

University of Ottawa Faculty of Engineering Department of Mechanical Engineering

ELG7113/MCG5470: Machine Learning for Adaptive and Intelligent Control Systems Assignment 2

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Policy

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Problem 1

Consider a system with transfer function $G(s) = G_1(s)G_2(s)$, where $G_1(s) = \frac{b}{s+a}$ and $G_2(s) = \frac{c}{s+d}$. The true values of parameters are a = 1, b = 1, c = 2, d = 1/2. Consider a and b to be known, and c and d to be unknown.

- 1. (20pt) Use the Minimum Degree Pole Placement (MDPP) algorithm to design a continuous time linear controller, for which the design specifications state that the closed-loop poles should correspond to the characteristic polynomial $A_m(s) = s^2 + 2s + 1$. Obtain the Diophantine equation and solve for the control parameters.
- 2. (20pt) Design a minimal order continuous time indirect self-tuning regulator. Clearly indicate the measurement mode. To avoid differentiation, use the filter $H_f(s) = \frac{1}{A_{res}(s)}$.
- 3. (20pt) Simulate the system driven by the reference signal

$$u_c(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \sin\frac{2\pi t}{40} \ge 0\\ 0 & \sin\frac{2\pi t}{40} < 0 \end{cases} \tag{1}$$

and plot (1) the control action u and (2) the output y along with the reference u_c for $0 \le t \le 100$. Also plot the estimators \hat{c} and \hat{d} along with the true values.

Problem 2

The system in problem 1 is sampled with period T=2.

1. (5pt bonus) Obtain the analytical expression for the pulse transfer function H(q) in terms of T and the continuous process parameters. Show that by assigning the parameters, the pulse transfer function is

$$H(q) = \frac{1.59831q + 0.587984}{q^2 - 0.503215q + 0.0497871}$$
(2)

- 2. (20pt) Use the Minimum Degree Pole Placement (MDPP) algorithm to design a discrete time linear controller with the same polynomial $A_m(s)$ as in Problem 1. Consider the design procedure in which all process zeros are canceled (check that this is possible).
- 3. (20pt) Design a minimal order discrete time indirect self-tuning regulator. Estimate all parameters in the pulse transfer function.
- 4. (20pt) Simulate the system driven by the same reference signal as in Problem 1. Plot (1) the control action u and (2) the output y along with the reference u_c for $0 \le t \le 100$. Also plot the estimators along with the true values.
- 5. (20pt) Modify the controller by adding an integral action to compensate for the step disturbance

$$v(t) = \begin{cases} 0.25 & t \ge 35\\ 0 & t < 35 \end{cases} \tag{3}$$

6. (10pt) Plot the uncompensated and the compensated output errors $y - u_c$ for $0 \le t \le 100$.

Problem 3

Consider the same system as in Problem 2.

- 1. (20pt) Design a minimal order discrete time direct self-tuning regulator. Re-parametrize the system to express the discrete time dynamics in terms of control parameters, and use the minimum phase design procedure.
- 2. (20pt) Simulate the system driven by the same reference signal as in Problem 1. Plot (1) the control action u and (2) the output y along with the reference u_c for $0 \le t \le 100$. Also plot the estimators along with the true values.