



Modern Control Theory

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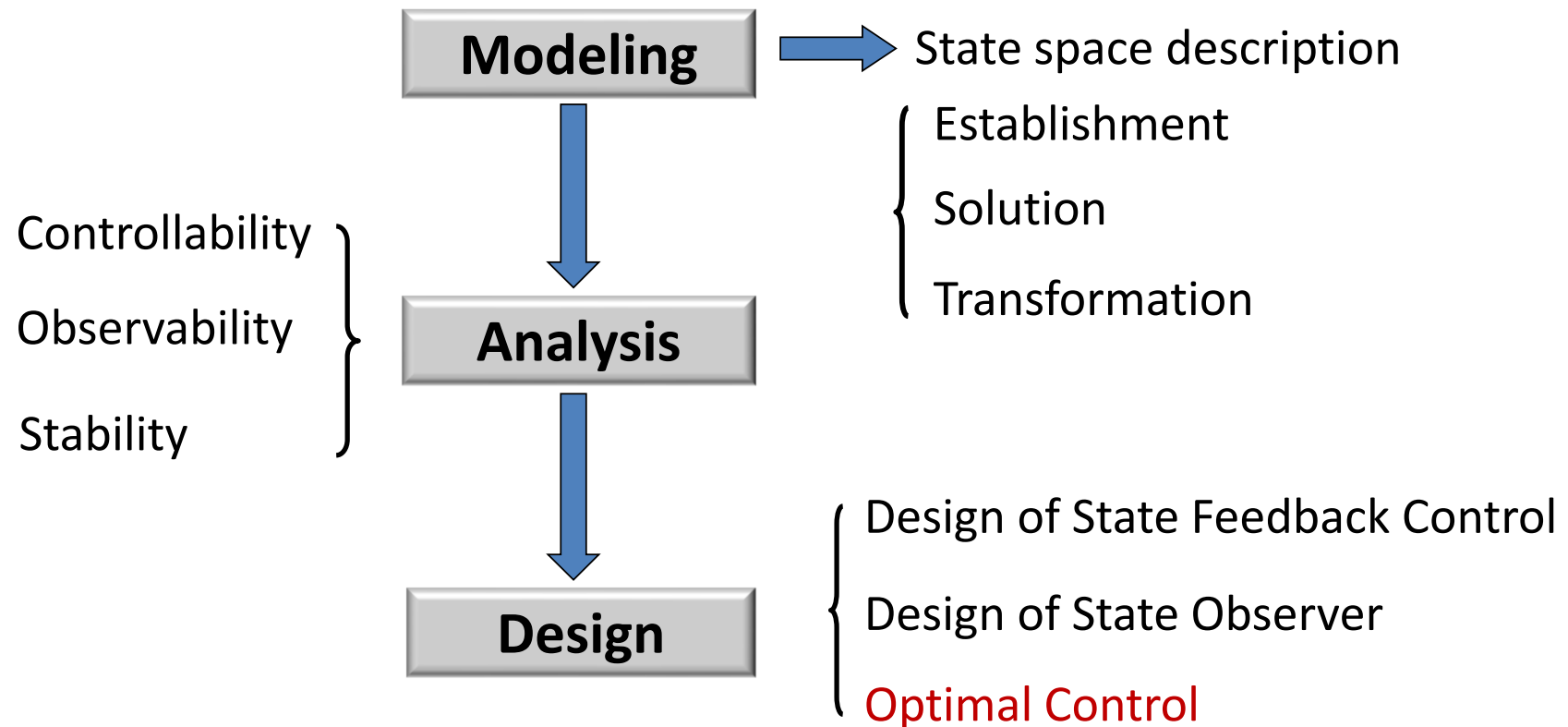
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Part I: State Space Control of Linear Systems (Chap 1-5)



Main content of the State Space Control of Linear Systems

- State space description method —————> Modeling
- The internal properties of linear systems —————> Analysis
- The integrated design of linear systems with state space —————> Design



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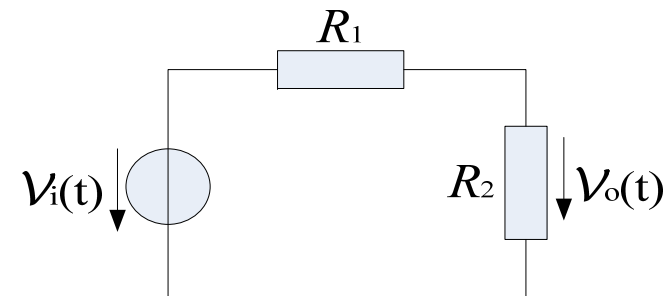
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“Static system” & “dynamic system”

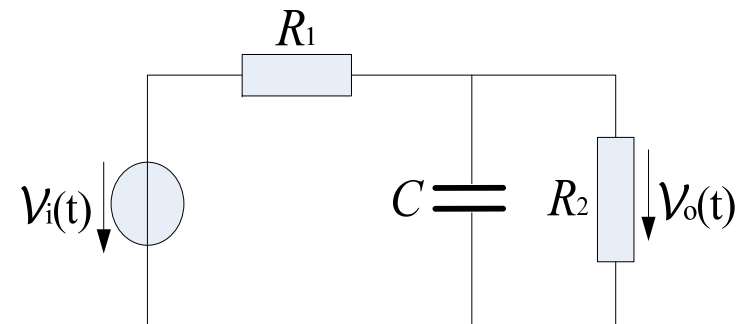
Static system

The current outputs depend solely on the instantaneous values of the current inputs.
(example: a resistance network system).



Dynamical system

A system's state summarizes its entire past. It describes the memory-side of dynamic systems.
(example: a RLC network system).



State & State variable

Definition (State variable)

The state of a system is a set of variables $(x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t))$ such that the initial knowledge of these variables $(x_i(t_0), i = 1, 2, \dots, n)$ and the input functions $(u_j(t), j = 1, 2, \dots, p, t \geq t_0)$ will, with the equations describing the dynamics, provide the future state and output of the system.

■ The elements of state variable choice:

- Complete description
- The choice of state variables is non-unique
- The only restriction on the choice of state variables is that they are independent
- The number of the state variable is unique

State vector

Definition (State vector)

The state vector is the column vector $x(t)$ composed of all the state variables $x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t)$, i.e.

$$x(t) \equiv \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \\ \vdots \\ x_n(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \equiv x$$

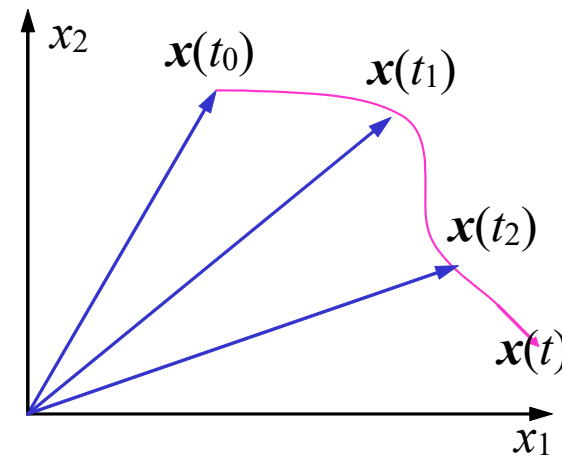
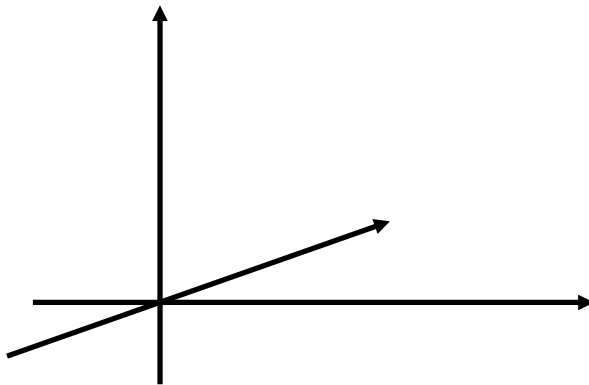
- If the state vector by n components, is called the n -dimensional state vector.
- If given the initial state vector $x(t_0)$ (when $t = t_0$) and the input vector $u(t)$ (when $t \geq t_0$), the state is uniquely determined by the state vector $x(t)$.

“State space & State trajectory”

Definition (State space & State trajectory)

State space is defined as the n -dimensional space (\mathbf{R}^n) in which the components of the state vector $(x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t))$ represent its coordinate axes.

State trajectory is defined as the path produced in the state space by the state vector $x(t)$ as it changes with the passage of time ($t \geq t_0$).



State equation & Output equation

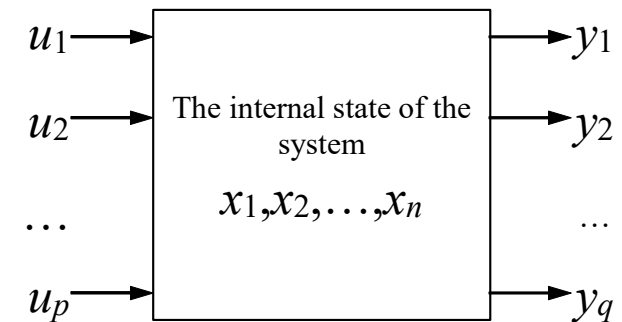
An n th-order dynamic system can be described by the following two sets of equations:

■ State equations

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1(t) = f_1[x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t); u_1(t), u_2(t), \dots, u_p(t); t] \\ \dot{x}_2(t) = f_2[x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t); u_1(t), u_2(t), \dots, u_p(t); t] \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n(t) = f_n[x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t); u_1(t), u_2(t), \dots, u_p(t); t] \end{cases}$$

■ Output equations

$$\begin{cases} y_1(t) = g_1[x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t); u_1(t), u_2(t), \dots, u_p(t); t] \\ y_2(t) = g_2[x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t); u_1(t), u_2(t), \dots, u_p(t); t] \\ \vdots \\ y_q(t) = g_q[x_1(t), x_2(t), \dots, x_n(t); u_1(t), u_2(t), \dots, u_p(t); t] \end{cases}$$



State space description of a general dynamic system

For an n th-order linear time-invariant (LTI) system with p input and q output, the dynamic equation are written as

$$\dot{x}(t) = Ax(t) + Bu(t), t \geq t_0$$

$$y(t) = Cx(t) + Du(t)$$

where $\mathbf{A} \in R^{n \times n}$ is called the **system** matrix (coefficient matrix, state matrix)

$\mathbf{B} \in R^{n \times p}$ is called the **input** or **control** matrix

$\mathbf{C} \in R^{q \times n}$ is called the **output** matrix

$\mathbf{D} \in R^{q \times p}$ is called the **direct connection** matrix.

For simplicity, the system can also be denoted as $\Sigma(A, B, C, D)$.

