

**Talk at Kyoto University, Japan
hosted by Prof. Yutaka Yamamoto
November 2002**

Hybrid and Switched Systems: Modeling and Analysis

João P. Hespanha

University of California
at Santa Barbara



References

The following slides were adapted from the course
ECE594D— *Hybrid Control and Switched systems*
taught at the University of California, Santa Barbara during the Spring of 2002.

A fairly complete list of references can be found in the courses web page:

<http://www.ece.ucsb.edu/~hespanha/ece594d-hybrid/>

but most of the material taught is covered by the following references:

[1] A. van der Schaft and H. Schumacher. *An Introduction to Hybrid Dynamical Systems*. Lecture Notes in Control and Information Sciences 251, Springer-Verlag, 2000.

[2] J. Hespanha. *Encyclopedia of Life Support Systems*, Chapter Stabilization Through Hybrid Control. Feb. 2001. To appear

[3] J. Hespanha. Tutorial on Supervisory Control. Lecture notes for the tutorial workshop “Control Using Logic and Switching” offered at the 40th Conf. on Decision and Control, Orland, FL, Dec. 2001.

The references [2] and [3] can be found in the [publications](#) section of my web page:

<http://www.ece.ucsb.edu/~hespanha/>

Outline

1. Examples of hybrid systems

- Bouncing ball
- Thermostat
- Transmission
- Multiple-tank
- Supervisory control

2. Formal models for hybrid systems

3. Switched systems

- Motivation
- Linear switched systems
- Lyapunov stability, asymptotic stability, exponential stability

4. Stability of switched systems under arbitrary switching

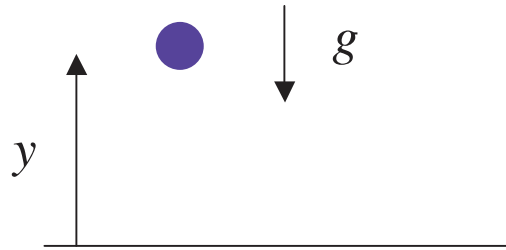
- Instability caused by switching
- Common Lyapunov function
- Converse results
- Algebraic conditions

5. Controller realizations for stable switching

6. Stability under state-dependent switching

- State-dependent common Lyapunov function
- Multiple Lyapunov functions
- LaSalle's invariance principle

Example #1: Bouncing ball



$$\text{Free fall} \equiv \ddot{y} = -g$$

$$\text{Collision} \equiv y^+(t) = y^-(t) = 0$$

$$\dot{y}^+(t) = -c\dot{y}^-(t)$$

$c \in [0,1] \equiv$ energy absorbed at impact

Notation: given $x : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \equiv$ piecewise continuous signal

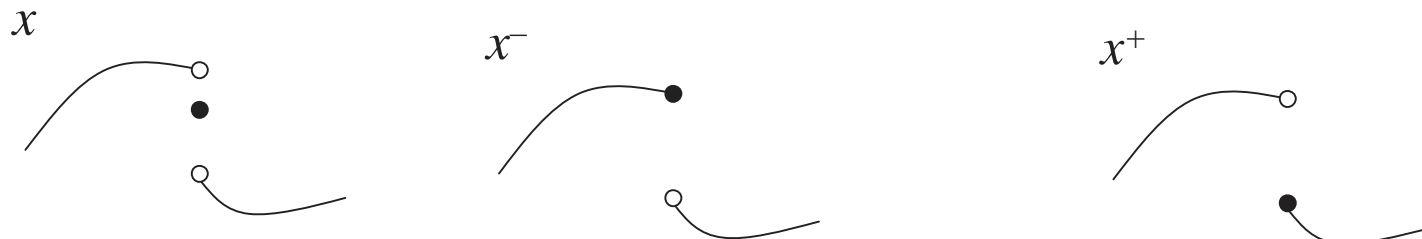
$$x^- : (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \quad x^-(t) := \lim_{\tau \uparrow t} x(\tau), \quad \forall t > 0$$

$$x^+ : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \quad x^+(t) := \lim_{\tau \downarrow t} x(\tau), \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

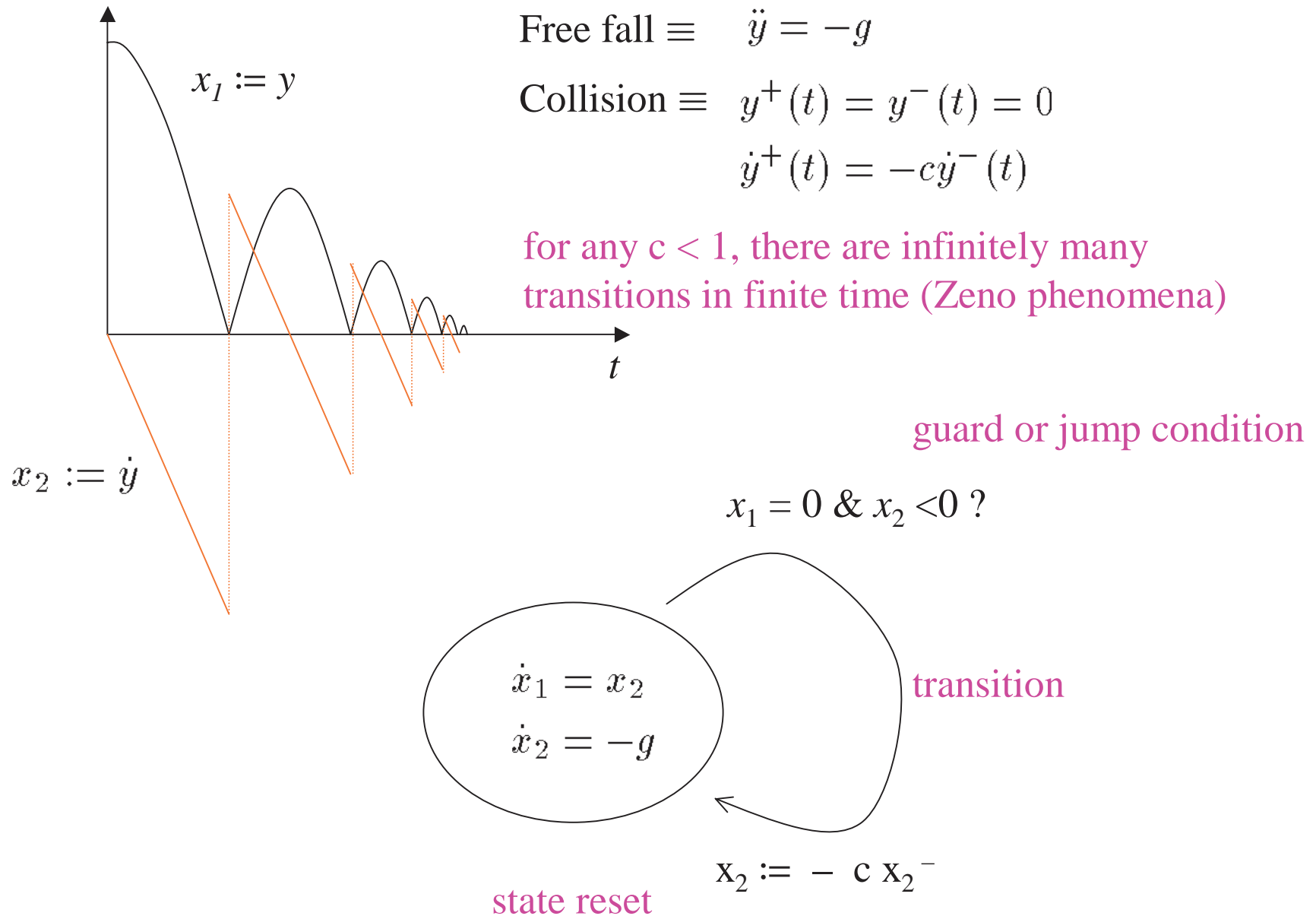
at points t where x is continuous $x(t) = x^-(t) = x^+(t)$

By convention we will generally assume right continuity, i.e.,

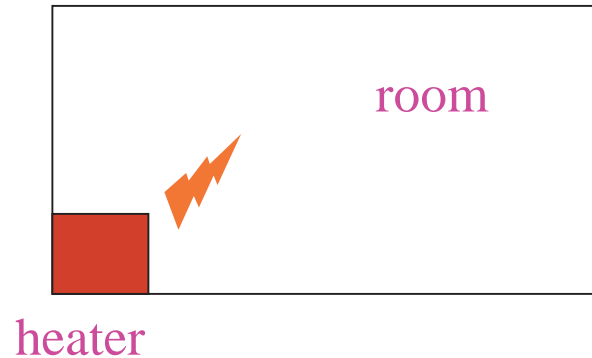
$$x(t) = x^+(t) \quad \forall t \geq 0$$



Example #1: Bouncing ball



Example #2: Thermostat



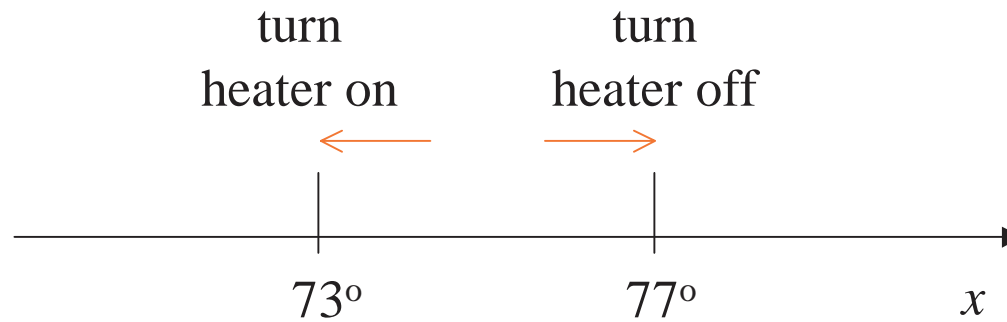
goal \equiv regulate temperature around 75°

$x \equiv$ mean temperature

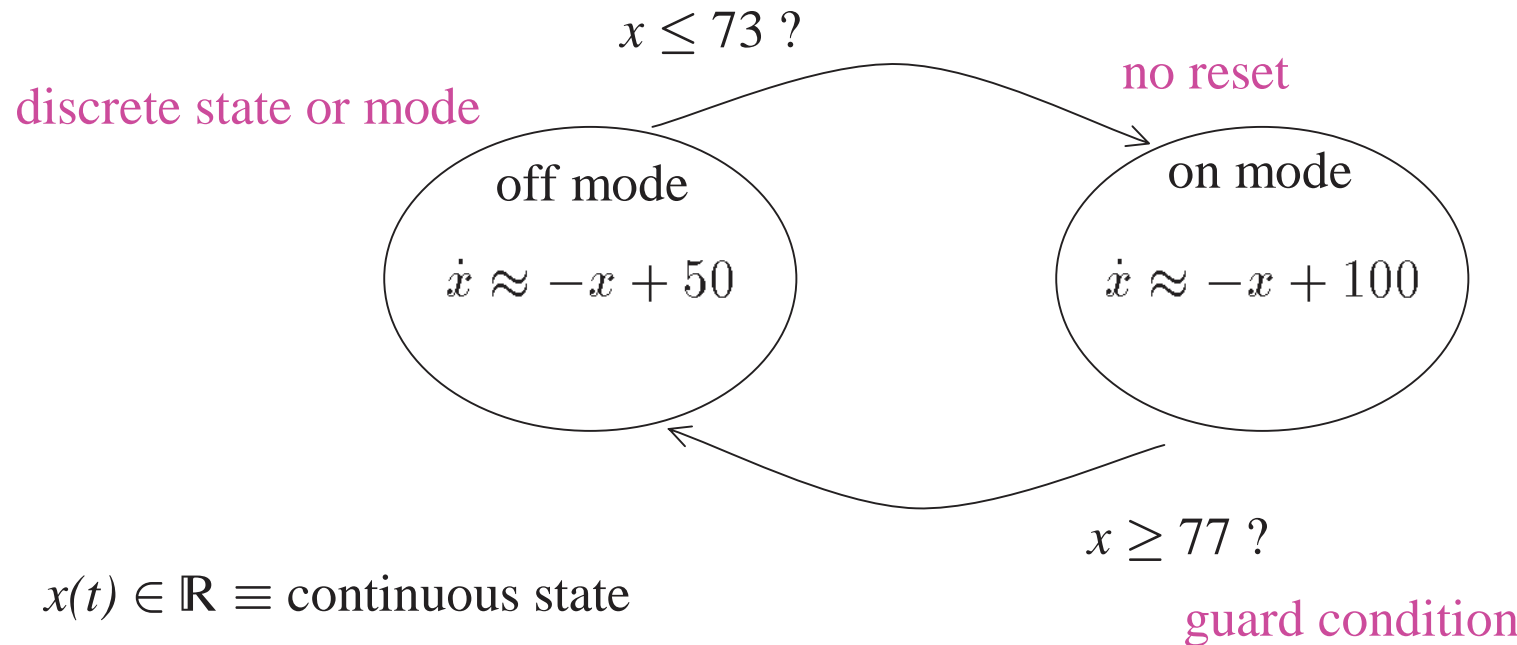
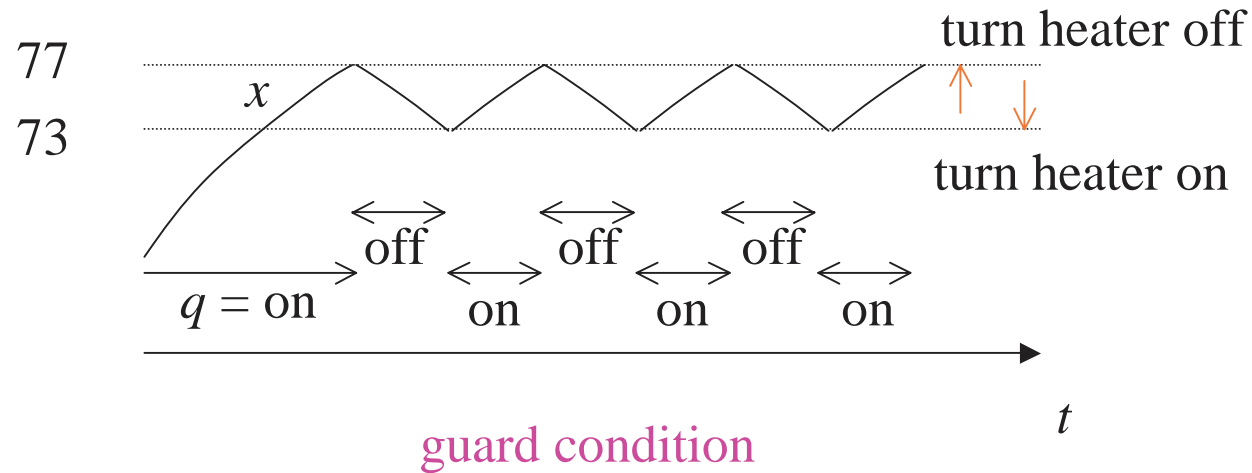
when heater is off: $\dot{x} \approx -x + 50$ ($x \rightarrow 50^\circ$)

when heater is on: $\dot{x} \approx -x + 100$ ($x \rightarrow 100^\circ$)

event-based control



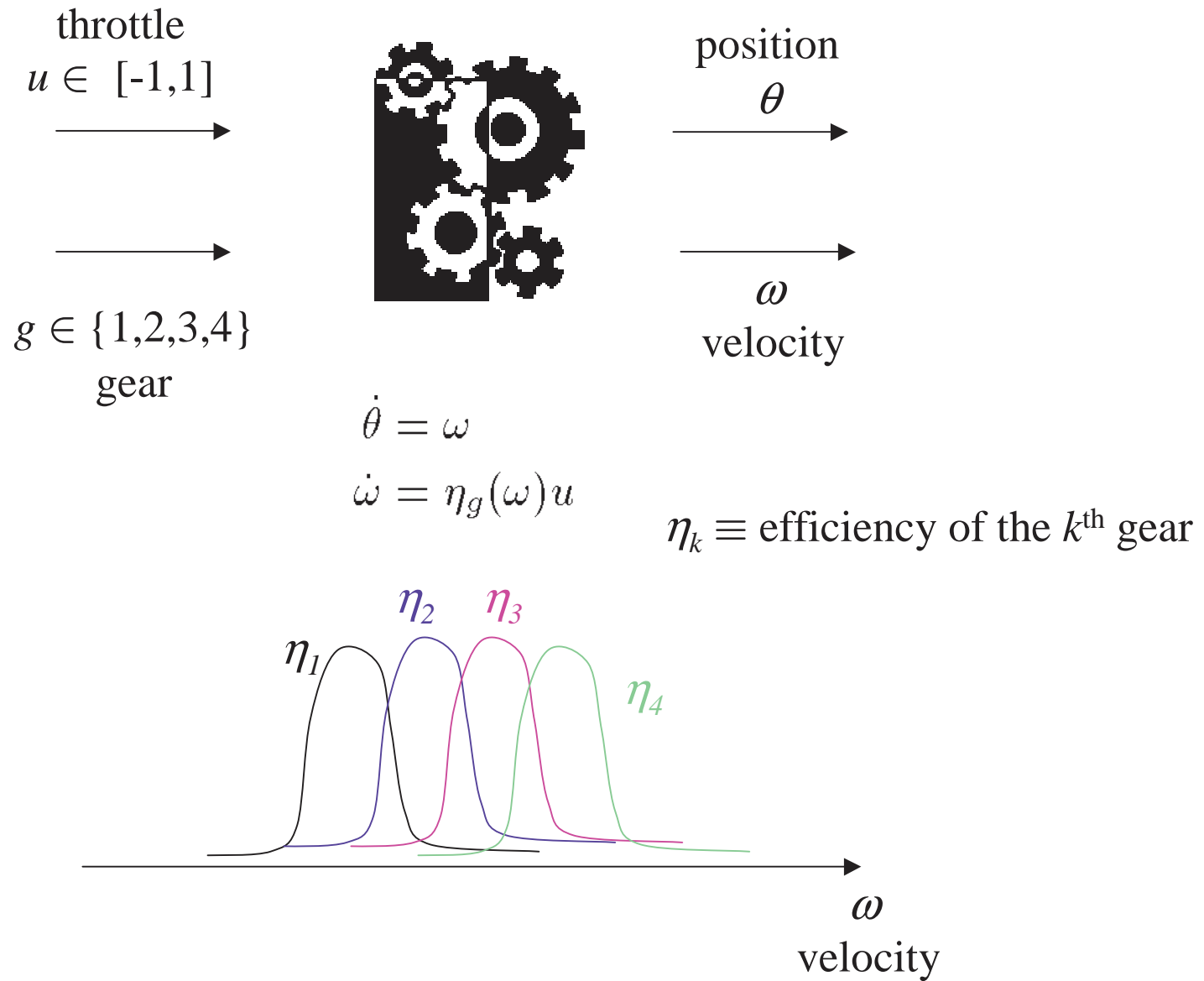
Example #2: Thermostat



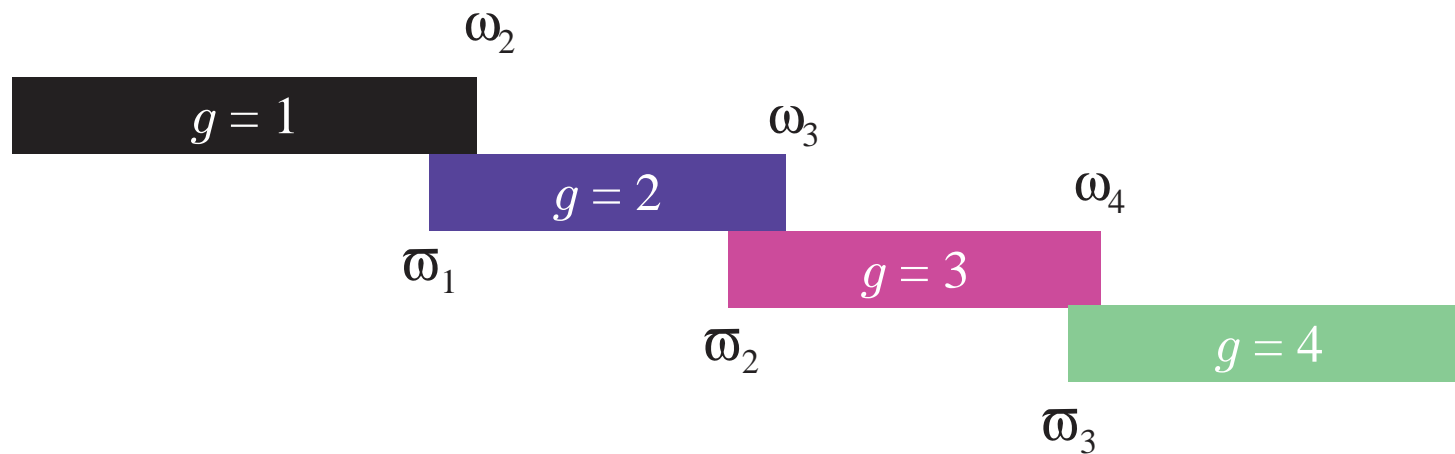
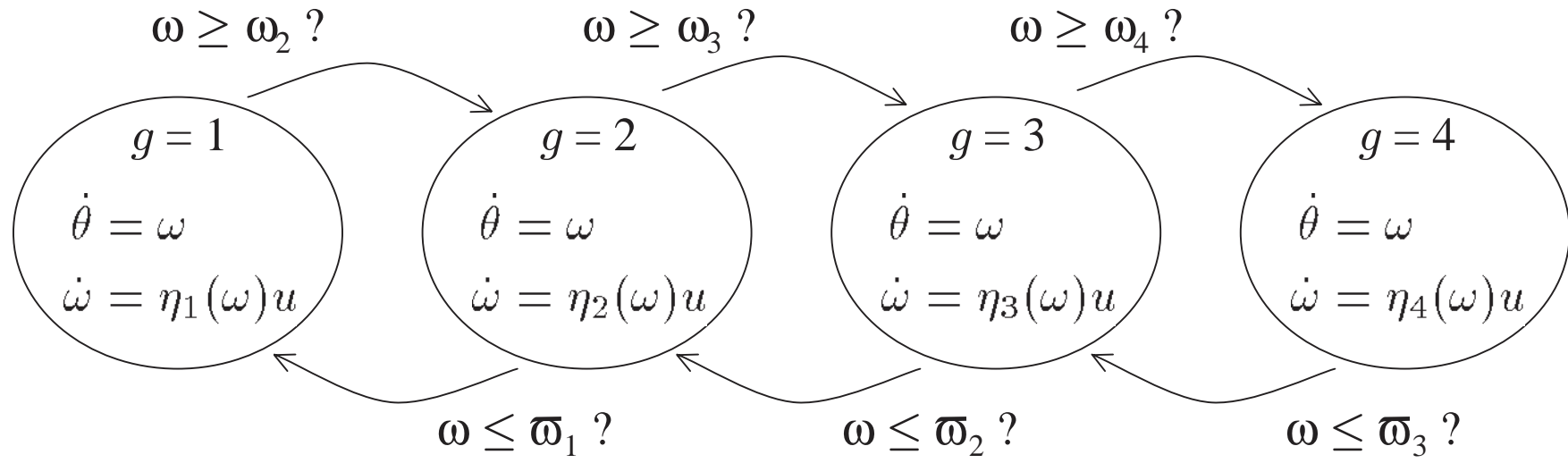
$x(t) \in \mathbb{R} \equiv$ continuous state

