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# Adaptive Fault-Tolerant $H_\infty$ Controller Design for Networked Systems with Actuator Saturation

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In this paper, an indirect adaptive fault-tolerant  $H_\infty$  controller design method is proposed for networked systems in the presence of actuator saturation. Based on the on-line estimation of eventual faults, the parameters of controller are being updated automatically to compensate the fault effects on systems. The designs are given in linear matrix inequalities (LMIs) approach, which can guarantee the disturbance tolerance level and adaptive  $H_\infty$  performances of networked systems in the cases of actuator saturation and actuator failures. An example is given to illustrate the efficiency of the design method.

## 1. Introduction

With the rapid developments in network technologies, more and more communication networks are used in control systems; especially, the stability analysis for systems with time delays have become an active research area. However, networked control systems with actuator saturation and *time delays* are often encountered in many practical systems such as electrical heaters and long transmission lines in pneumatic, hydraulic, and rolling mill systems. Since the existence of time delay and actuator saturation in a physical system often induces instability of poor performance, research on time delay systems with actuator saturation is a topic of great practical and theoretical importance. If the saturation and time delay are ignored in system analysis and design, the performance of the overall system can be degenerated. More seriously, saturation and time delay can cause instability of the overall system. Therefore, over the last several decades, many researchers have considered various control problems of disturbance rejection for linear systems subject to actuator saturation [1–11]. Papers [4, 5] carried out the  $L_2$  gain analysis and minimization. Although there are plenty of papers that are devoted to dealing with different problems for systems with actuator saturation, the main difference and difficulty lie in their treatment of saturation nonlinearity. In paper [2], authors gave a method for maximization of

an ellipsoid which is invariant under input saturation, but persistent disturbances. The works of [1, 3, 6–8] consider the situation where disturbance are bounded in energy. The works of [1, 6, 7] formulated and solved the problem of stability analysis and design. In [9, 10], authors presented LMI-based methods for regional stability and performance of linear antiwindup compensators for linear control systems. [12] presents a method for the analysis and control design of linear systems in the presence of actuator saturation and  $L_2$  disturbances. During the last few years, problems about actuator saturation have been extended to many other fields of automatic control, such as singular systems [13], systems with parameters uncertainty [14], Markovian jump systems [15], decentralized control systems [16], and Hamiltonian systems [17].

Time delays are frequently encountered in almost all networked systems. Since the existence of a delay in a physical system often induces instability of poor performance, research on time-delay systems is a topic of great practical and theoretical importance. During the last decade, the control problem of systems with time delay has received considerable attention. The main methods can be classified into two types: delay-independent ones and delay-dependent ones.

On the other hand, fault tolerant has become a hot research area because of its importance in practical engineering [18–28]. And the design approach can be

broadly classified into two types: Passive approach and Active approach. A passive fault-tolerant controller commonly has a simple structure and is easily implemented [18–22]. The system performances in normal and fault modes can be optimized. Some of these active fault-tolerant control methods may readjust controller parameters or change controller structure to compensate the fault effects on systems. Some of these methods include a strategy involving a fast subsystem for fault detection and isolation (FDI) and a supervisory system that chooses the corresponding controller for a particular type of fault. Most of the results in adaptive fault-tolerant control are based on model reference adaptive control (MRAC) [29–31], but the disturbance attenuation performances of systems have not been addressed yet within the MRAC framework. Paper [32] considered the problem of adaptive reliable controller via state feedback and dynamic output feedback, respectively, for linear time-delay systems against actuator faults. However, when actuator saturation problem is considered, the methods of [32] cannot be used.

As we all know, actuator faults and saturation always happen at the same time for networked systems. However, noting all above results, there is no work that deals with this problem. There are only a few papers that considered the problems about systems with actuator saturation and faults [13, 33, 34]. Motivated by the above observations, this paper studies the problem of designing adaptive fault-tolerant  $H_\infty$  controllers for networked systems with actuator saturation. The designs are developed in the framework of LMIs approach, which can guarantee the disturbance tolerance level and adaptive  $H_\infty$  performances of networked systems in the cases of actuator saturation and actuator failures. The difference between this paper and some existing results is that in this paper the fault tolerant and saturation are considered at same time for networked systems.

The remainder of this paper is organized as follows. Section 2 introduces notation to be used in the paper, and problem statement is given in it. An adaptive fault-tolerant  $H_\infty$  controller design method is described for networked system in Section 3. In Section 4, an example is given to illustrate the efficiency of the design method. The paper will be concluded in Section 5.

## 2. Problem Statement and Preliminaries

In this paper, the following LTI plant will be considered:

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= Ax(t) + A_1 x(t - \tau(t)) + B_1 \omega(t) + B_2 \sigma(u), \\ z(t) &= Cx(t) + D \text{sat}(u), \\ x(t) &= \phi(t) \quad t \in [-h, 0],\end{aligned}\quad (1)$$

where  $x(t) \in R^n$  and  $x_t$  is the plant state at time  $t$  defined by  $x_t(s) = x(t+s)$ ,  $s \in [-h, 0]$ ,  $\text{sat}(u) \in R^m$  is the saturated control input,  $z(t) \in R^s$  is the regulated output, and  $\omega(t) \in R^d$  is an exogenous disturbance in  $L_2[0, \infty]$ , respectively.  $A$ ,  $A_1$ ,  $B_1$ ,  $B_2$ ,  $C$ , and  $D$ , are known constant matrices of appropriate dimensions. For simplicity only, we take single delay  $\tau(t)$ . The results of this paper can be easily applied to the case of multiple delays.

The following case for *time-varying delay*  $\tau(t)$  is considered. That is,  $\tau(t)$  is differentiable function

$$0 \leq \tau(t) \leq h, \quad \dot{\tau}(t) \leq d < 1, \quad \text{satisfying } \forall t \geq 0, \quad (2)$$

where  $d$  is an upper bound on the derivative of  $\tau(t)$ .

In this paper, we formulate the fault-tolerant control problem by using the following model form which is considered in [19, 22]:

$$\begin{aligned}u_{jq}^F(t) &= (1 - \rho_j^q) \sigma(u_j(t)), \quad 0 \leq \underline{\rho}_j^q \leq \rho_j^q \leq \bar{\rho}_j^q, \\ j &\in \mathbf{I}[1, m], \quad q \in \mathbf{I}[1, L],\end{aligned}\quad (3)$$

where  $u_{jq}^F(t)$  represents the signal from the  $j$ th actuator which has failed in the  $q$ th fault mode,  $\rho_j^q$  is an unknown constant, the  $L$  is the total fault modes, and  $\underline{\rho}_j^q$  and  $\bar{\rho}_j^q$  represent the lower and upper bounds of  $\rho_j^q$ , respectively. Denote that

$$\begin{aligned}u_q^F(t) &= [u_{1q}^F(t), u_{2q}^F(t), \dots, u_{mq}^F(t)]^T \\ &= (I - \rho^q) \sigma(u(t)),\end{aligned}\quad (4)$$

where  $\rho^q = \text{diag}[\rho_1^q, \rho_2^q, \dots, \rho_m^q]$ ,  $q \in \mathbf{I}[1, L]$ . Considering the lower and upper bounds  $\underline{\rho}_j^q$  and  $\bar{\rho}_j^q$ , the following set can be defined:

$$N_{\rho^q} = \left\{ \rho^q = \text{diag}[\rho_1^q, \rho_2^q, \dots, \rho_m^q], \rho_j^q = \underline{\rho}_j^q \text{ or } \rho_j^q = \bar{\rho}_j^q \right\}. \quad (5)$$

For convenience, the following uniform actuator fault model is exploited:

$$u^F(t) = (I - \rho) \text{sat}(u(t)), \quad \rho \in \{\rho^1 \cdots \rho^L\}, \quad (6)$$

where  $\rho$  is described by  $\rho = \text{diag}[\rho_1, \rho_2, \dots, \rho_m]$ . The following definitions and lemmas will be used in the sequel.

