



Theoretical observers for infinite dimensional skew-symmetric systems

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Abstract

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1 Introduction

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Systems with bounded input and output operators have been studied in [1], [3], [9]. As presented in [7] there are three different classes of systems: (a) the Pritchard–Salamon class [12], [14]; (b) the Weiss class of regular systems [2], and [18] and (c) the Salamon class of well-posed linear systems [15] and [16].

The complexity of the situation in infinite dimension by comparison to that in the finite one is summarized in [7] and appears because of the high gain that can produce the instability of the error' system.

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This part contain an overview of the basic notions necessary for the proof of the main result of this article, while the main result of this paper, presented in the next section, is related to the collocated feedback exponential stabilization [5], [6], [17], [22], [23].

Assume that a linear infinite dimensional skew-adjoint observation system is defined on the Hilbert space X and the observation space is another Hilbert space O . Considering unbounded boundary observations operators and assuming that the exact observability property holds, we build some Luenberger like observers which assure the exponential stability of the error system under some regularity conditions.

Let X be a Banach space and I the identity on X .

Definition 1. [11] A C^o semigroup of operators is a family of linear operators from X to X , $T(t)_{t \geq 0}$ satisfying:

- i) $T(0) = I$,
- ii) $T(t)T(\tau) = T(t + \tau)$, $\forall t, \tau \geq 0$.
- ii) $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} T(t)\phi = \phi$, $\forall \phi \in X$.

The domain of definition of an operator A will be denoted by $D(A)$.

Definition 2. [11] A generator of the semigroup $T(t)_{t \geq 0}$ is an operator A defined by the equation:

$$A\phi = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{T(h)\phi - \phi}{h},$$

where the limit is evaluated in terms of the norm on X and $\phi \in D(A)$ iff this limit exists.

Theorem 1 [11] Let $T(t)_{t \geq 0}$ be a C^o semi-group on X , A its generator and $\phi \in D(A)$. Then:

- 1) $T(t)\phi \in D(A)$ for all $t \geq 0$ and $\frac{d}{dt}T(t)\phi = AT(t)\phi = T(t)A\phi$.
- 2) A is a closed operator, whose domain is dense on X .
- 3) There are two constants $M \geq 1$ and $\omega \in \mathbf{R}$ such that $\|T(t)\| \leq Me^{\omega t}$, $\forall t \geq 0$.

Definition 3. [4] Let $T(t)_{t \geq 0}$ be a C^o semigroup on X , A its generator and $\phi \in D(A)$. The number defined by $\omega_0(A) = \inf\{\omega/\exists M, \|T(t)\| \leq Me^{\omega t}, \forall t \geq 0\}$ is called the exponentially increasing rate of of $T(t)$. If $\omega < 0$ we say that the semigroup $T(t)_{t \geq 0}$ is exponentially stable.

Definition 4. [11] A C^0 group of bounded linear operators on X is a family $(T(t))_{t \in \mathbf{R}}$ of operators on X , such that:

- i) $T(0) = I$.
- ii) $T(t)T(\tau) = T(t + \tau)$, $\forall t, \tau \in \mathbf{R}$.
- ii) $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} T(t)\phi = \phi$, $\forall \phi \in X$.

Theorem 2(Stone) [11] Let X be a Hilbert space. A is the generator of a group of unity operators on X iff A is anti-adjoint. Consider a distributed non - excited system [8]:

$$(\Sigma) \begin{cases} \dot{\phi}(t) &= A\phi(t), \forall t \geq 0, \\ \phi(0) &= \phi_0. \end{cases}$$

Suppose that we collect q measures on the system, defined by the output function:

$$(S) \begin{cases} y(t) &= (y_1(t), y_2(t), \dots, y_q(t)) \\ &= C\phi(t), \end{cases}$$

where C is an unbounded operator, whose domain, $D(C) \subset X$ is invariant with respect to the C^0 semigroup $T(t)_{t \geq 0}$ and $y(\cdot) \in L^2(0, T; \mathbf{R}^q)$.

