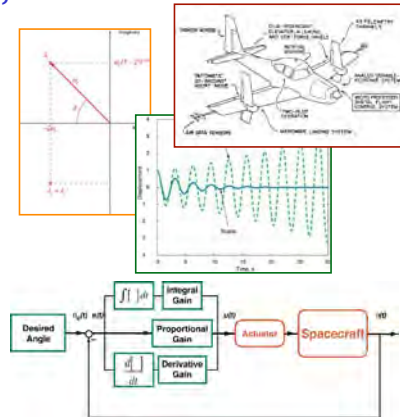


Analog and Digital Control Systems

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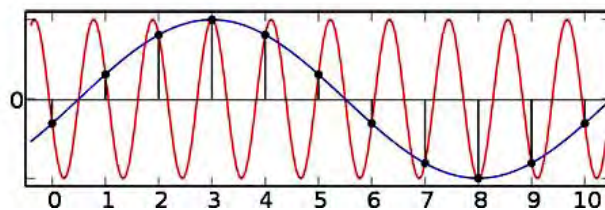
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Analog vs. Digital Signals

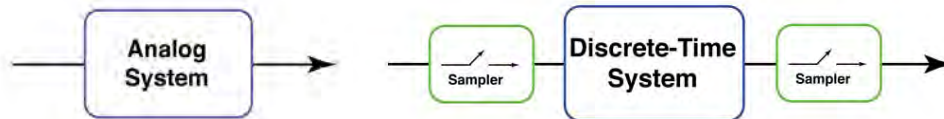


- **Signal:** A physical indicator that conveys information, e.g., position, voltage, temperature, or pressure
- **Analog signal:** A signal that is continuous in time, with infinite precision and infinitesimal time spacing between indication points
- **Discrete-time signal:** A signal with infinite precision and discrete spacing between indication points
- **Digital signal:** A signal with finite precision and discrete spacing between indication points

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Analog vs. Digital Systems

- **System:** Assemblage of parts with structure, connectivity, and behavior that responds to input signals and produces output signals



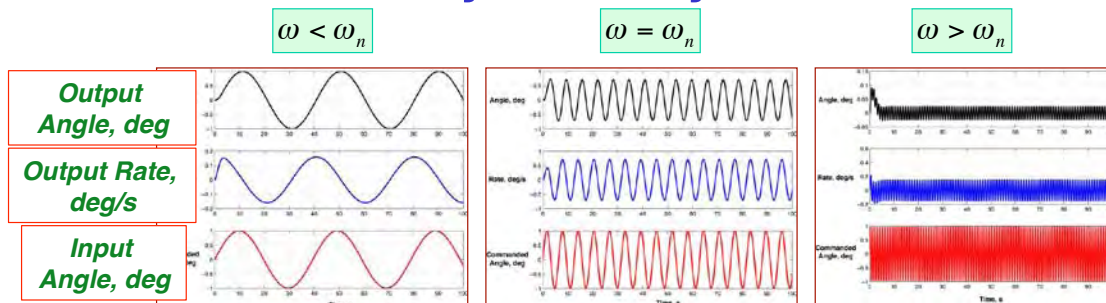
- **Analog system:** A system that operates continuously, with infinite precision and infinitesimal time spacing between signaling points
- **Discrete-time system:** A system that operates continuously, with infinite precision and discrete spacing between signaling points



- **Digital system:** A system that operates continuously, with finite precision and discrete spacing between signaling points

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Frequency Response of a Continuous-Time Dynamic System



ω : Input frequency, rad/s
 ω_n : Natural frequency of the system, rad/s

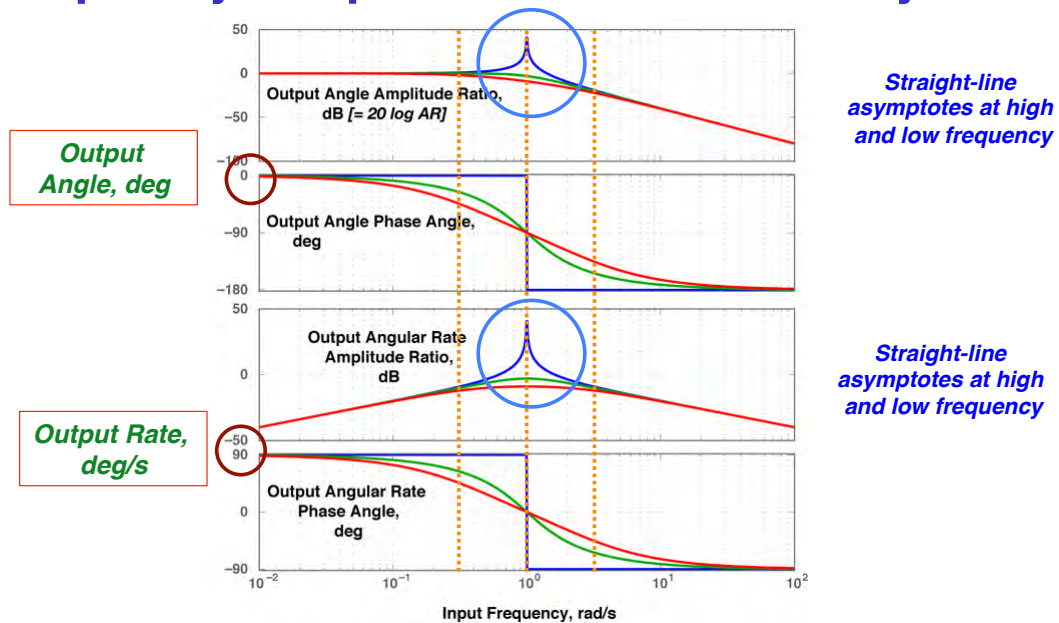
Hz : Hertz, frequency in cycles per sec

$$\omega(Hz) = \frac{\omega(rad/s)}{2\pi}$$

- **Sinusoidal command input (i.e., Desired rotational angle)**
- **Long-term output of the dynamic system:**
 - Sinusoid with same frequency as input
 - Output/input amplitude ratio dependent on input frequency
 - Output/input phase shift dependent on input frequency
- **Bandwidth:** Input frequency below which output amplitude and phase angle variations are negligibly small

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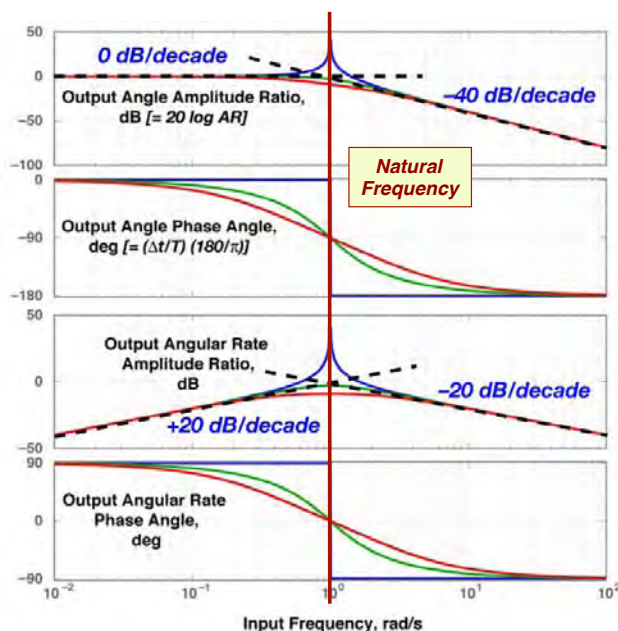
Amplitude-Ratio and Phase-Angle Frequency Response of a 2nd-Order System



$20 \log AR$ and ϕ vs. $\log \omega$

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Asymptotes of Frequency Response Amplitude Ratio



