

Canonical Forms

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State-Space Representation of TF Systems

- Many techniques exist in describing a Transfer Function systems in state-space: (Non-uniqueness)
 - **Controllable Canonical Form** (Any)
 - **Observable Canonical Form** (Any)
 - **Modal Canonical Form**
 - **Diagonal Canonical Form** (Only for distinct roots)
 - **Jordan Canonical Form** (Only for repeated distinct roots)
- Consider the following general differential equation

$$y^{(n)} + a_1 y^{(n-1)} + \cdots + a_{n-1} \dot{y} + a_n y = b_0 u^{(n)} + b_1 u^{(n-1)} + \cdots + b_{n-1} \dot{u} + b_n u$$

And transfer function:

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_0 s^n + b_1 s^{n-1} + \cdots + b_{n-1} s + b_n}{s^n + a_1 s^{n-1} + \cdots + a_{n-1} s + a_n}$$

Controllable Canonical Form (CCF)

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_0 s^n + b_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + b_{n-1} s + b_n}{s^n + a_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} s + a_n}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_{n-1} \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \\ -a_n & -a_{n-1} & -a_{n-2} & \dots & -a_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{n-1} \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [b_n - a_n b_0 \mid b_{n-1} - a_{n-1} b_0 \mid \dots \mid b_1 - a_1 b_0] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0 u$$

Observable Canonical Form (OCF)

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_0 s^n + b_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + b_{n-1} s + b_n}{s^n + a_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} s + a_n}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -a_n \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -a_{n-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & -a_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_n - a_n b_0 \\ b_{n-1} - a_{n-1} b_0 \\ \vdots \\ b_1 - a_1 b_0 \end{bmatrix} u$$

Notice anything peculiar
between **CCF** and **OCF**?

$$y = [0 \quad 0 \quad \dots \quad 0 \quad 1] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ x_{n-1} \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0 u$$

State matrix (**A**) of CCF is the
transpose of the state matrix of OCF

Diagonal Canonical Form (DCF)

- If the system contains only **distinct roots**, the transfer function can be expressed as:
$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_0 s^n + b_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + b_{n-1} s + b_n}{(s + p_1)(s + p_2) \dots (s + p_n)} = b_0 + \frac{c_1}{s + p_1} + \frac{c_2}{s + p_2} + \dots + \frac{c_n}{s + p_n}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -p_1 & & & 0 \\ & -p_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & -p_n \\ 0 & & & & \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 & c_2 & \dots & c_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0 u$$

Jordan Canonical Form (JCF)

- If the system contain repeated roots, the TF can be expressed as:

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_0 s^n + b_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + b_{n-1} s + b_n}{(s + p_1)^3 (s + p_4) \dots (s + p_n)} = b_0 + \frac{c_1}{(s + p_1)^3} + \frac{c_2}{(s + p_1)^2} + \frac{c_3}{s + p_1} + \dots + \frac{c_n}{s + p_n}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \\ \dot{x}_4 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -p_1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & -p_1 & 1 & : & : \\ 0 & 0 & -p_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \hline 0 & \dots & 0 & -p_4 & & 0 \\ \vdots & & \vdots & & \ddots & \\ \vdots & & \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & & -p_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [c_1 \quad c_2 \quad \dots \quad c_n] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0 u$$

Exercise!

- Consider the following TF: $\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{s+3}{s^2+3s+2} = \frac{s+3}{(s+1)(s+2)} = \frac{2}{(s+1)} + \frac{-1}{(s+2)}$
 - How many and where are the poles of the system? **2 poles, s=-2,-1**
 - System Order? **2nd Order System**
 - Number of state variables required for State-Space representation?
 - Express the system in **2 state variables required**
 - Controllable Canonical Form (CCF)
 - Observable Canonical Form (OCF) $a_1=3, a_2=2$
 - Diagonal Canonical Form (DCF) $b_0=0, b_1=1, b_2=3$
 - Jordan Canonical Form (JCF)

CCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

OCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

DCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Block Diagrams from Canonical Forms (CCF)

