

Common Norms (vectors) :

2-norm

$$\|x\|_2 = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \right)^{1/2} \quad (\text{Euclidean norm})$$

1-norm

$$\|x\|_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|$$

Infinity-norm

$$\|x\|_\infty = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|$$

- can sort of see this, because as  $p$  gets larger the biggest element is going to dominate.

P-norm

$$\|x\|_p = \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p \right]^{1/p}$$

↑ absolute value signs

$$\text{where } \|x\|_\infty = \lim_{p \rightarrow \infty} \|x\|_p$$

Matrix Induced Norms:

$$\|A\|_2 = \max_{\|x\| \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|}{\|x\|} = \max_{\|x\|=1} \|Ax\|$$

Equivalent Matrix Norms:

2-norm

$$\|A\|_2 = \sqrt{\lambda_{\max}(A^T A)} = \sigma_{\max}(A)$$

$\lambda_{\max}(\cdot)$  = maximum eigenvalue

ensures the matrix is pos. definite.

largest singular value of  $A$

1-norm

$$\|A\|_1 = \max_j \sum_{i=1}^n |a_{ij}|$$

$j = \text{col}$   
 $i = \text{row}$

- max absolute value of the col sum

(compute the 1-norm w/ each column & take the max)

$\infty$ -norm

$$\|A\|_\infty = \max_i \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}| \quad - \text{max absolute row sum} \quad (\text{compute 1-norm over rows})$$

Frobenius-norm

$$\|A\|_F = \left( \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}|^2 \right)^{1/2} = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_i [A]^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

Example:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 6 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 15 \\ 12 \\ 5 \end{matrix}$$

$$\|A\|_1 = \max(1-3+2+1, 5+6+2, 7+4+2) = (6, 13, 13) = 13$$

$$\|A\|_\infty = \max(15, 12, 5) = 15$$

$$\|A\|_2 = \sqrt{\lambda_{\max}(A^T A)} = 11.43$$

$$\|A\|_F = \left( \sum_i^m \sum_j^n |a_{ij}|^2 \right)^{1/2} = 12.17$$

- All matrix norms are equivalent. They can be upper and lower bounded by any other type of norm times a constant.

$$r \|A\|_\alpha \leq \|A\|_\beta \leq s \|A\|_\alpha$$

$r, s > 0$

(tells us that it doesn't matter which norm we use — it's easier to calculate one norm then can use that and rest holds)

- Matrix norms are also submultiplicative:

$$\|AB\|_\alpha \leq \|A\|_\alpha \|B\|_\alpha \quad \alpha \in \{1, 2, \infty, F\}$$

- Induced Norms:-

$$\Rightarrow \|Ax\|_\alpha \leq \|A\|_\alpha \|x\|_\alpha \quad \forall x$$

$$\|A\|_\alpha \geq \max_{x \neq 0} \frac{\|Ax\|_\alpha}{\|x\|_\alpha} = \max_{\|x\|=1} \|Ax\|_\alpha$$

$y = Ax \rightarrow$  want to know — what is the size of  $y$  in terms of the size of  $x$

i.e.  $\|y\| \rightleftarrows \|x\|$

WP  $\downarrow$  (what is the relationship)

$\Rightarrow$  use submultiplicative property

$$\|y\|_\alpha \leq \|A\|_\alpha \|x\|_\alpha$$

$\downarrow$  Induced norm is

the maximum that  $x$  can be stretched — so resulting  $y$  must be less than or equal to that.

- Matrix induced norm — how much does a matrix  $A$  shrink or stretch ~~a vector~~ (or amplify) the  $x$  vector to generate the vector  $y$ .

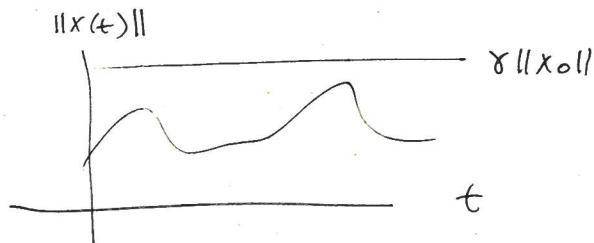
## Lyapunov Stability:

LTV System:  $\dot{x} = A(t)x + B(t)u \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n, u \in \mathbb{R}^k,$   
 $y = C(t)x + D(t)u \quad y \in \mathbb{R}^m$

### Definitions:

① Marginally Stable — The <sup>LTV</sup> system is (marginally) stable in the sense of Lyapunov ~~(internally stable)~~ if for every  $x(t_0) = x_0, x(t) = \Phi(t, t_0)x_0, \forall t \geq 0$  is uniformly bounded.

