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# Model Reduction for Dynamical Systems

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A microthruster

Upper-left<sup>1</sup>: the structure of an array of pyrotechnical thrusters. Lower-right: the structure of a 2D-axisymmetric model.







- When the PolySilicon (green) in the middle is excited by a current, the fuel below is ignited and the explosion will occur through the nozzle.
- The thermal process can be modeled by a heat transfer partial differential equation, while the heat exchange through device interfaces is modeled by convection boundary conditions with different film coefficients h<sub>t</sub>, h<sub>s</sub>, h<sub>b</sub>.
- The film coefficients  $h_t$ ,  $h_s$ ,  $h_b$  respectively describe the heat exchange on the top, side, and bottom of the microthruster with the outside surroundings. The values of the film coefficients can change from 1 to  $10^9$





After finite element discretization of the 2D-axisymmetric model, a parameterized system is derived,

$$\begin{aligned} E\dot{x} &= (A - h_t A_t - h_s A_s - h_b A_b) x + B \\ y &= Cx. \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Here,  $h_t$ ,  $h_s$ ,  $h_b$  are the parameters and the dimension of the system is n = 4,257. We observe the temperature at the center of the PolySilicon heater changing with time and the film coefficient, which defines the output of the system<sup>2</sup>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Detailed description of the parameterized system can be find at http://simulation.uni-freiburg.de/downloads/benchmark



The second example is a butterfly gyroscope. The parameterized system is obtained by finite element discretization of the model for the gyroscope (The details of the model can be found in [Moosmann07]).







- The paddles of the device are excited to a vibration z(t), where all paddles vibrate in phase. With the external rotation φ, the Coriolis force acts upon the paddles, which causes an out-of-phase movement measured as the z-displacement difference δz between the two red dotted nodes.
- The interesting output of the system is  $\delta z$ , the difference of the displacement z(t) between the two end nodes depicted as red dots on the same side of the bearing.





The system is of the following form:

$$M(d)\ddot{x} + D(\theta, \alpha, \beta, d)\dot{x} + T(d)x = Bu(t)$$
  

$$y = Cx.$$
(2)

• 
$$M(d) = (M_1 + dM_2), D(\theta, \alpha, \beta, d) = \theta(D_1 + dD_2) + \alpha M(d) + \beta T(d), \text{ and } T(d) = (T_1 + \frac{1}{d}T_2 + dT_3).$$

Parameters d, θ, α, β. d is the width of the bearing, and θ is the rotation velocity along the x axis. α, β are used to form the Rayleigh damping matrices αM(d), βT(d) in D(θ, α, β, d).

• The dimension of the system is n = 17913.



The third example is a silicon-nitride membrane<sup>3</sup>. This structure resembles a micro-hotplate similar to other micro-fabricated devices such as gas sensors [GrafBT04] and infrared sources [SpannSH05].



Temperature distribution over the silicon-nitride membrane.

<sup>3</sup>Picture courtesy of T. Bechtold, IMTEK, University of Freiburg, Germany.



The model of the silicon-nitride membrane is a system with four parameters [BechtoldHRG10].

$$(E_0 + \rho c_p E_1) \dot{x} + (K_0 + \kappa K_1 + h K_2) x = Bu(t) y = Cx.$$
 (3)

• The mass density  $\rho$  in kg/m<sup>3</sup>, the specific heat capacity  $c_{\rho}$  in J/kg/K, the thermal conductivity in W/m/K, and the heat transfer coefficient h in W/m<sup>2</sup>/K.

• The dimension of the system is n = 60020.





## In frequency domain

Using Laplace transform, the system in time domain is transformed into

$$E(s_1,\ldots,s_p)x = Bu(s_p), y = L^T x,$$

$$(4)$$

where the matrix  $E \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is parametrized. The new parameter  $s_p$  is in fact the frequency parameter s, which corresponds to time t.

In case of a nonlinear and/or non-affine dependence of the matrix E on the parameters, the system in (4) is first transformed to an affine form

$$(E_0 + \tilde{s}_1 E_1 + \tilde{s}_2 E_2 + \ldots + \tilde{s}_p E_p) x = Bu(s_p),$$
  

$$y = L^T x.$$
(5)

Here the newly defined parameters  $\tilde{s}_i$ , i = 1, ..., p, might be some functions (rational, polynomial) of the original parameters  $s_i$  in (4).

