

# Lecture 15

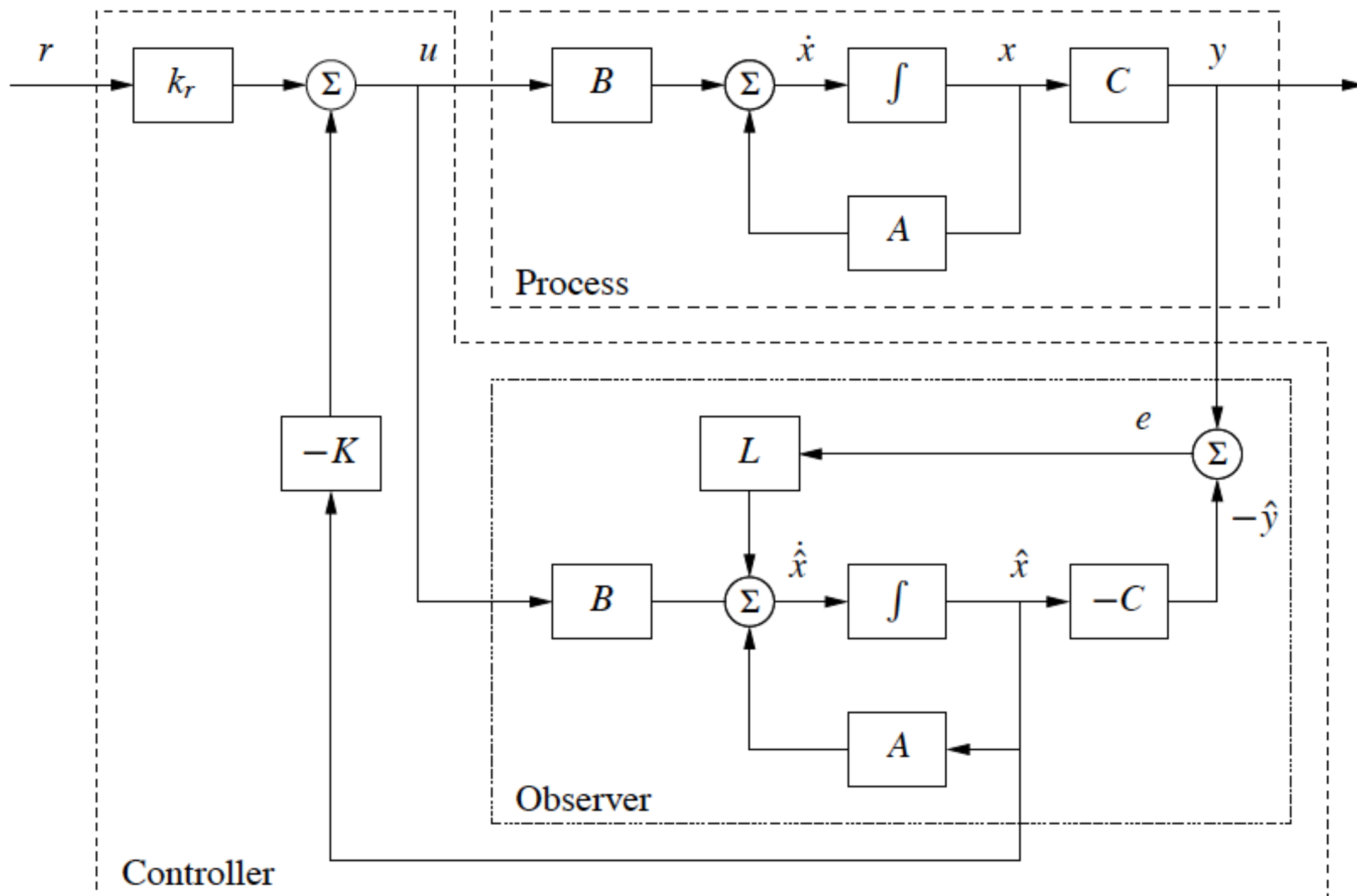
- why use transfer functions? -

# Review

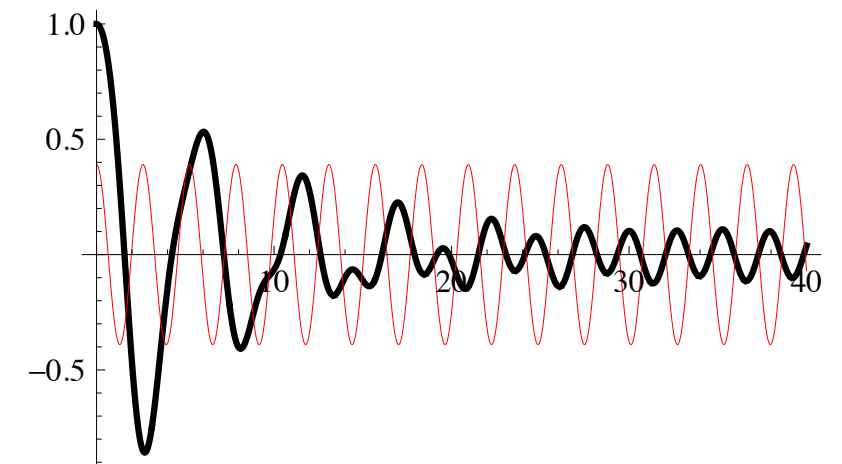
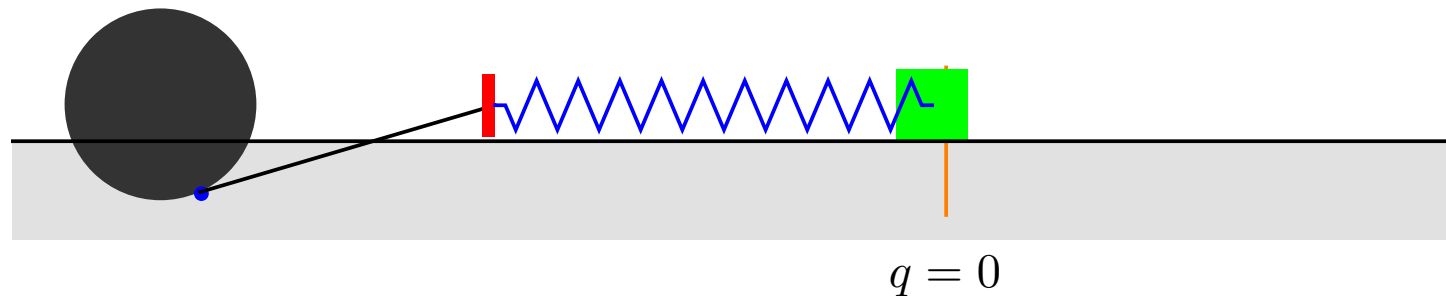
- Stability
  - Definitions
  - Analysis
- Reachability
  - Test for linear systems
- Observability
  - Test for linear systems
- Stabilization through state feedback

