1. Control Theory

**Objective:**
The course on control theory is concerned with the analysis and design of closed loop control systems.

**Analysis:**
Closed loop system is given → determine characteristics or behavior.

**Design:**
Desired system characteristics or behavior are specified → configure or synthesize closed loop system.

[Diagram of control system components]

- Input → Plant → Variable
- Variable → Measurement of Variable → sensor → Variable

Control-system components
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Definition:
A closed-loop system is a system in which certain forces (we call these inputs) are determined, at least in part, by certain responses of the system (we call these outputs).
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Definitions:
- The system for measurement of a variable (or signal) is called a *sensor*.
- A *plant* of a control system is the part of the system to be controlled.
- The *compensator* (or controller or simply filter) provides satisfactory characteristics for the total system.

Two types of control systems:
- A *regulator* maintains a physical variable at some constant value in the presence of perturbances.
- A *servomechanism* describes a control system in which a physical variable is required to follow, or track some desired time function (originally applied in order to control a mechanical position or motion).
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Example 1: RF control system

Goal:
Maintain stable gradient and phase.

Solution:
Feedback for gradient amplitude and phase.
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**Model:**
Mathematical description of input-output relation of components combined with block diagram.

**Amplitude loop (general form):**

Reference input → error → controller → RF power amplifier → cavity plant → output

- Monitoring transducer
- Gradient detector
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RF control model using “transfer functions”

A transfer function of a linear system is defined as the ratio of the Laplace transform of the output and the Laplace transform of the input with I. C.’s = zero.

**Input-Output Relations**

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<td>$Y(s)$</td>
<td>$L(s) = G(s)H_c(s)$</td>
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<tr>
<td>$R(s)$</td>
<td>$Y(s)$</td>
<td>$T(s) = (1 + L(s)M(s))^{-1}L(s)$</td>
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Example 2: Electrical circuit

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{Differential equations:} \\
R_1 i(t) + R_2 i(t) + \frac{1}{C} \int_0^t i(\tau) d\tau &= v_1(t) \\
R_2 i(t) + \frac{1}{C} \int_0^t i(\tau) d\tau &= v_2(t)
\end{align*}
\]

\text{Laplace Transform:}

\[
\begin{align*}
R_1 I(s) + R_2 I(s) + \frac{1}{s \cdot C} I(s) &= V_1(s) \\
R_2 I(s) + \frac{1}{s \cdot C} I(s) &= V_2(s)
\end{align*}
\]

\text{Transfer function:}

\[
G(s) = \frac{V_2(s)}{V_1(s)} = \frac{R_2 \cdot C \cdot s + 1}{(R_1 + R_2) C \cdot s + 1}
\]

Input \(V_1\), output \(V_2\)
Example 3: Circuit with operational amplifier

\[ V_i(s) = R_i I_i(s) \quad \text{and} \quad V_o(s) = -\left(\frac{R_2}{sC} + \frac{1}{sC}\right) I_i(s) \]

\[ G(s) = \frac{V_o(s)}{V_i(s)} = \frac{-R_2 \cdot C \cdot s + 1}{R_i \cdot C \cdot s} \]

It is convenient to derive a transfer function for a circuit with a single operational amplifier that contains input and feedback impedance:

\[ V_i(s) = Z_i(s) I(s) \quad \text{and} \quad V_o(s) = -Z_f(s) I(s) \]

\[ G(s) = \frac{V_o(s)}{V_i(s)} = \frac{Z_f(s)}{Z_i(s)} \]
Model of Dynamic System

We will study the following dynamic system:

![Diagram of dynamic system]

**Parameters:**
- $k$: spring constant
- $\gamma$: damping constant
- $u(t)$: force

**Quantity of interest:**
- $y(t)$: displacement from equilibrium

**Differential equation:** Newton’s third law ($m = 1$)

$$\ddot{y}(t) = \sum F_{\text{ext}} = -k \ y(t) - \gamma \ \dot{y}(t) + u(t)$$

$$\dot{y}(t) + \gamma \ \dot{y}(t) + k \ y(t) = u(t)$$

$$y(0) = y_o, \ \dot{y}(0) = \dot{y}_o$$

- Equation is linear (i.e. no $\dot{y}^2$ like terms).
- Ordinary (as opposed to partial e.g. $\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} f(x,t) = 0$).
- All coefficients constant: $k(t) = \kappa, \gamma(t) = \gamma$ for all $t$
Model of Dynamic System

Stop calculating, let’s paint!!!

Picture to visualize differential equation

1. Express highest order term (put it to one side)

\[ \dot{y}(t) = -ky(t) - \gamma \dot{y}(t) + u(t) \]

2. Put adder in front

3. Synthesize all other terms using integrators!

Block diagram
2.1 Linear Ordinary Differential Equation (LODE)

General form of LODE:
\[ y^{(n)}(t) + a_{n-1} y^{(n-1)}(t) + \ldots + a_1 y'(t) + a_0 y(t) = b_m u^{(m)}(t) + \ldots + b_1 u'(t) + b_0 u(t) \]

\( m, n \) Positive integers, \( m \leq n \); coefficients \( a_0, a_1, \ldots, a_{n-1}, b_0, \ldots, b_m \) real numbers.

