

1.(a)

$$x(k+1) = Ax(k) + Bu(k), \quad y(k) = Cx(k), \quad x_0 = [1 \quad 0 \quad 1]^T$$

$$J[x(m), m, S, N] = \frac{1}{2} x^T(N) S x(N) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=m}^{N-1} \{y^T(k) y(k) + u^T(k) R u(k)\}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad C = [10 \quad 0 \quad 0], \quad R = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q = C^T C = \begin{bmatrix} 100 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Characteristic equation of  $A$ :  $(s-1.2)(s^2+2)=0$ , so eigenvalues are 1.2 and  $\pm j\sqrt{2}$

All three are outside the unit circle. For  $\lambda=1.2$ ,

$$\text{rank}[\lambda I - A \quad B] = \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.2 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1.2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 3$$

$$\text{For } \lambda = j\sqrt{2}, \text{ rank}[\lambda I - A \quad B] = \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} j\sqrt{2}-1.2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & j\sqrt{2} & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & j\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 3$$

$$\text{For } \lambda = -j\sqrt{2}, \text{ rank}[\lambda I - A \quad B] = \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} -j\sqrt{2}-1.2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -j\sqrt{2} & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -j\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 3$$

All (unstable) eigenvalues are controllable by the above PBH test, so  $[A, B]$  is stabilizable.

$$\text{For } \lambda = 1.2, \text{ null} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda I - A \\ C \end{bmatrix} = 3 - \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.2 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1.2 \\ 10 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{For } \lambda = j\sqrt{2}, \text{ null} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda I - A \\ C \end{bmatrix} = 3 - \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} j\sqrt{2}-1.2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & j\sqrt{2} & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & j\sqrt{2} \\ 10 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 1$$

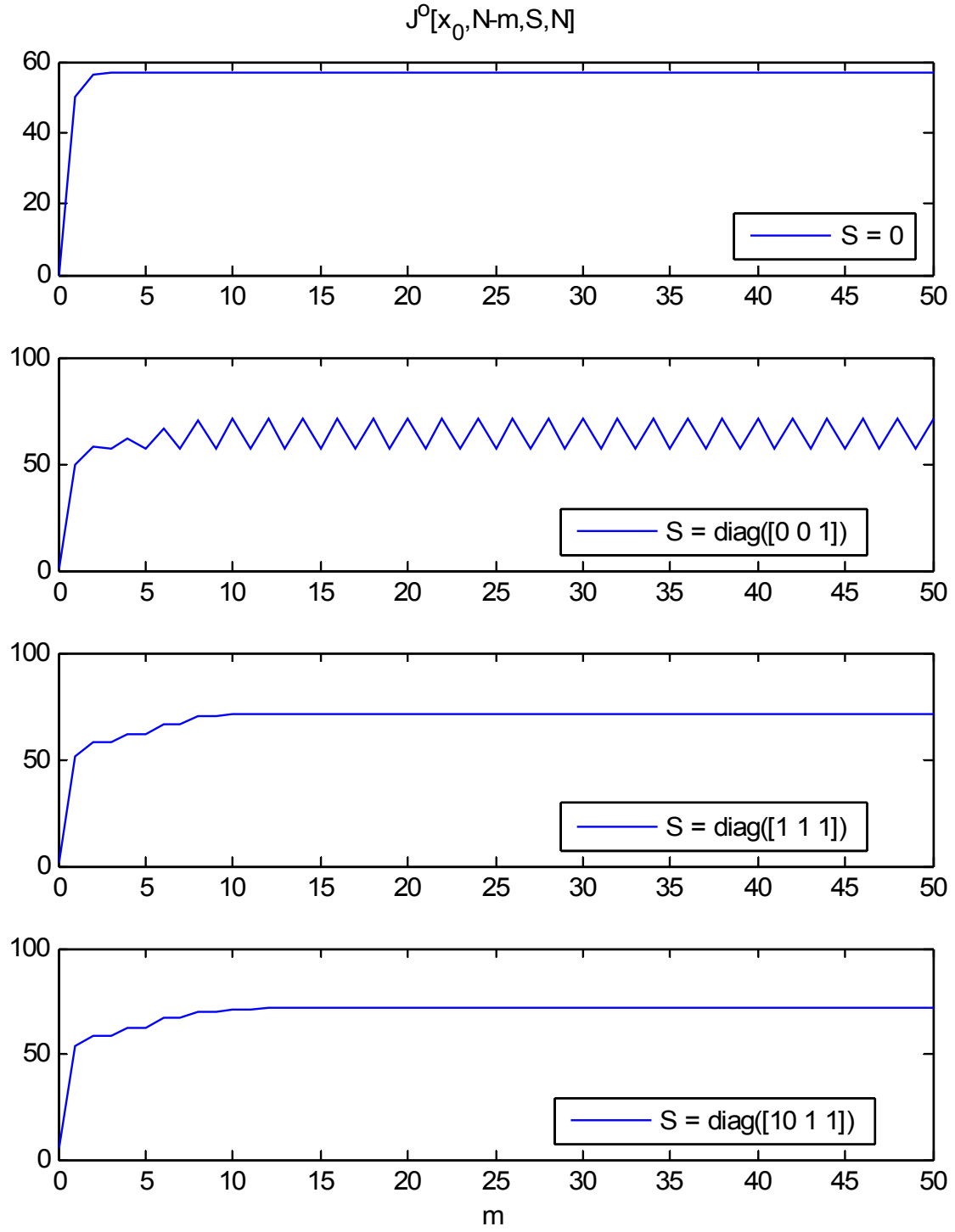
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The two complex unstable eigenvalues are unobservable so  $[A, C]$  is not detectable.

