

Model Documentation of the Brockett Integrator

1 Nomenclature

1.1 Nomenclature for Model Equations

u_1, u_2 Inputs

2 Model Equations

State Vector and Input Vector:

$$\underline{x} = (x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3)^T$$

$$\underline{u} = (u_1 \ u_2)^T$$

Model Equations:

$$\dot{x}_1 = u_1 \tag{1a}$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = u_2 \tag{1b}$$

$$\dot{x}_3 = x_2 u_1 - x_1 u_2 \tag{1c}$$

Parameters: *⟨not defined⟩*

Outputs: *⟨not defined⟩*

3 Derivation and Explanation

The Brockett Integrator is a non-holonomic integrator introduced by R. W. Brockett.

4 Simulation

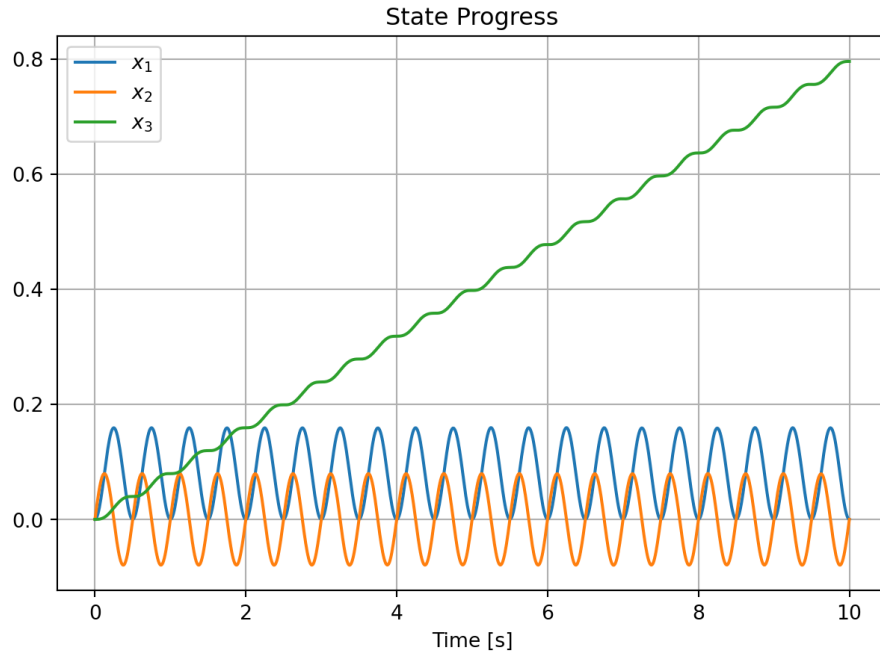


Figure 1: Simulation of the Brockett Integrator.

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