

Rational (finite-dimensional) transfer matrices.

Most of this course will be limited to systems with rational transfer matrices.

To indicate rationality, system spaces will sometimes be denoted by RL^∞ , RH^∞ , RL^2 and RH^2 .

- Rational transfer matrix is said to be proper if $G(\infty) < \infty$.

Properness of transfer matrix \Leftrightarrow system causality

- Rational transfer matrix is called strictly-proper if $G(\infty) = 0$ and bi-proper if $G(\infty)$ is invertible.

Bi-properness \Leftrightarrow The inverse exists and is proper.

- It can be shown that:

- RH^∞ is a space of rational proper (causal) and stable transfer matrices
- RH^2 is a space of rational strictly proper and stable transfer matrices. (so $RH^2 \subset RH^\infty$)

(Note that the second statement is true for rational transfer mat., but not in general)

The rest of this lecture is dedicated to rational transfer matrices.

* Is it easy to define poles and zeros for MIMO systems?

Consider a SISO system $G = \frac{s^2 + 1}{s^2 + s + 3}$

- It has a zero at $z = \pm i$
- If $u = \sin(t)$, then $|y_{ss}| = |G(i)| \cdot 1 = 0$

Consider a MIMO system $G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{s+2}{s^2+s+3} \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

- Is $s = -2$ a zero? (later we will see that it is not.)
- Each of the members has no imaginary axis zeros, but for $u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \sin(t)$,

$$|y_{ss}| = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \left| \frac{i+2}{i^2+i+3} \right| \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

So is there a zero at $s = \pm i$?
(later we will see that it is)

To define poles and zeros in a proper way, we will introduce Smith-McMillan Form of a transfer matrix.

* Normal rank

- $\text{nrank}(C(s)) := \max_s (\text{rank}(C(s)))$

- For all but finitely many points, $\text{nrank}(C(s)) = \text{rank}(C(s))$.

* Unimodular matrix

A square polynomial matrix $U(s)$ is called unimodular if $\det(U(s)) = \text{const} \neq 0$.

- The inverse of a unimodular matrix exists and is also unimodular. (and, thus, polynomial!)

* Smith - McMillan form

For any $p \times m$ transfer matrix $C(s)$ with $\text{nrank}(C(s)) = r$, there exist unimodular $(U(s), V(s))$ such that

$$U(s) C(s) V(s) = \begin{bmatrix} d_1(s)/\beta_1(s) & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & d_r(s)/\beta_r(s) & 0 \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

where d_i divides d_{i+1} , β_{i+1} divides β_i and

for each i , d_i and β_i have no common roots.

* Definitions of poles and zeros.

- The roots of the polynomial $\Phi_p(s) = \prod_{i=1}^z \beta_i(s)$ are called the poles.
- Multiplicities of the root in $\Phi_p(s)$ and in each of $\beta_i(s)$ are called algebraic multiplicity and partial multiplicities of the pole.
- The number of factors $\beta_i(s)$ that contain the root is called geometric multiplicity of the pole.
- The roots of the polynomial $\Phi_z(s) = \prod_{i=1}^z d_i(s)$ are called the transmission zeros.
(Usually I will shortly call them the zeros)
- Zero multiplicities are defined in the same way as for poles.
- The number $n := \deg(\Phi_p(s))$ is called allennian degree.
(Sometimes it is called just the order.)

Example:

$$C(s) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{s+1} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{For } U(s) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ s+1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } V = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -s-1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U(s) C(s) V(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{s+1} & 0 \\ 0 & s+1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So $C(s)$ has both pole and zero at $s = -1$.

Assume that s_2 is not a pole of $G(s)$, then

- s_2 is a transmission zero iff

$$\text{rank}(G(s_2)) < \text{nrank}(G(s))$$

- Input and output directions of this zero are defined as

$$\text{Ker}(G(s_2)) \text{ and } \text{Ker}(G'(s_2))$$

Assume that s_p is not a transmission zero of invertible $G(s)$, then

- s_p is a pole iff $\text{rank}(G^{-1}(s_p)) < \text{nrank}(G^{-1}(s))$

- Input and output directions of this pole are

$$\text{Ker}(G^{-1}(s_p))' \text{ and } \text{Ker}(G^{-1}(s_p))$$

Remark: The results/definitions above can be extended for the case when s_{zp} is both a pole and a zero and $G(s)$ is not invertible ... but not in this course.

Points to think about:

- What is the direct meaning of pole direction?
- What is the role of directions in the context of pole-zero cancellations?

* Coprime ness over RH^∞ Preface:

Two integers n and m are said to be coprime if their greatest common divisor is 1.

