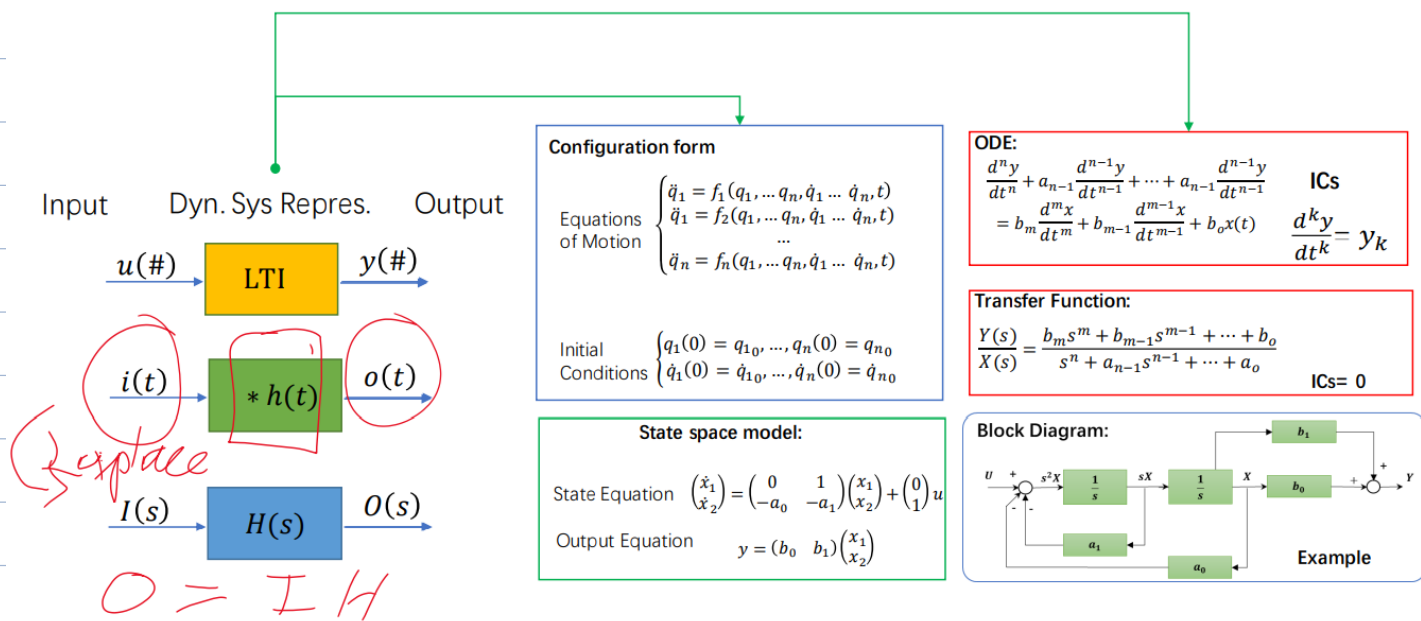


# System Representation



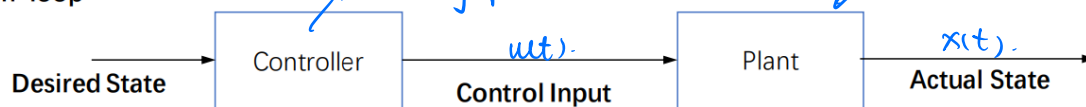
## Control Systems:

- achieve target output.
- generate inputs
- in a dynamic environment.
- specified performance criteria

## Benefits:

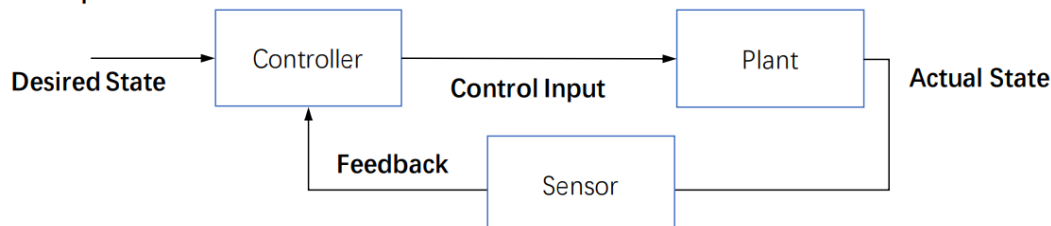
- Power Amplification
- Motion Scaling
- Remote Operation
- Ease of Input
- Compensation of Disturbance

### Open-loop



Through preestablished model, generate the command that will achieve the desired state.

