

### Part III:

- input-output sys.

$$\dot{x} = f(x, u) \quad \xrightarrow{u} H \quad y = h(x, u)$$

$$f(0, 0) = 0, \quad h(0, 0) = 0$$

- input-output stability (with finite gain)

$$\|y\|_L \leq \gamma \|u\|_L + c$$

↙ Signal norm   ↘ smallest possible const. is gain.

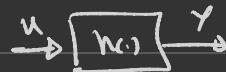
- $L_2$ -gain of a lin. sys.  
 (assumes  $A$  is Hurwitz)
 
$$\max_w \underbrace{\|\tilde{G}(jw)\|_2}_{\text{transfer func.}}$$

- Lyapunov method:

$$\dot{V} \leq \alpha^2 \|u\|^2 - \beta^2 \|y\|^2$$

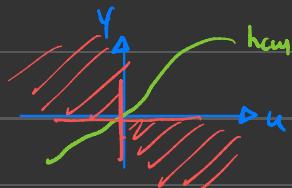
$\Rightarrow L_2$ -stable wth gain  $\gamma \leq \frac{\alpha}{\beta}$

- passive memoryless systems



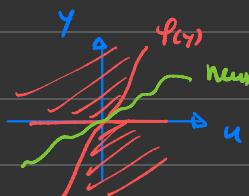
passive

$$0 \leq u^T y$$

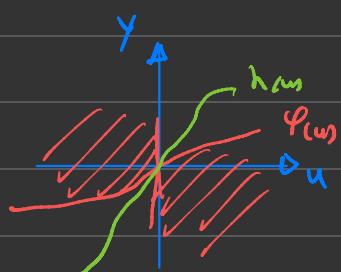


output s.p.

$$0 \leq u^T y - y^T \varphi(y)$$

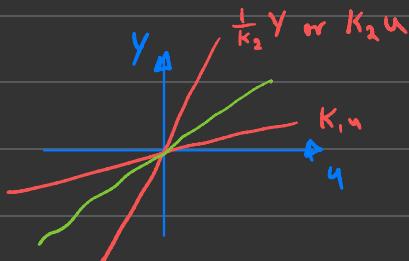


input s.p.  $0 \leq u^T y - u^T \varphi(u)$



- Special case : output s.p. with  $\varphi(y) = \frac{1}{K_2} y$   $K_2 > K_1$   
and input s.p. with  $\varphi(u) = K_1 u$

then we say  $h$  belongs to  
the sector  $[K_1, K_2]$



- dynamic passive sys: find  $V(x)$  s.t.  $\dot{V}(x) \geq 0$  &  
 $\dot{V}(x) = 0$

passive  $\dot{V} \leq u^T y$

output s.p.  $\dot{V} \leq u^T y - y^T \varphi(y)$

s.p.  $\dot{V} \leq u^T y - W(x)$

- passivity and stability: when  $u=0$

passive  $\Rightarrow$  stable

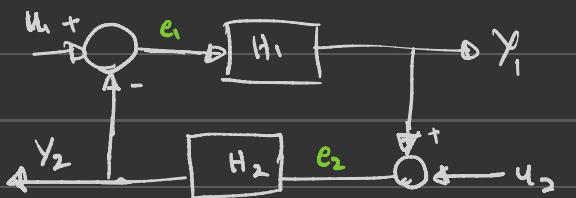
s.p.  $\Rightarrow$  A.S.

output s.p. + zero-state obs  $\Rightarrow$  A.S.

- passivity and input-output stability:

$$\dot{V} \leq u^T y - \delta \|y\|^2 \Rightarrow L_2\text{-stable with } \gamma \leq \frac{1}{\delta}$$

# Feedback systems:



- Small gain thm:

$H_1$  is L-stable with gain  $\gamma_1$

and  $H_2 = \gamma_2$   $\Rightarrow$  feedback sys

and  $\gamma_1 \gamma_2 < 1$  is L-stable.

