

Computation of Confidence Regions in Reliable, Variable-Structure State and Parameter Estimation

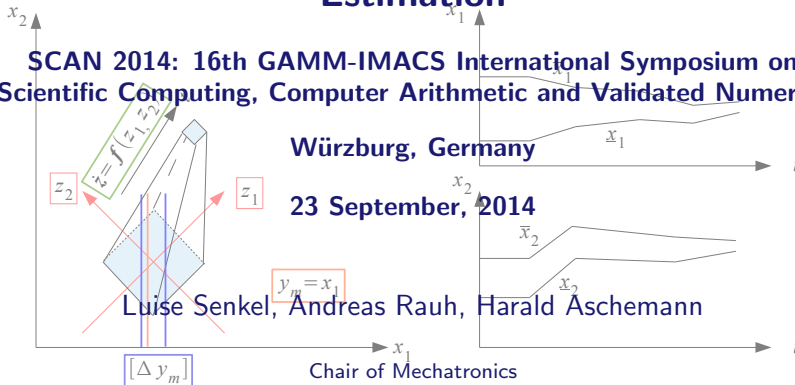
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...for Using Sliding Mode Techniques

- Robustness despite uncertainty (unknown parameters, noise processes)
- Stabilization of error dynamics
- Guaranteed stability

This presentation...

...deals with

- Extension of an interval-based sliding mode observer for online state estimation and parameter identification
- Computation of guaranteed confidence regions for system states and parameters
- Matlab toolbox IntLab for interval computation

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Problems

- Overestimation due to dependency problem
- Overestimation due to wrapping effect

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Sliding Mode Techniques for State and Parameter Estimation

ODEs of a Dynamic System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) &= \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{p}, \mathbf{u}(t)) = \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{u}(t) + \mathbf{S} \cdot \xi(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t)) \\ \mathbf{y}(t) &= \mathbf{C} \cdot \mathbf{x}(t)\end{aligned}$$

- Nominal expressions of system, input and output matrices
 $\mathbf{A} := \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{p}) \in [\mathbb{A}]$, $\mathbf{B} := \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{p}) \in [\mathbb{B}]$ and
 $\mathbf{C} := \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{p}) \in [\mathbb{C}]$ (assumed to be included in interval expressions)
- State vector $\mathbf{x}(t)$, incl. uncertain/bounded parameters $\mathbf{p}(t) \in [\mathbf{p}]$
- Input vector $\mathbf{u}(t)$
- Representation of a-priori unknown and nonlinear terms
 $\mathbf{S} \cdot \xi(\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t))$ with $\mathbf{S} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times q}$ and $\|\xi(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u})\| \leq \bar{\xi}$ (fixed upper bound of the vector norm $\bar{\xi}$)

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$$:= [\hat{\mathbf{A}}] \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}(t) + [\hat{\mathbf{B}}] \cdot \mathbf{u}(t) + \mathbf{H}_p \cdot [\mathbf{e}_m] + \mathbf{P}^+ [\hat{\mathbf{C}}]^T \cdot \mathbf{H}_s \text{sign}(\mathbf{e}_m + [\Delta \mathbf{y}_m])$$

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- Combination of **locally valid linear system model** and **variable structure part** that handles uncertainty and nonlinearities to stabilize the error dynamics with certainty
- Uncertainty in parameters and measurements $\rightarrow$ interval arithmetic

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- Instead of nominal system, input and output matrices $\rightarrow$ interval matrices $[\hat{\mathbf{A}}]$, $[\hat{\mathbf{B}}]$ and $[\hat{\mathbf{C}}]$ denoting the interval evaluations of $\hat{\mathbf{A}}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}(t), [\mathbf{p}]) \in [\hat{\mathbf{A}}]$, $\hat{\mathbf{B}}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}(t), [\mathbf{p}]) \in [\hat{\mathbf{B}}]$ and $\hat{\mathbf{C}}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}(t), [\mathbf{p}]) \in [\hat{\mathbf{C}}]$
- Measurement error vector $\mathbf{e}_m(t) \in [\mathbf{e}_m] = \mathbf{y}_m - \hat{\mathbf{y}}_m + [\Delta \mathbf{y}_m]$

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- Underlying stabilization of the error dynamics by the observer gain matrix $\mathbf{H}_p$ (pole assignment, minimizing a quadratic cost function)
- Matrix $\mathbf{P}$ results from solving the Lyapunov equation $\tilde{\mathbf{A}} \cdot \mathbf{P} + \mathbf{P} \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^T + \mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{0}$ with $\tilde{\mathbf{A}} = \hat{\mathbf{A}} - \mathbf{H}_p \cdot \hat{\mathbf{C}}$ and $\mathbf{Q} > 0$
- Online evaluation of the switching amplitudes $\mathbf{H}_s$ in each time step to handle uncertainty

