

by Lemma 1,  $\|J^t\|$  is bounded, proving the first statement.

Conversely, if  $\|J^t\|$  is bounded, then by Lemma 1 again  $\|A^t\|$  is bounded and by Theorem 3,  $D$  is pulse stable under all autonomous pulse processes.  $\square$

A necessary and sufficient condition for pulse stability

This is Theorem 5 in Roberts and Theorem 3 in "Pulse systems..."

Theorem 5 If  $D$  is a weighted digraph and  $J$  is the Canonical Jordan form of its adjacency matrix  $A$ , then the following are equivalent.

- (a)  $D$  is pulse stable under all autonomous pulse processes
- (b)  $D$  is pulse stable under all simple pulse processes.
- (c) every eigenvalue of  $D$  has absolute value  $\leq 1$  and if  $B_j(\lambda) \neq [\lambda]$ , then  $|\lambda| < 1$ .

Next:

- Proof of Theorem 5
- Necessary and sufficient condition for value stability (Theorem 6)

Theorem 2 : In a simple pulse process starting at  $x_i$ .

$p_j(t) = \text{the } (i,j)\text{-entry of } A^t$

$v_j(t) = v_j(\text{start}) + (i,j)\text{-entry of } I + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{t-1}$

Theorem 3 :  $P(t) = P(0) A^t$  (autonomous pulse process)  
This is Theorem 3 in Roberts and Thm 4 in "Pulse processes..."

Theorem 6  $D$  is a weighted digraph. The following are equivalent:

- (a)  $D$  is value stable under all autonomous pulse processes
- (b)  $D$  is value stable under all simple pulse processes
- (C)  $D$  is pulse stable under all simple pulse processes and  $\lambda=1$  is not an eigenvalue of  $D$

$a \Rightarrow b$  trivial

$c \Rightarrow a$

Lemma 1  $\|A^t\| \text{ is bdd} \Leftrightarrow \|\bar{J}^t\| \text{ is bounded}$  ( $A$  any matrix)

Lemma 2 •  $D$  pulse stable for simple pulse processes  $\Rightarrow \|\bar{J}^t\| \text{ bounded}$   
•  $\|\bar{J}^t\| \text{ bounded} \Rightarrow D$  is pulse stable for all autonomous pulse processes

Lemma 1'  $\left\| \sum_{t=0}^N A^t \right\| \text{ bounded} \Leftrightarrow \left\| \sum_{t=0}^N \bar{J}^t \right\| \text{ is bounded}$

(See the top of p. ② for the "proof")

## §4 Evolution Algebras and Pulse Processes

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- For  $(A, B)$  an evol. alg & natural basis  $B = \{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$  and structure matrix  $M_B(A) = [w_{ij}]$   $e_j^2 = \sum_i w_{ij} e_i$   
let  $G_B(A)$  be the graph with vertices  $B$  and adjacency matrix  $M_B(A)^T = [w_{ji}]$
- For  $G$  a weighed graph with vertices  $B = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$  and adjacency matrix  $M_G = [w_{ij}]$ , there is uniquely an evol. alg  $(A, B)$  with structure matrix  $M_B(A) = M_G^T$   $e_j^2 = \sum_i w_{ji} e_i$   $B = \{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$

### Example 3

Graph  $G$ :

$$M_G = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -0.9 & 0 & 0 \\ -0.9 & 0 & -0.9 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -0.9 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

adjacency matrix

Vertices:  $1 \quad 2 \quad 3$

$$B = \{e_C, e_D, e_E, e_F\}$$

$$M_B(A) = \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{21} & w_{31} & 0 \\ 0 & -0.9 & -0.05 & 0 \\ w_{12} & 0 & w_{22} & 0 \\ -0.9 & 0 & 0 & w_{32} \\ 0 & w_{13} & 0 & w_{23} \\ -0.9 & 0 & w_{33} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_G^T = \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} & w_{13} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} & w_{23} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} & w_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$e_C^2 = 0e_C - 0.9e_D + 0e_F$$

$$e_D^2 = -0.9e_C + 0e_D - 0.9e_F$$

$$e_E^2 = -0.05e_C + 0e_D + 0e_F$$

Cor 1 of Th 7  $A, B$  evol alg  $e = e_1 + \dots + e_n$  with adjacency matrix  $M_G$

- A nontrivial evol alg  $\Rightarrow \sigma_m^A(e) = \sigma(M_G) \cup \{0\}$
- A trivial " "  $\Rightarrow \sigma_m^A(e) = \sigma(M_G)$

double check

Def 6 evolution element of evol. alg  $A$  is  $e = e_1 + \dots + e_n$  relative to  $B$

Def 7 evol alg is pulse (resp. valued) stable if associated graph is relative to  $B$  under all autonomous pulse processes

since  $\sigma_m^A(e) = \sigma(M_G)$  or  $\sigma(M_G) \cup \{0\}$

(7)

Th 8 (translation of Th 3, 4, Cor 1)  $(A, B)$  eval alg,  $e = e_1 + \dots + e_n$  and  $M_G = M_B(A)^T$  <sup>\* of Th 7</sup> <sup>same eigenvalues</sup>

(i)  $A$  is pulse stable rel to  $B$  under all autonom. pulse processes

$\Leftrightarrow \Gamma_m^A(e) \subseteq \overline{\text{ID}}$ . If  $\lambda \in \Gamma_m^A(e)$ , alg & geom multip not coincide then  $\lambda \in \text{ID}$ . i.e.  $B_j(A) \neq [\lambda]$

(ii)  $A$  is value state <sup>rel to B</sup> under all autonom. pulse processes  $\Leftrightarrow A$  is pulse stable relative to  $B$  and  $1 \notin \Gamma_m^A(e)$ . <sup>1 \times 1 \text{ matrix}</sup>

These concepts are equivalent bnd under simple pulse processes.

Cor 2 Given  $A, B, e$  If  $\Gamma_m^A(e) \subseteq \text{ID}$ , then  $A$  is pulse and value stable under all autonomous pulse processes.

Cor 3 If  $\Gamma_m^A(e) \cap (\mathbb{C} \setminus \overline{\text{ID}}) \neq \emptyset$  <sup>(i.e.  $|\lambda| > 1$ )</sup> then  $A$  is pulse unstable under some <sup>simple</sup> pulse process, hence value unstable.

Example 4  $e_1 \xrightarrow{w_{12}} e_2 \xrightarrow{w_{23}} e_3$   $M_B(A) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & w_{12} & w_{13} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\sigma_m^A(e) = \{0\} \quad M_G = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ w_{12} & 0 & 0 \\ w_{13} & w_{23} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sigma(M_G) = |\lambda I - M_G| = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & 0 & 0 \\ w_{12} & \lambda & 0 \\ w_{13} & w_{23} & \lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^3 \quad \boxed{\lambda = 0}$$

\* see 5-5-21 p.(7) for Thm 3 (= Roberts Th 5)

see 5-9-21 p.① for Thm 4 (= Roberts Th 6)