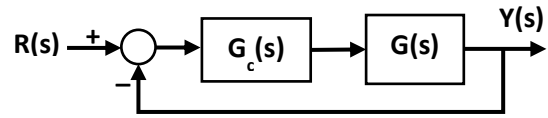


Worksheet 6 - Solution

1) Consider the following closed-loop system.

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(s + 10)(s + 30)}$$

$$G_c(s) = K$$



a) Determine the K value so that the maximum overshoot of unit-step response is 5%.

First, calculate the desired damping ratio from the given desired maximum overshoot.

$$\text{O.S.} = 5\% \rightarrow \zeta = \frac{-\ln(\text{O.S.})}{\sqrt{\pi^2 + \ln^2(\text{O.S.})}} \rightarrow \zeta = \frac{-\ln(0.05)}{\sqrt{\pi^2 + \ln^2(0.05)}} \rightarrow \zeta = 0.691$$

Closed-loop transfer function

$$\frac{Y(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G_c(s)G(s)}{1 + G_c(s)G(s)} = \frac{K}{s^2 + 40s + K + 300}$$

Compare the characteristic equation with the standard second-order prototype system

$$s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2 = s^2 + 40s + K + 300$$

$$2\zeta\omega_n = 40 \rightarrow 2 \times 0.6901\omega_n = 40 \rightarrow \omega_n = 28.981 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$\omega_n^2 = K + 300 \rightarrow 28.981^2 = K + 300 \rightarrow K = 539.90 \quad \text{Desired gain}$$

b) Determine the settling time (2% criteria), rise time and steady-state error of the unit-step response of the designed closed-loop system in Part (a).

Settling time:

$$t_s = \frac{4}{\zeta\omega_n} \rightarrow t_s = \frac{4}{0.6901 \times 28.981} = 0.2 \text{ sec}$$

Rise time:

$$t_r \cong \frac{0.8 + 2.5\zeta}{\omega_n} \rightarrow t_r = \frac{0.8 + 2.5 \times 0.6901}{28.981} = 0.0871 \text{ sec}$$

Steady-state error for unit-step response:

$$k_p = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G_c(s)G(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{K}{(s + 10)(s + 30)} = \frac{K}{300} = \frac{539.90}{300} = 1.8$$

$$e_{ss} = \frac{R}{1 + k_p} \rightarrow e_{ss} = \frac{1}{1 + 1.8} = 0.3571 \rightarrow e_{ss} = 35.7\%$$

c) Find poles of the designed closed-loop system.

Transfer function of the designed closed-loop system for $K = 539.90$ is

$$\frac{Y(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G_c(s)G(s)}{1 + G_c(s)G(s)} = \frac{539.90}{s^2 + 40s + 839.90}$$

Closed-loop poles are obtained as

$$s^2 + 40s + 839.90 = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad s = -20 \pm j20.97$$

d) Design a lag compensator to achieve the steady-state error of 3% ($e_{ss} = 0.03$) for unit-step input without altering the closed-loop poles of the designed-system in Part (c).

$$G_c(s) = K_c \frac{s + z}{s + p}$$

First, find the desired step-error constant k_p to achieve the desired steady-state error

$$e_{ss} = \frac{1}{1 + k_p} = 0.03 \quad \rightarrow \quad k_p = 32.3$$

To not change the designed closed-loop poles with $K = 539.90$, the compensator's gain has to be selected equal to K

$$K_c = K = 539.90$$

Step-error constant for compensated system is

$$k_p = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G_c(s)G(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} K_c \frac{s + z}{s + p} \cdot \frac{1}{(s + 10)(s + 30)} = \frac{K_c z}{300p} \quad \rightarrow \quad 32.3 = \frac{539.9z}{300p} \quad \rightarrow \quad z \approx 18p$$

Pole/zero of lag compensator must be selected far enough from the dominant closed-loop poles and close to the origin.

For example:

$$\text{If } z = 2 \quad \rightarrow \quad p = \frac{2}{18} = 0.11$$

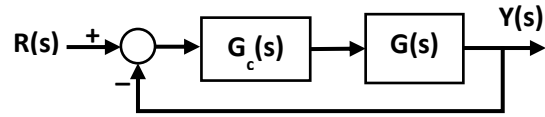
Lag Compensator

$$G_c(s) = K_c \frac{s + z}{s + p} = 539.90 \frac{s + 2}{s + 0.11}$$

2) Consider the following closed-loop system.

$$G(s) = \frac{s+2}{s(s+1)^2}$$

$$G_c(s) = K$$



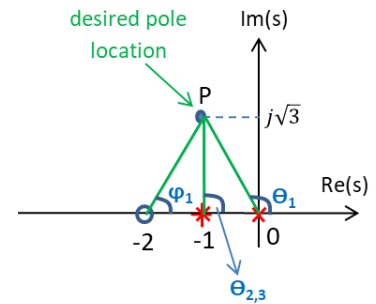
a) Determine whether it is possible to select a K value so that the dominant poles of the closed-loop system are located at $s_d = -1 \pm j\sqrt{3}$.

First, check the angle condition by calculating the angle of $G(s)$ at the desired closed-loop pole location

$$\begin{aligned} \angle G(s)|_{s=P} &= \angle \frac{s+2}{s(s+1)^2} \bigg|_{s=-1+j\sqrt{3}} \\ &= \angle(s+2) - \angle s - \angle(s+1) - \angle(s+1) \bigg|_{s=-1+j\sqrt{3}} \\ &= \angle\phi_1 - \angle\theta_1 - \angle\theta_2 - \angle\theta_3 = 60^\circ - 120^\circ - 90^\circ - 90^\circ = -240^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Angle condition is not satisfied

There is no K value to achieve the desired closed-loop poles



b) Design a lead compensator such that the compensated closed-loop system has dominant poles at $s_d = -1 \pm j\sqrt{3}$.

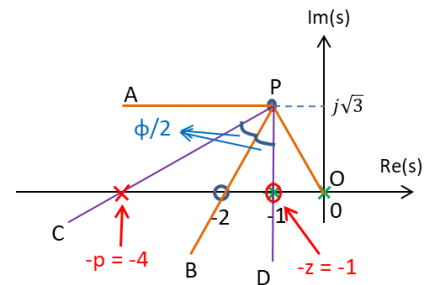
$$G_c(s) = K_c \frac{s+z}{s+p}$$

First, find the angle deficiency: $\phi = 240^\circ - 180^\circ = 60^\circ$

Next, design a **lead compensator** to contribute the angle of $\phi = 60^\circ$ at the desired poles location.

Determine the pole/zero locations and the gain of the lead compensator.

- Draw lines PA and PO
 - Draw bisector line PB so that $\angle APB = \angle BPO$
 - Draw lines PC and PD so that $\angle CPB = \angle BPD = \frac{\phi}{2} = 30^\circ$
 - Pole and zero are the intersections of PC and PD with real axis
- $z = 1, p = 4$



From the magnitude condition at the desired pole locations,

$$\left| K_c \frac{s+1}{s+4} \cdot \frac{s+2}{s(s+1)^2} \right|_{s=-1+j\sqrt{3}} = 1 \rightarrow |K_c| = \frac{|3+j\sqrt{3}||-1+j\sqrt{3}||j\sqrt{3}||j\sqrt{3}|}{|j\sqrt{3}||1+j\sqrt{3}|} \rightarrow K_c = 6$$

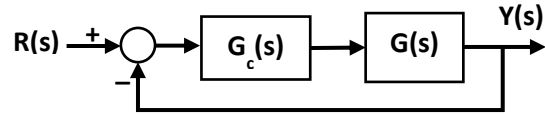
Therefore, the designed lead compensator is obtained as follows:

$$G_c(s) = K_c \frac{s+z}{s+p} = 6 \frac{s+1}{s+4}$$

3) Consider the following closed-loop system.

