

# EE160 Homework 4

Deadline: 2022-12-24, 23:59:59, Submit your homework on Blackboard  
(Hint: You can use MATLAB to help you do the homework.)

1. A block diagram of a turret lathe control system is shown in Figure 1. The parameters in the system are  $n = 0.2$ ,  $J = 10^{-3}$  and  $b = 2.0 \times 10^{-2}$ . It is necessary to attain an accuracy of  $4.7 \times 10^{-4}$  inches. To satisfy this condition, a steady-state position accuracy of 2% is specified for a ramp input. Design a cascade compensator to be inserted before the controller in order to provide a response to a step command with a percent overshoot of  $P.O. \leq 4.5\%$ . A suitable damping ratio for this system is  $\zeta \geq 0.7$ . The gain of the controller is  $K_R = 5$ . Design a suitable phase-lag compensator with the following two methods.

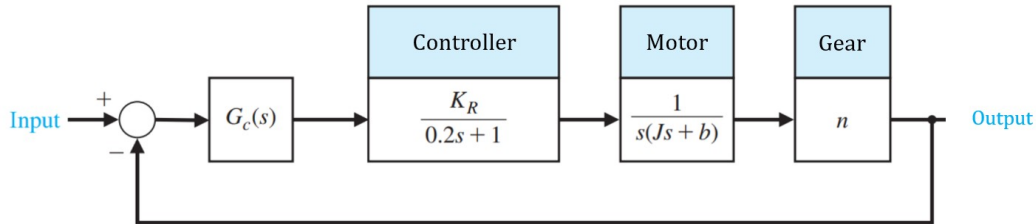


Figure 1: A feedback control system

- (a) Use bode plot. (10')
  - (b) Use root locus. (10')
2. Consider a unity feedback system in Figure 2. We want the step response of the system to have a percent overshoot of  $P.O. \leq 9\%$  and a settling time (with a 2% criterion) of  $T_s \leq 4$  s.

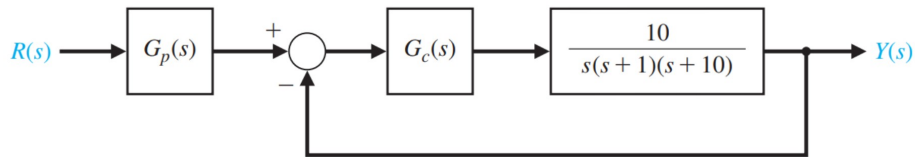


Figure 2: A feedback control system

- (a) Design a phase-lead compensator  $G_c(s)$  to achieve the dominant roots desired. (15')
  - (b) If we add a PD controller between the system and the compensator, and change the system to  $\frac{1}{s(s+1)(s+2)}$ . Design a first-order compensator  $(\frac{s+z}{s+p})$  and a first-order prefilter  $(\frac{z}{s+z})$ , and determine the coefficients that yield the optimal deadbeat response. (15')
3. Prove the following propositions:
    - (a) If two state-space models share the same controllable canonical form, the two models are consistent in controllability. (5')

(b) Consider a general system

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= Ax + Bu \\ y &= Cx\end{aligned}\tag{1}$$

Define the dual system of (1)

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= A^\top x + C^\top u \\ y &= B^\top x\end{aligned}\tag{2}$$

Show that system (1) is observable if and only if system (2) is controllable. (5')

4. Consider the third-order system

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= Ax + Bu \\ y &= Cx\end{aligned}$$

where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -8 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} \quad C = [2 \quad 8 \quad 10]$$

- Sketch a block diagram model of the system. (5')
  - Write the transfer function of the system  $G(s) = Y(s)/U(s)$ . (5')
  - Check the controllability and observability of the system. (5')
  - Design a full-state observer for the system with an expected settling time of less than 1 second. (5')
  - Suppose system state  $x(t)$  is available. Design a full-state feedback controller for the system. The desired poles of the closed-loop system are  $[-4 + j3 \quad -4 - j3 \quad -8]$ . (7')
  - Prove that if (A, B) are controllable, (A, C) are observable, the closed-loop system with full-state observer-based feedback controller is stable. Verify the proposition with the control scheme designed above. (8')
  - Consider a piece-wise constant reference signal  $r(t)$ . Design a compensator such that the tracking error  $y(t) - r(t)$  asymptotically converges to zero. (5')
5. Consider a LRC circuit with input voltage  $v_i(t)$  and output voltage  $v_o(t)$ . The system model is given as

$$\frac{V_o(s)}{V_i(s)} = \frac{1}{LCs^2 + RCs + 1}$$

where  $L = 0.1$ ,  $R = 0.5$ ,  $C = 20$ .

(a) Write the above system into the state space model

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x}(t) &= Ax(t) + Bu(t) \\ y(t) &= Cx(t)\end{aligned}$$

where  $x(t) = [v_o(t) \quad \dot{v}_o(t)]^\top$  (3')

- Suppose input  $u(t)$  is unknown. Design a system state observer  $\hat{x}(t)$  such that the amplitude of the frequency response of observation error  $e(t) = C\hat{x}(t) - y(t)$  is smaller than -15 dB. (7')
- Design the infinite LQR controller law  $u(t) = -Kx(t)$  that minimizes the infinite horizon cost

$$\int_0^\infty 3v_o^2(t) + \dot{v}_o^2 + v_i^2(t) dt$$

Write the corresponding optimal control problem in standard form, indicate  $Q$  matrix and  $R$  matrix, then solve the control gain  $K$  explicitly. (5')

- Compare the performance and control effort of (c) and  $K = [-0.5 \quad -2]$  using MATLAB. The initial state is given as  $x_0 = [3, 2]^\top$ , simulation time  $T = 100s$ . (5')