



Data-Driven Modeling of Hydrodynamic Loading using NARX and Harmonic Probing

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Outline

- 1. Problem Statement
- 2. Kriging-NARX
- 3. Harmonic Probing











For moored structures:





- Forecasting, data-driven, time-series model
- What it does:

$$f_n = \mathcal{F}(f_{n-1}, f_{n-2}, \dots, f_{n-nf}, \zeta_n, \zeta_{n-1}, \dots, \zeta_{n-n\zeta}) = \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{x}_n)$$





Exogenous input



- How does it work?
- Assumes a Joint Normal Distribution



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 θ : length scale σ_f : noise parameter σ_e : nugget for num. stability

$$\begin{cases} f_n \\ f_{n-1} \\ f_{n-2} \\ \vdots \end{cases} \sim \mathcal{N} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} k(x_n, x_n) + \sigma_e^2 & k(x_n, x_{n-1}) & k(x_n, x_{n-2}) & \cdots \\ k(x_{n-1}, x_n) & k(x_{n-1}, x_{n-1}) + \sigma_e^2 & k(x_{n-1}, x_{n-2}) + \sigma_e^2 & \cdots \\ k(x_{n-2}, x_n) & k(x_{n-2}, x_{n-1}) + \sigma_e^2 & k(x_{n-2}, x_{n-2}) + \sigma_e^2 & \cdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$k(x_n, x_{n-m}) = \sigma_f^2 \exp\left\{ \left(-\frac{1}{2\theta_i^2} \|x_n - x_{n-m}\|^2 \right) \right\}$$

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$$\begin{cases} f_n \\ \mathbf{F} \end{cases} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} K(\mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{x}_n) + \sigma_e^2 & \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{x}_n) \\ \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{X}) & \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{X}) + \sigma_e^2 \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

 $E[f_n | \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{X}] = \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{x}_n | \mathbf{X}) = \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{X}) [\mathbf{K}(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{X}) + \sigma_e^2 \mathbf{I}]^{-1} \mathbf{F}$









 $f_n(t) = H_0 + H_1(\Omega_1)e^{i\Omega_1 t_n} + H_1(\Omega_2)e^{i\Omega_2 t_n} + 2H_2(\Omega_1, \Omega_2)e^{i(\Omega_1 + \Omega_2)t_n} + H_2(\Omega_1, \Omega_1)e^{i(2\Omega_1)t_n} + H_2(\Omega_2, \Omega_2)e^{i(2\Omega_2)t_n}$



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Linearize and solve for H_0 , H_1 , and H_2

$$f_n = \mathcal{F}(\boldsymbol{x}_n | \boldsymbol{X}, \boldsymbol{F}) \approx \mathcal{F}(\boldsymbol{0}) + \frac{\partial \mathcal{F}}{\partial \boldsymbol{x}} \Big|_{\boldsymbol{0}} \boldsymbol{x}_n + \frac{1}{2} \boldsymbol{x}_n^T \frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{F}}{\partial \boldsymbol{x}^2} \Big|_{\boldsymbol{0}} \boldsymbol{x}_n$$





Example QTF validated for a nonlinear duffing oscillator



Future Outlook

- Estimate the low-frequency QTF for the Windmoor floater
- Investigate signals with different sampling rates





