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**Abstract.** Under quite general conditions we show that an infinite horizon optimal control problem with a state variable in the plane has a periodic solution. The latter may employ relaxed controls. We examine the possibility to construct then an ordinary control approximation. An application to singularly perturbed control systems is displayed.

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