

## Introduction to Simulation - Lecture 24

### Model-Order Reduction

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### MOR Outline

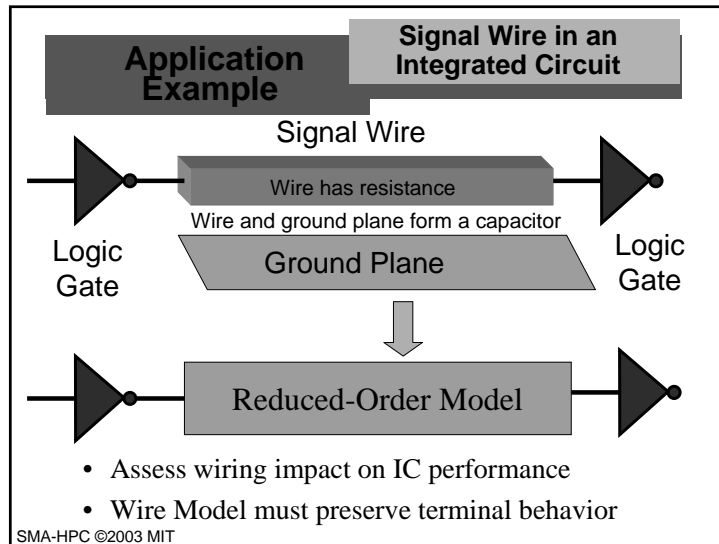
- Need For Model Reduction
  - Circuits, MEMS, Jet Engines
- Steady-State Case (linear and nonlinear)
- Dynamic Linear Case
  - Eigenmodes and Rational Functions
  - Projection Framework, Krylov, TBR
- Nonlinear Case
  - Projection Framework

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### Today's Outline

- Need For Model Reduction
  - Circuits, MEMS, Optics, Jet Engines
- Simple Example Problem
  - Heat Conducting bar example
- Steady-State Case (linear and nonlinear)
- Dynamic Linear Case
  - Truncating Eigenmodes
  - Rational Function Fitting

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## Application Example

### Jet Engine Design

- Generate Low-order models directly from Navier-Stokes Equation based physical simulators.
- Reduced model must preserve instabilities.

The diagram illustrates a reduced-order inlet model for a jet engine. It shows a flow field with a variable nozzle and flow features of interest. The model is influenced by flow disturbances and operating conditions. It interacts with an actuator model through sensing and actuation loops.

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## Application Examples

### Micromechanical Resonators in a Wireless transceiver

The diagram shows an RF front end with micromachined resonators. It includes an LNA, a LO, and a Broad-band Hilbert transform output filter. The signal path involves multiplication by Q and I, followed by summation to produce an IF signal.

- RF Front end with micromachined resonators for the oscillator
- What is system performance (noise, distortion, etc).
- Will poly-substrate separation (changes Q) matter?
- How tight must manufacturing tolerances be?

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## Application Examples

### Micromechanical Resonators in a Wireless transceiver (cont)

The diagram shows an RF front end with micromachined resonators. It includes an LNA, a LO, and a Broad-band Hilbert transform output filter. The signal path involves multiplication by Q and I, followed by summation to produce an IF signal.