$q(t) \in \{ \text{off}, \text{on} \} \equiv$ discrete state

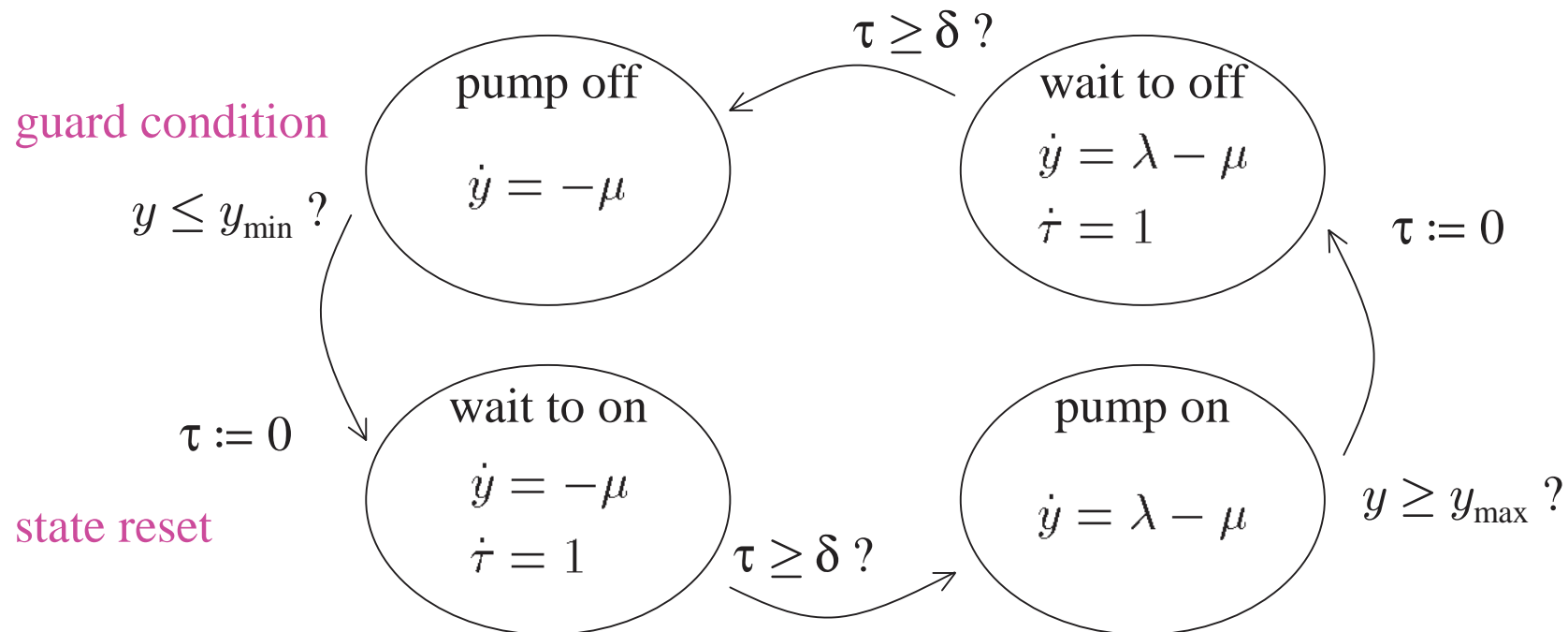
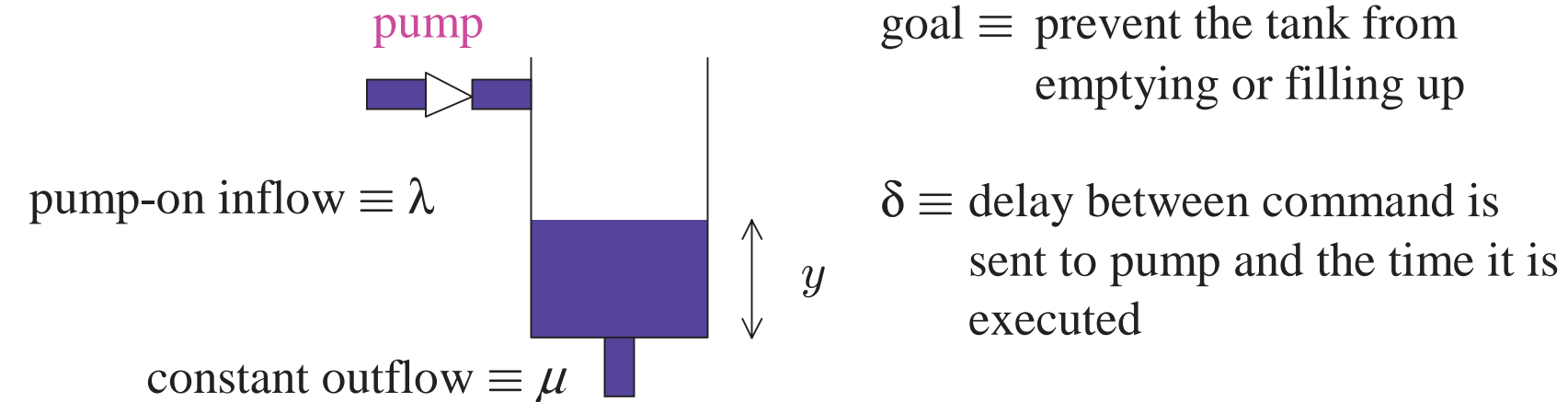
Example #3: Transmission



Example #3: Automatic transmission

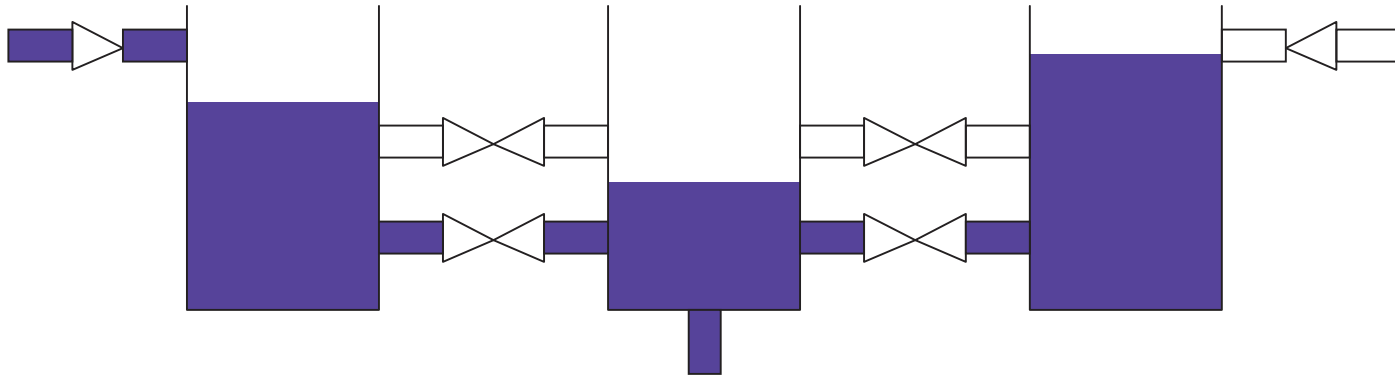


Example #4: Tank system



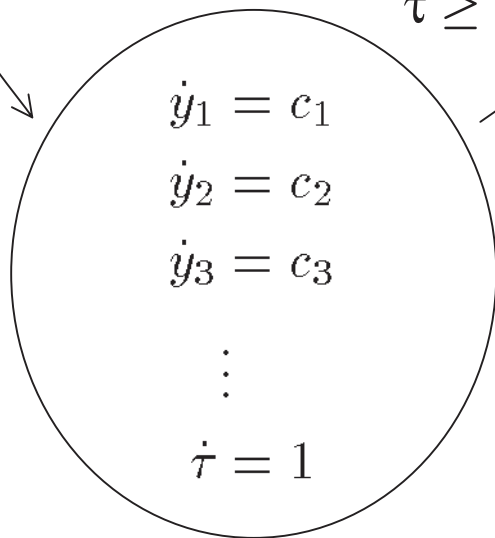
How to choose y_{\min} and y_{\max} for given μ , λ , δ ?

Example #4: Multiple-tank system



$$y_1 \leq y_{1,\min} \ \& \ y_2 \geq y_{2,\max} \ ?$$

$$\tau := 0$$



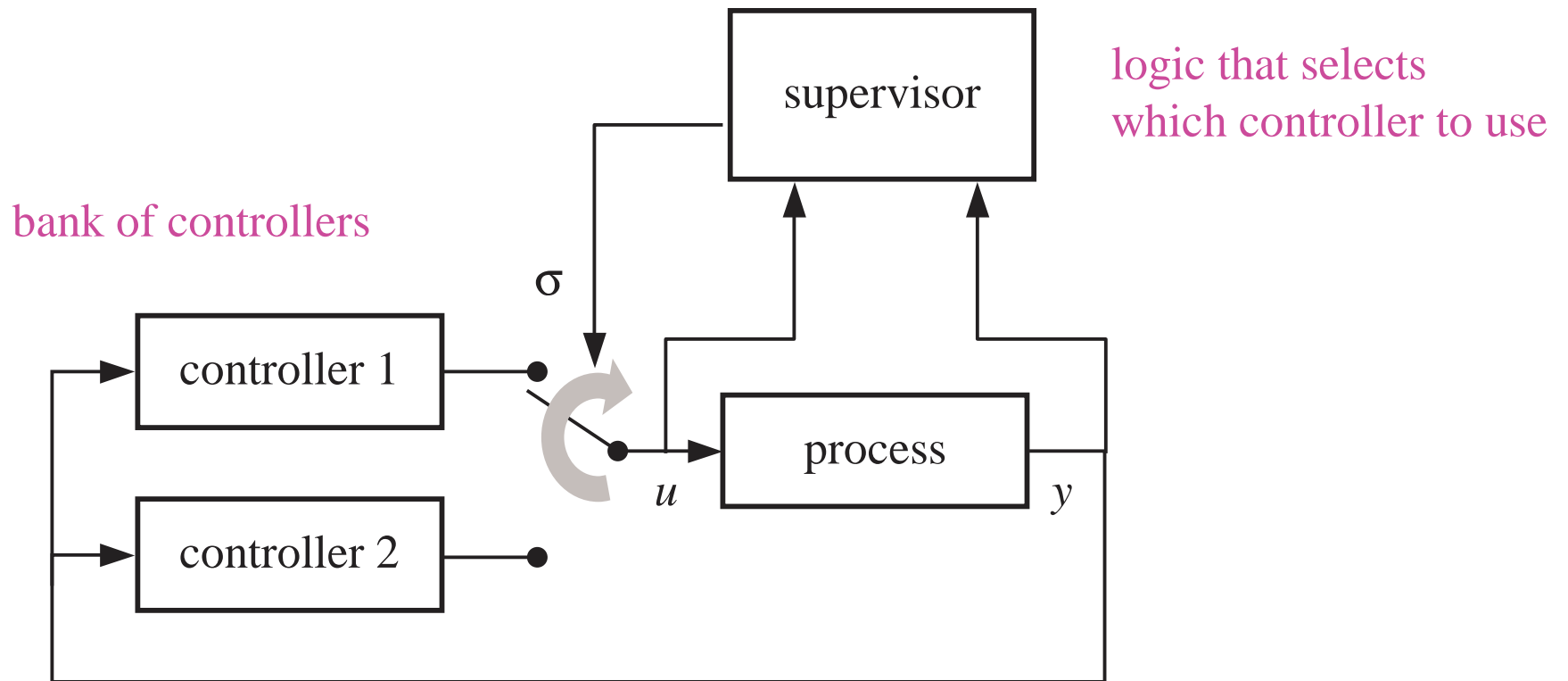
$$\tau \geq \delta_k \ ?$$

Initialized rectangular hybrid automata

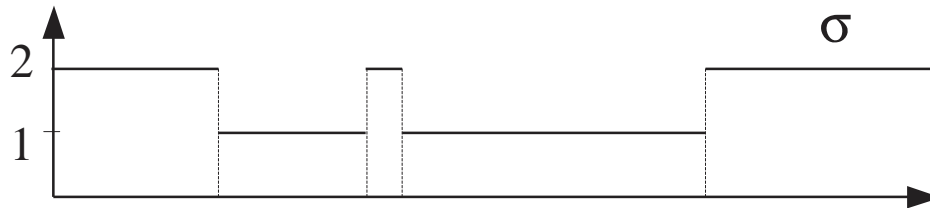
- all differential equations have constant r.h.s.
- all jump cond. are of the form:
state var. 1 \in fixed interval 1 &
state var. 2 \in fixed interval 2 & etc.
- all resets have constant r.h.s.

Most general class of hybrid systems for which there exist completely automated procedures to compute the set of reachable states

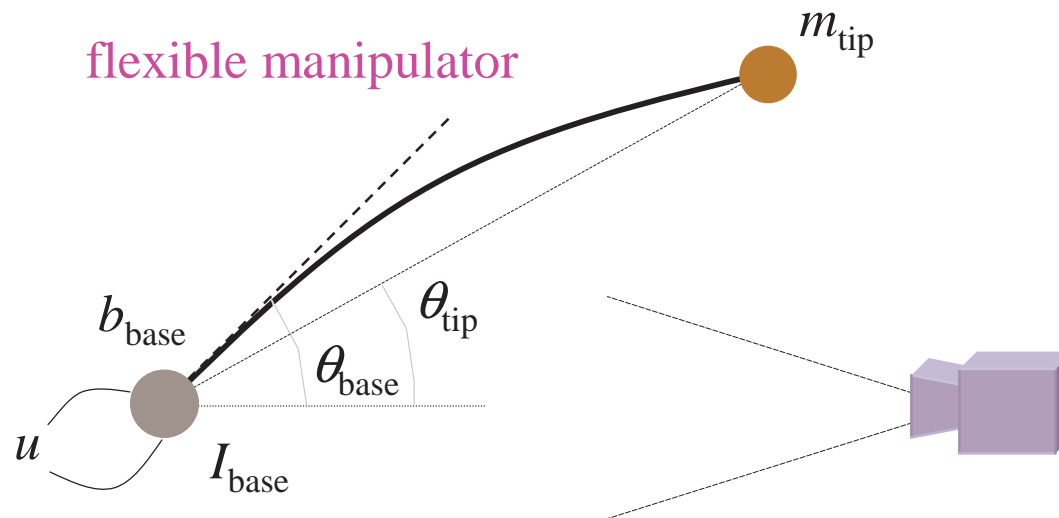
Example #5: Supervisory control



$\sigma \equiv$ switching signal taking values in the set $\{1,2\}$



E.g. #5 a): Vision-based control of a flexible manipulator



goal \equiv drive θ_{tip} to zero, using feedback from

θ_{base} \rightarrow encoder at the base

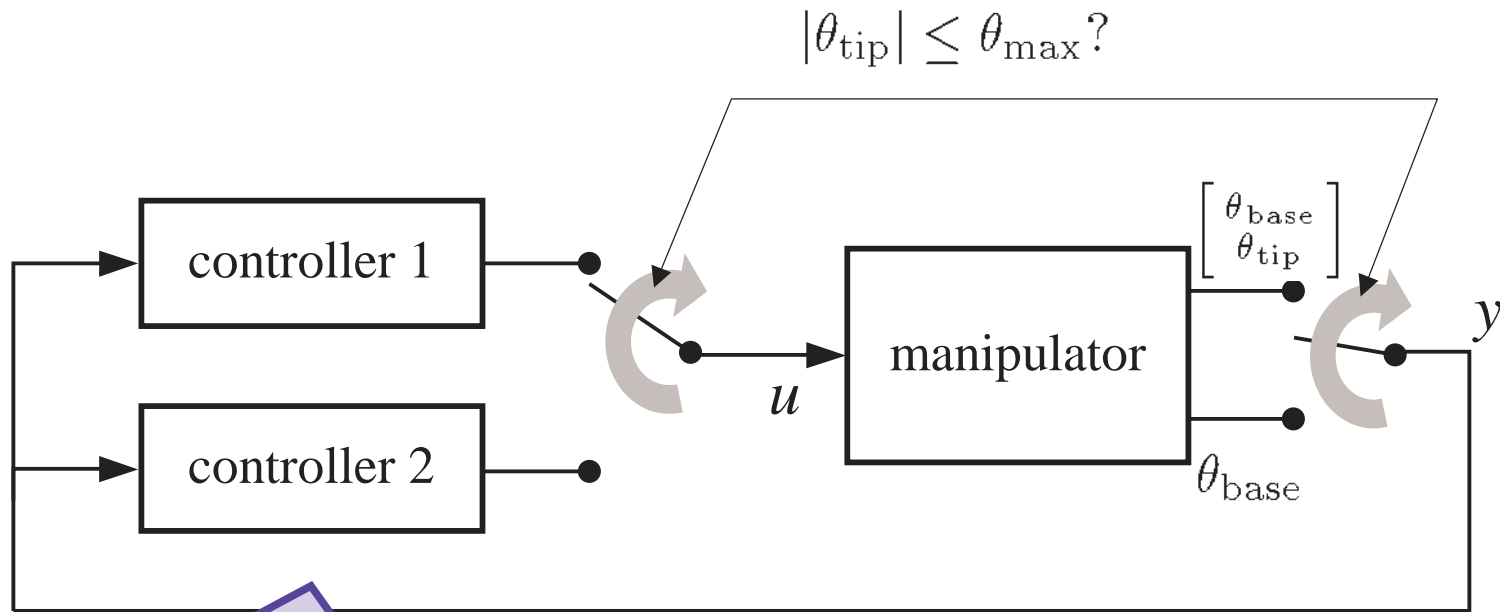
θ_{tip} \rightarrow machine vision (needed to increase the damping of the flexible modes in the presence of noise)

To achieve high accuracy in the measurement of θ_{tip} the camera must have a **small field of view**

output feedback output:

$$y := \begin{cases} \begin{bmatrix} \theta_{\text{base}} \\ \theta_{\text{tip}} \end{bmatrix} & |\theta_{\text{tip}}| \leq \theta_{\text{max}} \\ \theta_{\text{base}} & |\theta_{\text{tip}}| > \theta_{\text{max}} \end{cases}$$

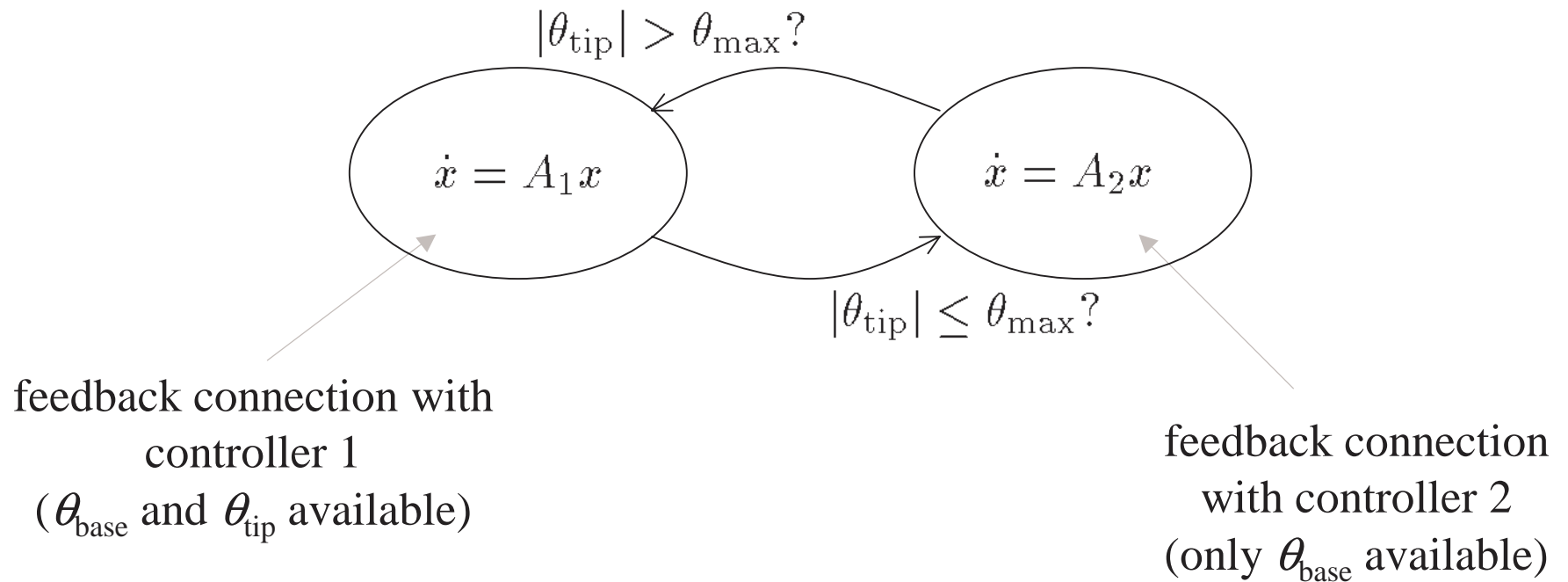
E.g. #5 a): Vision-based control of a flexible manipulator



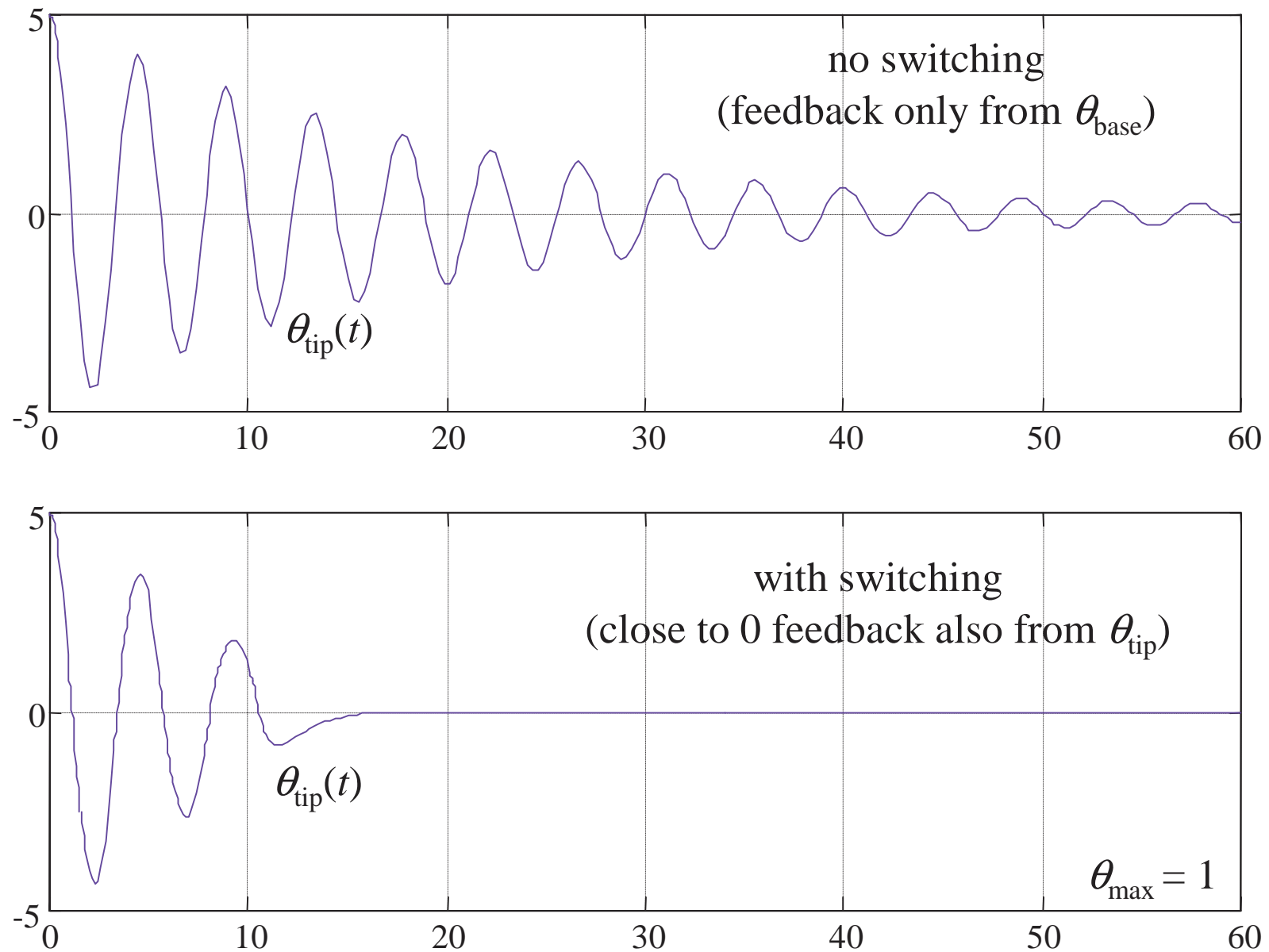
controller 1 optimized for feedback from θ_{base} and θ_{tip}
and
controller 2 optimized for feedback only from θ_{base}

