

# ADAPTIVE CONTROL FOR MAXIMUM PRODUCTIVITY OF CONTINUOUS BIOPROCESSES

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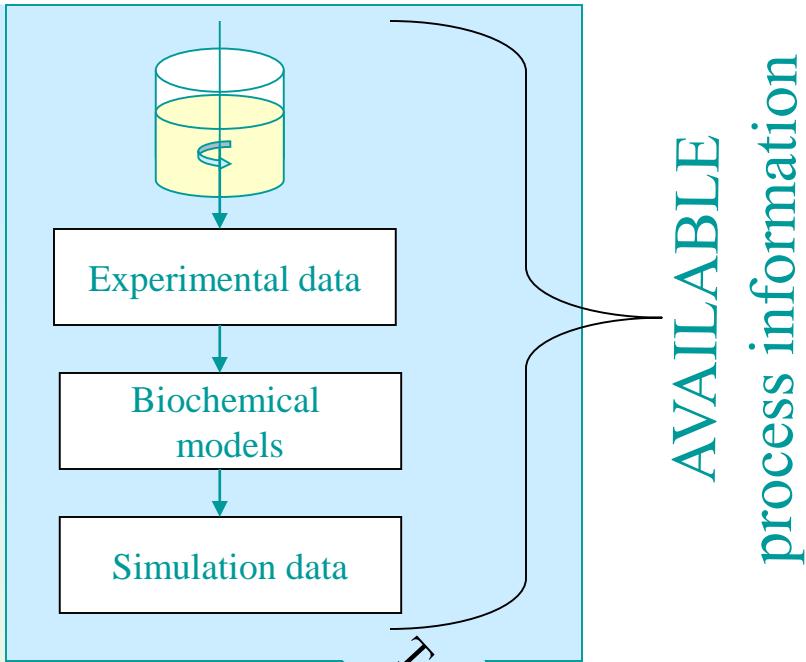
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# Model-based control

