

EE4-25

SOLUTIONS: DESIGN OF LINEAR MULTIVARIABLE CONTROL SYSTEMS

1. a) Let the realisation be partitioned compatibly with P and Q as

$$G(s) \triangleq \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} A_{11} & A_{12} & B_1 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & B_2 \\ \hline C_1 & C_2 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Then

$$A^T Q + Q A + C^T C = \begin{bmatrix} C_1^T C_1 & A_{21}^T Q_2 + C_1^T C_2 \\ * & A_{22}^T Q_2 + Q_2 A_{22} + C_2^T C_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \quad (1.1)$$

$$A P + P A^T + B B^T = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} P_1 + P_1 A_{11}^T + B_1 B_1^T & P_1 A_{21} + B_1 B_2^T \\ * & B_2 B_2^T \end{bmatrix} = 0 \quad (1.2)$$

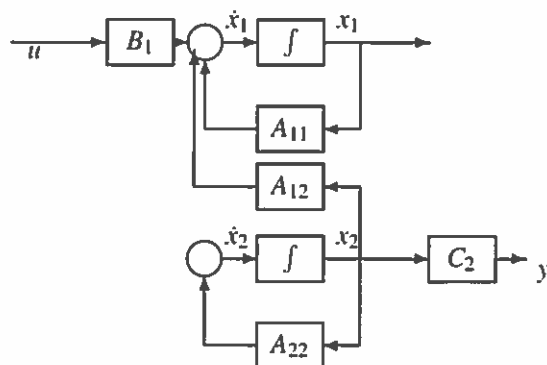
It follows from the (1,1) entry of (1.1) and the (2,2) entry of (1.2) that $C_1 = 0$ and $B_2 = 0$. Also, it follows from the (1,2) entry of (1.1) and the assumption that $Q_2 \succ 0$ that $A_{21} = 0$. So, the realisation for $G(s)$ has the form

$$G(s) \triangleq \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} A_{11} & A_{12} & B_1 \\ 0 & A_{22} & 0 \\ \hline 0 & C_2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad (1.3)$$

Thus we can decompose the realisation into two subsystems $G_1 : \dot{x}_1 = A_{11}x_1 + B_1u + A_{12}x_2$ with n_1 modes and $G_2 : \dot{x}_2 = A_{22}x_2, y = C_2x_2$ with n_2 modes.

- i) For G_1 it is clear all the modes are unobservable since the C -matrix is zero. We prove controllability and stability. Let λ be an eigenvalue of A_{11} and $z \neq 0$ the corresponding left eigenvector. Then $z'A_{11} = \lambda z'$. Pre- and post-multiplying the (1,1) entry of (1.2) by z' and z , respectively, we get $(\lambda + \bar{\lambda})z'P_1z + z'B_1B_1'z = 0$. If $z'B_1 = 0$ then $\lambda + \bar{\lambda} = 0$ which contradicts the assumption that A has no eigenvalues on the imaginary axis. Thus the realisation is controllable. Since $z \neq 0$ and $P_1 \succ 0$, $z'P_1z > 0$ and $z'B_1B_1'z > 0$ then $\lambda + \bar{\lambda} < 0$ and A_{11} is stable.
- ii) For the subsystem G_2 it is clear that all the modes are uncontrollable since the B -matrix is zero. We prove observability and stability. Using a duality argument, G_2 is stable and observable if and only if the pair A_{22}^T is stable and (A_{22}^T, C_2^T) is controllable. But this follows from an argument dual to that used above.

b)



2. a) i) The (1, 1) block of the inequality gives the inequality $A^T P + PA \prec 0$. Let $z \neq 0$ be a right eigenvector of A and let λ be the corresponding eigenvalue. Then multiplying the inequality from the left by z^T and from the right by z gives $(\lambda + \bar{\lambda})z^T P z < 0$. Since $P \succ 0$ it follows that $z^T P z > 0$ and it follows that $\lambda + \bar{\lambda} < 0$ so that A is stable. [4]

ii) Since A is stable, $\|H\|_\infty < \gamma$ if and only if, with $x(0) = 0$, $J := \int_0^\infty [y^T y - \gamma^2 u^T u] dt < 0$, for all $u(t)$ such that $\|u\|_2 < \infty$. If $\|u\|_2$ is bounded, then $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} x(t) = 0$. Now, $\int_0^\infty \frac{d}{dt} [x^T P x] dt = x(\infty)^T P x(\infty) - x(0)^T P x(0) = 0$. So, [6]

$$0 = \int_0^\infty (\dot{x}^T P x + x^T P \dot{x}) dt = \int_0^\infty [x^T (A^T P + PA)x + x^T P B u + u^T B^T P x] dt.$$

