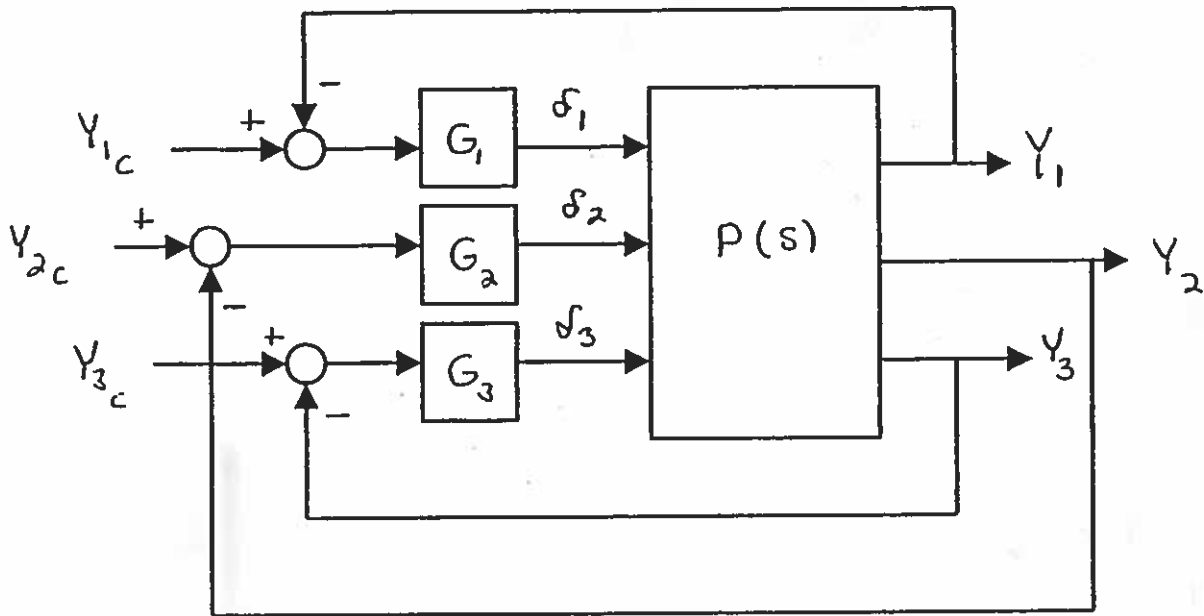


Coupling Numerators for a 3 x 3 Control System



$$\dot{x} = Ax + B\delta$$

$$y = Cx + D\delta$$

$$P(s) = [C(sI - A)^{-1}B + D]_{3 \times 3}$$

$$\left. \frac{Y_1}{\delta_1} \right|_{Y_2 \rightarrow \delta_2, Y_3 \rightarrow \delta_3} = \frac{N_{\delta_1}^{Y_1} + G_2 N_{\delta_1 \delta_2}^{Y_1 Y_2} + G_3 N_{\delta_1 \delta_3}^{Y_1 Y_3} + G_2 G_3 N_{\delta_1 \delta_2 \delta_3}^{Y_1 Y_2 Y_3}}{\Delta + G_2 N_{\delta_2}^{Y_2} + G_3 N_{\delta_3}^{Y_3} + G_2 G_3 N_{\delta_2 \delta_3}^{Y_2 Y_3}}$$

Rules for a 3 by 3 system:

- 1.) The effective denominator is equal to
  - a.) The open-loop denominator
  - b.) plus the sum of all the remaining compensator transfer functions, each one multiplied by the appropriate type 0 coupling numerator<sup>1</sup>
  - c.) plus the sum of all the remaining compensator transfer functions taken two at a time, each pair multiplied by the appropriate type 1 coupling numerator<sup>2</sup>
- 2.) The effective numerator is equal to
  - a.) the open-loop numerator (type 0 coupling numerator)
  - b.) plus the sum of all the remaining compensator transfer functions, each one multiplied by the appropriate type 1 coupling numerator<sup>3</sup>
  - c.) plus the sum of all the compensator transfer functions taken two at a time, each pair multiplied by the appropriate type 2 coupling numerator<sup>4</sup>

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- 1 The appropriate type 0 coupling numerator is that associated with the multiplying compensator
  - 2 The appropriate type 1 coupling numerator is that associated with the pair of multiplying compensators
  - 3 The appropriate type 1 coupling numerator is that associated with the input-output pair on the left hand side of the equation and that associated with the multiplying compensator
  - 4 The appropriate type 2 coupling numerator is that associated with the input-output pair on the left hand side of the equation and that associated with the pair of multiplying compensators

$$Y(s) = P(s)\delta(s)$$

$$P^{-1}(s)Y(s) = I\delta(s)$$

$$\text{Let } E(s) = P^{-1}(s) = \frac{[P_{\text{adj}}(s)]^T}{\det P(s)} = \begin{bmatrix} e_{11} & e_{12} & e_{13} \\ e_{21} & e_{22} & e_{23} \\ e_{31} & e_{32} & e_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Then

$$E(s)Y(s) = I\delta(s)$$

and

$$N_{\delta_1}^{Y_1} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & e_{12} & e_{13} \\ 0 & e_{22} & e_{23} \\ 0 & e_{32} & e_{33} \end{vmatrix} \quad N_{\delta_1\delta_2}^{Y_1Y_2} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & e_{13} \\ 0 & 1 & e_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & e_{33} \end{vmatrix} \quad N_{\delta_1\delta_3}^{Y_1Y_3} = \begin{vmatrix} e_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ e_{21} & 1 & 0 \\ e_{31} & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$N_{\delta_1\delta_2\delta_3}^{Y_1Y_2Y_3} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1$$