- Passivity:

- $H_1$  and  $H_2$  are passive  $\Rightarrow$  stable feedback sys.

when  $u=0$

- $H_1$  and  $H_2$  are either s.p. or output s.p.  $\Rightarrow$  zero-start abs

$\Rightarrow$  A.S. feedback sys.

$$\dot{V}_1 \leq u_1^T y_1 - \varepsilon_1 \|u_1\|^2 - \delta_1 \|y_1\|^2$$

$$\dot{V}_2 \leq u_2^T y_2 - \varepsilon_2 \|u_2\|^2 - \delta_2 \|y_2\|^2 \Rightarrow L_2\text{-stable feedback system.}$$

$$\varepsilon_1 + \delta_1 > 0 \text{ and } \varepsilon_2 + \delta_2 > 0$$

## Example :

- Consider the sys  $\begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(x, u) \\ y = h(x) \end{cases} \quad \text{f} \in H$

- Assume

① passive with radially unbd storage func.

② zero-state obs.

- Then  $x=0$  is GAS with output feed back control

$$u = -K(y) \quad \text{if} \quad y^T K(y) > 0 \quad \forall y \neq 0$$

- To see this, use the storage func. of  $H$  as a candidate Lyapunov func.

$$\overset{\text{Passivity}}{\dot{V}} \leq u^T y = -y^T K(y) < 0 \quad \forall y \neq 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  LaSalle + zero-state obs  $\Rightarrow$  A.S.  $\Rightarrow$  GAS.  
radially unbd

## Central Lyapunov functions:

- Consider the sys.

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

assume  $f(0, 0) = 0$

- Objective: design a control law  $u = k(x)$  to make  
the sys. A.S.

### Example:

①  $\dot{x} = x^2 + xu, \quad x, u \in \mathbb{R}$

Let  $u = k(x) = -x - 1$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{x} = x^2 + x(-x - 1) = -x \rightarrow \text{GAS.}$$

What if we want  $K(0) = 0$  so that the input is zero when  $x = 0$

$$\text{let } u = k(x) = -x - x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{x} = x^2 - x(-x - x^2) = -x^3 \rightarrow \text{GAS.}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \dot{x} = x + x^2 u$$

$$\text{let } u = k(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{2}{x} & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Not Continuous} \\ \text{Control law} \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{x} = -x \rightarrow \text{GAS.}$$

↓  
In fact it can be shown  
that it is impossible  
to stabilize this  
with a cont. control law

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \dot{x} = x + x^2(x-1)u$$

→ impossible to stabilize because there is

no control authority when  $x=1$ .

→ How to design stabilizing control laws? → Lyapunov functions.

Def:  $V: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a Control Lyapunov Function (CLF)

for  $\dot{x} = f(x, u)$  if  $V$  is p.d. and

$$\min_u \frac{\dot{V}(x, u) < 0}{\nabla V(x)^T f(x, u)}$$

or  $\forall x \neq 0, \exists u \text{ s.t. } \dot{V}(x, u) < 0$

- let  $\Omega(x) = \{u ; \dot{V}(x, u) < 0\} \rightarrow \text{set of all control inputs}$
- Then, for any control law that decrease  $V$

s.t.  $K(x) \in \Omega(x) \quad \forall x$ , the sys. becomes A.S.

because  $\overset{a}{\dot{V}}(x, K(x)) < 0$

- We will focus on the special class of control affine systems  $\rightarrow$  we will give simple condition to check

CLF conditions

 we will give an analytical formula for  $K(x)$

## Control affine systems:

$$(\text{**}) \quad \overset{\circ}{x} = f(x) + g(x)u$$

where  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $f(x) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $g(x) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ ,  $u \in \mathbb{R}^m$

$$\text{Example: } \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_2^3 u_1 \\ x_2^2 + \cos(x_1) u_2 \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}}_{f(x)} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x_2^3 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(x_1) \end{bmatrix}}_{g(x)} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}}_u$$

Lemma:

$V$  is a CLF for  $(\text{**})$  iff

$$\forall x \neq 0 \text{ s.t. } \nabla V(x)^T g(x) = 0, \text{ we have } \nabla V(x)^T f(x) < 0$$

Thm:

Suppose  $(\text{**})$  has a CLF. Then,  $\exists$  feedback control law  $K(x)$  that makes  $(\text{**})$  A.S.. And  $K$  is  $C'$  away from 0.

Sontag's formula for  $K(x)$ :

$$\text{define } b(x) = \nabla V(x)^T g(x) \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$a(x) = \nabla V(x)^T f(x) \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\alpha(x) = \frac{a(x) + \sqrt{a(x)^2 + \|b(x)\|_2^2}}{\|b(x)\|_2^2}$$

then

$$K(x) = \begin{cases} -\alpha(x) b(x) & \text{if } b(x) \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$