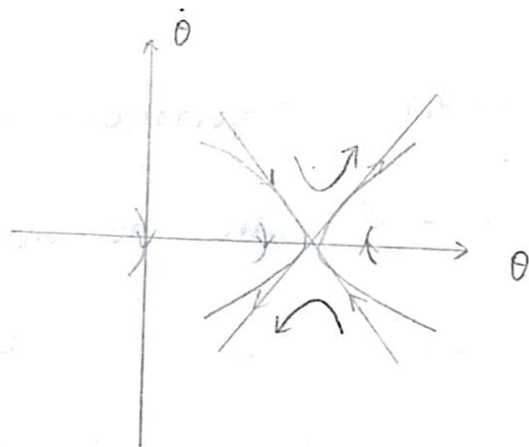


Today: Acrobot & Cart - Pole II (Swing - Up)

- Stability analysis w/ Lyapunov functions
+ control design

- Energy shaping

- Partial Feedback Linearization

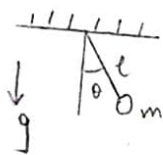


pendulum linearization
at fixed point

- Throw - back to "hand-designed" control
Are not going to be optimal

Better (in practice, in many cases)

Stability of the damped pendulum



$$ml^2 \ddot{\theta} + mgl \sin \theta = -b \dot{\theta} \quad , \quad b > 0$$

$$\theta \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as} \quad t \rightarrow \infty$$

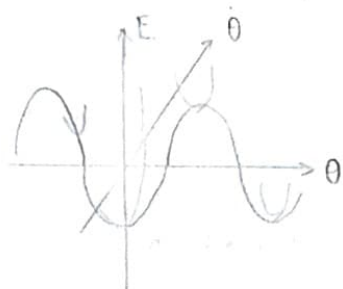
How do we prove it?

Total energy E

$$E = \frac{1}{2} ml^2 \dot{\theta}^2 - mgl \cos \theta$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} E = m l^2 \ddot{\theta} + m g (\sin \theta \dot{\theta} = \dot{\theta} (-b \dot{\theta} - m g (\sin \theta) + m g (\sin \theta) \\ = -b \dot{\theta}^2 < 0 \text{ when } \dot{\theta} \neq 0$$

also know $E \geq -mgl$



this, correct?

Key idea: Look at solns (trajectories) of the system

$\theta = k\pi$. $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ are the only
invariant sets with $\dot{E} = 0$

Invariant set G $x(0) \in G \Rightarrow \forall t > 0 \quad x(t) \in G$

Prove that $E \Rightarrow mgl \cos(k\pi)$
 $\theta \rightarrow k\pi, \dot{\theta} \rightarrow 0$

Lyapunov functions

$$\dot{x} = f(x)$$

Prove $x=0$ is a stable fixed point

Produce $V(x)$ $\forall x \neq 0, V(x) > 0, V(0) = 0.$

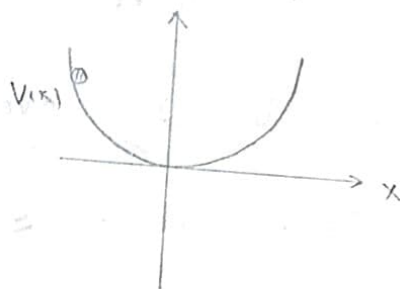
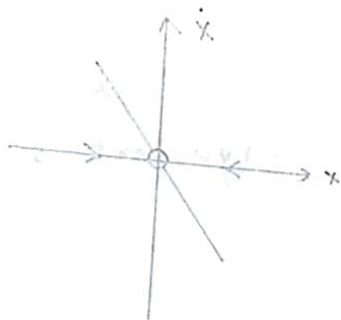
Lyapunov \nearrow $\dot{V}(x) = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} f(x) \quad \forall x \neq 0 \quad \dot{V}(x) < 0, \dot{V}(0) = 0$
~~Lyapunov~~ function.

"radially unbounded" $V(x) \rightarrow \infty$ as
 $\|x\| \rightarrow \infty$

then as $t \rightarrow \infty$, $V \rightarrow 0$, $x \rightarrow 0$.

"globally asymptotic stability"

$$\dot{x} = -x$$



$$V(x) = x^2$$

$$\dot{V} = 0$$

$$\dot{V}(x) = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} f(x) = -2x \cdot x = -2x^2 < 0 \quad \forall x \neq 0$$

Global exponential stability

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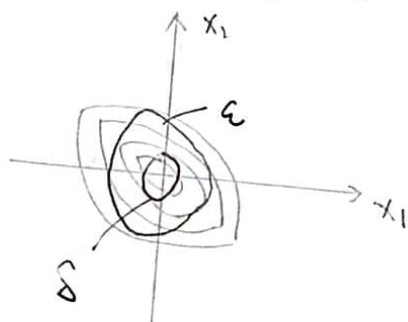
$$\dot{V}(x) < -\alpha V(x), \quad \alpha > 0$$

$$V(x(t)) \leq V(x(0)) e^{-\alpha t}$$

is Lyapunov
is Lyapunov?

if $\dot{V}(x) \leq 0$

$$V(x(0)) = c \quad \forall t \quad V(x(t)) \leq c$$



$$\|x(0) - x^*\| < \delta \Rightarrow \forall t \quad \|x(t) - x^*\| < \epsilon$$

