

CS1 Week 3

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System properties, Linearization



Recap Last week

Quiz 1

What are block diagrams?

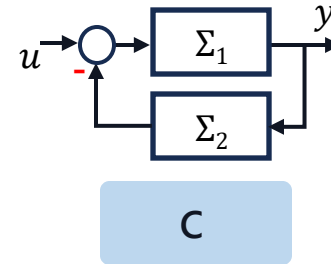
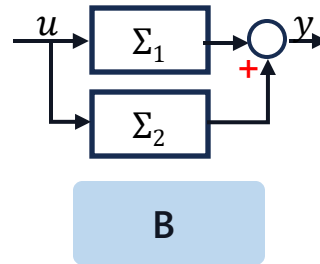
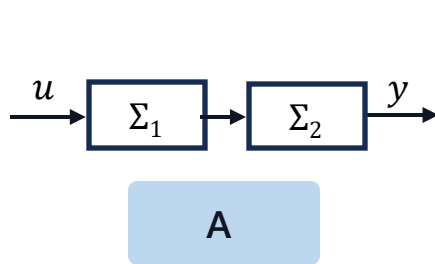
A. schematic for designing electrical circuits

B. simple graphical representation of a system's inputs, outputs, and functions

C. secret diagrams for Minecraft building blocks

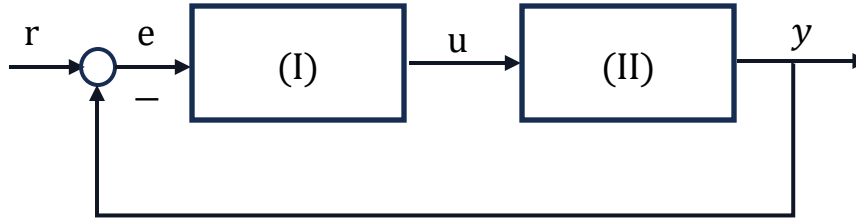
Quiz 2

Which is the block diagram for feedback interconnection?



Quiz 3

What are (I) and (II) labeled as in an closed-loop system by convention?



A. (I): Plant P; (II): Controller C

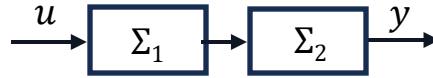
C. (I): System 1; (II): System 2

B. (I): Controller C; (II): Plant P

D. (I): Monitor; (II): Operator

Quiz 4

What is the transfer function $\Sigma_{u \rightarrow y}$?



A. Σ_1

B. Σ_2

C. $\Sigma_1 \Sigma_2$

D. $\Sigma_2 \Sigma_1$

Course Schedule

Subject		Week
Modeling	Introduction, Control Architectures, Motivation	1
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Today

1. System Classification
2. Linearization

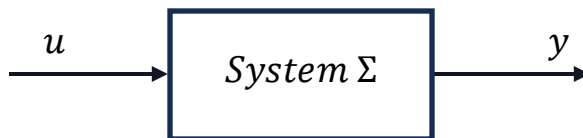
1. System Classification

Why System Classification?

- *System classification* = organizing systems into categories based on input–output behavior
- It provides a *framework* to describe and compare different types of systems
- Helps to predict how a system will respond under various conditions
- Clarifies if the system is *physically realizable* (e.g. causal vs. non-causal)

Input/Output Model

In CS1 we usually deal with **SISO LTI** (Single Input Single Output, Linear Time-Invariant systems)



A system Σ can be classified in the following ways:

1. **Linear** vs **Non-linear**
2. **Causal** vs **Non-causal**
3. **Static (memoryless)** vs **Dynamic**
4. **Time-invariant** vs **Time-variant**

Linearity

For a system to be **linear** two conditions have to be fulfilled:

- Additivity: $\Sigma(u_1 + u_2) = \Sigma u_1 + \Sigma u_2$
- Homogeneity: $\Sigma(ku) = k\Sigma u \quad k \in \mathbb{R}$

Both can be summarized to:

$$\Sigma(\alpha u_1 + \beta u_2) = \alpha \Sigma u_1 + \beta \Sigma u_2 = \alpha y_1 + \beta y_2 \quad \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$$

This implies the idea of **superposition**. That means that, when a system is linear, we can:

1. Break down "complicated" input signal into simpler components $u = u_1 + u_2$
2. Compute the output for each simple input separately $y_1 = \Sigma u_1; y_2 = \Sigma u_2$
3. Sum all the outputs to obtain the response of the complicated input $y = y_1 + y_2$

Remember: **Differentiation** and **Integration** are **linear operations**!