$20 \log_{10}(\omega^n)$ has slope of $20n$ dB/decade on Bode plot

$$20 \log_{10} H_{CL_i}(j\omega) =$$

$$= 20 \log_{10} [AR_i(\omega) e^{j\phi_i(\omega)}]$$

$$= 20 [\log_{10} AR_i + \log_{10} e^{j\phi_i(\omega)}]$$

$$= 20 \log_{10} AR_i + j\phi_i(\omega)(20 \log_{10} e)$$

• Logarithm of transfer function

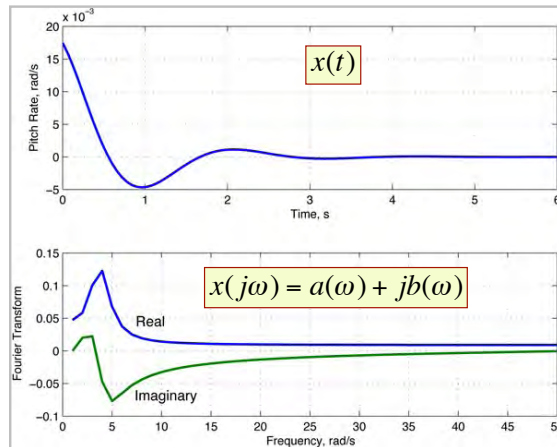
- Amplitude ratio and phase angle are orthogonal
- Decibels (dB): $20 \log AR$
- Decade: power of 10

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Fourier Transform of a Scalar Variable

$$\mathcal{F}[x(t)] = x(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt, \quad \omega = \text{frequency, rad/s}$$

$$j \triangleq i \triangleq \sqrt{-1}$$



$x(t)$: **real** variable
 $x(j\omega)$: **complex** variable
 $= a(\omega) + jb(\omega)$
 $= A(\omega)e^{j\varphi(\omega)}$

A : **amplitude**
 φ : **phase angle**

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Laplace Transforms of Scalar Variables

- Laplace transform of a scalar variable is a **complex number**
- **s** is the *Laplace operator*, a complex variable

$$\mathcal{L}[x(t)] = x(s) = \int_0^{\infty} x(t)e^{-st} dt, \quad s = \sigma + j\omega$$

$x(t)$: **real** variable

$x(s)$: **complex** variable
 $= a(\omega) + jb(\omega)$
 $= A(\omega)e^{j\varphi(\omega)}$

Multiplication by a constant

$$\mathcal{L}[ax(t)] = ax(s)$$

Sum of Laplace transforms

$$\mathcal{L}[x_1(t) + x_2(t)] = x_1(s) + x_2(s)$$

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Laplace Transforms of Vectors and Matrices

Laplace transform of a **vector** variable

$$\mathcal{L}[\mathbf{x}(t)] = \mathbf{x}(s) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(s) \\ x_2(s) \\ \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

Laplace transform of a **matrix** variable

$$\mathcal{L}[\mathbf{A}(t)] = \mathbf{A}(s) = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}(s) & a_{12}(s) & \dots \\ a_{21}(s) & a_{22}(s) & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

Laplace transform of a derivative w.r.t. time

$$\mathcal{L}\left[\frac{d\mathbf{x}(t)}{dt}\right] = s\mathbf{x}(s) - \mathbf{x}(0)$$

Laplace transform of an integral over time

$$\mathcal{L}\left[\int \mathbf{x}(\tau) d\tau\right] = \frac{\mathbf{x}(s)}{s}$$

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Laplace Transforms of the System Equations

Time-Domain System Equations

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) &= \mathbf{F} \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G} \mathbf{u}(t) \\ \mathbf{y}(t) &= \mathbf{H}_x \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{H}_u \mathbf{u}(t) \end{aligned}$$

Dynamic Equation

Output Equation

Laplace Transforms of System Equations

$$\begin{aligned} s\mathbf{x}(s) - \mathbf{x}(0) &= \mathbf{F} \mathbf{x}(s) + \mathbf{G} \mathbf{u}(s) \\ \mathbf{y}(s) &= \mathbf{H}_x \mathbf{x}(s) + \mathbf{H}_u \mathbf{u}(s) \end{aligned}$$

Dynamic Equation

Output Equation

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Example of System Transformation

DC Motor Equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1(t) \\ \dot{x}_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/J \end{bmatrix} u(t)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

Dynamic Equation

Output Equation

Laplace Transforms of Motor Equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} sx_1(s) - x_1(0) \\ sx_2(s) - x_2(0) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(s) \\ x_2(s) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/J \end{bmatrix} u(s)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1(s) \\ y_2(s) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(s) \\ x_2(s) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u(s) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(s) \\ x_2(s) \end{bmatrix}$$

Dynamic Equation

Output Equation

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Laplace Transform of State Response to Initial Condition and Control

Rearrange

$$s\mathbf{x}(s) - \mathbf{F}\mathbf{x}(s) = \mathbf{x}(0) + \mathbf{G}\mathbf{u}(s)$$

$$[s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}]\mathbf{x}(s) = \mathbf{x}(0) + \mathbf{G}\mathbf{u}(s)$$

$$\mathbf{x}(s) = [s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}]^{-1} [\mathbf{x}(0) + \mathbf{G}\mathbf{u}(s)]$$

Matrix inverse

$$[s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}]^{-1} = \frac{\text{Adj}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})}{|s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}|} \quad (n \times n)$$

$\text{Adj}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})$: **Adjoint matrix** $(n \times n)$: **Transpose of matrix of cofactors**

$|s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}| = \det(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})$: **Determinant** (1×1)

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Characteristic Polynomial of a Dynamic System

Characteristic matrix

$$(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}) = \begin{pmatrix} (s - f_{11}) & -f_{12} & \dots & -f_{1n} \\ -f_{21} & (s - f_{22}) & \dots & -f_{2n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ -f_{n1} & -f_{n2} & \dots & (s - f_{nn}) \end{pmatrix} \quad (n \times n)$$

Characteristic polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} |s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}| &= \det(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}) \\ &\equiv \Delta(s) = s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1s + a_0 \end{aligned}$$

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Eigenvalues (or Roots) of the Dynamic System

Characteristic equation

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta(s) &= s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1s + a_0 = 0 \\ &= (s - \lambda_1)(s - \lambda_2)(\dots)(s - \lambda_n) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

λ_i are eigenvalues of \mathbf{F} or roots of the characteristic polynomial, $\Delta(s)$

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2 x 2 Eigenvalue Example

Characteristic matrix

$$(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}) = \begin{bmatrix} (s - f_{11}) & -f_{12} \\ -f_{21} & (s - f_{22}) \end{bmatrix}$$

Determinant of characteristic matrix

$$\begin{aligned} |s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}| &= \begin{vmatrix} (s - f_{11}) & -f_{12} \\ -f_{21} & (s - f_{22}) \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (s - f_{11})(s - f_{22}) - f_{12}f_{21} \\ &= s^2 - (f_{11} + f_{22})s + (f_{11}f_{22} - f_{12}f_{21}) \end{aligned}$$

