

Commutativity and asymptotic stability for linear switched DAEs

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Switched DAEs



Linear switched DAE (differential algebraic equation)

(swDAE)

$$E_{\sigma(t)}\dot{x}(t) = A_{\sigma(t)}x(t)$$

or short

$$E_{\sigma}\dot{x} = A_{\sigma}x$$

with

- switching signal $\sigma : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, p\}$
 - piecewise constant, right-continuous
 - locally finitely many jumps (no Zeno behavior)
- matrix pairs $(E_1, A_1), \dots, (E_p, A_p)$
 - $E_p, A_p \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, $p = 1, \dots, p$
 - (E_p, A_p) regular, i.e. $\det(E_p s - A_p) \neq 0$



Motivation and question

Why switched DAEs $E_\sigma \dot{x} = A_\sigma x$?

- ① modeling of electrical circuits with switches
- ② DAEs $E\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$ with switched feedback controller

$$u(t) = F_{\sigma(t)}x(t) \quad \text{or}$$

$$u(t) = F_{\sigma(t)}x(t) + G_{\sigma(t)}\dot{x}(t)$$

- ③ approximation of time-varying DAEs $E(t)\dot{x}(t) = A(t)x(t)$ via piecewise constant DAEs

Question

$$E_p \dot{x} = A_p x \text{ asymp. stable } \forall p \stackrel{?}{\Rightarrow} E_\sigma \dot{x} = A_\sigma x \text{ asymp. stable}$$

Commutativity and stability for switched ODEs



Theorem (Narendra und Balakrishnan 1994)

Consider switched **ODE**

$$\text{(swODE)} \quad \dot{x} = A_{\sigma}x$$

with A_p Hurwitz, $p \in \{1, 2, \dots, p\}$ and **commuting** A_p , i.e.

$$[A_p, A_q] := A_p A_q - A_q A_p = 0 \quad \forall p, q \in \{1, 2, \dots, p\} \quad (\text{C})$$

\Rightarrow **(swODE)** asymptotically stable $\forall \sigma$.

Sketch of proof: Consider switching times $t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_k < t$ and $p_i := \sigma(t_i+)$, then

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= e^{A_{p_k}(t-t_k)} e^{A_{p_{k-1}}(t_k-t_{k-1})} \dots e^{A_{p_1}(t_2-t_1)} e^{A_{p_0}(t_1-t_0)} x_0 \\ &\stackrel{(\text{C})}{=} e^{A_1 \Delta t_1} e^{A_2 \Delta t_2} \dots e^{A_p \Delta t_p} x_0 \end{aligned}$$

and $\Delta t_p \rightarrow \infty$ for at least one p and $t \rightarrow \infty$.

Generalization to (swDAE)



$$\text{(swDAE)} \quad E_\sigma \dot{x} = A_\sigma x$$

Generalization - Questions

- Which matrices have to commute?
- What about the jumps?

$$\text{Example 1: } (E_1, A_1) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right), \quad (E_2, A_2) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$[A_1, A_2] = 0$, but **instability** possible (see next slide)

$$\text{Example 2: } (E_1, A_1) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right), \quad (E_2, A_2) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$[A_1, A_2] \neq 0$, but **stability** for all switching signals (see next slide)

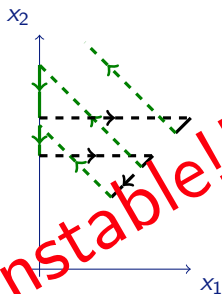


Examples: jumps and stability

Example 1:

$$(E_1, A_1) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

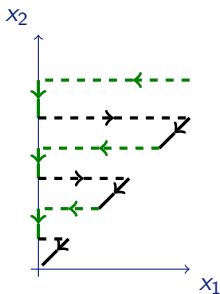
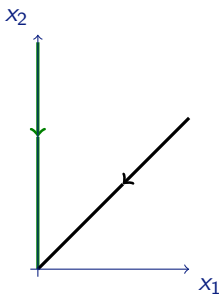
$$(E_2, A_2) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$