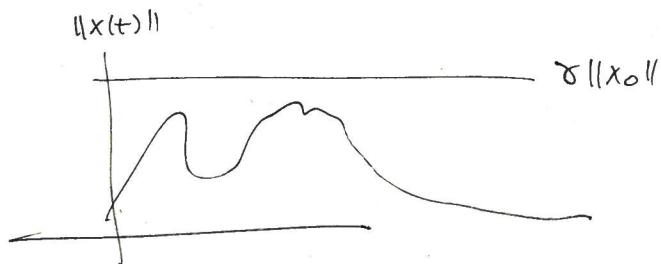
i.e.  $\|\Phi(t, t_0)\| \leq \gamma$  for some  $\gamma < \infty$



- size of solution can be no larger than size of the initial condition multiplied by a fixed constant.

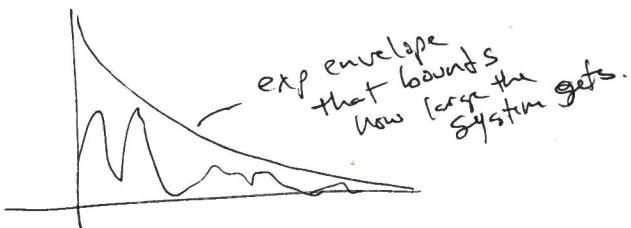
- i.e.  $\|x(t)\| \leq \|\Phi(t, t_0)\| \|x_0\| \leq \gamma \|x_0\|$

② The LTV system is asymptotically stable if it is marginally stable and  $x(t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$



③ The LTV system is exponentially stable if  $\exists c, \lambda > 0$

$$\text{s.t. } \|x(t)\| \leq ce^{\lambda(t-t_0)} \|x(t_0)\| \quad \forall t \geq t_0$$



$$(\lambda_1 - \lambda)v = 0$$

$$v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$e^{\lambda_1 t} = e^{\lambda_1 t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t & \frac{t^2}{2!} & \frac{t^3}{3!} & \dots \\ 0 & 1 & t & \frac{t^2}{2!} & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & t & \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

- ① When eigenvalues of A have strictly negative real parts then  $e^{\lambda_1 t} \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$   
and  $e^{\lambda_1 t} \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow -\infty$

- ② When all eigenvalues have negative or zero real parts + the blocks corresponding to eigenvalues w/ zero real parts are  $1 \times 1$  then  
 $e^{\lambda_1 t}$  remains bounded as  $t \rightarrow \infty$  +  $e^{\lambda_1 t}$  is bounded as  $t \rightarrow -\infty$

w/ zero part  $e^{\lambda_1 t} = 1 + e^{\lambda_1 t} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t & \frac{t^2}{2!} & \dots \\ 0 & 1 & t & \dots \end{bmatrix}$

If have a  $1 \times 1$  block

$$e^{\lambda_1 t} = [1] \Rightarrow \text{bounded}$$

If we have a  $2 \times 2$  block

$$e^{\lambda_1 t} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{not bounded}$$

Bigger, problem gets worse.

- ⑨ The LTV system is unstable if it is not marginally stable in the sense of Lyapunov.

Note: The only part of the state space representation that matters is the  $A$  matrix (through the state transition matrix  $\Phi(t, t_0)$ ).

→ This is why called Internal stability. Only Homogeneous solution comes into play.

### E-value conditions for Lyapunov stability: (Thm 8.1)

LTI system:  $\dot{x} = Ax, \quad x(0) = x_0$

Thm: The LTI system is

- ① Marginally Stable iff all eigenvalues of  $A$  have negative or zero real parts + all the Jordan blocks corresponding to e-values w/ zero real parts are  $(1 \times 1)$ .
- ② Asymptotically stable iff all e-values have strictly negative real parts:  $\operatorname{Re}\{\lambda_i\} < 0 \quad \forall \lambda_i$
- ③ ~~Exponentially stable~~ iff all e-values have strictly negative real parts:  $\operatorname{Re}\{\lambda_i\} < 0, \forall \lambda_i$
- ④ Unstable iff at least one e-value has a positive real part or zero w/ Jordan block larger than  $1 \times 1$

Note: If all e-values of  $A$  have strictly negative real parts, all entries of  $e^{At}$  converge to zero exp. fast.

