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Introduction

The National Science Foundation (NSF) and the Swedish Board for Technical Development (STU) have signed an agreement for cooperation. Both agencies are currently supporting research in adaptive control. The purpose of the seminar was to bring the research in the supported projects together to provide a perspective of the field, its accomplishments and deficiencies and to find directions for future research.

The laboratory for Information and Decision Systems at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, directed by Professor Sanjoy Mitter, and the Department of Automatic Control at Lund Institute of Technology, Lund, Sweden, directed by Professor Karl Johan Åström, have long maintained close informal contact on research problems of common interest. There is interest on both sides in formalizing this arrangement so that exchanges of faculty, staff (and possibly students) can take place. The workshop on Adaptive Control was organized within this framework.

The workshop program was discussed with Dr. Abraham Haddad, former Program Director of the Systems Theory and Operations Research Program of the National Science Foundation and Mr Ove Berkefelt Program Director for at the Swedish Board of Technical Development. They were in agreement with the aims and objectives of the workshop.

The workshop was held at the Department of Automatic Control at the Lund Institute of Technology, Lund, Sweden, on July 9 - 11, 1984 this week followed the IFAC Congress in Budapest.

The workshop was informal. There were 14 US and 20 Swedish participants. The formal presentations covered industrial needs and experiences, applications, stability theory, system identification, stochastic adaptive control, unmodeled dynamics and new directions as well as many informal discussions. The workshop was viewed very favourable from the participants who found it a stimulating intellectual experience.

A brief assessment of the field can be summarized as follows. There has been research in adaptive control for at least 30 years. The field is, however, still not in very good shape. There is a proliferation of ideas and techniques, and a lack of coherence. Recently there has, however, been some limited theoretical results. Adaptive techniques are also starting to be used in microprocessor based controllers. It appears as a good research field because theoretical results are badly needed to get insight, to structure the problem, and to unify the field. There is also a considerable industrial interest to use adaptive techniques in many different fields. Several new products have recently been announced. There are several strong research groups in the field, both in the United States and in Europe. The theoretical aspects have been emphasized in U.S. research. In Europe the theoretical research has however also been blended with practice. There are new application areas emerging, e.g. in robotics.

This report contains abstracts, copies of the viewgraphs and a summary of the discussions.

Dedication

This report is dedicated to the memory of Dr. Howard Elliott a prominent researcher in adaptive control. He contributed significantly to the success of the workshop which was the last formal meeting in which he participated.

Program

MONDAY - APPLICATIONS

9.00 Introduction and Welcome

Berkefelt
Cooperation between NSF and STU

9 - 12 Industrial Products

Egardt
The ASEA-Novatune system
Bengtsson
Experiences with the ASEA-Novatune
Åström
Automatic tuning of simple regulators
Bååth
The NAF - Autotuner

13 - 15 Applications

Stein
History and issues in adaptive flight control
Olsson, Rundqvist
Self-tuning control of dissolved oxygen concentration in activated sludge systems
Elliott
Adaptive pole placement for robots and servomechanisms

15 - 17 Discussion

Where do we stand with respect to applications? What algorithms are being used? What things work? What are the difficulties? What tricks are used?
Sternby
Some desirable features of industrial adaptive controllers

TUESDAY - THEORY

8 - 10 Stability Theory

- Wittenmark Self-tuning regulator with increased prediction horizon
Morse A universal control capable of stabilizing any single-input,
 single-output, minimum phase linear system of relative
 degree ≤ 2
Byrnes Adaptive stabilization of linear multivariable systems
Johansson Lyapunov functions, cost functions and adaptive control

10 - 12 System Identification

- Söderström Instrumental variable methods for systems operating in
 closed loop with application to adaptive control
Solo Adaptive spectral factorization
Ljung Frequency domain properties of identified transfer functions

13 - 15 Stochastic Adaptive Control

- Varaya Multi-armed bandits
Kumar On self-tuning to the optimal controller
Millnert A comparison of some control strategies for systems with
 fast parameter variations
Hägglund Recursive estimation of slowly time-varying parameters

15 - 17 Discussion

Where does the theory stand? What results are needed? Do
the results cover the problems brought up by practice?
What problems can we hope to solve?

WEDNESDAY - ROBUSTNESS AND NEW DIRECTIONS

- 8 - 11 Unmodeled Dynamics and Robustness
- Kokotovic Robustness of (MRAS) adaptive control
Sastry Parameter convergence in model reference adaptive control
 and its impact on robustness
Trulsson On adaptive control with prescribed robustness properties
Rohrs On living with the positive real condition
Bertsekas Distributed asynchronous algorithms for deterministic and
 stochastic optimization
- 11 - 12 Demonstration of Control Laboratory
- 13 - 15 New Directions
- Åström Expert Control
Årzen Experiments with Expert Control
- 15 - 17 Discussion
 Future directions.

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Cooperation between NSF and STU

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Nearly three years ago NSF and STU reached a general agreement on cooperation in research. This agreement covers all scientific areas where STU and NSF are funding research projects.

For a small country like Sweden with limited resources in personnel and money it is of course difficult to find areas where our research is of adequate level and size compared to US. I am therefore very pleased to note that we have recently managed to arrange workshops in two areas within the field of electronics, computers and systems sciences. About two months ago we had a joint NSF-STU workshop on computer based vision and this week we will have this workshop on adaptive control.

It is interesting to compare these two areas. Computer based vision is a new science. By a generous budget we have managed to create a good scientific level in a short time, approximately 5 years.

Adaptive control on the other side has been built up gradually during a long time and I would say more thanks to excellent and devoted researchers than to a generous budget. In any case we have in adaptive control enough research results, enough researchers and enough applications to attract the interest from NSF and US researchers and this is in a time when, as I understand it, NSF is putting heavier conditions on research cooperation with other countries than earlier.

The purpose of this workshop is apart from the exchange of research results between the two countries to find out whether adaptive control is an area where we can find possibilities for future cooperation. A joint US-Swedish project on adaptive control would have a great chance to get funding at least from STU. Unfortunately my counterpart from NSF is not here so that we can hear NSF's opinion.

This workshop happens to be very suitably located in time. We are at present at STU planning a new national program in information technology. We are trying to establish which areas in systems and computer sciences where we can compare with other countries and where scientific results are likely to lead to industrial applications and progress. I hope this workshop will help in this respect.

Let me end by saying that I hope that our American guests will have a pleasant time at Lund for some days and that this workshop will lead to deeper contacts between Swedish and US researchers and to a future more or less formalised cooperation.

The ASEA-Novatune system

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Egardt gave an overview of the system hardware, containing process interfaces etc.

The application program is written in a block oriented language. This is the industrial control engineers look at processes and control. Besides the selftuning regulator the language contains arithmetics, logics and other functions like PID.

The signal types in the language are integer and real, and there are modules like selectors, arithmetic operations, logic, delays, interface modules, filters, regulators etc.

All modules are available in the system library. The program is entered via a simple hand terminal or a standard terminal in a laboratory or at the installation site.

The programmer selects sampling intervals and priorities for the different control tasks. Except standard clock interrupt it's possible to use software interrupts or pulse counters to determine the sampling instants.

The system contains three different adaptive regulators built around the same algorithm. The difference between the regulators is the degree of flexibility offered to the user. The regulators are

STAR1	Basic, least complex regulator
STAR2	Medium complex regulator
STAR3	Complex regulator

STAR3 is the most frequently used regulator. STAR2 and STAR3 both contain feedforward, but in STAR3 the number of parameters in the control law is selected by the user.

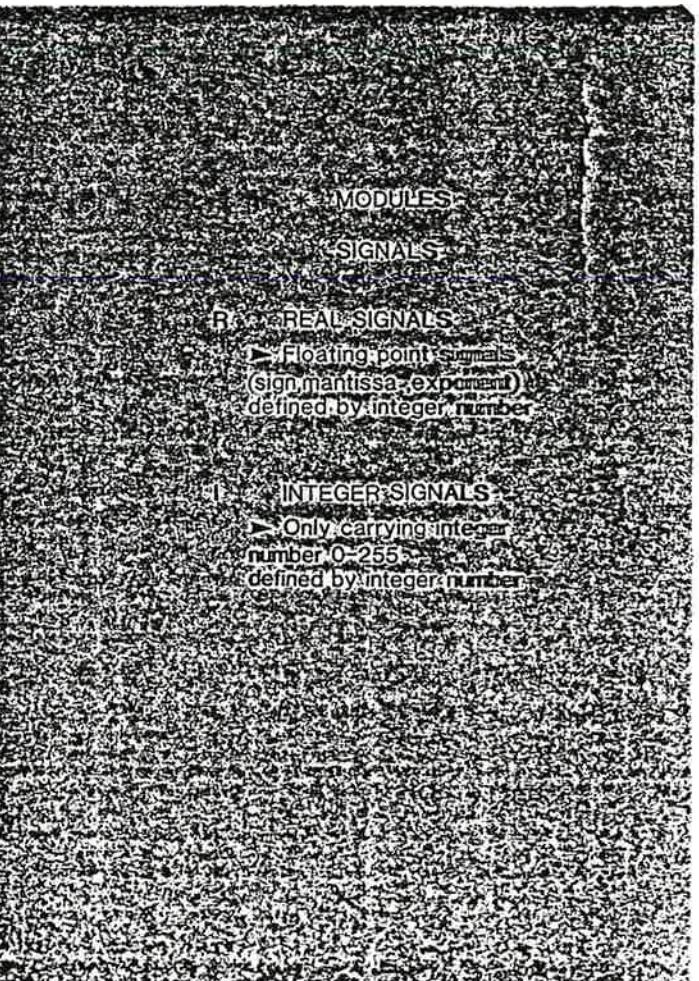
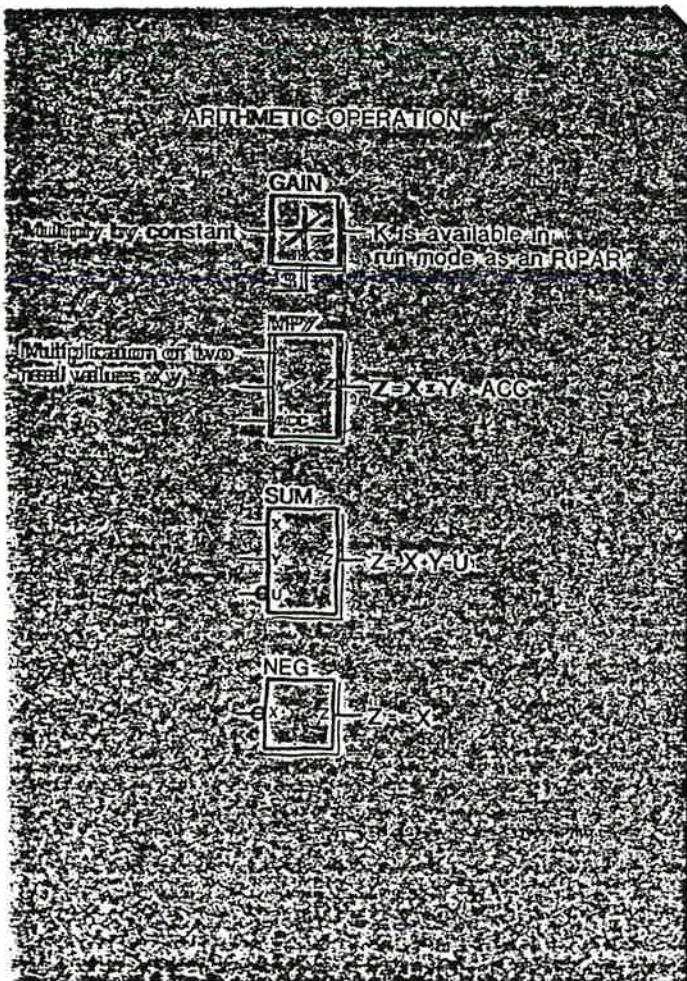
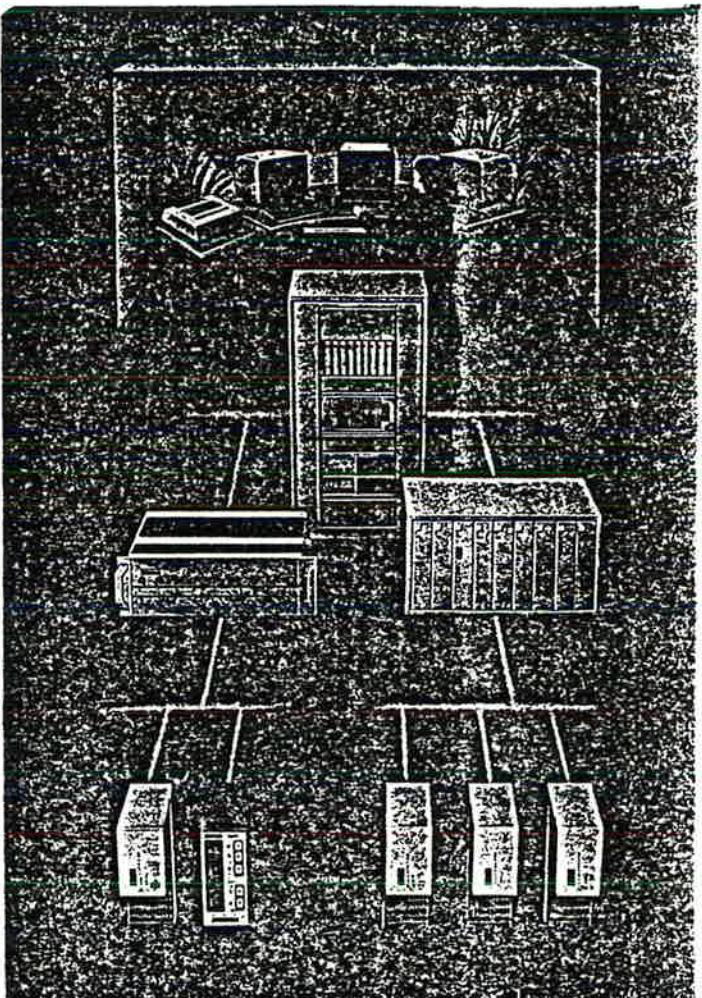
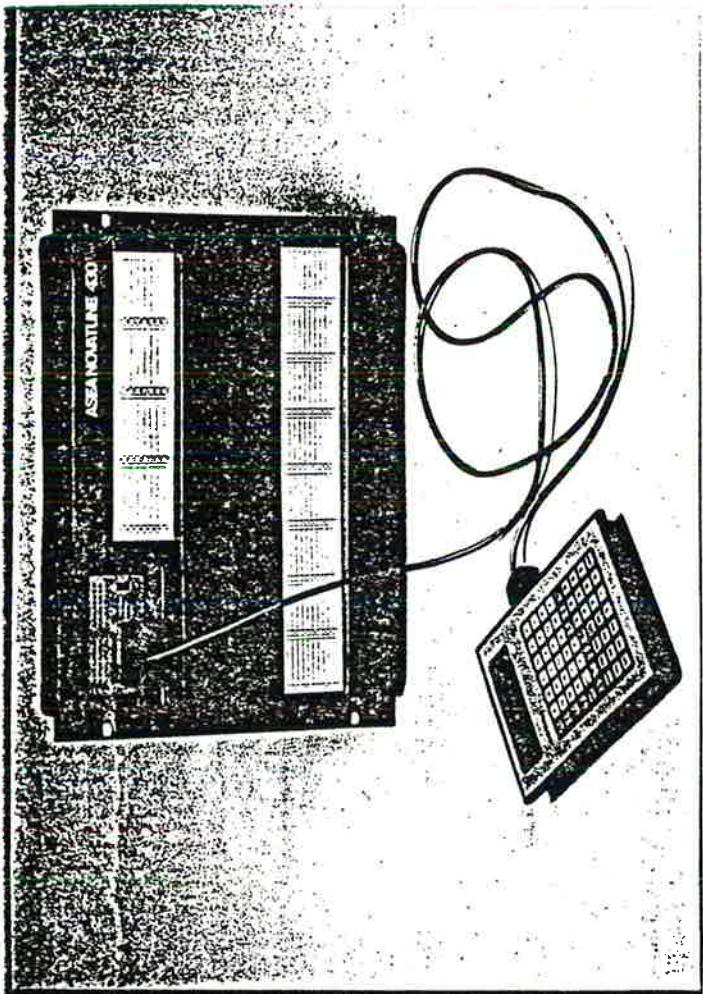
The signals connected to the STAR3 module are the manual control signal, the feedback signal (process output), the reference value and the feedforward signal. The control value can be given both absolute and incremental limits.

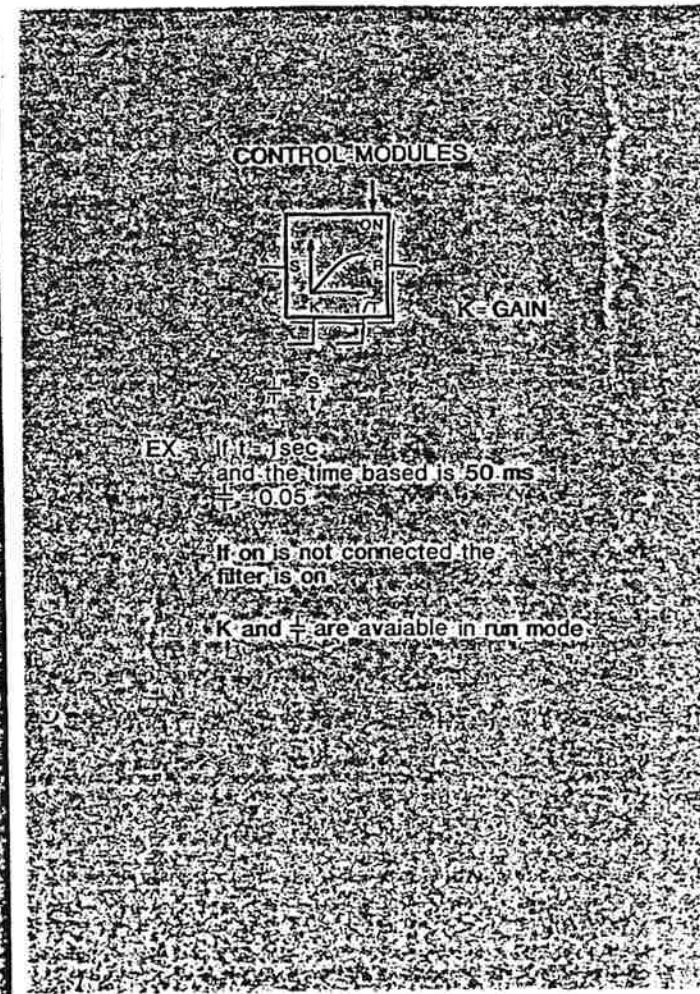
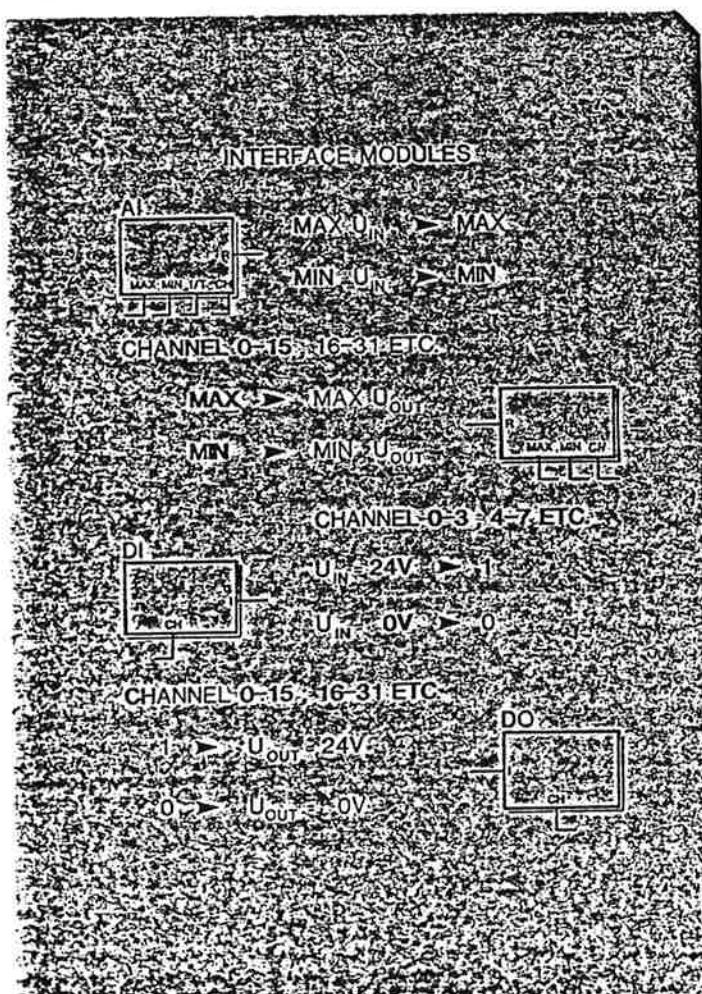
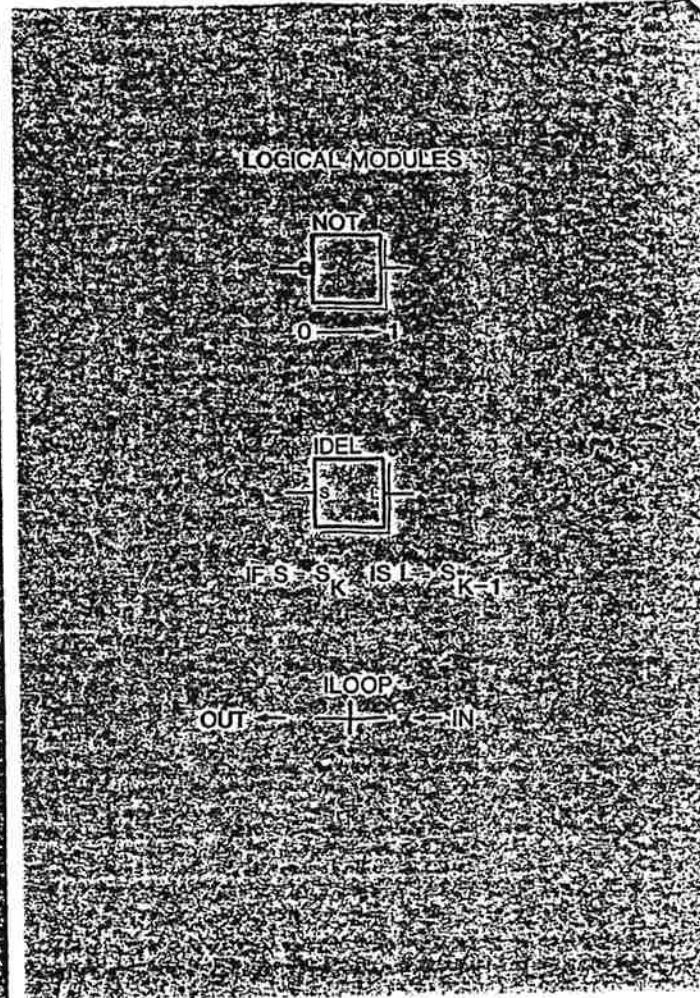
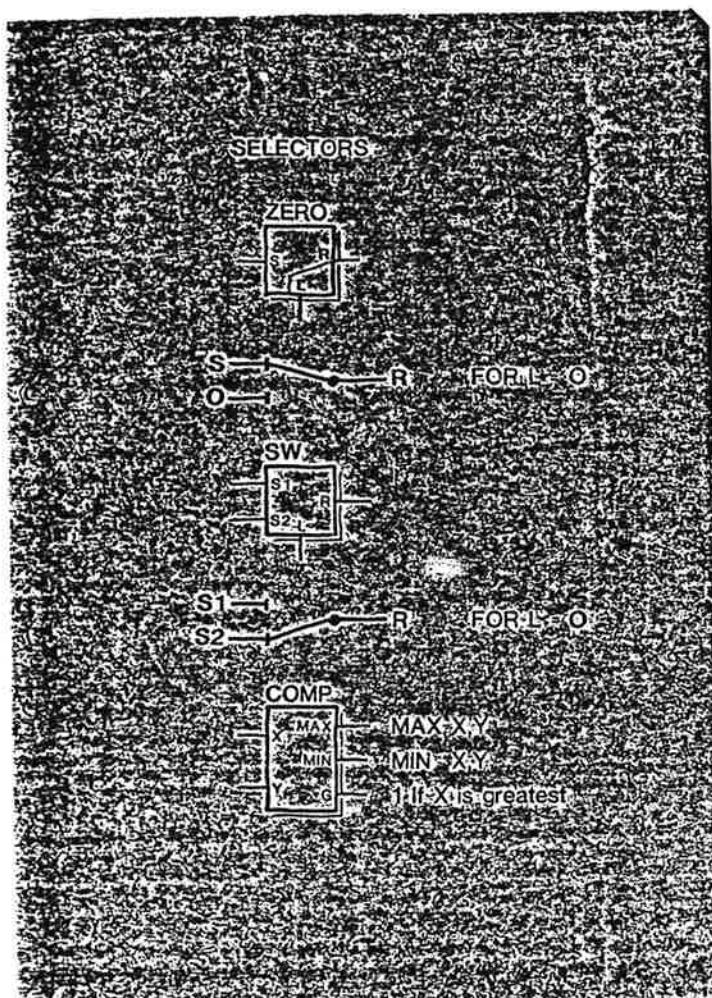
Integer signals determine the mode of the regulator, i.e. adaptation can be switched off, saved parameters can be restored etc. Unconnected inputs are given default values.

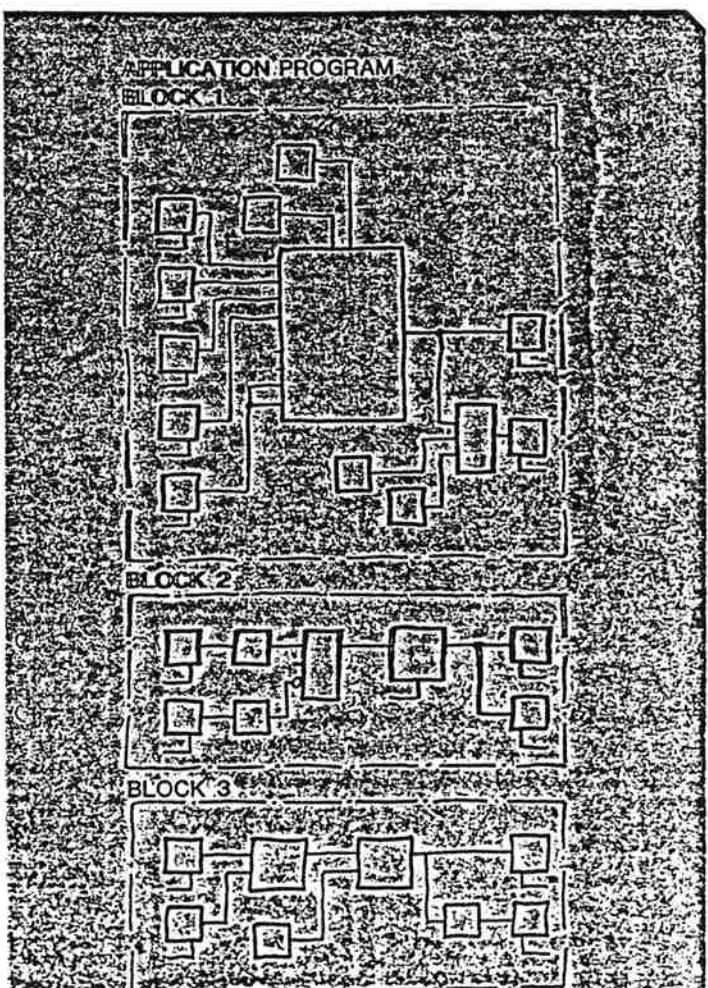
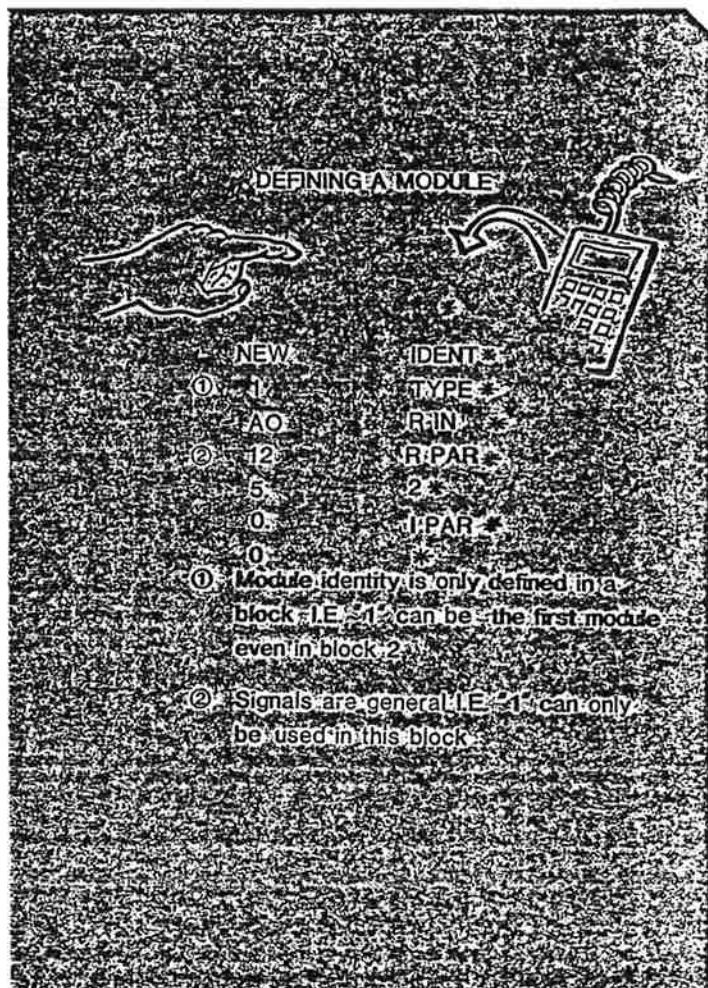
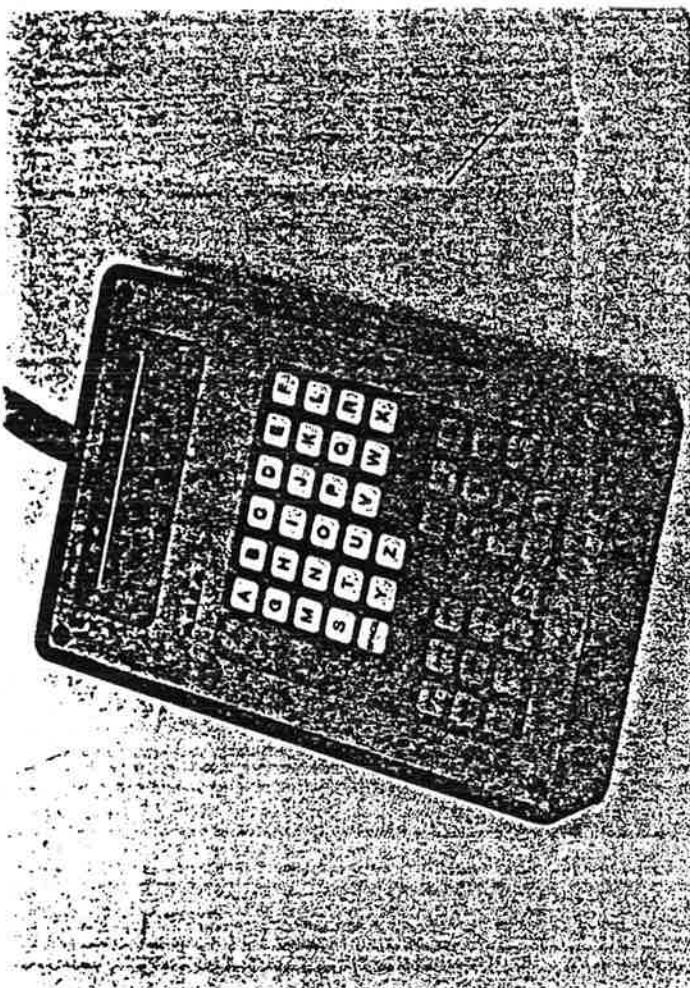
The regulator uses a minimum variance algorithm with least squares identification. Besides, one closed loop pole can be defined, the prediction horizon and the sampling interval can be chosen, and the integral action can be switched on and off. A penalty can be introduced on the control output.

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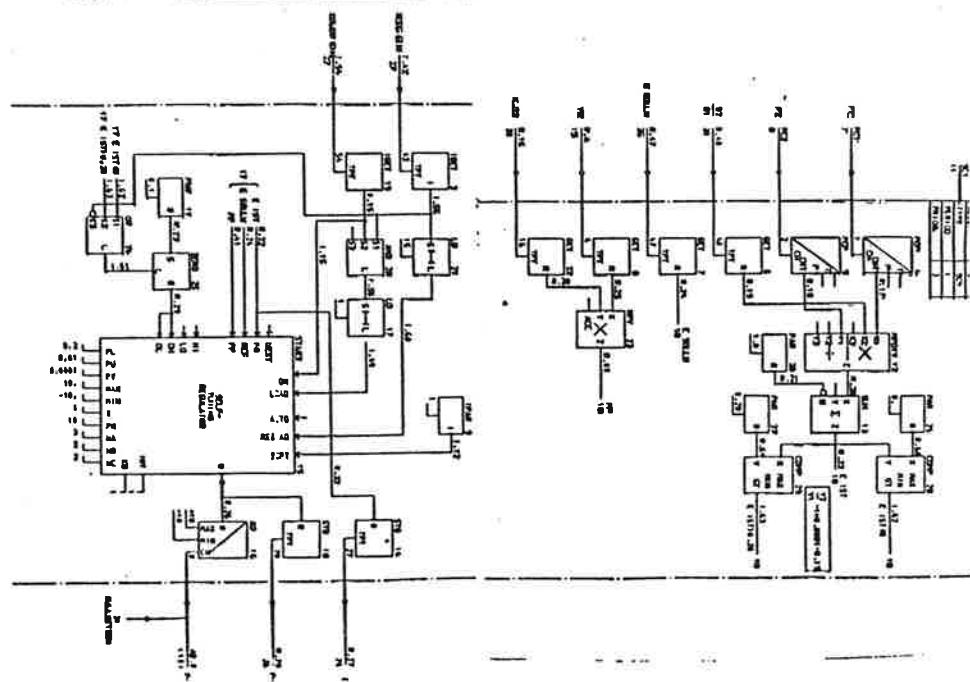
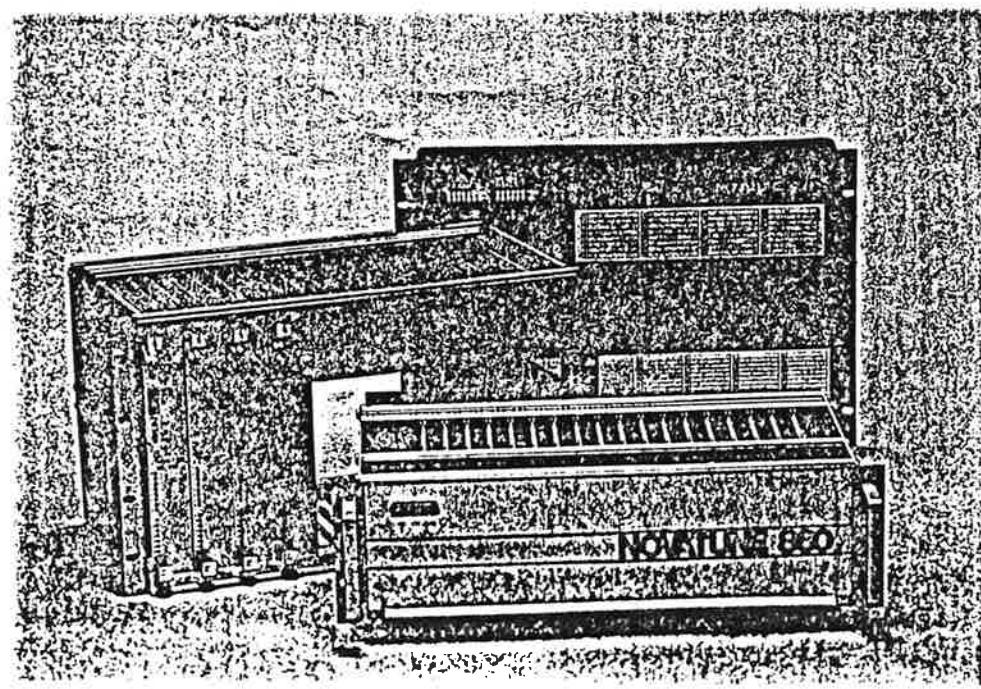
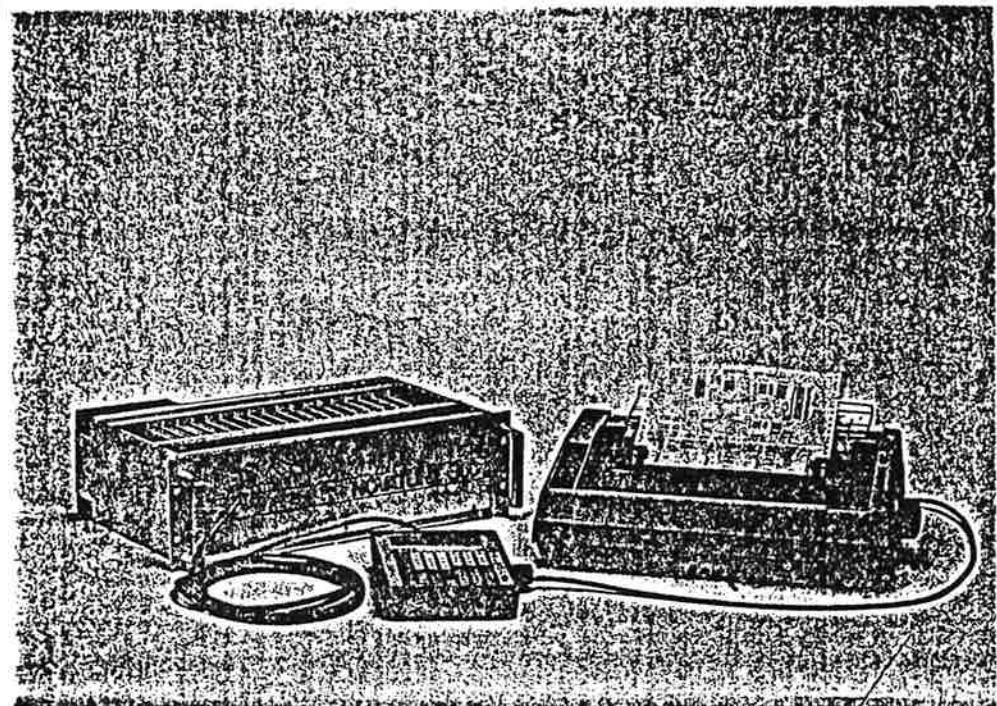
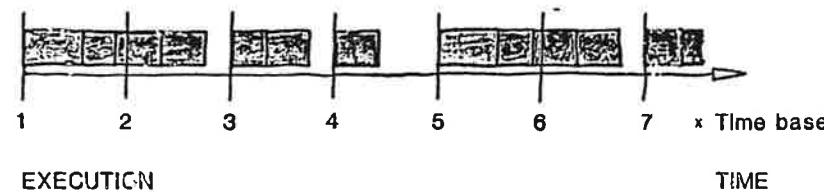




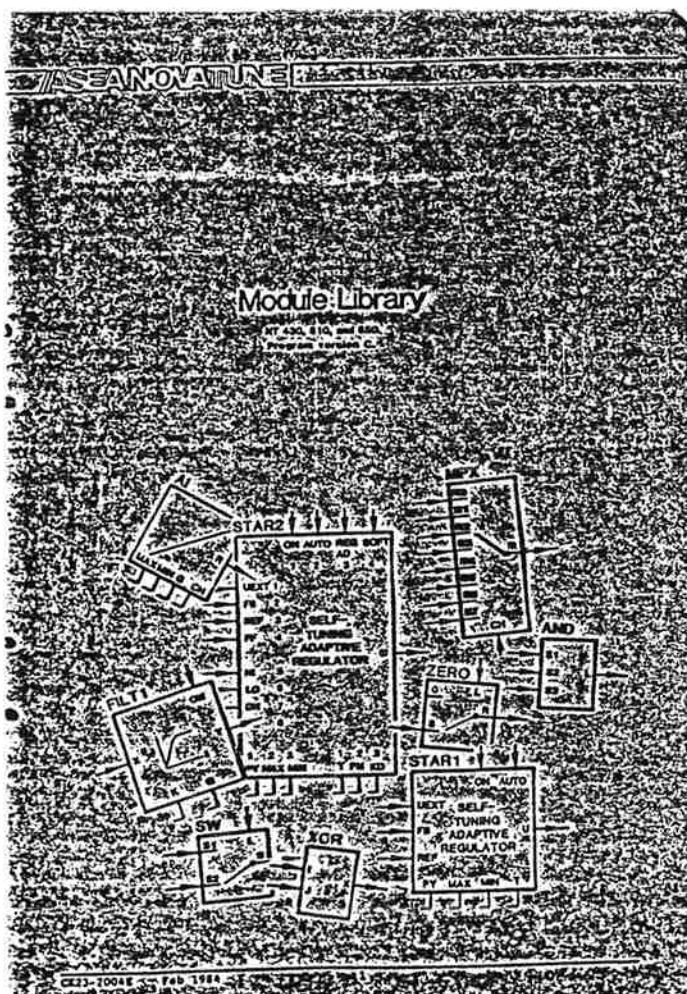
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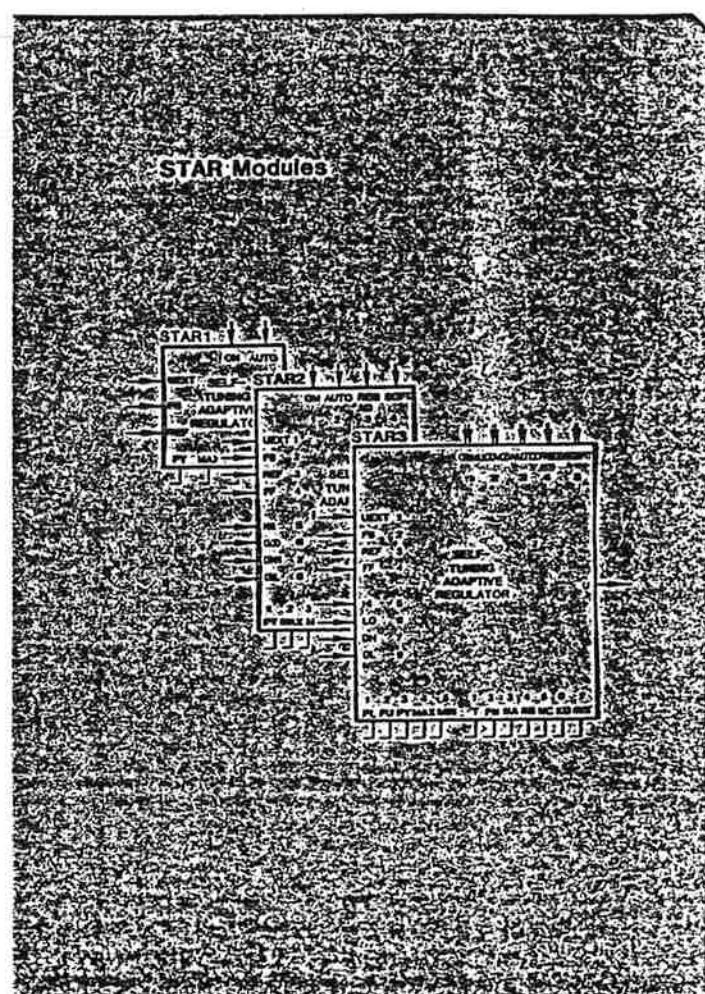
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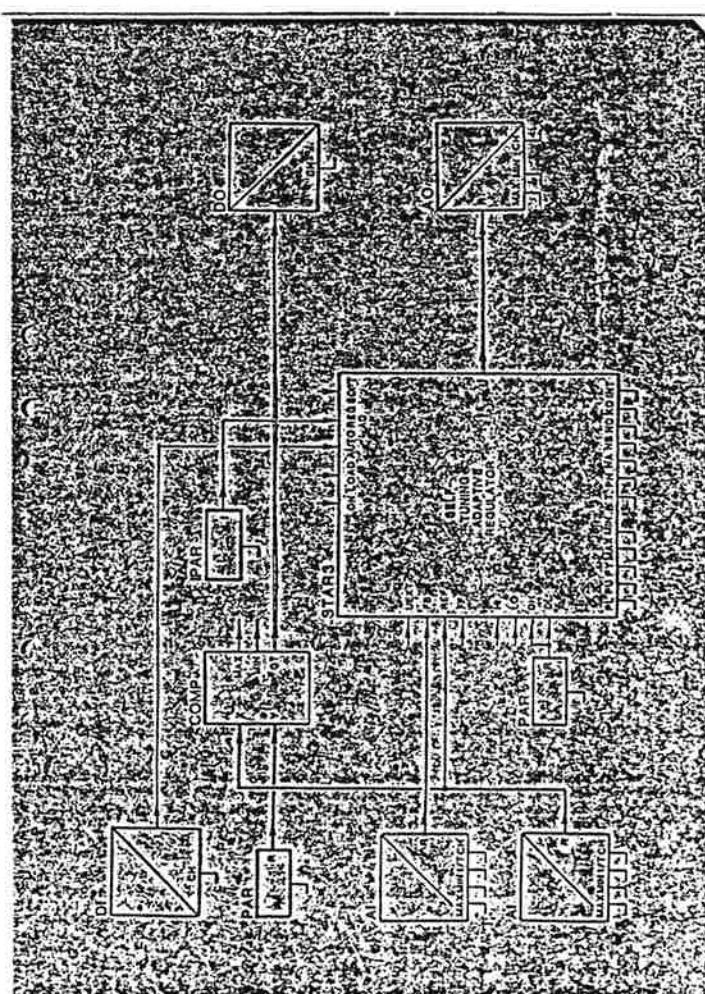
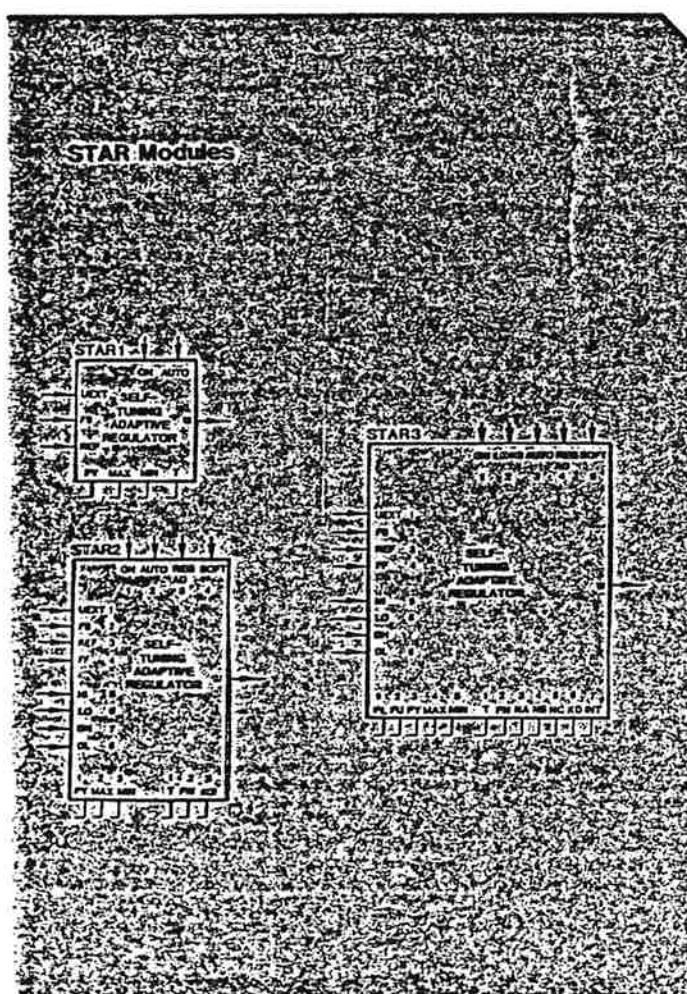
Module Library



STAR Modules



STAR Modules



Experiences with the ASEA-Novatune

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A number of feasibility studies for adaptive controls have been made at Asea during the past 10 years. The adaptive system Novatune was announced in 1982. A lot of experience has been gained during the past years use of it. About 70 systems are currently in operation. The systems cover a wide range of applications in paper mills, steel mills, boilers, waste water treatment, building automation, and looms. The installations of Novatunes is currently increasing rapidly. To do this it has been necessary to train a number of people in the commissioning of the system. A series of courses has been designed to give the proper background for customers and ASEA engineers.

There are several reasons why the Novatune system has got a good acceptance. In many process industries ordinary PID regulators are frequently badly tuned. As a result of this they are often switched to manual mode. There are a number of critical control loops where there are tangible economical benefits by reducing variations in quality variables. Experience indicates that reductions in standard deviations by a factor of two compared with a welltuned PID is quite common. The reason for this is that there frequently are time delays which the Novatune handles better than PID. The improvements in comparisons with poorly tuned PID are of course more favorable. Improvements in variances with an order of magnitude have been found in several cases when feedforward can be applied. Effective use of feedforward requires however good models which have to be updated. It is thus a good case for adaptive control.

Two applications are described in some detail, a cold rolling mill and a chemical reactor.

The rolling mill is a typical batch process there are roughly speaking three phases, startup, full speed operation and breaking. The Novatune was applied to the gauge control loop. The screw position was controlled using feedback from a gauge sensor after the rolls and by feedforward from a gauge sensor in front of the rolls. The main disturbances are variations in gauge and hardness. The time constants and the time delay varies with a factor of 25 over the operation range. The variations in the time delay are handled by having a speed sensor and by introducing length as the independent variable instead of time. The actual sampling period in the regulator will thus vary with speed from 40 ms at full speed to several seconds at slow speeds. The adaptive regulator performed significantly better than a conventional PID regulator with feedforward.

The first Novatune application was made in connection with temperature control in a chemical reactor. The temperature fluctuations were reduced by an order of magnitude mainly due to feedforward operation. The application is critical with

respect to safety and production. The possibility of storing parameters which will give a safe performance of the closed loop system and reinitializing the adaptation using these parameters was incorporated in the system. This application is described in more detail in [1].

The key problem areas that have been found have to do with nonlinearities like friction, dead zone and hysteresis. It may be a good idea to have more flexible ways of modeling these in the regulator. The unstable zeros which appear when the sampling rate is increased is another problem of practical importance.

Reference:

- [1] Bengtsson G, Egardt B (1984): Experiences with Self-Tuning Control in the Process Industry. Preprints of IFAC 9th World Congress, Budapest, Hungary, vol XI, 132-140.

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Adaptive feedforward



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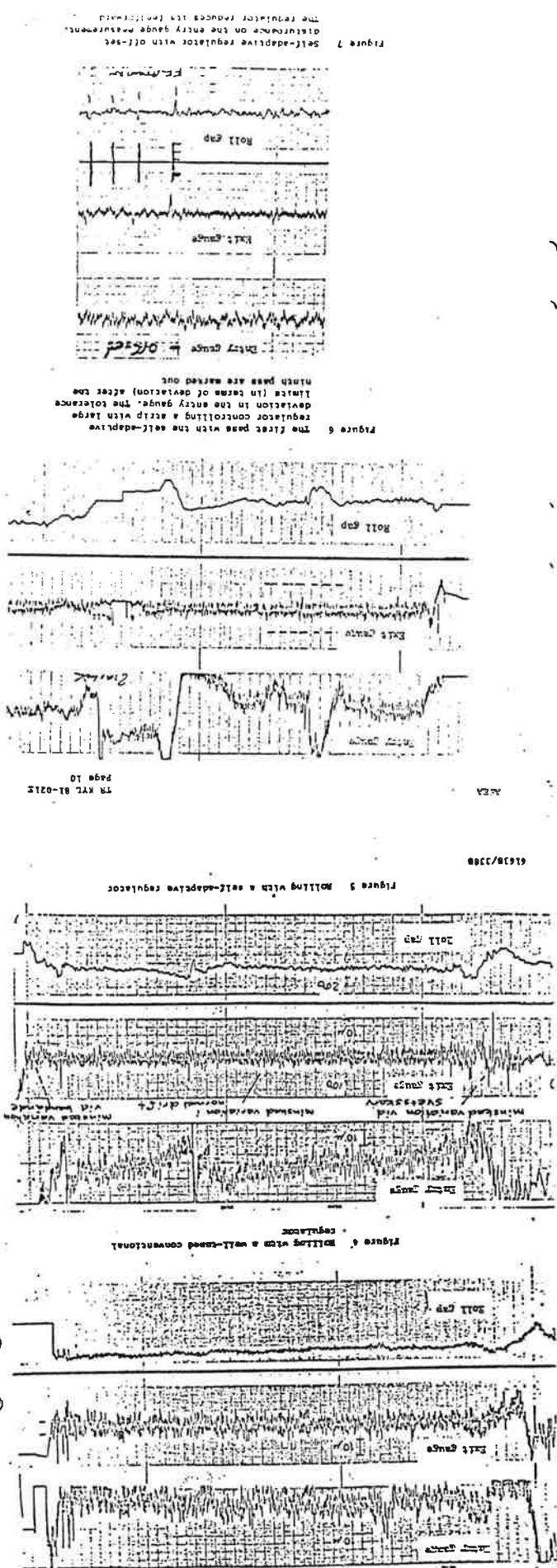
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Figure 6 The effects of positive feedback on self-adaptive regulation (in terms of deviation) after each pass are marked out.

