





Passive Reconstruction of Non-Target-Specific Discrete-Time LTI Systems

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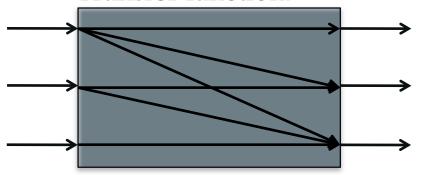
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- Three common system representations:
 - Transfer function
 - State space model
 - Dynamical structure function (linear dynamical graphs)

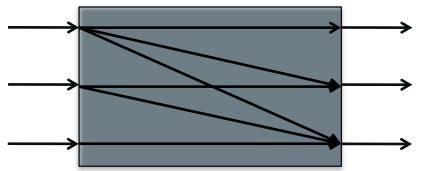
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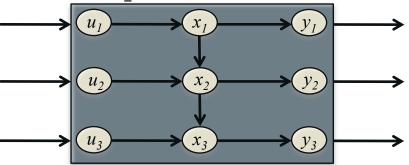
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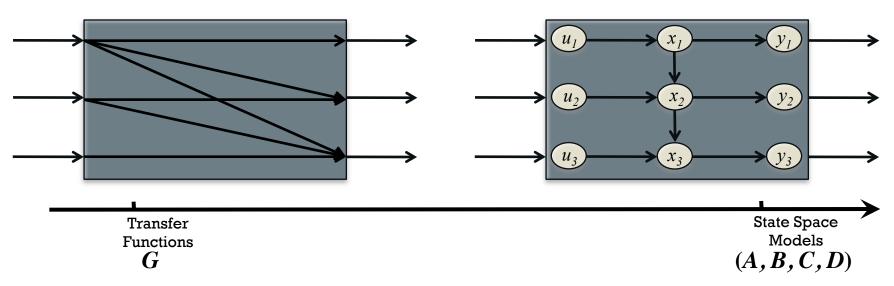
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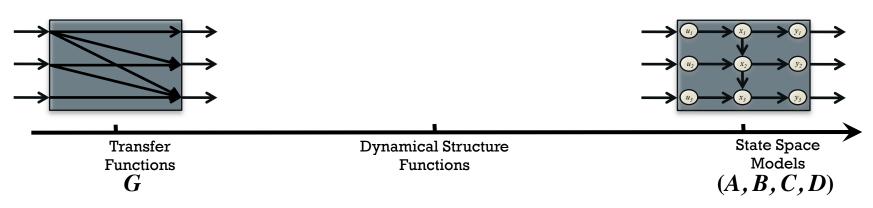
Computational Structure

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1[k+1] \\ x_2[k+1] \\ x_3[k+1] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -.5 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & .5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1[k] \\ x_2[k] \\ x_3[k] \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1[k] \\ u_2[k] \\ u_3[k] \end{bmatrix}$$

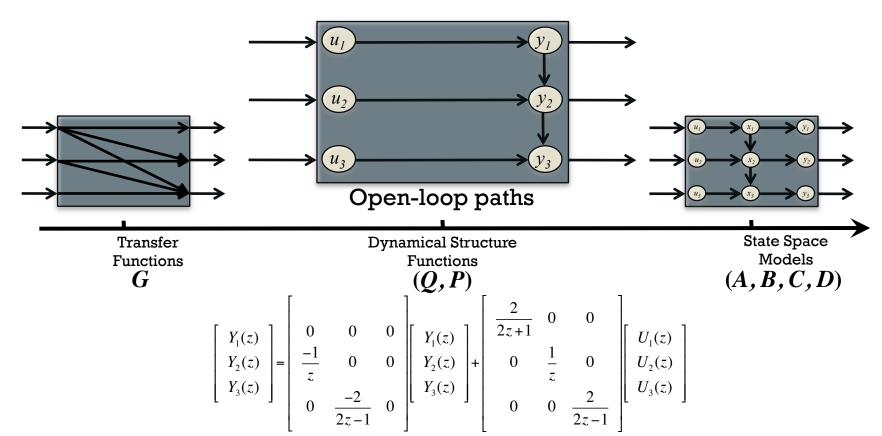
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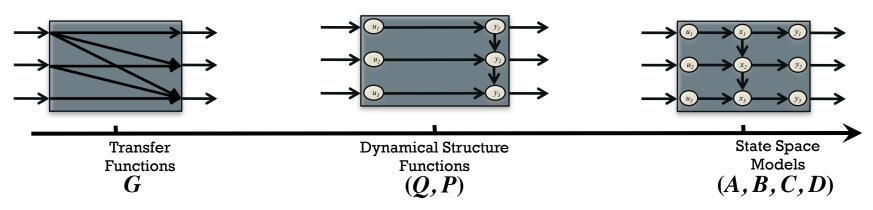


