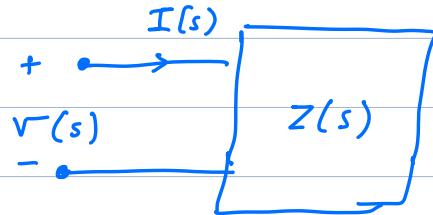


Announcements: Quiz 2 moved to Nov 20, 4-6 pm
(Sat)

Agenda: Stability of networks



$$Z(s) = \frac{V(s)}{I(s)}$$

$$V(s) = Z(s) \cdot I(s) - (1)$$

$$I(s) = \frac{V(s)}{Z(s)} - (2)$$

$$Z(s) = \frac{a_0}{b_0} \frac{(s - z_1) \dots (s - z_m)}{(s - p_1) \dots (s - p_n)}$$

Poles of $Z(s)$ → poles

⇒ zeros of $1/Z(s)$

zeros of $Z(s)$ ⇒ poles of $1/Z(s)$

Stability conditions of zeros of $Z(s)$

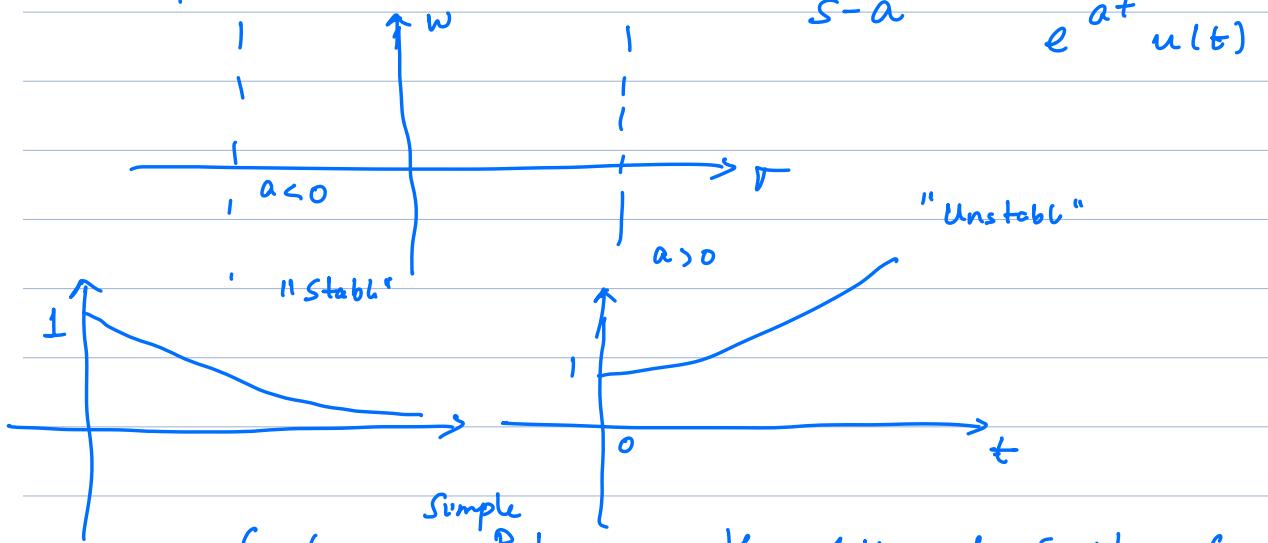
= Stability conditions of poles of $Z(s)$

Assumptions (Network analysis)

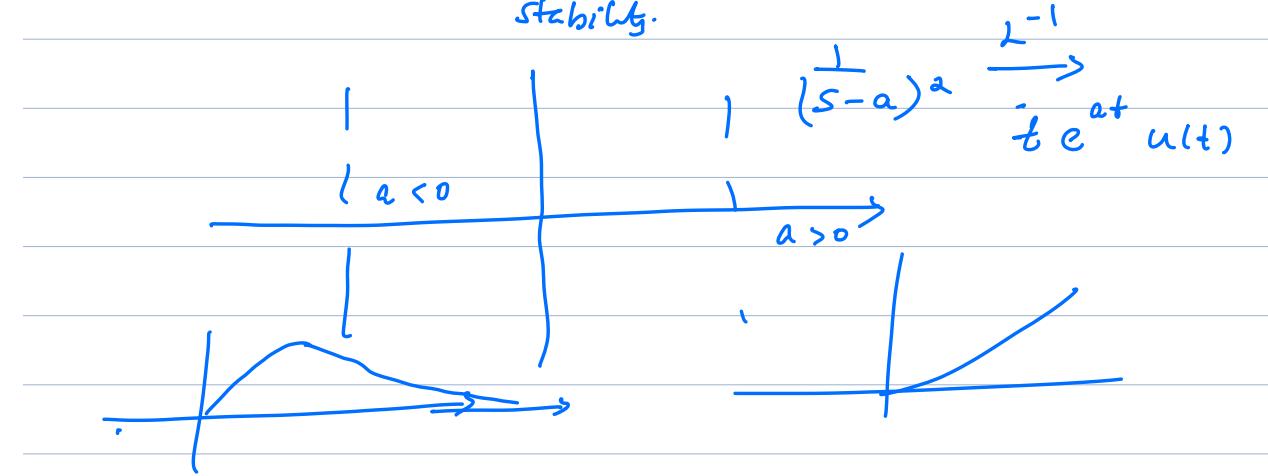
$Z(s) = \frac{p(s)}{q(s)} \Rightarrow$ Polynomials p and q ,
has real coefficients