Riccati equation:  $P(k-1) = Q + A^T P(k) A - A^T P(k) B (R + B^T P(k) B)^{-1} B^T P(k) A$ ,  $P(N) = S$

$$J^o[x_0, m, S, N] = \min_{U_{[m, N-1]}} J[x_0, m, S, N] = \frac{1}{2} x_0^T P(m) x_0$$

$$\text{dare}(A, B, Q, R) = P_\infty = \begin{bmatrix} 113.2315 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 30 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$$



For  $S=0$ ,  $P(0)=P(1)=\begin{bmatrix} 113.2315 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , (converged to round-off precision)

For  $S = \text{Diag}(0,0,1)$ ,  $P(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 113.2315 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $P(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 113.2315 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 30 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

For  $S = \text{Diag}(1,1,1)$ ,  $P(0) = P(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 113.2315 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 30 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$ , (converged to  $2.3 \cdot 10^{-12}$ )

For  $S = \text{Diag}(10,1,1)$ ,  $P(0) = P(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 113.2315 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 30 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$ , (converged to  $2.3 \cdot 10^{-12}$ )

$[A, C]$  is not detectable so the Riccati difference equation did not converge to a unique solution.

The RDE solutions were bounded above, but depended on initial conditions - solution was oscillatory for the case of  $S = \text{Diag}(0,0,1)$

1.(b)

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $C = [10 \ 0 \ 0]$ ,  $R = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $Q = C^T C = \begin{bmatrix} 100 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Same characteristic equation and eigenvalues:  $(s-1.2)(s^2+2)=0$ ,  $\lambda=1.2$  and  $\pm j\sqrt{2}$

For  $\lambda=1.2$ ,  $\text{rank}[\lambda I - A \ B] = \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.2 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1.2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 3$

For  $\lambda=j\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\text{rank}[\lambda I - A \ B] = \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} j\sqrt{2}-1.2 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & j\sqrt{2} & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & j\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 3$

For  $\lambda=-j\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\text{rank}[\lambda I - A \ B] = \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} -j\sqrt{2}-1.2 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -j\sqrt{2} & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -j\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 3$

All (unstable) eigenvalues are controllable by the above PBH test, so  $[A, B]$  is again stabilizable.

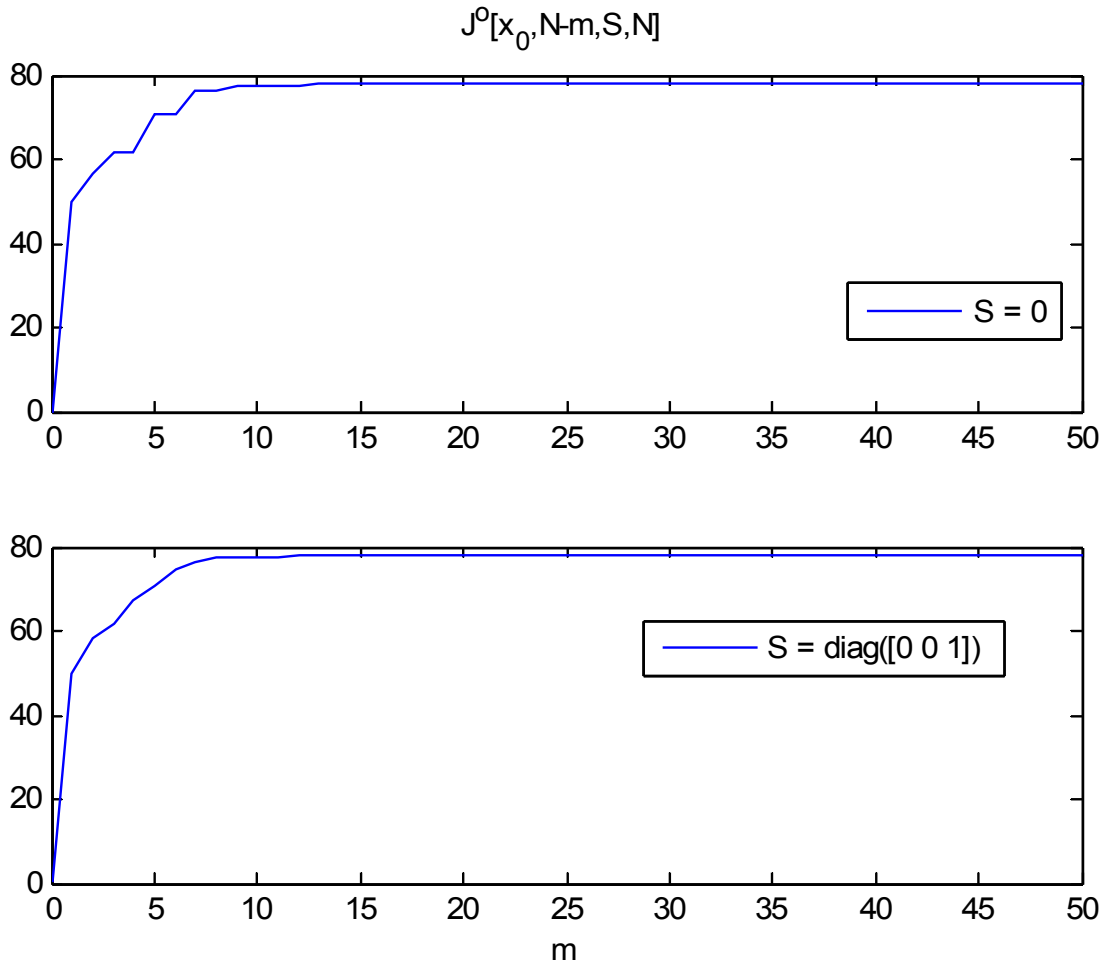
For  $\lambda=1.2$ ,  $\text{null} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda I - A \\ C \end{bmatrix} = 3 - \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.2 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1.2 \\ 10 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$