With loops 2 and 3 “tightly constrained” with high bandwidth feedback loops, i.e. with

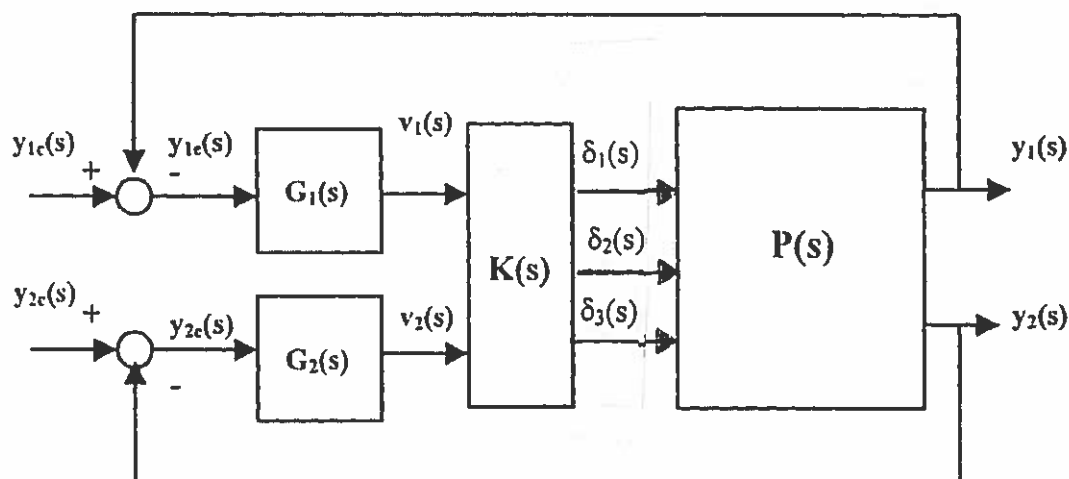
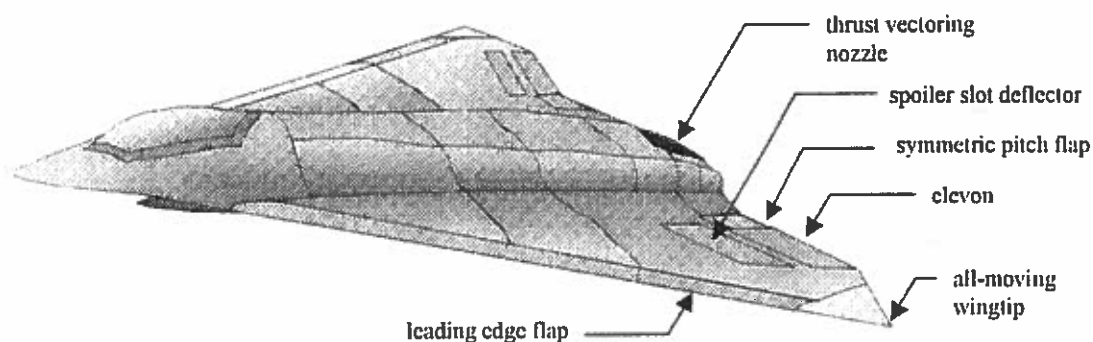
$$|G_2(s)| \gg 1 \quad \text{and} \quad |G_3(s)| \gg 1$$

$$\left. \frac{Y_1}{\delta_1} \right|_{Y_2 \rightarrow \delta_2, Y_3 \rightarrow \delta_3} \approx \frac{G_2 G_3 N_{\delta_1\delta_2\delta_3}^{Y_1Y_2Y_3}}{G_2 G_3 N_{\delta_2\delta_3}^{Y_2Y_3}} = \frac{1}{N_{\delta_2\delta_3}^{Y_2Y_3}} = \frac{1}{e_{11}} = \frac{\det P(s)}{([P_{\text{adj}}]^T)_{11}}$$

Values of  $s$  which make  $\det P(s) = 0$  are called *transmission zeros* of  $P(s)$ . For non-square systems, transmission zeros are values of  $s$  which cause the matrix  $P(s)$  to lose rank.

## Coupling Numerators Example

The aircraft shown below is called the Innovator Control Effector (ICE) vehicle. It has a number of novel control effectors. For this study, we will be interested in designing a lateral/directional flight control system ( $G_1(s)$  and  $G_2(s)$ ) as indicated in the block diagram below.