**Need to simulate ENTIRE system with dynamically accurate macromodels for all the components**

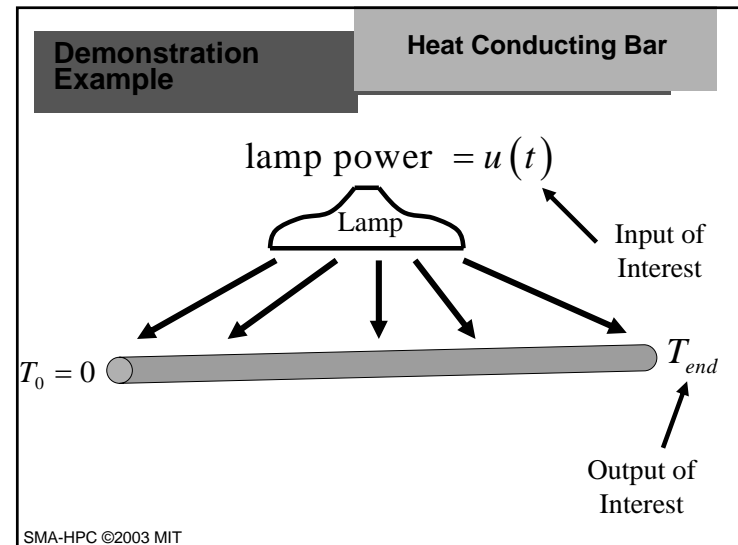
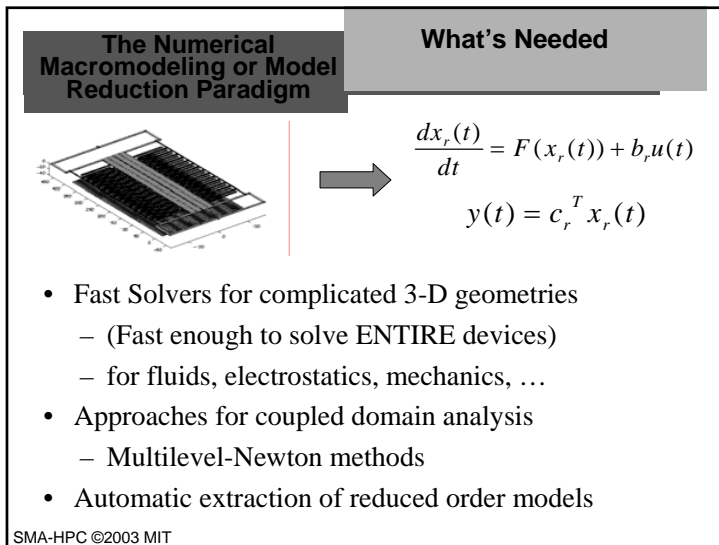
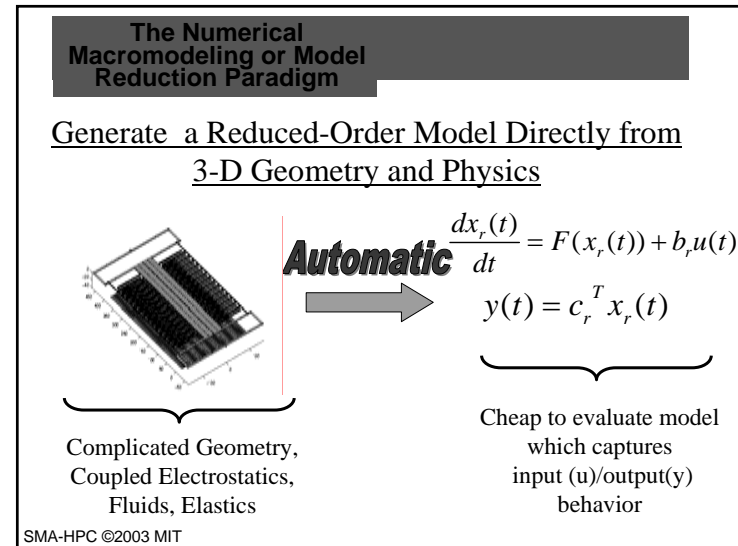
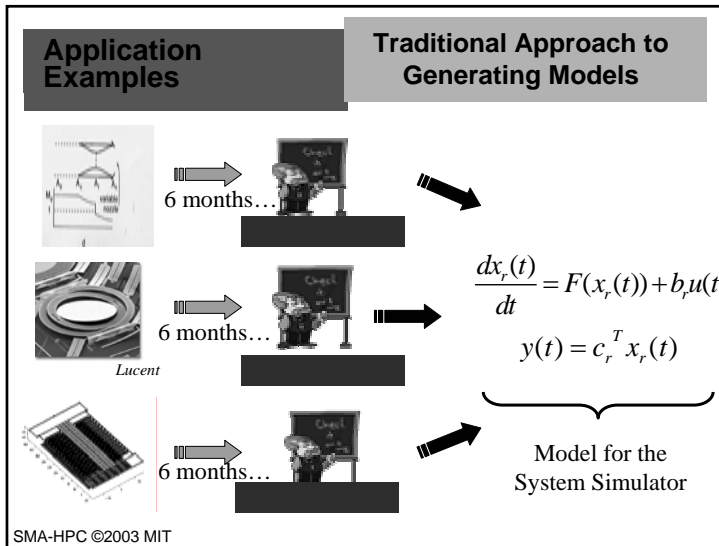
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## Application Examples

