

Response Versus Pole Location

From the Laplace transform of ODE, we get a transfer function:

$$H(s) = \frac{n(s)}{d(s)} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{: zeros} \\ \text{: poles} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{output} \\ \text{input} \end{array}$$

to find them:

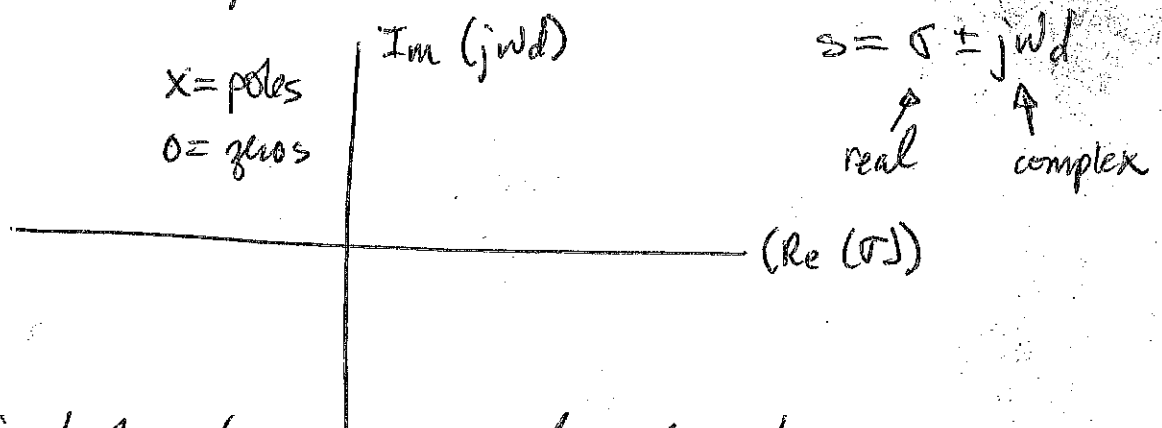
$$n(s) = 0$$

$$d(s) = 0$$

These poles and zeros describe the system.

Recall that impulse response \Rightarrow natural response
thus we can identify the time histories with
pole location in the s-plane.

s-plane: A graphical tool for plotting the zeros
and poles thus giving us a pictorial view of
the systems response:



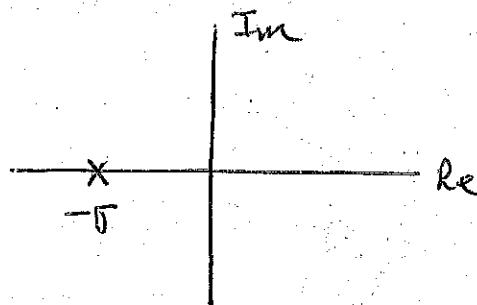
Now let's look at some examples of system response
versus pole location

Ex: (Real Poles)

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{s + \sigma} = \text{Laplace T.F. of impulse (1st order) Response}$$

from Table A.2 (#7)

$$h(t) = e^{-\sigma t}$$



when $\sigma > 0$, $s < 0 \Rightarrow$ stable system

when $\sigma < 0$, $s > 0 \Rightarrow$ unstable system

$\sigma = 0$, $s = 0 \Rightarrow$ marginally stable system
(small perturbation can make it unstable).

