

*Systèmes entrée-sortie non linéaires
et applications en audio-acoustique*

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(see e.g. [Boyd,1984])

Recall: definition of a Volterra series

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} x_n(t) \text{ with } x_n(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} h_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) u(t - \tau_1) \dots u(t - \tau_n) d\tau_1 \dots d\tau_n$$

Bounded Input Bounded Output (BIBO) result

$$(\|u\|_{\infty} = \sup_{t \in \mathbb{R}} |u(t)|)$$

$$\begin{aligned} |x_n(t)| &= \left| \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} h_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) u(t - \tau_1) \dots u(t - \tau_n) d\tau_1 \dots d\tau_n \right| \\ &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |h_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n)| \underbrace{|u(t - \tau_1)| \dots |u(t - \tau_n)|}_{\leq \|u\|_{\infty} \dots \|u\|_{\infty}} d\tau_1 \dots d\tau_n \end{aligned}$$

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$$\text{Hence, } \|x\|_{\infty} \leq \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \|x_n\|_{\infty} \leq \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \|h_n\|_1 (\|u\|_{\infty})^n.$$

Recall: standard result (2/2)

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Gain bound function φ

Define $\varphi(z) = \sum_{n \geq 1} \|h_n\|_1 z^n$ with convergence radius ρ at $z = 0$.

Theorem (BIBO result)

If $\|u\|_\infty < \rho$, then the Volterra series expansion of x is normally convergent and

$$\|x\|_\infty \leq \varphi(\|u\|_\infty) < +\infty.$$

Moreover, the **truncation error is bounded**:

$$\left\| \sum_{n=N+1}^{+\infty} x_n \right\|_\infty \leq \sum_{n=N+1}^{+\infty} \|h_n\|_1 (\|u\|_\infty)^n$$

QUESTION

Can we use these theoretical results **in practice**?

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Even for this basic example...

Computing $\|h_n\|_1$ is difficult in practice because of the rapidly increasing number of terms !

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with $S(t) = e^{At} \mathbf{1}_{\mathbb{R}_+}(t)$ (or C^0 semi-group [Curtain, Zwart, 1995])

Hyp.: (i) $\exists \alpha \in \mathbb{R}, \beta > 0$ s.t. $\forall t \in \mathbb{T}, \|S(t)\|_{\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{X})} \leq \beta e^{\alpha t}$
(ii) if $\mathbb{T} = \mathbb{R}_+$, $\alpha < 0$ (matrix A is Hurwitz)

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(Back to the) time-domain Volterra series expansion

Applying the perturbation method *(recall the preamble)*

The series expansion of the trajectories is $x(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} x_n(t)$

where x_n is solution of $\dot{x}_n = Ax_n + \chi_n, \quad x_n(0) = 0$

with $\chi_1(t) = Bu(t)$ and $\chi_{n \geq 2}(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{\max(M,n)} \sum_{p \in \mathbb{M}_n^k} A_k(x_{p_1}(t), \dots, x_{p_k}(t))$

$$\text{and } \mathbb{M}_n^K = \left\{ p \in (\mathbb{N}^*)^K \mid p_1 + \dots + p_K = n \right\}$$

Solution: convolution by the semi-group S

For all $n \geq 1$ and $t \in \mathbb{T}$, $x_n(t) = \int_0^t S(\tau) \chi_n(t - \tau) d\tau$

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$$x_{n \geq 3}(t) = \int_0^t e^{-a\tau} \left(\sum_{p \in \mathbb{M}_n^3} \varepsilon x_{p_1}(t - \tau) x_{p_2}(t - \tau) x_{p_3}(t - \tau) \right) d\tau$$

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Corollary

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Truncation error bound

Theorem 2 (truncation error bound)

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If $\|x_1\|_{\mathcal{X}} < \rho^*$ (or $\|u\|_{\mathcal{U}} < \rho_u$), then