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s(s+2)}$$

$$G_c(s) = K_p(1 + T_d s)$$



a) Design a PD controller to achieve $O.S. = 5\%$ and $t_s = 1 \text{ sec}$.

First, find the desired poles based on the given specifications:

$$\zeta = \frac{-\ln(O.S.)}{\sqrt{\pi^2 + \ln^2(O.S.)}} \rightarrow \zeta = \frac{-\ln(0.05)}{\sqrt{\pi^2 + \ln^2(0.05)}} \rightarrow \zeta = 0.691$$

$$t_s = \frac{4}{\zeta \omega_n} \rightarrow 1 = \frac{4}{0.7 \omega_n} \rightarrow \omega_n = 5.7963$$

The desired closed-loop poles location

$$s = -\zeta \omega_n \pm j \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2} \rightarrow s_d = -4 \pm j4.2$$

Check the angle condition at the desired pole locations:

$$\begin{aligned} \angle G(s)|_{s=s_{d1}} &= \angle 1 - \angle(s) - \angle(s+2)|_{s=-4+j4.2} \\ &= 0 - \angle \theta_1 - \angle \theta_2 = 0 - 134^\circ - 115.5^\circ = -249.5^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Angle condition is not satisfied

Calculate the angle deficiency: $\phi = 249.5^\circ - 180^\circ = 69.5^\circ$

Determine the zero location and T_d

- Draw line PA
- Draw line PB such that $\angle APB = \phi$
- The zero is located at the intersection of PB with real axis
- Determine the derivative time-constant T_d

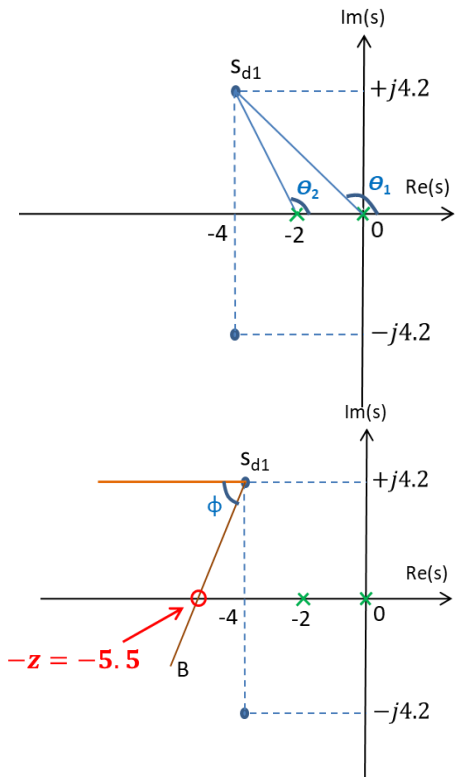
$$T_d = \frac{1}{z} = 0.18$$

Determine the gain K_p from the magnitude condition:

$$\left| \frac{K_p(1 + T_d s)}{s(s+2)} \right|_{s=-4+j4.2} = 1 \rightarrow |K_p| = \frac{|-4+j4.2||-2+j4.2|}{|0.28+j0.756|} \rightarrow K_p = 33.3$$

Therefore, the designed PD controller is obtained as:

$$G_c(s) = 33.3(1 + 0.18s)$$



b) Determine steady-state error of the closed-loop system for unit-step and unit-ramp inputs.

Steady-state error for unit-step input:

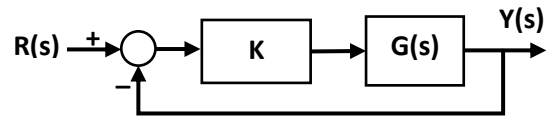
$$k_p = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{33.65(1 + 0.18s)}{s(s + 2)} = \infty \quad \rightarrow \quad e_{ss} = \frac{R}{1 + k_p} = 0$$

Steady-state error for unit-ramp input:

$$k_v = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sG(s)H(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s \frac{33.3(1 + 0.18s)}{s(s + 2)} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{33.3(1 + 0.18s)}{(s + 2)} = 16.65 \quad \rightarrow \quad e_{ss} = \frac{R}{k_v} = \frac{1}{16.65} = 0.06$$

4) Consider root-locus plot of the following system.

