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Learning-Based Optimization and PDE Control in User-Assignable Finite Time

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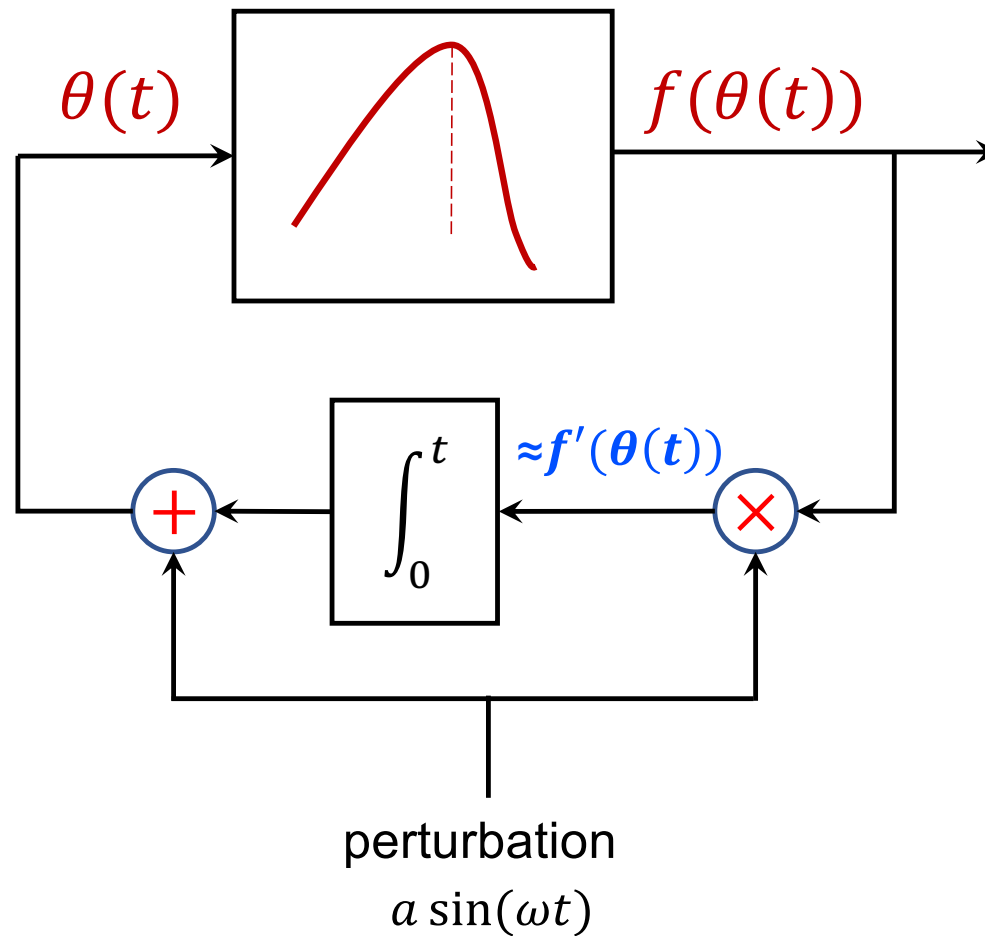
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Extremum Seeking (1922)



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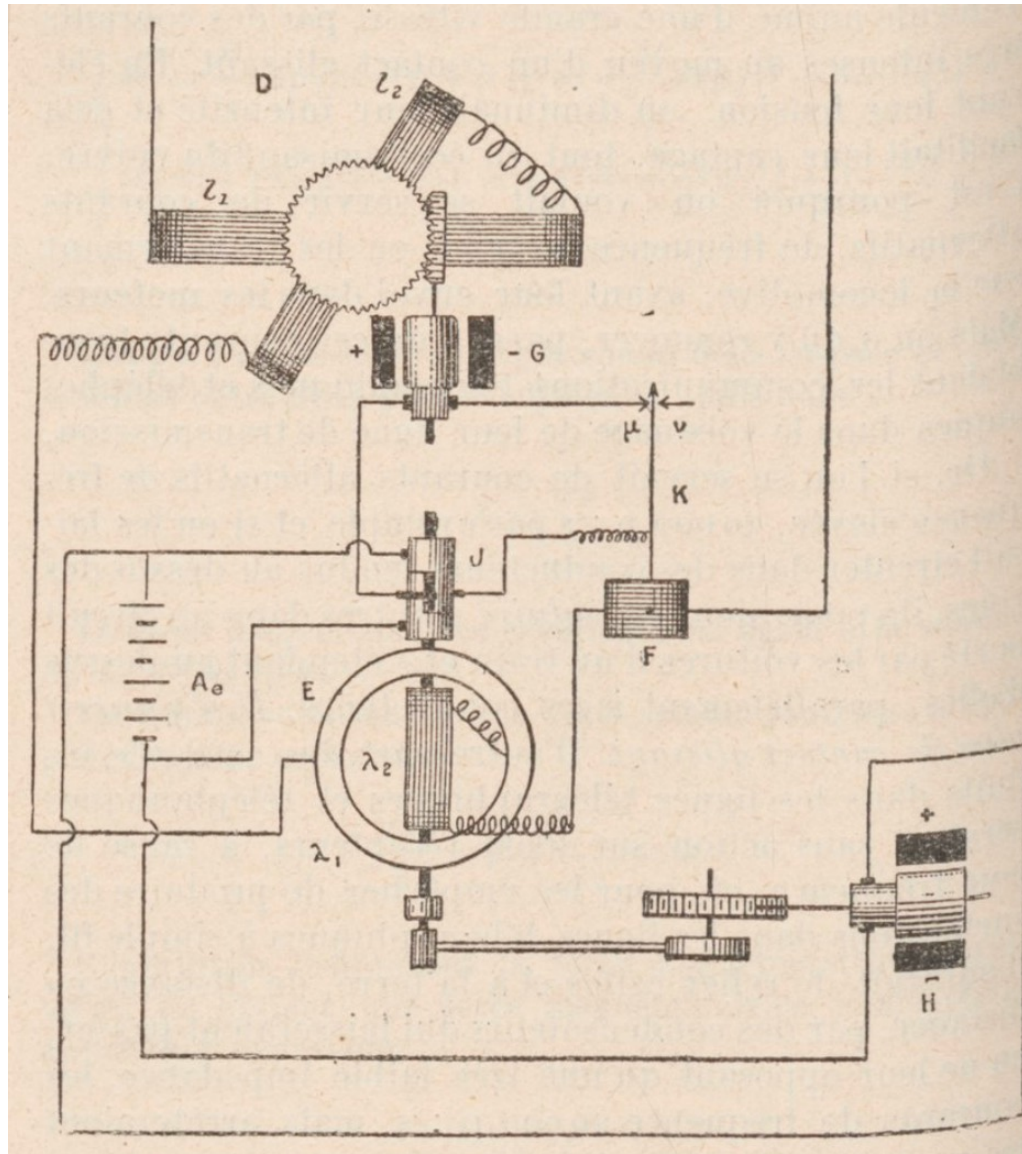
Sur l'électrification des chemins de fer au moyen de courants alternatifs de fréquence élevée

