

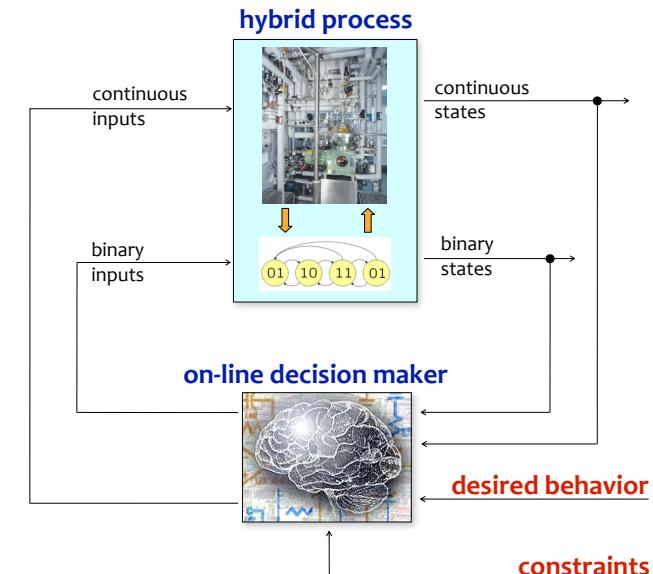
Hybrid Systems: Model Predictive Control

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Hybrid control problem

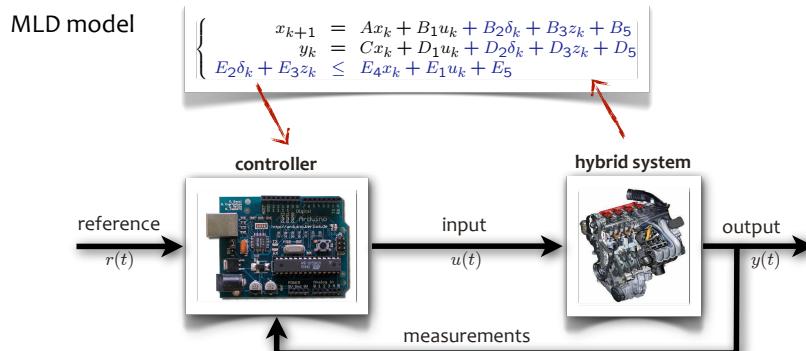


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MPC of hybrid systems



- MODEL:** use an MLD (or PWA) model of the plant to predict the future behavior of the hybrid system
- PREDICTIVE:** optimization is based on the predicted future evolution of the hybrid system
- CONTROL:** the goal is to control the hybrid system

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MPC for hybrid systems

- At time t solve the finite-horizon optimal control problem w.r.t. $U \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} u_0 \\ \vdots \\ u_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}$

$$\min_{u_0, \dots, u_{N-1}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \|y_k - r\|_Q^2 + \|u_k - u_r\|_R^2 + \sigma (\|\delta_k - \delta_r\|^2 + \|z_k - z_r\|^2 + \|x_k - x_r\|^2)$$

subject to MLD equations

$$x_0 = x(t)$$

$$x_N = x_r$$

notation:
 $\|v\|_Q^2 \triangleq v' Q v$

where the equilibrium condition $(x_r, u_r, \delta_r, z_r)$ is obtained by solving the following mixed-integer feasibility problem

$$\begin{cases} x_r = Ax_r + B_1u_r + B_2\delta_r + B_3z_r \\ r = Cx_r + D_1u_r + D_2\delta_r + D_3z_r \\ E_2\delta_r + E_3z_r \leq E_4x_r + E_1u_r + E_5 \end{cases}$$

- Apply only $u(t)=u_0^*$ (discard the remaining optimal inputs)
- At time $t+1$: get new measurements, repeat optimization

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MIQP formulation of MPC

(Bemporad, Morari, 1999)

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\xi} & \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} y_k' Q y_k + u_k' R u_k \\ \text{s.t. } & \begin{cases} x_{k+1} = Ax_k + B_1 u_k + B_2 \delta_k + B_3 z_k + B_5 \\ y_k = Cx_k + D_1 u_k + D_2 \delta_k + D_3 z_k + D_5 \\ E_2 \delta_k + E_3 z_k \leq E_4 x_k + E_1 u_k + E_5 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

- Optimization vector: $\xi = [u_0, \dots, u_{N-1}, \delta_0, \dots, \delta_{N-1}, z_0, \dots, z_{N-1}]$

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\xi} & \frac{1}{2} \xi' H \xi + x'(t) F \xi + \frac{1}{2} x'(t) Y x(t) \\ \text{s.t. } & G \xi \leq W + S x(t) \end{aligned}$$

Mixed Integer Quadratic Program (MIQP)

$$u \in \mathbb{R}^{n_u}, \delta \in \{0, 1\}^{n_\delta}, z \in \mathbb{R}^{n_z} \implies \xi \in \mathbb{R}^{(n_u+n_z)N} \times \{0, 1\}^{n_\delta N}$$

vector ξ has both **real** and **binary** values

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Closed-loop convergence

Theorem Let $(x_r, u_r, \delta_r, z_r)$ be the equilibrium values corresponding to set point r . Assume $x(0)$ is such that the MPC problem is feasible at time $t=0$.

Then $\forall Q, R \succ 0, \forall \sigma > 0$ the closed-loop hybrid MPC loop converges asymptotically

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} y(t) &= r & \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} x(t) &= x_r \\ \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \delta(t) &= \delta_r & \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} z(t) &= z_r \\ \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} u(t) &= u_r \end{aligned}$$

and all constraints are fulfilled at each time $t \geq 0$.

