

Week 6: Feedback Linearization of Nonlinear Systems I

Past and Current Homework

HW 1 Stats – out of 120 pts

Average	97.38461
Median	104.00
Standard Deviation	30.33692

HW 2 Stats – out of 100 pts

Average	78.85714
Median	83.00
Standard Deviation	15.06584

HW 4 – Problem 1 – take Lie brackets k times

HW 4 – Problem 4 – the Jacobi-Lie identity

$$[X, [Y, Z]] + [Z, [X, Y]] + [Y, [X, Z]] = 0 - \text{the Jacobi-Lie identity}$$

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For the purpose of our class, **accessibility at every point is equivalent to controllability**

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If you find n independent columns, then you have local accessibility!

If you want to be controllable, you should prove local accessibility everywhere.

Local accessibility example

$$\dot{x}_1 = u \quad \dot{x}_2 = x_1^2$$

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What is m ?

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m = number of columns in $g(x) = 1$

$$f(x) = (0, x_1)^T, g(x) = (1, 0)^T, [f, g](x) = (0, -1)^T$$

$$f(0, 0) = (0, 0)^T, g(0, 0) = (1, 0)^T, [f, g](0, 0) = (0, -1)^T$$

$$Q = \{g(0, 0), [f, g](0, 0)\} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Rank 2! No need to compute higher order Lie brackets

Recap: Let's learn about the distributions and their rank

If g_1, g_2, \dots, g_m are a set of vector fields on a manifold M

Their **distribution** $\Delta_x = \text{span}\{g_1(x), g_2(x), \dots, g_m(x)\}$ is a subspace on TM_x

The span consists of all possible linear combinations

The **rank of a distribution** is the number of independent vector fields

Let's compute the rank of a distribution

$$D = R^3, \Delta = \text{span}\{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$$

$$f_1 = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ 1 + x_3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, f_2 = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 x_2 \\ (1 + x_3)x_2 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}, f_3 = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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The rank is **two** everywhere except when $x_1 = 0$ when the rank is **one**.

Involutive distributions

A distribution $\Delta_x = \text{span}\{g_1(x), g_2(x), \dots, g_m(x)\}$ is **involutive** if and only if $[g_i(x), g_j(x)] \in \Delta_x$ for all i and j between 1 and m .

Quick problem: Is this distribution an involution?

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To be an involution, we need $[f_i, f_j] \in \Delta$ for all i, j pairs between 1 and 3

Let's practice distributions more!

Compute the rank of this distribution and decide if it's involutive:

Example: $D = R^3$; $\Delta = \text{span}\{f_1, f_2\}$

$$f_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad f_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[f_1, f_2] = ?$$

Involutive distribution example

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$$f_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad f_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \dim(\Delta(x)) = 2, \quad \forall x \in D$$

$$[f_1, f_2] = \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} f_1 - \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} f_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{rank } [f_1(x), f_2(x), [f_1, f_2](x)] =$$

$$\text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} 2x_2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & x_2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 3, \quad \forall x \in D$$

Δ is not involutive

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Special controllability case: no drift

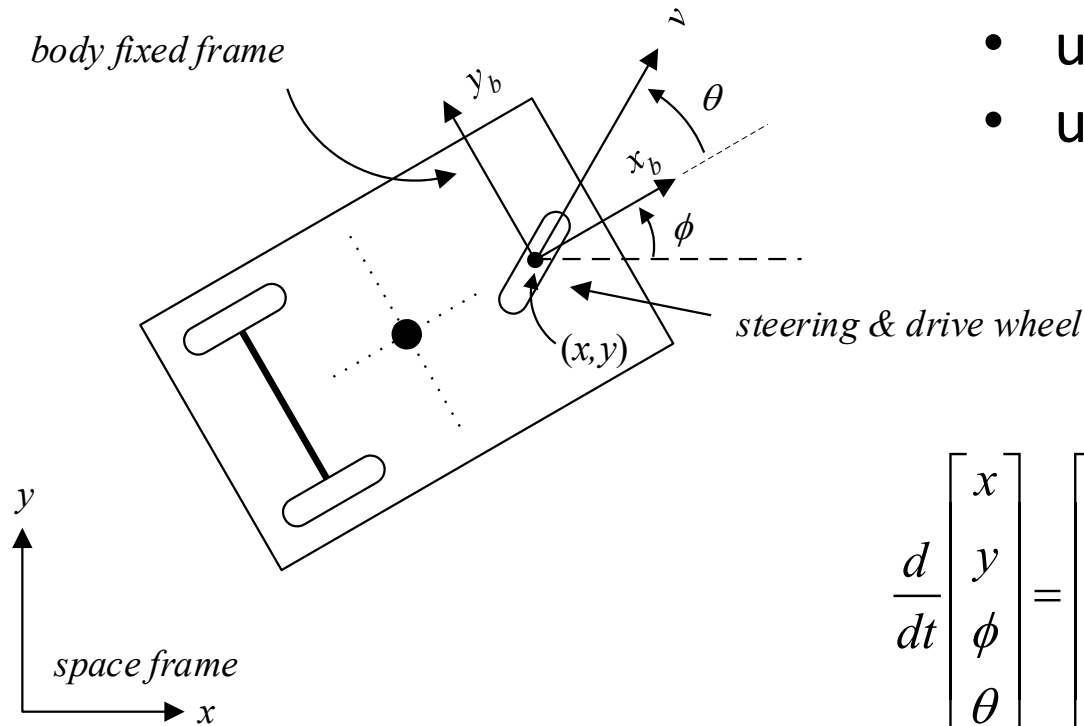
$$\dot{x}(t) = g(x)u = \sum_{i=1}^m g_i(x)u_i$$

Theorem: If the drift term $f(x) = 0$, then the system is controllable if the matrix Q has full rank.

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Controllability Example: Parking



- u_1 is the driving input
- u_2 is the steering input

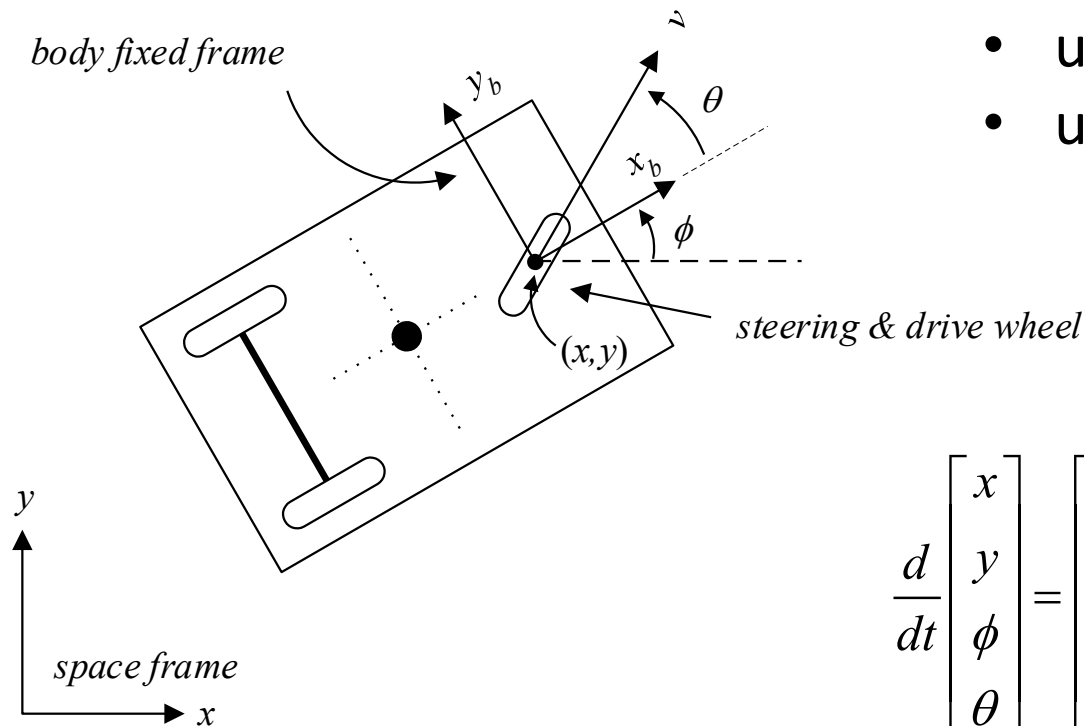
$$u_1 = v, u_2 = \omega$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \phi \\ \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\phi + \theta) & 0 \\ \sin(\phi + \theta) & 0 \\ \sin \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

The diagram shows the state vector $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \phi \\ \theta \end{bmatrix}$ and the input vector $\begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$. The input u_1 is labeled **drive** (pink oval) and u_2 is labeled **steer** (green oval). Arrows indicate the flow of information from the inputs to the state derivatives.