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Factors of the 2nd- Degree Characteristic Equation

$$\Delta(s) = s^2 - (f_{11} + f_{22})s + (f_{11}f_{22} - f_{12}f_{21}) = 0$$

$$\Delta(s) = (s - \lambda_1)(s - \lambda_2) = 0$$

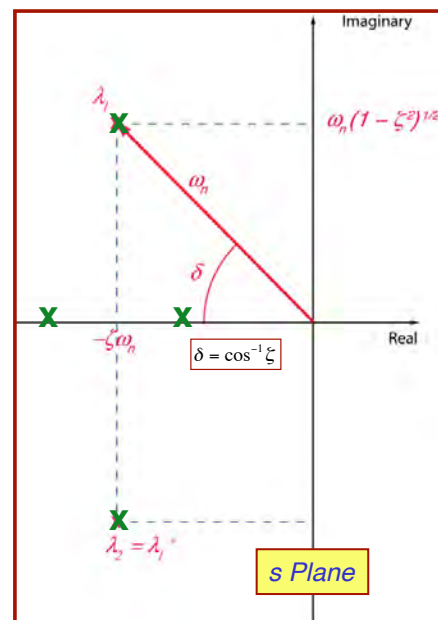
- Solutions of the equation are *eigenvalues* of the system, either
 - 2 real roots, or
 - Complex-conjugate pair

$$\lambda_1 = \sigma_1, \quad \lambda_2 = \sigma_2$$

$$\lambda_1 = \sigma_1 + j\omega_1, \quad \lambda_2 = \sigma_1 - j\omega_1$$

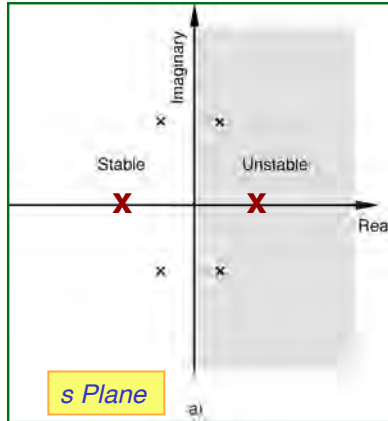
$$\Delta(s) = s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2$$

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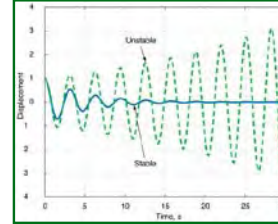
Eigenvalues Determine the Stability of the LTI System

Positive real part represents instability

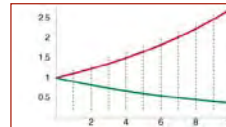


Same criterion for real roots

Envelope of time response converges or diverges



$$\Delta x_1(t) = e^{-\zeta \omega_n t} \cos[\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} t + \varphi_1] \Delta x_1(0)$$



$$\Delta x(t) = e^{at} \Delta x(0)$$

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Numerator of the Matrix Inverse

Matrix Inverse

$$[s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}]^{-1} = \frac{\text{Adj}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})}{|s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}|} \quad (n \times n)$$

Adjoint matrix is the transpose of the matrix of cofactors*

$$\text{Adj}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}) = \mathbf{C}^T \quad (n \times n)$$

2 x 2 example

$$(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}) = \begin{bmatrix} (s - f_{11}) & -f_{12} \\ -f_{21} & (s - f_{22}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Adj}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}) &= \begin{bmatrix} (s - f_{22}) & f_{21} \\ f_{12} & (s - f_{11}) \end{bmatrix}^T \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} (s - f_{22}) & f_{12} \\ f_{21} & (s - f_{11}) \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

* Cofactors = signed minor determinants of the matrix

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Analog Control

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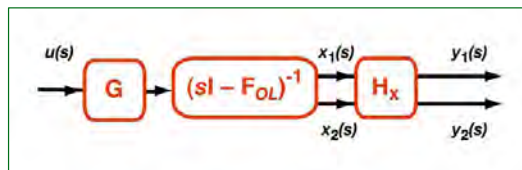
Transfer Function Matrix

Laplace Transform of Output Vector
from control input to system output
(neglect initial condition, and $H_u = 0$)

$$\mathbf{y}(s) = \mathbf{H}_x \mathbf{x}(s) = \mathbf{H}_x (s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})^{-1} \mathbf{G} \mathbf{u}(s) \triangleq \mathbf{H}(s) \mathbf{u}(s)$$

Transfer Function Matrix

$$\mathbf{H}(s) \triangleq \mathbf{H}_x (s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})^{-1} \mathbf{G} \quad (r \times m)$$



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Open-Loop Dynamic Equation of Direct-Current Motor with Load Inertia, J

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1(t) \\ \dot{x}_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/J \end{bmatrix} u(t)$$

Same as simplified pitching dynamics for quadcopter, with $J = I_{yy}$



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Open-Loop Transfer Function Matrix for DC Motor

Transfer Function Matrix

$$\mathbf{H}_{OL}(s) = \mathbf{H}_x [s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}_{OL}]^{-1} \mathbf{G} \quad (r \times m)$$

where

$$\mathbf{F}_{OL} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}; \quad [s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}_{OL}] = \begin{bmatrix} s & -1 \\ 0 & s \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{I}_2; \quad \mathbf{G} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/J \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix Inverse

$$[s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}_{OL}]^{-1} = \frac{\text{Adj}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}_{OL})}{|s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}_{OL}|} = \begin{bmatrix} s & -1 \\ 0 & s \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} s & 1 \\ 0 & s \end{bmatrix}}{s^2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/s & 1/s^2 \\ 0 & 1/s \end{bmatrix}$$

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Open-Loop Transfer Function Matrix for DC Motor

$$\mathbf{H}_{OL}(s) = \mathbf{H}_x \left[s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}_{OL} \right]^{-1} \mathbf{G} = \mathbf{H}_x \frac{\text{Adj}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}_{OL})}{|s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}_{OL}|} \mathbf{G}$$

Dimension = 2 x 1

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/s & 1/s^2 \\ 0 & 1/s \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/J \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/Js^2 \\ 1/Js \end{bmatrix}$$

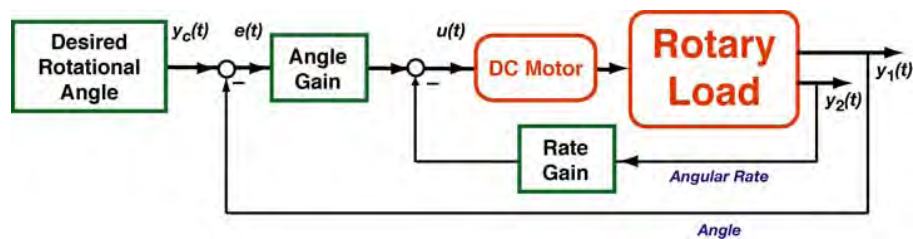
$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{Js^2} \\ \frac{1}{Js} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{y_1(s)}{u(s)} \\ \frac{y_2(s)}{u(s)} \end{bmatrix}$$

Angle = Double integral of input torque, $u(s)$

Angular rate = Integral of input torque, $u(s)$

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Closed-Loop System



Closed-loop dynamic equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1(t) \\ \dot{x}_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -c_1/J & -c_2/J \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ c_1/J \end{bmatrix} y_c$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{F}_{CL} \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G} \mathbf{u}(t)$$

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Closed-Loop Transfer Function Matrix

$$\mathbf{H}_{CL}(s) = \mathbf{H}_x [\mathbf{sI} - \mathbf{F}_{CL}]^{-1} \mathbf{G} = \mathbf{H}_x \frac{\text{Adj}(\mathbf{sI} - \mathbf{F}_{CL})}{|\mathbf{sI} - \mathbf{F}_{CL}|} \mathbf{G}$$

$$= \frac{\begin{bmatrix} (s + c_2/J) & 1 \\ -c_1/J & s \end{bmatrix}}{\left(s^2 + \frac{c_2}{J}s + \frac{c_1}{J}\right)} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ c_1/J \end{bmatrix}$$

Dimension = 2 x 1

Closed-loop transfer functions

Scalar components differ only in numerators

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{y_1(s)}{y_c(s)} \\ \frac{y_2(s)}{y_c(s)} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} c_1/J \\ (c_1/J)s \end{bmatrix}}{\left(s^2 + \frac{c_2}{J}s + \frac{c_1}{J}\right)} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} n_1(s) \\ n_2(s) \end{bmatrix}}{\Delta(s)}$$

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Frequency Response Functions