⇒ Roots are reals or they are
complex conjugates of
each other.

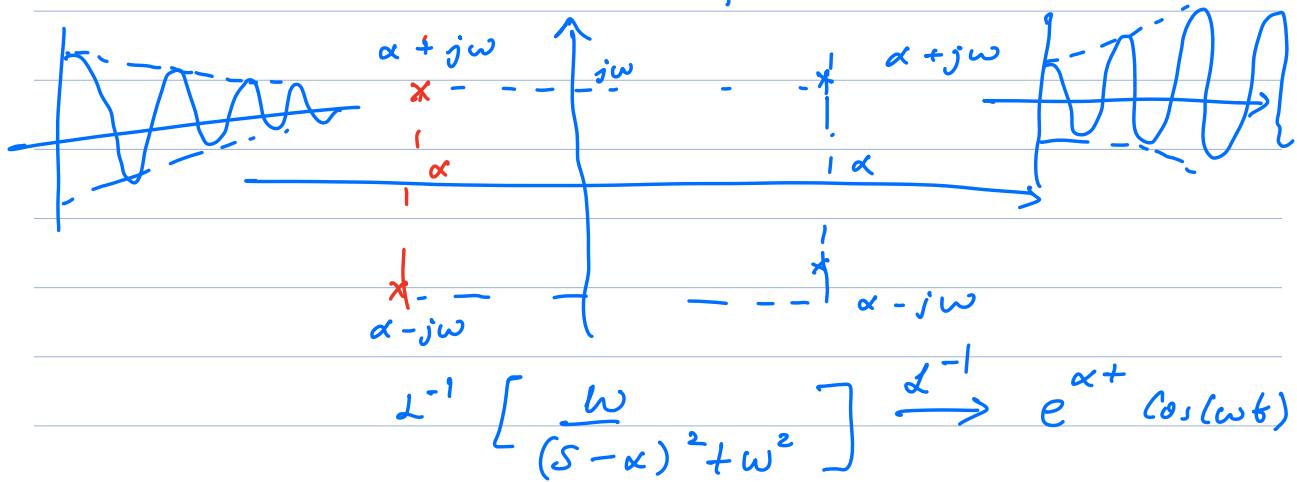
Simple Pole: Real



Conclusion: Simple Pole on the LH of s -plane for stability.

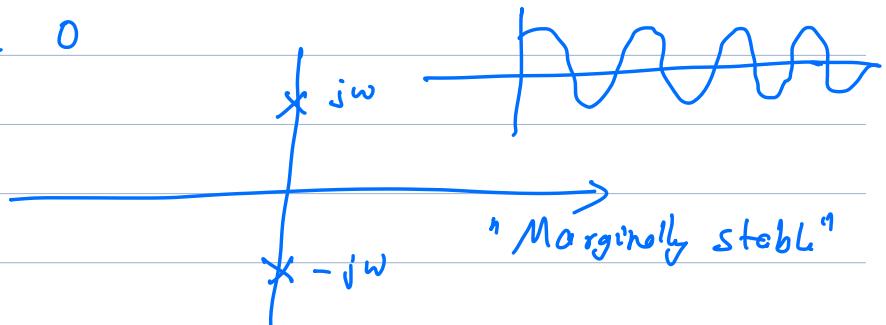


Conclusion : Poles with multiplicity should be LH of s -plane.