Une légère modification à un dispositif permettant la transformation d'un courant continu en courant alternatif de fréquence élevée, décrit dans la « R. G. E. » du 19 août 1922, t. XII, p. 259-261, a permis à M. Maurice Leblanc d'envisager l'alimentation d'une ligne de transmission d'énergie pour la traction par l'électricité, le récepteur d'énergie électrique n'ayant aucun point de contact avec la ligne de transmission. Outre l'avantage qui consiste à supprimer les contacts glissants, signalons que les courants induits dans les lignes télégraphiques et téléphoniques seraient sans actions sur leurs récepteurs, à cause de leur grande fréquence. La description de ce nouveau dispositif a fait l'objet d'une note présentée à la séance du 17 juillet 1922 de l'Académie des Sciences, que nous reproduisons ci-après.

Introduction. — Il est difficile d'alimenter, un véhicule animé d'une grande vitesse, par des courants très intenses au moyen d'un contact glissant. En élevant leur tension, on diminuait leur intensité et cela

cifique égal à 2 et la rigidité électrostatique égale à 400 000 v : cm.

Ces tubes sont interrompus de distance en distance (fig. 1) et chacun d'eux est divisé en tronçons de même



entirely
electromechanical!

air-core transformer/capacitor
with inductance varied by air-gap

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Contemporary to Robert Bosch and Tesla

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Prix Poncelet, French Acad. Sciences (1913)

(Boussinesq, Darboux, Cartan, Cosserat, Fréchet, Fredholm, Goursat, Hadamard, Laguerre, Laurent, Lebesgue, Levy, Liouville, Picard, Poincaré)

ES re-awakening

Stability proved in **1997** (MK & Wang)

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Torrent of advances: >2,000 papers per year

Generators of *Extreme Ultraviolet Light*
for photolithography in semiconductor manufacturing

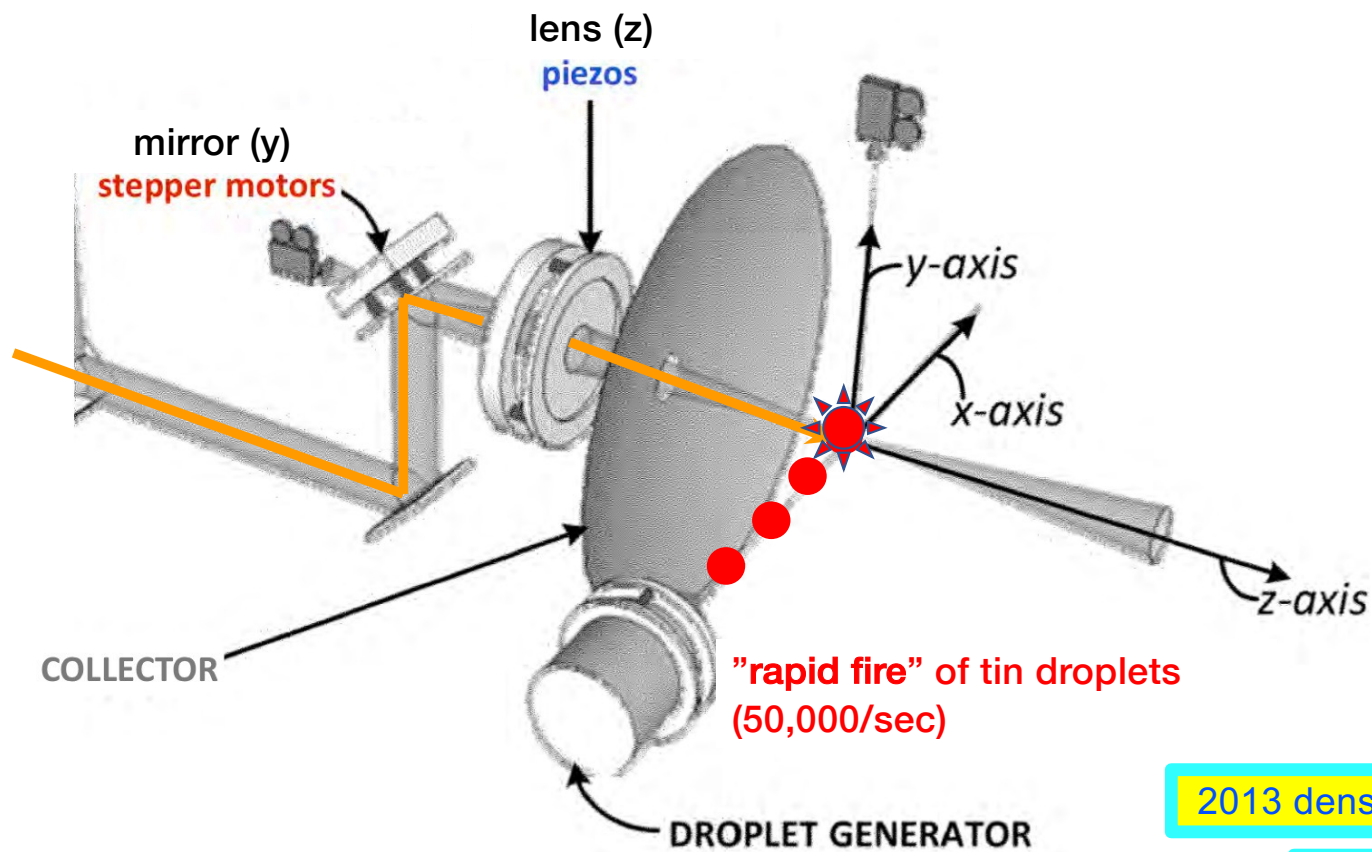


complete wafer scanner (\$100M)