Sliding Mode Techniques for State and Parameter Estimation

Itô Differential Operator for Consideration of Stochastic Disturbances

$$L(V(t)) = \frac{\partial V}{\partial t} + \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial \mathbf{e}}\right)^T \cdot \left(\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}, [\mathbf{p}], \mathbf{u}) - \hat{\mathbf{f}}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}, [\mathbf{p}], \mathbf{u})\right) + \frac{1}{2} \text{trace} \left\{ \mathbf{G}^T \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \mathbf{e}^2} \mathbf{G} \right\}$$

- Suitable candidate of a Lyapunov function $V(t) = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \hat{\mathbf{x}})^T \mathbf{P}(\mathbf{x} - \hat{\mathbf{x}})$
- System $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}, [\mathbf{p}], \mathbf{u})$ and observer parallel model $\hat{\mathbf{f}}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}, [\mathbf{p}], \mathbf{u})$
- Estimation error $\mathbf{e} = \mathbf{x} - \hat{\mathbf{x}}$
- Standard deviation of process and measurement noise
 $\mathbf{G} = [\mathbf{G}_p \quad -\mathbf{H}_p \mathbf{G}_m]$ to simulate neglected nonlinear phenomena or inaccurate sensor measurements

Sliding Mode Techniques for State and Parameter Estimation

Calculation of the Switching Amplitudes with $L(V(t)) \stackrel{!}{<} -\mathbf{q}^T \|\mathbf{e}_m\|$

$$\mathbf{h}_s = \begin{cases} \mathbf{0}, & \text{if } [\delta] \subseteq [\mathbf{e}_m]^T [\mathbf{e}_m] \\ \sup \left(\|\mathbf{e}_m\|^+ \cdot \left([\dot{V}_a] + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{trace} \left\{ \mathbf{G}^T \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \mathbf{e}^2} \mathbf{G} \right\} \right) + \mathbf{q}^T \right), & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

- Element-wise non-negative defined stability margin $\mathbf{q} \geq \mathbf{0}$
- Small interval $[\delta]$ to prevent a division by zero
- $[\mathbf{e}_m] = \mathbf{y}_m(t) - \hat{\mathbf{y}}_m(t) + [\Delta \mathbf{y}_m]$
- $[\dot{V}_a] = [\mathbf{e}]^T \mathbf{P} \cdot ([\mathbf{f}] - [\hat{\mathbf{f}}] - \mathbf{H}_p \cdot \mathbf{e}_m)$ (time arguments are omitted)
- Matrix of switching amplitudes $\mathbf{H}_s = \text{diag}(\mathbf{h}_s) \in \mathbb{R}^{n_y \times n_y}$

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- Absolute value of the difference between measured and estimated states $||[\mathbf{e}_m]||$ (component-wise)

$$||e_{m,i}|| = \begin{cases} [-\bar{e}_{m,i} ; -\underline{e}_{m,i}] & \text{for } \bar{e}_{m,i} \leq 0 \\ [\underline{e}_{m,i} ; \bar{e}_{m,i}] & \text{for } \underline{e}_{m,i} \geq 0 \\ [0 ; \max\{|\underline{e}_{m,i}|, |\bar{e}_{m,i}|\}] & \text{else} . \end{cases}$$

- Interval pseudo inverse $||[\mathbf{e}_m]||^+ = \left(||[\mathbf{e}_m]||^T ||[\mathbf{e}_m]|| \right)^{-1} \cdot ||[\mathbf{e}_m]||^T$

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- Interval specifications for control, estimation and measurement errors acc. to $[\mathbf{e}] = [\mathbf{x}] - [\hat{\mathbf{x}}]$, $[\mathbf{x}] = \mathbf{x} + [\Delta \mathbf{x}_c]$, $[\hat{\mathbf{x}}] = \hat{\mathbf{x}} + [\Delta \mathbf{x}_e]$
- Stability proof (only in simulation) is successful, if $L(V(t)) < 0$, corresponding to $\dot{V}(t) < 0$

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Simulation Example

Dynamics of a drive-train test-rig (system order $n = 2$)

