

Last time :

$$\dot{x} = f(x, u), \quad x(0) = x_0$$

$$y = h(x, u)$$



-  $H$  is L-stable if

$$\|Y_L\|_L \leq \alpha (\|u_L\|_L) + \beta$$

$$\begin{aligned} & Hu \in L^m_e \\ & \alpha \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

-  $H$  is L-stable with finite gain if

$$\|Y_L\|_L \leq \gamma \|u_L\|_L + \beta \quad \begin{aligned} & Hu \in L^m_e \\ & \gamma \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

- The smallest possible  $\gamma$  is called gain.

## Computing L<sub>2</sub>-gain:

- Linear sys.

$$\dot{\vec{X}} = A\vec{X} + B\vec{u}, \quad \vec{X}(0) = \vec{x}_0$$

$$\vec{Y} = C\vec{X} + D\vec{u}$$

- Assume A is Hurwitz  $\Rightarrow$  exp stable  $\Rightarrow$  L-stable

- We use freq. domain analysis to compute L<sub>2</sub>-gain

- Laplace - transform: ( $\vec{\hat{X}}(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \vec{X}(t) dt$ )

$$s\vec{\hat{X}}(s) = A\vec{\hat{X}}(s) + B\vec{\hat{u}}(s)$$

$$\vec{\hat{Y}}(s) = C\vec{\hat{X}}(s) + D\vec{\hat{u}}(s)$$

assume  $\vec{x}_0 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{\hat{Y}}(s) = G(s) \vec{\hat{U}}(s) \quad \text{where}$$

$$G(s) = (sI - A)^{-1}B + D$$

$$\xrightarrow{s=j\omega}$$

$$\vec{\hat{Y}}(j\omega) = G(j\omega) \vec{\hat{U}}(j\omega)$$

Fourier Transform (FT) of  $\vec{Y}(t)$

$$\vec{\hat{Y}}(j\omega) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-j\omega t} \vec{Y}(t) dt$$

Parseval's identity: for any signal  $X \in L_2$

$$\int_0^\infty \|X(t)\|^2 dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \|\hat{X}(j\omega)\|^2 d\omega$$

$$\Rightarrow \|Y\|_{L_2}^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \|\hat{Y}(j\omega)\|^2 d\omega$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \hat{U}(j\omega)^* G(j\omega) G(j\omega) \hat{U}(j\omega) d\omega$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \|G(j\omega)\|_2^2 \|\hat{U}(j\omega)\|^2 d\omega$$

$$\leq \sup_w \|G(j\omega)\|_2^2 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^\infty \|\hat{U}(j\omega)\|^2 d\omega$$

$$\leq \sup_w \|G(j\omega)\|_2^2 \|u\|_{L_2}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|Y\|_{L_2} \leq \underbrace{\left( \sup_w \|G(j\omega)\|_2 \right)}_{\text{L}_2\text{-gain}} \|u\|_{L_2}$$

also called  $H_\infty$ -norm  
in robust control

$L_2$ -gain

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- It can be shown that this is the smallest possible number.

- Now consider an affine control system

$$\dot{x} = f(x) + \underbrace{G(x)u}_{n \times m \text{ matrix}}$$

$$y = h(x)$$

- Assume  $f(0) = 0$  and  $h(0) = 0$

- Assume there exists a Lyapunov function  $V$  and positive const.  $\gamma$  s.t.

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial x} f(x) + \frac{1}{2\gamma^2} \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} G(x) G(x)^T \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{2} \|h(x)\|^2 \leq 0 \quad \forall x \quad (*)$$