Example 2:

$$(E_1, A_1) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

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Remark: $V(x) = x_1^2 + x_2^2$ is a Lyapunov function for **all** individual modes

Observations



Solutions

- modes have restricted dynamics: **consistency spaces**
- switching \Rightarrow **inconsistent initial values**
- inconsistent initial values \Rightarrow **jumps in x**

Stability

- common Lyapunov function **not sufficient**
- commutativity of A -matrices **not sufficient**
- stability depends on **jumps**

Impulses

- switching \Rightarrow **Dirac impulses** in solution x
- Dirac impulse = infinite peak \Rightarrow **instability**

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Solutions for nonswitched DAE

Consider $E\dot{x} = Ax$

Theorem (Weierstraß 1868)

(E, A) regular \Leftrightarrow

$\exists S, T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ invertible:

$$(SET, SAT) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & N \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} J & 0 \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \right),$$

N nilpotent, $T = [V, W]$

Corollary (for regular (E, A))

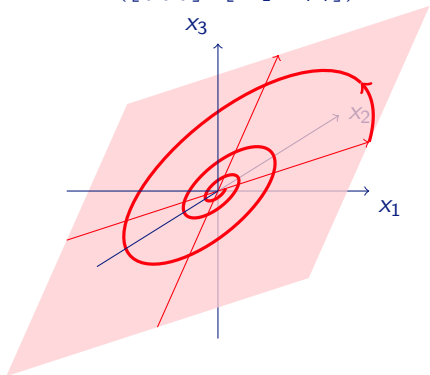
x solves $E\dot{x} = Ax \Leftrightarrow$

$$x(t) = Ve^{Jt}v_0$$

$V \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n_1}$, $J \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_1}$, $v_0 \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1}$.

Consistency space: $\mathfrak{C}_{(E,A)} := \text{im } V$

$$(E, A) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -4\pi & -4 & 0 \\ -1 & 4\pi & 0 \\ -1 & -4 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$



$$V = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad J = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -4\pi \\ \pi & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Consistency projectors

Observation

$$\begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & N \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \dot{v} \\ \dot{w} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} J & 0 \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v \\ w \end{pmatrix}$$

Consistent initial values: $\begin{pmatrix} v_0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^n$

arbitrary initial value $\mathbb{R}^n \ni \begin{pmatrix} v_0 \\ w_0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\Pi} \begin{pmatrix} v_0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ consistent initial value

Definition (Consistency projector for regular (E, A))

Let $S, T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ invertible with $(SET, SAT) = \left(\begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & N \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} J & 0 \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix} \right)$:

$$\Pi_{(E,A)} = T \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} T^{-1}$$

Remark: $\Pi_{(E,A)}$ can be calculated **easily** and **directly** from (E, A)



The matrix A^{diff}

Let (E, A) be regular with $(SET, SAT) = (\begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & N \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} J & 0 \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix})$, N nilpotent

consistency projector: $\Pi_{(E,A)} = T \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} T^{-1}$

Definition (Differential “projector”)

$$\Pi_{(E,A)}^{\text{diff}} = T \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} S$$

Theorem (Differential dynamic of DAE)

x solves $E\dot{x} = Ax \Rightarrow \dot{x} = \Pi_{(E,A)}^{\text{diff}} Ax$

$$A^{\text{diff}} := \Pi_{(E,A)}^{\text{diff}} A = T \begin{bmatrix} J & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} T^{-1}$$

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Stability result

Consider again switched DAE: $E_\sigma \dot{x} = A_\sigma x$

Impulse freeness condition

(IFC): $\forall p, q \in \{1, \dots, N\} : E_p(I - \Pi_p)\Pi_q = 0$

Theorem (T. 2009)

(IFC) \Rightarrow All solutions of $E_\sigma \dot{x} = A_\sigma x$ are impulse free

Theorem (Main result)

(IFC) $\wedge (E_p, A_p)$ asymp. stable $\forall p \wedge$

$$[A_p^{\text{diff}}, A_q^{\text{diff}}] = 0 \quad \forall p, q \in \{1, 2, \dots, p\}$$

\Rightarrow (swDAE) asymptotically stable $\forall \sigma$

Interesting: no additional condition on jumps!