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(s + 3)(s + 10)(s - 1)}$$



Determine value of K such that the dominant closed-loop poles have damping ratio of $\zeta = 0.7$.

Plot the constant-damping-ratio-loci for $\zeta = 0.7$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}(\zeta) \quad \rightarrow \quad \theta = \cos^{-1}(0.7) \approx 45^\circ$$

$$\text{Intersection points} \quad \rightarrow \quad s = -0.75 \pm j0.75$$

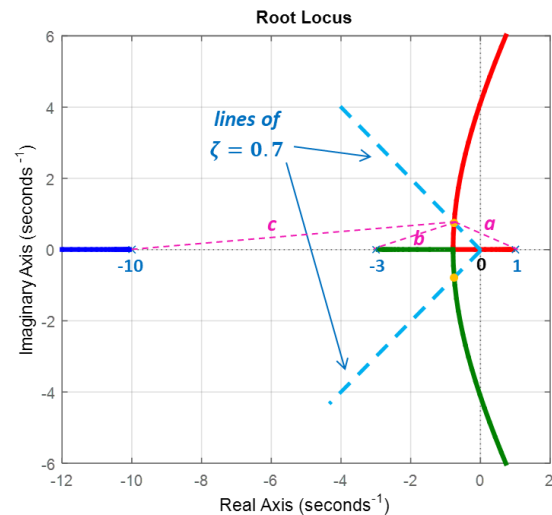
Determine the magnitude:

Method 1: Calculation by evaluation at point A

$$|K| = |s - 1||s + 3||s + 10| \Big|_{s = -0.75 + j0.75}$$

$$|K| = |-1.75 + j0.75||2.25 + j0.75||9.25 + j0.75|$$

$$K = 1.90 \times 2.37 \times 9.28 = 41.79$$

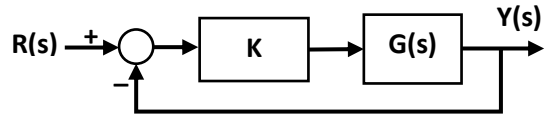


Method 2: Geometrically by measuring the length of the vector

$$K = a \times b \times c = 1.9 \times 2.4 \times 9.3 = 42.41$$

5) Consider the following closed-loop system.

$$G(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + s + 4.25}$$



a) Sketch the root-locus for $K \in [0, +\infty)$ on the s-plane.

Step 1: Draw the axes of the s-plane and locate the open-loop poles/zeros

Poles $\rightarrow p_1 = -0.5 + j2, p_2 = -0.5 - j2$

Zeros $\rightarrow z_1 = 0$, one zero at infinity

Step 2: Draw the root-locus on the real axis.

The left side of 0 is on the root-locus.

Step 3: Draw asymptote lines for large K values

Number of asymptote lines: $n - m = 2 - 1 = 1$

Intersection of asymptotes on the real axis:

$$\alpha = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i - \sum_{i=1}^m z_i}{n - m} = \frac{[(-0.5 + j2) + (-0.5 - j2)] - [0]}{2 - 1} = -1$$

Angle of asymptote lines with real axis:

$$\varphi_i = \frac{180^\circ}{n - m} (2i + 1) = \frac{180^\circ}{2 - 1} (2i + 1) = 180^\circ (2i + 1) \rightarrow \varphi_0 = 180^\circ$$

The asymptote line lies on the real axis

Step 4: Intersection of root-locus with imaginary axis

$$s^2 + (1 + K)s + 4.25 = 0$$

Set $s = j\omega$ in the closed-loop characteristic equation and solve for ω and K :

$$(j\omega)^2 + (1 + K)(j\omega) + 4.25 = 0 \rightarrow -\omega^2 + j\omega(1 + K) + 4.25 = 0$$

$$\underbrace{[-\omega^2 + 4.25]}_{\text{real part}} + j \underbrace{[\omega(1 + K)]}_{\text{imaginary part}} = 0$$