Substitute $s = j\omega$ in transfer functions

$$\frac{\text{Output Angle}}{\text{Commanded Angle}} = \frac{y_1(j\omega)}{y_c(j\omega)} = \frac{c_1/J}{(j\omega)^2 + (c_2/J)(j\omega) + c_1/J}$$

$$= \frac{\omega_n^2}{-\omega^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n(j\omega) + \omega_n^2}$$

$$\triangleq a_1(\omega) + jb_1(\omega) \rightarrow AR_1(\omega) e^{j\phi_1(\omega)}$$

$$\frac{\text{Output Rate}}{\text{Commanded Angle}} = \frac{y_2(j\omega)}{y_c(j\omega)} = \frac{(j\omega) c_1/J}{(j\omega)^2 + (c_2/J)(j\omega) + c_1/J}$$

$$= \frac{(j\omega) \omega_n^2}{-\omega^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n(j\omega) + \omega_n^2} \rightarrow AR_2(\omega) e^{j\phi_2(\omega)}$$

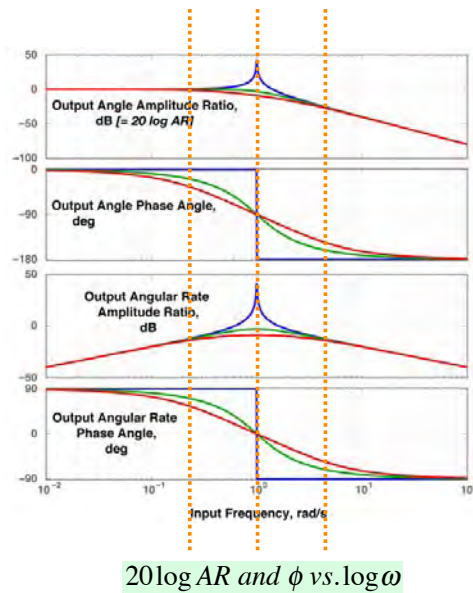
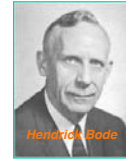
$$\text{Natural Frequency: } \omega_n = \sqrt{c_1/J}$$

Damping Ratio:

$$\zeta = (c_2/J)/2\omega_n = (c_2/J)/2\sqrt{c_1/J}$$

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Bode Plot Depicts Frequency Response



% Frequency Response of DC Motor Angle Control

```
F1 = [0 1;-1 0];
G1 = [0;1];
```

```
F1a = [0 1;-1 -1.414];
F1b = [0 1;-1 -2.828];
```

```
Hx = [1 0;0 1];
```

```
Sys1 = ss(F1,G1,Hx,0);
Sys2 = ss(F1a,G1,Hx,0);
Sys3 = ss(F1b,G1,Hx,0);
```

```
w = logspace(-2,2,1000);
bode(Sys1,Sys2,Sys3,w), grid
```

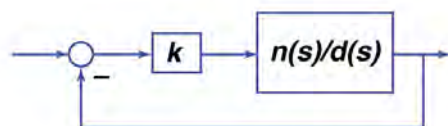
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Root (Eigenvalue) Locus

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{y_1(s)}{y_c(s)} \\ \frac{y_2(s)}{y_c(s)} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} c_1/J \\ (c_1/J)s \end{bmatrix}}{\left(s^2 + \frac{c_2}{J}s + \frac{c_1}{J}\right)} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} \omega_n^2 \\ \omega_n^2 s \end{bmatrix}}{(s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2)} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ s \end{bmatrix}}{(s^2 + 1.414\omega_n s + 1)}$$

- Variation of roots as scalar gain, k , goes from 0 to ∞
- With nominal gains, c_1 and c_2 ,

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{c_1}{J}} = 1 \text{ rad/s}, \quad \zeta = \frac{c_2/J}{2\omega_n} = 0.707$$



% Root Locus of DC Motor Angle Control

```
F = [0 1;-1 -1.414];
G = [0;1];
```

```
Hx1 = [1 0]; % Angle Output
Hx2 = [0 1]; % Angular Rate Output
```