- Then

$$\dot{V}(x) = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} f(x) + \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} G(x) u$$

$$= \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} f(x) + \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} G(x) u \pm \frac{\gamma}{2} \|u\|^2 \pm \frac{1}{2\gamma} \|G(x) \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}\|^2$$

$$= \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} f(x) - \frac{1}{2} \left\| \sqrt{\gamma} u - \frac{1}{\sqrt{\gamma}} G(x) \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \right\|^2 + \frac{\gamma}{2} \|u\|^2$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2\gamma^2} \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} G(x) G(x)^T \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}$$

$$\stackrel{(*)}{\leq} \frac{\gamma}{2} \|u\|^2 - \frac{1}{2} \|h(x)\|^2$$

Therefore, using  $V = h(x)$

$$\dot{V}(x) \leq \frac{1}{2} \gamma^2 \|u\|^2 - \frac{1}{2} \|y\|^2$$

- Integrating over a trajectory

$$V(x(t)) - V(x_0) \leq \frac{\gamma^2}{2} \int_0^t \|u(s)\|^2 ds - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \|y(s)\|^2 ds$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^t \|y(s)\|^2 ds \leq \gamma^2 \int_0^t \|u(s)\|^2 ds + 2V(x_0)$$

$$t \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \|y\|_{L_2}^2 \leq \gamma^2 \|u\|_{L_2}^2 + 2V(x_0)$$

taking  $\sqrt{\phantom{x}}$

$$\Rightarrow \|y\|_{L_2} \leq \gamma \|u\|_{L_2} + \sqrt{2V(x_0)}$$

$$\text{and } \sqrt{a^2+b^2} \leq a+b$$

$$\Rightarrow L_2\text{-stable with gain } \leq \gamma$$

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- The ineq. for  $V$  is called Hamilton-Jacobi ineq.

- It is possible to find  $V$  that satisfies

HJ ineq. even if the sys.  $\dot{x} = f(x)$  is not exp. stable.

Example :

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

$$\dot{x}_2 = -\alpha x_1^3 - Kx_2 + u$$

$$Y = X_2$$

- It is affine in control ✓
- $V(X) = \frac{1}{2}x_2^2 + \frac{1}{4}\alpha x_1^4$  is a Lyapunov function for unforced system (it is the energy)
- we try  $V(X) = b(\frac{1}{2}x_2^2 + \frac{\alpha}{4}x_1^4)$  for  $b > 0$  as candidate that solves HJ ineq.

$$\bullet \quad \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} f(x) = b [ \alpha x_1^3, x_2 ] \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ -\alpha x_1^3 - Kx_2 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= -b K x_2^2$$

$$\bullet \quad \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} G(x) = b [ \alpha x_1^3, x_2 ] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= b x_2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \Theta \Leftrightarrow G_{xx}^T \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}^T = (bx_2)^2 = b^2 x_2^2$$

- $\|h(x)\|^2 = x_2^2$

Hf ineq.

$$\Leftrightarrow -bKx_2^2 + \frac{1}{2\gamma^2} b^2 x_2^2 + \frac{1}{2} x_2^2 \leq 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \left( -bK + \frac{b^2}{2\gamma^2} + \frac{1}{2} \right) x_2^2 \leq 0$$

- so, we need to choose  $\gamma, b > 0$  s.t.

$$-bK + \frac{b^2}{2\gamma^2} + \frac{1}{2} \leq 0$$

- we choose  $b$  that minimizes the LHS

$$-K + \frac{b}{\gamma^2} = 0 \Rightarrow b = K\gamma^2$$

- Therefore, with  $b = K\gamma^2$

$$-\frac{K^2\gamma^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \leq 0 \Rightarrow \gamma^2 \geq \frac{1}{K^2}$$

- we choose  $\gamma \geq \frac{1}{K} \Rightarrow \lambda_2\text{-gain} \leq \frac{1}{K}$

K Y P or bounded real lemma:

→ Kalman - Popov - Yakubovich

- Consider the linear sys.

$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$$

$$y = Cx$$

- we saw that  $\sup_w \|H(j\omega)\|_2$  is the  $L_2$ -gain
- HJ inequality provides another way to compute the  $L_2$ -gain.
- Let  $V(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^T P x$ . Then HJ ineq is

$$\frac{1}{2} x^T (PA + A^T P)x + \frac{1}{2\gamma^2} x^T P B B^T P x + \frac{1}{2} x^T C^T C x \leq 0$$