(Bemporad, Morari 1999)

Proof: Easily follows from standard Lyapunov arguments

More stability results: see (Lazar, Heemels, Weiland, Bemporad, 2006)

Convergence proof

Main idea: Use **value function** $V^*(x(t))$ as a **Lyapunov function**

- Let $\xi_t = [u_0^t, \dots, u_{N-1}^t, \delta_0^t, \dots, \delta_{N-1}^t, z_0^t, \dots, z_{N-1}^t]$ be the optimal sequence @ t
- By construction $\bar{\xi}_{t+1} = [u_1^t, \dots, u_{N-1}^t, u_r, \delta_1^t, \dots, \delta_{N-1}^t, \delta_r, z_1^t, \dots, z_{N-1}^t, z_r]$ is feasible @ $t+1$, as it satisfies all MLD constraints and terminal constraint
- The cost of $\bar{\xi}_{t+1}$ is $V^*(x(t)) - \|y(t) - r\|_Q^2 - \|u - u_r\|_R^2 - \sigma(\|\delta(t) - \delta_r\|^2 + \|z(t) - z_r\|^2 + \|x(t) - x_r\|^2) \geq V^*(x(t+1))$
- $V^*(x(t))$ is monotonically decreasing and ≥ 0 , so $\exists \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} V^*(x(t)) \triangleq V_\infty$
- Hence $\|y(t) - r\|_Q^2, \|u(t) - u_r\|_R^2$ and $\|\delta(t) - \delta_r\|^2, \|z(t) - z_r\|^2, \|x(t) - x_r\|^2 \rightarrow 0$
- Since $R, Q > 0, \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} y(t) = r, \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} u(t) = u_r$, and all other variables converge. \square

Global optimum is not needed to prove convergence !

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MILP formulation of MPC

(Bemporad, Borrelli, Morari, 2000)

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\xi} & \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \|Q y_k\|_\infty + \|R u_k\|_\infty \\ \text{s.t. } & \begin{cases} x_{k+1} = Ax_k + B_1 u_k + B_2 \delta_k + B_3 z_k + B_5 \\ y_k = Cx_k + D_1 u_k + D_2 \delta_k + D_3 z_k + D_5 \\ E_2 \delta_k + E_3 z_k \leq E_4 x_k + E_1 u_k + E_5 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

$Q \in \mathbb{R}^{m_y \times n_y}$
 $R \in \mathbb{R}^{m_u \times n_u}$

- Introduce slack variables: $\min_x |x| \implies \min_{x, \epsilon} \epsilon$
s.t. $\epsilon \geq x, \epsilon \geq -x$

$$\begin{cases} \epsilon_k^y \geq \|Q y_k\|_\infty \\ \epsilon_k^u \geq \|R u_k\|_\infty \end{cases} \implies \begin{cases} \epsilon_k^y \geq \pm Q^i y_k & i = 1, \dots, m_y \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1 \\ \epsilon_k^u \geq \pm R^i u_k & i = 1, \dots, m_u \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1 \end{cases}$$

$Q^i = i$ th row of matrix Q

- Optimization vector:

$$\xi = [\epsilon_0^y, \dots, \epsilon_{N-1}^y, \epsilon_0^u, \dots, \epsilon_{N-1}^u, u_0, \dots, u_{N-1}, \delta_0, \dots, \delta_{N-1}, z_0, \dots, z_{N-1}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\xi} & \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \epsilon_k^y + \epsilon_k^u \\ \text{s.t. } & G \xi \leq W + S x(t) \end{aligned}$$

Mixed Integer Linear Program (MILP)

vector ξ has both **real** and **binary** values

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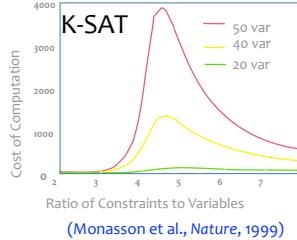
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Mixed-Integer Program (MIP) solvers

- Mixed-Integer Programming is NP-complete

Phase transitions have been found in computationally hard problems

BUT



- General purpose branch & bound / branch & cut solvers available for MILP and MIQP (CPLEX, GLPK, Xpress-MP, CBC, Gurobi, ...)

More solvers and benchmarks: <http://plato.la.asu.edu/bench.html>

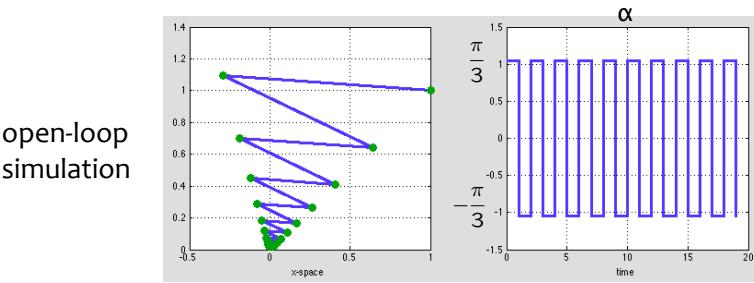
- No need to reach global optimum (see proof of the theorem), although performance deteriorates

Hybrid MPC example

PWA system:

$$\begin{aligned} x(t+1) &= 0.8 \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha(t) & -\sin \alpha(t) \\ \sin \alpha(t) & \cos \alpha(t) \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u(t) \\ y(t) &= x_2(t) \\ \alpha(t) &= \begin{cases} \frac{\pi}{3} & \text{if } x_1(t) > 0 \\ -\frac{\pi}{3} & \text{if } x_1(t) \leq 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

constraint:
 $-1 \leq u(t) \leq 1$



go to demo [/demos/hybrid/bm99sim.m](#)

