Fuzzy Membership Function Dependent Switched Control for Nonlinear Systems with Memory Sampled-Data Information

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Abstract: In this paper, a fuzzy memory-based coupling sampled-data control (SDC) is designed for nonlinear systems through the switched approach. Compared with the usual SDC scheme, by employing the Bernoulli sequence, a more general coupling switched SDC that involving the signal transmission delay is designed. The Lyapunov-Krasovskii Functional (LKF) is presented with the available characteristics of the membership function, and a coupling sampling pattern, for the T-S fuzzy systems. Based on LKF, together with time derivative information of membership function, and the generalized N-order free-matrix-based inequality, the suitable conditions are obtained in terms of linear matrix inequalities (LMIs) for guaranteeing the asymptotic stability and stabilization of the concerned system. Then the desired fuzzy coupling SDC gain is attained from the solvable LMIs. In the end, two examples are given to validate the derived theoretical results.

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1. Introduction

The analysis and synthesis of nonlinear dynamical systems have gradually become the focus of attention due to extensive applications in physics, engineering communities, and so on [1,2]. In real life, stability analysis and control design for nonlinear dynamical systems are quite difficult. Recently, the T-S fuzzy model has been dealt with the intrinsic nonlinear systems because the T-S fuzzy model can
depict the considered nonlinear systems as a weighted sum of some linear subsystems. From this idea, the stabilization for T-S fuzzy systems has been established in [3–7]. Moreover, the various nonlinear dynamical systems such as Rossler’s system [2], Chua’s circuit [8], mass-spring system [9], have been formulated as T-S fuzzy systems to study the stabilization problem. To tackle the stabilization issue of T-S fuzzy systems, several control techniques have been designed in literature, for example, adaptive control [10], impulsive control [11], mixed $H_{\infty}$ passive control [12], SDC [13], and so on.

With the rapid development of communication technology and digital networks, SDC becomes an attractive field of research in the control system. The main scope of the SDC is updating the control signal information only at the sampling instants, not for the whole time interval, which reduces the communication bandwidth [14]. Also, the SDC has many advantages when compared with continuous-time controllers, such as efficiency, maintenance with low cost, and simple installation. According to these applications, the SDC has been utilized to investigate the various problems in T-S fuzzy systems [14–18]. For instance, the dissipativity and extended dissipativity for T-S fuzzy systems have been investigated via SDC in [19] and [20], respectively. Moreover, the asymptotic stabilization of T-S fuzzy-based chaotic systems has been studied via the SDC scheme in [21].

Further, the updating signal successfully transmitted from sampler to the controller and to the zero-order-hold (ZOH), the control signal may experience the constant transmission delay at any time instant $t_k$, which leads to the necessity of the memory-based SDC [22]. According to this viewpoint, the memory-based SDC has been designed for the stabilization of T-S fuzzy systems in [22–23]. Also, the dissipativity of T-S fuzzy systems has been analyzed via memory SDC in [24]. Very recently, the stabilization problem has been studied via memory SDC for T-S fuzzy time-delay system. From the above literature, memory SDC has improved the stability performance of the proposed systems with less conservative results. Inspired from the above, the memory-based coupling SDC which combines both the traditional SDC and memory-based SDC with the help of the Bernoulli sequence, is designed to improve the asymptotic stability of T-S fuzzy systems in the present study.

Meanwhile, when investigating the stabilization of T-S fuzzy systems under SDC scheme, the less conservative results through the choosing of proper sampling interval is significant. Since, the maximum sampling interval gives some superiorities, like lower communication channel occupation, less signal transmission, and less actuation of the controller. Hence, several methods have been established in the literature [25–28] to get the less conservatism via largest upper bounds (LUB)
of sampling interval which ensures the stabilization of T-S fuzzy systems. In particular, a looped-functional has been introduced in [29], which relax the positivity condition of LKF and also obtained the less conservative results. Nowadays, a new two-sided looped-functional has been employed to improve the stability condition from the information of the whole sampling interval and greatly enlarge the maximum sampling intervals [30][31].

Moreover, in fuzzy systems, membership functions play a crucial role to analyze the stability of systems and acquire the less conservatism. So, the time derivative of fuzzy membership function dependent LKFs has been employed for the stability analysis of T-S fuzzy systems in [32]. For example, the stability problem has been studied for T-S fuzzy systems via membership function dependent LKF in [33]. Furthermore, when compared with usual control method [13], switched control approach for T-S fuzzy systems diminish the number of LMIs and attain maximum sampling interval, which has been studied in [33][34]. Although a lot of attempts had made on the investigation of T-S fuzzy systems stability, when the memory-based coupling switched SDC information is taken into account, the stability of fuzzy systems has been drawn very little research, which motivates us to carry on the current research. Hence, this paper aims to propose SDC strategy for T-S fuzzy systems together with the coupling sampling pattern, membership function dependent LKF, and applying the switching topology. Through this, we attempt to ensure better performance for T-S fuzzy systems when compared to the existing works with the complete information about the time derivative of chosen membership function.

Inspired from the above, the stabilization of T-S fuzzy systems is investigated in this paper via memory-based coupling SDC. The main contributions of the paper lie in the following aspects:

1. Different from the conventional SDC and memory-based SDC scheme [13][14][23][24] a more general memory-based coupling SDC is designed by Bernoulli sequence for the T-S fuzzy systems.

2. Unlike from the LKF [14][19][21][26], the membership function dependent LKF, which including the available information of the coupling sampling pattern, signal transmission delay, and full state information from $t$ to $t_k$ and $t$ to $t_{k+1}$ is constructed in the present study.

3. By utilizing the generalized $N$-order free-matrix-based inequality, the stabilization criteria are derived with the aid of time derivative of membership function via switched approach for the considered systems in the form of LMIs.
(4) To show the effectiveness of designed control method, the derived stabilization conditions are compared with existing works [13, 14, 28], and the designed controller achieves the LUB of sampling interval with less conservative results.

The paper has the following structure: Section 2 devotes the formulation of T-S fuzzy system. In Section 3, the memory-based coupling SDC is designed for T-S fuzzy system. Two examples are considered in Section 4. Conclusions are drawn in Section 5.

Notations: $\mathbb{R}^{n\times m}$ and $\mathbb{R}^n$ denote $n \times m$ real matrix and the $n$-dimensional Euclidean space, respectively. The matrix $U > 0$ ($< 0$) denotes a positive (negative) definite. $E\{\cdot\}$ indicates the mathematical expectation operator. $\text{Sym}\{A\} = A + A^T$. $I$ and $0$ represent the identity and zero matrix with appropriate dimensions, respectively. $\text{diag}\{\cdots\}$ is a block diagonal matrix.

