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1 Introduction

2 Methods

2.0.1 Control Signal

As specified in the requirements, the control signal is described as follows. Change the 4/3-valve spool voltage U from -10 V to 10 V at time $t = 5$ s and then back to -10 V at $t = 10$ s.

2.1 Manufacturer's Data Sheet

For the modeling of the 3/4 Directional Control Valve the initial values from the DCP Parker D3FX data sheet are used. The pump has a signal input of ± 10 V

2.1.1 Dead Band (U_{db})

Figure 1 that there is no flow between 0 and 10 % of the command signal. This means that there is a dead band from -1 V to 1 V so $U_{db} = 2$ V

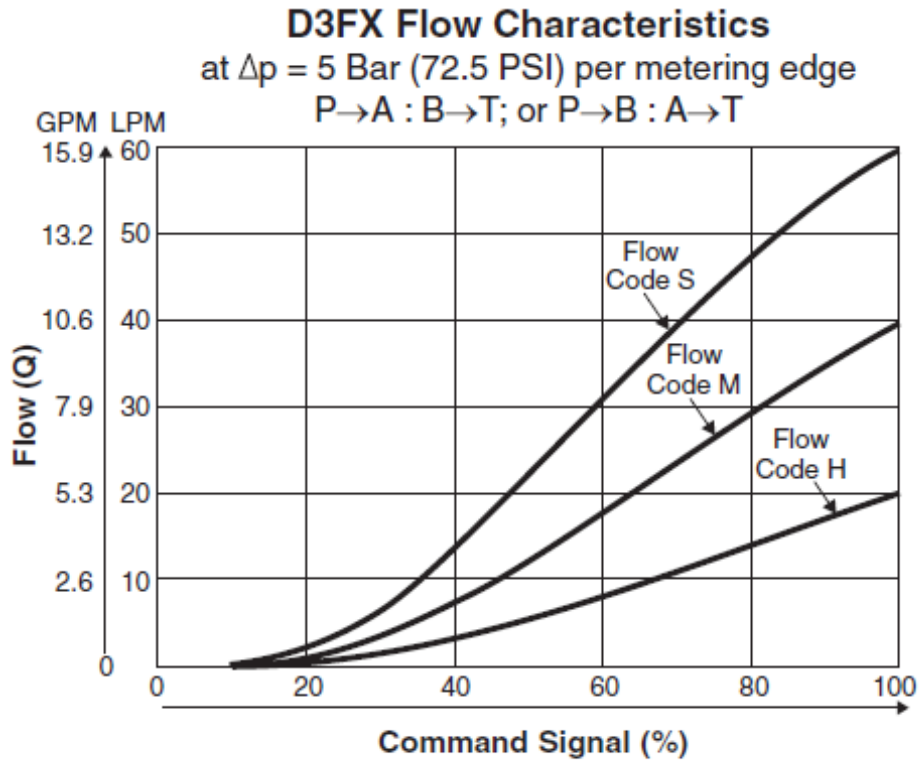


Figure 1: DCV Flow Characteristics

2.1.2 Semi-Empirical Flow Rate Constant (C_v)

Per the data sheet the nominal pressure $Q_{nom} = 20$ l/min when the pressure difference $\Delta p = 10$ bar.

$$C_v = \frac{Q_{nom}}{(U - U_{db}) * \sqrt{\Delta p}} = \frac{20/60000}{(10 - 2) * \sqrt{10 \times 10^5}} = 4.16 \times 10^{-8} \frac{m^3}{sV\sqrt{Pa}} \quad (1)$$

