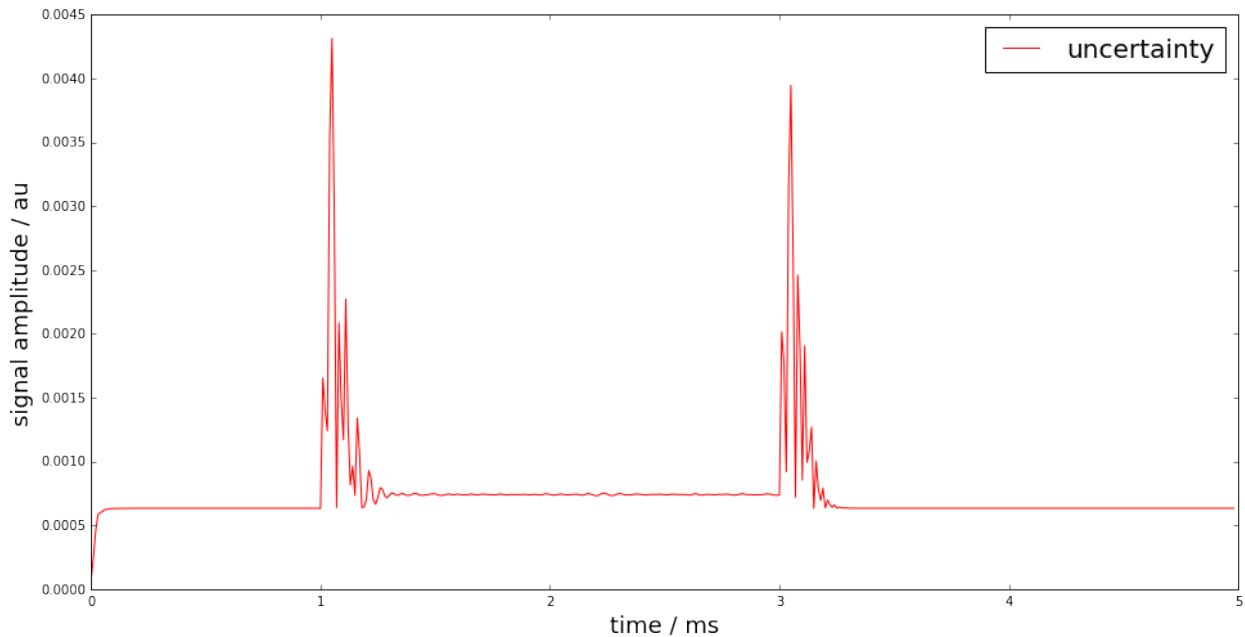
Estimate of the filter output signal and its associated uncertainty

```
y,Uy = IIRuncFilter(x,noise,b,a,Uab)

figure(figsize=(16,8))
plot(time*1e3, x, label="input signal")
plot(time*1e3, y, label="output signal")
legend(fontsize=20)
xlabel('time / ms',fontsize=18)
ylabel('signal amplitude / au',fontsize=18);
```



```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
plot(time*1e3, Uy, "r", label="uncertainty")
legend(fontsize=20)
xlabel('time / ms',fontsize=18)
ylabel('signal amplitude / au',fontsize=18);
```



### Monte-Carlo method for uncertainty propagation

The linearisation-based uncertainty propagation can become unreliable due to the linearisation errors. Therefore, a Monte-Carlo method for digital filters with uncertain coefficients has been proposed in

S. Eichstädt, A. Link, P. Harris, and C. Elster,  
 “Efficient implementation of a Monte Carlo method  
 for uncertainty evaluation in dynamic measurements,”  
 Metrologia, vol. 49, no. 3, 2012.

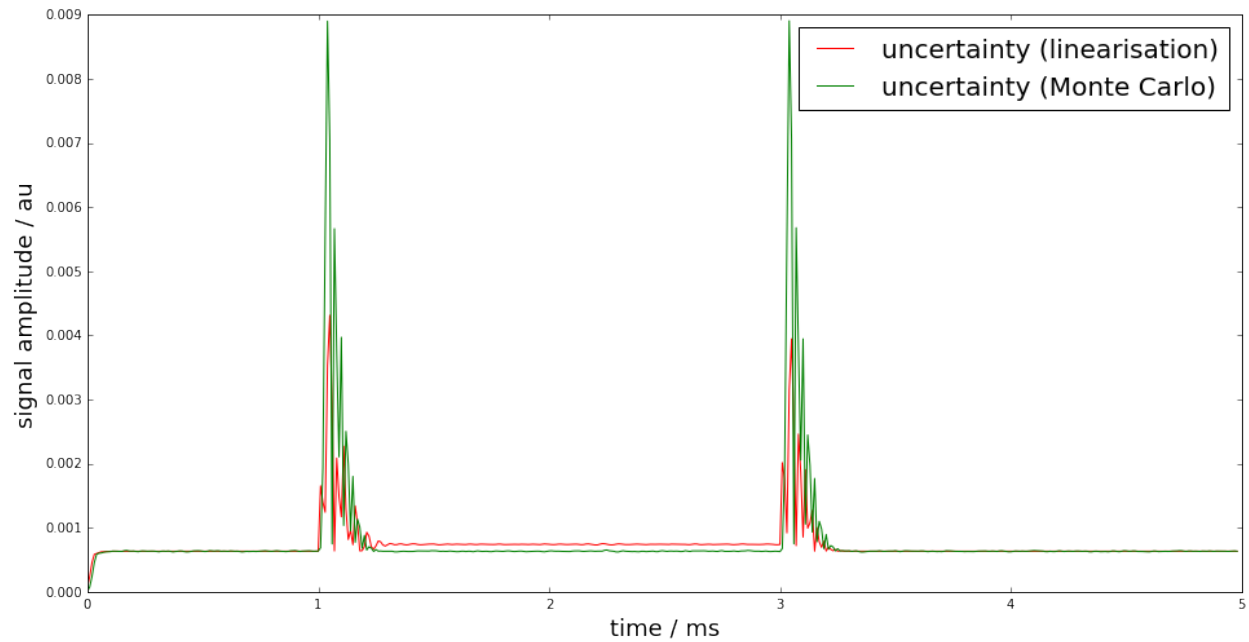
The proposed Monte-Carlo method provides - a memory-efficient implementation of the GUM Monte-Carlo method - online calculation of point-wise uncertainties, estimates and coverage intervals by taking advantage of the sequential character of the filter equation

$$y[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N_b} b_n x[k-n] - \sum_{m=1}^{N_a} a_m y[k-m]$$

```
yMC,UyMC = SMC(x,noise,b,a,Uab,runs=10000)

figure(figsize=(16,8))
plot(time*1e3, Uy, "r", label="uncertainty (linearisation)")
plot(time*1e3, UyMC, "g", label="uncertainty (Monte Carlo)")
legend(fontsize=20)
xlabel('time / ms',fontsize=18)
ylabel('signal amplitude / au',fontsize=18);
```

SMC progress: 0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% 100%



## Basic workflow in PyDynamic

### Using GUM linearization

```
y,Uy = IIRuncFilter(x,noise,b,a,Uab)
```

### Using sequential GUM Monte Carlo method

```
yMC,UyMC = SMC(x,noise,b,a,Uab,runs=10000)
```

SMC progress: 0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% 100%

```
%pylab inline
colors = [[0.1,0.6,0.5], [0.9,0.2,0.5], [0.9,0.5,0.1]]
```

Populating the interactive namespace `from numpy and matplotlib`

### 2.2.3 Deconvolution in the frequency domain (DFT)

```
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT import GUM_DFT,GUM_iDFT
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT import DFT_deconv, AmpPhase2DFT
from PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT import DFT_multiply
```

```
### reference data
ref_file = np.loadtxt("DFTdeconv reference_signal.dat")
time = ref_file[:,0]
ref_data = ref_file[:,1]
Ts = 2e-9
N = len(time)

### hydrophone calibration data
calib = np.loadtxt("DFTdeconv calibration.dat")
f = calib[:,0]
FR = calib[:,1]*np.exp(1j*calib[:,3])
Nf = 2*(len(f)-1)

uAmp = calib[:,2]
uPhas= calib[:,4]
UAP = np.r_[uAmp,uPhas*np.pi/180]**2

### measured hydrophone output signal
meas = np.loadtxt("DFTdeconv measured_signal.dat")
y = meas[:,1]
# assumed noise std
noise_std = 4e-4
Uy = noise_std**2
```

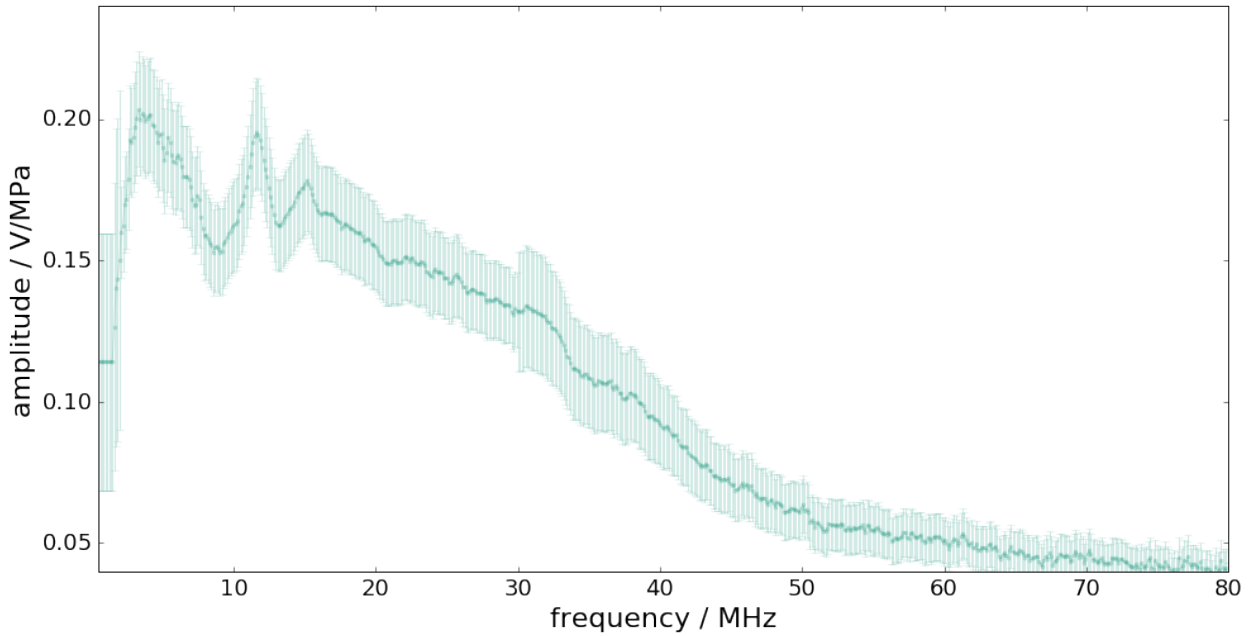
Consider knowledge about the measurement system is available in terms of its frequency response with uncertainties associated with amplitude and phase values.

$$\mathbf{H} = (|H(f_1)|, \dots, \angle H(f_N))$$

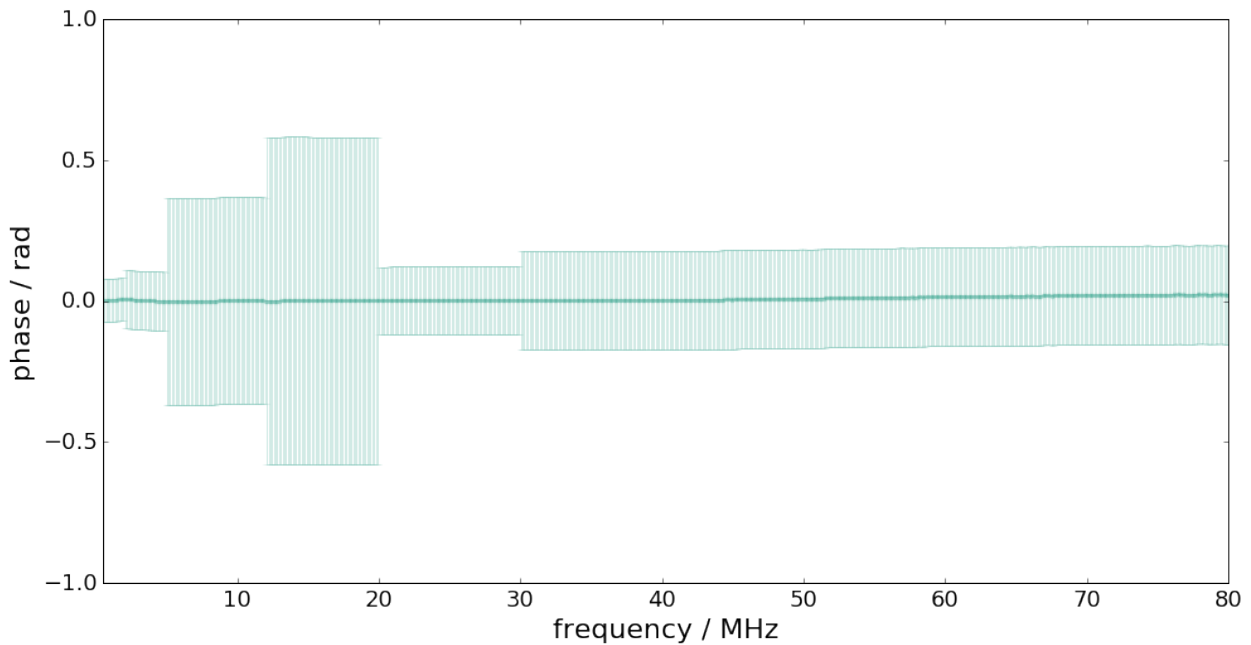
$$u_H = (u_{|H(f_1)|}, \dots, u_{\angle H(f_N)})$$

```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
errorbar(f * 1e-6, abs(FR), 2 * sqrt(UAP[:len(UAP) // 2]), fmt= ".-", alpha=0.2,
        color=colors[0])
xlim(0.5, 80)
ylim(0.04, 0.24)
xlabel("frequency / MHz", fontsize=22); tick_params(which= "both", labelsz=18)
ylabel("amplitude / V/MPa", fontsize=22);
```





```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
errorbar(f * 1e-6, unwrap(angle(FR)) * pi / 180, 2 * UAP[len(UAP) // 2:], fmt= ".-",
        alpha=0.2, color=colors[0])
xlim(0.5, 80)
ylim(-0.2, 0.3)
xlabel("frequency / MHz", fontsize=22); tick_params(which= "both", labels=18)
ylim(-1,1)
ylabel("phase / rad", fontsize=22);
```



The measurand is the input signal  $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_M)$  to the measurement system with corresponding measurement

model given by

$$y[n] = (h * x)[n] + \varepsilon[n]$$

Input estimation is here to be considered in the Fourier domain.

