

**UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA**  
**FINAL EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 1999**  
**ELEC 360 - CONTROL THEORY AND SYSTEMS: I**  
**SECTION F01**

**TO BE ANSWERED IN BOOKLETS**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**  
**INSTRUCTOR: P. Agathoklis**

**FOUR PAGES OF HANDWRITTEN NOTES AND PHOTOCOPIES OF LAPLACE TRANSFORMS ARE PERMITTED.**

**STUDENTS MUST COUNT THE NUMBER OF PAGES IN THIS EXAMINATION PAPER BEFORE BEGINNING TO WRITE, AND REPORT ANY DISCREPANCY IMMEDIATELY TO THE INVIGILATOR.**

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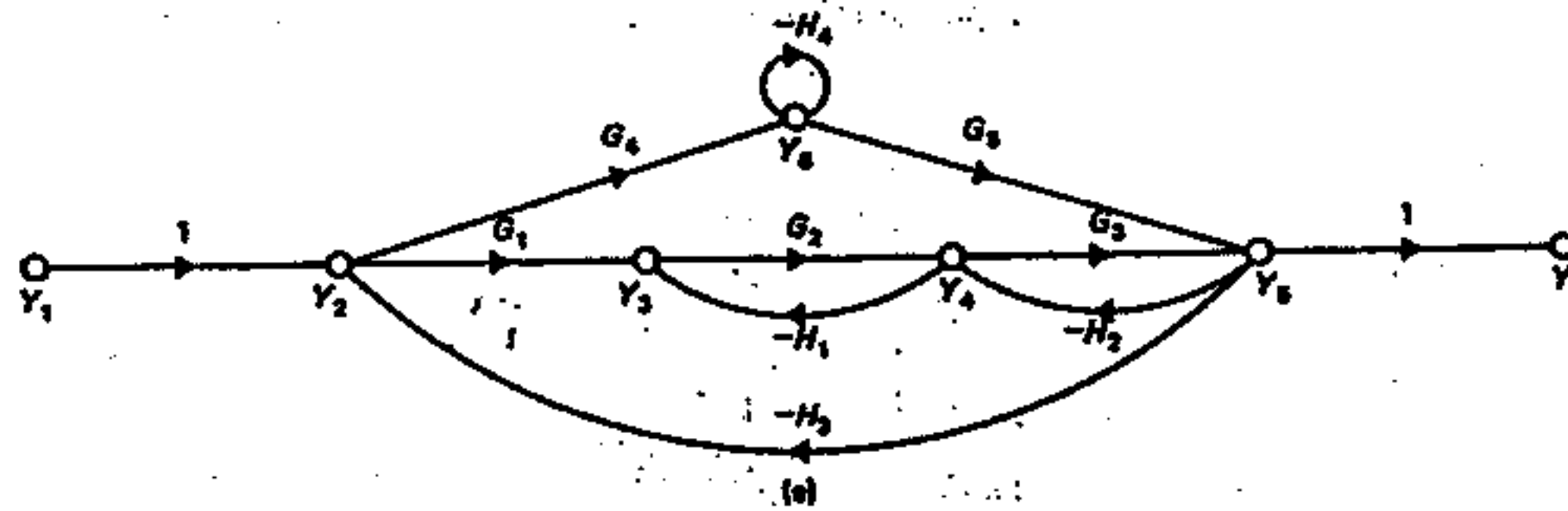
- (4) 1. Find the output of a system having an impulse response given by

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} 1 - e^{-t} & \text{for } t \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