E.g., LQG controllers that minimize $\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} E \left[\int_0^T \theta_{\text{tip}}^2 + \dot{\theta}_{\text{tip}}^2 + \rho u^2 dt \right]$

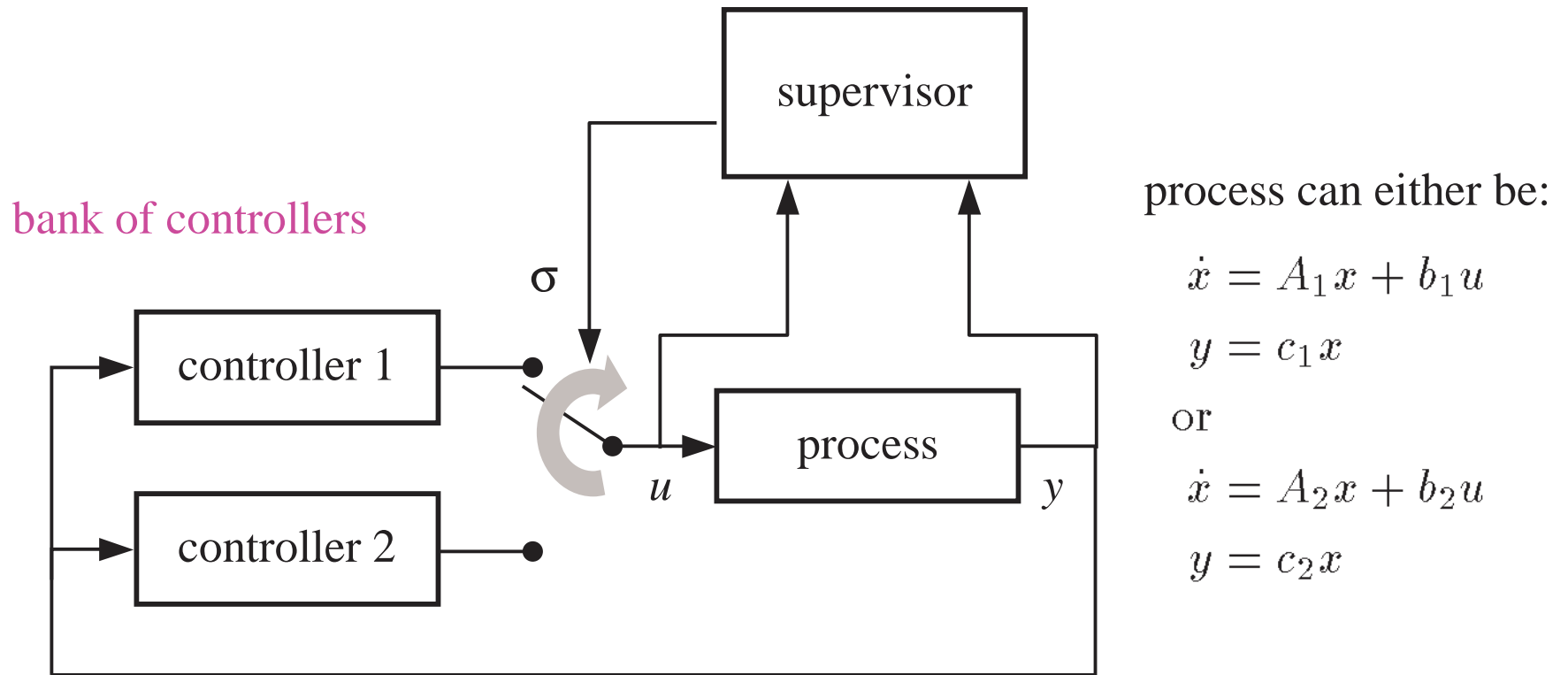
E.g. #5 a): Vision-based control of a flexible manipulator



E.g. #5 a): Vision-based control of a flexible manipulator



Example #5 b): Adaptive supervisory control



Goal: stabilize process, regardless of which is the actual process model

Supervisor must

- try to determine which is the correct process model by observing u and y
- select the appropriate controller

Outline

1. Examples of hybrid systems

- Bouncing ball
- Thermostat
- Transmission
- Multiple-tank
- Supervisory control

2. Formal models for hybrid systems

3. Switched systems

- Motivation
- Linear switched systems
- Lyapunov stability, asymptotic stability, exponential stability

4. Stability of switched systems under arbitrary switching

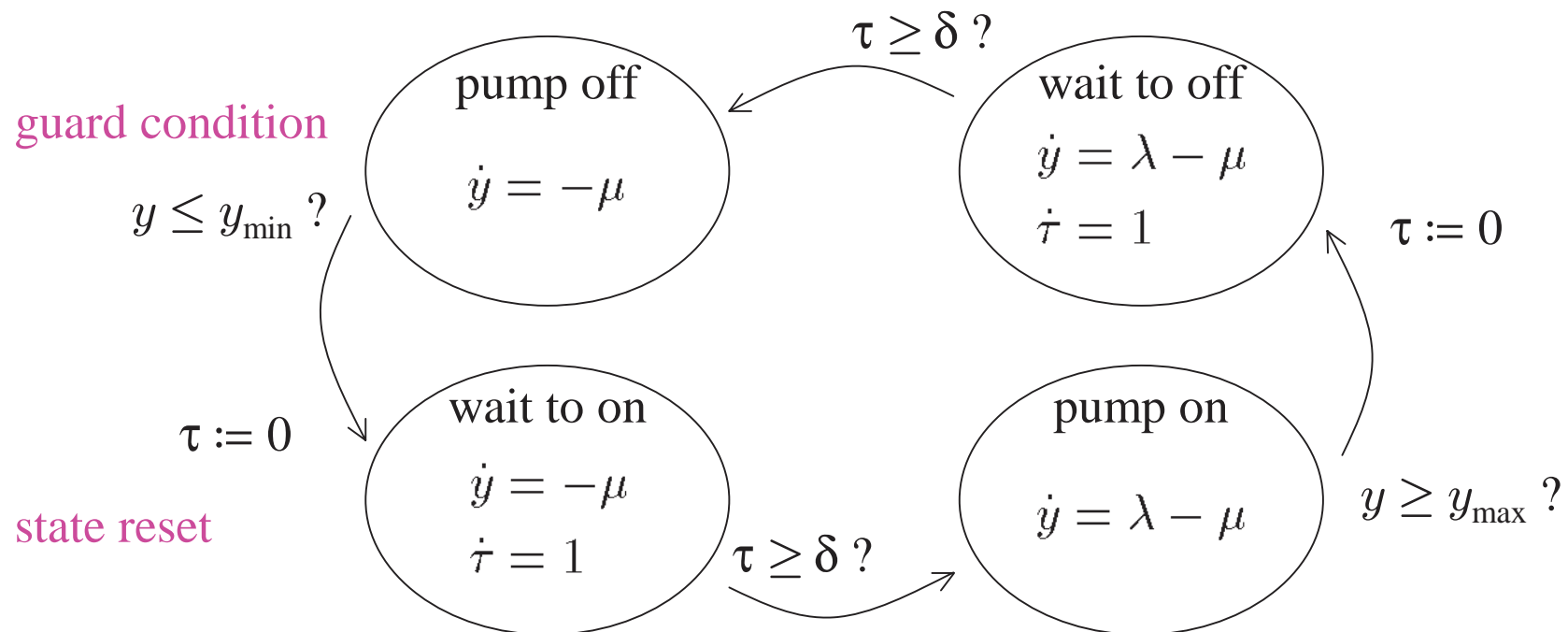
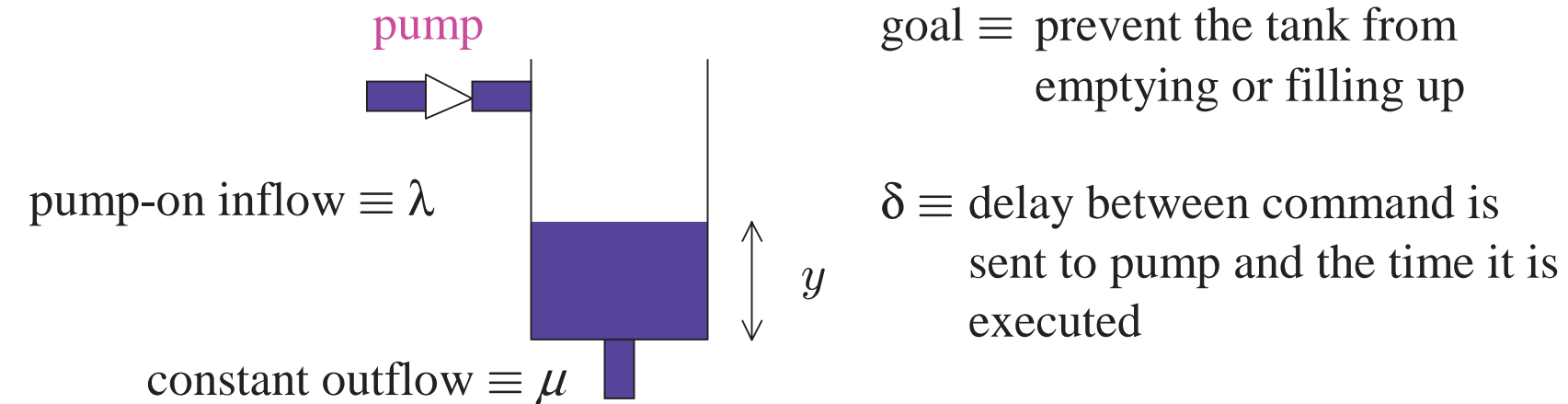
- Instability caused by switching
- Common Lyapunov function
- Converse results
- Algebraic conditions

5. Controller realizations for stable switching

6. Stability under state-dependent switching

- State-dependent common Lyapunov function
- Multiple Lyapunov functions
- LaSalle's invariance principle

Example #4: Multiple-tank system

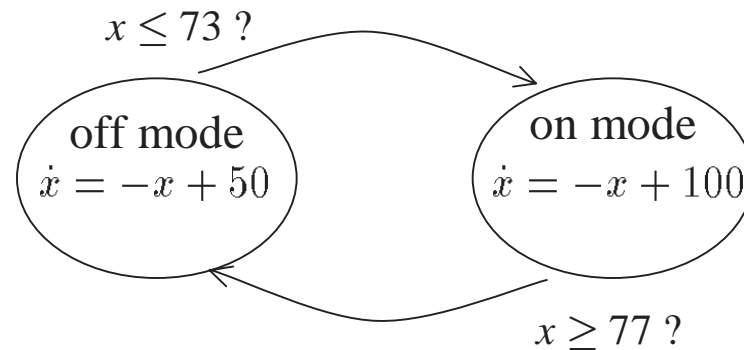
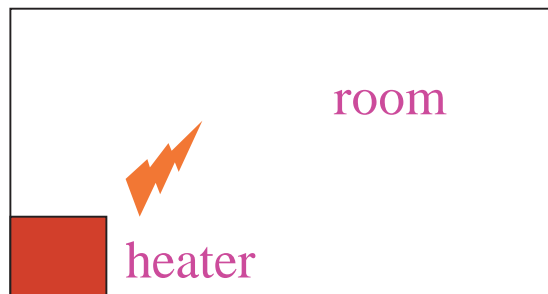


How to formally describe this hybrid system?

Hybrid Automaton

(Example #2: Thermostat)

$x \equiv$ mean temperature



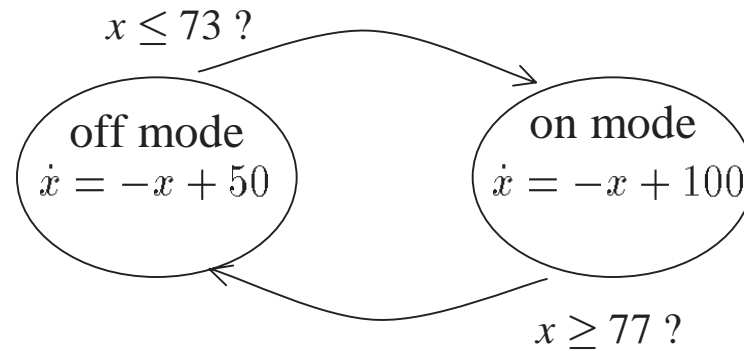
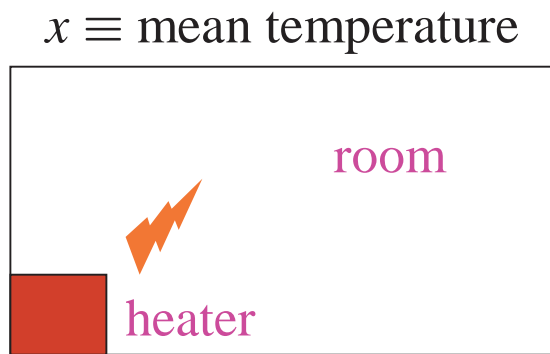
\mathcal{Q} \equiv set of discrete states
 \mathbb{R}^n \equiv continuous state-space
 $f: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \equiv$ vector field
 $\varphi: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{Q} \equiv$ discrete transition

Example: $\mathcal{Q} := \{ \text{off}, \text{on} \}$ $n := 1$

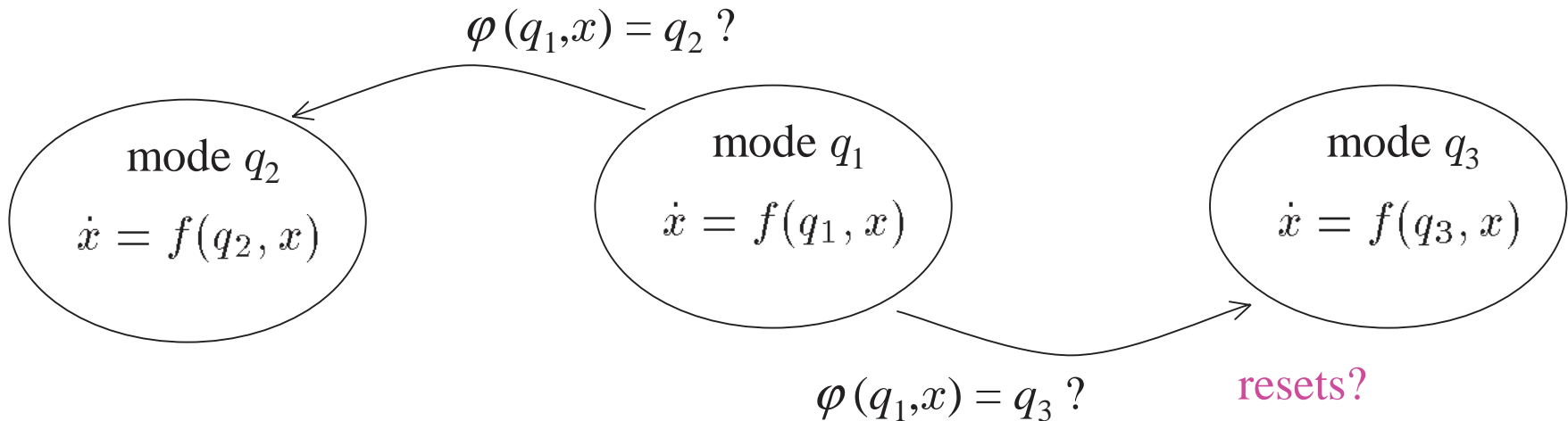
$$f(q, x) := \begin{cases} -x + 50 & q = \text{off} \\ -x + 100 & q = \text{on} \end{cases} \quad \varphi(q, x) := \begin{cases} \text{on}, & q = \text{off}, x \leq 73 \\ \text{off}, & q = \text{off}, x > 73 \\ \text{off}, & q = \text{on}, x \geq 77 \\ \text{on}, & q = \text{on}, x < 77 \end{cases}$$

Hybrid Automaton

(Example #2: Thermostat)

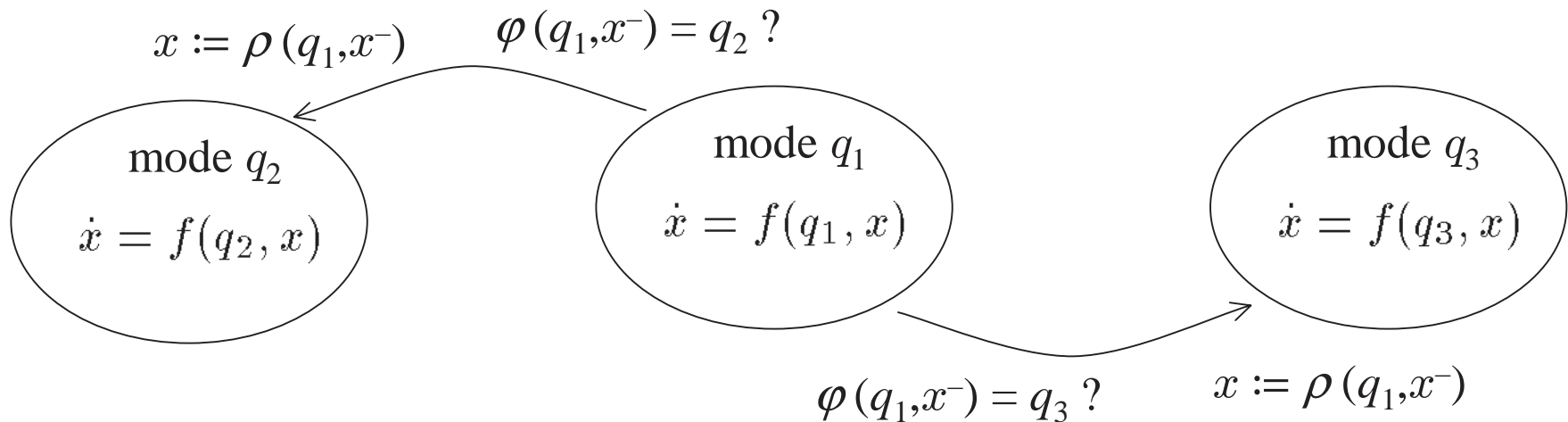


\mathcal{Q} \equiv set of discrete states
 \mathbb{R}^n \equiv continuous state-space
 $f: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \equiv$ vector field
 $\varphi: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{Q} \equiv$ discrete transition



Hybrid Automaton

\mathcal{Q} \equiv set of discrete states
 \mathbb{R}^n \equiv continuous state-space
 $f: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ \equiv vector field
 $\varphi: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{Q}$ \equiv discrete transition
 $\rho: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ \equiv reset map



at every transition
we have:

$$\begin{cases} q = \varphi(q^-, x^-) \\ x = \rho(q^-, x^-) \end{cases}$$

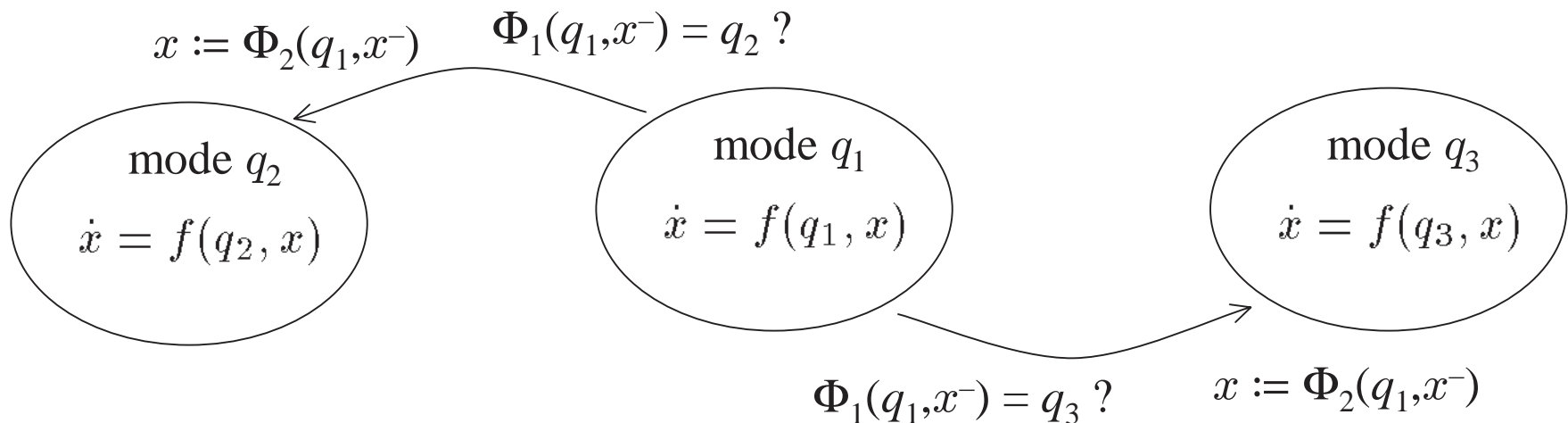
between transitions
we have:

$$\dot{x} = f(q, x)$$

Hybrid Automaton

\mathcal{Q}	\equiv set of discrete states
\mathbb{R}^n	\equiv continuous state-space
$f: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$	\equiv vector field
$\Phi: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n$	\equiv discrete transition (& reset map)

$$\Phi(q, x) = \begin{bmatrix} \Phi_1(q, x) \\ \Phi_2(q, x) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \varphi(q, x) \\ \rho(q, x) \end{bmatrix}$$



at every transition
we have:

$$(q, x) = \Phi(q^-, x^-)$$

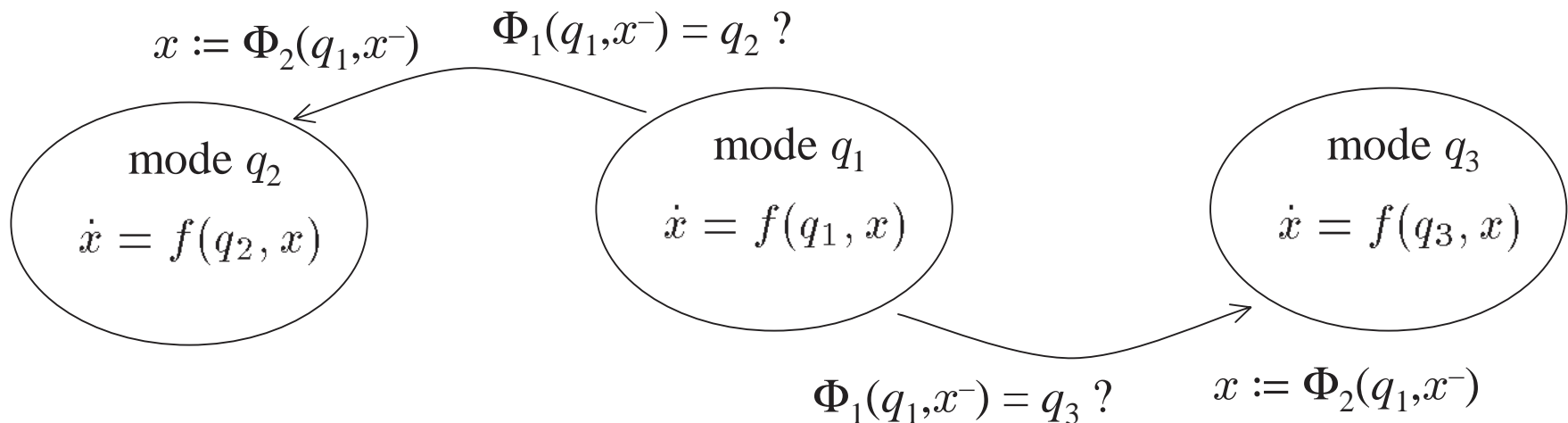
between transitions
we have:

$$\dot{x} = f(q, x)$$

Hybrid Automaton

\mathcal{Q}	\equiv set of discrete states
\mathbb{R}^n	\equiv continuous state-space
$f: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$	\equiv vector field
$\Phi: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n$	\equiv discrete transition (& reset map)