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All (unstable) eigenvalues are observable by the above PBH test, so this  $[A, C]$  is detectable.

$\text{dare}(A, B, Q, R) = P_\infty = \begin{bmatrix} 113.2312 & 10.9845 & 1.0685 \\ 10.9845 & 41.1428 & 0.6637 \\ 1.0685 & 0.6637 & 40.1572 \end{bmatrix}$



For  $S=0$ ,  $P(0)=P(1)=\begin{bmatrix} 113.2312 & 10.9845 & 1.0685 \\ 10.9845 & 41.1428 & 0.6637 \\ 1.0685 & 0.6637 & 40.1572 \end{bmatrix}$ , (converged to round-off precision)

For  $S=\text{Diag}(0,0,1)$ ,  $P(0)=P(1)=\begin{bmatrix} 113.2312 & 10.9845 & 1.0685 \\ 10.9845 & 41.1428 & 0.6637 \\ 1.0685 & 0.6637 & 40.1572 \end{bmatrix}$ , (converged to  $2^{-44}$ )

$[A, C]$  is detectable now so the Riccati difference equation converged to a unique solution.

The convergence dynamics are slightly smoother and faster for  $S=\text{Diag}(0,0,1)$  than for  $S=0$ .

1.(c)

$$A=\begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, B=\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, C=[0 \ 1 \ 0], R=0.1, Q=C^T C=\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Diagonal  $A$  matrix, so by inspection the eigenvalues are 0.8 and -1. The eigenvalue at -1 is on the unit circle, but since it has multiplicity 2 its Jordan block may not be size 1. It could potentially be unstable (depending on the rank of  $\lambda I - A$ ) so we need to check it.

$$\text{For } \lambda=-1, \text{rank}[\lambda I - A \ B]=\text{rank}\begin{bmatrix} -1.8 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}=3$$