Mathematical solution: hopefully you know it

Solution of LODE: \( y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t) \).

Sum of homogeneous solution \( y_h(t) \) (natural response) solving
\[ y^{(n)}(t) + a_{n-1} y^{(n-1)}(t) + \ldots + a_1 y'(t) + a_0 y(t) = 0 \]
And particular solution \( y_p(t) \).

How to get natural response \( y_h(t) \) ? Characteristic polynomial

\[ \chi(\lambda) = \lambda^n + a_{n-1} \lambda^{n-1} + \ldots + a_1 \lambda + a_0 = 0 \]
\[ (\lambda - \lambda_1)^r \cdot (\lambda - \lambda_{r+1}) \cdot \ldots \cdot (\lambda - \lambda_n) = 0 \]
\[ y_h(t) = (c_1 t + c_2 t^2 + \ldots + c_r t^{r-1}) e^{\lambda_1 t} + c_{r+1} e^{\lambda_{r+1} t} + \ldots + c_n e^{\lambda_n t} \]

Determination of \( y_p(t) \) relatively simple, if input \( u(t) \) yields only a finite number of independent

\[ u(t) \approx e^{\xi t}, \beta_r t^r. \]
2.1 Linear Ordinary Differential Equation (LODE)

Most important for control system/feedback design:

\[ y^{(n)}(t) + a_{n-1} y^{(n-1)}(t) + \ldots + a_1 \dot{y}(t) + a_0 y(t) = b_m u^{(m)}(t) + \ldots + b_1 \dot{u}(t) + b_0 u(t) \]

In general: given any linear time invariant system described by LODE can be realized/simulated/easily visualized in a block diagram \((n = 2, m = 2)\)

**Control-canonical form**

Very useful to visualize *interaction* between variables!
What are \(x_1\) and \(x_2\) ????

More explanation later, for now: please simply accept it!
2.2 State Space Equation

Any system which can be presented by LODE can be represented in *State space form* (matrix differential equation).

What do we have to do ???

Let’s go back to our first example (Newton’s law):

\[ \ddot{y}(t) + \gamma \dot{y}(t) + k y(t) = u(t) \]

1. *STEP:* Deduce set off first order differential equation in variables

\[ x_1(t) = \dot{y}(t) = x_2(t) \]

\[ x_2(t) = \ddot{y}(t) = -k y(t) - \gamma \dot{y}(t) + u(t) \]

\[ = -k x_1(t) - \gamma x_2(t) + u(t) \]

*One LODE of order n transformed into n LODEs of order 1*
2.2 State Space Equation

2. *STEP*:
Put everything together in a matrix differential equation:

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
\dot{x}_1(t) \\
\dot{x}_2(t)
\end{bmatrix} =
\begin{bmatrix}
0 & 1 \\
-k & -\gamma
\end{bmatrix}
\begin{bmatrix}
x_1(t) \\
x_2(t)
\end{bmatrix}
+ \begin{bmatrix}
0 \\
1
\end{bmatrix} u(t)
\]

\[\dot{x}(t) = A \, x(t) + B \, u(t)\]
State equation

\[y(t) = [I \, \, 0] \begin{bmatrix}
x_1(t) \\
x_2(t)
\end{bmatrix}\]

\[y(t) = C \, x(t) + D \, u(t)\]
Measurement equation

*Definition:*

The **system state** \(x\) of a system at any time \(t_0\) is the “amount of information” that, together with all inputs for \(t \geq t_0\), uniquely determines the behaviour of the system for all \(t \geq t_0\).
2.2 State Space Equation

The linear time-invariant (LTI) analog system is described via

**Standard form of the State Space Equation**

\[
\begin{align*}
\dot{x}(t) &= A\, x(t) + B\, u(t) & \text{State equation} \\
y(t) &= C\, x(t) + D\, u(t) & \text{State equation}
\end{align*}
\]

Where \(\dot{x}(t)\) is the time derivative of the vector \(x(t)= \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ \vdots \\ x_n(t) \end{bmatrix}\). And starting conditions \(x(t_0)\)

**Declaration of variables**

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<td>(n \times 1)</td>
<td>state vector</td>
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<tr>
<td>(A)</td>
<td>(n \times n)</td>
<td>system matrix</td>
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<tr>
<td>(B)</td>
<td>(n \times r)</td>
<td>input matrix</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
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<td>(p \times n)</td>
<td>output matrix</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(D)</td>
<td>(p \times r)</td>
<td>matrix representing direct coupling between input and output</td>
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System completely described by state space matrices \(A, B, C, D\) (in the most cases \(D=0\)).
2.2 State Space Equation

Why all this work with state space equation? Why bother with?