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The proof stems from step 1

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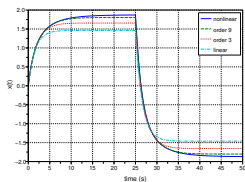
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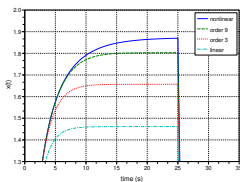
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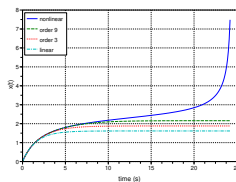
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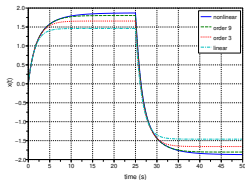


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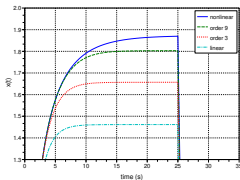
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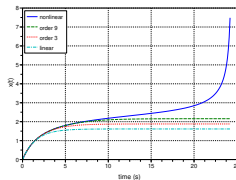
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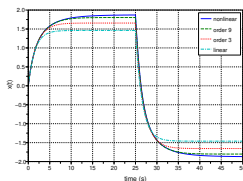
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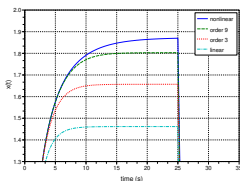
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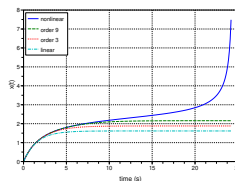
$e = 0.95 < \rho_U$



Idem: ZOOM



$e = 1.05 > \rho_U$



- $e < \rho^*$: the VS converges to the trajectory of the NL system
- $e > \rho^*$: the VS becomes divergent and the trajectory of the nonlinear system gets out of the domain of attraction of 0.

In this example (not in general!): (a) ρ^* and ρ_U are tight bounds; (b) the convergence domain coincides with the domain of attraction of 0.

Generalizations of theorems 1 and 2

[IEEE-TAC 2011]

(finite-dim. systems)

- Affine systems: $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu + P(x) + \text{Bilin}(Q(x), u)$

$$\text{with } P(x) = \sum_{m=2}^{+\infty} A_m(x, \dots, x)$$

$$\text{and } Q(x) = \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} B_m(x, \dots, x)$$

- \mathcal{U}, \mathcal{X} : Weighted- L^∞ spaces
(exponentially-damped input/output results)

[Automatica 2014]

(infinite-dim. systems)

- \mathbb{X}, \mathbb{U} : Banach spaces on the field \mathbb{R}
- $\dot{x} = L(x, u) + P(x) + \text{Bilin}(Q(x), u)$ where
 $\dot{x} = L(x, u)$ defines a distributed or boundary control linear system
- Non zero initial conditions

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Recall (§2): Volterra kernels of time-Varying systems

A definition is also available for time-varying systems:

$$y(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} g_n(t, \theta_1, \dots, \theta_n) u(\theta_1) \dots u(\theta_n) d\theta_1 \dots d\theta_n$$

Time-Invariant (TI) case and link with kernels h_n

$$\text{TI case: } y(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} h_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) u(t - \tau_1) \dots u(t - \tau_n) d\tau_1 \dots d\tau_n$$

Kernels g_n of a TI system are such that ($\theta_k = t - \tau_k$)

$$g_n(t, t - \tau_1, \dots, t - \tau_n) = h_n(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n)$$

does not depend on t

Causal kernels g_n

$$\exists k \text{ s.t. } \theta_k > t \Rightarrow g_n(t, \theta_1, \dots, \theta_k, \dots, \theta_n) = 0$$

Green-Volterra kernels

Basic idea: space-time problem \rightarrow space-time kernels.