*Definition 1* (see [33]). Consider the following system:

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= A_a(\hat{\rho}(t), \rho) x(t) + B_a(\hat{\rho}(t), \rho) \omega(t), \\ z(t) &= C_a(\hat{\rho}(t), \rho) x(t), \quad x(0) = 0,\end{aligned}\quad (7)$$

where  $\rho$  is parameter vector and  $\hat{\rho}(t)$  is a time-varying parameter vector to be chosen. Let  $r > 0$  be a given constant, then system (7) is said to be with an adaptive  $H_\infty$  performance index no larger than  $r$  if for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists a  $\hat{\rho}(t)$  such that the following inequality holds:

$$\int_0^\infty z^T(t) z(t) dt \leq r^2 \int_0^\infty \omega^T(t) \omega(t) dt + \varepsilon. \quad (8)$$

*Definition 2.* For a matrix  $C_{cl} \in R^{m \times n}$ , denote the  $j$ th row of  $C_{cl}$  as  $C_{clj}$ , and define

$$\wp(C_{cl}) = \{x \in R^n : |C_{clj}x| \leq 1, j \in \mathbf{I}[1, m]\}. \quad (9)$$

**Lemma 3** (see [32]). *If there exists a symmetric matrix  $\Theta$  with*

$$\Theta = \begin{bmatrix} \Theta_{11} & \Theta_{12} \\ \Theta_{12}^T & \Theta_{22} \end{bmatrix} \quad (10)$$

and  $\Theta_{11}, \Theta_{22} \in R^{Nn \times Nn}$  such that the following inequalities hold:

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta_{22jj} &\leq 0, \quad j \in \mathbf{I}[1, N], \\ \Theta_{11} + \Theta_{12}\Delta(\delta) + (\Theta_{12}\Delta(\delta))^T + \Delta(\delta)\Theta_{22}\Delta(\delta) &\geq 0, \\ \delta &\in \Delta_v, \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} Q & E \\ E^T & F \end{bmatrix} + U^T U + G^T \Theta G &< 0, \\ \rho &\in \{\rho^1 \cdots \rho^L\}, \quad \rho^q \in N_{\rho^q}, \end{aligned}$$

then inequality

$$\begin{aligned} L(\delta) &= Q + \sum_{j=1}^N \delta_j E_j + \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \delta_j E_j \right)^T \\ &+ \sum_{j=1}^N \sum_{p=1}^N \delta_j \delta_p F_{jp} + \left( U_0 + \sum_{j=1}^N \delta_j U_j \right)^T \\ &\times \left( U_0 + \sum_{j=1}^N \delta_j U_j \right) < 0 \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

holds for all  $\delta_j \in [\underline{\delta}_j, \bar{\delta}_j]$ , where  $Q = Q^T \in R^{n \times n}$  and  $F_{pj} = F_{pj}^T \in R^{n \times n}$ ,  $E_j \in R^{n \times n}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta(\delta) &= \text{diag}[\delta_1 I_{n \times n} \cdots \delta_N I_{n \times n}], \\ E &= [E_1 \ E_2 \ \cdots \ E_N], \quad U = [U_0 \ U_1 \ \cdots \ U_N], \\ F &= \begin{bmatrix} F_{11} & \cdots & F_{1N} \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ F_{N1} & \cdots & F_{NN} \end{bmatrix}, \quad G = \begin{bmatrix} I_{n \times n} & & \\ \cdots & & 0 \\ I_{n \times n} & & \\ 0 & & I_{Nn \times Nn} \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

Let  $\mathbf{D}$  be a set of  $m \times m$  diagonal matrices whose diagonal elements are either 1 or 0. There are  $2^m$  elements in  $\mathbf{D}$ , and one denotes its elements as  $D_i$ ,  $i \in \mathbf{I}[0, 2^m - 1]$ , where for  $i = z_1 2^{m-1} + z_2 2^{m-2} + \cdots + z_m$  with  $z_j \in \{0, 1\}$ , the diagonal elements of  $D_i$  are  $\{1 - z_1, 1 - z_2, \dots, 1 - z_m\}$ . Denote  $D_i^- = I - D_i$ . It is easy to see that  $D_i^- \in \mathbf{D}$ . Then, one has the following.

**Lemma 4** (see [35]). *For two vectors  $u, v \in R^m$ . Suppose that  $\|v\|_\infty \leq 1$ . Then,*

$$\text{sat}(u) \in \text{co}\{D_i u + D_i^- v : i \in [0, 2^m - 1]\}, \quad (14)$$

where  $\text{co}$  denotes the convex hull.

For a networked system, the performance of closed-loop system can be measured by the  $L_2$  gain. However, this gain cannot be well defined for closed-loop system, since a sufficiently large disturbance may lead to unstable closed-loop system. For this reason, we need to consider a class of disturbances whose energy is bounded by a given value; that is,

$$\mathfrak{M}_\delta := \left\{ \omega : R_+ \rightarrow R^d : \int_0^\infty \omega^T(t) \omega(t) dt \leq \delta \right\}. \quad (15)$$

In this paper, we will consider the following problems. The first question is, what is the maximal value of  $\delta$  such that the state will be bounded for all  $\omega \in \mathfrak{M}_\delta$  for systems with time delay? This question can be referred to as disturbance tolerance level. The system performance can be measured by the restricted  $L_2$  gain over  $\mathfrak{M}_\delta$ . In this paper,  $L_2$  gain and  $\mathfrak{M}_\delta$  will be considered at same time for networked system.

### 3. Main Results

The dynamics with actuator faults (6) and saturation are described by

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}(t) &= Ax(t) + A_1 x(t - \tau(t)) + B_1 \omega(t) \\ &+ B_2 (I - \rho) \text{sat}(u(t)), \\ z(t) &= Cx(t) + D(I - \rho) \text{sat}(u(t)), \\ x(t) &= \phi(t) \quad t \in [-h, 0]. \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

Rewrite (16) as

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}(t) &= y(t), \\ y(t) &= (A + A_1)x(t) + B_1 \omega(t) \\ &+ B_2 (I - \rho) \text{sat}(u(t)) - A_1 \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t y(s) ds, \\ z(t) &= Cx(t) + D(I - \rho) \text{sat}(u(t)). \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

The controller structure is given as

$$u(t) = K(\hat{\rho}(t))x(t) = (K_0 + K_a(\hat{\rho}(t)) + K_b(\hat{\rho}(t)))x(t), \quad (18)$$

where  $\hat{\rho}(t)$  is used to estimate  $\rho$ ,  $K_a(\hat{\rho}(t)) = \sum_{j=1}^m K_{aj} \hat{\rho}_j(t)$  and  $K_b(\hat{\rho}(t)) = \sum_{j=1}^m K_{bj} \hat{\rho}_j(t)$ .

