

Real-Time Optimization by Extremum Seeking Control

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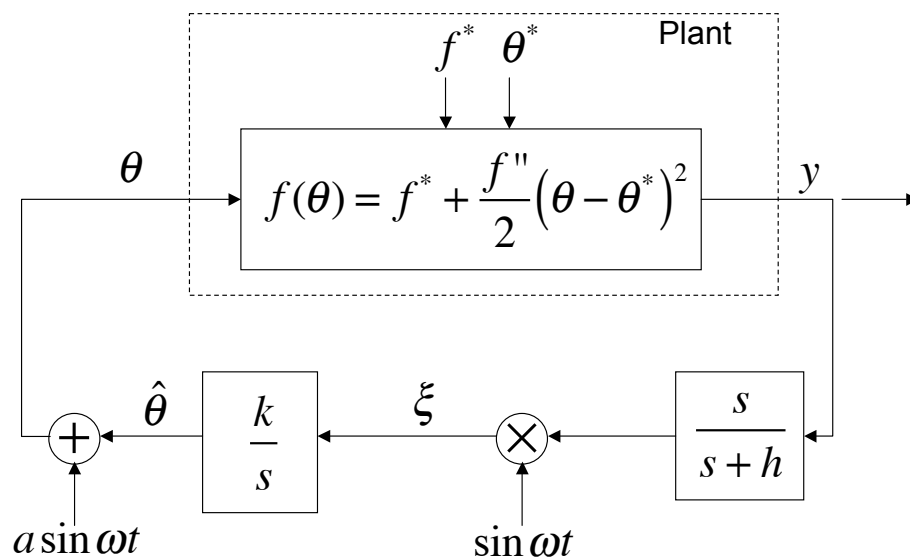
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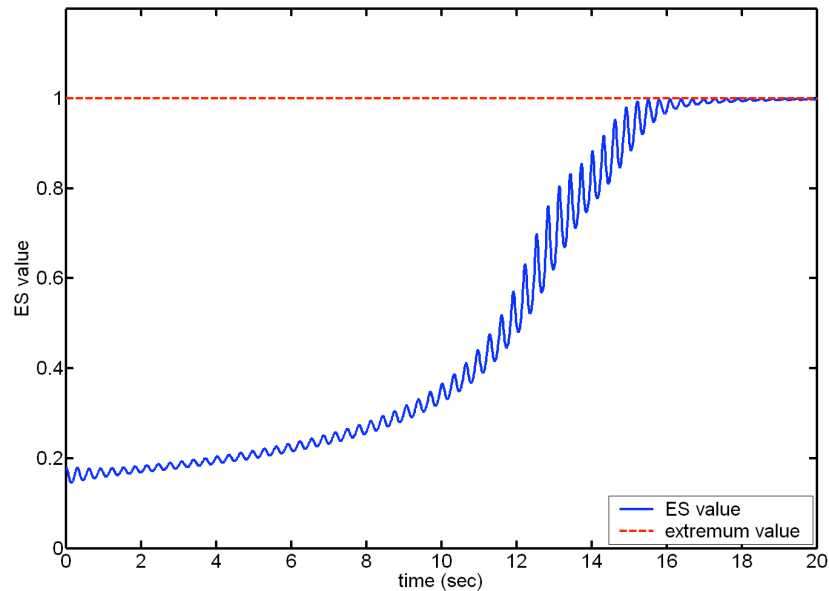
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Example of Single-Parameter Maximum Seeking



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Topics - Theory

- History
- Single parameter ES, how it works, and stability analysis by averaging
- ES with plant dynamics and compensators for performance improvement
- Internal model principle for tracking parameter changes
- Multi-parameter ES
- Slope seeking
- ES in discrete time
- Limit cycle minimization via ES

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Topics - Applications

- Anti-skid **braking**
- **Compressor** instabilities in jet engines
- **Combustion** instabilities
- **Flow** separation control in diffusers
- **Thermoacoustic** coolers
- **Automotive engine** mapping
- Beam matching in particle **accelerators**
- **Formation flight**
- **Bioreactors**
- **PID** tuning
- **Autonomous vehicles** without position sensing

