

# Homework #9: ECE 461/661

z-Transforms, s to z conversion, Root Locus in the z-Domain. Due Monday, November 8th

## z-Transforms

- 1) Determine the difference equation that relates X and Y

$$Y = \left( \frac{0.005z}{(z-0.98)(z-0.95)(z-0.8)} \right) X$$

In Matlab

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>> poly([0.98, 0.95, 0.8])  
ans = 1.0000 -2.7300 2.4750 -0.7448
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$$Y = \left( \frac{0.005z}{z^3 - 2.73z^2 + 2.475z - 0.7448} \right) X$$

Cross multiply

$$(z^3 - 2.73z^2 + 2.475z - 0.7448)Y = (0.005z)X$$

'zY' means 'y(k+1)' or 'the next value of Y'

$$y(k+3) - 2.73y(k+2) + 2.475y(k+1) - 0.7448y(k) = 0.005x(k+1)$$

If you don't like using future values, you can do a change of variable and shift time by 3

$$y(k) - 2.73y(k-1) + 2.475y(k-2) - 0.7448y(k-3) = 0.005x(k-2)$$

Either answer is correct

2) Determine y(k) assuming

$$Y = \left( \frac{0.005z}{(z-0.98)(z-0.95)(z-0.8)} \right) X \quad x(t) = 2 \cos(3t) + 4 \sin(3t)$$

$$T = 0.1$$

This is a phasor problem:  $-\infty < t < \infty$

$$s = j3$$

$$z = e^{sT} = e^{j0.3} = 1 \angle 0.3 \text{ rad}$$

$$X = 2 - j4 \quad \text{real} = \cosine, \text{-imag} = \sinus$$

$$Y = \left( \frac{0.005z}{(z-0.98)(z-0.95)(z-0.8)} \right)_{z=1 \angle 0.3} (2 - j4)$$

$$Y = 0.2894 + j0.7072$$

which means (real = cosine, -imag = sine)

$$y(t) = 0.2894 \cos(3t) - 0.7072 \sin(3t)$$

3) Determine y(k) assuming

$$Y = \left( \frac{0.005z}{(z-0.98)(z-0.95)(z-0.8)} \right) X \quad x(k) = u(k)$$

Plug in the z-transform for x(k)

$$Y = \left( \frac{0.005z}{(z-0.98)(z-0.95)(z-0.8)} \right) \left( \frac{z}{z-1} \right)$$

Do partial fractions

$$Y = \left( \frac{0.005z}{(z-1)(z-0.98)(z-0.95)(z-0.8)} \right) z$$

$$Y = \left( \left( \frac{25}{z-1} \right) + \left( \frac{-45.3704}{z-0.98} \right) + \left( \frac{21.1111}{z-0.95} \right) + \left( \frac{-0.7407}{z-0.8} \right) \right) z$$

$$Y = \left( \frac{25z}{z-1} \right) + \left( \frac{-45.3704z}{z-0.98} \right) + \left( \frac{21.1111z}{z-0.95} \right) + \left( \frac{-0.7407z}{z-0.8} \right)$$

Convert back to time

$$y(k) = \left( 25 - 45.3704(0.98)^k + 21.1111(0.95)^k - 0.7407(0.8)^k \right) u(k)$$

## s to z conversion

3) Determine the discrete-time equivalent of G(s). Assume T = 0.5 second

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

s and z are related by

$$z = e^{sT}$$

$$s = -0.47 \quad z = 0.7906$$

$$s = -3.40 \quad z = 0.1827$$

$$s = -9.00 \quad z = 0.0111$$

$$s = -16.77 \quad z = 0.0002$$

meaning

$$G(z) \approx \left( \frac{kz^n}{(z-0.7906)(z-0.1827)(z-0.0111)(z-0.0002)} \right)$$

