

Lyapunov-based controller design.
Sliding-mode control.

$$\begin{array}{l} \dot{x} = f(x, u) \\ u \leftarrow \rho(x) \end{array} \quad \left| \rightarrow \quad \begin{array}{l} \dot{x} = f(x, \rho(x)) \\ = f'(x) \end{array}$$

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

$$x_e \neq 0 \Rightarrow x_{\text{new}} := x - x_e$$

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$



$$\|x(t)\| \rightarrow 0$$

$$\sqrt{x^{(1)2} + x^{(2)2} + \dots}$$

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$$1. \quad \alpha_1(\|x\|) \leq L(x) \leq \alpha_2(\|x\|), \quad \forall x$$

$$\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathcal{K}_\infty$$

Latex: \mathcal{K}

"kappa-infinity" (class)

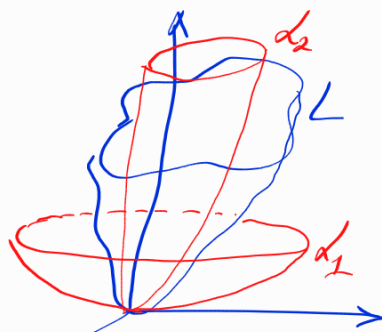
$$\alpha \in \mathcal{K}_\infty \Rightarrow \alpha: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\alpha(0) = 0$$

α strictly increasing

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \alpha(x) = \infty$$





mathcal{D} \quad 2. \quad \forall x \quad \mathcal{D}L(x) \leq -d_3(\|x\|)

$$d_3 \in K_\infty$$

Some facts

$$1. \quad d_1(\|x\|) \leq L(x) \leq d_2(\|x\|)$$

$$\Rightarrow d_2^{-1}(L) \leq \|x\| \leq d_1^{-1}(L), \quad L \in \mathbb{R}$$

Start at x_0 , $L_0 := L(x_0)$

$$2. \quad \mathcal{D}L \leq 0 \Rightarrow \forall t \quad L(x(t)) \leq L_0$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall t \quad \|x(t)\| \leq d_1^{-1}(L_0)$$

$\epsilon - \delta$

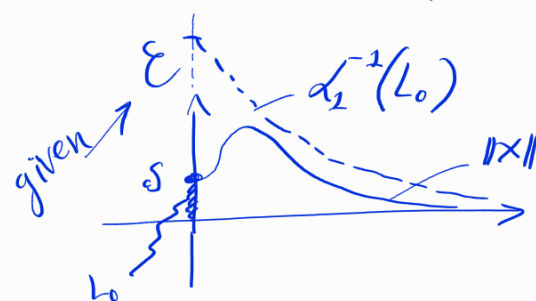
Recall: $\forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists \delta > 0 \text{ s.t. } \|x_0\| \leq \delta \Rightarrow$
 $\forall t \geq 0 \quad \|x(t)\| \leq \epsilon$

Now, using our: L

Given $\epsilon > 0$, define $\delta := d_2^{-1}(d_1(\epsilon))$

So, if $\|x_0\| \leq d_2^{-1}(d_1(\epsilon))$

$$\Rightarrow L_0 \leq d_2(\|x_0\|) \leq d_1(\epsilon)$$



$$\Rightarrow \forall t \geq 0 \quad L(x(t)) \leq L_0 \leftarrow$$

$$\text{Apply } d_1^{-1} \text{ both sides: } \|x(t)\| \leq d_1^{-1}(L_0) \leq \varepsilon$$

Student:

$$\|x(t)\| \leq d_1^{-1}(\underbrace{L(x(t))}_{\leq L_0}) \leq d_1^{-1}(L(x(0)) \leq d_1^{-1}(d_2(\|x(0)\|)) \leq d_1^{-1}(d_2(\varepsilon)) = \delta$$

Decay

$$\dot{L} \leq -d_3(\|x\|)$$

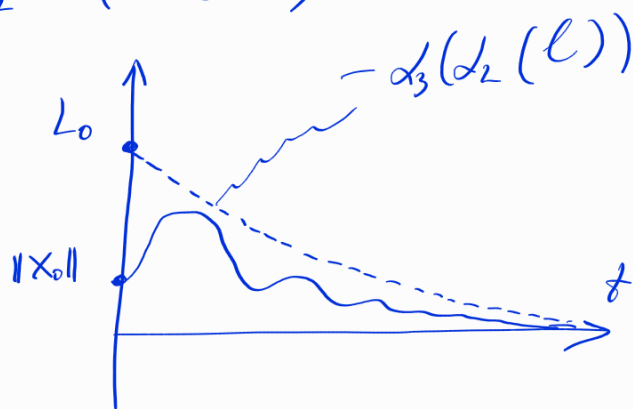
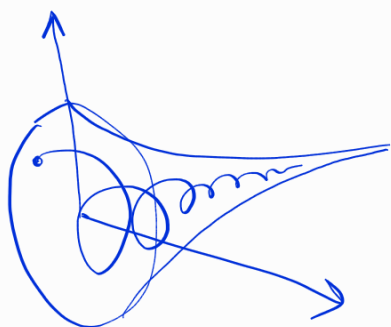
$$\Rightarrow \dot{L} \leq -d_3(d_2(L_t))$$

