

The Fattorini-Hautus test

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Background on controllability

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Well-posedness : For every $y^0 \in H$ and $u \in L^2(0, T; U)$, there exists a unique solution

$$y(t) = S(t)y^0 + \int_0^t S(t-s)Bu(s) ds, \quad \forall t \in [0, T].$$

Note that $y \in C^0([0, T]; H)$ with

$$\|y(t)\|_H \leq C \left(\|y^0\|_H + \|u\|_{L^2(0, T; U)} \right), \quad \forall t \in [0, T]. \quad (\text{cont-dep})$$

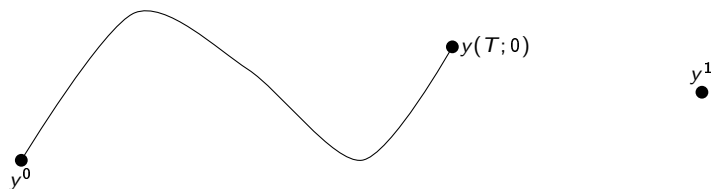


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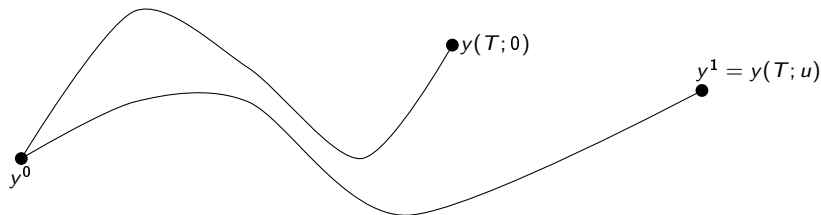


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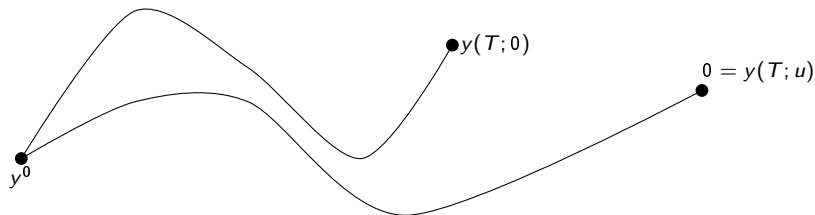


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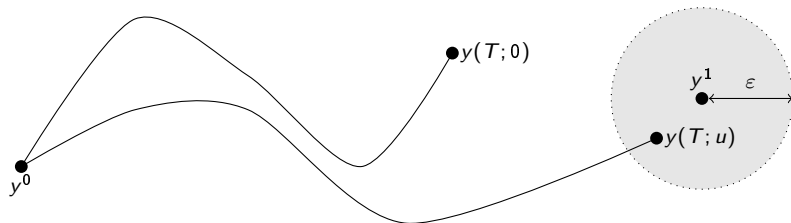


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Reformulation

Let

$$F_T : H \longrightarrow H$$
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Remark : If $\dim H < +\infty$ (in particular $A \in \mathcal{L}(H)$), then all these notions are equivalent :

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Presentation of the Fattorini-Hautus test

Let $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ and $B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times m}$.

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Proof : Let us denote $S(t) = e^{tA}$. Let

$$N = \{z \in \mathbb{C}^n, \quad B^*S(t)^*z = 0, \quad t \in [0, T]\}.$$

We have to prove that $N = \{0\}$. Taking $t = 0$ we see that

$$N \subset \ker B^*.$$

Taking the derivative of the identity $B^*S(t)^*z = 0$ we obtain

$$A^*N \subset N.$$

Thus, if $N \neq \{0\}$, there exist eigen-elements $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ et $\xi \in \mathbb{C}^n$ such that

$$\xi \neq 0, \quad \xi \in \ker(\lambda - A^*) \cap \ker B^*,$$

a contradiction with (Fatt). □

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Theorem (Fattorini (1966))

Assume that :

- (i) A generates an analytic C_0 -semigroup.
- (ii) $\sigma(A) = \{\lambda_k\}$ has only isolated eigenvalues with finite (alg.) multiplicities.
- (iii) The family of generalized eigenvectors of A is complete in H .

Then, (4) is approximately controllable if, and only if,

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Remarks :

- (i) implies that the approximate controllability does not depend on the time T .
- (ii) is satisfied if the resolvent of A is compact.
- (iii) holds for perturbations of self-adjoint operators (Keldysh's theorem).

