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# 含有非线性干扰的时滞竞争性神经网络指数同步

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**摘要:**研究了含有非线性干扰的时滞竞争性神经网络的指数同步,基于利亚普洛夫稳定性理论、不等式技巧等,设计了一个简单的控制器,并获得了一些指数同步的充分条件;所得结论简单实际,可以推广到其他神经网络中;最后给出了一个数值模拟来说明结论的有效性.

**关键词:**竞争性神经网络;指数同步;非线性干扰;时滞

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近年来,由于在通信、图像处理、医学等方面的广泛应用,神经网络的同步研究越来越引起更多学者们的关注.竞争性神经网络是重要的神经网络之一,其主要特点是含有两个神经变元,因此研究该网络的同步更具挑战性,并且已取得了很好的结果<sup>[1-3]</sup>.在实际应用中,网络不可避免地会受到外界环境的干扰,因此在研究中考考虑含有非线性干扰的系统很有必要.作者在文献[2-3]中对含有干扰的竞争性神经网络的自适应同步做了研究,然而对于指数同步的研究很少.此外,由于信道的宽度及有限的传播速度,时滞不可避免地存在于网络之中,因此,作者在文献[4-5]中对时滞神经网络的指数同步做了研究.此处重点研究含有非线性干扰的时滞竞争性神经网络的指数同步,通过设计一个简单适用的控制器,得到了一些指数同步的充分条件,并给出了严格的证明,最后数值模拟说明了结论的有效性.

## 1 预备知识

研究如下竞争性神经网络:

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}(t) = -\frac{1}{\varepsilon}Ax(t) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon}Bf(x(t)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon}Cf(x(t-\tau)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon}DS(t) + \sigma^x(t) \\ \dot{S}(t) = -\alpha S(t) + \beta f(x(t)) \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

其中,第一个方程代表短期记忆变元(STM),第二个方程指的是长期记忆变元(LTM); $A = \text{diag}(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)$ ,  $a_i > 0$  是神经元的时间常数; $B = (b_{ij})_{n \times n}$ ,  $C = (c_{ij})_{n \times n}$ ,  $b_{ij}$  和  $c_{ij}$  指的是的  $i$  个神经元和第  $j$  个神经元之间的连接权重, $f(x(t))$  是外部输入, $D = \text{diag}(D_1, D_2, \dots, D_n)$ ,  $\alpha = \text{diag}(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)$ ,  $\beta = \text{diag}(\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n)$ , 其中  $D_i$  是外部刺激, $\alpha_i > 0$ ,  $\beta_i$  表示常数量,  $\sigma^x(t)$  为非线性干扰且满足  $|\sigma^x(t)| \leq M_1$ .

式(1)的初始值定义为  $x(t) = \varphi^x(t) \in C([- \tau, 0], R^n)$ ,  $S(t) = \varphi^s(t) \in C([- \tau, 0], R^n)$ . 将式(1)看做驱动系统,则响应系统如下:

$$\begin{cases} \dot{y}(t) = -\frac{1}{\varepsilon}Ay(t) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon}Bf(y(t)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon}Cf(y(t-\tau)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon}DR(t) + \sigma^y(t) \\ \dot{R}(t) = -\alpha R(t) + \beta f(y(t)) \end{cases} \quad (2)$$

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系统(2)的初始值定义为  $y(t) = \varphi^y(t) \in C([- \tau, 0], R^n)$ ,  $R(t) = \varphi^R(t) \in C([- \tau, 0], R^n)$ ,  $\sigma^y(t)$  为非线性干扰且  $|\sigma^y(t)| \leq M_2$ .

可以得到误差系统为

$$\begin{cases} \dot{e}(t) = -\frac{1}{\varepsilon} A e_i(t) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} B g(e(t)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} C g(e(t - \tau)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} D z(t) + \sigma^y(t) - \sigma^x(t) + U \\ \dot{z}(t) = -\alpha z(t) + \beta g(e(t)) \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

则初始值  $e(t) = \phi^x(t) - \phi^y(t) \in C([- \tau, 0], R^n)$ ,  $z(t) = \phi^R(t) - \phi^S(t) \in C([- \tau, 0], R^n)$ . 为了证明结论, 需介绍如下假设、引理及定义.

