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Module: Modelling and Simulation, Prof. Brandt

Examination

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Problem	Possible Points	Result
1	4+2+6+2=14	
2	6	
3	8	
4	2	
5	2	
Sum	32	

1.) The following equations

$$\dot{x}_1 = 3x_1(2 - x_1 - 2x_2)$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = x_2(1 - 2x_1 - 5x_2)$$

describe a sample dynamic system.

a.) Indicate which of the following points are equilibria of the system. (4 points)

$$\times \quad x_{10} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.0 \\ 0.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\times \quad x_{20} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.0 \\ 0.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\circ \quad x_{30} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.0 \\ 2.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\circ \quad x_{40} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 \\ 0.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Plug in: \vec{x}_{10} : $\dot{x}_1 = 3 \cdot 0 (2 - 0 - 2 \cdot 0.2) = 0$
 $\dot{x}_2 = 0.2 (1 - 2 \cdot 0 - 5 \cdot 0.2) = 0$
 \rightarrow Equilibrium: no change of states

\vec{x}_{20} : $\dot{x}_1 = 3 \cdot 2 (2 - 2 - 0) = 0$
 $\dot{x}_2 = 0(\dots) = 0$
 \rightarrow Equilibrium: no change of states

\vec{x}_{30} : $\dot{x}_1 = 3 \cdot 0 (\dots) = 0$
 $\dot{x}_2 = 2 (1 - 2 \cdot 0 - 5 \cdot 2) = -22$
 \rightarrow no Equilibrium

\vec{x}_{40} : $\dot{x}_1 = 3 \cdot 0.2 (2 - 0.2 - 2 \cdot 0) = 0.6 \cdot 1.8$
 $\dot{x}_2 = 0(\dots) = 0$
 \rightarrow no Equilibrium

b.) Find a further equilibrium x_{50} . (2 points)

$$\vec{x}_{30} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Check: $\dot{x}_1 = 3 \cdot 0 (\dots) = 0$

$$\dot{x}_2 = 0 \cdot (\dots) = 0$$

→ no change in state variables

$$\dot{x}_1 = f(x_1, x_2) = 3x_1(2 - x_1 - 2x_2)$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = g(x_1, x_2) = x_2(1 - 2x_1 - 5x_2)$$

c.) Linearize the system about $x_{op} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 \\ 0.0 \end{bmatrix}$. (6 points)

linearize f and g ,
in order to work with
the system easier!

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g}{\partial x_2} \end{pmatrix} \cdot (\vec{x} - \vec{x}_{op})$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 - 6x_{1op} - 6x_{2op} & -6x_{1op} \\ -2x_{2op} & 1 - 2x_{1op} - 10x_{2op} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - 1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 - 6 \cdot 1 - 0 & -6 \cdot 1 \\ -2 \cdot 0 & 1 - 2 \cdot 1 - 10 \cdot 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - 1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - 1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

c) linearize the system about $x_{op} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 \\ 0.0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\dot{x}_1 = 3x_1(2 - x_1 - 2x_2)$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = x_2(1 - 2x_1 - 5x_2)$$

$$x_{op} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$f(x) \approx f(x_{op}) + \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right|_{x=x_{op}} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 - 6x_1 - 6x_2 & -6x_1 \\ -2x_2 & 1 - 2x_1 - 10x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$f(x) \approx \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - 1 \\ x_2 - 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right|_{x=x_{op}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

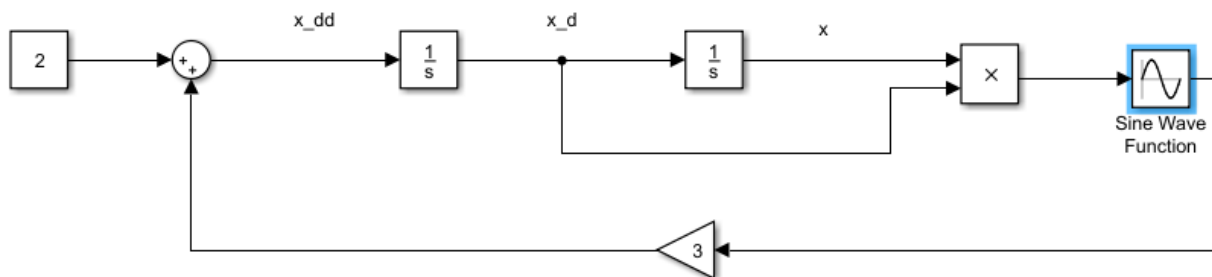
$$= \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\underline{A}} \cdot \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}}_{\underline{x}} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\underline{B} \cdot \underline{u}}$$

$$\dot{\underline{x}} = \underline{A} \underline{x} + \underline{B} \cdot \underline{u}$$

d.) Write the linearized system in the form $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$. (2 points)