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u}(t) \quad \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{D}\mathbf{u}(t)$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \cdots & b_{1p} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \cdots & b_{2p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ b_{n1} & b_{n2} & \cdots & b_{np} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} & \cdots & d_{1p} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} & \cdots & d_{2p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ d_{q1} & d_{q11} & \cdots & d_{qp} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & \cdots & c_{1n} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & \cdots & c_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ c_{q1} & c_{q2} & \cdots & c_{qn} \end{bmatrix}$$

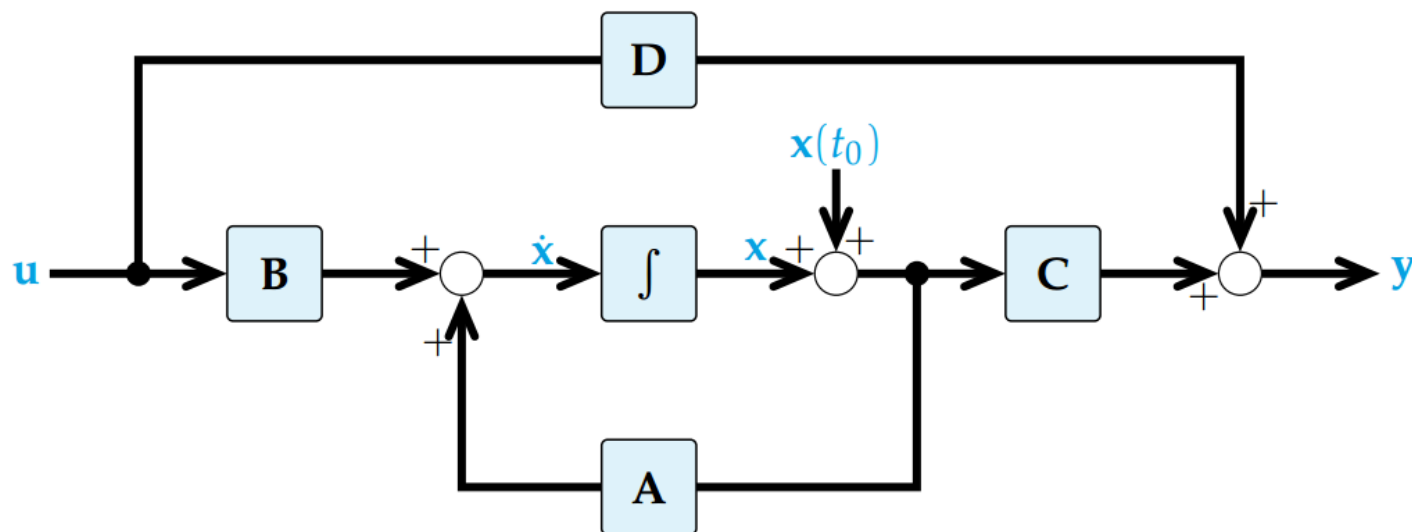
Block diagram for the state space model

Given the state space model of an LTI system

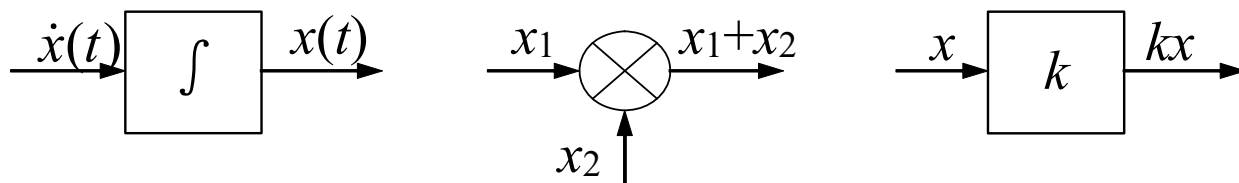
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the block diagram for the system is

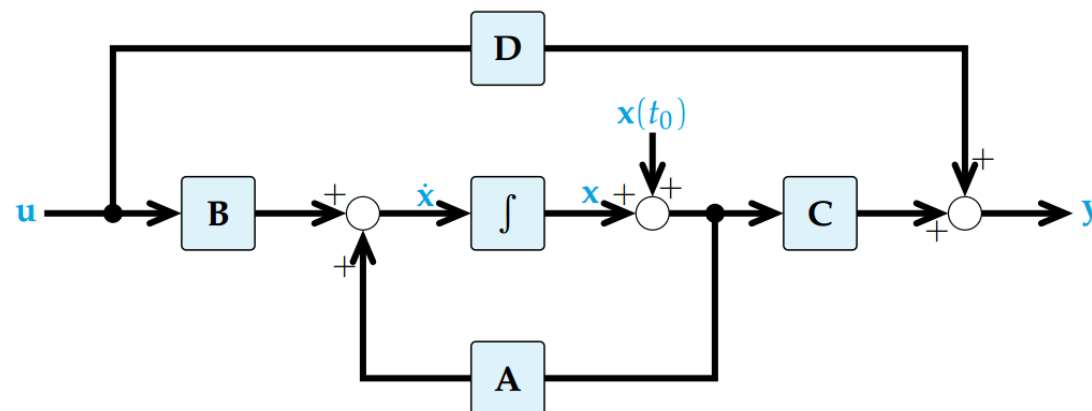


The three basic components of the block diagram



$$\dot{x}(t) = Ax(t) + Bu(t), t \geq t_0$$

$$y(t) = Cx(t) + Du(t)$$



状态空间描述的模拟结构图绘制步骤:

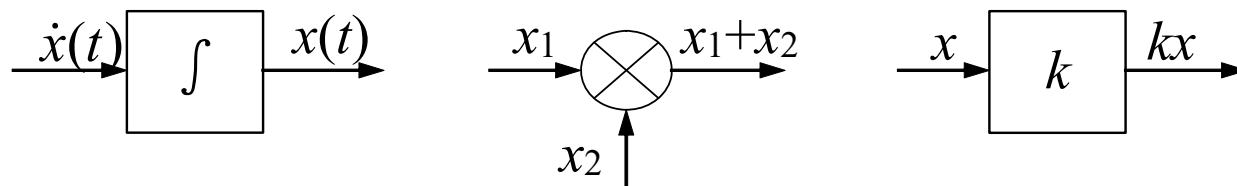
- (1) 画出所有积分器；积分器的个数等于状态变量数，每个积分器的输出表示相应的某个状态变量。
- (2) 根据状态方程和输出方程，画出相应的加法器和比例器；
- (3) 用箭头将这些元件连接起来。

例1-1 画出一阶微分方程的模拟结构图。

微分方程：

$$\dot{x} = ax + bu$$

模拟结构图？

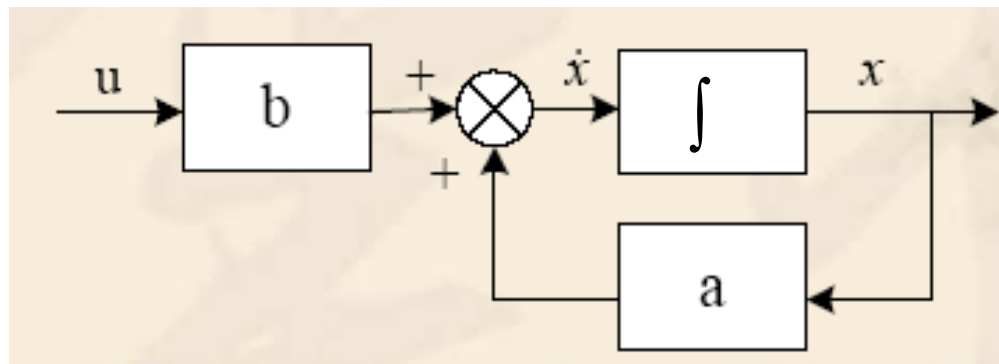


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模拟结构图



Example Block diagram of double input double output linear constant system

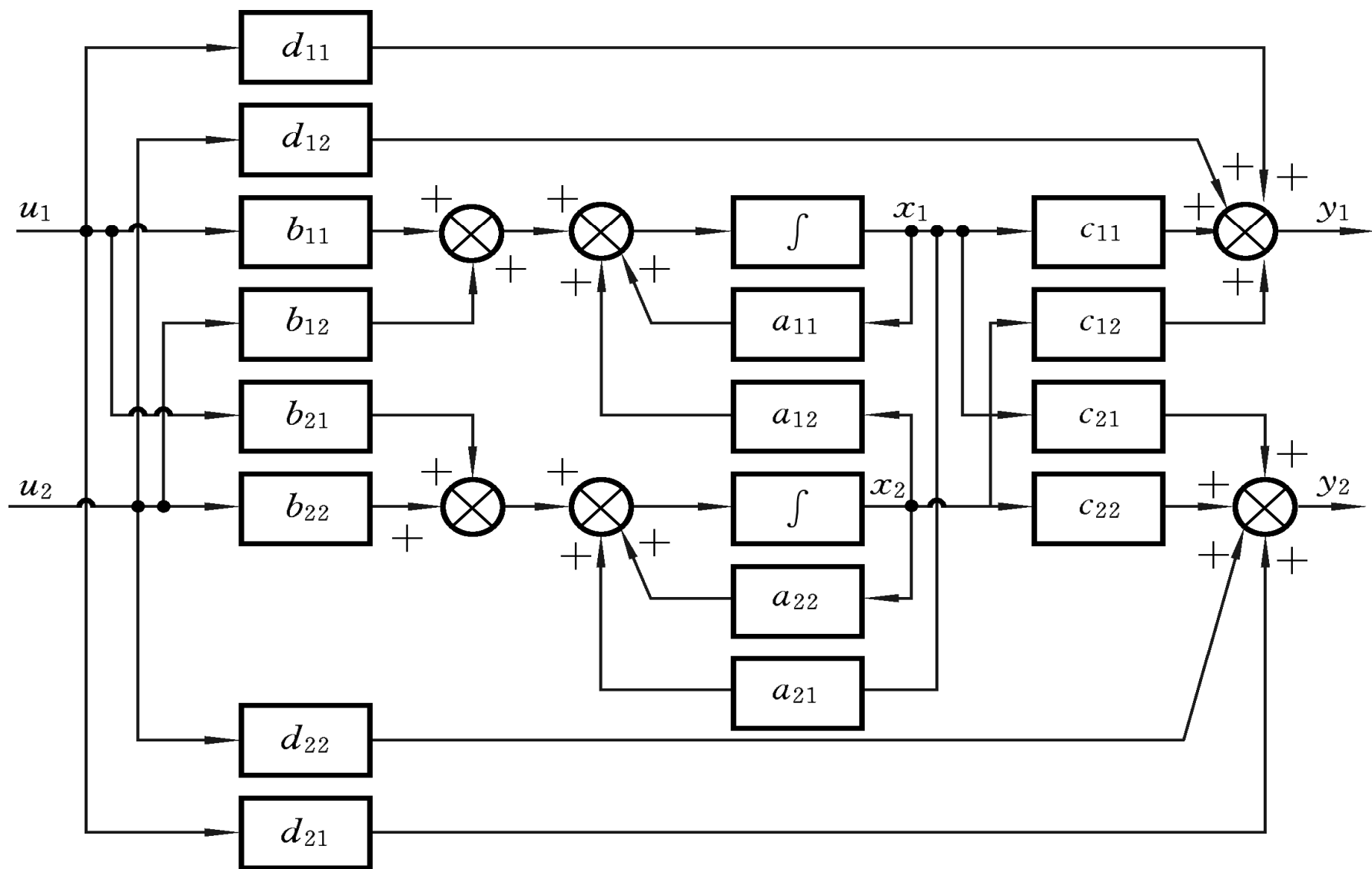
$$\dot{x}(t) = Ax(t) + Bu(t), t \geq t_0$$

$$y(t) = Cx(t) + Du(t)$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & d_{12} \\ d_{21} & d_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



