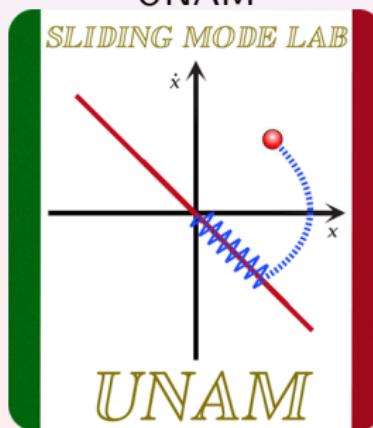


Sliding Mode Observers

Theory and Practice

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Conventional Sliding Mode Observers

Observer Purpose: To estimate the unmeasurable states of a system based only on:

- the measured outputs and inputs;
- mathematical model of the system, driven by the input of the system together with a signal representing the difference between the measured system and observer outputs
- First Observer: Luenberger
- Drawbacks of Luenberger Observer in the presence of uncertainties
 - (a) Unable to force the output estimation error to zero
 - (b) The observer states do not converge to the system states
- Solution: sliding mode observer if the uncertainties are bounded.
- Advantages:
 - (a) Force the output estimation error to converge to zero in *finite time*
 - (b) Observer states converge asymptotically to the system states
 - (c) Disturbances can be reconstructed

Drakunov-Utkin Observer (reduced order SM observer)

- Consider a nominal linear system

$$\dot{x}(t) = Ax(t) + Bu(t) \quad (1)$$

$$y(t) = Cx(t) \quad (2)$$

- Assume C has full row rank
- Necessary and sufficient condition: (C, A) is observable
- Observability condition will be assumed to hold.

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Coordinate transformation

- $x \mapsto z = T_c x$

$$T_c = \begin{bmatrix} C^\perp \\ C \end{bmatrix} \quad (3)$$

where $N_c \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times (n-p)}$ spans the null-space of C .

- By construction $\det(T_c) \neq 0$
- Applying the change of coordinates

$$T_c A T_c^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \quad T_c B = \begin{bmatrix} B_1 \\ B_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad C T_c^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_p \end{bmatrix} \quad (4)$$

where $A_{11} \in \mathbb{R}^{(n-p) \times (n-p)}$ and $B_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{(n-p) \times q}$.

$$\dot{z}_1(t) = A_{11}z_1(t) + A_{12}z_2(t) + B_1 u, \quad \dot{z}_2(t) = A_{21}z_1(t) + A_{22}z_2(t) + B_2 u$$

Drakunov-Utkin observer

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$$\dot{\hat{z}}_1(t) = A_{11}\hat{z}_1(t) + A_{12}\hat{z}_2(t) + B_1u + L\nu, \quad \dot{\hat{z}}_2(t) = A_{21}\hat{z}_1(t) + A_{22}\hat{z}_2(t) + B_2u - \nu,$$

Error of Observer

$$e(t) := \hat{z}(t) - z(t),$$

$$\hat{z}(t) = (\hat{z}_1(t), \hat{z}_2(t)), \quad z(t) = (z_1(t), z_2(t)), \quad e_y(t) := \hat{y}(t) - y(t) = \hat{y}(t) - y(t)$$

$$e = \text{col}(e_1, e_y), \quad e_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n-p}$$

System describing an error of observer

$$\dot{e}_1(t) = A_{11}e_1(t) + A_{12}e_y(t) + L\nu, \quad \dot{e}_y(t) = A_{21}e_1(t) + A_{22}e_y(t) - \nu$$
$$G_n = \begin{bmatrix} L \\ -I_p \end{bmatrix} \quad (5)$$

where $L \in \mathbb{R}^{(n-p) \times p}$ represents the design freedom

- ν is designed to be discontinuous with respect to the sliding surface $\mathcal{S} = \{e : Ce = 0\}$ to force the trajectories of $e(t)$ onto \mathcal{S} in finite time.
- Component-wise discontinuous injection

$$\dot{e}_{y,i}(t) = A_{21,i}e_1(t) + A_{22,i}e_y(t) - \rho \nu_i,$$

$$\nu_i = \rho \text{sign}(e_{y,i}), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, p$$

$A_{21,i}$ and $A_{22,i}$ represent the i th rows of A_{21}, A_{22} , $e_{y,i}$ represents the i th component of e_y

- Equivalent injection $\nu_{eq} = A_{21}e_1(t)$
- Sliding dynamics $\dot{e}_1(t) = (A_{11} + LA_{21})e_1(t) \rightarrow$ Reduced Order Luenberger Observer

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- $u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^q$ is the control, $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^p$ is the measured output.

Strong Observability:

The system is strongly observable if for any $x(0)$ and $w(t)$ it follows from $y(t) \equiv 0 \forall t \geq 0$ that $x(t) \equiv 0$ [Hautus: 83].

Strong Detectability:

The system is strongly detectable if for any $x(0)$ and $w(t)$ it follows from $y(t) \equiv 0 \forall t \geq 0$ that $x(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$ [Hautus: 83].

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Invariant zeros

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State reconstruction without differentiation[Hautus: 1983]

- The system does not have invariant zeroes.
- All the matrices are known i.e., A , B , C , D .
- C and D are full rank matrices.
- If $\text{rank}(C) = p$ and $\text{rank}(D) = m$, then $p \geq m$.
- $\text{rank}(CD) = m$ **Relative degree 1 condition**.

State Estimation and Unknown Inputs Reconstruction

Walcot-Zak Observes: Canonical form

$$\begin{pmatrix} dy^\perp/dt \\ dy_1/dt \\ dy_2/dt \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y^\perp \\ y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} + Bu + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ w(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

y_1 non contaminated outputs,

y_2 contaminated outputs,

y^\perp unmeasured states

- The pair $\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix}, (0, I_{p-m})$ is observable
- y^\perp can be observed with Luenberger or Utkin SM observer
- Unknown Inputs can be reconstructed from Equivalent Outputs
Injection $\nu = \rho e_2 / \|e_2\|, \rho > 0$



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1DOF mechanical system:

$$M(q)\ddot{q} + C(q, \dot{q})\dot{q} + P(\dot{q}) + G(q) + \Delta(t, q, \dot{q}) = \tau$$

State space form $x_1 = q, x_2 = \dot{q}, u = \tau$

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2, \quad \dot{x}_2 = f(t, x_1, x_2, u) + w(t, x_1, x_2); \quad y = x_1$$

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Remark:

When the relative degree of $w(t)$ w.r.t. $y(t)$ is **higher than one**, i.e. $\text{rank}(CD) < m$, **output differentiations** are necessary.

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Absence of invariant zeros is sufficient and necessary condition for strong observability(Haustus,1983)

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Taking the first $n - 1$ derivatives of the output

$$y = Cx$$

$$\dot{y} = C\dot{x} = CAx(t) + CDw$$

⋮

$$y^{(n-1)} = CA^{n-1}x + CA^{n-2}Dw + \dots + CDw^{(n-2)}$$

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to obtain a set of n equations independent on w :

$$\begin{bmatrix} CD \\ CAD \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-2}D \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Rosenbrock matrix for the tuple (A, C, D) :

$$R(s) = \begin{bmatrix} sI - A & -D \\ C & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Determinant of the Rosenbrock matrix

$$\det(R) = (s^{n-1} + a_n s^{n-2} + \dots + a_2)CD + (s^{n-2} + a_n s^{n-3} + \dots + a_3)CAD + \dots + (s + a_n)CA^{n-2}D + CA^{n-1}D$$

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The determinant does not dependent on s iff:

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Differentiation Problem

- Signal to differentiate: $f(t)$
- Assume $|\dot{f}(t)| \leq M$
- Find an observer for $\dot{f}(t)$
- Observer

$$\dot{x} = K\text{sign}[e(t)], x(0) = f(0)$$

Error $e = f - x(t)$

- Equation

$$\dot{e} = \dot{f}(t) - K\text{sign}[e(t)], K > M, e(0) = 0$$

- $\dot{f}(t)$ bounded perturbation

Filtration of $\text{sign}[e(t)]$ needed!!!

Robust Exact Differentiation Problem

Robust Exact Differentiator, Levantovsky(1998)

Signal to differentiate: $f(t)$, $|\ddot{f}(t)| \leq L$

Find an observer for $f(t)$

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2, \quad \dot{x}_2 = \ddot{f}, \quad y = x_1,$$

$\ddot{f}(t)$ bounded perturbation!!!

STA observer

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\hat{x}}_1 &= -k_1 |\hat{x}_1 - y|^{\frac{1}{2}} \text{sign}(\hat{x}_1 - y) + \hat{x}_2, \\ \dot{\hat{x}}_2 &= -k_2 \text{sign}(\hat{x}_1 - y)\end{aligned}$$

Convergence of STA assures: $(f - \hat{x}_1) = (\dot{f} - \hat{x}_2) = 0$ after finite time.

Uniform(Fixed-Time) Robust Exact First-Order Differentiator [Cruz et. al. 11].

$$\dot{z}_0 = -k_1 \phi_1(z_0 - y_j) + z_1, \quad \dot{z}_1 = -k_2 \phi_2(z_0 - y_j),$$

where

$$\phi_1(\sigma_0) := \lceil \sigma_0 \rceil^{1/2} + \lceil \sigma_0 \rceil^{3/2},$$

$$\phi_2(\sigma_0) := 0,5 \operatorname{sign}(\sigma_0) + 2\sigma_0 + 1,5 \lceil \sigma_0 \rceil^2.$$

and $\lceil v \rceil^p := |v|^p \operatorname{sign}(v)$.

Remarks.

- the differentiator is uniform with respect to the initial differentiation error;
- useful for hybrid systems with strictly positive dwell-time;
- arbitrary order uniform exact differentiator [Angulo et al.: Automatica].

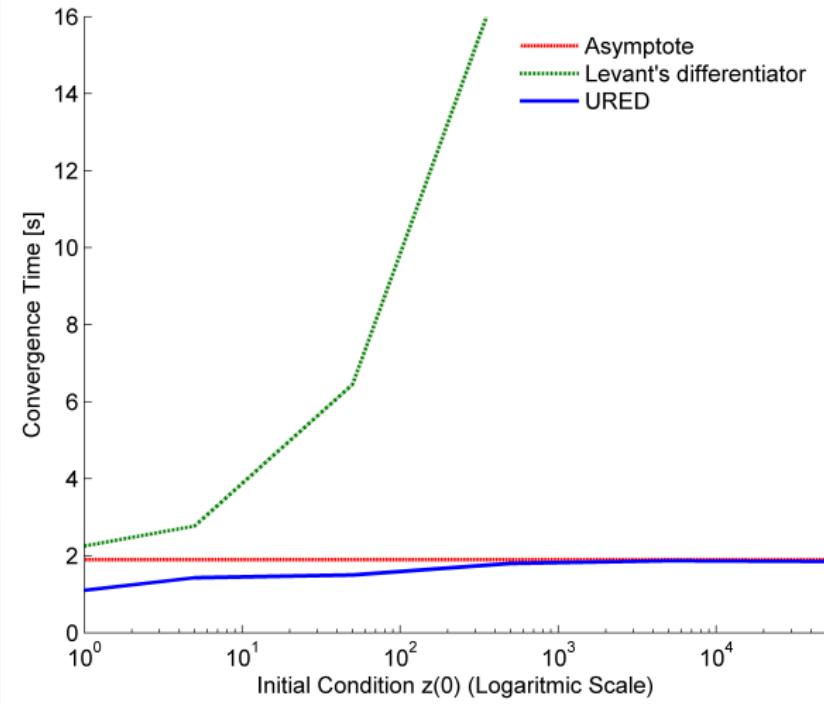


Figura: Convergence time of the Uniform Robust Exact Differentiator (URED).

Methodology

The Unknown Input Observer (UIO) design problem for strongly observable systems is **reduced to evaluate in real-time derivatives** of the output.

The k -th order HOSM differentiator for y_j

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z}_0 &= \nu_0 = -\lambda_k L^{\frac{1}{k+1}} |z_0 - y_j|^{\frac{k}{k+1}} \text{sign}(z_0 - y_j) + z_1, \\ \dot{z}_1 &= \nu_1 = -\lambda_{k-1} L^{\frac{1}{k}} |z_1 - \nu_0|^{\frac{k-1}{k}} \text{sign}(z_1 - \nu_0) + z_2, \\ &\vdots \\ \dot{z}_{k-1} &= \nu_{k-1} = -\lambda_1 L^{\frac{1}{2}} |z_{k-1} - \nu_{k-2}|^{\frac{1}{2}} \text{sign}(z_{k-1} - \nu_{k-2}) + z_k, \\ \dot{z}_k &= -\lambda_0 L \text{sign}(z_k - \nu_{k-1}),\end{aligned}\tag{7}$$

$$\lambda_0 = 1, 1, \lambda_1 = 1, 5, \lambda_2 = 2, \lambda_3 = 3, \lambda_4 = 5, \lambda_5 = 8.$$

Convergence of the HOSM differentiator [Levant:03].

If the gain L satisfies $L > |y_j^{(k+1)}(t)|$ for all t , then $z_i = y_j^{(i)}$ after finite-time.

Arbitrary Order Uniform HOSM differentiator [Angulo et.al: 13, Automatica].

Given a signal $y_j(t)$ to be differentiated $(n - 1)$ -times, the differentiator

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\hat{x}}_i &= -\lambda_i \lceil y_j - \hat{x}_1 \rceil^{\frac{n-i}{n}} - k_i \lceil y_j - \hat{x}_1 \rceil^{\frac{n+\alpha i}{n}} + \hat{x}_{i+1}, \quad i = 1, \dots, n-1, \\ \dot{\hat{x}}_n &= -\lambda_n \text{sign}(y_j - \hat{x}_1) - k_n \lceil y_j - \hat{x}_1 \rceil^{1+\alpha},\end{aligned}\tag{8}$$

with $\{\lambda_i\}_{i=1}^n$ chosen as Levant's, $\alpha > 0$ small enough and $\{k_i\}_{i=1}^n$ such that the polynomial

$$P(s) = k_n s^{n-1} + k_{n-1} s^{n-2} + \dots + k_2 s + k_1, \quad \text{is stable}$$

provides:

- uniform finite-time estimation, i.e., $\exists T$ independent of $|\hat{x}_i(0) - y_j^{i-1}(0)|$, $i = 1, \dots, n$, such that

$$\hat{x}_i(t) = y_j^{(i-1)}(t), \quad \forall t \geq T, \quad i = 1, \dots, n;$$

- the best precision under measurement noise [Kolmogorov:62].