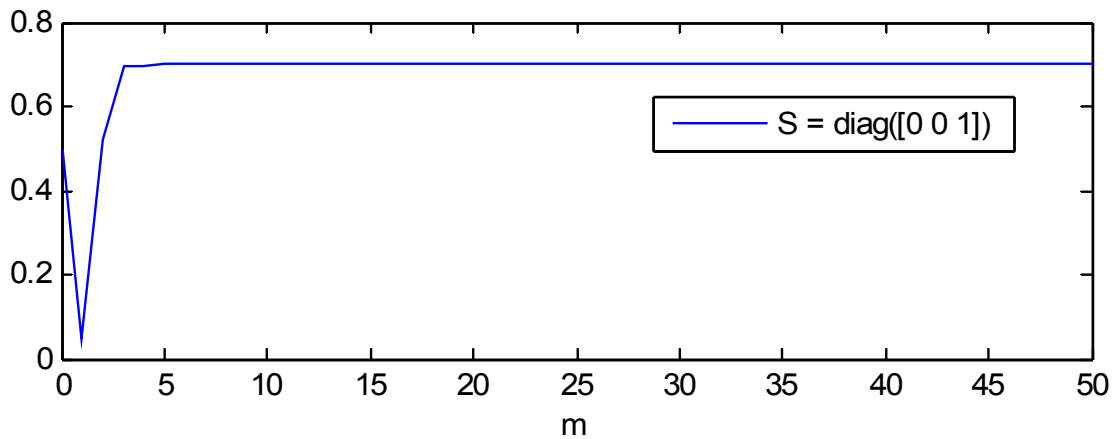
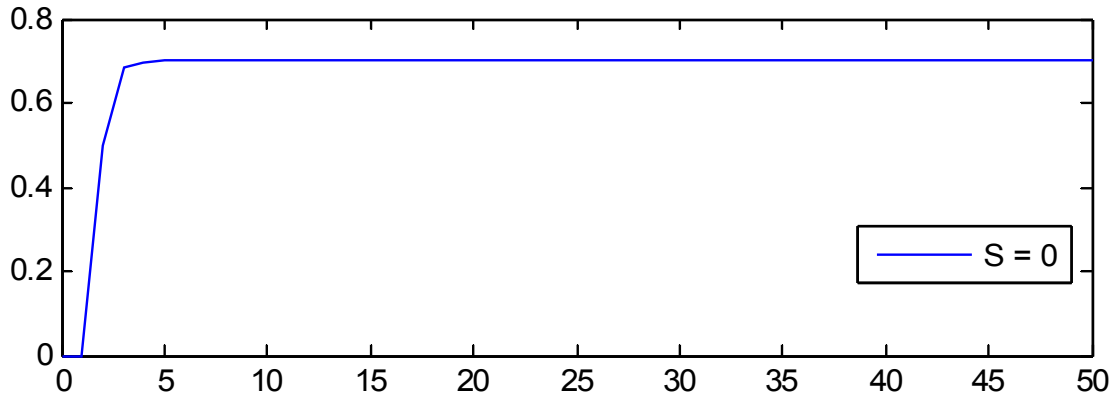
All potentially unstable eigenvalues are controllable, so this  $[A, B]$  is stabilizable.

For  $\lambda = -1$ ,  $\text{null} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda I - A \\ C \end{bmatrix} = 3 - \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} -1.8 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$

All potentially unstable eigenvalues are observable, so this  $[A, C]$  is detectable.

$\text{dare}(A, B, Q, R) = P_\infty = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2.1429 & -1.2246 \\ 0 & -1.2246 & 1.3996 \end{bmatrix}$

$J^0[x_0, N-m, S, N]$



For  $S=0$ ,  $P(0)=P(1)=\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2.1429 & -1.2246 \\ 0 & -1.2246 & 1.3996 \end{bmatrix}$ , (converged to round-off precision)

For  $S=\text{Diag}(0, 0, 1)$ ,  $P(0)=P(1)=\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2.1429 & -1.2246 \\ 0 & -1.2246 & 1.3996 \end{bmatrix}$ , (converged to round-off precision)

The RDE converged to a unique solution as expected with a stabilizable and detectable system. Other than the initial condition, the convergence dynamics are very similar for these choices of  $S$ .

2.

$$x(k+1) = Ax(k) + Bu(k), \quad x(0) \neq 0$$

$$J = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \{x^T(k) Q x(k) + 2x^T(k) S u(k) + u^T(k) R u(k)\}$$

$$Q = Q^T \geq 0, \quad R = R^T > 0, \quad \begin{bmatrix} Q & S \\ S^T & R \end{bmatrix} \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow Q - S R^{-1} S^T \geq 0$$

$$u(k) = -K_1 x(k) + u_1(k)$$

$$J = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \{x^T(k) Q x(k) + 2x^T(k) S (-K_1 x(k) + u_1(k)) + (-x^T(k) K_1^T + u_1^T(k)) R (-K_1 x(k) + u_1(k))\}$$

$$J = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \{x^T(k) Q x(k) - 2x^T(k) S K_1 x(k) + 2x^T(k) S u_1(k) + x^T(k) K_1^T R K_1 x(k) - x^T(k) K_1^T R u_1(k) - u_1^T(k) R K_1 x(k) + u_1^T(k) R u_1(k)\}$$

$$x^T(k) K_1^T R u_1(k) \text{ is a scalar so } x^T(k) K_1^T R u_1(k) = (x^T(k) K_1^T R u_1(k))^T = u_1^T(k) R K_1 x(k)$$

$$J = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \{x^T(k) (Q - 2S K_1 + K_1^T R K_1) x(k) + x^T(k) (2S - 2K_1^T R) u_1(k) + u_1^T(k) R u_1(k)\}$$

There are no cross terms between  $x(k)$  and  $u_1(k)$  if  $2S - 2K_1^T R = 0$

$$\text{So } K_1^T = S R^{-1} \text{ or } K_1 = (R^{-1})^T S^T = (R^T)^{-1} S^T = R^{-1} S^T$$