From the imaginary part:

$$-\omega^2 + 4.25 = 0 \rightarrow \omega^2 = 4.25 \rightarrow \omega = \pm\sqrt{4.25}$$

From the real part:

$$\text{For } \omega^2 = 4.25 \rightarrow \omega(1 + K) = \pm\sqrt{4.25}(1 + K) = 0 \rightarrow K = -1 < 0 \quad \text{Not acceptable}$$

Therefore, the root-locus will not cross the imaginary axis

Step 5: Calculate the break-away/break-in points on real axis

The closed-loop characteristic equation is: $s^2 + (1 + K)s + 4.25 = 0$

Find the K from the characteristic equation:

$$K = \frac{-s^2 - s - 4.25}{s}$$

$$\frac{dK}{ds} = 0 \rightarrow \frac{(-2s - 1)(s) - (-s^2 - s - 4.25)}{(s)^2} = 0 \rightarrow -s^2 + 4.25 = 0$$

The roots are:

$s = +2.06 \rightarrow$ Not on the root locus

$s = -2.06 \rightarrow$ On the root locus (Break-in point)

The associate gain for the break-in point:

$$K = \frac{-(-2.06)^2 - (-2.06) - 4.25}{(-2.06)} = 3.12$$

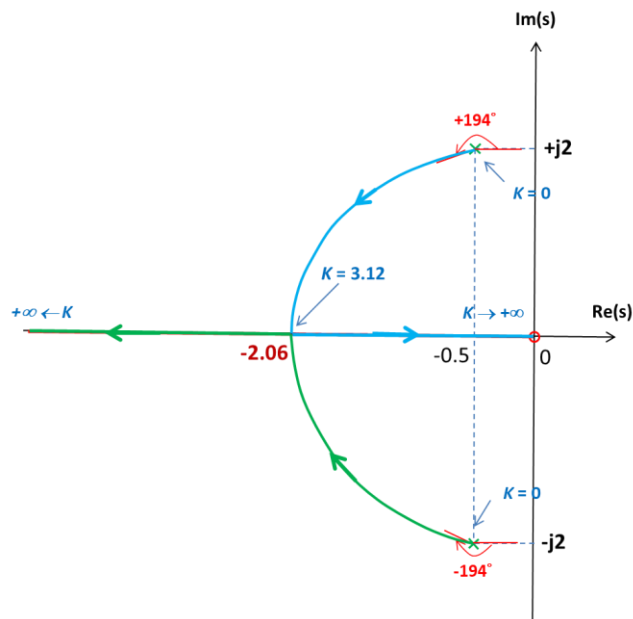
Step 6: Calculate angle of departure from the complex poles

The angle of departure from the complex pole at $s = -0.5 + j2$ is:

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_p &= 180^\circ - \sum_i \angle p_i + \sum_j \angle z_j = 180^\circ - (\theta_1) + (\phi_1) \\ &= 180^\circ - (90^\circ) + (104^\circ) = 194^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Since the root-locus is symmetrical with respect to the real axis, the angle of departure for the complex pole $s = -0.5 - j2$ is -194° .

Step 7: Complete the root-locus diagram



b) Determine the closed-loop poles with damping ratio of $\zeta = 0.707$ and the corresponding K value.

Plot the constant-damping-ratio-loci for $\zeta = 0.7$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}(\zeta) \rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1}(0.7) \approx 45^\circ$$

