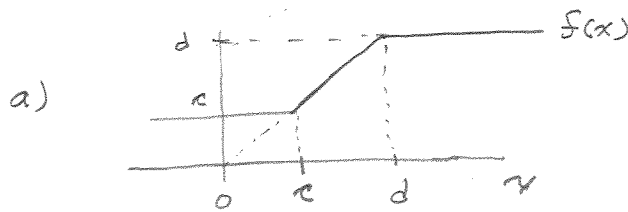


#3.



b)

$$f(x) = \alpha + \beta \text{satlin}(\gamma x + \delta) = \begin{cases} \alpha & \gamma x + \delta < 0 \equiv x < -\delta/\gamma \\ \alpha + \beta & \gamma x + \delta > 1 \equiv x > (1-\delta)/\gamma \\ \text{linear in between} & \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} c & \text{for } x < c \\ d & \text{for } x > d \\ \text{linear in between (slope} = 1 = \frac{d-c}{d-c} \text{)} & \end{cases}$$

identifying values and ranges

$$d = c, \quad \alpha = -\delta/\gamma$$

$$\alpha + \beta = d \Rightarrow \beta = d - \alpha \quad \text{for } d = (1-\delta)/\gamma$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{1}{\gamma} + \alpha \Rightarrow \gamma = \frac{1}{d - \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta = -\gamma \alpha = -\frac{\alpha}{d - \alpha}$$

\therefore

$$\underline{\underline{f(x) = c + (d-c) \text{satlin}\left(\frac{x-c}{d-c}\right)}}$$

c₁) $\frac{dx}{dt} = -x - Wy$, $y = F(x)$ with $F_i(x) = f(x_i)$

c₂) The normal choice of energy function would give the Lyapunov function if $W = W^T$

$$E(y) = \frac{1}{2} y^T W y + \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\int_c^{y_i} F_i^{-1}(x_i) dx_i \cdot 1(c < y_i < d) + c y_i \cdot 1(c < y_i) + d \cdot 1(y_i < d) \right]$$

$$dE(y)/dt = \dot{y}^T (Wy + x) = -(x + Wy)^T \left[\frac{dF_i}{dx_i} \right] (x + Wy) \leq 0$$

or have stability; if $W \neq W^T$ also true by direct calculation

c₃) Equilibrium if $dx/dt = 0 = -x - Wy$

$$x_{eq} = -W F(x_{eq})$$

If $c < x_i < d$ for all i , $x_{eq} = -W x_{eq}$

$\Rightarrow x_{eq} =$ eigenvector for unity eigenvalue of $-W$

otherwise x_i decreases to c or increases to d
(as stable with $dE(y) \rightarrow 0$)