

Differential equations

Lemma 1 (Cromwall). Suppose that $0 \leq \phi(t) \leq c + L \int_0^t \phi(\tau) d\tau$, $c, L > 0$, ϕ - continuous. Then $\phi(t) \leq ce^{Lt}$.

Definition. Equilibrium point $x = 0$ is stable if $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0$ s.t. from $\|x_0\| < \delta$ follows $\|x(t)\| \leq \epsilon$, $\forall t \geq 0$.

Definition. Equilibrium point $x = 0$ is asymptotically stable if it is stable and exist $\delta > 0$ s.t. from $\|x_0\| < \delta$ follows $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} x(t) \rightarrow 0$.

Nonlinear systems

Definition. Point $x^* = 0$ is stable if $\forall \epsilon > 0$ and $\forall t_0 \geq 0$, $\exists \delta > 0$ s.t. from $\|x_0\| < \delta$ follows $\|x(t)\| < \epsilon$, $\forall t \geq t_0$.

Definition. Point $x^* = 0$ is uniformly stable if $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0$, s.t $\forall t_0 \geq 0$, from $\|x_0\| < \delta$ follows $\|x(t)\| < \epsilon$, $\forall t \geq t_0$.

Definition. Point $x^* = 0$ asymptotically stable if it is stable and $\forall t_0 \geq 0 \exists c > 0$, s.t from $\|x_0\| < c$ follows $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|x(t)\| \rightarrow 0$.

Definition. Point $x^* = 0$ uniformly asymptotically stable if it is uniformly stable and $\exists c > 0$, s.t $\forall t_0 \geq 0$ from $\|x_0\| < c$ follows $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \|x(t)\| \rightarrow 0$.

Definition. Convergence: $\forall \eta > 0 \forall t_0 \geq 0$, $\exists T > 0$ such that $\forall t \geq t_0 + T$ follows $\|x(t)\| < \eta$.

Definition. Uniform convergence: $\forall \eta > 0 \exists T > 0$ such that $\forall t_0 \geq 0$ and $\forall t \geq t_0 + T$ follows $\|x(t)\| < \eta$.

Definition. Point $x^* = 0$ is globally uniformly asymptotically stable if it is uniformly stable with $\delta \rightarrow \infty$ for $\epsilon \rightarrow \infty$ and $\forall c, \eta \exists T > 0$ such that $\forall t_0 \geq 0$ from $\|x_0\| < c$ follows $\|x(t)\| < \eta$, $\forall t \geq t_0 + T$.

Theorem 0.1 (Lyapunov's direct method). Let $f : [0, \infty) \times D \rightarrow R^n$ is continuous and let $x^* = 0$ be equilibrium point. If there is a differentiable function $V : [0, \infty) \times D \rightarrow R$ with:

- $W_1(x) \leq V(t, x) \leq W_2(x)$, $\forall t \geq 0, x \in D$
- $\dot{V}(t, x) \leq 0$, $\forall t \geq 0, x \in D$

where $W_1, W_2 : D \rightarrow R$ continuous and positive definite, then $x^* = 0$ is uniformly stable.

If further $\dot{V}(t, x) \leq -W_3(x)$, $\forall t \geq 0, x \in D$ with $W_3 : D \rightarrow R$ continuous and positive definite, the $x^* = 0$ is uniformly asymptotically stable.

If $D = R^n$ and W_1 is radially unbounded then $X^* = 0$ is globally uniformly asymptotically stable.

Definition. A function $\alpha : [0, \delta) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ is (of) "class K " if it is continuous, strictly increasing, and $\alpha(0) = 0$.

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Definition. A function $\beta : [0, \delta) \times [0, \delta) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ is "class KL " if it is continuous, $\beta(\cdot, s) \in K$ for all fixed s , and for each fixed r , $\beta(r, \cdot)$ is strictly decreasing: $\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \beta(r, s) = 0$

Lemma 2. The equilibrium $x^* = 0$ of $\dot{x}(t) = f(t, x(t))$ is uniformly stable iff $\exists \alpha \in K$ and $c > 0$ s.t. $\forall t \geq t_0, \forall \|x(t_0)\| < c$ and $\|x(t)\| \leq \alpha(\|x(t_0)\|)$.

Lemma 3. The equilibrium $x^* = 0$ of $\dot{x}(t) = f(t, x(t))$ is uniformly asymptotically stable iff $\exists \beta \in KL$ and $c > 0$ s.t. $\forall t \geq t_0, \forall \|x(t_0)\| < c$ and $\|x(t)\| \leq \beta(\|x(t_0)\|, t - t_0)$.

System with inputs

Definition. System (??) is input-to-state stable (ISS) if $\exists \beta \in KL, \gamma \in K$ s.t. $\forall x_0 \in R^n, \forall t \geq 0$ follows $\|x(t)\| \leq \beta(\|x_0\|, t) + \gamma(\sup_{\tau \in [0, t]} \|u(\tau)\|)$.