So this is equivalent to a standard LQR problem with  $Q - 2S K_1 + K_1^T R K_1$  in place of  $Q$

$$Q - 2S K_1 + K_1^T R K_1 = Q - 2S R^{-1} S^T + S R^{-1} R R^{-1} S^T = Q - S R^{-1} S^T$$

3.(a)

$$J = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \{y^2(k) + R u^2(k)\}$$

$$G(z) = C(zI - A)^{-1} B = \frac{z(z+2)}{(z-1)(z+0.5)(z-2)}$$

$$G(z^{-1}) = \frac{z^{-1}(z^{-1}+2)}{(z^{-1}-1)(z^{-1}+0.5)(z^{-1}-2)} = \frac{2z(z+0.5)}{(z-1)(z+2)(z-0.5)}$$

$$G(z^{-1})^T G(z) = \frac{2z^2(z+2)(z+0.5)}{(z-1)^2(z+0.5)(z-2)(z+2)(z-0.5)}$$

$$\text{Root locus given by } 1 + \frac{1}{R} G(z^{-1})^T G(z) = 0$$

$$R(z-1)^2(z+0.5)(z-2)(z+2)(z-0.5) = -2z^2(z+2)(z+0.5)$$

Cancellations at  $z = -0.5$  and  $z = -2$  (poles there no matter the value of  $R$ )

$$R(z-1)^2(z-2)(z-0.5) = -2z^2$$

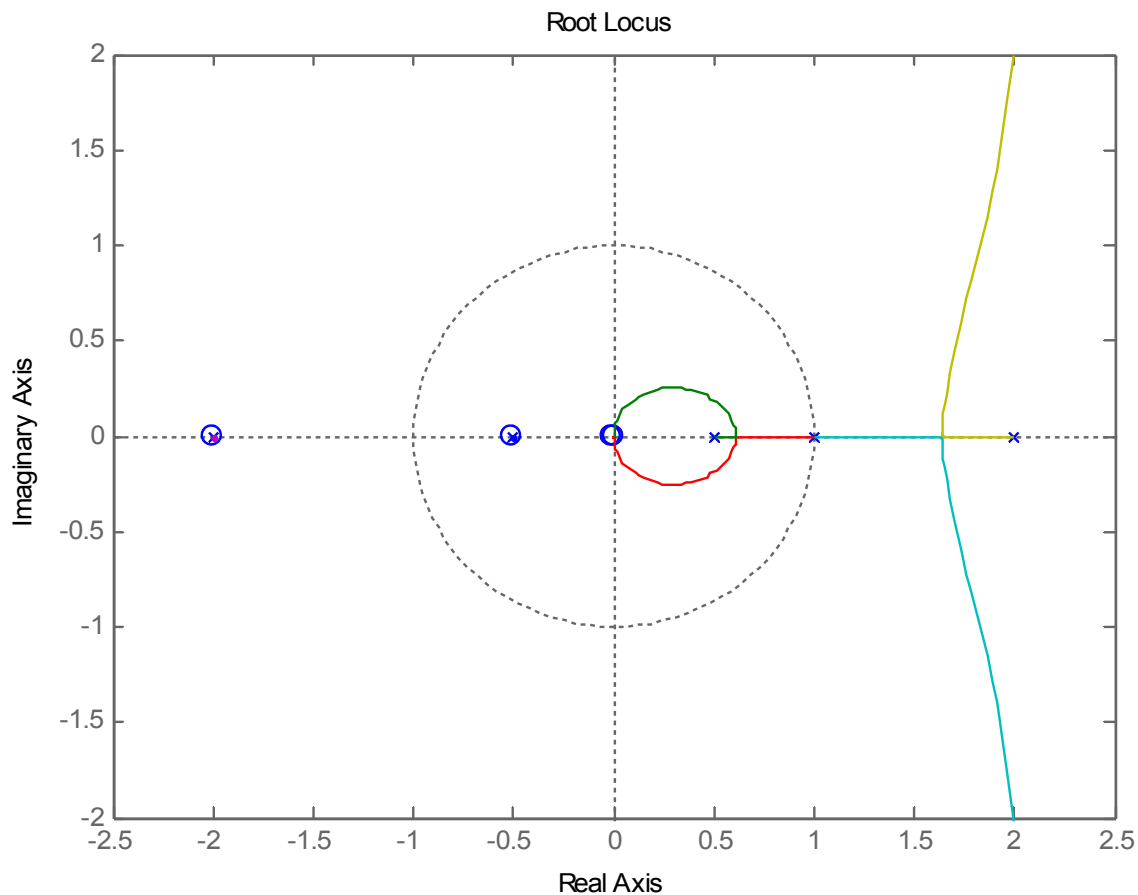
3.(b)

As  $R \rightarrow 0$ , the eigenvalues of  $A_c = A - B K$  go to the stable zeros of  $A$  and the reciprocals of the unstable zeros: 0 and -0.5

3.(c)

As  $R \rightarrow \infty$ , the eigenvalues of  $A_c = A - B K$  go to the stable poles of  $A$  and the reciprocals of the unstable poles: 1, -0.5, and 0.5

3.(d)



