

HOW CAN WE INCORPORATE
BTHE BEATLES
IN LOCAL RATIONAL MODELLING?



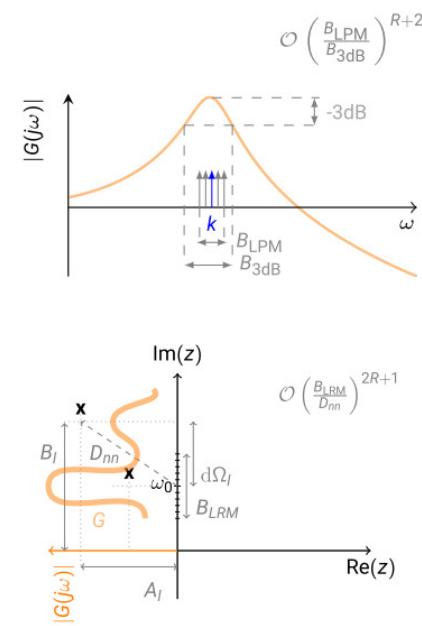
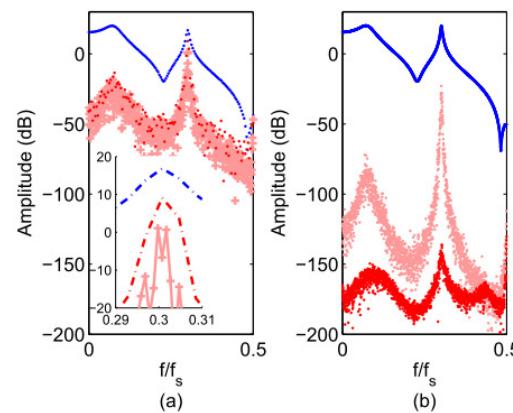
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FRF Measurements with local parametric modelling

Dieter Verbeke & Johan Schoukens

Polynomial vs. rational:

- Approximation error
- Pole-zero cancellation



Finite sample input design for data perturbation methods in linear regression problems

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$$Y = X\theta_0 + E$$

$$E \sim f_E(\cdot)$$

$$X = QR$$

$$\theta_0 \in \mathbb{R}^{n_\theta}$$

$$Y, E \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n_\theta}$$

$$(\mathcal{G}, \cdot) : f_E(x) = f_E(Gx)$$

D-optimal design

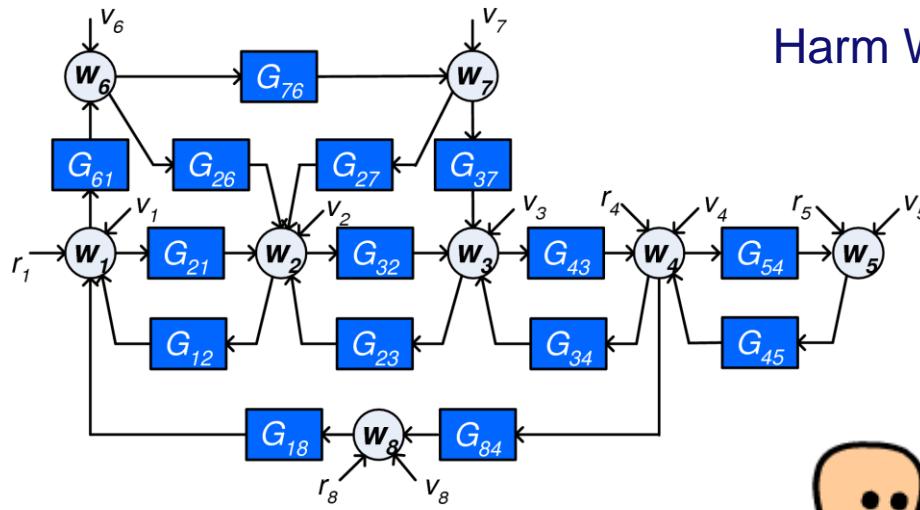
$$\mathcal{C}_\alpha \sim \max_X \det(X^T X) = \max_R \det(R^T R)$$

Data perturbation

$$\mathcal{C}_\alpha \sim \max_R \det(R^T R) \max_Q \mathbb{E}[\det(I_{n_\theta} - Q^T G^T Q Q^T G Q)]$$

- Input remains optimal in the asymptotic sense
- Improvement in statistical power
- Significant reduction in expected volume (25% on example)