BECAUSE: Given any system of the LODE form

\[ y^{(n)}(t) + a_{n-1} y^{(n-1)}(t) + \ldots + a_1 \dot{y}(t) + a_0 y(t) = b_m u^{(m)}(t) + \ldots + b_1 \dot{u}(t) + b_0 u(t) \]

Can be represented as

\[ \dot{x}(t) = A x(t) + B u(t) \]
\[ y(t) = C x(t) + D u(t) \]

with e.g. Control-Canonical Form (case \( n=3, m=3 \)):

\[
A = \begin{bmatrix}
0 & 1 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 \\
-a_0 & -a_1 & -a_2
\end{bmatrix},
B = \begin{bmatrix}
0 \\
0 \\
1
\end{bmatrix},
C = [b_0 \ b_1 \ b_2],
D = b_3
\]

or Observer-Canonical Form:

\[
A = \begin{bmatrix}
0 & 0 & -a_0 \\
1 & 0 & -a_1 \\
0 & 1 & -a_2
\end{bmatrix},
B = \begin{bmatrix}
b_0 \\
b_1 \\
b_2
\end{bmatrix},
C = [0 \ 0 \ 1],
D = b_3
\]

Notation is very compact, But: not unique!!!

Computers love state space equation! (Trust us!)

Modern control (1960-now) uses state space equation.

General (vector) block diagram for easy visualization.
2.2 State Space Equation

Block diagrams:

**Control-canonical Form:**

- $u(t)$
- $x_1$
- $x_2$
- $y(t)$
- $b_2$
- $a_1$
- $b_1$
- $b_0$

**Observer-Canonical Form:**

- $u(t)$
- $x_1$
- $x_2$
- $y(t)$
- $b_0$
- $a_0$
- $b_1$
- $b_2$
2.2 State Space Equation

Now: Solution of State Space Equation in the time domain. Out of the hat...et voila:

\[ x(t) = \Phi(t) x(0) + \int_0^t \Phi(\tau) B u(t - \tau) \, d\tau \]

**Natural Response + Particular Solution**

\[ y(t) = C x(t) + D u(t) \]

\[ = C \Phi(t) x(0) + C \int_0^t \Phi(\tau) B u(t - \tau) \, d\tau + D u(t) \]

With the **state transition matrix**

\[ \Phi(t) = I + At + \frac{A^2}{2!} t^2 + \frac{A^3}{3!} t^3 + ... = e^{At} \]

Exponential series in the matrix A (time evolution operator) properties of \( \Phi(t) \) (state transition matrix).

1. \( \frac{d\Phi(t)}{dt} = A \Phi(t) \)
2. \( \Phi(0) = I \)
3. \( \Phi(t_1 + t_2) = \Phi(t_1) \cdot \Phi(t_2) \)
4. \( \Phi^{-1}(t) = \Phi(-t) \)

**Example:**

\[ A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \Phi(t) = I + At = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = e^{At} \]

Matrix A is a nilpotent matrix.
2.3 Examples

Example:

It is given the following differential equation:

\[
\frac{d^2}{dt^2} y(t) + 4 \frac{d}{dt} y(t) + 3 y(t) = 2 u(t)
\]

-State equations of differential equation:

Let \( x_1(t) = y(t) \) and \( x_2(t) = \dot{y}(t) \). It is:

\[
\begin{align*}
\dot{x}_1(t) &= \dot{y}(t) = x_2(t) \\
\dot{x}_2(t) + 4 x_2(t) + 3 x_1(t) &= 2 u(t) \\
\dot{x}_3(t) &= -3 x_1(t) - 4 x_2(t) + 2 u(t)
\end{align*}
\]

-Write the state equations in matrix form:

Define system state \( x(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} \). Then it follows:

\[
\begin{bmatrix} \\
\dot{x}(t) \\
y(t)
\end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\
-3 & -4
\end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\
2
\end{bmatrix} u(t)
\]

\[
y(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x(t)
\]
2.3 Cavity model

Equivalent circuit:

\[ C \cdot \dddot{U} + \frac{1}{R_L} \cdot \dddot{U} + \frac{1}{L} \cdot U = i'_g + i'_b \]

\[ \omega_{1/2}^2 = \frac{1}{2R_L C} = \frac{\omega_0}{2Q_L} \]

\[ \dddot{U} + 2\omega_{1/2} \cdot \dddot{U} + \omega_0^2 \cdot U = 2R_L \omega_{1/2} \left( \frac{2}{m} i'_g + i'_b \right) \]
2.3 Cavity model

Only envelope of rf (real and imaginary part) is of interest:

\[
U(t) = (U_r(t) + i U_i(t)) \cdot \exp(i \omega_{HF} t)
\]
\[
I_g(t) = (I_{gr}(t) + i I_{gi}(t)) \cdot \exp(i \omega_{HF} t)
\]
\[
I_b(t) = (I_{bo,r}(t) + i I_{bo,i}(t)) \cdot \exp(i \omega_{HF} t) = 2(I_{bo,r}(t) + i I_{bo,i}(t)) \cdot \exp(i \omega_{HF} t)
\]

Neglect small terms in derivatives for U and I

\[
\ddot{U}_r + i \ddot{U}_i \ll \omega_{HF}^2 (U_r(t) + i U_i(t))
\]
\[
2 \omega_{1/2} (\dot{U}_r + i \dot{U}_r(t)) \ll \omega_{HF}^2 (U_r(t) + i U_i(t))
\]
\[
\int_{t_1}^{t_2} (\dot{I}_r(t) + i \dot{I}_i(t)) \, dt \ll \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \omega_{HF} (I_r(t) + i I_i(t)) \, dt
\]

Envelope equations for real and imaginary component.

