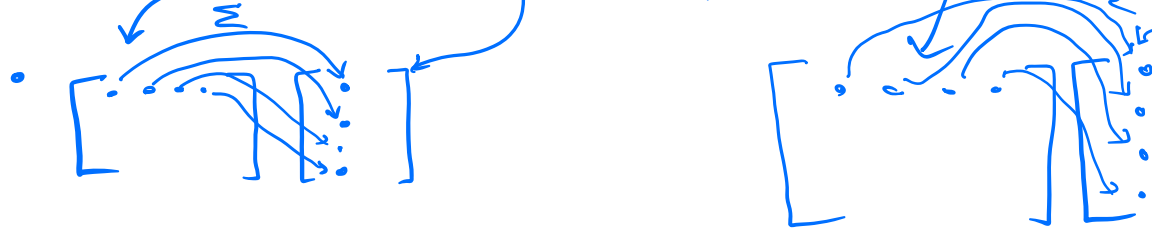


• Is  $[TB \quad TAB \quad \dots \quad TA^{n-1}B] = T[B \quad AB \quad \dots \quad A^{n-1}B]$  ?

Yes

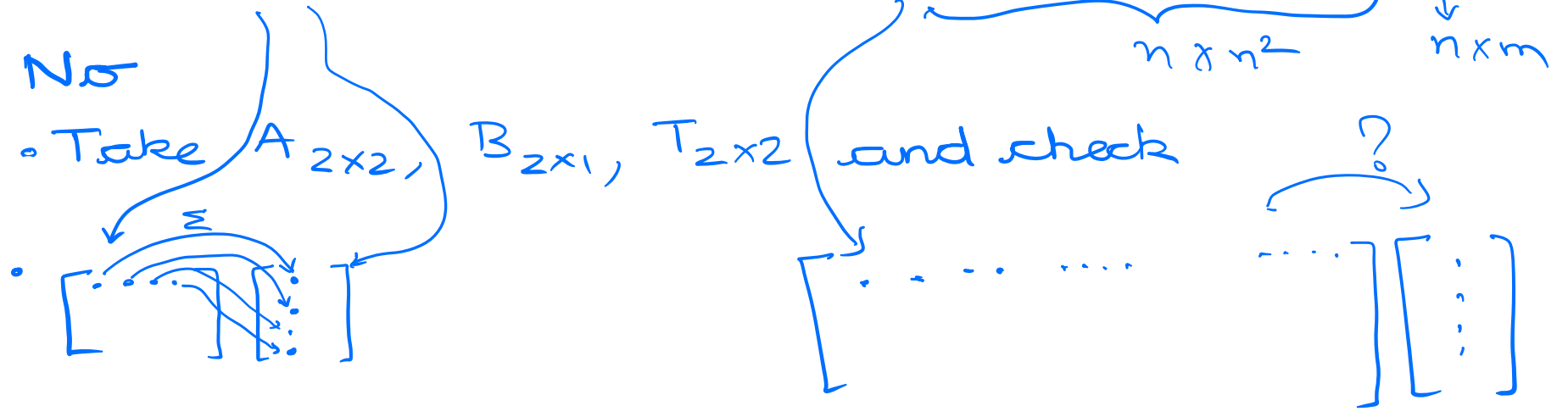
• Take  $A_{2 \times 2}, B_{2 \times 1}, T_{2 \times 2}$  and check



• Is  $[TB \quad TAB \quad \dots \quad TA^{n-1}B] = [T \quad TA \quad \dots \quad TA^{n-1}] B$  ?

