

## Diagonal Canonical form

Consider the transfer-function of a system defined by:-

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{b_0 s^n + b_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + b_{n-1} s + b_n}{(s+p_1)(s+p_2) \dots (s+p_n)} = b_0 + \frac{C_1}{s+p_1} + \frac{C_2}{s+p_2} + \dots + \frac{C_n}{s+p_n} \quad (1)$$

Where  $p_i \neq p_j$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \dot{x}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -p_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & -p_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & -p_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u \quad (2)$$

$$y = [c_1 \ c_2 \ \dots \ c_n] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} + b_0 u \quad (3)$$

## Solution

$$Y(s) = b_0 U(s) + \frac{C_1}{s+p_1} U(s) + \frac{C_2}{s+p_2} U(s) + \dots + \frac{C_n}{s+p_n} U(s)$$

Let us define state variable as follows:

$$X_1(s) = \frac{U(s)}{s+p_1}$$

$$X_2(s) = \frac{1}{s+p_2} U(s)$$

$\vdots$

$$X_n(s) = \frac{1}{s+p_n} U(s)$$

⇒ The above equations may be re-written as:-

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 sX_1(s) = -p_1 X_1(s) + U(s) & \Rightarrow & \dot{x}_1 = -p_1 x_1 + u \\
 sX_2(s) = -p_2 X_2(s) + U(s) & & \dot{x}_2 = -p_2 x_2 + u \\
 \vdots & \text{Time domain} & \vdots \\
 sX_n(s) = -p_n X_n(s) + U(s) & & \dot{x}_n = -p_n x_n + u
 \end{array}$$

From this we can get eq 2  
(first part of the solution)

$$\Rightarrow Y(s) = b_0 U(s) + c_1 X_1(s) + c_2 X_2(s) + \dots + c_n X_n(s)$$

Time domain

$$y = b_0 u + c_1 x_1 + c_2 x_2 + \dots + c_n x_n$$

From this we can get eq 3  
(second part of solution)