Definition 5(exact observability) [13] The system (Σ) together with (S) is exactly observable if there are constants $\tau_0 > 0$ and $M > 0$ such that:

$$M^{-1} \|\phi_0\|_X^2 \leq \int_0^{\tau_0} \|CT(t)\phi_0\|_O^2 dt \leq M \|\phi_0\|_X^2. \quad (1)$$

Let X be the state space, U the input space, O the output space. Suppose that X , U and O are Hilbert spaces, with their inner products. Consider, in infinite dimension, the time invariant linear system described by [19]:

$$(\Pi) \begin{cases} \dot{\phi}(t) &= A\phi(t) + Bu(t), \\ y(t) &= C\phi(t) + Du(t), \\ \phi(0) &= \phi_0. \end{cases}$$

ϕ_0 is called the initial state of the system (Π) .

$\phi(t) \in X$ is called the state of system (Π) at the moment t .

$u(t) \in L^2([0, \infty), U)$ is the control and $y(t) \in L^2([0, \infty), O)$ is the output.

A is generally an unbounded operator, generator of a C^0 semigroup on X .

Let $\rho(A)$ be the resolvent set of A and $\beta \in \rho(A)$. We denote by X_1 , the domain $D(A)$, with the norm $\|\varphi\|_1 = \|(\beta I - A)\varphi\|$. The closure of X , with the norm $\|\varphi\|_{-1} = \|(\beta I - A)^{-1}\varphi\|_X$ will be denoted by X_{-1} .

So $X_1 \subset X \subset X_{-1}$.

We consider the extension of A such that $A \in L(X, X_{-1})$ and the extension of the semigroup $(T(t))_{t \geq 0}$ on X_{-1} . For all $\beta \in \rho(A)$, $(\beta I - A)^{-1}$ can be extended to the isometric isomorphism from X_{-1} to X .

We shall denote the operators and their extensions by the same symbols.

B is called control operator, $B \in L(U, X_{-1})$.

We assume that B is bounded if $B \in L(U, X)$ and unbounded if $B \notin L(U, X)$.

$C \in L(X_1, O)$ is called output operator.

We denote by C_Λ the Λ - extension of C , defined by:

$$\begin{cases} D(C_\Lambda) &= \{x \in X, \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \lambda C(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x \text{ exists} \} \\ C_\Lambda x &= \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \lambda C(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x, \forall x \in D(C_\Lambda). \end{cases} \quad (2)$$

Let $\lambda_0 \in \mathbf{R}$ such that $[\lambda_0, \infty) \subset \rho(A)$. We define the norm on $D(C_\Lambda)$:

$$\|x\|_{D(C_\Lambda)} = \|x\|_X + \sup_{\lambda \geq \lambda_0} \|\lambda C(\lambda I - A)^{-1}x\|_O. \quad (3)$$

Endowed with this norm, $D(C_\Lambda)$ is a Banach space.

$C_\Lambda \in L(D(C_\Lambda), O)$, $X_1 \subset D(C_\Lambda) \subset X$ with the continuous injection and X_1 is dense in $D(C_\Lambda)$.

D is the feedthrough operator of G and $D \in L(U, O)$. G is the transfer function of (II) .

If $u = 0$, (II) is called open loop system and will be denoted by $(\text{II})^0$.

Assume that $u \neq 0$ in (II) .

Definition 6.[20] B is called an admissible control operator for the semigroup $T(t)_{t \geq 0}$, if there is $\tau > 0$ such that $\Phi_\tau u \in X$, $\forall u \in L^2([0, \infty), U)$, where $\Phi_\tau u$ is defined by

$$\Phi_\tau u = \int_0^\tau T(\tau - \sigma)Bu(\sigma) d\sigma.$$

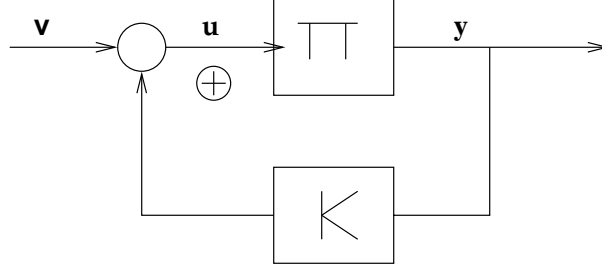
Proposition 1.[20] If B is an admissible operator for the semigroup $(T(t))_{t \geq 0}$, then there is $k \geq 0$, such that for any $s \in \mathbf{C}_0$, big enough:

$$\|(sI - A)^{-1}B\|_{L(U, X)} \leq k/\sqrt{\Re(s)},$$

where $\Re(s)$ is the real part of s .

