

**Problem 1 (Closed Loop System: State Space Representation)**

Consider a negative feedback system defined by the equations:  $y = P(u + d)$ ,  $u = Ke$ ,  $e = r - y$  where  $P = [A_p, B_p, C_p]$  and  $K = [A_k, B_k, C_k]$ . Sketch a block diagram of the feedback system. Determine a state space representation for the closed loop system with exogenous signals  $(r, d)$  and outputs  $(e, y)$ . ■

**Problem 2 (Application of SVD)**

Suppose that the SVD for a stable transfer function matrix is given by  $H(j10) = U\Sigma V^H$  where

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 0.9275 e^{j44.1583^\circ} & 0.3739 e^{j57.6869^\circ} \\ 0.3739 e^{-j110.8821^\circ} & 0.9275 e^{j82.6465^\circ} \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 1.5956 & 0.0000 \\ 0.0000 & 0.7736 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} 0.9433 e^{j0.0000^\circ} & 0.3320 e^{j180.0000^\circ} \\ 0.3320 e^{j85.9345^\circ} & 0.9433 e^{j85.9345^\circ} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (2)$$

Determine the maximally amplified sinusoidal input vector  $u$  and the associated steady state output  $y$ . ■

**Problem 3 (Controllability, State Transfer, Pole Placement)**

Consider the LTI system defined by the state space triple  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $C = [1 \ 0]$ .

(a) Does there exist a control law which will transfer the state of the system from  $x_o = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  to  $x(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ?

If so, show how to determine the minimum energy state transferring control law. Will other control laws accomplish the state transfer? Explain.

(b) Does there exist a full state feedback control law  $u = -Gx$  such that the closed loop system has poles at  $s = -1 \pm j1$ ? If so, determine a suitable control gain matrix  $G$ . If not, explain why. ■

**Problem 4 (Controllability, State Transfer, Pole Placement)**

Consider the LTI system defined by the state space triple  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $C = [1 \ 0]$ .

(a) Is the system controllable? Explain your answer.

(b) Assuming  $x_o = 0$ , determine an expression for  $x(t)$  using modal analysis concepts. Determine a basis for the set of states that are reachable from  $x_o = 0$ .

(c) Does there exist a control law which will transfer the state of the system from  $x_o = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  to  $x(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ?

If so, show how to determine the minimum energy state transferring control law.

(d) Does there exist a control law which will transfer the state of the system from  $x_o = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  to  $x(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ?

If so, determine one. If not, determine what state closest to  $x(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is reachable. Then determine a control law which will achieve the transfer to this reachable state. Is your control law unique? Explain.

(e) Does there exist a full state feedback control law  $u = -Gx$  such that the closed loop system has poles at  $s = -2, -3$ ? If so, determine a suitable control gain matrix  $G$ . If not, explain why.

(f) Does there exist a full state feedback control law  $u = -Gx$  such that the closed loop system has poles at  $s = -3, -4$ ? If so, determine a suitable control gain matrix  $G$ . If not, explain why. ■

**Problem 5 (Observability, State Reconstruction, Pole Placement)**

Consider the LTI system defined in Problem 3.

(a) Is the system observable? Explain your answer.

(b) Suppose that  $u = 0$  and  $y$  is known on  $t \in [0, 1]$ . Determine an expression for the set of all possible initial conditions  $x_o$ . Can  $x_o$  be determined uniquely? Explain. Determine the minimum norm initial condition.

(c) Can you design an observer with closed loop poles at  $s = -1, -3$ ? If not, explain why. If so, determine a suitable observer gain matrix  $H$ . ■

**Problem 6 (Observability, State Reconstruction, Pole Placement)**

Consider the LTI system defined by the state space triple  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $C = [0.5 \quad 1]$ .

(a) Is the system observable? Explain your answer.

(b) Suppose that  $u = 0$  and  $y$  is known on  $t \in [0, 1]$ . Determine an expression for the set of all possible initial conditions  $x_o$ . Can  $x_o$  be determined uniquely? Explain. Determine the minimum norm initial condition.

(c) Can you design an observer with closed loop poles at  $s = -2, -3$ ? If so, show how to determine a suitable observer gain matrix  $H$ . If not, explain why.

(e) Does there exist an observer with closed loop poles at  $s = -3, -4$ ? If so, show how to determine a suitable observer gain matrix  $H$ . If not, explain why. ■

**Problem 7 (Model Based Compensator Design)**

Consider the unstable plant  $P = \frac{10-s}{s-1} = [A_p, B_p, C_p, D_p]$  where  $A_p = 1$ ,  $B_p = 1$ ,  $C_p = 9$ ,  $D_p = -1$ . Design a model based compensator  $K$  which guarantees zero steady state error to step reference commands and places closed loop poles at  $s = -1 \pm j1, -10 \pm j10$ . ■