2. Preliminaries and System Description

2.1. T-S Fuzzy System Formulation: Let us consider the nonlinear systems as follows:

$$\dot{x}(t) = h(x(t), u(t)), \quad (1)$$

where $x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $u(t) \in \mathbb{R}^m$ represent the state and control input vector, respectively. $h(x(t), u(t))$ denotes a known nonlinear function which satisfies $h(0, 0) = 0$. Then, based on the T-S fuzzy modeling approach, nonlinear system (1) can be represented by a series of IF-THEN rules:

Rule $i$: IF $w_1(t)$ is $\theta_1^i$, $w_2(t)$ is $\theta_2^i$, · · · , $w_p(t)$ is $\theta_p^i$, THEN,

$$\dot{x}(t) = A_ix(t) + B_iu(t), \quad i \in \Delta = \{1, 2, \cdots, r\}, \quad (2)$$

where $A_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n\times n}$ and $B_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n\times m}$ are constant matrices; $w_1(t), w_2(t), \cdots, w_p(t)$ are the premise variables; $\theta_1^i, \theta_2^i, \cdots, \theta_p^i$ denote the fuzzy sets.

By utilizing product inference, singleton fuzzifier and center average defuzzifier, the whole T-S fuzzy system (2) can be inferred as

$$\dot{x}(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) \left[ A_ix(t) + B_iu(t) \right], \quad (3)$$

where $w(t) = [w_1(t), w_2(t), \cdots, w_p(t)]^T$, $\delta_i(w(t))$ is the normalized membership function satisfying

$$\delta_i(w(t)) = \frac{\prod_{g=1}^{p} \theta_{g,i}(w_g(t))}{\sum_{i=1}^{r} \prod_{g=1}^{p} \theta_{g,i}(w_g(t))} \geq 0, \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) = 1$$

and $\theta_{g,i}(w_g(t))$ is the grade of membership of $w_g(t)$ in $\theta_g^i$. 
2.2. Design of Memory-based Coupling SDC Strategy. In this subsection, the memory-based coupling SDC is designed for the system (3). For this, the control input signal is assumed to be generated by utilizing a ZOH function with $0 = t_0 < t_1 < \cdots < t_k < \cdots, \lim_{k \to \infty} t_k = +\infty$.

Rule $j$: IF $w_1(t) \in \theta_1^j$, $w_2(t) \in \theta_2^j$, $\cdots$, $w_p(t) \in \theta_p^j$, THEN,

$$u(t) = \beta(t)K_jx(t_k - \tau) + (1 - \beta(t))L_jx(t_k), \quad t \in [t_k, t_{k+1}), \quad j \in \Delta$$

where $K_j$ and $L_j$ are the control gain matrices and $\tau$ is the constant signal transmission delay. Now, define $d(t) = t - t_k$ with $\bar{d}(t) = 1$ for $t \not\in t_k$ and which satisfies $0 < d(t) \leq d_k = t_{k+1} - t_k \leq \bar{d}$, $\bar{d}$ is the maximum sampling interval. Here $\beta(t)$ is the Bernoulli stochastic variable coupling the conventional SDC and memory-based SDC with $\Pr\{\beta(t) = 1\} = \mathbb{E}\{\beta(t)\} = \beta$ and $\Pr\{\beta(t) = 0\} = 1 - \mathbb{E}\{\beta(t)\} = 1 - \beta$ where $\beta \in [0, 1]$. Then, the overall memory-based coupling SDC is represented as

$$u(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_j(w(t_k)) \left[ \beta(t)K_jx(t_k - \tau) + (1 - \beta(t))L_jx(t_k) \right], \quad t \in [t_k, t_{k+1}). \quad (4)$$

Based on the control input (4) and system (3), we get the fuzzy system as follows:

$$\dot{x}(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) \delta_j(w(t_k)) \left[ A_i x(t) + B_i \left( \beta(t)K_jx(t_k - \tau) + (1 - \beta(t))L_jx(t_k) \right) \right]. \quad (5)$$

Remark 1. In the existing literature, the conventional SDC and memory-based SDC have been separately designed for T-S fuzzy systems. Distinct from this, the above-said controllers are coupled by the Bernoulli sequence in this present study. From the memory-based coupling SDC (4), when the stochastic variable $\beta(t) = 0$, the designed control technique (4) reduces to the conventional SDC input $u(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_j(w(t_k))L_jx(t_k)$, which has been widely established for T-S fuzzy systems in [13, 14]. Meantime, if $\beta(t) = 1$, then the designed controller becomes a memory-based SDC $u(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_j(w(t))K_jx(t_k - \tau)$, which also has significantly designed for T-S fuzzy systems, recently (see, [23, 24]). From the above, the employed control technique for T-S fuzzy systems is more general than the works of [13, 14, 23, 24].

2.3. Switching Approach for Designing Control: Let us consider

$$\dot{P}_d = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \dot{\delta}_i(w(t))P_i = \sum_{j=1}^{r-1} \delta_j(w(t))(P_j - P_r), \quad \dot{Q}_d = \sum_{i=1}^{r-1} \dot{\delta}_i(w(t))Q_i = \sum_{j=1}^{r-1} \delta_j(w(t))(Q_j - Q_r),$$

$$\dot{R}_d = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \dot{\delta}_i(w(t))R_i = \sum_{j=1}^{r-1} \delta_j(w(t))(R_j - R_r), \quad \dot{S}_d = \sum_{i=1}^{r-1} \dot{\delta}_i(w(t))S_i = \sum_{j=1}^{r-1} \delta_j(w(t))(S_j - S_r),$$
The final memory-based coupling sampled-data switched control is expressed as

\[
\dot{U}_\delta = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \dot{\delta}_i(w(t))U_i = \sum_{j=1}^{r-1} \dot{\delta}_j(w(t))(U_j - U_r), \quad \dot{W}_\delta = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \dot{\delta}_i(w(t))W_i = \sum_{j=1}^{r-1} \dot{\delta}_j(w(t))(W_j - W_r),
\]

where \(P_i, S_i, U_i, Q_i, R_i, W_i\) are matrix variables to be obtained; and \(\dot{\delta}_i(w(t))\) will be positive or negative which dependence upon of time. In order to ensure \(\dot{P}_\delta \leq 0, \dot{Q}_\delta \leq 0, \dot{S}_\delta \leq 0, \dot{U}_\delta \leq 0, \dot{R}_\delta \leq 0\) and \(\dot{W}_\delta \leq 0\), the following switching idea is utilized:

\[
\begin{align*}
&\text{IF } \dot{\delta}_i(w(t)) < 0, \text{ THEN } \quad P_j - P_r > 0, \quad Q_j - Q_r > 0, \quad R_j - R_r > 0, \quad W_j - W_r > 0, \\
&\quad U_j - U_r > 0, \quad S_j - S_r > 0. \\
&\text{IF } \dot{\delta}_j(w(t)) \geq 0, \text{ THEN } \quad P_j - P_r \leq 0, \quad Q_j - Q_r \leq 0, \quad R_j - R_r \leq 0, \quad W_j - W_r \leq 0, \\
&\quad U_j - U_r \leq 0, \quad S_j - S_r \leq 0.
\end{align*}
\]

(6)

From (6), there are \(2^{r-1}\) possible cases exist. Define \(\mu \in \chi = \{1, 2, \cdots, 2^{r-1}\}\), then, equation (6) can be expressed as

\[
\text{IF } \mathbb{A}_\mu, \text{ THEN } \mathbb{B}_\mu
\]

(7)

where \(\mathbb{A}_\mu\) and \(\mathbb{B}_\mu\) represent the sets that contains the possible permutations of \(\dot{\delta}(w(t))\) for \(\mu \in \chi\) and all the possible constraints of \(P_i, Q_i, R_i, W_i, U_i, S_i\) for \(\mu \in \chi\), respectively. Based on the above, we get the following lemma as in [33].