The estimation model equation is thus given by

$$\hat{x} = \mathcal{F}^{-1} \left( \frac{Y(f)}{H(f)} H_L(f) \right)$$

with -  $Y(f)$  the DFT of the measured system output signal -  $H_L(f)$  the frequency response of a low-pass filter

Estimation steps

- 1) DFT of  $y$  and propagation of uncertainties to the frequency domain
- 2) Propagation of uncertainties associated with amplitude and phase of system to corr. real and imaginary parts
- 3) Division in the frequency domain and propagation of uncertainties
- 4) Multiplication with low-pass filter and propagation of uncertainties
- 5) Inverse DFT and propagation of uncertainties to the time domain

### Propagation from time to frequency domain

With the DFT defined as

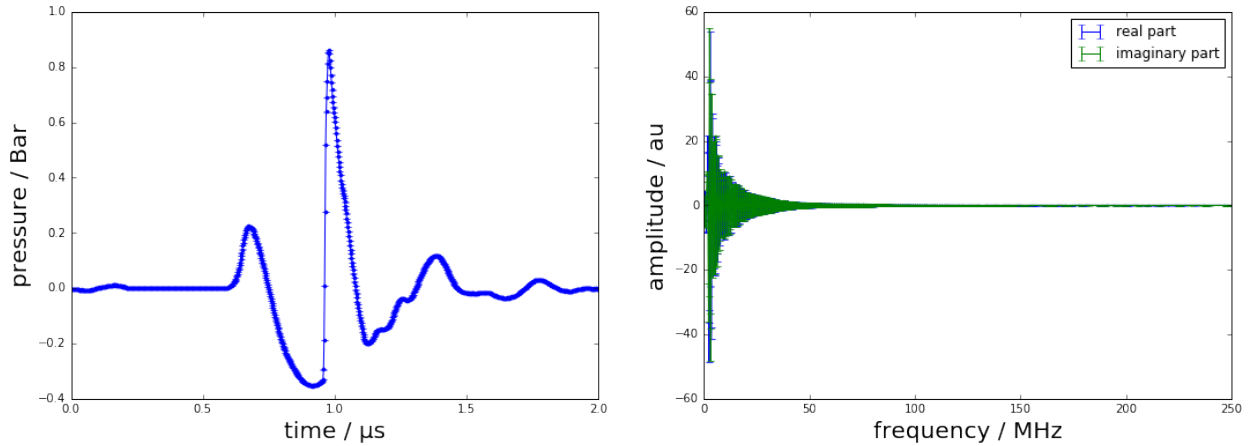
$$Y_k = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} y_n \exp(-jk\beta_n)$$

with  $\beta_n = 2\pi n/N$ , the uncertainty associated with the DFT outcome represented in terms of real and imaginary parts, is given by

$$U_Y = \begin{pmatrix} C_{\cos} U_y C_{\cos}^T & C_{\cos} U_y C_{\sin}^T \\ (C_{\cos} U_y C_{\sin}^T)^T & C_{\sin} U_y C_{\sin}^T \end{pmatrix}$$

```
Y,UY = GUM_DFT(y,Uy,N=Nf)
```

```
figure(figsize=(18,6))
subplot(121)
errorbar(time*1e6, y, sqrt(Uy)*ones_like(y),fmt=".-")
xlabel("time / μs",fontsize=20); ylabel("pressure / Bar",fontsize=20)
subplot(122)
errorbar(f*1e-6, Y[:len(f)],sqrt(UY[:len(f)]),label="real part")
errorbar(f*1e-6, Y[len(f):],sqrt(UY[len(f):]),label="imaginary part")
legend()
xlabel("frequency / MHz",fontsize=20); ylabel("amplitude / au",fontsize=20);
```



### Uncertainties for measurement system w.r.t. real and imaginary parts

In practice, the frequency response of the measurement system is characterised in terms of its amplitude and phase values at a certain set of frequencies. GUM uncertainty evaluation, however, requires a representation by real and imaginary parts.

$$H_k = A_k \cos(P_k) + jA_k \sin(P_k)$$

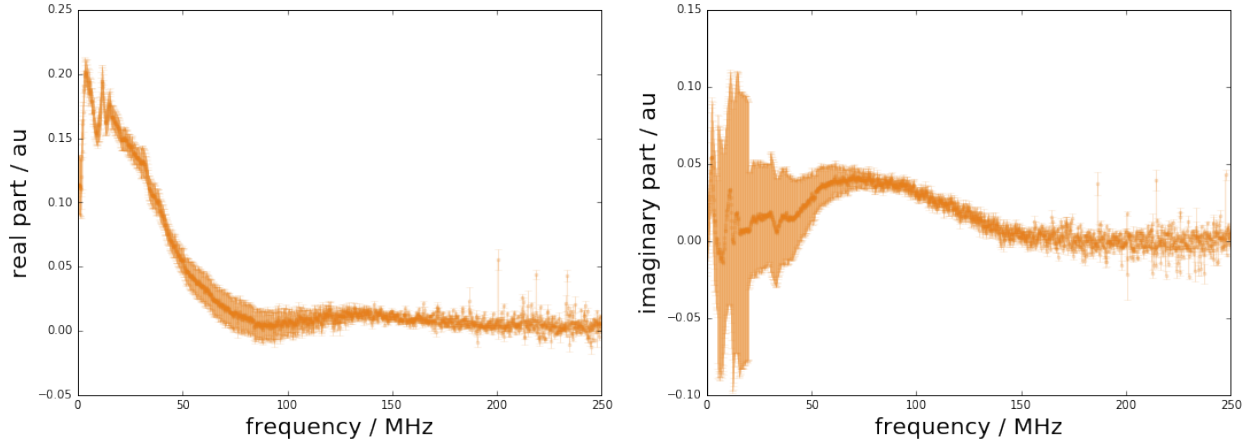
GUM uncertainty propagation

$$C_{RI} = \begin{pmatrix} R_A & R_P \\ I_A & I_P \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$U_H = C_{RI} \begin{pmatrix} U_{AA} & U_{AP} \\ U_{AP}^T & U_{PP} \end{pmatrix} C_{RI}^T = \begin{pmatrix} U_{11} & U_{12} \\ U_{21} & U_{22} \end{pmatrix}.$$

```
H, UH = AmpPhase2DFT(np.abs(FR),np.angle(FR),UAP)
```

```
Nf = len(f)
figure(figsize=(18,6))
subplot(121)
errorbar(f*1e-6, H[:Nf], sqrt(diag(UH[:Nf,:Nf])),fmt=".-",color=colors[2],alpha=0.2)
xlabel("frequency / MHz",fontsize=20); ylabel("real part / au",fontsize=20)
subplot(122)
errorbar(f*1e-6, H[Nf:],sqrt(diag(UH[Nf:,Nf:])),fmt=".-",color=colors[2],alpha=0.2)
xlabel("frequency / MHz",fontsize=20); ylabel("imaginary part / au",fontsize=20);
```



### Deconvolution in the frequency domain

The deconvolution problem can be decomposed into a division by the system's frequency response followed by a multiplication by a low-pass filter frequency response.

$$X(f) = \frac{Y(f)}{H(f)} H_L(f)$$

which in real and imaginary part becomes

$$X = \frac{(\Re_Y \Re_H + \Im_Y \Im_H) + j(-\Re_Y \Im_H + \Im_Y \Re_H)}{\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2} (\Re_{H_L} + j\Im_{H_L})$$

Sensitivities for division part

$$R_{RY} = \frac{\partial \Re_X}{\partial \Re_Y} = \frac{\Re_H}{\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2} \quad (2.6)$$

$$R_{IY} = \frac{\partial \Re_X}{\partial \Im_Y} = \frac{\Im_H}{\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2} \quad (2.7)$$

$$R_{RH} = \frac{\partial \Re_X}{\partial \Re_H} = \frac{-\Re_Y \Re_H^2 + \Re_Y \Im_H^2 - 2\Im_Y \Im_H \Re_H}{(\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2)^2} \quad (2.8)$$

$$R_{IH} = \frac{\partial \Re_X}{\partial \Im_H} = \frac{\Im_Y \Re_H^2 - \Im_Y \Im_H^2 - 2\Re_Y \Re_H \Im_H}{(\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2)^2} \quad (2.9)$$

$$I_{RY} = \frac{\partial \Im_X}{\partial \Re_Y} = \frac{-\Im_H}{\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2} \quad (2.10)$$

$$I_{IY} = \frac{\partial \Im_X}{\partial \Im_Y} = \frac{\Re_H}{\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2} \quad (2.11)$$

$$I_{RH} = \frac{\partial \Im_X}{\partial \Re_H} = \frac{-\Im_Y \Re_H^2 + \Im_Y \Im_H^2 + 2\Re_Y \Im_H \Re_H}{(\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2)^2} \quad (2.12)$$

$$I_{IH} = \frac{\partial \Im_X}{\partial \Im_H} = \frac{-\Re_Y \Re_H^2 + \Re_Y \Im_H^2 - 2\Im_Y \Re_H \Im_H}{(\Re_H^2 + \Im_H^2)^2} \quad (2.13)$$

Uncertainty blocks for multiplication part

$$U_{XRR} = \Re_{H_L} U_{ARR} \Re_{H_L} - \Im_{H_L} U_{ARI}^T \Re_{H_L} - \Re_{H_L} U_{ARI} \Im_{H_L} + \Im_{H_L} U_{AII} \Im_{H_L} \quad (2.14)$$

$$U_{XRI} = \Re_{H_L} U_{ARR} \Im_{H_L} - \Im_{H_L} U_{ARI}^T \Im_{H_L} + \Re_{H_L} U_{ARI} \Re_{H_L} - \Im_{H_L} U_{AII} \Re_{H_L} \quad (2.15)$$

$$U_{XIR} = U_{YRI}^T \quad (2.16)$$

$$U_{XII} = \Im_{H_L} U_{ARR} \Im_{H_L} + \Re_{H_L} U_{ARI}^T \Im_{H_L} + \Im_{H_L} U_{ARI} \Re_{H_L} + \Re_{H_L} U_{AII} \Re_{H_L} \quad (2.17)$$

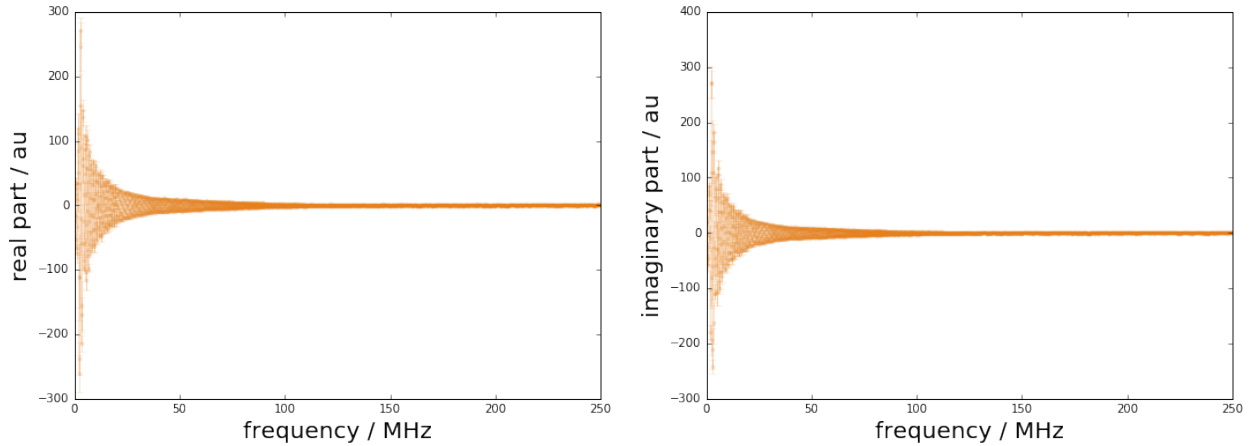
```
# low-pass filter for deconvolution
def lowpass(f,fcut=80e6):
    return 1/(1+1j*f/fcut)**2

HLc = lowpass(f)
HL = np.r_[np.real(HLc), np.imag(HLc)]
```

```
XH,UXH = DFT_deconv(H,Y,UH,UY)
```

```
XH, UXH = DFT_multiply(XH, UXH, HL)
```

```
figure(figsize=(18,6))
subplot(121)
errorbar(f*1e-6, XH[:Nf], sqrt(diag(UXH[:Nf,:Nf])),fmt=".-",color=colors[2],alpha=0.2)
xlabel("frequency / MHz",fontsize=20); ylabel("real part / au",fontsize=20)
subplot(122)
errorbar(f*1e-6, XH[Nf:],sqrt(diag(UXH[Nf:,Nf:])),fmt=".-",color=colors[2],alpha=0.2)
xlabel("frequency / MHz",fontsize=20); ylabel("imaginary part / au",fontsize=20);
```



## Propagation from frequency to time domain

The inverse DFT equation is given by

$$X_n = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (\Re_k \cos(k\beta_n) - \Im_k \sin(k\beta_n))$$

The sensitivities for the GUM propagation of uncertainties are then

$$\frac{\partial X_n}{\partial \Re_k} = \frac{1}{N} \quad \text{for } k = 0 \quad (2.18)$$

$$\frac{\partial X_n}{\partial \Re_k} = \frac{2}{N} \cos(k\beta_n) \quad \text{for } k = 1, \dots, N/2 - 1 \quad (2.19)$$

$$\frac{\partial X_n}{\partial \Im_k} = 0 \quad \text{for } k = 0 \quad (2.20)$$

$$\frac{\partial X_n}{\partial \Im_k} = -\frac{2}{N} \sin(k\beta_n) \quad \text{for } k = 1, \dots, N/2 - 1. \quad (2.21)$$

GUM uncertainty propagation for the inverse DFT

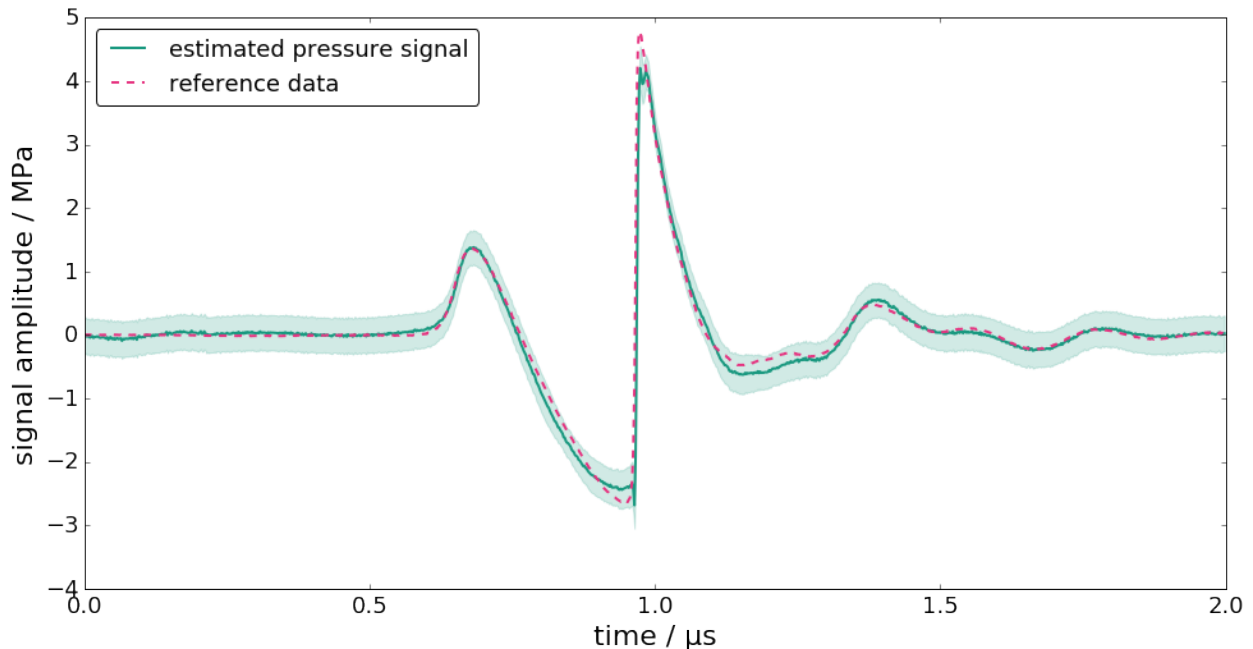
$$C_F U_F C_F^T = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{C}_{\cos} & \tilde{C}_{\sin} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U_{RR} & U_{RI} \\ U_{IR} & U_{II} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{C}_{\cos}^T \\ \tilde{C}_{\sin}^T \end{pmatrix} \quad (2.22)$$

$$= \tilde{C}_{\cos} U_{RR} \tilde{C}_{\cos}^T + 2 \tilde{C}_{\cos} U_{RI} \tilde{C}_{\sin}^T + \tilde{C}_{\sin} U_{II} \tilde{C}_{\sin}^T \quad (2.23)$$

