



# Some results for a class of two-dimensional fractional hyperbolic differential systems with time delay

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## Abstract

This work deals with the existence and uniqueness of global solution and finite time stability of fractional partial hyperbolic differential systems (FPHDSs). Using the fixed-point approach, the existence and uniqueness of global solution is studied and an estimation of solution is given. Moreover, some sufficient conditions for the finite time stability of FPHDSs are established. Numerical experiments illustrate the Stability result.

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## 1 Introduction

Since twenty years, the area of fractional calculus has gained much attentions by the researchers and numerous works has been published in this context [1–11]. In fact, in [1] a phase dynamics of inline Josephson junction in voltage state is discussed, also, phase difference between the wave functions is analyzed via fractional calculus and a finite element scheme is used for the simulations of governing equations. In addition, authors in [5] have replaced the integer first-order derivative in time with the Caputo fractional derivative in which a numerical approach to chaotic pattern formation in diffusive predator-prey system is investigated. In the frame of novelty study, a new

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approach for the solution of fractional diffusion problems with conformable derivative is elaborated with authors in [8].

Fractional differential equations have recently proved to be valuable tools in the modeling of many phenomena in different domain applications, whether in biology [12–14], diffusion [8], control theory [15–21] or viscoelasticity [22]. In fact, regarding biological application, authors in [12] have modeled a fractional order system for COVID-19 pandemic transmission. In regards control theory, authors in [17] have presented a novel controller of fractional sliding mode type based on nonlinear fractional-order Proportional Integrator (PI) derivative controller. In addition, with systems dealing with time varying delay, a new Finite Time Stability (FTS) analysis of singular fractional differential equations is investigated. Furthermore, regarding fuzzy neural networks, a finite-time stability is studied in the work of [16].

For some basic results in the theory of fractional partial differential equations (FPDEs), the reader is referred to [23–30]. For example, authors in [27] have presented a Lyapunov-type inequality for the Darboux Problem for FPDEs. Furthermore, such inequality is used to study the existence of nontrivial solutions of FPDEs.

In the literature, for the existence and uniqueness of Darboux fractional partial differential equations with time delay, the exist the work of [29]. Compared to the previous cited work, the existence and uniqueness of solutions is given without any the Lipschitz constant. Furthermore, there are many works which treat FTS of time delay fractional order systems when the solution depends on one variable (see [15,16,21,31]), unlike our studied work treats the case when the solution depends of two variables.

Based on the above interpretation, the contribution of this work is summarized as follow:

- The existence and uniqueness of the global solution of Darboux fractional partial differential equations with time delay is proved.
- An estimation of the solutions is given.
- The FTS results of such systems are given and the theoretical contributions are validated by two numerical examples.

The paper is organized as follows. In Sect. 2, Some basic results related to the fractional calculus are given. In Sect. 3, the existence, the uniqueness of the global solutions, the estimation of solutions and the FTS results are investigated. In Sect. 4, we present some numerical examples which illustrate and prove the efficiency of the main results.

## 2 Basic results

**Definition 1** The Riemann Liouville fractional integral of order  $\gamma = (\gamma_1, \gamma_2)$  of  $w$  is defined by:

$$I_{a^+}^\gamma w(\xi, \zeta) = [\Gamma(\gamma_1)\Gamma(\gamma_2)]^{-1} \int_{a_1^+}^\xi \int_{a_2^+}^\zeta (\xi - s)^{\gamma_1-1} (\zeta - t)^{\gamma_2-1} w(s, t) dt ds,$$

where  $a = (a_1, a_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  and  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2$  are strictly positives.

**Definition 2** The Riemann Liouville fractional derivative of order  $\gamma = (\gamma_1, \gamma_2)$  of  $w$  is defined by:

$$D_{a^+}^\gamma w(\xi, \zeta) = D_{\xi, \zeta}^2 I_{a^+}^{1-\gamma} w(\xi, \zeta),$$

$$= [\Gamma(1 - \gamma_1) \Gamma(1 - \gamma_2)]^{-1} D_{\xi, \zeta}^2 \int_{a_1^+}^\xi \int_{a_2^+}^\zeta (\xi - s)^{-\gamma_1} (\zeta - t)^{-\gamma_2} w(s, t) dt ds,$$

where  $a = (a_1, a_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $(\gamma_1, \gamma_2) \in (0, 1)^2$  and  $D_{\xi, \zeta}^2 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi \partial \zeta}$ .

**Definition 3** The Caputo fractional derivative of order  $\gamma = (\gamma_1, \gamma_2)$  of  $w$  is defined by:

$${}^C D_{a^+}^\gamma w(\xi, \zeta) = D_{a^+}^\gamma [w(\xi, \zeta) - w(\xi, a_2) - w(a_1, \zeta) + w(a_1, a_2)],$$

$$= [\Gamma(1 - \gamma_1) \Gamma(1 - \gamma_2)]^{-1} D_{\xi, \zeta}^2 \int_{a_1^+}^\xi \int_{a_2^+}^\zeta (\xi - s)^{-\gamma_1} (\zeta - t)^{-\gamma_2}$$

$$\times [w(s, t) - w(s, a_2) - w(a_1, t) + w(a_1, a_2)] dt ds,$$

where  $a = (a_1, a_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $(\gamma_1, \gamma_2) \in (0, 1)^2$  and  $D_{\xi, \zeta}^2 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \xi \partial \zeta}$ .

**Definition 4** The Mittag-Leffler function is defined by:

$$E_\xi(\rho) = \sum_{m=0}^\infty \frac{\rho^m}{\Gamma(m\xi + 1)},$$

where  $\xi > 0, \rho \in \mathbb{C}$ .

