

Modelling and Optimization-based Control of Hybrid Dynamical Systems

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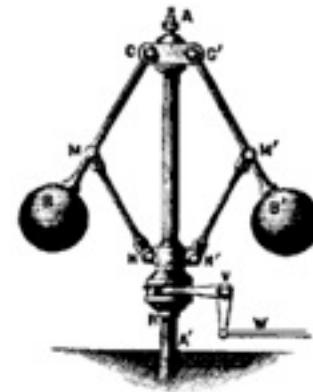
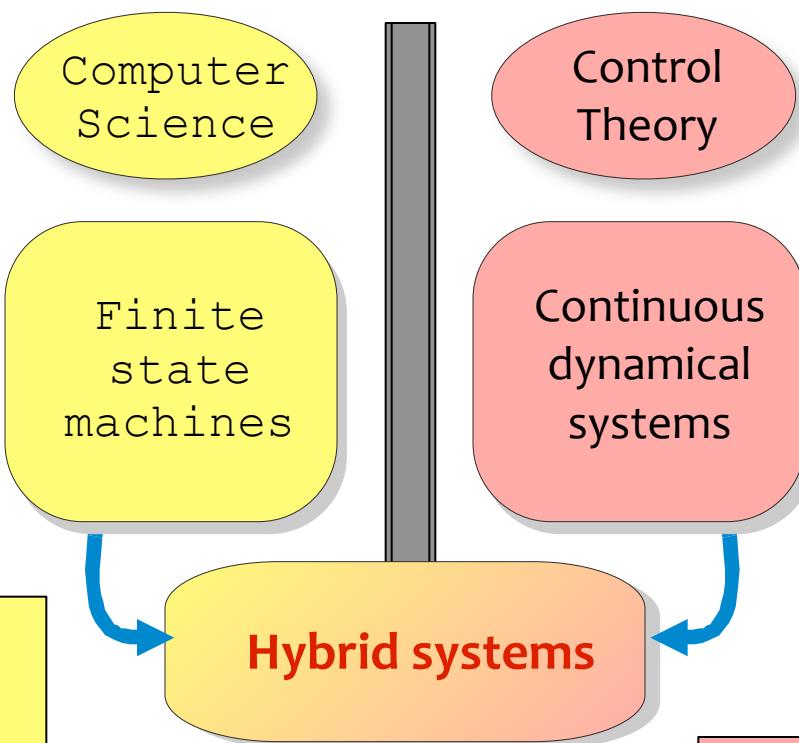
Talk outline

- Models of hybrid systems
- Model predictive control (MPC) of hybrid systems
- Automotive applications
- New research directions

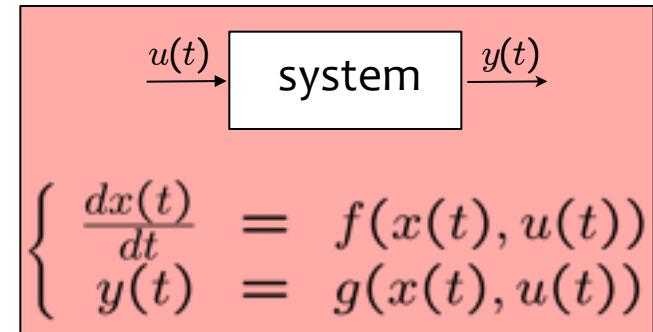
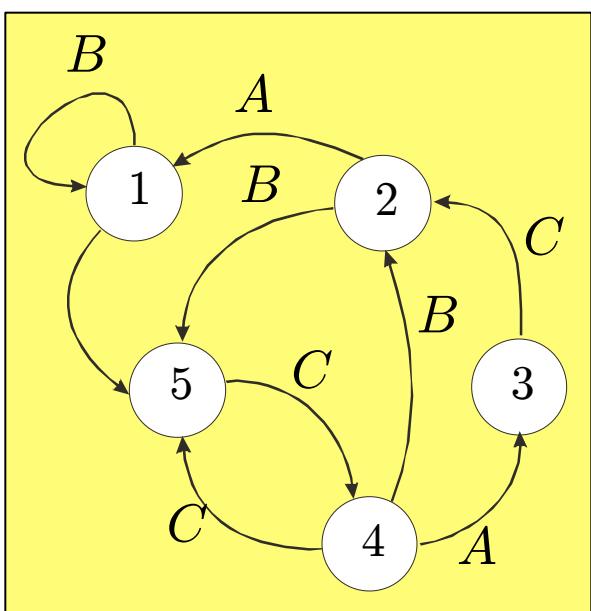
Hybrid dynamical systems



$$x \in \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$$
$$u \in \{A, B, C\}$$

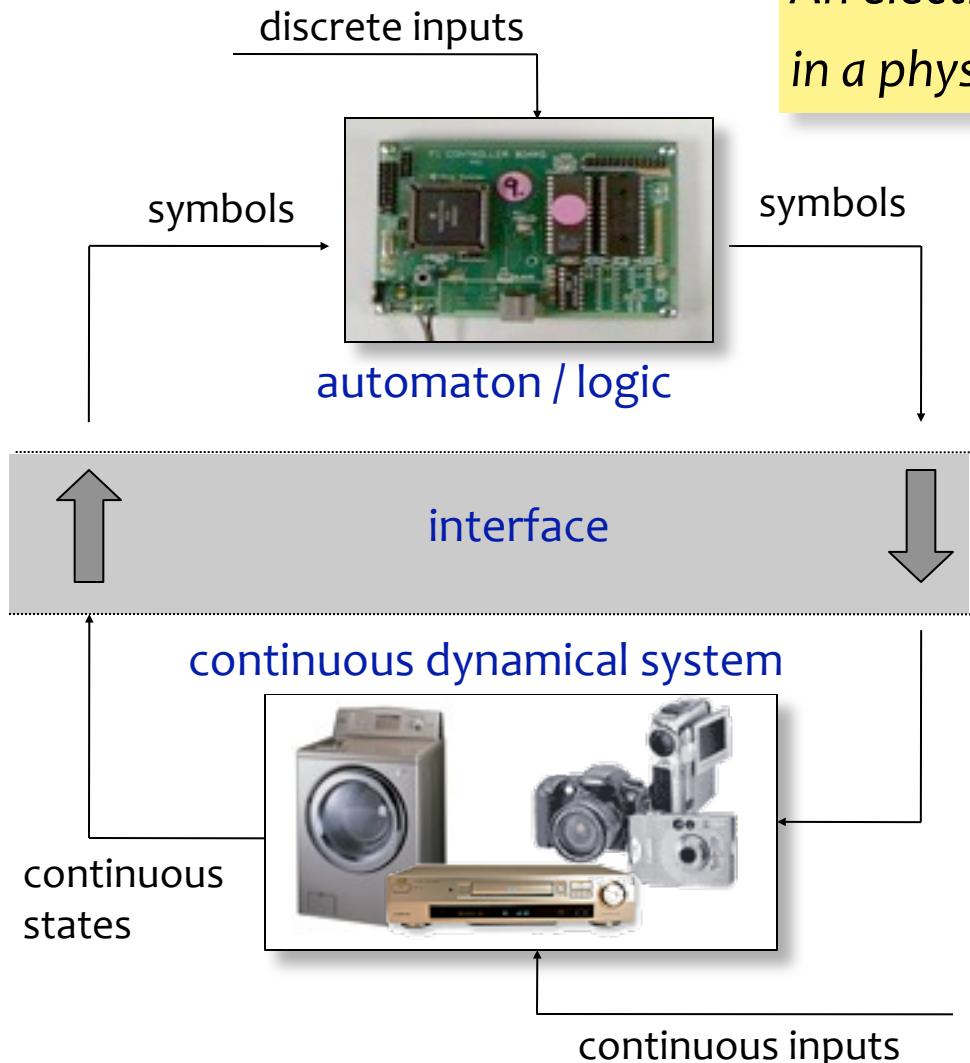


$$x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$
$$u \in \mathbb{R}^m$$
$$y \in \mathbb{R}^p$$



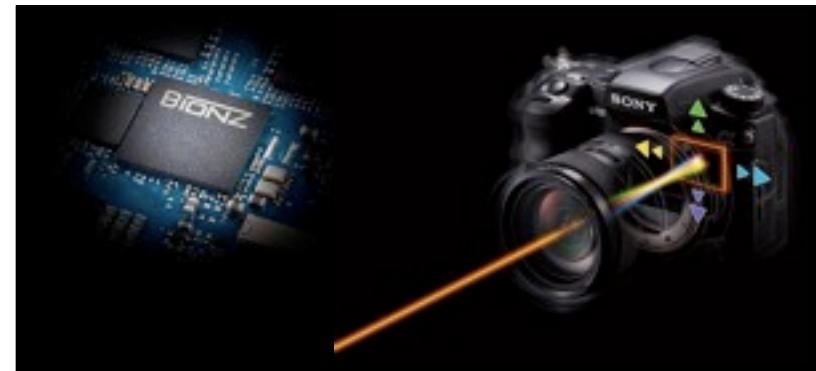
$$\begin{cases} x(k+1) = f(x(k), u(k)) \\ y(k) = g(x(k), u(k)) \end{cases}$$

Embedded systems



An electronic (control) device is “**embedded**” in a physical process and interacts with it

Examples: automobiles, industrial processes, consumer electronics, home appliances, ...



Sensor-based image stabilization

“Intrinsically hybrid” systems

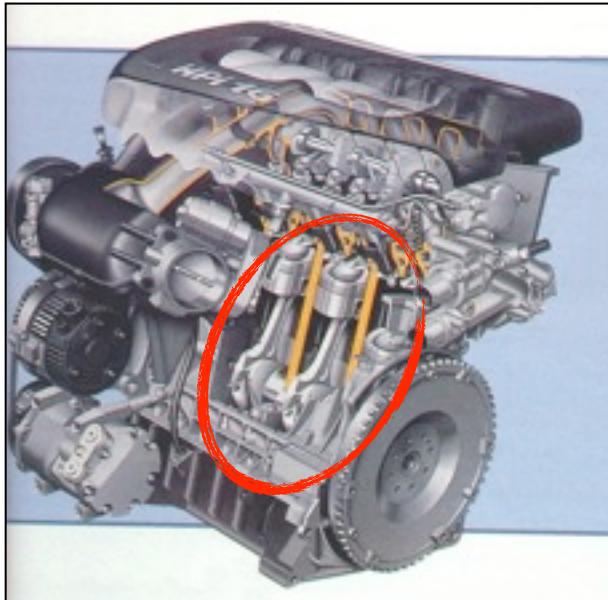


- Transmission

discrete command
(R,N,1,2,3,4,5)

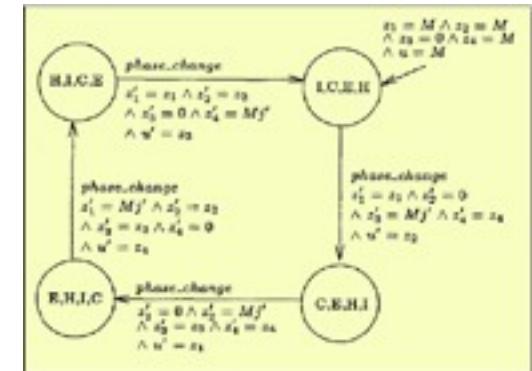
continuous
dynamical variables
(velocities, torques)

+



- Four-stroke engines

automaton,
dependent on
crankshaft angle

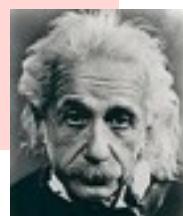


Key requirements for hybrid models

- **Descriptive** enough to capture the behavior of the system
 - **continuous** dynamics (physical laws)
 - **logic** components (switches, automata, software code)
 - **interconnection** between logic and dynamics
- **Simple** enough for solving *analysis* and *synthesis* problems

“*Make everything as simple as possible, but not simpler.*”

— Albert Einstein



linear hybrid systems

Piecewise affine (PWA) systems

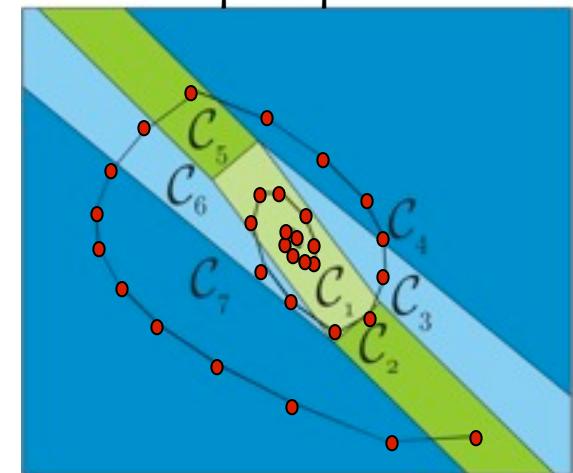
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$$i(k) \text{ s.t. } H_{i(k)}x(k) + J_{i(k)}u(k) \leq K_{i(k)}$$

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^n, u \in \mathbb{R}^m, y \in \mathbb{R}^p$$