**Lemma 1.** Consider the system (5) with fuzzy membership function \(\delta_i(w(t))\). For the symmetric matrices \(P_i > 0, U_i > 0, S_i > 0, Q_i, R_i\), and any matrix \(W_i\), where \(i \in \Delta\). If the switching rules (7) holds, then we have

\[\dot{P}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{Q}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{S}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{U}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{R}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{W}_\delta \leq 0.\]

Now, from the Lemma 1 for different \(\mathbb{A}_\mu\) and \(\mathbb{B}_\mu\), we will design the corresponding coupling memory-based sampled-data switched control as follows:

\[
u_\mu = \beta(t)K_{\mu,\delta}x(t_k-\tau) + (1-\beta(t))L_{\mu,\delta}x(t_k),
\]

where \(K_{\mu,\delta} = \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_j(w(t_k))K_{\mu,j}, \quad L_{\mu,\delta} = \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_j(w(t_k))L_{\mu,j}\).

The final memory-based coupling sampled-data switched control (4) is expressed as

\[
u(t) = \begin{cases} 
\nu_1 = \beta(t)K_{1,\delta}x(t_k-\tau) + (1-\beta(t))L_{1,\delta}x(t_k) \\
\nu_2 = \beta(t)K_{2,\delta}x(t_k-\tau) + (1-\beta(t))L_{2,\delta}x(t_k) \\
\vdots \\
\nu_{2^{r-1}} = \beta(t)K_{2^{r-1},\delta}x(t_k-\tau) + (1-\beta(t))L_{2^{r-1},\delta}x(t_k).
\end{cases}
\]

(8)
 Meanwhile, the block diagram of the T-S fuzzy systems with memory-based coupling sampled-data switched control is presented in Figure 1. Hence, the closed-loop system with the control input (8) is given as follows:

\[
\dot{x}(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) \delta_j(w(t_k)) \left[ A_i x(t) + B_i \left( \beta(t) K_{\mu,j} x(t_k - \tau) + (1 - \beta(t)) L_{\mu,j} x(t_k) \right) \right].
\]  

(9)

**Lemma 2.** [Generalized N-order free-matrix-based inequality [35]] For scalars \(c\) and \(d\) \((d > c)\), a vector \(\mathbf{J}_N \in \mathbb{R}^m\) \((N \geq 0)\), the matrix \(U > 0 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}\), any matrix \(J = [J_0^T, J_1^T, \ldots, J_N^T]^T\) and a vector valued differentiable function \(x : [c, d] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n\) such that

\[
- \int_c^d \dot{x}^T(s) U \dot{x}(s) ds \leq (d - c) \mathbf{J}_N^T \mathcal{R}_N^{-1} \mathbf{J}_N + \text{Sym} \left\{ \phi_1^T(t) J^T \Pi_{IN} \phi_1(t) \right\}.
\]  

(10)
holds. Here, \( \Pi_1(t) = \Gamma_1(t) \omega_1(t) \), \( \Pi_2(t) = \Gamma_2(t) \omega_2(t) \), \( \mathcal{R}_N = \text{diag}\{U, 3U, \ldots, (2N + 1)U\} \),

\[
\Gamma_1(t) = \begin{bmatrix}
I & 0 & \ldots & 0 \\
I & (-1)^{1} \begin{pmatrix}
1 \\
1 \\
\vdots \\
I 
\end{pmatrix} & I & \ldots & 0 \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\
I & (-1)^{1} \begin{pmatrix}
N \\
1 \\
\vdots \\
I 
\end{pmatrix} & I & \ldots & (-1)^{N} \begin{pmatrix}
N \\
N 
\end{pmatrix} I \\
\end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
\Gamma_2(t) = \text{diag}\{-I, I, \ldots, (-1)^{N}I\} \Gamma_1(t),
\]

\[
\Omega_1(t) = \begin{bmatrix}
I & -I & 0 & 0 & \ldots & 0 \\
0 & -I & I & 0 & \ldots & 0 \\
0 & -I & 0 & 2I & \ldots & 0 \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\
0 & -I & 0 & 0 & \ldots & NI \\
\end{bmatrix},
\Omega_2(t) = \begin{bmatrix}
I & -I & 0 & 0 & \ldots & 0 \\
I & 0 & -I & 0 & \ldots & 0 \\
I & 0 & 0 & -2I & \ldots & 0 \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\
I & 0 & 0 & 0 & \ldots & -NI \\
\end{bmatrix},
\]

\[
\phi_1(t) = \left[ x^T(t), x^T(a), \rho_1^T(t), \rho_2^T(t), \ldots, \rho_N^T(t) \right]^T, \quad \phi_2(t) = \left[ x^T(t), x^T(a), \sigma_1^T(t), \sigma_2^T(t), \ldots, \sigma_N^T(t) \right]^T,
\]

with \( \rho_q(t) = \frac{1}{(d-c)^q} \int_c^d (d-s)^{q-1} x(s)ds \) and \( \sigma_q(t) = \frac{1}{(d-c)^q} \int_c^d (s-c)^{q-1} x(s)ds \), \( q = 1, 2, \ldots, N \).