Definition 7. [20] The system (II) or the quadruple (A, B, C, D) is (Weiss) regular if:

- i) The couples (A, C) and (A, B) are admissible.
- ii) $\text{Im}(\lambda I - A)^{-1}B \subset D(C_\Lambda)$, $\forall \lambda \in \rho(A)$.
- iii) The transfer function $C_\Lambda(sI - A)^{-1}B$ is analytic and uniformly bounded on a certain \mathbf{C}_α .
- iv) The input-output transfer function $G(s) = C_\Lambda(sI - A)^{-1}B + D$ ($s \in \mathbf{C}_\alpha$) is regular, that is $\forall v \in U, \exists \lim_{\mathbf{R} \ni \lambda \rightarrow +\infty} G(\lambda)v = Dv$, where D is the feedthrough

Figure 1: Closed loop system Π^K

operator of G .
In other words:

$$\lim_{\mathbf{R} \ni \lambda \rightarrow +\infty} C_\Lambda (\lambda I - A)^{-1} B v = 0, \quad v \in U.$$

Theorem 3 [20] If $(\Pi) = (A, B, C, D)$ is a linear regular system, then, for all $\phi_0 \in X$ and for all $u \in L^2_{loc}([0, \infty); U)$, the system:

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\phi}(t) &= A\phi(t) + Bu(t) \\ y(t) &= C_\Lambda \phi(t) + Du(t) \\ \phi(0) &= \phi_0, \end{cases}$$

admits an unique strong solution $\phi(t) = T(t)\phi_0 + \int_0^t T(t-\tau)Bu(\tau)d\tau$ satisfying $\phi(0) = \phi_0$. Moreover, if u and y are continuous to the right for all $t \geq 0$, then $\phi(t) \in D(C_\Lambda)$.

Assume that the system (Π) is in a loop, with the feedback law: $u(t) = Ky(t) + v(t)$ where K is the output feedback operator, i.e. $K \in L(O, U)$ and $v(\cdot)$ is a new input (Fig.1).

Definition 8 [19] Let $\tilde{G}(s)$ be a well - posed transfer function and $K \in L(O, U)$. K is an admissible output feedback operator for $\tilde{G}(s)$ if $I - K\tilde{G}(\cdot)$ is invertible on $H^\infty(L(U))$, i.e. there is $\alpha \in \mathbf{R}$ such that $I - K\tilde{G}(s)$ is invertible for all $s \in \mathbf{C}_\alpha$ and the inverse $(I - K\tilde{G}(s))^{-1}$ is analytic and uniformly bounded on \mathbf{C}_α .

Proposition 2 [19] Assume that the transfer G is regular and the feedthrough operator $D \in L(U, O)$ satisfies: $\lim_{\sigma \rightarrow +\infty} \sup_{\delta \in \mathbf{R}} \|G(\sigma + i\delta) - D\| = 0$. Then,

for all $K \in L(O, U)$, K is an admissible feedback operator iff $I - DK$ is invertible.