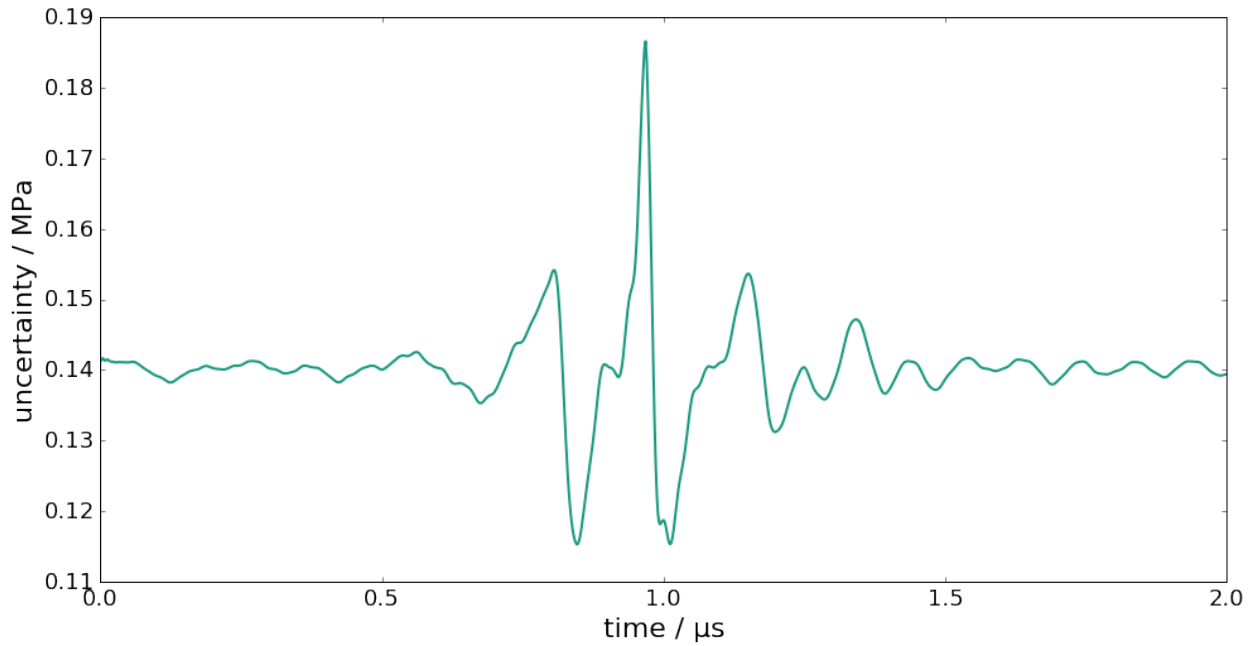
```
xh,Uxh = GUM_iDFT(XH,UXH,Nx=N)
```

```
ux = np.sqrt(np.diag(Uxh))

figure(figsize=(16,8))
plot(time*1e6,xh,label="estimated pressure signal",linewidth=2,color=colors[0])
plot(time * 1e6, ref_data, "--", label= "reference data", linewidth=2, color=colors[1])
fill_between(time * 1e6, xh + 2 * ux, xh - 2 * ux, alpha=0.2, color=colors[0])
xlabel("time / μs", fontsize=22)
ylabel("signal amplitude / MPa", fontsize=22)
tick_params(which= "major", labels=18)
legend(loc= "upper left", fontsize=18, fancybox=True)
xlim(0, 2);
```



```
figure(figsize=(16,8))
plot(time * 1e6, ux, label= "uncertainty", linewidth=2, color=colors[0])
xlabel("time /  $\mu$ s", fontsize=22)
ylabel("uncertainty / MPa", fontsize=22)
tick_params(which= "major", labels=18)
xlim(0,2);
```



### Summary of PyDynamic workflow for deconvolution in DFT domain

```
Y,UY = GUM_DFT(y,Uy,N=Nf)
H, UH = AmpPhase2DFT(A, P, UAP)
XH,UXH = DFT_deconv(H,Y,UH,UY)
XH, UXH = DFT_multiply(XH, UXH, HL)
```





## ADVICES AND TIPS FOR CONTRIBUTORS

If you want to become active as developer, we provide all important information here to make the start as easy as possible. The code you produce should be seamlessly integrable into PyDynamic by aligning your work with the established workflows. This guide should work on all platforms and provide everything needed to start developing for PyDynamic. Please open an issue or ideally contribute to this guide as a start, if problems or questions arise.

### 3.1 Guiding principles

The PyDynamic development process is based on the following guiding principles:

- support all [major Python versions supported upstream](#)<sup>8</sup>.
- actively maintain, ensuring security vulnerabilities or other issues are resolved in a timely manner
- employ state-of-the-art development practices and tools, specifically
  - follow [semantic versioning](#)<sup>9</sup>
  - use [conventional commit messages](#)<sup>10</sup>
  - consider the PEP8 style guide, wherever feasible

### 3.2 Get started developing

#### 3.2.1 Get the code on GitHub and locally

For collaboration, we recommend forking the repository as described [here](#)<sup>11</sup>. Simply apply the changes to your fork and open a Pull Request on GitHub as described [here](#)<sup>12</sup>. For small changes it will be sufficient to just apply your changes on GitHub and send the PR right away. For more comprehensive work, you should clone your fork and read on carefully.

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<sup>8</sup> <https://devguide.python.org/#status-of-python-branches>

<sup>9</sup> <https://semver.org/>

<sup>10</sup> <https://www.conventionalcommits.org/en/v1.0.0/>

<sup>11</sup> <https://help.github.com/en/articles/fork-a-repo>

<sup>12</sup> <https://help.github.com/en/articles/creating-a-pull-request>

### 3.2.2 Initial development setup

This guide assumes you already have a valid runtime environment for PyDynamic as described in the [README](#)<sup>13</sup>. To start developing, install the required dependencies for your specific Python version. To find it, activate the desired virtual environment and execute:

```
(PyDynamic_venv) $ python --version
Python 3.8.8
```

Then upgrade/install *pip* and *pip-tools* which we use to pin our dependencies to specific versions:

```
(PyDynamic_venv) $ pip install --upgrade pip pip-tools
```

You can then initially install or at any later time update all dependencies to the versions we use. From the repository root run *pip-tools*' command *sync*<sup>14</sup> e.g., for Python 3.9:

```
(PyDynamic_venv) $ python -m piptools sync requirements/dev-requirements-py39.txt ↵
↵ requirements/requirements-py39.txt
```

### 3.2.3 Advised toolset

We use *black*<sup>15</sup> to implement our coding style, *Sphinx*<sup>16</sup> for automated generation of our documentation on ReadTheDocs<sup>17</sup>. We use *pytest*<sup>18</sup> managed by *tox*<sup>19</sup> as testing framework backed by *hypothesis*<sup>20</sup> and *coverage*<sup>21</sup>. For automated releases we use *python-semantic-release*<sup>22</sup> in our pipeline on CircleCI<sup>23</sup>. All requirements for contributions are derived from this. If you followed the steps for the *initial development setup* you have everything at your hands.

### 3.2.4 Coding style

As long as the readability of mathematical formulations is not impaired, our code should follow PEP8<sup>24</sup>. For automating this uniform formatting task we use the Python package *black*<sup>25</sup>. It is easy to handle and integrable into most common IDEs<sup>26</sup>, such that it is automatically applied.

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<sup>13</sup> <https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/README.md>

<sup>14</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/pip-tools/#example-usage-for-pip-sync>

<sup>15</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/black/>

<sup>16</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/Sphinx/>

<sup>17</sup> <https://pydynamic.readthedocs.io/en/latest/>

<sup>18</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/pytest/>

<sup>19</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/tox/>

<sup>20</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/hypothesis/>

<sup>21</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/coverage/>

<sup>22</sup> <https://github.com/rele kang/python-semantic-release>

<sup>23</sup> <https://app.circleci.com/pipelines/github/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic>

<sup>24</sup> <https://www.python.org/dev/peps/pep-0008/>

<sup>25</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/black/>

<sup>26</sup> <https://github.com/psf/black#editor-integration>

### 3.2.5 Commit messages

PyDynamic commit messages follow some conventions to be easily human and machine-readable.

#### Commit message structure

Conventional commit messages<sup>27</sup> are required for the following:

- Releasing automatically according to [semantic versioning](#)<sup>28</sup>
- [Generating a changelog automatically](#)<sup>29</sup>

Parts of the commit messages and links appear in the changelogs of subsequent releases as a result. We use the following types:

- *feat*: for commits that introduce new features (this correlates with MINOR in semantic versioning)
- *docs*: for commits that contribute significantly to documentation
- *fix*: commits in which bugs are fixed (this correlates with PATCH in semantic versioning)
- *build*: Commits that affect packaging
- *ci*: Commits that affect the CI pipeline
- *test*: Commits that apply significant changes to tests
- *chore*: Commits that affect other non-PyDynamic components (e.g., ReadTheDocs, Git , ... )
- *revert*: commits, which undo previous commits using `git revert`
- *refactor*: commits that merely reformulate, rename or similar
- *style*: commits, which essentially make changes to line breaks and whitespace
- *wip*: Commits which are not recognizable as one of the above-mentioned types until later, usually during a PR merge. The merge commit is then marked as the corresponding type.

Of the types mentioned above, the following appear in separate sections of the changelog:

- *Feature: feat*
- *Documentation: docs*
- *Fix: fix*
- *Test: test*

#### Commit message styling

Based on conventional commit messages, the so-called should complete the following sentence:

If this commit is applied, it will...

The first line of a commit message should not exceed 100 characters.

<sup>27</sup> <https://www.conventionalcommits.org/en/v1.0.0/#summary>

<sup>28</sup> <https://semver.org/>

<sup>29</sup> <https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/releases/tag/v1.4.0>

## BREAKING CHANGES

If a commit changes parts of PyDynamic's public interface so that previously written code may no longer be executable, it is considered a BREAKING CHANGE (correlating with MAJOR in semantic versioning). This has to be marked by putting *BREAKING CHANGE* in the footer of the message as described in the [conventional commit messages](#)<sup>30</sup>.

## Examples

For examples please checkout the [Git Log](#)<sup>31</sup>.

### 3.2.6 Testing

We strive to increase [our code coverage](#)<sup>32</sup> with every change introduced. This requires that every new feature and every change to existing features is accompanied by appropriate *pytest* testing. We test the basic components for correctness and, if necessary, the integration into the big picture. It is usually sufficient to create [appropriately named](#)<sup>33</sup> methods in one of the existing modules in the subfolder *test*. If necessary, add a new module that is appropriately named.

## 3.3 Workflow for adding completely new functionality

In case you add a new feature you generally follow the pattern:

- read through and follow this contribution advices and tips, especially regarding the *advised tool* set and *coding style*
- open an according issue to submit a feature request and get in touch with other PyDynamic developers and users
- fork the repository or update the *master* branch of your fork and create an arbitrary named feature branch from *master*
- decide which package and module your feature should be integrated into
- if there is no suitable package or module, create a new one and a corresponding module in the *test* subdirectory with the same name prefixed by *test\_*
- after adding your functionality add it to all higher-level `__all__` variables in the module itself and in the higher-level `__init__.pys`
- if new dependencies are introduced, add them to *setup.py* or *dev-requirements.in*
- during development write tests in alignment with existing test modules, for example *test\_interpolate*<sup>34</sup> or *test\_propagate\_filter*<sup>35</sup>
- write docstrings in the [NumPy docstring format](#)<sup>36</sup>
- as early as possible create a draft pull request onto the upstream's *master* branch

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<sup>30</sup> <https://www.conventionalcommits.org/en/v1.0.0/#summary>

<sup>31</sup> <https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/commits/master>

<sup>32</sup> <https://codecov.io/gh/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic>

<sup>33</sup> <https://docs.pytest.org/en/latest/goodpractices.html#conventions-for-python-test-discovery>

<sup>34</sup> [https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/test/test\\_interpolate.py](https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/test/test_interpolate.py)

<sup>35</sup> [https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/test/test\\_propagate\\_filter.py](https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/test/test_propagate_filter.py)

<sup>36</sup> <https://numpydoc.readthedocs.io/en/latest/format.html#docstring-standard>

- once you think your changes are ready to merge, [request a review](#)<sup>37</sup> from the *PTB-M4D/pydynamic-devs* (you will find them in the according drop-down) and [mark your PR as ready for review](#)<sup>38</sup>
- at the latest now you will have the opportunity to review the documentation automatically generated from the docstrings on ReadTheDocs after your reviewers will set up everything
- resolve the conversations and have your pull request merged

## 3.4 Documentation

The documentation of PyDynamic consists of three parts. Every adaptation of an existing feature and every new feature requires adjustments on all three levels:

- user documentation on ReadTheDocs
- examples in the form of Jupyter notebooks for extensive features and Python scripts for features which can be comprehensively described with few lines of commented code
- developer documentation in the form of comments in the code

### 3.4.1 User documentation

To locally generate a preview of what ReadTheDocs will generate from your docstrings, you can simply execute after activating your virtual environment:

```
(PyDynamic_venv) $ sphinx-build docs/ docs/_build
Sphinx v3.1.1 in Verwendung
making output directory...
[...]
build abgeschlossen.
```

The HTML pages are [in](#) docs/\_build.

After that, you can open the file `./docs/_build/index.html` relative to the project's root with your favourite browser. Simply re-execute the above command after each change to the docstrings to update your local version of the documentation.

### 3.4.2 Examples

We want to provide extensive sample material for all PyDynamic features in order to simplify the use or even make it possible in the first place. We collect the examples in a separate repository [PyDynamic\\_tutorials](#)<sup>39</sup> separate from PyDynamic to better distinguish the core functionality from additional material. Please refer to the corresponding README for more information about the setup and create a pull request accompanying the pull request in PyDynamic according to the same procedure we describe here.

<sup>37</sup> <https://help.github.com/en/github/collaborating-with-issues-and-pull-requests/requesting-a-pull-request-review>

<sup>38</sup> <https://help.github.com/en/github/collaborating-with-issues-and-pull-requests/changing-the-stage-of-a-pull-request#marking-a-pull-request-as-ready-for-review>

<sup>39</sup> [https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic\\_tutorials](https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic_tutorials)

### 3.4.3 Comments in the code

Regarding comments in the code we recommend investing 45 minutes for the PyCon DE 2019 Talk of Stefan Schwarzer, a 20+-years Python developer: [Commenting code - beyond common wisdom](#)<sup>40</sup>.

## 3.5 Manage dependencies

As stated in the README and above we use *pip-tools*<sup>41</sup> for dependency management. The requirements' subdirectory contains a *requirements.txt* and a *dev-requirements.txt* for all supported Python versions, with a suffix naming the version, for example *requirements-py36.txt*<sup>42</sup>. To keep them up to date semi-automatically we use the bash script *requirements/upgrade\_dependencies.sh*<sup>43</sup>. It contains extensive comments on its use. *pip-tools*' command *pip-compile* finds the right versions from the dependencies listed in *setup.py* and the *dev-requirements.in*.

## 3.6 Licensing

All contributions are released under PyDynamic's [GNU Lesser General Public License v3.0](#)<sup>44</sup>.

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<sup>40</sup> <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tP5uWCruaBs&list=PLHd2BPBhxqRLEhEaOFMWHBGpzyyF-ChZU&index=22&t=0s>

<sup>41</sup> <https://pypi.org/project/pip-tools/>

<sup>42</sup> <https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/requirements/requirements-py36.txt>

<sup>43</sup> [https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/requirements/upgrade\\_dependencies.sh](https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/requirements/upgrade_dependencies.sh)

<sup>44</sup> <https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/blob/master/licence.txt>

## EVALUATION OF UNCERTAINTIES

The evaluation of uncertainties is a fundamental part of the measurement analysis in metrology. The analysis of dynamic measurements typically involves methods from signal processing, such as digital filtering, the discrete Fourier transform (DFT), or simple tasks like interpolation. For most of these tasks, methods are readily available, for instance, as part of `scipy.signal`<sup>45</sup>. This module of PyDynamic provides the corresponding methods for the evaluation of uncertainties.

The package consists of the following modules:

- `PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT`: Uncertainty evaluation for the DFT
- `PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_convolution`: Uncertainty evaluation for convolutions
- `PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_filter`: Uncertainty evaluation for digital filtering
- `PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_MonteCarlo`: Monte Carlo methods for digital filtering
- `PyDynamic.uncertainty.interpolate`: Uncertainty evaluation for interpolation

### 4.1 Uncertainty evaluation for convolutions

The convolution operation is a common operation in signal and data processing. Convolving signals is mathematically similar to a filter application.

This module contains the following function:

- `convolve_unc()`: Convolution with uncertainty propagation based on FIR-filter

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_convolution.convolve_unc(x1, U1, x2, U2, mode='full')`

An implementation of the discrete convolution of two signals with uncertainty propagation. It supports the convolution modes of `numpy.convolve()`<sup>46</sup> and `scipy.ndimage.convolve1d()`<sup>47</sup>.