3. Main Results

The stability and stabilization problem of system (9) are analyzed in this section by the memory-based coupling sampled-data switched control. To maintain the representation simplify the following notations are utilized:

\[
\vartheta_\alpha(t) = \frac{1}{(t_k-t)^a} \int_{t_k}^t (t-s)^{a-1} x(s)ds, \quad \gamma_\alpha(t) = \frac{1}{(t_k-t)^a} \int_{t}^{t_k+1} (s-t)^{a-1} x(s)ds \quad \text{for} \quad \alpha = 1, 2, \ldots, N.
\]

\[
\vartheta(t) = \left[ \vartheta_1^T(t), \vartheta_2^T(t), \ldots, \vartheta_N^T(t) \right]^T, \quad \gamma(t) = \left[ \gamma_1^T(t), \gamma_2^T(t), \ldots, \gamma_N^T(t) \right]^T,
\]

\[
es = \begin{bmatrix}
0_{n \times (s-1)n}, I, 0_{n \times (2N+7-s)n} 
\end{bmatrix}, s = 1, 2, \ldots, 2N + 7,
\]

\[
\eta^T(t) = \left[ x^T(t), x^T(t+\tau), x^T(t-\tau), x^T(t_k) x^T(t_{k+1}) x^T(t_k-\tau) \vartheta^T(t) \gamma^T(t) \right].
\]

3.1. Stability Analysis. The following theorem is proposed to achieve the asymptotic stability of T-S fuzzy system (9).
\textbf{Theorem 1.} For given gain matrices $K_{\mu,j}, L_{\mu,j}$, the scalars $d > 0$, $\tau$, $\beta$, and integer $N \geq 0$, system (9) is globally asymptotically stable for $d_k \in (0, d]$, if there exists $P_i > 0, S_i > 0, U_i > 0, X > 0, Y > 0$, symmetric matrices $Q_i, R_i$ and appropriate dimensional matrices $W_i, Z_i(i = 1, 2, 3), J_{2N}(z = 1, 2)$ such that

\begin{align*}
\dot{R}_\delta &\leq 0, \quad (11) \\
\dot{P}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{Q}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{S}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{U}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{W}_\delta \leq 0, \quad (12) \\
\left[\begin{array}{c}
\Xi(d_k, 0) \\
\ast
\end{array}\right] &\begin{array}{c}
\sqrt{d_k} A_{2N}^T J_{2N}^T \\
\ast
\end{array} < 0, \quad (13) \\
\left[\begin{array}{c}
\Xi(d_k, d_k) \\
\ast
\end{array}\right] &\begin{array}{c}
\sqrt{d_k} A_{1N}^T J_{1N}^T \\
\ast
\end{array} < 0, \quad (14)
\end{align*}

hold, where

\[
\Xi(d_k, d(t)) = \text{Sym}\left\{e_1^T P_1 e_3\right\} - (e_1 - e_3)^T Q_i (e_1 - e_3) + \text{Sym}\left\{(d_k - d(t))(e_1 - e_3)^T Q_i e_3\right\}
\]

\[
+ \tau e_1^T S_i e_1 - e_3^T S_i e_2 - d(t)
\]

\[
+ \left[\begin{array}{c}
e_5 \\
e_6 \\
e_7
\end{array}\right]^T R_i
\]

\[
+ \text{Sym}\left\{(d(t)e_3^T W_i e_5\right\}
\]

\[
+ (d_k - d(t))
\]

\[
+ \left[\begin{array}{c}
e_5 \\
e_6 \\
e_7
\end{array}\right]^T R_i
\]

\[
- e_4^T U_i e_1 + e_3^T U_i e_3 + \text{Sym}\left\{A_{1N}^T J_{1N}^T \Pi_{1N} A_{1N}\right\}
\]

\[
+ \text{Sym}\left\{A_{2N}^T J_{2N}^T \Pi_{2N} A_{2N}\right\}
\]

\[
+ \text{Sym}\left\{(e_1 - e_6)^T W_i e_5\right\}
\]

\[
+ (d(t)e_3^T Y e_3 + \text{Sym}\left\{Y(-e_3 + A_i e_1 + \beta B_i K_{\mu,j} e_7 + (1 - \beta) B_i L_{\mu,j} e_5)\right\},
\]

\[
\Lambda_{1N} = [e_1^T, e_5^T, e_8^T, e_9^T, \ldots, e_{N+7}^T]^T, \quad \Lambda_{2N} = [e_6^T, e_1^T, e_{N+8}^T, e_{N+9}^T, \ldots, e_{2N+7}^T]^T
\]

\[
X_N = \text{diag}\left\{X, 3X, \ldots, (2N + 1)X\right\}, \quad Y_N = \text{diag}\left\{Y, 3Y, \ldots, (2N + 1)Y\right\},
\]

\[
\Upsilon = e_1^T Z_1^T + e_3^T Z_2^T + e_5^T Z_3^T.
\]
Proof Let us choose the following LKF:

\[
V(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{6} V_i(t), \quad t \in [t_k, t_{k+1})
\]  

(15)

where

\[
V_1(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t))x^T(t)P_i x(t)
\]

\[
V_2(t) = (d_k - d(t)) \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t))[x(t) - x(t_k)]^T Q_i [x(t) - x(t_k)]
\]

\[
V_3(t) = 2d(t) \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t))[x(t) - x(t_{k+1})]W_i \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
V_4(t) = (d_k - d(t))d(t) \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \\ x(t_k - \tau) \\ x(t_k - \tau) \end{bmatrix} R_i \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \\ x(t_k) \\ x(t_k) \end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
V_5(t) = \tau \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) \int_{t-\tau}^{t} x^T(s)S_i x(s) ds + \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) \int_{t-\tau}^{t} \dot{x}^T(s)U_i \dot{x}(s) ds
\]

\[
V_6(t) = (d_k - d(t)) \int_{t_k}^{t} \dot{x}^T(s)X \dot{x}(s) ds - d(t) \int_{t}^{t_{k+1}} \dot{x}^T(s)Y \dot{x}(s) ds.
\]

The time derivative of (15) is written as

\[
\dot{V}_1(t) = 2x^T(t)P_{\delta} \dot{x}(t) + x^T(t) \dot{P}_{\delta} x(t)
\]

(16)

\[
\dot{V}_2(t) = - (x(t) - x(t_k))^T Q_{\delta} (x(t) - x(t_k)) + 2(d_k - d(t))(x(t) - x(t_k))^T Q_{\delta} \dot{x}(t)
\]

\[
+ (d_k - d(t))(x(t) - x(t_k))^T \dot{Q}_{\delta} (x(t) - x(t_k))
\]

(17)

\[
\dot{V}_3(t) = 2[x(t) - x(t_{k+1})]^T W_\delta \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \end{bmatrix} + 2d(t) \dot{x}^T(t)W_\delta \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
+ 2d(t)[x(t) - x(t_{k+1})]^T W_\delta \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \end{bmatrix}
\]