$$\text{Intersection points} \rightarrow s = -1.45 \pm j1.45$$

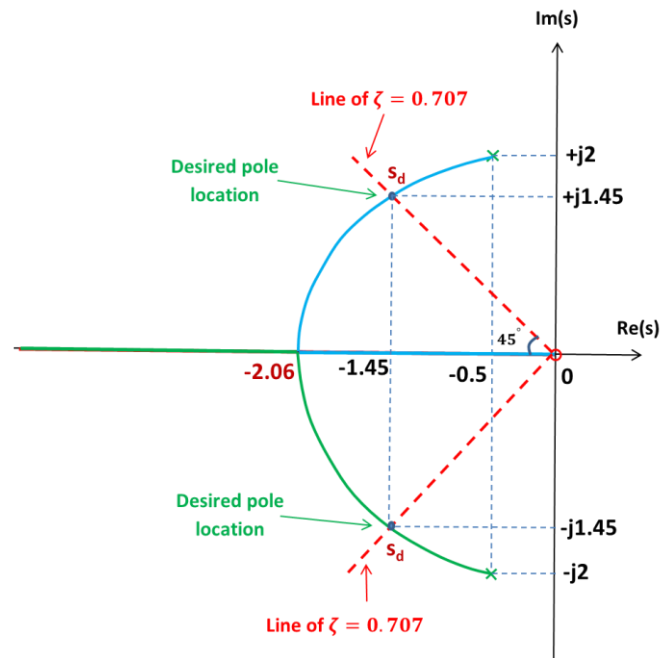
Determine the magnitude:

Calculation by evaluation at point A

$$|K| = \frac{|s + 0.5 + j2||s + 0.5 - j2|}{|s|} \Big|_{s=-1.45+j1.45}$$

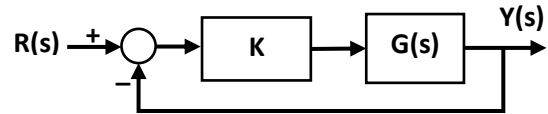
$$|K| = \frac{|-0.95 + j3.45||-0.95 - j0.55|}{|-1.45 + j1.45|}$$

$$K = 1.91$$



6) Consider the following closed-loop system.

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



a) Find the closed-loop transfer function and the characteristic equation.

The closed-loop transfer function:

$$\frac{Y(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{KG(s)}{1 + KG(s)H(s)} = \frac{K \frac{s+2}{s^2-2s+2}}{1 + K \frac{s+2}{s^2-2s+2}} = \frac{K(s+2)}{s^2 + (K-2)s + 2 + 2K}$$

The closed-loop characteristic equation:

$$1 + KG(s)H(s) = 0 \rightarrow s^2 + (K-2)s + 2 + 2K = 0$$

b) Using the Routh-Hurwitz table, find the range of K for which the closed-loop system is stable.

The characteristic equation is: $s^2 + (K-2)s + 2 + 2K = 0$

Create the Routh-Hurwitz table:

s^2	1	$2 + 2K$
s^1	$K - 2$	0
s^0	$2 + 2K$	0

For stability all terms in the first column must be positive:

$$K - 2 > 0 \rightarrow K > 2$$

$$2 + 2K > 0 \rightarrow K > -1$$



$K > 2$	Stability Condition
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- For $K = 2$ the closed-loop system is marginally stable.
- For $K < 2$ the closed-loop system is unstable.

c) Sketch the root-locus for $K \in [0, +\infty)$ on the s-plane.

Step 1: Draw the axes of the s-plane and locate the open-loop poles/zeros

Poles $\rightarrow p_1 = 1 + j, p_2 = 1 - j$

Zeros $\rightarrow z_1 = -2$, one zero at infinity

Step 2: Draw the root-locus on the real axis.

The left side of -2 is on the root-locus.

Step 3: Draw asymptote lines for large K values

Number of asymptote lines: $n - m = 2 - 1 = 1$

Intersection of asymptotes on the real axis:

$$\alpha = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n p_i - \sum_{i=1}^m z_i}{n - m} = \frac{[(1 + j1) + (1 - j1)] - [(-2)]}{2 - 1} = 4$$

Angle of asymptote lines with real axis:

$$\varphi_i = \frac{180^\circ}{n - m}(2i + 1) = \frac{180^\circ}{2 - 1}(2i + 1) = 180^\circ(2i + 1) \rightarrow \varphi_0 = 180^\circ$$