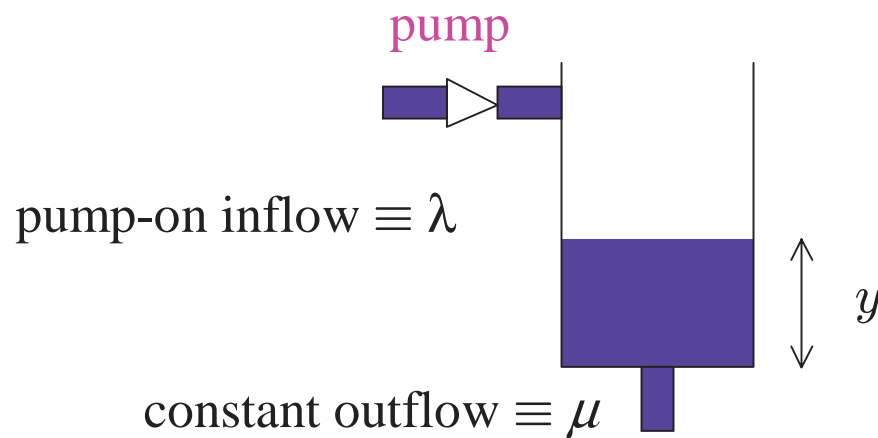
$$\Phi(q, x) = \begin{bmatrix} \Phi_1(q, x) \\ \Phi_2(q, x) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \varphi(q, x) \\ \rho(q, x) \end{bmatrix}$$



Compact representation of a hybrid automaton

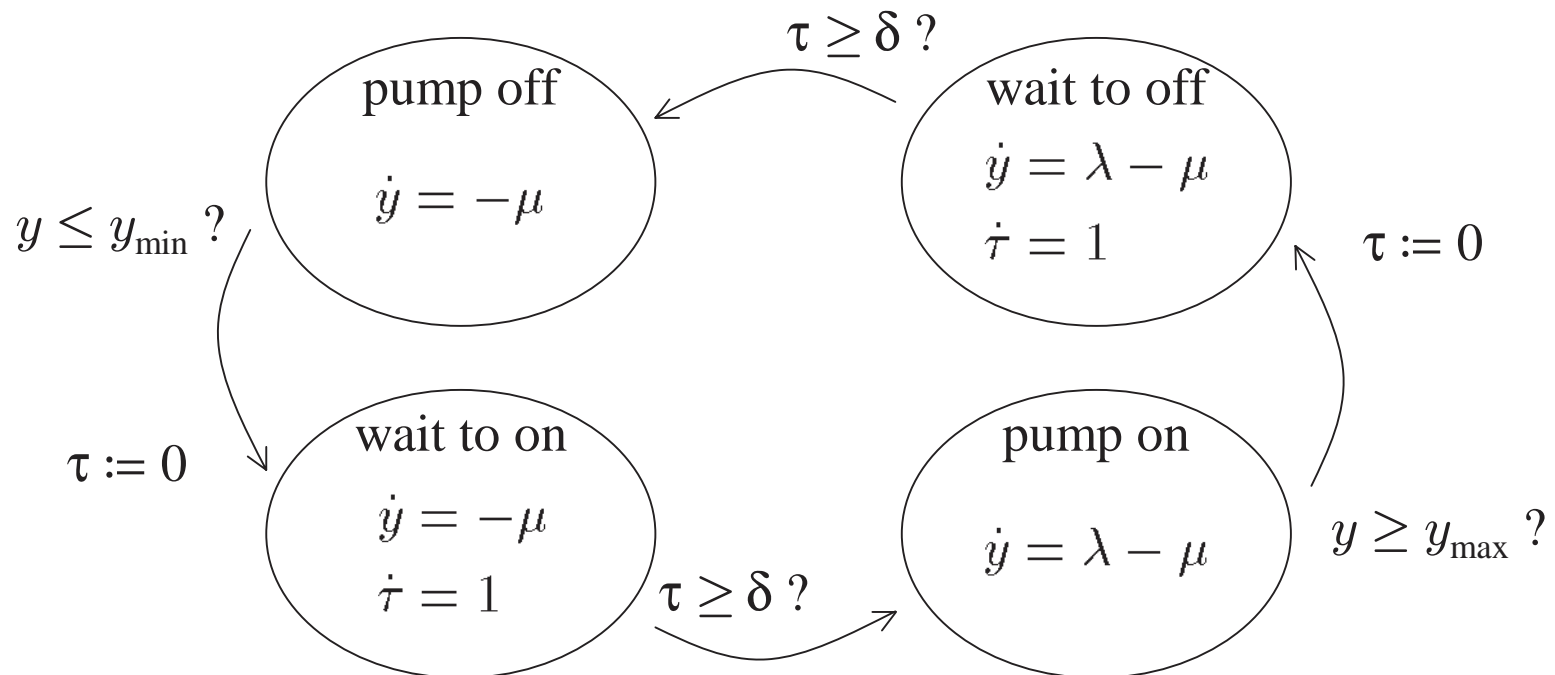
$$\dot{x} = f(q, x) \quad (q, x) = \Phi(q^-, x^-) \quad q \in \mathcal{Q}, x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

Example #5: Multiple-tank system

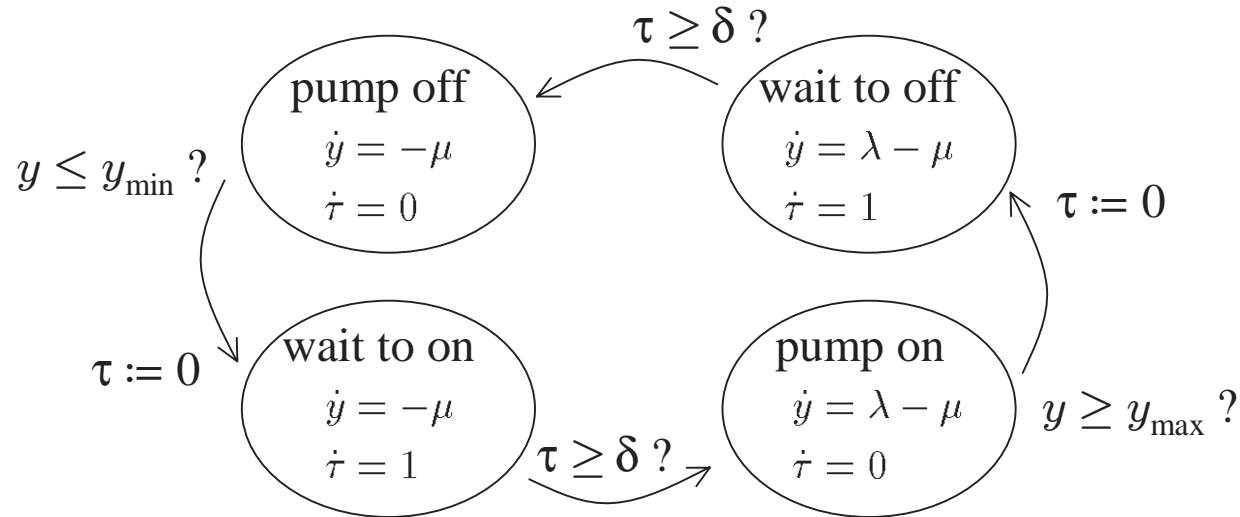


goal \equiv prevent the tank from emptying or filling up

$\delta \equiv$ delay between command is sent to pump and the time it is executed



Example #5: Multiple-tank system



$\mathcal{Q} := \{ \text{off, won, on, woff} \}$
 $\mathbb{R}^2 \equiv \text{continuous state-space}$

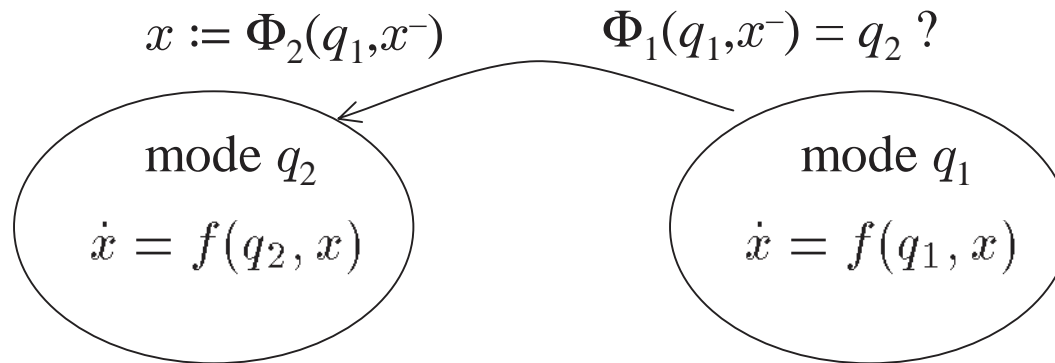
$$f(q, x) := \begin{cases} \begin{bmatrix} -\mu \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & q = \text{off} \\ \begin{bmatrix} -\mu \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} & q = \text{won} \\ \begin{bmatrix} \lambda - \mu \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & q = \text{on} \\ \begin{bmatrix} \lambda - \mu \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} & q = \text{woff} \end{cases}$$

$$\varphi(q, x) := \begin{cases} \text{off} & q = \text{woff}, \tau \geq \delta \\ \text{off} & q = \text{off}, y > y_{\min} \\ \text{won} & q = \text{off}, y \leq y_{\min} \\ \text{won} & q = \text{won}, \tau < \delta \\ \vdots & \end{cases}$$

$$\rho(q, x) := \begin{cases} x & q = \text{woff}, \tau \geq \delta \\ x & q = \text{off}, y > y_{\min} \\ \begin{bmatrix} y \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & q = \text{off}, y \leq y_{\min} \\ x & q = \text{won}, \tau < \delta \\ \vdots & \end{cases}$$

Solution to a hybrid automaton

$$\dot{x} = f(q, x) \quad (q, x) = \Phi(q^-, x^-) \quad q \in \mathcal{Q}, x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$



Definition: A **solution** to the hybrid automaton is a pair of right-continuous signals

$$x : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \quad q : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathcal{Q}$$

such that

1. x is piecewise differentiable & q is piecewise constant
2. on any interval (t_1, t_2) on which q is constant

continuous evolution

$$x(t) = x(t_1) + \int_{t_1}^t f(q(t_1), x(\tau)) d\tau \quad \forall t \in [t_1, t_2)$$

3. $(q(t), x(t)) = \Phi(q^-(t), x^-(t)) \quad \forall t \geq 0$

discrete transitions

Outline

1. Examples of hybrid systems

- Bouncing ball
- Thermostat
- Transmission
- Multiple-tank
- Supervisory control

2. Formal models for hybrid systems

3. Switched systems

- Motivation
- Linear switched systems
- Lyapunov stability, asymptotic stability, exponential stability

4. Stability of switched systems under arbitrary switching

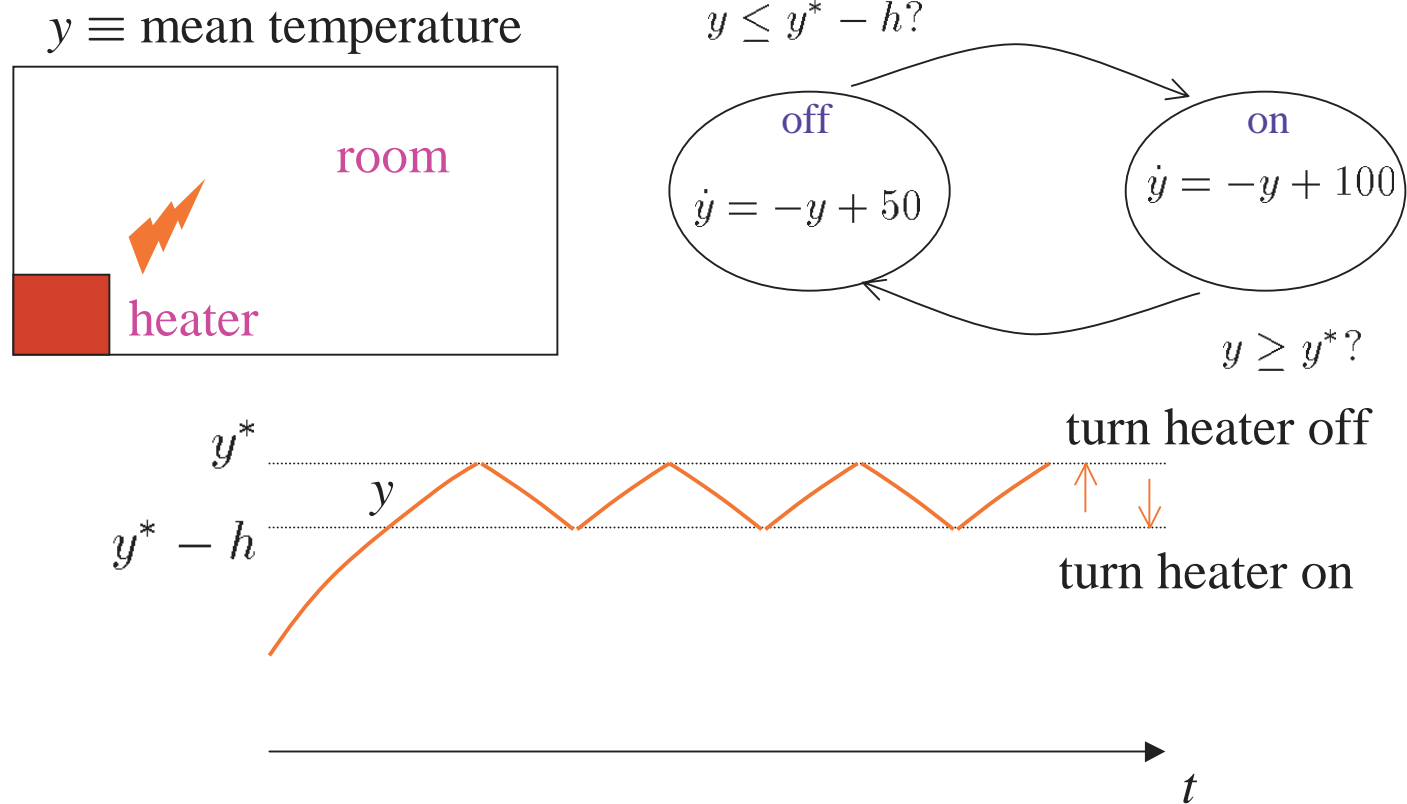
- Instability caused by switching
- Common Lyapunov function
- Converse results
- Algebraic conditions

5. Controller realizations for stable switching

6. Stability under state-dependent switching

- State-dependent common Lyapunov function
- Multiple Lyapunov functions
- LaSalle's invariance principle

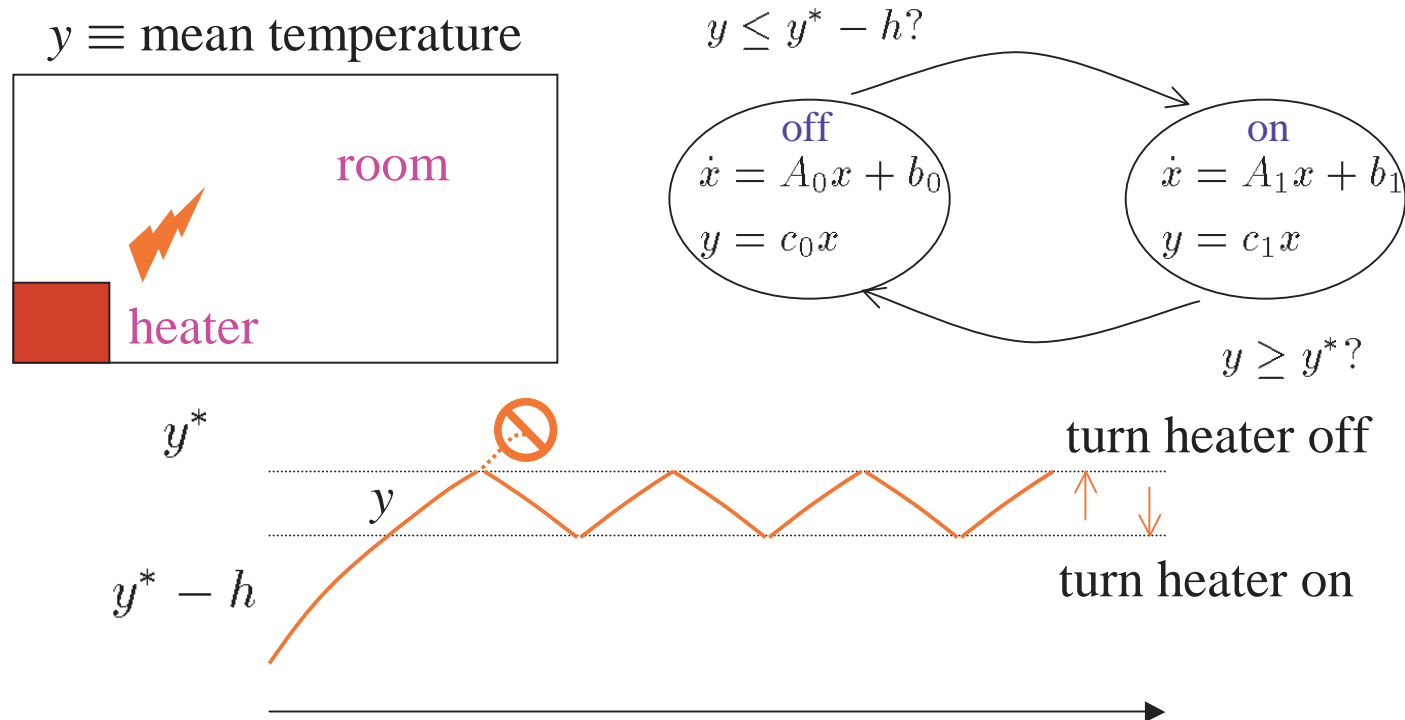
Example #2: Thermostat



The state of the system remains bounded as $t \rightarrow \infty$:

$$\min \{y(0), y^* - h\} \leq y(t) \leq \max \{y(0), y^*\} \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

Example #2: Thermostat



A_0, A_1 asymptotically stable (all eigenvalues with negative real part)

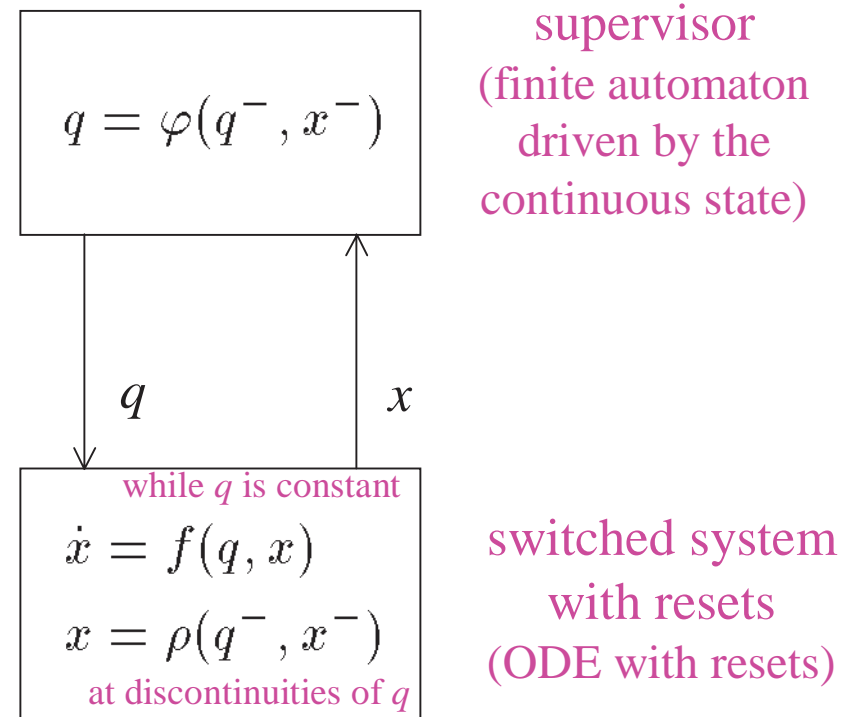
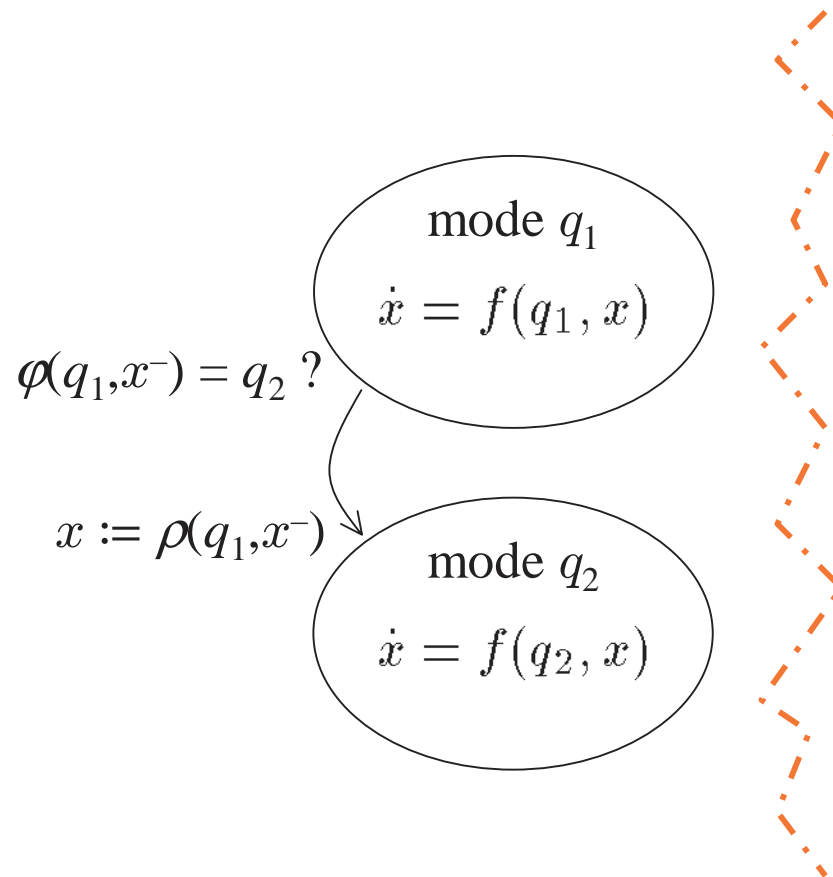
1. if system would stay in **off** mode forever then
eq. state $x_{\text{eq}} = A_0^{-1} b_0$ is asymptotically stable & $y \rightarrow y_{\text{off}} := c_0 A_0^{-1} b_0 \leq y^* - h$
2. if system would stay in **on** mode forever then
eq. state $x_{\text{eq}} = A_1^{-1} b_1$ is asymptotically stable & $y \rightarrow y_{\text{on}} := c_1 A_1^{-1} b_1 \geq y^*$

With switching, does the overall state x of the system remains bounded as $t \rightarrow \infty$?

A different view on hybrid systems...