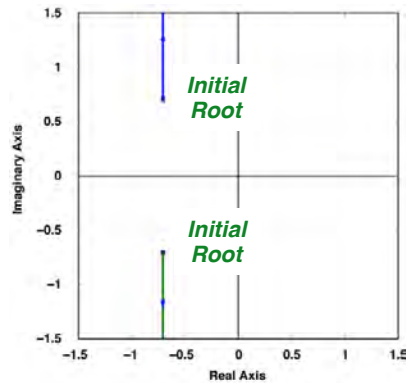
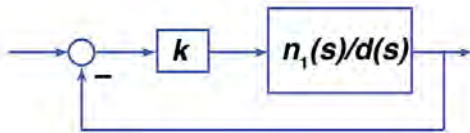
```
Sys1 = ss(F,G,Hx1,0);
Sys2 = ss(F,G,Hx2,0);
```

```
rlocus(Sys1), grid
figure
rlocus(Sys2), grid
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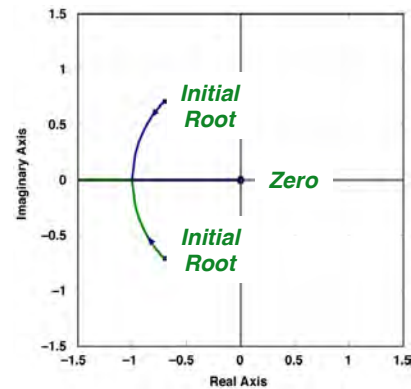
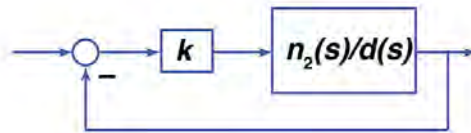
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Root (Eigenvalue) Locus

Increase Angle Feedback Gain



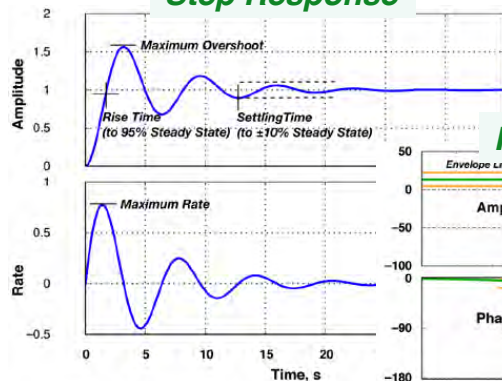
Increase Rate Feedback Gain



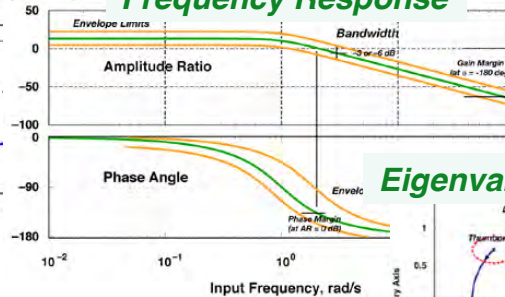
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Classical Control System Design Criteria

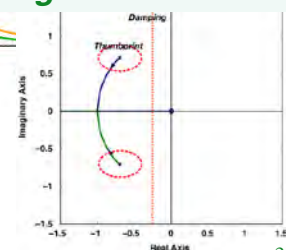
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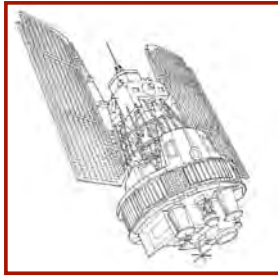
Frequency Response



Eigenvalue Location



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Single-Axis Angular Control of Non-Spinning Spacecraft

Pitching motion (about the **y** axis) is to be controlled

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}(t) \\ \dot{q}(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta(t) \\ q(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 / I_{yy} \end{bmatrix} M_y(t)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \theta(t) \\ q(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{Pitch Angle} \\ \text{Pitch Rate} \end{bmatrix}$$

Identical to the DC Motor control problem

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Proportional-Integral-Derivative (PID) Controller

Control Error

Control Command

Control Law Transfer Function
(w/common denominator)

$$e(s) = \theta_c(s) - \theta(s)$$

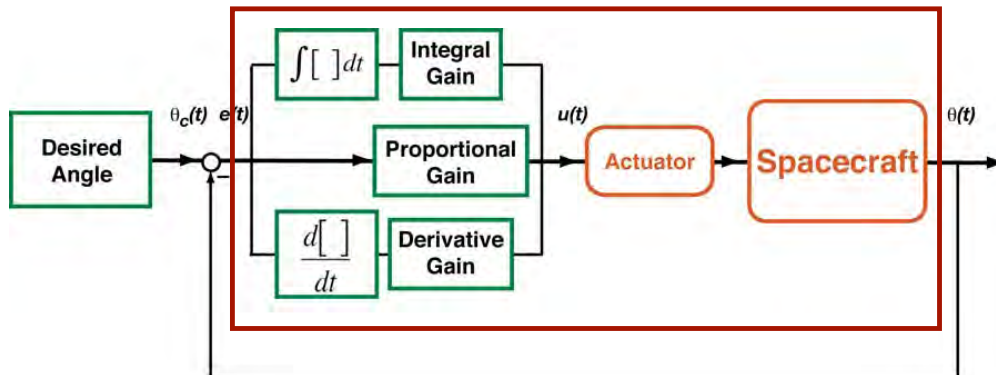
$$u(s) = \underline{c_P} e(s) + c_I \frac{e(s)}{s} + \underline{c_D} s e(s)$$

$$\frac{u(s)}{e(s)} = \frac{c_P s + c_I + \underline{c_D} s^2}{s}$$

- **Proportional term** weights control error directly
- **Integrator** compensates for persistent (bias) disturbance
- **Differentiator** produces rate term for damping

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Proportional-Integral-Derivative (PID) Controller



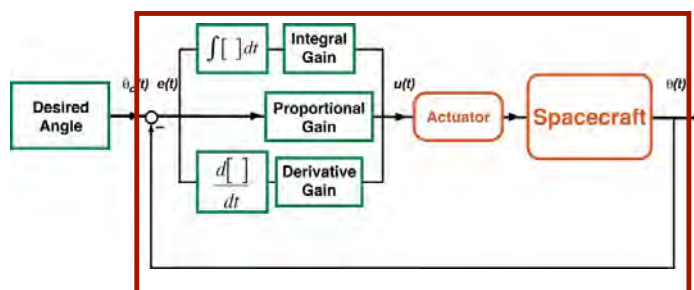
Forward-Loop Angle Transfer Function

$g_A = \text{Actuator Gain}$

$$\frac{\theta(s)}{e(s)} = \left[\frac{c_I + c_P s + c_D s^2}{s} \right] \left[\frac{g_A}{I_{yy} s^2} \right]$$

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Closed-Loop Spacecraft Control Transfer Function w/PID Control



Closed-Loop Angle Transfer Function

Ziegler-Nichols PID Tuning Method
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ziegler-Nichols_method

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\theta(s)}{\theta_c(s)} &= \frac{\frac{\theta(s)}{e(s)}}{1 + \frac{\theta(s)}{e(s)}} = \frac{\left[\frac{c_I + c_P s + c_D s^2}{I_{yy} s^3} g_A \right]}{1 + \left[\frac{c_I + c_P s + c_D s^2}{I_{yy} s^3} g_A \right]} \\ &= \frac{c_D s^2 + c_P s + c_I}{I_{yy} s^3 / g_A + c_D s^2 + c_P s + c_I} \end{aligned}$$

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Closed-Loop Frequency Response w/PID Control

$$\frac{\theta(s)}{\theta_c(s)} = \frac{c_I + c_P s + c_D s^2}{c_I + c_P s + c_D s^2 + I_{yy} s^3 / g_A}$$

Let $s = j\omega$. As $\omega \rightarrow 0$

$$\frac{\theta(j\omega)}{\theta_c(j\omega)} \rightarrow \frac{c_I}{c_I} = 1$$

Steady-state output = desired steady-state input

As $\omega \rightarrow \infty$

$$\frac{\theta(j\omega)}{\theta_c(j\omega)} \rightarrow \frac{-c_D \omega^2}{-j I_{yy} \omega^3} g_A = \frac{c_D}{j I_{yy} \omega} g_A = -\frac{j c_D}{I_{yy} \omega} g_A$$

$$AR \rightarrow \frac{c_D}{I_{yy} \omega} g_A; \quad \phi \rightarrow -90 \text{ deg}$$

High-frequency response "rolls off" and lags input

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Digital Control

Stengel, *Optimal Control and Estimation*, 1994, pp. 79-84, E-Reserve

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From Continuous- to Discrete-Time Systems

- **Continuous-time systems** are described by differential equations, e.g.,

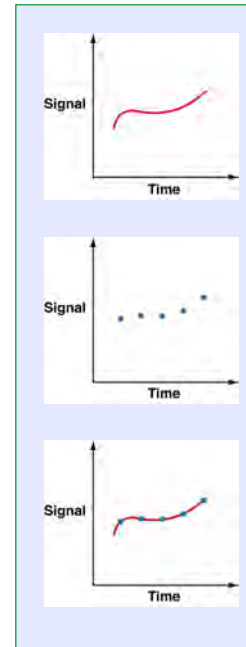
$$\Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)$$

- **Discrete-time systems** are described by difference equations, e.g.,

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{k+1}) = \Phi \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_k) + \Gamma \Delta \mathbf{u}(t_k)$$

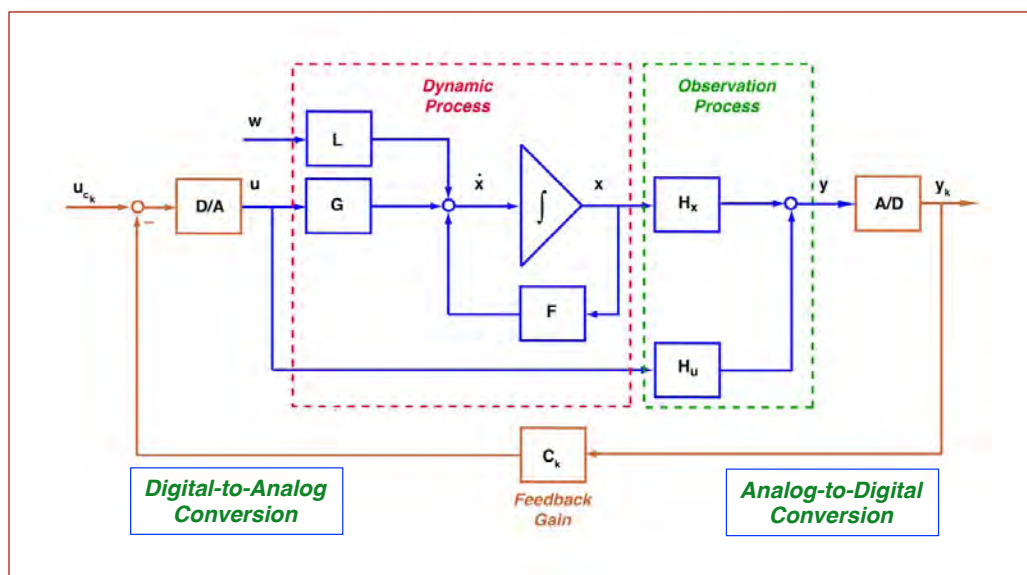
- Discrete-time systems that are meant to describe continuous-time systems are called **sampled-data systems**

$$\Phi = fcn(\mathbf{F}); \quad \Gamma = fcn(\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{G})$$



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Sampled-Data (*Digital*) Feedback Control



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Integration of Linear, Time-Invariant (LTI) Systems

$$\Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)$$

