

The Design and Research of the Sliding Mode Control of a New Chaotic System

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Abstract

This thesis makes a research about the Sliding Mode Control of a new chaotic system. Taking advantage of PI switching manifold method, it projects a kind of sliding mode controller and fuzzy the switching function of sliding mode surface with membership function, then finally adopts the output of fuzzy controller. What's more, this method simultaneously makes full use of PI control as well as SMC based on the new area control error, choosing the integral sliding surface equation which makes the system enter into the state of sliding mode from the beginning. Then it turns into the PI control on the basis of new area control error. Making the system output track a given goal until the elimination of tracking error in the main theoretically proves the global stability of this sliding mode controller, and the numerical simulation experiment further shows its simplicity as well as availability, besides, makes sure the steady availability of the whole system.

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1. Introduction

Chaotic motion was first discovered in 1963 by an American meteorologist Lorenz when he studied regional microclimate and tried to solve model equation. In 1982, Holden found the chaotic attractor and Moon discovered it again in physical system in 1992. Later, in 2003, Liu and Chen put forward a new kind of chaotic system, which revealed complexed two and four vortexes in simulation experiment.

Recently, Yassen designs a linearity feedback controller and achieves the control of novel chaotic system equipped with the quality of particle stability; and Chang uses sliding mode control to realize the chaotic control of Rössler's system. On the basis of their representative analysis, this thesis projects a kind of sliding mode controller and theoretically proves its global stability, besides, the numerical simulation experiment further shows its simplicity as well as availability.

2. The Design of Sliding Mode Controller

Representatively, considering the following nonlinear system

$$\dot{X} = AX + BF(X) + C, \quad (1)$$

Here $A \in R^{n \times n}$, $B \in R^{n \times m}$, $C \in R^{n \times 1}$, $F: R^n \rightarrow R^m (m \leq n)$, $F(X)$ is nonlinear mapping, AX is linear segment, $BF(X)$ is nonlinear segment, $X \in R^{n \times 1}$ is state variety, C is a constant matrix.

Make the equilibrium point of system (1) as $\bar{X} = [\bar{x}_1 \ \bar{x}_2 \ \dots \bar{x}_n]^T$, the error between state variety and equilibrium point is

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} E_1(t) \\ E_2(t) \\ \vdots \\ E_n(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - \bar{x}_1 \\ x_2 - \bar{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n - \bar{x}_n \end{bmatrix}. \quad (2)$$

The controlled form in system (1) is

$$\dot{X} = AX + BF(X) + C + U, \quad (3)$$

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} u_1(t) \\ u_2(t) \\ \vdots \\ u_m(t) \end{bmatrix}, \quad (4)$$

Here $U \in R^{m \times 1}$ is control item, m means the number of nonlinear items in system (3). From (2) and (3) we can conclude that the error dynamic system is

$$\dot{E} = \dot{X} - \dot{\bar{X}} = AE + BF' + BU, \quad (5)$$

Here $F' \in R^{m \times 1}$ is the error of relevant nonlinear items in system (3). And our control objective is to design suitable sliding mode controller and meet the following equation

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|E(t)\| = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \| [E_1(t) \ E_2(t) \ \dots \ E_n(t)]^T \| \rightarrow 0. \quad (6)$$

Usually, the design of sliding mode controller consists of two parts. Firstly, it should choose a switching manifold and assure that

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|E\| \rightarrow 0;$$

Then examine the controller again to make the error dynamic system (5) arrive at the switching manifold within limited time, along which it can march towards the equilibrium point [1]. And the key is to select the suitable as well as stable switching manifold and to examine the sliding mode controller for making the system approach the switching manifold as soon as possible. Basing on the theory mentioned above, we can define PI switching manifold as

$$S = CE - \int_0^t (CA + CBK)E(\tau) d\tau, \quad (7)$$

Here $S = [s_1 \ s_2 \ \dots \ s_m]^T$, $C \in R^{m \times n}$, $K \in R^{m \times n}$. Choose C and make it meet the condition of $CB \neq 0$, that is to say, CB is nonsingular matrix. At the same time, choose K to make all the real parts of eigenvalue in matrix $A + BK$ are negative numbers, so $A + BK$ is

steady. According to the theory of variable structure control, it should satisfy the following equation when error dynamic system (5) doing the sliding mode motion [2].