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Speaking Schedule

- Introduction, history, single-parameter stability analysis (**Krstic**)
- Anti-skid braking (**Ariyur**)
- Bioreactor (**Krstic**)
- Plant dynamics, compensators, and IMC for tracking parameter changes (**Ariyur**)
- Limit cycle minimization via ES (**Krstic**)
- Multi-parameter ES (**Ariyur**)
- Thermoacoustic coolers (**Rotea**)
- Automotive engine optimization (**Jankovic**)
- Formation flight (**Ariyur**)
- Autonomous vehicles without position sensing (**Krstic**)
- ES in discrete time (**Ariyur**)
- Beam matching in particle accelerators (**Schuster**)
- PID tuning (**Krstic**)
- Slope seeking (**Ariyur**)
- Compressor instabilities in jet engines (**Krstic, Ariyur**)
- Combustion instabilities (**Banaszuk**)
- Flow separation control in diffusers (**Banaszuk**)

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History

- **Leblanc (1922)** - electric railways
- **Early Russian literature (1940's)** - many papers
- **Drapper and Li (1951)** - application to IC engine spark timing tuning
- **Tsien (1954)** - a chapter in his book on Engineering Cybernetics
- **Feldbaum (1959)** - book *Computers in Automatic Control Systems*
- **Blackman (1962 chap. in book by Westcott)** - nice intuitive presentation of ES
- **Wilde (1964)** - a book
- **Chinaev (1969)** - a handbook on self-tuning systems
- Papers by [Morosanov], [Ostrovskii], [Pervozvanskii], [Kazakevich], [Frey, Deem, and Altpeter], [Jacobs and Shering], [Korovin and Utkin] - late 50s - early 70's
- **Meerkov (1967, 1968)** - papers with averaging analysis
- **Sternby (1980)** - survey
- **Astrom and Wittenmark (1995 book)** - rates ES as one of the most promising areas for adaptive control

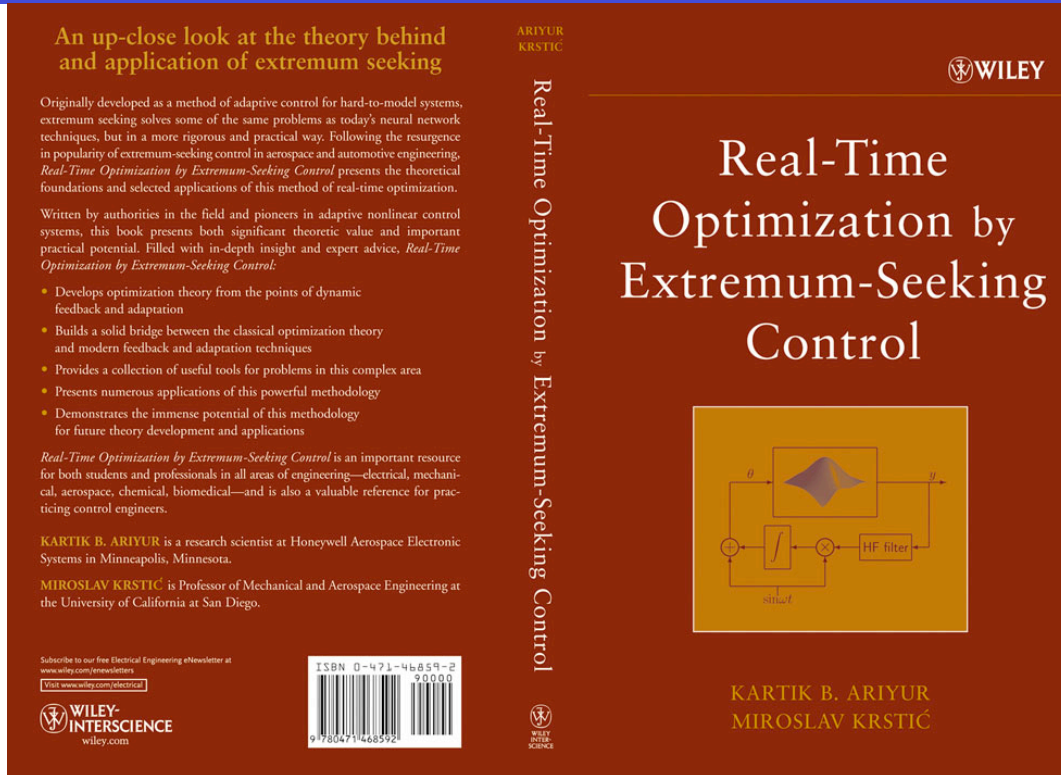
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Recent Developments

