

Compositional Features and Neural Network Complexity for Dynamical Systems

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Control and dynamical systems

Modeling: $\mathbf{f}: \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{\mathbf{r}} \to \mathbb{R}^{\mathbf{d}}$

Feedback Control $\ \mathbf{u}:\mathbf{x}\in\mathbb{R}^{\mathbf{d}}
ightarrow\mathbb{R}^{\mathbf{m}}$

Stability $V: \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d \to \mathbb{R}$

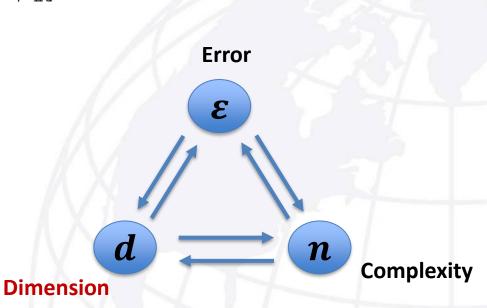
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Regression

 $f: \mathbb{R}^d \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$

 $f^{NN} \approx f$?

What's the big deal?

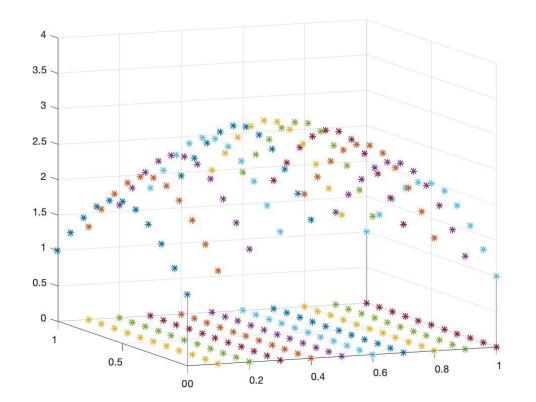




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Dataset Size = N^d



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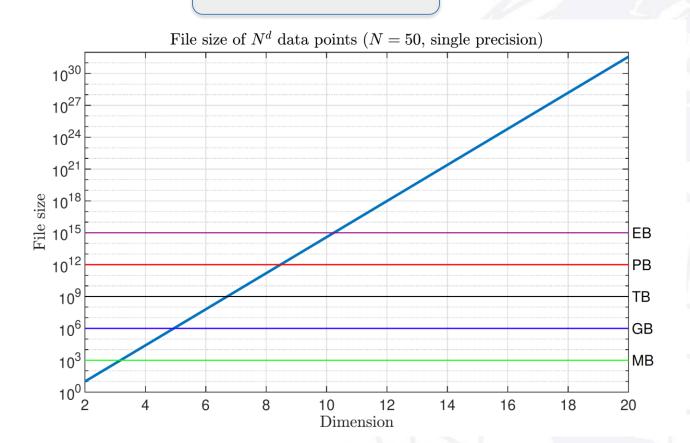
- * Dynamic programming
- * Curse of dimensionality
- * HJB equation

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Empirical successes of machine learning Solving high dimensional problems

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Some examples of dynamical systems

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$$(d=6, 30 \sim 10^6, 10^{30})$$

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We combine the raw NN prediction (13) with the LQR value function (8) for the linearized dynamics (7) as

(d=64)
$$V^{\text{NN}}(x) = \frac{1}{c} \log [1 + cV^{\text{LQR}}(x)] + W^{\text{NN}}(x), \quad (14)$$

(d=30)

with a trainable parameter c > 0. Intuitively, LQR provides a

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Why does deep learning work for so many high dimensional problems?



Approximation theory -

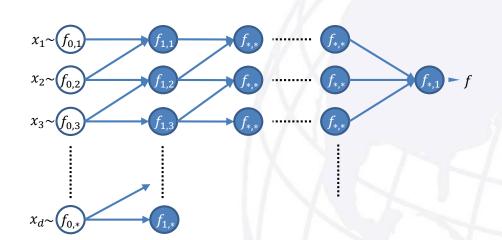
Rate of convergence, error upper bound, complexity,

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Compositional function as a layered DAG

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Layered directed acyclic graph (layered DAG)



Observation: It is widely observed in science and engineering that complicated and high dimensional input-output information relations can be represented as compositions of functions with low input dimensions.

EI: A large electrical grid in North America. A simplified model has more than 25K buses, 28K lines, 8K transformers, and over 1,000 generators.