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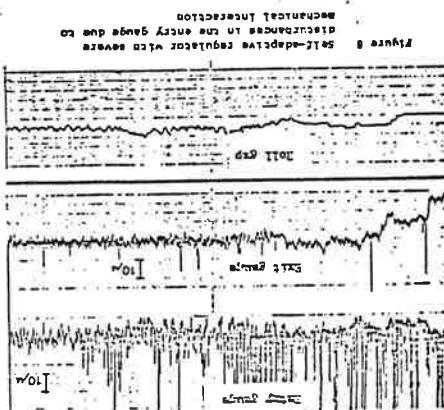


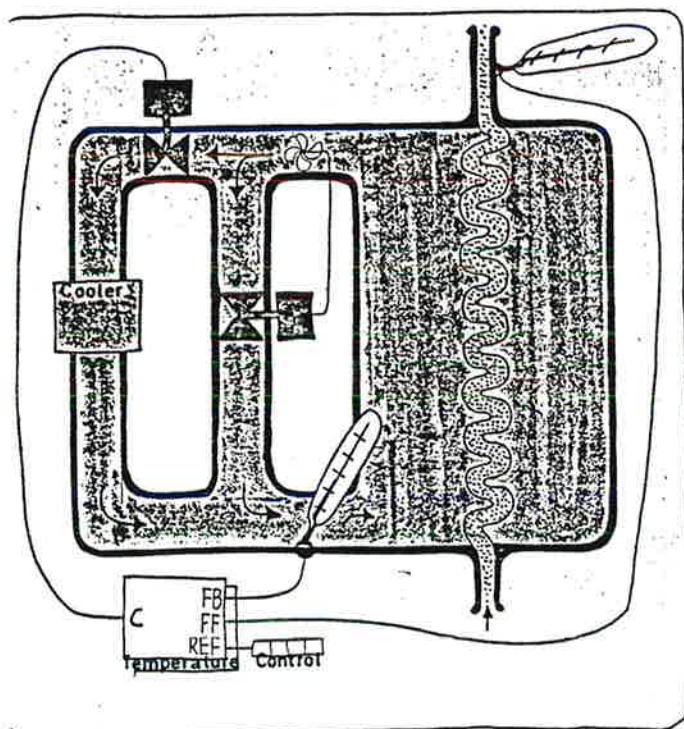
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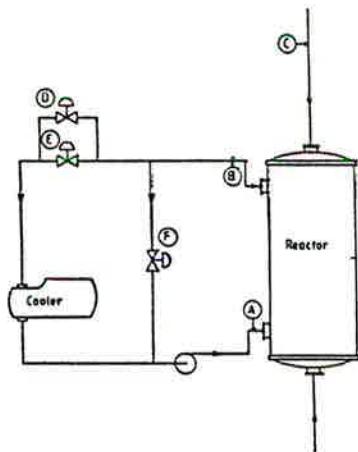


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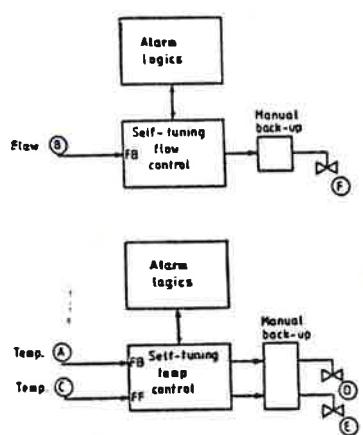
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Reactor Design

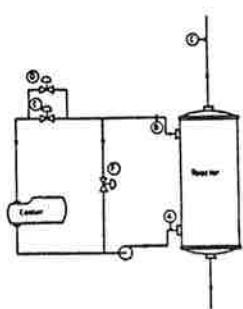
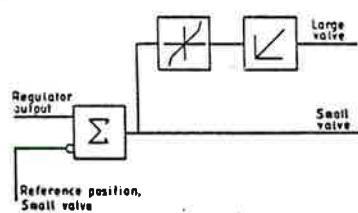


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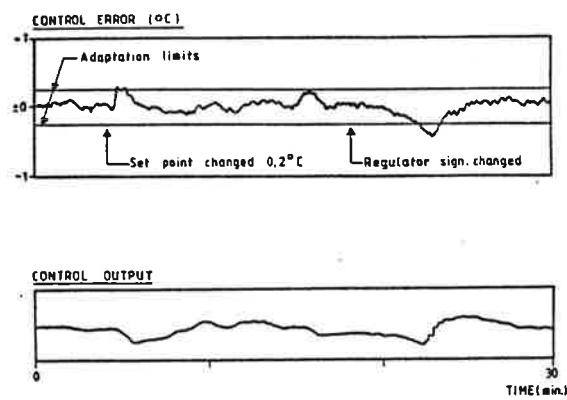
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Combining parallel valves

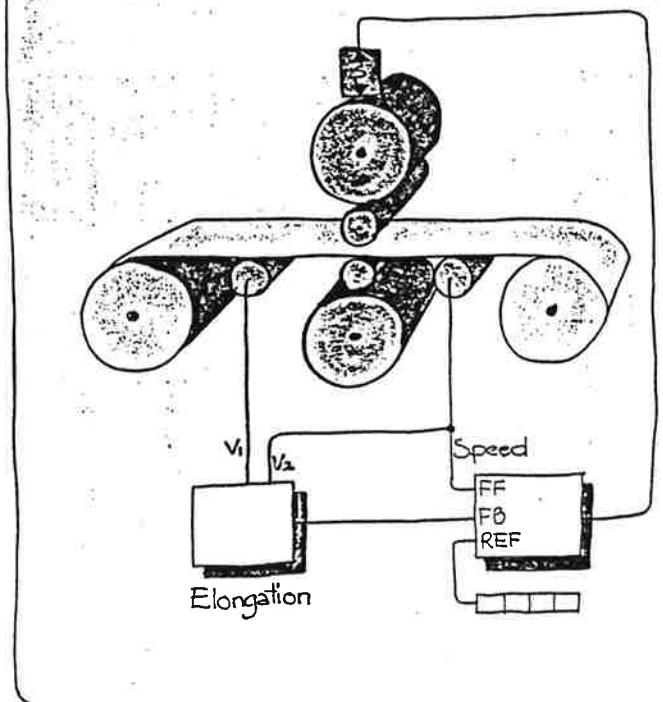


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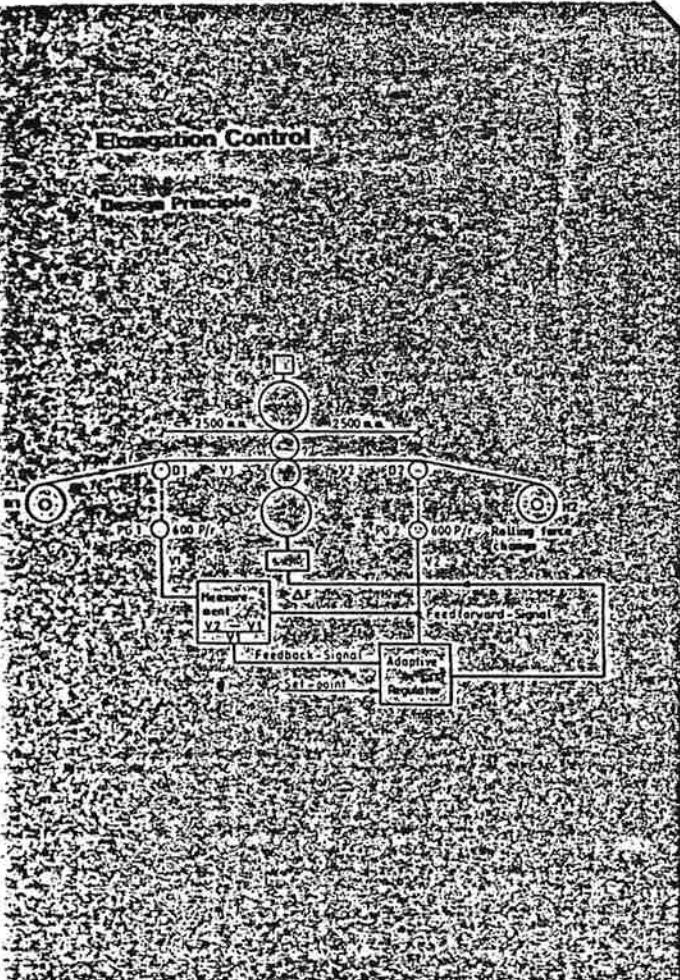


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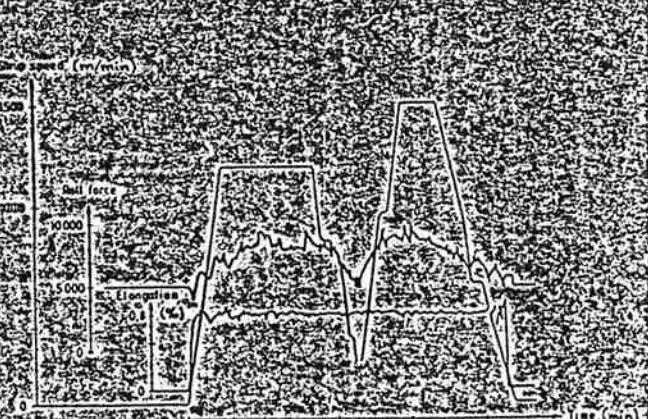
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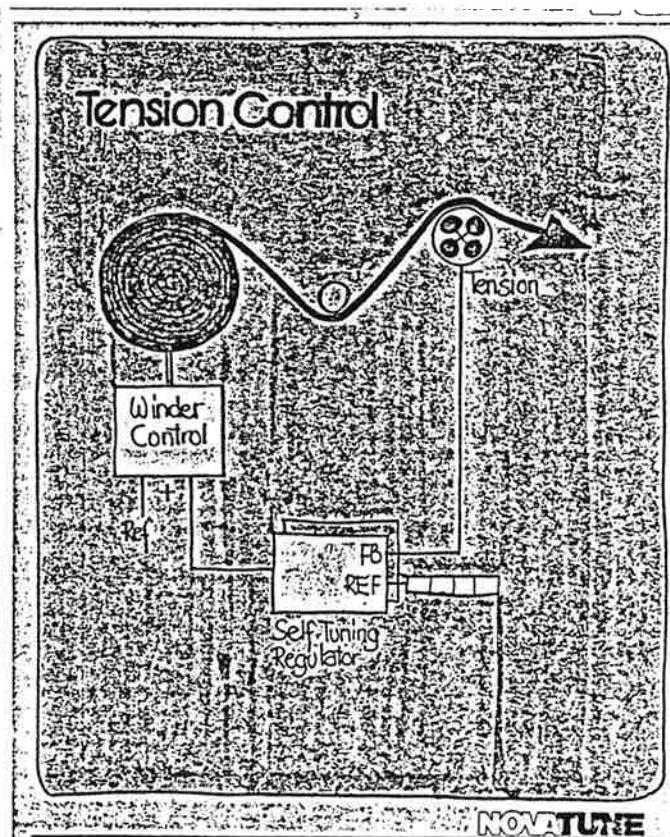
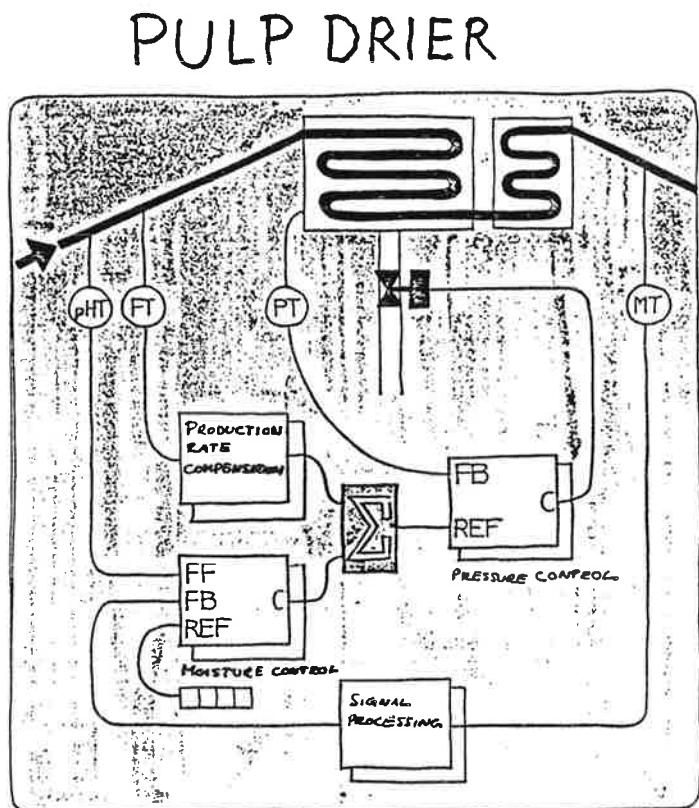
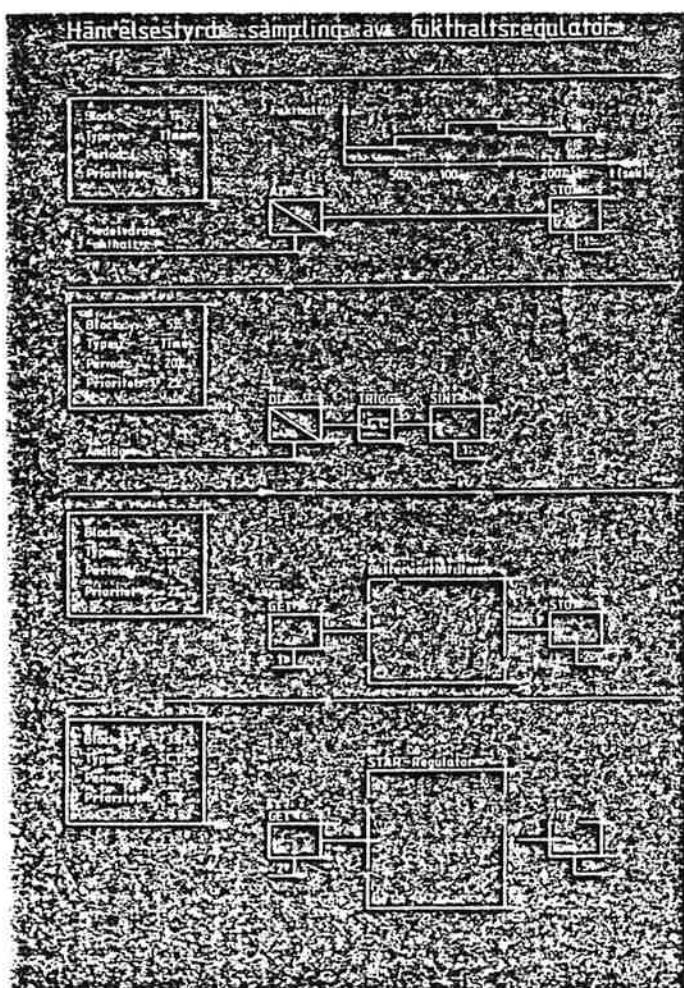
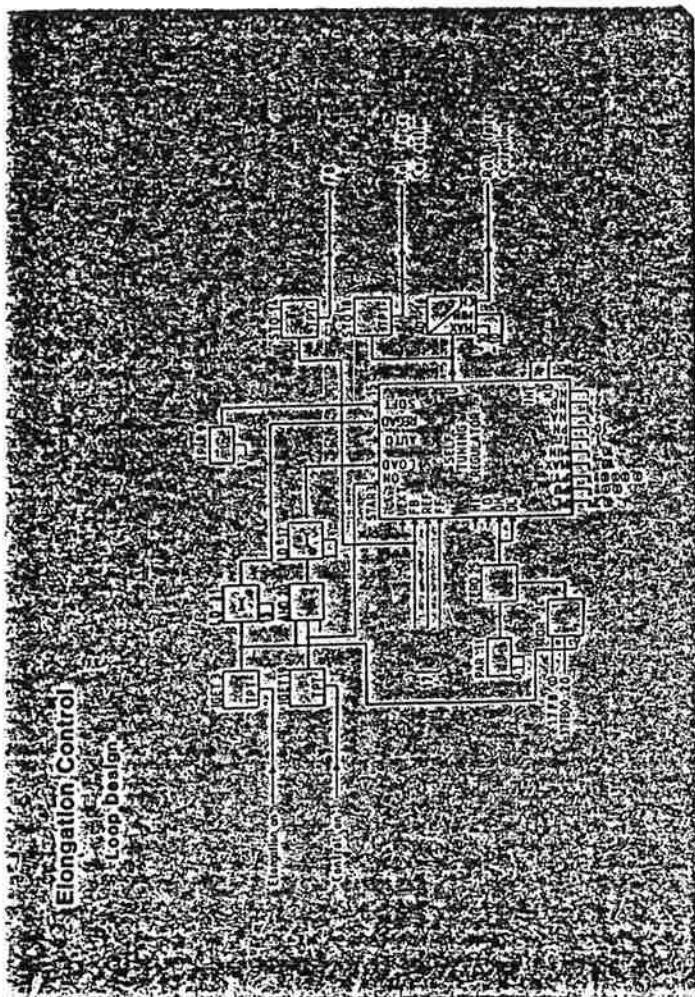
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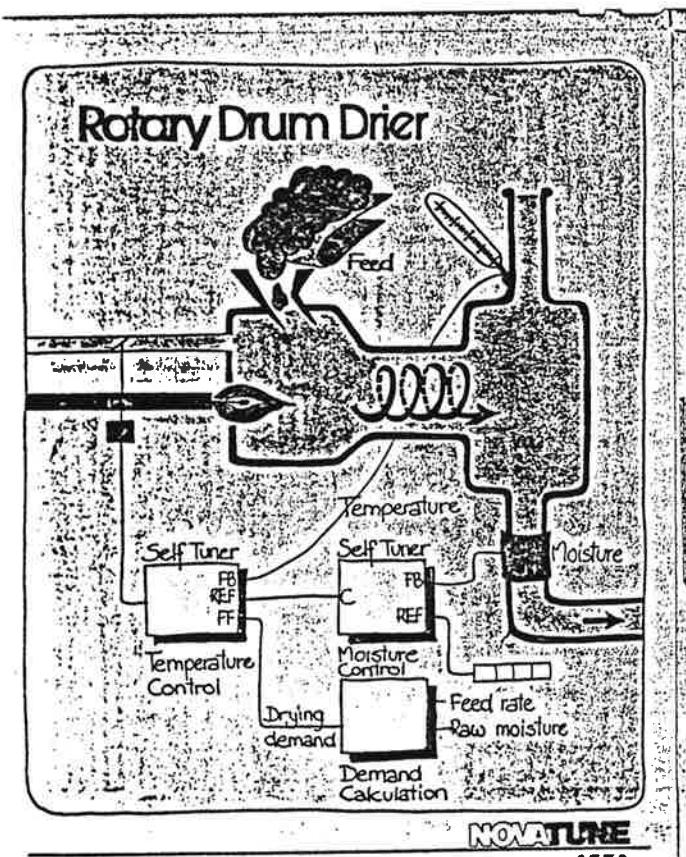
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Automatic tuning of simple regulators

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Abstract.

Procedures for automatic tuning of regulators of the PID type are described. The methods are based on a simple identification method which gives critical points on the Nyquist curve of the open loop transfer function. The key idea is a scheme which provides automatic excitation of the process which is nearly optimal for estimating the desired process characteristics. The methods proposed are primarily intended to tune simple regulators of the PI(D) type. In such applications they will of course inherit the limitations of the PI(D) algorithms. They will not work well for problems where more complicated regulators are required. The proposed algorithms may be used in several different ways. They may be incorporated in single loop controllers to provide an option for automatic tuning. They may also be used to provide a solution to the long-standing problem of safe initialization of more complicated adaptive or self-tuning schemes. In contrast to other methods based on self-tuning control, they do not require apriori information about time scales.

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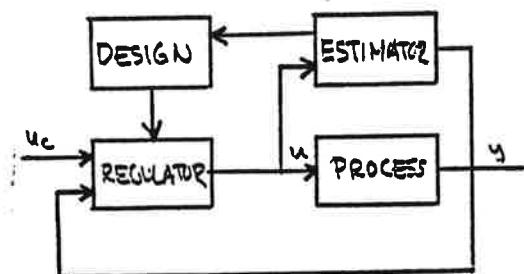
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INTRODUCTION

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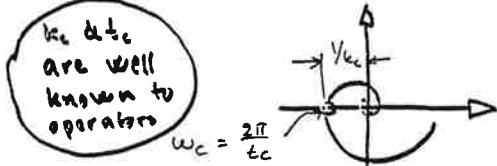
SELF-TUNING CONTROL

THE BASIC IDEA



⌚ DESCRIBE THE PROCESS IN TERMS OF CRITICAL GAIN k_c AND CRITICAL PERIOD t_c .

k_c & t_c
are well known to operators



⌚ FIND METHODS FOR DETERMINING k_c AND t_c .

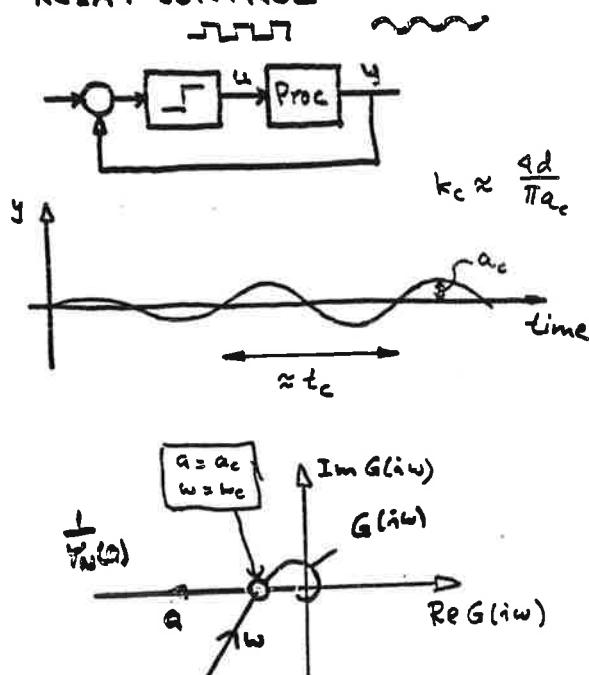
⌚ APPLY DESIGN METHOD BASED ON k_c AND t_c

EX: ZIEGLER NICHOLS

$$k = \frac{k_c}{2}, T_i = \frac{t_c}{2}, T_d = \frac{t_c}{8}$$

DETERMINATION OF k_c & t_c

RELAY CONTROL



PROPERTIES

☞ AUTOMATIC GENERATION OF NEAR OPTIMAL INPUT

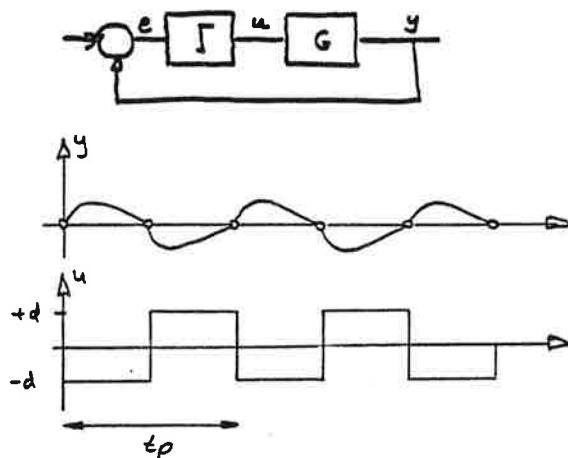
☞ GOOD POSSIBILITIES FOR CONTROLLING THE OUTPUT AMPLITUDE DURING THE EXPERIMENT

☞ SAFE PROCEDURE FOR STABLE SYSTEMS

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CRITERIA FOR OSCILLATIONS



SAMPLE AT $t_p/2$

$$Z(u) = \frac{1}{2+1}$$

THEOREM: $H(-1) = 0$

APPROXIMATION

$$k_c \approx \frac{4d}{\pi a}$$

THE DESCRIBING FCN APPROX.

$$\begin{aligned}
 H(e^{sh}) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{h(s+i\omega_n)} (1 - e^{-h(s+i\omega_n)}) G(s+i\omega_n) \\
 \omega_s &= \frac{2\pi}{h} \rightarrow sh = i\pi \text{ gives} \\
 H(-1) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{2}{i(\pi + 2n\pi)} G(i \frac{\pi + 2n\pi}{h}) \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{4}{\pi(1+2n)} \operatorname{Im}\{G(i \frac{\pi + 2n\pi}{h})\} \\
 &\approx \frac{4}{\pi} \operatorname{Im}\{G(i \frac{\pi}{h})\}
 \end{aligned}$$

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EXAMPLE 1

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s} e^{-sT}$$

$$H(z) = \frac{zT + (h-T)}{z-1}$$

$$H(-1) = 0 \Rightarrow h = 2T$$

$$\text{Period } T_p = 2h = \underline{\underline{4T}}$$

$$\arg G(i\omega_c) = -\frac{\pi}{2} - \omega_c T = -\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_c = \frac{\pi}{2T} \quad T_p = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_c} = \underline{\underline{4T}}$$

EXAMPLE 2

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s(s+1)(s+a)}$$

$$\arg G(i\omega_c) = 0 \Rightarrow \omega_c = \sqrt{a}$$

$$H(-1) = -\frac{h}{2a} + \frac{1}{a-1} \left[\frac{1-e^{-h}}{1+e^{-h}} - \frac{1}{a^2} \frac{1-e^{-ah}}{1+e^{-ah}} \right]$$

$$H(-1) = 0 \Rightarrow h \approx \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{a}}$$

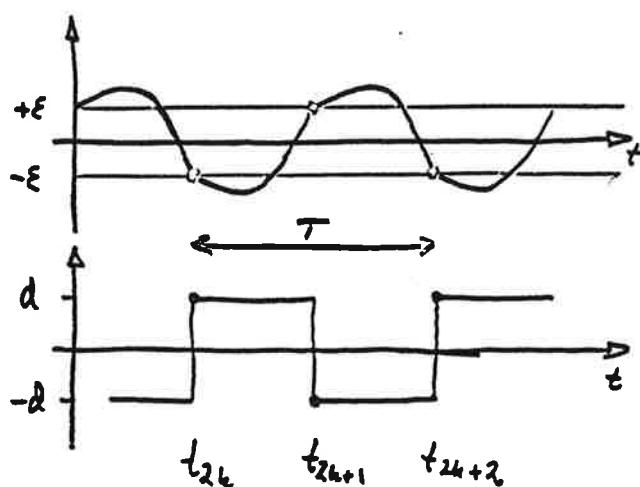
$$T_p = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{a}} = \frac{6.28}{\sqrt{a}} \text{ approx}$$

$$T_p \approx \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{a}} = \frac{6.92}{\sqrt{a}}$$

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CONDITIONS FOR PERIODIC SOLUTIONS



$$\mathcal{Z}\{u\} = \frac{d}{z+1} \quad \mathcal{Z}\{y\} = -\frac{\varepsilon}{z+1}$$

$$H(\frac{I}{2}, -1) = -\frac{\varepsilon}{d}$$

EXAMPLE:

$$G(s) = \frac{b}{s+a} \quad a, b > 0$$

$$H(\tau, z) = \frac{b(1-e^{-a\tau})}{z - e^{-a\tau}}$$

$$H(\tau, -1) = -\frac{b(1-e^{-a\tau})}{1 + e^{-a\tau}} = -\frac{\varepsilon}{d}$$

$$T = 2\tau = -\frac{2}{a} \ln \frac{bd - \varepsilon}{bd + \varepsilon} \approx \frac{4\varepsilon}{abd}$$

EXAMPLE

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \omega \\ -\omega & 0 \end{bmatrix} x + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \omega \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [1 \ 0] x$$

$$H(\tau, z) = \frac{z - 2\cos\omega\tau + 1}{z^2 - 2z\cos\omega\tau + 1}$$

$$H(\tau, -1) = -\frac{\cos\omega\tau}{1 + \cos\omega\tau} = -\frac{\epsilon}{d}$$

$$T = 2\tau = \frac{2}{\omega} \arccos \frac{\epsilon}{d-\epsilon}$$

$$\epsilon = 0 \Rightarrow T = \frac{2}{\omega} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{\omega}$$

EXAMPLE:

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2}$$

$$H(\tau, s) = \frac{\tau^2}{2} \frac{z+1}{(z-1)^2}$$

$$H(\tau, -1) = 0$$

⇒ NO PERIODIC SOLUTION WITH HYSTERESIS

⇒ PERIODIC SOLUTIONS WITH ARBITRARY PERIOD WITH IDEAL RELAY

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HOW TO DETERMINE t_c & α

ZERO CROSSINGS &
PEAK DETECTION

ZERO CROSSINGS &
CORRELATION

LEAST SQUARES

$$\sum [y(t) - b y(t-h) + y(t-2h)]^2 \text{ min}$$

$$b = 2 \cos(h/t_c) \cdot 2\pi$$

$$\sum [y(t) - a_1 \sin \omega t - a_2 \cos \omega t]^2$$

$$\omega = 2\pi/t_c$$

ZIEGLER - NICHOLS RULE 1

CRITICAL GAIN K_c
- - - PERIOD T_c

	K	T_I	T_D
P	$0.5K_c$		
PI	$0.4K_c$	$0.8T_c$	
PID	$0.6K_c$	$0.5T_c$	$0.12T_c$

MODIFIED RULES:

BETTER DAMPING?

CONTROL DESIGN

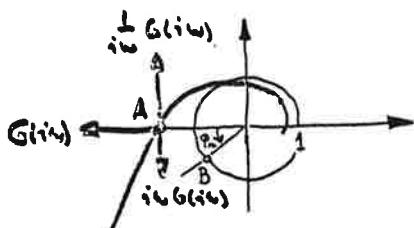
AMPLITUDE MARGIN DESIGN

$$G_R(s) = k \left[1 + \frac{1}{sT_i} + sT_d \right]$$

$$= k \left[1 + \frac{1}{sT_i} (1 + s^2 T_i T_d) \right]$$

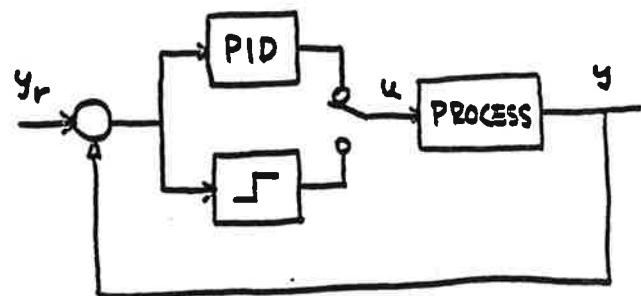
$$k = \frac{k_c}{A_m}, T_d = \frac{1}{\omega_n^2 T_i}, T_i \text{ arbitrary}$$

PHASE MARGIN DESIGN



PICK k , T_i AND T_d TO MOVE A
TO B

REGULATOR STRUCTURE



PRACTICAL ISSUES

- ❖ MEASUREMENT NOISE
- ❖ ADJUSTMENT OF AMPLITUDE OF OUTPUT
- ❖ SATURATION OF ACTUATORS
- ❖ WHAT PRIOR INFORMATION IS NEEDED?
- ❖ HYSTERESIS

EXPERIMENTS

GOALS

WHEN & HOW WILL IT WORK
USER REACTION

MEANS

LSI 11/03, Apple II,
Intel 8086
Analog computer simulation
Laboratory processes
Industry
Flow
Temperature
Level
Composition

RESULTS

PI - AUTO-TUNER

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(1+0.25s)^4}$$

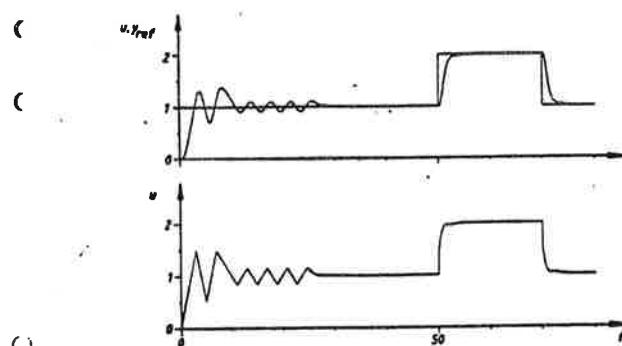


Figure 8. - Simulation of a PI auto-tuner applied to a process with the transfer function $G(s) = 1/(1+0.25s)^4$.

VARIATIONS IN PROCESS GAIN

$$G(s) = \frac{k}{(1+0.25s)^4}$$

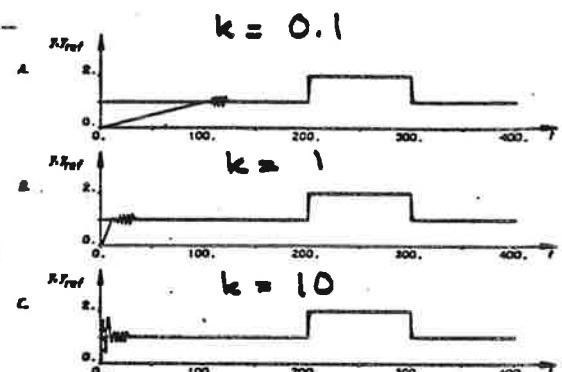


Figure 9. - Simulation of a PI auto-tuner applied to a process with the transfer function $G(s) = k/(1+0.25s)^4$. The process gain k is 0.1, 1 and 10 in A, B, and C respectively.

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VARIATIONS IN PROCESS TIME CONSTANTS

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(1+sT)^4}$$

$T = 5$

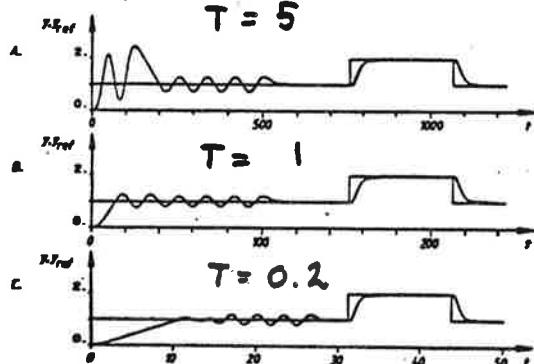


Figure 10. - Simulation of a PI auto-tuner applied to a process with the transfer function $G(s) = 1/(1+sT)^4$. The process time constant T is 5, 1 and 0.2 in A, B, and C respectively.

EFFECTS OF NOISE

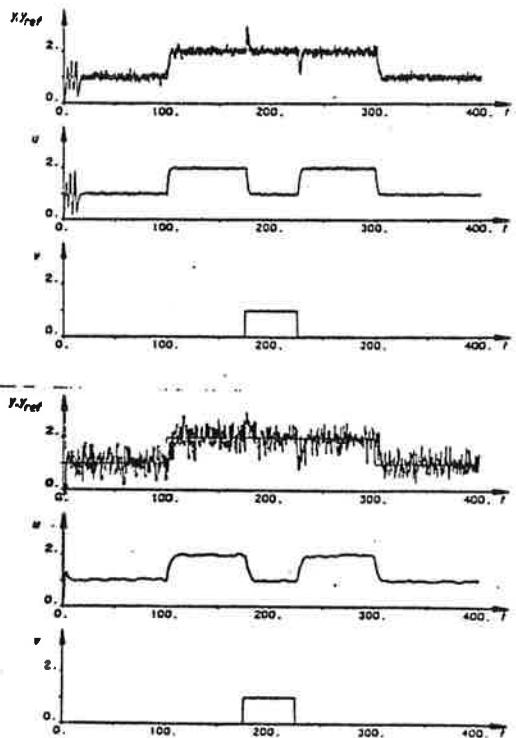
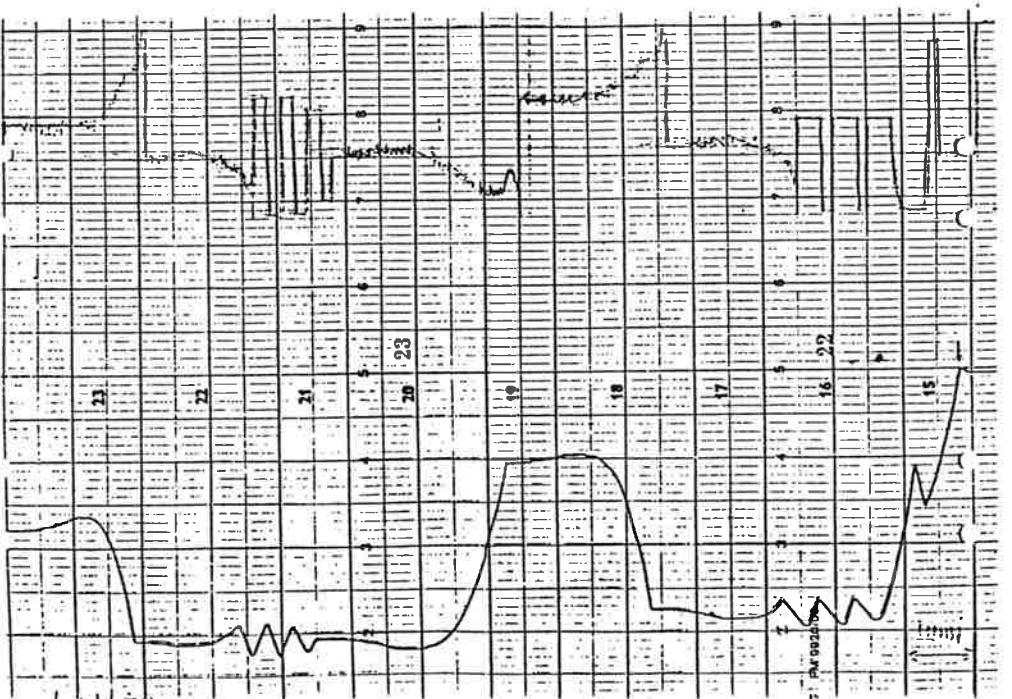


Figure 12. - Simulation of the system with variable noise level. The standard deviation of the measurement noise is 0.1 and 0.3 in A and B respectively.

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CONCLUSIONS

- ⌚ A SIMPLE IDEA
- ⌚ SEEM TO WORK WELL
- ⌚ ROBUST
- ⌚ IMPLICATIONS FOR MORE GENERAL ADAPTIVE SYSTEMS
- ⌚ GETS YOU IN THE BALL PARK
- ⌚ RESEARCH ISSUES

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The NAF - Autotuner

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Among other products for instrumentation and control NAF Control AB manufactures the Control and Information system NAF-Unic. As a special version of the software of the systems NAF-Unic S SDM-10 and NAF-Unic S SDM-20 the NAF-Autotuner can be obtained.

The NAF-Unic S SDM-20 system consists of one central unit, one or two color, screens and function keyboards, one alphanumeric keyboard for program development, one printer and one tape recorder. The system has the capacity of handling 30 analog and 30 digital inputs, 16 digital and 16 analog outputs and up to 45 PID-controllers. With 45 PID-loops the system loop time is 250 ms. The expanded version can handle 240 inputs and 128 output signals.

The system can be programmed with function modules such as PID-controllers, a deadtime controller, limiters, alarm modules, adders, multipliers, logical modules and so on. In total there are about 30 different modules. The software of the system can contain 220 function modules. The system also contains a PLC-system which is integrated with the analog control system. It is possible to program the system on line.

A major goal in the design of this system has been high system security. Several measures have been taken to achieve this, for example

- All PC-boards are duplicated
- Checksum calculation of configuration in RAM and code in EPROM
- A triple serial bus for internal communication is used
- Self diagnostic routines for the inputs and outputs

The NAF-Unic S SDM-20 and SDM-10 systems also have incorporated an autotuner to help the operator in tuning the PID-controllers. A major design effort has been to simplify operation of the autotuner. All 45 PID regulator loops can use the Autotuner. The Autotuner has been developed by NAF-Controls in collaboration with Karl Johan Åström and Tore Hägglund at the Department of Automatic Control at Lund Institute of Technology. The principle of the Autotuner is to replace the normal PID-controller by a relay controller. A system with a relay controller starts to oscillate. If the period and amplitude of this oscillation are measured, the critical gain (k_c) and the critical period time (T_c) can be computed, because the describing function of the relay is known. When k_c and T_c are known a PID-controller can easily be designed.

The use of NAF-autotuner is very simple. Tuning can be started on operator command or by a digital signal. When no previous tuning is done, the operator must bring the process up to desired reference value in MAN-mode and start tuning.

If there is a controller that already has been tuned, just start tuning. Tuning can be interrupted by setting the controller in MAN- or AUTO-mode. When tuning is ready, the controller is automatically set in AUTO-mode with new PID-parameters.

SDM-20. System Features and Capacity

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- handles both analogue and digital signals
 - 60 input signals — analogue or digital
 - 32 output signals — analogue or digital
- for up to 45 control loops
- supervision of up to 8 external single loop controllers
- optional signal can be connected to a pen-recorder for long-term trends
- system loop time , 250 ms
- software with 220 function modules
- advanced PLC-system for interlocking and sequence control
- expandable to 240 input and 120 output signals
- Very high system security
 - PLC - system is integrated with analoge control - system by means of 256 digital signals used for communication
 - On line programming



NAF-Unic S
on the spot computing

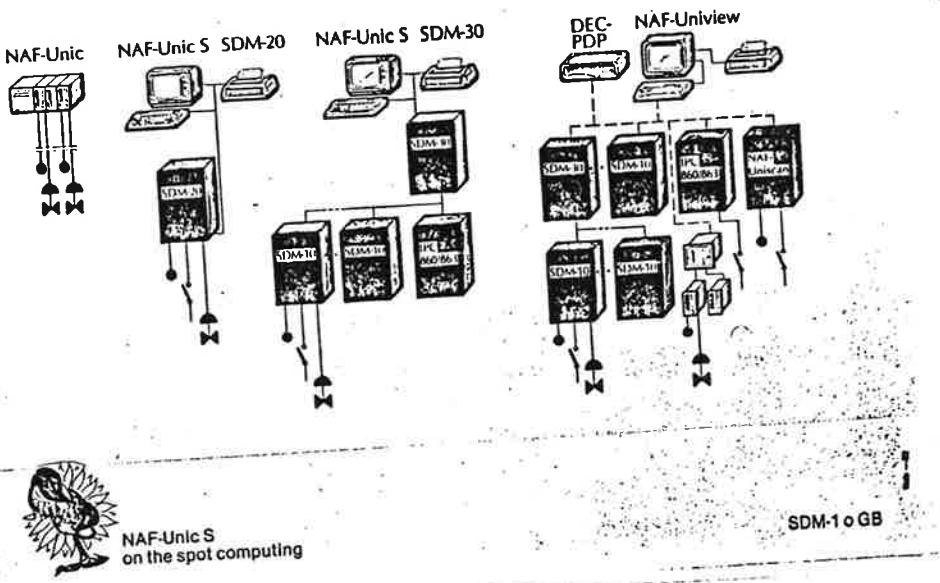
System Security

Major Design Goal

- Serial bus (trippled)
- Backup on all PCB's
- PCB's with continuous selfcheck function and watchdog
- All outputs overload protected
- 24V DC supply with battery backup available
- Alarm on PCB's, VDU and printer on error
- Checksum calculation of configuration in RAM and code in EPROM

NAF Control and Information System

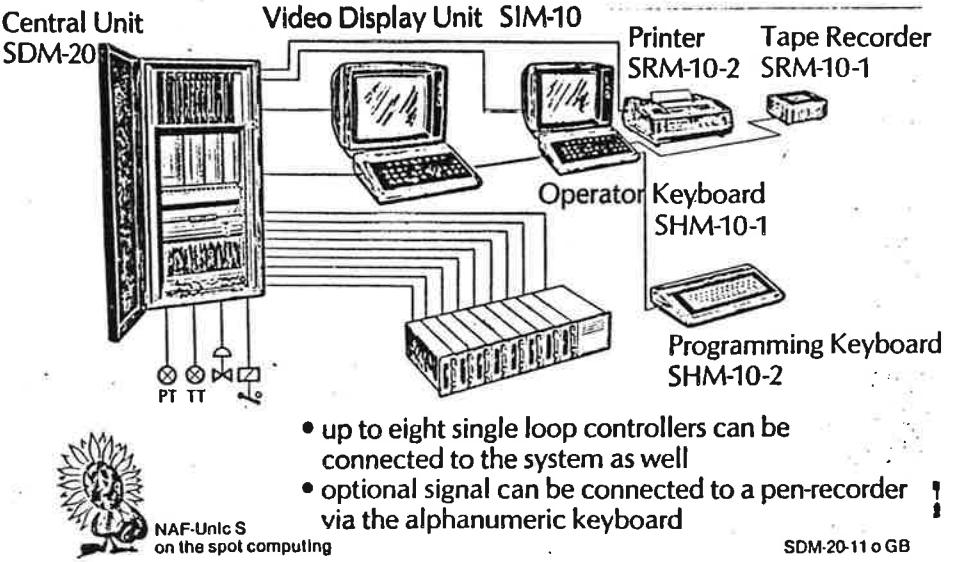
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NAF-Unic S
on the spot computing

NAF-Unic S SDM-20 with options

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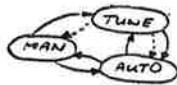
- up to eight single loop controllers can be connected to the system as well
- optional signal can be connected to a pen-recorder via the alphanumeric keyboard

SDM-20-110 GB

NAF-AUTOTUNER in Uni-5

- Major design effort : Simplify operation of AUTOTUNER
- Uni-5 incorporates 45 PID controllers with AUTOTUNER

OPERATION



- Tuning can be started on operator-command or by a digital signal
- Start of tuning is only permitted if control error is sufficiently small

First time tuning : Slowly bring up the process up to desired reference value, in MAN-mode, and start Tuning.

Previous tuning : Start Tuning

- Tuning ready \Rightarrow Controller automatically set in AUTO with new PID-parameters

- Tuning can be interrupted by setting controller in MAN- or AUTO-mode

TUNE \Rightarrow MAN \Rightarrow Control signal returns to its value prior to start of tuning

TUNE \Rightarrow AUTO \Rightarrow Controller returns to AUTO-mode with old PID-parameters

NAF - AUTOTUNER NAF-Unic S

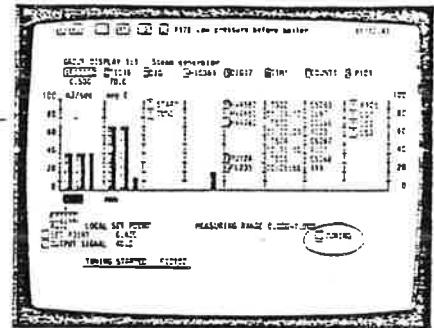


Fig. 2 Group display with controller selected for tuning

No.	Parameter	Type	Value / Value
1	Function block	#ID	
2	Circuit reference	*****	
3	Input signal	AI 3	*****
4	Measuring range, high		
5	Measuring range, low		
6	P gain	0.100000	
7	PI integration time	1000.0	
8	PI delivery time	0.000000	
9	PI differentiation time	0.250000	
10	Output signal	AC	
11	Remote set point	AI 2	
12	Start local set point		
13	Set point limiting, high		
14	Set point limiting, low		
15	Store current set points		
16	DI blocking, 1 sector	DI 1	
17	DI blocking, controller	DI 2	
18	Output signal, controller blocking (S)		
19	Output signal, zero deviation (S)		
20	DC remote/local	DC 1	
21	DC auto/manual	DC 2	
22	Direct/reversed (C/S)		
23	Start remote/local		
24	Start auto/manual		
25	Start output signal (S)		
26	Storage enabled (R/W)		
27	DI direct/reversed	DI 3	
28	DC direct/reversed	DC 4	

History and issues in adaptive flight control

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This paper attempts to answer three questions: Why are there no adaptive flight control systems in modern aircrafts? Why has adaptive theory been irrelevant to all attempted designs? What is happening to change this around?

Inspection of aircraft physics reveals that the linearized aircraft dynamics depend typically on three parameters, dynamic pressure, Mach number and angle of attack. If these parameters are known it is straight forward to design flight control systems which accomplishes desired goals. Two competing alternative designs are discussed: the adaptive schemes and systems based on air data scheduling. The history is described from the point of view of competition between these schemes. An important aspect is that the control systems are flight critical in new aircraft. This means that rigid safety measures are required. The space shuttle is another example. It requires four identical control channels plus a fifth backup channel. These channels are not adaptive. The adaptive systems described include the ones used in the X15, F-111 and the F-8.

The tradeoff between performance and stability are reviewed in order to discuss quantitatively the influence of plant uncertainty on feedback design. The plant uncertainties are separated into structured uncertainty which corresponds to the rigid body dynamics and unstructured uncertainties which correspond to flexure modes. Adaptive control can only deal with the structured part. Some assumptions on the unstructured dynamics must be made beforehand. It is interesting that the frequency ranges are surprisingly similar for a wide range of aircrafts. The airframe typically has resonances at 40 rad/s, the nonstationary aerodynamics around 60 rad/s actuator dynamics is around 12 rad/s, presampling filters and delays around 100 rad/s.

It is concluded that adaptive control can help only with the structured model errors but that it must work in the presence of unstructured model uncertainties. Some knowledge about the unstructured model errors must be available. This knowledge must be included in the design of the adaptive system.

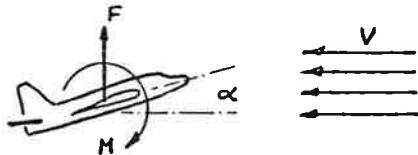
The main conclusion is that the adaptive control has lost the competition against gainscheduling for regular flight control. Some potential problems where adaptive control may apply are when airdata is impractical (small missiles and reentry vehicles), where air data will not work (flexure and flutter control).

It is suggested that some work in the adaptive field is devoted to understand the engineering fixes that are made to make the systems work and particularly that unstructured uncertainties are considered.

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A LITTLE AIRPLANE PHYSICS

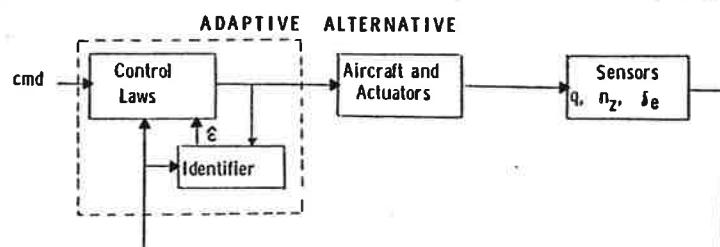
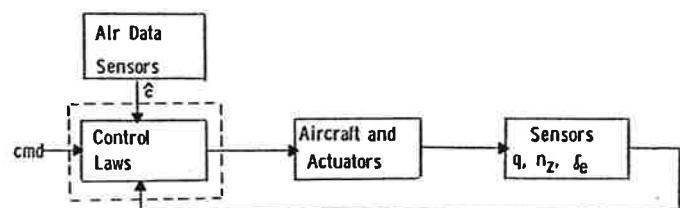


- FORCES/MOMENTS PROPORTIONAL TO DYNAMIC PRESSURE: $\bar{q} = \rho V^2/2$ 100:1
- FORCES/MOMENTS MOVE WITH MACH: $M = V/a$ 10:1
- SOME FORCE/MOMENT SLOPES CHANGE WITH ANGLE-OF-ATTACK: $\alpha = \tan' V_y/V_x$ 5:1

$$\dot{x} = A(\bar{q}, M, \alpha)x + B(\bar{q}, M, \alpha)u$$

COMPETING FLIGHT CONTROL ALTERNATIVES

CONVENTIONAL AIR-DATA-SCHEDULED CONTROL



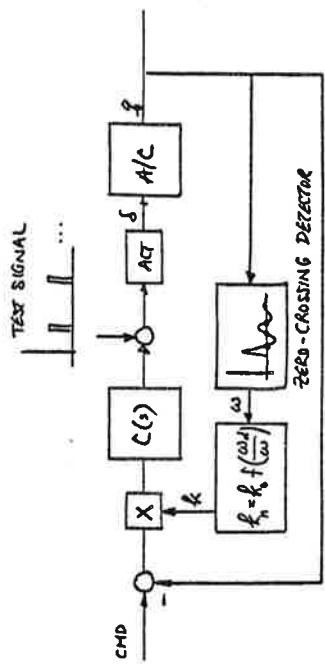
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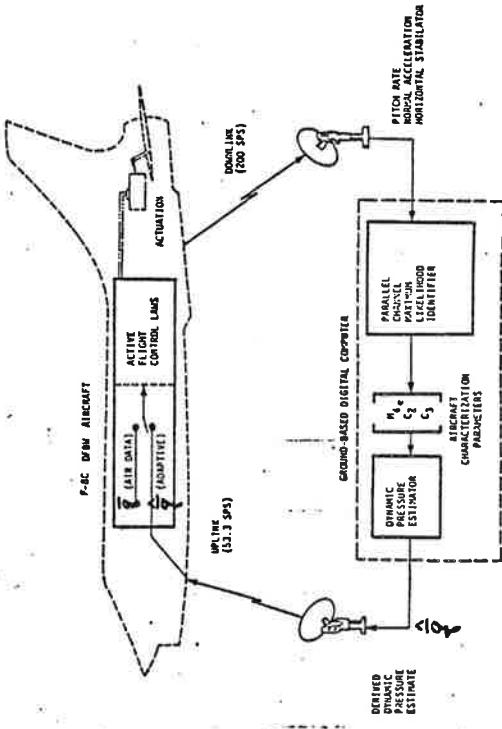
- WHY ARE THERE NO ADAPTIVE FLIGHT CONTROL SYSTEMS?
- WHY HAS ADAPTIVE THEORY BEEN IRRELEVANT TO ALL ATTEMPTED DESIGNS?
- WHAT IS HAPPENING TO CHANGE THIS?