\[
\dot{U}_r(t) + \omega_{1/2} \cdot U_r + \Delta \omega \cdot U_i = \omega_{HF} \left( \frac{r}{Q} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{1}{m} I_{gr} + I_{bo,r} \right)
\]
\[
\dot{U}_i(t) + \omega_{1/2} \cdot U_i - \Delta \omega \cdot U_r = \omega_{HF} \left( \frac{r}{Q} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{1}{m} I_{gi} + I_{bo,i} \right)
\]
2.3 Cavity model

Matrix equations:

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
\dot{U}_r(t) \\
\dot{U}_i(t)
\end{bmatrix} =
\begin{bmatrix}
-\omega_{1/2} & -\Delta \omega \\
\Delta \omega & -\omega_{1/2}
\end{bmatrix}
\begin{bmatrix}
U_r(t) \\
U_i(t)
\end{bmatrix} + \omega_{HF} \left( \frac{r}{Q} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
\begin{bmatrix}
\frac{1}{m} I_{gr}(t) + I_{b0r}(t) \\
\frac{1}{m} I_{gi}(t) + I_{b0i}(t)
\end{bmatrix}
\]

With system Matrices:

\[
A = \begin{bmatrix}
-\omega_{1/2} & -\Delta \omega \\
\Delta \omega & -\omega_{1/2}
\end{bmatrix} \quad B = \omega_{HF} \left( \frac{r}{Q} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
\ddot{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix}
U_r(t) \\
U_i(t)
\end{bmatrix} \quad \ddot{u}(t) = \begin{bmatrix}
\frac{1}{m} I_{gr}(t) + I_{b0r}(t) \\
\frac{1}{m} I_{gi}(t) + I_{b0i}(t)
\end{bmatrix}
\]

General Form:

\[
\dot{\ddot{x}}(t) = A \cdot \ddot{x}(t) + B \cdot \ddot{u}(t)
\]
2.3 Cavity model

Solution:

\[ \ddot{x}(t) = \Phi(t) \cdot \dot{x}(0) + \int_0^t \Phi(t - t') \cdot B \cdot \ddot{u}(t') \, dt' \]

\[ \Phi(t) = e^{-\omega_{1/2}t} \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\Delta \omega t) & -\sin(\Delta \omega t) \\ \sin(\Delta \omega t) & \cos(\Delta \omega t) \end{bmatrix} \]

Special Case:

\[ \ddot{u}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{m} I_{gr}(t) + I_{b0r}(t) \\ \frac{1}{m} I_{gi}(t) + I_{b0i}(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_r \\ I_i \end{bmatrix} \]

\[ \begin{bmatrix} U_r(t) \\ U_i(t) \end{bmatrix} = \frac{\omega_{HF} \left( \frac{r}{Q} \right)}{\omega_{1/2} + \Delta \omega^2} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \omega_{1/2} & -\Delta \omega \\ \Delta \omega & \omega_{1/2} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \left\{ I - \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\Delta \omega t) & -\sin(\Delta \omega t) \\ \sin(\Delta \omega t) & \cos(\Delta \omega t) \end{bmatrix} e^{-\omega_{1/2}t} \right\} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} I_r \\ I_i \end{bmatrix} \]
2.3 Cavity Model

\[ x' = Ax + Bu \]
\[ y = Cx + Du \]
2.3 Cavity Model

The diagram shows a circuit with various components such as step functions, integrators, and gains. The connections and labels indicate the flow of the system, with integrators and gains as key components. The diagram also includes labels for step functions and load data, along with scope for output.
2.4 Masons Rule

Mason’s Rule is a simple formula for reducing block diagrams. Works on continuous and discrete. In its most general form it is messy, but **for special case when all path touch**

\[
H(s) = \frac{\sum(\text{forward path gains})}{1 - \sum(\text{loop path gains})}
\]

Two path are said to touch if they have a component in common, e.g. an adder.

Forward path: \(F_1: 1 - 10 - 11 - 5 - 6\)
\(F_2: 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6\)

Loop path: \(I_1: 3 - 4 - 5 - 8 - 9\)
\(I_2: 5 - 6 - 7\)

Check: all path touch (contain adder between 4 and 5)

\[
G(f_1) = H_5 H_3
\]
\[
G(f_2) = H_1 H_2 H_3
\]
\[
G(I_1) = H_2 H_4
\]
\[
G(I_2) = H_3
\]

=> By Mason’s rule:

\[
H = \frac{G(f_1) + G(f_2)}{1 - G(I_1) - G(I_2)} = \frac{H_5H_3 + H_1H_2H_3}{1 - H_2H_4 - H_3} = \frac{H_3(H_5 + H_1H_2)}{1 - H_2H_4 - H_3}
\]
2.5 Transfer Function \( G(s) \)

Continuous-time state space model

\[
\begin{align*}
\dot{x}(t) &= A \, x(t) + B \, u(t) & \text{State equation} \\
y(t) &= C \, x(t) + D \, u(t) & \text{Measurement equation}
\end{align*}
\]

Transfer function describes input-output relation of system.

