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Sistemas de Controle List 3

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1 Question 1

A control system with state \mathbf{x} is described by matrices:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{D} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(a) The transfer function $(G_{(s)})$ can be computed as

$$G_{(s)} = \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{I}s - \mathbf{A})^{-1}\mathbf{B},$$

$$G_{(s)} = \frac{s+3}{s^2 + 2s + 2},$$
(1)

(b) Canonical form of system using (1) is given by

$$\mathbf{A_c} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{B_c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{C_c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{D_c} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Considering \mathbf{z} as states of canonical form and $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{T}\mathbf{x}$. Then, matrix \mathbf{T} can be computed solving $\mathbf{AT} = \mathbf{TA_c}$ and $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{Tb_c}$:

$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.08 & 0.36 \\ 0.36 & 0.88 \end{bmatrix}.$$

2 Question 2

(a) State-space matrices

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{CR_1} & 0\\ 0 & \frac{-R_2}{L} \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{CR_1}\\ \frac{1}{L} \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-1}{R_1} & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{D} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{R_1} \end{bmatrix}$$

and state-space equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{v}_c \\ \dot{i}_l \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{A} \begin{bmatrix} v_c \\ i_l \end{bmatrix} + \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u},$$
$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{C} \begin{bmatrix} v_c \\ i_l \end{bmatrix} + \mathbf{D}\mathbf{u},$$

(b) Controllability matrix can be computed as

$$\mathbf{C}_{\mathrm{ctb}} = \begin{bmatrix} B & AB \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\mathbf{C}_{\mathrm{ctb}} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{CR_1} & \frac{-1}{C^2R_1^2} \\ \frac{1}{I} & \frac{-R_2}{I^2} \end{bmatrix}.$$

System is controllable if $|\mathbf{C}_{\text{ctb}}| \neq 0$. Thus, system is not controllable when relation between R_1, R_2, C, L is

$$CR_1 = \frac{L}{R_2}.$$

- (c) Constant time of a resistant-capacitor (RC) circuit is $\tau_{RC} = CR_1$ and resistant-inductor (RL) is $\tau_{RL} = \frac{L}{R_2}$. On one hand, when $t = 5\tau_{RC}$ RC circuit will set $v_c = u(t)$ v and $i_c = 0$ mA. On the other hand, when $t = 5\tau_{RL}$ RL circuit will set $v_c = 0$ v and $i_c = i_y$ mA. For this reason, both circuits must not have the same constant time because system will become unstable.
- (d) Transfer function $(G_{(s)})$ can be computed as

$$G_{(s)} = \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{I}s - \mathbf{A})^{-1}\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D},$$

$$G_{(s)} = \frac{(LCR_1^2)s^2 + (CR_1^3 + R_2CR_1^2)s + R_1^2}{(LCR_1^3)s^2 + (R_2CR_1^3 + LR_1^2)s + R_2R_1^2},$$
(2)

when $CR_1 = \frac{L}{R_2}$ the poles and zeros are

poles:
$$-\frac{R_2}{L}$$
,
zeros: $-\frac{R_1}{L}$.

3 Question 3

(a) Control law can be computed as

$$u = -\mathbf{K_x}\mathbf{x} + K_r r \tag{3}$$

where $\mathbf{K}_{\mathbf{x}}$ is state gain, K_r is reference gain and r reference signal.

Then, state-space close loop is given by

$$\dot{\mathbf{x}} = (\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\mathbf{K}_{\mathbf{x}})\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{B}K_r u(t),$$
$$y = \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{D}u(t).$$

Time-domain requirements are settling time lower than 4.6 seconds and %PO lower than 5%. Thus, desired poles are: $\lambda_1 = -5, \lambda_2 = -1, \lambda_3 = -1$. Finally, control gains are

$$\mathbf{K_x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.8 & 0.8 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix},$$
$$\mathbf{K_r} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3333 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Figure 1 shows step response of state-space close loop system. The settling time is close to 3.8 seconds and %PO is %0.