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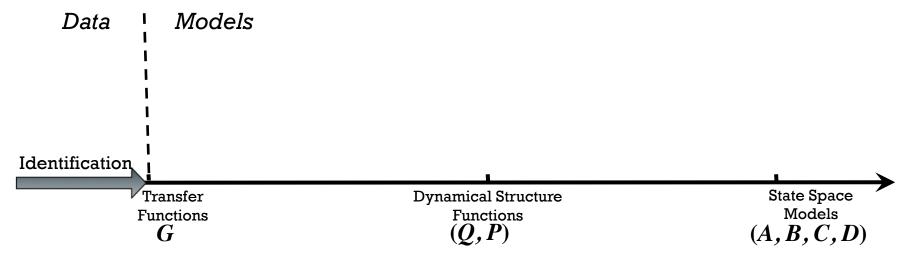


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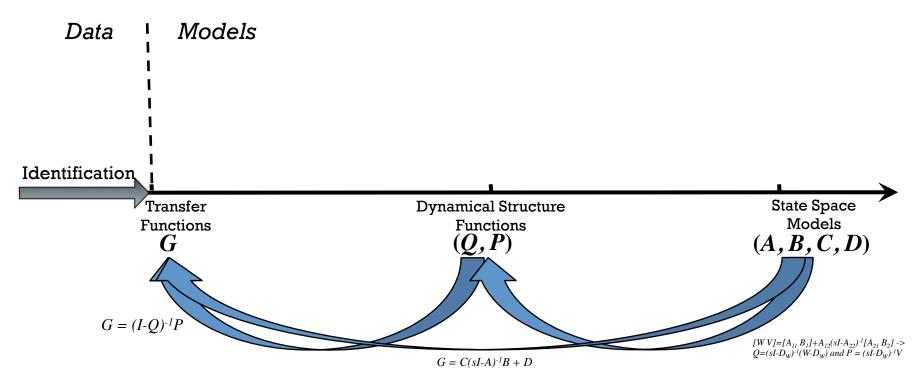
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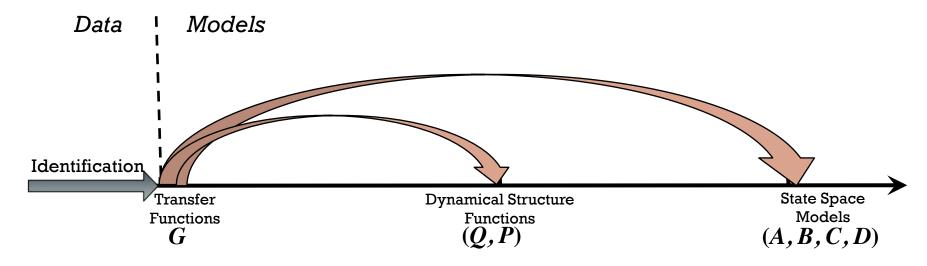
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Derivations of Less Informative Models