$$S = CE - \int_0^t (CA + CBK)E(\tau)d\tau = 0, \quad (8)$$

$$\dot{S} = C\dot{E} - (CA + CBK)E = 0. \quad (9)$$

From equation (5) and (9)

$$\dot{S} = CAE + CBF' + CBU_{eq} - CAE - CBKE = CB(U_{eq} + F' - KE) = 0, \quad (10)$$

As $CB \neq 0$, the equivalent control of sliding mode is

$$U_{eq} = KE - F' \quad (11)$$

From equation (5) and (11)

$$\dot{E} = AE + BF' + BU_{eq} = AE + BF' + BKE - BF' = AE + BKE = (A + BK)E. \quad (12)$$

From (12) it can conclude that we can choose suitable K through pole assignment method to make sure that all the eigenvalue of matrix $A + BK$ are negative numbers, in this way can ensure the steadiness of error dynamic system (5) on the switching manifold as well as $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|E\| = 0$.

Next, we will design a relevant control rate to assure that the error dynamic system (5) arrive at the switching manifold within limited time and further achieve the sliding mode motion [3].

Lemma One If the condition of arrival in the following sliding mode established, the sliding mode motion will go into a stable situation step by step.

$$S^T(t)\dot{S}(t) < 0. \quad (13)$$

Proof: Make the function of Lyapunov as

$$V(t) = \frac{1}{2} S^T(t)S(t),$$

The derivative of $V(t)$ is

$$\dot{V}(t) = S^T(t)\dot{S}(t). \quad (14)$$

According to Lyapunov's stability theory, if $S^T(t)\dot{S}(t) < 0$, the origin becomes gradually state point, thus $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} S(t) = 0$. Proof finished [4-6].

In order to make sure the establishment of condition in Lemma One, relevant control rate is given by the following equation

$$U = -\lambda(CB)^{-1} \|CB\| (\|KE\| + \|F'\|) \text{sign}(S), \quad (15)$$

Here $\lambda > 1$, $\text{sign}(\cdot)$ is sign function, so if $S > 0, \text{sign}(S) = 1$, if $S < 0, \text{sign}(S) = -1$,

if $S = 0, \text{sign}(S) = 0$. Then we will prove that the mentioned control rate can make the error dynamic system arrive at the switching manifold and finally achieve sliding mode motion.

Theorem one: The control rate U given by (15) can make the arrival condition of sliding mode in (13) valid.

Proof: combining (5) and (15) with $S^T(t)\dot{S}(t)$:

$$\begin{aligned} S^T \dot{S} &= S^T [C\dot{E} - CAE - CBKE] = S^T [CBF' - \lambda \|CB\| (\|KE\| + \|F'\|) \text{sign}(S) - CBKE] \\ &\leq -\lambda \|CB\| (\|KE\| + \|F'\|) S^T \text{sign}(S) + (\|CBF'\| + \|CBKE\|) \|S\|. \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

As $S^T \text{sign}(S) \geq \|S\|, \lambda > 1$, so

$$S^T \dot{S} \leq (1 - \lambda) (\|CB\| (\|KE\| + \|F'\|)) \|S\| < 0, \quad (17)$$

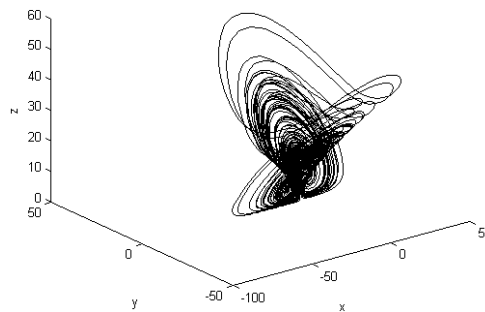
The arrival condition of sliding mode founded. Proof finished.

