

Design of optimal feedback control laws



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### **Optimal System Regulation**

Cost functions that penalize state deviations over a time interval:





### **Pulp & Paper Machines**



- Machine length: ~ 2 football fields
- Paper speed ≤ 2,200 m/min = 80 mph
- Maintain 3-D paper quality
- Avoid paper breaks at all cost!

Paper-Making Machine Operation https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6BhEXBAAk24



### Hazardous Waste Generated by Large Industrial Plants

- Cement dust
- Coal fly ash
- Metal emissions
- Dioxin
- "Electroscrap" and other hazardous waste
- Waste chemicals
- Ground water contamination
- Ancillary mining and logging issues
- "Greenhouse" gasses
- Need to optimize <u>total</u> "cost"benefit of production processes (including health/ environmental/regulatory cost)



### Tradeoffs Between Performance and Control in Integrated Cost Function

Trade performance against control usage Minimize a cost function that contains state and control (*r*: relative importance of the two)



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### **Dynamic Optimization:** The Optimal Control Problem

Minimize a scalar function, *J*, of terminal and integral costs

$$\min_{\mathbf{u}(t)} J = \min_{\mathbf{u}(t)} \left\{ \phi \left[ \mathbf{x}(t_f) \right] + \int_{t_o}^{t_f} L \left[ \mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t) \right] dt \right\}$$

with respect to the control, u(t), in  $(t_o, t_f)$ , subject to a dynamic constraint

$$\frac{d\mathbf{x}(t)}{dt} = \mathbf{f}[\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t)], \quad \mathbf{x}(t_o) \text{ given} \qquad \begin{array}{c} \dim(\mathbf{x}) = n \times 1 \\ \dim(\mathbf{f}) = n \times 1 \\ \dim(\mathbf{u}) = m \times 1 \end{array}$$

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### **Example of Dynamic Optimization**



<u>Any</u> deviation from optimal thrust and angle-of-attack profiles would increase total fuel used

### **Components of the Cost Function**

# Integral cost is a function of the state and control from start to finish

 $\int_{t_o} L[\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t)] dt \quad \text{positive scalar function of two vectors}$ 

 $L[\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t)]$ : Lagrangian of the cost function

# Terminal cost is a function of the state at the final time

 $\phi \left[ \mathbf{x}(t_f) \right]$  positive scalar function of a vector

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### **Components of the Cost Function**

Lagrangian examples  

$$L[\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t)] = \begin{cases} 1 \\ dm/dt \\ d\$/dt \\ \frac{1}{2} [\mathbf{x}^{T}(t)\mathbf{Q}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{u}(t)\mathbf{R}\mathbf{u}(t)] \end{cases}$$

Terminal cost examples  $\phi \left[ \mathbf{x}(t_f) \right] = \begin{cases} \left| \mathbf{x}(t_f) - \mathbf{x}_{Goal} \right| \\ \frac{1}{2} \left[ \mathbf{x}(t_f) - \mathbf{x}_{Goal} \right]^2 \end{cases}$ 

### **Example: Dynamic Model of** Infection and Immune Response

- $x_1$  = Concentration of a pathogen, which displays antigen
- x<sub>2</sub> = Concentration of plasma cells, which are carriers and producers of antibodies
- x<sub>3</sub> = Concentration of antibodies, which recognize antigen and kill pathogen
- x<sub>4</sub> = Relative characteristic of a damaged organ [0 = healthy, 1 = dead]





### Cost Function Considers Infection, Organ Health, and Drug Usage

$$\min_{\mathbf{u}(t)} J = \min_{\mathbf{u}(t)} \left\{ \phi \Big[ \mathbf{x}(t_f) \Big] + \int_{t_o}^{t_f} L \big[ \mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t) \big] dt \right\}$$
$$= \min_{u} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \Big( s_{11} x_{1_f}^2 + s_{44} x_{4_f}^2 \Big) + \frac{1}{2} \int_{t_o}^{t_f} \Big( q_{11} x_1^2 + q_{44} x_4^2 + r u^2 \Big) dt \right]$$