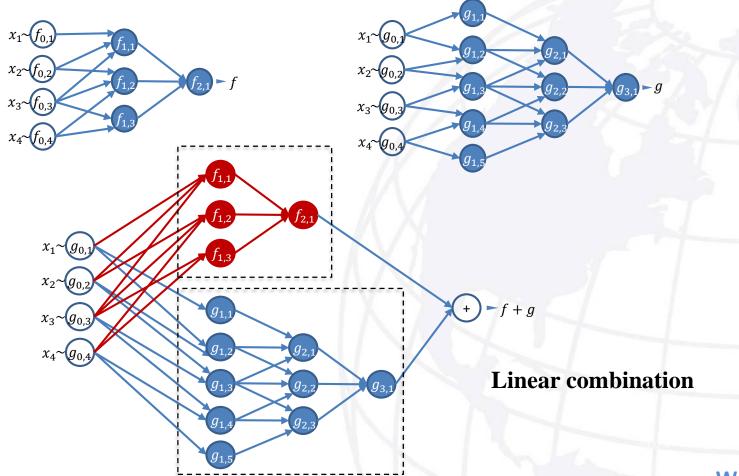


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The swing equation of power systems

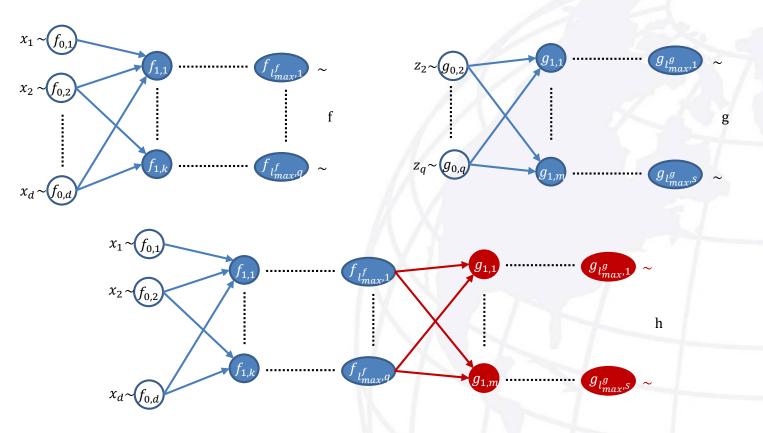


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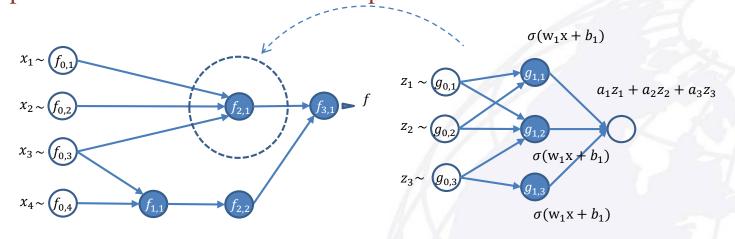


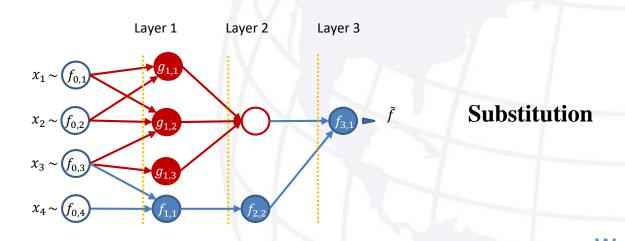
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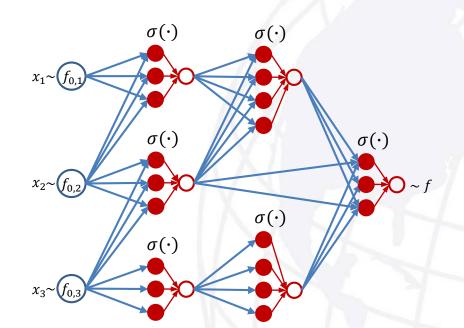






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Neural networks are compositional functions



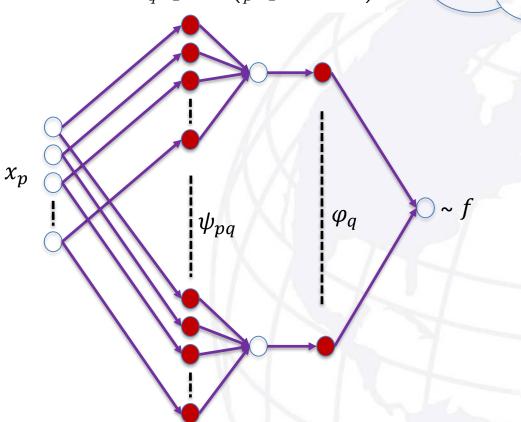


Iterative computational algorithms are (deep) compositional functions.