3. The Description of New Chaotic System and Its Sliding Mode Control

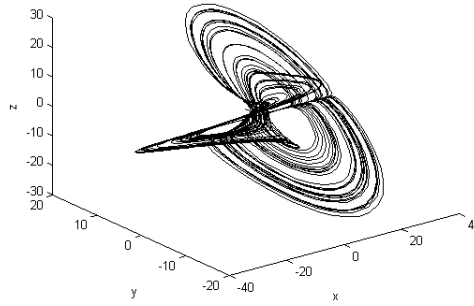
The new chaotic system is:

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = ax_1 - x_2x_3 \\ \dot{x}_2 = -bx_2 + x_1x_3, \\ \dot{x}_3 = -cx_3 + x_1x_2 \end{cases} \quad (18)$$

Here the controller parameter $a > 0, b > 0, c > 0$. When $a = 4.5, b = 12, c = 5$, system (18) becomes chaotic attractors with two vortexes. When $a = 0.4, b = 12, c = 5$, system (18) turns into chaotic attractors with four vortexes [7-9]. Figure 1 shows the relevant chaotic attractors in system (18).



(a) When $a = 4.5, b = 12, c = 5$, the chaotic attractors with two vortexes



(b) When $a = 0.4, b = 12, c = 5$, the chaotic attractors with four vortices

Figure 1. The chaotic attractors in system (18)

Rewriting the system (18) with system (1)

$$\dot{\mathbf{X}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{X} + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{X}), \quad (19)$$

Here

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -c \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \dot{\mathbf{X}} = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{X}) = \begin{bmatrix} -x_2x_3 \\ x_1x_3 \\ x_1x_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The controlled form of system (18)

$$\dot{\mathbf{X}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{X} + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{X}) + \mathbf{U}, \quad (20)$$

Here

$$\mathbf{U} = \begin{bmatrix} u_1(t) \\ u_2(t) \\ u_3(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

is undetermined control item, error dynamic system (5) can be concretized as

$$\dot{\mathbf{E}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{F}' + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{U}, \quad (21)$$

Here

$$\mathbf{E} = \begin{bmatrix} E_1(t) \\ E_2(t) \\ E_3(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - \bar{x}_1 \\ x_2 - \bar{x}_2 \\ x_3 - \bar{x}_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{F}' = \begin{bmatrix} -(x_2x_3 - \bar{x}_2\bar{x}_3) \\ x_1x_3 - \bar{x}_1\bar{x}_3 \\ x_1x_2 - \bar{x}_1\bar{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -E_2E_3 - E_2\bar{x}_3 - E_3\bar{x}_2 \\ E_1E_3 + E_1\bar{x}_3 + E_3\bar{x}_1 \\ E_1E_2 + E_1\bar{x}_2 + E_2\bar{x}_1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

In order to test the availability of controller (15), this thesis will regulate respectively the chaotic attractors with two or four vortices, making them stabilize at the settled equilibrium point from random initial state within limited time.

4. Simulation Experiment

4.1. The control of chaotic attractor with two vortexes

Make controller parameter $a = 4.5, b = 12, c = 5$, and choose

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

When $CB \neq 0$. Use pole assignment method to choose

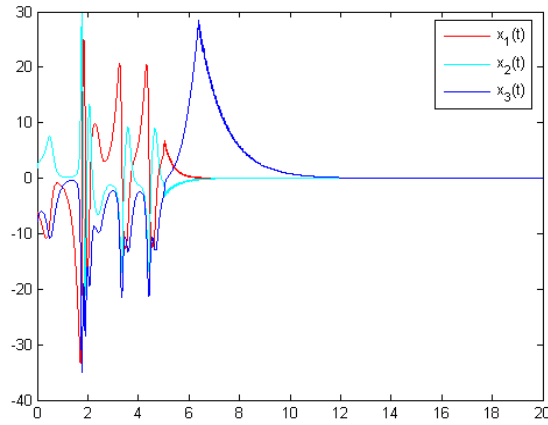
$$K = \begin{bmatrix} -7.5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix},$$

