

Approximation for control of Port-Hamiltonian systems

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 - ▶ Rational approximation of irrational positive-real function

Model Approximation Problem

Full-Order Model

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= Ax(t) + Bu(t); \quad x(0) = x_0; \\ y(t) &= Cx(t) + Du(t); \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

where $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is the state variable.

$$G(s) = C(sI_n - A)^{-1}B + D \quad (2)$$

Reduced-Order Model

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_r(t) &= A_r x_r(t) + B_r u(t); \quad x_r(0) = x_{r0}; \\ y_r(t) &= C_r x_r(t) + D_r u(t); \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

$$G_r(s) = C_r(sI_r - A_r)^{-1}B_r + D_r \quad (4)$$

G_r of order $r \ll n$

Projection-based approach

Petrov-Galerkin projective approximation

Two r -dimensional subspaces $\mathcal{V}_r, \mathcal{W}_r \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ associated with two basis matrices $V, W \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$ such that $\mathcal{V}_r = \text{ran}(V)$ and $\mathcal{W}_r = \text{ran}(W)$, respectively.

$$x(t) \approx Vx_r(t)$$

Residual is then constrained to be orthogonal to W .
The r -dimensional reduced model (3) with

$$\begin{aligned} A_r &= W^T A V, & B_r &= W^T B; \\ C_r &= C V, & D_r &= D. \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

How to find V and W ?

Proper Orthogonal Decomposition

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = C(sI - A)^{-1}B \text{ with } D = 0 \quad (6)$$

Considering $U(s) = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} X(s) &= (sI - A)^{-1}B \\ Y(s) &= CX(s). \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

State snapshot matrix

$$S = [X(s_1), X(s_2), \dots, X(x_N)] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times N}. \quad (8)$$

Apply SVD as follows

$$S = Q\Sigma P^T \approx Q_r \Sigma_r P_r^T \quad (9)$$

Approximate the state as:

$$X(s) \approx Q_r \hat{X}(s), \text{ with } \hat{X}(s) \in \mathbb{R}^r \quad (10)$$

and, $A_r = Q_r^T A Q_r$, $B_r = Q_r^T B$, $C_r = C Q_r$.

Model approximation of Port-Hamiltonian System

Port-Hamiltonian System(PHS):

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= (\mathbb{J}_{2n} - \mathcal{R})\mathcal{H}x(t) + Bu(t) \\ y(t) &= B^T\mathcal{H}x(t)\end{aligned}\quad (11)$$

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}, \mathcal{R} = \mathcal{R}^T \geq 0 \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}, \mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}^T > 0 \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n},$$

$$\mathbb{J}_{2n} = \begin{bmatrix} 0_n & I_n \\ -I_n & 0_n \end{bmatrix}. \quad (12)$$

Model approximation of PHS

$$G(s) = B^T\mathcal{H}(sI_{2n} - (\mathbb{J}_{2n} - \mathcal{R})\mathcal{H})^{-1}B. \quad (13)$$

$$G_r(s) = \hat{B}^T\hat{\mathcal{H}}(sI_{2k} - (\mathbb{J}_{2k} - \hat{\mathcal{R}})\hat{\mathcal{H}})^{-1}\hat{B}. \quad (14)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z}(t) &= (\mathbb{J}_{2k} - \hat{\mathcal{R}})\hat{\mathcal{H}}z(t) + \hat{B}u(t) \\ \hat{y}(t) &= \hat{B}^T\hat{\mathcal{H}}z(t),\end{aligned}\quad (15)$$

Problem: POD do not preserve the port-Hamiltonian structure

Symplectic Model Approximation

Symplectic Vector Space

Let, \mathbb{V} be a vector space of dimension $2n$. A symplectic form on \mathbb{V} is a bilinear mapping $\Omega : \mathbb{V} \times \mathbb{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ that is

1. Antisymmetric: $\Omega(v, \bar{v}) = -\Omega(\bar{v}, v)$, for all $v, \bar{v} \in \mathbb{V}$
2. Non-degenerate: $\Omega(v, \bar{v}) = 0$, for all $v \in \mathbb{V}$ if and only if $\bar{v} = 0$

The pair (\mathbb{V}, Ω) is called a symplectic vector space.

