

HW3 - Sage Herrin

1. Consider the equations of motion for a unit mass subjected to an inverse square law force field, e.g. a satellite orbiting a planet,

$$\ddot{r} = r\dot{\theta}^2 - \frac{k}{r^2} + u_1(t) \quad (1)$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = -\frac{2\dot{\theta}\dot{r}}{r} + \frac{1}{r}u_2(t) \quad (2)$$

where r represents the radius from the center of the force field, θ gives the angle with respect to a reference direction in the orbital plane, k is a constant, and u_1 and u_2 represent radial and tangential thrusts, respectively. It is easily shown that for the initial conditions $r(0) = r_0$, $\theta(0) = 0$, $\dot{r}(0) = 0$, and $\dot{\theta}(0) = \omega_0$ with nominal thrusts $u_1(t) = 0$ and $u_2(t) = 0$ for all $t \geq 0$, the equations of motion have as a solution the circular orbit given by

$$r(t) = r_0 = \text{constant} \quad (3)$$

$$\dot{\theta}(t) = \omega_0 = \text{constant} = \sqrt{\frac{k}{r_0^3}}, \quad (4)$$

$$\theta(t) = \omega_0 t + \text{constant} \quad (5)$$

- Pick a state vector for this system, and express the original nonlinear ODEs in 'standard' nonlinear state space form.
- Linearize this system's nominal equations of motion about the nominal solution $r(t) = r_0$, $\dot{r}(0) = 0$, $\theta(t) = \omega_0 t + \text{constant}$ and $\dot{\theta}(t) = \omega_0$ with $u_1(t) = 0$ and $u_2(t) = 0$. Find (A, B, C, D) matrices for output $y(t) = [r(t), \theta(t)]^T$ for the linearized system of equations about the nominal solution.
- Convert the continuous time (A, B, C, D) matrices you found from part (b) into discrete time (F, G, H, M) matrices, using a discretization step size of $\Delta t = 10\text{s}$ and setting $k = 398600 \text{ km}^3/\text{s}^2$ and $r_0 = 6678 \text{ km}$.
- Interpret the results for the STM in part (c), i.e. what is the physical meaning of each column vector that makes up F ?

a.) state vector $x = \begin{bmatrix} r \\ \dot{r} \\ \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix}$

$\Rightarrow \dot{x} = f(x, u, t) = \begin{bmatrix} \dot{r} \\ r\dot{\theta}^2 - k/r^2 + u_1 \\ \dot{\theta} \\ -\frac{2\dot{\theta}\dot{r}}{r} + \frac{1}{r}u_2 \end{bmatrix}$

b.) to linearize system about nominal solutions

=> need Jacobian

$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} \right] = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial \dot{r}} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial \dot{r}} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \\ \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial \dot{r}} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \\ \frac{\partial f_4}{\partial r} & \frac{\partial f_4}{\partial \dot{r}} & \frac{\partial f_4}{\partial \theta} & \frac{\partial f_4}{\partial \dot{\theta}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \ddot{\theta}^2 + \frac{2K}{r^3} & 0 & 0 & 2r\ddot{\theta} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \frac{2\dot{\theta}\dot{r}}{r^2} - \frac{u_2}{r^2} - \frac{2\dot{\theta}}{r} & 0 & 0 & -\frac{2\dot{r}}{r} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\downarrow \frac{\partial F}{\partial u} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial u_1} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial u_2} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial u_1} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial u_2} \\ \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial u_1} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial u_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial u_1} & \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial u_2} \\ \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial u_1} & \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial u_2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{r} \end{bmatrix}$$

Using given nominal points, $r(0) = r_0$, $\theta(0) = 0$, $\dot{r}(0) = 0$, $\dot{\theta}(0) = \omega_0$
 $u_1(0) = 0$ & $u_2(0) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \omega_0^2 + \frac{2K}{r_0^3} & 0 & 0 & 2r_0\omega_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -\frac{2\omega_0}{r_0} & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/r_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta \dot{x}(t) = \tilde{A} \delta x + \tilde{B} \delta u$$

for output $y = [r(t), \theta(t)]^T$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{C} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

c.) Convert continuous time ABCD matrices from part b into discrete time FGHM matrices using discretization step $\Delta t = 10s$ & $K = 398,600 \frac{km^3}{s^2}$ & $r_0 = 6,628 km$

using "ss" & "c2d" functions in matlab as follows

```
sysc = ss(A, B, C, D);
sysd = c2d(sysc, 10, 'zoh') - to ignore HOS
[F, G, H, M] = ssdata(sysd);
```

