

## Stability Criteria: Routh-Hurwitz

Hurwitz matrix  $\Rightarrow$  stable

TF:

$$\text{Loop TF: } L(s) = C(s)G(s)$$

$$T(s) = \frac{L(s)}{1+L(s)} \quad R(s) = \frac{G(s)}{1+L(s)}$$

Stability: roots of  $1+L(s) = 0$   
 $\rightarrow$  in OLHP  
open left half plane.

$$1+L(s) = as^2 + \underline{bs} + c \Rightarrow \text{quadratic eqn.}$$

What if

$$1+L(s) = p_0 s^n + \underline{p_1} s^{n-1} + \underline{p_2} s^{n-2} + \dots$$

PID Controller:

$$1+L(s) = m s^3 + \underline{k_d} s^2 + \underline{k_p} s + \underline{k_I} = 0$$

Goal: bounds on gains that maintain stability.

Necessary:  $m > 0$ ,  $k_d > 0$ ,  $k_p > 0$ ,  $k_I > 0$

$$\rightarrow (s+\lambda_1) \dots (s+\lambda_n) = s^n + \bigcirc s^{n-1} \bigcirc - \bigcirc$$

roots negative real parts  $\Rightarrow$  positive coeffs

II

not roots w  
neg. real parts  $\Leftarrow$  if not positive  
coeffs  $\sim q$

(proof by  $\sim p$  contrapositive)

ASIDE:

$\neg, \sim, !$ : "not"

STATEMENT:

$\rightarrow | \text{if } P \text{ then } Q$

$$\boxed{P} \Rightarrow \boxed{Q}$$

INVERSE

$\text{if } \sim P \text{ then } \sim Q$

$$\boxed{\sim P} \Rightarrow \boxed{\sim Q}$$

CONTRAPOSITIVE

$\Leftrightarrow | \text{if } \sim Q \text{ then } \sim P$

$$\boxed{\sim Q} \Rightarrow \boxed{\sim P}$$

CONVERSE

$\text{if } Q \text{ then } P$

$$Q \Rightarrow P$$

[statement:  $Q$  is true if  $P$ .  
 inverse:  $Q$  is true only if  $P$

both:  $Q$  if and only if  $P$  ( $Q$  iff  $P$ )  
 $(Q \Leftrightarrow P)$

iff: necessary & sufficient conditions

$$P \Leftrightarrow Q$$

necessary:

$$P \Leftarrow Q$$

sufficient:

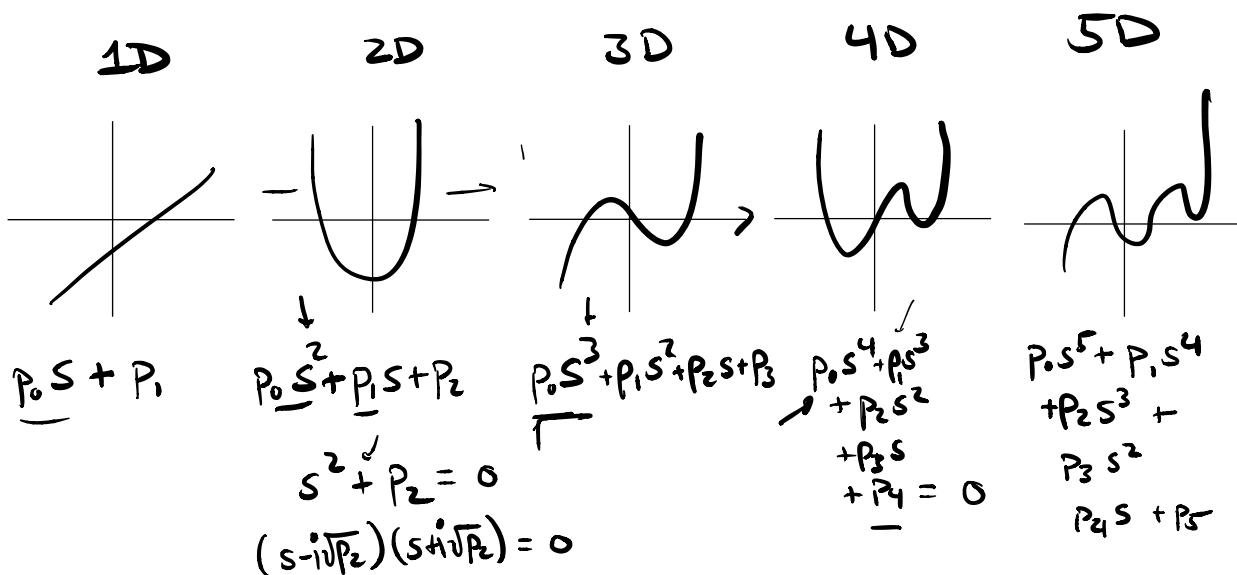
$$P \Rightarrow Q$$

$m > 0, k_d > 0, k_p > 0, k_I > 0$  Not enough  
to guarantee stability

What is enough to guarantee stability  
(sufficient)

## Polynomials

Ex. poly degree ...



Notes:  $n$  deg Poly.

- $n$  degree polynomial :  $n$  roots
- if  $n$  is odd  $\rightarrow$  go off to  $\infty$  in different directions
- if  $n$  is even  $\rightarrow$  " " " same direction

## Odd & Even Functions:

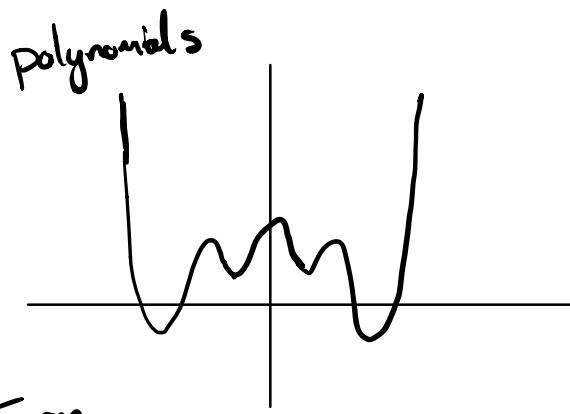
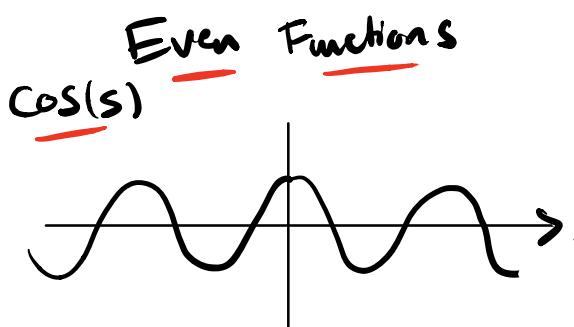
$f(s)$  is even if

$$f(-s) = f(s)$$

$f(s)$  is odd if

$$f(-s) = -f(s)$$

Ex.



Form  $n = \text{even}$

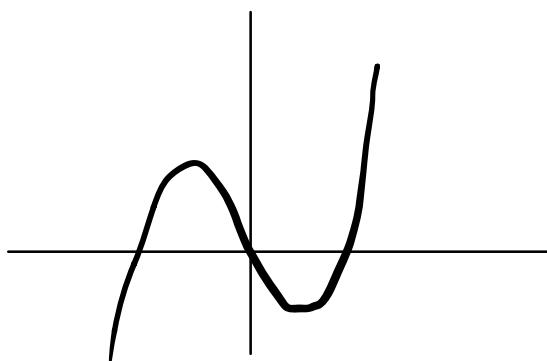
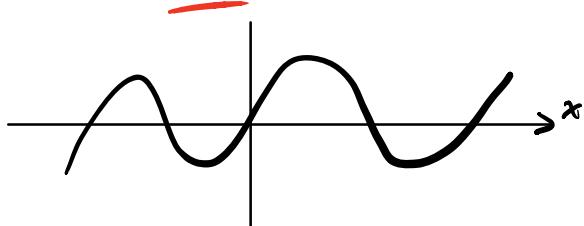
$$\underbrace{P_0 s^n + P_2 s^{n-2} + \dots}_{\text{even powers of } s \text{ only}}$$