**假设 1** 存在非负的常数  $l_i$ , 使得式(4)成立:

$$|f_i(x) - f_i(y)| \leq l_i |x - y| \quad (4)$$

**引理 1** 对于任意向量  $x, y \in R^n$  和正定矩阵  $Q \in R^n \times R^n$ , 都有不等式(5)成立:

$$2x^T y \leq x^T Q x + y^T Q^{-1} y \quad (5)$$

**引理 2**<sup>[6]</sup> 假设  $u(t), v(t)$  是  $[t_1, t_2]$  上的连续函数,  $t_1 \leq t \leq t_2, T = t_2 - t_1, u(t) \geq 0$ , 常数  $\eta \geq 0, r \geq 0$ , 如果满足  $v(t) \leq \eta + \int_{t_1}^t [u(s)v(s) + r] ds$ , 则  $v(t) \leq (\eta + rT) \exp\left(\int_{t_1}^t u(t) ds\right)$ .

**定义 1** 如果存在正的常数  $M > 1, \nu > 0$ , 使得对于所有  $t \geq 0$ , 有式(6)成立:

$$y(t) - x(t) \leq M \sup_{-\tau \leq s \leq 0} \|\phi^y - \phi^x\| \exp(-\nu t) \quad (6)$$

则系统(2)指数同步于系统(1).

## 2 主要结论

**定理 1** 若假设 1 成立, 令控制器为

$$U = -(K + \lambda)e(t) - \xi \text{sign}(e(t)) \quad (7)$$

且  $K = \text{diag}(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n)$ ,  $\xi = \text{diag}(\xi_1, \xi_2, \dots, \xi_n)$ , 其中  $k_i > 0, \xi_i > 0, \lambda$  为正常数. 并且满足不等式(8)-(10):

$$\xi \geq M_1 + M_2 \quad (8)$$

$$K \geq -\frac{1}{\varepsilon} A + \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} (BB^T + CC^T + DD^T) + \frac{1}{2} \beta^2 L + \frac{\bar{l}}{2\varepsilon} I \quad (9)$$

$$\alpha \geq \left(\frac{1}{2\varepsilon} + \frac{1}{2}\right) I + \lambda I \quad (10)$$

$L = \text{diag}(l_1^2, l_2^2, \dots, l_n^2)$ , 则系统(2)指数同步于系统(1).

**证明** 选取 Lyapunov-Krasovskii 函数如下:

$$V(t) = \frac{1}{2} [e^T(t)e(t) + z^T(t)z(t)] + \frac{\bar{l}}{2\varepsilon} \int_{t-\tau}^t e^T(s)e(s) ds \quad (11)$$

其中  $\bar{l}$  是矩阵  $L$  的最大特征值. 对式(11)沿着误差系统(8)求导可得

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{V}(t) &= e^T(t) \dot{e}(t) + z^T(t) \dot{z}(t) + \frac{\bar{l}}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t)e(t) - \frac{\bar{l}}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t-\tau)e(t-\tau) = \\ & e^T(t) \left\{ -\left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon} A + K + \lambda I\right) e(t) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} B g(e(t)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} C g(e(t-\tau)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} D z(t) + \right. \\ & \left. \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \sigma^y(t) - \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \sigma^x(t) - \xi \text{sign}(e(t)) \right\} + z^T(t) [-\alpha z(t) + \beta g(e(t))] + \\ & \frac{\bar{l}}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t)e(t) - \frac{\bar{l}}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t-\tau)e(t-\tau) \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

由式(8)可得

$$e^T(t) [\sigma^y(t) - \sigma^x(t) - \xi \text{sign}(e(t))] \leq |e^T(t)| (M_1 + M_2 - \xi) \leq 0 \quad (13)$$

由引理 1 和假设 1, 可得到如下不等式:

$$\frac{1}{\varepsilon} e^T(t) Bg(e(t)) \leq \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} [e^T(t) BB^T e(t) + g^T(e(t))g(e(t))] \leq \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t) (BB^T + L) e(t) \quad (14)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} e^T(t) Cg(e(t-\tau)) &\leq \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t) CC^T e(t) + \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} g^T(e(t-\tau))g(e(t-\tau)) \leq \\ &\frac{1}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t) CC^T e(t) + \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t-\tau) L e(t-\tau) \end{aligned} \quad (15)$$

$$\frac{1}{\varepsilon} e^T(t) Dz(t) \leq \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} e^T(t) DD^T e(t) + \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} z^T(t)z(t) \quad (16)$$

$$\begin{aligned} z^T(t)\beta g(e(t)) &\leq \frac{1}{2} z^T(t)z(t) + \frac{1}{2} g^T(e(t))\beta^2 g(e(t)) \leq \\ &\frac{1}{2} z^T(t)z(t) + \frac{1}{2} e^T(t)\beta^2 L e(t) \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

