

# BIBO Stability (Boundary Input Boundary output)

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## Input Output Stability of LTI Systems

## Stability

**Theorem (BIBO Stability).** A LTI system with proper rational transfer matrix  $G(s) = [G_{ij}(s)]$  is BIBO stable if and only if every pole of every entry  $G_{ij}(s)$  of  $G(s)$  has negative real part.

\* This type of stability study to stability of the system under the effect of input  $u(t)$

BIBO stability  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{stable} \\ \text{unstable} \end{array} \right.$   $u(t) \rightarrow \boxed{\text{Sys}} \rightarrow x(t) ?$

Ex:-

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

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

study to BIBO stability

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

$$(sI - A) = \begin{bmatrix} s & 0 \\ 0 & s \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} s & -1 \\ -1 & s-2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(sI - A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} s-2 & 1 \\ 1 & s \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{s^2 - 2s - 1}$$

$$C (sI - A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s-2 & 1 \\ 1 & s \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\Delta} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s-2}{\Delta} & \frac{1}{\Delta} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\begin{matrix} 1 \times 2 \\ 2 \times 2 \end{matrix}$

$$C(SI - A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s-2}{\Delta} & \frac{1}{\Delta} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C(SI - A)^{-1}B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s-2}{\Delta} & \frac{1}{\Delta} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$1 \times 2$     $2 \times 1$

$$= \frac{1}{\Delta} = \frac{1}{s^2 - 2s - 1}$$

$$s^2 - 2s - 1 = 0 \quad \begin{cases} s_1 = -0.4142 \\ s_2 = 2.4142 \end{cases}$$

$$s_2 = 2.4142$$

unstable in the sense of BIBO stability

$$G(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{(s-2)(s+2)} & \frac{1}{s+1} \\ \frac{1}{s+10} & \frac{1}{s+3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$g_{11} \rightarrow$  (top-left),  $g_{12} \rightarrow$  (top-right),  
 $g_{21} \rightarrow$  (bottom-left),  $g_{22} \rightarrow$  (bottom-right)

$$g_{11} < s_{22} = -2$$

$$g_{12} = -1$$

$$g_{21} = -1$$

$$g_{22} = -3$$

Based on that the sys is unstable in the sense of BIBO stability.

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**BIBO stability of state equations.** When the system is represented by state equations

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) &= \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u}(t) \\ \mathbf{y}(t) &= \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{D}\mathbf{u}(t)\end{aligned}$$

the BIBO stability will depend on the eigenvalues of the matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ , since every pole of  $\mathbf{G}(s)$  is an eigenvalue of  $\mathbf{A}$ .

Handwritten notes and diagram:

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_1 &= -2 \\ \lambda_2 &= -3 \\ \lambda_u &= -2 + 3j\end{aligned}$$

Stable

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**Example.** Although the system

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 10 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}(t) + \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}(t) \\ \mathbf{y}(t) &= \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}(t) - 2\mathbf{u}(t)\end{aligned}$$

has one eigenvalue with positive real part  $\lambda = 1$ , it is BIBO stable, since its transfer function

$$\mathbf{G}(s) = \mathbf{C}(s\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})^{-1}\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D} = \frac{2(1-s)}{(s+1)}$$

has a single pole at  $s = -1$ . □

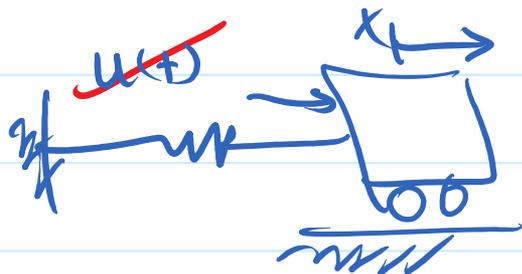
# Internal Stability $\approx$ Lyapunov Stability<sup>n</sup>

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = Ax + Bu \\ y = Cx + Du \end{cases} \text{ LTI}$$

study the stability under  $\boxed{\text{Sys}}$  the effect of  $\Delta C$   $x(0)$  when  $u(t) = 0$

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x} = Ax \\ y = Cx \end{cases} \quad u(t) = 0 \quad (\lambda I - A) = 0 \quad \begin{matrix} \text{unstable} \\ \text{marginally stable} \end{matrix}$$

Internal Stability



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

$$\begin{matrix} z_1 = x \\ z_2 = \dot{x} \end{matrix}$$

Asy. stable

Ex: Study the BIBO stability and the Lyapunov stability for the sys. shown behind?

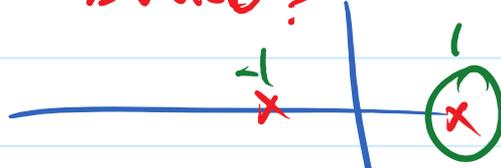
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x internal stability

$$|\lambda I - A| = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda + 1 & -10 \\ 0 & \lambda - 1 \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda + 1)(\lambda - 1) = 0$$

unstable



$$\lambda_1 = 1$$

$$\lambda_2 = -1$$

# x in the sense of BIBO stability

$$\dot{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 10 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u(t)$$

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$$[sI - A] = \begin{bmatrix} s+1 & -10 \\ 0 & s-1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(sI - A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} s-1 & 10 \\ 0 & s+1 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{s^2 - 1}$$

$$C(sI - A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{s-1}{\Delta} & \frac{10}{\Delta} \\ \frac{0}{\Delta} & \frac{s+1}{\Delta} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2(s-1)}{\Delta} & \frac{(3s-17)}{\Delta} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C(sI - A)^{-1} B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2(s-1)}{\Delta} & \frac{(3s-17)}{\Delta} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{+4(s-1)}{s^2 - 1} = \frac{4 \cancel{(s-1)}}{(\cancel{s-1})(s+1)}$$

$s = -1$  (stable) in the sense of BIBO