

Fundamental Research Question

Given a quadratic **energy functional** $\mathcal{H}(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^\top Hx$, discrete **measurements** (u_i, x_i, y_i) of a system, construct a continuous dynamical system

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= Ax + Bu, \\ y &= Cx + Du \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

as close as possible to the data in such way that any solution of (1) satisfies the **dissipation inequality**

$$\frac{d}{dt}\mathcal{H}(x(t)) \leq y(t)^\top u(t).$$

OUR APPROACH

Use the **port-Hamiltonian** (pH) framework and modify the **Dynamic Mode Decomposition** to be feasible for it.

The system

$$\begin{bmatrix} E\dot{x} \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ u \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ -C & -D \end{bmatrix} = \mathcal{J} - \mathcal{R},$$

with $\mathcal{J} = \mathcal{J}^\top$ and $\mathcal{R} \succeq 0$ is called a pH system.

Remark: Port-Hamiltonian implies passivity

Key Ingredients

1 Define discrete-time pH system

Motivated by the implicit midpoint rule we call

$$\begin{aligned} Hx_i^- &= (J - R)x_i^+ + (G - P)\hat{u}_i, \\ \hat{y}_i &= (G + P)^\top x_i^+ + (S - N)\hat{u}_i, \end{aligned}$$

with

$$x_i^- := \frac{x_{i+1} - x_i}{\delta t}, \quad x_i^+ := \frac{x_{i+1} + x_i}{2}, \quad \hat{u}_i := \frac{u_{i+1} + u_i}{2}, \quad \hat{y}_i := \frac{y_{i+1} + y_i}{2}$$

a discrete-time pH system [2].

2 Formulate the optimization problem

Define

$$\begin{aligned} X_- &:= \frac{1}{\delta t} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - x_0 & \dots & x_M - x_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, & X_+ &:= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_0 & \dots & x_M + x_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, \\ U &:= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 + u_0 & \dots & u_M + u_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, & Y &:= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 + y_0 & \dots & y_M + y_{M-1} \end{bmatrix}, \end{aligned}$$