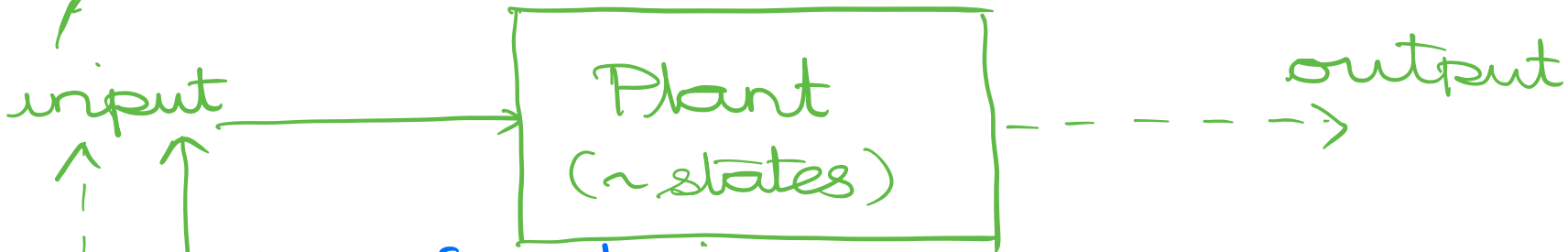
No

• Take  $A_{2 \times 2}, B_{2 \times 1}, T_{2 \times 2}$  and check



$$x(t) = e^{At} x_0 + \int_0^t e^{A(t-z)} B u(z) dz$$

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



known from design

Is this known? How is it obtained?  
 $u = -Kx$



Feedforward

Can we use output measurement to get state value?

Want desired behavior

Model (A, B, C, D)

Feed-back

Feed-forward

Input

Output

?

$x = \text{state}$

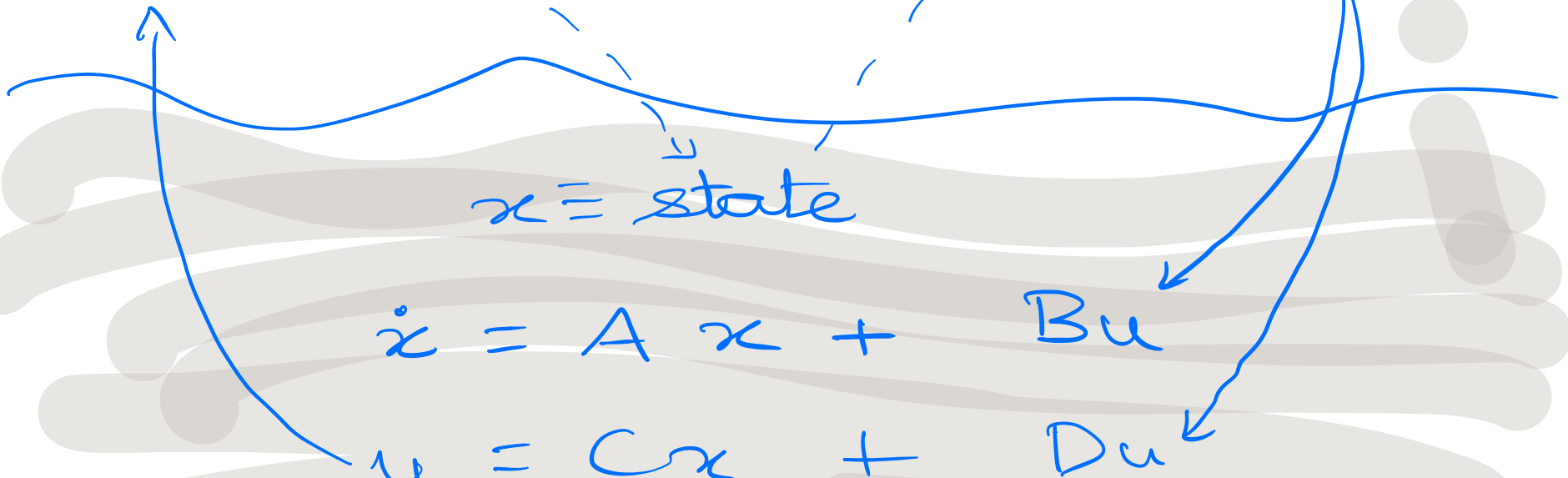
$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$$

$$y = Cx + Du$$

Process ↓

Known

Unknown



→ Kalman Filter

## Kalman's Example

states:  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$

$$y = 7x_1 + 6x_2 + 4x_3 + 2x_4$$

input

$$\dot{x}_1 = 2x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 + x_4 + u$$

$$\dot{x}_2 = -2x_1 - 3x_2 - 2u$$

$$\dot{x}_3 = -2x_1 - 2x_2 - 4x_3 + 2u$$

$$\dot{x}_4 = -2x_1 - 2x_2 - 2x_3 - 5x_4 - u$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & -4 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & -2 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = [1 \ -2 \ 2 \ -1]'$$

