

Computing the \mathcal{H}_2 -norm of Delay Differential Algebraic Systems

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(Compare: \mathcal{H}_{∞} -norm is the maximal amplification.)

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(See Breda et al. [5].)

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Theorem

Under fairly mild conditions on the used basis, \mathscr{A}_{22} is invertible and *no feedthrough is introduced*, if the original system satisfies step 1.

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 - 4.1 Solve $V\tilde{A}^T + \tilde{A}V = -\tilde{B}\tilde{B}^T$ for V.
 - 4.2 Compute

$$\|H\|_{\mathcal{H}_2}^2 \approx \mathrm{Tr}\big(\tilde{C}V\tilde{C}^{\mathsf{T}}\big).$$

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