The asymptote line lies on the real axis

Step 4: Intersection of root-locus with imaginary axis

$$s^2 + (K - 2)s + 2 + 2K = 0$$

Set $s = j\omega$ in the closed-loop characteristic equation and solve for ω and K :

$$(j\omega)^2 + (K - 2)(j\omega) + 2 + 2K = 0 \rightarrow -\omega^2 + j(K - 2)\omega + 2 + 2K = 0$$

$$\underbrace{[-\omega^2 + 2 + 2K]}_{\text{real part}} + j \underbrace{[K\omega - 2\omega]}_{\text{imaginary part}} = 0$$

From the imaginary part:

$$K\omega - 2\omega = 0 \rightarrow \omega(K - 2) = 0 \rightarrow \begin{cases} \omega = 0 \\ K - 2 = 0 \rightarrow K = 2 \end{cases}$$

From the real part:

$$\text{For } \omega = 0 \rightarrow -\omega^2 + 2 + 2K = -0^2 + 2 + 2K = 0 \rightarrow K = -1 < 0 \quad \text{Not acceptable}$$

$$\text{For } K = 2 \rightarrow -\omega^2 + 2 + 2K = -\omega^2 + 2 + 2(2) = 0 \rightarrow \omega = \pm\sqrt{6} \pm 2.45$$

Therefore, the root-locus will cross the imaginary axis at $s = \pm j2.45$ for gain $K = 2$.

Step 5: Calculate the break-away/break-in points on real axis

The closed-loop characteristic equation is: $s^2 + (K - 2)s + 2 + 2K = 0$

Find the K from the characteristic equation:

$$K = \frac{-s^2 + 2s - 2}{s + 2}$$

$$\frac{dK}{ds} = 0 \rightarrow \frac{(-2s + 2)(s + 2) - (-s^2 + 2s - 2)}{(s + 2)^2} = 0 \rightarrow -s^2 - 4s + 6 = 0$$

The roots are:

$s = 1.16 \rightarrow$ Not on the root locus

$s = -5.16 \rightarrow$ On the root locus (Break-in point)

The associate gain for the break-in point:

$$K = \frac{-(-5.16)^2 + 2(-5.16) - 2}{(-5.16) + 2} = 12.32$$

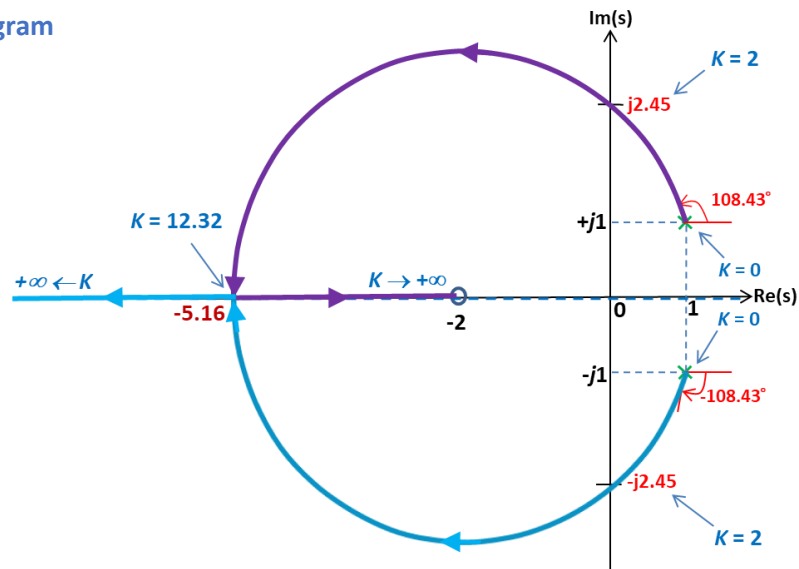
Step 6: Calculate angle of departure from the complex poles

The angle of departure from the complex pole at $s = +1 + j1$ is:

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_p &= 180^\circ - \sum_i \angle p_i + \sum_j \angle z_j = 180^\circ - (\theta_1) + (\phi_1) \\ &= 180^\circ - (90^\circ) + (18.43^\circ) = 108.43^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Since the root-locus is symmetrical with respect to the real axis, the angle of departure for the complex pole $s = +1 - j1$ is -108.43° .