#### Parameters

- **x1** (`np.ndarray`,  $(N,)$ ) – first input signal
- **U1** (`np.ndarray`,  $(N, N)$ ) – full 2D-covariance matrix associated with x1 if the signal is fully certain, use `U1 = None` to make use of more efficient calculations.
- **x2** (`np.ndarray`,  $(M,)$ ) – second input signal
- **U2** (`np.ndarray`,  $(M, M)$ ) – full 2D-covariance matrix associated with x2 if the signal is fully certain, use `U2 = None` to make use of more efficient calculations.
- **mode** (`str`<sup>48</sup>, *optional*) – `numpy.convolve()`<sup>49</sup>-modes:
  - full: `len(y) == N+M-1` (default)

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<sup>45</sup> <https://docs.scipy.org/doc/scipy/reference/reference/signal.html#module-scipy.signal>

- valid:  $\text{len}(y) == \max(M, N) - \min(M, N) + 1$
  - same:  $\text{len}(y) == \max(M, N)$  (value+covariance are padded with zeros)
- `scipy.ndimage.convolve1d()`<sup>50</sup>-modes:
- nearest:  $\text{len}(y) == N$  (value+covariance are padded with by stationary assumption)
  - reflect:  $\text{len}(y) == N$
  - mirror:  $\text{len}(y) == N$

#### Returns

- **conv** (*np.ndarray*) – convoluted output signal
- **Uconv** (*np.ndarray*) – full 2D-covariance matrix of y

#### References

See also:

`numpy.convolve()`<sup>51</sup> `scipy.ndimage.convolve1d()`<sup>52</sup>

## 4.2 Uncertainty evaluation for the DFT

The *PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate\_DFT* module implements methods for the propagation of uncertainties in the application of the DFT, inverse DFT, deconvolution and multiplication in the frequency domain, transformation from amplitude and phase to real and imaginary parts and vice versa.

**The corresponding scientific publications is** S. Eichstädt und V. Wilkens GUM2DFT — a software tool for uncertainty evaluation of transient signals in the frequency domain. *Measurement Science and Technology*, 27(5), 055001, 2016. [DOI: [10.1088/0957-0233/27/5/055001](https://doi.org/10.1088/0957-0233/27/5/055001)]<sup>53</sup>]

This module contains the following functions:

- *GUM\_DFT()*: Calculation of the DFT of the time domain signal x and propagation of the squared uncertainty Ux associated with the time domain sequence x to the real and imaginary parts of the DFT of x
- *GUM\_iDFT()*: GUM propagation of the squared uncertainty UF associated with the DFT values F through the inverse DFT
- *GUM\_DFTfreq()*: Return the Discrete Fourier Transform sample frequencies
- *DFT\_transferfunction()*: Calculation of the transfer function  $H = Y/X$  in the frequency domain with X being the Fourier transform of the system's input signal and Y that of the output signal
- *DFT\_deconv()*: Deconvolution in the frequency domain
- *DFT\_multiply()*: Multiplication in the frequency domain
- *AmpPhase2DFT()*: Transformation from magnitude and phase to real and imaginary parts
- *DFT2AmpPhase()*: Transformation from real and imaginary parts to magnitude and phase

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<sup>46</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.convolve.html#numpy.convolve>

<sup>47</sup> <https://docs.scipy.org/doc/scipy/reference/reference/generated/scipy.ndimage.convolve1d.html#scipy.ndimage.convolve1d>

<sup>48</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

<sup>49</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.convolve.html#numpy.convolve>

<sup>50</sup> <https://docs.scipy.org/doc/scipy/reference/reference/generated/scipy.ndimage.convolve1d.html#scipy.ndimage.convolve1d>

<sup>51</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.convolve.html#numpy.convolve>

<sup>52</sup> <https://docs.scipy.org/doc/scipy/reference/reference/generated/scipy.ndimage.convolve1d.html#scipy.ndimage.convolve1d>

<sup>53</sup> <http://dx.doi.org/10.1088/0957-0233/27/5/055001>



- `AmpPhase2Time()`: Transformation from amplitude and phase to time domain
- `Time2AmpPhase()`: Transformation from time domain to amplitude and phase

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.AmpPhase2DFT(A: numpy.ndarray54, P: numpy.ndarray55, UAP: numpy.ndarray56, keep_sparse: Optional[bool]57 = False) → Tuple[numpy.ndarray58, numpy.ndarray59]`

Transformation from magnitude and phase to real and imaginary parts

Calculate the vector  $F=[\text{real}, \text{imag}]$  and propagate the covariance matrix UAP associated with  $[A, P]$

#### Parameters

- **A** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – vector of magnitude values
- **P** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – vector of phase values (in radians)
- **UAP** (*np.ndarray of shape (2N, 2N) or of shape (2N,)*) – covariance matrix associated with (A,P) or vector of squared standard uncertainties [ $u^2(A), u^2(P)$ ]
- **keep\_sparse** (*bool*<sup>60</sup>, *optional*) – whether to transform sparse matrix to numpy array or not

#### Returns

- **F** (*np.ndarray of shape (2N,)*) – vector of real and imaginary parts of DFT result
- **UF** (*np.ndarray of shape (2N, 2N)*) – covariance matrix associated with F

**Raises** [ValueError](#)<sup>61</sup> – If dimensions of A, P and UAP do not match.

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.AmpPhase2Time(A: numpy.ndarray62, P: numpy.ndarray63, UAP: numpy.ndarray64) → Tuple[numpy.ndarray65, numpy.ndarray66]`

Transformation from amplitude and phase to time domain

GUM propagation of covariance matrix UAP associated with DFT amplitude A and phase P to the result of the inverse DFT. Uncertainty UAP is assumed to be given for amplitude and phase with blocks:  $UAP = [[u(A,A), u(A,P)], [u(P,A), u(P,P)]]$

#### Parameters

- **A** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – vector of amplitude values
- **P** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – vector of phase values (in rad)
- **UAP** (*np.ndarray of shape (2N, 2N)*) – covariance matrix associated with [A,P]

#### Returns

- **x** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – vector of time domain values
- **Ux** (*np.ndarray of shape (2N, 2N)*) – covariance matrix associated with x

**Raises** [ValueError](#)<sup>67</sup> – If dimension of UAP is not even.

<sup>54</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>55</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>56</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>57</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>58</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>59</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>60</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>61</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/exceptions.html#ValueError>

PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate\_DFT.DFT2AmpPhase(*F*: [numpy.ndarray](https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray)<sup>68</sup>, *UF*: [numpy.ndarray](https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray)<sup>69</sup>,  
*keep\_sparse*: *Optional*[[bool](https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool)<sup>70</sup>] = *False*, *tol*:  
*Optional*[[float](https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float)<sup>71</sup>] = *1.0*, *return\_type*: *Optional*[[str](https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str)<sup>72</sup>]  
= 'separate') → Union[Tuple[[numpy.ndarray](https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray)<sup>73</sup>,  
[numpy.ndarray](https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray)<sup>74</sup>], Tuple[[numpy.ndarray](https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray)<sup>75</sup>,  
[numpy.ndarray](https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray)<sup>76</sup>, [numpy.ndarray](https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray)<sup>77</sup>]]

Transformation from real and imaginary parts to magnitude and phase

Calculate the matrix  $U_{AP} = [[U_1, U_2], [U_2^T, U_3]]$  associated with magnitude and phase of the vector  $F=[real, imag]$  with associated covariance matrix  $U_F=[[URR, URI], [URI^T, UII]]$

#### Parameters

- **F** (*np.ndarray* of shape  $(2M,)$ ) – vector of real and imaginary parts of a DFT result
- **UF** (*np.ndarray* of shape  $(2M, 2M)$ ) – covariance matrix associated with F
- **keep\_sparse** (*bool*<sup>78</sup>, *optional*) – if true then UAP will be sparse if UF is one-dimensional
- **tol** (*float*<sup>79</sup>, *optional*) – lower bound for A/uF below which a warning will be issued concerning unreliable results
- **return\_type** (*str*<sup>80</sup>, *optional*) – If “separate” then magnitude and phase are returned as separate arrays A and P. Otherwise the list [A, P] is returned
- **separate** (*If return\_type ==*) –

#### Returns

- **A** (*np.ndarray*) – vector of magnitude values
- **P** (*np.ndarray*) – vector of phase values in radians, in the range  $[-\pi, \pi]$ , but only present if *return\_type* = 'separate'
- **UAP** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix associated with (A,P)
- *Otherwise*

#### Returns

- **AP** (*np.ndarray*) – vector of magnitude and phase values
- **UAP** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix associated with AP

<sup>62</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>63</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>64</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>65</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>66</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>67</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/exceptions.html#ValueError>

<sup>68</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>69</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>70</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>71</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>72</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

<sup>73</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>74</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>75</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>76</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>77</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>78</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>79</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>80</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.DFT_deconv`(*H*: [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>81</sup>, *Y*: [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>82</sup>, *UH*: [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>83</sup>, *UY*: [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>84</sup>) → [Tuple](#)[[numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>85</sup>, [Union](#)[[Tuple](#)[[numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>86</sup>, [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>87</sup>, [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>88</sup>], [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>89</sup>]]

Deconvolution in the frequency domain

GUM propagation of uncertainties for the deconvolution  $X = Y/H$  with *Y* and *H* being the Fourier transform of the measured signal and of the system's impulse response, respectively.

This function returns the covariance matrix as a tuple of blocks if too large for complete storage in memory.

#### Parameters

- **H** ([np.ndarray](#) of shape  $(2M,)$ ) – real and imaginary parts of frequency response values (*M* an even integer)
- **Y** ([np.ndarray](#) of shape  $(2M,)$ ) – real and imaginary parts of DFT values
- **UH** ([np.ndarray](#) of shape  $(2M, 2M)$  or  $(2M,)$ ) – full covariance or diagonal of the covariance matrix associated with *H*
- **UY** ([np.ndarray](#) of shape  $(2M, 2M)$  or  $(2M,)$ ) – full covariance or diagonal of the covariance matrix associated with *Y*

#### Returns

- **X** ([np.ndarray](#) of shape  $(2M,)$ ) – real and imaginary parts of DFT values of deconv result
- **UX** ([np.ndarray](#) of shape  $(2M, 2M)$  or 3-tuple of [np.ndarray](#) of shape  $(M, M)$ ) – Covariance matrix associated with real and imaginary part of *X*. If the matrix fully assembled does not fit the memory, we return the auto-covariance for the real parts `URRX` and the imaginary parts `UIIX` and the covariance between the real and imaginary parts `URIX` as separate [np.ndarrays](#)<sup>90</sup> arranged as follows: (URRX, URIX, UIIX)

#### References

- Eichstädt and Wilkens [Eichst2016]

**Raises** [ValueError](#)<sup>91</sup> – If dimensions of *H*, *Y*, *UY* and *UH* do not match accordingly.

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.DFT_multiply`(*Y*: [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>92</sup>, *F*: [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>93</sup>, *UY*: [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>94</sup>, *UF*: [Optional](#)[[numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>95</sup>] = *None*) → [Tuple](#)[[numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>96</sup>, [numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>97</sup>]

Multiplication in the frequency domain

GUM uncertainty propagation for multiplication in the frequency domain, where the second factor *F* may have an associated uncertainty. This method can be used, for instance, for the application of a low-pass filter in the frequency domain or the application of deconvolution as a multiplication with an inverse of known uncertainty.

<sup>81</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>82</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>83</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>84</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>85</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>86</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>87</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>88</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>89</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>90</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>91</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/exceptions.html#ValueError>

**Parameters**

- **Y** (*np.ndarray of shape (2M,)*) – real and imaginary parts of the first factor
- **F** (*np.ndarray of shape (2M,)*) – real and imaginary parts of the second factor
- **UY** (*np.ndarray either of shape (2M,) or of shape (2M,2M)*) – covariance matrix or squared uncertainty associated with Y
- **UF** (*np.ndarray of shape (2M,2M), optional*) – covariance matrix associated with F

**Returns**

- **YF** (*np.ndarray of shape (2M,)*) – the product of Y and F
- **UYF** (*np.ndarray of shape (2M,2M)*) – the uncertainty associated with YF

**Raises** **ValueError**<sup>98</sup> – If dimensions of Y and F do not match.

PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate\_DFT.**DFT\_transferfunction**(X, Y, UX, UY)

Calculation of the transfer function  $H = Y/X$  in the frequency domain

Calculate the transfer function with X being the Fourier transform of the system's input signal and Y that of the output signal.

**Parameters**

- **X** (*np.ndarray*) – real and imaginary parts of the system's input signal
- **Y** (*np.ndarray*) – real and imaginary parts of the system's output signal
- **UX** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix associated with X
- **UY** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix associated with Y

**Returns**

- **H** (*np.ndarray*) – real and imaginary parts of the system's frequency response
- **UH** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix associated with H

This function only calls *DFT\_deconv*.

PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate\_DFT.**GUM\_DFT**(x: *numpy.ndarray*<sup>99</sup>, Ux: *Union[numpy.ndarray*<sup>100</sup>, *float*<sup>101</sup>], N: *Optional[int*<sup>102</sup>] = None, window: *Optional[numpy.ndarray*<sup>103</sup>] = None, CxCos: *Optional[numpy.ndarray*<sup>104</sup>] = None, CxSin: *Optional[numpy.ndarray*<sup>105</sup>] = None, returnC: *Optional[bool*<sup>106</sup>] = False, mask: *Optional[numpy.ndarray*<sup>107</sup>] = None) → *Union[Tuple[numpy.ndarray*<sup>108</sup>, *Union[Tuple[numpy.ndarray*<sup>109</sup>, *numpy.ndarray*<sup>110</sup>, *numpy.ndarray*<sup>111</sup>], *numpy.ndarray*<sup>112</sup>], *Tuple[numpy.ndarray*<sup>113</sup>, *Union[Tuple[numpy.ndarray*<sup>114</sup>, *numpy.ndarray*<sup>115</sup>, *numpy.ndarray*<sup>116</sup>], *numpy.ndarray*<sup>117</sup>], *Dict[str*<sup>118</sup>, *numpy.ndarray*<sup>119</sup>]]]

Calculation of the DFT with propagation of uncertainty

<sup>92</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>93</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>94</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

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<sup>96</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>97</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>98</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/exceptions.html#ValueError>

Calculation of the DFT of the time domain signal  $x$  and propagation of the squared uncertainty  $U_x$  associated with the time domain sequence  $x$  to the real and imaginary parts of the DFT of  $x$ .

#### Parameters

- **$x$**  (*np.ndarray of shape (M,)*) – vector of time domain signal values
- **$U_x$**  (*np.ndarray of shape (M,) or of shape (M,M) or float<sup>120</sup>*) – covariance matrix associated with  $x$ , or vector of squared standard uncertainties, or noise variance as float
- **$N$**  (*int<sup>121</sup>, optional*) – length of time domain signal for DFT;  $N \geq \text{len}(x)$
- **window** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,)*, *optional*) – vector of the time domain window values
- **CxCos** (*np.ndarray, optional*) – cosine part of sensitivity matrix
- **CxSin** (*np.ndarray, optional*) – sine part of sensitivity matrix
- **returnC** (*bool<sup>122</sup>, optional*) – if True, return sensitivity matrix blocks, if False (default) do not return them
- **mask** (*ndarray of dtype bool, optional*) – calculate DFT values and uncertainties only at those frequencies where mask is True

#### Returns

- **$F$**  (*np.ndarray*) – vector of complex valued DFT values or of its real and imaginary parts
- **$UF$**  (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix associated with real and imaginary part of  $F$
- **CxCos and CxSin** (*Dict*) – Keys are “CxCos”, “CxSin” and values the respective sensitivity matrix entries

#### References

- Eichstädt and Wilkens [Eichst2016]

**Raises** **ValueError<sup>123</sup>** – If  $N < \text{len}(x)$

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.GUM_DFTfreq(N, dt=1)`

Return the Discrete Fourier Transform sample frequencies

**Parameters**

- **N** ([int](#)<sup>124</sup>) – window length
- **dt** ([float](#)<sup>125</sup>) – sample spacing (inverse of sampling rate)

**Returns** **f** – Array of length  $n/2 + 1$  containing the sample frequencies

**Return type** ndarray

**See also:**

[None](#)<sup>126</sup> :`numpy.fft.rfftfreq`

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.GUM_idFT(F: numpy.ndarray127, UF: numpy.ndarray128, Nx: Optional[int129] = None, Cc: Optional[numpy.ndarray130] = None, Cs: Optional[numpy.ndarray131] = None, returnC: Optional[bool132] = False) → Union[Tuple[numpy.ndarray133, numpy.ndarray134], Tuple[numpy.ndarray135, numpy.ndarray136, Dict[str137, numpy.ndarray138]]]`

Propagation of squared uncertainties UF associated with the DFT values F

GUM propagation of the squared uncertainties UF associated with the DFT values F through the inverse DFT.

