SCHOOL OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING Signal Theory: EQ1220 / EQ1210

Reading Assignment: Estimation (4/5) 2013–09–23,

Notice:To be collected before Lecture 7.The essay consists of three questions. If you successfully answer all
questions, you obtain 1 bonus point for part A of the final exam. An
essay with partially correct answers will give you 1/2 point.
For the answers you should not copy text from a textbook. Group
work is also not allowed, but feel free to discuss with your fellows.
The reports will be checked against plagiarism.
Aim at being concise (max 1-2 pages).

Explain (in your own words) ...

- 1. ... how to estimate a mean value based on an observed sequence and how to analyze the quality of this estimation.
- 2. ... the basic principles and properties of Fourier based methods to estimate the power spectrum of a process.
- **3.** ... linear MMSE estimation. (Hint) Your short essay could for example answer the following questions: what is a MMSE estimator? why linear? is it optimal? how to find the MMSE estimator? ...