\[
U(s) \rightarrow \text{System} \rightarrow Y(s)
\]

\[
s \, X(s) - x(0) = A \, X(s) + B \, U(s)
\]

\[
X(s) = (sI - A)^{-1} \, x(0) + (sI - A)^{-1} \, B \, U(s)
\]

\[
= \varphi(s) \, x(0) + \varphi(s) \, B \, U(s)
\]

\[
Y(s) = C \, X(s) + D \, U(s)
\]

\[
= C \, \left( (sI - A)^{-1} \, x(0) + [c(sI - A)^{-1} \, B + D] \, U(s) \right)
\]

\[
= C \, \varphi(s) \, x(0) + C \, \varphi(s) \, B \, U(s) + D \, U(s)
\]

Transfer function \( G(s) \) (pxr) (case: \( x(0) = 0 \)):

\[
G(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1} B + D = C \, \varphi(s) \, B + D
\]
2.5 Transfer Function

Transfer function of TESLA cavity including 8/9-pi mode

\[ H_{cont}(s) \approx H_{cav}(s) = H_{\pi}(s) + H_{8/9\pi}(s) \]

\[
\pi \text{-mod } e \quad H_{\pi}(s) = \frac{(\omega_{1/2})_{\pi}}{\Delta \omega_{\pi}^2 + (s + (\omega_{1/2})_{\pi})^2} \left( s + (\omega_{1/2})_{\pi} - \Delta \omega_{\pi} \right) \left( s + (\omega_{1/2})_{\pi} + \Delta \omega_{\pi} \right)
\]

\[ \frac{8}{9} \pi \text{-mod } e \quad H_{\frac{8}{9}\pi}(s) = -\frac{(\omega_{1/2})_{\frac{8}{9}\pi}}{\Delta \omega_{\frac{8}{9}\pi}^2 + (s + (\omega_{1/2})_{\frac{8}{9}\pi})^2} \left( s + (\omega_{1/2})_{\frac{8}{9}\pi} - \Delta \omega_{\frac{8}{9}\pi} \right) \left( s + (\omega_{1/2})_{\frac{8}{9}\pi} + \Delta \omega_{\frac{8}{9}\pi} \right)
\]
2.5 Transfer Function of a Closed Loop System

\[ Y(s) = G(s) U(s) = G(s) H_c(s) E(s) \]
\[ = G(s) H_c(s) [R(s) - M(s) Y(s)] \]
\[ = L(s) R(s) - L(s) M(s) Y(s) \]

With \( L(s) \) the transfer function of the open loop system (controller plus plant).

\[ (I + L(s) M(s)) Y(s) = L(s) R(s) \]
\[ Y(s) = (I + L(s) M(s))^{-1} L(s) R(s) \]
\[ = T(s) R(s) \]

\( T(s) \) is called: Reference Transfer Function
2.5 Sensitivity

The ratio of change in Transferfunction $T(s)$ by the parameter $b$ can be defined as:

$$S = \frac{\Delta T(s)}{T(s)} \frac{b}{\Delta b}$$

System characteristics change with system parameter variations

The sensitivity function is defined as:

$$S_b^T = \lim_{{\Delta b \to 0}} \frac{\Delta T(s)}{\Delta b} \frac{b}{T(s)} = \frac{\partial T(s)}{\partial b} \frac{b}{T(s)}$$

Or in General sensitivity function of a characteristics $W$ with respect to the parameter $b$:

$$S_b^W = \frac{\partial W}{\partial b} \frac{b}{W}$$

Example: plant with proportional feedback given by

$$G_c(s) = K_p, \quad G_p(s) = \frac{K}{s + 0.1}$$

Plant transfer function $T(s)$:

$$T(s) = \frac{K_p G_p(s)}{1 + K_p G_p(s)H_k}$$

$$S_H^T(j \omega) = \frac{-K_p G_p(j \omega)H_k}{1 + K_p G_p(j \omega)H_k} = \frac{-0.25K_p}{0.1 + 0.25K_p + j\omega}$$

Increase of $H$ results in decrease of $T$  
$\Rightarrow$ system cant be insensitive to both $H,T$
Disturbance Rejection

Disturbances are system influences we do not control and want to minimize its impact on the system.

\[
C(s) = \frac{G_c(s) \cdot G_p(s)}{1 + G_c(s) \cdot G_p(s) \cdot H(s)} R(s) + \frac{G_d(s)}{1 + G_c(s) \cdot G_p(s) \cdot H(s)} D(s)
\]

\[= T(s) \cdot R(s) + T_d(s) \cdot D(s)\]

To Reject disturbances, make \(T \cdot d(s) \cdot D(s)\) small!

- Using frequency response approach to investigate disturbance rejection
- In general \(Td(jw)\) cant be small for all \(w\)
  Design \(Td(jw)\) small for significant portion of system bandwidth

- Reduce the Gain \(Gd(jw)\) between dist. Input and output
- Increase the loop gain \(GcGp(jw)\) without increasing the gain \(Gd(jw)\). Usually accomplished by the compensator choice \(Gc(jw)\)
- Reduce the disturbance magnitude \(d(t)\) Should always be attempted if reasonable
- Use feedforward compensation, if disturbance can be measured.
2.6 Stability

Now we have learnt so far:
The impulse response tells us everything about the system response to any arbitrary input signal \( u(t) \).

what we have not learnt:
If we know the transfer function \( G(s) \), how can we deduce the systems behavior?
What can we say e.g. about the system stability?