The matrix UF is assumed to be for real and imaginary part with blocks:  $UF = [[u(R,R), u(R,I)], [u(I,R), u(I,I)]]$  and real and imaginary part obtained from calling `rfft` (DFT for real-valued signal)

**Parameters**

- **F** (`np.ndarray of shape (2M,)`) – vector of real and imaginary parts of a DFT result

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<sup>99</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>100</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>101</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>102</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>103</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>104</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>105</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>106</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>107</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>108</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>109</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>110</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>111</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>112</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>113</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>114</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>115</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>116</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>117</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>118</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

<sup>119</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>120</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>121</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>122</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>123</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/exceptions.html#ValueError>

<sup>124</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>125</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>126</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/constants.html#None>

- **UF** (*np.ndarray of shape (2M, 2M)*) – covariance matrix associated with real and imaginary parts of F
- **Nx** (*int<sup>139</sup>, optional*) – number of samples of iDFT result
- **Cc** (*np.ndarray, optional*) – cosine part of sensitivities (without scaling factor 1/N)
- **Cs** (*np.ndarray, optional*) – sine part of sensitivities (without scaling factor 1/N)
- **returnC** (*bool<sup>140</sup>, optional*) – If True, return sensitivity matrix blocks (without scaling factor 1/N), if False do not return them

#### Returns

- **x** (*np.ndarray*) – vector of time domain signal values
- **Ux** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix associated with x
- **Cc and Cs** (*Dict*) – Keys are “Cc”, “Cs” and values the respective sensitivity matrix entries

#### References

- Eichstädt and Wilkens [Eichst2016]

**Raises** **ValueError<sup>141</sup>** – If Nx is not smaller than dimension of UF - 2

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.Time2AmpPhase(x: numpy.ndarray142, Ux: Union[numpy.ndarray143, float144]) → Tuple[numpy.ndarray145, numpy.ndarray146, numpy.ndarray147]`

Transformation from time domain to amplitude and phase via DFT

#### Parameters

- **x** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – time domain signal
- **Ux** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,) or of shape (N,N) or float<sup>148</sup>*) – covariance matrix associated with x, or vector of squared standard uncertainties, or noise variance as float

#### Returns

- **A** (*np.ndarray*) – amplitude values
- **P** (*np.ndarray*) – phase values
- **UAP** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix associated with [A,P]

<sup>127</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>128</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>129</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>130</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>131</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>132</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>133</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>134</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>135</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>136</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>137</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

<sup>138</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>139</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>140</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>141</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/exceptions.html#ValueError>

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.Time2AmpPhase_multi(x, Ux, selector=None)`

Transformation from time domain to amplitude and phase

Perform transformation for a set of M signals of the same type.

#### Parameters

- **x** (*np.ndarray of shape (M, nx)*) – M time domain signals of length nx
- **Ux** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,)*) – squared standard deviations representing noise variances of the signals x
- **selector** (*np.ndarray of shape (L,)*, optional) – indices of amplitude and phase values that should be returned; default is 0:N-1

#### Returns

- **A** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,N)*) – amplitude values
- **P** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,N)*) – phase values
- **UAP** (*np.ndarray of shape (M, 3N)*) – diagonals of the covariance matrices: [diag(UAA), diag(UAP), diag(UPP)]

## 4.3 Uncertainty evaluation for digital filtering

This module contains functions for the propagation of uncertainties through the application of a digital filter using the GUM approach.

This modules contains the following functions:

- `FIRuncFilter()`: Uncertainty propagation for signal y and uncertain FIR filter theta
- `IIRuncFilter()`: Uncertainty propagation for the signal x and the uncertain IIR filter (b,a)

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**Note:** The Elster-Link paper for FIR filters assumes that the autocovariance is known and that noise is stationary!

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`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_filter.FIRuncFilter(y, sigma_noise, theta, Utheta=None, shift=0, blow=None, kind='corr', return_full_covariance=False)`

Uncertainty propagation for signal y and uncertain FIR filter theta

A preceding FIR low-pass filter with coefficients *blow* can be provided optionally.

This method keeps the signature of `PyDynamic.uncertainty.FIRuncFilter`, but internally works differently and can return a full covariance matrix. Also, *sigma\_noise* can be a full covariance matrix.

#### Parameters

- **y** (*np.ndarray*) – filter input signal
- **sigma\_noise** (*float*<sup>149</sup> or *np.ndarray*) – float: standard deviation of white noise in y  
1D-array: interpretation depends on kind 2D-array: full covariance of input

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<sup>142</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>143</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>144</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>145</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>146</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>147</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>148</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>



- **theta** (*np.ndarray*) – FIR filter coefficients
- **Utheta** (*np.ndarray*, *optional*) – 1D-array: coefficient-wise standard uncertainties of filter 2D-array: covariance matrix associated with theta if the filter is fully certain, use *Utheta* = *None* (default) to make use of more efficient calculations. see also the comparison given in <examplesDigital filteringFIRuncFilter\_runtime\_comparison.py>
- **shift** (*int*<sup>150</sup>, *optional*) – time delay of filter output signal (in samples) (defaults to 0)
- **blow** (*np.ndarray*, *optional*) – optional FIR low-pass filter
- **kind** (*string*) – only meaningful in combination with sigma\_noise a 1D numpy array “diag”: point-wise standard uncertainties of non-stationary white noise “corr”: single sided autocovariance of stationary (colored/correlated) noise (default)
- **return\_full\_covariance** (*bool*<sup>151</sup>, *optional*) – whether or not to return a full covariance of the output, defaults to False

### Returns

- **x** (*np.ndarray*) – FIR filter output signal
- **Ux** (*np.ndarray*) – return\_full\_covariance == False : point-wise standard uncertainties associated with x (default) return\_full\_covariance == True : covariance matrix containing uncertainties associated with x

### References

- Elster and Link 2008 [Elster2008]

### See also:

*PyDynamic.model\_estimation.fit\_filter*

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_filter.IIRuncFilter(x, noise, b, a, Uab)`

Uncertainty propagation for the signal x and the uncertain IIR filter (b,a)

### Parameters

- **x** (*np.ndarray*) – filter input signal
- **noise** (*float*<sup>152</sup>) – signal noise standard deviation
- **b** (*np.ndarray*) – filter numerator coefficients
- **a** (*np.ndarray*) – filter denominator coefficients
- **Uab** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance matrix for (a[1:],b)

### Returns

- **y** (*np.ndarray*) – filter output signal
- **Uy** (*np.ndarray*) – uncertainty associated with y

<sup>149</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>150</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>151</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

## References

- Link and Elster [[Link2009](#)]

## 4.4 Monte Carlo methods for digital filtering

The propagation of uncertainties via the FIR and IIR formulae alone does not enable the derivation of credible intervals, because the underlying distribution remains unknown. The GUM-S2 Monte Carlo method provides a reference method for the calculation of uncertainties for such cases.

This module implements Monte Carlo methods for the propagation of uncertainties for digital filtering.

This module contains the following functions:

- `MC()`: Standard Monte Carlo method for application of digital filter
- `SMC()`: Sequential Monte Carlo method with reduced computer memory requirements
- `UMC()`: Update Monte Carlo method for application of digital filters with reduced computer memory requirements
- `UMC_generic()`: Update Monte Carlo method with reduced computer memory requirements

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_MonteCarlo.MC(x, Ux, b, a, Uab, runs=1000, blow=None, alow=None, return_samples=False, shift=0, verbose=True)`

Standard Monte Carlo method

Monte Carlo based propagation of uncertainties for a digital filter (b,a) with uncertainty matrix  $U_\theta$  for  $\theta = (a_1, \dots, a_{N_a}, b_0, \dots, b_{N_b})^T$

### Parameters

- **x** (`np.ndarray`) – filter input signal
- **Ux** (`float`<sup>153</sup> or `np.ndarray`) – standard deviation of signal noise (float), point-wise standard uncertainties or covariance matrix associated with x
- **b** (`np.ndarray`) – filter numerator coefficients
- **a** (`np.ndarray`) – filter denominator coefficients
- **Uab** (`np.ndarray`) – uncertainty matrix  $U_\theta$
- **runs** (`int`<sup>154</sup>, *optional*) – number of Monte Carlo runs
- **return\_samples** (`bool`<sup>155</sup>, *optional*) – whether samples or mean and std are returned

If `return_samples` is `False`, the method returns:

### Returns

- **y** (`np.ndarray`) – filter output signal
- **Uy** (`np.ndarray`) – uncertainty associated with

Otherwise the method returns:

**Returns** **Y** – array of Monte Carlo results

**Return type** `np.ndarray`

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<sup>152</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

## References

- Eichstädt, Link, Harris and Elster [Eichst2012]

PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate\_MonteCarlo.SMC(*x*, *noise\_std*, *b*, *a*, *Uab*=None, *runs*=1000, *Perc*=None, *blow*=None, *alow*=None, *shift*=0, *return\_samples*=False, *phi*=None, *theta*=None, *Delta*=0.0)

Sequential Monte Carlo method

Sequential Monte Carlo propagation for a digital filter (b,a) with uncertainty matrix  $U_\theta$  for  $\theta = (a_1, \dots, a_{N_a}, b_0, \dots, b_{N_b})^T$

### Parameters

- **x** (*np.ndarray*) – filter input signal
- **noise\_std** (*float*<sup>156</sup>) – standard deviation of signal noise
- **b** (*np.ndarray*) – filter numerator coefficients
- **a** (*np.ndarray*) – filter denominator coefficients
- **Uab** (*np.ndarray*) – uncertainty matrix  $U_\theta$
- **runs** (*int*<sup>157</sup>, *optional*) – number of Monte Carlo runs
- **Perc** (*list*<sup>158</sup>, *optional*) – list of percentiles for quantile calculation
- **blow** (*np.ndarray*) – optional low-pass filter numerator coefficients
- **alow** (*np.ndarray*) – optional low-pass filter denominator coefficients
- **shift** (*int*<sup>159</sup>) – integer for time delay of output signals
- **return\_samples** (*bool*<sup>160</sup>, *optional*) – whether to return y and Uy or the matrix Y of MC results
- **phi** (*np.ndarray*, *optional*) – parameters for AR(MA) noise model  $\epsilon(n) = \sum_k \phi_k \epsilon(n-k) + \sum_k \theta_k w(n-k) + w(n)$  with  $w(n) \sim N(0, noise_s td^2)$
- **theta** (*np.ndarray*, *optional*) – parameters for AR(MA) noise model  $\epsilon(n) = \sum_k \phi_k \epsilon(n-k) + \sum_k \theta_k w(n-k) + w(n)$  with  $w(n) \sim N(0, noise_s td^2)$
- **Delta** (*float*<sup>161</sup>, *optional*) – upper bound on systematic error of the filter

If *return\_samples* is False, the method returns:

### Returns

- **y** (*np.ndarray*) – filter output signal (Monte Carlo mean)
- **Uy** (*np.ndarray*) – uncertainties associated with y (Monte Carlo point-wise std)
- **Quant** (*np.ndarray*) – quantiles corresponding to percentiles *Perc* (if not None)

Otherwise the method returns:

**Returns** **Y** – array of all Monte Carlo results

**Return type** *np.ndarray*

<sup>153</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>154</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>155</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

## References

- Eichstädt, Link, Harris, Elster [Eichst2012]

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_MonteCarlo.UMC(x, b, a, Uab, runs=1000, blocksize=8, blow=1.0, alow=1.0, phi=0.0, theta=0.0, sigma=1, Delta=0.0, runs_init=100, nbins=1000, credible_interval=0.95)`

Batch Monte Carlo for filtering using update formulae for mean, variance and (approximated) histogram. This is a wrapper for the UMC\_generic function, specialised on filters

### Parameters

- **x** (`np.ndarray`, *shape* (`nx`, )) – filter input signal
- **b** (`np.ndarray`, *shape* (`nbb`, )) – filter numerator coefficients
- **a** (`np.ndarray`, *shape* (`naa`, )) – filter denominator coefficients, normalization (`a[0] == 1.0`) is assumed
- **Uab** (`np.ndarray`, *shape* (`naa + nbb - 1`, )) – uncertainty matrix  $U_\theta$
- **runs** (`int`<sup>162</sup>, *optional*) – number of Monte Carlo runs
- **blocksize** (`int`<sup>163</sup>, *optional*) – how many samples should be evaluated for at a time
- **blow** (`float`<sup>164</sup> or `np.ndarray`, *optional*) – filter coefficients of optional low pass filter
- **alow** (`float`<sup>165</sup> or `np.ndarray`, *optional*) – filter coefficients of optional low pass filter
- **phi** (`np.ndarray`, *optional*,) – see `misc.noise.ARMA` noise model
- **theta** (`np.ndarray`, *optional*) – see `misc.noise.ARMA` noise model
- **sigma** (`float`<sup>166</sup>, *optional*) – see `misc.noise.ARMA` noise model
- **Delta** (`float`<sup>167</sup>, *optional*) – upper bound of systematic correction due to regularisation (assume uniform distribution)
- **runs\_init** (`int`<sup>168</sup>, *optional*) – how many samples to evaluate to form initial guess about limits
- **nbins** (`int`<sup>169</sup>, *list of int*, *optional*) – number of bins for histogram
- **credible\_interval** (`float`<sup>170</sup>, *optional*) – must be in  $[0,1]$  central credible interval size

By default, phi, theta, sigma are chosen such, that  $N(0,1)$ -noise is added to the input signal.

### Returns

- **y** (`np.ndarray`) – filter output signal
- **Uy** (`np.ndarray`) – uncertainty associated with
- **y\_cred\_low** (`np.ndarray`) – lower boundary of credible interval
- **y\_cred\_high** (`np.ndarray`) – upper boundary of credible interval

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<sup>156</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>157</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>158</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#list>

<sup>159</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>160</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>161</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

- **happpr** (*dict*) – dictionary keys: given nbin dictionary values: bin-edges val[“bin-edges”], bin-counts val[“bin-counts”]

## References

- Eichstädt, Link, Harris, Elster [Eichst2012]
- ported to python in 2019-08 from matlab-version of Sascha Eichstaedt (PTB) from 2011-10-12
- copyright on updating formulae parts is by Peter Harris (NPL)

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_MonteCarlo.UMC_generic`(*draw\_samples, evaluate, runs=100, blocksize=8, runs\_init=10, nbins=100, return\_samples=False, n\_cpu=2*)

Generic Batch Monte Carlo using update formulae for mean, variance and (approximated) histogram. Assumes that the input and output of evaluate are numeric vectors (but not necessarily of same dimension). If the output of evaluate is multi-dimensional, it will be flattened into 1D.

### Parameters

- **draw\_samples** (*function(int nDraws)*) – function that draws nDraws from a given distribution / population needs to return a list of (multi dimensional) numpy.ndarrays
- **evaluate** (*function(sample)*) – function that evaluates a sample and returns the result needs to return a (multi dimensional) numpy.ndarray
- **runs** (*int<sup>171</sup>, optional*) – number of Monte Carlo runs
- **blocksize** (*int<sup>172</sup>, optional*) – how many samples should be evaluated for at a time
- **runs\_init** (*int<sup>173</sup>, optional*) – how many samples to evaluate to form initial guess about limits
- **nbins** (*int<sup>174</sup>, list of int, optional*) – number of bins for histogram
- **return\_samples** (*bool<sup>175</sup>, optional*) – see return-value of documentation
- **n\_cpu** (*int<sup>176</sup>, optional*) – number of CPUs to use for multiprocessing, defaults to all available CPUs

## Example

draw samples from multivariate normal distribution: `draw_samples = lambda size: np.random.multivariate_normal(x, Ux, size)`

build a function, that only accepts one argument by masking additional kwargs: `evaluate = functools.partial(_UMCevaluate, nbb=b.size, x=x, Delta=Delta, phi=phi, theta=theta, sigma=sigma, blow=blow, alow=alow)` `evaluate = functools.partial(bigFunction, **dict_of_kwargs)`

By default the method

<sup>162</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>163</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>164</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>165</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>166</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>167</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>168</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>169</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>170</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

**Returns**

- **y** (*np.ndarray*) – mean of flattened/raveled simulation output i.e.: `y = np.ravel(evaluate(sample))`
- **Uy** (*np.ndarray*) – covariance associated with y
- **happrr** (*dict*) – dictionary of bin-edges and bin-counts
- **output\_shape** (*tuple*) – shape of the unraveled simulation output can be used to reshape y and `np.diag(Uy)` into original shape

If `return_samples` is `True`, the method additionally returns all evaluated samples. This should only be done for testing and debugging reasons, as this removes all memory-improvements of the UMC-method.

**Returns** **sims** – dict of samples and corresponding results of every evaluated simulation samples and results are saved in their original shape

**Return type** `dict`<sup>177</sup>

**References**

- Eichstädt, Link, Harris, Elster [Eichst2012]

## 4.5 Uncertainty evaluation for interpolation

Deprecated since version 2.0.0: The module `PyDynamic.uncertainty.interpolation` will be renamed to `PyDynamic.uncertainty.interpolate` in the next major release 2.0.0. From version 1.4.3 on you should only use the new module instead.

The `PyDynamic.uncertainty.interpolation` module implements methods for the propagation of uncertainties in the application of standard interpolation methods as provided by `scipy.interpolate.interp1d`<sup>178</sup>.

This module for now still contains the following function:

- `interp1d_unc()`: Interpolate arbitrary time series considering the associated uncertainties

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<sup>171</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>172</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>173</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>174</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>175</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>176</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>177</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#dict>

<sup>178</sup> <https://docs.scipy.org/doc/scipy/reference/reference/generated/scipy.interpolate.interp1d.html#scipy.interpolate.interp1d>

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PyDynamic.uncertainty.interpolation.interp1d_unc(t_new: numpy.ndarray179, t: numpy.ndarray180, y:
numpy.ndarray181, uy: numpy.ndarray182, kind:
Optional[str183] = 'linear', copy=True,
bounds_error: Optional[bool184] = None, fill_value:
Optional[Union[float185, Tuple[float186, float187],
str188]] = nan, fill_unc: Optional[Union[float189,
Tuple[float190, float191], str192]] = nan,
assume_sorted: Optional[bool193] = True, returnC:
Optional[bool194] = False) →
Union[Tuple[numpy.ndarray195, numpy.ndarray196,
numpy.ndarray197], Tuple[numpy.ndarray198,
numpy.ndarray199, numpy.ndarray200,
numpy.ndarray201]]
```

Interpolate a 1-D function considering the associated uncertainties

*t* and *y* are arrays of values used to approximate some function  $f: y = f(t)$ .

Note that calling `interp1d_unc()` with NaNs present in input values results in undefined behaviour.

An equal number of each of the original timestamps (or frequencies), values and associated uncertainties is required.

#### Parameters

- ***t\_new*** (*(M,)* *array\_like*) – A 1-D array of real values representing the timestamps (or frequencies) at which to evaluate the interpolated values. *t\_new* can be sorted in any order.
- ***t*** (*(N,)* *array\_like*) – A 1-D array of real values representing timestamps (or frequencies) in ascending order.
- ***y*** (*(N,)* *array\_like*) – A 1-D array of real values. The length of *y* must be equal to the length of *t*.
- ***uy*** (*(N,)* *array\_like*) – A 1-D array of real values representing the standard uncertainties associated with *y*.
- ***kind*** (*str*<sup>202</sup>, *optional*) – Specifies the kind of interpolation for *y* as a string ('previous', 'next', 'nearest', 'linear' or 'cubic'). Default is 'linear'.
- ***copy*** (*bool*<sup>203</sup>, *optional*) – If True, the method makes internal copies of *t* and *y*. If False, references to *t* and *y* are used. The default is to copy.
- ***bounds\_error*** (*bool*<sup>204</sup>, *optional*) – If True, a `ValueError` is raised any time interpolation is attempted on a value outside of the range of *x* (where extrapolation is necessary). If False, out of bounds values are assigned *fill\_value*. By default, an error is raised unless *fill\_value*="extrapolate".
- ***fill\_value*** (*array-like or (array-like, array-like) or "extrapolate"*, *optional*) –
  - if a *ndarray* (or *float*), this value will be used to fill in for requested points outside of the data range. If not provided, then the default is `NaN`.
  - If a two-element tuple, then the first element is used as a fill value for  $t_{new} < t[0]$  and the second element is used for  $t_{new} > t[-1]$ . Anything that is not a 2-element tuple (e.g., list or *ndarray*, regardless of shape) is taken to be a single array-like argument meant to be used for both bounds as *below*, *above* = *fill\_value*, *fill\_value*.
  - If "extrapolate", then points outside the data range will be set to the first or last element of the values.

- If cubic-interpolation, C2-continuity at the transition to the extrapolation-range is not guaranteed. This behavior might change in future implementations, see issue #210 for details.

Both parameters *fill\_value* and *fill\_unc* should be provided to ensure desired behaviour in the extrapolation range.

- **fill\_unc** (*array-like or (array-like, array-like) or “extrapolate”, optional*) – Usage and behaviour as described in *fill\_value* but for the uncertainties. Both parameters *fill\_value* and *fill\_unc* should be provided to ensure desired behaviour in the extrapolation range.
- **assume\_sorted** (*bool<sup>205</sup>, optional*) – If False, values of *t* can be in any order and they are sorted first. If True, *t* has to be an array of monotonically increasing values.
- **returnC** (*bool<sup>206</sup>, optional*) – If True, return sensitivity coefficients for later use. This is only available for interpolation kind ‘linear’ and for *fill\_unc*=“extrapolate” at the moment. If False sensitivity coefficients are not returned and internal computation is slightly more efficient.

If *returnC* is False, which is the default behaviour, the method returns:

#### Returns

- **t\_new** ((*M*,) *array\_like*) – interpolation timestamps (or frequencies)
- **y\_new** ((*M*,) *array\_like*) – interpolated values
- **uy\_new** ((*M*,) *array\_like*) – interpolated associated standard uncertainties

Otherwise the method returns:

#### Returns

- **t\_new** ((*M*,) *array\_like*) – interpolation timestamps (or frequencies)
- **y\_new** ((*M*,) *array\_like*) – interpolated values
- **uy\_new** ((*M*,) *array\_like*) – interpolated associated standard uncertainties
- **C** ((*M*,*N*) *array\_like*) – sensitivity matrix *C*, which is used to compute the uncertainties  
$$U_{y_{new}} = C \cdot \text{diag}(u_y^2) \cdot C^T$$



## References

- White [White2017]

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## MODEL ESTIMATION

The estimation of the measurand in the analysis of dynamic measurements typically corresponds to a deconvolution problem. Therefore, a digital filter can be designed whose input is the measured system output signal and whose output is an estimate of the measurand. The package *Model estimation* implements methods for the design of such filters given an array of frequency response values or the reciprocal of frequency response values with associated uncertainties for the measurement system.

The package *Model estimation* also contains a function for the identification of transfer function models.

The package consists of the following modules:

- *PyDynamic.model\_estimation.fit\_filter*: least-squares fit to a given complex frequency response or its reciprocal
- *PyDynamic.model\_estimation.fit\_transfer*: identification of transfer function models

### 5.1 Fitting filters to frequency response or reciprocal

The module *PyDynamic.model\_estimation.fit\_filter* contains several functions to carry out a least-squares fit to a given complex frequency response and the design of digital deconvolution filters by least-squares fitting to the reciprocal of a given frequency response each with associated uncertainties.

This module contains the following functions:

- *LSIIR()*: Least-squares IIR filter fit to a given frequency response
- *LSFIR()*: Least-squares fit of a digital FIR filter to a given frequency response
- *invLSFIR()*: Least-squares fit of a digital FIR filter to the reciprocal of a given frequency response.
- *invLSFIR\_unc()*: Design of FIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values with uncertainty
- *invLSFIR\_uncMC()*: Design of FIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values with uncertainty via Monte Carlo
- *invLSIIR()*: Design of a stable IIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values
- *invLSIIR\_unc()*: Design of a stable IIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values with uncertainty

*PyDynamic.model\_estimation.fit\_filter.LSFIR(H, N, tau, f, Fs, Wt=None)*

Least-squares fit of a digital FIR filter to a given frequency response.

#### Parameters

- *H* (*complex*<sup>207</sup>) *frequency response values of shape (M,)* –
- *N* (*FIR filter order*) –
- *tau* (*delay of filter*) –

- **f** (*frequencies of shape (M,)*) –
- **Fs** (*sampling frequency of digital filter*) –
- **Wt** (*(optional) vector of weights of shape (M,) or shape (M,M)*) –

**Returns**

**Return type** filter coefficients bFIR (ndarray) of shape (N+1,)

PyDynamic.model\_estimation.fit\_filter.**LSIIR**(*Hvals, Nb, Na, f, Fs, tau=0, justFit=False*)  
Least-squares IIR filter fit to a given frequency response.

This method uses Gauss-Newton non-linear optimization and pole mapping for filter stabilization

**Parameters**

- **Hvals** (*numpy array of ([complex](#)<sup>208</sup>) frequency response values of shape (M,)*) –
- **Nb** (*integer numerator polynomial order*) –
- **Na** (*integer denominator polynomial order*) –
- **f** (*numpy array of frequencies at which Hvals is given of shape*) –
- **(M** –
- **)** –
- **Fs** (*sampling frequency*) –
- **tau** (*integer initial estimate of time delay*) –
- **justFit** (*boolean, when true then no stabilization is carried out*) –

**Returns**

- **b,a** (*IIR filter coefficients as numpy arrays*)
- **tau** (*filter time delay in samples*)

**References**

- Eichstädt et al. 2010 [[Eichst2010](#)]
- Vuerinckx et al. 1996 [[Vuer1996](#)]

PyDynamic.model\_estimation.fit\_filter.**invLSFIR**(*H, N, tau, f, Fs, Wt=None*)  
Least-squares fit of a digital FIR filter to the reciprocal of a given frequency response.

**Parameters**

- **H** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,) and dtype complex*) – frequency response values
- **N** (*int<sup>209</sup>*) – FIR filter order
- **tau** (*float<sup>210</sup>*) – delay of filter
- **f** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,)*) – frequencies
- **Fs** (*float<sup>211</sup>*) – sampling frequency of digital filter
- **Wt** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,) - optional*) – vector of weights

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<sup>207</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#complex>

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**Returns** **bFIR** – filter coefficients

**Return type** `np.ndarray` of shape  $(N,)$

## References

- Elster and Link [Elster2008]

`PyDynamic.model_estimation.fit_filter.invLSFIR_unc(H, UH, N, tau, f, Fs, wt=None, verbose=True, trunc_svd_tol=None)`

Design of FIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values with uncertainty

Least-squares fit of a digital FIR filter to the reciprocal of a frequency response for which associated uncertainties are given for its real and imaginary part. Uncertainties are propagated using a truncated svd and linear matrix propagation.

### Parameters

- **H** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(M,)$ ) – frequency response values
- **UH** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(2M, 2M)$ ) – uncertainties associated with the real and imaginary part
- **N** (`int`<sup>212</sup>) – FIR filter order
- **tau** (`float`<sup>213</sup>) – delay of filter
- **f** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(M,)$ ) – frequencies
- **Fs** (`float`<sup>214</sup>) – sampling frequency of digital filter
- **wt** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(2M,)$  - *optional*) – array of weights for a weighted least-squares method
- **verbose** (`bool`<sup>215</sup>, *optional*) – whether to print statements to the command line
- **trunc\_svd\_tol** (`float`<sup>216</sup>) – lower bound for singular values to be considered for pseudo-inverse

### Returns

- **b** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(N+1,)$ ) – filter coefficients of shape
- **Ub** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(N+1, N+1)$ ) – uncertainties associated with **b**

## References

- Elster and Link [Elster2008]

`PyDynamic.model_estimation.fit_filter.invLSFIR_uncMC(H, UH, N, tau, f, Fs, verbose=True)`

Design of FIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values with uncertainty

<sup>209</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>210</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

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<sup>215</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>216</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

Least-squares fit of a FIR filter to the reciprocal of a frequency response for which associated uncertainties are given for its real and imaginary parts. Uncertainties are propagated using a Monte Carlo method. This method may help in cases where the weighting matrix or the Jacobian are ill-conditioned, resulting in false uncertainties associated with the filter coefficients.

#### Parameters

- **H** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,) and dtype complex*) – frequency response values
- **UH** (*np.ndarray of shape (2M,2M)*) – uncertainties associated with the real and imaginary part of H
- **N** (*int<sup>217</sup>*) – FIR filter order
- **tau** (*int<sup>218</sup>*) – time delay of filter in samples
- **f** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,)*) – frequencies corresponding to H
- **Fs** (*float<sup>219</sup>*) – sampling frequency of digital filter
- **verbose** (*bool<sup>220</sup>, optional*) – whether to print statements to the command line

#### Returns

- **b** (*np.ndarray of shape (N+1,)*) – filter coefficients of shape
- **Ub** (*np.ndarray of shape (N+1, N+1)*) – uncertainties associated with b

#### References

- Elster and Link [Elster2008]

PyDynamic.model\_estimation.fit\_filter.**invLSIIR**(Hvals, Nb, Na, f, Fs, tau, justFit=False, verbose=True)  
Design of a stable IIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values

Least-squares fit of a digital IIR filter to the reciprocal of a given set of frequency response values using the equation-error method and stabilization by pole mapping and introduction of a time delay.

#### Parameters

- **Hvals** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,) and dtype complex*) – frequency response values.
- **Nb** (*int<sup>221</sup>*) – order of IIR numerator polynomial.
- **Na** (*int<sup>222</sup>*) – order of IIR denominator polynomial.
- **f** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,)*) – frequencies corresponding to Hvals
- **Fs** (*float<sup>223</sup>*) – sampling frequency for digital IIR filter.
- **tau** (*float<sup>224</sup>*) – initial estimate of time delay for filter stabilization.
- **justFit** (*bool<sup>225</sup>*) – if True then no stabilization is carried out.
- **verbose** (*bool<sup>226</sup>*) – If True print some more detail about input parameters.

#### Returns

- **b** (*np.ndarray*) – The IIR filter numerator coefficient vector in a 1-D sequence

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<sup>217</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>218</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>219</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>220</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

- **a** (*np.ndarray*) – The IIR filter denominator coefficient vector in a 1-D sequence
- **tau** (*int*) – time delay (in samples)

## References

- Eichstädt, Elster, Esward, Hessling [Eichst2010]

`PyDynamic.model_estimation.fit_filter.invLSIIR_unc(H, UH, Nb, Na, f, Fs, tau=0)`

Design of stabel IIR filter as fit to reciprocal of given frequency response with uncertainty

Least-squares fit of a digital IIR filter to the reciprocal of a given set of frequency response values with given associated uncertainty. Propagation of uncertainties is carried out using the Monte Carlo method.

### Parameters

- **H** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,) and dtype complex*) – frequency response values.
- **UH** (*np.ndarray of shape (2M,2M)*) – uncertainties associated with real and imaginary part of H
- **Nb** (*int<sup>227</sup>*) – order of IIR numerator polynomial.
- **Na** (*int<sup>228</sup>*) – order of IIR denominator polynomial.
- **f** (*np.ndarray of shape (M,)*) – frequencies corresponding to H
- **Fs** (*float<sup>229</sup>*) – sampling frequency for digital IIR filter.
- **tau** (*float<sup>230</sup>*) – initial estimate of time delay for filter stabilization.

### Returns

- **b,a** (*np.ndarray*) – IIR filter coefficients
- **tau** (*int*) – time delay (in samples)
- **Uba** (*np.ndarray of shape (Nb+Na+1, Nb+Na+1)*) – uncertainties associated with [a[1:],b]

## References

- Eichstädt, Elster, Esward and Hessling [Eichst2010]

### See also:

`PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_filter.IIRuncFilter`  
`fit_filter.invLSIIR`

`PyDynamic.model_estimation.`

<sup>221</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>  
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## 5.2 Identification of transfer function models

The module `PyDynamic.model_estimation.fit_transfer` contains a function for the identification of transfer function models.

This module contains the following function:

- `fit_som()`: Fit second-order model to complex-valued frequency response

`PyDynamic.model_estimation.fit_transfer.fit_som(f, H, UH=None, weighting=None, MCruns=None, scaling=0.001)`

Fit second-order model to complex-valued frequency response

Fit second-order model (spring-damper model) with parameters  $S_0$ ,  $\delta$  and  $f_0$  to complex-valued frequency response with uncertainty associated with real and imaginary parts.

For a transformation of an uncertainty associated with amplitude and phase to one associated with real and imaginary parts, see `PyDynamic.uncertainty.propagate_DFT.AmpPhase2DFT`.

### Parameters

- **f** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(M,)$ ) – vector of frequencies
- **H** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(2M,)$ ) – real and imaginary parts of measured frequency response values at frequencies  $f$