**Remark 1** Let  $\varepsilon$  be a nonzero real. The function  $v(s) = E_\tau(\varepsilon(s - p)^\tau)$  satisfies:

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma(\tau)} \int_p^s (s - t)^{\tau-1} v(t) dt = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} [v(s) - 1],$$

where  $s, p \in \mathbb{R}, p \leq s$ .

**Definition 5** A mapping  $\varpi : \Upsilon \times \Upsilon \rightarrow [0, \infty]$  is called a generalized metric on a nonempty set  $\Upsilon$ , if:

- (i)  $\varpi(\gamma_1, \gamma_2) = 0$  if and only if  $\gamma_1 = \gamma_2$ ,
- (ii)  $\varpi(\gamma_1, \gamma_2) = \varpi(\gamma_2, \gamma_1), \forall \gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in \Upsilon$ ,
- (iii)  $\varpi(\gamma_1, \gamma_3) \leq \varpi(\gamma_1, \gamma_2) + \varpi(\gamma_2, \gamma_3), \forall \gamma_1, \gamma_2, \gamma_3 \in \Upsilon$ .

The following theorem describes a main result of the fixed point theory.

**Theorem 1 [32]** Suppose that  $(\Upsilon, \varpi)$  is a generalized complete metric space. Let  $\Psi : \Upsilon \rightarrow \Upsilon$  is a strictly contractive operator with  $C < 1$ . If one can find a nonnegative integer  $j_0$  such that  $\varpi(\Psi^{j_0+1}y_0, \Psi^{j_0}y_0) < \infty$  for some  $y_0 \in \Upsilon$ , then:

- (i)  $\Psi^n y_0$  converges to a fixed point  $y_1$  of  $\Psi$ ,
- (ii)  $y_1$  is the unique fixed point of  $\Psi$  in  $\Upsilon^* := \{y_2 \in \Upsilon : \varpi(\Psi^{j_0}y_0, y_2) < \infty\}$ ,
- (iii) If  $y_2 \in \Upsilon^*$ , then  $\varpi(y_2, y_1) \leq \frac{1}{1-C} \varpi(\Psi y_2, y_2)$ .

### 3 Main results

Throughout the paper, we use the following notations:

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma^{np} &= \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^p, & I &= [0, T_1] \times [0, T_2], \\ \mathbf{t} &= (t, s) \in \mathbb{R}_+^2, & \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{t}) &= (\tau_1(t), \tau_2(s)), \\ \mathbf{r} &= (u, v) \in \mathbb{R}_+^2, & \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{r}) &= (\tau_1(u), \tau_2(v)), \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  are two functions which will be specified later.

We consider the fractional-order system, with the variable  $\mathbf{t}$ , as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} {}^C D_0^\alpha x(\mathbf{t}) &= Ax(\mathbf{t}) + Bx(\mathbf{t} - \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{t})) + Cd(\mathbf{t}) \\ &+ F(\mathbf{t}, x(\mathbf{t}), x(\mathbf{t} - \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{t})), d(\mathbf{t})), \quad \text{for all } \mathbf{t} \in I, \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

with the initial condition:

$$x(\mathbf{t}) = \Phi(\mathbf{t}), \quad \text{for all } \mathbf{t} \in \tilde{J},$$

where  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2), 0 < \alpha_1, \alpha_2 < 1$ . The function  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$  is continuous on  $I$  and  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  are positives. The matrices  $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}, C \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$  and the function  $\Phi \in C(\tilde{J}, \mathbb{R}^n)$ . Here, the domain  $\tilde{J}$  is defined by:

$$\tilde{J} = J \setminus (0, T_1] \times (0, T_2] \quad \text{and} \quad J = [-r_1, T_1] \times [-r_2, T_2]$$

where the constants  $r_1, r_2$  are given by:

$$r_1 = \sup_{t \in [0, T_1]} (\tau_1(t)) \quad \text{and} \quad r_2 = \sup_{t \in [0, T_2]} (\tau_2(t)).$$

The source term  $F \in C(\mathbb{R}_+^2 \times \Sigma^{np}, \mathbb{R}^n)$ , (in Eq. (1)), is continuous and satisfies:

$$\|F(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{u}) - F(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{v})\| \leq \kappa(\mathbf{t}) \sum_{i=1}^3 \|u_i - v_i\| \quad \text{and} \quad F(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{0}) = 0, \tag{2}$$

for all  $\mathbf{t} \in \mathbb{R}_+^2$  and for all  $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, u_2, u_3), \mathbf{v} = (v_1, v_2, v_3) \in \Sigma^{np}$ , where  $\kappa$  is a continuous function on  $\mathbb{R}_+^2$ .  $\|\cdot\|$  is the Euclidean norm.

The function  $d \in \mathbb{R}^p$  is the disturbance. We suppose that the function  $d \in C(\mathbb{R}_+^2, \mathbb{R}^p)$  is continuous and satisfies:

$$\exists \rho > 0 : \quad d^T(\mathbf{t})d(\mathbf{t}) \leq \rho^2. \tag{3}$$

Let us introduce the following constants  $a_0, a_1, a_2$  which are defined by:

$$a_0 = \|A\| + \max_{\mathbf{t} \in I} (\kappa(\mathbf{t})), \quad a_1 = \|B\| + \max_{\mathbf{t} \in I} (\kappa(\mathbf{t})), \quad a_2 = \|C\| + \max_{\mathbf{t} \in I} (\kappa(\mathbf{t})),$$

where the function  $\kappa$  is given in relation (2).

**Definition 6** The system (1) is robustly FTS with respect to  $\{\varepsilon, \sigma, \rho, T_1, T_2\}$ ,  $\varepsilon < \sigma$ , if the following relation is satisfied:

$$\|\Phi\| \leq \varepsilon \implies \|x(\mathbf{t})\| \leq \sigma, \forall \mathbf{t} \in I,$$

for all disturbance  $d \in \mathbb{R}^p$  satisfying (3).

