

# Semidefinite Characterization of Invariant Measures for Polynomial Systems

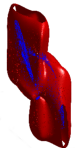
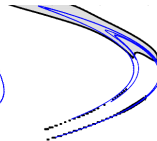
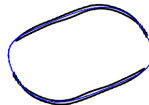
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# Invariant Measures

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# Problem statement

- Polynomial transition map

$$\mathbf{x} \mapsto f(\mathbf{x}) := (f^1(\mathbf{x}), \dots, f^n(\mathbf{x})) \in \mathbb{R}^n[\mathbf{x}]$$

- Semialgebraic state constraints

$$\mathbf{X} := \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n : g_1(\mathbf{x}) \geq 0, \dots, g_l(\mathbf{x}) \geq 0\}$$



- Discrete-time systems:

$$\mathbf{x}_{t+1} = f(\mathbf{x}_t), \quad \mathbf{x}_t \in \mathbf{X}, \quad t \in \mathbb{N}$$

or **Continuous**-time systems:

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = f(\mathbf{x}), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{X}, \quad t \in [0, \infty)$$

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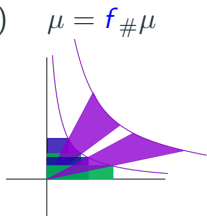
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Squeeze mapping:  $(x, y) \mapsto f(x, y) := (ax, y/a)$

$$\mathbf{X} := [0, 1]^2$$

$$\lambda_{\mathbf{X}} = f_{\#} \lambda_{\mathbf{X}}$$



## The Problem

How to characterize the *invariant measures*?

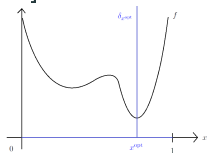
- Determine **long term dynamical behaviors**.
  - Numerical **integration** under some initial conditions  
→ Resulting trajectory could exhibit chaotic behaviors!
  - Alternative: approximate the *densities* directly.
- **Subdivision** techniques [Dellnitz et al 1997, Aston-Junge 2014]
- **Markov chain** based approximation of dynamical behavior. GAIO [Dellnitz-Froyland-Junge 2001]
- **Multilevel** subdivision scheme for uncertain ODEs [Dellnitz-Hohmann-Ziessler 2017]



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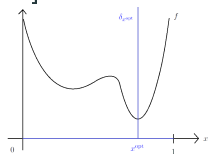
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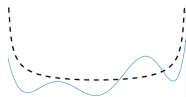
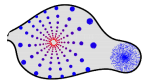
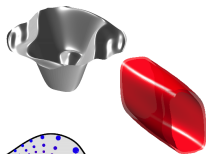


↪ Regions of attraction [Henrion-Korda 14]

↪ Maximum invariants [Korda et al 13]

↪ Reachable sets [Magron et al 17]

↪ Invariant 1D densities [Henrion 2012]



- **Extension** of Lasserre's hierarchy of semidefinite relaxations  
     $\rightsquigarrow$  no time/space discretization required.
- Approximate **as close as desired**:
  - Invariant densities.
  - Support of singular invariant measures.
- Relies on a hierarchy of **finite-dimensional** SDPs.

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Invariant Densities

Singular Invariant Measures

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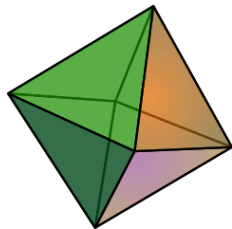
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# SDP for Polynomial Optimization

- Prove polynomial inequalities with SDP:

$$f(a, b) := a^2 - 2ab + b^2 \geq 0 .$$

- Find  $\mathbf{z}$  s.t.  $f(a, b) = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} a & b \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 & z_2 \\ z_2 & z_3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}}_{\succeq 0}$ .

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- $\begin{pmatrix} z_1 & z_2 \\ z_2 & z_3 \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{\mathbf{F}_1} z_1 + \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{\mathbf{F}_2} z_2 + \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}_{\mathbf{F}_3} z_3 \succeq \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{\mathbf{F}_0}$

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- Choose a cost  $\mathbf{c}$  e.g.  $(1, 0, 1)$  and solve:

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- Solution  $\begin{pmatrix} z_1 & z_2 \\ z_2 & z_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \succeq 0$  (eigenvalues 0 and 2)

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- Solving **SDP**  $\implies$  Finding **Sums of Squares** certificates