One way to verify coprime ness is by checking if there exist integers x and y such that $xm + yn = 1$.

The notion of coprime ness can be generalized for transfer matrices.

$\mathcal{U}(s), \mathcal{N}(s) \in RH^\infty$ are right coprime over RH^∞ if there exist $X(s), Y(s) \in RH^\infty$ such that

$$X(s)\mathcal{U}(s) + Y(s)\mathcal{N}(s) = I$$

(This is called "Bezout equality". $X(s)$ and $Y(s)$ are called Bezout factors.)

- $\mathcal{U}(s)$ and $\mathcal{N}(s)$ are right coprime \Leftrightarrow they do not have common RHP zeros with intersecting input directions.

Proof of one direction:

Assume that they do have such a zero s_2 .

Then there exist a vector $\eta \neq 0$ such that

$$\mathcal{U}(s_2)\eta = 0, \quad \mathcal{N}(s_2)\eta = 0$$

Post multiplying Bezout equality by η yields

$$0 = X(s_2)\mathcal{U}(s_2)\eta + Y(s_2)\mathcal{N}(s_2)\eta = \eta$$

Examples:

$$- \quad M(s) = \frac{s+2}{s+2}, \quad N(s) = \frac{s+2}{s+3}$$

$$- \quad M(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s+1}{s+1} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad N(s) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{s-1}{s+1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$- \quad M(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s-1}{s+1} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad N(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s-1}{s+2} & \frac{1}{s+3} \\ 0 & \frac{s-1}{s+1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\tilde{M}(s), \tilde{N}(s) \in RH^\infty$ are left coprime over RH^∞ if there exist $\tilde{X}(s), \tilde{Y}(s) \in RH^\infty$ such that

$$\tilde{M}(s)\tilde{X}(s) + \tilde{N}(s)\tilde{Y}(s) = I$$

- Interpretation is similar to right coprimeness but for output zero directions.

- So are the examples above left coprime?

* Coprime Factorization

Any proper rational transfer matrix $G(s)$ can be factorized as:

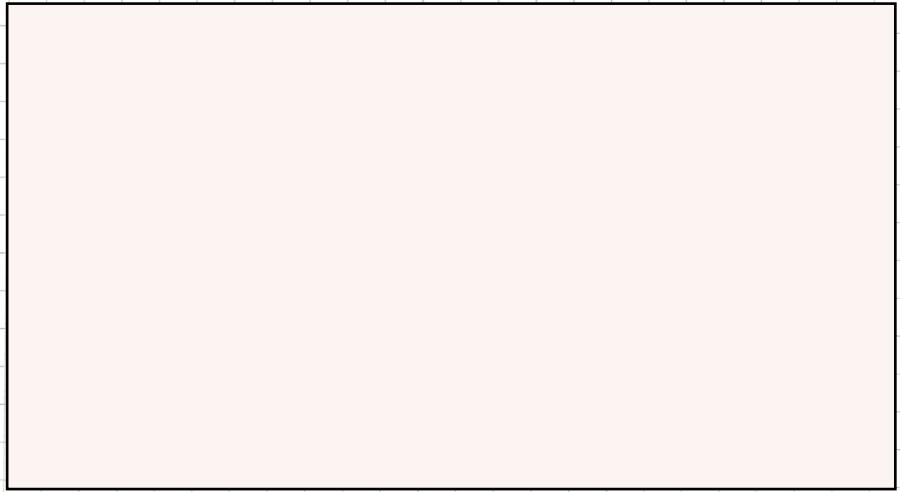
$$G(s) = \underbrace{N(s) \cdot U^{-1}(s)}_{\text{right coprime factorization (rcf)}} = \underbrace{\hat{U}^{-1}(s) \cdot \hat{N}(s)}_{\text{left coprime factorization (lcf)}},$$

where $N(s), U(s) \in RH^\infty$ are right coprime and $\hat{N}(s), \hat{U}(s) \in RH^\infty$ are left coprime.

Examples:

$$\frac{(s+1)(s-2)}{(s+3)(s-4)} = G(s)$$

$$\frac{s-1}{s-2} = G(s)$$



- Unstable poles of $G(s)$ coincide with the unstable poles of $U(s)$ and $\hat{U}(s)$.
- Non minimum-phase zeros of $G(s)$ coincide with the non minimum-phase zeros of $N(s)$ and $\hat{N}(s)$.
- Sometimes $N(s), \hat{N}(s)$ are called numerators and $U(s), \hat{U}(s)$ are called denominators.

