

Special role for “inner” operators

Definition: V is *inner* when causal, unitary (respect. *conjugate inner*)

Property: operators with state representations $\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$ such that

- (1) spectral radius $\sigma(AZ) < 1$ - hence bounded inverse $(I-AZ)^{-1}$
- (2) $\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$ unitary

are inner (spectral radius of AZ is $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|(ZA)^n\|^{1/n}$)

For “uniformly exponential stable systems” (i.e. systems with $\sigma(AZ) < 1$) we have a special role for inner operators:

(1) Put T in output normal form, then there exists an inner V such that $T'V$ is causal actually, a realization for V is found by unitary completion of the observability

data: $V \approx \begin{bmatrix} A & B_v \\ C & D_v \end{bmatrix}$

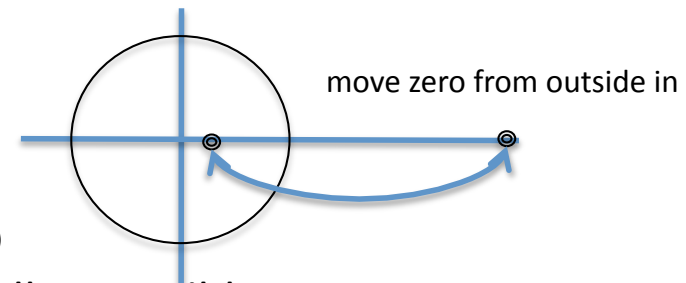
(2) [Square root algorithm] Given T with $\ker(T)=0$, then there exists an inner V , such that $T = V \begin{bmatrix} T_o \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, V inner and T_o outer (i.e. has causal inverse)

Inner-outer factorization

The LTI (Linear time invariant) case for stable transfer functions

Example:

$$T(z) = \frac{3-z}{1-\frac{1}{2}z} = \underbrace{\frac{3-z}{1-\frac{1}{3}z}}_{\text{inner}} \underbrace{\frac{1-\frac{1}{3}z}{1-\frac{1}{2}z}}_{\text{outer}}$$



General property (Beurling): $T(z) = U(z)T_o(z)$
with $U(z)$ causal unitary and $T_o(z)$ causally invertible

This generalizes to TV (Time-varying) systems: $T = UT_{o,r}$
with U causal isometric and $T_{o,r}$ causally right-invertible
to get invertibility, one needs also a right factorization: $T_{o,r} = T_o V$
now, V is co-isometric and T_o causally invertible
(compare with ULV factorization: same thing!)

Factorizations are found with the square root algorithm (see further)!

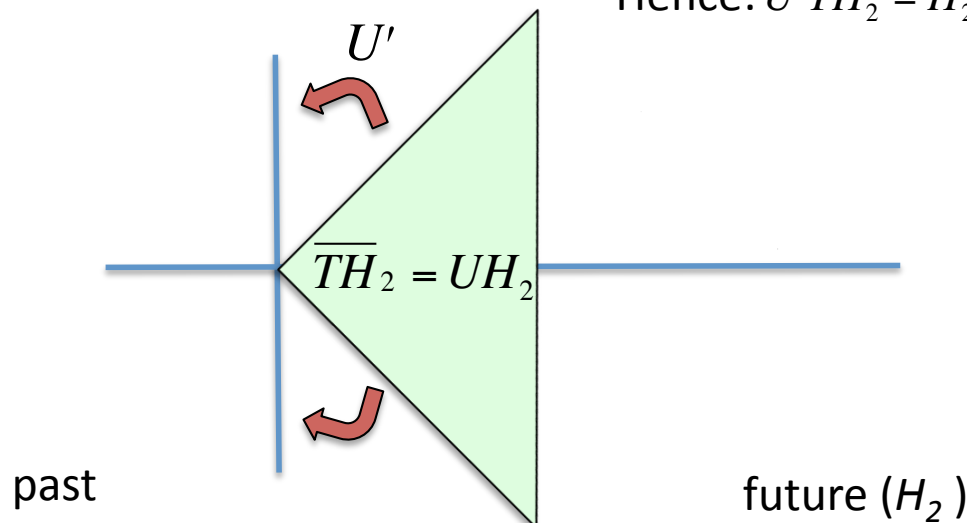
Geometric interpretation

Scalar LTI systems (Hardy theory)!