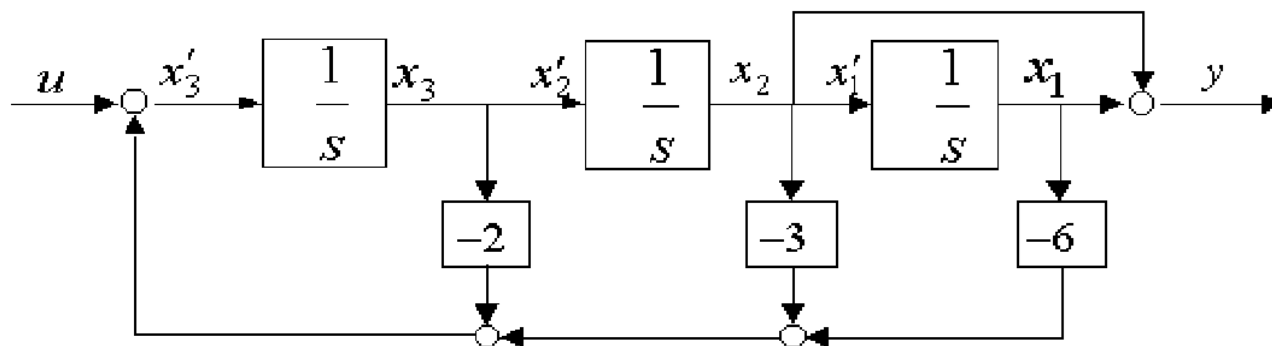
例1-3 某系统的状态空间表达式为

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -6 & -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u, y = [1 \quad 1 \quad 0] \mathbf{x}$$

试绘制其结构图。

分析：本系统状态变量有三个 $\mathbf{x} = [x_1 \quad x_2 \quad x_3]^T$
一个输入量 u ，一个输出量 y ，（ $r=1, m=1$ ）

解：系统结构图（或状态变量图）如下：



The establishment methods of the state space description

- **Deduced by the mechanism of the system**
- Set up by the system block diagram
- Evolution by differential equations or the transfer function(TF)

Example 1-1 State space description by system mechanism

Build up the state space model for the following MSD system.

Solutions

By applying the **Newton's second law**, we obtain the following equations:

$$m\ddot{y} + b\dot{y} + ky = u$$

If we choose

$$x_1(t) = y(t), x_2(t) = \dot{y}(t)$$

State variables:
Choose the output
of the system (y) and
its derivative (v)

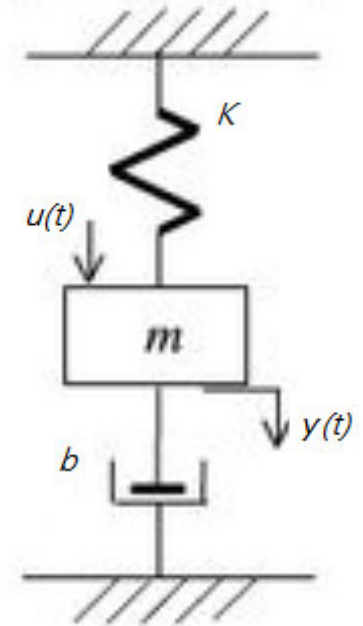
we will have

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = \frac{1}{m}(-kx_1 - bx_2) + \frac{1}{m}u$$

The output equation

$$y = x_1$$

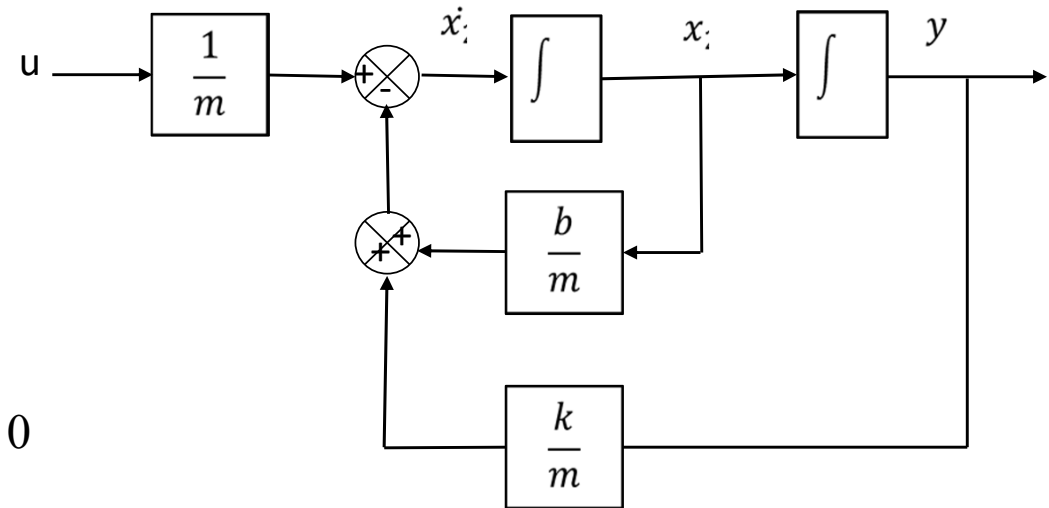


Represented by the vector-matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{k}{m} & -\frac{b}{m} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{m} \end{bmatrix} u, \quad y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

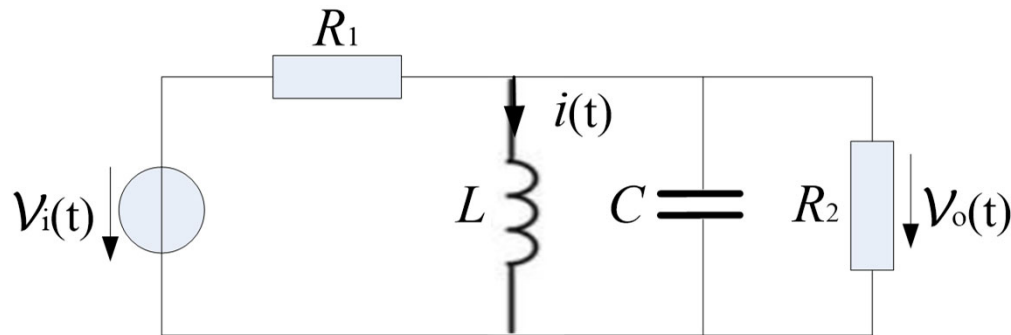


$$\begin{cases} \dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{B}u \\ y = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{D}u \end{cases} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{k}{m} & -\frac{b}{m} \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{m} \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{D} = 0 \end{array} \right.$$



Example 1-2 State space description by system mechanism

Let's build up the state space model for the following circuit.



Solutions

By applying the Kirchhoff's laws, we obtain the following equations:

$$\begin{aligned} v_o(t) &= L \frac{di(t)}{dt} \\ \frac{v_i(t) - v_o(t)}{R_1} &= i(t) + C \frac{dv_o(t)}{dt} + \frac{v_o(t)}{R_2} \end{aligned}$$

The above equations can be rearranged as follows

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{di(t)}{dt} &= \frac{1}{L}v_o(t) \\ \frac{dv_o(t)}{dt} &= -\frac{1}{C}i(t) - \left(\frac{1}{R_1C} + \frac{1}{R_2C}\right)v_o(t) + \frac{1}{R_1C}v_i(t)\end{aligned}$$

State variables: Choose the physical quantity output of the energy storage element

If we choose

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} i(t) \\ v_o(t) \end{bmatrix}, \quad u(t) = v_i(t), \quad y(t) = v_o(t)$$

we will have

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{L} \\ -\frac{1}{C} & -\left(\frac{1}{R_1C} + \frac{1}{R_2C}\right) \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{R_1C} \end{bmatrix} u(t) \\ y(t) &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}(t)\end{aligned}$$

which yields

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u}(t), t \geq t_0$$

$$\mathbf{y}(t) = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{D}\mathbf{u}(t)$$

where

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{L} \\ -\frac{1}{C} & -\left(\frac{1}{R_1 C} + \frac{1}{R_2 C} + \right) \end{bmatrix}$$

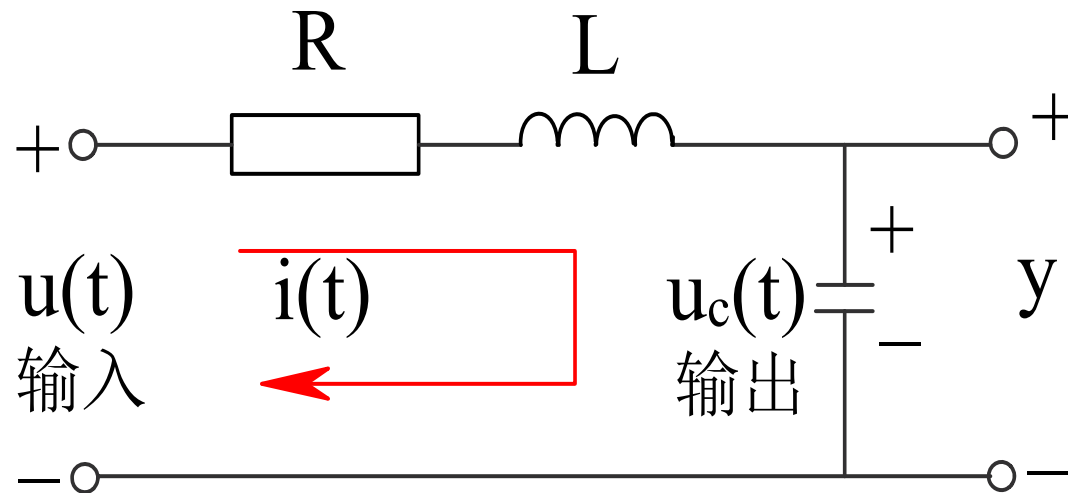
$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \frac{1}{R_1 C} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{C} = [0 \quad 1]$$

$$\mathbf{D} = [0]$$

Exercise 1-1

Build up the state space model for the following RLC system.



