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Time Series Prediction

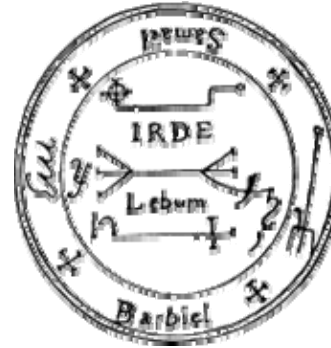
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FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE HISTORY PEOPLE TRIED TO PREDICT FUTURE



“We remember only past events, not future ones.” *The Mystery of Time, John Langone*

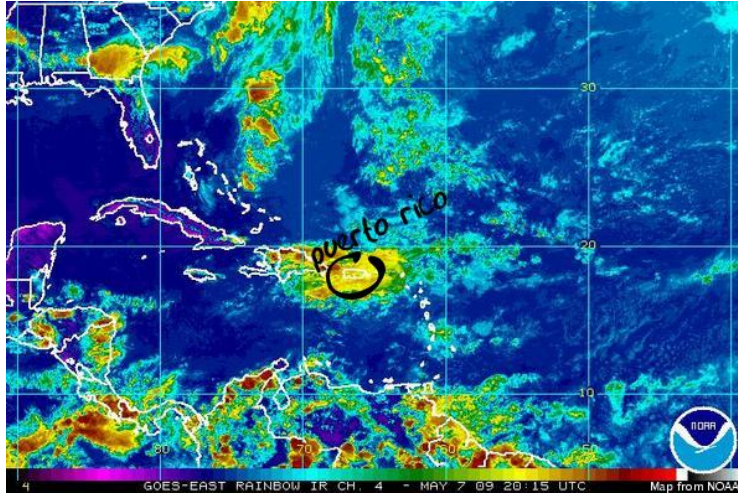
“Good memory wherewith Nature has endowed us causes everything long past to seem present.” *Leonardo da Vinci*

“The Past isn't dead. It's not even past.” *W. Faulkner*

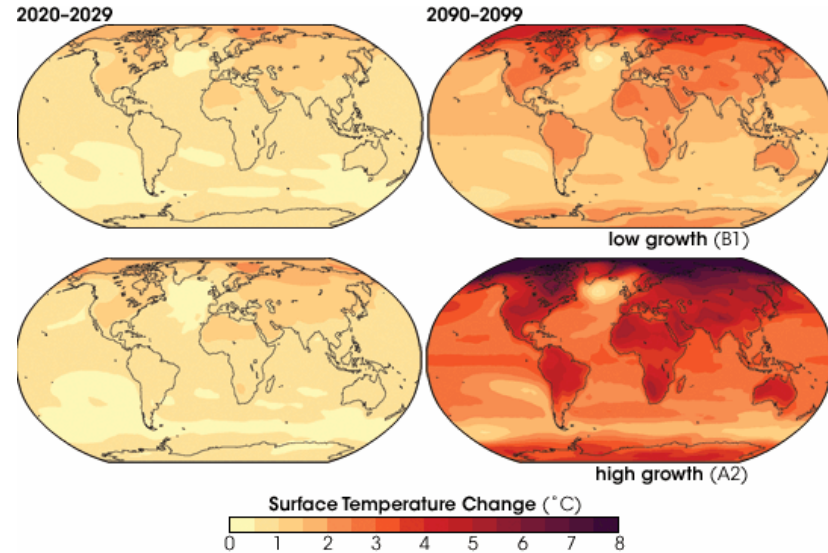
“But I knew, that only that which repeats itself can be grasped by study...
The future is immanent in the present.” *Citadelle, Antoine de Saint-Exupery*

PREDICTIVE ABILITY IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT CHARACTERISTIC OF THE SCIENTIFIC THEORY

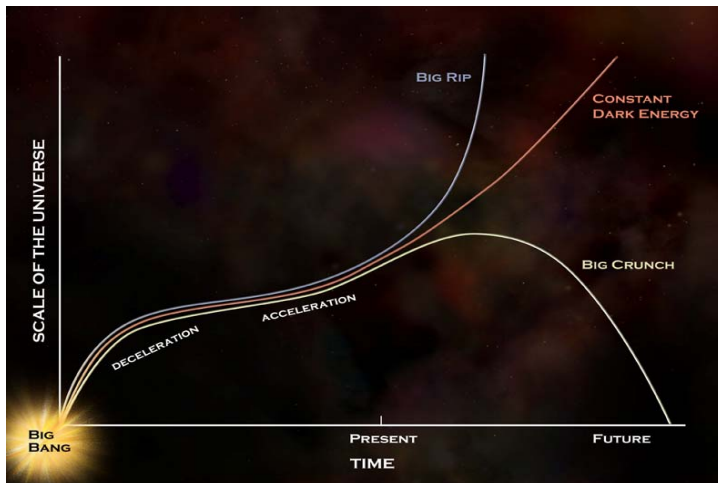
Weather forecast



Climate prediction



Future of the Universe

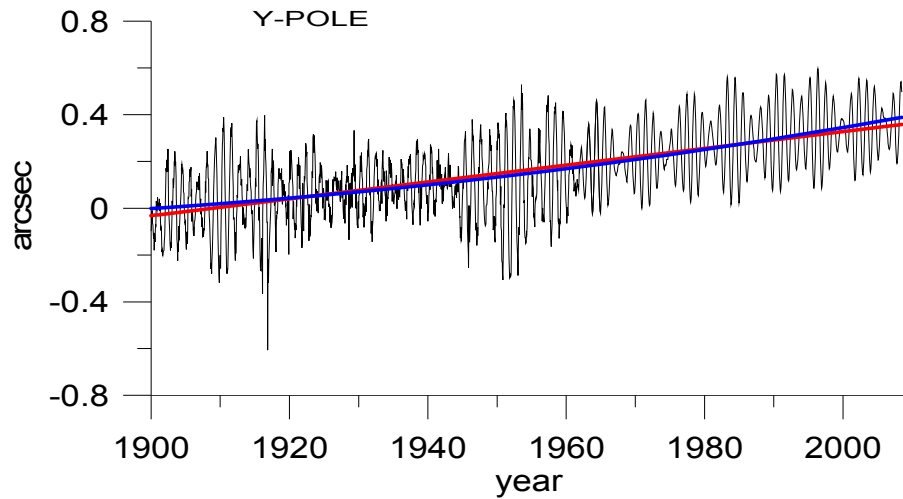


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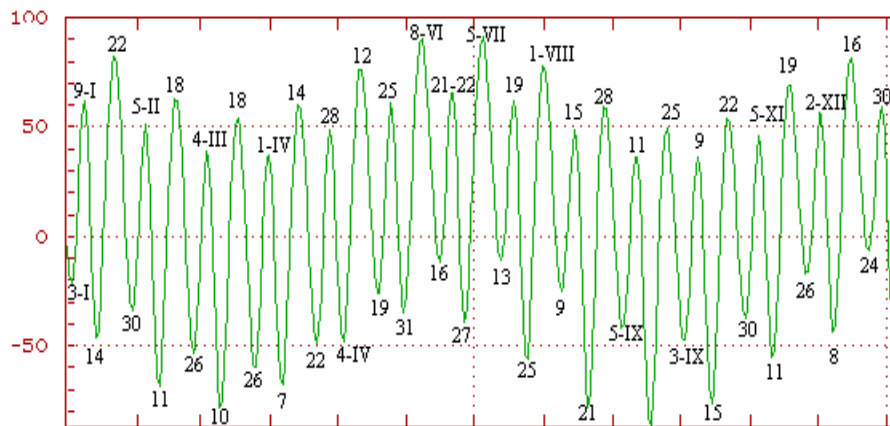
DETERMINISTIC AND STOCHASTIC COMPONENTS