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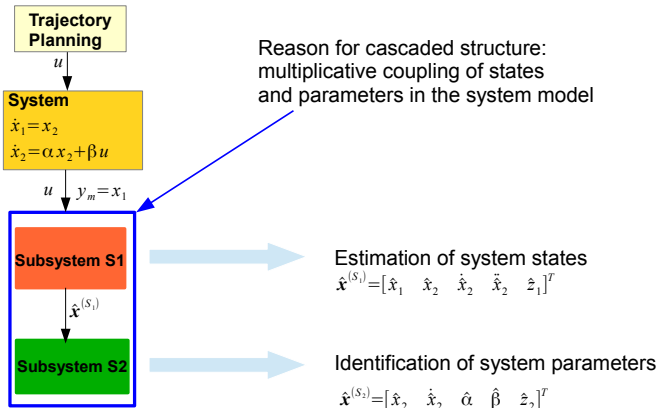
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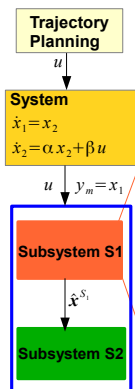
Aim

- Estimation of point-valued states x_1, x_2 (for state feedback control)
- Parameter identification of point-valued parameters $\hat{\alpha} \in [\alpha]$ and $\hat{\beta} \in [\beta]$ ($[\alpha], [\beta]$ — defined parameter intervals)
- Calculation of confidence regions of states $[\hat{x}_1]$ and $[\hat{x}_2]$ as well as parameters $[\hat{\alpha}]$ and $[\hat{\beta}]$

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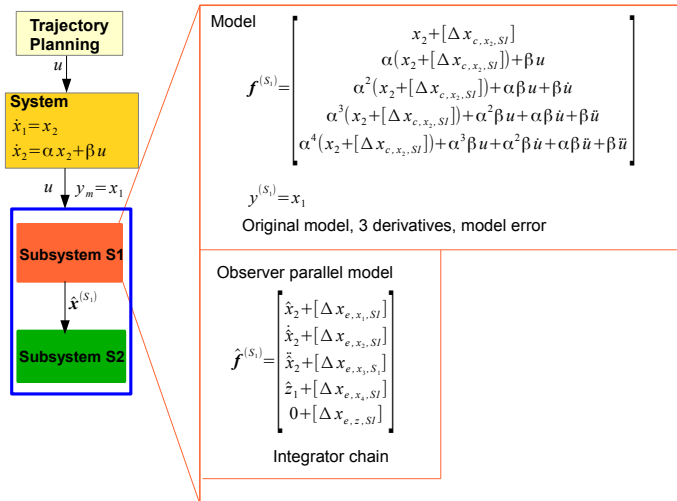
Model

$$f^{(SI)} = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 + [\Delta x_{c, x_2, SI}] \\ \alpha(x_2 + [\Delta x_{c, x_2, SI}]) + \beta u \\ \alpha^2(x_2 + [\Delta x_{c, x_2, SI}]) + \alpha\beta u + \beta \dot{u} \\ \alpha^3(x_2 + [\Delta x_{c, x_2, SI}]) + \alpha^2\beta u + \alpha\beta \dot{u} + \beta \ddot{u} \\ \alpha^4(x_2 + [\Delta x_{c, x_2, SI}]) + \alpha^3\beta u + \alpha^2\beta \dot{u} + \alpha\beta \ddot{u} + \beta \ddot{u} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$y^{(S_1)} = x_1$$

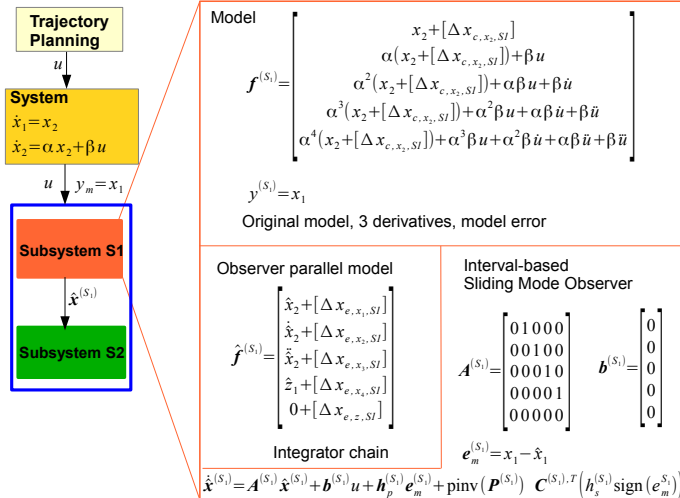
Original model, 3 derivatives, model error