- Tradeoffs between final values, integral values over a fixed time interval, state, and control
- Cost function includes weighted square values of
  - Final concentration of the pathogen
  - Final health of the damaged organ (0 is good, 1 is bad)
  - Integral of pathogen concentration
  - Integral health of the damaged organ (0 is good, 1 is bad)
  - Integral of drug usage
- Drug cost may reflect physiological or financial cost

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## Necessary Conditions for Optimal Control

### **Augment the Cost Function**

- Must express sensitivity of the cost to the dynamic response
- Adjoin dynamic constraint to integrand using Lagrange multiplier, λ(t)
  - Same dimension as the dynamic constraint, [n x 1]
  - Constraint = 0 when the dynamic equation is satisfied

$$J = \phi \left[ \mathbf{x}(t_f) \right] + \int_{t_o}^{t_f} \left\{ L \left[ \mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t) \right] + \lambda^T (t) \left[ \mathbf{f} \left[ \mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t) \right] - \frac{d\mathbf{x}(t)}{dt} \right] \right\} dt$$

• Optimization goal is to minimize J with respect to u(t) in  $(t_o, t_f)$ ,

$$\min_{\mathbf{u}(t)} J = J^* = \phi \Big[ \mathbf{x}^*(t_f) \Big] + \int_{t_o}^{t_f} \left\{ L \Big[ \mathbf{x}^*(t), \mathbf{u}^*(t) \Big] + \frac{\lambda^{*T}(t)}{h} \Big[ \mathbf{f} [\mathbf{x}^*(t), \mathbf{u}^*(t)] - \frac{d\mathbf{x}^*(t)}{dt} \Big] \right\} dt$$

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### Substitute the Hamiltonian in the Cost Function

Define Hamiltonian, H[.]

$$H(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{u},\boldsymbol{\lambda}) \triangleq L(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{u}) + \boldsymbol{\lambda}^T \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{u})$$

Substitute the Hamiltonian in the cost function

$$J = \phi \left[ \mathbf{x}(t_f) \right] + \int_{t_o}^{t_f} \left\{ H \left[ \mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t), \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t) \right] - \boldsymbol{\lambda}^T(t) \frac{d\mathbf{x}(t)}{dt} \right\} dt$$

The optimal cost, *J*\*, is produced by the optimal histories of state, control, and Lagrange multiplier

$$\min_{\mathbf{u}(t)} J = J^* = \phi \Big[ \mathbf{x}^*(t_f) \Big] + \int_{t_o}^{t_f} \bigg\{ H \Big[ \mathbf{x}^*(t), \mathbf{u}^*(t), \boldsymbol{\lambda}^*(t) \Big] - \boldsymbol{\lambda}^{*T}(t) \frac{d\mathbf{x}^*(t)}{dt} \bigg\} dt$$
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### **Integration by Parts**

Scalar indefinite integral

$$\int u \, dv = uv - \int v \, du$$

Vector definite integral

 $u = \lambda^{T}(t)$  $dv = \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t)dt = d\mathbf{x}$ 

$$\int_{t_0}^{t_f} \boldsymbol{\lambda}^T(t) \frac{d\mathbf{x}(t)}{dt} dt = \boldsymbol{\lambda}^T(t) \mathbf{x}(t) \Big|_{t_0}^{t_f} - \int_{t_0}^{t_f} \frac{d\boldsymbol{\lambda}^T(t)}{dt} \mathbf{x}(t) dt$$

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### **The Optimal Control Solution**

 Along the optimal trajectory, the cost, *J*\*, should be insensitive to small variations in control policy

• To first order,

$$\Delta J^* = \left\{ \left[ \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} - \lambda^T \right] \right\} \Delta \mathbf{x} (\Delta \mathbf{u}) \bigg|_{t=t_f} + \left[ \lambda^T \Delta \mathbf{x} (\Delta \mathbf{u}) \right]_{t=t_o} + \int_{t_o}^{t_f} \left\{ \frac{\partial H}{\partial \mathbf{u}} \Delta \mathbf{u} + \left[ \frac{\partial H}{\partial \mathbf{x}} + \frac{d\lambda^T}{dt} \right] \Delta \mathbf{x} (\Delta \mathbf{u}) \right\} dt = \mathbf{0}$$

 $\Delta \mathbf{x}(\Delta \mathbf{u})$  is arbitrary perturbation in state due to perturbation in control over the time interval,  $(t_0, t_f)$ .