2.1.3 Time Constant (τ)

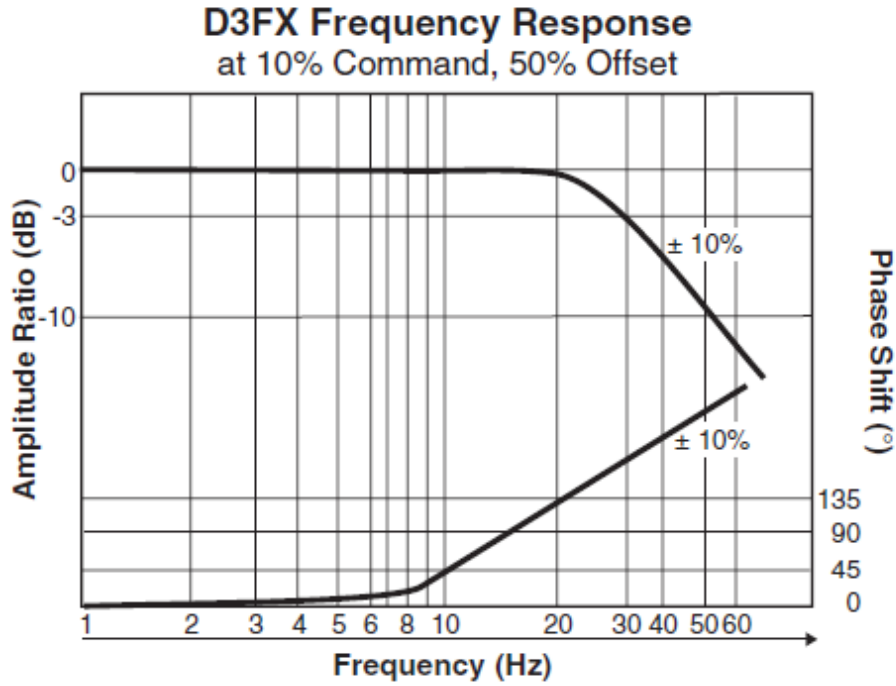


Figure 2: DCV Bode Diagram

From figure 2, the -45° phase shift can be calculated:

$$f_{-45^\circ} = 10Hz \quad (2)$$

The time constant can be calculated from the DCV bode diagram shown in figure 2 by substituting the value from equation 2 into equation 3.

$$\tau = \frac{1}{2\pi f_{-45^\circ}} = \frac{1}{2\pi * 10} = 1.59 \times 10^{-2} \quad (3)$$

2.2 Simulation Model

2.3 Model Component Equations

2.3.1 4/3 DCV

The 4/3 Directional Control Valve (DCV) and Double Acting Hydraulic Cylinder were modeled using custom Simscape components.

The primary equation governing the DCV is the volume flow rate equation shown by equation 4

$$Q = C_v U * \text{sgn}(\Delta p) \sqrt{\frac{2 |\Delta p|}{\rho}} \quad (4)$$

The feedback signal can be modeled using the following first order differential equation:

$$\dot{u} = \frac{u_{in} - u}{\tau_{DCV}} \quad (5)$$

The volume flow rate for each side of the valve is governed by the lumped fluid theory. The continuity equations can be written as in equation 6 and 7.

$$\dot{p}_A = \frac{B_{e1}}{V_A} (Q_A - Q_{orifice}) \quad (6)$$

$$\dot{p}_B = \frac{B_{e2}}{V_B} (Q_{orifice} - Q_B) \quad (7)$$

2.3.2 Pump

The pump pressure can be modeled with the following equation is

$$\dot{q}_{pump} = \frac{K_p * (p_{ref} - p_p) - q_{pump}}{\tau_{pump}} \quad (8)$$

The pressure between the pump and DCV can be modeled with the following equation

$$\dot{p}_p = \frac{B_{e_p}}{V_P} (q_{pump} - q_p) \quad (9)$$

2.3.3 One Way Restrictor Valve

Orifice

$$q_{orifice} = \text{sign}(p_a - p_b) C_{d_{orifice}} A_{orifice} \sqrt{\frac{2|p_a - p_b|}{\rho}} \quad (10)$$

Check Valve

$$q_{check} = C_{v_{check}} \sqrt{P_1 - P_0 - P_A} \quad (11)$$

2.3.4 Motor

Motor pressure

$$\dot{p}_1 = \frac{B_{e1}}{V_1} (q_B - q_{orifice}) \quad (12)$$

Angular speed

$$\omega = \frac{Q}{V_m} \eta_v \quad (13)$$

$$M_{mreal} = (p_b - p_1) V_m \eta_m \quad (14)$$

$$L = I_m \omega \quad (15)$$

2.3.5 Load

$$F = m_l * g \quad (16)$$

$$\tau_w = (m_w) * g * r_w \quad (17)$$

$$\tau_w = M_{mreal} \quad (18)$$

3 Research

4 Results and Discussion

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