

# Nonlinear Systems

Lecture 09

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Last time :

Existence & uniqueness of solutions to  $\dot{x} = f(t, x)$ ;  $x(t_0) = x_0$

If  $f$  is piecewise cts in  $t$ , and

- cts in  $x \Rightarrow$  existence for  $t \in [t_0, t_f]$
- locally Lipschitz in  $x \Rightarrow$  existence and uniqueness  
for  $t \in [t_0, t_f]$
- globally Lipschitz in  $x$   
 $\Rightarrow$  " for  $t \in [t_0, \infty)$

cts dependence on IC's

$x_1(t), x_2(t)$  : 2 solns of  $\dot{x} = f(t, x)$

starting from  $x_{10}$  &  $x_{20}$ , and staying in a set with  
Lipschitz constant  $L$  for  $t \in [0, T]$

$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta(\epsilon, T) > 0$  st.

$$\|x_1 - x_{20}\| < \delta \Rightarrow \|x_1(t) - x_2(t)\| \leq \epsilon \text{ for all } t \in [0, T]$$

Today :

Sensitivity wrt. parameters

Lyapunov stability

How about cts dependence wrt. parameters?

$$\dot{x} = f(t, x, \mu) \quad (1)$$

$\mu$ : constant parameter

Augment differential eq'n (1) with  $\dot{\mu} = 0 \quad (2)$

and study system (1)(2) with  $Z = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ \mu \end{bmatrix}$

$$\dot{Z} = g(t, Z)$$

$$g = \begin{bmatrix} g_1 \\ g_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f(t, x, \mu) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Using cts dependence on IC's  $\Rightarrow$  cts dependence on parameters

\* Sensitivity of Solutions w.r.t parameters :

Given  $\dot{x} = f(t, x, \mu)$

$f$  is cts in all parameters and also cts diff.ble in the vicinity of  $\bar{\mu}$ .

For given  $\bar{\mu} \Rightarrow$  existence and uniqueness on  $[t_0, t_f]$

let the corresponding trajectory be  $x(t, \bar{\mu})$

Based on cts dependence on I.C.s and parameters

$\Rightarrow$  there is a sol'n around  $\bar{\mu}$ . We want to study  
how sol'n would change with changes in  $\mu$ .

Write sol'n to ,

$$\dot{x} = f(t, x, \mu)$$
$$x(t, \mu) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t f(t, x(\tau, \mu), \mu) d\tau \quad (*)$$

Differentiate (\*) wrt.  $\mu$

$$\frac{\partial x(t, \mu)}{\partial \mu} = \underbrace{\frac{\partial x_0}{\partial \mu}}_0 + \int_{t_0}^t \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \mu} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mu} \right) d\tau$$

Introduce notation :

$$x_\mu(t, \mu) = \frac{\partial x(t, \mu)}{\partial \mu}$$

$$x_\mu(t, \mu) = \int_{t_0}^t \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} x_\mu(\tau, \mu) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mu}(\tau, x, \mu) \right) d\tau$$

Differentiate w.r.t. time :

$$\dot{x}_{\mu}(t, \mu) = \frac{\partial f(t, x(t, \mu), \mu)}{\partial x} \cdot x_{\mu}(t, \mu) + \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mu}(t, x(t, \mu), \mu)$$

$$\text{Let } S(t) := \left. \frac{\partial x(t, \mu)}{\partial \mu} \right|_{\bar{\mu}} \quad \text{similarly : } A(t) = \left. \frac{\partial f(t, x(t, \mu), \mu)}{\partial x} \right|_{\bar{\mu}}$$

$$x = x(t, \bar{\mu}) \\ \mu = \bar{\mu}$$

$$B(t) := \left. \frac{\partial f(t, x(t, \mu), \mu)}{\partial \mu} \right|_{x=x(t, \bar{\mu}), \mu=\bar{\mu}}$$



$$\dot{S}(t) = A(t)S(t) + B(t)$$

Linear differential  
equations in the elements  
of sensitivity matrix  $S(t)$

Ex.  $x(t) \in \mathbb{R}^2$   
 $\mu \in \mathbb{R}^3$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{1\mu_1} & x_{1\mu_2} & x_{1\mu_3} \\ x_{2\mu_1} & x_{2\mu_2} & x_{2\mu_3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Given  $x(t, \mu)$

$$x(t, \mu) = x(t, \bar{\mu}) + \left. \frac{\partial x(t, \mu)}{\partial \mu} \right|_{\bar{\mu}} (\mu - \bar{\mu}) + \text{HOT}$$



$$x(t, \mu) \approx x(t, \bar{\mu}) + S(t)(\mu - \bar{\mu})$$

$$\hookrightarrow + O(\|\mu\|^2)$$

$$\dot{x} = f(t, x, \mu) ; \quad x(t_0) = x_0$$

$$\dot{S}(t) = A(t)S(t) + B(t)$$

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functions of  $x(t, \bar{\mu})$

Ex 1

Fold bifurcation

$$\dot{x} = x^2 + \mu$$

$$f(x, \mu) = x^2 + \mu$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 2x , \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mu} = 1$$

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = x^2 + \bar{\mu} & x(0) = x_0 \\ \dot{S} = 2xS + 1 & S(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

one way coupling

$$\dot{S}(t) = 2\bar{x}(t) \cdot S(t) + 1 \quad ; \quad S(0) = 0$$

$\bar{x}$ , fixed trajectory of the original system  $\dot{x} = x^2 + \bar{\mu}$

the sol'n can be explored by integrating rhs. given  
 $\bar{x}$  being a state transition matrix.

## Ex2

(Ex 3.7 Khalil)

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x}_1 &= x_2 & = f_1(x_1, x_2, \mu) \\ \dot{x}_2 &= -C_{\cancel{\mu}} - (a+b\cos x_1)x_2 & = f_2(x_1, x_2, \mu) \end{aligned}$$

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}, \bar{\mu} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ \cancel{a} + b(\sin x_1)x_2 & -(a+b\cos x_1) \\ 0 & -\cos x_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\cos \bar{x}_1(t) & -1 \end{bmatrix} = A(t)$$

$$B(t) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mu} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial a} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial b} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial c} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\bar{x}_2(t) & -\bar{x}_2(t) \cos(\bar{x}_1(t)) & -\sin(\bar{x}_1(t)) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dot{S}(t) = A(t)S(t) + B(t) ; S(0) = O_{2 \times 3}$$

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

$$S(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_{1a} & x_{1b} & x_{1c} \\ x_{2a} & x_{2b} & x_{2c} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_{i\alpha} = \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial \alpha} \quad i=1, 2 \\ \alpha = a, b, c$$

see plots in page 102.

$x_{1c}$  and  $x_{2c}$  show the most changes and amplitudes  
sensitivity on parameter  $c$  is the most.

## Lyapunov Stability:

for now consider time invariant systems:

$$\dot{x} = f(x)$$

W.L.O.G. assume e.p. @ the origin

$$\bar{x} = 0 \Rightarrow f(0) = 0$$

If  $\bar{x} \neq 0$  with  $f(\bar{x}) = 0$  do a change of coordinates

$$z(t) = x(t) - \bar{x} \Rightarrow x = z + \bar{x}$$



$$x(t) = z(t) + \bar{x} \Rightarrow \dot{x}(t) = \dot{z}(t)$$

$$f(z + \bar{x}) = 0 \Rightarrow z = 0$$

$$\boxed{\dot{z} = f(z + \bar{x})}$$

e.p.  $z = 0$