- Consider a 3rd order dynamic system (y is output): $\ddot{y} + 6\dot{y} + 11\dot{y} + 6y = 6u$

Transfer function: $\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{6}{s^3 + 6s^2 + 11s + 6}$

$$\dot{x}_1 = x_2$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = x_3$$

$$\dot{x}_3 = -6x_1 - 11x_2 - 6x_3 + u$$

$$y = 6x_1$$

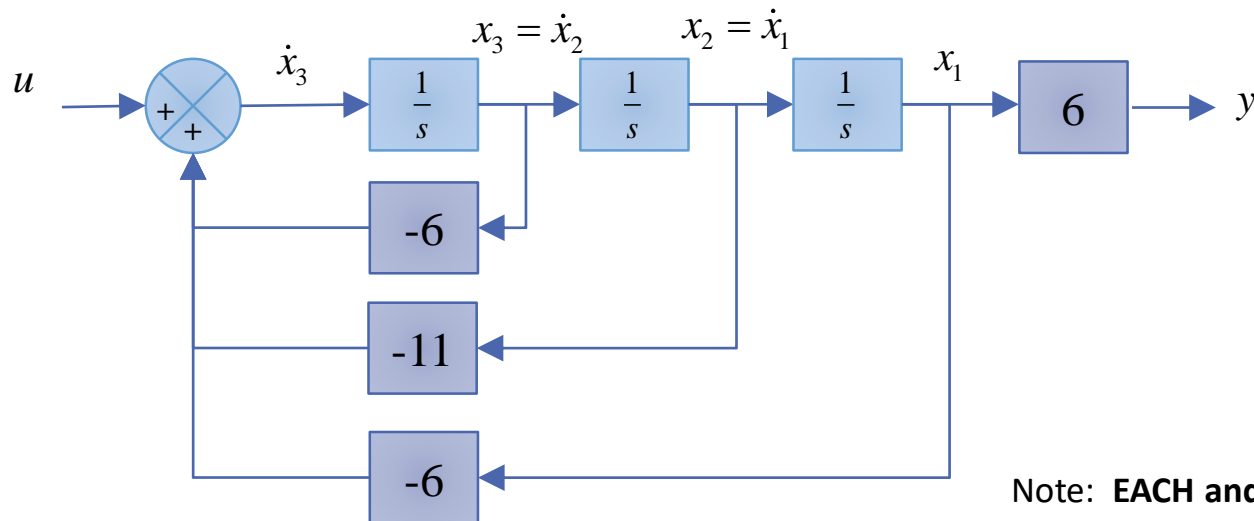
$$a_1 = 6, a_2 = 11, a_3 = 6$$

$$b_0 = 0, b_1 = 0, b_2 = 0, b_3 = 6$$

CCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -6 & -11 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$



Note: **EACH and EVERY** state-variable connected by feedback to the control input

Block Diagrams from Canonical Forms (OCF)

- Realize OCF Block Diagram from $\ddot{y} + 6\ddot{y} + 11\dot{y} + 6y = 6u$

$$\dot{x}_1 = -6x_3 + 6u$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = x_1 - 11x_3$$