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}(t) = \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) + \int_0^t \Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(\tau) d\tau = \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) + \int_0^t [\mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}(\tau) + \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(\tau)] d\tau$$

Homogeneous solution (no input), $\Delta \mathbf{u} = 0$

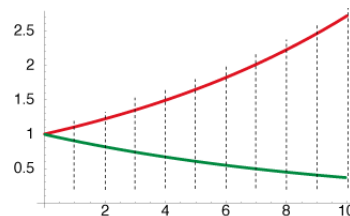
$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) &= \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) + \int_0^t [\mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}(\tau)] d\tau \\ &= e^{\mathbf{F}(t-0)} \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) = \Phi(t, 0) \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Phi(t, 0) = e^{\mathbf{F}(t-0)} = e^{\mathbf{F}t} = \text{State transition matrix from 0 to } t$$

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Equivalence of 1st-Order Continuous- and Discrete-Time Systems

Example demonstrates stability (green) and instability (red), defined by sign of a



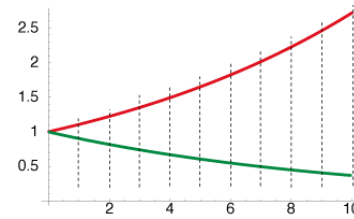
$$\dot{x}(t) = ax(t), x(0) \text{ given}$$

$$x(t) = x(0) + \int_0^t \dot{x}(t) dt = e^{at} x(0)$$

Choose small time interval, Δt
Propagate state to time, $t + n\Delta t$

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Equivalence of 1st-Order Continuous- and Discrete-Time Systems



$$x_0 = x(0)$$

$$x_1 = x(\Delta t) = e^{a\Delta t} x_0 = \phi(\Delta t) x_0$$

$$x_2 = x(2\Delta t) = e^{2a\Delta t} x_0 = e^{a\Delta t} x_1 = \phi(\Delta t) x_1$$

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$$x_k = x(k\Delta t) = e^{ka\Delta t} x_0 = e^{a\Delta t} x_{k-1} = \phi(\Delta t) x_{k-1}$$

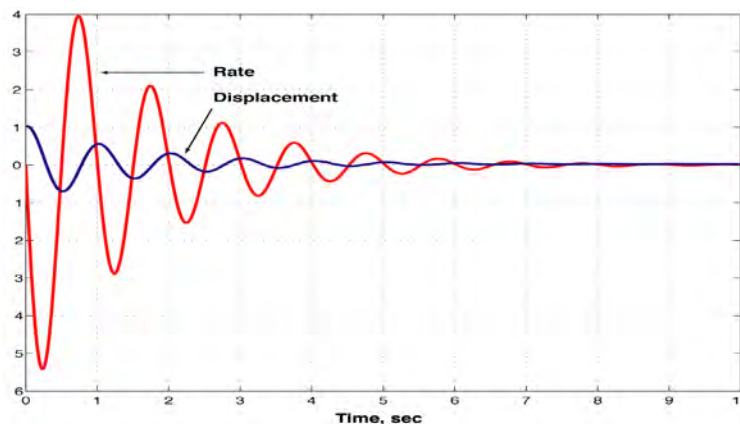
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$$x_n = x(n\Delta t) = x(t) = e^{na\Delta t} x_0 = \phi(\Delta t) x_{n-1}$$

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Initial Condition Response of Continuous-and Discrete-Time Models

Identical response at the sampling instants



$$\Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{k+1}) = \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_k) + \int_{t_k}^{t_{k+1}} \mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) dt = e^{\mathbf{F}(t_{k+1}-t_k)\Delta t} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_k) = \Phi(\Delta t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_k)$$

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Input Response of LTI System

Inhomogeneous (forced) solution

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}(t) = e^{\mathbf{F}t} \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) + \int_0^t \left[e^{\mathbf{F}(t-\tau)} \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(\tau) \right] d\tau$$

$$= \Phi(t-0) \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) + \Phi(t-0) \int_0^t \left[\Phi(t-\tau) \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(\tau) \right] d\tau$$

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Sampled-Data System (Stepwise application of prior results)

Assume $(t_k - t_{k+1}) = \Delta t = \text{constant}$

$$\Phi(t_{k+1} - t_k) = e^{\mathbf{F}(t_{k+1}-t_k)} = e^{\mathbf{F}(\Delta t)} = \Phi(\Delta t)$$

Assume $\Delta \mathbf{u} = \text{constant from } t_k \text{ to } t_{k+1}$

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{k+1}) = \Phi(\Delta t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_k) + \Phi(\Delta t) \int_0^{\Delta t} \left[\Phi(\Delta t - \tau) \mathbf{G} \right] d\tau \Delta \mathbf{u}_k$$

Evaluate the integral

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{k+1}) &= \Phi(\Delta t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_k) + \Phi(\Delta t) [\mathbf{I} - \Phi^{-1}(\Delta t)] \mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(t_k) \\ &\equiv \Phi(\Delta t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_k) + \Gamma(\Delta t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t_k) \end{aligned}$$

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Digital Flight Control

- **Historical notes:**
 - *NASA Fly-By-Wire F-8C (Apollo GNC system, 1972)*
 - 1st conventional aircraft with digital flight control
 - NASA Dryden Research Center
 - *Princeton's Variable-Response Research Aircraft (Z-80 microprocessor, 1978)*
 - 2nd conventional aircraft with digital flight control
 - Princeton University's Flight Research Laboratory



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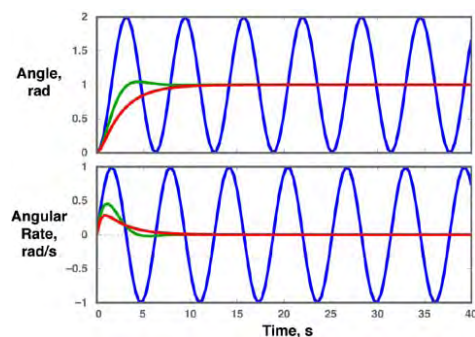
*Next Time:
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SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIAL

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Eigenvalues, Damping Ratio, and Natural Frequency



% Eigenvalues, Damping Ratio,
and Natural Frequency of Angle Control