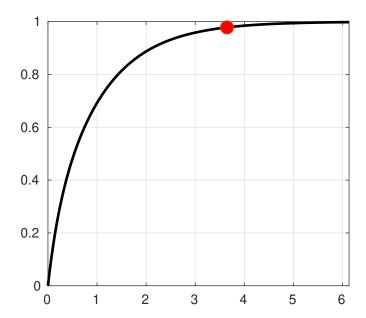


Figure 1: Step response of the close-loop system (settling time is indicated with a red dot, $t_s \approx 3.6$ seconds).

4 Question 4

(a) Considering transfer function

$$G = \frac{10}{s^3 + 10s^2 + 16s},\tag{4}$$

then, state-state representation in canonical form is

$$A_{c} = \begin{bmatrix} -10 & -16 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, B_{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, C_{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}, D_{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

and state-state representation in observable form is

$$A_o = \begin{bmatrix} -10 & 1 & 0 \\ -16 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, B_o = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}, C_o = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, D_o = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(b) The controller gains are $k_c = \begin{bmatrix} -47.1 & 5.84 & -0.66 \end{bmatrix}$ and observer gains are $k_o = \begin{bmatrix} 0.25 & 59.5 & 212 \end{bmatrix}$.

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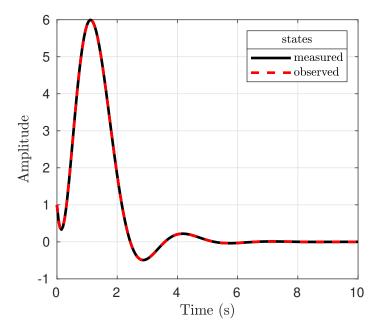


Figure 2: Close-loop system with controller poles $s=-1.4, s=-1\pm 2.15i$ and observer poles $s=-4.25, s=-3\pm 6.4i$.

(c) Figure 2 shows the performance of close loop system with controller and observer when initial condition is $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T$

5 Question 5

(a) Transfer function is given by

$$T(s) = \frac{\theta}{\theta_d} = \frac{k_p 65}{s^2 + (37 + 65k_v)s + k_p 65}$$
 (5)

- (b) Natural frequency $w_n = \sqrt{k_p 65}$, damping ratio $\zeta = \frac{37 + 65k_v}{2\sqrt{k_p 65}}$. Hence, increase k_p increases value of w_n (thus, reduce rise time (t_r)), reduce value of ζ (thus, increase overshoot (%PO)) and reduce w_n ; whereas increase value k_v increases value of ζ (thus, reduce overshoot (%PO)), and does not affect w_n and rise time (t_s) .
- (d) Considering a desired damping ratio (ζ) equal to 0.5 and rise time (t_r) equal to 1 second (natural frequency equal to 2.41 $\frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}}$). Hence, desired poles are

$$p_1 = -1.214 + 2.0917i,$$

 $p_2 = -1.214 - 2.0917i.$

Then, control gains should be $k_p = 0.09$ and $k_v = -0.532$. Finally, step response of close-loop system with proportional-velocity control method is shown in Figure 3.

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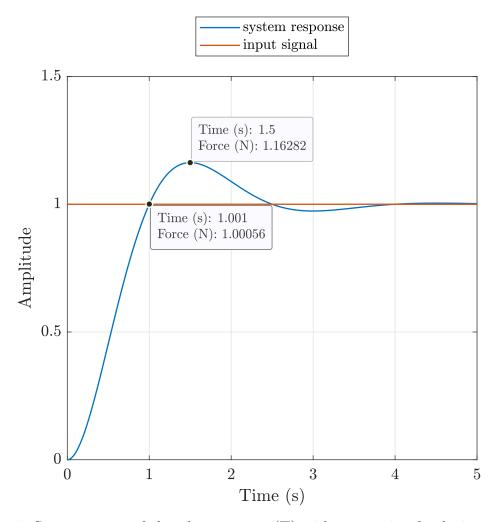


Figure 3: Step response of close-loop system (T) with proportional-velocity control method ($k_p = 0.09$ and $k_v = -0.532$).