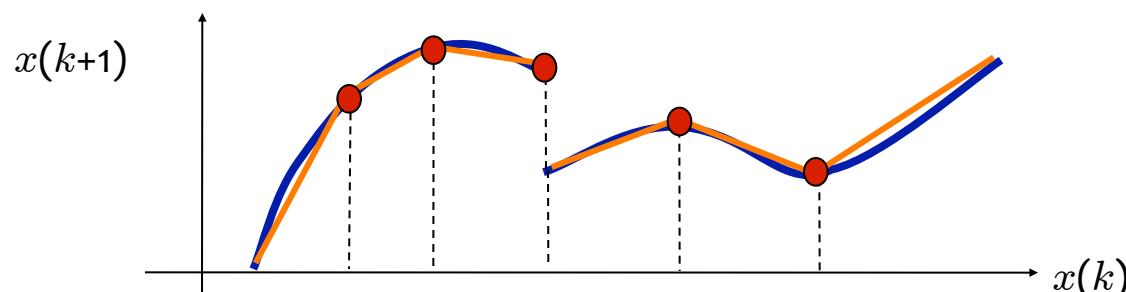
$$i(k) \in \{1, \dots, s\}$$

state+input space



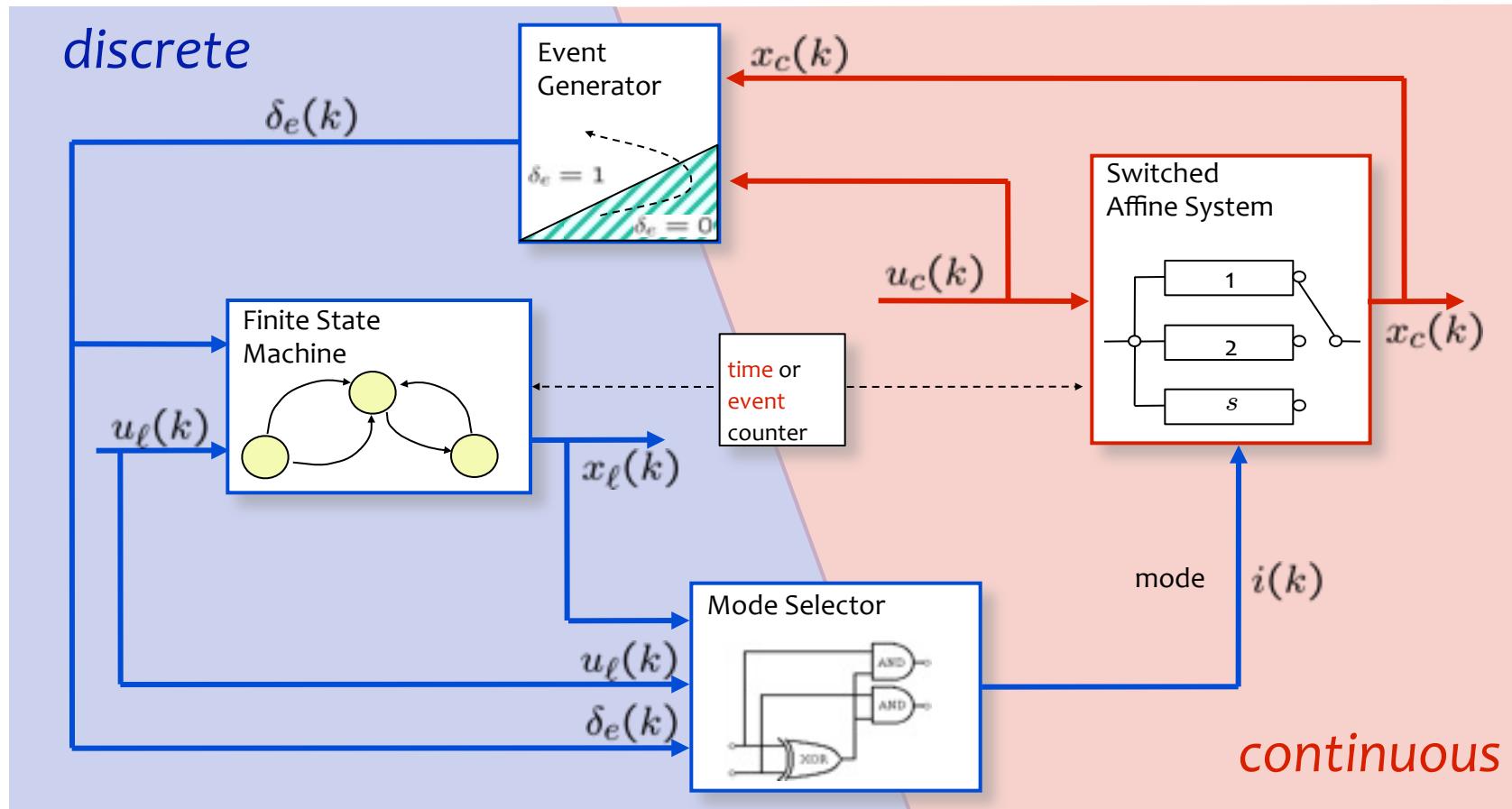
(Sontag 1981)

Can approximate nonlinear and/or discontinuous dynamics arbitrarily well



Discrete Hybrid Automata (DHA)

(Torrisi, Bemporad, 2004)



$x_\ell \in \{0, 1\}^{n_b}$ = binary states

$u_\ell \in \{0, 1\}^{m_b}$ = binary inputs

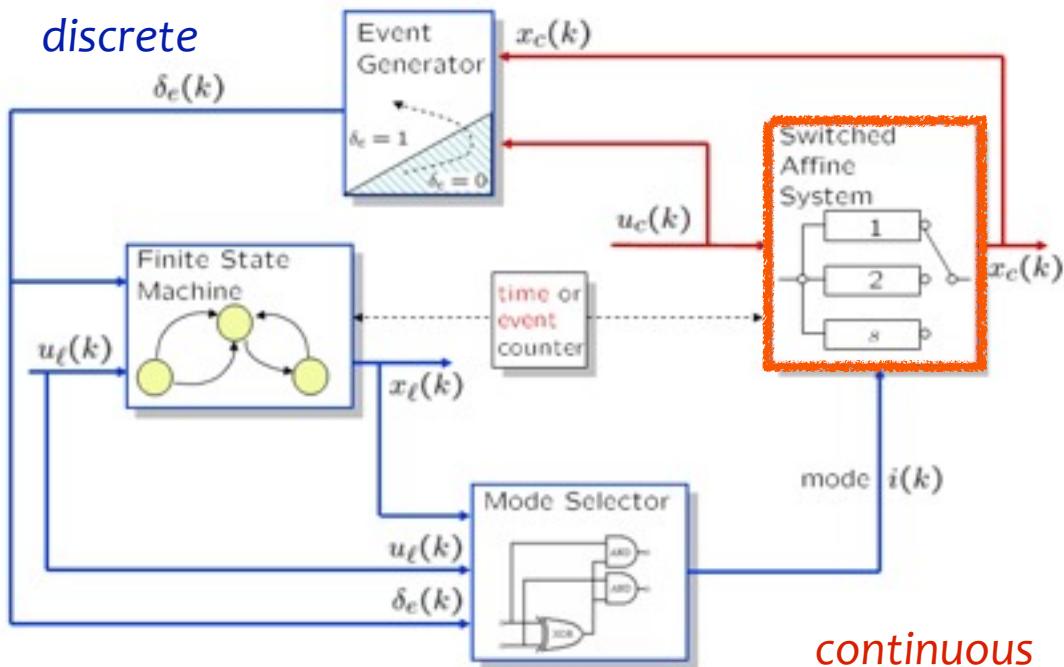
$\delta_e \in \{0, 1\}^{n_e}$ = event variables

$x_c \in \mathbb{R}^{n_c}$ = continuous states

$u_c \in \mathbb{R}^{m_c}$ = continuous inputs

$i \in \{1, 2, \dots, s\}$ = current mode

Switched affine system

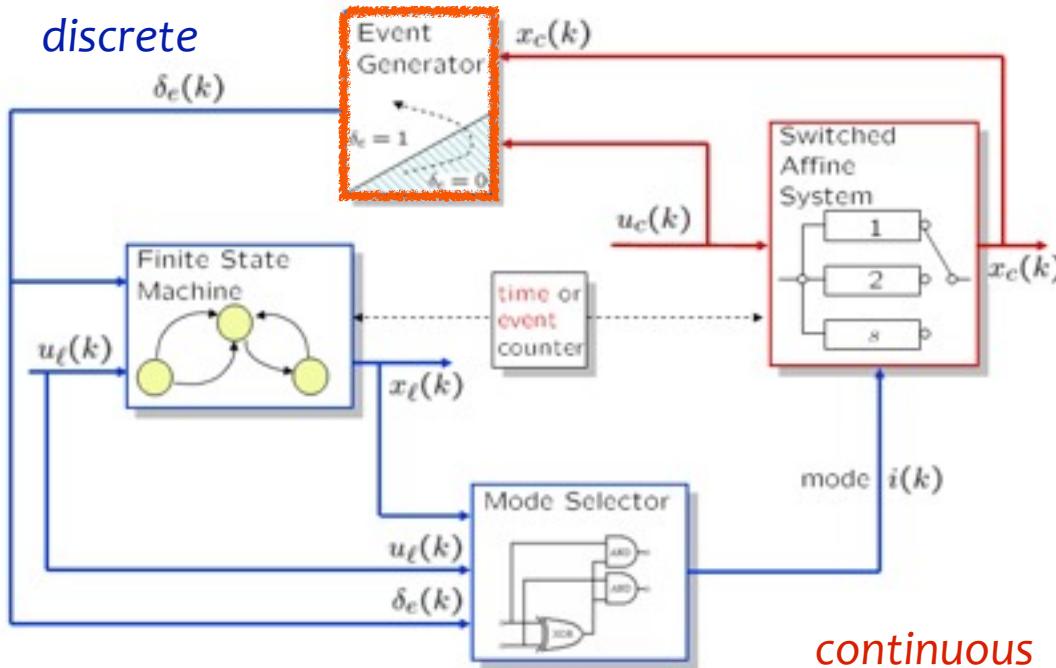


The affine dynamics depend on the current mode $i(k)$:

$$x_c(k+1) = A_{i(k)}x_c(k) + B_{i(k)}u_c(k) + f_{i(k)}$$

$$x_c \in \mathbb{R}^{n_c}, \quad u_c \in \mathbb{R}^{m_c}$$

Event generator



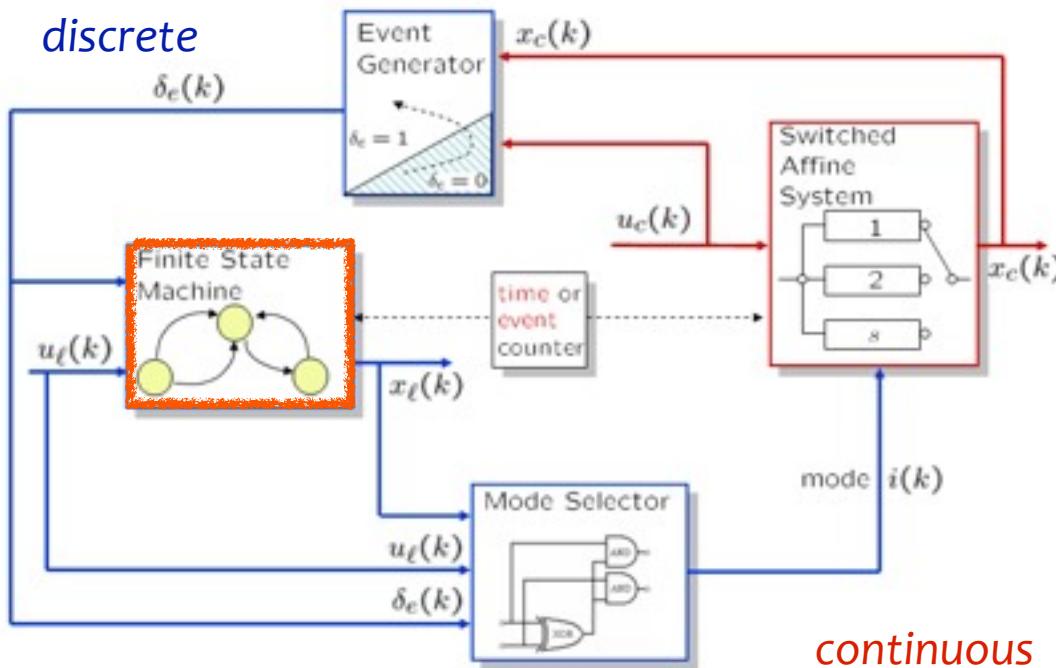
Event variables are generated by linear threshold conditions over continuous states and inputs (time events can be also modeled):

$$[\delta_e^i(k) = 1] \leftrightarrow [H^i x_c(k) + K^i u_c(k) \leq W^i]$$

$$x_c \in \mathbb{R}^{n_c}, \quad u_c \in \mathbb{R}^{m_c}, \quad \delta_e \in \{0, 1\}^{n_e}$$