Definition:
A linear time invariant system is called to be BIBO stable (Bounded-input-bounded-output)
For all bounded inputs \( |u(t)| \leq M_1 \) (for all t) exists a boundary for the output signal \( M_2 \),
So that \( |y(t)| \leq M_2 \) . (for all t) with \( M_1 \) and \( M_2 \), positive real numbers.

Input never exceeds \( M_1 \) and output never exceeds \( M_2 \), then we have BIBO stability!

Note: it has to be valid for ALL bounded input signals!
2.6 Stability

Example: \( Y(s) = G(s) U(s) \), integrator \( G(s) = \frac{1}{s} \)

1. Case

\[ u(t) = \delta(t), \quad U(s) = 1 \]

\[ |y(t)| = \left| L^{-1}[Y(s)] \right| = \left| L^{-1}\left[ \frac{1}{s} \right] \right| = 1 \]

The bounded input signal causes a bounded output signal.

2. Case

\[ u(t) = 1, \quad U(s) = \frac{1}{s} \]

\[ |y(t)| = \left| L^{-1}[Y(s)] \right| = \left| L^{-1}\left[ \frac{1}{s^2} \right] \right| = t \]

BIBO-stability has to be shown/proved for any input. Is is not sufficient to show its validity for a single input signal!
2.6 Stability

Condition for BIBO stability:

We start from the input-output relation

\[ Y(s) = G(s) U(s) \]

By means of the convolution theorem we get

\[ |y(t)| = \left| \int_0^t g(\tau) u(t-\tau) \, d\tau \right| \leq \int_0^t |g(\tau)| |u(t-\tau)| \, d\tau \leq M_1 \int_0^\infty |g(\tau)| \, d\tau \leq M_2 \]

Therefore it follows immediately:

If the impulse response is absolutely integrable

\[ \int_0^\infty |g(t)| \, dt < \infty \]

Then the system is BIBO-stable.
2.7 Poles and Zeroes

Can stability be determined if we know the TF of a system?

\[ G(s) = C \Phi(s) B + D = C \frac{sI - A}{\chi(s)} \text{adj} B + D \]

Coefficients of Transfer function \( G(s) \) are rational functions in the complex variable \( s \)

\[ g_{ij}(s) = \alpha \cdot \frac{\prod_{k=1}^{m} (s - z_k)}{\prod_{l=1}^{n} (s - p_l)} = \frac{N_{ij}(s)}{D_{ij}(s)} \]

\( Z_k \) Zeroes. \( P_i \) Ploes, \( \alpha \) real constant, and it is \( m \leq n \) (we assume common factors have already been canceled!)

What do we know about the zeros and the ploes?

Since numerator \( N(s) \) and denominator \( D(s) \) are polynomials with real coefficients, Ploes and zeroes must be real numbers or must arise as complex conjugated pairs!
2.7 Poles and Zeroes

Stability directly from state-space

Recall: \( H(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1} B + D \)

Assuming \( D=0 \) (\( D \) could change zeros but not poles)

\[
H(s) = \frac{\text{Cadj}(sI - A)B}{\text{det}(sI - A)} = \frac{b(s)}{a(s)}
\]

Assuming there are no common factors between the poly \( \text{Cadj}(sI - A)B \) and \( \text{det}(sI - A) \)
i.e. no pole-zero cancellations (usually true, system called “minimal”) then we can identify

and

\[
b(s) = \text{Cadj}(sI - A)B
\]

\[
a(s) = \text{det}(sI - A)
\]

i.e. poles are root of \( \text{det}(sI-A) \)

Let \( \lambda_i \) be the \( i^{th} \) eigenvalue of \( A \)

if \( \text{Re}\{\lambda_i\} \leq 0 \) for all \( i \) \( \Rightarrow \) System stable

So with computer, with eigenvalue solver, can determine system stability directly from coupling matrix \( A \).
2.8 Stability Criteria

A system is BIBO stable if, for every bounded input, the output remains bounded with increasing time.

For a LTI system, this definition requires that all poles of the closed-loop transfer-function (all roots of the system characteristic equation) lie in the left half of the complex plane.

Several methods are available for stability analysis:

1. Routh Hurwitz criterion

2. Calculation of exact locations of roots
   a. Root locus technique
   b. Nyquist criterion
   c. Bode plot

3. Simulation (only general procedures for nonlinear systems)

While the first criterion proofs whether a feedback system is stable or unstable, the second Method also provides information about the setting time (damping term).
2.8 Poles and Zeroes

Pole locations tell us about impulse response i.e. also stability:

Medium oscillation
Medium decay

Fast oscillation
No growth

No oscillation
No growth

S-Plane

\[ Im(s) = \omega \]

\[ Re(s) = \sigma \]
2.8 Poles and Zeroes

Furthermore: Keep in mind the following picture and facts!

- Complex pole pair: Oscillation with growth or decay.
- Real pole: exponential growth or decay.
- Poles are the Eigenvalues of the matrix $A$.
- Position of zeros goes into the size of $C_j$, etc.