**Setting**  $\Delta J^* = 0$  leads to three necessary conditions for optimality



### Iterative Numerical Optimization Using Steepest-Descent

- Forward solution to find the state, x(t)
- Backward solution to find the Lagrange multiplier,  $\lambda(t)$
- Steepest-descent adjustment of control history, u(t)
- Iterate to find the optimal solution



Use educated guess for u(t) on first iteration

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$$\mathbf{u}_{k}(t) = \mathbf{u}_{k-1}(t) - \varepsilon \left[ \frac{\partial H}{\partial \mathbf{u}} \right]_{k}^{T}$$
  
=  $\mathbf{u}_{k-1}(t) - \varepsilon \left[ \frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{u}} \Big|_{\substack{\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{x}_{k}(t) \\ \mathbf{u}(t) = \mathbf{u}_{k-1}(t)}} + \lambda_{k}^{T}(t) \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}}{\partial \mathbf{u}} \Big|_{\substack{\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{x}_{k}(t) \\ \mathbf{u}(t) = \mathbf{u}_{k-1}(t)}} \right]^{T}$   
 $\varepsilon$ : Steepest-descent gain

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## Optimal Treatment of an Infection

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### Dynamic Model for the Infection Treatment Problem





## **Optimal Treatment with Four Drugs (separately)**





## Accounting for Uncertainty in Initial Condition

### Account for Uncertainty in Initial Condition and Unknown Disturbances

#### Nominal, Open-Loop Optimal Control



#### Neighboring-Optimal (Feedback) Control



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 $\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \dot{\mathbf{x}}^*(t) + \Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t)$   $= \mathbf{f} \{ [\mathbf{x}^*(t) + \Delta \mathbf{x}(t)], [\mathbf{u}^*(t) + \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)] \}$   $\approx \mathbf{f} [\mathbf{x}^*(t), \mathbf{u}^*(t)] + \mathbf{F}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G}(t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)$ 

- Nominal optimal control history
- Optimal perturbation control
- Sum the two for neighboringoptimal control

$$\mathbf{u}^{*}(t) = \mathbf{u}_{opt}(t)$$
$$\Delta \mathbf{u}(t) = -\mathbf{C}(t) [\mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{x}_{opt}(t)]$$
$$\mathbf{u}(t) = \mathbf{u}_{opt}(t) + \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)$$



- Solution of Euler-Lagrange equations for
  - Linear dynamic system
  - Quadratic cost function
- leads to linear, time-varying (LTV) optimal feedback controller





## Optimal, Constant Gain Feedback Control for Linear, Time-Invariant Systems

### Linear-Quadratic (LQ) Optimal Control Law

 $\Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{F}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{t}) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)$ 



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### Optimal Control for Linear, <u>Time-Invariant</u> Dynamic Process

Original system is linear and time-invariant (LTI)

 $\Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(t), \quad \Delta \mathbf{x}(0) \text{ given}$ 

Minimize quadratic cost function for  $t_f \rightarrow \infty$ Terminal cost is of no concern

$$\min_{u} J = J^* = \lim_{t_f \to \infty} \frac{1}{2} \int_{0}^{t_f} \left[ \Delta \mathbf{x}^{*T}(t) \mathbf{Q} \Delta \mathbf{x}^{*}(t) + \Delta \mathbf{u}^{*T}(t) \mathbf{R} \Delta \mathbf{u}^{*}(t) \right] dt$$

Dynamic constraint is the linear, time-invariant (LTI) plant



#### Example: Open-Loop Stable and Unstable Second-Order System Response to Initial Condition



### **Example: LQ Regulator Stabilizes** Unstable System, r = 1 and 100



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### Example: LQ Regulator Stabilizes Unstable System, r = 1 and 100



### Requirements for Guaranteeing Stability of the LQ Regulator

 $\Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(t) = \left[\mathbf{F} - \mathbf{G} \mathbf{C}\right] \Delta \mathbf{x}(t)$ 

Closed-loop system is stable whether or not open-loop system is stable if ...