these lines of code result in the following

F, G, H, & M matrices

$$\Rightarrow F = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0002 & 9.9998 & 0 & 722.5249 \\ 0 & 0.9999 & 0 & 154.5133 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 9.9991 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.9997 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} 49.9994 & 0.3856 \\ 9.9998 & 0.1152 \\ -0.0001 & 0.0025 \\ 0.0000 & 0.0015 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

d.) Each column vector in F represents the coefficients of one of the variables in each of the 4 EOMs

$$\text{i.e.} \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ \vdots \\ F \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{r} \\ \ddot{\theta} \\ \ddot{\theta} \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{r} & \ddot{r} & \ddot{\theta} & \ddot{\theta} \\ \vdots & \vdots & F & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

for e.g. the first column vector represents all the r coefficients in the 4 EOMs of the system

2.) Simon 1.17

Dynamics of DC motor can be described as

$J\ddot{\theta} + F\dot{\theta} = T$, θ = angular position, J = moment of inertia, F is the coefficient of visc. friction, & T is torque applied to motor

a.) Generate 2-state linear system eqn. for motor in form of $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$

$$\Rightarrow J\ddot{\theta} + F\dot{\theta} = T \Rightarrow J\ddot{\theta} = T - F\dot{\theta} \Rightarrow \ddot{\theta} = \frac{T}{J} - \frac{F}{J}\dot{\theta}$$

• J

$$\Rightarrow \dot{X} = [\dot{\theta} \ \dot{\theta}]^T \Rightarrow \dot{X} = Ax + Bu$$

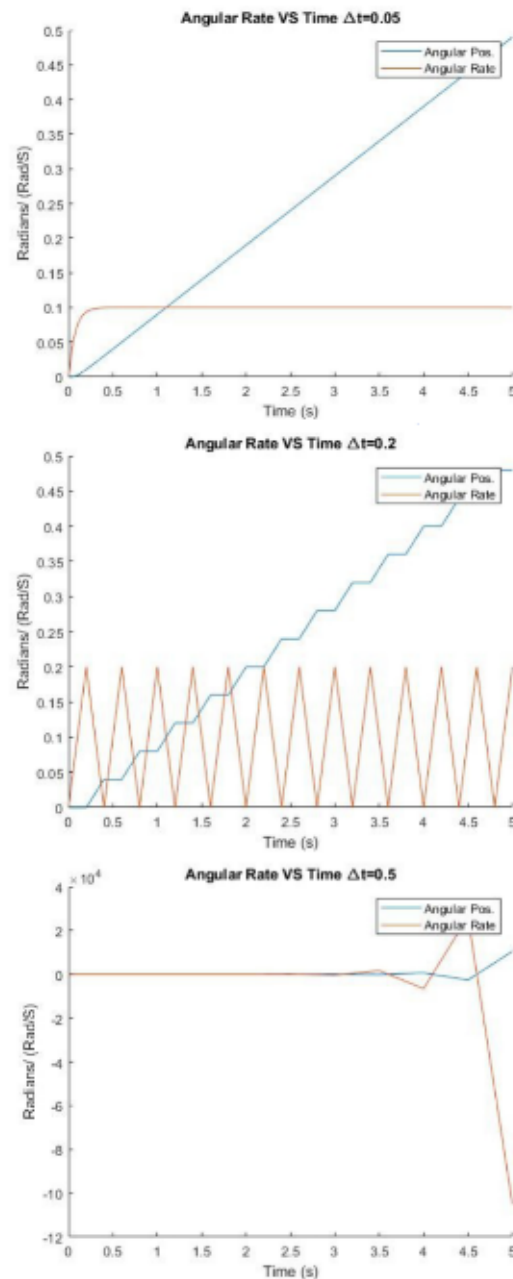
$$\Rightarrow \dot{X} = \ddot{\theta} = [\dot{\theta} \ \ddot{\theta}]^T \Rightarrow \dot{X} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -F/J \end{bmatrix}$$

T/J portion of EOM

$$\Rightarrow Bu = B \cdot T \Rightarrow B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/J \end{bmatrix} \cdot T$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{X} = Ax + Bu \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -\frac{F}{J} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/J \end{bmatrix} \cdot T$$

b.) Simulate system for 5 s & plot angular position & velocity. Use $J = 10 \text{ kg m}^2$, $F = 100 \text{ kg } \frac{\text{m}^2}{\text{s}}$, $x(0) = [0 \ 0]^T$, & $T = 10 \text{ Nm}$. Use rectangular integration with step size 0.05 s, 0.2 s, & 0.5 s | comment on changes, & determine A matrix eigenvalues & relate their magnitudes to required step size for correct simulation



It seems that, given the response of the system, for the eigenvalues of A (found to be 0 & -10 using MATLAB 'eig' function) taking 1 over the absolute value of the eigenvalue revealed the max timestep allowable for accurate simulation. In this instance that timestep = 0.1 seconds. Anything greater than that resulted in the system behaving inaccurately, as shown when Δt was set to 0.2 & 0.5 seconds.