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- Bounded degree:

$$\mathcal{Q}_r(\mathbf{X}) := \left\{ \sigma_0 + \sum_{j=1}^l \sigma_j g_j, \text{ with } \deg \sigma_j g_j \leq 2r \right\}$$

- Hierarchy of SDP relaxations:

$$m_r := \sup_m \left\{ m : f - m \in \mathcal{Q}_r(\mathbf{X}) \right\}$$

- Convergence guarantees  $m_r \uparrow f^*$  [Lasserre 01]
- Can be computed with SDP solvers (csdp, sdpa)
- “No Free Lunch” Rule:  $\binom{n+2r}{n}$  SDP variables
- Extension to semialgebraic functions  
 $\rightsquigarrow r(\mathbf{x}) = p(\mathbf{x})/\sqrt{q(\mathbf{x})}$  [Lasserre-Putinar 10]



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- Let  $(\mathbf{x}^\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n}$  be the monomial basis

## Definition

A sequence  $\mathbf{z}$  has a representing measure on  $\mathbf{X}$  if there exists a finite measure  $\mu$  supported on  $\mathbf{X}$  such that

$$z_\alpha = \int_{\mathbf{X}} \mathbf{x}^\alpha \mu(d\mathbf{x}), \quad \forall \alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n.$$

# Primal-dual Moment-SOS [Lasserre 01]

- $\mathcal{M}_+(\mathbf{X})$ : space of probability measures supported on  $\mathbf{X}$
- $\mathcal{Q}(\mathbf{X})$ : quadratic module

## Polynomial Optimization Problems (POP)

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{(Primal)} & \text{(Dual)} \\ \inf \int_{\mathbf{X}} f d\mu & = \sup m \\ \text{s.t. } \mu \in \mathcal{M}_+(\mathbf{X}) & \text{s.t. } m \in \mathbb{R}, \\ & f - m \in \mathcal{Q}(\mathbf{X}) \end{array}$$

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- Finite moment sequences  $\mathbf{z}$  of measures in  $\mathcal{M}_+(\mathbf{X})$
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s.t. $\mathbf{M}_{r-r_j}(g_j \mathbf{z}) \succcurlyeq 0, \quad 0 \leq j \leq l,$		s.t. $m \in \mathbb{R},$
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$\mu \ll \lambda \implies \exists$  measurable  $h$  with  $d\mu = h d\lambda$

Notation abuse  $\|\mu\|_p = \|h\|_p = (\int_{\mathbf{X}} |h(\mathbf{x})|^p d\mathbf{x})^{1/p}$ , for  $p \geq 1$

Compute or approximate  $h \in L_p(\mathbf{X})$  ?



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## Theorem ([Yosida]+ [Riesz-Haviland ])

Let  $\mathbf{y} = (y_{\alpha})$  TFAE:

- (i)  $\mathbf{y}$  is represented by  $\mu \in L_p(\mathbf{X})$  with  $\|\mu\|_p \leq \gamma < \infty$  for some  $\gamma \geq 0$ .
- (ii)  $\exists \gamma \geq 0$  s.t.  $\forall g \in \mathbb{R}[\mathbf{x}]$ :

$$|l_{\mathbf{y}}(g)| \leq \gamma l_{\mathbf{z}}(|g|^q)^{1/q}$$

and  $l_{\mathbf{y}}(g) \geq 0$  for all  $g \in \mathbb{R}[\mathbf{x}]$  nonnegative on  $\mathbf{X}$ .

## Invariant Densities in $L_2(\mathbf{X})$

When  $p = q = 2$ , we rewrite  $|\ell_{\mathbf{y}}(g)| \leq \gamma \ell_{\mathbf{z}}(|g|^q)^{1/q}$ :

$$\mathbf{C}_2^r(\mathbf{y}) := \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{M}_r(\mathbf{z}) & \mathbf{y} \\ \mathbf{y}^T & \gamma^2 \end{pmatrix} \succeq 0, \quad \forall r \in \mathbb{N}.$$

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$$\mathbf{C}_\infty^r(\mathbf{y}) := \gamma \mathbf{M}_r(\mathbf{z}) - \mathbf{M}_r(\mathbf{y}) \succeq 0 \quad \forall r \in \mathbb{N}.$$

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$\exists!$  invariant prob. meas.  $\mu_{ac} \in L_p(\mathbf{X}) \implies$  CONIC (1) has the unique optimal solution  $\mu_{ac}^* := \rho_{ac}^* \mu_{ac}$ .

