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of M random variables, all statistically dependent on each other. Specializations to various forms of weighted energy detectors and correlators are made. Also, the characteristic function for the first class of processor subject to fading is evaluated.

Programs for evaluating the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions of all three classes of processors are given and have been used to plot representative examples of performance. A comparison with a simulation result corroborates the analysis and program of the first class of processor.

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LIST OF SYMBOLS

s, t	jointly-Gaussian random variables
a, b, c, d, e	constant weights
x	output random variable of second-order processor
$f_x(\xi)$	characteristic function of random variable x
overbar	statistical average
D_1, D_2	denominator constants in characteristic function
N_0, N_1, N_2	numerator constants in characteristic function
μ_x	mean of random variable x
σ_x^2	variance of random variable x
K	number of independent terms in random variables x and v
M_{ij}	mean parameters, (12)
r	power scale factor, (18)-(19)
$s_1(t), s_2(t)$	input signals to narrowband cross-correlator
$n_1(t), n_2(t)$	input noises to narrowband cross-correlator
$z(t)$	lowpass filter output
v	narrowband cross-correlator system output random variable
$a_j(t), b_j(t)$	in-phase and quadrature components of $s_j(t)$; $j = 1, 2$
$A_j(t), P_j(t)$	envelope and phase modulation of $s_j(t)$
$x_j(t), y_j(t)$	in-phase and quadrature components of $n_j(t)$
σ_j^2	variance of $x_j(t)$ and $y_j(t)$, (27)-(28)
γ	complex correlation coefficient of noises, (27)
ρ, λ	real and imaginary parts of γ , (27)
$w(k)$	weight in narrowband cross-correlator
$\mu_z(s+n)$	mean of random variable z with signal and noise present
R_z	signal-to-noise ratio of random variable z
M	size of Hermitian and quadratic forms
X	random complex vector, $M \times 1$
A	constant complex linear weight matrix
B	constant complex Hermitian weight matrix

LIST OF SYMBOLS (Con'd)

a_m	elements of A
b_{mn}	elements of B
q	Hermitian and quadratic form outputs
X^H	transpose and conjugate of X
E	mean of random vector X, (46)
\tilde{X}	ac component of X, (46)
K	covariance matrix of X, (46)
W	linearly transformed random variables, (54)
C	modal matrix of BK, (58)
Λ	eigenvalue matrix of BK, (58)
λ_m	elements of Λ
D	auxiliary vector, (59)
d_m	elements of D, (68)
v_m	elements of \bar{W} , (68)
$\chi_q(n)$	n^{th} cumulant of random variable q
U, V	components of X, (71)
N	number of elements in U and V; $M=2N$
B^{ij}	partitioned matrices of B
$A^{(j)}$	partitioned vectors of A
u_n, v_n	components of U, V respectively
K_{uv}	partitioned matrices of K, (73)
K_o	common covariance matrix in special case, (89)
Q	modal matrix of K_o , (92)
Γ	eigenvalue matrix of K_o , (92)
γ_n	elements of Γ

EXACT PERFORMANCE OF GENERAL SECOND-ORDER PROCESSORS FOR GAUSSIAN INPUTS

INTRODUCTION

The performance of weighted energy detectors and correlators for processing deterministic and/or random signals in the presence of nonstationary noise is a topic of frequent interest. Most often, a second-moment approach is adopted, whereby the means and variances of the decision variable under the various hypotheses are evaluated and employed in a central limit assumption to get approximate false alarm and/or detection probabilities. This approach is suspect for small false alarm probabilities or for cases where the decision variable is not the sum of a large number of independent random variables all of comparable variance.

A recent technical report [1] has presented an accurate and efficient method for evaluating cumulative and exceedance distribution functions directly from characteristic functions. This approach is very fruitful for determining the performance of general time-varying second-order processors with nonstationary nonzero mean Gaussian inputs, since the characteristic function of the decision variable can be evaluated in closed form in these cases.

We will consider three classes of processors and derive the characteristic functions for all three decision variables in closed form. The first two classes are special cases of the third, but are of interest in their own right, since they include and immediately reduce to many practical processors in current use. Also there is no need to solve for the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of a general symmetric matrix that is encountered in the third more-general class of processors. Rather, the characteristic functions are given directly in terms of specified processor weights and input statistics.

There has been considerable effort on this problem in the past; for example, see [2,3] and the references listed therein. Most of the lengthy analytical derivations and results have been aimed at getting workable

expressions for the probability density function and/or cumulative distribution function. Here, when we consider our three classes of processors, we encounter characteristic functions which are more general than that given in the recent paper for a filtered analog processor [3, eq. 5]; thus specialization of our results will yield those of [3] and the references listed therein. The technique employed here to proceed directly to the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions is a numerical one, as given in [1], and does not require any series expansions or analytical manipulations at all. The asymptotic behaviors of the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions on both tails are easily observed and will be found to corroborate the comment made in [3, p. 673] that these tails are generally exponential rather than Gaussian; however, there can be a considerable transition region.

The programs listed in the appendices require the user merely to input his processor weights, signal constants, and noise statistical parameters in a series of data statements at the top of the program, and to select values for

- L, limit on integral of characteristic function,
- Δ , sampling increment on characteristic function,
- b, additive constant, to guarantee a positive random variable, and
- M_f , size of FFT and storage required.

Selection of L and Δ is largely a matter of trial and error and is amply documented in the examples in [1].

A PARTICULAR SECOND-ORDER PROCESSOR

Before we embark on the analysis of the particular second-order processor of interest in this section, we solve the following simpler statistical problem. Let s and t be real jointly-Gaussian random variables with means m_s, m_t , standard deviations σ_s, σ_t , and correlation coefficient ρ ; thus s and t are statistically dependent. Consider the random variable

$$x = as^2 + bt^2 + cst + ds + et, \quad (1)$$

where weightings a, b, c, d, e are arbitrary real constants. The characteristic function of random variable x is defined by*

$$\begin{aligned} f_x(\xi) &= \overline{\exp(i\xi x)} = \overline{\exp(i\xi(as^2 + bt^2 + cst + ds + et))} = \\ &= \iint du \, dv \exp(i\xi(au^2 + bv^2 + cuv + du + ev)) p_{st}(u, v), \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

where the joint probability density function of s and t is

$$p_{st}(u, v) = \left(2\pi \sigma_s \sigma_t \sqrt{1-\rho^2}\right)^{-1} \exp \left[-\frac{\left(\frac{u-m_s}{\sigma_s}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{v-m_t}{\sigma_t}\right)^2 - 2\rho \left(\frac{u-m_s}{\sigma_s}\right) \left(\frac{v-m_t}{\sigma_t}\right)}{2(1-\rho^2)} \right]. \quad (3)$$

Substitution of (3) in (2) and use of the double integral

$$\iint dx \, dy \exp[-\alpha x^2 - \beta y^2 + 2\gamma xy + ux + vy] = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{\alpha\beta-\gamma^2}} \exp \left[\frac{\beta u^2 + \alpha v^2 + 2\gamma uv}{4(\alpha\beta-\gamma^2)} \right] \quad (4)$$

for $\alpha_r > 0, \quad \beta_r > 0, \quad \alpha_r \beta_r > \gamma_r^2,$

* Integrals without limits are over $(-\infty, +\infty)$.

(where sub r denotes the real part of complex constants $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \nu, v$) yields, after an extensive amount of manipulations, the characteristic function of random variable x as the compact closed form expression

$$f_x(\xi) = \left(1 - i\xi D_1 - \xi^2 D_2\right)^{-1/2} \exp \left[i\xi \frac{N_0 - i\xi N_1 - \xi^2 N_2}{1 - i\xi D_1 - \xi^2 D_2} \right]. \quad (5)$$

The required real constants in (5) are given directly in terms of the processor weights and statistical parameters as

$$\begin{aligned} D_1 &= 2(a\sigma_s^2 + b\sigma_t^2 + c\rho\sigma_s\sigma_t) , \\ D_2 &= (4ab - c^2)(1 - \rho^2)\sigma_s^2\sigma_t^2 , \\ N_0 &= am_s^2 + bm_t^2 + cm_s m_t + dm_s + em_t , \\ N_1 &= (4ab - c^2)\left(\frac{1}{2} m_s^2\sigma_t^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_t^2\sigma_s^2 - \rho m_s m_t \sigma_s \sigma_t\right) + \\ &\quad + (2ae - cd)\sigma_s(m_t\sigma_s - \rho m_s\sigma_t) + \\ &\quad + (2bd - ce)\sigma_t(m_s\sigma_t - \rho m_t\sigma_s) - \\ &\quad - \left(\frac{1}{2} d^2\sigma_s^2 + \frac{1}{2} e^2\sigma_t^2 + de\rho\sigma_s\sigma_t\right) , \\ N_2 &= - (ae^2 + bd^2 - cde)(1-\rho^2)\sigma_s^2\sigma_t^2 . \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

For later reference, the mean and variance of x follow from (5), upon expansion of $\ln f_x(\xi)$ in a power series in ξ , as

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_x &= N_0 + \frac{1}{2} D_1, \\ \sigma_x^2 &= \frac{1}{2} D_1^2 + 2N_0 D_1 - D_2 - 2N_1. \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

(When $D_1 = 0$ in (6), it can be shown that $D_2 < 0$; thus characteristic function (5) never possesses any singularities along the real ξ axis.)

Second-Order Processor

Now let x be the sum of K independent terms of the form of (1):

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K (a_k s_k^2 + b_k t_k^2 + c_k s_k t_k + d_k s_k + e_k t_k) \quad , \quad (8)$$

where real constants a_k, b_k, c_k, d_k, e_k can depend arbitrarily on k , and where means^{*} m_{sk}, m_{tk} , standard deviations σ_{sk}, σ_{tk} , and correlation coefficients ρ_k are unrestricted (except that $\sigma_{sk} \geq 0, \sigma_{tk} \geq 0, |\rho_k| \leq 1$). The pair of random variables s_k, t_k is statistically independent of the pair s_n, t_n for all $k \neq n$. Thus random variable x is composed of a sum of K groups of random variables, where each group is statistically independent of every other group, but each group itself contains two statistically dependent random variables.

This processor in (8) is the general form of interest in this section. It can be time-varying when the weights $\{a_k, b_k, c_k, d_k, e_k\}$ vary with k , and nonstationary when the statistical parameters $\{m_{sk}, m_{tk}, \sigma_{sk}, \sigma_{tk}, \rho_k\}$ vary with k .

The characteristic function of (8) follows from (5) as

$$f_x(\xi) = \left[\prod_{k=1}^K \{1 - i\xi D_1(k) - \xi^2 D_2(k)\} \right]^{-1/2} * \exp \left[i\xi \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{N_0(k) - i\xi N_1(k) - \xi^2 N_2(k)}{1 - i\xi D_1(k) - \xi^2 D_2(k)} \right] \quad , \quad (9)$$

* These means can be interpreted as the deterministic signal components of the channels s and t , if desired.

where the identification of $D_1(k)$, etc., is obvious from (6). Only one (continuous) square root and one exponential per \mathbf{F} value is required in (9), regardless of the number of terms added, K . The mean and variance of random variable x in (8) follows from (9) as

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_x &= \sum_{k=1}^K \left[N_0(k) + \frac{1}{2} D_1(k) \right], \\ \sigma_x^2 &= \sum_{k=1}^K \left[\frac{1}{2} D_1^2(k) + 2N_0(k) D_1(k) - D_2(k) - 2N_1(k) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

Any analytical attempt at determining the probability density function or cumulative distribution function corresponding to characteristic function (9) would be a formidable task indeed. However, it is a very simple task via the method of [1] to get accurate numerical values for the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions. The program listing in appendix A accomplishes this task, based upon characteristic function (9) and the constants listed in (6). All the weights $\{a_k, b_k, c_k, d_k, e_k\}_1^K$ and statistical parameters $\{m_{sk}, m_{tk}, \sigma_{sk}, \sigma_{tk}, \rho_k\}_1^K$ are arbitrary. Observe that (9) is far more general than the characteristic function considered in [3, eq. 5], which itself required a very lengthy analytic treatment to get the probability density function and cumulative distribution function. In fact, there is little hope of getting any tractable analytic results for (9) when K is greater than 2.

Special Case 1

Suppose weightings a, b, c, d, e in (8) are independent of k and that statistics σ_s, σ_t, ρ are also independent of k . The decision variable x in (8) then simplifies to

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K (as_k^2 + bt_k^2 + cs_k t_k + ds_k + et_k) \quad (11)$$

Then D_1 , D_2 , N_2 are independent of k . If we define mean parameters

$$\begin{aligned} M_{20} &= \sum_{k=1}^K m_{sk}^2, \quad M_{02} = \sum_{k=1}^K m_{tk}^2, \quad M_{11} = \sum_{k=1}^K m_{sk} m_{tk}, \\ M_{10} &= \sum_{k=1}^K m_{sk}, \quad M_{01} = \sum_{k=1}^K m_{tk}, \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

the characteristic function of x in (9) then takes the simpler form

$$f_x(\mathfrak{F}) = \left(1 - i\mathfrak{F}D_1 - \mathfrak{F}^2D_2\right)^{-K/2} \exp \left[i\mathfrak{F} \frac{N_0' - i\mathfrak{F}N_1' - \mathfrak{F}^2N_2'}{1 - i\mathfrak{F}D_1 - \mathfrak{F}^2D_2} \right], \quad (13)$$

where D_1 and D_2 are still given by (6), and

$$\begin{aligned} N_0' &= aM_{20} + bM_{02} + cM_{11} + dM_{10} + eM_{01}, \\ N_1' &= (4ab - c^2) \left(\frac{1}{2} \sigma_t^2 M_{20} + \frac{1}{2} \sigma_s^2 M_{02} - \rho \sigma_s \sigma_t M_{11} \right) + \\ &\quad + (2ae - cd) \sigma_s (\sigma_s M_{01} - \rho \sigma_t M_{10}) + \\ &\quad + (2bd - ce) \sigma_t (\sigma_t M_{10} - \rho \sigma_s M_{01}) - \\ &\quad - K \left(\frac{1}{2} d^2 \sigma_s^2 + \frac{1}{2} e^2 \sigma_t^2 + de \rho \sigma_s \sigma_t \right), \\ N_2' &= -K(ae^2 + bd^2 - cde)(1 - \rho^2) \sigma_s^2 \sigma_t^2. \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

(The choice of $K = 2$ and $N_2' = 0$ in (13) corresponds to the form given in [3, eq. 5].) Observe that the characteristic function in (13) (and therefore the performance) of the processor in (11) depends on the means $\{m_{sk}\}$ and $\{m_{tk}\}$ only through the parameters $\{M_{ij}\}$ defined in (12). The mean and variance

of random variable x in (11) follow from characteristic function (13) as

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_x &= N_0' + \frac{1}{2} KD_1, \\ \sigma_x^2 &= \frac{1}{2} KD_1^2 + 2N_0'D_1 - KD_2 - 2N_1'. \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

Special Case 2

Let us also assume $d = 0$, $e = 0$ in (11) above; then the pertinent decision variable is given by

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K (as_k^2 + bt_k^2 + cs_k t_k) \quad . \quad (16)$$

D_1 and D_2 are still given by (6), and there follows from (14),

$$\begin{aligned} N_0' &= aM_{20} + bM_{02} + cM_{11} \quad , \\ N_1' &= (4ab - c^2) \left(\frac{1}{2} \sigma_t^2 M_{20} + \frac{1}{2} \sigma_s^2 M_{02} - \rho \sigma_s \sigma_t M_{11} \right) \quad , \\ N_2' &= 0 \quad . \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

The characteristic function of x is given by (13), with $N_2' = 0$. The mean and variance of x in (16) are given by (15).