3.) Vertical dimension of a hovering rocket can be

modelled as

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2, \quad \dot{x}_2 = \frac{Ku - gx_2}{x_3} - \frac{C_2 M}{(R+x_1)^2}, \quad \dot{x}_3 = -u$$

x_1 is vertical position of rocket, x_2 is vertical velocity, x_3 is mass of the rocket, u is control input, $K=1$, cc is thrust const. of proportionality, $g=9.81$ is drag const., $C_2 = 6.673 \times 10^{-11} \frac{m^3}{kg \cdot s^2}$

is universal grav constant, $M = 5.98 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$ is mass of Earth, $R = 6.37 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$ is radius of Earth.

a.) find $u(t) = u_0(t)$ s.t system is in equilibrium @ $x_1(t) = 0$ & $x_2(t) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{x}_1 = 0 \text{ & } \dot{x}_2 = 0$$

\Rightarrow according to Eoms, $\dot{x}_1 = 0$ if $x_2 = 0$ ✓

$$\dot{x}_2 = \frac{Ku - gx_2}{x_3} - \frac{C_2 M}{(R+x_1)^2} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{Ku}{x_3} - \frac{C_2 M}{R^2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{C_2 M x_3}{R^2 K} = u_0 \text{ for equilibrium}$$

b.) Find $x_3(t)$ when $x_1(t) = 0$ & $x_2(t) = 0$

\Rightarrow equilibrium expression $u_0 = \frac{C_2 M x_3}{R^2 K}$ when

$$\Rightarrow \dot{x}_3 = -u \Rightarrow \dot{x}_3 = -\frac{C_2 M x_3}{R^2 K} \Rightarrow \text{integrate to solve for } x_3(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \dot{x}_3 dt = \int \frac{-GMx_3}{R^2 K} dt \Rightarrow \int \frac{\dot{x}_3}{x_3} dt = \int \frac{-GMx_3}{R^2 K}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dx_3}{x_3} = \int \frac{-GM}{R^2 K} dt \Rightarrow \ln(x_3(t)) + C = \frac{-GMt}{R^2 K}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_3(t) = C e^{\frac{-GMt}{R^2 K}} \quad x_{3,0}$$

$$\Rightarrow u_0(t) = \frac{GM C e^{\frac{-GMt}{R^2 K}}}{R^2 K}$$

C.) linearize system around state trajectory found above

$$\Rightarrow \delta \dot{x} = \tilde{A} \delta x + \tilde{B} \delta u$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{A} = \left. \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} \right|_{x_{nom}} \quad GM(R+x_1)^{-2} \Rightarrow -2GM(R+x_1)^{-3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_3} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_3} \\ \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x_2} & \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x_3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2GM}{(R+x_1)^3} & \frac{-g}{x_3} & \frac{-(Kx_1 - gx_2)}{x_3^2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{-2GM}{R^3} & \frac{-g}{x_{3,0}} & \frac{-Kx_1}{x_{3,0}^2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