$\mathcal{Q}, \mathbb{R}^n \equiv \text{state-spaces}$
 $f: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \equiv \text{vector field}$

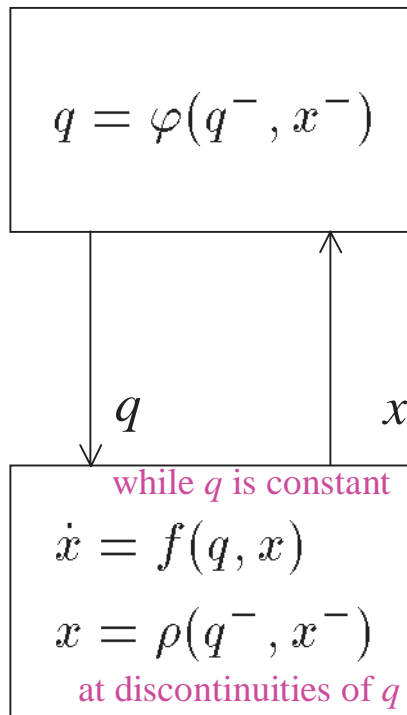
$\varphi: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{Q} \equiv \text{discrete transition}$
 $\rho: \mathcal{Q} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \equiv \text{reset map}$



An hybrid system can be viewed as the
 interconnection of a supervisor and a
 switched system
 (essentially the Simulink/Stateflow model)

Example #2: Thermostat

supervisor
(finite automaton)



switched system
(ODE with resets)

1st On an interval (τ, t) the maximum number of switchings $N(\tau, t)$ is bounded by

$$N(\tau, t) \leq 1 + \frac{c \max_{s \in (\tau, t)} \|x(s)\|}{h} (t - \tau)$$

2nd Assuming that the max. number of switchings $N(\tau, t)$ on (τ, t) is bounded:

$$N(\tau, t) \leq N_0 + \frac{t - \tau}{\tau_D}$$

Then there exist constants α, β, γ s.t.

$$\|x(t)\| \leq \alpha \|x(\tau)\| + \beta + \gamma y^*$$

3rd For any choice of τ_D and h such that

$$h \leq c\tau_D \left(\alpha \|x(0)\| + \beta + \gamma y^* \right)$$

x must be bounded for any solution compatible with 1 & 2

property of the
supervisor



property of the
switched system



property of the
interconnection

Switched system

parameterized family of vector fields $\equiv f_p : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ $p \in Q$

switching signal \equiv piecewise constant signal $\sigma : [0, \infty) \rightarrow Q$

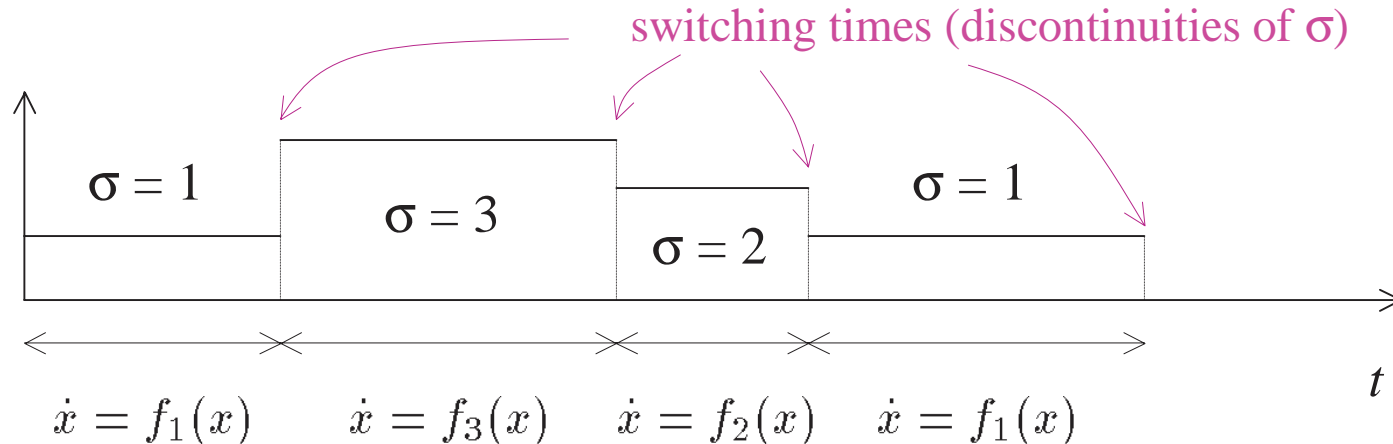
parameter set

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of admissible switching signals

E.g., $\mathcal{S} := \{ \sigma : N_\sigma(\tau, t) \leq 1 + (t - \tau), \forall t > \tau \geq 0 \}$

of discontinuities of σ in the interval (τ, t)

$$\dot{x} = f_\sigma(x) \quad \sigma \in \mathcal{S}$$



A **solution** to the switched system is any pair (σ, x) with $\sigma \in \mathcal{S}$ and x a solution to

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma(t)}(x)$$

time-varying ODE

Switched system with state-dependent switching

parameterized family of vector fields $\equiv f_p : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \quad p \in Q$

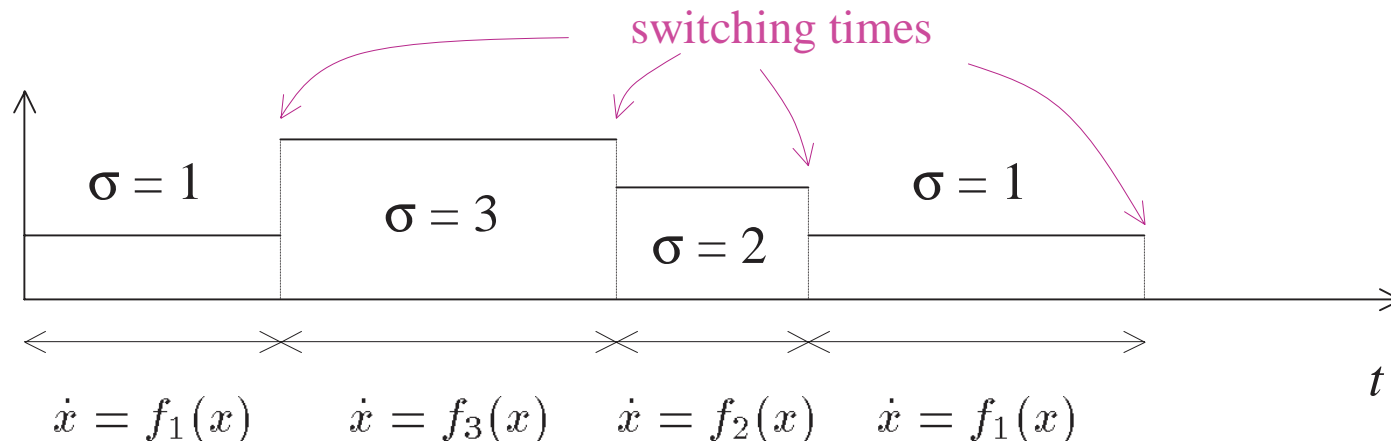
switching signal \equiv piecewise constant signal $\sigma : [0, \infty) \rightarrow Q$ parameter set

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of admissible pairs (σ, x) with σ a switching signal and x a signal in \mathbb{R}^n

E.g., $\mathcal{S} := \{(\sigma, x) : N_\sigma(\tau, t) \leq 1 + \sup_{s \in (\tau, t)} \|x(s)\| (t - \tau), \forall t > \tau \geq 0\}$

for each x only some σ
may be admissible

$$\dot{x} = f_\sigma(x) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$



A **solution** to the switched system is a pair $(\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$ for which x is a solution to

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma(t)}(x) \quad \text{time-varying ODE}$$

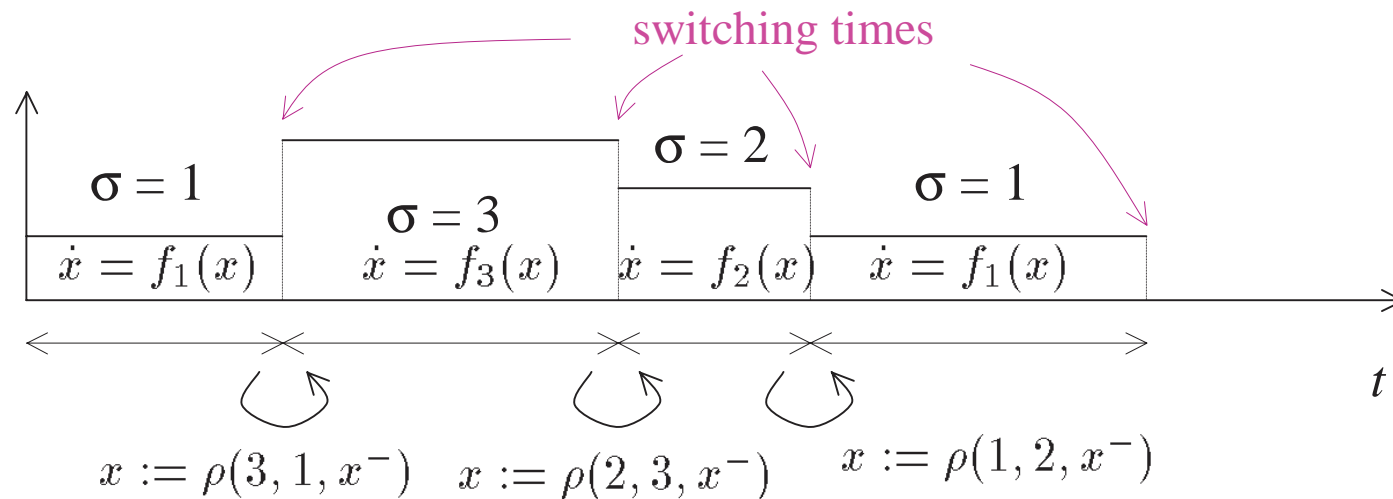
Switched system with resets

parameterized family of vector fields $\equiv f_p: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \quad p \in Q$

switching signal \equiv piecewise constant signal $\sigma: [0, \infty) \rightarrow Q$ parameter set

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of admissible pairs (σ, x) with σ a switching signal and x a signal in \mathbb{R}^n

$$\dot{x} = f_\sigma(x) \quad x = \rho(\sigma, \sigma^-, x^-) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$



A **solution** to the switched system is a pair $(\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$ for which

1. on every open interval on which σ is constant, x is a solution to

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma(t)}(x) \quad \text{time-varying ODE}$$

2. at every switching time t , $x(t) = \rho(\sigma(t), \sigma^-(t), x^-(t))$

Time-varying systems vs. Hybrid systems vs. Switched systems

Time-varying system \equiv for each initial condition $x(0)$ there is only one solution

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma(t)}(x) \quad (\text{all } f_p \text{ locally Lipschitz})$$

Hybrid system \equiv for each initial condition $q(0), x(0)$ there is only one solution

$$\dot{x} = f(q, x) \quad (q, x) = \Phi(q^-, x^-)$$

Switched system \equiv for each $x(0)$ there may be several solutions, one for each admissible σ

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = \rho(\sigma, \sigma^-, x^-) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

the notions of stability, convergence, etc.
must address “uniformity” over all solutions

Time-varying systems vs. Hybrid systems vs. Switched systems

Time-varying system \equiv for each initial condition $x(0)$ there is only one solution

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma(t)}(x) \quad (\text{all } f_p \text{ locally Lipschitz})$$

Hybrid system \equiv for each initial condition $q(0), x(0)$ there is only one solution

$$\dot{x} = f(q, x) \quad (q, x) = \Phi(q^-, x^-)$$

Switched system \equiv for each $x(0)$ there may be several solutions, one for each admissible σ

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = \rho(\sigma, \sigma^-, x^-) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

every hybrid system can be viewed as a switched system.

Indeed, just pick:

$$\mathcal{S} := \{(x, \sigma) : (q, x) := \Phi(q^-, x^-)\}$$

$$\rho(q_2, q_1, x_1) := \begin{cases} x_2 & \exists x_2 : (q_2, x_2) = \Phi(q_1, x_1) \\ x_1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

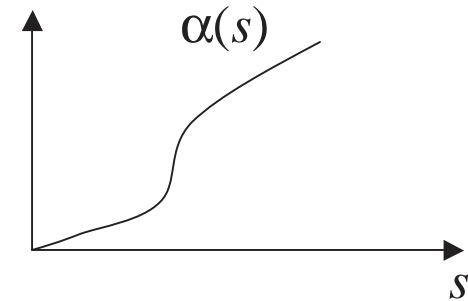
Stability of switched systems

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

equilibrium point $\equiv x_{\text{eq}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ for which $f_q(x_{\text{eq}}) = 0 \ \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}$

class $\mathcal{K} \equiv$ set of functions $\alpha : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ that are

1. continuous
2. strictly increasing
3. $\alpha(0)=0$



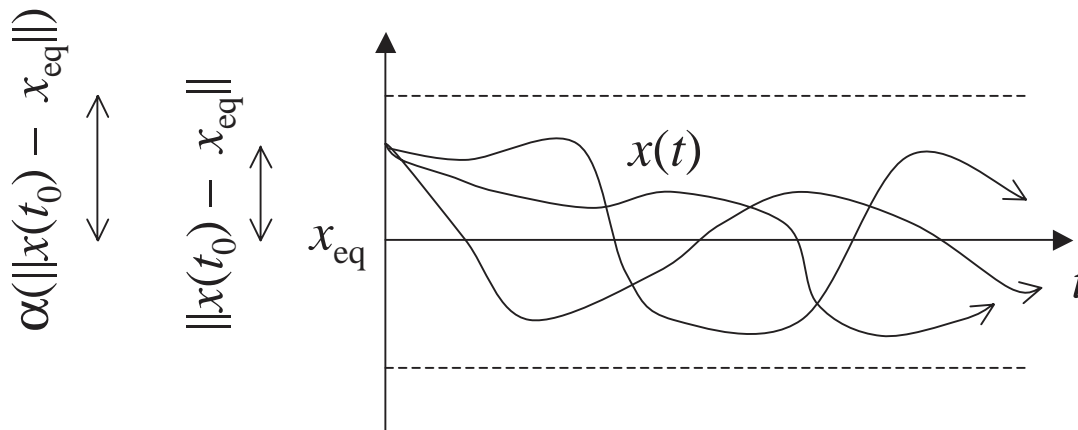
Definition (class \mathcal{K} function definition):

The equilibrium point x_{eq} is (**globally Lyapunov**) **stable** if $\exists \alpha \in \mathcal{K}$:

$$\|x(t) - x_{\text{eq}}\| \leq \alpha(\|x(t_0) - x_{\text{eq}}\|) \quad \forall t \geq t_0 \geq 0$$

along any solution $(\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$ to the switched system

α is independent
of $x(t_0)$ and σ



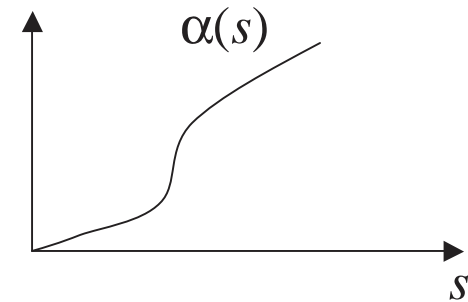
Asymptotic stability of switched systems

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

equilibrium point $\equiv x_{\text{eq}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ for which $f_q(x_{\text{eq}}) = 0 \ \forall \ q \in \mathcal{Q}$

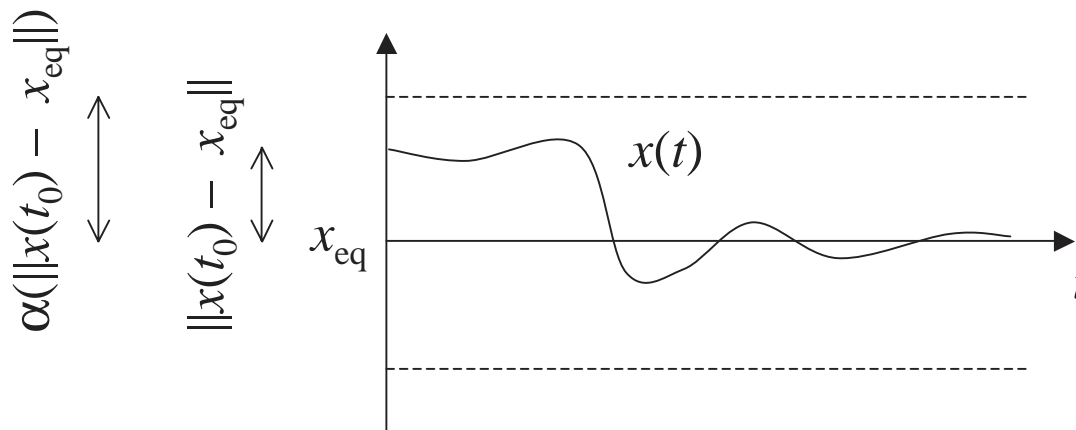
class $\mathcal{K} \equiv$ set of functions $\alpha : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ that are

1. continuous
2. strictly increasing
3. $\alpha(0)=0$



Definition:

The equilibrium point $x_{\text{eq}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is *(globally) asymptotically stable* if it is Lyapunov stable and for every solution that exists on $[0, \infty)$

$$x(t) \rightarrow x_{\text{eq}} \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty.$$


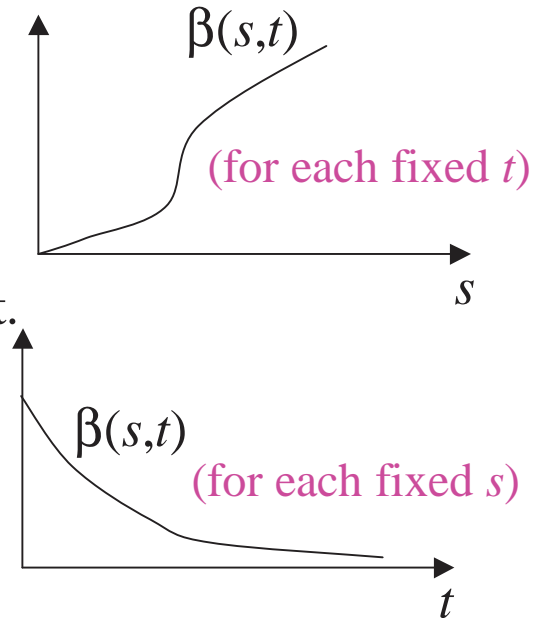
Uniform asymptotic stability of switched systems

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

equilibrium point $\equiv x_{\text{eq}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ for which $f(x_{\text{eq}}) = 0$

class $\mathcal{KL} \equiv$ set of functions $\beta : [0, \infty) \times [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ s.t.

1. for each fixed t , $\beta(\cdot, t) \in \mathcal{K}$
2. for each fixed s , $\beta(s, \cdot)$ is monotone decreasing and $\beta(s, t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$



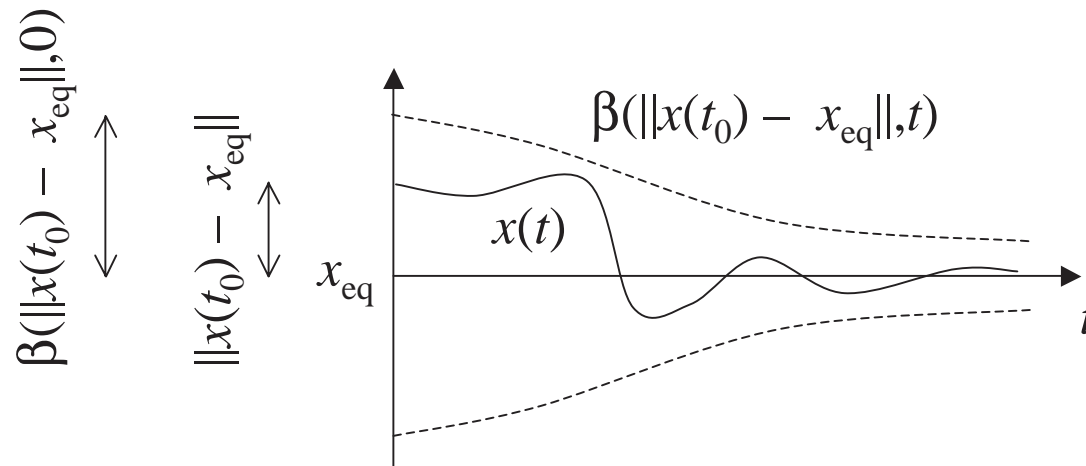
Definition (class \mathcal{KL} function definition):

The equilibrium point $x_{\text{eq}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is **uniformly asymptotically stable** if $\exists \beta \in \mathcal{KL}$:

$$\|x(t) - x_{\text{eq}}\| \leq \beta(\|x(t_0) - x_{\text{eq}}\|, t - t_0) \quad \forall t \geq t_0 \geq 0$$

along any solution $(\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$ to the switched system

β is independent
of $x(t_0)$ and σ



We have **exponential stability**
when

$$\beta(s, t) = c e^{-\lambda t s}$$

with $c, \lambda > 0$

Three notions of stability

Definition (class \mathcal{K} function definition):

The equilibrium point x_{eq} is *stable* if $\exists \alpha \in \mathcal{K}$:

$$\|x(t) - x_{\text{eq}}\| \leq \alpha(\|x(t_0) - x_{\text{eq}}\|) \quad \forall t \geq t_0 \geq 0$$

along any solution $(x, \sigma) \in \mathcal{S}$ to the switched system

α is independent
of $x(t_0)$ and σ

Definition:

The equilibrium point $x_{\text{eq}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is *asymptotically stable* if
it is Lyapunov stable and for every solution that exists on $[0, \infty)$

$$x(t) \rightarrow x_{\text{eq}} \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty.$$

Definition (class \mathcal{KL} function definition):

The equilibrium point $x_{\text{eq}} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is *uniformly asymptotically stable* if $\exists \beta \in \mathcal{KL}$:

$$\|x(t) - x_{\text{eq}}\| \leq \beta(\|x(t_0) - x_{\text{eq}}\|, t - t_0) \quad \forall t \geq t_0 \geq 0$$

along any solution $(\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$ to the switched system

β is independent
of $x(t_0)$ and σ

exponential stability when $\beta(s, t) = c e^{-\lambda t} s$ with $c, \lambda > 0$

Example

$$\dot{x} = \sigma x$$

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, +1\}$

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, 0\}$

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, 0\}$
with infinitely many switches

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, 0\}$
with infinitely many switches and interval between consecutive
discontinuities bounded below by 1

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, 0\}$
with infinitely many switches and interval between consecutive
discontinuities below by 1 and above by 2

Example

$$\dot{x} = \sigma x$$

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, +1\}$
unstable

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, 0\}$
stable but not asympt.

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, 0\}$
with infinitely many switches
stable but not asympt.