3.(e)

$$R(z-1)^2(z-2)(z-0.5) = -2z^2$$

$$(z^2-2z+1)(z^2-2.5z+1) = -2z^2/R$$

$$z^4-4.5z^3+7z^2-4.5z+1 = -2z^2/R$$

For two equal, real, nonzero closed-loop eigenvalues  $\lambda_0$ ,  $(z-\lambda_0)^2(z-1/\lambda_0)^2=0$

$$(z^2-2\lambda_0z+\lambda_0^2)(z^2-2z/\lambda_0+1/\lambda_0^2)=0$$

$$z^4-2(\lambda_0+1/\lambda_0)z^3+(4+\lambda_0^2+1/\lambda_0^2)z^2-2(\lambda_0+1/\lambda_0)z+1=0$$

$$-2(\lambda_0+1/\lambda_0) = -4.5$$

$$\lambda_0^2-2.25\lambda_0+1=0, \text{ so } \lambda_0 = \frac{2.25 \pm \sqrt{5.0625-4}}{2} = 0.6096 \text{ or } 1.64$$

$$\text{Stable } \lambda_0 = 0.6096, \text{ and } 4+\lambda_0^2+1/\lambda_0^2 = 7+2/R_0$$

$$R_0 = 2/(\lambda_0^2+1/\lambda_0^2-3) = 32$$

3.(f)

$$G(z) = \frac{z(z+2)}{(z-1)(z+0.5)(z-2)} = \frac{z^2 + 2z}{z^3 - 2.5z^2 + 0.5z + 1}$$

Controllable canonical form:

$$x(k+1) = \begin{bmatrix} 2.5 & -0.5 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x(k) + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u(k), \quad y(k) = [1 \quad 2 \quad 0] x(k)$$

3.(g)

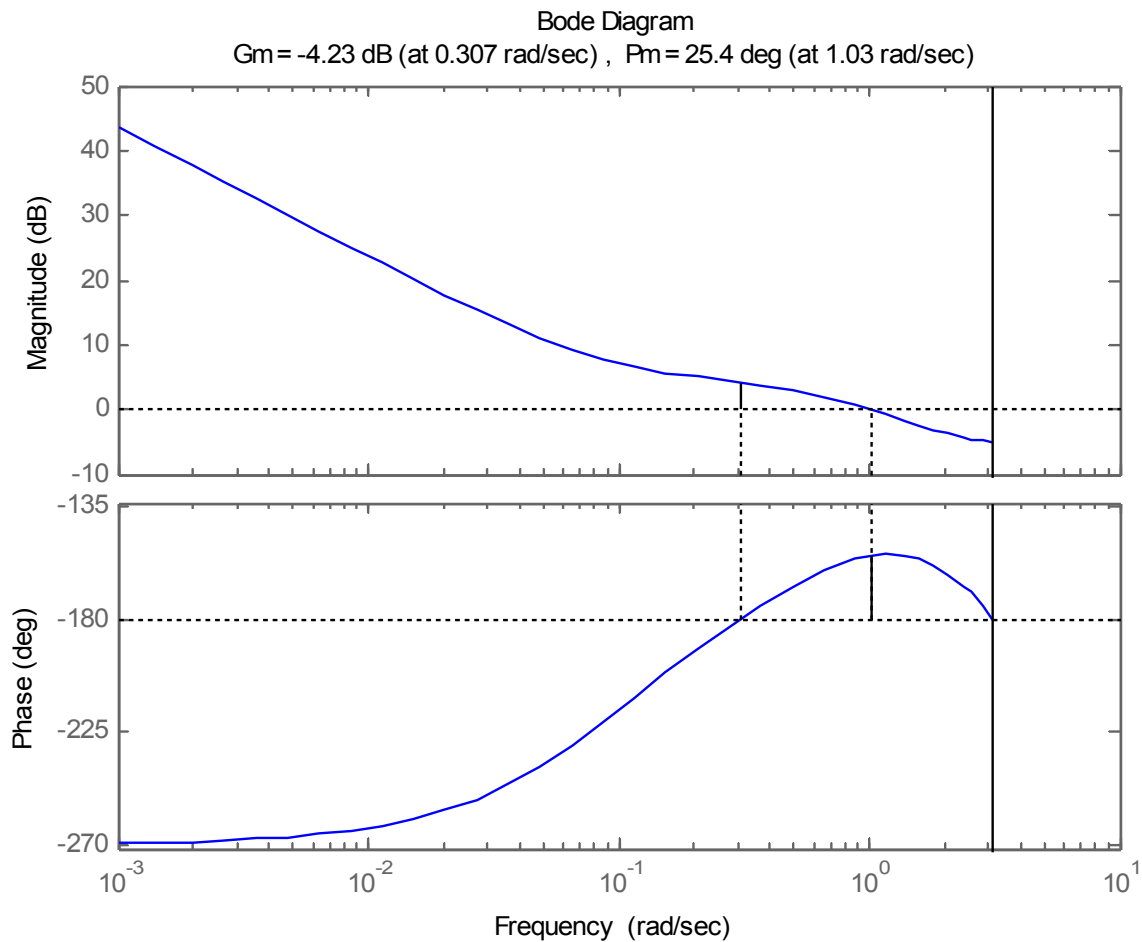
$$P_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 140.2159 & -43.8617 & -56.9848 \\ -43.8617 & 28.3002 & 23.6155 \\ -56.9848 & 23.6155 & 26.054 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$K_0 = [1.7808 \quad -0.738 \quad -0.8142]$$