Kolmogorov-Arnold representation theorem

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_d) = \sum_{q=1}^{2d+1} \phi_q \left(\sum_{p=1}^d \psi_{pq}(x_p) \right)$$

Every continuous function is a layered DAG





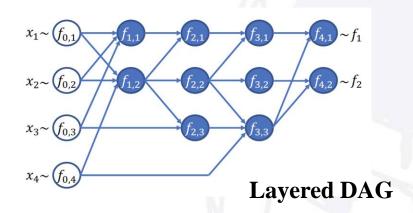
Compositional features

Dimension feature: $r_{max}^{\mathbf{f}}$ - the largest $d_{i,j}/m_{i,j}$

Volume feature: $\Lambda^{\mathbf{f}}$ – the largest $\max\{(R_{i,j})^{m_{i,j}}, 1\} \|f_{i,j}\|_{W_{m_{i,j},d_{i,j}}^{\infty}}$

Lipschitz constant feature: $L_{max}^{\mathbf{f}}$ - the largest $|L_{i,j}|$

Complexity feature: $|\mathcal{V}_G^{\mathbf{f}}|$ - the total number of nodes





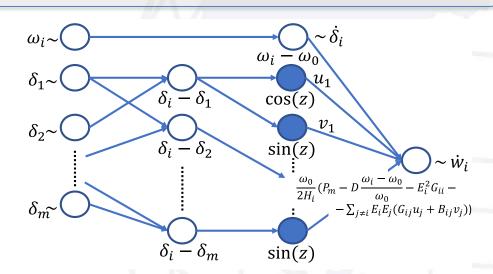
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Compositional features

$$r_{max} = 1, \quad \Lambda = 4\pi, \quad |\mathcal{V}| = 2(N_g - 1)N_g,$$

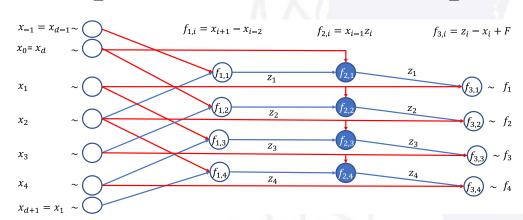
$$L_{max} = \max_{1 \leq i,j \leq N_g, i \neq j} \left\{ \frac{\omega_0}{2H_i} E_i E_j G_{ij}, \frac{\omega_0}{2H_i} E_i E_j B_{ij} \right\}$$





The Lorenz-96 model

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} x_0(x_2 - x_{-1}) - x_1 + F \\ x_1(x_3 - x_0) - x_2 + F \\ \vdots \\ x_{i-1}(x_{i+1} - x_{i-2}) - x_i + F \\ \vdots \\ x_{d-1}(x_{d+1} - x_{d-2}) - x_d + F \end{bmatrix}$$

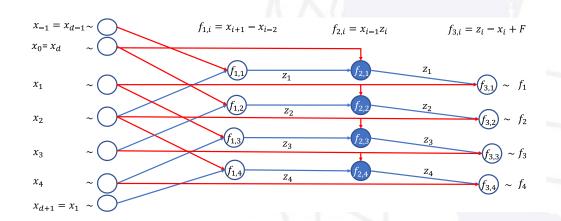




The Lorenz-96 model

$$r_{max} = 2, \quad \Lambda = \max\{(2R), 1\}(2R + 4R^2),$$

 $L_{max} = 1, \quad |\mathcal{V}| = d$







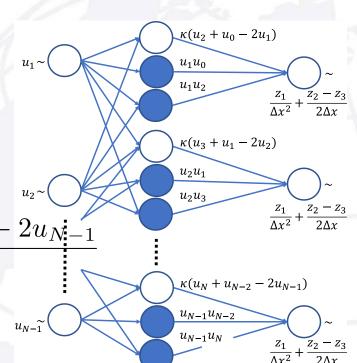
Discretization of PDEs

$$\dot{u}_1 = -u_1 \frac{u_2 - u_0}{2\Delta x} + \kappa \frac{u_2 + u_0 - 2u_1}{\Delta x^2}$$

$$\dot{u}_2 = -u_2 \frac{u_3 - u_1}{2\Delta x} + \kappa \frac{u_3 + u_1 - 2u_2}{\Delta x^2}$$

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$$\dot{u}_{N-1} = -u_{N-1} \frac{u_N - u_{N-2}}{2\Delta x} + \kappa \frac{u_N + u_{N-2} - 2u_{N-1}}{\Delta x^2}$$



