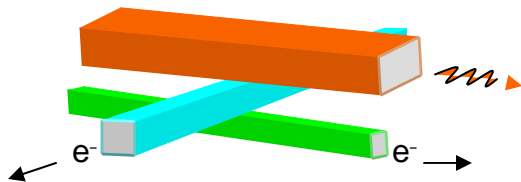




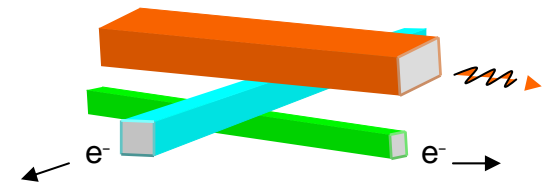
# *A Personal Perspective on Parameterized and Nonlinear MOR*

*J. White*

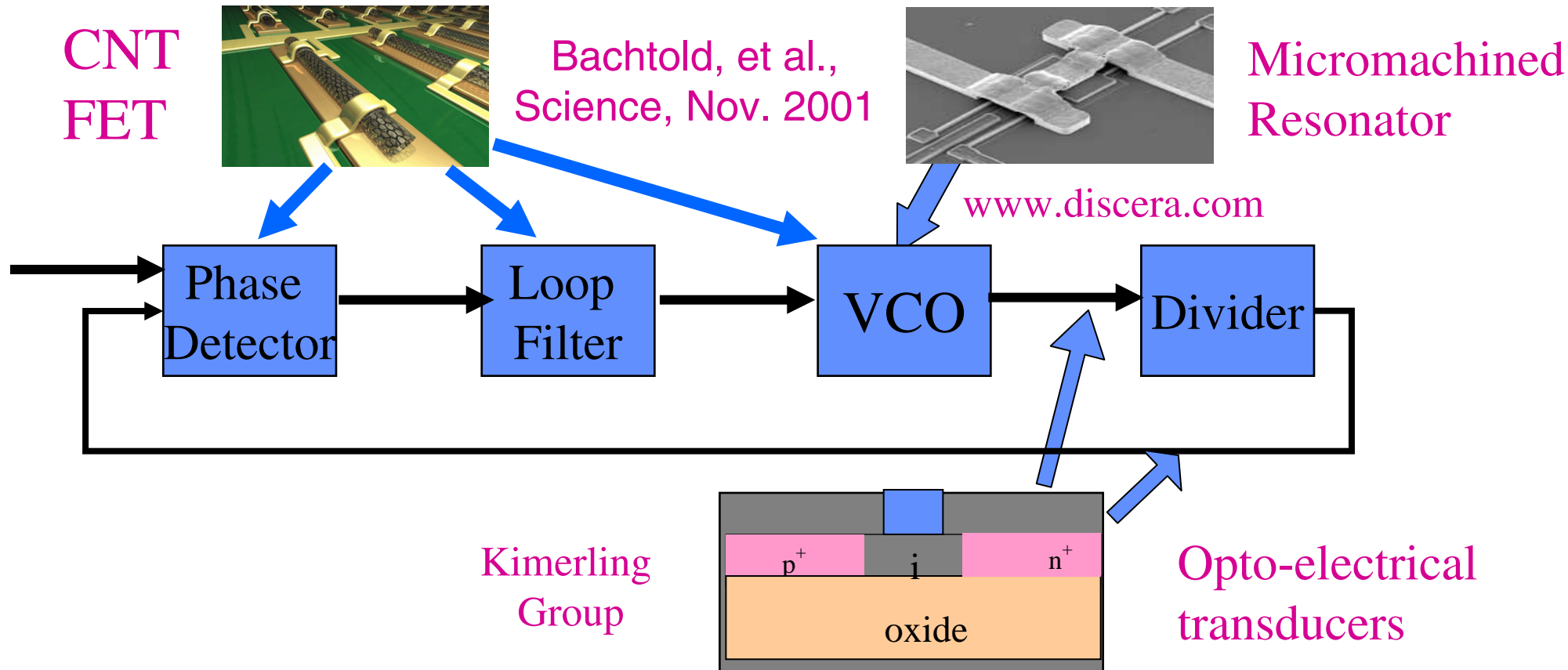
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**Interconnect Focus Center**



# A Multitechnology Phase-Locked Loop



## Evaluating the New Technology

- What is system performance (capture, lock, noise, etc)?
- What is the impact of modifying technology parameters?
- How tight must manufacturing tolerances be?

# CAD for Diverse IC Technology

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## ■ Initial Assessment

- What is possible with a combination of technology?
- Will new technology improve SYSTEM performance?
- Requires a rough “optimization” step!

## ■ System Performance optimization

- Assess intra and inter technology trade-offs .
- What is the impact of fabrication decisions?
- Automate Analysis and Synthesis/Optimization

## ■ Manufacturability/Yield optimization

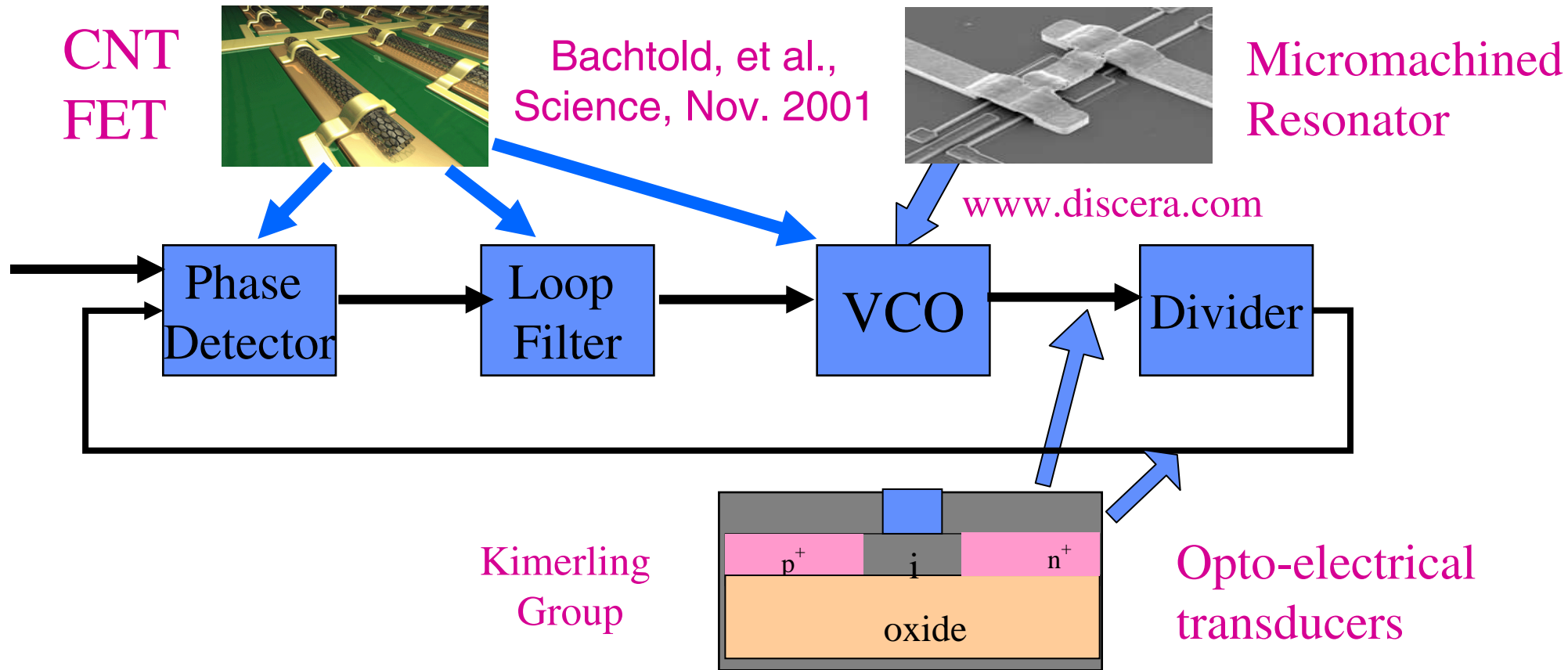
- Optimize design considering variations!

# Need to Assess and Optimize System Performance

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- **Hierarchical Simulation**
  - **Encapsulate the physics.**
  - **Automatically move between hierarchical levels.**
  - **Approach must apply given diverse technology.**
- **Hooks for Synthesis/Optimization**
  - **Compute Performance Sensitivities to:**
    - **Fabrication decisions**
    - **Layout modifications**
    - **Architectural Changes.**
- **Manufacturability/Yield**
  - **Optimize design considering variations!**

# Goal: Optimize Technology for the Application



Need to simulate **ENTIRE** system with dynamically accurate models for **ALL** the components

Capture Simulation will require thousands of oscillator cycles

# Multiphysics Simulation Approach

- **Circuit**

- Ordinary differential equation solver



- **Carbon Nanotube Transistor**

- Molecular Dynamics or Atomistic Simulation



- **Microresonator**

- Coupled 3-D Electro-Elasto-Fluidic Simulation



- **Optical Transducers**

- 3-D Coupled Device-Optics Simulator



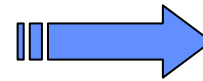
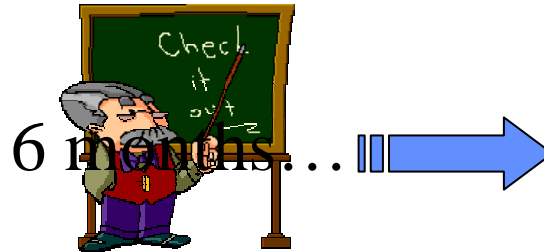
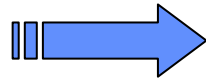
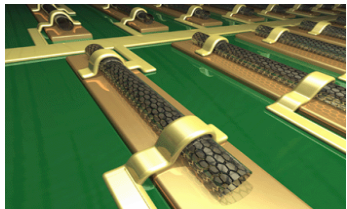
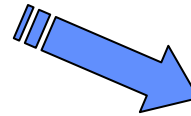
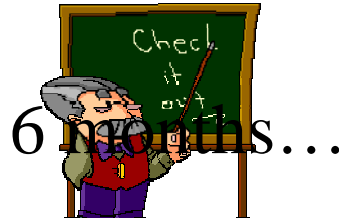
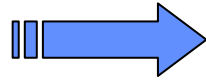
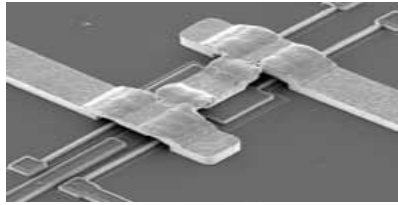
- **Interconnect + Substrate**

- 3-D Full-Wave Simulation

Capture Simulation of thousands of cycles will never finish!

**Must Generate Macromodels**

# Macromodel Generation Now Done By Hand

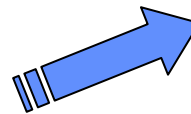
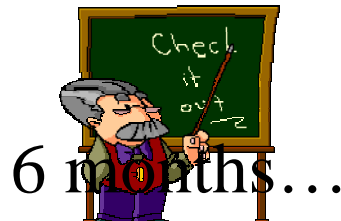
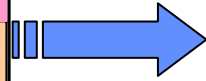
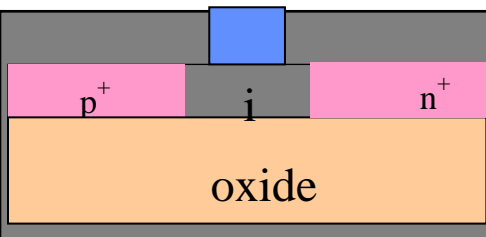


$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = F(x_r(t)) + b_r u(t)$$

$$y(t) = c_r^T x_r(t)$$



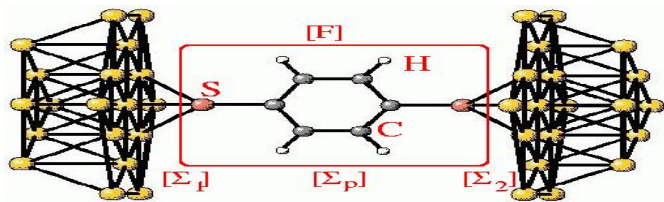
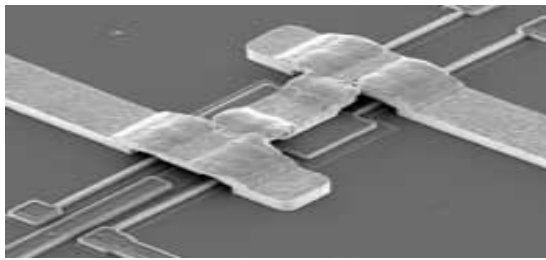
Model for the  
System Simulator



**Will Never Keep Up With Diverse Technology**

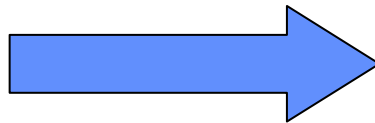
# The Numerical Macromodeling Paradigm

## Generate a Reduced-Order Model Directly from 3-D Geometry and Physics



Lundstrom et al.