Use $y = Cx + Du$ and add the last expression to J

$$\begin{aligned} J &= \int_0^\infty [x^T (A^T P + PA + C^T C)x + 2x^T (PB + C^T D)u + u^T (D^T D - \gamma^2 I)u] dt \\ &= \int_0^\infty \begin{bmatrix} x^T & u^T \end{bmatrix} \overbrace{\begin{bmatrix} A^T P + PA + C^T C & PB + C^T D \\ B^T P + D^T C & D^T D - \gamma^2 I \end{bmatrix}}^M \begin{bmatrix} x \\ u \end{bmatrix} dt. \end{aligned}$$

It follows that $J < 0$, and so $\|H\|_\infty < \gamma$, if $M \prec 0$. This proves the result.

b) i) Substituting $u = Lw_2 + Cx$, $y = Cx$ into the state equation gives [4]

$$\dot{x} = \underbrace{(A + LC)}_{A_c} x + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} B & L \end{bmatrix}}_{B_c} w, \quad y = \underbrace{C}_{C_c} x + \underbrace{0}_{D_c} w.$$

It follows that $T_{yw}(s) = D_c + C_c(sI - A_c)^{-1} B_c$.

ii) Using the results of part (a), by replacing A, B, C and D by A_c, B_c, C_c and D_c , we have that there exists a feasible L if there exists $P = P^T \succ 0$ such that [6]

$$\begin{bmatrix} (A + LC)^T P + P(A + LC) + C^T C & PB & PL \\ B^T P & -\gamma^2 I & 0 \\ L^T P & 0 & -\gamma^2 I \end{bmatrix} \prec 0.$$

Noting that the only nonlinearity is due to the product PL , we define $Z = PL$ and so there exists a feasible L if there exists $P = P^T \succ 0$ and Z such that

$$\begin{bmatrix} A^T P + PA + ZC + C^T Z^T + C^T C & PB & Z \\ B^T P & -\gamma^2 I & 0 \\ Z^T & 0 & -\gamma^2 I \end{bmatrix} \prec 0.$$

3. a) An inspection of Figure 3 shows that

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} - \hat{\dot{x}} &= (A + LC)(x - \hat{x}) + \begin{bmatrix} B_w & L \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} \\ z &= C_z(x - \hat{x})\end{aligned}$$

[5]

It follows that

$$T_{zw}(s) \stackrel{s}{=} \left[\frac{A + LC}{C_z} \middle| \begin{bmatrix} B_w & L \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right] \stackrel{s}{=} \left[\frac{A_c}{C_c} \middle| \frac{B_c}{D_c} \right]$$

- b) The Bounded Real Lemma states that A_c is stable $\|T_{zw}\|_\infty < \gamma$ if there exists a $P = P^T$ such that

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_c^T P + P A_c + C_c^T C_c & P B_c + C_c^T D_c \\ B_c^T P + D_c^T C_c & D_c^T D_c - \gamma^2 I \end{bmatrix} \prec 0$$

$$P = P^T \succ 0$$

[5]

By substituting the expressions for A_c, B_c, C_c and D_c , this becomes

$$\begin{bmatrix} (A + LC)^T P + P(A + LC) + C_z^T C_z & P B_w & P L \\ * & -\gamma^2 I & 0 \\ * & * & -\gamma^2 I \end{bmatrix} \prec 0$$

$$P = P^T \succ 0$$

where $*$ denotes terms easily inferred from symmetry.

- c) By defining $Y = PL$, the matrix inequalities become

$$\begin{bmatrix} P A + A^T P + Y C + C^T Y^T + C_z^T C_z & P B_w & Y \\ * & -\gamma^2 I & 0 \\ * & * & -\gamma^2 I \end{bmatrix} \prec 0$$

$$P = P^T \succ 0$$

[5]

which are linear.