$$\dot{x}_3 = x_2 - 6x_3$$

$$y = x_3$$

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{6}{s^3 + 6s^2 + 11s + 6}$$

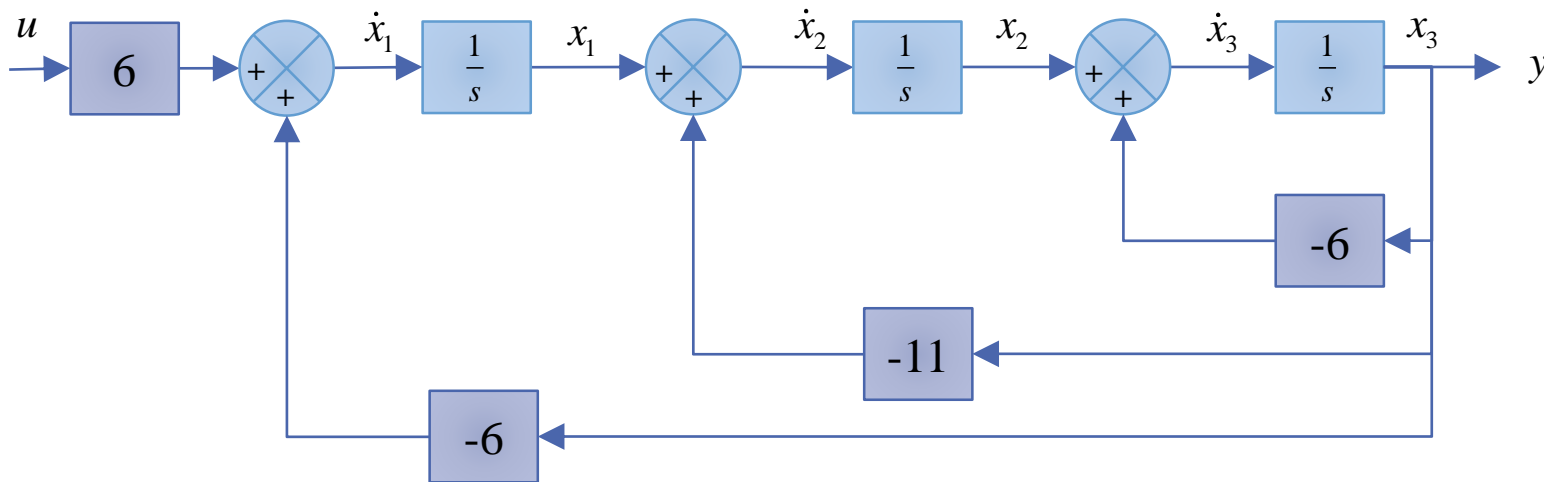
$$a_1 = 6, a_2 = 11, a_3 = 6$$

$$b_0 = 0, b_1 = 0, b_2 = 0, b_3 = 6$$

OCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -6 \\ 1 & 0 & -11 \\ 0 & 1 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$



Note: There is feedback from the output to **EACH and EVERY** state-variable

Block Diagrams from Canonical Forms (DCF)

- Realize DCF Block Diagram from $\ddot{y} + 6\dot{y} + 11y = 6u$

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{6}{s^3 + 6s^2 + 11s + 6} = \frac{6}{(s+1)(s+2)(s+3)} = \frac{3}{s+1} + \frac{-6}{s+2} + \frac{3}{s+3}$$