### Common features

- Devices have Well-defined Inputs and Outputs
  - Signal Transmission on a Wire
    - Left and right end Voltages and Currents
  - Jet Engine Nozzle Design
    - Nozzle in and out flow, Nozzle size
  - Microresonator
    - Comb finger voltages and currents
- Dynamics is important
  - Internal state must be somehow represented

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**Heat Conducting Bar**

**Demonstration Example**      **Basic Equations**

$T_0 = 0$        $T_{end}$

Heat In

$\Delta x$

- Temperature Differential Equation
 
$$\underbrace{\gamma}_{\text{specific heat}} \frac{\partial T(x,t)}{\partial t} - \underbrace{\kappa}_{\text{thermal conductivity}} \frac{\partial^2 T(x,t)}{\partial x^2} = h(x) \underbrace{u(t)}_{\text{scalar input}}$$
- Spatial Discretization (except at end)
 
$$\gamma \frac{d\hat{T}_i}{dt} - \frac{\kappa}{(\Delta x)^2} (\hat{T}_{i+1} - 2\hat{T}_i + \hat{T}_{i-1}) = h(x_i) u(t)$$

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**Heat Conducting Bar**

**Demonstration Example**      **Input-Output Discrete Equations**

$T_0 = 0$        $T_{end}$

Heat In

$\Delta x$

$$\gamma \frac{d\hat{T}_i}{dt} - \frac{\kappa}{(\Delta x)^2} (\hat{T}_{i+1} - 2\hat{T}_i + \hat{T}_{i-1}) = h(x_i) u(t) \quad i \in [1, \dots, N-1]$$

$$\gamma \frac{d\hat{T}_i}{dt} - \frac{\kappa}{(\Delta x)^2} (\hat{T}_N - \hat{T}_{N-1}) = h(x_N) u(t)$$

$$T_{end} = \hat{T}_N$$

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**Heat Conducting Bar**

**Demonstration Example**      **State-Space Description**

$T_0 = 0$        $T_{end}$

Heat In

$\Delta x$

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = \underbrace{A}_{N \times N} x(t) + \underbrace{b}_{N \times 1} \underbrace{u(t)}_{\text{scalar input}} \quad \underbrace{y(t)}_{\text{scalar output}} = \underbrace{c^T}_{N \times 1} x(t)$$

Given the right scaling

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} h(x_1) \\ h(x_2) \\ \vdots \\ h(x_N) \end{bmatrix} \quad c = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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**Heat Conducting Bar**

**Demonstration Example**      **Temperature Dependent Thermal Conductivity**

$T_0 = 0$        $T_{end}$

Heat In

$\Delta x$

- Temperature Differential Equation
 
$$\underbrace{\gamma}_{\text{specific heat}} \frac{\partial T(x,t)}{\partial t} - \underbrace{\kappa(T(x,t))}_{\text{thermal conductivity}} \frac{\partial^2 T(x,t)}{\partial x^2} = h(x)$$
- Simple Spatial Discretization (not at ends)
 
$$\gamma \frac{d\hat{T}_i}{dt} - \frac{\kappa(\hat{T}_i)}{(\Delta x)^2} (\hat{T}_{i+1} - 2\hat{T}_i + \hat{T}_{i-1}) = 0$$