Example: $[\delta_e(k)=1] \leftrightarrow [x_c(k) \leq 0]$

Finite state machine

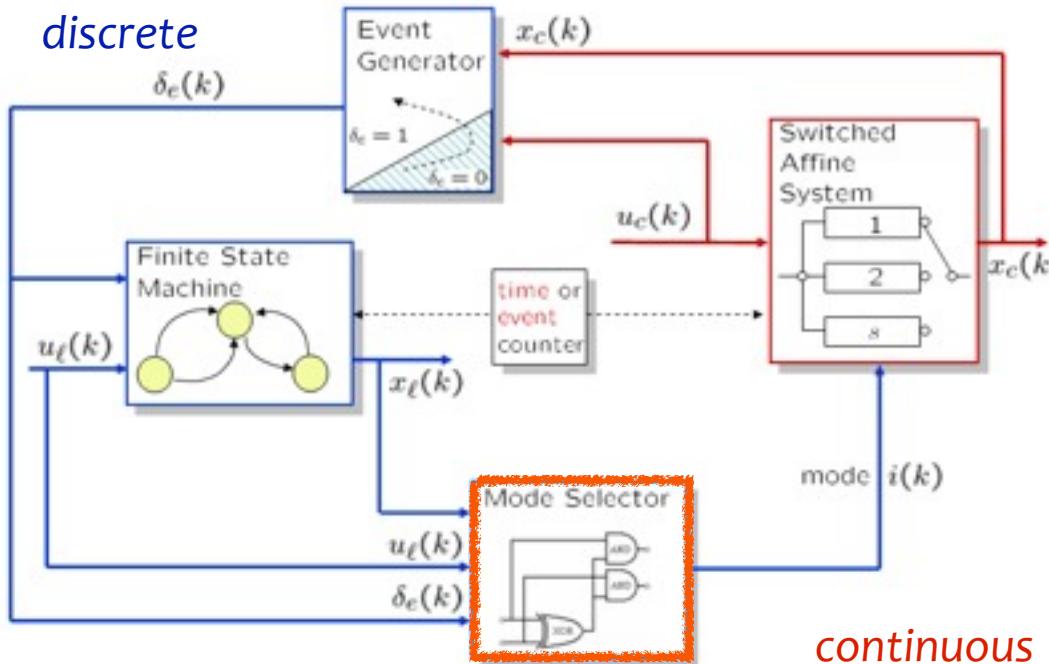


The binary state of the finite state machine evolves according to a Boolean state update function:

$$x_\ell(k+1) = f_B(x_\ell(k), u_\ell(k), \delta_e(k)) \quad x_\ell \in \{0, 1\}^{n_\ell}, \quad u_\ell \in \{0, 1\}^{m_\ell}, \quad \delta_e \in \{0, 1\}^{n_e}$$

Example: $x_\ell(k+1) = \neg \delta_e(k) \vee (x_\ell(k) \wedge u_\ell(k))$

Mode selector



The active mode $i(k)$ is selected by a Boolean function of the current binary states, binary inputs, and event variables:

$$i(k) = f_M(x_\ell(k), u_\ell(k), \delta_e(k)) \quad x_\ell \in \{0, 1\}^{n_\ell}, \quad u_\ell \in \{0, 1\}^{m_\ell}, \quad \delta_e \in \{0, 1\}^{n_e}$$

Example:

$$i(k) = \begin{bmatrix} \neg u_\ell(k) \vee x_\ell(k) \\ u_\ell(k) \wedge x_\ell(k) \end{bmatrix} \quad \rightarrow$$

u_ℓ/x_ℓ	0	1
0	$i = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$	$i = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
1	$i = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$	$i = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

the system has 3 modes

Logic and linear inequalities

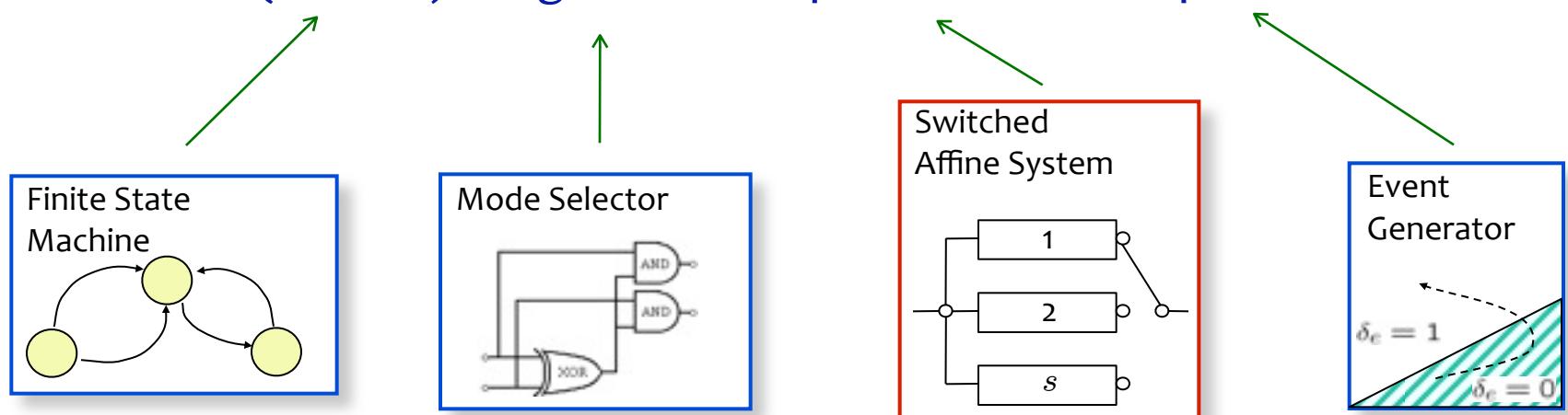
$$X_1 \vee X_2 = \text{TRUE} \longrightarrow \delta_1 + \delta_2 \geq 1, \quad \delta_1, \delta_2 \in \{0, 1\}$$

(Glover 1975,
Williams 1977,
Hooker 2000)

Any logic formula involving **Boolean variables** and **linear combinations of continuous variables** can be translated into a set of **(mixed-)integer linear (in)equalities**

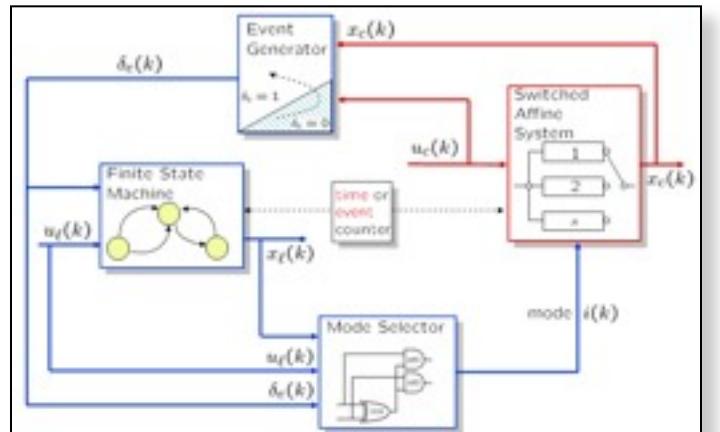


All the DHA blocks can be translated into a set of **(mixed-)integer linear equalities and inequalities**



Mixed-logical dynamical systems

Discrete Hybrid Automaton



HYSDEL

(Torrisi, Bemporad, 2004)

Mixed Logical Dynamical (MLD) Systems

(Bemporad, Morari 1999)

$$x(t+1) = Ax(t) + B_1u(t) + B_2\delta(t) + B_3z(t) + B_5$$

$$y(t) = Cx(t) + D_1u(t) + D_2\delta(t) + D_3z(t) + D_5$$

$$E_2\delta(t) + E_3z(t) \leq E_4x(t) + E_1u(t) + E_5$$

Continuous and
binary variables

$$\begin{aligned} x &\in \mathbb{R}^{n_r} \times \{0, 1\}^{n_b}, u \in \mathbb{R}^{m_r} \times \{0, 1\}^{m_b} \\ y &\in \mathbb{R}^{p_r} \times \{0, 1\}^{p_b}, \delta \in \{0, 1\}^{r_b}, z \in \mathbb{R}^{r_r} \end{aligned}$$

Suitable for solving **optimization** problems (mixed-integer programming)

Mixed-integer models in operations research

Translation of logical relations into linear inequalities is heavily used in **operations research (OR)** for solving complex decision problems by using **mixed-integer (linear) programming (MIP)**

Example: Timetable generation (for demanding professors ...)

	9-11	11-12	14-16	16-18
Lunedì				
Martedì				
Mercoledì				
Giovedì				
Venerdì				
Sabato				

decisamente no
preferibilmente no
neutro
preferibilmente sì
decisamente sì

Conferma Annulla



	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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Effort: 10% mathematical problem setup (mixed-integer linear model)
30% database & web interfaces
60% deal with professors' complaints, complaints, complaints ...

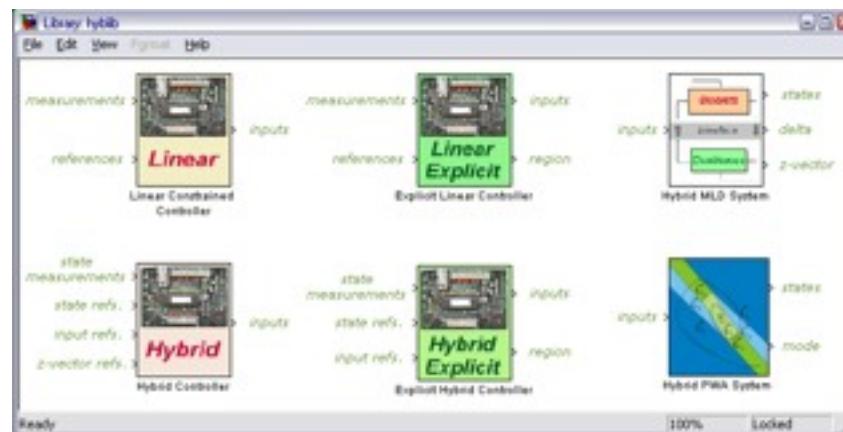
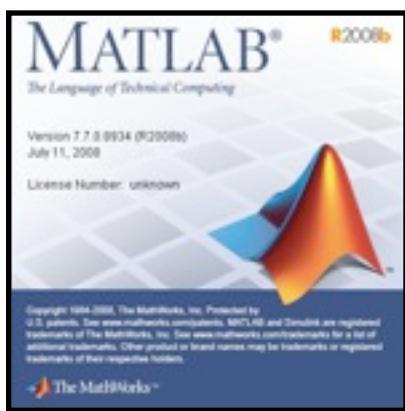
Hybrid Toolbox for MATLAB

Features:

- Hybrid models: design, simulation, verification
- Control design for linear systems w/ constraints and hybrid systems (on-line optimization via QP/MILP/MIQP)
- Explicit MPC control (via multi-parametric programming)
- C-code generation
- Simulink library

(Bemporad, 2003-2009)

Support:

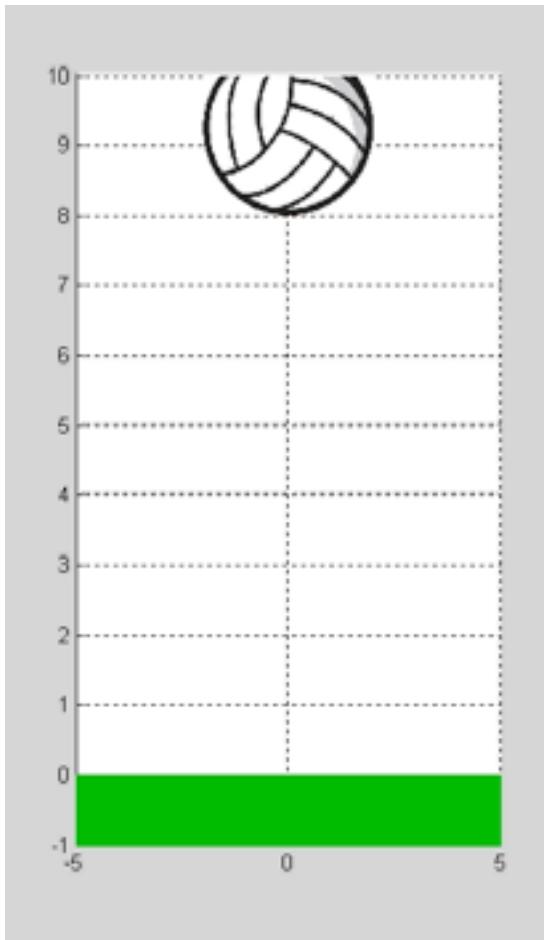


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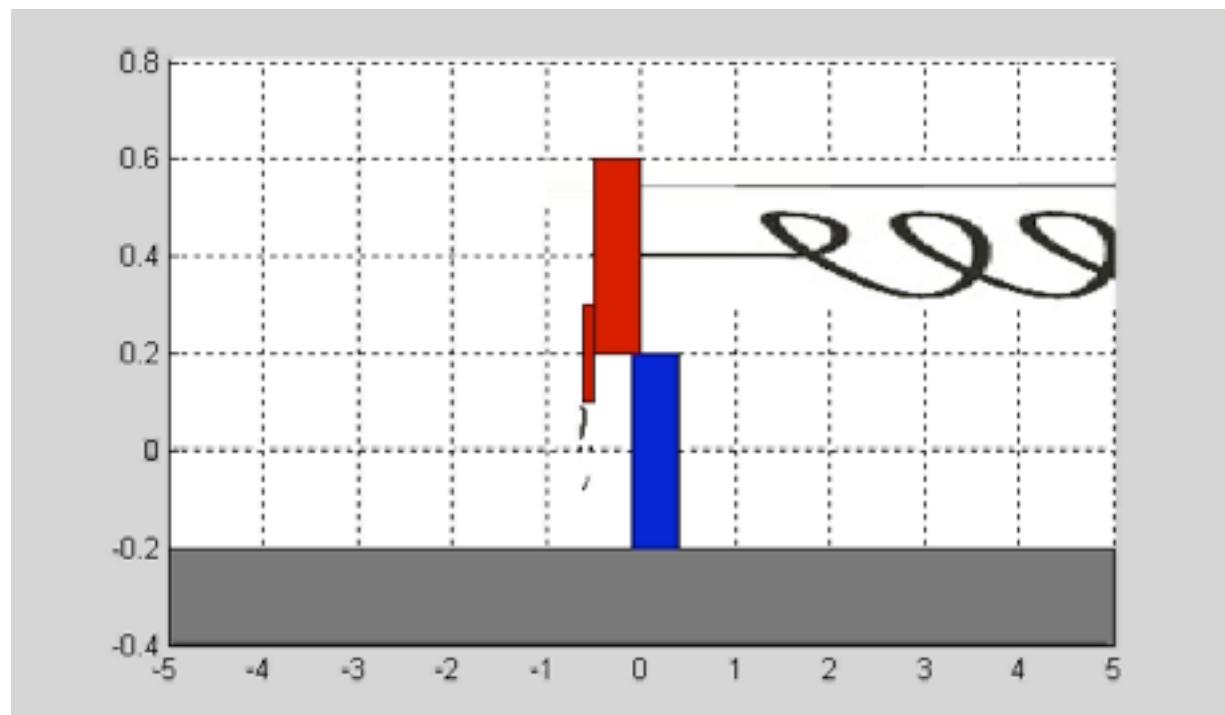
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Examples: systems with impacts

