

Ex 1.1

A 6
B 1
C 9
D 2
E 13
F 4
G 12
H 11
I 8
J 5
L 7
M 10
K 3

Ex 1.2

Plane

Controller e) CPU
Actuators c) Flaps...
Process a) Plane
Disturbance f) Crosswind
Sensors d) Pilot tubes...
Reference input b) Yoke

Chemical plant

Controller b) PID
Controller e) DCS
Process/plant d) Water tank
Disturbance a) Leakage
State variable f) Temperature
Actuators c) Valves

Human body

Actuators d) Muscles
Process/plant e) Human body
Controller a) Gland
Sensors b) Eyes
Controller and CPU f) Brain
State variable measurement c) Blood sugar

Simulating first-order systems

Using Python with `scipy.signal`

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In [1]: %matplotlib inline
import numpy
import scipy
import scipy.signal
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import pandas
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In [2]: def firstorder_simulate(A, B, initial=0.0, times=None):
        C = 1.0; D = 0.0 # unused, required by scipy.StateSpace
        system = scipy.signal.StateSpace(A, B, C, D)
        tt, YY = scipy.signal.step(system, initial, T=times)
        return tt, YY
```

Ex 2: Autonomous Underwater Vehicle

(a)

Derive the equations of motion from the forces that act on the AUV horizon-tally (by using Newton's second law). Use the velocity v as a state variable.

$$\begin{aligned}
 ma &= \sum F \\
 ma &= u + r \\
 ma &= u - kv \\
 a &= \frac{u}{m} - \frac{k}{m}v \\
 \dot{t} &= \frac{u}{m} - \frac{k}{m}v
 \end{aligned}$$

What is the input in this model?

The input is the force u .

What is the model order?

This is a first-order model.

(b)

Derive the explicit solution to the differential equation that you found in (a). For now you can assume that u is a constant.

$\dot{t} = \frac{u}{m} - \frac{k}{m}v$ is on form $\dot{x} = ax + bu$ with $a = \frac{-k}{m}$ and $b = \frac{1}{m}$ and $x = v$

so we have solution $x(t) = x_0 e^{at} + \frac{b}{a}(e^{at} - 1)$

(c)

Find an expression for the time constant in the system.

$$\dot{x} = ax + bu$$
$$T = -\frac{1}{a}$$
$$T = \frac{m}{k}$$

What does the time constant in a dynamical system describe?

How long it takes for the state to reach 63% of its stationary value

What happens with the time constant if we increase k ?

The time constant decreases proportionally when increasing k

What happens with the time constant if we increase the mass of the AUV?

The time constant increases proportionally when increasing mass m

(d)

You can now assume that u is the input. This means that the general differential equation is in the form. $\dot{x} = ax + bu$. The solution is, however, the same as you found in (b) Find an expression for the gain of the system.

Generally we have

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= ax + bu \\ 0 &= ax + bu \\ -ax &= bu \\ -aKu &= bu \\ K &= \frac{b}{-a}\end{aligned}$$

Gain means there exists a K such that $x=Ku$
Divide by $-au$

Solving for our AUV system

$$\begin{aligned}K &= \frac{b}{-a} \\ K &= \frac{\frac{1}{m}}{-\frac{-k}{m}} \\ K &= \frac{1}{k}\end{aligned}$$

What happens with the gain as we increase k ?

When increasing k the gain K will decrease proportionally

(e)

From now on, assume that $m = 200\text{kg}$ and $k = 100\text{kg/s}$. Calculate the time constant and the gain.

$$T = m/k = 200/100 = 2\text{seconds}$$

$$K = 1/k = 1/100 = 0.01$$

Explain what this means.

This means the stationary speed v_s will be $0.01 * u$ and take 2 seconds to reach 63% of v_s

2.f

We will assume that $u = 500\text{N}$ is constant. Consider an initial velocity 0m/s .

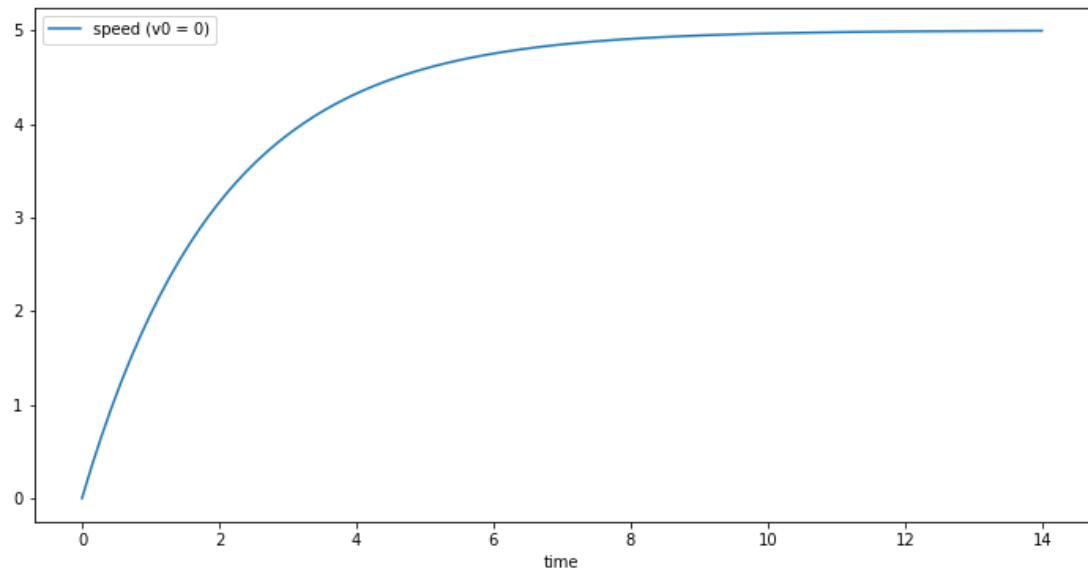
Sketch the velocity v from $t = 0\text{s}$ to $t = 15\text{s}$ either by hand or using computer aid (calculator/Matlab)

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In [3]: def uav_horizontal(m, k, u):
        A = -k/m
        B = (1/m)*u
        return A, B

        system = uav_horizontal(m=200.0, k=100.0, u=500)
        t, V = firstorder_simulate(*system, initial=0.0)

        df = pandas.DataFrame({'time': t, 'speed (v0 = 0)': V})
        df.plot(x='time', figsize=(12,6))
```

