

A grayscale background image showing a group of students in a computer lab or classroom. They are seated at desks with computers, looking at their screens or talking to each other. The image is slightly blurred and has a semi-transparent overlay.

Reduction and Realization Techniques in Modelling of Passive Electronic Structures

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Funny example of ROM:

An image consists of matrix (or 3)

Singular value decomposition:

$$\mathbf{U}\mathbf{\Sigma}\mathbf{V}^T = \mathbf{A}$$

Truncate a certain amount of singular values.

Example:



139 singular values

Example:

The largest 10, 20, 30 and 40 singular values



Overview of my talk

- System formulation
- What is ROM?
- Krylov subspace methods
- Orthogonalization
- Realization

Electronic structures

- Passive structures:
 - Interconnects
 - Analog parts of chips
 - Coupled with digital part
- Many models can be represented by RLC-networks:
 - TLM
 - PEEC
 - EFIE integral model
 - FIT
 - FDTD (spatially discretized)

System formulation

DAE system:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{C} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{L} \end{pmatrix} \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{v}(t) \\ \mathbf{i}(t) \end{pmatrix} = - \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{G} & -\mathbf{P}^T \\ \mathbf{P} & \mathbf{R} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{v}(t) \\ \mathbf{i}(t) \end{pmatrix} + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u}(t)$$

$$\mathbf{y}(t) = \mathbf{L}^T \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{v}(t) \\ \mathbf{i}(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

Or:

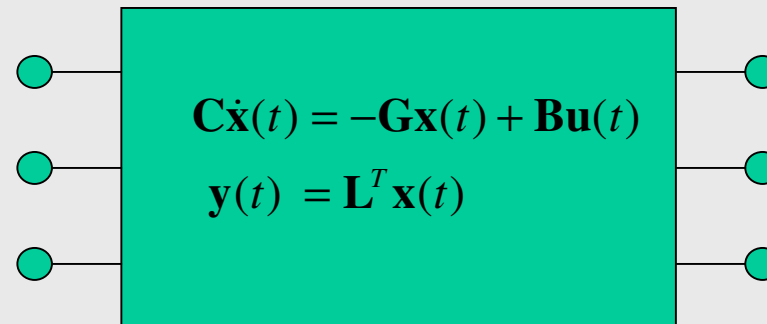
$$\mathbf{C}\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = -\mathbf{G}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u}(t)$$

$$\mathbf{y}(t) = \mathbf{L}^T \mathbf{x}(t)$$

For instance: voltage-in-current-out

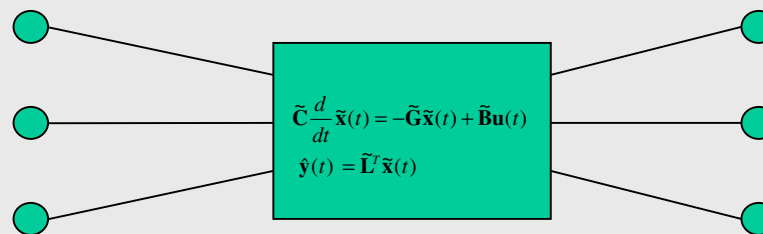
What is ROM?

Large (RLC-)circuit



replaced by

Small circuit



(with approximately same behavior)

Demands

- Behavior approximated well:
 - For a fixed set of inputs
 - Up to a maximum frequency
- Gain in computational time
- Passivity preservation!

System formulation

$$\mathbf{C}\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = -\mathbf{G}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u}(t)$$

$$\mathbf{y}(t) = \mathbf{L}^T \mathbf{x}(t)$$

Transform with Laplace: $s\mathbf{C}\mathbf{X}(s) = -\mathbf{G}\mathbf{X}(s) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{U}(s)$

$$\mathbf{Y}(s) = \mathbf{L}^T \mathbf{X}(s)$$

Transfer function: $\mathbf{H}(s) = \mathbf{L}^T (\mathbf{G} + s\mathbf{C})^{-1} \mathbf{B}$

Direct relation between input and output

Approximation, in frequency domain

Krylov-subspace methods

PRIMA (Odabasioglu, Celik) and PVL (Feldmann,

Freund): $\mathbf{H}(s) = \mathbf{L}^T (\mathbf{G} + s\mathbf{C})^{-1} \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{L}^T (\mathbf{I} - (s - s_0)\mathbf{A})^{-1} \mathbf{R}$

$$\mathcal{K}_n(\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{A}) = [\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{A}\mathbf{b}, \dots, \mathbf{A}^{n-1}\mathbf{b}]$$

with: $\mathbf{A} = -(\mathbf{G} + s_0\mathbf{C})^{-1} \mathbf{C}$

$$\mathbf{R} = (\mathbf{G} + s_0\mathbf{C})^{-1} \mathbf{B}$$

Krylov-subspace methods (2)