bouncing ball

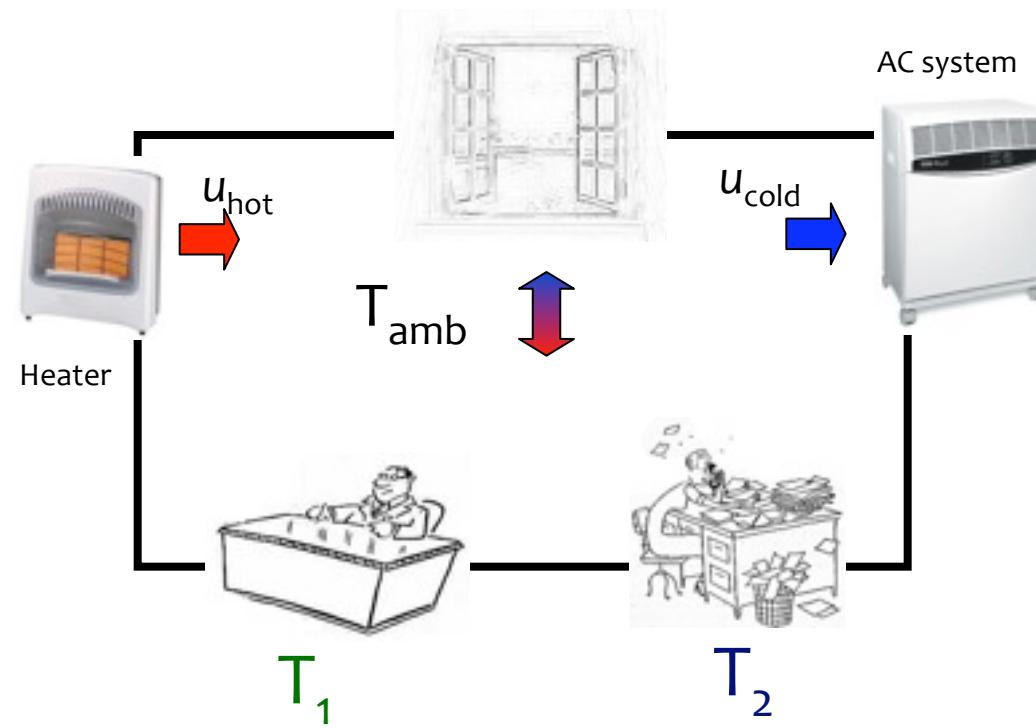


magnetically actuated fuel injector



Easily modeled as discrete-time linear hybrid systems

Example: room temperature



Hybrid dynamics

- #1 turns the heater (A/C) on whenever he is cold (hot)
- If #2 is cold he turns the heater on, unless #1 is hot
- If #2 is hot he turns A/C on, unless #2 is cold
- Otherwise, heater and A/C are off

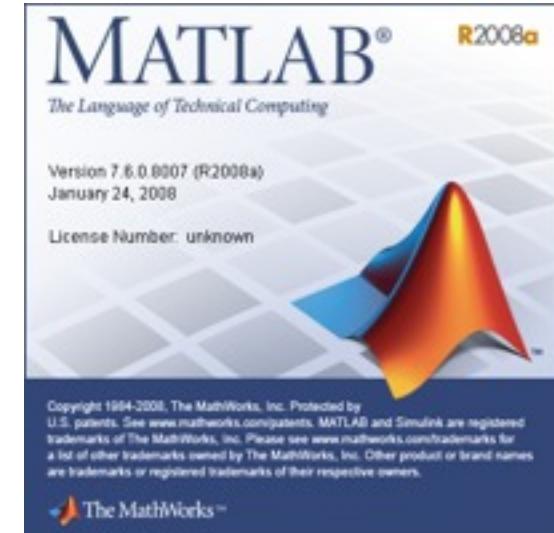
- $\dot{T}_1 = -\alpha_1(T_1 - T_{\text{amb}}) + k_1(u_{\text{hot}} - u_{\text{cold}})$ (body temperature dynamics of #1)
- $\dot{T}_2 = -\alpha_2(T_2 - T_{\text{amb}}) + k_2(u_{\text{hot}} - u_{\text{cold}})$ (body temperature dynamics of #2)

HYSDEL model

```
SYSTEM heatcool {  
  
INTERFACE {  
    STATE { REAL T1 [-10,50];  
           REAL T2 [-10,50];  
    }  
    INPUT ( REAL Tamb [-10,50];  
    )  
    PARAMETER {  
        REAL Ts, alpha1, alpha2, k1, k2;  
        REAL Thot1, Tcold1, Thot2, Tcold2, Uc, Uh;  
    }  
}  
  
IMPLEMENTATION {  
    AUX { REAL uhot, ucold;  
          BOOL hot1, hot2, cold1, cold2;  
    }  
    AD { hot1 = T1>=Thot1;  
         hot2 = T2>=Thot2;  
         cold1 = T1<=Tcold1;  
         cold2 = T2<=Tcold2;  
    }  
    DA { uhot = (IF cold1 | (cold2 & ~hot1) THEN Uh ELSE 0);  
         ucold = (IF hot1 | (hot2 & ~cold1) THEN Uc ELSE 0);  
    }  
    CONTINUOUS { T1 = T1+Ts*(-alpha1*(T1-Tamb)+k1*(uhot-ucold));  
                 T2 = T2+Ts*(-alpha2*(T2-Tamb)+k2*(uhot-ucold));  
    }  
}
```

```
>>S=mld('heatcoolmodel',Ts)
```

```
>>[XX,TT]=sim(S,x0,U);
```



Hybrid Toolbox for Matlab

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get the MLD model in Matlab

simulate the MLD model

Hybrid MLD model

- MLD model

$$\begin{aligned}x(k+1) &= Ax(k) + B_1u(k) + B_2\delta(k) + B_3z(k) \\y(k) &= Cx(k) + D_1u(k) + D_2\delta(k) + D_3z(k) \\E_2\delta(k) + E_3z(k) &\leq E_1u(k) + E_4x(k) + E_5\end{aligned}$$

- 2 continuous states: (temperatures T_1, T_2)
- 1 continuous input: (room temperature T_{amb})
- 2 auxiliary continuous vars: (power flows $u_{\text{hot}}, u_{\text{cold}}$)
- 6 auxiliary binary vars: (4 thresholds + 2 for OR condition)
- 20 mixed-integer inequalities

Possible combination of integer variables: $2^6 = 64$

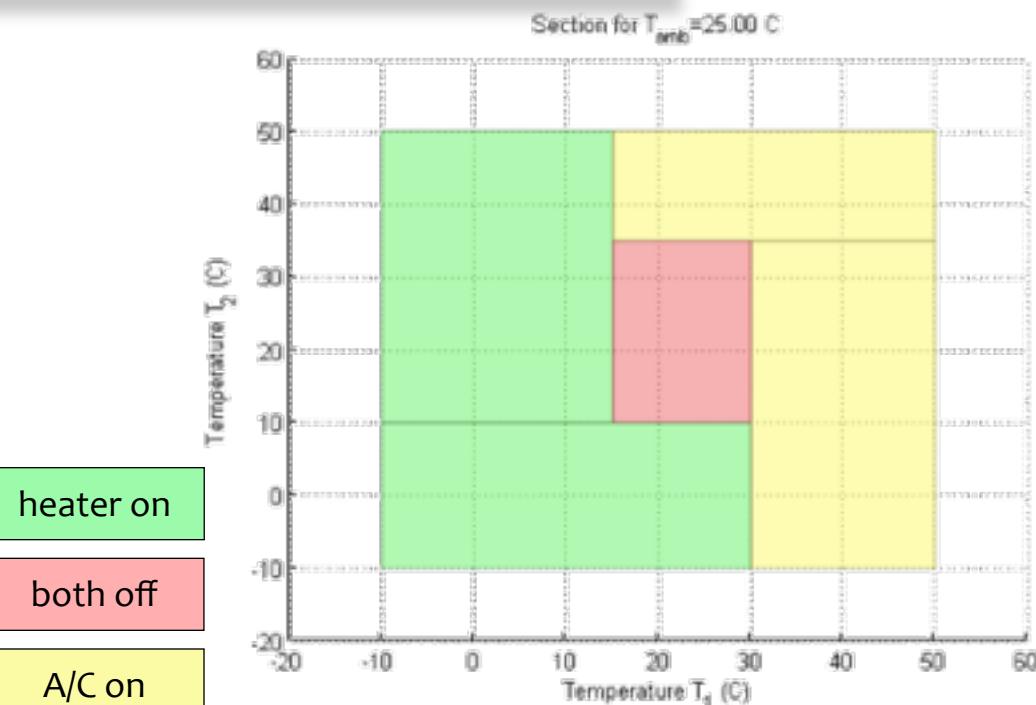
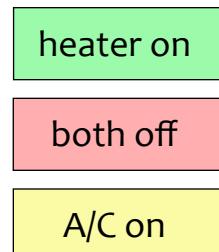
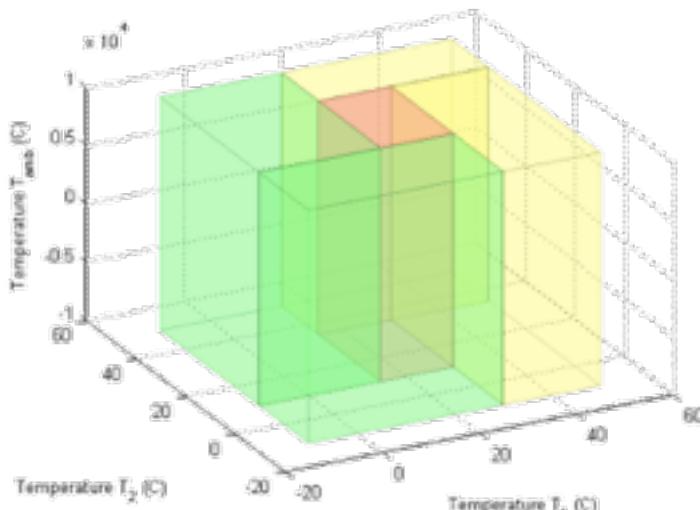
Hybrid PWA model

- PWA model

```
>>P=pwa (S);
```

$$\begin{aligned}x(k+1) &= A_{i(k)}x(k) + B_{i(k)}u(k) + f_{i(k)} \\y(k) &= C_{i(k)}x(k) + D_{i(k)}u(k) + g_{i(k)} \\i(k) \text{ s.t. } H_{i(k)}x(k) + J_{i(k)}u(k) &\leq K_{i(k)}\end{aligned}$$

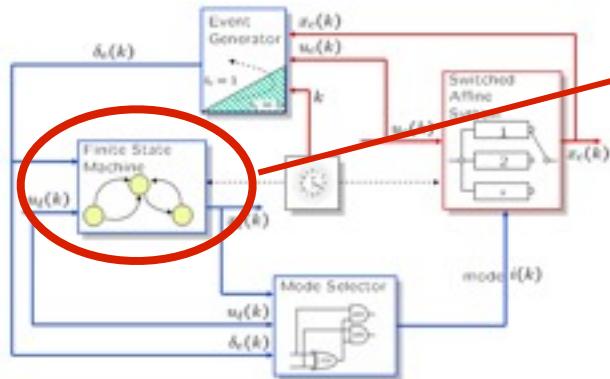
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(room temperature T_{amb})



- 5 polyhedral regions
(partition does not depend on input)

DHA extensions

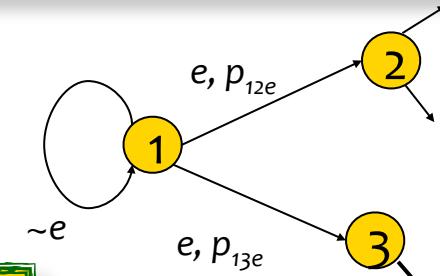
Discrete-time Hybrid Stochastic Automaton (DHSA)



Stochastic Finite State Machine (sFSM)

$$P[x_b(k+1) = 1] = f_{\text{sFSM}}(x_b(k), u_b(k), \delta_e(k))$$

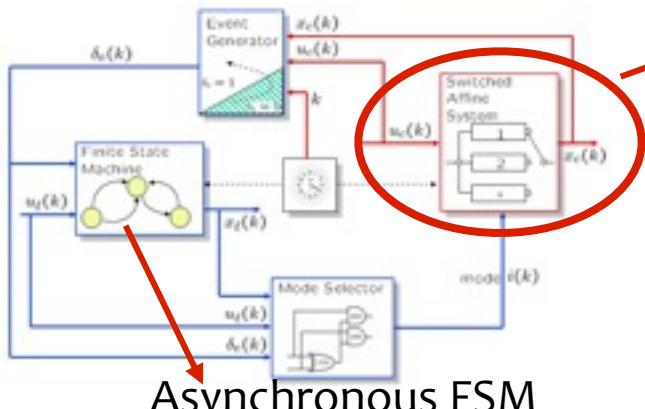
k = discrete-time counter



(Bemporad, Di Cairano, IEEE TAC, submitted)

All control/verification techniques developed for DHA can be extended to DHSA and icHA !