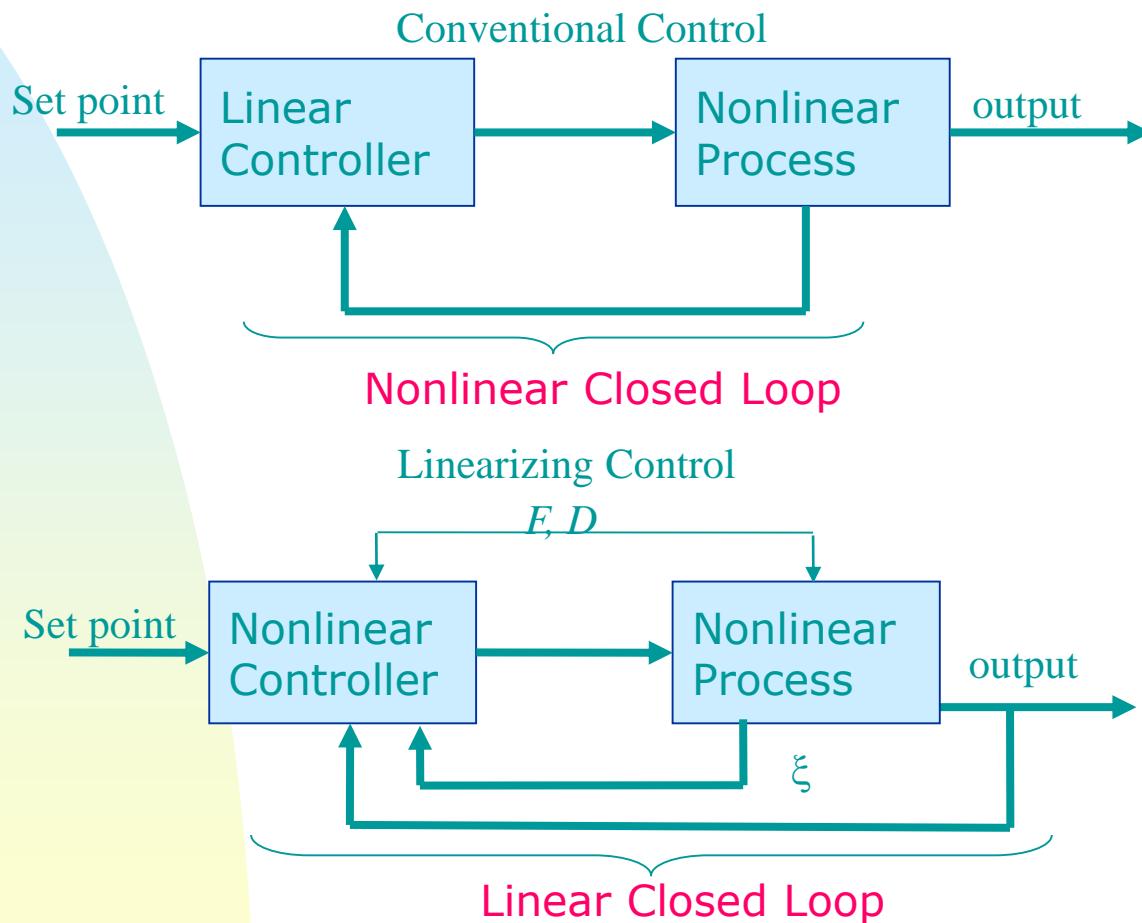


**Linear  
control  
theory**

for

Appropriate inputs

# Conventional and Linearizing Control Schemes



# Initial information of gluconic acid fermentation

$$\frac{dX}{dt} = R_x;$$

$$\frac{dG}{dt} = -R_x - R_{GOT};$$

$$\frac{dGOT}{dt} = R_{GOT} - R_{GA};$$

$$\frac{dGA}{dt} = R_{GA};$$

$$\frac{dO}{dt} = -R_{GOT} + 0.5R_{H_2O_2} + K_L a(O_2^* - O_2);$$

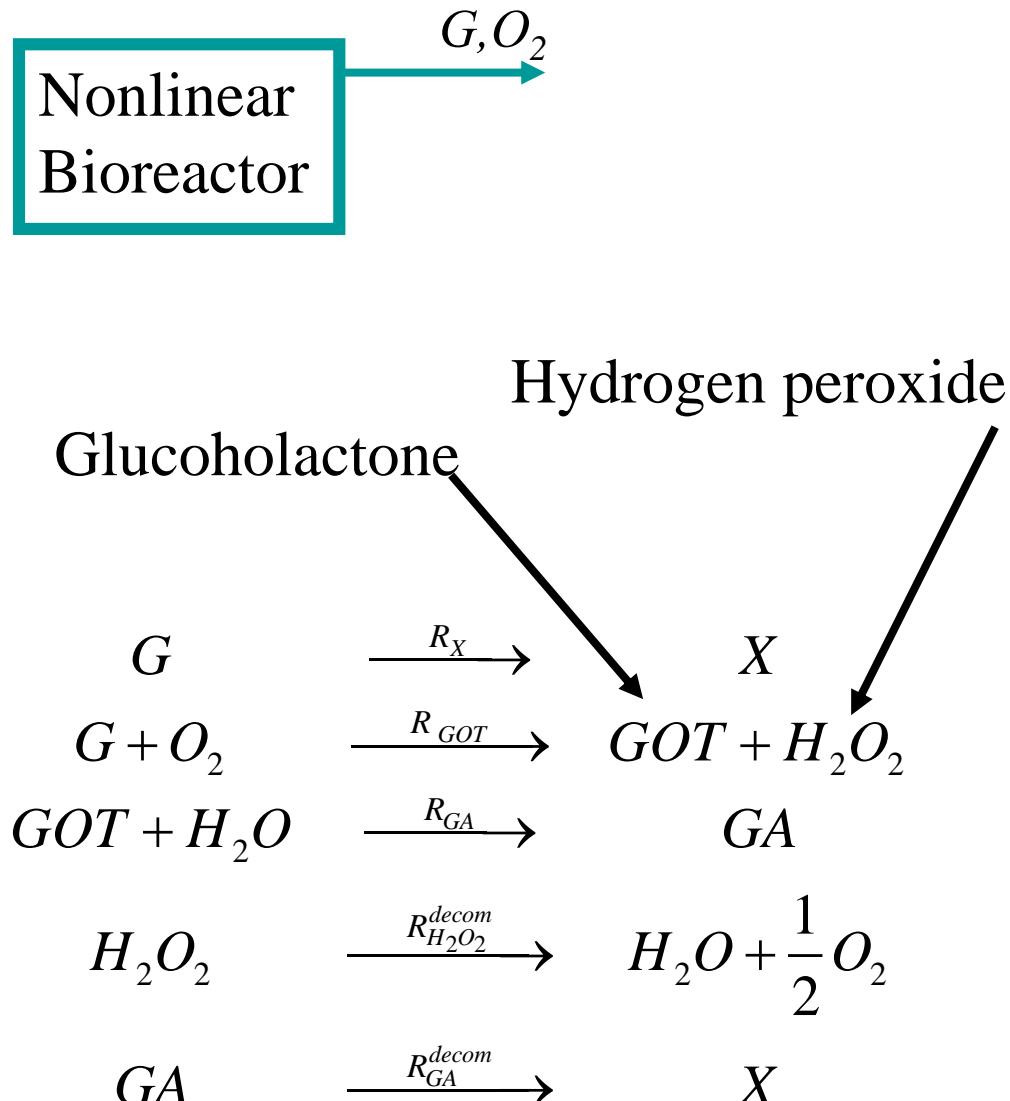