例1-1：建立如图所示的RCL电路的状态方程和输出方程。

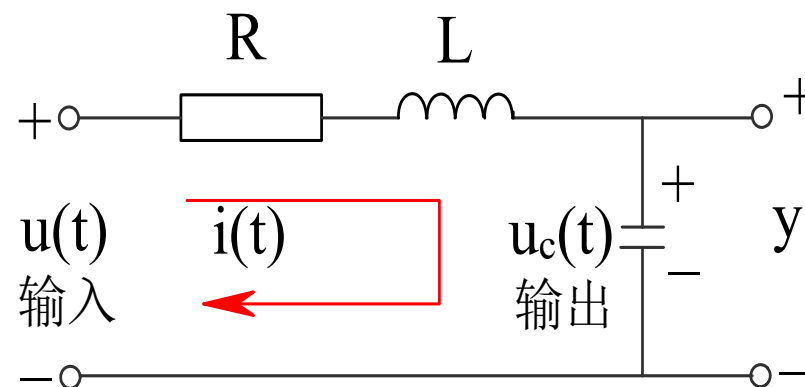


图1

解：

$$LC\ddot{u}_c(t) + RC\dot{u}_c(t) + u_c(t) = u(t) \quad \text{微分方程}$$

$$\frac{U_c(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{1}{LCs^2 + RCs + 1} \quad \text{传递函数}$$

定义状态变量 $x_1(t) = u_c(t)$ $x_2(t) = i(t)$

二阶微分方程，选择两个状态变量

状态向量 $\mathbf{x}(t) = [x_1(t), x_2(t)]^T$

定义输出变量 $y(t) = x_1(t)$

整理得一阶微分方程组为

$$\begin{aligned} Ri(t) + L \frac{di(t)}{dt} + u_c &= u(t) \\ i(t) &= C \frac{du_c}{dt} \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{du_c(t)}{dt} &= \frac{1}{C} i(t) \\ \frac{di(t)}{dt} &= -\frac{1}{L} u_c(t) - \frac{R}{L} i(t) + \frac{1}{L} u(t) \end{aligned}$$

状态方程 $\dot{x}_1(t) = \frac{1}{C} x_2(t)$

$$\dot{x}_2(t) = -\frac{1}{L} x_1(t) - \frac{R}{L} x_2(t) + \frac{1}{L} u(t)$$

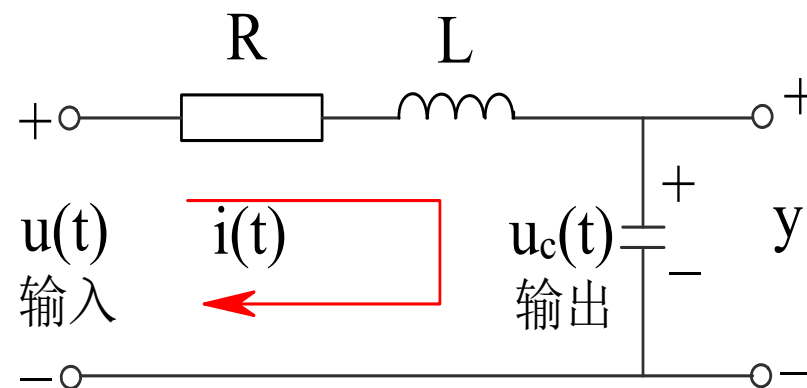
输出方程 $y = x_1(t)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1(t) \\ \dot{x}_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{C} \\ -\frac{1}{L} & -\frac{R}{L} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{L} \end{bmatrix} u(t)$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

图1所示电路, 若 $u_c(t)$ 为输出,
 取 $x_1(t) = u_c(t), x_2(t) = i(t)$ 作为状态变量,
 则其状态空间表达式为

$$\begin{cases} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{C} \\ -\frac{1}{L} & -\frac{R}{L} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{L} \end{bmatrix} u \\ y = [1 \quad 0] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \end{cases}$$



状态变量选择不同，状态方程也不同。

若按照如下所示的微分方程：

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{du_c(t)}{dt} &= \frac{1}{C}i(t) \\ \frac{di(t)}{dt} &= -\frac{1}{L}u_c(t) - \frac{R}{L}i(t) + \frac{1}{L}u(t)\end{aligned}$$

选 $\bar{x}_1 = u_c, \bar{x}_2 = \dot{u}_c$ ，则得到一阶微分方程组：

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\bar{x}}_1 &= \bar{x}_2 \\ \dot{\bar{x}}_2 &= -\frac{1}{LC}\bar{x}_1 - \frac{R}{L}\bar{x}_2 + \frac{1}{LC}u\end{aligned}$$

即

$$\dot{\bar{\mathbf{x}}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{1}{LC} & -\frac{R}{L} \end{bmatrix} \bar{\mathbf{x}} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{LC} \end{bmatrix} u$$

两组状态变量之间的关系：

$$\begin{aligned}x_1 &= u_c & \bar{x}_1 &= u_c \\x_2 &= i & \bar{x}_2 &= \dot{u}_c = \frac{1}{C}i\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}_1 \\ \bar{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{P} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} u_c \\ \frac{1}{C}i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_c \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{x} \quad \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{P}: \text{非奇异矩阵}$$

状态变量的选取原则:

- 选择系统储能元件的输出物理量;
- 选择系统输出及其各阶导数;
- 使系统状态方程成为某种标准形式的变量
(对角线标准型和约当标准型)

状态变量不唯一

状态变量的选取不同, 状态空间表达式也不同!

建立状态空间表达式的步骤

1) 选取 n 个状态变量；确定输入、输出变量；

2) 根据系统微分方程列出 n 个一阶微分方程；

状态变量、输入变量、参数

3) 根据系统微分方程，列出状态空间描述。

输出变量、状态变量、输入变量、参数

结论：

(1) 状态变量选取具有非唯一性。状态变量个数 \rightarrow 系统的阶次；

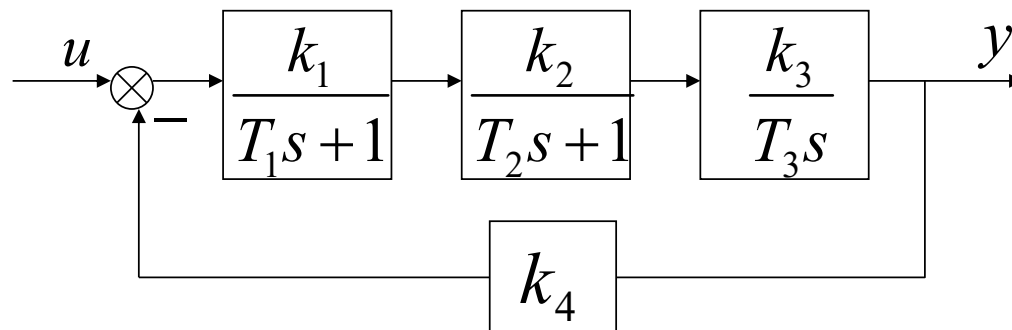
(2) 状态变量具有独立性；

(3) 不同组状态变量之间可做等价变换 \rightarrow 线性变换。

The establishment methods of the state space description

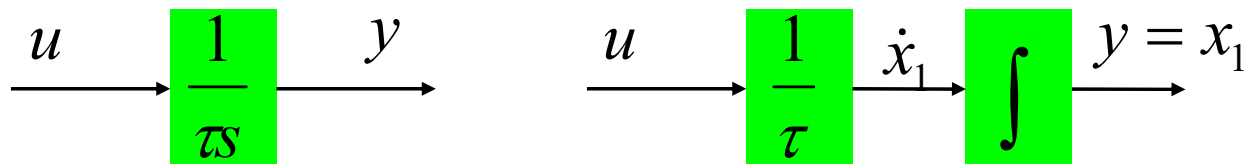
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[例1-4] : 系统框图如下:



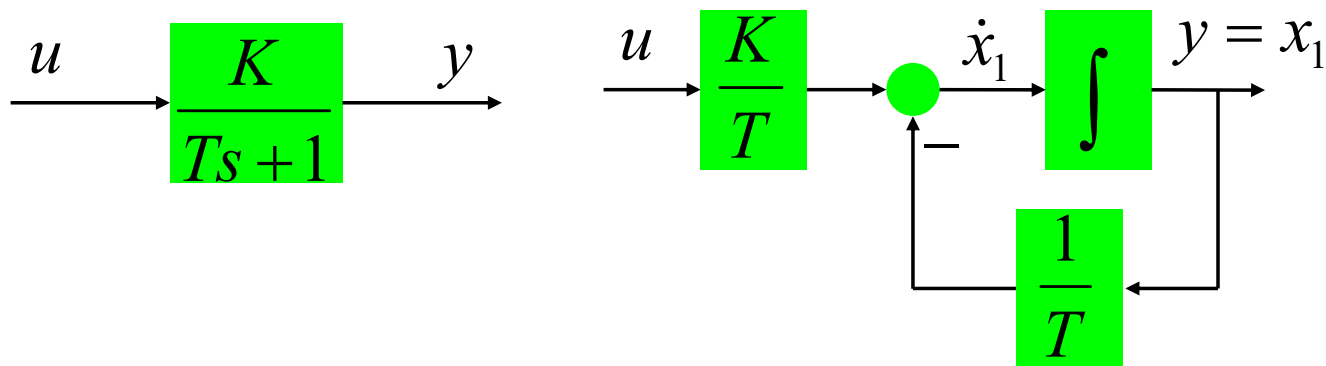
1. 积分环节

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = \frac{1}{\tau} u \\ y = x_1 \end{cases}$$



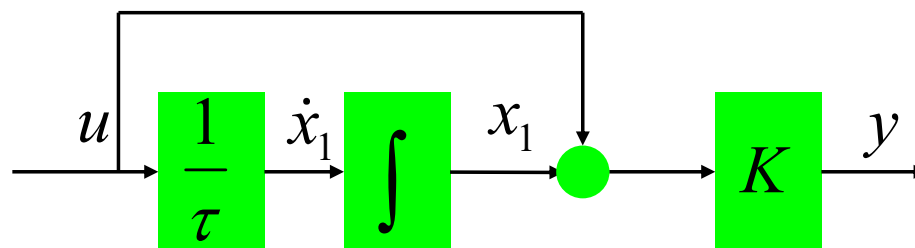
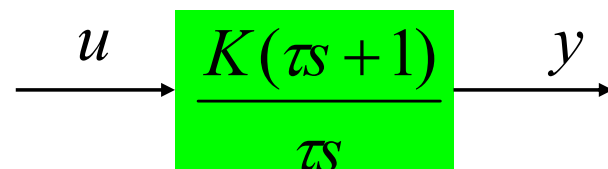
2. 惯性环节

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = -\frac{1}{T} x_1 + \frac{K}{T} u \\ y = x_1 \end{cases}$$