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HYSDEL model

```
/* 2x2 PWA system - Example from the paper
A. Bemporad and M. Morari, ``Control of systems integrating logic, dynamics,
and constraints,'', Automatica, vol. 35, no. 3, pp. 407-427, 1999.
(C) 2003 by A. Bemporad, 2003 */

SYSTEM pwa {
INTERFACE {
    STATE { REAL x1 [-10,10];
             REAL x2 [-10,10]; }

    INPUT { REAL u [-1.1,1.1]; }

    OUTPUT{ REAL y; }

    PARAMETER {
        REAL alpha = 1.0472; /* 60 deg in radians */
        REAL C = cos(alpha);
        REAL S = sin(alpha); }
}

IMPLEMENTATION {
    AUX { REAL z1,z2;
          BOOL sign; }
    AD { sign = x1<=0; }

    DA { z1 = (IF sign THEN 0.8*(C*x1+S*x2)
              ELSE 0.8*(C*x1-S*x2));
         z2 = (IF sign THEN 0.8*(-S*x1+C*x2)
              ELSE 0.8*(S*x1+C*x2)); }

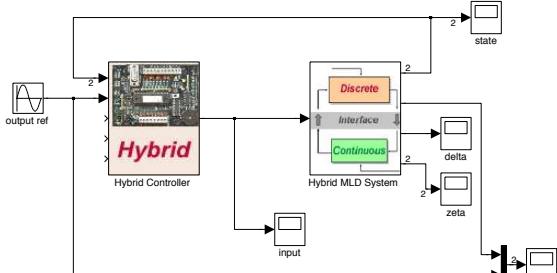
    CONTINUOUS { x1 = z1;
                 x2 = z2+u; }

    OUTPUT { y = x2; }
}
}

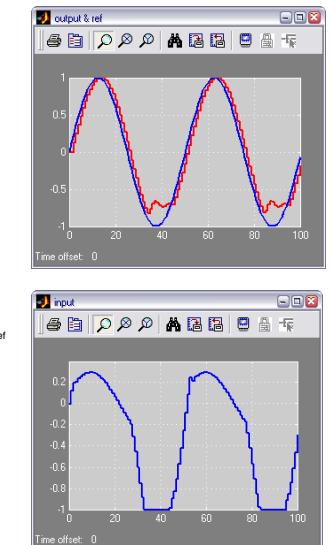
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```

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closed-loop:



$$\text{performance index: } \min \sum_{k=1}^2 |y_k - r(t)|$$



Hybrid MPC – Temperature control

```
>>refs.x=2; % just weight state #2
>>Q.x=1; % unit weight on state #2
>>Q.rho=Inf; % hard constraints
>>Q.norm=Inf; % infinity norms
>>N=2; % prediction horizon
>>limits.xmin=[25;-Inf];
```

```
>>C=hybcon(S,Q,N,limits,refs);
```

```
>> C
Hybrid controller based on MLD model S <heatcoolmodel.hys> [Inf-norm]
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.
>>
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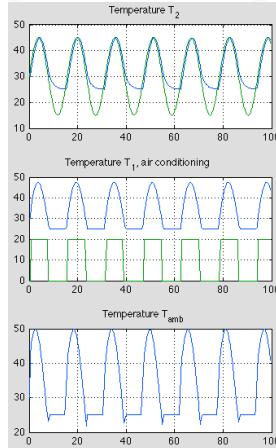
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>>[XX,UU,DD,ZZ,TT]=sim(C,S,r,x0,Tstop);
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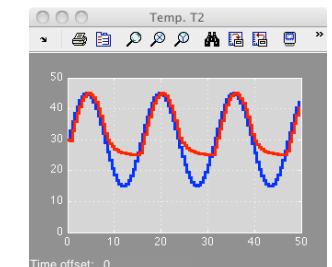
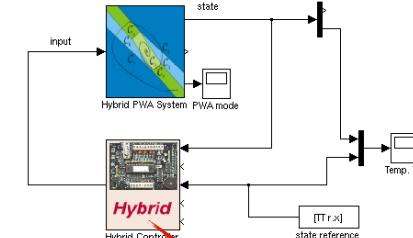
$$\begin{aligned} \text{min } & \sum_{k=0}^2 \|x_{2k} - r(t)\|_\infty \\ \text{s.t. } & \begin{cases} x_{1k} \geq 25, k = 1, 2 \\ \text{MLD model} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$



Hybrid MPC – Temperature control

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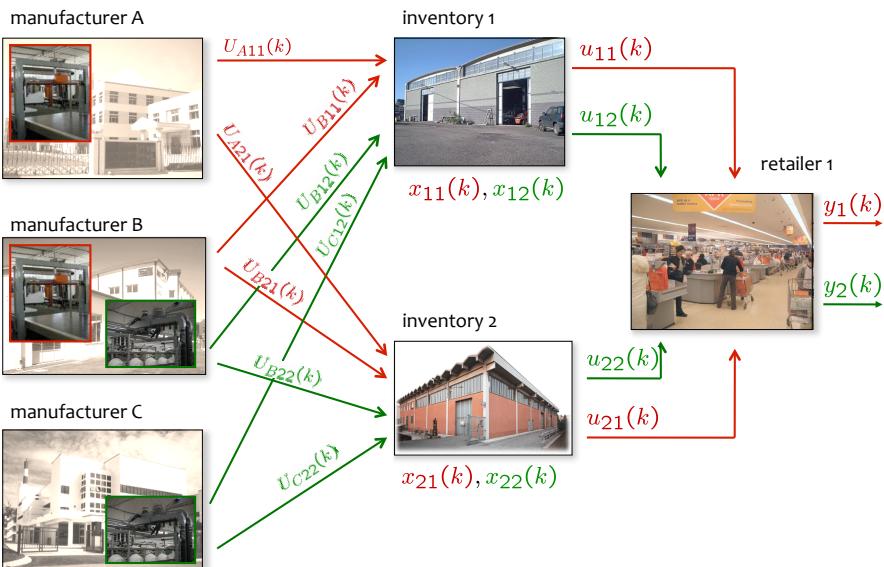
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A simple example in supply chain management



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System variables

- continuous states:

$x_{ij}(k)$ = amount of j hold in inventory i at time k
($i=1,2, j=1,2$)

- continuous outputs:

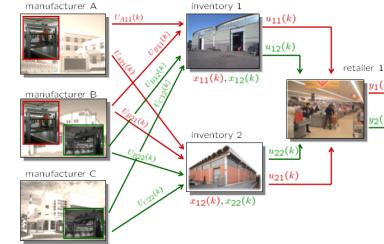
$y_j(k)$ = amount of j sold at time k
($j=1,2$)

- continuous inputs:

$u_{ij}(k)$ = amount of j taken from inventory i at time k
($i=1,2, j=1,2$)

- binary inputs:

$U_{Xij}(k) = 1$ if manufacturer X produces and send j to inventory i at time k



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Constraints

- Max capacity of inventory i :

$$0 \leq \sum_j x_{ij}(k) \leq x_{Mi}$$

Numerical values:
 $x_{M1}=10, x_{M2}=10$

- Max transportation from inventories:

$$0 \leq u_{ij}(k) \leq u_M$$

- A product can only be sent to one inventory:

$UA_{11}(k)$ and $UA_{21}(k)$ cannot be both =1
 $UB_{11}(k)$ and $UB_{21}(k)$ cannot be both =1
 $UB_{12}(k)$ and $UB_{22}(k)$ cannot be both =1
 $UC_{12}(k)$ and $UC_{22}(k)$ cannot be both =1

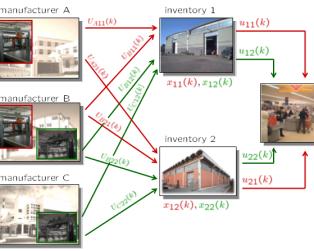
- A manufacturer can only produce one type of product at one time:

$[UB_{11}(k) \text{ or } UB_{21}(k)=1], [UB_{12}(k) \text{ or } UB_{22}(k)=1]$ cannot be both true

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Hybrid dynamical model

```
SYSTEM supply_chain{
INTERFACE {
    STATE { REAL x11 [0,10];
            REAL x12 [0,10];
            REAL x21 [0,10];
            REAL x22 [0,10]; }

    INPUT { REAL u11 [0,10];
            REAL u12 [0,10];
            REAL u21 [0,10];
            REAL u22 [0,10];
            BOOL UA11,UA21,UB11,UB12,UB21,UB22,UC12,UC22; }

    OUTPUT { REAL y1,y2; }

    PARAMETER { REAL PA1,PB1,PB2,PC2,xM1,xM2; }

    IMPLEMENTATION {
        AUX { REAL zA11, zB11, zB12, zC12, zA21, zB21, zB22, zC22; }

        DA { zA11 = {IF UA11 THEN PA1 ELSE 0};
              zB11 = {IF UB11 THEN PB1 ELSE 0};
              zB12 = {IF UB12 THEN PB2 ELSE 0};
              zC12 = {IF UC12 THEN PC2 ELSE 0};
              zA21 = {IF UA21 THEN PA1 ELSE 0};
              zB21 = {IF UB21 THEN PB1 ELSE 0};
              zB22 = {IF UB22 THEN PB2 ELSE 0};
              zC22 = {IF UC22 THEN PC2 ELSE 0}; }

        CONTINUOUS {x11 = x11 + zA11 + zB11 - u11;
                    x12 = x12 + zB12 + zC12 - u12;
                    x21 = x21 + zA21 + zB21 - u21;
                    x22 = x22 + zB22 + zC22 - u22; }

        OUTPUT { y1 = u11 + u21;
                  y2 = u12 + u22; }

        MUST { ~ (UA11 & UA21);
                ~ (UC12 & UC22);
                ~ ((UB11 | UB21) & (UB12 | UB22));
                ~ (UB11 & UB21);
                ~ (UB12 & UB22);
                x11+x12 <= xM1;
                x11+x12 >= 0;
                x21+x22 <= xM2;
                x21+x22 >= 0; }
    } }
/demos/hybrid/supply_chain.m
```

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Dynamics

$P_{A1}, P_{B1}, P_{B2}, P_{C2}$ = amount of product of type 1 (2) produced by $A (B,C)$ in one time interval

Numerical values:

$$P_{A1}=4, P_{B1}=6, P_{B2}=7, P_{C2}=3$$

- Level of inventories:

$$\begin{cases} x_{11}(k+1) = x_{11}(k) + P_{A1}U_{A11}(k) + P_{B1}U_{B11}(k) - u_{11}(k) \\ x_{12}(k+1) = x_{12}(k) + P_{B2}U_{B12}(k) + P_{C2}U_{C12}(k) - u_{12}(k) \\ x_{21}(k+1) = x_{21}(k) + P_{A1}U_{A21}(k) + P_{B1}U_{B21}(k) - u_{21}(k) \\ x_{22}(k+1) = x_{22}(k) + P_{B2}U_{B22}(k) + P_{C2}U_{C22}(k) - u_{22}(k) \end{cases}$$

- Retailer:

$$\begin{cases} y_1 = u_{11} + u_{21} \\ y_2 = u_{12} + u_{22} \end{cases}$$

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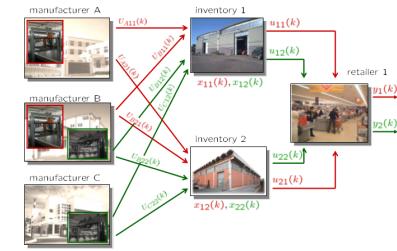
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Objectives

- Meet customer demand as much as possible: $y_1 \approx r_1, y_2 \approx r_2$

- Minimize transportation costs

- Fulfill all constraints



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Performance specs

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \min \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \left(10(|y_{1,k} - r_1(t)| + |y_{2,k} - r_2(t)|) + \right. \\
 & \quad \text{cost for shipping from inv.\#1 to market} \\
 & \quad \left. + 4(|u_{11,k}| + |u_{12,k}|) + \right. \\
 & \quad \left. 2(|u_{21,k}| + |u_{22,k}|) + \right. \\
 & \quad \left. \text{cost for shipping L from inv.\#2 to market} \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + 1(|U_{A11,k}| + |U_{A21,k}|) + \right. \\
 & \quad \left. 4(|U_{B11,k}| + |U_{B12,k}| + |U_{B21,k}| + |U_{B22,k}|) + \right. \\
 & \quad \left. \text{cost from A to inventories} \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + 10(|U_{C12,k}| + |U_{C22,k}|) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. \text{cost from B to inventories} \right. \\
 & \quad \left. \text{cost from C to inventories} \right) \\
 & \quad \text{penalty on demand tracking error}
 \end{aligned}$$

