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# Hybrid Synchronization of *n*-scroll Chaotic Chua Circuits using Adaptive Backstepping Control Design with Recursive Feedback

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### **ABSTRACT**

In this paper, the hybrid synchronization is investigated for n-scroll chaotic Chua circuit (Wallace *et al.* (2001)) using adaptive backstepping control design based on recursive feedback control. Our theorems on hybrid synchronization for n-scroll chaotic Chua circuits are established using Lyapunov stability theory. The adaptive backstepping control links the choice of Lyapunov function with the design of a controller and guarantees global stability performance of strict-feedback chaotic systems. The adaptive backstepping control maintains the parameter vector at a predetermined desired value. The adaptive backstepping control method is effective and convenient to synchronize and estimate the parameters of the chaotic systems. Mainly, this technique gives the flexibility to construct a control law and estimate the parameter values. Numerical simulations are also given to illustrate and validate the synchronization results derived in this paper.

Keywords: Chaos, hybrid synchronization, adaptive backstepping control, *n*-scroll chaotic chua circuit.

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Dynamics systems described by nonlinear differential equations can be strongly sensitive to initial conditions. This phenomenon is known as deterministic chaos, which means that the mathematical description of the system is deterministic but behavior of the system is unpredictable. Chaos refers to one type of complex dynamical behaviors that possess extreme sensitivity to tiny variations of initial conditions, bounded trajectories in phase space and fractional topological dimensions. The fundamental characteristic of a chaotic system is its sensitivity to the initial state. That is to say, chaotic systems starting off from very similar initial states can develop into radically divergent ways. Such sensitive dependence is often referred to as the Butterfly effect. In general, synchronization research has been focused on two areas. The first one works with the state observers, where the main applications pertain to the synchronization of nonlinear oscillators. The second one is the use of control laws, which allows achieving the synchronization between nonlinear oscillators, with different structures and orders.

The synchronization of chaotic system was first researched by Yamada and Fujisaka (Fujisaka and Yamada (1983)) with subsequent work by Pecora and Carroll (Pecora and Carroll (1990), Pecora and Carroll, (1991)). The synchronization of chaos is one way of explaining sensitive dependence on initial conditions (Alligood *et al.* (1997), Edward (2002)). It has been established that the synchronization of two chaotic systems, that identify the tendency of two or more systems are coupled together to undergo closely related motions. The problem of chaos synchronization is to design a coupling between the two systems such that the chaotic time evaluation becomes ideal. The output of the response system asymptotically follows the output of the drive system i.e. the output of the drive system controls the response system.

The synchronization for chaotic systems has been widespread to the scope, such as generalized synchronization (Wang and Zhu (2006)), phase synchronization (Ge and Chen (2004)), lag synchronization, projective synchronization (Qiang (2007)), generalized projective synchronization (Jian-Ping and Chang-Pin (2006), Li et al. (2007), Sundarapandian and Sarasu (2012), Sarasu and Sundarapandian (2012)) and even antisynchronization. The property of anti-synchronization establishes a predominating phenomenon in symmetrical oscillators, in which the state vectors have the same absolute values but opposite signs. When synchronization and anti synchronization coexist, simultaneously, in chaotic systems, the synchronization is called hybrid synchronization (Li (2008), Sundarapandian and Suresh (2012), Sundarapandian and Sivaperumal (2012)). A variety of schemes for ensuring the control and synchronization of such systems have been demonstrated based on their potential applications in various fields including chaos generator design, secure

communication (Murali and Laksmanan (2003a), Yang and Chua (1999)), physical systems (Murali and Laksmanan (1996)), chemical reaction (Han et al. (1995)), ecological systems (Blasius et al. (1999)), information science (Kocarev and Parlitz (1995)), energy resource systems (Zuolei Wang (2010)), ghostburster neurons (Jiang Wang (2009)), bi-axial magnet models (Moukam Kakmeni et al. (2006)), neuronal models (Hindmarsh and Rose (1984) and Yan-Qiu Che et al. (2010)), IR epidemic models with impulsive vaccination (Guang Zhao Zeng et al. (2005)) and predicting the influence of solar wind to celestial bodies (Junxa Wang et al. (2006)), etc. So far a variety of impressive approaches have been proposed for the synchronization of the chaotic systems such as the OGY method (Ott (1990)), sampled feedback synchronization method (Murali and Laksmanan (2003b)), time delay feedback method (Park and Kwon (2003)), adaptive design method (Lu et al. (2004), Park et al. (2003), Park (2008)), sliding mode control method (Yau (2004), Sundarapandian (2011)), active control method (Sundarapandian and Suresh (2010a); Sundarapandian and Suresh (2010b)) and backstepping control design (Wu and Li (2003), Yu and Zhang (2006), Suresh and Sundarapandian (2012a, 2012b, 2013)) etc.

Adaptive control design is a direct aggregation of a control methodology with some form of a recursive system identification and the system identification could be aimed to determining the system to be controlled is linear or nonlinear systems. The system identification is only the parameters of a fixed type of model that need to be determined and limiting the parametric system identification and parametric adaptive control. Adaptive control design is studied and analyzed in theory of unknown but fixed parameter systems. In this paper, Adaptive control design with feedback input approach is proposed. This approach is a systematic design approach and guarantees global stability of the n-scroll Chua chaotic circuit (Wallace et al. (2001)). Based on the Lyapunov function, the adaptive update control is determined to tune the controller gain based on the precalculated feedback control inputs. We organize this paper as follows. In Section 2, we present the methodology of hybrid chaos synchronization by adaptive control method. In Section 3, we give a description of the chaotic systems discussed in this paper. In Section 4, we demonstrate the hybrid synchronization of identical n-scroll chaotic Chua circuits. In Section 5, we summarize the results obtained in this paper.