Event-based Continuous-time Hybrid Automaton (icHA)



Switched integral dynamics

$$\frac{dx_c(t)}{dt} = B_i(t)u_c(t) + f_i(t)$$

k = event counter

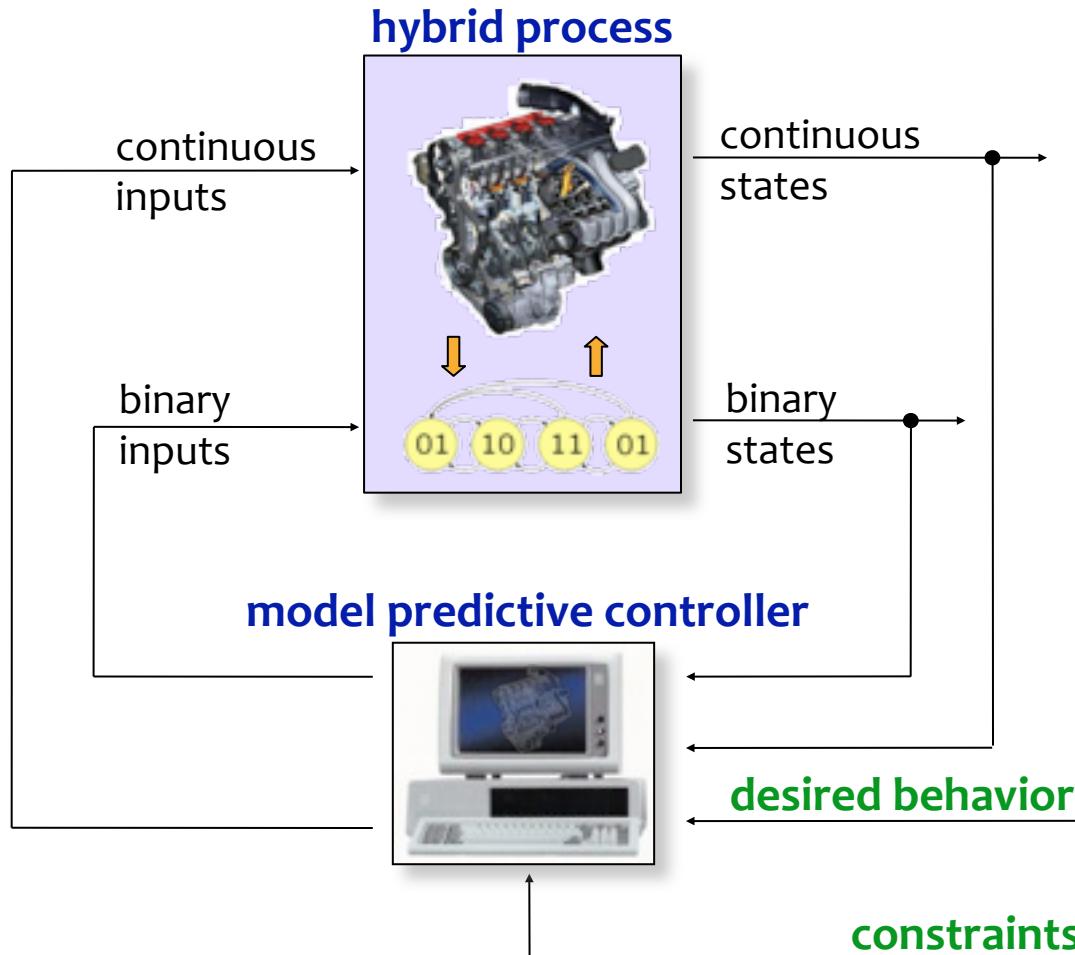
u_c constant between events k and $k+1$

(Bemporad, Di Cairano, Julvez, 2009)

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- Automotive applications
- New research directions

Model Predictive Control (MPC)

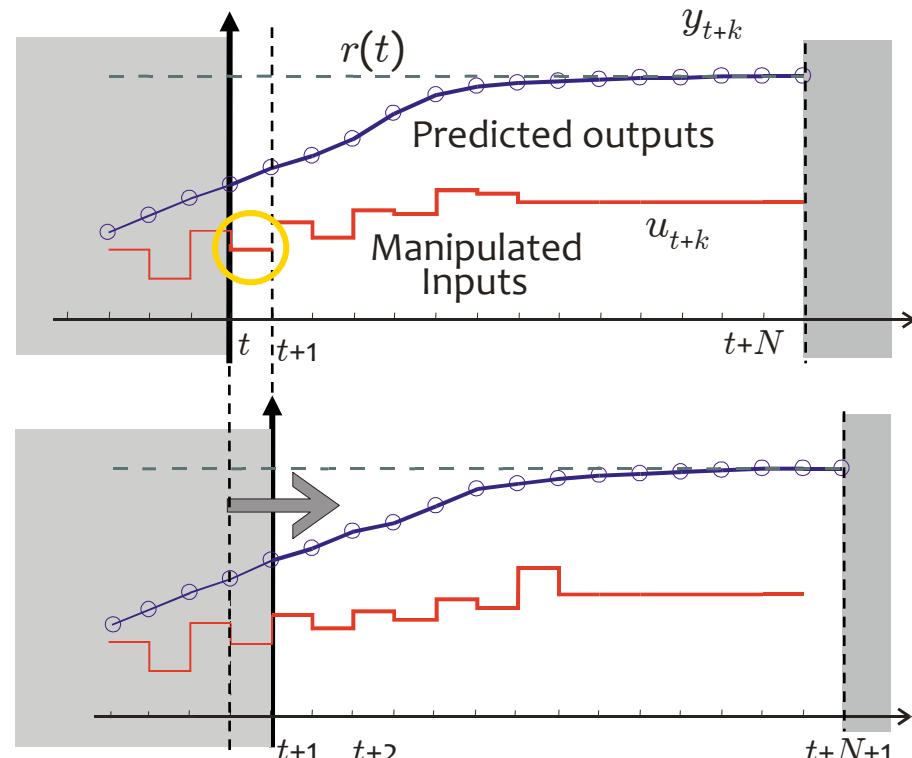


A **model** of the process is used to **predict** the future evolution of the process to decide the **control** signal

Receding horizon philosophy

- At time t : solve an **optimal control** problem over a finite future horizon of N steps:

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{u_t, \dots, u_{t+N-1}} \quad & \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \|y_{t+k} - r(t)\|^2 + \right. \\ & \left. \rho \|u_{t+k} - u_r(t)\|^2 \right\} \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & x_{t+k+1} = f(x_{t+k}, u_{t+k}) \\ & y_{t+k} = g(x_{t+k}, u_{t+k}) \\ & u_{\min} \leq u_{t+k} \leq u_{\max} \\ & y_{\min} \leq y_{t+k} \leq y_{\max} \\ & x_t = x(t), \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1 \end{aligned}$$



- Only apply the first optimal move $u^*(t)$
- At time $t+1$: Get new measurements, repeat the optimization. And so on ...

Advantage of repeated on-line optimization: **FEEDBACK!**

Receding horizon example

- prediction model how vehicle moves on the map

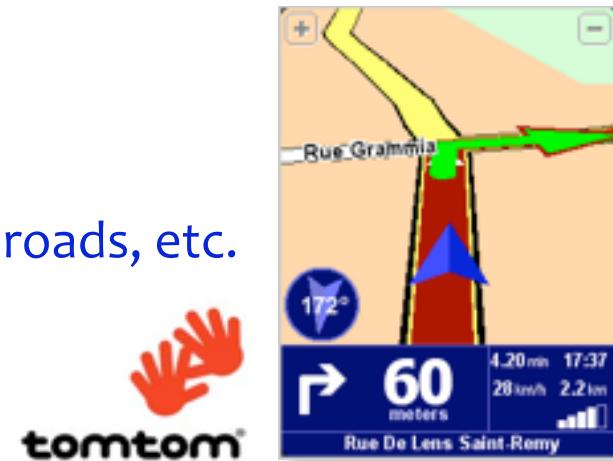
- constraints drive on roads, respect one-way roads, etc.

- disturbances mainly driver's inattention !

- set point desired location

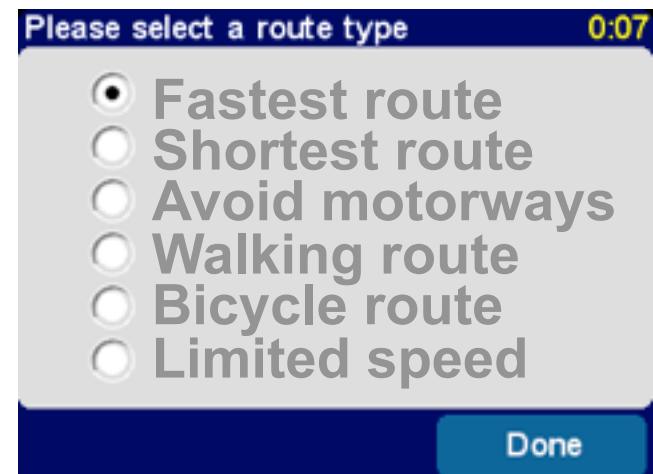
- cost function minimum time,
minimum distance, etc.

- receding horizon mechanism
event-based
(optimal route re-planned when path is lost)



x = GPS position

u = navigation commands



MPC of hybrid systems

$$\min_{\xi} J(\xi, x(0)) = \sum_{t=0}^{T-1} y'(t)Qy(t) + u'(t)Ru(t)$$

subject to
$$\begin{cases} x(t+1) = Ax(t) + B_1u(t) + B_2\delta(t) + B_3z(t) + B_5 \\ y(t) = Cx(t) + D_1u(t) + D_2\delta(t) + D_3z(t) + D_5 \\ E_2\delta(t) + E_3z(t) \leq E_4x(t) + E_1u(t) + E_5 \end{cases}$$

(Bemporad, Morari, 1999)



$$\min_{\xi} \frac{1}{2}\xi' H \xi + x(0)' F \xi + \frac{1}{2}x'(0)' Y x(0)$$

subj. to $G\xi \leq W + Sx(t)$

Mixed Integer Quadratic Program (MIQP)

ξ has both real and $\{0, 1\}$ components

Alternative: Mixed-integer **linear** (MILP) formulations

Closed-loop convergence results of hybrid MPC available

(Bemporad, Morari 1999) (Lazar, Heemels, Weiland, Bemporad, 2006) (Di Cairano, Lazar, Bemporad, Heemels, 2008)

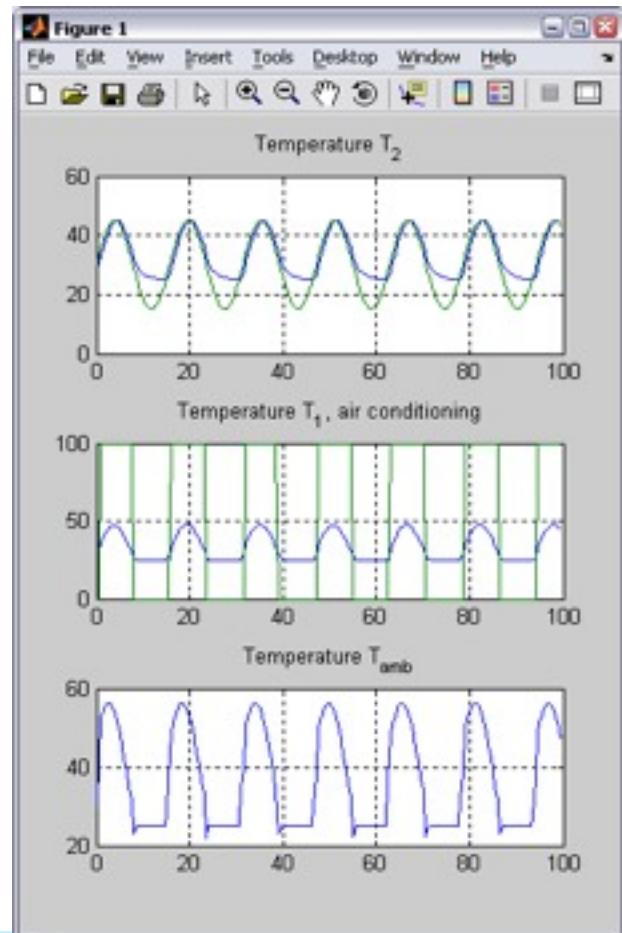
Hybrid MPC – Room temperature example

```
>>refs.x=2; % just weight state #2  
>>Q.x=1;  
>>Q.rho=Inf; % hard constraints  
>>Q.norm=2; % quadratic costs  
>>N=2; % optimization horizon  
>>limits.xmin=[25;-Inf];  
  
>>C=hybcon(S,Q,N,limits,refs);
```