Maximum likelihood estimation in dynamic networks with rank-reduced noise



Harm Weerts, Paul Van den Hof, Arne Dankers

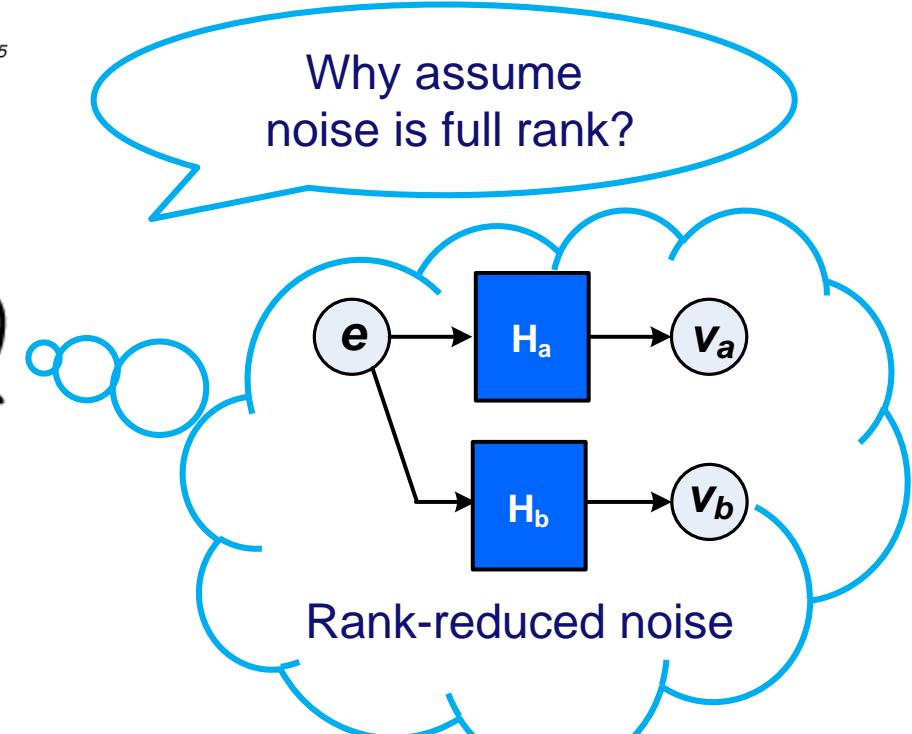
Why assume
noise is full rank?

Generalize
maximum likelihood?

Lower bound
at 0 variance?



Rank-reduced noise



Optimal mass transport priors for large inverse problems

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Use optimal mass transport prior (μ_0) for
image reconstruction:

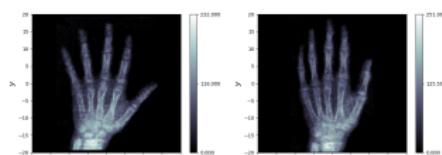
$$\min_{\mu_1} \gamma T_\epsilon(\mu_0, \mu_1) + \|\nabla \mu_1\|_1$$

$$\text{s. t. } \|A\mu_1 - w\|_2 \leq \kappa.$$

- Computationally demanding for large problems (images).

Contribution:

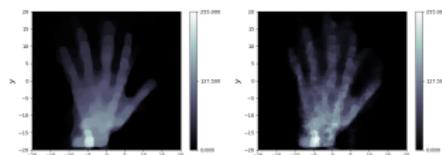
- Methodology for efficient computation of proximal operator of the transport cost.
- Solve optimization problem using first order method.
- Apply to medical imaging (CT).



(a) Phantom

(b) Prior

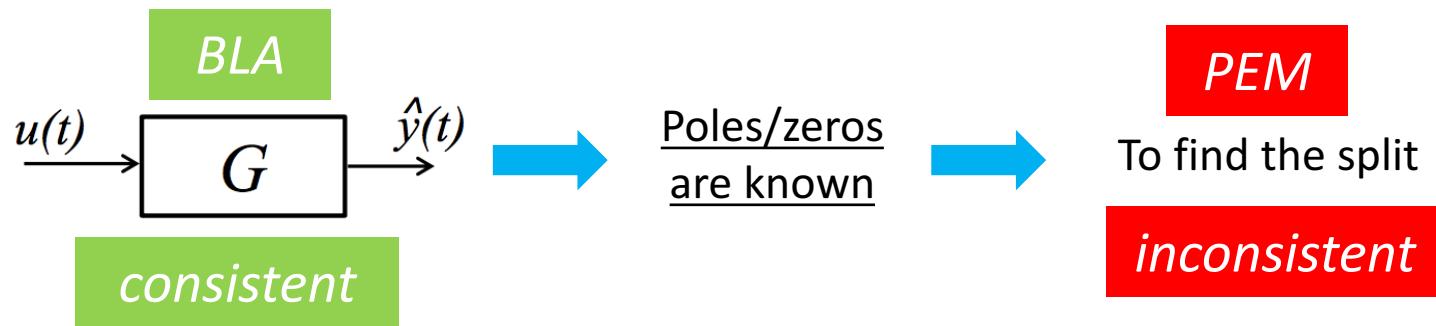
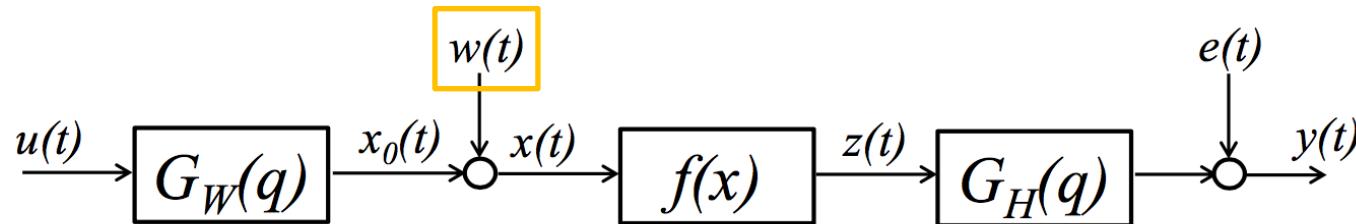
Reconstructions:



(c) TV-only

(d) Optimal
transport + TV

Maximum Likelihood identification of Wiener-Hammerstein systems in presence of process noise



Splitting and parameter estimation via
Maximum Likelihood

$$p_y(\theta; Z) = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{\sigma_e^2\sigma_w^2}} \right)^N \prod_{t=1}^N \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{1}{2}E(x(t), \theta)} dx(t)$$

Consistent estimate retrieved



Using Linear Predictors and PEMs for Nonlinear Identification

M. Abdalmoaty and H. Hjalmarsson

General nonlinear model: $Y = \mathcal{M}(U, W; \theta^\circ)$

$Y := [y_1 \ y_2 \dots y_N]$ a vector of outputs, $U := [u_1 \ u_2 \dots u_N]$ a vector of inputs
 $W \sim p(W; \theta)$ (unknown) vector of disturbances.

Goal: find an estimator $(Y, U) \mapsto \hat{\theta}(Y, U)$

Likelihood: $p(Y|U; \theta) = \int_W p(Y, W|U; \theta) dW,$

Optimal predictior: $\hat{y}_{t|t-1}(\theta) = \int_{y_t} y_t p(y_t|Y_{t-1}; \theta) dy_t$

State-of-the-art solutions:
use partilce smoother or MCMC to get
Monte Carlo approximations.

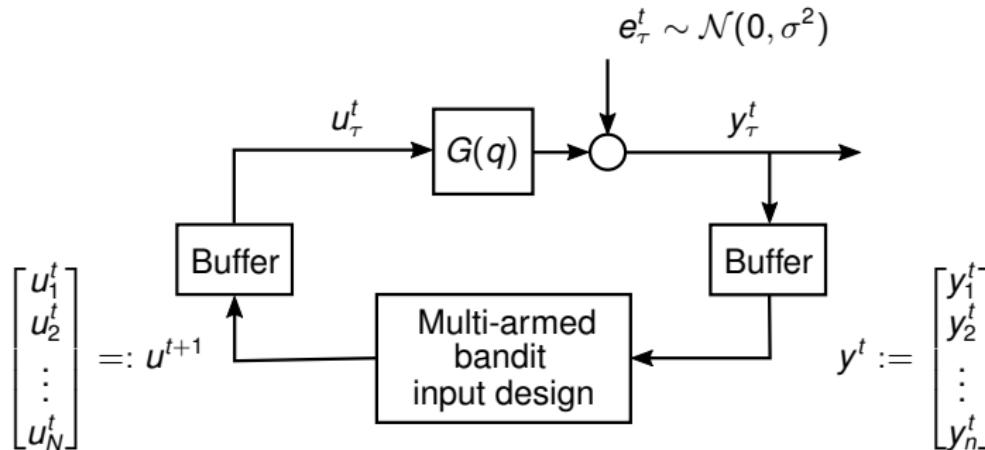
A simple consistent solution
optimally weighted PEM based on a linear predictor

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{Y}(\theta) &:= (I - L^{-1}(U, \theta))Y + L^{-1}(U, \theta)\mu(U, \theta), \\ \mathcal{E}(\theta) &:= Y - \hat{Y}(\theta)\end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{\theta} := \arg \min_{\theta \in \Theta} \ell(\mathcal{E}(\theta), \theta)$$

A stochastic multi-armed bandit approach to nonparametric \mathcal{H}_∞ -norm estimation

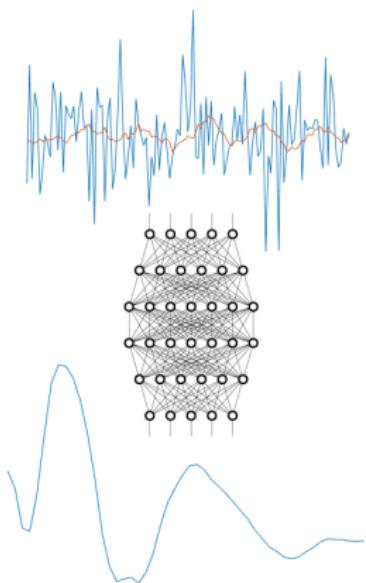
Matias Müller, Patricio E. Valenzuela, Alexandre Proutiere, Cristian R. Rojas