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**Demonstration Example**

**Heat Conducting Bar**

**Nonlinear State-Space Description**

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = F(x(t)) + \underbrace{b}_{N \times 1} \underbrace{u(t)}_{\text{scalar input}} \quad \underbrace{y(t)}_{\text{scalar output}} = \underbrace{c^T}_{N \times 1} x(t)$$

$$F(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 2\kappa(x_1) & -\kappa(x_1) & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ -\kappa(x_2) & 2\kappa(x_2) & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & 2\kappa(x_{N-1}) & -\kappa(x_{N-1}) \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & -\kappa(x_N) & \kappa(x_N) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_N \end{bmatrix} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad c = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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**No Dynamics (Steady-State) Case**

**Linear example**

- Original System - Single Input/Output
 
$$0 = \underbrace{A}_{N \times N} x + \underbrace{b}_{N \times 1} \underbrace{u}_{\text{scalar input}} \quad \underbrace{y}_{\text{scalar output}} = \underbrace{c^T}_{N \times 1} x$$
- Reduced System
 
$$y = -\underbrace{c^T A^{-1} b}_{1 \times 1} u$$
- Satisfies Reduced Model Criteria
  - Cheap to evaluate
  - Exactly reproduces I/O Behavior

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**No Dynamics Case**

**Nonlinear Example**

- Original System - Single Input/Output
 
$$0 = F(x) + \underbrace{b}_{N \times 1} \underbrace{u}_{\text{scalar input}} \quad \underbrace{y}_{\text{scalar output}} = \underbrace{c^T}_{N \times 1} x$$
- Reduced System
 
$$y = g(u)$$
- Is “g(u)” a reduced-order model?
  - Depends how we represent g!

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**No Dynamics Case**

**Nonlinear Example**

**Representation of Reduced Model**

- Could use an interpolated table of data
- Table is a reduced order model
  - Cheap to evaluate
  - Accurate if enough points used

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**Model Construction Time**

**No Dynamics Case**

- Linear Case, one solve, one inner product
  - Solve  $Ax = b \Rightarrow x = A^{-1}b$
  - Form  $c^T x = c^T A^{-1}b$
- Nonlinear Case (if an interpolated table is used)
  - Solve  $F(x_i) = bu_i \Rightarrow x_i = F^{-1}(bu_i)$  for  $i = 1, \dots, \# \text{ samples}$
  - Form  $c^T x_i = c^T F^{-1}(bu_i)$  for  $i = 1, \dots, \# \text{ samples}$
- Nonlinear Reduction adds a representation problem to model reduction

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**State-Space Description**

**Dynamic Linear case**

- Original Dynamical System - Single Input/Output
 
$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = \underbrace{A}_{N \times N} x(t) + \underbrace{b}_{N \times 1} \underbrace{u(t)}_{\text{scalar input}} \quad \underbrace{y(t)}_{\text{scalar output}} = \underbrace{c^T}_{N \times 1} x(t)$$
- Reduced Dynamical System
 
$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = \underbrace{A_r}_{q \times q} x_r(t) + \underbrace{b_r}_{q \times 1} \underbrace{u(t)}_{\text{scalar input}} \quad \underbrace{y_r(t)}_{\text{scalar output}} = \underbrace{c_r^T}_{q \times 1} x_r(t)$$
- $q \ll N$ , but input/output behavior preserved

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**Reminder about Eigenanalysis**

Consider an ODE:  $\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = Ax(t) + bu(t), \quad x(0) = 0$

Eigendecomposition:  $A = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ E_1 & E_2 & E_N \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}}_E \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_N \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ E_1 & E_2 & E_N \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$

