MAE 275 - Homework 2

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1 Problem 1

We can define the longitudinal and lateral linearized aircraft equations of motion. The longitudinal equations can be expressed as

$$\Delta \dot{u} = X_u \Delta u + X_w \Delta w - g \cos \theta_0 \Delta \theta + \sum_{i=1}^n X_{\delta_i} \Delta \delta_i$$

$$\Delta \dot{w} = \frac{Z_u}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \Delta u + \frac{Z_w}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \Delta w + \frac{Z_q + u_0}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \Delta q - \frac{g \sin \theta_0}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \Delta \theta + \frac{1}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \sum_{i=1}^n Z_{\delta_i} \Delta \delta_i$$

$$\Delta \dot{q} = \left[M_u + \frac{M_{\dot{w}} Z_u}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \Delta u \right] + \left[M_w + \frac{M_{\dot{w}} Z_w}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \Delta w \right] + \left[M_q + \frac{M_{\dot{w}} (Z_q + u_0)}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \Delta q \right]$$

$$- \left[\frac{M_{\dot{w}} g \sin \theta_0}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \Delta \theta \right] + \frac{M_{\dot{w}}}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} \sum_{i=1}^n Z_{\delta_i} \Delta \delta_i + \sum_{i=1}^n M_{\delta_i} \Delta \delta_i$$

$$\Delta \dot{\theta} = \Delta q$$

$$\Delta \dot{h} = -\Delta w + u_0 \Delta \theta$$

or in state space form, with state variables $\Delta u, \Delta w, \Delta q, \Delta \theta, \Delta h$, as

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} X_u & X_w & 0 & -g\cos(\theta_0) & 0\\ \frac{Z_u}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} & \frac{Z_w}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} & \frac{Z_q + u_0}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} & \frac{g\sin\theta_0}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} & 0\\ M_u + \frac{M_{\dot{w}}Z_u}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} & M_w + \frac{M_{\dot{w}}Z_w}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} & M_q + \frac{M_{\dot{w}}(Z_q + u_0)}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} & -\frac{M_{\dot{w}}g\sin\theta_0}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}} & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0\\ 0 & -1 & 0 & u_0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Plugging in the data for the F-89 aircraft (Flight Condition 8901) on pages A3-A5 in the Appendix of Aircraft Dynamics and Automatic Control yields

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -9.7000e - 03 & +1.6000e - 03 & 0 & -3.2200e + 01 & 0 \\ -9.5500e - 02 & -1.4300e + 00 & +6.6000e + 02 & 0 & 0 \\ +1.2415e - 04 & -2.1641e - 02 & -2.7780e + 00 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & +1.0000e + 00 & 0 & +6.6000e + 02 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The lateral equations can be expressed as

$$\Delta \dot{v} = Y_v \Delta v + Y_p \Delta p + [Y_r - u_0] \Delta r + g \cos \theta_0 \Delta \varphi + \sum_{i=1}^n Y_{\delta_i} \Delta \delta_i$$

$$\Delta \dot{p} = L'_v \Delta v + L'_p \Delta p + L'_r \Delta r + \sum_{i=1}^n L'_{\delta_i} \Delta \delta_i$$

$$\Delta \dot{r} = N'_v \Delta v + N'_p \Delta p + N'_r \Delta r + \sum_{i=1}^n N'_{\delta_i} \Delta \delta_i$$

$$\Delta \dot{\varphi} = \Delta p + r \tan \theta_0 \Delta r$$

$$\Delta \dot{\psi} = r \sec \theta_0 \Delta r$$

$$(2)$$

or in state space form, with state variables $\Delta v, \Delta p, \Delta r, \Delta \varphi, \Delta \psi$, as

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} Y_v & Y_p & [Y_r - u_0] & g\cos\theta_0 & 0 \\ L'_v & L'_p & L'_r & 0 & 0 \\ N'_v & N'_p & N'_r & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \tan\theta_0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sec\theta_0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Plugging in the appropriate data

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -8.2900e - 02 & 0 & -6.6000e + 02 & +3.2200e + 01 & 0 \\ -6.8939e - 03 & -1.7000e + 00 & +1.7200e - 01 & 0 & 0 \\ +5.1212e - 03 & -6.5400e - 02 & -8.9300e - 02 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & +1.0000e + 00 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & +1.0000e + 00 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