Proof of the Fattorini-Hautus test

Let $N = \{z \in H, B^*S(t)^*z = 0 \text{ a.e. } t \in (0, +\infty)\}$. The Laplace transform gives

$$N = \{z \in H, B^*(\lambda - A^*)^{-1}z = 0, \quad \forall \lambda \in \rho(A^*)\}.$$

Let

$$P_k = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|\xi - \lambda_k| = \varepsilon_k} (\xi - A)^{-1} d\xi.$$

By (ii) we have $\dim \text{Im } P_k^* < +\infty$ with

$$\text{Im } P_k^* = \ker(\overline{\lambda_k} - A^*)^{m_k}.$$

Set

$$N_{k,j} = (\overline{\lambda_k} - A^*)^j P_k^* N.$$

Since

$$N_{k,m_k} = \{0\},$$

we have

$$A^* N_{k,m_k-1} \subset N_{k,m_k-1}.$$

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the Fattorini-Hautus test (Fatt) gives

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By iteration,

$$N_{k,0} = P_k^* N = \{0\}.$$

Since this is true for every k , by (iii) we obtain $N = \{0\}$. □

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Approximate controllability of the heat equation

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"Classical" proof : We write

$$z(t) = \sum_{k=1}^{+\infty} \alpha_k e^{-\lambda_k t} \phi_k, \quad (\Delta \phi_k = -\lambda_k \phi_k).$$

Using the analyticity in time,

$$\mathbb{1}_\omega z(t) = \sum_{k=1}^{+\infty} \alpha_k e^{-\lambda_k t} (\mathbb{1}_\omega \phi_k) = 0, \quad \forall t \in [0, +\infty).$$

Multiplying by $e^{\lambda_1 t}$ and letting $t \rightarrow +\infty$:

$$\alpha_1 \mathbb{1}_\omega \phi_1 = 0 \quad (\text{rem : } \phi_1 \in \ker(-\lambda_1 - \Delta) \cap \ker \mathbb{1}_\omega).$$

Thus, $\alpha_1 = 0$. Then we iterate, we multiply by $e^{\lambda_2 t}$ to obtain $\alpha_2 = 0$, etc.

Controllability of parabolic systems

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Toy model of parabolic systems

We will focus on the distributed controllability of the following 2×2 system by 1 control :

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t y_1 - \Delta y_1 = \mathbb{1}_\omega u & \text{in } (0, T) \times \Omega, \\ \partial_t y_2 - \Delta y_2 = a_{21}(x)y_1 & \text{in } (0, T) \times \Omega, \\ y_1 = y_2 = 0 & \text{on } (0, T) \times \partial\Omega, \\ y_1(0) = y_1^0, \quad y_2(0) = y_2^0, & \text{in } \Omega, \end{cases} \quad (\text{sys})$$

where

- (y_1, y_2) is the state and $(y_1^0, y_2^0) \in L^2(\Omega)^2$ the initial data,
- $u \in L^2(0, T; L^2(\Omega))$ is the control,
- $\omega \subset \Omega$ localises in space the control,
- $a_{21} \in L^\infty(\Omega)$ couples the second equation to the first one.

Remark : The controllability of (sys) by 2 controls is easy (apply Carleman estimates to both equations and add them up).

Theorem (de Teresa (2000))

Assume that there exist a nonempty open subset $\omega' \subset\subset \omega$ and $\varepsilon > 0$ such that

$$a_{21}(x) \geq \varepsilon, \quad \text{a.e. } x \in \omega'.$$

Then, (sys) is null-controllable in time T for every $T > 0$.

This hypothesis thus requires that $\omega \cap \text{supp } a_{21} \neq \emptyset$.

Let

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$$\ker(-\lambda_k - A^*) = V_k \oplus^\perp W_k,$$

where

$$V_k = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} v \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mid v \in \ker(-\lambda_k - \Delta) \right\}, \quad W_k = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} S_k(a_{21}w) \\ w \end{pmatrix} \mid w \in \ker(-\lambda_k - \Delta) \cap \ker(P_k a_{21}) \right\},$$

where $S_k : f \in \ker P_k \mapsto v \in \ker P_k$ with v the unique solution (in $\ker P_k$) of

$$\begin{cases} (-\lambda_k - \Delta)v & = f & \text{in } \Omega, \\ v & = 0 & \text{on } \partial\Omega. \end{cases}$$

Theorem (Kavian and de Teresa (2010), Olive (2014))

Assume that

$$\ker(-\lambda_k - \Delta) \cap \ker(P_k a_{21}) = \{0\}, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N}^*. \quad (5)$$

Then, (syst) is approximately controllable.

- In general, (5) is not a necessary condition.
- (5) can be reformulated into

$$\det \left(\int_{\Omega} a_{21} \phi_{k,i} \phi_{k,j} dx \right)_{1 \leq i,j \leq m_k} \neq 0, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N}^*, \quad (6)$$

where $\phi_{k,1}, \dots, \phi_{k,m_k}$ is a basis of $\ker(-\lambda_k - \Delta)$.