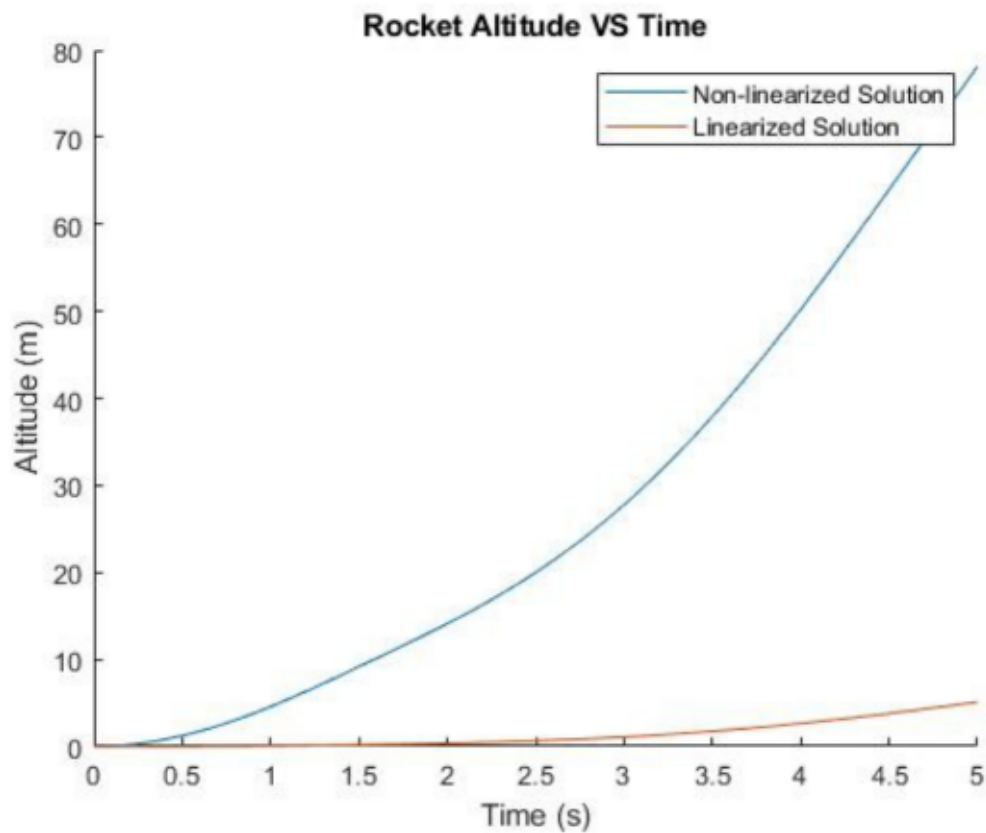
$$\hat{B} = \frac{\partial F}{\partial u} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ K/x_3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ K/x_{3,0} \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \delta u$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta \dot{x} = \hat{A} \delta x + \hat{B} \delta u$$

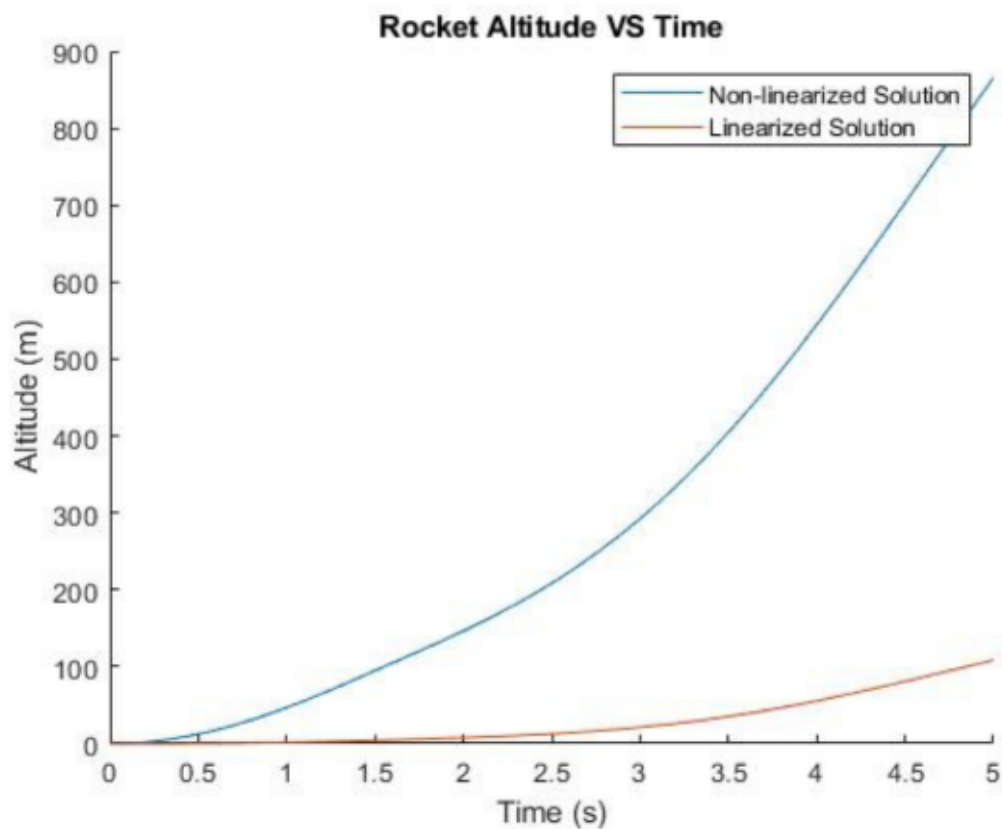
d.) Simulate non-lin. system for 5 seconds & linearized system for 5 seconds (with $u(t) = u_0 t + \Delta u \cos t$).