By Lemma 3, the following equality is given, with  $x \in \wp(H(\hat{\rho}))$ :

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{sat}(K(\hat{\rho}(t))x(t)) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i [D_i K(\hat{\rho}(t)) + D_i^- H(\hat{\rho}(t))]x(t), \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

for some scalars  $0 \leq \eta_i \leq 1$ ,  $i \in \mathbf{I}[0, 2^m - 1]$ , such that  $\sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i = 1$ , and the following equality holds:

$$\begin{aligned} & (I - \rho) \text{sat}(u(t)) \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i [(I - \rho) D_i K_0 + D_i K_a(\rho) \\ &\quad - \rho D_i K_a(\hat{\rho}) + (I - \hat{\rho}(t)) D_i K_b(\hat{\rho}(t)) \\ &\quad + D_i K_a(\hat{\rho}(t)) + \hat{\rho} D_i K_b(\hat{\rho}(t)) + (I - \rho) D_i^- H_0 \\ &\quad + D_i^- H_a(\rho) - \rho D_i^- H_a(\hat{\rho}) \\ &\quad + (I - \hat{\rho}(t)) D_i^- H_b(\hat{\rho}(t)) \\ &\quad + D_i^- H_a(\hat{\rho}(t)) + \hat{\rho} D_i^- H_b(\hat{\rho}(t))] x(t), \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

where  $\tilde{\rho}(t) = \hat{\rho}(t) - \rho$ . Denote  $B^j = [0 \cdots b^j \cdots 0]$  with  $B = [b^1 \cdots b^m]$ , and

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_{\hat{\rho}} = \left\{ \hat{\rho} = (\hat{\rho}_1 \cdots \hat{\rho}_m) : \hat{\rho}_j \in \left\{ \min_q \left\{ \underline{\rho}_j^q \right\}, \max_q \left\{ \overline{\rho}_j^q \right\} \right\}, \right. \\ \left. q \in \mathbf{I}[1, L] \right\}. \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

**Definition 5.** Let  $P_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be a positive-definite matrix. Denote

$$\varepsilon(P_1, \delta) = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : x^T P_1 x \leq \delta\},$$

$$\varepsilon^*(P_1, \delta) = \left\{ x \in \mathbb{R}^n : x^T P_1 x + \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_j^2(t)}{l_j} \leq \delta \right\}. \quad (22)$$

Assuming that  $l_j > 0$  is given, we denote  $\delta^* = \delta + \max \{\sum_{j=1}^m (\tilde{\rho}_j^2(t)/l_j)\}$ .

The following lemma provides a method for choosing of  $\eta_i$ 's, which are Lipschitzian functions in  $x$  and  $\hat{\rho}$  and thus are useful in controller design method.

**Lemma 6** (see [11]). *Let  $x \in \wp(H(\hat{\rho}))$ . For each  $j \in \mathbf{I}[1, m]$ ,*

$$\begin{aligned} & \lambda_j(x(t), \hat{\rho}(t)) \\ &= \begin{cases} 1, \\ \text{if } K(\hat{\rho}(t))_j x(t) = H(\hat{\rho}(t))_j x(t) \\ \sigma \left( \frac{K(\hat{\rho}(t))_j x(t) - H(\hat{\rho}(t))_j x(t)}{(K(\hat{\rho}(t))_j - H(\hat{\rho}(t))_j) x(t)} \right), \\ \text{otherwise,} \end{cases} \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

and for each  $i \in \mathbf{I}[0, 2^m - 1]$ , let  $z_j \in \{0, 1\}$  such that  $i = z_1 2^{m-1} + z_2 2^{m-2} + \cdots + z_m$ , and define

$$\begin{aligned} & \eta_i(x(t), \hat{\rho}(t)) \\ &= \prod_{j=1}^m [z_j (1 - \lambda_j(x, \hat{\rho})) + (1 - z_j) \lambda_j(x, \hat{\rho})]. \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

Then,  $\eta_i$ 's are functions Lipschitz in  $x$  and  $\hat{\rho}$ , such that,  $\sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i = 1$ ,  $0 \leq \eta_i \leq 1$ ,  $i \in \mathbf{I}[0, 2^m - 1]$ . Moreover, they satisfy relation (19).

By using the functions  $\eta_i(x(t), \hat{\rho}(t))$ 's and controller (18), plant (16) can be written in a quasi-LPV form as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) = & (A + A_1) x(t) + B_1 \omega(t) \\ & + B_2 \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i [(I - \rho) D_i (K_0 + K_a(\hat{\rho}(t)) + K_b(\hat{\rho}(t))) \\ & + (I - \rho) D_i^- (H_0 + H_a(\hat{\rho}(t)) x(t) \\ & + H_b(\hat{\rho}(t)))] \\ & - A_1 \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t y(s) ds. \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

**Lemma 7** (see [36]). *For any  $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $b \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ ,  $Z_0 \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times n}$ ,  $R \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ ,  $Y \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 2n}$ , and  $Z \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ , the following holds:*

$$-2b^T F a \leq \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} R & Y - Z_0^T \\ Y^T - Z_0 & Z \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}, \quad (26)$$

where  $\begin{bmatrix} R & Y \\ Y^T & Z \end{bmatrix} \geq 0$ .

**Definition 8.** Firstly, for system (25), consider the following Lyapunov-Krasovskii functional

$$V = V_1 + V_2 + V_3 + \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_j^2(t)}{l_j}, \quad (27)$$

where

$$V_1 = \bar{x}^T(t) E P \bar{x}(t), \quad V_2 = \int_h^0 \int_{t+\theta}^t y^T(s) R y(s) ds d\theta,$$

$$V_3 = \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t x^T(s) S x(s) ds,$$

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} I_{n \times n} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} P_1 & 0 \\ P_2 & P_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad P_1 = P_1^T > 0. \quad (28)$$

Then, the following set can be given:

$$M_V(\delta) = \left\{ x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n : V = V_1 + V_2 + V_3 + \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_j^2(t)}{l_j} \leq \delta \right\}. \quad (29)$$

**Remark 9.** By Definitions 5 and 8, we can draw the conclusion that  $M_V(\delta) \subset \varepsilon^*(P_1, \delta) \subset \varepsilon(P_1, \delta)$ .