- **Krstic and Wang (2000, *Automatica*)** - stability proof for single-parameter general dynamic nonlinear plants
- **Choi, Ariyur, Wang, Krstic** - discrete-time, limit cycle minimization, IMC for parameter tracking, etc.
- **Rotea; Walsh; Ariyur** - multi-parameter ES
- **Ariyur** - slope seeking
- **Tan, Nesic, Mareels (2005)** - semi-global stability of ES
- Other approaches: **Guay, Dochain, Titica**, and coworkers; **Zak, Ozguner**, and coworkers; **Banavar, Chichka, Speyer; Popovic, Teel**; etc.
- **Applications** not presented in this workshop:
 - Electromechanical valve actuator (Peterson and Stephanopoulou)
 - Artificial heart (Antaki and Paden)
 - Exercise machine (Zhang and Dawson)
 - Chemical reactors and petroleum processing (several research groups)
 - Shape optimization for magnetic head in hard disk drives (UCSD)

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ES Book



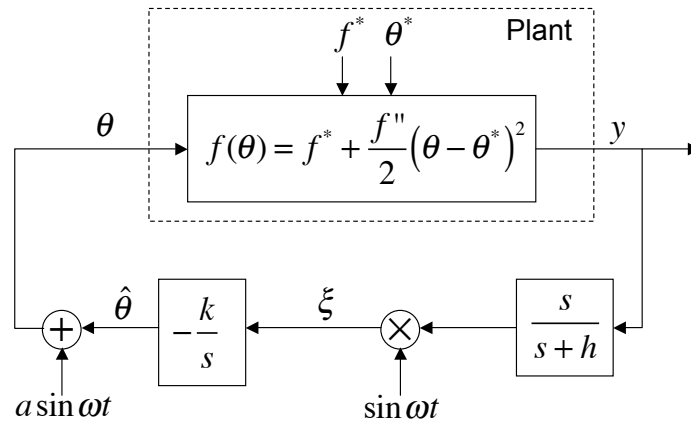
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Workshop Topics Covered in the Book

- Introduction, history, single-parameter stability analysis (Krstić)
- Anti-skid braking (Ariyur)
- Bioreactor (Krstić)
- Plant dynamics, compensators, and IMC for tracking parameter changes (Ariyur)
- Limit cycle minimization via ES (Krstić)
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- Autonomous vehicles without position sensing (Krstić)
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- Beam matching in particle accelerators (Schuster)
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Basic Extremum Seeking - Static Map



y = output to be minimized

f^* = minimum of the map

f'' = second derivative (positive - $f(\theta)$ has a min.)

θ^* = unknown parameter

$\hat{\theta}$ = estimate of θ^*

k = adaptation gain (positive) of the integrator $\frac{1}{s}$

a = amplitude of the probing signal

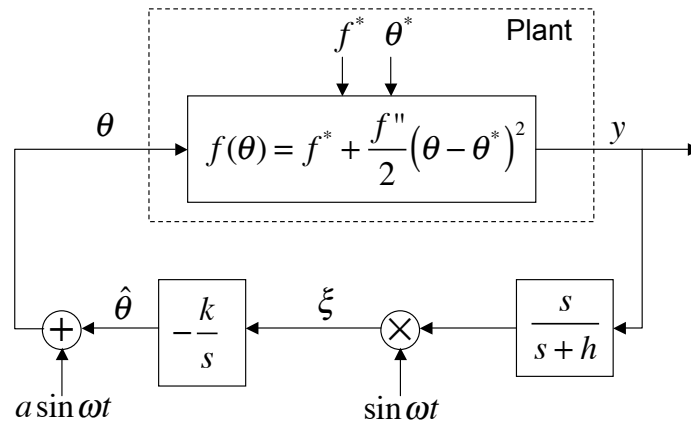
ω = frequency of the probing signal

h = cut-off frequency of the "washout filter" $\frac{s}{s+h}$

$+/\times$ = modulation/demodulation

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How Does It Work?