- **UH** (`np.ndarray` of shape  $(2M,)$  or  $(2M, 2M)$ ) – uncertainties associated with real and imaginary parts When UH is one-dimensional, it is assumed to contain standard uncertainties; otherwise it is taken as covariance matrix. When UH is not specified no uncertainties assoc. with the fit are calculated.
- **weighting** (`str`<sup>231</sup> or `array`) – Type of weighting (None, ‘diag’, ‘cov’) or array of weights ( length two times of f)
- **MCruns** (`int`<sup>232</sup>, optional) – Number of Monte Carlo trials for propagation of uncertainties. When MCruns is ‘None’, matrix multiplication is used for the propagation of uncertainties. However, in some cases this can cause trouble.
- **scaling** (`float`<sup>233</sup>) – scaling of least-squares design matrix for improved fit quality

### Returns

- **p** (`np.ndarray`) – vector of estimated model parameters [ $S_0$ ,  $\delta$ ,  $f_0$ ]
- **Up** (`np.ndarray`) – covariance associated with parameter estimate

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<sup>231</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

<sup>232</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>233</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>



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## DESIGN OF DECONVOLUTION FILTERS

Deprecated since version 1.2.71: The module *deconvolution* will be combined with the module *identification* and renamed to *model\_estimation* in the next major release 2.0.0. From then on you should only use the new module *Model estimation* instead. The functions `LSFIR()`, `LSFIR_unc()`, `LSIIR()`, `LSIIR_unc()`, `LSFIR_uncMC()` are then prefixed with an “inv” for “inverse”, indicating the treatment of the reciprocal of frequency response values. Please use the new function names (e.g. `PyDynamic.model_estimation.fit_filter.invLSIIR_unc()`) starting from version 1.4.1. The old function names without preceding “inv” will only be preserved until the release prior to version 2.0.0.

The `PyDynamic.deconvolution.fit_filter` module implements methods for the design of digital deconvolution filters by least-squares fitting to the reciprocal of a given frequency response with associated uncertainties.

This module for now still contains the following functions:

- `LSFIR()`: Least-squares fit of a digital FIR filter to the reciprocal of a given frequency response.
- `LSFIR_unc()`: Design of FIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values with uncertainty
- `LSFIR_uncMC()`: Design of FIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values with uncertainty via Monte Carlo
- `LSIIR()`: Design of a stable IIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values
- `LSIIR_unc()`: Design of a stable IIR filter as fit to reciprocal of frequency response values with uncertainty



## FITTING FILTERS AND TRANSFER FUNCTIONS MODELS

Deprecated since version 1.2.71: The package *identification* will be combined with the package *deconvolution* and renamed to *model\_estimation* in the next major release 2.0.0. From version 1.4.1 on you should only use the new package *Model estimation* instead.

The package for now still contains the following modules:

- `PyDynamic.identification.fit_filter`: least-squares fit to a given complex frequency response
- `PyDynamic.identification.fit_transfer`: identification of transfer function models

### 7.1 Fitting filters to frequency response

Deprecated since version 1.2.71: The package *identification* will be combined with the package *deconvolution* and renamed to *model\_estimation* in the next major release 2.0.0. From version 1.4.1 on you should only use the new package *Model estimation* instead.

This module contains several functions to carry out a least-squares fit to a given complex frequency response.

This module for now still contains the following functions:

- `LSIIR()`: Least-squares IIR filter fit to a given frequency response
- `LSFIR()`: Least-squares fit of a digital FIR filter to a given frequency response

### 7.2 Identification of transfer function models

Deprecated since version 1.2.71: The package *identification* will be combined with the package *deconvolution* and renamed to *model\_estimation* in the next major release 2.0.0. From version 1.4.1 on you should only use the new package *Model estimation* instead.

The module `PyDynamic.identification.fit_transfer` contains several functions for the identification of transfer function models.

This module for now still contains the following function:

- `fit_sos()`: Fit second-order model to complex-valued frequency response



## MISCELLANEOUS

The *Miscellaneous* package provides various functions and methods which are used in the examples and in some of the other implemented routines.

The package contains the following modules:

- *PyDynamic.misc.SecondOrderSystem*: tools for 2nd order systems
- *PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff*: tools for digital filters
- *PyDynamic.misc.testsignals*: test signals
- *PyDynamic.misc.noise*: noise related functions
- *PyDynamic.misc.tools*: miscellaneous useful helper functions

### 8.1 Tools for 2nd order systems

The *PyDynamic.misc.SecondOrderSystem* module is a collection of methods that are used throughout the whole package, specialized for second order dynamic systems, such as the ones used for high-class accelerometers.

This module contains the following functions:

- *sos\_FreqResp()*: Calculation of the system frequency response
- *sos\_phys2filter()*: Calculation of continuous filter coefficients from physical parameters
- *sos\_absphase()*: Propagation of uncertainty from physical parameters to real and imaginary part of system's transfer function using GUM S2 Monte Carlo
- *sos\_realimag()*: Propagation of uncertainty from physical parameters to real and imaginary part of system's transfer function using GUM S2 Monte Carlo

`PyDynamic.misc.SecondOrderSystem.sos_FreqResp(S, d, f0, freqs)`

Calculation of the system frequency response

The frequency response is calculated from the continuous physical model of a second order system given by

$$H(f) = \frac{4S\pi^2 f_0^2}{(2\pi f_0)^2 + 2jd(2\pi f_0)f - f^2}$$

If the provided system parameters are vectors then  $H(f)$  is calculated for each set of parameters. This is helpful for Monte Carlo simulations by using draws from the model parameters

#### Parameters

- **S** (*float*<sup>234</sup> or *ndarray shape (K,)*) – static gain
- **d** (*float*<sup>235</sup> or *ndarray shape (K,)*) – damping parameter

- **f0** (*float*<sup>236</sup> or *ndarray shape (K,)*) – resonance frequency
- **freqs** (*ndarray shape (N,)*) – frequencies at which to calculate the freq response

**Returns** **H** – complex frequency response values

**Return type** *ndarray shape (N,)* or *ndarray shape (N,K)*

`PyDynamic.misc.SecondOrderSystem.sos_absphase(S, d, f0, uS, ud, uf0, f, runs=10000)`

Propagation of uncertainty from physical parameters to real and imaginary part of system's transfer function using GUM S2 Monte Carlo.

**Parameters**

- **S** (*float*<sup>237</sup>) – static gain
- **d** (*float*<sup>238</sup>) – damping
- **f0** (*float*<sup>239</sup>) – resonance frequency
- **uS** (*float*<sup>240</sup>) – uncertainty associated with static gain
- **ud** (*float*<sup>241</sup>) – uncertainty associated with damping
- **uf0** (*float*<sup>242</sup>) – uncertainty associated with resonance frequency
- **f** (*ndarray, shape (N,)*) – frequency values at which to calculate amplitude and phase

**Returns**

- **Hmean** (*ndarray, shape (N,)*) – best estimate of complex frequency response values
- **Hcov** (*ndarray, shape (2N,2N)*) – covariance matrix [ [u(abs,abs), u(abs,phase)], [u(phase,abs), u(phase,phase)] ]

`PyDynamic.misc.SecondOrderSystem.sos_phys2filter(S, d, f0)`

Calculation of continuous filter coefficients from physical parameters.

If the provided system parameters are vectors then the filter coefficients are calculated for each set of parameters. This is helpful for Monte Carlo simulations by using draws from the model parameters

**Parameters**

- **S** (*float*<sup>243</sup>) – static gain
- **d** (*float*<sup>244</sup>) – damping parameter
- **f0** (*float*<sup>245</sup>) – resonance frequency

**Returns** **b,a** – analogue filter coefficients

**Return type** *ndarray*

`PyDynamic.misc.SecondOrderSystem.sos_realimag(S, d, f0, uS, ud, uf0, f, runs=10000)`

Propagation of uncertainty from physical parameters to real and imaginary part of system's transfer function using GUM S2 Monte Carlo.

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<sup>234</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>235</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

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**Parameters**

- **S** (*float*<sup>246</sup>) – static gain
- **d** (*float*<sup>247</sup>) – damping
- **f0** (*float*<sup>248</sup>) – resonance frequency
- **uS** (*float*<sup>249</sup>) – uncertainty associated with static gain
- **ud** (*float*<sup>250</sup>) – uncertainty associated with damping
- **uf0** (*float*<sup>251</sup>) – uncertainty associated with resonance frequency
- **f** (*ndarray*, *shape* (N,)) – frequency values at which to calculate real and imaginary part

**Returns**

- **Hmean** (*ndarray*, *shape* (N,)) – best estimate of complex frequency response values
- **Hcov** (*ndarray*, *shape* (2N,2N)) – covariance matrix [ [u(real,real), u(real,imag)], [u(imag,real), u(imag,imag)] ]

## 8.2 Tools for digital filters

The `PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff` module is a collection of methods which are related to filter design.

This module contains the following functions:

- `db()`: Calculation of decibel values  $20 \log_{10}(x)$  for a vector of values
- `ua()`: Shortcut for calculation of unwrapped angle of complex values
- `grpdelay()`: Calculation of the group delay of a digital filter
- `mapinside()`: Maps the roots of polynomial with coefficients *a* to the unit circle
- `kaiser_lowpass()`: Design of a FIR lowpass filter using the window technique with a Kaiser window.
- `isstable()`: Determine whether a given IIR filter is stable
- `savitzky_golay()`: Smooth (and optionally differentiate) data with a Savitzky-Golay filter

`PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff.db(vals)`

Calculation of decibel values  $20 \log_{10}(x)$  for a vector of values

`PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff.grpdelay(b, a, Fs, nfft=512)`

Calculation of the group delay of a digital filter

**Parameters**

- **b** (*ndarray*) – IIR filter numerator coefficients
- **a** (*ndarray*) – IIR filter denominator coefficients
- **Fs** (*float*<sup>252</sup>) – sampling frequency of the filter
- **nfft** (*int*<sup>253</sup>) – number of FFT bins

<sup>246</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>247</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>248</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>249</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

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<sup>251</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

**Returns**

- **group\_delay** (*np.ndarray*) – group delay values
- **frequencies** (*ndarray*) – frequencies at which the group delay is calculated

**References**

- Smith, online book [Smith]

`PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff.isstable(b, a, ftype='digital')`

Determine whether *IIR filter* (*b,a*) is stable

Determine whether *IIR filter* (*b,a*) is stable by checking roots of the polynomial 'a'.

**Parameters**

- **b** (*ndarray*) – filter numerator coefficients
- **a** (*ndarray*) – filter denominator coefficients
- **ftype** (*string*) – type of filter (*digital* or *analog*)

**Returns** *stable* – whether filter is stable or not

**Return type** *bool*<sup>254</sup>

`PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff.kaiser_lowpass(L, fcut, Fs, beta=8.0)`

Design of a FIR lowpass filter using the window technique with a Kaiser window.

This method uses a Kaiser window. Filters of that type are often used as FIR low-pass filters due to their linear phase.

**Parameters**

- **L** (*int*<sup>255</sup>) – filter order (window length)
- **fcut** (*float*<sup>256</sup>) – desired cut-off frequency
- **Fs** (*float*<sup>257</sup>) – sampling frequency
- **beta** (*float*<sup>258</sup>) – scaling parameter for the Kaiser window

**Returns**

- **blow** (*ndarray*) – FIR filter coefficients
- **shift** (*int*) – delay of the filter (in samples)

`PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff.mapinside(a)`

Maps the roots of polynomial to the unit circle.

Maps the roots of polynomial with coefficients *a* to the unit circle.

**Parameters** **a** (*ndarray*) – polynomial coefficients

**Returns** **a** – polynomial coefficients with all roots inside or on the unit circle

**Return type** *ndarray*

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<sup>252</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>253</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>254</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>255</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>256</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>257</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>258</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>



`PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff.savitzky_golay(y, window_size, order, deriv=0, delta=1.0)`

Smooth (and optionally differentiate) data with a Savitzky-Golay filter

The Savitzky-Golay filter removes high frequency noise from data. It has the advantage of preserving the original shape and features of the signal better than other types of filtering approaches, such as moving averages techniques.

Source obtained from scipy cookbook (online), downloaded 2013-09-13

#### Parameters

- **y** (*ndarray*, *shape* (N,)) – the values of the time history of the signal
- **window\_size** (*int*<sup>259</sup>) – the length of the window. Must be an odd integer number
- **order** (*int*<sup>260</sup>) – the order of the polynomial used in the filtering. Must be less then *window\_size* - 1.
- **deriv** (*int*<sup>261</sup>, *optional*) – The order of the derivative to compute. This must be a non-negative integer. The default is 0, which means to filter the data without differentiating.
- **delta** (*float*<sup>262</sup>, *optional*) – The spacing of the samples to which the filter will be applied. This is only used if *deriv* > 0. This includes a factor  $n!/h^n$ , where  $n$  is represented by *deriv* and  $1/h$  by *delta*.

**Returns** *ys* – the smoothed signal (or it's n-th derivative).

**Return type** *ndarray*, *shape* (N,)

#### Notes

The Savitzky-Golay is a type of low-pass filter, particularly suited for smoothing noisy data. The main idea behind this approach is to make for each point a least-square fit with a polynomial of high order over a odd-sized window centered at the point.

#### References

- Savitzky et al. [[Savitzky](#)]
- Numerical Recipes [[NumRec](#)]

`PyDynamic.misc.filterstuff.ua(vals)`

Shortcut for calculation of unwrapped angle of complex values

<sup>259</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>260</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>261</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>262</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

## 8.3 Test signals

The `PyDynamic.misc.testsignals` module is a collection of test signals which can be used to simulate dynamic measurements and test methods.

This module contains the following functions:

- `shocklikeGaussian()`: signal that resembles a shock excitation as a Gaussian followed by a smaller Gaussian of opposite sign
- `GaussianPulse()`: Generates a Gaussian pulse at  $t_0$  with height  $m_0$  and std  $\sigma$
- `rect()`: Rectangular signal of given height and width  $t_1 - t_0$
- `squarepulse()`: Generates a series of rect functions to represent a square pulse signal
- `sine()`: Generate a sine signal
- `multi_sine()`: Generate a multi-sine signal as summation of single sine signals

`PyDynamic.misc.testsignals.GaussianPulse(time, t0, m0, sigma, noise=0.0)`

Generates a Gaussian pulse at  $t_0$  with height  $m_0$  and std  $\sigma$

### Parameters

- **time** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – time instants (equidistant)
- **t0** (*float<sup>263</sup>*) – time instant of signal maximum
- **m0** (*float<sup>264</sup>*) – signal maximum
- **sigma** (*float<sup>265</sup>*) – std of pulse
- **noise** (*float<sup>266</sup>, optional*) – std of simulated signal noise

**Returns** **x** – signal amplitudes at time instants

**Return type** *np.ndarray of shape (N,)*

**class** `PyDynamic.misc.testsignals.corr_noise(w, sigma, seed=None)`

Base class for generation of a correlated noise process.

`PyDynamic.misc.testsignals.multi_sine(time, amps, freqs, noise=0.0)`

Generate a multi-sine signal as summation of single sine signals

### Parameters

- **time** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – time instants
- **amps** (*list<sup>267</sup> or np.ndarray of floating point values*) – amplitudes of the sine signals
- **freqs** (*list<sup>268</sup> or np.ndarray of floating point values*) – frequencies of the sine signals in Hz
- **noise** (*float<sup>269</sup>, optional*) – std of simulated signal noise (default = 0.0)

**Returns** **x** – signal amplitude at time instants

**Return type** *np.ndarray of shape (N,)*

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<sup>263</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>264</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>265</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>266</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

`PyDynamic.misc.testsignals.rect(time, t0, t1, height=1, noise=0.0)`

Rectangular signal of given height and width t1-t0

#### Parameters

- **time** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – time instants (equidistant)
- **t0** (*float<sup>270</sup>*) – time instant of rect lhs
- **t1** (*float<sup>271</sup>*) – time instant of rect rhs
- **height** (*float<sup>272</sup>*) – signal maximum
- **noise** (*float<sup>273</sup> or numpy.ndarray of shape (N,)*, *optional*) – float: standard deviation of additive white gaussian noise ndarray: user-defined additive noise

**Returns** **x** – signal amplitudes at time instants

**Return type** *np.ndarray of shape (N,)*

`PyDynamic.misc.testsignals.shocklikeGaussian(time, t0, m0, sigma, noise=0.0)`

