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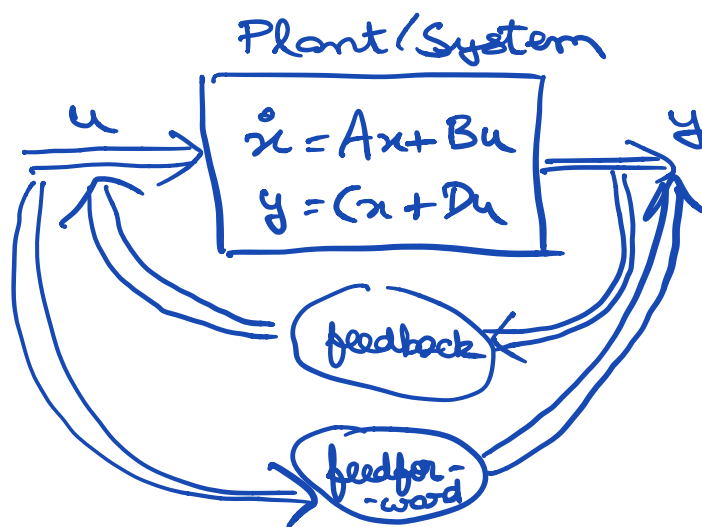
MULTIVARIABLE CONTROL

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Design Specifications, typical

- Stability
- Transient response
- Noise reduction
- parameter uncertainty robustness

Especially for first two,
we want to change the
eigenvalues to desired
locations



Control strategies

- Feedback: input is made a function of output.
- Feedforward: anticipatory action is added to input.

(Dis feedforward term)

Focus is on feedback

Therefore, we set $D=0$.

System: $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$
 $y = Cx$

To make input a function of output

↳ $u = -Ky$, K is a constant

↳ $u = -\underbrace{K(s)}_{\text{this is in Laplace domain}} y$, and indicates some y -dynamics

GAP: While this is natural, most treatments start with $u = -Kx$.
↑
state

Most common justification:

Output is a function of state.

State has more information about the system than the output, so we start with a state.

Note the gap, and start with

$u = \underbrace{-Kx}_{\text{state feedback}} + \underbrace{K_r r}_{\text{reference input}}$

To see whether eigenvalues can be changed,

$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$

$\Rightarrow \dot{x} = Ax + B(-Kx + K_r r)$

$\Rightarrow \dot{x} = (A - BK)x + BK_r r$

- How to move eigenvalues of $(A-BK)$ to desired locations, as it is these eigenvalues which determine properties like stability, transient response etc.?
- Can this be done? Controllability Test
- A ^{Controllable} canonical form helps this exercise.
- Part of the concept of controllability reachability (used in the textbook)

State feedback, $u = -Kx + k_r r$ uses 'x'.

Where to get the x?

We get x, from output y, because that is, by definition what we measure.

if $y = x$, then easy problem.

if not, then more work has to be done...

GAP: In some sense, we want to extract/filter information of x from y.

Observer, related to Kalman Filter

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\hat{x}} &= A\hat{x} + Bu + L(y - \hat{y}) \\ \hat{y} &= C\hat{x} \end{aligned}$$

This is a filter (?), with the aim of reconstructing the state. We would like \hat{x} to be equal to x .