- In the one-dimensional case $\Omega = (0, 1)$ (denoting $\phi_{k,1} = \phi_k$ since $m_k = 1$)

$$\mathcal{I}_k = \int_0^1 a_{21}(\phi_k)^2 dx \neq 0, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N}^*.$$

Let

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{1}_\omega \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad D(B) = L^2(\Omega)^2.$$

By the Fattorini-Hautus test, the approximate controllability is equivalent to

$$\ker(-\lambda_k - A^*) \cap \ker B^* = \{0\}, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N}^*.$$

By assumption

$$W_k = \{0\}, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N}^*,$$

so that

$$\ker(-\lambda_k - A^*) = V_k = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} v \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mid v \in \ker(-\lambda_k - \Delta) \right\}, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N}^*.$$

As a result

$$\begin{pmatrix} v \\ w \end{pmatrix} \in \ker(-\lambda_k - A^*) \cap \ker B^* \iff (w = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad v \in \ker(-\lambda_k - \Delta) \cap \ker \mathbb{1}_\omega).$$

The unique continuation for a single equation then gives

$$v = 0.$$



- In this part, we focus again on the approximate controllability.
- By the Fattorini-Hautus test, we have to study the property

$$\left. \begin{array}{ll} -\Delta v - \lambda_k v = a_{21} w & \text{in } \Omega \\ -\Delta w - \lambda_k w = 0 & \text{in } \Omega \\ u = 0 & \text{in } \omega \end{array} \right\} \implies v = w = 0 \text{ in } \Omega.$$

We treat this problem as a nonhomogeneous scalar equation :

$$-\Delta v - \lambda_k v = F \quad \text{in } \Omega,$$

where $F = a_{21} w$ is known.

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- For every $C \in \mathcal{C}(\overline{\Omega \setminus \omega})$ and $F \in L^2(\Omega)$, let $M_k(F, C)$ be the vector of \mathbb{R}^2 defined by

$$M_k(F, C) = \begin{pmatrix} \int_C F \phi_k dx \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ if } C \cap \partial\Omega \neq \emptyset, \quad M_k(F, C) = \begin{pmatrix} \int_C F \phi_k dx \\ \int_C F \phi_k' dx \end{pmatrix} \text{ si } C \cap \partial\Omega = \emptyset,$$

For instance,

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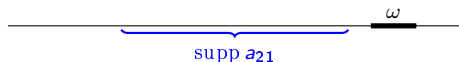
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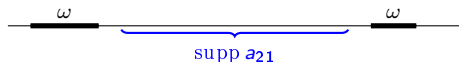
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Consider the two following geometric configurations for ω :



(a) ω is connected



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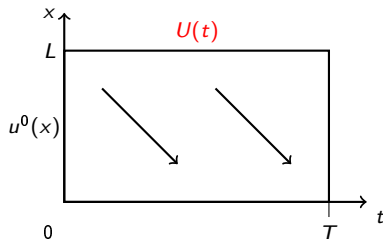
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where :

- $T > 0$ is the time of control and $L > 0$ is the length of the domain.
- u^0 is the initial data and u is the state.
- $g \in L^2((0, L) \times (0, L))$ is a given kernel.
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Stabilization :

- Finite time stabilization \implies rap. stabilization \implies exp. stabilization.

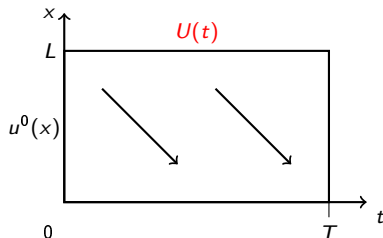
Relations :

- Finite time stabilization \implies (NC).
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 - Datko (1971) for bounded control operators

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In finite dimension, we can take $A_0 = A - \lambda$ with $\lambda > 0$ large enough, Coron (2015).

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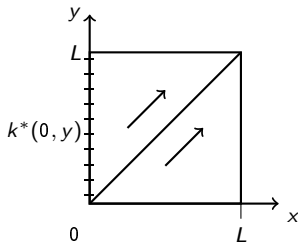
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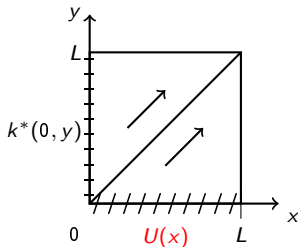
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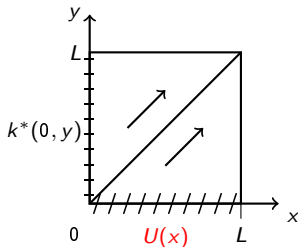
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PROBLEM : not every corresponding (Fred-transfo) is invertible.

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$$\xi \in \ker(\lambda - A^*) \cap \ker B^*,$$

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(unless $\lambda_0 = 0$).

Perturbation theorems

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Let H and U be two Hilbert spaces. Assume that

- $A_0 : D(A_0) \subset H \rightarrow H$ generates a C_0 -semigroup on H .
- $B \in \mathcal{L}(U, H)$ is bounded.
- $K \in \mathcal{L}(H)$.

Let us form

$$A_K = A_0 + K, \quad D(A_K) = D(A_0).$$

Theorem (Duprez and Olive, 2016)

We assume that :

- $\exists T^* > 0$ such that (A_0, B) is exactly controllable in time T^* .
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This is known as the uniqueness-compactness argument. Introduced in control theory by E. Zuazua (1987).

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Applications :

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- Controllability of systems of wave equations.
- Controllability of parabolic systems (by transmutation).
- etc.



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