By Lemma 6, we analyze the auxiliary LPV system as follows, of which the closed-loop system comprising of (25) and (18) is a special case, for all  $x(t) \in M_V(\delta) \subset \wp(H(\hat{\rho}))$ :

$$\dot{x}(t) = A(\eta) x(t) + B_1 \omega, \quad \eta \in \Gamma, \quad (30)$$

where  $\eta = [\eta_0, \eta_1, \dots, \eta_{2^m-1}]$ , and

$$\Gamma = \left\{ \eta \in R^{2^m} : \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i = 1, 0 \leq \eta_i \leq 1, i \in \mathbf{I}[0, 2^m - 1] \right\},$$

$$A(\eta) = A + A_1 + B_2 \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i [(I - \rho) D_i K_0 + D_i K_a(\rho) - \rho D_i K_a(\hat{\rho}) + (I - \hat{\rho}(t)) D_i K_b(\hat{\rho}(t)) + D_i K_a(\hat{\rho}(t)) + \tilde{\rho} D_i K_b(\hat{\rho}(t)) + (I - \rho) D_i^- H_0 + D_i^- H_a(\rho) - \rho D_i^- H_a(\hat{\rho}) + (I - \hat{\rho}(t)) D_i^- H_b(\hat{\rho}(t)) + D_i^- H_a(\hat{\rho}(t)) + \tilde{\rho} D_i^- H_b(\hat{\rho}(t))] - A_1 \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t y(s) ds. \quad (31)$$

**Theorem 10.** Let  $r_f > 0, r_n > 0, d, h > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$  be given constants, then the following two conditions are satisfied.

- (I) The trajectories of the closed-loop system that start from the origin will remain inside the domain  $M_V(\delta)$  for every  $\omega \in \mathfrak{M}_\delta$ .
- (II) In normal case, that is,  $\rho = 0$ , for  $x(0) = 0$ ,

$$\int_0^\infty z^T(t) z(t) dt \leq r_n^2 \int_0^\infty \omega^T(t) \omega(t) dt + r_n^2 \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_j^2(0)}{l_j}, \quad (32)$$

and in actuator failures cases, that is,  $\rho \in \{\rho^1 \dots \rho^L\}$ , for  $x(0) = 0$ ,

$$\int_0^\infty z^T(t) z(t) dt \leq r_f^2 \int_0^\infty \omega^T(t) \omega(t) dt + r_f^2 \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_j^2(0)}{l_j}, \quad (33)$$

where  $\tilde{\rho}(t) = \text{diag}\{\tilde{\rho}_1(t) \dots \tilde{\rho}_m(t)\}$ ,  $\tilde{\rho}_j(t) = \hat{\rho}_j(t) - \rho_j$  if there exist matrices  $Q_1 > 0, Q_2, Q_3, \bar{S}, \bar{R}, \bar{Z}_1, \bar{Z}_2, \bar{Z}_3, \bar{O}_0, \bar{O}_{aj}, \bar{O}_{bj}, \bar{Y}_0, \bar{Y}_{aj}, \bar{Y}_{bj}, j \in \mathbf{I}[1, m]$  and symmetric matrixes  $\Theta^i, i \in \mathbf{I}[0, 2^m - 1]$ , with

$$\Theta^i = \begin{bmatrix} \Theta_{11}^i & \Theta_{12}^i \\ \Theta_{12}^{iT} & \Theta_{22}^i \end{bmatrix} \quad (34)$$

and  $\Theta_{11}^i, \Theta_{22}^i \in R^{m \times m}$  such that the following inequalities hold for all  $D_i \in \mathbf{D}$  and  $M_V(\delta) \subset \wp(H(\hat{\rho}))$ ; that is,  $|H(\hat{\rho})_j x| \leq 1$  for all  $x \in M_V(\delta), j \in \mathbf{I}[1, m]$ :

$$\Theta_{22}^{ij} \leq 0, \quad j \in \mathbf{I}[1, m], i \in \mathbf{I}[0, 2^m - 1]$$

$$\Theta_{11}^i + \Theta_{12}^i \Delta(\hat{\rho}) + (\Theta_{12}^i \Delta(\hat{\rho}))^T + \Delta(\hat{\rho}) \Theta_{22}^i \Delta(\hat{\rho}) \geq 0, \quad \hat{\rho} \in \Delta_{\hat{\rho}} \quad (35)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} M_i & V_{0i}^T & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ B_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ A_1(I - \varepsilon)\bar{S} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} Q_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} hQ_2^T \\ hQ_3^T \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ * & -r_n^2 I & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & -I & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & * & -(1-d)\bar{S} & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & * & * & -\bar{S} & 0 \\ * & * & * & * & * & -h\bar{R} \end{bmatrix} \rho = 0, \quad (36)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} M_i & V_{0i}^T & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ B_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ A_1(I - \varepsilon)\bar{S} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} Q_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} hQ_2^T \\ hQ_3^T \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ * & -r_n^2 I & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & -I & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & * & -(1-d)\bar{S} & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & * & * & -\bar{S} & 0 \\ * & * & * & * & * & -h\bar{R} \end{bmatrix} < 0,$$

$$\rho \in \{\rho^1 \dots \rho^L\}, \rho^q \in N_{\rho^q} \quad (37)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{R} & 0 & \bar{R}\varepsilon A_1^T \\ * & \bar{Z}_1 & \bar{Z}_2 \\ * & * & \bar{Z}_3 \end{bmatrix} \geq 0, \quad (38)$$

where

$$M_i = \begin{bmatrix} N_{0i} & U_i \\ U_i^T & \Omega_i \end{bmatrix} + G^T \Theta^i G,$$

$$N_{0i} = \begin{bmatrix} Q_2 + Q_2^T + h\bar{Z}_1 & T_{1i} \\ * & -Q_3 - Q_3^T + h\bar{Z}_3 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$U_i = [U_{1i} \ U_{2i} \ \dots \ U_{mi}],$$

$$V_{0i} = [V_{00i} \ V_{01i} \ \dots \ V_{0mi}],$$

$$\Omega_i = [\Omega_{ijp}], \quad j, p = 1 \dots m,$$

$$T_{1i} = Q_3 - Q_2^T + Q_1 (A^T + \varepsilon A_1^T) + h\bar{Z}_2 + (I - \rho) D_i \bar{Y}_0^T + (I - \rho) D_i^- \bar{O}_0^T,$$

$$V_{00i} = [CQ_1 + D(I - \rho) D_i \bar{Y}_0 + D(I - \rho) D_i^- \bar{O}_0 \ 0],$$

$$\begin{aligned}
V_{0ji} &= [D(I - \rho)D_i(\bar{Y}_{aj} + \bar{Y}_{bj}) + D(I - \rho)D_i^-(\bar{O}_{aj} + \bar{O}_{bj}) \ 0], \\
U_{ji} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\bar{Y}_{aj}^T D_i \rho B_2^T + \bar{Y}_{bj}^T D_i B_2^T - \bar{O}_{aj}^T D_i \rho B_2^T + \bar{O}_{bj}^T D_i B_2^T \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \\
G &= \begin{bmatrix} I \\ \vdots \\ I \\ 0 \\ I \end{bmatrix}, \\
\Omega_{ijp} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -B_2^j D_i \bar{Y}_{bp} - \bar{Y}_{bj}^T D_i B_2^{pT} - B_2^j D_i \bar{O}_{bp} - \bar{O}_{bj}^T D_i B_2^{pT} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \\
\bar{Y}_a(\rho) &= \sum_{j=1}^m \bar{Y}_{aj} \rho_j,
\end{aligned} \tag{39}$$