find matrices $\mathcal{J}^*, \mathcal{R}^*$ that solve

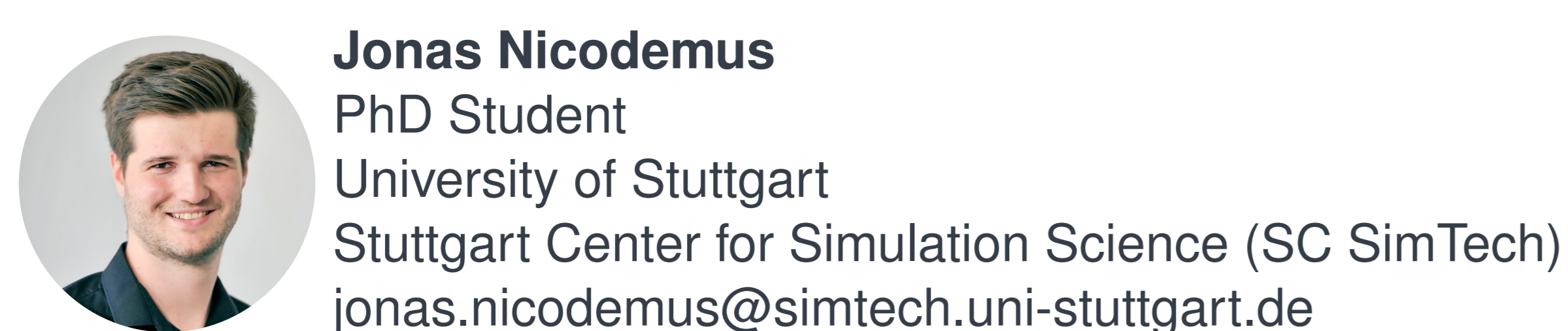
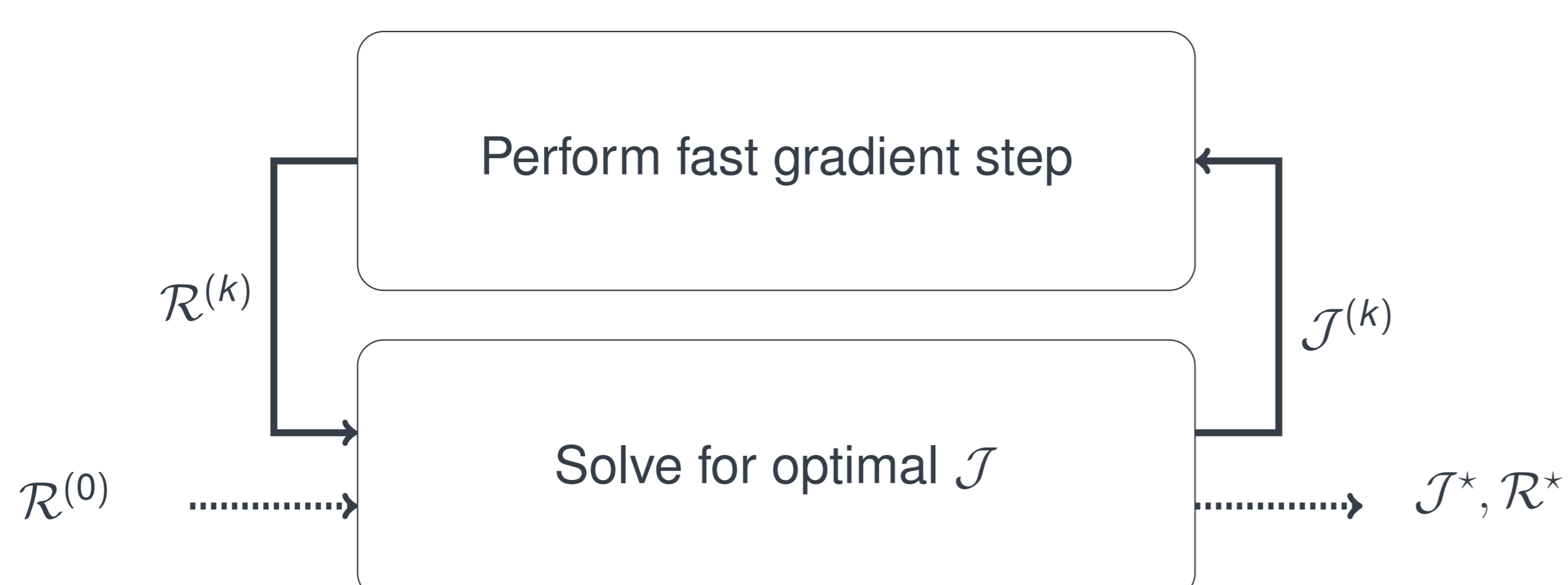
$$\min \left\| \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} HX_- \\ -Y \end{bmatrix}}_{=: \mathcal{Z}} - (\mathcal{J} - \mathcal{R}) \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} X_+ \\ U \end{bmatrix}}_{=: \mathcal{T}} \right\|_F \quad \text{s.t. } \mathcal{J} = -\mathcal{J}^\top \text{ and } \tilde{\mathcal{R}} \succeq 0. \quad (2)$$

3 Derive a numerical algorithm

Observation:

- For fixed \mathcal{R} the optimal \mathcal{J} can be computed analytically
- For fixed \mathcal{J} we can employ a fast-gradient algorithm

pHMDM algorithm



4 Initialization

Multiplying the argument of (2) with \mathcal{T}^\top to obtain

$$\min \|\mathcal{T}^\top \mathcal{Z} - \mathcal{T}^\top (\mathcal{J} - \mathcal{R}) \mathcal{T}\|_F \quad \text{s.t. } \mathcal{J} = -\mathcal{J}^\top \text{ and } \mathcal{R} \succeq 0, \quad (3)$$

which corresponds to solving the problem in a weighted semi-norm where $\mathcal{T}^\top \mathcal{T}$ is used as the semi-definite weighting matrix.