$$\dot{x}_1 = -1x_1 + u$$

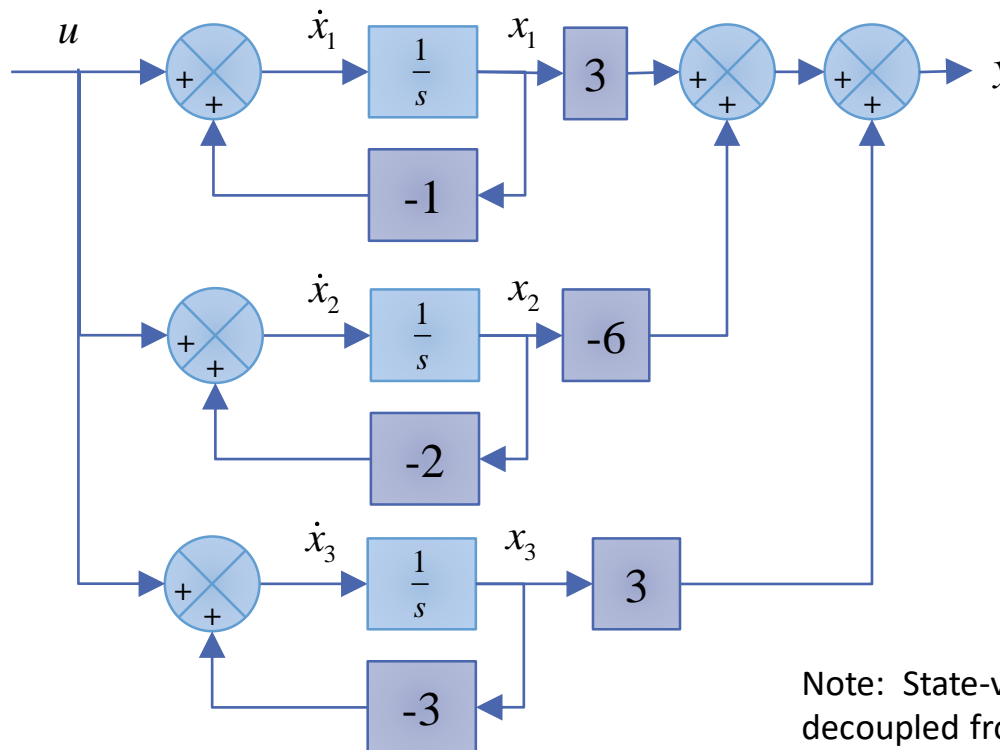
$$\dot{x}_2 = -2x_2 + u$$

$$\dot{x}_3 = -3x_3 + u$$

$$p_1 = 1, p_2 = 2, p_3 = 3$$

$$c_1 = 3, c_2 = -6, c_3 = 3$$

$$y = 3x_1 - 6x_2 + 3x_3$$



DCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: State-variables are completely decoupled from one another

Exercise!

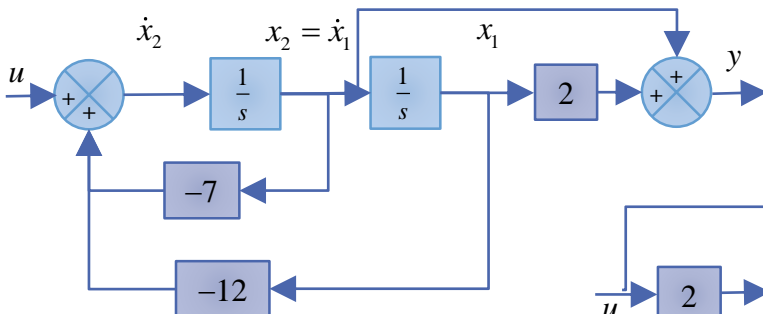
- A thermal system is described by the following transfer function. Express system in CCF, OCF and DCF and construct the associated block diagram.

$$G(s) = \frac{s+2}{s^2+7s+12} = \frac{2}{s+4} + \frac{-1}{s+3}$$

CCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -12 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

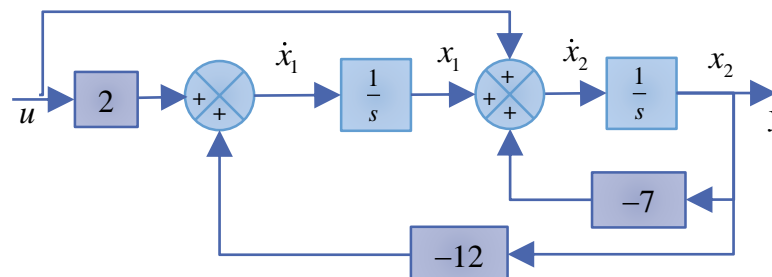
$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



OCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -12 \\ 1 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

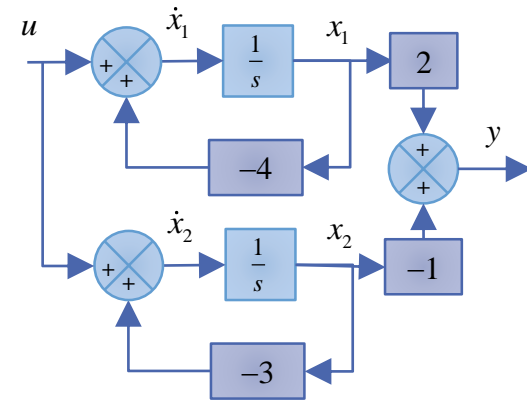
$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



DCF

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



Transforming Between Canonical Forms

- From a differential equation or transfer function you can realize the state-space canonical forms
- Is it possible to calculate desired canonical form from any SS representation without obtaining TF first?
- Consider a system described by an arbitrary state equations (SISO)

