

Homework 3

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1. In the LTI system described for $\dot{\bar{x}}(t) = A\bar{x}$ with $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$

- (a) Obtain all eigenvalues and eigenvectors of A

$$|\lambda I - A| = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\det\left(\begin{bmatrix} \lambda & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & \lambda + 3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 + 3\lambda + 1 = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\lambda = -1, -1, -1 \quad (3)$$

- (b) Use the eigenvectors in part 1a to obtain the modal matrix V and Jordan Form J

Solving for eigenvalue(s) of -1, with a multiplicity of 3

$$(A - \lambda i)^3 x_0 = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \quad (5)$$

$$x_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (6)$$

$$(A - \lambda i)^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x_1 \quad (7)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x_1 \quad (8)$$

$$x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (9)$$

$$(A - \lambda i)^1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \quad (10)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \quad (11)$$

$$x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (12)$$

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (13)$$

$$J = V^{-1}AV = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -3 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (14)$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (15)$$

2. In each case below discuss BIBS stability of the LTI system $\dot{\bar{x}}(t) = A\bar{x}(t)$:

(a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

This system is stable as both of its eigenvalues are less 0

(b) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$

This system is semi-stable as two of the three are less than 0, and one is 0

$$(c) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

This system is not stable an eigenvalue is greater than 0

$$(d) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

TODO: find eigenvalues

$$(e) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

This system is not stable as two of its eigenvalues are 0

3. The linearized equations of motion of a pendulum can be written in the form of

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2 \quad (16)$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = -ax_1 - cx_2 \quad (17)$$

where $a > 0$ is a constant parameter of the system and $c > 0$ is the torsional friction coefficient

- (a) Study BIBS stability of the system
 - (b) Consider the quadratic Lyapunov function $V = \bar{x}^T P \bar{x}$ with $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{a}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$. What can be said about the stability of the system based on this choice of the Lyapunov function?
 - (c) What can be said about the stability of the system based on the analysis of b) and c)?
 - (d) Study BIBS stability of the system when $c = 0$
4. For the transfer function matrix

$$H(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s}{s-2} & 0 \\ \frac{2}{s-2} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (18)$$

- (a) Obtain the controllable canonical form
- (b) obtain the observable canonical form
- (c) show that the realization in (a) and (b) are dual