THEOREM

Let \mathcal{T}, \mathcal{Z} and let $V\Sigma W^\top = \mathcal{T}$ denote the skinny SVD of \mathcal{T} . Define

$$\tilde{\mathcal{Z}} := \Sigma V^\top \mathcal{Z} W$$

and

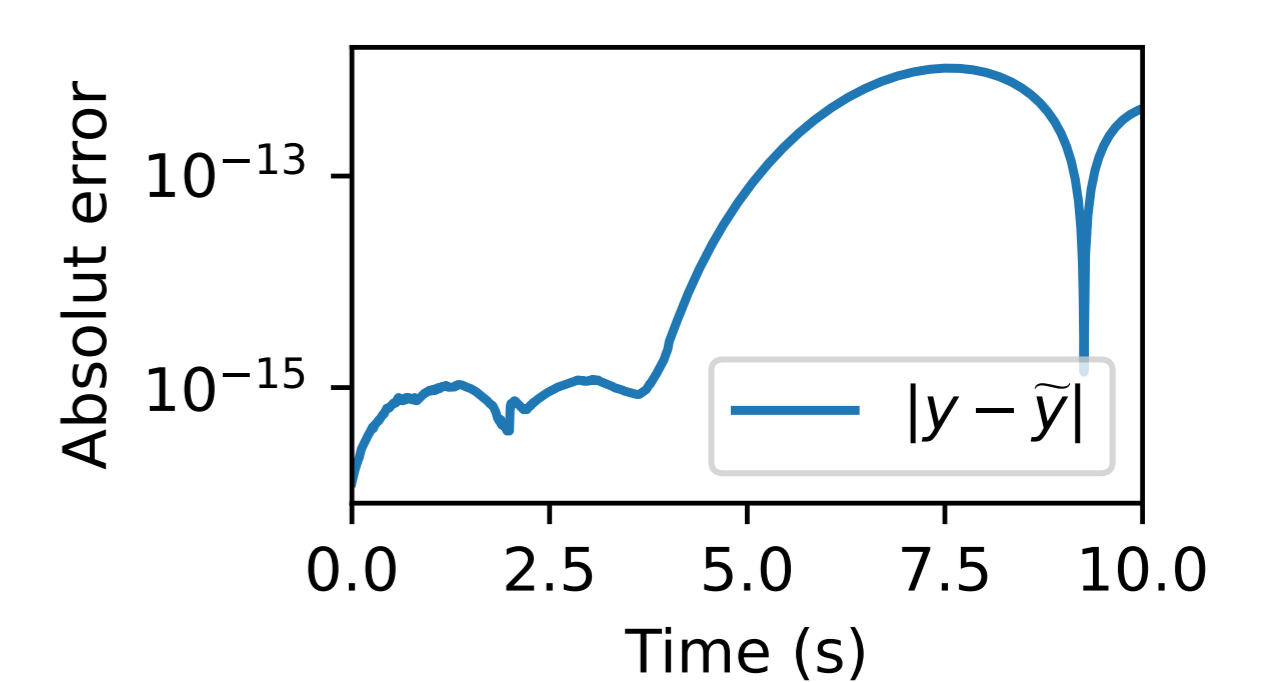
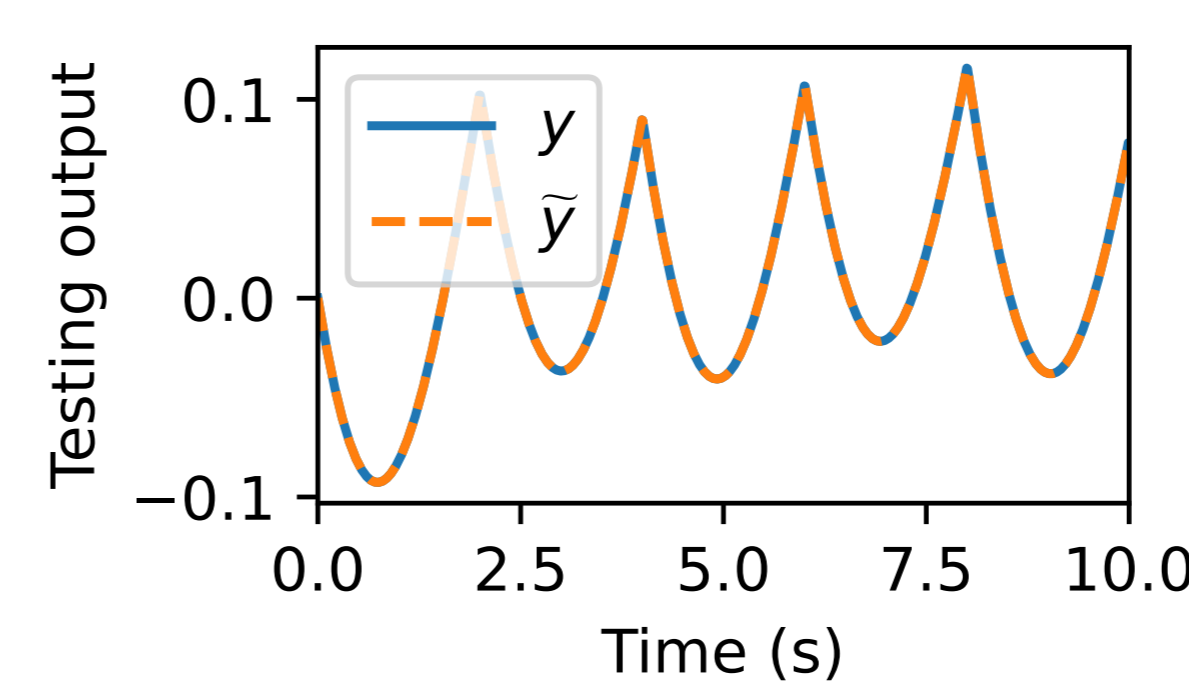
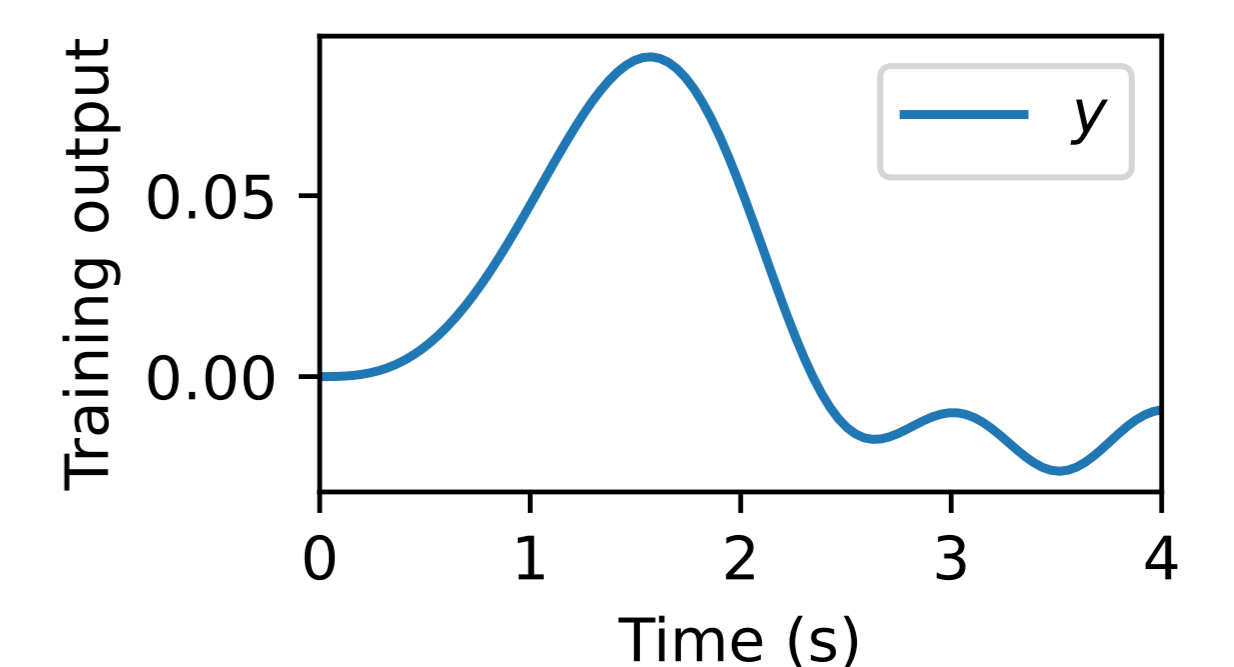
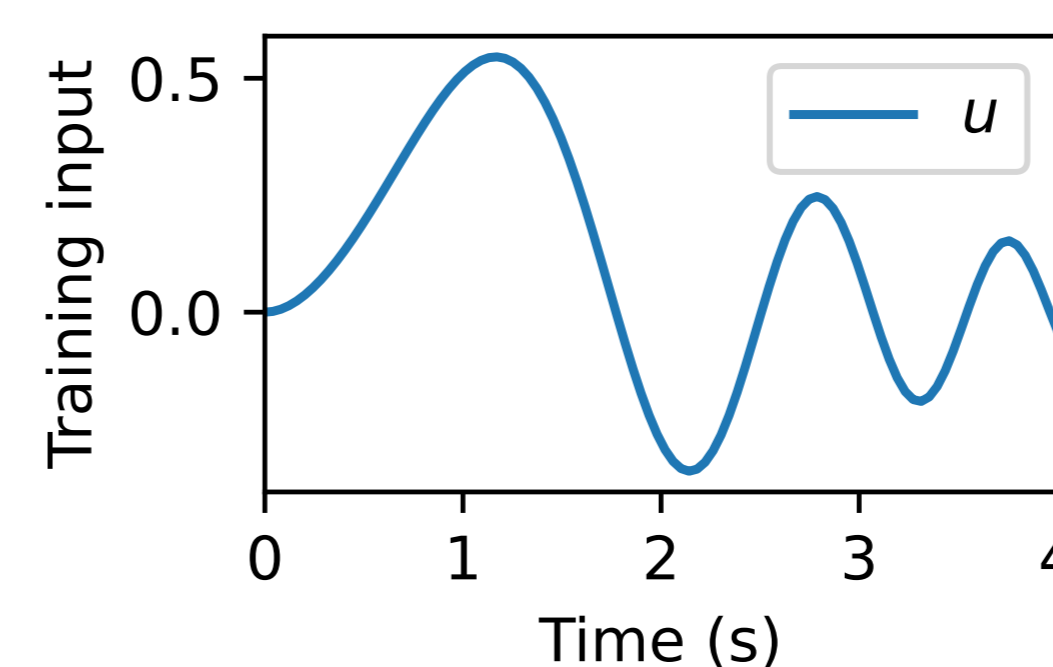
$$\mathcal{J}^* := V\Sigma^{-1} \text{skew}(\tilde{\mathcal{Z}})\Sigma^{-1} V^\top \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{R}^* := V\Sigma^{-1} \mathcal{P}_\Sigma(-\tilde{\mathcal{Z}})\Sigma^{-1} V^\top.$$