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{G}u$$

$$y = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{x} + Ju$$

- We seek a transformation to $\dot{\mathbf{z}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{B}u$

$$y = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{z} + Du$$

such that $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{C}$ and D are in required form for desired canonical form

- Controllable Canonical Form (CCF)
- Observable Canonical Form (OCF)
- Diagonal Canonical Form (DCF)

State Transformation

$$\begin{array}{l} \dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{G}u \\ y = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{x} + Ju \end{array} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \begin{array}{l} \dot{\mathbf{z}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{B}u \\ y = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{z} + Du \end{array}$$

- Consider a linear transformation from \mathbf{x} to \mathbf{z} :

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{T}\mathbf{z}$$

- Substituting: $\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{T}\dot{\mathbf{z}} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{T}\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{G}u$

$$\dot{\mathbf{z}} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}\mathbf{T}\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{G}u = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{B}u \quad y = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{T}\mathbf{z} + Ju = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{z} + Ju$$

- Hence:

$$\begin{array}{l} \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}\mathbf{T} \\ \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{G} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{T} \\ D = J \end{array}$$

- Rewriting:

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{T}^{-1} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}$$

$$\mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{G} = \mathbf{B}$$

- Describe \mathbf{T}^{-1} as matrix with vector rows $\mathbf{t}_1, \dots, \mathbf{t}_n$

$$\mathbf{T}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{t}_1 \\ \mathbf{t}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{t}_{n-1} \\ \mathbf{t}_n \end{bmatrix}$$

State Transformation (to CCF)

- Without loss of generality, a third order case is considered (Goal: to CCF)

$$\boxed{\mathbf{A}\mathbf{T}^{-1} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -a_3 & -a_2 & -a_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{t}_1 \\ \mathbf{t}_2 \\ \mathbf{t}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{F} \\ \mathbf{t}_2\mathbf{F} \\ \mathbf{t}_3\mathbf{F} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{t}_2 = \mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{F}$$

$$\mathbf{t}_3 = \mathbf{t}_2\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{F}^2$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{G} = \mathbf{B}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{G} \\ \mathbf{t}_2\mathbf{G} \\ \mathbf{t}_3\mathbf{G} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{G} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{t}_2\mathbf{G} = \mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{F}\mathbf{G} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{t}_3\mathbf{G} = \mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{F}^2\mathbf{G} = 1$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{T}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{t}_1 \\ \mathbf{t}_2 \\ \mathbf{t}_3 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_{n-1} \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \\ -a_n & -a_{n-1} & -a_{n-2} & \cdots & -a_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{n-1} \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = [b_n - a_nb_0 \mid b_{n-1} - a_{n-1}b_0 \mid \cdots \mid b_1 - a_1b_0] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0u$$

Writing in Matrix Form:

$$\boxed{\mathbf{t}_1 [\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}^2\mathbf{G}] = [0 \quad 0 \quad 1]}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{C}_0 = [\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}^2\mathbf{G}] \quad \text{CONTROLLABILITY MATRIX}}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{t}_1 = [0 \quad 0 \quad 1][\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}^2\mathbf{G}]^{-1}}$$

$$\mathbf{t}_2 = \mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{F} = [0 \quad 0 \quad 1][\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}^2\mathbf{G}]^{-1}\mathbf{F}$$

$$\mathbf{t}_3 = \mathbf{t}_1\mathbf{F}^2 = [0 \quad 0 \quad 1][\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}^2\mathbf{G}]^{-1}\mathbf{F}^2$$

Note: Transformation is only possible if the **CONTROLLABILITY MATRIX** is invertible (non-singular, full rank)

State Transformation (to CCF)

- For a system with n states, converting any SS representation to CCF is as follows:

- From \mathbf{F} & \mathbf{G} , construct the **CONTROLLABILITY MATRIX**

$$\mathbf{C}_o = [\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}\mathbf{G} \quad \dots \quad \mathbf{F}^{n-2}\mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{F}^{n-1}\mathbf{G}]$$