Functional modeling

Polynomial trends



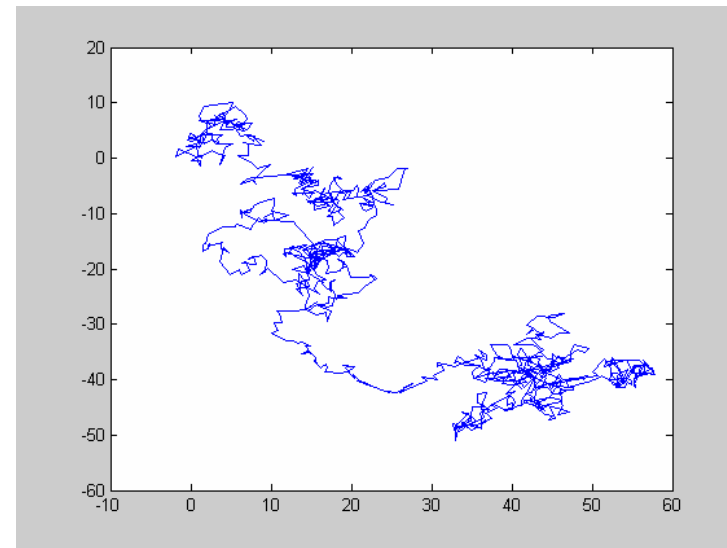
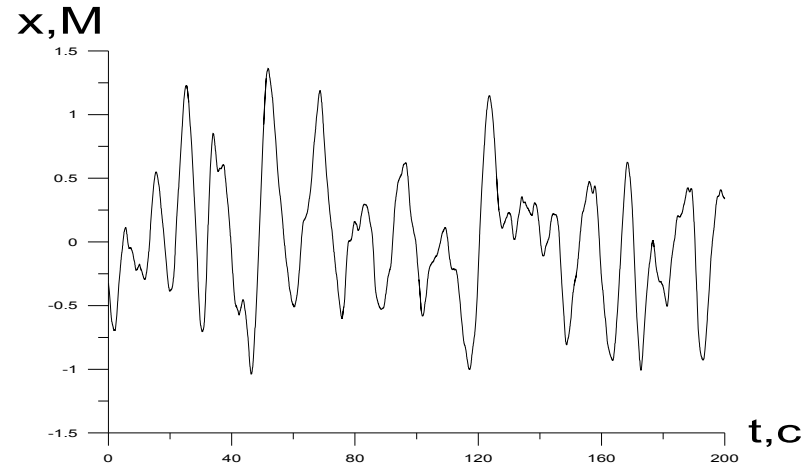
Harmonic trends



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Probabilistic modeling



MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL MODELING

Mathematical approximations

Least Squares Method

$$z = Hx + u,$$

$$\langle u \rangle = a, \quad \text{cov}(u) = Q,$$

$$\bar{x} = (H^T Q^{-1} H)^{-1} H^T Q z,$$

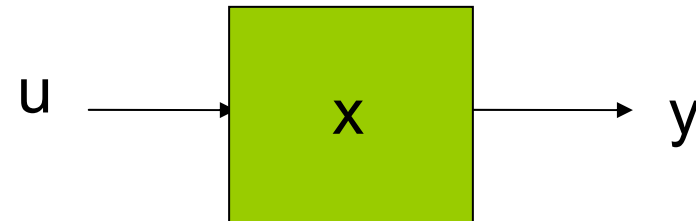
Auto Regression with Moving Average

$$x_i = - \sum_{k=1}^p \alpha_k x_{i-k} + \sum_{k=0}^q \beta_k n_{i-k},$$

Least Squares Collocation

Neural networks

Dynamic modeling



$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = G(t)x(t) + F(t)u(t)$$

$$y(t) = C(t)x(t) + r(t),$$

$$\langle u(t)u^T(\tau) \rangle = Q(t)\delta(t - \tau),$$

$$\langle r(t)r^T(\tau) \rangle = R(t)\delta(t - \tau).$$

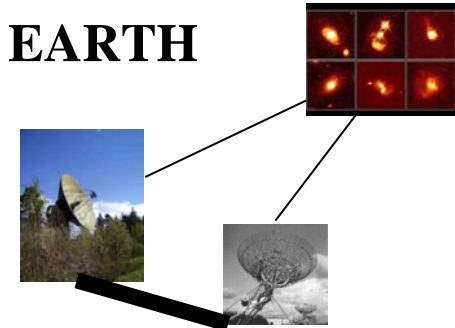
“the flow of cause-effect relationships
from the past to the future”