(18)
Applying the Lemma 2 for the integral terms of (21), we get

\[
\dot{V}_4(t) = -d(t) \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \\ x(t_k - \tau) \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \\ x(t_k - \tau) \end{bmatrix} + (d_k - d(t)) \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \\ x(t_k - \tau) \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \\ x(t_k - \tau) \end{bmatrix}
\]

\[+ (d_k - d(t))d(t) \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \\ x(t_k - \tau) \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \\ x(t_k - \tau) \end{bmatrix} \] (19)

\[
\dot{V}_5(t) = \tau [x^T(t)S_\delta x(t) - x^T(t - \tau)S_\delta x(t - \tau)] + \dot{x}^T(t)U_\delta \dot{x}(t) - \dot{x}^T(t - \tau)U_\delta \dot{x}(t - \tau)
\]

\[+ \tau \int_{t-\tau}^{t} x^T(s)\dot{S}_\delta x(s)ds + \int_{t-\tau}^{t} \dot{x}^T(s)\dot{U}_\delta \dot{x}(s)ds \] (20)

\[
\dot{V}_6(t) = (d_k - d(t))\dot{x}^T(t)X\dot{x}(t) + d(t)\dot{x}^T(t)Y\dot{x}(t) - \int_{t_k}^{t} \dot{x}^T(s)X\dot{x}(s)ds - \int_{t_k}^{t+1} \dot{x}^T(s)Y\dot{x}(s)ds \] (21)

Applying the Lemma 2 for the integral terms of (21), we get

\[
- \int_{t_k}^{t+1} \dot{x}^T(s)X\dot{x}(s)ds \leq \eta^T(t) \left[ \text{Sym}\left\{ \Lambda_{1N}^T J_{1N}^T H_{1N} \Lambda_{1N} \right\} + d(t)\Lambda_{1N}^T J_{1N}^T X_{1N}^{-1} J_{1N} \Lambda_{1N} \right] \eta(t) \] (22)

\[
- \int_{t}^{t_k+1} \dot{x}^T(s)Y\dot{x}(s)ds \leq \eta^T(t) \left[ \text{Sym}\left\{ \Lambda_{2N}^T J_{2N}^T H_{2N} \Lambda_{2N} \right\} + (d_k - d(t))\Lambda_{2N}^T J_{2N}^T Y_{2N}^{-1} J_{2N} \Lambda_{2N} \right] \eta(t). \] (23)

Now, for any appropriate dimensional matrices $Z_1$, $Z_2$, $Z_3$, we have the following equation:

\[
2 \sum_{i=1}^{r} \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t))\delta_j(w(t_k)) \xi(t) \left[ -\dot{x}(t) + A_{i} x(t) + \beta(t)B_{i}\mu_{\delta} x(t_k - \tau) + (1 - \beta(t))B_{i}L_{\mu_{\delta}} x(t_k) \right] = 0,
\] (24)

with $\xi(t) = x^T(t)Z_1^T + \dot{x}^T(t)Z_2^T + x^T(t_k - \tau)Z_3^T$.

Combining (16), (24) and taking expectations, we get

\[
\mathbb{E}\{\dot{V}(t)\} \leq \sum_{i=1}^{r} \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t))\delta_j(w(t_k)) \eta^T(t) \mathbb{E}(\delta_k d(t)) \eta(t)
\]

\[= \sum_{i=1}^{r} \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t))\delta_j(w(t_k)) \eta^T(t) \left[ \frac{d_k - d(t)}{d_k} \mathbb{E}(\delta_k, 0) + \frac{d(t)}{d_k} \mathbb{E}(\delta_k, d_k) \right] \eta(t),\] (25)
where \( \Xi_{(d_k,d(t))} = \Xi_{(d_k,d(t))} + (d_k - d(t))A_{2N}^TJ_{2N}Y_{2N}^{-1}J_{2N}A_{2N} + d(t)A_{1N}^TJ_{1N}^T\overline{X}_{1N}^{-1}J_{1N}A_{1N} \), here \( \Xi_{(d_k,d(t))} \) is a convex combination of \( \Xi_{(d_k,0)} \) and \( \Xi_{(d_k,d_k)} \). Then \( \Xi_{(d_k,d(t))} < 0 \) if and only if [13]-[14] hold.

3.2. Controller Design. In this subsection, we will analyze the stabilization of system (9) via memory-based coupling SDC by the results in Theorem 1.

**Theorem 2.** For given scalars \( \tau, \beta, \bar{d} > 0, \lambda _k (k = 1, 2) \) and nonnegative integer \( N \), the system (9) is globally asymptotically stable under the memory-based coupling sampled-data switched control (8) for \( d_k \in (0, \bar{d}] \), if there exists \( \bar{P}_i > 0, \bar{S}_i > 0, \bar{U}_i > 0, \bar{X} > 0, \bar{Y} > 0 \), symmetric matrices \( \bar{Q}_i, \bar{R}_i \), any nonsingular matrix \( Z \) and any appropriate dimensional matrices \( \bar{W}_i, \bar{J}_z(z = 1, 2) \), \( G_{\mu,j} \), \( H_{\mu,j} \) such that the following inequalities are satisfied

\[
\begin{align*}
\dot{\bar{R}}_i & \leq 0, \\
\dot{\bar{P}}_i & \leq 0, \quad \dot{\bar{Q}}_i \leq 0, \quad \dot{\bar{S}}_i \leq 0, \quad \dot{\bar{U}}_i \leq 0, \quad \dot{\bar{X}} \leq 0, \quad \dot{\bar{Y}} \leq 0,
\end{align*}
\]

where

\[
\Xi_{(d_k,d(t))} = \text{Sym}\left\{ e_1^T \bar{P}_i e_3 \right\} - (e_1 - e_5)^T \bar{Q}_i (e_1 - e_5) + \text{Sym}\left\{ (d_k - d(t))(e_1 - e_5)^T \bar{Q}_i e_3 \right\} + \tau e_1^T \bar{S}_i e_1 - \tau e_2^T \bar{S}_i e_2 + d(t)e_3^T \bar{Y} e_3 - d(t) \left[ \begin{array}{c} e_5 \\ e_6 \\ e_7 \end{array} \right] \bar{R}_i \left[ \begin{array}{c} e_5 \\ e_6 \\ e_7 \end{array} \right] + \text{Sym}\left\{ (d(t)e_3^T \bar{W}_i \left[ \begin{array}{c} e_5 \\ e_6 \end{array} \right] \right\}
\]

\[
+ (d_k - d(t)) \left[ \begin{array}{c} e_5 \\ e_6 \\ e_7 \end{array} \right] \bar{R}_i \left[ \begin{array}{c} e_5 \\ e_6 \\ e_7 \end{array} \right] - e_4^T \bar{U}_i e_4 + e_3^T \bar{U}_i e_3 + \text{Sym}\left\{ A_{1N}^TJ_{1N}^T \Pi_{1N} A_{1N} \right\} + (d_k - d(t)) e_3^T \bar{X} e_3 + \text{Sym}\left\{ A_{2N}^TJ_{2N}^T \Pi_{2N} A_{2N} \right\} + \text{Sym}\left\{ (e_1 - e_6)^T \bar{W}_i \left[ \begin{array}{c} e_5 \\ e_6 \end{array} \right] \right\}
\]
+ \text{Sym}\left\{ \bar{\Upsilon}(-Ze_3 + A_1Ze_1 + \beta B_iG_{\mu,j}e_7 + (1 - \beta)B_iH_{\mu,j}e_5) \right\},

\Lambda_{1N} = [e_1^T, e_5^T, e_6^T, e_9^T, \cdots, e_{N+7}^T]^T, \Lambda_{2N} = [e_6^T, e_1^T, e_{N+8}^T, e_{N+9}^T, \cdots, e_{2N+7}^T]^T,

\bar{X}_N = \text{diag}\{ \bar{X}, 3\bar{X}, \cdots, (2N + 1)\bar{X} \}, \bar{Y}_N = \text{diag}\{ \bar{Y}, 3\bar{Y}, \cdots, (2N + 1)\bar{Y} \},

\bar{\Upsilon} = e_1^T + \lambda_1 e_3^T + \lambda_2 e_7^T.