***Automatic***



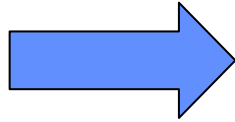
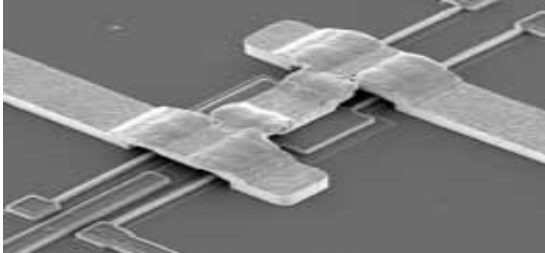
$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = F(x_r(t)) + b_r u(t)$$

$$y(t) = c_r^T x_r(t)$$

Complicated Geometry,  
Coupled Physics,  
possibly even statistical

Low order state-space  
model which captures  
input (u)/output(y)  
behavior

# What's Needed For Numerical Macromodeling



$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = F(x_r(t)) + b_r u(t)$$

$$y(t) = c_r^T x_r(t)$$

## 1) Fast Coupled Domain 3-D Solvers

- Fluids, EM Fields, mechanics, Transport
- Must handle ENTIRE Devices!

## 2) Model-Order Reduction

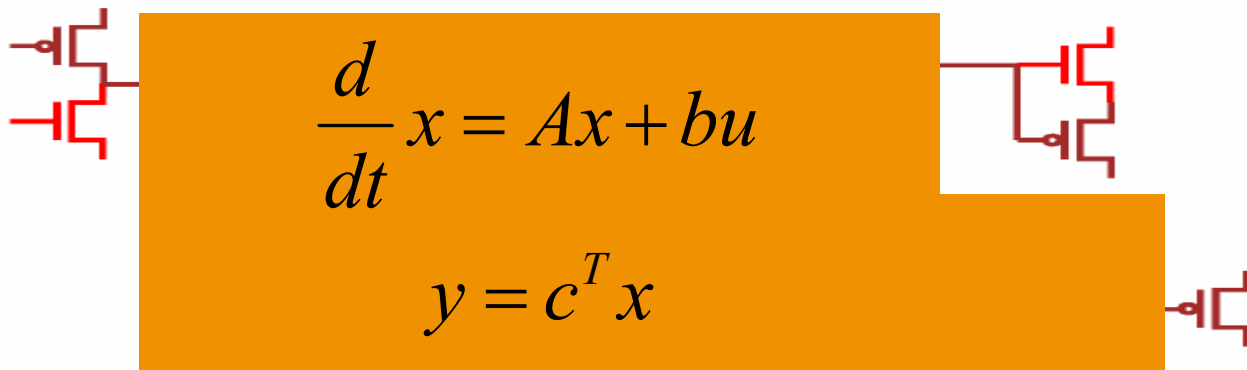
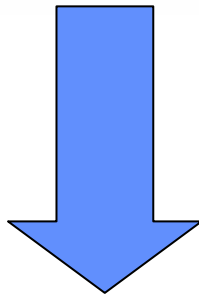
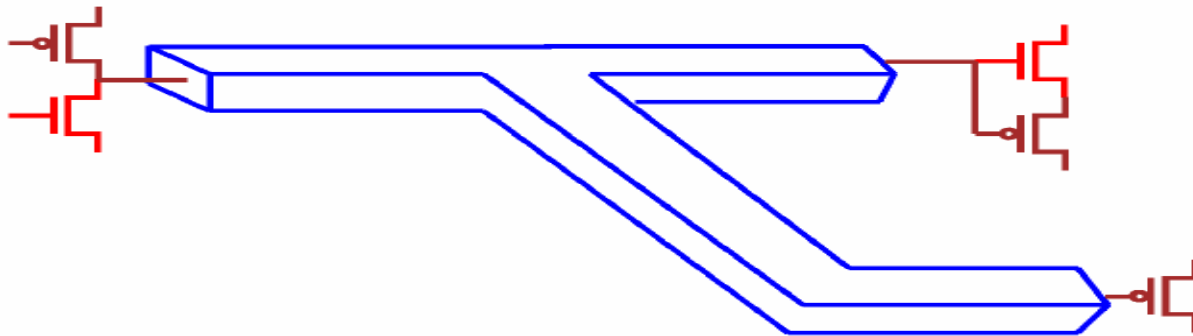
- Start with a Meshed 3-D Structure (>100,000 DOF's)
- Or Start with molecular positions
- Automatic generation of low-order model (<100 DOF's)

## 3) Hooks for Optimization

- Model Should be parameterized

# Where Are We Now?

Linear, Few Port Problem is Getting there.



- **Fast 3-D E-M Solvers**
  - Multipole, Hierarchical SVD, Precorrected-FFT, Wavelets
- **Efficient MOR**
  - Krylov, Krylov-TBR, Projection methods, Frequency Domain POD, PMTBR, etc
- **Still Issues**
  - Passivity
  - Performance for Distributed Systems

# State-Space Description

- Original Dynamical System - Single Input/Output

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = \underbrace{A}_{N \times N} x(t) + \underbrace{b}_{N \times 1} \underbrace{u(t)}_{\substack{\text{scalar} \\ \text{input}}} \quad \underbrace{y(t)}_{\substack{\text{scalar} \\ \text{output}}} = \underbrace{c^T}_{N \times 1} x(t)$$

- Reduced Dynamical System  $q \ll N$ , but I/O preserved

$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = \underbrace{A_r}_{q \times q} x_r(t) + \underbrace{b_r}_{q \times 1} \underbrace{u(t)}_{\substack{\text{scalar} \\ \text{input}}} \quad \underbrace{y_r(t)}_{\substack{\text{scalar} \\ \text{output}}} = \underbrace{c_r^T}_{q \times 1} x_r(t)$$

# Projection Framework

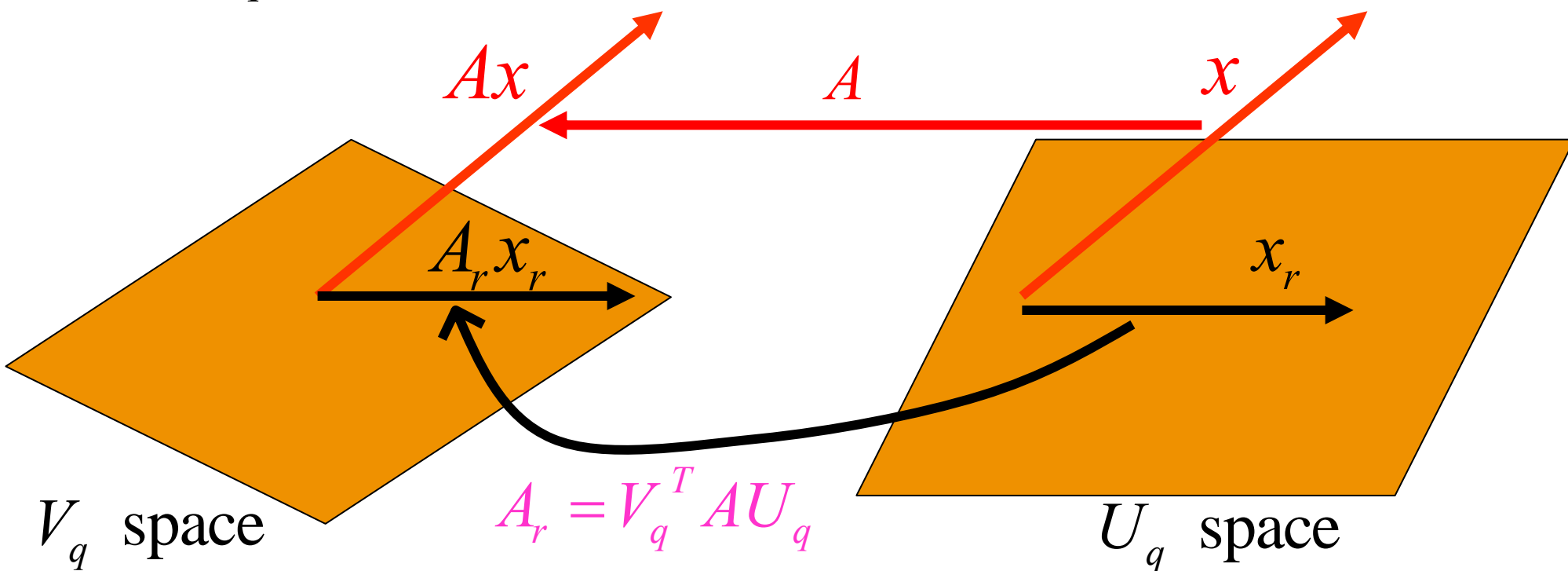
$$\dot{x} = Ax + bu, \quad y = c^T x \Rightarrow \dot{x}_r = A_r x_r + b_r u, \quad y_r = c_r^T x$$