Cars are just carts with fixed rear axis

First things to check to determine controllability:
 Is the dynamical system in affine form? Are we
 in the special case $f(x) = 0$? Who is $g(x)$?



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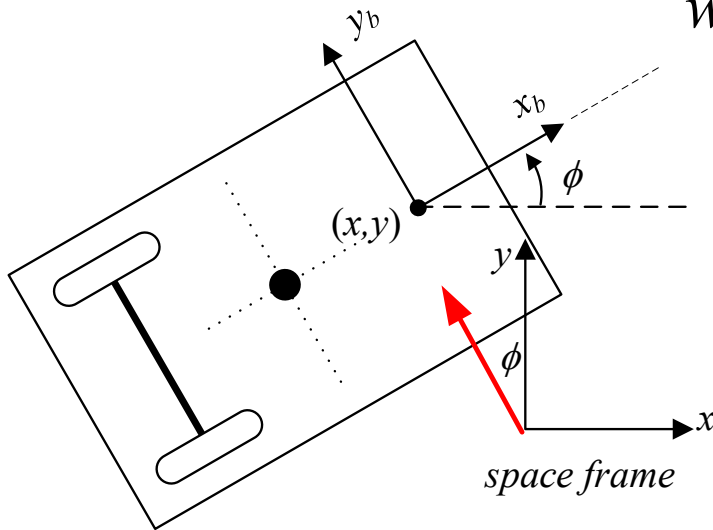
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Parking, Controllability Distribution

$$Q = \left\langle f, g_1, \dots, g_m \mid \text{span} \{ f, g_1, \dots, g_m \} \right\rangle$$

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Parking, new directions from Lie bracket



$$wriggle = [steer, drive] = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin(\theta + \phi) \\ \cos(\theta + \phi) \\ \cos \theta \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$slide = [wriggle, drive] = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin \phi \\ \cos \phi \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Parking, Span of Controllability Distribution

$$\text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\phi + \theta) \\ \sin(\phi + \theta) \\ \sin(\theta) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -\sin(\theta + \phi) \\ \cos(\theta + \phi) \\ \cos \theta \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -\sin \phi \\ \cos \phi \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

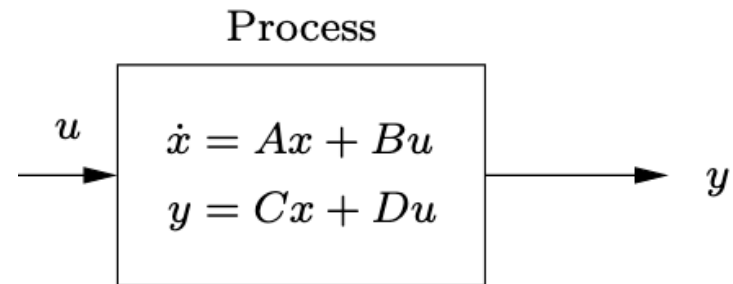
$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

This shows that you can manoeuver your car into any parking lot by applying controls corresponding to the 'Slide' direction, i.e., by applying the control sequence {Wriggle, Drive, -Wriggle, -Drive}.

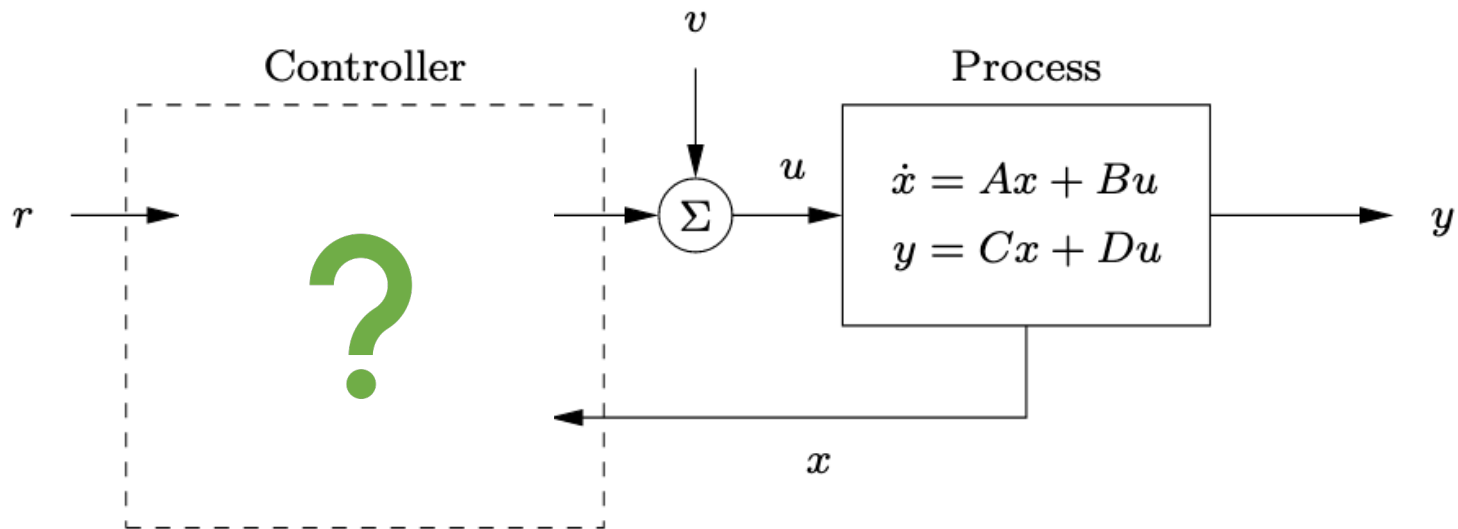
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Block Diagram Open Loop: Linear System

