

# Monge Parametrizations and Integration of Rectangular Linear Differential Systems

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- ◇ **Starting points:**
  - Most algorithms for computing local or global solutions of linear differential systems handle **only square systems**;
  - Systems appearing in many **applications** such as control theory are in general **non-square**.
  
- ◇ **Contribution:** reduce the integration of a rectangular system to that of a square one.
  
- ◇ **Main tool:** constructive algebraic analysis techniques, Monge parametrizations

# Outline of the talk

- 1 Constructive algebraic analysis approach to systems theory
- 2 Monge parametrizations of linear systems
- 3 Main result
- 4 Extensions and perspectives

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# Constructive algebraic analysis approach to systems theory

# Methodology

- 1 A **linear system** is defined by a **matrix  $R$**  with coefficients in a **ring  $D$**  of functional operators:

$$Ry = 0. \quad (\star)$$

- 2 To  $(\star)$  we associate a **left  $D$ -module  $M$**  (finitely presented).
- 3 There exists a **dictionary** between the **properties of  $(\star)$**  and  **$M$** .
- 4 **Homological algebra** allows to check the properties of  $M$ .
- 5 **Effective algebra** (non-commutative Gröbner/Janet bases) gives algorithms.
- 6 **Implementation** : Maple (OREMODULES, ORE Morphisms), Singular:Plural, GAP4 (homalg), . . . .

## Example: Wind tunnel model

- ◇ The wind tunnel model (Manitius, IEEE TAC 84):

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1(t) + a x_1(t) - k a x_2(t - h) = 0, \\ \dot{x}_2(t) - x_3(t) = 0, \\ \dot{x}_3(t) + \omega^2 x_2(t) + 2 \zeta \omega x_3(t) - \omega^2 u(t) = 0. \end{cases}$$

- ◇ Let us consider  $D = \mathbb{Q}(a, k, \omega, \zeta)[\partial, \delta]$
- ◇ The system can then be written as  $R y = 0$  with

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} \partial + a & -k a \delta & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \partial & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega^2 & \partial + 2 \zeta \omega & -\omega^2 \end{pmatrix} \in D^{3 \times 4}.$$

# The left $D$ -module $M$

- ◇  $D$  ring of functional operators,  $R \in D^{q \times p}$  and  $\mathcal{F}$  a left  $D$ -module (the functional space):

$$\forall P_1, P_2 \in D, \forall \eta_1, \eta_2 \in \mathcal{F} : P_1 \eta_1 + P_2 \eta_2 \in \mathcal{F}.$$

- ◇ Consider the system  $\ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R.) = \{\eta \in \mathcal{F}^p \mid R\eta = 0\}$ .
- ◇ As in number theory or algebraic geometry, to  $\ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R.)$  we associate the left  $D$ -module:

$$M = D^{1 \times p} / (D^{1 \times q} R).$$

given by the finite presentation:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} D^{1 \times q} & \xrightarrow{\cdot R} & D^{1 \times p} & \xrightarrow{\pi} & M & \longrightarrow & 0, \\ \lambda = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_q) & \longmapsto & \lambda R & & & & \end{array}$$

**Theorem** [Malgrange]:

$$\ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R.) \cong \text{hom}_D(M, \mathcal{F}) = \{f : M \rightarrow \mathcal{F}, f \text{ is left } D\text{-linear}\}.$$

# Definitions of module theory

◇  $M' \xrightarrow{f} M \xrightarrow{g} M''$  is called a **complex** if  $\text{im } f \subseteq \ker g$ .

◇  $M' \xrightarrow{f} M \xrightarrow{g} M''$  is said **exact** if  $\text{im } f = \ker g$ .

## Definition

1.  $M$  is **free** if  $\exists r \in \mathbb{Z}_+$  such that  $M \cong D^r$ .
2.  $M$  is **projective** if  $\exists r \in \mathbb{Z}_+$  and a  $D$ -module  $P$  such that:

$$M \oplus P \cong D^r.$$

3.  $M$  is **torsion-free** if:

$$t(M) = \{m \in M \mid \exists 0 \neq d \in D : dm = 0\} = 0.$$

(**Ex.:**  $\dot{x}_1 = x_2 + u$ ,  $\dot{x}_2 = x_1 + u$  defines a torsion module since  $z = x_1 - x_2$  satisfies  $\dot{z} + z = 0$  so that  $t(M) \neq 0$ )



# Syzygy module computations

◇ Let  $D$  be a ring of functional operators which is a noetherian domain and  $R \in D^{q \times p}$ .