to the following input signal

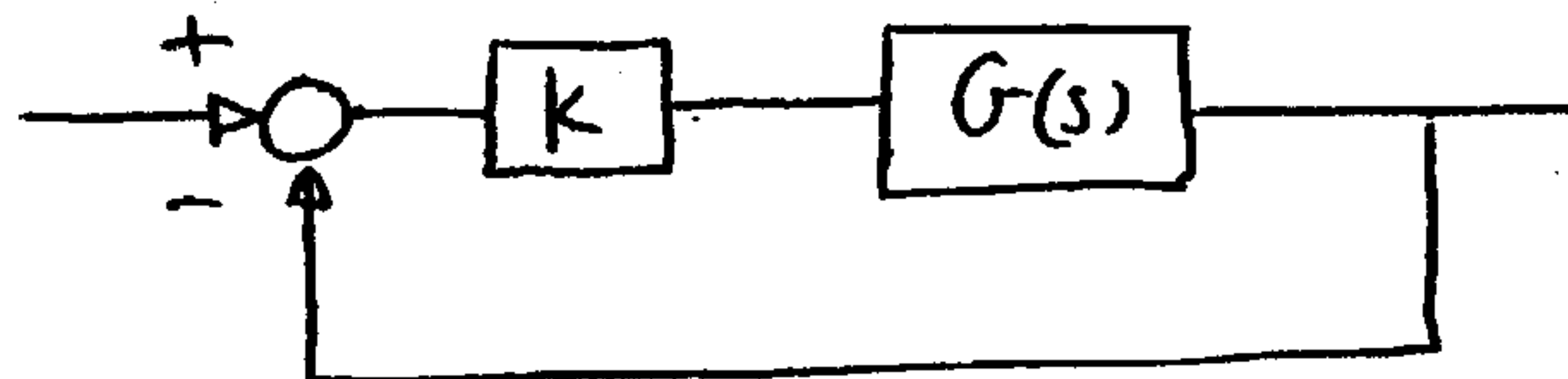
$$u(t) = \begin{cases} t & \text{for } 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{else} \\ 1 & \text{for } t \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

- (4) 2. Find the transfer function between  $Y(s)$  and  $U(s)$  for:



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- (8) 6. Discuss the stability of the following closed-loop systems using the Nyquist stability criterion.



(a) 
$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(s+1)(s+2)(s+5)}$$

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

- (6) 7. For the uncompensated system, find:
- i) The type of the system.
  - ii) The error coefficient which is not 0 to  $\infty$  (give the value)
  - iii) The phase and the gain margins.

For the compensated system, find:

- i) The type of compensator used.
- ii) The phase and gain margins.
- iii) What is the effect of using a compensator on the system's response?

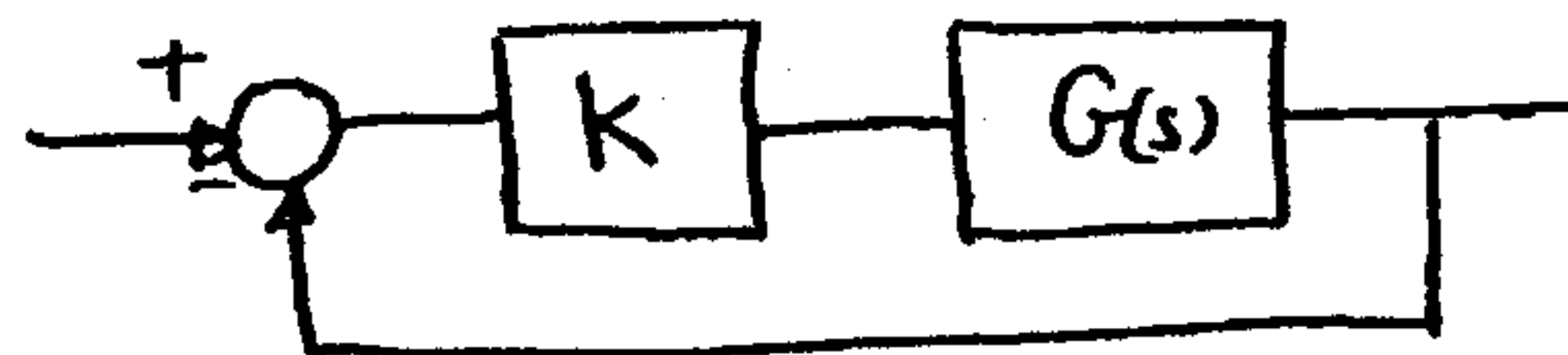
Justify your answers by indicating in the figure the corresponding quantities!