#### 2. PROBLEM STATEMENT AND METHODOLOGY

In general, the two dynamic systems in synchronization are called the master and slave system respectively. A well designed controller will make the trajectory of the slave system track the trajectory of the master system, which are the two systems will be synchronous.

Consider the master system described by the dynamics

$$\dot{x}_{1} = F_{1}(x_{1}, x_{2}, ...x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) 
\dot{x}_{2} = F_{2}(x_{1}, x_{2}, ...x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) 
\dot{x}_{3} = F_{3}(x_{1}, x_{2}, ...x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) 
\vdots 
\dot{x}_{n} = F_{n}(x_{1}, x_{2}, ...x_{n}, \alpha_{i})$$
(1)

where  $x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is a state vectors of the system and  $\alpha_i$  are positive unknown parameters,  $\hat{\alpha}_i$  are estimates of the parameters  $\alpha_i$ .

Consider the slave system with the controller  $u_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3...n described by the dynamics

where  $u_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3...n is the input to the system with parameter estimator  $\hat{\alpha}_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3...n,  $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is state vectors of the system including the controller and identifier.  $F_i$ ,  $G_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3...n are linear and nonlinear functions with inputs from system (2) and (1).

 $F_{\rm i}$  Equals to  $G_{\rm i}$ , then the systems states are identical chaotic hybrid synchronization otherwise the systems states are non identical

chaotic hybrid synchronization. The chaotic systems (1) and (2) depend not only on state variables but also on time t and the parameters.

The hybrid synchronization error is defined as

$$e_i = \begin{cases} y_i - x_i & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \\ y_i + x_i & \text{if } i \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$
 (3)

Then the error dynamics is obtained as

$$\dot{e}_{1} = G_{1}(y_{1}, y_{2}, \dots y_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - F_{1}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) + u_{1}$$

$$\dot{e}_{2} = G_{2}(y_{1}, y_{2}, \dots y_{n}, \alpha_{i}) + F_{2}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) + u_{2}$$

$$\dot{e}_{3} = G_{3}(y_{1}, y_{2}, \dots y_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - F_{3}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) + u_{3}$$

$$\vdots \qquad \vdots \qquad \vdots$$

$$\dot{e}_{n} = G_{n}(y_{1}, y_{2}, \dots y_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - F_{n}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) + u_{n}$$
(4)

where  $u_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3...n are controllers to the system with parameter estimator  $\hat{\alpha}_i$ .

The parameter estimation error is defined as

$$e_{\alpha_i} = \alpha_i - \hat{\alpha}_i, i = 1, 2, 3...n$$
 (5)

The synchronization error systems control a controlled chaotic system with control input  $u_i, i=1,2,3...n$  with adaptive update law  $\hat{\alpha}_i$  as a function of the parameter estimator error states  $e_{\alpha_1}, e_{\alpha_2}, e_{\alpha_3}...e_{\alpha_n}$ . That means the systematic adaptive feedback so as to stabilize the error dynamics (4) converge to zero as time  $t\to\infty$ . This implies that the controller  $u_i, i=1,2,3...n$  and adaptive update law  $\hat{\alpha}_i$  should be designed so that the two chaotic systems can be synchronized. In mathematically

$$\lim_{t \to \infty} \left\| e(t) \right\| = 0 \tag{6}$$

Adaptive backstepping control design is systematic and guarantees global stabilities performance of strict-feedback chaotic systems. By using the adaptive backstepping control design, the chaotic system is stabilized with respect to Lyapunov function. The Lyapunov stability approach

consists in finding an update law. The Lyapunov stability function technique as our methodology, the controller design can be divided into two steps. The first one need the derivation of control Lyapunov function and the second step involves using an existing control Lyapunov function to be synchronizing the chaotic systems

We consider the stability of the system

$$\dot{e}_1 = G_1(y_1, y_2, \dots y_n, \alpha_i) - F_1(x_1, x_2, \dots x_n, \alpha_i) + u_1 \tag{7}$$

where  $x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $y(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$  are state variables and  $\alpha_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3...n are positive unknown parameters,  $\hat{\alpha}_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3...n are estimates of the parameter  $\alpha_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3...n.  $u_1$  is control as long as this feedback stabilize the system (7) converges to zero as  $t \to \infty$ , where  $e_2 = \alpha_1(e_1)$  is regarded as an virtual controller.

We consider the Lyapunov function defined by

$$V_1(e_1) = \mathbf{e}_1^{\mathrm{T}} P_1 e_1 + \sum_{i=1}^{i=k} \mathbf{e}_{\alpha_i}^{\mathrm{T}} Q_1 e_{\alpha_i}$$
 (8)

where  $P_1$  and  $Q_1$  are positive matrices.

Let us define the parameter estimation error as

$$e_{\alpha} = \alpha_i - \hat{\alpha}_i, i = 1, 2, 3...k$$
 (9)

Differentiating equation (8) along the trajectories (7) and using

$$\dot{e}_{\alpha_i} = -\hat{\alpha}_i$$
,  $i = 1, 2, 3...n$ .

The derivative of  $V_1(e_1)$  is

$$\dot{V}_{1}(e_{1}) = -\mathbf{e}_{1}^{\mathsf{T}} R_{1} e_{1} - \sum_{i=1}^{i=k} \mathbf{e}_{\alpha_{i}}^{\mathsf{T}} S_{1} e_{\alpha_{i}}. \tag{10}$$

where  $R_1$  and  $S_1$  are positive definite matrices.

Then  $\dot{V_1}$  is a negative definite function on  $R^n$ . Thus by Lyapunov stability theory (Che *et al.* (2010)) the error dynamics (7) is asymptotically stable. The virtual control is  $e_2 = \alpha_1(e_1)$  and the state feedback input  $u_1$  makes the system (7) asymptotically stable.