Data-driven impulse response estimation using deep learning

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- ▶ **Problem:** Estimate the impulse response from input/output pair using regularized least square
- ▶ **Previous work - Gaussian process:** Create a regularization matrix using a Gaussian Process prior
- ▶ **Our work - Deep learning:** Create a regularization matrix using Deep learning

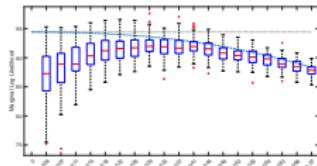
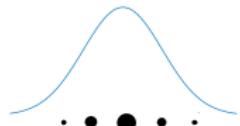


Bias-variance trade-off for high-dimensional particle filters using artificial process noise

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- ▶ Particle filter = sequential inference method where probability densities are represented using weighted particles
- ▶ Problem: Degenerates for high-dimensional systems, such as spatio-temporal models
- ▶ Idea: Modify the model by adding artificial process noise to make use of the optimal proposal
- ▶ Improves the performance by introducing a higher bias but lowers the variance



Identification of stable positive systems*



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Generic LTI systems: stability theory from **energy** dissipation

- Leads to **quadratic Lyapunov** functions, $V(x) = x' P x$

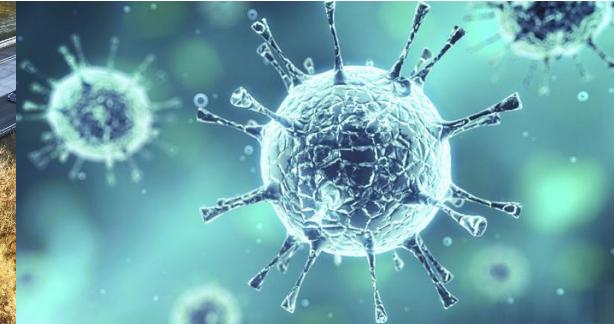
Positive LTI systems: stability theory from **mass** dissipation



Number (of cars)



Distance (between cars)



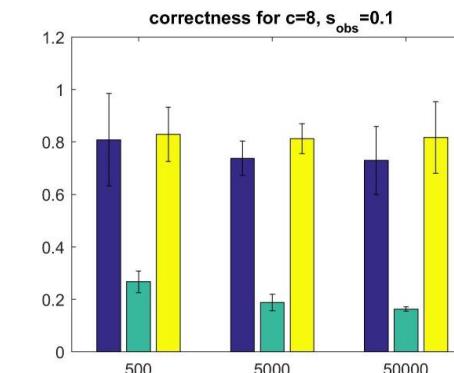
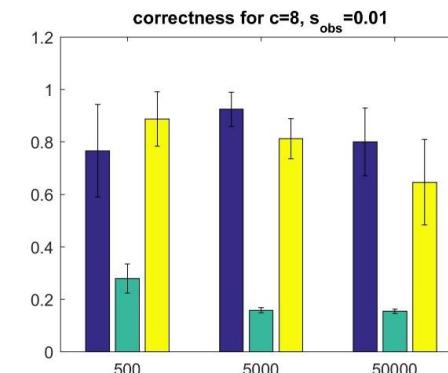
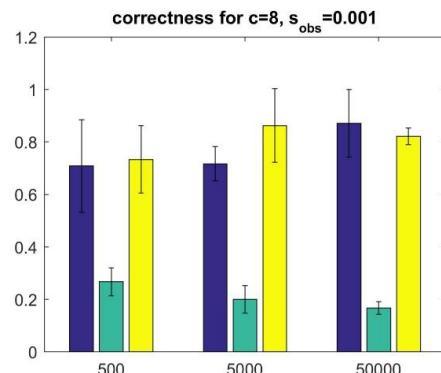
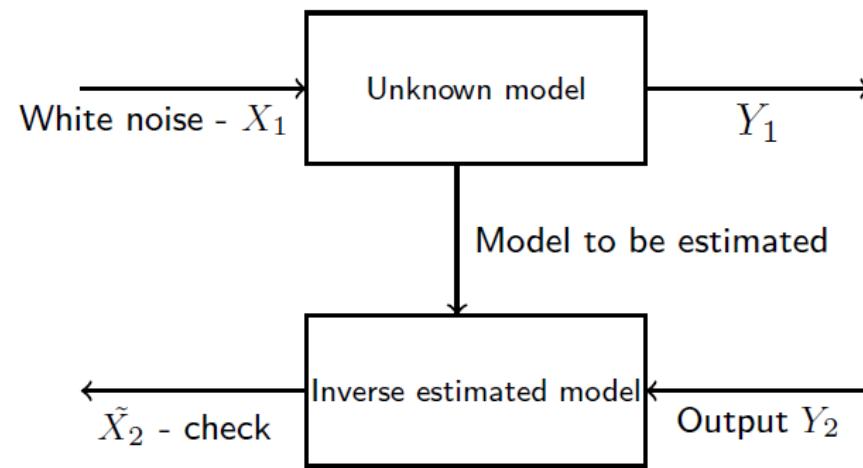
Concentration (of pathogens)