Equation Testing

$$V_q^T Ax \approx A_r x_r$$

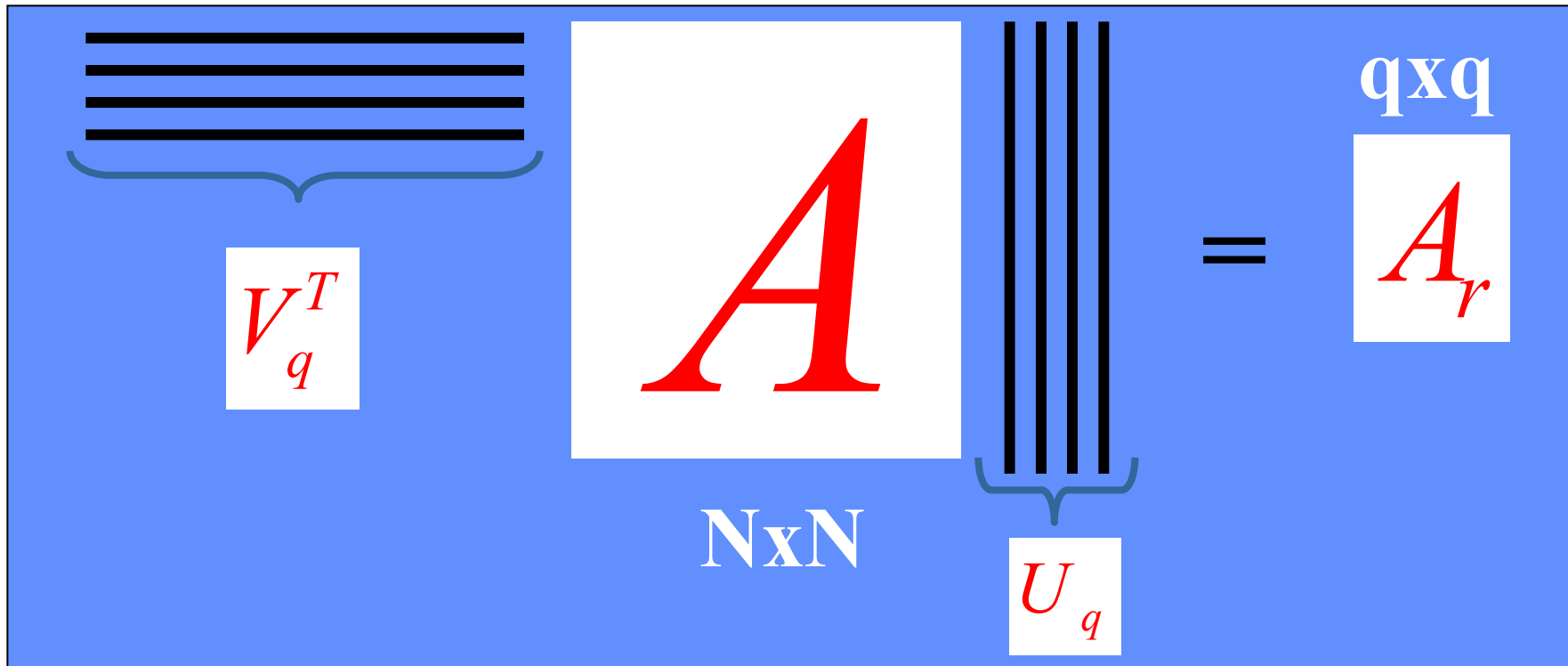
Change of variables

$$x \approx U_q x_r$$



Galerkin  $\rightarrow V_q$  space =  $U_q$  space

# Forming the Reduced Matrix



- **No explicit  $A$  need, Only Matrix-vector products**

For each column of  $U_q$

Multiply by  $A$ , then dot result with columns of  $V_q$

# Picking U and V

- Use Eigenvectors

- Use Time Series Data

- Compute

- Use the SVD to pick  $q < k$  important vectors

$$x(t_0), x(t_1), \dots, x(t_k)$$

- Use Frequency Domain Data

- Compute

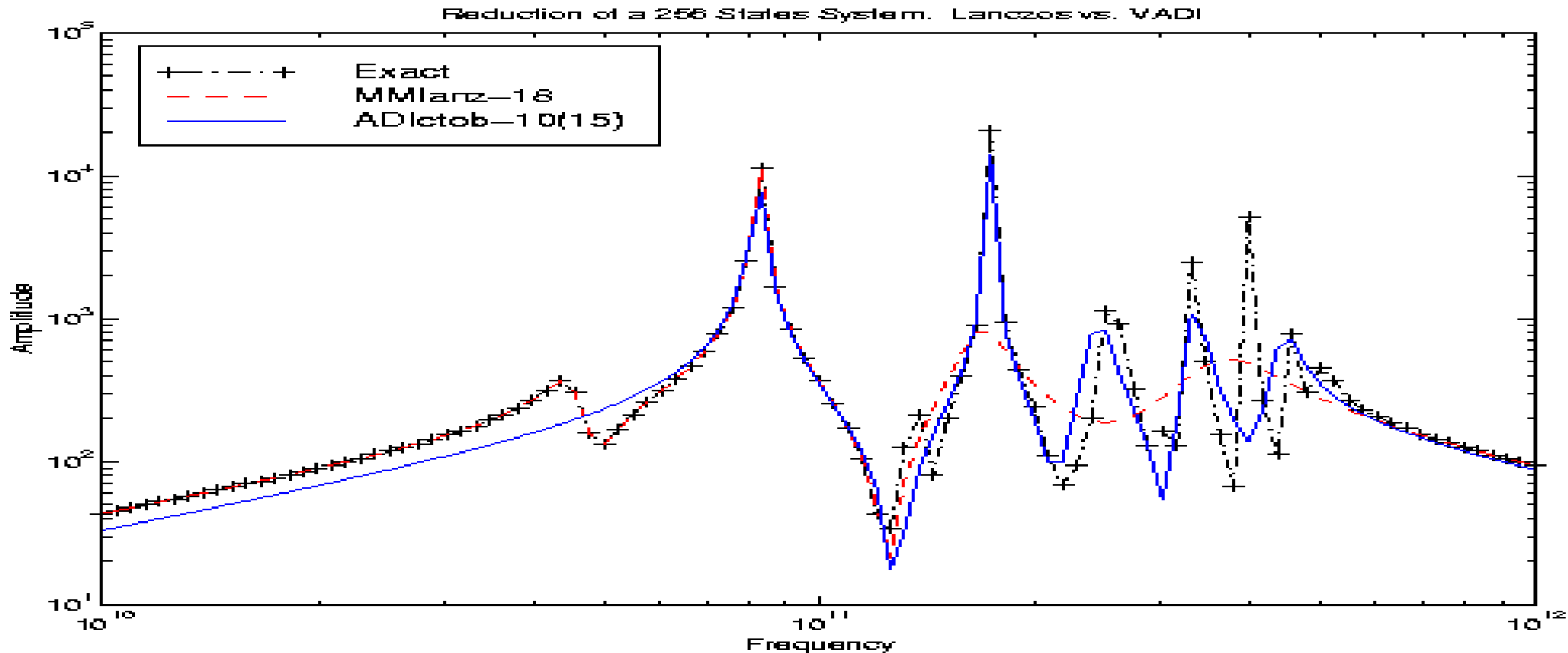
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$$X(s_1), X(s_2), \dots, X(s_k)$$

- Krylov subspace Vectors

- Use Singular Vectors of System Grammians

# Easy to Model Even Complicated Frequency Behavior



- **Krylov subspace methods (red)**
  - Excellent match over a narrow range of frequencies
- **SVD of Hankel Operator (~TBR) (blue)**
  - Minimizes worst case frequency domain error
  - Recently developed fast algorithms (CFADI).

# Persistent Problem with Projection

- Can to get most observable and most controllable modes

$$X_c(j\omega_i) = (j\omega_i I - A)^{-1} b, \quad i = \{1, \dots, q\}$$

$$X_o(j\omega_i) = (j\omega_i I - A)^{-T} c, \quad i = \{1, \dots, q\}$$

- Harder to get the modes with the largest transfer product, if different
  - Happens in More Nonsymmetric problems (RLC)
  - Help to work with 2<sup>nd</sup> Order Systems?

# Transfer Function Point of View

## Reduced Model Dynamical System

$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = \underbrace{A_r}_{q \times q} x(t) + \underbrace{b_r}_{q \times 1} \underbrace{u(t)}_{\text{scalar input}} \quad \underbrace{y_r(t)}_{\text{scalar output}} = \underbrace{c_r^T}_{q \times 1} x_r(t)$$

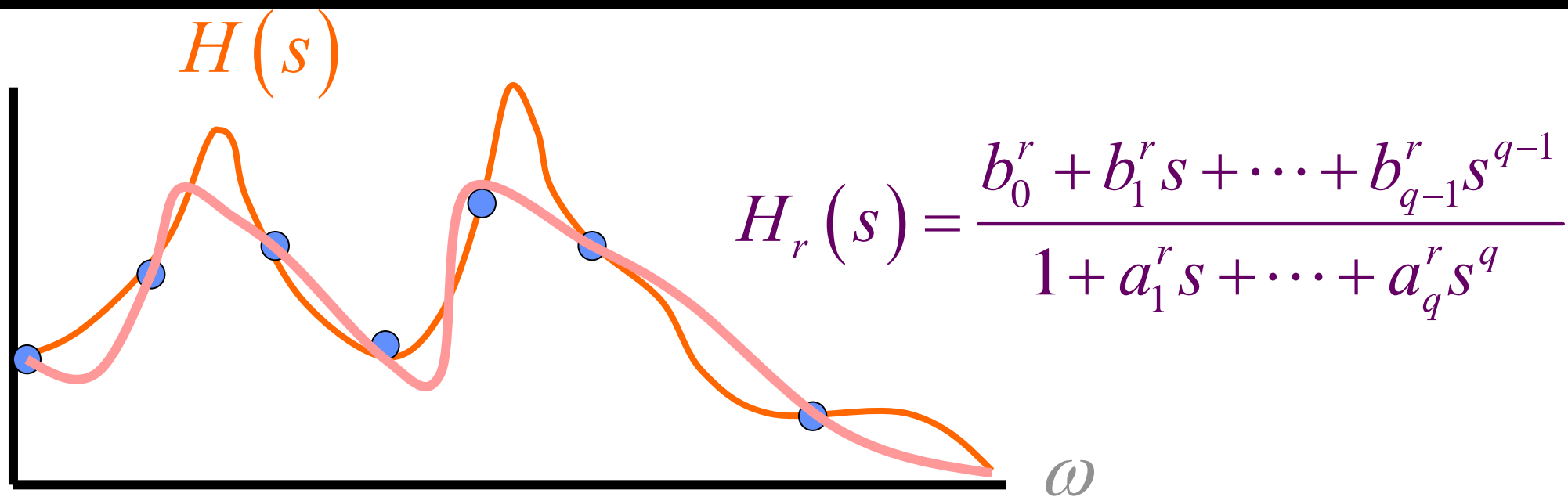
## Reduced Model Transfer Function

$$H_r(s) = \frac{b_0^r + b_1^r s + \dots + b_{q-1}^r s^{q-1}}{1 + a_1^r s + \dots + a_q^r s^q}$$

$2q + q^2$   
coefficients

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## Why Not Just fit the data



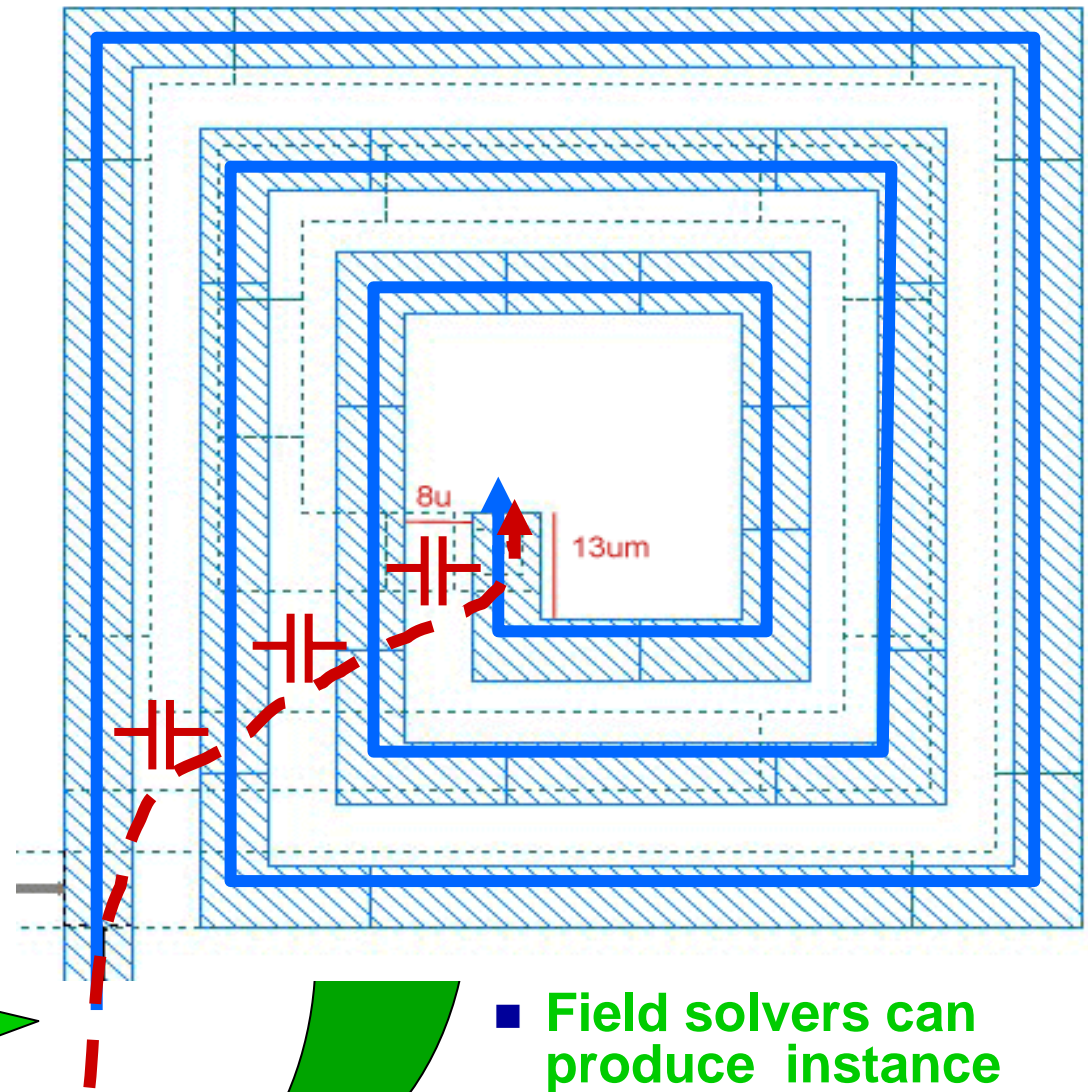
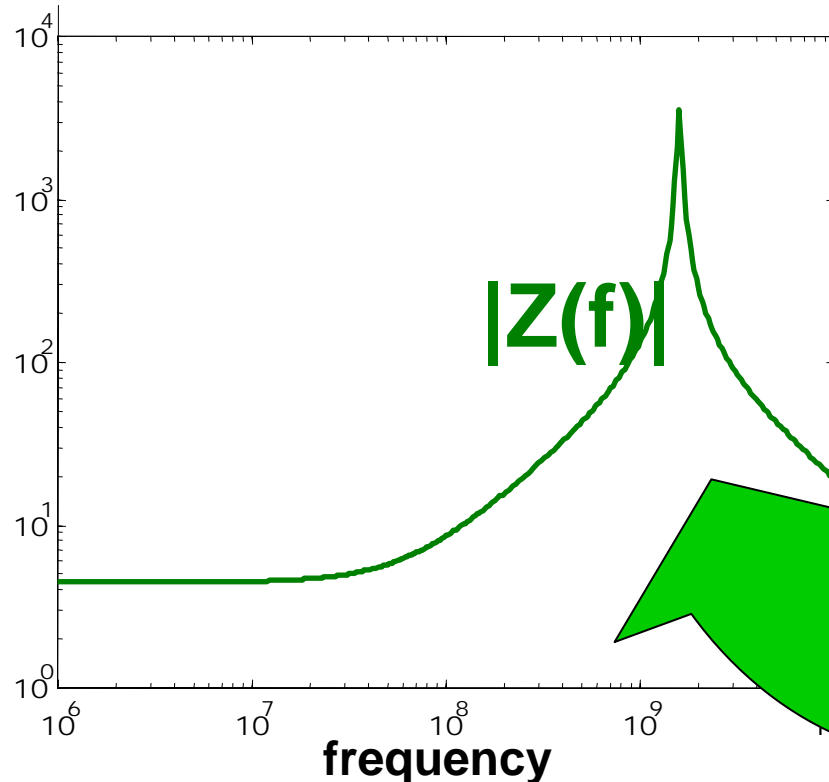
$$\left(1 + a_1^r s_i + \dots + a_q^r s_i^q\right) H(s_i) - \left(b_0^r + b_1^r s_i + \dots + b_{q-1}^r s_i^{q-1}\right) \approx 0$$