even powers of  
s only

sign doesn't matter

Odd functions

$\sin(s)$



$n = \text{odd}$

$$\underbrace{P_0 s^{n+1} + P_2 s^{n-1} + P_4 s^{n-3} + \dots}_{\text{odd powers of } s \text{ only}}$$

odd powers of  
s only

sign does matter

## Routh - Hurwitz: (PROCEDURE)

Ex.  $2s^5 + 8s^4 + 4s^3 + 10s^2 + 6s + 12 = 0$

Table:

	$s^5$	$s^4$	$s^3$	$s^2$	$s^1$	$s^0$
$s^5$	2	4	6	0		$\Leftarrow$ odd terms
$s^4$	8	10	12	0		$\Leftarrow$ even terms
$s^3$	$8(4) - 2(10)$	$8(6) - 2(10)$	0			
$s^2$	$1.5(8) - 8(3)$	$1.5(12) - 0(8)$	0			
$s^1$	-6	12	0			
$s^0$	$6(12) - (-6)(0)$	0	1			

↑ look at first column.

$s^5$	2	how many sign changes are there in the first column?
$s^4$	8	
$s^3$	1.5	1st sign change
$s^2$	-6	2nd sign change
$s^1$	6	
$s^0$	12	

# of sign changes is the # of roots w/ positive real parts.

is this polynomial stable?  $\Rightarrow \boxed{\text{No}}$

In Matlab:

`>> roots ([2 8 4 10 6 12])`

roots -3.79

$$\begin{array}{l} \boxed{0.52} \pm i(1.01) \\ -0.62 \pm i(0.91) \end{array}$$

$\rightarrow$  vector repres.  
of polynomial

complex eigenvalues  
in conjugates  
pairs  
( polynomials w/  
real coeffs )

PID Controller:

$$m s^3 + k_d s^2 + k_p s + K_I = 0$$

Table:

$s^3$	$m$	$k_p$	0
$s^2$	$k_d$	$k_I$	0
$s^1$	$\frac{k_p k_d - m k_I}{k_d}$	0	Now
$s^0$	$k_I$		$m > 0, k_d > 0, k_I > 0$

Before:

$$m > 0, k_d > 0,$$

$$k_p > 0, k_I > 0$$

$$m > 0, \underline{k_d} > 0, k_I > 0$$

$$\frac{k_p k_d - m k_I}{k_d} > 0$$

clearly:  $k_p$  must be  $> 0$

also need:  $k_p k_d > m k_I$

PID Control:

$$m > 0 \quad k_d > 0$$

$$k_p > 0 \quad k_I > 0$$

$$k_p k_d > m k_I$$

prop. derivative mass integral

### Intuition

- large mass  $\rightarrow$  requires large  $k_p$  and/or  $k_d$
- large  $k_I$  gain on accumulated error  $\rightarrow$  destabilize system if  $k_p$  &  $k_d$  aren't big enough
- lowering  $k_p$  or  $k_d$  "too much"  $\rightarrow$  destabilize...
- etc.

$$\text{Ex: } s^3 + 2s^2 + s + 2 = 0$$

Table

$s^3$	1	1	
$s^2$	2	2	
$s^1$	$\frac{2-2}{\epsilon}$	$\boxed{0}$	
$s^0$	$2(\epsilon) - 2(0)$		

if 0 in the 1st col...  
add  $\epsilon > 0$

$s^3$	1	1	$\Rightarrow$ no sign change in 1st column
$s^2$	2	2	
$s^1$	$\boxed{\epsilon > 0}$	0	if zero in 1st col $\Rightarrow$ root w/ zero real part.
$s^0$	2	<u>zero</u>	on imag axis

Roots:

$$-2, \pm i$$

(only marginally stable)