The function  $\alpha_1(e_1)$  is estimative when  $e_2$  considered as controller. The error between  $e_2$  and  $\alpha_1(e_1)$  is

$$w_2 = e_2 - \alpha_1(e_1) \tag{11}$$

Consider the  $(e_1, w_2)$  subsystem given by

$$\dot{e}_1 = G_1(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n, \alpha_i) - F_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \alpha_i) + u_1 
\dot{w}_2 = G_2(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n, \alpha_i) - F_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \alpha_i) - \dot{\alpha}_1(e_1) + u_2$$
(12)

Let  $e_3$  be a virtual controller in system (12). Assume when

$$e_3 = \alpha_2(e_1, w_2)$$

the system (12) is made asymptotically stable.

Consider the Lyapunov function defined by

$$V_2(e_1, w_2) = V_1(e_1) + w_2^{\mathrm{T}} P_2 w_2 + \sum_{i=k+1}^{i=m} e_{\alpha_i}^{\mathrm{T}} Q_2 e_{\alpha_i}$$
 (13)

where  $P_2$  and  $Q_2$  are positive matrices.

Let us define the parameter estimation error as

$$e_{\alpha} = \alpha_i - \hat{\alpha}_i, i = k+1, 2, 3...m$$
 (14)

Differentiating equation (13) along the trajectories (12) and using

$$\dot{e}_{\alpha_i} = -\hat{\alpha}_i, \ i = k+1, 2, 3...m$$
 (15)

Suppose the derivative of  $V_2(e_1, w_2)$  is

$$\dot{V}_{2}(e_{1}, w_{2}) = -e_{1}^{T} R_{1} e_{1} - w_{2}^{T} R_{2} w_{2} - \sum_{i=1}^{i=k} e_{\alpha_{i}}^{T} S_{1} e_{\alpha_{i}} - \sum_{i=k+1}^{i=m} e_{\alpha_{i}}^{T} S_{2} e_{\alpha_{i}}$$
(16)

where  $R_1, R_2, S_1, S_2$  are positive definite matrices.

Then  $\dot{V}_2$  is a negative definite function on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

Thus by Lyapunov stability theory (Hahn (1967)) the error dynamics (12) is globally asymptotically stable. For the n th state of the error dynamics, define the error variable  $w_n$  as

$$w_n = e_n - \alpha_{n-1}(e_1, w_2, w_3...w_{n-1})$$
(17)

Consider the  $(e_1, w_2, w_3...w_n)$  subsystem given by

$$\dot{e}_{1} = G_{1}(y_{1}, y_{2}, \dots y_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - F_{1}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) + u_{1}$$

$$\dot{w}_{2} = G_{2}(y_{1}, y_{2}, \dots y_{n}, \alpha_{i}) + F_{2}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - \dot{\alpha}_{1}(e_{1}) + u_{2}$$

$$\dot{w}_{3} = G_{3}(y_{1}, y_{2}, \dots y_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - F_{3}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - \dot{\alpha}_{2}(e_{1}, w_{2}) + u_{3}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\dot{e}_{n} = G_{n}(y_{1}, y_{2}, \dots y_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - F_{n}(x_{1}, x_{2}, \dots x_{n}, \alpha_{i}) - \dot{\alpha}_{n-1}(e_{1}, w_{2}, w_{3}, \dots w_{n}) + u_{n}$$
(18)

Consider the Lyapunov function defined by

$$V_n(e_1, w_2, w_3...w_n, e_{\alpha_i}) = V_{n-1}(e_1, w_2, w_3...w_n) + w_n^T P_n w_n + \sum_{i=m+1}^{i=n} e_{\alpha_i}^T Q_n e_{\alpha_i}$$
(19)

where  $P_n$  and  $Q_n$  are positive matrices.

Let us define the parameter estimation error as

$$e_{\alpha} = \alpha_i - \hat{\alpha}_i, i = m+1, 2, 3...n$$
 (20)

Differentiating equation (19) along the trajectories (18) and using

$$\dot{e}_{\alpha} = -\hat{\alpha}_i, \ i = m+1, 2, 3...n$$
 (21)

Suppose the derivative of  $V_2(e_1, w_2)$  is

$$\dot{V}_{n}(e_{1}, w_{2}, w_{3}...w_{n}) = -e_{1}^{T} R_{1} e_{1} - w_{2}^{T} R_{2} w_{2} - w_{3}^{T} R_{3} w_{3} - ... - w_{n}^{T} R_{n} w_{n} 
- \sum_{i=1}^{i=k} e_{\alpha_{i}}^{T} S_{1} e_{\alpha_{i}} - \sum_{i=k+1}^{i=m} e_{\alpha_{i}}^{T} S_{2} e_{\alpha_{i}} - ... - \sum_{i=a+1}^{i=n} e_{\alpha_{i}}^{T} S_{n} e_{\alpha_{i}}$$
(22)

where  $R_1, R_2, R_3...R_n, S_1, S_2, S_3...S_n$  are positive definite matrices.

Then  $\dot{V}_n$  is a negative definite function on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

Thus by Lyapunov stability theory (Hahn (1967)) the error dynamics (14) is asymptotically stable. The virtual control is

$$e_n = \alpha_{n-1}(e_1, w_2, w_3...w_{n-1})$$

and the state feedback input  $u_n$  make the system (18) globally asymptotically stable.

Thus by Lyapunov stability theory (Hahn (1967)), the error dynamics (4) is globally asymptotically stable for all initial condition  $e(0) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Hence, the states of master and slave systems are globally and asymptotically hybrid synchronized and the adaptive control law is given by

$$\widehat{\alpha}_i = G(e) + k_i e_{\alpha_i} \tag{23}$$

where  $k_i$  is positive constant,  $e_i = \begin{cases} y_i - x_i & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \\ y_i + x_i & \text{if } i \text{ is even} \end{cases}$  is the error vector,

and  $G: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n$  is a continuous vector function with the error as its arguments.

