

SPEED LABORATORY EXERCISE

Laboratory Exercise 1 : Speed Controller Design

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Lab 1

Speed Control Experiment

Use the following data in your design.

Item	Symbol	Value	Units
Armature Resistance	R	4.89	Ω
Armature Inductance	L	0.00042	H
Motor Inertia	J	0.0000109	kg/m ²
Viscous Damping	B	0.0000464	Nm/(rad/s)
Torque Constant	k_t	0.0348	Nm/A
Back EMF Constant	k_e	0.0348	V/(rad/s)

Your plant transfer function is

$$G_p(s) = \frac{\Omega(s)}{V(s)} = \frac{k_t}{(Ls + R)(Js + B) + k_t k_e}$$

This relates voltage in volts to speed in rad/s.

$$A = G_p(s) \Big|_{\text{DC Gain}} = \frac{k_t}{RB + k_t k_e}$$

Given that L is very small, $G_p(s)$ can be approximated as,

$$G_p(s) = \frac{k_t}{RJ s + RB + k_t k_e}$$

Hence,

$$\tau_m = \frac{RJ}{RB + k_t k_e}$$
$$\therefore G_p(s) = \frac{A}{(1 + \tau_m s)}$$

For the rest, follow the direct design procedure.