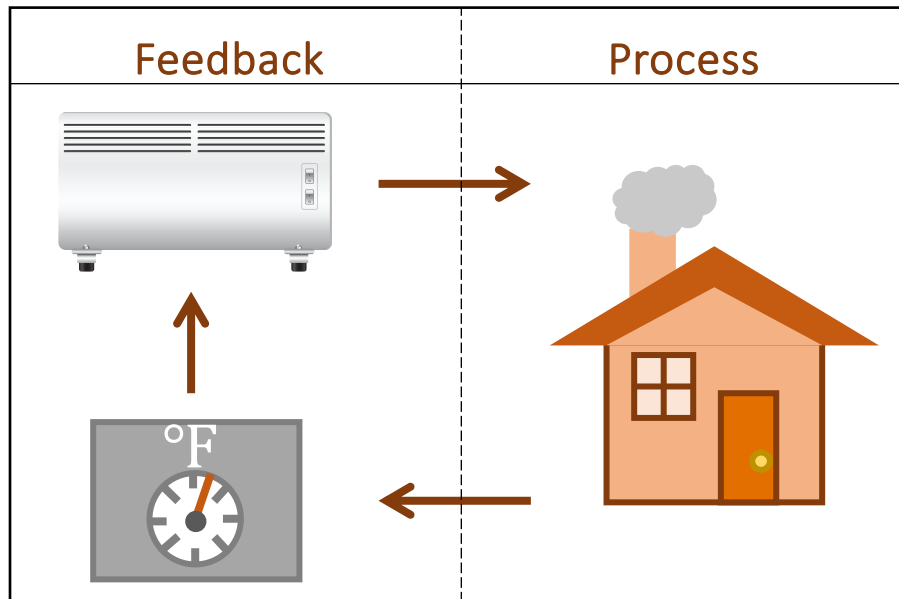


Block Diagram Closed Loop: Controller for Linear Systems

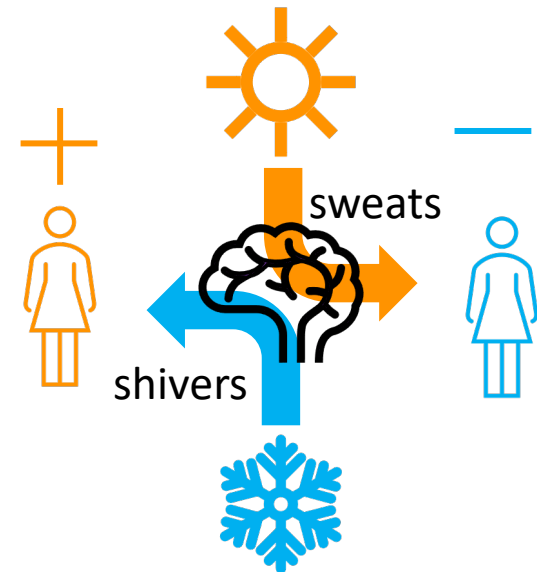


Feedback allows engineered and biological systems to adapt to their changing environment