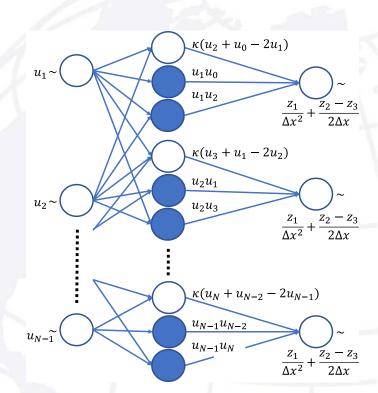




Discretization of PDEs

$$r_{max} = 2, \Lambda = \frac{1}{2}R^2 + R,$$

$$L_{max} = \frac{N}{L}, |\mathcal{V}_G| = 2N.$$

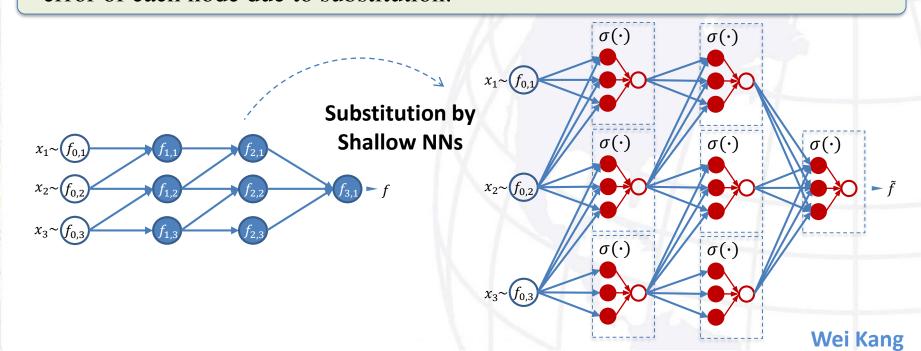


Error propagation - substitution

Theorem Under smoothness assumptions, the neural network approximation error is bounded by

$$\left\| \tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\boldsymbol{x}) - \mathbf{f}(\boldsymbol{x}) \right\|_p \le \sum_{i,j=1}^K L_{i,j}^{\mathbf{f}} \epsilon_{i,j}, \text{ for all } \boldsymbol{x} \text{ in the domain of } \mathbf{f}.$$

where $L_{i,j}$ is the Lipschitz constant associated with the node $f_{i,j}$, $\epsilon_{i,j}$ is the error of each node due to substitution.

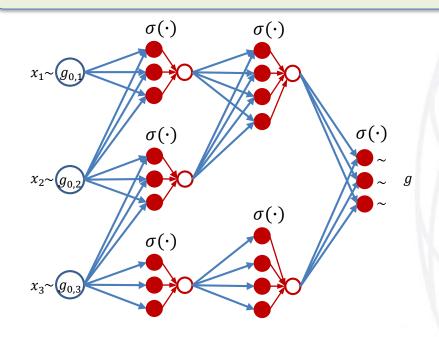


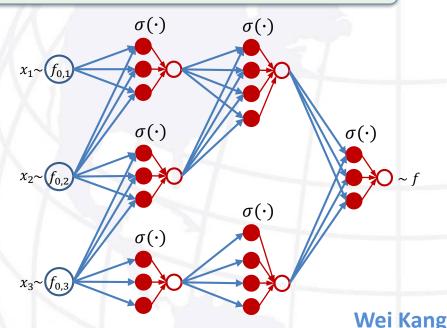
Error propagation - composition

Proposition Let $\tilde{\mathbf{f}}$, $\tilde{\mathbf{g}}$ and $\tilde{\mathbf{h}}$ be approximations of $\tilde{\mathbf{f}}$, $\tilde{\mathbf{g}}$ and $\tilde{\mathbf{h}}$ with errors bounded by ϵ_1 , ϵ_2 and ϵ_3 , respectively. Then

$$\left\| (\mathbf{f}(\cdot))^K \circ \mathbf{g}(\boldsymbol{x}) - (\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\cdot))^K \circ \tilde{\mathbf{g}}(\boldsymbol{x}) \right\|_p \le \frac{(L^{\mathbf{f}})^K - 1}{L^{\mathbf{f}} - 1} e_1 + (L^{\mathbf{f}})^K e_2.$$

$$\left\| \mathbf{h} \circ (\mathbf{f}(\cdot))^K (\boldsymbol{x}) - \tilde{\mathbf{h}} \circ (\tilde{\mathbf{f}}(\cdot))^K (\boldsymbol{x}) \right\|_p \le L^{\mathbf{h}} \frac{(L^{\mathbf{f}})^K - 1}{L^{\mathbf{f}} - 1} e_1 + e_3.$$