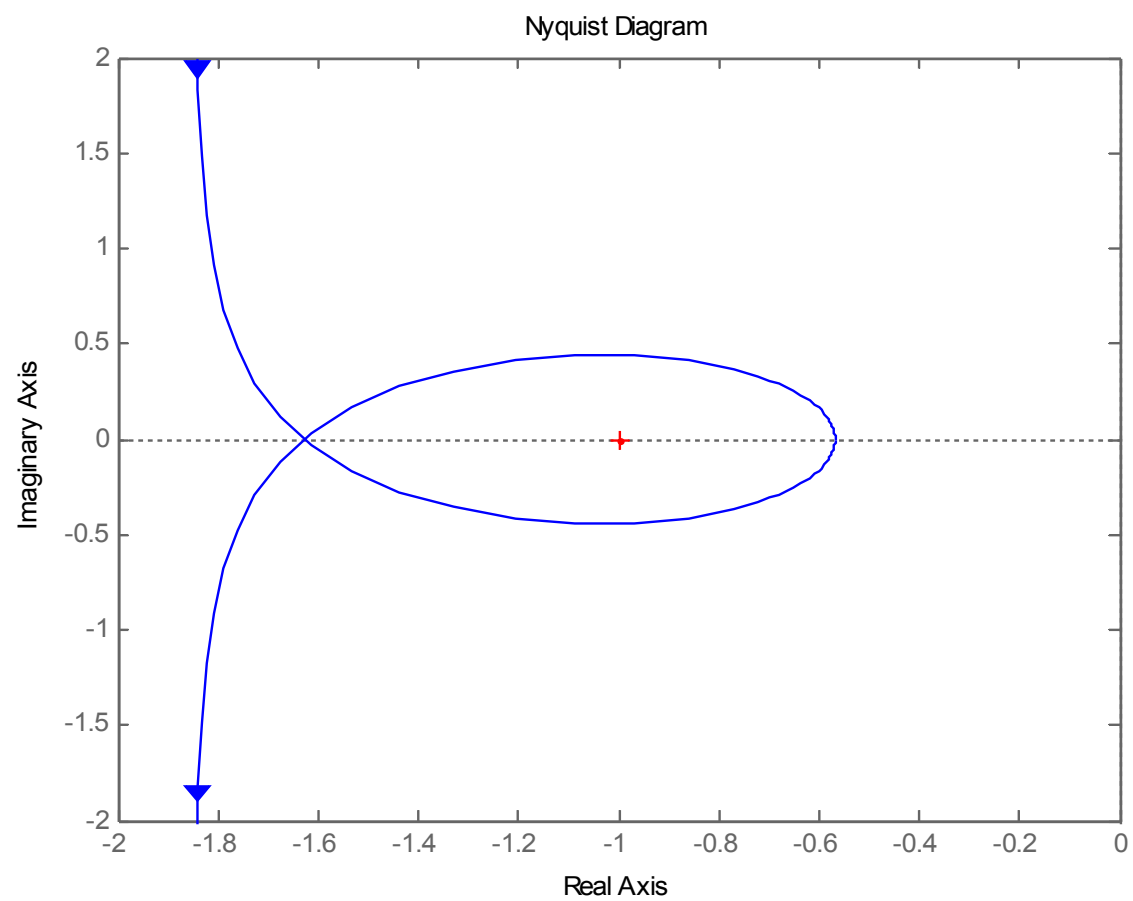
$\lambda = 0.6096, 0.6096, \text{ and } -0.5$