In general a complex root must have a corresponding conjugate root ($N(s)$, $D(S)$ polynomials with real coefficients.)
The closed loop is stable if the phase of the unity crossover frequency of the OPEN LOOP is larger than -180 degrees.
2.8 Root Locus Analysis

Definition: A root locus of a system is a plot of the roots of the system characteristic Equation (the poles of the closed-loop transfer function) while some parameter of the system (usually the feedback gain) is varied.

\[ KH(s) = \frac{K}{(s - p_1)(s - p_2)(s - p_3)} \]

How do we move the poles by varying the constant gain K?

\[ G_{CL}(s) = \frac{KH(s)}{1 + KH(s)} \text{ roots at } 1 + KH(s) = 0. \]
The idea:
Suppose we have a system or “plant”

We want to improve some aspect of plant’s performance by observing the output and applying an appropriate “correction” signal. **This is feedback**

Question: What should this be?
3. Feedback

**Open loop gain:**

\[ G^{OL}(s) = G(s) = \left( \frac{u}{y} \right)^{-1} \]

**Closed-loop gain:**

\[ G^{CL}(s) = \frac{G(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} \]

*Proof:* \( y = G(u - u_{fb}) \)

\[ = G u - G u_{fb} \quad \Rightarrow \quad y + G H_y = G u \]

\[ = G u - G H y \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{y}{u} = \frac{G}{1 + G H} \]
3.1 Feedback-Example 1

Consider S.H.O with feedback proportional to x i.e.:

\[ \ddot{x} + \gamma \dot{x} + \omega_n^2 x = u + u_{fb} \]
\[ u_{fb}(t) = -\alpha x(t) \]

Then

\[ \ddot{x} + \gamma \dot{x} + \omega_n^2 x = u - \alpha x \]

\[ \implies \ddot{x} + \gamma \dot{x} + \left( \omega_n^2 + \alpha \right) x = u \]

Same as before, except that new “natural” frequency \( \omega_n^2 + \alpha \).
Now the closed loop T.F. is: \[ G^{C.L.}(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + \gamma s + \left(\omega_n^2 + \alpha\right)} \]

So the effect of the proportional feedback in this case is to increase the bandwidth of the system (and reduce gain slightly, but this can easily be compensated by adding a constant gain in front...)
3.1 Feedback-Example 2

In S.H.O. suppose we use integral feedback:

\[ u_{fb}(t) = -\alpha \int_{0}^{t} x(\tau) \, d\tau \]

i.e. \( \ddot{x} + \gamma \dot{x} + \omega_n^2 x = u - \alpha \int_{0}^{t} x(\tau) \, d\tau \)

Differentiating once more yields: \( \dddot{x} + \gamma \ddot{x} + \omega_n^2 \dot{x} + \alpha x = \ddot{u} \)

No longer just simple S.H.O., add another state
3.1 Feedback-Example 2

\[ G_{CL}(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + \gamma s + \omega_n^2} \]

\[ = \frac{s}{s(s^2 + \gamma s + \omega_n^2) + \alpha} \]

Observe that
1. \( G_{CL}(0 = 0) \)
2. For large \( s \) (and hence for large \( \omega \))

\[ G_{CL}(s) \approx \frac{1}{(s^2 + \gamma s + \omega_n^2)} \approx G_{OL}(s) \]

So integral feedback has killed DC gain
i.e system rejects constant disturbances
Suppose S.H.O now apply differential feedback i.e.

\[ u_{fb}(t) = -\alpha \dot{x}(t) \]

Now have

\[ \ddot{x} + (\gamma + \alpha) \dot{x} + \omega_n^2 x = u \]

So effect off differential feedback is to increase damping
Now

\[ G^{C.L.}(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + (\gamma + \alpha)s + \omega_n^2} \]

So the effect of differential feedback here is to “flatten the resonance” i.e. \textit{damping is increased}.

Note: Differentiators can never be built exactly, only approximately.
3.1 PID Controller

(1) The latter 3 examples of feedback can all be combined to form a **P.I.D. controller** (prop.-integral-diff).

\[ u_{fb} = u_p + u_d + u_I \]

(2) In example above S.H.O. was a very simple system and it was clear what *physical interpretation* of P. or I. or D. did. But for *large complex systems* not obvious

\[ u_{fb} = K_p + K_p s + K_I / s \]

** == > Require arbitrary “ tweaking”**

That’s what we’re trying to avoid
3.1 PID Controller

For example, if you are so smart let’s see you do this with your P.I.D. controller:

6th order system
3 resonant poles
3 complex pairs
6 poles

Damp this mode, but leave the other two modes undamped, just as they are.

This could turn out to be a tweaking nightmare that’ll get you nowhere fast!

We’ll see how this problem can be solved easily.
3.2 Full State Control

Suppose we have system

\[ \dot{x}(t) = Ax(t) + Bu(t) \]
\[ y(t) = Cx(t) \]

Since the state vector \( x(t) \) contains all current information about the system the most general feedback makes use of all the state info.

\[ u = -k_1x_1 - \ldots - k_nx_n \]
\[ = -k x \]

Where \( k = [k_1, \ldots, k_n] \) (row matrix)

Where example: In S.H.O. examples

Proportional fbk: \( u_p = -k_p x = -[k_p, 0] \)

Differential fbk: \( u_D = -k_D \dot{x} = -[0, k_D] \)
3.2 Full State Control

**Theorem:**

If there are no poles cancellations in

\[ G_{O.L.}(s) = \frac{b(s)}{a(s)} = C(sI - A)^{-1} B \]

Then can move eigen values of \( A - BK \) anywhere we want using full state feedback.