$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix}}_{\underline{\dot{x}}} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}}_{\underline{\underline{A}}} \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} x_1 - 1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}}_{\underline{x}}$$

2.) Give the ODE, which is modelled by the following Simulink model. Then, transform it into a system of first order differential equations (ODEs). (6 points)



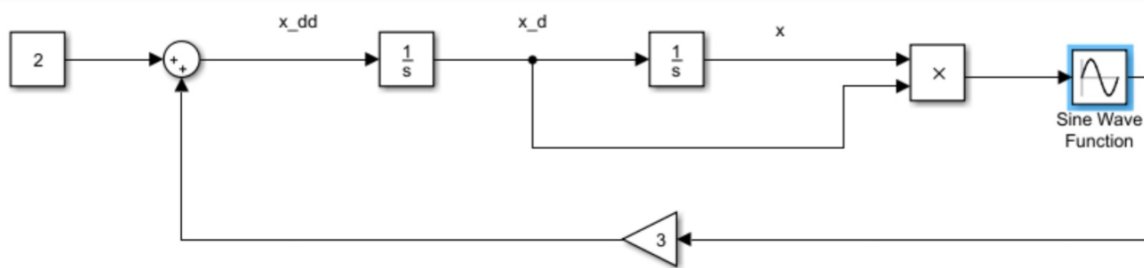
$$\ddot{x} = 2 + 3(\sin(\dot{x} \cdot x)) \quad \ddot{x} = \dot{v}$$

Define:

$$x_1 = \dot{x}_2$$

$$x_2 = x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_1 &= 2 + 3(\sin(\dot{x}_2 \cdot x_2)) \\ \dot{x}_2 &= x_1 \end{aligned}$$



$$\ddot{x} = 2 + 3 \sin(x \cdot \dot{x})$$

Then transfer it into a system of 1st-order DE

$$x_1 = x$$

$$x_2 = \dot{x} = \dot{x}_1$$

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2 \rightarrow \text{don't forget this eqn.}$$

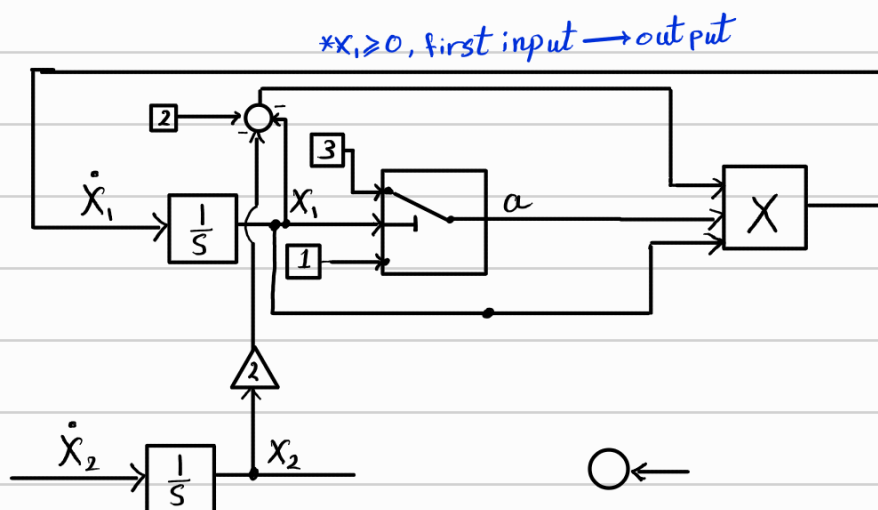
$$\dot{x}_2 = \ddot{x} = 2 + 3 \sin(x_1 \cdot x_2)$$

Q3

$$\dot{x}_1 = a \cdot x_1 (2 - x_1 - 2x_2)$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = x_2 (1 - 2x_1 - 5x_2)$$

$$a = \begin{cases} 3 & \text{if } x_1 \geq 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } x_1 < 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{Trigger that we will see the switch block}$$