Definition $u(r, t) \xrightarrow{\{g_n\}} y(r, t)$ $(r, t) \in \Omega \times \mathbb{R}$

A system is defined by the Green-Volterra series $\{g_n\}_{n \geq 1}$ if

$$u(r, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \int_{(\Omega \times \mathbb{R})^n} g_n(r, t; \rho_1, \theta_1, \dots, \rho_n, \theta_n) u(\rho_1, \theta_1) \dots u(\rho_n, \theta_n) \times d\rho_1 d\theta_1 \dots d\rho_n d\theta_n$$

Time-invariant kernels and Transfer kernels

- Time-invariance : $\exists h_n$ s.t. $\forall r, t$ and ρ_1, \dots, ρ_n and τ_1, \dots, τ_n ,

$$g_n(r, t; \rho_1, t - \tau_1, \dots, \rho_n, t - \tau_n) = h_n(r; \rho_1, \tau_1, \dots, \rho_n, \tau_n)$$

- Transfer kernels = Laplace transform of h_n w.r.t. to τ_1, \dots, τ_n

$$= H_n(r; \rho_1, s_1, \dots, \rho_n, s_n)$$

\rightarrow Interconnection laws can be generalized

Dimensionless model

$(\Omega =]0, 1[, \mathbb{T} = \mathbb{R}_+)$

$$\underbrace{\partial_t^2 w + 2\alpha \partial_t w - \partial_x^2 w}_{L_{x,t}[w]} + \underbrace{\varepsilon \left[\int_0^1 (\partial_x w)^2 dx \right]}_{-A_3(w,w,w)} \partial_x^2 w = f \quad \text{in } \Omega \times \mathbb{T}$$

(BC: Dirichlet ; IC: zero ; damping: $\alpha > 0$; NL: $\varepsilon > 0$)

A damped Kirchhoff-Carrier String [Roze, Hélie, JSV2014]

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Linearized problem: Green function ($\text{Re}(s) > -2\alpha$)

Space-Time

$$L_{x,t}[g_1](x, t; \xi, \theta) = \delta(x - \xi) \otimes \delta(t - \theta)$$

Space-Laplace

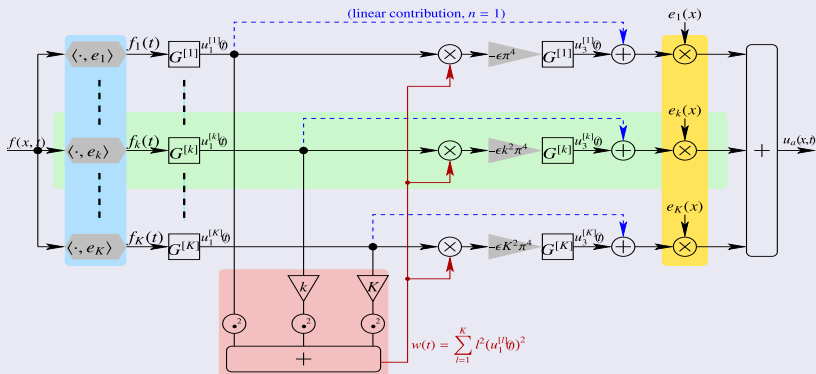
$$\underbrace{[s^2 + 2\alpha s - \partial_x^2]}_{\Gamma(s)^2} H_1(x; \xi, s) = \delta(\xi - x)$$

$$H_1(x; s, \xi) = \frac{\cosh((-1 + x + \xi)\Gamma(s)) - \cosh((1 - |x - \xi|)\Gamma(s))}{2\Gamma(s) \sinh(\Gamma(s))}$$

Higher order Green-Volterra kernels (details in the paper)

$$H_n(\mathbf{x}; \xi_1, \mathbf{s}_1, \dots, \xi_n, \mathbf{s}_n) = \int_{\Omega} H_1(\mathbf{x}; \zeta, \mathbf{s}_1 + \dots + \mathbf{s}_n) \\ \times \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{M}_n^3} A_{\zeta}^3 \left(H_{p_1}(\zeta; \xi_1, \mathbf{s}_1, \dots), H_{p_2}(\zeta; \xi_{p_1+1}, \mathbf{s}_{p_1+1}, \dots), H_{p_3}(\zeta; \dots) \right) d\zeta$$

Decomposition on eigenfunctions e_k + Order reduction



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Euler-Bernoulli Model

Damped nonlinear pinned beam excited by a distributed force with:

(H1) Euler-Bernoulli kinematics

(any cross-section before deformation remains straight after deformation)

(H2) Viscous (a) and structural (b) damping phenomena

(H3) Von Karman's assumptions

(coupling between axial and bending movements → nonlinearity)

Dimensionless PDE: deflection waves $w(z, t)$ ($z \in \Omega =]0, 1[$, $t \in T = \mathbb{R}_+$)

$$\partial_t^2 w + 2(a + b\partial_z^4) \partial_t w + \partial_z^4 w - \eta \left(\int_0^1 (\partial_z w)^2 dz \right) \partial_z^2 w = f \text{ (distributed force)}$$

Conditions and coefficients

-Pinned beam: $w(z, t) = 0$ (fixed) and $\partial_z^2 w(z, t) = 0$ (no momentum) at $z \in \{0, 1\}$

-Zero initial conditions: $w(z, t = 0) = 0$ and $\partial_t w(z, t = 0) = 0$

-Damping: $a > 0$, $b > 0$

-Nonlinear coupling: $\eta > 0$

Functional setting

$$\partial_t^2 w + \partial_z^4 w + 2(a + b\partial_z^4)\partial_t w - \eta \left(\int_0^1 (\partial_z w)^2 dz \right) \partial_z^2 w = f \quad +\text{BC+IC}$$

State-Space Formulation for $u \in \mathcal{U}$ with $\mathbb{U} = \mathbb{H} := L^2(0, 1)$

$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu + A_3(x, x, x)$$

with $x = [w, \dot{w}]^T$ and $u = f$

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Bi-laplacian and laplacian op.: domains and properties

(unbounded in \mathbb{H})

[Curtain, Jacob, Zwart, ...]

$$\Delta^2: D(\Delta^2) = \{w \in H^4(0, 1) \text{ s.t. } w(0) = w(1) = 0, w''(0) = w''(1) = 0\}$$

Δ^2 is closed, densely defined, self-adjoint, positive on \mathbb{H}

$\Rightarrow \exists$ uniquely defined positive square root $(-\Delta)$

$$\Delta: D(\Delta) = \{w \in H^2(0, 1) \text{ s.t. } w(0) = w(1) = 0\}$$

$\mathbb{H}^{\frac{1}{2}} = D(\Delta)$ endowed with norm $\|\cdot\| = \|\Delta \cdot\|_{\mathbb{H}}$ is a Hilbert space

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Well-posedness: linearized system [Curtain, Jacob, Zwart, ...]

- $\mathbb{U} = \mathbb{H}$ and $\mathbb{X} = \mathbb{H}^{\frac{1}{2}} \times \mathbb{H}$ with norm $\|x\|_{\mathbb{X}} = \left(\|x_1\|_{\mathbb{H}^{\frac{1}{2}}}^2 + \|x_2\|_{\mathbb{H}}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$
- A on $D(A) = \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{H}^{\frac{1}{2}} \times \mathbb{H}^{\frac{1}{2}}, 2(a + b\partial_z^4)v + \partial_z^4 u \in \mathbb{H}\}$ generates a C^0 contraction semigroup on $\mathbb{X} \quad \Rightarrow \gamma = \|S\| < \infty$
- $B \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{U}, \mathbb{X})$ and $\|B\|_{\mathcal{L}} = 1$.

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Well-posedness: nonlinear system

$$\|A_3\|_{\mathcal{M}\mathcal{L}_3(\mathbb{X}, \mathbb{X}, \mathbb{X})} < a_3 := \eta / (3\sqrt{10})$$

$\Rightarrow \exists \rho^*, \rho_u > 0$ (Validity domain $\|u\| < \rho_u$)

Modal decomposition (linearized model: $\partial_t^2 w + 2(a + b\partial_z^4) \partial_t w + \partial_z^4 w = f$)

Basis of $L^2(0, 1)$: $\{e_m\}_{m \geq 1}$ with $e_m(z) = \sqrt{2} \sin(k_m z)$ for $k_m = m\pi$