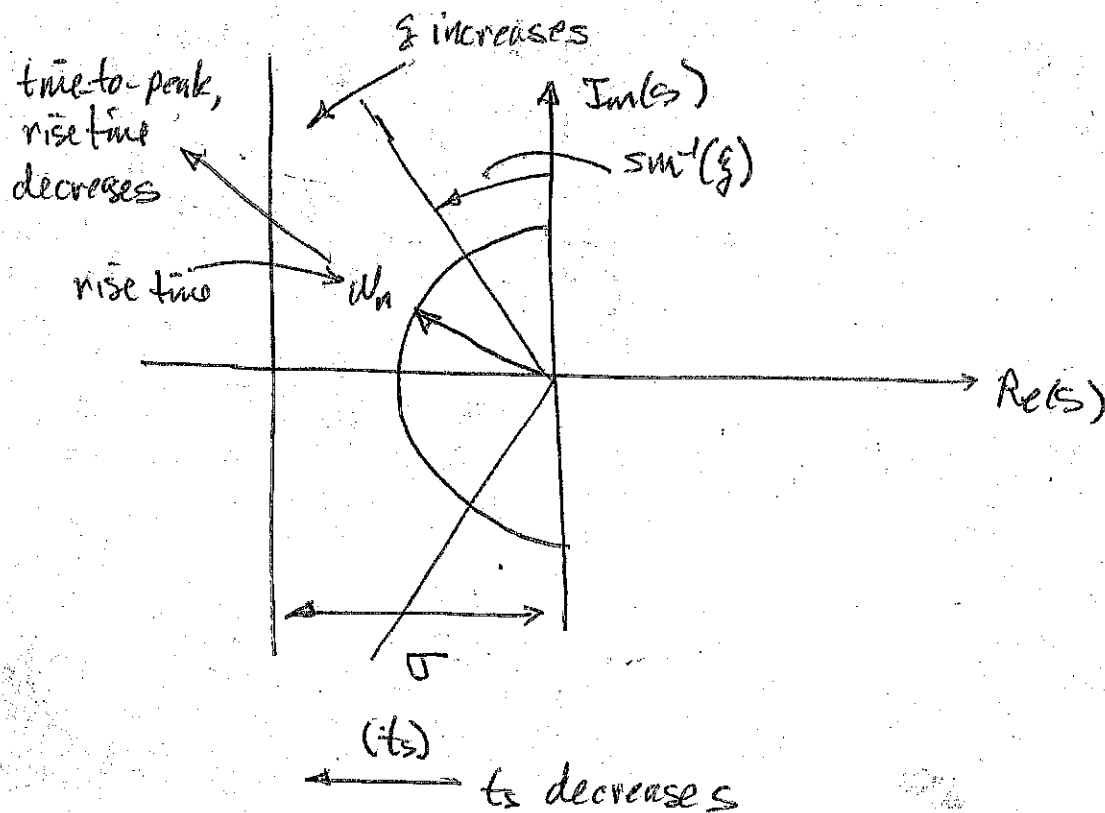
Since this is a first order response:

$$\tau = \frac{1}{\sigma} \quad (\text{time constant})$$

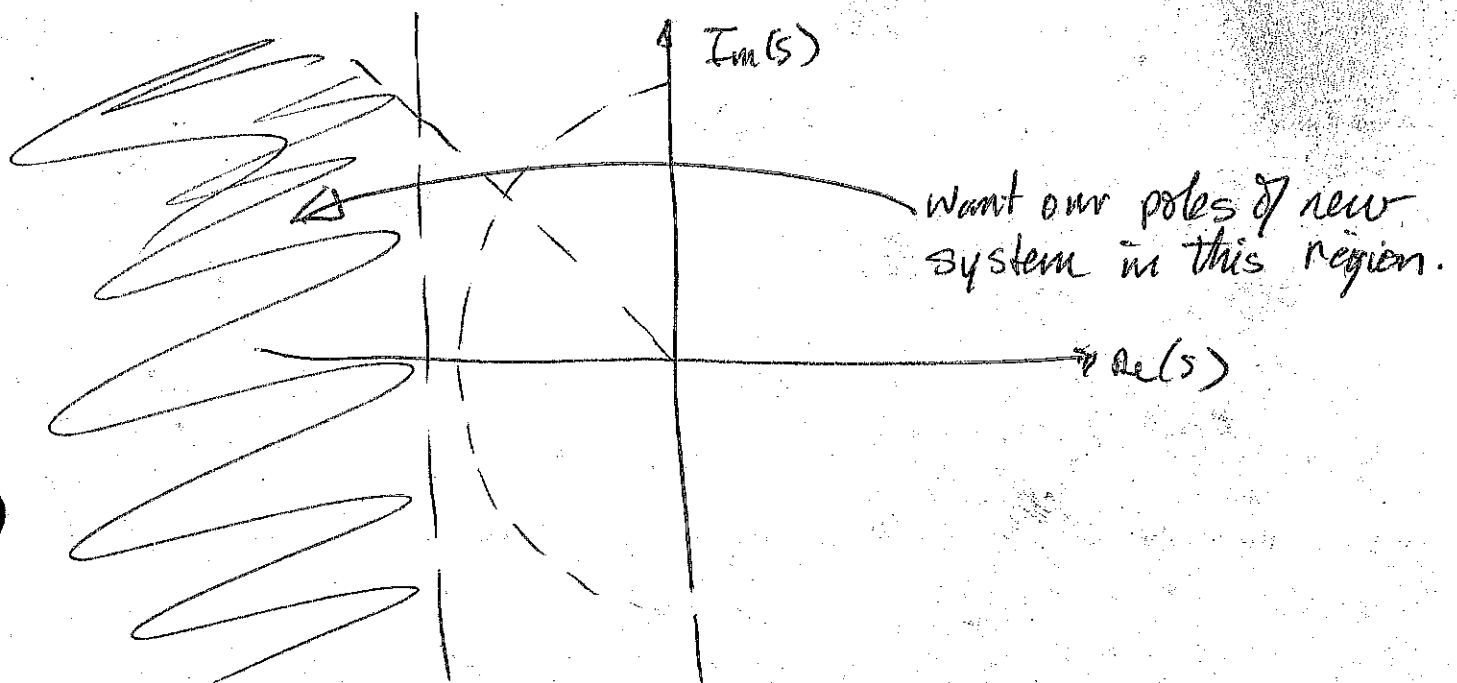
-Time it takes to reach 63% of final value.
 τ characterizes the exponential behavior of system.

