

Stabilité des systèmes hyperboliques avec des commutations

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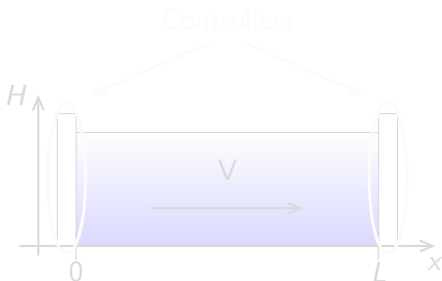
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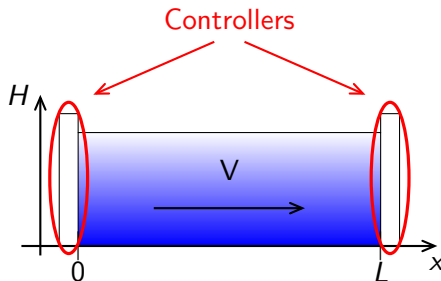
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Stability condition under a dwell time property

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Theorem 1 [CP, Girard, Witrant; 14]

Under Assumption 1, there exists $\bar{\tau} > 0$ such that for all $0 < \bar{\tau} < \tau$, the switched system

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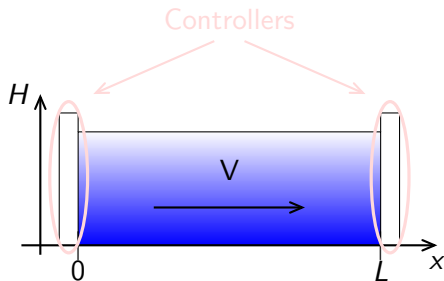
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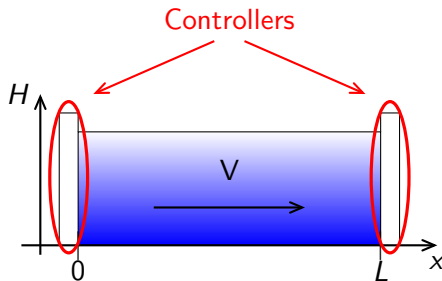
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for all $t \geq 0$.

Using again a Lyapunov function

The candidate Lyapunov function considered is defined by

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for all $y \in L^2(0, 1)$. Q is a diagonal positive definite matrix $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$.

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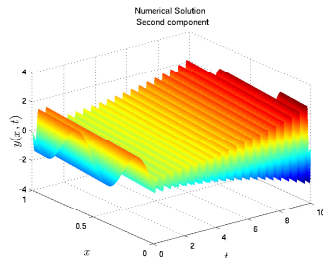
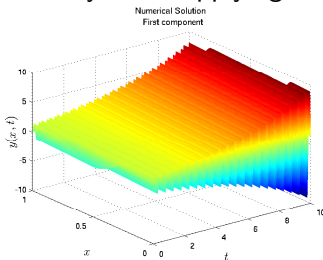
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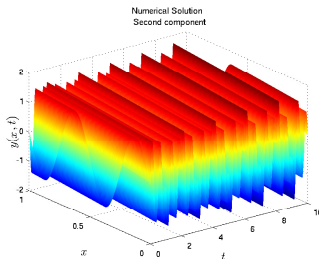
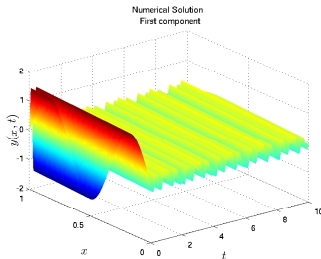
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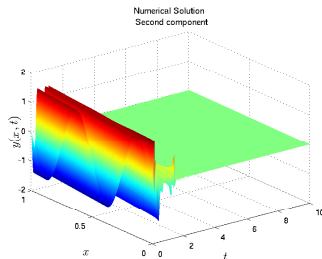
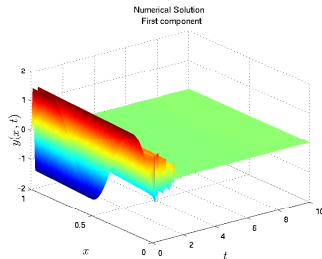
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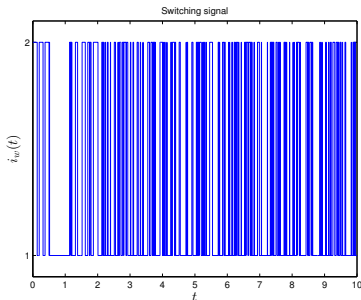
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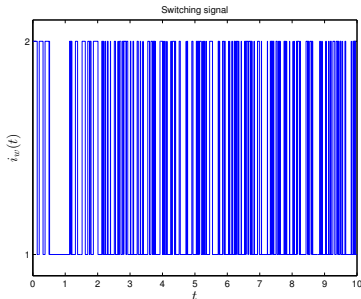
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Control by avoiding this...