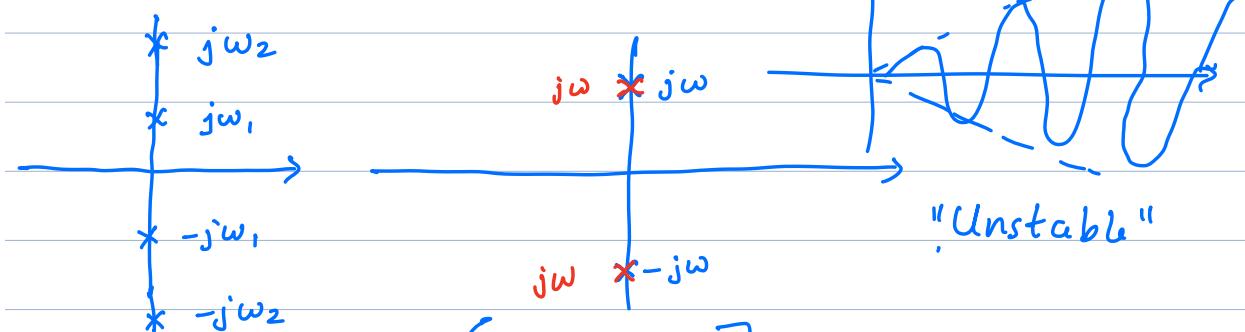


Complex conjugate poles should be on left half of s-plane

$$\alpha = 0$$



Multiple $j\omega$ poles



$$L^{-1} \left[\frac{s}{(s^2 + \omega^2)^2} \right] = \frac{t}{2\omega} \sin(\omega t)$$

Conclusion: As long as poles on $j\omega$ axis are not repeated, the network is marginally stable.

$$L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(s^2 + \omega_1^2)(s^2 + \omega_2^2)} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow a_0 \cos \omega_1 t + a_2 \cos \omega_2 t$$

"Marginally stable"

Necessary conditions for stability

- 1) Poles and zeros on the left half of s-plane.

[If the real part is zero, then pole or zero should be simple]

2) Denominator: $(s + \alpha) [(s + \alpha)^2 + \beta^2]$

$\overset{a > 0}{\nearrow}$ $\overset{\alpha > 0}{\nearrow}$ $\overset{\beta^2 > 0}{\nearrow}$

$a > 0$ $\alpha > 0$

Poles on the left half of s plane.

All the coefficients of a stable network should be positive.

$$a > 0 \quad (s + a)(s + b)[(s + \alpha)^2 + \beta^2]$$

$$b > 0 \quad = s^4 + a_3 s^3 + a_2 s^2 + a_1 s + a_0$$

$\alpha > 0$ Can we expect $a_3 = 0$?

$a_2 = 0$?

$a_1 = 0$?

$a_0 = 0$?

"No": There is no cancellation with negative terms

3. All of the coefficients should be non-zero

$$Z(s) = \frac{1}{(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 4)}$$

$$(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 4) = s^4 + 5s^2 + 4$$

$$(s^4 + a_3 s^3 + a_2 s^2 + a_1 s + a_0)$$

$$a_3 = 0, a_1 = 0$$

"Odd coefficients are missing"

Exception: All odd coefficients are missing.

$$Z(s) = \frac{1}{s (s^2+1) (s^2+4)}$$
$$= s^5 + 5s^3 + 4s$$
$$[s^5 + a_0 s^4 + a_1 s^3 + a_2 s^2 + a_1 s + a_0]$$

"Even coefficients are missing"

4. (Passive network)



"Inductor dominates"

Any passive network behaves like an inductor

$s \rightarrow 0$ "Capacitor dominates"

$$Z(s) = \frac{p(s)}{q_r(s)} \quad \boxed{\approx sL, R}$$

$$s \rightarrow \infty \quad Z(s) = sL, R$$

$$s \rightarrow 0 \quad Z(s) = \frac{1}{sC}, R$$

\Rightarrow Highest degree of $p(s)$ and $q_r(s)$ should differ by at most one.



$$Z(s) = \frac{P(s)}{Q(s)} = \frac{s^m + a_1 s^{m-1} + \dots}{s^n + b_1 s^{n-1} + \dots}$$

$$s \rightarrow \infty \quad Z(s) \approx \frac{s^m}{s^n} = s^{m-n}$$

SL, R

$$m - n = 1 \text{ or } 0$$

Example: $Z(s) = \frac{4s^4 + s^2 - 3s + 1}{s^3 + 2s^2 + 2s + 40}$

"Unstable"

Violates two necessary conditions:
All coefficients should be positive

→ Coefficient of s^3 is missing