Moreover, the gain matrices are obtained by $K_{\mu,j} = G_{\mu,j}Z^{-1}$, and $L_{\mu,j} = H_{\mu,j}Z^{-1}$.

**Proof** Define $Z_1 = Z^{-1}$, $Z_2 = \lambda_1 Z^{-1}$, $Z_3 = \lambda_2 Z^{-1}$, $\bar{P}_i = Z^TP_iZ$, $G_{\mu,j} = K_{\mu,j}Z$, $H_{\mu,j} = L_{\mu,j}Z$, $\bar{S}_i = Z^TS_iZ$, $\bar{U}_i = Z^TU_iZ$, $\bar{X} = Z^TXZ$, $\bar{Y} = Z^TYZ$, $\bar{Q}_i = Z^TQ_iZ$, $\bar{W}_i = Z^TW_i\text{diag}\{Z, Z\}$, $\bar{J}_{1N} = Z^TJ_{1N}Z$, $\bar{J}_{2N} = Z^TJ_{2N}Z$, $\bar{R}_i = \text{diag}\{Z^T, Z^T, Z^T\}R_i\text{diag}\{Z, Z, Z\}$. Pre and post multiply (11) by $\text{diag}\{Z^T, Z^T, Z^T\}$ and its transpose, we get (26). The inequality (12) is pre and post multiplied by $Z^T$ and $Z$ respectively, we have (27). The inequalities (13) and (14) are pre and post multiplied by $\text{diag}\{Z^T, Z^T, Z^T\}$ and its transpose respectively, we obtain (28) and (29). \qed

**Remark 2.** In the existing studies, the novel integral inequalities have been utilized to obtain the less conservation for stabilization of T-S fuzzy systems, such as Jensen’s inequality [17], Wirtinger’s inequality [14, 23], second-order Bessel inequality [30]. Different from those studies, the generalized N-order free-matrix-based inequality is handle the stabilization problem of T-S fuzzy systems in the present study, which has some inequalities as particular cases. For example, substituting $N = 0$ in (10), it can be reduced to Jensen’s inequality which has been utilized for T-S fuzzy systems in [17]. Similarly, when $N = 1$, the inequality becomes Wirtinger’s inequality as in [14, 23]. Moreover, the second-order Bessel inequality ($N = 2$) has been examined in [30]. Thus, the proposed method utilizes the generalized N-order free-matrix-based inequality which is more general than the aforesaid previous studies.

**Remark 3.** It should be pointed out that the purpose of the following corollary is to affirm the advantage of the proposed method under conventional SDC input, that is, the stochastic variable $\beta(t)$ vanishes in (1)

\[ u(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_j(u(t_k))L_jx(t_k). \]
Hence, the corresponding closed-loop system (30) is presented as follows:

\[
\dot{x}(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \sum_{j=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) \delta_j(w(t_k)) \left[ A_i x(t) + B_i L_{\mu,j} x(t_k) \right], \quad t_k \leq t < t_{k+1}.
\] (31)

Also, the LKF can be constructed from (15) without the constant signal transmission delay and the stochastic variable as follows:

\[
V(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{5} V_i(t), \quad t \in [t_k, t_{k+1})
\] (32)

where

\[
V_1(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) x^T(t) P_i x(t)
\]

\[
V_2(t) = \left( d_k - d(t) \right) \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) [x(t) - x(t_k)]^T Q_i [x(t) - x(t_k)]
\]

\[
V_3(t) = 2d(t) \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) [x(t) - x(t_{k+1})]^T W_i \left[ \begin{array}{c} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \end{array} \right]
\]

\[
V_4(t) = \left( d_k - d(t) \right) d(t) \sum_{i=1}^{r} \delta_i(w(t)) \left[ \begin{array}{c} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \end{array} \right]^T R_i \left[ \begin{array}{c} x(t_k) \\ x(t_{k+1}) \end{array} \right]
\]

\[
V_5(t) = \left( d_k - d(t) \right) \int_{t_k}^{t} \dot{x}^T(s) X \dot{x}(s) ds - d(t) \int_{t}^{t_{k+1}} \dot{x}^T(s) Y \dot{x}(s) ds.
\]

3.3. Stabilization of T-S Fuzzy Systems under Conventional SDC: In this subsection, we derive the adequate conditions to assure the stabilization of T-S fuzzy systems under conventional SDC scheme which is a special case of previous subsection.

**Corollary 1.** For given scalars \( \lambda, \tilde{d} > 0 \), and nonnegative integer \( N \), system (31) is globally asymptotically stable by SDC (30), if there exists \( \tilde{P}_i > 0, \tilde{X} > 0, \tilde{Y} > 0, \tilde{Q}_i = \tilde{Q}_i^T, \tilde{R}_i = \tilde{R}_i^T \), nonsingular matrix \( Z \), and appropriate dimensional matrices \( \tilde{W}_i, \tilde{J}_{zN}(z = 1, 2), H_{\mu,j} \) such that

\[
\dot{\tilde{P}}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{\tilde{Q}}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{\tilde{R}}_\delta \leq 0, \quad \dot{\tilde{W}}_\delta \leq 0,
\] (33)