Larger σ means the decay is faster \Rightarrow faster pole
smaller σ mean slower decay and is usually the dominant behavior of a system.

How do they map into the s-plane?



Therefore, we can use these mappings to design a controller, ex:



Effects of Zeros and additional Poles on 2nd order Systems

In general, for a 2nd order system in the form:

$$H(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$

the transient response parameters are approximated by

$$\text{Rise time: } t_r \approx \frac{1.8}{\omega_n}$$

$$\text{settling time: } t_s \approx \frac{4}{\zeta\omega_n} = \frac{4}{\zeta\omega_n} \quad (2\%)$$

$$\text{time-to-peak: } t_p = \frac{\pi}{\omega_d} = \frac{\pi}{\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}$$

$$\%OS = 100 e^{-\frac{\pi\zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}}$$

But these approximations only apply to 2nd order systems w/ no finite zeros.

But what happens if we add more poles and zeros to the system?

* For some cases, ~~the~~ the systems with more poles/zeros can be approximated as a 2nd order system if it has two dominant complex poles.

Adding Poles:

Take for example adding a pole (real) to a 2nd order system:

$$\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{B(s + \zeta\omega_n) + C\omega_d}{(s + \zeta\omega_n)^2 + \omega_d^2} + \frac{D}{(s + \alpha)}$$

Now consider a step input $U(s) = \frac{1}{s}$

$$\Rightarrow Y(s) = \frac{A}{s} + \frac{B(s + \zeta\omega_n) + C\omega_d}{(s + \zeta\omega_n)^2 + \omega_d^2} + \frac{D}{s + \alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(t) = Au(t) + e^{-\zeta\omega_n t} (B \cos \omega_d t + C \sin \omega_d t) + D e^{-\alpha t}$$

Then if α is far away, the contribution of $D e^{-\alpha t}$ term is small because rate of decay for large α is fast.

But if α is close to poles of the second order system i.e.

$$s = -\zeta\omega_n \pm j\omega_n \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$$

In general, if poles are at least 5-10 times away from 2nd order poles, then we can approximate the response as 2nd order.

Adding zeros

Consider adding a zero to a 2nd order system:

$$H(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{as + b}{s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{as}{s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2} + \frac{b}{s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2} + \frac{c}{s}$$

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$$Y(s) = s a H_1(s) + b H_1(s) + H_2(s)$$