Recall that the solution of the system (1) is defined on the extended domain  $J = \tilde{J} \cup I$  as follows:

$$x(\mathbf{t}) = \begin{cases} \Phi(\mathbf{t}), & \text{for all } \mathbf{t} \in \tilde{J}, \\ \theta(t, s) + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \pi_x(\mathbf{r}) \, dvdu, \forall (t, s) \in I, \end{cases} \tag{4}$$

where the functions  $\pi_x, \theta$  are defined by:

$$\theta(t, s) = \Phi(t, 0) + \Phi(0, s) - \Phi(0, 0), \tag{5}$$

$$\pi_x(\mathbf{r}) = A x(\mathbf{r}) + B x(\mathbf{r} - \tau(\mathbf{r})) + C d(\mathbf{r}) + F(\mathbf{r}, x(\mathbf{r}), x(\mathbf{r} - \tau(\mathbf{r})), d(\mathbf{r})). \tag{6}$$

The first main result is given by the following theorem.

**Theorem 2** Let  $\eta_1, \eta_2 > 0$  such that  $1 - \frac{a_0+a_1}{\eta_1\eta_2} > 0$ . Assume that hypothesis (2) is satisfied. Then, Eq. (1) has a unique solution  $y_0$  on  $I$ . In addition, the following inequality holds:

$$\|y_0(\mathbf{t})\| \leq 3 \left[ 1 + (a_0 + a_1) M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 T_1^{\alpha_1}) E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 T_2^{\alpha_2}) \right] \|\Phi\| + a_2 M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 T_1^{\alpha_1}) E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 T_2^{\alpha_2}) \|d\|, \tag{7}$$

where  $M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2)$  is given by:

$$M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) = \frac{T_1^{\alpha_1} T_2^{\alpha_2}}{\left[ 1 - \frac{a_0+a_1}{\eta_1\eta_2} \right] \Gamma(\alpha_1 + 1) \Gamma(\alpha_2 + 1)}. \tag{8}$$

The proof of Theorem 2 will be established later.

Let us consider the complete metric space  $(E, \delta)$  that is defined as follows:

$$E = C(J, \mathbb{R}^n) \text{ and } \delta(\zeta_1, \zeta_2) = \inf \left\{ M > 0, \frac{\|\zeta_1(\mathbf{t}) - \zeta_2(\mathbf{t})\|}{h(\mathbf{t})} \leq M, \forall \mathbf{t} \in J \right\},$$

where the function  $h \in C(J, \mathbb{R}_+)$  and is defined by:

$$h(\mathbf{t}) = \begin{cases} E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 t^{\alpha_1})E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 s^{\alpha_2}), & \text{for } \mathbf{t} = (t, s) \in I, \\ 1, & \text{for } \mathbf{t} \in [-r_1, 0] \times [-r_2, 0], \\ E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 s^{\alpha_2}), & \text{for } \mathbf{t} \in [-r_1, 0] \times [0, T_2], \\ E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 t^{\alpha_1}), & \text{for } \mathbf{t} \in [0, T_1] \times [-r_2, 0]. \end{cases} \tag{9}$$

Let  $\Phi \in C(\tilde{J}, \mathbb{R}^n)$ . We consider the operator  $\mathcal{A} : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$  defined by:

$$(\mathcal{A}y)(\mathbf{t}) = \begin{cases} \Phi(\mathbf{t}), & \text{for all } \mathbf{t} \in \tilde{J}, \\ \Phi(t, 0) + \Phi(0, s) - \Phi(0, 0) \\ \quad + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1}(s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \pi_y(\mathbf{r}) \, dvdu, & \forall (t, s) \in I, \end{cases} \tag{10}$$

where the function  $\pi_y$  is given by:

$$\pi_y(\mathbf{r}) = Ay(\mathbf{r}) + By(\mathbf{r} - \tau(\mathbf{r})) + Cd(\mathbf{r}) + F(\mathbf{r}, y(\mathbf{r}), y(\mathbf{r} - \tau(\mathbf{r})), d(\mathbf{r})).$$

Immediately, we have the following proposition.

**Proposition 1** *The operator  $\mathcal{A} : E \rightarrow E$  is contractive.*

**Proof** Recall that  $\mathbf{r} = (u, v) \in \mathbb{R}_+^2$ . Let  $y_1, y_2 \in E$ , we can deduce, from system (10), that:

$$(\mathcal{A}y_1)(\mathbf{t}) - (\mathcal{A}y_2)(\mathbf{t}) = 0, \quad \forall \mathbf{t} \in \tilde{J}.$$

On the other hand, for  $\mathbf{t} = (t, s) \in I$  we have:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\mathcal{A}y_1)(\mathbf{t}) - (\mathcal{A}y_2)(\mathbf{t})\| \\ &= \left\| \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1}(s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \left[ A(y_1(\mathbf{r}) - y_2(\mathbf{r})) \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. + B(y_1(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{r})) - y_2(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{r}))) + \left( F(\mathbf{r}, y_1(\mathbf{r}), y_1(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{r})), d(\mathbf{r})) \right. \right. \right. \\ & \quad \left. \left. \left. - F(\mathbf{r}, y_2(\mathbf{r}), y_2(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{r})), d(\mathbf{r})) \right) \right] dvdu \right\|. \end{aligned}$$

Now, by using relation (2), we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\mathcal{A}y_1)(\mathbf{t}) - (\mathcal{A}y_2)(\mathbf{t})\| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1}(s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \left[ (\kappa(\mathbf{r}) + \|A\|) \|y_1(\mathbf{r}) - y_2(\mathbf{r})\| \right. \\ & \quad \left. + (\kappa(\mathbf{r}) + \|B\|) \|y_1(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{r})) - y_2(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\theta}(\mathbf{r}))\| \right] dvdu. \end{aligned}$$