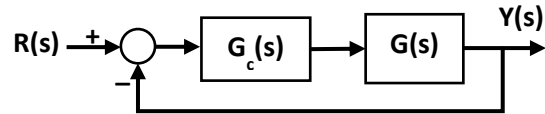
Step 7: Complete the root-locus diagram



7) Consider the following closed-loop system

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s^3 + s^2 + 2s - 0.5}$$

$$G_c(s) = 1 + \frac{K}{s}$$



a) Determine if $G(s)$ is a stable system or not.

Characteristic equation: $s^3 + s^2 + 2s - 0.5 = 0$

Since one of the coefficients is negative, the characteristic equation has pole at the right-half of s-plane.

Therefore, $G(s)$ is unstable.

b) Determine the closed-loop transfer function and closed-loop characteristic equation.

The closed-loop transfer function:

$$\frac{Y(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G_c(s)G(s)}{1 + G_c(s)G(s)} = \frac{(1 + \frac{K}{s})(\frac{1}{s^3 + s^2 + 2s - 0.5})}{1 + (1 + \frac{K}{s})(\frac{1}{s^3 + s^2 + 2s - 0.5})} = \frac{s + K}{s^4 + s^3 + 2s^2 + 0.5s + K}$$

The closed-loop characteristic equation:

$$1 + KG(s)H(s) = 0 \rightarrow s^4 + s^3 + 2s^2 + 0.5s + K = 0$$

c) Determine the range of K such that the closed-loop system is stable.

Closed-loop system characteristic equation: $s^4 + s^3 + 2s^2 + 0.5s + K = 0$

The Routh-Hurwitz table:

s^3	1	2	K
s^2	1	0.5	0
s^1	$\frac{0.75-K}{1.5}$	0	0
s^0	K	0	0

For stability all terms in the first column must be positive:

$$\frac{0.75 - K}{1.5} > 0 \rightarrow 0.75 - K > 0 \rightarrow K < 0.75$$

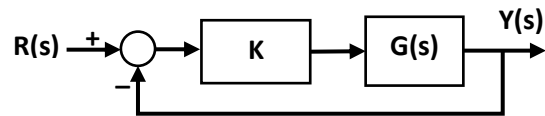
$$K > 0$$

$$0 < K < 0.75 \quad \text{Stability Condition}$$

- For $K = 0$ and $K = 0.75$ the closed-loop system is marginally stable.
- For $K < 0$ and $K > 0.75$ the closed-loop system is unstable.

8) Consider the following closed-loop system.

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s(s+2)}$$



a) Determine the range of K such that the closed-loop system is stable.

Closed-loop system transfer function

$$\frac{Y(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{KG(s)}{1 + KG(s)} = \frac{\frac{K}{s(s+2)}}{1 + \frac{K}{s(s+2)}} = \frac{K}{s^2 + 2s + K}$$

Closed-loop system characteristic equation: $s^2 + 2s + K = 0$

The Routh-Hurwitz Table:

s^2	1	K
s^1	2	0
s^0	K	0

For stability all terms in the first column must be positive:

$$K > 0$$

Stability Condition

- For $K = 0$ the closed-loop system is marginally stable.
- For $K < 0$ the closed-loop system is unstable.

b) Determine the range of K such that the closed-loop system has over-damped, critically damped and under-damped dynamics.

Closed-loop system characteristic equation: $s^2 + 2s + K = 0$

Closed-loop system poles: $s_{1,2} = -1 \pm \sqrt{1 - K}$

For over-damped system $\rightarrow 1 - K > 0 \rightarrow 0 < K < 1$

For critically-damped system $\rightarrow 1 - K = 0 \rightarrow K = 1$

For under-damped system $\rightarrow 1 - K < 0 \rightarrow K > 1$