

# SE 380

## Midterm review

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### Lecture 1, 2 — 1 (DB)

- Introduction to control systems
- Open loop vs closed loop, nomenclature, examples, control design cycle

### Lecture 3 — 2, 3 (DB)

- Modeling systems using differential equations
- The concept of state
- State-space representation

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

### Lecture 4 — 2 (DB)

- Linearization
  - Linearizing a nonlinear system

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = f(\bar{x}, \bar{u}) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \bigg|_{\substack{x=\bar{x} \\ u=\bar{u}}} (x - \bar{x}) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \bigg|_{\substack{x=\bar{x} \\ u=\bar{u}}} (u - \bar{u}) + h.o.t. \\ y = h(\bar{x}, \bar{u}) + \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} \bigg|_{\substack{x=\bar{x} \\ u=\bar{u}}} (x - \bar{x}) + \frac{\partial h}{\partial u} \bigg|_{\substack{x=\bar{x} \\ u=\bar{u}}} (u - \bar{u}) + h.o.t. \end{cases}$$

- Definition of the matrices  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$
  - LTI systems
- Equilibrium
  - configuration:  $(\bar{x}, \bar{u})$  s.t.  $f(\bar{x}, \bar{u}) = 0$
  - point:  $\bar{x}$  s.t.  $f(\bar{x}, \bar{u}) = 0$
- Linearization about an equilibrium configuration

### Lecture 5 — 2 (DB)

- Laplace transform (LT)

- LT pairs, properties, and theorems

### Lecture 6 — 2 (DB)

- Transfer functions (TF):  $G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)}$
- Proper/strictly proper/improper TF, order, poles and zeros
- Computation of the output response  $y(t)$  of a system to an input  $u(t)$  using LT and TF

### Lecture 7 — 2 (DB)

- Examples of TFs
- TF of LTI systems

### Lecture 8 — 8 (DB)

- Response of systems to sinusoidal inputs
- ♥ “Fundamental theorem of frequency response”:  $G(s)$  BIBO + no pole/zero cancelations, input signal  $u(t) = U \sin(\omega t)$ . The steady state output signal is

$$y_{ss}(t) = |G(j\omega)|U \sin(\omega t + \angle G(j\omega))$$

### Lecture 9 — 8 (DB)

- TF representation

$$G(s) = \frac{\mu}{s^\rho} \frac{\prod_i (1 + T_i s) \prod_i \left( 1 + \frac{2\xi_i}{\alpha_{n,i}} s + \frac{s^2}{\alpha_{n,i}^2} \right)}{\prod_i (1 + \tau_i s) \prod_i \left( 1 + \frac{2\zeta_i}{\omega_{n,i}} s + \frac{s^2}{\omega_{n,i}^2} \right)}$$

- Bode plots: meaning, interpretation, and usage
- Sketch of asymptotic Bode plots for the following TF
  - Constant
  - Zeros/poles at the origin
  - Real zeros/poles
  - Complex conjugate zeros/poles

### Lecture 10 — 8 (DB)

- Bode plots of low-pass filters

### Lecture 11 — 3, 6 (DB)

- Matrix exponential
- Solution of LTI system
  - Zero-input response:  $x_{zi}(t) = e^{A(t-t_0)}x(t_0)$

- Zero-state response:  $x_{zs}(t) = \int_{t_0}^t e^{A(t-\tau)} B u(\tau) d\tau$
- Complete response:  $x(t) = x_{zi}(t) + x_{zs}(t)$
- Output response:  $y(t) = Cx(t) + Du(t)$
- State transition matrix and its LT:  $e^{At} = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \{ (sI - A)^{-1} \}$
- Stability of LTI systems
  - Stable system:  $\forall x(t_0) \in \mathbb{R}^n, x_{zi}(t) \forall t \geq t_0$  is uniformly bounded
  - Asymptotically stable: stable and  $x_{zi}(t) \xrightarrow{t \rightarrow \infty} 0$  (converges to 0)
  - Exponentially stable: asymptotically stable and  $\exists c, \lambda > 0$  s.t.  $\|x(t)\| \leq ce^{\lambda(t-t_0)} \|x(t_0)\| \forall t \geq t_0$  (converges to 0 exponentially fast)
  - Unstable: not stable

## Lecture 12 — 3, 5, 6 (DB)

- BIBO stable: Every bounded input produces a bounded output ( $\exists c < \infty$  s.t.  $\sup_{t \geq 0} \|y(t)\| \leq c \sup_{t \geq 0} \|u(t)\|$ )
- Characterization of stability
  - Asymptotic stability  $\Leftrightarrow$  All eigenvalues of  $A$  have negative real part
  - BIBO stability  $\Leftrightarrow$  All poles of the TF have negative real part
- Asymptotic stability  $\implies$  BIBO stability (because the poles of a TF are a subset of the eigenvalues of the matrix  $A$ )
- BIBO stability  $\not\Rightarrow$  Asymptotic stability (because of cancellations of poles with non-negative real part)
- Performance metrics
  - Steady-state gain
  - Rise time
  - Peak time
  - Overshoot
  - Settling time

## Lecture 13 — 5 (DB)

- First-order system  $G(s) = \frac{\mu}{1 + \tau s}$ 
  - Performance
    - \* Steady-state gain =  $\mu$
    - \* Rise time  $\approx 2\tau$
    - \* Settling time at 5%  $\approx 3\tau$
    - \* Settling time at 2%  $\approx 4\tau$
    - \* Settling time at 1%  $\approx 5\tau$

- Second-order system  $G(s) = \frac{\mu\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$ 
  - Overdamped, critically damped, underdamped, undamped, unstable
  - Performance (complex poles)
    - \* Steady-state gain =  $\mu$
    - \* % O.S. =  $100e^{\frac{-\zeta\pi}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}}$
    - \* Settling time at  $\epsilon\%$   $\approx -\frac{1}{\zeta\omega_n} \ln 0.01\epsilon$