From the definition of the constants  $a_0, a_1, a_2$ , we deduce that:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\mathcal{A}y_1)(\mathbf{t}) - (\mathcal{A}y_2)(\mathbf{t})\| \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \\ & \times \left\{ a_0 \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \|y_1(\mathbf{r}) - y_2(\mathbf{r})\| \, dvdu \right. \\ & \left. + a_1 \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \|y_1(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\vartheta}(\mathbf{r})) - y_2(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\vartheta}(\mathbf{r}))\| \, dvdu \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Or, equivalently:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\mathcal{A}y_1)(\mathbf{t}) - (\mathcal{A}y_2)(\mathbf{t})\| \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \\ & \times \left\{ a_0 \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \frac{\|y_1(\mathbf{r}) - y_2(\mathbf{r})\|}{h(\mathbf{r})} h(\mathbf{r}) \, dvdu \right. \\ & \left. + a_1 \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \frac{\|y_1(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\vartheta}(\mathbf{r})) - y_2(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\vartheta}(\mathbf{r}))\|}{h(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\vartheta}(\mathbf{r}))} h(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\vartheta}(\mathbf{r})) \, dvdu \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Finally, from the definition of the metric space  $E$ , we get:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\mathcal{A}y_1)(\mathbf{t}) - (\mathcal{A}y_2)(\mathbf{t})\| \\ & \leq a_0 \delta(y_1, y_2) \int_0^t \int_0^s \frac{(t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1}}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} h(\mathbf{r}) \, dvdu \\ & + a_1 \delta(y_1, y_2) \int_0^t \int_0^s \frac{(t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1}}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} h(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\vartheta}(\mathbf{r})) \, dvdu. \end{aligned} \tag{11}$$

Let us mention that we have:

$$h(\mathbf{r} - \boldsymbol{\vartheta}(\mathbf{r})) \leq h(\mathbf{r}), \quad \text{for all } \mathbf{r} \in I. \tag{12}$$

Then, we can deduce from relations (11) and (12) that:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\mathcal{A}y_1)(\mathbf{t}) - (\mathcal{A}y_2)(\mathbf{t})\| \\ & \leq (a_0 + a_1) \delta(y_1, y_2) \int_0^t \int_0^s \frac{(t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1}}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} h(\mathbf{r}) \, dvdu. \end{aligned}$$

Using Remark 1, we get:

$$\|(\mathcal{A}y_1)(\mathbf{t}) - (\mathcal{A}y_2)(\mathbf{t})\| \leq \frac{a_0 + a_1}{\eta_1 \eta_2} \delta(y_1, y_2) h(\mathbf{t}).$$

Thus,

$$\delta(\mathcal{A}y_1, \mathcal{A}y_2) \leq \frac{a_0 + a_1}{\eta_1 \eta_2} \delta(y_1, y_2).$$

Therefore,  $\mathcal{A}$  is contractive. The proof is complete. □

In the following, we establish the proof of Theorem 2.

**Proof** (Theorem 2). Let  $\Phi \in C(\tilde{J}, \mathbb{R}^n)$ , with  $\|\Phi\| \leq \varepsilon_1$ . We consider a function  $\mu$  defined as follows:

$$\mu(\mathbf{t}) = \begin{cases} \Phi(\mathbf{t}), & \forall \mathbf{t} \in \tilde{J}, \\ \Phi(t, 0) + \Phi(0, s) - \Phi(0, 0), & \forall (t, s) \in I. \end{cases} \tag{13}$$

It's easy to see that we have the following estimation:

$$\|\mu(\mathbf{t})\| \leq 3\|\Phi\|, \quad \forall \mathbf{t} \in J. \tag{14}$$

From the definition of the operator  $\mathcal{A}$ , see (10), and the definition of the function  $\mu$ , see (13), we get:

$$(\mathcal{A}\mu)(\mathbf{t}) - \mu(\mathbf{t}) = 0, \quad \forall \mathbf{t} \in \tilde{J}.$$

For all  $\mathbf{t} = (t, s) \in I$ , we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} & \|(\mathcal{A}\mu)(\mathbf{t}) - \mu(\mathbf{t})\| \\ &= \left\| \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \pi_\mu(\mathbf{r}) \, dvdu \right\|, \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^t \int_0^s (t-u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s-v)^{\alpha_2-1} \left[ 3(a_0 + a_1)\|\Phi\| + a_2\|d\| \right] \, dvdu, \\ &\leq \left( \frac{3(a_0 + a_1)\|\Phi\| + a_2\|d\|}{\Gamma(\alpha_1 + 1)\Gamma(\alpha_2 + 1)} \right) t^{\alpha_1} s^{\alpha_2}, \end{aligned}$$

where the function  $\pi_\mu$  is given as in Eq. (6). Then, we deduce that:

$$\frac{\|(\mathcal{A}\mu)(\mathbf{t}) - \mu(\mathbf{t})\|}{h(\mathbf{t})} \leq \left( \frac{3(a_0 + a_1)\|\Phi\| + a_2\|d\|}{\Gamma(\alpha_1 + 1)\Gamma(\alpha_2 + 1)} \right) T_1^{\alpha_1} T_2^{\alpha_2}.$$

Hence, we deduce that:

$$\delta(\mathcal{A}\mu, \mu) \leq \left( \frac{3(a_0 + a_1)\|\Phi\| + a_2\|d\|}{\Gamma(\alpha_1 + 1)\Gamma(\alpha_2 + 1)} \right) T_1^{\alpha_1} T_2^{\alpha_2}.$$