**Key New Result – Matching Real Part (or Imaginary part) is a Convex Optimization Problem**

**Is Projection A Waste Of Time?**

# Motivation Example: RF micro-inductor

- How are the **substrate eddy currents** affecting the quality factor of the inductor?
- How are the **displacement currents** affecting the resonance of the inductor?
- Need to capture **all 2<sup>nd</sup> order effects**




- **Field solvers can produce instance impedance vs. frequency curves.**

# Model Order Reduction for LINEARLY Parameterized Systems

- Given a large parameterized linear system:

$$\left( E_0 + s_1 E_1 + \dots + s_p E_p \right) x = b u$$

$y = c^T x$


$$\left( \hat{E}_0 + s_1 \hat{E}_1 + \dots + s_p \hat{E}_p \right) \hat{x} = \hat{b} u$$
$$\hat{y} = \hat{c}^T \hat{x}$$

- Projection Preserves the Smoothness of the Parameter Variation!**
- Will Rational Fitting?**

# Many State Spaces per Transfer function

## Reduced Model Transfer Function

$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = A_r x(t) + b_r u(t) \quad y_r(t) = c_r^T x_r(t)$$
$$\Rightarrow H(s) = c_r^T (sI - A_r)^{-1} b_r$$

## Similarity ( $x = Sw$ ) Transformed Transfer Function

$$\frac{dw_r(t)}{dt} = S^{-1} A_r S w(t) + S^{-1} b_r u(t) \quad y_r(t) = c_r^T S w_r(t)$$
$$\Rightarrow H(s) = c_r^T S (sI - S^{-1} A_r S)^{-1} S^{-1} b_r = c_r^T (sI - A_r)^{-1} b_r$$

**Many Dynamical Systems have the same transfer function, only one retains smoothness**

# Interpolation Approaches Generalize

$$\left[ s_1 E_1 + \dots + s_p E_p - I \right] x = b u$$

$$y = c^T x$$

$$x = - \left[ I - (s_1 E_1 + \dots + s_p E_p) \right]^{-1} b u = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (s_1 E_1 + \dots + s_p E_p)^m b u$$

- It is a **p-variables Taylor series expansion**

$$x \in \text{span} \left\{ b, E_1 b, E_2 b, \dots, E_p b, E_1^2 b, (E_1 E_2 + E_2 E_1) b, \dots \right\}$$

A diagram illustrating the relationship between the state vector  $x$ , the matrix  $U_q$ , and the parameter vector  $\hat{x}$ . The vector  $x$  is shown in a vertical box on the left, followed by an equals sign, then a yellow rectangular box labeled  $U_q$ , and finally a vertical box on the right labeled  $\hat{x}$ .

**Pick vectors to match points  
or derivatives, or both, for  
each parameter**

# Picking U and V

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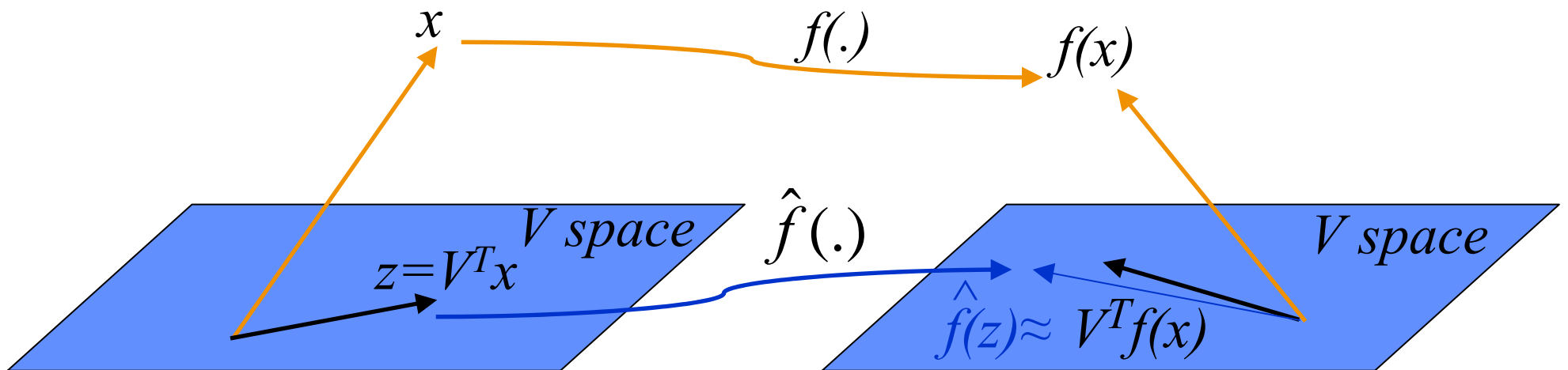
- **Use Eigenvectors of Many Systems**
- **Use Frequency Domain and Parameter Domain Data**
  - **Compute state for lots of points**
  - **Use the SVD to pick  $q < k$  important vectors**
- **Krylov subspace Vectors**
  - **Get a combinatorial explosion**
- **Use Singular Vectors of Compromise System Grammians**
  - **Solve many simultaneous Lyapunov Inequalities**

# Nonlinear MOR – Representation Problem

- Nonlinear dynamical systems:

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x) + Bu \quad y = C^T x \quad x \in R^n$$

- Projection of the nonlinear operator  $f(x)$ :



- How to find  $\hat{f}(\cdot)$  ?

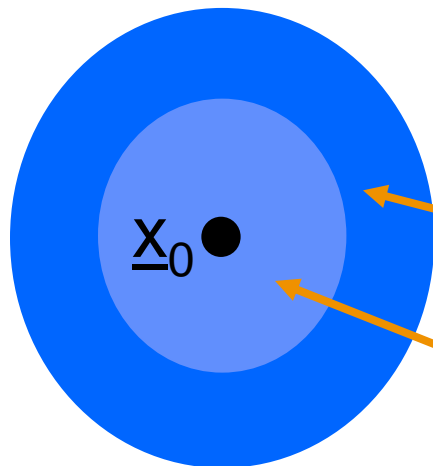
# Problems with MOR for nonlinear

- Substitute:  $x = Vz$  to  $\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x) + Bu$
- Reduced system:  $\frac{dz}{dt} = \overbrace{V^T f(Vz)}^{\hat{f}(z)} + V^T Bu$
- A problem:  $V^T f(Vz): \underset{\text{small}}{R^q} \rightarrow \underset{\text{large}}{R^N} \rightarrow \underset{\text{large}}{R^N} \rightarrow \underset{\text{small}}{R^q}$   
 $q=10 \quad N=10^4 \quad N=10^4 \quad q=10$
- Using  $V^T f(Vz)$  is too expensive!

# Volterra Approach

- Use Taylor's expansions to approximate  $f(x)$ :  
 $f(x) = f(x_0) + J(x - x_0) + W((x - x_0) \otimes (x - x_0)) + \dots$
- Linear, quadratic reduced order models  
[Chen, Phillips 2000]:

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = \underbrace{V^T J V}_{\hat{J}} (z - z_0) + \underbrace{V^T W V}_{\hat{W}} \otimes V (z - z_0) \otimes (z - z_0) + V^T f(x_0) + V^T B u$$