and also  $\hat{\rho}_j(t)$  is determined according to the adaptive law

$$\begin{aligned}
\dot{\hat{\rho}}_j &= \text{Proj}_{\{\min_q \{\rho_j^q\} \max_q \{\bar{\rho}_j^q\}\}} \{L_j\} \\
&= \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } \hat{\rho}_j = \min_q \{\rho_j^q\}, L_j \leq 0 \\ \text{or } \hat{\rho}_j = \max_q \{\bar{\rho}_j^q\}, L_j \geq 0 \\ L_j, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases} \tag{40}
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
L_j &= -l_j \bar{x}^T(t) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \Lambda_{ji} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \bar{x}(t), \\
\Lambda_{ji} &= B_2^j \left( \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i D_i \right) K_b(\hat{\rho}) + B_2 \left( \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i D_i \right) K_{aj} \\
&\quad + B_2^j \left( \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i D_i^- \right) H_b(\hat{\rho}) + B_2 \left( \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i D_i^- \right) H_{aj}, \\
Q &= \begin{bmatrix} Q_1 & 0 \\ Q_2 & Q_3 \end{bmatrix},
\end{aligned} \tag{41}$$

where  $K_{aj} = \bar{Y}_{aj} Q_1^{-1}$ ,  $K_{bj} = \bar{Y}_{bj} Q_1^{-1}$ ,  $H_{aj} = \bar{O}_{aj} Q_1^{-1}$ , and  $H_{bj} = \bar{O}_{bj} Q_1^{-1} \cdot l_j > 0$  ( $j \in \mathbf{I}[1, m]$ ) are the adaptive law gains which can be given according to practical applications. Then, the following controller can be given:

$$K(\hat{\rho}) = \bar{Y}_0 Q_1^{-1} + \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\rho}_j \bar{Y}_{aj} Q_1^{-1} + \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\rho}_j \bar{Y}_{bj} Q_1^{-1}. \tag{42}$$

*Proof.* See appendix.  $\square$

From Theorem 10, we have the following algorithm to optimize the adaptive  $H_\infty$  performance in normal and fault cases and the disturbance tolerance level  $\delta$  with considering time delay.

*Algorithm 11.* Suppose that  $r_n$  and  $r_f$  denote the adaptive  $H_\infty$  performance indexes for the normal case and fault cases

of the closed-loop system (30), respectively. Let  $\delta$  denote the disturbance tolerance level. Then,  $r_n$ ,  $r_f$  are minimized, and  $\delta$  is maximized if the following optimization problem is solvable:

$$\begin{aligned}
\min \quad & \eta = \alpha \eta_n + \beta \eta_f + \gamma \eta_\delta \\
\text{s.t.} \quad & \text{(a) } (35), (36), (37), (38) \\
& \text{(b) } M_V(\delta) \subset \wp(H(\hat{\rho})),
\end{aligned} \tag{43}$$

where  $\eta_n = r_n^2$ ,  $\eta_f = r_f^2$ ,  $\eta_\delta = 1/\delta^* = 1/(\delta + \max\{\sum_{j=1}^m (\bar{\rho}_j^2(t)/l_j)\})$ , and  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ , and  $\gamma$  are weighting coefficients.

By Definition 2, condition (b) cannot be shown as LMIs directly. However, obviously,  $M_V(\delta) \subset \varepsilon^*(P_1, \delta^*) \subset \varepsilon(P_1, \delta^*)$ , which implies that (b) can be replaced with (b1) as follows:

$$\text{(b1) } \varepsilon(P_1, \delta^*) \subset \wp(H(\hat{\rho})). \tag{44}$$

Equation (44) is equivalent to

$$\delta^* h(\hat{\rho})_j P_1^{-1} h(\hat{\rho})_j^T \leq 1 \iff \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\delta^*} & h(\hat{\rho})_j P_1^{-1} \\ * & P_1^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \geq 0, \tag{45}$$

for all  $j \in \mathbf{I}[1, m]$ , where  $h(\hat{\rho})_j$  is the  $j$ th row of  $H(\hat{\rho})$ . Then, it can be drawn that (45) is equivalent to the following inequalities:

$$\text{(b2) } \begin{bmatrix} -\eta_\delta & -\bar{O}_{0s} \\ * & -Q_1 \end{bmatrix} + \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\rho}_j \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\bar{O}_{ajs} - \bar{O}_{bjs} \\ * & 0 \end{bmatrix} \leq 0, \tag{46}$$

where  $\hat{\rho} \in \Delta_{\hat{\rho}}$  and  $\bar{O}_{ajs}$  is the  $s$ th row of  $\bar{O}_{aj}$ ,  $s \in \mathbf{I}[1, m]$ .

*Remark 12.* Theorem 10 prevents a condition for the existence of an adaptive fault tolerant  $H_\infty$  controller. In Theorem 10, if set  $Y_{aj} = 0$ ,  $Y_{bj} = 0$ ,  $O_{aj} = 0$ , and  $O_{bj} = 0$ ,  $j \in \mathbf{I}[1, m]$ , the condition of Theorem 10 is reduced to fixed gains condition. By the following example, we can get that the adaptive controller can guarantee better effect.

## 4. Examples

*Example 13.* Consider the system of the form (1) with

$$\begin{aligned}
A &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 40 \end{bmatrix}, & A_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \\
B_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, & B_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 40 & 0 \\ 0 & 40 \end{bmatrix}, \\
C &= \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T, & D &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T, \\
\tau(t) &= \frac{1 + \sin(t)}{4},
\end{aligned} \tag{47}$$

and the following two possible fault modes.

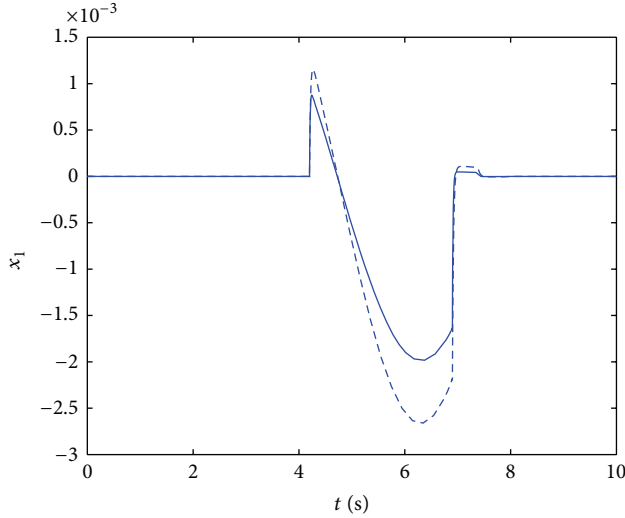


FIGURE 1: Response curve of the first state in normal case with the adaptive controller (solid) and the fixed gain controller (dashed).

Fault mode 1: both of the two actuators are normal; that is  $\rho_1^1 = \rho_2^1 = 0$ . Fault mode 2: the first actuator is outage, and the second actuator may be normal or loss of effectiveness, described by  $\rho_1^2 = 1, 0 \leq \rho_2^2 \leq a$ , where  $a = 0.5$  denotes the maximal loss of effectiveness for the second actuator.