By using Theorem 1 and Proposition 1, there exists a unique solution  $y_0$  to the problem (1) such that:

$$y_0(\mathbf{t}) = \Phi(\mathbf{t}), \quad \forall \mathbf{t} \in I,$$



and we have the following estimation:

$$\delta(y_0, \mu) \leq \frac{1}{1 - \frac{a_0+a_1}{\eta_1\eta_2}} \left( \frac{3(a_0 + a_1)\|\Phi\| + a_2\|d\|}{\Gamma(\alpha_1 + 1)\Gamma(\alpha_2 + 1)} \right) T_1^{\alpha_1} T_2^{\alpha_2},$$

or, equivalently

$$\delta(y_0, \mu) \leq \left( 3(a_0 + a_1)\|\Phi\| + a_2\|d\| \right) M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2),$$

where  $M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2)$  is given by Eq. (8). So, for all  $\mathbf{t} \in I$  we have

$$\|y_0(\mathbf{t}) - \mu(\mathbf{t})\| \leq \left( 3(a_0 + a_1)\|\Phi\| + a_2\|d\| \right) M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 T_1^{\alpha_1}) E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 T_2^{\alpha_2}). \tag{15}$$

It's well known that:

$$\|y_0(\mathbf{t})\| \leq \|\mu(\mathbf{t})\| + \|y_0(\mathbf{t}) - \mu(\mathbf{t})\|, \quad \mathbf{t} \in I.$$

Consequently, using (14) and (15), we can establish that:

$$\begin{aligned} \|y_0(\mathbf{t})\| &\leq 3\|\Phi\| + \left( 3(a_0 + a_1)\|\Phi\| + a_2\|d\| \right) M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 T_1^{\alpha_1}) E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 T_2^{\alpha_2}), \\ &\leq 3 \left[ 1 + (a_0 + a_1) M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 T_1^{\alpha_1}) E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 T_2^{\alpha_2}) \right] \|\Phi\| \\ &\quad + a_2 M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 T_1^{\alpha_1}) E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 T_2^{\alpha_2}) \|d\|. \end{aligned}$$

The proof is complete. □

The second main result of this paper is given by the following theorem.

**Theorem 3** *If there exists  $\eta_1, \eta_2 > 0$  such that:  $a_0 + a_1 < \eta_1\eta_2$  and the following inequality holds:*

$$\begin{aligned} &3 \left[ 1 + (a_0 + a_1) M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 T_1^{\alpha_1}) E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 T_2^{\alpha_2}) \right] \varepsilon \\ &+ \left[ a_2 M_0(\eta_1, \eta_2) E_{\alpha_1}(\eta_1 T_1^{\alpha_1}) E_{\alpha_2}(\eta_2 T_2^{\alpha_2}) \right] \rho \leq \sigma. \end{aligned} \tag{16}$$

*Then, the system (1) is FTS w.r.t.  $\{\varepsilon, \sigma, \rho, T_1, T_2\}$ .*

**Proof** It follows from (7) and (16) that (1) is FTS. □

### 4 Numerical simulation

Recall that the solution of the system (1) is given by the relation (4) as follows:

$$x(t, s) = \theta(t, s) + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^t \int_0^s (t - u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s - v)^{\alpha_2-1} \pi_x(u, v) \, dvdu, \tag{17}$$

for all  $(t, s) \in [0, T_1] \times [0, T_2]$ , where the functions  $\pi_x, \theta$  are given by relations (5) and (6). In this section, we study the system (1) where  $x, \theta, \pi_x \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , then we suppose that the solution vector  $x$  is of the form:

$$x(t, s) = (x_1(t, s), x_2(t, s))^T.$$

We consider an uniform grid in the extended domain  $[-r_1, T_1] \times [-r_2, T_2]$ . Let  $\lambda = \frac{T_1}{N} = \frac{r_1}{q}$  and  $\beta = \frac{T_2}{M} = \frac{r_2}{p}$ , where  $N, M, p, q \in \mathbb{N}$ . We build two sequences  $(t_i)_i, (s_j)_j$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} t_i &= i\lambda, & \forall i &= -q, -q + 1, -q + 2, \dots, -1, 0, \dots, N, \\ s_j &= j\beta, & \forall j &= -p, -p + 1, -p + 2, \dots, -1, 0, \dots, M. \end{aligned}$$

At the point  $(t_i, s_j)$ , we have:

$$x(t_i, s_j) = \theta(t_i, s_j) + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^{t_i} \int_0^{s_j} (t_i - u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s_j - v)^{\alpha_2-1} \pi_x(u, v) \, dvdu, \tag{18}$$

where  $\theta(t_i, s_j) = \Phi(0, s_j) + \Phi(t_i, 0) - \Phi(0, 0)$ . Now, we consider the following approximations:

$$x(t_i, s_j) \approx x_{ij}, \quad \theta(t_i, s_j) \approx \theta_{ij}, \quad \Phi(0, s_j) \approx \Phi_{0j}, \quad \Phi(t_i, 0) \approx \Phi_{i0}, \quad \Phi(0, 0) \approx \Phi_{00}. \tag{19}$$

Then Eq. (18) becomes:

$$x_{ij} = \theta_{ij} + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \int_0^{t_i} \int_0^{s_j} (t_i - u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s_j - v)^{\alpha_2-1} \pi_x(u, v) \, dvdu. \tag{20}$$

We deduce from (19) and (20) that:

$$x_{0j} = \theta_{0j} = \Phi_{0j} \quad \text{and} \quad x_{i0} = \theta_{i0} = \Phi_{i0}.$$

Equation (20) can be rewritten as follows:

$$x_{ij} = \theta_{ij} + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \sum_{k=0}^{i-1} \sum_{l=0}^{j-1} \int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \int_{s_l}^{s_{l+1}} (t_i - u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s_j - v)^{\alpha_2-1} \pi_x(u, v) \, dvdu.$$

