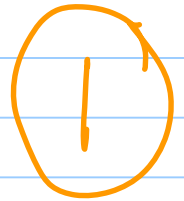


EE 5104 / 6104



CA - 70% of module grade  
Exam - 30% of module grade

3 assignments  
(of which 1 is  
a hardware  
mini-project)

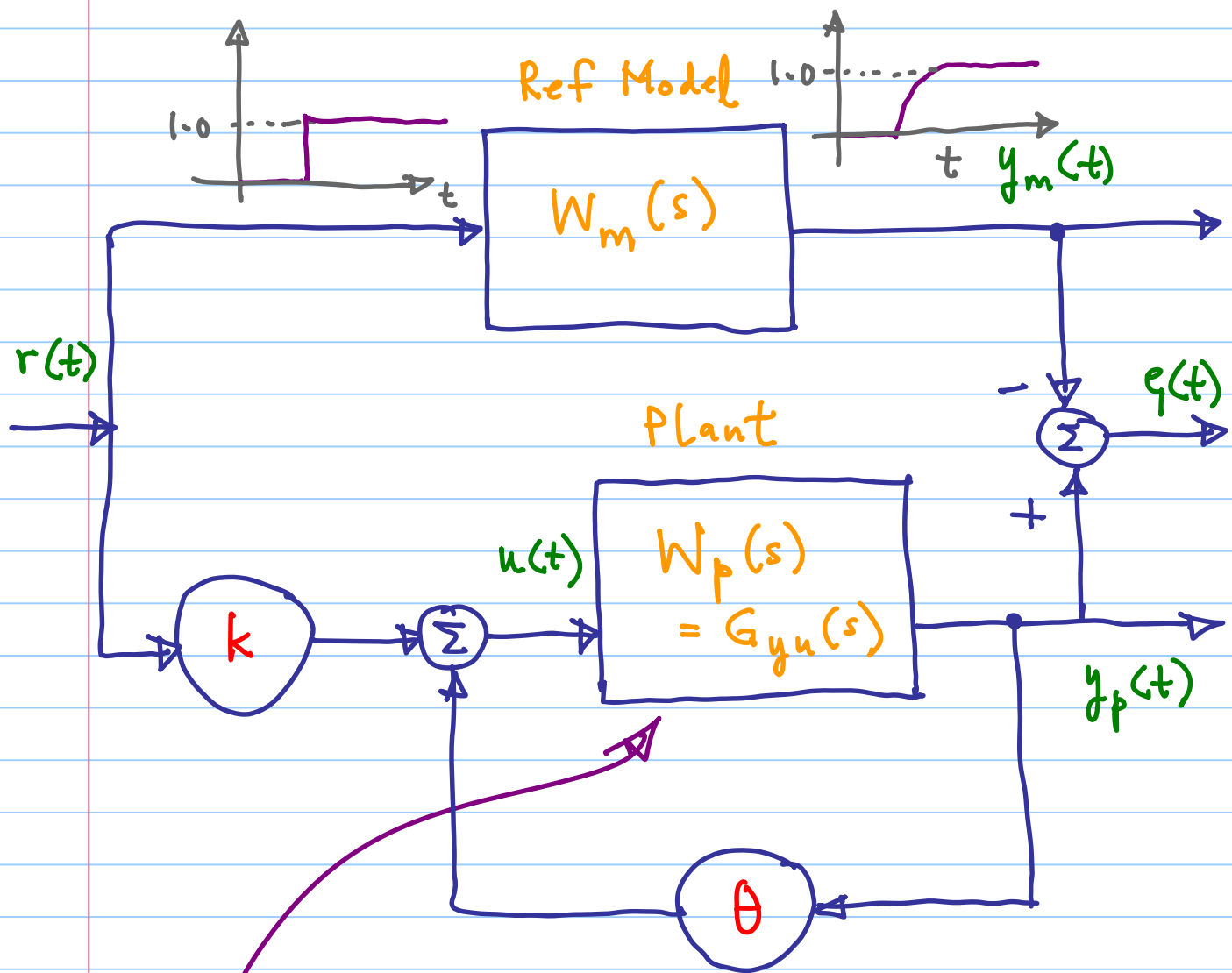
Year 1 graduate students - ?

Year 2 & above, grad students - generally ok

Exchange students - ?

Appropriate background in  
Linear Systems & State-Variables;  
and Electrical Engineering  
needed.

# Motivating the subject matter...



$$\dot{y}_p = a_p y_p + k_p u$$

consider, as a start,  
this simple case...