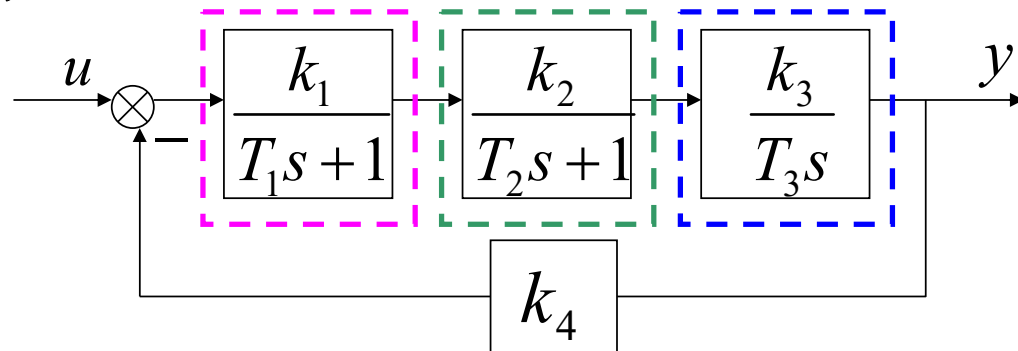


3. 比例积分环节

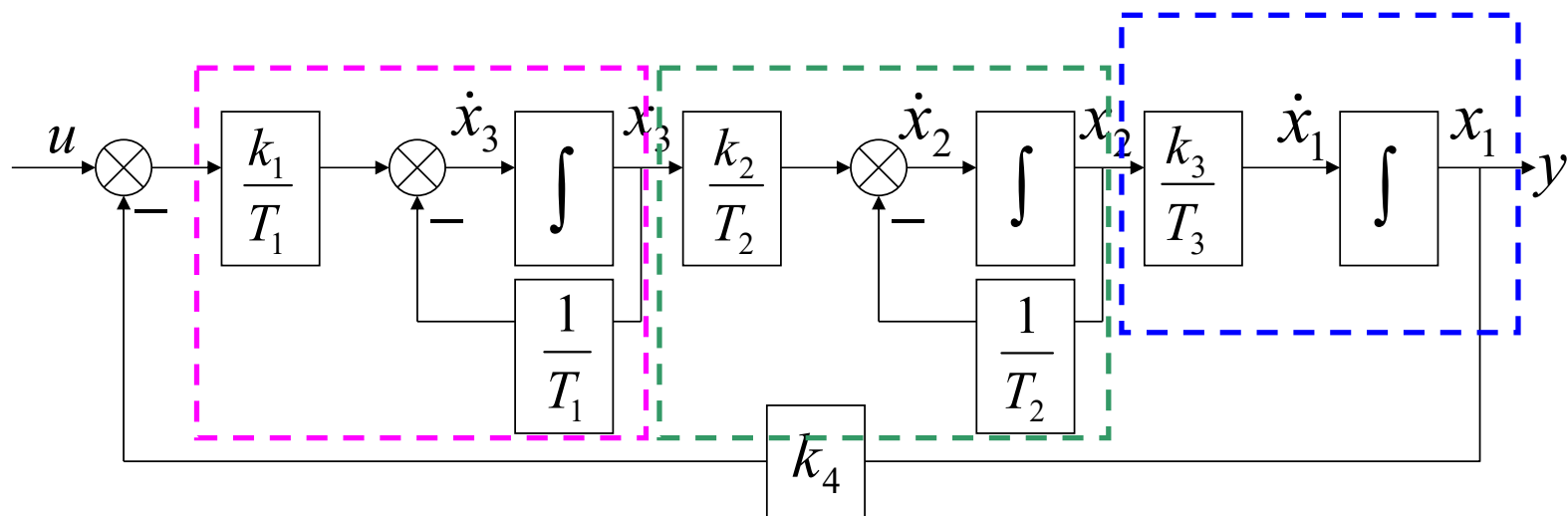
$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = \frac{1}{\tau} u \\ y = Kx_1 + Ku \end{cases}$$

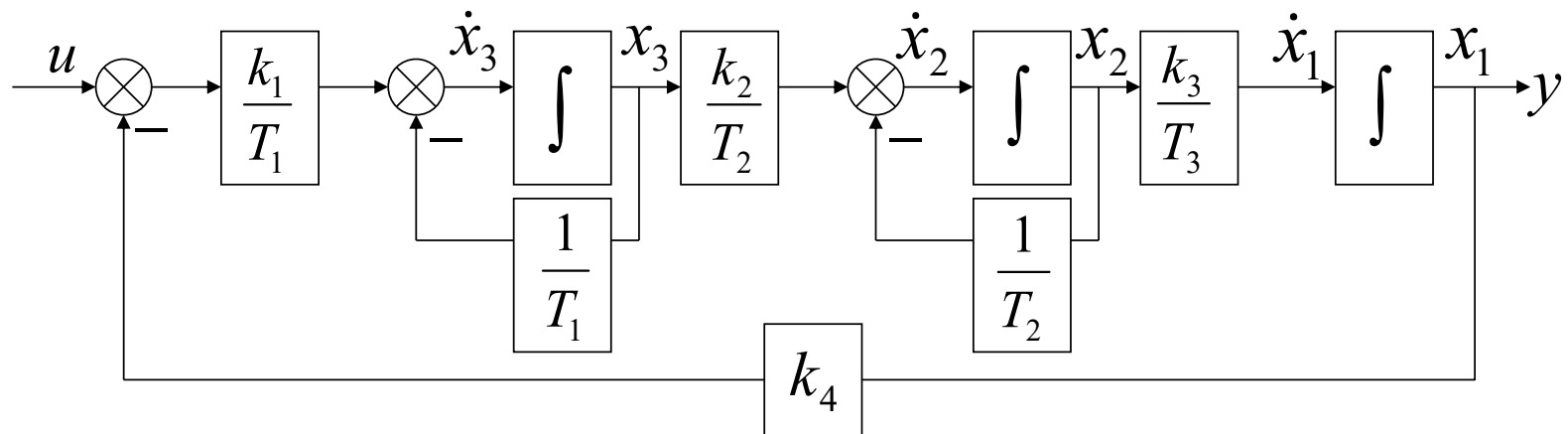


[例1-4] : 系统框图如下:



等效变换如下:





图中有**三个**积分环节，**三阶**系统，取三个状态变量如上图（选择积分环节后的变量为状态变量），则有：

$$\begin{aligned}
 \dot{x}_1 &= \frac{k_3}{T_3} x_2 \\
 \dot{x}_2 &= -\frac{1}{T_2} x_2 + \frac{k_2}{T_2} x_3 & \mathbf{y} &= \mathbf{x}_1 \\
 \dot{x}_3 &= -k_4 \frac{k_1}{T_1} x_1 - \frac{1}{T_1} x_3 + \frac{k_1}{T_1} u
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\dot{x}_1 = \frac{k_3}{T_3} x_2$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = -\frac{1}{T_2} x_2 + \frac{k_2}{T_2} x_3$$

$$y = x_1$$

$$\dot{x}_3 = -k_4 \frac{k_1}{T_1} x_1 - \frac{1}{T_1} x_3 + \frac{k_1}{T_1} u$$

写成矩阵形式：

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{k_3}{T_3} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{T_2} & \frac{k_2}{T_2} \\ \frac{-k_1 k_4}{T_1} & 0 & -\frac{1}{T_1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \frac{k_1}{T_1} \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [1 \quad 0 \quad 0] x$$

The establishment methods of the state space description

- Deduced by the mechanism of the system
- Set up by the system block diagram
- **Evolution by differential equations or the transfer function(TF)**

From TF(or DE) to SS model-Realizations

The differential equation and TF of the n-order SISO system

$$y^{(n)} + a_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_1\dot{y} + a_0 = b_mu^{(m)} + b_{m-1}u^{(m-1)} + \dots + b_1\dot{u} + b_0u$$

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_0 + b_1s + \dots + b_{m-1}s^{m-1} + b_ms^m}{s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1s + a_0}$$

The condition for the realization: $m \leq n$

Canonical form of SISO state space representation

In this section, we study an n th-order SISO system $\Sigma(\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}, d)$, i.e.

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{b}u(t), t \geq t_0$$

$$y(t) = \mathbf{c}\mathbf{x}(t) + du(t)$$

The system $\Sigma(\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}, d)$ may be represented by the following canonical form:

- Controllable canonical form
- Observable canonical form
- Jordan (or Diagonal) canonical form

1. Transforming into the controllable canonical form

Special case: $G(s)$ has no zeros

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1s + a_0}$$

$$y^{(n)} + a_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_1\dot{y} + a_0 = b_0u$$

1) Choose the state variable

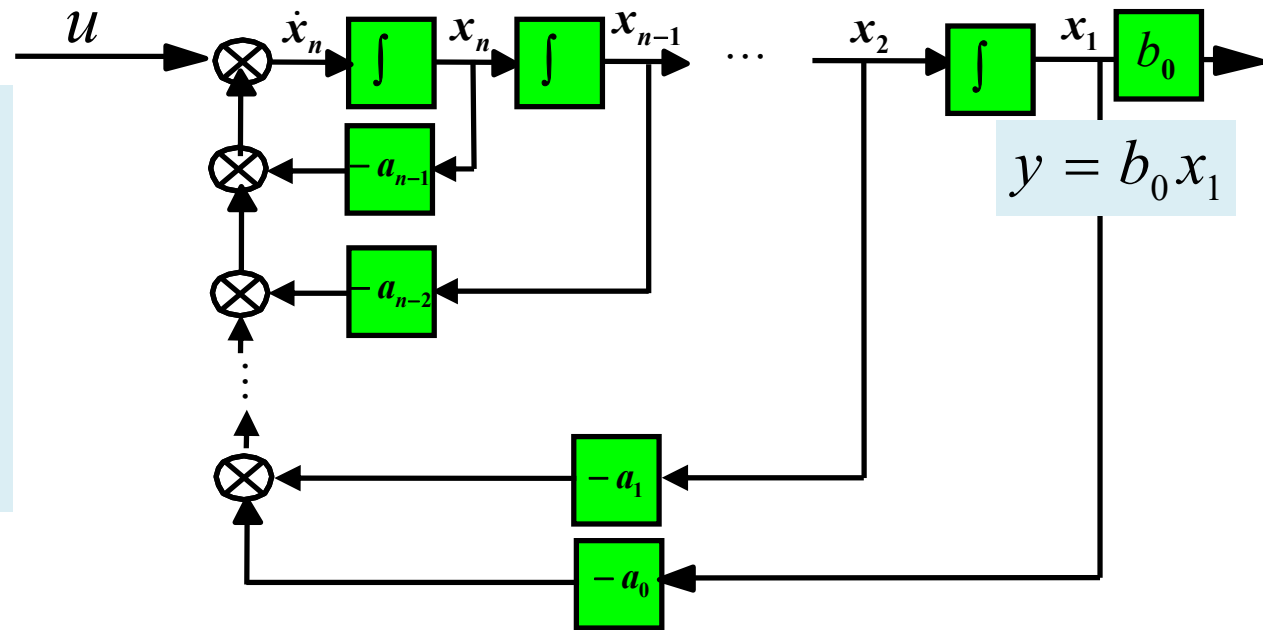
$$\begin{aligned}x_1 &= y/b_0, \\x_2 &= \dot{y}/b_0, \\&\dots, \\x_n &= y^{(n-1)}/b_0\end{aligned}$$

The state variables are the output y and the i th order derivative of the y ;

2) State space representation

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 = x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 = x_3 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_{n-1} = x_n \\ \dot{x}_n = -a_0x_1 - a_1x_2 - \dots - a_{n-1}x_n + u \end{cases}$$

$$y = b_0x_1$$



3) Represented into matrix form

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \vdots & \vdots & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & \dots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [b_0 \quad 0 \quad \dots \quad 0]x$$

NOTE

- The state variables are the output y and the i th order derivative of the y ;
- Companion matrix A : the elements that above the main diagonal elements are all 1, the elements of the last row are the negative coefficients of the differential equations,