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = Ax + Bu, \quad y = Cx, \quad u = -K\hat{x} + k_r r$$

$$\frac{d\hat{x}}{dt} = A\hat{x} + Bu + L(y - C\hat{x})$$



# Damped oscillator



$$\ddot{q} + 2\zeta\omega_0\dot{q} + \omega_0^2q = k\omega_0^2u, \quad y = q$$

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} q \\ \dot{q}/\omega_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \omega_0 \\ -\omega_0 & -2\zeta\omega_0 \end{pmatrix} x + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ k\omega_0 \end{pmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} x$$

No input:  $\lambda_{1,2} = -\zeta\omega_0 \pm \omega_0\sqrt{\zeta^2 - 1}$

$\zeta$  : damping ratio

$\omega_0$  : natural frequency

$\omega_d$  : damped frequency

$$\omega_d = \omega_0\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$$

# Damped oscillator

- If  $\zeta > 1$

$$y(t) = \frac{\lambda_2 x_1(0) + x_2(0)}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} e^{-\lambda_1 t} - \frac{\lambda_1 x_1(0) + x_2(0)}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} e^{-\lambda_2 t}$$

where

$$\lambda_1 = -\zeta\omega_0 + \omega_0\sqrt{\zeta^2 - 1}, \quad \lambda_2 = -\zeta\omega_0 - \omega_0\sqrt{\zeta^2 - 1}$$

- If  $\zeta = 1$

$$y(t) = e^{-\omega_0 t} (x_1(0) + (x_2(0) + \omega_0 x_1(0))t)$$

asymptotically stable as long as  $\omega_0 > 0$

overdamped

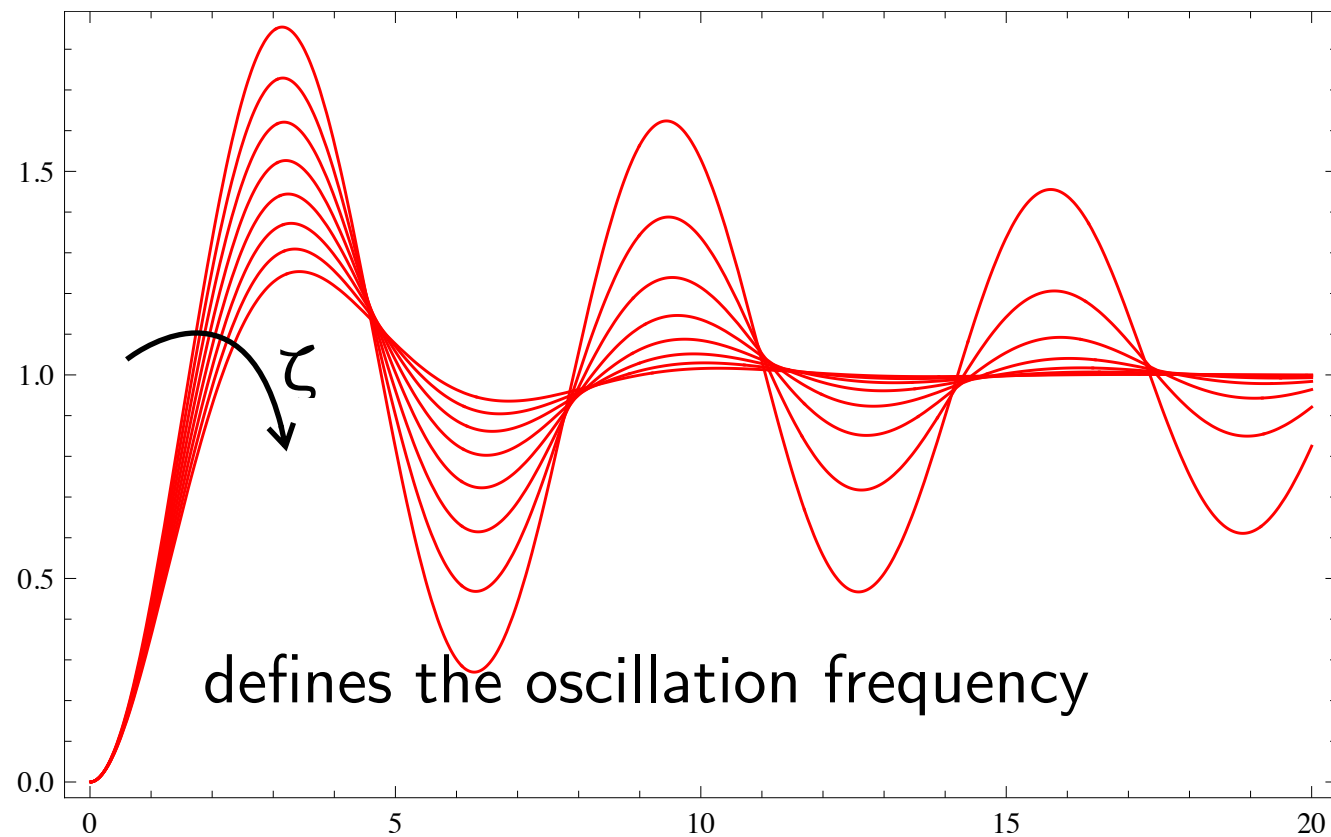
critically damped

# Damped oscillator

- If  $0 < \zeta < 1$

$$y(t) = e^{-\zeta\omega_0 t} \left( x_1(0) \cos \omega_d t + \left( \frac{\zeta\omega_0}{\omega_d} x_2(0) + \frac{1}{\omega_d} x_2(0) \right) \sin \omega_d t \right)$$