General input space: \mathcal{L}_2 = time series that are square summable,
“causal series”: $\mathcal{L}_2(0, +\infty)$

Fourier transform: H_2 = functions analytic in the unit disc, uniformly square integrable on circles of the type $re^{j\vartheta}$ with $r \leq 1$
are Fourier Transforms of causal series

Causal system: TH_2 is contained in H_2 , Beurling shows: $\overline{TH_2} = UH_2$
for some inner U (pure phase function)
(the upper bar means “closure” = “take limits”)
Hence: $\overline{U'TH_2} = H_2 \Rightarrow U'T = T_o$ is causally invertible



The TV case

No more Fourier transforms, zeros or poles! What then?

When $\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$ is isometric, then $T \approx \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$ is isometric as well!

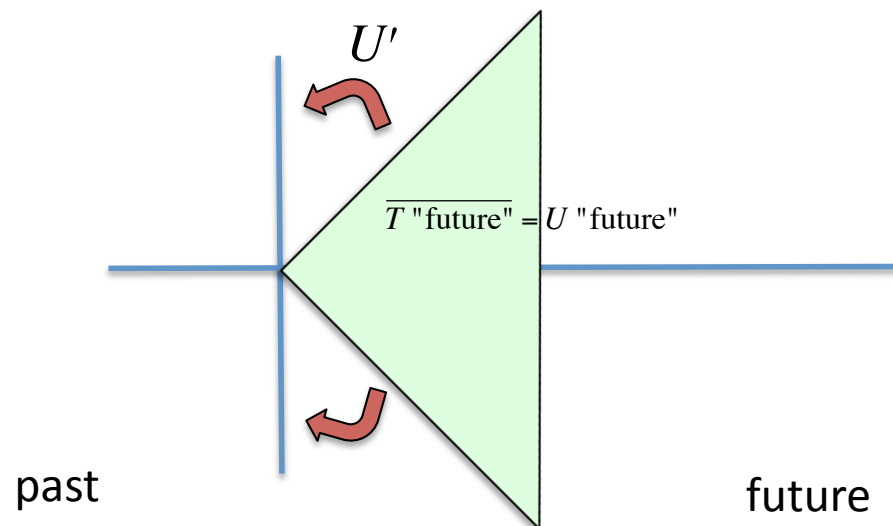
The realization can be completed to unitary: $\begin{bmatrix} A & B & B_w \\ C & D & D_w \end{bmatrix}$

then $\begin{bmatrix} U & W \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} A & B & B_w \\ C & D & D_w \end{bmatrix}$ will be inner iff spectral radius $\sigma(AZ) < 1$
(otherwise just isometric still!)

Generalized Beurling theorem: $T = UT_{o,r}$

with U isometric and $T_{o,r}$ right causally invertible

(because $\overline{T_{o,r} \text{ "future" }} = \text{ "future" }!$)



inner-outer = square root algo.

$T_{o,r} = U' T$ tries to take out the isometric part



$$\begin{aligned} T_{o,r} &= \left[D'_U + B'_U (I - Z'A'_U)^{-1} Z'C'_U \right] \left[D + CZ(I - AZ)^{-1} B \right] = \\ &= D'_U D + B'_U (I - Z'A'_U)^{-1} Z'C'_U D + D'_U CZ(I - AZ)^{-1} B + \\ &\quad + B'_U \left\{ (I - Z'A'_U)^{-1} Z'C'_U CZ(I - AZ)^{-1} \right\} B \end{aligned}$$

$$= (I - Z'A'_U)^{-1} Z'A'_U Y + Y + YAZ(I - AZ)^{-1} \quad \text{partial fraction! Dichotomy!}$$

where $ZYZ' = C'_U C + A'_U Y A$

Require upper part to be zero: $C'_U D + A'_U Y B = 0!$

Produces: $T_{o,r} = (D'_U D + B'_U Y B) + (D'_U C + B'_U Y A) Z(I - AZ)^{-1} B := D_o + C_o Z(I - AZ)^{-1} B$

Component-wise backward square root QR-algorithm computes the matrices:

$$\begin{bmatrix} Y_k B_k & Y_k A_k \\ D_k & C_k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} B_{U,k} & A_{U,k} & B_{W,k} \\ D_{U,k} & C_{U,k} & D_{W,k} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} D_{o,k} & C_{o,k} \\ 0 & Y_{k-1} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{QR-factorization}$$

(note: $\ker(\bullet D_{o,k}) = \ker(\bullet Y_{k+1}) = 0$)

Result: $T = \begin{bmatrix} U & W \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} T_o \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, T_o \approx \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C_o & D_o \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} U & W \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} D_U & D_W \end{bmatrix} + C_U Z(I - A_U Z)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} B_U & B_W \end{bmatrix}$