Defined by:

$$\mathcal{K}_n(\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{A}) = [\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{A}\mathbf{b}, \dots, \mathbf{A}^{n-1}\mathbf{b}]$$

Orthonormal basis: \mathbf{V}

Projection:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{G}} = \mathbf{V}^T \mathbf{G} \mathbf{V}$$

Krylov-subspace methods(3)

SVD-Laguerre (Knockaert, De Zutter):

Laguerre expansion:

$$\mathbf{H}(s) = \mathbf{L}^T (\mathbf{G} + s\mathbf{C})^{-1} \mathbf{B} =$$

$$\frac{2\alpha}{s + \alpha} \mathbf{L}^T \prod_{n=0}^{\infty} ((\mathbf{G} + \alpha\mathbf{C})(\mathbf{G} - \alpha\mathbf{C}))^n (\mathbf{G} + \alpha\mathbf{C})^{-1} \mathbf{B} \left(\frac{s - \alpha}{s + \alpha} \right)^n$$

Krylov-space:

$$\mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{G} + \alpha\mathbf{C})^{-1} \mathbf{B}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = (\mathbf{G} + \alpha\mathbf{C})^{-1} (\mathbf{G} - \alpha\mathbf{C})$$

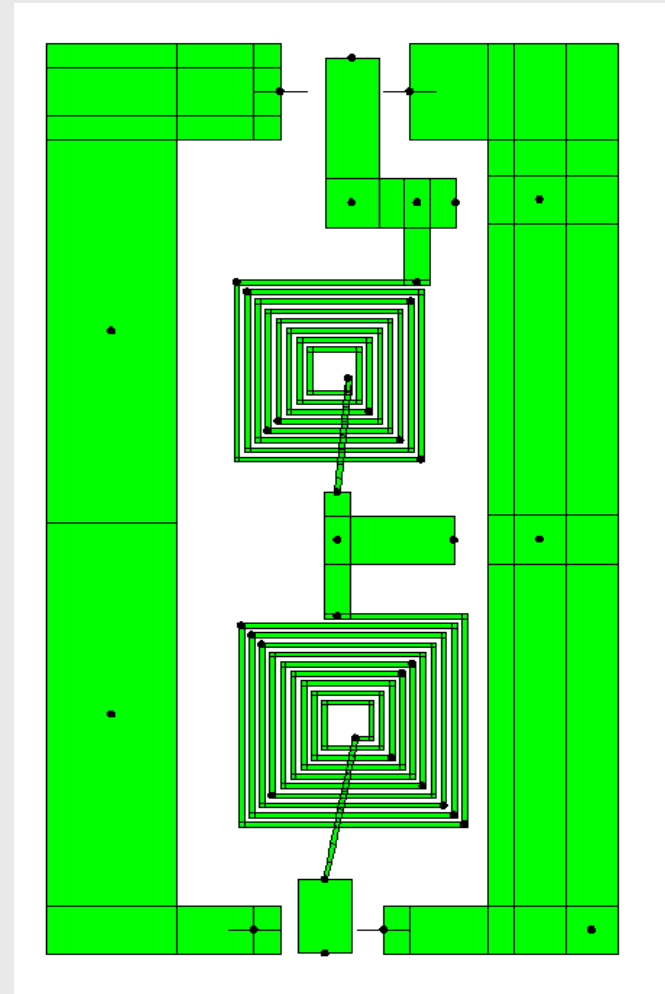
Example

PCB

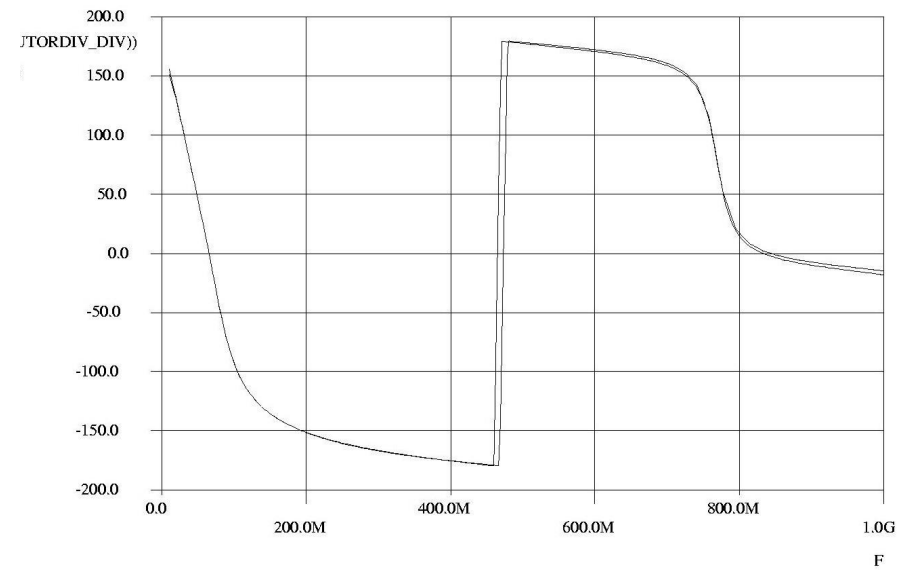
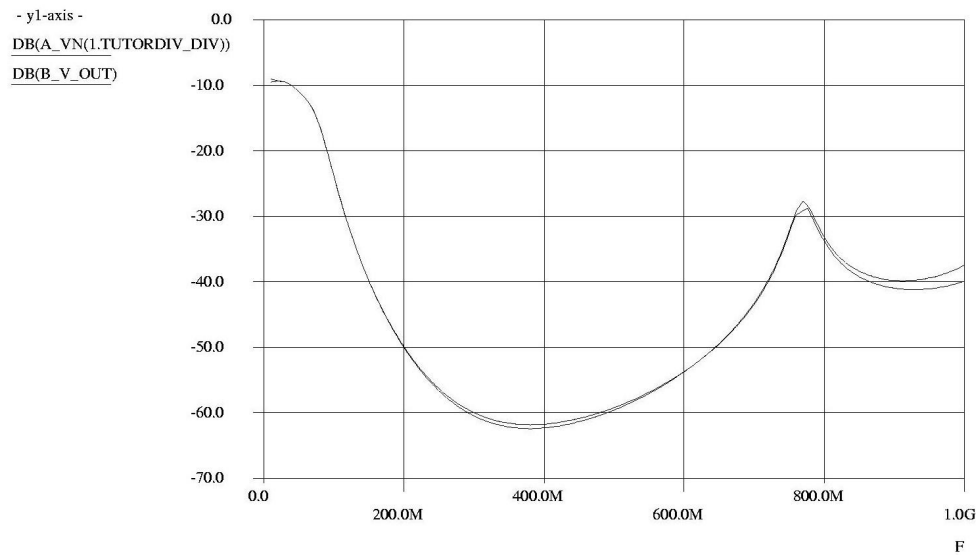
Original size 695 by 695

Reduced to 70 by 70

Behavior up to 1GHz



Example (AC analysis)