**Theorem 1.** The chaotic system (1) and (2) are globally exponentially hybrid synchronized with adaptive backstepping control with recursive

feedback inputs  $u_1 = u_2 = u_3 .... u_n = \mu(x, y, e_i, w_i)$ . The adaptive control law is updated by

$$\widehat{\alpha}_i = G(e_i) + k_i e_{\alpha_i}, \quad \text{where} \quad e_i = \begin{cases} y_i - x_i \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\ y_i + x_i \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \end{cases} \quad \text{is an error and}$$

 $\mu = \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $G: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n$  are continuous vector function with x, y and e as its arguments.

#### 3. SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

Recently, theoretical design and hardware implementation of different kinds of chaotic oscillators have attracted increasing attention, aiming real world applications of many chaos based technologies and information systems. In current research interest is creating various complex multi scroll chaotic attractors by using simplified and generic electrical circuit. Here which we are interested is the n– scroll Chua circuit which is an improved model of chaotic system introduced by Wallace *et al.* (2001). In fact, it is now obvious that can be derived from simplified and generic electrical circuit.

#### a) The n-Scroll Chua system

Chua's system is utilized for the investigation. The dynamical equation of n-scroll Chua system with sine function (Wallace *et al.* (2001)) is given by

$$\dot{x}_1 = \alpha(x_2 - f(x_1)) 
\dot{x}_2 = x_1 - x_2 + x_3 
\dot{x}_3 = -\beta x_2$$
(24)

where  $f(x_1)$  is given by

$$f(x_{1}) = \begin{cases} \frac{b}{2a}(x_{1} - 2ac) & \text{if} & x_{1} \ge 2ac \\ -b\sin(\frac{\pi x_{1}}{2a} + d) & \text{if} & -2ac \le x_{1} \le 2ac \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{b}{2a}(x_{1} + 2ac) & \text{if} & x_{1} \le 2ac$$
(25)

where a, b, c, and d are positive real constants.

The piecewise linear function is only nonlinearity in the system. A sine function is couched to obtain the nonlinearity needed for generating chaos in Chua system. For the chaotic case, the parameter values are taken in equations as

$$\alpha$$
= 10.814,  $\beta$ = 14.0, a=1.3, b=0.11 and d=0

Furthermore, if we choose c = 1, 2, 3 and 5, then we obtain 2-scroll, 3-scroll, 4-scroll and 6-scroll attractors respectively, as depicted in Figure 1(a)–(d). A maximum of six scrolls can be observed.

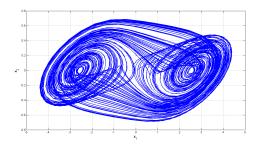


Figure 1(a): 2- Scroll chaotic attractor

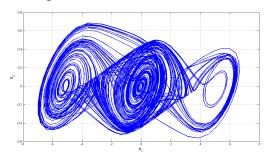


Figure 1(b): 3- Scroll chaotic attractor

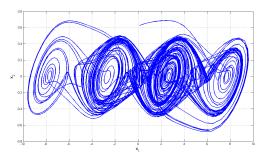


Figure 1(c): 4- Scroll chaotic attractor

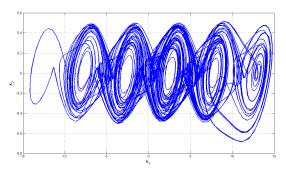


Figure 1(d): 6- Scroll chaotic attractor

## 4. HYBRID SYNCHRONIZATION OF IDENTICAL N-SCROLL CHUA SYSTEMS USING ADAPTIVE BACKSTEPPING CONTROL DESIGN BASED ON RECURSIVE FEEDBACK CONTROL

In this section we apply the adaptive backstepping method is applied for the hybrid synchronization of two identical n-scroll chaotic Chua circuits (Wallace  $et\ al.\ (2001)$ ) when the parameter values are unknown. Thus, the master system is described by the n-scroll chaotic Chua circuit dynamics

$$\dot{x}_1 = \alpha(x_2 - f(x_1)) 
\dot{x}_2 = x_1 - x_2 + x_3 
\dot{x}_3 = -\beta x_2$$
(26)

where  $f(x_1)$  is given by

$$f(x_{1}) = \begin{cases} \frac{b}{2a}(x_{1} - 2ac) & \text{if} & x_{1} \ge 2ac\\ -b\sin(\frac{\pi x_{1}}{2a} + d) & \text{if} & -2ac \le x_{1} \le 2ac \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{b}{2a}(x_{1} + 2ac) & \text{if} & x_{1} \le 2ac$$
(27)

 $x_1, x_2, x_3$  are state variables and  $\alpha, \beta, a, b, c$  are positive unknown parameters,  $\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}, \hat{a}, \hat{b}, \hat{c}$  are estimates of the parameters  $\alpha, \beta, a, b, c$ .

The slave system is also described by the n- scroll chaotic Chua circuit dynamics

$$\dot{y}_1 = \alpha (y_2 - f(y_1)) + u_1 
\dot{y}_2 = y_1 - y_2 + y_3 + u_2 
\dot{y}_3 = -\beta y_2 + u_3$$
(28)

where  $f(y_1)$  is given by

$$f(y_{1}) = \begin{cases} \frac{b}{2a}(y_{1} - 2ac) & \text{if} & y_{1} \ge 2ac \\ -b\sin(\frac{\pi y_{1}}{2a} + d) & \text{if} & -2ac \le y_{1} \le 2ac \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{b}{2a}(y_{1} + 2ac) & \text{if} & y_{1} \le 2ac$$
(29)

 $y_1, y_2, y_3$  are state variables and  $u_1, u_2, u_3$  are the backstepping controller to be designed.

