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EE391: Control Systems and Components

Sheet 4: State Feedback and State Observers

1. Given

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} u \quad y = [1 \quad 1] \mathbf{x}$$

Find the state feedback gain \mathbf{K} so that the state feedback system has -1 and -2 as its eigenvalues. Compute \mathbf{K} directly without using any equivalence transformation.

2. Find the state feedback gain for the state feedback gain for the state equation

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

so that the resulting system has eigenvalues -2 and $-1 \pm j1$. Use the method you think is the simplest by hand to carry out the design.

3. Consider the continuous-time state equation

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$
$$y = [2 \quad 0 \quad 0] \mathbf{x}$$

Let $u = pr - \mathbf{k}\mathbf{x}$. Find the feedforward gain p and state feedback gain \mathbf{k} so that the resulting system has eigenvalues -2 and $-1 \pm j1$ and will track asymptotically any step reference input.