... and (F,G) is a controllable pair

Rank [ G	FG	•••	$\mathbf{F}^{n-1}\mathbf{G}$	]=	n
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Next Time: Formal Logic, Algorithms, and Incompleteness

Supplementary Material

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## Linearized Model of Infection Dynamics



#### Locally linearized (time-varying) dynamic equation

$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \dot{x}_1 \\ \Delta \dot{x}_2 \\ \Delta \dot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$	$(a_{11} - a_{12}x_3^*)$ $a_{21}(x_4^*)a_{22}x_3^*$	0 <i>a</i> <sub>23</sub>	$-a_{12}x_1^*$ $a_{21}(x_4^*)a_{22}x_1^*$	$0$ $\frac{\partial a_{21}}{\partial x_4}a_{22}x_1^*x_3^*$	$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta x_1 \\ \Delta x_2 \\ \Delta x_3 \end{bmatrix}$
$\left[ \Delta \dot{x}_{4} \right]$	$-a_{33}x_{3} * \\ a_{41} \\ + \begin{bmatrix} b_{1} & 0 \\ 0 & b_{2} \end{bmatrix}$	$a_{31}$ 0 0 0	$\begin{bmatrix} a_{31}x_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta u_1 \\ \Delta u_2 \end{bmatrix}_{+}$	$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta w_1 \\ \Delta w_2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\int \Delta x_4$
		$b_3$	$\begin{array}{c c} 0 \\ b_4 \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta u_3 \\ \Delta u_4 \end{bmatrix}$	$\left[\begin{array}{c} \Delta w_3 \\ \Delta w_4 \end{array}\right]$	

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### **Expand Optimal Control Function**

Expand optimized cost function to second degree

$$J\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{o}) + \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{o}) \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{f}) + \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{f}) \end{bmatrix} \right\} \approx J^{*} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{o}), \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{f}) \end{bmatrix} + \Delta J \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{o}), \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{f}) \end{bmatrix} + \Delta^{2} J \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{o}), \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{f}) \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= J^{*} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{o}), \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{f}) \end{bmatrix} + \Delta^{2} J \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{o}), \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{f}) \end{bmatrix}$$
as First Variation,  $\Delta J \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{o}), \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_{f}) \end{bmatrix} = 0$ 

Nominal optimized cost, plus nonlinear dynamic constraint

$$J * \left[ \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{o}), \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{f}) \right] = \phi \left[ \mathbf{x}^{*}(t_{f}) \right] + \int_{t_{o}}^{t_{f}} L \left[ \mathbf{x}^{*}(t), \mathbf{u}^{*}(t) \right] dt$$
  
subject to nonlinear dynamic equation  
 $\dot{\mathbf{x}}^{*}(t) = \mathbf{f} \left[ \mathbf{x}^{*}(t), \mathbf{u}^{*}(t) \right], \mathbf{x}(t_{o}) = \mathbf{x}_{o}$ 

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### **Second Variation of the Cost Function**

Objective: Minimize <u>second-variational cost</u> subject to linear dynamic constraint

$$\begin{split} \min_{\Delta \mathbf{u}} \Delta^2 J &= \frac{1}{2} \Delta \mathbf{x}^T(t_f) \phi_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}}(t_f) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_f) + \frac{1}{2} \begin{cases} \int_{t_o}^{t_f} \left[ \Delta \mathbf{x}^T(t) & \Delta \mathbf{u}^T(t) \right] \left[ \begin{array}{c} L_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}}(t) & L_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{u}}(t) \\ L_{\mathbf{u}\mathbf{x}}(t) & L_{\mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}}(t) \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{c} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) \\ \Delta \mathbf{u}(t) \end{array} \right] dt \\ \\ \text{subject to perturbation dynamics} \\ \Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) &= \mathbf{F}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G}(t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t), \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_o) = \Delta \mathbf{x}_o \end{cases}$$