- Leads to (simpler) **linear Lyapunov** functions, $V(x) = p' x$
- Improved scalability during identification, e.g., QPs instead of SDPs.
- Amenable to distributed optimization, e.g., ADMM.

* New results since CDC'16. Work done in Sydney.

A Time Series Clustering Algorithm Based on Inverse Modelling

Oliver Lauwers, Thomas Devennyns, Bart De Moor

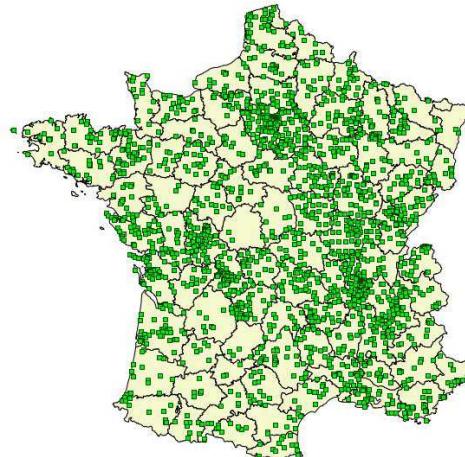


DYNAMIC MODELS FOR BIRD POPULATION - PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION IDENTIFICATION

RÉGIS OUVRARD, LAURIANE MOUYSSET AND FRÉDÉRIC JIGUET



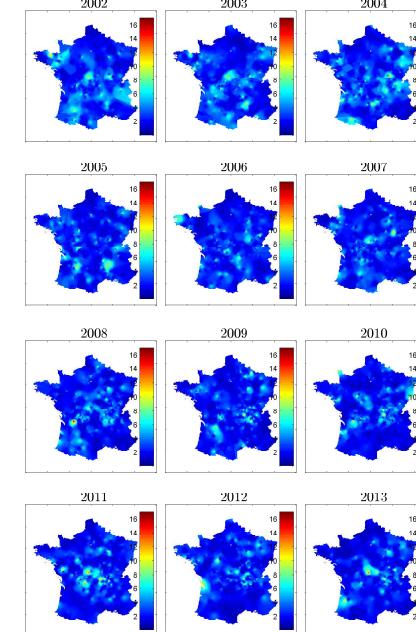
BIRD DATA FOR 2002-2014



A French national monitoring:

- Skilled ornithologists
- Standardized protocol to count birds

EUROPEAN STONECHAT *Saxicola torquatus*



Saxicola torquatus © Katia LIPOVCI-LPO

MOTIVATION

- The improvement of the **population dynamic models** of birds
- To understand past dynamics of birds to **agricultural changes**
- An help to take **biodiversity goals** into public policies into account

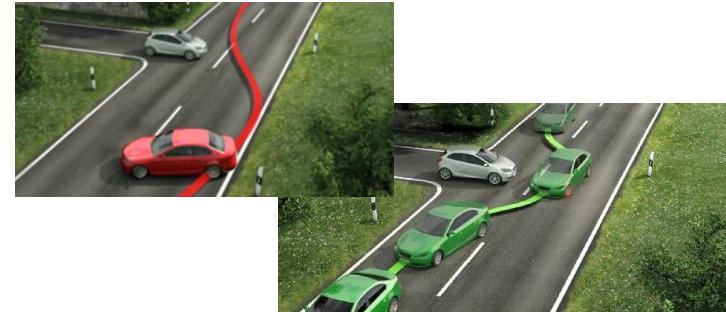
KEYWORDS

- PDE models
- Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm
- Galerkin method
- Proper Orthogonal Decomposition

Still an open and challenging question!

How can we use the knowledge about tires to improve safety and handling performances of autonomous cars?