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

$$y = Cx \quad (D=0)$$

$$C = [7 \ 6 \ 4 \ 2]_{1 \times 4}$$

$$C'y = C'cx$$

If  $(C'c)^{-1}$  exists, then  $x = (C'c)^{-1} C'y$

Check if this is possible...

- Diagonalize A {eigenvalues, eigenvectors}

$$\begin{aligned} & \{\lambda_1, v_1\}, \{\lambda_2, v_2\}, \{\lambda_3, v_3\}, \{\lambda_4, v_4\} \\ & \Rightarrow AV = VD, \quad V = [v_1 \ v_2 \ v_3 \ v_4] \end{aligned}$$

- $z = V^{-1}x, \quad \dot{z} = V^{-1}\dot{x} = V^{-1}Ax + V^{-1}Bu$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{z} = \underbrace{V^{-1}AV}_D z + V^{-1}Bu$$

$D = \text{diag}\{-1, -2, -3, -4\}$

How does  $y$  depend on  $z$ ?

$\rightarrow$  &  $y = Cx \Rightarrow y = C \underbrace{V}_{x} z$

- $CV = [1 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0]$

for this example. Check.

$$\dot{N}^e = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix} z + \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$\dot{z}_1 = -z_1 + u$$

$$\dot{z}_2 = -2z_2 \quad \leftarrow \text{no input}$$

$$\dot{z}_3 = -3z_3 + u$$

$$\dot{z}_4 = -4z_4 \quad \leftarrow \text{no input}$$

$$y = z_1 + z_2 = \overbrace{[1 \quad 1 \quad 0 \quad 0]}^{CV} \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ z_3 \\ z_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

• Can we obtain  $z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4$  from  $y$ ?

$$((CV)'(CV))^{-1} (CV)' y$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}_{4 \times 1}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}_{1 \times 4}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

not invertible

# Observability

~ The system  $\dot{x} = Ax$ ,  $y = Cx$  is observable if it is possible to find any initial state  $x(0)$  from the observations of output  $y(t)$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq T$ .

# Output Solution

- $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$

$$y = Cx + Du$$

- $x(t) = e^{At} x(0) + \int_0^t e^{A(t-z)} Bu(z) dz$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = C e^{At} x(0) + C \int_0^t e^{A(t-z)} Bu(z) dz + Du$$

- $y(t) - C \int_0^t e^{A(t-z)} Bu(z) dz - Du$

$$= C e^{At} x(0)$$

considered  
as output  
(+ known)



How do we get state from output?

When is this possible?