Sketch of proof

From

$$[A_p^{\text{diff}}, A_q^{\text{diff}}] = 0 \quad \forall p, q \in \{1, 2, \dots, p\} \quad (\text{C})$$

follows also

$$[\Pi_p, A_p^{\text{diff}}] = 0 \quad \wedge \quad [\Pi_p, \Pi_q] = 0 \quad \wedge \quad [A_p^{\text{diff}}, \Pi_q] = 0.$$

Consider switching times $t_0 < t_1 < \dots < t_k < t$ and $p_i := \sigma(t_i+)$, then

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= e^{A_{p_k}^{\text{diff}}(t-t_k)} \Pi_{p_k} e^{A_{p_{k-1}}^{\text{diff}}(t_k-t_{k-1})} \Pi_{p_{k-1}} \dots e^{A_{p_1}^{\text{diff}}(t_2-t_1)} \Pi_{p_1} e^{A_{p_0}^{\text{diff}}(t_1-t_0)} \Pi_{p_0} x_0 \\ &\stackrel{(\text{K})}{=} e^{A_1^{\text{diff}} \Delta t_1} \Pi_1 e^{A_2^{\text{diff}} \Delta t_2} \Pi_2 \dots e^{A_p^{\text{diff}} \Delta t_p} \Pi_p x_0 \end{aligned}$$

and $\Delta t_p \rightarrow \infty$ for at least one p and $t \rightarrow \infty$.



Quadratic Lyapunov function

Theorem (Existence of common quadratic Lyapunov function)

(IFC) $\wedge (E_p, A_p)$ *asympt. stable* $\forall p \wedge [A_p^{\text{diff}}, A_q^{\text{diff}}] = 0 \forall p, q$
 $\Rightarrow \exists$ *common quadratic Lyapunov function* with

$$V(\Pi_p x) \leq V(x) \quad \forall x \forall p$$

Key observation for proof: $[A_1^{\text{diff}}, A_2^{\text{diff}}] = 0 \Rightarrow \exists T$ invertierbar:

$$T A_1^{\text{diff}} T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & A_{12} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad T A_2^{\text{diff}} T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{21} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & A_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

with A_{ij} Hurwitz und $[A_{11}, A_{21}] = 0$

Common quadratic Lyapunov function: Construction



$$TA_1^{\text{diff}} T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & A_{12} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad TA_2^{\text{diff}} T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{21} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & A_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

with A_{ij} Hurwitz und $[A_{11}, A_{21}] = 0 \Rightarrow \exists P_1, P_2, P_3$ s.p.d.:

$$\begin{aligned} A_{11}^\top P_1 + P_1 A_{11} < 0 & \quad \wedge \quad A_{21}^\top P_1 + P_1 A_{21} < 0 \\ A_{12}^\top P_2 + P_2 A_{12} < 0 \\ A_{22}^\top P_3 + P_3 A_{22} < 0 \end{aligned}$$

\Rightarrow

$$P = T^{-\top} \begin{bmatrix} P_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & P_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & P_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & I \end{bmatrix} T^{-1}$$

gives sought quadratic Lyapunov function $V(x) = x^\top P x$.



Summary

We considered switched DAEs:

$$E_{\sigma}\dot{x} = A_{\sigma}x$$

- Solution theory
 - no classical solutions: jumps and impulses
 - impulse freeness condition
 - jumps still permitted
- Commutativity and stability
 - commutativity of A -matrices not sufficient
 - but commutativity of A^{diff} -matrices sufficient
 - also takes care of jumps
 - commutativity \Rightarrow quadratic Lyapunov function
- Next step: Converse Lyapunov theorem for general case



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