```
F1 = [0 1;-1 0];
G1 = [0;1];
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```
F1a = [0 1;-1 -1.414];
F1b = [0 1;-1 -2.828];
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Hx = [1 0;0 1];
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```
Sys1 = ss(F1,G1,Hx,0);
Sys2 = ss(F1a,G1,Hx,0);
Sys3 = ss(F1b,G1,Hx,0);
```

```
eig(F1)
eig(F1a)
eig(F1b)
```

```
damp(Sys1)
damp(Sys2)
```

Eigenvalues

λ_1, λ_2

$0 + 1i$

$0 - 1i$

$-0.707 + 0.707i$

$-0.707 - 0.707i$

-0.414

-2.414

Damping Ratio, Natural Frequency

ζ

0

0.707

Overdamped

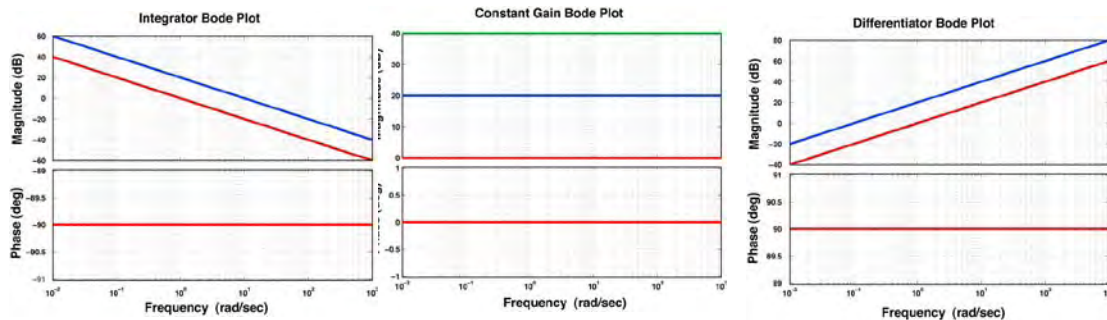
ω_n

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Bode Plots of Proportional, Integral, and Derivative Compensation



$$H(j\omega) = 1$$

$$H(j\omega) = 10$$

$$H(j\omega) = 100$$

- Amplitude ratio, $AR(dB)$ = constant

$$\text{Phase Angle, } \phi(\text{deg}) = 0$$

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega}$$

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{10}{j\omega}$$

- Slope of $AR(dB)$ = -20 dB/decade

$$\text{Phase Angle, } \phi = -90 \text{ deg}$$

$$H(j\omega) = j\omega$$

$$H(j\omega) = 10j\omega$$

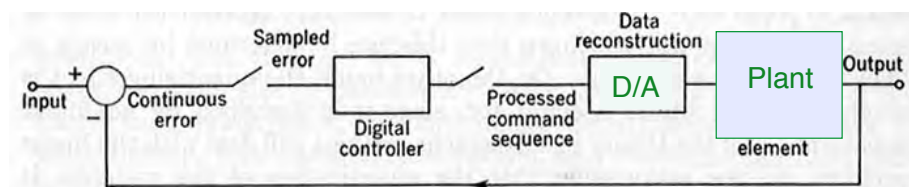
- Slope of $AR(dB)$ = +20 dB/decade

$$\text{Phase Angle, } \phi = +90 \text{ deg}$$

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Single-Input/Single-Output Sampled-Data Control

- Sampler is an analog-to-digital (A/D) converter
- Reconstructor is a digital-to-analog (D/A) converter
- Sampling of input and feedback signal could occur separately, before the summing junction
- Sampling may be periodic or aperiodic



Equilibrium Response of Linear Discrete-Time Model

- Dynamic model

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \Phi \Delta \mathbf{x}_k + \Gamma \Delta \mathbf{u}_k + \Lambda \Delta \mathbf{w}_k$$

- At equilibrium

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \Delta \mathbf{x}_k = \Delta \mathbf{x}^* = \text{constant}$$

- Equilibrium response

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathbf{I} - \Phi) \Delta \mathbf{x}^* &= \Gamma \Delta \mathbf{u}^* + \Lambda \Delta \mathbf{w}^* \\ \Delta \mathbf{x}^* &= (\mathbf{I} - \Phi)^{-1} (\Gamma \Delta \mathbf{u}^* + \Lambda \Delta \mathbf{w}^*) \end{aligned}$$

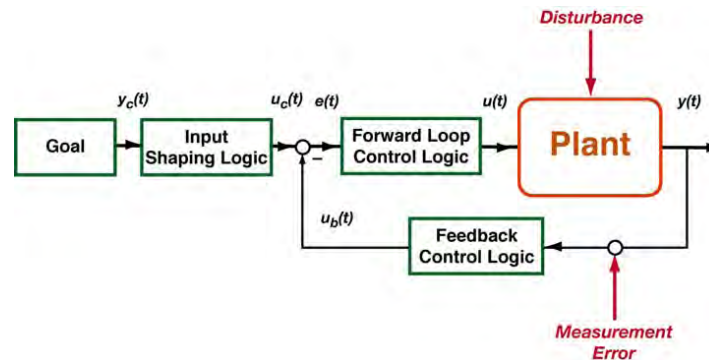
$$(.)^* = \text{constant}$$

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*Factors That Complicate
Precise Control*

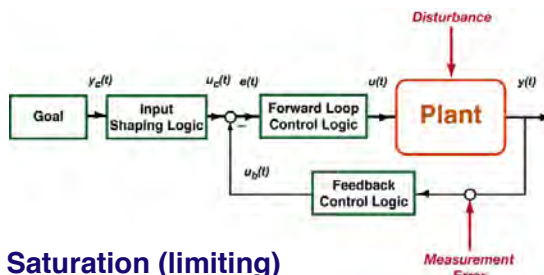
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Error, Uncertainty, and Incompleteness May Have Significant Effects



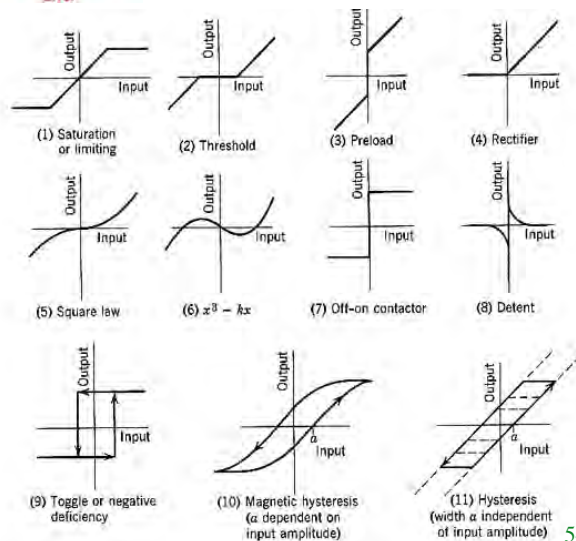
- Scale factors and biases: $y = kx + b$
- Disturbances: Constant/variable forces
- Measurement error: Noise, bias
- Modeling error
 - Parameters: e.g., Inertia
 - Structure: e.g., Higher-order modes

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Nonlinearity Complicates Response

- Saturation (limiting)
 - Displacement limit, maximum force or rate
- Threshold
 - Dead zone, slop
- Preload
 - Breakout force
- Friction
 - Sliding surface resistance
- Rectifier
 - Hard constraint, absolute value (double)
- Hysteresis
 - Backlash, slop
- Higher-degree terms
 - Cubic spring, separation



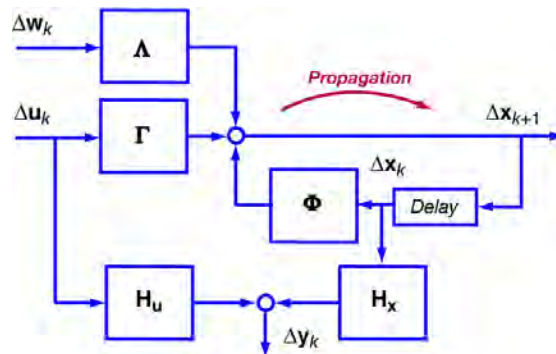
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Discrete-Time and Sampled-Data Models

Linear, time-invariant, discrete-time model

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \Phi \Delta \mathbf{x}_k + \Gamma \Delta \mathbf{u}_k + \Lambda \Delta \mathbf{w}_k$$

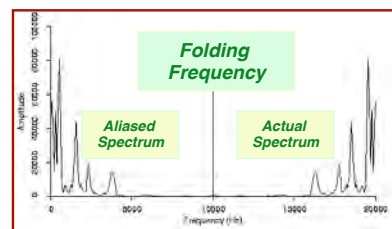
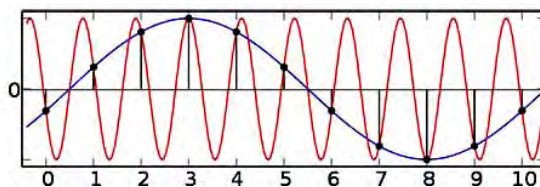
Discrete-time model is a **sampled-data** model if it represents a continuous-time system