underdamped



- If then

$$\zeta \ll 1$$

$$\omega_d \approx \omega_0$$

# Performance (underdamped systems)

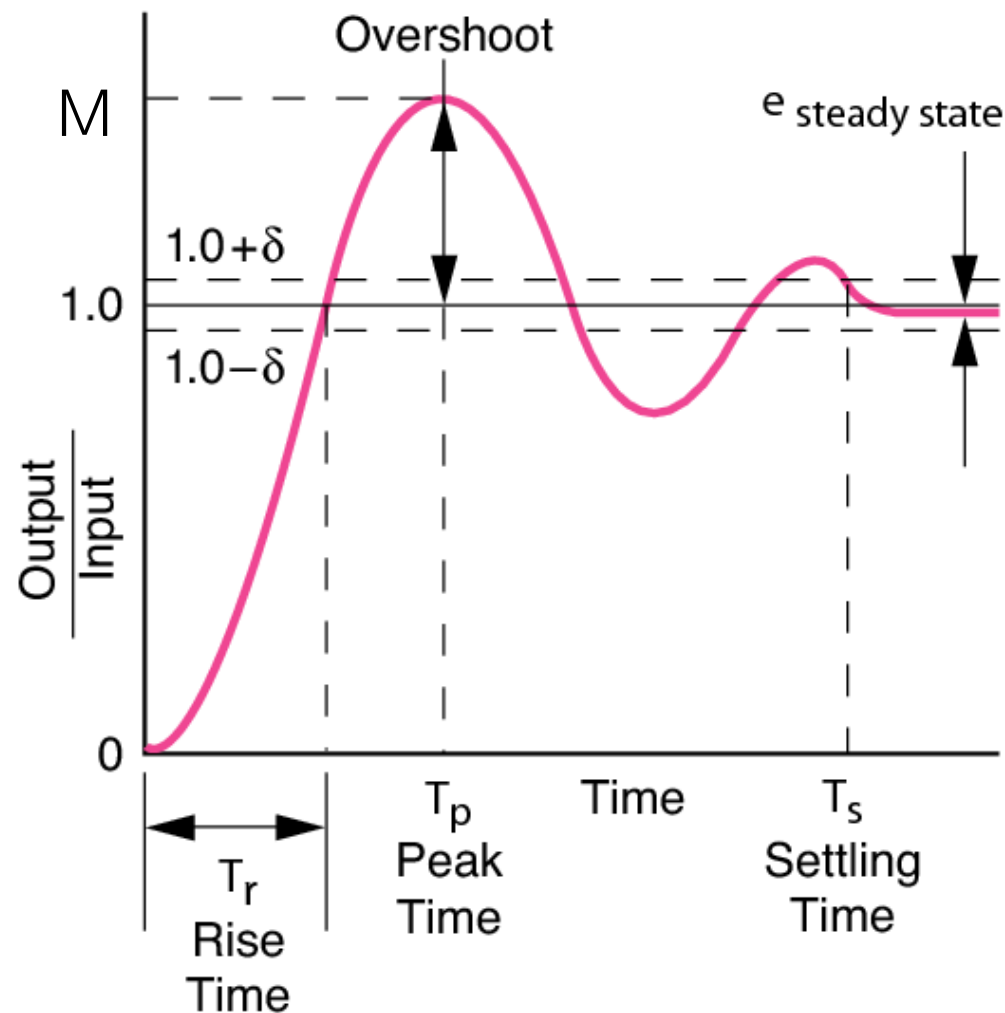
$$y(t) = e^{-\zeta\omega_0 t} \left( x_1(0) \cos \omega_d t + \left( \frac{\zeta\omega_0}{\omega_d} x_2(0) + \frac{1}{\omega_d} x_2(0) \right) \sin \omega_d t \right)$$

$$\lambda_{1,2} = \boxed{-\zeta\omega_0} \pm \omega_0 \sqrt{\zeta^2 - 1}$$

Percentage of overshoot

$$M_p = 1 + e^{-\zeta\pi/\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}$$

$$P.O. = \frac{M_p - \text{final value}}{\text{final value}} 100\% \\ = 100e^{-\zeta\pi/\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}$$



Peak time

$$T_p = \frac{\pi}{\omega_0 \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}}$$