-  $\lambda =$  abuse of notation -  
not equal to an e-value here.

- Not a formal proof -  
will be proving this in  
homework problem (8.3)

$$\|e^{At}\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ exp fast}$$

$$\|e^{At}\| \leq Ce^{-\lambda t}, \quad \forall t \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\|x(t)\| = \|e^{A(t-t_0)} x_0\| \leq \underbrace{\|e^{A(t-t_0)}\|}_{\|x_0\|} \underbrace{\|x_0\| \leq C e^{-\lambda(t-t_0)}}_{\|x_0\|} \|x_0\|$$

→ For LTI systems exponential stability and asymptotic stability are equivalent.

Note: These definitions w/ e-values only work for LTI systems. Even if the e-values do not depend on time.

- Discrete systems have equivalent conditions, but for LTI, discrete systems the e-values only must be  $|x_i| \leq 1$  <sup>(magnitude less than 1)</sup> rather than  $x_i \leq 0$  as w/ continuous.

## Positive Definite Matrices:

A symmetric  $n \times n$  matrix  $Q$  is positive definite if

$$x^T Q x > 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n, x \neq \{0\}$$

negative definite if  $x^T Q x < 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n, x \neq \{0\}$

positive semi-definite if  $x^T Q x \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

negative semi-definite if  $x^T Q x \leq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

The following are equivalent statements:

1.  $Q$  is positive-definite
2. All e-values are strictly positive
3. The determinants of all upper left submatrices of  $Q$  are positive.
4.  $\exists$  nonsingular  $H$  (sq. root of  $Q$ ) s.t.

$$Q = H^T H$$

Fact: If  $Q$  is pos-def

$$0 < \underbrace{\lambda_{\min}[Q]}_{\text{smallest e-value}} \|x\|^2 \leq x^T Q x \leq \underbrace{\lambda_{\max}[Q]}_{\text{largest e-value}} \|x\|^2 \quad \forall x$$

Lyapunov Stability theorem (Homogeneous (TI)):

Equivalent statements : (Theorem 8.2 in book)

1. The system is asymptotically stable
2. The system is exponentially stable
3. All eigenvalues of  $A$  have strictly negative real parts ( $A$  is Hurwitz)
4. For every symmetric pos-definite matrix  $Q$ , there exists a solution  $P$  to the following Lyapunov eq:

$$A^T P + PA = -Q \quad \text{w/ } P = \text{symmetric \& pos-def.}$$

5. There exists a symmetric pos-def matrix for which the Lyapunov inequality holds:

$$A^T P + PA < 0$$

Proof: Thm. 8.1 shows  $(1) \Leftrightarrow (2) \Leftrightarrow (3)$

We will show  $(2) \Rightarrow (4) \Rightarrow (5) \Rightarrow (2)$

$(2) \Rightarrow (4)$

- Assume that  $\exists c, \lambda > 0$  s.t.  $\|x(t)\| \leq c e^{-\lambda t} \|x_0\|$   
or  $\|e^{At}\| \leq c e^{-\lambda t}$

Define:  $P = \int_0^\infty e^{At} Q e^{At} dt \quad \text{w/ } Q = \text{pos-def \& symmetric}$

- we will show that  $P$  is the unique, symmetric, pos-def solution of statement #4 (Thm. 8.2)

Is it a solution?

$$A^T P + PA = \int_0^\infty (A^T e^{At} Q e^{At} + e^{At} Q e^{At} A) dt$$

But -  $\frac{d}{dt} (e^{At} Q e^{At}) = A^T e^{At} Q e^{At} + e^{At} Q e^{At} A$

$$A^T P + PA = \int_0^\infty \frac{d}{dt} (e^{At} Q e^{At}) dt = [e^{At} Q e^{At}]_0^\infty$$

remember  $A$  commutes w/  
its exponential.