Moore's law (1965)
exceeded physical limit of lasers

IDEA:
evaporation of liquid tin (Sn, 230° C)
and re-condensation generates light of
an order of magnitude smaller wavelength

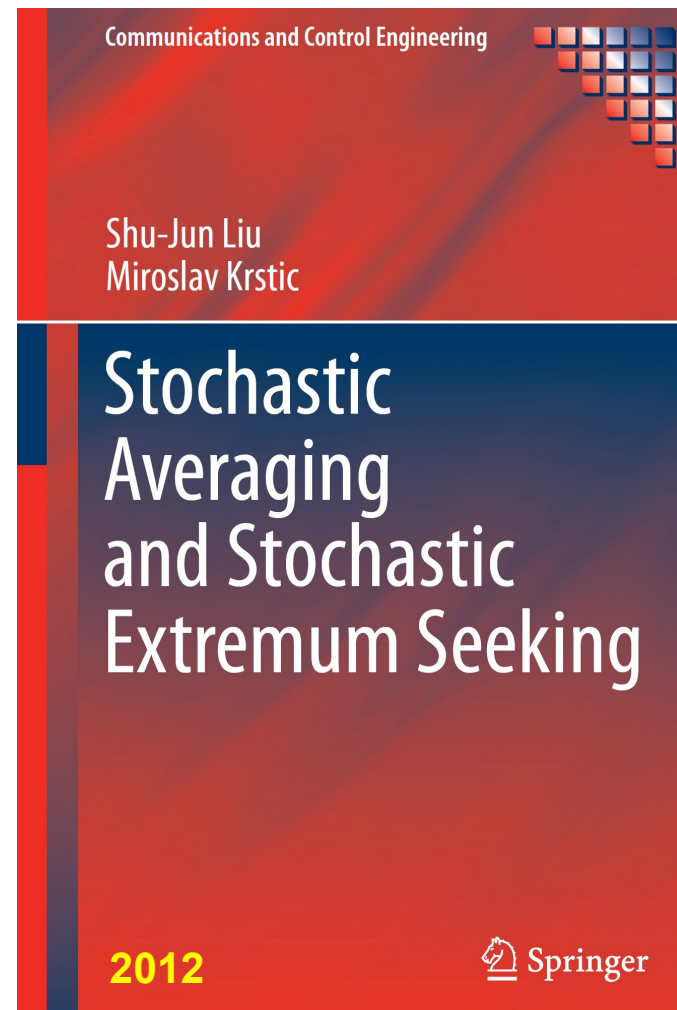
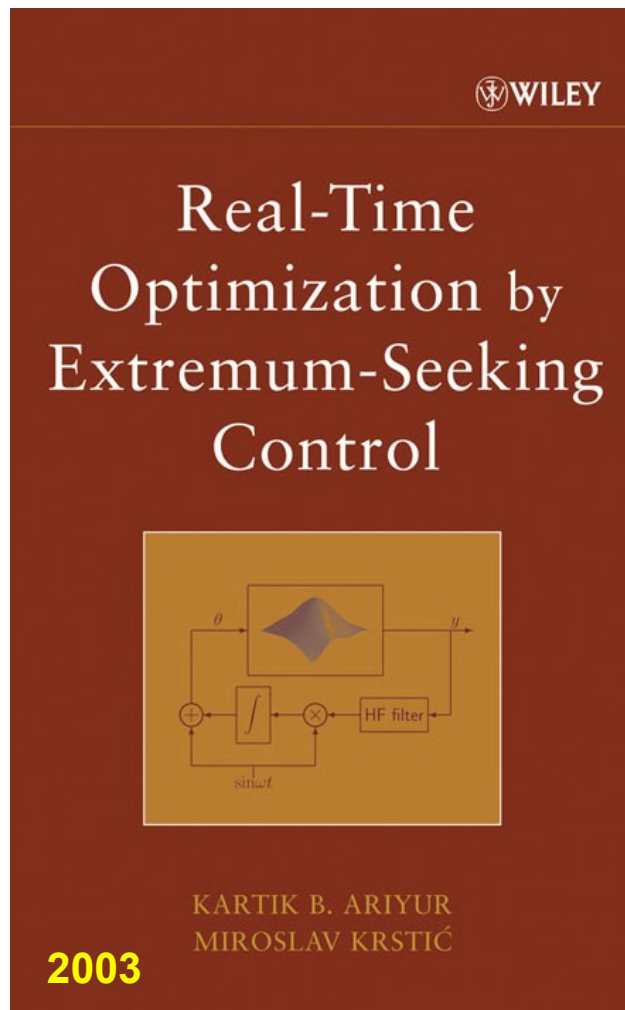
Frihauf et al (2013)



2013 density increase > 200x

May 2021: 2 nm chip!

IBM • Intel • Samsung • TSMC



2022, SIAM: **Tiago Roux Oliveira** + MK
Extremum Seeking through Delays and PDEs

Basic **PT-ES** (Static Map)

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Blowup (at $t = t_0 + T$) function

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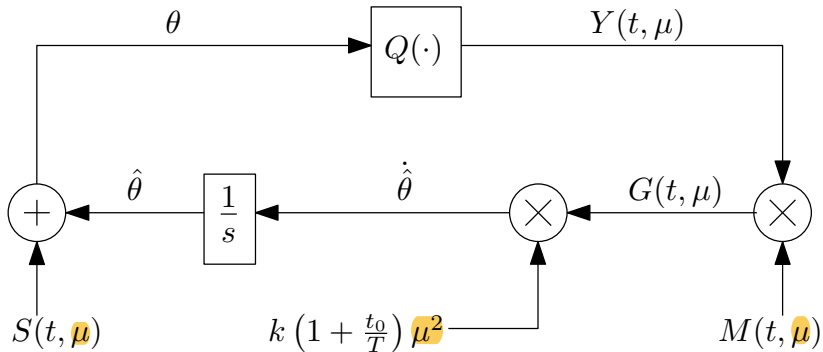
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Dynamics of the blowup function