THREE QUESTIONS

F-111 EXPLICIT IDENTIFIER



F-8C EXPLICIT IDENTIFIER



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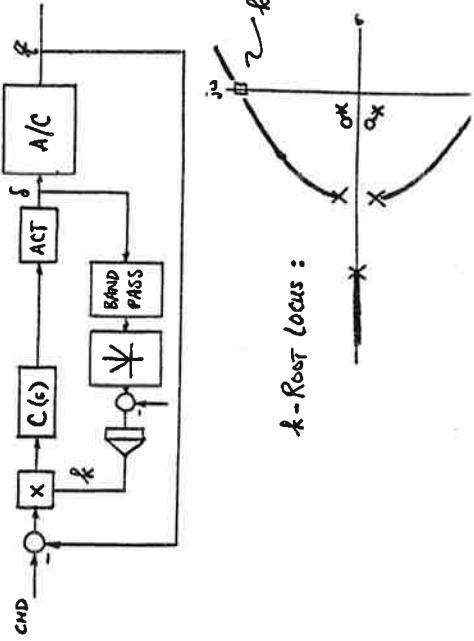
- POOR AIRDATA SYSTEMS
SEVERAL ADAPTIVE APPLICATIONS
- K-15
F-111
F-101 TESTS
F-4 TESTS } ALL CERTAINTY EQUIVALENCE

1970

- MUCH IMPROVED AIRDATA
NO ADAPTIVE APPLICATIONS
TENN FIGHTERS
SHUTTLE
 - RE-EVALUATION
 - NASA F-8C PROGRAM
DESIGN SIMULATOR EVAL
FLIGHT TEST
 - FLUTTER TESTS ?
- REASONS**
- MODERN THEORY
 - DIGITAL IMPLEMENTATION
 - RELIABILITY
 - UNSOLVED PROBLEMS
- CONCEPTS TAC OCT 77**
- MULTIPLE MODEL
 - MODEL REFERENCE
 - CERTAINTY EQUIVALENCE (MLE / LQ)

1980

X-15 LIMIT CYCLE SYSTEM

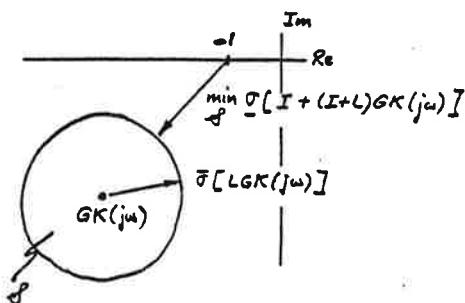
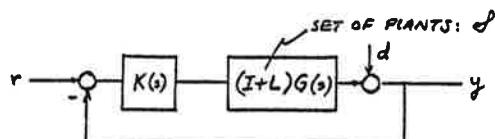


k - Root locus :

Maintains limit cycle

HISTORY OF COMPETITION

THE BASIC FEEDBACK PROBLEM



- FOR PERFORMANCE

$$\min_d \sigma[I + (I+L)G(s)] \text{ LARGE AT SOME } \omega \text{'S}$$

- FOR STABILITY

$$\min_d \sigma[I + (I+L)G(s)] \neq 0 \text{ AT ALL } \omega \text{'S}$$

RESULTING FUNDAMENTAL "FACT OF LIFE"

GOOD FEEDBACK PERFORMANCE

(i.e. $GK \gg I$ OVER A GIVEN FREQUENCY RANGE)

IS POSSIBLE IF AND ONLY IF

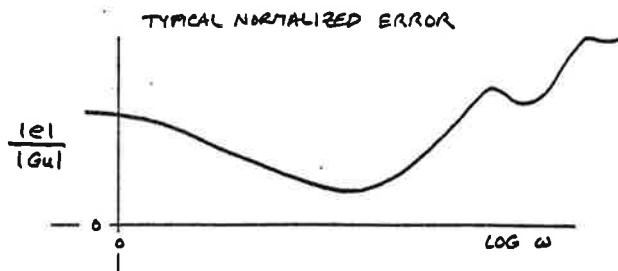
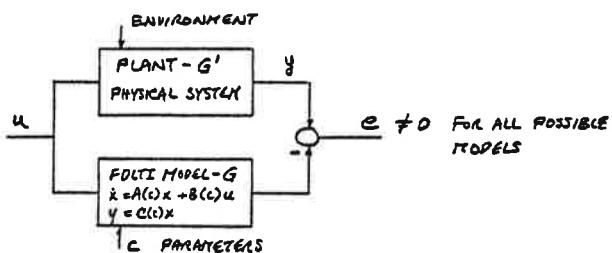
MODEL UNCERTAINTIES ARE SUFFICIENTLY SMALL

(i.e. $\bar{\sigma}[L] < 1$ IN THE SAME FREQUENCY RANGE)

WE HAVE TWO OPTIONS

- KNOW OUR PLANT BEFORE HAND, OR
- LEARN IT AS WE GO

UNCERTAINTIES IN FDLTI MODELS

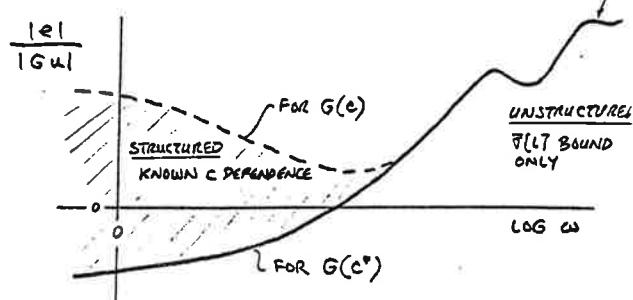


TWO TYPES OF ERRORS

STRUCTURED - ERRORS WHICH CAN BE ELIMINATED BY ADJUSTING PARAMETERS C TO BEST MATCH THE PLANT

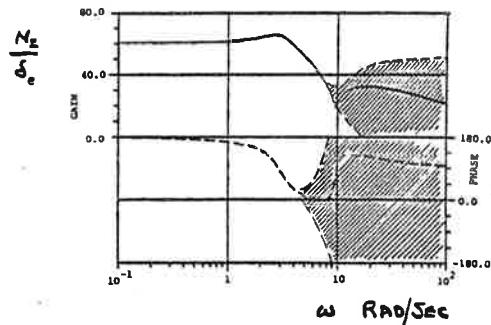
UNSTRUCTURED - ERRORS WHICH RETAIN

$$\begin{aligned} e &= G'u - G(c^*)u \\ &= (I+L)Gu - Gu \\ &= LGu \Rightarrow \bar{\sigma}[L] = \max_u \frac{|e|}{|Gu|} \end{aligned}$$



SOME MECHANISMS : NEGLECTED DYNAMICS
ACTUATOR SERVOS
RESONANCES
DIFFUSIONS
TIME DELAYS
CONE-BOUNDED NONLINEARITIES
ETC

- ADAPTIVE CONTROL CAN HELP WITH STRUCTURED ERRORS ONLY
- ADAPTIVE CONTROL MUST WORK IN THE PRESENCE OF UNSTRUCTURED ERRORS
- WE MUST KNOW (OR ASSUME) THE $\bar{\sigma}[L]$ CURVE BEFORE HAND
 - FREQ RANGE OVER WHICH GK CAN BE LARGE
 - BOUNDS ON GK OUTSIDE THAT RANGE



- ACTUATOR SERVOS ~ 12 R/S
- AIRFRAME STRUCTURAL ~ 40 K/S RESONANCES
- UNSTEADY AERODYNAMICS ~ 60 K/S
- SAMPLING DELAYS / PREFILTERS ~ 100 K/S

ADAPTIVE CONTROL TASKS

ADAPTIVE CONTROL SOLUTIONS
VIA STOCHASTIC OPTIMIZATIONTASK 1LEARN C^* (EXPLICITLY OR IMPLICITLY)TASK 2IMPLEMENT CONTROL LAW WITH GK CONSISTENT WITH $\bar{\sigma}[L]$ CURVE AND WITH EXPECTED C^* ERRORSTASK 3

PROTECT AGAINST UNSTRUCTURED ERRORS

i.e. DON'T LET THEM CONFUSE THE LEARNING PROCESS

DON'T MAKE GK LARGE WHERE $\bar{\sigma}[L] > 1$ OPTIMIZATION PROBLEMGIVEN $x = A(c)x + B(c)u + \xi$ $y = C(c)x + \eta$ FIND $u = F\{y(\tau), \eta \text{ st } \}$

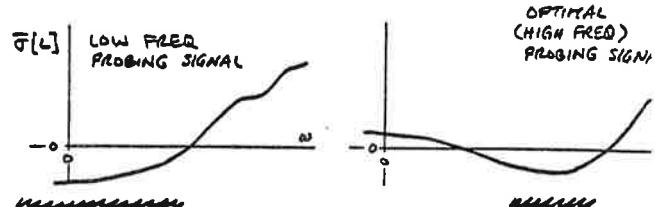
TO MINIMIZE

$$J = \underset{\xi, \eta, c}{\mathbb{E}} \left\{ \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T L(x, u) dt \right\} \quad T \rightarrow \infty$$

FEATURES :THEORETICALLY OPTIMAL

- GENERALLY UNSOLVABLE
- TASKS 1 & 2 ARE OPTIMALLY BLENDED (DUAL EFFECT)
- TASK 3 IS NOT ADDRESSED

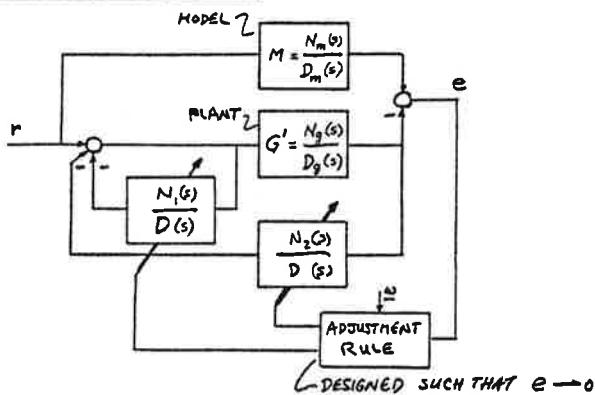
SOLUTIONS ARE (PROBABLY) EASILY CONFOUNDED BY UNSTRUCTURED UNCERTAINTIES



ADAPTIVE CONTROL SOLUTIONS
VIA STABILITY THEORY

ASSUMPTIONS REQUIRED
FOR STABILITY/CONVERGENCE PROOFS

MODEL REFERENCE STRUCTURE



FEATURES: THEORETICALLY GLOBALLY STABLE

- TASK 1 ACHIEVED IMPLICITLY BY ADJUSTING N_1, N_2, D TO CANCEL PLANT

$$\frac{N_g D}{D_g(N_1 + D) + N_g N_2} = \frac{N_m}{D_m}$$

- TASK 2 ACHIEVED BY APPROPRIATE SELECTION OF $M(s)$
- TASK 3 NOT ADDRESSED

SOLUTIONS KNOWN TO BE CONFOUNDED BY UNSTRUCTURED ERROR

PLANT: $G'(s) = \frac{N_g(s)}{D_g(s)} \rightarrow \frac{k}{s^m} \text{ AS } |s| \rightarrow \infty$

ASSUMPTIONS:

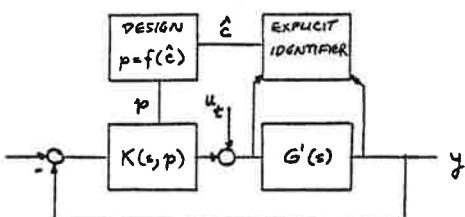
- (1) $N_g(s)$ IS STABLE
- (2) $D_g(s)$ HAS KNOWN MAX DEGREE
- (3) k HAS KNOWN SIGN
- (4) RELATIVE DEGREE m IS KNOWN

IMPLICATIONS:

- ZERO UNSTRUCTURED UNCERTAINTIES
- HIGH GAIN FEEDBACK WITHOUT ADAPTATION WILL ACHIEVE MODEL FOLLOWING

ADAPTIVE CONTROL SOLUTIONS
VIA CERTAINTY EQUIVALENCE

F-8C PROGRAM CONCLUSIONS



FEATURES: NO THEORETICAL PROPERTIES

- TASK 1: ACHIEVED BY EXPLICIT IDENTIFICATION OF 'BEST FIT' C VECTOR
- TASK 2: ACHIEVED BY PRE-DESIGNED COMPENSATOR $K(s, p)$ WITH $p = f(\hat{c})$
- TASK 3: ACHIEVED BY
 - 'BEST FIT' FUNCTION AND TEST SIGNAL u_t CONFINED TO DESIRED FREQ RANGE



- $K(s)$ AND $f(s)$ CONSTRAINED TO MAKE GK LARGE ONLY AS ALLOWED BY $\bar{f}(L)$

- ADAPTIVE FLIGHT CONTROLS STILL CAN'T BEAT AIRDATA

- MOST 'MODERN' CONCEPTS DID NOT WARRANT FLIGHT TESTING
- THE HLG CONCEPT BARELY MATCHES AIRDATA PERFORMANCE

- ADAPTIVE FLIGHT CONTROLS NEED TEST SIGNALS (SUFFICIENTLY RICH INPUTS)
 - PILOTS HATE THESE
- ADAPTIVE FLIGHT CONTROL DESIGNERS SHOULD TURN TO PROBLEMS BEYOND THE CAPABILITY OF AIRDATA

POTENTIAL ADAPTIVE PROBLEMS

FLEXURE / FLUTTER CONTROL

STATUS

WHERE AIRDATA IS IMPRACTICAL

- SMALL MISSILES
 - REENTRY

**ADAPT SYSTEMS
EXIST**

**BLUNDED AERO/
INERTIAL DATA
WINS OUT**

WHERE AIRDATA WON'T WORK

- DIRECT FORCE MODES
 - FLEXURE/FLUTTER CONTROL

**IN-FLIGHT
CAL WINS OUT**

PIE-IN-THE-SKY

- SURFACE RECONFIGURATION
 - LARGE SPACE STRUCTURES

PHYS

- #### • AIRPLANES HAVE SPEED LIMITS

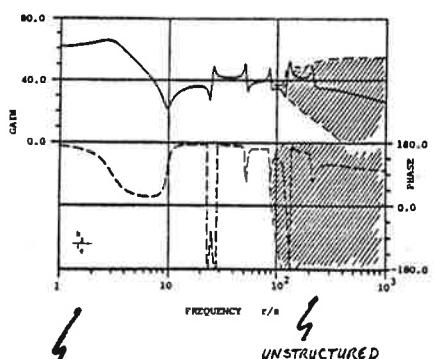


- ACTIVE CONTROL CAN EXTEND LIMITS BY AUGMENTING AEROELASTIC DAMPING

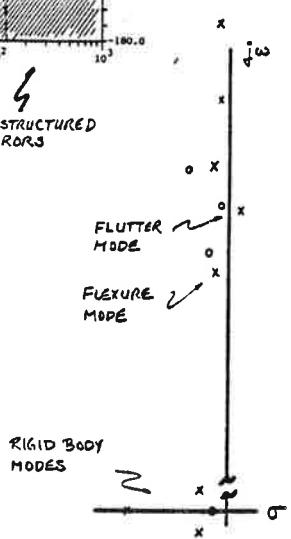
- DYNAMICS BETWEEN 10 - 1000 R/SEC
 - HIGHLY DETAILED, POORLY KNOWN
 - NO Viable CONTROL SOLUTIONS TODAY

FLEXURE / FLUTTER MODELS

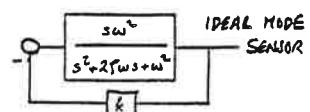
IDEALLY FLEXURE/FLUTTER
CONTROL IS EASY



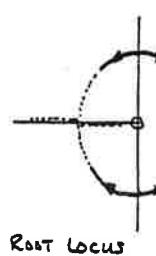
RIGID BODY AND STRUCTURAL RESONANCE DYNAMICS



- SENSE EACH RESONANCE INDIVIDUALLY
 - CLOSE SIMPLE RATE LOOPS AROUND EACH MODE

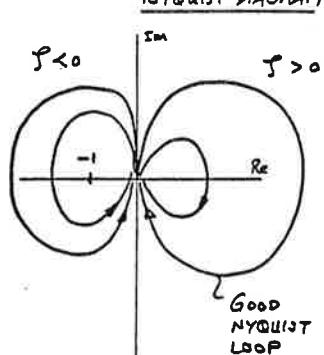


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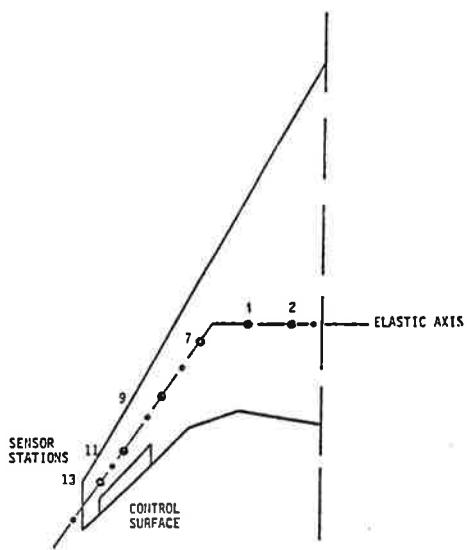


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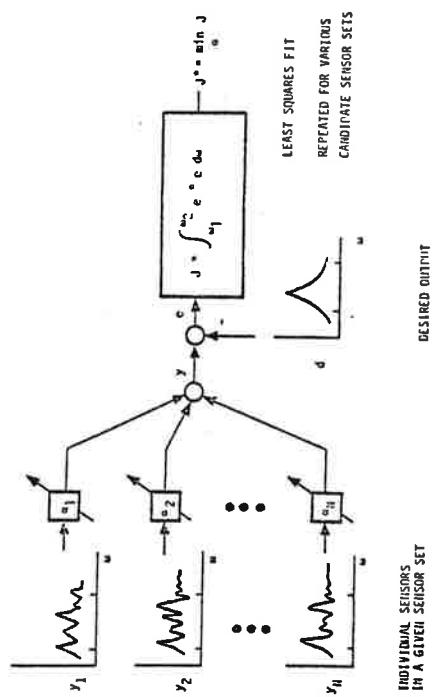
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IDEAL MODE SENSORS ARE
SYNTESIZED FROM VARIOUS REAL SENSORS



IDEAL SENSOR SYNTHESIS



ADAPTATION IN FLUTTER CONTROL?

1) FLUTTER DETECTION

IS A MODE UNSTABLE?
IF SO, WHICH ONE?

2) CONTROL LAW DESIGN

GAIN & PHASE COMPENSATION WITH
GOOD SENSOR SYNTHESIS AVAILABLE

3) ON-LINE SENSOR SYNTHESIS

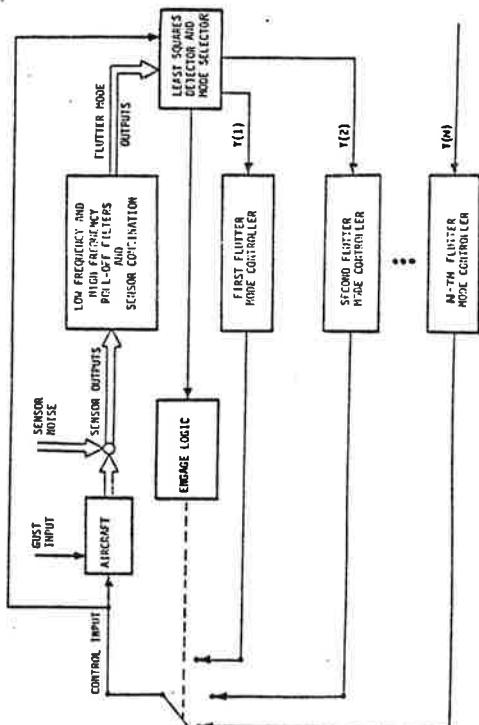
MAIN ISSUE

SPEED OF RESPONSE

STATE OF THE ART

- STEP (1) + (2) FEASIBLE IN SIMULATIONS AND WIND TUNNEL TESTS
- STEP (3) IS CURRENT RESEARCH

SIMPLE ADAPTIVE FLUTTER CONTROL



RAW ACCELEROMETERS

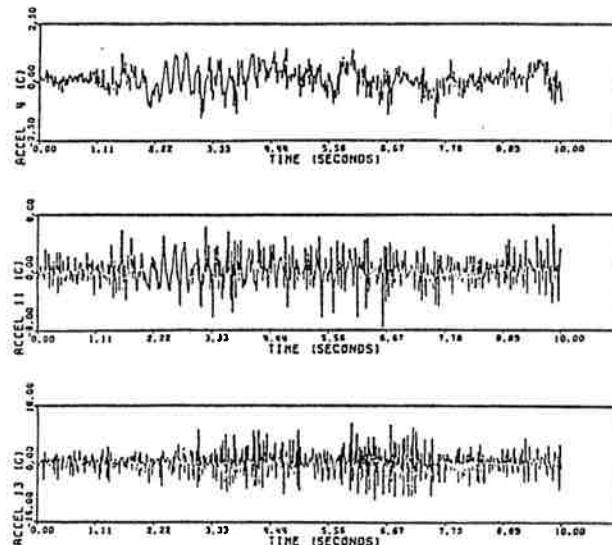


Figure 33. Transient Responses for Run 7 of Table 13
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IDEAL MODE SENSOR 7

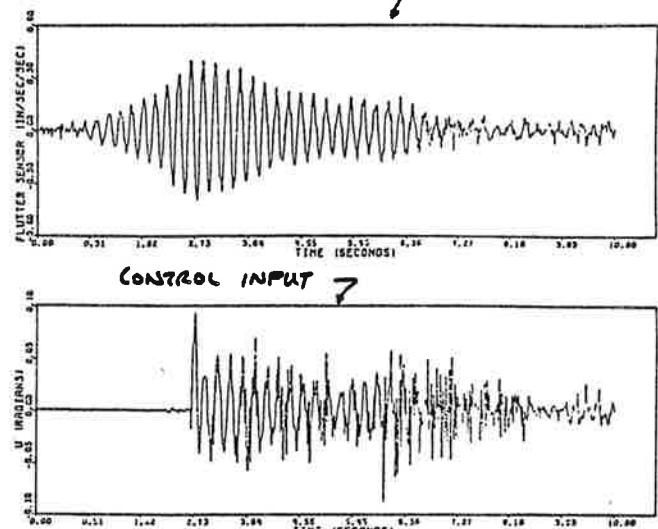


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PROGRESS IN ADAPTIVE THEORY

- OLD ENGINEERING FIXES GET SERIOUS THEORETICAL ATTENTION
 - DEAD ZONES Peterson, Orlicki
 - RETARDATION Kreisselmeier, Ioannou, Kaufman
 - SAMPLE RATES Astrom et al., Rohrs
- NEW APPLICATION OF OLD THEORETICAL TOOLS
 - AVERAGING ANALYSES Astrom, Krawie
- REFORMULATIONS
 - INCLUSION OF UNSTRUCTURED UNCERTAINTIES Kosut, Johnson

CONCLUSIONS

BAD NEWS

WE LOST THE COMPETITION TO
SENSOR BUILDERS FOR ALL CONVENTIONAL
FLIGHT CONTROL PROBLEMS

GOOD NEWS

THERE ARE A FEW PROBLEMS WHERE
OUR TECHNOLOGY OFFERS HOPE

BAD NEWS

WE CAN'T SOLVE THESE PROBLEMS (YET)

GOOD NEWS

THE THEORY IS COMING ALONG TO HELP !

Self tuning control of the dissolved oxygen concentration in activated sludge systems

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The activated sludge process is recognized as the most common and major unit process for the reduction of organic waste. An overview of the control problems is found in [1].

A fully structured model of an activated sludge system is very complex and includes the following phenomena,

- * the degradation of degradable pollutants, containing both organic carbon, phosphorus and nitrogen;
- * cell growth and basal metabolism;
- * the oxygen requirements of the system;
- * the flow regime in the aeration basin;
- * the representation of the settler and clarifier performance;
- * the effect of secondary parameters, such as temperature, pH and toxic or inhibitory substances.

The goal for the reactor operation is of course to degrade the degradable pollutants. However, the operation must be such that organisms with the preferred floc formation are produced, thus giving desired clarification and thickening properties. Otherwise the operation of the system will fail, even if the degradation is efficient.

The DO concentration is an essential variable of the activated sludge process. It has a significant influence on both the plant operation economy and on the biological activity, and consequently on the quality of the effluent water.

A detailed derivation of the equations can be found in [1]. In a dispersed plug flow reactor the resulting DO dynamics can be described by

$$\frac{\partial c}{\partial t} = E \frac{\partial^2 c}{\partial z^2} - v \frac{\partial c}{\partial z} + k_L a (c^s - c) - R \quad (1)$$

where

z =length along the reactor

$c(z,t)$ =dissolved oxygen concentration

c^s =dissolved oxygen saturation concentration

$k_L a$ =oxygen mass transfer rate= $f(u)$, u = air flow rate

E =dispersion coefficient

v =stream velocity

R =oxygen uptake rate (respiration rate)

The phenomena influencing the DO concentration have widely different timescales.

The control of DO as a physical variable does not require any in-depth knowledge of the microbial dynamics. The problem of finding the right DO set-point has been discussed e.g. in [3].

There are some important reasons for self-tuning control. The oxygen transfer rate is approximately proportional to the control signal, the air flow rate. Therefore a self-tuner can compensate for different "time constants" at different operating levels. Moreover, the oxygen transfer rate is time varying on a day-to-day time scale. The respiration R varies on an hourly time scale and is the main reason for control. However, R is interesting to know for other reasons. This can be part of the estimation scheme of a self-tuner. If the fact is used, that $k_L a$ and R vary in different time scales they can be estimated simultaneously.

Since last year full scale experiments of DO control have been performed at the Käppala wastewater treatment plant at Lidingö, outside Stockholm. The plant serves the northern suburbs of Stockholm and has a flow rate of about 2-4 m³/sec. A Novatune controller has been installed to take care of both the DO control loop and the air production system.

The figure shows some important features of the control. A constant setpoint of the DO concentration is given to the STR, sampled every 10 minutes. The DO sensor is fed into the controller and the control signal is cascaded with a local analog controller to adjust a throttle valve for the air flow rate. A limiting switch tells the STR if the valve saturates.

The pressure control is currently based on constant pressure set-point. It is kept via guide vanes on 3 of the 6 compressors. This does not give full control authority, and discontinuities of the control signals cannot be avoided. A pressure optimized will be added as soon as a sensor of the throttle valve angle can be measured. Then the pressure will be minimized so as to keep the valve as open as possible.

The results hitherto are encouraging but the evaluations of the biological properties due to control have just started. An expansion of the control to the whole activated sludge system will be made during the Fall of 1984.

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C O N T E N T

SELF TUNING CONTROL OF THE
DISSOLVED OXYGEN CONCENTRATION
IN ACTIVATED SLUDGE SYSTEMS

GUSTAF OLSSON
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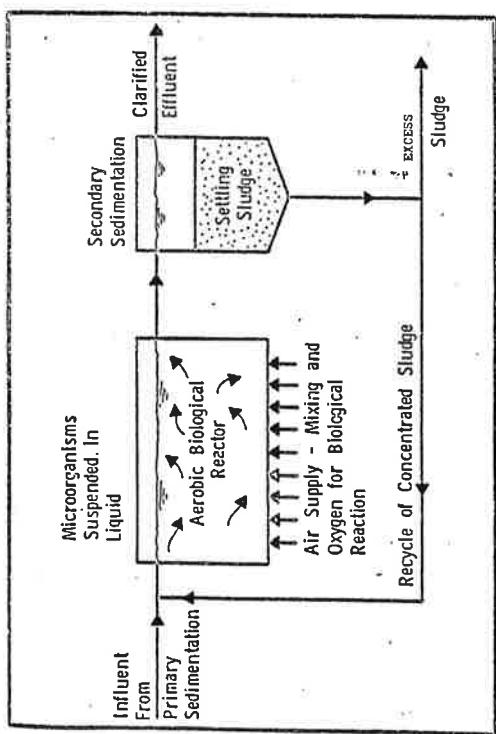
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WHY SELF TUNING CONTROL ?

THE KÄPPALA PLANT

EVALUATION OF RESULTS

THE ACTIVATED SLUDGE PROCESS



THE ACTIVATED SLUDGE PROCESS

INFLOW WATER CONTAINS
BIODEGRADABLE POLLUTANTS
NON-BIODEGRADABLE POLLUTANTS
CHEMICALS
TOXIC MATERIAL
INERT MATERIAL

MICROORGANISMS REACT WITH POLLUTANTS AND OXYGEN
TO FORM MORE CELL MASS
CARBON DIOXIDE
WATER

OXYGEN IS SUPPLIED FROM DIFFUSERS

INCENTIVES FOR CONTROL

- RISING OPERATING COSTS (600 % BETWEEN 1971 AND 1984)

ENERGY (AIR SUPPLY; PUMPING)

CHEMICALS

PERSONNEL

- STRICTER EFFLUENT CONTROL

- TIME VARYING INFLOW

HYDRAULICS

CONCENTRATION

COMPOSITION

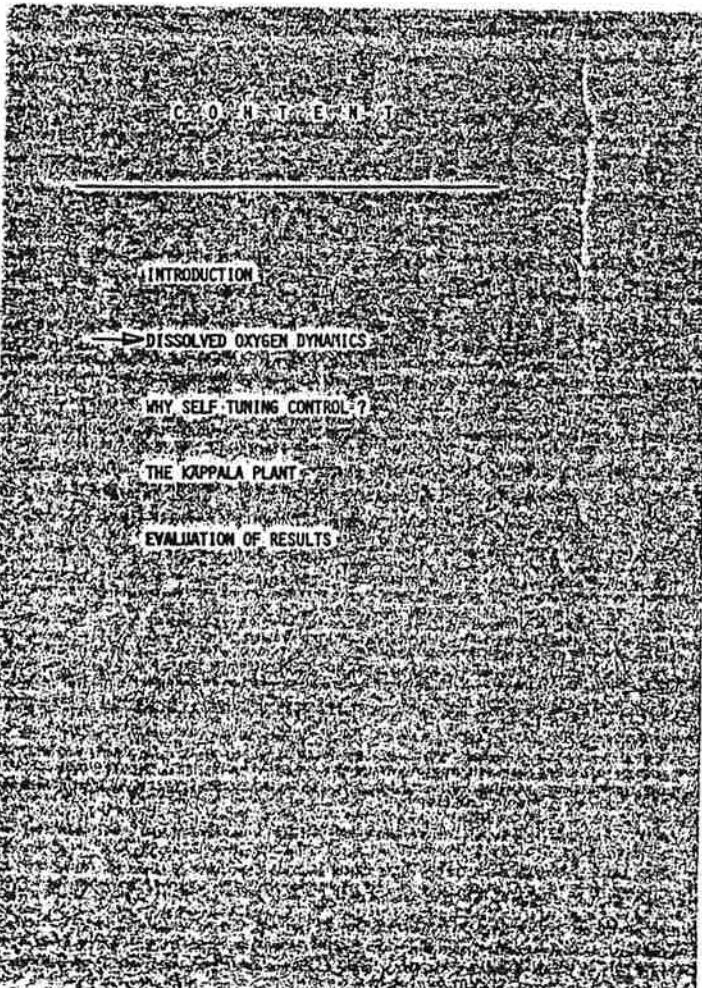
POSITIVE DRIVING FORCES

- BETTER PROCESS KNOWLEDGE

- IMPROVED INSTRUMENTS

- COMPUTER COSTS AND COMPUTER PERFORMANCE

- BETTER CONTROL METHODS



THE DISSOLVED OXYGEN CONCENTRATION

ECONOMY - MINIMIZE THE CONCENTRATION

SET POINT - FORMATION OF DIFFERENT ORGANISMS

- LIMITATION OF GROWTH

MIXING - DO CONCENTRATION AND MIXING ARE COUPLED

- FLOC FORMATION

MULTI REACTOR SYSTEM - ANOXIC AND OXIC ZONES IN SERIES

PROFILES OF DO - CAN GENERALLY NOT CONTROL THE PROFILE ALONG THE REACTOR

DISSOLVED OXYGEN DYNAMICS

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IN COMPLETE MIX REACTOR - MASS BALANCE

$$\frac{dc}{dt} = \frac{Q_{in}}{V} \cdot c_{in} - \frac{Q_{out}}{V} \cdot c + \alpha \cdot u (c^* - c) - R$$

OXYGEN TRANSFER RESPIRATION

OXYGEN TRANSFER

α VARIES SLOWLY (DAYS - WEEKS)

RESPIRATION

R DEPENDS ON BIOLOGICAL GROWTH AND MAINTENANCE

VARIES QUICKLY (MINUTES - HOURS)

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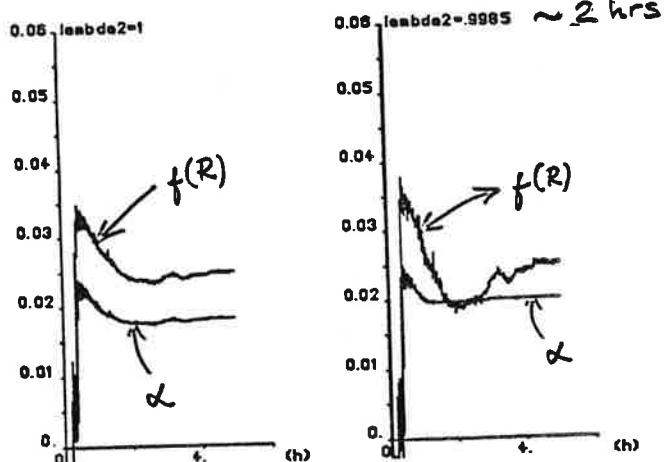
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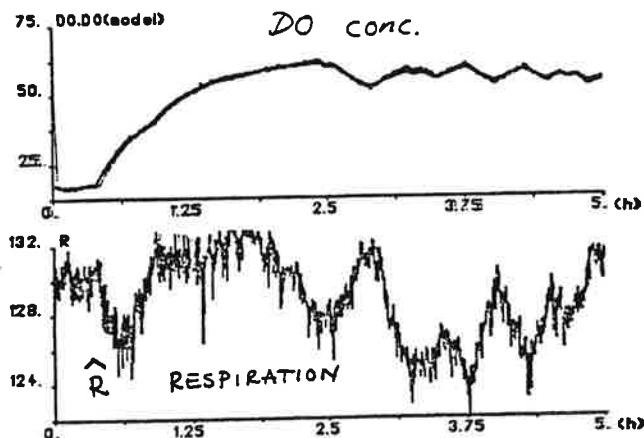
WHY SELF-TUNING CONTROL OF DO?

- BILINEAR SYSTEM - "TIME CONSTANT" VARIES WITH OPERATING LEVEL
- α VARIES SLOWLY
- WANT TO KNOW THE RESPIRATION FOR OTHER PURPOSES;
ESTIMATE FROM THE MASS BALANCE!
- FEED FORWARD SIGNALS CAN BE INTRODUCED FROM INFILTRANT
(COD, TOC)

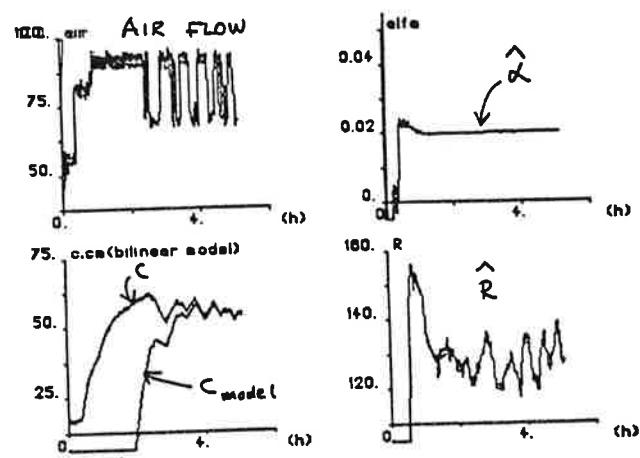
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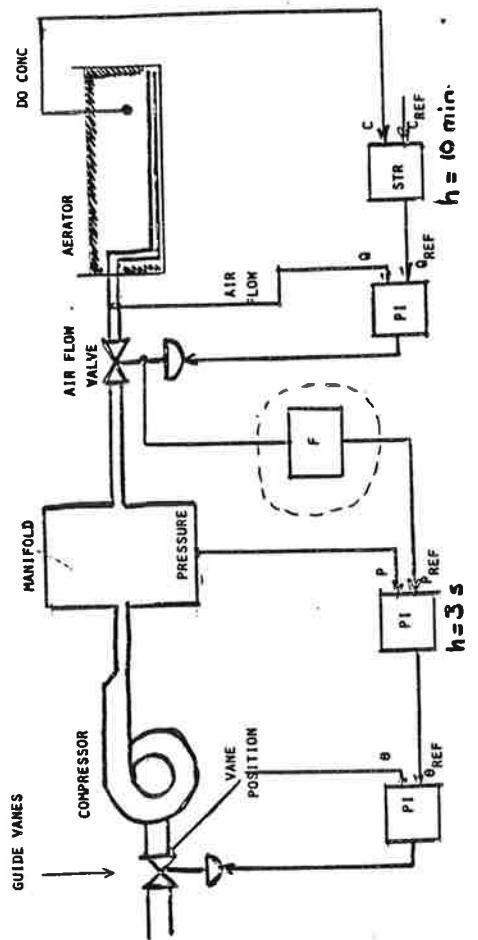
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THE KAPPALA PLANT

- SERVES THE NORTHERN PART OF STOCKHOLM
- ABOUT 500 000 PERSONS
- INFLOW RATE 2-4 m³/SEC
- SIX PARALLEL BASINS
- ELECTRIC BILL ABOUT 1 MKR/YEAR



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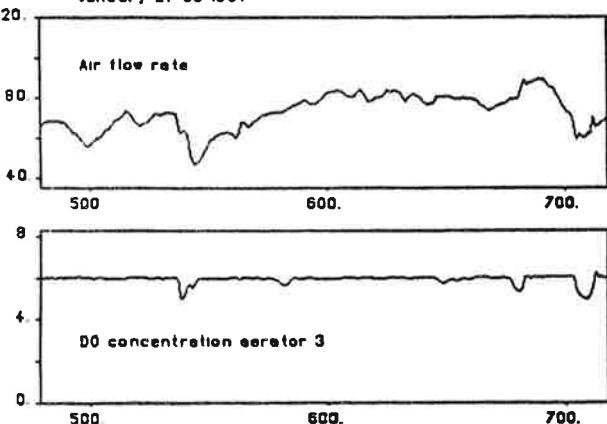
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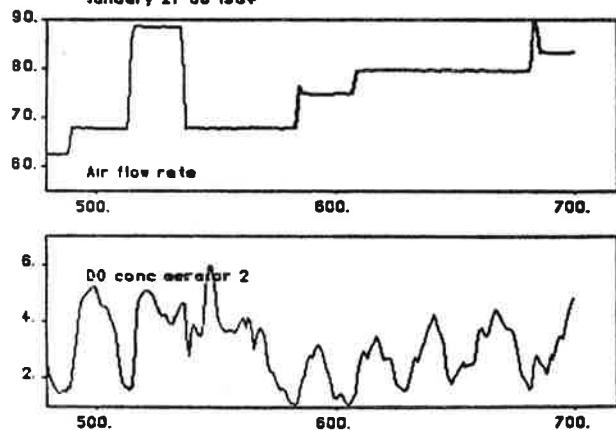
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EVALUATION OF RESULTS

- CONTROL AUTHORITY

DISCONTINUITIES WHEN BLOWERS SWITCH ON/OFF

CERTAIN RANGES DIFFICULT

- THROTTLE VALVE

POSITION HAS TO BE MEASURED

- FINDING THE PROPER PRESSURE

- WATER QUALITY

BEING EVALUATED BY INSTITUTE OF SURFACE CHEMISTRY

- DETECTION OF TOXIC INPUTS

- EXPANSION TO ALL SIX REACTORS

Adaptive pole placement for robots and servomechanisms

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Robots or mechanical manipulators are multi-degree of freedom systems whose dynamics are often nonlinear. Furthermore, because such systems pick up and move loads of various shapes and weights, the dynamics can also be viewed as time varying. The difficulties of working with nonlinear dynamics and time variation lead researchers to consider adaptive control as an alternative. Many recent papers have applied adaptive control schemes originally developed for unknown linear dynamics to such systems[1]-[4]. In this presentation we will begin by showing that this is a potentially dangerous design methodology. That is, adaptive controllers of this type will not perform as expected if the nonlinearities are dominant.

With this as motivation, we then develop a new approach to adaptive control of manipulators where the controller adapts to load changes but not nonlinearities. Rather the nonlinearities are included in design of the adaptive control law. The approach first uses nonlinear feedback to cancel the effect of the nonlinearities. Linear feedback is then used to place closed loop poles. The controller is intended for digital computer implementation and is discrete in nature. Most importantly, the design is based upon discrete time model for the nonlinear dynamics which is derived using Euler approximations for derivatives.

As a step toward understanding the stability and performance properties of such an adaptive scheme, one must first determine the stability and performance properties of the corresponding fixed computer control algorithm designed using the same Euler approximation model. To this end, we restrict our attention to the case of a single link or single degree of freedom manipulator. Assuming torque to be supplied by a D.C. motor, this boils down to design of a D.C. servo system. However, because the link represents an asymmetric load rotating in a gravitational field the resulting model is still nonlinear. In the case where the link rotates in a horizontal plane the model becomes linear. By considering this simple case of computer control of a linear servo, it is shown that fixed computer control algorithms for pole placement, designed using Euler approximation models are stable for a very wide range of model parameters, sample rates and closed pole locations.

Furthermore, it is shown that considerable performance improvements can be obtained when designing zero cancelling controllers such as are used in model matching. In particular the problems which arise because sample data models have zeros on or near the unit circle can be avoided. Since many adaptive control schemes are based upon fixed zero cancelling control strategies these results are also of potential importance in the design of adaptive sample data systems.

During the course of the presentation, simulations will be presented

demonstrating the potential performance of the new nonlinear adaptive control algorithm on a three degree of freedom manipulator. In addition experimental results will be presented for a hardware implementation on a one degree of freedom servo system in both the linear and nonlinear cases.

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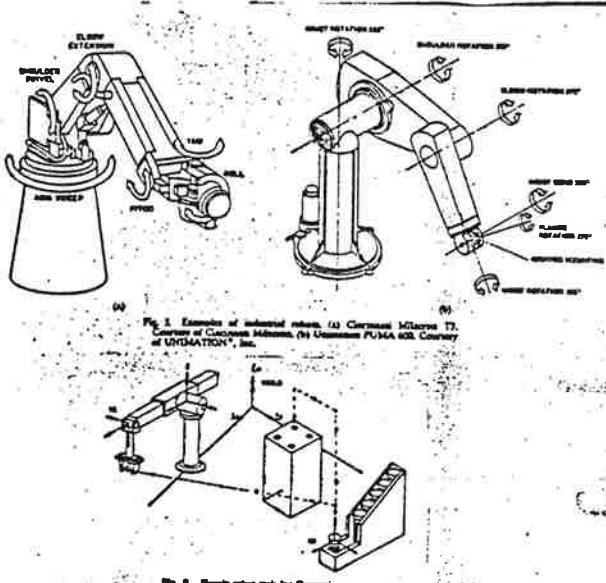
ADAPTIVE POLE PLACEMENT

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Problems In Manipulator Control

- * Changing Dynamics
 - load changes
 - environmental changes
 - * Nonlinearities
 - coordinate transformations
 - dynamics

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II. LINEAR VS NONLINEAR ADAPTIVE CONTR. Case Study - 1 DOF

III. GENERAL ALGORITHM FOR CONTROL OF MANIPULATORS

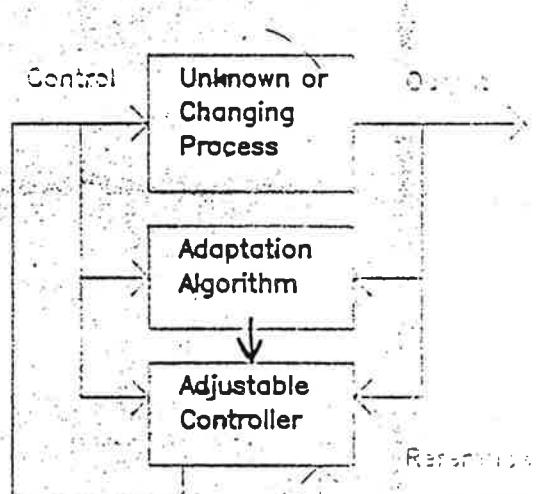
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III. 3.DOF Case and Engineering simplifications

IV. Issues in Stability Analysis

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III. Experimental Results



* Changing Dynamics

General Form of Nonlinear Dynamics

$$J\ddot{y} + Ky + G(y)y + Gu = u$$

y = vector of joint angles

u = vector of motor torques

$J(y)$ = inertia matrix

K = damping matrix

$G(y)y$ = coriolis and

centrifugal terms

Gu = gravitational terms

Control Problem

- * Find $u_k(t)$ so that it tracks a reference trajectory r

General Approach

Let u_k consist of adaptive
+ nonadaptive components

$$u_k = n(t) + l(t)$$

$n(t)$ = adaptive, can be
nonaffine functions

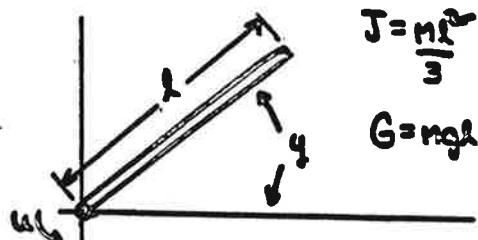
$l(t)$ = adaptive, implementable
for the control

Advantages

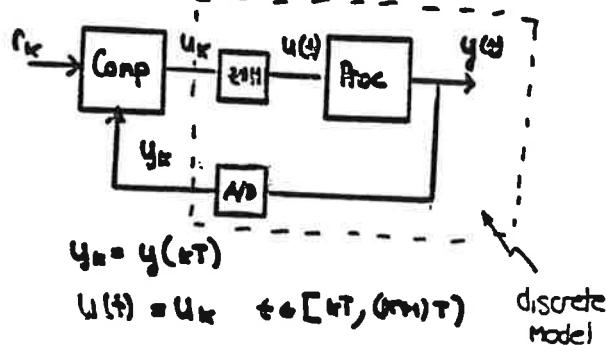
- * can handle constraints
- * can handle nonaffine functions
- * can handle discrete time

II. Comparison of Two Approaches

Single-Link Case



$$J\ddot{y} + Ky + G\cos y = u$$



$$\dot{y} \approx (y_{k+1} - y_k)/\tau$$

$$\ddot{y} \approx (y_{k+1} - 2y_k + y_{k-1})/\tau^2$$

$$\frac{J}{\tau^2}(y_{k+1} - 2y_k + y_{k-1}) + \frac{K}{\tau}(y_k - y_{k-1}) + G\cos y_k = u$$

$$\Phi_k^\top \Theta = u_k \quad \text{Nonlinear Model}$$

$$\Phi_k^\top = [y_{k+1}, y_k, y_{k-1}, \cos y_k]$$

$$\Theta^\top = [\frac{\pi}{\tau}, \frac{K}{\tau} - \frac{2\pi}{\tau}, \frac{K}{\tau} - \frac{\pi}{\tau}, G]$$

$$\tilde{\Phi}_k^\top \tilde{\Theta} \approx u_k \quad \text{Linearized Model}$$

$$\tilde{\Phi}_k^\top = [y_{k+1}, y_k, y_{k-1}, u_{k-1}]$$

$$\tilde{\Theta} = ?$$

Deadbeat (Minimum Variance) Control

Assume $y_k^* = \text{seq. to be tracked}$
know one step ahead
($r_k = y_{k+1}^*$)

Choose

$$u_k = \Phi_k^{*T} \theta \quad k \geq 0$$

$$\Phi_k^{*T} = [y_{k+1}^*, y_k, y_{k-1}, \cos y_{k-1}]$$

Guarantees $y_k = y_k^* \quad k \geq 1$

For linearized model

$$u_k = \tilde{\Phi}_k^{*T} \tilde{\theta}$$

$$\tilde{\Phi}_k^{*T} = [y_{k+1}^*, y_k, y_{k-1}, u_m]$$

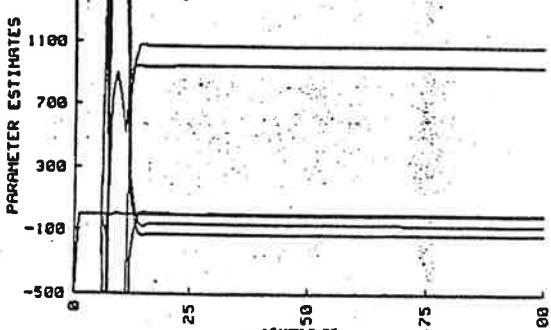
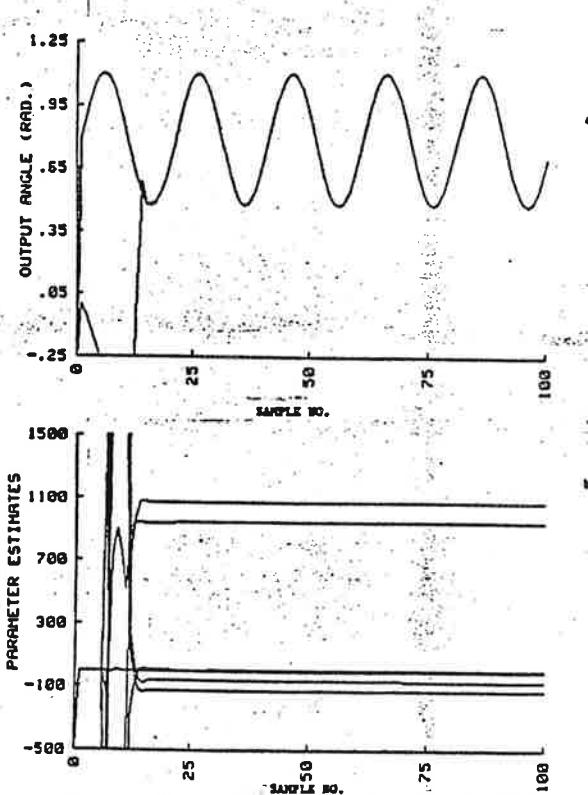


Figure 2. Response of nonlinear, a), b), and linear c), d) when $m=2$, $\lambda=2$.

Adaptive Implementation

$$U_k = \Phi_k^{*T} \theta_k$$

$$\theta_k = \text{Est}(\theta)$$

$$\tilde{\theta}_k = \text{Est}(\tilde{\theta})$$

Least Squares Estimation

$$e_k = u_k - \Phi_k^T \theta_k \quad (0 = u_k - \Phi_k^T \theta)$$

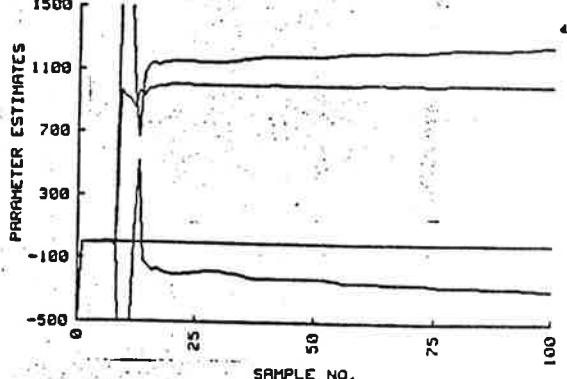
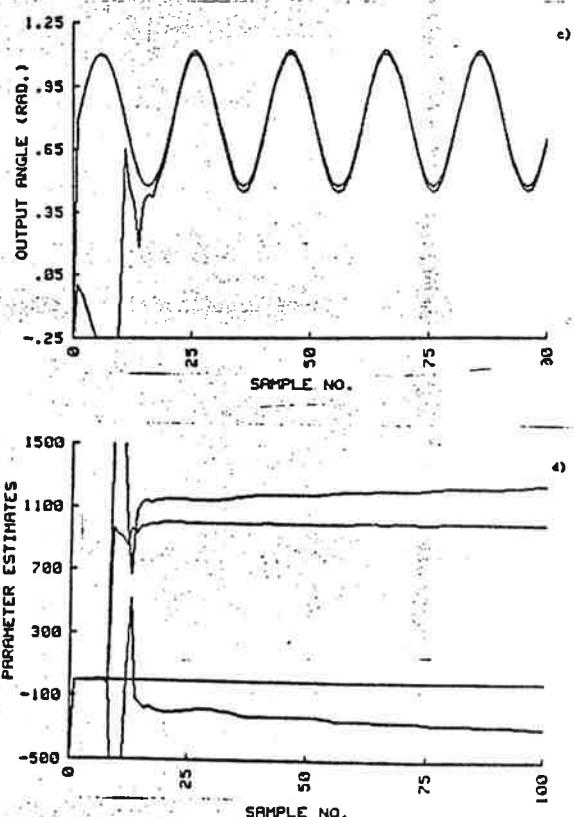
$$\theta_k = \theta_{k-1} + \frac{P_{k-1} \Phi_{k-1} e_k}{\lambda + \Phi_{k-1}^T P_{k-1} \Phi_{k-1}}$$

$$P_{k-1} = [P_{k-2} + \frac{P_{k-2} \Phi_{k-1} \Phi_{k-1}^T P_{k-2}}{\lambda + \Phi_{k-1}^T P_{k-2} \Phi_{k-1}}]^{-1}$$

$$P_1 = \gamma I \quad \gamma > 0$$

$0 < \lambda \leq 1$ (exponential weighting)

linear case $\Phi_k, \theta_k \rightarrow \tilde{\Phi}_k, \tilde{\theta}_k$



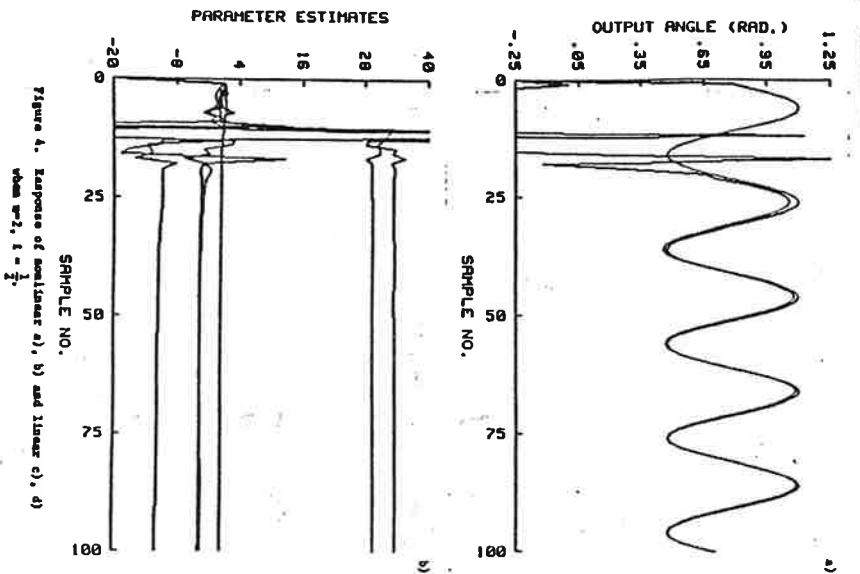


Figure 4. Response of nonlinear a), b) and linear c), d) when $\mu=2$, $\lambda = \frac{1}{2}$.

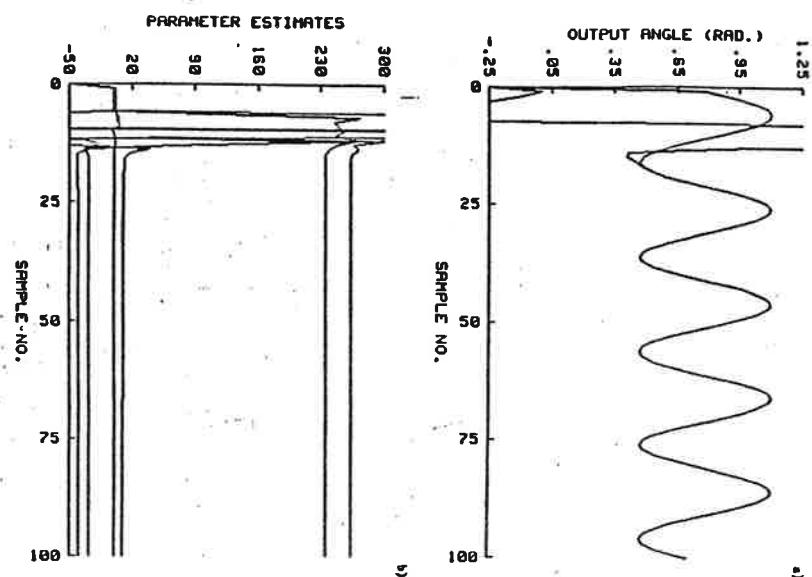
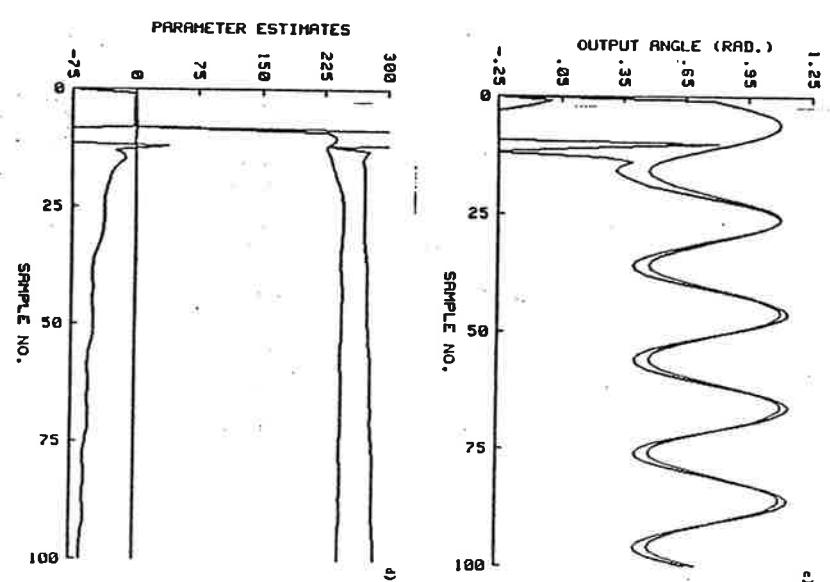
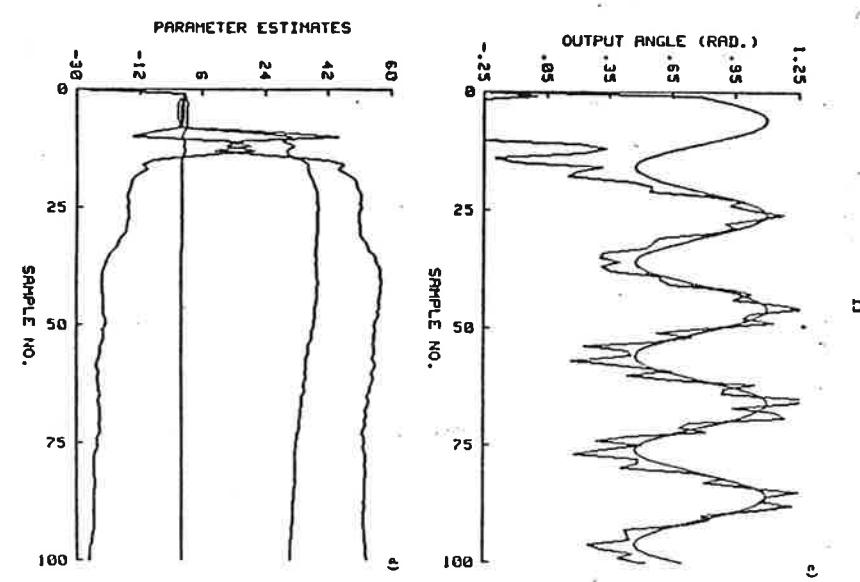


Figure 5. Response of nonlinear a), b), and linear c), d) when $\mu=2$, $\lambda=1$.



