

On an Application of the Averaging Method for Nonlinear Systems of Integro Differential Equations

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Summary The present paper justifies a variant of the averaging method for a system of integro differential equations of a standard type, and finds an estimation for proximity of the solutions of the considered system and its averaged system.

In paper [1] the averaging method for a system of ordinary differential equations of a standard type is justified. An estimation for proximity of the solutions of the initial and the averaged system is found.

In the present paper this method is applied to a nonlinear system of integro-differential equations of a standard type. An estimation for proximity of the solutions of the initial and its corresponding averaged system is found, using two of the schemes for averaging proposed in [2].

Consider the equation

$$(1) \quad \dot{x} = \varepsilon X\left(t, x, \int_0^t \varphi(t, s, x) ds\right)$$

with initial condition

$$(2) \quad x(0) = x_0$$

where $x, X, \varphi \in \mathbf{R}^n$, and $\varepsilon > 0$ is a small parameter.

Let the limit

$$(3) \quad \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T X\left(t, x, \int_0^t \varphi(t, s, x) ds\right) dt = X_0(x)$$

exist.

An averaged equation corresponding to (1) will be called the equation

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$$(4) \quad \dot{\xi} = \varepsilon X_0(\xi)$$

with initial condition

$$(5) \quad \xi(0) = x_0$$

The following theorem holds:

Theorem 1. *Let the functions $X(t, x, y)$ and $\varphi(t, s, x)$ be defined and continuous in the domain $Q\{t, s \geq 0, x \in \mathcal{D} \subset \mathbf{R}^n, y \in \mathbf{R}^n\}$, where the domain \mathcal{D} is assumed to be open, and let, in this domain, the following conditions be satisfied:*

1. *There exists a constant M , such that $\|X(t, x, y)\| \leq M$.*
2. *The functions $X(t, x, y)$ and $\varphi(t, s, x)$ satisfy the Lipschitz condition*

$$\|X(t, x', y') - X(t, x'', y'')\| \leq \lambda \{\|x' - x''\| + \|y' - y''\|\}, \quad \lambda = \text{const.},$$

$$\|\varphi(t, s, x') - \varphi(t, s, x'')\| \leq \mu(t, s) \|x' - x''\|.$$

$$3. \quad \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t d\tau \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) ds \rightarrow 0, \quad t \rightarrow \infty.$$

4. *The limit (3) exists uniformly with respect to $x \in \mathcal{D}$.*

5. *The solution $\xi = \xi(t)$, $\xi(0) = x_0 \in \mathcal{D}$ of the Cauchy problem (4), (5) is defined for every $t \geq 0$ and lies in \mathcal{D} with some of its ρ -neighbourhoods.*

Then, for each arbitrarily chosen, sufficiently large positive number $L > 0$ there can be found such a number $\varepsilon_0 > 0$, that for $\varepsilon \in (0, \varepsilon_0]$ on the interval $0 \leq t \leq L\varepsilon^{-1}$ the following inequality would be satisfied:

$$\|x(t) - \xi(t)\| \leq e^{\lambda[L+\delta(\varepsilon)]} \{\lambda ML\delta(\varepsilon) + 2\psi(\varepsilon) + 2\sqrt{2\lambda ML\psi(\varepsilon)(L+\delta(\varepsilon))}\}$$

where

$$(6) \quad \psi(\varepsilon) = \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq L} \left\{ \sup_{\xi \in \mathcal{D}} \left\| \int_0^{\tau/\varepsilon} \left[X\left(t, \xi, \int_0^t \varphi(t, s, \xi) ds\right) - X_0(\xi) \right] dt \right\| \right\},$$

$$(7) \quad \delta(\varepsilon) = \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq L} \tau \bar{\mu}_0\left(\frac{\tau}{\varepsilon}\right),$$

$$(8) \quad \bar{\mu}_0(t) = \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t d\tau \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) ds$$

Proof. We assume that $x(t) \in \mathcal{D}$ when $0 \leq t \leq L\varepsilon^{-1}$. For the difference $x(t) - \xi(t)$ there holds the integral representation