$$\dot{\mu} = \frac{1}{T} \mu^2$$

Basic PT-ES

$$y(t) = y^* + \frac{H}{2}(\theta(t) - \theta^*)^2$$



“Chirpy” sinusoid perturbations

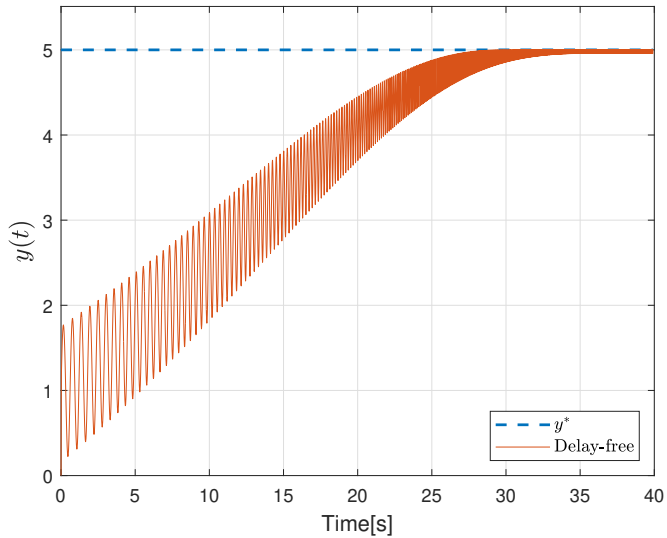
Chirp = sine whose frequency grows:

$$S(t, \mu) = a \sin(\omega \mu t)$$

$$M(t, \mu) = \frac{2}{a} \sin(\omega \mu t)$$

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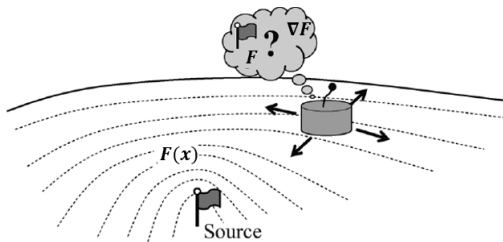
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PT Source Seeking



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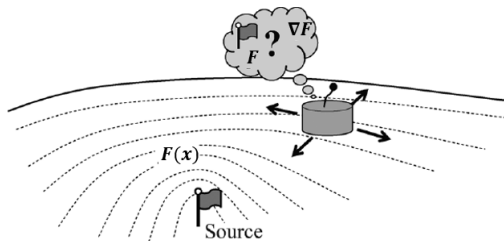
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Unicycle Dynamics:

$$\dot{x} = \underbrace{E\nabla F(x)}_{\text{unknown}} + u_1 \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$$

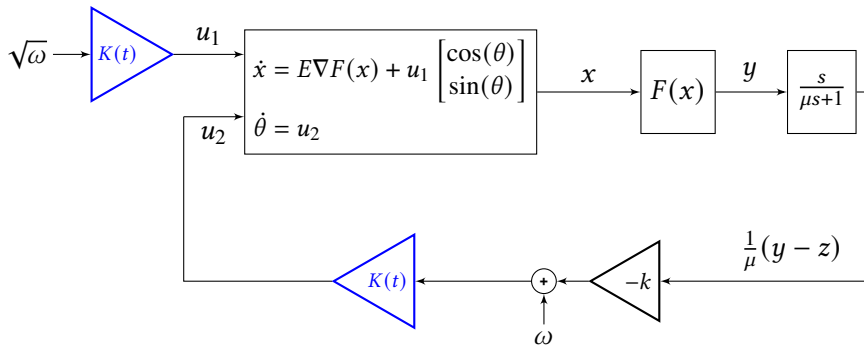
$$\dot{\theta} = u_2$$

$$y = F(x)$$



PT Source Seeker Design

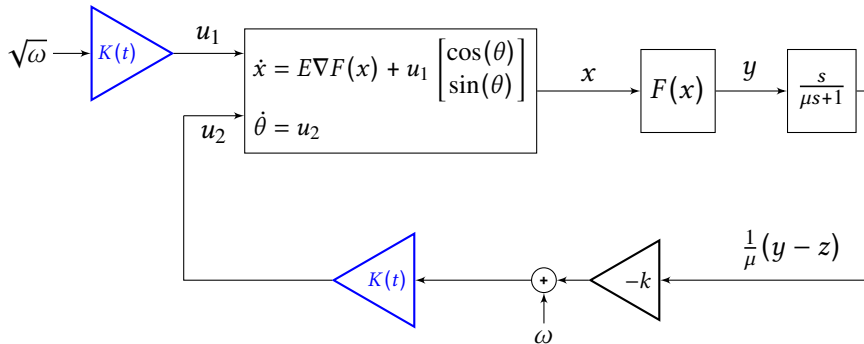
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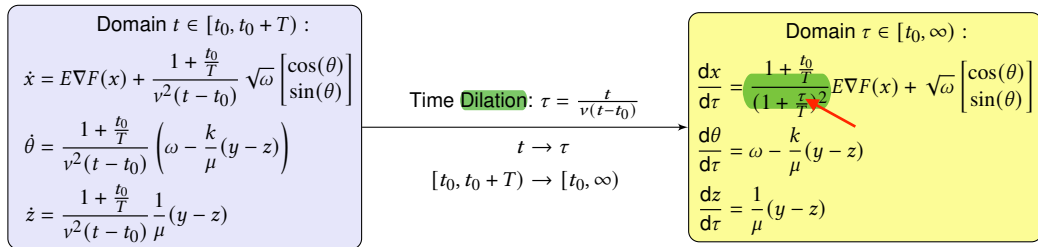
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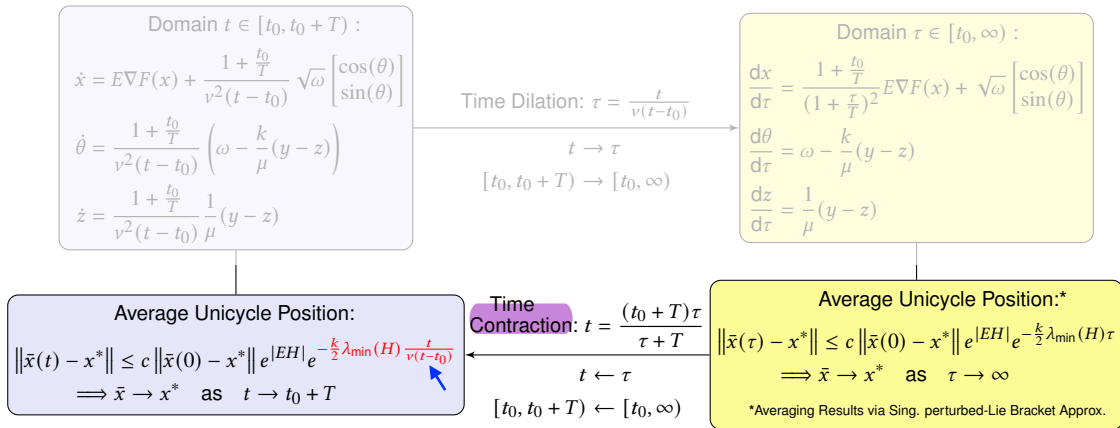
PT version of algorithm by
Scheinker, Duerr, Krstic