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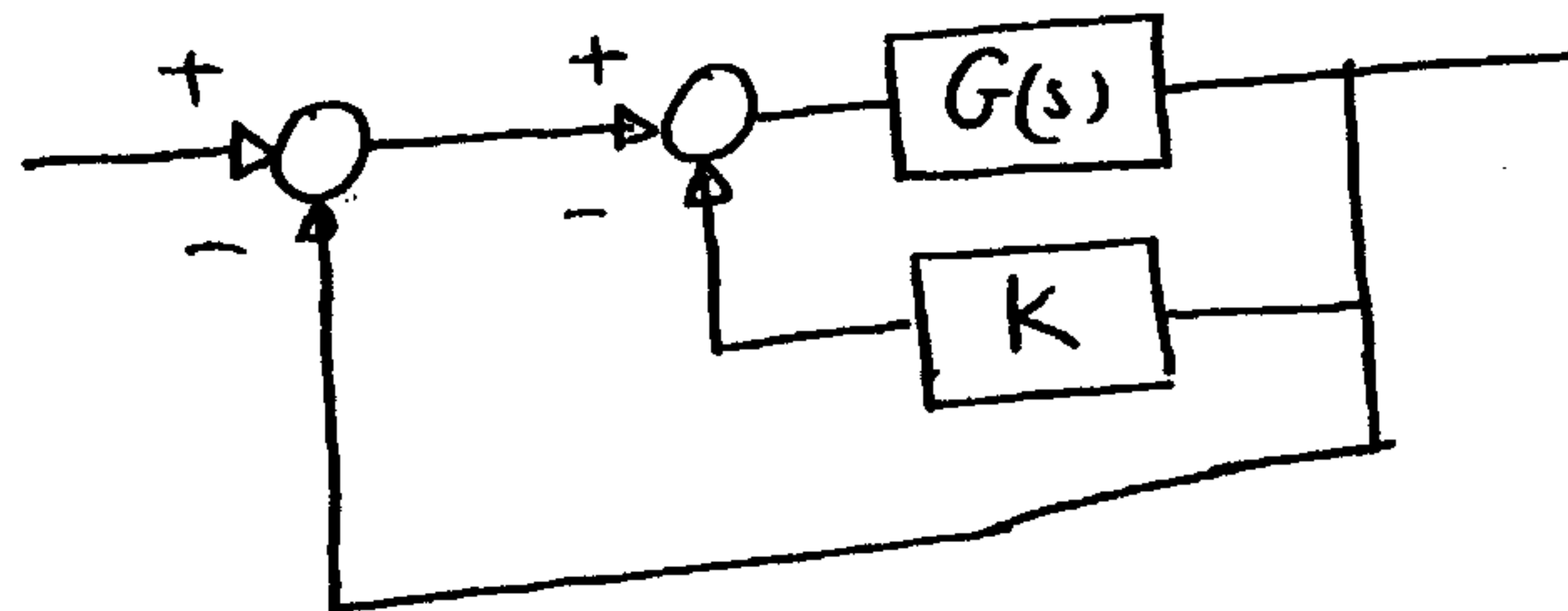
- (8) 5. Sketch the root locus for the following system for  $K$  between 0 and  $\infty$

(a)



with  $G(s) = \frac{1}{s(s^2 + 6s + 11)}$

(b)