Plot altitude of rocket for nonlinear sim. & linear sim. (on same plot) when $\Delta u = 10$. Repeat for $\Delta u = 100$ & $\Delta u = 300$. What can you conclude about accuracy of linearization. $x_{3,0} = 1,000 \text{ Kg}$ & $u(t) = u_0(t) + \Delta u \cdot \text{abs}(\cos(t))$

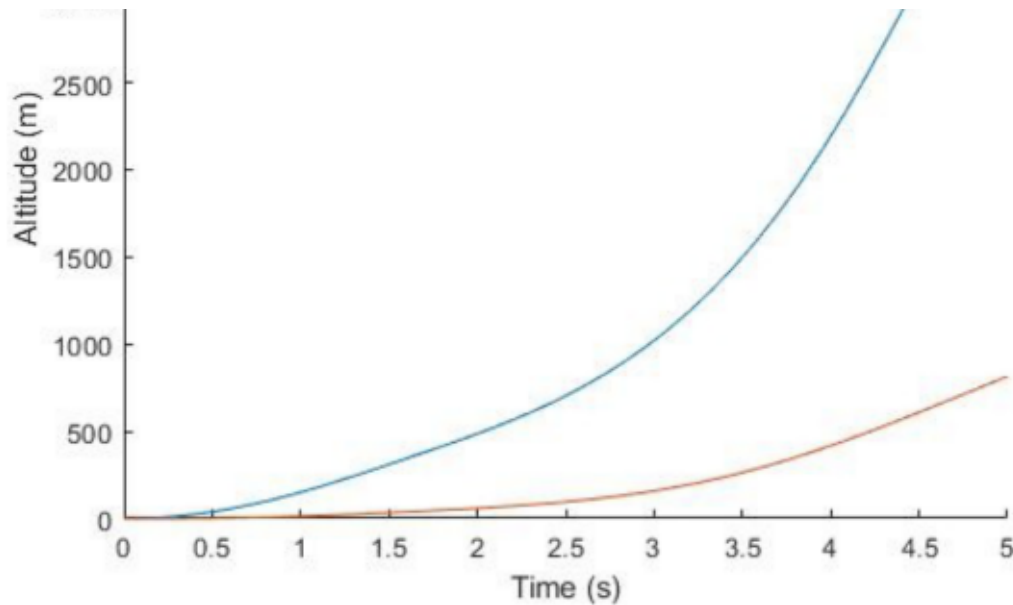
$\Delta u = 40$



$\Delta u = 400$



$$\Delta u = 300$$



Based on the above plots, the accuracy of the linearization is relatively low given the magnitude of the deviation between the 2 curves for all three Δu values used in the simulations,

4.) Numerically compute the continuous time STM, $\Phi(t, t_0)$ for problem 1 using the differential eqn. for $\dot{\Phi}(t, t_0)$. How do these values compare to F after 10 seconds? can you relate the discrete & continuous results at $t=100$ seconds?

=> after solving for Φ numerically, in Matlab using `ode45` & $\dot{\Phi} = A\Phi$

$$\Rightarrow \text{after 10 seconds, } \Phi = \begin{bmatrix} 1.002 & 0.9998 & 0 & 772.5741 \\ 0 & 0.9999 & 0 & 154.5133 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 9.9991 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.9997 \end{bmatrix}$$

after 100 seconds, $\Phi = \begin{bmatrix} 0.0001 & 0.0100 & 0 & 7.7122 \\ 0 & 0.0001 & 0 & 0.1542 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.0001 & 0.0099 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.0001 \end{bmatrix} \cdot 10^4$

so @ $t=10$ seconds, $\Phi(t, t_0)$ is approximately equal to I , & @ $t=100$ seconds, the STM $\approx F^{10} = \Phi(10, 0)^{10}$

Problem 1

```
clear all;close all;clc
k = 398600;
r0 = 6678;
w0 = sqrt(k/(r0^3));

A = [0 1 0 0;w0^2+(2*k/(r0^3)) 0 0 2*r0*w0;0 0 0 1;0 (-2*w0/r0) 0 0];
B = [0 0;1 0;0 0;0 1/r0];
C = [1 0 0 0;0 0 1 0];
D = [0 0;0 0];

Sysc = ss(A,B,C,D);

Sysd = c2d(Sysc,10,'zoh');

[F,G,H,M] = ssdata(Sysd);
```

