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Control Systems

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Abstract—This manual is an introduction to control systems based on GATE problems.Links to sample Python codes are available in the text.

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svn co https://github.com/gadepall/school/trunk/ control/codes

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by the Nyquist plot of $G(s) = \frac{1-s}{4+2s}$

Solution: Draw the polar plot of given G(S). In the polar plot, substitute $s = j\omega$ evaluate magnitude and phase at $\omega = 0$ and $\omega = \infty$

$$G(j\omega) = \frac{1 - j\omega}{4 + 2j\omega} \tag{6.1.1}$$

$$\lim_{\omega \to \infty} G(j\omega) = \frac{1 - j\omega}{4 + 2j\omega}$$
 (6.1.2)

$$\lim_{\omega \to \infty} G(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega(\frac{1}{j\omega} - 1)}{j\omega(\frac{4}{j\omega} + 2)}$$
(6.1.3)

$$\lim_{\omega \to \infty} G(j\omega) = \frac{-1}{2} \angle 0 \tag{6.1.4}$$

which is equal to $\frac{1}{2}\angle -180$

$$\lim_{\omega \to 0} G(j\omega) = \frac{1 - j\omega}{4 + 2j\omega} = \frac{1}{4} \angle 0 \qquad (6.1.5)$$

$$\angle(G(j\omega)) = \tan^{-1}(\frac{-\omega}{1}) - \tan^{-1}(\frac{\omega}{2}) \quad (6.1.6)$$

so from this at $\omega = 0$ $\angle G(j\omega) = 0$ and at $\omega = \infty$ $\angle G(j\omega) = -180$

$$|(G(j\omega))| = \frac{\sqrt{1+\omega^2}}{\sqrt{16+4\omega^2}}$$
 (6.1.7)

when $\omega = 0 \mid (G(j\omega)) \mid = \frac{1}{4}$ and at $\omega = \infty \mid (G(j\omega)) \mid = \frac{1}{2}$

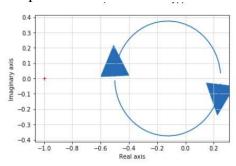
Plot first 0.25 on positive x-axis then turn -180 degrees from that point i.e 180 degrees clockwise(in this case).

Substitute $s = Re^{j\theta}$

$$\lim_{R \to \infty} G(Re^{j\theta}) = \frac{1 - Re^{j\theta}}{4 + 2Re^{j\theta}} = \frac{-1}{2}$$
 (6.1.8)

As there are no $e^{j\theta}$ terms.

There will be no enclosed Nyquist path here. So, for this Transfer function G(s), the Nyquist plot is the Polar plot and its mirror image with respect to real axis.



As from the observed plot the co-ordinate -1 + j0 is outside the contour. Hence,the number of encirclements around the the given co-ordinate is zero.

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