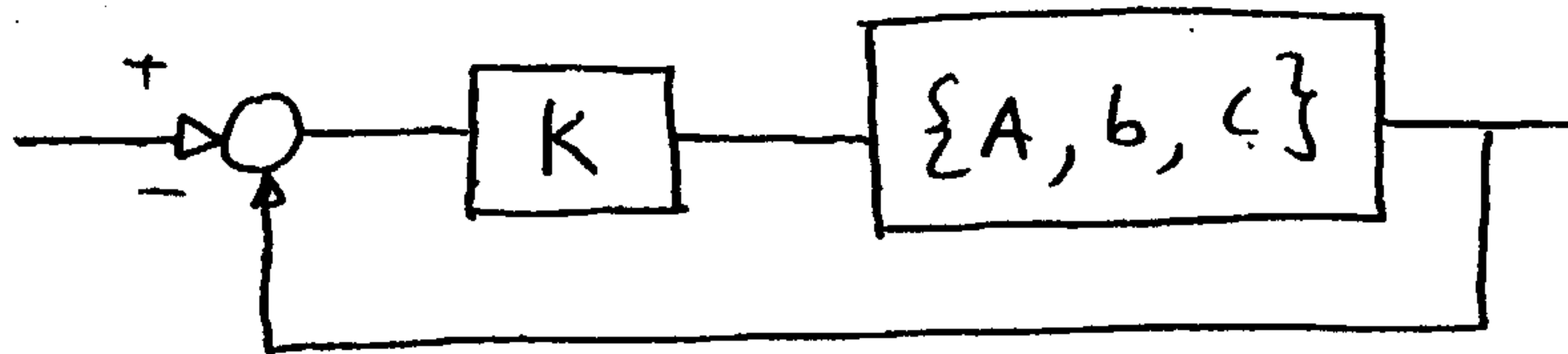


with  $G(s) = \frac{s+2}{s(s+1)}$

Discuss briefly the effect of changing  $K$  to the step response of the closed-loop system in both (a) and (b).

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- (5) 3. Find for what values of K is the following system stable:



where  $\{A, b, c\}$  represents:

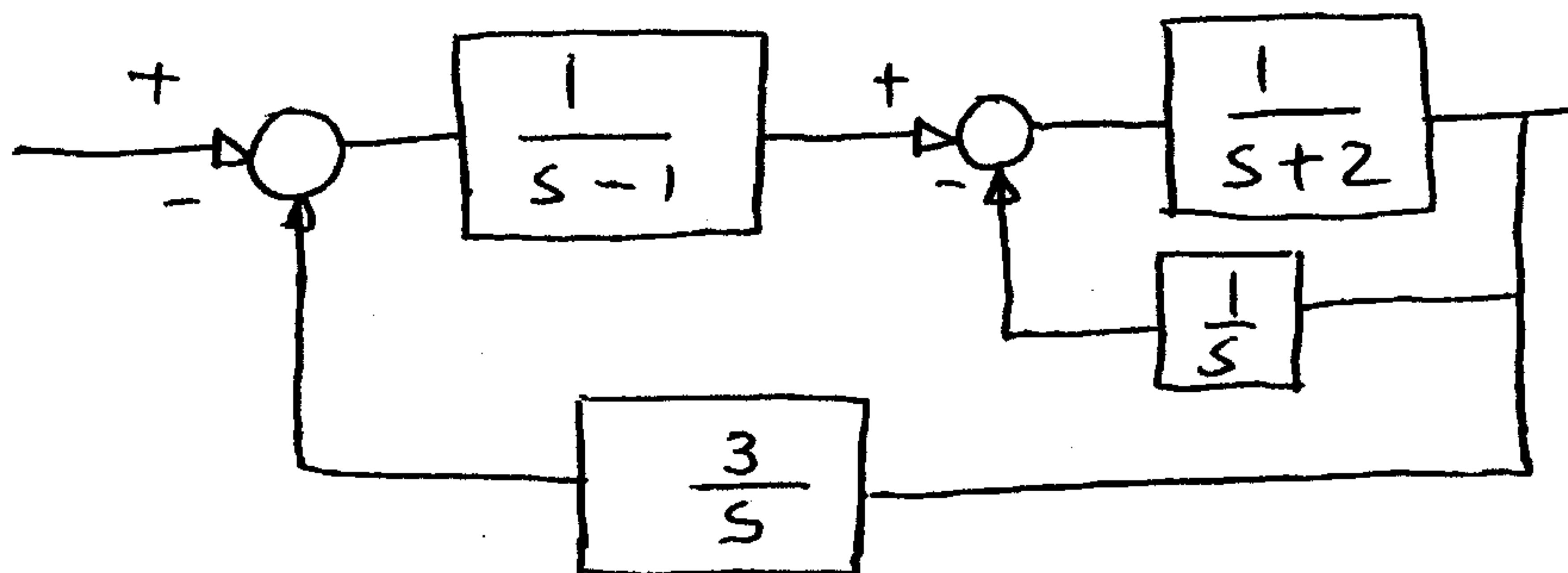
$$\dot{\underline{x}} = A\underline{x} + \underline{b}u$$

$$y = \underline{c}\underline{x}$$

with

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \underline{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \underline{c} = [0, 0, 1]$$