- For motorsport & passenger cars purpose



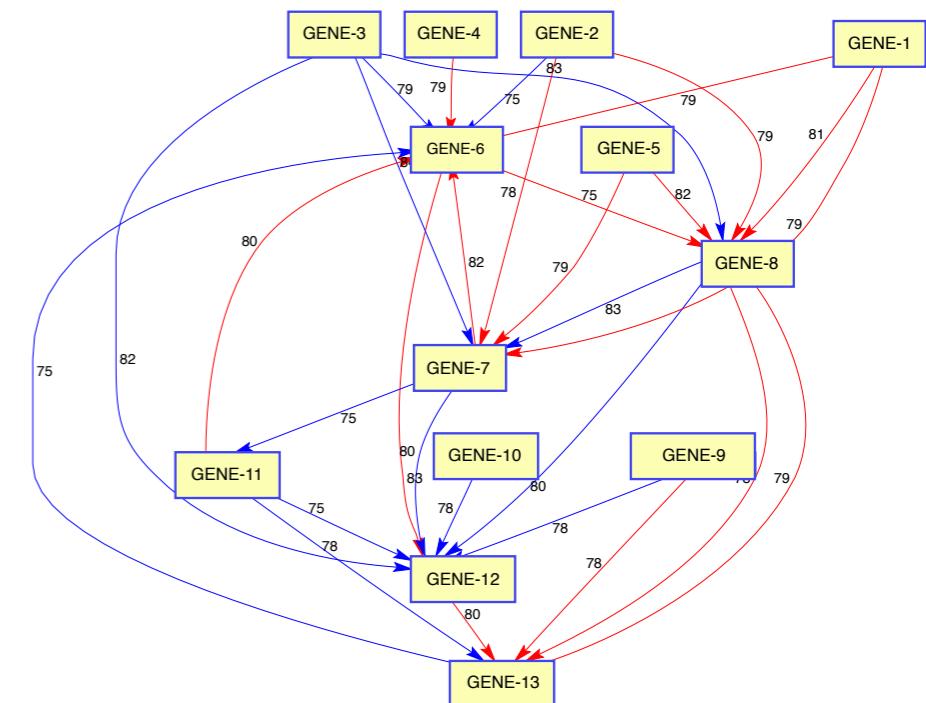
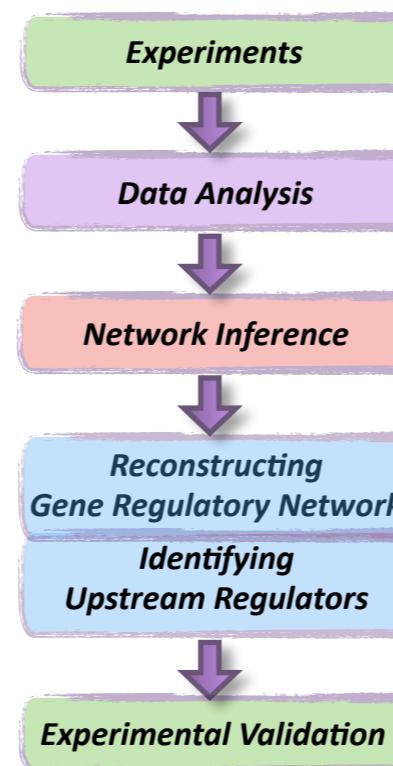
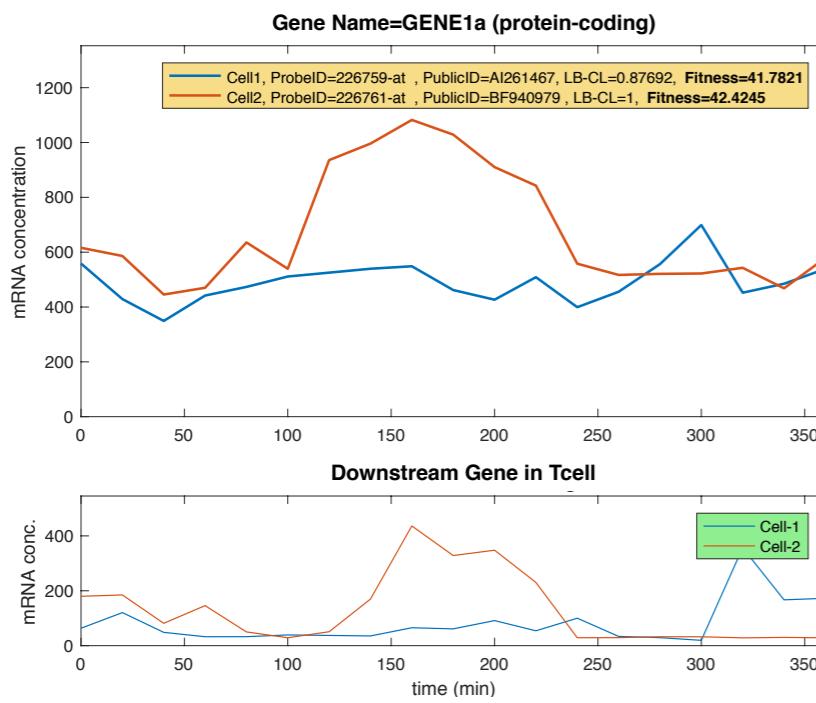
Genome-Wide Dynamical Data Analysis and Network Inference of the Gene Regulatory Network of Human T Cells