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \underbrace{\left( e^{At} Q e^{At} \right)}_{\substack{\rightarrow \text{ goes to zero} \\ \text{because of asymptotic \\ stability.}}} - e^{A^T(0)} Q e^{A(0)}$$

Identity matrix

$$= -Q$$

$\therefore P$  is a solution to  $A^T P + PA = -Q$

IS  $P$  symmetric?

$$\begin{aligned} P^T &= \int_0^\infty (e^{At} Q e^{At})^T dt = \int_0^\infty (e^{At})^T Q^T (e^{At})^T dt \\ &\quad \uparrow Q \text{ is symmetric} \quad \downarrow (e^{At})^T = e^{A^T t} \\ &= \int_0^\infty e^{A^T t} Q e^{At} dt = P \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore P$  is symmetric

IS  $P$  pos-definite?

$$z^T P z = \int_0^\infty z^T e^{At} Q e^{At} z dt$$

$$\text{let } w(t) = e^{At} z$$

then

$$z^T P z = \int_0^\infty w^T(t) Q w(t) dt$$

Since  $Q$  is pos-definite,  $w^T(t) Q w(t) > 0$

$\therefore z^T P z > 0 \quad \therefore P$  is pos-definite

IS  $P$  a unique solution?

Suppose  $\bar{P}$  is another solution, then

$$A^T P + PA = -Q \quad \text{and} \quad A^T \bar{P} + \bar{P} A = -Q$$

$$\Rightarrow A^T(P - \bar{P}) + (P - \bar{P})A = 0 \quad (\text{subtract the two})$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{At} A^T (P - \bar{P}) e^{At} + e^{At} (P - \bar{P}) A e^{At} = 0 \quad (\text{multiply R.H.S. by } e^{At} \text{ and} \\ (\text{R.H.S. by } e^{At}))$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \underbrace{\left( e^{At} (P - \bar{P}) e^{At} \right)}_{\substack{- \text{must be constant}}} = 0$$

And since  $e^{At} \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$  it must be that

$$e^{At} (P - \bar{P}) e^{At} = 0, \text{ but since } e^{At} \neq 0 \text{ for finite } t$$

$$\text{Then } P - \bar{P} = 0 \text{ and } P = \bar{P}$$

$\therefore P$  is a unique solution.

(4)  $\Rightarrow$  (5)

$$\text{Let } Q = I \quad \cancel{\text{in}} \quad P = \int_0^\infty e^{At} Q e^{At} dt = \int_0^\infty e^{At} e^{At}$$

Then solution for  $A^T P + PA = -I < 0$

or  $Q = \text{pos-definite}$  so  $-Q < 0$

and  $A^T P + PA = -Q \leq 0$

To show (5)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) we need a lemma

Lemma (8.1) : Comparison Lemma

let  $v(t)$  be a differentiable scalar signal s.t.

$$\dot{v}(t) \leq \mu v(t) \quad \forall t \geq t_0$$

Then

$$v(t) \leq e^{\mu(t-t_0)} v(t_0)$$

Proof (of Lemma 8.1) :

Define a new signal  $u(t) = e^{-\mu(t-t_0)} v(t), \forall t \geq t_0$

Take the derivative :  $\dot{u}(t) = -\mu e^{-\mu(t-t_0)} v(t) + e^{-\mu(t-t_0)} \dot{v}(t)$

$$\dot{v}(t) \leq \mu v(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{u}(t) \leq -\mu e^{-\mu(t-t_0)} v(t) + \mu e^{-\mu(t-t_0)} v(t) = 0 \quad (\text{terms cancel})$$

$\Rightarrow \dot{u}(t) \leq 0 \Rightarrow u(t)$  is non-increasing. Signal must stay same or ~~not~~ decrease.

$$u(t) = e^{-\mu(t-t_0)} v(t) \leq \underbrace{u(t_0)}_{\downarrow} = v(t_0) \rightarrow \text{by definition, plug in to for } t$$

(can't get bigger than our starting point  
always decreasing)

$$\Rightarrow v(t) \leq e^{\mu(t-t_0)} v(t_0)$$

because  $(e^{-\lambda(t-t_0)} v(t_0) \leq v(t_0))$

$\curvearrowright$   
move to other side

(5)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)

Assume  $P = P^T > 0$  satisfies  $A^T P + PA < 0$

$$\text{Let } Q := -(A^T P + PA) > 0$$

$$\text{Let } v(t) = x^T(t) P x(t) \geq 0, \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

$$\text{Then } \dot{v}(t) = \dot{x}^T P x + x^T P \dot{x} = \cancel{x^T(A^T P + PA)x} \quad (\text{because } \dot{x} = Ax)$$

$$= x^T A^T P x + x^T P A x = \underbrace{x^T (A^T P + PA)x}_{-Q}$$

$$= -x^T Q x \leq 0 \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

$\Rightarrow v(t)$  is a non-increasing signal

$$\Rightarrow v(t) = x^T(t) P x(t) \leq v(0) = x^T(0) P x(0)$$

Also, since

$$\lambda_{\min}(Q) \|x(t)\|^2 \leq x^T(t) Q x(t) \leq \lambda_{\max}(Q) \|x(t)\|^2$$