#### Cost weighting matrices expressed as

$$\mathbf{S}(t_f) \triangleq \phi_{\mathbf{xx}}(t_f) = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial \mathbf{x}^2}(t_f)$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{Q}(t) & \mathbf{M}(t) \\ \mathbf{M}^T(t) & \mathbf{R}(t) \end{bmatrix} \triangleq \begin{bmatrix} L_{\mathbf{xx}}(t) & L_{\mathbf{xu}}(t) \\ L_{\mathbf{ux}}(t) & L_{\mathbf{uu}}(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

 $\dim \left[ \mathbf{S}(t_f) \right] = \dim \left[ \mathbf{Q}(t) \right] = n \times n$  $\dim \left[ \mathbf{R}(t) \right] = m \times m$  $\dim \left[ \mathbf{M}(t) \right] = n \times m$ 

## **Second Variational Hamiltonian**

#### Variational cost function

$$\Delta^{2}J = \frac{1}{2}\Delta\mathbf{x}^{T}(t_{f})\mathbf{S}(t_{f})\Delta\mathbf{x}(t_{f}) + \frac{1}{2} \begin{cases} \int_{t_{o}}^{t_{f}} \left[ \Delta\mathbf{x}^{T}(t) \ \Delta\mathbf{u}^{T}(t) \right] \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{Q}(t) & \mathbf{M}(t) \\ \mathbf{M}^{T}(t) & \mathbf{R}(t) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta\mathbf{x}(t) \\ \Delta\mathbf{u}(t) \end{bmatrix} dt \end{cases}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2}\Delta\mathbf{x}^{T}(t_{f})\mathbf{S}(t_{f})\Delta\mathbf{x}(t_{f}) + \frac{1}{2} \begin{cases} \int_{t_{o}}^{t_{f}} \left[ \Delta\mathbf{x}^{T}(t)\mathbf{Q}(t)\Delta\mathbf{x}(t) + 2\Delta\mathbf{x}^{T}(t)\mathbf{M}(t)\Delta\mathbf{u}(t) + \Delta\mathbf{u}^{T}(t)\mathbf{R}(t)\Delta\mathbf{u}(t) \right] dt \end{cases}$$

#### Variational Lagrangian plus adjoined dynamic constraint

$$H[\Delta \mathbf{x}(t), \Delta \mathbf{u}(t), \Delta \lambda(t)] = L[\Delta \mathbf{x}(t), \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)] + \Delta \lambda^{T}(t) \mathbf{f}[\Delta \mathbf{x}(t), \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)]$$
  
$$= \frac{1}{2} [\Delta \mathbf{x}^{T}(t) \mathbf{Q}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + 2\Delta \mathbf{x}^{T}(t) \mathbf{M}(t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t) + \Delta \mathbf{u}^{T}(t) \mathbf{R}(t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)]$$
  
$$+ \Delta \lambda^{T}(t) [\mathbf{F}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G}(t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)]$$

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## Second Variational Euler-Lagrange Equations

$$H = \frac{1}{2} \Big[ \Delta \mathbf{x}^{T}(t) \mathbf{Q}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + 2\Delta \mathbf{x}^{T}(t) \mathbf{M}(t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t) + \Delta \mathbf{u}^{T}(t) \mathbf{R}(t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t) \Big]$$

 $+\Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}^{T} (t) [\mathbf{F}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G}(t) \Delta \mathbf{u}(t)]$ 

Terminal condition, solution for adjoint vector, and optimality condition

$$\Delta \lambda(t_f) = \phi_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}}(t_f) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_f) = \mathbf{S}(t_f) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_f)$$

$$\Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\lambda}}(t) = -\left\{\frac{\partial H\left[\Delta \mathbf{x}(t), \Delta \mathbf{u}(t), \Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t)\right]}{\partial \mathbf{x}}\right\}^{T} = -\mathbf{Q}(t)\Delta \mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{M}(t)\Delta \mathbf{u}(t) - \mathbf{F}^{T}(t)\Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t)$$

 $\left\{\frac{\partial H\left[\Delta \mathbf{x}(t), \Delta \mathbf{u}(t), \Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t)\right]}{\partial \mathbf{u}}\right\}^{T} = \mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{R}(t)\Delta \mathbf{u}(t) - \mathbf{G}^{T}(t)\Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t) = \mathbf{0}$ 