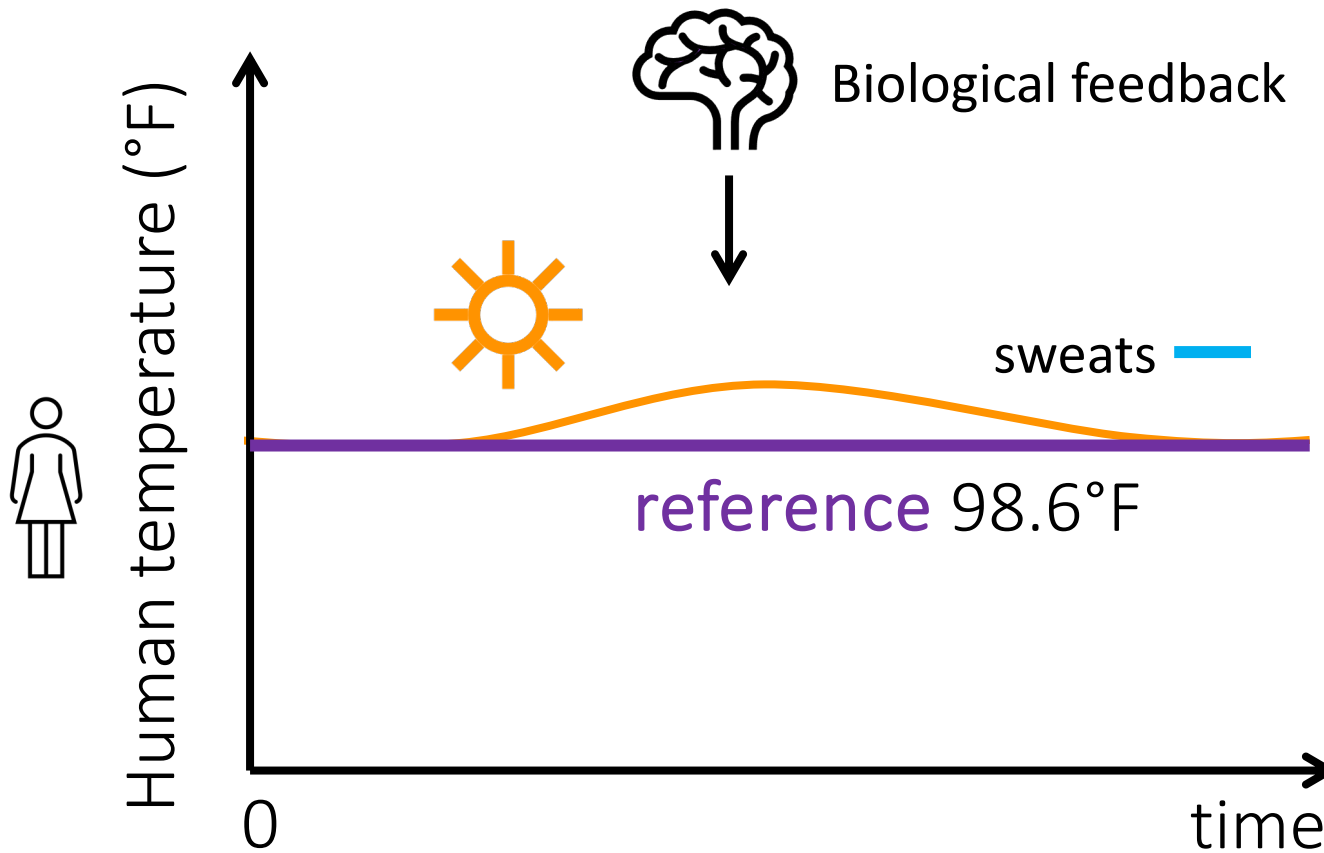
Engineering Feedback



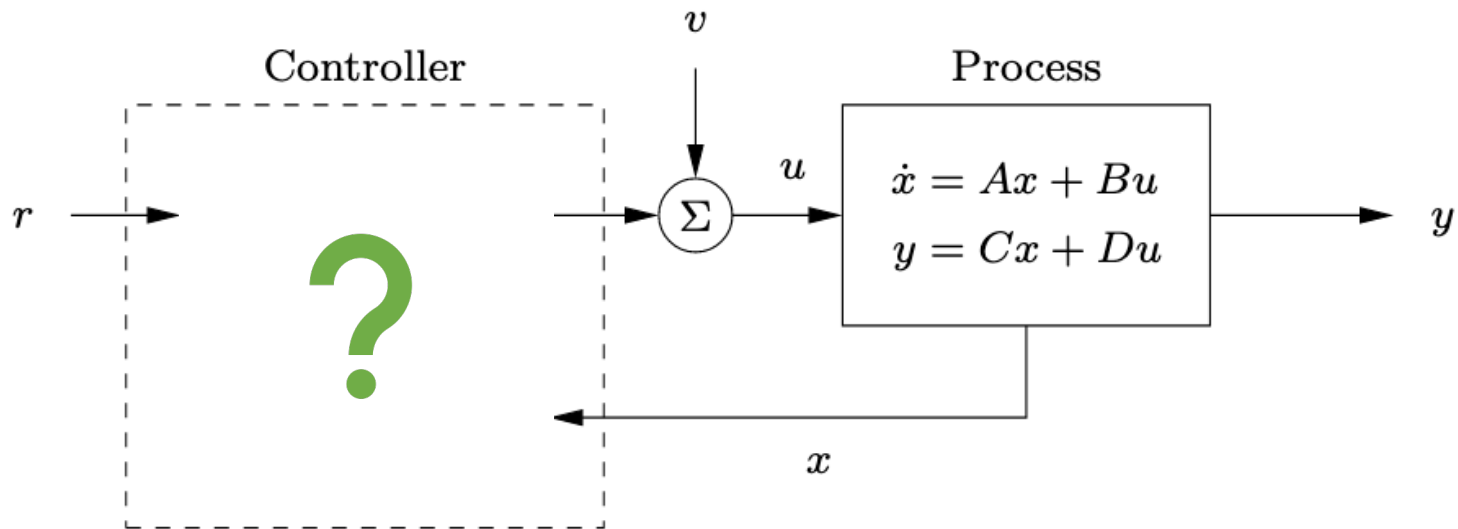
Biological Feedback



One role of engineered and biological feedback is reference tracking



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Process

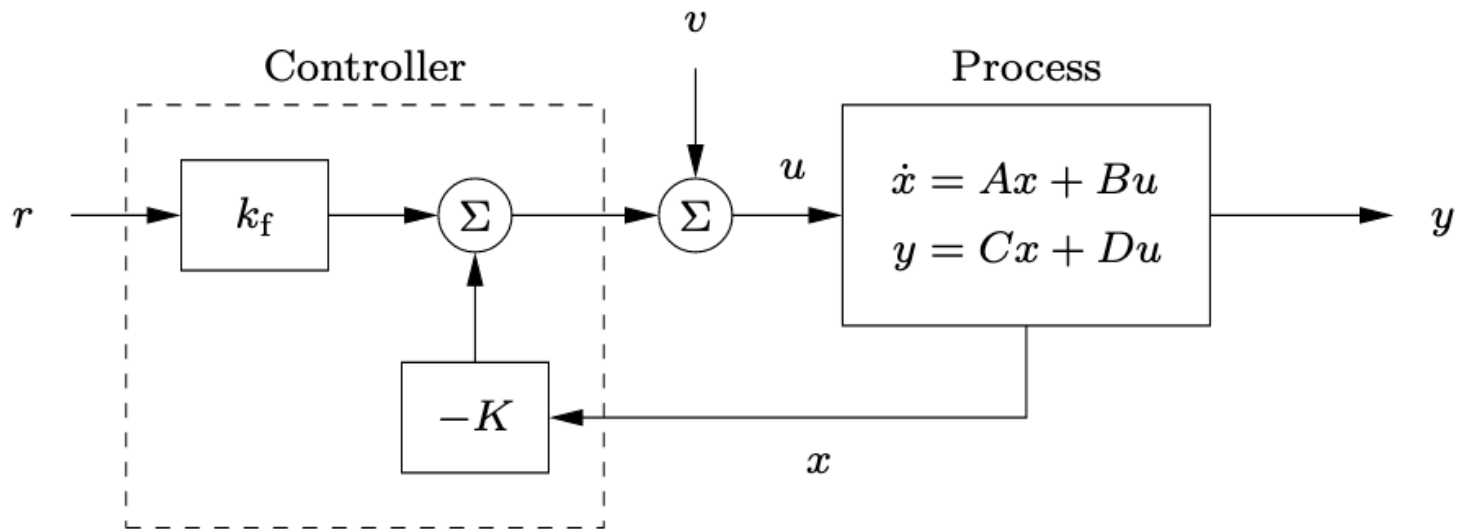
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = Ax + Bu, \quad y = Cx + Du$$

Controller?

$$u = ?$$

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A Controller Option: State Feedback for Linear Systems



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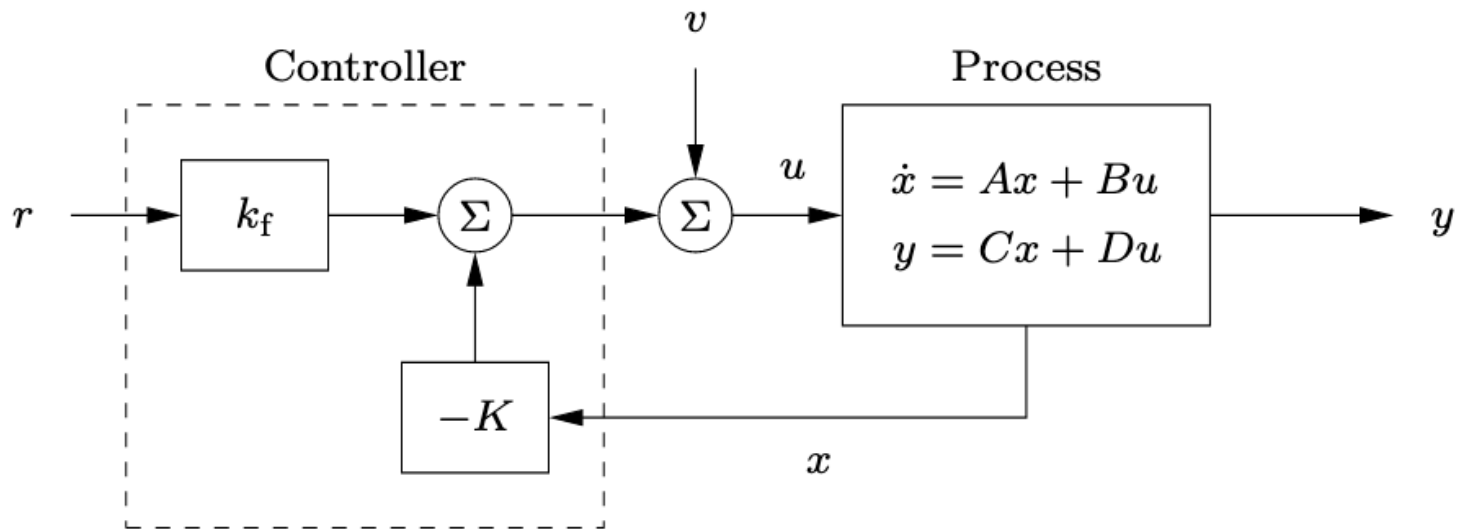
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Who should K the gain of state feedback be?

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State Feedback
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Gain K should at least be chosen to achieve stability; other considerations may be important too

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State Feedback
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Pole placement: We choose K such that the roots of the characteristic polynomial λ have real part < 0

$$\lambda(s) = \det(sI - A + BK)$$

Lastly, to successfully track the reference, we should choose gain k_f

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = (A - BK)x + Bk_f r$$

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State Feedback
Controller

When $D = 0$, we choose k_f as follows to obtain tracking:

$$k_f = -1/(C(A - BK)^{-1}B)$$

Example 1: Controlling the number of lynxes to equal 30 through the food supply for hares in the predator-prey model

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dH}{dt} &= (r + u)H \left(1 - \frac{H}{k}\right) - \frac{aHL}{c + H}, & H &\geq 0, \\ \frac{dL}{dt} &= b \frac{aHL}{c + H} - dL, & L &\geq 0.\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}a &= 3.2, & b &= 0.6, & c &= 50, \\ d &= 0.56, & k &= 125 & r &= 1.6.\end{aligned}$$

Example 1: Recall that the open loop predator-prey model ($u = 0$) produces limit cycle oscillations of hares and lynxes

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Example 1: Step 1) linearize and find the equilibrium of the dynamical system

At equilibrium: set $\frac{dH}{dt} = \frac{dL}{dt} = 0$.

We get $H_{eq} = 20.6$ hares, $L_{eq} = 29.5$ lynxes

Hmmm... not (0 hares, 0 lynxes). What to do?

Example 1: Step 2) use linear transformation to shift the equilibrium to (0 hares, 0 lynxes)

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.13 & -0.93 \\ 0.57 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 17.2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} v,$$

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$$\frac{dz_1}{dt} = \frac{dH}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dz_2}{dt} = \frac{dL}{dt}$$

$$v = u$$

Example 1: Step 3) check that the linearly shifted system is controllable to (0 hares, 0 lynxes). How can we do that?