Consider the simple "plant"  $\Rightarrow$

$$\dot{y}_p = a_p y_p + k_p u$$

We are interested to obtain  
the closed-loop specified

by  $\Rightarrow$

$$a_m < 0$$

$$\dot{y}_m =$$

Note that for this simple  
system, we can use  $\Rightarrow$

$$u(t) =$$

$\longrightarrow (z)$

With this, we clearly have:

$$\begin{aligned} y_p(t) &= a_p y_p(t) + k_p u(t) \\ &= a_p y_p(t) + k_p \left\{ \right. \end{aligned}$$

$$= [a_p + k_p \theta] y_p(t) + k_p r(t)$$

And here, clearly, for

$\theta^*$  defined by

$$a_p + k_p \theta^* \triangleq a_m$$

and for  $k^*$  defined by

$$k_p k^* \triangleq k_m$$

and if we have

$$\theta \triangleq \theta^*$$

$$k \triangleq k^*$$

we have:

$$\dot{y}_p = \left\{ a_p + k_p \theta^* \right\} y_p + k_p k^* r(t)$$

$\Rightarrow$

and for the tracking error

$$e_1(t) \triangleq y_p(t) - y_m(t)$$

We have

$$e_1(t) = y_p(t) - y_m(t)$$

$$= \left\{ a_m y_p(t) + k_m r(t) \right\} - \left\{ a_m y_m(t) + k_m r(t) \right\}$$

$$= \quad ; \quad \text{with } a_m < 0$$

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But we do not know  $a_p$  &  $k_p$ ,  
 and thus, cannot exactly  
 calculate  $\theta^*$  and  $k^*$

Thus, consider the following  
control law  $\hat{=}$

$$u(t) =$$

time-varying "control gains".

How to specify these  
time-varying "control gains"?

Answer  $\hat{=}$  Use the following  
adaptive law  $\hat{=}$

$$\dot{\theta}(t) = -\text{sgn}(k_p) \gamma_1 y_p(t) e_1(t)$$

$$\dot{k}(t) = -\text{sgn}(k_p) \gamma_2 r(t) e_1(t)$$

$$\gamma_1, \gamma_2 > 0; \quad e_1(t) = y_p(t) - y_m(t)$$

How does this work?

For a start, we should be interested in the following error signals =

$$e_1(t) \triangleq y_p(t) - y_m(t)$$

$$\phi(t) \triangleq \theta(t) - \theta^*$$

$$\psi(t) \triangleq k(t) - k^*$$



and thus also in the  
"energy" function =

$$V(e, \phi, \psi)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \right.$$

$\left. \right\}$

Consider then, for this system  
as described above, how  
this "energy" function evolves  
with time ---

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$$\frac{d}{dt} V(e, \phi, \psi)$$

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Now, note that:

→ (21)

$$\dot{e}_1(t) = \dot{y}_p(t) - \dot{y}_m(t)$$

$$= \left\{ \begin{aligned} & \underline{a_p} y_p(t) + k_p \underline{[} \underline{]} y_p(t) \\ & + k_p \underline{[} \underline{]} r(t) \end{aligned} \right\} - \left\{ a_m y_m(t) + k_m r(t) \right\}$$

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Further, note that:

$$\dot{\theta}(t) = \left\{ \dot{\theta} - \dot{\theta}^* \right\} = \dot{\theta} =$$

$$- \text{sgn}(b_p) r_1 e_1 y_p$$

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$$\dot{y}(t) = \dots = - \text{sgn}(b_p) r_2 e_1 r$$

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Thus, (21) becomes  $\approx$

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$$V(e, \phi, \psi)$$

$$\approx e_1 \left\{ \right.$$

$$+ \frac{|k_p|}{r_1} \phi \left\{ \right.$$

$$+ \frac{|k_p|}{r_2} \psi \left\{ \right.$$

yield  $\approx$

$$\bullet V(e, \phi, \psi) =$$

$$a_m \leq 0$$

For such classes of NLTV systems, note now that =

$$(a) \quad V(e_1, \phi, \psi) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ e_1^2 + \frac{|k_p|}{\gamma_1} \phi^2 + \frac{|k_p|}{\gamma_2} \psi^2 \right\}$$

we have shown that the  $\rightarrow (51)$

"Control Law" and the

"Adaptive Law" yields  $\rightarrow (52)$

$$\dot{V}(e_1, \phi, \psi) = a_m e_1^2 \leq 0$$

Since the closed-loop specification means  
 $a_m < 0$

(b) Eqns (51) and (52)

$\Rightarrow$

are bounded for all  $t \geq 0$

(c) Next, note that

$$\dot{V}(t) = a_m e_1^2(t) = -\alpha e_1^2(t)$$

Write

$$a_m = -\alpha$$

$$\alpha > 0$$

$$\int_{t=t_0}^t \dot{V}(\tau) d\tau = - \int_{t=t_0}^t \alpha e_1^2(\tau) d\tau$$

$$= -\alpha \int_{t_0}^t e_1^2(\tau) d\tau$$



10.