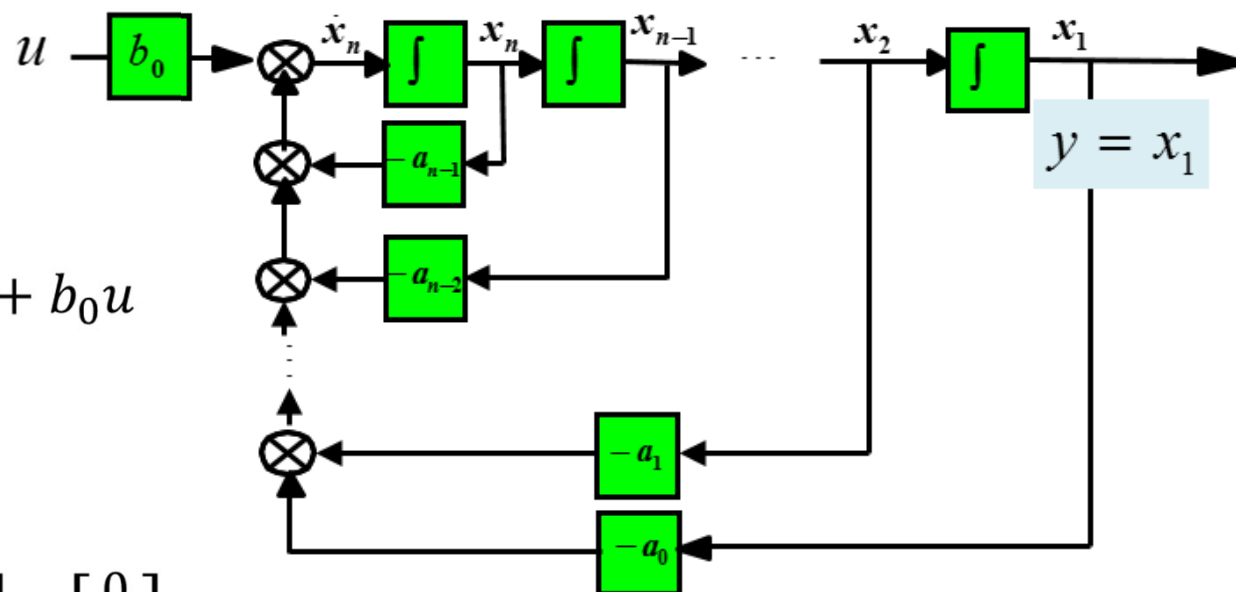
$$y = x_1,$$

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\dot{x}_{n-1} = x_n$$

$$\dot{x}_n = -a_0x_1 - a_1x_2 - \cdots - a_{n-1}x_n + b_0u$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \vdots & \vdots & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & \cdots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ b_0 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [1 \quad 0 \quad \cdots \quad 0]x$$

特点:

- 状态变量是输出 y 及 y 的各阶导数
- 系统矩阵 A 特点: 主对角线上方元素为1, 最后一行为微分方程系数的负值, 其它元素全为0, 称为友矩阵或相伴矩阵。

Example: Find the state space description.

$$\ddot{y} + 5\ddot{y} + 8\dot{y} + 6y = u$$

Solution

1) Choose the state variables

$$x_1 = y, x_2 = \dot{y}, x_3 = \ddot{y}$$

2) The EQ can be represented as

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2$$

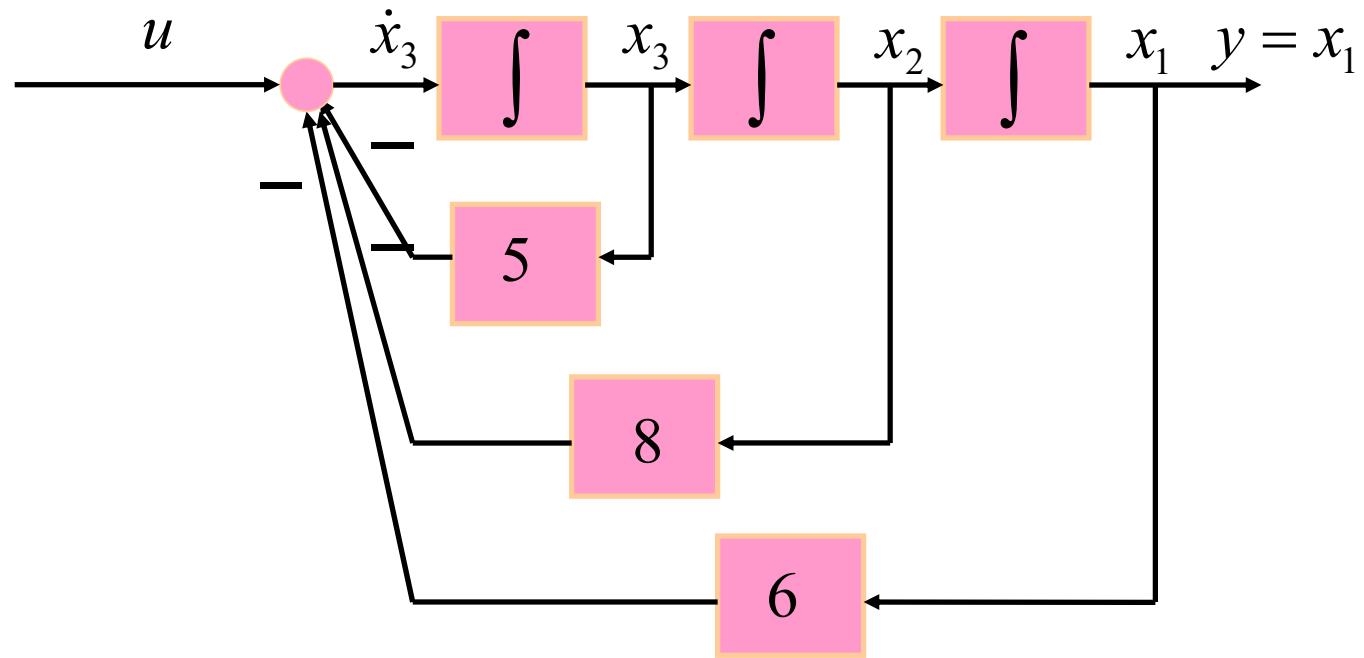
$$\dot{x}_2 = x_3$$

$$\dot{x}_3 = -6x_1 - 8x_2 - 5x_3 + u$$

$$y = x_1$$

3) Represented as matrix form

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -6 & -8 & -5 \end{bmatrix} x + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u \quad y = [1 \quad 0 \quad 0]x$$



1. Transforming into the controllable canonical form

Special case: $G(s)$ has zeros

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_m s^m + b_{m-1} s^{m-1} + \dots + b_1 s + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0}$$

$$y^{(n)} + a_{n-1} y^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_1 \dot{y} + a_0 y = \underline{b_m u^{(m)} + b_{m-1} u^{(m-1)} + \dots + b_1 \dot{u} + b_0 u}$$

■ State variable selection principle

Do not appear the derivative term of u on right of the derived first order differential equations

使导出的一阶微分方程组右边不出现 u 的导数项。

If $m = n$

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_n s^n + b_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + b_1 s + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0}$$

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Strictly rational fraction

Using long division

综合除法

$$= b_n + \frac{\beta_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + \beta_1 s + \beta_0}{s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0} = b_n + \frac{N(s)}{D(s)}$$

$$\beta_0 = b_0 - a_0 b_n$$

$$\beta_1 = b_1 - a_1 b_n$$

\vdots

$$\beta_{n-1} = b_{n-1} - a_{n-1} b_n$$

If $b_n = 0$

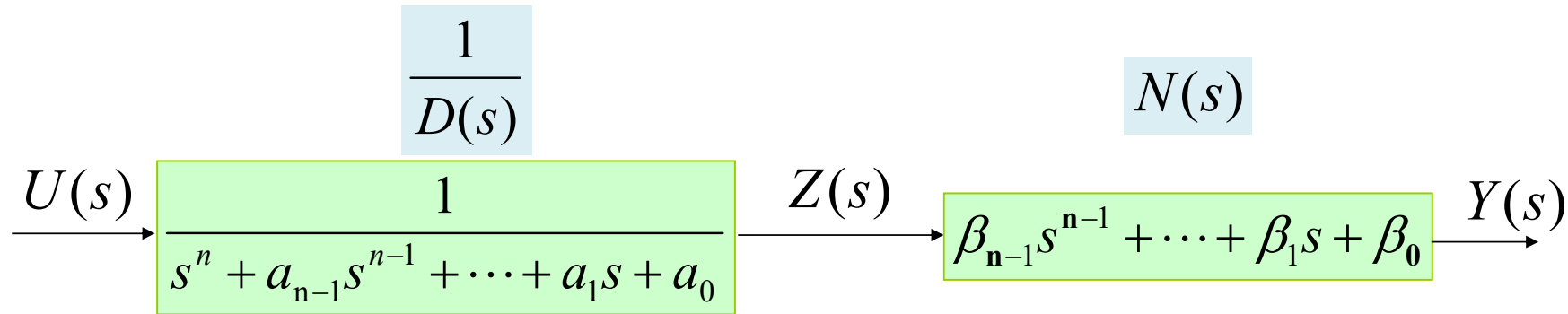


则 $\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{N(s)}{D(s)} \quad \beta_i = b_i$

$$\xrightarrow{U(s)} \boxed{\frac{\beta_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + \beta_1 s + \beta_0}{s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0}} \xrightarrow{Y(s)}$$

Introduce a interim variable $Z(s)$

串联分解:



$$\frac{Z(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{1}{s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1s + a_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow z^{(n)} + a_{n-1}z^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_1\dot{z} + a_0z = u$$

$$\frac{Y(s)}{Z(s)} = \beta_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + \beta_1s + \beta_0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \beta_{n-1}z^{(n-1)} + \dots + \beta_1\dot{z} + \beta_0z$$

Choose the state variables

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x_1 = z \\ x_2 = \dot{z} \\ x_3 = \ddot{z} \\ \vdots \\ x_n = z^{(n-1)} \end{array} \right.$$

状态方程:

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = x_3$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_n &= -a_0 z - a_1 \dot{z} - \cdots - a_{n-1} z^{(n-1)} + u \\ &= -a_0 x_1 - a_1 x_2 - \cdots - a_{n-1} x_n + u\end{aligned}$$

输出方程:

$$y = \beta_0 x_1 + \beta_1 x_2 + \cdots + \beta_{n-1} x_n$$

if $b_n \neq 0$

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = b_n + \frac{N(s)}{D(s)}$$

so $y = \mathbf{c}\mathbf{x} + du = \mathbf{c}\mathbf{x} + b_n u$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & -a_2 & \cdots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{c} = [\beta_0 \quad \beta_1 \quad \cdots \quad \beta_{n-1}]$$

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Example: Get the state space equation of the system

$$\ddot{y} + 9\dot{y} + 8y = \ddot{u} + 4\dot{u} + u$$

Solution $n = 3, a_2 = 9, a_1 = 8, a_0 = 0$

$$b_2 = 1, b_1 = 4, b_0 = 1 \quad \Rightarrow \beta_i$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & -a_2 & \cdots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{c} = [\beta_0 \quad \beta_1 \quad \cdots \quad \beta_{n-1}]$$

$$d = b_n$$

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$$n = 3, a_2 = 9, a_1 = 8, a_0 = 0$$

$$b_2 = 1, b_1 = 4, b_0 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta_i (b_3 = 0)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -8 & -9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Controllable canonical form

The transfer function

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$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \cdots + b_1s + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \cdots + a_1s + a_0} \quad (b_n = 0)$$

can be transformed into the following state-space model

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_{n-1} \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & -a_2 & \cdots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{n-1} \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [b_0 \quad b_1 \quad b_2 \quad \cdots \quad b_{n-1}] x$$

Controllable canonical form (con.)