III. CONTROL OF TWO LINKS

$$\begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \cos(\gamma_{1k} - \gamma_{1k}) \\ d_{12} \cos(\gamma_{1k} - \gamma_{1k}) & d_{22} \end{bmatrix} A_{kk}$$

$$+ \begin{bmatrix} d_{13} & 0 \\ 0 & d_{23} \end{bmatrix} V_k + \begin{bmatrix} d_{14} & 0 \\ 0 & d_{24} \end{bmatrix} S_k$$

$$+ \begin{bmatrix} d_{15} & 0 \\ 0 & d_{25} \end{bmatrix} Z_k = U_k$$

$$J(V_k) A_{kk} + D_3 V_k + D_4 S_k + D_5 Z_k = U_k$$

$$A_{kk} = \begin{bmatrix} \gamma_{1kk} - 2\dot{\gamma}_{12k} + \ddot{\gamma}_{11k} \\ \dot{\gamma}_{22k} - 2\dot{\gamma}_{12k} + \ddot{\gamma}_{21k} \end{bmatrix} \times \frac{1}{T^2} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1kk} \\ a_{2kk} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_k = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\gamma}_{1k} - \dot{\gamma}_{11k} \\ \dot{\gamma}_{2k} - \dot{\gamma}_{21k} \end{bmatrix} \times \frac{1}{T} = \begin{bmatrix} v_{1k} \\ v_{2k} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_k = \begin{bmatrix} \sin \gamma_{1k} \\ \sin \gamma_{2k} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_{1k} \\ s_{2k} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Z_k = \begin{bmatrix} \sin (\gamma_{1k} - \gamma_{2k}) (\dot{\gamma}_{2k} - \dot{\gamma}_{21k})^2 \\ \sin (\gamma_{2k} - \gamma_{1k}) (\dot{\gamma}_{1k} - \dot{\gamma}_{11k})^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Can also be written as

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\phi}_{1k} \\ \dot{\phi}_{2k} \end{bmatrix} \theta_{1k} = U_k$$

$$\theta_i = [d_{11}, d_{12}, \dots, d_{15}]$$

$$\phi_{ik} = [a_{1ik}, a_{2ik}, V_{ik}, S_{ik}, Z_{ik}]$$

$$j=2 \quad \text{if } i=1 \\ j=1 \quad \text{if } i=2$$

Typical Linear Model

$$Y_{kk} + A_1 Y_k + A_2 Y_{k-1} = B_1 U_k + B_2 U_{k-1}$$

In simplest case

A_i, B_i diagonal
4 Parameters / row

General Case
8 Parameters / row

MODEL MATCHING CONTROL

Desired Closed Loop System

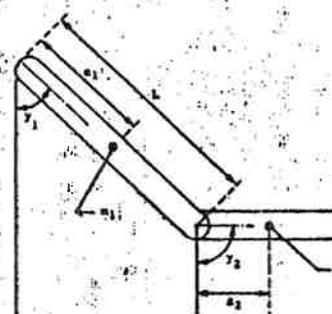
$$Y_{kk} + E_1 Y_k + E_2 Y_{k-1} = H_1 R_k + H_2 R_{k-1}$$

For $E_1 = E_2 = H_2 = 0$ $H_1 = I$ $R_k = Y_{kk}^*$
Get Deadbeat

Rewrite Process Model ($A_{kk} = Y_{kk} - 2Y_k + Y_{k-1}$)

$$Y_{kk} = T^2 J^{-1}(Y_k) \left[U_k - D_3 Y_k - D_4 S_k - D_5 Z_k \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{T^2} J(Y_k) \left[(Y_{kk} - Y_k) - E_1 Y_k - E_2 Y_{k-1} \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + H_1 R_k + H_2 R_{k-1} \right] \right]$$

Equations for Two-Link Planar Manipulator



$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Inertial Coupling: } \begin{bmatrix} (J_1 + m_1 a_1^2 + m_2 L^2) & m_2 a_2 L \cos(\gamma_2 - \gamma_1) \\ m_2 a_2 L \cos(\gamma_2 - \gamma_1) & J_2 + m_2 a_2^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{\gamma}_1 \\ \ddot{\gamma}_2 \end{bmatrix} \\ & + \begin{bmatrix} (m_1 a_1 + m_2 L) g \sin \gamma_1 \\ m_2 a_2 g \sin \gamma_2 \end{bmatrix} \\ & \text{Viscous Friction: } \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \end{bmatrix} \\ & + \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Adaptive Implementation

1) Estimate θ_{ik} using the errors

$$e_{ik} = \phi_{ik}^T \theta_{ik} - u_{ik} \quad (0 = \phi_{ik}^T \theta_i - u_{ik})$$

and two parallel sequential least squares estimators (one for θ_{ik} one for θ_{ur})

Two estimation problems of size \mathbb{R}^3 (vs \mathbb{R}^6 for linear)

$4=3$

2) Use θ_{ik} to generate

$$J_k(Y_k) = \text{Est}(J(Y_k))$$

$$D_{ik} = \text{Est}(D_i) \quad i=3,4,5$$

3) Use

$$U_k = D_{ik}V_k + D_{ik}S_k + D_{ik}\bar{Z}_k$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} J_k(Y_k) [Y_{k-1} - Y_{k-2} - E_k Y_k - E_k Y_{k-1} \\ + H_1 R_k + H_2 R_{k-1}]$$

Note
No divides
of time
varying
quantities

II. SIMULATION

Model

$$Y_{k+1} - Y_k + .29 Y_{k-1} = .29 R_k$$

$R_k = \text{d.c. offset} + \text{sinusoids}$

$T=.02$

Link lengths = 1 foot

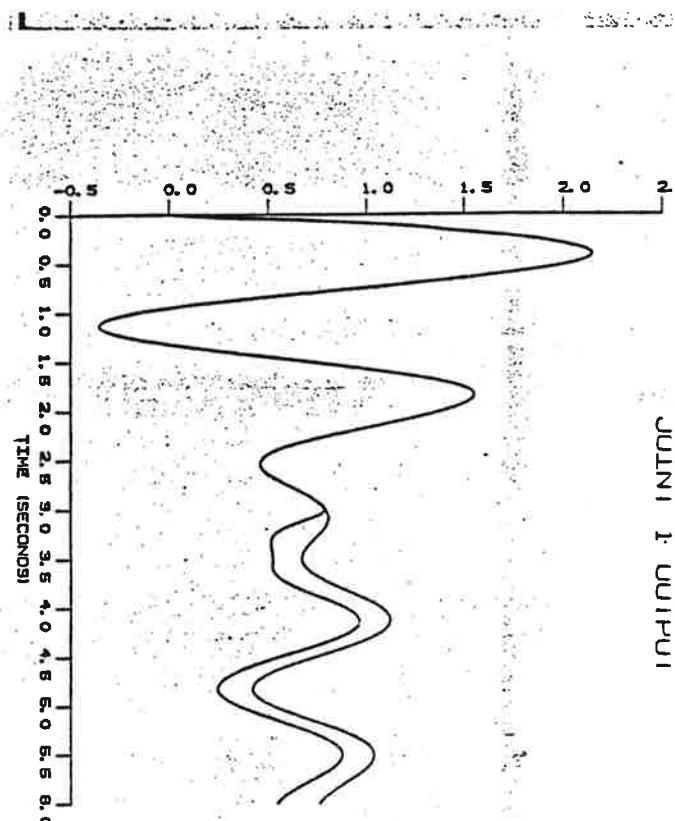
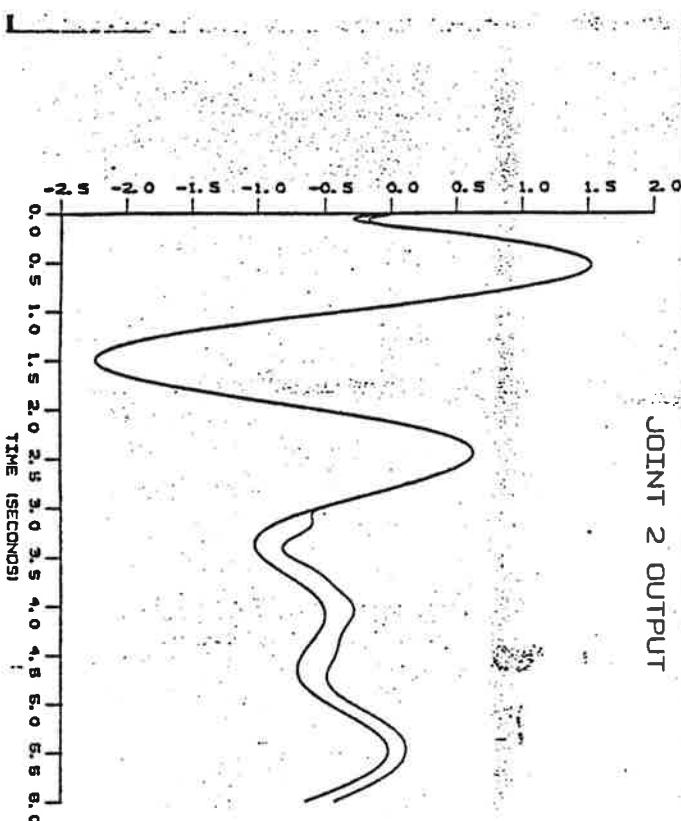
Masses = 1 lb mass $\Rightarrow 10 \text{ lbs at } 3 \text{ sec}$

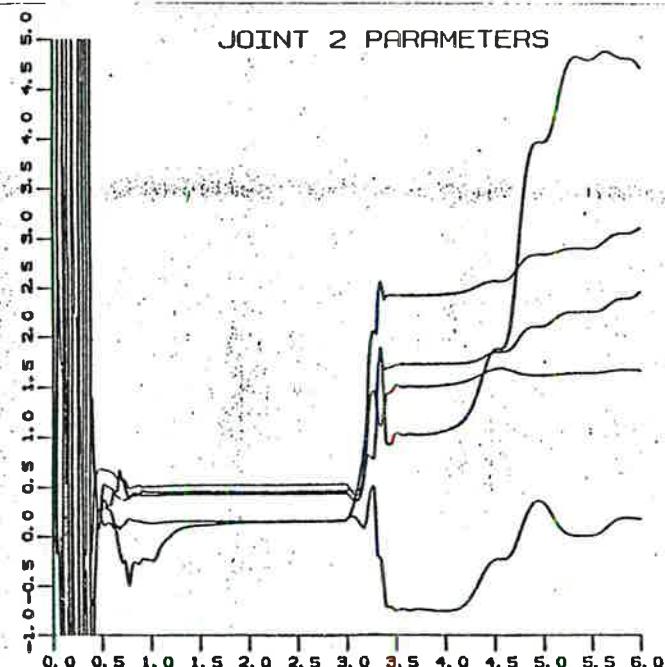
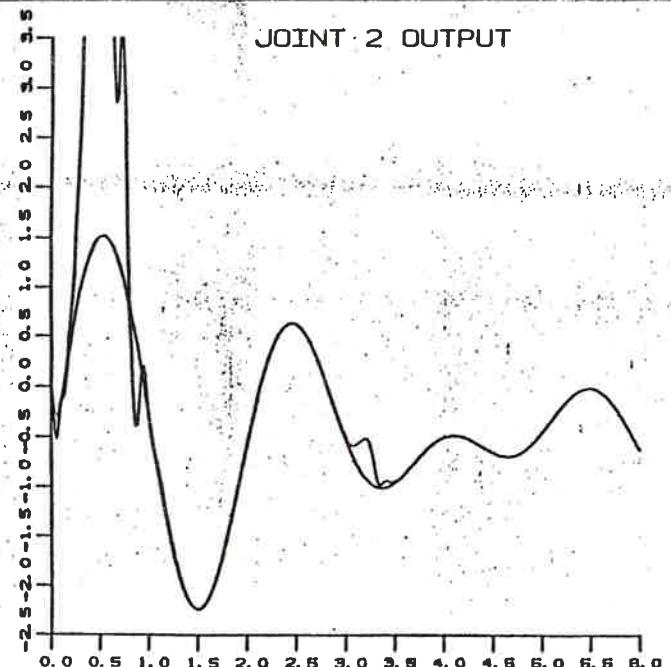
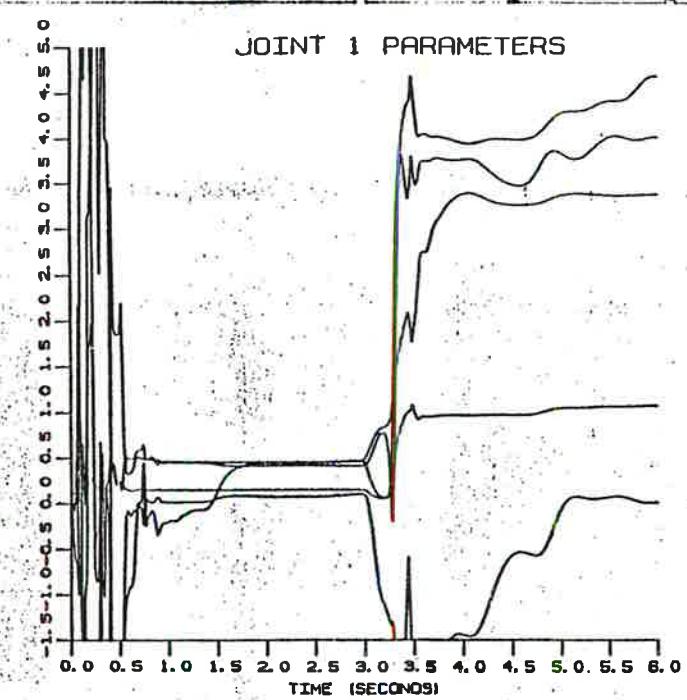
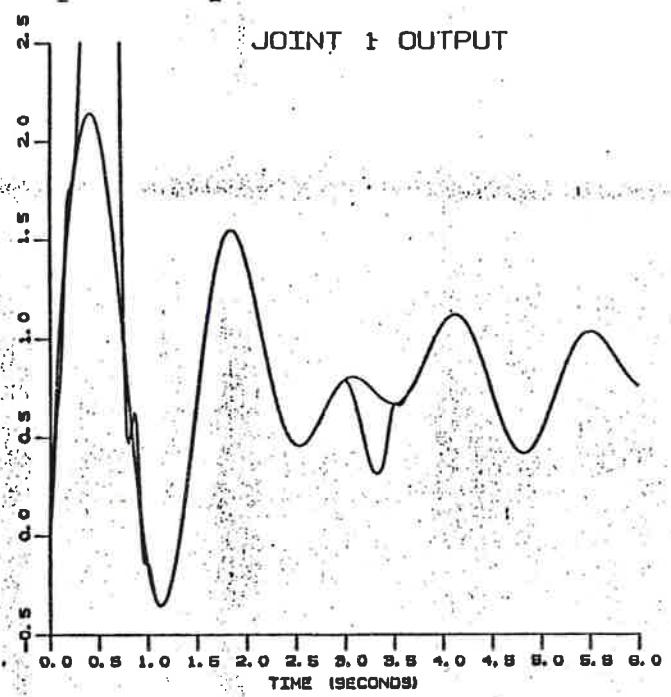
Damping = 1.5 ft-lb-sec

$\lambda = .95$

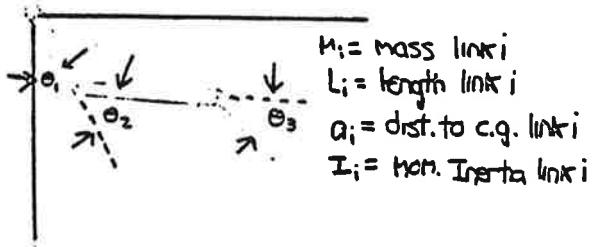
$$\Theta_{10} = [1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0]$$

$$\Theta_{20} = [0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0]$$





I. THREE LINK CASE:



Eq 1

$$D_{11} \ddot{\theta}_1 + D_{12} \ddot{\theta}_2 + D_{13} \ddot{\theta}_3 + D_{14} [C\theta_2(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) - S\theta_2(\dot{\theta}_1^2 + 2\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_2)] \\ D_{15} [C(\theta_2\theta_3)(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) - S(\theta_2\theta_3)(\dot{\theta}_1^2 + \dot{\theta}_2^2 + 2(\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_2 + \dot{\theta}_2\dot{\theta}_3 + \dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_3))] \\ + D_{16} [C\theta_2(\dot{\theta}_1 + 2\dot{\theta}_2 + \dot{\theta}_3) - S\theta_2(\dot{\theta}_1^2 + 2\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_3 + 2\dot{\theta}_2\dot{\theta}_3)] \\ + D_{17}\dot{\theta}_4 + D_{18}S\theta_1 + D_{19}S(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + D_{1,10}S(\theta_1\theta_2 + \theta_2) = T_1$$

Eq 2

$$D_{21} [\ddot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2\ddot{\theta}_3] + D_{22}\ddot{\theta}_3 + D_{23} [C\theta_3(\dot{\theta}_1) - S\theta_3(\dot{\theta}_1^2)] \\ + D_{24} [C(\theta_2\theta_3)(\dot{\theta}_1) - S(\theta_2\theta_3)(\dot{\theta}_1^2)] \\ + D_{25} [C\theta_3(\dot{\theta}_1 + 2\dot{\theta}_2 + \dot{\theta}_3) - S\theta_3(\dot{\theta}_1^2 + 2\dot{\theta}_1\dot{\theta}_3 + 2\dot{\theta}_2\dot{\theta}_3)] \\ + D_{26}\dot{\theta}_3 + D_{27}S(\theta_1 + \theta_2) + D_{28}S(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3) = T_2$$

Eq 3

$$D_{31} [\ddot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2 + \dot{\theta}_3] + D_{32} [C(\theta_1 + \theta_2)\ddot{\theta}_1 - S(\theta_1 + \theta_2)\dot{\theta}_1^2] \\ + D_{33} [C\theta_3(\dot{\theta}_1 + \dot{\theta}_2) - S\theta_3(\dot{\theta}_1^2 - \dot{\theta}_2^2)] \\ + D_{34}\dot{\theta}_3 + D_{35}S(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3) = T_3$$

Translating into a more convenient form

Eq 1

$$D_{11} = m_1\dot{\theta}_1^2 + m_2(l_1^2 + q_1^2) + m_3(l_1^2 + l_2^2 + q_3^2) + I_1 + I_2 + I_3 \\ D_{12} = m_2\dot{\theta}_2^2 + m_3(l_2^2 + q_3^2) + I_2 + I_3 \\ D_{13} = m_3\dot{\theta}_3^2 + I_3 \\ D_{14} = m_2L_1\dot{\theta}_2 + m_3L_2\dot{\theta}_3 \\ D_{15} = m_3L_1\dot{\theta}_3 \\ D_{16} = m_3L_2\dot{\theta}_3 \\ D_{17} = K_1$$

Eq 2

$$D_{21} = D_{13} \\ D_{22} = D_{13} \\ D_{23} = D_{14} = L_1(m_2 + m_3) = L_1D_{13}' \\ D_{24} = D_{15} \\ D_{25} = D_{16} \\ D_{26} = K_2 \\ D_{27} = q_3 D_{13}' \\ D_{28} = D_{1,10} \\ D_{29} = D_{1,10}$$

Eq 3

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NET RESULT

Estimate:

$$\Theta_1 = [D_{11}, D_{12}, D_{13}]$$

$$\Theta_2 = [D_{21}, D_{22}, D_{23}]$$

$$\Theta_3 = [D_{31}, D_{32}, D_{33}]$$

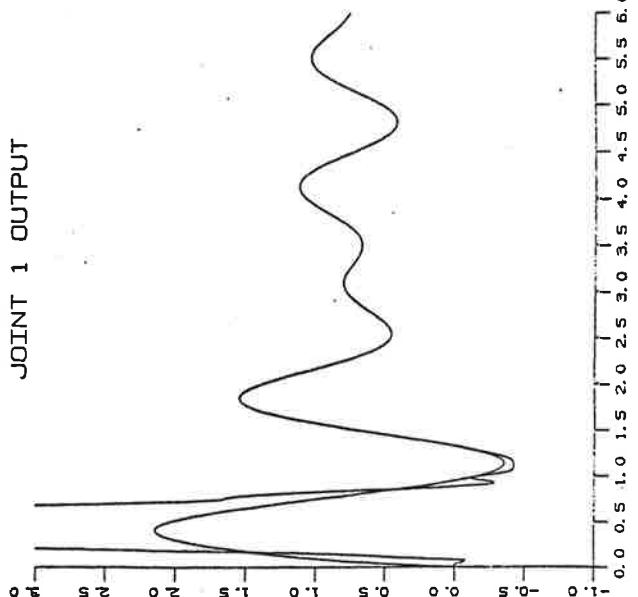
$$X_i \Theta_i = Y_i$$

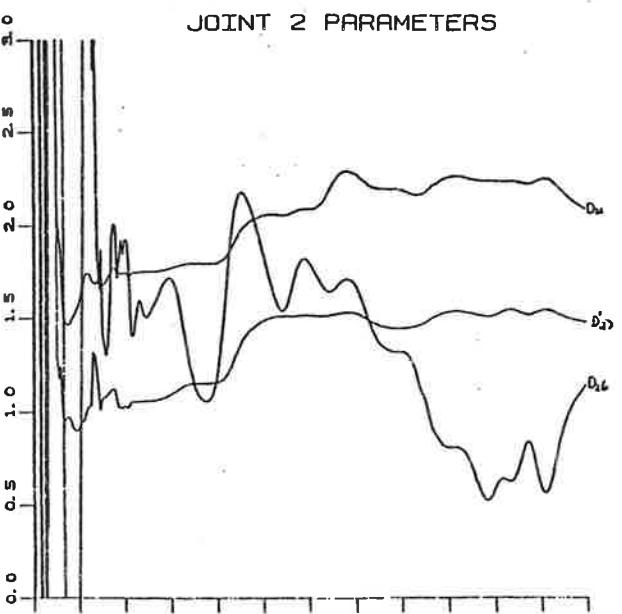
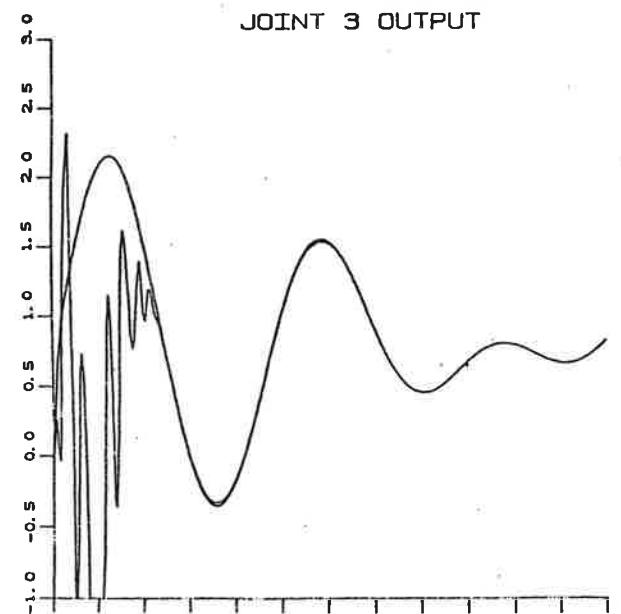
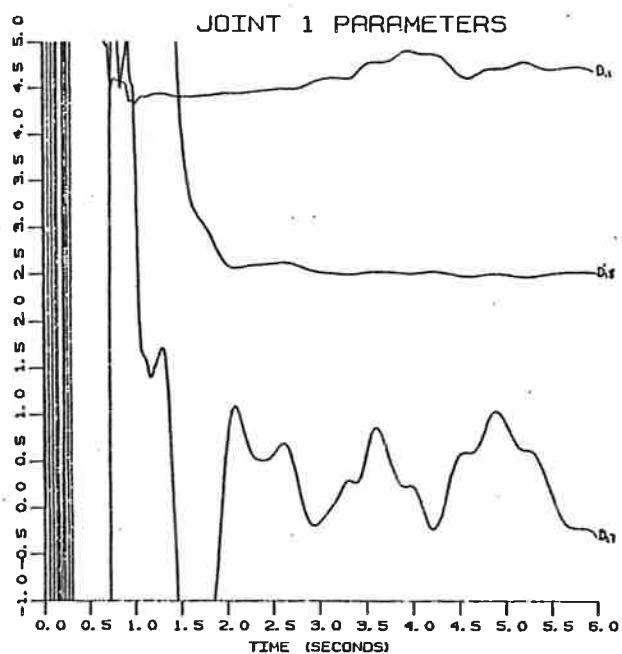
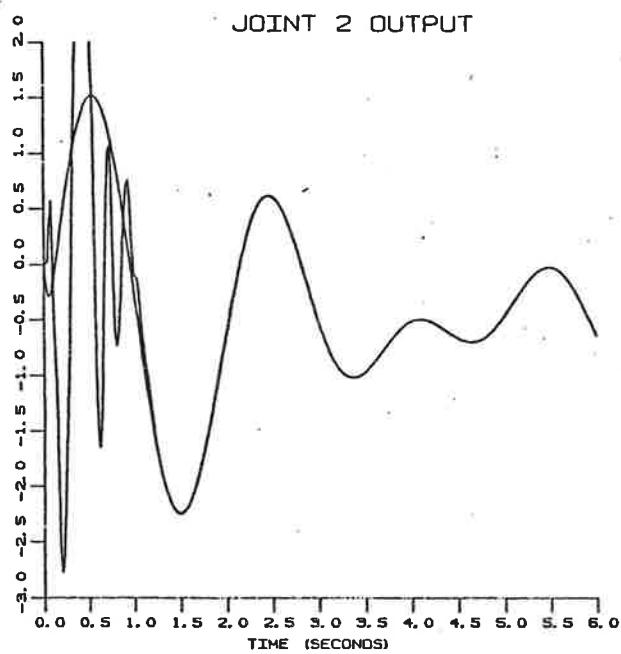
Measurable Signals

CONTROL STRATEGY

as before

JOINT 1 OUTPUT





1) $T(AB) = T(A) \cdot T(B)$: Associativity

2) $T(A^T) = T(A)^T$: Transpose

3) $T(A+B) = T(A) + T(B)$: Addition

4) $T(AB) = T(B) \cdot T(A)$: Inverse

5) $T(A^{-1}) = A^{-1}$: Inverse

6) $T(A^T) = T(A)$: Identity

7) $T(A^T)^T = A$: Transpose

8) $T(A^T)^{-1} = (T(A))^{-1}$: Inverse

9) $T(A^T) = T(A)$: Transpose

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11) $T(A^T)^T = A$: Transpose

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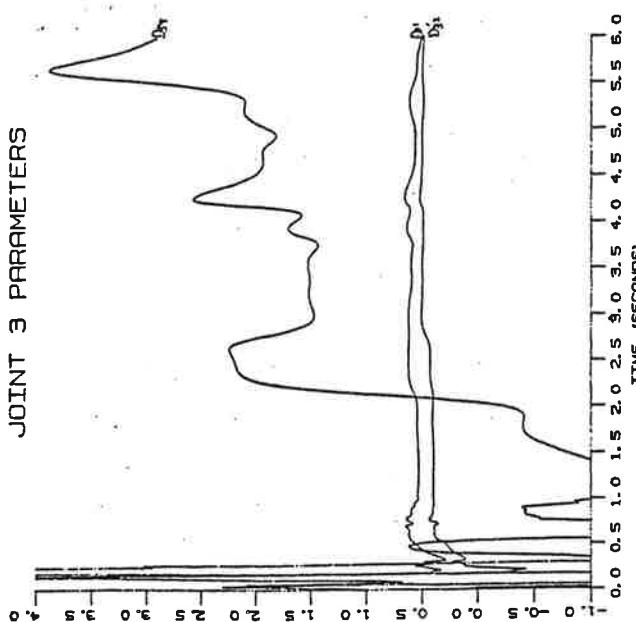
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JOINT 3 PARAMETERS

VII. DIGITAL CONTROLLER DESIGN USING EULER APPROX FOR SERVOS

Editor Approximation

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$i_1 \cdot v((1, \dots, 1), \omega)$ < 1

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$$\textcircled{1} \quad (x+y) = xy, \quad \text{d.e. form}$$

Euler Approx

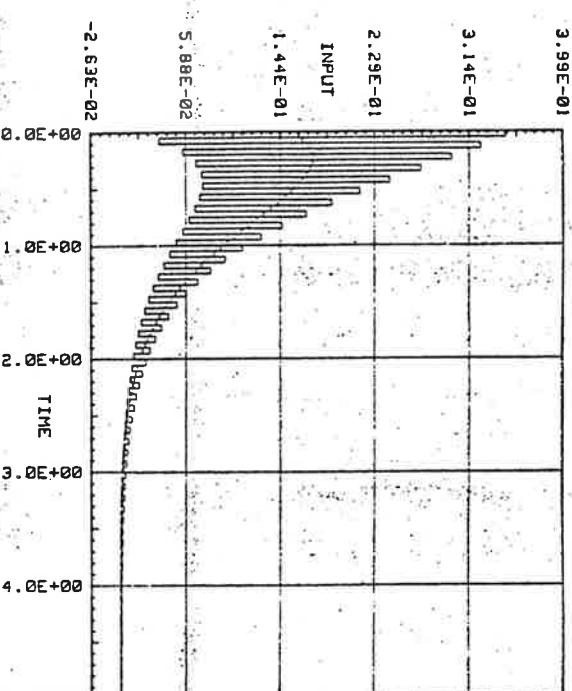
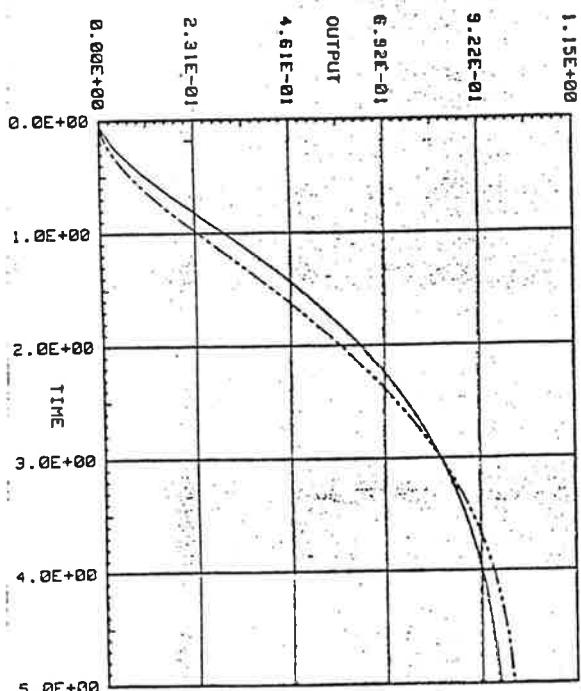
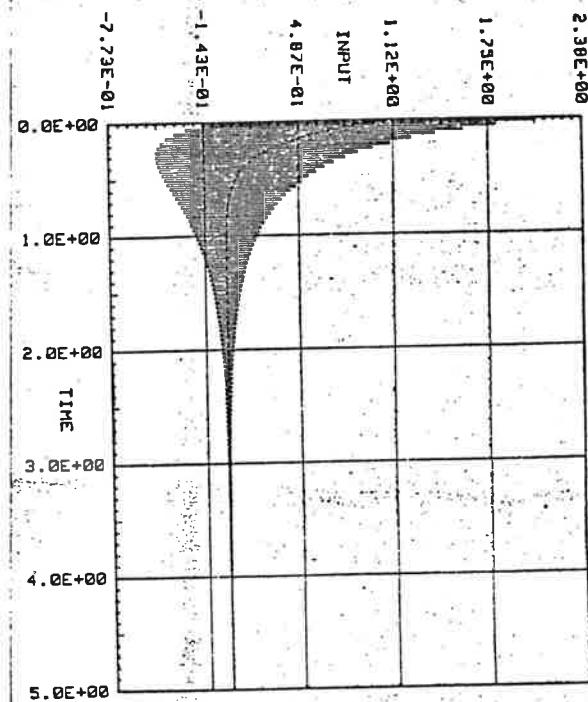
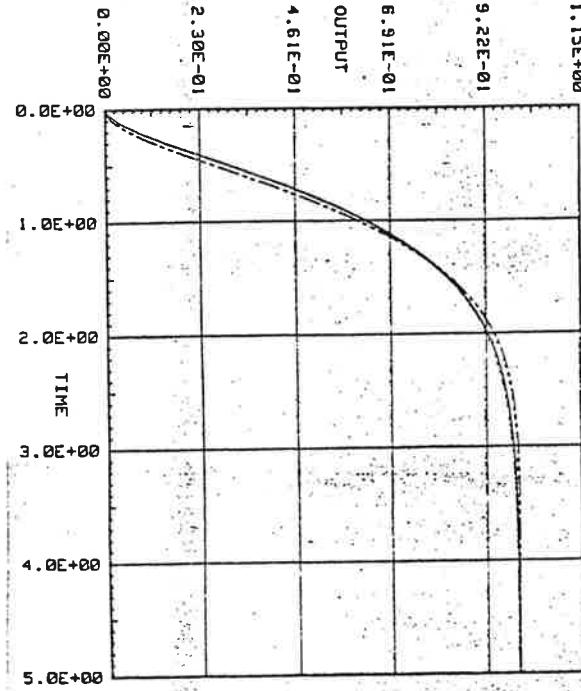
$$U_{\text{out}} + (\pi T - z) U_p + (1 - \pi T) U_{\text{in}} = \sqrt{\pi} U.$$

$$k_{\text{eff}} = \sqrt{\lambda} \left(n + \frac{1}{2} \right) \approx \sqrt{\lambda} \cdot n$$

② NO ZEROS

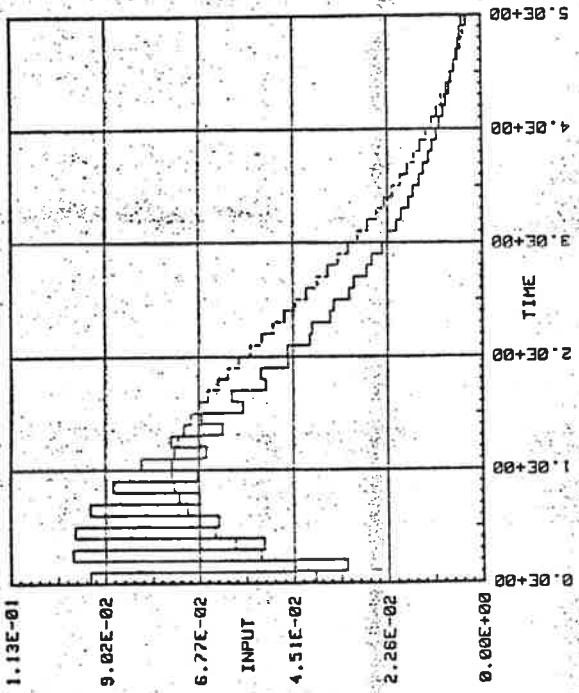
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DESERVED MODEL POLLEG AREA: .3 .3



II. STABILITY ANALYSIS

Can we justify methodology with any Theory?



How does this relate to?

1. On developing control law, the desired control signal to track closed loop system. Controlling parameter changing part?
2. Linear system model for design, control, analysis. Controlling system, model of plant?

THEORY:

If the system to be controlled is the second order filter approx. model, then the system is controlled, i.e.,

if $\zeta > 1$

then the system is overdamped

$\zeta^2 < 1$, $\zeta < 1$, $\zeta = 1$

$$\text{ODD} \quad \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} e^{st} \psi(t) = 0$$

$$(1 + \Delta s)^2 + \omega_n^2 = (\omega_n^2 + 1)^2$$

Provided

$$|\det J_r(y_K)| > \epsilon \quad \forall K \geq 0$$

From the complete form of $\psi(t)$

$\psi(t) = \text{const.} \cdot e^{-\zeta \omega_n t}$

Outline of proof:

The analysis methodology of Lai, S. and Guo, J.C. (this study)

$$M(t) \leq K_1 + K_2 \cdot e^{-\zeta \omega_n t}$$

$$M(t) = M(0) \cdot e^{-\zeta \omega_n t}$$

Consequently

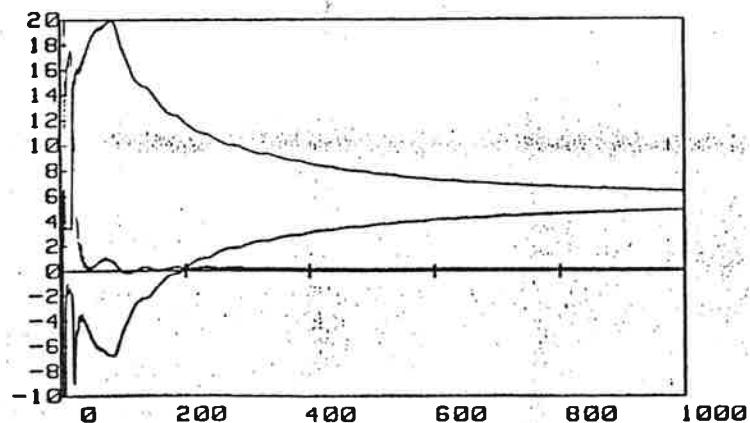
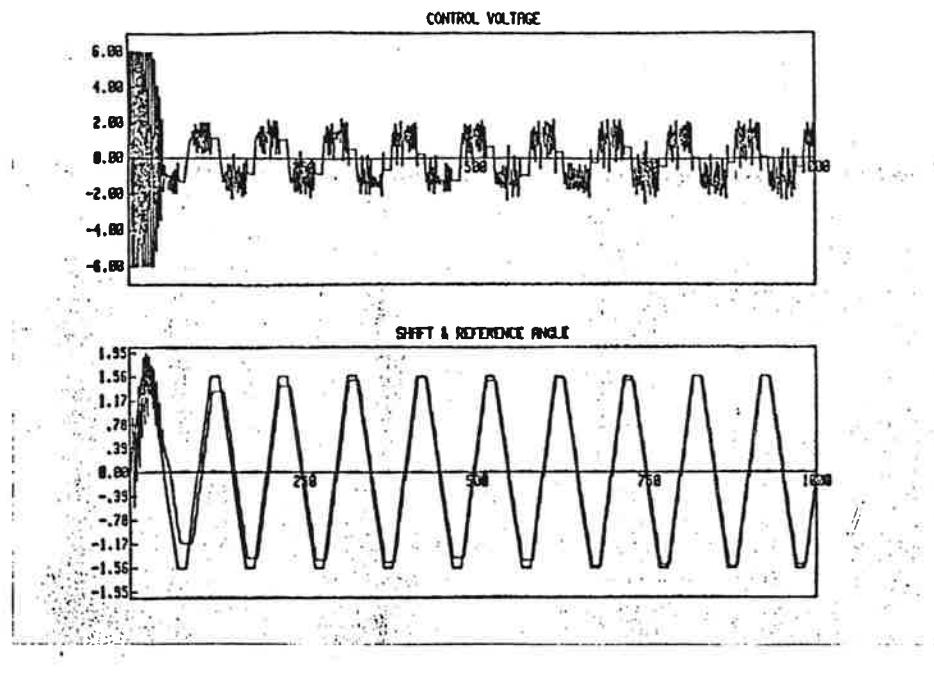
$$(M(t) + M(0))e^{-\zeta \omega_n t} \leq T \cdot M(0) \cdot e^{-\zeta \omega_n t}$$

$$\Rightarrow M(t) \leq T \cdot M(0) \cdot e^{-\zeta \omega_n t}$$

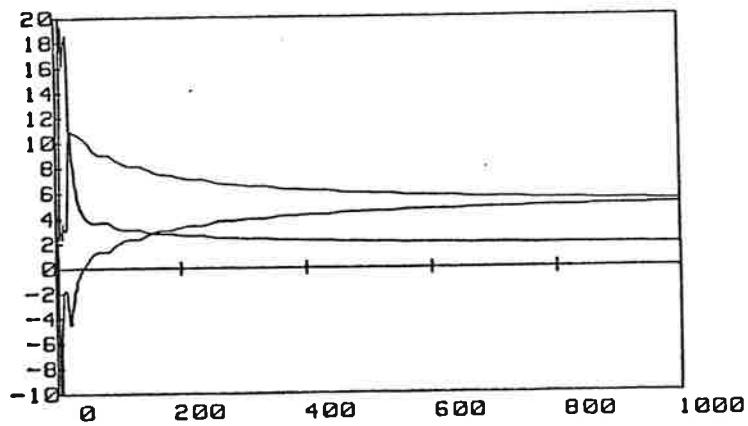
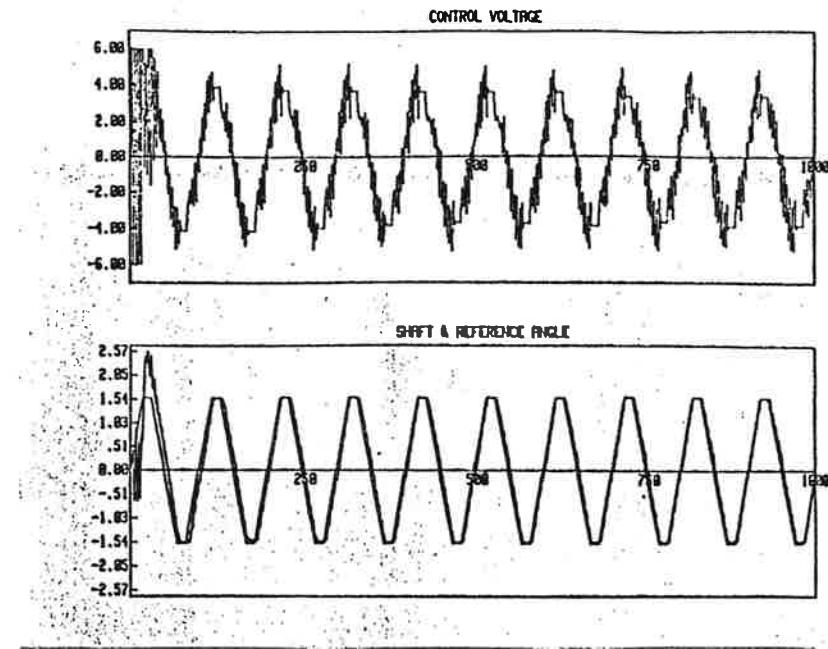
$$\text{Q. } M(t) = T(M_0) \cdot e^{-\zeta \omega_n t} \leq N \cdot e^{-\zeta \omega_n t}$$

$$\Rightarrow M(t) \leq N \cdot e^{-\zeta \omega_n t}$$

Q. Problem: If # of DOF ≥ 2 then
 $\phi_K \sim y_K^2$



PARAMETERS VS. SAMPLE NO.
 SAMPLE PERIOD = .1 SECONDS
 A = 4.870E+00 K = 6.311E+00
 G/10 = 1.188E-01



PARAMETERS VS. SAMPLE NO.
 SAMPLE PERIOD = .1 SECONDS
 A = 4.952E+00 K = 5.224E+00
 G/10 = 1.793E+00

Some desirable features of industrial adaptive controllers

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Abstract

After a short introduction, three different physical processes will be described, for which adaptive control have been tried or considered. They are: a level control for a tank in a pulp production plant, an autopilot for ships, and a pressure and flow control system for a medical treatment system (artificial kidney). It will be discussed why adaptive control could be useful in these cases, and how it really works in two of them with certain algorithms.

Each process and its operators represent different demands on the adaptive control system such as robustness, variations in model structure, interpretability of identified parameters. These demands will be discussed for each process separately. This results in a small list of some desirable features of industrial adaptive controllers.

Some desirable features of industrial adaptive controllers

- Introduction
 - Level control
 - Autopilot
 - Dialysis machine
 - Summary

Level control

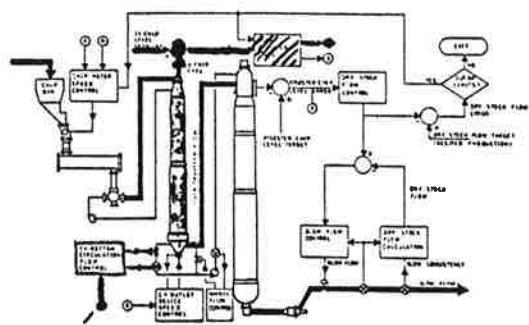


Fig. 1 - Principiell bild av ett massakokeri.

- Simple level control with unknown actuator dynamics
 - Time delay 2-3 min.
 - On PID control, $T_s = 5 \text{ sec.}$, no feed forward
 - Digital controller gives setpoint to analog controller

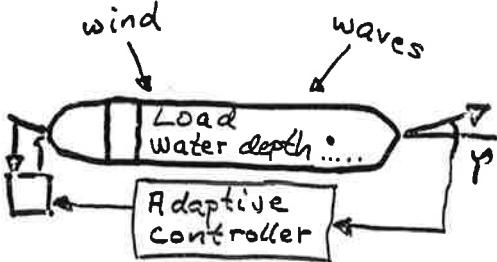
Algorithm:

- * Minimum Variance
 - * Least Squares Est.
(b_0 fixed)
 - * Feed forward (from chip feed)
 - * $T_s = 1$ min.
 - * $k = 3, 5, 6$
 - * $\lambda = 0.96 - 0.995$

ExperiencE:

- * PID structure ($NB = 0$)
robust, works well
 - * Difficult to adjust K
if $NB \neq 0$
 - * Desirable to be able to
compare parameters
with PID control
 - * Excess of parameters
causes covariance
blow-up (feed forward)

Autopilot



- * Adaptive controller gives setpoint for rudder machinery (nonlinear, partly unknown)
- * Integrator + Time Constant (\approx time to go 1 ship length) + bias (wind...)
- * Varying noise conditions
- * Constant ship parameters

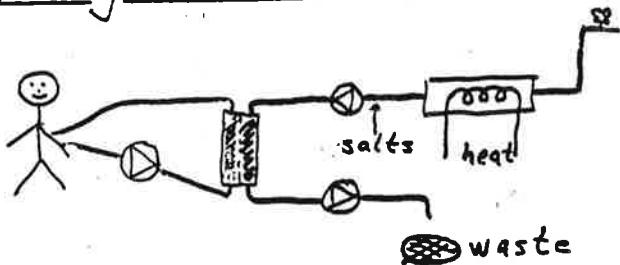
Algorithm:

- * Optimal LQ control
- * Spectral factorization
- * ELS estimation
- * Forced integrator
- * $t_r P \leq \text{constant}$
- * $NA = 1$ (+ known integrator)
- * time delay $\leq NB (= 3)$
- * $T_s = 5 \text{ sec. (3 sec.)}$
- * $\lambda = 0.99 - 0.9999$

Experiences:

- * Integral action important (quick)
- * Natural criterion good as motivation
- * Essential to be able to handle different levels of noise
- * Quarterly sea difficult - should separate models for dynamics & disturbance
- * Would like to fix physical parameters

Dialysis machine



- * Control of: -Temperature
-Conductivity
→ { -Flow
-Pressure }
- * Simple time constant $0.5 - 5 \text{ sec.}$
- * Dynamics vary with:
 - Aging of pumps (Gain)
 - Filter type (time constant)
 - (Flow)
 - Blood composition (s)

Demands on adaptive control Some desirable features

- SAFETY!

No risk for sudden or slow loss of control accuracy.
→ Robustness

- Should identify filter = once/treatment
compensate for pump aging =
= long term drift
→ separate known models
and unknown parts
some physical parameters fixed

- PI(D)-structure good
for servability.

* Safety

→ * Avoid manual tuning
of critical parameters (k..)

→ * Robustness for model
errors (e.g. rudder machinery)

* PID-structure ($NB=0$)
robust (?) and well-known

* Automatic detection of
parameter excess
(Covariance blow-up)

* Possibility to fix physical
parameters

→ * Separation dynamics-
-disturbance

→ * Capability to handle
varying noise levels

• MUST cope with
non-minimum phase

* Include analog prefilter
in self-tuner

→ Feedforward essential

Self-tuning regulator with increased prediction horizon

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The basic self-tuning regulator based on least squares estimation and minimum variance control is not suited for systems with zeros outside the unit circle. In the presentation it is shown that the basic algorithm often can be used also for this type of systems by increasing the prediction horizon of the regulator.

Examples are given which show how the algorithm can be used for non-minimum phase systems. Possible convergence points are discussed and some new results concerning local convergence of the algorithm are presented.

The new insight into the properties of the algorithm explains why it can be applied to a wide range of practical problems provided that some design parameters are correctly chosen.

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SELF-TUNING REGULATOR WITH INCREASED TIME HORIZON

- * INTRODUCTION
- * THE BASIC ALGORITHM
- * INCREASED PREDICTION HORIZON
- * ANALYSIS
- * SIMULATIONS
- * CONCLUSIONS

THE BASIC ALGORITHM

PROCESS

$$A^*(q^{-1}) y(k) = B^*(q^{-1}) u(k-d_0) + C^*(q^{-1}) e(k)$$

ALGORITHM

$$\text{LS: } y(k+d) = R^*(q^{-1}) u(k) + S^*(q^{-1}) y(k)$$

$$\text{MV: } u(k) = - \frac{S^*}{R^*} y(k)$$

PROPERTIES

If convergence then

1. $r_y(z) = 0 \quad z = d_0, \dots, d_0 + \deg S^*$
 $r_{yu}(z) = 0 \quad z = d_0, \dots, d_0 + \deg R^*$
2. Sufficiently complex regulator
⇒ Minimum variance control

Convergence if

- * Minimum phase plant
- * $\frac{1}{C(z)} - \frac{1}{2}$ strictly positive real

Local stability if

$$C(z_i) > 0$$

for all z_i such that $B(z_i) = 0$

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INCREASED PREDICTION HORIZON

Use $d > d_0$ in the estimation

What will happen?

- * Good thing to do in practice
- * Property 1 still valid but with d_0 replaced by d , Wittenmark (1973)
- * Can handle some non minimum phase processes

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5 ANALYSIS

$$A(q) y(k) = B(q) u(k) + C(q) e(k)$$

$d_0 = \deg A - \deg B$

$$R(q) u(k) = -S(q) y(k)$$

Closed loop system

$$y(k) = \frac{C R}{A R + B S} e(k) = \frac{F}{q^\alpha} e(k)$$

MA process

Pole placement interpretation

Minimum variance ($B^+ = B$, $A_m = q^{d_0-1}$, $A_0 C$)

$$R = B F \\ A F + S = q^{d_0-1} C \Rightarrow y(k) = \frac{B F}{q^{d_0-1} C} e(k)$$

$$\deg R = n-1$$

$$\deg S = n-1$$

INCREASED TIME HORIZON

Assume $d = n - \alpha + 1$.

$$AR + BS = q^\alpha C$$

$$\Rightarrow y(k) = \frac{F R}{q^{n-1}} e(k)$$

$$\deg R = n-1$$

$$\deg S = n-1$$

Comparison

- * Same degree of regulator
- * No cancellation of process zeros, compare Åström (1970)
- * Closed loop system is MA of order $\alpha = n-1$

6 RESULTS

1. If convergence then there is a possible convergence point that corresponds to MA process of order $n-1$
2. Local convergence can be analyzed

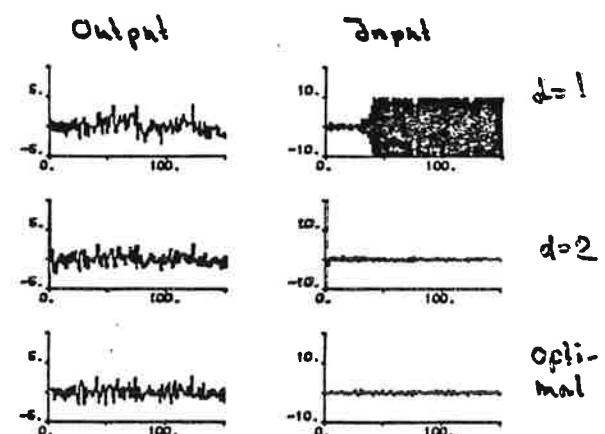
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SIMULATIONS

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EXAMPLE 1

$$y(k) - y(k-1) = u(k-1) + 1.1 u(k-2) \\ + e(k) - 0.5 e(k-1)$$



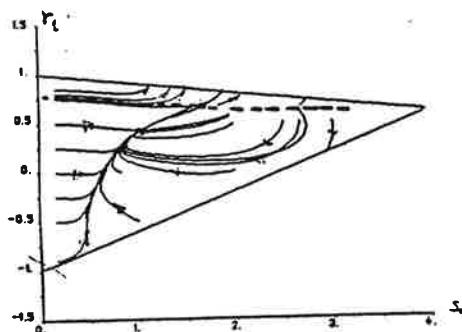
EXAMPLE 2

$$\dot{y} = u(t-\tau)$$

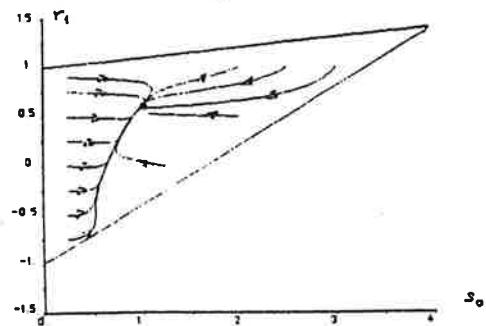
$$y(kh+h) = y(kh) + (h-\tau)u(kh) + \sum u(kh-h) + e(kh+h) + c_0(h)$$

Non minimum phase if $\tau > h/2$

Simulation of ODE for the LS case



$\tau=0.4$



$\tau=0.6$

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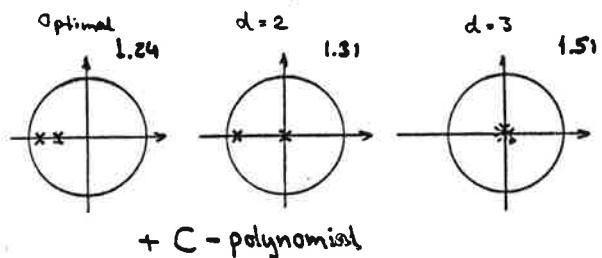
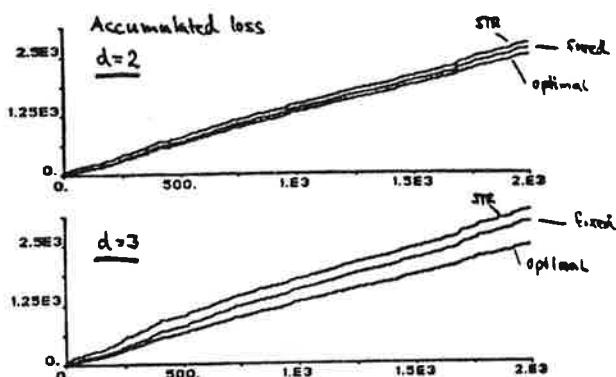
EXAMPLE 3

$$A(z) = z(z-1)(z-0.5)$$

$$B(z) = (z+2)(z+0.8)$$

$$C(z) = z^2(z-0.7)$$

$$u(k) = -\frac{s_0 + 5.1q^{-1}}{1 + r_1 q^{-1} + r_2 q^{-2}} y(k)$$



+ C - polynomial

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**A universal control capable of stabilizing
any single-input, single-output, minimum phase
linear system of relative degree ≤ 2**

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Within the past few years there have been developed several smooth dynamical controllers, not requiring "sufficiently rich" probing signals, which are capable of stabilizing any process which can be modelled by a linear system with transfer function of the form

$$T(s) = g \frac{\alpha(s)}{\beta(s)}$$

where g is a nonzero constant, and $\alpha(s)$ and $\beta(s)$ are monic, coprime polynomials, provided it can be assumed that

- 1/ $\alpha(s)$ is a strictly stable polynomial (i.e., Σ is minimum phase)
- 2/ a bound $n \geq \text{degree } \beta(s)$ is known
- 3/ the relative degree $n = \text{degree } \beta(s) - \text{degree } \alpha(s)$ is known exactly
- 4/ the sign of g is known

Since the preceding assumptions are very restrictive, there is ample motivation to see if controller structure can in some way be modified so that at least some of these assumptions can be avoided.

Prompted by this, we have just discovered that the 7-dimensional control system consisting of sensitivity function $\theta = [\theta_u, \theta_y, y]'$, where

$$\begin{aligned}\theta_u &= -\lambda\theta_u + u \\ \theta_y &= -\lambda\theta_y + y,\end{aligned}$$

filtered sensitivity function $\phi = [\phi_u, \phi_y, \theta_y]'$, where

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_u &= -\lambda\phi_u + \theta_u \\ \phi_y &= -\lambda\phi_y + \theta_y\end{aligned}$$

parameter adjustment law

$$k = \phi_y,$$

Gain $N(x) = x \cos(x)$, where $x = k'k$, and feedback law

$$\begin{aligned}
 u &= N(x)k'\theta + \left(\frac{\partial N(x)}{\partial x}\right)(k'\phi)^2 y + N(x)\phi'\phi y \\
 &= x \cos(x)(k'\theta + \phi'\phi y) + (\cos(x) - x \sin(x))(k'\phi)^2 y \\
 &= N(x)k'\theta + \phi' \frac{d}{dt}(N(x)k)
 \end{aligned}$$

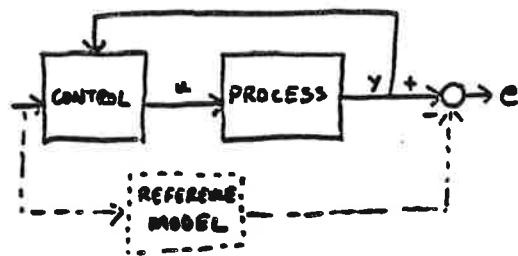
stabilizes any relative degree 2, minimum phase system of any dimension. What's surprising is that this control can also stabilize any relative degree 1 minimum phase system of any dimension. In other words, to achieve stability with the above control, it is only necessary to know that the minimum phase system to be controlled has relative degree not exceeding 2; i.e., it is not necessary to know relative degree exactly only an upper bound is required. It is natural to speculate that this should be true in general. In other words, with apriori knowledge of an upper bound \bar{n} , it should be possible to construct a smooth control system not incorporating a probing signal, which can stabilize any minimum phase system of any dimension, provided the system's relative degree does not exceed \bar{n} .

GENERAL ISSUES

Stability is of central importance - why?

What should be the role of a probing signal?

Should we insist on "smooth algorithms"



OBJECTIVES:

Tracking: $C \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$
Internal Stabilization - all "states" bounded on $[0, \infty)$

Control Class

1. Smooth finite dimensional dynamical systems
2. Arbitrary bounded reference input - "sufficiently rich" probing not incorporated for stabilization!

Proven Model Assumptions - linear system with transfer function $g_p(s) = \frac{d_p(s)}{p_p(s)}$

1. $d_p(s)$ stable - minimum phase
2. bound $n \geq \deg p_p(s)$ known
3. rel. degree $n^* = \deg p_p(s) - \deg d_p(s)$ known
4. sign g_p known

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Base Problem: Given $\dot{y} = ay + gu$, with a and g unknown and $g \neq 0$, does there exist an integer $m \geq 0$ and smooth functions $f: \mathbb{R}^{m+1} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$, $h: \mathbb{R}^{m+1} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that the closed loop system

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{y} &= ay + gh(x, y) \\ \dot{x} &= f(x, y)\end{aligned}$$

is stable in the sense that for any initial state (x_0, y_0) , there exists a solution $(x(t), y(t))$ bounded on $[0, \infty)$ and $y(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$?

If sign g known, the classical adaptive control with $n=1$, $f=y^2$, $h=-(\text{sign}(g))xy$ will stabilize:

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{y} &= (a - g/x)y \\ \dot{x} &= y^2\end{aligned}$$

The control $u = y^2 \sin(y)$ [suggested by Wonham] also stabilizes

$$\dot{y} = (a + g y \sin(y))y$$

but y doesn't necessarily go to zero due to multiple equilibria.

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NEGATIVE RESULTS

If $m=1$ and if $f(x, y)$ and $h(x, y)$ are constrained to be quadratic polynomials in x and y , then stabilization of

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{y} &= ay + gh(x, y) \\ \dot{x} &= f(x, y)\end{aligned} \quad \left. \right\} (1)$$

is impossible.

Counterexample: If $m=1$ and if $f(x, y)$ and $h(x, y)$ are constrained to be rational functions in x and y , then stabilization of (1) is impossible.

Open Problem: Generalize the above by proving that Neisbaum's assertion is true for rational controllers of any dimension $m \geq 0$.

ISSIACOM's Positive Result: It is possible to stabilize $\dot{y} = ay + gu$ with a smooth 1-dimensional controller.

Singular control $u = N(x)y$ $N(x) = x^2 \cos(x)$
 $\dot{x} = y^2$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{y} &= (a + g x^2 \cos(x)) y \\ \dot{x} &= y^2\end{aligned}\quad (1) \quad (2)$$

Analysis (Nussbaum)

$$\dot{y}^2 = 2(a + g x^2 \cos(x)) y^2$$

$$\frac{dy^2}{dx} = 2(a + g x^2 \cos(x))$$

$$y^2(t) - y^2(0) = \int_{x(0)}^{x(t)} 2(a + g x^2 \cos(x)) dx$$

$$y^2(t) = \pi(x(t)) - \pi(x_0) + y^2(0)$$

$$\pi(u) = 2a_u + 2g(\underbrace{u^2 \sin(u)}_{T \text{ dominates}} + 2u \cos(u) - \sin(u))$$

Willems - Byrnes



SAME control just used to stabilize $\dot{y} = ay + gu$

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_p &= (s-a)\alpha_p + p \\ \beta_p y &= g\alpha_p u\end{aligned}$$

$$(s-a)\alpha_p + p = g\alpha_p u$$

$$(s-a)y + \frac{p}{\alpha_p} y = g u$$

$$\dot{y} = ay + gu + L(y) \quad L(y) = -\frac{p}{\alpha_p} y$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Analysis: } \dot{y} &= (a + g x^2 \cos(x)) y + L(y) \\ \dot{x} &= y^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\dot{y}^2 = 2(a + g x^2 \cos(x)) y^2 + 2y L(y)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{y}^2(t) &= \pi(x(t)) - \pi(x_0) + y^2(0) + 2 \int y L(y) dt \\ y^2(t) &\leq \pi(x(t)) - \pi(x_0) + y^2(0) + c_1 + c_2 \int y^2 dt \\ &\leq c_1 + c_2 x\end{aligned}$$

$$\pi(\lambda) = 2a\lambda + 2g(\lambda^2 \sin(\lambda)) + 2\lambda \cos(\lambda) - \sin(\lambda)$$

DISCRETE-TIME ADAPTIVE CONTROL

FUNDAMENTAL PROBLEM

For the one-dimensional, discrete time

system

$$y(t+1) = ay(t) + gu(t)$$

with a and g unknown and $g \neq 0$, does there exist an integer $m \geq 0$ and smooth functions

$$\begin{aligned}f: \mathbb{R}^{m+1} &\rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m \\ h: \mathbb{R}^{m+1} &\rightarrow \mathbb{R}\end{aligned}$$

such that the system

$$\begin{aligned}y(t+1) &= ay(t) + gh(x(t), y(t)) \\ x(t+1) &= f(x(t), y(t))\end{aligned}$$

is stable in the sense that $(x(t), y(t))$ is bounded for $t \geq 0$ and $y(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$.

Let (A, b) be any $(n-1)$ -dimensional $\{\bar{n}-1\}$ -dimensional controllable pair with A stable. Define sensitivity function $S = [\theta_u, \theta_y, y]'$ where

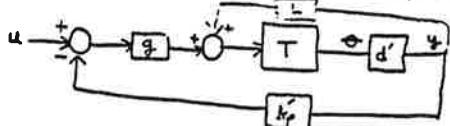
$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\theta}_u &= A\theta_u + bu \quad S \in \mathbb{R}^{2n-1} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2\bar{n}-1} \\ \dot{\theta}_y &= A\theta_y + by \\ \dot{y} &= d'S\end{aligned}$$

Lemma: For each $n \leq \bar{n}$ dimensional, minimum phase system of relative degree $n \leq \bar{n}$ and each monic, stable polynomial x^* of degree n . There exist a nonzero constant g , a strictly proper, stable transfer matrix T , a strictly proper, stable transfer function L and a constant vector $k_p \in \mathbb{R}^{2\bar{n}-1}$ $[k_p \in \mathbb{R}^{2\bar{n}-1}]$ such that

$$y = \frac{1}{x^*} (g(u - k_p S) + \varepsilon + L(y))$$

$$\varepsilon = T(g(u - k_p S) + \varepsilon + L(y))$$

where ε is a linear combination of decaying exponentials.