Kalman filtering

PREDICTION OF THE ROTATION OF THE EARTH

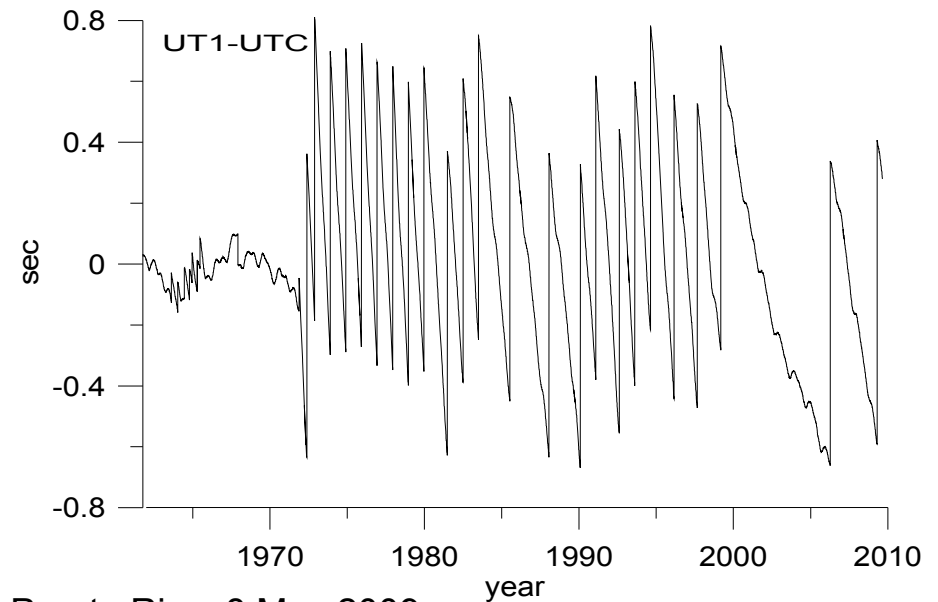
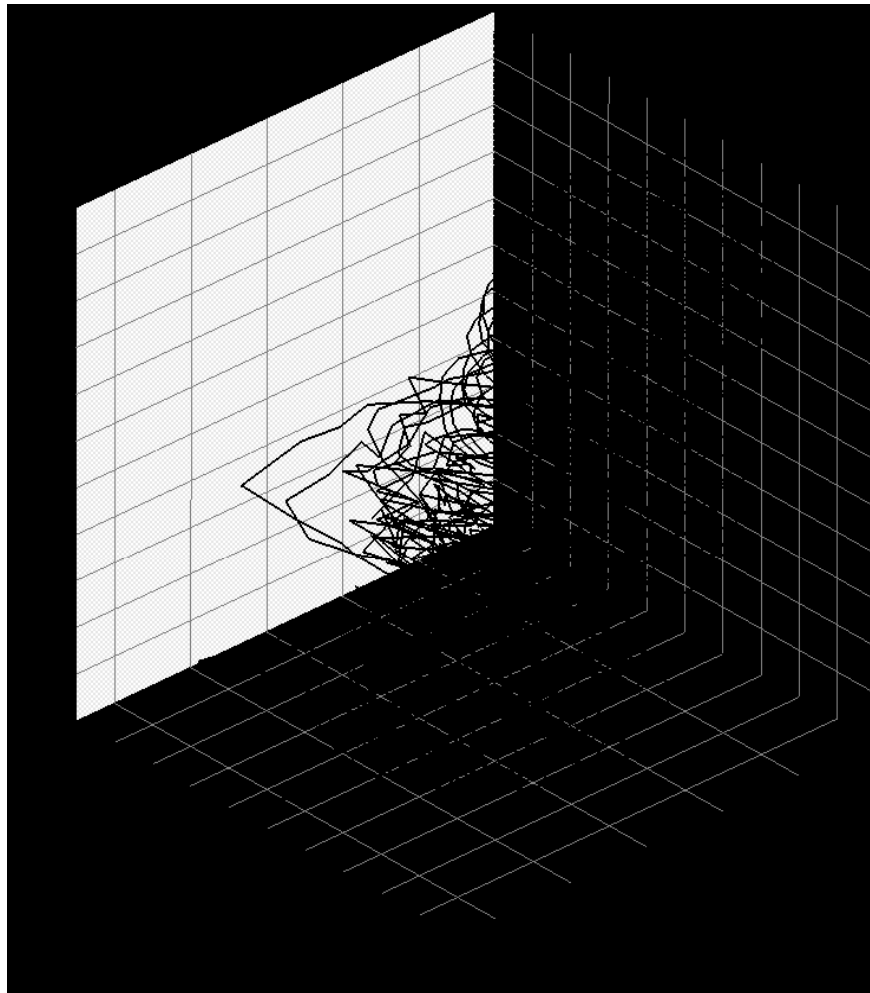
Initial data

- Series EOP C04 with 1-day step since 1962 г.
- Series EOP C01 with 0.05-year step since 1890 г.



Observations from

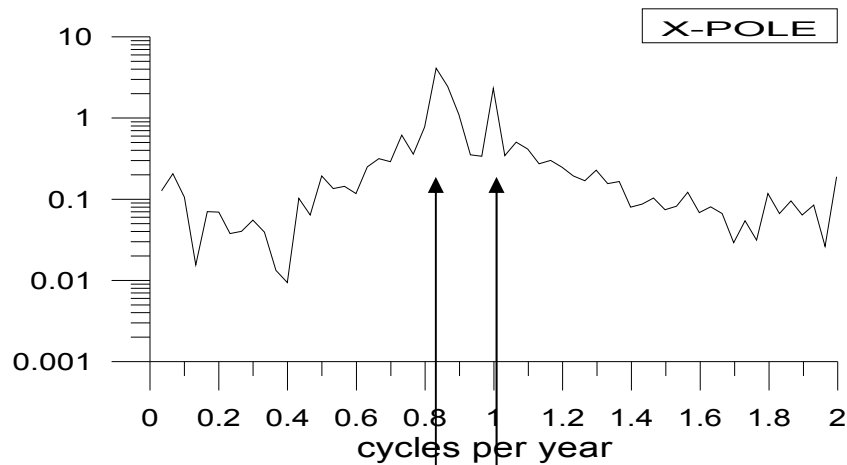
- ☀ IVS VLBI
- ☀ Laser ranging of Moon and Satellites
- ☀ IGS GPS
- ☀ DORIS



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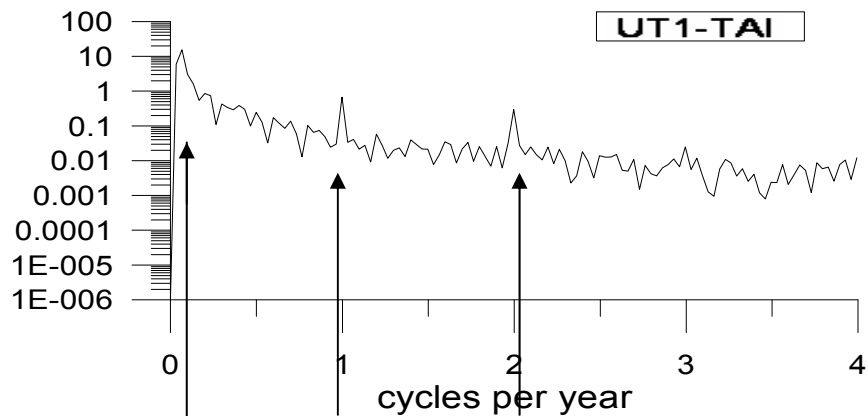
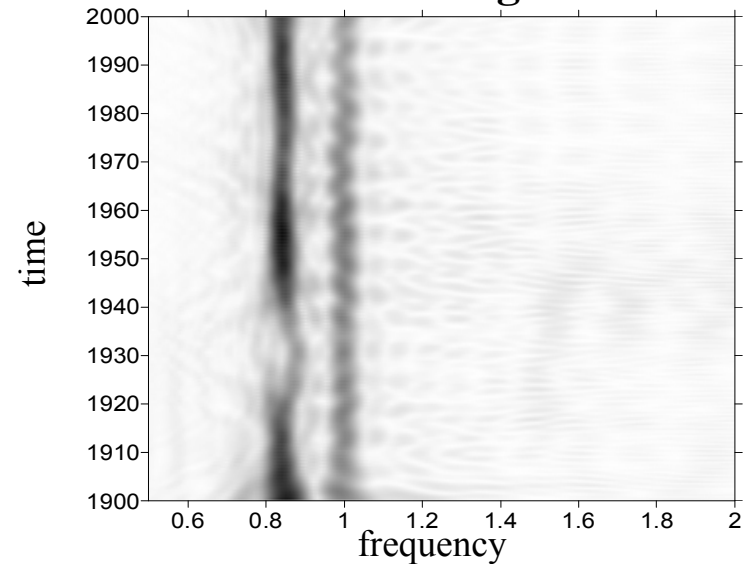
ANALYSIS OF THE EARTH ORIENTATION PARAMETERS (EOP)