### Closed-loop

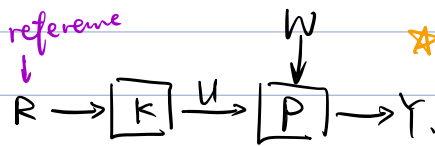


Through sensors, we are able to **feedback** the measurement to produce the command that will minimize the error between desired and actual targeted profile.

*Handwritten:* reliability & accuracy.

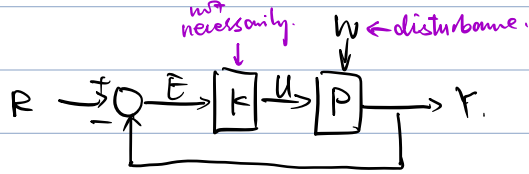
## Architectures.

open:



$$H_{\text{ol}} = \frac{Y}{R} = KP \leftarrow \text{does not introduce new poles.}$$

closed:



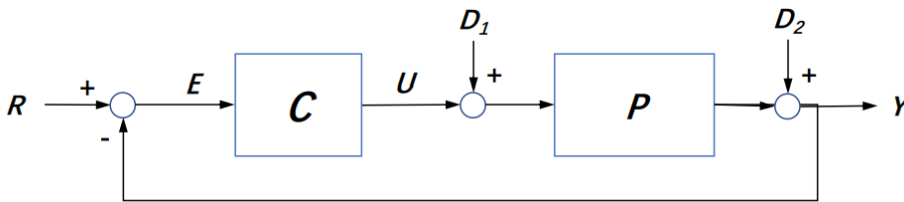
may destabilise; only way to stabilise an unstable plant.

$$H_{\text{cl}} = \frac{Y}{R} = \frac{KP}{1+KP}$$

may introduce new poles.

Benefit of feedback control:

1. reduces steady-state error to disturbances.
2. reduces steady-state sensitivity to model uncertainty (parameter variations)
3. improve time response.



Systems  
C: Controller  
P: Plant

R: Reference  
E: Error

Variables  
U: Input  
Y: Output

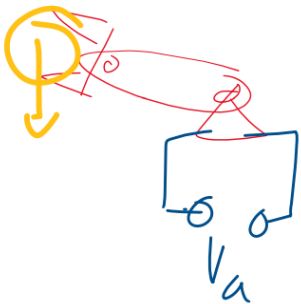
D1: Disturbance 1  
D2: Disturbance 2

$$\begin{cases} Y = D_2 + P(U + D_1) \\ U = CE \\ E = R - Y \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y = D_2 + PCR - PCR + PD_1 = \frac{PC}{1+PC} R + \frac{P}{1+PC} D_1 + \frac{1}{1+PC} D_2$$

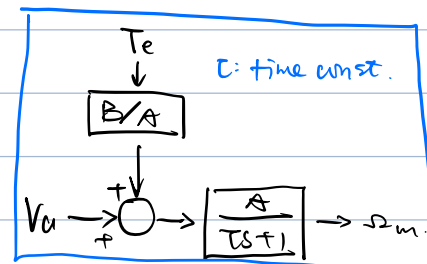
$$\text{CJ: } Y \rightarrow \frac{PC}{1+PC} R = R$$

## DC Motor.



$V_a$ : input voltage.

$T_e$ : load/disturbance torque.



Output:  $\Omega_m \rightarrow$  angular speed of the motor.

Transfer function:  $\Omega_m = \frac{A}{Ts+1} V_a + \frac{B}{Ts+1} T_e$  system gain.

## Disturbance Rejection:

Goal: maintain  $\omega_m = \omega_{ref}$  in steady-state in the presence of constant disturbance.

Open:

$$\Omega_m = \frac{A}{\tau s + 1} V_a = \frac{K_{ol} A}{\tau s + 1} \Omega_{ref}$$

Want DC gain = 1  $\rightarrow$  set  $K_{ol} = \frac{1}{A}$ .

$$t \rightarrow \infty: \Omega_m(\infty) = \frac{1}{A} A \omega_{ref} = \omega_{ref} \quad (T_e = 0)$$

$$\text{For } T_e \neq 0: \Omega_m = \frac{A}{\tau s + 1} \cdot \frac{1}{A} \Omega_{ref} + \frac{B}{\tau s + 1} T_e$$

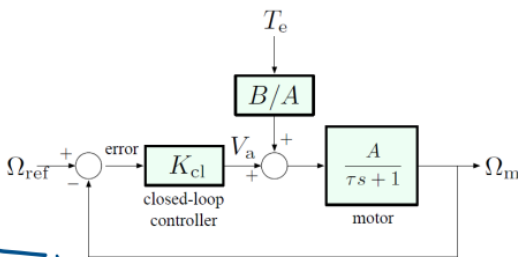
DC gain = B.