The synchronization error is defined by

$$e_1 = y_1 - x_1; e_2 = y_2 + x_2; e_3 = y_3 - x_3$$
 (30)

The error dynamics is obtained as

$$\dot{e}_1 = \alpha y_2 - \alpha x_2 - \alpha [f(y_1) - f(x_1)] + u_1 
\dot{e}_2 = y_1 + x_1 - e_2 + y_3 + x_3 + u_2 
\dot{e}_3 = -\beta y_2 + \beta x_2 + u_3$$
(31)

a) When 
$$[f(y_1) - f(x_1)] \ge 2ac$$
 and  $[f(y_1) - f(x_1)] \le -2ac$ 

The objective is to find the control law and adaptive update law, so the that the system (21) is asymptotically stabilized at the origin and estimates the unknown parameters  $\alpha, \beta, a, b, c$ . We introduce the backstepping procedure to design the controller  $u_1, u_2, u_3$ , where  $u_1, u_2, u_3$  are recursive control feedback, as long as these recursive feedback stabilize system (21) converge to zero as the time  $t \to \infty$ .

First we consider the stability of the system

$$\dot{e}_3 = -\beta y_2 + \beta x_2 + u_3 \tag{32}$$

where  $e_2$  is regarded as virtual controller.

Consider the Lyapunov function defined by

$$V_1(e_1, e_\beta) = \frac{1}{2}e_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}e_\beta^2 \tag{33}$$

Let us define the parameter estimation error as

$$e_{\beta} = \beta - \hat{\beta} \tag{34}$$

Differentiating equation (33) along the trajectories (32) and using

$$\dot{e}_{\beta} = -\hat{\beta}$$

We find  $\dot{V_1}(e_3, e_\beta)$  is as following

$$\dot{V}_{1} = e_{3}(-\beta y_{2} + \beta x_{2} + u_{3}) + e_{\beta}(-\dot{\beta})$$
(35)

Assume the controller  $e_2 = \alpha_1(e_3)$ . If

$$\alpha_1(e_3) = -k_1 e_3 \tag{36}$$

and

$$u_3 = -2\beta x_2 + 2\hat{\beta}e_2. \tag{37}$$

In equation (35), the parameters are updated by the update law

$$\hat{\beta} = -2e_2 e_3 + k_2 e_\beta \tag{38}$$

substituting equations (36), (37) and (38) into equation (35), then we have

$$\dot{V}_1 = -k_1 \beta e_3^2 - k_2 e_\beta^2. \tag{39}$$

Which is a negative definite function on  $R^3$  since  $k_1$ ,  $k_2 > 0$ .

The recursive feedback  $u_3$  and the virtual control is  $e_2 = \alpha_1(e_3)$  makes the system (32) globally asymptotically stable. Function  $\alpha_1(e_3)$  is an estimative function when  $e_2$  is considered as a controller.

The error between  $e_2$  and  $\alpha_1(e_3)$  is

$$w_2 = e_2 - \alpha_1(e_3) \tag{40}$$

Consider  $(e_3, w_2)$  subsystem given by

$$\dot{e}_3 = \beta w_2 - \beta k_1 e_3 - 2e_\beta e_2$$

$$\dot{w}_2 = e_1 + [k_1(\beta - 2e_\beta) - 1]e_2 + 2x_1 + y_3 + x_3 + u_2$$
(41)

Let  $e_1$  as a virtual controller in system (41).

Assume that when  $e_1 = \alpha_2(e_3, w_2)$ , the system (41) is made globally asymptotically stable.

Let us define the Lyapunov function as

$$V_2(e_3, w_2) = V_1(e_3) + \frac{1}{2}w_2^2$$
 (42)

The derivative of  $V_2(e_3, w_2)$  is

$$\dot{V}_2 = -k_1 \beta e_3^2 - k_2 e_\beta^2 + w_2 (e_1 + [k_1 (\beta - 2e_\beta) - 1]e_2 + 2x_1 + y_3 + x_3 + u_2)$$
(43)

If we choose

$$\alpha_2(e_3, w_2) = -\beta e_3 \tag{44}$$

and

$$u_2 = -[k_1(\beta - 2e_{\beta}) - 1]e_2 - 2x_1 - y_3 - x_3 - k_3 w_2$$
 (45)

Then it follows

$$\dot{V}_2 = -k_1 \beta e_3^2 - k_2 e_\beta^2 - k_3 w_2^2, \tag{46}$$

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which is a negative definite function on  $R^3$  since  $k_1$ ,  $k_2$ ,  $k_3 > 0$ .

Thus  $\dot{V}_2$  is negative definite function and hence the system (41) is globally asymptotically stable.

Function  $\alpha_2(e_3, w_2)$  is an estimative function when  $e_1$  is considered as a controller. The error between  $e_1$  and  $\alpha_2(e_3, w_2)$  is

$$w_3 = e_1 - \alpha_2(e_3, w_2) \tag{47}$$

Considering  $(e_3, w_2, w_3)$  subsystem given by

$$\dot{e}_{3} = \beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1} e_{3} - 2e_{\beta} e_{2}$$

$$\dot{w}_{2} = w_{3} - \beta e_{3} - k_{3} w_{2}$$

$$\dot{w}_{3} = \alpha y_{2} - \alpha x_{2} - \frac{\alpha b \pi}{2a} e_{1} + \beta (\beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1} e_{3} - 2e_{2} e_{\beta}) + u_{1}$$
(48)

