# Sparsity-Promoting Dynamic Mode Decomposition with Control

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# High-Dimensional Systems

- Systems with thousands/millions of states
- Example: Fluid Flows
  - Infinite-dimensional systems
  - Governed by the Navier-Stokes partial differential equations:

$$\begin{split} & \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \, \boldsymbol{u}) = 0 \\ & \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\rho \, \boldsymbol{u}) + \nabla \cdot (\rho \, \boldsymbol{u} \otimes \boldsymbol{u}) = -\nabla p + \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau} + \rho \, \boldsymbol{g} \end{split}$$

- Dynamic Mode Decomposition:
  - Find a low-dimensional state space
  - Approximate low-dimensional dynamics with a linear system (easier to control)
  - Use only data



# Dynamic Mode Decomposition: Model Reduction

• Collect data:



Proper Orthogonal Decomposition





 Low-dimensional linear subspace spanned by the columns of Uq:



### Dynamic Mode Decomposition: Linear Dynamics

• Fit linear dynamics for  $\eta_k$ :

$$\boldsymbol{\eta}_{k+1} = F \boldsymbol{\eta}_k + G \mathbf{u}_k \Rightarrow$$

$$\boldsymbol{U}_q^\top \mathbf{y}_{k+1} = F \boldsymbol{U}_q^\top \mathbf{y}_k + G \mathbf{u}_k \Rightarrow$$

$$\boldsymbol{U}_q^\top \mathbf{Y}' = F \boldsymbol{U}_q^\top \mathbf{Y} + G \mathbf{U} \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} F & G \end{bmatrix} = \boldsymbol{U}_q^\top \mathbf{Y}' \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{U}_q^\top \mathbf{Y} \\ \mathbf{U} \end{bmatrix}^\dagger$$

• Eigenvalue decomposition of F:

 $FW = W\Lambda$ 

- Eigenvectors:  $W = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{w}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{w}_q \end{bmatrix}$ 

- Eigenvalues: 
$$\Lambda = \text{diag}\{\lfloor \lambda_1 \cdots \lambda_q \rfloor$$

$$\Phi = U_q W$$

• DMD Dynamics:



where

$$\boldsymbol{\psi}_k = W^{-1} \boldsymbol{\eta}_k pprox W^{-1} U_q y_k$$

 $\Gamma = W^{-1}G$ 

# POD vs DMD

• POD Modes:

$$U_q = egin{bmatrix} egin{array}{c|c} \mathbf{v}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_q \ \mathbf{v}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_q \ egin{array}{c|c} \mathbf{v}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_q \ \mathbf{v}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_q \ \mathbf{v}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_q \ \mathbf{v}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_q \ \mathbf{v}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_1 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_1 \ \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf$$

- Real vectors
- Modes decompose space based on energy ( $\mathcal{L}_2$  norm)
- Ordered by their energy content

• DMD Modes:

$$\Phi = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 & & \\ \phi_1 & \cdots & \phi_q \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{n_y \times q}$$
$$\underbrace{\psi_{k+1} = \Lambda \psi_k + \Gamma \mathbf{u}_k}_{\mathbf{y}_k \approx \Phi \psi_k}$$

- Complex (in general) vectors
- Modes decompose space based on frequency and growth/decay rate (eigenvalues)
- No apparent ordering

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- Since  $\Lambda$  is diagonal, we can write:

$$\mathbf{y}_{k+1} \approx \Phi(\Lambda \boldsymbol{\psi}_k + \Gamma \mathbf{u}_k)$$
$$= \sum_{i=1}^{q} \boldsymbol{\phi}_i \left(\lambda_i \boldsymbol{\psi}_{i,k} + \Gamma_{i,:} \mathbf{u}_k\right)$$

• Weight the contribution of each DMD mode  $\phi_i$  by  $\alpha_i = 1$ :

$$\mathbf{y}_{k+1} \approx \sum_{i=1}^{q} \alpha_{i} \phi_{i} \left( \lambda_{i} \psi_{i,k} + \Gamma_{i,i} \mathbf{u}_{k} \right)$$

- Stack everything together:
  - $\mathbf{Y}' \approx \Phi \operatorname{diag}\{ \boldsymbol{\alpha} \} \mathbf{R}, \quad \mathbf{R} = \Lambda \Phi^{\dagger} \mathbf{Y} + \Gamma \mathbf{U}$
- Sparsity-Promoting Optimization:

$$\min_{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} \left\| \mathbf{Y}' - \Phi \operatorname{diag} \{ \boldsymbol{\alpha} \} \mathbf{R} \right\|_{\mathrm{F}}^{2} + \varepsilon \left\| \boldsymbol{\alpha} \right\|_{0}$$

- Approximate data with linear dynamics
- Promote sparsity: approximate  $\mathcal{L}_0$  norm with reweighted  $\mathcal{L}_1$  norm to make problem convex (some elements of  $\alpha$  will become 0)

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#### Sparse Reduced-Order Dynamics

• For some weighting factor  $\epsilon$ :

$$\boldsymbol{\alpha} = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\1\\0\\\vdots\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \tilde{\Lambda} = \operatorname{diag} \{ \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 & \phi_2 & \phi_3^0 & \cdots & \phi_{q-1}^0 & \phi_q \end{bmatrix} \\ \xrightarrow{\tilde{\Lambda}} = \operatorname{diag} \{ \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & \lambda_2 & \chi_3^0 & \cdots & \chi_{q-1}^0 & \lambda_q \end{bmatrix} \} \\ \mathbf{y}_k \approx \phi_1 \psi_{1,k} + \phi_2 \psi_{2,k} + \phi_3^0 \psi_{3,k} + \cdots + \phi_{q-1}^0 \psi_{q-1,k} + \phi_q \psi_{q,k} \end{bmatrix}$$

- In general,  $n_{\mathrm{x}} \leq q$  DMD modes will survive
- In complex modal form:

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\psi}_{k+1} &= \tilde{\Lambda} \tilde{\psi}_k + \tilde{\Gamma} \mathbf{u}_k \\ y_k &\approx \tilde{\Phi} \tilde{\psi}_k \end{split}$$

In real modal form:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}_{k+1} &= A\mathbf{x}_k + B\mathbf{u}_k \\ \mathbf{y}_k &\approx \Theta \mathbf{x}_k \end{aligned}$$





- $n_y = 35 \times 43 = 1505$  grid points
- p=1501 snapshots are used
- Start with  $q=30~{
  m POD}$  modes (99.5% energy)
- Keep only  $n_x = 8$  DMD modes



- Online measurements  $\mathbf{z}_k$ :  $n_z = 2$  out of  $n_y = 1505$
- Estimate reduced-order state  $\mathbf{x}_k$ from  $\mathbf{z}_k$  using a Kalman Filter  $\longrightarrow \hat{\mathbf{x}}_k$
- Stabilize flow using infinite-horizon LQG:
  - Stabilize only the 2 dominant modes (at the shedding frequency)
  - Policy:  $\mathbf{u}_k^* = K \hat{\mathbf{x}}_k$  than minimizes

$$\mathscr{J}(\pi) = \lim_{N \to +\infty} \frac{1}{N} \mathbb{E} \left[ \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \mathbf{x}_k^\top \mathcal{Q}_r \mathbf{x}_k + \mathbf{u}_k^\top R_r \mathbf{u}_k \right]$$



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