Linear vs Non-linear: Examples

Examples of **linear** systems:

- Integrator: $y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t u(\tau) d\tau$
- Derivative: $y(t) = \dot{u}(t)$
- Time shifts: $y(t) = u(t - \tau)$
- Time scaling: $y(t) = u(t^2)$

Examples of **non-linear** systems:

- $y(t) = u(t)^2$
- $y(t) = u(t) + a$

Quiz 1

Classify the system as linear or non-linear

$$y(t) = t^2 u(t - 1)$$

A. linear

B. non-linear

Quiz 2

Classify the system as linear or non-linear

$$y(t) = \sin(u(t))$$

A. linear

B. non-linear

Causality

A system is said to be **causal**, *iff* the future input doesn't affect the present output.

- output depends on the past and current inputs
- The time domain for a causal system is $(-\infty, t]$
- All practically realizable systems are causal. Otherwise you could predict the future 🧠

Examples of **causal** systems:

Output doesn't depend on future inputs

- $y(t) = u(t)$
- $y(t) = u(t - \tau), \forall \tau > 0$

Examples of **non-causal** systems:

- $y(t) = u(t - \tau), \forall \tau < 0$

Static vs Dynamic

- A system is **static (memoryless)** if its output at any time depends only on the input at that same time (current input)
- If the output depends on past or future values of the input, the system is **dynamic**
- Systems described by ODEs are always dynamic!
- Static systems are usually described by algebraic equations

Examples of **static** systems:

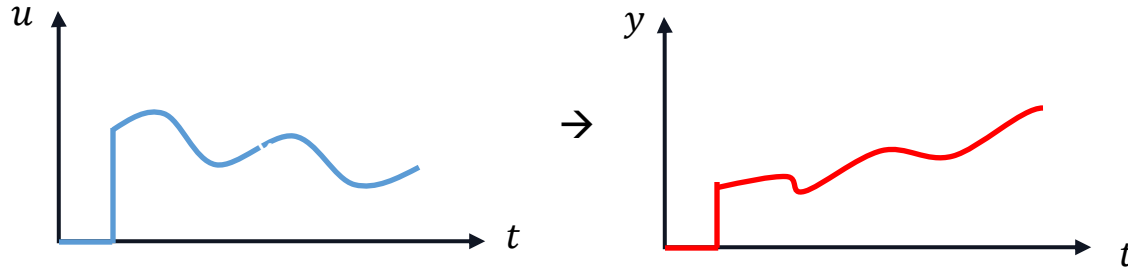
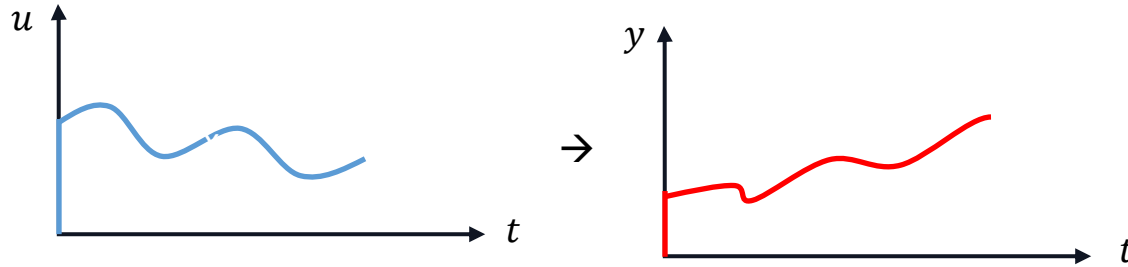
- $y(t) = 2^{-t+1}u(t)$

Examples of **dynamic** systems:

- Integrator: $y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t u(\tau) d\tau$
- Derivative: $y(t) = \dot{u}(t)$
- Future/Past Inputs: $y(t) = u(t - \tau), \forall, \tau \neq 0$

Time invariant vs. Time-varying

A *time invariant* system will always have the same output to a certain input, independent of when the input is applied. Formally this means that we can shift the input in time and the output will also be shifted.



