

# 4CM20 - Hybrid Systems and Control

Solving Linear Matrix Inequalities using the Multi Parametric Toolbox (MPT3)

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# Motivating Examples on Canvas

- Quadratic Lyapunov function

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- Common quadratic Lyapunov function

$$\text{Find } P \text{ s.t. } \begin{cases} A_1^\top P + PA_1 < 0 \\ A_2^\top P + PA_2 < 0 \\ P > 0 \end{cases}$$

- Piecewise quadratic Lyapunov function (continuity and S-procedure)

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Find } T = T^\top, \text{ and } U_i, W_i \\ \text{symm. with nonneg.} \\ \text{entries s.t.} \end{array} \quad \begin{cases} A_i^\top P_j + P_j A_i + E_j^\top U_j E_j < 0 \\ P_i - E_i^\top W_i E_i > 0 \\ P_i = F_i^\top T F_i \end{cases} \quad (i,j) \in \mathcal{J}$$

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10: P = value(Pvar)               %convert P to double
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Always check if  $P$  really satisfies all constraints!

# General Procedure

- Define unknowns: `sdpvar(n,m,'type')`
- Define constraints  $L_i$  for  $i = 1, \dots, N$
- Combine constraints by addition ( $L = L_1 + L_2$ ) or concatenation ( $L = [L_1, L_2]$ )
- Solve for unknowns: `diagnostics = optimize(L)`
- Check solver info for feasibility: `diagnostics.info` and `diagnostics.problem`. When infeasible, check nonnegativity of residuals of inequality constraints: `check(L)`
- Convert solutions: `value(...)`
- Check solutions: substitute in constraints/LMIs and check manually! (eigenvalues, nonnegativity, etc.)

# Commands and Technicalities

- Equality operator: `==`
- Inequality operators (non-strict only!): `<=`, `>=`
- Condition on matrix (eigenvalues): `L=[M<=0]`  
Only when  $M$  is symmetric!
- Condition on matrix elements: `L=[M(:)<=0]`
- Solve while minimizing an objective function (e.g., parameter, matrix elements or eigenvalues): `optimize(L,obj)`
- Specify additional options, such as SDPT3 solver (recommended!):  
`opts = sdpsettings('solver','sdpt3')`  
`optimize(L, [],opts)`

# Final Notes

For installation files and instructions, see

MPT3: <https://www.mpt3.org/Main/Installation>

SDPT3: <https://blog.nus.edu.sg/mattohkc/software/sdpt3/>

For more info, check the YALMIP Wiki

<https://yalmip.github.io/tutorial/semidefiniteprogramming/>

Or in your command window in Matlab type

- `help sdpvar`
- `help optimize`

On Canvas

- Examples
- This presentation