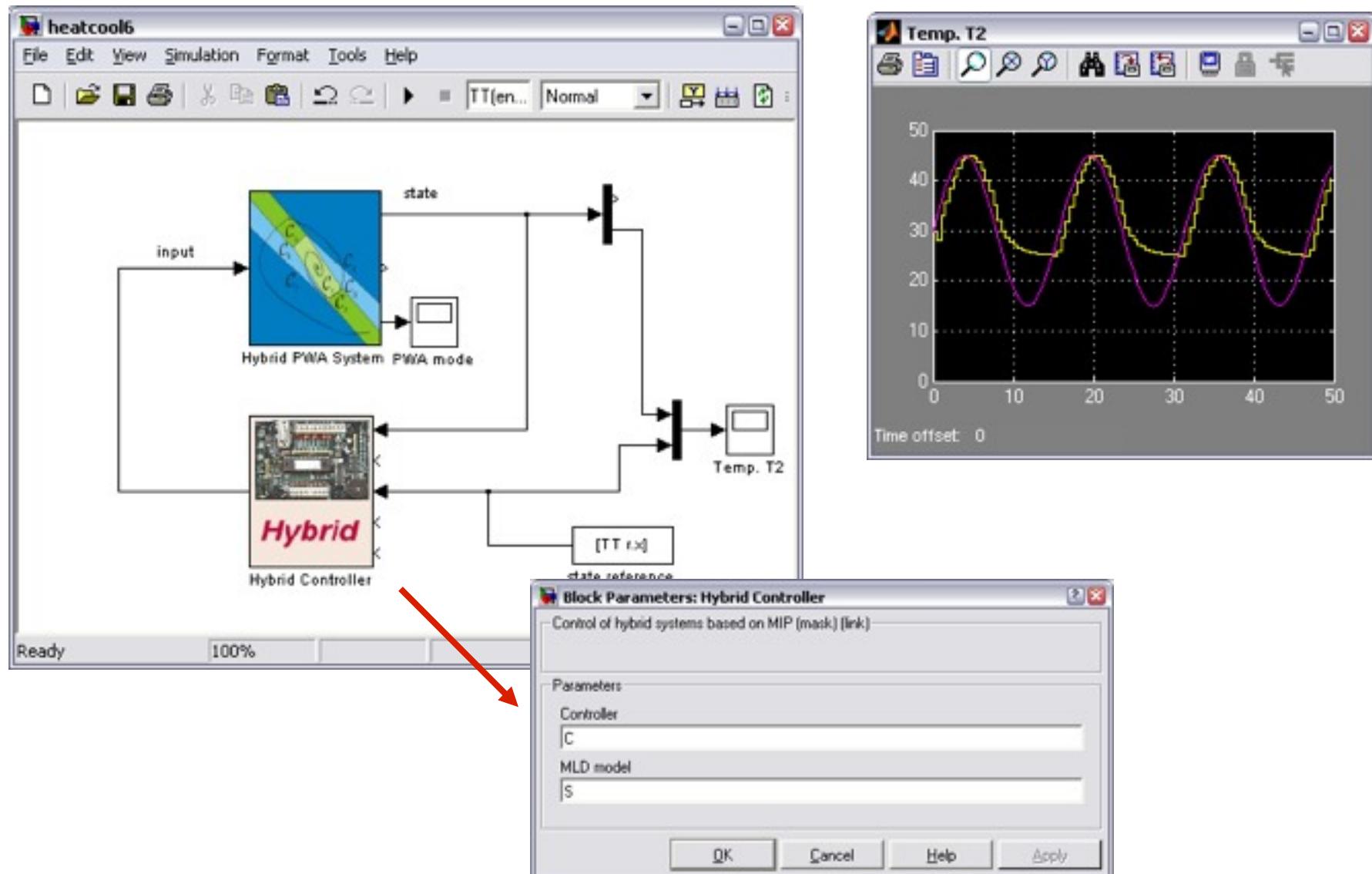
```
>> C  
  
Hybrid controller based on MLD model S <heatcoolmodel.hys>  
  
2 state measurement(s)  
0 output reference(s)  
0 input reference(s)  
1 state reference(s)  
0 reference(s) on auxiliary continuous z-variables  
  
20 optimization variable(s) (8 continuous, 12 binary)  
46 mixed-integer linear inequalities  
sampling time = 0.5, MILP solver = 'glpk'  
  
Type "struct(C)" for more details.  
>>
```

```
>>[XX,UU,DD,ZZ,TT]=sim(C,S,r,x0,Tstop);
```

$$\begin{aligned} \text{min } & \sum_{k=1}^2 (x_2(k) - r)^2 \\ \text{s.t. } & x_1(k) \geq 25 \quad k = 1, 2 \\ & \text{MLD model} \end{aligned}$$



Hybrid MPC – Room temperature example



Main drawbacks of on-line implementation

- Excellent LP/QP/MIP/NLP solvers exist today (“LP is a technology” – S. Boyd)

but ...

- Computation time may be too long: ok for large sampling times ($>0.1s$) but not for fast-sampling applications ($<1ms$).
Worst-case CPU time hard to estimate
- Requires relatively expensive hardware (not suitable on inexpensive 8-bit μ -controllers with few kB RAM)
- Software complexity: control profile $u(x)$ hard to understand, solver code difficult to certify
(bad in safety critical apps)



Any way to use MPC without on-line solvers ?

Explicit model predictive control

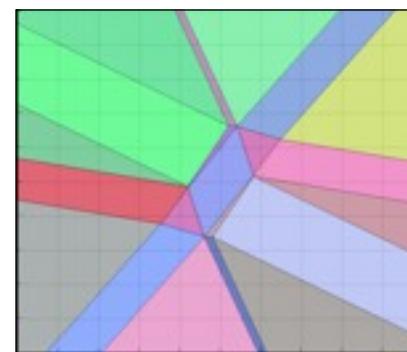
$$\begin{array}{ll}\min_U & \frac{1}{2}U'HU + \mathbf{x}'(t)F'U + \frac{1}{2}x'(t)\mathbf{Y}x(t) \\ \text{subj. to} & GU \leq W + S\mathbf{x}(t)\end{array}$$

Idea: solve the QP **for all** $x(t)$ within a given range of \mathbb{R}^n **off-line**
→ multi-parametric programming problem

The **linear MPC** controller is a **continuous piecewise affine** function of the state vector

$$u(x) = \begin{cases} F_1x + g_1 & \text{if } H_1x \leq K_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ F_Mx + g_M & \text{if } H_Mx \leq K_M \end{cases}$$

(Bemporad et al., 2002)



```
while ((num<EXPON_REG) && check) {
    isinside=1;
    while ((i1<=i2) && isinside) {
        aux=0;
        for (j=0;j<EXPON_NTH;j++)
            aux+=(double)EXPON_E[i1+j*EXPON_NH]*th[j];
        if (aux>(double)EXPON_X[i1])
            isinside=0; /* get out of the loop, th violates */
        else
            i1++;
    }
    if (isinside) {
        check=0; /* region found */
        infeasible=0;
    }
    else {
        num++;
        i1=i2+1; /* get next delimiter i1 */
        i2=EXPON_len[num]; /* get next delimiter i2 */
    }
}
```

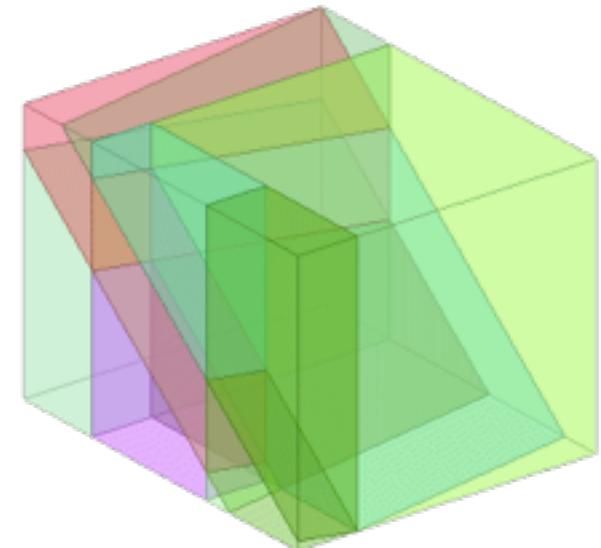
Explicit hybrid model predictive control

- The hybrid MPC controller is **piecewise affine in x, r**
(control law may be discontinuous)

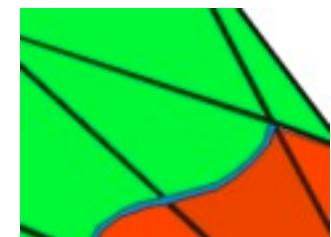
$$u(x, r) = \begin{cases} F_1x + E_1r + g_1 & \text{if } H_1[x] \leq K_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ F_Mx + E_Mr + g_M & \text{if } H_M[x] \leq K_M \end{cases}$$

(Borrelli, Baotic, Bemporad, Morari, Automatica, 2005)

(Mayne, ECC 2001) (Alessio, Bemporad, ADHS 2006)



Note: With quadratic costs, partition may not be fully polyhedral. Then better keep overlapping polyhedra



Explicit Hybrid MPC – Room temperature

```
>>E=expcon(C, range, options);
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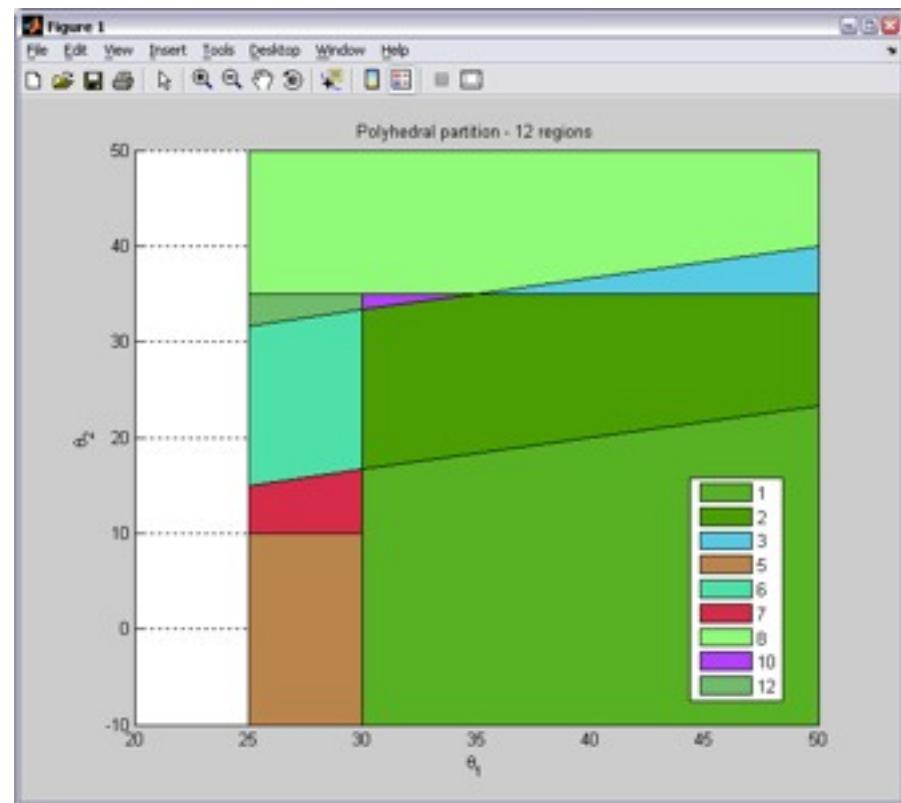
```
>> E

Explicit controller (based on hybrid controller C)
  3 parameter(s)
  1 input(s)
  12 partition(s)
sampling time = 0.5

The controller is for hybrid systems (tracking)
This is a state-feedback controller.