Example of **time invariant** system:

- $y(t) = u(t - 1)u(t + 2)$

Example of **time-varying** system:

- $y(t) = \cos(t)u(t)$

Time invariant vs. Time-varying formally

A system is time-invariant if:

$$\sigma_\tau y = \sigma_\tau \Sigma u = \Sigma \sigma_\tau u$$

or, equivalently if:

$$y(t - \tau) = (\Sigma \tilde{u})(t)$$

where $\tilde{u}(t) = u(t - \tau)$

Example: Is the following system **time invariant**?

$$y(t) = u(t) + 3u(t - 2)$$

1. Input shift: $u_\tau(t) = u(t - \tau)$
2. Output with shifted input: $y_\tau(t) = u_\tau(t) + 3u_\tau(t - 2) = u(t - \tau) + 3u(t - 2 - \tau)$
3. Shifted output: $y(t - \tau) = u(t - \tau) + 3u((t - \tau) - 2) = u(t - \tau) + 3u(t - 2 - \tau)$

Output with shifted input is the same as shifted output \rightarrow system is **time invariant**

Exam Question W18

$$y(t) = n^3 t^3 u(t), n \in \mathbb{R}$$

Mark all correct statements.

A. Causal

B. Linear

C. Memoryless/Static

D. Time-invariant

2. Linearization

State-Space Model

- Recall: standard form, this will be called state-space model

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

$$y(t) = f(x(t), u(t))$$

One characteristic of **LTI systems**, is that we can write the state space model in the form:

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= Ax(t) + Bu(t) \\ y(t) &= Cx(t) + Du(t)\end{aligned}$$

where A, B, C , and D are *constant matrices/vectors*.

- Reminder: In a minimal realization, the system order equals the dimension of the state vector $x(t)$

State-Space Model

- For LTI systems the state-space model can be written as:

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= Ax(t) + Bu(t) \\ y(t) &= Cx(t) + Du(t)\end{aligned}$$

in minimal realization

- Where A,B,C,D are generally matrices
- The order of the system is given by the dimension of the state vector $x(t)$
- Higher order ODEs can be converted in the following way (LinAlg):

$$\theta^{(n)} = f(\theta^{(n-1)}, \theta^{(n-2)}, \dots, \theta) \rightarrow x(t) = \begin{pmatrix} \theta \\ \dots \\ \theta^{(n-1)} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \dots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

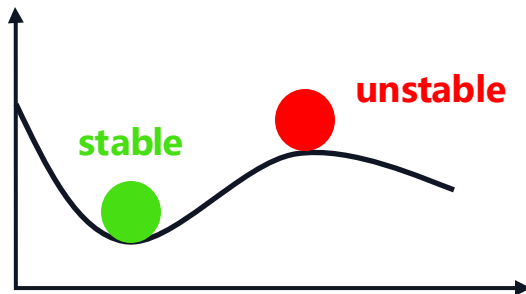
Equilibrium Points

- Given a non-linear system:

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

$$y(t) = f(x(t), u(t))$$

- To apply the LTI state-space notation, we need to *linearize* the system around equilibrium points
- A point (x_e, u_e) is an equilibrium point if $\dot{x} = f(x_e, u_e) = 0$



Linearization Procedure

1. Find equilibrium points (i.e. states where the system doesn't change)

Solve $\dot{x}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots x_n \end{pmatrix} = 0$ to find equilibrium points (x_e, u_e)

2. Use definitions of A, B, C and D. Plug in $x = x_e$ and $u = u_e$

$$A = \left. \frac{\partial f(x, u)}{\partial x} \right|_{(x_e, u_e)} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_n} \end{bmatrix} \bigg|_{(x_e, u_e)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

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Linearization Example

Find equilibrium points: Solve $\dot{x}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = 0$

Aufgabe: Gegeben ist das folgende nichtlineare System mit Zustandsvektor $x(t)$ und Eingang $u(t)$.

Die Systemgleichungen lauten:

$$\dot{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1(t) \\ \dot{x}_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u(t) + 5x_1(t) \cdot x_2(t) + 1 \\ u(t) \cdot x_1(t) \end{bmatrix}.$$

Der Systemausgang ist gegeben durch

$$y(t) = x_1(t) \cdot u(t) + 2x_2(t).$$

F14 (1.5 Punkte) Berechnen Sie den reellen Gleichgewichtspunkt $u_e, x_{1,e}, x_{2,e}, y_e$ für einen Eingang $u_e \neq 0$, für den $y_e = 2$ gilt.

$$u_e =$$

$$x_{1,e} =$$

$$x_{2,e} =$$

Linearization Example

Bringen Sie das System in die Zustandsraumdarstellung und nutzen Sie die Variablen $x_e = [x_{1,e}, x_{2,e}]^T$ und u_e um die nötigen Matrizen **symbolisch** auszuwerten.

F15 (1 Punkt)

$$A =$$

F16 (0.5 Punkte)

$$b =$$

F17 (0.5 Punkte)

$$c = \quad d =$$

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Questions?

Feedback?

Too fast? Too slow? Less theory, more exercises?
I would appreciate your feedback. Please let me know.

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