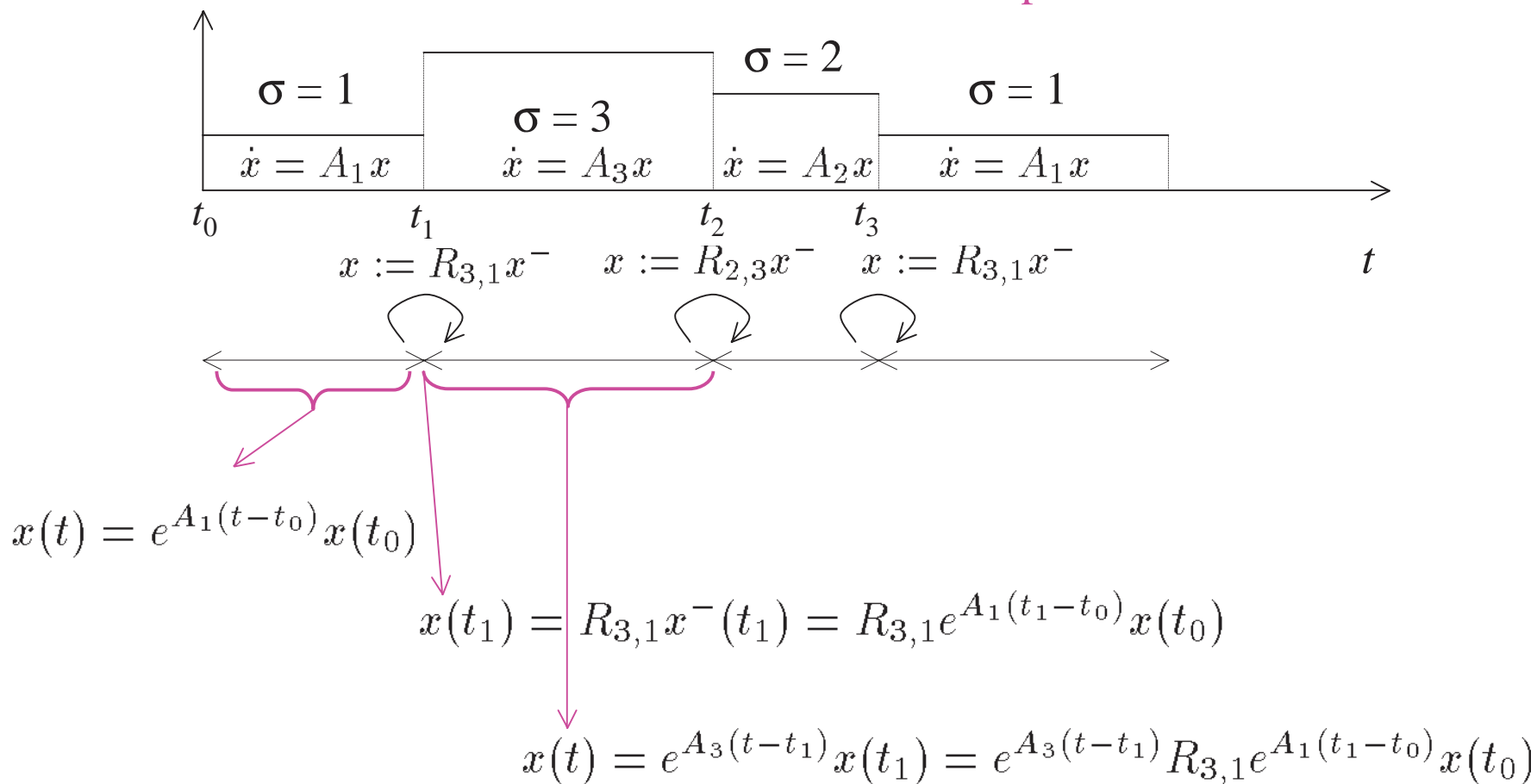
$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, 0\}$
with infinitely many switches and interval between consecutive
discontinuities bounded below by 1
asympt. stable

$\mathcal{S} \equiv$ set of piecewise constant switching signals taking values in $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, 0\}$
with infinitely many switches and interval between consecutive
discontinuities below by 1 and above by 2
uniformly asympt. stable

Linear switched systems

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x \quad x = R_{\sigma,\sigma^-} x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \quad A_q, R_{q,q'} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \quad q, q' \in \mathcal{Q}$$

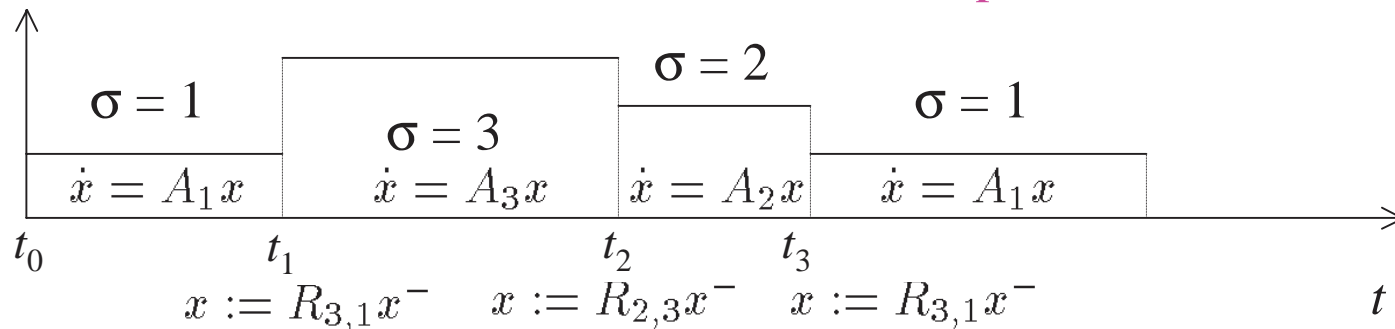
vector fields and reset maps linear on x



Linear switched systems

$$\dot{x} = A_{\sigma} x \quad x = R_{\sigma, \sigma^-} x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \quad A_q, R_{q, q'} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \quad q, q' \in \mathcal{Q}$$

vector fields and reset maps linear on x



$$x(t) = \Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau)x(\tau)$$

state-transition matrix for the switched system (σ -dependent)

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau) &:= e^{A_{\sigma(t_k)}(t-t_k)} R_{\sigma(t_k), \sigma(t_{k-1})} e^{A_{\sigma(t_{k-1})}(t_k-t_{k-1})} \dots \\ &\dots R_{\sigma(t_2), \sigma(t_1)} e^{A_{\sigma(\tau)}(t_1-\tau)} \quad t \geq \tau \end{aligned}$$

$t_1, t_2, t_3, \dots, t_k \equiv$ switching times of σ in the interval $[t, \tau]$

Linear switched systems

$$\dot{x} = A_{\sigma} x \quad x = R_{\sigma, \sigma^-} x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \quad A_q, R_{q, q'} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \quad q, q' \in \mathcal{Q}$$

$$x(t) = \Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau) x(\tau) \quad \text{state-transition matrix } (\sigma\text{-dependent})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau) := & e^{A_{\sigma(t_k)}(t-t_k)} R_{\sigma(t_k), \sigma(t_{k-1})} e^{A_{\sigma(t_{k-1})}(t_k-t_{k-1})} \dots \\ & \dots R_{\sigma(t_1), \sigma(\tau)} e^{A_{\sigma(\tau)}(t_1-\tau)} \quad t \geq \tau \end{aligned}$$

$t_1, t_2, t_3, \dots, t_k \equiv$ switching times of σ in the interval $[t, \tau]$

Analogous to what happens for (unswitched) linear systems:

1. $\Phi_{\sigma}(\tau, \tau) = I \quad \forall \tau$
2. $\Phi_{\sigma}(t, s) \Phi_{\sigma}(s, \tau) = \Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau) \quad \forall t \geq s \geq \tau$ (semi-group property)
3. if t is not a switching time, $\Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau)$ is differentiable at t and

$$\frac{d}{dt} \Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau) = A_{\sigma(t)} \Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau)$$

4. if t is a switching time,

$$\Phi_{\sigma}(t, \tau) = R_{\sigma(t), \sigma^-(t)} \Phi_{\sigma^-}(t, \tau)$$

for a given σ ,
 Φ_{σ} is a
 “solution” to
 the switched
 system with
 resets

but now Φ_{σ} may not be nonsingular (will be singular if one of the $R_{q, q'}$ are)

Uniform vs. exponential stability

$$\dot{x} = A_{\sigma} x \quad x = R_{\sigma, \sigma^-} x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \quad A_q, R_{q, q'} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \quad q, q' \in Q$$

state-independent switching $\equiv \mathcal{S}$ is such that

$$(\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \Rightarrow (\sigma, z) \in \mathcal{S}$$

for any other piecewise continuous z

only σ determines whether or not
 (σ, x) is admissible

Theorem:

For switched linear systems with state-independent switching, uniform asymptotic stability implies exponential stability (two notions are equivalent)

Outline

1. Examples of hybrid systems

- Bouncing ball
- Thermostat
- Transmission
- Multiple-tank
- Supervisory control

2. Formal models for hybrid systems

3. Switched systems

- Motivation
- Linear switched systems
- Lyapunov stability, asymptotic stability, exponential stability

4. Stability of switched systems under arbitrary switching

- Instability caused by switching
- Common Lyapunov function
- Converse results
- Algebraic conditions

5. Controller realizations for stable switching

6. Stability under state-dependent switching

- State-dependent common Lyapunov function
- Multiple Lyapunov functions
- LaSalle's invariance principle

Stability under arbitrary switching

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = \rho(\sigma, \sigma^-, x^-) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

$\mathcal{S}_{\text{all}} \equiv$ set of all pairs (σ, x) with σ
piecewise constant and x piecewise
continuous

$$\rho(p, q, x) = x \quad \forall p, q \in \mathcal{Q}, x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

no resets

any switching
signal is admissible

If one of the vector fields f_q , $q \in \mathcal{Q}$ is unstable then the switched system is unstable

Why?

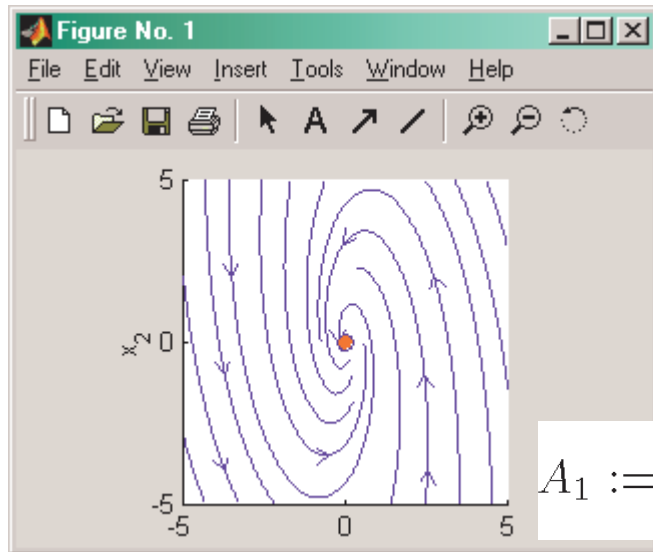
1. because the switching signals $\sigma(t) = q \quad \forall t$ is admissible
2. for this σ we cannot find $\alpha \in \mathcal{K}$ such that

$$\|x(t) - x_{\text{eq}}\| \leq \alpha(\|x(t_0) - x_{\text{eq}}\|) \quad \forall t \geq t_0 \geq 0, \|x(t_0) - x_{\text{eq}}\| \leq c$$

(must hold for all σ)

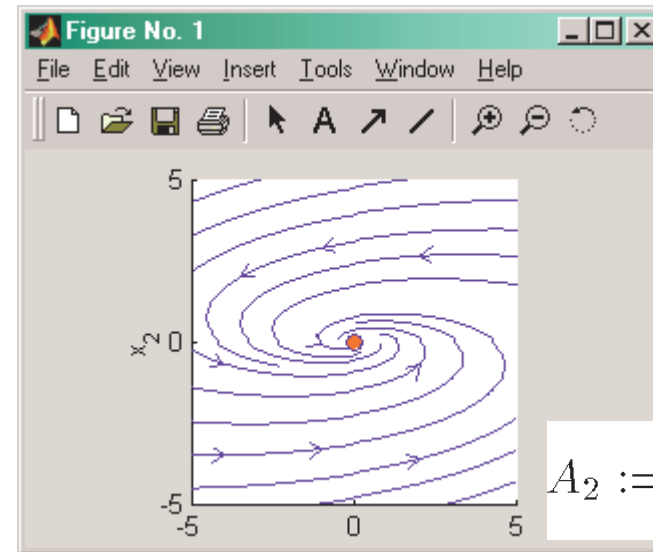
But even if all f_q , $q \in \mathcal{Q}$ are stable the switched system may still be unstable ...

Stability under arbitrary switching



$$A_1 := \begin{bmatrix} -.5 & -.4 \\ 3 & -.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\dot{x} = A_1 z$ asympot. stable

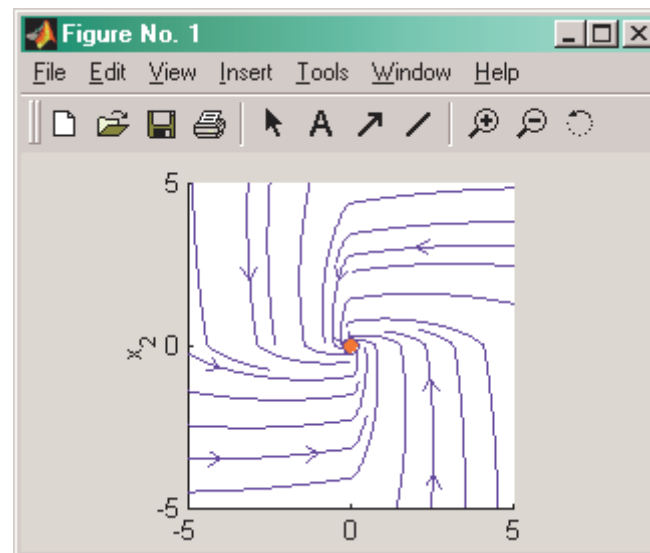


$$A_2 := \begin{bmatrix} -.5 & -3 \\ .4 & -.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\dot{x} = A_2 z$ asympot. stable

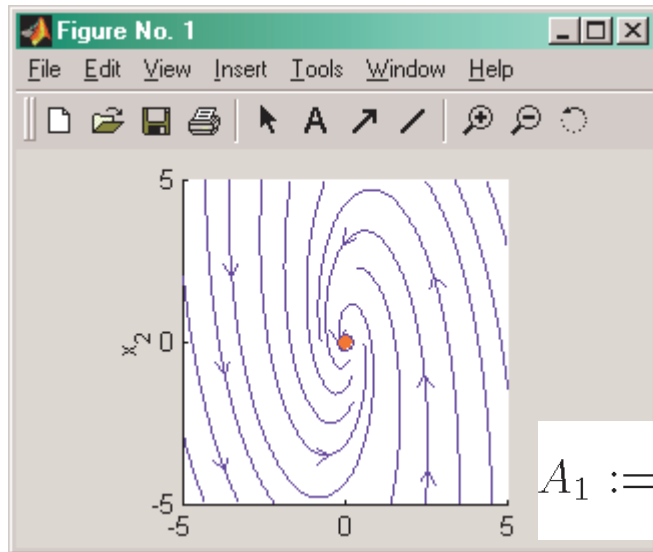
$$\sigma(t) := \begin{cases} 1 & x_1 x_2 \leq 0 \\ 2 & x_1 x_2 > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x$$



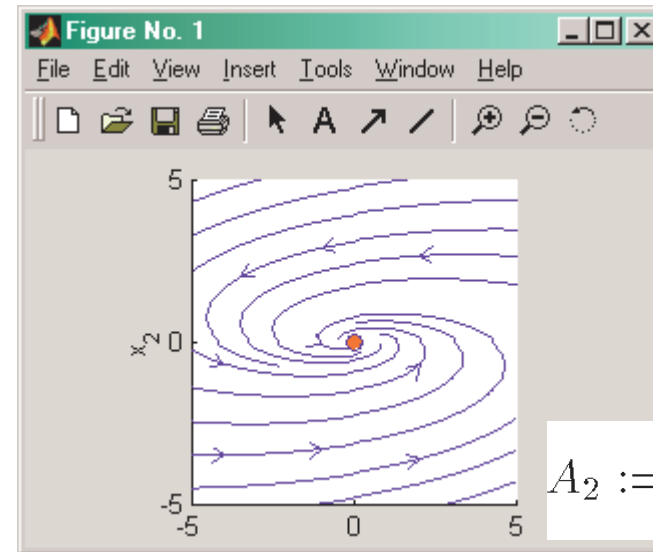
unstable.m

Stability under arbitrary switching



$$A_1 := \begin{bmatrix} -.5 & -.4 \\ 3 & -.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\dot{x} = A_1 z$ asympot. stable

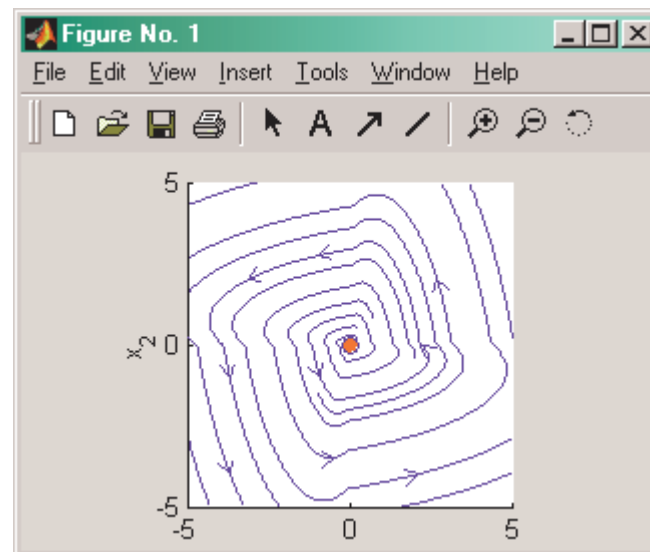


$$A_2 := \begin{bmatrix} -.5 & -3 \\ .4 & -.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\dot{x} = A_2 z$ asympot. stable

$$\sigma(t) := \begin{cases} 1 & x_1 x_2 \geq 0 \\ 2 & x_1 x_2 < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x$$



for some admissible switching signals the trajectories grow to infinity \Rightarrow switched system is unstable

unstable.m

Common Lyapunov function

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}_{\text{all}}$$

Theorem:

Suppose there exists a continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq -W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{R}^n, q \in \mathcal{Q}$$

Then

1. the equilibrium point x_{eq} is Lyapunov stable
2. if $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then x_{eq} is (glob) uniformly asymptotically stable.

The same V could be used to prove stability for all the unswitched systems

$$\dot{x} = f_q(x)$$

Common Lyapunov function

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}_{\text{all}}$$

Theorem:

Suppose there exists a continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{R}^n, q \in \mathcal{Q}$$

Then

1. the equilibrium point x_{eq} is Lyapunov stable
2. if $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then x_{eq} is (glob) uniformly asymptotically stable.

Why? (for simplicity consider $x_{\text{eq}} = 0$)

1st Take an arbitrary solution (σ, x) and define $v(t) := V(x(t)) \forall t \geq 0$

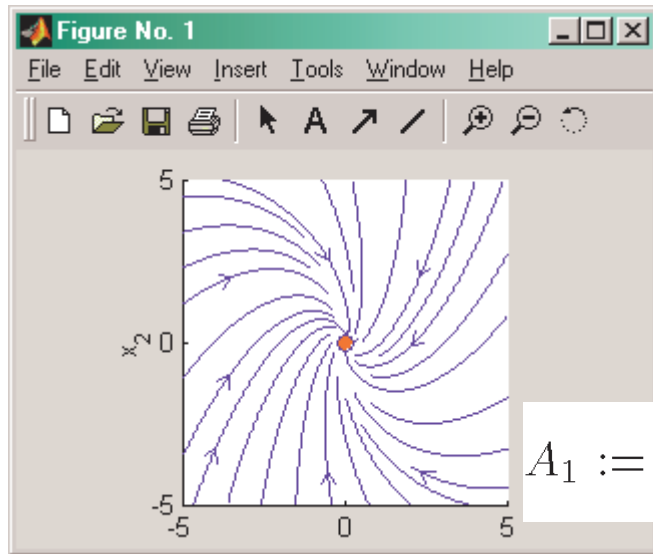
$$\dot{v} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(x) \dot{x} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(x) f_{\sigma}(x) \leq W(x(t)) \leq 0$$

2nd Therefore

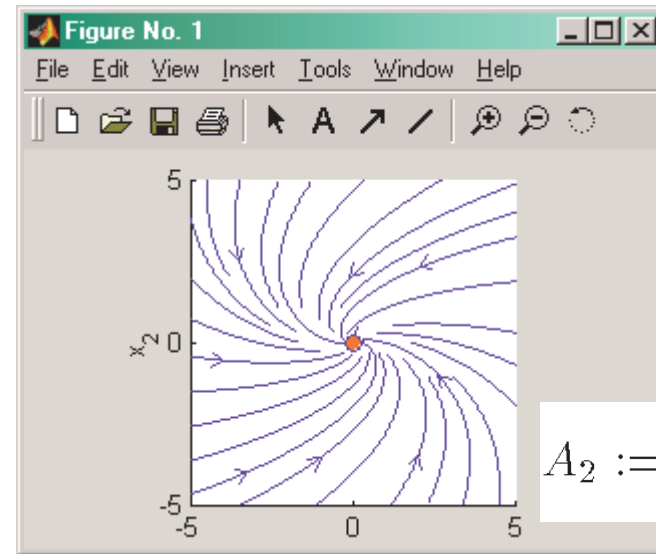
$$v(t) := V(x(t)) \leq v(0) := V(x(0)) \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

$V(x(t))$ is always bounded...

Example



$$A_1 := \begin{bmatrix} -1 & .25 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$A_2 := \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ .25 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x$$

Defining $V(x_1, x_2) := x_1^2 + x_2^2$

common Lyapunov function

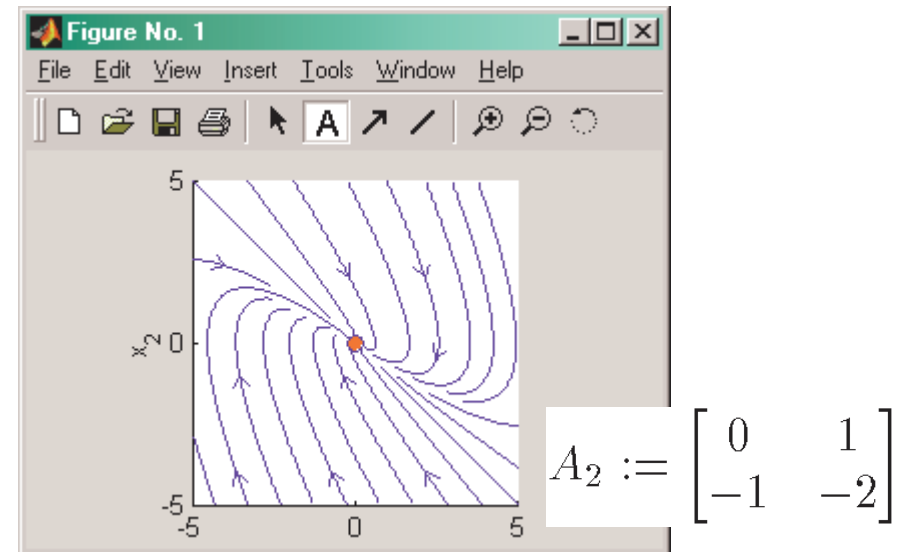
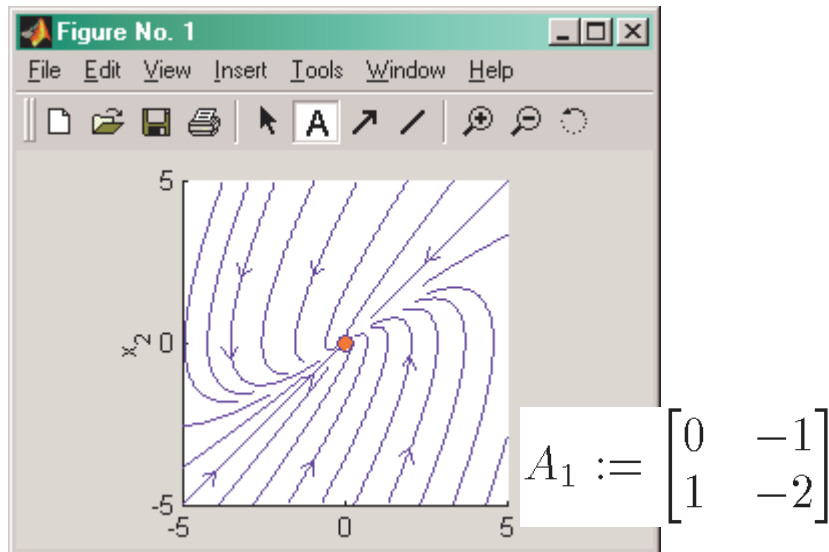
$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} A_1 x = -x_1^2 - 1.4375x_2^2 - (x_1 + .75x_2)^2 < 0$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} A_2 x = -x_1^2 - 1.4375x_2^2 - (x_1 + .75x_2)^2 < 0$$

uniform asymptotic stability

stable.m

Example



$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x$$

Defining $V(x_1, x_2) := x_1^2 + x_2^2$

common Lyapunov function

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} A_1 x = -4x_2^2 \leq 0$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} A_2 x = -4x_2^2 \leq 0$$

*stability (not asymptotic)
(problems, e.g., close to the $x_2=0$ axis)*

stable.m

Converse result

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}_{\text{all}}$$

Theorem:

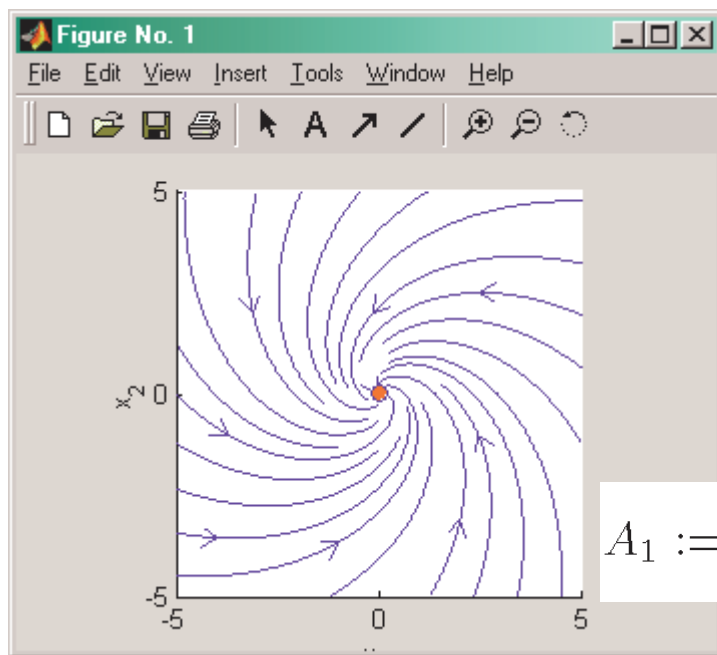
Assume \mathcal{Q} is finite. The switched system is uniformly asymptotically stable (on \mathcal{S}_{all}) **if and only if** there exists a common Lyapunov function, i.e., continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) < 0 \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}, q \in \mathcal{Q}$$

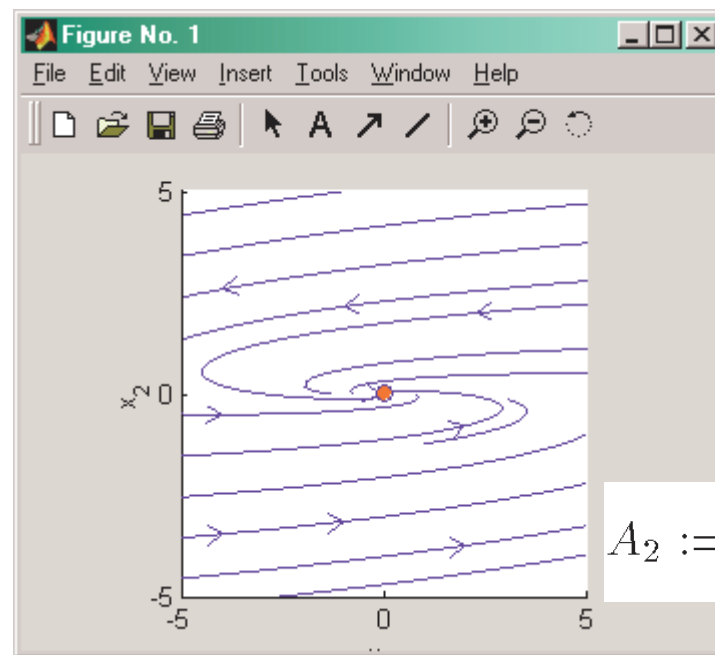
Note that...