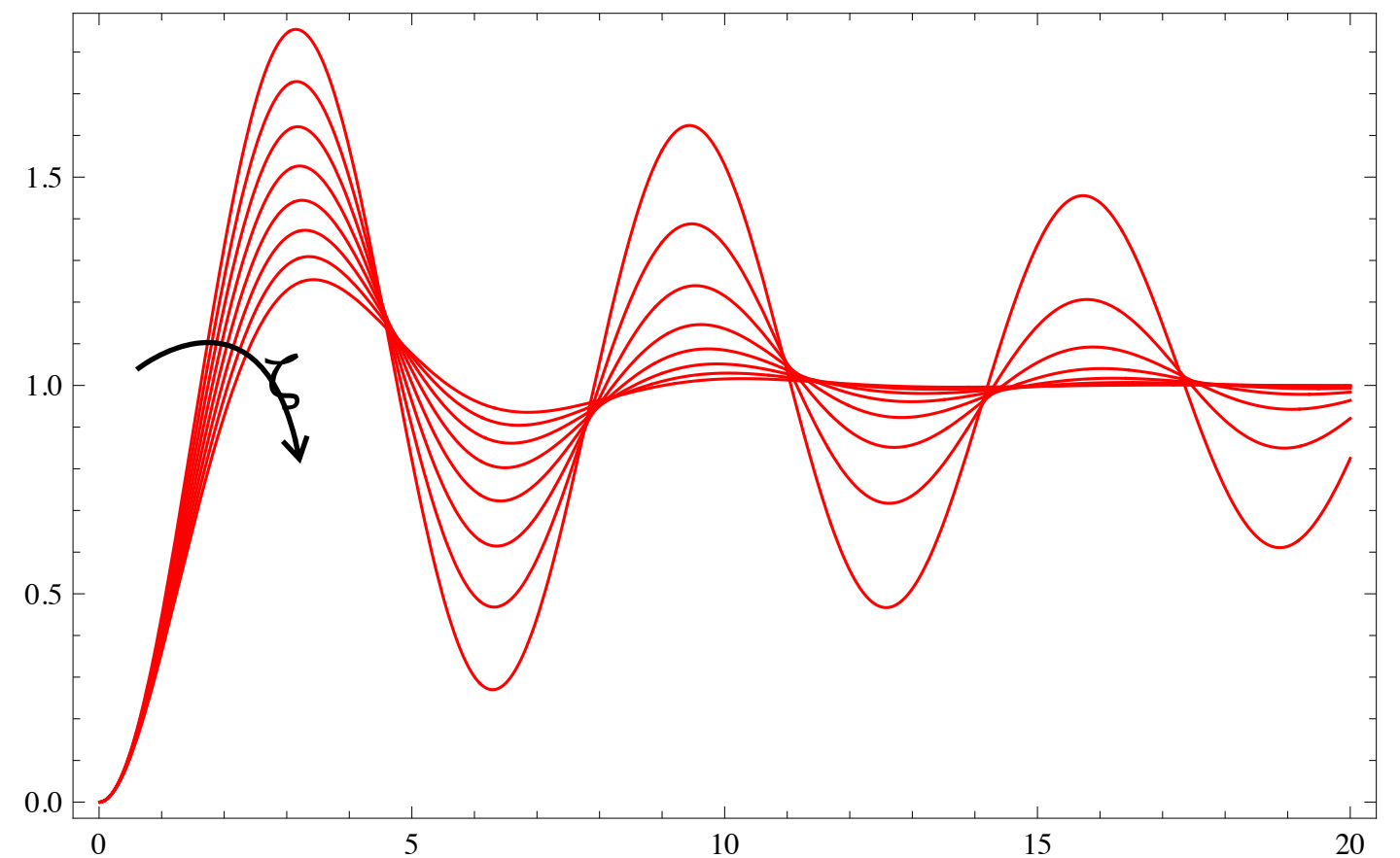
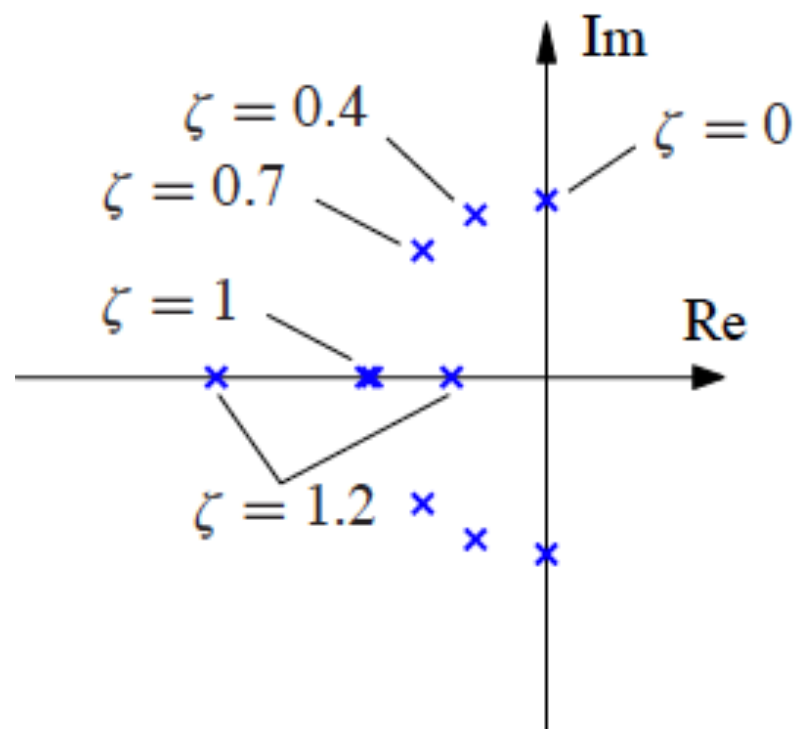
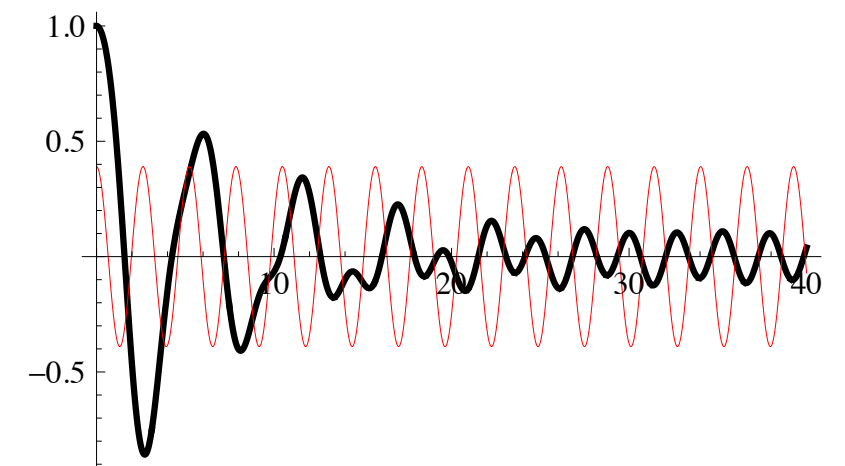
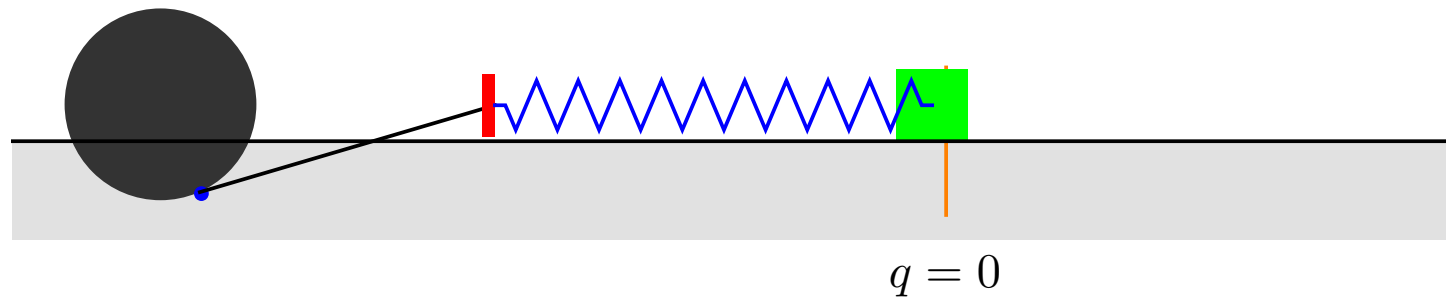
Settling time ( $\delta = 0.02$ )