$$\frac{dH_2O_2}{dt} = -R_{H_2O_2};$$

where

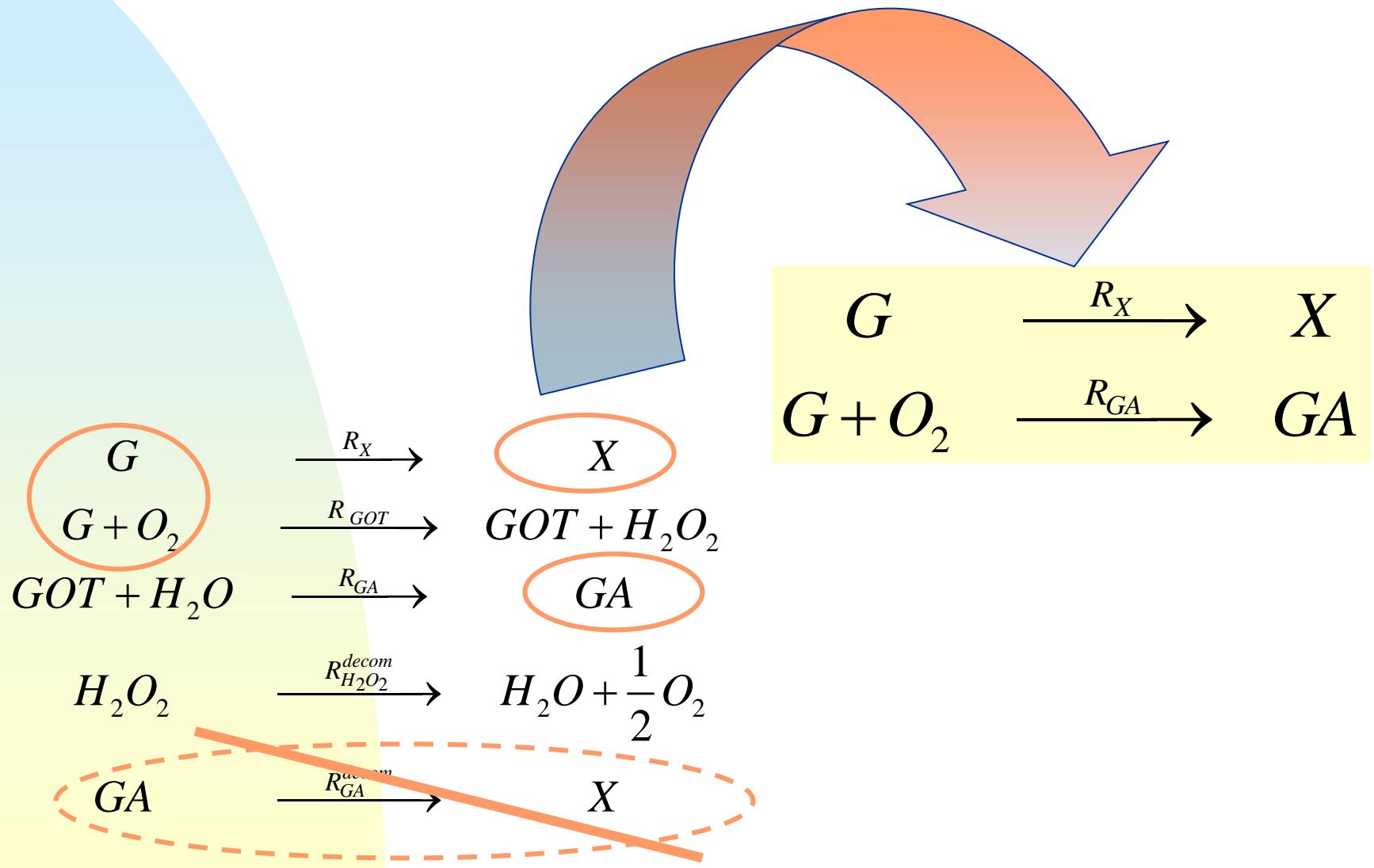
$$R_{H_2O_2} = R_{GOT} - R_{H_2O_2}^{decom};$$

$$R_x = \mu_{\max} X \frac{k - X}{k};$$

$$R_{GA} = \mu_{GA} GA \frac{(k_{GA} - GA)}{k_{GA}};$$



# Biochemical model and reaction scheme reduction



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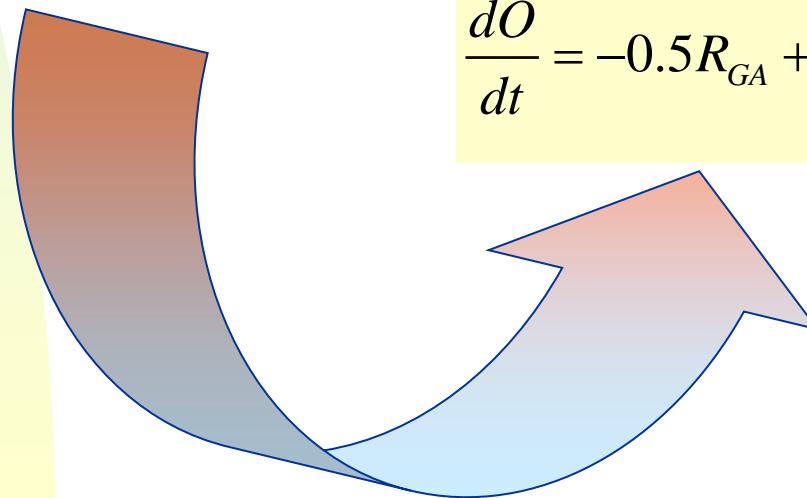
# Reduced biochemical model