- d) Putting the numbers into the LMI:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2P + 2Y + 2 & P & Y \\ * & -\gamma^2 I & 0 \\ * & * & -\gamma^2 I \end{bmatrix} \prec 0$$

$$P = P^T \succ 0$$

[5]

effecting a Schur complement, this is equivalent to

$$-2P + 2Y + 2 + \gamma^{-2} Y^2 + \gamma^{-2} P^2 \prec 0, \quad P \succ 0$$

which when completing two squares become

$$(\gamma^{-1} P - \gamma)^2 + (\gamma^{-1} Y + \gamma)^2 + 2 - 2\gamma^2 \prec 0, \quad P \succ 0$$

and so $2\gamma^2 > 2$ or $\gamma > 1$. In the limit when $\gamma \rightarrow 1$, $P \rightarrow 1$, $Y \rightarrow -1$ and so $L \rightarrow -1$.

4. a) The generalized regulator formulation is given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} z(s) \\ y(s) \end{bmatrix} = P(s) \begin{bmatrix} w(s) \\ u(s) \end{bmatrix}, u(s) = Fy(s), P(s) = \begin{bmatrix} P_{11}(s) & P_{12}(s) \\ P_{21}(s) & P_{22}(s) \end{bmatrix} \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} A & B & B \\ 0 & I & I \\ I & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad [4]$$

- b) The requirement $\|H\|_\infty < \gamma$ is equivalent to $J := \|z\|_2^2 - \gamma^2 \|w\|_2^2 < 0$. Let $V = x^T X x$ and set $u = Fx$. Provided that $X = X^T \succ 0$ and $\dot{V} < 0$ along the closed-loop trajectory, we can assume $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} x(t) = 0$. Then [8]

$$\dot{V} = x^T X \dot{x} + \dot{x}^T X x = x^T (A^T X + XA + F^T B^T X + XBF) x + x^T X B w + w^T B^T X x.$$

Integrating from 0 to ∞ and using $x(0) = x(\infty) = 0$,

$$0 = \int_0^\infty [x^T (A^T X + XA + F^T B^T X + XBF) x + x^T X B w + w^T B^T X x] dt.$$

Using the definition of J and adding the last equation, $J =$

$$J = \int_0^\infty \{x^T [A^T X + XA + F^T F + F^T B^T X + XBF] x - [\beta^2 w^T w - x^T Z^T w - w^T Z x]\} dt$$

where $Z = F + B^T X$ and $\beta^2 = \gamma^2 - 1 > 0$ since $\gamma > 1$ by assumption. Now

$$\begin{aligned} Z^T Z &= F^T F + F^T B^T X + XBF + XBB^T X \\ \|(\beta w - \beta^{-1} Zx)\|^2 &= \beta^2 w^T w - w^T Zx - x^T Z^T w + \beta^{-2} x^T Z^T Z x, \\ J &= \int_0^\infty \{x^T [A^T X + XA - XBB^T X] x + (1 + \beta^{-2}) \|Zx\|^2 - \|\beta w - \beta^{-1} Zx\|^2\} dt. \end{aligned}$$

Thus two sufficient conditions for $J < 0$ are the existence of X such that

$$A^T X + XA - XBB^T X = 0, \quad X = X^T \succ 0.$$

Setting $Z = 0$, $F = -B^T X$. The worst case disturbance is $w^* = \beta^{-2} Zx = 0$. The closed-loop with $u = Fx$ and $w = w^*$ is $\dot{x} = [A - BB^T X]x$ and a third condition is $\text{Re } \lambda_i[A - BB^T X] < 0, \forall i$. To prove $\dot{V} < 0$ for $u = Fx$ and $w = 0$,

$$\dot{V} = x^T (A^T X + XA + F^T B^T X + XBF) x = -x^T (XBB^T X) x < 0$$

for all $x \neq 0$ (since (A, B) is assumed controllable) proving closed-loop stability.

- c) It is clear that our procedure breaks down if $\gamma \leq 1$ since in that case $\beta^2 \leq 0$. Thus the smallest value of γ is 1. [4]

- d) If A is stable, in the limit $X = 0$ and hence $F = 0$ is a solution.

- e) If $-A$ is stable, pre- and post-multiplying the Riccati equation by X^{-1} , [2]

$$AX^{-1} + X^{-1}A^T - BB^T = 0 \Leftrightarrow (A - BB^T X)X^{-1} + X^{-1}(A - BB^T X) + BB^T = 0$$

which has a unique solution $X^{-1} \succ 0$ if $-A$ is stable and so $A - BB^T X$ is stable. [2]