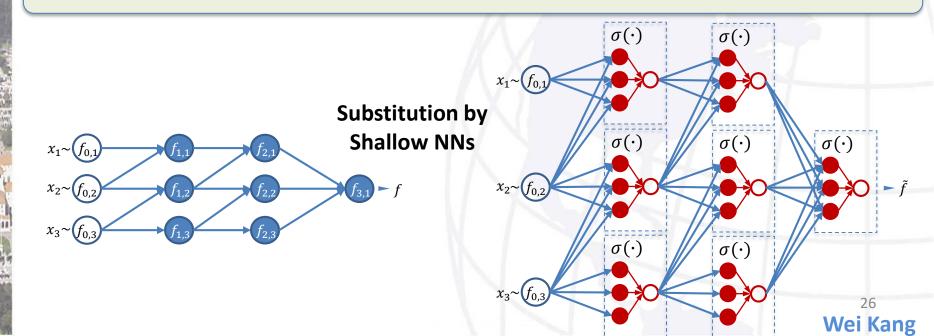


Theorem Assume all nodes of a compositional function, \mathbf{f} , are C^1 . For any integer $n_{width} > 0$, there exists a neural network, \mathbf{f}^{NN} , that has the following error upper bound,

$$\|\mathbf{f}(\boldsymbol{x}) - \mathbf{f}^{NN}(\boldsymbol{x})\|_{p} \le C_{1} L_{max}^{\mathbf{f}} \Lambda^{\mathbf{f}} |\mathcal{V}_{G}^{\mathbf{f}}| (n_{width})^{-1/r_{max}^{\mathbf{f}}}, \text{ for all } \boldsymbol{x} \in [-R, R]^{d},$$

where C_1 is a constant determined by $\{d_{i,j}, m_{i,j}; f_{i,j} \in \mathcal{V}_G^{\mathbf{f}}\}$. The complexity of \mathbf{f}^{NN} is

$$n \leq |\mathcal{V}_G^{\mathbf{f}}| n_{width}.$$





Trajectory of ODE

ODE

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{x}} = \mathbf{f}(\boldsymbol{x}), \ \boldsymbol{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d, t \in [0, T]$$

Trajectory

$$x(0) = x$$

 $t \to \phi(t; x)$

Theorem Under C^1 assumption, for any $\epsilon > 0$, there exists a neural network approximation, ϕ^{NN} , satisfying

$$||\phi(T; \boldsymbol{x}) - \phi^{NN}(\boldsymbol{x})||_p \le \epsilon, \ \boldsymbol{x} \in D^{\mathbf{f}}.$$

The complexity of ϕ^{NN} is bounded by

$$n \le C\epsilon^{-(r^{\mathbf{f}}+1)}$$

where C is a polynomial function of the compositional features of \mathbf{f} .



Optimal control

The problem of optimal control

$$\left\{egin{array}{l} \min_{U}J=\Psi(oldsymbol{x}(T)), & oldsymbol{x}\in\mathbb{R}^d \ \dot{oldsymbol{x}}=\mathbf{f}(oldsymbol{x},oldsymbol{u}), & oldsymbol{u}\in\mathbb{R}^q, \end{array}
ight.$$

Zero-order hold control

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}(t_0)^T & \mathbf{u}(t_1)^T & \cdots & \mathbf{u}(t_{N_t}) \end{bmatrix}$$

Trajectory and terminal state

$$\boldsymbol{x}(T) = \boldsymbol{\phi}(T; \boldsymbol{x}_0, U)$$

Cost function

$$J = \Psi \circ \phi(T; \boldsymbol{x}_0, U)$$

Theorem Under convexity and C^1 assumptions, for any $\epsilon > 0$ there exists a neural network approximation of the optimal control satisfying

$$||U^{*NN}(\boldsymbol{x}) - U^*(\boldsymbol{x})||_2 \le 3\epsilon, \ \boldsymbol{x} \in D.$$