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$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} 17.2 & 2.23 \\ 0 & 9.8 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \text{Controllable}$$

Example 1: Step 4) assign the eigenvalues of the characteristic polynomial of the system using state feedback

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- For simplicity, we choose them to be $\lambda_1 = -0.1, \lambda_2 = -0.2$ and we solve for the feedback gain.
- We obtain $K = \begin{pmatrix} 0.025 & -0.052 \end{pmatrix}$

Example 1: Step 5) solve for the gain k_f to obtain tracking

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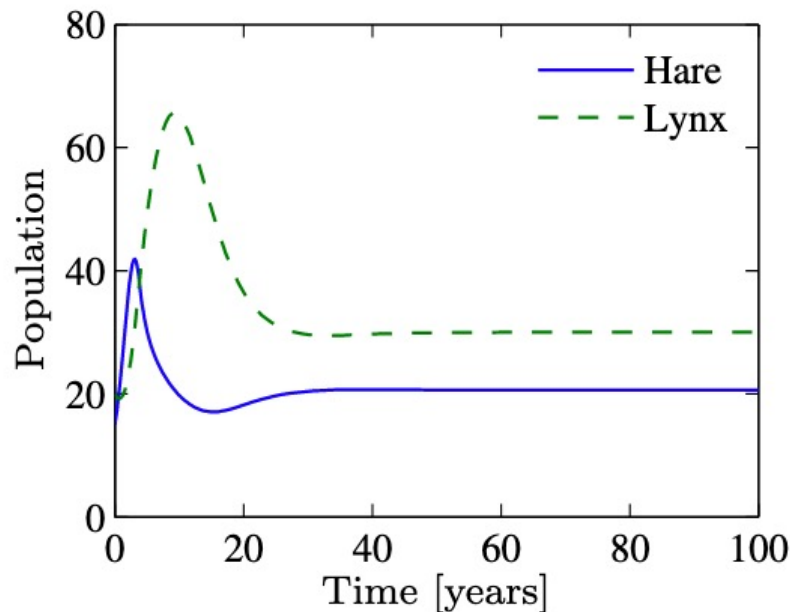
$$k_f = -1/(C(A - BK)^{-1}B) \quad \Rightarrow \quad k_f = 0.002$$

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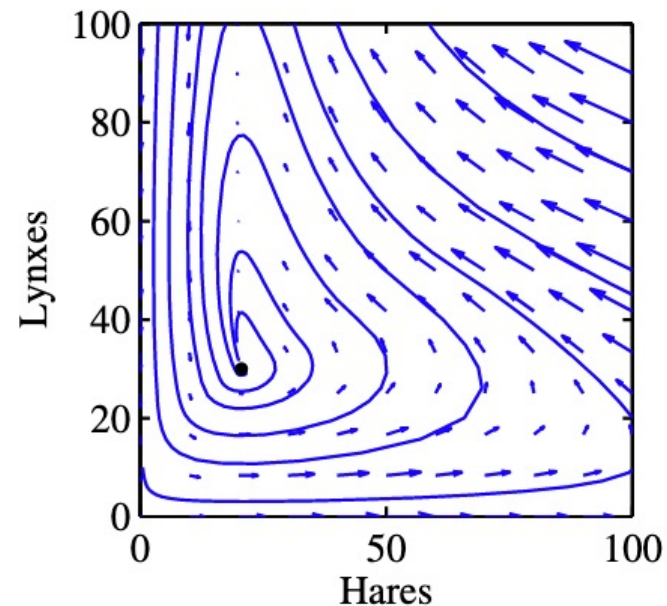
Example 1: Step 6) write down the state feedback

$$\begin{aligned} u &= -K(x - x_e) + k_f(L_d - y_e) \\ &= - \begin{pmatrix} 0.025 & -0.052 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} H - 20.6 \\ L - 29.5 \end{pmatrix} + 0.002(L_d - 29.5) \\ L_d &= 30 \end{aligned}$$

Example 1: Did we control the number of lynxes to 30 using state feedback?



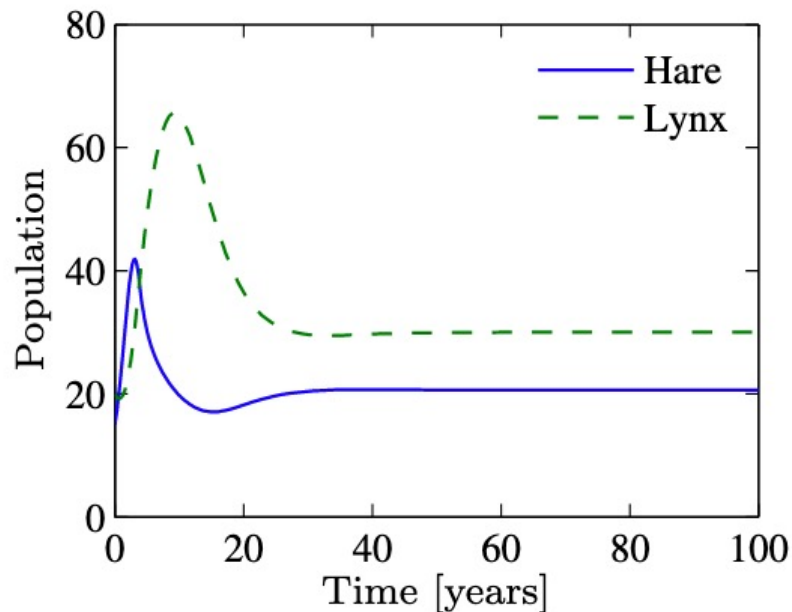
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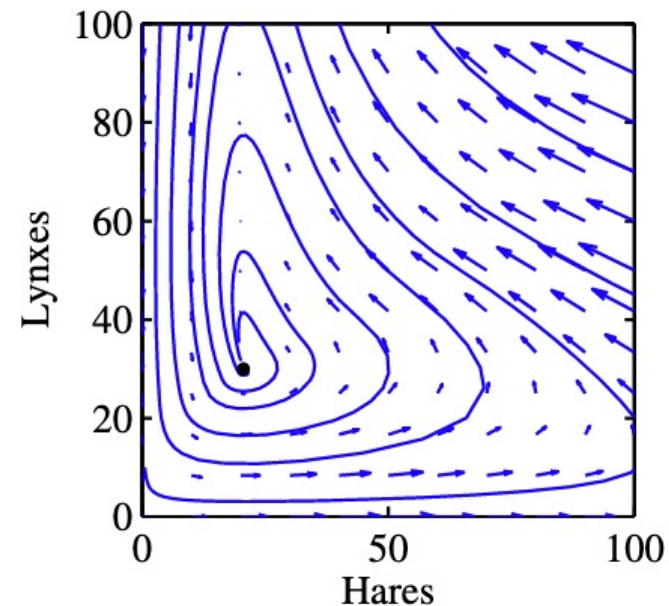
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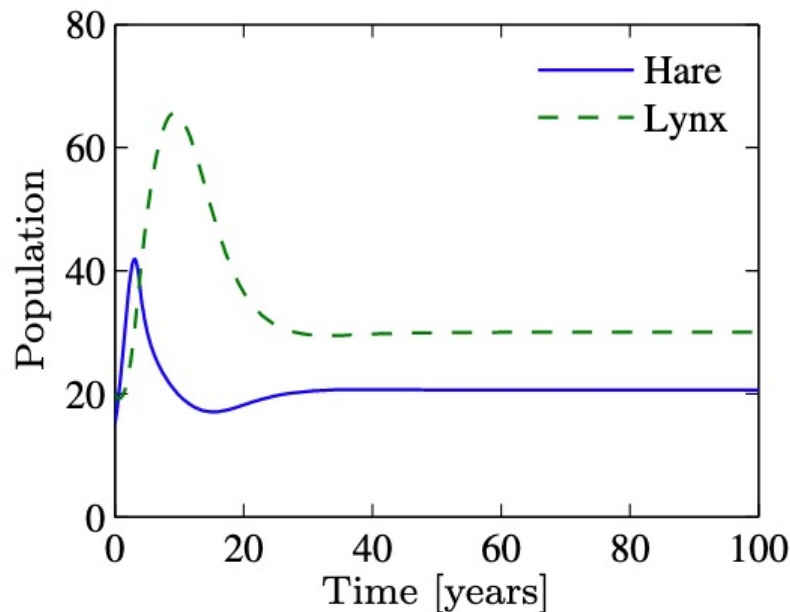
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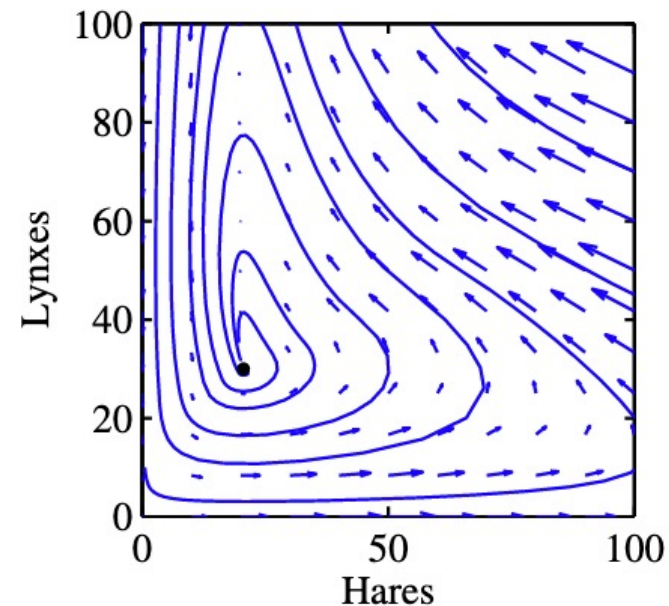
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Summary Slide