(e) Close loop system with proportional-integral control method is given by

$$T(s) = \frac{65k_p s + 65k_i}{s^3 + 37s^2 + 65k_p s + 65k_i},$$
(6)

where k_p , k_i is proportional and integral gains. Figure 4 shows root-locus of close-loop system with different configurations of proportional-integral control method. On one hand, Figure 4a describes root-locus when integral and proportional gains have the relation 10:1. In this figure, the three poles are located in left half-plane; thus, close-loop system is stable with a regular overshoot and setting time. On the other hand, Figure 4b describes root-locus when integral and proportional gains have the relation 1:10. In this figure, two poles are complex and one pole is close to 0; thus, close-loop system is stable and could present a behavior without oscillations with adequate control gains (k_p, k_i) . Finally, Figure show the step response of close-loop system with both cases of relation between integral and proportional gain (the control gains are indicated in data box of Figure 4).

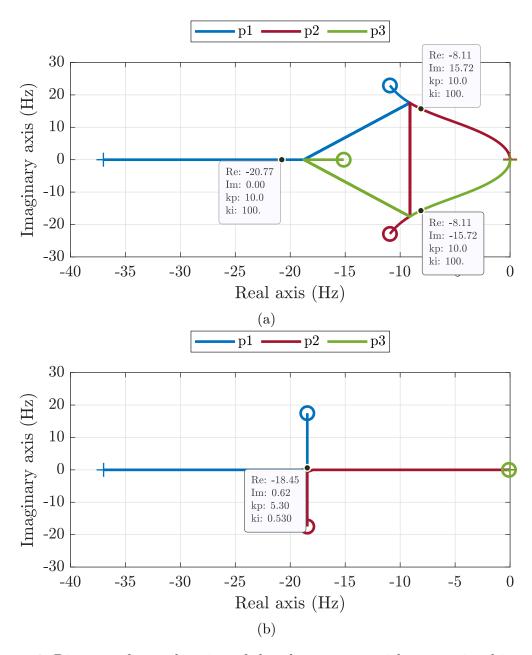


Figure 4: Diagram of roots location of close-loop system with proportional-integral control method: (a) $\frac{k_i}{k_p} = 10$ and (b) $\frac{k_p}{k_i} = 10$.

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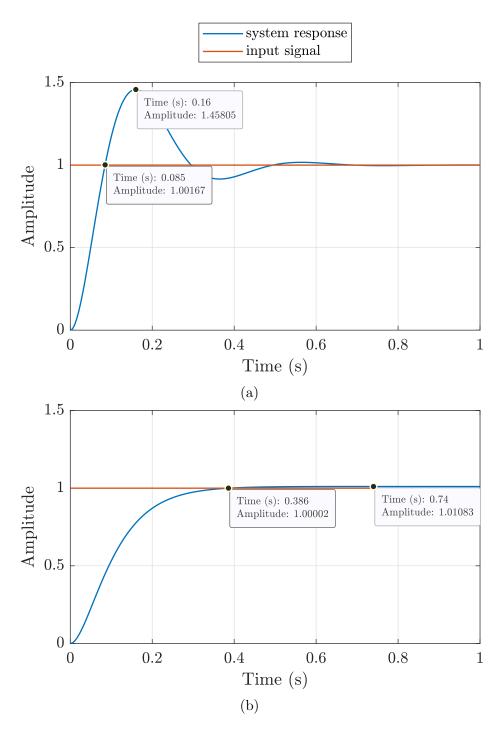


Figure 5: Step response of close-loop system with proportional-integral control method: (a) $\frac{k_i}{k_p} = 10$ and (b) $\frac{k_p}{k_i} = 10$.