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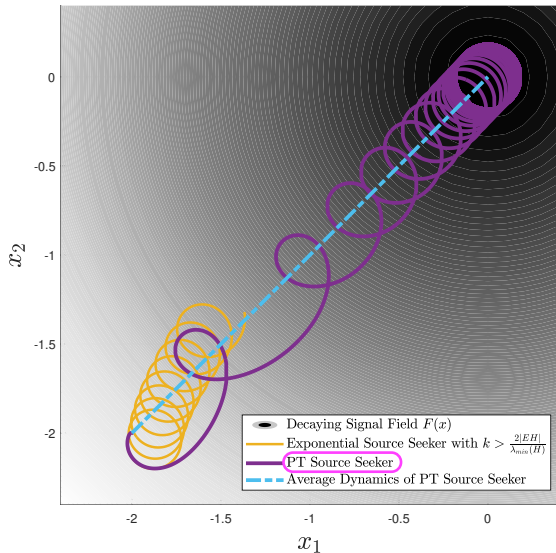
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Source Seekers Comparison

$t \in [0, 1)$

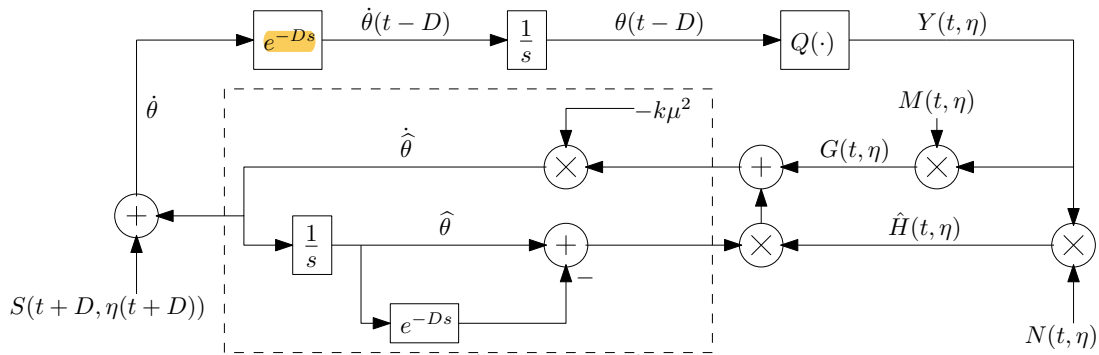


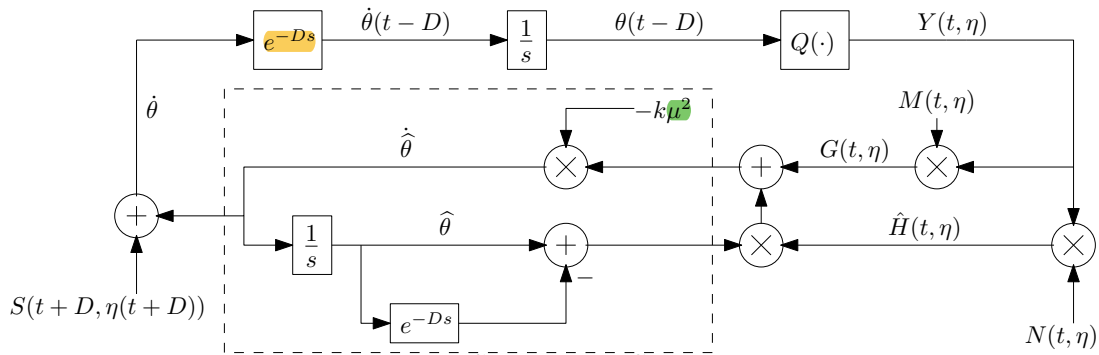
Delay-Compensated **PT-ES**

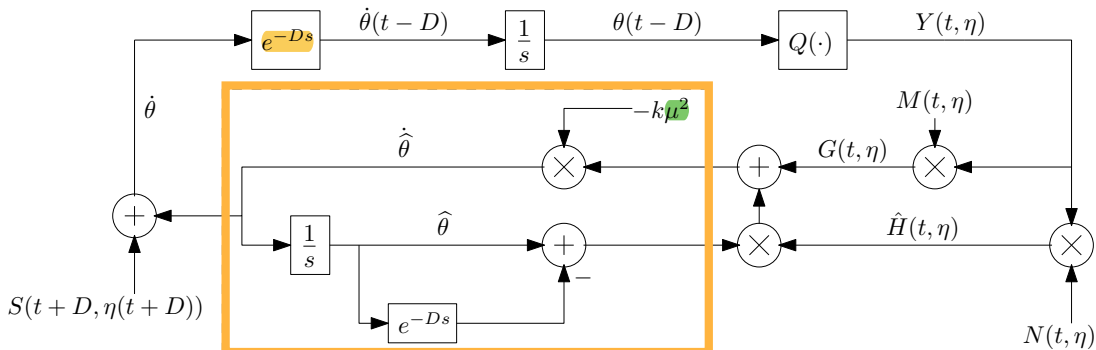
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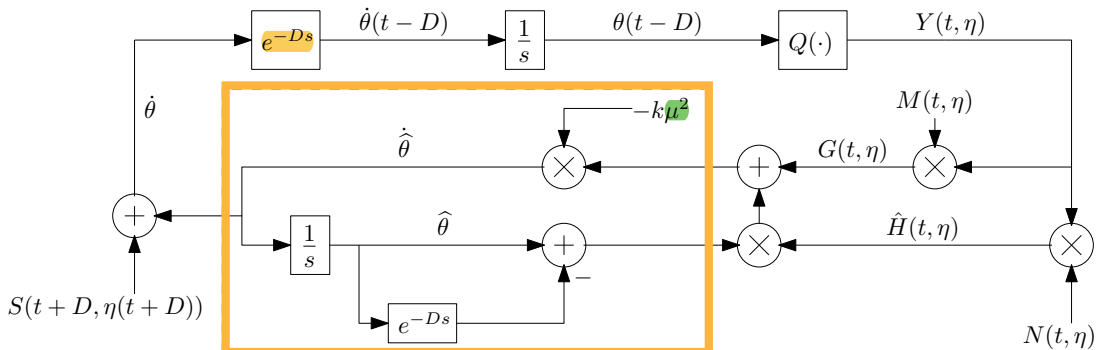






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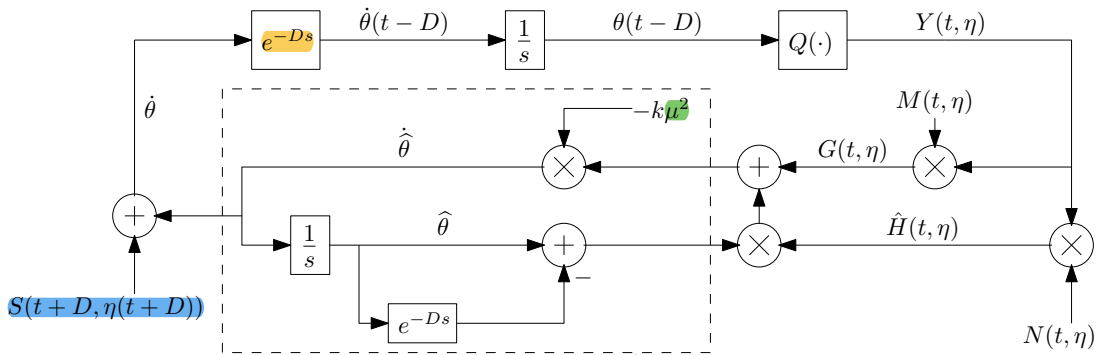
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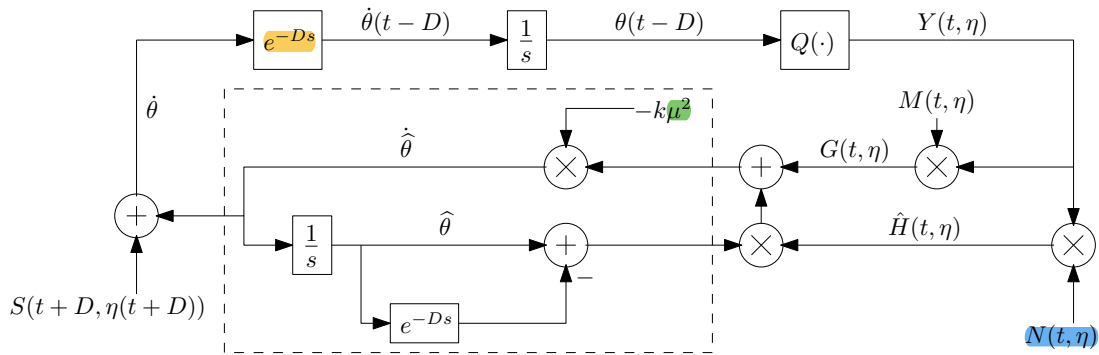
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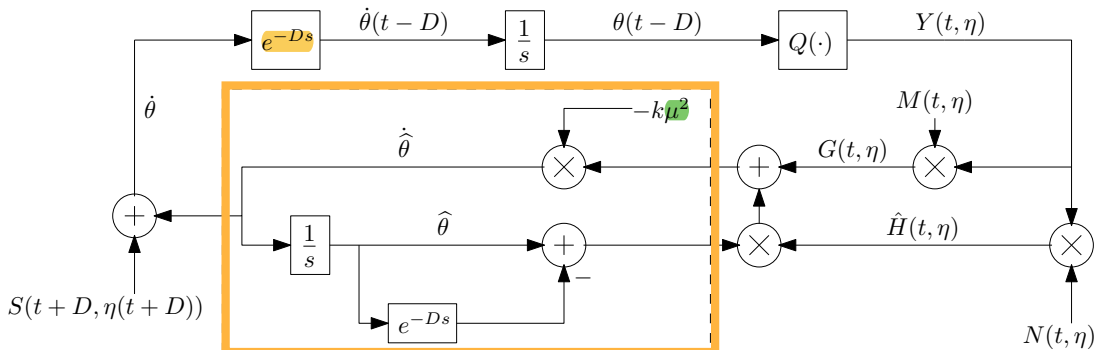
Time-advanced chirp perturbation

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Gradient and Hessian estimates

$$\begin{aligned} G(t, \eta) &= M(t, \eta)Y(t, \eta), & M(t, \eta) &= \frac{2}{a} \sin(\omega t \mu) \\ \hat{H}(t, \eta) &= N(t, \eta)Y(t, \eta), & N(t, \eta) &= -\frac{8}{a^2} \cos(2\omega t \mu) \end{aligned}$$

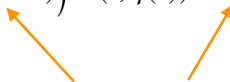



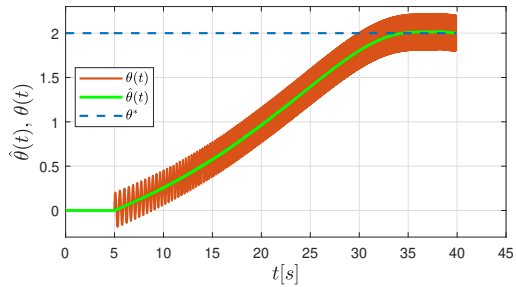
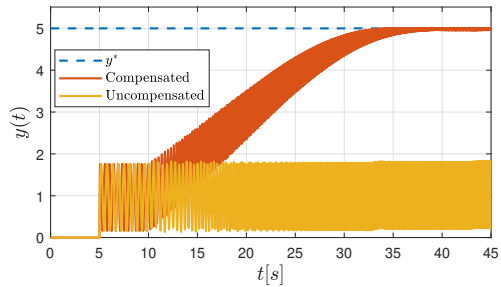
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Delay-compensated PT-ES algorithm

$$\dot{\hat{\theta}}(t) = -k\mu^2(t) \left[\left(\hat{\theta}(t) - \hat{\theta}(t-D) \right) \hat{H}(t, \eta(t)) + G(t, \eta(t)) \right]$$

("cancel")





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$$\partial_t \bar{u}(x, t) = \partial_x \bar{u}(x, t)$$

$$\bar{u}(D, t) = \hat{\theta}(t) - \theta^*$$

(delay as transport PDE)

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Furthermore,

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Average system

$$\dot{\eta}_{\text{av}} = \mathcal{A}\eta_{\text{av}} + J_{\text{av}}(\eta_{\text{av}})$$

where

$$J_{\text{av}}(\eta) = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\omega(\bar{T} - D)} \int_0^{\omega(\bar{T} - D)} J(s, \eta) ds$$

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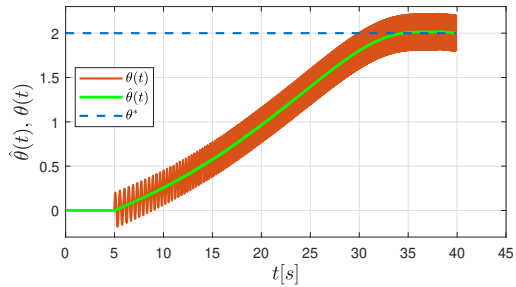
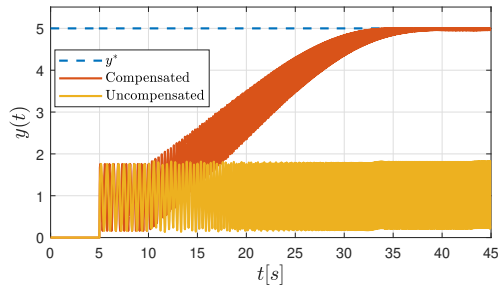
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Approximation error on finite interval:

$$\|\eta(t) - \eta_{\text{av}}(t)\|_X = O(1/\omega), \quad \forall t \in [t_0 + D, t_0 + \bar{T}]$$

for all $\omega > \omega^*(\bar{T})$.



PT-ES for Diffusion PDEs

PT-ES for **Diffusion** PDEs

Diffusion PDE with a (Neumann-driven) **integrator** at its output

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dt}\Theta(t) &= \partial_x \alpha(0, t) \\ \partial_t \alpha(x, t) &= \partial_{xx} \alpha(x, t) \\ \alpha(0, t) &= 0 \\ \partial_x \alpha(D, t) &= \dot{\theta}(t)\end{aligned}$$

(as in Stefan PDE-ODE model of phase change)

Motion planning for perturbation signal

—propagate chirp thru heat PDE

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Explicit solution

$$S(t, \eta) = \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a\omega k_0 \frac{1}{T^k} \mu^{k+2} k! e^{j\omega t \mu} L_k^{(1)} \left(-(T j\omega k_0) \mu \right) \frac{D^{2k}}{(2k)!} \right\}$$

$L_k =$ Laguerre polynomials

Heat-compensated PT-ES algorithm

$$\dot{\hat{\theta}} = \hat{H}(t, \eta)Q(\eta) + G(t, \eta)P(\eta) + R(\eta)$$

where

$$Q(\eta) = \int_0^D \partial_x q_c(D, y, \eta) (\alpha(y, t) - \beta(y, t)) dy$$

$$P(\eta) = \partial_x \gamma_c(D, \eta)$$

$$R(\eta) = q_r(D, D, \eta) (\alpha(D, t) - \beta(D, t)) + \int_0^D \partial_x q_r(D, y, \eta) (\alpha(y, t) - \beta(y, t)) dy$$

Kernel q_r

PDE

$$\partial_t q_r(x, y, \eta) = \partial_{xx} q_r(x, y, \eta) - \partial_{yy} q_r(x, y, \eta) - \mu_0 \mu^2 q_r(x, y, \eta)$$

$$q_r(x, 0, \eta) = 0$$

$$q_r(x, x, \eta) = -\frac{x}{2} \mu_0 \mu^2$$

Explicit


$$q_r(x, y, \eta) = -y \mu_0 \mu^2 e^{\frac{\mu(x^2 - y^2)}{4T}} \frac{I_1 \left(\sqrt{\mu_0 \mu^2 (x^2 - y^2)} \right)}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \mu^2 (x^2 - y^2)}}$$

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Growth bound

$$|q_r(\cdot, \cdot, \eta)| \leq e^{\left(\frac{D^2}{4T} + C_6 \sqrt{\mu_0}\right) \mu}$$

Kernel γ_c

PDE

$$\partial_t \gamma_c(x, \eta) = \partial_{xx} \gamma_c(x, \eta) - \mu_0 \mu^2 \gamma_c(x, \eta)$$

$$\gamma_c(0, \eta) = 0$$

$$\partial_x \gamma_c(0, \eta) = -k \mu^2, \quad k < 0$$

Explicit

$$\gamma_c(x, \eta) = -k \mu^2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} \frac{n!}{T^n} \mu^n L_n^{(1)}(-(T\mu_0)\mu)$$