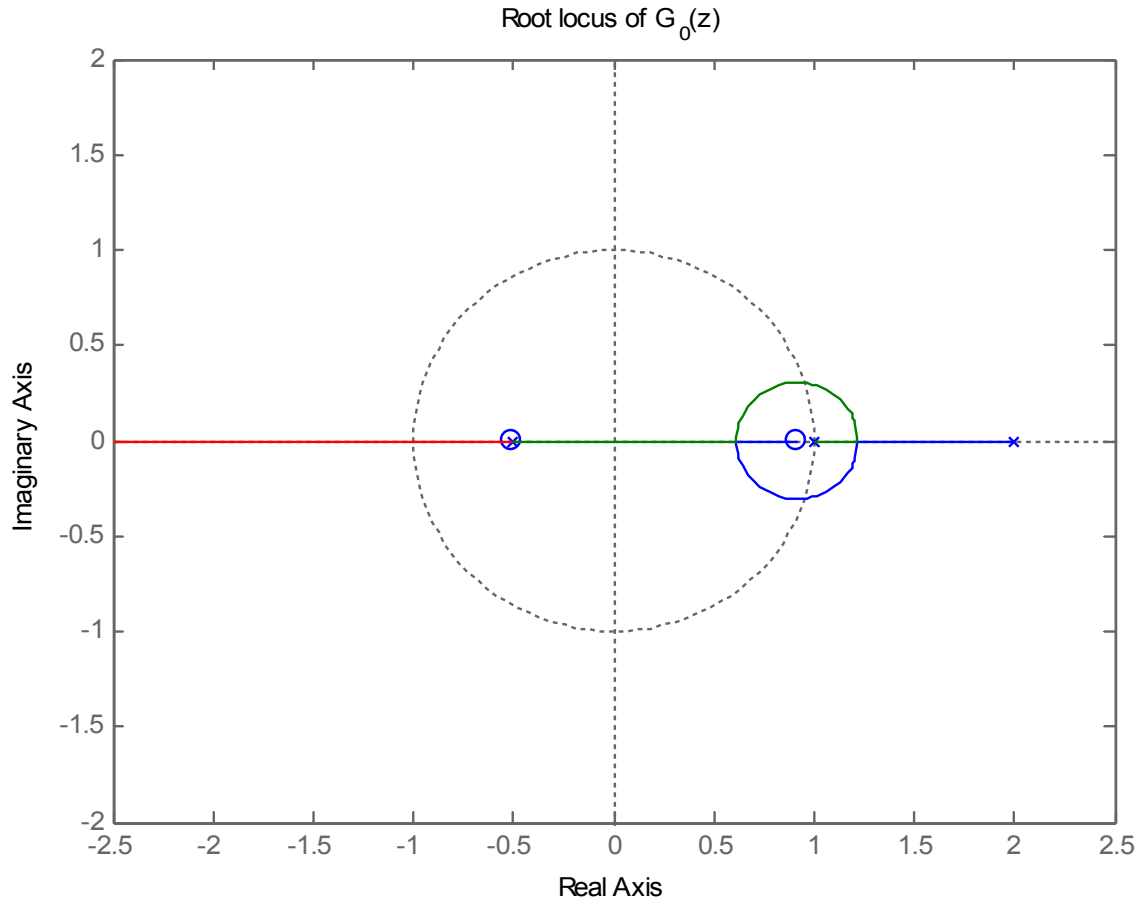
3.(h)

$$G_0(z) = K_0(zI - A)^{-1}B = \frac{1.781z^2 - 0.738z - 0.8142}{z^3 - 2.5z^2 + 0.5z + 1}$$









3.(i)

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{R_0}{R_0 + B^T P_0 B}} = 0.4311$$

$$PM > 2 \sin^{-1}(0.5r) = 0.4345 \text{ rad} = 24.9^\circ$$

$$\text{Stable for } \frac{1}{1+r} < \gamma < \frac{1}{1-r}$$

$$\text{Stable for } 0.6988 < \gamma < 1.7577$$

$$20 \log_{10} \left( \frac{1}{1+r} \right) = -3.1132 \text{ dB}, \quad 20 \log_{10} \left( \frac{1}{1-r} \right) = 4.8987 \text{ dB}$$

3.(j)

$$\text{Riccati equation: } P = C^T C + A^T P A - A^T P B (R + B^T P B)^{-1} B^T P A$$

$$\text{Similarity transform: } \bar{A} = T A T^{-1}, \quad \bar{B} = T B, \quad \bar{C} = C T^{-1}$$

$$\text{Riccati for transformed system: } \bar{P} = \bar{C}^T \bar{C} + \bar{A}^T \bar{P} \bar{A} - \bar{A}^T \bar{P} \bar{B} (R + \bar{B}^T \bar{P} \bar{B})^{-1} \bar{B}^T \bar{P} \bar{A}$$

$$\bar{P} = (T^{-1})^T C^T C T^{-1} + (T^{-1})^T A^T T^T \bar{P} T A T^{-1} - (T^{-1})^T A^T T^T \bar{P} T B (R + B^T T^T \bar{P} T B)^{-1} B^T T^T \bar{P} T A T^{-1}$$

$$\bar{P} = (T^T)^{-1} (C^T C + A^T T^T \bar{P} T A - A^T T^T \bar{P} T B (R + B^T T^T \bar{P} T B)^{-1} B^T T^T \bar{P} T A) T^{-1}$$

$$T^T \bar{P} T = C^T C + A^T T^T \bar{P} T A - A^T T^T \bar{P} T B (R + B^T T^T \bar{P} T B)^{-1} B^T T^T \bar{P} T A$$

So  $T^T \bar{P} T$  satisfies the same Riccati equation as  $P$ , and since we know the solution to the Riccati equation is unique (controllable and observable system), we have  $T^T \bar{P} T = P$

Therefore  $B^T P B = B^T T^T \bar{P} T B = \bar{B}^T \bar{P} \bar{B}$  and  $\sqrt{\frac{R}{R + B^T P B}} = \sqrt{\frac{R}{R + \bar{B}^T \bar{P} \bar{B}}}$   
 Guaranteed LQR margins are therefore preserved under a similarity transform.