Estimation error: $\tilde{\theta} = \theta^* - \hat{\theta}$

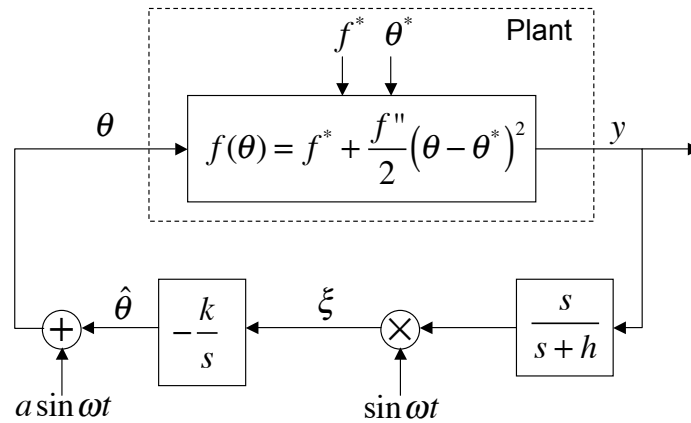
$$y = f^* + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} + \frac{f''}{2} \tilde{\theta}^2 - a f'' \tilde{\theta} \sin \omega t + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} \cos 2\omega t$$

Loc. Analysis - neglect quadratic terms:

$$y \approx f^* + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} - a f'' \tilde{\theta} \sin \omega t + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} \cos 2\omega t$$

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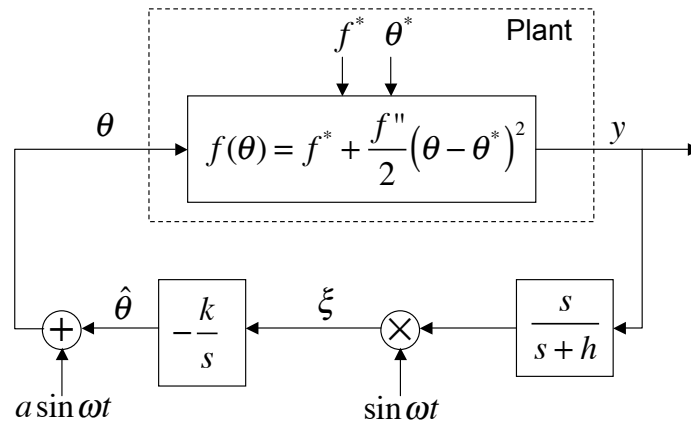


$$y \approx f^* + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} - a f'' \tilde{\theta} \sin \omega t + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} \cos 2\omega t$$

$$\frac{s}{s+h}[y] \approx -a f'' \tilde{\theta} \sin \omega t + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} \cos 2\omega t$$

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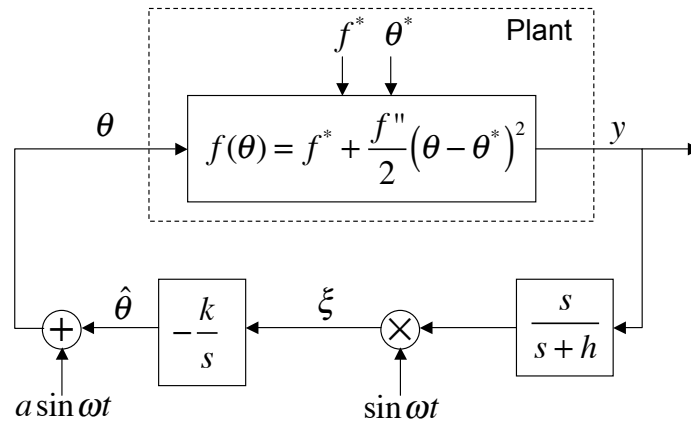
Demodulation:

$$\xi = \sin \omega t \frac{s}{s+h}[y] \approx -a f'' \tilde{\theta} \sin^2 \omega t + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} \cos 2\omega t \sin \omega t$$

$$\xi \approx -\frac{a^2 f''}{4} \tilde{\theta} + \frac{a^2 f''}{4} \tilde{\theta} \cos 2\omega t + \frac{a^2 f''}{8} (\sin \omega t - \sin 3\omega t)$$

