

Quizzes of TTK4225 - Systems Theory, Autumn 2020

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Question 91

The zeros of a transfer function affect the stability properties of that system

- ① true
- ② false
- ③ it depends on the system
- ④ I do not know

Question 92

The zeros of a transfer function affect the transient of the step response of that system

- ① true
- ② false
- ③ it depends on the system
- ④ I do not know

Question 93

The number of zeros of a rational transfer function modelling a physical system cannot be bigger than the number of poles

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Question 95

When designing a LTI controller, it may be meaningful to design the zeros of a transfer function so to improve the overall response of the closed-loop system

- ① true
- ② false
- ③ it depends on the system
- ④ I do not know

Question 96

The convolution of a rectangular signal with itself leads to ...

- ① another rectangle
- ② a triangle
- ③ a trapezoid
- ④ it depends on the length of the rectangle
- ⑤ I do not know

Question 97

Convolution is a nonlinear operator

- ① true
- ② false
- ③ it depends on the actual signals that are convolved
- ④ I do not know

Question 98

Compute the equilibria of the system

$$\dot{x} = f(x) = x^2 - 2x - 3$$

Question 99

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$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(\mathbf{x}) \\ f_2(\mathbf{x}) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ 1 - x_1^2 - x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Question 100

Consider the dynamics $\dot{y} = y^2$, and the trajectory corresponding to $y_0 = c$, given by

$$y(t) = \frac{c}{1-t}.$$

This solution ...

- ① is bounded
- ② diverges to $+\infty$
- ③ presents a finite escape time
- ④ I do not know

Question 101

Autonomous nonlinear systems $\dot{y} = f(y)$ are such that it is always possible to exponentially bound their trajectories, i.e., find α and β such that $\|y(t)\| \leq \alpha e^{\beta t}$ (with α and β potentially depending on the initial condition y_0)

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Question 102

The following definition of simple stability is correct:

\mathbf{y}_{eq} is simply stable if $\forall \delta > 0 \exists \varepsilon > 0$ s.t. if $\|\mathbf{y}_0 - \mathbf{y}_{\text{eq}}\| \leq \delta$ then $\|\mathbf{y}(t) - \mathbf{y}_{\text{eq}}\| \leq \varepsilon \quad \forall t \geq 0$

- 1 true
- 2 false
- 3 it depends
- 4 I do not know

Question 103

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Question 104

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- ③ it depends
- ④ I do not know

Question 105

The origin is always an equilibrium for a LTI system of the type $\dot{\mathbf{y}} = A\mathbf{y} + B\mathbf{u}$.

- ① true
- ② false
- ③ it depends
- ④ I do not know

Question 106

The origin is always an equilibrium for a generic system of the type $\dot{\mathbf{y}} = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{u})$.

- ① true
- ② false
- ③ it depends
- ④ I do not know