Assume that the open loop system (Π) is regular and K is an admissible output feedback operator such that the closed loop system (Π^K) is also regular. Then, the closed loop system (Π^K) is described by the system:

$$(\Pi^K) : \begin{cases} \dot{\phi}(t) &= A^K \phi(t) + B^K u(t), \\ y(t) &= C^K \phi(t) + D^K u(t), \\ \phi(0) &= \phi_0, \end{cases}$$

where: $D(A^K) = D(C_\Lambda)$, $C_\Lambda^K = (I - DK)^{-1}C_\Lambda$, $B^K = B(I - DK)^{-1}$,

$$\begin{cases} D(A^K) &= \{x \in D(C_\Lambda), (A + BK(I - DK)^{-1}C_\Lambda)x \in X\}, \\ A^K x &= (A + BK(I - DK)^{-1}C_\Lambda)x, \forall x \in D(A^K), \\ C^K x &= (I - DK)^{-1}C_\Lambda x, \forall x \in D(A^K). \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

Theorem 4 [19] If (Π) is regular, K admissible, $I - DK$ invertible, then (Π^K) is regular and

$$G^K(s) = (I - G(s)K)^{-1}G(s), D^K = (I - DK)^{-1}D. \quad (5)$$

Remark 1 [19], [21] If (Π) is observable and K is admissible, then (Π^K) is observable.

2 Main Result

In this chapter we work in the general theoretical frame. We consider the linear autonomous system, observed on the state space X , supposed to be a Hilbert space:

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\phi}(t) &= A\phi(t) \\ y(t) &= C\phi(t), \\ \phi(0) &= \phi_0 \end{cases} \quad (6)$$

where A is the generator of a C^0 group of unity operators on X , $C : X_1 \rightarrow O$ is a linear bounded operator, X_1 being the Banach space $D(A)$, endowed with the norm: $\|\varphi\|_{X_1} = \|(\beta I - A)\varphi\|_X$, with $\beta \in \rho(A) \cap \rho(-A)$.

The Hilbert spaces X and O are identified respectively with their topological duals, X' and O' . If X_{-1} is the topological dual of X_1 , the duality product on $X_1 \times X_{-1}$, denoted by $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{X_1 \times X_{-1}}$, is defined as the continuous extension of the inner product on X :

$$\langle \varphi, f \rangle_{X_1 \times X_{-1}} = \langle \varphi, f \rangle_X, \quad \forall \varphi \in X_1, f \in X.$$

We also have the following continuous and dense injections: $X_1 \subset X \subset X_{-1}$.
The dual space X_{-1} is also a Hilbert space with the induced norm:

$$\|\varphi\|_{X_{-1}} = \|(\beta I + A)^{-1}\varphi\|_X.$$

Moreover, $(\beta I - A) \in L(X_1, X)$ and $(\beta I + A) \in L(X, X_{-1})$ are isometric isomorphisms.

The group $(e^{tA})_{t \in \mathbf{R}}$ generated by A can be extended to a C^0 semigroup on X_{-1} . If C^* denotes the adjoint operator of C , then $C^* \in L(O, X_{-1})$.

We also suppose that (A, C) is exactly observable.

The observer proposed by us is described by the system:

$$\dot{\psi}(t) = [A - \kappa C^* C_\Lambda] \psi(t) + \kappa C^* y(t), \quad \kappa > 0, \psi(0) = \psi_0. \quad (7)$$

Let denote by $A^\kappa = A - \kappa C^* C_\Lambda$ and $\varepsilon(t) = \psi(t) - \phi(t)$.

Consider that the estimation error satisfies the evolution equation:

$$\dot{\varepsilon}(t) = A^\kappa \varepsilon(t) \quad , \kappa > 0, \varepsilon(0) = \varepsilon_0. \quad (8)$$

and the auxiliary system:

$$\dot{\Omega}(t) = A\Omega(t) + C^* v(t), \quad z(t) = C_\Lambda \Omega(t). \quad (9)$$

Definition 9 The observer (7) is said to be (exponentially) convergent or stable if (9) is regular and (8) is exponentially stable.

In the following we shall prove the main result:

Theorem 5 Let A be a generator of a C^0 group of unity operators on X . If (A, C^*, C) is regular and (A, C) is exactly observable, then the observer (7) has an unique solution on $C([0, \infty), X)$ for all $(\phi_0, \psi_0) \in X \times X$ and its state is exponentially convergent on X to the state of the system (6), for all $0 < \kappa < 1/K_{max}$. The observer (7) is exponentially instable if $\kappa > 1/K_{min}$, where:

$$K_{max} = \sup_{|C_\Lambda f|_O=1} \overline{\lim}_{\beta \in \mathbf{R}^+} \beta \|(\beta I - A)^{-1} C^* C_\Lambda f\|_X^2, \quad (10)$$

$$K_{min} = \inf_{|C_\Lambda f|_O=1} \underline{\lim}_{\beta \in \mathbf{R}^+} \beta \|(\beta I - A)^{-1} C^* C_\Lambda f\|_X^2. \quad (11)$$

Proof. For simplicity, we consider X as a real Hilbert space. The same results are true if X is a complex Hilbert space, after a slight modification of the proof.