$$\frac{dX}{dt} = R_x;$$

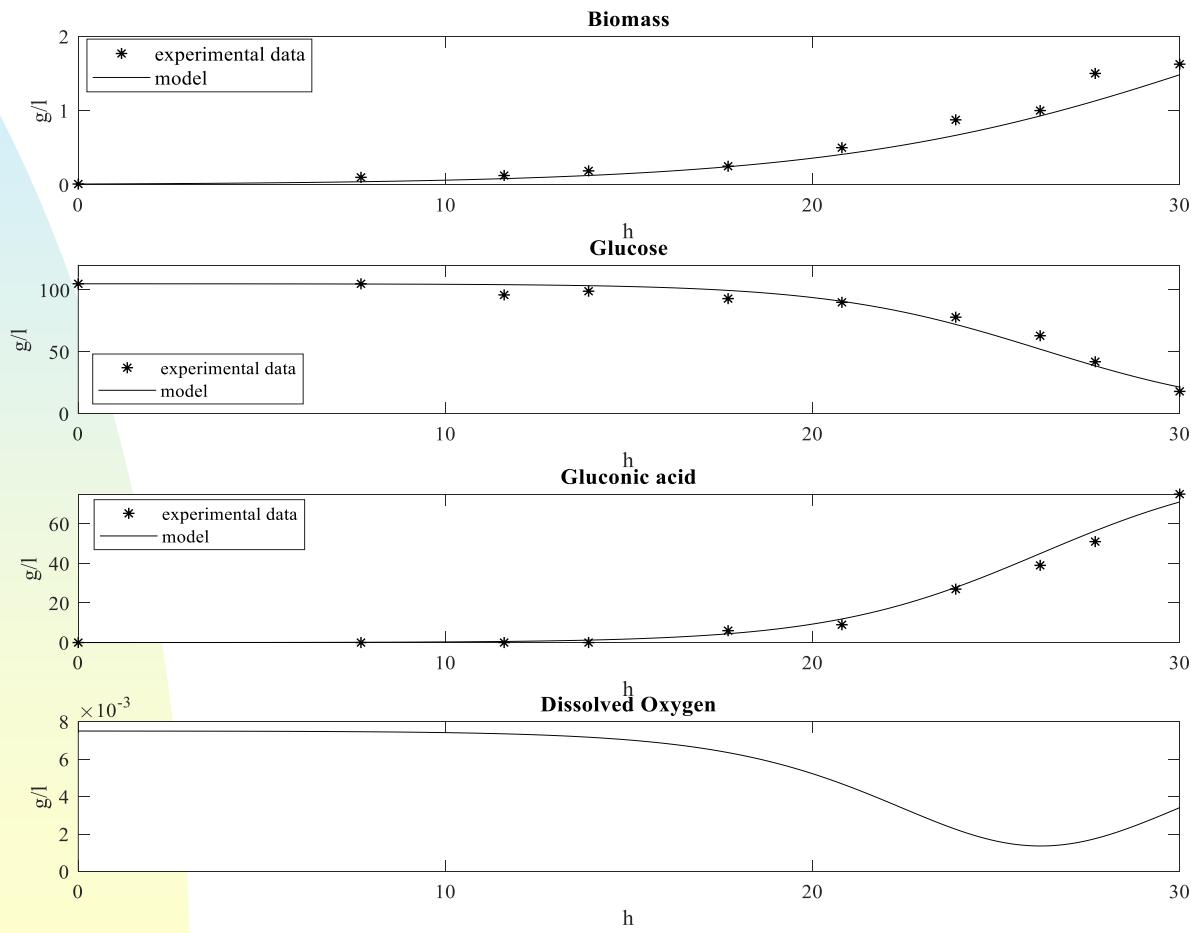
$$\frac{dG}{dt} = -R_x - R_{GA};$$

$$\frac{dGA}{dt} = R_{GA};$$

$$\frac{dO}{dt} = -0.5R_{GA} + K_L a(O_2^* - O_2),$$



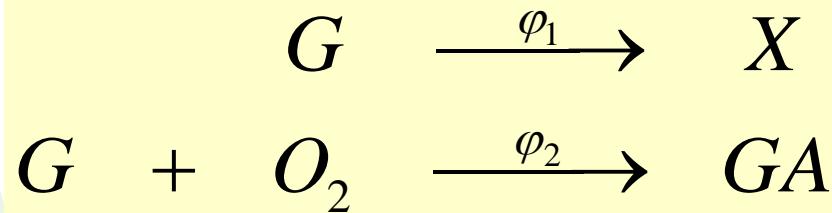
# Reduced model simulation



# General dynamical model derivation

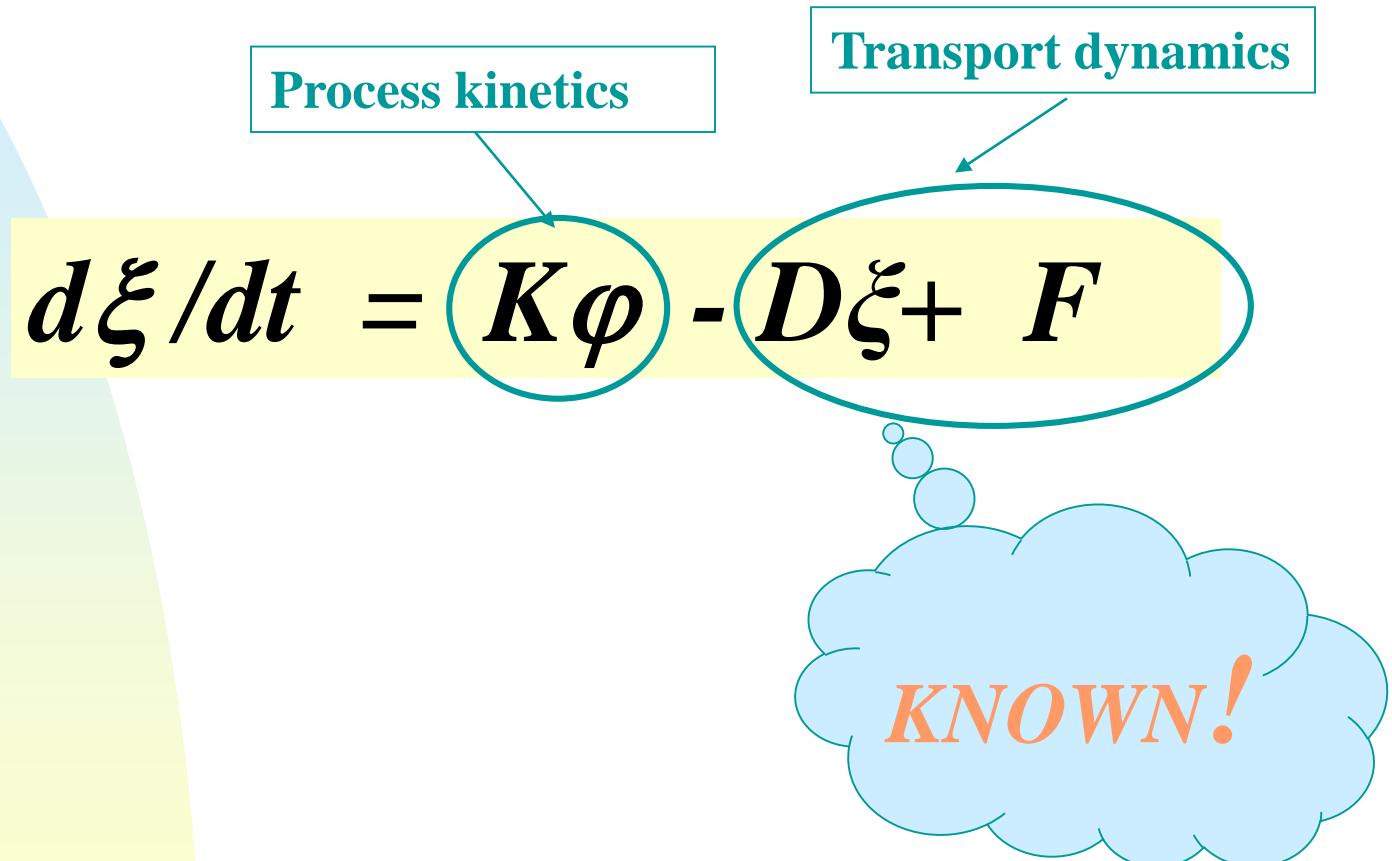
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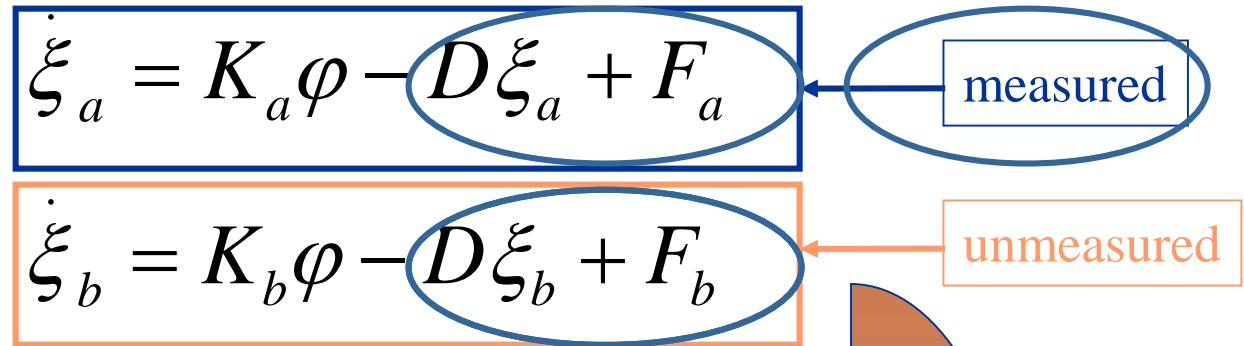