Adaptive stabilization of linear multivariable systems

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Framework:

We have a system known only imprecisely, and we want to find a "universal stabilizing controller" which makes the output $y(t)$ of the system $\rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$, while the parameters in the controller stay bounded.

I. The SISO case

Theorem. Consider the SISO system $\dot{x} = Ax + bu; y = cx$. Assume it is minimum phase and $cb > 0$. Define the controller $k = y^2$, $u = -ky$. Then, for all (x_0, k_0) it is true that $k_t \rightarrow k_\infty < \infty$ and $x_t \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$.

II. The MIMO case

Theorem. Consider the $m \times m$ system $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu; y = Cx$ and suppose that $\det G(s) = 0 \Rightarrow \text{Re}(s) < 0$ and that $\text{spec}(CB) \subset C^+$. Then, the controller $k = \|y\|^2$, $u = -ky$ satisfies $x_t \rightarrow 0$ and $k_t \rightarrow k_\infty$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$.

The proof consists of two ideas: First multivariable root-locus methods are employed to show that the eigenvalues will go into the left half plane, then "frozen analysis" as below shows that this is sufficient to deduce stability. An example of multivariable root locus was analyzed.

III. Frozen Eigenvalue Analysis

Theorem. Consider the system $\dot{x} = Ax - k(t)Bx$, where (i) for $k \gg 0$ $A - kB$ is stable, and, (ii) $k(t) \uparrow +\infty$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$. Then each solution $x(t)$ tends to 0 exponentially.

IV. Modifications and Extensions

The standard assumptions of necessary a priori knowledge for adaptive stabilization of an unknown SISO system are:

- 1) minimum phase
- 2) $n \leq N$, i. e. we have an upper bound on the order of the system
- 3) n^* , the relative degree of the system, is known
- 4) $\text{sign}(cA^{n*-1}b)$ is known

We have shown that 2) is not needed, actually under weak condition the results can be generalized to a Hilbert space context. By a variant of Nussbaum's result, it was demonstrated that 4) is not needed either.

V. Necessary Conditions for Adaptive Stabilization

Metaprinciple. "Whatever can be done adaptively can be done if we know (A,b,c)."

Framework: Let the adaptive regulator be a n_z -dimensional linear system with internal state z , and dependent on a parameter k^* , which is updated according to $\dot{k} = f(k, y)$. By convergence we mean that $(x_t, z_t, k_t) \rightarrow (0, 0, k_\infty)$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$.

Theorem. If we have a convergent parameter adaptive stabilization scheme, then $n_z \geq n^* - 1$.

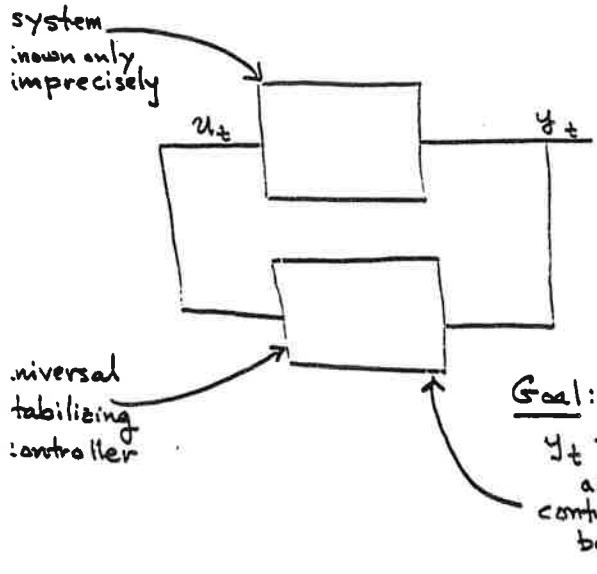
Theorem. Suppose $g(s) = c(sI - A)^{-1}b$ is minimum phase and of relative degree $\tilde{n} \leq n^*$. Then, if $p(s)$ is minimum phase of degree n^* , the regulator

$$k(s) = \frac{k\beta^{n^*} p(s)}{(s + \beta)^n}, \quad k = y^2, \quad \beta = e^k$$

will stabilize $g(s)$.

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Adaptive Stabilization of Linear Multivariable Systems



Hypotheses : I. $g(s) = c(sI - A)^{-1}b = 0$
 $\Rightarrow Re(s) < 0$

minimum phase

$$\text{II. } g'(0) = cb > 0$$

Theorem : Suppose

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= Ax + bu \\ y &= cx \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

is minimum phase with $cb > 0$. Define the controller

$$k = y^2, u = -ky \quad (2)$$

Then (1) - (2) satisfies $\forall (x_0, k_0)$:

- (i) $x_t \rightarrow k\infty$ $t \rightarrow \infty$
- (ii) $y_t \rightarrow 0$ $t \rightarrow \infty$

Proof: $cb \neq 0 \Rightarrow b \notin \ker c$

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$$\therefore \ker c + \text{span}\{b\} = \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$(x_0, y) = x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_1 &= A_{11}x_1 + A_{12}y \\ \dot{y} &= A_{21}x_1 + A_{22}y - \beta k y \\ k &= y^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{1.3. } \text{sign}(\beta) = \text{sign}(cb) > 0, \text{ spec}(A_{11}) = \Xi(g(s)) \subset \mathbb{C}^-$$

Pf. $\beta = cb$.

Proof 1: $g(s_0) = 0 \Rightarrow \hat{y}(s_0) = 0$
 where $x(0) = 0$

Therefore, at $s = s_0$, we have

$$s_0 \hat{x}_1(s_0) = A_{11} \hat{x}_1(s_0)$$

and $s_0 \in \text{spec}(A_{11})$.

Proof 2. $A_{11} = \overline{A+b\beta} : \mathcal{V}^* / \mathcal{R}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{V}^*$
 where $\mathcal{V}^* = \ker c$
 $\mathcal{R}^* = \{0\}$

claim: It suffices to prove $|k_t| \leq M$,
because

- a) k_t bounded $\Rightarrow \lim k_t = k_\infty$
- b) A) $\Rightarrow y_t \in L^2(0, \infty)$
- c) B) $\Rightarrow (x_1)_t \in L^2(0, \infty)$
- d) A, B, c $\Rightarrow y \in L^2(0, \infty) \Rightarrow y_t \rightarrow 0$
- e) A, B $\Rightarrow x_1 \in L^2(0, \infty) \Rightarrow (x_1)_t \rightarrow 0$
- f) D, E $\Rightarrow x_t = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y \end{pmatrix}_t \rightarrow 0$.

Lemma k_t is bounded

Proof. Set $V(x, y, k) = \frac{1}{2} y^2$.

$$\dot{V} = y A_{21} x_1 + \int A_{22} y^2 - \beta k y^2$$

$$\dot{V}|_0^T = \int_0^T y A_{21} x_1 dt + A_{22} k |_0^T - \beta k^2 |_0^T$$

claim $|\int_0^T y A_{21} x_1 dt| \leq c_1 + c_2 \int_0^T y^2 dt$

$$\therefore -\frac{1}{2} y^2(0) \leq \alpha k |_0^T - \beta k^2 |_0^T + c_1$$

$$\therefore y \leq \alpha k(T) - \beta k^2(T)$$

$$\therefore |k_t| \leq M.$$

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II. Multivariable Linear Systems

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

$$(1) \quad G(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1}B \quad m \times n$$

Theorem (B-W) Suppose $\det G(s) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow \text{Re}(s) < 0$ and $\text{spec}(CB) \subset \mathbb{C}^+$
 Then, the controller

$$(2) \quad \dot{k} = \|y\|^2, \quad u = -k y$$

satisfies

$$x_t \rightarrow 0, \quad k_t \rightarrow k_\infty.$$

Remark 1. Multivariable Root-Locus \Rightarrow "Frozen Analysis"
 "Frozen Analysis" \Rightarrow Stability

$$2. \text{spec}(CB) = \mathbb{R}^+$$

Postlethwait
 Multivariable Root-Loci d'après MacFarla
 Frozen Eigenvalue Analysis d'après BG Marolfes

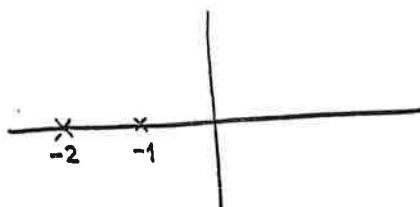
Then we ask 3 questions

- 1) Where do the root-loci start?
- 2) Where do the root-loci end?
- 3) How do they get there?

Example: $G(s) = \frac{1}{(1.25)(s+1)(s+2)}$

$$K_k = \begin{bmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{bmatrix}, u = -k y_2$$

- 1) $s_i(0) \in \text{Poles } G(s) = \{-1, -2\}$
- 2) $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} s_i(k) = \infty, \text{ Zeros } G = \{\infty\}$
- 3) How do they get there?



- N.B.
- | | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| 1. $0 \leq k \leq 1.25$ | stable |
| 2. $1.25 \leq k \leq 2.5$ | unstable |
| 3. $k > 2.5$ | stable |

In particular $k \rightarrow s_i(k)$ is not 1-1!

$$m=p=1 \quad 1 + kg(s) = 0 \Rightarrow k = -1/g(s)$$

Indeed $\det(I + k G(s)) = 0$

Set $g = -1/k$

$$\Leftrightarrow \det(gI - G(s)) = 0$$

In our example

$$0 = f(s, g) = 1.25[s^2g^2 + 3sg^2 + 2g^2] - 2sg + 3g + \frac{4}{s}$$

$$\therefore g \pm(s) = \frac{(2s-3) \pm \sqrt{1-24s}}{(2.5)(s+1)(s+2)}$$

The algebraic functions have a branch point at

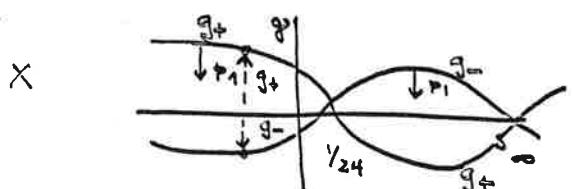
$$s = 1/24$$

Similarly, one computes

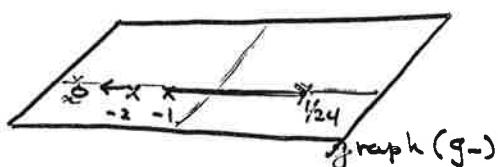
$$s \pm(g) = \frac{(2-3g) \pm \sqrt{9g-g^2}}{(2.5g)}$$

$$g_-(-2) = \infty, g_-(-1) = \infty \quad g_+(-2) = \frac{-3 + \sqrt{49}}{5}$$

Consider $f(s, g) = 0$. This defines the algebraic curve / Riemann surface X



$$X \subset S^2 \times S^2, \text{proj}_1(s, g) = s$$



Newton (1680)

$$(1+x)^n = \sum a_i x^{(p/q)}$$

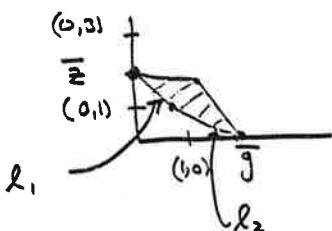
$$y = (1+x)^n : f(x,y) = y(1+x)^{-n} - 1 = 0$$

$$f(s,g) = c [s^2 g^2 + 3sg^2 + 2g^2] - 2sg + 3g + d = 0$$

$s_2 t \approx 1/s$ obtaining

$$f(s,g) = 0$$

now since $\exists_i(g) \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow g \rightarrow 0$



slope $l_1 = -q/p$, height = r

Newton: $\exists r$ branches of $\exists_i(g)$

$$\exists_i(g) = \alpha_i g^{p/q_i} + \dots$$

Scalar $I/0$ $\exists_i(g)$ has slope $-n^{**}$
 $\exists_i(g) = \alpha_i g^{1/n_i}$ \leftarrow Butterworth pattern

Newton's Theorem

$f(s,g) = 0$ has n branches

$$f(s,g) = \prod_{i=1}^n (s - s_i(g))$$

At any branch point, each $s_i(g)$ can be developed into a Newton-Puiseux expansion

$$s_i(g) = \alpha_i g^{p_i/q_i} + \dots$$

The sum of the orders = n.

Applications:

- 1) Root Locus Plots (Bode/McMillan-McFarlane)
- 2) General Position Lemmas:

Lemma Given $G(s)$, $\deg(G(s)) = n$. There exists $u = -ky$

such that $G_K(s)$ has distinct poles.

3) Adaptive Control: $G(s) \in \mathbb{R}[s]$ suppose $\det G(s) = 0 \Rightarrow s \in \mathbb{C}^+$, $\text{spec}(GB) \subset \mathbb{C}^+$

Then $u = -ky$, $k = \|y\|^2$

is self-tuning. That is

$$(i) k_t \rightarrow k_\infty ; \quad (ii) x_t \rightarrow 0 .$$

Frozen Eigenvalue Analysis

Theorem Consider the system

$$\dot{x} = Ax - k(t)Bx \quad (*)$$

where

(i) for $k \gg 0$ $A - kB$ is stable

(ii) $k(t) \uparrow +\infty$

Each solution to (*) tends to zero exponentially.

Proof: $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$.

rank $B = m \leq n$

$\therefore B = B_1 C_1$, $B_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$, $C_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$$\ker C_1 + \text{span } B_1 = \mathbb{R}^n$$

Consider $(x_1, y) = x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and (*)

$$\dot{x}_1 = A_{11} x_1 + A_{12} y$$

$$\dot{y} = A_{21} x_1 + A_{22} y - k(t) \beta y$$

I. $\text{spec}(\beta) = \text{spec}(C_1 B_1) \checkmark$

II. $s \in \text{spec}(A_{11}) \Leftrightarrow \det G(sI - A)^{-1} B_1 = 0$.

Frozen eigenvalues hypothesis implies

I. $\text{spec}(\beta) \subset \mathbb{C}^+$

II. $\text{spec}(A_{11}) \subset \mathbb{R}^-$

Choose coordinates $\tilde{x} = T_{11}x$ so that β is real

$$\tilde{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{x}_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_1 & \tilde{x}_2 & \cdots & \tilde{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_1 & & & \\ -\beta_1 & \beta_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \beta_n \end{bmatrix} \quad (\beta = \text{diag})$$

Then,

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{1}{2} \|z\|^2 \right) = \langle z, A_{21} \tilde{x}_1 \rangle + \langle z, A_{22} \tilde{x}_2 \rangle - k(t) \langle z, z \rangle$$

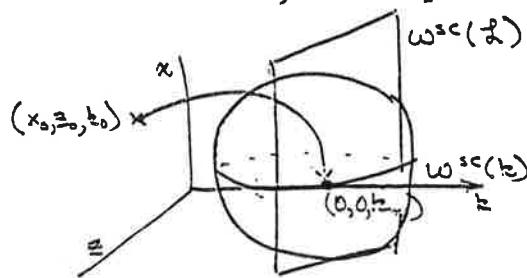
$$\leq x^T (AC_1^T C_1 + C_1^T C_1 A^T) x - \beta \min k(t) \|z\|^2$$

$$\leq -c \|z\|^2 \quad t \gg 0 .$$

or $\|z_t\|^2 \leq e^{-ct} \|z_0\|^2 \quad t \gg 0$

Theorem If we have a convergent parameter adaptive stabilization scheme, then $n_z \geq n^*-1$.

Proof



Lemma 1 $u = \dim W_{(0,0,t_0)}^u = 0$.

Pf Follows from Reduction Theorem of Shoshitaishvili / Palis-Takens :

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= f(x) \\ \dot{y} &= y \\ \dot{z} &= -z \end{aligned} \quad \text{local canonical form}$$

$$x \in W^c, z \in W^s, y \in W^u$$

$$J_f(0,0,t_0) = \begin{bmatrix} A + bJ_\infty & bH_\infty & 0 \\ G_\infty & F_\infty & 0 \\ k_x & 0 & k_z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Lemma 2} \quad \text{Since } \begin{pmatrix} A + bJ_\infty & bH_\infty \\ G_\infty & F_\infty \end{pmatrix} \subset \overline{\mathbb{C}^+}$$

Lemma 3 Consider $g(s) = \frac{1}{s^n - s^{n-1} - \dots - 1}$

suppose $(F_\infty, G_\infty, H_\infty, J_\infty)$ stabilizes (internally) $g(s)$ and has degree n_z . Then,

$$n_z \geq n-1.$$

Q.E.D.

Theorem (B73) Suppose $\tilde{g}(s) :$

$\dot{x} = A_x x + b u, \quad y = c x$
is minimum phase and has relative degree n^* .

If $p(s)$ is minimum phase of degree n^*

$$h(s) = \frac{k}{(s+p)^{n^*}}$$

where

$$k = y^2, \quad p = -z$$

stabilizes $g(s)$.

Sketch: Assume $c A^{n^*-1} b \geq 0$.

$$c(s) = \frac{k \beta^{n^*-1} p(s)}{(s+p)^{n^*-1}}$$

$p(s)$ Hurwitz of degree n^*-1

$$g(s) = \frac{n(s)}{d(s)}$$

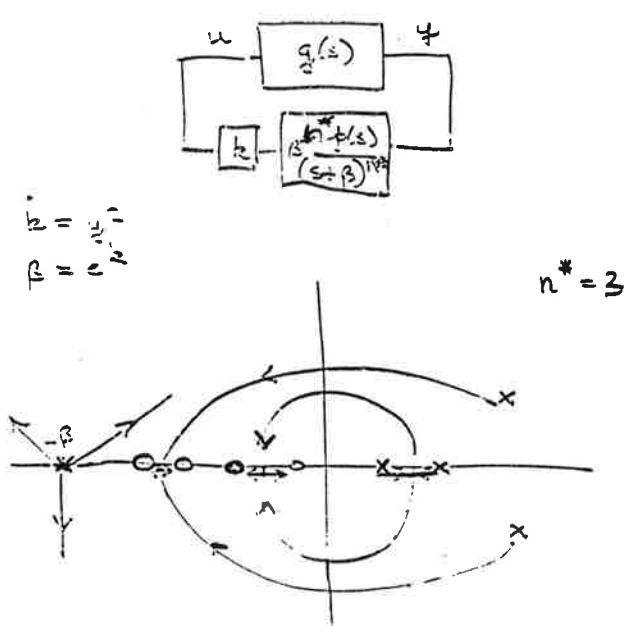
N.B. In closed loop, this is the same as

$$c'(s) = \frac{k \beta^{n^*-1}}{(s+\beta)^{n^*-1}}$$

compensating

$$g'(s) = \frac{p(s) n(s)}{d(s)}$$

$g'(s)$ has relative degree 1 !!
 $\text{ker } c + \text{span}(b) = \mathbb{R}^n$



$$(s+\beta)^{n^*} d(s) + k \beta^{n^*} p(s) n(s) = 0$$

Frozen eigenvalue analysis : stable for $k \gg 0$
- algebraic function theory but:

$g'(s)$ has relative degree 1 !!
 $\text{ker } c + \text{span}(b) = \mathbb{R}^n$

Modifications and Extensions

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$$g(s) = c(I - sA)^{-1}b = \frac{f(s)}{q(s)}$$

1. minimum phase
2. $n \leq N$ upper bound on order of system
3. $n^* = \deg q - \deg p$ is known
4. sign($c A^{n^*-1} b$) is known
5. is not needed, in fact $n = \infty$.

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= Ax + bu & x \in \mathcal{X} \\ y &= cx & u, y \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

$A: \mathcal{D}(A) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$ densely defined
+ pure point spectrum.

- Lemmas
1. $\overline{A + bf}$ pure point spectrum
- Weyl von-Neumann Theorem
 2. $\text{spec } \overline{A + bf} = Z(g(z))$
 $\Rightarrow \overline{A + bf}$ stable: Hille-Yosida Thm.

Example delay or retarding systems, $u_{xt} + ux_{xx} = 0$
Flexible structures

$$\text{Ex. } \dot{x} = ax + bu, \quad \dot{k} = x^2, \quad u = -\text{sign}(k)x$$

Instead, set $u = \underline{s(\dot{k})} \frac{\dot{k}}{x}$ R. Nussbaum



so that Cesaro mean $C(s(k)t)$ satisfies

$$\lim_{t \geq 1} C(s(k)t) = +\infty \quad \lim_{t \geq 1} C(s(k)t) = -\infty$$

$$\int_0^T V dt = \frac{x^2}{2} \Big|_0^T = a \int_0^T x^2 + b \int_0^T s(k) \frac{\dot{k}}{x} x^2 dt$$

$$= ak \Big|_0^T + b \int_0^T C(s(k)) dt$$

$\therefore ak + b \underline{C(s(k))}$ is bounded below

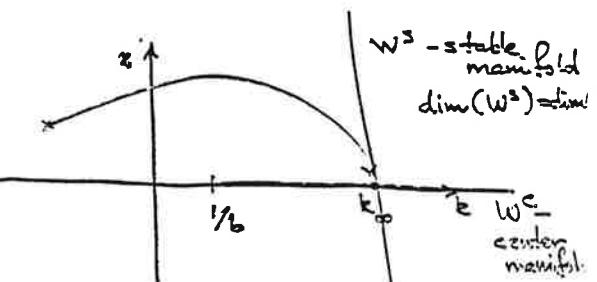
$$\therefore T \underline{C(s(k))} \leq M$$

Q.E.D.

Necessary Conditions in Adaptive Stabilization

Ex

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= x - kbx \\ \dot{k} &= x^2 \end{aligned}$$



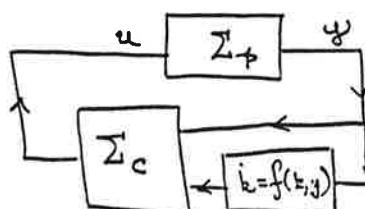
$$(x_t, k_t) \rightarrow (0, k_\infty)$$

$$\dot{x} = Ax + b\omega, \quad \dot{\omega} = c x$$

$$\dot{k} = f(k, \omega)$$

$$\dot{z} = F(k)z + G(k)\omega$$

$$u = H(k)z + J(k)\omega$$



$$(x_t, z_t, k_t) \rightarrow (0, 0, k_\infty) \text{ -- Convergence}$$

or,
Adaptive stabilization with smooth nonlinear controllers of $\dim \leq N$ implies (classical)
stabilization with linear compensators of $\dim \leq N$.
(B.-Morse)

Proposition If \mathcal{C} is a collection of
minimum phase systems which can be
stabilized by some linear system of order $\leq N$,
then for all $g \in \mathcal{C}$,

$$n^*(g) \leq N+1.$$

Corollary For minimum phase systems;
an upper bound on n^* is necessary for
adaptive stabilization.

$$\dot{x}_1 = A_{11}x_1 + A_{12}y$$

$$\dot{y} = A_{21}x_1 + A_{22}y - ke^{rk} \frac{dy}{dt} z_p$$

$$\dot{z} = \left[e^k(-I) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right] z + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dot{b} = y^2$$

N.B. $\dot{x}_1 = A_{11}x_1$ is stable.
 $\dot{z} = \begin{pmatrix} -e^k & 0 \\ 0 & -e^k \end{pmatrix} z + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} z$

are stable: minimum principle
 $e^k \uparrow \infty$ + "frozen analysis"

$$\frac{d \|y\|^2}{dt} = A_{21}x_1 y + A_{22}y^2 - ke^{rk} c b z_1 y$$

$$\sim c_1 + c_2 k + c_3 k - c_4 k^2$$

\Rightarrow k bounded.

$$\Rightarrow x_1, z_1 \rightarrow 0 \quad k_1 \rightarrow k_0$$

Lyapunov functions, cost functions, and adaptive control

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Abstract

Lyapunov functions are derived for a class of discrete time adaptive systems. The derivations have been performed under the following assumptions: Reference value = 0, no non-minimum phase zeros of the control object, well damped desired closed loop poles. The parameter estimation is made via a gradient type of algorithm which makes use of the output error.

It is shown that the considered adaptive system have the following properties.

- Global stability in the sense of Lyapunov
- Exponential convergence to zero of the state vector and the output error
- Monotone convergence (not necessarily to zero) of the parameter errors

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LYAPUNOV FUNCTIONS
COST FUNCTIONS
AND
ADAPTIVE CONTROL

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STABILITY CRITERIA

What conditions for stability prevail in adaptive control theory?

- Strictly positive real transfer functions
- Persistency of excitation
- $\|\varphi\|$ Limited

Criticism

- Implicit conditions
- No link between stability and convergence

Remedy?

- Try to stick to "old" concepts like
 - Lyapunov functions
 - Cost criteria
 - Gain margin

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DIRECT ADAPTIVE CONTROL

OBJECT, PLANT

$$y(t) = \frac{B_1(q^*)}{A^*(q^*)} u(t)$$

CONTROL LAW

$$R^*(q^*) u(t) = -S_y^*(q^*) y(t)$$

CLOSED-LOOP POLES ASSIGNMENT

$$R_u^* A^* + S_y^* B^* = T_1^* A_m^* B_2^*$$

PARAMETRIZATION

$$y = \frac{b_0 q^{-k} B_2^*}{T_1^* A_m^* B_2^*} [u(t) + \Theta^T \varphi(t)]$$

CONTROL LAW

$$u(t) = -\hat{\Theta}^T(t) \varphi(t)$$

PARAMETER ESTIMATION

$$\hat{\Theta}(t) = \hat{\Theta}(t-k) + \gamma(\varphi(t-k)) \varphi(t-k) e_f(t)$$

$$e_f(t) = T_1^*(q^*) A_m^*(q^*) e; e = y$$

$$\gamma(\varphi(t)) = \frac{1}{P_0 \|\varphi(t)\|^2}$$

$$0 < \frac{b_0}{P_0} < 2$$

IDENTIFICATION DYNAMICS

$$\begin{cases} \hat{\Theta}(t) = \hat{\Theta}(t-k) + \gamma \varphi(t-k) e_f(t) \\ e_f(t) = b_0 q^{-k} [-\tilde{\Theta}^T(t) \varphi(t)] \end{cases}$$

$$\|\tilde{\Theta}(t)\|^2 - \|\tilde{\Theta}(t-k)\|^2 =$$

$$= -2\gamma e \cdot \frac{e_f^2(t)}{\|\varphi(t-k)\|^2} =$$

$$= -2\gamma \|\tilde{\Theta}(t-k)\|^2 \cos^2 \alpha(t-k)$$

α - Angle between φ and $\tilde{\Theta}$

? Notice that $\|\tilde{\Theta}(t)\|$ is determined already at time $(t-k)$!?

STATE-SPACE?

Dynamics

Control object

x, y, u

Regulator

u, y

Estimator

$\hat{\Theta}, \tilde{\Theta}$

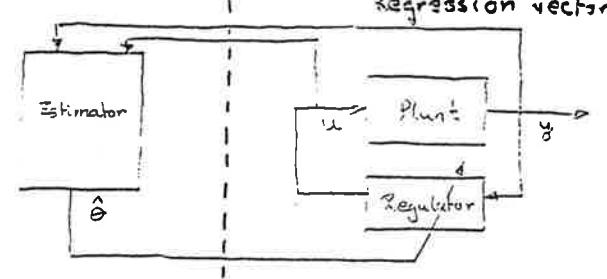
$\varphi, \varphi(t-k)$

$\tilde{\Theta}, \hat{\Theta}$

$\longleftrightarrow x, y, u, \varphi, \varphi(t-k)$

Parameters

Input
Outputs
Regression vectors



State at time t includes

$$\tilde{\Theta}(t+k-1), \dots, \tilde{\Theta}(t)$$

Introduce

$$z(t) \triangleq [\tilde{\Theta}^T(t+k-1) \dots \tilde{\Theta}^T(t)]^T$$

$$V_\Theta(z(t)) \triangleq \|z(t)\|^2 = z^T(t) z(t)$$

\Rightarrow

$$V_\Theta(z(t+1)) - V_\Theta(z(t)) =$$

$$= -2\gamma \|\tilde{\Theta}(t)\|^2 \cos^2 \alpha(t)$$

α - angle between $\varphi, \tilde{\Theta}$

Standard proof of parameter convergence

X

ERROR DYNAMICS

More difficult?

Control object

u, y, x

Regulator

u, y

Regression vectors

φ

IDEA #1

Relate all of them to $\xi(t)$?

$$u(t) = A^x(\varphi^t) \xi(t)$$

$$y(t) = B_1^x(\varphi^t) \xi(t)$$

$$x(t) = [x_1(t) \dots x_n(t)]^T$$

$$\text{where } x_i(t) = \xi(t-i)$$

$$\varphi(t) = [u(t-1) \dots u(t-k+1) y(t) \dots]^T \\ = M x(t)$$

How does $\xi(t)$ develop?

$$\xi(t) = \dots = \frac{1}{T_1^x A_m^x B_2^x} [-\tilde{\Theta}^T(t) \varphi(t)]$$

State-space formulation

$$x(t+1) = F x(t) + G (-\tilde{\Theta}^T(t) \varphi(t))$$

Remember that

$$\varphi = M x$$

State-space representation

$$x_i(t) \triangleq \xi(t-i)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1(t+1) \\ \vdots \\ x_n(t+1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1 & \dots & -a_{n_A} \\ 1 & & \\ 0 & \ddots & \\ \vdots & \ddots & \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ \vdots \\ x_{n_A}(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u(t)$$

$$y_1(t) = [0 \dots 0 \ b_0 \ b_0 b_1 \dots] x(t)$$

Controllable canonical form

X

Direct adaptive control
reparametrization of $\xi(t)$

$$\begin{aligned} \xi &= \frac{R^x A^x + S^x B^x}{T_1^x A_m^x B_2^x} \xi = \\ &= \frac{1}{T_1^x A_m^x B_2^x} [u + \Theta^T \varphi] \\ &= \frac{1}{T_1^x A_m^x B_2^x} [-\tilde{\Theta}^T(t) \varphi(t)] \end{aligned}$$

State-space formulation

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1(t+1) \\ \vdots \\ x_n(t+1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -p_1 & \dots & -p_{n_p} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 1 & & & & & \\ 0 & & & & & \\ \vdots & & & & & \\ 0 & & & & & \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ \vdots \\ x_{n_p}(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} [-\tilde{\Theta}(t)] \xi$$

$$T_1^x A_m^x B_2^x = 1 + p_1 q^{-1} + \dots + p_{n_p} q^{-n_p}$$

$$x(t+1) = F x(t) + G (-\tilde{\Theta}^T(t) \varphi(t))$$

X

A STATE VECTOR

Parameter errors

$$z(t) = [\tilde{\Theta}^T(t+k-1) \dots \tilde{\Theta}^T(t)]^T$$

Error dynamics, regulator etc

$$x(t) = [\xi(t-1) \dots \xi(t-n)]^T$$

$$\Sigma(t) = [z^T(t) \ x^T(t)]^T$$

$$\Sigma(t+1) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & I & 0 \\ I & C & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ \vdots & & & I & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & F \end{bmatrix} \Sigma(t) + \begin{bmatrix} L(\Sigma(t)) \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ G \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L[\Sigma(t)] = \gamma(\varphi(t)) b_0 \varphi(t)$$

$$v[\Sigma(t)] = -\tilde{\Theta}^T(t) \varphi(t)$$

$$V_x(x(t)) = \ln[1 + \|Qx(t)\|^2]$$

$$V_x(x(t+1)) - V_x(x(t)) \leq$$

$$\leq \gamma_x \|\tilde{\Theta}(t)\|^2 \cos^2 \alpha(t)$$

α - angle between $\tilde{\Theta}$ and φ

Matching with

$$V_\Theta(z(t)) = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \|\tilde{\Theta}(t+i)\|^2$$

gives

$$V[\Sigma(t)] = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \|\tilde{\Theta}(t+i)\|^2 + K \ln[1 + \|Qx\|^2]$$

Lyapunov function

We have a linear system with

$$v[\Sigma(t)] = -\tilde{\Theta}^T(t) \varphi(t)$$

as a formal input \vec{v}

v is bilinear in state vector components?

IDEA # 2

A logarithmic function would dissolve the bilinear product

$$V_x(x(t)) \triangleq \ln[1 + x^T(t) Q^T Q x(t)]$$

Q - weighting matrix

$$V[\Sigma(t)] = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \|\tilde{\Theta}(t+i)\|^2 + \ln[1 + \|Qx\|^2]$$

$$V[\Sigma(t+1)] - V[\Sigma(t)] \leq$$

$$\leq -\gamma_v \|\tilde{\Theta}(t)\|^2 \cos^2 \alpha(t)$$

Conclusions - Stability

- Stability in the sense of Lyapunov
- Hard bound on output error from
 $\|Qx(t)\|^2 \leq e^{V[\Sigma(t)]}$
- No assumptions on persistent excitation

CONVERGENCE

- $\hat{\theta}(t), \hat{\theta}(t-1), \dots, \hat{\theta}(t-k+1)$
do not necessarily converge to θ

$$\circ \|x\| \rightarrow 0$$

Assume

$$\hat{\theta}(t) = \hat{\theta}(t-k) + \frac{1}{\beta_0 \|p(t-k)\|^2} \varphi(t-k) e_p(t)$$

for all $\|\varphi\| \neq 0$. Then

Theorem 2

$$\sup \|Qx(t)\|^2 \leq C(t_0) e^{-\delta(t-t_0)} \\ V[\Sigma(t_0)] < C_0$$

with

$$C(t_0) = \exp [C_0/\kappa]$$

$$\delta \in (0, 1)$$

RESTRICTIONS

- Regulators only
- Only well damped closed-loop poles

$$T_A^* A_M^* B_R^* = 1 + p_1 q^{-1} + \dots + p_n q^{-n_p}$$

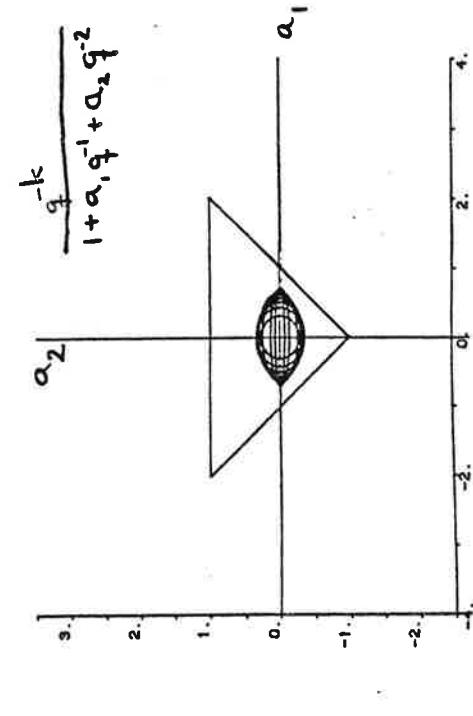
$$\|Q^{-1}P\| < \frac{1}{2} [1 - \rho^2]$$

$$\square \quad \hat{\theta}(t) = \hat{\theta}(t-k) + \frac{1}{\beta_0 \|p(t-k)\|^2} \varphi(t-k) e_p(t)$$

↑
may become large

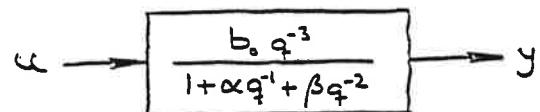
- Prior knowledge of
 - k - time delay
 - β_0 - estimation of gain

$$0 < \frac{\beta_0}{\beta_0} < 2$$



(Ex.:

Example



Develop an adaptive dead-beat control strategy

$$R^* A^* + S^* B^* = 1$$

$$\begin{cases} A^*(q^{-1}) = 1 + \alpha q^{-1} + \beta q^{-2} \\ B^*(q^{-1}) = b_0 q^{-3} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} R^*(q^{-1}) = 1 + r_1 q^{-1} + r_2 q^{-2} \\ S^*(q^{-1}) = s_0 + s_1 q^{-1} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = b_0 q^{-3} [u + \Theta^T \varphi]$$

$$\left\{ \Theta = [r_1 \ r_2 \ s_0 \ s_1]^T \right.$$

$$\left. \varphi(t) = [u(t-1) \ u(t-2) \ y(t) \ y(t-1)] \right\}$$

$$\begin{cases} u(t) = A^x(q^{-1}) \xi(t) = [1 + \alpha q^{-1} + \beta q^{-2}] \xi(t) \\ y(t) = B^x(q^{-1}) \xi(t) = b_0 q^{-3} \xi(t) \end{cases}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} u(t-1) \\ u(t-2) \\ y(t) \\ y(t-1) \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \alpha & \beta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \alpha & \beta \\ 0 & 0 & b_0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b_0 \end{bmatrix}}_{M_i} \begin{bmatrix} \xi(t-1) \\ \xi(t-2) \\ \xi(t-3) \\ \xi(t-4) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_{\max}(M_i^T M_i) \leq 2(1 + \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + b_0^2)$$

IDENTIFICATION

$$\hat{\Theta}(t) = \hat{\Theta}(t-k) + \frac{1}{\beta_s \|\varphi(t-k)\|^2} \varphi(t-k) e_t(t)$$

$$e_t(t) = y(t) = b_0 q^{-k} (u + \theta^T \varphi)$$

$$= b_0 q^{-k} (-\tilde{\Theta}(t) \varphi(t))$$

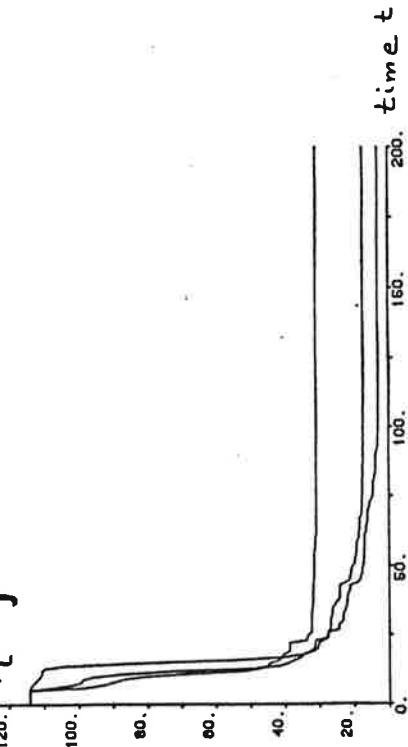
STATE VECTOR

$$[\tilde{\Theta}^T(t+2) \quad \tilde{\Theta}^T(t+1) \quad \tilde{\Theta}^T(t)]^T = z(t)$$

$$V_{\Theta}(z(t)) = z^T(t) z(t) = \sum_{i=0}^2 \|\tilde{\Theta}(t+i)\|^2$$

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Lyapunov functions $x_1=0.1$, $x_2=0.5$, $x_3=1.0$

$$\sqrt{V(z)}$$



$$x(t) = [\xi(t-1) \dots \xi(t-7)]^T$$

$$v_x(x(t)) = \ln [1 + \|Qx(t)\|^2] =$$

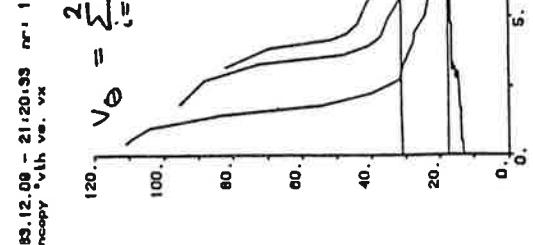
$$= \ln [1 + \sum_{i=1}^7 \xi^2(t-i) \rho^{2(i-1)}]$$

$$\bar{x}(t) = [\tilde{\Theta}^T(t+2) \dots \tilde{\Theta}^T(t) \ x^T(t)]^T$$

$$V(\bar{x}(t)) = \sum_{i=0}^2 \|\tilde{\Theta}(t+i)\|^2 +$$

$$+ (n [1 + \|Qx(t)\|^2])$$

$$V_{\Theta} = \sum_{i=0}^2 \|\tilde{\Theta}(t+i)\|^2$$



$$\rho = 0.99$$

CONCLUSIONS

- Global stability in the sense of Lyapunov
- Exponential convergence of error (globally)
- What remains?

Include reference value

LS - identification

Include noise and disturbances

Instrumental variable methods for systems operating in closed loop with application to adaptive control

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Instrumental variable methods are normally designed for systems operating in open loop. The reason is that the instruments are typically computed by filtering the input signal. Such an approach does not work if the system operates under feedback control, since then the instruments and disturbances becomes correlated. However, if there is a measurable setpoint (which anyhow is a modest identifiability condition) then this signal can be used for constructions of instruments. Some ways to achieve this are described.

Recent theory of instrumental variable methods show that the estimates are asymptotically Gaussian distributed. The instruments and data prefilters influence the covariance matrix of the estimates. They can in particular be chosen so that an optimal accuracy is obtained. This result is extended to the case of closed loop operation. A key part is then to use the "noisefree" part of the input and the output, i.e. the part that depends of the setpoint but not on the disturbances. The optimal instruments are easily computed once these noisefree signals (or consistent estimates thereof) and the noise correlation properties are known.

An optimal IV method can also be designed on a minimax basis. Minimization is then with respect to the instruments and maximization with respect to the disturbance properties. Also this IV variant is closely related to the noisefree input and output data.

It is further discussed how the above results for a time invariant feedback can be used for design of adaptive control system. Some few numerical simulated examples are also presented.

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INSTRUMENTAL VARIABLE METHODS FOR CLOSED LOOP SYSTEMS

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MOTIVATIONS

- INSTRUMENTAL VARIABLE METHODS GIVE CONSISTENCY IN PRESENCE OF "ARBITRARY" DISTURBANCES
- POTENTIALLY USEFUL FOR INDIRECT ADAPTIVE CONTROL
 - RECURSIVE IMPLEMENTATION EASY
 - QUICK CONVERGENCE
 - FEW PARAMETERS

BASIC NOTATIONS

SYSTEM (S)

$$A_0(q^{-1})y(t) = B_0(q^{-1})u(t) + v(t)$$

$$v(t) = H(q^{-1})e(t) \quad Ee(t)e(s) = \lambda^2 \delta_{t,s}$$

$$y(t) = \phi^T(t)\theta_0 + v(t)$$

MODEL (M)

$$A(q^{-1})y(t) = B(q^{-1})u(t)$$

$$y(t) = \phi^T(t)\theta$$

EXPERIMENTAL CONDITION (X)

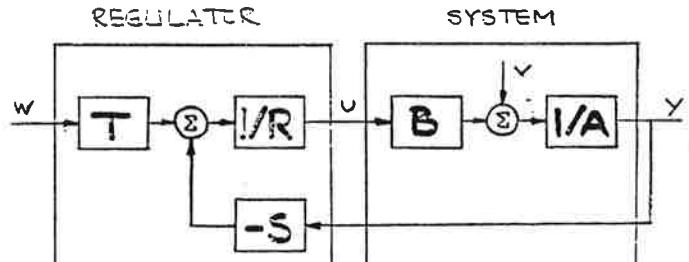
$$R(q^{-1})u(t) = -S(q^{-1})y(t) + T(q^{-1})w(t)$$

w(t) SETPOINT

A_0, B_0, A, B, R, S, T POLYNOMIALS IN q^{-1}

H RATIONAL FUNCTION IN q^{-1}

$$\phi(t) = [-y(t-1) \dots -y(t-na) \ u(t-1) \dots u(t-nb)]^T$$



CONSISTENCY ANALYSIS

$$\hat{\theta} - \theta_0 = \left[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{t=1}^N z(t) F(q^{-1}) \phi^T(t) \right]^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{t=1}^N z(t) F(q^{-1}) v(t) \right]$$

IV METHOD

$$\hat{\theta} = \left[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{t=1}^N z(t) F(q^{-1}) \phi^T(t) \right]^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{t=1}^N z(t) F(q^{-1}) y(t) \right]$$

• $z(t)$ VECTOR OF INSTRUMENTS

• $F(q^{-1})$ (SCALAR) PREFILTER

CONDITIONS

① i) $R \triangleq E z(t) F(q^{-1}) \phi^T(t)$

NON SINGULAR

② ii) $0 = E z(t) F(q^{-1}) v(t)$

ASSUME

③ i) $z(t), v(s)$ INDEPENDENT

FOR ALL t AND s

③ ii) $w(t)$ PERSISTENTLY EXCITING

EXAMPLES

1) $z(t) = [w(t-1) \dots w(t-na-nb)]^T$

$$F(q^{-1}) = 1$$

2) $z(t) = [K_1(q^{-1})w(t) \dots K_{na+nb}(q^{-1})w(t)]^T$

ACCURACY

$$\sqrt{N(\hat{\theta} - \theta_0)} \xrightarrow{\text{DIST}} N(0, P_{IV})$$

$$P_{IV} = \Lambda^2 R^{-1} S R^{-T}$$

$$S = E[F(q^{-1}) H(q^{-1}) z(t)][F(q^{-1}) H(q^{-1}) z(t)]^T$$

OPTIMAL COVARIANCE MATRIX

$$P_{IV} \geq P_{IV}^{OPT} = [EH^{-1}(q^{-T})\tilde{\varphi}(t)I][H^{-1}(q^{-1})\tilde{\varphi}(t)]^T$$

$$\tilde{\varphi}(t) = [-\tilde{y}(t-1) \dots -\tilde{y}(t-n_1) \quad \tilde{u}(t-1) \dots \tilde{u}(t-n_2)]^T$$

$\tilde{\varphi}(t)$ DISTURBANCE FREE PART OF $\varphi(t)$

$$\tilde{\varphi}(t) = E[\varphi(t)[w(t-1), w(t-2) \dots]$$

$$y(t) = \frac{B(q^{-T})^T(q^{-T})}{A(q^{-T})R(q^{-T}) + B(q^{-T})S(q^{-T})} w(t) +$$

$\longleftrightarrow \tilde{y}(t) \longleftrightarrow$

$$+ \frac{R(q^{-T})}{A(q^{-T})R(q^{-T}) + B(q^{-T})S(q^{-T})} v(t)$$

OPTIMAL IV METHODS

CASE 1: MINIMAL COVARIANCE MATRIX

$$z(t) = H^{-1}(q^{-1})\tilde{\varphi}(t)$$

$$F(q^{-1}) = H^{-1}(q^{-1})$$

CASE 2: MINIMAX IV METHOD

$$z(t) = \tilde{\varphi}(t) \quad F(q^{-1}) = r$$

SOLUTION TO

MIN	MAX	P_{IV}
$z(t)$	$H(q^{-1})$	
R nonsing		$ H(e^{iw}) \leq \alpha$

EXAMPLE OF OPTIMALITY

$$\text{SYSTEM} \quad y(t) + ay(t-1) = bu(t-1) + e(t) + ae(t-1)$$

REGULATOR (DEADBEAT)

$$u(t) = \frac{a}{b}y(t) + \frac{1}{b}w(t)$$

$$w(t) \text{ WHITE NOISE } Ew^2(t) = \sigma^2$$

EXTENSIONS

MULTIVARIABLE SYSTEMS

nz ≥ nθ (OVERDETERMINED IV EQUATIONS)

$$\text{SYSTEM} \quad y(t) = \Phi^T(t)\theta_0 + v(t)$$

$$v(t) = H(q^{-1})e(t) \quad Ee(t)e^T(s) = \Lambda \delta_{t,s}$$

$$\sqrt{N(\theta - \theta_0)} \xrightarrow{\text{DIST}} N(0, P_{IV})$$

$$P_{IV} \geq P_{IV}^{OPT} = [E[H^{-1}(q^{-1})\tilde{\varphi}^T(t)]^T \Lambda^{-1}[H^{-1}(q^{-1})\tilde{\varphi}^T(t)]]^{-1}$$

EQUALITY FOR

$$nz = nθ \quad z(t) = [\Lambda^{-1}H^{-1}(q^{-1})\tilde{\varphi}^T(t)]^T$$

$$F(q^{-1}) = H^{-T}(q^{-1})$$

CASE 1

$$z(t) = \begin{bmatrix} w(t-1) \\ w(t-2) \end{bmatrix} \quad P_{IV} = \frac{\lambda Z}{\sigma^2} \begin{bmatrix} r+a^2 & a^2 b \\ a^2 b & (1+a^2)b^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

CASE 2

$$\text{OPTIMAL IV} \quad P_{IV} = \frac{\lambda Z}{\sigma^2} \begin{bmatrix} r-a^2 & 0 \\ 0 & b^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

APPLICATION TO ADAPTIVE CONTROL

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ASSUMPTIONS

① POLE ASSIGNMENT DESIGN

CLOSED LOOP CHAR POL $P_o(q^{-1})$

② COVARIANCE OPTIMAL IV

WITH $H(q^{-1})$ DESIGN VARIABLE

$$z(t) = H^{-1}[-\hat{y}(t-1) \dots -\hat{y}(t-na) \hat{u}(t-1) \dots \hat{u}(t-nb)]^T$$

$$\hat{y}(t) = \frac{B_o T}{A_o R + B_o S} w(t)$$

$$\hat{u}(t) = \frac{A_o T}{A_o R + B_o S} w(t)$$

GOAL FOR DESIGN

$$A_o R + B_o S \equiv P_o$$

$$B_o(1) T(1) = P_o(1)$$

APPLICATION TO ADAPTIVE CONTROL

ALGORITHM

① ESTIMATE A AND B BY RECURSIVE IV

② SOLVE $A_t R_t + B_t S_t \equiv P_o$

$$B_t(1) T_t = P_o(1)$$

FOR R_t S_t T_t

③ COMPUTE $u(t)$ FROM

$$R_t(q^{-1}) u(t) = -S_t(q^{-1}) y(t) + T_t w(t)$$

④ COMPUTE $\hat{y}(t)$, $\hat{u}(t)$ FROM

$$\hat{y}(t) = \frac{B_t(q^{-1}) T_t}{P_o(q^{-1})} w(t)$$

$$\hat{u}(t) = \frac{A_t(q^{-1}) T_t}{P_o(q^{-1})} w(t)$$

(ONLY NUMERATORS ARE TIME VARYING!)