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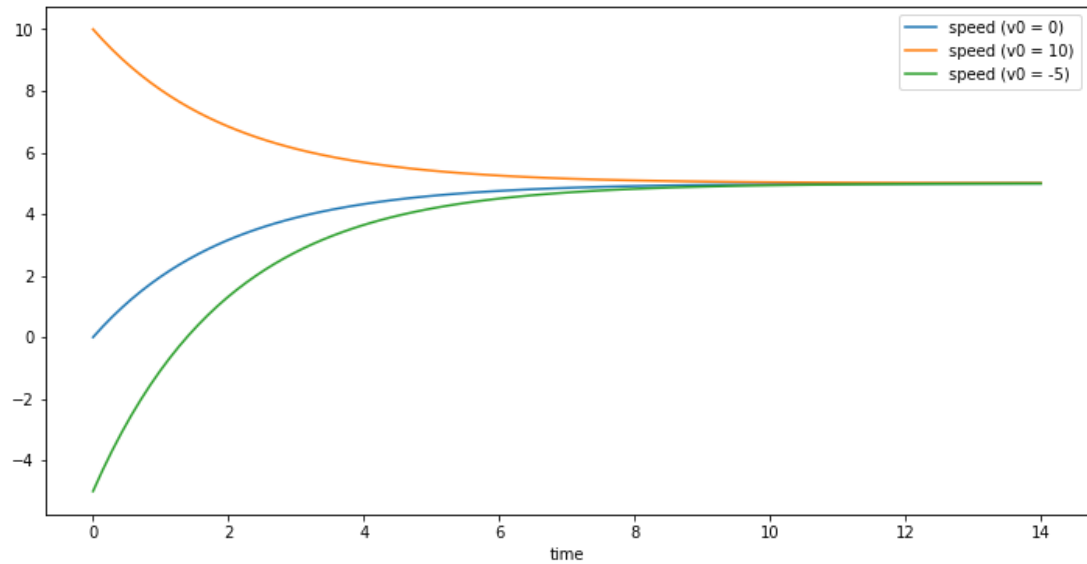
The plot confirms a T of 2 seconds, and reaching speed of $500 \cdot 1/100 = 5$ m/s

(g)

Sketch the same response when $v_0 = 10$ m/s and $v_0 = -5$ m/s.