$$\frac{d\xi}{dt} = \sum_i (\pm) k_i \varphi_i - D\xi + F_i$$

# General Dynamical Model



# Model transformation



$$Z = A_0\xi_a + \xi_b$$

Auxiliary state variable   State partition

$$\dot{\xi} = K_a\varphi - D\xi_a + F_a$$

$$\dot{Z} = A_0F_a - D\xi_b + F_b$$

# Biomass and gluconic acid observers

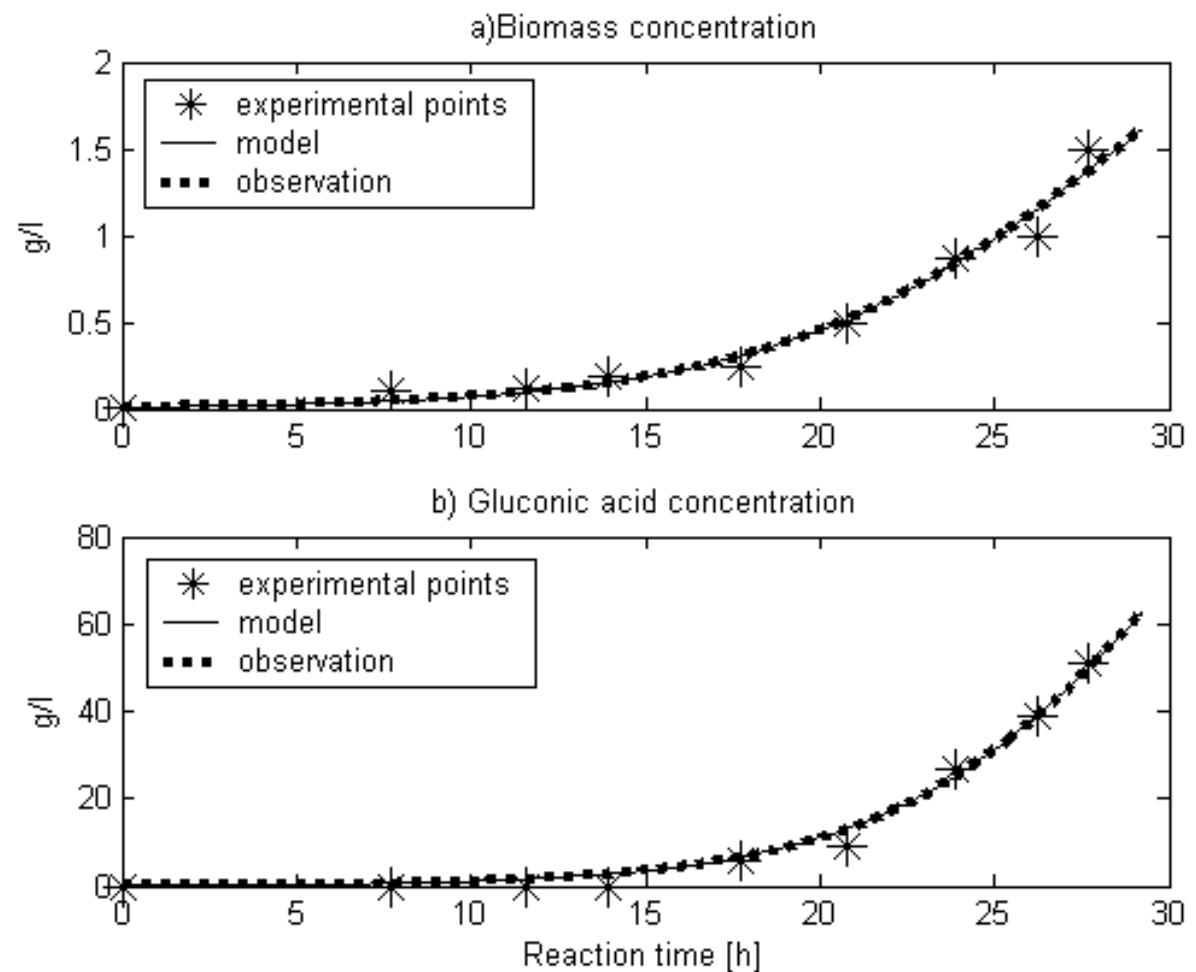
$$\dot{Z}_1 = -D Z_1 + D G_{in};$$

$$\dot{Z}_2 = -D Z_2 + K_L a(O_2^* - O_2);$$

$$X_e = \frac{1}{k_1} Z_1 - \frac{k_2}{k_1 k_3} (Z_2 - O_2) - \frac{1}{k_1} G$$

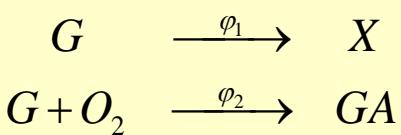
$$GA_e = \frac{1}{k_3} (Z_2 - O_2)$$

# Observers cross validation



# Adaptive linearizing control design for continuous process

Reaction scheme



Reference model for the regulation error

$$\frac{d(GA^* - GA_e)}{dt} + \lambda(GA^* - GA_e) = 0$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dG^*}{dt} = 0}$$

$$\lambda(GA^* - GA_e) = \frac{dGA_e}{dt}$$

General model