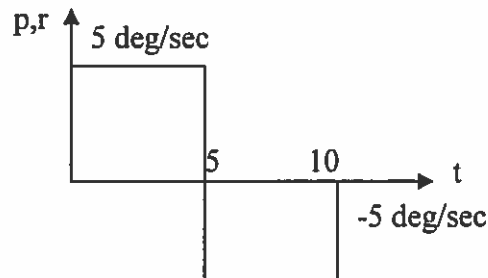
We will be interested in controlling  $y_1(t) = \text{yaw rate } r(t)$ ,  $y_2(t) = \text{roll rate } p(t)$  and using three of the many control effectors available. These three effectors are aileron,  $\delta_1 = \text{aileron deflection } \delta_a(t)$ ,  $\delta_2(t) = \text{differential wing tip deflection } \delta_{tip}(t)$ , and  $\delta_3(t) = \text{yaw thrust vectoring } \delta_{yiv}(t)$ .

Assume a control distribution matrix given by

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \delta_1 = v_2 \quad \delta_3 = v_1$$

$$\delta_2 = v_2$$

- a.) Use the coupling numerator approach to do input-output pairing and to decide which loop to close first, The F-18 HARV example should offer some guidance in this approach.
- b.) Using frequency-domain loop shaping, determine  $G_1(s)$  and  $G_2(s)$ . The only design constraints are:
  - 1.) A stable closed-loop vehicle
  - 2.) At least a 5 rad/sec bandwidths in the p-loop and r-loops. Zero steady-state errors to step p(t) or r(t) commands.
  - 3.) Simulate your vehicle and flight control system in Simulink. Determine the vehicle response (outputs and effector deflections) to the following pulsive inputs (**applied separately**). Before applying the inputs to the vehicle, filter each by passing them through a filter with transfer function  $100/(s^2+14.14s+100)$ .



The lateral/directional state-space equations are given on the following page for a flight condition of  $M = 0.3$ , Altitude = 15,000 ft ( $U_0 = 317.2$  ft/sec). The state variables are, in order,  $v(t)$  (ft/sec),  $p(t)$  (deg/sec),  $r(t)$  (deg/sec) and  $\phi(t)$  (deg). The control variables are, in order,  $\delta_a(t)$  (deg),  $\delta_{\text{tip}}(t)$  (deg), and  $\delta_{\text{ytv}}(t)$  deg.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.01109 & 1.332 & -5.373 & 0.545 \\ -1.221 & -0.607 & 0.395 & 0 \\ -0.1262 & 0.00297 & 0.0206 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.24768 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} -0.009124 & -0.000248 & 0.124 \\ 2.412 & 0.537 & -0.0667 \\ 0.0377 & -0.0561 & -1.227 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note, these matrices are describing aircraft motion in a general body-fixed axis system, and not a stability axis system. This does not affect your work.

A =

1.1090e-002	1.3320e+000	-5.3730e+000	5.4500e-001
-1.2210e+000	-6.0700e-001	3.9500e-001	0
-1.2620e-001	2.9700e-003	2.0600e-002	0
0	1.0000e+000	2.4768e-001	0

>> B=[-.009124   -.000248   .124; 2.412   .537   -.0667; 0.0377   -.0561   -1.227; 0 0 0 ]

B =

-9.1240e-003	-2.4800e-004	1.2400e-001
2.4120e+000	5.3700e-001	-6.6700e-002
3.7700e-002	-5.6100e-002	-1.2270e+000
0	0	0

>> K=[ 0 1; 0 1; 1 0]

K =

0	1
0	1
1	0

>> B

B =

-9.1240e-003	-2.4800e-004	1.2400e-001
2.4120e+000	5.3700e-001	-6.6700e-002
3.7700e-002	-5.6100e-002	-1.2270e+000
0	0	0

>> BP=B\*K

BP =

1.2400e-001	-9.3720e-003
-6.6700e-002	2.9490e+000
-1.2270e+000	-1.8400e-002
0	0

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>> C=[0 0 1 0;0 1 0 0]
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C =

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0 0 1 0
0 1 0 0
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C  
P

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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>> tzero(A,BP,C,D)
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ans =

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1.8735e-016
-6.2863e-003
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>> [num1,den]=ss2tf(A,BP,C,D,1)
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num1 =

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0 -1.2270e+000 -7.4703e-001 -1.9860e+000 -8.1191e-001
0 -6.6700e-002 -6.3396e-001 -8.0021e+000 2.0109e-001
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r to  $u_1$   
p to  $u_1$

den =

```
1.0000e+000 5.7531e-001 9.2812e-001 2.8445e-001 2.4289e-002
```

$\Delta$

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>> [num2,den]=ss2tf(A,BP,C,D,2)
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num2 =

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0 -1.8400e-002 -1.0235e-003 -5.2487e-001 -2.1507e-001
0 2.9490e+000 -8.9279e-002 -2.1194e+000 5.3269e-002
```

r to  $u_2$   
p to  $u_2$

den =