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Simulation setup

```

>>refs.y=[1 2]; % weights output2 #1,#2
>>Q.y=diag([10 10]); % output weights
...
>>Q.norm=Inf; % infinity norms
>>N=2; % optimization horizon
>>limits.umin=umin; % constraints
>>limits.umax=umax;
>>limits.xmin=xmin;
>>limits xmax=xmax;

```

```
>>C=hybcon(S,Q,N,limits,refs);
```

```
>> C
```

Hybrid controller based on MLD model S <supply_chain.hys> [Inf-norm]

```

4 state measurement(s)
2 output reference(s)
12 input reference(s)
0 state reference(s)
0 reference(s) on auxiliary continuous z-variables

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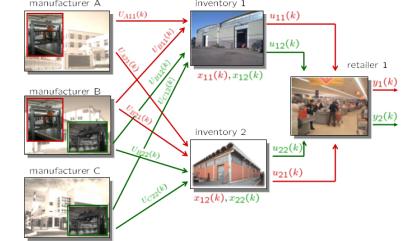
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44 optimization variable(s) (28 continuous, 16 binary)
176 mixed-integer linear inequalities
sampling time = 1, MILP solver = 'glpk'

```

Type "struct(C)" for more details.

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>>
```



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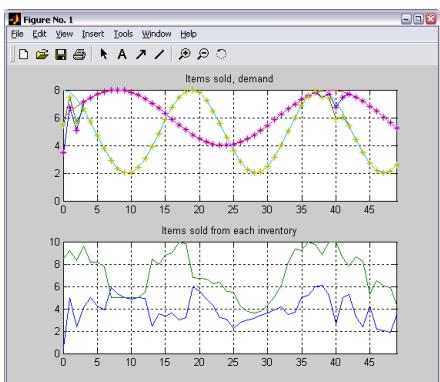
Simulation results

```

>>x0=[0;0;0;0];
>>r.y=[6+2*sin((0:Tstop-1)'/5)
      5+3*cos((0:Tstop-1)'/3)]; % Initial condition
                                % Reference trajectories