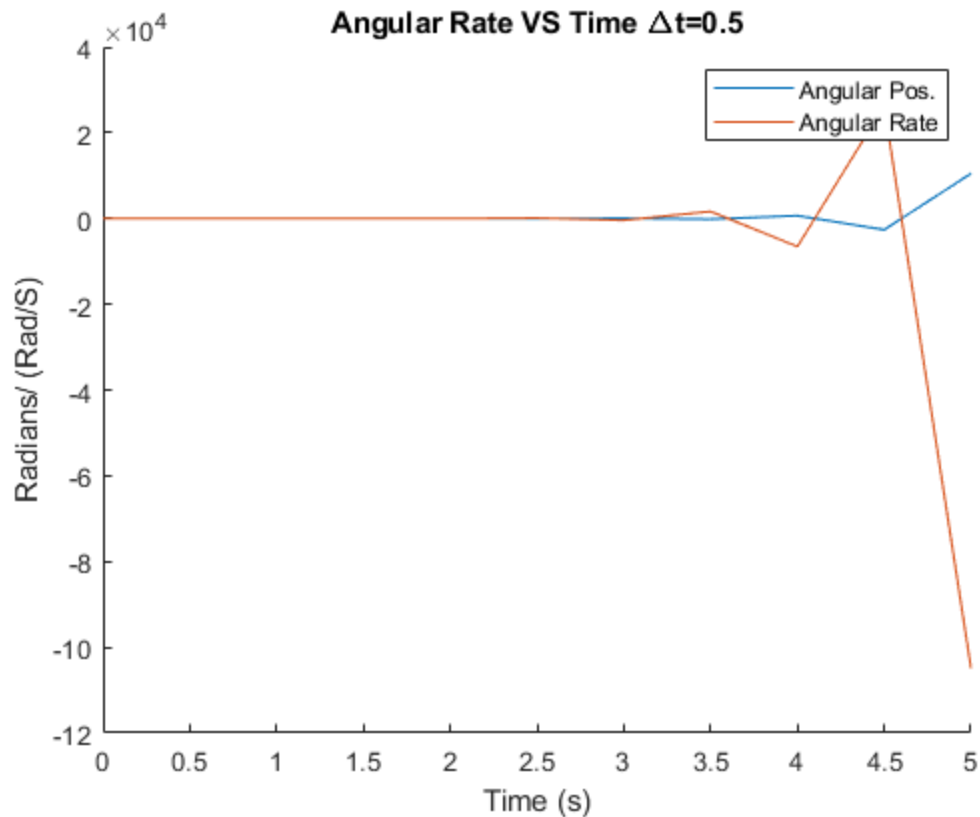
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Problem 2

```
clear all;close all;clc
J = 10;
F = 100;
T = 10;
x = [0;0];

A = [0 1;0 -F/J];
B = [0;1/J];

dx = 0.5;
for i = 1:(5/dx)
    xdot = A*x(:,i) + B*T;
    x(:,i+1) = x(:,i) + xdot*dx;
end
t = 0:dx:5;
figure
hold on
plot(t,x(1,:))
title('Angular Position (rads)')
xlabel('Time (s)')
ylabel('Radians/ (Rad/S)')
plot(t,x(2,:))
title('Angular Rate VS Time \Deltat=0.5')
legend('Angular Pos.','Angular Rate')
```