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step input response

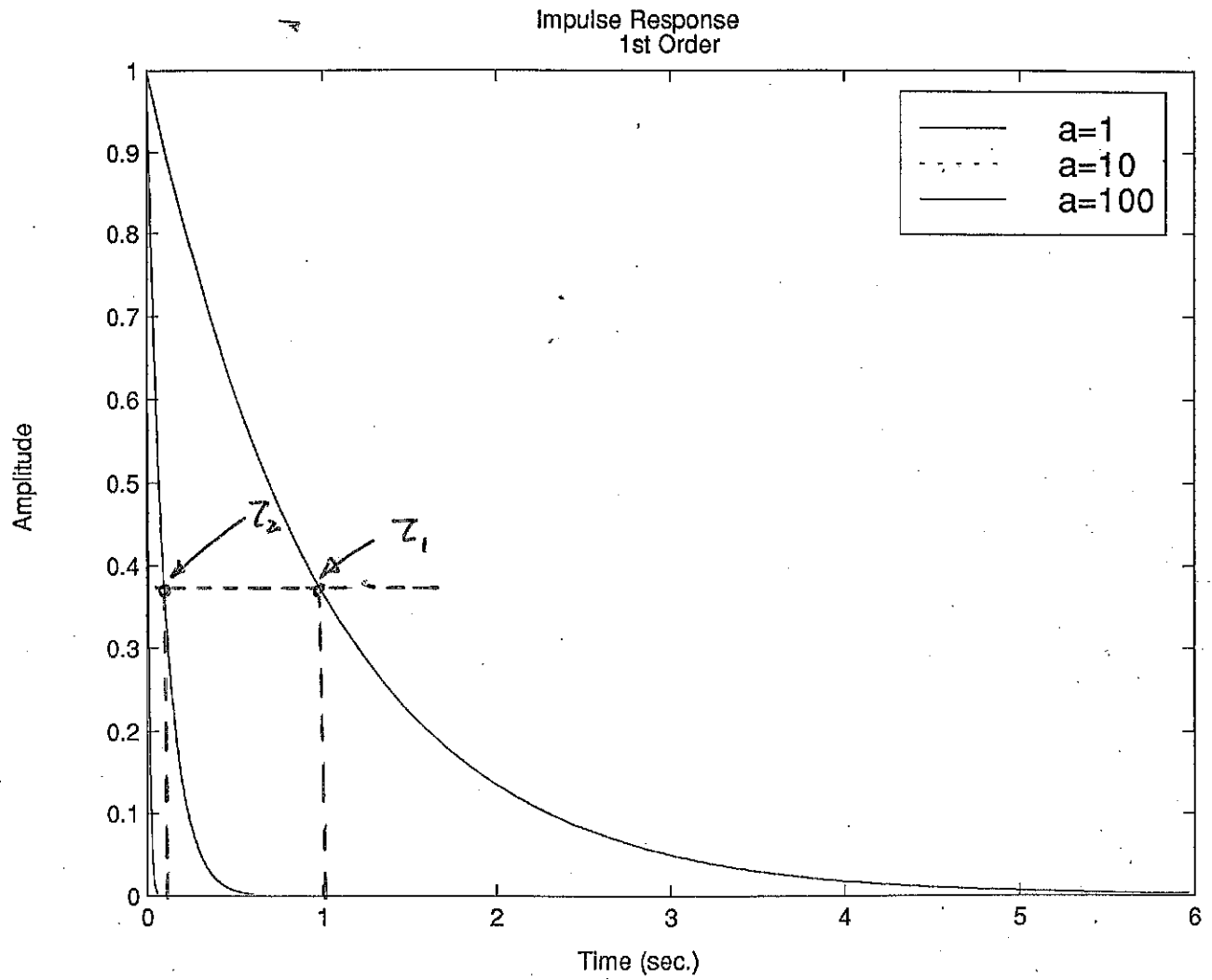
if $b > 0 \Rightarrow$ LHP zero, therefore the response
of $H_1(s) > 0 \Rightarrow s a H_1(s) > 0$

so, depending upon the magnitude of b ,
the response of a zero will add to the
system

if $b < 0 \Rightarrow$ RHP zero, therefore $H_1(s) < 0$
and the system will respond in negative
direction. Non minimum phase systems.

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{s + a}$$

$a=1, 10, 100$



Matlab Impulse Function

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>>n=[1];
>>d=[1 a];
>>impulse(n,d);
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Complex Roots

- Come in complex conjugate pairs:

$$s = -\sigma \pm j\omega_d$$

$$\Rightarrow d(s) = (s + \sigma + j\omega_d)(s + \sigma - j\omega_d)$$

$$d(s) = (s + \sigma)^2 + \omega_d^2$$

For a second order system, general form is

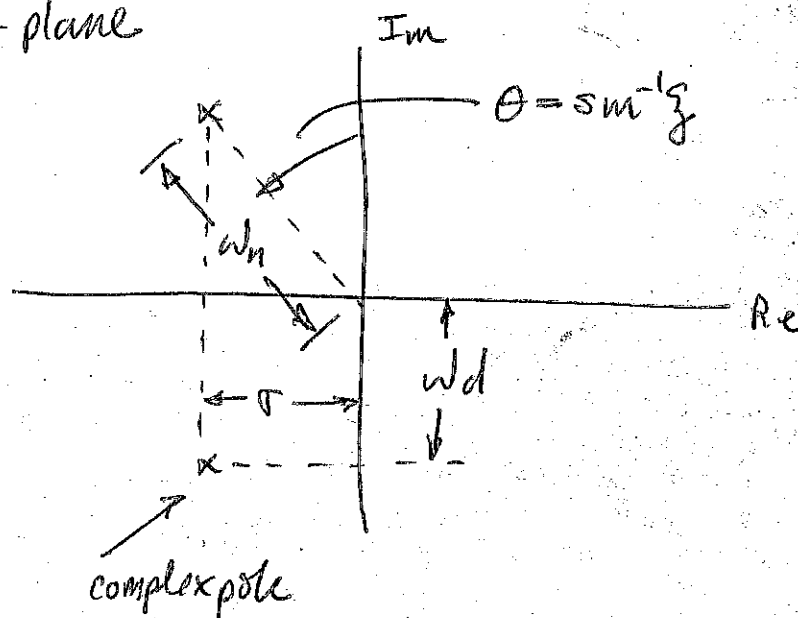
$$H(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$