$$e^{\zeta\omega_0 T_s} < \delta$$

$$T_s \approx \frac{4}{\zeta\omega_0}$$



# Damped oscillator



$$\lambda_{1,2} = -\zeta\omega_0 \pm \omega_0\sqrt{\zeta^2 - 1}$$



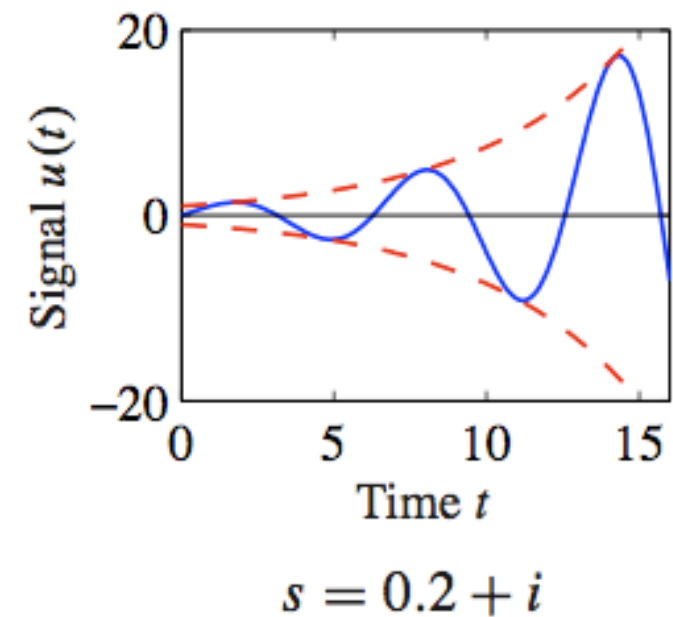
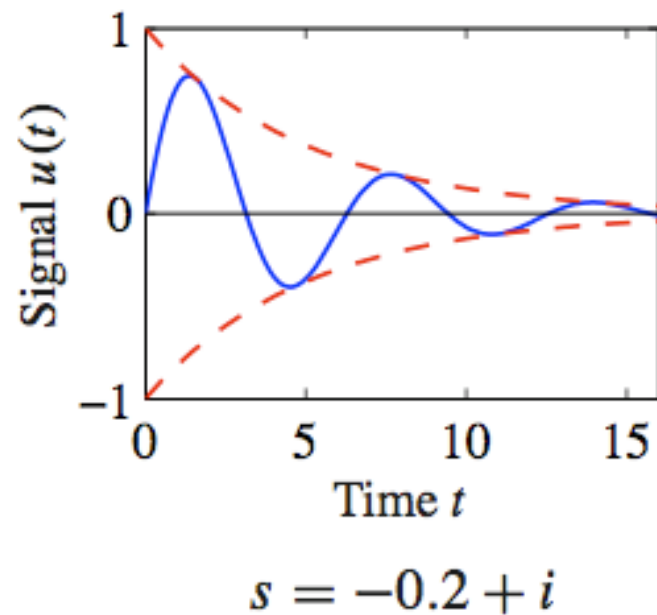
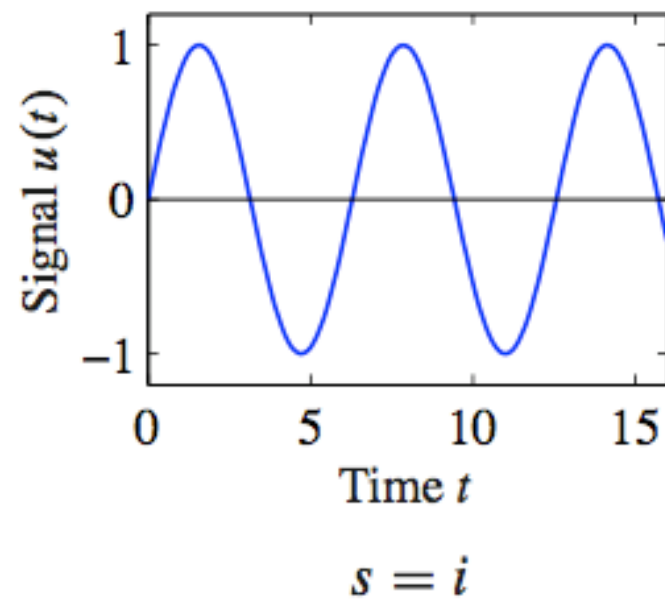
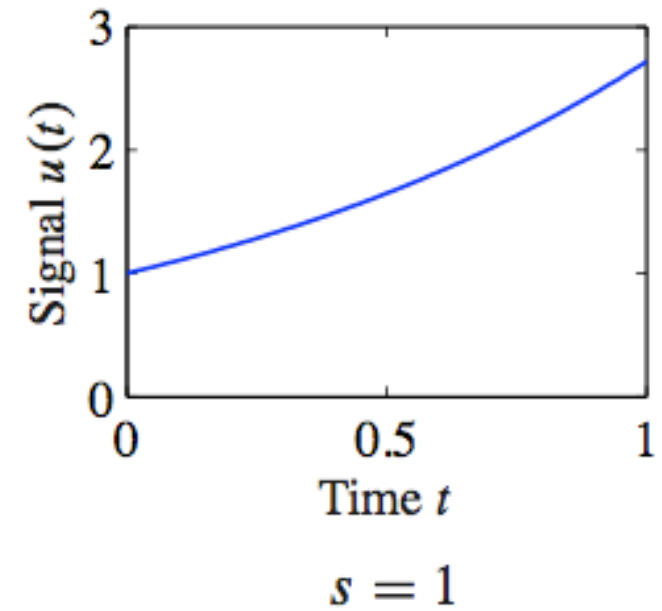
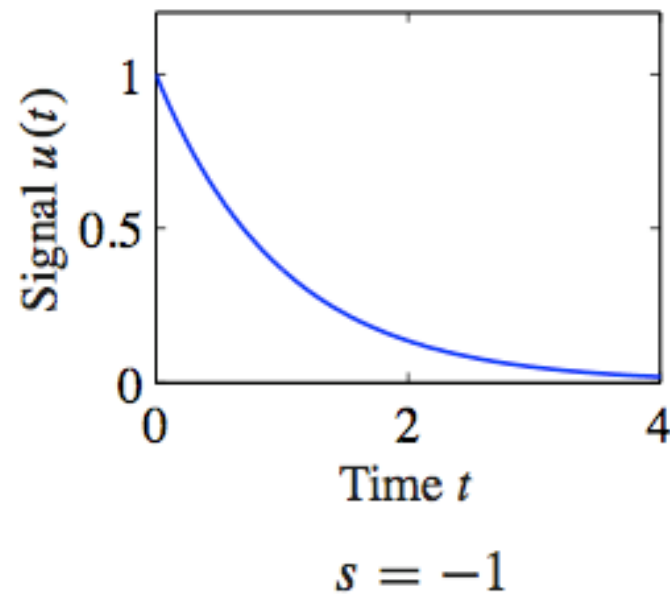
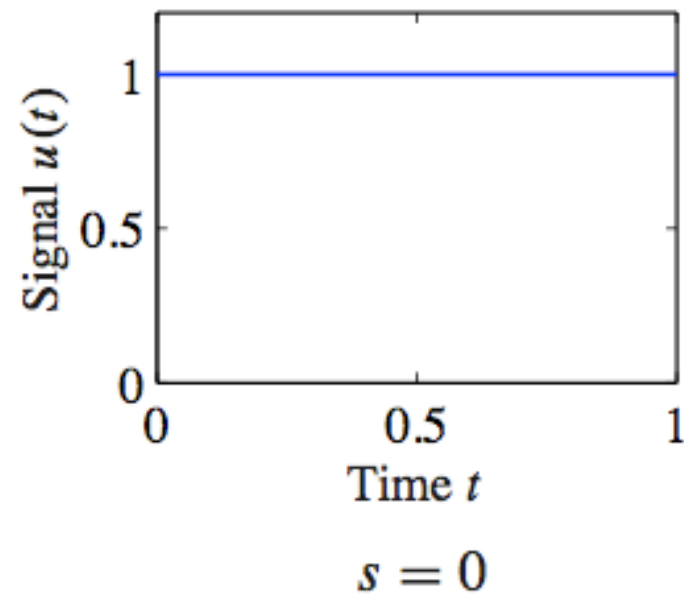
# Today

