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# SVD-BASED MODEL ORDER REDUCTION

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**Methods of Model Order Reduction**  
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Application of Laplace transform

$$\mathcal{L} : x(t) \mapsto x(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} x(t) dt \quad (\Rightarrow \dot{x}(t) \mapsto sx(s))$$

with  $s \in \mathbb{C}$  leads to linear system of equations:

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yields I/O-relation in frequency domain:

$$Y(s) = \underbrace{\left( C(sI_n - A)^{-1}B + D \right)}_{=: G(s)} U(s) = G(s)U(s).$$

$G$  is the **transfer function** of  $\Sigma$ ,  $G : \mathcal{L}_2^m \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_2^p$  ( $\mathcal{L}_2 := \mathcal{L}(L_2(-\infty, \infty))$ ).

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⇒ Approximation problem:

$$\min_{\text{order}(\hat{G}) \leq r} \|G - \hat{G}\| \quad \text{for } \mathcal{H}_2/\mathcal{H}_\infty \text{ norm.}$$



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An Inspiration: Image Compression by Truncated SVD

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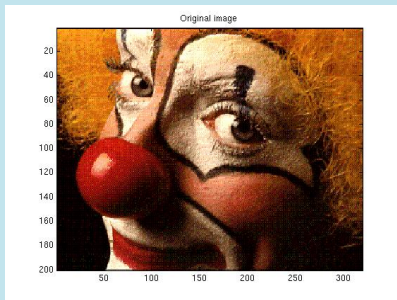
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### Idea for dimension reduction

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$\rightsquigarrow$  memory =  $4r \times (n_x + n_y)$  bytes.

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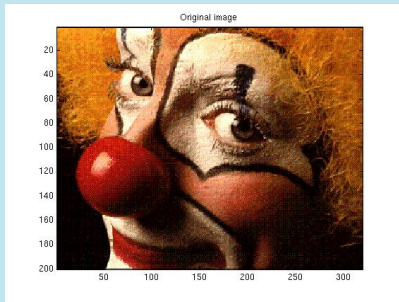


$320 \times 200$  pixel

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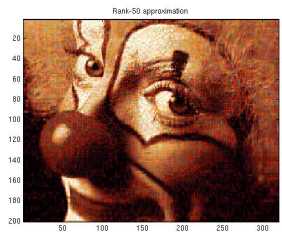


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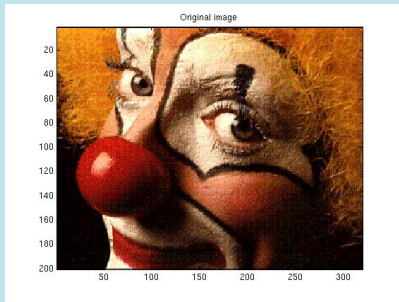


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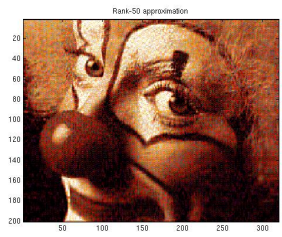


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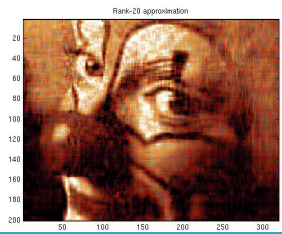


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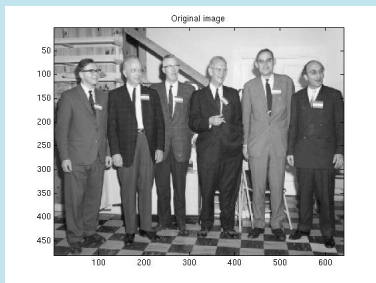


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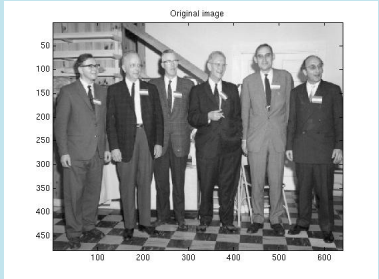
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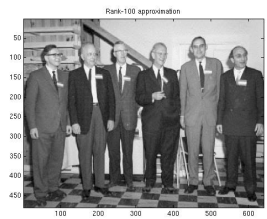
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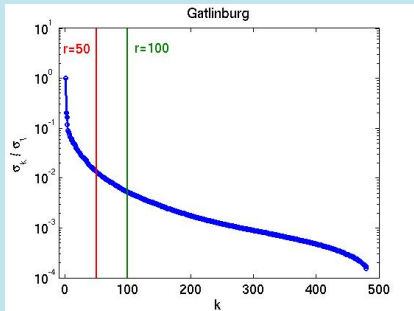
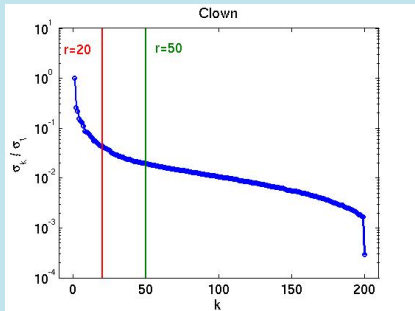


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Image data compression via SVD works, if the singular values decay (exponentially).