1. This result generalized for infinite \mathcal{Q} but one needs extra technical assumptions
2. The sufficiency was already established. It turns out that the existence of a common Lyapunov function is also necessary.
3. Finding a common Lyapunov function may be difficult.
E.g., even for linear systems V may not be quadratic

Example



$$A_1 := \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$A_2 := \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x$$

The switched system is uniformly exponentially stable for arbitrary switching but there is no common quadratic Lyapunov function

Algebraic conditions for stability under arbitrary switching

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}_{\text{all}} \quad \text{linear switched system}$$

Theorem: If \mathcal{Q} is finite all $A_q, q \in \mathcal{Q}$ are asymptotically stable and

$$A_p A_q = A_q A_p \quad \forall p, q \in \mathcal{Q}$$

then the switched system is uniformly (exponentially) asymptotically stable

Theorem: If all the matrices $A_q, q \in \mathcal{Q}$ are asymptotically stable and upper triangular or all lower triangular then the switched system is uniformly (exponentially) asymptotically stable

(there exists a common Lyapunov function $V(x) = x' P x$ with P diagonal)

Theorem: If there is a nonsingular matrix $T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ such that all the matrices

$$B_q = T A_q T^{-1} \quad (T^{-1} B_q T = A_q) \quad \text{common similarity transformation}$$

are upper triangular or all lower triangular then the switched system is uniformly (exponentially) asymptotically stable

Lie Theorem actually provides the necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of such $T \equiv$ Lie algebra generated by the matrices must be solvable

Outline

1. Examples of hybrid systems

- Bouncing ball
- Thermostat
- Transmission
- Multiple-tank
- Supervisory control

2. Formal models for hybrid systems

3. Switched systems

- Motivation
- Linear switched systems
- Lyapunov stability, asymptotic stability, exponential stability

4. Stability of switched systems under arbitrary switching

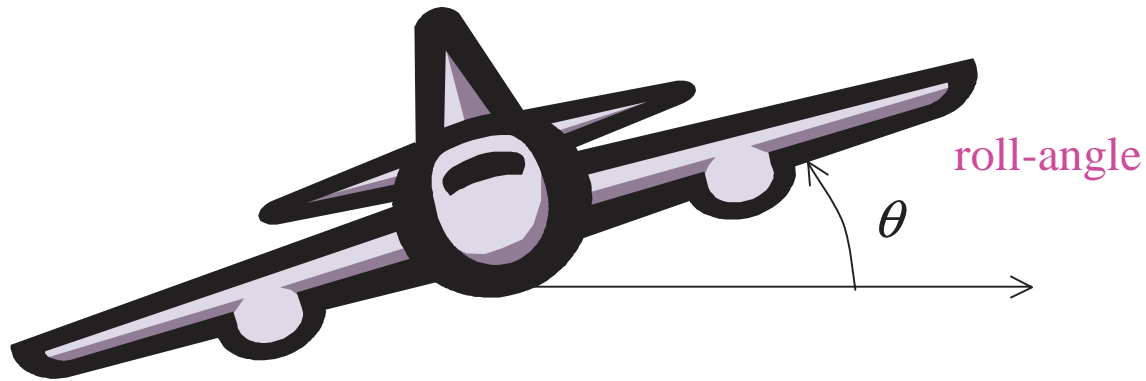
- Instability caused by switching
- Common Lyapunov function
- Converse results
- Algebraic conditions

5. Controller realizations for stable switching

6. Stability under state-dependent switching

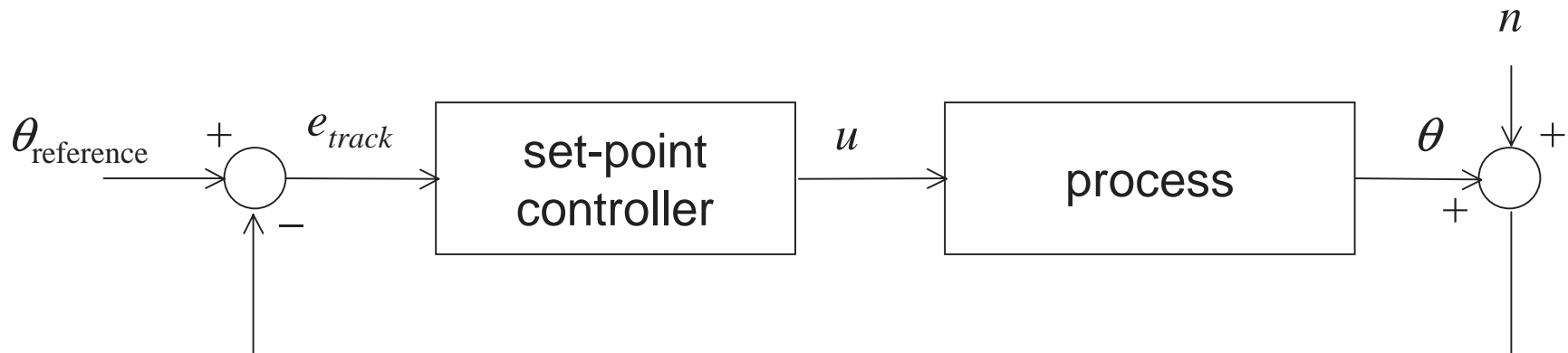
- State-dependent common Lyapunov function
- Multiple Lyapunov functions
- LaSalle's invariance principle

Example #11: Roll-angle control



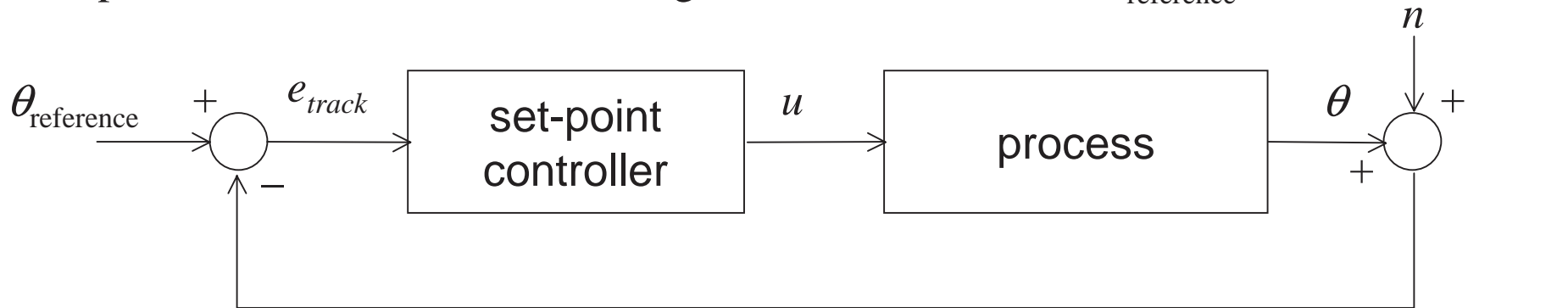
$$\ddot{\theta} + 50.875\dot{\theta} + 43.75\theta = -1000u$$

set-point control \equiv drive the roll angle θ to a desired value $\theta_{\text{reference}}$



Example #11: Roll-angle control

set-point control \equiv drive the roll angle θ to a desired value $\theta_{\text{reference}}$



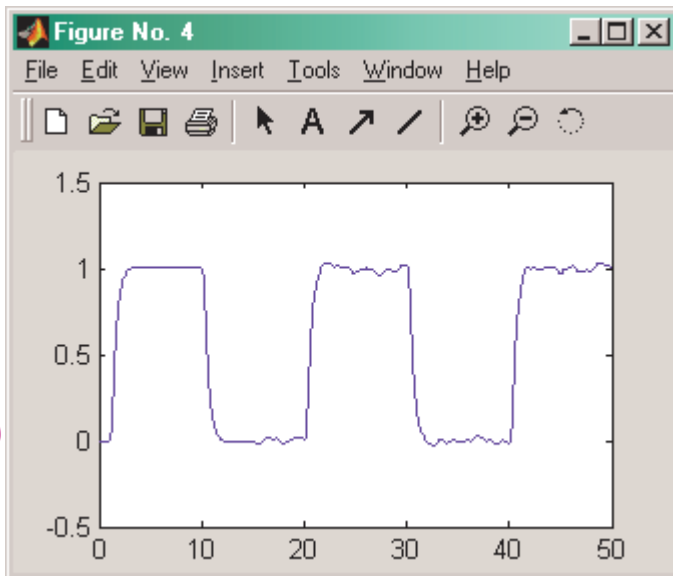
controller 1

$$\ddot{u} + 63\ddot{u} + 751\dot{u} + 4471u = 6.7\ddot{e} + 340\dot{e} + 316e$$

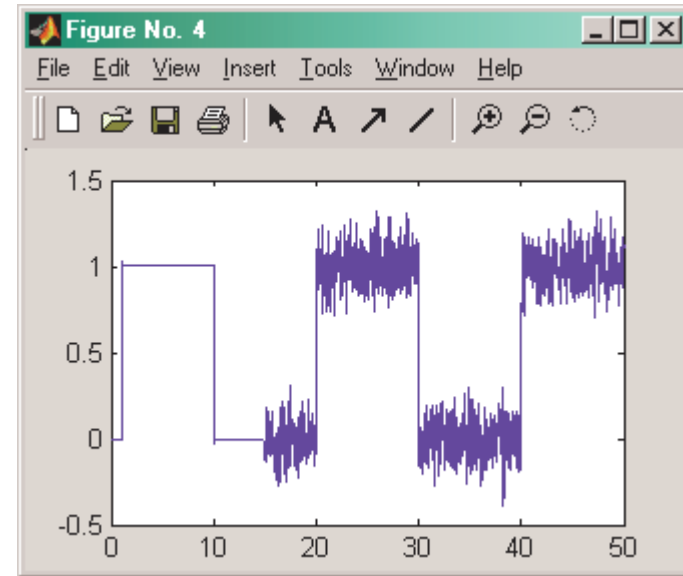
controller 2

$$\ddot{u} + 974\ddot{u} + 4.7 \times 10^5 \dot{u} + 1.2 \times 10^8 u = 10^6 (48\ddot{e} + 322\dot{e} + 316e)$$

slow but
not very
sensitive
to noise
(low-gain)

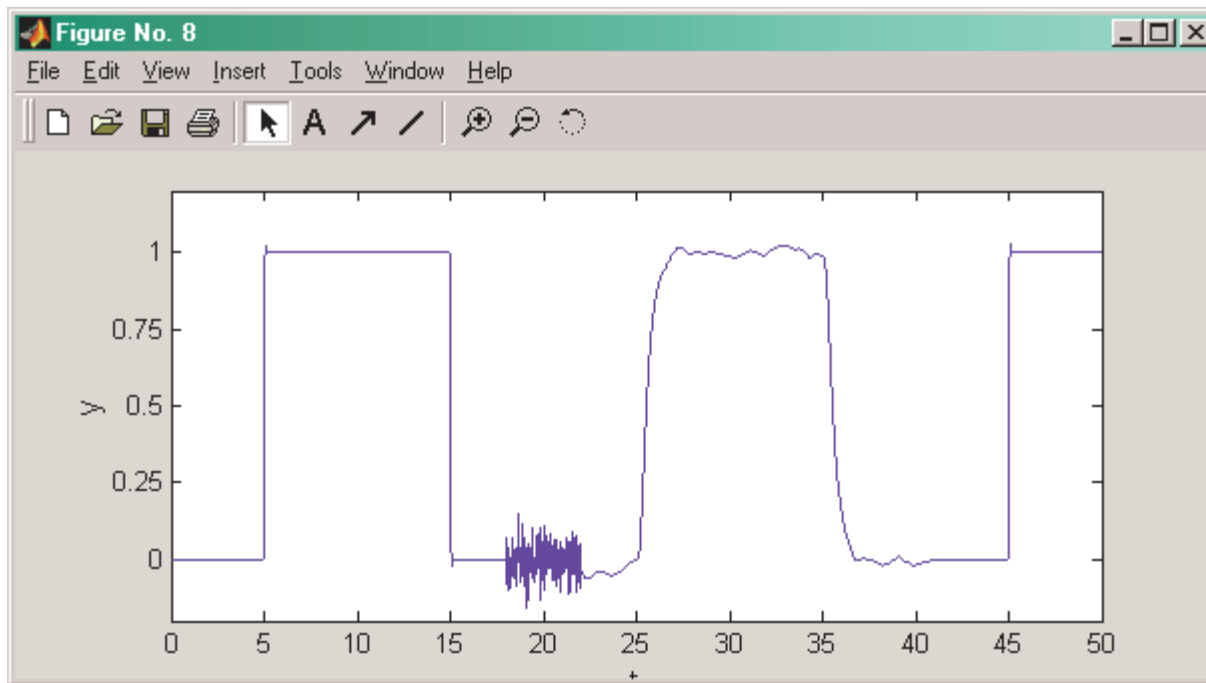
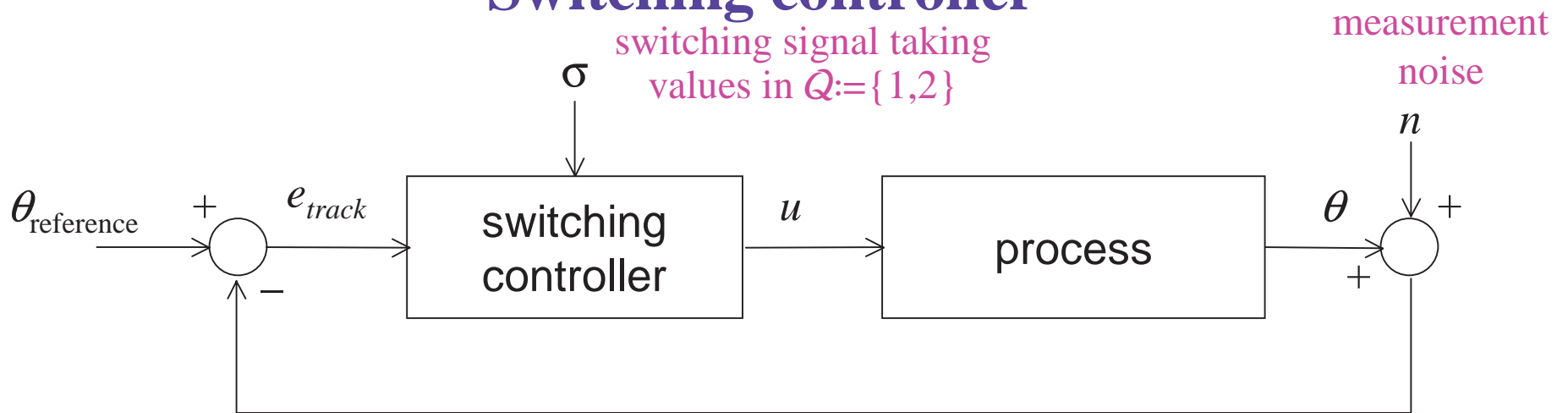


fast but
very
sensitive to
noise
(high-gain)



Switching controller

switching signal taking
values in $Q:=\{1,2\}$



$\sigma = 2$ $\sigma = 1$ $\sigma = 2$

*How to build the
switching controller
to avoid instability ?*

Switching controller

controller 1

$$\ddot{u} + 63\ddot{u} + 751\dot{u} + 4471u \\ = 6.7\ddot{e} + 340\dot{e} + 316e$$

realization: $\dot{z} = F_1 z + g_1 e$
 $u = h_1 z$

$$F_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -63 & -23 & -17 \\ 32 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad g_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$h_1 = [1.7 \quad 2.7 \quad .31]$$

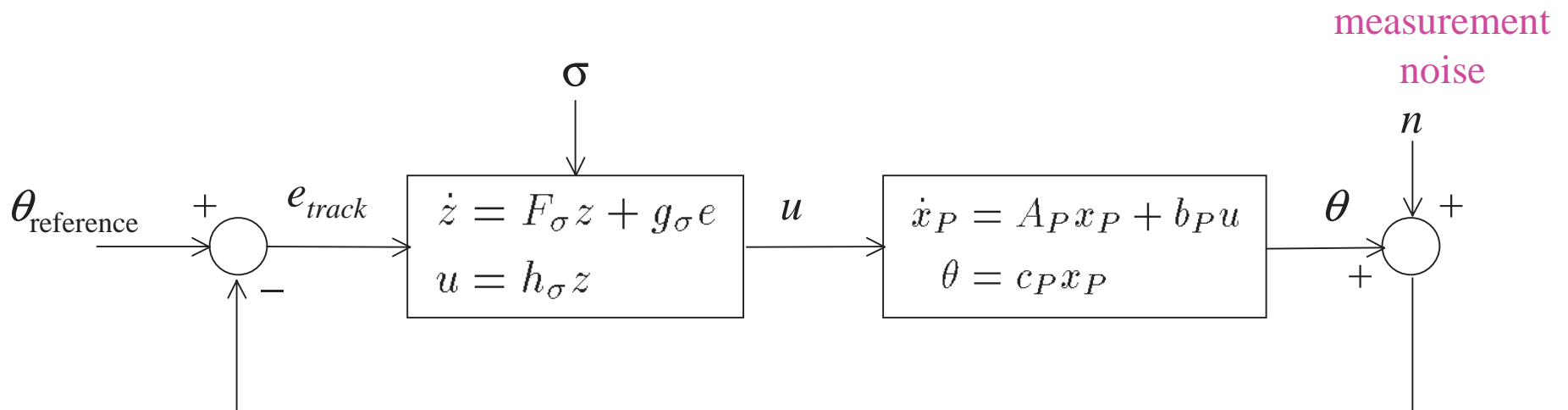
controller 2

$$\ddot{u} + 974\ddot{u} + 4.7 \times 10^5 \dot{u} + 1.2 \times 10^8 u \\ = 10^6(48\ddot{e} + 322\dot{e} + 316e)$$

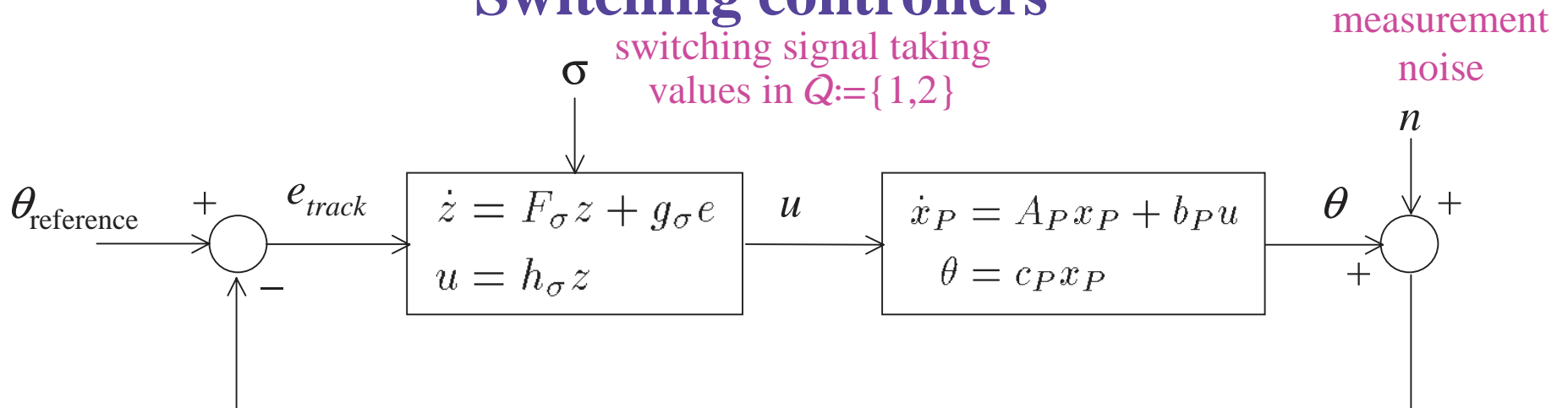
realization: $\dot{z} = F_2 z + g_2 e$
 $u = h_2 z$

$$F_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -974 & -459 & -229 \\ 1024 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 512 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad g_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 8192 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$h_2 = [5859 \quad 38 \quad 0.074]$$



Switching controllers



overall system:

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_P \\ \dot{z} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_P & b_P h_\sigma \\ -g_\sigma c_P & F_\sigma \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_P \\ z \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ g_\sigma \end{bmatrix} (\theta_{\text{ref}} - n)}_{\dot{x} = A_\sigma x + b_\sigma (\theta_{\text{ref}} - n)} \quad A_q := \begin{bmatrix} A_P & b_P h_q \\ -g_q c_P & F_q \end{bmatrix} \quad q \in \mathcal{Q} := \{1, 2\}$$

Theorem:

For every family of input-output controller models, there always exist a family a controller realizations such that the switched closed-loop systems is exponentially stable for arbitrary switching.

One can actually show that there exists a common quadratic Lyapunov function for the closed-loop.