- $G(s)$ is stable $\Leftrightarrow \text{cl}^{-1}(s)$ is stable.

Proof:

Obviously, stability of $\text{cl}^{-1}(s)$ implies stability of $G(s)$.

On the other hand, assume $G(s)$ is stable.

Then, $X\text{cl} + YN = I$ implies that

$$\text{cl}^{-1} = (X\text{cl} + YN)\text{cl}^{-1} = X + YG \in RH^\infty$$

- $G(s)$ is stable $\Leftrightarrow \hat{\text{cl}}^{-1}(s)$ is stable

- Both zcf and lcf are not unique.

Let $N_1\text{cl}_1^{-1} = N_2\text{cl}_2^{-1}$ and $\hat{\text{cl}}_1^{-1}\tilde{N}_1 = \hat{\text{cl}}_2^{-1}\tilde{N}_2$ be zcf's and lcf's, then

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{cl}_2 \\ N_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{cl}_1 \\ N_1 \end{bmatrix} T$$

$$[\hat{\text{cl}}_2 \tilde{N}_2] = \tilde{T} [\hat{\text{cl}}_1 \tilde{N}_1]$$

for some bi-stable T and \tilde{T}

- For any proper rational $G(s)$, doubly coprime factorization can always be constructed:

$$G(s) = H(s) \text{cl}^{-1}(s) = \hat{\text{cl}}^{-1}(s) \tilde{H}(s)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x(s) & y(s) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \text{cl}(s) & -\tilde{y}(s) \\ -\tilde{H}(s) & \hat{\text{cl}}(s) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example:

For given $P \in RL^\infty$, characterize all $K \in RH^\infty$ that render $P \cdot K \in RH^\infty$.

$$\text{Bring in } \pi_U \text{ of } P: \begin{cases} P = N \cup^{-1} \\ XU + YN = I \end{cases}$$

All $K \in RH^\infty$ that render $P \cdot K \in RH^\infty$ can be parameterized by:

$$\underline{K = cUQ, \forall Q \in RH^\infty}$$

Proof:

One direction is obvious. By direct substitution we get

$$P \cdot K = P \cdot cUQ = N \cup^{-1} \cdot cUQ = NQ \in RH^\infty$$

The other direction is a bit more tricky.

Let $T = P \cdot K \in RH^\infty$ for some $K \in RH^\infty$.

Our aim is to show that this K can be expressed as $K = cUQ$ for some $Q \in RH^\infty$. Namely, we need to show that $Q = U^{-1}K \in RH^\infty$.

$$T = P \cdot K$$

$$T = N \cup^{-1} \cdot K \mid Y \times \boxed{}$$

$$YT = \underbrace{YN}_{\text{---}} \cup^{-1} \cdot K$$

$$YT = (I - XU) \cup^{-1} K$$

$$YT = \cup^{-1} K - XK$$

$$\underline{\cup^{-1} K = YT + XK}$$

$$\underbrace{}_Q$$

* Spectral Factorization

- Conjugate transfer function is defined as

$$G^*(s) = G(-s)$$

(Sometimes denoted by $G^*(s)$)

- If $G(s) = G^*(s)$, then both the sets of its poles and zeros are symmetric with respect to the imaginary axis.
- $G(s)$ that satisfies $G(s) = G^*(s)$ admits spectral factorization if there exist a bi-stable $U(s)$ such that

$$G(s) = U^*(s)U(s)$$

$U(s)$ is called spectral factor.

- Similarly, we define co-spectral factorization as $G(s) = V(s)V^*(s)$ with bi-stable $V(s)$.

Examples:

$$\underbrace{\frac{(s+1)(s-1)}{(s-2)(s+2)}}_{G(s)} = \underbrace{\frac{s-1}{s-2}}_{\cdot} \underbrace{\frac{s+1}{s+2}}_{U(s)}$$

$$\underbrace{\frac{s^2+1}{(s-2)(s+2)}}_{\text{can not be factorized}} = \text{(zeros on imaginary axis)}$$

Spectral factorization becomes somewhat less trivial in MIMO case:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{s^2-1}{s^2-4} & \frac{(s-1)(2s+3)}{s^2-4} \\ \frac{(s+1)(2s-3)}{s^2-4} & \frac{5s^2-13}{s^2-4} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s-1}{s-2} & 0 \\ \frac{2s-3}{s-2} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \left| \begin{array}{cc} \frac{s+1}{s+2} & \frac{2s+3}{s+2} \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right.$$

* State-space realization

Rational proper transfer matrix can always be represented as:

$$C(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1}B + D$$

The input-output mapping can be described by

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = Ax + Bu \\ y = Cx + Du \end{cases}, \text{ with zero i.e.}$$