2 Problem 2

2.1 Longitudinal

The following MATLAB command is called to identify the characteristic roots and eigenvector elements

```
1 [v, d] = eig(A);
```

resulting in two complex pairs

$$d_1 = X \pm iY$$
$$d_2 = X \pm iY$$

and their associated eigenvectors

$$v_1 = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]$$

 $v_2 = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]$

Before exciting these modes, the rest of the state space system must be defined. The longitudinal A matrix from above is used, along with B, C, and D matrices defined as

finally, the initial state can be defined and the initial command can be run by

```
1 i1 = real(v(:,1));
2 initial(A, B, C, D, i1, 5)
```

and results in the following figures

2.2 Lateral

The lateral eigenvalues are identified as

$$d_1 = X \pm iY$$

$$\dots$$

$$d_n = X \pm iY$$

and their associated eigenvectors

$$v_1 = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]$$
...
 $v_n = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]$

Before exciting these modes, the rest of the state space system must be defined. The lateral A matrix from above is used, along with B, C, and D matrices defined as

Exciting each of these modes with the appropriate eigenvector results in

3 Problem 3

3.1 Longitudinal

A control input to the elevators, $\Delta \delta_e$ can be found by solving Equation 1, resulting in a B matrix,

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{X_{\delta_e}}{Z_{\delta_e}} \\ \frac{1 - Z_{\dot{w}}}{1 - Z_{\dot{w}} + M_{\delta_e}} \\ 1 - Z_{\dot{w}} + M_{\delta_e} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

After defining the C and D matrices, we can find the resulting transfer function with the following commands

```
1  C=[0 0 0 1 0];
2  D = 0;
3  
4  [n, d] = ss2tf(A, B, C, D);
5  minreal(zpk(tf(n,d)))
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which results in

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some shit
```

which compare quite well with the values found on page A-5,

```
some other shit
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3.2 Lateral

A control input to the aileron, $\Delta \varphi_e$ can be found by solving Equation 2, resulting in a B matrix,

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} Y_{\delta_a} \\ L'_{\delta_a} \\ N'_{\delta_a} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Defining the C and D matrices the same as above, we can again find the resulting transfer function

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some shit
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which compare quite well with the values found on page A-5,

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some other shit
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4 Problem 4

The response to a step control input of $\Delta \delta_e = 5/57.3$ rad can be for $\Delta \theta$ and Δh . Two responses were seen, a phugoid

and a short-period response

Similarly, the response to a step control input of $\Delta \delta_a = 5/57.3$ rad can be for $\Delta \varphi$ and Δr

$$h = 20000$$

 $M = 0.638$
 $g = 32.2$
 $\theta_0 = 0$
 $u_0 = 660$

Figure 1: Basic Simulation Parameters

$$X_{u} = -0.0097$$

$$X_{w} = 0.0016$$

$$X_{\delta_{e}} = 0$$

$$Z_{u} = -0.0955$$

$$Z_{w} = 0$$

$$Z_{w} = -1.43$$

$$Z_{\delta_{e}} = -69.8$$

$$M_{u} = 0$$

$$M_{w} = -0.0013$$

$$M_{w} = -0.0235$$

$$M_{q} = -1.92$$

$$M_{\delta_{e}} = -26.1$$

$$Y_{v} = -0.0829$$

$$Y_{b_{a}} = 0$$

$$L'_{p} = -1.70$$

$$L'_{r} = 0.172$$

$$L'_{\delta_{a}} = 27.3$$

$$L'_{\beta} = -4.55$$

$$L'_{v} = \frac{L'_{\beta}}{u_{0}}$$

$$N'_{r} = -0.0654$$

$$N'_{r} = -0.0893$$

$$N'_{\delta_{a}} = 0.395$$

$$N'_{\beta} = 3.38$$

$$N'_{\beta} = 3.38$$

$$N'_{\psi} = \frac{N'_{\beta}}{u_{0}}$$

$$Y_{p} = 0$$

$$Y_{r} = 0$$

Figure 2: Longitudinal and Lateral Simulation Parameters