Comparing $d(s)$ w/ $H(s)$'s denominator, we see that

$$\sigma = -\zeta\omega_n \quad \omega_d = \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$$

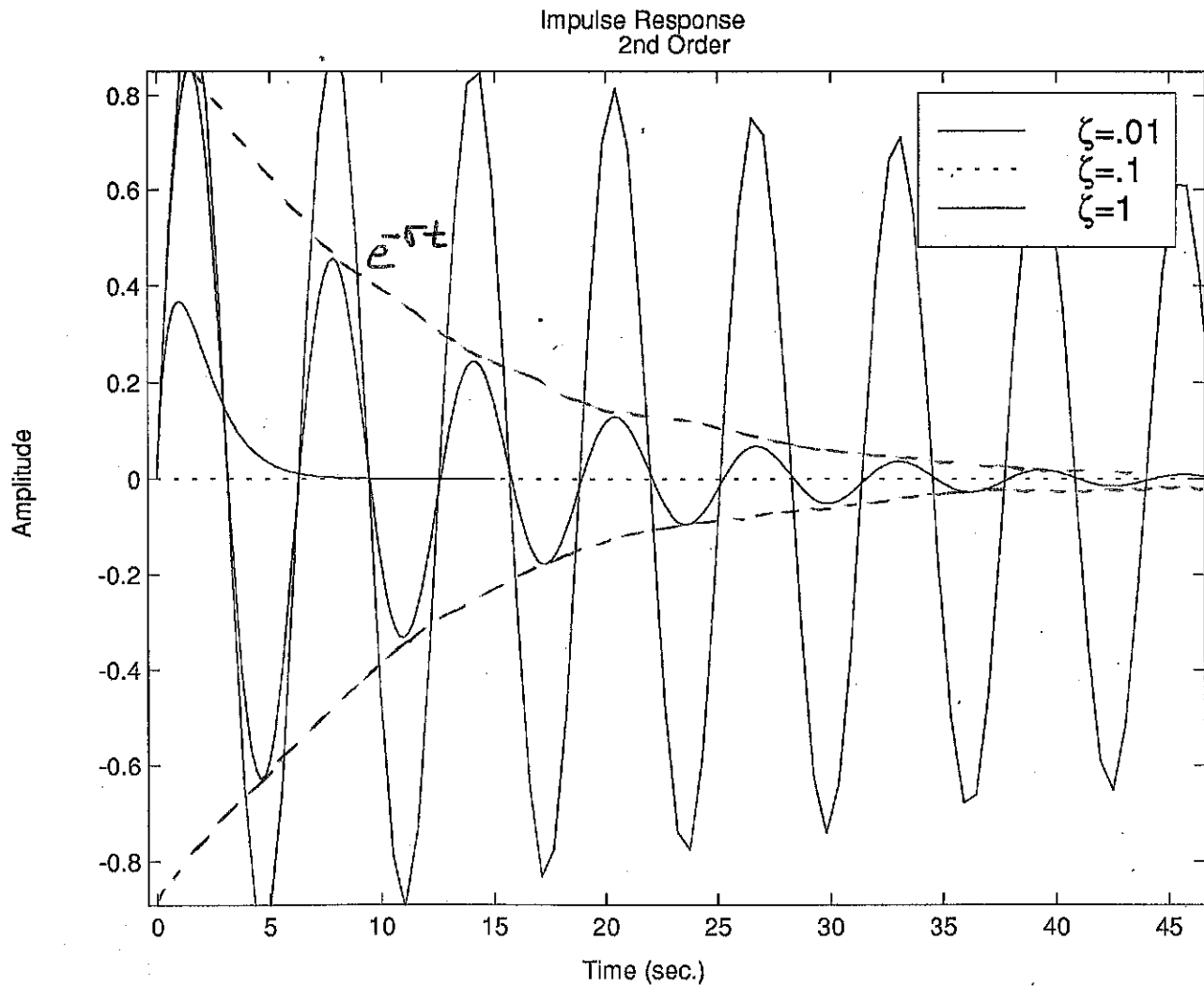
ζ = Damping ratio ω_d = damped natural frequency