Theorem 0.2. Suppose that there exists a continuously differentiable function $V : R^n \rightarrow R$ and $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in K_\infty$ and $\alpha_3, \rho \in K$ such that $\alpha_1(\|x\|) \leq V(x) \leq \alpha_2(\|x\|)$, $\forall x \in R^n$ and $\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} f(x, u) \leq -\alpha_3(\|x\|)$, $\forall x : \|x\| \geq \rho(\|u\|)$. Then (??) is ISS with $\gamma = \alpha_1^{-1} \circ \alpha_2 \circ \rho$

Theorem 0.3. Assume that:

- f is globally Lipschitz;
- $x = 0$ is a globally exponentially stable EP for $\dot{x} = f(x, 0)$

Then the system (??) is ISS.

Theorem 0.4 (Artstein). There exists $k : R^n \rightarrow R^m$ (state feedback) which is continuous on $R^n \setminus \{0\}$ s.t. $x^* = 0$ is globally asymptotically stable EP for $\dot{x} = f(x) + G(x)k(x)$ iff there exists a CLF.

Sontag's formula"
Fix $c \geq 0, a(x) := L_f V(x), b(x) := (L_G V(x))^T$

$$-cb(x) - \frac{a(x) + \sqrt{a(x)^2 + (b(x)^T b(x))^2}}{b(x)^T b(x)} b(x)^T$$

$$0, \quad b(x) = 0$$

Backstepping

Integrator backstepping

$$\dot{x}_1 = f_1(x_1) + g_1(x_1)x_2 \quad (1)$$

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

$$u = \left(-\frac{\partial V_1}{\partial e_1} g_1(e_1) + \dot{\alpha}_1\right) - k_2 e_2, \quad k_2 > 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\dot{x}_1 = f_1(x_1) + g_1(x_1)x_2$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = f_2(x_1, x_2) + g_2(x_1, x_2)u$$

$$u = \alpha_2(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{g_2(x_1, x_2)} \left(-\frac{\partial V_1}{\partial x_1} g_1(x_1) + \dot{\alpha}_1 - k_2(x_2 - \alpha_1(x_1)) - f_2(x_1, x_2)\right)$$

$$\alpha_i(x_1, \dots, x_i) = \frac{1}{g_i} (\dot{\alpha}_{i-1} - \frac{\partial V_{i-1}}{\partial e_{i-1}} g_{i-1}$$

$$-k_i(x_i - \alpha_{i-1}) - f_i)$$

Systems with inputs and outputs

Two-step approach:

- Bring $x(t)$ to $S := \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n | S(x) = 0\}$ in finite time
- Have $x(t)$ going to zero asymptotically (on S)

- switching between nodes 1 and 2
- mode 2 is "sliding mode"

$$V(X) = \frac{1}{2} s(x)^2$$

$$u = -\frac{1}{L_g s(x)} (L_f s(x) + \hat{u} \operatorname{sgn}(s(x))), \quad \hat{u} > 0$$

$$\dot{x} = f(x) + g(x)\sigma(x) + g(x)u$$

If $|\sigma(x)| \leq \beta(x)$

$$u = -\frac{L_f s(x)}{L_g s(x)} - \frac{1}{L_g s(x)} (\hat{u} + \beta(x)) |L_g s(x)| \operatorname{sgn}(s(x))$$

Definition (dissipativity).

$$S(x(t)) \leq S(x_0) + \int_0^t s(u(\tau), y(\tau)) d\tau \quad (3)$$

Introduce "available storage" $S_a(x)$

$$\sup_{u: [0, T] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m, T \geq 0, x(0)=0} (-\int_0^T s(u(\tau), y(\tau)) d\tau$$

Theorem 0.5. System is dissipative w.r.t. the supply rate s iff $S_a(x) < \infty$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$. Moreover, if $S_a(x) < \infty$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$, then S_a is a storage function and $S(x) \geq S_a(x) \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ for all storage functions S .

If system is dissipative then $x = 0$ is asymptotically stable.

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= f(x, u), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad u \in \mathbb{R}^m \\ y &= h(x), \quad y \in \mathbb{R}^m \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

Definition. System is passive if it is dissipative w.r.t. supply rate $s(u, y) = u^T y$

Definition. System is zero-state observable (ZSO) if (for $u(t) = 0$) $y(t) = 0$ for all $t \geq 0 \Rightarrow x(t) = 0$ for all $t \geq 0$

Theorem 0.6. Let system (4) be i) passive in differentiable storage set ii) ZSO. Then the feedback $u = -Py$, $P > 0$ renders the origin asymptotically stable.

Theorem 0.7. Feedback interconnection with $u \equiv 0$. H_1 and H_2 are ZSO and dissipative with S_1, S_2 w.r.t.

$$s_i(u_i, y_i) = u_i^T y_i - \rho_i y_i^T y_i - \nu_i u_i^T u_i, \quad i = 1, 2, \quad \rho, \nu \in \mathbb{R}$$

The origin $(x_1, x_2) = (0, 0)$ for interconnection is asymptotically stable if $\nu_1 + \rho_2 > 0$ and $\nu_2 + \rho_1 > 0$.

If is satisfied with $v_i = 0$: "output - feedback passive". If (??) satisfied with $p_i = 0$: "input - feedforward passive".