Step I. We prove that the observer (7) admits an unique solution on $C([0, \infty), X)$.

By hypothesis, (A, C^*, C) is regular (with the null feedthrough operator).

Let $G(s)$ be the transfer function of (A, C^*, C_Λ) representing the auxiliary system (9).

By regularity, $G(s) = C_\Lambda(sI - A)^{-1}C^* \in H^\infty(\mathbf{C}_\alpha, L(O))$ for a certain $\alpha > 0$ and

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow +\infty} G(s)v = 0, \forall v \in O. \quad (12)$$

It also results that the feedthrough operator is null for the auxiliary system (9).

Definition 10 Let $\tilde{G}(s) : U \rightarrow U$ be a transfer function such that $\tilde{G} \in H^\infty(\mathbf{C}_0)$. $\tilde{G}(s)$ is said to be a real positive transfer function if $\tilde{G}(s) + \tilde{G}(s)^* \geq 0$ for all $s \in \mathbf{C}_0$.

Assertion 1 [24] The transfer function of the system (9) is real positive.

Assertion 2 If $\tilde{G}(s)$ is a real positive transfer function, then, for each $\kappa > 0$, the output feedback operator $K = -\kappa I$ is admissible for $\tilde{G}(s)$.

Proof of Assertion 2 It is known that [21]: if $cI + \tilde{G}(s)$ is a real positive transfer function for a certain $c \geq 0$, then, for any $k \in (0, 1/c)$, the operator $K = -kI$ is admissible for $\tilde{G}(s)$.

In particular, for $c = 0$ we obtain that $K = -kI$ is admissible for $\tilde{G}(s)$, $\forall k > 0$.

The assertion 1 is proved.

From Assertion 2 it results that any output feedback operator $K = -\kappa I$, $\kappa > 0$, is admissible.

From Theorem 4 it results that the closed loop system:

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\Omega}(t) &= [A - \kappa C^* C_\Lambda] \Omega(t) + \kappa \xi(t) \quad , \kappa > 0, \\ z(t) &= C_\Lambda \Omega(t). \end{cases} \quad (13)$$

obtained by the feedback $v(t) = Kz(t) + \kappa \xi(t)$ is also regular, with the null feedthrough.

If $\xi(t) = y(t)$, the closed loop system (13) is the observer (7). From Theorem 3 and (4), it results that A^κ is the generator of a C^0 closed loop semigroup and is defined by:

$$\begin{cases} D(A^\kappa) &= \{\varphi \in D(C_\Lambda) / (A - \kappa C^* C_\Lambda)\varphi \in X\} \\ A^\kappa \varphi &= (A - \kappa C^* C_\Lambda)\varphi, \quad \forall \varphi \in D(A^\kappa) \end{cases} \quad (14)$$

Moreover, the system (7) is regular, and $\forall(\phi_0, \psi_0) \in X \times X, y \in L_{loc}^2([0, \infty), O), \psi \in C([0, \infty), X)$, with $\psi(t) = e^{tA\kappa}\psi_0 + \kappa \int_0^t e^{(t-\tau)A\kappa} C^* C_\Lambda e^{\tau A} \phi_0 d\tau$.

The first step is completed.

Step II. *The error estimation.*

Assertion 3 For any $\varepsilon(0) \in D(A^\kappa)$, the solution of the system satisfies the equalities:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \|\varepsilon(t)\|_X^2 &= \langle A^\kappa \varepsilon(t), \varepsilon(t) \rangle_X & (15) \\ &= -\kappa \|C_\Lambda \varepsilon(t)\|_O^2 + \lim_{\beta \rightarrow +\infty} \kappa^2 \beta \|R(\beta, A) C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_X^2 & (16) \end{aligned}$$

Proof of Assertion 3 The identity (15) can be easily obtained.

