

An Indirect Method for Closed-loop Identification of Sparsely Controlled Networks

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1 Introduction

- Modern Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS) are large-scale, physically distributed with decentralized controllers.
- Exploit the apriori knowledge of the **controller's sparsity** to improve closed-loop identification of CPS.

2 System Level Parameterization^{a,b}

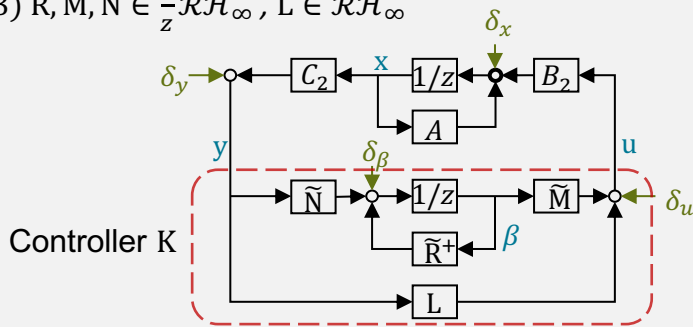
- Consider the discrete time linear time invariant (LTI) system P as
$$P = \begin{bmatrix} A & B_1 & B_2 \\ \hline C_1 & D_{11} & D_{12} \\ C_2 & D_{21} & D_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Let *system response* {R, M, N, L} be *defined* as the mapping $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ u \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} R & N \\ M & L \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_x \\ \delta_y \end{bmatrix}$, where δ_x and δ_y are sensor and process disturbances.

- **Theorem:** For the above output feedback system, the controller $K = L - MR^{-1}N$ is internally stabilizing if

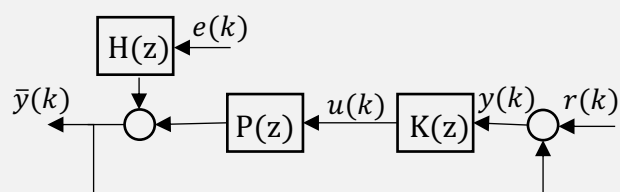
$$(1) [zI - A \quad -B_2] \begin{bmatrix} R & N \\ M & L \end{bmatrix} = [I \quad 0] \quad (2) \begin{bmatrix} R & N \\ M & L \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} zI - A \\ -C_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(3) R, M, N \in \frac{1}{z} \mathcal{RH}_\infty, L \in \mathcal{RH}_\infty$$



- Thus, the sparsity of K *translates to sparsity* of L, M, R, and N

3 Closed Loop Identification



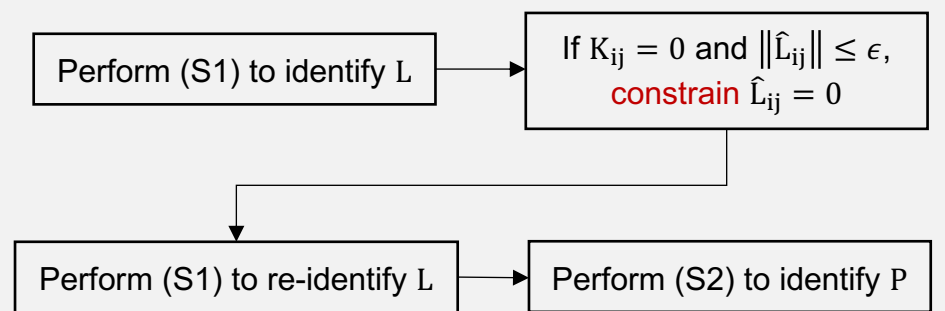
Lemma: Let $K := L - MR^{-1}N$ be a stabilizing controller for the above plant P, then

$$LPK = L - K \text{ and } KPL = L - K$$

A two-stage open-loop identification strategy^c

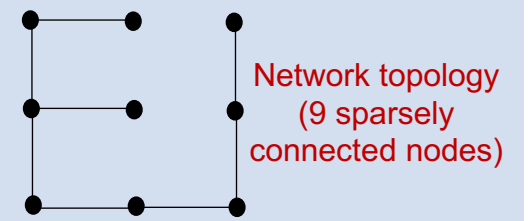
- (S1) Stage 1: $u = L(-r) + LHe$ (estimate $\hat{L} \approx L$)
- (S2) Stage 2: $\bar{y} = Pv + (PL + I)He$ (estimate $\hat{P} \approx P$)
where $v = \hat{L}(-r)$

4 Proposed Identification Algorithm



5 Simulation Results

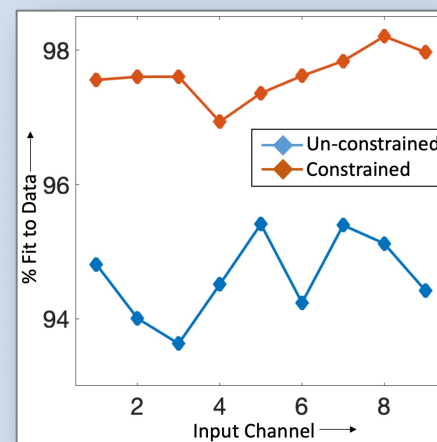
Identifying sparsely controlled Power System



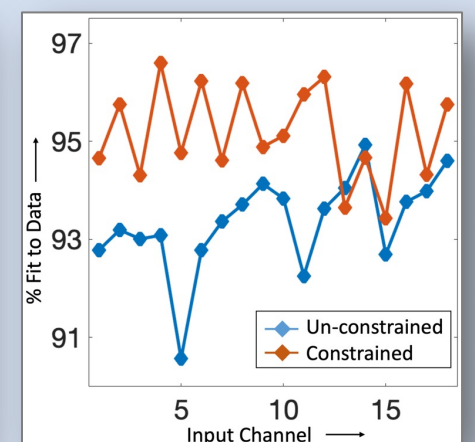
- Node i : state $x_i = [\theta_i \quad \dot{\theta}_i]$

$$x_i[t+1] = A_{ii}x_i[t] + \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}_i} A_{ij}x_j[t] + B_{ii}u_i[t] + \delta_{x_i}[t]$$

- P: 9x18 MIMO plant
- K: 18x9 MIMO controller
- *Apriori information:* sparsity structure in K



(a) Identification of L



(b) Identification of P

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