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a) Conservation of mass (assume incompressible flow)

$$\Delta \text{mass}_{\text{tank}} = Q_{\text{in}} - Q_{\text{out}}$$

$$A \dot{y}(t) = Q_{\text{in}} - \frac{g}{R} y(t)$$

$$A \dot{y}(t) + \frac{g}{R} y(t) = Q_{\text{in}} \quad (\text{shown})$$

(3)

b) $y(t) = \{Q_{\text{in}} h(t)\}(t)$ where $h(t)$ is the impulse response

(1)

c) ^{if} $Q_{\text{in}} = 0$, $A \dot{y}(t) + \frac{g}{R} y(t) = 0$

Free response, $C e^{-at} = y(t)$

$$y(0) = 5 \quad y(t=0) = C = 5$$

$$\therefore y(t) = 5 e^{-\frac{g}{AR} t}$$

Alternative

using Laplace transform

$$A s Y(s) + \frac{g}{R} Y(s) = 0$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{5}{(As + \frac{g}{R})}$$

inverse Laplace

$$y(t) = 5 e^{-\frac{g}{AR} t} = 5 e^{-\frac{g}{R} t}$$

(3)

d) at $t = \tau$ $y(\tau) = \frac{5}{e} = 5e^{-1}$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{g\tau}{AR} = -1 \quad \therefore \tau = \frac{AR}{g}$$

(2)

e) assuming zero-initial condition

$$AsY + \frac{g}{R} Y = Q_{\text{in}}$$

$$\therefore H(s) = \frac{Y}{Q_{\text{in}}} = \frac{1}{As + \frac{g}{R}}$$

(3)

Question 2 (6 Points)

A dynamic system with no input is governed by the equation:

$$\ddot{x} = 0.5(x^2 - 1)\dot{x} + 1.5x$$

a. Choosing state variables $(x_1, x_2) = (x, \dot{x})$, write down its non-linear state-space model for the system. (2 Points)

b. Derive the linearized state-space model at the equilibrium point. (4 Points)

a) $\dot{x}_1 = x_2$ (Already linear)

$$\dot{x}_2 = \ddot{x} = 0.5(x_1^2 - 1)x_2 + 1.5x_1 \text{ (need to linearize)}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1.5 & 0.5(x_1^2 - 1) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2)$$

b) $\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} \Big|_0 = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} [0.5(x_1^2 x_2 - x_2) + 1.5x_1] \Big|_0$

$$= 0.5(2x_2 x_1 - 0) + 1.5 \Big|_0 \quad (2)$$

$$= x_2 x_1 + 1.5 \Big|_{x_1=0} = 1.5$$

$$\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} \Big|_0 = 0.5x_2 = 0 \quad (2)$$



Q3. a) $Y(s) = \left(\frac{1}{s+4}\right) \left(\frac{1}{s+1}\right) 4U(s)$

$$H(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{4}{(s+4)(s+1)} = \frac{4}{s^2 + 5s + 4}$$

where $\omega_n = 2$, $\zeta = \frac{5}{2(2)} = 1.25$

b) for 2nd order system both necessary ^{AND} sufficient conditions are met iff coefficients are all positive

or, $s^2: 1 \quad 4$

$s^1: 5 \quad 0$

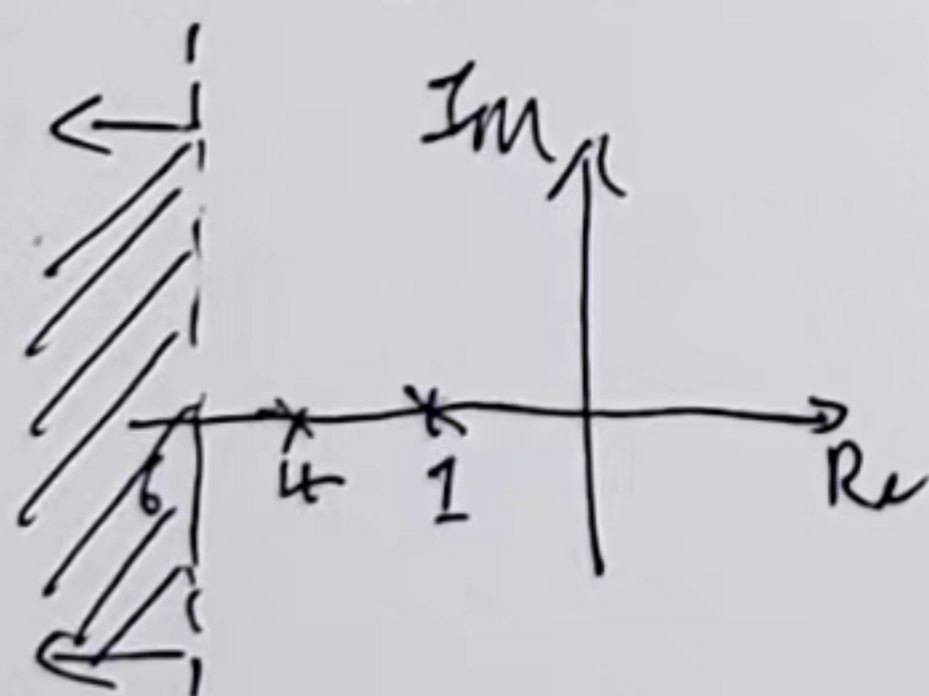
$s^0: \frac{-1}{5} \left| \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \right| = 5$

Full Mark

c) ii) $t_s \approx \frac{3}{\zeta \omega_n} = \frac{3}{2.5} = 1.2$ ~~meet~~

$$t_s \approx \frac{3}{\zeta} < 0.5$$

$$\zeta > 6$$



did Not meet the conditions.