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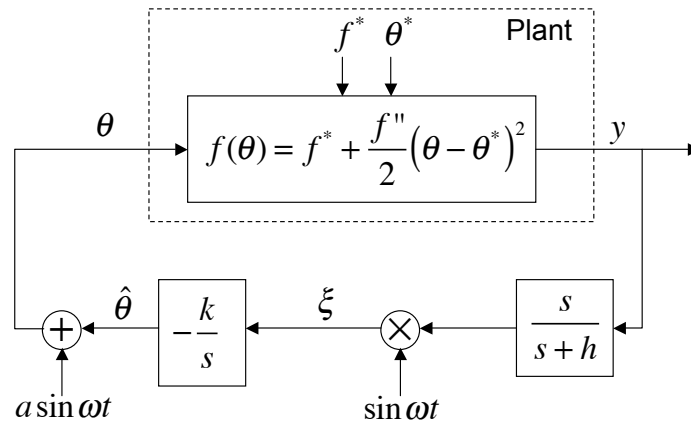


Since $\tilde{\theta} = \theta^* - \hat{\theta}$

then $\dot{\tilde{\theta}} = -\dot{\hat{\theta}}$

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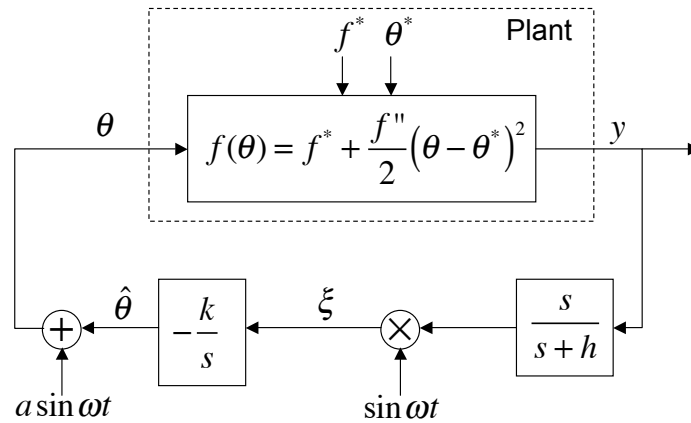
How Does It Work?



$$\tilde{\theta} \approx \frac{k}{s} \left[-\frac{a^2 f''}{4} \tilde{\theta} + \underbrace{\frac{a^2 f''}{4} \tilde{\theta} \cos 2\omega t + \frac{a^2 f''}{8} (\sin \omega t - \sin 3\omega t)}_{\text{high frequency terms - attenuated by integrator}} \right]$$

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How Does It Work?

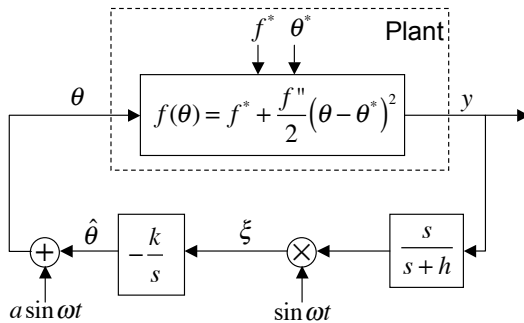


$$\dot{\tilde{\theta}} \approx -\frac{ka^2 f''}{4} \tilde{\theta}$$

Stable because $k, a, f'' > 0$

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Stability Proof by Averaging