The complexity of U^{*NN} is bounded by

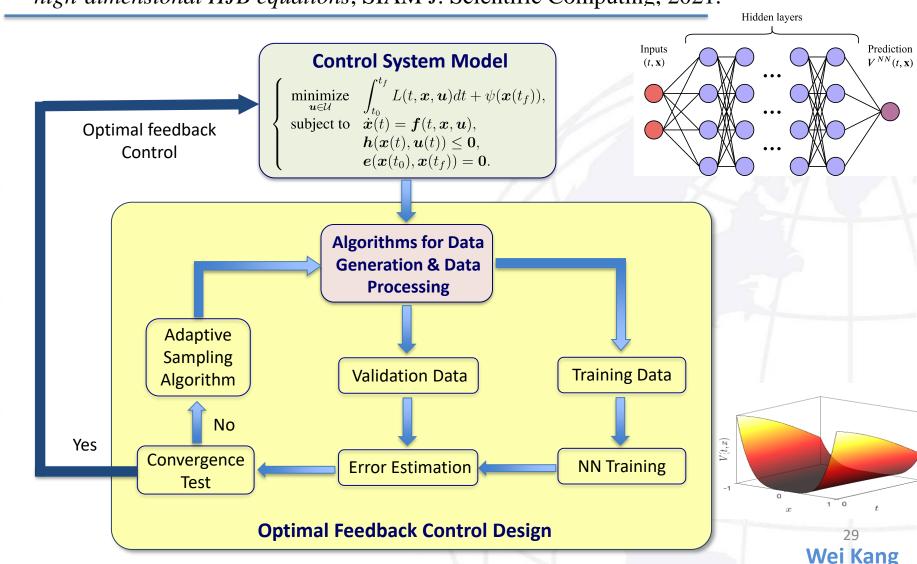
$$n < C\epsilon^{-(4r+1+\frac{4r}{r_{max}^{\mathbf{f}}})}$$

where $r = \max\{r_{max}^{\mathbf{f}}, r_{max}^{\Psi}\}$, C is a polynomial function of the compositional features of \mathbf{f} , Ψ , and the Hessian matrix of the cost function.



A model-based data-driven approach

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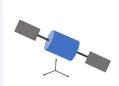
Example - rigid body optimal control

Problem formulation

$$\left\{egin{aligned} \min_{oldsymbol{u}(\cdot)} \int_0^{t_f} L(oldsymbol{v}, oldsymbol{\omega}, oldsymbol{u}) d au + rac{W_4}{2} \|oldsymbol{v}(t_f)\|^2 + rac{W_5}{2} \|oldsymbol{\omega}(t_f)\|^2, \ \dot{oldsymbol{v}} = oldsymbol{E}(oldsymbol{v}) oldsymbol{\omega}, \ oldsymbol{J} \dot{oldsymbol{\omega}} = oldsymbol{S}(oldsymbol{\omega}) oldsymbol{R}(oldsymbol{v}) oldsymbol{h} + oldsymbol{B} oldsymbol{u}. \end{aligned}
ight.$$

State variables:

$$oldsymbol{v} = egin{pmatrix} \phi & heta & \psi \end{pmatrix}^T & ext{Euler angles} \ oldsymbol{\omega} = egin{pmatrix} \omega_1 & \omega_2 & \omega_3 \end{pmatrix}^T & ext{angular velocity} \end{cases}$$



Running cost and weights:

$$L(\boldsymbol{v}, \boldsymbol{\omega}, \boldsymbol{u}) = \frac{W_1}{2} \|\boldsymbol{v}\|^2 + \frac{W_2}{2} \|\boldsymbol{\omega}\|^2 + \frac{W_3}{2} \|\boldsymbol{u}\|^2,$$

$$W_1 = 1, W_2 = 10, W_3 = 0.5, W_4 = 1, W_5 = 1, t_f = 20.$$

Matrices

$$E(\boldsymbol{v}) := \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \sin\phi \tan\theta & \cos\phi \tan\theta \\ 0 & \cos\phi & -\sin\phi \\ 0 & \sin\phi/\cos\theta & \cos\phi/\cos\theta \end{pmatrix}, \quad \boldsymbol{S}(\boldsymbol{\omega}) := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \omega_3 & -\omega_2 \\ -\omega_3 & 0 & \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 & -\omega_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\boldsymbol{R}(\boldsymbol{v}) := \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta \cos\psi & \cos\theta \sin\psi & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\phi \sin\theta \cos\psi - \cos\phi \sin\psi & \sin\phi \sin\phi + \cos\phi \cos\psi & \cos\theta \sin\phi \\ \cos\phi \sin\theta \cos\psi + \sin\phi \sin\psi & \cos\phi \sin\phi + \sin\phi \cos\psi & \cos\theta \cos\phi \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\boldsymbol{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1/20 & 1/10 \\ 1/15 & 1 & 1/10 \\ 1/10 & 1/15 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \boldsymbol{J} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \boldsymbol{h} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$



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HJB equation and feedback law

Define the Hamiltonian

$$H(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{\lambda}, \boldsymbol{u}) = L(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{u}) + \boldsymbol{\lambda}^T \boldsymbol{f}(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{u})$$

