

CD Convert Continuous Stochastic to Discrete VI



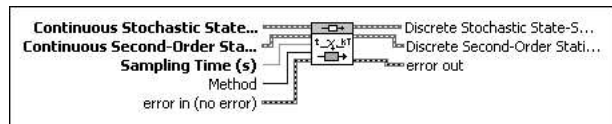
Updated 2023-03-14 | 5 minute(s) read # LabVIEW Control Design and Simulation Module # API Reference # LabVIEW G

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Converts a continuous stochastic state-space model and the associated continuous noise model to a discrete stochastic state-space model and discrete noise model.

Details



- Continuous Stochastic State-Space Model** specifies a mathematical representation of a continuous stochastic system.
- Continuous Second-Order Statistics Noise Model** specifies a continuous mathematical representation of the noise model of the **Continuous Stochastic State-Space Model**. A noise model defines the expected behavior of the noise vectors w and v . You can use the CD Construct Noise Model VI to construct a noise model for a given stochastic state-space system.
- Sampling Time (s)** specifies the discrete sampling time of the **Discrete Stochastic State-Space Model**. The default value is 1 second.
- Method** specifies the method this VI uses to calculate the discrete equivalent of the process noise covariance matrix Q .

0	Truncation of Taylor Series — Computes the discrete equivalent of the process noise covariance matrix by using the Truncation of Taylor Series Expansion method.
1	Numerical Integration (default) —Computes the discrete equivalent of the process noise covariance matrix by using the numerical integration method as proposed by Van Loan.

- error in** describes error conditions that occur before this node runs. This input provides standard error in functionality.
- Discrete Stochastic State-Space Model** returns a mathematical representation of the discrete equivalent of the **Continuous Stochastic State-Space Model**.
- Discrete Second-Order Statistics Noise Model** returns a mathematical representation of the discrete equivalent of the **Continuous Second-Order Statistics Noise Model**.
- error out** contains error information. This output provides [standard error out](#) functionality.

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This VI assumes the noise vectors w and v are temporally uncorrelated. This VI also assumes the **Sampling Time** T you specify is much smaller than the Shannon period of the input signal $u(t)$. Therefore, the following relationship is true:

$$u(t) \approx u(kT), kT \leq t < (k+1)T$$

where t is continuous time and k is discrete time.

This VI assumes the **Continuous Stochastic State-Space Model** is of the following form:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}(t) &= Ax(t) + Bu(t) + Gw(t) \\ y(t) &= Cx(t) + Du(t) + Hw(t) + v(t) \end{aligned}$$

This VI also assumes the **Continuous Second-Order Statistics Noise Model** is of the following form:

$$\begin{aligned} E\{w(t)\} &= m_w(t) \\ E\{w(t) \cdot w^T(\tau)\} &= Q(t) \cdot \delta(t - \tau) \\ E\{v(t)\} &= m_v(t) \end{aligned}$$

$$E\{\mathbf{v}(t) \cdot \mathbf{v}^T(\tau)\} = \mathbf{R}(t) \cdot \delta(t - \tau)$$

$$E\{\mathbf{w}(t) \cdot \mathbf{v}^T(\tau)\} = \mathbf{N}(t) \cdot \delta(t - \tau)$$

where $\delta(t)$ is the Dirac delta function. This function is defined as $\delta(t) = \infty$ when $x = 0$; $\delta(t) = 0$ when $x \neq 0$.

This VI returns the **Discrete Stochastic State-Space Model** in the following form:

$$\mathbf{x}[(k+1)T] = \mathbf{A}_d \mathbf{x}(kT) + \mathbf{B}_d \mathbf{u}(kT) + \mathbf{n}(kT)$$

$$\mathbf{y}(kT) = \mathbf{C}_d \mathbf{x}(kT) + \mathbf{D}_d \mathbf{u}(kT) + \mathbf{r}(kT), k = 0, 1, 2 \dots$$

where

$$\mathbf{A}_d = e^{\mathbf{A}T}$$

$$\mathbf{B}_d = \int_0^T e^{\mathbf{A}\eta} \mathbf{B} d\eta$$

$$\mathbf{C}_d = \mathbf{C}$$

$$\mathbf{D}_d = \mathbf{D}$$

$\mathbf{n}(kT)$ and $\mathbf{r}(kT)$ are the discrete equivalents of the noise vectors.

This VI returns the **Discrete Second-Order Statistics Noise Model** in the following form:

$$E\{\mathbf{n}(kT)\} = [\mathbf{A}_d - \mathbf{I}]\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{G}\mathbf{m}_w(kT)$$

$$E\{\mathbf{n}(kT) \cdot \mathbf{n}^T(lT)\} = \mathbf{P}(kT)\delta(kT - lT), k, l = 0, 1, 2 \dots$$

$$E\{\mathbf{r}(kT)\} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{m}_v + \mathbf{m}_v(kT)$$

$$E\{\mathbf{r}(kT) \cdot \mathbf{r}^T(lT)\} = \mathbf{S}(kT)\delta(kT - lT)$$

$$E\{\mathbf{n}(kT) \cdot \mathbf{r}^T(lT)\} = \mathbf{O}(kT)\delta(kT - lT)$$

where

$$\mathbf{S}(kT) = \frac{1}{T}[\mathbf{H}\mathbf{Q}(kT)\mathbf{H}^T + \mathbf{H}\mathbf{N}(kT) + \mathbf{N}^T(kT)\mathbf{H}^T + \mathbf{R}(kT)]$$

$$\mathbf{O}(kT) = \frac{1}{T}[\mathbf{A}_d - \mathbf{I}]\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{G}[\mathbf{Q}(kT)\mathbf{H}^T + \mathbf{N}(kT)]$$

If you specify **Numerical Integration** for the **Method** parameter, then

$$\mathbf{P}(kT) = \int_0^T e^{\mathbf{A}\eta} \mathbf{G} \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{G}^T e^{\mathbf{A}^T \eta} d\eta$$

If you specify **Truncation of TSE** for the **Method** parameter, then

$$\mathbf{P}(kT) \approx \int_0^T \mathbf{G} \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{G}^T d\eta = \mathbf{G} \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{G}^T \cdot T$$

where

n is the number of states

m is the number of inputs

r is the number of outputs

\mathbf{x} is the state vector.

\mathbf{u} is the input vector.

\mathbf{y} is the output vector.

\mathbf{w} is the process noise vector.

\mathbf{v} is the observation noise vector.

\mathbf{A} is an $n \times n$ state matrix of the given system.

\mathbf{B} is an $n \times m$ input matrix of the given system.

\mathbf{C} is an $r \times n$ output matrix of the given system.

\mathbf{D} is an $r \times m$ direct transmission matrix of the given system.

\mathbf{G} is a matrix relating \mathbf{w} to the states.

\mathbf{H} is a matrix relating \mathbf{w} to the outputs.

\mathbf{Q} is the auto-covariance matrix of \mathbf{w} .

\mathbf{R} is the auto-covariance matrix of \mathbf{v} .

\mathbf{N} is the cross-covariance matrix between \mathbf{w} and \mathbf{v} .

$E\{\}$ denotes the expected mean or value of the enclosed term(s).

This approximation becomes less accurate as the value of T increases.

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