### Use Control Law to Solve the Two-Point Boundary-Value Problem

From  $\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} = \mathbf{0}$   $\Delta \mathbf{u}(t) = -\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t) \left[ \mathbf{M}^{T}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G}^{T}(t) \Delta \lambda(t) \right]$ 

Substitute for control in system and adjoint equations Two-point boundary-value problem

$\Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t)$	$\left[\mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]$	$-\mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{G}^{T}(t)$	JL	$\Delta \mathbf{x}(t)$
$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\lambda}}(t) \end{bmatrix}^{=}$	$\left[-\mathbf{Q}(t) + \mathbf{M}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]$	$-\left[\mathbf{F}(t)-\mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]^{T}$	Ì	$\Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t)$

#### Boundary conditions at initial and final times

$ \begin{aligned} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t_o) \\ \Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t_f) \end{aligned} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{x}_o \\ \mathbf{S}_f \Delta \mathbf{x}_f \end{bmatrix} $	<b>Perturbation state vector</b> <b>Perturbation adjoint vector</b>
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### Use Control Law to Solve the Two-Point Boundary-Value Problem

Suppose that the terminal adjoint relationship applies over the entire interval

$$\Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t) = \mathbf{S}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t)$$

#### Feedback control law becomes

### Linear-Quadratic (LQ) Optimal Control Gain Matrix

 $\Delta \mathbf{u}(t) = -\mathbf{C}(t)\Delta \mathbf{x}(t)$ 

Optimal feedback gain matrix

$$\mathbf{C}(t) = \mathbf{R}^{-1}(t) \left[ \mathbf{G}^{T}(t) \mathbf{S}(t) + \mathbf{M}^{T}(t) \right]$$

- Properties of feedback gain matrix
  - Full state feedback (m x n)
  - Time-varying matrix
  - R, G, and M given
    - Control weighting matrix, R
    - State-control weighting matrix, M
    - Control effect matrix, G
  - S(t) remains to be determined

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### Solution for the Adjoining Matrix, S(*t*)

Time-derivative of adjoint vector

$$\begin{split} \Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\lambda}}(t) &= \dot{\mathbf{S}}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{S}(t) \Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) \\ & \textbf{Rearrange} \\ \hline \dot{\mathbf{S}}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) &= \Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\lambda}}(t) - \mathbf{S}(t) \Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) \\ & \textbf{Recall} \\ \\ \hline \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) \\ \Delta \dot{\boldsymbol{\lambda}}(t) \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{cases} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t) \mathbf{R}^{-1}(t) \mathbf{M}^{T}(t) \end{bmatrix} & -\mathbf{G}(t) \mathbf{R}^{-1}(t) \mathbf{G}^{T}(t) \\ \begin{bmatrix} -\mathbf{Q}(t) + \mathbf{M}(t) \mathbf{R}^{-1}(t) \mathbf{M}^{T}(t) \end{bmatrix} & -\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t) \mathbf{R}^{-1}(t) \mathbf{M}^{T}(t) \end{bmatrix}^{T} \\ \end{cases} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) \\ \Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

### Solution for the Adjoining Matrix, S(t)

#### Substitute

 $\dot{\mathbf{S}}(t)\Delta\mathbf{x}(t) = \left[-\mathbf{Q}(t) + \mathbf{M}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]\Delta\mathbf{x}(t) - \left[\mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]^{T}\Delta\lambda(t)$  $- \mathbf{S}(t)\left\{\left[\mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]\Delta\mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{G}^{T}(t)\Delta\lambda(t)\right\}$ 

Substitute

 $\Delta \boldsymbol{\lambda}(t) = \mathbf{S}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t)$ 

 $\dot{\mathbf{S}}(t)\underline{\Delta\mathbf{x}(t)} = \left[-\mathbf{Q}(t) + \mathbf{M}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]\underline{\Delta\mathbf{x}(t)} - \left[\mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]^{T}\mathbf{S}(t)\underline{\Delta\mathbf{x}(t)} - \mathbf{S}(t)\left\{\left[\mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t)\right]\underline{\Delta\mathbf{x}(t)} - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{G}^{T}(t)\mathbf{S}(t)\underline{\Delta\mathbf{x}(t)}\right\}\right\}$ 