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Estimation of states: position, velocity, acceleration, jerk, model error of subsystem 1

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- Similar procedure for subsystem S_2 with $\hat{\mathbf{x}}^{(S_2)} = [\hat{x}_2 \quad \hat{x}_3 \quad \hat{\alpha}_e \quad \hat{\beta}_e \quad \hat{z}_2]^T$
- Model $\mathbf{f}^{(S_2)}$, and observer parallel model $\hat{\mathbf{f}}^{(S_2)}$ with integrator disturbance models for the parameters according to

$$\dot{\alpha} = 0 + [\Delta x_{c,\alpha}], \quad \dot{\beta} = 0 + [\Delta x_{c,\beta}]$$

$$\dot{\hat{\alpha}} = 0 + [\Delta \alpha_{\Delta}], \quad \dot{\hat{\beta}} = 0 + [\Delta \beta_{\Delta}]$$

- Observer ODE:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\hat{\mathbf{x}}}^{(S_2)} &= \mathbf{A}^{(S_2)} \hat{\mathbf{x}}^{(S_2)} + \mathbf{b}^{(S_2)} u \\ &\quad + \mathbf{H}_p^{(S_2)} \mathbf{e}_m^{(S_2)} + \text{pinv}(\mathbf{P}^{(S_2)}) \mathbf{C}^{(S_2),T} \cdot \mathbf{H}_s^{(S_2)} \text{sign}([\mathbf{e}_m^{(S_2)}]) \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$ significant influence of sign of $\dot{u}_S$ on observability in

$$\mathbf{A}^{(S_2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & x_{2,S} & 0 & 1 \\ \alpha_S^2 & 0 & 0 & \dot{u}_S & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{b}^{(S_2)} = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_e \\ \alpha_e \cdot \beta_e \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{C}^{(S_2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Calculation of Confidence Regions using Sliding Mode Techniques

Goal

Estimation of confidence regions for system states and parameters that represent all possible configurations in a guaranteed way

Possible Computational Strategies

- (1) Müller's Theorem (unstable solutions for S_2)
- (2) Calculation of enclosures for cooperative systems (unstable solutions for S_2)
- (3) Extension of (1) and (2): quasi-linear system representation by decoupling of system states $\Rightarrow$ generates a state-space transformation of the system into new coordinates $\Rightarrow$ recursive evaluation
- (4) Affine system representation

Preliminaries for Strategies (3) and (4)

Extension of Subsystem S_1

$$\dot{\hat{\mathbf{x}}}^{(S_1)} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{A}_O^{(S_1)}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \hat{x}_1 \\ \hat{x}_2 \\ \hat{x}_3 \\ \hat{x}_4 \\ \hat{z}_1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\hat{\mathbf{x}}^{(S_1)}} + \mathbf{H}_p^{(S_1)} \cdot (y_m - \hat{y}_m + [\Delta y_m])$$

$$+ \mathbf{P}_O^{(S_1)} + \mathbf{C}_O^{(S_1)} \mathbf{H}_s^{(S_1)} \cdot \text{sign}(y_m - \hat{y}_m + [\Delta y_m])$$

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Extension of Subsystem S_1

Substitution of output equations $y_m = \mathbf{C}^{(S_1)} \mathbf{x}^{(S_1)}$, $\hat{y}_m = \mathbf{C}^{(S_1)} \hat{\mathbf{x}}^{(S_1)}$

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Factor out the state vector

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Extension of Subsystem S_1

- Extension by integrator disturbance model for measurement interval
- Assumption: Measurement error interval is constant: $[\Delta \dot{y}_m] \equiv [0; 0]$
- Reason: remove all additive interval offsets (6-D hyperbox of states)

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\hat{x}}_1 \\ \dot{\hat{x}}_2 \\ \dot{\hat{x}}_3 \\ \dot{\hat{x}}_4 \\ \dot{\hat{z}}_1 \\ [\Delta \dot{y}_m] \end{bmatrix}}_{\dot{\mathbf{x}}_{ext}^{(S_1)}} = \underbrace{\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_O^{(S_1)} \\ \mathbf{0}^{1 \times 6} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H}_p^{(S_1)} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{C}^{(S_1)} & \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \right)}_{\mathbf{A}_{O,ext}^{(S_1)}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \hat{x}_1 \\ \hat{x}_2 \\ \hat{x}_3 \\ \hat{x}_4 \\ \hat{z}_1 \\ [\Delta y_m] \end{bmatrix}}_{\hat{\mathbf{x}}_{ext}^{(S_1)}} + \mathbf{H}_p^{(S_1)} \underbrace{\mathbf{C}^{(S_1)} \cdot (\mathbf{x}^{(S_1)})}_{y_m^{(S_1)}}$$

$$+ \underbrace{\mathbf{P}_O^{(S_1)} + \mathbf{C}_O^{(S_1)} \mathbf{H}_s^{(S_1)} \cdot \text{sign}(y_m - \hat{y}_m + [\Delta y_m])}_{\text{point-value}}$$