💡 Invariant density  $\mu \implies \gamma = 1$  ok!

## A Hierarchy of SDP Relaxations

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_{ac}^r &:= \sup_{\mathbf{y}} y_0 \\ \text{s.t. } & \mathcal{I}_{\mathbf{y}}(\mathbf{x}^\alpha) = 0, \quad \forall \alpha \in \mathbb{N}_{2r}^n, \\ & \mathbf{C}_p^r(\mathbf{y}) \succeq 0, \\ & \mathbf{M}_{r-r_j}(\mathbf{g}_j \mathbf{y}) \succeq 0, \quad j = 0, \dots, l. \end{aligned}$$

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## Theorem

- **Existence** of an optimal solution  $\mathbf{y}^r$ .
- **Convergence:**

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow +\infty} \mathbf{y}_\alpha^r = \mathbf{y}_\alpha^*, \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow +\infty} \rho_{ac}^r = \rho_{ac}^*,$$

and  $\mathbf{y}^*$  is the moment sequence of the invariant measure  $\mu_{ac}$ .



# Approximations of Invariant Densities in $L_2(\mathbf{X})$

Define  $h^r \in \mathbb{R}_{2r}[\mathbf{x}]$  with coefficient vector

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**Proof.**

💡  $\mathbf{X}$  compact  $\implies \mathbb{R}[\mathbf{x}]$  dense in  $L_2(\mathbf{X})$

$\implies \exists (u^r) \subset \mathbb{R}[\mathbf{x}]$  with  $\|u^r - h^*\|_2 \rightarrow 0$

💡  $h^r$  optimal solution for  $\min_u \|u - h^*\|_2$  □

# Numerical Experiments I

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## Extension to Piecewise Polynomial Systems

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}_{t+1} &= f_i(\mathbf{x}_t) \quad \text{for } \mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{X}_i, \quad i \in I, \quad t \in \mathbb{N}, \\ \dot{\mathbf{x}} &= f_i(\mathbf{x}) \quad \text{for } \mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{X}_i, \quad i \in I, \quad t \in [0, \infty). \end{aligned}$$

- Use the piecewise structure of the dynamics  $f_i$ .
- Decompose the **global** invariant  $\mu = \sum_{i \in I} \mu_i$  with **local**  $\mu_i \in \mathcal{M}_+(\mathbf{X}_i)$  invariant w.r.t.  $f_i$

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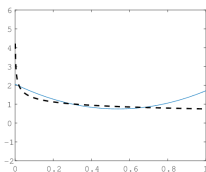
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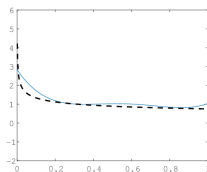
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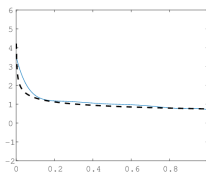
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Approximation  $h_2^r$  (solid) of exact density  $h^*$  (dashed)

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$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 &= x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -x_1 \end{cases} \quad (x_1, x_2) \in \mathbf{X} := \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2 : \|\mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq 1\}.$$

- $\lambda_{\mathbf{x}}$  is invariant.

*Proof.* Use Green-Ostrogradski's formula.

- Result: for  $r = 2, p = \infty$ , we obtain  $h_p^r(\mathbf{x}) = 1 = h^*(\mathbf{x})$ .

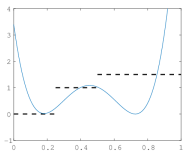


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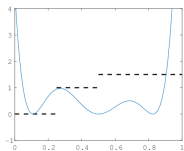
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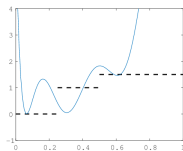
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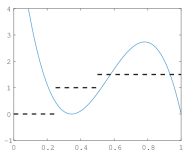
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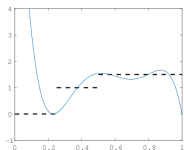
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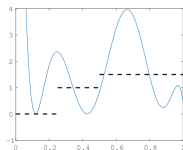
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Approximation  $h_r^p$  of exact density  $h^* = \mathbf{1}_{[\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}]} + \frac{3}{2}\mathbf{1}_{[\frac{1}{2}, 1]}$

# Singular Invariant Measures

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# Infinite-Dimensional LP Formulation

💡 We know the **moments** of  $\lambda_{\mathbf{X}}$ , unknown  $\mu$  is **invariant** proba.