$$y(t) = \underbrace{C e^{At}} x(0)$$

Possible,

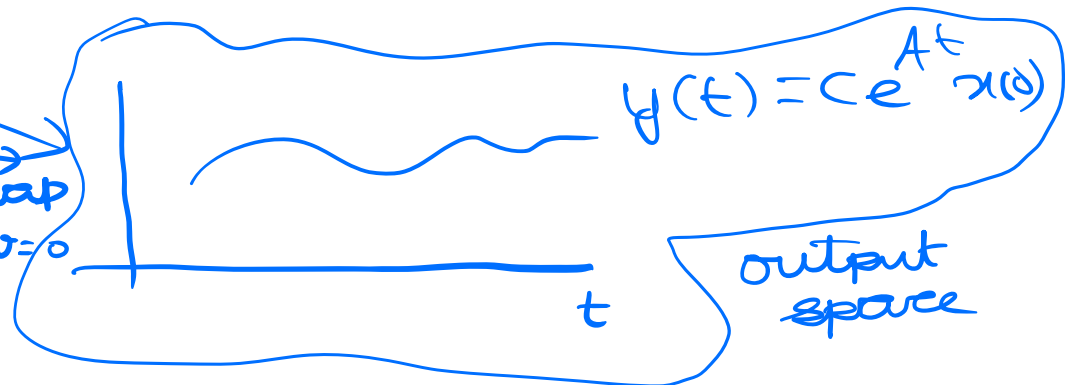
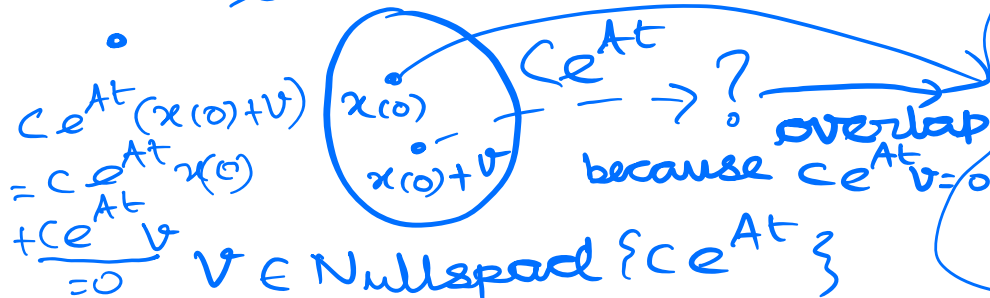
When  $C e^{At}$  is "invertible" ~ non-singular

$$\sim \text{rank} \{ C e^{At} \} = n$$

$$\sim \text{nullspace} \{ C e^{At} \} = \emptyset \text{ (empty)}$$

$$\equiv \{ v \text{ such that } C e^{At} v = 0 \} \quad v' C e^{At} = 0?$$

state space  $C e^{At}$



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$$\text{Nullspace} \{c e^{At}\} = \text{Nullspace} \{C\} \cap$$

$$(\subseteq) \quad v \in \text{Nullspace} \{c e^{At}\} \quad ? \quad \text{Nullspace} \{CA\} \cap$$

$$\Rightarrow c e^{At} v = 0$$

$$\text{Set } t=0 \Rightarrow C v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v \in \text{Nullspace} \{C\}$$

$$\dots$$

$$\text{Nullspace} \{C A^{n-1}\}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Differentiate w.r.t 't'} \Rightarrow C A e^{At} v = 0$$

$$\& \text{ Set } t=0 \Rightarrow C A v = 0 \Rightarrow v \in \text{Nullspace} \{C A\}$$

$$\text{Continue } n-1 \text{ times} \Rightarrow C A^{n-1} v = 0 \Rightarrow v \in \text{Nullsp}$$

$$\therefore v \in \text{Nullspace} \{C\} \cap \text{Nullspace} \{C A\} \cap \dots \cap \text{Nullspace} \{C A^{n-1}\}$$

$$(\supseteq) \text{ Suppose } v \in \text{Nullspace} \{C\} \cap \text{Nullspace} \{C A\} \cap$$

$$\dots \cap \text{Nullspace} \{C A^{n-1}\}$$

$$\Rightarrow Cv = 0 \ \& \ CAv = 0 \ \dots \ \& \ CA^{n-1}v = 0$$

$$Ce^{At}v = ?$$

$$e^{At} = I + tA + \frac{t^2}{2!}A^2 + \dots$$

By Cayley-Hamilton Theorem

Scalars

$$e^{At} = f_0(t)I + f_1(t)A + f_2(t)A^2 + \dots + f_{n-1}(t)A^{n-1}$$

$$Ce^{At} = f_0(t)C + f_1(t)CA + f_2(t)CA^2 + \dots + f_{n-1}(t)CA^{n-1}$$

$$Ce^{At}v = f_0(t)\underbrace{Cv}_0 + f_1(t)\underbrace{CAv}_0 + \dots + f_{n-1}(t)\underbrace{CA^{n-1}v}_0$$