Generates a signal that resembles a shock excitation as a Gaussian followed by a smaller Gaussian of opposite sign.

#### Parameters

- **time** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – time instants (equidistant)
- **t0** (*float<sup>274</sup>*) – time instant of signal maximum
- **m0** (*float<sup>275</sup>*) – signal maximum
- **sigma** (*float<sup>276</sup>*) – std of main pulse
- **noise** (*float<sup>277</sup>*, *optional*) – std of simulated signal noise

**Returns** **x** – signal amplitudes at time instants

**Return type** *np.ndarray of shape (N,)*

`PyDynamic.misc.testsignals.sine(time, amp=1.0, freq=6.283185307179586, noise=0.0)`

Generate a sine signal

#### Parameters

- **time** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – time instants
- **amp** (*float<sup>278</sup>*, *optional*) – amplitude of the sine (default = 1.0)
- **freq** (*float<sup>279</sup>*, *optional*) – frequency of the sine in Hz (default =  $2 * \pi$ )
- **noise** (*float<sup>280</sup>*, *optional*) – std of simulated signal noise (default = 0.0)

**Returns** **x** – signal amplitude at time instants

**Return type** *np.ndarray of shape (N,)*

<sup>267</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#list>

<sup>268</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#list>

<sup>269</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>270</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

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<sup>272</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

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<sup>275</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>276</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>277</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

`PyDynamic.misc.testsignals.squarepulse(time, height, numpulse=4, noise=0.0)`

Generates a series of rect functions to represent a square pulse signal

#### Parameters

- **time** (*np.ndarray of shape (N,)*) – time instants
- **height** (*float<sup>281</sup>*) – height of the rectangular pulses
- **numpulse** (*int<sup>282</sup>*) – number of pulses
- **noise** (*float<sup>283</sup>, optional*) – std of simulated signal noise

**Returns** **x** – signal amplitude at time instants

**Return type** *np.ndarray of shape (N,)*

## 8.4 Noise related functions

Collection of noise-signals

This module contains the following functions:

- `get_alpha()`: normal distributed signal amplitudes with equal power spectral density
- `power_law_noise()`: normal distributed signal amplitudes with power spectrum  $f^{-\alpha}$
- `power_law_acf()`: (theoretical) autocorrelation function of power law noise
- `ARMA()`: autoregressive moving average noise process

`PyDynamic.misc.noise.ARMA(length, phi=0.0, theta=0.0, std=1.0)`

Generate time-series of a predefined ARMA-process based on this equation:  $\sum_{j=1}^{\min(p,n-1)} \phi_j \epsilon[n-j] + \sum_{j=1}^{\min(q,n-1)} \theta_j w[n-j]$  where  $w$  is white gaussian noise. Equation and algorithm taken from [Eichst2012]

#### Parameters

- **length** (*int<sup>284</sup>*) – how long the drawn sample will be
- **phi** (*float<sup>285</sup>, list<sup>286</sup> or numpy.ndarray<sup>287</sup>, shape (p, )*) – AR-coefficients
- **theta** (*float<sup>288</sup>, list<sup>289</sup> or numpy.ndarray<sup>290</sup>*) – MA-coefficients
- **std** (*float<sup>291</sup>*) – std of the gaussian white noise that is feeded into the ARMA-model

**Returns** **e** – time-series of the predefined ARMA-process

**Return type** *numpy.ndarray<sup>292</sup>, shape (length, )*

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<sup>278</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>279</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>280</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>281</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>282</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>283</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

## References

- Eichstädt, Link, Harris and Elster [Eichst2012]

`PyDynamic.misc.noise.get_alpha(color_value=0)`

Translate a color (given as string) into an exponent alpha or directly hand through a given numeric value of alpha.

**Parameters** `color_value` ([str](#)<sup>293</sup>, [int](#)<sup>294</sup> or [float](#)<sup>295</sup>) – if string -> check against known colornames -> return alpha if numeric -> directly return value

**Returns** `alpha`

**Return type** [float](#)<sup>296</sup>

`PyDynamic.misc.noise.power_law_acf(N, color_value='white', std=1.0)`

Return the theoretic right-sided autocorrelation (Rww) of different colors of noise.

Colors of noise are defined to have a power spectral density (Sww) proportional to  $f^\alpha$ . Sww and Rww form a Fourier-pair. Therefore  $Rww = \text{ifft}(Sww)$ .

`PyDynamic.misc.noise.power_law_noise(N=None, w=None, color_value='white', mean=0.0, std=1.0)`

Generate colored noise by \* generate white gaussian noise \* multiplying its Fourier-transform with  $f^{(\alpha/2)}$  \* inverse Fourier-transform to yield the colored/correlated noise \* further adjustments to fit to specified mean/std based on [Zhivomirov2018](A Method for Colored Noise Generation)

**Parameters**

- **N** ([int](#)<sup>297</sup>) – length of noise to be generated
- **w** ([numpy.ndarray](#)<sup>298</sup>) – user-defined white noise if provided, *N* is ignored!
- **color\_value** ([str](#)<sup>299</sup>, [int](#)<sup>300</sup> or [float](#)<sup>301</sup>) – if string -> check against known colornames if numeric -> used as alpha to shape PSD
- **mean** ([float](#)<sup>302</sup>) – mean of the output signal
- **std** ([float](#)<sup>303</sup>) – standard deviation of the output signal

**Returns** `w_filt`

**Return type** filtered noise signal

<sup>284</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>285</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>286</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#list>

<sup>287</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>288</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>289</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#list>

<sup>290</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>291</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>292</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>293</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

<sup>294</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>295</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>296</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>297</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>298</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>299</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

<sup>300</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>301</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>302</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>303</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

## 8.5 Miscellaneous useful helper functions

The `PyDynamic.misc.tools` module is a collection of miscellaneous helper functions.

This module contains the following functions:

- `print_vec()`: Print vector (1D array) to the console or return as formatted string
- `print_mat()`: Print matrix (2D array) to the console or return as formatted string
- `make_semiposdef()`: Make quadratic matrix positive semi-definite
- `FreqResp2RealImag()`: Calculate real and imaginary parts from frequency response
- `make_equidistant()`: Interpolate non-equidistant time series to equidistant
- `trimOrPad()`: trim or pad (with zeros) a vector to desired length
- `progress_bar()`: A simple and reusable progress-bar

`PyDynamic.misc.tools.FreqResp2RealImag`(*Abs*: `numpy.ndarray`<sup>304</sup>, *Phase*: `numpy.ndarray`<sup>305</sup>, *Unc*: `numpy.ndarray`<sup>306</sup>, *MCruns*: `Optional[int]`<sup>307</sup> = 1000)

Calculate real and imaginary parts from frequency response

Calculate real and imaginary parts from amplitude and phase with associated uncertainties.

### Parameters

- **Abs** ((*N*,) `array_like`) – amplitude values
- **Phase** ((*N*,) `array_like`) – phase values in rad
- **Unc** ((*2N*, *2N*) or (*2N*,) `array_like`) – uncertainties either as full covariance matrix or as its main diagonal
- **MCruns** (`int`<sup>308</sup>, `optional`) – number of iterations for Monte Carlo simulation, defaults to 1000

### Returns

- **Re, Im** ((*N*,) `array_like`) – best estimate of real and imaginary parts
- **URI** ((*2N*, *2N*) `array_like`) – uncertainties assoc. with Re and Im

`PyDynamic.misc.tools.make_semiposdef`(*matrix*: `numpy.ndarray`<sup>309</sup>, *maxiter*: `Optional[int]`<sup>310</sup> = 10, *tol*: `Optional[float]`<sup>311</sup> = 1e-12, *verbose*: `Optional[bool]`<sup>312</sup> = False) → `numpy.ndarray`<sup>313</sup>

Make quadratic matrix positive semi-definite by increasing its eigenvalues

### Parameters

- **matrix** (`array_like` of shape (*N*,*N*)) – the matrix to process
- **maxiter** (`int`<sup>314</sup>, `optional`) – the maximum number of iterations for increasing the eigenvalues, defaults to 10
- **tol** (`float`<sup>315</sup>, `optional`) – tolerance for deciding if pos. semi-def., defaults to 1e-12
- **verbose** (`bool`<sup>316</sup>, `optional`) – If True print smallest eigenvalue of the resulting matrix, if False (default) be quiet

<sup>304</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>305</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>306</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>307</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>308</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

**Returns** quadratic positive semi-definite matrix

**Return type** (N,N) array\_like

**Raises** [ValueError](#)<sup>317</sup> – If matrix is not square.

`PyDynamic.misc.tools.print_mat(matrix, prec=5, vertical=False, retS=False)`

Print matrix (2D array) to the console or return as formatted string

#### Parameters

- **matrix** ((M,N) array\_like) –
- **prec** ([int](#)<sup>318</sup>) – the precision of the output
- **vertical** ([bool](#)<sup>319</sup>) – print out vertical or not
- **retS** ([bool](#)<sup>320</sup>) – print or return string

**Returns** s – if retS is True

**Return type** [str](#)<sup>321</sup>

`PyDynamic.misc.tools.print_vec(vector, prec=5, retS=False, vertical=False)`

Print vector (1D array) to the console or return as formatted string

#### Parameters

- **vector** ((M,) array\_like) –
- **prec** ([int](#)<sup>322</sup>) – the precision of the output
- **vertical** ([bool](#)<sup>323</sup>) – print out vertical or not
- **retS** ([bool](#)<sup>324</sup>) – print or return string

**Returns** s – if retS is True

**Return type** [str](#)<sup>325</sup>

`PyDynamic.misc.tools.progress_bar(count, count_max, width=30, prefix="", done_indicator='#',  
todo_indicator='.', fout=<_io.TextIOWrapper name='<stdout>'  
mode='w' encoding='utf-8'>)`

A simple and reusable progress-bar

#### Parameters

- **count** ([int](#)<sup>326</sup>) – current status of iterations, assumed to be zero-based
- **count\_max** ([int](#)<sup>327</sup>) – total number of iterations

<sup>309</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>310</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>311</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>312</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>313</sup> <https://numpy.org/doc/stable/reference/generated/numpy.ndarray.html#numpy.ndarray>

<sup>314</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>315</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>

<sup>316</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>317</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/exceptions.html#ValueError>

<sup>318</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>319</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>320</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>321</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

<sup>322</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>

<sup>323</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>324</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#bool>

<sup>325</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>

- **width** ([int](#)<sup>328</sup>, *optional*) – width of the actual progressbar (actual printed line will be wider)
- **prefix** ([str](#)<sup>329</sup>, *optional*) – some text that will be printed in front of the bar (i.e. “Progress of ABC:”)
- **done\_indicator** ([str](#)<sup>330</sup>, *optional*) – what character is used as “already-done”-indicator
- **todo\_indicator** ([str](#)<sup>331</sup>, *optional*) – what character is used as “not-done-yet”-indicator
- **fout** (*file-object*, *optional*) – where the progress-bar should be written/printed to

`PyDynamic.misc.tools.shift_uncertainty(x, ux, shift)`

**Shift the elements in the vector *x* (and associated uncertainty *ux*) by *shift* elements.** This method uses `numpy.roll` to shift the elements in *x* and *ux*. See documentation of `np.roll` for details.

#### Parameters

- **x** (*(N,)* *array\_like*) – vector of estimates
- **ux** ([float](#)<sup>332</sup>, *np.ndarray of shape (N,) or of shape (N,N)*) – uncertainty associated with the vector of estimates
- **shift** ([int](#)<sup>333</sup>) – amount of shift

#### Returns

- **xs** (*(N,)* *array*) – shifted vector of estimates
- **uxs** (*float, np.ndarray of shape (N,) or of shape (N,N)*) – uncertainty associated with the shifted vector of estimates

`PyDynamic.misc.tools.trimOrPad(array, length, mode='constant')`

Trim or pad (with zeros) a vector to the desired length

#### Parameters

- **array** ([list](#)<sup>334</sup>, *1D np.ndarray*) – original data
- **length** ([int](#)<sup>335</sup>) – length of output
- **mode** ([str](#)<sup>336</sup>, *optional*) – handed over to `np.pad`, default “constant”

**Returns *array\_modified*** – An array that is either trimmed or zero-padded to achieve the required *length*. Both actions are applied to the right side of the array

**Return type** *np.ndarray of shape (length,)*

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<sup>326</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>  
<sup>327</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>  
<sup>328</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>  
<sup>329</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#str>  
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<sup>332</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#float>  
<sup>333</sup> <https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#int>  
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## GET ASSISTANCE IN USING PYDYNAMIC

We prepared a collection of tutorials and examples to document, explain and illustrate the possibilities offered by *PyDynamic*. We will add more and more examples over time, especially those that are currently included in PyDynamic's codebase subfolder `examples`<sup>337</sup>.

The following links take you to the webpages containing the tutorials' documentation.

### 9.1 Getting started with the tutorials

- Start a notebook server remotely or locally<sup>338</sup>

### 9.2 Deconvolution

1. Basic measurement data pre-processing<sup>339</sup>
2. Preparation of calibration data<sup>340</sup>
3. Interpolation and extrapolation of calibration data<sup>341</sup>
4. Calculation of impulse response of hydrophone<sup>342</sup>
5. Deconvolution in the frequency domain<sup>343</sup>
6. Regularized deconvolution<sup>344</sup>

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<sup>337</sup> <https://github.com/PTB-M4D/PyDynamic/tree/master/src/PyDynamic/examples>

<sup>338</sup> <https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/README.html>

<sup>339</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/deconvolution/01%20Basic%20measurement%20data%20pre-processing.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/deconvolution/01%20Basic%20measurement%20data%20pre-processing.html)

<sup>340</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/deconvolution/02%20Preparation%20of%20calibration%20data.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/deconvolution/02%20Preparation%20of%20calibration%20data.html)

<sup>341</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/deconvolution/03%20Interpolation%20and%20extrapolation%20of%20calibration%20data.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/deconvolution/03%20Interpolation%20and%20extrapolation%20of%20calibration%20data.html)

<sup>342</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/deconvolution/04%20Calculation%20of%20impulse%20response%20of%20hydrophone.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/deconvolution/04%20Calculation%20of%20impulse%20response%20of%20hydrophone.html)

<sup>343</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/deconvolution/05%20Deconvolution%20in%20the%20frequency%20domain.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/deconvolution/05%20Deconvolution%20in%20the%20frequency%20domain.html)

<sup>344</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/deconvolution/06%20Regularized%20deconvolution.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/deconvolution/06%20Regularized%20deconvolution.html)

## 9.3 Uncertainty

These tutorials introduce PyDynamic's capabilities of processing time-series with the propagation of associated measurement uncertainties.

1. Basic measurement data pre-processing<sup>345</sup>
2. Basic interpolation<sup>346</sup>
3. Basic extrapolation<sup>347</sup>

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<sup>345</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/uncertainty/01%20Basic%20measurement%20data%20pre-processing.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/uncertainty/01%20Basic%20measurement%20data%20pre-processing.html)

<sup>346</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/uncertainty/02%20Basic%20interpolation.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/uncertainty/02%20Basic%20interpolation.html)

<sup>347</sup> [https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic\\_tutorials/uncertainty/03%20Basic%20extrapolation.html](https://pydynamic-tutorials.readthedocs.io/en/latest/PyDynamic_tutorials/uncertainty/03%20Basic%20extrapolation.html)

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