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- Systems Control Group -

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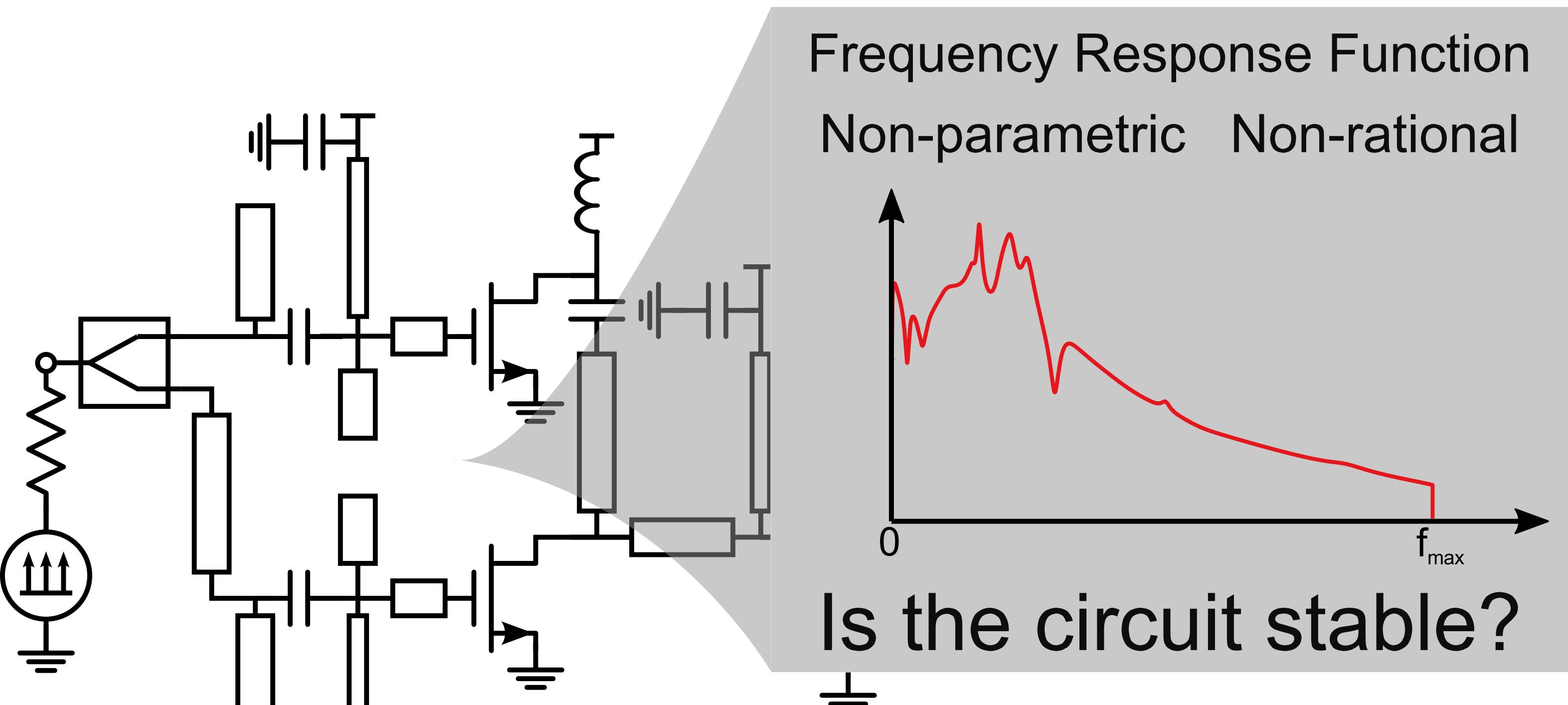
We apply **network inference** to **time-series data of gene expression** with the goals of:

- Reconstructing the **gene regulatory networks** of Treg and Teff cells, and
- Identifying potential **upstream regulators** for genes of interest.



A Functional approach to stability analysis of linear systems

A. Cooman, F. Seyfert, M. Olivi, S. Chevillard and L. Baratchart



Circadian Gene Regulatory Network (GRN) Inference and Characterisation by Linear Time Invariant (LTI) Systems Identification

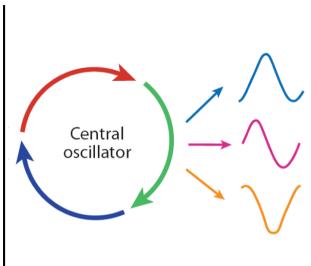
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Background

