

State-Space Realizations of Transfer Functions

The state-space model

$$\dot{x} = \bar{A}x + \bar{B}u, \quad y = \bar{C}x$$

with

$$\bar{A} = A^T, \quad \bar{B} = C^T, \quad \bar{C} = B^T$$

has the same transfer function as the original model with (A, B, C) .

But the state-space model is now in the **Observer Canonical Form (OCF)**:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -6 \\ 1 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} u, \quad y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$