Laguerre polynomials

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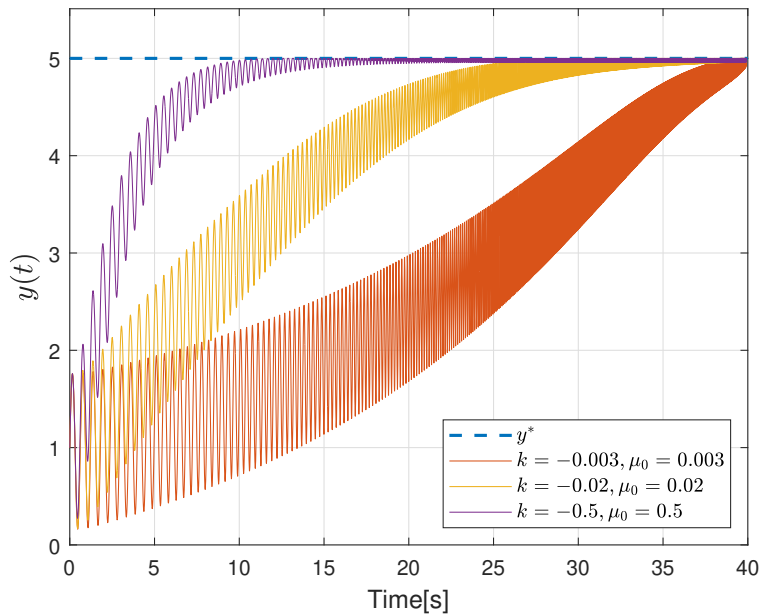
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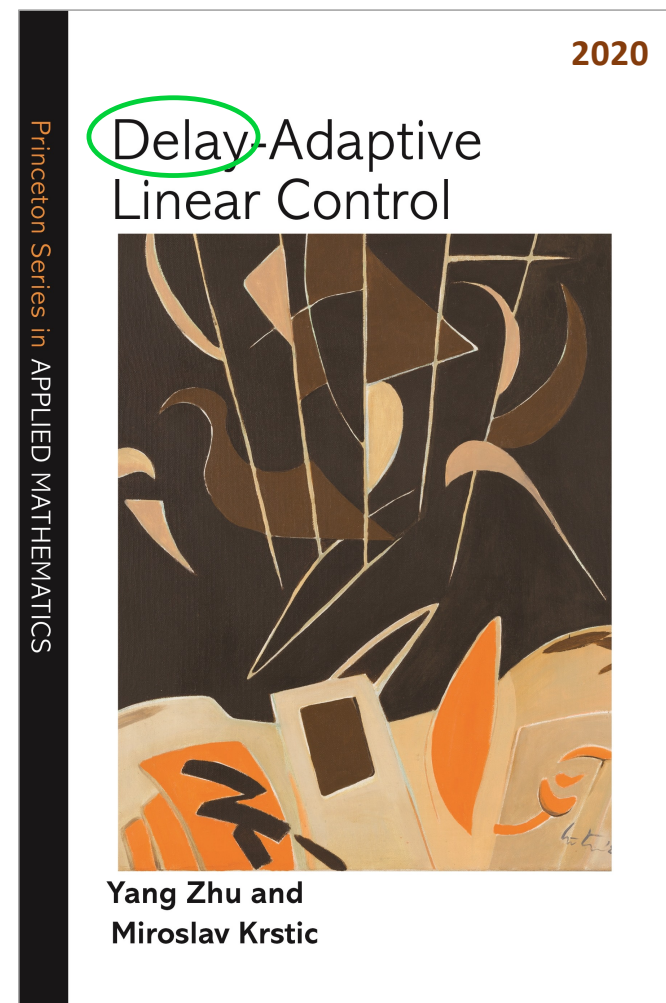
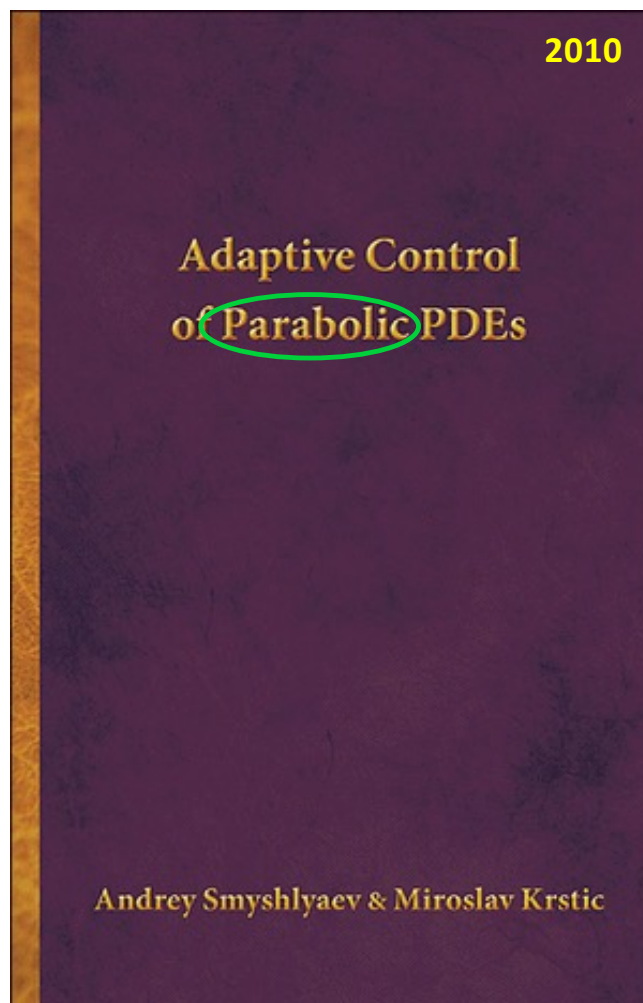
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partly inspired by
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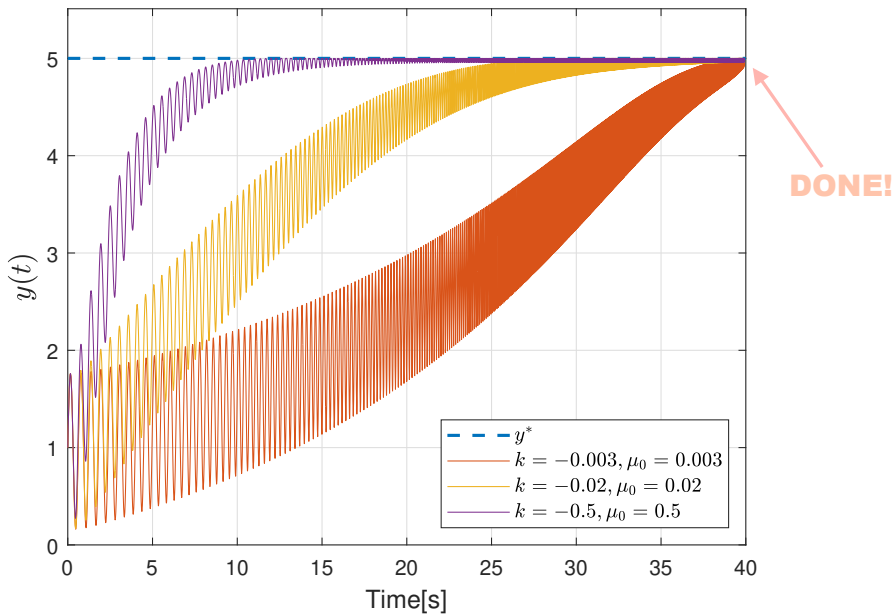
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Choosing

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with $\hat{\mu}_0, \hat{k} > 0$, we get

$$\Upsilon(t) \leq e^{-c_0 T (\mu(t)^{-1})} \Upsilon(t_0), \quad c_0 = \min\{\hat{k}, \hat{\mu}_0\}$$



Thank you for your attention

Questions?