Solve the HJB equation to find the optimal feedback law

$$\begin{cases} V_t(t, \boldsymbol{x}) + \min_{\boldsymbol{u} \in \mathcal{U}} H(t, \boldsymbol{x}, V_{\boldsymbol{x}}, \boldsymbol{u}) = 0, \\ V(t_f, \boldsymbol{x}) = \psi(\boldsymbol{x}), \end{cases}$$

$$u^*(t, x) = \underset{u \in \mathcal{U}}{\operatorname{arg min}} H(t, x, V_x, u).$$

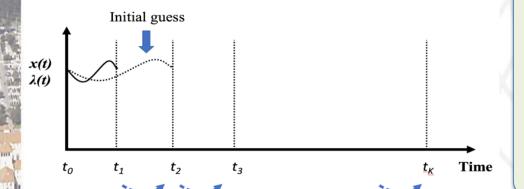


Data generation

Time-marching

Pontryagin's maximum principle

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\boldsymbol{x}}(t) = \boldsymbol{f}(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{u}^*), & \boldsymbol{x}(0) = \boldsymbol{x}_0, \\ \dot{\boldsymbol{\lambda}}(t) = -H_{\boldsymbol{x}}(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{\lambda}, \boldsymbol{u}^*), & \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t_f) = F_{\boldsymbol{x}}(\boldsymbol{x}(t_f)), \\ \dot{v}(t) = -L(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{u}^*), & v(t_f) = F(\boldsymbol{x}(t_f)). \end{cases}$$
 where $\boldsymbol{u}^* = \operatorname*{arg\ min}_{\boldsymbol{u}} H(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{\lambda}, \boldsymbol{u})$



- 1. Choose a partition of $[t_0, t_f]$, $t_0 < t_1 < t_2 < \cdots < t_K = t_f$.
- 2. In $[t_0, t_1]$, solve the TPBVP, $(\boldsymbol{x}^1(t), \boldsymbol{\lambda}^1(t))$.
- 3. Extending the trajectory to $[t_0, t_2]$, $\boldsymbol{x}_0^2(t) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \boldsymbol{x}^1(t), & \text{if } t_0 \leq t \leq t_1, \\ \boldsymbol{x}^1(t_1), & \text{if } t_1 < t \leq t_2, \end{array} \right.$ $\boldsymbol{\lambda}_0^2(t)$ is similarly defined.
- 4. $(\boldsymbol{x}_0^2(t), \boldsymbol{\lambda}_0^2(t))$ is used as an initial guess to solve the TPBVP over $[0, t_2]$.
- 5. Repeating the process until $t_K = t_f$.



Data generation

Neural network warm start

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\boldsymbol{x}}(t) = \boldsymbol{f}(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{u}^*), & \boldsymbol{x}(0) = \boldsymbol{x}_0, \\ \dot{\boldsymbol{\lambda}}(t) = -H_{\boldsymbol{x}}(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{\lambda}, \boldsymbol{u}^*), & \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t_f) = F_{\boldsymbol{x}}(\boldsymbol{x}(t_f)), \\ \dot{v}(t) = -L(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{u}^*), & v(t_f) = F(\boldsymbol{x}(t_f)). \end{cases}$$
 where $\boldsymbol{u}^* = \underset{\boldsymbol{u}}{\operatorname{arg min}} H(t, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{\lambda}, \boldsymbol{u})$

- 1. Generate a first data set without initial guess (time-marching).
- 2. Train a neural network $V^{NN}(t, \boldsymbol{x})$.
- 3. Generate more data using warm start $\lambda_0(t) = V_{\boldsymbol{x}}^{NN}(t, \boldsymbol{x}).$

Time-marching method

K	% BVP convergence	mean integration time
1	0.3%	0.37 s
2	38.7%	0.44 s
3	76.2%	0.40 s
4	92.9%	0.45 s
8	98.4%	0.53 s

Neural network warm start

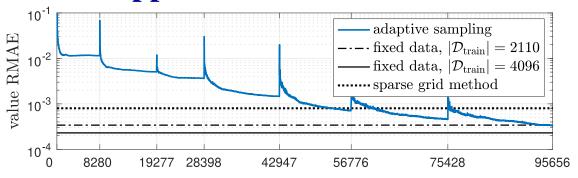
μ	% BVP convergence	mean integration time
0	90%	0.44 s
10^{-3}	99.6%	0.41 s
10^{1}	100%	0.40 s

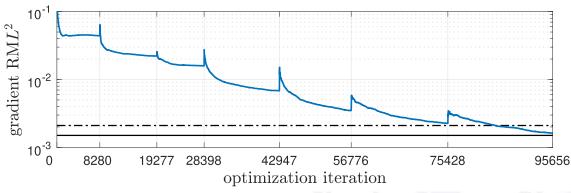


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Neural network approximation of value function