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Sampling Effect on Continuous Signal

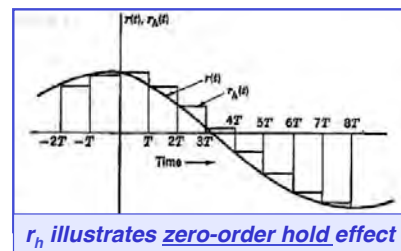
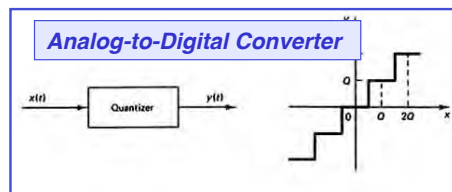
- Two waves, different frequencies, indistinguishable in periodically sampled data
- Frequencies above the sampling frequency *aliased* to appear at lower frequency (*frequency folding*)
- Solutions: Either
 - Sampling at higher rate or
 - Analog low-pass filtering



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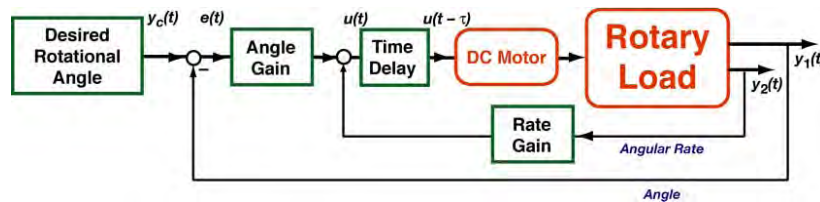
Quantization and Delay Effects

- Continuous signal sampled with finite precision (**quantized**)
 - Solution: **More bits** in A/D and D/A conversion
- **Effective delay** of sampled signal
 - Described as **phase shift** or **lag**
 - Solution:
 - **Higher sampling rate** or
 - **Lead compensation**



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Time Delay Effect



- Control command delayed by τ sec
- Laplace transform of pure time delay

$$L[u(t - \tau)] = e^{-\tau s} u(s)$$

- Delay introduces frequency-dependent phase lag with no change in amplitude

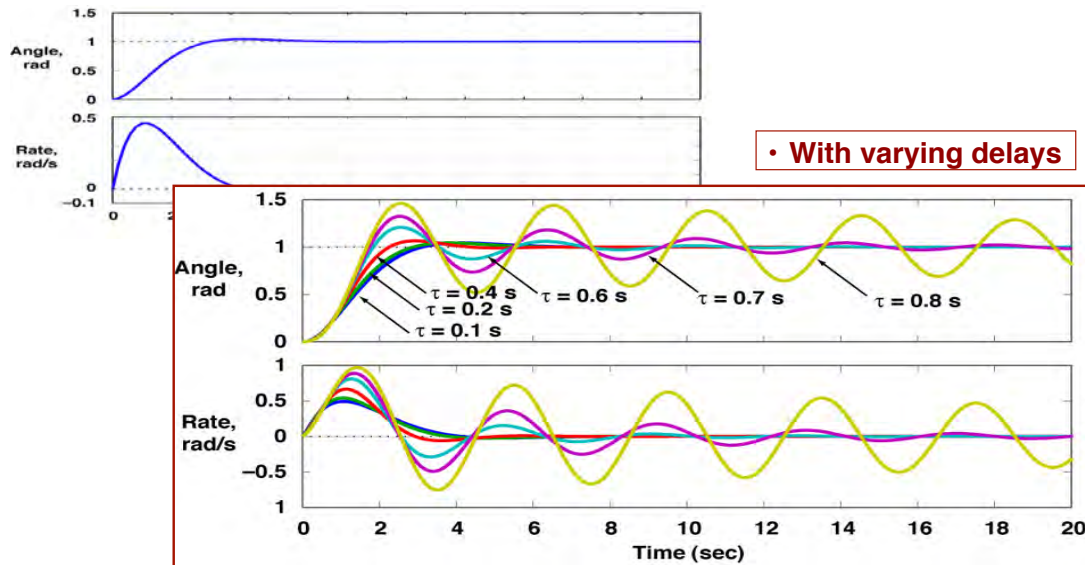
$$\begin{aligned} AR(e^{-j\tau\omega}) &= 1 \\ \phi(e^{-j\tau\omega}) &= -\omega \end{aligned}$$

- Phase lag reduces closed-loop stability

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Effect of Closed-Loop Time Delay on Step Response

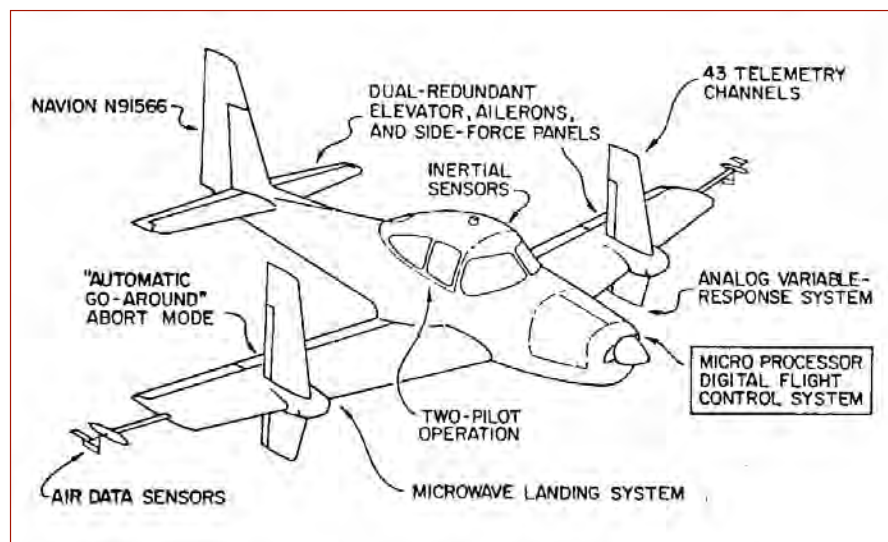
- With no delay $\omega_n = 1 \text{ rad/s}$, $\zeta = 0.707$



- With varying delays

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Princeton's Variable-Response Research Aircraft



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Discrete-Time Frequency Response Can be Evaluated Using the **z** Transform

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \mathbf{\Phi} \Delta \mathbf{x}_k + \mathbf{\Gamma} \Delta \mathbf{u}_k$$

z transform is the Laplace transform of a periodic sequence
System z transform is

$$z\Delta \mathbf{x}(z) - \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) = \mathbf{\Phi} \Delta \mathbf{x}(z) + \mathbf{\Gamma} \Delta \mathbf{u}(z)$$

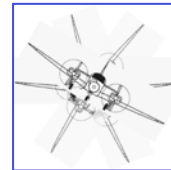
which leads to

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}(z) = (z\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{\Phi})^{-1} [\Delta \mathbf{x}(0) + \mathbf{\Gamma} \Delta \mathbf{u}(z)]$$

Further details are beyond the present scope

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Second-Order Example: Airplane Roll Motion



$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta p \\ \Delta \phi \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{Roll rate, rad/s} \\ \text{Roll angle, rad} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Delta \delta A$ = Aileron deflection, rad

L_p : roll damping coefficient
 $L_{\delta A}$: aileron control effect

Rolling motion of an airplane, continuous-time

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \dot{p} \\ \Delta \dot{\phi} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} L_p & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta p \\ \Delta \phi \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} L_{\delta A} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Delta \delta A$$

Rolling motion of an airplane, discrete-time

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta p_k \\ \Delta \phi_k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{L_p T} & 0 \\ \frac{(e^{L_p T} - 1)}{L_p} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta p_{k-1} \\ \Delta \phi_{k-1} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \sim L_{\delta A} T \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Delta \delta A_{k-1}$$

T = sampling interval, s

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