◇ There exist

■  $P \in D^{r \times q}$  such that  $\ker_D(\cdot R) = D^{1 \times r} P$ :

$$D^{1 \times r} \xrightarrow{\cdot P} D^{1 \times q} \xrightarrow{\cdot R} D^{1 \times p} \text{ is exact.}$$

■  $Q \in D^{p \times m}$  such that  $\ker_D(R \cdot) = Q D^m$ :

$$D^q \xleftarrow{R \cdot} D^p \xleftarrow{Q \cdot} D^m \text{ is exact, } R Q = 0.$$

◇ Such matrices  $P$  and  $Q$  can be computed by means of non-commutative Gröbner/Janet bases computations.

◇ Implementation in the Maple library **OREMODULES** available at

<http://wwwb.math.rwth-aachen.de/OreModules/>

# Injective modules

Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a left  $D$ -module, applying  $\text{hom}_D(\cdot, \mathcal{F})$  to the exact sequence

$$D^{1 \times r} \xrightarrow{\cdot P} D^{1 \times q} \xrightarrow{\cdot R} D^{1 \times p},$$

we get the following complex with  $R\mathcal{F}^p \subseteq \ker_{\mathcal{F}}(P.)$

$$\mathcal{F}^r \xleftarrow{P.} \mathcal{F}^q \xleftarrow{R.} \mathcal{F}^p. \quad (1)$$

**Definition:** A left  $D$ -module  $\mathcal{F}$  is **injective** if for every injective left  $D$ -homomorphism  $f : A \rightarrow B$  from a left  $D$ -module  $A$  to a left  $D$ -module  $B$  and for every  $\psi \in \text{hom}_D(A, \mathcal{F})$ , there exists a left  $D$ -homomorphism  $\phi \in \text{hom}_D(B, \mathcal{F})$  such that  $\psi = \phi \circ f$ .

**Theorem:**  $\mathcal{F}$  is injective iff the functor  $\text{hom}_D(\cdot, \mathcal{F})$  is exact.

◇ If  $P \in D^{r \times q}$  is such that  $\ker_D(\cdot R) = D^{1 \times r} P$  and  $\mathcal{F}$  is an injective left  $D$ -module, then  $R\mathcal{F}^p = \ker_{\mathcal{F}}(P.)$ , i.e., (1) is exact.

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# Monge parametrizations

# Monge parametrization of linear functional systems

- ◇ Let  $D$  be a ring of functional operators which is a noetherian domain.
- ◇ Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a **left  $D$ -module**.
- ◇ Let us consider  $R \in D^{q \times p}$  and the **linear functional system**:

$$\ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R.) \triangleq \{\eta \in \mathcal{F}^p \mid R \eta = 0\}.$$

- ◇ **Quadrat-Robertz' algorithm**: compute, if they exist, 4 matrices  $Q \in D^{p \times m}$ ,  $R'' \in D^{q \times q'}$ ,  $T \in D^{r' \times q'}$  and  $S \in D^{p \times q'}$  such that:

$$\ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R.) = \{Q \mu + S \zeta \mid \mu \in \mathcal{F}^m, \begin{pmatrix} R'' \\ T \end{pmatrix} \zeta = 0\}.$$

- ◇ **Key point**: integrating  $R \eta = 0 \iff$  integrating  $\begin{pmatrix} R'' \\ T \end{pmatrix} \zeta = 0$ .

# Monge parametrization of LFS: QR's algorithm (1)

◇ Compute  $Q \in D^{p \times m}$  and  $R' \in D^{q' \times p}$  such that

$$\ker_D(R \cdot) = Q D^m, \quad \ker_D(\cdot Q) = D^{1 \times q'} R'.$$

◇  $RQ = 0$  implies  $D^{1 \times q} R \subseteq \ker_D(\cdot Q) = D^{1 \times q'} R'$

$\Rightarrow$  there exists  $R'' \in D^{q \times q'}$  such that  $R = R'' R'$ .

◇ Compute  $T \in D^{r' \times q'}$  such that  $\ker_D(\cdot R') = D^{1 \times r'} T$ .