由式(13)到(17)可以得到

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{V}(t) &\leq e^T(t) \left[ -\frac{1}{\varepsilon} A + \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} (BB^T + CC^T + DD^T) + \frac{1}{2} \beta^2 L + \frac{\bar{l}}{2\varepsilon} I - K \right] e(t) - \lambda e^T(t) e(t) + \\ &z^T(t) \left[ -\alpha + \left( \frac{1}{2\varepsilon} + \frac{1}{2} \right) I + \lambda I \right] z(t) - \lambda z^T(t) z(t) \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

由式(9)(10), 式(15)可变为

$$\dot{V}(t) \leq -\lambda [e^T(t)e(t) + z^T(t)z(t)] \quad (19)$$

式(19)两边积分可得

$$V(t) \leq V(0) - \lambda \int_0^t [e^T(s)e(s) + z^T(s)z(s)] ds$$

又知

$$V(t) = \frac{1}{2} [e^T(t)e(t) + z^T(t)z(t)] + \frac{\bar{l}}{2\varepsilon} \int_{t-\tau}^t e^T(s)e(s) ds$$

则

$$e^T(t)e(t) + z^T(t)z(t) \leq 2V(t) = 2V(0) + 2 \int_0^t \dot{V}(s) ds \leq 2V(0) - 2\lambda \int_0^t e^T(s)e(s) ds$$

即

$$e^T(t)e(t) \leq 2V(0) - z^T(t)z(t) - 2\lambda \int_0^t e^T(s)e(s) ds$$

由引理 2 得

$$e^T(t)e(t) \leq \{2V(0) - z^T(t)z(t)\} \exp(-2\lambda t)$$

即

$$\|e(t)\| \leq \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon + \bar{l}}{\varepsilon}} \sup_{-\tau \leq s \leq 0} (\|\phi^y - \phi^x\|) \exp(-\lambda t)$$

从定义 1 知系统(2)指数同步于系统(1). 注: 由模型特点知, 当  $\|e(t)\|$  指数趋于零时,  $\|z(t)\|$  也指数趋向零.

### 3 仿真例子

考虑一个竞争性神经网络, 其状态方程如式(20):

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}(t) = -\frac{1}{\varepsilon} Ax(t) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} Bf(x(t)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} Cf(x(t-\tau)) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} DS(t) + \sigma^x(t) \\ \dot{S}(t) = -\alpha S(t) + \beta f(x(t)) \end{cases} \quad (20)$$

其中  $\varepsilon=5, \tau=1, f(x)=\tan h(x)$ , 初值  $\phi^x(s)=(1, -0.2)^T, \phi^s(s)=(0.3, 0.5)^T$ ,

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1.2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.2 \end{pmatrix}, D = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -2.2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.3 \end{pmatrix}, \beta = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

此时系统呈混沌现象(图 1, 图 2). 根据定理 1, 可以验证误差系统指数趋于零(图 3).

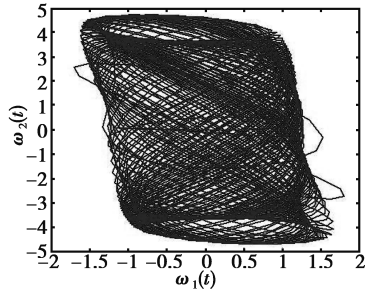


图 1  $x(t)$  的轨迹图

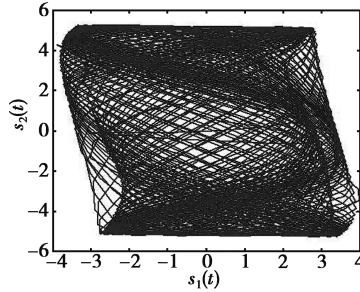


图 2  $S(t)$  的轨迹图

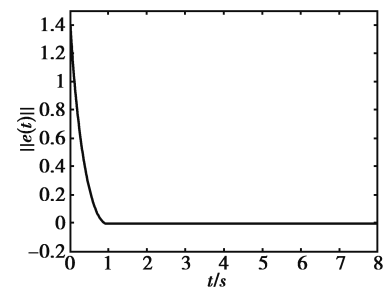


图 3 误差图

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## Exponential Synchronization of Delayed Competitive Neural Networks with Nonlinear Perturbations

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**Abstract:** This paper researches the exponential synchronization of delayed competitive neural networks with nonlinear perturbations. Based on Lyapunov stability theory, inequality techniques, etc., a simple controller is designed, and some sufficient conditions are obtained. The results of this paper are simpler and more practical and can be generalized to other neural networks. A numerical simulation is given to demonstrate the effectiveness of the results.

**Key words:** competitive neural networks; exponential synchronization; nonlinear perturbations; time delay