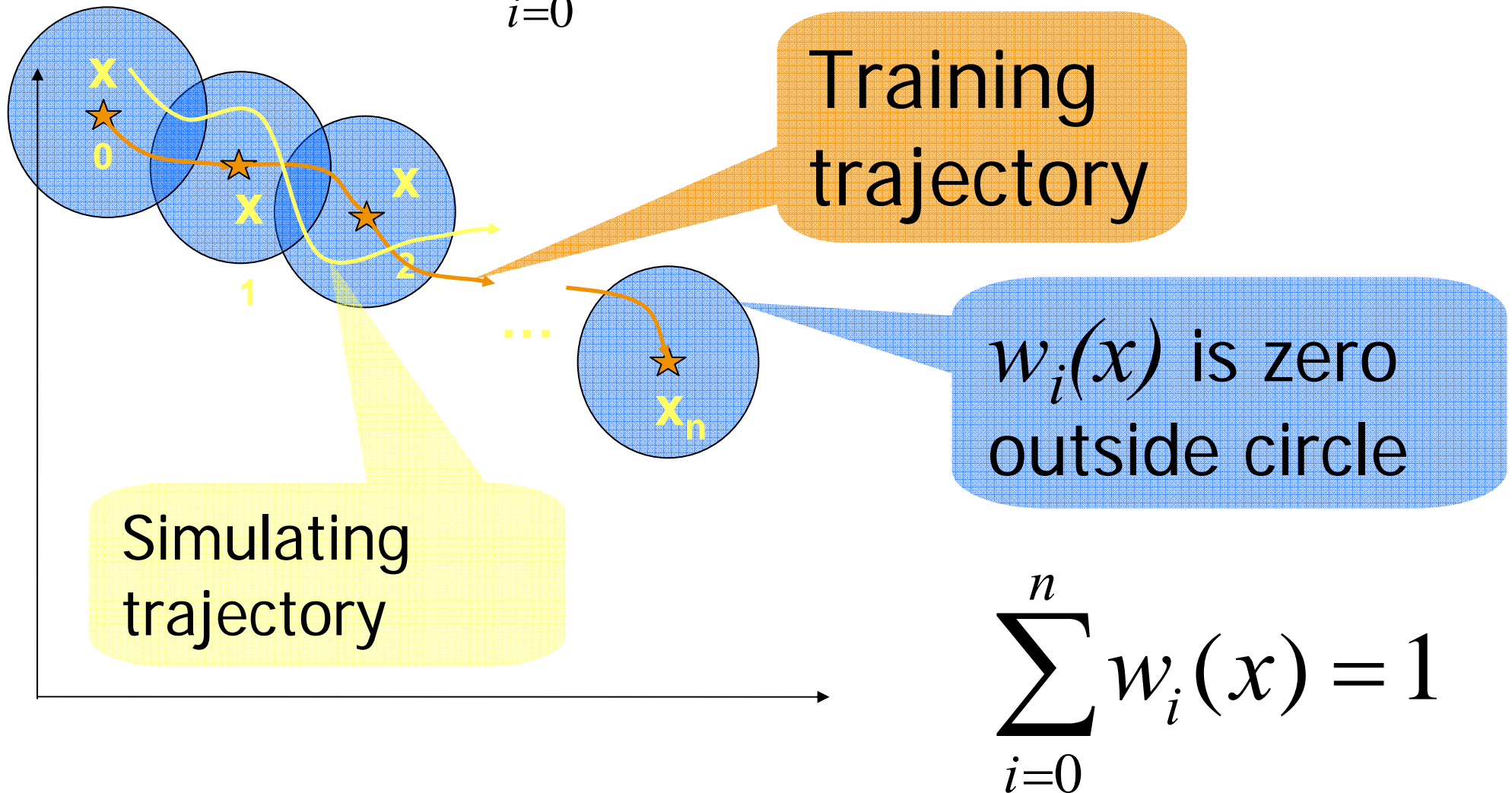


quadratic model

linear model

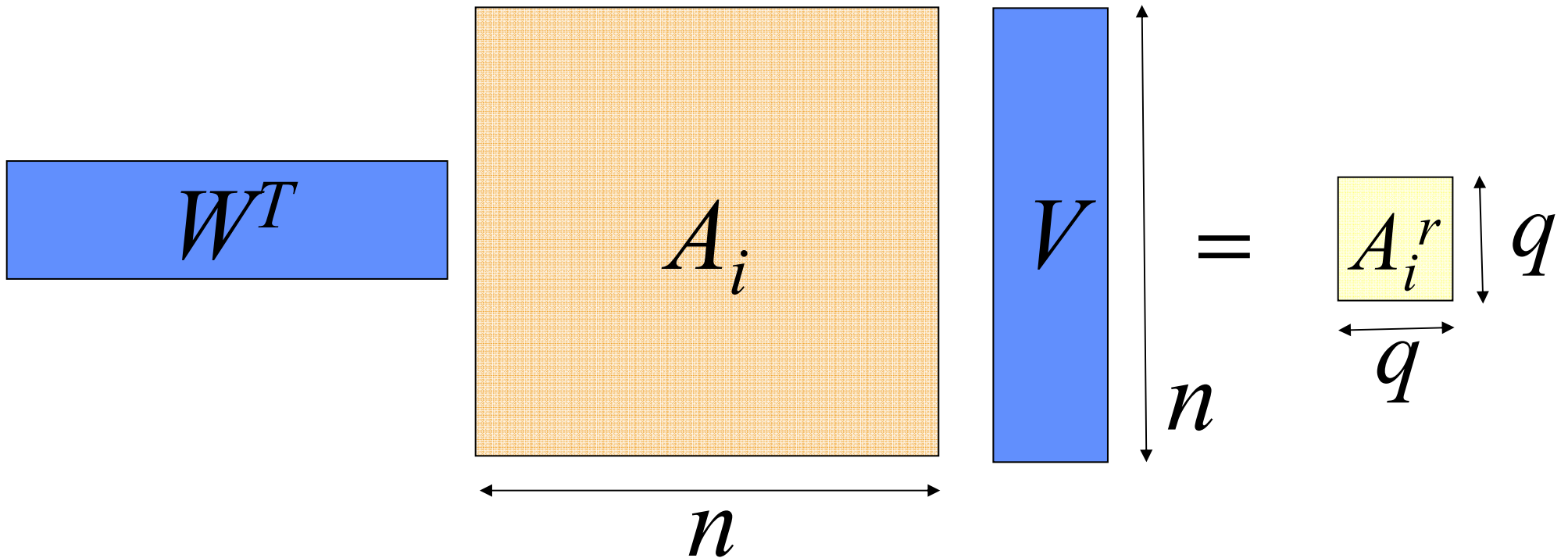
# Trajectory Piecewise Linear approximation of $f$ .

$$f_{TPWL}(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n w_i(x) (f(x_i) + A_i(x - x_i))$$



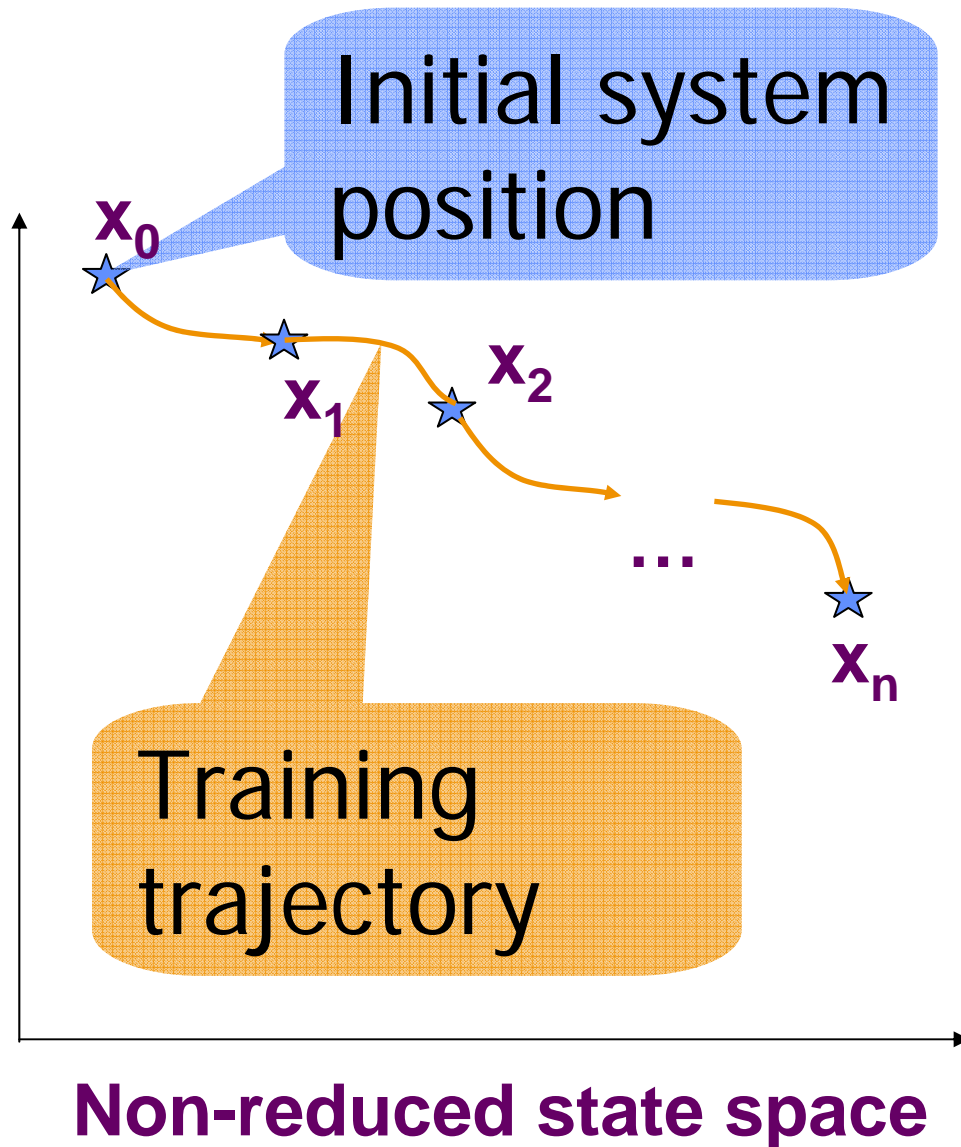
# Projection and TPWL approximation yields efficient $f^r$

$$f^r_{TPWL}(x^r) = \sum_{i=0}^n w_i(x^r) \underbrace{(W^T f(x_i))}_{q \times 1} + \underbrace{W^T A_i V}_{A_i^r}(x^r - W^T x_i)$$



Evaluating  $f^r_{TPWL}$  only order  $q^2$  operations

# TPWL approximation of $f$ . Extraction algorithm

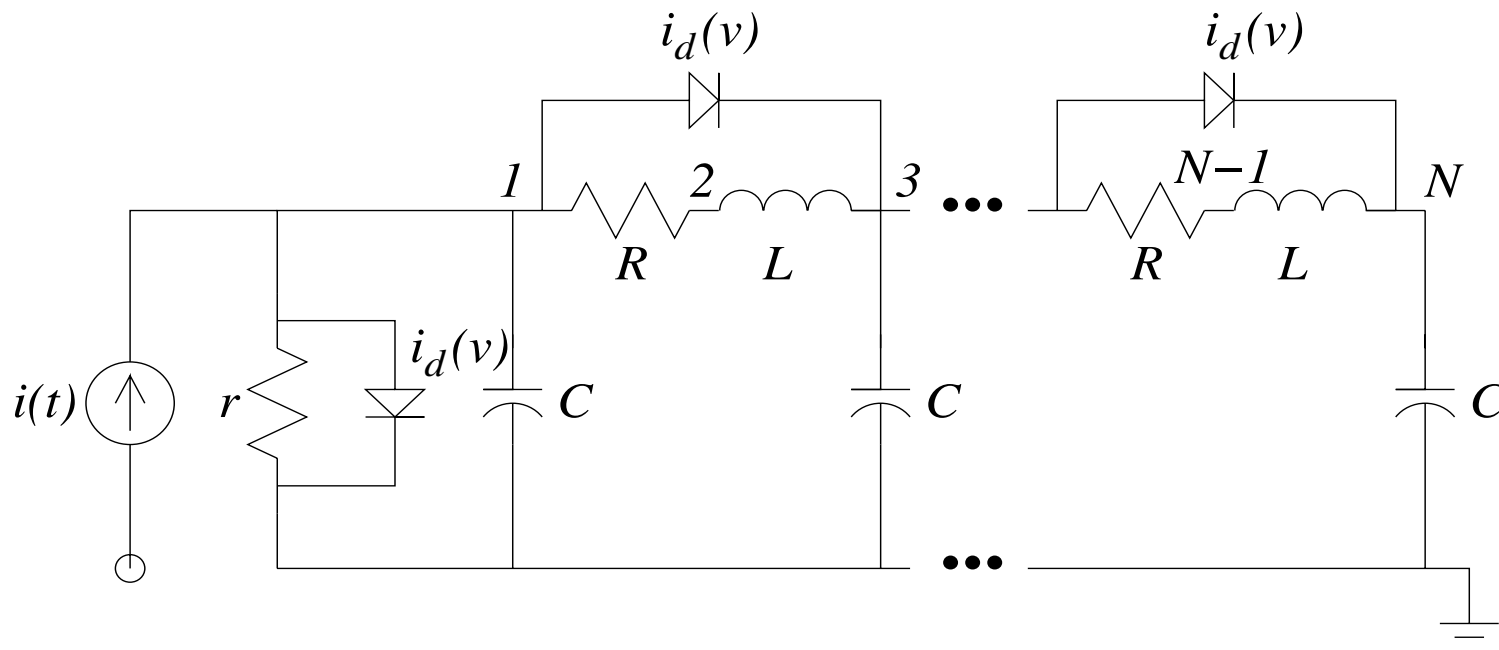


1. Compute  $A_1$
2. Obtain  $W_1$  and  $V_1$  using linear reduction for  $A_1$
3. Simulate training input, collect and reduce linearizations