### Singular Values of the Image Data Matrices



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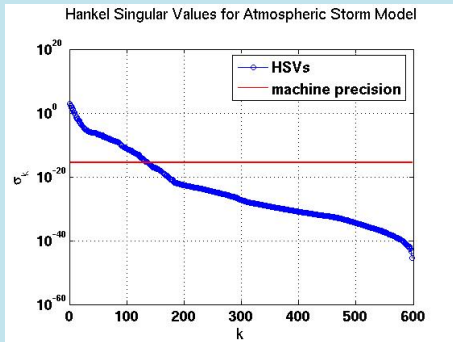
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**Static modes** are defined by setting  $\dot{x} = 0$  and assuming unit loads, i.e.,  $u(t) \equiv e_j, j = 1, \dots, m$ :

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Projection subspace  $\mathcal{V}$  is then augmented by  $A^{-1}[b_1, \dots, b_m] = A^{-1}B$ .

**Interpolation-projection framework**  $\implies G(0) = \hat{G}(0)$ !

If two-sided projection is used, complimentary subspace can be augmented by  $A^{-T}C^T \implies G'(0) = \hat{G}'(0)$ !

Note: if  $m \neq q$ , add random vectors or delete some of the columns in  $A^{-T}C^T$ .



### Guyan reduction (static condensation)

Partition states in **masters**  $x_1 \in \mathbb{R}^r$  and **slaves**  $x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{n-r}$  (FEM terminology)

Assume stationarity, i.e.,  $\dot{x} = 0$  and solve for  $x_2$  in

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$$\Rightarrow x_2 = -A_{22}^{-1}A_{21}x_1 - A_{22}^{-1}B_2u.$$

Inserting this into the first part of the dynamic system

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then yields the reduced-order model

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see [LAUB/HEATH/PAIGE/WARD 1987, TOMBS/POSTLETHWAITE 1987].

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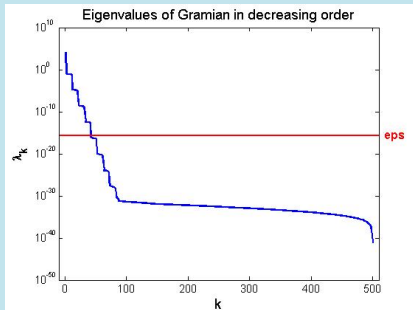
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  - + Software library M.E.S.S.<sup>a</sup> in C/MATLAB [B./SAAK/KÖHLER/UVM.],
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[Wachspress 1988]

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**Note:** Implementation in real arithmetic is possible: combine two steps [B./Li/Penzl 1999/2008] or employ the relations of consecutive complex factors [B./Kürschner/Saak 2011].

**Current implementations (pyMOR, M.E.S.S.) employ low-rank property of residual, update residual in each step, and compute new shifts on the fly!**

- Mathematical model: boundary control for linearized 2D heat equation.

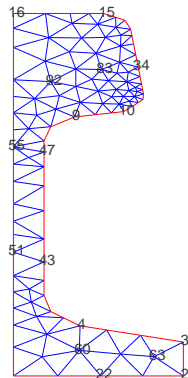
$$c \cdot \rho \frac{\partial}{\partial t} x = \lambda \Delta x, \quad \xi \in \Omega$$

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$$\frac{\partial}{\partial n} x = 0, \quad \xi \in \Gamma_7.$$

$$\implies m = 7, p = 6.$$

- FEM Discretization, different models for initial mesh ( $n = 371$ ),  
1, 2, 3, 4 steps of mesh refinement  $\implies$   
 $n = 1357, 5177, 20209, 79841$ .



Source: Physical model: courtesy of Mannesmann/Demag.

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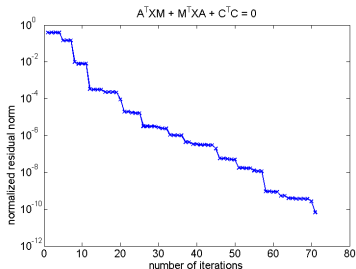
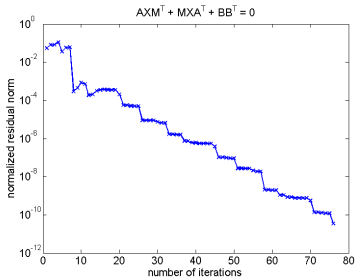


- Solve dual Lyapunov equations needed for balanced truncation, i.e.,

$$APM^T + MPA^T + BB^T = 0, \quad A^TQM + M^TQA + C^TC = 0,$$

for  $n = 79,841$ .