Now, we can use the approximation proposed in [26]:

$$\begin{aligned}
 x_{ij} &= \theta_{ij} + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \sum_{k=0}^{i-1} \sum_{l=0}^{j-1} \int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \int_{s_l}^{s_{l+1}} (t_i - u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s_j - v)^{\alpha_2-1} \pi_x(t_k, s_l) \, dvdu, \\
 &= \theta_{ij} + \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \sum_{k=0}^{i-1} \sum_{l=0}^{j-1} \pi_x^{kl} \int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \int_{s_l}^{s_{l+1}} (t_i - u)^{\alpha_1-1} (s_j - v)^{\alpha_2-1} \, dvdu,
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{21}$$

where we have the approximation  $\pi_x(t_k, s_l) \approx \pi_x^{kl}$  and:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \pi_x(t_k, s_l) &= Ax(t_k, s_l) + Bx(t_k - r_1, s_l - r_2) + Cd(t_k, s_l) \\
 &\quad + F(t_k, s_l, x(t_k, s_l), x(t_k - r_1, s_l - r_2), d(t_k, s_l)),
 \end{aligned}$$

and the term

$$\begin{aligned}
 x(t_k - r_1, s_l - r_2) &= x(k\lambda - q\lambda, l\beta - p\beta) \\
 &= x((k - q)\lambda, (l - p)\beta) = x(t_{k-q}, s_{l-p}) \approx x_{k-q, l-p},
 \end{aligned}$$

so, we deduce that:

$$\pi_x^{kl} = Ax_{kl} + Bx_{k-q, l-p} + Cd_{kl} + F(t_k, s_l, x_{kl}, x_{k-q, l-p}, d_{kl}).$$

By calculating the integral in the right hand side of Eq. (21) and after simplification, we obtain:

$$x_{ij} = \theta_{ij} + \frac{\lambda^{\alpha_1} \beta^{\alpha_2}}{\Gamma(\alpha_1 + 1)\Gamma(\alpha_2 + 1)} \sum_{k=0}^{i-1} \sum_{l=0}^{j-1} b_{ik} c_{lj} \pi_x^{kl},
 \tag{22}$$

where  $b_{ik}, c_{lj}$  are given by:

$$b_{ik} = (i - k - 1)^{\alpha_1} - (i - k)^{\alpha_1}, \quad c_{lj} = (j - l - 1)^{\alpha_2} - (j - l)^{\alpha_2}.$$

The convergence of the method can be deduced from [26]. The error in this method is given by:

$$\|x(t_i, s_j) - x_{ij}\| = O(\lambda^{\alpha_1} + \beta^{\alpha_2}), \quad \text{as } \lambda \mapsto 0, \quad \beta \mapsto 0.$$

### 5 Numerical examples

In the following numerical examples, we prove that the solution of the system (1) satisfies the Definition 6. Indeed, we show that for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $\sigma > 0$  such that:  $\varepsilon < \sigma$ , we have

$$\|\Phi\| \leq \varepsilon \Rightarrow \|x(t, s)\| \leq \sigma, \quad \forall(t, s) \in [0, T_1] \times [0, T_2]. \tag{23}$$

Recall that the system (1) is given as follows:

$${}^C D_0^{(\alpha_1, \alpha_2)} x(t, s) = Ax(t, s) + Bx(t - r_1, s - r_2) + Cd(t, s) + F(t, s, x(t, s), x(t - r_1, s - r_2), d(t, s)), \tag{24}$$

for all  $(t, s) \in [0, T_1] \times [0, T_2]$ , and the initial condition is defined by:

$$x(t, s) = \Phi(t, s), \quad \forall(t, s) \in [-r_1, 0] \times [-r_2, 0],$$

where the solution  $x(t, s) = (x_1(t, s), x_2(t, s))^T$

**Example 1** We have taken the following data:

$$A = 10^{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -3 & -4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = 10^{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 5 & -4 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$C = 10^{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad d(t, s) = 10^{-3} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The source term is in the form:

$$F(t, s, x(t, s), x(t - r_1, s - r_2), d(t, s)) = 0.02 \begin{pmatrix} \sin(x_2(t, s)) \\ \sin(x_1(t - r_1, s - r_2)) \end{pmatrix}.$$

where  $(r_1, r_2) = (0.1, 0.2)$ . The initial condition:

$$\Phi(t, s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.07 \cos(10\pi ts) \\ 0.07 \cos(9\pi ts) \end{pmatrix},$$

for all  $(t, s) \in [-0.1, 0] \times [-0.2, 0]$ . Moreover, we have taken:  $N = 70, M = 60, \eta_1 = \eta_2 = 1, \varepsilon = 0.1, \sigma = 10$  and  $\rho = 0.01$ . In the following, we have plotted the solution for different values of  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$ . Remark that  $\|\Phi\| \approx 0.09899 < \varepsilon$ . Also, the stability relation given in (23) is well satisfied  $\|x(t, s)\| < 10$ . Indeed, the norm of the solution  $x(t, s)$  is given in each figure: Figures 1, 2 and 3. In this case, the fractional-order system (24) is FTS with respect to  $\{\varepsilon, \sigma, \rho, T_1, T_2\}$ .

In the experiment illustrated by Fig. 4, we take the same data as considered in Fig. 1, but with a height perturbation  $d(t, s) = (2, 3)^T, \|d(t, s)\| \approx 3.605$  and  $\|x(t, s)\| = 9.9441$ . It's clear that the stabilization is slower than in Fig. 1 (where  $d(t, s) = 10^{-3}(5, 4)^T, \|d(t, s)\| \approx 0.0064$  and  $\|x(t, s)\| = 6.4160$ ). In fact, it's quite in agreement.

**Example 2** Now, we consider the same fractional-order system given in (24), but we take the following data:

$$A = 10^{-3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = 10^{-3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 0.5 & 3 \end{pmatrix},$$

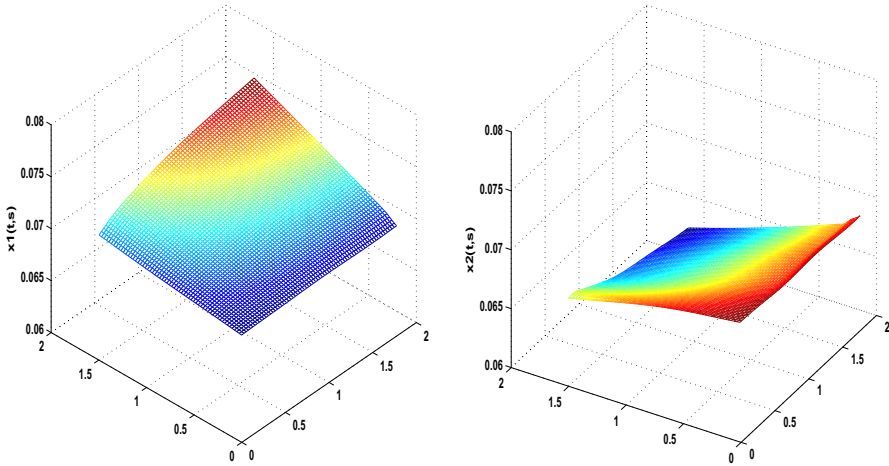


Fig. 1 The numerical solution  $x(t, s)$  for  $(t, s) \in [0, 1.8] \times [0, 1.52]$  and  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) = (0.4, 0.9)$ , with a norm  $\|x(t, s)\| = 6.4160$

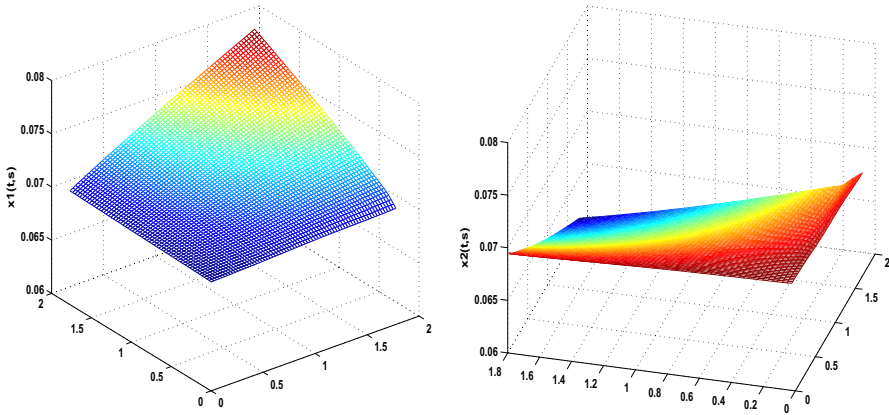


Fig. 2 The numerical solution  $x(t, s)$  for  $(t, s) \in [0, 1.8] \times [0, 1.8]$  and  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) = (0.9, 0.8)$ , with a norm  $\|x(t, s)\| = 6.4178$

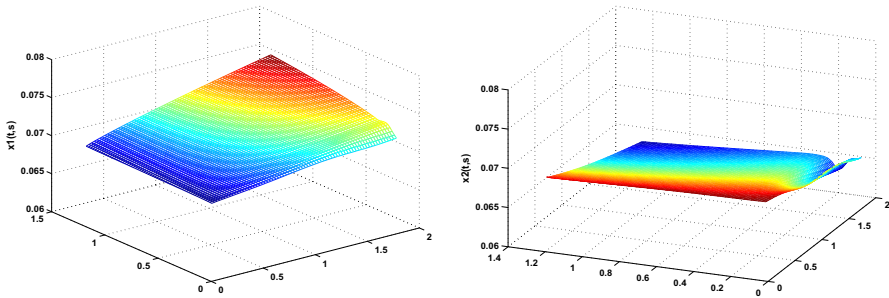
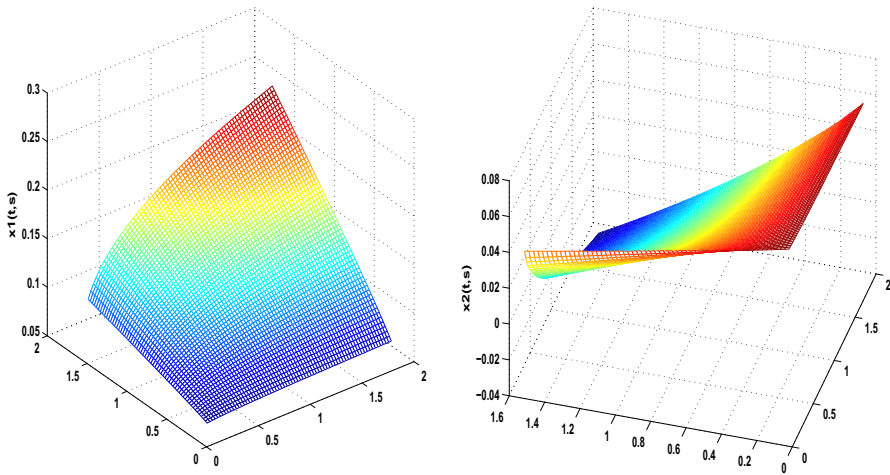


Fig. 3 The numerical solution  $x(t, s)$  for  $(t, s) \in [0, 1.8] \times [0, 1.2]$  and  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) = (0.8, 0.3)$ , with a norm  $\|x(t, s)\| = 6.4190$