$$A_i^r = W_1^T A_i V_1$$
$$f^r(x_i) = W_1^T f(x_i)$$

# Example problem

## RLC line



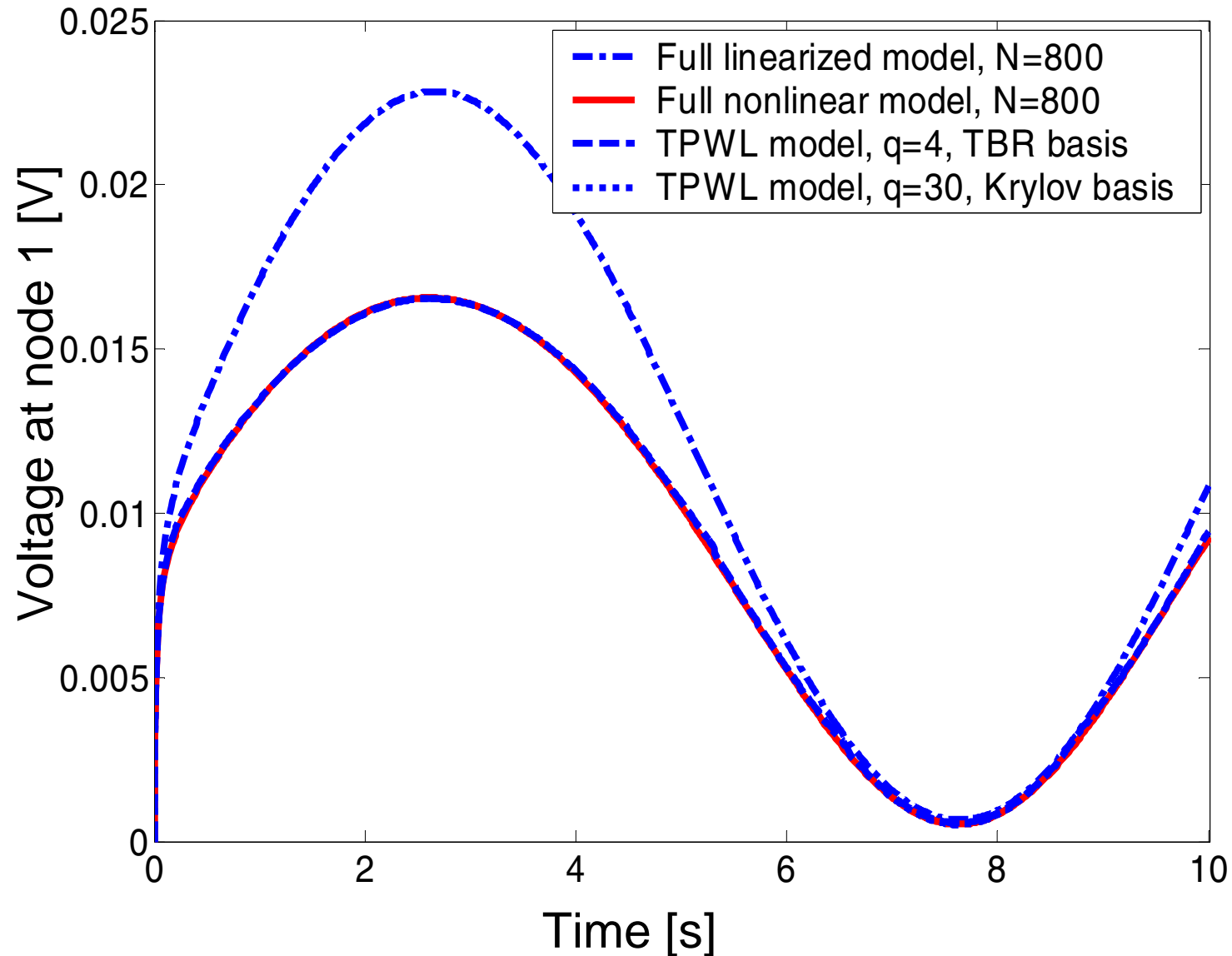
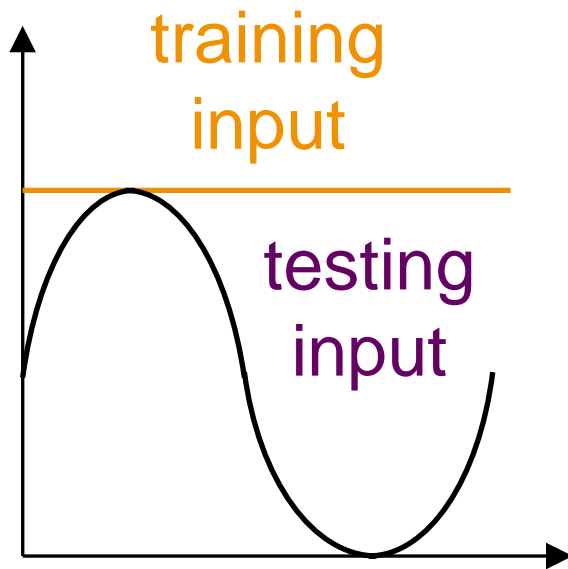
**Linearized system has  
nonsymmetric, indefinite Jacobian**

# Numerical results

## – nonlinear RLC transmission line

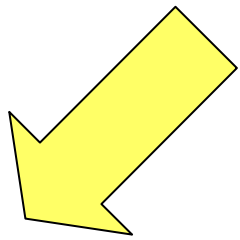
System response for input current  $i(t) = (\sin(2\pi/10) + 1)/2$

### ■ Input:

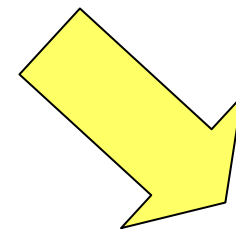


# Key issue: choosing projection

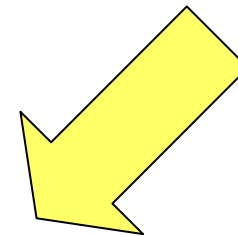
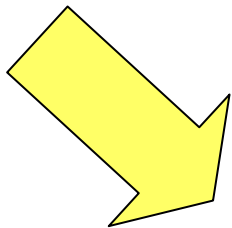
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx(t)}{dt} = Ax(t) + Bu(t) \\ y(t) = Cx(t) \end{array} \right.$$



Krylov-subspace methods



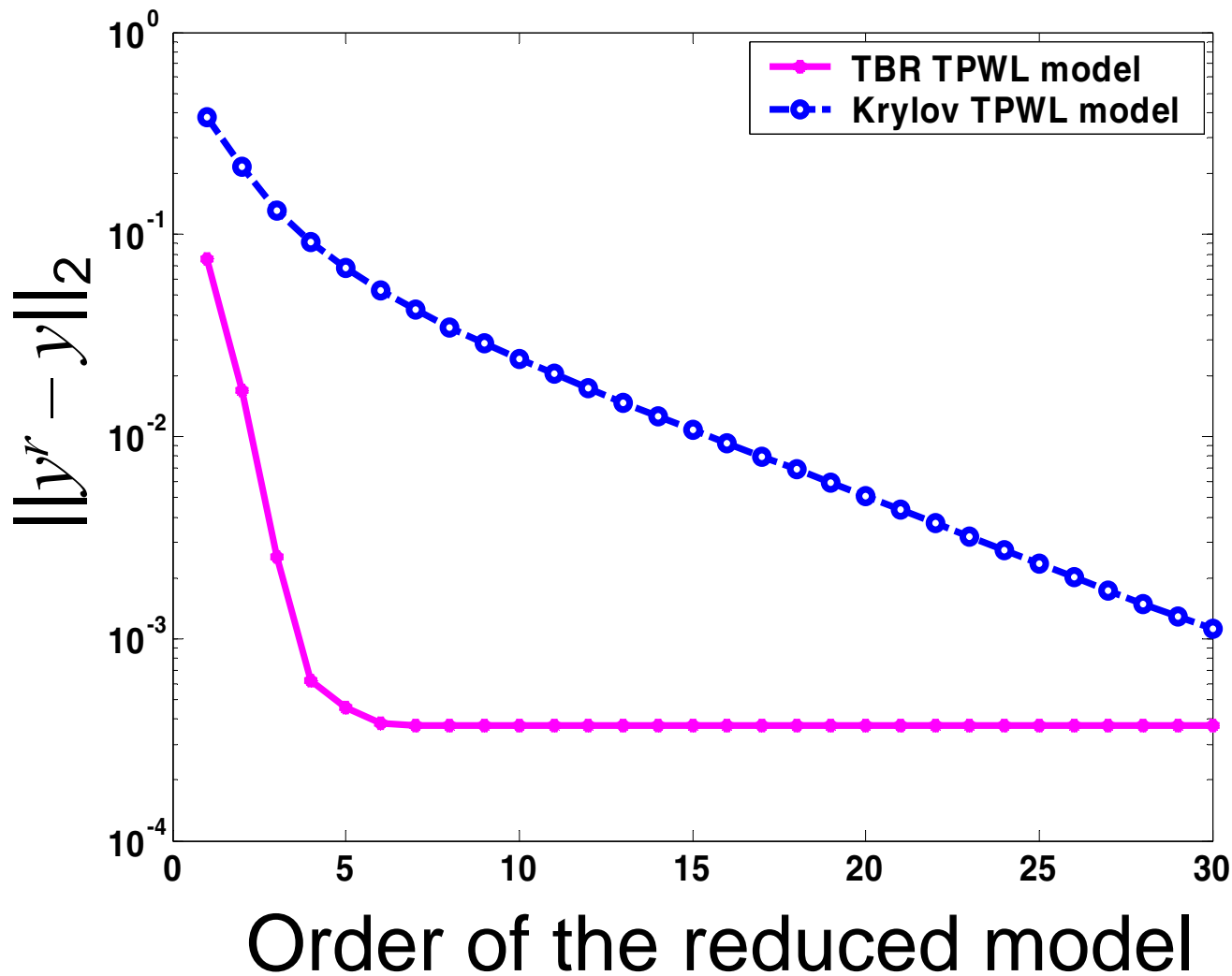
Balanced-truncation methods



Result:  
projection matrices  $W$  and  $V$

# Numerical results – RLC transmission line

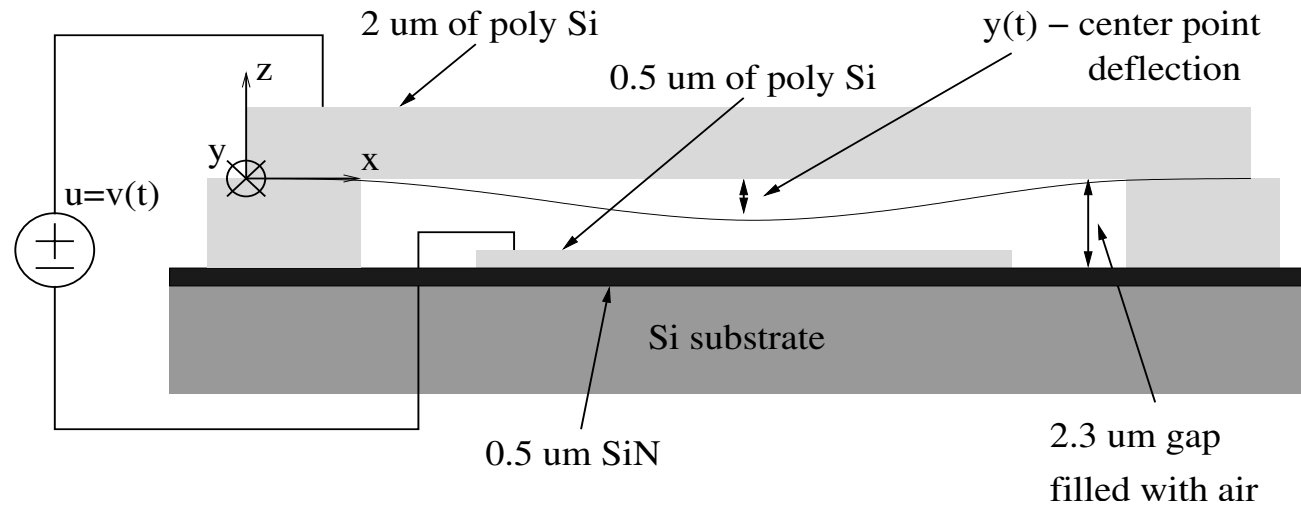
## Error in transient



**TBR-based TPWL  
beat  
Krylov-based**

**4-th order TBR  
TPWL reaches  
the limit of TPWL  
representation**

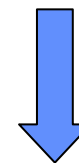
# Micromachined device example



$$\hat{E}I \frac{\partial^4 u}{\partial x^4} - S \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = F_{elec} + \int_0^w (p - p_a) dy - \rho \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\nabla((1 + 6K)u^3 p \nabla p) = 12\mu \frac{d(pu)}{dt}$$