Input

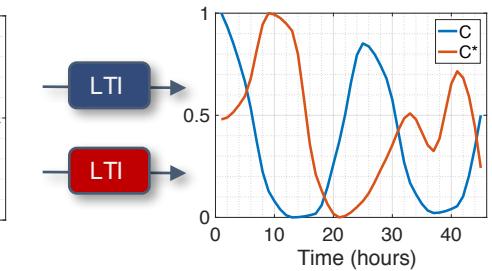
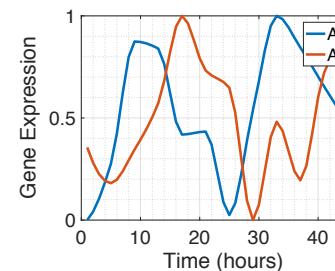
- Light
- Temperature
- Water status
- Stress feedback



Output

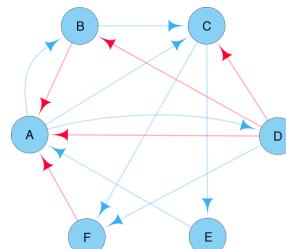
- Photosynthesis
- Growth
- Flowering
- Stress signaling

Characterisation of Local Changes



Network Inference

$$\frac{dx}{dt}(t) = Ax(t) + Bu(t)$$
$$y(t) = Cx(t)$$



How different are dynamics?

$$\delta_v = || \text{LTI}_1 - \text{LTI}_2 ||$$

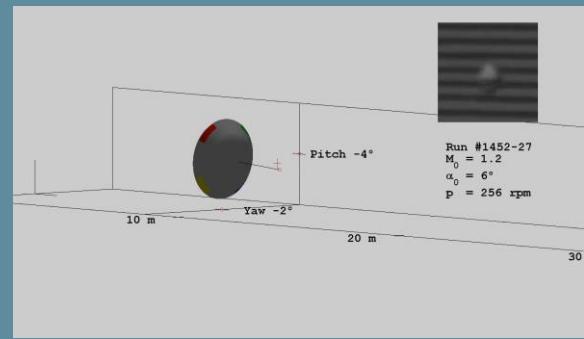
In Combination with Centrality Measures

$$x_v = \frac{\frac{1}{\lambda_C} \sum_{t \in C} a_{v,t,C} x_{t,C}}{\frac{1}{\lambda_D} \sum_{t \in D} a_{v,t,D} x_{t,D}}$$
$$x_v = \frac{x_{v,C}}{x_{v,L}}$$



LPV model identification of aerodynamic coefficients based on free-flight data

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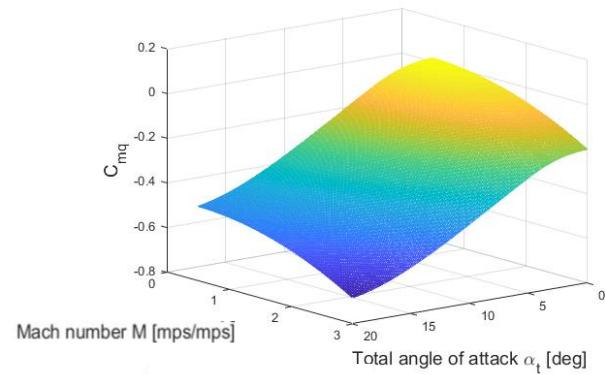
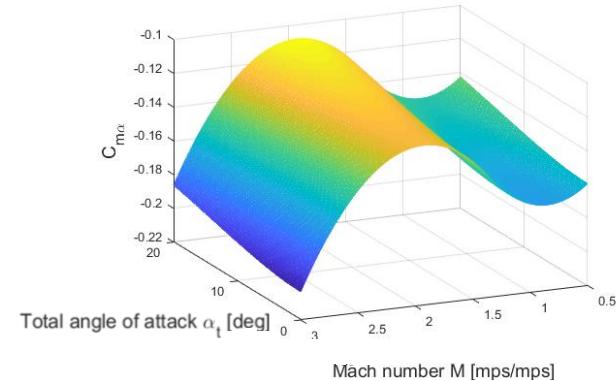
Goal: Identification of the aerodynamic coefficients of flying vehicles

Context:

- In-flight behavior is described by a nonlinear state-space model
- Data is available from free-flight measurements
- LPV modelling can be used both for identification and GNC research activities

Preliminary analysis:

- Development of a grey-box LPV model of a vehicle in flight
- Model validation using measurements



Nonlinear coefficient functions: $C_{m\alpha}$ and C_{mq}



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DERIVATIVE-FREE ONLINE LEARNING OF INVERSE DYNAMICS MODELS

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- Derivative Free Inverse Dynamics

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{pos} \\ \text{vel} \\ \text{acc} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{Torque}$$

⇒

$$f_{\theta}(\text{pos}) \rightarrow \text{Torque}$$

- Semiparametric Modelling

Physics

+

Data-driven
methods

- Robotic Experiments