

## Course „Control Systems 2“

Solution to Ex. Sheet 12

### Task 26

We want to design a static feedforward control unit for the system

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\underline{x}} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & 1.6 \\ 1.6 & -1.2 \end{bmatrix} \underline{x} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u \\ y &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \underline{x}\end{aligned}$$

#### Solution:

- a) We can realize any desired steady-state output, if the corresponding transfer function has no zero at  $s = 0$ .

Here: The transfer function from  $u$  to  $y$  is

$$F(s) = c^T (sI - A)^{-1} b + d = \frac{2(s+2)}{(s+2)(s-2)} = \frac{2}{s-2}$$

→ no zero at  $s = 0$  → any arbitrary desired output is feasible in steady-state

- b) Design equation:

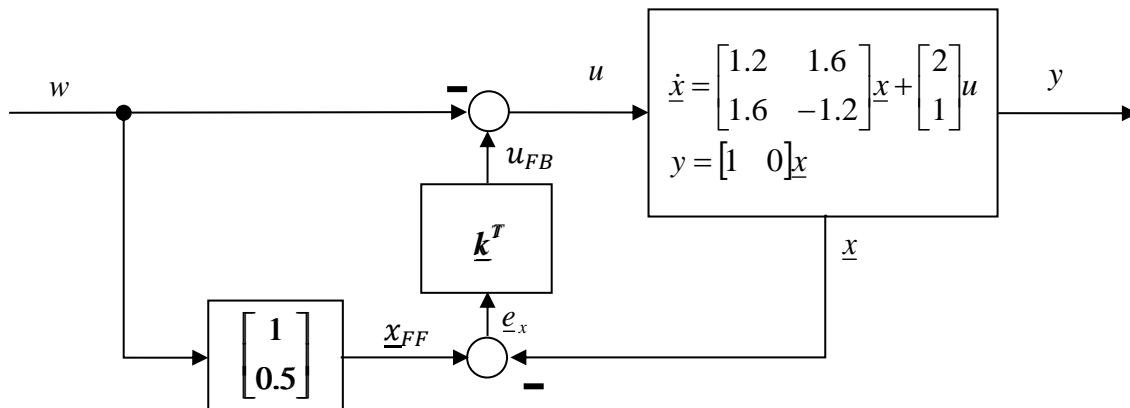
$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{m}_x \\ \underline{m}_u \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & b \\ c^T & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here:

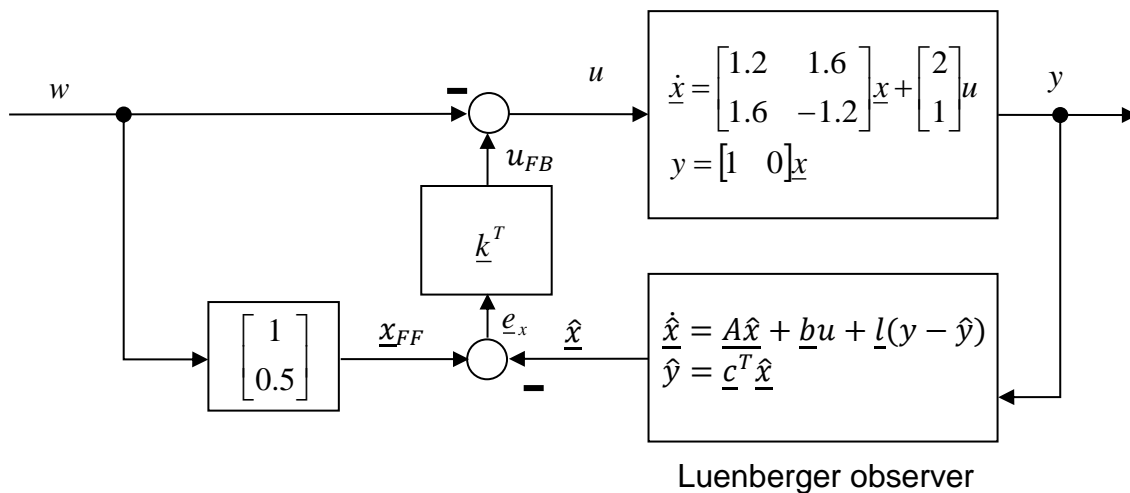
$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{m}_x \\ \underline{m}_u \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & 1.6 & 2 \\ 1.6 & -1.2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} X & X & 1 \\ X & X & 0.5 \\ X & X & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0.5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{m}_u = -1 \text{ and } \underline{m}_x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

c) Block diagram:



d) Block diagram with observer:



At least if the mathematical model of the system used for observer design is correct, then the static feedforward control will still work (i.e. it still ensures that  $y = w$  and that  $\underline{e}_x = \underline{0}$  in steady state if no disturbances are acting on the system). This is the case, because in steady-state the estimated state  $\hat{\underline{x}}$  will be equal to the true state  $\underline{x}$ . Consequently, in steady-state we have the same situation as in subtask b), i.e.  $\underline{e}_x = \underline{0}$  and the feedforward control will generate the total input which is necessary to keep the system at the required operating point.