$$\Rightarrow v \in \text{Nullspace}\{Ce^{At}\}$$

The mapping  $y = Ce^{At}x(0)$  is being analysed to see if output measurement ( $y(t), 0 \leq t \leq T$ ) can be used to get state information ( $x(0) \rightarrow x(t) = e^{At}x(0) + \int_0^t e^{A(t-z)}Bu(z)dz$ )

$\mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$

these points represent vectors,  $x(0)$

$Ce^{At}$

these points represent functions of  $y(t)$  time

Claim: If  $v (\neq 0) \in \text{Nullspace } \{Ce^{At}\}$ , then  $(A, C)$  is not observable.

Because any initial state  $x(0)$  and the initial state  $x(0) + v$  would map to same output

$$x(0) \rightarrow C e^{At} x(0)$$

$$x(0) + v \rightarrow C e^{At} (x(0) + v)$$

$$= C e^{At} x(0) + C e^{At} v \stackrel{v=0}{\cancel{}}$$

$$= C e^{At} x(0)$$

Rewrite

$\rightarrow (A, C)$  is observable  $\Rightarrow$  Nullspace  $\{C e^{At}\} = \emptyset$   
?  
.

Check that above proof matches this statement.

$(A, C)$  is observable

$$\Rightarrow \text{Nullspace}\{C e^{At}\} = \emptyset$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{Nullspace}\{C\} \cap \text{Nullspace}\{CA\} \cap \dots$$

$$\text{Nullspace}\{CA^{n-1}\} = \emptyset$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{rank} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \right\} = n$$

Rank-Nullity Theorem

$$\text{Nullspace} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \emptyset$$

No  $v (\neq 0)$  such that

$$Cv = CAv = \dots = CA^{n-1}v = 0$$

Combine

$$p \times n \quad n \times 1$$

$$C v = 0$$

$$p \times n \quad n \times 1$$

$$CA v = 0$$

$$p \times n \quad n \times 1$$

$$CA^{n-1} v = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times pn} v_{n \times 1} = 0$$

$(A, C)$  is observable



$$\text{Nullspace} \{ C e^{At} \} = \emptyset$$

Nullspace =  $\emptyset$

observable

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{Nullspace} \{ C \} \cap \text{Nullspace} \{ CA \} \dots \\ \cap \text{Nullspace} \{ CA^{n-1} \} = \emptyset$$


$$\Leftrightarrow \text{Nullspace} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \emptyset$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{Rank} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \right\} = n$$

$W_o$ : Observability matrix

Nullspace  $\{C e^{At}\} = \emptyset \Rightarrow (A, C)$  is observable

Suppose  $(A, C)$  is not observable

  $\exists v_1, v_2 (\neq v_1)$  such that

$$C e^{At} v_1 = y(t) = C e^{At} v_2$$

$$\Rightarrow C e^{At} (v_1 - v_2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v_1 - v_2 \in \text{Nullspace} \{C e^{At}\}$$

( $\neq 0$ )

$\Rightarrow$  Contradiction

$\Rightarrow (A, C)$  is observable.

makes  
sense





Nullspace  $\{C e^{At}\} = \emptyset \Rightarrow (A, C)$  is observable  
( a constructive proof ... )

We need to show

~ The system  $\dot{x} = Ax, y = Cx$  is observable if it is possible to find any initial state  $x(0)$  from the observations of output  $y(t), 0 \leq t \leq T$ .

$$-x(0) \xrightarrow{C e^{At}} y(t)$$

Can we invert this?

$$(C e^{At})' \times \int y(t) = C e^{At} x(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow (C e^{At})' y(t) = (C e^{At})' (C e^{At}) x(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{A't} c' y(t) = e^{A't} c' c e^{At} x(t)$$

$$\int_0^T \Rightarrow \int_0^T e^{A't} c' y(t) dt = \int_0^T e^{A't} c' c e^{At} dt x(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = \left( \int_0^T e^{A't} c' c e^{At} dt \right)^{-1} \int_0^T e^{A't} c' y(t) dt$$

if  $\left( \int_0^T e^{A't} c' c e^{At} dt \right)^{-1}$  exists

Observability

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if  $\left( \int_0^T e^{A't} c' c e^{At} dt \right)^{-1}$  exists

Observability

Grammian

Does this inverse exist?