we have

$$\dot{v} = -x^T Q x \leq -\lambda_{\min}(Q) \|x(t)\|^2$$

Also since

$$\lambda_{\min}(P) \|x(t)\|^2 \leq \underbrace{v(t) = x^T P x}_{\text{def of } v(t)} \leq \lambda_{\max}(P) \|x(t)\|^2 \quad \leftarrow v \text{ is non-increasing}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|x(t)\|^2 \leq \frac{x^T P x}{\lambda_{\min}(P)} = \frac{v(t)}{\lambda_{\min}(P)} \leq \underbrace{\frac{v(0)}{\lambda_{\min}(P)}}_{\text{def of } v(t)} \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

$\rightarrow$  this shows the system is stable, will ~~not~~ always be less than an initial constant

→ To show exp. stability

$$\dot{v} \leq -\lambda_{\min}(Q) \|x(t)\|^2 \leq -\frac{\lambda_{\min}(Q)}{\lambda_{\min}(P)} v(t_0)$$

↑  
plug in for  $\|x\|^2$

∴ By the comparison lemma

$$v(t) \leq e^{-\lambda(t-t_0)} v(t_0) \quad \text{where} \quad \lambda \triangleq \frac{\lambda_{\min}(Q)}{\lambda_{\max}(P)}$$

Because —

$$\|x(t)\|^2 \leq \frac{v(t)}{\lambda_{\min}(P)} \quad \cancel{\leq} \quad \leq \frac{1}{\lambda_{\min}(P)} e^{-\lambda(t-t_0)} v(t_0)$$

$$v(t_0) = x^T(t_0) P x(t_0) \leq \lambda_{\max}(P) \|x(t_0)\|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|x(t)\|^2 \leq \frac{\lambda_{\max}(P)}{\lambda_{\min}(P)} e^{-\lambda(t-t_0)} \|x(t_0)\|^2$$

→ we have shown exp. stability (2) assuming (5)

## Stability of locally linearized system:

- Given a nonlinear system  $\dot{x} = f(t)$  w/ equilibrium s.t.  $f(x^{eq}) = 0$ .
- Let  $\delta x = x - x^{eq}$  and  $A = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \Big|_{x^{eq}}$

Then the linearized system is:

$$\dot{\delta x} = A \delta x \quad (\#)$$

Theorem 8.5 : Assume  $f(x)$  is twice differentiable. If linearized system (#) is exponentially stable, then there exists a ball  $B \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  around  $x^{eq}$ , and constants  $c, \lambda > 0$  s.t.

$x(t_0) \in B$  implies that

$$\|x(t) - x^{eq}\| \leq ce^{-\lambda(t-t_0)} \|x(t_0) - x^{eq}\|$$

Proof: From Taylor's theorem,  $f$  twice differentiable

implies  $f(x) = f(x^{eq}) + A\delta x + O(\|\delta x\|^2)$   
 $\exists c, \bar{B}$

let  $r(x) := f(x) - f(x^{eq}) - A\delta x \leq c \|\delta x\|^2 \quad \forall x \in \bar{B}$

- Since the linearized system is exp. stable, there exists a pos-def matrix  $P$ , for which

$$A^T P + PA = -I$$

Let  $v(t) = \delta x^T P \delta x$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{v} &= \dot{\delta x}^T P \delta x + \delta x^T P \dot{\delta x} \\ &= (\dot{x} - \dot{x}_{eq})^T P (x - x_{eq}) + (x - x_{eq})^T P (\dot{x} - \dot{x}_{eq}) \\ &= \cancel{f^T P \delta x} + \delta x^T P f \\ &= \cancel{(A + \delta x F)} (ASx + r(x))^T P \delta x + \delta x^T P (ASx + r(x)) \\ &= \delta x^T (A^T P + PA) \delta x + r^T P \delta x + \delta x^T P r \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= Sx^T (\underbrace{A^T P + PA}_{-I}) \delta x + \underbrace{r^T P Sx + Sx^T P r}_{(Sx^T P r)^T + (Sx^T P r)} \\
 &\quad \text{because } P \text{ is symmetric} \\
 (Sx^T P r) &= \text{single value } 1 \times 1 \text{ matrix} \\
 &\text{so it is automatically} \\
 &\text{symmetric and} \\
 (Sx^T P r)^T &= (Sx^T P r)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \dot{v} &\leq -\|\delta x\|^2 + 2 Sx^T P r \\
 &\leq -\|\delta x\|^2 + 2 \|\delta x\| \|P\| \|r\|
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $\delta x$  is small enough to ensure that