**Proof:**

Given any system as L.O.D.E. or state space it can be written as:

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
  x_1 \\
  \vdots \\
  x_n
\end{bmatrix}
= \begin{bmatrix}
  0 & 1 & \ldots & 0 \\
  0 & \ldots & \ldots & \ldots \\
  0 & \ldots & \ldots & 1 \\
  -a_0 & \ldots & \ldots & -a_{n-1}
\end{bmatrix}
\begin{bmatrix}
  x_1 \\
  \vdots \\
  x_n
\end{bmatrix}
+ \begin{bmatrix}
  0 \\
  \vdots \\
  0
\end{bmatrix} u
\]

\[ y = \begin{bmatrix}
  b_0 & \ldots & \ldots & b_{n-1}
\end{bmatrix}
\begin{bmatrix}
  x_1 \\
  \vdots \\
  x_n
\end{bmatrix} \]

Where

\[ G_{O.L.} = C(sI - A)^{-1} B = \frac{b_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \ldots + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \ldots + a_0} \]
3.2 Full State Control

i.e. first row of \( A^{O.L.} \) gives the coefficients of the denominator

\[
a^{O.L.}(s) = \det(sI - A^{O.L.}) = s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \ldots + a_0
\]

Now

\[
A^{C.L.} = A^{O.L.} - BK
\]

\[
= \begin{bmatrix}
0 & 1 & \ldots & 0 \\
0 & \ldots & \ldots & \ldots \\
0 & \ldots & \ldots & 1 \\
-a_0 & \ldots & \ldots & -a_{n-1}
\end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix}
0 \\
0 \\
\ldots \\
k_0 & \ldots & k_{n-1}
\end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
= \begin{bmatrix}
0 & 1 & \ldots & 0 \\
0 & \ldots & \ldots & \ldots \\
0 & \ldots & \ldots & 1 \\
-(a_0 + k_0) & \ldots & \ldots & -(a_{n-1} + k_{n-1})
\end{bmatrix}
\]

So closed loop denominator

\[
a^{C.L.}(s) = \det(sI - A^{C.L.}) = s^n + (a_0 + k_0)s^{n-1} + \ldots + (a_{n-1} + k_{n-1})
\]

Using \( u = -Kx \) have direct control over every closed-loop denominator coefficient

\[
\Rightarrow \text{can place root anywhere we want in s-plane.}
\]
3.2 Full State Control

Example: Detailed block diagram of S.H.O with full-scale feedback

Of course this assumes we have access to the \( \dot{x} \) state, which we actually don’t in practice.

However, let’s ignore that “minor” practical detail for now. (Kalman filter will show us how to get \( \dot{x} \) from \( x \).)
3.2 Full State Control

With full state feedback have (assume D=0)

\[
U 
\xrightarrow{+} B 
\xrightarrow{+} \frac{1}{s} 
\xrightarrow{} C 
\xrightarrow{} y
\]

\[
U_{fb} = -kx
\]

So

\[
\dot{x} = Ax + B[u + u_{fb}]
\]

\[
= Ax + Bu + BKu_{fb}
\]

\[
\dot{x} = (A - BK)x + Bu
\]

\[
u_{fb} = -Kx
\]

\[
y = Cx
\]

With full state feedback, get new closed loop matrix

\[
A_{CL}^{CL} = (A_{OL}^{OL} - BK)
\]

Now all stability info is now given by the eigen values of new A matrix
3.3 Controllability and Observability

The linear time-invariant system
\[
\dot{x} = Ax + Bu
\]
\[
y = Cx
\]

Is said to be controllable if it is possible to find some input u(t) that will transfer the initial state \(x(0)\) to the origin of state-space, \(x(t_0) = 0, \text{with } t_0 \text{ finite}\)

The solution of the state equation is:
\[
x(t) = \varphi(t)x(0) + \int_0^t \varphi(\tau)Bu(t - \tau) \, d\tau
\]

For the system to be controllable, a function u(t) must exist that satisfies the equation:
\[
0 = \varphi(t_0)x(0) + \int_0^{t_0} \varphi(\tau)Bu(t_0 - \tau) \, d\tau
\]

With \(t_0 \text{ finite}\). It can be shown that this condition is satisfied if the controllability matrix
\[
C_M = [B \ AB \ A^2B \ ... \ A^{n-1}B]
\]

Has inverse. This is equivalent to the matrix \(C_M\) having full rank (rank n for an n-th order differential equation).
3.3 Controllability and Observability

Observable:

The linear time-invariant system is said to be observable if the initial conditions $x(0)$ can be determined from the output function $y(t)$, $0 \leq t \leq t_f$ where $t_f$ is finite. With

$$y(t) = Cx = C \varphi(t)x(0) + C \int_0^t \varphi(\tau)Bu(t-\tau)\,d\tau$$

The system is observable if this equation can be solved for $x(0)$. It can be shown that the system is observable if the matrix:

$$O_M = \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

Has inverse. This is equivalent to the matrix $C_M$ having full rank (rank $n$ for an $n$-th Order differential equation).