$\Rightarrow$  we thus have  $R' \mathcal{F}^p \subseteq \ker_{\mathcal{F}}(T \cdot)$ .

◇ We have:

$$R \eta = 0 \iff R'' R' \eta = 0 \iff \begin{cases} R'' \zeta = 0, \\ T \zeta = 0, \\ R' \eta = \zeta. \end{cases}$$

◇ Links with  $t(M)$ :

$$M/t(M) = D^{1 \times p} / (D^{1 \times q'} R'),$$

$$t(M) = (D^{1 \times q'} R') / (D^{1 \times q} R) \cong D^{1 \times q'} / \left( D^{1 \times (q+r')} (R''^T \quad T^T)^T \right).$$

## Monge parametrization of LFS: QR's algorithm (2)

◇ We now consider the system:  $R' \eta = \zeta$ ,  $\zeta \in \ker_{\mathcal{F}} \left( \begin{pmatrix} R'' \\ T \end{pmatrix} \cdot \right)$ .

◇ Since  $\ker_D(\cdot Q) = D^{1 \times q'} R'$ , if  $\mathcal{F}$  is an injective left  $D$ -module, then  $\ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R' \cdot) = Q \mathcal{F}^m$ .

⇒ General solution of the homogeneous system  $R' \eta = 0$  given by  $Q \mu$ , for all  $\mu \in \mathcal{F}^m$

◇ Quadrat-Robertz: particular solution given by  $S \zeta$  if there exists  $S \in D^{p \times q'}$  satisfying that there exists  $V \in D^{q' \times q}$  such that  $R' - R' S R' = V R$ .

- $S$  is called a *generalized inverse* of  $R'$  modulo  $D^{1 \times q} R$ ;
- Existence  $\Leftrightarrow M \cong t(M) \oplus M/t(M)$  (ok if  $M/t(M)$  projective);
- Algorithm implemented in OREMODULES.

# Monge parametrization: QR's result

**Theorem:** If  $\mathcal{F}$  is an injective left  $D$ -module and  $M \cong t(M) \oplus M/t(M)$ , then we can compute 4 matrices  $Q \in D^{p \times m}$ ,  $R'' \in D^{q \times q'}$ ,  $T \in D^{r' \times q'}$  and  $S \in D^{p \times q'}$  such that:

$$\ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R.) = \{Q\mu + S\zeta \mid \mu \in \mathcal{F}^m, \begin{pmatrix} R'' \\ T \end{pmatrix} \zeta = 0\}.$$

**Remark 1:**  $t(M) \cong D^{1 \times q'} / \left( D^{1 \times (q+r')} (R''^T \quad T^T)^T \right)$ . The system to be integrated is (over)determined: algorithms exist.

**Remark 2:**  $M$  is torsion-free  $\rightsquigarrow \ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R.) = \{Q\mu \mid \mu \in \mathcal{F}^m\}$ .

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## Main result



# The case of a linear differential system: $D = \mathbb{C}[x][\frac{d}{dx}]$

◇ Let  $R \in D^{q \times p}$ : the matrix defining our linear differential system.

◇ Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a given space of functions (e.g., regular formal power series, polynomial, rational or exponential functions, ...).

↪ The solution spaces of interest are not injective left  $D$ -modules!

## However

◇ The ring  $D = \mathbb{C}[x][\frac{d}{dx}]$  has strong properties (hereditary ring, Stafford's theorem)

↪ generalization of the previous Quadrat-Robertz' algorithm

# Hereditary rings

**Definition:** A ring  $D$  is **left hereditary** if every left ideal is projective.

## Properties:

- 1  $D$  is left hereditary iff every submodule of a projective module is projective;
- 2 If  $D$  is left hereditary, then every torsion free left  $D$ -module is projective;  
 $\rightsquigarrow$  we always have  $M \cong t(M) \oplus M/t(M)$ .

# Main theorem

**Theorem:** Let  $D = \mathbb{C}[x][\frac{d}{dx}]$  and  $R \in D^{q \times p}$  full row-rank. Assume that  $q \geq 2$  and let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a given space of functions (e.g., regular formal power series, polynomial, rational or exponential functions, ...) having a left  $D$ -module structure.