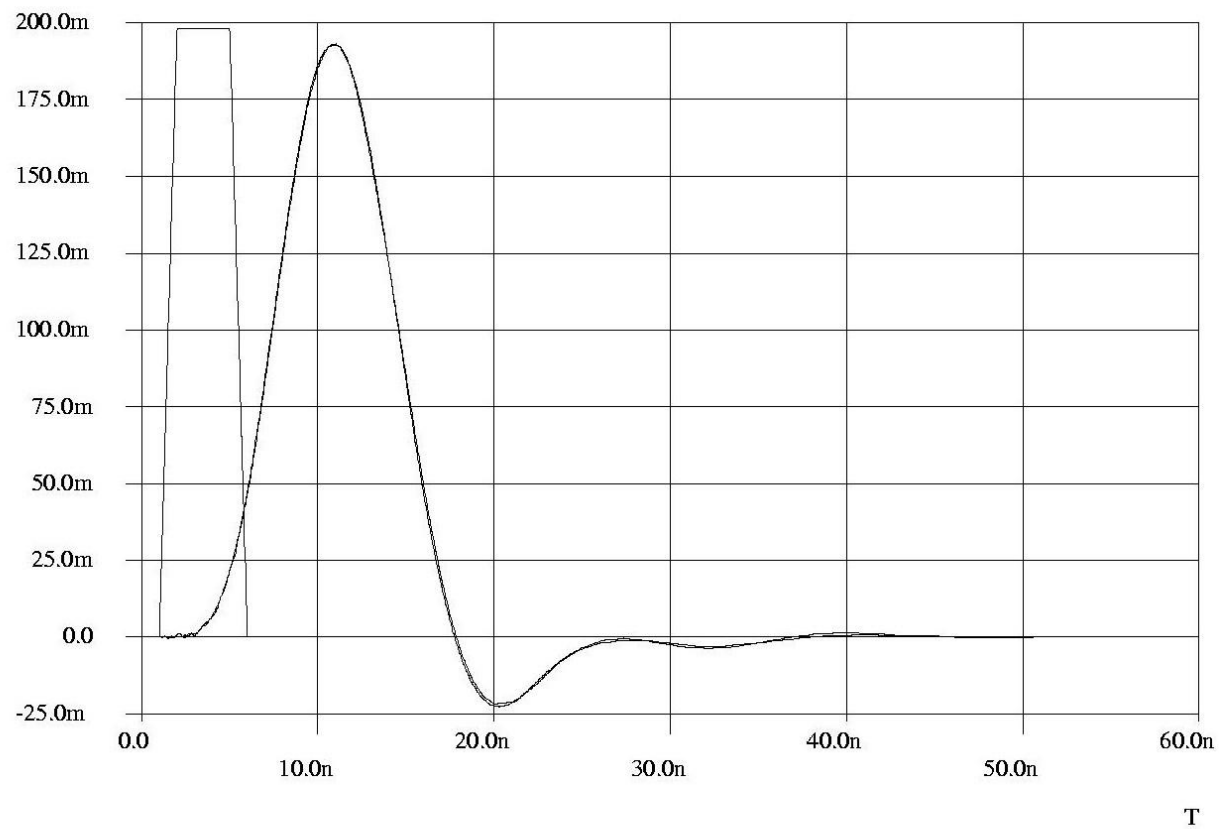
Example (transient)

- y1-axis -

A_V_OUT

B_V_OUT

B_E_1/5



Orthogonalization



Krylov spaces

Orthogonalize while building up:

$$\mathcal{K}_n(\mathbf{B}, \mathbf{A}) = [\mathbf{B}, \mathbf{A}\mathbf{B}, \dots, \mathbf{A}^{n-1}\mathbf{B}]$$

Extra care for multiple columns of \mathbf{B}

Choices:

- which columns are generated when?
- what is orthogonalized against what?

Every column in \mathbf{B} has its own Krylov-space.

Krylov spaces

Which columns are generated when?

- Columns of B separately
- B in blocks

What is orthogonalized against what?

- Afterwards (eg. with SVD)
- During
 - Against all
 - Against column of same Krylov space

Modified Gram-Schmidt

Sometimes re-orthogonalization is necessary.

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for i=1..j
  h = viT w;
  w = w - h vi;
end
w = w/|w|;
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Rule of thumb:

re-orthogonalize if more than 75% is removed

Krylov spaces

- Mixing of Krylov spaces
 - essential information can be lost
 - spurious information can occur
- Preserve the shape of the Hessenberg matrix
- *Block Arnoldi* (as in PRIMA) is a right way and an efficient way

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Realization



Realization

Projection: $\tilde{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{V}^T \mathbf{x}$

Physical meaning is lost

Given an arbitrary system, find a circuit:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{C}} \frac{d}{dt} \tilde{\mathbf{x}}(t) = -\tilde{\mathbf{G}} \tilde{\mathbf{x}}(t) + \tilde{\mathbf{B}} \mathbf{u}(t)$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{y}}(t) = \tilde{\mathbf{L}}^T \tilde{\mathbf{x}}(t)$$

AC and Transient analysis

Need for realization

Transient analysis can be done, via frequency domain result (IFFT) ..

... or via general solution and a convolution integral.

All these methods are expensive and specific for one input.

A circuit can be coupled with the rest of circuit.