 $\Delta x(t)$  can be eliminated

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### Matrix Riccati Equation for S(t)

The result is a nonlinear, ordinary differential equation for S(t), with terminal boundary conditions

$$\dot{\mathbf{S}}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -\mathbf{Q}(t) + \mathbf{M}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t) \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t) \end{bmatrix}^{T} \mathbf{S}(t)$$
$$-\mathbf{S}(t) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F}(t) - \mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{M}^{T}(t) \end{bmatrix} + \mathbf{S}(t)\mathbf{G}(t)\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t)\mathbf{G}^{T}(t)\mathbf{S}(t)$$
$$\mathbf{S}(t_{f}) = \phi_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{x}}(t_{f})$$

- Characteristics of the Riccati matrix, S(t)
  - $S(t_{i})$  is symmetric,  $n \ge n$ , and typically positive semi-definite
  - Matrix Riccati equation is symmetric
  - Therefore, S(t) is symmetric and positive semi-definite throughout
- Once S(t) has been determined, optimal feedback control gain matrix, C(t) can be calculated



Full state is fed back to all available controls

$$\Delta \mathbf{u}(t) = -\mathbf{R}^{-1}(t) \Big[ \mathbf{M}^{T}(t) + \mathbf{G}^{T}(t) \mathbf{S}(t) \Big] \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) = -\mathbf{C}(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}(t)$$

**Optimal control history plus feedback correction** 

$$\mathbf{u}(t) = \mathbf{u}^{*}(t) - \mathbf{C}(t)\Delta\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{u}^{*}(t) - \mathbf{C}(t)[\mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{x}^{*}(t)]$$
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### Nonlinear System with Neighboring-Optimal Feedback Control

Nonlinear dynamic system

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{f} \left[ \mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{u}(t) \right]$$

Neighboring-optimal control law

$$\mathbf{u}(t) = \mathbf{u}^{*}(t) - \mathbf{C}(t)\Delta\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{u}^{*}(t) - \mathbf{C}(t)\left[\mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{x}^{*}(t)\right]$$

Nonlinear dynamic system with neighboring-optimal feedback control

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{f}\left\{\mathbf{x}(t), \left[\mathbf{u}^{*}(t) - \mathbf{C}(t)\left[\mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{x}^{*}(t)\right]\right]\right\}$$

### **Example:** Response of <u>Stable</u> Second-Order System to Random Disturbance



#### Example: Disturbance Response of <u>Unstable</u> System with LQ Regulators, r = 1 and 100



## Equilibrium Response to a Command Input

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### Steady-State Response to Commands

 $\Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}(t) + \mathbf{L} \Delta \mathbf{w}(t),$ 

 $\Delta \mathbf{x}(t_o)$  given

 $\Delta \mathbf{y}(t) = \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{x}} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \Delta \mathbf{u}(t) + \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}} \Delta \mathbf{w}(t)$ 

State equilibrium with constant inputs ...

 $\mathbf{0} = \mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}^* + \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}^* + \mathbf{L} \Delta \mathbf{w}^*$  $\Delta \mathbf{x}^* = -\mathbf{F}^{-1} (\mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}^* + \mathbf{L} \Delta \mathbf{w}^*)$ 

... constrained by requirement to satisfy command input

 $\Delta \mathbf{y}^* = \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{x}} \Delta \mathbf{x}^* + \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \Delta \mathbf{u}^* + \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}} \Delta \mathbf{w}^*$ 

### Steady-State Response to Commands

Equilibrium that satisfies a commanded input,  $\Delta y_c$ 

$$\mathbf{0} = \mathbf{F} \Delta \mathbf{x}^* + \mathbf{G} \Delta \mathbf{u}^* + \mathbf{L} \Delta \mathbf{w}^*$$
$$\Delta \mathbf{y}^* = \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{x}} \Delta \mathbf{x}^* + \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \Delta \mathbf{u}^* + \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}} \Delta \mathbf{w}^*$$

**Combine equations** 



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### Equilibrium Values of State and Control to Satisfy Commanded Input