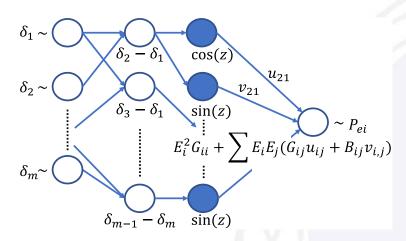
- Gradient loss weight $\mu = 10$; tolerance $\epsilon = 0.1$
- Training data set updated adaptively
- The final adaptive data set has 2110 points



Power system stability

Power system electric air-gap torque

$$(\mathbf{P}_e)_i = E_i^2 G_{ii} + \sum_{j=1, j \neq i} E_i E_j (G_{ij} \cos(\delta_i - \delta_j) + B_{ij} \sin(\delta_i - \delta_j)), \quad 1 \le i \le m,$$



$$\begin{split} \mathbf{r_{max}} &= \mathbf{1}, \\ \mathbf{\Lambda} &= \mathbf{4}\pi, \\ |\mathcal{V}| &= \mathbf{2}(\mathbf{N_g} - \mathbf{1})\mathbf{N_g}, \\ \mathbf{L_{max}} &= \max_{\mathbf{1} \leq \mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j} \leq \mathbf{N_g}, \mathbf{i} \neq \mathbf{j}} \left\{ \frac{\omega_0}{2\mathbf{H_i}} \mathbf{E_i} \mathbf{E_j} \mathbf{G_{ij}}, \frac{\omega_0}{2\mathbf{H_i}} \mathbf{E_i} \mathbf{E_j} \mathbf{B_{ij}} \right\} \end{split}$$





Power system domain of attraction

Theorem: Let $\mathcal{R} \subset \mathbb{R}^{2N_g}$ be a bounded set. Then, there exists a solution, $V(\mathbf{x})$, to Zubov's equation (a special Lyapunov function that characterizes the domain of attraction) and a neural network, $V^{NN}(\mathbf{x})$, that has n^{NN} hyperbolic tangent neurons. They satisfy

$$\left| V^{NN}(\mathbf{x}) - V(\mathbf{x}) \right| < (C_1 N_g^2 + C_2) \frac{N_g}{\sqrt{n^{NN}}}$$

for $x \in \mathcal{R}$, where C_1 and C_2 are constants independent of N_q .



Power system stability

New England 10-generator 39-bus power system

Characterization of the domain of attraction

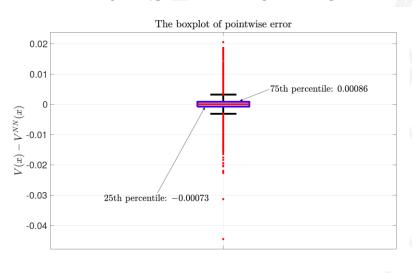
-- Neural network approximation of Zubov's equation

Activation: hyperbolic tangent

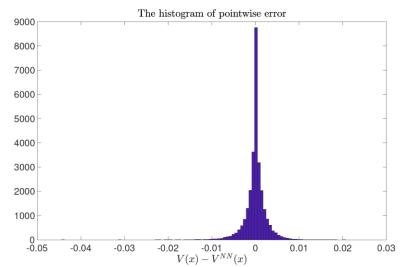
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Error: $RMSE = 2.0 \times 10^{-3}$











Future work

A lot more questions than answers

- The compositional features of nonsmooth problems, ReLU activation?
- How does compositional structure help to improve NN design and training?
- How does compositional structure help to validate a result, empirical risk vs population risk, L₂-norm vs infinity norm?
- Applications to dynamical systems (space dimension >5)
 - Deep filter and data assimilation (observability in unobservable systems)
 - Output regulation and FBI equation
 - Control Lyapunov function
 - Optimal control and viscosity solutions
 - Reachable set of control systems
 - The boundary of domain of attraction



Problems appropriate for ML

THANK YOU



Problems appropriate for ML

What makes a good problem for machine learning?

- > The overall problem does not have tractable solution.
 And
- You have access to lots of data.And
- > The problem does not require highly accurate numerical solution (such as machine precision).

Give machine learning a try.



Deep learning for dynamics and control



High dimension (not in normal form)

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Real-time



Curse-of-dimensionality

Performance associated with PDEs

- ☐ HJB equation optimal control
- ☐ HJI equation differential game
- ☐ FBI equation output regulation
- ☐ Zakai equation optimal estimation
- ☐ Zubov's equation the boundary of domain of attraction