CCF with Arbitrary Zeros

In our example, we had $G(s) = \frac{s+1}{s^2+5s+6}$, with a minimum-phase zero at z = -1.

Let's consider a general zero location s = z:

$$G(s) = \frac{s - z}{s^2 + 5s + 6}$$

This gives us a CCF realization

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -6 & -5 \end{pmatrix}}_A \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} + \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}}_B u, \qquad y = \underbrace{(-z \quad 1)}_C \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Since A, B are the same, $\mathcal{C}(A, B)$ is the same \Longrightarrow the system is still controllable.

A system in CCF is controllable for any locations of the zeros.