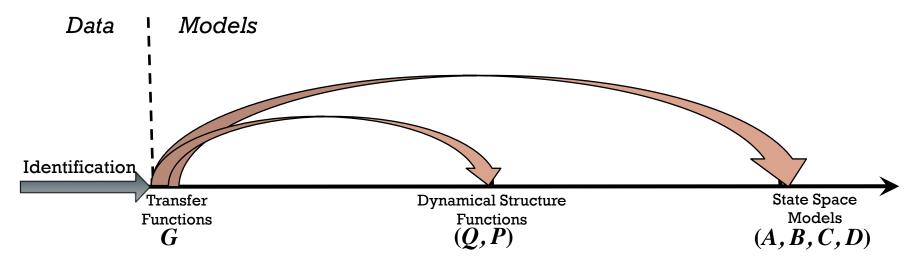
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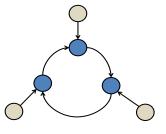
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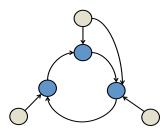
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- Extra information beyond input-output data is required

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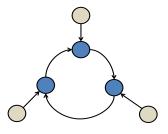
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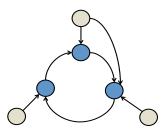
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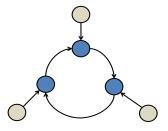


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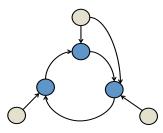
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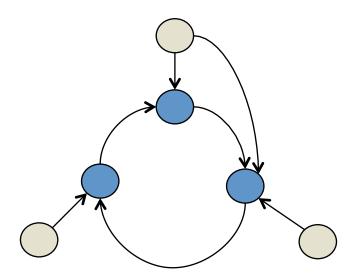
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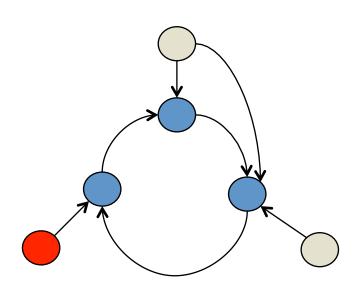
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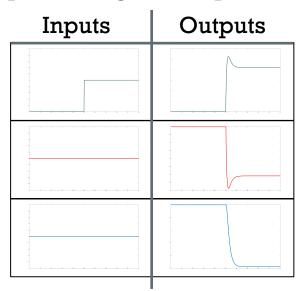
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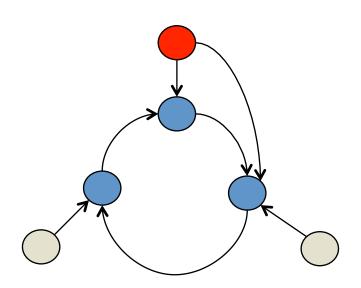
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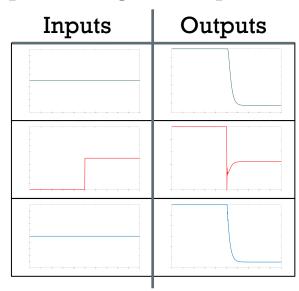




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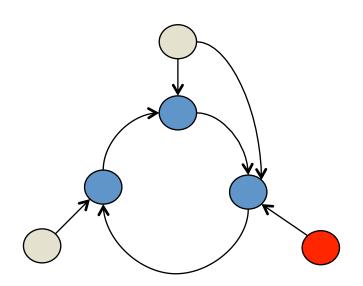
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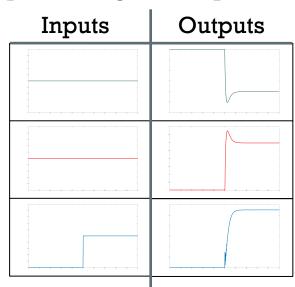




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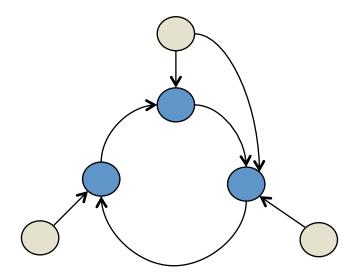


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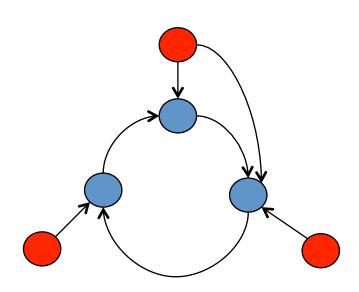
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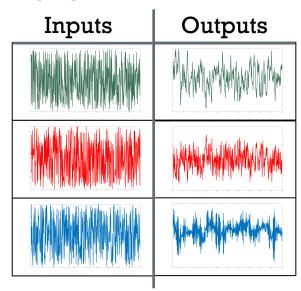
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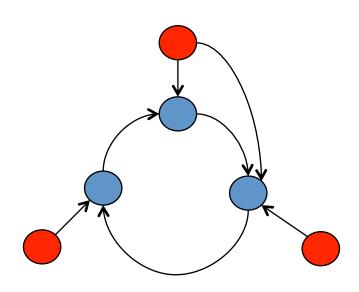
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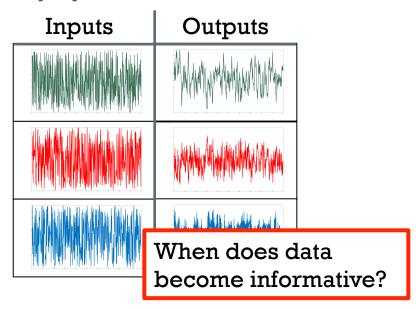




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- Overview:
 - Time domain representation
 - Necessary and sufficient conditions in time domain
 - Network reconstruction in time domain

Frequency Domain Representation

■ Dynamical structure function defined in the frequency domain

$$Y(z) = Q(z)Y(z) + P(z)U(z)$$

*Time Domain: Convolution Representation

■ Take the inverse Z-transform of

$$Y(z) = Q(z)Y(z) + P(z)U(z)$$

to get the convolution representation

$$y[k] = Q[k] * y[k] + P[k] * u[k]$$

which can be rewritten as

$$\overline{y}_r = \overline{Q}_r \overline{y}_r + \overline{P}_r \overline{u}_r$$

⁺ Time Domain: Toeplitz Representation

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where

$$\bar{Q}_r = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ Q[1] & \ddots & & & \\ Q[2] & Q[1] & \ddots & & \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \\ Q[r] & & \ddots & \ddots & \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\overline{W}_r = \begin{bmatrix}
y[1]^T & y[2]^T & \dots & y[r]^T
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$$\overline{u}_r = \begin{bmatrix}
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Stability: $r \to \infty \Rightarrow Q[r] \to 0 \land P[r] \to 0$

*Reconstruction Process

- Learn the Toeplitz Representation
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- Determine the Frequency Domain Dynamical Structure Function

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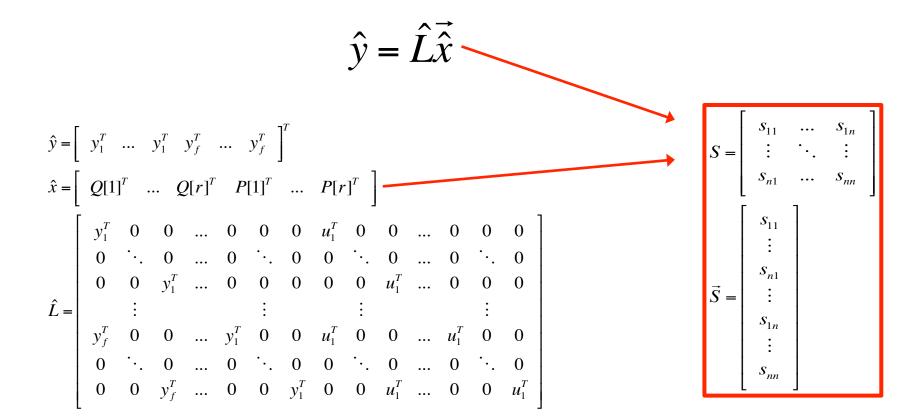
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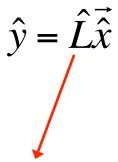
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$$\hat{L} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1^T & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 & u_1^T & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 & \dots & 0 & \ddots & 0 & 0 & \ddots & 0 & \dots & 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & y_1^T & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & u_1^T & \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & & \vdots & & & \vdots & & & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ y_f^T & 0 & 0 & \dots & y_1^T & 0 & 0 & u_1^T & 0 & 0 & \dots & u_1^T & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 & \dots & 0 & \ddots & 0 & 0 & \ddots & 0 & \dots & 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & y_f^T & \dots & 0 & 0 & y_1^T & 0 & 0 & u_1^T & \dots & 0 & 0 & u_1^T \end{bmatrix}$$