Preliminaries for Strategies (3) and (4)

Extension of Subsystem S_2

Assumption: Measurement error interval is constant: $[\Delta \dot{y}_{m,i}] \equiv [0; 0]$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\hat{x}}_2 \\ \dot{\hat{x}}_3 \\ \dot{\hat{\alpha}} \\ \dot{\hat{\beta}} \\ \dot{\hat{z}}_2 \\ [\Delta \dot{y}_{m,1}] \\ [\Delta \dot{y}_{m,2}] \\ [\Delta \dot{y}_{m,3}] \end{bmatrix}}_{\dot{\mathbf{x}}_{ext}^{(S_2)}} = \underbrace{\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_O^{(S_2)} \\ \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 8} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H}_p^{(S_2)} \\ \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 3} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{C}^{(S_2)} & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 3} \end{bmatrix} \right)}_{\mathbf{A}_{O,ext}^{(S_2)}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \hat{x}_2 \\ \hat{x}_3 \\ \hat{\alpha} \\ \hat{\beta} \\ \hat{z}_2 \\ [\Delta y_{m,1}] \\ [\Delta y_{m,2}] \\ [\Delta y_{m,3}] \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{x}_{ext}^{(S_2)}} \\
 + \mathbf{H}_p^{(S_2)} \underbrace{\mathbf{C}^{(S_2)} \cdot (\mathbf{x}^{(S_2)})}_{\mathbf{y}_m^{(S_2)}} + \mathbf{P}_O^{(S_2)} + \mathbf{C}_O^{(S_2)} \mathbf{H}_s^{(S_2)} \cdot \text{sign}(\mathbf{y}_m - \hat{\mathbf{y}}_m + [\Delta \mathbf{y}_m])$$

(3) State-Space Transformation and Recursive Evaluation

Aim

Reformulation of system ODEs such that the state enclosures are decoupled $\Rightarrow$ Jordan matrices (real or complex eigenvalues at main diagonal), Metzler matrices

Problem of Interval Arithmetics

- Overestimation due to dependency problem:
Occurrence of one interval several times in the same equation

$$[x] = [1; 2]$$

$$f([x]) = [x] - [x] = [-1; 1] \neq [0; 0]$$

Figure: Dependency problem

(3) State-Space Transformation and Recursive Evaluation

Transformation $\mathbf{x}_{ext} = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{z}$ and $\dot{\mathbf{x}}_{ext} = \mathbf{W}\dot{\mathbf{z}}$

$$\dot{\mathbf{z}} = \text{inv}(\mathbf{W})\dot{\mathbf{x}}_{ext}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{z}} = \text{inv}(\mathbf{W})(\mathbf{A}_{O,ext}\hat{\mathbf{x}}_{ext} + \mathbf{b}_{ext}u + \mathbf{H}_{p,ext}\mathbf{e}_m + \text{pinv}(\mathbf{P}_{ext})\mathbf{C}_{ext}^T \cdot \mathbf{H}_s \text{sign}([\mathbf{e}_m]))$$

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$$\dot{\mathbf{z}} = \mathbf{J}\mathbf{z} + \text{inv}(\mathbf{W})(\mathbf{b}_{ext}u + \mathbf{H}_{p,ext}\mathbf{e}_m + \text{pinv}(\mathbf{P}_{ext})\mathbf{C}_{ext}^T \cdot \mathbf{H}_s \text{sign}([\mathbf{e}_m]))$$

Definitions ($i = 1, \dots, n$)

- Diagonal Matrix $\mathbf{J} = \text{diag}(\lambda_i) = \text{inv}(\mathbf{W})\mathbf{A}_{O,ext}\mathbf{W}$
- Matrix of eigenvectors $\mathbf{W}$
- (real or complex) eigenvalues $\lambda_i = \sigma_i \pm j \cdot \omega_i$
- Matlab command $[\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{J}] = \text{eig}(\mathbf{A}_{ext} - \mathbf{H}_{p,ext} \cdot \mathbf{C}_{ext}^T)$
- $\mathbf{A}_{O,ext}$, $\mathbf{b}_{ext}$, $\mathbf{H}_{p,ext}$, $\mathbf{P}_{ext}$, $\mathbf{J}$, $\mathbf{W}$ separately for S_1 and S_2