Suppose the inverse did not exist

$\Rightarrow$  there is a vector  $v (\neq 0)$  such that

$$\int_0^T e^{A't} c' c e^{At} dt \cdot v = 0$$

$$v' \times \left[ \int_0^T e^{A't} c' c e^{At} dt \right] v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^T [v' e^{A't} c' c e^{At} v] dt = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^T \underbrace{[c e^{At} v]}_{z'} \underbrace{[c e^{At} v]}_z dt = 0$$

Suppose  $z \in \mathbb{R}$   $\int_0^T z^2 dt = 0 \Rightarrow z = 0$

$z \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 1}$   $\int_0^T (z_1^2 + z_2^2) dt = 0 \Rightarrow z_1 = 0 = z_2$

$$\Rightarrow c e^{At} v = 0 \quad \& \quad v \neq 0$$

We are trying to show contradiction!

Nullspace  $\{c e^{At}\} = \emptyset \Rightarrow (A, c)$  is observable

$(A, C)$  is observable

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{Nullspace } \{ C e^{At} \} = \emptyset$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{rank} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \right\} = n$$

# Bicycle : Observable ?

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 80.8 & 2.3 \\ 2.3 & 0.3 \end{bmatrix}, q = 9.8, v = 2$$

$$C_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 33.9 \\ -0.9 & 1.7 \end{bmatrix}, k_0 = \begin{bmatrix} -81 & -2.6 \\ -2.6 & -0.8 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 9.58 & -4.13 & -0.22 & -0.67 \\ 12.25 & 2.16 & 7.7 & -6.28 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$k_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 76.6 \\ 0 & 2.7 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{PARAMETERS}$$

• Model

Given  $\begin{cases} M\ddot{q} + vC_1\dot{q} + (v^2k_2 + qk_0)q = f, & q = \begin{bmatrix} \phi \\ \delta \end{bmatrix}, & f = \begin{bmatrix} T_\phi \\ T_\delta \end{bmatrix} \\ \phi: \text{balance angle}, \delta: \text{steer angle}, f: \text{input} \end{cases}$

Set  $x_1 = \phi, x_2 = \delta, x_3 = \dot{\phi}, x_4 = \dot{\delta}$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \\ \dot{x}_4 \end{bmatrix}}_{\dot{x}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -M^{-1} & & & \\ [qk_0 + v^2k_2] & & -M^{-1}vC_1 & \end{bmatrix}}_A \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}}_x + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ \dots & \dots \\ M^{-1} \end{bmatrix}}_B \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} T_\phi \\ T_\delta \end{bmatrix}}_u$$

$\rightarrow \text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ CA^2 \\ CA^3 \end{bmatrix} = 4?$

• Is the system observable if only output

is a)  $\phi$ , b)  $\delta$ , c)  $\dot{\phi}$ , d)  $\phi - \delta$ .

$C = [1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0] \rightarrow [0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0] \rightarrow [0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0] \rightarrow [1 \ -1 \ 0 \ 0]$

$$(a) \quad c = [1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0], \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 & b_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} c \\ cA \\ cA^2 \\ cA^3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ a_1 a_3 + b_1 a_4 & a_2 a_3 + b_2 a_4 & a_3 a_3 + b_3 a_4 & a_4 a_3 + b_4 b_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

- $\sim$  dynamics are coupled, so these "limited" measurements suffice for observability

- Duality between observability and controllability

$$\text{rank} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \right\} = n$$

$$\text{rank} \{ [B \ AB \ \dots \ A^{n-1}B] \} = n$$

- Theorem:

$(A, C)$  is observable

not same system

$\Leftrightarrow (A', C')$  is controllable.