- Compute the first row of the inverse of the transformation matrix

$$\mathbf{t}_1 = [0 \quad 0 \quad \dots \quad 1] \mathbf{C}_o^{-1}$$

- Construct the entire transformation matrix as

$$\mathbf{T}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{t}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{t}_1 \mathbf{F}^{n-2} \\ \mathbf{t}_1 \mathbf{F}^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

- The transformed matrices are: $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}\mathbf{T}$ $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{T}$
 $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{G}$ $D = J$

State Transformation (to OCF)

- Without loss of generality, a third order case is considered (Goal: to OCF)

$$\boxed{\mathbf{TA} = \mathbf{FT}}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{T} = [\mathbf{t}_1 \quad \mathbf{t}_2 \quad \mathbf{t}_3]}$$

$$[\mathbf{t}_1 \quad \mathbf{t}_2 \quad \mathbf{t}_3] \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -a_3 \\ 1 & 0 & -a_2 \\ 0 & 1 & -a_1 \end{bmatrix} = [\mathbf{Ft}_1 \quad \mathbf{Ft}_2 \quad \mathbf{Ft}_3]$$

$$\mathbf{t}_2 = \mathbf{Ft}_1$$

$$\mathbf{t}_3 = \mathbf{Ft}_2 = \mathbf{F}^2\mathbf{t}_1$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{HT}}$$

$$[0 \quad 0 \quad 1] = [\mathbf{Ht}_1 \quad \mathbf{Ht}_2 \quad \mathbf{Ht}_3]$$

$$\mathbf{Ht}_1 = 0$$

$$\mathbf{Ht}_2 = \mathbf{HFt}_1 = 0$$

$$\mathbf{Ht}_3 = \mathbf{HF}^2\mathbf{t}_1 = 1$$

Writing in Matrix Form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H} \\ \mathbf{HF} \\ \mathbf{HF}^2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{t}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$y = [0 \quad 0 \quad \cdots \quad 0 \quad 1] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{n-1} \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0 u$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{O}_B = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H} \\ \mathbf{HF} \\ \mathbf{HF}^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{OBSERVABILITY MATRIX}}$$

$$\mathbf{t}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H} \\ \mathbf{HF} \\ \mathbf{HF}^2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{t}_2 = \mathbf{Ft}_1 = \mathbf{F} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H} \\ \mathbf{HF} \\ \mathbf{HF}^2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{t}_3 = \mathbf{F}^2 \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H} \\ \mathbf{HF} \\ \mathbf{HF}^2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: Transformation is only possible if the OBSERVABILITY MATRIX is invertible (non-singular, full rank)

State Transformation (to OCF)

- For a system with n states, converting any SS representation to OCF is as follows:

- From \mathbf{F} & \mathbf{H} , construct the **OBSERVABILITY MATRIX**

$$\mathbf{O}_B = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{H} \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{H}\mathbf{F}^{n-2} \\ \mathbf{H}\mathbf{F}^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Compute the first column of the transformation matrix

$$\mathbf{t}_1 = \mathbf{O}_B^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Construct the entire transformation matrix as

$$\mathbf{T} = [\mathbf{t}_1 \quad \cdots \quad \mathbf{F}^{n-2}\mathbf{t}_1 \quad \mathbf{F}^{n-1}\mathbf{t}_1]$$

- The transformed matrices are: $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}\mathbf{T}$ $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{T}$
 $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{G}$ $D = J$

State Transformation (to DCF)

- Without loss of generality, a third order case is considered (Goal: to DCF)

$$\boxed{\mathbf{T}\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{T}}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{G} = \mathbf{B}}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{T} = [\mathbf{t}_1 \quad \mathbf{t}_2 \quad \mathbf{t}_3]}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -p_1 & & 0 \\ & -p_2 & \\ & & \ddots \\ 0 & & & -p_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$[\mathbf{t}_1 \quad \mathbf{t}_2 \quad \mathbf{t}_3] \begin{bmatrix} -p_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -p_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -p_3 \end{bmatrix} = [\mathbf{F}\mathbf{t}_1 \quad \mathbf{F}\mathbf{t}_2 \quad \mathbf{F}\mathbf{t}_3]$$

$$-p_1 \mathbf{t}_1 = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{t}_1$$

$$-p_2 \mathbf{t}_2 = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{t}_2$$

$$-p_3 \mathbf{t}_3 = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{t}_3$$

$$y = [c_1 \quad c_2 \quad \cdots \quad c_n] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0 u$$