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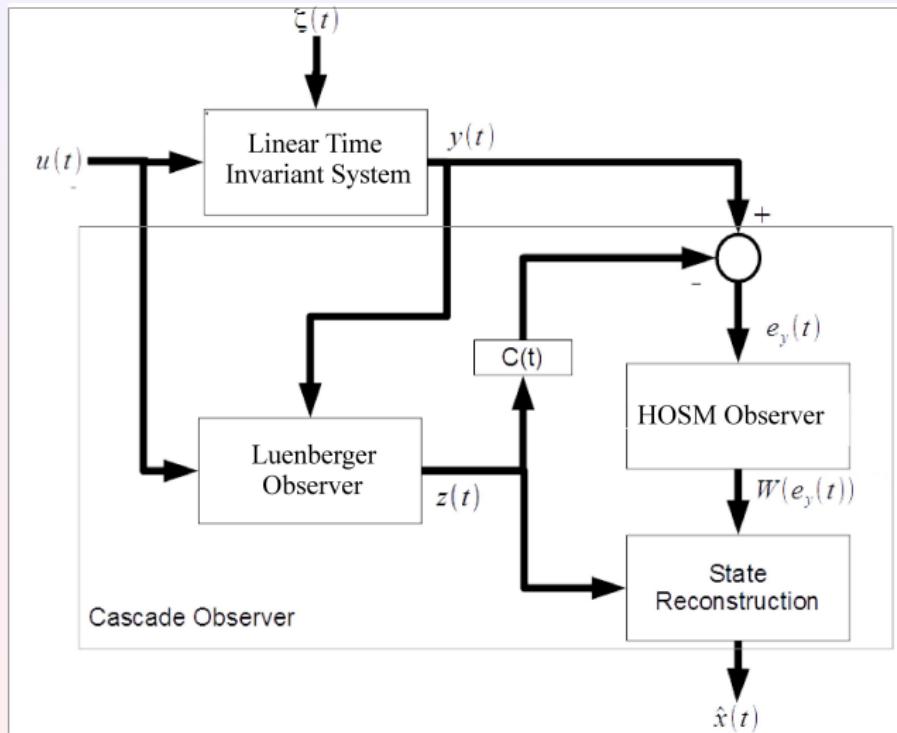
Relative degree

The integer r_i such that

$$\begin{aligned} c_i A^j D &= 0, \quad j = 0, \dots, r_i - 2, \quad c_i A^{r_i-1} D \neq 0, \\ r_i &\leq n - 1 \end{aligned}$$

where c_i is the i -th row of C .

Cascaded observers for LTI systems with unknown inputs



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Cascaded HOSM observer [Fridman et al. 2007]

Observer for the strongly observable case and $\sum_{i=1}^m r_i = n$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z} &= Az + Dw + L(y - Cz), \\ \dot{v} &= W(y - Cz, v), \\ \hat{x} &= z + Kv\end{aligned}\tag{10}$$

- $L \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is the correction term chosen such that $A - LC$ is Hurwitz;
- for $i=1, \dots, m$:

$$K^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} P_1 \\ \vdots \\ P_m \end{bmatrix}, \quad P_i = \begin{bmatrix} c_i \\ \vdots \\ c_i(A - LC)^{n_i-1} \end{bmatrix};$$

- $W(\cdot)$ is a nonlinear HOSM term.

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Cascaded HOSM observer [Fridman et al. 2007]

Nonlinear HOSM term $W^T = [v_1 \quad v_2 \quad \dots \quad v_n]$

$$\dot{v}_1 = w_1 = -\alpha_n N^{1/n} |v_1 - (y - Cz)|^{(n-1)/n} sign(v_1 - (y - Cz)) + v_2$$

$$\dot{v}_2 = w_2 = -\alpha_{(n-1)} N^{1/(n-1)} |v_2 - w_1|^{(n-2)/(n-1)} sign(v_2 - w_1) + v_3$$

⋮

$$\dot{v}_{n-1} = w_{n-1} = -\alpha_2 N^{1/2} |v_{n-1} - w_{n-2}|^{1/2} sign(v_{n-1} - w_{n-2}) + v_n$$

$$\dot{v}_n = -\alpha_1 N sign(v_n - w_{n-1})$$

(11)

where $N > |C(A - LC)^{n-1} D w(t)|$.

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Canonical form of the estimation error $x - z$

The form is composed for Brunovsky blocks.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\xi}_{1_1} \\ \dot{\xi}_{1_2} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{\xi}_{1_{r_1-2}} \\ \dot{\xi}_{1_{r_1-1}} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{\xi}_{m_1} \\ \dot{\xi}_{m_2} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{\xi}_{m_{r_m-2}} \\ \dot{\xi}_{m_{r_m-1}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \ddots & & \cdots & \cdots & \vdots & & & \vdots & \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & & & \vdots & & \ddots & & \vdots & & & \vdots & \\ \vdots & & & \vdots & & \ddots & & \vdots & & & \vdots & \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \cdots & \cdots & \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots & \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 \\ * & * & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & * & * \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \xi_{1_1} \\ \xi_{1_2} \\ \vdots \\ \xi_{1_{r_1-2}} \\ \xi_{1_{r_1-1}} \\ \vdots \\ \xi_{m_1} \\ \xi_{m_2} \\ \vdots \\ \xi_{m_{r_m-2}} \\ \xi_{m_{r_m-1}} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ * & \cdots & * \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ * & \cdots & * \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \\ \vdots \\ w_{m-1} \\ w_m \end{bmatrix}$$

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Question

What can we do when the system is strongly observable but $\sum_{i=1}^m r_i < n$?

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The weakly unobservable subspace \mathcal{V}^*

A state $x_0 \in \mathcal{X}$ is called weakly unobservable, if there exist an input w such that the corresponding output $y_w(t, x_0) = 0$ for all $t \geq 0$. The set of all the weakly unobservable points is denoted by \mathcal{V}^* and it is called the **weakly unobservable subspace** of the system.

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State recovering

There exist a $k \leq n$ such that $\text{rank}(M_k) = n$, (Molinari, 1976)

Step k

$$\blacktriangleright \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{d}{dt} (M_{k-1}D)^\perp M_{k-1} \tilde{A} \\ C \end{bmatrix}}_{M_k} e = \frac{d^{k-1}}{dt^{k-1}} \begin{bmatrix} J_{k-1} & 0 \\ 0 & I_p \end{bmatrix} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} y_e \\ \int \dots \int y_e d\tau dt \end{bmatrix}}_{Y_{[k-1]}}$$

Then,

$$e(t) = \underbrace{\frac{d^{k-1}}{dt^{k-1}} M_k^+ \begin{bmatrix} J_{k-1} & 0 \\ 0 & I_p \end{bmatrix} Y^{[k-1]}}_{\Theta(t)}$$

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Relations for strong observability

- i) The system is **strongly observable**;
- ii) the triplet (A, C, D) does not have invariant zeros;
- iii) \mathcal{V}^* contains only the zero vector, i.e. $\mathcal{V}^* = \{0\}$.

Observers for LTI strongly observable systems with unknown inputs

Canonical form

Let $\sum_{i=1} m r_i = r_p < n$. The canonical form is composed by Brunovsky blocks and a w dependent block.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\xi}_{1_1} \\ \dot{\xi}_{1_2} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{\xi}_{1_{r_1-2}} \\ \dot{\xi}_{1_{r_1-1}} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \dot{\xi}_{p_1} \\ \dot{\xi}_{p_2} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{\xi}_{p_{r_p-2}} \\ \dot{\xi}_{p_{r_p-1}} \\ \dot{\xi}_{r_p+1} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{\xi}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \cdots & \cdots & \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \cdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 \\ * & * & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & * & * \\ \dot{\xi}_{p_{r_p-1}} & * & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & * & * \\ \dot{\xi}_{r_p+1} & * & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & * & * \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ * & * & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & \cdots & * & * & \cdots & * & * \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \xi_{1_1} \\ \xi_{1_2} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \xi_{1_{r_1-2}} \\ \xi_{1_{r_1-1}} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \xi_{p_1} \\ \xi_{p_2} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \xi_{p_{r_p-2}} \\ \xi_{p_{r_p-1}} \\ \xi_{r_p+1} \\ \vdots \\ \xi_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ * & \cdots & * \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ * & \cdots & * \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ * & \cdots & * \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ * & \cdots & * \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \\ \vdots \\ w_{m-1} \\ w_m \end{bmatrix}$$

Cascaded observers for LTI strongly observable systems with unknown inputs

Observer in [Fridman et al. 2007]

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LTV System with Unknown inputs

The system

Consider

$$\Sigma : \begin{cases} \dot{x}(t) = A(t)x(t) + B(t)u(t) + D(t)w(t), & x(t_0) = x_0, \\ y(t) = C(t)x(t), \end{cases} \quad (13)$$

where

- $x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is the state, $w(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ is the **unknown input**;
- $u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^q$ is the control, $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^p$ is the measured output.

LTV Observability

Theorem (Rugh 1993)

Let the given matrix functions $A(t)$ and $C(t)$ of the LTV system be $n - 2$ and $n - 1$ times continuously differentiable respectively, on the non-degenerate time interval \mathcal{T} . The observability matrix is defined by

$$\mathcal{O}_{(A,C),n}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} N_0(t) \\ N_1(t) \\ \vdots \\ N_{n-1}(t) \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{pn \times n}, \quad (14)$$

where $N_0(t) = C(t)$ and $N_i(t) = N_{i-1}(t)A(t) + \frac{dN_{i-1}(t)}{dt}$ for $i = 1, \dots, n - 1$. Then, the pair $(A(t), C(t))$ is **observable** on the time interval \mathcal{T} if and only if $\text{rank}(\mathcal{O}_{(A,C),n}(t)) = n$, for all $t \in \mathcal{T}$.

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The triplet $(A(t), C(t), D(t))$ is called strongly observable in the non-degenerate interval \mathcal{T} , if $\dot{x}(t) = A(t)x + D(t)\zeta(t)$, $C(t)x(t) \equiv 0$, for some unknown input $\zeta(t)$, with $D(t)\zeta(t)$ being a continuous function, implies that $x(t) \equiv 0$, for all $t \in \mathcal{T}$.

LTV Strong Observability

Theorem (Kratz and Liebscher 1998 (1/3))

Let the elements of matrices $A(t)$, $D(t)$, and $C(t)$ be $l_o - 2$, $l_o - 2$, $l_o - 1$ times continuously differentiable, respectively, in the time interval $t \in \mathcal{T}$, and define the matrices $\mathcal{D}_{\mu,\nu} = \mathcal{D}_{(A,C,D),\mu,\nu}(t)$, recursively by

$$\mathcal{D}_{\mu,\mu-1} := C(t)D(t) \quad \text{for } 2 \leq \mu \leq l_o,$$

$$\mathcal{D}_{\mu,1} := N_{\mu-2}D(t) + \frac{d\mathcal{D}_{\mu-1,1}}{dt} \quad \text{for } 3 \leq \mu \leq l_o,$$

$$\mathcal{D}_{\mu,\nu} := \mathcal{D}_{\mu-1,\nu-1} + \frac{d\mathcal{D}_{\mu-1,\nu}}{dt} \quad \text{for } 3 \leq \nu < \mu \leq l_o.$$

where $N_i(t) = N_{i-1}(t)A(t) + \frac{dN_{i-1}(t)}{dt}$ and l_o is the observability index.

LTV Strong Observability

Theorem (Kratz and Liebscher 1998 (2/3))

Define the matrix functions $S : \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{pl_o \times [n+(l_o-1)m]}$ and $S^* : \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{(pl_o+n) \times [n+(l_o-1)m]}$ as

$$\begin{aligned} S(t) &:= \begin{bmatrix} \mathcal{O}_{(A,C),l_o}(t) & \mathcal{J}_{(A,C,D),l_o}(t) \end{bmatrix}, \\ S^*(t) &:= \begin{bmatrix} I_n & 0 \\ \mathcal{O}_{(A,C),l_o}(t) & \mathcal{J}_{(A,C,D),l_o}(t) \end{bmatrix}, \end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

with

$$\mathcal{J}_{(A,C,D),l_o}(t) := \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \mathcal{D}_{2,1} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \mathcal{D}_{3,1} & \mathcal{D}_{3,2} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \mathcal{D}_{l_o,1} & \mathcal{D}_{l_o,2} & \cdots & \mathcal{D}_{l_o,l_o-1} \end{bmatrix},$$

and I_n the $n \times n$ identity matrix, where the matrix $\mathcal{O}_{(A,C),l_o}$ is the observability matrix with $n = l_o$.

LTV Strong Observability

Theorem (Kratz and Liebscher 1998 (3/3))

Then the triplet $(A(t), C(t), D(t))$ is strongly observable on \mathcal{T} if and only if

$$\text{rank } S(t) = \text{rank } S^*(t)$$

for all $t \in \mathcal{T}$.

LTV Strong Observability: State reconstruction

Corollary (Kratz and Liebscher 1998)

Assume that the matrices $A(t)$, $D(t)$, and $C(t)$ are $l_o - 2$, $l_o - 2$ and $l_o - 1$ times continuously differentiable, respectively, on the time interval \mathcal{T} ; suppose that $D(t)\zeta(t)$ is continuously differentiable and $y(t)$ is $l_o - 1$ continuously differentiable on \mathcal{T} .

Let $K(t) \in R^{pl_o \times pl_o}$ such that $\ker K_{(A,C,D)}(t) = \text{Im} \mathcal{J}_{(A,C,D), l_o}$. Define

$$\mathcal{H}_{(A,C,D)}(t) = \mathcal{O}_{(A,C), l_o}^T(t) K_{(A,C,D)}^T(t) K_{(A,C,D)}(t) \mathcal{O}_{(A,C), l_o}(t).$$

Then $\mathcal{H}_{(A,C,D)}(t)$ is invertible, and

$$x(t) = \mathcal{H}_{(A,C,D)}^{-1}(t) \mathcal{O}_{(A,C), l_o}^T(t) K_{(A,C,D)}^T(t) K_{(A,C,D)}(t) \hat{y}(t)$$

with $\hat{y}(t) = [y^T(t), \dots, y^{(l_o-1)T}(t)]^T$ for all $t \in \mathcal{T}$.