- Input/output transfer function of a **linear system**
- Understand the relationships among
  - state-space model
  - frequency response (Bode plot)
  - transfer function
- Routh-Hurwitz stability criterion
- Canonical form realizations

# Transmission of exponential signals

$e^{st}$ , where  $s = \sigma + i\omega$

$$e^{(\sigma+i\omega)t} = e^{\sigma t} e^{i\omega t} = e^{\sigma t} (\cos \omega t + i \sin \omega t),$$



# Derivation of the transfer function

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = Ax + Bu, \quad y = Cx + Du.$$

$$u(t) = e^{st} \text{ and assume that } s \neq \lambda_i(A), j = 1, \dots, n,$$

$$x(t) = e^{At}x(0) + \int_0^t e^{A(t-\tau)} B e^{s\tau} d\tau = e^{At}x(0) + e^{At} \int_0^t e^{(sI-A)\tau} B d\tau.$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= e^{At}x(0) + e^{At}(sI - A)^{-1} \left( e^{(sI-A)t} - I \right) B \\ &= e^{At} \left( x(0) - (sI - A)^{-1} B \right) + (sI - A)^{-1} B e^{st}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= Cx(t) + Du(t) \\ &= \cancel{C e^{At} \left( x(0) - (sI - A)^{-1} B \right)} + \left( C(sI - A)^{-1} B + D \right) e^{st}, \end{aligned}$$

transient response

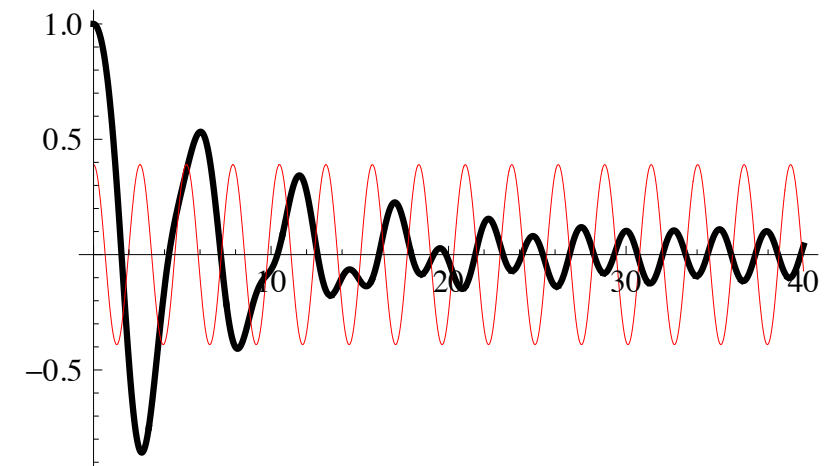
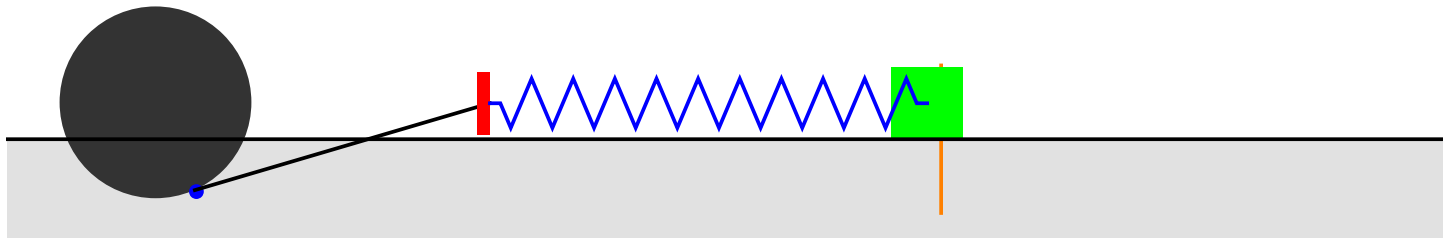
if the system is stable,