Equilibrium that satisfies a commanded input,  $\Delta y_c$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{x}^{*} \\ \Delta \mathbf{u}^{*} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F} & \mathbf{G} \\ \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{x}} & \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} -\mathbf{L}\Delta \mathbf{w}^{*} \\ \Delta \mathbf{y}_{C} - \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}}\Delta \mathbf{w}^{*} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\triangleq \mathbf{A}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} -\mathbf{L}\Delta \mathbf{w}^{*} \\ \Delta \mathbf{y}_{C} - \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}}\Delta \mathbf{w}^{*} \end{bmatrix}$$

A must be square for inverse to exist Then, number of commands = number of controls

### **Inverse of the Matrix**

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F} & \mathbf{G} \\ \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{x}} & \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \triangleq \mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}_{11} & \mathbf{B}_{12} \\ \mathbf{B}_{21} & \mathbf{B}_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta \mathbf{x}^* \\ \Delta \mathbf{u}^* \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}_{11} & \mathbf{B}_{12} \\ \mathbf{B}_{21} & \mathbf{B}_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -\mathbf{L}\Delta \mathbf{w}^* \\ \Delta \mathbf{y}_C - \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}}\Delta \mathbf{w}^* \end{bmatrix}$$

 $B_{ij}$  have same dimensions as equivalent blocks of A Equilibrium that satisfies a commanded input,  $\Delta y_c$ 

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}^* = -\mathbf{B}_{11}\mathbf{L}\Delta \mathbf{w}^* + \mathbf{B}_{12}\left(\Delta \mathbf{y}_C - \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}}\Delta \mathbf{w}^*\right)$$
$$\Delta \mathbf{u}^* = -\mathbf{B}_{21}\mathbf{L}\Delta \mathbf{w}^* + \mathbf{B}_{22}\left(\Delta \mathbf{y}_C - \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}}\Delta \mathbf{w}^*\right)$$

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### Elements of Matrix Inverse and Solutions for Open-Loop Equilibrium

Substitution and elimination (see Supplement)

$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}_{11} \end{bmatrix}$	<b>B</b> <sub>12</sub>	]_[	$\mathbf{F}^{-1}\left(-\mathbf{G}\mathbf{B}_{21}+\mathbf{I}_{n}\right)$	$-\mathbf{F}^{-1}\mathbf{GB}_{22}$
<b>B</b> <sub>21</sub>	<b>B</b> <sub>22</sub>		$-\mathbf{B}_{22}\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{x}}\mathbf{F}^{-1}$	$\left(-\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{x}}\mathbf{F}^{-1}\mathbf{G}+\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}\right)^{-1}$

Solve for  $B_{22}$ , then  $B_{12}$  and  $B_{21}$ , then  $B_{11}$ 

$$\Delta \mathbf{x}^* = \mathbf{B}_{12} \Delta \mathbf{y}_C - (\mathbf{B}_{11}\mathbf{L} + \mathbf{B}_{12}\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}}) \Delta \mathbf{w}^*$$
$$\Delta \mathbf{u}^* = \mathbf{B}_{22} \Delta \mathbf{y}_C - (\mathbf{B}_{21}\mathbf{L} + \mathbf{B}_{22}\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{w}}) \Delta \mathbf{w}^*$$

### LQ Regulator with Command Input (Proportional Control Law)



$$\Delta \mathbf{u}(t) = \Delta \mathbf{u}_C(t) - \mathbf{C} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t)$$

How do we define  $\Delta u_C(t)$ ?

### Non-Zero Steady-State Regulation with LQ Regulator

# Command input provides equivalent state and control values for the LQ regulator



Control law with command input

$$\Delta \mathbf{u}(t) = \Delta \mathbf{u}^{*}(t) - \mathbf{C} \Big[ \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) - \Delta \mathbf{x}^{*}(t) \Big]$$
  
=  $\mathbf{B}_{22} \Delta \mathbf{y}^{*} - \mathbf{C} \Big[ \Delta \mathbf{x}(t) - \mathbf{B}_{12} \Delta \mathbf{y}^{*} \Big]$   
=  $\Big( \mathbf{B}_{22} + \mathbf{C} \mathbf{B}_{12} \Big) \Delta \mathbf{y}^{*} - \mathbf{C} \Delta \mathbf{x}(t)$ 

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