

## EE 5323 - HW06

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HW06 – Lyapunov Stability Analysis, LaSalle's Extension, and UUB

EE 5323 – Nonlinear Systems

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### Exercise 1

#### LaSalle's Extension

Consider the system from HW05,

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = x_2 + x_1(x_1^2 - 2) \\ \dot{x}_2 = -x_1 \end{cases}$$

We used a quadratic Lyapunov Function to show this system is locally SISL. And we found the region within which  $\dot{V} \leq 0$ . Use LaSalle's extension to verify that the system is AS. Find the equilibrium point.

#### Answer

4.a) Lyapunov function candidate:  $V(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{2}(x_1^2 + x_2^2) > 0$

$$\dot{V} = \frac{\partial V^\top}{\partial x} \dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial V}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow$$

$$\dot{V} = x_1 \dot{x}_1 + x_2 \dot{x}_2$$

Now we plug in system dynamics to check stability,

$$\dot{V} = x_1(x_2 + x_1(x_1^2 - 2)) + x_2(-x_1) \Rightarrow$$

$$\dot{V} = \cancel{x_1 x_2} - x_1^2(x_1^2 - 2) - \cancel{x_1 x_2}$$

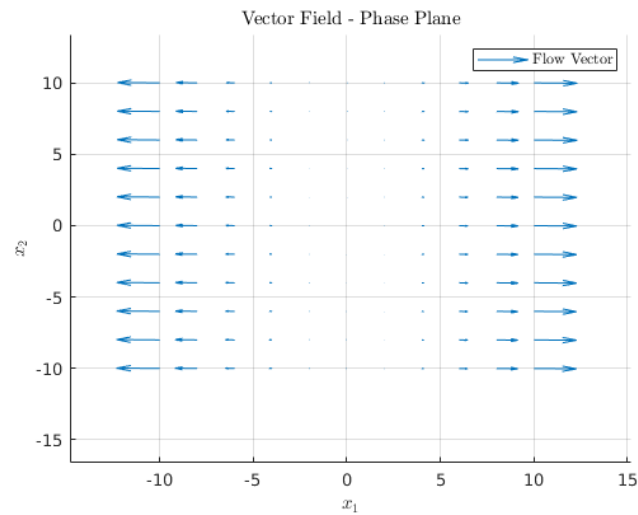
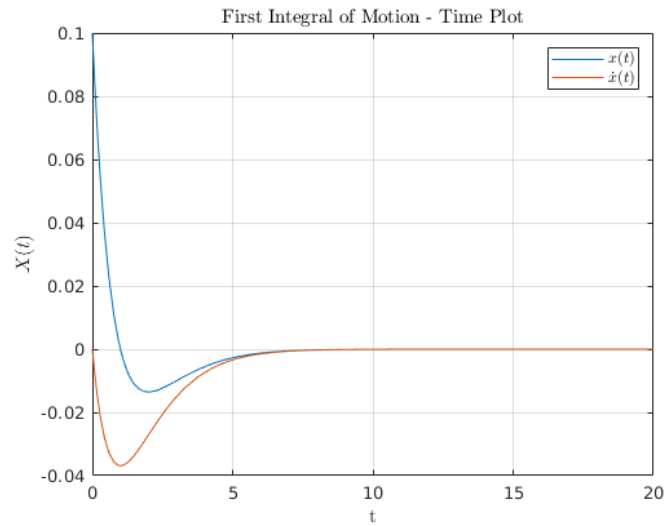
$$\dot{V} = -x_1^2(x_1^2 - 2) \leq 0$$

Thus, the system is *asymptotically stable* (AS) and it is bound by a region with radius of  $\sqrt{2}$ . Moreover, we know  $\dot{x} \rightarrow 0$ ; thus, per LaSalle's extension,  $\ddot{x} \rightarrow 0$  must hold true (not used in system dynamics). We proceed with plugging in the resulting  $x_1$  in the system dynamics equation.

$$\dot{V} = -x_1^2(x_1^2 - 2) \leq 0 \Rightarrow \dot{V} \rightarrow 0, \quad x_1 \mid x_1^2 - 2 = 0; \Rightarrow x_1 = \pm \sqrt{2}$$

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = x_2 + x_1(x_1^2 - 2) \\ \dot{x}_2 = -x_1 \end{cases}$$

4.b) Simulation:

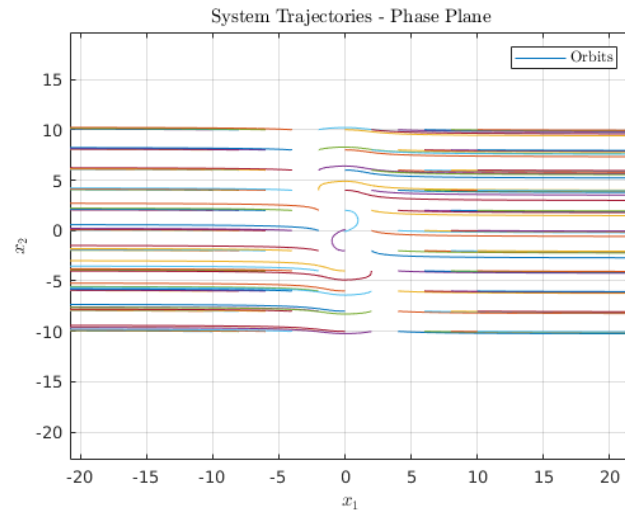


## Matlab Code

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1 %% HW05 - Q04 - AS
2 % @author: Bardia Mojra
3 % @date: 10/28/2021
4 % @title HW05 - Q04 - SISL Simulation
5 % @class ee5323 - Nonlinear Systems
6 % @professor - Dr. Frank Lewis
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8 clc
9 clear
10 close all
11 warning('off','all')
12 warning
13
14 % part a
15 t_intv= [0 20];
16 x_0= [0.1, 0]'; % initial conditions for x(t)
17 figure

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18 [t,x]= ode23('q04_sys', t_intv, x_0);
19 plot(t,x)
20 hold on;
21 grid on;
22 title('First Integral of Motion - Time Plot','Interpreter','
    latex');
23 ylabel('$X(t)$','Interpreter','latex');
24 xlabel('t','Interpreter','latex');
25 legend('$x(t)$', '$\dot{x}(t)$','Interpreter','latex');
26
27 % part b
28 figure();
29 hold on;
30 grid on;
31 mesh = -10:2:10;
32 [x1,x2] = meshgrid(mesh,mesh);
33 dx1=[];
34 dx2=[];
35 N=length(x1);
36 for i=1:N
37     for j=1:N
38         dx = q04_sys(0, [x1(i,j);x2(i,j)]);
39         dx1(i,j) = dx(1);
40         dx2(i,j) = dx(2);
41     end
42 end
43 quiver(x1,x2,dx1,dx2);
44 ylabel('$x_2$','Interpreter','latex');
45 xlabel('$x_1$','Interpreter','latex');
46 legend('Flow Vector','Interpreter','latex');
47 title('Vector Field - Phase Plane','Interpreter','latex');
48 axis([-15 15 -15 15])
49

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50 % part c
51 figure
52 for i=mesh
53     for j=mesh
54         init=[i, j];
55         [t, x] = ode23(@q04_sys, [0 10], init);
56         plot(x(:,1),x(:,2))
57         hold on;
58     end
59 end
60 ylabel('$x_2$', 'Interpreter', 'latex');
61 xlabel('$x_1$', 'Interpreter', 'latex');
62 legend('Orbits', 'Interpreter', 'latex');
63 title('System Trajectories - Phase Plane', 'Interpreter', 'latex');
64 grid on;
65 axis([-50 50 -50 50])
66
67 %%
68 %
69 % function xdot = q04_sys(t,x)
70 %     xdot = [x(2) + x(1)*(x(1)^2-2); -x(1)];
71 % end

1 %% Part 1 Answer
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9
10 function xdot = q04_sys(t,x)
11     xdot = [x(2) + x(1)*(x(1)^2-2); -x(1)];
12 end

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## Exercise 2

### Limit Cycles

Consider the following system,

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = 4x^2y - f_1(x)(x^2 + 2y^2 - 4) \\ \dot{y} = 2x^3 - f_1(y)(x^2 + 2y^2 - 4) \end{cases}$$

where the continuous functions  $f_1(x), f_2(y)$  have the same sign as their argument. Show that the system tends towards a limit cycle independent of the explicit expressions of  $f_1(x), f_2(y)$ .

**Answer**

## Exercise 3

### UUB of a System with Disturbance

Consider the system on S&L p. 66 with a disturbance  $d$ ,

$$\dot{x} + c(x) + d = 0$$

Assume that  $c(x)ax^2$  with  $a > 0$  a known positive constant.

a. Assume that  $d$  is unknown but is bounded by  $\|d\| < D$  with  $D$  a known positive constant.

Prove that the system is UUB and find the bound on  $x(t)$ .

b. Assume that  $d$  is unknown but is bounded by  $\|d\| < D\|x\|$  with  $D$  a known positive constant.

Prove that the system is UUB and find the bound on  $x(t)$ .

### Answer

## Exercise 4

### Lyapunov Analysis

Use Lyapunov Equation to check the stability of the linear systems.

a.  $\dot{x} = Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -6 & -5 \end{bmatrix} x$

b.  $\dot{x} = Ax = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & 4 \\ -7 & 3 \end{bmatrix} x$

c.  $\dot{x} = Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x$

**Answer**