Example

The canonical example of a symplectic vector space is \mathbb{R}^{2n} with the bilinear form $\Omega(v_1, v_2) = \langle v_1, \mathbb{J}_{2n} v_2 \rangle \forall v_1, v_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ where $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$ is the Euclidean inner product and \mathbb{J}_{2n} is the Position matrix.

Symplectic Projection

Symplectic Map

Let $(\mathbb{R}^{2n}, \Omega)$ and $(\mathbb{R}^{2m}, \Omega)$ be two symplectic vector spaces with $m < n$. Let $Q : \mathbb{R}^{2m} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ be a linear mapping. It is called a symplectic map and Q a symplectic matrix w. r. t. Ω if

$$Q^T \mathbb{J}_{2n} Q = \mathbb{J}_{2m}. \quad (16)$$

The set of all $2n \times 2m$ symplectic matrices is called the symplectic Stiefel manifold, denoted by $Sp(2m, \mathbb{R}^{2n})$.

Symplectic Inverse

For each symplectic matrix $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2m}$, the symplectic inverse, denoted by Q^{-l} , is defined by

$$Q^{-l} = \mathbb{J}_{2m}^T Q^T \mathbb{J}_{2n} \in \mathbb{R}^{2m \times 2n}. \quad (17)$$

Lemma (Peng & Mohseni(2016))

Suppose $Q \in Sp(2m, \mathbb{R}^{2n})$ and Q^{-l} is the symplectic inverse of Q as defined in (17). Then,

- (i) $Q^{-l}Q = I_{2m}$;
- (ii) $Q^{-l}\mathbb{J}_{2n} = \mathbb{J}_{2m}Q^T$;
- (iii) If $v \in \text{ran}(Q)$, then $v = QQ^{-l}v$;
- (iv) Q^{-l} is also Symplectic;

Symplectic Approximation of PHS

$$\begin{bmatrix} (sI_{2n} - \mathbb{J}_{2n}\mathcal{H}) & -B \\ B^\top \mathcal{H} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ u \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ y \end{bmatrix}, \quad (18)$$

in which u is fixed, i.e., $y = G(s)u$.

Theorem

Consider a $Q \in Sp(2m, \mathbb{R}^{2n})$ together with its symplectic inverse Q^{-l} and obtained the reduced model:

$$\begin{bmatrix} (sI_{2k} - \mathbb{J}_{2k}\hat{\mathcal{H}}) & -\hat{B} \\ \hat{B}^\top \hat{\mathcal{H}} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} z \\ u \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ y \end{bmatrix}. \quad (19)$$

where, $\hat{B} = Q^{-l}B$ and $\hat{\mathcal{H}} = Q^{-l}\mathcal{H}Q$. If $x_0 \in \text{ran}(Q)$ and $\text{Im}(B) \subseteq \text{ran}(Q)$ then the reduced system preserve the port-Hamiltonian structure.

Symplectic Basis Generation

Let, $x_{0l} \in \mathbb{R}^{2n}$ ($l = 1, \dots, N$) denote N data points.

$$S_x = [x_{01}, x_{02}, \dots, x_{0N}].$$

$$S_z = Q^{-l} S_x = [z_{01}, z_{02}, \dots, z_{0N}] \in \mathbb{R}^{2k \times N} \quad (20)$$

where, $x = Qz$ with $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2k}$, $Q^T J_{2n} Q = J_{2k}$, and $Q^{-l} Q = I_{2k}$.

Proper Symplectic Decomposition(PSD) and POD

$$\begin{aligned} & \min \|S_x - Q Q^{-l} S_x\|_F. \\ & \text{sub. to } Q^T J_{2n} Q = J_{2k} \\ & \& Q^{-l} = \mathbb{J}_{2k}^T Q^T \mathbb{J}_{2n} \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

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Theorem

Suppose, $S_x = \begin{bmatrix} S_{x1} \\ S_{x2} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times N}$ is the snapshot matrix where $S_{x1}, S_{x2} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times N}$. Construct $S_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 2N}$ from S_x as follows:

$$S_1 = [S_{x1} \quad S_{x2}].$$

Construct a symplectic matrix $Q_1 = \text{diag}(\Phi, \Phi) \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2k}$ where $\Phi \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$ is the POD basis of the snapshot matrix S_1 . Then the optimization problem (OP1)