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In [4]: df['speed (v0 = 10)'] = firstorder_simulate(*system, initial=10.0, times=t)[1]
df['speed (v0 = -5)'] = firstorder_simulate(*system, initial=-5.0, times=t)[1]
df.plot(x='time', figsize=(12,6))
```

Out[4]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7fd30c7577f0>



How are the stationary values in a first order system affected by the initial values?

No matter what the initial values are the system reaches the same stable velocity, 5 m/s

(h)

Consider an AUV holding a constant velocity of 3m/s. Find the required input u by: (i) using the system gain; (ii) assuming that the derivative part in item (a) is zero.

The input is $u = vs/K = 3/(1/100) = 300N$

(i)

Fig. 4 shows the response of two different AUVs with the same input. Point out a few relevant differences between the two AUVs. Consider in particular the differences in gain and time constant, and explain with your own words what these differences mean.

AUV1 has a time constant T of approx 4 seconds, and stationary v_s value of 1.5 m/s. AUV2 has $T=0.75s$ and $v_s=0.75$ m/s. AUV2 must have a lower mass than AUV1 to get a lower time constant (with same input). AUV2 must also have a higher drag coefficient k since it is not able to reach as high speed.

2.(j)

Assume once again that $m = 200\text{kg}$, $k = 100\text{kg/s}$, and $v_0 = 0\text{m/s}$

Sketch the velocity of the AUV from $t = 0\text{s}$ to $t = 15\text{s}$ with $u = 200\text{N}$.

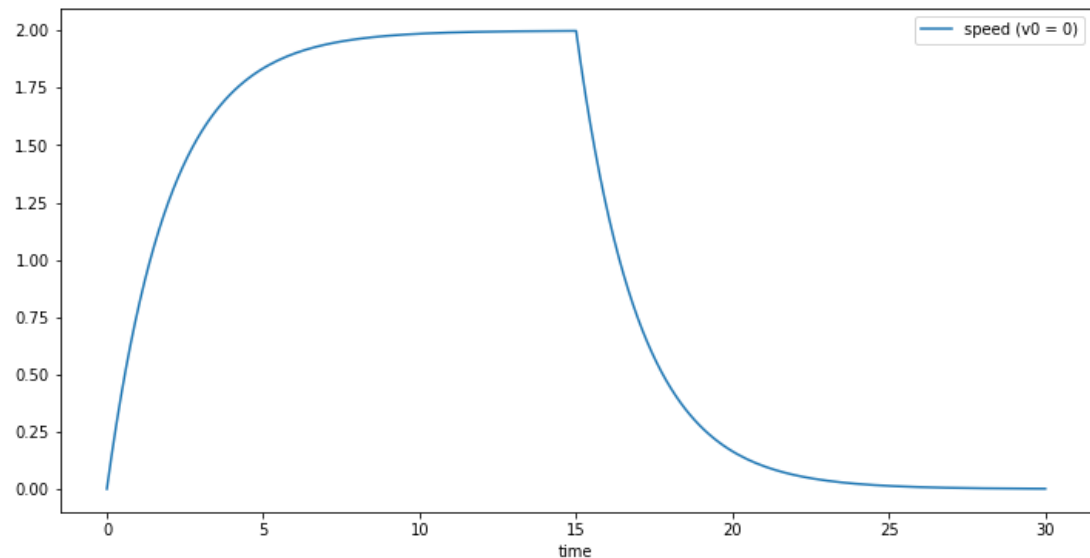
Then, at $t = 15\text{s}$, set $u = 0\text{N}$ and sketch the velocity from $t = 15\text{s}$ to $t = 30\text{s}$. (remember to use the correct initial value at $t = 15\text{s}$).

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In [5]: system1 = uav_horizontal(m=200.0, k=100.0, u=200)
        t_0_15 = numpy.linspace(0, 15, 100)

        # simulate each section of time/parameters separately
        t1, V1 = firstorder_simulate(*system1, 0.0, t_0_15)
        system2 = uav_horizontal(m=200.0, k=100.0, u=0.0)
        t2, V2 = firstorder_simulate(*system2, V1[-1], t_0_15)
        # combine into one stream
        V = numpy.concatenate([V1, V2])
        t = numpy.concatenate([t1, t2+t1[-1]])

        df = pandas.DataFrame({'time': t, 'speed (v0 = 0)': V})
        df.plot(x='time', figsize=(12,6))
```