Fading for Special Case 2

Let the mean parameters $\{M_{ij}\}$ in (12) be subject to slow fading; i.e., replace

$$M_{20} \text{ by } rM_{20}, M_{02} \text{ by } rM_{02}, M_{11} \text{ by } rM_{11}, \quad (18)$$

where power scale factor r has probability density function

$$p_r(u) = \frac{v^v}{\Gamma(v)} u^{v-1} e^{-vu} \quad \text{for } u > 0, v > 0;$$

$$\bar{r} = 1, \sigma_r^2 = \frac{1}{v}, \chi_r(n) = \frac{(n-1)!}{v^{n-1}} \quad \text{for } n \geq 1. \quad (19)$$

This form of fading is encountered in diversity combination receivers; see, for example, [4, eq. 9 et seq.] and [5, eq. 24 et seq.]. Then (13), (17), and (18) yield the conditional characteristic function, for a specified r , as

$$f_x(\xi|r) = \left(1 - i\xi D_1 - \xi^2 D_2\right)^{-K/2} \exp \left[i\xi r \frac{N_0' - i\xi N_1'}{1 - i\xi D_1 - \xi^2 D_2} \right]. \quad (20)$$

Weighting (20) according to the probability density function in (19), and performing the integral, there follows, for the characteristic function of the decision variable x in (16), the result

$$f_x(\xi) = \frac{\left(1 - i\xi D_1 - \xi^2 D_2\right)^{v - \frac{K}{2}}}{\left(1 - i\xi(D_1 + N_0'/v) - \xi^2(D_2 + N_1'/v)\right)^v}. \quad (21)$$

(The limit of (21) as $v \rightarrow +\infty$ is again (13) with $N_2' = 0$, as in (17); this agrees with the fact that the corresponding limit of the probability density function in (19) is $p_r(u) = \delta(u-1)$.) The mean and variance of x in (16) follow from characteristic function (21) as

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_x &= N_0' + \frac{1}{2} K D_1, \\ \sigma_x^2 &= \frac{1}{2} K D_1^2 + 2N_0' D_1 - K D_2 - 2N_1' + N_0'^2/v. \end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

Observe that mean μ_x is independent of v , the power law in fading (19). A program for the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions corresponding to characteristic function (21) is given in appendix B.

SPECIAL FORMS OF SECOND-ORDER PROCESSOR (8)

Before embarking on the analysis of the other two classes of processors, we will explicitly detail some of the special forms that processor (8) reduces to, under particular selections of the weightings and statistical parameters. A rather broad collection of typical processors will be seen to be included. In the following, any unspecified weights $\{a_k, b_k, c_k, d_k, e_k\}$ are zero, and any unspecified statistical parameters that do not appear in the final characteristic function are irrelevant.

I. Gaussian

$$d_k = 1$$

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K s_k$$

$$f_x(\mathfrak{F}) = \exp \left[i \mathfrak{F} \sum_{k=1}^K m_{sk} - \frac{1}{2} \mathfrak{F}^2 \sum_{k=1}^K \sigma_{sk}^2 \right]$$

II. Chi-square of K Degrees of Freedom

$$a_k = 1, \quad m_{sk} = 0, \quad \sigma_{sk} = 1$$

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K s_k^2$$

$$f_x(\mathfrak{F}) = (1 - i\mathfrak{F})^{-K/2}$$

III. Non-Central Chi-Square (Q_M Distribution if $K = 2M$)

$$a_k = 1, \quad \sigma_{sk} = \sigma_s$$

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K s_k^2$$

$$f_x(\xi) = \left(1 - i\xi 2\sigma_s^2\right)^{-K/2} \exp \left[\frac{i\xi \sum_{k=1}^K m_{sk}^2}{1 - i\xi 2\sigma_s^2} \right]$$

IV. Weighted Energy Detector

$$a_k \neq 0, \quad d_k \neq 0$$

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K (a_k s_k^2 + d_k s_k)$$

$$f_x(\xi) = \left[\prod_{k=1}^K \left\{ 1 - i\xi 2a_k \sigma_{sk}^2 \right\} \right]^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp \left[i\xi \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{a_k m_{sk}^2 + d_k m_{sk} + i\xi \frac{1}{2} d_k^2 \sigma_{sk}^2}{1 - i\xi 2a_k \sigma_{sk}^2} \right]$$

V. Weighted Cross-Correlator

$$c_k \neq 0$$

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K c_k s_k t_k$$

$$D_1(k) = 2c_k \rho_k \sigma_{sk} \sigma_{tk},$$

$$D_2(k) = -c_k^2 (1 - \rho_k^2) \sigma_{sk}^2 \sigma_{tk}^2,$$

$$N_0(k) = c_k m_{sk} m_{tk},$$

$$N_1(k) = -c_k^2 \left(\frac{1}{2} m_{sk}^2 \sigma_{tk}^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_{tk}^2 \sigma_{sk}^2 - \rho_k m_{sk} m_{tk} \sigma_{sk} \sigma_{tk} \right),$$

$$N_2(k) = 0.$$

Characteristic function $f_x(\mathbf{F})$ is given by (9).

VI. Two-Channel Energy Detector

$$a_k \neq 0, \quad b_k \neq 0$$

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K (a_k s_k^2 + b_k t_k^2)$$

$$D_1(k) = 2(a_k \sigma_{sk}^2 + b_k \sigma_{tk}^2),$$

$$D_2(k) = 4a_k b_k (1 - \rho_k^2) \sigma_{sk}^2 \sigma_{tk}^2,$$

$$N_0(k) = a_k m_{sk}^2 + b_k m_{tk}^2,$$

$$N_1(k) = 4a_k b_k \left(\frac{1}{2} m_{sk}^2 \sigma_{tk}^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_{tk}^2 \sigma_{sk}^2 - \rho_k m_{sk} m_{tk} \sigma_{sk} \sigma_{tk} \right),$$

$$N_2(k) = 0.$$

Characteristic function $f_x(\mathbf{F})$ is given by (9). A simple application of this particular processor was encountered in [6, eqs. 25-26].

VII. Two-Channel Energy Detector and Cross-Correlator

$$a_k \neq 0, \quad b_k \neq 0, \quad c_k \neq 0$$

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^K (a_k s_k^2 + b_k t_k^2 + c_k s_k t_k)$$

$$D_1(k) = 2(a_k \sigma_{sk}^2 + b_k \sigma_{tk}^2 + c_k \rho_k \sigma_{sk} \sigma_{tk}) \quad ,$$

$$D_2(k) = (4a_k b_k - c_k^2)(1 - \rho_k^2) \sigma_{sk}^2 \sigma_{tk}^2 \quad ,$$

$$N_0(k) = a_k m_{sk}^2 + b_k m_{tk}^2 + c_k m_{sk} m_{tk} \quad ,$$

$$N_1(k) = (4a_k b_k - c_k^2) \left(\frac{1}{2} m_{sk}^2 \sigma_{tk}^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_{tk}^2 \sigma_{sk}^2 - \rho_k m_{sk} m_{tk} \sigma_{sk} \sigma_{tk} \right) \quad ,$$

$$N_2(k) = 0 \quad .$$

Characteristic function $f_x(\underline{\mathbf{r}})$ is given by (9).

NARROWBAND CROSS-CORRELATOR

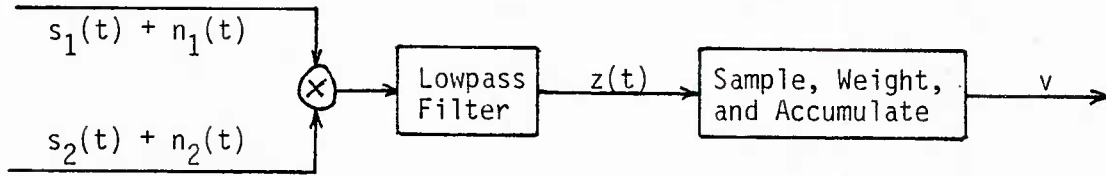


Figure 1. Narrowband Cross-Correlator

The processor of interest in this section is depicted in figure 1. Input signals $s_1(t)$ and $s_2(t)$ are arbitrary deterministic narrowband real waveforms:

$$\begin{aligned}
 s_j(t) &= \text{Re}\{\underline{s}_j(t) \exp(i2\pi f_0 t)\} = A_j(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t + P_j(t)) = \\
 &= a_j(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) - b_j(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t) \quad \text{for } j = 1, 2,
 \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

where input signal complex envelope

$$\underline{s}_j(t) = A_j(t) \exp(iP_j(t)) = a_j(t) + ib_j(t) \quad (24)$$

in terms of polar or rectangular low-frequency components, respectively.

Input noises $n_1(t)$ and $n_2(t)$ are zero-mean correlated narrowband jointly-Gaussian processes which may be nonstationary:

$$n_j(t) = \text{Re}\{\underline{n}_j(t) \exp(i2\pi f_0 t)\} = x_j(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) - y_j(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t), \quad (25)$$

where noise complex envelope

$$\underline{n}_j(t) = x_j(t) + iy_j(t) \quad \text{for } j = 1, 2. \quad (26)$$

The statistics of the input noise complex envelopes are arbitrary:

$$\overline{|n_1(t)|^2} = 2\sigma_1^2 ,$$

$$\overline{|n_2(t)|^2} = 2\sigma_2^2 ,$$

$$\overline{n_1(t) n_2^*(t)} = 2\sigma_1\sigma_2\gamma, \quad \text{where } \gamma = \rho + i\lambda = |\gamma| \exp(i\phi),$$

$$\overline{n_j(t) n_m(t)} = 0 \text{ for all } j, m. \quad (27)$$

The quantities σ_1 , σ_2 , γ can all vary with time t , for nonstationary noise processes. There follows, for the statistics of the in-phase and quadrature components defined in (25),

$$\overline{x_1^2} = \overline{y_1^2} = \sigma_1^2, \quad \overline{x_1 y_1} = 0 ,$$

$$\overline{x_2^2} = \overline{y_2^2} = \sigma_2^2, \quad \overline{x_2 y_2} = 0 ,$$

$$\overline{x_1 x_2} = \overline{y_1 y_2} = \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \rho ,$$

$$\overline{x_2 y_1} = -\overline{x_1 y_2} = \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \lambda . \quad (28)$$

The reason for breaking out this narrowband cross-correlator as a separate problem is now apparent from (28). Namely, at each time instant, a group of four random variables are statistically dependent on each other. This case does not fall into the framework of (8) above, since only two random variables were dependent there.

Using the narrowband character of all the waveforms in (24) and (26), the lowpass filter output in figure 1 may be expressed as

$$z(t) = \frac{1}{2}[x_1(t) + a_1(t)][x_2(t) + a_2(t)] + \frac{1}{2}[y_1(t) + b_1(t)][y_2(t) + b_2(t)]. \quad (29)$$

The final system output in figure 1 is the weighted sum of K terms,

$$v = \sum_{k=1}^K w(k) z(t_k), \quad (30)$$

where it is assumed that the time separations between samples at instants $\{t_k\}$ lead to statistically independent random variables $\{z(t_k)\}$. The weights and statistics can change with sample time t_k , in an arbitrary fashion.

Based upon the method in [7], we find the characteristic function of $z(t)$ in (29) to be given by

$$f_z(\xi, t) = \frac{1}{1 - i\xi D_1 + \xi^2 D_2} \exp \left[i\xi \frac{N_0 + i\xi N_1}{1 - i\xi D_1 + \xi^2 D_2} \right], \quad (31)$$

where the constants (in their most compact form) are given by

$$\begin{aligned} D_1 &= \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \rho, \\ D_2 &= \frac{1}{4} \sigma_1^2 \sigma_2^2 (1 - \rho^2 - \lambda^2), \\ N_0 &= \frac{1}{2} (a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2), \\ N_1 &= \frac{1}{8} \left[\sigma_2^2 (a_1^2 + b_1^2) + \sigma_1^2 (a_2^2 + b_2^2) - 2\sigma_1 \sigma_2 \rho (a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2) - 2\sigma_1 \sigma_2 \lambda (a_2 b_1 - a_1 b_2) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (32)$$

(The characteristic function and constants in (31) and (32) are not to be interchanged or confused with any earlier results in previous sections. In fact, observe there is no square root involved in (31).) All of the parameters in (32) can vary with time t .

In terms of the signal polar definitions in (24) and the complex noise correlation coefficient γ in (27), alternative expressions to (32) (where we have emphasized the t -dependence) are

$$D_1 = \sigma_1(t) \sigma_2(t) \operatorname{Re}\{\gamma(t)\} = \sigma_1(t) \sigma_2(t) |\gamma(t)| \cos \phi(t),$$

$$D_2 = \frac{1}{4} \sigma_1^2(t) \sigma_2^2(t) (1 - |\gamma(t)|^2),$$

$$N_0 = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}\{\underline{s}_1^*(t) \underline{s}_2(t)\} = \frac{1}{2} A_1(t) A_2(t) \cos[P_1(t) - P_2(t)],$$

$$\begin{aligned} N_1 &= \frac{1}{8} \left[\sigma_2^2(t) |\underline{s}_1(t)|^2 + \sigma_1^2(t) |\underline{s}_2(t)|^2 - 2 \sigma_1(t) \sigma_2(t) \operatorname{Re}\{\underline{s}_1^*(t) \underline{s}_2(t) \gamma(t)\} \right] = \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \left[\sigma_2^2(t) A_1^2(t) + \sigma_1^2(t) A_2^2(t) - 2 \sigma_1(t) \sigma_2(t) A_1(t) A_2(t) |\gamma(t)| \cos[P_1(t) - P_2(t) - \phi(t)] \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

The mean and variance of $z(t)$ in (29) follow from (31) as

$$\mu_z = D_1 + N_0,$$

$$\sigma_z^2 = D_1^2 + 2D_2 + 2D_1N_0 + 2N_1. \quad (34)$$

Finally, the characteristic function of the narrowband cross-correlator output v in (30) follows from (31) as

$$\begin{aligned} f_v(\mathfrak{F}) &= \prod_{k=1}^K f_z(\mathfrak{F}w(k), t_k) = \\ &= \left[\prod_{k=1}^K \left\{ 1 - i\mathfrak{F}w(k) D_1(k) + \mathfrak{F}^2 w^2(k) D_2(k) \right\} \right]^{-1} \exp \left[i\mathfrak{F} \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{w(k) N_0(k) + i\mathfrak{F}w^2(k) N_1(k)}{1 - i\mathfrak{F}w(k) D_1(k) + \mathfrak{F}^2 w^2(k) D_2(k)} \right], \end{aligned} \quad (35)$$

where we have allowed all the parameters in (32) and (33) to vary with time t_k . The mean and variance of output v follow from (35) as

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_v &= \sum_{k=1}^K w(k) [D_1(k) + N_0(k)], \\ \sigma_v^2 &= \sum_{k=1}^K w^2(k) \left[D_1^2(k) + 2D_2(k) + 2D_1(k)N_0(k) + 2N_1(k) \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

A program for the evaluation of the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions via (35) is given in appendix C.