$$\text{Consider an IVP: } \dot{\ell} = -d_3(d_2(\ell)) \\ \ell(0) = L_0$$

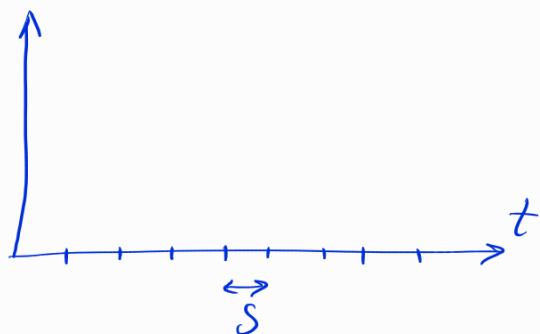
By a comparison principle,

$$\forall t \quad L_t \leq \ell(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall t \quad \|x(t)\| \leq d_1^{-1}(\ell(t))$$



Imagine we analyze L_t in δ -steps

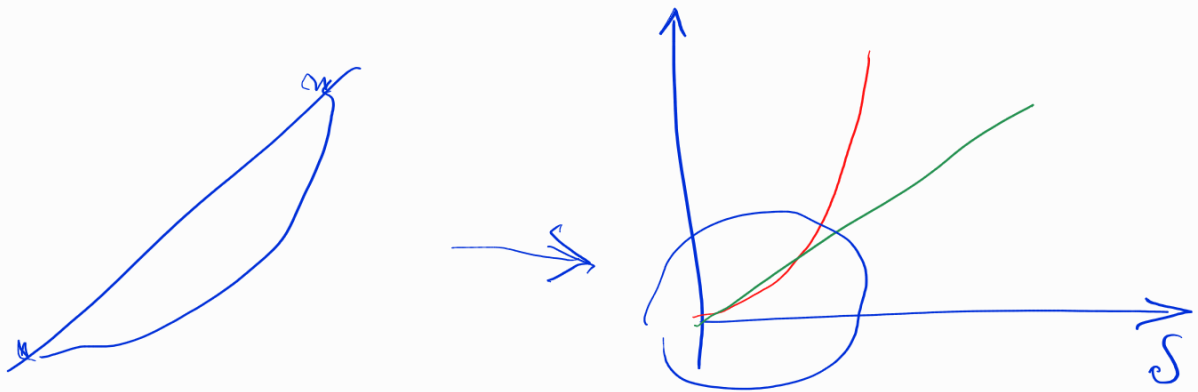


$$t_1 := (k+1)\delta, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$$

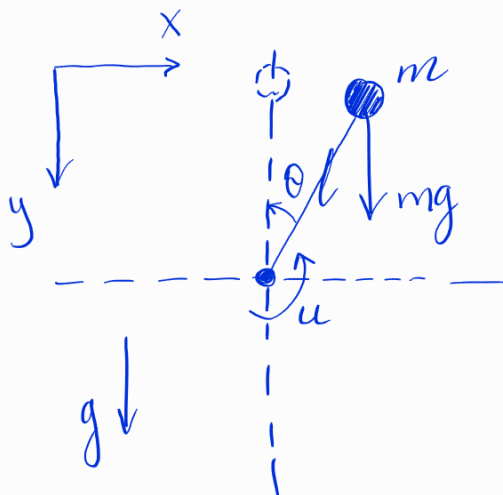
$$t_0 := k\delta$$

What happens from one step to another?

$$\begin{aligned} L_{t_1} - L_{t_0} &= \delta \langle \nabla L_{t_0}, f(x(t_0)) \rangle + \mathcal{O}(\delta^2) \\ &\leq \delta \dot{L}_{t_0} + \mathcal{O}(\delta^2) \\ &\leq -\delta \alpha_3(\|x(t_0)\|) + \mathcal{O}(\delta^2) \end{aligned}$$



Example: energy-based control of an inverted pendulum



$$J = ml^2$$

$$J\ddot{\theta} = -mgl \sin \theta + u \Rightarrow$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = -\frac{g}{l} \sin \theta + \frac{u}{ml^2}$$

State vector: $x := \begin{pmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \end{pmatrix}$

So,

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_1 &= x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -\frac{g}{l} \sin x_1 + \frac{u}{ml^2} \end{aligned}$$

Energy :

$$E_{tot} = E_{pot} + E_{kin}$$

$$= mg(l - l \cos \theta) + \frac{m(\dot{\theta} l)^2}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{mv^2}{2} \\ & v = \dot{\theta} l \\ & \frac{m \dot{\theta}^2 l^2}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$= mg(l - l \cos x_1) + \frac{m(x_2 l)^2}{2}$$

$$= mgl(1 - \cos x_1) + \frac{1}{2} m l^2 x_2^2$$

Target energy : $E^* = 0$

Candidate Lyapunov function:

$$L := \frac{1}{2} E_{tot}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{L} = E_{tot} \dot{E}_{tot}$$

$$= E_{tot} x_2 u$$

\Rightarrow a control policy choice could be

$$u \leftarrow -k x_2 E_{tot}, \quad k > 0 \text{ control gain}$$

$$\text{Then, } \dot{L} = -k x_2^2 E_{tot}^2$$