To prove (16), remember that $\forall \lambda \in \rho(A)$, $R(\lambda, A)$ is an isomorphism from X to X_{-1} ; $R(\lambda, A)$ commutes with A on $D(A)$ and:

$$\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \lambda R(\lambda, A)x = x, \quad \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \lambda R(\lambda, -A)x = x \quad \forall x \in X. \quad (17)$$

Let fix $\beta \in \rho(A) \cap \mathbf{R}^+$. Then:

$$\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon = R(\beta, A) [\beta \varepsilon - A^\kappa \varepsilon] \in D(A), \quad \forall \varepsilon \in D(A^\kappa) \Leftrightarrow$$

$$A^\kappa \varepsilon = A [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon] - \beta R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon, \quad \forall \varepsilon \in D(A^\kappa).$$

Passing to the inner product on X , we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle A^\kappa \varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X &= \langle A [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon], \varepsilon \rangle_X - \langle \beta R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X = \\ &= \langle A [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon], [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon] - R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon \rangle_X - \\ &\quad - \langle \beta R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X = \\ &= \langle A [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon], [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon] \rangle_X - \\ &\quad - \langle A [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon], R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon \rangle_X - \langle \beta R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X \end{aligned}$$

Since A is anti - adjoint, the first term in the right - hand side is null, so

$$\begin{aligned} \langle A^\kappa \varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X &= - \langle A [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon], R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon \rangle_X \\ &\quad - \langle \beta R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X. \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

By (17), and since A is anti-adjoint on X we obtain,

$$\begin{aligned} &- \langle A [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon], R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon \rangle_X = \\ &= - \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle A [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon], \lambda R(\lambda, A) R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon \rangle_X = \\ &= \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon], -\lambda A R(\lambda, A) R(\beta, A)\kappa C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon \rangle_X. \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

A commutes with $R(\lambda, A)$. Therefore:

$$-\lambda AR(\lambda, A)R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon = -\lambda R(\lambda, A)[AR(\beta, A)]\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon.$$

From the identity $(\beta I - A)R(\beta, A) = I$, it results:

$$AR(\beta, A) = -I + \beta R(\beta, A). \quad (20)$$

From (20), (19) we deduce that:

$$\begin{aligned} & -\langle A[\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon], -R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_X \\ = & \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle [\varepsilon + R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon], -\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \\ & + \beta R(\beta, A)\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_X. \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

Also,

$$-\langle \beta R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X = -\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle \beta R(\beta, A)\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X. \quad (22)$$

Replacing (22), (21) in (18), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \langle A^\kappa\varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X & = \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle \varepsilon, -\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_X + \\ & + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon, -\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_X + \\ & + \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon, \beta R(\beta, A)\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_X \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

The limits in (23) exist and are finite. Indeed,

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle \varepsilon, -\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_X \\ = & -\kappa \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle C\lambda R(\lambda, -A)\varepsilon, C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_O = -\kappa \|C_\Lambda\varepsilon\|_O^2, \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon, -\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_X \\ = & -\kappa^2 \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle C\lambda R(\lambda, -A)R(\beta, A)C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon, C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_O \\ = & -\kappa^2 \langle G(\beta)C_\Lambda\varepsilon, C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_O, \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow +\infty} \langle R(\beta, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon, \beta R(\beta, A)\lambda R(\lambda, A)\kappa C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon \rangle_X \\ = & \kappa^2\beta \|R(\beta, A)C^*C_\Lambda\varepsilon\|_X^2. \end{aligned} \quad (26)$$

From (23)–(26) we obtain the following identity, $\forall \varepsilon \in D(A^\kappa)$:

$$\langle A^\kappa \varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X = -\kappa \|C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_O^2 - \kappa^2 \langle G(\beta)C_\Lambda \varepsilon, C_\Lambda \varepsilon \rangle_O + \kappa^2 \beta \|R(\beta, A)C^*C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_X^2. \quad (27)$$

Since (27) is true for all $\beta \in \rho(A) \cap \mathbf{R}^+$, passing to the limit when $\beta \rightarrow +\infty$, and using (12), (27) can be written as:

$$\langle A^\kappa \varepsilon, \varepsilon \rangle_X = -\kappa \|C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_O^2 + \lim_{\beta \rightarrow +\infty} \kappa^2 \beta \|R(\beta, A)C^*C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_X^2. \quad (28)$$

The proof of Assertion 3 is complete.