Eigenfunctions: $\partial_z^4 e_m = k_m^4 e_m$ and BC satisfied

Normed and orthogonal: $\|e_m\|_{L^2} = 1$ and $\langle e_m, e_n \rangle_{L^2} = 0$ if $m \neq n$

Model order reduction on M modes: $E = [e_1, \dots, e_M]^T$

Excitation: $f(z, t) = E(z)^T F(t)$ with $F = [f_1, \dots, f_M]^T$

Decomposition (exact): $w(z, t) = E(z)^T W(t)$ with $W = [w_1, \dots, w_M]^T$

Dynamics of modes ($1 \leq m \leq M$): $\ddot{w}_m + 2(a + bk_m^4) \dot{w}_m + k_m^4 w_m = f_m$

State-space representation

(dimension = $2M$)

Input $u = F$, state $x = [W^T, \dot{W}^T]^T$

Dynamic equation:

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

$$x(0) = 0_{2M \times 1}.$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0_{M \times M} & I_M \\ -K^4 & -2(aI_M + bK^4) \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 0_{M \times M} \\ I_M \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad K = \text{diag}(k_1, \dots, k_M)$$

Solution and properties

$(u \in \mathcal{U} = L^\infty(\mathbb{T}, \mathbb{U})$ living in $\mathbb{U} = \mathbb{R}^M$
and $x_{\text{in}} \in \mathcal{X} = L^\infty(\mathbb{T}, \mathbb{X})$ living in $\mathbb{X} = \mathbb{R}^{2M}$)

Solution $u \rightarrow \boxed{S} \rightarrow x_{\text{in}}$

$$x_{\text{in}}(t) = \int_0^\infty S(t-\tau)Bu(\tau) d\tau \quad \text{with} \quad S(t) = \exp(At)1_{t>0}.$$

Bounded input ($u \in \mathcal{U}$) \Rightarrow bounded output ($x \in \mathcal{X}$). Why?

Due to damping, $\|S(t)\|_{\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{X}, \mathbb{X})}$ is exponentially decreasing so that

$$\|x_{\text{in}}\|_{\mathcal{X}} \leq \underbrace{\gamma \|B\|_{\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{X}, \mathbb{U})}}_1 \|u\|_{\mathcal{U}} \quad \text{where} \quad \gamma \geq \gamma^* := \int_{\mathbb{T}} \|S(t)\|_{\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{X}, \mathbb{X})} dt > 0$$

Hypotheses for musical applications

- (i) the first mode ($m = 1$) has a damped oscillating dynamics $(\frac{a}{\pi^2} + b\pi^2 < 1)$
 - (ii) higher modes are more damped $(2b(a - b\pi^4) \leq 1)$
- $\Rightarrow \gamma = 1/(a + b\pi^4)$ is a bound

Nonlinear problem $(\partial_t^2 w + 2(a + b\partial_z^4) \partial_t w + \partial_z^4 w - \eta \left(\int_0^1 (\partial_z w)^2 dz \right) \partial_z^2 w = f)$

Property: the nonlinear operator preserves the co-linearity of functions e_m

$$w(z, t) = E(z)^T W(t) \Rightarrow -\eta \left(\int_0^1 (\partial_z w)^2 dz \right) \partial_z^2 w = \eta (W^T K^2 W) K^2 W$$

Exact reduced order state-space representation

$$\dot{x}(t) = Ax(t) + Bu(t) + \underbrace{A_3(x(t), x(t), x(t))}_{\text{multi-linear op.}} \quad \text{and } x(0) = 0_{2M \times 1},$$

$$A_3(a, b, c) = \eta \left(a^T \begin{bmatrix} K^2 & 0_{M \times M} \\ 0_{M \times M} & 0_{M \times M} \end{bmatrix} b \right) \begin{bmatrix} 0_{M \times M} & 0_{M \times M} \\ -K^2 & 0_{M \times M} \end{bmatrix} c$$