Change of variables:  $Ew(t) = x(t) \Leftrightarrow w(t) = E^{-1}x(t)$

Substituting:  $\frac{dEw(t)}{dt} = AEw(t) + bu(t), \quad Ew(0) = 0$

Multiply by  $E^{-1}$ :  $\frac{dw(t)}{dt} = E^{-1}AEw(t) + E^{-1}bu(t)$

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**Reminder about Eigenanalysis Cont.**

**Decoupled Equations**

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_N \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_N \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_N \end{bmatrix} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} (E^{-1}b)_1 \\ \vdots \\ (E^{-1}b)_N \end{bmatrix}}_{\tilde{b}} u(t)$$

**Output Equation**

$$y(t) = c^T x(t) = c^T Ew(t) = \underbrace{(E^T c)^T}_{\tilde{c}} w(t)$$

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## Reminder about Eigenanalysis Cont.

### Solving Decoupled Equations

$$w_i(t) = \int_0^t e^{\lambda_i(t-\tau)} \tilde{b}_i u(\tau) d\tau \quad \text{Assuming Zero Initial Conditions}$$

### Output Equation

$$y(t) = \sum_{i=1}^N \tilde{c}_i w_i(t)$$

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## Dynamic Linear Case

## Reduced models via mode truncation

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{w}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{w}_q \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_q \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_q \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{b}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{b}_q \end{bmatrix} u(t)$$

### Output Equation

$$y(t) = \sum_{i=1}^q \tilde{c}_i w_i(t)$$

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## Dynamic Linear Case

## Reduced models via mode Truncation

### Why?

- Certain modes are not affected by the input  
 $\tilde{b}_{k+1}, \dots, \tilde{b}_N$  are all small
- Certain modes do not affect the output  
 $\tilde{c}_{k+1}, \dots, \tilde{c}_N$  are all small
- Keep least negative evals (slowest modes)
  - Look at response to a constant input

$$w_i(t) = \int_0^t e^{\lambda_i(t-\tau)} \tilde{b}_i u d\tau = \frac{1}{\lambda_i} (\tilde{b}_i u - \tilde{b}_i u e^{\lambda_i t})$$

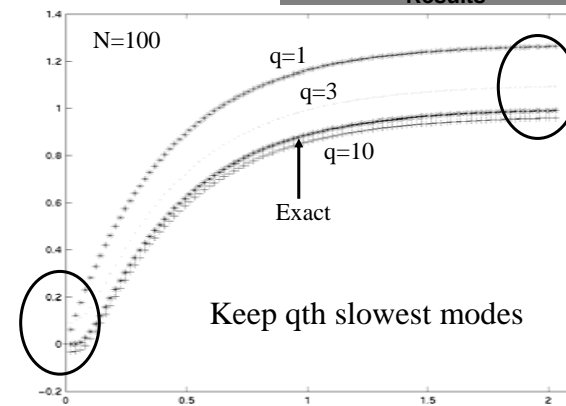
Small if  $|\lambda_i|$  large

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## Dynamic Linear Case

## Reduced models via mode truncation

### Heat Conducting bar Results



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### An Aside on Transfer Functions – Laplace Transform

Consider an ODE:  $\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = Ax(t) + bu(t)$

Bilateral Laplace Transform:  $X(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-st} dt$

Key Transform Property:  $sX(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx(t)}{dt} e^{-st} dt$

Rewrite the ODE in transformed variables

$$sX(s) = AX(s) + bU(s) \quad Y(s) = c^T X(s)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(s) = \underbrace{c^T (sI - A)^{-1} b}_{H(s)} U(s) \quad \leftarrow \text{Transfer Function}$$

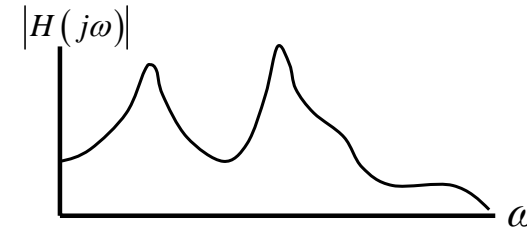
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### An Aside on Transfer Functions – Meaning of H(s)