Then, there exist  $Q \in D^{p \times m}$ , a full row-rank matrix  $R' \in D^{q \times p}$ , a square matrix  $R'' \in D^{q \times q}$  and  $S \in D^{p \times q}$  satisfying

$$R = R'' R', \quad \ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R'.) = Q \mathcal{F}^m, \quad R' S = I_q.$$

Moreover, we have

$$\ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R.) = \{Q \mu + S \zeta \mid \mu \in \mathcal{F}^m, \quad R'' \zeta = 0\}.$$

$\Rightarrow$  Integrating the rectangular linear differential system  $R \eta = 0$  is reduced to integrating the square linear differential system

$$R'' \zeta = 0.$$

## Sketch of the proof

◇ Follow Quadrat-Robertz' method in our case:

- 1 Compute  $Q \in D^{p \times m}$  such that  $\ker_D(R.) = Q D^m$ ;
- 2  $D$  hereditary ring &  $R$  full row rank  $\Rightarrow \ker_D(.Q)$  projective of rank  $q$ ;
- 3  $q \geq 2$  & Stafford's theorem  $\Rightarrow \ker_D(.Q)$  free of rank  $q$ ;
- 4 Compute a basis:  $R' \in D^{q \times p}$  full row-rank such that  $\ker_D(.Q) = D^{1 \times q} R'$ ;  
 $\Rightarrow T = 0$  and  $R''$  square of size  $q$  such that  $R = R'' R'$ ;
- 5  $D$  hereditary  $\Rightarrow \ker_{\mathcal{F}}(R'.) = Q \mathcal{F}^m$ ;
- 6  $D$  hereditary &  $R'$  full row rank  $\Rightarrow R'$  admits a right inverse  $S \in D^{p \times q}$ .

◇ Algorithm has been **implemented** in Maple using OREMODULES.

## Example (1)

◇ Let  $D = \mathbb{C}[t][d]$  with  $d = \frac{d}{dt}$  and consider the rectangular linear differential system given by

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & t^3 d^2 - 2t^3 d + t^3 & 0 & 1 \\ t^2 & 2td + t^2 d - 2t - t^2 & 1+t & -t \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & t \end{pmatrix} \in D^{3 \times 4}.$$

◇ Using **OREMODULES**, we compute

$$Q = (-1 \ 0 \ t \ 1)^T$$

that satisfies  $\ker_D(R \cdot) = QD$  and

$$R' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & t \end{pmatrix}, \quad R'' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & t^3 d^2 - 2t^3 d + t^3 & 0 \\ t^2 & 2td + t^2 d - 2t - t^2 & -t - 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

so that  $\ker_D(\cdot Q) = D^{1 \times 3} R'$  and  $R = R'' R'$ .

## Example (2)

◇ Computing a right inverse  $S$  of  $R'$ , i.e.,  $R' S = I_3$  we find:

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

◇ **Theorem**  $\Rightarrow$  Solutions of  $R\eta = 0$  in  $\mathcal{F}$  given by  $Q\mu + S\zeta$  where  $\mu \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $\zeta \in \mathcal{F}^3$  satisfies the square linear differential system  $R''\zeta = 0$ .

## Example (3)

◇ Regular formal solutions (use algorithms developed in C. El Bacha's PhD for square systems) of  $R\eta = 0$ :

$$\eta(t) = S\zeta(t) + Q\mu(t) = \begin{pmatrix} -\mu(t) \\ 1 + t + \frac{1}{2}t^2 + \frac{1}{6}t^3 + \frac{1}{24}t^4 + O(t^5) \\ t\mu(t) \\ \mu(t) \end{pmatrix},$$

for all  $\mu(t) = t^{\lambda_0} z(t)$  where  $\lambda_0 \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $z(t) \in \mathbb{C}[\log(t)][[t]]$ .

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## Extensions and perspectives



## Extensions / Perspectives

◇ In our theorem, we can replace  $D = \mathbb{C}[x][\frac{d}{dx}]$  by  $D = k[[x]]\langle\partial\rangle$ , where  $k$  is a field of characteristic zero, or by  $D = k\{x\}\langle\partial\rangle$ , where  $k = \mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ .

Indeed, Quadrat-Robertz proved recently that those rings have the needed algebraic properties.

◇ In the future:

- Gather our implementation with those of algorithms computing global or local solutions;  
(e.g., ISOLDE - <http://isolde.sourceforge.net/>)
- Comparisons to Jacobson normal form, B.-El B.-Pfluegel and Grigoriev: **singularities may be introduced!**
- Can this be extended to other rings  $D$ ?