```
1.0000e+000 5.7531e-001 9.2812e-001 2.8445e-001 2.4289e-002
```

$\Delta$

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>> p11=tf(num1(1,:),den)
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Transfer function:

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-1.227 s^3 - 0.747 s^2 - 1.986 s - 0.8119
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s^4 + 0.5753 s^3 + 0.9281 s^2 + 0.2845 s + 0.02429
```

```
>> p12=tf(num2(1,:),den)
```

Transfer function:

```
-0.0184 s^3 - 0.001023 s^2 - 0.5249 s - 0.2151
```

```
-----
s^4 + 0.5753 s^3 + 0.9281 s^2 + 0.2845 s + 0.02429
```

```
>> p21=tf(num1(2,:),den)
```

Transfer function:

```
-0.0667 s^3 - 0.634 s^2 - 8.002 s + 0.2011
```



$s^4 + 0.5753 s^3 + 0.9281 s^2 + 0.2845 s + 0.02429$

>> p22=tf(num2(2,:),den)

Transfer function:

$2.949 s^3 - 0.08928 s^2 - 2.119 s + 0.05327$

$s^4 + 0.5753 s^3 + 0.9281 s^2 + 0.2845 s + 0.02429$

>> zpk(p11)

Zero/pole/gain:

$-1.227 (s+0.4293) (s^2 + 0.1796s + 1.542)$

$(s^2 + 0.339s + 0.02968) (s^2 + 0.2363s + 0.8183)$

$= \frac{r}{s_1} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{close first} \end{array} \right.$

>> zpk(p12)

Zero/pole/gain:

$-0.0184 (s+0.4077) (s^2 - 0.3521s + 28.67)$

$(s^2 + 0.339s + 0.02968) (s^2 + 0.2363s + 0.8183)$

$= \frac{r}{s_2}$

>> zpk(p21)

Zero/pole/gain:

$-0.0667 (s-0.02508) (s^2 + 9.53s + 120.2)$

$(s^2 + 0.339s + 0.02968) (s^2 + 0.2363s + 0.8183)$

$= \frac{p}{s_1}$

>> zpk(p22)

Zero/pole/gain:

$2.949 (s+0.8453) (s-0.8504) (s-0.02513)$

$(s^2 + 0.339s + 0.02968) (s^2 + 0.2363s + 0.8183)$

$= \frac{p}{s_2}$

>> detP=p11\*p22-p21\*p12

Transfer function:

$-3.62 s^{14} - 6.27 s^{13} - 13.71 s^{12} - 15.46 s^{11} - 16.6 s^{10} - 12.54 s^9 - 7.726 s^8$

$- 3.646 s^7 - 1.158 s^6 - 0.2334 s^5 - 0.02871 s^4 - 0.001994 s^3 - 6.333e-005 s^2$

$e-019$

$- 3.261e-007 s + 1.999$

$s^{16} + 2.301 s^{15} + 5.698 s^{14} + 8.307 s^{13} + 11.03 s^{12} + 11.12 s^{11} + 9.623 s^{10} + 6.8 s^9$

$+ 3.935 s^8 + 1.85 s^7 + 0.6687 s^6 + 0.1762 s^5 + 0.0327 s^4 + 0.004138 s^3$

$+ 0.0003396 s^2 + 1.631e-005 s + 3.481$

e-007

```
>> detP=minreal(detP)
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Transfer function:

$$\frac{-3.62 s^2 - 0.02275 s}{s^4 + 0.5753 s^3 + 0.9281 s^2 + 0.2845 s + 0.02429}$$

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>> zpk(detP)
```

Zero/pole/gain:

$$\frac{-3.6197 s (s+0.006286)}{(s^2 + 0.339s + 0.02968) (s^2 + 0.2363s + 0.8183)}$$

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>> PI11=p22/detP;
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>> PI22=p11/detP;
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>> PI12=p21/detP -  $p_{12}/\det P$ 
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>> PI21=p12/detP -  $p_{21}/\det P$ 
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>> Y1V1=1/PI11;
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>> Y2V2=1/PI22;
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>> Y1V2=-1/PI12;
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>> Y2V1=-1/PI21;
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>> Y1V1=minreal(Y1V1);
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>> Y2V2=minreal(Y2V2);
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>> Y1V2=minreal(Y1V2);
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```
>> Y2V1=minreal(Y2V1);
```

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>> zpk(Y1V1)
```