Make sure that all the real parts of eigenvalue in matrix $A + BK$ are negative numbers. Then take constant $\lambda = 1.6$ and meet the condition of $\lambda > 1$.

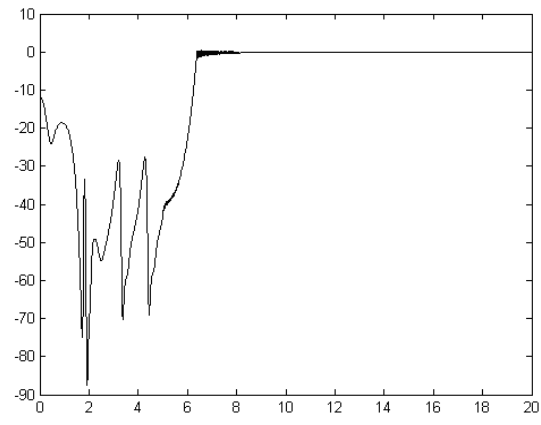
$$S = CE - \int_0^t (CA + CBK)E(\tau)d\tau \Rightarrow \begin{cases} s_1 = E_1(\tau) - \int_0^t [-3 \ 0 \ 0]E(\tau)d\tau \\ s_2 = E_2(\tau) - \int_0^t [0 \ -2 \ 0]E(\tau)d\tau \\ s_3 = E_3(\tau) - \int_0^t [0 \ 0 \ -1]E(\tau)d\tau \end{cases} \quad (22)$$

$$\begin{aligned} U &= -\lambda(CB)^{-1} \|CB\| (\|KE\| + \|F\|) \text{sign}(S) \\ \Rightarrow \begin{cases} u_1 = -1.6(\|[-7.5 \ 0 \ 0]E\| + \|F'\|) \text{sign}(s_1) \\ u_2 = -1.6(\|[0 \ 10 \ 0]E\| + \|F'\|) \text{sign}(s_2) \\ u_3 = -1.6(\|[0 \ 0 \ 4]E\| + \|F'\|) \text{sign}(s_3) \end{cases} \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

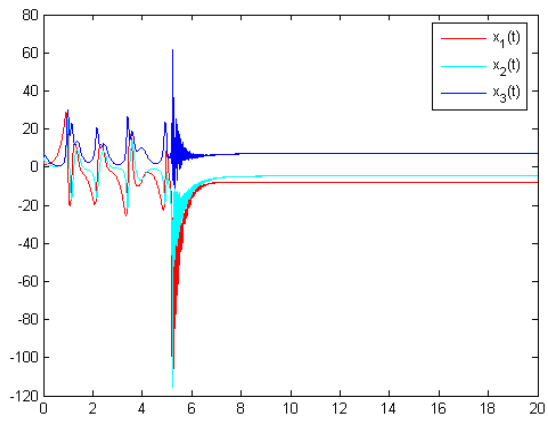
Adopt Runge-Kutta's method to solve system (20) and select time step $\tau = 0.005$ (sec). The equilibrium point of system (18) is $\bar{X}_4 = [7.746 \ 4.7434 \ 7.3485]^T$. The initial value of system which stabilizes at \bar{X}_0 points is $X_{00} = [-6 \ 1.7 \ -8]^T$, the value at \bar{X}_1 and \bar{X}_2 point is $X_{01} = X_{02} = [3 \ 5 \ 8]^T$, and the value at \bar{X}_3 and \bar{X}_4 point is $X_{03} = X_{04} = [-3 \ -5 \ 8]^T$, and then open the sliding mode controller when $t = 5$ (sec). Figure 2 shows the results of numerical simulation [10-12]. From Figure 2, after opening system (20), they respectively stabilize the points within little time, besides, the corresponding switching manifolds of each points soon converge to zero.