(3) State-Space Transformation and Recursive Evaluation

Algorithm: Euler Method

- $[\mathbf{z}_k] = \text{inv}(\mathbf{W}_k) \mathbf{W}_{k-1} \cdot [\mathbf{z}_{k-1}]$ (only for S_2)
- $\underline{\mathbf{z}}_k = \inf([\mathbf{z}_k])$ and $\bar{\mathbf{z}}_k = \sup([\mathbf{z}_k])$
- Lower bound: $\underline{\mathbf{z}}_{k+1} = \underline{\mathbf{z}}_k + T \cdot (\mathbf{J}_k \cdot \underline{\mathbf{z}}_k + \mathbf{b} \cdot u + \mathbf{H}_{p,k}^T \cdot \mathbf{y}_m + \text{pinv}(\mathbf{P}_k) \mathbf{C}^T \cdot \text{sign}(\mathbf{y}_m - \hat{\mathbf{y}}_m + [\Delta \mathbf{y}_m]))$
- Upper bound: $\bar{\mathbf{z}}_{k+1} = \bar{\mathbf{z}}_k + T \cdot (\mathbf{J}_k \cdot \bar{\mathbf{z}}_k + \mathbf{b} \cdot u + \mathbf{H}_{p,k}^T \cdot \mathbf{y}_m + \text{pinv}(\mathbf{P}_k) \mathbf{C}^T \cdot \text{sign}(\mathbf{y}_m - \hat{\mathbf{y}}_m + [\Delta \mathbf{y}_m]))$

→ 4 cases because: $\mathbf{W}_k = \mathbf{W}_k(\text{sign}(\dot{u}_k))$

→ Method results for S_2 in unstable solutions due to wrapping effect caused by rotation of interval boxes (necessary because of switchings depending on $\dot{u} < 0$ or $\dot{u} > 0$)

→ good results for S_1

(4) Affine System Representation

Aim

Recursion of state enclosures according to their constant initial values to reduce overestimation

Problems

- Overestimation due to wrapping effect: standard interval arithmetics only operate with axis-parallel boxes — wrapping of non-axis-parallel boxes by axis parallel ones

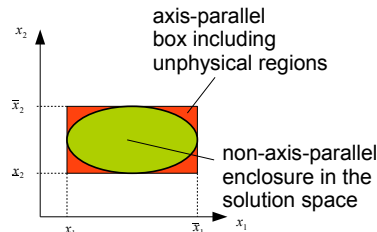


Figure: Wrapping effect

(4) Affine System Representation

Algorithm ($\dim(\mathbf{A}_{O,ext}^{(S_1)}) := n = 6, \dim(\mathbf{A}_{O,ext}^{(S_2)}) := n = 8$)

Initialization $\mathbf{M}_0 := \mathbf{I}^{n \times n}, \rho_0 := \mathbf{0}^{n \times 1}$

New system matrix of the discretized system $\mathbf{M}$

$[\mathbf{x}_{0,ext}]$ is the constant interval of initial values

For both subsystems separately:

$$\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{I}^{n \times n} + T \cdot \mathbf{A}_{O,ext}(t = t_k)$$

$$\mathbf{S}_k = \mathbf{P}_{ext} \cdot \mathbf{C}_{ext}^T \cdot \text{diag}(\mathbf{h}_{s,k}) \cdot \text{sign}(\mathbf{y}_{m,k} - \hat{\mathbf{y}}_{m,k} + [\Delta \mathbf{y}_m])$$

$$\mathbf{M}_{k+1} = \mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{M}_k$$