$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & \|S_x - Q_1 Q_1^{-l} S_x\|_F \\ \text{s. t.} \quad & Q_1^T \mathbb{J}_{2n} Q_1 = \mathbb{J}_{2k} \text{ and } Q^{-l} = \mathbb{J}_{2k}^T Q^T \mathbb{J}_{2n} \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

is equivalent to the optimization problem (OP2)

$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & \|S_1 - \Phi \Phi^T S_1\|_F \\ \text{s.t.,} \quad & \Phi^T \Phi = I_k \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

Lemma(Son et. al.(2020))

For $Q, T \in Sp(2k, \mathbb{R}^{2n})$, $\text{ran}(Q) = \text{ran}(T)$ if and only if there exists a matrix $K \in OrSp(2n)$ such that $T = KQ$

Lemma

If $T \in Sp(2k, \mathbb{R}^{2n})$, then $(T^{-l})^T \in Sp(2k, \mathbb{R}^{2n})$ with $T^{-l} = \mathbb{J}_{2k}^T Q^T K^T \mathbb{J}_{2n}$

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where, $\hat{B} = T^{-l}B$, $\hat{\mathcal{R}} = T^{-l}\mathcal{R}(T^{-l})^T$, and $\hat{\mathcal{H}} = T^{-l}\mathcal{H}(T^{-l})^T$. If $x_0 \in \text{ran}(Q)$, $\text{Im}(\mathcal{H}) \subseteq \text{ran}(Q)$ and $\text{Im}(B) \subseteq \text{ran}(Q)$ then the reduced system preserve the port-Hamiltonian structure.

Numerical Example

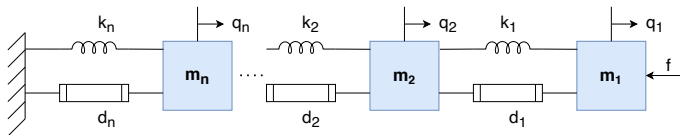


Figure: n -coupled Mass-Spring-Damper system

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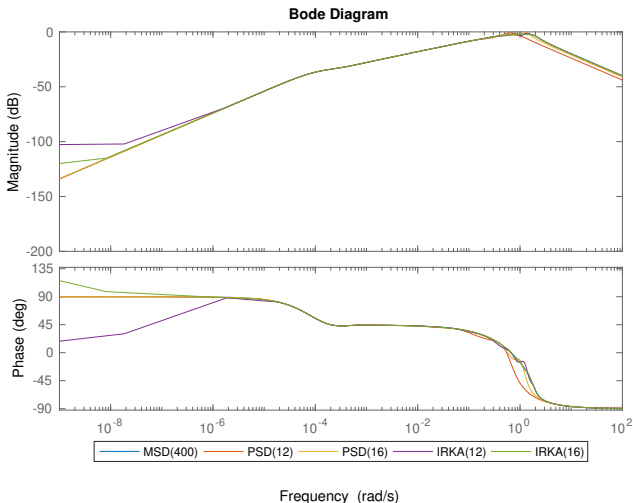


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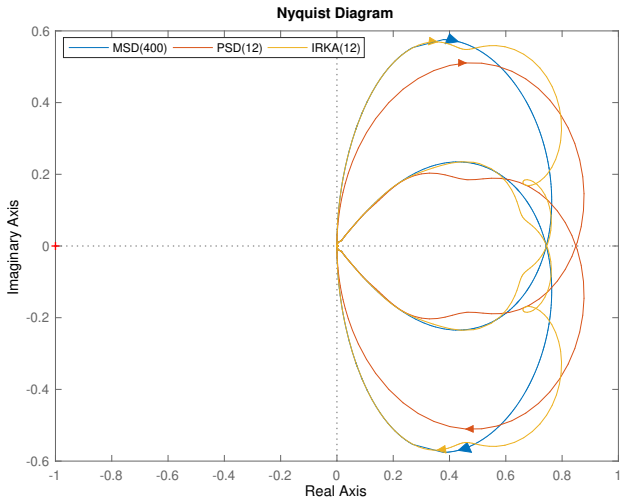


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Rational approximation of irrational positive real function

Given: (x_i, f_i) , $i = 1, \dots, n$ where $x_i \in \mathbb{C}$ and $f_i = H(x_i) \in \mathbb{C}$

Objective: Find a **positive real** function \hat{H} such that

$$\hat{H}(s) = C(sE - A)^{-1}B + D$$

with state-space dimension $m(\leq n)$ that well reproduces the data *i.e.*, $\hat{H}(x_i) = f_i, \forall i$.

system is passive \iff its transfer function is positive real

Problem Formulation: For the provided data set (x_i, f_i) , is it possible to construct a **positive real** function $\hat{H}(x)$ satisfying the interpolation conditions $\hat{H}(x_i) = f_i$?