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To obtain the projection matrix V for the reduced model, the state x in (5) is expanded into a Taylor series at an expansion point  $\tilde{s}_0 = (\tilde{s}_1^0, \dots, \tilde{s}_p^0)^T$  as below,

$$x = [I - (\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p)]^{-1} \tilde{E}^{-1} Bu(s_p)$$
  
=  $\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p]^m \tilde{E}^{-1} Bu(s_p)$   
=  $\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k_2=0}^{m-(k_3 + \ldots + k_p)} \ldots \sum_{k_{p-1}=0}^{m-k_p} F_{k_2, \ldots, k_p}^m(M_1, \ldots, M_p)$  (6)

where 
$$\sigma_i = \tilde{s}_i - \tilde{s}_i^0$$
,  $\tilde{E} = E_0 + \tilde{s}_1^0 E_1 + \ldots + \tilde{s}_p^0 E_p$ ,  $M_i = -\tilde{E}^{-1} E_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \ldots p$ , and  $B_M = \tilde{E}^{-1} B$ .



- $\sigma^0$ :  $L^T B_M$ : the 0th order multi-moment; the columns in  $B_M$ : the 0th order moment vectors.
- σ<sup>1</sup>: L<sup>T</sup>M<sub>i</sub>B<sub>M</sub>, i = 1, 2, ..., p: the first order multi-moments; the columns in M<sub>i</sub>B<sub>M</sub>, i = 1, 2, ..., p: the first order moment vectors.
- $\sigma^2$ : ...; the columns in  $M_i^2 B_M$ , i = 1, 2, ..., p,  $(M_1 M_i + M_i M_1) B_M$ , i = 2, ..., p,  $(M_2 M_i + M_i M_2) B_M$ , i = 3, ..., p, ...,  $(M_{p-1} M_p + M_p M_{p-1}) B_M$ : the second order moment vectors.

Since the coefficients corresponding not only to  $s = s_p$ , but also to those associated with the other parameters  $s_i$ , i = 1, ..., p - 1 are, we call them as **multi-moments** of the transfer function.



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For the general case, the projection matrix  $\boldsymbol{V}$  is constructed as

$$range \{V\}$$

$$= colspan \{ \bigcup_{m=0}^{m_q} \bigcup_{k_2=0}^{m-(k_p+\ldots+k_3)} \dots \bigcup_{k_{p-1}=0}^{m-k_p} \bigcup_{k_p=0}^{m} F_{k_2,\ldots,k_p}^m (M_1,\ldots,M_p)B_M \}$$

$$= colspan \{ B_M, M_1B_M, M_2B_M, \ldots, M_pB_M, (M_1)^2B_M, (M_1M_2 + M_2M_1)B_M, \ldots, \\ (M_1M_p + M_pM_1)B_M, (M_2)^2B_M, (M_2M_3 + M_3M_2)B_M, \ldots \}.$$

$$(7)$$





By observing the power series expansion of x in (6), we get the following equivalent, but different formulation,

$$\begin{aligned} x &= [I - (\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p)]^{-1} \tilde{E}^{-1} B u \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p]^m B_M u \\ &= B_M u + [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p] B_M u \\ &+ [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p]^2 B_M u + \ldots \\ &+ [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p]^j B_M u + \ldots \end{aligned}$$

By defining

$$\begin{aligned} x_0 &= B_M, \\ x_1 &= [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p] B_M, \\ x_2 &= [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p]^2 B_M, \ldots, \\ x_j &= [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p]^j B_M, \ldots, \end{aligned}$$

we have  $x = (x_0 + x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_i + \dots)u$  and obtain the recursive relations

(8)



$$\begin{aligned} x_0 &= B_M, \\ x_1 &= [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p] x_0, \\ x_2 &= [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p] x_1, \ldots \\ x_j &= [\sigma_1 M_1 + \ldots + \sigma_p M_p] x_{j-1}, \ldots. \end{aligned}$$

If we define a vector sequence based on the coefficient matrices of  $x_j$ , j = 0, 1, ... as below,

$$R_{0} = B_{M},$$

$$R_{1} = [M_{1}R_{0}, M_{2}R_{0}, \dots, M_{p}R_{0}],$$

$$R_{2} = [M_{1}R_{1}, M_{2}R_{1}, \dots, M_{p}R_{1}],$$

$$\vdots$$

$$R_{j} = [M_{1}R_{j-1}, M_{2}R_{j-1}, \dots, M_{p}R_{j-1}],$$

$$\vdots$$
(9)



and let R be the subspace spanned by the vectors in  $R_j$ ,  $j = 0, 1, \dots, m$ :

$$R = \operatorname{colspan}\{R_0, \ldots, R_j, \ldots, R_m\},\$$

then there exists  $z \in \mathbb{R}^q$ , such that  $x \approx Vz$ . Here the columns in  $V \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times q}$  is a basis of R. We see that the terms in  $R_j$ , j = 0, 1, ..., m are the coefficients of the parameters in the series expansion (8). They are also the *j*-th order moment vectors.