Argmin with hysteresis

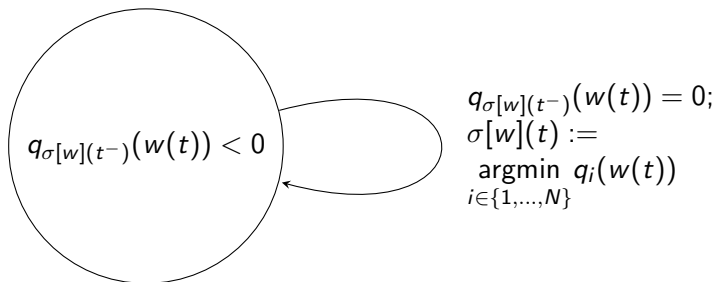


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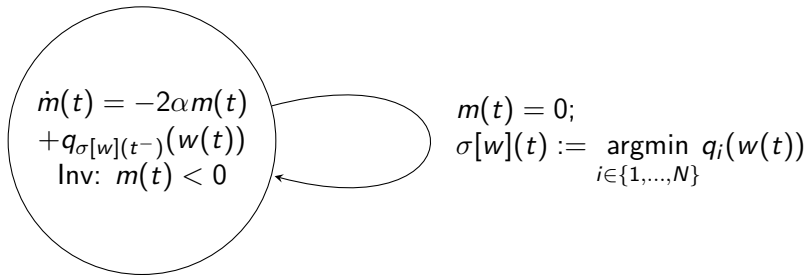


Figure: Argmin, hysteresis and filter automaton.

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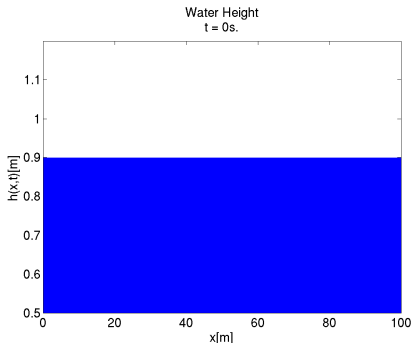
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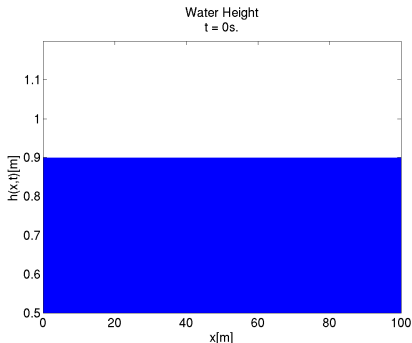
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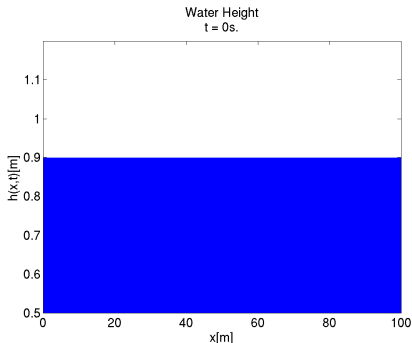
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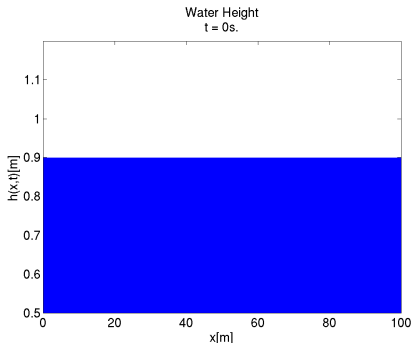
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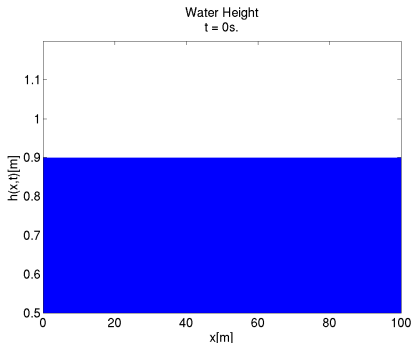
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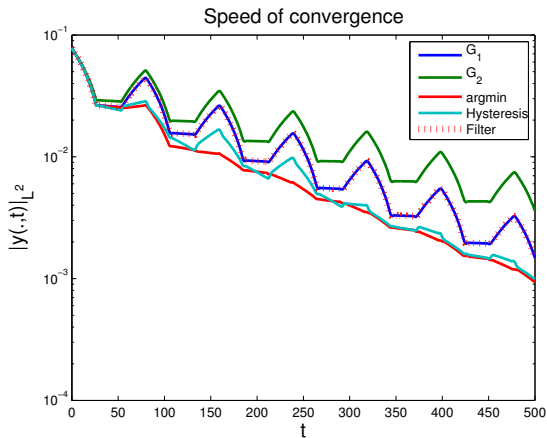


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