Does not have full column rank, requires a priori information to ensure a unique solution

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where

- T_I is a priori information about how to reduce Q(z) given Q(z)
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$$x = T_1 \alpha \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \end{bmatrix} = T_1 q_1 \Rightarrow T_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Vectorizing the unknowns requires

$$\hat{T} = \begin{bmatrix} T_1 & \dots & 0 & T_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & T_1 & 0 & \dots & T_2 \\ T_3 & \dots & 0 & T_4 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & T_3 & 0 & \dots & T_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\hat{x}} = \hat{T}\hat{\alpha}$$

$$\hat{y} = \hat{L}\hat{\hat{x}}$$

$$\hat{y} = \hat{L}\hat{T}\hat{\alpha}$$

$$\hat{y} = \hat{M}\hat{\alpha}$$

- Theorem 1: Given a system characterized by the transfer function G(z), its dynamical structure function (Q(z), P(z)) can be identified in the time domain if and only if
 - $\hat{M} = \hat{L}\hat{T}$ is injective, i.e. $\hat{y} \in \Re(\hat{M})$ and $rank(\hat{M}) = kr$
 - r chosen sufficiently large.

*Calculating the Convolution Representation

■ Theorem 2: ... the entries of [the convolution representation of the dynamical structure function (Q(z), P(z))] have the form:

$$a\delta_{t,0} + \sum_{i=0}^{w} b_i(c_i)^t$$

where w is the number of delays in the corresponding link.

Determining the Dynamical Structure Function

■ Given the convolution representation of the system, we can take its Z-transform to get the dynamical structure function

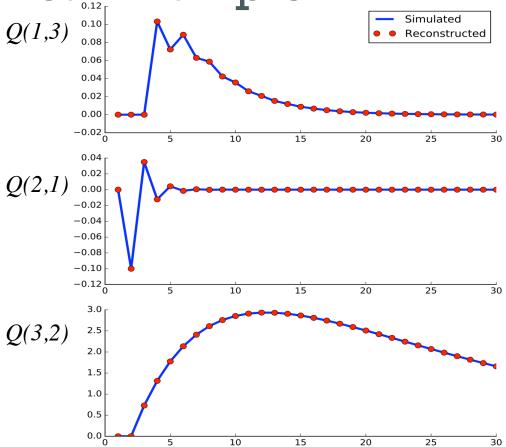
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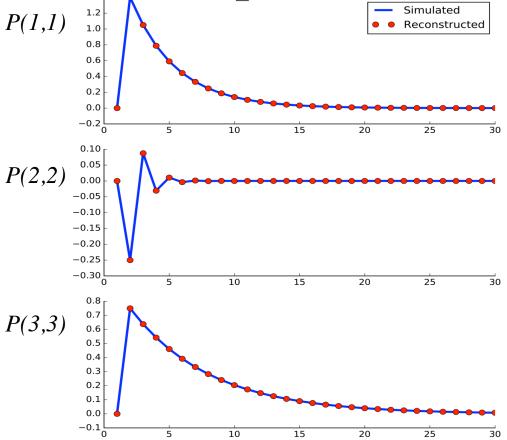
■ Consider the following state space system:

$$x[k+1] = \begin{bmatrix} .75 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.2 \\ -.1 & -.35 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .85 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -.73 & 0 & .95 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .43 & 0 & -.6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & .2 & .55 \end{bmatrix} x[k] + \begin{bmatrix} 1.4 & 0 & -1.4 \\ 0 & -.25 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .75 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} u[k]$$

$$y[k] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x[k]$$

- Simulate with r = 600
- lacksquare Solve for $ar{Q}_r$ and $ar{P}_r$
- Assume structure of P(z) known a priori