In general the realizations are not minimal

Outline

1. Examples of hybrid systems

- Bouncing ball
- Thermostat
- Transmission
- Multiple-tank
- Supervisory control

2. Formal models for hybrid systems

3. Switched systems

- Motivation
- Linear switched systems
- Lyapunov stability, asymptotic stability, exponential stability

4. Stability of switched systems under arbitrary switching

- Instability caused by switching
- Common Lyapunov function
- Converse results
- Algebraic conditions

5. Controller realizations for stable switching

6. Stability under state-dependent switching

- State-dependent common Lyapunov function
- Multiple Lyapunov functions
- LaSalle's invariance principle

Current-state dependent switching

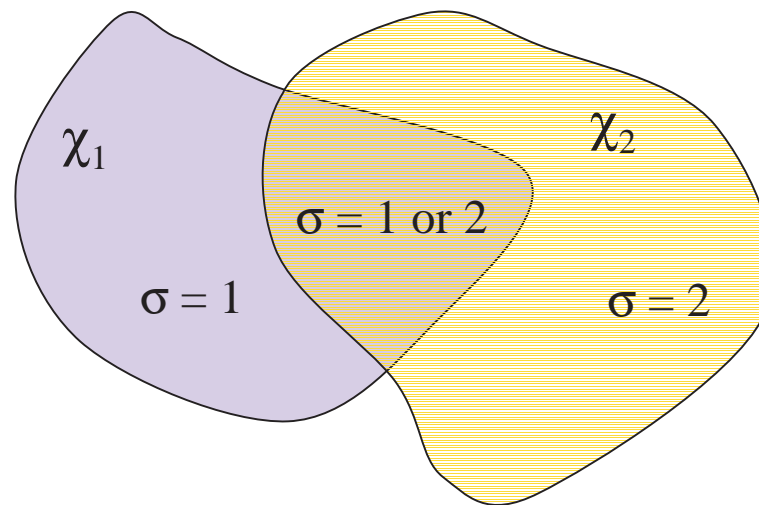
$$* \quad \dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

no resets

$\chi := \{\chi_q \in \mathbb{R}^n : q \in Q\} \equiv$ (not necessarily disjoint) covering of \mathbb{R}^n , i.e., $\bigcup_{q \in Q} \chi_q = \mathbb{R}^n$

Current-state dependent switching

$\mathcal{S}[\chi] \equiv$ set of all pairs (σ, x) with σ piecewise constant and x piecewise continuous such that $\forall t, \sigma(t) = q$ is allowed only if $x(t) \in \chi_q$



Thus $(\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}[\chi]$ if and only if $x(t) \in \chi_{\sigma(t)} \forall t$

Common Lyapunov function for arbitrary switching

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}_{\text{all}}$$

Theorem:

Suppose there exists a continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

Then for **arbitrary switching** \mathcal{S}_{all}

1. the equilibrium point x_{eq} is Lyapunov stable
2. if $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then x_{eq} is (glob) uniformly asymptotically stable.

Why? (for simplicity consider $x_{\text{eq}} = 0$)

1st Take an arbitrary solution (σ, x) and define $v(t) := V(x(t)) \forall t \geq 0$

$$\dot{v} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(x) \dot{x} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(x) f_{\sigma}(x) \leq W(x(t)) \leq 0$$

2nd Therefore

$$v(t) := V(x(t)) \leq v(0) := V(x(0)) \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

$V(x(t))$ is always bounded...

Common Lyapunov function for current-state dep. switching

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}[\chi]$$

Theorem:

Suppose there exists a continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \chi_q$$

Then for **current-state dependent switching** $\mathcal{S}[\chi]$

1. the equilibrium point x_{eq} is Lyapunov stable
2. if $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then x_{eq} is (glob) uniformly asymptotically stable.

Why? (for simplicity consider $x_{\text{eq}} = 0$)

1st Take an arbitrary solution (σ, x) and define $v(t) := V(x(t)) \forall t \geq 0$

$$\dot{v} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(x) \dot{x} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(x) f_{\sigma}(x) \leq W(x(t)) \leq 0$$

still holds because
 $x(t) \in \chi_{\sigma(t)}$

2nd Therefore

$$v(t) := V(x(t)) \leq v(0) := V(x(0)) \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

Same conclusions as before ...

Common Lyapunov function for current-state dep. switching

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}[\chi]$$

Theorem:

Suppose there exists a continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \chi_q$$

Then for **current-state dependent switching** $\mathcal{S}[\chi]$

1. the equilibrium point x_{eq} is Lyapunov stable
2. if $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then x_{eq} is (glob) uniformly asymptotically stable.

Note that:

- Same conclusion would hold for any subset of $\mathcal{S}[\chi]$
- Some (or all) the unswitched systems may not be stable
$$\dot{x} = f_q(x)$$
- This theorem does not guarantee existence of solutions (as opposed to the usual Lyapunov Theorem and the ones for state independent switching)...

Common Lyapunov function for current-state dep. switching

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}[\chi]$$

Theorem:

Suppose there exists a continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \chi_q$$

Then for **current-state dependent switching** $\mathcal{S}[\chi]$

1. the equilibrium point x_{eq} is Lyapunov stable
2. if $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then x_{eq} is (glob) uniformly asymptotically stable.

E.g., $\mathcal{Q} := \{-1, +1\}$, $\chi_{-1} := [0, \infty)$, $\chi_{+1} := (-\infty, 0)$

$$\dot{x} = \sigma = \begin{cases} -1 & x \geq 0 \\ +1 & x < 0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{aligned} f_{-1}(x) &:= -1 \\ f_{+1}(x) &:= +1 \end{aligned}$$

no solutions
exists

For $x_{\text{eq}} = 0$ is an equilibrium point and for $V(z) := z^2$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) = \begin{cases} -2z & q = -1, z \geq 0 \\ 2z & q = +1, z < 0 \end{cases} \leq 0$$

Multiple Lyapunov functions

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = \rho(\sigma, \sigma^-, x^-) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}[\chi]$$

$V_q : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $q \in \mathcal{Q} \equiv$ family of Lyapunov functions (cont. dif., pos. def., rad. unb.)

$$\frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \chi_q$$

Given a solution (σ, x) and defining $v(t) := V_{\sigma(t)}(x(t)) \forall t \geq 0$

1. On an interval $[\tau, t)$ where $\sigma = q$ (constant)

v decreases

$$\dot{v} = \frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(x) \dot{x} = \frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(x) f_{\sigma}(x) = \frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(x) f_q(x) \leq W(x(t)) \leq 0$$

2. But at a switching time t , where $\sigma^-(t) = p \neq \sigma(t) = q$,

$$v^-(t) = V_p(x^-(t)) \quad v(t) = V_q(x(t))$$

v may be discontinuous
(even without reset)

Multiple Lyapunov functions

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = \rho(\sigma, \sigma^-, x^-) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}[\chi]$$

$V_q : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $q \in \mathcal{Q} \equiv$ family of Lyapunov functions (cont. dif., pos. def., rad. unb.)

$$\frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \chi_q$$

Given a solution (σ, x) and defining $v(t) := V_{\sigma(t)}(x(t)) \forall t \geq 0$

1. On an interval $[\tau, t)$ where $\sigma = q$ (constant)

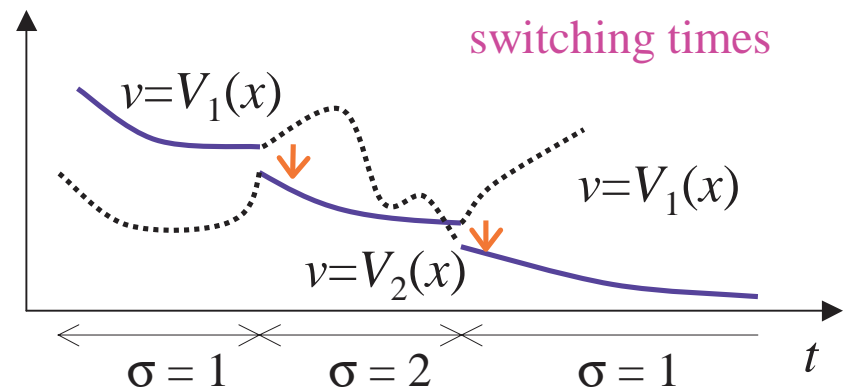
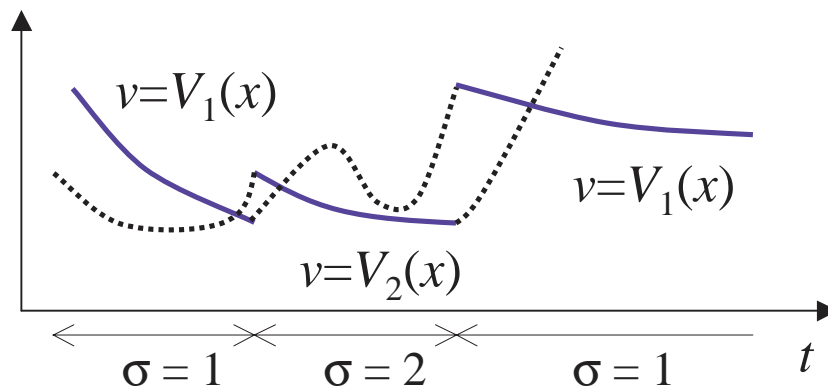
$$\dot{v} = \frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(x) \dot{x} = \frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(x) f_{\sigma}(x) = \frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(x) f_q(x) \leq W(x(t)) \leq 0$$

v decreases

2. But at a switching time t , where $\sigma^-(t) = p \neq \sigma(t) = q$,

$$v^-(t) = V_p(x^-(t)) \quad v(t) = V_q(x(t))$$

we would be okay if v
would not increase at
switching times



Multiple Lyapunov functions

$$\dot{x} = f_{\sigma}(x) \quad x = \rho(\sigma, \sigma^-, x^-) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}[\chi]$$

Theorem: (\mathcal{Q} finite)

Suppose there exists a family of continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded functions $V_q: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $q \in \mathcal{Q}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \chi_q$$

and at any $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$ where a switching signal in \mathcal{S} can jump from p to q

$$V_p(z) \geq V_q(\rho(q, p, z))$$

Then

1. the equilibrium point x_{eq} is Lyapunov stable
2. if $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then x_{eq} is (glob) uniformly asymptotically stable.

Why? (for simplicity consider $x_{\text{eq}} = 0$)

1st Take an arbitrary solution (σ, x) and define $v(t) := V_{\sigma}(x(t)) \forall t \geq 0$

while σ is constant: $\dot{v} = \frac{\partial V_{\sigma}}{\partial x}(x) \dot{x} = \frac{\partial V_{\sigma}}{\partial x}(x) f_{\sigma}(x) \leq W(x(t)) \leq 0$

and, at points of discontinuity of σ : $v^-(t) \geq v(t)$ does not increase

from now on same as before ...

Multiple Lyapunov functions

$$\dot{x} = f_\sigma(x) \quad x = \rho(\sigma, \sigma^-, x^-) \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}[\chi]$$

Theorem: (\mathcal{Q} finite)

Suppose there exists a family of continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded functions $V_q: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $q \in \mathcal{Q}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V_q}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f_q(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \chi_q$$

and at any $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$ where a switching signal in \mathcal{S} can jump from p to q

$$V_p(z) \geq V_q(\rho(q, p, z))$$

Then

1. the equilibrium point x_{eq} is Lyapunov stable
2. if $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then x_{eq} is (glob) uniformly asymptotically stable.

The V_q 's need not be positive definite and radially unbounded “everywhere”

It is enough that $\exists \alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathcal{K}_\infty: \alpha_1(\|z\|) \leq V_q(z) \leq \alpha_2(\|z\|) \quad \forall q \in \mathcal{Q}, z \in \chi_q$

LaSalle's Invariance Principle (ODE)

$$\dot{x} = f(x) \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$M \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is an invariant set $\equiv x(t_0) \in M \Rightarrow x(t) \in M \forall t \geq t_0$

Theorem (LaSalle Invariance Principle):

Suppose there exists a continuously differentiable, positive definite, radially unbounded function $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x}(z - x_{\text{eq}}) f(z) \leq W(z) \leq 0 \quad \forall z \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

Then x_{eq} is a Lyapunov stable equilibrium and the solution always exists globally.

Moreover, $x(t)$ converges to the largest invariant set M contained in

$$E := \{ z \in \mathbb{R}^n : W(z) = 0 \}$$

Note that:

1. When $W(z) = 0$ only for $z = x_{\text{eq}}$ then $E = \{x_{\text{eq}}\}$.
Since $M \subset E$, $M = \{x_{\text{eq}}\}$ and therefore $x(t) \rightarrow x_{\text{eq}} \Rightarrow$ asympt. stability
2. Even when E is larger than $\{x_{\text{eq}}\}$ we often have $M = \{x_{\text{eq}}\}$ and can conclude asymptotic stability.

LaSalle's Invariance Principle (linear system)

$$\dot{x} = Ax \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$M \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ is an invariant set if $x(0) \in M \Rightarrow x(t) \in M \forall t \geq 0$

Theorem (LaSalle Invariance Principle—linear system, quadratic V):
Suppose there exists a positive definite matrix P

$$A'P + PA \leq -Q \leq 0$$

Then the system is stable.

Moreover, $x(t)$ converges to the largest invariant set M contained in

$$E := \{ z \in \mathbb{R}^n : Qz = 0 \}$$

Note that:

1. Since $Q \geq 0$ we can always write $Q = C'C \dots$

LaSalle's Invariance Principle (linear system)

$$\dot{x} = Ax \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$M \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ is an invariant set if $x(0) \in M \Rightarrow x(t) \in M \forall t \geq 0$

Theorem (LaSalle Invariance Principle—linear system, quadratic V):

Suppose there exists a positive definite matrix P

$$A'P + PA \leq -C'C \leq 0$$

Then the system is stable.

Moreover, $x(t)$ converges to the largest invariant set M contained in

$$E := \{ z \in \mathbb{R}^n : C'z = 0 \}$$

Why? show that $C'Cz = 0 \Rightarrow Cz = 0$

Note that:

2. When $Q > 0$ then $E = \{0\}$.

Since $M \subset E$, $M = \{0\}$ and therefore $x(t) \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow$ asympt. stability

3. Even when E is larger than $\{0\}$ we often have $M = \{0\}$ and can conclude asymptotic stability.

When does this happen ?

Asymptotic stability from LaSalle's IP

$$\dot{x} = Ax \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$M \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ is an invariant set if $x(0) \in M \Rightarrow x(t) \in M \forall t \geq 0$

$M \equiv$ largest invariant set contained in $E := \{ z \in \mathbb{R}^n : C z = 0 \}$

$x_0 \in M$ if and only if $x(t) := e^{A t} x_0 \in M \subset E \quad \forall t \geq 0$

$$M := \left\{ z \in \mathbb{R}^n : \begin{bmatrix} C \\ C A \\ C A^2 \\ \vdots \\ C A^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} z = 0 \right\}$$

(check that this is indeed an invariant set ...)

LaSalle's Invariance Principle (linear system)

$$\dot{x} = Ax \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$M \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ is an invariant set if $x(0) \in M \Rightarrow x(t) \in M \forall t \geq 0$

Theorem (LaSalle Invariance Principle—linear system, quadratic V):

Suppose there exists a positive definite matrix P

$$A'P + PA \leq -C'C \leq 0$$

Then the system is stable. Moreover, $x(t)$ converges to

$$M := \{z \in \mathbb{R}^n : Oz = 0\} \quad O := \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ CA^2 \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

observability matrix
of the pair (C,A)

*When O is nonsingular, we have asymptotic stability
(pair (C,A) is observable)*

Back to switched linear systems...

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x \quad x = R_{\sigma, \sigma^-} x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

Theorem: (Q finite)

Suppose there exist positive definite matrices $P_q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $q \in Q$ such that

$$A_q' P_q + P_q A_q \leq -C_q' C_q \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in Q$$

and at any $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$ where a switching signal in $\mathcal{S}[\chi]$ can jump from p to q

$$z' P_p z \geq z' R_{qp}' P_q R_{qp} z$$

Then the switched system is stable.

from general theorem

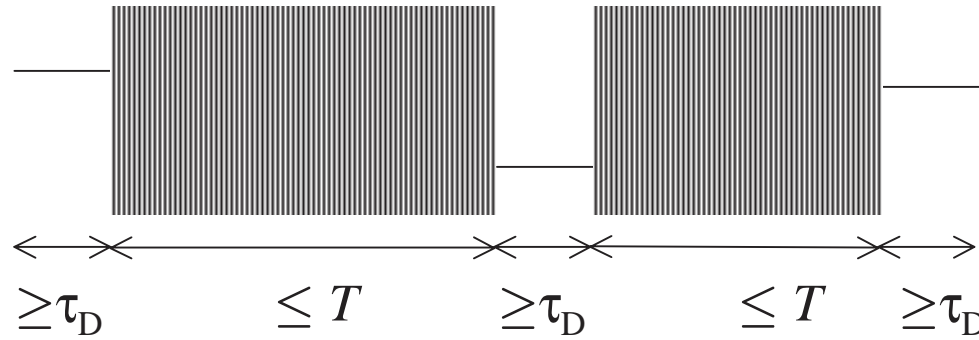
Moreover, if every pair (C_q, A_q) , $q \in Q$ is observable then

1. if $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}}$ then it is asymptotically stable
2. if $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, T]$ then it is uniformly asymptotically stable.

Sets of switching signals

$\mathcal{S}_{\text{dwell}}[\tau_D] \equiv$ switching signals with “dwell-time” $\tau_D > 0$, i.e., interval between consecutive discontinuities larger or equal to τ_D

$\mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, T] \equiv$ switching signals with “persistent dwell-time” $\tau_D > 0$ and “period of persistency” $T > 0$, i.e., \exists infinitely many intervals of length $\geq \tau_D$ on which sigma is constant & consecutive intervals with this property are separated by no more than T



$\mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}} := \bigcup_{\tau_D > 0} \mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, +\infty] \equiv$ each σ has persistent dwell-time > 0

$$\mathcal{S}_{\text{dwell}}[\tau_D] \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, 0] \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}} \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{all}}$$

LaSalle's IP for switched systems

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x \quad x = R_{\sigma, \sigma^-} x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

Theorem: (Q finite)

Suppose there exist positive definite matrices $P_q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $q \in Q$ such that

$$A_q' P_q + P_q A_q \leq -C_q' C_q \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in Q$$

and at any $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$ where a switching signal in $\mathcal{S}[\chi]$ can jump from p to q

$$V_p(z) \geq V_q(R_{qp} z)$$

Then the switched system is stable.

from general theorem

Moreover, if every pair (C_q, A_q) , $q \in Q$ is observable then

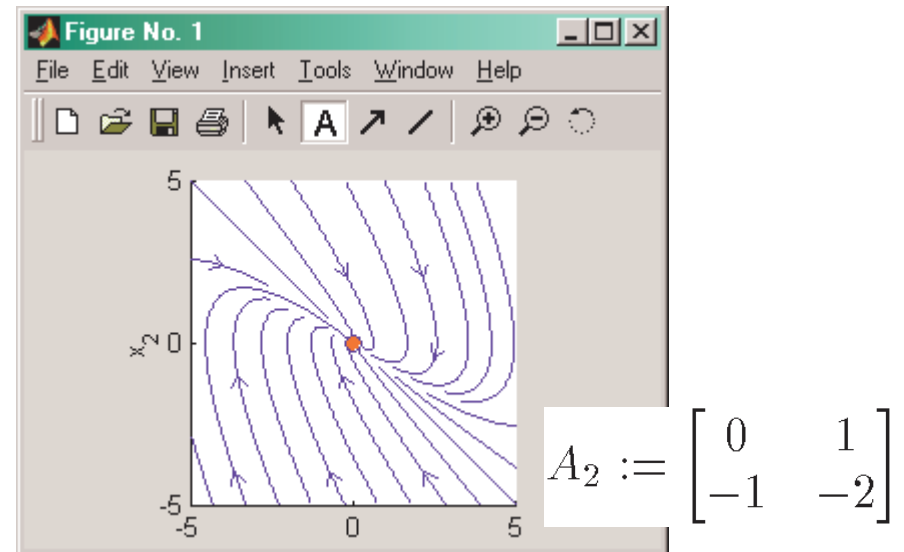
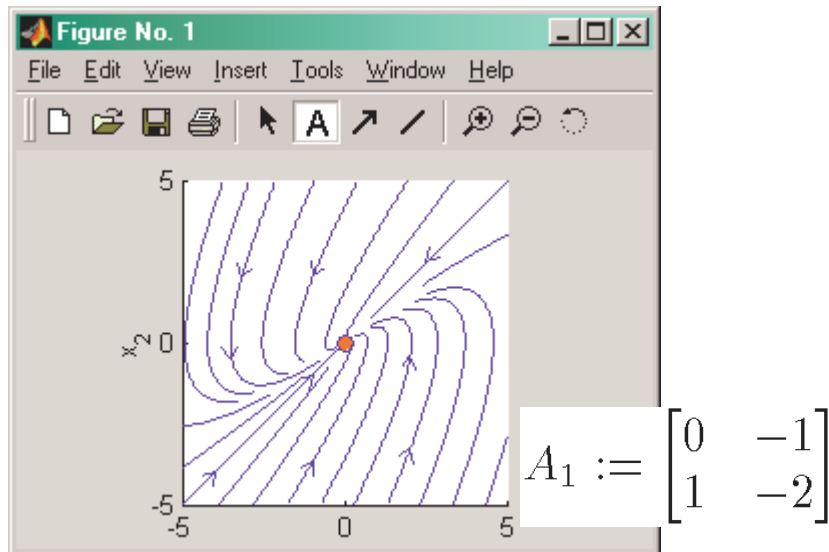
1. if $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}}$ then it is asymptotically stable
2. if $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, T]$ then it is uniformly asymptotically stable.

$\mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, T] \equiv$ switching signals with “persistent dwell-time” $\tau_D > 0$ and “period of persistency” $T > 0$, i.e., \exists infinitely many intervals of length $\geq \tau_D$ on which sigma is constant & consecutive intervals with this property are separated by no more than T

$\mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}} := \cup_{\tau_D > 0} \mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, +\infty] \equiv$ each σ has persistent dwell-time > 0

$\mathcal{S}_{\text{dwell}}[\tau_D] \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, 0] \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}} \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{all}}$

Example



$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x$$

Choosing $P_1 = P_2 = I$ *common Lyapunov function*

$$A_q' P_q + P_q A_q = -c_q' c_q \leq 0 \quad c_q := \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \forall q \in \{1, 2\}$$

$$O_q := \begin{bmatrix} c_q \\ c_q A_q \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ \pm 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \quad q \in \{1, 2\} \quad \text{nonsingular (observable)}$$

1. One can find $\sigma \notin \mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}}$ for which we do not have asymptotic stability
2. One can find $\sigma \in \mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}}$, $\sigma \notin \mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, T]$ for which asymptotic stability is not uniform
(problems, e.g., close to the $x_2=0$ axis)

LaSalle's IP for switched systems

$$\dot{x} = A_\sigma x \quad x = R_{\sigma, \sigma^-} x^- \quad (\sigma, x) \in \mathcal{S}$$

Theorem: (Q finite)

Suppose there exist positive definite matrices $P_q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $q \in Q$ such that

$$A_q' P_q + P_q A_q \leq -C_q' C_q \leq 0 \quad \forall q \in Q$$

and at any $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$ where a switching signal in $\mathcal{S}[\chi]$ can jump from p to q

$$V_p(z) \geq V_q(R_{qp} z)$$

Then the switched system is stable.

from general theorem

Moreover, if every pair (C_q, A_q) , $q \in Q$ is observable then

1. if $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{weak-dwell}}$ then it is asymptotically stable
2. if $\mathcal{S} \subset \mathcal{S}_{\text{p-dwell}}[\tau_D, T]$ then it is uniformly asymptotically stable.

- a) Finiteness of Q could be replaced by **compactness**
- b) In some cases it is sufficient for all pairs (C_q, A_q) , $q \in Q$ to be **detectable**
(e.g., when $A_q = A + B F_q$)
- c) When the pairs (C_q, A_q) , $q \in Q$ are **not observable** x converges to the smallest subspace \mathcal{M} that is invariant for all unswitched system and contains the kernels of all O_q
- d) There are **nonlinear** versions of this result (no uniformity?)