Solving system using ss and lsim

```
J = 10; F = 100; A = [0 1; 0 -F/J]; B = [0; 1/J]; C = [1 0; 0 1]; D = [0; 0]; T = 10; sys = ss(A,B,C,D);
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```
dt = 0.005;
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t = [0:dt:5];
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u = ones(length(t),1)*T;
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lsim(sys,u,t)
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[V,D] = eig(A);
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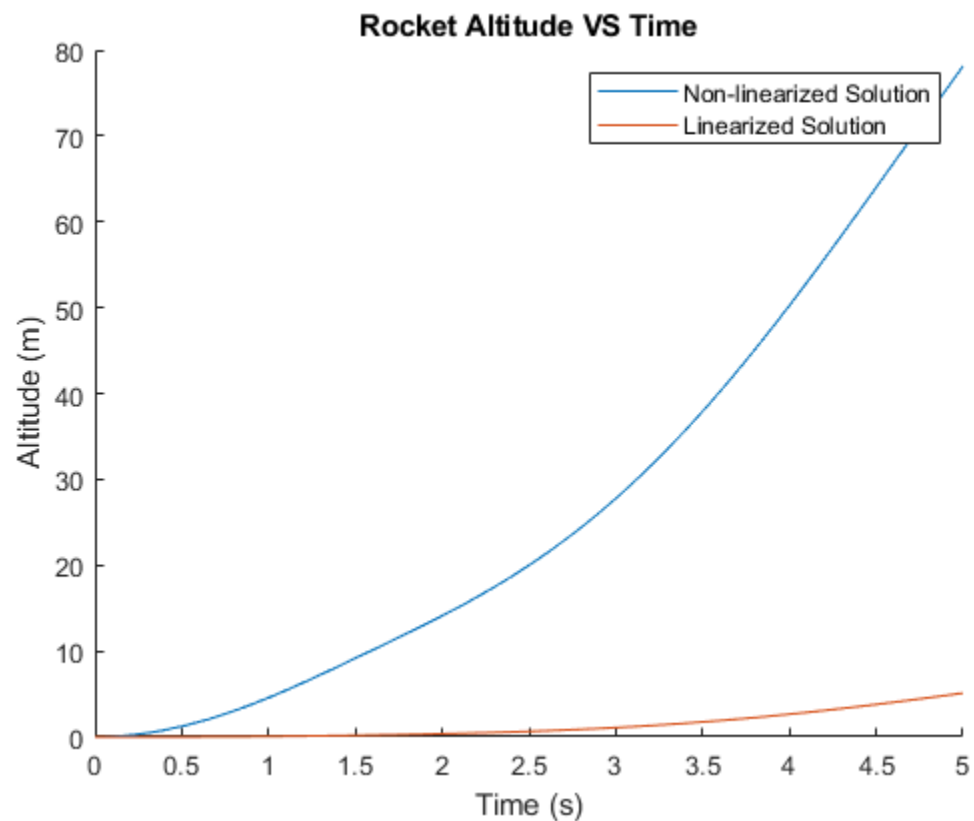
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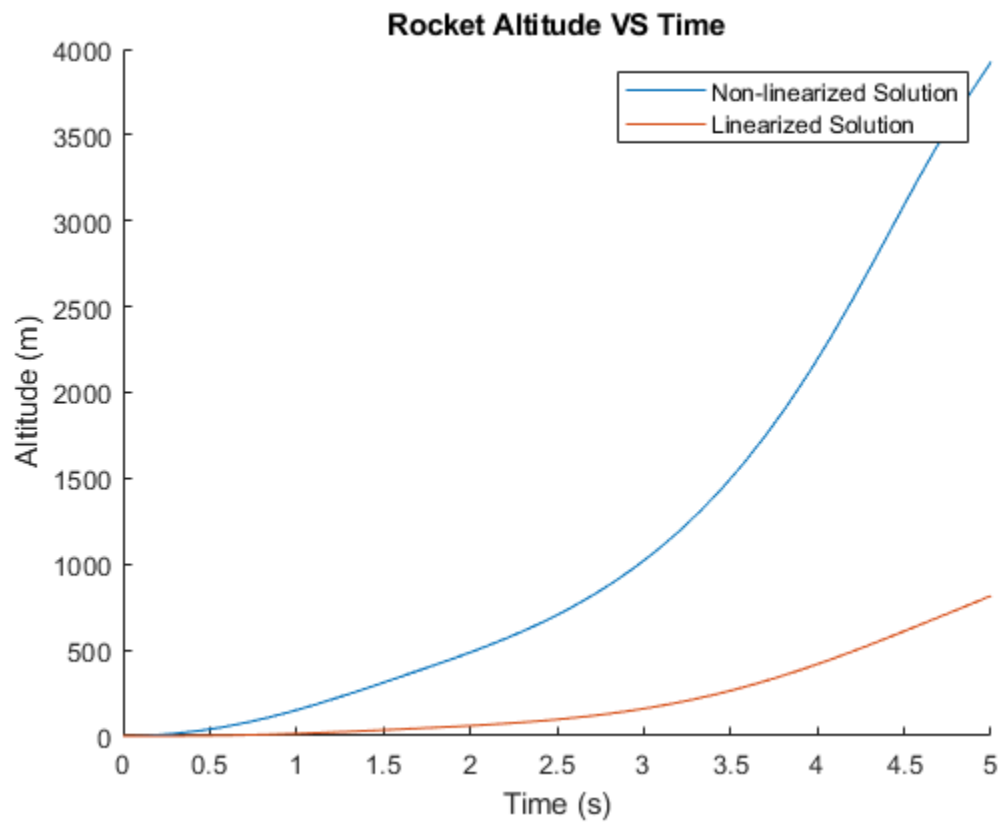
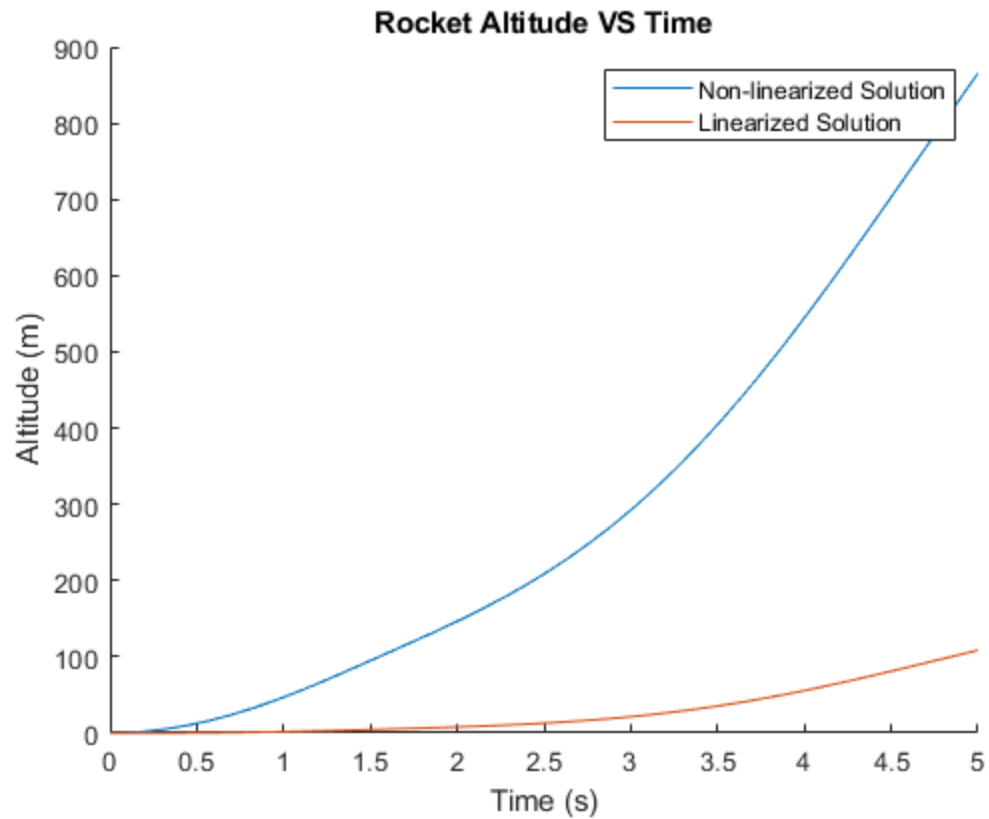
```
clear all;close all;clc