- 25 shifts chosen by Penzl heuristic from 50/25 Ritz values of  $A$  of largest/smallest magnitude, no column compression performed.
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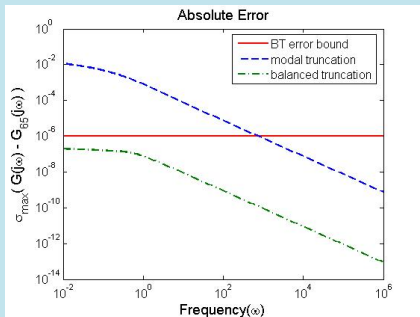
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Note:

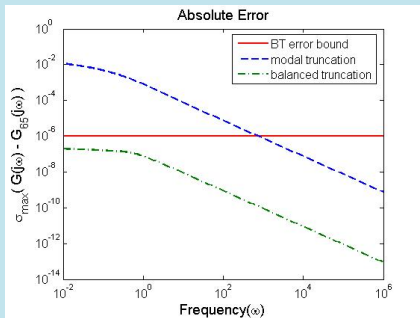
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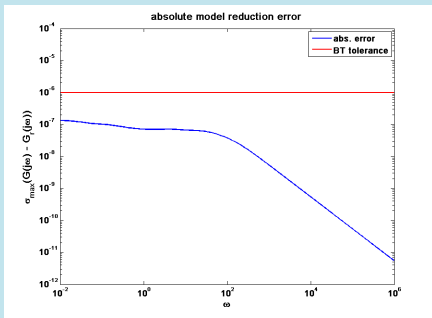
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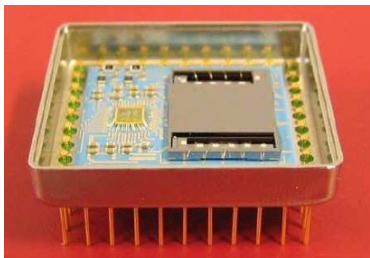


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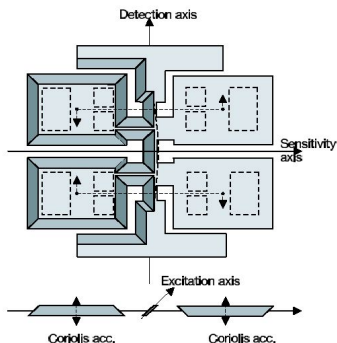


- BT model computed using M-M.E.S.S. in MATLAB,



- By applying AC voltage to electrodes, wings are forced to vibrate in anti-phase in wafer plane.
- Coriolis forces induce motion of wings out of wafer plane yielding sensor data.

- Vibrating micro-mechanical gyroscope for inertial navigation.
- Rotational position sensor.



Source: [http://modelreduction.org/index.php/Modified\\_Gyroscope](http://modelreduction.org/index.php/Modified_Gyroscope)



## Balanced Truncation

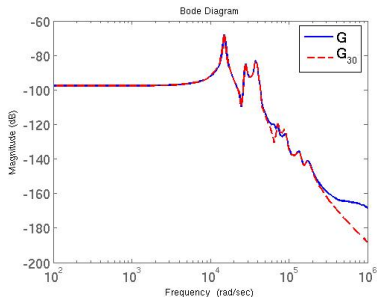
Numerical example for BT: Microgyroscope (Butterfly Gyro)

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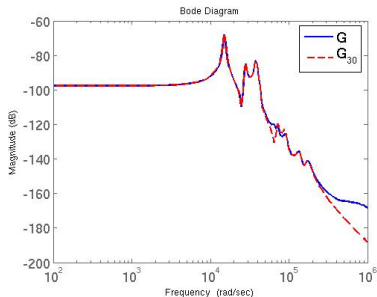
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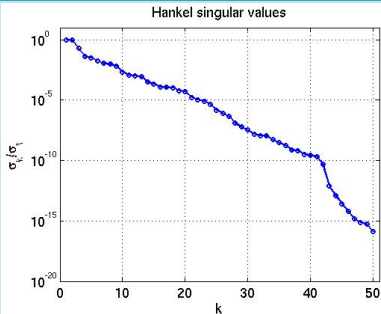


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## LQG Balanced Truncation (LQGBT)

[JONCKHEERE/SILVERMAN 1983]

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[DESAI/PAL 1984, GREEN 1988]

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[GREEN 1988]

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## Other Balancing-Based Methods

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$$\dot{x} = A(p)x + B(p)u, \quad y = C(p)x,$$

where  $p \in \mathbb{R}^d$  is a free parameter vector; parameters should be preserved in the reduced-order model.

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