$y(t)$  does not depend on  $x(0)$

pure exponential response

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

# Damped oscillator



$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \omega_0 \\ -\omega_0 & -2\zeta\omega_0 \end{pmatrix} x + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ k\omega_0 \end{pmatrix} u$$

$$y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} x$$

$$\begin{aligned} G_{yu}(s) &= C(sI - A)^{-1}B \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} s & -\omega_0 \\ \omega_0 & s + 2\zeta\omega_0 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ k\omega_0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \left( \frac{1}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_0 s + \omega_0^2} \begin{pmatrix} s + 2\zeta\omega_0 & \omega_0 \\ -\omega_0 & s \end{pmatrix} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ k\omega_0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \frac{k\omega_0^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_0 s + \omega_0^2} \end{aligned}$$

# Second-order linear system

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = Ax + Bu$$
$$y = Cx$$

$$G_{yu}(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1}B$$
$$= \frac{k\omega_0^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_0s + \omega_0^2}$$

$$s = \sigma + \omega i$$

steady-state response to a step function, we set  $s=0$

$$u = 1 \quad \Longrightarrow \quad y = G_{yu}(0)u = k.$$

steady-state response to a sinusoid

$$u = \sin \omega t = \frac{1}{2} (ie^{-i\omega t} - ie^{i\omega t}),$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} (iG_{yu}(-i\omega)e^{-i\omega t} - iG_{yu}(i\omega)e^{i\omega t}).$$

$$G(i\omega) = \frac{k\omega_0^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_0s + \omega_0^2} = Me^{i\theta},$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} (i(Me^{-i\theta})e^{-i\omega t} - i(Me^{i\theta})e^{i\omega t})$$

$$= M \cdot \frac{1}{2} (ie^{-i(\omega t + \theta)} - ie^{i(\omega t + \theta)})$$

$$= M \sin(\omega t + \theta)$$

| Type               | ODE                                                  | Transfer Function                              |
|--------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Integrator         | $\dot{y} = u$                                        | $\frac{1}{s}$                                  |
| Differentiator     | $y = \dot{u}$                                        | $s$                                            |
| First-order system | $\dot{y} + ay = u$                                   | $\frac{1}{s + a}$                              |
| Double integrator  | $\ddot{y} = u$                                       | $\frac{1}{s^2}$                                |
| Damped oscillator  | $\ddot{y} + 2\zeta\omega_0\dot{y} + \omega_0^2y = u$ | $\frac{1}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_0s + \omega_0^2}$ |
| PID controller     | $y = k_p u + k_d \dot{u} + k_i \int u$               | $k_p + k_d s + \frac{k_i}{s}$                  |
| Time delay         | $y(t) = u(t - \tau)$                                 | $e^{-\tau s}$                                  |

# Gains, poles and zeros

$$G(s) = \frac{b(s)}{a(s)},$$

roots of  $b(s)$  are called the zeros  
roots of  $a(s)$  are called the poles

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

Should the pair of zeros lie directly upon the imaginary axis  
the system does not respond at all to sinusoidal excitation at  
that frequency.

$\Rightarrow$  response is zero at the frequency of the zero

Poles of the transfer function are the  
eigenvalues of the matrix  $A$

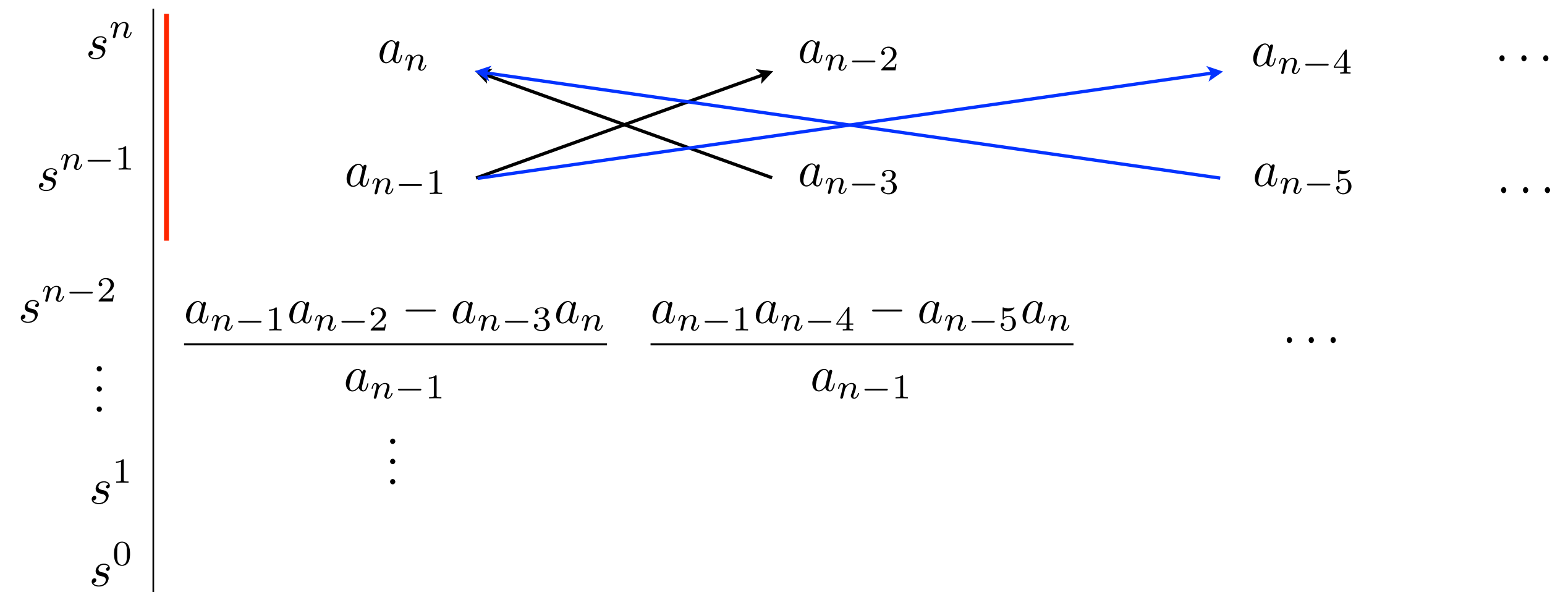
$\Rightarrow$  tf stable if all of its poles have negative real part