$$\tilde{\theta} = \theta^* - \hat{\theta}$$

$$e = f^* - \frac{h}{s+h}[y]$$

$$\tau = \omega t$$

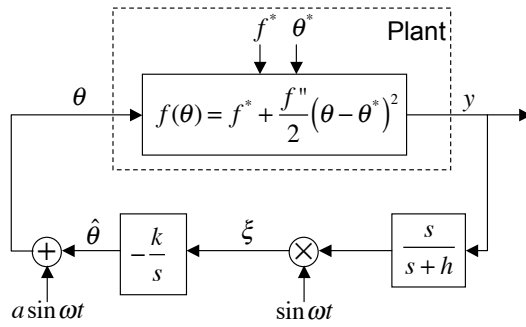
Full nonlinear time-varying model:

$$\frac{d}{d\tau} \tilde{\theta} = \frac{k}{\omega} \left(\frac{f''}{2} (\tilde{\theta} - a \sin \tau)^2 - e \right) \sin \tau$$

$$\frac{d}{d\tau} e = \frac{h}{\omega} \left(-e - \frac{f''}{2} (\tilde{\theta} - a \sin \tau)^2 \right)$$

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Stability Proof by Averaging



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Average system:

$$\frac{d}{d\tau} \tilde{\theta}_{av} = -\frac{kaf''}{2\omega} \tilde{\theta}_{av}$$

$$\frac{d}{d\tau} e_{av} = \frac{h}{\omega} \left(-e_{av} - \frac{f''}{2} \left(\tilde{\theta}_{av}^2 + \frac{a^2}{2} \right) \right)$$

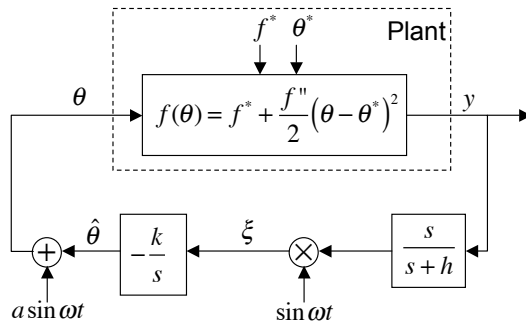
Average equilibrium:

$$\tilde{\theta}_{av} = 0$$

$$e_{av} = -\frac{a^2 f''}{4}$$

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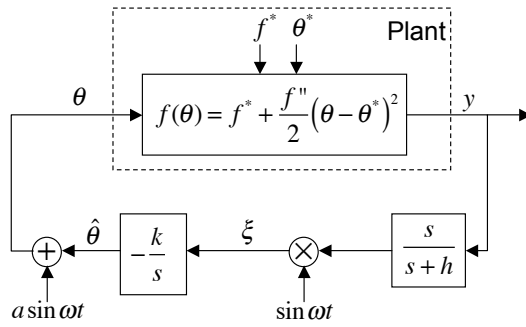
$$\tau = \omega t$$

Jacobian of the average system:

$$J_{av} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{kaf''}{2\omega} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{h}{\omega} \end{bmatrix}$$

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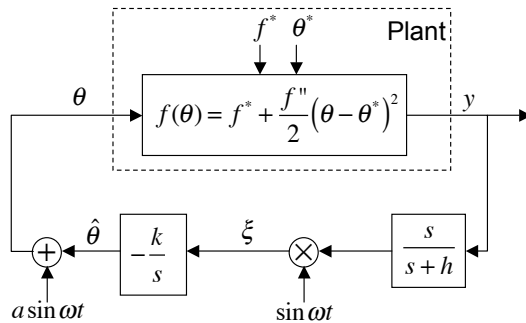
Theorem. For sufficiently large ω there exists a unique exponentially stable periodic solution of period $2\pi/\omega$ and it satisfies

$$\left| \tilde{\theta}_{2\pi/\omega}(t) \right| + \left| e_{2\pi/\omega}(t) - \frac{a^2 f''}{4} \right| \leq O\left(\frac{1}{\omega}\right), \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

Speed of convergence proportional to $1/\omega, a^2, k, f''$

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Output performance:

$$y - f^* \rightarrow f'' O\left(\frac{1}{\omega^2} + a^2\right)$$

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