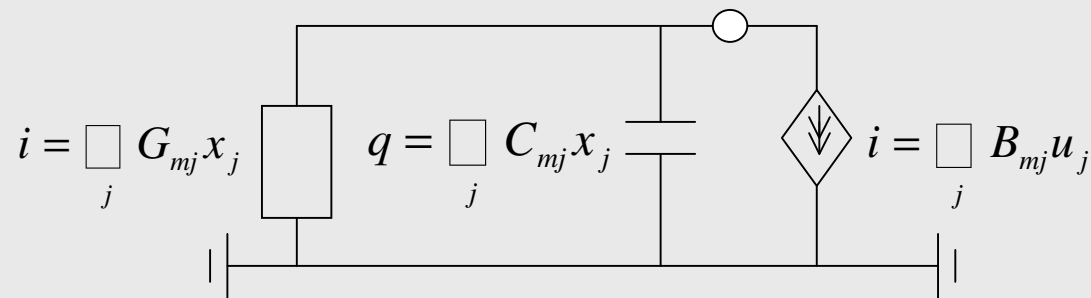
Realization (2)

Define a circuit with q internal nodes

State space vector: node voltages

Rows: KCL's for every node

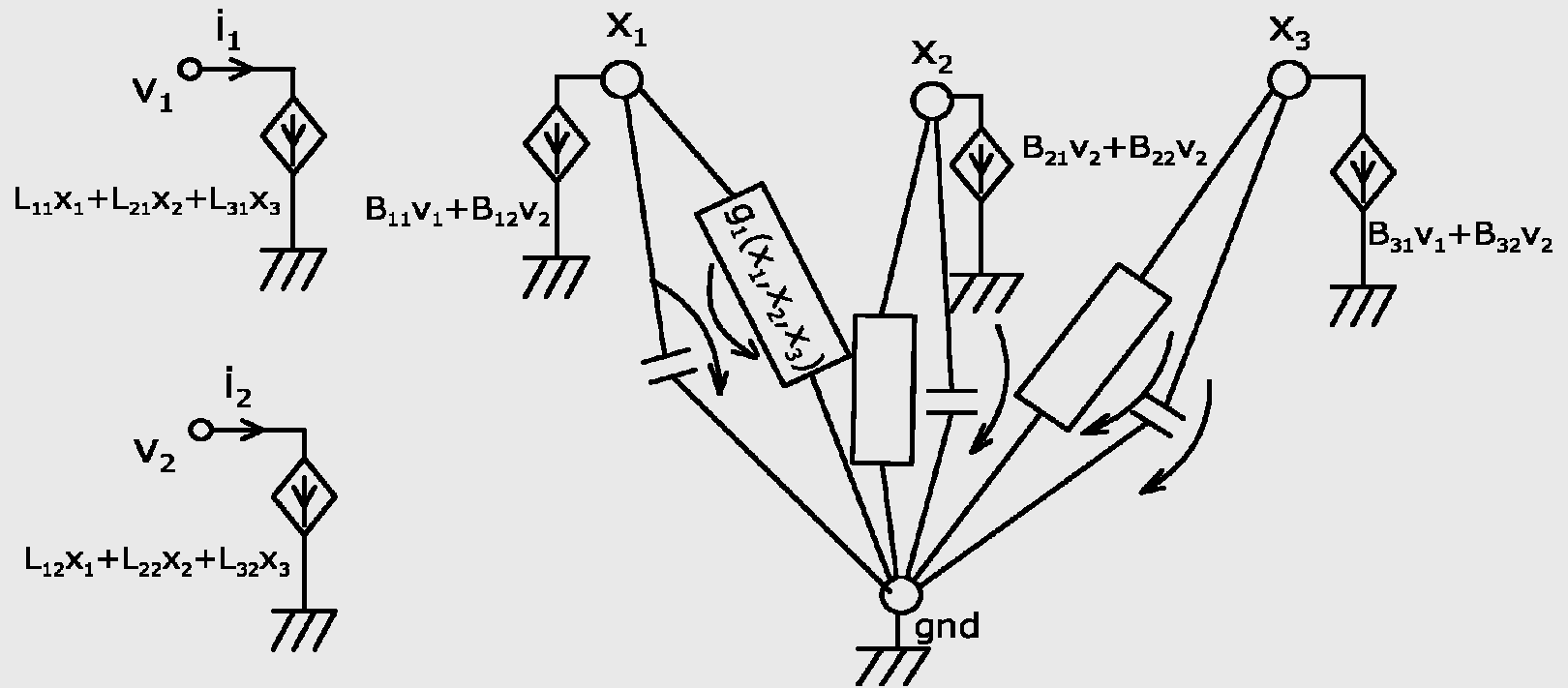
=> Circuit with q nodes:



Realization (3)

Output is defined as sources to the terminals of the

model



Results

- From large model to small model
- Able to combine reduced model with components and other models
 - AC analysis and stable transient analysis
- Future work:
 - non-linear MOR
 - Parametrized MOR

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