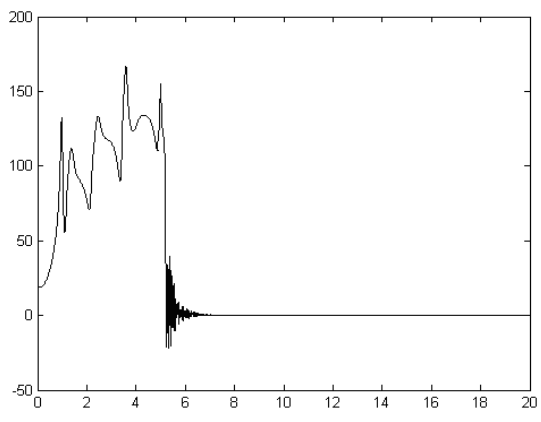
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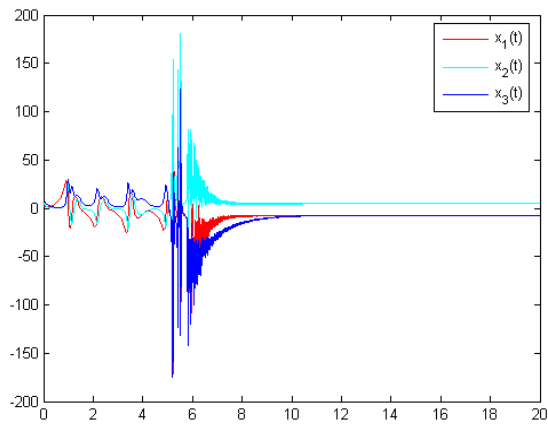
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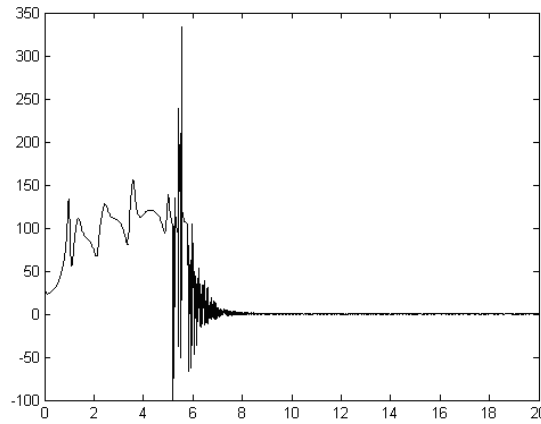
(c) The response curve when system (20) stabilizes at \bar{X}_1 point



