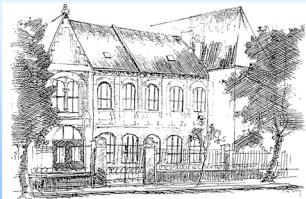


Delay equations with engineering applications

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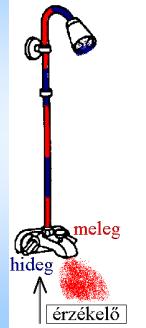
... by the information system (of control), and
by the contact of bodies.

- **Linear stability** & subcritical Hopf bifurcations
- Force control and balancing – human and robotic
- Contact problems

Shimmying wheels (of trucks and motorcycles)

Machine tool vibrations

Time delay – destabilizing effect



“Good memory causes trouble”
Shower
small delay – large control gains
large delay – small control gains
or periodic large control gains



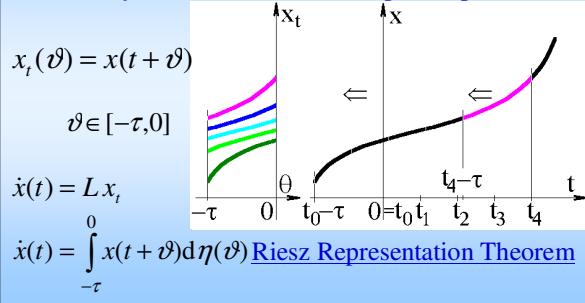
Time delay models

Delay differential equations (DDE):

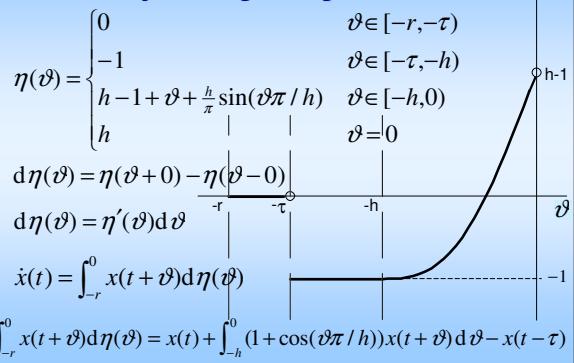
- simplest (populations) $\dot{x}(t) = x(t-1)$
- single delay $\dot{x}(t) = cx(t-\tau)$
(production based on past prices)
- average past values $\dot{x}(t) = \int_{-\tau}^0 x(t+\vartheta) d\vartheta$
(production based on statistics of past/averaged prices)
- weighted w.r.t. the past $\dot{x}(t) = \int_{-\tau}^0 w(\vartheta)x(t+\vartheta) d\vartheta$
(Roman law)

Delay Diff Equ (DDE) – Functional DE

Time delay & infinite dimensional phase space:



Stieltjes integral representation



Linear time-periodic time-delay models

Non-autonomous DDE:

- simplest periodic $\dot{x}(t) = p(t)x(t-\tau)$, $p(t) = p(t+\tau)$
- periodic delay $\dot{x}(t) = cx(t-\tau(t))$, $\tau(t) = \tau(t+T)$
- weighted past values $\dot{x}(t) = \int_{-\tau_{\max}}^0 w(t, \vartheta)x(t+\vartheta)d\vartheta$
 $w(t, \vartheta) = w(t+T, \vartheta)$
- general form $\dot{x}(t) = L(t)x_t$, $L(t) = L(t+T)$
- Riesz Th $\dot{x}(t) = \int_{-\tau_{\max}}^0 x(t+\vartheta)d_{\vartheta}\eta(t, \vartheta)$, $\eta(t, \vartheta) = \eta(t+T, \vartheta)$

Semi-linear state-dependent time delay models

State-dependent DDE (SD-DDE):

- simplest $\dot{x}(t) = cx(t-\tau(x(t)))$, $\tau(x) = \tau_0 + \tau_1 \sin x$
- implicit $\dot{x}(t) = cx(t-\tau(x(t-\tau)))$, $\dot{x}(t) = cx(t-\tau(x_t))$
- generalized forms

Cooke,Huang(1996), Turi,Hartung(2000)

Hartung,Krisztin,Walther,Wu(2006)

$\dot{x}(t) = L(t, x_t)x_t \Rightarrow \dot{x}(t) \neq L(t, 0)x_t$ for small x
with Riesz Theorem $\dot{x}(t) = \int_{-\tau_{\max}}^0 x(t+\vartheta)d_{\vartheta}\eta(\vartheta, x_t)$

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Stability of linear RFDEs of n DoF systems

Delayed mechanical systems include 2nd derivatives:

$$M\ddot{x}(t) + \int_{-h}^0 d_{\vartheta}B(t, \vartheta)\dot{x}(t+\vartheta) + \int_{-h}^0 d_{\vartheta}K(t, \vartheta)x(t+\vartheta) = 0$$

Autonomous systems: $B(t, \vartheta) \equiv B(\vartheta)$, $K(t, \vartheta) \equiv K(\vartheta)$

Trial solution: $x(t) = Ae^{\lambda t}$ $A \in R^n$

Characteristic roots: $\text{Re } \lambda_j < 0, j=1,2,\dots \Leftrightarrow$ stability

$$D(\lambda) = \det(M\lambda^2 + \int_{-h}^0 \lambda e^{\lambda \vartheta} dB(\vartheta) + \int_{-h}^0 e^{\lambda \vartheta} dK(\vartheta))$$

D-curves: $R(\omega) = \text{Re } D(i\omega)$, $S(\omega) = \text{Im } D(i\omega)$, $\omega \in [0, \infty)$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} R(\rho_k) &= 0, k = 1, \dots, r: \\ S(\rho_k) &\neq 0, k = 1, \dots, r \end{aligned} \right\} \Leftrightarrow \text{stability}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^r (-1)^k \text{sgn } S(\rho_k) = (-1)^n n$$

Examples with 1 DoF, $n = 1$

$$\ddot{x}(t) + c_0x(t) = c_1 \int_{-1}^0 w(\vartheta)x(t+\vartheta)d\vartheta, \quad w(\vartheta) \equiv 1$$

$$D(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + c_0 - c_1 \int_{-1}^0 e^{\lambda \vartheta} d\vartheta = \lambda^2 + c_0 - c_1 \frac{1-e^{-\lambda}}{\lambda}$$

$$R(\omega) = -\omega^2 + c_0 - c_1 \frac{\sin \omega}{\omega} \Rightarrow \lim_{\omega \rightarrow +\infty} R(\omega) = -\infty$$

$$S(\omega) = c_1 \frac{1-\cos \omega}{\omega} \Rightarrow S(\omega) > 0 \text{ for } \boxed{c_1 > 0}, \quad \omega \neq 2k\pi, k = 0, 1, \dots$$

$$S(\rho_k) \neq 0, k = 1, \dots, r \Rightarrow R(2k\pi) = \boxed{-4k^2\pi^2 + c_0 \neq 0}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^r (-1)^k \underbrace{\text{sgn } S(\rho_k)}_{+1} = \underbrace{(-1)^n n}_{-1} \Rightarrow R(0) = \boxed{c_0 - c_1 > 0}$$

Stability chart $\ddot{x}(t) + c_0x(t) = c_1 \int_{-1}^0 x(t+\vartheta)d\vartheta$