- A useful controller for linear dynamical system is state feedback
- There are many types of controllers for linear systems that achieve different objectives
- State feedback can be used in the tracking problem i.e. I want to control the food supply of the hares to keep a population of 30 lynxes

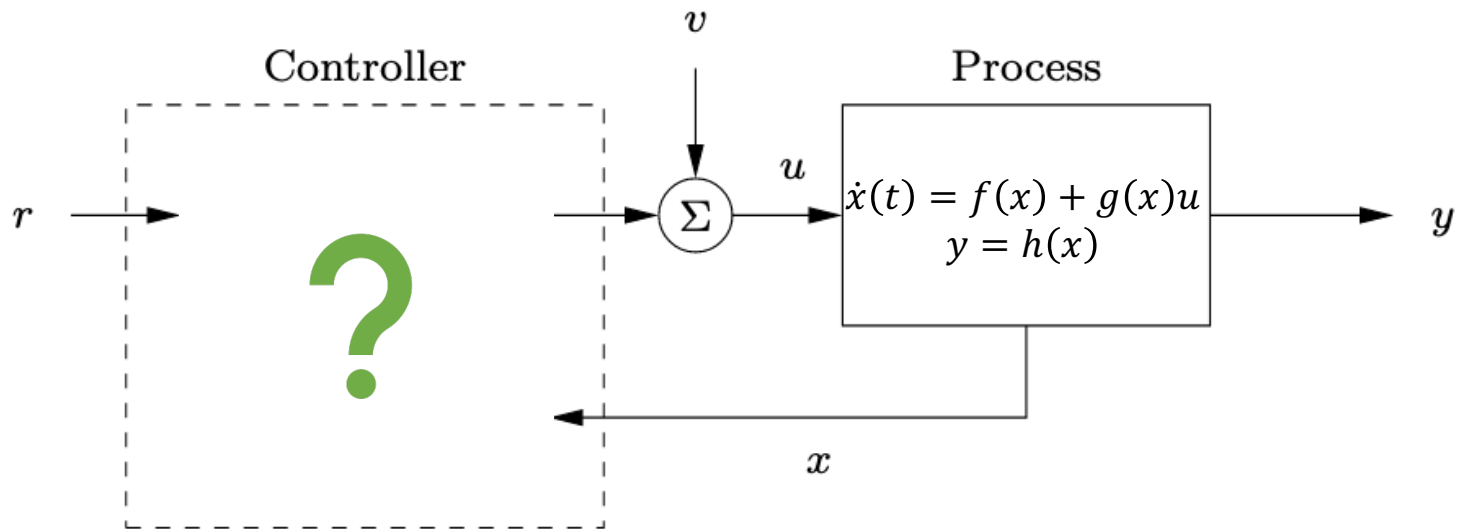
Summary State Feedback Steps:

- 1) Find the equilibrium of the dynamical system
- 2) Use linear transformation to shift the equilibrium to $(0, 0, \dots, 0)$
- 3) Check that the linearly shifted system is controllable to the desired reference
- 4) Assign the eigenvalues of the characteristic polynomial of the system with state feedback
- 5) Solve for the gain k_f to ensure tracking
- 6) Write down the state feedback

Outline

- Finishing up Controllability:
 - Distributions
 - Rank
- State Feedback for Linear Systems
- Feedback Linearization of Nonlinear Systems:
 - Relative Degree
 - Nonlinear Coordinate Transformation
 - Affine Form to Canonical Form

What are some Controllers for Nonlinear Affine Systems?



Recap: We study Affine Nonlinear Systems because they have clear criteria for controllability and we can formulate Lie Derivatives and brackets associated to their vector fields

General Form of a
Nonlinear System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= f(x, u) \\ y &= h(x, u)\end{aligned}$$

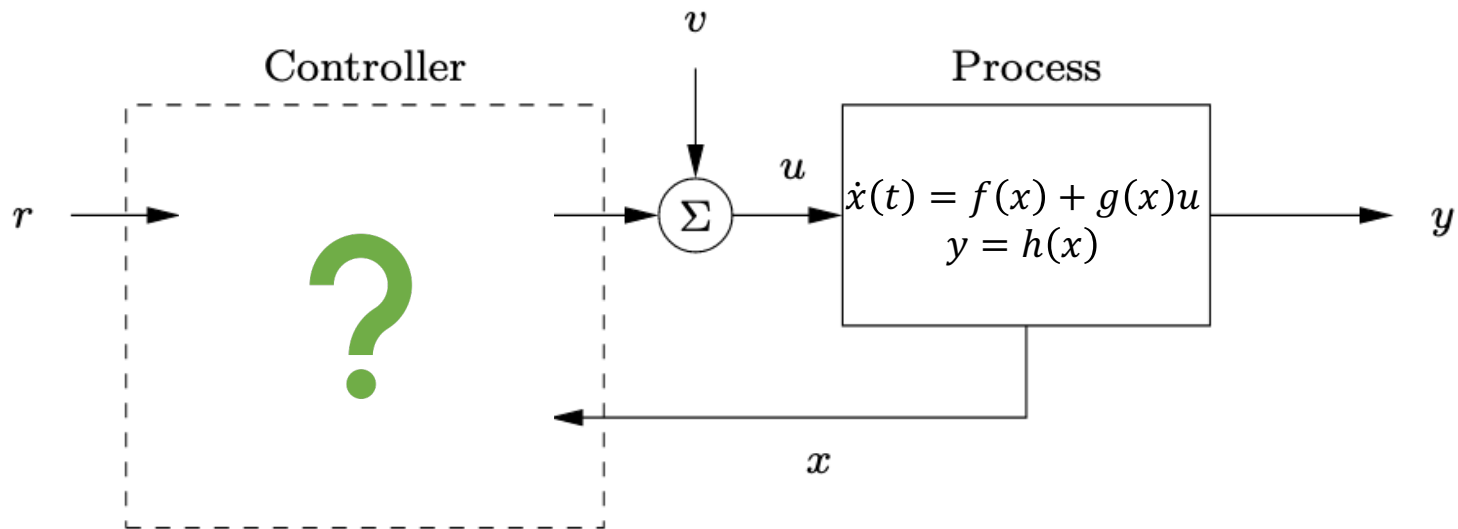
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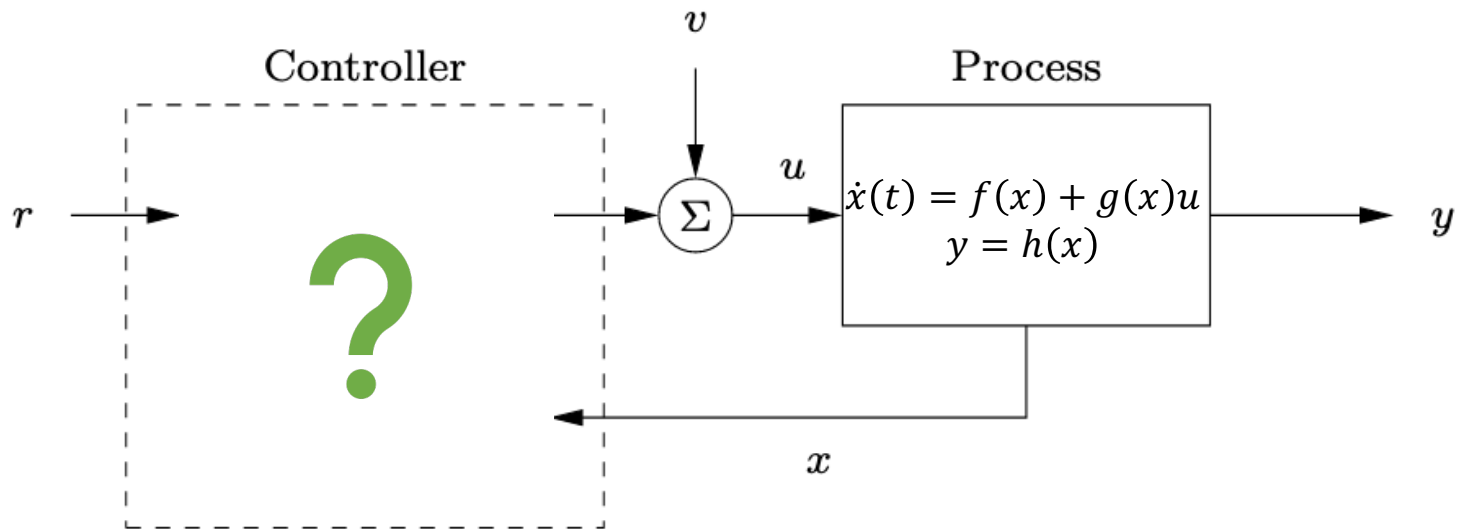
Lie Derivative of
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System