# Routh-Hurwitz Criterion

$$G(s) = \frac{b(s)}{a(s)},$$

$$a(s) = a_n s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0$$





# Transfer function

- A compact description of the input/output
- Use `tf` to connect systems (block algebra)
- Response of the system to an exponential input

# Routh-Hurwitz Criterion

$$G(s) = \frac{b(s)}{a(s)},$$

$$a(s) = s^4 + 8s^3 + 18s^2 + 16s + 5$$

|       |        |    |   |
|-------|--------|----|---|
| $s^4$ | 1      | 18 | 5 |
| $s^3$ | 8      | 16 |   |
| $s^2$ | 16     | 5  |   |
| $s^1$ | $27/2$ |    |   |
| $s^0$ | 5      |    |   |

Number of sign changes equals number of roots in RHP

# Routh-Hurwitz Criterion

$$G(s) = \frac{b(s)}{a(s)},$$

$$a(s) = 3s^4 + 10s^3 + 5s^2 + 5s + 2$$

|       |      |   |   |       |      |   |   |
|-------|------|---|---|-------|------|---|---|
| $s^4$ | 3    | 5 | 2 | $s^4$ | 3    | 5 | 2 |
| $s^3$ | 10   | 5 |   | $s^3$ | 2    | 1 |   |
| $s^2$ | 7/2  | 2 |   | $s^2$ | 7/2  | 2 |   |
| $s^1$ | -1/7 |   |   | $s^1$ | -1/7 |   |   |
| $s^0$ | 2    |   |   | $s^0$ | 2    |   |   |

2 poles in RHP

# Routh-Hurwitz Criterion

$$G(s) = \frac{b(s)}{a(s)},$$

$$a(s) = s^5 + s^4 + 4s^3 + 24s^2 + 3s + 63$$

|       |     |     |    |
|-------|-----|-----|----|
| $s^5$ | 1   | 4   | 3  |
| $s^4$ | 1   | 24  | 63 |
| $s^3$ | -20 | -60 |    |
| $s^2$ | -21 | -63 |    |
| $s^1$ | 0   |     |    |
| $s^0$ |     |     |    |

Nothing can be said!

# Realization of a transfer function $H(s)$

- A state space model  $(A, B, C, D)$  if its transfer function coincides with  $H(s)$ :

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

- A transfer function  $H(s)$  is realizable if there exists a state space model  $(A, B, C, D)$  with transfer function  $H(s)$

$H(s)$  is realizable  $\Rightarrow H(s)$  is rational and proper

|                                     |                           |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| $\hat{G}(s) = \frac{s}{s^2+1}$      | rational, strictly proper |
| $\hat{G}(s) = \frac{s^2}{s^2+1}$    | rational, proper          |
| $\hat{G}(s) = \frac{s^3}{s^2+1}$    | rational, not proper      |
| $\hat{G}(s) = \frac{e^{-s}}{s^2+1}$ | not rational              |

# Controllable canonical form realization

- Suppose that  $H(s)$  can be expressed as

$$H(s) = \frac{\beta_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + \beta_1s + \beta_0}{s^n + \alpha_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + \alpha_1s + \alpha_0} + d$$

- Example:

$$H(s) = \frac{4s + 8}{-2s + 10}$$

$$= \frac{-2(-2s + 10) + 8 + 20}{-2s + 10}$$

$$= \frac{28}{-2s + 10} - 2$$

$$\boxed{= \frac{-14}{s - 5} - 2} \quad \text{rational, strictly proper}$$

# Controllable canonical form realization

The transfer function  $H(s)$  can be expressed as

$$H(s) = \frac{\beta_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + \beta_1s + \beta_0}{s^n + \alpha_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + \alpha_1s + \alpha_0} + d$$

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

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \ddots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & & & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 \\ -\alpha_0 & -\alpha_1 & -\alpha_2 & \dots & -\alpha_{n-2} & -\alpha_{n-1} \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 & \beta_1 & \beta_2 & \dots & \beta_{n-2} & \beta_{n-1} \end{pmatrix} \quad D = d$$



# Example

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

$$\dot{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u(t)$$

$$y(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} x(t)$$

$$\text{verify: } C(sI - A)^{-1}B = \frac{s + 2}{s^2 + 2s + 1}$$

$$\text{note: } M = [B \ AB] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Always controllable!



# Example

$$\begin{aligned} H(s) &= \frac{s^2 + 3s + 3}{s^2 + 2s + 1} \\ &= \frac{s + 2}{s^2 + 2s + 1} + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\dot{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u(t)$$

$$y(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \boxed{[1]u(t)}$$

# Observable canonical form realization

The transfer function  $H(s)$  can be expressed as

$$\begin{aligned} H(s) &= \frac{\beta_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + \beta_1s + \beta_0}{s^n + \alpha_{n-1}s^{n-1} + \dots + \alpha_1s + \alpha_0} + d \\ &= C(sI - A)^{-1}B + D \end{aligned}$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -\alpha_0 \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -\alpha_1 \\ 0 & 1 & \ddots & 0 & -\alpha_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & -\alpha_{n-1} \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \beta_{n-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$C = (0 \ 0 \ \dots \ 0 \ 1) \quad D = d$$

# Next

- Root locus
- Bode plots