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- ① $A(t)$, $D(t)$ and $C(t)$ are $I_o - 2$, $I_o - 2$ and $I_o - 1$ continuously differentiable functions,
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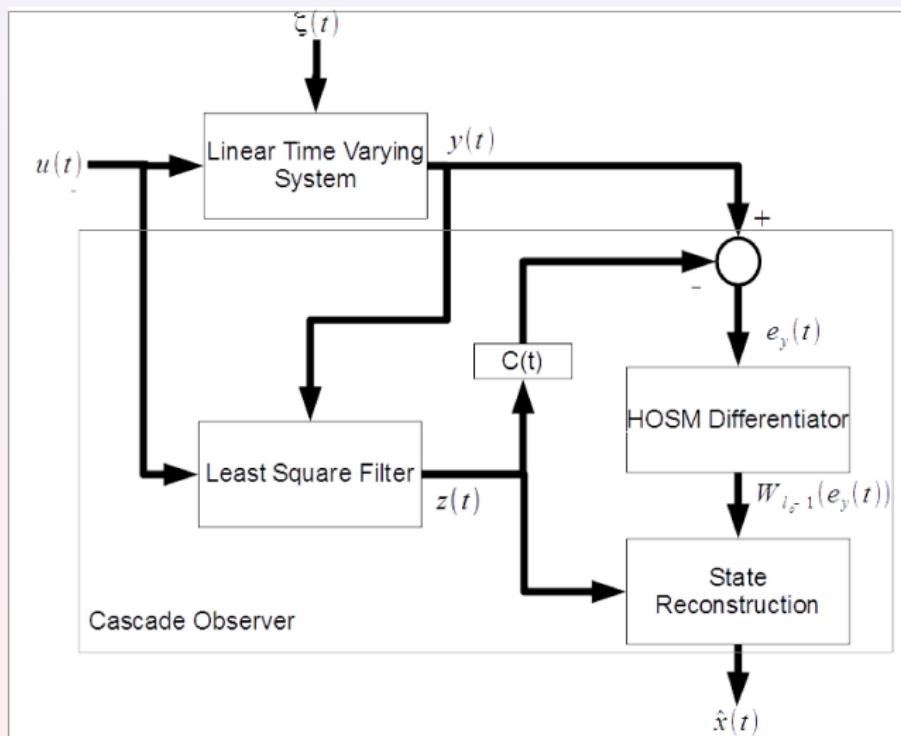
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Cascaded Observers for strongly observable LTV systems

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$$\bullet \quad W_{l_o-1}(e_y(t)) = \begin{bmatrix} e_y(t)_1 \\ \vdots \\ e_y(t)_p \\ D_{l_o-1}^1 | e_y(t)_1 \\ \vdots \\ D_{l_o-1}^1 | e_y(t)_p \\ \vdots \\ D_{l_o-1}^{l_o-1} | e_y(t)_1 \\ \vdots \\ D_{l_o-1}^{l_o-1} | e_y(t)_p \end{bmatrix} \text{., } e_y(t)_i \text{ the } i\text{-th row of } e_y(t).$$

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- $$W_{I_o-1}(e_y(t)) = \begin{bmatrix} e_y(t)_1 \\ \vdots \\ e_y(t)_p \\ D_{I_o-1}^1[e_y(t)_1] \\ \vdots \\ D_{I_o-1}^1[e_y(t)_p] \\ \vdots \\ D_{I_o-1}^{I_o-1}[e_y(t)_1] \\ \vdots \\ D_{I_o-1}^{I_o-1}[e_y(t)_p] \end{bmatrix} \text{., } e_y(t)_i \text{ the } i\text{-th row of } e_y(t).$$
- Differentiators gains:

$$\Gamma > 2\zeta_0^+ ||N_{I_o-1}|| ||D(t)|| \frac{||P(t)||}{||Q(t)||} + \sum_{j=1}^{I_o-1} ||\mathcal{D}_{I_o,j}|| \zeta_j^+$$

Theorem

Let the LTV system be affected by the unknown inputs $\zeta(t)$, satisfying Assumptions A1-A3. The observer provides global exact convergence of the estimation error $e = x - \hat{x}$ to zero after a finite-time transient, i.e. $e \rightarrow 0$ after a finite-time transient, therefore $\hat{x} \rightarrow x$ after a finite-time transient.

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- i) The system is **strongly detectable**;
- ii) the triplet (A, C, D) is minimum phase, i.e. the invariant zeros of the triplet (A, C, D) satisfy $\operatorname{Re} s < 0$;
- iii) all the trajectories belonging to \mathcal{V}^* converges to zero asymptotically.

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Cascaded Observers for strongly detectable LTI systems

A canonical form.

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & D_1 A_{12} & D_1 A_{13} \\ A_{21} C_1 & A_{22} & 0 \\ A_{31} C_1 & A_{32} C_2 & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} x + \begin{bmatrix} D_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} w, \\ y &= \begin{bmatrix} C_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x,\end{aligned}$$

- ① the triplet (A_{11}, C_1, D_1) is strongly observable;
- ② the pair (A_{22}, C_2) is observable;
- ③ A_{33} is stable (i.e. the **invariant zeros** of the system).

Cascaded Observers for strongly detectable LTI systems

An observer [Fridman et al. 2011]

- x_1 can be recovered using y_1 and its derivatives (**strong observability**);
- x_2 is estimated asymptotically using Luenberger observer because it is not contaminated

$$\dot{\hat{x}}_2 = A_{21}y_1 + A_{22}\hat{x}_2 + L_2 C_2(x_2 - \hat{x}_2);$$

- for x_3 a copy of the system without injection (A_{33} is stable)

$$\dot{\hat{x}}_3 = A_{31}y_1 + A_{32}y_2 + A_{33}\hat{x}_3.$$

Remarks.

- it turns out that every **strongly detectable** (linear) system can be written in the previous form [Moreno:01];
- strong detectability [Hautus:83] is equivalent to the **asymptotic distinguishability** of the state trajectory from the output [Moreno:01]

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What happens when the system is **not strongly observable**. Is still possible to do something?

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Functional Unknown Input Observers

Problem formulation

Given a linear system Σ , estimate a linear combination $z = Ex$ using only output measurements.

Motivation

- in many output based control problems, it is **not necessary** to estimate **the whole state** but a linear combination Kx ;
- this is particularly true for output based sliding-mode control: only the **surface** is required;
- despite a **UIO does not exist** (i.e. the system is not strongly detectable), the required **functional UIO may exist**.

Functional Unknown Input Observers

THEOREM. [Sanuti and Saberi: 87]

Every linear system, with $p \geq m$, can be written as

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & D_1 A_{12} & D_1 A_{13} & D_1 A_{14} \\ A_{21} C_1 & A_{22} & 0 & 0 \\ A_{31} C_1 & A_{32} C_2 & A_{33} & 0 \\ A_{41} C_1 & A_{42} C_2 & 0 & A_{44} \end{bmatrix} x + \begin{bmatrix} D_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} w,$$
$$y = \begin{bmatrix} C_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C_2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x, \quad z = [E_1 \ E_2 \ E_3 \ E_4] x,$$

and the following properties hold:

- ① (A_{11}, C_1, D_1) is **strongly observable** and (A_{22}, C_2) is observable;
- ② A_{33} are the stable invariant zeros and A_{44} the **unstable** ones.

Remark. [Angulo et.al: JFI14]

A functional UIO exists iff $E_4 = 0$.

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Super-twisting based Observers for Mechanical systems with a-priori bounded Coriolis term

Formulation of the problem:

Estimate the **velocity** using the position, under the hypothesis of **a-priori bounded Coriolis term**

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2, \quad \dot{x}_2 = f(x_1, x_2, t) + w, \quad y = x_1.$$

A simple observer [Davila et.al. 05]

The observer

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\hat{x}}_1 &= -1,5\sqrt{L}|y - \hat{x}_1|^{\frac{1}{2}} \operatorname{sign}(y - \hat{x}_1) + \hat{x}_2, \\ \dot{\hat{x}}_2 &= f(x_1, \hat{x}_2, t) - 1,1L \operatorname{sign}(y - \hat{x}_1),\end{aligned}$$

$$|f(x_1, \hat{x}_2, t) - f(x_1, x_2, t) + w| < L$$

- **finite-time** estimation of x_2 , i.e., $\hat{x}_2(t) = x_2(t), \forall t \geq T$;

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Goal

Observer converging exactly in finite time for non BIBS systems.

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Transformed system without quadratic term

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$$y_T := T_1^{-1}(x_1), \quad w(t, \xi_1, \xi_2) := F_t + w_1(t, \xi_1, \xi_2)$$

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$$\Gamma(v_1, v_2, v_3) := \psi(v_1, v_2 + v_3) - \psi(v_1, v_2)$$

is $\{q, s, r\}$ -dissipative, i.e.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Gamma(v_1, v_2, v_3) \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} q & s \\ s & r \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Gamma(v_1, v_2, v_3) \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix} \geq 0, \quad \forall v_1, v_2, v_3 \in \mathbb{R}.$$

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Theorem

If assumptions are satisfied, then following system

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\hat{x}}_1 = \hat{x}_2 - k_1 \phi_1(\hat{x}_1 - x_1), \\ \dot{\hat{x}}_2 = \Upsilon(y_\tau) \psi \left(y_\tau, (\Upsilon(y_\tau))^{-1} (\hat{x}_2 + k_3 \phi_1(\hat{x}_1 - x_1)) \right) + \\ \quad + \Upsilon(y_\tau) u - k_2 \phi_2(\hat{x}_1 - x_1), \end{cases}$$

with injection terms

$$\phi_1(\cdot) := \mu_1 [\cdot]^{1/2} + \mu_2 [\cdot], \quad [\cdot]^p := |\cdot|^p \operatorname{sign}(\cdot),$$

$$\phi_2(\cdot) := \frac{\mu_1^2}{2} [\cdot]^0 + \frac{3\mu_1\mu_2}{2} [\cdot]^{1/2} + \mu_2^2 [\cdot].$$

is an observer converging exactly in finite time to the states of transformed system for some constants $k_1, k_2, k_3, \mu_1, \mu_2$.

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Lemma (gain design)

For constants L_w, q, s, r with $L_w \geq 0, q < 0$ there exist a matrix $P = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 & p_2 \\ p_2 & p_3 \end{bmatrix} > 0$ and constants $k_i, \mu_i, \theta_i > 0, i = 1, 2, \epsilon > 0$ and k_3 such that the following matrix inequality is satisfied

$$\begin{bmatrix} A^T P + PA + \theta_1 H_E + \theta_2 H_C + \epsilon I & PB & PB \\ B^T P & \theta_1 q & 0 \\ B^T P & 0 & \theta_2 \left(\frac{\mu_1}{2d_2}\right)^2 \end{bmatrix} \leq 0,$$

where $A = \begin{bmatrix} -k_1 & 1 \\ -k_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $C = [1 \ 0]$, $E = [k_3 \ 1]$,
 $H_E = E^T \left(\frac{|s| + \sqrt{-qr+s^2}}{\sqrt{-q\mu_2}} \right)^2 E$ and $H_C = C^T L_w^2 C$.

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Observer for nonlinear system with unknown inputs

MIMO locally stable system [Fridman et al.: 2008].

Consider

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= f(x) + g(x)\varphi(t), \quad x(0) = x_0, \\ y &= h(x),\end{aligned}\tag{15}$$

where

- $x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is the state, $\varphi(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ is the disturbance;
- $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ is the measured output.

Formulation of the problem:

Estimate of $x(t)$ and $\varphi(t)$ based on output measurements only $y(t)$.

Assumption

The system is locally weakly observable

The system is BIBS

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⑤ HOSM based Observers for Nonlinear Systems

- Observers for BIBS nonlinear systems with unknown inputs

BIBS nonlinear systems with unknown inputs using coordinate transformation

Coordinate transformation.

New coordinates

$$\begin{aligned}\xi^i &= \begin{pmatrix} \xi_1^i \\ \xi_2^i \\ \vdots \\ \xi_{r_i}^i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} h_i(x) \\ L_f h_i(x) \\ \vdots \\ L_f^{r_i-1} h_i(x) \end{pmatrix}, \quad i = 1, \dots, m; r = r_1 + \dots + r_m \\ \xi &= \begin{pmatrix} \xi^1 \\ \vdots \\ \xi^m \end{pmatrix}; \eta = \begin{pmatrix} \eta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \eta_{n-r} \end{pmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

Local diffeomorphism.

There exist a local diffeomorphism such that

$$x = \Phi^{-1}(\xi, \eta)$$

Observer for nonlinear system with unknown inputs using coordinate transformation

Transformed system.

New coordinates

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\xi}^i &= \Lambda_i \xi^i + \psi^i(\xi, \eta) + \lambda^i(\xi, \eta, \varphi(x)) \\ \eta &= q(\xi, \eta)\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\Lambda_i = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \ddots & & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \Phi_i = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ L_f^{r_i} h_i(x) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_i = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ \sum_{j=1}^m a_{ij} \varphi^{-1}(x_j) \end{bmatrix}, \quad \forall i = 1, \dots, m$$

Observer for nonlinear system with unknown inputs using coordinate transformation

State estimation [Fridman et al.: 2008].

HOSM Differentiator

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{v}_0^i &= w_0^i = -\alpha_{r_i} N^{1/r_i} |v_0^i - y_i|^{(r_i-1)/r_i} \text{sign}(v_0^i - y_i) + v_1^i \\ \dot{v}_1^i &= w_1^i = -\alpha_{(r_i-1)} N^{1/(r_i-1)} |v_1^i - w_0^i|^{(r_i-2)/(r_i-1)} \text{sign}(v_1^i - w_0^i) + v_2^i \\ &\vdots \\ \dot{v}_{r_i-1}^i &= w_{r_i-1}^i = -\alpha_2 N^{1/2} |v_{r_i-1}^i - w_{r_i-2}^i|^{1/2} \text{sign}(v_{r_i-1}^i - w_{r_i-2}^i) + v_{r_i}^i \\ \dot{v}_{r_i}^i &= -\alpha_1 N \text{sign}(v_{r_i}^i - w_{r_i-1}^i)\end{aligned}\tag{16}$$

Estimation by construction

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\xi}_1^1 &= v_0^1, \quad \dots \quad \hat{\xi}_{r_1}^1 = v_{r_1-1}^1, \quad \dot{\hat{\xi}}_{r_1}^1 = v_{r_1}^1, \\ &\vdots \\ \hat{\xi}_1^m &= v_0^m, \quad \dots \quad \hat{\xi}_{r_1}^m = v_{r_1-1}^m, \quad \dot{\hat{\xi}}_{r_1}^m = v_{r_1}^m,\end{aligned}\tag{17}$$

Observers for BIBS systems with unknown inputs using coordinate transformation

The system

Consider

$$\Sigma : \begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(x) + g(x)w, & x(0) = x_0, \\ y = h(x), \end{cases} \quad (18)$$

where

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- $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^p$ is the measured output.

Formulation of the problem:

Estimate $x(t)$ based on output measurements only $\{y(t), t \in [0, T]\}$.

Remark.

When the relative degree of y is **higher than one**, output differentiations are necessary [Hautus: 83].

Observers for BIBS systems with unknown inputs without system transformation(Davila et al, IJC 2009)

Nonlinear system with unknown inputs

Consider the nonlinear system

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= f(x) + \mathbf{D}w(x, t) \\ y &= h(x)\end{aligned}$$

where

- $x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is the state, $w(t) \in \mathbb{R}$ is the **bounded unknown input**;
- \mathbf{D} is a known distribution matrix.
- $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^p$ is the measured output.

Assumption

$$dL_{f(x)}^i h(x) \mathbf{D} = 0, \quad i = 0, \dots, n-2.$$

Observer structure

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\hat{x}} &= f(\hat{x}) + g(\hat{x})u \\ \hat{y} &= h(\hat{x})\end{aligned}\tag{19}$$

where

- $\hat{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ observed state vector.
- $\hat{y} \in \mathbb{R}$ observed output variable.
- $g(\hat{x}) = M^{-1}(\hat{x}) \cdot [0, 0, \dots, 1]^T$.

Matrix computation

Distribution matrix

Define the following n -th order square matrix

$$M(z) = \begin{bmatrix} dh(z) \\ dL_{f(z)}h(z) \\ \vdots \\ dL_{f(z)}^{n-2}h(z) \\ dL_{f(z)}^{n-1}h(z) \end{bmatrix}$$

where $L_{f(z)}h(z)$ is sometimes called the Lie derivative of $h(z)$ along $f(z)$, i.e., $L_{f(z)}h(z) = \frac{\partial h(z)}{\partial z}f(z)$ and the k th derivative of $h(z)$ along $f(z)$ is defined as $L_{f(z)}^k h(z) = \frac{\partial L_{f(z)}^{k-1}h(z)}{\partial z}f(z)$.

Assumption

Matrix $M(z)$ in (81) is nonsingular for every possible value of z .

Observers for systems with unknown inputs

DEFINITION: Strong Observability. [Angulo et. al.: Automatica 13]

Σ is **strongly observable** if there exists a function F and integer k such that

$$x = F(y, \dot{y}, \dots, y^{(k)})$$

- equivalent to the **distinguishability** of the state trajectory using only the output when f , g and h are meromorphic [Angulo et.al: 10];
- also equivalent when Σ is **linear** [Hautus: 83]. In such a case, F is **linear** and therefore

$$x = \frac{d^k}{dt^k} M \begin{bmatrix} y \\ \int_0^t y(s) ds \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}, \quad M \text{ is a matrix.} \quad (20)$$

- function F or matrix M **can be computed** using an algorithm [Angulo et. al: 10, Bejarano et.al.: 11, Davila et.al:11].

Global observers for nonlinear systems with unknown inputs without BIBS property (Apaza et al, IJC 2018)

Consider the system

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where

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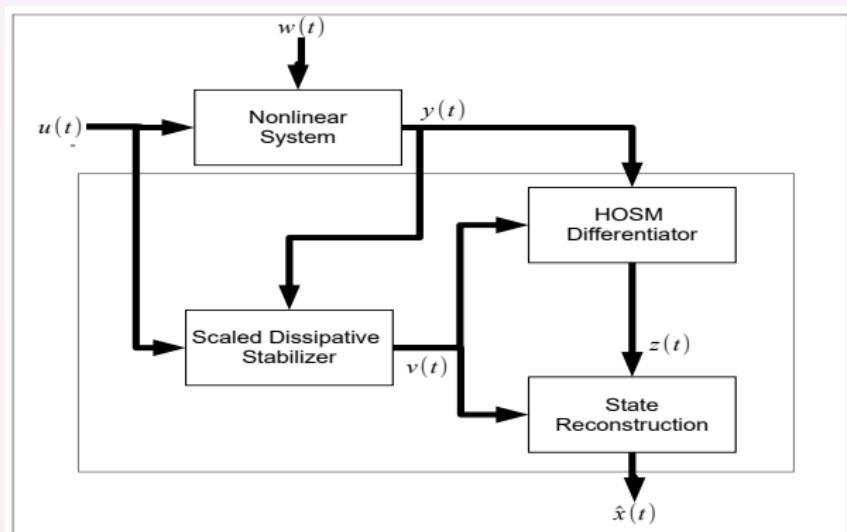
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Goal

Building a global theoretically exact finite time observer for (21).

Idea of the proposed observer:



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Proposed observer: HOSM observer with SDS

$$\dot{v}(t) = Av(t) + B\psi(v(t) + N(Cv(t) - y(t))) + \varphi(u, y) + \Delta_I K(Cv(t) - y(t)), \quad (22a)$$

$$\dot{z}(t) = W(z(t), Cv(t) - y(t)), \quad (22b)$$

$$\hat{x}(t) = v(t) - \mathcal{O}^{-1}z(t), \quad (22c)$$

where

$$W(z(t), Cv(t) - y(t)) := \begin{bmatrix} -\alpha_1 L_f^{1/n} [z_1(t) - Cv(t) + y(t)]^{(n-1)/n} + z_2(t) \\ -\alpha_2 L_f^{1/(n-1)} [z_2(t) - \dot{z}_1(t)]^{(n-2)/(n-1)} + z_3(t) \\ \vdots \\ -\alpha_{n-1} L_f^{1/2} [z_{n-1}(t) - \dot{z}_{n-2}(t)]^{1/2} + z_n(t) \\ -\alpha_n L_f [z_n(t) - \dot{z}_{n-1}(t)]^0 \end{bmatrix},$$

with $\lceil \circ \rceil^s := |\circ|^s \text{sign}(\circ)$, and

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$$\mathcal{O} = \begin{bmatrix} C \\ C(A + \Delta_I K C) \\ \vdots \\ C(A + \Delta_I K C)^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad y - \Delta_I := \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & I^2 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & I^n \end{bmatrix}$$

and Δ_I , K , N , L_f are design and α_i 's are designed as in [Levant-2003].

Assumption 1

There are $q < 0$, $S \in \mathbb{R}^{1 \times (n-1)}$ and $R \in \mathbb{R}^{(n-1) \times (n-1)}$ such that the non linearity

$$\Psi(x, h) := \psi(x_1, x_2 + h_1, \dots, x_n + h_{n-1}) - \psi(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n), \quad (23)$$

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$\varrho_\psi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{-q}} \left(\sqrt{-\lambda_{\max}(R)q + \lambda_{\max}(S^T S)} + \{\lambda_{\max}(S^T S)\}^{1/2} \right)$, G a orthogonal matrix $D = \operatorname{diag}\{\lambda_i(P)\}$ where $\lambda_i(P)$ denotes the eigenvalue of matrix P for $i = 1, \dots, n$ such that $P = G^T D G$.

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[Angulo et.al.: IJSS 2011, Automatica 2012,13

- under strong observability, use a HOSM observer to estimate x in finite-time;
- by controllability there exists an output $\zeta(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ (not necessary the measured one) with vector relative degree;
- using ζ_i and its derivatives, write the system as m integrator chains;
- use (non-homogeneous) HOSM controllers to obtain (robust) finite-time state stability

$$v_i = -\alpha_i(k_{i,1}\|x\| + k_{i,2})H_{r_i}(\zeta_i, \dot{\zeta}_i, \dots, \zeta_i^{(r_i-1)}), \quad i = 1, \dots, m,$$

H_{r_i} is a r_i -th order SM algorithm, e.g.,

$$\zeta_i \leftarrow \dot{\zeta}_i + \beta|\zeta_i|^{\frac{1}{2}}\text{sign } \zeta_i$$

Moreover

- the previous requirement of a measured output with vector relative degree is not necessary;
- robust finite-time stabilization of the whole state: useful for switching systems [Angulo, Fridman and Levant: IJSS11];
- the same idea can be used for strongly observable nonlinear systems that are flat (not necessarily w.r.t. the measured output) [Angulo et. al.: AUTOMATICA,2013];
- adapt the gain of the differentiator and control: reduce chattering;
- Separation Principle: (robust) on-line detection of the convergence of the differentiators;
- until now, this was done by waiting enough time.

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Problem formulation.

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estimate the input $w(t)$ using only the measured output.

DEFINITION: static left-inverse.

Σ has a **static left-inverse** if there exists a function G and integer k such that

$$w = G(y, \dot{y}, \dots, y^{(k)}).$$

Remarks.

- if Σ is strongly observable and $\text{rank } g = m$ then Σ has a static left-inverse [Angulo et.al: Automatica,13];
- however, neither **strong observability** nor **strong detectability** are **necessary** for Σ to have a static left-inverse (see, e.g., [Bejarano et.

Unknown input identification

Recall the canonical form

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & D_1 A_{12} & D_1 A_{13} & D_1 A_{14} \\ A_{21} C_1 & A_{22} & 0 & 0 \\ A_{31} C_1 & A_{32} C_2 & A_{33} & 0 \\ A_{41} C_1 & A_{42} C_2 & 0 & A_{44} \end{bmatrix} x + \begin{bmatrix} D_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} w,$$
$$y = \begin{bmatrix} C_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C_2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x,$$

THEOREM. [Bejarano et. al: 09]

- obviously w can be estimated iff x_1 can be estimated and $\text{rank } D_1 = m$;
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State observer

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$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\tilde{x}}_1 &= \tilde{x}_2 - \alpha_2 \lambda(\tilde{x}_1) sign(\tilde{x}_1) \\ \dot{\tilde{x}}_2 &= (\theta(t) - \bar{\theta}(t))\varphi(t, \mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, u) - \alpha_1 sign(\tilde{x}_1)\end{aligned}$$

- Equivalent output injection:

$$\bar{z}_{eq}(t) = \alpha_1 sign(\tilde{x}_1) = (\theta - \bar{\theta})\varphi(t, \mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, u)$$

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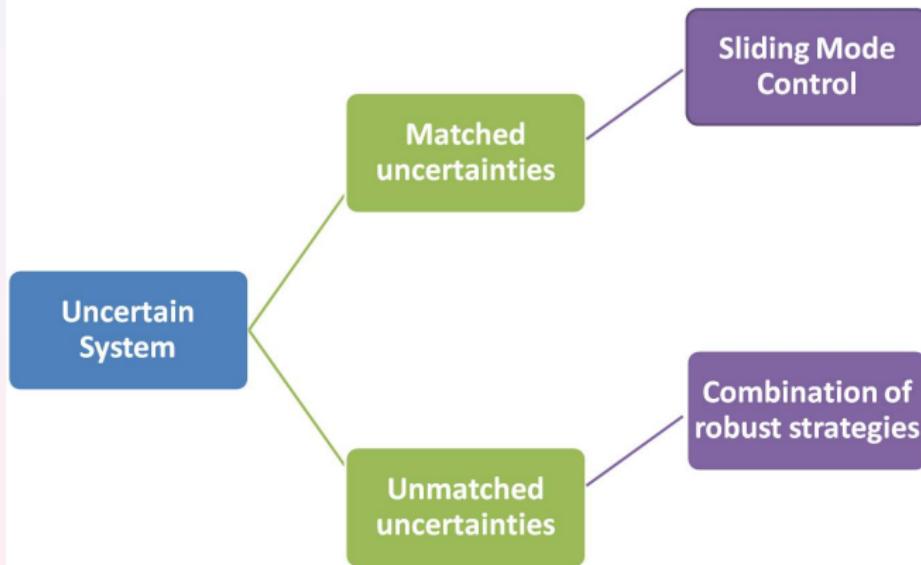
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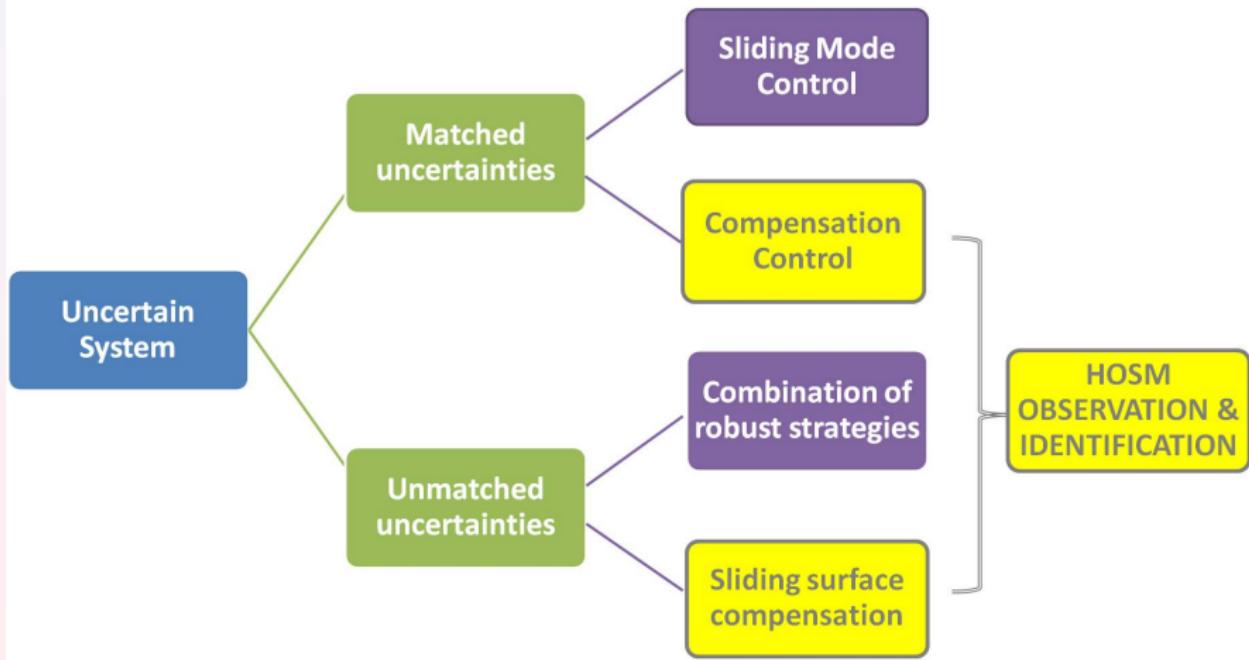
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Sliding mode control

- Advantages:
 - Robustness (insensitivity) against matched uncertainties/disturbances.
 - Finite-time reaching of the transient.
 - Reduction of the system dynamics order on the sliding surface
- Shortcomings:
 - Lack of robustness against unmatched uncertainties/disturbances.
 - Chattering !!

Questions

- How can we preserve the insensitivity against matched disturbances without the noxious effect of chattering?
- How can we deal against unmatched disturbances?