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

```



CPU time: ≈ 13 ms per time step using GLPK (9 ms using CPLEX) on this machine

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Explicit Hybrid MPC

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Explicit hybrid MPC (MLD formulation)

$$\min_{\xi} J(\xi, x(t)) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \|Qy_k\|_\infty + \|Ru_k\|_\infty$$

subject to

$$\begin{cases} x_{k+1} = Ax_k + B_1u_k + B_2\delta_k + B_3z_k + B_5 \\ y_k = Cx_k + D_1u_k + D_2\delta_k + D_3z_k + D_5 \\ E_2\delta_k + E_3z_k \leq E_4x_k + E_1u_k + E_5 \\ x_0 = x(t) \end{cases}$$

- On-line optimization: solve the problem for a given state $x(t)$

Mixed-Integer Linear Program (MILP)

- Off-line optimization: solve the MILP in advance **for all** $x(t)$

$$\min_{\xi} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \epsilon_k^y + \epsilon_k^u$$

s.t.

$$G\xi \leq W + Sx(t)$$

multi-parametric Mixed Integer Linear Program (mp-MILP)

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Multiparametric MILP

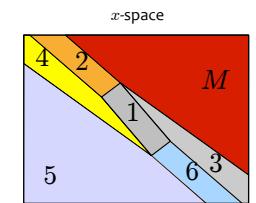
$$\begin{array}{ll} \min & f'_c \xi_c + f'_d \xi_d \\ \text{s.t.} & G_c \xi_c + G_d \xi_d \leq W + Sx(t) \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \xi_c \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ \xi_d \in \{0, 1\}^m \end{array}$$

- mp-MILP can be solved (by alternating MILPs and mp-LPs) (Dua, Pistikopoulos, 1999)

- Theorem:** The multiparametric solution $\xi^*(x)$ is **piecewise affine** (but possibly discontinuous)

- The MPC controller is piecewise affine in $x=x(t)$**

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



(more generally, the MPC controller is a PWA function of x and of the reference signals)

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Alternative: use PWA formulation

$$\min_{\xi} J(\xi, x(t)) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \|Qy_k\|_\infty + \|Ru_k\|_\infty$$

subject to

$$\begin{cases} x_{k+1} = A_{i(k)}x_k + B_{i(k)}u_k + f_{i(k)} \\ y_k = C_{i(k)}x_k + D_{i(k)}u_k + g_{i(k)} \\ x_0 = x(t) \end{cases}$$

such that $H_{i(k)}x_k + W_{i(k)}u_k \leq K_{i(k)}$

- The MPC controller is piecewise affine in $x=x(t)$**

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

(more generally, the MPC controller is a PWA function of x and of the reference signals)

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Alternative: use PWA formulation

Method #1 (Borrelli, Baotic, Bemporad, Morari, Automatica, 2005)

Use a combination of **DP (dynamic programming)** and **mpLP** (1 -norm, ∞ -norm), or **mpQP** (quadratic forms)

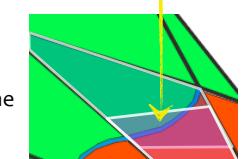
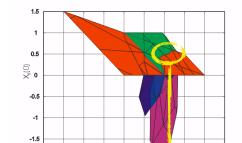
Method #2 (Bemporad, Hybrid Toolbox, 2003) (Alessio, Bemporad, ADHS 2006)
(Mayne, ECC 2001) (Mayne, Rakovic, 2002)

1 - Use backwards (=DP) **reachability analysis** for enumerating all feasible mode sequences $I = \{i(0), i(1), \dots, i(N)\}$

2 - For each fixed sequence I , solve the explicit finite-time optimal control problem for the corresponding linear time-varying system (**mpQP** or **mpLP**)

3a - Case $1/\infty$ -norm: Compare value functions and split regions

3b - Case quadratic costs: the partition may not be fully polyhedral
→ better keep overlapping polyhedra and compare on-line quadratic cost functions (when overlaps are detected)



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Hybrid control examples (revisited)

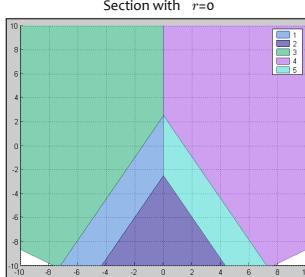
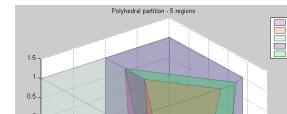
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Explicit PWA controller

$$u(x, r) = \begin{cases} [0.6928 -0.4 1] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ r \end{bmatrix} & \text{if } \begin{bmatrix} -0.6928 & -0.4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -0.6928 & 0.4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ r \end{bmatrix} \leq \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ & \quad (\text{Region } \#1) \\ 1 & \text{if } \begin{bmatrix} -0.6928 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ r \end{bmatrix} \leq \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} \\ & \quad (\text{Region } \#2) \\ -1 & \text{if } \begin{bmatrix} -0.4 & -0.6928 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0.6928 & -0.4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ r \end{bmatrix} \leq \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ & \quad (\text{Region } \#3) \\ -1 & \text{if } \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.4 & -0.6928 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ r \end{bmatrix} \leq \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ & \quad (\text{Region } \#4) \\ [-0.6928 -0.4 1] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ r \end{bmatrix} & \text{if } \begin{bmatrix} -0.6928 & -0.4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0.6928 & 0.4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ r \end{bmatrix} \leq \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ & \quad (\text{Region } \#5) \end{cases}$$



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Hybrid control example

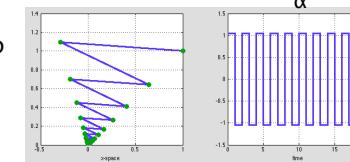
PWA system:

$$\begin{aligned} x(t+1) &= 0.8 \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha(t) & -\sin \alpha(t) \\ \sin \alpha(t) & \cos \alpha(t) \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u(t) \\ y(t) &= x_2(t) \\ \alpha(t) &= \begin{cases} \frac{\pi}{3} & \text{if } x_1(t) \geq 0 \\ -\frac{\pi}{3} & \text{if } x_1(t) < 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Constraints: $-1 \leq u(t) \leq 1$

Objective: $\min \sum_{k=1}^2 |y_k - r(t)|$

Open loop behavior:



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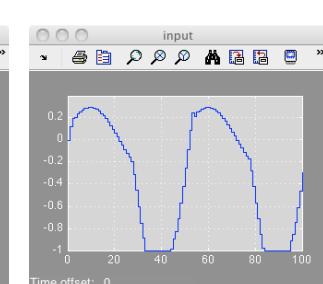
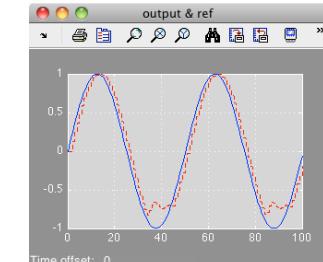
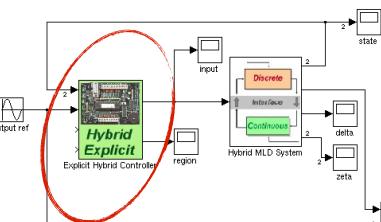
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Closed loop:

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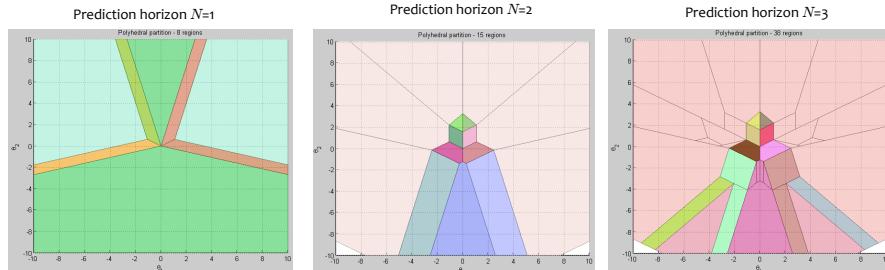
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Explicit PWA regulator

MPC problem:

$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & 10\|x_N\|_\infty + \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} 10\|x_k\|_\infty + \|u_k\|_\infty \\ \text{s.t. } & \begin{cases} -1 \leq u_k \leq 1, \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1 \\ -10 \leq x_k \leq 10, \quad k = 1, \dots, N \end{cases} \quad \left(\begin{array}{c} Q = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \\ R = 1 \end{array} \right) \end{aligned}$$



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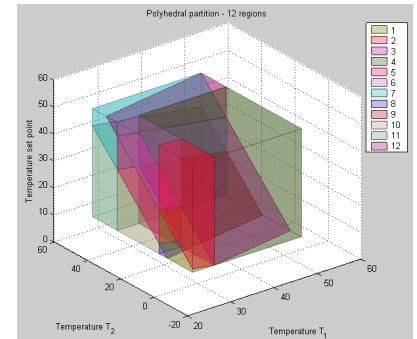
Explicit MPC – Temperature control

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