Zero/pole/gain:

$$\frac{-1.2274 s (s+0.006286)}{(s+0.8453) (s-0.8504) (s-0.02513)}$$

$$(s+0.8453) (s-0.8504) (s-0.02513)$$

$$= \frac{r}{s_1} \bigg|_{p \rightarrow s_2}$$

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>> zpk(Y2V2)
```

Zero/pole/gain:

$$\frac{2.95 s (s+0.006286)}{(s+0.4293) (s^2 + 0.1796s + 1.542)}$$

$$(s+0.4293) (s^2 + 0.1796s + 1.542)$$

$$= \frac{p}{s_2} \bigg|_{r \rightarrow s_1} \quad \checkmark \quad OK$$

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>> zpk(Y1V2)(Y2V1)
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Zero/pole/gain:

$$\frac{54.2676 s (s+0.006286)}{(s-0.02508) (s^2 + 9.53s + 120.2)}$$

$$(s-0.02508) (s^2 + 9.53s + 120.2)$$

$$= \frac{p}{s_2} \bigg|_{r \rightarrow s_1} \quad \frac{p}{s_1} \bigg|_{r \rightarrow s_2}$$

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>> zpk(Y2V1)(Y1V2)
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Zero/pole/gain:

$$\frac{196.7201 s (s+0.006286)}{(s+0.4077) (s^2 - 0.3521s + 28.67)}$$

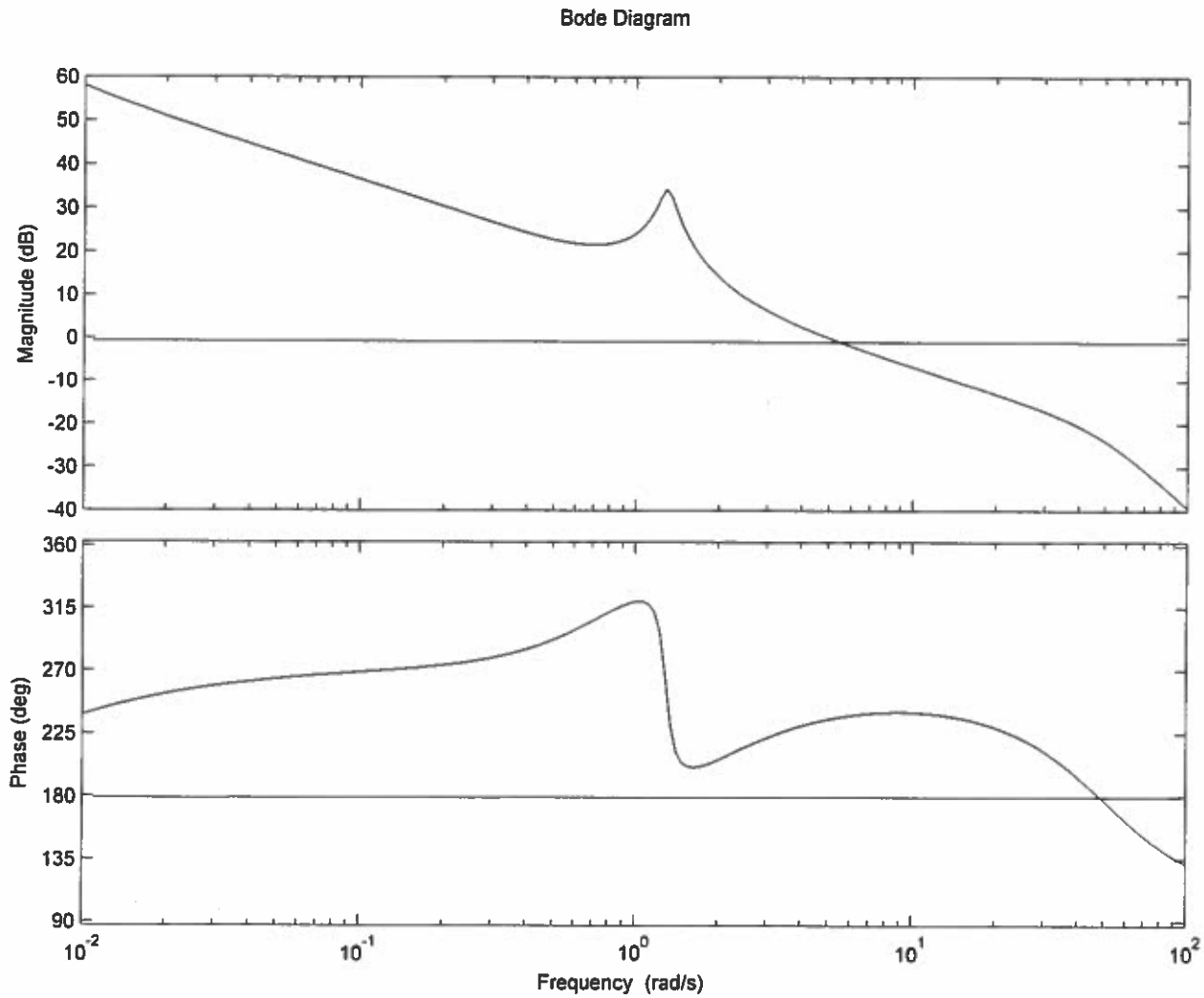
$$(s+0.4077) (s^2 - 0.3521s + 28.67)$$

$$= \frac{p}{s_1} \bigg|_{r \rightarrow s_2} \quad \frac{r}{s_2} \bigg|_{p \rightarrow s_1}$$

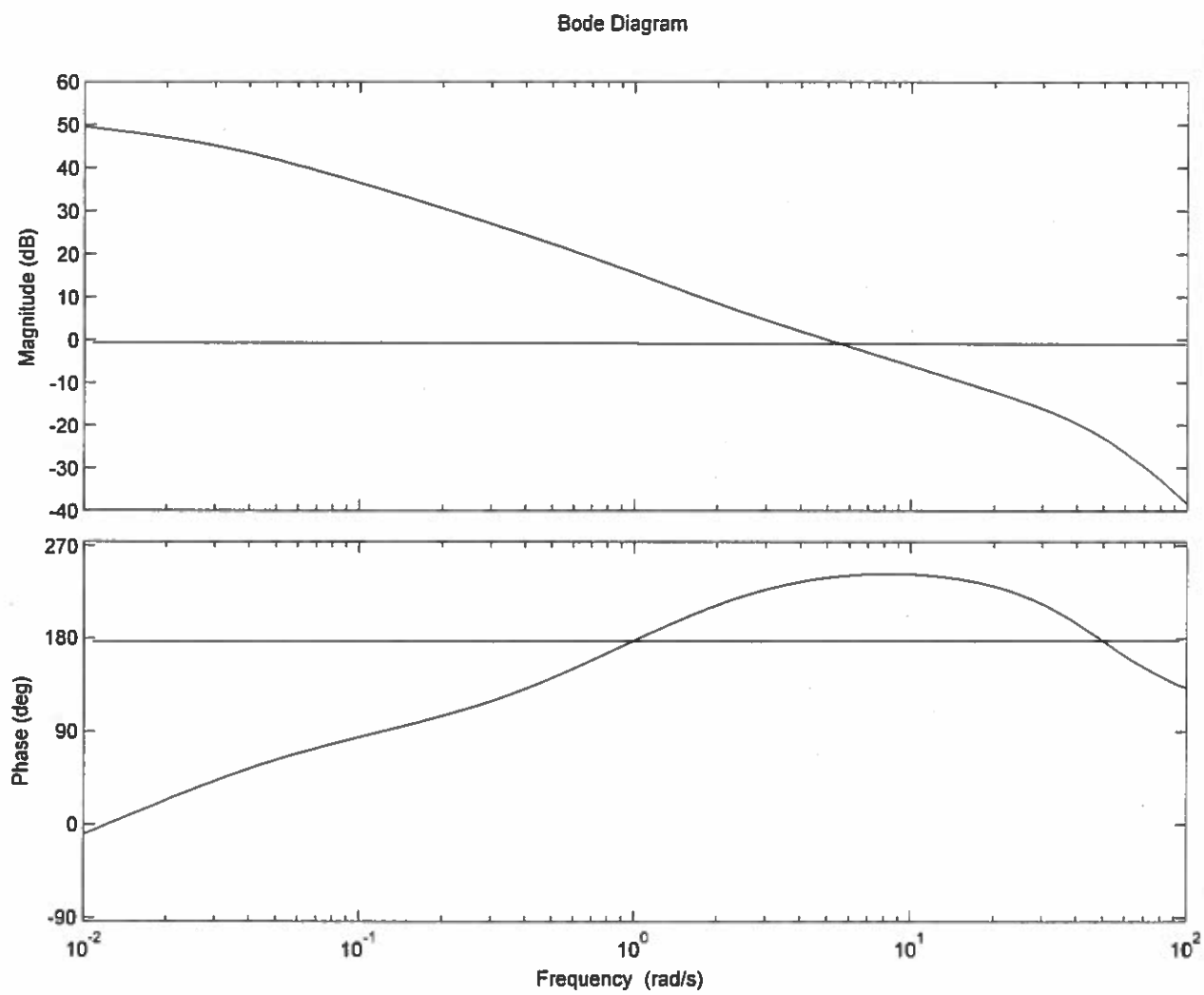