⑤ COMPUTE $z(t)$ as

$$z(t) = (1-q^{-1})[-\hat{y}(t-1) \dots -\hat{y}(t-na) \hat{u}(t-1) \dots \hat{u}(t-nb)]^T$$

$$\text{NOTE } H(q^{-1}) = \frac{1}{1-q^{-1}}$$

(DRIFT, ACTION FOR RESET WINDUP)

APPLICATION TO ADAPTIVE CONTROL EXAMPLES

CASE 1

$$S \quad y(t) - 1.9y(t-1) + 0.9y(t-2) = 1.0u(t-1) + 0.5u(t-2)$$

$$H \quad y(t) + a_1 y(t-1) + a_2 y(t-2) = b_1 u(t-1) + b_2 u(t-2)$$

CLOSED LOOP POLES: 0.5, 0, 0

CASE 2

$$S \quad y(t) - 0.8y(t-1) = 1.0u(t-1) + \frac{r}{1-q^{-1}} e(t)$$

$$X_e = 0.05$$

$$H \quad y(t) + a_1 y(t-1) = b_1 u(t-1)$$

CLOSED LOOP POLE: 0

METHOD

$$\bullet I_1 \quad z(t) = [w(t-1) \dots w(t-na-nb)]^T \quad F(q^{-1}) = 1 \quad \text{SIMPLIFIED IV}$$

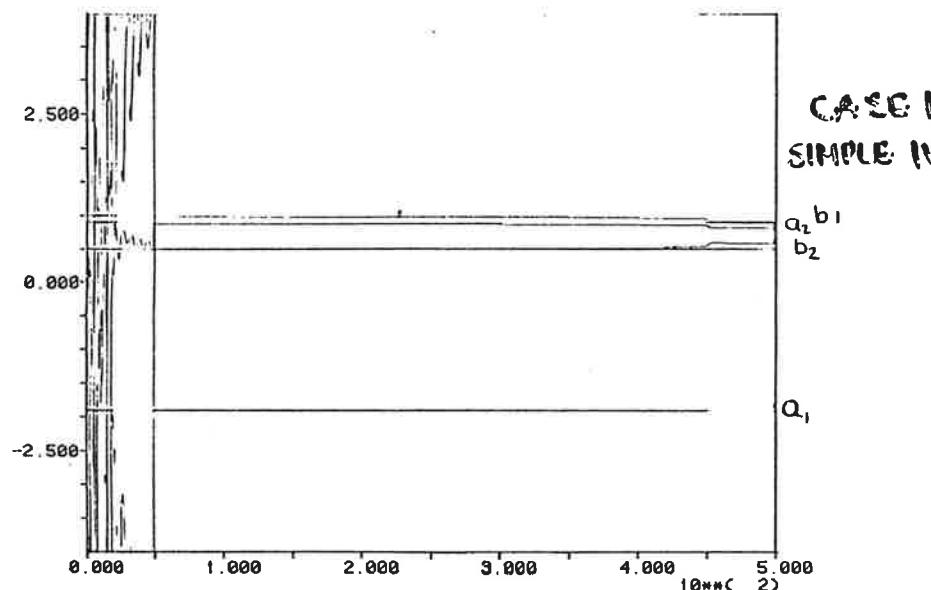
$$\bullet I_2 \quad z(t) = (1-q^{-1}) \hat{y}(t)$$

$$F(q^{-1}) = 1-q^{-1} \quad \text{SIMPLIFIED IV}$$

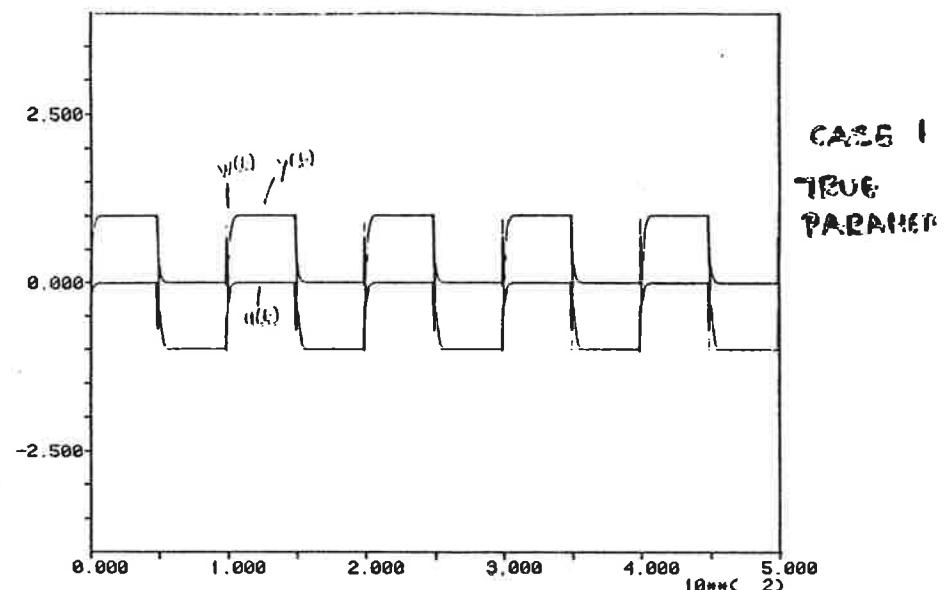
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$$F(q^{-1}) = 1 \quad \text{MIN-MAX IV}$$

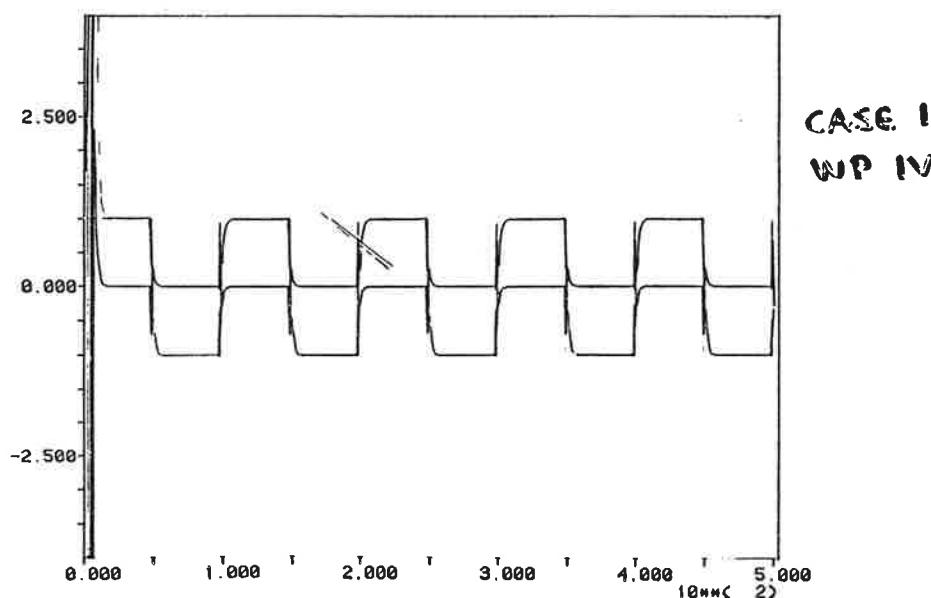
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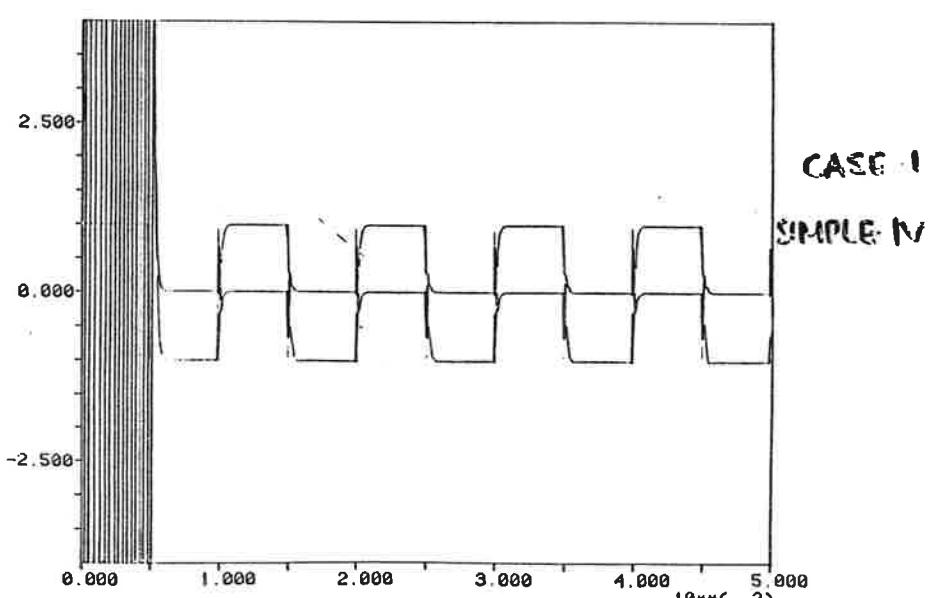
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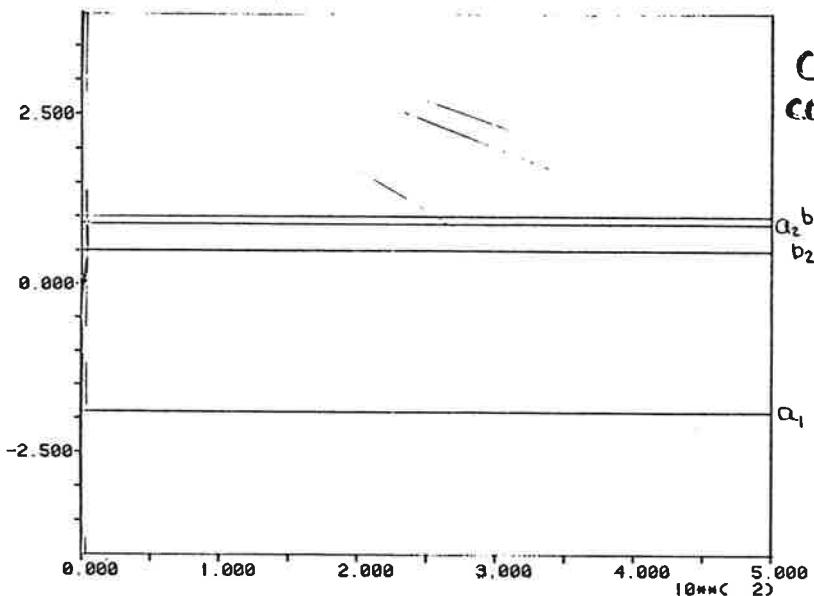
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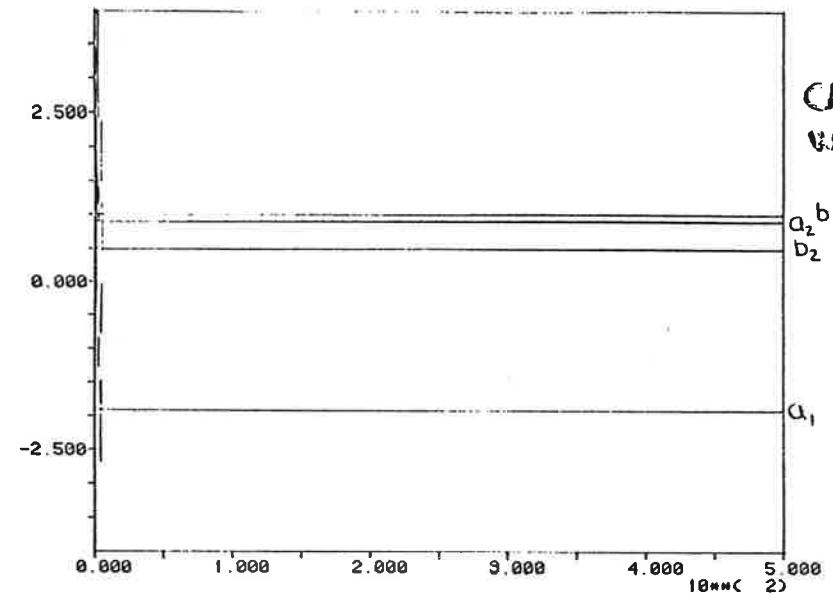


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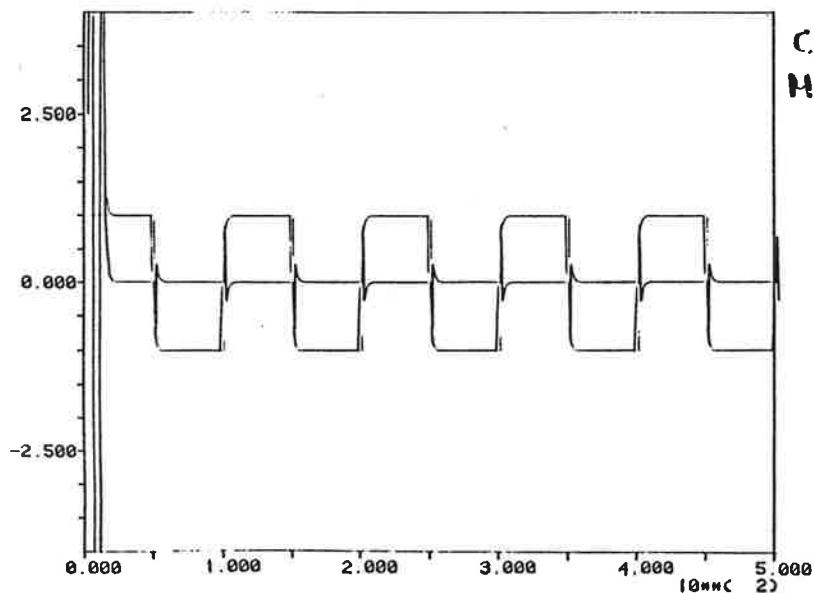
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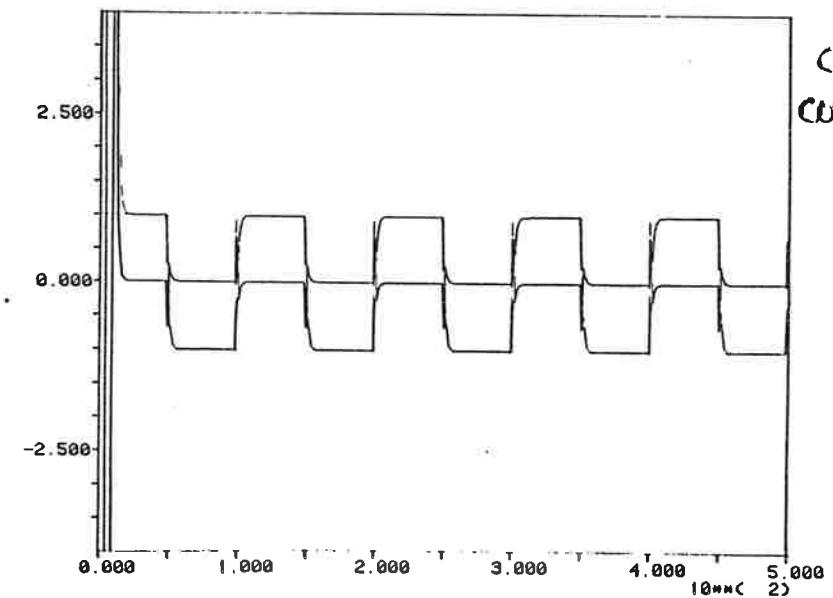
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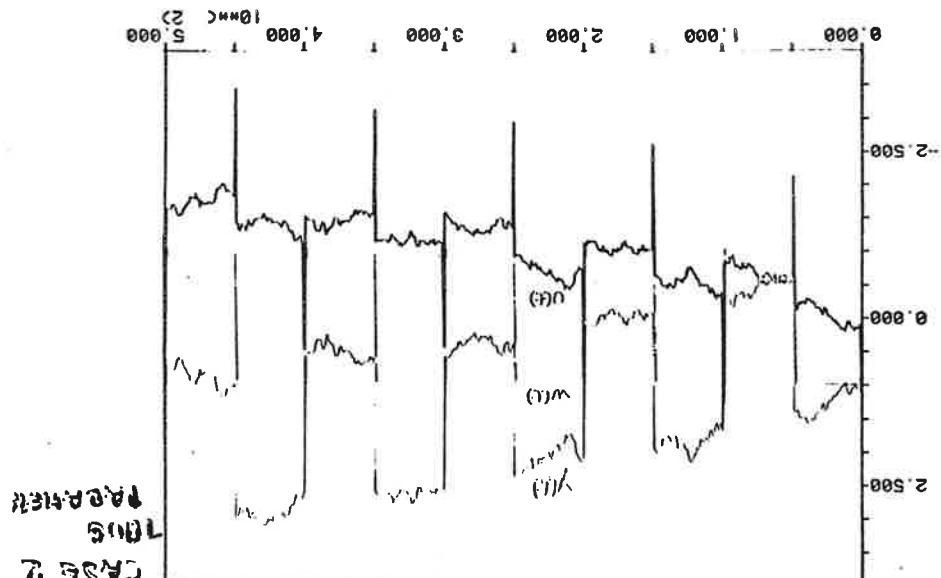


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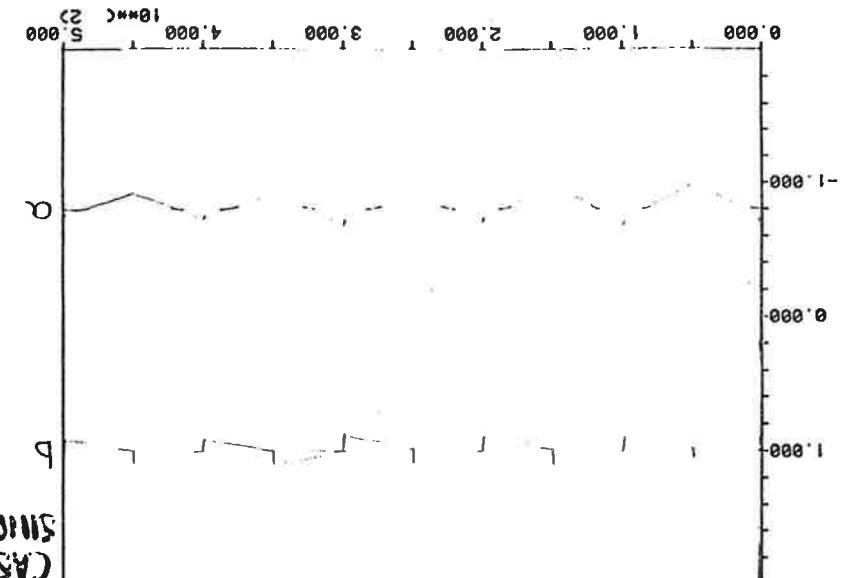
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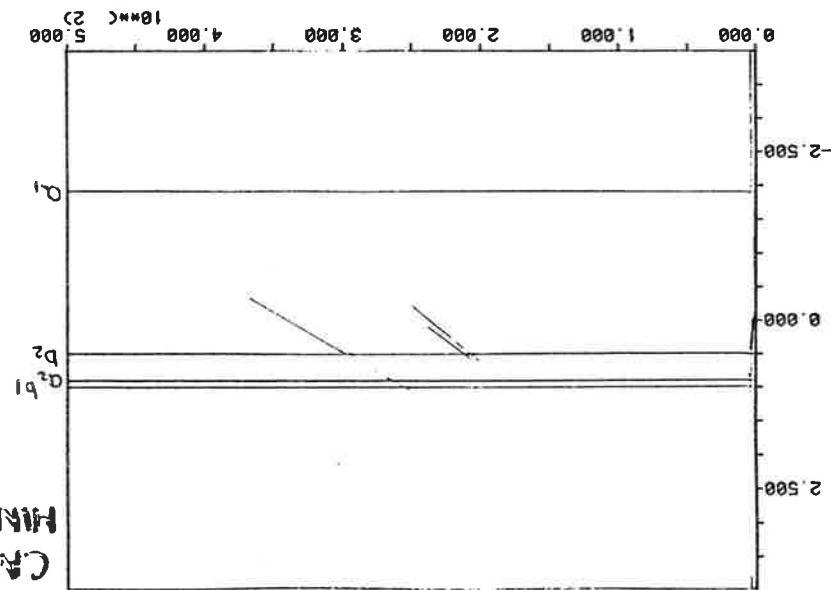


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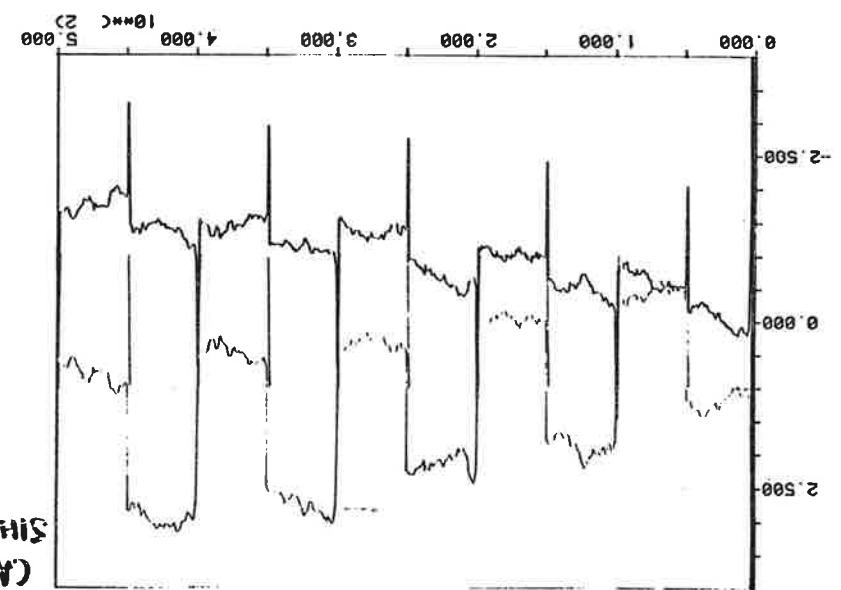


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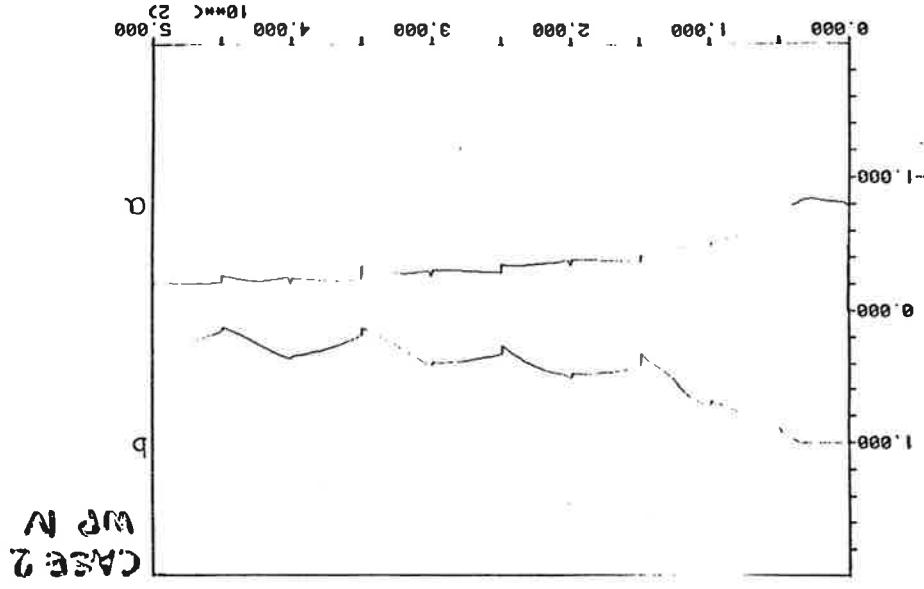


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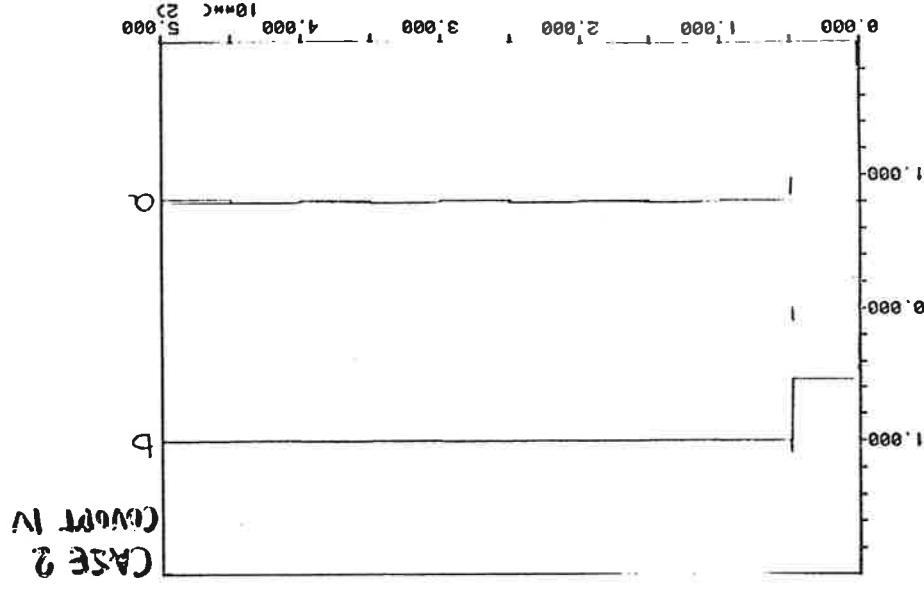


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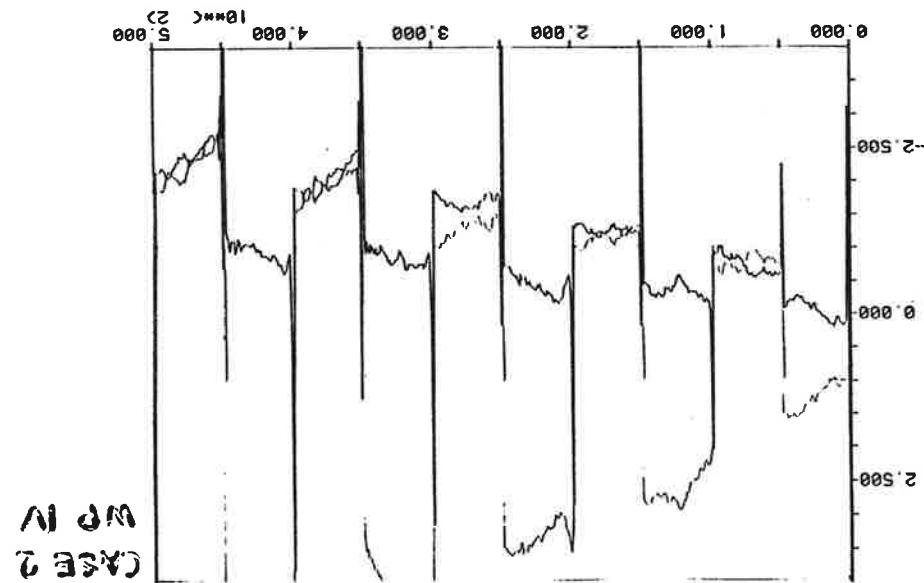
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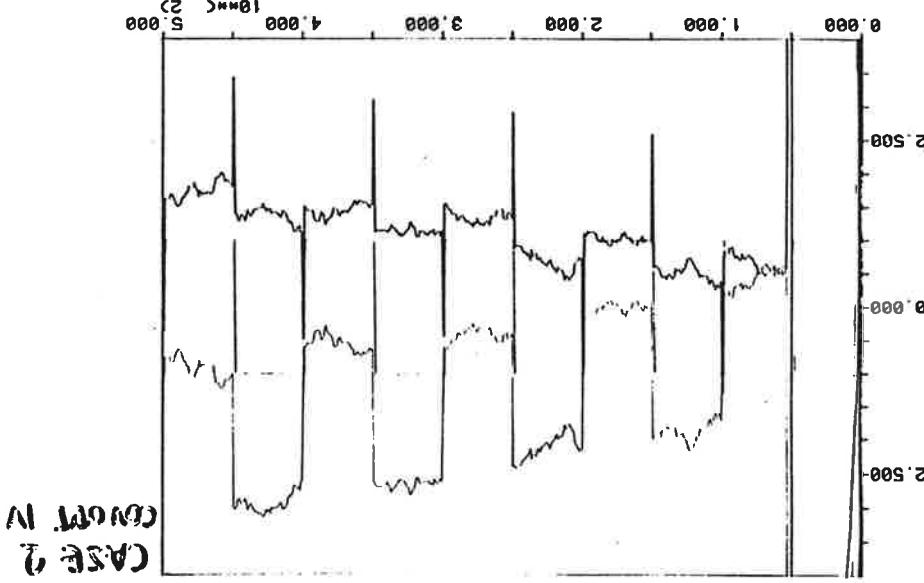
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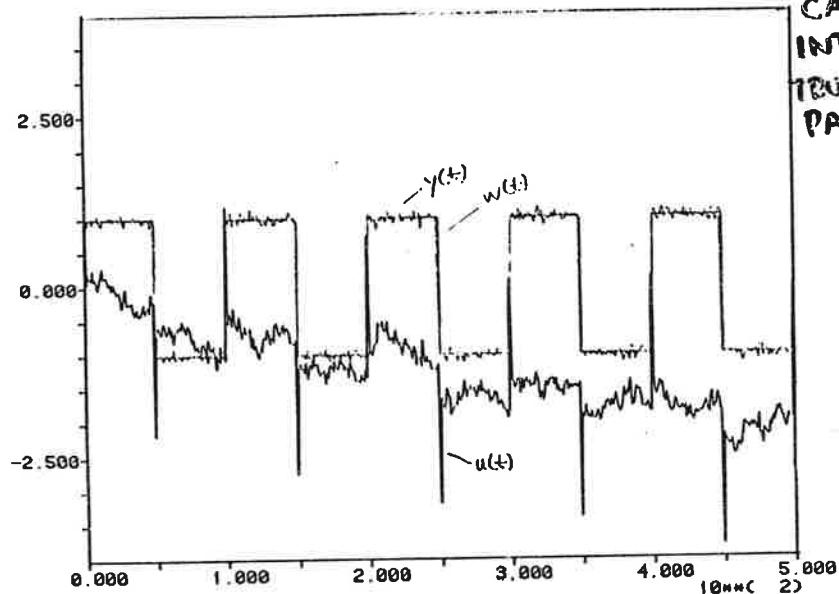


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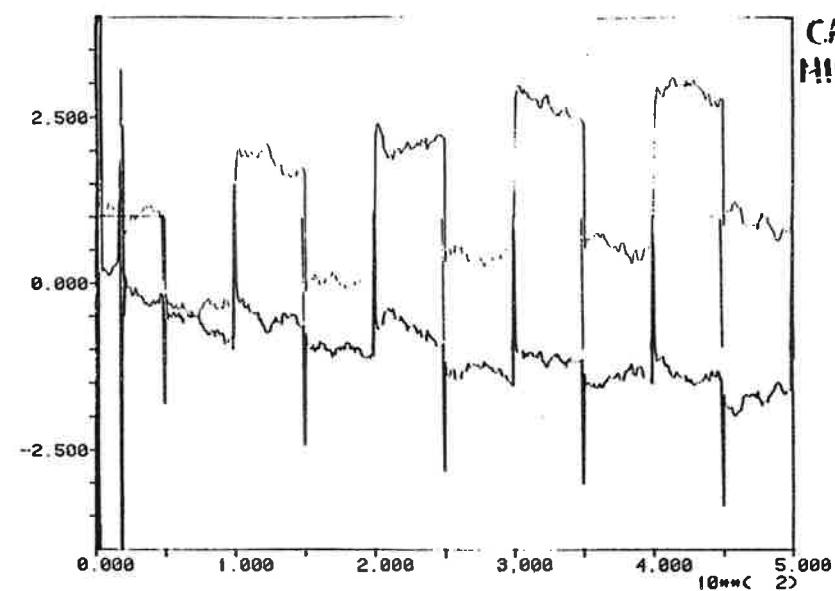
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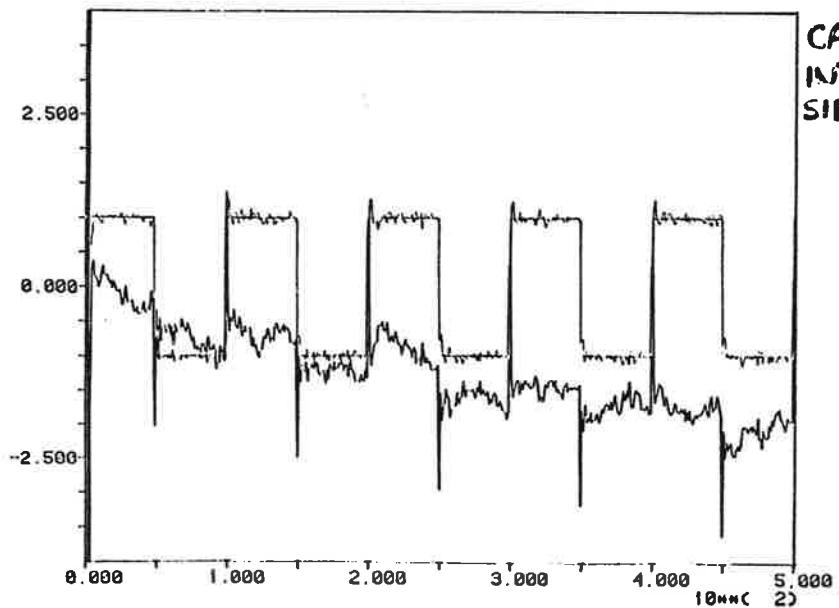
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PARAMETER

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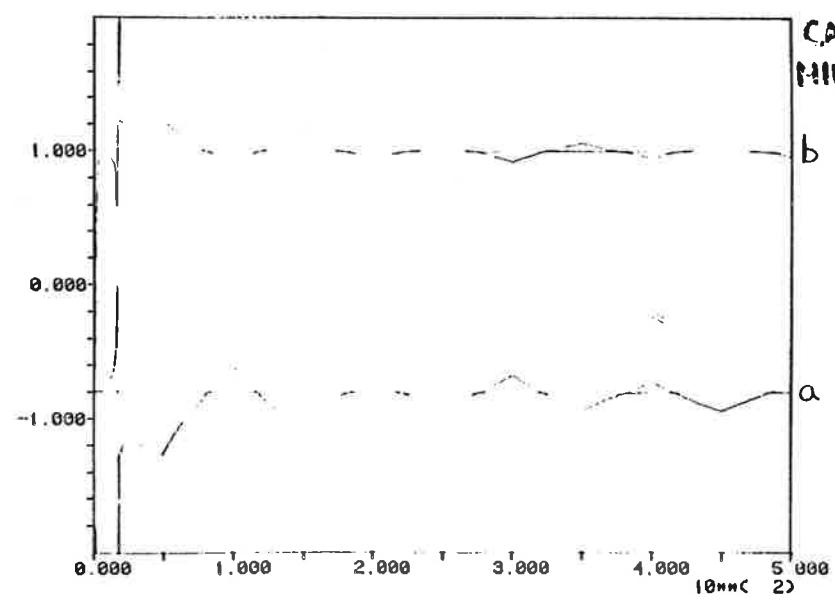
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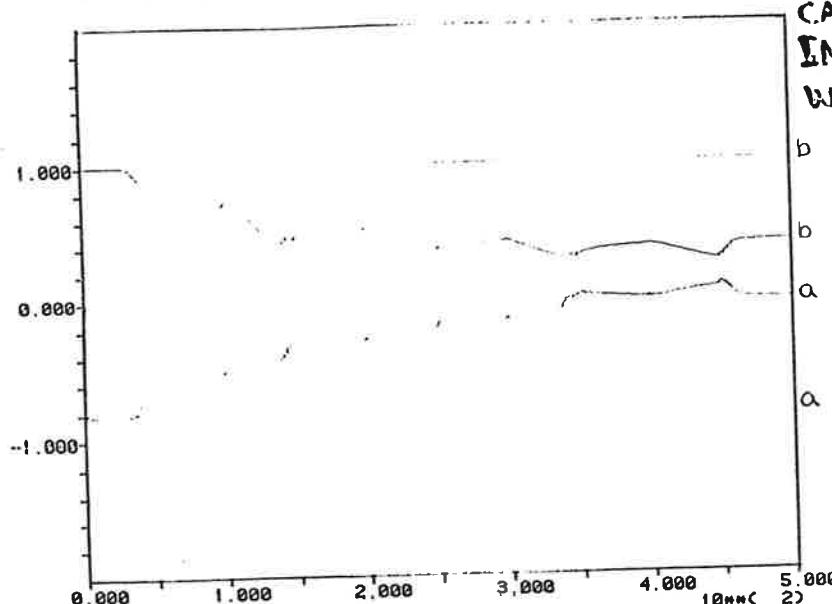
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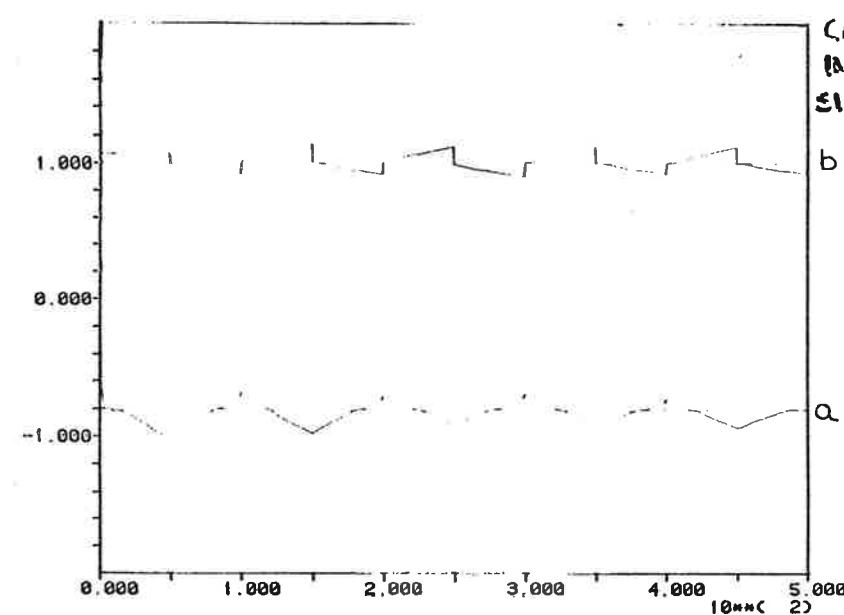
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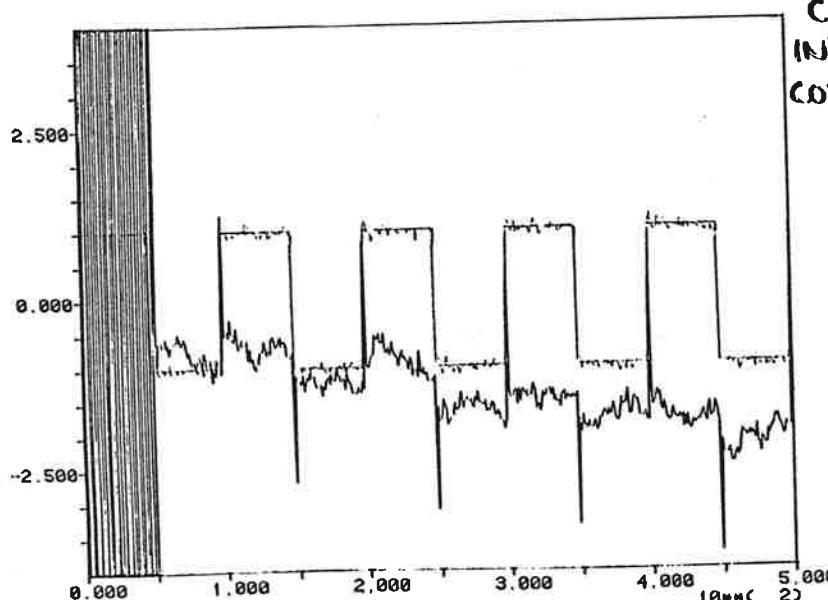
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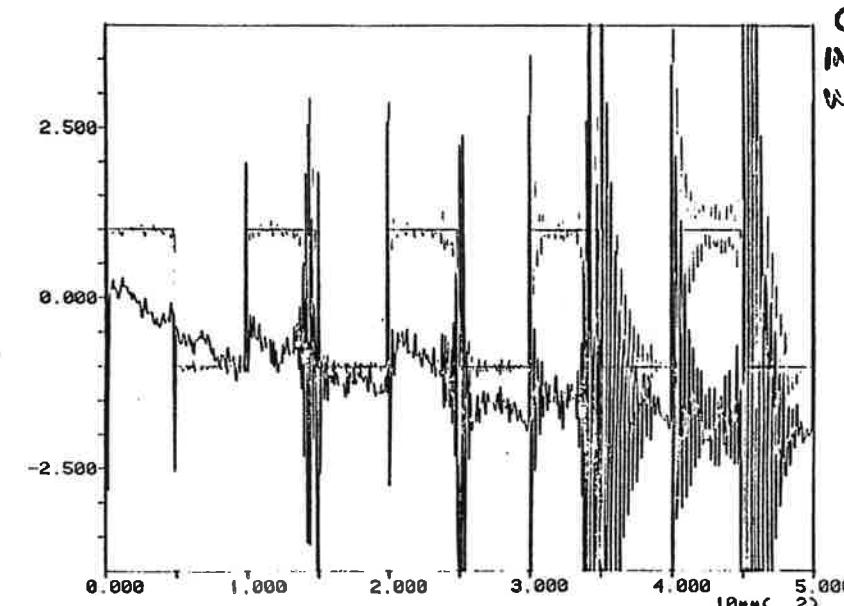
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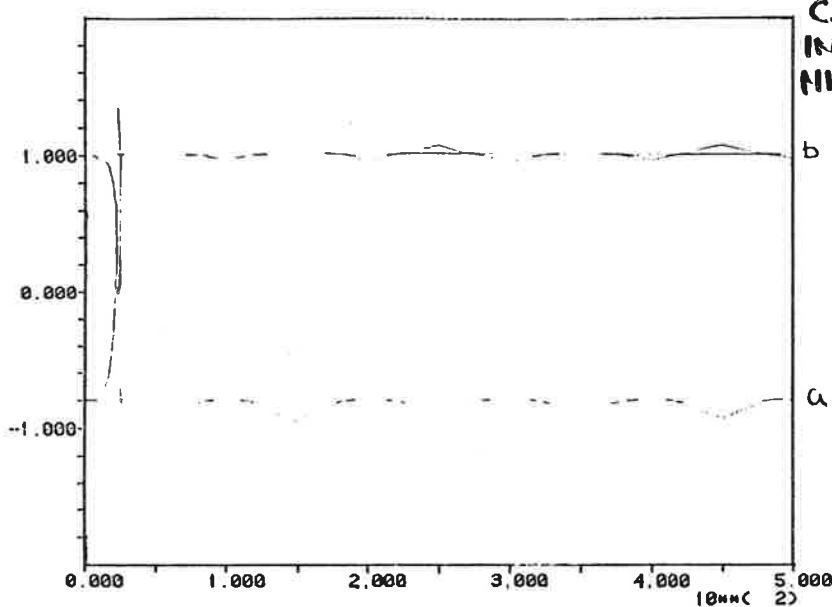
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INT. REG
COVOPT IV

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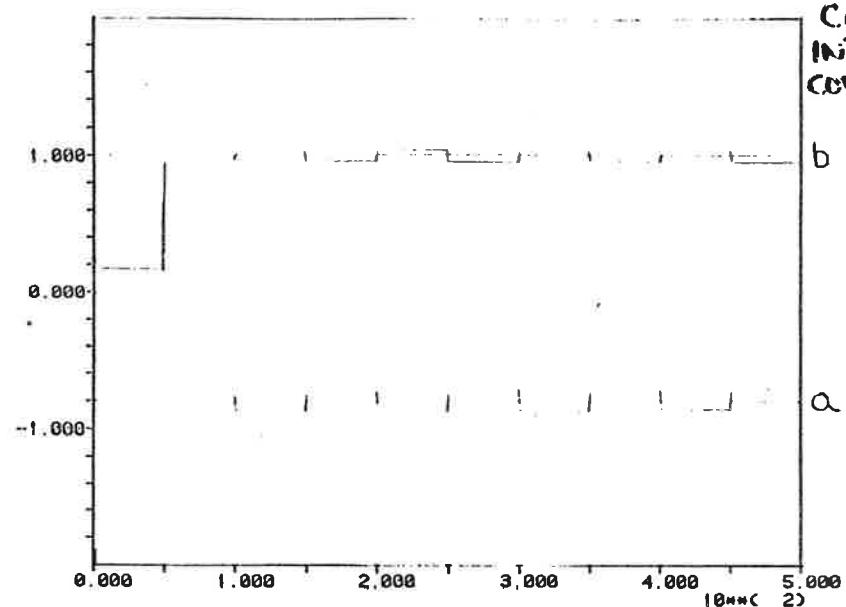
CASE 2
INT. REG
WP IV

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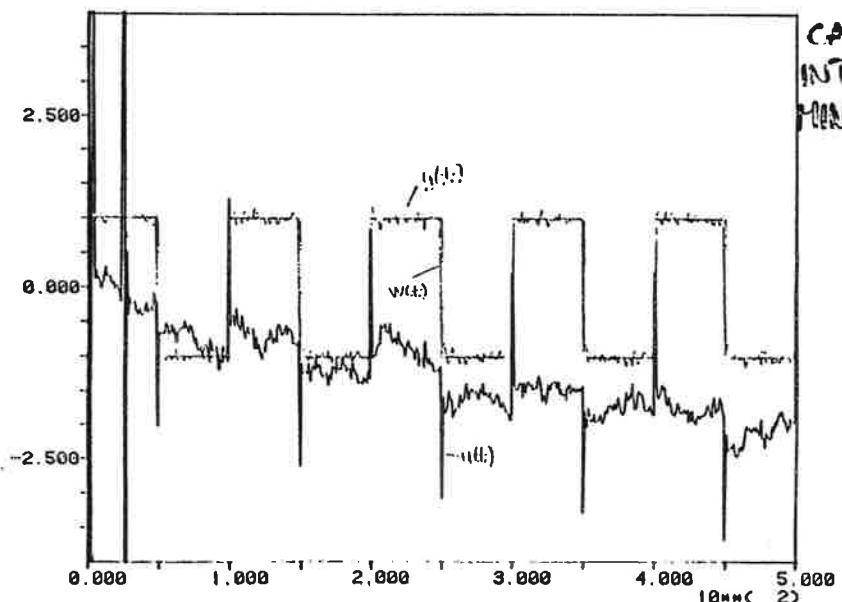
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INT. REG.
MINMAX IV

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CASE 2.
INT. REG.
COUPLT IV

IEX-3 IEST-4 AL= 0.05 ALAMBDA=1.00 P0=10.00 ULIMIT=10.00



CASE 2.
INT. REG.
MINMAX II

CONCLUSIONS

- ① IV METHODS POSSIBLE TO USE IN CLOSED LOOP
- ② CHOICE OF INSTRUMENTS CAN BE IMPORTANT
- ③ OPTIMAL IV METHODS EXIST
- ④ SOME POTENTIAL FOR DESIGN OF ADAPTIVE CONTROL

Adaptive spectral factorization

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Despite the great amount of work in the last ten years on the behaviour of various recursive parameter estimation and self-tuning control schemes the situation is disappointing. though a number of global convergence results are available they usually entail restrictions that amount to knowledge of the true system.

Thus, the positive real condition cannot be checked unless the true system parameters are known. Further, monitoring schemes cannot be properly designed unless the true system parameters are known. Also, even for the globally convergent algorithms, various internal filters are not guaranteed to be stable.

In this work some building blocks for algorithm design are suggested. The Levinson, Burg or Lattice algorithm guarantees stability for autoregressive (AR) models. Wilson's (1969) Newton Raphson scheme for spectral factorization guarantees stability of the spectral factor iterate at each iteration. Finally, general regression enjoys a bounded posterior error power property. The use of these building blocks together with the idea of split recursions is illustrated by developing a number of algorithms for ARMA and ARMAX recursive estimation (no iteration is involved).

One of those schemes (called RF₂) is shown to be globally convergent. This scheme is then used to develop a convergent self-tuning Kalman filter. The algorithm is free of the criticism mentioned above.

Finally, the three tools above are combined to produce a self-tuning LQG controller. It enjoys some stability properties but no convergence proof is available.

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ADAPTIVE SPECTRAL FACTORIZATION

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• REVIEW

1 MODELS

2 RECURSIVE PARAMETER ESTIMATION

3 STABILITY OF ALGORITHMS

4 SPECTRAL FACTORIZATION

• PRESENT

1 FOUR RECURSIVE SCHEMES (SPLIT RECURSIONS)

- 2 ONE CONVERGES GLOBALLY
- 3 A CONVERGENT SELF-TUNING KALMAN FILTER
- 4 USE IN SELF-TUNING CONTROL (LQG)
- 5 A GENERAL MONITORING SCHEME

3

MODELS

($L \equiv z^{-1} \equiv g^{-1}$)

1) ARMA

$$A(z)y_k = D(z)\epsilon_k$$

$$A(z) = 1 + \sum_{i=1}^p z^{-i}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y_k = \Phi_k \theta + \epsilon_k$$

$$\theta' = (a', d')$$

$$\phi_k' = (-y_{k-1}', \epsilon_{k-1}')$$

2) ARMAX OR CARMMA

$$A(z)y_k = b(z)u_k + \epsilon_k$$

3) ARX OR CAR (BUT NOT ARMA)

$$\Delta(z)y_k = b(z)u_k + \epsilon_k$$

4) TFARMA

$$y_k = \frac{b(z)}{A(z)} u_k + \frac{D(z)}{C(z)} \epsilon_k$$

5) FIR OR REGRESSION

$$y_k = b(z)u_k + \epsilon_k$$

RECURSIVE PARAMETER ESTIMATION

$$\theta_{k+1} = F_k \theta_k + P_k \psi_k \epsilon_k$$

LONG MEMORY i.e. GAIN = $P_k \rightarrow 0$

OR RECURSIVE OR SELF-TUNING

SHORT MEMORY i.e. GAIN = $P_k \geq p > 0$

WAYS TO GENERATE GAIN & GRADIENT

(1) PER

NOTE

(2) PLR

SPLIT RECURSIONS

(3) EKF

YOUNG'S

(4) IV

IV-AML

AIMS FOR AN ALGORITHM

STABILITY e.g. ERROR POWER BOUNDED

CONVERGENCE e.g. ERROR POWER \rightarrow INNOVATION'S

EFFICIENCY e.g. CRAMER - RAO QMND

STABILITY PROPERTIES OF SOME
SIGNAL PROCESSING ALGORITHMS

(1) [LEVINSON]

OR BVRG OR LATTICE

ENSURE AR POLYNOMIAL IS STABLE

(2) [WILSON'S] ALGORITHM FOR SPECTRAL FACTORIZATION

$$\text{SOLVE } |D(z)|^2 = \sum_i z_i^2$$

AT EACH ITERATION $D(z)$ IS STABLE

UNTRUE? OF BAUER

(3) [REGRESSION]

ERROR POWER = DATA POWER

DATA y_k REGRESSORS x_k

$$\theta_k = \theta_{k-1} + P_k x_k e_k \quad e_k = y_k - x_k' \theta_{k-1}$$

$$P_k^{-1} = P_{k-1}^{-1} + x_k x_k'$$

$$\eta_k = y_k - x_k' \theta_{k-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim \eta^{-1} \sum \eta_k^2 \leq \lim \eta^{-1} \sum y_k^2$$

PROOF OF STABILITY

PROPERTY OF REGRESSION

$$e_k = \theta_{k-1} + P_k x_k e_k$$

$$e_k = y_k - x_k' \theta_{k-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow P_k^{-1} \theta_k = P_{k-1}^{-1} \theta_{k-1} + x_k y_k = P_{k-1}^{-1} \theta_k + x_k' P_k x_k e_k$$

$$\Rightarrow T_k = \theta_k' P_k \theta_k = T_{k-1} - \theta_{k-1}' x_k y_k - x_k' P_k x_k e_k^2$$

$$= T_{k-1} + (x_k' x_k) y_k^2 + e_k^2 (1 - x_k' P_k x_k)$$

$$+ T_{k-1} + y_k^2 - e_k^2 (1 - x_k' P_k x_k)$$

SUM \Rightarrow

$$T_k + \sum e_k^2 (1 - x_k' P_k x_k) = \sum y_k^2$$

$$\text{BUT } \eta_k = y_k - x_k' \theta_{k-1}$$

$$= y_k - \theta_{k-1}' x_k - x_k' P_k x_k e_k = -x_k' P_k x_k e_k$$

$$\Rightarrow T_k + \sum \frac{\eta_k^2}{1 - x_k' P_k x_k} = \sum \eta_k^2$$

$$\text{BUT } x_k' P_k x_k \leq 1$$

SPECTRAL FACTORIZATION

$$z^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{y_0} ||1 + \sum_i d_i z^i||^2 = 1 + \sum_i b_i z^i + \sum_i h_i z^{-i}$$

EQUIVALENTLY

$$\sqrt{1 + h'(2I - F)^{-1} g} = 1 + m'(2I - F)^{-1} h + m'(2I - F)^{-1} h$$

$$F = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad h = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad m = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad g = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 \\ \vdots \\ d_p \end{bmatrix}$$

STATE SPACE VERSION IS POSITIVE REAL EQUATIONS

$$P = E P E' + g V g'$$

$$g = m - E P h$$

$$V = I - h' P h$$

ALGORITHMIC SOLUTIONS

(a) LINEARLY CONVERGENT (BAUER, . . .)

(b) QUADRATICALLY CONVERGENT (WILSON, HEWER)

OFFLINE SF = LINEAR EIGENVALUE

FREQUENCY DOMAIN = BAUER

$$\delta_s^{(0)} = p_s$$

$$\delta_s^{(1)} = p_s - \sum_{s+1}^p \delta_s^{(j-1)} / \delta_0^{(j-1)} \quad 1 \leq s \leq p$$

$$\delta_0^{(1)} = 1 - \sum_{s=1}^p (\delta_s^{(0)})^2 / \delta_0^{(0)}$$

TIME DOMAIN (STATE SPACE)

$$\hat{P}_{n+1} = F \hat{P}_n F' + g_n V_n^{-1} g_n \quad ; \quad \hat{P}_0 = 0$$

$$g_n = m - E \hat{P}_n h$$

$$V_n = I - h' \hat{P}_n h$$

$$\delta_n(z) = V_n (1 + h'(2I - F)^{-1} g_n V_n^{-1})$$

OFFLINE SF - QUADRATIC SCHEMES

• FREQUENCY DOMAIN (WILSON, 1969)

SOLVE $\frac{\delta_j(z)}{\delta_j(z)} + \frac{\delta_{j+1}(z)}{\delta_j(z)} = \frac{2\sum_p \beta_p z^p}{\delta_j(z) \delta_{j+1}(z)} - 3$

$$\delta_{j+1}(z) = \frac{1}{2} \delta_j(z) + \frac{1}{2} \delta_{j+1}(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow T(\delta_j) \delta_j = 2 \left(\frac{1}{m} \right)$$

$$\delta_{j+1} = \frac{1}{2} \delta_j + \frac{1}{2} \delta_j$$

$$T(z) = \begin{bmatrix} \delta_0 & \delta_1 & \delta_p \\ \delta_1 & \ddots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \delta_0 & \delta_1 & \delta_p \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & \delta_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

• TIME DOMAIN (STATE SPACE) HEWER, 1973

$$\hat{P}_{k+1} = F \hat{P}_k F' + g_k V_k^{-1} g_k' \quad : \hat{P}_0 = 0$$

$$g_k = M - F \hat{P}_k h$$

$$V_k = I - h' \hat{P}_k h$$

$$\delta_k(z) = V_k (I - h'(zI - F)^{-1} g_k V_k^{-1})$$

DERIVATION + PROPERTIES OF WILSON'S ALGORITHM

• GIVEN D_a CHOOSE $D_b = D_a + dD_1 \Rightarrow$

$$|D_b|^2 = |D_a + dD_1|^2 \approx p = \sum_p \beta_p z^p$$

$$\text{SO SET } dD_1 + dD_0 + D_1 D_0 = p$$

$$\Rightarrow dD_1/D_1 + dD_0/D_0 = p/(D_1)^2 - 1$$

• STABILITY

$$\text{BUT } |D_b|^2 = p + |dD_1|^2 \geq |dD_1|^2$$

$$= |D_b - D_1|^2 \quad \text{ON } |z|=1$$

ROUTE $\Rightarrow D_a, D_1$ HAVE SAME

NO. OF ZEROS INSIDE $|z|=1$

• NOTE SET

$$\delta_1/D_1 + \bar{\delta}_1/\bar{D}_1 = p/(D_1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow D_2 = \frac{1}{2} D_1 + \frac{1}{2} \bar{D}_1$$

RHF₁

$$A(z^{-1}) y_k = w_k = O(z^{-1}) e_k$$

(a) IV (= Hankel) ESTIMATION OF ω_k

(b) GENERATE $\hat{\omega}_k = \hat{A}_k(z^{-1}) y_k$

$$\text{UPDATE } \hat{\delta}_{\omega, k}^{(k+1)}(1) = \hat{\delta}_{\omega, k}^{(k)}(1) - \frac{1}{k+1} (\hat{\omega}_{k+1} \hat{\omega}_{k+1} - \hat{\delta}_{\omega, k}^{(k)}(2))$$

DO ONE STEP OF BAKER

$$\hat{\delta}_{\omega, k}^{(k+1)} = \hat{\delta}_{\omega, k}^{(k)}$$

$$\hat{\delta}_{\omega, k+1}^{(k+1)} = \hat{\delta}_{\omega, k}^{(k+1)}(1) - \sum_{j=1}^k \hat{\delta}_{\omega, j}^{(k+1)} \hat{\delta}_{\omega, k-j}^{(k+1)} / \sqrt{k+2}$$

$$\hat{\delta}_{\omega, k}^{(k+1)} = 1 - \sum_{j=1}^k (\hat{\delta}_{\omega, j}^{(k)})^2 / \hat{\delta}_{\omega, k}^{(k+1)}$$

OR STATE SPACE

$$\hat{P}_{k+1} = F \hat{P}_k F' + g_k V_k^{-1} g_k$$

$$g_k = (M_k) - F \hat{P}_k h$$

$$V_k = I - h' \hat{P}_k h$$

RHF₂

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(a) IV (= Hankel) ESTIMATION OF ω_k

(b) GENERATE $\hat{\beta}_k = \hat{A}_k(z^{-1}) y_k$

$$\text{UPDATE } \hat{\delta}_k^{(k+1)}(1)$$

DO ONE STEP OF WILSON

$$\hat{\delta}_k = T(\hat{\delta}_k) [M_k]$$

$$\hat{\delta}_{k+1} = \frac{1}{2} \hat{\delta}_k + \frac{1}{2} \hat{\delta}_k$$

OR HEWER

$$\hat{P}_{k+1} = F \hat{P}_k F' + g_k V_k^{-1} g_k$$

$$g_k = (M_k) - F \hat{P}_k h$$

$$V_k = I - h' \hat{P}_k h$$

TREBLE WITH ON-LINE

 SF_2

RECALL $D_2 = |D_2 - D_1|^2 + \rho$

NEED $\rho > 0$ TO USE ROUCHE

NO GUARANTEE E.G.

$1 + \rho_1 \cos \theta \geq 0 \quad \text{iff} \quad |\rho_1| \leq \frac{1}{2}$

SO USE A MONITORING SCHEME

1) GET $\hat{\delta}_{j+1}$ AND $\hat{\delta}_{j+1} = \frac{1}{2} \hat{\delta}_j + \frac{1}{2} \hat{\delta}_j$

2) STABILITY CHECK OF $\hat{\delta}_{j+1}$

3) IF IT FAILS FORM

$\hat{\rho} = |\hat{\delta}_{j+1}|^2$

AND REDO ONE STEP OF SF_2

THEN $\delta_{j+1} = \frac{1}{2} \delta_j + \frac{1}{2} \hat{\delta}_j$

IS GUARANTEED STABLE

• DOES NOT AFFECT CONVERGENCE

RLF

(a) GIVEN $a_k(z^{-1})$

FORM $\hat{w}_k = (1 + a_k(z^{-1})) y_k$ AND $\hat{w}^{(k)}(l) = 0 \quad l=0 \dots p$

• DO ONE STEP OF BAUER

• DO ONE STEP OF WILSON

GIVES $d_{k+1}(z^{-1})$

(b) WITH $d_{k+1}(z^{-1})$

FORM $\hat{x}_{k+1} = y_{k+1} - d_{k+1}(z^{-1}) \hat{x}_k$

USE LATTICE OR BURG TO

UPDATE AR

GIVES $a_{k+1}(z^{-1})$

• GOOD TRANSIENT PROPERTIES

• CONVERGENCE ?

PROPERTY	AR STABLE	MA STABLE	TRANSIENTS	CONVERGES
RHF ₁				
RMF ₂		✓		✓
RLF ₁	✓			
RLF ₂	✓	✓	✓	

• PARASITICS RLF₂ ✓

• TIME VARYING PARAMETERS

ALL EASILY MODIFIED

ONLY RLF₂ RETAINS PROPERTIES

• GENERAL MONITORING METHOD

SELF TUNING KALMAN FILTER

JUST SLOT RECURSIVE ESTIMATES

OF F_k, V_k, K_k INTO

$\hat{x}_{k+1/k} = F_k \hat{x}_{k/k-1} + K_k \hat{e}_k / N_k$

$\hat{e}_k = y_k - h' \hat{x}_{k/k-1}$

WELL IN SF₁, SF₂

$\hat{K}_k = g_k - a_k; \hat{V}_k = V_k$

$\hat{F}_k = \begin{bmatrix} a_k & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(RECALL COVARIANCE FILTER)

CONVERGENCE $x_{k+1/k} - \hat{x}_{k+1/k} \rightarrow 0$

TEDIOUS BUT STRAIGHTFORWARD

SINCE $K_k \rightarrow g - a = d - a$

ARMAX

$$(1 + \delta(z^{-1})) y_k = b(z^{-1}) u_k + (1 + d(z^{-1})) \epsilon_k$$

USE (IV)H TO GET \hat{a}, \hat{b}

POOR TRANSIENT BEHAVIOUR?

$$\text{SO POWER IN } \hat{U}_k = (1 + \hat{\delta}(z^{-1})) y_k - \hat{b}(z^{-1}) u_k$$

TOO LARGE

• SO ADD R STEP \Rightarrow IVHR

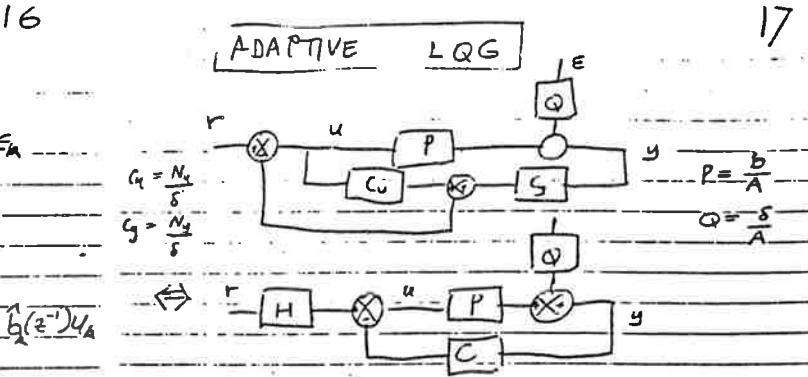
REGRESS y_k ON y_{k-1}, u'_{k-1}

$$s_{ik} = \hat{a}_k(z^{-1}) s_{ik-1} + \hat{b}_k(z^{-1}) u_k$$

• THEN $\hat{w}_k = y_k - \frac{\hat{b}_k(z^{-1})}{1 + \hat{a}_k(z^{-1})} u_k$
HAS BOUNDED POWER

• FORM $\hat{U}_k = (1 + \hat{a}_k(z^{-1})) \hat{w}_k$

AND USE $R F_2$
 $\Rightarrow R_2 H F_2$



$$H = \frac{1}{H G_m} = \frac{s}{s + N_m} = \frac{s}{R}$$

$$C = \frac{c_2}{1 + c_2} = \frac{N_2}{s + N_2} = \frac{s}{R}$$

$$A y = b u + \delta \epsilon$$

$$R u = -S y + H r$$

- ESTIMATE A, b, δ FROM FORWARD LOOP BY IVHRSF₂ (\Rightarrow 6 STAGE)
- SOLVE $G \delta = A R + b S$ FOR $R, -$
- & $|U/G|^2 = |b|^2 + \lambda |A|^2$
- DO ONE STEP OF WILSON FOR C

$$|z|=1 \Leftrightarrow z' = \bar{z}$$

$$\Delta_{t+1}/\Delta_t + \bar{\Delta}_{t+1}/\bar{\Delta}_t = P_{t+1}/(P_t)^2 + 1$$

$$|\Delta_{t+1}|^2 = |\Delta_{t+1} - \Delta_t|^2 + P_{t+1} \geq P_{t+1} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \operatorname{Re}(\Delta_{t+1}/\Delta_t) = 1 + \frac{P_{t+1} P_t}{P_t^2 - |\Delta_t|^2} \geq 1 \leq 1 + P_{t+1}/P_t \quad (3)$$

If $\Delta_t(z)$ HAS NO ZEROES INSIDE $|z|=1$

ROUCHE $\rightarrow \Delta_{t+1}$ DOES NOT $\quad (4)$

$\Rightarrow \Delta_{t+1}/\Delta_t$ ANALYTIC IN $|z| \leq 1$

$\rightarrow \operatorname{Re}(\Delta_{t+1}/\Delta_t)$ IS HARMONIC

\Rightarrow CONSTANT $|z| \leq 1$ OR MAX & MIN. ON $|z|=1$

SO (3) HOLDS $|z| \leq 1$ i.e. FOR $z=x$ REAL

ALSO (4) $\Rightarrow \Delta_t$ HAS CONSTANT SIGN (THE)

$$\Rightarrow \Delta_{t+1}(x)/\Delta_t(x) \leq 1 + k_\epsilon$$

$$\alpha_t = \frac{1}{2} (P_{t+1}/P_t - 1) \rightarrow 0$$

$$\rightarrow \Delta_{t+1}/\Delta_{t+1} \leq \Delta_t/\Delta_t : \pi_t = \pi_t^t (1 + k_\epsilon) > 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_t^2 &= \pi_{t_0}^t (1 + 2\alpha_3 + \alpha_3^2) = \pi_{t_0}^t \left(\frac{P_{t+1}}{P_t} + \alpha_3^2 \right) \\ &= \pi_{t_0}^t \frac{P_{t+1}}{P_t} \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_3^2 P_t}{P_{t+1}} \right) = \frac{P_{t+1}}{P_{t_0}} \pi_{t_0}^t \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_3^2 P_t}{P_{t+1}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$\tilde{\pi}_{t_0}^t$ NON DECREASING

BUT $P_t \rightarrow P \Rightarrow \pi_t \rightarrow \pi$ IF $\tilde{\pi} < \infty$

$$\pi_{t_0}^t \left(1 + \alpha_3^2 P_t / P_{t+1} \right) < \exp \left(\sum_{t_0}^t \alpha_3^2 P_s / P_{s+1} \right)$$

NEED ONLY $\sum \alpha_3^2 < \infty$

$$\alpha_3^2 = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{P_{t+1}}{P_t} - 1 \right)^2 = \frac{(P_{t+1} - P_t)}{4 P_t^2}$$

$$P_{t+1} = P_t + (\xi_{t+1} - P_t)/(s+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_3^2 \leq \frac{1}{2} \frac{\xi_{t+1}^2}{P_t^2 s^2} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{s^2}$$

SO $\sum \alpha_3^2 < \infty$ IF $\sum E(\xi_s^2 / s^2) < \infty$

YES IF $E(\xi_s^2) \rightarrow c$

ADAPTIVE SPECTRAL FACTORIZATION

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Despite the great amount of work in the last ten years on the behavior of various recursive parameter estimation and self-tuning control schemes the situation is disappointing. Though a number of global convergence results are available they usually entail restrictions that amount to knowledge of the true system.