Consider the Lyapunov function defined by

$$V_{3}(e_{3}, w_{2}, w_{3}, e_{\beta}) = V_{2}(e_{3}, w_{2}) + \frac{1}{2}w_{3}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}e_{\alpha}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}e_{\alpha}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}e_{b}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}e_{c}^{2}$$

$$(49)$$

Let us define the parameter estimation error as

$$e_{\alpha} = \alpha - \hat{\alpha}$$
;  $e_{\alpha} = a - \hat{a}$ ;  $e_{b} = b - \hat{b}$ ;  $e_{\alpha} = c - \hat{c}$ 

Differentiating equation (49) along the trajectories (48) and using (50)

$$\dot{e}_{\alpha} = -\dot{\hat{\alpha}} \; ; \; \dot{e}_{a} = -\dot{\hat{a}} \; ; \; \dot{e}_{b} = -\dot{\hat{b}} \; ; \dot{e}_{c} = -\dot{\hat{c}}$$
 (50)

We find  $\dot{V}_3(e_3, w_2, w_3, e_\alpha, e_a, e_b, e_c)$  is as following

$$\dot{V}_{3}(e_{3}, w_{2}, w_{3}, e_{\beta}) = -\beta k_{1}e_{3}^{2} - k_{2}e_{\beta}^{2} - k_{3}w_{2}^{2} + w_{3}[w_{2} + \alpha y_{2} - \alpha x_{2} + \frac{\pi \alpha b}{2a}e_{1} + \beta(\beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1}e_{3} - 2e_{2}e_{\beta}) + u_{1}] + e_{\alpha}(-\dot{\hat{\alpha}}) + e_{a}(-\dot{\hat{\alpha}}) + e_{b}(-\dot{\hat{b}}) + e_{c}(-\dot{\hat{c}})$$
(51)

We choose

$$u_{1} = -w_{2} + 2\alpha x_{2} - \hat{\alpha}e_{2} + \frac{\alpha \hat{b}\pi}{2a}e_{1} - \beta(\beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1}e_{3} - 2e_{2}e_{\beta})$$

$$+ e_{a} + e_{b} + e_{c} - k_{4}w_{3}$$
(52)

In equation (51), the parameter updated by the update law

$$\hat{\alpha} = w_3 e_2 + k_5 e_{\alpha}; \ \hat{a} = w_3 + k_6 e_a; \ \hat{b} = \frac{\alpha \pi}{2a} e_1 w_3 + k_7 e_b; \ \hat{c} = w_3 + k_8 e_c$$
 (53)

Substituting equation (52) and (53) into equation (51), then we have

$$\dot{V}_{3}(e_{1}, w_{2}, w_{3}, e_{\beta}) = -k_{1}e_{3}^{2} - k_{2}e_{\beta}^{2} - k_{3}w_{2}^{2} - k_{4}w_{3}^{2} - k_{5}e_{\alpha}^{2} - k_{6}e_{a}^{2} - k_{7}e_{b}^{2} - k_{8}e_{c}^{2}$$

$$(54)$$

Which is a negative definite function on  $R^3$  since  $k_1$ ,  $k_2$ ,  $k_3$ ,  $k_4$ ,  $k_5$ ,  $k_6$ ,  $k_7$ ,  $k_8 > 0$ . and hence the system (48) is globally asymptotically stable.

Thus by a Lyapunov stability theory (Hahn (1967)), the error dynamics (31) is globally asymptotically hybrid synchronized.

**Theorem 2.** The *n*-scroll chaotic Chua circuit (26) and (28) are globally asymptotically hybrid synchronized for any initial conditions with the recursive controller  $u_1, u_2, u_3$  defined by

$$u_{1} = -w_{2} + 2\alpha x_{2} - \hat{\alpha}e_{2} + \frac{\alpha \hat{b}\pi}{2a}e_{1} - \beta(\beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1}e_{3} - 2e_{2}e_{\beta})$$

$$+ e_{a} + e_{b} + e_{c} - k_{4}w_{3}$$

$$u_{2} = -[k_{1}(\beta - 2e_{\beta}) - 1]e_{2} - 2x_{1} - y_{3} - x_{3} - k_{3}w_{2}$$

$$u_{3} = -2\beta x_{2} + 2\hat{\beta}e_{2}$$

and the parameter updated by the update law

$$\hat{a} = w_3 e_2 + k_5 e_{\alpha}; \quad \hat{\beta} = -2e_2 e_3 + k_2 e_{\beta} 
\hat{a} = w_3 + k_6 e_a; \quad \hat{b} = \frac{\alpha \pi}{2a} e_1 w_3 + k_7 e_b; \quad \hat{c} = w_3 + k_8 e_c$$

b) When 
$$-2ac \le [f(y_1) - f(x_1)] \le 2ac$$

The objective is to find the control law and adaptive update law, so the that the system (31) is asymptotically stabilized at the origin and estimates the unknown parameters  $\alpha, \beta, a, b, c$ . We introduce the back stepping procedure to design the controller  $u_1, u_2, u_3$ , where  $u_1, u_2, u_3$  are recursive control feedback, as long as these recursive feedback stabilize system (31) converge to zero as the time  $t \to \infty$ .

First we consider the stability of the system

$$\dot{e}_3 = -\beta y_2 + \beta x_2 + u_3 \tag{55}$$

where  $e_2$  is regarded as virtual controller.

Consider the Lyapunov function defined by

$$V_1(e_1, e_\beta) = \frac{1}{2}e_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}e_\beta^2 \tag{56}$$

Let us define the parameter estimation error as

$$e_{\beta} = \beta - \hat{\beta} \tag{57}$$

Differentiating equation (56) along the trajectories (55) and using (58)

$$\dot{e}_{\beta} = -\dot{\hat{\beta}} \tag{58}$$

The derivative of  $\dot{V}_1(e_3, e_\beta)$  is

$$\dot{V}_1 = e_3(-\beta y_2 + \beta x_2 + u_3) + e_{\beta}(-\hat{\beta})$$
 (59)

Assume the controller  $e_2 = \alpha_1(e_3)$ .

