

Homework 2

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Question 1

i. (a)

$$G(s) = \frac{4s - 8}{s^2 + 2s - 9}$$

$$\text{DC GAIN} = G(0) = \frac{-8}{-9}$$

(b)

$$G(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 2s + 10}$$

$$\text{DC GAIN} = G(0) = \frac{10}{10} = 1$$

ii. (a)

$$N(0) = s^2 + 2s - 9 = 0$$

$$\text{Poles: } s = -1 \pm \sqrt{10}$$

$\text{Real}(s) = -1 + \sqrt{10} > 0$, so this system is unstable.

(b)

$$N(0) = s^2 + 2s + 10 = 0$$

$$\text{Poles: } s = -1 \pm 3i$$

$\text{Real}(s) = -1 < 0$, so this system is stable.

iii. (a)

From TF, we get the ODE:

$$y''(t) + 2y'(t) - 9y(t) = 4u'(t) - 8u(t)$$

Guess that: $y(t) = Ce^{st}$, $y'(t) = Cse^{st}$, $y''(t) = Cs^2e^{st}$ So we get:

$$Cs^2e^{st} + 2Cse^{st} - 9Ce^{st} = 0$$

$$Ce^{st}(s^2 + 2s - 9) = 0$$

$$s = -1 \pm \sqrt{10}$$

$$y(t) = c_1e^{(-1+\sqrt{10})t} + c_2e^{(-1-\sqrt{10})t}$$

(b)

From TF, we get the ODE:

$$y''(t) + 2y'(t) + 10y(t) = 10u(t)$$

Guess that: $y(t) = Ce^{st}$, $y'(t) = Cse^{st}$, $y''(t) = Cs^2e^{st}$ So we get:

$$Cs^2e^{st} + 2Cse^{st} + 10Ce^{st} = 0$$

$$Ce^{st}(s^2 + 2s + 10) = 0$$

$$s = -1 \pm 3i$$

$$y(t) = c_1e^{-t}\cos(3t) + c_2e^{-t}\sin(3t)$$

iv. (a) Roots: $s = -1 \pm \sqrt{10}$

Homogeneous Solution:

$$y_h(t) = c_1e^{(-1+\sqrt{10})t} + c_2e^{(-1-\sqrt{10})t}$$

Input: $u(t) \equiv 2$

$$y_p''(t) + 2y_p'(t) - 9y_p(t) = -16$$

Guess $y_p(t) = C$, need: $-9C = -16$, and then get: $C = \frac{16}{9}$

So general form of Input response:

$$y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t) = c_1e^{(-1+\sqrt{10})t} + c_2e^{(-1-\sqrt{10})t} + \frac{16}{9}$$

(b) Roots: $s = -1 \pm 3i$

Homogeneous Solution:

$$y(t) = c_1e^{-t}\cos(3t) + c_2e^{-t}\sin(3t)$$

Input: $u(t) \equiv 2$

$$y''(t) + 2y'(t) + 10y(t) = 20$$

Guess $y_p(t) = C$, need: $10C = 20$, and then get: $C = 2$

So general form of Input response:

$$y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t) = c_1e^{-t}\cos(3t) + c_2e^{-t}\sin(3t) + 2$$

v. (a) For the zero initial conditions: $y(0) = 0, \dot{y}(0) = 0$

We get:

$$y(0) = c_1 + c_2 + \frac{16}{9} = 0$$

$$\dot{y}(0) = (-1 + \sqrt{10})c_1 + (-1 - \sqrt{10})c_2 = 0$$

So:

$$c_1 = -1.17, c_2 = -0.6078$$

So input response:

$$y(t) = -1.17e^{(-1+\sqrt{10})t} - 0.6078e^{(-1-\sqrt{10})t} + \frac{16}{9}$$

(b) For the zero initial conditions: $y(0) = 0, \dot{y}(0) = 0$

We get:

$$y(0) = c_1 + 2 = 0$$

$$\dot{y}(0) = -c_1 + 3c_2 = 0$$

So:

$$c_1 = -2, c_2 = -2/3$$

So input response:

$$y(t) = -2e^{-t}\cos(3t) - \frac{2}{3}e^{-t}\sin(3t) + 2$$

Question 2

a TF:

$$G(s) = \frac{4}{s+3}$$

Roots: $s = -3 < 0$ So this system is stable.

b Poles: $s = -3$

$$\text{Time constant: } \tau = \frac{1}{|Re(p)|} = \frac{1}{3}s$$

c $y(0) = 0$:



d $y(0) = 1$:

