

On the optimal control of systems with missing data

Identification and Control : some challenges

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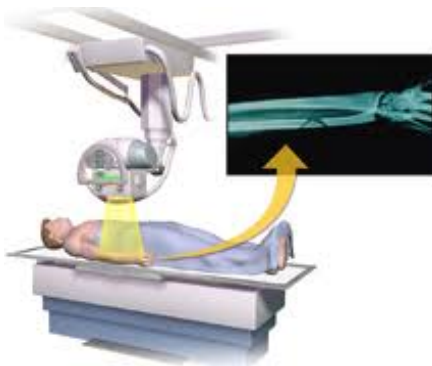
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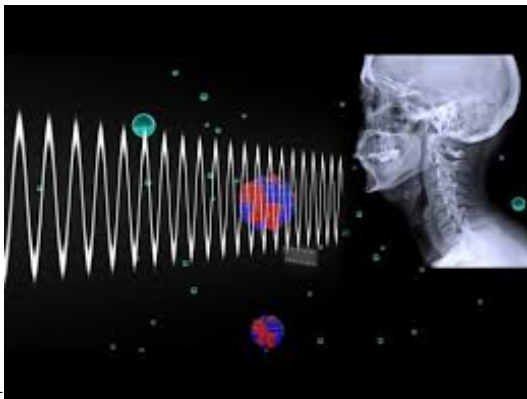
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