How to compute an orthonormal basis V?





#### Algorithm 1: Compute $V = [v_1, v_2, \dots, v_q]$ [Benner, Feng'14]

Initialize  $a_1 = 0$ ,  $a_2 = 0$ , sum = 0. Compute  $R_0 = \tilde{E}^{-1}B$ . if multiple input then Orthogonalize the columns in  $R_0$  using MGS:  $[v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_{a_1}] = \operatorname{orth} \{R_0\}$  with respect to a user given tolerance  $\varepsilon > 0$ specifying the deflation criterion for numerically linearly dependent vectors. (%  $q_1$  is the number of columns remained after deflation w.r.t.  $\varepsilon$ .)  $sum = q_1$ else  $v_1 = R_0 / ||R_0||_2$ sum = 1end if

Compute the orthonormal columns in  $R_1, R_2, \ldots, R_m$  iteratively as below:



#### continued

for i = 1, 2, ..., m do  $a_2 = sum$ : for t = 1, 2, ..., p do if  $a_1 = a_2$  then stop else for  $j = a_1 + 1, \dots a_2$  do  $w = \tilde{E}^{-1}E_t v_i$ ; col = sum + 1; for k = 1, 2, ..., col - 1 do  $h = v_k^T w; w = w - h v_k$ end for if  $||w||_2 > \varepsilon$  then  $v_{col} = \frac{w}{\|w\|_2}$ ; sum = col; end if end for end if end for  $a_1 = a_2$ : end for Orthogonalize the columns in V by MGS w.r.t.  $\varepsilon$ .

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## Adaptively select expansion points

Let  $\mu = (\tilde{s}_1, \dots, \tilde{s}_p)$ ,  $\Delta(\mu)$  is an error estimation, or error bound for  $\hat{x}/\hat{y}$ , the state/output of the system computed from ROM.

Greedy algorithm: Adaptive selection of the expansion points  $\mu^i$ 

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V = []; \epsilon = 1;
Initial expansion point: \mu^0: i = -1:
\Xi_{train}: a large set of the samples of \mu
WHILE \epsilon > \epsilon_{tot}
   i = i + 1:
   \mu^i = \hat{\mu}
   Use Algorithm 1 to compute V_i = span\{R_0, \ldots, R_q\}_{u_i};
   V = [V, V_i]
   \hat{\mu} = \arg \max_{\mu \in \Xi_{train}} \Delta(\mu);
   \epsilon = \Delta(\hat{\mu}):
END WHILE
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Example 1: A MEMS model with 4 parameters (benchmark available at http://modlereduction.org),

$$\begin{array}{rcl} M(d)\ddot{x}+D(\theta,\alpha,\beta,d)\dot{x}+T(d)x&=&Bu(t),\\ y&=&Cx. \end{array}$$

Here,  $M(d) = (M_1 + dM_2)$ ,  $T(d) = (T_1 + \frac{1}{d}T_2 + dT_3)$ ,  $D(\theta, \alpha, \beta, d) = \theta(D_1 + dD_2) + \alpha M(d) + \beta T(d) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ , n=17,913. Parameters,  $d, \theta, \alpha, \beta$ .





- $\theta \in [10^{-7}, 10^{-5}]$ ,  $s \in 2\pi\sqrt{-1} \times [0.05, 0.25]$ ,  $d \in [1, 2]$ .
- $\equiv \Xi_{train}$ : 3 random  $\theta$ , 10 random s, 5 random d,  $\alpha = 0$ ,  $\beta = 0$  [Salimbahrami et al.' 06]. Totally 150 samples of  $\mu$ .