We will use short notation:

$$C(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1}B + D = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right]$$

Similar realizations:

Given invertible T,

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} TA^{-1} & TB \\ \hline CT^{-1} & D \end{array} \right]$$

Cancellation rules:

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} A_{11} & A_{12} & B_1 \\ \hline 0 & A_{22} & 0 \\ \hline C_1 & C_2 & D \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} A_{22} & 0 & 0 \\ \hline A_{12} & A_{11} & B_1 \\ \hline C_2 & C_1 & D \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_{11} & B_1 \\ \hline C_1 & D \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} A_{11} & 0 & B_1 \\ \hline A_{21} & A_{22} & B_2 \\ \hline C_1 & 0 & D \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} A_{22} & A_{21} & B_2 \\ \hline 0 & A_{11} & B_1 \\ \hline 0 & C_1 & D \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_{11} & B_1 \\ \hline C_1 & D \end{array} \right]$$

Why?

Minimality: Realization is minimal if there doesn't exist realization of lower order

- Order of minimal realization
= Smith ellcelllian degree
- Any two minimal realizations are similar.

Controllability:

$\lambda \in \text{spec}(A)$ is controllable from B if

$[A - \lambda I \ B]$ has full row rank.

There always exists T such that

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} T_0 A T^{-1} & T B \\ \hline C T^{-1} & D \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} A_c & * & B_c \\ 0 & A_{\bar{c}} & 0 \\ \hline C_c & C_{\bar{c}} & D \end{array} \right]$$

with the pair (A_c, B_c) controllable.

- Realization is controllable if $A_{\bar{c}}$ is void
- Realization is stabilizable if $A_{\bar{c}}$ is Hurwitz

Observability:

$\lambda \in \text{spec}(A)$ is observable if $\begin{bmatrix} A - \lambda I \\ C \end{bmatrix}$ has

full column rank.

There always exists T such that

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} TAT^{-1} & TB \\ \hline CT^{-1} & D \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} A_0 & 0 & B_0 \\ * & A_{\bar{0}} & B_{\bar{0}} \\ \hline C_0 & 0 & D \end{array} \right]$$

with the pair (A_0, C_0) observable.

- Realization is observable if $A_{\bar{0}}$ is void.
 - Realization is detectable if $A_{\bar{0}}$ is Hurwitz.
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- Realization is minimal if it is controllable and observable.

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* Poles and zeros via state-space realization

Poles

- The set of poles of $G(s)$ is contained in $\text{spec}(A)$
- For minimal realization, these sets coincide.
- The input and output pole directions are

$$B' \text{Ker}(sI - A') \quad \text{and} \quad C \text{Ker}(sI - A).$$

Invariant zeros

Invariant zeros are defined as points in which the Rosenbrock matrix

$$R(s) = \begin{bmatrix} A - sI & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$$

loses its normal rank.

Transmission zeros

- The set of transmission zeros is contained in the set of invariant zeros.
- For minimal realization, these sets coincide.
- The input and output zero directions are given by

$$[0 \ 1] \text{Ker}(R(s_z)), \quad [0 \ 1] \text{Ker}(R'(s_z))$$

* Basic operations in state-space.

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_1 & B_1 \\ \hline C_1 & D_1 \end{array} \right] + \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_2 & B_2 \\ \hline C_2 & D_2 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} A_1 & 0 & B_1 \\ 0 & A_2 & B_2 \\ \hline C_1 & C_2 & D_1 + D_2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_1 & B_1 \\ \hline C_1 & D_1 \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_2 & B_2 \\ \hline C_2 & D_2 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} A_1 & B_1 C_2 & B_1 D_2 \\ 0 & A_2 & B_2 \\ \hline C_1 & D_1 C_2 & D_1 D_2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right]^\sim = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} -A' & C' \\ \hline -B' & D' \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right]^{-1} = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A - BD'^{-1}C & BD'^{-1} \\ \hline -D'^{-1}C & D'^{-1} \end{array} \right]$$

(Recall that $G(s)$ is properly invertible iff $G(\infty)$ is invertible, i.e. $\left[\begin{array}{c|c} A & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right]^{-1}$ exists iff D is invertible.)