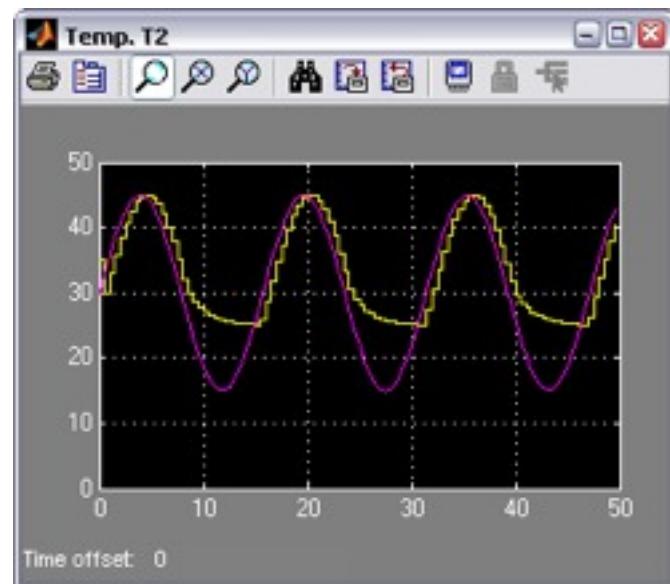
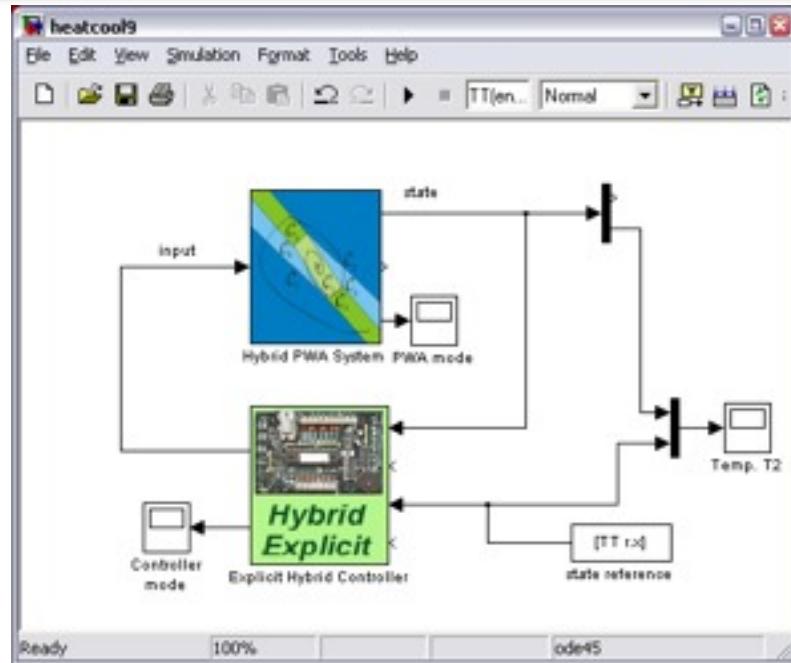
Type "struct(E)" for more details.
>>
```

$$\begin{aligned} \min & \sum_{k=1}^2 x_2^2(k) \\ \text{s.t. } & x_1(k) \geq 25 \quad k = 1, 2 \\ & \text{PWA model} \end{aligned}$$



Section in the (T_1, T_2) -space for $T_{\text{ref}} = 30$

Explicit Hybrid MPC – Room temperature



generated
C-code

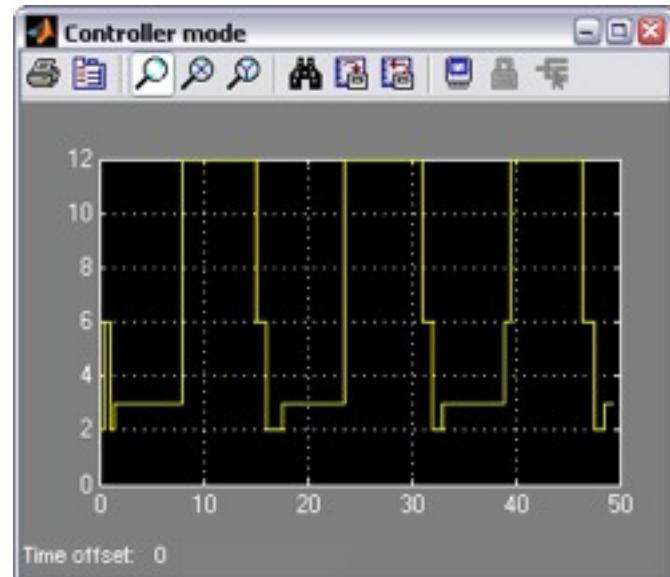


utils/expcon.h

```
#define EXPCON_REG 12
#define EXPCON_NTH 3
#define EXPCON_NTM 2
#define EXPCON_NH 72
#define EXPCON_NF 12
static double EXPCON_F[] = {
    -1,0,0,0,-1,0,
    -1,-1,-1,-1,-1,0,-3,-3,
    -3,0,-3,0,0,0,0,0,
    0,0,4,4,4,0,4,0,0,
    0,0,0,0);

static double EXPCON_G[] = {
    101.6,1.6,1.6,-1.6,98.4001,0,100,51.6,
    101.6,51.6,48.4,50);