Numerical Example

■ Given the Toeplitz representation (\bar{Q}_r, \bar{P}_r) , find convolution representation using a custom curve fit in MATLAB with:

$$a_k \delta_{t,0} + \sum_{i=0}^{w_k} b_i (c_i)^t$$

■ This yields:

$$Q(k)[1,3] = .5096(.75)^{k} - .1108(-.6)^{k} - .8158(.55)^{k} + .417\delta$$

$$Q(k)[2,1] = .2839(-.3556)^{k} - .2839\delta$$

$$Q(k)[3,2] = 7.684(.95)^{k} - 8.588(.85)^{k} + .904\delta$$

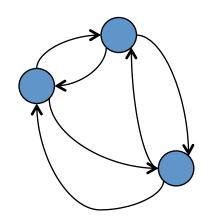
$$P(k)[1,1] = 1.867(.75)^{k} - 1.867\delta$$

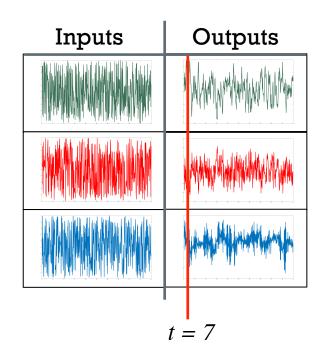
$$P(k)[1,3] = -P(k)[1,1]$$

$$P(k)[2,2] = .7143(-.35)^{k} - .7143\delta$$

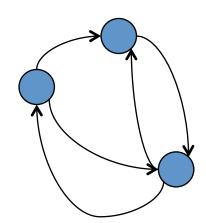
$$P(k)[3,3] = .8824(.85)^{k} - .8824\delta$$

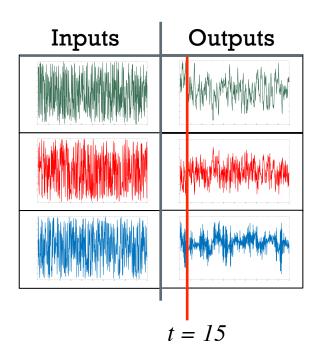
$$Q(z) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{-.46z - .05}{z^2 + 0.23z + .014} & \frac{-.14z^2 + .03z}{z^2 + .01z - 1.01} \\ \frac{-7.95z^2 - .74z - 1.41}{z^2 + .84z + .17} & 0 & -.67 \\ \frac{.02z^2 + 1.67z + 1.26}{z^2 - .19z - .55} & \frac{15983.5z^2 - 14616.1z - 2752}{z^2 - .9z - .17} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



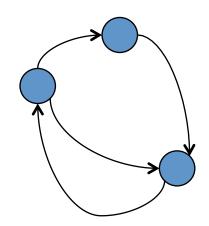


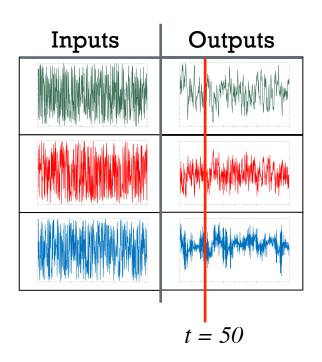
$$Q(z) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{.35z^2 - .39z - .1}{z^3 - .675z^2 - .4z + .265} \\ \frac{.01z - .01}{z + .35} & 0 & -.67 \\ \frac{.19z^2 + .25z + .22}{z^2 - .08z - .75} & \frac{0.45z^3 + 3.97z^2 + 4.2z}{z^3 - .87z^2 - .67z + .59} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