```
>> 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.
>>
```



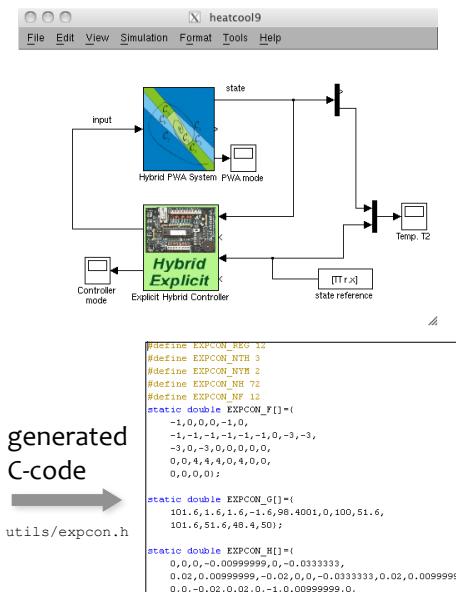
$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & \sum_{k=0}^2 \|x_{2k} - r(t)\|_\infty \\ \text{s.t. } & \begin{cases} x_{1k} \geq 25, \quad k = 1, 2 \\ \text{hybrid model} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

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Implementation aspects of hybrid MPC

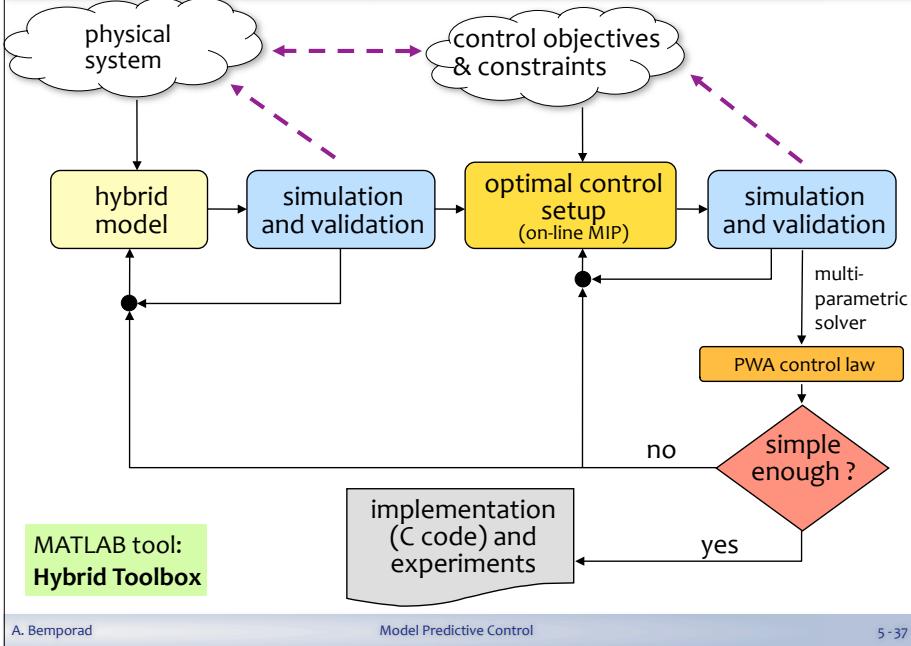
- Alternatives:**
 - (1) solve MIP on-line
 - (2) evaluate a PWA function
- Small problems** (short horizon $N=1,2$, one or two inputs): explicit PWA control law preferable
 - time to evaluate the control law is shorter than MIP
 - control code is simpler (no complex solver must be included in the control software !)
 - more insight in controller's behavior
- Medium/large problems** (longer horizon, many inputs and binary variables): MIP preferable

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Hybrid control design flow



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Moving Horizon Estimation Fault Detection & Isolation

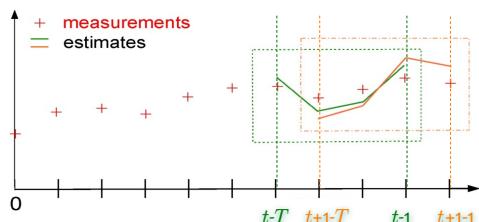
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State estimation / fault detection

- Problem: given past output measurements and inputs, estimate the current states and faults
- Solution: Use **Moving Horizon Estimation** for MLD systems (dual of MPC)



Augment the MLD model with:

- Input disturbances $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- Output disturbances $\zeta \in \mathbb{R}^p$

At each time t
solve the problem:

$$\min \sum_{k=1}^T \|\hat{y}(t-k|t) - y(t-k)\|^2 + \dots \quad \text{and get estimate } \hat{x}(t)$$

→ MHE optimization = MIQP

(Bemporad, Mignone, Morari, ACC 1999)

→ Convergence can be guaranteed

(Ferrari-T., Mignone, Morari, 2002)

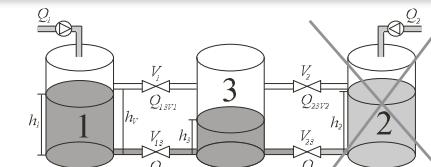
Fault detection: augment MLD with unknown binary disturbances $\phi \in \{0, 1\}^{nf}$

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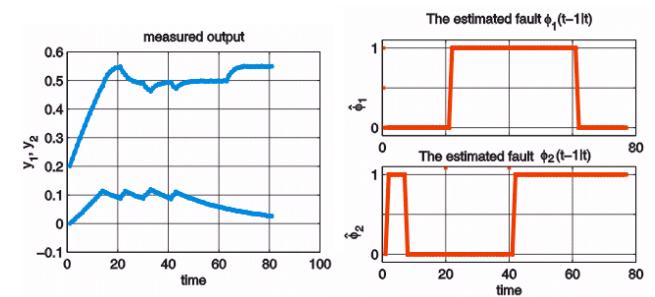
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Example: three tank system



COSY Benchmark problem, ESF

- ϕ_1 : leak in tank 1
for $20s \leq t \leq 60s$
- ϕ_2 : valve V_1 blocked
for $t \geq 40s$

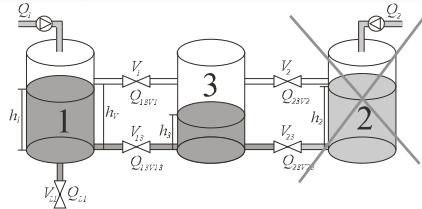


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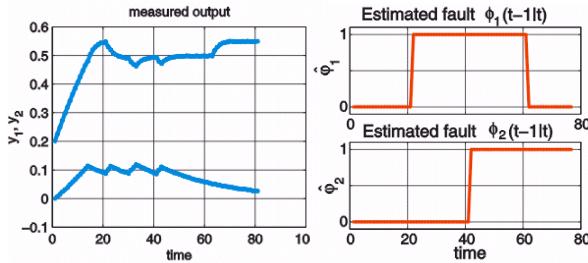
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Measured disturbances

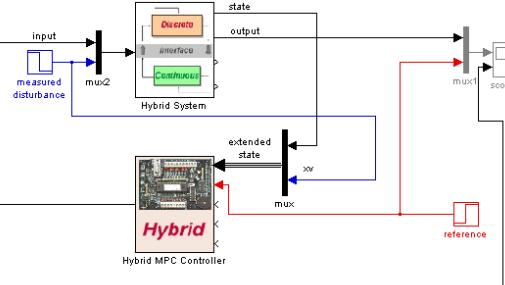
- Disturbance $v(t)$ can be measured at time t
- Augment the hybrid prediction model with a constant state

$$x_v(t+1) = x_v(t)$$

- In HYSDEL:

```
INTERFACE{
  STATE{
    REAL x      [-1e3, 1e3];
    REAL xv     [-1e3, 1e3];
  }
  ...
}

IMPLEMENTATION{
  CONTINUOUS{
    x = A*x + B*u + Bv*xv;
    xv= xv;
    ...
  }
}
```



/demos/hybrid/hyb_meas_dist.m

Note: same trick applies to linear MPC

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A Few Hybrid MPC Tricks ...

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Hybrid MPC - Tracking

- Optimal control problem (quadratic performance index):

$$\min_{\Delta U} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \|W^y(y_{k+1} - r(t))\|^2 + \|W^{\Delta u} \Delta u_k\|^2$$

$$[\Delta u_k \triangleq u_k - u_{k-1}], \quad u_{-1} = u(t-1)$$

subj. to hybrid dynamics

$$\begin{aligned} u_{\min} &\leq u_k \leq u_{\max}, \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1 \\ y_{\min} &\leq y_k \leq y_{\max}, \quad k = 1, \dots, N \\ \Delta u_{\min} &\leq \Delta u_k \leq \Delta u_{\max}, \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1 \end{aligned}$$

- Note: $\|Wz\|^2 = (Wz)'(Wz) = z'(W'W)z = z'Qz$

➡ same formulation as before (W = Cholesky factor of weight matrix Q)

- Optimization problem:

Mixed-Integer Quadratic Program (MIQP)

$$\min_{\Delta U} J(\Delta U, x(t)) = \frac{1}{2} \Delta U' H \Delta U + [x'(t) \ r'(t) \ u'(t-1)] F \Delta U$$

$$\text{s.t. } G \Delta U \leq W + S \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ r(t) \\ u(t-1) \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: same trick as in linear MPC

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Integral action in hybrid MPC

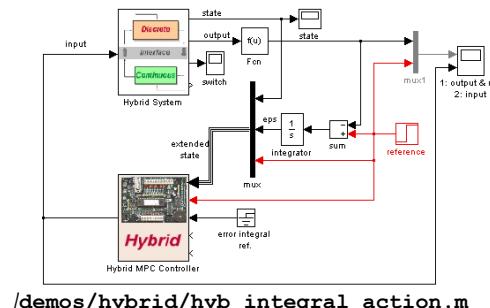
- Augment the hybrid prediction model with integrators of output errors as additional states:

$$\epsilon(k+1) = \epsilon(k) + T_s \cdot (r(k) - y(k))$$

T_s = sampling time

- Treat $r(k)$ as a measured disturbance (=additional constant state)
- Add weight on $\epsilon(k)$ in cost function to make $\epsilon(k) \rightarrow 0$
- In HYSDEL:

```
INTERFACE{
  STATE{
    REAL x      [-100,100];
    ...
    REAL epsilon [-1e3, 1e3];
    REAL r      [0, 100];
  }
  OUTPUT {
    REAL y;
  }
}
IMPLEMENTATION{
  CONTINUOUS{
    epsilon=epsilon+Ts*(r-(c*x));
    x=x;
    ...
  }
  OUTPUT{
    y=c*x;
  }
}
```



/demos/hybrid/hyb_integral_action.m

Note: same trick applies to linear MPC

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Asymmetric weights

- Say you want to weight a variable $u(k)$ only if $u(k) \geq 0$
- One way is to introduce a binary variable $[\delta=1] \leftrightarrow [u \geq 0]$, a continuous variable $z=u$ if $\delta=1$, $z=0$ otherwise, and weight z
- Better solution: avoid δ and set:

- In HYSDEL:

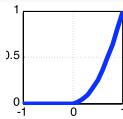
```
INTERFACE{
  INPUT{
    REAL u      [-100,100];
    REAL z      [-1, 1e3];
    ...
  }
  IMPLEMENTATION{
    MUST{
      z >= u;
      z >= 0;
    }
  }
}
```

- When ∞ -norms are used, one can do the same trick:
(better way: if the MILP problem constructor can be accessed, avoid introducing z_u and just remove the constraint $\epsilon_u(k) \geq -[R]^T u(k)$ used to minimize $|Ru(k)|$, with constraint $\epsilon_u(k) \geq 0$)

Note: same trick applies to linear MPC

$$\begin{cases} \min (\dots) + \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} z_k^2 \\ \text{s.t. } z_k \geq u_k \\ z_k \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \min (\dots) + \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} |z_k| \\ \text{s.t. } z_k \geq u_k \\ z_k \geq 0 \end{cases}$$



Variable constraints

- Problem: change upper (and/or lower) bounds on line

$$u(t) \leq u_{\max}(t)$$

1. Add a constant state and a new output in the prediction model:

$$\begin{cases} x_u(k+1) = x_u(k) \\ y_u(k) = x_u(k) - u(k) \end{cases}$$

2. Add output constraint

$$y_u(k) \geq 0, k = 0, 1, \dots, N$$

3. On-line implementation: feed the state back to the controller

$$x_u(t) = u_{\max}(t)$$

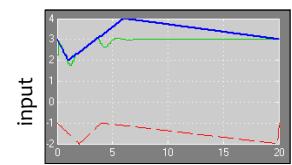
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General remarks about MIP modeling

The complexity of solving a mixed-integer program largely depends on the number of integer (binary) variables involved in the problem

Hence, when creating a hybrid model one has to

Be thrifty with binary variables!

Adding logical constraints usually helps ...

Generally speaking:

Modeling is an art

(a unifying general theory does not exist)



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