In comparison with earlier results in [7], we have obtained the following extensions here:

1. The input signals are arbitrary narrowband waveforms; they are not limited to two sine waves at the same frequency;
2. The Gaussian input noises can be nonstationary;
3. The number of terms summed to yield the narrowband cross-correlator output can be greater than 1;
4. The characteristic function is in its most compact form, and the constants are expressed directly in terms of given quantities, having eliminated all auxiliary variables.

Output Signal-to-Noise Ratio

It is sometimes desirable to have simple expressions for the output signal-to-noise ratio of the narrowband cross-correlator in figure 1. In terms of the lowpass filter output $z(t)$, we observe first from (32)-(34) that

$$u_z(s) = u_z(s+n) - u_z(n) = N_0 = \frac{1}{2} A_1 A_2 \cos(P_1 - P_2) . \quad (37)$$

We then have two alternative definitions of the signal-to-noise ratio at the lowpass filter output:

$$R_z(n) = \frac{u_z^2(s)}{\sigma_z^2(n)} = \frac{A_1^2 A_2^2 \cos^2(P_1 - P_2)}{2 \sigma_1^2 \sigma_2^2 (1 + \rho^2 - \lambda^2)} ,$$

$$R_z(s+n) = \frac{u_z^2(s)}{\sigma_z^2(s+n)} = \frac{A_1^2 A_2^2 \cos^2(P_1 - P_2)}{4(D_1^2 + 2D_2 + 2D_1 N_0 + 2N_1)} . \quad (38)$$

These closed form expressions allow for arbitrary noise correlations and are considerably simpler than [7, eqs. 41-43]. The signal-to-noise ratios of system output v in figure 1 are K times greater than either form in (38).

Specialization to Narrowband Energy Detector

If the signal and noise parameters in (24) and (27) are chosen as

$$\begin{aligned} a_1(t) &= a_2(t) = a(t) , \\ b_1(t) &= b_2(t) = b(t) , \\ \sigma_1(t) &= \sigma_2(t) = \sigma(t) , \\ \rho(t) &= 1, \lambda(t) = 0 , \end{aligned} \tag{39}$$

then figure 1 reduces to identical input channels, that is, a narrowband energy detector. There follows from (32),

$$\begin{aligned} D_1 &= \sigma^2(t), \quad D_2 = 0 , \\ N_0 &= \frac{1}{2} (a^2(t) + b^2(t)) = \frac{1}{2} A^2(t), \quad N_1 = 0 , \end{aligned} \tag{40}$$

and (31) becomes

$$f_z(\xi, t) = \frac{1}{1 - i\xi\sigma^2(t)} \exp \left[i\xi \frac{A^2(t)/2}{1 - i\xi\sigma^2(t)} \right]. \tag{41}$$

Corresponding results for the system output v are easily obtained from this.

REDUCTION OF HERMITIAN AND LINEAR FORM

The most general case of interest in this section is as follows:
random complex matrix

$$X = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_M]^T \quad (42)$$

is $M \times 1$; constant complex matrix

$$A = [a_1 \ a_2 \ \dots \ a_M]^T \quad (43)$$

is $M \times 1$; and constant complex matrix

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & \dots & b_{1M} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ b_{M1} & \dots & b_{MM} \end{bmatrix} \quad (44)$$

is $M \times M$ and Hermitian. The Hermitian and linear form we consider is

$$\begin{aligned} q &= X^H B X + \frac{1}{2}(X^H A + A^H X) = \\ &= \sum_{m,n=1}^M x_m^* b_{mn} x_n + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{m=1}^M (x_m^* a_m + a_m^* x_m), \end{aligned} \quad (45)$$

which is real. Random variable q is a weighted sum of all possible products of $\{x_m^*\}$ and $\{x_n\}$, plus linear combinations.* A and B are called the weighting matrices.

* For $M=2$ or 4 , and real variables and weights, (45) reduces to the earlier forms given in (1) and (29).

We will concentrate in this section on reducing form (45) to a weighted sum of squares of uncorrelated random variables. This stepping stone does not require any Gaussian assumptions on X and is therefore useful as a separate item.

The relevant statistics pertaining to random vector X are

$$\bar{X} = E \quad (\text{mean matrix}),$$

$$\tilde{X} = X - \bar{X} = X - E,$$

$$\text{Cov}\{X\} = \overline{\tilde{X}\tilde{X}^H} = K \quad (\text{covariance matrix}), \quad (46)$$

where statistics matrices E and K are given. $M \times M$ matrix K is always Hermitian and non-negative definite. We assume K is positive definite; otherwise eliminate the linearly dependent components of \tilde{X} . We allow x_m and x_n to be correlated with each other for any m and n ; this situation is much more general than the investigations above.

Let C be a constant $M \times M$ matrix and form the linearly transformed variables

$$W = C^H X = [w_1 \ w_2 \ \dots \ w_M]^T. \quad (47)$$

Then the statistics of W are given by

$$\bar{W} = C^H E,$$

$$\tilde{W} = W - \bar{W} = C^H \tilde{X},$$

$$\text{Cov}\{W\} = \overline{\tilde{W}\tilde{W}^H} = C^H \overline{\tilde{X}\tilde{X}^H} C = C^H K C. \quad (48)$$

Also, from (47), since

$$X = C^{-H} W, \quad (49)$$

then we can express (45) as

$$q = W^H C^{-1} B C^{-H} W + \frac{1}{2}(W^H D + D^H W), \quad (50)$$

where we define constant $M \times 1$ matrix

$$D = C^{-1} A = [d_1 \ d_2 \ \dots \ d_M]^T. \quad (51)$$

We want to have, from (48) and (50),

$$C^H K C = I \quad (52)$$

and

$$C^{-1} B C^{-H} = \Lambda = \text{diag}(\lambda_1 \ \lambda_2 \ \dots \ \lambda_M); \quad \text{i.e. } C^H B^{-1} C = \Lambda^{-1}, \quad (53)$$

for then, in addition to the relation between the means,

$$\bar{W} = C^H \bar{E}, \quad (54)$$

we have the desirable properties

$$\text{Cov}\{W\} = I, \quad (55)$$

and

$$q = W^H \Lambda W + \frac{1}{2}(W^H D + D^H W) = \sum_{m=1}^M \lambda_m |w_m|^2 + \text{Re} \sum_{m=1}^M d_m^* w_m. \quad (56)$$

That is, the random vector W given by (47) is composed of uncorrelated unit-variance components, and q is a weighted sum of magnitude-squares of these components, in addition to a linear sum.

We now have to address the problem of determining the $M \times M$ matrices C and Λ in (52) and (53). From [8, p. 106, Theorem 2], we identify

$$M \rightarrow K, \quad K \rightarrow B^{-1}, \quad \Lambda \rightarrow \Lambda^{-1}; \quad (57)$$

then according to [8, p. 107, eq. 29], we must solve for C and Λ in the equation

$$B^{-1}C = KC\Lambda^{-1}, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad BKC = C\Lambda. \quad (58)$$

So the only matrix that need be considered is the $M \times M$ product BK . C is the modal matrix, and Λ the eigenvalue matrix, of BK . Also, from (51),

$$D = C^H A, \quad \text{since } C^{-1} = C^H. \quad (59)$$

Letting $C = [C^{(1)} \dots C^{(M)}]$, where eigenvector $C^{(m)}$ is a $M \times 1$ matrix, (58) can be expressed as

$$BKC^{(m)} = \lambda_m C^{(m)} \quad \text{for} \quad 1 \leq m \leq M. \quad (60)$$

Several important properties hold for Λ and C :

The $\{\lambda_m\}_1^M$ are all real, but can be positive, zero, or negative.

If K and B are real, then C is real.

If B is positive definite, then $\lambda_m > 0$ for $1 \leq m \leq M$.

If $A = 0$ and $E = 0$, there is no need to solve (58) for C , because $D = 0$ and $\bar{W} = 0$.

QUADRATIC AND LINEAR FORM

If random vector X is real Gaussian, if A is real, and if B is real symmetric, then mean E and covariance K are real, and it follows that modal matrix C is also real. Also from (47) and (59), W and D are real. Equation (45) reduces to

$$q = X^T B X + X^T A = \sum_{m,n=1}^M x_m b_{mn} x_n + \sum_{m=1}^M a_m x_m, \quad (62)$$

which is a quadratic form and linear form.

Letting mean \bar{W} in (54) be expressed as

$$\bar{W} = [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_M]^T, \quad (63)$$

the Gaussian character of X and the linear transformation (47) allow us to write the probability density function of W as a product:

$$p(W) = \prod_{m=1}^M \left\{ (2\pi)^{-1/2} \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2} (w_m - v_m)^2 \right) \right\}. \quad (64)$$

Here we used property (55). Since we now have, from (56),

$$q = \sum_{m=1}^M (\lambda_m w_m^2 + d_m w_m), \quad (65)$$

the characteristic function of q is

$$\begin{aligned} f_q(\xi) &= \overline{\exp(i\xi q)} = \exp \left(i\xi \sum_{m=1}^M (\lambda_m w_m^2 + d_m w_m) \right) = \\ &= \left[\prod_{m=1}^M \{1 - i2\lambda_m \xi\} \right]^{-1/2} \exp \left[i\xi \sum_{m=1}^M \frac{\lambda_m v_m^2 + d_m v_m + i\xi d_m^2/2}{1 - i2\lambda_m \xi} \right], \quad (66) \end{aligned}$$

where the square root must be a continuous function of ξ , not a principal value square root.* Notice that only one square root and one exponential is required per ξ value. Observe that the characteristic function depends on the separate values $\{v_m\}_1^M$ and $\{d_m\}_1^M$, not merely on their sums. If $A = E = 0$, the exponential is unity, by virtue of (54) and (59). And if $M=2$, (66) reduces to (5), while $M=4$ leads to form (31).

To summarize, the characteristic function $f_q(\xi)$ in (66) for random variable q in (62) requires the constants $\{\lambda_m\}$, $\{d_m\}$, and $\{v_m\}$ for $1 \leq m \leq M$. The initially given quantities are weighting matrices A , B and statistics matrices E , K . We first solve the equation (58),

$$BKC = C\Lambda, \quad (67)$$

for eigenvalue matrix Λ and modal matrix C corresponding to BK . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda &= \text{diag}(\lambda_1 \ \lambda_2 \ \dots \ \lambda_M), \\ D &= C^T A = [d_1 \ d_2 \ \dots \ d_M]^T, \\ \bar{W} &= C^T E = [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_M]^T. \end{aligned} \quad (68)$$

If the mean of input X is zero, $E = 0$, and if the linear weighting form is zero, $A = 0$, then there is no need to solve for modal matrix C of BK in (67). Then $D = \bar{W} = 0$ and the exponential term in (66) is unity. One only need compute eigenvalue matrix Λ of BK in this case.

A program for the evaluation of the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions corresponding to characteristic function (66) is listed in appendix D. The inputs to the program are considered to be M , $\{\lambda_m\}$,

* That is, the square root is the analytic continuation of the function defined as 1 at $\xi = 0$.

$\{d_m\}$, $\{v_m\}$; that is, it is presumed that (67) and (68) have already been solved prior to use of the program.

The cumulants of q are obtained from (66) as

$$\chi_q(n) = \begin{cases} \sum_{m=1}^M (\lambda_m + \lambda_m v_m^2 + d_m v_m) = v_q & \text{for } n = 1 \\ 2^{n-1} (n-1)! \sum_{m=1}^M \lambda_m^{n-2} \left[\lambda_m^2 + n \left(\lambda_m v_m + \frac{1}{2} d_m \right)^2 \right] & \text{for } n \geq 2 \end{cases} \quad (69)$$

In particular, the variance of q is

$$\chi_q(2) = 2 \sum_{m=1}^M \left[\lambda_m^2 + 2 \left(\lambda_m v_m + \frac{1}{2} d_m \right)^2 \right] = \sigma_q^2 \quad (70)$$

If another random variable is formed by the sum of several independent random variables q_j with the form (62), but with different sizes M_j , the new characteristic function is the product of terms like (66).

