

Approximation of control systems via ANOVA methods

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Example: Euler approximation of a controlled Duffing oscillator

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$$= F(\mathbf{x}) + G(\mathbf{x})u$$

i. e.,

- $d = 2,$
- $m = 1,$
- only 1D terms \rightsquigarrow low-dimensional

Overview

- 1 ANOVA approximation for scalar-valued functions
- 2 ANOVA approximation for control systems
- 3 Numerical Example

ANOVA approximation

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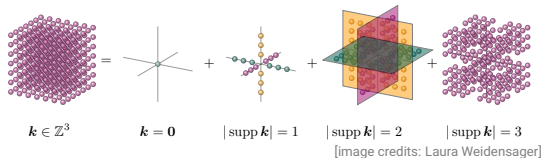
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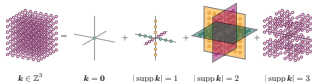
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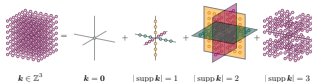
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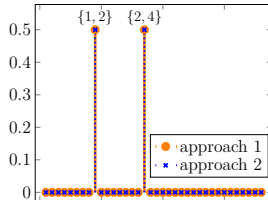
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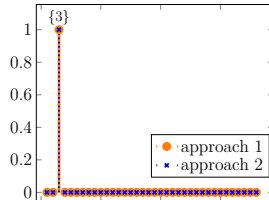
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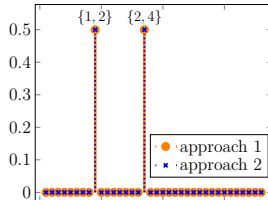
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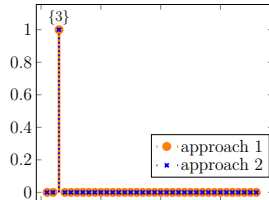
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