

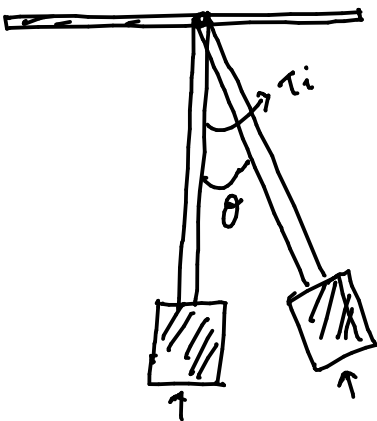
Lecture-16

How to study stability of a non-linear system, which is linearized at different equilibrium points?

- For each equilibrium point / steady state operating point we have different state space realizations.

→ When a system has "multiple equilibrium points" ↓

Stability analysis of equilibrium points
(instead of a original system)



← Two equilibrium points

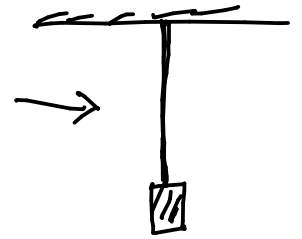
$$(0, 0)$$

$$(\pi, 0)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \dot{x}_1 \\ \Delta \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -g/l \cos \alpha_1 & -D/m l^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x_1 \\ \Delta x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

→ Linearizing about the point $(0, 0)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \dot{x}_1 \\ \Delta \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -g/l & -D/ml^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x_1 \\ \Delta x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



$m = 1 \text{ unit}$
 $l = 1 \text{ unit}$

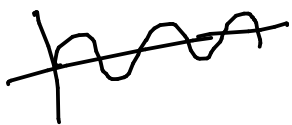
↓ det

$$s^2 + \frac{D}{ml^2} s + g/l = 0$$

Eigenvalues $\lambda_i = \frac{-D \pm \sqrt{D^2 - 4g}}{2}$

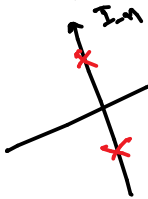
D : damping coefficient

When $D = 0$



$\lambda_i = \pm j\sqrt{g}$

$\rightarrow \Delta x(t) = K \cos(\omega t - \phi)$



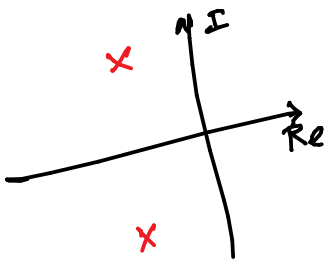
$D = 1$

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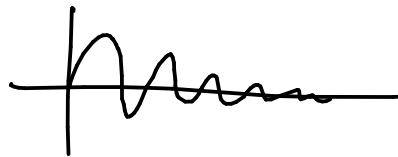
$$\lambda_i = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 - 4g}}{2}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \pm j \frac{6.18}{2}$$

$\sigma = \frac{1}{2}$



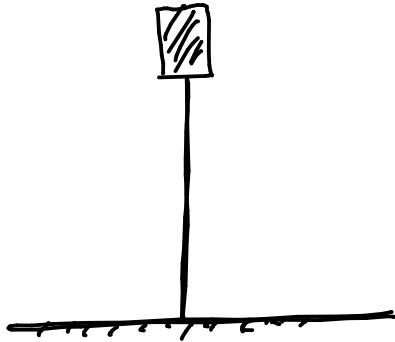
$\Delta x = K e^{-\sigma_1 t} \cos(\omega t - \phi)$



→ The S.S.-R is STABLE (Asymptotically stable) at $(0, 0)$ equilibrium point.

→ The $(0,0)$ equilibrium point is stable.

→ Linearize about $(\pi, 0)$.



$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \dot{x}_1 \\ \Delta \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ g/l & -D/ml^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta x_1 \\ \Delta x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$s^2 + D/ml^2 - g/l = 0$$

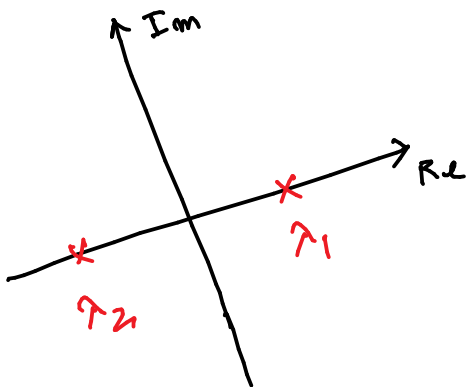
$$\lambda_i = \frac{-D \pm \sqrt{D^2 + 4g}}{2}$$

$$D = 1$$

$$\lambda_i = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 39.2}}{2}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{6.34}{2}, \quad -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{6.34}{2}$$

$$\lambda_1 \qquad \qquad \lambda_2$$



$$x(t) = () e^{\lambda_1 t} + () e^{\lambda_2 t}$$

$$\downarrow \qquad \qquad \downarrow$$

$$\infty \qquad \qquad 0$$

$$x(t) \longrightarrow \infty \quad \text{as } t \rightarrow \infty$$

→ The S.S.R. obtained at $(\pi, 0)$ is

Unstable.



- The equilibrium point $(\pi, 0)$ is unstable.

LTI System

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

$$y = cx$$



Stable if natural response $y_n(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$



Eigenvalues of A are in open left half of \mathbb{C} .

with transfer fun¹: $G(s)$



Stable/BIBO stable if impulse response $g(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$



Poles of $G(s)$ are in open left half of \mathbb{C} .



Since poles of $G(s) \subseteq$ eigenvalues of A

- * We consider a transfer function $G(s)$ to be a valid transfer function if there are NO common factors between numerator & denominator polynomial (No common poles and zeros).