Breakdown of X into Two Components

It is useful to investigate a particular version of the general results above, because the resultant forms correspond to some often-realized practical energy detectors and correlators. We let $M = 2N$, and

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} U \\ V \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} B^{11} & B^{12} \\ B^{21} & B^{22} \end{bmatrix}, \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} A^{(1)} \\ A^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}, \quad (71)$$

where U , V , $A^{(1)}$, $A^{(2)}$ are $N \times 1$ real matrices, and $\{B^{ij}\}$ are $N \times N$ real matrices. Also B^{11} and B^{22} are symmetric, while $B^{21} = B^{12T}$. Then (62) can be expressed as

$$\begin{aligned}
q &= X^T B X + X^T A = \begin{bmatrix} U^T & V^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B^{11} & B^{12} \\ B^{21} & B^{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U \\ V \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} U^T & V^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A^{(1)} \\ A^{(2)} \end{bmatrix} = \\
&= U^T B^{11} U + U^T B^{12} V + V^T B^{21} U + V^T B^{22} V + U^T A^{(1)} + V^T A^{(2)} = \\
&= U^T B^{11} U + 2U^T B^{12} V + V^T B^{22} V + U^T A^{(1)} + V^T A^{(2)} = \\
&= \sum_{m,n=1}^N \left(u_m b_{mn}^{11} u_n + 2u_m b_{mn}^{12} v_n + v_m b_{mn}^{22} v_n \right) + \sum_{n=1}^N \left(u_n a_n^{(1)} + v_n a_n^{(2)} \right) = \\
&= \text{all possible auto and cross combinations of random} \\
&\quad \text{variables } \{u_n\}_1^N \text{ and } \{v_n\}_1^N, \text{ plus linear combinations.} \quad (72)
\end{aligned}$$

We also have, from (47) and (68),

$$\begin{aligned}
W &= C^T X = C^T \begin{bmatrix} U \\ V \end{bmatrix}, \quad \bar{W} = C^T \begin{bmatrix} \bar{U} \\ \bar{V} \end{bmatrix} = C^T \begin{bmatrix} E_u \\ E_v \end{bmatrix}, \quad D = C^T \begin{bmatrix} A^{(1)} \\ A^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}, \\
K &= \text{Cov}\{X\} = \overline{X\bar{X}^T} = \overline{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{U} \\ \bar{V} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{U}^T & \bar{V}^T \end{bmatrix}} = \begin{bmatrix} K_{uu} & K_{uv} \\ K_{vu} & K_{vv} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (73)
\end{aligned}$$

Then the fundamental matrix required in (67) is expressible as

$$BK = \begin{bmatrix} B^{11} & B^{12} \\ B^{21} & B^{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} K_{uu} & K_{uv} \\ K_{vu} & K_{vv} \end{bmatrix}, \quad (74)$$

which is a $2N \times 2N$ matrix. Also random variable (65) is now

$$q = \sum_{m=1}^{2N} \left(\lambda_m w_m^2 + d_m w_m \right), \quad (75)$$

which has $2N$ terms. The characteristic function of q , in general, follows from (66) and (68) as

$$f_q(\xi) = \left[\prod_{m=1}^{2N} \{1 - i2\lambda_m \xi\} \right]^{-1/2} \exp \left[i \xi \sum_{m=1}^{2N} \frac{\lambda_m v_m^2 + d_m v_m + i \xi d_m^2 / 2}{1 - i2\lambda_m \xi} \right], \quad (76)$$

where

$$\bar{W} = [v_1 \dots v_{2N}]^T = C^T \begin{bmatrix} E_u \\ E_v \end{bmatrix}, \quad D = [d_1 \ d_2 \dots d_{2N}]^T = C^T \begin{bmatrix} A^{(1)} \\ A^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (77)$$

(If $A^{(1)} = A^{(2)} = E_u = E_v = 0$, then $D = 0$ and $\bar{W} = 0$, and there is no need to solve for modal matrix C ; the exponential in $f_q(\xi)$ in (76) is then unity.)

As a special case, if $A = 0$, $B^{11} = 0$, $B^{22} = 0$, then (71) and (73) yield

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & B^{12} \\ B^{21} & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad D = 0, \quad (78)$$

and (72) gives

$$q = 2U^T B^{12} V = 2 \sum_{m,n=1}^N u_m b_{mn}^{12} v_n =$$

= all possible cross combinations of $\{u_n\}_1^N$ and $\{v_n\}_1^N$. (79)

Then (74) specializes to

$$BK = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & B^{12} \\ B^{21} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} K_{uu} & K_{uv} \\ K_{vu} & K_{vv} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} B^{12} K_{vu} & B^{12} K_{vv} \\ B^{21} K_{uu} & B^{21} K_{uv} \end{bmatrix} \quad (80)$$

and (75) reduces to

$$q = \sum_{m=1}^{2N} \lambda_m w_m^2, \quad (81)$$

with characteristic function

$$f_q(\xi) = \left[\prod_{m=1}^{2N} \{1 - i2\lambda_m \xi\} \right]^{-1/2} \cdot \exp \left[i\xi \sum_{m=1}^{2N} \frac{\lambda_m v_m^2}{1 - i2\lambda_m \xi} \right] \quad (82)$$

following directly from (76) and (78).

For the particular example of

$$B^{12} = \frac{1}{2} \text{diag}(\ell_1 \ell_2 \dots \ell_N) + \frac{1}{2} [g_1 \ g_2 \dots g_N]^T [h_1 \ h_2 \dots h_N], \quad (83)$$

then

$$q = \sum_{n=1}^N \ell_n u_n v_n + \left(\sum_{n=1}^N g_n u_n \right) \left(\sum_{n=1}^N h_n v_n \right), \quad (84)$$

with the same characteristic function (82).

As a still more-special case, let $B^{12} = \frac{1}{2} I$; then (79) and (81) give the simple cross-correlator (but with correlated inputs for all time separations)

$$q = \sum_{n=1}^N u_n v_n = \sum_{m=1}^{2N} \lambda_m w_m^2, \quad (85)$$

and (80) and (77) become

$$BK = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} K_{vu} & K_{vv} \\ K_{uu} & K_{uv} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \bar{W} = C^T \begin{bmatrix} E_u \\ E_v \end{bmatrix} = [v_1 \dots v_{2N}]^T. \quad (86)$$

The important equations that must be solved are always

$$BKC = C\Lambda \quad (87)$$

or

$$BKC^{(m)} = \lambda_m C^{(m)} \quad \text{for } 1 \leq m \leq M = 2N, \quad (88)$$

where all matrices B , K , C , Λ are $2N \times 2N$. The characteristic function of (85) is again (82).

Special Case of Correlator (85)

Here we let components U and V have the same covariance and a scaled cross-correlation; that is, let

$$K_{uu} = K_0, \quad K_{vv} = K_0, \quad K_{uv} = \rho K_0, \quad (89)$$

where ρ is a scale factor. This case corresponds, for example, to a common signal in two independent components:

$$\begin{aligned} u(t) &= s(t) + n_1(t), \\ v(t) &= s(t) + n_2(t), \end{aligned} \quad (90)$$

where $s(t)$, $n_1(t)$, $n_2(t)$ are all independent and have a common covariance. Then (86) becomes

$$BK = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \rho K_0 & K_0 \\ K_0 & \rho K_0 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (91)$$

Now suppose that we can determine the $N \times N$ eigenvalue matrix Γ and modal matrix Q of K_0 , that is

$$K_0 Q = Q \Gamma; \quad \Gamma = \text{diag}(\gamma_1, \gamma_2 \dots \gamma_N). \quad (92)$$

Then we have the standard relations [8]

$$K_0 = Q \Gamma Q^T \quad \text{where} \quad QQ^T = I. \quad (93)$$

We can now express the $2N \times 2N$ matrix in (91) as

$$\begin{aligned} BK &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} Q \rho \Gamma Q^T & Q \Gamma Q^T \\ Q \Gamma Q^T & Q \rho \Gamma Q^T \end{bmatrix} = \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} Q & 0 \\ 0 & Q \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \rho \Gamma & \frac{1}{2} \Gamma \\ \frac{1}{2} \Gamma & \frac{1}{2} \rho \Gamma \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} Q^T & 0 \\ 0 & Q^T \end{bmatrix}, \end{aligned} \quad (94)$$

and $2N \times 2N$ identity matrix

$$I_{2N} = \begin{bmatrix} Q & 0 \\ 0 & Q \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} Q^T & 0 \\ 0 & Q^T \end{bmatrix}. \quad (95)$$

There follows

$$BK - \lambda I_{2N} = \begin{bmatrix} Q & 0 \\ 0 & Q \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \rho \Gamma - \lambda I & \frac{1}{2} \Gamma \\ \frac{1}{2} \Gamma & \frac{1}{2} \rho \Gamma - \lambda I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} Q^T & 0 \\ 0 & Q^T \end{bmatrix}. \quad (96)$$

But the middle matrix in (96) can be developed in detail in the partitioned form

$$\begin{bmatrix}
 \frac{1}{2}\rho\gamma_1 - \lambda & & & \frac{1}{2}\gamma_1 \\
 & \ddots & & \\
 & & \frac{1}{2}\rho\gamma_N - \lambda & \frac{1}{2}\gamma_N \\
 \hline
 \frac{1}{2}\gamma_1 & & & \frac{1}{2}\rho\gamma_1 - \lambda \\
 & \ddots & & \\
 & & \frac{1}{2}\gamma_N & \frac{1}{2}\rho\gamma_N - \lambda
 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \quad (97)$$

This matrix is singular when the k th row is equal to, or the negative of, the $k+N$ th row. This leads to the eigenvalues $\{\lambda_n\}_1^{2N}$ of matrix BK:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lambda_1 &= \frac{1}{2}(\rho+1)\gamma_1, \dots, \lambda_N = \frac{1}{2}(\rho+1)\gamma_N, \\
 \lambda_{N+1} &= \frac{1}{2}(\rho-1)\gamma_1, \dots, \lambda_{2N} = \frac{1}{2}(\rho-1)\gamma_N.
 \end{aligned} \quad (98)$$

Thus we need only solve for the N eigenvalues $\{\gamma_n\}_1^N$ of matrix K_0 , and then use them as above to determine all $2N$ eigenvalues of BK; this is a significant shortcut.

If also $E_u = E_v = 0$, then $\bar{W} = 0$ from (86), and the characteristic function of q in (85) follows from (82) and (98) as

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_q(\xi) &= \left[\prod_{m=1}^N \{ (1-i(\rho+1)\gamma_m\xi)(1-i(\rho-1)\gamma_m\xi) \} \right]^{-1/2} = \\
 &= \left[\prod_{m=1}^N \{ 1 - i2\rho\gamma_m\xi + (1-\rho^2)\gamma_m^2\xi^2 \} \right]^{-1/2}.
 \end{aligned} \quad (99)$$

This is a generalization of [1, eq. 54], which held for a single pair of Gaussian random variables.

EXAMPLES

The program listed in appendix A for the second-order processor (8) and attendant characteristic function (9) has been employed to yield the result in figure 2. The particular values for the number of terms K , the weights, and the input statistics are listed in lines 20-120. There is no physical significance attached to this particular example; rather it has been run simply to illustrate the extreme generality that the technique is capable of. Some negative values for the weights, means, and correlation coefficients have been employed to emphasize this generality. This simple example (and others to follow) can be used as a check case on any user-written program to evaluate cumulative and exceedance distribution functions.

The selection of parameters L , Δ , b in lines 130-150 is discussed in detail in [1]; the reader is referred there for the deleterious effects that can occur for improper choices of L , Δ , b . The selection of M_f , the FFT size in line 160, is rather arbitrary; it controls the spacing at which the probability distributions are computed, but has no effect upon the accuracy of the results (except for round-off noise). Additional computational details on the particular program for characteristic function (9) are given in appendix A.

The ordinate scale for figure 2 is a logarithmic one. The lower right end of the exceedance distribution function curve decreases smoothly to the region $1E-11$, where roundoff noise is encountered. The exceedance distribution function values continue to decrease with x until, finally, negative values (due to roundoff noise) are generated. For negative probability values, the logarithm of the absolute value is plotted, but mirrored below the $1E-12$ level. These values have no physical significance, of course; they are plotted to illustrate the level of accuracy attainable by this procedure with appropriate choices of L and Δ .

The rates of decay of the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions in figure 2 are markedly different for this particular example. Additionally, since the decays are both linear on this logarithmic ordinate, it means that both tail distributions are exponential, not Gaussian. These attributes of the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions are easily

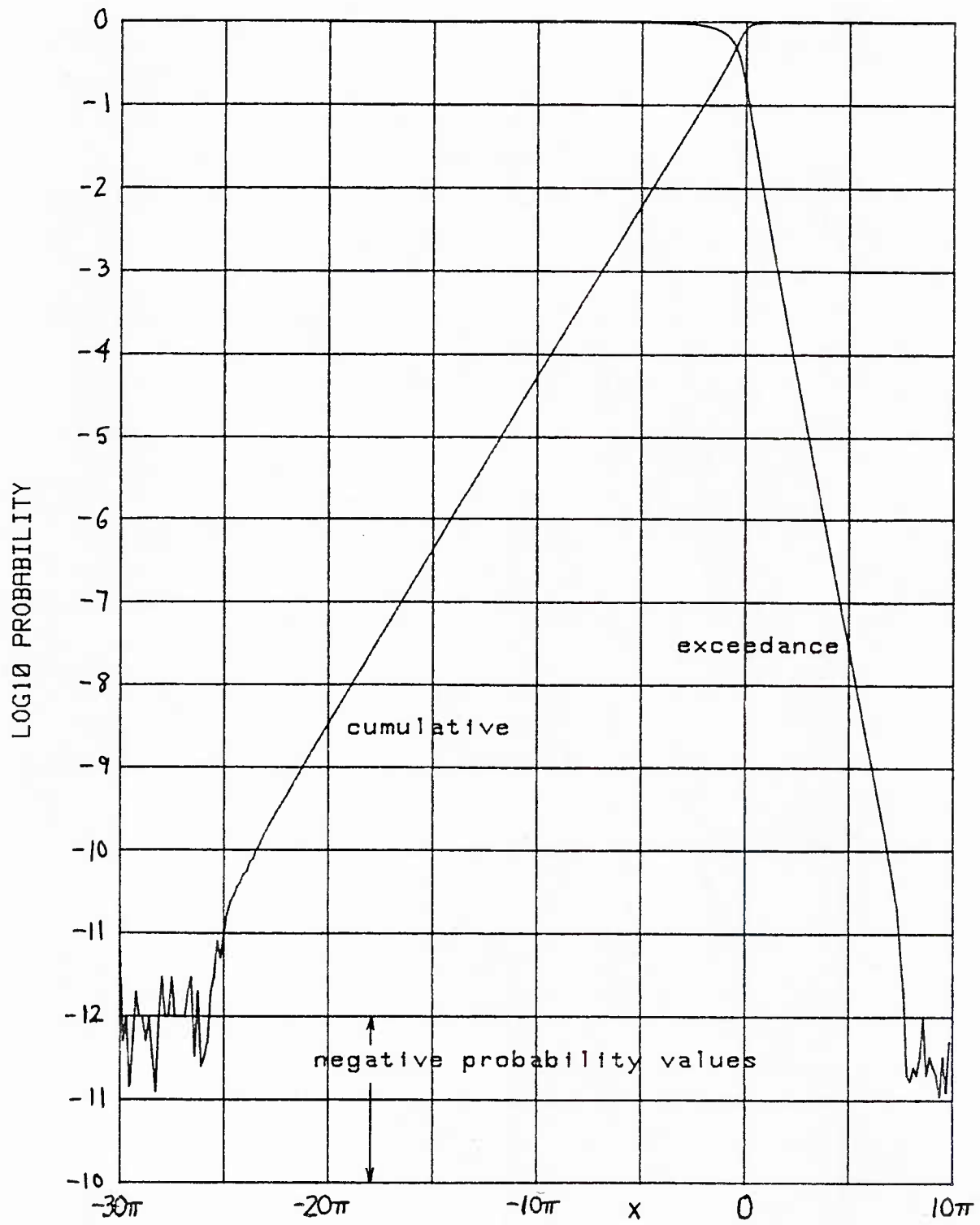


Figure 2. Distributions for Second-Order Processor

and quickly discernible by use of the numerical technique in [1], for a limitless variety of weights and input statistics, with a minimum of effort on the part of the user.