Assertion 4 *The errors are exponentially stable if $0 < \kappa < 1/K_{max}$.*

Proof of Assertion 4 From Proposition 1, $\sqrt{\beta} \|R(\beta, A)C^*C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_{L(O, X)}$ is uniformly bounded for all $\beta > 0$. So, the K_{max} is well defined. On the other hand, by (10):

$$\lim_{\beta \rightarrow +\infty} \kappa^2 \beta \|R(\beta, A)C^*C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_X^2 \leq \kappa^2 K_{max} \|C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_O^2. \quad (29)$$

From (29) and (16), we obtain:

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \|\varepsilon(t)\|_X^2 \leq -\kappa(1 - \kappa K_{max}) \|C_\Lambda \varepsilon\|_O^2 \quad \forall \varepsilon \in D(A^\kappa) \Rightarrow$$

$$\|\varepsilon(t)\|_X^2 \leq \|\varepsilon_0\|_X^2 - 2\kappa(1 - \kappa K_{max}) \int_0^t \|C_\Lambda \varepsilon(\tau)\|_O^2 d\tau, \forall t \geq 0. \quad (30)$$

Since the open loop system is exactly observable, the system (8) is also exactly observable, from Remark 1. By (1), it results that there are $\tilde{\tau}_0 > 0$ and $\tilde{m} > 0$ such that:

$$\int_0^{\tilde{\tau}_0} \|C_\Lambda \varepsilon(t)\|_O^2 dt \geq \frac{\tilde{m}}{2\kappa} \|\varepsilon_0\|_X^2. \quad (31)$$

From (31) and (30), we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \|\varepsilon(\tilde{\tau}_0)\|_X^2 &\leq [1 - \tilde{m}(1 - \kappa K_{max})] \|\varepsilon_0\|_X^2 \Rightarrow \\ \|e^{\tilde{\tau}_0 A^\kappa} \varepsilon_0\|_X^2 &\leq (1 - \tilde{m}) \|\varepsilon_0\|_X^2, \forall \varepsilon_0 \in D(A^\kappa), \end{aligned} \quad (32)$$

where $\tilde{m} = \tilde{m}(1 - \kappa K_{max})$.

From the semigroup properties it results that:

$$\|\varepsilon(t)\|_X^2 \leq m e^{-rt},$$

where

$$\|\varepsilon_0\|_X^2, m = \sup_{t \in [0, \tilde{\tau}_0]} \|e^{tA^\kappa}\|, r = \tilde{\tau}_0^{-1} \ln[(1 - \tilde{m})^{-1}].$$

So, the error estimation exponentially tends to 0 on X for all $0 < \kappa < 1/K_{max}$.
The proof of Assertion 4 is complete.

Assertion 5 *The errors are exponentially unstable if $\kappa > 1/K_{min}$.*

Proof of Assertion 5. From (11) it results that:

$$\lim_{\beta \rightarrow +\infty} \kappa^2 \beta \| R(\beta, A) C^* C_\Lambda \varepsilon \|_X^2 \geq \kappa^2 K_{min} \| C_\Lambda \varepsilon \|_O^2 .$$

By (16) we obtain:

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \| \varepsilon(t) \|_X^2 \geq \kappa(\kappa K_{min} - 1) \| C_\Lambda \varepsilon(t) \|_O^2 . \quad (33)$$