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) - \xi(t) &= \varepsilon \int_0^t \left[X\left(\tau, x(\tau), \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, x(s)) ds\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - X\left(\tau, \xi(\tau), \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi(s)) ds\right) \right] d\tau + \varepsilon \int_0^t \left[X\left(\tau, \xi(\tau), \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi(s)) ds\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - X\left(\tau, \xi(\tau), \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi(\tau)) ds\right) \right] d\tau \\ &\quad + \varepsilon \int_0^t \left[X\left(\tau, \xi(\tau), \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi(\tau)) ds\right) - X_0(\xi(\tau)) \right] d\tau, \end{aligned}$$

whence the following estimation follows

$$\begin{aligned} (9) \quad \|x(t) - \xi(t)\| &\leq \varepsilon \lambda \int_0^t \left\{ \|x(\tau) - \xi(\tau)\| + \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) \|x(s) - \xi(s)\| ds \right\} d\tau \\ &\quad + \varepsilon \lambda \int_0^t d\tau \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) \|\xi(s) - \xi(\tau)\| ds + \varepsilon \left\| \int_0^t X_1(\tau, \xi(\tau)) d\tau \right\|. \end{aligned}$$

Here

$$X_1(\tau, \xi(\tau)) = X\left(\tau, \xi(\tau), \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi(\tau)) ds\right) - X_0(\xi(\tau)).$$

The function $X_1(\tau, \xi(\tau))$ satisfies the Lipschitz condition. Indeed,

$$\begin{aligned} \|X_1(\tau, \xi') - X_1(\tau, \xi'')\| &\leq \left\| X\left(\tau, \xi', \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi') ds\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - X\left(\tau, \xi'', \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi'') ds\right) \right\| + \|X_0(\xi') - X_0(\xi'')\| \\ &\leq \lambda \|\xi' - \xi''\| + \lambda \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) \|\xi' - \xi''\| ds + \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T \left\| X\left(\tau, \xi', \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi') ds\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - X\left(\tau, \xi'', \int_0^\tau \varphi(\tau, s, \xi'') ds\right) \right\| d\tau \\ &\leq \lambda \|\xi' - \xi''\| + \lambda \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) \|\xi' - \xi''\| ds + \lambda \|\xi' - \xi''\| \\ &\quad + \lambda \|\xi' - \xi''\| \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T d\tau \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) ds \\ &= [2\lambda + \lambda \mu_0(\tau)] \|\xi' - \xi''\|. \end{aligned}$$

Here the notation $\mu_0(\tau) = \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) ds$ is introduced.

We estimate the last summand of (9) on the interval $0 \leq t \leq L\varepsilon^{-1}$. For this purpose we divide the interval into m parts with the help of the points $t_0=0, t_1, \dots, t_{m-1}, t_m=L\varepsilon^{-1}$ and we find

$$(10) \quad \left\| \varepsilon \int_0^t X_1(\tau, \xi(\tau)) d\tau \right\| \leq \left\| \varepsilon \sum_{i=0}^{m-1} \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} [X_1(\tau, \xi(\tau)) - X_1(\tau, \xi(t_i))] d\tau \right\| \\ + \left\| \varepsilon \sum_{i=0}^{m-1} \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} X_1(\tau, \xi(t_i)) d\tau \right\|.$$

For the first summand on the right hand side of (10) we obtain the estimation

$$(11) \quad \left\| \varepsilon \sum_{i=0}^{m-1} \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} [X_1(\tau, \xi(\tau)) - X_1(\tau, \xi(t_i))] d\tau \right\| \leq \frac{\lambda ML^2}{m} + \frac{\lambda ML}{m} \delta(\varepsilon)$$

where $\delta(\varepsilon)$ is determined by (7) and $\delta(\varepsilon) \rightarrow 0$ as $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$.

From condition 4 of the theorem there follows the existence of the function

$$\Phi(t) = \sup_{\xi \in \mathcal{D}} \left\| \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t X_1(\tau, \xi) d\tau \right\|, \quad \Phi(t) \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } t \rightarrow \infty.$$

Then

$$\varepsilon \left\| \int_0^t X_1(\tau, \xi) d\tau \right\| \leq \varepsilon t \Phi(t) \leq \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq L} \tau \Phi\left(\frac{\tau}{\varepsilon}\right) = \psi(\varepsilon) \quad \psi(\varepsilon) \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0$$

For the second summand of (10) we get

$$(12) \quad \left\| \varepsilon \sum_{i=0}^{m-1} \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} \varphi(\tau, \xi(t_i)) d\tau \right\| \leq 2m\psi(\varepsilon).$$