If we choose

$$\alpha_1(e_3) = -k_1 e_3 \tag{60}$$

and

$$u_3 = -2\beta x_2 + 2\hat{\beta}e_2 \tag{61}$$

In equation (59), the parameters are updated by the update law

$$\dot{\hat{\beta}} = -2e_2e_3 + k_2e_\beta \tag{62}$$

Substituting equation (60), (61) and (62) into equation (59), then we have

$$\dot{V}_1 = -k_1 \beta e_3^2 - k_2 e_\beta^2 \tag{63}$$

Which is a negative definite function, since  $k_1$ ,  $k_2$ ,  $k_3 > 0$ .

Hence the system (55) is globally asymptotically stable.

Function  $\alpha_1(e_3)$  is an estimative function when  $e_2$  is considered as a controller.

The error between  $e_2$  and  $\alpha_1(e_3)$  is

$$w_2 = e_2 - \alpha_1(e_3) \tag{64}$$

Consider  $(e_1, w_2)$  subsystem given by

$$\dot{e}_3 = \beta w_2 - \beta k_1 e_3 - 2e_\beta e_2$$

$$\dot{w}_2 = e_1 + [k_1(\beta - 2e_\beta) - 1]e_2 + 2x_1 + y_3 + x_3 + u_2$$
(65)

Let  $e_1$  be a virtual controller in system (65).

Assume that when  $e_1 = \alpha_2(e_3, w_2)$ , the system (65) is made globally asymptotically stable.

Let us define the Lyapunov function as

$$V_2(e_3, w_2) = V_1(e_3) + \frac{1}{2}w_2^2$$
 (66)

The derivative of  $V_2(e_3, w_2)$  is

$$\dot{V}_2 = -k_1 \beta e_3^2 - k_2 e_\beta^2 + w_2 (e_1 + [k_1 (\beta - 2e_\beta) - 1]e_2 + 2x_1 + y_3 + x_3 + u_2)$$
(67)

We choose

$$\alpha_2(e_3, w_2) = -\beta e_3 \tag{68}$$

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and

$$u_2 = -[k_1(\beta - 2e_{\beta}) - 1]e_2 - 2x_1 - y_3 - x_3 - k_3 w_2$$
 (69)

Then it follows that

$$\dot{V}_2 = -k_1 \beta e_3^2 - k_2 e_\beta^2 - k_3 w_2^2. \tag{70}$$

Thus  $\dot{V_2}$  is a negative definite function, since  $k_1$ ,  $k_2$ ,  $k_3 > 0$ , and hence (65) is globally asymptotically stable.

Function  $\alpha_2(e_3, w_2)$  is an estimative function when  $e_1$  is considered as a controller.

The error between  $e_1$  and  $\alpha_2(e_3, w_2)$  is

$$w_3 = e_1 - \alpha_2(e_3, w_2) \tag{71}$$

Consider  $(e_3, w_2, w_3)$  subsystem given by

$$\dot{e}_{3} = \beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1} e_{3} - 2e_{\beta} e_{2}$$

$$\dot{w}_{2} = w_{3} - \beta e_{3} - k_{3} w_{2}$$

$$\dot{w}_{3} = \alpha y_{2} - \alpha x_{2} + \alpha b \sin(\frac{\pi y_{1}}{2a} + d)$$

$$- \alpha b \sin(\frac{\pi x_{1}}{2a} + d) + \beta (\beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1} e_{3} - 2e_{2} e_{\beta}) + u_{1}$$
(72)

Consider the Lyapunov function defined by

$$V_3(e_3, w_2, w_3, e_\beta) = V_2(e_3, w_2) + \frac{1}{2}w_3^2 + \frac{1}{2}e_\alpha^2 + \frac{1}{2}e_a^2 + \frac{1}{2}e_b^2 + \frac{1}{2}e_c^2$$
(73)

Let us define the parameter estimation error as

$$e_{\alpha} = \alpha - \hat{\alpha}; \ e_{\alpha} = a - \hat{a}; \ e_{b} = b - \hat{b}; \ e_{c} = c - \hat{c}$$
 (74)

Differentiating equation (73) along the trajectories (72) and using (75),

$$\dot{e}_{\alpha} = -\dot{\hat{\alpha}} \; ; \; \dot{e}_{a} = -\dot{\hat{a}} \; ; \; \dot{e}_{b} = -\dot{\hat{b}} \; ; \dot{e}_{c} = -\dot{\hat{c}}$$
 (75)

The derivative of  $\dot{V}_3(e_3, w_2, w_3, e_{\alpha}, e_a, e_b, e_c)$  is

$$\dot{V}_{3}(e_{3}, w_{2}, w_{3}, e_{\beta}) = -\beta k_{1}e_{3}^{2} - k_{2}e_{\beta}^{2} - k_{3}w_{2}^{2} + w_{3}[w_{2} + \alpha y_{2} - \alpha x_{2} 
+ \alpha b \sin(\frac{\pi y_{1}}{2a} + d) - \alpha b \sin(\frac{\pi x_{1}}{2a} + d) 
+ \beta(\beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1}e_{3} - 2e_{2}e_{\beta}) + u_{1}] 
+ e_{\alpha}(-\dot{\hat{\alpha}}) + e_{\alpha}(-\dot{\hat{\alpha}}) + e_{b}(-\dot{\hat{b}}) + e_{c}(-\dot{\hat{c}})$$
(76)