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}' &= [C'(CA)' \ \dots \ (CA^{n-1})'] \\ &= [C' \ A'C' \ \dots \ (A')^{n-1}C'] \end{aligned}$$



Duality can be used to prove...

- Observability is independent of co-ordinate transformation

- Suppose  $\text{rank} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \right\} = r < n$

there exists a co-ordinate transformation such that...

+ How to design observers?

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## Minor Exam

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- Calculators

# ~ Observability

- observe states from output if

$$\text{rank} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \right\} = n$$



- how to design observers?

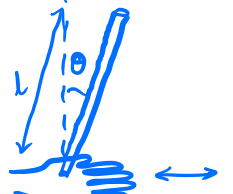
↳ input: measurement +

model of dynamics

↳ Should we use this?  $A, C$

$$x(0) = \left( \int_0^T e^{A't} C' C e^{At} dt \right)^{-1} \int_0^T e^{A't} C' y(t) dt$$

$\theta_{\text{desired}} = 0$



states =  $\theta, \dot{\theta}$

control,  $u = -k \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix}$

observable?

observer design?

Maybe this is how observers were designed?

$x \rightarrow$  state  
(fn. of time)

$\hat{x} \rightarrow$  estimate  
'hat' state

$e \rightarrow$  error,  $e = x - \hat{x}$

We want the error to be zero.

We are observing

$$\dot{x} = Ax$$

$$y = Cx$$

We are measuring

$$\dot{\hat{x}} = \hat{A} \hat{x} + \hat{L} y$$

unknown

$$\hat{y} = \hat{C} \hat{x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{From } \dot{\hat{x}} &= \hat{A} \hat{x} + L y \\ &= \hat{A} \hat{x} + LC x \end{aligned}$$

$e = x - \hat{x}$  follows what equation?

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{e} &= \dot{x} - \dot{\hat{x}} \\ &= Ax - \hat{A} \hat{x} - LCx \rightarrow \hat{x} \\ &= (A - LC)x - \hat{A}(x - e) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{e} = \hat{A}e + (A - LC - \hat{A})x$$

Choose  $\hat{A} = A - LC$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{e} = (A - LC)e$$

Can we choose  $L$  so that  $e(t) \rightarrow 0$ ?

For  $e(t) \rightarrow 0$ ,

- eigenvalues of  $A-LC$  should have negative real part.

Do we know that the eigenvalues of  $A-LC$  can be placed anywhere by suitable choice of  $L$ ?

↳ Is it always possible?

↳ What are the conditions for it?

In control design, we had a similar question: Can the eigenvalues

of  $A-BK$  be placed anywhere by a proper choice of  $K$ ?

- Yes, if  $(A, B)$  are controllable.

Invoke the duality between controllability and observability to solve the eigenvalue assignment problem ...

- To place eigenvalues of  $A-LC$
- we can place eigenvalues of  $(A-LC)'$   
 $= A' - C'L'$
- this is always possible if

$(A', c')$  is controllable.  $\rightarrow \text{rank} [c' \ A'c' \ \dots \ (A')^{n-1}c'] = n$

- which means possible if  $(A, c)$  is observable.

take transpose  $\nwarrow$   
 $\text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} c \\ cA \\ \vdots \\ cA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} = n$

System

$$\dot{x} = Ax$$

$$y = Cx$$



Observer

$$\dot{\hat{x}} = \hat{A} \hat{x} + Ly$$

$$\uparrow \\ A - LC$$

$$\dot{\hat{x}} = (A - LC) \hat{x} + Ly$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{\hat{x}} = A \hat{x} + (-LC) \hat{x} + Ly$$

$$= A \hat{x} + L (y - \underbrace{C \hat{x}}_y)$$









