

T15. Analysis of short-term process dynamics

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The main goal of our research is to develop efficient methods and tools for process analysis, under monitoring a few parameters of a system dynamics.

Assume we have a hypothesis of a process flow as a mathematical model — a dynamical system $\langle \Omega, \tau \rangle$ with discrete time (a linear Abstract State Machine). Here $\Omega = \mathbb{R}^n$ — a state space, τ — a piece wise linear transition function on Ω , permitting bounded deviation or other generalizations. The given hypothesis corresponds to the normal behavior of the process. Assume also a sequence $\gamma = (\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_k)$ of values $\gamma_i \in \Omega'$, obtained from monitoring. We will focus on Ω' being a finite set $\Omega' = \{1, \dots, p\}$. It may be a set of spectra intervals, a set of possible ranges of latent variables or a set of initially finite measurements. A mapping $\pi: \Omega \rightarrow \Omega'$ (juxtaposing internal and monitored states of the system) is considered given. We are interested in the following question. If there exists a trajectory s of the process $\langle \Omega, \tau \rangle$, such that $\pi(s) = \gamma$? In other words, whether the process, corresponding to the monitored projection γ , is normal in the sense of the given hypothesis.

On the basis of the monitoring schema, described above, we have developed some effective algorithms, allowing a real-time analysis of the system behavior.