static double EXPCON_H[] = {
    0,0,0,-0.00999999,0,-0.0333333,
    0.02,0.00999999,-0.02,0,0,-0.0333333,0.02,0.00999999,
    0,0,-0.02,0.02,0,-1,0,0.00999999,0,
```



Talk outline

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- Automotive applications
- New research directions

Automotive applications of MPC

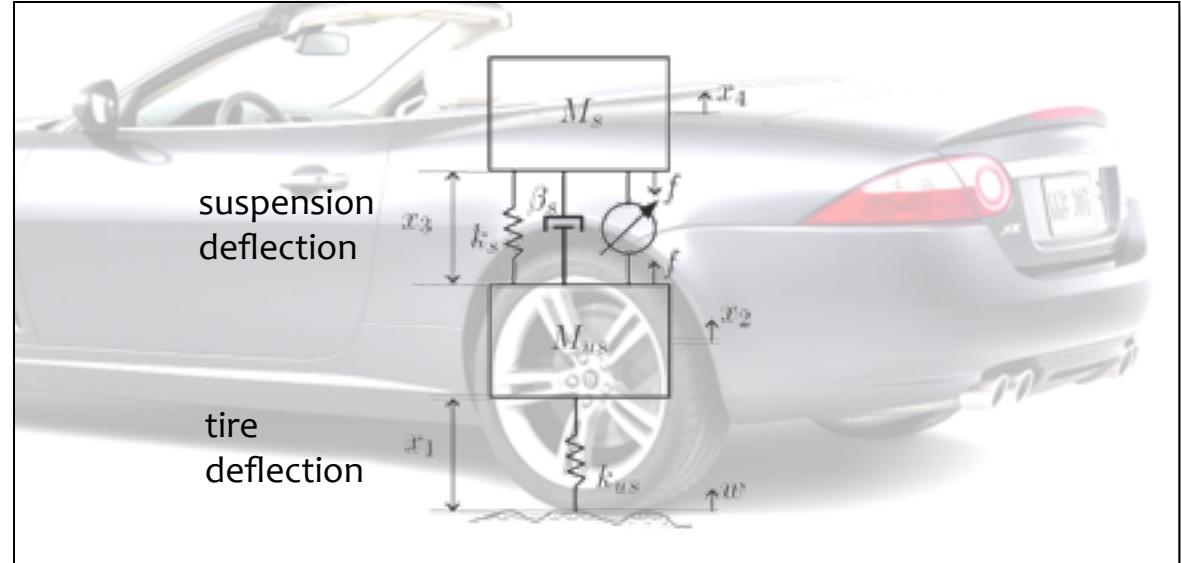
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traction control



idle speed control

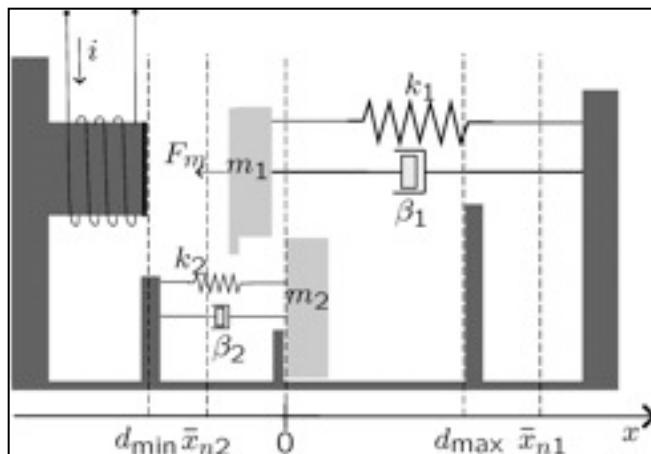


semiactive suspensions

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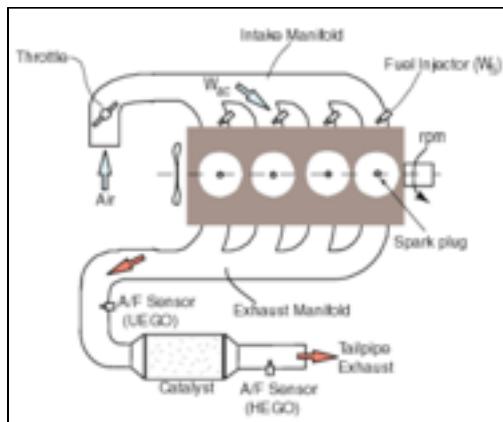
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magnetic actuators



hybrid electric vehicles



air-to-fuel ratio



active steering



robotized gearbox



(Borodani, Mannelli, CRF)

Energy management of HEVs



Why Hybrid Electric Vehicles (HEV) ?

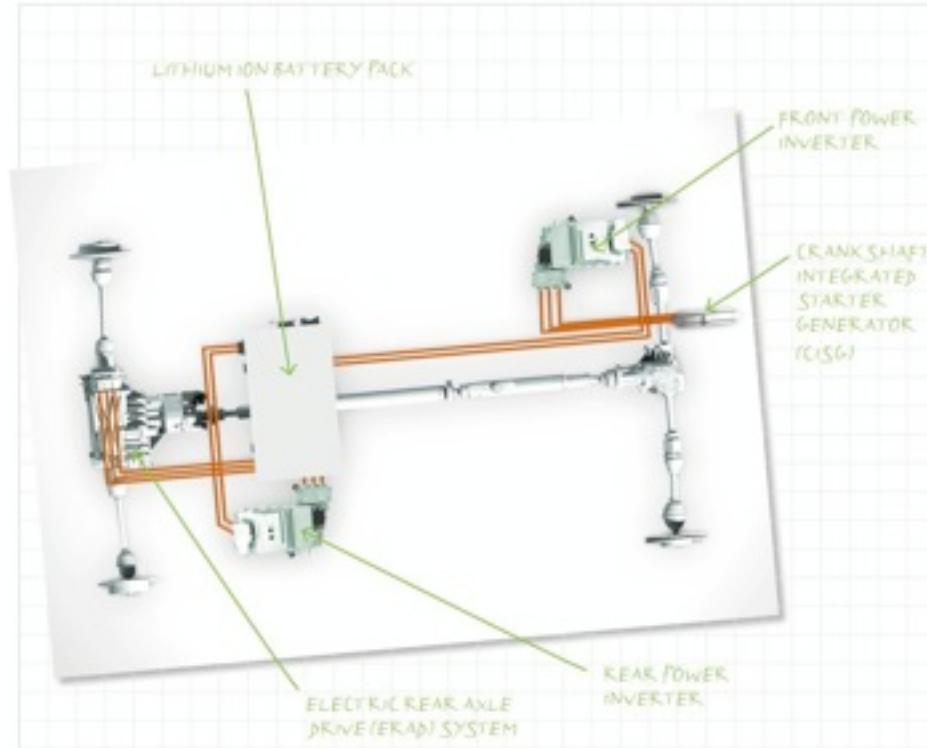


- rising fuel prices
- tightening emission regulations
- performance improvement

Advanced Power Systems

- more components
- more controlled variables
- more constraints
- several operating modes

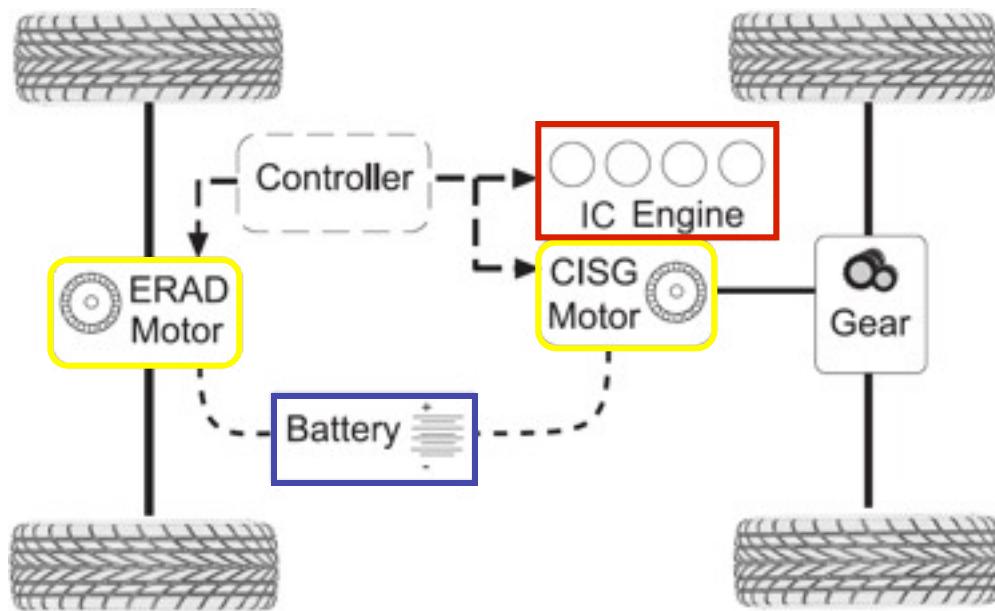
Use MPC as systematic modeling
and model-based control approach



Hybrid MPC for Energy management of HEVs

High-fidelity industrial model of an advanced 4x4 hybrid electric car with:

- ✓ turbocharged diesel engine
- ✓ high voltage NiMH battery
- ✓ two electric motors acting (one per axle)



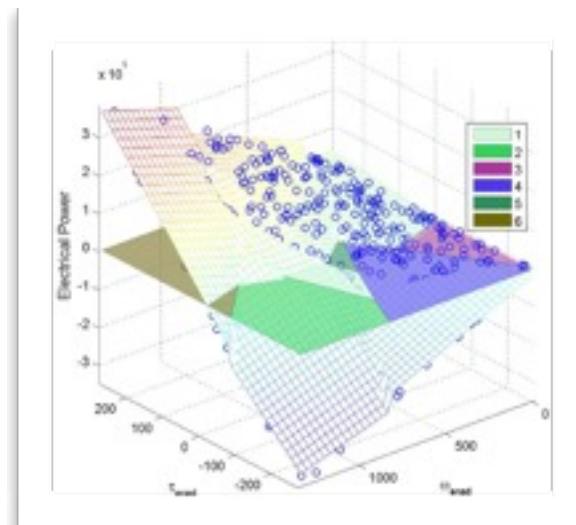
Objectives:

- manage IC, ERAD, and CISG power requests
- minimize fuel consumption
- keep battery preferably within 30-70% of full charge
- fulfill various mechanical & electrical constraints

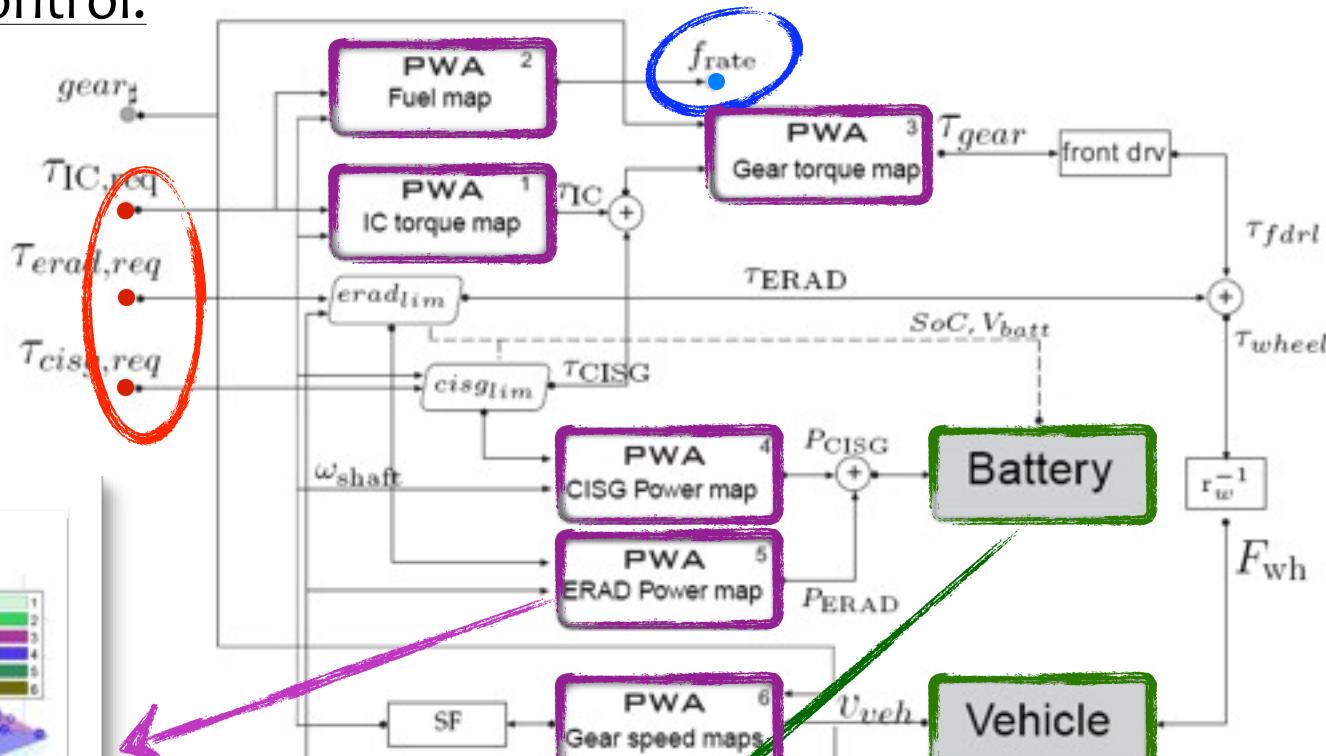
Hybrid MPC for Energy management of HEVs

HEV model for MPC control:

- 3 real inputs (torques)
- 1 real output (fuel)
- 9 real states (dynamics)
- 7 binary states (gears)
- 32 binary inputs (maps)



≈ piecewise affine maps
(Bemporad et al., IEEE TAC, 2005)



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

≈ linear dynamics

MLD hybrid model:

- 56 aux. real variables
- 490 mixed integer ineq.

Hybrid MPC for Energy management of HEVs

- Hybrid optimal control problem for MPC:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \min_{\xi} J(\xi, x(t)) &\triangleq Q_\rho \rho^2 + \sum_{k=1}^N (\Gamma_x x_k - x_{ref})^T S (\Gamma_x x_k - x_{ref}) + \\
 &+ \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} (\Gamma_u u_k - u_{ref})^T R (\Gamma_u u_k - u_{ref}) + (y_k - y_{ref})^T Q (y_k - y_{ref}) \\
 \text{subj. to } &\left\{ \begin{array}{lcl} x_0 & = & x(t) \\ x_{k+1} & = & Ax_k + B_1 u_k + B_3 z_k \\ y_k & = & Cx_k + D_1 u_k + D_3 z_k \\ E_3 z_k & \leq & E_1 u_k + E_4 x_k + E_5 \\ 0.3 - \rho & \leq & SoC_k \leq 0.7 + \rho \end{array} \right. \xrightarrow{\text{hybrid MLD model}}
 \end{aligned}$$

constraint on SoC

- Set points:

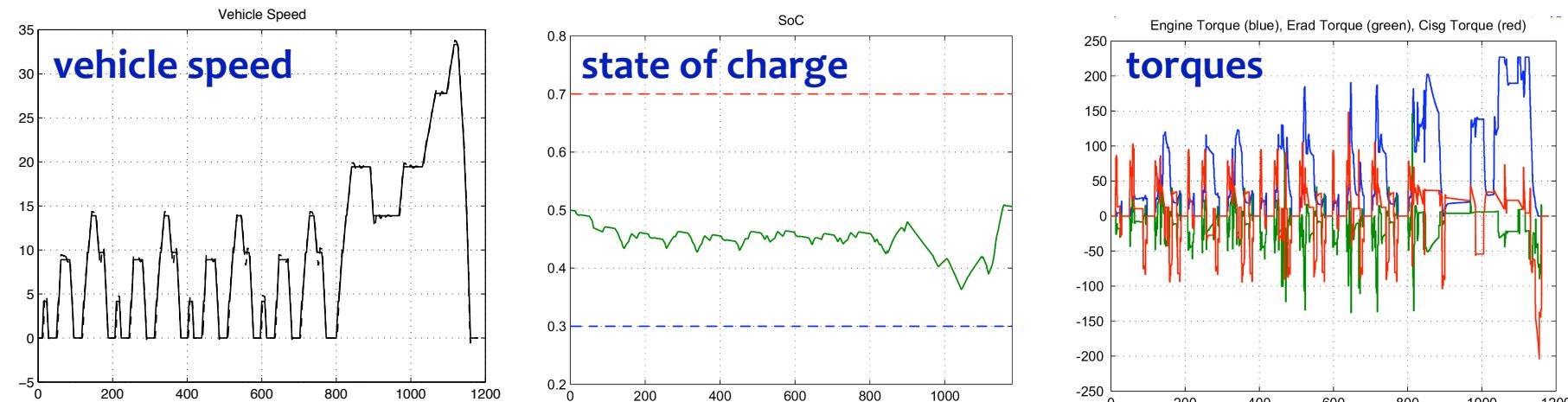
$$\begin{aligned}
 y_{ref} &\triangleq f_{rate,ref} \\
 u_{ref} &\triangleq [\tau_{IC,req} \ \tau_{ERAD,req} \ \tau_{CISG,req}]' \\
 x_{ref} &\triangleq [v_{veh,ref} \ SoC_{ref} \ 0]'
 \end{aligned}$$

- Weights:

$$Q = q_{fuel}, \quad R = \begin{bmatrix} r_{\tau,IC} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & r_{\tau,CISG} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & r_{\tau,ERAD} \end{bmatrix}, \quad S = \begin{bmatrix} s_{v,veh} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_{SoC} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_{v,int} \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q_\rho = 10^5$$

Hybrid MPC for Energy management of HEVs

- Simulations (MPC#1)



- CPU time: average 0.13 s per time step (worst: 0.29 s) on PC 2GHz + CPLEX
- Simulations based on high-fidelity nonlinear model + hybrid MPC

- Performance analysis

	q_{fuel}	s_{SoC}	$s_{v,int}$	fuel cons (norm)	$\max v_{veh} - v_{veh,ref} $	$\max SoC - SoC_{ref} $
0	*	*	*	1	*	*
1	1e-2	2e6	10	0.79	2.105	0.1364
2	1e1	1e6	1	0.76	2.789	0.2484

conventional vehicle
MPC #1
MPC #2

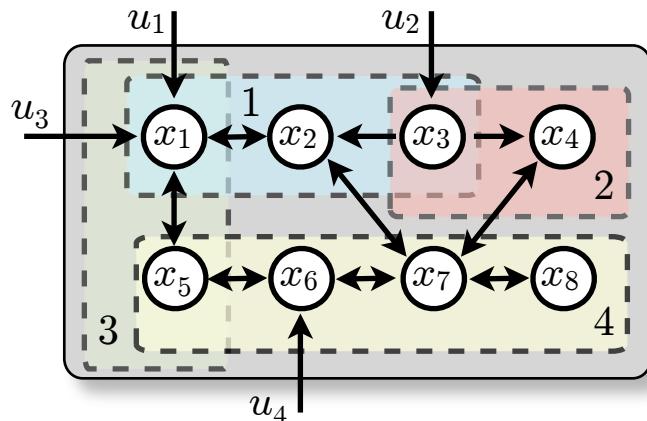
Note: driving cycle not known in advance !

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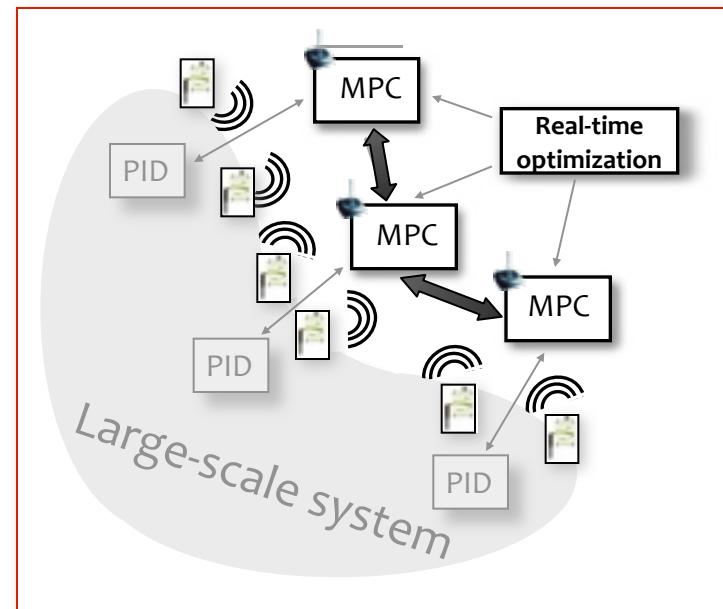
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MPC in Wireless Automation

- Characterized by **spatial distribution**
- Need for **decentralized control** computations



Decentralized MPC



- Need for **flexible information gathering system**



Wireless sensor networks

- Wireless communications introduce **new problems in control design** to take care of (packet drops, delays & jitter, battery energy consumption, etc.)

MPC in Wireless Automation

SP100 - The Standard for Industrial Wireless: Interoperability / Coexistence / WSN

Companies/organizations participating in this Working Group include:



3e Technologies International
Adalet Wireless
Adaptive Instruments
Advanced Industrial Networks
Apprion
ARC Advisory Group
Argonne National Laboratory
Aujas Systems
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European project “WIDE”

DEcentralized and WIreless Control of Large-scale Systems



- ICT-FP7-Call 2 (2008-2011), total budget 2.7M€. Started Sept. 1, 2008
- Objective ICT-2007.3.7 “Networked Embedded and Control Systems”



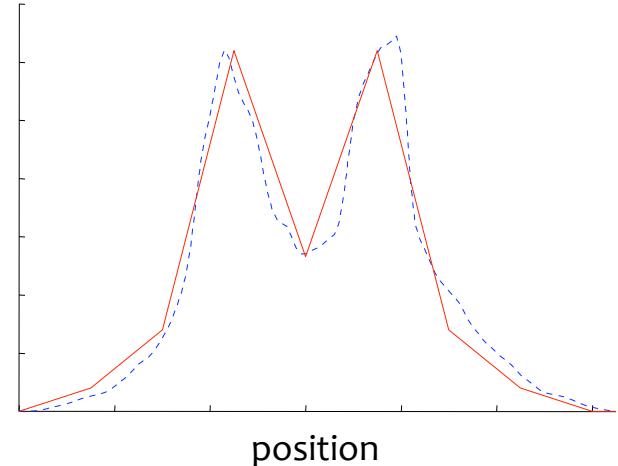
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MPC in Wireless Automation



steady-state temperature



Hybrid MPC problem:

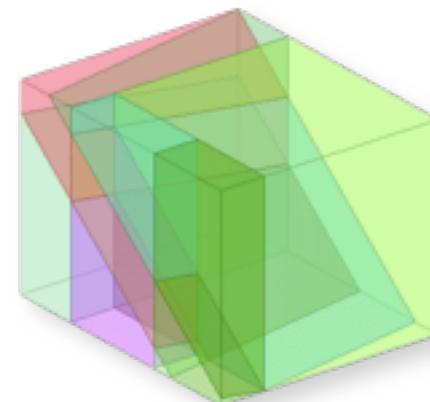
- 2 binary inputs (lamps)
- 1 continuous input (speed)
- PWL state function (heating)
- Outputs: temp, position
- Sampling = 4Hz

Objective: track **position** and **temperature** references
while enforcing safety constraints

Conclusions

- **Hybrid systems** as a framework for new applications, where both logic and continuous dynamics are relevant
- **Model predictive control (MPC)** is a rather general and systematic control design methodology for multi-variable systems with constraints
- **Implementation:** (1) on-line optimization (QP, mixed-integer), or
(2) off-line multi-parametric optimization and PWL control

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- **Matlab/Simulink tools** are available to assist the whole design process

<http://www.dii.unisi.it/hybrid/toolbox>