$$-\|\delta x\| + 2 \|P\| \|\delta x\| \|r(x)\| \leq -\frac{1}{2} \|\delta x\|^2 \quad (\star\star)$$

$$\text{Then } \dot{v} \leq -\frac{1}{2} \|\delta x\|^2$$

$$\text{but } \lambda_{\max}(P) \|\delta x\|^2 \leq v(t) = Sx^T P Sx \leq \lambda_{\max}(P) \|\delta x\|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \|\delta x\|^2 \leq -\frac{1}{2 \lambda_{\max}(P)} v$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{v} \leq -\frac{1}{2 \lambda_{\max}(P)} v$$

Then by the comparison lemma  $v(t) \rightarrow 0$  exp. fast  
 $\Rightarrow \delta x(t) \rightarrow 0$  exp. fast

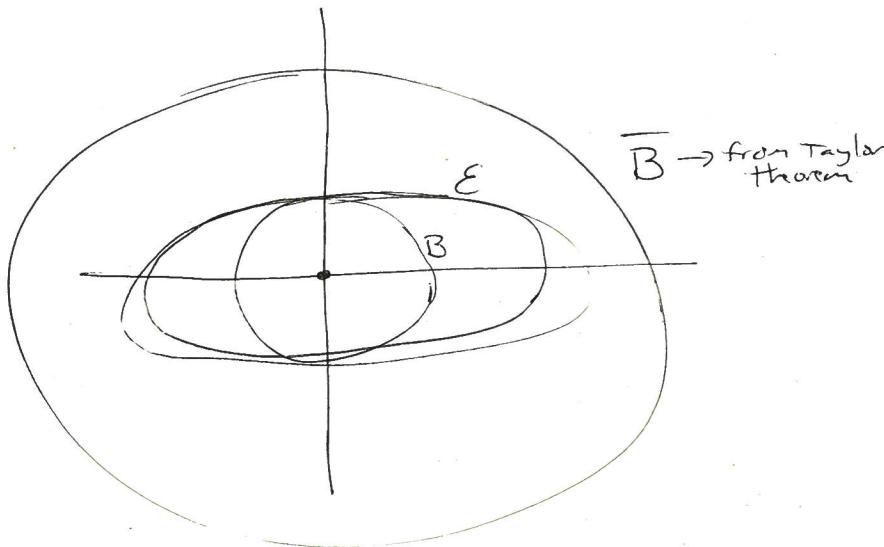
So we need to ensure our assumption  $(\star\star)$  holds.

$$-\|\delta x\| + 2 \|P\| \|\delta x\| \|r(x)\| \leq -\frac{1}{2} \|\delta x\|^2$$

Define

$$\mathcal{E} \triangleq \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : (\delta x)^T P \delta x \leq \varepsilon\}$$

and pick  $\varepsilon$  small enough so that  $\mathcal{E} \subset \overline{B}$



Then for all  $\delta x \in \mathcal{E}$  we have  $\|r(x)\| \leq c \|\delta x\|^2$

so -

$$\begin{aligned} -\|\delta x\|^2 + 2\|P\|\|\delta x\|\|r(x)\| &\leq (-1 + 2\|P\|\|\delta x\|c)\|\delta x\|^2 \\ \cancel{2\|P\|} \leq c\|\delta x\|^2 & \\ &= -(1 - 2c\|P\|\|\delta x\|)\|\delta x\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

- Pick  $B \subset \mathcal{E}$  so that

$$1 - 2c\|P\|\|\delta x\| \geq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \|\delta x\| \leq \frac{1}{4c\|P\|} \quad \text{i.e. } B \text{ has a radius } \leq \frac{1}{4c\|P\|}$$

$$\therefore \delta x \in B \Rightarrow -\|\delta x\|^2 + 2\|P\|\|\delta x\|\|r(x)\| \leq -\frac{1}{2}\|\delta x\|^2$$

$\rightarrow$  Any <sup>solution  $x(t)$</sup>  point that starts w/in radius  $\leq \frac{1}{4c\|P\|}$  of

the eq. pt. will converge exp. fast.

( $c$  is a bound of how big the remainder term  $r(x)$  can get -  $\|r(x)\| \leq c\|\delta x\|^2$ )