We choose

$$u_{1} = -w_{2} + 2\alpha x_{2} - \hat{\alpha}e_{2} + \frac{\alpha \hat{b}\pi}{2a}e_{1}$$

$$-\alpha b \sin(\frac{\pi y_{1}}{2a} + d) + \alpha b \sin(\frac{\pi x_{1}}{2a} + d)$$

$$-\beta(\beta w_{2} - \beta k_{1}e_{3} - 2e_{2}e_{\beta}) + e_{a} + e_{b} + e_{c} - k_{4}w_{3}$$
(77)

In equation (49), the parameter updated by the update law

$$\hat{\alpha} = w_3 e_2 + k_5 e_{\alpha}; \quad \hat{a} = w_3 + k_6 e_a, 
\hat{b} = w_3 + k_7 e_b; \quad \hat{c} = w_3 + k_8 e_c.$$
(78)

Substituting equation (77) and (78) into equation (76), then we have

$$\dot{V}_{3}(e_{1}, w_{2}, w_{3}, e_{\beta}) = -k_{1}e_{1}^{2} - k_{2}e_{\alpha}^{2} - k_{3}e_{a}^{2} - k_{4}e_{b}^{2} - k_{5}e_{c}^{2} - k_{6}w_{2}^{2} - k_{7}w_{3}^{2} - k_{8}e_{\beta}^{2}.$$

$$(79)$$

Thus  $\dot{V}_3$  is a negative definite function, since  $k_1$ ,  $k_2$ ,  $k_3$ ,  $k_4$ ,  $k_5$ ,  $k_6$ ,  $k_7$ ,  $k_8 > 0$ , and hence the system (72) is globally asymptotically stable.

Thus by a Lyapunov stability theory (Hahn (1967)), the error dynamics (31) is globally asymptotically hybrid synchronized.

**Theorem 3.** The *n*-scroll chaotic Chua circuit (26) and (28) are globally asymptotically hybrid synchronized for any initial conditions with the recursive controller  $u_1, u_2, u_3$  defined by

$$\begin{split} u_1 &= -w_2 + 2\alpha x_2 - \hat{\alpha} e_2 + \frac{\alpha \hat{b} \pi}{2a} e_1 \\ &- \alpha b \sin(\frac{\pi y_1}{2a} + d) + \alpha b \sin(\frac{\pi x_1}{2a} + d) \\ &- \beta (\beta w_2 - \beta k_1 e_3 - 2e_2 e_\beta) + e_a + e_b + e_c - k_4 w_3 \\ u_2 &= -[k_1 (\beta - 2e_\beta) - 1]e_2 - 2x_1 - y_3 - x_3 - k_3 w_2 \\ u_3 &= -2\beta x_2 + 2\hat{\beta} e_2 \end{split}$$

and the parameter updated by the update law

$$\hat{\alpha} = w_3 e_2 + k_5 e_{\alpha}; \quad \hat{\beta} = -2e_2 e_3 + k_2 e_{\beta} 
\hat{a} = w_3 + k_6 e_{\alpha}; \quad \hat{b} = w_3 + k_7 e_{b}; \quad \hat{c} = w_3 + k_8 e_{c}.$$

#### 5. NUMERICAL SIMULATION

For the numerical simulations, the fourth order Runge-Kutta method is used to solve the system of differential equations (26) and (28) with the feedback controls  $u_1, u_2, u_3$ .

The parameters (Wallace *et al* (2001), Suyken *et al* (1997)) of the systems (26) and (28) are taken in the case of chaotic case as

$$\alpha = 10.814$$
,  $\beta = 14.0$ ,  $\alpha = 1.3$ ,  $b = 0.11$ ,  $c = 3$ ,  $d = 0$ 

The initial values of the master system (26) are chosen as

$$x_1(0) = 0.125, x_2(0) = 0.625, x_3(0) = 0.941$$

The initial values of the slave system (28) are chosen as

$$y_1(0) = 0.321 \ y_2(0) = 0.487, y_3(0) = 0.965$$

The initial values of the estimated parameters are

$$\hat{\alpha}(0) = 2 \ \hat{\beta}(0) = 0.3, \hat{a}(0) = 6, \hat{b}(0) = 8, \hat{c} = 10$$

We take the parameters  $k_1 = k_2 = k_3 = k_4 = k_5 = k_6 = k_7 = k_8 = 2$ .

Figure 2 (a), (b) and (c) depict the hybrid synchronization of identical n-scroll Chua's circuit (26) and (28).

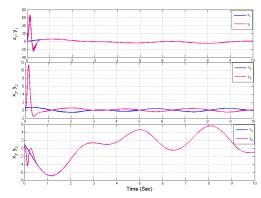


Figure 2(a): Hybrid Synchronization of *n*-scroll chaotic attractor

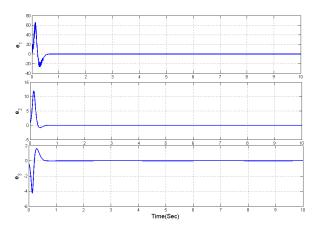


Figure 2(b): Error plot for *n*-scroll chaotic attractor

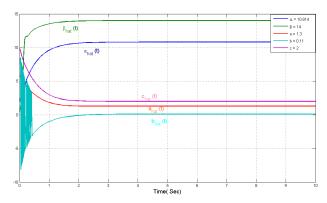


Figure 2(c): Parameter Estimation of *n*- scroll chaotic attractor

#### 6. CONCLUSION

In this paper, adaptive backstepping control method has been applied to estimate the fixed but unknown parameter and achieve hybrid synchronization for a family of *n*-scroll chaotic Chua circuit. The advantage of this method is a recursive procedure for synchronizing chaotic system and there is no derivative in controller. The adaptive backstepping control design has been demonstrated to family of n-scroll chaotic Chua circuit. Numerical simulations have been given to illustrate and validate the effectiveness of the proposed synchronization schemes of the chaotic circuit. The adaptive backstepping control design is very effective and convenient to achieve global chaos hybrid synchronization.

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