To find 'k', math the gain at s = 0

$$G(s=0) = 0.7048$$

$$G(z=1) = 5.9098k$$

$$k = \left( \frac{0.7048}{5.9098} \right) = 0.1193$$

To find 'n', pick a frequency, such as 0.1 rad/sec and match the phase

$$G(s=j0.1) = 0.6892 \angle -14.6744^0$$

$$G(z=e^{sT}) = (0.6894 \angle -22.7688^0) \cdot (1 \angle n \cdot 2.8648^0)$$

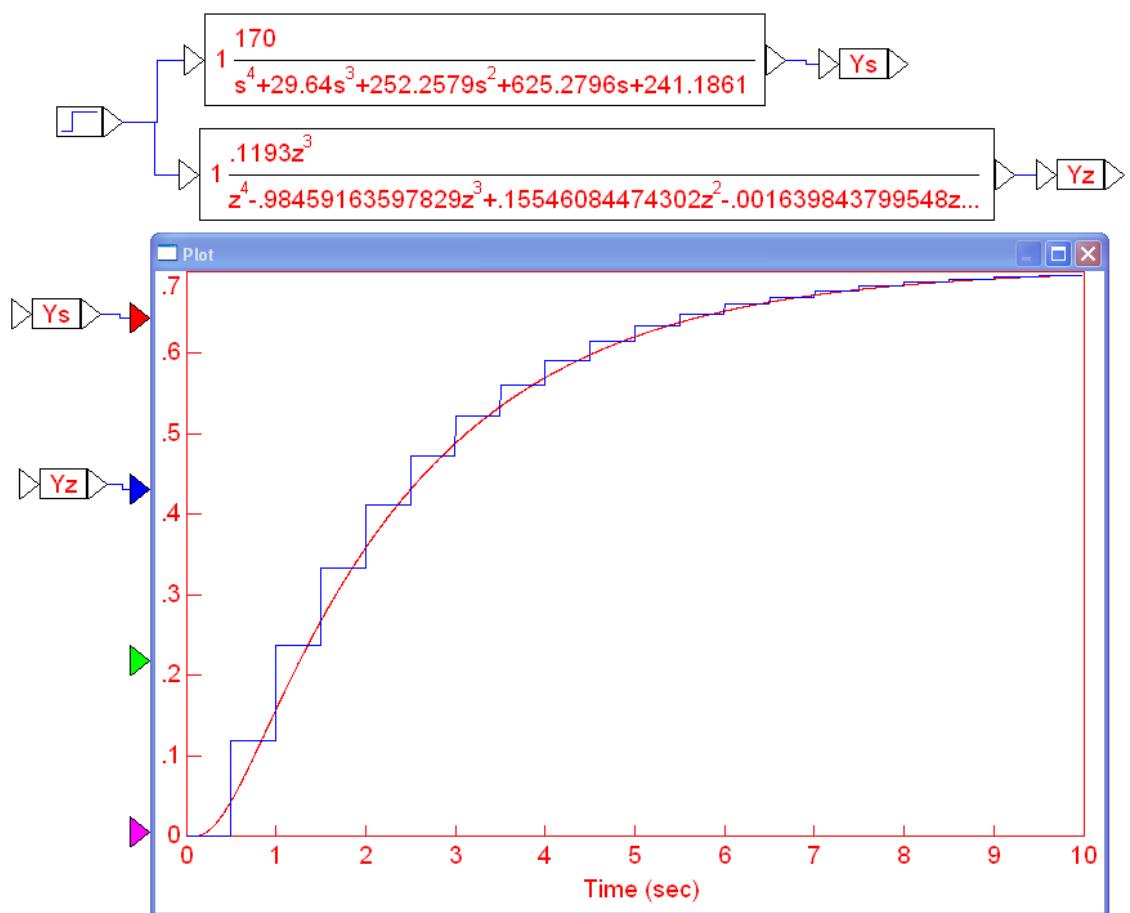
To match the phase

$$n = \left( \frac{22.7688^0 - 14.6744^0}{2.8648^0} \right) = 2.82$$

Round to n=3

$$G(z) \approx \left( \frac{0.1193z^3}{(z-0.7906)(z-0.1827)(z-0.0111)(z-0.0002)} \right)$$