A_3 is bounded

$$\|A_3\| = \sup_{\|x_1\|_X = \dots = \|x_3\|_X = 1} \|A_3(x_1, x_2, x_3)\|_X$$

$$\|A_3\| \leq \frac{\eta}{2\sqrt{10}}$$

Solution as a series expansion with respect to input u (Volterra series)

Problem: Solve $\dot{x}(t) = A x(t) + B u(t) + A_3(x(t), x(t), x(t)); x(0) = 0$

Idea: (1) Mark u by $\varepsilon > 0$ ($u \rightarrow \varepsilon u$); (2) Expand the solution x w.r.t. ε

$$x(t) = \sum_{m=1}^{+\infty} \varepsilon^m x_m(t) \quad (+ \text{inject} + \text{isolate each order } \varepsilon^m)$$

$x_1 = x_{\text{lin}}$: solution of the linearized problem (order in ε^1)

$$x_1(t) = \int_0^t S(t-\tau) B u(\tau) d\tau, \quad \text{with } S(t) = \exp(At) \mathbf{1}_{t>0}.$$

x_m ($m \geq 2$): homogeneous order m (order in ε^m)

$$x_m(t) = \int_0^t S(t-\tau) \chi_m(\tau) d\tau$$

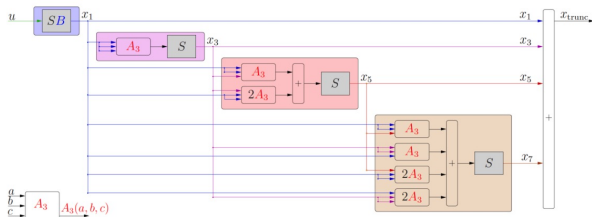
with $\chi_m(\tau) = \sum_{p_1+p_2+p_3=m} A_3(x_{p_1}(\tau), x_{p_2}(\tau), x_{p_3}(\tau))$

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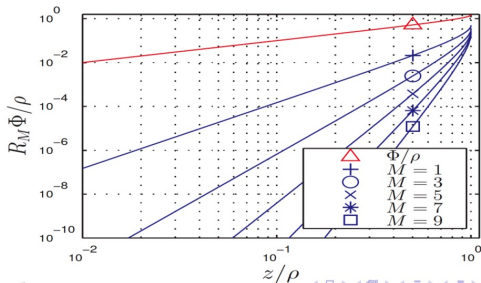
Convergence and error bound (from Hélie & Laroche [IEEE-TAC,2010], [Automatica,2014])

General result: if $\|x_1\|_{\mathcal{X}} < \rho$, then

(i) x is bounded (convergence in norm) $\|x\|_{\mathcal{X}} < \Phi(\|x_1\|_{\mathcal{X}})$

(ii) truncation error: idem $\left\| x - \sum_{m=1}^M x_m \right\|_{\mathcal{X}} < R_M \Phi(\|x_1\|_{\mathcal{X}})$

Beam: $\rho = \frac{2\sqrt[4]{10}}{3} \sqrt{\frac{a + b\pi^4}{\eta}}$, $\forall z \in [0, \rho]$, $\Phi(z) = 3\rho \cos\left(\frac{\pi + \arccos(z/\rho)}{3}\right)$

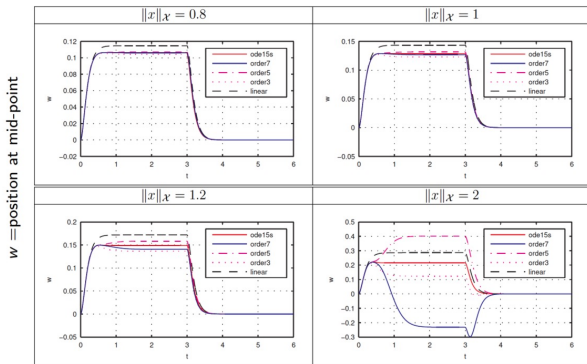


Configuration 1: 1 mode (Duffing osc.) & excitation=pulse $u(t) = u_0 1_{[0,T]}(t)$