Thus, the positive real condition cannot be checked unless the true system parameters are known. Further, monitoring schemes cannot be properly designed unless the true system parameters are known. Also, even for the globally convergent algorithms, various internal filters are not guaranteed to be stable.

In this work some building blocks for algorithm design are suggested. The Levinson, Burg or Lattice algorithm guarantees stability for autoregressive (AR) models. Wilson's (1969) Newton Raphson scheme for spectral factorization guarantees stability of the spectral factor iterate at each iteration. Finally, general regression enjoys a bounded posterior error power property. The use of these building blocks together with the idea of split recursions is illustrated by developing a number of algorithms for ARMA and ARMAX recursive estimation (no iteration is involved).

One of those schemes (called RF₂) is shown to be globally convergent. This scheme is then used to develop a convergent self-tuning Kalman filter. The algorithm is free of the criticisms mentioned above.

Finally, the three tools above are combined to produce a self-tuning LQG controller. It enjoys some stability properties but no convergence proof is available.

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Frequency domain properties of identified transfer function estimates

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Consider the problem of identifying the transfer function of the system

$$y(t) = G_o(q)u(t) + v(t)$$

where y is output, u is input and v is a stationary disturbance with spectrum $\Phi_v(\omega)$.

The input spectrum is supposed to be $\Phi_u(\omega)$. From data up to time N an estimate $\hat{G}_N(e^{i\omega})$ is formed. One method for this is a k -step ahead prediction error method in a given model set

$$y(t) = G(q, \theta)u(t) + H(q, \theta)e(t),$$

$$\hat{G}_N(e^{i\omega}) = G(e^{i\omega}, \hat{\theta}_N)$$

$$\hat{\theta}_N = \underset{\theta}{\operatorname{argmin}} \sum_{t=1}^N \epsilon_F^2(t, \theta)$$

$$\epsilon_F(t, \theta) = L(q) \epsilon(t, \theta)$$

$$\epsilon(t, \theta) = W^k(q, \theta) [y(t) - G(q, \theta) u(t+kT)]$$

$$H(q, \theta) = \bar{H}_k(q, \theta) + q^{-k} \tilde{H}_k(q, \theta) \quad W^k = H_k H^{-1}$$

Several design variables are involved in this method, like k (the prediction horizon), T (the sampling horizon), H (the noise model) and Φ_u .

Then

$$\hat{G}_N(e^{i\omega}) \rightarrow G^*(e^{i\omega}) \text{ w.p.1 as } N \rightarrow \infty$$

where $G^*(e^{i\omega})$ is "essentially" determined as the closest function to $G_o(e^{i\omega})$ in the model set, as measured in the weighted L_2 -norm (over the frequencies $-\pi/T \leq \omega \leq \pi/T$) with weighting function

$$Q(\omega) = \Phi_u(\omega) \cdot |L(e^{i\omega})|^2 \cdot |W^k(e^{i\omega})|^2$$

This can be used for a more or less formal discussion of optimal choices of design variables.

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FREQUENCY DOMAIN PROPERTIES OF IDENTIFIED TRANSFER FUNCTION ESTIMATES

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PROBLEM:

True system:

$$y(t) = G(q) u(t) + v(t)$$

Observed data:

$$\mathbf{z}^N: u(1), y(1), \dots, u(N), y(N)$$

Model: $\hat{G}_N(q)$

WHAT CAN WE SAY ABOUT

$\hat{G}_N(e^{i\omega}) - G_0(e^{i\omega})$
AS A FUNCTION OF ω ?

1. Bias error & random error
2. k-step ahead prediction error methods
3. conventional analysis Design issues
4. A frequency domain expression for the limiting estimate
5. Choice of u
 l
 k
 T

6. Conclusions

1. BIAS & RANDOM ERRORS

Let

$$G^*(e^{i\omega}) = E[\hat{G}_N(e^{i\omega})] \quad (\text{E w.r.t. } \{v(t)\}^N)$$

$$G^*(e^{i\omega}) - G_0(e^{i\omega}) \quad \text{BIAS}$$

$$\hat{G}_N(e^{i\omega}) - G^*(e^{i\omega}) \quad \text{RANDOM error}$$

$$\hat{G}_N - G_0 = \underbrace{\hat{G}_N - G^*(e^{i\omega})}_{\text{Traditional analysis neglects}} + \underbrace{G^*(e^{i\omega}) - G_0(e^{i\omega})}_{\text{}}$$

"Traditional" analysis neglects

$$\text{Typically: } \sqrt{N}[\hat{G}_N(e^{i\omega}) - G^*(e^{i\omega})] \in \text{AsyN}(0, P(\omega))$$

Expressions for P :

Here, we shall concentrate on bias

2. PREDICTION ERROR METHODS

Choose:

- ① T Sampling interval
- ② $\Phi_u(\omega)$ input spectrum
- ③ Model set $\mathcal{G} = \{G(q, \theta)\}$ $\sum g = Gu + Hv$
- ④ Noise model set $\mathcal{H} = \{H(q, \theta)\}$
- ⑤ Prediction horizon k
- $H = \bar{H}_k + q^{-k} \tilde{H}_k \quad W = \bar{H}_k H^{-1}$
- $\hat{g}(t+kT | t, \theta) = W^k(q, \theta) G(q, \theta) u(t+kT) + (I - W^k) \hat{v}(t+kT | t, \theta)$
- $\hat{v}(t+kT | t, \theta) = W^k(q, \theta) [g(t) - G(q, \theta) u(t+kT)]$
 $(k=1 \Rightarrow W^k = H^{-1})$
- ⑥ Filter $L(q)$
- $E_p(t+kT | t, \theta) = L(q) E(t+kT | t, \theta)$

Then

$$\hat{G}_N = \arg \min_{\hat{G}_N} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{t=1}^N \hat{v}_{tp}^2(t+kT | t, \theta)$$

5 4. THE LIMITING ESTIMATE

3. Design issues

$\hat{G}_N(e^{j\omega})$ depends on all the listed 6 choices.

What are 'optimal' choices of

- noise model
- prediction horizon
- prefilter
- input spectrum
- sampling interval

Traditional analysis: "Optimal" = min. var.

$$\hat{\theta}_N \rightarrow \theta^* = \arg \min E \hat{E}^*(t+k, t, \theta) \quad w.p.$$

$$\Theta^* = \arg \min \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [(G_0 - G(\theta))^T \hat{\Phi}_u \cdot \hat{\Phi}_v] \cdot |L|^2 W_k(\omega) d\omega$$

Fixed noise model $H(\theta) = H^*$ ($W_k(\theta) = W_k^*$)

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta^* &= \arg \min \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |G_0 - G(\theta)|^2 Q(\theta) d\omega \\ &\text{with } Q(\omega) = \hat{\Phi}_u(\omega) |L(e^{j\omega})|^2 |W_k^*(\omega)|^2 \end{aligned}$$

Independently parametrized: $G(\theta) = G(p)$, $H(\theta) = H(p)$

$$\begin{aligned} p^* &= \arg \min \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |G_0 - G(p)|^2 Q(p) d\omega \\ Q(p) &= \hat{\Phi}_u(\omega) |L(e^{jp\omega})|^2 |W_k(p\omega)|^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$p^* = \arg \min \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [(G_0 - G(p))^T \hat{\Phi}_u + \hat{\Phi}_v] |L(e^{jp\omega})|^2 |W_k(p\omega)|^2 d\omega$$

General case:

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta^* &= \arg \min \left[\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |G_0 - G(\theta)|^2 Q(\theta^*) d\omega + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |(G_0 - G(\theta^*))^T \hat{\Phi}_u + \hat{\Phi}_v| |L(e^{j\theta^* \omega})|^2 |W_k(\omega)|^2 d\omega \right] \end{aligned}$$

CONCLUSION:

The weighting function

$$Q(\omega, \theta^*) = \hat{\Phi}_u(\omega) |L(e^{j\omega})|^2 |W_k(\theta, \omega)|^2$$

determines, entirely or partly,
the bias distribution

Formal design problem:

design variables:

$$\mathcal{D} = \{\hat{\Phi}_u(\omega), k, L(p)\}, H^*(p)\}$$

$$\Theta^* = \Theta^*(\mathcal{D})$$

design criterion

$$J(\mathcal{D}) = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |G(\Theta^*(\mathcal{D})) - G_0|^2 G(\omega) d\omega$$

$$\min_{\mathcal{D}} J(\mathcal{D})$$

recall!!:

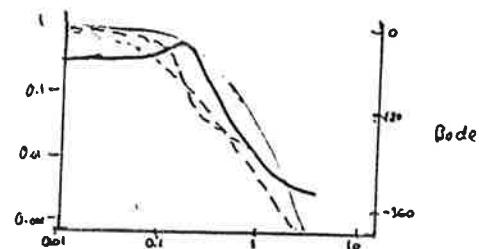
$$\Theta^*(\omega) = \arg \min \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |G(\omega) - G_0|^2 \underbrace{\hat{\Phi}_u(\omega)}_{\mathcal{D}} \cdot |L|^2 |W_k(\omega)|^2 d\omega$$

$$\text{SOLUTION: } D_{\text{opt}} = \underline{\hat{\Phi}_u(\omega) |L(e^{j\omega})|^2 |W_k(e^{j\omega})|^2 \propto C}$$

LEAST SQUARES

System:

$$y(t) = 0.14 y(t-1) + 0.555 y(t-2) - 0.44 y(t-3) + 0.042 y(t-4) = \\ = 0.01 u(t-1) + 0.0074 u(t-2) + 0.000921 u(t-3) - \\ - 0.0000176 u(t-4)$$

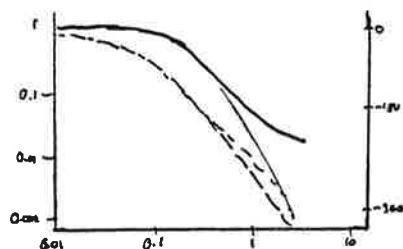
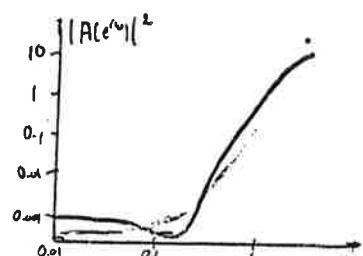
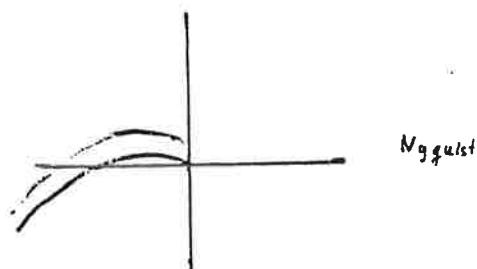
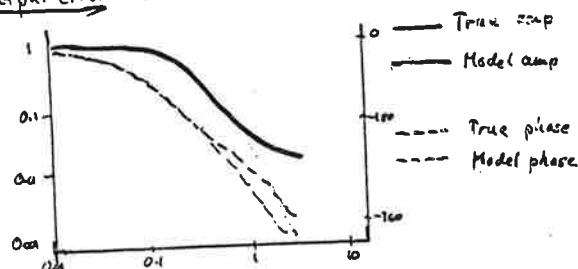


Model:

$$y(t) + a_1 y(t-1) + a_2 y(t-2) = b_1 u(t-1) + b_2 u(t-2)$$

Input: PRBS - white noise

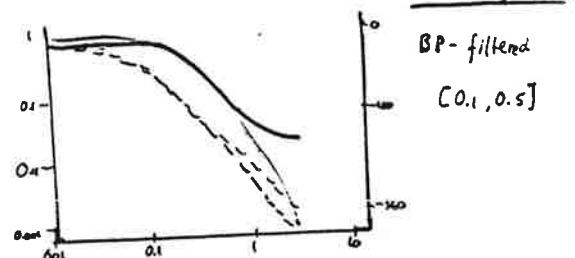
Output error: $H^2 = 1$



LEAST SQUARES

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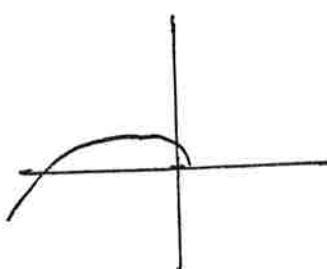
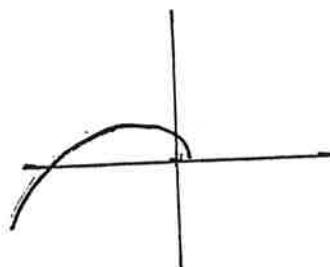
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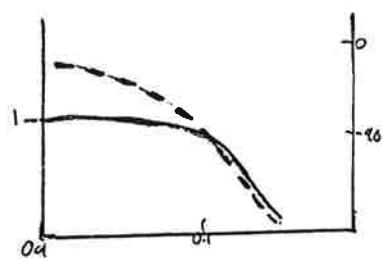


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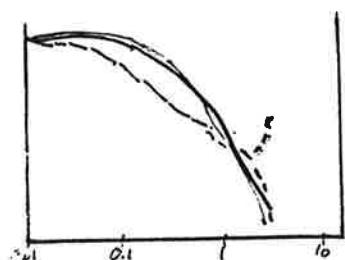
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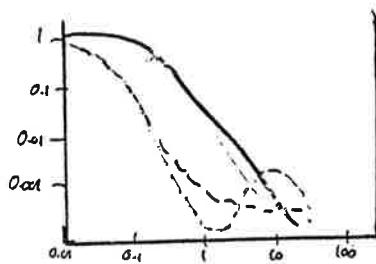




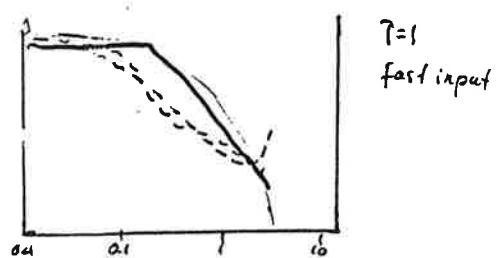
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$T=1$
slow input



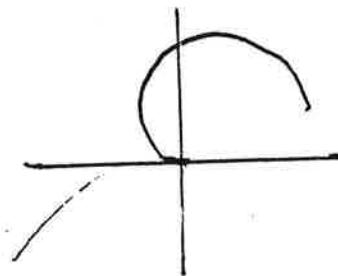
$T=0.1$
slow input



$T=1$
fast input



$T=0.1$
fast input



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CONCLUSION

The bias distribution is determined by a frequency domain weighting function that is influenced by the noise model, the prediction horizon, the prefilter, the input spectrum and the sampling interval

Multi-armed bandits

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Contents

- 1) Bandit process
- 2) Multiarmed
- 3) Index
- 4) Adaption

1. A bandit process is $\{(x(1), F(1)); (x(2), F(2))\dots\}$, where
 $x(s)$ = reward on the s th continuation
 $F(s)$ = σ -field of information after $s-1$ plays.

Ex Coin toss

$x(s) \in \{0,1\}$. $F(0)$ = prior information about success
 $F(s) = F(0) \cup \{x(0)\dots x(s-1)\}$

2. A multiarmed bandit is defined according to

$$\{x^i(s), F^i(s)\} \quad i = 1, \dots, n \quad F^i(\infty) \parallel F^j(\infty) \quad i \neq j$$

$$t - 1 = t^1 + \dots + t^n ; F^1(t^1+1) \cup \dots \cup F^n(t^n+1) = F(t)$$

The control $u(t) \in \{1\dots n\}$
 $u(t)$ is the decision which bandit that shall continue.

$$u(t) = i \longrightarrow \begin{cases} R(t) = x^i(t^i+1) \\ F(t+1) = F(t) \cup F^i(t^i+1) \end{cases}$$

The control $u(t)$ has to maximize the total reward

$$V_\beta(\Pi) = \text{Max } E \sum_{t=1}^{\infty} \beta^t R(t) \quad 0 < \beta < 1$$

β close to zero \rightarrow we want to maximize the reward in the first play(s).

β close to unity \rightarrow all rewards are equally valuable

There is a conflict between getting immediate rewards and learning more about the other bandits.

3. Index of a bandit process $\{x(s), F(s)\}$

$$\nu_\beta(s) = \max_{\tau > 1} \frac{E \left[\sum_{t=s}^{\tau-1} \beta^t x(t) + F(s) \right]}{E \left[\sum_{t=s}^{\tau-1} \beta^t + F(s) \right]} = \frac{\text{Acc. reward}}{\text{"Acc. time"}}$$

τ ranges over the stopping times of $F(s)$. The best policy is to continue the bandit with the largest index (multiarmed case).

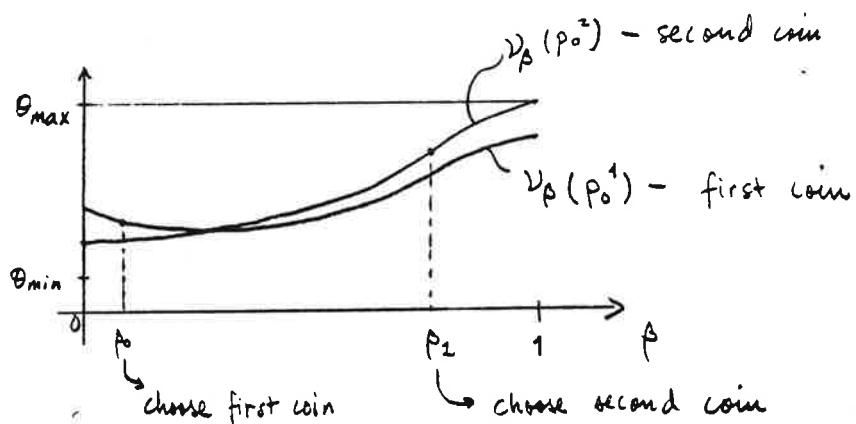
Notice that the calculation of ν_β for a bandit involves only the bandit itself.

Two coins θ_1 and θ_2 .
 Fact about index $\nu_\beta(s) = \nu_\beta(p)$ (distribution of success probability).

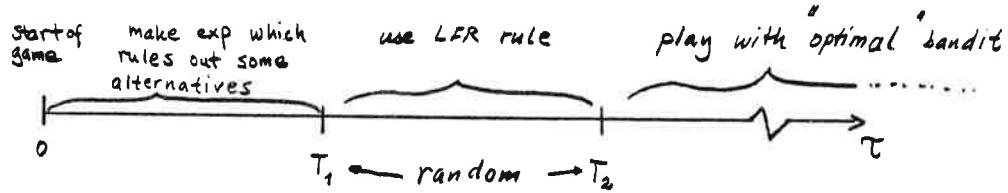
1) Expected reward just now

$$\nu_0(p) = \bar{p} = \exp \text{ of } \theta$$

2) $\nu_1(p) = \max_{p(\theta) > 0} \theta$ (the most favourable possible event)



Optimal solution for $\beta = 1, r \rightarrow \infty$
(infinite horizon problem) [Kelly Am. stat. 1981]



LFR = least failure rule: Try the one that currently looks best. As soon as it fails (no reward), choose another one.

4.

The procedure above constitutes a kind of adaptation.

Unsolved problems: Transient behavior

Length of the first two phases.

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On self-tuning to the optimal controller

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Summary

The question of whether some adaptive controllers automatically tune themselves to the optimal control law is examined.

First we consider an adaptive control law consisting of a Stochastic Approximation (or Stochastic Gradient) parameter estimator followed by a minimum variance control law. Under some conditions it is shown that, see [1,2].

- i) the parameter estimates converge to a random multiple of the true parameter,
- ii) and so the adaptive control law converges to the true minimum variance control law,
- iii) even though the standard persistency of excitation condition is not satisfied.

Next we consider the same parameter estimator followed by a linear quadratic control law. Ljung's O.D.E.'s are examined to show that though the parameter estimates may converge, they will not generally converge to an optimal control law.

In fact, the result for the case of the minimum variance control law rests on a fortuitous mathematical coincidence, and it is unlikely that self-tuning to the optimal will occur for general cost criteria, see [3].

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SELF-TUNING

QUESTION : Does Self-Tuning Take Place?

Will the adaptive controller converge to the optimal controller?

Yes : Adaptive
 Controller
PROOF OF CONVERGENCE

No : OPTIMAL CONTROLLER
GENERAL COST CRITERION

Speculative : Self-Tuning
Result is not possible
in general by straightforward schemes.

SYSTEM

$$y_t = \left[b_0 u_{t-k} + b_1 u_{t-k-1} + \dots + b_{k-1} u_{t-1} + c_0 w_{t-k} + c_1 w_{t-k-1} + \dots + c_{k-1} w_{t-1} \right] + v_t$$

MINIMUM VARIANCE CONTROL LAW

$$u_t = -\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \left[(c_0 + c_1) u_{t-1} + \dots + (c_{k-1} + c_k) u_{t-k} + b_0 u_{t-k-1} + \dots + b_{k-1} u_{t-1} \right]$$

MORE CONVENIENTLY

$$u_t = \left(u_{t-1}, u_{t-2}, \dots, u_{t-k}, u_{t-k-1}, \dots, u_{t-1} \right)^T$$

$$\text{V.C.L. } u_t = u_t \text{ such that } \phi^T u_t = 0$$

ADAPTIVE SCHEME

ESTIMATE : $\hat{\theta}_t$

CONTROL : $\phi^T \hat{\theta}_t = 0$

where ϕ = degree of freedom

ϕ is enough if $\hat{\theta}_t \rightarrow \infty$

STOCHASTIC APPROXIMATION

or STOCHASTIC GRADIENT ALGORITHM

$$\hat{\theta}_{N+1} = \hat{\theta}_N + \frac{1}{\sigma^2} I_N (\hat{y}_{N+1} - \phi^T \hat{\theta}_N)$$

$$\hat{y}_{N+1} = \hat{y}_N + I_{N+1}^\top \phi_{N+1}$$

More convenient

$$\hat{\theta}_{N+1} = \hat{\theta}_N + I_N \left(\frac{\hat{y}_{N+1} - \phi^T \hat{\theta}_N}{\sigma^2} \right)$$

u_N chosen such that $\phi^T \hat{\theta}_N = 0$

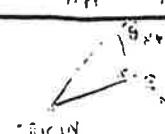
What does such an algorithm do?

$$\hat{\theta}_{N+1} = \hat{\theta}_N + I_N (\text{center})$$

$$\hat{\theta}_{N+1} = \hat{\theta}_N \perp \text{parallel to } \phi$$

$$I_N \perp \text{perpendicular to } \hat{\theta}_N$$

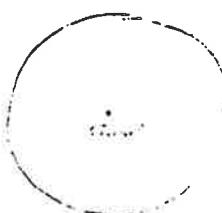
$$\text{Hence } \hat{\theta}_{N+1} = \hat{\theta}_N \perp \hat{\theta}_N$$



$\hat{\theta}_n$ converges to θ^* if $\|\hat{\theta}_n\| \geq \|{\theta}^*\|$

• Hence $\hat{\theta}_n \parallel \hat{\theta}_N$ exist

• $\hat{\theta}_n$ converges to random variable $\hat{\theta}_N$ which



$\hat{\theta}_N$ converges to

$\|\hat{\theta}_N - \theta^*\|^2 = \text{const}$

• $\hat{\theta}_N$ converges

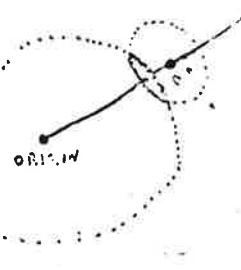
• $\|\hat{\theta}_N - \theta^*\|$ converges

• $\hat{\theta}_N$ converges to random variable $\hat{\theta}_N$ centered at θ^*

ORIGIN

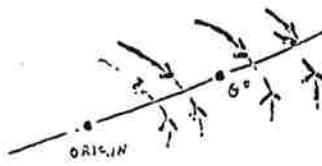
• $\hat{\theta}_N$ converges to hypersphere

• Line and hypersphere do not intersect
except at hypersphere-point



Conclusions

• $\hat{\theta}_n \rightarrow \kappa \theta^*$ where κ = random scalar.



• $\hat{\theta}_n \not\rightarrow \theta^*$: Does not converge to true parameter.

• Regulator converges to optimal

SELF-TUNING

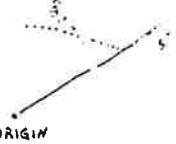
$\hat{\theta}_n$ and $\hat{\theta}_N$ $\|\hat{\theta}_n\| > \|\hat{\theta}_N\|$

$\therefore \|\hat{\theta}_n\| \geq \|\hat{\theta}_N\| \geq \|\theta^*\|$

so convergence impossible to θ^* .

• Converges to line $\hat{\theta}_N$ $\|\hat{\theta}_N\| \geq \|\theta^*\|$

• Frequency $\hat{\theta}_N \rightarrow$ Line



• Proof that $\hat{\theta}_N \rightarrow$ Line

$$\hat{\theta}_{N,i} = a_i b_1 + b_i b_2 + c_i c_1 + w_{i,N}$$

$$a_i = -\frac{1}{2} (\hat{a}_1 + \hat{a}_2)$$

$$c_i = (a - b, \hat{b}_i)_{L_2} + (b - b, \hat{b}_i)_{L_2}$$

• Optimality : $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^N \hat{\theta}_{N,i}^2 = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \hat{\theta}_{N,i}^2$

• Analysis

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \left[(a - b, \hat{b}_i)^2 + (b - b, \hat{b}_i)^2 \right]$$

• Weak Convergence Theorem + Analysis

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \left((a - b, \hat{b}_i)^2 + (b - b, \hat{b}_i)^2 \right) = 0$$

$$\left(\frac{\hat{a}_i}{\hat{b}_i} \right)_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \rightarrow \frac{a}{b} \text{ and } \left(\frac{\hat{b}_i}{\hat{b}_i} \right)_{N \in \mathbb{N}} \rightarrow \frac{b}{b}$$

OPEN QUESTIONS

• Proof of self-tuning law

- i) LQ scheme ii) Delay iii) Tracking

• Rate of convergence

Control limit Theorem

• Eliminate NL, RL, P, R, f, g

• Robustness

• Identification

• Adaptive control laws

• More sophisticated control laws.

STATUS

• Much progress since 1973

• Much remains to be done.

LINEAR QUADRATIC CONTROL LAW

$$y_{k+1} = a y_k + b u_k + w_{k+1}$$

$$\text{Cost} : \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^N y_k^2 + \rho u_k^2$$

$y_k = K(a, b) u_k$ is obtained

ADAPTIVE CONTROL SCHEME

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} a(t) \\ b(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N (y_k - \hat{y}_k) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \hat{K}(a, b) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Control} : u_k = K(\hat{a}_N, \hat{b}_N) y_k$$

REWRITE

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} a(t) \\ b(t) \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N (y_k - \hat{y}_k) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \hat{K}(a, b) \end{pmatrix}$$

LJUNG's ODE

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} a(t) \\ b(t) \end{pmatrix} = C(a, b) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ K(a, b) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{db}{da} = K(a, b)$$



- All the curves will converge to such a point.
- If we want self-tuning, it is required

Why did Min Variance Case Work?

Mathematical Coincidence

$$K(a, b) = \frac{1}{\rho}$$

$$\therefore E(K(a, b)^2) = \rho^2 + E(N(a, b)^2) = \rho$$

$$\Rightarrow K(a, b)^2 = -\frac{1}{\rho} = K(a, b).$$

All the minimum points are obtained.

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} a(t) \\ b(t) \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N (y_k - \hat{y}_k) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \hat{K}(a, b) \end{pmatrix}$$

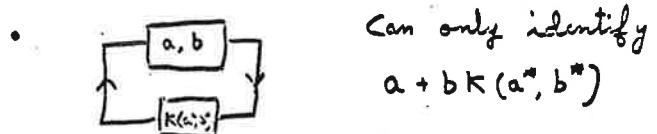
$$\left\{ [a+bK(\hat{a}_N, \hat{b}_N)] - [\hat{a}_N + \hat{b}_N K(\hat{a}_N, \hat{b}_N)] \right\} y_N + w_N$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} a(t) \\ b(t) \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N (y_k - \hat{y}_k) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ K(a, b) \end{pmatrix} = (a+bK(a, b)) - (a+bK(a, b))$$

EQUILIBRIUM POINTS OF O.D.E.

$$(a^*, b^*) : a+bK(a^*, b^*) = a^*+b^*K(a^*, b^*)$$

CLOSED LOOP IDENTIFICATION PROBLEM



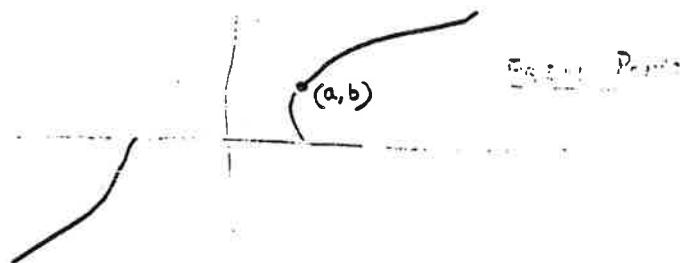
So, (\hat{a}_N, \hat{b}_N) MAY converge to such (a^*, b^*)

Question: We want self-tuning. S

Does $a+bK(a^*, b^*) = a^*+b^*K(a^*, b^*) \Rightarrow K(a^*, b^*) = k$

$$\text{No: } a+bK(a^*, b^*) = a^*+b^*K(a^*, b^*)$$

implies $K(a^*, b^*) = K(a, b)$ only if $(a, b) = (a^*, b^*)$



HOPE: IF THERE ARE OTHER UNDESIRABLE EQUILIBRIUM POINTS, ARE THEY REPELLERS?

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} a(t) \\ b(t) \end{pmatrix} = C(a(t), b(t)) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ K(a(t), b(t)) \end{pmatrix}$$

To : -1 is a stable Eq. pt.

INTEGRAL CURVES!

$$\frac{db(t)}{da(t)} = K(a(t), b(t))$$

NOTE: VALID NO MATTER WHAT $K(\cdot, \cdot)$ is

ENTITATIVE CONCLUSIONS

- Self Tuning to Minimum Variance Controller
- Because of Mathematical coincidence
- Self Tuning to Optimal controller if closed loop poles are desired poles
- If Pole Placement is desired

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Closed Loop Pole} &= a + b K(a^*, b^*) \\ &= a^* + b^* K(a^*, b^*) \\ &= \text{Desired Pole}\end{aligned}$$

∴ If T(s) is stable then $a^* + b^* K(a^*, b^*)$ stable since $K(a^*, b^*)$ chosen so

$$\Downarrow a + b K(a^*, b^*) = a^* + b^* K(a^*, b^*) \text{ also stable.}$$

Also $T(s)$ Change of function $T(s, t) \leftarrow T(s, t, \theta)$
Hence Biased Parameter Estimates. See MP literature.

FUNDAMENTAL CLOSED LOOP IDENTIFICATION

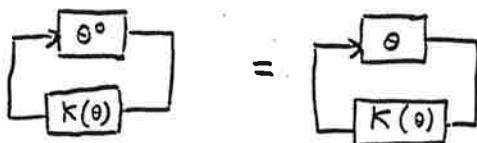
PROBLEM

$$\begin{aligned}&\text{Given } E[\cdot] \quad (\text{SA, LS, ML}) \\ &E[y_t] = K(\theta, y_t) \\ &T(s) \\ &E[y_t] = A(s) + B(s)K(s) \\ &= A(s) + B(s)K(s) \\ &= J\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Hence } s \in D \Rightarrow K(s) = \hat{K}(s)$$

Question: How do you estimate this?

What properties does D have?



$$T(s) \leq T(s, \hat{\theta}(s)) \approx T(s, \hat{\theta}(s)) = J^*(s)$$

$$\therefore \text{If } J^*(s) \leq J^*(s) \text{ then } \hat{\theta}(s)$$

$$\therefore \hat{\theta}(s) \text{ is a lower bound of } J^*(s)$$

$$\hat{\theta}_N: \text{minimize } O(N) \log J(\theta) + \sum_{t=1}^N \{y(t) - \hat{y}(t|\theta)\}^2$$

• Such solutions are proportional to the weight of the estimated

DISCUSSION

- Proof of Self-Tuning to Minimum Variance Controller
- Self Tuning probably not possible for any other cost criteria
- Method to obtain self-tuning sorts of results in general

NOTES

- Problem of self tuning, $\hat{\theta}(s)$, $\hat{y}(s)$, $J^*(s)$, $E[y_t]$, $K(s)$
- Time varying system, Real system, plant model
- General Control

A comparison of some control strategies for systems with fast parameter changes

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This seminar is concerned with adaptive control of systems with abrupt changes in the parameters. First an algorithm for recursive identification of the parameters in a special model-class, suitable for modeling sudden time variations, is presented. Then it is shown how this identification procedure can be used for adaptive control. To illustrate the algorithm and also to discuss some points on adaptive control a comparison study is then referenced.

The basic idea behind the algorithm is to use several parameter sets to model the system. The different parameter vectors correspond to different typical modes of the system. By combining estimation and detection techniques it is possible to estimate the different parameter vectors describing the system.

The purpose of the comparison study was to compare some strategies for adaptive control. Among the "competitors" were for instance a self-tuning regulator (LS with forgetting factor combined with a pole-placement procedure), a time-invariant robust regulator, the regulator mentioned above and an algorithm based on an identification procedure called AFMM (adaptive forgetting through multiple models). A conclusion from the tests was that it can be useful to design regulators which saves information for later use.

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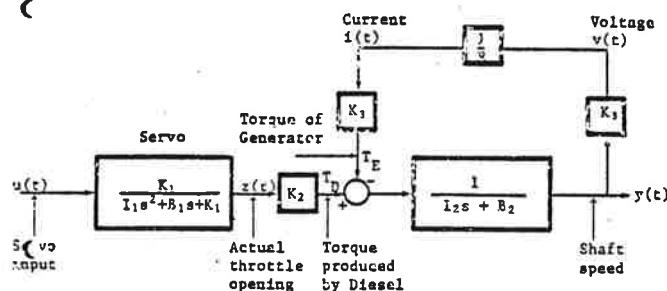
A COMPARISON OF SOME CONTROL STRATEGIES
FOR SYSTEMS WITH FAST PARAMETER CHANGES

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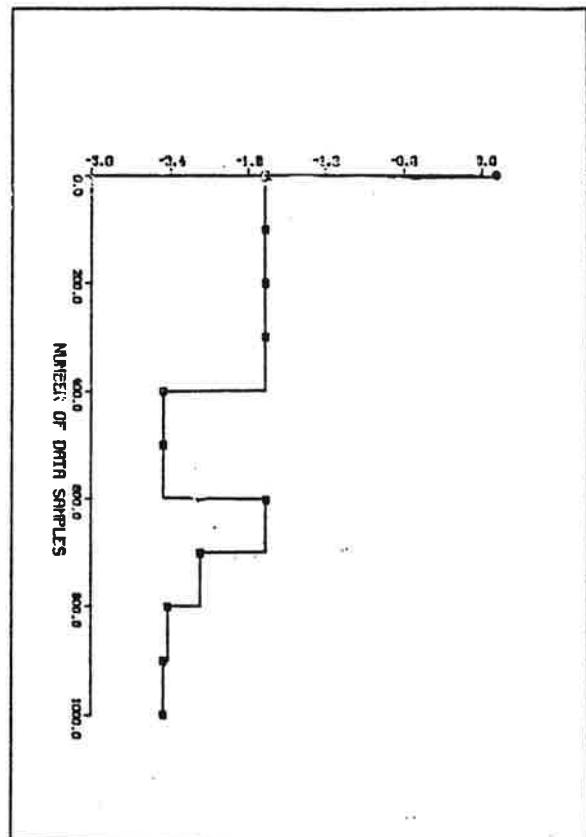
A contest between some strategies for adaptive control

THE CONTEST

the plant



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THE COMPETITORS

1 A self tuner (LC + pole-placement)

2 A constant regulator minimizing a variance-type criterion

3 A regulator minimizing the criterion

$$E\{(y - r)^2 + \lambda u^2\}$$

4 The MR algorithm

5 The AFMM algorithm (forgetting through multiple models)

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$P(\theta(t) | \gamma^t) = \text{Gaussian sum}$
based on $\bar{\theta}_i(t) \quad i=1 \dots m$

$\bar{\theta}_i \leftarrow \text{least squares}$

At each time

$\bar{\theta}_i(t)$ with smallest prob.

$\bar{\theta}_i(t)$ with largest prob.

$\bar{\theta}_i(t)$ "Test pilot"

Alert $P_i = R_1$

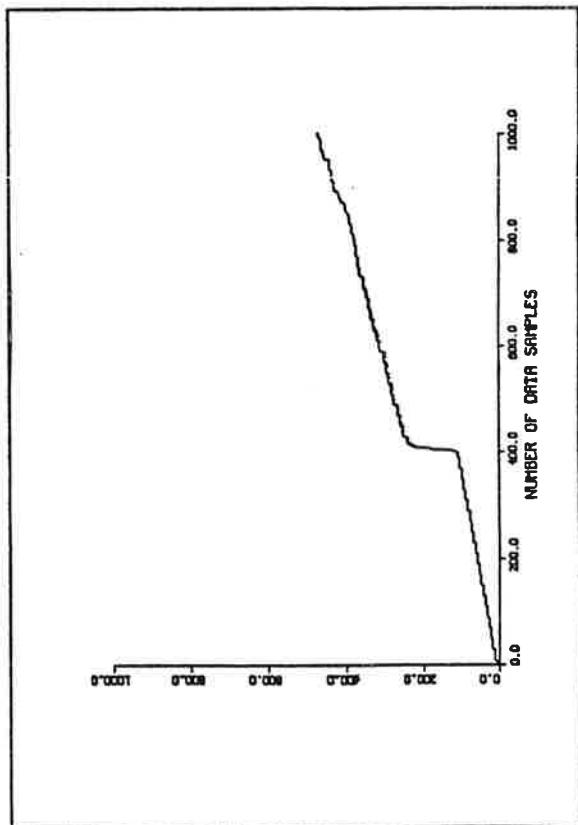
$$\theta(t+1) = \theta(t) + W(t)$$

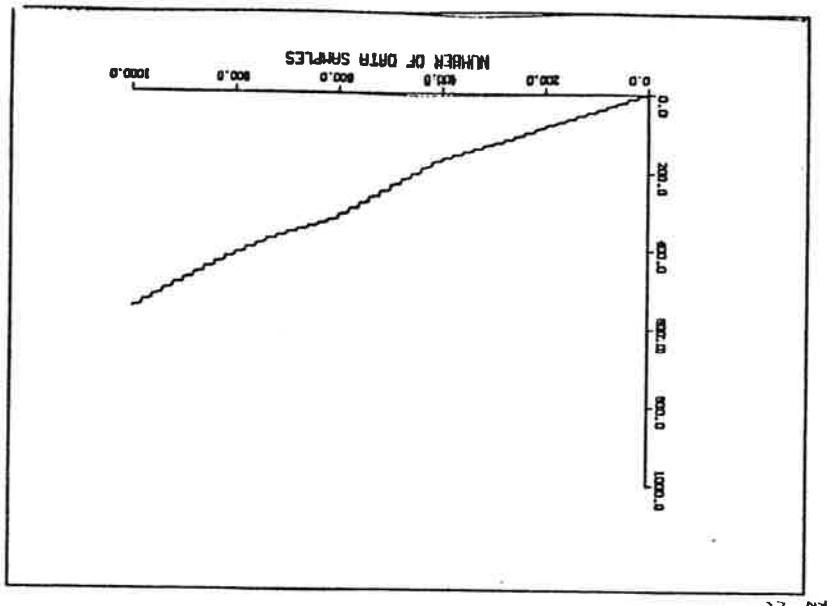
$$y(t) = \varphi^T(t) \theta(t) + e(t)$$

$$W(t) = \begin{cases} V(t) & \text{W.P. } q \\ 0 & \text{W.P. } 1-q \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Cov } V(t) = R_1$$

$\sum_{j=1}^m c_j y_j$





Recursive estimation of slowly time-varying parameters

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Abstract

The problem to extend traditional algorithms for estimation of constant parameters, such as the least squares algorithm, to capture even the case of time-variable parameters has become important because of their use in adaptive control. Several ad hoc methods have been proposed to handle slowly time-varying parameters. Previous methods, such as the use of a forgetting factor, are here discussed from an information handling point of view. A new method is presented, which is based on the idea to retain a constant amount of information in the estimator. The method is shown to avoid well-known problems associated with other, more heuristic schemes. Analysis as well as simulation experiments are presented.

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RECURSIVE ESTIMATION OF

TIME-VARYING PARAMETERS

SLOWLY TIME-VARYING PARAMETERS

PROCESS MODEL:

$$y(t) = \theta(t-1)^T \varphi(t) + e_n(t)$$

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IF THE PARAMETERS TO BE ESTIMATED OR THE NOISE LEVEL VARY, THEY VARY SLOWLY AND/OR SELDOM COMPARED WITH THE TIME CONSTANTS OF THE SYSTEM.

TWO CASES:

1. LARGE PARAMETER CHANGES
2. SLOW PARAMETER CHANGES

LS ESTIMATION

$$\text{MINIMIZE } \sum_{i=1}^t \frac{1}{\omega(i,i)} [y(i) - \theta(i)^T \varphi(i)]^2$$

PROBLEM: HOW TO CHOOSE ω

$$\begin{aligned} y(i) &= \theta(i-1)^T \varphi(i) + e_n(i) = \\ &= \theta(i-1)^T \varphi(i) + [\theta(i-1) - \theta(i-1)]^T \varphi(i) + e_n(i) = \\ &= \theta(i-1)^T \varphi(i) + e_m(i,i) + e_n(i) \quad i \leq t \\ &\quad \text{model error noise} \end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \sigma_m^2 + \sigma_n^2$$

TRY TO CHOOSE $\omega = \sigma^2$

EXAMPLE: CONSTANT PARAMETERS AND CONSTANT NOISE LEVEL

$$e_m(i,i) = [\theta(i-1) - \theta(i-1)]^T \varphi(i) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_m^2(i,i) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma^2(i,i) = \sigma_m^2(i,i) = \sigma^2$$

ALL MEASUREMENTS HAVE THE SAME WEIGHT

EXAMPLE: EXPONENTIALLY INCREASING MODEL ERROR VARIANCE AND CONSTANT NOISE LEVEL

$$\sigma_m^2(i,i) = \left[\left(\frac{1}{\lambda} \right)^{t-i} - 1 \right] \sigma^2 \quad \sigma_n^2(i) = \sigma^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma^2(i,i) = \left(\frac{1}{\lambda} \right)^{t-i} \sigma^2$$

CONSTANT FORGETTING FACTOR λ

SLOW PARAMETER CHANGES

CHOICE OF α_t

DISCOUNT PAST DATA IN SUCH A WAY
THAT A CONSTANT DESIRED AMOUNT
OF INFORMATION IS RETAINED,
IF THE PARAMETERS ARE CONSTANT.

INFORMATION: P^{-1}

Goal: $P \rightarrow \alpha \cdot I$

$$P_t^{-1} = P_{t-1}^{-1} + \frac{1}{V_t} \varphi_t \varphi_t^T - \alpha_t \varphi_t \varphi_t^T \quad \alpha_t \geq 0$$

$$P_t = P_{t-1} - \frac{P_{t-1} \varphi_t \varphi_t^T P_{t-1}}{(V_t - \alpha_t) + \varphi_t^T P_{t-1} \varphi_t}$$

COMPARE:

$$P_t^{-1} = P_{t-1}^{-1} + \frac{1}{V_t} \varphi_t \varphi_t^T - (1-\lambda) P_{t-1}^{-1}$$

STATIONARITY: $\alpha_t = \frac{1}{V_t}$

$$\alpha_t \geq 0$$

THEOREM:

IF

$$0 \leq \alpha_t \leq \frac{1}{\varphi_t^T P_{t-1} \varphi_t} \quad (\#)$$

THEN

* P STAYS POSITIVE DEFINITE

* $\tilde{\theta}_t^T P_t^{-1} \tilde{\theta}_t$ IS DECREASING

□

IN EACH ITERATION, TRY TO OBTAIN

$$\frac{x^T P_t x}{x^T x} = \alpha \quad x = P_{t-1}^{-1} \varphi_t$$

BUT FULFIL THE LIMITATION (#)

CONVERGENCE

EXAMPLE - INDUSTRIAL ROBOT

IF α NOT TOO LARGE ($\text{cf } \lambda < 0$)

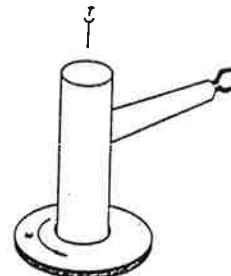
THEN

$$W(t) = \sum_i^n [\lambda_i(t) - \alpha]^2 \quad \lambda_i(t) = \text{eig}(P_t)$$

IS DECREASING.

$$W(t) \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow P(t) \rightarrow \alpha \cdot I$$

EXCITATION CONDITION $\Rightarrow W(t) \rightarrow 0$



$$J \frac{d\omega}{dt} = T_e + T_f + T_d$$

$$\omega(t+1) = \omega(t) + \frac{1}{J} [T_e + T_f + T_d]$$

$$T_f = -k_f \text{sign}(\omega)$$

$$\Theta = \left[\begin{smallmatrix} 1/J & -k_f/J \end{smallmatrix} \right]^T$$

$$T_e = \alpha \sigma \frac{1}{\hat{\Theta}_i} [\omega_{ref} - \omega] + \frac{\hat{\Theta}_i}{\hat{\Theta}_i} \text{sign}(\omega)$$

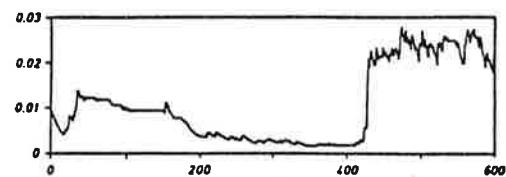
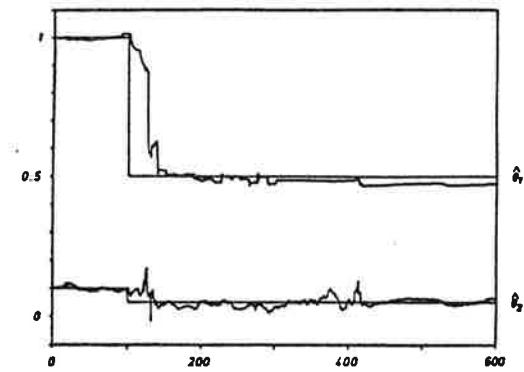


Figure 6.2 - The estimated parameters and the estimated noise variance.

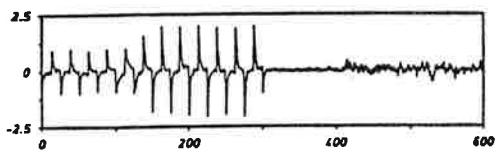
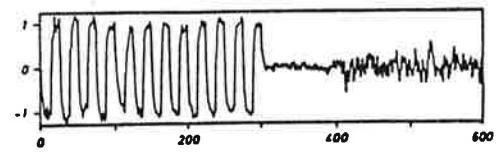


Figure 6.3 - The output- and input-signals of the system, and the residuals $e(t)$.

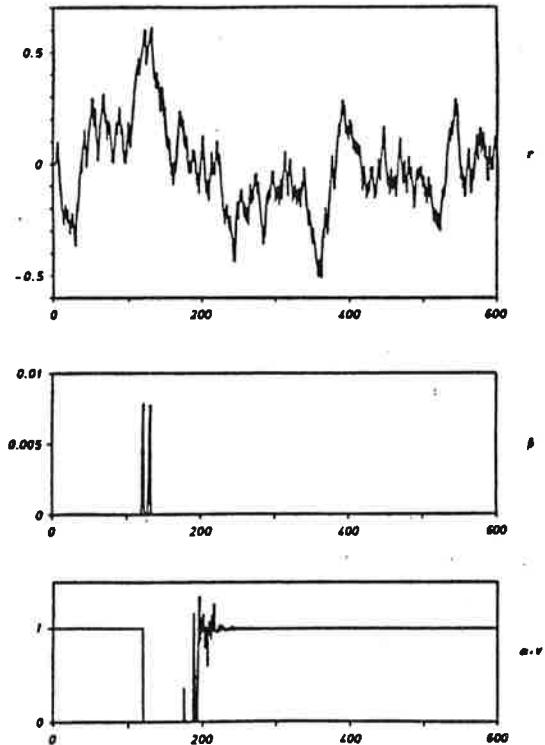


Figure 6.4 - The test signal $r(t)$, the additive gain $\beta(t)$ and the discounting measure $\alpha(t) \cdot v(t)$.

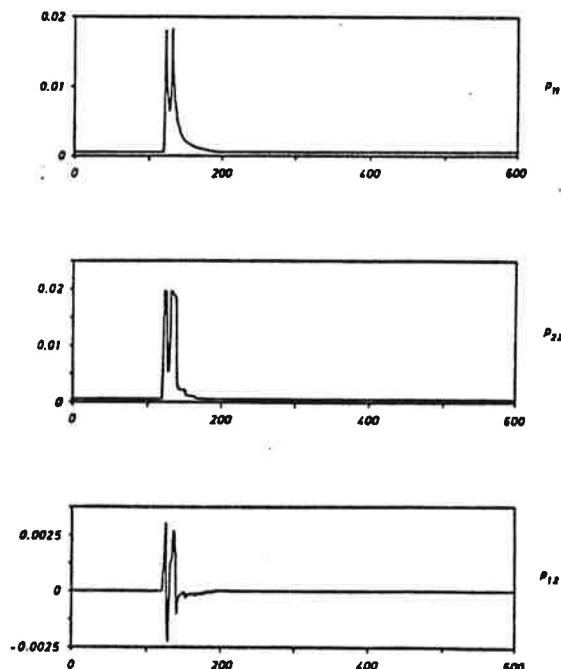
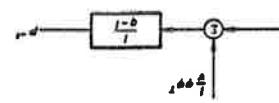
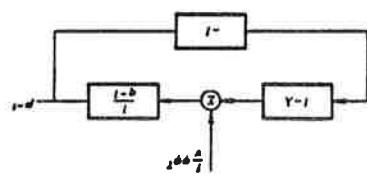
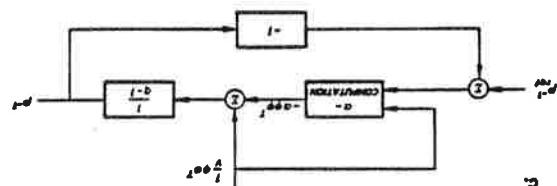


Figure 6.5 - The elements of the P-matrix.

a. The new proposed model.

b. The original LS procedure.

c. Block diagram depicting the working of the inverse procedure.



Robustness of (MRAS) adaptive control

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The topic of this lecture was robustness of (MRAS) adaptive control subject to high frequency unmodeled dynamics of the process model. This area of stability problems can be classified in three categories: HCG-high controller gain, HAG-high adaptive gain and HF-high frequency input. Here only the adaptation loop is considered i.e. HAG- and HF-instabilities. In this way the resulting system to analysis remains linear, time-varying.

The main idea is to approximate the high frequency dynamics with a right half plane zero. (Cf. Padé approximation of a timedelay.) Consider the example below. The approximation is valid for $\mu s \ll 1$.

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s+1} \cdot \frac{1}{\mu s + 1} = \frac{1}{s+1} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\mu s}{1+\mu s}\right) \approx \frac{1}{s+1} \cdot (1-\mu s) = \frac{1+\mu}{s+1} - \mu \quad (1)$$

For stability analysis the differentiating effect of the RHP zero is stressed while for synthesis the throughput effect gives a clue how to improve robustness.

The MRAS scheme was analysed on the process above (1) using a first order reference model with unknown gain.

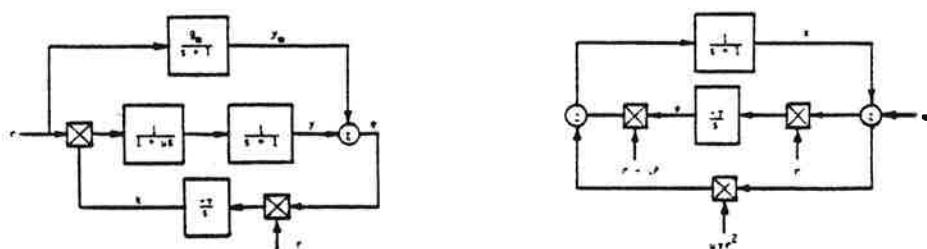


Fig. 1. The MRAS system and the transformed error system (2).

After the approximation (1) of the process and change of coordinates to an error system, the following equations are obtained:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ \psi \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 + \mu \gamma r^2 & r - \mu r \\ -\gamma r & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ \psi \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \mu \gamma r^2 \\ -\gamma r \end{bmatrix} e \quad (2)$$

where

x = difference in output between the actual and tuned system.
 ψ = difference in controller gain in reference to the tuned system.

HAG instability is shown in the following way. Assume $r=R$ const. and $e=0$. The characteristic equation gives the stability condition on the adaptive gain $\gamma R^2 < \mu$.

To reveal HF-input instability, choose $r=R\sin(\omega t)$ and assume $\mu \gamma r^2 \ll 1$, $e=0$. Simulation shows a slow drift in ψ and a limit cycle in x . Approximation of the equations (2) for slow adaptation, i.e. $\gamma R^2 / \sqrt{1+\omega^2}$ is sufficiently small, gives the stability condition $\omega^2 < \mu$. One interpretation derived from the approximated equations is that instability is reached when the noise-to-signal ratio is larger than unity. Another interpretation is that the positive real condition for the plant is violated at high frequencies due to the RHP zero.

For the combined problem of HAG and HF stability, a detailed analysis shows that the joint stability condition is somewhat conservative.

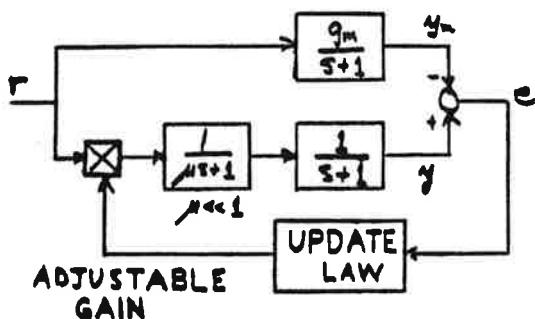
In the approximation (1) it is seen that the unmodeled high frequency dynamics can be seen as a negative throughput. A simple device to increase the stability properties of the MRAS scheme could therefore be to introduce a positive bypass β . Analysis by means of a Lyapunov function shows that stability is achieved for $\beta \geq \mu$. The positive real condition for the plant with bypass is also satisfied for these β .

The analysis shows that a bypass increases stability properties against unmodeled high frequency dynamics. However, a tracking error is introduced, which is difficult to predict when $\beta \neq \mu$. For instance, when β increases toward μ , the tracking error can decrease or increase depending on the frequency of the reference signal.

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CAN THE SIMPLEST ADAPTIVE LOOP



BE UNSTABLE ?

