

(b) EVD for A: eigenvalues are $(0, 0, \underline{3.429}, -3.429)$ \therefore unstable

(c) $\dot{x} = Ax + B \cdot w^T x = (A + B w^T) x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -5.88 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 11.76 & 0 \end{pmatrix} x + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0.8 \\ 0 \\ -0.6 \end{pmatrix} (w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4)$

Robotics

Exercise 6

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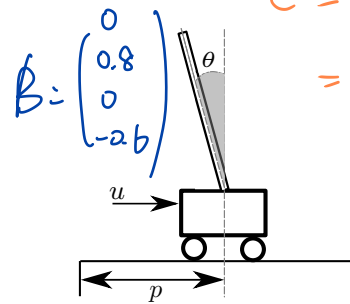
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(d) plug in and solve the EVD, all $\text{Real}(\sigma_i) < 0$

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1 Stability (12 points)

(a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -5.88 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 11.76 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$



$C = [B \ AB \ A^2 B \ A^3 B]$

$= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0.8 & 0 & 3.528 \\ 0.8 & 0 & 3.528 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.6 & 0 & 7.056 \\ -0.6 & 0 & 7.056 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$\text{Rank}(C) = 4$

\therefore Controllable

In the last exercise we calculated the local linearization of the cart-pole around $x^* = (0, 0, 0, 0)$. The solution is

$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu, \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{c_2 g}{\frac{4}{3}l - c_2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{g}{\frac{4}{3}l - c_2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ c_1 + \frac{c_1 c_2}{\frac{4}{3}l - c_2} \\ 0 \\ \frac{-c_1}{\frac{4}{3}l - c_2} \end{pmatrix}$

$x = \begin{pmatrix} p \\ \dot{p} \\ q \\ \dot{q} \end{pmatrix} \quad \dot{x} = \begin{pmatrix} \dot{p} \\ \ddot{p} \\ \dot{q} \\ \ddot{q} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \ddot{p} \\ 0 \\ \ddot{q} \end{pmatrix}$

with $g = 9.8 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ the gravitational constant, $l = 1 \text{ m}$ the pendulum length and constants $c_1 = (M_p + M_c)^{-1}$ and $c_2 = l M_p (M_p + M_c)^{-1}$ where $M_p = M_c = 1 \text{ kg}$ are the pendulum and cart masses respectively.

- Consider the local linearization of the cart-pole. Is the system controllable? (2 P)
- Consider the *uncontrolled* system (where there are no controls, $u = 0$). Perform a linear stability analysis. (Show whether the system is asymptotically stable, marginally stable, or unstable.) (2 P)
- Consider a linear controller $u = w^T x$ with 4 parameters $w \in \mathbb{R}^4$ for the cart-pole. What is the closed-loop linear dynamics $\dot{x} = \hat{A}x$ of the system? (2 P)
- Test if the controller with $w = (1.0000, 2.6088, 52.9484, 16.5952)$ (computed using ARE) is asymptotically stable. What are the eigenvalues? (2 P)
- Given some eigenvalues $\lambda_1^*, \lambda_2^*, \lambda_3^*, \lambda_4^*$. Come up with a method that finds parameters w for these eigenvalues around $x^* = (0, 0, 0, 0)$. What could “good” eigenvalues be to achieve a “maximally stable” system (e.g., **asymptotically stable** with **fastest convergence rate**)? (2 P)
- Output the optimal parameters and test them on the cart-pole simulation. (2 P)

$(A + B w^T - \lambda I) x = 0$

$\dot{x} = \hat{A} x$

- For python please install pygame and pyopengl (using `'python3 -m pip install pygame'` and `'python3 -m pip install pyopengl'`), then you can run: `'jupyter-notebook py/05-stability/05-stability.ipynb'`
- For C++ run: `'cd cpp/05-stability', 'make', './x.exe'`

$= \begin{pmatrix} -\lambda & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0.8 w_1 & 0.8 w_2 - \lambda & 0.8 w_3 - 5.88 & 0.8 w_4 \\ 0 & 0 & -\lambda & 1 \\ -0.6 w_1 & -0.6 w_2 & -0.6 w_3 + 11.76 & -0.6 w_4 \end{pmatrix}$

$\hat{A} x = x \Lambda$

$(A + B w^T) x = x \Lambda$

$$-\lambda \begin{pmatrix} 0.8w_2 - \lambda & 0.8w_3 - 5.88 & 0.8w_4 \\ 0 & -\lambda & 1 \\ -0.6w_2 & -0.6w_3 + 11.76 & -0.6w_4 - \lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0.8w_1 & 0.8w_3 - 5.88 & 0.8w_4 \\ 0 & -\lambda & 1 \\ -0.6w_1 & -0.6w_3 + 11.76 & -0.6w_4 - \lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

$$0.8w_1 \left((0.6w_4 + \lambda)\lambda - (-0.6w_3 + 11.76) \right)$$

$$+ (-0.6w_1) (0.8w_3 - 5.88 + 0.8w_4\lambda)$$

$$\Delta = \text{tr}(\hat{A})^2 - 4 \cdot \det(\hat{A})$$

$$= \left(\sum_{i=1}^4 l_i \right)^2 - 4 \prod_{i=1}^4 l_i \stackrel{!}{=} 0, \text{ s.t. } l_i < 0$$

$$(-2 + \lambda_1 + \lambda_2)^2 - 4\lambda_1\lambda_2 = 0$$

$$(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)^2 - 4(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2) + 4 - 4\lambda_1\lambda_2 = 0$$

$$(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)^2 - 4(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2) + 4 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1^2 - 2\lambda_1\lambda_2 + \lambda_2^2$$