This is the famous eigenvector/eigenvalue problem

Eigenvalues of \mathbf{F} are the poles of the system: p_1, p_2 and p_3

Eigenvectors of \mathbf{F} are the columns of \mathbf{T} : $\mathbf{t}_1, \mathbf{t}_2$ and \mathbf{t}_3

Magnitude of eigenvectors are chosen such that $\mathbf{B}=[1 \ 1 \ \dots \ 1]^T$

State Transformation (to DCF)

- For a system with n states, converting any SS representation to DCF is as follows:

- From \mathbf{F} , compute the eigenvalues and eigenvectors.

$$\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \dots, \lambda_n \quad v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n$$

- The new state matrix is a diagonal matrix with elements made up of the eigenvalues

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

- Construct the entire transformation matrix as $\mathbf{T} = [\alpha_1 v_1 \quad \dots \quad \alpha_{n-1} v_{n-1} \quad \alpha_n v_n]$

- where the scaling factors are chosen such that \mathbf{B} is composed of all 1's.

- The transformed matrices are: $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{T}^{-1} \mathbf{F} \mathbf{T} \quad \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{H} \mathbf{T}$
 $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{T}^{-1} \mathbf{G} \quad \mathbf{D} = \mathbf{J}$

Exercise

- Find the matrix to transform the following system to DCF.

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -12 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -p_1 & & & 0 \\ & -p_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & -p_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

Goal is to find a Transformation such that \mathbf{A} is diagonal.

Need to find Eigenvalues/Eigenvectors of $\mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -12 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Let's take the eigenvectors to be: $\begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$

Eigenvectors should satisfy: $\mathbf{F}\mathbf{v} = \lambda_1 \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{F}\mathbf{u} = \lambda_2 \mathbf{u}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -7 & -12 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} = \lambda \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{v}: v_1 = -4v_2, \mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} -4v_2 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-7w_1 - 12w_2 = \lambda w_1$$

$$w_1 = \lambda w_2 \quad \mathbf{u}: u_1 = -3u_2, \mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} -3u_2 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow -7\lambda w_2 - 12w_2 = \lambda^2 w_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 + 7\lambda + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda + 4)(\lambda + 3) = 0$$

$$y = [c_1 \ c_2 \ \dots \ c_n] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0 u$$

$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} -4v_2 & -3u_2 \\ v_2 & u_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{T}^{-1} = \frac{1}{-4v_2 u_2 + 3u_2 v_2} \begin{bmatrix} u_2 & 3u_2 \\ -v_2 & -4v_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Need to ensure: $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{T}^{-1} \mathbf{G} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\frac{1}{-4v_2 u_2 + 3u_2 v_2} \begin{bmatrix} u_2 & 3u_2 \\ -v_2 & -4v_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u_2 = 1, v_2 = -1$$

$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{T}^{-1} \mathbf{F} \mathbf{T}$$

Check for \mathbf{A} !

Eigenvalues & Characteristic Equation (c.e.)

- The **A** matrix has a special property whereby the eigenvalues of **A** are the roots of the characteristic equation for the system in absence of input

$$|s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}| = 0$$

- Remember, the roots of the characteristic equations are also the **poles** of the systems.
- The Eigenvalues are also **invariant** (not affected by) to linear transformations applied to **A**

- Consider **T** as an arbitrary linear Transformation Matrix $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}\mathbf{T}$

$$\begin{aligned} |s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}\mathbf{T}| &= |s\mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{T} - \mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{F}\mathbf{T}| \\ &= |\mathbf{T}^{-1}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F})\mathbf{T}| \\ &= |\mathbf{T}^{-1}| |s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}| |\mathbf{T}| = |\mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{T}| |s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}| \\ &= |s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{F}| = |s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}| \end{aligned}$$

Eigenvalues of **A**
are also the
Eigenvalues of **F**