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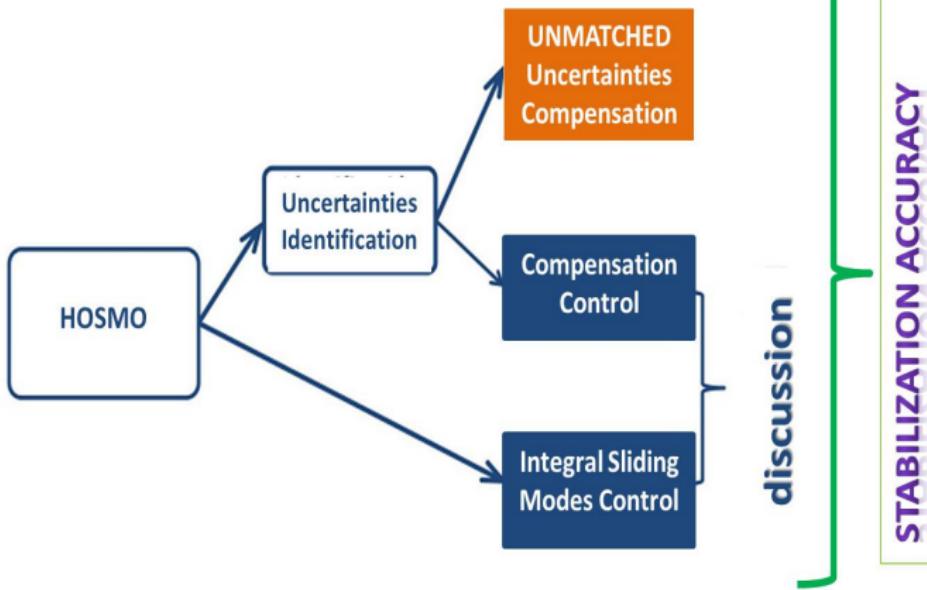
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Using HOSMO to estimate in finite-time:

- the state to design a robust controller
- the state and identify the disturbance to **compensate it** through the control signal

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HOSMO-based control approaches to deal with matched and unmatched disturbances



Exact *matched* disturbances compensation

With or without chattering?

$$\dot{x} = Ax + B[u + w], \quad y = Cx.$$

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$$u(t) = u_n + u_c$$

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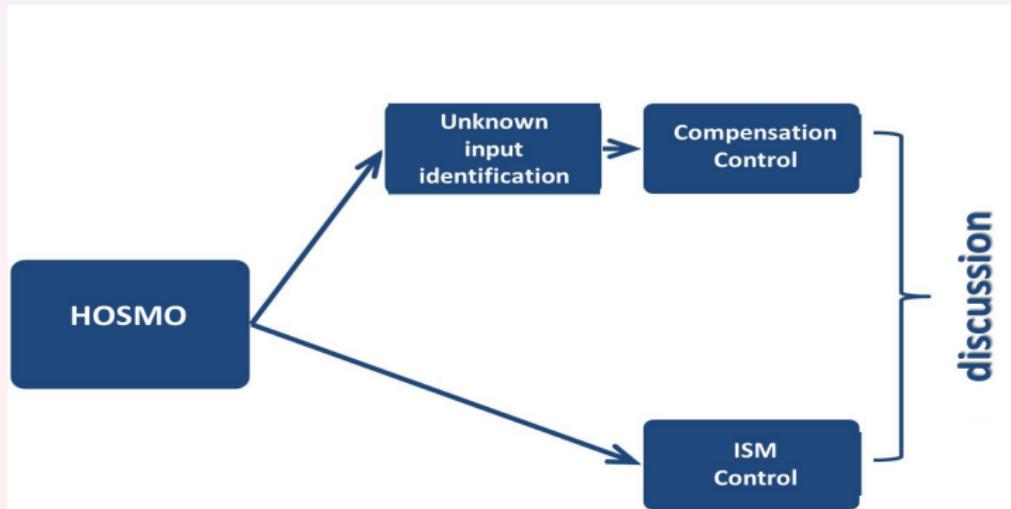
How to design the compensation term u_c ?

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With or without chattering?

Two exact compensation approaches [Ferreira et al. 2011]

- HOSMO based identification and compensation control (*continuous*)
- Output integral sliding mode control (*discontinuous*)



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$$\dot{x} = Ax + B[u + w], \quad y = Cx.$$

$$x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m, \quad y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^p, \quad w(t) \in \mathbb{R}^q$$

Assumptions

- A1. (A, C, D) strongly observable
- A2. $w(t)$ bounded with a constant w^+ such that $\|w(t)\| \leq w^+ \quad \forall t \geq 0$
- A3. $w(t)$ satisfies $\|w^{(i)}(t)\| \leq w^+$ for $i = 1, \dots, \alpha \quad \forall t \geq 0$.

HOSM algebraic observer

Luemberger observer (bounding of the error)

$$\dot{\tilde{x}} = A\tilde{x} + Bu + L(y - \tilde{y}), \quad \tilde{y} = C\tilde{x}$$

Observer error dynamics, $e(t) := x - \tilde{x}$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{e} &= (A - LC)e + Dw \\ y_e &= Ce\end{aligned}$$

$$\|e(t)\| \leq e^+, \text{ for all } t > T$$

Disturbance decoupling (Molinari) and state recovering

Remark [Molinari 1976]

There exists a $k \leq n$ such that $\text{rank}(M_k) = n$,

Step k

$$\blacktriangleright \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{d}{dt} (M_{k-1}D)^{\perp} M_{k-1} \tilde{A} \\ C \end{bmatrix}}_{M_k} e = \frac{d^{k-1}}{dt^{k-1}} \begin{bmatrix} J_{k-1} & 0 \\ 0 & I_p \end{bmatrix} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} y_e \\ \int y_e d\tau dt \\ \vdots \\ \int \dots \int y_e d\tau dt \end{bmatrix}}_{Y_{[k-1]}}$$

Error state recovering

$$e(t) = \underbrace{\frac{d^{k-1}}{dt^{k-1}} M_k^+ \begin{bmatrix} J_{k-1} & 0 \\ 0 & I_p \end{bmatrix} Y^{[k-1]}}_{\Theta(t)}$$

HOSM differentiation

HOSM differentiator, [Levant 2003]

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z}_0 &= \lambda_0 \Lambda^{\frac{1}{i+1}} \|z_0 - \Theta(t)\|^{\frac{i}{i+1}} \operatorname{sgn}(z_0 - \Theta(t)) + z_1 \\ &\vdots \\ \dot{z}_{i-1} &= \lambda_{i-1} \Lambda^{\frac{1}{2}} \|z_{i-1} - \dot{z}_{i-2}\|^{\frac{1}{2}} \operatorname{sgn}(z_{i-1} - \dot{z}_{i-2}) + z_i \\ \dot{z}_i &= \lambda_i \Lambda \operatorname{sgn}(z_i - \dot{z}_{i-1})\end{aligned}$$

Remark

Under A3, the higher differentiation order possible is

$$i = \alpha + \kappa - 1$$

$$\frac{d^i \Theta(t)}{dt^i} = z_i \quad \forall t \geq t_f$$

State estimation, $\forall t \geq T$

$$\hat{x}(t) = \tilde{x}(t) + M_k^+ z^{(k-1)}$$

Perturbation identification, $\forall t \geq T$

$$\hat{w}(t) = D^+ \left(\underbrace{\dot{e}}_{z_k} - (A - LC) \underbrace{e}_{z_{k-1}} \right)$$

Estimation and identification accuracy

Measured output

$$\Theta(t) = \Theta_0(t) + \eta(t)$$

- η Deterministic noise signal $\|n(t)\| \leq \eta$
- δ Sampling step
- Δ Combined effect of deterministic noise and sampling time

Differentiator accuracy [Angulo et al.: 2011]

Error	δ
Observation	$O(\delta^{\alpha+1})$
Identification	$O(\delta^\alpha)$
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Exact matched disturbances compensation control

With or without chattering?

$$\dot{x} = Ax + B[u + w], \quad y = Cx$$

HOSM based compensation control (*continuous*)

$$u(t) = -K\hat{x} - \hat{w}$$

Output-based integral sliding mode control (*discontinuous*)

$$u(t) = -K\hat{x}(t) - \rho \frac{s(\hat{x}, t)}{\|s(\hat{x}, t)\|}$$

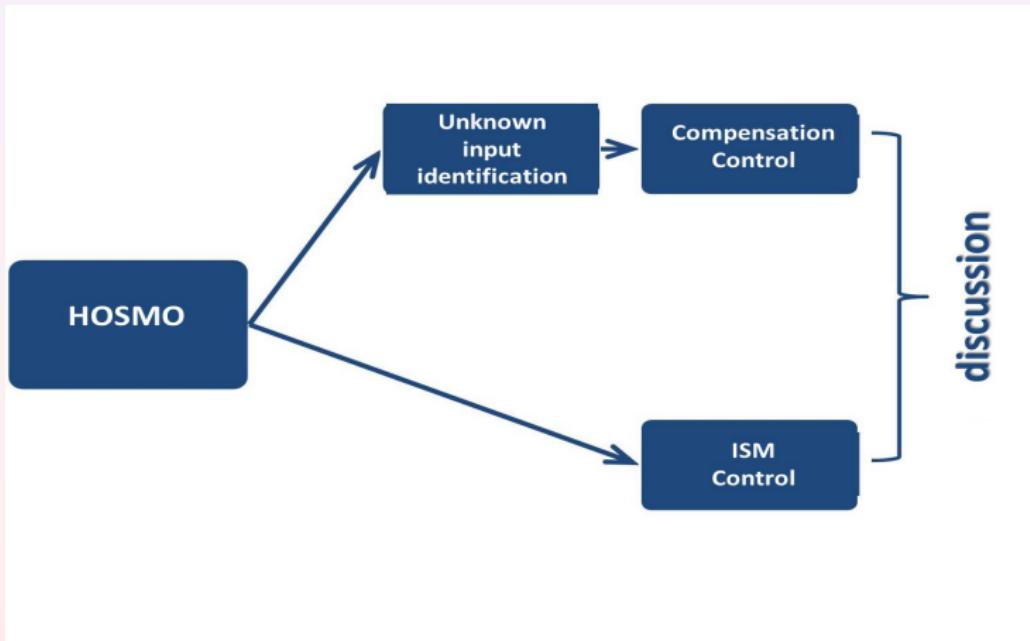
$$s(\hat{x}, t) = B^+ \left[\hat{x}(t) - x(T) - \int_T^t [A\hat{x}(\tau) + Bu_n(\tau)] d\tau \right] \quad \rho > w^+$$

Exact matched disturbances compensation

With or without chattering?

Discussion

Which approach we should use?



Closed-loop system accuracy ϵ

HOSM identification and compensation control

$$\epsilon = \underbrace{O(\Delta^{\alpha+1})}_{\textit{Observation}} + \underbrace{O(\Delta^\alpha)}_{\textit{Identification}} + \underbrace{O(\mu)}_{\textit{Execution}}$$

Output-based integral sliding mode control

$$\epsilon = \underbrace{O(\Delta^{\alpha+1})}_{\textit{Observation}} + \underbrace{O(\mu)}_{\textit{Execution}}$$

Where μ is the actuator time constant with an execution error $O(\mu)$ [Fridman: 02].

Exact matched disturbance compensation

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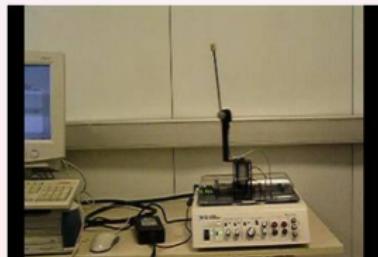
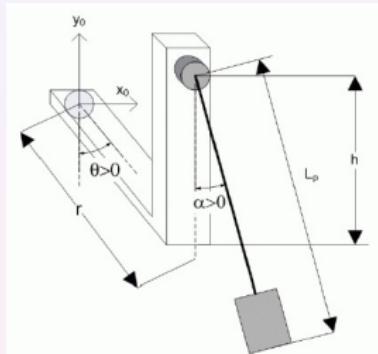
Controller approach selection [Ferreira et al. 2011]

$$\underbrace{O(\Delta^\alpha)}_{\text{Identification}} \ll \underbrace{O(h)}_{\text{Execution}} \quad \text{Compensation control}$$

$$\underbrace{O(\Delta^{\alpha+1})}_{\text{Observation}} \ll \underbrace{O(h)}_{\text{Execution}} \ll \underbrace{O(\Delta^\alpha)}_{\text{Identification}} \quad \text{ISM control}$$

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Experiments



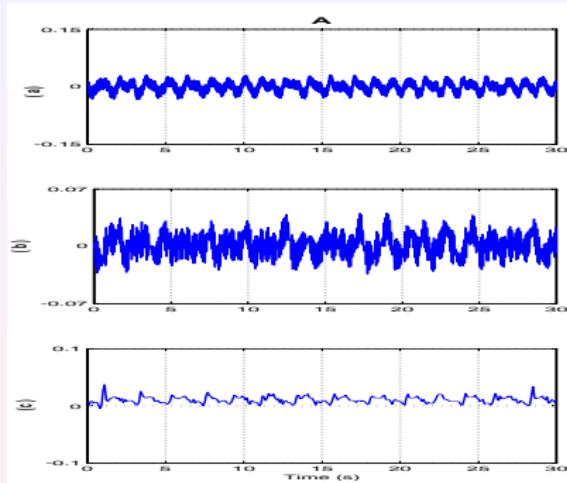
$$x = [\theta, \alpha, \dot{\theta}, \dot{\alpha}]^T$$
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 82,4 & 1,31 & 0 \\ 0 & 56,81 & 0,37 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 46,75 \\ 13,20 \end{bmatrix}, \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 46,75 \\ 13,20 \end{bmatrix},$$

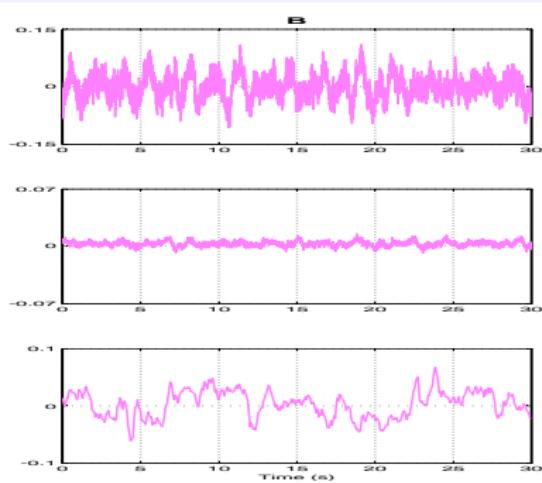
$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w(t) = 0,4\operatorname{sen}(2,5t) + 0,5.$$

Compensation control



ISM Control

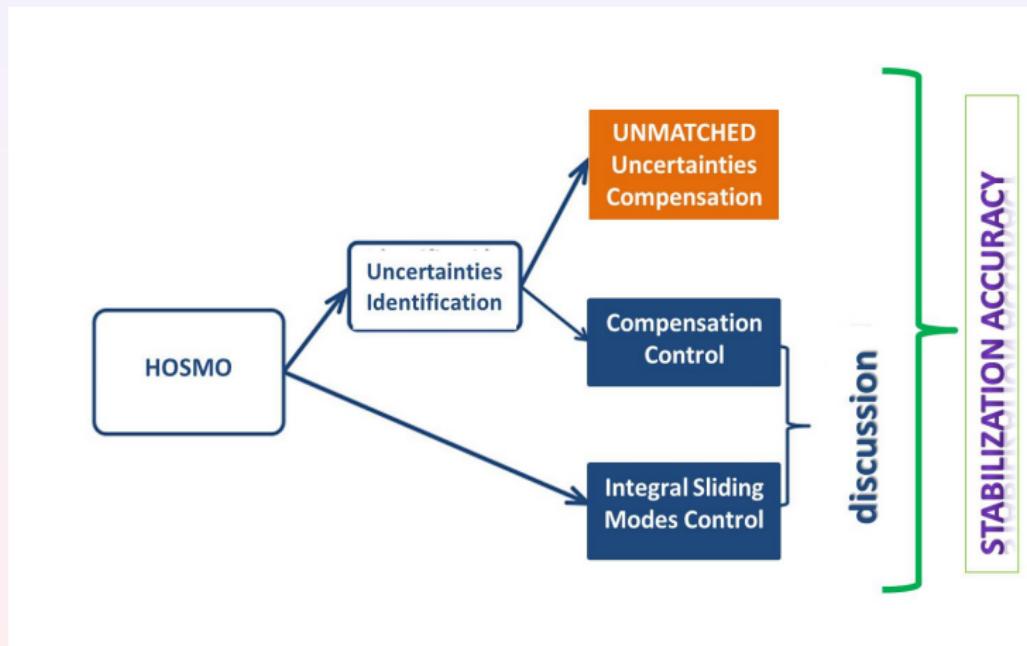


Remarks

- identification error \ll execution error: remove perturbation by identification (a);
- execution error \ll identification error: use ISM (b);

Output-feedback stabilization of disturbed systems

HOSMO-based control approaches to deal with matched and unmatched disturbances



Question

How to deal with *unmatched* disturbances?