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{X} &= \varphi_1 - DX \\ \dot{G} &= -k_1\varphi_1 - k_2\varphi_2 - D(G - G_{in}) \\ \dot{O}_2 &= -k_3\varphi_2 - DO_2 + K_L a(O_2^* - O_2) \\ \dot{GA} &= \varphi_1 - DGA \end{aligned}$$

Reaction rates

$$\varphi_1 = GX\alpha_1$$

$$\varphi_2 = GO_2\alpha_2$$

General model in linear regression form

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dX_e}{dt} &= X_e G \theta_1 - DX_e \\ \frac{dG}{dt} &= -X_e G \theta_2 - GO_2 \theta_3 - D(G - G_{in}) \\ \frac{dO_2}{dt} &= GO_2 \theta_4 - DO_2 - K_L a(O_2^* - O_2) \\ \frac{dGA_e}{dt} &= GO_2 \theta_5 - DGA_e \end{aligned}$$

Input ( $D$ )/output( $GA$ ) model

$$D = \frac{-\lambda(GA^* - GA_e) + GO_2 \theta_5}{GA_e}$$

# Estimator of new kinetics parameters

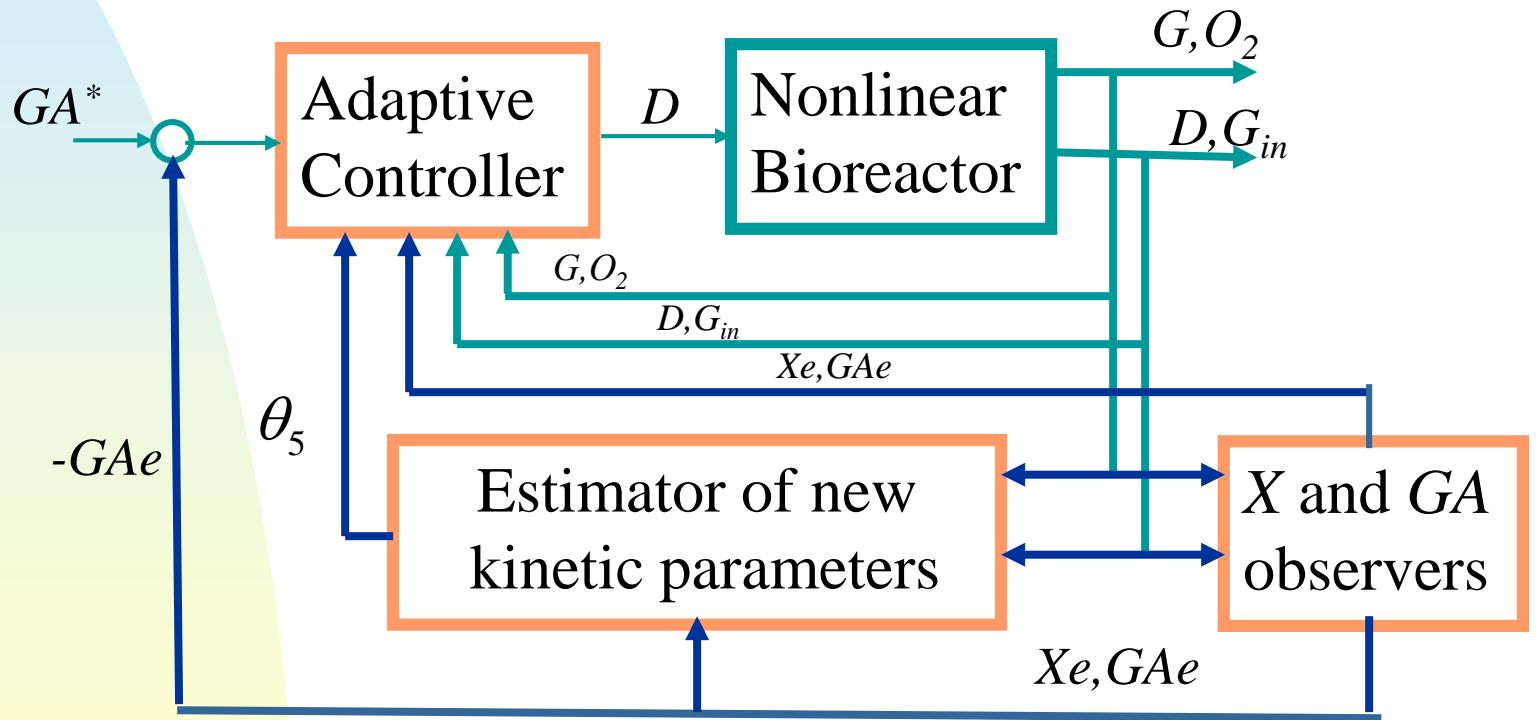
$$\dot{\hat{G}} = -X_e \hat{G} \theta_2 - G O_2 \hat{\theta}_3 - D(\hat{G} - G_{in}) + \omega_2 (\hat{G} - \hat{G})$$