Using (31) on (33), it results that:

$$\| \varepsilon(\tilde{\tau}_0) \|_X^2 \geq \left\{ 1 + \tilde{m}(\kappa K_{min} - 1) \right\} \| \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 ,$$

so

$$\| \varepsilon(\tilde{\tau}_0) \|_X^2 \geq \left(1 + \tilde{m}' \right) \| \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2, \tilde{m}' = \tilde{m}(\kappa K_{min} - 1). \quad (34)$$

$\tilde{m}' > 0$ if $\kappa > 1/K_{min}$. If $t \geq 0$, then $t = n\tilde{\tau}_0 + \theta$, where $\theta \in [0, \tilde{\tau}_0)$. Using (34) and the semi - group property, we find:

$$\| e^{tA^\kappa} \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 \geq \left(1 + \tilde{m}' \right)^n \| e^{\theta A^\kappa} \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 . \quad (35)$$

Using (34), it results that:

$$\left(1 + \tilde{m}' \right) \| \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 \leq \| e^{\tilde{\tau}_0 A^\kappa} \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 \leq \tilde{K} \| e^{\theta A^\kappa} \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 ,$$

where $\tilde{K} = \sup_{t \in [0, \tilde{\tau}_0]} |e^{tA^\kappa}|_{L(X)}^2$. So,

$$\| e^{\theta A^\kappa} \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 \geq \left(1 + \tilde{m}' \right) / \tilde{K} \| \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2$$

and from (35):

$$\| e^{tA^\kappa} \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 \geq \tilde{K}^{-1} \left(1 + \tilde{m}' \right)^{n+1} \| \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 \geq \tilde{K}^{-1} e^{t \ln(1+\tilde{m}')/\tilde{\tau}_0} \| \varepsilon_0 \|_X^2 .$$

We conclude that $\| e^{tA^\kappa} \varepsilon_0 \|_X$ is exponentially increasing to infinity when $t \rightarrow \infty$.

□

Remark 2 The upper limit and K_{max} are finite, since (A, C^*) is a well-posed control system. The K_{min} is also finite.

If $f \in D(A)$, the lower and upper limits are equal (see (15)). In this case, the conclusion of Theorem 5 remains true, replacing K_{max} and K_{min} by:

$$K_{max} = \kappa^{-1} + \kappa^{-2} \sup_{f \in D(A^\kappa), |C_\Lambda f|_O=1} \langle A^\kappa f, f \rangle,$$

$$K_{min} = \kappa^{-1} + \kappa^{-2} \inf_{f \in D(A^\kappa), |C_\Lambda f|_O=1} \langle A^\kappa f, f \rangle.$$

Note that K_{max} and K_{min} don't depend on κ (see the proof of (15)).

Remark 3 Generally, it is not true that $K_{max} = K_{min} = 0$. To prove this assertion, we consider an example from [21]. Consider the system described by the following equations of partial derivatives on $X = L^2(0, 1)$:

$$\begin{cases} W_t = W_x \\ W(0, t) = W(1, t) \\ W(x, 0) = W^0(x) \end{cases} \quad (36)$$

with the observation

$$y(t) = W(0, t). \quad (37)$$

The operator $A = \partial_x$ with its corresponding domain of definition is the generator of a C_0 semigroup on X . The observation space is $O = \mathbf{R}$. The observator of the observation $C : X_1 \rightarrow O$ is such that $Cf = f(0)$. It can be proved that (A, C) is admissible and exactly observable. Moreover, (A, C^*, C) is regular. By Theorem 5, the Luenberger observer proposed here is governed by the following equation of partial derivatives:

$$\begin{cases} \Omega_t = \Omega_x \\ \Omega(1, t) = \Omega(0, t) - \kappa [\Omega(t, 0) - W(0, t)] \\ \Omega(x, 0) = \Omega^0(x). \end{cases} \quad (38)$$

It is not difficult to prove that $K_{max} = K_{min} = 1/2$. So, the error of the Luenberger observer, $\epsilon = \Omega - W$, converges to zero if $0 < \kappa < 2$ and it diverges if $\kappa > 2$.

3 Conclusion

In this article we built some observers and we found the limits for its exponentially stability, respectively instability. I was also proved that that limits can not be equal to zero, in concordance with the results of [9].

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