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
\tilde{Z}_{(d_k,0)} & \sqrt{\tilde{d}} \Lambda_{2N}^T \tilde{J}_{2N}^T \\
* & -\tilde{Y}_N
\end{bmatrix} < 0,
\] (34)
The control gain matrices are calculated by
\[
\begin{bmatrix}
\Xi_{(d_k, d_k)} & \sqrt{d_k} A^T_N \bar{J}^T_{1 N} \\
* & -\bar{X}_N
\end{bmatrix} < 0,
\]
hold for \(d_k \in (0, \bar{d}).\) Here,
\[
\Xi_{(d_k, d(t))} = \text{Sym}\left\{ e_1^T \bar{R}_i e_2 \right\} - (e_1 - e_3)^T \bar{Q}_i (e_1 - e_3) + \text{Sym}\left\{ (d_k - d(t))(e_1 - e_3)^T \bar{Q}_i e_2 \right\}
\]
\[
+ d(t) e_3^T \bar{Y} e_3 - d(t) \begin{bmatrix} e_3 \\ e_4 \end{bmatrix}^T \bar{R}_i \begin{bmatrix} e_3 \\ e_4 \end{bmatrix} + (d_k - d(t)) \begin{bmatrix} e_3 \\ e_4 \end{bmatrix}^T \bar{R}_i \begin{bmatrix} e_3 \\ e_4 \end{bmatrix}
\]
\[
+ (d_k - d(t)) e_3^T \bar{X} e_3 + \text{Sym}\left\{ A^T_{1N} \bar{J}^T_{1N} \Pi_{1N} \Lambda_{1N} \right\} + \text{Sym}\left\{ A^T_{2N} \bar{J}^T_{2N} \Pi_{2N} \Lambda_{2N} \right\}
\]
\[
+ \text{Sym}\left\{ d(t) e_2^T \bar{W}_i \begin{bmatrix} e_3 \\ e_4 \end{bmatrix} \right\} + \text{Sym}\left\{ (e_1 - e_4)^T \bar{W}_i \begin{bmatrix} e_3 \\ e_4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}
\]
\[
+ \text{Sym}\left\{ \bar{Y} (-Z e_2 + A_i Z e_1 + B_i H_{\mu,j} e_3) \right\},
\]
\[
\Lambda_{1N} = \left[ e_1^T, e_3^T, e_5^T, \cdots, e_{N+4}^T \right]^T, \quad \Lambda_{2N} = \left[ e_4^T, e_1^T, e_{N+5}^T, \cdots, e_{2N+4}^T \right]^T,
\]
\[
\bar{Y} = e_1^T + \lambda e_2^T, \quad e_s = [0_{n \times (s-1)n}, I, 0_{n \times (2N+4-s)n}], s = 1, 2, \cdots, 2N + 4
\]
\[
\bar{X}_N = \text{diag}\left\{ \bar{X}, 3\bar{X}, \cdots, (2N + 1)\bar{X} \right\}, \quad \bar{Y}_N = \text{diag}\left\{ \bar{Y}, 3\bar{Y}, \cdots, (2N + 1)\bar{Y} \right\}.
\]

The control gain matrices are calculated by \(L_{\mu,j} = H_{\mu,j} Z^{-1}.\)

**Proof** With a similar procedure as Theorem \([1] \) and \([2] \), the proof can be derived. \(\square\)

## 4. Numerical Examples

This section presents the superiority of derived theoretical results by using two numerical examples.

**Example 1.** The dynamics of Lorenz system described as follows \([14] \):
\[
\begin{align*}
\dot{x}_1(t) &= a(x_2(t) - x_1(t)) \\
\dot{x}_2(t) &= cx_1(t) - x_2(t) - x_1(t)x_3(t) + u_1(t) \\
\dot{x}_3(t) &= x_1(t)x_2(t) - bx_3(t) + u_2(t)
\end{align*}
\]
where \(x_1(t), x_2(t), x_3(t)\) are the state variables with \(x_1(t) \in [-d, d]\) and \(a = 10, d = 25, b = 8/3, \) and \(c = 28,\) are known constants. The Lorenz system \([36] \) can be reformulated as T-S fuzzy model \([9] \).
with

\[
A_1 = \begin{bmatrix}
-a & a & 0 \\
c & -1 & -d \\
0 & d & -b
\end{bmatrix},
\quad
A_2 = \begin{bmatrix}
-a & a & 0 \\
c & -1 & d \\
0 & -d & -b
\end{bmatrix},
\quad
B_1 = B_2 = \begin{bmatrix}
0 & 0 \\
1 & 0
\end{bmatrix},
\]

The membership functions are chosen as \( \delta_1(x_1(t)) = (1/2)(1+(x_1(t)/d)) \) and \( \delta_2(x_1(t)) = 1-\delta_1(x_1(t)) \). Then, the trajectories of Lorenz system without control input is plotted in Figure 2 and we conclude that it is unstable. So, we have to find the effective controller to stabilize the system \( (36) \). Choosing

\[
\tau = 0.02, \quad \beta = 0.5, \quad \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 1 \quad \text{and from the switching rule} \ (6), \quad \text{solving the LMIs} \ (26)-(29) \quad \text{for the constraints} \ \mathcal{B}_1 : \{\bar{P}_1 > \bar{P}_2, \ \bar{S}_1 > \bar{S}_2, \ \bar{Q}_1 > \bar{Q}_2, \ \bar{R}_1 > \bar{R}_2, \ \bar{U}_1 > \bar{U}_2, \ \bar{W}_1 > \bar{W}_2\}, \quad \text{we obtain the control gain matrices with the LUB of sampling interval} \ \bar{d} = 0.0152 \quad \text{as follows:}
\]

\[
K_{1,1} = \begin{bmatrix}
1.1050 & -25.2813 & -31.1077 \\
-0.7818 & 26.0039 & -8.7913
\end{bmatrix},
\quad
K_{1,2} = \begin{bmatrix}
0.7630 & -20.9267 & -27.3992 \\
-0.6785 & 22.2514 & -7.8551
\end{bmatrix},
\]

\[
L_{1,1} = \begin{bmatrix}
-50.5547 & -141.0197 & -154.8959 \\
-4.4431 & 141.6054 & -42.4118
\end{bmatrix},
\quad
L_{1,2} = \begin{bmatrix}
-50.1370 & -134.4566 & -144.7487 \\
-3.9263 & 129.4616 & -41.5925
\end{bmatrix}.
\]

Similarly, for the same parameter values, we obtain the LUB of sampling interval \( \bar{d} = 0.0102 \) under the constraints \( \mathcal{B}_2 : \{\bar{P}_1 > \bar{P}_2, \ \bar{S}_1 > \bar{S}_2, \ \bar{Q}_1 > \bar{Q}_2, \ \bar{R}_1 > \bar{R}_2, \ \bar{U}_1 > \bar{U}_2, \ \bar{W}_1 > \bar{W}_2\} \). In addition, the
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**Figure 3.** State responses of system (36).

Control gains are calculated as follows

\[ K_{2,1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.6197 & -16.2857 & 19.8346 \\ 0.8852 & -21.5683 & -15.2000 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_{2,2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.7282 & -17.2508 & 18.5655 \\ 1.0978 & -27.6317 & -16.9513 \end{bmatrix}, \]

\[ L_{2,1} = \begin{bmatrix} -50.6868 & -85.8608 & 115.4872 \\ 7.4194 & -162.1230 & -119.0891 \end{bmatrix}, \quad L_{2,2} = \begin{bmatrix} -50.1046 & -96.6959 & 110.1537 \\ 7.4990 & -175.8157 & -119.1089 \end{bmatrix}. \]

**Figure 4.** The evolution of \( \dot{\delta_1}(x_1(t)) \).
Hence, the final LUB of sampling interval is obtained as $\hat{d} = 0.0102$. Moreover, the state trajectories of the closed-loop system are displayed in Figure 5, which is asymptotically stable by the designed control scheme [8]. Figure 4 and 5 respectively, present the evolution of $\dot{\delta}_1(x_1(t))$ and the stabilizing controller. From Figure 4, we observe that the obtained control gain matrices are switched between the constraints $\mathcal{B}_1$ and $\mathcal{B}_2$ based on $\dot{\delta}_1(x_1(t)) < 0$ and $\dot{\delta}_1(x_1(t)) \geq 0$, respectively.