Let  $\alpha = 10, \beta = 1$ , and  $\gamma = 10$ , and let the optimal indexes with fixed controller gains are  $\eta_n = 0.1963, \eta_f = 9.8933, \eta_\delta = 20.5385$ , and  $\eta = 217.2408$ . By solving (43), the optimal indexes can be given as  $\eta_n = 0.5881, \eta_f = 9.1236, \eta_\delta = 9.6701$ , and  $\eta = 111.7048$ . For getting smaller number for every optimal index, we may revise  $\alpha = 110, \beta = 0.2$ , and  $\gamma = 0.5$ . Then, the indexes can be drawn that  $\eta_n = 0.1676, \eta_f = 7.1242$ , and  $\eta_\delta = 18.6399$ . For illustrating the efficiency of the design method, the following simulations is given.

During the following simulation, fault case is considered as follows. At 0 second, the first actuator is outage. Here, we choose  $l_1 = l_2 = 100$ .

Firstly, we consider the  $H_\infty$  performance. The disturbance is given as

$$\omega_1(t) = \omega_2(t) = \begin{cases} \cos(t), & 4.2 \leq t \leq 6.9 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \quad (48)$$

Figures 1 and 2 show the responses curves of the first state in normal and fault case, respectively.

Then, we consider the disturb tolerance problem. The disturbance is given as

$$\omega_1(t) = \omega_2(t) = \begin{cases} 27.2, & 4 \leq t \leq 5 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \quad (49)$$

Figures 3 and 4 show the responses curves of the states in normal case.

## 5. Conclusions

In this paper, an adaptive fault-tolerant  $H_\infty$  controllers design method was given for networked systems with actuator

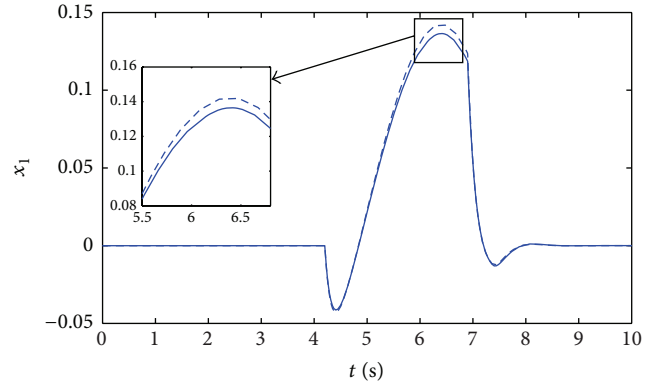


FIGURE 2: Response curve of the first state in fault case with the adaptive controller (solid) and the fixed gain controller (dashed).

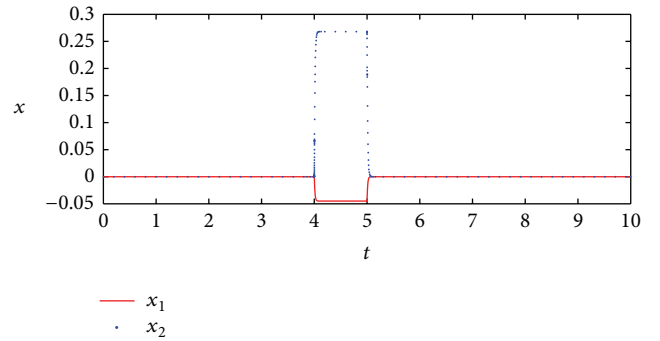


FIGURE 3: Responses curves of the states with adaptive controller in normal case.

saturation. The designs were proposed in LMIs approach, which could guarantee the disturbance tolerance ability and adaptive  $H_\infty$  performances of networked systems in the cases of actuator saturation and actuator failures. An example, has been given to illustrate the efficiency of the design method.

## Appendix

*Proof of Theorem 10.* Item (II) will be proved firstly. By Definition 8, since  $\bar{x}^T(t)EP\bar{x}(t) = x^T(t)P_1x(t)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \{ \bar{x}^T(t)EP\bar{x}(t) \} &= 2x^T(t)P_1\dot{x}(t) \\ &= 2\bar{x}^T(t)P^T \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}(t) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned} \quad (A.1)$$

From the derivative of  $V(t)$  along the closed-loop system (30), it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{V} &= \bar{x}^T(t) \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} (\eta_i \Phi_{1i}) \bar{x}(t) + \chi(t) \\ &\quad - (1-d) x^T(t-\tau(t)) Sx(t-\tau(t)) \\ &\quad - \int_{t-h}^t y^T(s) R y(s) ds + 2 \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_i(t) \dot{\tilde{\rho}}_i(t)}{l_i} \\ &\quad + 2\bar{x}^T(t) P^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ B_1 \end{bmatrix} \omega(t), \end{aligned} \quad (A.2)$$

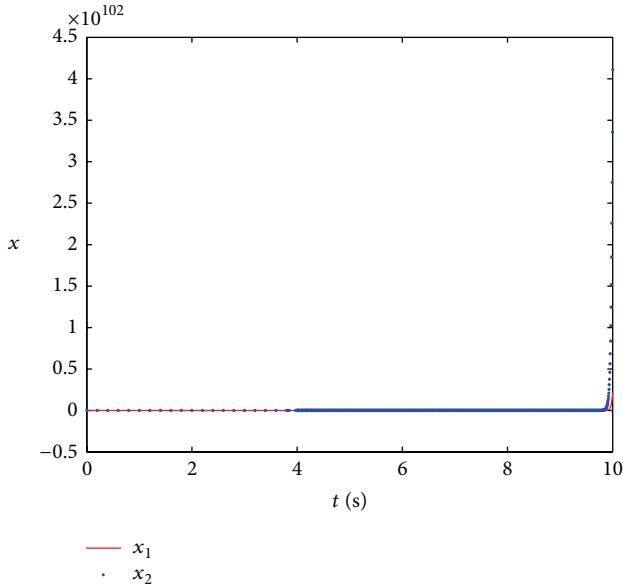


FIGURE 4: Responses curves of the states with fixed gain controller in normal case.

where

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{1i} &= P^T \Delta_{0i} + \Delta_{0i}^T P + \begin{bmatrix} S & 0 \\ 0 & hR \end{bmatrix}, \\ \chi(t) &= -2 \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t \bar{x}^T(s) P^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ A_1 \end{bmatrix} y(s) ds, \\ \Delta_{0i} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I \\ A + A_1 + B_2(I - \rho)(D_i K(\hat{\rho}) + D_i^- H(\hat{\rho})) & -I \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.3})$$

By Lemma 7, taking  $Z_0 = P^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ A_1 \end{bmatrix} a = y(s)$ ,  $b = \bar{x}(t)$ , it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(t) &\leq \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t \begin{bmatrix} y^T(s) & \bar{x}^T(s) \end{bmatrix} W_1 \begin{bmatrix} y(s) \\ \bar{x}(s) \end{bmatrix} ds \\ &= \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t y^T(s) R y(s) ds + \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t \bar{x}^T(t) Z \bar{x}(t) ds \\ &\quad + 2 \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t y^T(s) (Y - [0 \ A_1^T] P) \bar{x}(t) ds \\ &= \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t y^T(s) R y(s) ds + \tau(t) \bar{x}^T(t) Z \bar{x}(t) \\ &\quad + 2 \int_{t-\tau(t)}^t \dot{x}^T(s) (Y - [0 \ A_1^T] P) \bar{x}(t) ds \\ &\leq \int_{t-h}^t y^T(s) R y(s) ds + 2x^T(t) (Y - [0 \ A_1^T] P) \bar{x}(t) \\ &\quad - 2x^T(t - \tau(t)) (Y - [0 \ A_1^T] P) \bar{x}(t) \\ &\quad + h\bar{x}^T(t) Z \bar{x}(t), \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.4})$$

where  $W_1 = \begin{bmatrix} R & Y - [0 \ A_1^T] P \\ * & Z \end{bmatrix}$  and  $R, Y, Z$  satisfying  $\begin{bmatrix} R & Y \\ * & Z \end{bmatrix} \geq 0$ .