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_{\text{sing}}^* &= \sup_{\mu, \nu, \hat{\nu}, \psi} \int_{\mathbf{X}} \nu \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & \int_{\mathbf{X}} \mu = 1, \quad \mathcal{L}_f(\mu) = 0, \\ & \nu + \psi = \mu, \quad \nu + \hat{\nu} = \lambda_{\mathbf{X}}, \\ & \mu, \nu, \hat{\nu}, \psi \in \mathcal{M}_+(\mathbf{X}). \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

## Theorem

$\exists!$  invariant prob. meas.  $\mu_{\text{sing}}^* \implies$  LP (2) has the unique optimal solution  $(\mu_{\text{sing}}^*, 0, \lambda_{\mathbf{X}}, \mu_{\text{sing}}^*)$  and  $\rho_{\text{sing}}^* = 0$ .

# A Hierarchy of SDPs

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_{\text{sing}}^r &:= \sup_{\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}, \hat{\mathbf{v}}, \mathbf{y}} v_0 \\ \text{s.t. } & u_0 = 1, \quad \mathcal{J}_{\mathbf{u}}(\mathbf{x}^\alpha) = 0, \quad \forall \alpha \in \mathbb{N}_{2r}^n, \\ & v_\alpha + y_\alpha = u_\alpha, \quad v_\alpha + \hat{v}_\alpha = z_\alpha, \quad \forall \alpha \in \mathbb{N}_{2r}^n, \\ & \mathbf{M}_{r-r_j}(\mathbf{g}_j \mathbf{u}), \mathbf{M}_{r-r_j}(\mathbf{g}_j \mathbf{v}) \succeq 0, \quad j = 0, \dots, l, \\ & \mathbf{M}_{r-r_j}(\mathbf{g}_j \hat{\mathbf{v}}), \mathbf{M}_{r-r_j}(\mathbf{g}_j \mathbf{y}) \succeq 0, \quad j = 0, \dots, l. \end{aligned}$$

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- *Convergence:*

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow +\infty} u_\alpha^r = u_\alpha^*, \quad \lim_{r \rightarrow +\infty} \rho_{\text{sing}}^r = \rho_{\text{sing}}^*,$$

and  $\mathbf{u}^*$  is the moment sequence of the invariant measure  $\mu_{\text{sing}}^*$ .

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## Numerical experiments II

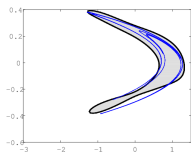
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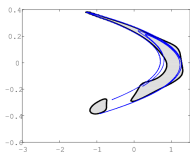
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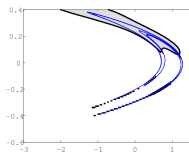
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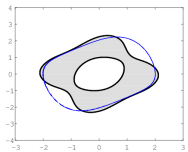
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Hénon attractor (blue) and support approximations  $\mathbf{S}^r$  (light gray)  
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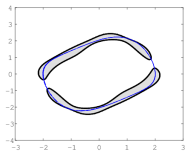
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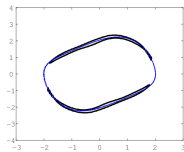
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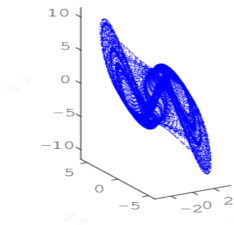
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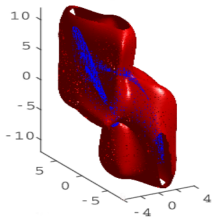
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Attractor



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# Conclusion and Perspectives

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# Conclusion

- 2 methods to characterize invariant measures:
  1. Approximate invariant densities in  $L_2$  and  $L_\infty$   
 $\implies$  **strong convergence**:  $\|h^* - h^r\|_2 \rightarrow 0$
  2. Approximate support **S** of singular measures with Christoffel  
 $\implies$  **sup dist convergence**:  $\sup_{S^r} \text{dist}(x, \mathbf{S}) \rightarrow 0$
- $\rightsquigarrow$  Extension to piecewise polynomial systems.

- Exploit sparsity or symmetry for large size systems.
- Improve accuracy of results:
  - Alternative bases: Chebyshev or rational functions
  - Ill-conditioning nature of the moment matrix
- **Open Question:** Extension of Hausdorff convergence of Christoffel [Lasserre-Pauwels 2017] to singular measures?