$$\dot{\hat{\theta}}_2 = -X_e \hat{G} \gamma_2 (\hat{G} - \hat{G})$$

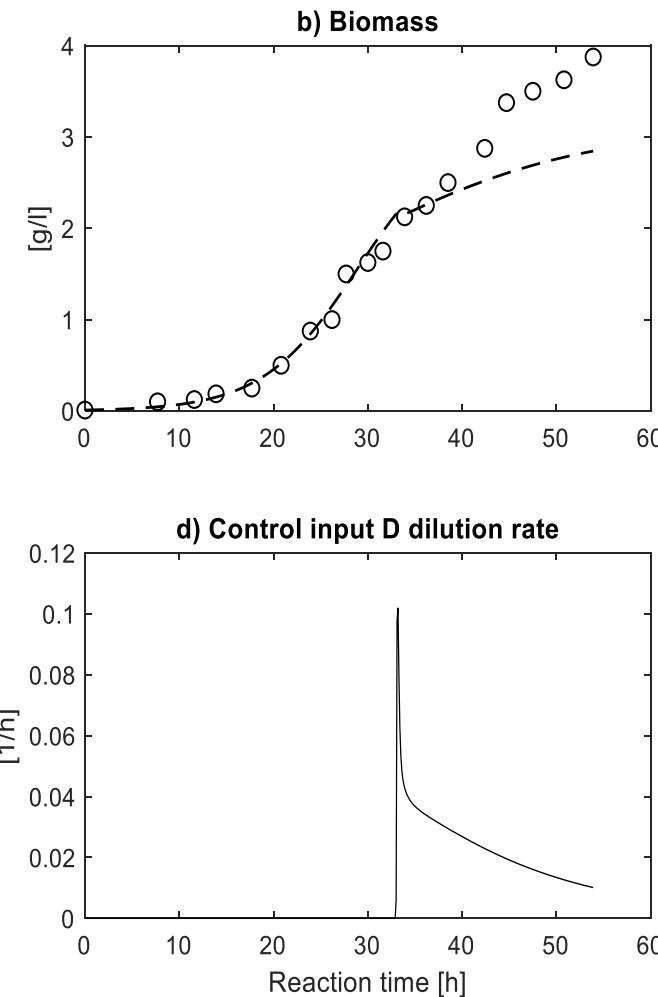
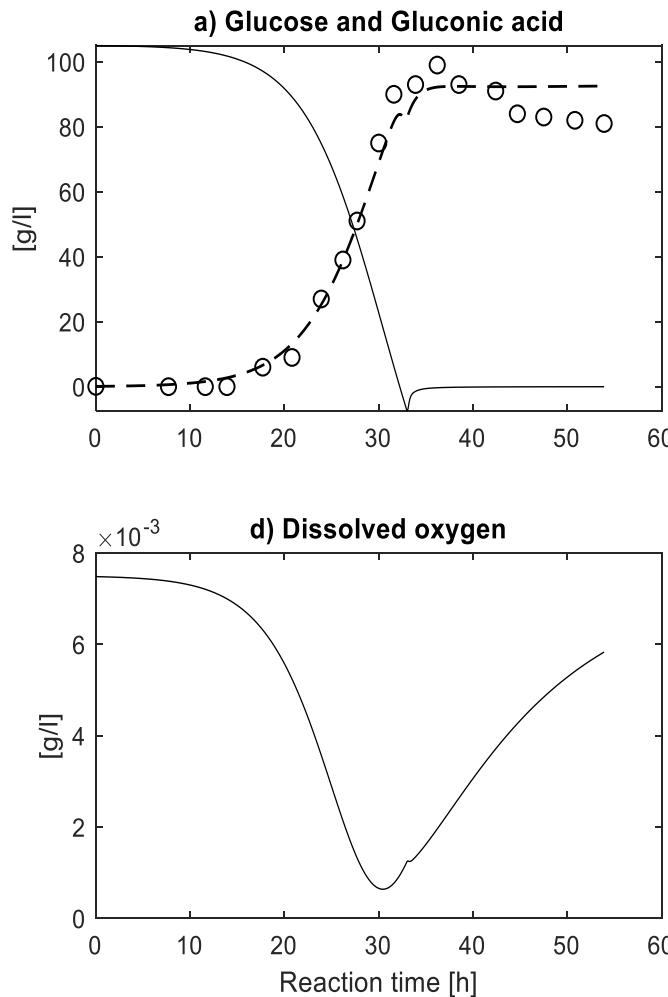
$$\dot{\hat{\theta}}_3 = -G O_2 \gamma_2 (\hat{G} - \hat{G})$$