As a check on the program in appendix A, the second-order processor in (8) was simulated, and 10,000 independent trials were used to determine its performance for the exact same parameters as used for figure 2 above. The program is listed in appendix E and the results are given in figure 3. The corroboration is excellent, even near the $1E-4$ probability level.

As the number of terms, K , in the second-order processor (8) is increased, and if the statistics are identical, the random variable x should approach Gaussian, at least near its mean. The example in figure 4 was run for $K = 10$, and all weights and statistics independent of k ; the particular choices were

$$\begin{aligned} a &= .6, b = -.6, c = .3, d = -.2, e = .2, \\ m_s &= .5, m_t = -.5, \sigma_s = 1, \sigma_t = 1, \rho = .4, \\ L &= 4, \Delta = .05, b = 20\pi, M_f = 256. \end{aligned} \tag{100}$$

The cumulative and exceedance distribution functions in figure 4 both display a parabolic shape near the mean of x , which signifies Gaussian behavior of the random variable, as expected. However, on the tails, the distributions are tending to linear, which means an exponential decay there. This observation for this example confirms the comments of [7, p. 673].

The cumulative and exceedance distribution functions for an example of the second-order processor with fading are displayed in figure 5, as determined from characteristic function (21) and the corresponding program in appendix B. The power law, ν , for the fading probability density function (19) is 2.7 for this example, but can be easily changed. The particular constants employed are listed in lines 20-110 in appendix B.

An example of the distributions for the narrowband cross-correlator of figure 1 is presented in figure 6, as evaluated from characteristic function

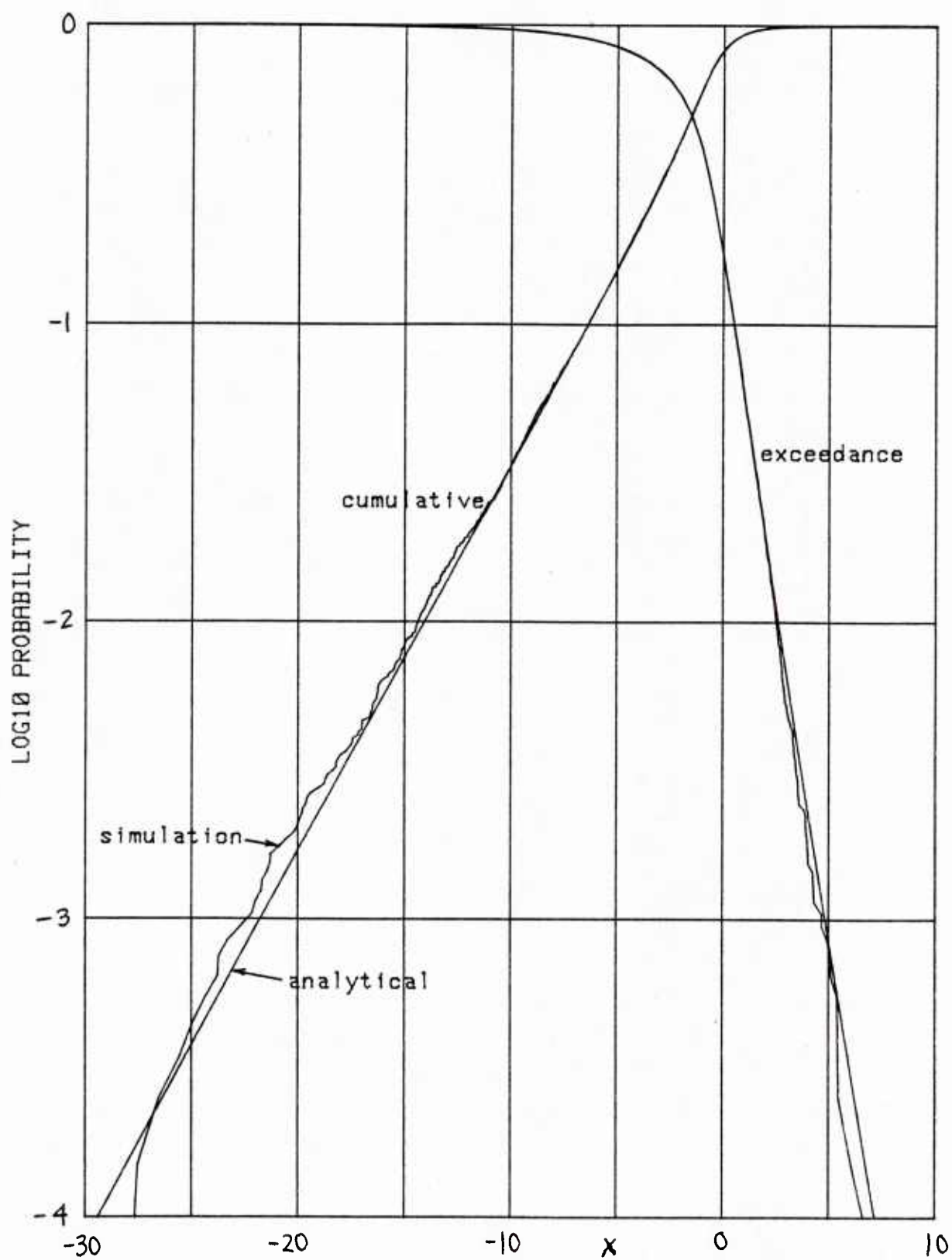
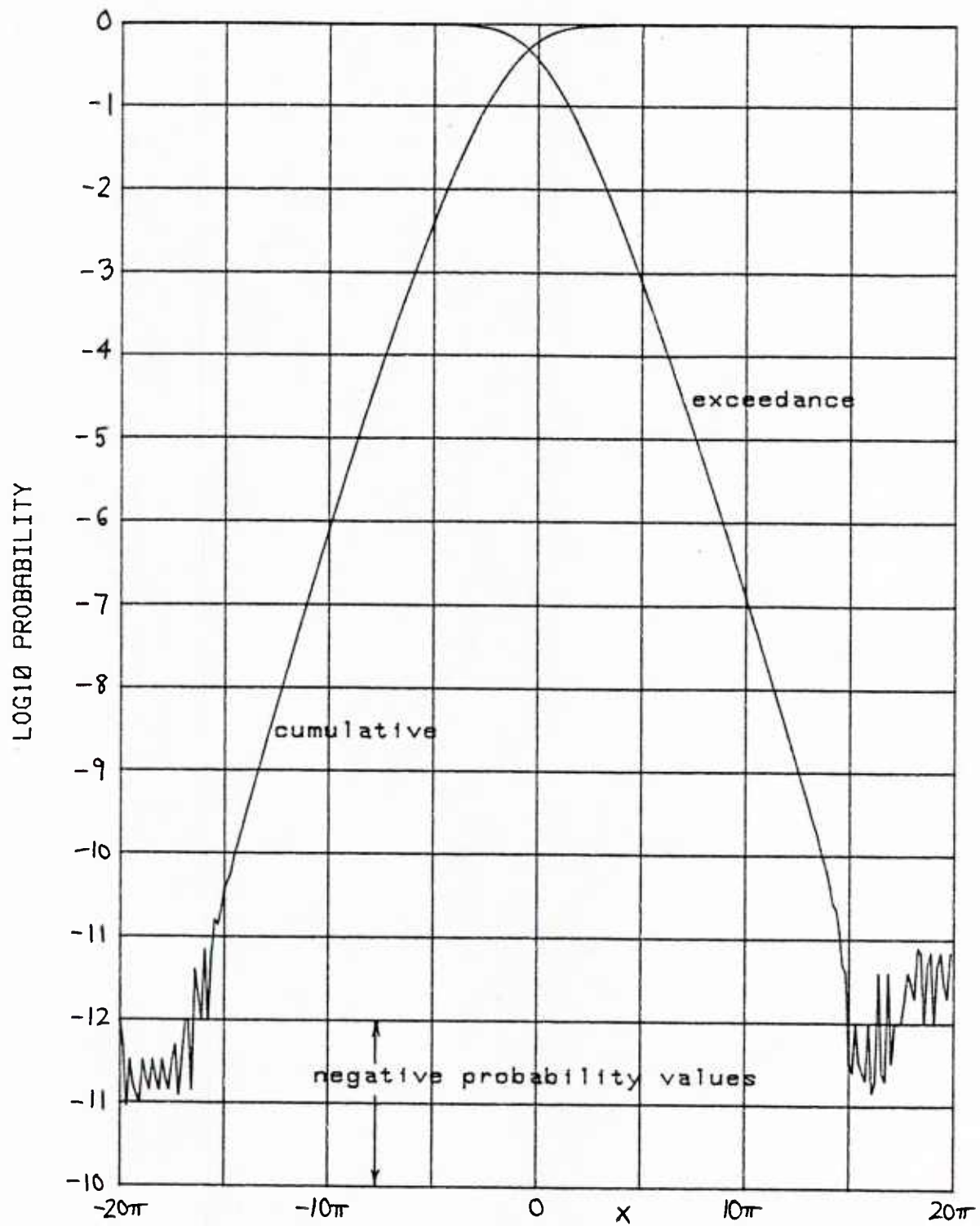