Exact *unmatched* disturbances compensation control

System with unmatched disturbances, i.e., $\text{span}\{D\} \subset \text{span}\{B^\perp\}$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= Ax + Bu + Dw, \\ y &= Cx\end{aligned}$$

$x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$, and $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ($1 \leq p < n$)

Identification and compensation approach [Ferreira et al. 2013]

- Providing (A, C, D) is strongly observable, use a HOSM observer to estimate x and identify w .
- Compensate the unmatched disturbances through the sliding surface.

Exact unmatched disturbances compensation control

$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu + Dw, \quad y = Cx$$

Coordinate transformation $[x_1 \ x_2]^T \mapsto T_r x$

$$T_r = \begin{bmatrix} B^\perp \\ B^+ \end{bmatrix}$$

where $B^\perp B = 0$, $B^+ = (B^T B)^{-1} B^T$.

- By construction $\det(T_r) \neq 0$.
- Applying the change of coordinates yields to

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_1 &= A_{11}x_1 + A_{12}x_2 + D_1w \\ \dot{x}_2 &= A_{21}x_1 + A_{22}x_2 + D_2w + u\end{aligned}$$

where $x_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n-m}$ and $x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^m$.

The regularized system

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_1 &= A_{11}x_1 + A_{12}x_2 + D_1w \\ \dot{x}_2 &= A_{21}x_1 + A_{22}x_2 + D_2w + u \\ y &= CT_r x\end{aligned}$$

$x_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n-m}$, $x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $u \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $w \in \mathbb{R}^q$.

Assumptions [Ferreira et al.: 13]

- A1. (A, B) controllable.
- A2. (A, C, D) strongly observable.
- A3. $w(t)$ and its derivatives up to order $\alpha + 1$ are bounded by the same constant w^+ , i.e. $\|w^{(\alpha+1)}\| < w^+$ with $\alpha \geq 0$.
- A4. $\text{span}\{D_1\} \subset \text{span}\{A_{12}\}$.

Exact *unmatched* disturbances compensation control

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Problem formulation

- Use a HOSMO to estimate the state x and identify the disturbances w .
- Compensate the unmatched disturbances through the sliding surface (exploiting x_2 as a pseudo-control to stabilize x_1).
- Maintain the remained states trajectories bounded.

Sliding surface design

$$s = K\hat{x}_1 + \hat{x}_2 + G\hat{w}$$

- $K \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times (n-m)}$ determines the behavior of the reduced order dynamics.
- $G\hat{w}$ compensates the unmatched disturbances, $G = A_{12}^+ D_1$.

Control law

$$u = u_n - \rho(x) \frac{s(t)}{\|s(t)\|}$$

- u_n is the nominal controller
- $-\rho(x) \frac{s(t)}{\|s(t)\|}$ with $\rho(x) \in \mathbb{R}$, drives the state trajectories to the sliding surface despite the disturbances w .

Exact unmatched disturbances compensation control

First, design u such that $s = \dot{s} = 0$

- Sliding surface dynamics

$$\dot{s} = \Phi x + (KD_1 + D_2)w + G\dot{w} + u$$

where $\Phi \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ is a known matrix.

- Proposing

$$u = -\Phi x - \rho \frac{s}{\|s\|}, \quad \rho > (\|KD_1 + D_2\| + \|G\|)w^+ \gamma$$

with $\gamma > 0$.

- Using $V = 0.5s^T s$ produces $\dot{V} \leq -\gamma V^{1/2}$. Therefore the sliding mode is established after $t > t_r$.

Exact *unmatched* disturbances compensation control

On the sliding surface $s = 0$

$$\hat{x}_2 = -K\hat{x}_1 - G\hat{w}$$

The reduced order dynamics becomes

$$\dot{x}_1 = (A_{11} - A_{22}K)x_1 + \textcolor{red}{D_1 w - A_{12}G\hat{w}}$$

Due to A4, G may be designed as $G = A_{12}^+ D_1$ yielding to

$$\dot{x}_1 = (A_{11} - A_{22}K)x_1 \quad \lambda(A_{11} - A_{22}K) < 0$$

Exact *unmatched* disturbances compensation control

The compensated dynamics

$$\begin{aligned}\|x_1(t)\| &\leq \alpha \|x_1(0)\| e^{-\beta t} & \alpha, \beta > 0 \\ \|x_2(t)\| &\leq \|K\| \|x_1(t)\| + \|G\| w^+\end{aligned}$$

In summary [Ferreira et al 2013]

- Use a HOSMO to estimate x and identify w .
- Compensate the unmatched disturbances through the sliding surface.
- The unmatched disturbances must be *matched* to the pseudo-control x_2 , i.e., $\text{span}\{D_1\} \subset \text{span}\{A_{12}\}$.

Question

How to deal with the case when $\text{span}\{D_1\} \not\subset \text{span}\{A_{12}\}$?

Exact unmatched disturbances compensation control

$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu + Dw, \quad y = Cx$$

$x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$, and $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ($1 \leq p < n$)

Assumptions [Ferreira et al. 2015]

- A1. (A, C, D) strongly observable.
- A2. $w(t)$ and its derivatives up to order r are bounded by the same constant w^+ , i.e. $\|w^{(r)}\| < w^+$ with $r > 0$.
- A3. $\text{span}\{D\} \subset \text{span}\{B^\perp\}$.

Problem formulation

Design an output feedback sliding mode controller u allowing x_1 (i.e., output to be controlled) to track a smooth signal x_d despite system disturbances w .

Exact unmatched disturbances compensation control

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Strict-feedback form [Loukianov 1993]

$$\dot{x}_1 = A_1 x_1 + B_1(x_2 + \Gamma_1 w)$$

$$\dot{x}_i = A_i \bar{x}_i + B_i(x_{i+1} + \Gamma_i w)$$

$$\dot{x}_r = A_r \bar{x}_r + B_r(u + \Gamma_r w)$$

$$i = \overline{2, r-1}, \bar{x}_i = [x_1^T \dots x_i^T]^T, x_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n_i}, n_i = \text{rank}(B_i), \sum_{i=1}^r n_i = n$$

- Sub-systems comprising $i = \overline{1, r-1}$ represent the sub-actuated dynamics.
- $i = r$ corresponds to the actuated dynamics, $x_r \in \mathbb{R}^m$.

Identification and compensation approach [Ferreira et al. 2015]

- Use a HOSMO to estimate the state and identify the disturbance and their successive derivatives until $r - 2$ -th order.
- Construct a dynamic sliding surface in $r - 1$ -steps.
- Propose a sliding mode controller at $r - th$ -step.

Dynamic sliding surface design

- *Step 1)* Exploit x_2 as a pseudo-control for x_1 ,

$$\dot{x}_1 = A_1 x_1 + B_1(x_2 + \Gamma_1 w)$$

$$\phi_1 = -\Gamma_1 \hat{w} - B_1^\dagger(A_1 x_1 - \hat{A}_1(x_1 - x_d) - \dot{x}_d)$$

Dynamic sliding surface design

- *Step i)* Exploit x_{i+1} as a pseudo-control for x_i , it is $x_{i+1} := \phi_i$

$$\dot{x}_1 = A_1 x_1 + B_1(x_2 + \Gamma_1 w)$$

$$\dot{x}_i = A_i \bar{x}_i + B_i(\textcolor{red}{x}_{i+1} + \Gamma_i w)$$

$$\phi_i = -\Gamma_i \hat{w} - B_i^\dagger (A_i \bar{x}_i - \hat{A}_i(x_i - \phi_{i-1}) + X_{i-1}(x_{i-1} - \phi_{i-2}) - \dot{\phi}_{i-1})$$

Dynamic sliding surface design

- *Step r – 1)* Finally, the sliding surface is designed as

$$s = x_r - \phi_{r-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_{r-1} = & -\Gamma_{r-1} \hat{w} - B_{r-1}^\dagger (A_{r-1} \bar{x}_{r-1} - \hat{A}_{r-1} (x_{r-1} - \phi_{r-2})) \\ & + X_{r-2} (x_{r-2} - \phi_{r-3}) - \dot{\phi}_{r-2}\end{aligned}$$

Exact unmatched disturbances compensation control

The control law becomes

$$u = \underbrace{-\Gamma_r \hat{w} - B_r^\dagger (A_r \bar{x}_r - \dot{\phi}_r + \dots)}_{u_n} - \underbrace{B_r^\dagger \nu}_{u_c}$$

where $\nu \in \mathbb{R}^m$ may be a sliding mode control, for instance super-twisting controller

$$\nu = K_1 \frac{s}{\|s\|^{1/2}} + K_2 \int_{t_f}^t \frac{s}{\|s\|}.$$

Remarks

- An output tracking control for MIMO systems subjected to matched and unmatched disturbances based on HOSMO.
- The exact compensation of the disturbances is tackled through a dynamic sliding surface design
- A sliding mode controller drives the states to the sliding-surface and diminishes the computational complexity (system order reduction)

Exact *unmatched* disturbances compensation control

Example: 3DOF Helicopter

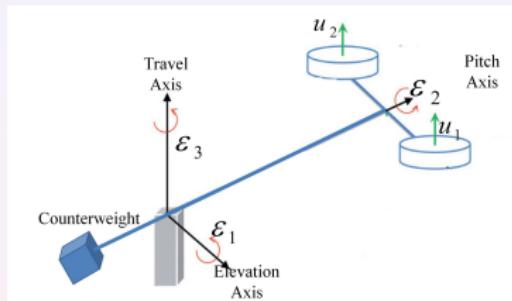


Figura: Schematic diagram of a 3-DOF helicopter.

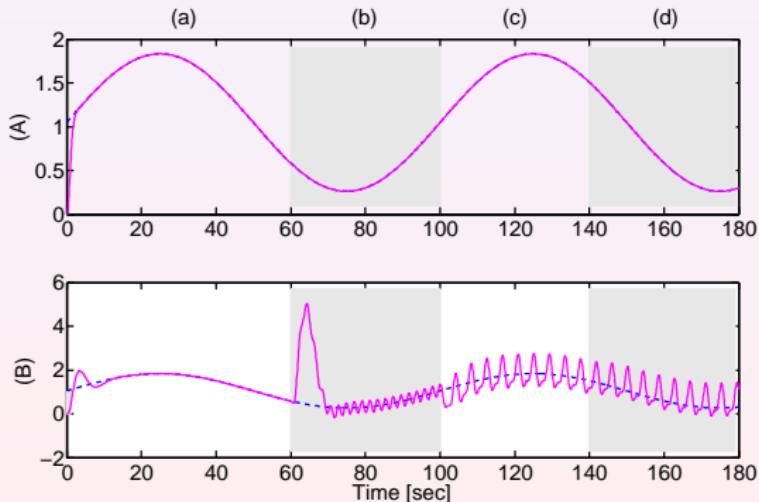
A linearized model around $\epsilon_2^* = 0$ is given by

$$\begin{aligned}\ddot{\epsilon}_1 &= 0,45 ((u_1 + f_1) + (u_2 + f_2)) \\ \ddot{\epsilon}_2 &= 3,05 ((u_1 + f_1) - (u_2 + f_2)) \\ \ddot{\epsilon}_3 &= -0,49\epsilon_2 + \nu\end{aligned}$$

Exact *unmatched* disturbances compensation control

Example: 3DOF Helicopter

Sliding Mode Compensation vs H_∞



Travel tracking performance: (A) Exact unmatched compensation control vs (B) H_∞ control.

Outline

- 1 Conventional Sliding Mode Observers
- 2 Higher Order Sliding Mode Observers
- 3 Cascaded HOSM Observers for Linear systems with unknown inputs
- 4 Super-twisting based Observers for Mechanical Systems
- 5 HOSM based Observers for Nonlinear Systems
- 6 Output-feedback finite-time stabilization of disturbed LTI systems
- 7 Unknown input identification
- 8 Parameter Identification

Outline

10 Switched Systems

- Observation of the continuous and discrete state of switched systems
- Linear Switched Systems

Problem Statement

Consider the switched system:

$$\dot{x}(t) = f_{\sigma(t)}(x(t)) + B_{\sigma(t)}u(t) + D_{\sigma(t)}w(t), \quad (27)$$

$$y(t) = h_{\sigma(t)}(x(t)) \quad (28)$$

$x \in \mathcal{X} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$, $y \in \mathcal{Y} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$, $u \in \mathcal{U} \subseteq \mathbb{U}^p$, $w \in \mathcal{W} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$,

$\sigma \in \mathcal{Q} \in \mathbb{N}$,

$f_{\sigma(t)} : \mathcal{X}_{\sigma} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$, $B_{\sigma(t)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$, $D_{\sigma(t)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$, $h_{\sigma(t)} : \mathcal{X}_{\sigma} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$,

- **Autonomous.** The dynamics changes discontinuously when $x(t)$ hits certain boundaries, i.e. σ depends on $x(t)$.
- **Non-Autonomous.** The dynamics changes abruptly in response to a control command or an exogenous signal, i.e. σ does not depend on $x(t)$.

