

# ME 530.676: Locomotion in Mechanical and Biological Systems

## Problem Set 6

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1. Consider the following system:

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= Ax + B(1 + \cos(\omega_0 t))u \\ y &= Cx\end{aligned}$$

where  $u, y \in \mathbb{R}$  (single-input, single-output, or SISO) and  $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . Specifically

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad C = [1 \quad -2]$$

- (a) What is the pumping frequency?
  - (b) Compute an impulse response function.
  - (c) Compute the HTF in terms of transfer functions  $\dots, G_{-2}, G_{-1}, G_0, G_1, G_2, \dots$
2. Consider the following system:

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= Ax + B\beta(t)u \\ y &= \delta(t)Cx\end{aligned}$$

where  $u, y \in \mathbb{R}$  (SISO), and  $A, B, C$  are constant, and the scalar functions  $\beta$  and  $\delta$  are both periodic with period  $T$ .

- (a) Find a general expression for the impulse response function.
  - (b) Given the FS expansion of  $\beta(t)$  and  $\delta$ , with coefficients  $b_k$  and  $d_k$ , respectively, compute as compact of an expression as possible for the HTF as possible. *Hint: You'll need to look up the time-shift property for FS, as well as the FS coefficients for the product of two periodic functions.*
3. Given a discrete-time, SISO, period-two system of the form

$$\begin{aligned}x[i+1] &= A[i]x[i] + B[i]u[i] \\ y[i] &= C[i]x[i]\end{aligned}$$

with (**UPDATED REV 1**)

$$\begin{aligned}A[0] &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} & B[0] &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \end{bmatrix} & C[0] &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \\ A[1] &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & B[1] &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} & C[1] &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

Compute the DTHTF.