tspan = [0 5];
y0 = [0 0 1000];
du = [10 100 300];
for i = 1:3
    deltau = du(i);
    [t,y] = ode45(@(t,y)odefunNL(t,y,deltau),tspan,y0);

    [t2,y2] = ode45(@(t,y)odefunL(t,y,deltau),tspan,y0);

    figure(i)
    hold on
    plot(t,y(:,1))
    plot(t2,y2(:,1))
    title('Rocket Altitude VS Time')
    xlabel('Time (s)')
    ylabel('Altitude (m)')
    legend('Non-linearized Solution','Linearized Solution')
end
```





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Problem 4

```
clear all;close all;clc

k = 398600;
r0 = 6678;
w0 = sqrt(k/(r0^3));

A = [0 1 0 0;w0^2+(2*k/(r0^3)) 0 0 2*r0*w0;0 0 0 1;0 (-2*w0/r0) 0 0];

tspan = [0 10];
y0 = eye(4);
[t,y] = ode45(@(t,y)odefunp4(t,y,A),tspan,y0);

Phi10 = reshape(y(end,:),size(A));

tspan = [0 100];
y0 = eye(4);
[t,y] = ode45(@(t,y)odefunp4(t,y,A),tspan,y0);

Phi100 = reshape(y(end,:),size(A));
```

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```
function dydt = odefunL(t,y,deltau)

K = 1000;
g = 50;
G = 6.673e-11;
M = 5.98e24;
R = 6.37e6;
x3_0 = 1000;
% deltau = 10;

u0 = (G*M*x3_0*exp((-G*M*t)/(R^2*K)))/(R^2*K);
u = u0 + deltau*abs(cos(t));

A = [0 1 0; (-2*G*M/(R^3)) (-g/x3_0) ((-K*u)/x3_0^2); 0 0 0];

B = [0; (K/x3_0); -1];

dydt = A*y + B*u;

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u0 = (G*M*x3_0*exp((-G*M*t)/(R^2*K)))/(R^2*K);
```

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G = 6.673e-11;
M = 5.98e24;
R = 6.37e6;
x3_0 = 1000;
% deltau = 10;

u0 = (G*M*x3_0*exp((-G*M*t)/(R^2*K)))/(R^2*K);
u = u0 + deltau*abs(cos(t));

dydt = zeros(3,1);

dydt(1) = y(2);
dydt(2) = ((K*u - g*y(2))/y(3)) - ((G*M)/(R + y(1))^2);
dydt(3) = -u;
end
```

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Error in odefunNL (line 10)

```
u0 = (G*M*x3_0*exp((-G*M*t)/(R^2*K)))/(R^2*K);
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```
function dydt = odefunp4(t,y,Phi)
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y = reshape(y,size(Phi));  
dydt = Phi*y;
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dydt = reshape(dydt,16,1);  
end
```

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y = reshape(y,size(Phi));

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