poor disturbance rejection.  
No control over B.

$$\Rightarrow \Omega_m(\infty) = \underbrace{\omega_{ref}}_{\text{step input}} + \underbrace{\frac{B T_e}{\tau s + 1}}_{\text{step input}} \leftarrow \text{steady-state}$$

good reference-tracking

Closed:



$$V_a = K_{cl} E = K_{cl} (\Omega_{ref} - \Omega_m)$$

$$\Omega_m = \frac{A}{\tau s + 1} K_{cl} (\Omega_{ref} - \Omega_m) + \frac{B}{\tau s + 1} T_e$$

$$\Rightarrow \Omega_m = \frac{A K_{cl}}{\tau s + 1 + A K_{cl}} \Omega_{ref} + \frac{B}{\tau s + 1 + A K_{cl}} T_e$$

DC gain:  $\frac{A K_{cl}}{1 + A K_{cl}}$

DC gain:  $\frac{B}{1 + A K_{cl}}$

$$\Omega_m = \frac{A K_{cl}}{1 + A K_{cl}} \omega_{ref} + \frac{B}{1 + A K_{cl}} T_e \quad \leftarrow \text{small } (\rightarrow 0) \text{ for large } K_{cl} \text{ better disturbance rejection.}$$

$\uparrow$  as  $K_{cl} \rightarrow \infty: \frac{A K_{cl}}{1 + A K_{cl}} \approx 1$

good with high gain (worse than OL).

## Sensitivity

Open-loop:

$$T_{ol} = K_{ol} A = \frac{1}{A} A = 1$$

$$\text{As } A \rightarrow A + \delta A, T_{ol} \rightarrow K_{ol} (A + \delta A) = \frac{1}{A} (A + \delta A) = 1 + \frac{\delta A}{A}$$

design choice

$T_{ol} \approx 1 + \frac{\delta A}{A}$

Sensitivity:  $S_{T_u} = \frac{\delta T_u / T_u}{\delta A / A} = \frac{\delta T / T}{\delta A / A} = 1$ .

i.e. 1% error in A causes a 1% error in  $T_u$ .

Closed-loop: Nominal:  $T_u = \frac{AK_u}{1+AK_u}$ .

Perturbed:  $A \rightarrow A + \delta A$ ,  $T_u \rightarrow T_u + \delta T_u$ .

By Taylor Expansion:  $T(A + \delta A) = T(A) + \frac{dT}{dA}(A) \delta A + \dots$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dT_u}{dA} = \frac{K_u}{1+AK_u} - \frac{AK_u^2}{(1+AK_u)^2} = \frac{K_u}{(1+AK_u)^2}$$

$$\delta T_u = \frac{K_u}{(1+AK_u)^2} \delta A$$

$$\Rightarrow T_u = \frac{AK_u}{1+AK_u}$$

Therefore  $\frac{\delta T_u}{T_u} = \frac{\frac{K_u}{(1+AK_u)^2} \delta A}{\frac{AK_u}{1+AK_u}} = \frac{1}{1+AK_u} \frac{\delta A}{A}$

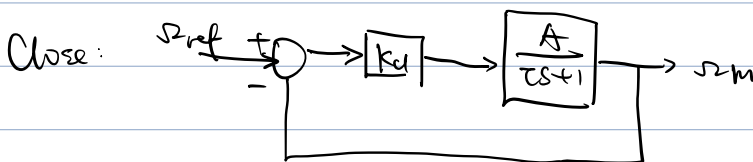
$$\Rightarrow S_d = \frac{\delta T_u / T_u}{\delta A / A} = \frac{1}{1+AK_u} \quad (\ll 1 \text{ for large } K_u)$$

Time Response.

Open:  $\Omega_m = \frac{AK_u}{\tau s + 1} \Omega_{ref}$  (poles at  $s = -\frac{1}{\tau} \Rightarrow$  transient response:  $e^{-t/\tau}$ ).

$\tau$ : time it takes the system response to decay to  $\frac{1}{e}$  of the starting value.

★  $\tau \uparrow$ , faster convergence to steady-state.  
 $\uparrow$   
 not affected by  $K_u$ .



$$\Omega_m = \frac{AK_u}{\tau s + 1 + AK_u} \Omega_{ref}$$

(pole:  $-\frac{1}{\tau}(1+AK_u)$ )

Transient Response:  $e^{-\frac{1+AK_u}{\tau} t}$ ,

Time constant:  $\frac{\tau}{1+AK_u}$ .