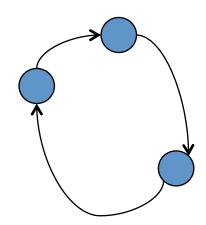


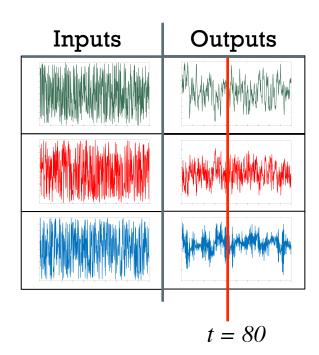
$$Q(z) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \frac{.48z^2 - .08z - .1}{z^3 - 1.9z^2 + 1.2z - .25} \\ \frac{-.01z - .1}{z + .35} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{.12}{z - .85} & \frac{.02z + .72}{z^2 - 1.8z + .8} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



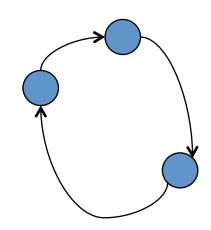


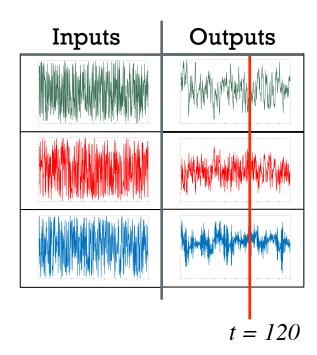
$$Q(z) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \frac{41.28}{(4z-3)(5z+3)(20z-11)} \\ \frac{-2}{20z+7} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{-.01z+.75}{z^2-1.8z+.8} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$





$$Q(z) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \frac{41.28}{(4z-3)(5z+3)(20z-11)} \\ \frac{-2}{20z+7} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{292}{(20z-17)(20z-19)} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$







State space model

$$x[k+1] = \begin{bmatrix} .75 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.2 \\ -.1 & -.35 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .85 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -.73 & 0 & .95 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .43 & 0 & -.6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & .2 & .55 \end{bmatrix} x[k] + \begin{bmatrix} 1.4 & 0 & -1.4 \\ 0 & -.25 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .75 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} u[k]$$
$$y[k] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x[k]$$

$$Q(k)[1,3] = .5096(.75)^{k} - .1108(-.6)^{k} - .8158(.55)^{k} + .417\delta$$

$$Q(k)[2,1] = .2839(-.3556)^{k} - .2839\delta$$

$$Q(k)[3,2] = 7.684(.95)^{k} - 8.588(.85)^{k} + .904\delta$$

$$P(k)[1,1] = 1.867(.75)^{k} - 1.867\delta$$

$$P(k)[1,3] = -P(k)[1,1]$$

$$P(k)[2,2] = .7143(-.35)^{k} - .7143\delta$$

$$P(k)[3,3] = .8824(.85)^{k} - .8824\delta$$



$$Q(z) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \frac{41.28}{(4z-3)(5z+3)(20z-11)} \\ \frac{-2}{20z+7} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{292}{(20z-17)(20z-19)} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(z) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{5.6}{4z-3} & 0 & \frac{-5.6}{4z-3} \\ 0 & \frac{-5}{20z+7} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{15}{20z-17} \end{bmatrix}$$



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* Conclusions

Developed a time domain representation of the dynamical structure function

Developed necessary and sufficient conditions for reconstruction of the time domain dynamical structure function

Developed a methodology for reconstructing a dynamical structure function from passive measurements

+ Future Work

- Many open problems, including:
 - What is the best way to choose r?
 - Can we reconstruct in the time domain without measuring inputs?
 - Characterizing the inputs to ensure informative data
 - Time domain reconstruction with measurement or process noise

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Thank You