Fourier-spectrogram



Chandler and annual oscillations

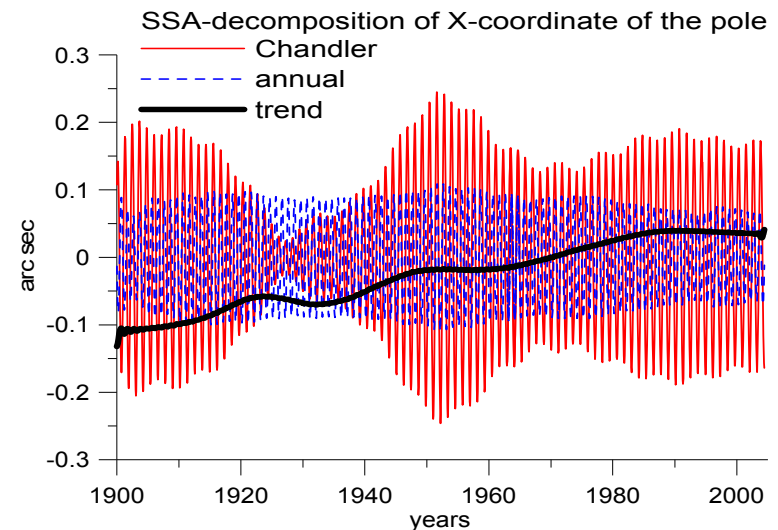
Wavelet-scalogram



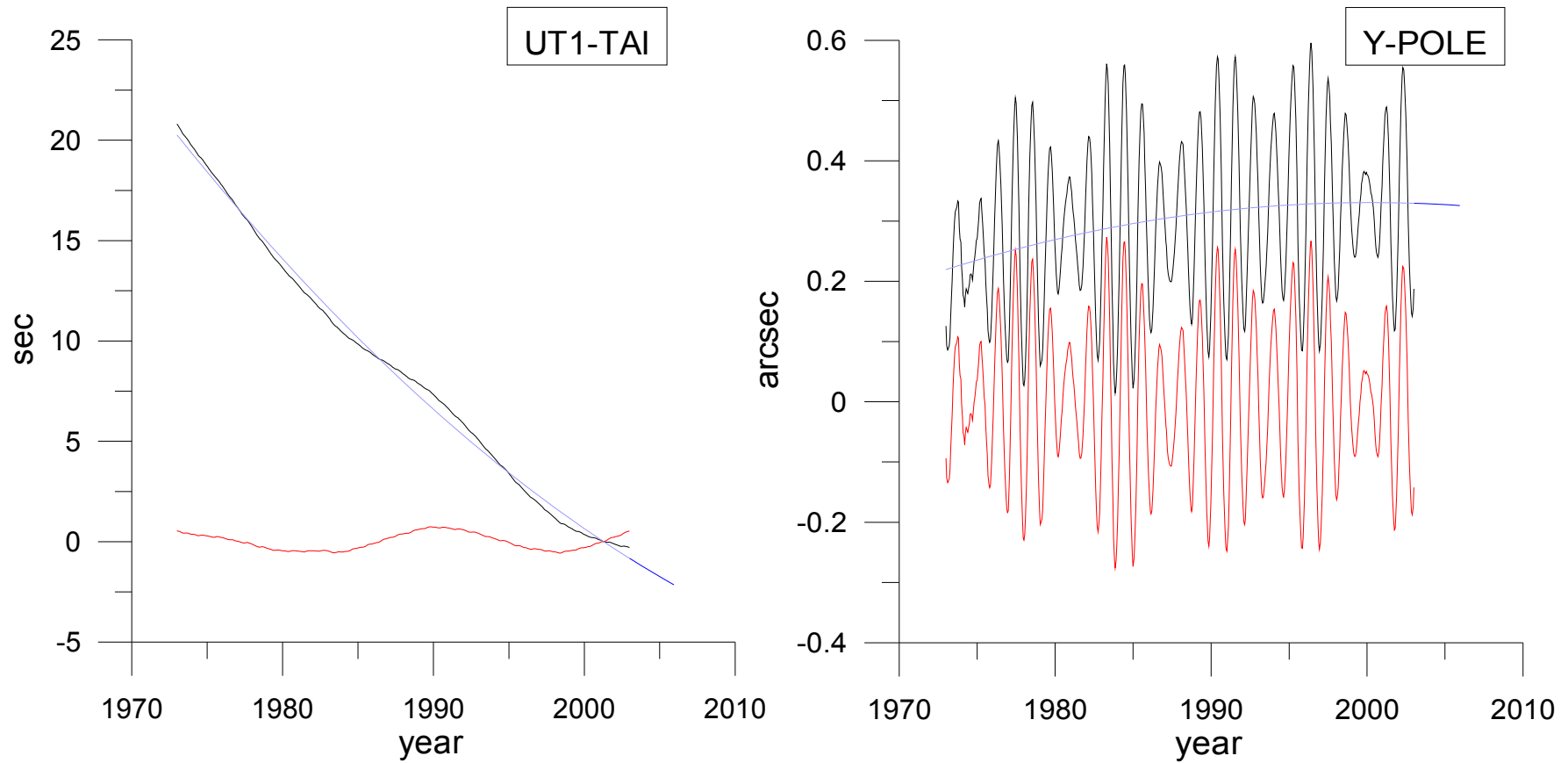
Annual and semiannual modes

18-year harmonic

Singular spectral analysis



TREND MODELING

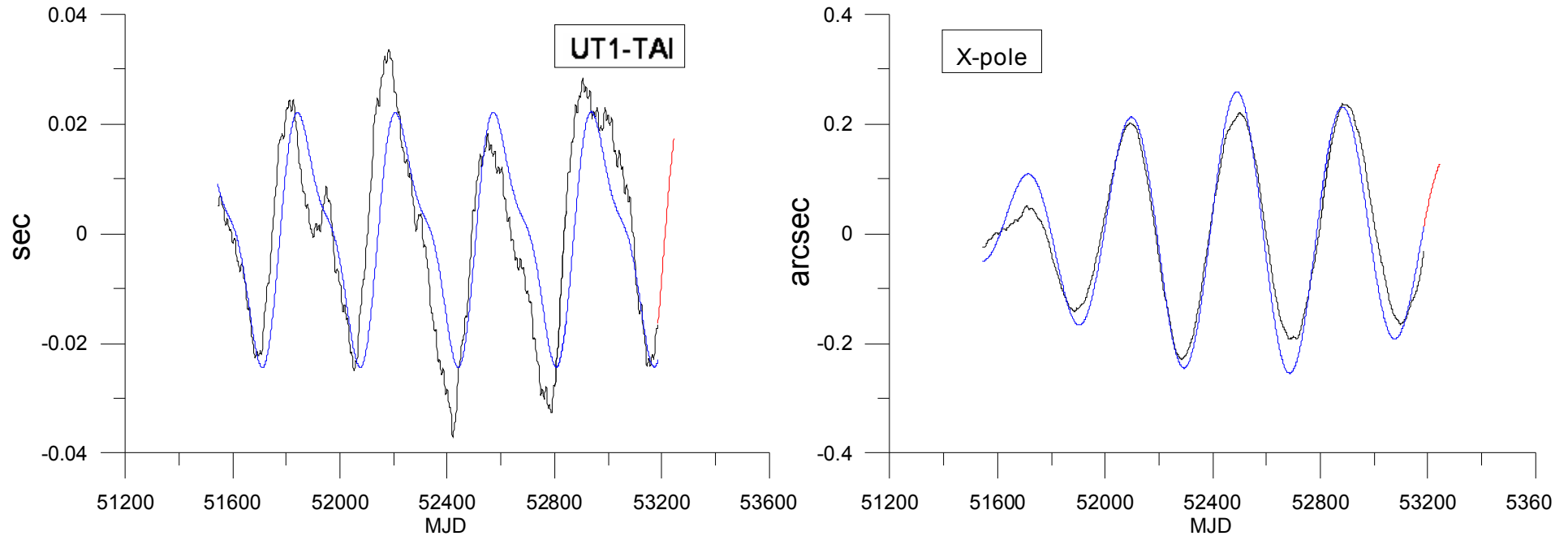


Smooth trend – polynomial of the 2-d order

LS-based solution

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PERIODIC COMPONENTS MODELING AND PREDICTION



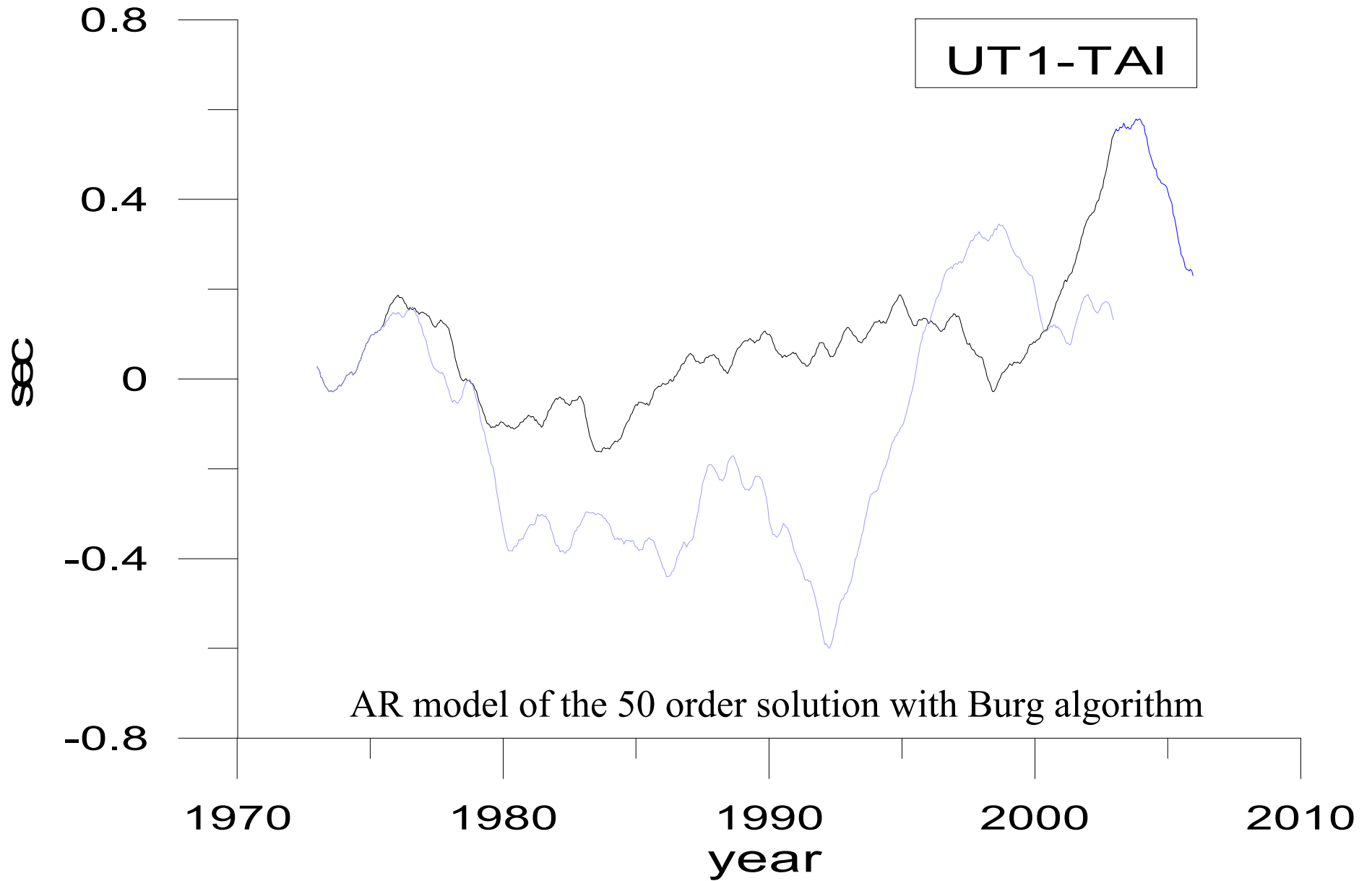
Period, years	Amplitude, sec
18.6	0,51
9,3	0,14
