

Certainty Equivalence:

* LQR is state feedback:

$$u(t) = -Kx$$

+ requires full knowledge of the states —

* Instead use observer to estimate the states. Use estimate in control: Certainty Equivalence

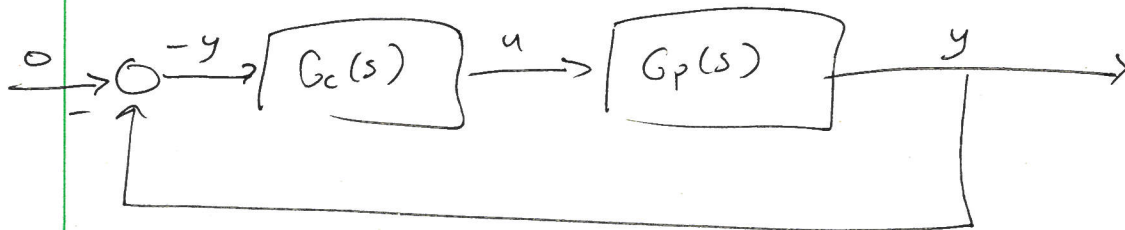
Model Based Compensator:

$$\dot{\hat{x}} = A\hat{x} + Bu + L(y - C\hat{x}) \quad \leftarrow \text{model-based observer}$$

$$u = -K\hat{x} \quad \leftarrow \text{certainty eq. feedback}$$

Separation Principle: closed loop e-values of system $\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{e} \end{bmatrix}$

$$\underbrace{\text{eig}(A - BK)}_{\substack{\text{closed-loop} \\ \text{state feedback} \\ \text{poles}}} \cup \underbrace{\text{eig}(A - LC)}_{\substack{\text{observer} \\ \text{poles}}}$$



$$\left. \begin{aligned} \dot{\hat{x}} &= (A - LC - BK)\hat{x} - L(-y) \\ u &= -K\hat{x} \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} G_c(s) &= (-K)(sI - A + BK + LC)^{-1}L \\ &= K(sI - A + LC + BK)^{-1}L \end{aligned}$$

- Can we find an optimal gain for L like we did for K ?
- Used copy of system (A, B, C, D) matrices which are rarely exact.

Generally system closer to:

$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu + d \leftarrow \text{external disturbances}$$

$$y = Cx + n \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{sensor} \\ \text{errors} \end{array}$$

w/ n & d random

Error Dynamics :

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{e} &= \dot{x} - \dot{\hat{x}} = (Ax + Bu + d) - (A\hat{x} + Bu + L(Cx + n - C\hat{x})) \\ &= Ax - A\hat{x} + LCx - LC\hat{x} + d - Ln \\ &= (A + LC)e + d - Ln \end{aligned}$$

\leftarrow randomness present in error

$\underbrace{\hspace{1cm}}$
error no longer converges to zero.

- Can we squeeze down the error as small as possible?
- What L will minimize the effects due to randomness?

Expected value:

$$E\{h(x)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(x) f(x) dx = m_h$$

Variance:

$$\text{var}\{x\} = \sigma_x^2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x - m_x)^2 f(x) dx = E\{(x - m_x)^2\}$$

σ_x = standard deviation

Covariance Matrix: (vector)

$$V(t) = E\{z(t) z^T(t)\}$$

Correlation Matrix: (vector)

$$R(t, \tau) = E\{z(t) z^T(\tau)\}$$

Minimize the error variance:

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \text{var} \{ e_k(t) \} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \sigma_k^2(t)$$

For a normal dist:

$$|e_k(t)| \leq 3\sigma_k \quad 99.7\% \text{ of the time}$$

- Quantify size of disturbances:

← Delta function

$$E \{ n(t) n^T(\tau) \} = N \delta(t - \tau) \quad n \sim N(0, N)$$

$$E \{ d(t) d^T(\tau) \} = D \delta(t - \tau) \quad d \sim N(0, D)$$

$$N = \begin{bmatrix} N_1 & & & \\ & N_2 & & \phi \\ & & \ddots & \\ \phi & & & N_m \end{bmatrix}$$

→ How big the noise is in the sensors

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} D_1 & & & \\ & D_2 & & \phi \\ & & \ddots & \\ \phi & & & D_k \end{bmatrix}$$

→ How big disturbances are in the actual system

$$|y_i(t) - \bar{y}_i(t)| \leq 3\sqrt{N_i} \quad 99.7\% \text{ of time}$$

↑
Sensor reading

↑
actual output

Matrix Background :

Trace of a matrix :

$$\text{tr}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ii} \quad \rightarrow \text{sum of the diag elements of matrix.}$$

Properties :

1. $\text{tr}\{AB\} = \text{tr}\{BA\}$ — if the dimensions are compatible, i.e. $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$
+ $B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

2. $\text{tr}\{A\} = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i$ — If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

3. If $P \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ then $x^T P x = \text{tr}\{P x x^T\}$

$$x^T A x = \text{scalar} \Rightarrow \text{tr}\{x^T A x\} = \text{tr}\{A x x^T\}$$

by #1

Stochastic-Deterministic Dualism:

— Show that the two problems are dualize:

$$V_d(x_0) = \int_0^\infty x^T Q x dt$$

$$\dot{x} = Ax; \quad x(0) = x_0$$

+ A-stable

$$V_s(x) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} E \{ x^T C C^T x \}$$

$$\dot{x} = Ax + \dot{w} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = Ax + dw \quad x(0) = x_0$$