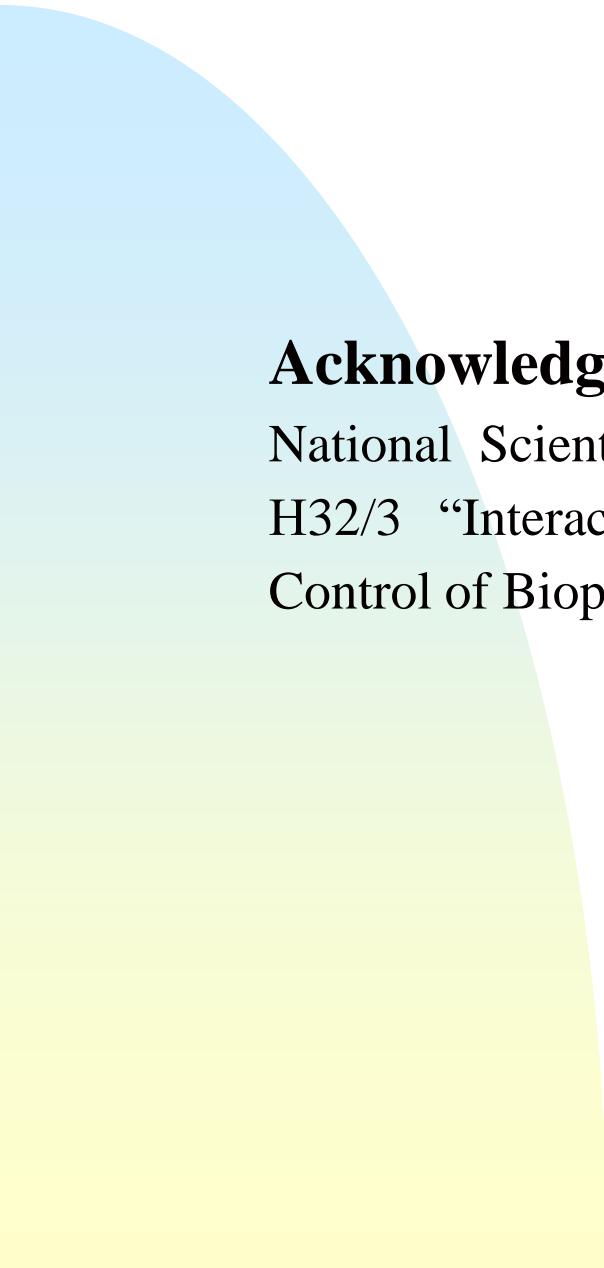
$$\gamma_2 = \omega_2^2 / 4[(XeG)^2 + (GO_2)^2];$$

# Control scheme

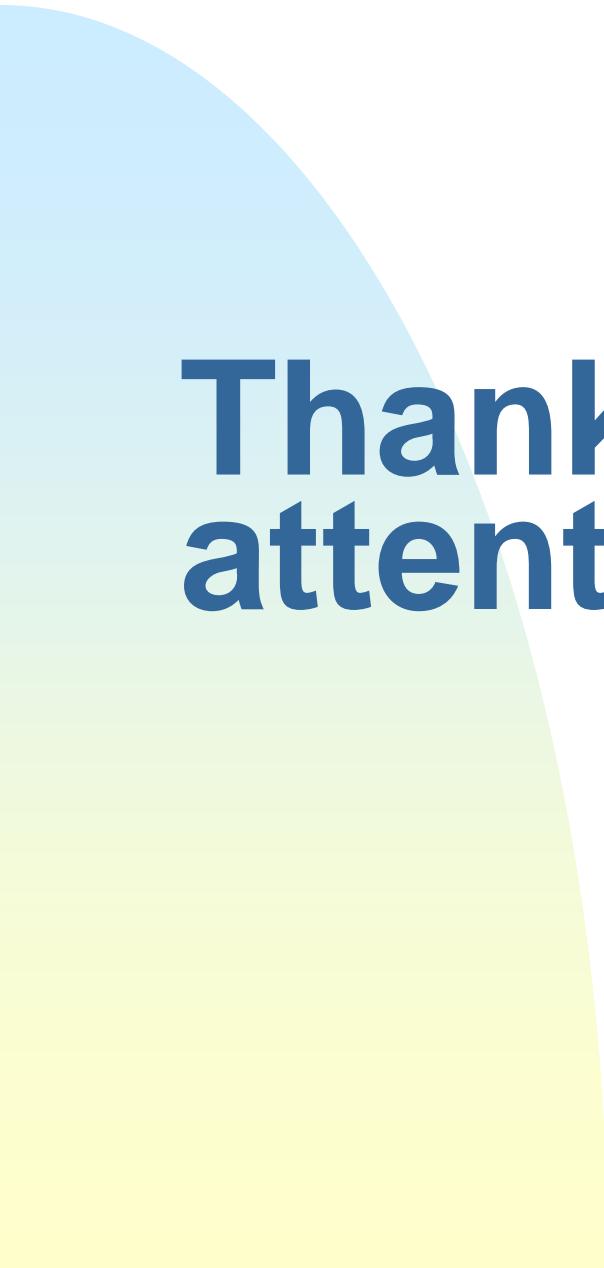


# Simulation of the control scheme





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