1	0,015
0,5	0,009

$$f_c(t) = \sum_{i=1}^n A_i \cos(\omega_i t + \varphi_i)$$

Period, years	Amplitude, arcsec
1,19	0,15
1	0,09

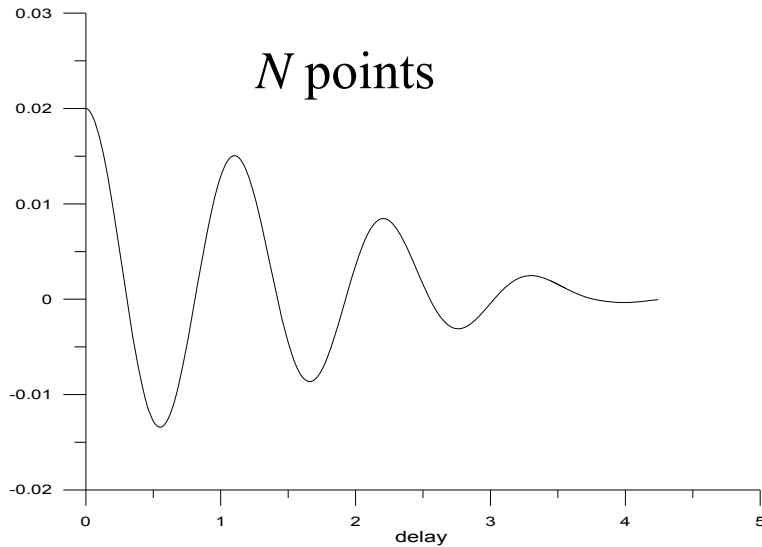
Nonlinear LS for phases and frequencies adjustment

AUTOREGRESSION MODELLING



LEAST SQUARES COLLOCATION

Signal ACF and its forecast



$$l = x + n$$

$$x = Hl$$

● Interpolation

● Filtering

● Prediction

$$f = Q_{fl} Q_{ll}^{-1} l \quad \begin{matrix} N-N_1 \\ \text{points} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} N_1 & N-N_1 \\ Q_{xx} & Q_{fx} \end{matrix}$$