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_n s^n + b_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + b_1 s + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0} \quad (b_n \neq 0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} &= \frac{b_n s^n + b_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + b_1 s + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0} \\ &= b_n + \frac{(b_{n-1} - b_n a_{n-1}) s^{n-1} + \dots + (b_1 - b_n a_1) s + (b_0 - b_n a_0)}{s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0} \end{aligned}$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & \dots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} b_0 - b_n a_0 & b_1 - b_n a_1 & \dots & b_{n-1} - b_n a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + b_n u$$

From TF to observable canonical form

Now, let's derive the observable canonical form for the (DE) transfer function

$$y^{(n)} + a_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + a_{n-2}y^{(n-2)} + \dots + a_1\dot{y} + a_0y = b_{n-1}u^{(n-1)} + b_{n-2}u^{(n-2)} + \dots + b_1\dot{u} + b_0u$$

$$G(s) \triangleq \frac{N(s)}{D(s)} = \frac{y(s)}{u(s)} = \frac{b_{n-1}s^{n-1} + b_{n-2}s^{n-2} \dots + b_1s + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + a_{n-2}s^{n-2} + \dots + a_1s + a_0}$$

We set

$$x_n = y$$

$$x_i = \dot{x}_{i+1} + a_i y - b_i u \quad i = 1, \dots, n-1$$

$$x_{n-1} = \dot{x}_n + a_{n-1}y - b_{n-1}u = \dot{y} + a_{n-1}y - b_{n-1}u$$

$$x_{n-2} = \dot{x}_{n-1} + a_{n-2}y - b_{n-2}u = \dot{y} + a_{n-1}\dot{y} - b_{n-1}\dot{u} + a_{n-2}y - b_{n-2}u$$

\vdots

$$x_2 = \dot{x}_3 + a_2y - b_2u = y^{(n-2)} + a_{n-1}y^{(n-3)} - b_{n-2}u^{(n-3)} + a_{n-2}y^{(n-4)} - b_{n-2}u^{(n-4)} + \dots + a_2y - b_2u$$

$$x_1 = \dot{x}_2 + a_1y - b_1u = y^{(n-1)} + a_{n-1}y^{(n-2)} - b_{n-1}u^{(n-2)} - a_{n-2}y^{(n-3)} - b_{n-2}u^{(n-3)} + \dots + a_1y - b_1u$$



$$\dot{x}_1 = -a_0y + b_0u = -a_0x_n + b_0u$$

$$\left(y^{(n)} + a_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + a_{n-2}y^{(n-2)} + \dots + a_1\dot{y} + a_0y = b_{n-1}u^{(n-1)} + b_{n-2}u^{(n-2)} + \dots + b_1\dot{u} + b_0u \right)$$

The state equation:

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_1 &= -a_0 x_n + b_0 u \\ \dot{x}_2 &= x_1 - a_1 x_n + b_1 u \\ &\vdots \\ \dot{x}_{n-1} &= x_{n-2} - a_{n-2} x_n + b_{n-2} u \\ \dot{x}_n &= x_{n-1} - a_{n-1} x_n + b_{n-1} u\end{aligned}$$

The output equation:

$$y = x_n$$

The vector-matrix form

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\mathbf{x}} &= \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}u, & y &= \mathbf{c}\mathbf{x}\end{aligned}$$

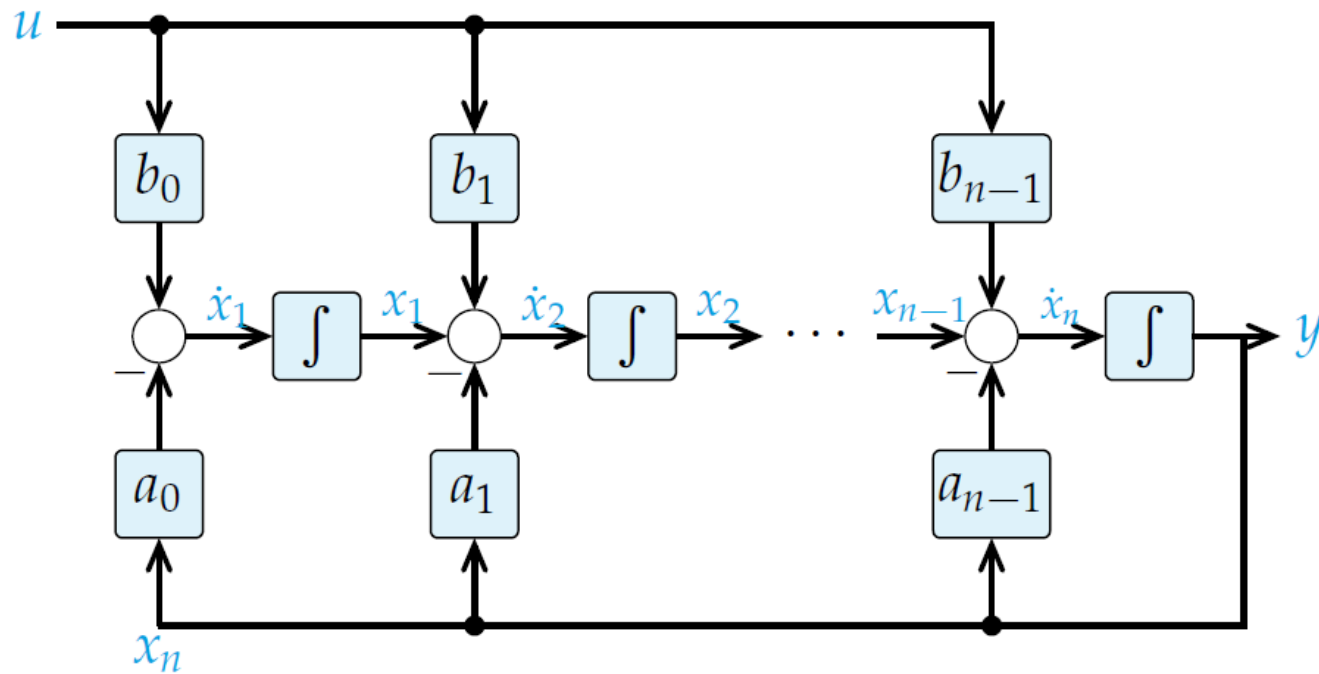
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$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$

$\mathbf{c} = [0 \quad \cdots \quad 0 \quad 1]$

$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & -a_0 \\ 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & -a_1 \\ 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 & -a_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$

$\mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_0 \\ b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$



Now, we have

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 &= -a_0 x_n + b_0 u \\ \dot{x}_2 &= x_1 - a_1 x_n + b_1 u \\ &\vdots \\ \dot{x}_n &= x_{n-1} - a_{n-1} x_n + b_{n-1} u \\ y &= x_n \end{cases}$$

Observable canonical form

The transfer function

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \cdots + b_1s + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \cdots + a_1s + a_0}$$

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can be transformed into the following state-space model

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_{n-1} \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -a_0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -a_1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \ddots & -a_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_0 \\ b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [0 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad \cdots \quad 1]x$$

Dual systems

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_{n-1} \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & -a_2 & \cdots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{n-1} \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u \quad y = [b_0 \quad b_1 \quad b_2 \quad \cdots \quad b_{n-1}]x$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_{n-1} \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -a_0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -a_1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \ddots & -a_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_0 \\ b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} u \quad y = [0 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad \cdots \quad 1]x$$

$$\mathbf{A}_c = \mathbf{A}_0^T, \quad \mathbf{b}_c = \mathbf{c}_0^T, \quad \mathbf{c}_c = \mathbf{b}_0^T$$

From TF to Diagonal or Jordan canonical form

Let's begin with the transfer function

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + b_1s + b_0}{s^n + a_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1s + a_0}$$

Suppose the poles of $G(s)$, i.e. p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n , are real and distinct, then the transfer function can be factorized as follows

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{\alpha_1}{s - \lambda_1} + \frac{\alpha_2}{s - \lambda_2} + \dots + \frac{\alpha_n}{s - \lambda_n} + \delta$$

where

$$\alpha_i = \lim_{s \rightarrow \lambda_i} (s - \lambda_i) \cdot g(s) \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

Diagonal canonical form

The transfer function

$$G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{\alpha_1}{s - \lambda_1} + \frac{\alpha_2}{s - \lambda_2} + \cdots + \frac{\alpha_n}{s - \lambda_n} + \delta$$

can be transformed into the following state-space model

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$
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$$y = [\alpha_1 \quad \alpha_2 \quad \cdots \quad \alpha_n] x + \delta u$$

$$y = [1 \quad 1 \quad \cdots \quad 1] x + \delta u$$

Example

Given a system with the following transfer function

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(s+1)(s+2)(s+3)}$$

find its state space description using the partial fraction expansion.

Solutions

It is obvious that $G(s)$ can be expanded into

$$G(s) = \frac{c_1}{s+1} + \frac{c_2}{s+2} + \frac{c_3}{s+3}$$

The coefficients can be calculated as

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} c_1 = \lim_{s \rightarrow -1} G(s)(s+1) = \frac{1}{2} \\ c_2 = \lim_{s \rightarrow -2} G(s)(s+2) = -1 \\ c_3 = \lim_{s \rightarrow -3} G(s)(s+3) = \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right.$$

Therefore, we have

$$G(s) = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{s+1} + \frac{-1}{s+2} + \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{s+3}$$

The diagonal form can be obtained as follows

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u \quad y = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Jordan canonical form

The transfer function

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{c_1}{(s - \lambda_1)^n} + \frac{c_2}{(s - \lambda_1)^{n-1}} + \dots + \frac{c_n}{s - \lambda_1}$$

can be transformed into the following state-space model

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 1 & & \\ & \lambda_1 & 1 & \\ & & \ddots & 1 \\ & & & \lambda_1 \end{bmatrix} x + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [c_1 \quad c_2 \quad \dots \quad c_n] x$$

$$c_i = \frac{1}{(i-1)!} \frac{d^{i-1}}{ds^{i-1}} \left[\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} (s - \lambda_i)^n \right] \bigg|_{s=\lambda_i}$$

Jordan canonical form(con.)