YES, IN TWO WAYS:

1. FAST (HAG)
2. SLOW (HF)

A METHOD TO STABILIZE THE LOOP

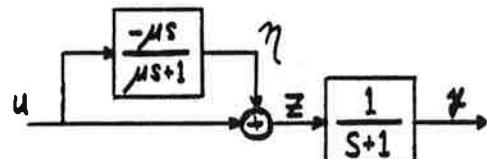
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RIGHT-HALF-PLANE ZERO INSTEAD OF HF PARASITICS

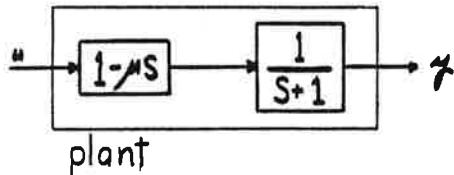
$$u \rightarrow \frac{1}{\mu s+1} \rightarrow z \rightarrow \frac{1}{s+1} \rightarrow y$$

$$\dot{y} = -y + z \quad \eta = z - u \quad \dot{\eta} = -\eta + u + \eta$$

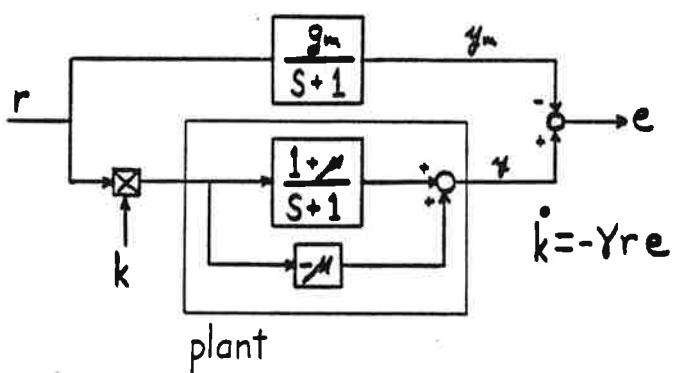
$$\mu \dot{z} = -z + u \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \mu \dot{\eta} = -\eta - \mu \dot{u}$$



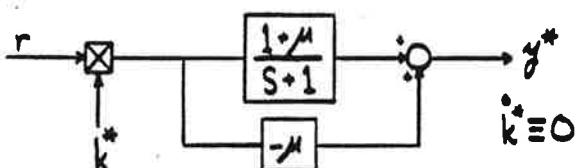
AT LOW FREQUENCIES, LET $\eta = -\mu$



ADAPTIVE SYSTEM



TUNED SYSTEM



TUNED ERROR

$$e^* \triangleq y^* - y_m$$

FACTS FROM STABILITY THEORY

FACT 1

$$\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^T \text{trace } A(t) dt = +\infty$$

IS SUFFICIENT FOR INSTABILITY OF

$$\dot{x} = A(t)x$$

FACT 2

IF $\dot{x} = A(t)x$ IS EXPONENTIALLY STABLE, THEN

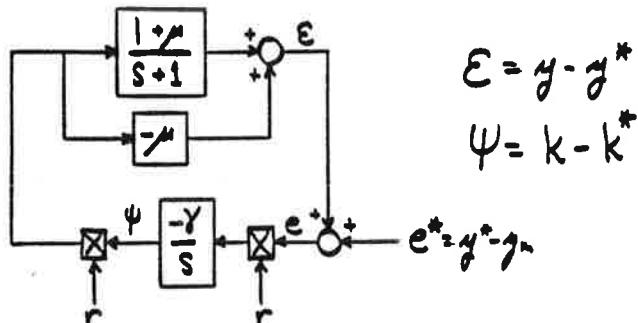
$$\dot{x} = (A(t) + B(t))x$$

IS EXPONENTIALLY STABLE WHEN

$$\int_0^t \|B(\tau)\| d\tau < c_1 t + c_2, \forall t > 0$$

FOR SOME CONSTANTS c_1 and c_2 .

FAST ADAPTATION (μ SMALL)



$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon &= \gamma \cdot \gamma^* \\ \psi &= k - k^* \end{aligned}$$

LINEAR, LET $e^* = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\epsilon} \\ \dot{\psi} \end{bmatrix} = \left(\begin{bmatrix} -1 + \mu \gamma r^2 & r \\ -\gamma r & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\mu \dot{r} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon \\ \psi \end{bmatrix}$$

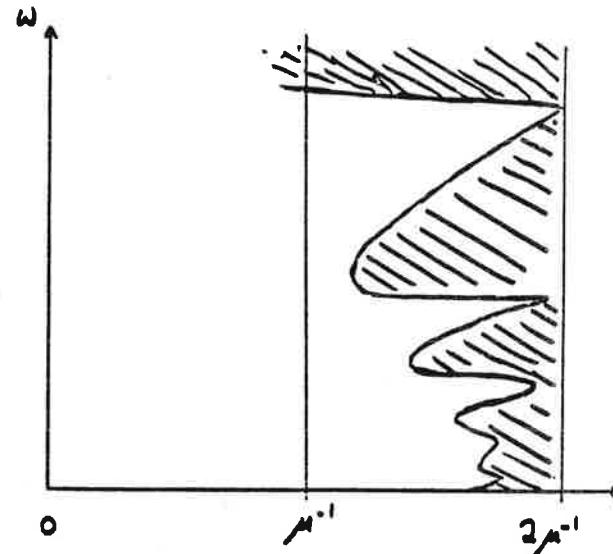
NECESSARY FOR STABILITY

$$\mu \gamma \lambda_c < 1, \lambda_c \triangleq \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T \bar{r}^2 dt \quad (= \text{average } r^2)$$

SUFFICIENT FOR STABILITY (μ SMALL)

$$\mu \gamma \bar{r}^2(t) < 1 \quad \forall t$$

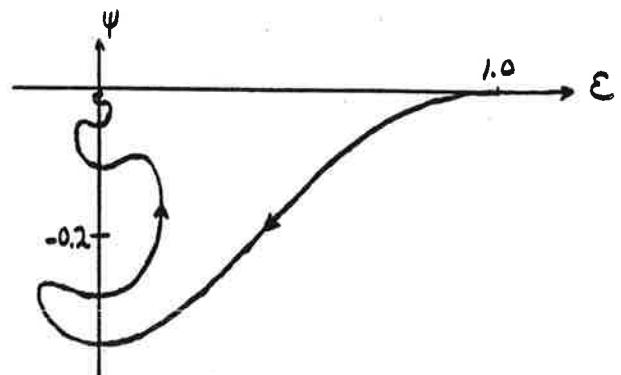
$$V_i = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^2 + \frac{1}{2} \psi^2, \quad \dot{V}_i = (-1 + \mu \gamma \bar{r}^2) \epsilon^2$$



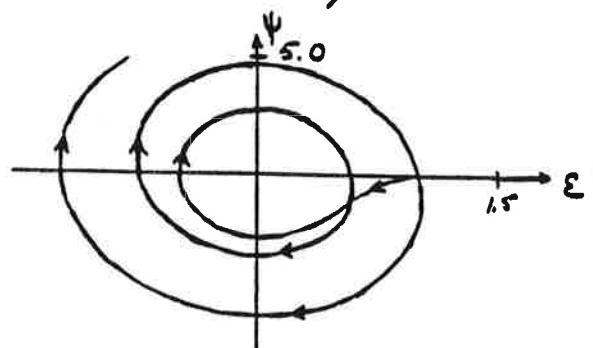
$$r = \sin \omega t$$

$\mu \gamma < 1$
sufficient
($\mu \omega$ small)

$\frac{1}{2} \mu \gamma < 1$
necessary

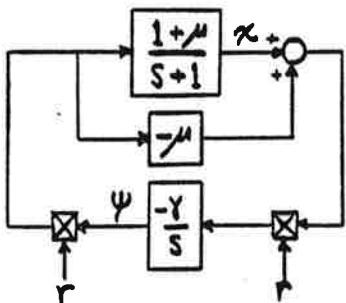


$$r = \sin t \quad \mu = 0.1 \quad \gamma = 1$$



$$r = \sin .5t \quad \mu = 0.1 \quad \gamma = 24$$

SLOW ADAPTATION (γ and $\mu \gamma r^2$ SMALL)



$$\dot{\chi} = -\chi + \psi(1+\mu)r$$

$$\dot{\psi} = \gamma(-r\chi + \mu r^2)$$

$$r(t) \xrightarrow{\frac{1+\mu}{s+1}} c(t) \quad c(t) \triangleq \int_0^t (1+\mu) e^{-(t-z)} r(z) dz$$

WHEN $\gamma = 0$

$$\chi(t) = c(t) \psi(t), \quad \psi(t) = \text{const.}$$

DEFINE $\delta(t)$ SUCH THAT

$$\chi(t) = c(t) \psi(t) + \gamma \delta(t)$$

SLOW ADAPTATION (γ and $\mu \gamma r^2$ SMALL)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\chi} \\ \dot{\psi} \end{bmatrix} = \left(\begin{bmatrix} -1 + \gamma r c & (c - \mu r) r c \\ 0 & \gamma(\mu r^2 - r c) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -Y r & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} \chi \\ \psi \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dot{\chi} = (-1 + \gamma r(t) c(t)) \chi \quad \dot{\psi} = \gamma(\mu r^2(t) - r(t) c(t)) \psi$$

STAB. COND. $-1 + \gamma \lambda_2 < 0 \quad \gamma(\mu \lambda_1 - \lambda_2) < 0$

$$\lambda_1 = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T r^2(t) dt \quad \lambda_2 = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T r(t) c(t) dt$$

= (average of r^2) = (average of $r c$)

NECESSARY AND SUFFICIENT CONDITION FOR SLOW ADAPTATION STABILITY

$$\mu < \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1} = \frac{\text{average of } r c}{\text{average of } r^2}$$

$$\mu < \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1}$$

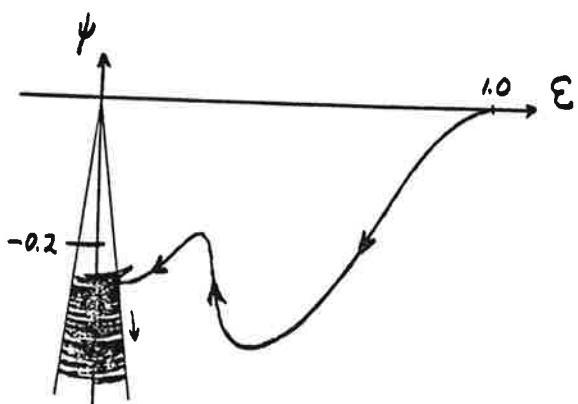
REQUIRES LOW FREQUENCY REFERENCE INPUTS

$$r(t) = \sum_{i=1}^N R_i \sin(\omega_i t + \theta_i)$$

$$\mu < \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{1+\mu}{1+\omega_i^2} R_i^2}{\sum_{i=1}^N R_i^2}$$

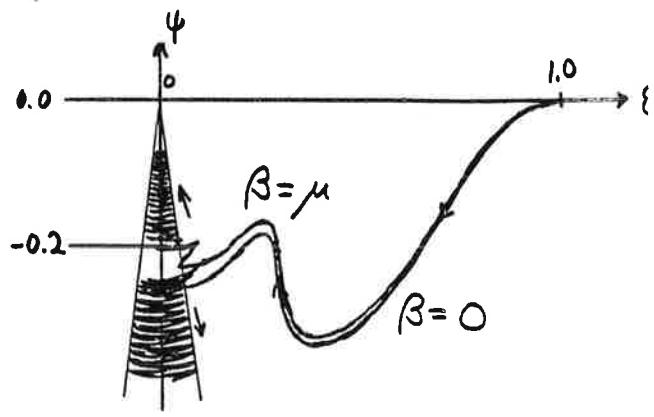
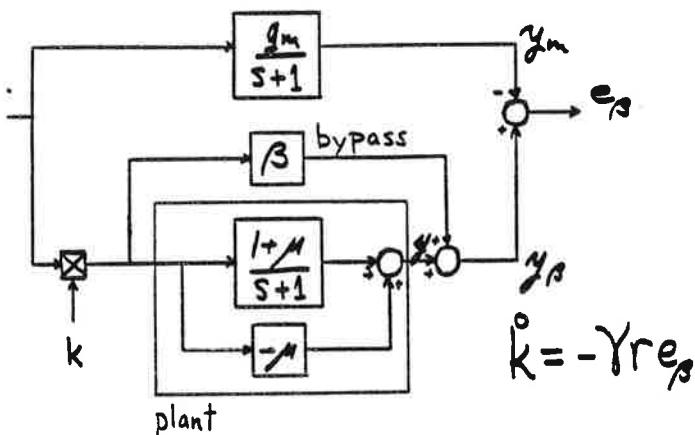
$$\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{1+\frac{1}{\mu}} R_i^2 < \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{1+\omega_i^2} R_i^2$$

Sufficient $\frac{1}{\mu} > \omega_i^2, \quad \omega_i < \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu}}$
 $\forall i \in [1, N]$

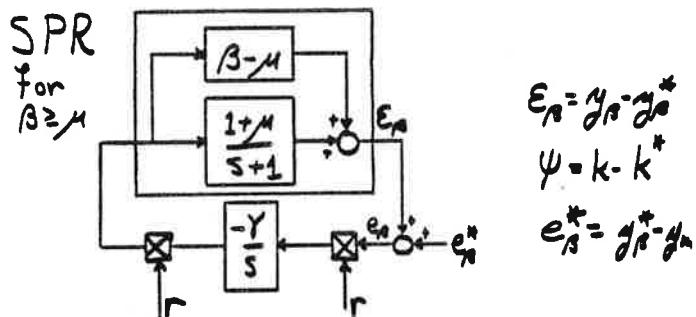


$$r = \sin 4t \quad \mu = 0.1 \quad \gamma = 1.0$$

STABILIZATION WITH BYPASS



$$r = \sin 4t \quad \gamma = 1.0 \quad \mu = 0.1$$



$$\begin{aligned} E_\beta &= y_\beta - y_\beta^* \\ \psi &= k - k^* \\ e_\beta^* &= y_\beta^* - y_m \end{aligned}$$

CONCLUDING REMARKS

* SIMPLEST ADAPTIVE SYSTEM EXHIBITS TWO TYPES OF INSTABILITY CAUSED BY ADAPTATION

* THESE TWO MECHANISMS PLUS LINEAR HIGH CONTROLLER GAIN CAN EXPLAIN ALL PHENOMENA OBSERVED IN MORE COMPLEX ADAPTIVE SYSTEMS

* BOUNDS DERIVED HERE WILL GENERALIZE

$$\sqrt{\gamma r^2} < 1 \rightarrow \sqrt{\omega^T \Gamma \omega} < 1$$

$$\text{ave}(r c - \gamma r^2) > 0 \rightarrow \text{ave}(\omega c^T - \gamma \omega \omega^T) > 0$$

Parameter convergence issues in MRAC

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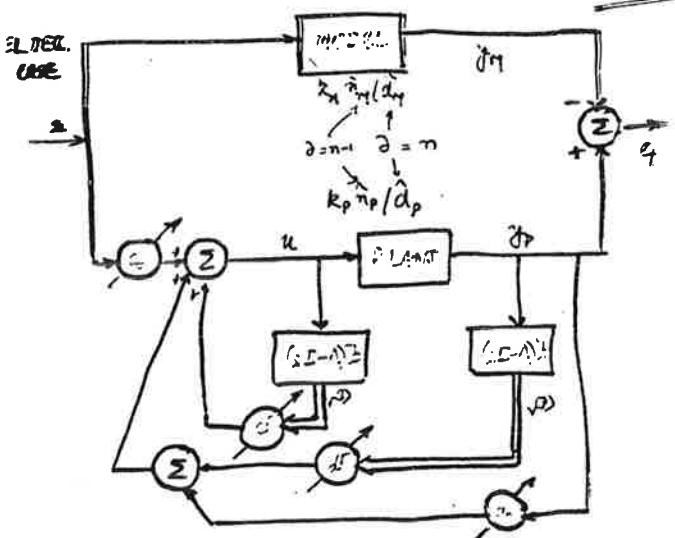
This contribution addresses parameter convergence in continuous time model reference adaptive control. The scheme of Narendra et al. is considered. The reported result can be summarized as follows:

- The technique of generalised harmonic analysis is employed to translate the persistent excitation condition on the signal vector into an equivalent condition on the exogenous reference signal only for parameter convergence.
- Partial convergence results for the case where the reference signal is not sufficiently rich are derived.
- Connections with robustness are illustrated by a first order example with output plant disturbance and plant parameter variation.

PARAMETER CONVERGENCE
ISSUES
IN MODEL REFERENCE ADAPTIVE
CONTROL

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NEC. SUFF. CONDITIONS FOR PARAMETRIC CONVERGENCE



$$\begin{aligned} \text{PARAMETER VECTOR} & \theta^T = [c_0, c^T, d_0, d^T] \in \mathbb{R}^{2n} \\ \text{SIGNAL VECTOR} & w = [r, r^H, y_p, y_p^H] \in \mathbb{R}^{2n} \\ \text{CONTROL LAW} & u = \theta^T w. \quad \text{UPDATE LAW} \quad \dot{\theta} = -\ell_i w \end{aligned}$$

\rightarrow $w \rightarrow 0$ \Rightarrow $\theta \rightarrow \theta^*$

NOTHING CAN BE SAID ABOUT CONVERGENCE OF θ .

If $\theta^* = [c_0^*, c^*, d_0^*, d^*] \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ such that:

\leftarrow L-plant transf. fn = model transfer function

$\phi = G - G^*$ PARAMETER ERROR

REF. (ANDERSON, MOSSAM-NARENDRA, ...)

$\# e_p \rightarrow 0$ exponentially $\Leftrightarrow \exists \alpha, \delta > 0$ \exists

$$\int_s^{s+T} w^T dt \geq \alpha I \quad \forall s. \quad \text{PERSISTENT EXCITATION}$$

$$w^T = [r, r^H, y_p, y_p^H]$$

PROOF: (1) condition not explicit since it is signals inside time-varying adaptive step.

PRIMITIVES: (1) CONDITIONS ON EXCITING REF SIGNAL

(2) for parameter convergence

(3) PARTIAL CONVERGENCE RESULTS

(4) CONNECTIONS WITH ROBUSTNESS

CHIQUE: GENERALIZED HARMONIC ANALYSIS
A LA WIENER

Generalized Harmonic Analysis

$w: \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is said to have autocovariance

$$R_w(\tau) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \text{ if } \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_s^{s+T} w(t) w(t+\tau)^T dt = R_w(\tau)$$

uniformly in s (!).

w is persistently exciting $\Leftrightarrow R_w(0) > 0$.

w has the Bochner (spectral) representation

$$R_{w,w}(\tau) = \int e^{j\omega \tau} \psi_\omega(\tau) \quad \text{SPECTRAL MEASURE} \quad \square$$

$$\# R_w(0) > 0 \Leftrightarrow \int \psi_\omega(0) > 0$$

LINEAR FILTER LEMMA

Let $u: \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ have spectral measure $\psi_u(\omega)$ and

let m be a matrix of bounded measure. Then

$m * u$ has spectral measure

$$S_{m * u}(\omega) = \hat{\psi}_u(\omega) M(\omega) \hat{\psi}_u(\omega)^H$$

TRANSIENT LEMMA

$$u - v \in L^2 \Rightarrow R_u(\omega) = R_v(\omega)$$

BLER ALL. DEGREE CASES

Blr. degree 2 same statement - parameter convergence iff $\text{Sup}_{t \in [0, T]} \|f(\cdot, t)\| \leq 2n$ points.

Blr. degree ≥ 3 new parameter θ_{2n+1}
 ... give parameter for θ_{2n+1} converge
 ... using partial convergence theorem,
 ... θ_{2n+1} all but θ_{2n+1} converge iff $\text{Sup}_{t \in [0, T]} \|f(\cdot, t)\| \leq 2n$
 ... θ_{2n+1} to a point. WATCH OUT FOR θ_{2n+1} in their
 symmetric error scheme.

CONNECTIONS WITH ROBUSTNESS

1. (VARYING STATE + VARIATION)

(consider $\dot{x} = f(x, u, t)$, locally Lipschitz in x, u)

Then, if

$\dot{x} = f(x, u, t)$ is exponentially stable (uniformly)

$\Rightarrow \dot{x} = f(x, u, t)$ is small signal LTI

$y = h(x, t)$ is IIBO stable.

with $x(0) = C$.

ie $\exists C \geq 1, k \geq 0, \gamma \geq 0$ such that $\|x(t)\| \leq C e^{-\gamma t}$

EXTENSION: If $x(0) \neq 0$, $\|x\|_0 \equiv T_0$

$\|x\|_0 \leq R(1+\varepsilon) \|x\|_0$ for $t \geq T_0$

- REMARKS:
- 1) EXPONENTIAL STABILITY IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY FOR THIS THEOREM TO WORK - NUMEROUS COUNTEREXAMPLES EXIST.
 - 2) HOW ABOUT BLR DEGREE ≥ 3 , WITH ASYMMETRIC ERROR?
 - 3) HOW DOES R DEPEND ON RATE OF EXPONENTIAL CONVERGENCE (INVERSELY); AND SO DOES T_0 .

Applications

1st ORDER PLANE MODEL

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{y}_p &= -a_p y_p + b u \\ y_m &= -a_m y_m + b u \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{UNKNOWN} \\ \text{STATE} \\ \text{CONTROL} \end{array} \right\} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} e_1 = y_p - 1 \\ e_2 = y_m - 1 \\ \phi = t - t^* \end{array} \right\} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{EQUILIBRIUM} \\ \text{TIME} \\ \text{PARAMETER} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$u = r + d y_p$$

$$d = -e_1 \frac{y_p}{\phi}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{e}_1 \\ \dot{e}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -a_p & y_p(t) \\ -y_p(t) & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e_1 \\ e_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -a_p e_1 + y_p(t) e_2 \\ -e_1^2 - e_1 y_p(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

EXP. CONVERG. IFF $\text{Sup}_{t \in [0, T]} \|f(\cdot, t)\| \leq 1/10$

2nd DISTURBANCES

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{e}_1 &= -a_m e_1 + \phi y_m + \dot{\phi} p + d^2 p \\ \dot{e}_2 &= -e_1^2 - e_1 y_m - p^2 \\ \dot{x} &= f(x, e) + g(x, t) \begin{pmatrix} p \\ p \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

3rd PARAMETER VARIATION

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{e}_1 &= -a_m e_1 + \phi y_m + \dot{\phi} e_1 \\ \dot{e}_2 &= -e_1^2 - e_1 y_m - \dot{a}_m \end{aligned}$$

$$\dot{x} = f(x, e) + g(x, t) \begin{pmatrix} ? \\ ? \end{pmatrix}$$

UNMODELED DYNAMICS - CHOICE OF MODEL CRUCIAL.
 TECHNIQUE - CONVERT TO η_p DISTURBANCES.
 THAT CAN BE HANDLED DEPENDS ON EXTENT OF

On adaptive control with prescribed robustness properties

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We will describe a frequency domain method for regulator design. The resulting regulator has a stability margin in terms of the Nyquist curve which is independent of the system. This is a useful property in an adaptive control application, where the controller at every step is designed for a recursively identified model of the system, for the following reason. Since the Nyquist curve is known it is known at which frequencies it is important to have a good model of the system in order to have a good control result. Then the input-output data can be filtered through filters which emphasizes these frequencies and this will lead to a model of the system which is best there. (See B. Wahlberg and L. Ljung (1984)).

The main idea of the method is to obtain a given Nyquist curve by a cancellation of the system poles and zeroes. Therefore the basic version can only be applied to stable minimum phase systems. By a slight modification it is however possible to handle also pure integrators and discrete time real unstable zeroes.

Reference

- B. Wahlberg and L. Ljung (1984): Design variables for bias distribution in transfer function estimation. Internal report, Department of Electrical Engineering, Linköping University, S-581 83 Linköping, Sweden.

On an adaptive control algorithm with prescribed robustness properties.

- There will always be unmodeled dynamics.
- Most important to have a good model of the system around the cross-over frequency.
- Filtering can be used to distribute the bias

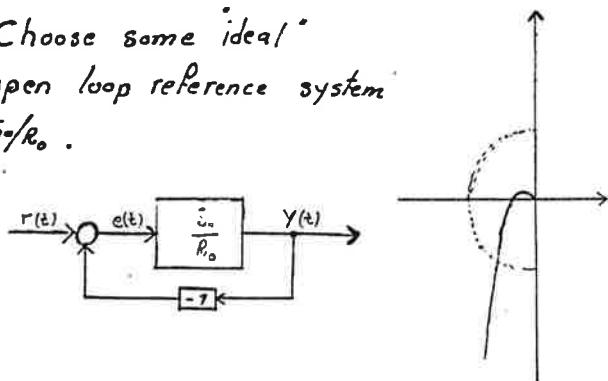
A Frequency domain method.

Poleplacement: The Nyquist curve depends almost as much on the system as on the desired closed loop poles.

That may be a problem in an adaptive control application.

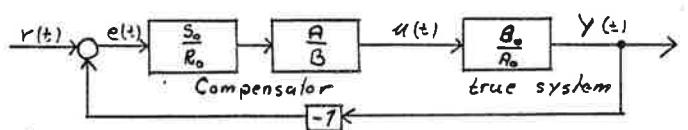
An other design method.

Choose some ideal open loop reference system s_0/R_0 .



Use the control:

$$u(t) = -\frac{s_0}{R_0} \cdot \frac{A}{B} (Y(t) - r(t)) \quad (+)$$



Observations

- Same robustness against multiplicative errors in $\frac{A}{B}$ for all systems. (Given by $\frac{s_0}{R_0}$)
- In order to have (+) realizable $\frac{s_0}{R_0}$ and $\frac{A}{B}$ must be of the same type. (Same pole-zeroes or same number of delays)
- Only stable minimum phase systems can be handled. (With some modifications also integrators and real discrete time zeroes can be treated.)

on minimum phase zeroes.

Suppose that

$$\frac{B}{A} = \frac{q^{-d} B_I B_S}{A}$$

where

$$B_I = k \cdot (1+bq^{-1}) \quad b > 0$$

Then choose S_0 with $d+1$ pure delays.

$$\frac{S_0}{R_0} = \frac{q^{-d-1} S_1}{B_S}$$

as reference loop gain.

and use the control

$$U(t) = -\frac{S_1 A}{R_0 B_S} (y(t) - r(t))$$

This will lead to the loop gain

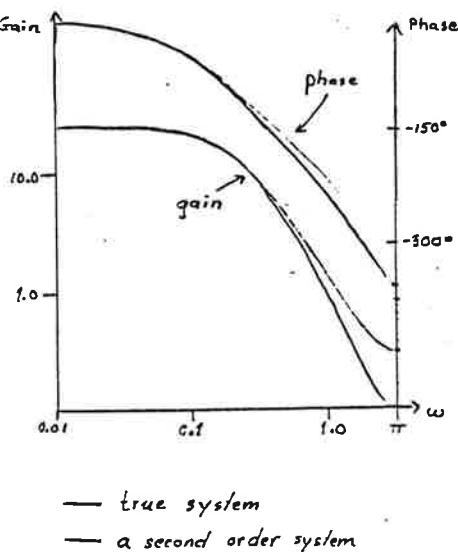
$$G_u \cdot G = \frac{S_1 A}{R_0 B_S} \cdot \frac{B_I B_S q^{-d}}{A} = \underbrace{\frac{S_1 q^{-d-1}}{R_0}}_{\text{desired gain}} \cdot \underbrace{q^d B_I}_{\text{nice}}$$

An example.

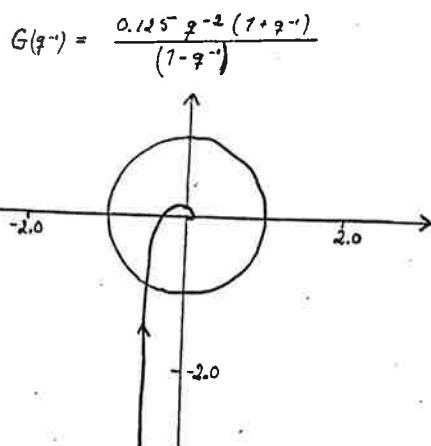
System:

$$y(t) = \frac{q^{-2} (1+0.25q^{-1})}{(1-0.8q^{-1})^2 (1-0.25q^{-1})} u(t) + e(t)$$

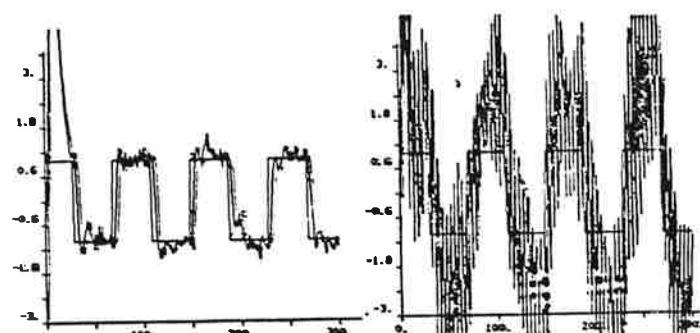
Almost second order



Reference open loop system:

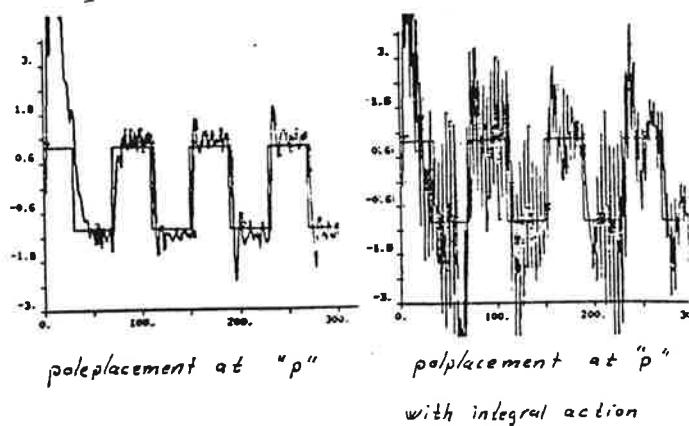


- $\pm 0^\circ$ phase margin
- integral action
- gain decreasing to zero
- poles at $-0.27, 0.62 \pm 0.25i$ "P"



Reference system

poleplacement in the origin



poleplacement at "P"

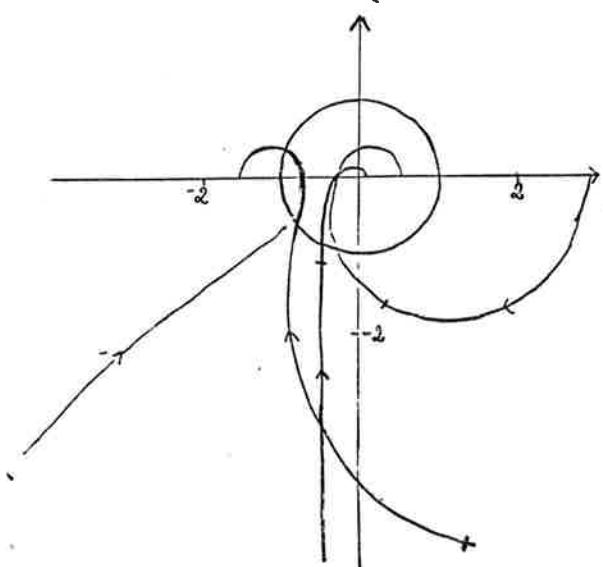
poleplacement at "P"

with integral action

$$\sigma = -0.27 ; 0.65 \pm 0.25i$$

Conclusions

- Frequency domain (robustness) properties which are independent of the system model.
- No problems with common factors in A and B .
- Simple.
- The disturbance rejection properties may be bad.
- The choice of reference system may need some initial testing.



- pole placement in the origin
- pole placement at "p"
- reference system
- pole placement at "p" with integral action.

$$p = -0.27 \pm j0.63$$

On living with the positive real condition

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In this lecture an example is given on a simple model reference adaptive system for which instability is achieved for certain command signals. A modification of the adaptation is suggested to overcome the problem.

In the example the reference model is of 1st order while the process is of 3rd order. The adjustable parameters are the feedforward gain k_r and the feedback gain k_f . If $k_r = k_f^*$ is known and the reference signal $r(t)$ is a step r_0 , then the closed loop system is linear and time invariant. It is then easy to see that for r_0 sufficiently large the closed loop system will become unstable unless the process transfer function is positive real. An easy way to eliminate this problem is to use a normed adaptation gain $g_r' = g_r / r_0^2$ instead of g_r . If the reference signal is a sinusoidal $r(t) = \sin \omega t$ then simulations show that for frequencies larger than a certain frequency ω_0 the system will be driven into instability.

The proposed method is based on frequency domain arguments. The idea is to turn off the adaptation for sufficiently high frequencies in the reference input. For these frequencies the adaptation is done with respect to a benign model with positive real transfer function $G_{\text{good}}(s)$.

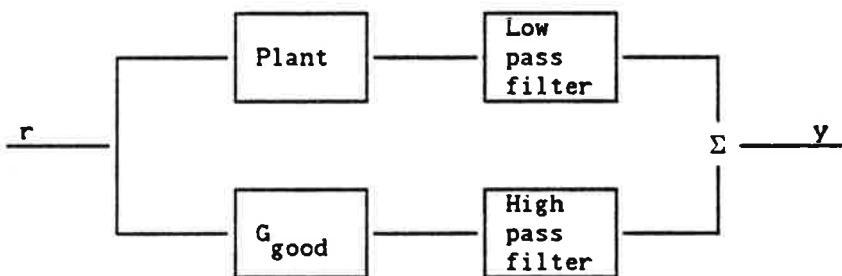


Fig. The "conditioned plant".

The following assumptions are made :

- The sign of the process gain is known.
- The process is minimum phase.
- The relative degree of the process is known.
- The controller uses $2n^*$ parameters, where n^* is an upper bound on the process order.

Simulations of the MRAS when applied to the "conditioned plant" show that the parameter drifts due to high frequency command signals are eliminated. There are however no theoretical results on the robustness of the modified controller.

1. The positive real condition

appears to be necessary
as well as sufficient

Living with Positive Realness

2. There are measures which can be taken which may be taken to allow us to live with the positive real condition.

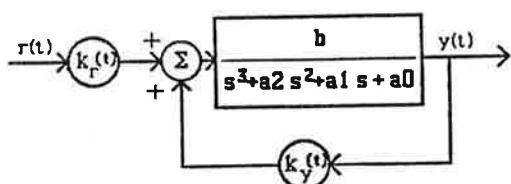
1. Excitation

2. Plant Conditioning

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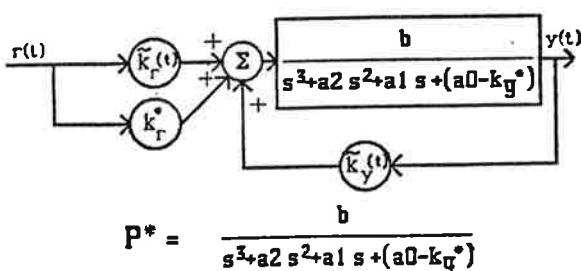
Case 1

k_y^* known; $r(t) = r$, a constant



The adaptive controller's setup

$$\begin{bmatrix} e \\ \dot{e} \\ \ddot{e} \\ \tilde{k}_r \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -(a_0 - k_y^*) & -a_1 & -a_2 & b r \\ -g_r r & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e \\ \dot{e} \\ \ddot{e} \\ \tilde{k}_r \end{bmatrix}$$

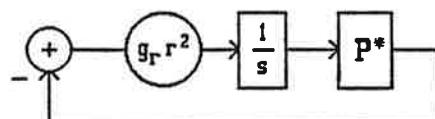


$$P^* = \frac{b}{s^3 + a_2 s^2 + a_1 s + (a_0 - k_y^*)}$$

Adaptive controller's error system

Stability determined by characteristic equation

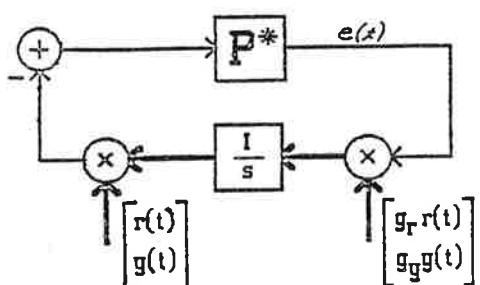
$$s(s^3 + a_2 s^2 + a_1 s + (a_0 - k_y^*)) + b g_r r = 0$$



For which will cause instability iff $\arg P^*(j\omega) > 90$ degs for some ω

$$\text{One should use } g_r = \frac{g_r^*}{r^2(t)}$$

ERROR SYSTEM CAN BE VIEWED AS FOLLOWS:



If true plant were first order, then there would be feedback parameter k_y^* so that P^* would be positive real or passive.

Then the passivity theorem would say that the loop is stable.

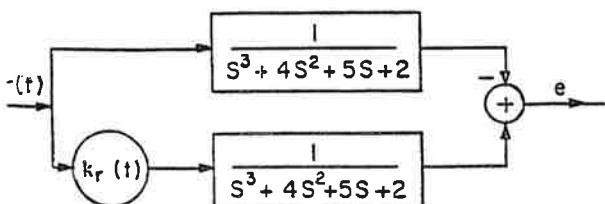
For the case where the plant is properly modeled, the stability result holds despite the fact that the feedback portion of the loop may have large gain.

Example: Assume $r(t)$ and $e(t)$ are sinusoid of the same frequency.

Note that this instability is independent of the reference model used to form the error.

The instability cannot be explained by any inability of the adaptive system to match the model with a well behaved nominal system.

For example, Case 2 could have arisen from the following system.



We know from Parks that creating a positive real operator is sufficient for stability. These results indicate that the positive real condition is necessary.

CASE 2

k_y^* known, $r(t)$ sinusoidal
Linear, periodic $A(t)$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} e \\ \cdot \\ e \\ \vdots \\ e \\ \tilde{k}_r \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -(a_0 - k_y^*) & -a_1 & -a_2 & b r(t) \\ -g_r r(t) & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e \\ \cdot \\ e \\ \vdots \\ e \\ \tilde{k}_r \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x(t) = P(t)e^{kt}x(0)$$

$$P(t) = P(t+T)$$

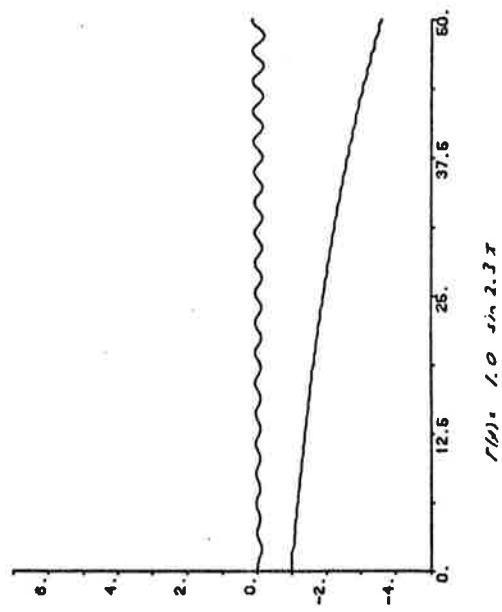
$$a_0 - k_y^* = 2; a_1 = 5; a_2 = 4; b = V_r = 1$$

$$r(t) = \sin \omega_0 t$$

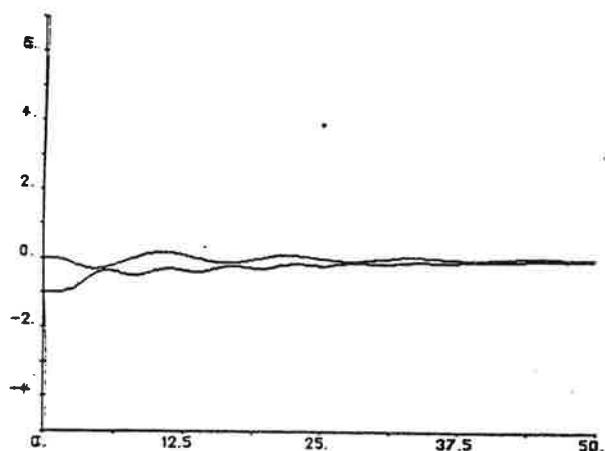
$$\omega_0 = 2.3 \quad \arg P^*(2.3) = 180^\circ \quad \lambda_{\max}(e^{kt}) = 1.08$$

$$\omega_0 = .71 \quad \arg P^*(.71) = 90^\circ \quad \lambda_{\max}(e^{kt}) = 1.007$$

$$\omega_0 = .70 \quad \arg P^*(.70) = 90^\circ \quad \lambda_{\max}(e^{kt}) = .984$$

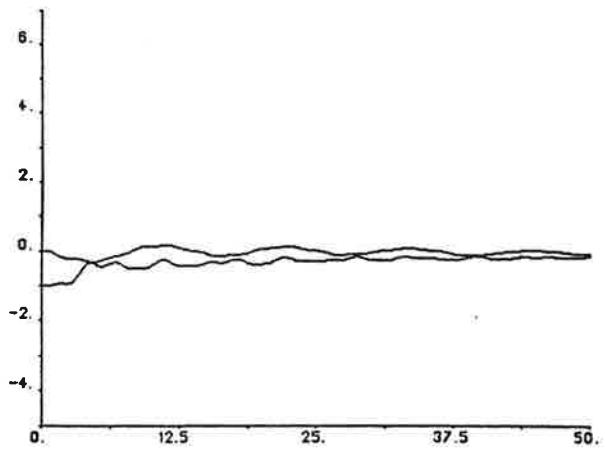


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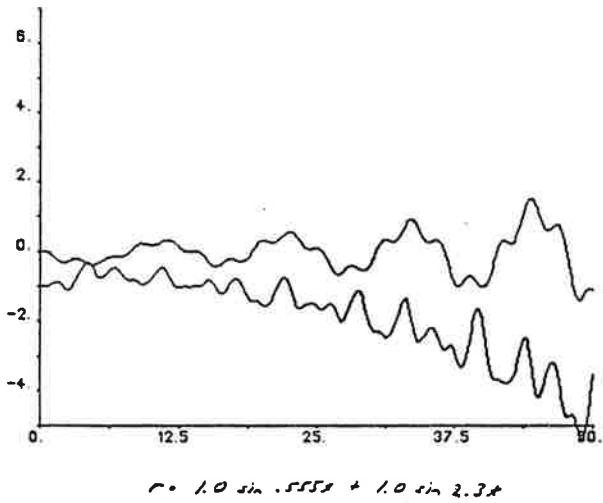
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$$r = 1.0 \sin .5555t + 1.0 \sin 2.3t$$

Assumptions needed in stability proofs of adaptive algorithms:

1. The sign of g_p is known
2. The zeroes of $B(s)$ are in the left half plane
3. The relative degree of the plant is known exactly
4. The controller uses $2n^*$ parameters where n^* is an upper bound on the plant order.

THESE ASSUMPTIONS CAN NOT BE MET IN PRACTICAL SITUATIONS

INSTABILITY can result in the presence of unmodeled dynamics due to an infinite gain operator in the feedback loop.

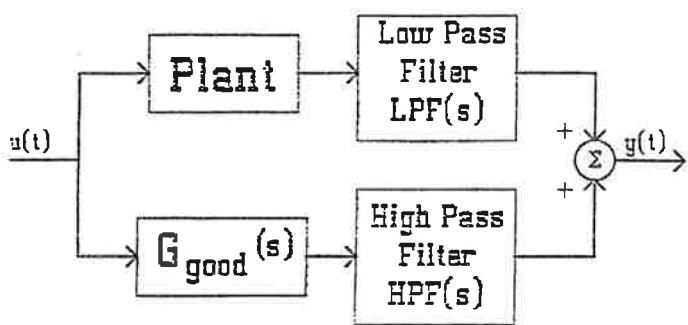
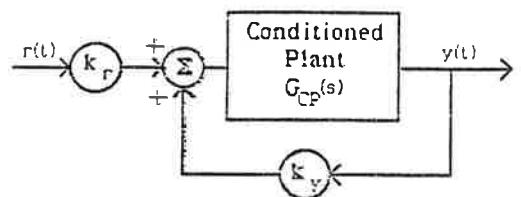


Figure 1. The conditioned plant.

At low frequencies the plant response dominates.

At high frequencies the response of $G_{good}(s)$ dominates.

Frequency selective adaptive control is the result.



The nominally controlled plant.

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} G_{CP}(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} G_{good}(s) = \frac{g}{s^{n-m}}$$

g is the high frequency gain of $G_{good}(s)$ and $G_{CP}(s)$

$n-m$ is the relative degree of $G_{good}(s)$ and $G_{CP}(s)$

Assumptions 1 and 3 will be met independent of the unmodeled dynamics in the plant

If the right half plane zeroes of the plant are high frequency in nature they will not appear in G_{CP} .

Assumption 2 will be met for a large class of plants.

CONCLUSION

Using proper conditioning of the type described here, adaptive control can be made robust for any frequency reference input.

CHALLENGES

1. The inputs used here were exactly sufficiently exciting. What are the problems with under excitation and over excitation?
2. The problems with disturbances are not eliminated by conditioning.

Simulations

$$Model \quad \frac{3}{s+3}$$

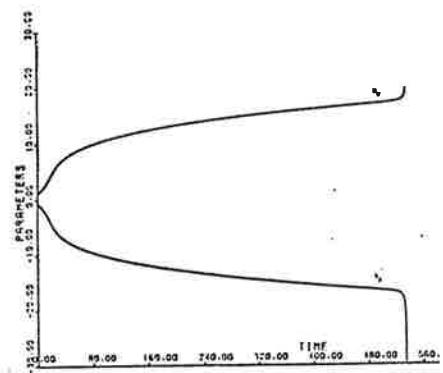
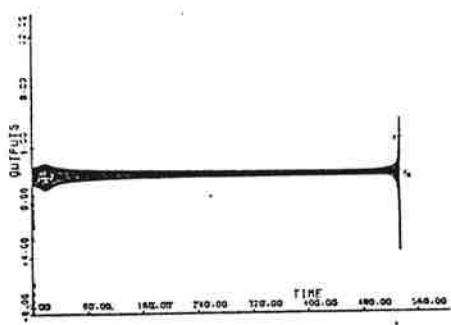
$$Plant \quad \frac{2}{s+1} \cdot \frac{229}{s^2 + 30s + 229}$$

Mechanism I

$$r(t) = 2.0 \quad d(t) = 0.5 \sin 16.1t$$

Mechanism II

$$r(t) = 2.0 \quad d(t) = 0.5 \sin 8t$$



Distributed asynchronous algorithms for deterministic and stochastic optimization

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There is presently a great deal of interest in distributed implementations of various iterative algorithms whereby the computational load is shared by several processors while coordination is maintained by information exchange via communication links. In most of the work done in this area the starting point is some iterative algorithm which is guaranteed to converge to the correct solution under the usual circumstances of centralized computation in a single processor. The computational load of the typical iteration is then divided in some way between the available processors, and it is assumed that the processors exchange all necessary information regarding the outcomes of the current iteration can begin.

The mode of operation described above may be termed synchronous in the sense that each processor must complete its assigned portion of an iteration and communicate the results to every other processor before a new iteration can begin. This assumption certainly enhances the orderly operation of the algorithm and greatly simplifies the convergence analysis. On the other hand synchronous distributed algorithms also have some obvious implementation disadvantages such as the need for an algorithm initiation and iteration synchronization protocol. Furthermore the speed of computation is limited to that of the slowest processor. It is thus interesting to consider algorithms that can tolerate a more flexible ordering of computation and communication between processors. Such algorithms have so far found applications in computer communication networks, e.g., ARPANET and other networks designed like it where processor failures are common and it is quite complicated to maintain synchronization between the nodes of the entire network as they execute real-time network functions such as the routing algorithm.

Processor network environments for which weakly coordinated distributed computation seems particularly advantageous typically possess one or more of the following characteristics all of which involve occurrence of some type of unpredictable event.

- 1/ Computation nodes and communication links are subject to frequent and/or unexpected failures. (For example packet radio networks).
- 2/ Computation nodes have different and/or time varying speeds of execution. (For example each processor is assigned to a perhaps time varying number of tasks involving computation loads which are not fixed *a priori*).
- 3/ Computations at various nodes is event driven. (For example in data collection or sensor networks where the timing, and ordering of measurements may not be predictable.).

It is possible to consider various degrees of coordination in different types of distributed algorithms. An interesting question is to determine the minimum degree of coordination needed in a given algorithm in order to obtain the correct solution. To this end we consider an extreme model of asynchronous distributed algorithms where by computation and communication are performed at each processor completely independently of the progress in the other processors. It is perhaps surprising that even under these chaotic circumstances it is still possible to solve correctly important classes of problems. An account of progress made in this direction is given in a survey jointly written with J. Tsitsiklis and M. Athans (1983). An analysis is given in (Bertsekas, 1982) for broad classes of dynamic programming problems and in (Bertsekas, 1983) for more general fixed point problems involving contractions and monotonicity assumptions. Further related work is (Tsitsiklis, Bertsekas, and Athans, 1983), and (Tsitsiklis, 1983).

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Expert control

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There has been substantial progress in theory and practice of automatic control through application of mathematical analysis and numerics. Nonnumerical data processing has, however, so far only had marginal influence on control systems. The purpose of this paper is to identify possible uses of expert system techniques in implementation of control systems. It is first observed that actual implementation of control laws often involves a substantial amount of heuristic logic. This is true for simple regulators as well as for more sophisticated multivariable control loops. The paper shows that the heuristic logic may be replaced by an expert system. This leads to simplifications in implementation as well as new capabilities in the control system. Selected basic elements of an expert system are presented. Stochastic dynamic programming offers a framework in which the heuristics can be embedded. This points to requirements for a new artificial intelligence approach for heuristic planning under uncertainty. The ideas are illustrated by examples: a smart PID regulator, a self-tuner with safety jackets and a pole-placement adaptive regulator which can by itself determine suitable pole locations. Once the expert system approach is taken it is possible to obtain control systems with new functions. This is illustrated by the smart PID regulator which incorporates learning.

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EXPERT CONTROL

- [> 1. INTRODUCTION
- 2. CONTROL PRACTICE
- 3. EXPERT SYSTEMS
- 4. EXPERIMENTS
- 5. CONCLUSIONS

MOTIVATION

SAFE OPERATION OF STR
COMPUTER POWER
SYMBOLIC DATA PROCESSING

PID CONTROL

manual automatic
parameter changes
switching transients
integral windup

CONCLUSION I

Even simple regulators
combines algorithms and
heuristics

ADAPTIVE CONTROL

LOCAL GRADIENT ALGORITHMS
PRIOR KNOWLEDGE
INITIALIZATION
SAFE-GUARDS

CONCLUSION II

Adaptive controls
contain a lot of
heuristics

EXPERT SYSTEM (ES)

Data base
Facts, Evidence,
Hypotheses, Goals
Supervisory strategy

RULE BASED ES

If < > then < >
Forward chaining
Backward chaining
Why

SUCCESS STORIES

Experts and data available
Problem Scope
Combinatorics
Incremental progress

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta y_t &= B u_{t-d} + C e_t \\ R_u &= -S y \\ z^{d-1} C B &= A R + B S \\ y_t &= f_0 e_t + \dots + f_{d-1} e_{t-d+1} \\ F &= R/B \end{aligned}$$

PRIOR KNOWLEDGE

delay
sampling period
regulator complexity
forgetting factor
initial estimates
bounds on control

OPERATOR CLASSES

Main Monitor
Backup Control
Minimum variance control
Estimation
Tuning
Learning

Main monitor:
stability-supervisor
control-quality-supervisor

Back-up control:
pid-control
auto-tune

Fixed gain MV control:
minimum-variance-control
minimum-variance-supervisor
ringing-detector
degreesupervisor

Estimation:
parameter-estimation
excitation-supervisor
perturbation-signal-generation
jump-detector

Self-tuning:
self-tuning-regulation

Learning:
get-regulator-parameters
put-regulator-parameters
store-regulator-parameters
test-scheduling-hypothesis
smooth-table-entries

Main monitoring table

#	Time	u	σ_u	y	σ_y	Stable	Reg. type

Backup control Table.

#	Time	k_c	t_c	P	I	D

Minimum variance control table

#	Time	n _R	n _d	h	Parameters

WHY USE ES?

Simple coding
Separate algorithms and logic

ALGORITHM ORCHESTRATION

- Control Algorithms
- Diagnosis Algorithms
- Logic and sequencing
- Tables for learning

IMPLEMENTATION

- Vax 11/780
- ES in Lisp
- Algorithms in Pascal
- Concurrency

EXPERIMENTS

- SMART PID
- INTELLIGENT STR
- AUTOMATIC ω_B CHOICE

JUDGEMENT

Ideas probably much more important for large complex systems.
But let us do simple things first.

CONCLUSIONS

- New control laws
- Many algorithms
- Control and diagnosis
- Learning

Experiments with expert control

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Abstract:

Expert control refers to a control system where an expert system is used to orchestrate a collection of control and identification algorithms. This is done in real time. Adaptive control algorithms need large safety jackets of logic to work in practice. Existing adaptive algorithms perform well locally but require a priori information about time delay, system order etc. to do so. Simple algorithms exist that can provide some of this information. An expert system is well suited for implementation of logic. Heuristics and rules of thumb are also easily implemented.

A testbench for experiments is presented. The controller is divided in two parts. One algorithm library written in Pascal and one expert system written in OPS4 and Lisp. These parts are implemented as communicating concurrent processes. The communication is done with mailboxes and messages. A typical message is to start or stop an algorithm. OPS4 is a rule based, forward chaining expert system framework.

An experiment is presented where the level of a water tank is controlled by a PID controller with Ziegler-Nichols auto tuning and gain scheduling.

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EXPERIMENTS WITH EXPERT CONTROL.

- Introduction
- Implementation
- Experiments
- Demonstration

MOTIVATION

- "Safety Jacket"
- Many algorithms
- Heuristics & rules of thumb
- Make full use of a priori information
- Division: Logic \leftrightarrow Algorithm
- Workbench

Programming Languages

Symbolic Data Processing,
AI-tradition \Rightarrow *Lisp*,
Prolog

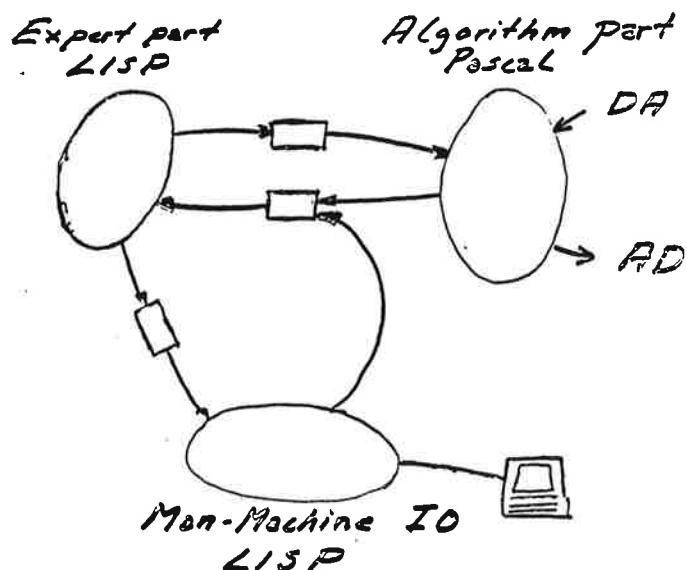
Numerical algorithms
 \Rightarrow *Pascal*,
Fortran,
ADA

Concurrency

Expert System in
real time.

IMPLEMENTATION

- VAX 11/780, VMS
- Pascal, Franz Lisp



Algorithm part

- Library of control, identification and supervision algorithms with a few well specified operations upon.
- Control loop

```
while true do
begin
if mail-in-box then readmail;
for all algorithms do
    if algorithm-is-active then
        execute-algorithm;
wait;
end;
```

EXPERIMENTS

- 1) "Smart" PID that can decide whether
 - The process can be controlled by PI
 - - " - PID
 - The process needs a more complex controller
- 2) STR that determines the prediction horizon automatically

Expert System Part

- Existing Expert System Framework

OPS 4

Consists of

Working Memory
Production - II -
Control Structure

Forward Chaining

Rule format:

Condition ...
--> Action ...

Recognize-act cycle

DEMONSTRATION

PID with Ziegler-Nichols auto-tuning and gain scheduling

Algorithms

PID
Relay
Relay guard
Noise estimator

≈ 50-60 rules.

Notes from the discussion

A short summary of the discussion on Wednesday afternoon is given here. The conclusions given below should not be taken as declarations everyone agreed on, but rather as a couple of interesting statements brought up during the discussion. Some statements were accepted by most participants, other maybe by very few.

I. Process control versus aircraft control

Process control and aircraft control are two totally different issues. In aircraft control, lots of time, money and work are spent to obtain a very high performance. In process control, the control work must often be both fast and cheap, and high performance is often not so important. Stability is often enough. Furthermore, these systems have different types of dynamics. These are some differences which has influenced the success of adaptive control in the process industry, and the luck of success in the aircraft control.

II. Parametrization

Current parametrizations used in adaptive control are not good - we are probably using them only because we know how to solve the identification problem for these parametrizations.

Approximations are best done on an input-output basis, in the frequency domain. Unstructured inaccuracy would e.g. be given as nominal phase and amplitude curves \pm ranges. State-space parametrization is not good for approximation. Therefore, the state-space realization part should be left to the end of the design procedure.

State-space is excellent for rigid body dynamics.

You cannot have an adaptive theory unless you have a feedback theory that deals with plant uncertainty. Feedback reduces tolerance bound.

III. Is identification essential to adaptive control?

Identification is essential to adaptive systems. You have to obtain knowledge of the system from measurements.

From a theoretical point of view, identifiability may not be essential, but for robustness it may. Otherwise we do not catch the whole dynamics. As long as you get the I/O-map, this is enough. The number of parameters may lead to numerical problems. Even if the I/O map is not changing, the internal parameters may change. This is a numerical problem.

IV. How to take care of apriori knowledge

Prefiltering may be one way to include apriori knowledge to decrease the number of parameters.

We would like to remove as many critical parameters, such as nonminimum phase and time delay, as possible. The relay method can solve the time delay problem, at least for systems with monotone step responses.

A lot of tricks are currently added to take care of non-typical situations. It should be useful to get insight from theory why we need those tricks. Some problems are related to robustness.