**Fig. 4** The numerical solution  $x(t, s)$  for  $(t, s) \in [0, 1.8] \times [0, 1.52]$ ,  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) = (0.4, 0.9)$  and a perturbation  $d(t, s) = (2, 3)^T$ , with a norm  $\|x(t, s)\| = 9.9441$

$$C = 10^{-3} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -1 \\ 2 & 0.5 \end{pmatrix}, d(t, s) = 10^{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0.5 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The source term is in the form:

$$F(t, s, x(t, s), x(t - r_1, s - r_2), d(t, s)) = 10^{-3} \begin{pmatrix} \sin(\pi x_1(t - r_1, s - r_2)) \\ \sin(\pi x_2(t, s)) \end{pmatrix}.$$

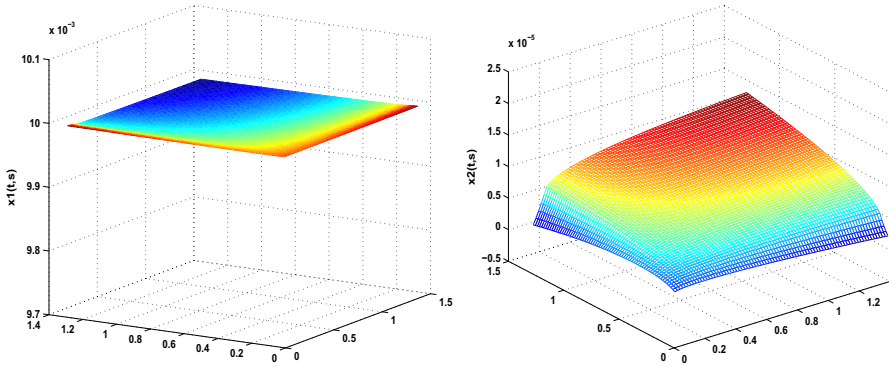
where  $(r_1, r_2) = (0.1, 0.1)$ . The initial condition:

$$\Phi(t, s) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.01 \cos(\pi t s) \\ 0.01 \sin(\pi t s) \end{pmatrix},$$

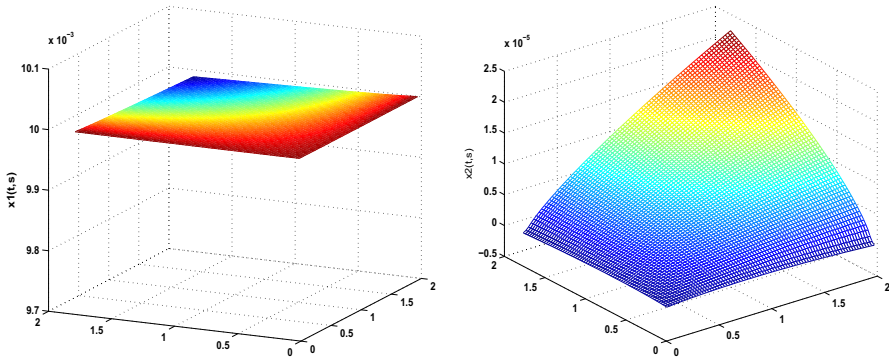
for all  $(t, s) \in [-0.1, 0] \times [-0.1, 0]$ . Moreover, we have taken:  $N = 80, M = 70, \eta_1 = \eta_2 = 1, \varepsilon = 0.1, \sigma = 1$  and  $\rho = 0.02$ . Remark that  $\|\Phi\| \approx 0.01414 < \varepsilon$ . Also, the stability relation given in (23) is well satisfied  $\|x(t, s)\| < 1$ . Indeed, the norm of the solution  $x(t, s)$  is given in each figure: Figures 5, 6 and 7. Also, in this case, the fractional-order system (24) is FTS with respect to  $\{\varepsilon, \sigma, \rho, T_1, T_2\}$ .

### 6 Conclusion

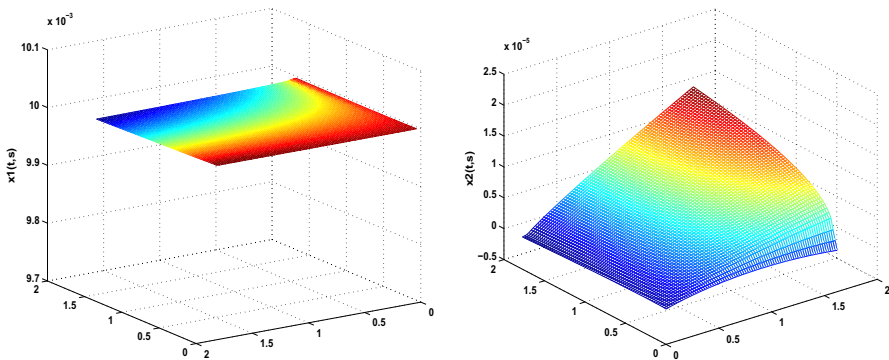
In this work, several goals have been achieved. Indeed, we have proved the existence and uniqueness of a global solution of (FPHDSs) using an approach based on the fixed-point theory. Moreover, a new sufficient condition for the (FTS) of such systems is obtained. Finally, some illustrative examples were presented to prove the validity of our result.



**Fig. 5** The numerical solution  $x(t, s)$  for  $(t, s) \in [0, 1.4] \times [0, 1.3]$  and  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) = (0.2, 0.4)$ , with a norm  $\|x(t, s)\| = 0.7480$



**Fig. 6** The numerical solution  $x(t, s)$  for  $(t, s) \in [0, 1.99] \times [0, 1.8]$  and  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) = (0.8, 0.7)$ , with a norm  $\|x(t, s)\| = 0.7481$



**Fig. 7** The numerical solution  $x(t, s)$  for  $(t, s) \in [0, 1.64] \times [0, 1.8]$  and  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) = (0.9, 0.3)$ , with a norm  $\|x(t, s)\| = 0.7481$

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