Question 4 (10 Points)

- a) State the key purpose of incorporating integral control in a PID controller (1 Points)
- b) The sensor of a control system is subject to a lot of noise from the working environment which term in the PID control is likely to worsen the effect of noise. Explain. (1 Points)

a) Reduce steady-state error (1), b) Derivative - term (D-term) (1)

c) A control system is implemented as represented by the block diagram.

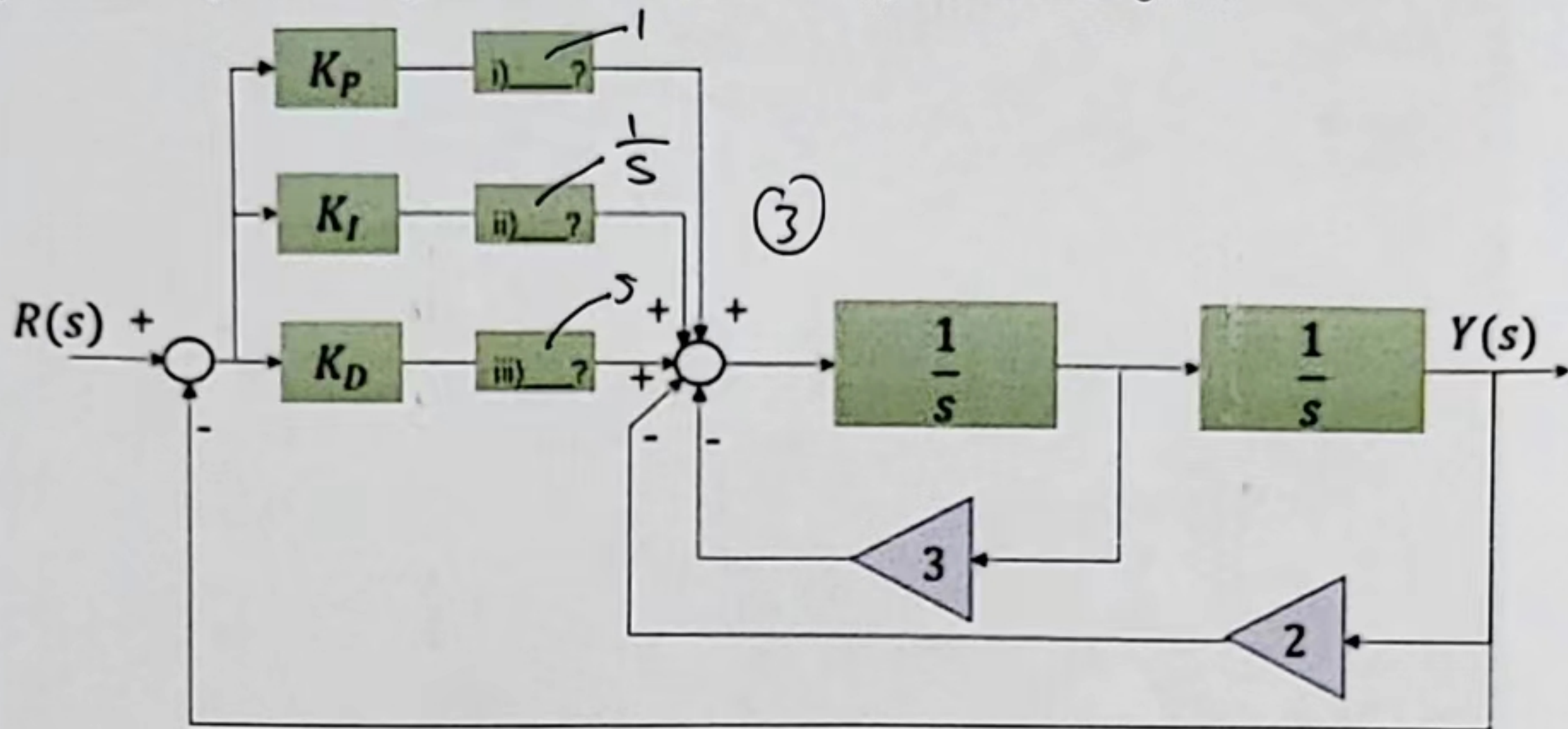


Figure 3

Fill in the blocks (i)-(iii)

(3 Points)

iv) Write down the closed-loop transfer function.

(5 Points)

$$K = K_p + \frac{K_I}{s} + K_D s, \quad G = \frac{1}{s^2 + 3s + 2}$$

$$H_{cl} = \frac{KG}{1 + KG} = \frac{K_I + K_p s + K_D s^2}{s(s+2)(s+1)} = \frac{K_D s^2 + K_p s + K_I}{s^3 + 3s^2 + 2s} \quad (2)$$