

Summer Course

**Linear System Theory  
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&  
Matrix Computations**

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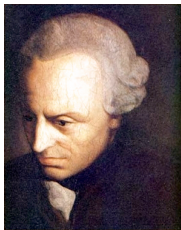
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## **Lecture 12: State and state construction**

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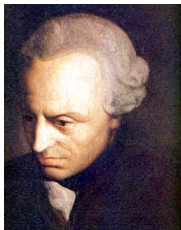
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**To approach a new science - one that is entirely isolated and is the only one of its kind - with the prejudice that it can be judged by means of one's putative cognitions already otherwise obtained, even though it is precisely the reality of those that must first be completely called into question, results only in believing that one sees everywhere something that was already otherwise known, because the expressions perhaps sound similar; except that everything must seem to be extremely deformed, contradictory, and nonsensical, because one does not thereby make the author's thoughts fundamental, but always simply one's own, made natural through long habit.**

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2nd order differential equations;  
SYSID, transfer functions  $\rightsquigarrow$   
high-order differential equations;
- First principles and “tearing and zooming” modelling  $\rightsquigarrow$   
high-order differential equations, with auxiliary variables
- Algebraic constraints among variables

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- First-order  $\rightsquigarrow$  algorithms based on linear algebra
- Sometimes, “state” *is* natural: think electric circuits, position and momentum variables in mechanics, etc.

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$\Downarrow$

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$\underset{T}{\wedge}$  is **concatenation at  $T$** :

$$(f_1 \underset{T}{\wedge} f_2)(t) := \begin{cases} f_1(t) & \text{for } t < T \\ f_2(t) & \text{for } t \geq T \end{cases}$$

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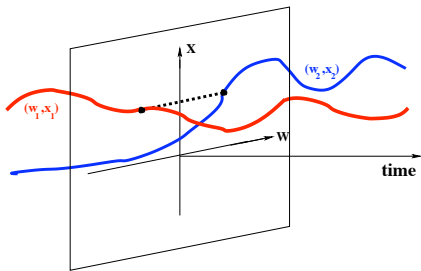
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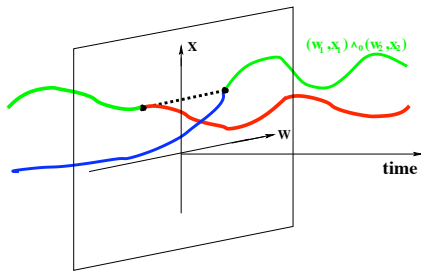
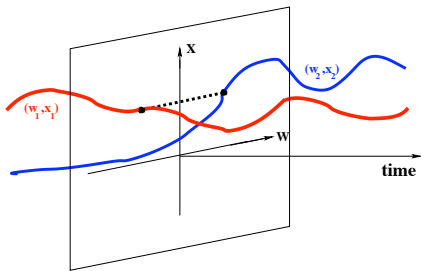


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## Example

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where  $r \in \mathbb{R}[\xi]$ ,  $\deg(r) = n$ .

(Minimal) state map induced by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \xi \\ \vdots \\ \xi^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{bmatrix} w \\ \sigma w \\ \vdots \\ \sigma^{n-1} w \end{bmatrix}$$

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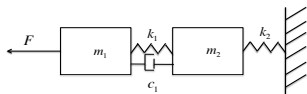
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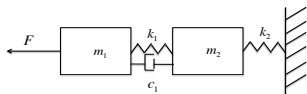
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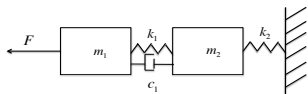


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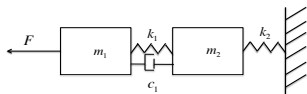
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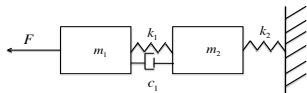
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