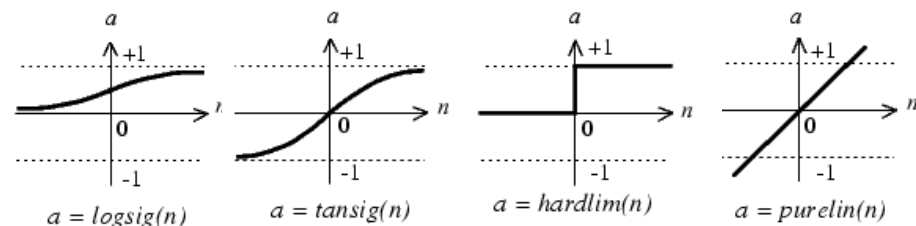
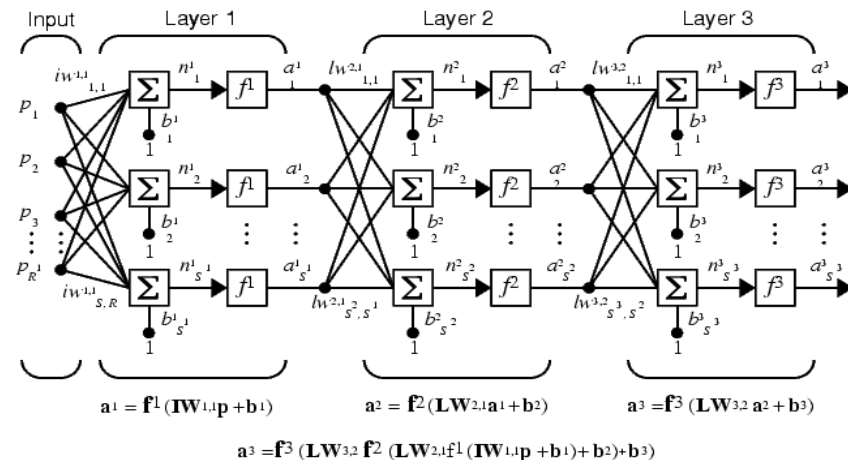
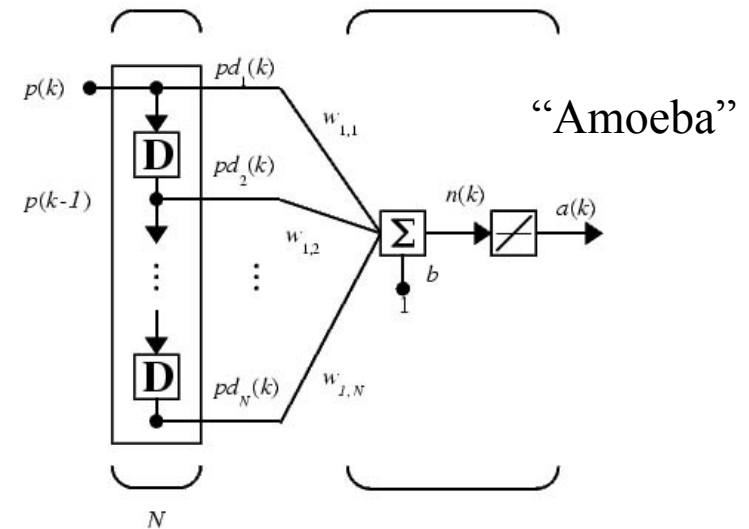
$$Q_{xx}^{ext} = \begin{bmatrix} Q_{xx} \\ Q_{fx} \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} N_1 \\ N-N_1 \end{matrix}$$

White noise assumption

$$Q_{nn} = \sigma_n^2 I \quad Q_{xx}^{ext} = Q_{ll}^{ext} - Q_{nn} \quad f = Q_{fx} Q_{ll}^{-1} l$$

NEURAL NETWORK

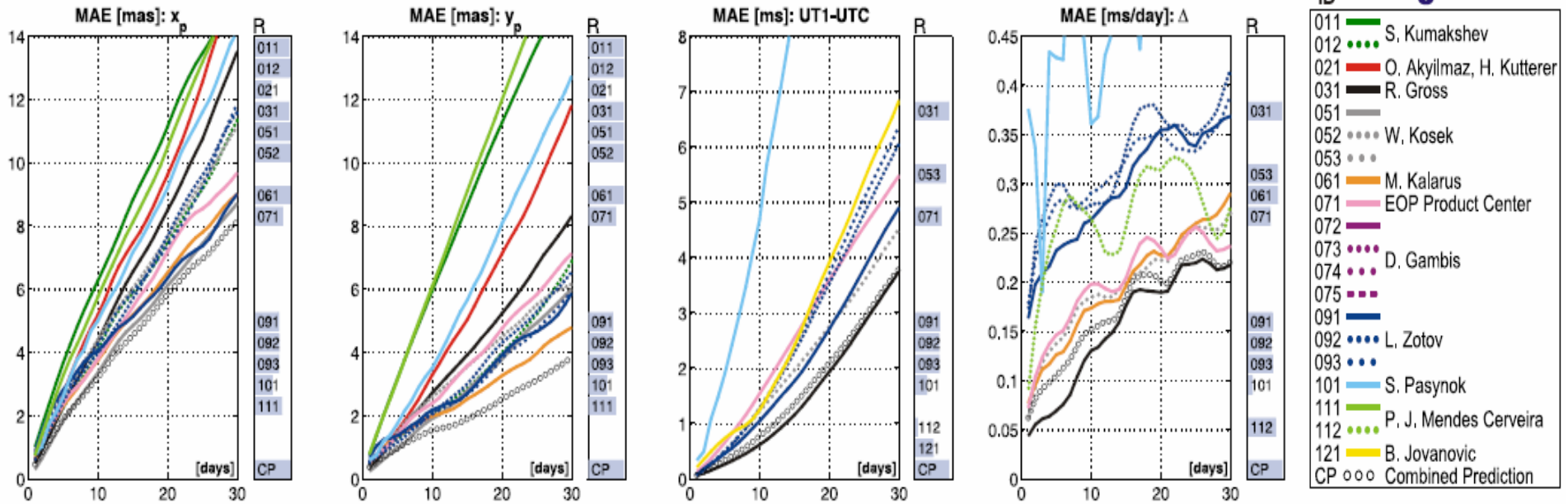
- ✦ Signal $p(k)$ sequentially comes to the Time Delay Line
- ✦ At every iteration vectorial signal $pd(k)$ comes to the neurons of the input layer
- ✦ Neuron with the linear activation function predicts the next value of the signal
- ✦ Neural network is trained with use of the signal of comparisons (taken from the past interval)
- ✦ Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm is used for weights W and bias b tuning