then in s -plane



$$H(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$

$$\omega_n = 1.0$$



Matlab Impulse Function

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>>n=[wn^2];
>>d=[1 2*z*wn wn^2];
>>impulse(n,d);
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stop!!
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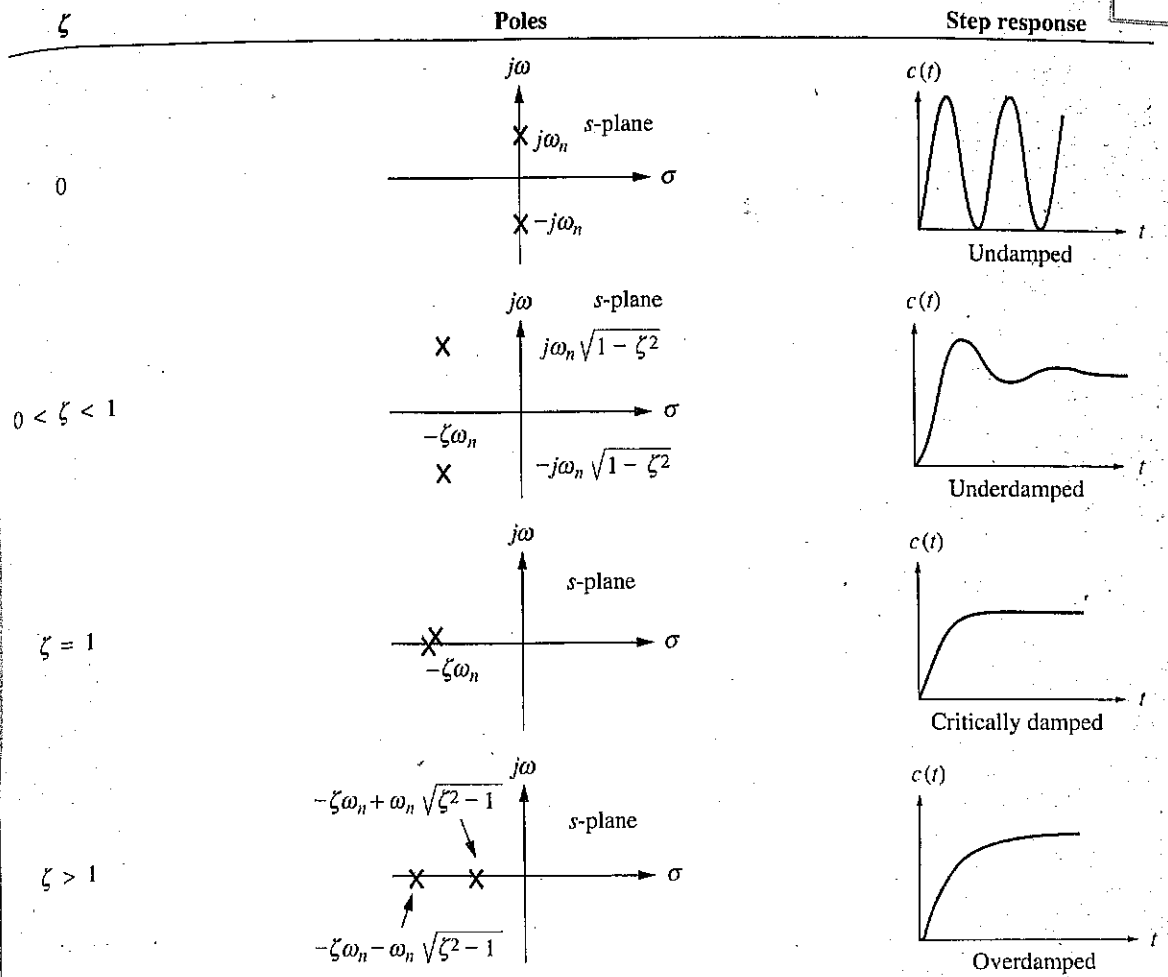


Figure 4.11 Second-order response as a function of damping ratio

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Systems for Example
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