For Stable Systems,  $H(j\omega)$  is the frequency response

If  $u(t) = e^{j\omega t}$  ← Sinusoid

then  $y(t) = H(j\omega)e^{j\omega t}$  Sinusoid with shifted phase and amplitude



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### An Aside on Transfer Functions – EigenAnalysis

Transfer Function

$$H(s) = c^T (sI - A)^{-1} b$$

Apply Eigendecomposition

$$H(s) = c^T E (sI - \lambda)^{-1} E^{-1} b$$

$$= \tilde{c}^T \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{s - \lambda_1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{s - \lambda_N} \end{bmatrix} \tilde{b} \Rightarrow H(s) = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{\tilde{c}_i \tilde{b}_i}{s - \lambda_i}$$

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Dynamic Linear Case

Rational Transfer Function Representation

Original System Transfer Function

$$H(s) = \frac{\tilde{c}_1 \tilde{b}_1}{(s - \lambda_1)} + \dots + \frac{\tilde{c}_N \tilde{b}_N}{(s - \lambda_N)} = \frac{b_0 + b_1 s + \dots + b_{N-1} s^{N-1}}{1 + a_1 s + \dots + a_N s^N}$$

Rational Function

Reduced Model Transfer Function

$$H_r(s) = \frac{b_0^r + b_1^r s + \dots + b_{q-1}^r s^{q-1}}{1 + a_1^r s + \dots + a_q^r s^q}$$

Lower Order Rational Function

Model Reduction = Find a low order rational function matching  $H(s)$

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**Dynamic Linear Case**      **Rational Transfer Function Representation**  
**Degrees of Freedom**

Reduced Model Dynamical System

$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = \underbrace{A_r}_{q \times q} x(t) + \underbrace{b_r}_{q \times 1} \underbrace{u(t)}_{\text{scalar input}} \quad \underbrace{y_r(t)}_{\text{scalar output}} = \underbrace{c_r^T}_{q \times 1} x_r(t)$$

Reduced Model Transfer Function

$$H_r(s) = \frac{b_0^r + b_1^r s + \dots + b_{q-1}^r s^{q-1}}{1 + a_1^r s + \dots + a_q^r s^q}$$

2q + q<sup>2</sup> coefficients  
2q coefficients

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**Dynamic Linear Case**      **Rational Transfer Function Representation**  
**Variable Changes Do not change transfer functions**

Reduced Model Transfer Function

$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = A_r x(t) + b_r u(t) \quad y_r(t) = c_r^T x_r(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow H(s) = c_r^T (sI - A_r)^{-1} b_r$$

Similarity (x = Sw) Transformed Transfer Function

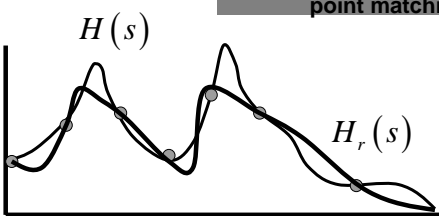
$$\frac{dw_r(t)}{dt} = S^{-1} A_r S w(t) + S^{-1} b_r u(t) \quad y_r(t) = c_r^T S w_r(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow H(s) = c_r^T S (sI - S^{-1} A_r S)^{-1} S^{-1} b_r = c_r^T (sI - A_r)^{-1} b_r$$

**Many Dynamical Systems have the same transfer function!!**

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**Dynamic Linear Case**      **Rational Transfer Function Representation**  
**Rational Function Fitting by point matching**



- Can match 2q points
- cross multiplying generates a linear system

For i = 1 to 2q

$$(1 + a_1^r s_i + \dots + a_q^r s_i^q) H(s_i) - (b_0^r + b_1^r s_i + \dots + b_{q-1}^r s_i^{q-1}) = 0$$