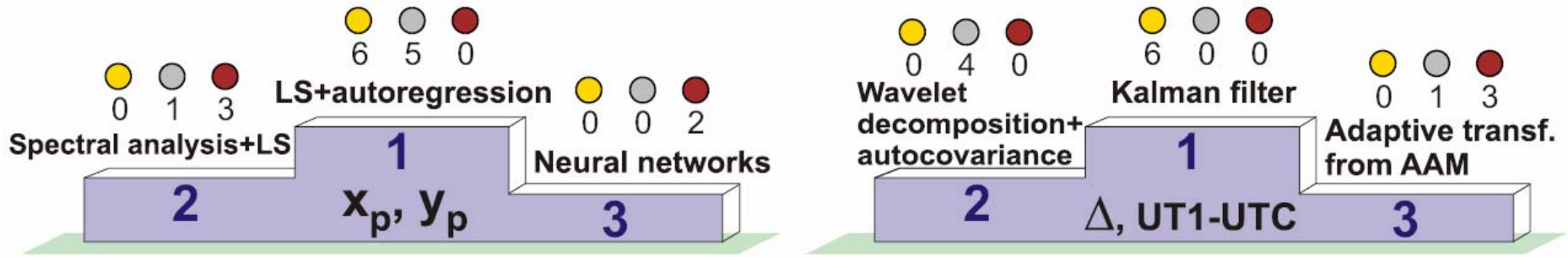
RESULTS OF EOP PREDICTION CAMPAIGN

RESULTS

short-term



The Best Prediction Techniques



PHYSICAL MODELLING - INPUT EXCITATION RECONSTRUCTION

$$\frac{i}{\sigma_c} \frac{dm}{dt} + m = \chi$$

Corrective smoothing, regularization

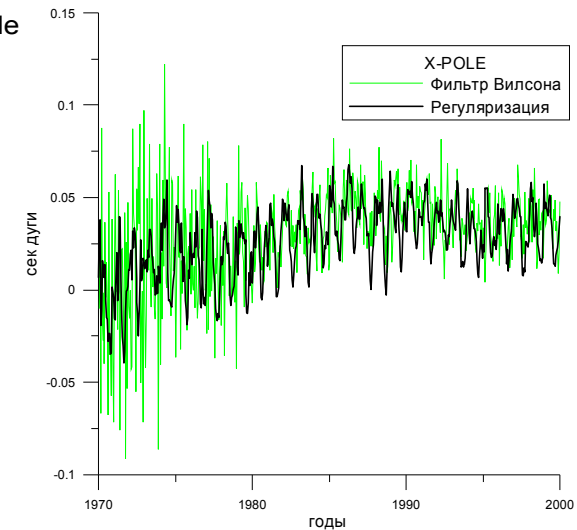
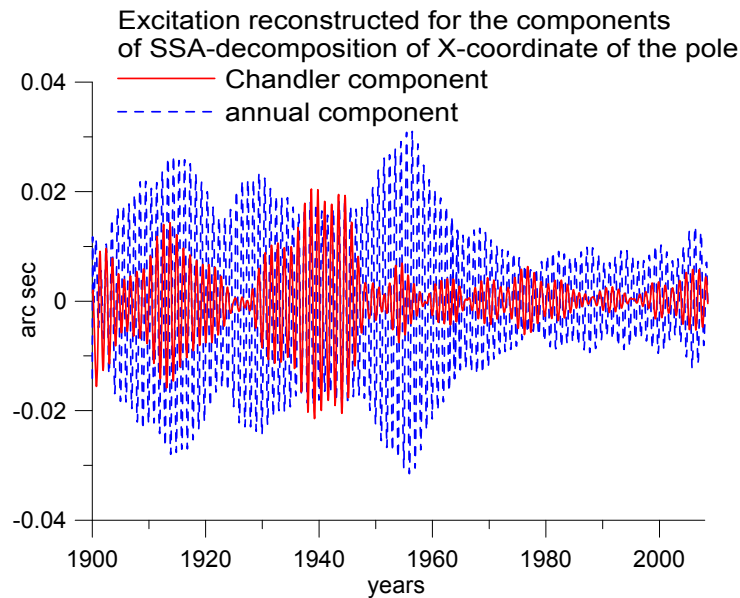
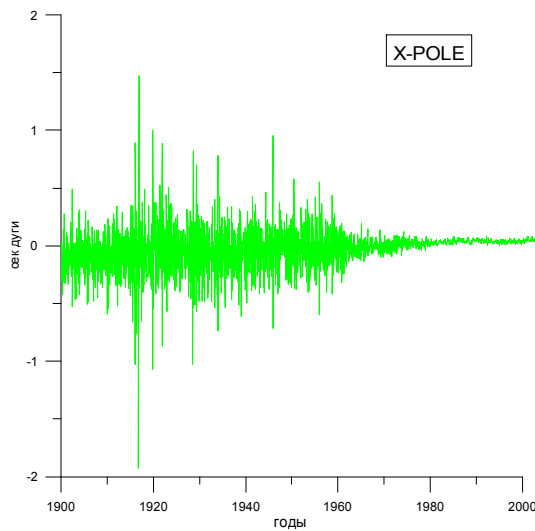
$$\chi = F^{-1} \left(F(W_{reg}) \cdot F(m) \right)$$

Jefferson-Wilson filter

$$\chi(t) = \frac{ie^{i\pi f_c \Delta t}}{\sigma_c \Delta t} \left(m_{t+\frac{\Delta t}{2}} - e^{i\sigma_c \Delta t} m_{t-\frac{\Delta t}{2}} \right)$$

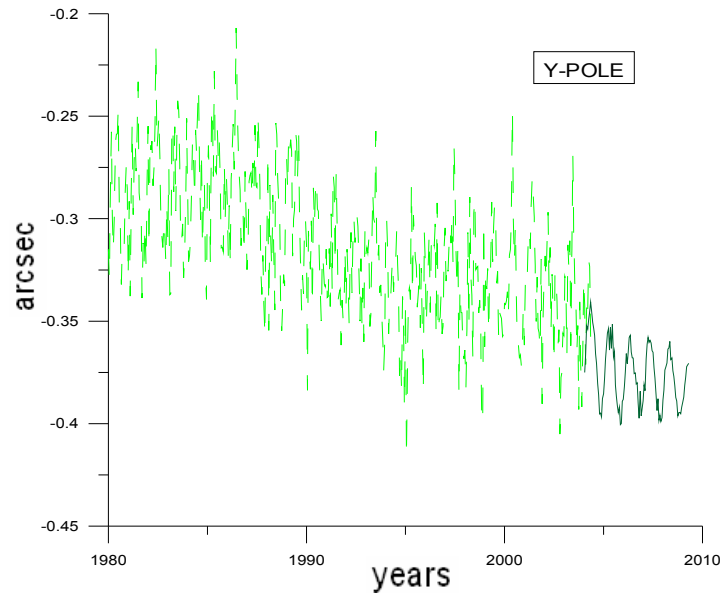
$$\chi = h_{reg} * u = \int h_{reg}(\xi - t) u(t) dt$$

$$h_{reg}(t, \alpha) = \frac{1}{\alpha t} e^{\frac{it}{\sigma_c}} \cos\left(\frac{-i\sigma_c}{\sqrt{\alpha}}\right)$$