HJ

$$\Leftrightarrow PA + A^T P + \frac{1}{\gamma^2} PB B^T P + C^T C \leq 0$$

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matrix

- So if we can find a p.d. matrix  $P$   
that solves the inequality, the system  
has  $L_2$  gain smaller than  $\gamma$ .
- The problem of finding the smallest +  
constant  $\gamma > 0$  can be formulated as an  
optimization problem

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min \gamma & \text{s.t.} \\ \gamma > 0 \\ P \succeq 0 \end{array}$$

$$PA + A^T P + PB^T B P + C^T C \leq 0$$

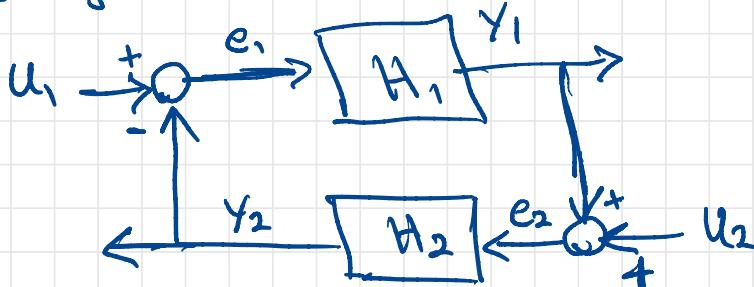
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- This is a convex problem  
actually a semi-definite programming (SDP)
- It is another way to compute the  $L_2$  gain  
of a linear system.

# Feedback sys: Small-gain thm

- Feedback sys.



- Assume the feedback sys is well-defined:

for every input  $u_1, u_2 \in L_\epsilon$ , there exists well-defined output  
 $y_1, y_2 \in L_\epsilon$

- Overall system

$$\text{input: } u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{output: } y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Assume  $H_1$  and  $H_2$  are L-stable with finite-gain

$$\|Y_1\|_L \leq \gamma_1 \|e_1\|_L + \beta_1$$

$$\|Y_2\|_L \leq \gamma_2 \|e_2\|_L + \beta_2$$

- Question: is the overall sys L-stable?

## Small-gain thm:

- Feedback connection is finite-gain L-stable if  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2 < 1$ .

Proof:

$$e_1 = u_1 - \gamma_2$$

$$e_2 = u_2 + \gamma_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \|e_1\|_L &\leq \|u_1\|_L + \|\gamma_2\|_L \\ &\leq \mu_1 \|u_1\|_L + \gamma_2 \|e_2\|_L + \beta_2 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \|e_2\|_L &\leq \|u_2\|_L + \|\gamma_1\|_L \\ &\leq \mu_2 \|u_2\|_L + \gamma_1 \|e_1\|_L + \beta_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \|e_1\|_L &\leq \|u_1\|_L + \gamma_2 \|u_2\|_L + \gamma_1 \gamma_2 \|e_1\|_L \\ &\quad + \beta_2 + \gamma_2 \beta_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\gamma_1 \gamma_2 < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \|e_1\|_L \leq \frac{1}{1 - \gamma_1 \gamma_2} \left( \underbrace{\|u_1\|_L + \gamma_2 \|u_2\|_L + \beta_2 + \gamma_1 \beta_1}_{\leq (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2) \|u\|_L} \right)$$

Similarly

$$\|e_2\| \leq \frac{1}{1-\gamma_1\gamma_2} \left( \|u_2\| + \underbrace{\gamma_1 \|u_1\| + \beta_1 + \gamma_1 \beta_2}_{\leq (1+\gamma_1) \|u\|_L} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \|e\|_L \leq \|e_1\|_L + \|e_2\|_L$$

$$\leq \frac{2 + \gamma_1 + \gamma_2}{1 - \gamma_1 \gamma_2} \|u\|_L + \beta$$

$$\beta = \frac{(1+\gamma_2)\beta_1 + (1+\gamma_1)\beta_2}{1 - \gamma_1 \gamma_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|y\|_L \leq \|e\|_L + \|u\|_L$$

$$\leq \left( \frac{2 + \gamma_1 + \gamma_2}{1 - \gamma_1 \gamma_2} + 1 \right) \|u\|_L + \beta$$

$\Rightarrow$  L-stable with finite gain.