(d) The corresponding response curve of S when stabilizing at \bar{X}_1 point



(e) The response curve when system(20) stabilizes at \bar{X}_2 point



(f) The corresponding response curve of S when stabilizing at \bar{X}_2 point

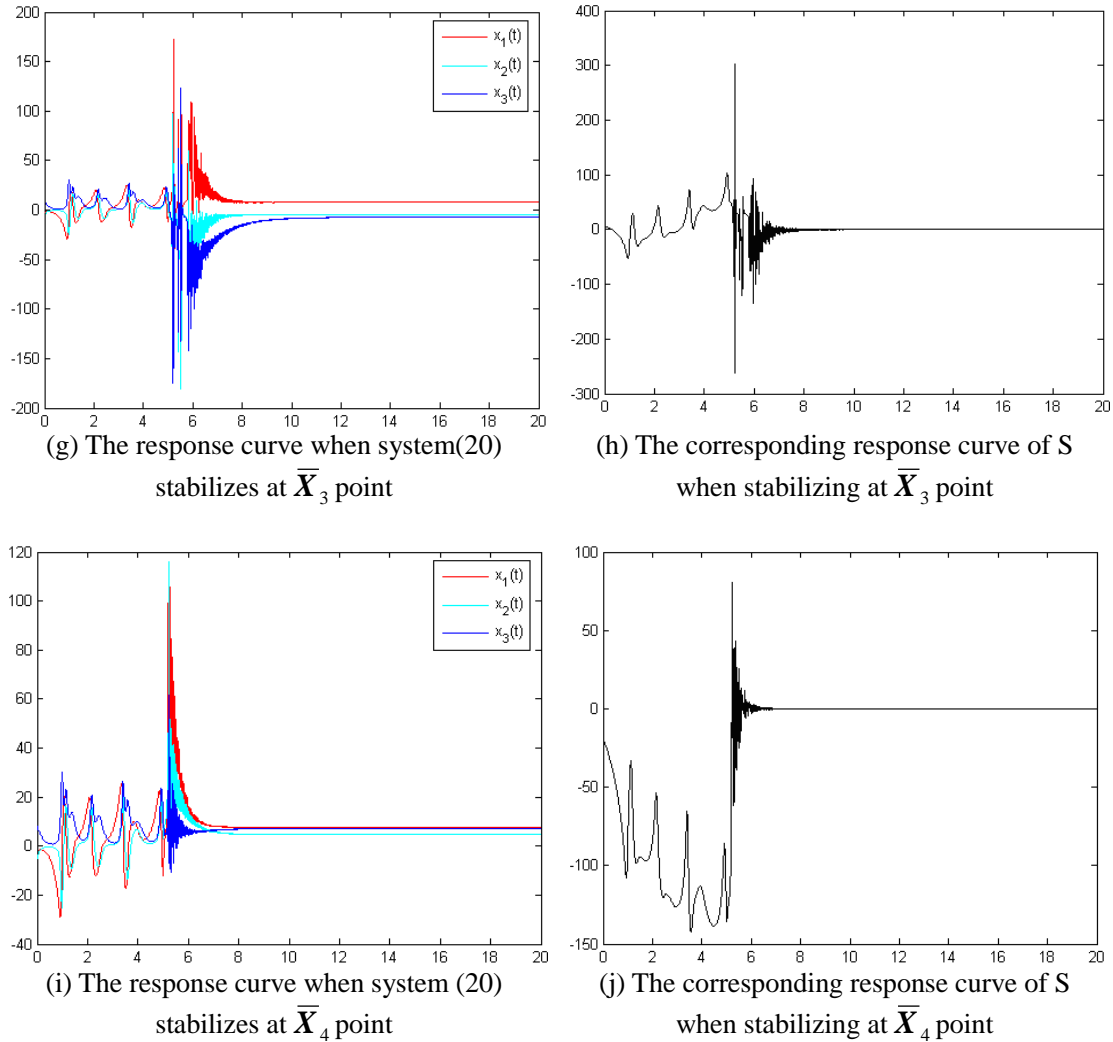


Figure 2. The Response Curve of System When Stabilizing at Each Equilibrium Point and Its Corresponding Response Curve of S