Main Objective

To develop some observation approaches for estimating the continuous and discrete states in certain classes of SS.

Main idea: use HOSM Observers as a **bank of observers** (continuous state) and the **equivalent injection** (discrete state/unknown inputs).

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- Finite time continuous state estimation for Nonlinear Switched Systems (Non-Autonomous, i.e. $\sigma(t)$);
- Finite time discrete state estimation using Equivalent Injection;

H. Ríos et al. JFI 2012

- Finite time continuous and discrete state estimation for Nonlinear Switched Systems (Autonomous, i.e. $\sigma(t)$);
- Approximated unknown input identification using Equivalent Injection;

H. Ríos et al. IJACSP 2014

- Finite time continuous and discrete state estimation for Linear Switched Systems (Autonomous, i.e. $\sigma(t)$);
- Approximated unknown input identification using Equivalent Injection;

Outline

10 Switched Systems

- Observation of the continuous and discrete state of switched systems
- Linear Switched Systems

Problem Statement

Consider the following class of SS

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= A_{\sigma(t)}x(t) + B_{\sigma(t)}u(t) + E_{\sigma(t)}w(t), \\ y(t) &= C_{\sigma(t)}x(t),\end{aligned}\tag{29}$$

$$\sigma(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & \forall x(t) \mid Hx(t) \in \mathcal{H}_1, \\ 2, & \forall x(t) \mid Hx(t) \in \mathcal{H}_2, \\ \vdots \\ q, & \forall x(t) \mid Hx(t) \in \mathcal{H}_q, \end{cases}$$

$x \in \Re^n$, $y \in \Re^m$, $w \in \Re^m$, $\|w(t)\| \leq w^+ < \infty$,

$A_\sigma \in \Re^{n \times n}$, $C_\sigma \in \Re^{m \times n}$ and $E_\sigma \in \Re^{n \times m}$,

$\sigma \in \mathcal{Q} = \{1, \dots, q\}$,

$H \in \Re^{1 \times n}$ known,

$\mathcal{H}_1, \mathcal{H}_2, \dots, \mathcal{H}_q \in \Re$ known and disjoint intervals.

Autonomous Switchings

Problem Statement

Consider the following class of SS

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$$\sigma \in \mathcal{Q} = \{1, \dots, q\},$$

$x \in \Re^n$, $y \in \Re^m$, $w \in \Re^m$, $\|w(t)\| \leq w^+ < \infty$,

$A_\sigma \in \Re^{n \times n}$, $C_\sigma \in \Re^{m \times n}$ and $E_\sigma \in \Re^{n \times m}$,

$\sigma(t)$ Exogenous Signal.

Non-autonomous Switchings

Problem Statement

Consider the following class of SS

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= A_{\sigma(t)}x(t) + B_{\sigma(t)}u(t) + E_{\sigma(t)}w(t), \\ y(t) &= C_{\sigma(t)}x(t),\end{aligned}\tag{29}$$

$$\sigma \in \mathcal{Q} = \{1, \dots, q\},$$

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$A_\sigma \in \Re^{n \times n}$, $C_\sigma \in \Re^{m \times n}$ and $E_\sigma \in \Re^{n \times m}$,

$\sigma(t)$ Exogenous Signal.

The objective is to estimate the continuous $x(t)$ and discrete $\sigma(t)$ states, respectively.

Assumptions: Continuous State

1. The pair (A_σ, C_σ) , $\forall \sigma \in \mathcal{Q}$, is detectable.
2. The output has a r.d.v. (r_1, \dots, r_m) w.r.t. w , such that $r_1 + \dots + r_m = n_V$, $\forall \sigma \in \mathcal{Q}$.

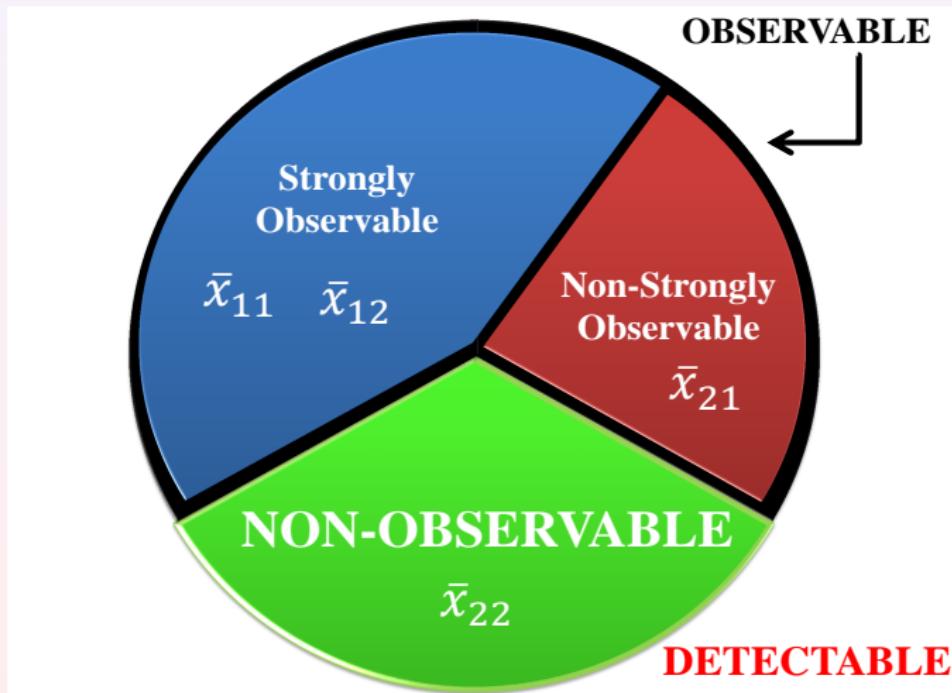
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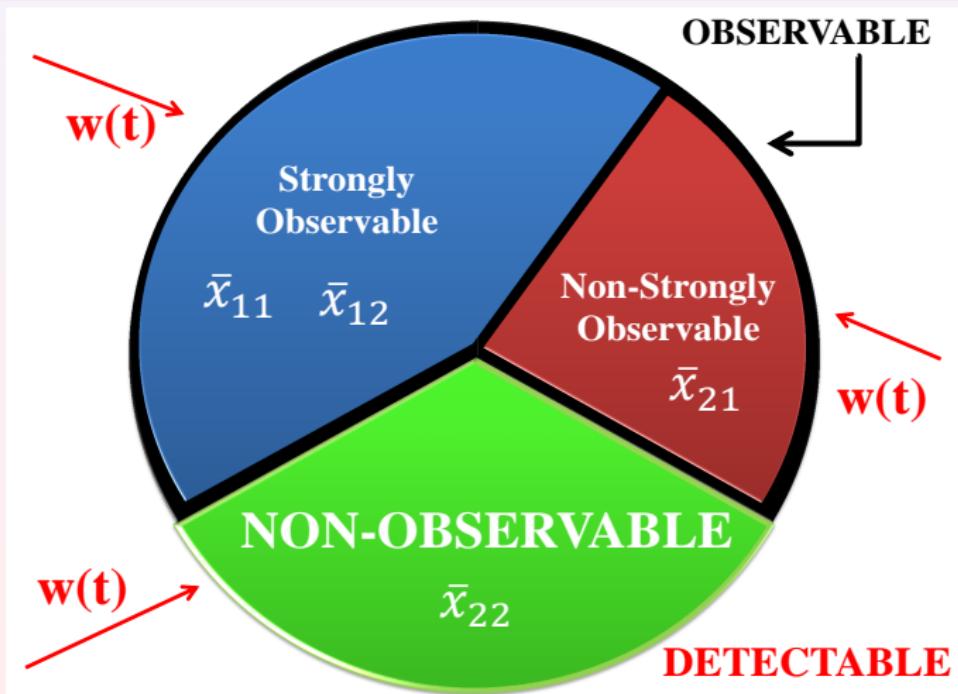
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Assumptions: Continuous State

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Transformation

$$T := [\begin{array}{cccc} U_1^T & U_2^T & (V_{\bar{N}}^+)^T & (N^+)^T \end{array}]^T \Rightarrow \bar{x}(t) = Tx(t)$$

FOR EACH $\sigma = 1, \dots, q$!!.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\bar{x}}_{11}(t) \\ \dot{\bar{x}}_{12}(t) \\ \dot{\bar{x}}_{21}(t) \\ \dot{\bar{x}}_{22}(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & 0 & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & 0 & 0 \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} & 0 \\ A_{41} & A_{42} & A_{43} & A_{44} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}_{11}(t) \\ \bar{x}_{12}(t) \\ \bar{x}_{21}(t) \\ \bar{x}_{22}(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} B_1 \\ B_2 \\ B_3 \\ B_4 \end{bmatrix} u(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ E_{12} \\ E_{21} \\ E_{22} \end{bmatrix} \bar{w}(t),$$

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= C_1 \begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}_{11}^T(t) & \bar{x}_{12}^T(t) \end{bmatrix}^T, \\ \bar{w}(t) &= w(t) - K_1^* \bar{x}_{21}(t), \end{aligned}$$

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Observer [L. Fridman et. al IJSS2007]

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$$\dot{\nu}_{\sigma^*}(t) = W_{\sigma^*} (y(t) - C_{1\sigma^*} z_{1\sigma^*}(t), \nu_{\sigma^*}(t)),$$

$A_{L_{1\sigma^*}} \Rightarrow (A_{1\sigma^*} - L_{1\sigma^*} C_{1\sigma^*})$ Hurwitz.

$$P_{1\sigma^*} = \left[\begin{array}{cccccc} c_{1\sigma^*}^T, & (c_{1\sigma^*} A_{L_{1\sigma^*}})^T, & \cdots, & (c_{1\sigma^*} A_{L_{1\sigma^*}}^{r_{1\sigma^*}-1})^T, & \cdots, \\ c_{m\sigma^*}^T, & (c_{m\sigma^*} A_{L_{1\sigma^*}})^T, & \cdots, & (c_{m\sigma^*} A_{L_{1\sigma^*}}^{r_{m\sigma^*}-1})^T \end{array} \right]^T$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{rank}(P_{1\sigma^*}) = n_{\nu_{\sigma^*}}.$$

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The correction terms

$$\nu_{\sigma^*}(t) = \left(\nu_{1_{1_{\sigma^*}}}, \dots, \nu_{1_{r_1 \sigma^*}}, \dots, \nu_{m_{1_{\sigma^*}}}, \dots, \nu_{m_{r_m \sigma^*}} \right)$$

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HOSM Differentiator [Levant and Livne TAC2012]

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\nu}_{k_{1_{\sigma^*}}} &= \nu_{k_{2_{\sigma^*}}} - \alpha_{k_{1_{\sigma^*}}} M_{k_{\sigma^*}}(t)^{\frac{1}{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}}} \left[\nu_{k_{1_{\sigma^*}}} - e_{y_{k_{\sigma^*}}} \right]^{\frac{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}-1}{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}}}, \\ \dot{\nu}_{k_{i_{\sigma^*}}} &= \nu_{k_{(i+1)_{\sigma^*}}} - \alpha_{k_{i_{\sigma^*}}} M_{k_{\sigma^*}}(t)^{\frac{1}{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}-i+1}} \left[\nu_{k_{i_{\sigma^*}}} - \dot{\nu}_{k_{(i-1)_{\sigma^*}}} \right]^{\frac{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}-i}{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}-i+1}}, \\ &\quad \forall i = 2, \dots, r_{k_{\sigma^*}} - 1, \\ \dot{\nu}_{k_{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}}} &= -\alpha_{k_{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}}} M_{k_{\sigma^*}}(t) \left[\nu_{k_{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}}} - \dot{\nu}_{k_{r_{k_{\sigma^*}}-1}} \right]^0, \quad \forall k = 1, \dots, m,\end{aligned}$$

where $e_{y_{k_{\sigma^*}}}(t) = y_k(t) - c_k z_{1_{\sigma^*}}(t)$, the constants $\alpha_{k_{i_{\sigma^*}}}$ and the function $M_{k_{\sigma^*}}(t)$ are chosen recursively and sufficiently large.

Estimation for \bar{x}_{21} with $\sigma(t) = \sigma^* = cte.$

Consider the **Non-Strongly Observable but Observable** part, i.e.

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\bar{x}}_{21}(t) &= A_{31\sigma^*} \bar{x}_{11}(t) + A_{32\sigma^*} \bar{x}_{12}(t) + A_{33\sigma^*} \bar{x}_{21}(t) \\ &\quad + B_{3\sigma^*} u(t) + E_{21\sigma^*} \bar{w}(t).\end{aligned}\quad (31)$$

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Let $\hat{x}_{21\sigma^*}(t)$ be the estimated state

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$$\bar{A}_{1\sigma^*} = A_{31\sigma^*} - L_{2\sigma^*} A_{21\sigma^*},$$

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$$A_{L_{2\sigma^*}} = A_{33\sigma^*} - K_{1\sigma^*}^* E_{21\sigma^*} + L_{2\sigma^*} E_{12\sigma^*} K_{1\sigma^*}^*,$$

$$\bar{B}_{2\sigma^*} = B_{3\sigma^*} - L_{2\sigma^*} B_{2\sigma^*}.$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\bar{x}}_{22}(t) = & A_{41\sigma^*} \bar{x}_{11}(t) + A_{42\sigma^*} \bar{x}_{12}(t) + A_{43\sigma^*} \bar{x}_{21}(t) + A_{44\sigma^*} \bar{x}_{22}(t) \\ & + B_{4\sigma^*} u(t) + E_{22\sigma^*} \bar{w}(t).\end{aligned}\quad (32)$$