Then, \mathcal{J}^* and \mathcal{R}^* are the unique minimum-norm minimizers of (3).

Numerical Results

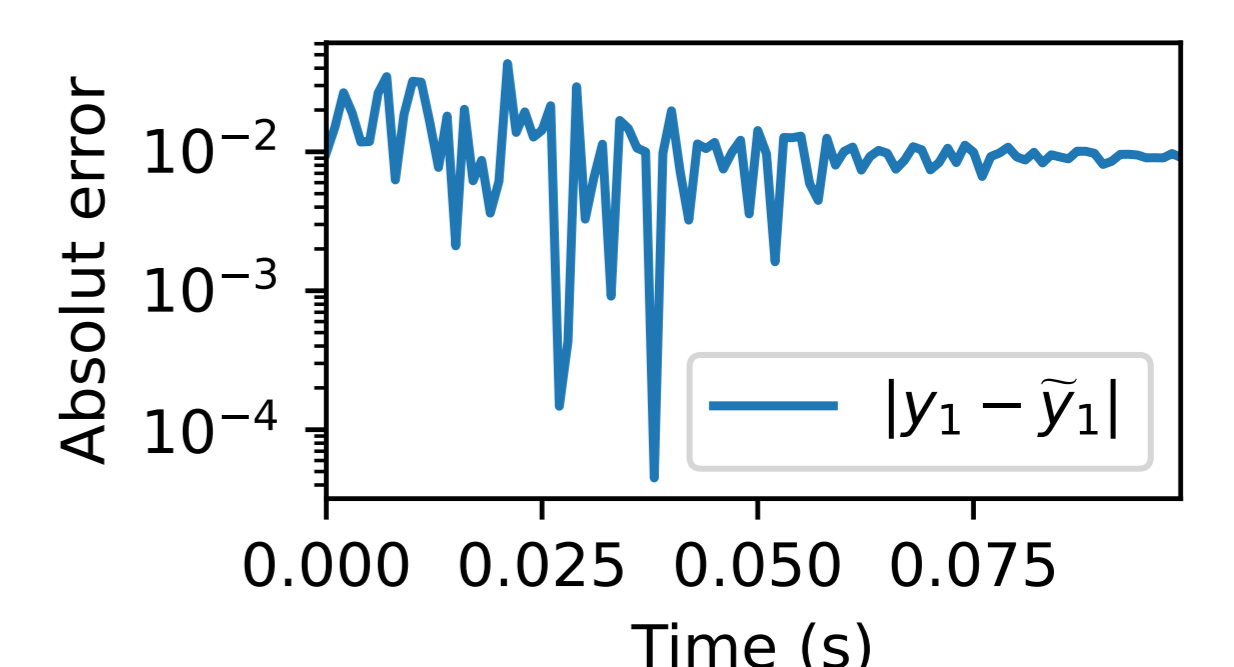
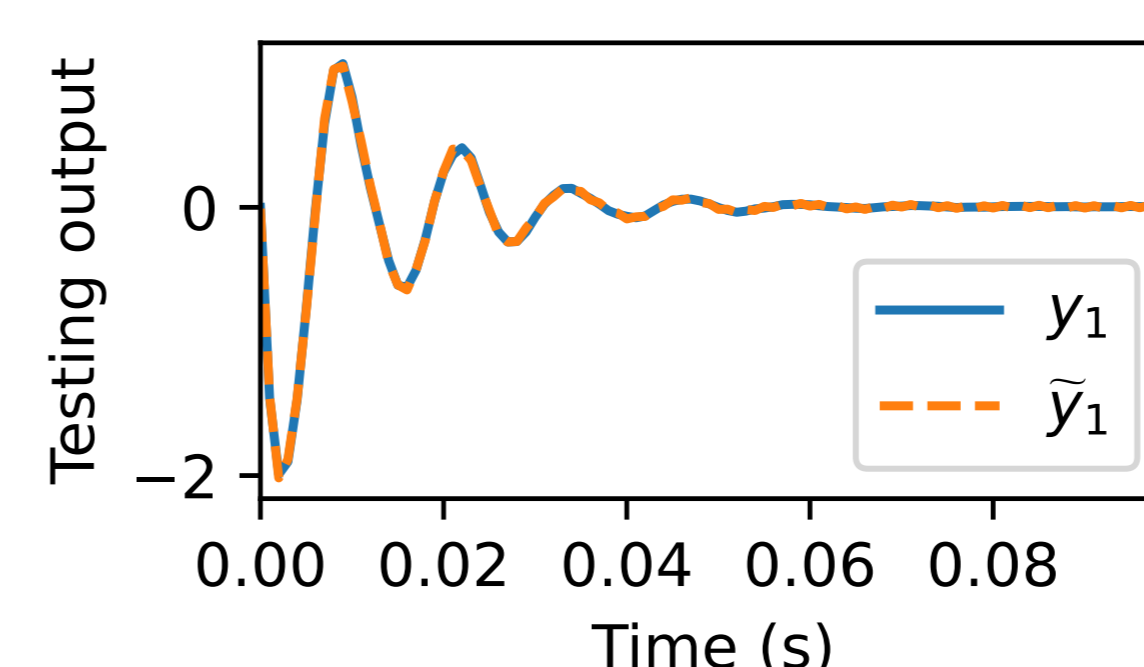
SISO mass-spring-damper system

$n = 6, m = 1, \text{rank}(\mathcal{T}) = 7$



MIMO poroelastic network model [1]

$n = 980, m = 2, \text{rank}(\mathcal{T}) = 100 \ll 982$



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