Figure 3. Simulation Comparison of Second-Order Processor

Figure 4. Second-Order Processor, $K=10$, Identical Statistics

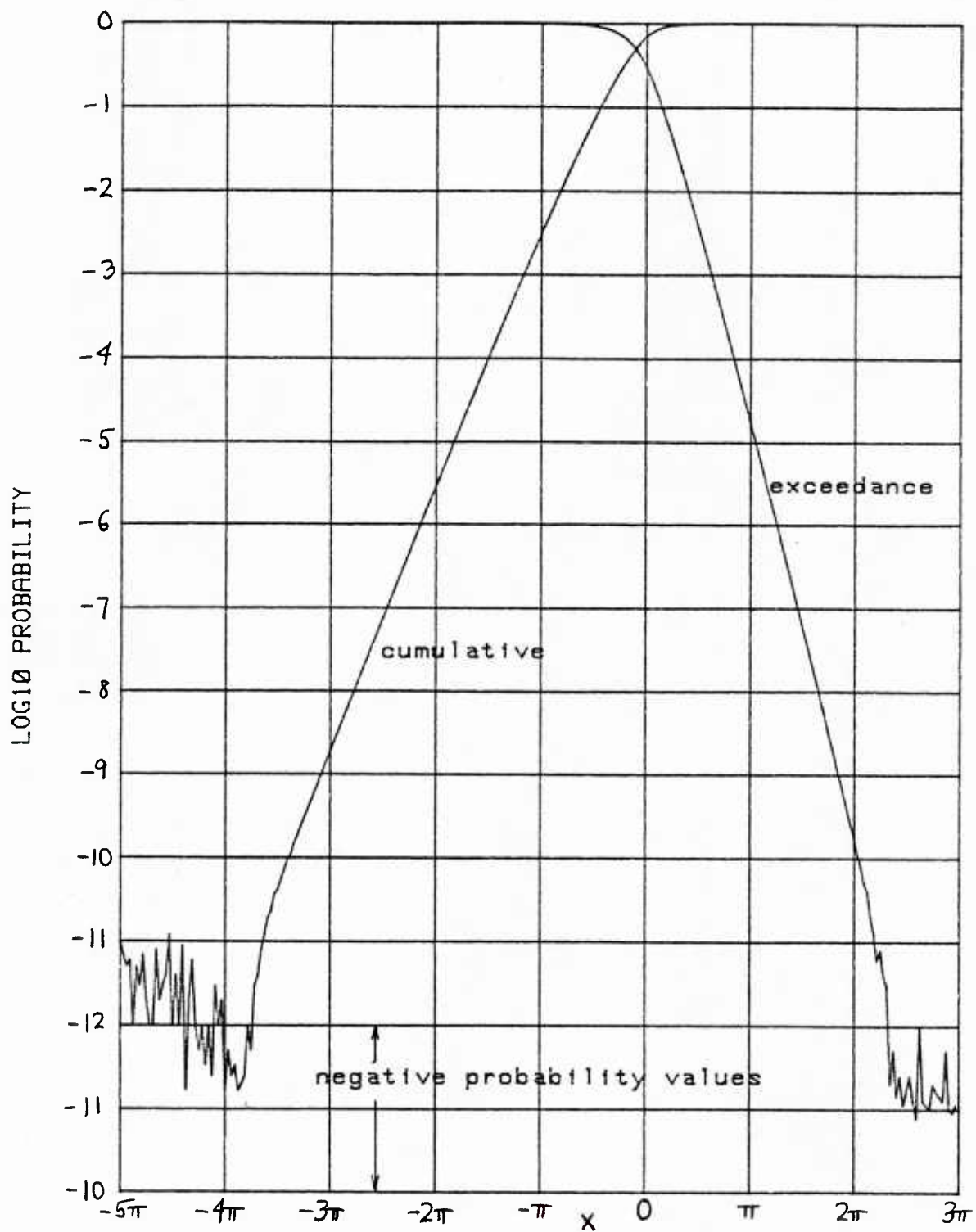


Figure 5. Second-Order Processor with Fading

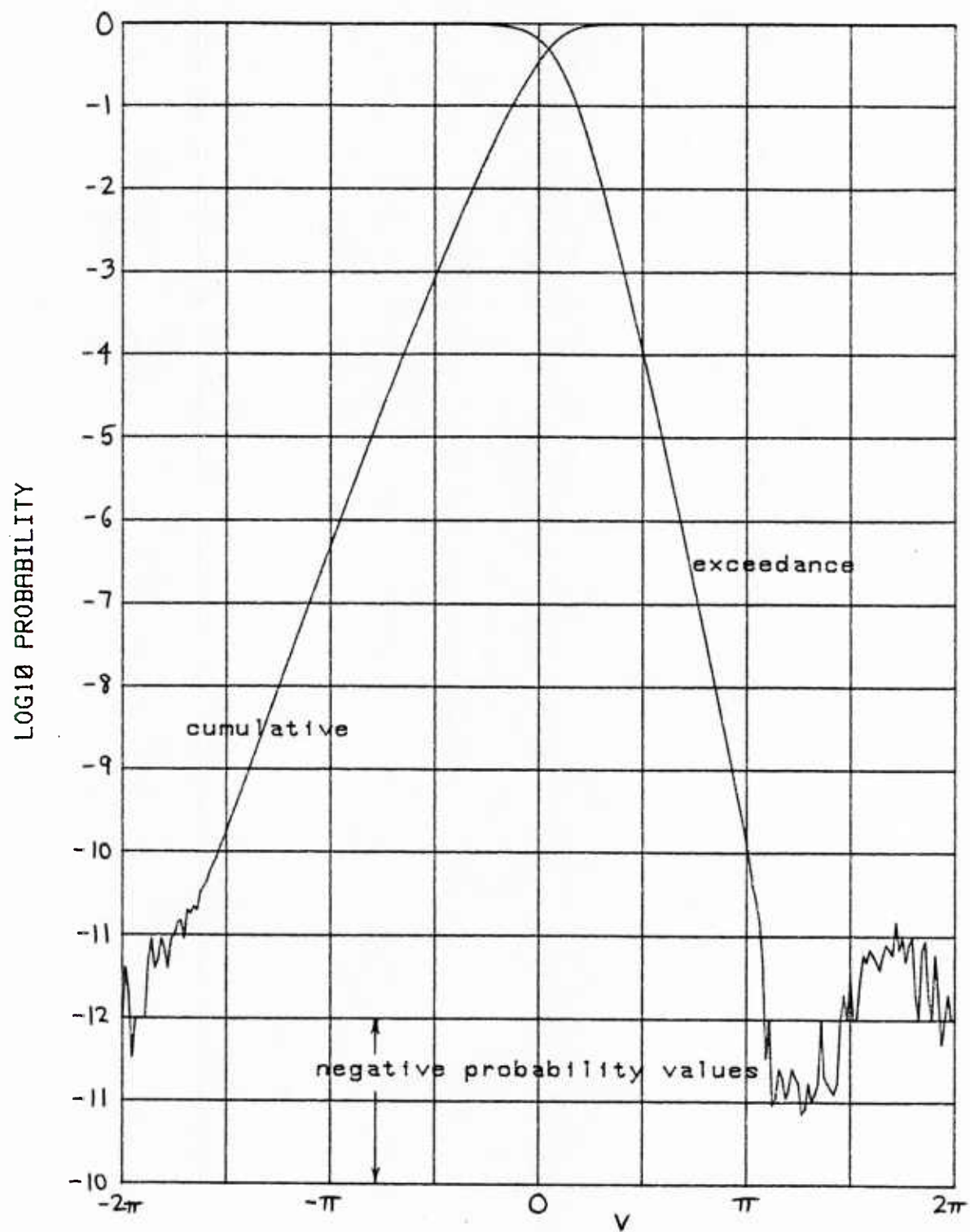


Figure 6. Distributions for Narrowband Cross-Correlator

(31) and the program in appendix C. The weightings, signal components, and noise statistics have no special values or interrelationships; the particular values used here are listed in lines 20-110.

The distributions for the reduced quadratic and linear form (65) and accompanying characteristic function (66) are presented in figure 7 for the numerical example employed in the program listing in appendix D. If the given form is instead that of (62), then (67)-(68) must first be solved before the program in appendix D can be employed; that is, one must augment these results with the capability for extracting the eigenvalues (and eigenvectors in some cases) of the $M \times M$ matrix BK . The size of the FFT, M_f , has been increased to 1024 in figure 7; this results in finer spacing of the distribution values and additional spikes in the round-off noise region centered about $1E-12$.

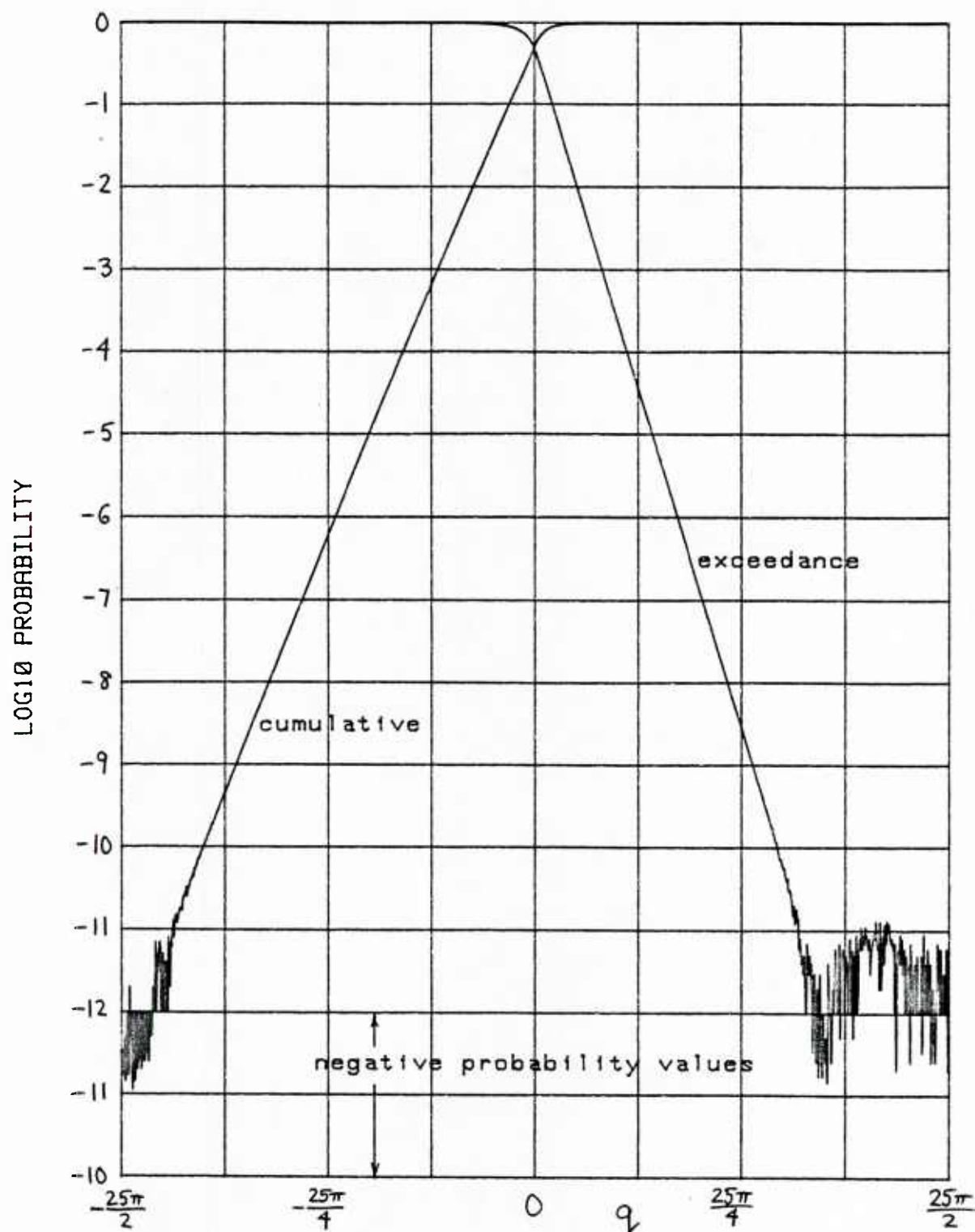


Figure 7. Distributions for Quadratic and Linear Form

SUMMARY AND DISCUSSION

Closed form expressions for the characteristic functions of the decision variables of three classes of second-order processors have been derived. The input noise to the processors must be Gaussian, but it can be nonstationary with arbitrary statistics. Programs for the direct evaluation of the exact cumulative and exceedance distribution functions have been generated and then exercised for completely general values of the weights, signal parameters, and noise statistics. There is no assumption needed about a large number of statistically independent contributors, nor need any signal-to-noise ratio be either small or large. The first two classes of processors are restricted in form, but include many of the practical devices often encountered in detection and estimation problems. The third class covers the most general second-order processor; it requires the solution for the eigenvalue and modal matrices of an $M \times M$ matrix (where M is the size of the general quadratic form) in addition to the program furnished here. The approach utilized here allows a user to quickly and easily obtain accurate quantitative information about the performance of a particular processor, and to investigate the effects of making changes in any of the input constants or parameters.

Approximations to the performance of continuous quadratic processors are possible by use of the above procedures. For example,

$$\iint dt_1 dt_2 x(t_1) \beta(t_1, t_2) x(t_2) \cong \Delta_1 \Delta_2 \sum_{m,n} x(m\Delta_1) \beta(m\Delta_1, n\Delta_2) x(n\Delta_2), \quad (101)$$

which is of the form $X^T B X$ encountered in (62). Also

$$\iint dt_1 dt_2 u(t_1) \beta(t_1, t_2) v(t_2) \cong \Delta_1 \Delta_2 \sum_{m,n} u(m\Delta_1) \beta(m\Delta_1, n\Delta_2) v(n\Delta_2), \quad (102)$$

which is of the form $U^T B^{12} V$ encountered in (79).

Receiver operating characteristics, that is, detection probability vs false alarm probability, can be easily determined from the above results. First store the exceedance distribution for zero signal strength in an array. Then plot the exceedance distributions for nonzero signal strengths vs this stored array of numbers, each point for a common threshold. The common thresholds are most easily realized by keeping sampling increment Δ and FFT size M_f the same throughout all the computations.

APPENDIX A. SECOND-ORDER PROCESSOR

This program computes the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions of random variable (8) via characteristic function (9). The required inputs are listed in lines 20-120 and are annotated consistently with (8). The parameters D_1 , D_2 , N_0 , N_1 , N_2 required in characteristic function (9) are pre-computed once in loop 290-510 for the sake of execution time. The mean of x is entered in line 520. When we enter loop 590-830 for the actual calculation of the characteristic function (9), the number of computations are minimized. For example, only one complex exponential and square root are required per ξ value, in lines 740-750. The square root in (9) is not a principal value square root, but in fact must yield a continuous function in ξ . In order to achieve this, the argument of the square root is traced continuously from $\xi = 0$ (line 530). If an abrupt change in phase is detected, a polarity indicator takes note of this fact (line 780) and corrects the final values of characteristic function $f_y(\xi)$ (line 790). More detail on the selection of L , Δ , b in lines 130-150 is available in [1].

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10 ! SECOND-ORDER PROCESSOR
20   K=5                               ! Number of terms summed
30   DATA .6,-.5,.4,-.3,.2           ! a(k) weightings
40   DATA .9,.8,.7,-.6,-.5           ! b(k) weightings
50   DATA -.6,-.8,1,1.2,1.4           ! c(k) weightings
60   DATA .1,-.2,-.3,.4,.5           ! d(k) weightings
70   DATA -.7,.6,.5,.4,-.3           ! e(k) weightings
80   DATA .2,.3,.4,-.5,-.6           ! Means of random variables s(k)
90   DATA .8,-.7,-.6,.5,.4           ! Means of random variables t(k)
100  DATA .1,.3,.5,.7,.9             ! Standard deviations of s(k)
110  DATA .2,.4,.6,.8,1               ! Standard deviations of t(k)
120  DATA .4,-.5,.6,.7,-.8           ! Correlation coeffs. of s(k) and t(k)
130  L=25                              ! Limit on integral of char. function
140  Delta=.05                         ! Sampling increment on char. function
150  Bs=.75*(2*PI/Delta)               ! Shift b, as fraction of alias interval
160  Mf=2^8                           ! Size of FFT
170  PRINTER IS 0
180  PRINT "L =";L,"Delta =";Delta,"b =";Bs,"Mf =";Mf
190  REDIM A(1:K),B(1:K),C(1:K),D(1:K),E(1:K)
200  REDIM Ms(1:K),Mt(1:K),Ss(1:K),St(1:K),Rho(1:K)
210  REDIM D1(1:K),D2(1:K),N0(1:K),N1(1:K),N2(1:K)
220  REDIM X(0:Mf-1),Y(0:Mf-1)
230  DIM A(1:10),B(1:10),C(1:10),D(1:10),E(1:10)
240  DIM Ms(1:10),Mt(1:10),Ss(1:10),St(1:10),Rho(1:10)
250  DIM D1(1:10),D2(1:10),N0(1:10),N1(1:10),N2(1:10)
260  DIM X(0:1023),Y(0:1023)
270  READ A(*),B(*),C(*),D(*),E(*)      ! Enter
280  READ Ms(*),Mt(*),Ss(*),St(*),Rho(*) ! constants

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290   FOR J=1 TO K                               ! Calculation
300   T1=Ms(J)^2                                  ! of
310   T2=Mt(J)^2                                  ! parameters
320   T3=ss(J)^2
330   T4=St(J)^2
340   T5=Ms(J)*Mt(J)
350   T6=Rho(J)*ss(J)*St(J)
360   T7=4*A(J)*B(J)-C(J)^2
370   T8=(1-Rho(J)^2)*T3*T4
380   T9=Mt(J)*ss(J)
390   T10=Ms(J)*St(J)
400   T11=D(J)^2
410   T12=E(J)^2
420   T13=D(J)*E(J)
430   D1(J)=2*(A(J)*T3+B(J)*T4+C(J)*T6)
440   D2(J)=T7*T8
450   N0(J)=A(J)*T1+B(J)*T2+C(J)*T5+D(J)*Ms(J)+E(J)*Mt(J)
460   T=T7*(.5*(T1*T4+T2*T3)-T5*T6)
470   T=T+(2*A(J)*E(J)-C(J)*D(J))*ss(J)*(T9-Rho(J)*T10)
480   T=T+(2*B(J)*D(J)-C(J)*E(J))*St(J)*(T10-Rho(J)*T9)
490   N1(J)=T-.5*(T11*T3+T12*T4)-T13*T6
500   N2(J)=- (A(J)*T12+B(J)*T11-C(J)*T13)*T8
510   NEXT J
520   Mux=SUM(N0)+.5*SUM(D1)                      ! Mean of random variable x
530   R=0                                           ! Argument of square root
540   P=1                                           ! Polarity indicator
550   Muy=Mux+Bs
560   X(0)=0
570   Y(0)=.5*Delta*Muy
580   N=INT(L/Delta)
590   FOR Ns=1 TO N
600   Xi=Delta*Ns                                ! Argument xi of char. fn.
610   X2=Xi*Xi                                  ! Calculation
620   Pr=1                                        ! of
630   Pi=Sr=Si=0                                 ! characteristic
640   FOR J=1 TO K                               ! function
650   Dr=1-X2*D2(J)                              ! fy(xi)
660   Di=-Xi*D1(J)
670   CALL Mul(Pr,Pi,Dr,Di,A,B)
680   Pr=A
690   Pi=B
700   CALL Div(N0(J)-X2*N2(J),-Xi*N1(J),Dr,Di,A,B)
710   Sr=Sr+A
720   Si=Si+B
730   NEXT J
740   CALL Exp(-Xi*Si,Xi*(Sr+Bs),A,B)
750   CALL Sqr(Pr,Pi,C,D)
760   Ro=R
770   R=ATN(D/C)
780   IF ABS(R-Ro)>1.6 THEN P=-P
790   CALL Div(A,B,C*P,D*P,Fyr,Fyi)
800   Ms=Ns MOD Mf                                ! Collapsing
810   X(Ms)=X(Ms)+Fyr/Ns
820   Y(Ms)=Y(Ms)+Fyi/Ns
830   NEXT Ns
840   CALL Fft10z(Mf,X(*),Y(*))                  ! 0 subscript FFT

