

1. The constant M circle for $M=1$ is the

- a) straight line $x=-1/2$
- b) critical point $(-1j0)$
- c) circle with $r=0.33$
- d) circle with $r=0.67$

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Answer: a

2. The polar plot of a transfer function passes through the critical point $(-1,0)$. Gain margin is

- a) Zero
- b) -1dB
- c) 1dB
- d) Infinity

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Answer: a

3. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The effect of feedback is to reduce the system error
- 2. Feedback increases the gain of the system in one frequency range but decreases in another
- 3. Feedback can cause a system that is originally stable to become unstable

Which of these statements are correct.

- a) 1,2 and 3
- b) 1 and 2
- c) 2 and 3
- d) 1 and 3

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Answer: c

4. The open loop transfer function of a system is $G(s)H(s) = K / (1+s)(1+2s)(1+3s)$

The phase cross over frequency ω_c is

- a) $\sqrt{2}$
- b) 1
- c) Zero
- d) $\sqrt{3}$

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Answer: b

5. If the gain of the open-loop system is doubled, the gain margin

- a) Is not affected
- b) Gets doubled
- c) Becomes half
- d) Becomes one-fourth

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Answer: a

6. The unit circle of the Nyquist plot transforms into 0dB line of the amplitude plot of the Bode diagram at

- a) 0 frequency
- b) Low frequency
- c) High frequency
- d) Any frequency

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Answer: d

7. Consider the following statements:

The gain margin and phase margin of an unstable system may respectively be

- 1. Positive, positive
- 2. Positive, negative
- 3. Negative, positive
- 4. Negative, negative

Of these statements

- a) 1 and 4 are correct
- b) 1 and 2 are correct
- c) 1, 2 and 3 are correct
- d) 2,3 and 4 are correct

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Answer: d

8. If a system has an open loop transfer function $1-s / 1+s$, then the gain of the system at frequency of 1 rad/s will be

- a) 1
- b) 1/2
- c) Zero
- d) -1

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Answer: d

9. The polar plot of the open loop transfer function of a feedback control system intersects the real axis at -2. The gain margin of the system is

- a) -5dB
- b) 0dB
- c) -6dB
- d) 40dB

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Answer: c

10. The corner frequencies are

- a) 0 and 1
- b) 0 and 2
- c) 0 and 1
- d) 1 and 2

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Answer: d

11. For the transfer function $G(s) H(s) = 1 / s(s+1) (s+0.5)$, the phase cross-over frequency is

- a) 0.5 rad/sec
- b) 0.707 rad/sec
- c) 1.732 rad/sec
- d) 2 rad/sec

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Answer : b

12. The gain margin (in dB) of a system having the loop transfer function $G(s) H(s) = 2 / s(s+1)$ is

- a) 0
- b) 3
- c) 6
- d) 8

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Answer: d

13. The gain margin for the system with open loop transfer function $G(s) H(s) = 2(1+s) / s^2$ is

- a) 8
- b) 0
- c) 1
- d) -8

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Answer: b

14. Statement 1: In constant M circles, as M increases from 1 to 8 radius of circle increases from 0 to 8 and Centre shifts from $(-1,0)$ to $(-8,0)$

Statement 2: The circle intersects real axis at point $(-1/2, 0)$

a) Statement 1 is TRUE, 2 is FALSE

b) Statement 1 is FALSE, 2 is TRUE

c) Statement 1 & 2 TRUE

d) Statement 1 & 2 FALSE

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Answer: d