# Homework #8: ECE 461/661

Meeting Specs, Delays, Unstable Systems. Due Monday, October 25th 20 points per problem

### **Meeting Design Specs**

1) Assume

$$G(s) = \left(\frac{170}{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)(s+9.00)(s+16.77)}\right)$$

Design a compensator, K(s), For the 4th-order model that results in

- No error for a step input
- A 2% settling time of 2 seconds, and
- 20% overshoot for the step response

Translation:

- Make it a type-1 system
  - no error for a step input
- Place the closed-loop dominant pole at s = -2 + j4

Let K(s) be of the form

$$K(s) = k\left(\frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)}{s(s+a)}\right)$$

so that

$$GK = \left(\frac{170k}{s(s+a)(s+9.00)(s+16.77)}\right)$$

Pick 'a' so that s = -2 + j4 is on the root locus

• The angle of GK(s) = 180 degrees

Solving for what we know:

$$\left(\frac{170}{s(s+9.00)(s+16.77)}\right)_{s=-2+j4} = 0.3080 \angle -161.463^{\circ}$$

For the angles to add up to 180 degrees

$$\angle (s+a) = 18.537^{\circ}$$
$$a = \frac{4}{\tan(18.537^{\circ})} + 2$$
$$a = 13.929$$

meaning

$$K(s) = k\left(\frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)}{s(s+13.929)}\right)$$

To find 'k', at any point on the root locus, GK = -1

$$GK = \left(\frac{170k}{s(s+9.00)(s+13.929)(s+16.77)}\right)_{s=-2+j4} = 0.024k\angle 180^{\circ}$$
$$k = \frac{1}{0.024} = 40.833$$

meaning

$$K(s) = 40.833 \left( \frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)}{s(s+13.929)} \right)$$

Check your design in Matlab or Simulink or VisSim



#### Requirements:

- No error for a step input
  - check
- 2% settling time of 2 seconds
  - check
- 20% overshoot
  - check

Give an op-amp circuit to implement K(s)

$$K(s) = 40.833 \left( \frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)}{s(s+13.929)} \right)$$

Rewrite as

$$K(s) = 8.167 \left(\frac{s+3.40}{s+13.929}\right) \cdot 5 \left(\frac{s+0.47}{s}\right)$$



## **Systems with Delays**

2) Assume a 100ms delay is added to the system

$$G(s) = \left(\frac{170}{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)(s+9.00)(s+16.77)}\right)e^{-0.1s}$$

Design a compensator, K(s), For the 4th-order model that results in

- No error for a step input
- A 2% settling time of 2 seconds, and
- 20% overshoot for the step response

Same as before. Let K(s) be of the form

$$K(s) = k\left(\frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)}{s(s+a)}\right)$$

resulting in

$$GK = \left(\frac{170k}{s(s+a)(s+9.00)(s+16.77)}\right)e^{-0.1s}$$

Evaluate what we know:

$$\left(\left(\frac{170}{s(s+9.00)(s+16.77)}\right)e^{-0.1s}\right)_{s=-2+j4} = 0.3760\angle +175.618^{\circ}$$

There's too much phase shift.

Cancel another pole...

$$K(s) = k \left( \frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)(s+9)}{s(s+a)^2} \right)$$
$$GK = \left( \frac{170k}{s(s+a)^2(s+16.77)} \right) e^{-0.1s}$$

Evaluate what we know:

$$\left(\left(\frac{170}{s(s+16.77)}\right)e^{-0.1s}\right)_{s=-2+j4} = 3.043\angle -154.637^{0}$$

meaning

$$\angle (s+a)^2 = 25.363^0$$
  
 $\angle (s+a) = 12.682^0$   
 $a = \frac{4}{\tan(12.682^0)} + 2 = 19.776$ 

and

$$K(s) = k \left( \frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)(s+9)}{s(s+19.776)^2} \right)$$

At any point on the root locus, GK = -1

$$GK = \left( \left( \frac{170k}{s(s+19.776)^2(s+16.77)} \right) e^{-0.1s} \right)_{s=-2+j4} = 0.009k \angle 180^0$$
$$k = \frac{1}{0.009} = 109.415$$

so

$$K(s) = 109.415 \left( \frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)(s+9)}{s(s+19.776)^2} \right)$$

Check your design in Matlab or Simulink or VisSim



Give an op-amp circuit to implement K(s)

$$K(s) = 109.415 \left( \frac{(s+0.47)(s+3.40)(s+9)}{s(s+19.776)^2} \right)$$

Rewrite as

$$K(s) = \left(\frac{s+0.47}{s}\right) \cdot 10\left(\frac{s+3.40}{s+19.776}\right) \cdot 10.94\left(\frac{s+9}{s+19.776}\right)$$



## **Unstable Systems**

3) Assume the slow pole was unstable

$$G(s) = \left(\frac{170}{(s-0.47)(s+3.40)(s+9.00)(s+16.77)}\right)$$

Design a compensator, K(s), For the 4th-order model that results in

- No error for a step input
- A 2% settling time of 2 seconds, and
- 20% overshoot for the step response

Check your design in Matlab or Simulink or VisSim

Step 1: Just stabilize the system. Don't worry about the requirements Let

$$K_1(s) = k\left(\frac{s+3.40}{s+10}\right)$$

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Place the closed-loop pole at s = -1
  >> G = zpk([], [0.47, -3.40, -9, -16.77], 170)
           170
  _____
                 _____
  (s-0.47) (s+3.4) (s+9) (s+16.77)
  >> K1 = zpk(-3.40,-10,1)
  (s+3.4)
   _____
  (s+10)
  >> GK1 = minreal(G*K1)
              170
  _____
              _____
  (s-0.47) (s+9) (s+10) (s+16.77)
  >> evalfr(GK1,-1)
  ans = -0.1019
  >> k1 = 1/abs(ans)
  k1 = 9.8182
  >> K1 = zpk(-3.40, -10, 9.8182)
  9.8182 (s+3.4)
  _____
      (s+10)
  >> G2 = minreal(G*K1 / (1 + G*K1))
             1669.094
   _____
                       _____
  (s+1) (s+4.112) (s^2 + 30.19s + 233.4)
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Step 2: Now that the system is stable, meet the design specs

$$K_2(s) = k \left( \frac{(s+1)(s+4.112)}{s(s+a)} \right)$$
$$G_2 K_2 = \left( \frac{1669.094k}{s(s+a)(s^2+30.19s+233.4)} \right)$$

Evaluate what we know

$$\left(\frac{1669.094}{s\left(s^2+30.19s+233.4\right)}\right)_{s=-2+j4} = 1.9429 \angle -149.6132^0$$

meaning

$$\angle (s+a) = 30.3868^{\circ}$$
$$a = \frac{4}{\tan(30.3868^{\circ})} + 2 = 8.821$$

and

$$K_2(s) = k \left( \frac{(s+1)(s+4.112)}{s(s+8.821)} \right)$$

At any point on the root locus, GK = -1

point on the root locus, 
$$GR = -1$$
  
 $G_2K_2 = \left(\frac{1669.094k}{s(s+8.821)(s^2+30.19s+233.4)}\right)_{s=-2+j4} = 0.2457k\angle 180^0$   
 $k = \frac{1}{0.2457} = 4.070$   
 $K_2(s) = 4.070\left(\frac{(s+1)(s+4.112)}{s(s+8.821)}\right)$   
 $K_1(s) = 9.8182\left(\frac{s+3.4}{s+10}\right)$ 

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Checking the resulting controller in VisSim