→ **FD model**



**non-symmetric  
indefinite Jacobian**

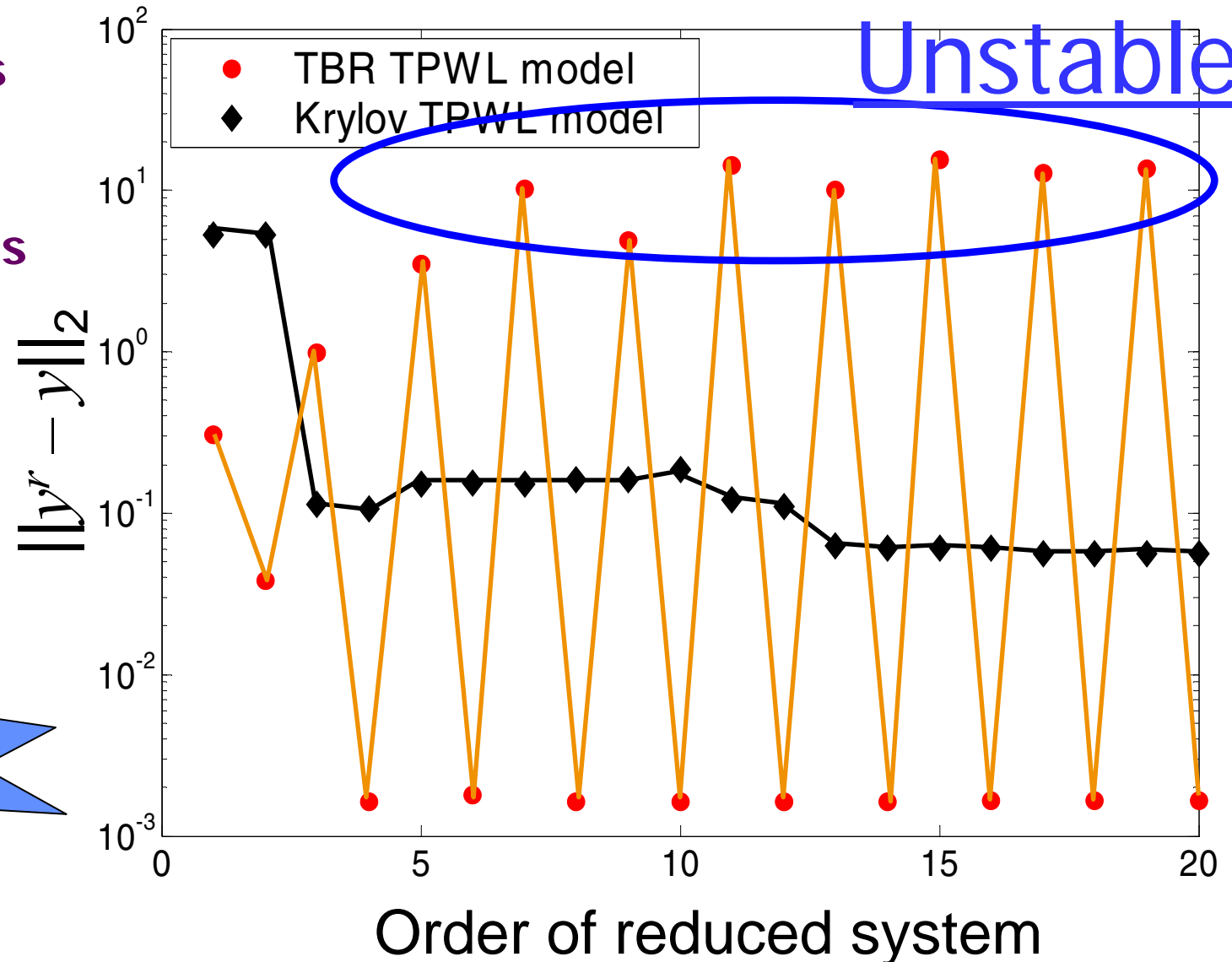
# TPWL-TBR results – MEMS switch example

Odd order models  
unstable!

Even order models  
beat Krylov

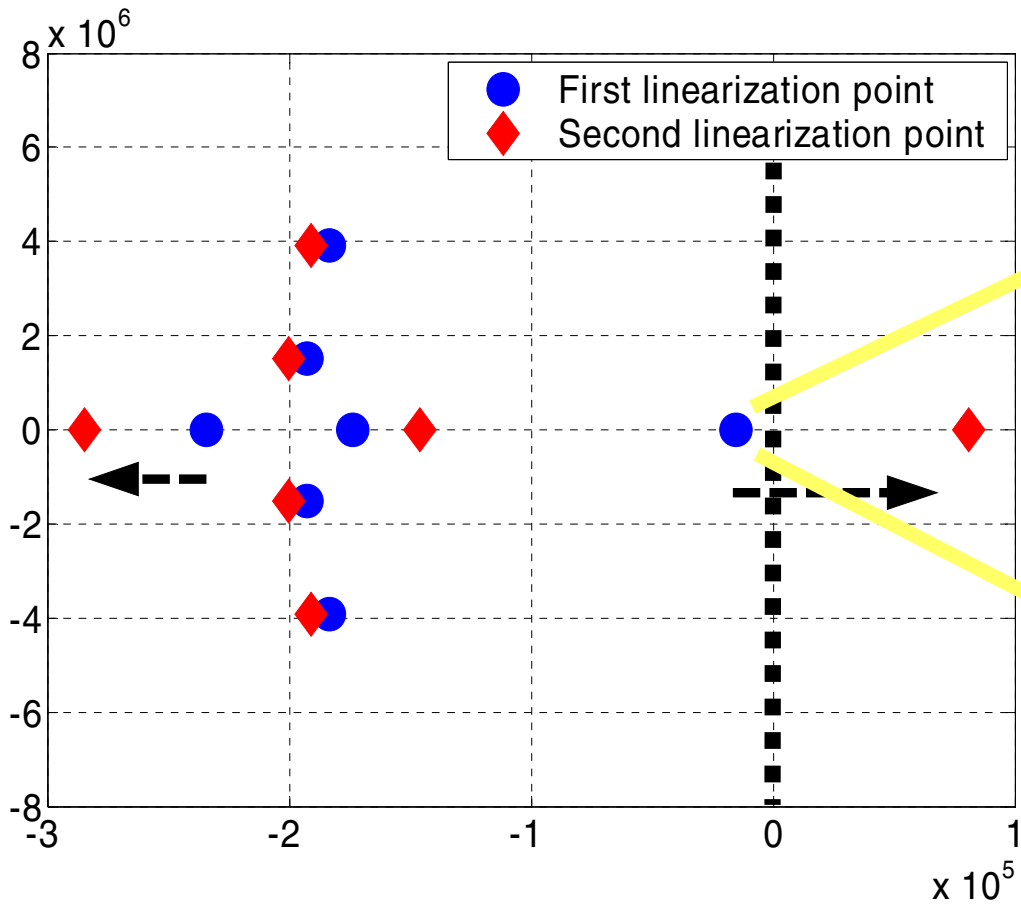
## Errors in transient

**Unstable!**

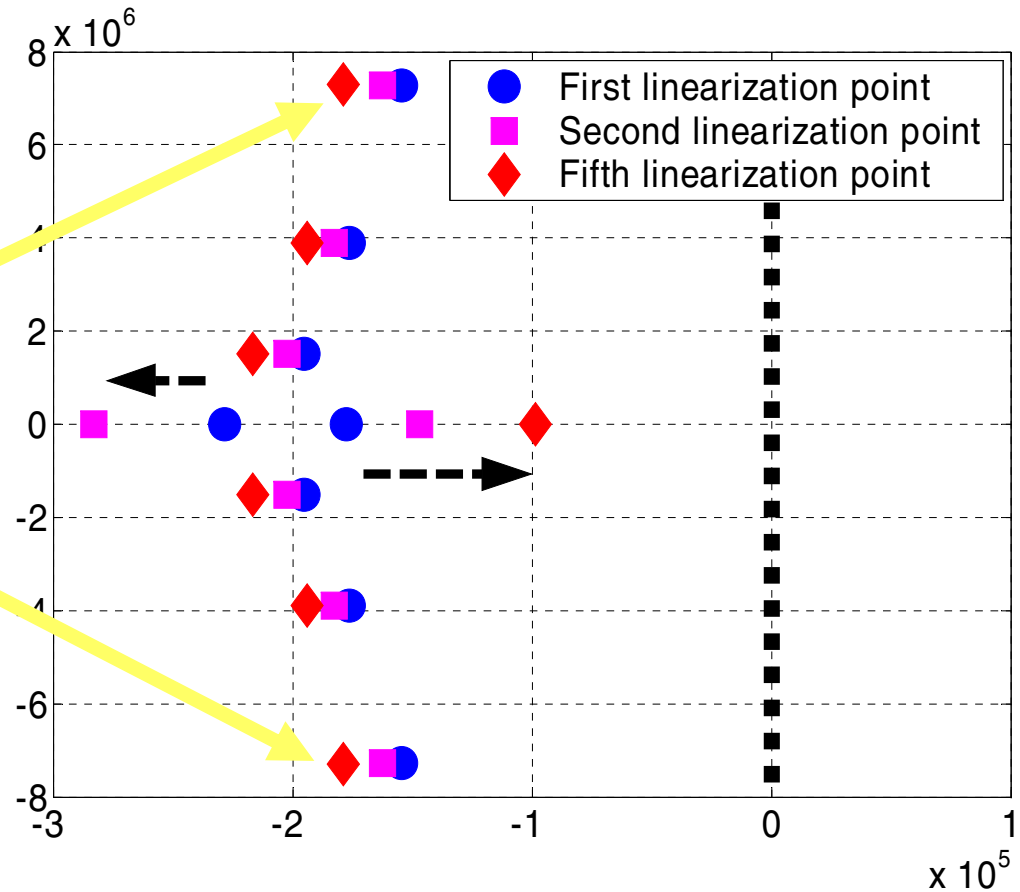


# Eigenvalue behavior of linearized models

Eigenvalues of reduced Jacobians,  $q=7$



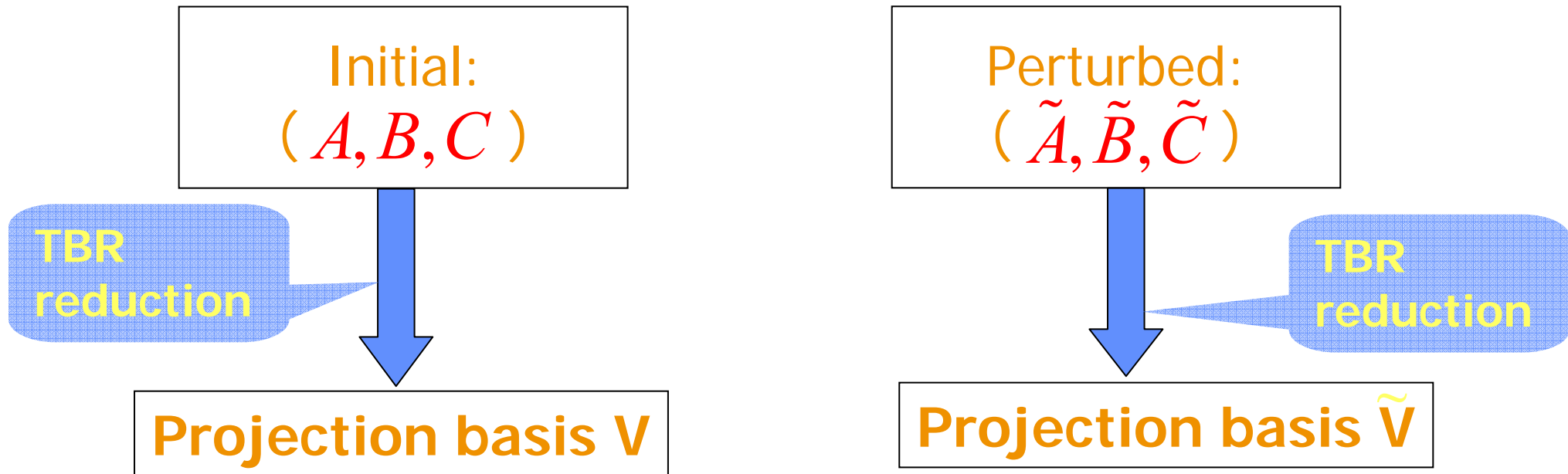
Eigenvalues of reduced Jacobians,  $q=8$