A-stable +

$$\int_0^\infty dw dw^T = w(t) dt$$

$$E \{ \dot{w}(t) \dot{w}^T(\tau) \} = WS(t-\tau)$$

From LQR:

$$V_d(x_0) = x_0^T P x_0 = \text{tr} \{ P x_0 x_0^T \}$$

Why?

$$V_d(x_0) = \int_0^\infty x^T(t) Q x(t) dt \quad \text{w/ } x = e^{At} x_0$$

$$V_d(x_0) = \int_0^\infty x_0^T e^{A^T t} Q e^{At} x_0 dt$$

$$= x_0^T \left(\underbrace{\int_0^\infty e^{A^T t} Q e^{At} dt}_{= P \text{ (Lecture \#8)}} \right) x_0$$

Plug into the Lyap eq:

$$A^T P + P A = - \int_0^\infty A^T e^{A^T t} Q e^{At} dt - \int_0^\infty e^{A^T t} Q e^{At} A dt$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{d}{dt} \left[e^{A^T t} Q e^{A t} \right] dt \\
&= e^{A^T t} Q e^{A t} \Big|_0^{\infty} = \underbrace{\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} e^{A^T t} Q e^{A t}}_{\substack{A\text{-stable} \\ \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty}} - e^{A^T \cdot 0} Q e^{A \cdot 0} \\
&= -Q
\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore P$ satisfies $A^T P + P A = -Q$

\Rightarrow solution to —

$$V_d(x_0) = \int_0^{\infty} x^T Q x dt \Rightarrow x_0^T P x_0 = \text{tr} \{ P x_0 x_0^T \}$$

When $\dot{x} = A x$; $x(0) = x_0$ & A -stable

w/ P sol. to Lyap eq.

$$A^T P + P A = -Q$$

look @ the stochastic problem :

$$V_s(x_0) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} E \{ x^T(t) C C^T x(t) \} \quad \text{when } \dot{x} = A x + \dot{w}; x(0) = x_0$$

$\downarrow A$ -stable

$x(t)$ satisfies —

$$x(t) = e^{A t} x_0 + \int_0^t e^{A(t-\tau)} \dot{w}(\tau) d\tau$$

playing part
of $u(z)$
function.

$$V_s(x_0) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} E \left\{ \underbrace{\left[x_0^T e^{A^T t} + \int_0^t \dot{w}^T e^{A^T(t-\tau)} d\tau \right]}_{x^T} C C^T \underbrace{\left[e^{A t} x_0 + \int_0^t e^{A(t-\tau)} \dot{w}(\tau) d\tau \right]}_x \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} E \left\{ \underbrace{x_0^T e^{A^T t} C C^T e^{A t} x_0}_{A\text{-stable} = 0} + 2 \int_0^t \underbrace{x_0^T e^{A^T t} C C^T e^{A(t-\tau)}}_{=0 \text{ because } \dot{w}(\tau) = \text{zero mean}} \dot{w}(\tau) d\tau \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$+ \int_0^t \int_0^t \dot{w}^T(\tau_1) e^{A^T(t-\tau_1)} C C^T e^{A(t-\tau_2)} \dot{w}(\tau_2) d\tau_1 d\tau_2 \}$$

→ this term is a 1×1 value

$$V_S(x_0) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \text{tr} \left[\int_0^t \int_0^t e^{A^T(t-\tau_1)} C C^T e^{A(t-\tau_2)} \dot{w}(\tau_1) \dot{w}^T(\tau_2) d\tau_1 d\tau_2 \right] \right\}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \text{tr} \left[\int_0^t \int_0^t e^{A^T(t-\tau_1)} C C^T e^{A(t-\tau_2)} \underbrace{\{\dot{w}(\tau_1) \dot{w}^T(\tau_2)\}}_{w \delta(\tau_1 - \tau_2)} d\tau_1 d\tau_2 \right]$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \text{tr} \left[\underbrace{\int_0^t e^{A^T(t-\tau)} C C^T e^{A(t-\tau)} w d\tau}_{\substack{\text{move to end} \\ \text{by trace property}}} \right]$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \text{tr} \left[\int_0^t e^{A(t-\tau)} w e^{A^T(t-\tau)} \underbrace{C C^T}_{\substack{\text{not function} \\ \text{of } \tau}} d\tau \right]$$

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push the limit into the integral

$$= \text{tr} \left[\underbrace{\left(\int_0^\infty e^{A\tau} w e^{A^T\tau} d\tau \right)}_{\substack{\triangleq S \\ w / AS + SA^T = -w}} C C^T \right]$$

In Summary: if A -stable & $x(0) = x_0$

$$V_d(x_0) = \int_0^\infty x^T Q x dt$$

$$\dot{x} = Ax$$

is solved by

$$V_d(x_0) = \text{tr} \{ P x_0 x_0^T \}$$

Where P satisfies

$$A^T P + P A = -Q$$

$$V_s(x_0) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} E \{ x^T(t) C C^T x(t) \}$$

$$\dot{x} = Ax + w$$

$$w \sim N(0, W)$$

is solved by

$$V_s(x_0) = \text{tr} \{ S C C^T \}$$

where S solves

$$A S + S A^T = -W$$

Dual Quantities

$$x_0 \longleftrightarrow C$$

$$Q \longleftrightarrow W$$

$$A \longleftrightarrow A^T$$

i.e. if we replace (x_0, Q, A) in solution of deterministic problem w/ (C, W, A^T) then we have solved the stochastic problem.

→ Use this to derive an optimal observer.