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850  PLOTTER IS "GRAPHICS"
860  GRAPHICS
870  SCALE 0,Mf,-14,0
880  LINE TYPE 3
890  GRID Mf/8,1
900  PENUP
910  LINE TYPE 1
920  B=Bs*Mf*Delta/(2*PI)           ! Origin for random variable x
930  MOVE B,0
940  DRAW B,-14
950  PENUP
960  FOR Ks=0 TO Mf-1
970  T=Y(Ks)/PI-Ks/Mf
980  X(Ks)=.5-T                     ! Cumulative probability in X(*)
990  Y(Ks)=Pr=.5+T                 ! Exceedance probability in Y(*)
1000 IF Pr>=1E-12 THEN Y=LGT(Pr)
1010 IF Pr<=-1E-12 THEN Y=-24-LGT(-Pr)
1020 IF ABS(Pr)<1E-12 THEN Y=-12
1030 PLOT Ks,Y
1040 NEXT Ks
1050 PENUP
1060 PRINT Y(0);Y(1);Y(Mf-2);Y(Mf-1)
1070 FOR Ks=0 TO Mf-1
1080 Pr=X(Ks)
1090 IF Pr>=1E-12 THEN Y=LGT(Pr)
1100 IF Pr<=-1E-12 THEN Y=-24-LGT(-Pr)
1110 IF ABS(Pr)<1E-12 THEN Y=-12
1120 PLOT Ks,Y
1130 NEXT Ks
1140 PENUP
1150 PAUSE
1160 DUMP GRAPHICS
1170 PRINT LIN(5)
1180 PRINTER IS 16
1190 END
1200 !
1210 SUB Mul(X1,Y1,X2,Y2,A,B)       ! Z1*Z2
1220 A=X1*X2-Y1*Y2
1230 B=X1*Y2+X2*Y1
1240 SUBEND
1250 !
1260 SUB Div(X1,Y1,X2,Y2,A,B)      ! Z1/Z2
1270 T=X2*X2+Y2*Y2
1280 A=(X1*X2+Y1*Y2)/T
1290 B=(Y1*X2-X1*Y2)/T
1300 SUBEND
1310 !
1320 SUB Exp(X,Y,A,B)              ! EXP(Z)
1330 T=EXP(X)
1340 A=T*COS(Y)
1350 B=T*SIN(Y)
1360 SUBEND
1370 !

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1380 SUB Sqr(X,Y,A,B)                                ! PRINCIPAL SQR(Z)
1390 IF X<>0 THEN 1430
1400 A=B=SQR(.5*ABS(Y))
1410 IF Y<0 THEN B=-B
1420 GOTO 1540
1430 F=SQR(SQR(X*X+Y*Y))
1440 T=.5*ATN(Y/X)
1450 A=F*COS(T)
1460 B=F*SIN(T)
1470 IF X>0 THEN 1540
1480 T=A
1490 A=-B
1500 B=T
1510 IF Y>=0 THEN 1540
1520 A=-A
1530 B=-B
1540 SUBEND
1550 !
1560 SUB Fft10z(N,X(*),Y(*) )      ! N <= 2^10 = 1024, N=2^INTEGER      0 subscript
1570 DIM C(0:256)
1580 INTEGER I1,I2,I3,I4,I5,I6,I7,I8,I9,I10,J,K
1590 DATA 1,.999981175283,.999924701839,.999830581796,.999698818696,.9995294175
01,.999322384588,.999077727753,.998795456205,.998475580573,.998118112900
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,.795836904609,.792106577300,.788346427627,.784556597156,.780737228572
1700 DATA .776888465673,.773010453363,.769103337646,.765167265622,.761202385484
,.757208846506,.753186799044,.749136394523,.745057785441,.740951125355
1710 DATA .736816568877,.732654271672,.728464390448,.724247082951,.720002507961
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,.671558954847,.666999922304,.662415777590,.657806693297,.653172842954
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,.624859488142,.620057211763,.615231590581,.610382806276,.605511041404
1740 DATA .600616479384,.595699304492,.590759701859,.585797857456,.580813958096
,.575808191418,.570780745887,.565731810784,.560661576197,.555570233020
1750 DATA .550457972937,.545324988422,.540171472730,.534997619887,.529803624686
,.524589682678,.519355990166,.514102744193,.508830142543,.503538383726

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1760 DATA .498227666973,.492898192230,.487550160148,.482183772079,.476799230063
,.471396736826,.465976495768,.460538710958,.455083587126,.449611329655
1770 DATA .444122144570,.438616238539,.433093818853,.427555093430,.422000270800
,.416429560098,.410843171058,.405241314005,.399624199846,.393992040061
1780 DATA .388345046699,.382683432365,.377007410216,.371317193952,.365612997805
,.359895036535,.354163525420,.348418680249,.342660717312,.336889853392
1790 DATA .331106305760,.325310292162,.319502030816,.313681740399,.307849640042
,.302005949319,.296150888244,.290284677254,.284407537211,.278519689385
1800 DATA .272621355450,.266712757475,.260794117915,.254865659605,.248927605746
,.242980179903,.237023605994,.231058108281,.225083911360,.219101240157
1810 DATA .213110319916,.2071111376192,.201104634842,.195090322016,.189068664150
,.183039887955,.177004220412,.170961888760,.164913120490,.158858143334
1820 DATA .152797185258,.146730474455,.140658239333,.134580708507,.128498110794
,.122410675199,.116318630912,.110222207294,.104121633872,.980171403296E-1
1830 DATA .919089564971E-1,.857973123444E-1,.796824379714E-1,.735645635997E-1,.
674439195637E-1,.613207363022E-1,.551952443497E-1,.490676743274E-1
1840 DATA .429382569349E-1,.368072229414E-1,.306748031766E-1,.245412285229E-1,.
184067299058E-1,.122715382857E-1,.613588464915E-2,0
1850 READ C(*)
1860 K=1024/N
1870 FOR J=0 TO N/4
1880 C(J)=C(K*J)
1890 NEXT J
1900 N1=N/4
1910 N2=N1+1
1920 N3=N2+1
1930 N4=N1+N3
1940 Log2n=INT(1.4427*LOG(N)+.5)
1950 FOR I1=1 TO Log2n
1960 I2=2^(Log2n-I1)
1970 I3=2*I2
1980 I4=N/I3
1990 FOR I5=1 TO I2
2000 I6=(I5-1)*I4+1
2010 IF I6<=N2 THEN 2050
2020 N6=-C(N4-I6-1)
2030 N7=-C(I6-N1-1)
2040 GOTO 2070
2050 N6=C(I6-1)
2060 N7=-C(N3-I6-1)
2070 FOR I7=0 TO N-I3 STEP I3
2080 I8=I7+I5
2090 I9=I8+I2
2100 N8=X(I8-1)-X(I9-1)
2110 N9=Y(I8-1)-Y(I9-1)
2120 X(I8-1)=X(I8-1)+X(I9-1)
2130 Y(I8-1)=Y(I8-1)+Y(I9-1)
2140 X(I9-1)=N6*N8-N7*N9
2150 Y(I9-1)=N6*N9+N7*N8
2160 NEXT I7
2170 NEXT I5
2180 NEXT I1
2190 I1=Log2n+1
2200 FOR I2=1 TO 10 ! 2^10=1024
2210 C(I2-1)=1
2220 IF I2>Log2n THEN 2240
2230 C(I2-1)=2^(I1-I2)
2240 NEXT I2

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2250 K=1
2260 FOR I1=1 TO C(9)
2270 FOR I2=I1 TO C(8) STEP C(9)
2280 FOR I3=I2 TO C(7) STEP C(8)
2290 FOR I4=I3 TO C(6) STEP C(7)
2300 FOR I5=I4 TO C(5) STEP C(6)
2310 FOR I6=I5 TO C(4) STEP C(5)
2320 FOR I7=I6 TO C(3) STEP C(4)
2330 FOR I8=I7 TO C(2) STEP C(3)
2340 FOR I9=I8 TO C(1) STEP C(2)
2350 FOR I10=I9 TO C(0) STEP C(1)
2360 J=I10
2370 IF K>J THEN 2440
2380 A=X(K-1)
2390 X(K-1)=X(J-1)
2400 X(J-1)=A
2410 A=Y(K-1)
2420 Y(K-1)=Y(J-1)
2430 Y(J-1)=A
2440 K=K+1
2450 NEXT I10
2460 NEXT I9
2470 NEXT I8
2480 NEXT I7
2490 NEXT I6
2500 NEXT I5
2510 NEXT I4
2520 NEXT I3
2530 NEXT I2
2540 NEXT I1
2550 SUBEND

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APPENDIX B. FADING FOR SECOND-ORDER PROCESSOR

This program computes the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions for characteristic function (21), when the power fading factor r in (18) has probability density function (19). The parameters D_1 , D_2 , N_0 , N_1 are pre-computed once in lines 210-310. The logarithms in lines 430 and 440 have arguments that never cross the branch line along the negative real axis for the principal value logarithm; hence the calculated characteristic function is automatically continuous for all ω .

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10 ! FADING FOR SECOND-ORDER PROCESSOR
20   Nu=2.7           ! Power law for fading
30   K=5              ! Number of terms summed
40   Ak=.7            ! a(k) weighting
50   Bk=-.9           ! b(k) weighting
60   Ck=-.6           ! c(k) weighting
70   DATA .2,.3,.4,-.5,-.6 ! Means of random variables s(k)
80   DATA .8,-.7,-.6,.5,.4 ! Means of random variables t(k)
90   Ss=.3            ! Standard deviation of s(k)
100  St=.2            ! Standard deviation of t(k)
110  Rho=-.4          ! Correlation coeff. of s(k) and t(k)
120  L=150            ! Limit on integral of char. function
130  Delta=.25        ! Sampling increment on char. function
140  Bs=.625*(2*PI/Delta) ! Shift b, as fraction of alias interval
150  Mf=2^8           ! Size of FFT
160  PRINTER IS 0
170  PRINT "L =";L,"Delta =";Delta,"b =";Bs,"Mf =";Mf
180  REDIM Ms(1:K),Mt(1:K),X(0:Mf-1),Y(0:Mf-1)
190  DIM Ms(1:10),Mt(1:10),X(0:1023),Y(0:1023)
200  READ Ms(*),Mt(*)           ! Enter constants
210  M20=DOT(Ms,Ms)             ! Calculation
220  M02=DOT(Mt,Mt)             ! of
230  M11=DOT(Ms,Mt)             ! parameters
240  T1=Ss*Ss
250  T2=St*St
260  T3=Rho*Ss*St
270  T4=4*Ak*Bk-Ck*Ck
280  N0p=Ak*M20+Bk*M02+Ck*M11
290  N1p=T4*(.5*(T2*M20+T1*M02)-T3*M11)
300  D1=2*(Ak*T1+Bk*T2+Ck*T3)
310  D2=T4*(1-Rho*Rho)*T1*T2
320  D1p=D1+N0p/Nu
330  D2p=D2+N1p/Nu
340  Mux=N0p+.5*K*D1           ! Mean of random variable x
350  Muy=Mux+Bs
360  T=Nu-.5*K

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370  X(0)=0
380  Y(0)=.5*Delta*Muy
390  N=INT(L/Delta)
400  FOR Ns=1 TO N
410  Xi=Delta*Ns          ! Argument xi of char. fn.
420  X2=Xi*Xi            ! Calculation
430  CALL Log(1-X2*D2,-Xi*D1,A,B) ! of
440  CALL Log(1-X2*D2p,-Xi*D1p,C,D) ! characteristic
450  T1=T*A-Nu*C          ! function
460  T2=T*B-Nu*D+Bs*Xi    ! fy(xi)
470  CALL Exp(T1,T2,Fyr,Fyi)
480  Ms=Ns MOD Mf        ! Collapsing
490  X(Ms)=X(Ms)+Fyr/Ns
500  Y(Ms)=Y(Ms)+Fyi/Ns
510  NEXT Ns
520  CALL Fft10z(Mf,X(*),Y(*)) ! 0 subscript FFT
530  PLOTTER IS "GRAPHICS"
540  GRAPHICS
550  SCALE 0,Mf,-14,0
560  LINE TYPE 3
570  GRID Mf/8,1
580  PENUP
590  LINE TYPE 1
600  B=Bs*Mf*Delta/(2*PI)    ! Origin for random variable x
610  MOVE B,0
620  DRAW B,-14
630  PENUP
640  FOR Ks=0 TO Mf-1
650  T=Y(Ks)/PI-Ks/Mf
660  X(Ks)=.5-T              ! Cumulative probability in X(*)
670  Y(Ks)=Pr=.5+T          ! Exceedance probability in Y(*)
680  IF Pr>=1E-12 THEN Y=LGT(Pr)
690  IF Pr<=-1E-12 THEN Y=-24-LGT(-Pr)
700  IF ABS(Pr)<1E-12 THEN Y=-12
710  PLOT Ks,Y
720  NEXT Ks
730  PENUP
740  PRINT Y(0);Y(1);Y(Mf-2);Y(Mf-1)
750  FOR Ks=0 TO Mf-1
760  Pr=X(Ks)
770  IF Pr>=1E-12 THEN Y=LGT(Pr)
780  IF Pr<=-1E-12 THEN Y=-24-LGT(-Pr)
790  IF ABS(Pr)<1E-12 THEN Y=-12
800  PLOT Ks,Y
810  NEXT Ks
820  PENUP
830  PAUSE
840  DUMP GRAPHICS
850  PRINT LIN(5)
860  PRINTER IS 16
870  END
880  !

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890 SUB Exp(X,Y,A,B)          ! EXP(Z)
900 T=EXP(X)
910 A=T*COS(Y)
920 B=T*SIN(Y)
930 SUBEND
940 !
950 SUB Log(X,Y,A,B)          ! PRINCIPAL LOG(Z)
960 A=.5*LOG(X*X+Y*Y)
970 IF X<>0 THEN 1000
980 B=.5*PI*SGN(Y)
990 GOTO 1020
1000 B=ATN(Y/X)
1010 IF X<0 THEN B=B+PI*(1-2*(Y<0))
1020 SUBEND
1030 !
1040 SUB Fft10z(N,X(*),Y(*))  ! N <= 2^10 = 1024, N=2^INTEGER      0 subscript
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APPENDIX C. NARROWBAND CROSS-CORRELATOR

This program computes the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions of random variable (30) via characteristic function (35). The parameters D_1 , D_2 , N_0 , N_1 are pre-computed in lines 280-390 and weighted according to (35)-(36) in lines 400-440. All the functions employed are analytic.