TBR is adding complex-conjugate pair

# Explanation of even-odd effect – Problem statement

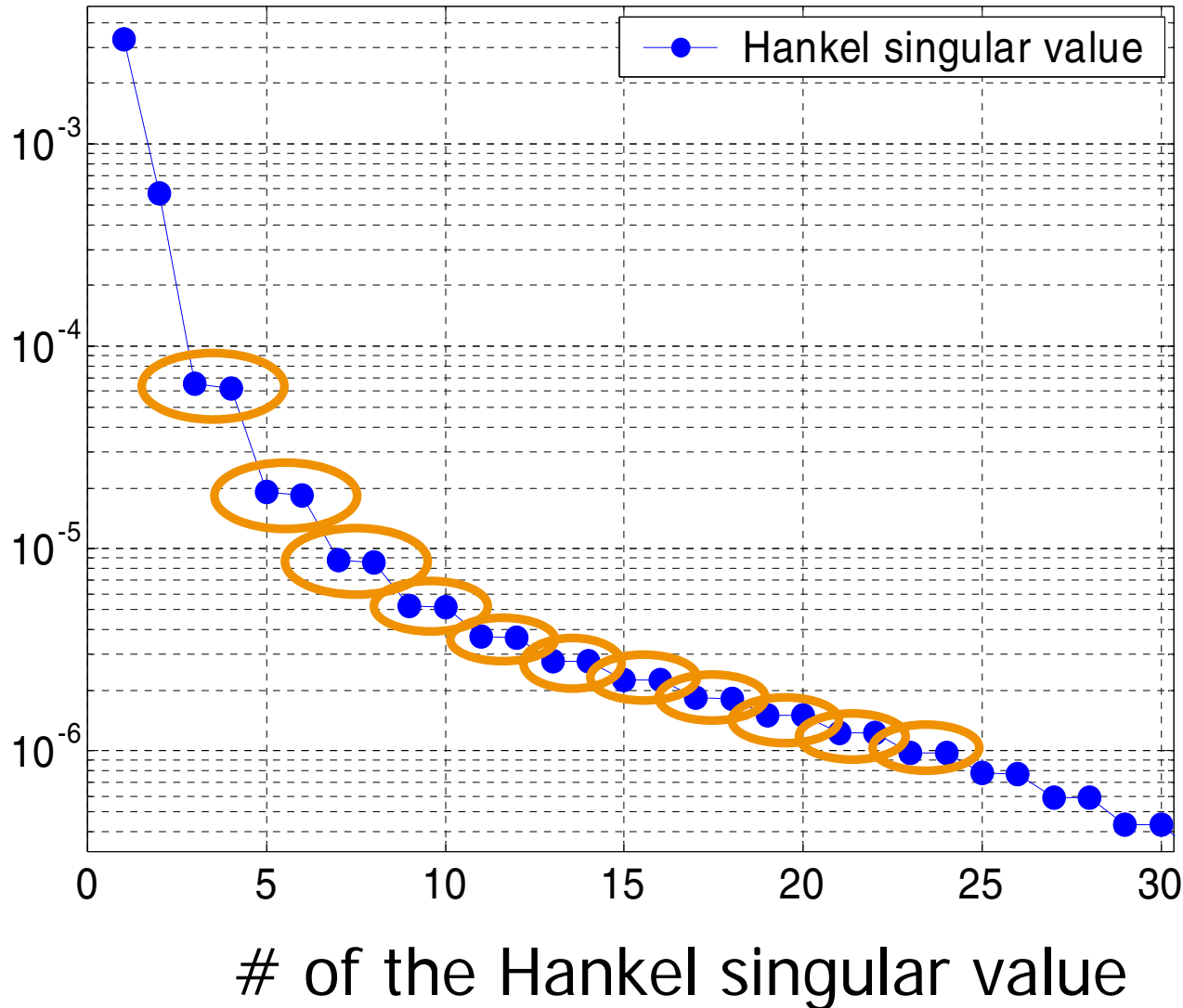
Consider two LTI systems:



Define our problem:

How perturbation in the initial system affects projection basis?

# Hankel singular values, MEMS beam example



**This is the key  
to the problem.**

**Singular values  
are arranged in  
pairs!**

# Explaining even-odd behavior

$$c_i^k = \frac{(e_k^0)^T \Delta e_i^0}{\lambda_k^0 - \lambda_i^0}, k \neq i$$

The closer Hankel singular values lie to each other, the more corresponding eigenvectors of  $V$  tend to intermix!

## ■ Analysis implies simple recipe for using TBR

### □ Pick reduced order to insure

- Remaining Hankel singular values are small enough
- The last kept and first removed Hankel Singular Values are well separated

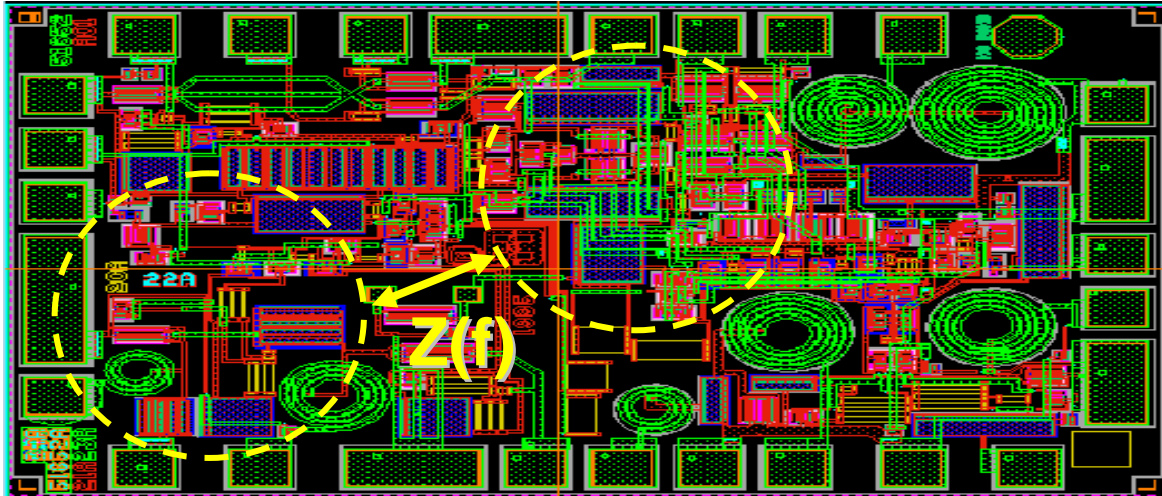
### □ Helps insure that all linearizations stably reduced

# Many Methods Under Investigation

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- **Projection Methods**
- **Data Mining**
- **Support Vector Machines**
- **Nonlinear Generalizations of Controllability and Observability**
- **Finite-State Automata**
- **Sophisticated Sampling and Fitting**

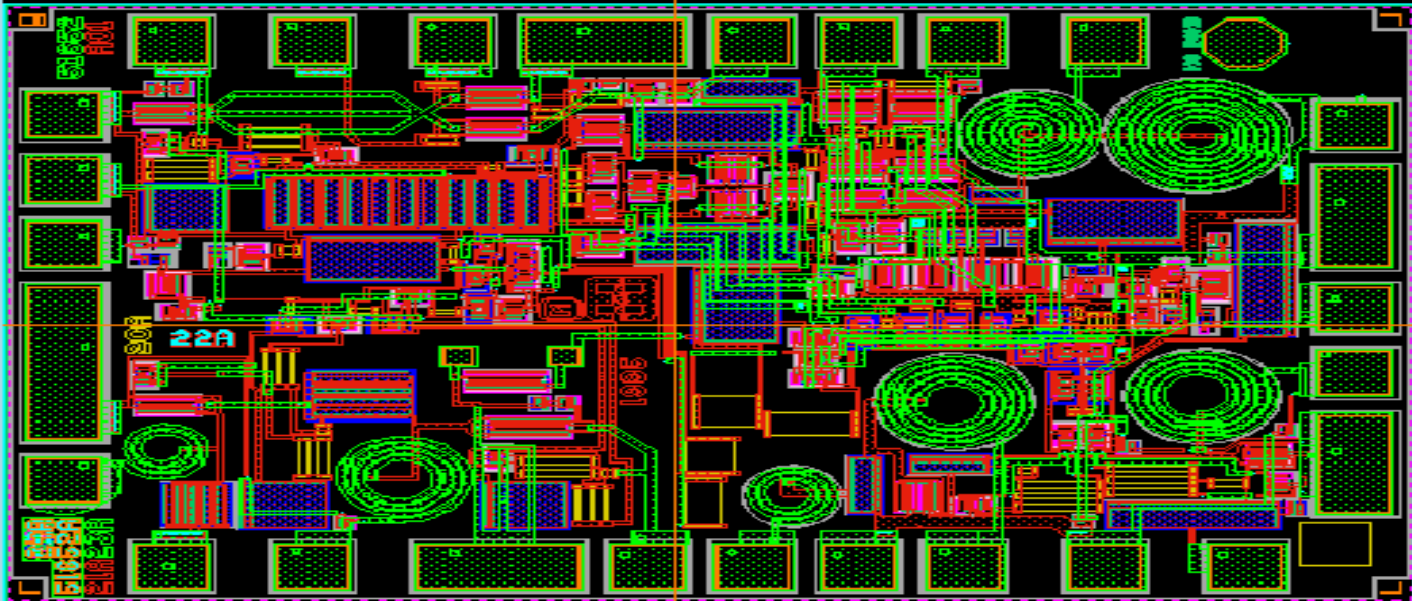
# Massively Coupled Effects



Courtesy of Harris  
Semiconductor

- **Digital – Narrow Signal Range – 20db**
    - Effective to Screen Small couplings
  - **Analog – Wide Signal Dynamic Range – 80db**
    - Small couplings must be retained
  - **Analog Block – 1000's of interacting interconnect lines**
    - Millions of Coupling terms
- ← **Massively Coupled Problem!**

# Still to Come: Massively Coupled Interconnect Analysis



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Semiconductor

- Need to draw a box and extract everything
  - Including all the small couplings
  - Extracted Result must be efficient in a simulator
- Will try to use SVD based methods plus model order reduction
  - SVD for the geometric coupling
  - MOR for the frequency dependence

**Still Massively Coupled  
Problem-- But New  
Approaches!**

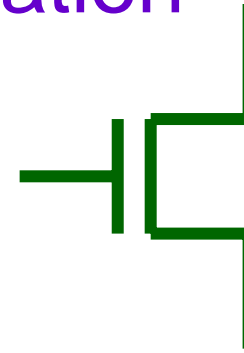
# The role of fitting versus projection?

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- **Fitting only uses I/O data**
  - Convex optimization procedures
  - No smoothness between models
- **Projection uses the system description**
  - Has more information, what good is that info
  - Can pick out the state space that preserves smoothness
- **For projection, how to get Observe/Control**
  - Robustness demands we get  $x$ 's large in transfer behavior
- **Will Lyapunov Inequalities help?**

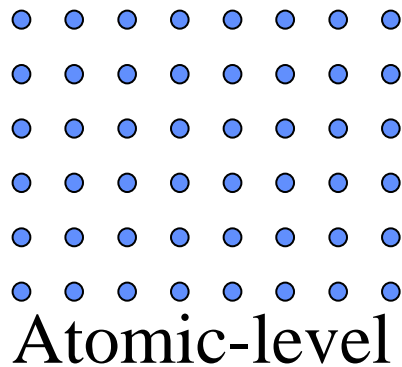
# Impact of Reliable nonlinear MOR

## Automatic Compact Model Generation

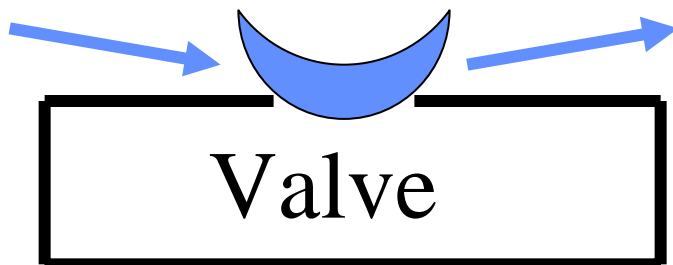


Q-V, I-V equations

## Multiscale modeling?



## New device/technology models



$$\frac{dx_r(t)}{dt} = F(x_r(t)) + b_r u(t)$$
$$y(t) = c_r^T x_r(t)$$