$$\alpha \int_{t_0}^t e_1^2(\tau) d\tau = V(t_0) - V(t)$$

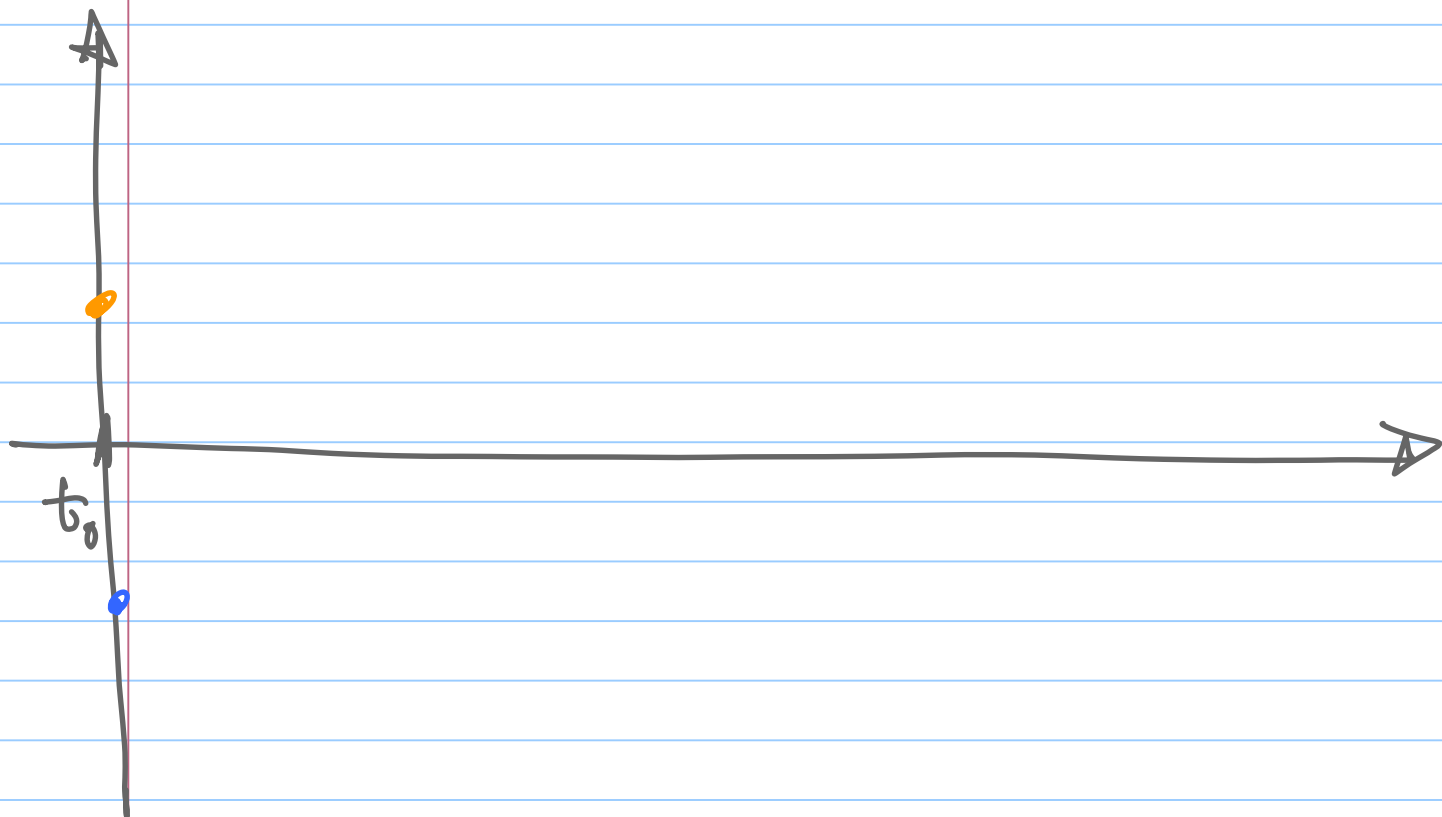
$$\leq V(t_0)$$

$$\int_{t_0}^t e_1^2(\tau) d\tau \leq$$



↪ true for all  $t$  !!!

— (53)



Next, note further, that

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{e}_1(t) = a_m e_1(t) + k_p \phi(t) \\ + k_p \psi(t) \end{aligned}$$

and since we already know

$\{e, \phi, \psi\}$  are bounded  $\forall t$



we also have

$$\dot{e}_1(t) \approx \bar{u}$$

— (54)

(53) and (54) together

imply:

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} e_1(t) = 0$$

(55)