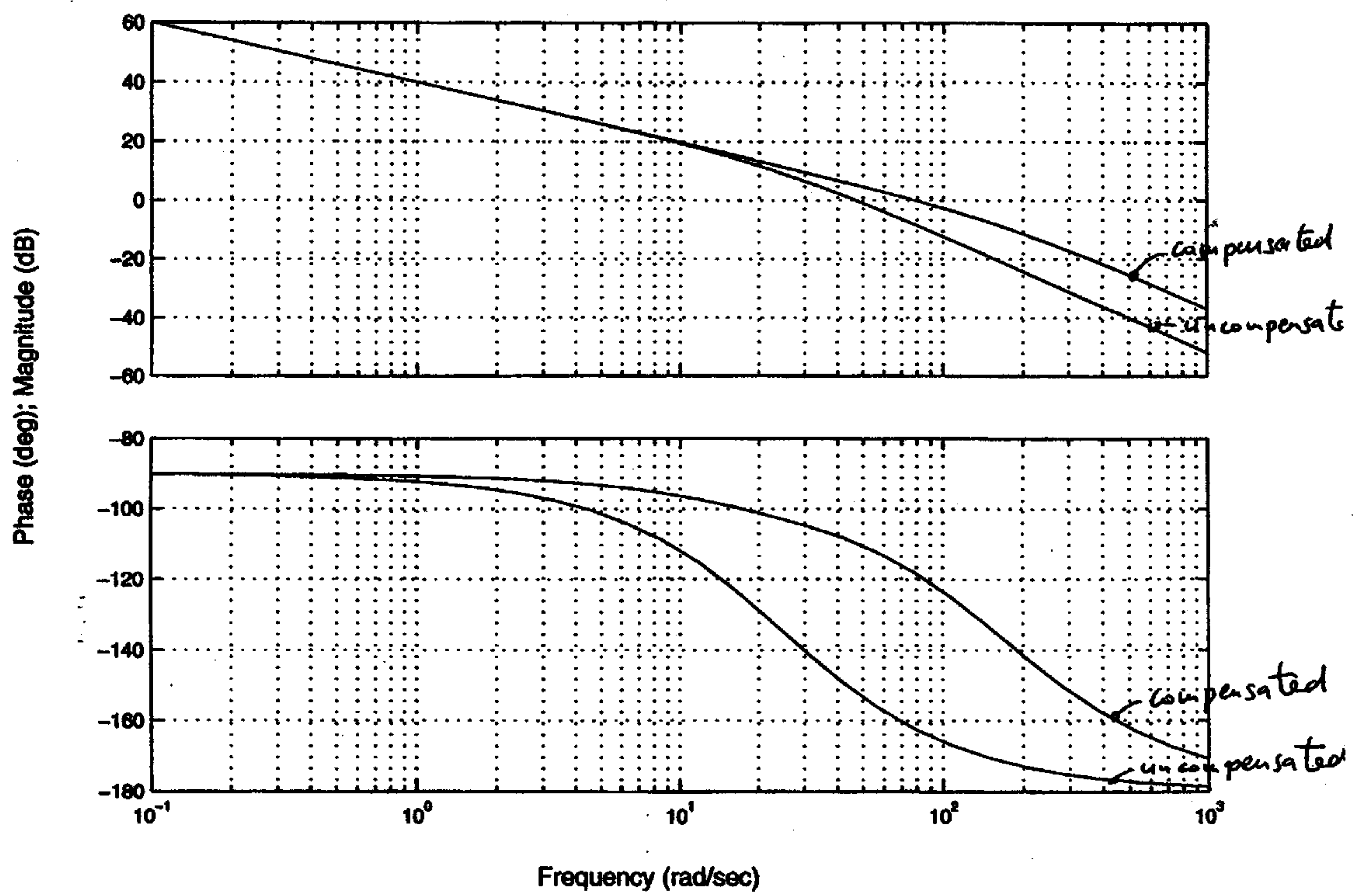
- (4) 4. Find the state-space description of a system given by:



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Bode Diagrams



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