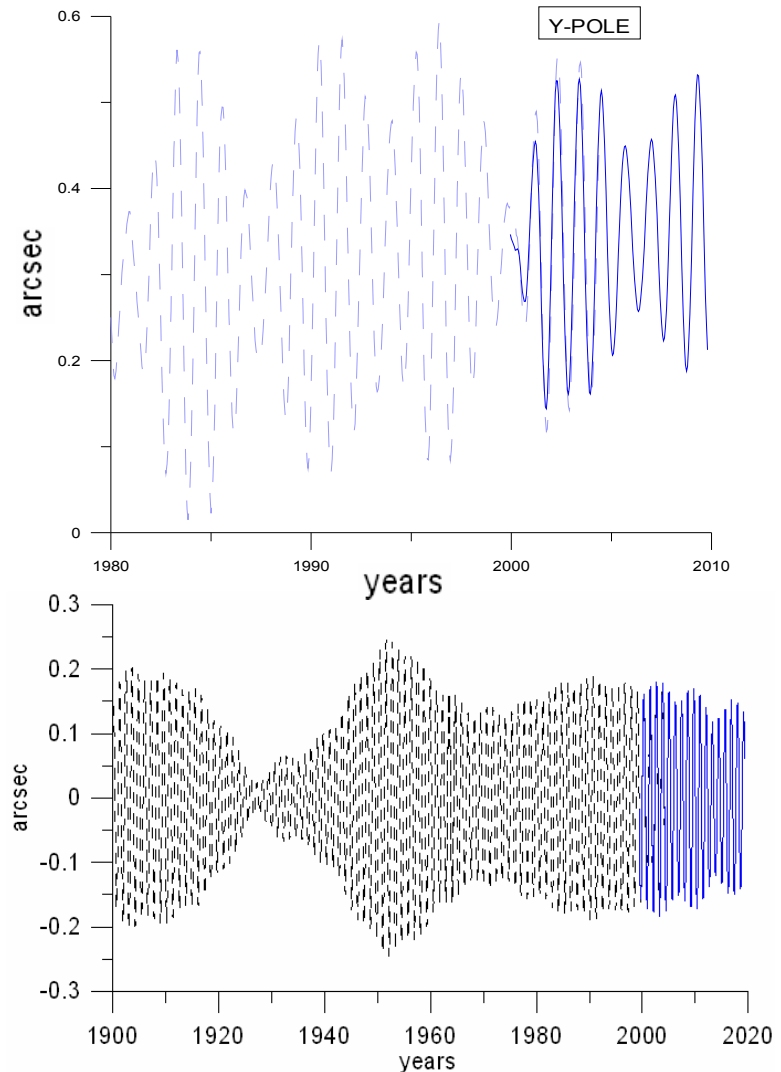


EXCITATION AND POLE TRAJECTORY FORECAST

Excitation forecast



Trajectory forecast by Kalman filter



$$m^+(t_j) = m^-(t_j) + K(t_j)(z(t_j) - C(t_j)m^-(t_j)),$$

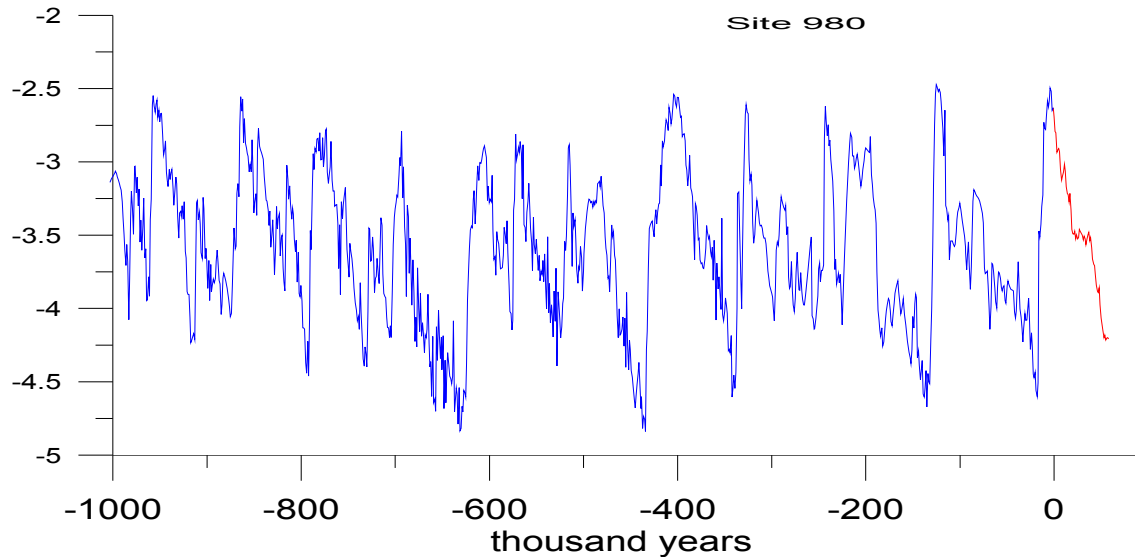
$$K(t_j) = P_m^-(t_j)C^T(t_j)[C(t_j)P_m^-(t_j)C^T(t_j) + R(t_j)]^{-1},$$

$$P^+(t_j) = P^-(t_j) - K(t_j)C(t_j)P_m^-(t_j),$$

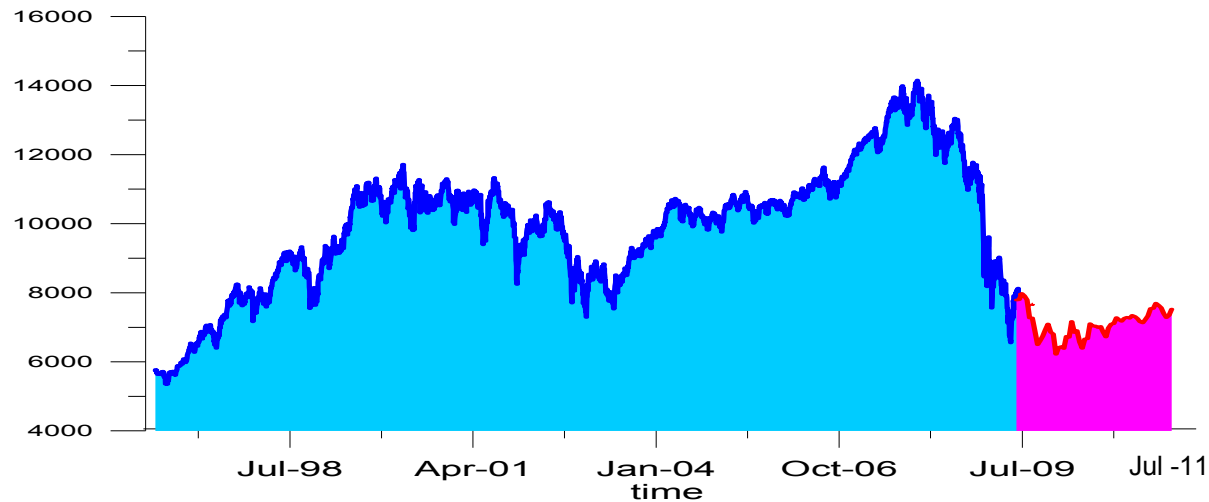
$$m^-(t_{j+1}) = \Phi(t_{j+1}, t_j)m^+(t_j) + F \int_{t_j}^{t_{j+1}} \xi(t_{j+1}, \tau)v(\tau)d\tau.$$

15-NEURON BRAIN FORECASTS

North Atlantic foraminiferal oxygen isotope data



Dow Jones Industrial Average



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