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**Dynamic Linear Case**      **Rational Transfer Function Representation**  
**Point Matching Matrix can be ill-conditioned**

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_1 H(s_1) & s_1^2 H(s_1) & \dots & -s_1^{q-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & -s_2^{q-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ s_{2q} H(s_{2q}) & s_{2q}^2 H(s_{2q}) & \dots & -s_{2q}^{q-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_{q-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} H(s_1) \\ H(s_2) \\ \vdots \\ H(s_{2q}) \end{bmatrix}$$

- Columns contain progressively higher powers of the test frequencies
- Must orthogonalize columns during construction

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**Dynamic Linear Case**      **Rational Transfer Function Representation**  
**Importance of Fitting at low frequency**

Correct Steady State behavior requires accurate match at low frequencies

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**Dynamic Linear Case**      **Rational Transfer Function Representation**  
**Taylor Series Expansion and Moments**

Original System Transfer Function Moments

$$H(s) = c^T (sI - A)^{-1} b = -c^T \underbrace{(I - sA^{-1})^{-1}}_{\text{Taylor Expand with respect to } s} A^{-1} b$$

$$H(s) = -c^T (I - sA^{-1})^{-1} A^{-1} b = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c^T A^{-(k+1)} b s^k$$

$$H(s) = \underbrace{c^T A^{-1} b}_{m_0} + \underbrace{c^T A^{-2} b}_{m_1} s + \underbrace{c^T A^{-3} b}_{m_2} s^2 + \dots = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} m_k s^k$$

← Moments →

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**Dynamic Linear Case**      **Rational Transfer Function Representation**  
**Moment Matching for accurate low frequency behavior**

Reduced Model Matches Original Systems Moments

$$H_r(s) = \frac{b_0^r + b_1^r s + \dots + b_{q-1}^r s^{q-1}}{1 + a_1^r s + \dots + a_q^r s^q} = m_0 + m_1 s + \dots + m_{2q-1} s + \dots$$

Cross-Multiplying and Matching Terms

$$\begin{bmatrix} m_0 & m_1 & \dots & m_{k-1} \\ m_1 & \dots & \dots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & \dots & m_{2q-3} \\ m_{k-1} & \dots & m_{2q-3} & m_{2q-2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_q \\ a_{q-1} \\ \vdots \\ a_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} m_q \\ m_{q+1} \\ \vdots \\ m_{2q-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

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**Dynamic Linear Case**      **Rational Transfer Function Representation**  
**Explicit Moment Matching Problem**

System of equations extremely ill-conditioned

$$\begin{bmatrix} m_0 & m_1 & \dots & m_{k-1} \\ m_1 & \dots & \dots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & \dots & m_{2q-3} \\ m_{k-1} & \dots & m_{2q-3} & m_{2q-2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_q \\ a_{q-1} \\ \vdots \\ a_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} m_q \\ m_{q+1} \\ \vdots \\ m_{2q-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$m_i = c^T A^{-i} b \approx \lambda_{A_{\max}} m_{i-1}$$

Columns become linearly dependent for large q!

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## Dynamic Linear Case

## Rational Transfer Function Representation

Problems with explicit fitting methods

- Linear Systems for fitting ill-conditioned
  - Need specialized algorithms which avoid explicit fitting matrix construction
- Rational function must be converted to state-space
  - Needed by most simulation tools
  - Requires root finding procedure, very sensitive to parameter variation

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## Summary

- Need For Model Reduction
  - Circuits, MEMS, Optics, Jet Engines
- Simple Example Problem
  - Heat Conducting bar example
- Steady-State Case (linear and nonlinear)
- Dynamic Linear Case
  - Truncating Eigenmodes
    - Loss correct steady state values
    - Select modes to delete
  - Rational Function Fitting
    - Generates ill-conditioned matrices

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