Furthermore, by (20) it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{V} &+ \frac{1}{\gamma_f^2} z^T(t) z(t) - w^T(t) w(t) \\ &= \bar{x}^T(t) \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} (\eta_i \Phi_{2i}) \bar{x}(t) - 2x^T(t - \tau(t)) (Y - [0 \ A_1^T] P) \bar{x}(t) \\ &\quad + 2 \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_i(t) \dot{\tilde{\rho}}_i}{l_i} + \frac{1}{\gamma_f^2} x^T(t) \\ &\quad \times \left[ C + D(I - \rho) \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i (D_i K(\hat{\rho}) + D_i^- H(\hat{\rho})) \right]^T \\ &\quad \times \left[ C + D(I - \rho) \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i (D_i K(\hat{\rho}) + D_i^- H(\hat{\rho})) \right] x(t) \\ &\quad + \bar{x}^T(t) P^T [0 \ B_1^T]^T [0 \ B_1^T] P \bar{x}(t) \\ &\quad - (1 - d) x^T(t - \tau(t)) S x(t - \tau(t)) \\ &\quad - \left( \omega^T - \bar{x}^T(t) P^T [0 \ B_1^T]^T \right) (\omega - [0 \ B_1^T] P \bar{x}) \\ &\quad + 2\bar{x}^T(t) P^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ B_2 \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i [D_i (K_a(\hat{\rho}) + \bar{\rho} K_b(\hat{\rho})) & 0] \\ & + D_i^- (H_a(\hat{\rho}) + \bar{\rho} H_b(\hat{\rho})) \end{bmatrix} \bar{x}(t), \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.5})$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{2i} &= P^T \Delta_{1i} + \Delta_{1i}^T P + \begin{bmatrix} S & 0 \\ 0 & hR \end{bmatrix} + hZ \\ &\quad + [Y^T \ 0]^T + [Y^T \ 0] \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.6})$$

with  $\Delta_{1i} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I \\ W_{2i} & -I \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $W_{2i} = A + B_2 \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i [(I - \rho) D_i K_0 + D_i K_a(\rho) - \rho D_i K_a(\hat{\rho}) + (I - \rho) D_i K_b(\hat{\rho}) + (I - \rho) D_i^- H_0 + D_i^- H_a(\rho) - \rho D_i^- H_a(\hat{\rho}) + (I - \rho) D_i^- H_b(\hat{\rho})]$ .

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{V} &+ \frac{1}{\gamma_f^2} z^T(t) z(t) - w^T(t) w(t) \\ &\leq -2x^T(t - \tau(t)) (Y - [0 \ A_1^T] P) \bar{x}(t) \\ &\quad + 2 \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_i(t) \dot{\tilde{\rho}}_i(t)}{l_i} + \bar{x}^T \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} (\eta_i \Phi_{3i}) \bar{x} \\ &\quad + 2\bar{x}^T(t) P^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \Phi_4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \bar{x}(t), \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.7})$$



where

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{3i} &= P^T \Delta_{1i} + \Delta_{1i}^T P + \begin{bmatrix} S & 0 \\ 0 & hR \end{bmatrix} \\ &+ P^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 & B_1^T \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 & B_1^T \end{bmatrix} P + hZ + [Y^T \ 0] \\ &+ [Y^T \ 0]^T + \frac{1}{\gamma_f^2} \begin{bmatrix} \Phi_5^T \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} [\Phi_5 \ 0], \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.8})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_4 &= B_2 \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i [D_i (K_a(\tilde{\rho}) + \tilde{\rho} K_b(\tilde{\rho})) \\ &\quad + D_i^- (H_a(\tilde{\rho}) + \tilde{\rho} H_b(\tilde{\rho}))], \\ \Phi_5 &= C + D(I - \rho)(D_i K(\tilde{\rho}) + D_i^- H(\tilde{\rho})). \end{aligned}$$

Let  $B_2 = [b^1 \dots b^m] B_2^j = [0 \dots b^j \dots 0]$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} B_2 \tilde{\rho} D_i K_b(\tilde{\rho}) &= \sum_{j=1}^m \tilde{\rho}_j B_2^j D_i K_b(\tilde{\rho}), \\ B_2 \tilde{\rho} D_i^- H_b(\tilde{\rho}) &= \sum_{j=1}^m \tilde{\rho}_j B_2^j D_i^- H_b(\tilde{\rho}), \\ B_2 D_i K_a(\tilde{\rho}) &= \sum_{j=1}^m \tilde{\rho}_j B_2 D_i K_{aj}, \\ B_2 D_i^- H_a(\tilde{\rho}) &= \sum_{j=1}^m \tilde{\rho}_j B_2 D_i^- H_{aj}. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.9})$$

In fact,  $\rho_i$  is an unknown constant which denotes the loss of effectiveness of the  $i$ th actuator. So, from  $\tilde{\rho}_j(t) = \hat{\rho}_j(t) - \rho$ , it follows that  $\dot{\tilde{\rho}}_j(t) = \dot{\hat{\rho}}_j$ . Now, if the adaptive laws are chosen as (40), then

$$\begin{aligned} 2\bar{x}^T P^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 & & 0 \\ B_2 \sum_{i=0}^{2^m-1} \eta_i [D_i (K_a(\tilde{\rho}) + \tilde{\rho} K_b(\tilde{\rho})) \\ \quad + D_i^- (H_a(\tilde{\rho}) + \tilde{\rho} H_b(\tilde{\rho}))] & & 0 \end{bmatrix} \bar{x} \\ + 2 \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_j \dot{\tilde{\rho}}_j}{l_j} \leq 0. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.10})$$

Let  $\xi(t) = \text{col}[x(t) \ y(t) \ x(t - \tau(t))]$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{V}(t) + \frac{1}{\gamma_f^2} z^T(t) z(t) - \omega^T(t) \omega(t) \\ \leq \xi^T(t) \sum_{i=1}^{2^m-1} (\eta_i \Psi_i) \xi(t), \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.11})$$

where

$$\Psi_i = \begin{bmatrix} \Phi_{3i} & P^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ A_1 \end{bmatrix} - Y^T \\ * & -S(1-d) \end{bmatrix}. \quad (\text{A.12})$$

Furthermore, the problem  $\dot{V}(t) + (1/\gamma_f^2) z^T(t) z(t) - \omega^T(t) \omega(t) \leq 0$  reduces to

$$\Psi_i < 0, \quad \begin{bmatrix} R & Y \\ * & Z \end{bmatrix} \geq 0, \quad i \in \mathbf{I}[0, 2^m - 1]. \quad (\text{A.13})$$

It is obvious from the requirement of  $0 < P_1$  and the fact that in (A.13)  $-(P_3 + P_3^T)$  must be negative and  $P$  is nonsingular.