Löwner Framework: Algorithm

1. Split data set:

$$[x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N] = [\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_n] \cup [\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_{\bar{n}}]$$

$$[f_1, f_2, \dots, f_N] = [\nu_1, \nu_2, \dots, \nu_n] \cup [\omega_1, \omega_2, \dots, \omega_{\bar{n}}]$$

2. Compute the Löwner and the shifted Löwner matrices:

$$\mathbb{L}_{ij} = \frac{(\nu_i - \omega_j)}{(\mu_i - \lambda_j)}, \quad [\mathbb{L}_s]_{ij} = \frac{(\mu_i \nu_i - \lambda_j \omega_j)}{\mu_i - \lambda_j}$$

$$V = [\nu_1, \dots, \nu_n]^T, \quad W = [\omega_1, \dots, \omega_{\bar{n}}]$$

3. Realization: $E = -\mathbb{L}$, $A = -\mathbb{L}_s$, $B = V$, $C = W$

Trade-off between accuracy of fit and complexity of the model

$$\begin{bmatrix} Y_1 & Y_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_1 & \\ & \epsilon \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1^* \\ X_2^* \end{bmatrix} = s\mathbb{L} - \mathbb{L}_s$$

$$E = -Y_1^* \mathbb{L} X_1, \quad A = -Y_1^* \mathbb{L}_s X_1, \quad C = W X_1, \quad B = Y_1^* V$$

Nevanlinna - Pick interpolation Problem

$$\Pi = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{f_1 + f_1^*}{x_1 + x_1^*} & \cdots & \frac{f_1 + f_n^*}{x_1 + x_n^*} \\ \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ \frac{f_n + f_1^*}{x_n + x_1^*} & \cdots & \frac{f_n + f_n^*}{x_n + x_n^*} \end{bmatrix}$$

must be non-negative definite to construct a positive real rational function

Mirror image of the given data i.e., $(-x_i^*, -f_i^*), i = 1, 2, \dots, N$.

$$\Pi = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{f_1 - f_1^*}{x_1 - x_1^*} & \cdots & \frac{f_1 - f_n^*}{x_1 - x_n^*} \\ \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ \frac{f_n - f_1^*}{x_n - x_1^*} & \cdots & \frac{f_n - f_n^*}{x_n - x_n^*} \end{bmatrix} \implies \Pi = \mathbb{L}$$

Spectral Zeros

The spectral zeros of a positive real transfer function $H(s)$ with realization (E, A, B, C, D) are the complex numbers $s_z \in \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$G(s_z) = H(s_z) + H^\top(-s_z) = 0. \quad (26)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} E & 0 \\ 0 & E^\top \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}(t) \\ \dot{z}(t) \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & -A^\top \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ z(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} B \\ -C^\top \end{bmatrix} u(t) \\ y(t) &= [C \quad B^\top] \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ z(t) \end{bmatrix} + (D + D^\top) \end{aligned} \quad (27)$$

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Theorem

If a set of spectral zeros in the closed right-half complex plane of the original strictly passive system are selected as interpolation points, then the constructed Löwner matrix (Pick matrix) is positive definite.

Problem: Spectral zeros of the system is unknown

Theorem

A state transformation between two minimal realizations of a linear system does not change the spectral zeros of the system.