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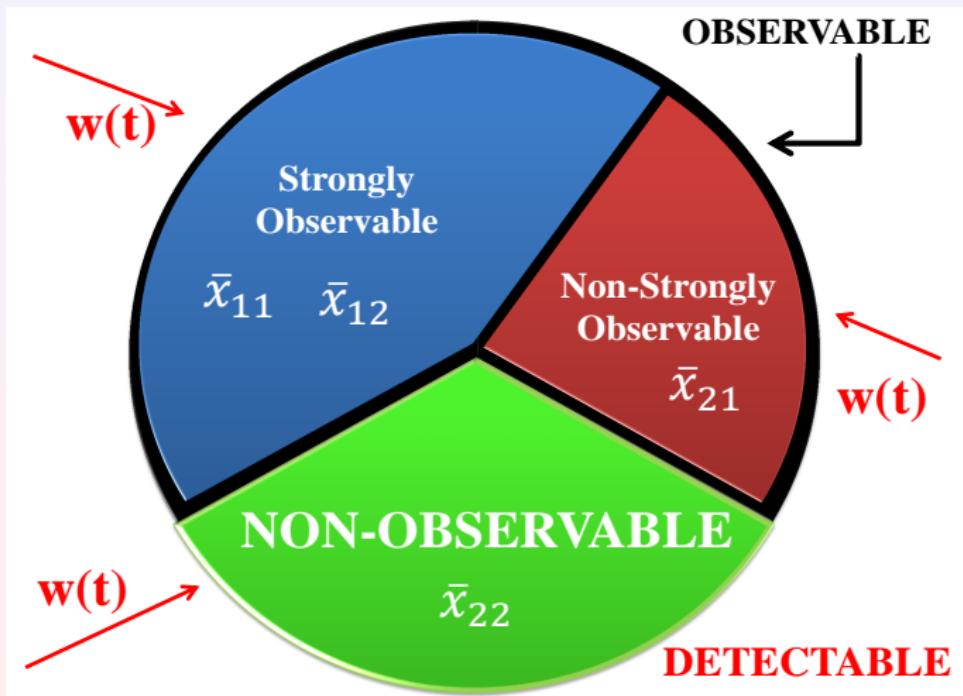
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$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z}_{3\sigma^*}(t) = & A_{41\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{11\sigma^*}(t) + A_{42\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{12\sigma^*}(t) + \\ & A_{43\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{21\sigma^*}(t) + A_{44\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{22\sigma^*}(t) + B_{4\sigma^*} u(t) \\ - E_{22\sigma^*} E_{2\sigma^*}^+ \left[\begin{array}{l} A_{21\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{11\sigma^*}(t) + A_{22\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{12\sigma^*}(t) + B_{2\sigma^*} u(t) \\ A_{31\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{11\sigma^*}(t) + A_{32\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{12\sigma^*}(t) + A_{33\sigma^*} \hat{x}_{21\sigma^*}(t) + B_{3\sigma^*} u(t) \end{array} \right],\end{aligned}$$

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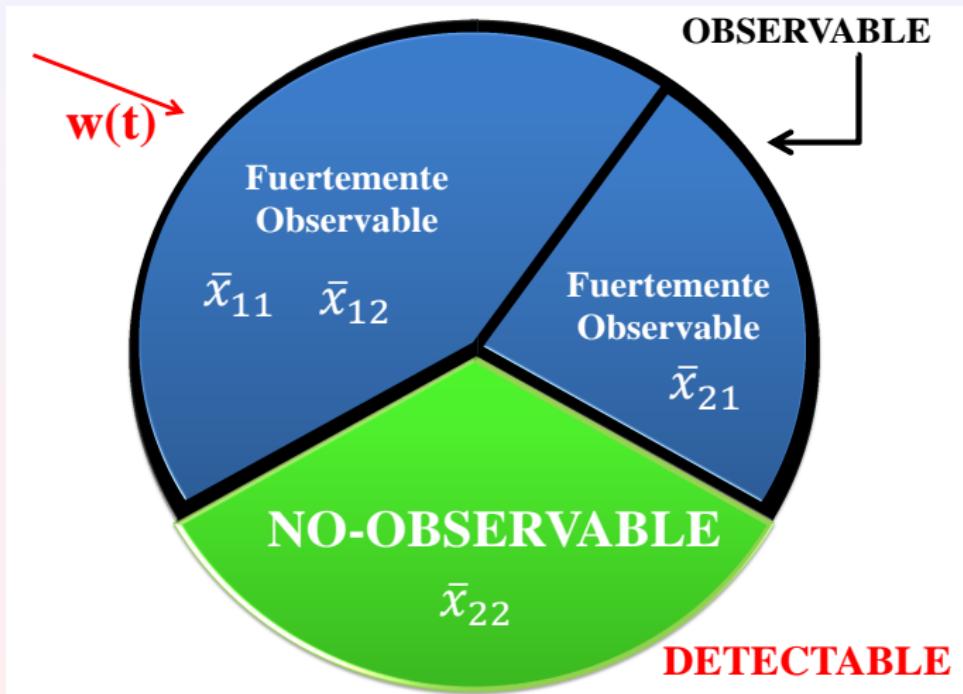


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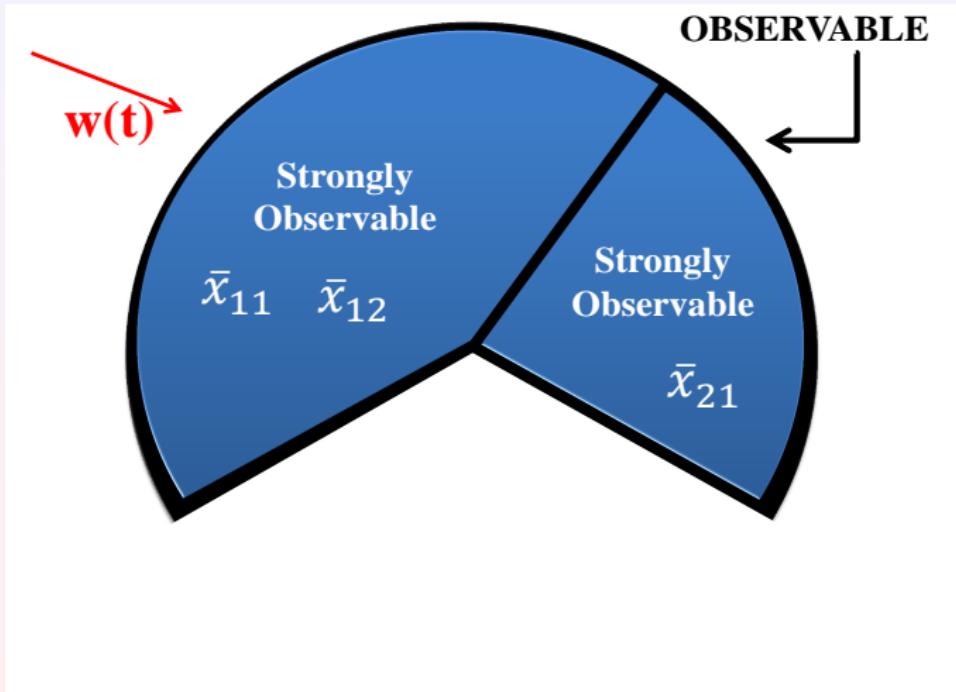


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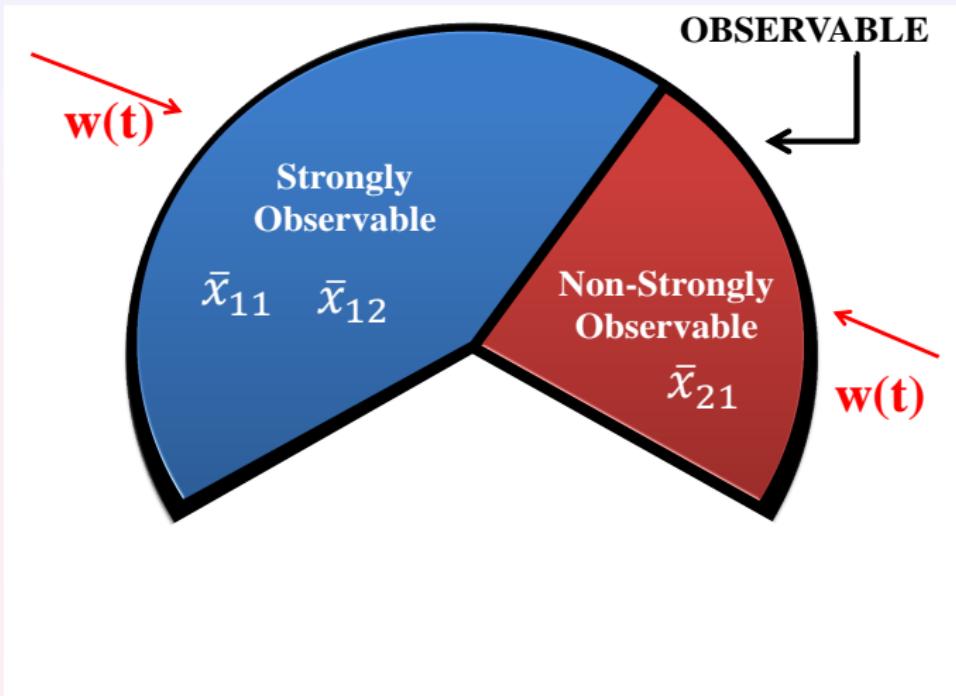
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Assumptions: Discrete State

3. Known initial Discrete State, i.e. $\sigma(0) = \hat{\sigma}(0) = \sigma^*$ known.
4. Strictly positive Dwell time, such that $t_{\sigma^*} < T_\delta$.
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AUTONOMOUS SWITCHINGS

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- 5a. The eigenvalues of $A_{3\sigma^*}$ and the i.c. $x(0)$, allow to satisfy $t_{\sigma^*} < t_1$.
6.

$$A_{1i} \neq A_{1j} \vee B_{1i} \neq B_{1j}, \forall i \neq j, \forall i, j \in \mathcal{Q}.$$

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Output Equivalent Injection

$$\nu_{\hat{\sigma}^* eq}(t) = P_{1_{\hat{\sigma}^*}} (\bar{x}_1(t) - z_{1_{\hat{\sigma}^*}}) = 0,$$

$$r_j(t) = \nu_{1_{1_j}}^2(t) + \dots + \nu_{m_{1_j}}^2(t) + \dots + \nu_{m_{r_m j}}^2(t), \quad \forall j \in \mathcal{Q},$$

$$\hat{\sigma}(t) = \arg \min_j r_j(t).$$

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Switching Instants

Proposition: Reset Equations

The continuous state estimation is maintained in spite of the switchings if the following reset equations are implemented in the bank of observers, for all $\hat{\sigma}(t) \neq \hat{\sigma}^*$, i.e.

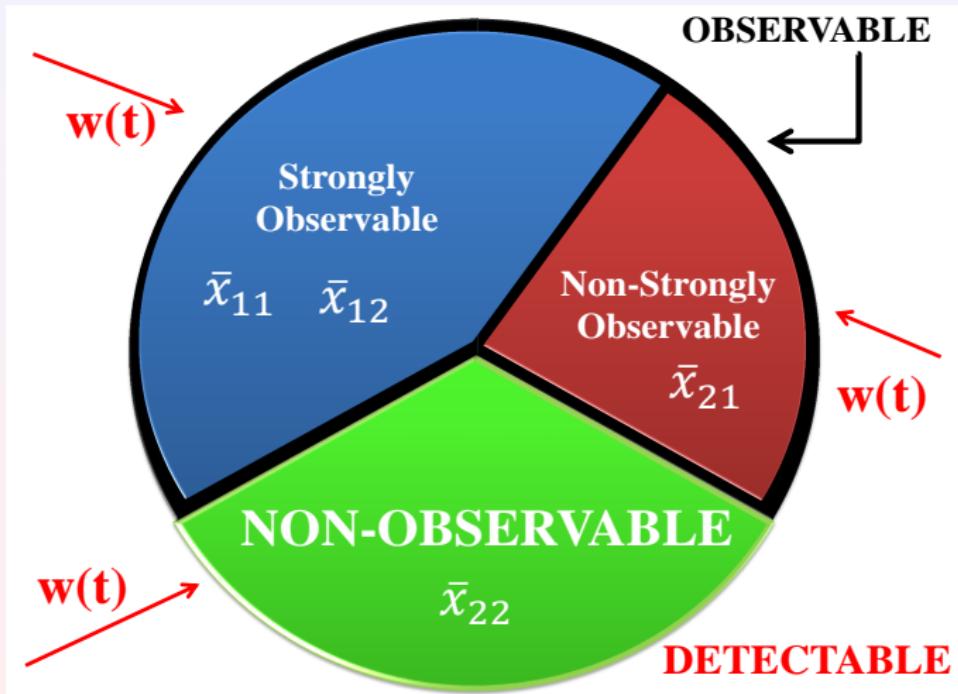
$$\nu_{\hat{\sigma}(t_i^+)}(t_i^+) = 0,$$

$$z_{1_{\hat{\sigma}(t_i^+)}}(t_i^+) = \tilde{x}_{1_{\hat{\sigma}^*}}(t_i),$$

$$z_{2_{\hat{\sigma}(t_i^+)}}(t_i^+) = \tilde{x}_{21_{\hat{\sigma}^*}}(t_i) - L_{2_{\hat{\sigma}^*}} \tilde{x}_{12_{\hat{\sigma}^*}}(t_i),$$

$$z_{3_{\hat{\sigma}(t_i^+)}}(t_i^+) = \tilde{x}_{22_{\hat{\sigma}^*}}(t_i) - E_{22_{\hat{\sigma}^*}} E_{2_{\hat{\sigma}^*}}^+ \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_{12_{\hat{\sigma}^*}}(t_i) \\ \tilde{x}_{21_{\hat{\sigma}^*}}(t_i) \end{bmatrix}.$$

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Results $\forall t \in [t_{\sigma^*}, \infty)$

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4. Exact and Finite Time estimation for the *Discrete State* $\sigma(t)$.

HOSM observers for switched systems

Remarks

- the HOSM differentiator needs a **finite time to converge**;
- therefore the switching system **requires** to have a **positive dwell-time** ;
- nevertheless, this is **not sufficient**: its convergence time **grows with initial differentiator error**;

Conclusions

- to apply HOSM observers for switching systems, a uniform HOSM differentiator is **required**;
- a **first order** uniform robust exact differentiator [Cruz et.al. IEEE TAC 2011];
- **arbitrary order** uniform robust exact differentiator [Angulo et. al. Aut 2013].

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The system with fault

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= f(x) + Bu + F_i(x, u), \quad i = 1, \dots, q \\ y &= h(x)\end{aligned}\tag{33}$$

where

- $x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is the continuous state;
- $u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ is a known input;
- $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^p$ is the measured output;
- Function and matrix (f, B) are known;
- $F_i(x, u)$ are faults (known a-priori) defined by:

$$F_i(x, u) \in \mathcal{F}, \quad \text{where } \mathcal{F} = \{F_1(x, u), \dots, F_q(x, u)\}$$

i.e. q faulty cases that change the system properties (*plant faults*) or/and the dynamical input properties of the system (*actuator faults*).

Fault detection using multi-model approach

Problem statement

Given $\{y(s), s \in [0, t]\}$ identify and isolate the q possible faults (FDI).

Main idea: use q HOSM Observers as **multi-models** and **the equivalent injection** to carry out FDI.

Proposed Solution (H. Ríos et al. IJRNC 2014)

- HOSM differentiator applied to the estimation error dynamics;
- Finite-time reconstruction of continuous state;
- Fault detection and isolation using Equivalent Injection;

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