From (10), (11), (12) there follows the estimation

$$(13) \quad \left\| \varepsilon \int_0^t X_1(\tau, \xi(\tau)) d\tau \right\| \leq \frac{\lambda ML^2}{m} + \frac{\lambda ML}{m} \delta(\varepsilon) + 2m\psi(\varepsilon).$$

From (9) and (13) we obtain

$$\|x(t) - \xi(t)\| \leq \varepsilon \lambda \int_0^t \left\{ \|x(\tau) - \xi(\tau)\| + \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) \|x(s) - \xi(s)\| ds \right\} d\tau \\ + \lambda ML \delta(\varepsilon) + \frac{\lambda ML^2}{m} + \frac{\lambda ML}{m} \delta(\varepsilon) + 2m\psi(\varepsilon)$$

or

$$\|x(t) - \xi(t)\| \leq \left[\lambda ML \delta(\varepsilon) + \frac{\lambda ML^2}{m} + \frac{\lambda ML}{m} \delta(\varepsilon) + 2m\psi(\varepsilon) \right] e^{\lambda[L+\delta(\varepsilon)]}$$

whence we get the estimation

$$\|x(t) - \xi(t)\| \leq e^{\lambda[L+\delta(\varepsilon)]} [\lambda ML \delta(\varepsilon) + 2\psi(\varepsilon) + 2\sqrt{2\lambda ML\psi(\varepsilon)} [L + \delta(\varepsilon)]]$$

The proof of the fact that $x(t) \in \mathcal{D}$ when $t \in [0, L\varepsilon^{-1}]$ is trivial. In this way Theorem 1 is proved.

Suppose that the limit

$$(14) \quad \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T X(t, x, \int_0^\infty \varphi(t, s, x) ds) dt = X_0(x)$$

exists.

Then the following theorem holds:

Theorem 2. *Let the functions $X(t, x, y)$ and $\varphi(t, s, x)$ be defined and continuous in the domain $Q \{t, s \geq 0, x \in \mathcal{D} \subset \mathbf{R}^n, y \in \mathbf{R}^n\}$ and let the following conditions be satisfied in this domain:*

1. $\|X(t, x, y)\| \leq M, \quad M = \text{const.}$
2. $\|X(t, x', y') - X(t, x'', y'')\| \leq \lambda \{\|x' - x''\| + \|y' - y''\|\}$
 $\|\varphi(t, s, x') - \varphi(t, s, x'')\| \leq \mu(t, s) \|x' - x''\|$
3. $\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t d\tau \int_0^\tau \mu(\tau, s) ds \rightarrow 0, \quad t \rightarrow \infty; \quad \lambda = \text{const.}$
4. *The limit (14) exists uniformly with respect to $x \in \mathcal{D}$.*
5. *The solution $\xi = \xi(t), \xi(0) = x(0) \in \mathcal{D}$ of the averaged equation is defined for every $t \geq 0$ and lies in \mathcal{D} with some of its ρ -neighbourhoods.*

$$6. \quad \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \left\| \int_0^\infty \varphi(\tau, s, \xi(\tau)) ds \right\| d\tau = 0$$

$$7. \quad \left\| \int_0^\infty \varphi(t, s, x') ds - \int_0^\infty \varphi(t, s, x'') ds \right\| \leq \nu \|x' - x''\|, \quad \nu = \text{const.}$$

Then, for every $L > 0$ there exists $\varepsilon_0 > 0$, such that when $0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_0$ on the interval $0 \leq t \leq L\varepsilon^{-1}$ the following inequality is fulfilled:

$$\|x(t) - \xi(t)\| \leq e^{\lambda[L+8(\varepsilon)]} \{\lambda\gamma(\varepsilon) + \lambda ML\delta(\varepsilon) + 2\psi_1(\varepsilon) + 2\sqrt{2\lambda ML^2\psi_1(\varepsilon)(1+\nu)}\}$$

where

$$\psi_1(\varepsilon) = \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq L} \left\{ \sup_{\xi \in \mathcal{D}} \left\| \int_0^{\tau/\varepsilon} \left[X(t, \xi, \int_0^\infty \varphi(t, s, \xi) ds) - X_0(\xi) \right] dt \right\| \right\},$$

$$\gamma(\varepsilon) = \sup_{0 \leq \tau \leq L} \tau F\left(\frac{\tau}{\varepsilon}\right), \quad F(t) = \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t \left\| \int_\tau^\infty \varphi(\tau, s, \xi(\tau)) ds \right\| d\tau.$$

The proof of Theorem 2 is analogous to that of Theorem 1.

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