3.) The following modified equations

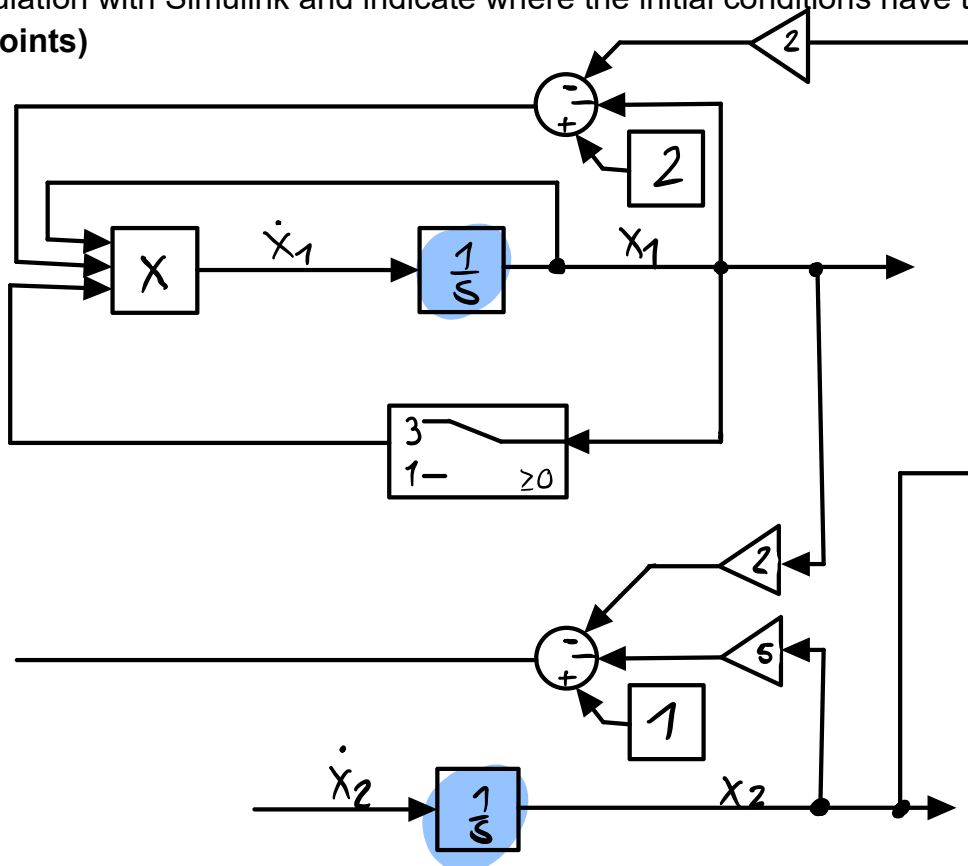
Must have

$$\dot{x}_1 = a \cdot x_1(2 - x_1 - 2x_2)$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = x_2(1 - 2x_1 - 5x_2)$$

$$a = \begin{cases} 3 & \text{if } x_1 \geq 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } x_1 < 0 \end{cases}$$

describe a systems with a discontinuity for the parameter a , which changes depending on the value of the state variable x_1 . Draw the block-diagram for a simulation with Simulink and indicate where the initial conditions have to be set.

(8 points)

● initial conditions

4.) Indicate for all ODEs whether they are linear or nonlinear and give the order of all ODEs! (2 points)

$\ddot{y} = \dot{y} + 12^2 + y^0 - \sin 3\pi$	3 rd order linear ODE
$\sin(y) + y^1 = \dot{y}^2$	nonlinear 1 st order
$3(\dot{y} + 4\ddot{y}) = 9a^2 * \dot{y} \quad ; \text{ with } a = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } \ddot{y} > 0 \\ \dot{y} & \text{else} \end{cases}$	nonlinear 2 nd order
$y * \dot{y} = \ddot{y}$	nonlinear 2 nd order

5.) How can we react when a simulation becomes numerically unstable? (2 points)

I) Change the type of solver (e.g. from an explicit to implicit method), in order to increase the region of convergence.

II) Change/fix the step size and thereby force the solver to use the chosen stepsize

→ no variable change (→ more calculations), but solver will not "miss" numerically critical regions/points

Q5

2 ways:

1- changing step size

2- change the solver