Checking in VisSim



4) Determine the discrete-time equivalent of  $G(s)$ . Assume  $T = 0.1$  second

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

In Matlab

```
>> s = [-0.47, -3.40, -9, -16.77]
s =      -0.4700    -3.4000    -9.0000   -16.7700
>> T = 0.1;
>> z = exp(s*T)
z =      0.9541     0.7118     0.4066     0.1869

>> Gs = zpk([], [-0.47, -3.40, -9, -16.77], 170)
170
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(s+0.47)  (s+3.4)  (s+9)  (s+16.77)

>> Gz = zpk([], exp(s*T), 1)
1
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(s-0.9541)  (s-0.7118)  (s-0.4066)  (s-0.1869)
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Find k to match the DC gain

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>> k = evalfr(Gs, 0) / evalfr(Gz, 1)
k =      0.004500520667663
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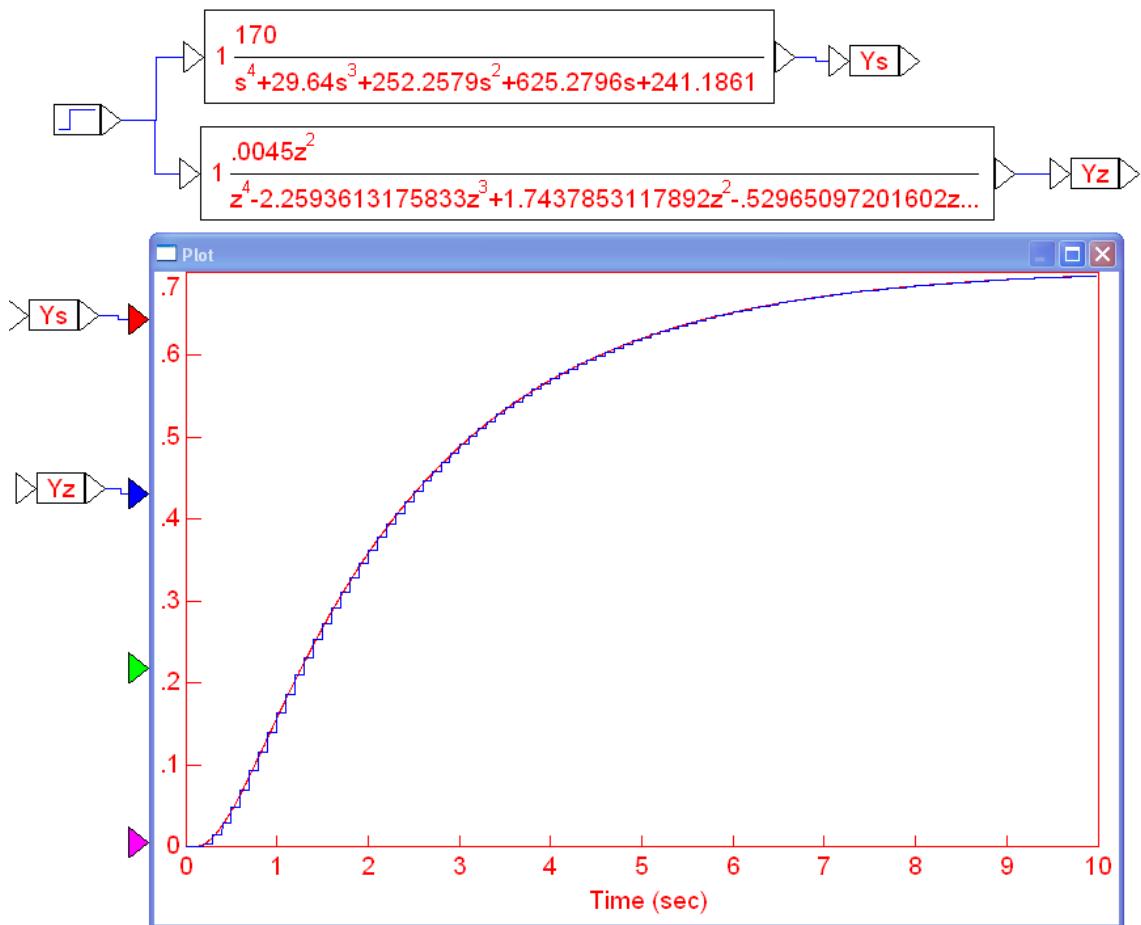
Add n zeros at  $z=0$  to match the phase at  $s = j0.1$  rad/sec (somewhat arbitrary)

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>> s = j*0.1;
>> T = 0.1;
>> z = exp(s*T);
>> n = (angle(evalfr(Gs, s)) - angle(evalfr(Gz, z))) / angle(z)
n =      2.2398
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Round to  $n = 2$

```
>> Gz = zpk([0, 0], exp(s*T), k)
0.004500 z^2
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(z-0.9541)  (z-0.7118)  (z-0.4066)  (z-0.1869)
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Checking in VisSim



Note: If you change the sampling rate, you change  $G(z)$ . That affects everything from this point onward (compensator design, gain computations, etc.). Changing the sampling rate is a *big* deal.