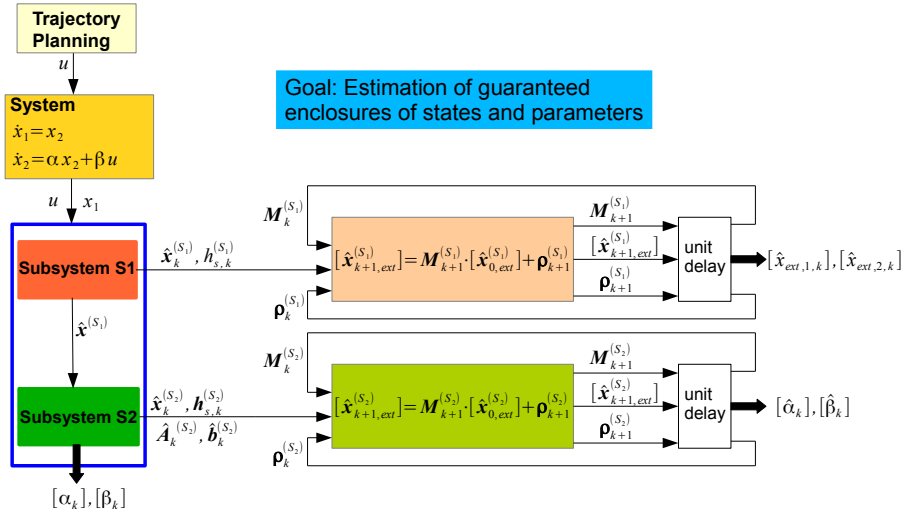
$$\rho_{k+1} = \mathbf{M}_k \cdot \rho_k + T \cdot (\mathbf{H}_{ext}^T \cdot \mathbf{y}_{m,k} + \mathbf{S}_k + \mathbf{b}_{k,ext} \cdot u_k)$$

Update-Step:

$$[\mathbf{x}_{k+1,ext}] = \mathbf{M}_{k+1} \cdot [\mathbf{x}_{0,ext}] + \rho_{k+1}$$

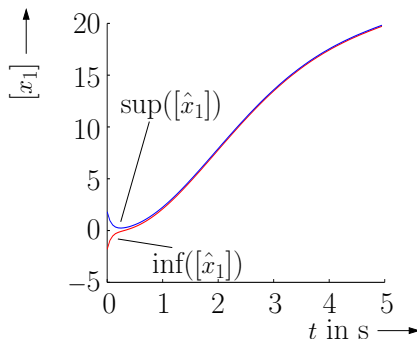
Summary

Goal: Estimation of guaranteed enclosures of states and parameters

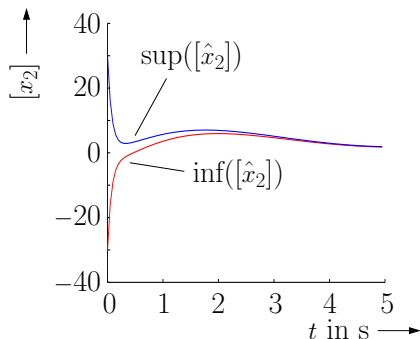


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Results: State Estimation (Subsystem 1)



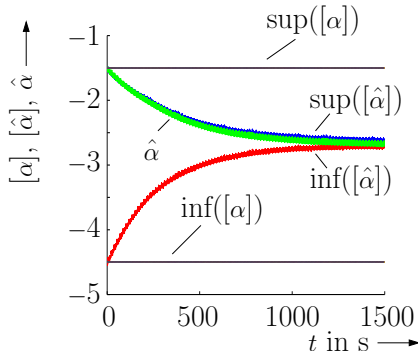
(a) Confidence region of $\hat{x}_1$.



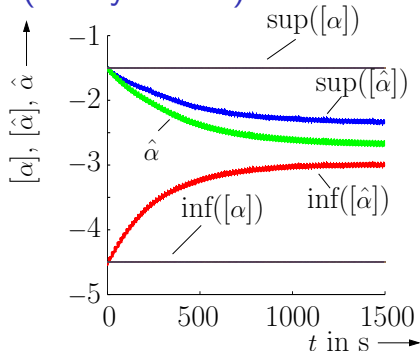
(b) Confidence region of $\hat{x}_2$.

→ Measurement error interval $[\Delta y_m] = [-0.05; 0.05]$

Results: Parameter Identification (Subsystem 2)



(c) Confidence region of $\hat{\alpha}$.



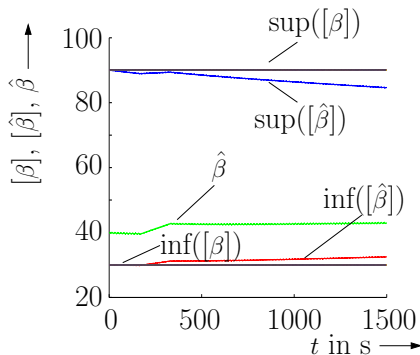
(d) Confidence region of $\hat{\alpha}$.

left: $[\Delta y_{m,1}] = [-0.1; 0.1]$, $[\Delta y_{m,2}] = [-0.1; 0.1]$, $[\Delta y_{m,3}] = [-0.01; 0.01]$
 $\mathbf{h}_{s,max} = 400$

