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GUEST EDITORIAL

I am honored to chair the academic session of the fourth Engineering Conference Southern Norway 2011. I express my sincere gratitude to all participants and to the organizing committee of the conference for their contributions. The conference gathered individual speakers who are also the world's most respected authorities on Systems, Modelling, Control and Robotics. This special issue comprising of three papers is focused on the various aspects and fundamental concepts of control systems and its applications. The purpose of the issue is to communicate and present some of the latest research carried out in this area while reviewing other important recent developments in the field. The papers are organized as follows.

The first paper in this special issue is Mean-Square Filtering for Polynomial System States Confused with Poisson Noises over Polynomial Observations, by Michael Basin, Juan J. Maldonado and Hamid Reza Karimi. This work addresses the general case of nonlinear polynomial states and observations with white Poisson noises. It derives the Ito differentials for the mean-square estimate and error variance corresponding to the stated filtering problem. The procedure for obtaining an approximate closed-form finite-dimensional system of the filtering equations for any polynomial state over observations with any polynomial drift is then established.

The second paper in this special issue is Semi-decentralized Strategies in Structural Vibration Control, by Francisco Palacios-Quiñonero, Josep Maria Rossell and Hamid Reza Karimi. This work describes the main ideas involved in the design of overlapping and multi-overlapping controllers via the Inclusion Principle in the context of the Structural Vibration Control of tall buildings under seismic excitation. A detailed theoretical background on the Inclusion Principle and the design of overlapping controllers is provided. Overlapping and multi-overlapping LQR controllers are designed for a simplified five-story building model.

The third paper in this special issue is Abstraction of Dynamical Systems by Timed Automata, by Rafael Wisniewski and Christoffer Sloth. This work shows a method for abstracting dynamical systems, where level sets of Lyapunov functions are used to generate the partitioning of the state space. The authors propose to partition the state space using an entire family of functions. The properties of these functions ensure that the discrete model captures the behaviors of a dynamical system by generating appropriate equivalence classes of the states. These equivalence classes make up the partition of the state space. This method allows for application of methods for model checking. Consequently, it opens the possibility of carrying out the verification of reachability and timing requirements, which by classical control methods is impossible.

The guest editor would like to thank all the authors of this special issue for contributing the high quality papers and we hope the reader will share our joy and find this special issue very useful. Finally, a special thanks is extended to the Editor-in-Chief, Prof. Geir Hovland, for giving us this great opportunity of organizing this special issue.

Professor Hamid Reza Karimi
August 1, 2011

This issue is the result of the Engineering Conference Southern Norway, which was organised at Campus Grimstad on May 12, 2011. On the following two pages the program for the conference and some pictures taken during the presentations are presented. Most of the presentation slides for the conference are also available at www.mic-journal.no/ECSN2011. A special issue based on a conference like ECSN2011 is an interesting format for MIC. It makes it possible to combine contributions from academics (who often need a publication to justify the travel costs) with contributions from industry. By including only a few selected papers for publication in MIC, it is not a strict requirement to write a paper to present at the conference, and the conference organisers are relieved of the burden of producing peer-reviewed conference proceedings for the entire conference. The MIC journal aims to continue using this format in the future, and suggestions for special issues based on conferences can be sent to the members of the editorial board.

Editor Geir Hovland
August 1, 2011

The Engineering Conference Southern Norway 2011:

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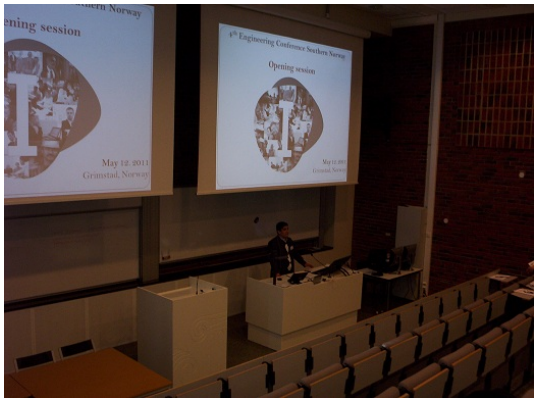
1. Prof. Hamid Reza Karimi, University of Agder, Opening speech



2. Prof. Michael Basin, Autonomous University of Nuevo Leon, Mexico: Mean-Square Filtering for Polynomial States with Poisson Noises

3. Dr. Thomas Jagalski, University of Bremen, Germany: Autonomous Control of a Shop Floor Based on the Nest Construction Behavior of Wasps

4. Prof. Rafael Wisniewski, Aalborg University, Denmark: Verification of Control Systems by Timed Automata

5. Prof. Michael Basin, Autonomous University of Nuevo Leon, Mexico: Applying Sliding Mode Technique to Optimal Filter and Controller Design

6. Prof. Josep M. Rossell, Universitat Politcnica de Catalunya, Spain: Semi-decentralized Strategies in Structural Vibration Control

7. Prof. Mogens Blanke, Technical University of Denmark, Copenhagen: Fault-tolerant Systems concepts and design methods

Industry Session:

1. Trygve Hanssen, Elkem: Information Technology and Melting Furnaces

2. Ole Klingsheim, ConocoPhillips: Integrated Operations

3. Tore Berg, National Oilwell Varco: NOV Drilling Simulator

4. Jan-Egil Wagnild, Marine Cybernetics: 3rd Party Testing of Drilling Control Systems

5. Kyle Brennan, Agder Energy: Fjeldskår Open Wind Park, Making production and wind measurement data available for research

6. Brit Sterud, GE Healthcare Lindesnes Fabrikker: Change of Information Requirements by Centralisation of Operations in Pharmaceutical Industry