4.2. The control of chaotic attractors with four vortices

Make controller parameter $a = 0.4, b = 12, c = 5$, and choose

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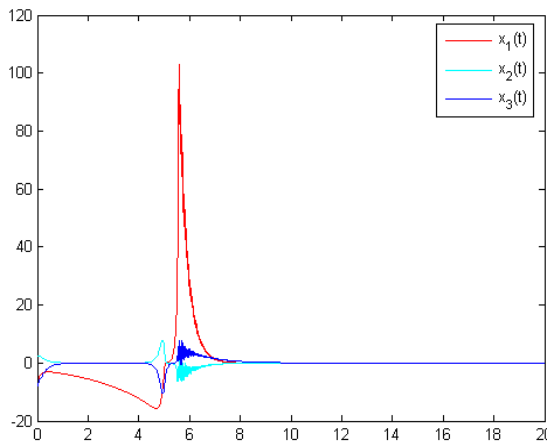
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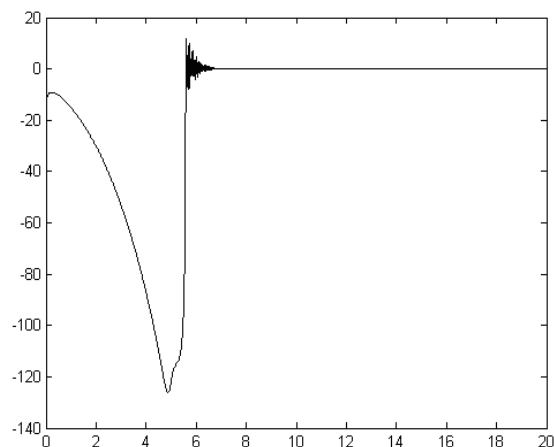
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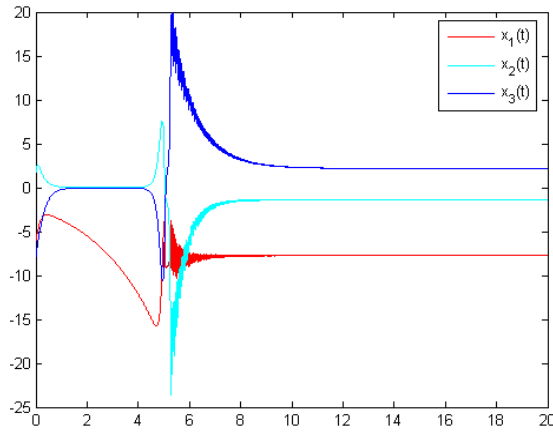
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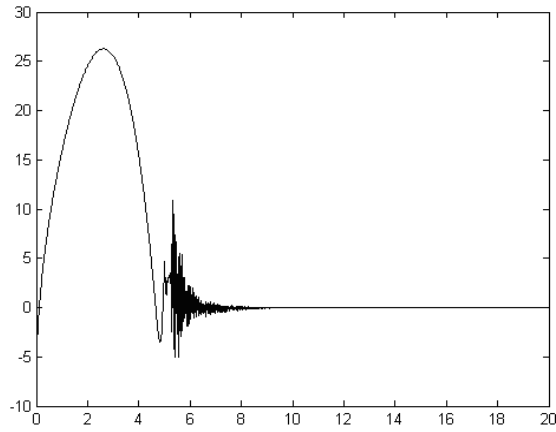
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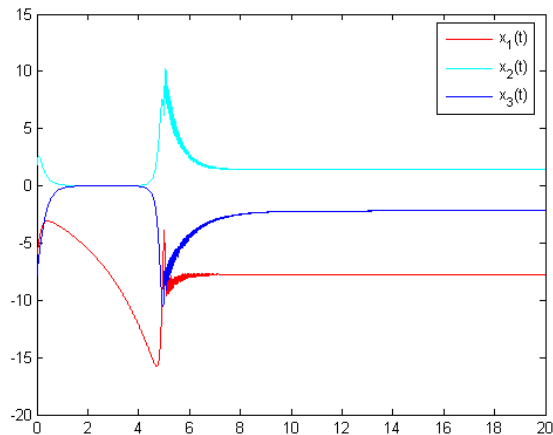
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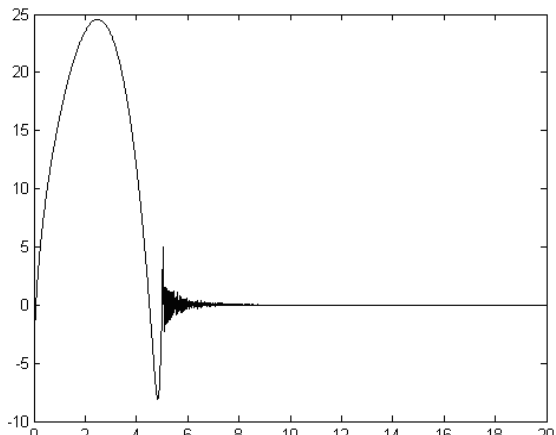
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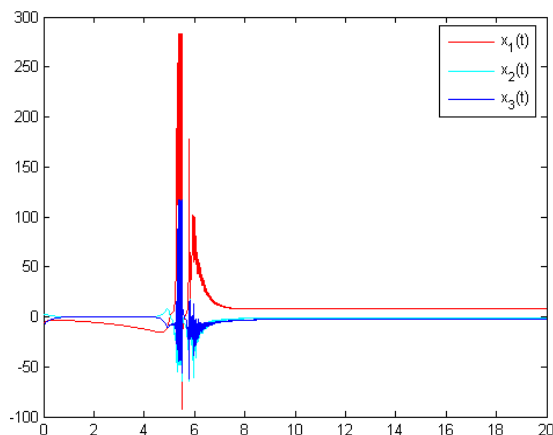
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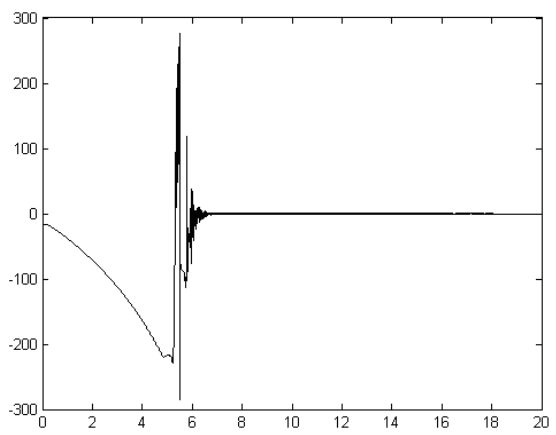
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(g) The response curve when system (20) stabilizes at point \bar{X}_3