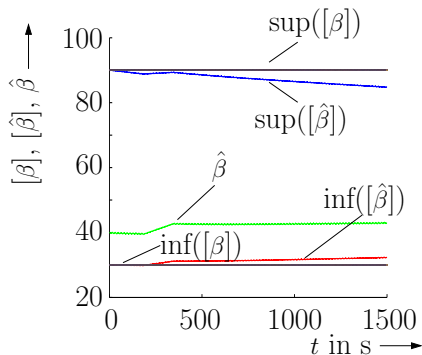
right: $[\Delta \mathbf{y}_{m,i}] = [-1; 1]$ with $i = 1, 2, 3$, $\mathbf{h}_{s,max} = 400$

$[\alpha]$, $[\beta]$ - defined intervals for stabilization of estimation error dynamics

Results: Parameter Identification (Subsystem 2)



(e) Confidence region of $\hat{\beta}$.



(f) Confidence region of $\hat{\beta}$.

left: $[\Delta y_{m,1}] = [-0.1; 0.1]$, $[\Delta y_{m,2}] = [-0.1; 0.1]$, $[\Delta y_{m,3}] = [-0.01; 0.01]$
 $\mathbf{h}_{s,max} = 400$

right: $[\Delta \mathbf{y}_{m,i}] = [-1; 1]$ with $i = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $\mathbf{h}_{s,max} = 400$

→ Smaller confidence region of β with multi-section strategy

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Outlook

- Achievement of faster convergence for confidence regions by optimizing the system input (Pontrjagin's maximum principle, observability Gramian)
- Find automatized strategy to determine switching amplitude
- Application to other nonlinear systems

Thank you for your attention!

(1) Müller's Theorem

Aim

- Find lower and upper functions to bound the right-hand side of the system ODEs $\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t), [\mathbf{p}], \mathbf{u}(t))$ that is affected by uncertain (interval) parameters $\mathbf{p} \in [\mathbf{p}]$

Lower function $\mathbf{v}(t)$, upper function $\mathbf{w}(t)$

- Worst-case enclosure by component-wise bounding system
 $v_i(t) \leq x_i(t) \leq w_i(t)$ for all $i = 1, \dots, n$
- Determine differential inequalities
 $\dot{v}_i(t) \leq \dot{x}_i(t) \leq \dot{w}_i(t)$ for all possible states and parameters
- Solve a system of order $2n$

Solution unstable, too conservative enclosures (unphysical combinations), overestimation

(2) Calculation of Enclosures for Cooperative Systems

Definition

A given system $\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}(t), [\mathbf{p}], \mathbf{u}(t))$ is monotone concerning its initial values.

Extension of (1): Sufficient Conditions for a Cooperative System

- All states for all times are non-negative
$$\dot{x}_i = f_i(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, 0, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_{n_x}) \geq 0$$
- All entries of the Jacobian fulfill $\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j} \geq 0$ for all $i, j = \{1, \dots, n_x\}$ ($i \neq j$)
- Calculation of guaranteed lower and upper bounds by evaluating the ODEs at all corner points instead of whole range of $x_i(t)$
 $\Rightarrow$ minimum and maximum value for all states for all time steps

Solution unstable, many configurations ($2^6 \cdot 6$ for TS1), also unphysical combinations possible, overestimation

Guaranteed enclosures

consistent with:

state equations

measurements

uncertainty

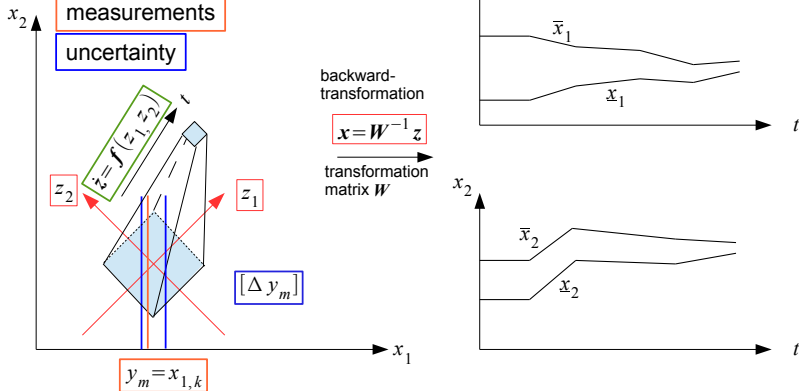


Figure: Principle of the State-Space-Transformation