According to the structure of conventional SDC in (30), by using the same aforesaid parameter values in Corollary 1, the LUB of sampling interval is calculated as $\bar{d} = 0.1090$ and $\bar{d} = 0.1140$ for system (36) based on the constraints $\mathcal{B}_1 : \{ \tilde{P}_1 > \tilde{P}_2, \tilde{R}_1 > \tilde{R}_2, \tilde{W}_1 > \tilde{W}_2, \tilde{Q}_1 > \tilde{Q}_2 \}$, and $\mathcal{B}_2 : \{ \tilde{P}_1 \leq \tilde{P}_2, \tilde{R}_1 \leq \tilde{R}_2, \tilde{W}_1 \leq \tilde{W}_2, \tilde{Q}_1 \leq \tilde{Q}_2 \}$, respectively. It is clear that $\bar{d} = 0.1090$ is the final LUB of sampling interval for (36) by the conventional SDC (30). To show the superiority of the obtained results, the comparison of LUB of sampling interval by different methods with Corollary 1 is tabulated in Table 1.

| Method      | [28]     | [13]     | [14]     | Corollary 1 |
|-------------|----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| $\bar{d}$   | 0.0016   | 0.0022   | 0.0253   | 0.1090      |

As seen in Table 1, the obtained LUB of sampling interval in Corollary 1 is larger than the various methods in [13, 14, 28], which indicates the advantages of proposed theoretical results.
Example 2. The nonlinear mass-spring system (32) is considered as follows:

\[ M \ddot{y}(t) + g(y(t)) = \Phi(\dot{y}(t))u(t), \]  

(37)

where \( M \) represents the mass, \( u(t) \) denotes the control force, and \( y(t) \) is the position vector of the spring. \( g(y(t)) \) and \( \Phi(\dot{y}(t)) \) are the nonlinear terms of spring and input, respectively.

Assume that \( y(t) \in [-a, a] \) and \( \dot{y}(t) \in [-b, b] \). Let \( \Phi(\dot{y}(t)) = 1 \), \( g(y(t)) = a_1 y(t) + a_2 y^3(t) \) and define \( x_1(t) = y(t), x_2(t) = \dot{y}(t) \), which yields the following system:

\[
\begin{align*}
\dot{x}_1(t) &= x_2(t) \\
\dot{x}_2(t) &= -\frac{a_1}{M} x_1(t) - \frac{a_2}{M} x_3^2(t) + \frac{1}{M} u(t).
\end{align*}
\]

(38)

Also, the system (38) can be written as T-S fuzzy model (9), where

\[
A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{a_1}{M} & -\frac{a_2}{M} a^2 \end{bmatrix}, A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{a_1}{M} & 0 \end{bmatrix}, B_1 = B_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/M \end{bmatrix}
\]

with \( M = 0.97 \), \( a_1 = 1.98 \), \( a_2 = 1.51 \), and fuzzy membership functions \( \delta_1(x_1(t)) = \frac{x_1^2(t)}{a^2} \) and \( \delta_2(x_1(t)) = 1 - \delta_1(x_1(t)) \). Based on the switching rules (6), we have the following constraints

\[
B_1 : \{ \tilde{P}_1 > \tilde{P}_2, \tilde{U}_1 > \tilde{U}_2, \tilde{W}_1 > \tilde{W}_2, \tilde{Q}_1 > \tilde{Q}_2, \tilde{S}_1 > \tilde{S}_2, \tilde{R}_1 > \tilde{R}_2 \},
\]

(39)
\( \mathbb{B}_2 : \{ \tilde{P}_1 \leq \tilde{P}_2, \; \tilde{U}_1 \leq \tilde{U}_2, \; \tilde{W}_1 \leq \tilde{W}_2, \; \tilde{Q}_1 \leq \tilde{Q}_2, \; \tilde{S}_1 \leq \tilde{S}_2, \; \tilde{R}_1 \leq \tilde{R}_2 \} \). \tag{40}

Now, let us assume that \( a = 1, \; b = 0.8, \; \tau = 0.02, \; \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 1, \) and \( \beta = 0.5 \), the LUB of sampling interval is calculated as \( \tilde{d} = 0.1072 \) by solving (26)–(29) with the constraints \( \mathbb{B}_1 \), and the gain matrices are obtained as follows:

\[
K_{1,1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3740 & -0.8070 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_{1,2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3314 & -0.8930 \end{bmatrix},
\]
\[
L_{1,1} = \begin{bmatrix} 4.5717 & -3.0836 \end{bmatrix}, \quad L_{1,2} = \begin{bmatrix} 4.5997 & -2.9810 \end{bmatrix},
\]

Solving (26)–(29) with the constraints \( \mathbb{B}_2 \), we get the LUB of sampling interval \( \tilde{d} = 0.1016 \). Also, the following control gain matrices are determined:

\[
K_{2,1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3128 & -0.8774 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_{2,2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.2926 & -0.9864 \end{bmatrix},
\]
\[
L_{2,1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.9423 & -3.0566 \end{bmatrix}, \quad L_{2,2} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.9072 & -3.1546 \end{bmatrix}.
\]

Hence, the final LUB of sampling interval \( \tilde{d} = 0.1016 \) is derived from Theorem 3. Further, in Figure 6 and 7 respectively, the state trajectories of system (38) and stabilizing controller are plotted based on the control gain values. Figure 7 shows that the trajectories of mass-spring system is asymptotically stable by the memory-based coupling SDC (8), which implies that the proposed method is applicable and effective.
5. Conclusion

In this work, the stability and stabilization analysis for nonlinear systems through the fuzzy memory-based coupling SDC has been investigated. Under the consideration of signal transmission delay, Bernoulli sequence and switching approach, a fuzzy memory-based coupling SDC has been designed. To do this, the LKF has been constructed with a fuzzy membership function, and utilized the generalized $N$-order free-matrix inequality, the adequate conditions have been established in terms of LMIs for guaranteeing the stability of T-S fuzzy systems with less conservativeness. In comparison with the existing studies, the LUB of sampling interval has been calculated by the proposed method. At last, the simulation results for the nonlinear system have been demonstrated the merits of presented theoretical results.

Declarations

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