Out[5]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7fd30a4ebc18>



Do you recall the figure from a common system found in electric circuits? Which one?

This is the charge and discharge curve of a RC circuit

What physical property does the mass of the AUV correspond to in the electric circuit?

The mass corresponds to the capacitance C

What does the input correspond to?

The input corresponds to the input voltage V_{in}

Ex 3. Heating plate

The heating plate is modeled as $\dot{T} = -k/cT + 1/c(P + kT_{room})$

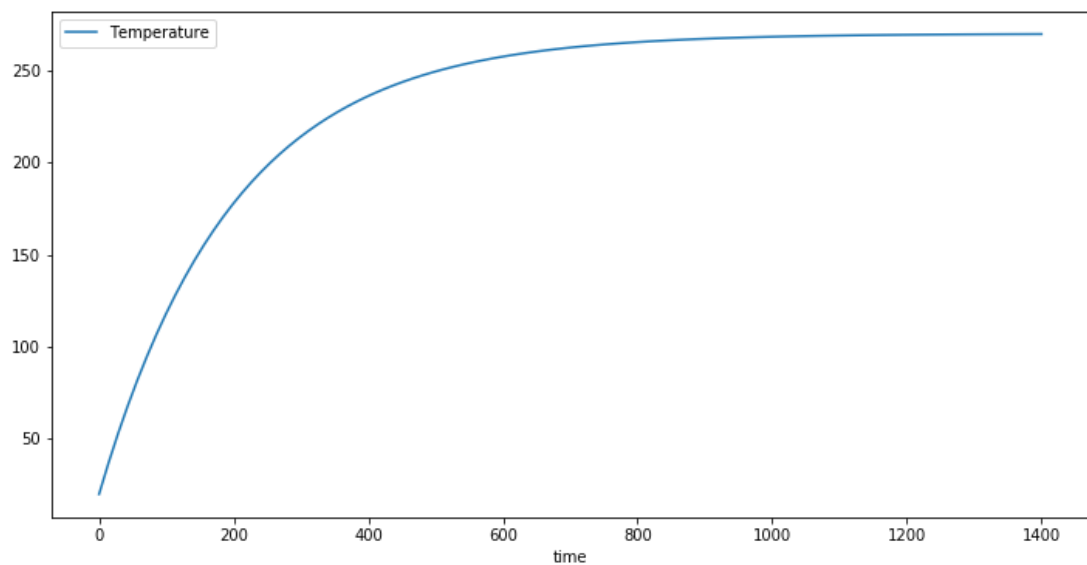
Can be written on standard form $\dot{T} = ax + b$ with $a = -k/c$, $b = 1/c(P + kT_{room})$ and $x = T$

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In [6]: def cooking_plate(P, k, c, T_room):
        A = -k/c
        B = 1/c*(P+k*T_room)
        return A, B

        system = cooking_plate(P=500, k=2.0, c=400, T_room=20)
        t, T = firstorder_simulate(*system, initial=20.0)

        df = pandas.DataFrame({'time': t, 'Temperature': T})
        df.plot(x='time', figsize=(12,6))
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Out[6]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7fd30a5075f8>



How model would be made in Simulink