Local stability

only $\dot{V} < 0$ in some ε -ball β around x^*

Global $\dot{V} < 0$ everywhere

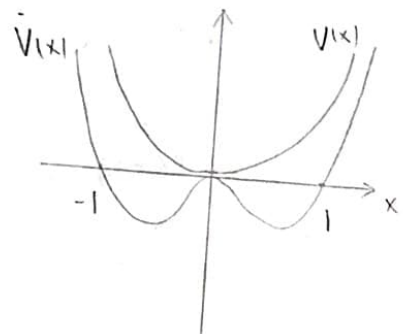
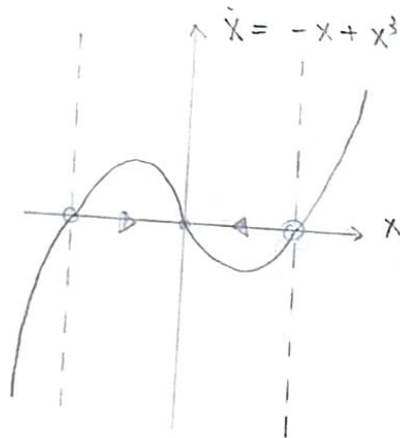
Region stability $\dot{V} < 0$ over an invariant set

$$\text{e.g. } G = \{ x \neq 0 \mid V(x) \leq \rho \}$$

$\rho > 0$ is level-set
of the ~~Lyapunov~~ Lyapunov function

$\Rightarrow G^*$ is ~~ins~~ inside the region of

attraction of x^*



$$V(x) = x^2$$

$$\dot{V}(x) = \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} \cdot f(x) = 2x(-x + x^3) = -2x^2 + 2x^4$$

$$= 2x^2(x^2 - 1) < 0$$

$$\forall x \neq 0 \in \underbrace{(-1, 1)}$$

Prove $x \in (-1, 1)$ is ROA of $x^* = 0$.

LaSalle's Theorem

$$\dot{V}(x) \leq 0$$

⊂ not C

implies that

$\dot{V} \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow x \rightarrow$ "largest invariant set w/ $\dot{V} = 0$ "
the set unions?

Relationship to D.P.

$$0 = \min_u \left[g(x, u) + \underbrace{\frac{\partial J^*}{\partial x} f(x, u)}_{\frac{dJ^*}{dt}} \right]$$

for $u^* = \pi^*(x)$

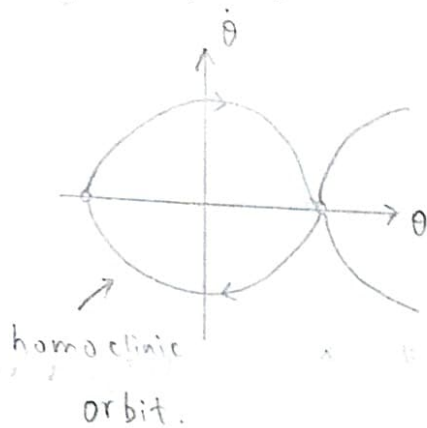
$$\frac{dJ^*}{dt} = -g(x, u^*) \quad \text{hard} \Rightarrow \text{solve PDE}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} \neq 0 \quad \text{can often guess a simple soln.}$$

if $g(x, u^*) > 0$ all the time

J^* is ^{Lyapunov}
~~Lyapunov~~ function

Swing-up for the pendulum



Goal: swing-up to upright, w/ small torques

Idea: Drive to homoclinic orbit

$$E^d \leftarrow \text{desired}$$

$$E^d = mgl.$$

Driven pendulum $m(\ddot{\theta} + g \sin \theta) = u$

$$\dot{E} = +u\dot{\theta} \quad (\text{torque} \times \text{velocity} \quad \checkmark)$$

$$V(x) = \frac{1}{2} (E(x) - E^d)^2$$

$$\dot{V}(x) = \dot{E}(x) \times \underbrace{(E(x) - E^d)}_{\tilde{E}} = u\dot{\theta} \tilde{E}$$

$$\text{Pick } u = -k\dot{\theta} \tilde{E} \Rightarrow \dot{V}(x) = -k\dot{\theta}^2 \tilde{E}^2$$

$$k > 0.$$

not stable at the top, but apply LQR when near the top.

as long as $k > 0$ is ok, but k can be very small to avoid torque limit

damping in the system

$$m l^2 \ddot{\theta} + m g l \sin \theta + b \dot{\theta} = u$$

$$\dot{E} = u \dot{\theta} - b \dot{\theta}^2$$

$$\bar{u} = u + b \dot{\theta}$$

to ~~ver~~ overcome the dumping energy

Note:

if we have mass wrong, controller is the same

homoclinic
orbit

$$m g l = \frac{1}{2} m l^2 \dot{\theta}^2 - m g l \cos \theta$$

$$\dot{\theta} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{2g}{l} (1 + \cos \theta)}$$

Cart - Pole

(w/ all params to 1 even g)

$$2\ddot{x} + \ddot{\theta} c - \dot{\theta} s = f$$

$$\ddot{x} c + \ddot{\theta} + s = 0$$



$\rightarrow x$

$$\ddot{\theta} = -\ddot{x} c - s$$

$$f = 2\ddot{x} + (-\ddot{x} c - s) c - \dot{\theta} s$$

Choose $f = \underbrace{(2 - c^2)}_{\text{always invertible}} \ddot{x}^d - s c - \dot{\theta}^2 s$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{x} = \ddot{x}^d \text{ always invertible}$$

Collocated PFL

"partially feedback linearization"

$$\ddot{\theta} = -\ddot{x}^d c - s$$

Can also control $\ddot{\theta}$

Choose $f = (c - \frac{2}{c}) \ddot{\theta}^d - 2 \tan \theta - \dot{\theta}^2 s$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{\theta} = \ddot{\theta}^d \quad (\text{except where } c = 0)$$

noncollocated PFL

Collocated PFL: linearization on degree of freedom of the controller

noncollocated PFL: linearization on another degree of freedom of the controller