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10 ! NARROWBAND CROSS-CORRELATOR
20   K=5                                ! Number of terms summed
30   DATA .6,-.5,.4,-.3,.2            ! w(k)      weightings
40   DATA .9,.8,.7,-.6,-.5            ! a1(k)      signal 1 in-phase components
50   DATA -.6,-.8,1,1.2,1.4            ! b1(k)      signal 1 quadrature components
60   DATA .1,-.2,-.3,.4,.5            ! a2(k)      signal 2 in-phase components
70   DATA -.7,.6,.5,.4,-.3            ! b2(k)      signal 2 quadrature components
80   DATA .1,.3,.5,.7,.9              ! sigma1(k)  noise 1 standard deviations
90   DATA .2,.4,.6,.8,1               ! sigma2(k)  noise 2 standard deviations
100  DATA .4,-.5,.6,.7,-.8            ! rho(k)     noise in-phase corr. coeffs.
110  DATA .9,-.7,-.5,.3,-.1           ! lambda     noise quadrature corr. coeffs.
120  L=50                               ! Limit on integral of char. function
130  Delta=.5                           ! Sampling increment on char. function
140  Bs=.5*(2*PI/Delta)                 ! Shift b, as fraction of alias interval
150  Mf=2^8                             ! Size of FFT
160  PRINTER IS 0
170  PRINT "L =";L,"Delta =";Delta,"b =";Bs,"Mf =";Mf
180  REDIM W(1:K),A1(1:K),B1(1:K),A2(1:K),B2(1:K)
190  REDIM S1(1:K),S2(1:K),Rho(1:K),Lambda(1:K)
200  REDIM D1(1:K),D2(1:K),N0(1:K),N1(1:K)
210  REDIM X(0:Mf-1),Y(0:Mf-1),W2(1:K)
220  DIM W(1:10),A1(1:10),B1(1:10),A2(1:10),B2(1:10)
230  DIM S1(1:10),S2(1:10),Rho(1:10),Lambda(1:10)
240  DIM D1(1:10),D2(1:10),N0(1:10),N1(1:10)
250  DIM X(0:1023),Y(0:1023),W2(1:10)
260  READ W(*),A1(*),B1(*),A2(*),B2(*) ! Enter
270  READ S1(*),S2(*),Rho(*),Lambda(*) ! constants
280  FOR J=1 TO K                        ! Calculation
290    S1s=S1(J)^2                      ! of
300    S2s=S2(J)^2                      ! parameters
310    T1=S1(J)*S2(J)
320    D1(J)=T2=T1*Rho(J)
330    D2(J)=.25*S1s*S2s*(1-Rho(J)^2-Lambda(J)^2)
340    T3=A1(J)*A2(J)+B1(J)*B2(J)
350    N0(J)=.5*T3
360    T4=A2(J)*B1(J)-A1(J)*B2(J)
370    T5=S2s*(A1(J)^2+B1(J)^2)+S1s*(A2(J)^2+B2(J)^2)
380    N1(J)=.125*(T5-2*T2*T3-2*T1*Lambda(J)*T4)
390  NEXT J
400  MAT W2=W.W
410  MAT D1=W.D1
420  MAT D2=W2.D2
430  MAT N0=W.N0
440  MAT N1=W2.N1
450  Mux=SUM(N0)+SUM(D1)                ! Mean of random variable v
460  Muy=Mux+Bs

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470  X(0)=0
480  Y(0)=.5*Delta*Muy
490  N=INT(L/Delta)
500  FOR Ns=1 TO N
510  Xi=Delta*Ns                                ! Argument xi of char. fn.
520  X2=Xi*Xi                                    ! Calculation
530  Pr=1                                         ! of
540  Pi=Sr=Si=0                                  ! characteristic
550  FOR J=1 TO K                                ! function
560  Dr=1+X2*D2(J)                               ! fy(xi)
570  Di=-Xi*D1(J)
580  CALL Mul(Pr,Pi,Dr,Di,A,B)
590  Pr=A
600  Pi=B
610  CALL Div(N0(J),Xi*N1(J),Dr,Di,A,B)
620  Sr=Sr+A
630  Si=Si+B
640  NEXT J
650  CALL Exp(-Xi*Si,Xi*(Sr+Bs),A,B)
660  CALL Div(A,B,Pr,Pi,Fyr,Fyi)
670  Ms=Ns MOD Mf                                ! Collapsing
680  X(Ms)=X(Ms)+Fyr/Ns
690  Y(Ms)=Y(Ms)+Fyi/Ns
700  NEXT Ns
710  CALL Fft10z(Mf,X(*),Y(*))                  ! 0 subscript FFT
720  PLOTTER IS "GRAPHICS"
730  GRAPHICS
740  SCALE 0,Mf,-14,0
750  LINE TYPE 3
760  GRID Mf/8,1
770  PENUP
780  LINE TYPE 1
790  B=Bs*Mf*Delta/(2*PI)                        ! Origin for random variable v
800  MOVE B,0
810  DRAW B,-14
820  PENUP
830  FOR Ks=0 TO Mf-1
840  T=Y(Ks)/PI-Ks/Mf
850  X(Ks)=.5-T                                  ! Cumulative probability in X(*)
860  Y(Ks)=Pr=.5+T                               ! Exceedance probability in Y(*)
870  IF Pr>=1E-12 THEN Y=LGT(Pr)
880  IF Pr<=-1E-12 THEN Y=-24-LGT(-Pr)
890  IF ABS(Pr)<1E-12 THEN Y=-12
900  PLOT Ks,Y
910  NEXT Ks
920  PENUP
930  PRINT Y(0);Y(1);Y(Mf-2);Y(Mf-1)
940  FOR Ks=0 TO Mf-1
950  Pr=X(Ks)
960  IF Pr>=1E-12 THEN Y=LGT(Pr)
970  IF Pr<=-1E-12 THEN Y=-24-LGT(-Pr)
980  IF ABS(Pr)<1E-12 THEN Y=-12
990  PLOT Ks,Y
1000 NEXT Ks
1010 PENUP
1020 PAUSE

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1030 DUMP GRAPHICS
1040 PRINT LIN(5)
1050 PRINTER IS 16
1060 END
1070 !
1080 SUB Mul(X1,Y1,X2,Y2,A,B)          ! Z1*Z2
1090 A=X1*X2-Y1*Y2
1100 B=X1*Y2+X2*Y1
1110 SUBEND
1120 !
1130 SUB Div(X1,Y1,X2,Y2,A,B)         ! Z1/Z2
1140 T=X2*X2+Y2*Y2
1150 A=(X1*X2+Y1*Y2)/T
1160 B=(Y1*X2-X1*Y2)/T
1170 SUBEND
1180 !
1190 SUB Exp(X,Y,A,B)                 ! EXP(Z)
1200 T=EXP(X)
1210 A=T*COS(Y)
1220 B=T*SIN(Y)
1230 SUBEND
1240 !
1250 SUB Fft10z(N,X(*),Y(*))          ! N <= 2^10 = 1024, N=2^INTEGER      0 subscript
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APPENDIX D. REDUCED QUADRATIC AND LINEAR FORM

This program computes the cumulative and exceedance distribution functions of random variable (65) via characteristic function (66). The required inputs to the program are M and the $\{\lambda_m\}$, $\{d_m\}$, $\{\nu_m\}$ of (68). The square root in (66) must again be continuous and is handled exactly as in appendix A. The parameters required in the exponential of (66) are pre-computed in lines 170-210, and the mean of q is entered in line 220.

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10 ! REDUCED QUADRATIC AND LINEAR FORM
20   M=5                      ! Number of terms summed
30   DATA .2,-.3,.4,.5,-.6   ! Lambda values
40   DATA -.1,.3,.5,.7,-.9   ! d values
50   DATA .6,.5,-.4,-.3,.2   ! Nu values
60   L=800                    ! Limit on integral of char. function
70   Delta=.08                ! Sampling increment on char. function
80   Bs=.5*(2*PI/Delta)       ! Shift b, as fraction of alias interval
90   Mf=2^10                  ! Size of FFT
100  PRINTER IS 0
110  PRINT "L =";L,"Delta =";Delta,"b =";Bs,"Mf =";Mf
120  REDIM Lambda(1:M),D(1:M),Nu(1:M),A(1:M),B(1:M),C(1:M)
130  REDIM X(0:Mf-1),Y(0:Mf-1)
140  DIM Lambda(1:10),D(1:10),Nu(1:10),A(1:10),B(1:10),C(1:10)
150  DIM X(0:1023),Y(0:1023)
160  READ Lambda(*),D(*),Nu(*)      ! Enter constants
170  FOR Ms=1 TO M                  ! Calculation
180    A(Ms)=2*Lambda(Ms)           ! of parameters
190    B(Ms)=(Lambda(Ms)*Nu(Ms)+D(Ms))*Nu(Ms)
200    C(Ms)=.5*D(Ms)^2
210  NEXT Ms
220  Muq=SUM(Lambda)+SUM(B)         ! Mean of random variable q
230  R=0                            ! Argument of square root
240  P=1                            ! Polarity indicator
250  Muy=Muq+Bs
260  X(0)=0
270  Y(0)=.5*Delta*Muy
280  N=INT(L/Delta)
290  FOR Ns=1 TO N
300    Xi=Delta*Ns                 ! Argument xi of char. fn.
310    Pr=1                        ! Calculation
320    Pi=Sr=Si=0                 ! of
330    FOR Ms=1 TO M              ! characteristic
340      T=-A(Ms)*Xi              ! function
350      CALL Mul(Pr,Pi,1,T,A,B)  ! fy(xi)
360      Pr=A
370      Pi=B
380      CALL Div(B(Ms),C(Ms)*Xi,1,T,A,B)
390      Sr=Sr+A
400      Si=Si+B
410    NEXT Ms

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420  CALL Exp(-Si*Xi,(Sr+Bs)*Xi,A,B)
430  CALL Sqr(Pr,Pi,C,D)
440  Ro=R
450  R=ATN(D/C)
460  IF ABS(R-Ro)>1.6 THEN P=-P
470  CALL Div(A,B,C*P,D*P,Fyr,Fyi)
480  Ms=Ns MOD Mf                                ! Collapsing
490  X(Ms)=X(Ms)+Fyr/Ns
500  Y(Ms)=Y(Ms)+Fyi/Ns
510  NEXT Ns
520  CALL Fft10z(Mf,X(*),Y(*))                  ! 0 subscript FFT
530  PLOTTER IS "GRAPHICS"
540  GRAPHICS
550  SCALE 0,Mf,-14,0
560  LINE TYPE 3
570  GRID Mf/8,1
580  PENUP
590  LINE TYPE 1
600  B=Bs*Mf*Delta/(2*PI)                        ! Origin for random variable q
610  MOVE B,0
620  DRAW B,-14
630  PENUP
640  FOR Ks=0 TO Mf-1
650  T=Y(Ks)/PI-Ks/Mf
660  X(Ks)=.5-T *                                ! Cumulative probability in X(*)
670  Y(Ks)=Pr=.5+T *                             ! Exceedance probability in Y(*)
680  IF Pr>=1E-12 THEN Y=LGT(Pr)
690  IF Pr<=-1E-12 THEN Y=-24-LGT(-Pr)
700  IF ABS(Pr)<1E-12 THEN Y=-12
710  PLOT Ks,Y
720  NEXT Ks
730  PENUP
740  PRINT Y(0);Y(1);Y(Mf-2);Y(Mf-1)
750  FOR Ks=0 TO Mf-1
760  Pr=X(Ks)
770  IF Pr>=1E-12 THEN Y=LGT(Pr)
780  IF Pr<=-1E-12 THEN Y=-24-LGT(-Pr)
790  IF ABS(Pr)<1E-12 THEN Y=-12
800  PLOT Ks,Y
810  NEXT Ks
820  PENUP
830  PAUSE
840  DUMP GRAPHICS
850  PRINT LIN(5)
860  PRINTER IS 16
870  END
880  !

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890  SUB Mul(X1,Y1,X2,Y2,A,B)          !  Z1*Z2
900  A=X1*X2-Y1*Y2
910  B=X1*Y2+X2*Y1
920  SUBEND
930  !
940  SUB Div(X1,Y1,X2,Y2,A,B)          !  Z1/Z2
950  T=X2*X2+Y2*Y2
960  A=(X1*X2+Y1*Y2)/T
970  B=(Y1*X2-X1*Y2)/T
980  SUBEND
990  !
1000 SUB Exp(X,Y,A,B)                  !  EXP(Z)
1010 T=EXP(X)
1020 A=T*COS(Y)
1030 B=T*SIN(Y)
1040 SUBEND
1050 !
1060 SUB Sqr(X,Y,A,B)                  !  PRINCIPAL SQR(Z)
1070 IF X<>0 THEN 1110
1080 A=B=SQR(.5*ABS(Y))
1090 IF Y<0 THEN B=-B
1100 GOTO 1220
1110 F=SQR(SQR(X*X+Y*Y))
1120 T=.5*ATN(Y/X)
1130 A=F*COS(T)
1140 B=F*SIN(T)
1150 IF X>0 THEN 1220
1160 T=A
1170 A=-B
1180 B=T
1190 IF Y>=0 THEN 1220
1200 A=-A
1210 B=-B
1220 SUBEND
1230 !
1240 SUB Fft10z(N,X(*),Y(*))          ! N <= 2^10 = 1024, N=2^INTEGER      0 subscript

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280  FOR I=1 TO Tt
290  X=0
300  FOR J=1 TO K
310  V1=RND-.5          ! GENERATE TWO
320  V2=RND-.5          ! INDEPENDENT
330  S=V1*V1+V2*V2      ! GAUSSIAN
340  IF S>.25 THEN 310  ! RANDOM
350  Q=(L-LOG(S))/S      ! VARIABLES VIA
360  Q=SQR(Q+Q)          ! ACCEPTANCE
370  G1=V1*Q            ! AND
380  G2=V2*Q            ! REJECTION
390  S=Ms(J)+A1(J)*G1+Be(J)*G2
400  T=Mt(J)+St(J)*G1
410  X=X+A(J)*S*S+B(J)*T*T+C(J)*S*T+D(J)*S+E(J)*T
420  NEXT J
430  X(I)=X
440  NEXT I
450  MAT SORT X
460  PLOTTER IS "GRAPHICS"
470  GRAPHICS
480  SCALE -30,10,-4,0
490  GRID 5,1
500  PENUP
510  FOR I=1 TO Tt
520  Y=LGT((I-.5)/Tt)
530  PLOT X(I),Y
540  NEXT I
550  PENUP
560  FOR I=1 TO Tt
570  Y=LGT(1-(I-.5)/Tt)
580  PLOT X(I),Y
590  NEXT I
600  PENUP
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