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{c_1}{(s-\lambda_1)^r} + \frac{c_2}{(s-\lambda_1)^{r-1}} + \dots + \frac{c_r}{s-\lambda_1} + \frac{c_{r+1}}{s-\lambda_{r+1}} + \dots + \frac{c_n}{s-\lambda_n}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_r \\ \dot{x}_{r+1} \\ \dot{x}_{r+2} \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \boxed{\begin{matrix} \lambda_1 & 1 & & \\ & \lambda_1 & \ddots & \\ & & \ddots & 1 \\ & & & \lambda_1 \end{matrix}} & & \\ & \boxed{\begin{matrix} \lambda_{r+1} & & & \\ & \lambda_{r+2} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda_n \end{matrix}} & \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_r \\ x_{r+1} \\ x_{r+2} \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

Jordan block

Diagonal block

$$c_i = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} (s - \lambda_i) \Big|_{s=\lambda_i}$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 & c_2 & \dots & c_r & c_{r+1} & c_{r+2} & \dots & c_n \end{bmatrix} x$$

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From SS model to TF

Let's begin with an LTI system

$$\begin{cases} \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u}(t) \\ \mathbf{y}(t) = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{D}\mathbf{u}(t) \end{cases} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} \begin{cases} s\mathbf{X}(s) - \mathbf{x}(0) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{X}(s) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{U}(s) \\ \mathbf{Y}(s) = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{X}(s) + \mathbf{D}\mathbf{U}(s) \end{cases}$$

By assuming the initial condition of the state to be zero, the state equation can be rearranged as follows

$$\mathbf{X}(s) = (s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})^{-1} \mathbf{B}\mathbf{U}(s)$$

Submitting it into the output equation produces

$$\mathbf{Y}(s) = \left[\mathbf{C} (s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})^{-1} \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D} \right] \mathbf{U}(s)$$

Hence we have the transfer function matrix for the above system

$$\mathbf{G}(s) = \frac{\mathbf{Y}(s)}{\mathbf{U}(s)} = \mathbf{C} (s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})^{-1} \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D}$$

例 考虑这样一个系统，它的状态方程、输出方程分别为：

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1(t) \\ u_2(t) \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1(t) \\ u_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

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解：因为 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{且 } (SI - A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} S & -1 \\ 2 & S+3 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{S+3}{(S+1)(S+2)} & \frac{1}{(S+1)(S+2)} \\ \frac{-2}{(S+1)(S+2)} & \frac{S}{(S+1)(S+2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

因此，系统的传递矩阵为：

$$G(s) = C(SI - A)^{-1}B + D$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{S+3}{(S+1)(S+2)} & \frac{1}{(S+1)(S+2)} \\ \frac{-2}{(S+1)(S+2)} & \frac{S}{(S+1)(S+2)} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{S+4}{(S+1)(S+2)} & \frac{1}{(S+1)(S+2)} \\ \frac{S+4}{S+2} & \frac{1}{S+2} \\ \frac{2(S-2)}{(S+1)(S+2)} & \frac{S^2+5S+2}{(S+1)(s+2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

此传递函数矩阵有六个元素，每个都是一个传递函数。

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What's similarity transformation

Definition (Similarity transformation)

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we can choose a nonsingular matrix P such that $x = P\bar{x}$ and the model with the new state \bar{x} is as follows

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What's changed after the similarity transformation

- The state vector is changed, but its dimension remains the same.
- The eigenvalues of the system are NOT changed, i.e. A and \bar{A} have the same eigenvalues.

The characteristic equation of A is

$$|\lambda I - A| = 0$$

The characteristic equation of \bar{A} is

$$|\lambda I - \bar{A}| = |\lambda I - P^{-1}AP| = 0$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda I - P^{-1}AP &= \lambda P^{-1}P - P^{-1}AP = P^{-1}(\lambda I - A)P \\ &= |P^{-1}P| |\lambda I - A| = |\lambda I - A|\end{aligned}$$

What's changed after the similarity transformation

- The value of the coefficients $(a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}, a_n)$ of the characteristic polynomial are NOT changed.

$$|\lambda I - A| = \lambda^n + a_{n-1}\lambda^{n-1} + \dots + a_1\lambda + a_0 = 0$$

- The transfer function $G(s)$ is NOT changed.

$$G(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1}B + D$$

$$\bar{G}(s) = \bar{C}(sI - \bar{A})^{-1}\bar{B} + \bar{D}$$

$$= CP(sI - P^{-1}AP)^{-1}P^{-1}B + D$$

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Obtain diagonal form by similarity transformation

Case 1: When system matrix \mathbf{A} has distinct eigenvalues, it can always be transformed into the diagonal form by appropriate similarity transformation matrix \mathbf{P} . That is,

$$\mathbf{P}^{-1}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{\Lambda} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & 0 \\ & \lambda_2 & \\ 0 & & \ddots \\ & & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

From $\mathbf{P}^{-1}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{\Lambda}$, it is easy to obtain

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{\Lambda}$$

Assuming $\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf{v}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_n \end{bmatrix}$

where \mathbf{v}_i is the eigenvector of \mathbf{A} corresponding to the eigenvalue λ_i .

Obtain diagonal form by simil. trans. (cont.)

Substituting v_i into $AP = P\Lambda$ yields

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{A} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf{v}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_n \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf{v}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & 0 \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \mathbf{v}_1 & \lambda_2 \mathbf{v}_2 & \cdots & \lambda_n \mathbf{v}_n \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

Equating columns on the both sides of the above equation yields

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{v}_i = \lambda_i \mathbf{v}_i$$

This equation can be put in the form

$$(\lambda_i \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{v}_i = \mathbf{0}, \quad i = 1, 2, \cdots, n$$

When all the eigenvalues of \mathbf{A} are distinct, we can search n independent eigenvectors v_i . Therefore \mathbf{P} must be nonsingular.

Obtain diagonal form by simil. trans. —An Example

Example: Consider the following state space model of a system

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 1 & 0 \\ -26 & 0 & 1 \\ -24 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u, \quad y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} x$$

Find the transformation matrix **P** so that it can be transformed into the diagonal form.

Solutions

From the characteristic equation

$$|\lambda \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}| = 0$$

we obtain the distinct eigenvalues $\lambda_1 = -2, \lambda_2 = -3, \lambda_3 = -4$.

The corresponding eigenvectors are chosen as

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 7 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

The transform matrix is

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 7 & 6 & 5 \\ 12 & 8 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{P}^{-1} = -\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 & -1 \\ 18 & -6 & 2 \\ -16 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then

$$\bar{\mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \bar{\mathbf{b}} = \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \bar{\mathbf{c}} = \mathbf{c} \mathbf{P} = [3 \ 5 \ 5]$$

Obtain Jordan form by similarity transformation(con.)

Case 2: When \mathbf{A} has one or more multiple eigenvalues

If λ_1 (q-multiple) , the other (n-q) are distinct eigenvalues. The transformation matrix :

$$T = (P_1, P_2, \dots, P_q, P_{q+1}, \dots, P_n)$$

where the eigenvectors P_{q+1}, \dots, P_n are calculated using the same method of the distinct eigenvalues. The eigenvectors P_1, \dots, P_q are calculated according to the following equations:

$$\lambda_1 P_1 - AP_1 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 P_2 - AP_2 = -P_1$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\lambda_1 P_q - AP_q = -P_{q-1}$$

- there is only one eigenvector P_1 associated with λ_1 .
- the other $q-1$ (P_2, \dots, P_q) vectors (called generalized eigenvector) can be obtained by the left equations.

Obtain Jordan form by simil. trans. —An Example

Example: Consider a system with the system matrix **A** and control matrix **b**.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 8 & -12 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the transformation matrix **P** so that it can be transformed into the Jordan or diagonal form.

Solutions

The matrix \mathbf{A} has the following characteristic equation

$$|\lambda \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}| = (\lambda - 2)^3 = 0$$

we obtain the multiple eigenvalues $\lambda_1 = 2$ with the algebraic multiplicity $m_1 = 3$.

$$\lambda_1 \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ -8 & 12 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

As $\text{rank}(\lambda_1 \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) = 2$, we have the geometric multiplicity $q_1 = n - \text{rank}(\lambda_1 \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) = 1$.

The only eigenvector is obtained by

$$(\lambda_1 \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{v}_{11} = \mathbf{0} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{v}_{11} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

The generalized eigenvectors can be solved as follows

$$(\lambda_1 \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{v}_{12} = \mathbf{v}_{11} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{v}_{12} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\lambda_1 \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{v}_{13} = \mathbf{v}_{12} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{v}_{13} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{4} \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The transform matrix is

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & \frac{3}{4} \\ 2 & -1 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 4 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{P}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{4} \\ 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 4 & -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then

$$\bar{\mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \bar{\mathbf{b}} = \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{4} \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Obtain Jordan form by similarity transformation(cont.)

Case 3: When \mathbf{A} is the special form of companion matrix (controllable canonical form)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & -a_2 & \cdots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

1) With n distinct eigenvalue $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$, the similarity transformation matrix is called Vandermonde matrix

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ \lambda_1 & \lambda_2 & \cdots & \lambda_n \\ \lambda_1^2 & \lambda_2^2 & \cdots & \lambda_n^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \lambda_1^{n-1} & \lambda_2^{n-1} & \vdots & \lambda_n^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

Obtain Jordan form by similarity transformation(cont.)

2) **A** With q multi-roots (λ_1) and with $n-q$ distinct eigenvectors ($\lambda_{q+1}, \dots, \lambda_n$),

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \\ -a_0 & -a_1 & -a_2 & \cdots & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{p}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \lambda_1 \\ \lambda_1^2 \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_1^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{p}_i = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \lambda_i \\ \lambda_i^2 \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_i^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} (i = q+1, \dots, n)$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \left[\mathbf{p}_1 \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}_1}{\partial \lambda_1} \quad \frac{1}{2!} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{p}_1}{\partial \lambda_1^2} \quad \cdots \quad \frac{1}{(q-1)!} \frac{\partial^{q-1} \mathbf{p}_1}{\partial \lambda_1^{q-1}} \quad | \quad \mathbf{p}_{q+1} \quad \cdots \quad \mathbf{p}_n \right]$$

Obtain Jordan form by similarity transformation(cont.)

Take 3-multi roots as example to derive the similarity transformation matrix is

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ \lambda_1 & 1 & 0 & \lambda_4 & \cdots & \lambda_n \\ \lambda_1^2 & 2\lambda_1 & 1 & \lambda_4^2 & \cdots & \lambda_n^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ \lambda_1^{n-1} & \frac{d}{d\lambda_1} \lambda_1^{n-1} & \frac{1}{2} \frac{d^2}{d\lambda_1^2} (\lambda_1^{n-1}) & \lambda_4^{n-1} & \cdots & \lambda_n^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \left[\mathbf{p}_1 \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}_1}{\partial \lambda_1} \quad \frac{1}{2!} \frac{\partial^2 \mathbf{p}_1}{\partial \lambda_1^2} \quad \cdots \quad \frac{1}{(q-1)!} \frac{\partial^{q-1} \mathbf{p}_1}{\partial \lambda_1^{q-1}} \quad | \quad \mathbf{p}_{q+1} \quad \cdots \quad \mathbf{p}_n \right]$$

Example:

Consider a system with the system matrix $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, find the transformation matrix \mathbf{P} so that it can be transformed into the diagonal form.

Solution

$$|\lambda \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}| = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & -1 \\ -2 & -3 & \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda + 1)^2 (\lambda - 2) = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = -1, \lambda_3 = 2 \Rightarrow \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_1 & \frac{d\mathbf{p}_1}{d\lambda} & \mathbf{p}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ \lambda_1 & 1 & \lambda_3 \\ \lambda_1^2 & 2\lambda_1 & \lambda_3^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{P}^{-1} = \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -2 & -1 \\ 6 & 3 & -3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{\mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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MATLAB commands used in this chapter

Command	Description
canon	Canonical state-space realizations
ss2tf	State space to transfer function
ss2zp	State space to pole-zero conversion
ss	Conversion to state space
ss2ss	Change of state coordinates for state-space models
tf2ss	Transfer function to state space
tf2zp	Transfer function to pole-zero conversion
tf	Conversion to transfer function
zp2tf	Zero-pole to transfer function