Example 2: a silicon nitride membrane

$$(E_0 + \rho c_p E_1) dx/dt + (K_0 + \kappa K_1 + h K_2)x = bu(t)$$
  
$$y = Cx.$$

Here, the parameters  $\rho \in [3000, 3200]$ ,  $c_{\rho} \in [400, 750]$ ,  $\kappa \in [2.5, 4]$ ,  $h \in [10, 12]$ ,  $f \in [0, 25]$  Hz  $\Xi_{train}$ : 2250 random samples have been taken for the four parameters and the frequency.  $\varepsilon_{true}^{re} = \max_{\mu \in \Xi_{train}} |H(\mu) - \hat{H}(\mu)| / |H(\mu)|, \ \hat{\Delta}^{re}(\mu) = \hat{\Delta}(\mu) / |\hat{H}(\mu)|$ 

iteration	$arepsilon^{re}_{true}$	$\hat{\Delta}^{re}(\mu^i)$
1	$1 imes 10^{-3}$	3.44
2	$1 imes 10^{-4}$	$4.59 imes10^{-2}$
3	$2.80 imes10^{-5}$	$4.07 imes10^{-2}$
4	$2.58 imes10^{-6}$	$2.62  imes 10^{-5}$

$$V_{\mu^i = \mathrm{span}\{B_M, R_1\}}$$
,  $\epsilon^{re}_{tol} = 10^{-2}$ ,  $n = 60,020$ ,  $r = 8$ ,

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- **E**  $\equiv_{train}$ : 3 samples for  $\kappa$ , 10 samples for the frequency.
- **•**  $\Xi_{var}$ : 16 samples for  $\kappa$ , 51 samples for the frequency.



Relative error of the final ROM over  $\Xi_{var}$ .





#### Consider a linear parametric system

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(p_1, p_2, \cdots, p_l) \frac{dx}{dt} &= G(p_1, p_2, \cdots, p_l) x + B(p_1, p_2, \cdots, p_l) u(t), \\ y(t) &= L(p_1, p_2, \cdots, p_l)^{\mathrm{T}} x, \end{aligned}$$
 (10)

where the system matrices  $C(p_1, p_2, \dots, p_l)$ ,  $G(p_1, p_2, \dots, p_l)$ ,  $B(p_1, p_2, \dots, p_l)$ ,  $LT(p_1, p_2, \dots, p_l)$ , are (maybe, nonlinear, non-affine) functions of the parameters  $p_1, p_2, p_l$ .

A straight forward way is [Baur, et.al'11]: Set a group of samples of  $\mu = (p_1, \ldots, p_l)$ :  $\mu^0, \ldots, \mu^l$ . For each sample  $\mu^i = (p_1^i, \ldots, p_l^i)$ ,  $i = 1 \ldots, l$ , implement IRKA to get the projection matrices  $W_i, V_i$ . The final projection matrices:

- range(V) = orth $(V_1, \ldots, V_l)$ ,
- range(W) = orth( $W_1, \ldots, W_l$ ),
- $W = W(V^T W)^{-1}$ .



The reduced parametric model is:

**Parametric ROM** 

$$W^{T}C(p_{1}, p_{2}, \cdots, p_{l})V_{\frac{dx}{dt}} = W^{T}G(p_{1}, p_{2}, \cdots, p_{l})V_{x} + W^{T}B(p_{1}, p_{2}, \cdots, p_{l})u(t),$$
  
y(t) =  $L(p_{1}, p_{2}, \cdots, p_{l})^{T}V_{x},$ 

Question: How to select the samples of  $\mu$  ?





Nonafine matrices are those matrices that cannot be written as:

$$E(p_1,\ldots,p_l)=E_0+p_1E_1+\ldots,p_lE_l.$$

- PMOR based on multi-moment-matching cannot directly deal with nonaffine case. We must first approximate with affine matrices.
- IRKA can deal with nonaffine matrices directly.





### Steady parametric systems

$$E(p_1,\ldots,p_l)x=B(p_1,\ldots,p_l)$$

- Solving steady systems for multi-query tasks is also time-consuming.
- Application of PMOR based on multi-moment-matching to steady systems is straight forward.
- IRKA ?.

CSC Applicable to nonlinear parametric systems?

Nonlinear parametric systems:

$$f(\mu, x) = b(\mu),$$

or

$$\begin{split} \mathsf{E}(\mu) \frac{dx}{dt} &= \mathsf{A}(\mu) \mathsf{x} + f(\mu, \mathsf{x}) = \mathsf{B}(\mu) u(t), \\ \mathsf{y}(t) &= \mathsf{L}(\mu)^{\mathrm{T}} \mathsf{x}, \end{split}$$

 $\mu = (p_1,\ldots,p_m), x = x(\mu,t).$ 

- PMOR based on multi-moment matching or IRKA could deal with weakly nonlinear parametric systems.
- Good candidates for MOR of general nonlinear parametric systems are POD and reduced basis methods.
- **To be introduced**: POD and reduced basis method for linear and nonlinear parametric systems.



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