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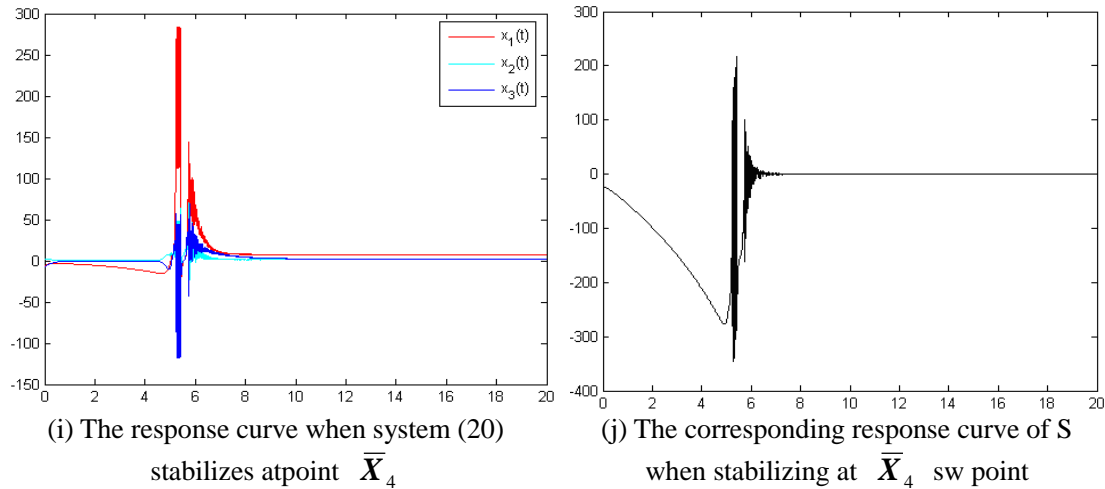


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5. Conclusion

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