$$L_f h(x) = \frac{dh}{dx} f(x)$$

A useful controller for Nonlinear Affine Systems performs **Feedback Linearization**



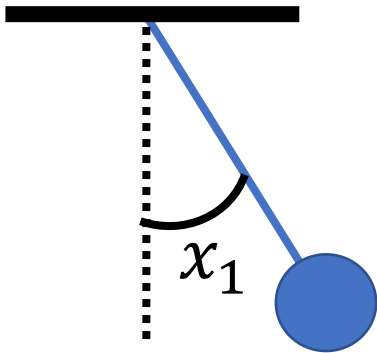
The main idea is that the controller gets rid of the nonlinearity in the system



Example 2: Feedback Linearization of a Pendulum

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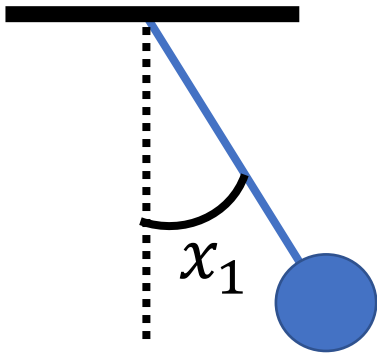
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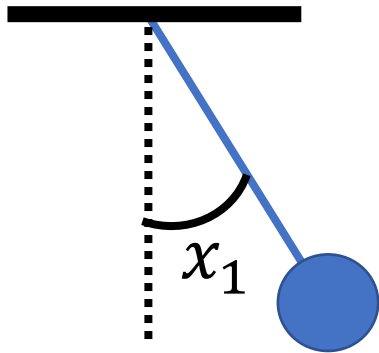
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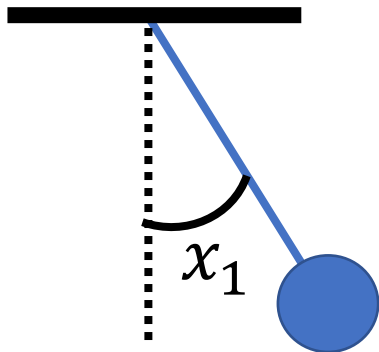
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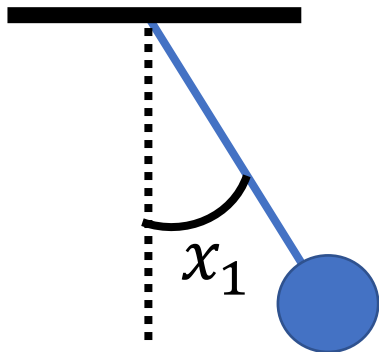
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- For the linear dynamical system, we can choose \mathbf{v} to be one of many controllers. In this example, we can choose \mathbf{v} to be a state feedback controller from before.

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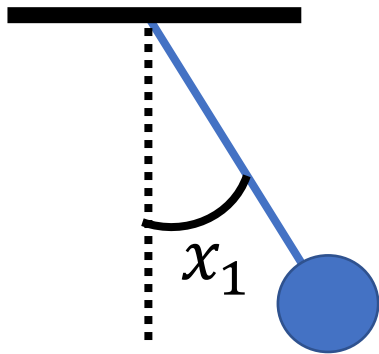
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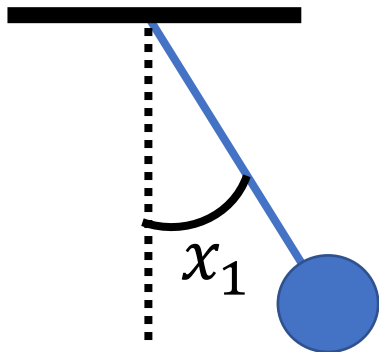
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- We can choose the gain K as before to guarantee stability

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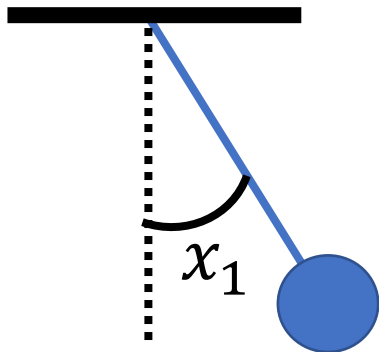
Feedback Linearization

$$\mathbf{u} = \frac{a}{c} \sin x_1 + \frac{1}{c} (-k_1 x_1 - k_2 x_2)$$

We found a controller for a nonlinear system.
Can we always do feedback linearization?

Mathematical Model

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_1 &= x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -a \sin x_1 - bx_2 + cu\end{aligned}$$



Choose the Controller:

$$u = \frac{a}{c} \sin x_1 + \frac{1}{c} v$$



Feedback Linearization

$$u = \frac{a}{c} \sin x_1 + \frac{1}{c} (-k_1 x_1 - k_2 x_2)$$

Can we always do feedback linearization for nonlinear affine systems?

- Yes if the relative degree is n

Affine Nonlinear
System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= f(x) + g(x)u \\ y &= h(x)\end{aligned}$$

Let's learn about the relative degree of an affine nonlinear system

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If u does not appear in any of the equations $y, \dot{y}, \ddot{y}, \dots, y^n$, then the system has infinite relative degree.

Quick problem 1: Compute the relative degree ρ of the pendulum

Mathematical Model

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_1 &= x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -a \sin x_1 - bx_2 + cu \\ y &= x_1 \end{aligned}$$

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Quick problem 2: Compute the relative degree ρ

Mathematical Model

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_1 &= x_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 &= 2x_2 + u \\ y &= x_1\end{aligned}$$

relative degree ρ if u does not appear in the equation of $y, \dot{y}, \ddot{y}, y^{\rho-1}$, but it appears in the equation of y^ρ .

The relative degree can be expressed using Lie derivatives

Affine Nonlinear
System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= f(x) + g(x)u \\ y &= h(x)\end{aligned}$$

The **relative degree is ρ** on domain D if and only if

- $L_g L_f^{i-1} h(x) = 0$ for i between 0 and $\rho - 1$ and
- $L_g L_f^{\rho-1} h(x) \neq 0$

for all $x \in D$.