## Root Locus in the z-Domain

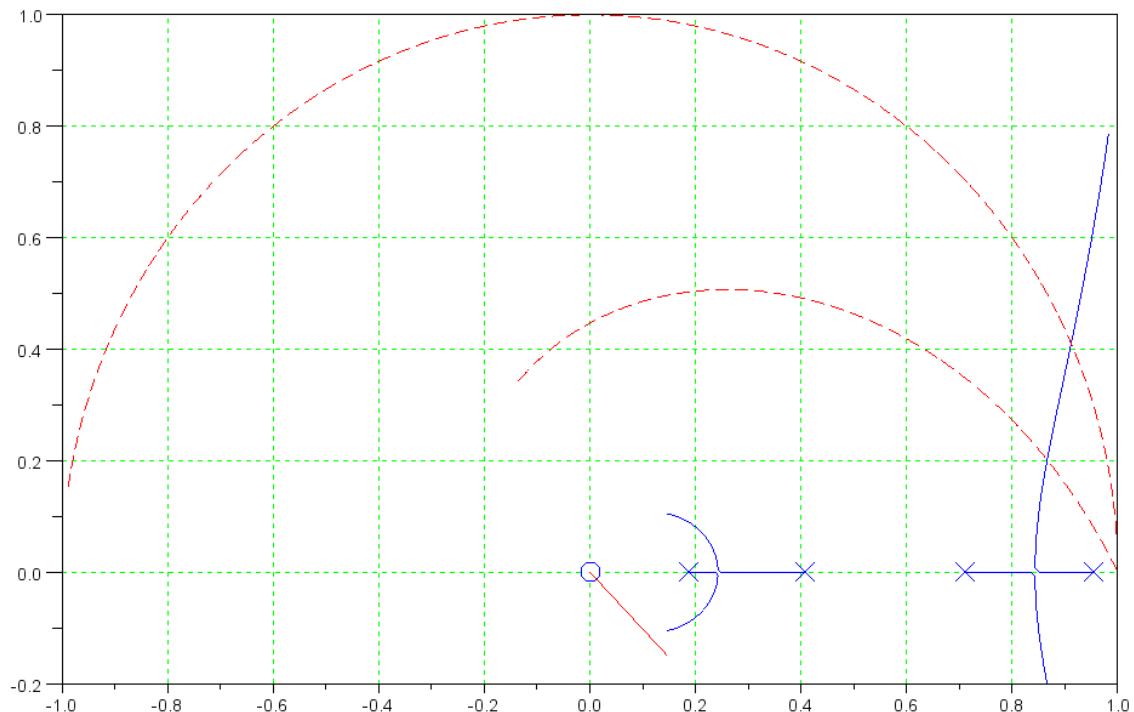
Assume T = 0.1 seconds.

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

5) Draw the root locus for G(z)

From problem #4

$$G(z) = \left( \frac{0.0045z^2}{(z-0.9541)(z-0.7118)(z-0.4066)(z-0.1869)} \right)$$