Partial fraction expansion

Assuming that $\text{spec}(A_1) \cap \text{spec}(A_2) = \emptyset$,

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_2 & B_2 \\ \hline C_2 & D_2 \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_1 & B_1 \\ \hline C_1 & D_1 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} A_1 & B_1 & 0 \\ \hline D_2 C_1 - C_2 X & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] + \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_2 & B_2 D_1 + X B_1 \\ \hline C_2 & 0 \end{array} \right] + D_2 D_1,$$

where X satisfies

$$X A_1 - A_2 X + B_2 C_1 = 0$$

* Computing H^2 norm

Given a stable strictly proper $G(s) = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$

$$\|G(s)\|_2 = \sqrt{\text{tr}(B'Q B)} = \sqrt{\text{tr}(C P C')} ,$$

where Q and P are defined by:

$$A'Q + Q A + C'C = 0$$

$$AP + P A' + B B' = 0$$

{ How to calculate L^2 norm?

* Computing H^∞ norm

There are no closed formulae.

Given a stable $G(s) = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$ and $\gamma > 0$,

$$\|G(s)\|_\infty < \gamma \text{ iff.}$$

$$1. \bar{\zeta}(D) < \gamma$$

$$2. \begin{bmatrix} A + B(\gamma^2 I - D'D)^{-1}D'C & -B(\gamma^2 I - D'D)^{-1}B' \\ C'(I - \gamma^2 DD')^{-1}C & -(A + B(\gamma^2 I - D'D)^{-1}D'C)' \end{bmatrix}$$

has no eigen values on imaginary axis.

The norm can be found using bisection algorithm.

* Coprime Factorization via state-space

$$G(s) = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X & Y \\ -\tilde{N} & \tilde{U} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A + LC & B + LD & -L \\ -F & 1 & 0 \\ -C & -D & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} U & -\tilde{Y} \\ N & \tilde{X} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A + BF & B & -F \\ F & 1 & 0 \\ C + DF & D & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

For any L, F guaranteeing that $A + LC, A + BF$ Hurwitz.

(Constructing doubly coprime factorization is equivalent

to solving two pole placement problems.)

* Spectral Factorization in state-space

Let $G \in RH^\infty$ be a right invertible transfer matrix with no zeros on the imaginary axis, given by its minimal realization:

$$G(s) = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} sA & B \\ \hline C & D \end{array} \right]$$

Our aim is to find spectral factor $U(s)$, satisfying

$$U^*(s) U(s) = G^*(s) G(s).$$

Derivation

Clearly, the A-matrix of $U(s)$ should be sA and the D-matrix should be $R^{1/2}$, where $R := D'D$. Assume that the B-matrix is B.

Then

$$U(s) = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} sA & B \\ \hline \bar{C} & R^{1/2} \end{array} \right]$$

and we need just to find \bar{C} .

First, calculate

$$U^*U = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} -sA' & \bar{C}' \\ \hline -B' & R^{1/2} \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} sA & B \\ \hline \bar{C} & R^{1/2} \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} -sA' \bar{C}' \bar{C} & | & \bar{C}' R^{1/2} \\ 0 & sA & | & B \\ -B' R^{1/2} \bar{C} & | & R \end{array} \right]$$

Similarly, derive

$$G^*G = \dots$$

$$= \left[\begin{array}{ccc} -sA' C'C & | & C'D \\ 0 & sA & | & B \\ -B' D'C & | & R \end{array} \right]$$

Apply state transformation $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ to get

$$C'G = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} -A' & A'x + xA + C'C & C'D + xB \\ 0 & A & B \\ \hline -B' & B'x + D'C & R \end{array} \right]$$

Comparing this to the realization of U^*U yields

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A'x + xA + C'C = \bar{C}'\bar{C} \\ C'D + xB = \bar{C}'R^{-1/2} \Rightarrow \bar{C}' = (C'D + xB)R^{-1/2} \end{array} \right.$$

Substituting \bar{C}' to the first equation yields

$$A'x + xA - (C'D + xB)R' (DC + B'x) + C'C = 0$$

This is ARE associated with

$$H := \begin{bmatrix} A - BR'^{-1}DC & -BR'^{-1}B \\ -C'(I - DR'^{-1}D')C & -(A - BR'^{-1}DC)' \end{bmatrix}$$

Final result

$$U(s) = \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ \hline R'^{-1/2}(DC + B'x) & R'^{1/2} \end{bmatrix}, \text{ where } x = \text{Ric}(H).$$

Remark

$x = \text{Ric}(H)$ exists iff

1. (A, B) stabilizable

2. $\begin{bmatrix} A - sI & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}$ has full column rank on im. Ax .

What did we study today?

- Poles and zeros of MIMO systems
- Coprimeness over RH^∞ and coprime factorization.
- Spectral Factorization
- State-space machinery
 - Basic operations
 - Norm calculation
 - Coprime and spectral factorizations