To construct feedback linearization for an affine nonlinear system of relative degree n , we need to first perform a Nonlinear Coordinate Transformation

Affine Nonlinear
System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= f(x) + g(x)u \\ y &= h(x)\end{aligned}$$

We performed a Linear Coordinate Transformation for the hares and the lynxes earlier to push the equilibrium point to (0, 0)

At equilibrium: set $\frac{dH}{dt} = \frac{dL}{dt} = 0$.

We get $H_{eq} = 20.6$ hares, $L_{eq} = 29.5$ lynxes

Hmmm... not (0 hares, 0 lynxes). What to do?

Define new variables $z_1 = H - H_{eq}$, $z_2 = L - L_{eq}$.

How can we perform a Nonlinear Coordinate Transformation?

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Nonlinear Coordinate
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- $T(x)$ is invertible if there exists a function $T^{-1}(z)$ such that $T^{-1}(T(x)) = x$ for all $x \in \text{domain } D$

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Nonlinear Coordinate
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$$z = T(x)$$

- This definition is equivalent to T being a diffeomorphism

Quick examples of nonlinear coordinate transformations

$T_1(x) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$ is a diffeomorphism everywhere

$T_2(x) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \sin x_2 \end{bmatrix}$ is a local diffeomorphism on the set

$$D = \left\{ x \in \mathbb{R}^2, |x_2| < \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}$$

How can we perform a Nonlinear Coordinate Transformation?

Affine Nonlinear
System with
relative degree $\rho = n$

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Nonlinear Coordinate
Transformation for
Feedback Linearization

$$z = T(x) = \begin{bmatrix} h(x) \\ L_f h(x) \\ \vdots \\ L_f^{n-1} h(x) \end{bmatrix}$$

What is the result of the Nonlinear Coordinate Transformation?

Affine Nonlinear
System with
relative degree $\rho = n$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= f(x) + g(x)u \\ y &= h(x)\end{aligned}$$

Normal Canonical Form

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z} &= Az + b\gamma(x)[u - \alpha(x)] \\ y &= cZ\end{aligned}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & & \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & & \ddots & 1 \\ 0 & & & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, b = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, c = [1 \quad 0 \quad \cdots \quad 0] \quad \text{Chain of Integrators}$$

When can we perform the nonlinear transformation to the Normal Canonical Form?

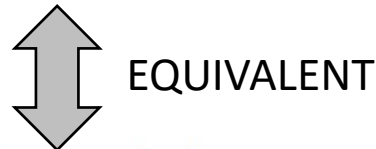
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Theorem: $\dot{x} = f(x) + g(x)u$

is transformable into the canonical form **if and only if** there is a domain D_0 such that

$$\text{rank}[g(x), \text{ad}_f g(x), \dots, \text{ad}_f^{n-1} g(x)] = n, \quad \forall x \in D_0$$

and

$\text{span} \{g, \text{ad}_f g, \dots, \text{ad}_f^{n-2} g\}$ is involutive in D_0

Proof of the Nonlinear Transformation to the Canonical Form

The relative degree is $\rho = n$ if and only if

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The transformed dynamical system is:

$$z_1 = h(x)$$

$$\dot{z}_1 = \frac{dh(x)}{dx} \dot{x} = \frac{dh(x)}{dx} (f(x) + g(x)u) = L_f h(x) + \cancel{L_g h(x)} u = L_f h(x) = z_2$$

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The transformed dynamical system is:

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 &= h(x) \\ z_2 &= L_f h(x) \\ &\vdots \\ z_1^{(n-1)} &= L_f^{n-1} h(x) + L_g L_f^{n-2} h(x) u = L_f^{n-1} h(x) = z_n \end{aligned}$$

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An alternative form of the same dynamical system is:

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An alternative form of the same system is the Canonical Form:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{z} &= Az + b\gamma(x)[u - \alpha(x)] \\ y &= cz \end{aligned}$$

$$\gamma(x) = L_g L_f^{n-1} h(x),$$

$$\alpha(x) = \frac{L_f^n h(x)}{L_g L_f^{n-1} h(x)}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z} &= (A - bK)z \\ y &= cz \\ u &= \alpha(x) - \gamma^{-1}(x)Kz\end{aligned}$$

We can choose state fb $v = -Kz$

Summary for Feedback Linearization Control of Nonlinear Affine Systems

- 1) Start with an Affine Nonlinear System
- 2) Check whether the **relative degree is ρ** by showing $L_g L_f^{i-1} h(x) = 0$ for i between 1 and $n-1$ and $L_g L_f^{n-1} h(x) \neq 0$
- 3) Check whether your system is already in Canonical Form
- 4) If not, Perform Nonlinear Coordinate Feedback Linearization

$$z = T(x) = \begin{bmatrix} h(x) \\ L_f h(x) \\ \vdots \\ L_f^{n-1} h(x) \end{bmatrix}$$

- 5) Put the system in Canonical Form

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{z} &= Az + b\gamma(x)[u - \alpha(x)] \\ y &= cz \end{aligned}$$

- 6) Choose feedback linearization to linearize the affine system in Canonical Form
- 7) Choose state feedback **$v = -Kz$** to achieve stability of the dynamical system in Canonical Form
- 8) Compute the feedback linearization **$u = \alpha(x) - \gamma^{-1}(x)K T(x)$**

What happens if the Affine Nonlinear System has relative degree $\rho < n$?

We'll find out next class

Example 3: Feedback Linearization

Example. Step 1) Affine Nonlinear System

Affine Nonlinear System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_1 &= a \sin x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -x_1^2 + \mathbf{u} \\ y &= x_1\end{aligned}$$

Example 3: Feedback Linearization Example.

Step 2) Is the relative degree equal to two?

Affine Nonlinear System

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1) Is $L_g h(x) = 0$?

2) Is $L_g L_f h(x) \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}L_g h(x) &= \frac{dh}{dx} g(x) = [1 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \\ L_f h(x) &= a \sin x_2\end{aligned}$$

$$L_g L_f h(x) = \frac{dL_f h}{dx} g(x) = [0 \ a \cos x_2] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = a \cos x_2 \neq 0 \text{ for } |x_2| < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Example 3: Feedback Linearization Example.
Step 2) Is the relative degree equal to two? Yes
in the appropriate domain

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2) Is $L_g L_f h(x) \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}L_g h(x) &= \frac{dh}{dx} g(x) = [1 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \\ L_f h(x) &= a \sin x_2\end{aligned}$$

$$L_g L_f h(x) = \frac{dL_f h}{dx} g(x) = [0 \ a \cos x_2] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = a \cos x_2 \neq 0 \text{ for } |x_2| < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

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Step 6) Choose the feedback linearization controller

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Choose the Controller:

$$\mathbf{u} = x_1^2 + \frac{1}{\cos x_2} \mathbf{v}$$

Example 3: Feedback Linearization Example.

Step 7) Choose state feedback

Affine Nonlinear System

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Nonlinear Coordinate Transformation

$$\begin{aligned}z_1 &= x_1 \\ z_2 &= a \sin x_2\end{aligned}$$

System in Canonical Form

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Linear Dynamical System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z}_1 &= z_2 \\ \dot{z}_2 &= \mathbf{v}\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = -Kx = -k_1 z_1 - k_2 z_2$$

Example 3: Feedback Linearization Example.

Step 8) Compute feedback linearization

Affine Nonlinear System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}_1 &= a \sin x_2 \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -x_1^2 + \mathbf{u} \\ y &= x_1\end{aligned}$$

Nonlinear Coordinate Transformation

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Linear Dynamical System

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{z}_1 &= z_2 \\ \dot{z}_2 &= \mathbf{v}\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = -K\mathbf{x} = -k_1 z_1 - k_2 z_2$$

$$\mathbf{u} = x_1^2 + \frac{1}{\cos x_2} \mathbf{v} (-k_1 x_1 - k_2 a \sin x_2)$$

Summary

- Learned about State Feedback
- Learned about Feedback Linearization of Nonlinear Affine Systems