6) Find k for no overshoot in the step response

- Simulate the closed-loop system's step response

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-->evalfr(G, 0.843)
ans =

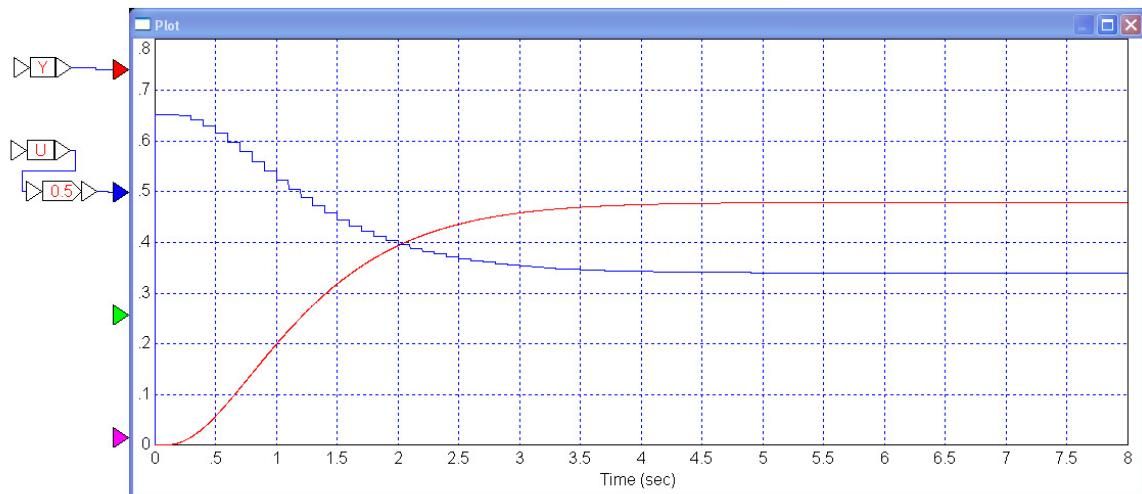
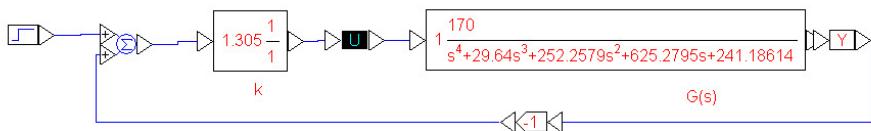
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- 0.7661403

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-->1/abs(ans)
ans =

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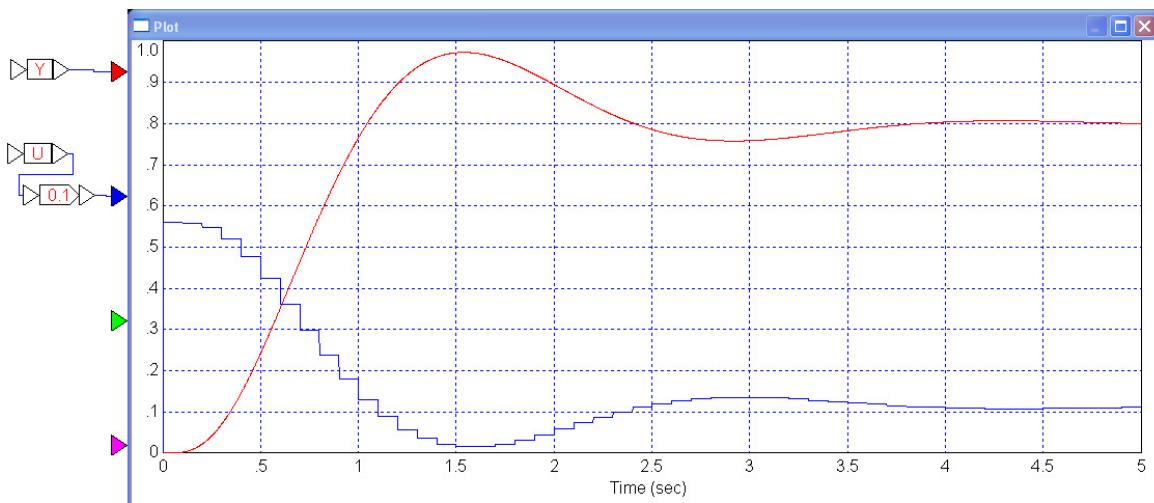
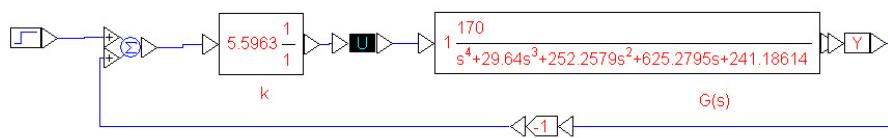
1.305244



7) Find k for 20% overshoot for a step response (damping ratio = 0.4559)

- Simulate the closed-loop system's step response

```
-->z = 0.866 + j*0.202;
-->evalfr(G, z)
ans =
- 0.178687 + 0.0007450i
-->1/abs(ans)
ans =
5.5963293
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8) Find k for a damping ratio of 0.00

- Simulate the closed-loop system's step response

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-->evalfr(G, 0.912 + j*0.415)
ans =
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- 0.0430222 + 0.0002051i
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-->1/abs(ans)
ans =
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23.243543
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