We use Löwner approximation twice:

1. 1st Löwner approximation : Provide a minimal realization, most likely not positive real, used to compute spectral zeros
2. 2nd Löwner approximation : Provide a positive real realization

Motivating Example

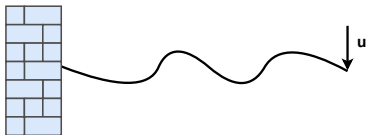


Figure: Vibrating string

Transfer function:

$$\frac{\partial^2 \omega}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 \omega}{\partial \xi^2} + \zeta \frac{\partial^3 \omega}{\partial t \partial \xi^2}; \quad (28)$$

$$\omega(0, t) = 0;$$

$$\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial \xi}(1, t) = u(t);$$

$$\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial t}(1, t) = y(t);$$

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{c^2 + s\zeta}} \frac{\sinh(\sqrt{r})}{\cosh(\sqrt{r})}, \text{ where } r = \frac{s^2}{c^2 + s\zeta} \quad (29)$$

Irrational \implies Approximate by an rational one

Löwner Framework: Approximation

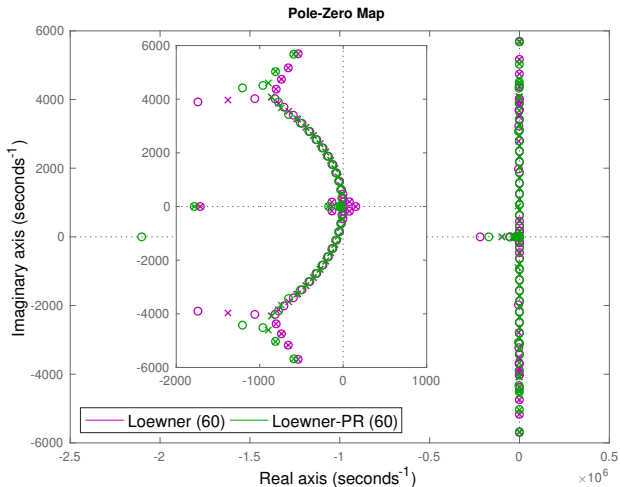


Figure: Poles and Zeros of stable and unstable Loewner realization

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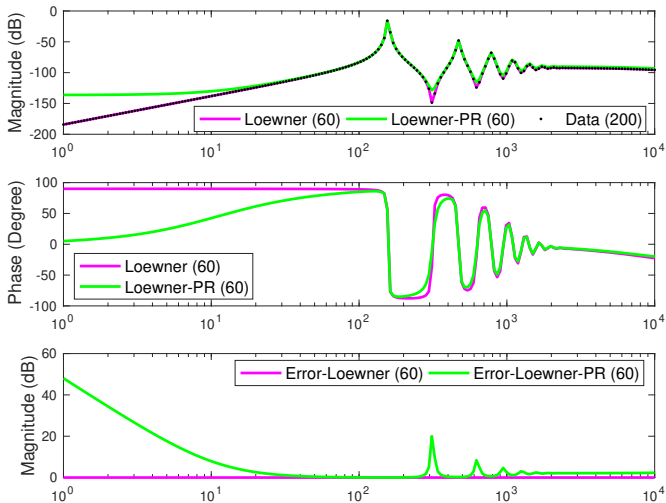


Figure: Bode Plot

Löwner Framework: Approximation

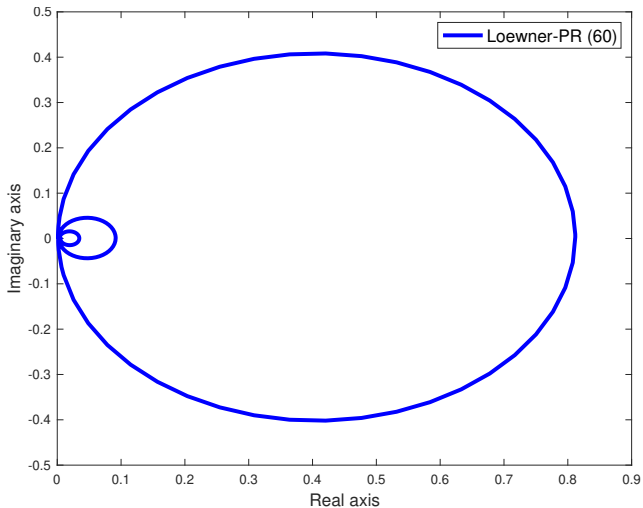


Figure: Nyquist Plot

Publications

1. Structure Preserving MOR of Port-Hamiltonian system in Frequency domain (Preparing)
2. Data-driven rational approximation of irrational positive-real function (Preparing)

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