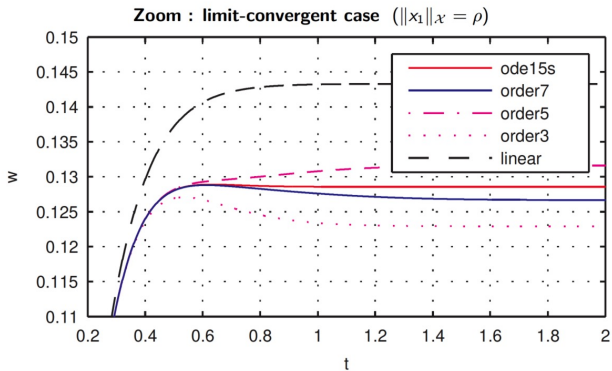
Parameters: $\rho = 1$, $a = \pi^2$, $b = 0$ (critical regime), $T = 3s$

Convergence tests: $\|x_1\|_{\mathcal{X}} \in \{0.8; 1; 1.2; 2\}$

Reference trajectory: solver for stiff ODEs & high sampling rate (ode15s.m)



Configuration 1: 1 mode (Duffing osc.) & excitation=pulse $u(t) = u_0 1_{[0,\tau]}(t)$

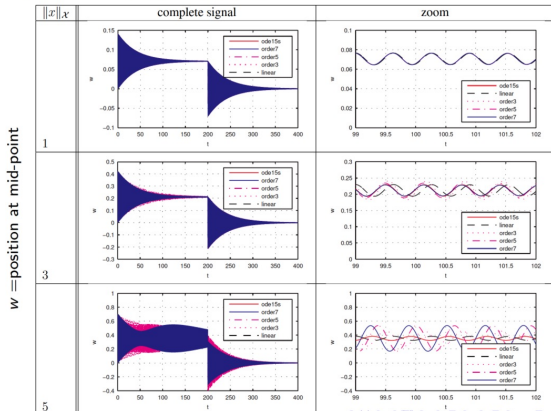


Configuration 2: 3 modes (coupled Duffing) & excitation $u_{m \geq 3}(t) = u_0 1_{[0, T]}(t)$

Parameters: $\rho = 1$, $a = 0.02$, $b = 5 \times 10^{-5}$ (wooden oscillating beam), $T = 200s$

Oscillations: pitch $f_1 = 220\text{Hz}$ (mode 1) for $f_{\text{sampling}} = 48000\text{Hz}$

Convergence tests: $\|x_1\|_{\mathcal{X}} \in \{1; 3; 5\}$



Conclusion

Contributions: pros

- Simulation of a nonlinear model of a beam
 - Regular perturbation approach (Volterra series expansion)
 - Modal decomposition & set of "linear systems + static nonlinearities"
 - Convergence domain and truncation error bound are characterized
 - Fast convergence inside the domain: ($m=1,3,5,7$ are sufficient)
- **Capture distortions for any –even complex– signal shape**

Contributions: cons = outside the convergence domain

- (Characterized but) limited validity w.r.t. amplitude
 - Increasing secular modes appear
- **do not correctly capture frequency modulations**

Further work

- Propose extensions to represent such modulations
- Adapted perturbation method (inspired from multiple scales ?)

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General conclusion

Volterra series are used to represent, analyze, control and simulate some Input/Output systems which include distortions

In this course

- **Derivation of the kernels** of a system (ODE or PDE)
- Kernels of an **inverse system (open-loop)** and a **closed-loop system (feedback)**
- **Audio applications** and **simulations**
- **Computable convergence radius** and error bound

Other topic related to control issues: **identification**

- Hammerstein models: method based on a log-sweep
[Farina, AES, 2000], [Novak et al.: IEEE-TIM, 2010], [Rébillat et al.: JSV, 2011]
- Separation of orders: see e.g. Boyd (*based on amplitude*) and Bouvier (*+phase*): <https://medias.ircam.fr/x5662ab>
- Group of Joannes and Maarten Schoukens (Belgium)