Defining

$$P^{-1} = Q = \begin{bmatrix} Q_1 & 0 \\ Q_2 & Q_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \Pi = \text{diag}\{Q, I\}. \quad (\text{A.14})$$

We multiply  $\Psi_i$  by  $\Pi^T$  and  $\Pi$ , on the left and the right, respectively. Applying Fisher's lemma to the emerging quadratic term in  $Q$ , denoting  $\bar{S} = S^{-1} \bar{Z} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{Z}_1 & \bar{Z}_2 \\ \bar{Z}_2^T & \bar{Z}_3 \end{bmatrix} = Q^T Z Q$ ,  $\bar{R} = R^{-1}$ , and choosing  $[Y_1 \ Y_2] = \varepsilon A_1^T [P_2 \ P_3]$ , where  $\varepsilon \in R^{n \times n}$  is a diagonal matrix, we obtain the following:  $\Psi_i < 0$  is equivalent to

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Xi_{0i} + Q_1 S Q_1 + h Q_2^T R Q_2 & \Xi_{1i} + h Q_2^T R Q_3 \\ * & \Xi_2 \end{bmatrix} < 0 \quad (\text{A.15})$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} \Xi_{0i} &= \frac{1}{\gamma_f^2} \Xi_{3i}^T \Xi_{3i} + Q_2 + Q_2^T + h \bar{Z}_1, \\ \Xi_{1i} &= Q_3 - Q_2^T + Q_1 (A^T + \varepsilon A_1^T) + h \bar{Z}_2 \\ &\quad + [(I - \rho)(D_i \bar{Y}_0 + D_i^- \bar{O}_0)]^T B_2^T \\ &\quad + [D_i \bar{Y}_a(\rho) + D_i^- \bar{O}_a(\rho)]^T B_2^T \\ &\quad - [\rho(D_i \bar{Y}_a(\tilde{\rho}) + D_i^- \bar{O}_a(\tilde{\rho}))]^T B_2^T \\ &\quad + [(I - \tilde{\rho})(D_i \bar{Y}_b(\tilde{\rho}) + D_i^- \bar{O}_b(\tilde{\rho}))]^T B_2^T, \\ \Xi_2 &= -Q_3 - Q_3^T + h \bar{Z}_3 + Y_0 + h Q_3^T R Q_3, \\ \Xi_{3i} &= C Q_1 + D(I - \rho)(D_i \bar{Y}(\tilde{\rho}) + D_i^- \bar{O}(\tilde{\rho})), \\ Y_0 &= A_1 (I_n - \varepsilon) (1 - d)^{-1} (I_n - \varepsilon) A_1^T + B_1 B_1^T, \\ \bar{Y}_0 &= K_0 Q_1, \quad \bar{Y}_{aj} = K_{aj} Q_1, \quad \bar{Y}_{bj} = K_{bj} Q_1, \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{Y}_a(\rho) = \sum_{j=1}^m \bar{Y}_{aj} \rho_j, \quad \bar{Y}_a(\tilde{\rho}) = \sum_{j=1}^m \bar{Y}_{aj} \tilde{\rho}_j,$$

$$\bar{Y}_b(\tilde{\rho}) = \sum_{j=1}^m \bar{Y}_{bj} \tilde{\rho}_j,$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\bar{Y}(\hat{\rho}) &= \bar{Y}_0 + \bar{Y}_a(\hat{\rho}) + \bar{Y}_b(\hat{\rho}), \\
\bar{O}_0 &= H_0 Q_1, \quad \bar{O}_{aj} = H_{aj} Q_1, \quad \bar{O}_{bj} = H_{bj} Q_1, \\
\bar{O}_a(\rho) &= \sum_{j=1}^m \bar{O}_{aj} \rho_j, \\
\bar{O}_a(\hat{\rho}) &= \sum_{j=1}^m \bar{O}_{aj} \hat{\rho}_j, \quad \bar{O}_b(\hat{\rho}) = \sum_{j=1}^m \bar{O}_{bj} \hat{\rho}_j, \\
\bar{O}(\hat{\rho}) &= \bar{O}_0 + \bar{O}_a(\hat{\rho}) + \bar{O}_b(\hat{\rho}).
\end{aligned} \tag{A.16}$$

Furthermore, (A.15) can be described by

$$\begin{aligned}
M_i(\hat{\rho}) &= N_{1i} + \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\rho}_j U_{ji} + \left( \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\rho}_j U_{ji} \right)^T + \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{p=1}^m \hat{\rho}_j \hat{\rho}_p \Omega_{ijp} \\
&\quad + \left( V_{00i} + \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{\rho}_j V_{0ji} \right)^T \left( V_{00i} + \sum_{p=1}^m \hat{\rho}_p V_{0ip} \right) < 0,
\end{aligned} \tag{A.17}$$

where

$$N_{1i} = N_{0i} + \begin{bmatrix} Q_1 S Q_1 + h Q_2^T R Q_2 & h Q_2^T R Q_3 \\ * & Y_0 + h Q_3^T R Q_3 \end{bmatrix} \tag{A.18}$$

and  $U_{ji}$ ,  $\Omega_{ijp}$ ,  $V_{00i}$ ,  $V_{0ji}$ ,  $j = 1 \cdots m$  are defined in (39).

If we multiply  $\begin{bmatrix} R & Y \\ * & Z \end{bmatrix} \geq 0$ , on the left and on the right, by  $\text{diag}\{R^{-1}, Q^T\}$  and  $\text{diag}\{R^{-1}, Q\}$ , then it follows that  $\begin{bmatrix} \bar{R} & 0 & \bar{R} e A_1^T \\ * & \bar{Z}_1 & \bar{Z}_2 \\ * & * & \bar{Z}_3 \end{bmatrix} \geq 0$ . By Lemmas 3 and 7, it is easy to see if conditions (34), (37), and (38) hold, then (A.17) and  $\begin{bmatrix} R & Y \\ * & Z \end{bmatrix} \geq 0$  are satisfied, which implies that  $\dot{V}(t) \leq 0$ . Furthermore, by Lemma 3 and (37), it follows that  $\dot{V}(t) + (1/\gamma_j^2) z^T(t) z(t) - \omega^T(t) \omega(t) \leq 0$  holds for any  $x \in \wp(H(\hat{\rho}))$ ,  $\rho \in \{\rho^1 \cdots \rho^L\}$ ,  $\rho^q \in N_{\rho^q}$ , and  $\hat{\rho}$  satisfying (40). The proofs for the normal case of closed-loop system (16) are similar and omitted here.

To prove item (I): by the proof of item (II), we have  $\dot{V} \leq \omega^T \omega$ , which implies that

$$V(x(t)) \leq \int_0^\infty \omega^T(t) \omega(t) dt + \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\tilde{\rho}_j^2(0)}{l_j} \leq \delta^*, \tag{A.19}$$

for  $x(0) = 0$ .

Then, the conclusion can be drawn that trajectories of the closed-loop system that start from the origin will remain inside  $\varepsilon^*(P, \delta^*)$  for every  $\omega \in \mathfrak{M}_\delta$ .  $\square$

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