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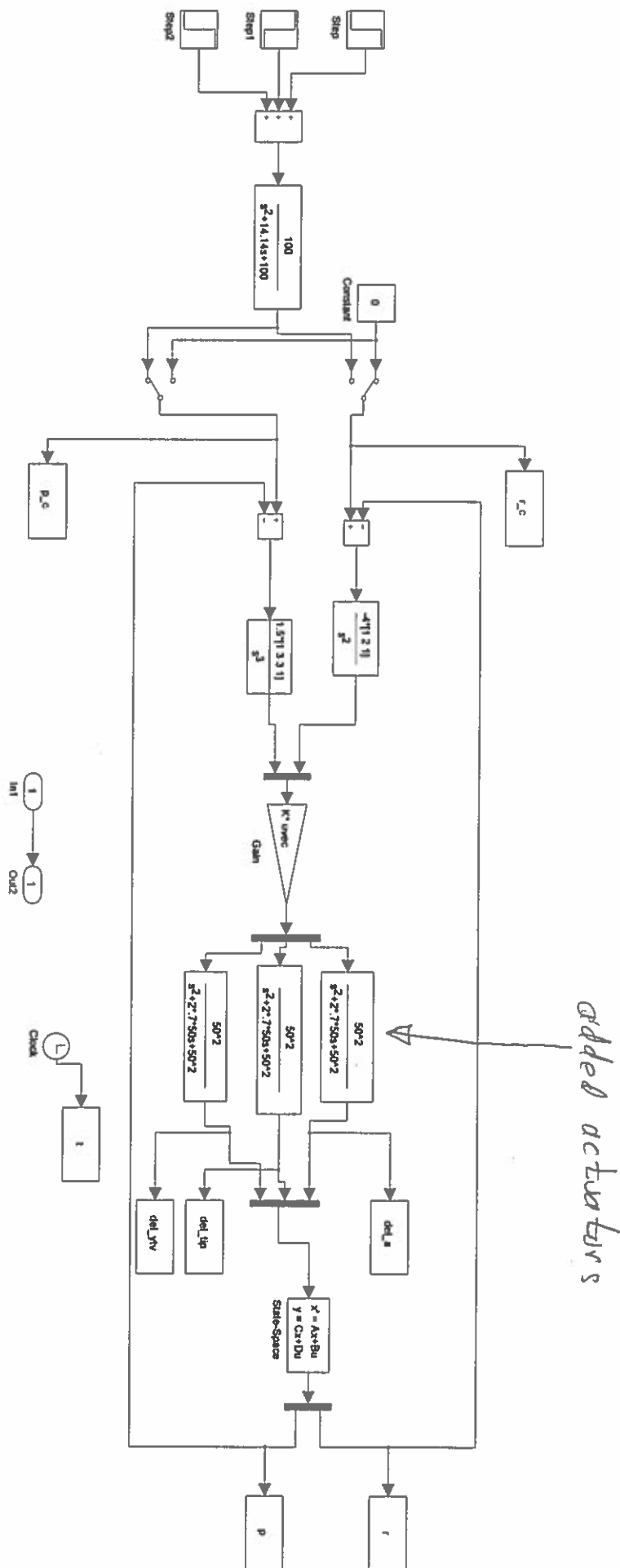
$$\left. \begin{aligned} G_1(s) &= \frac{-4(s+1)^2}{s^2} \rightarrow r\text{-loop} \\ G_2(s) &= \frac{1.5(s+1)^3}{s^3} \rightarrow p\text{-loop} \end{aligned} \right\} \omega_c = 5 \text{ rad/sec}$$

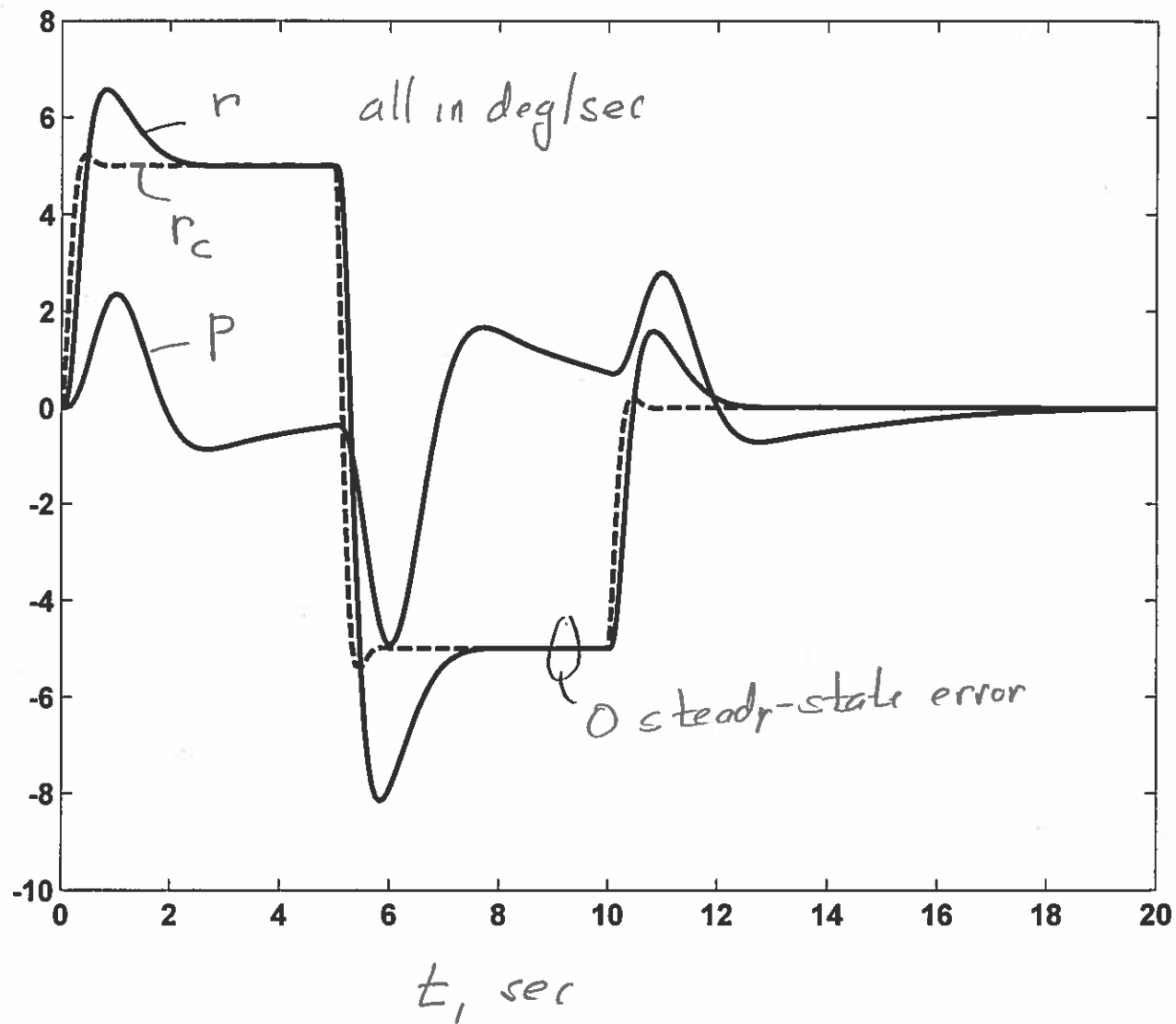
$\frac{P}{P_e}$  with r-loop closed

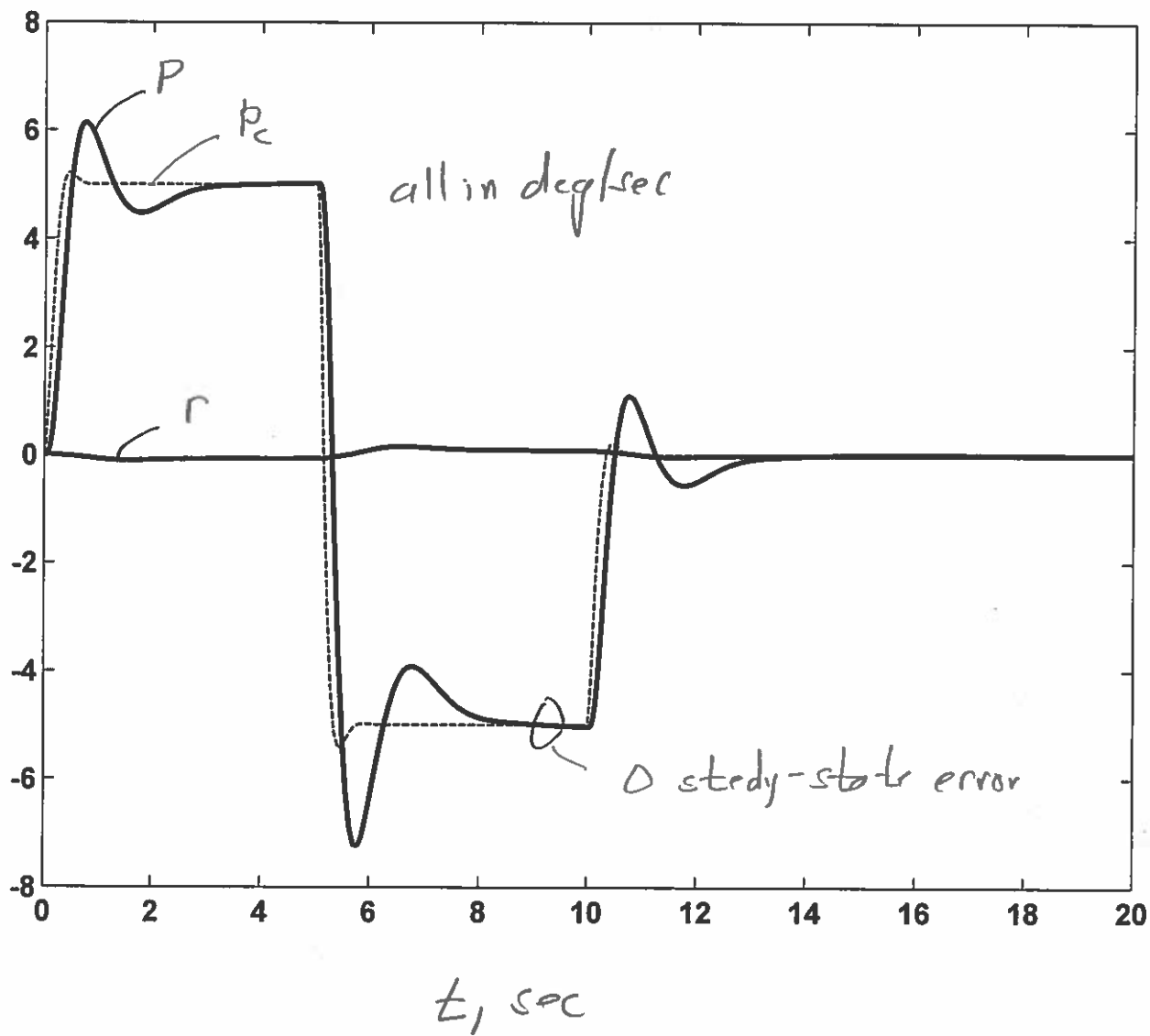


$\frac{r}{r_c}$  with p-loop closed

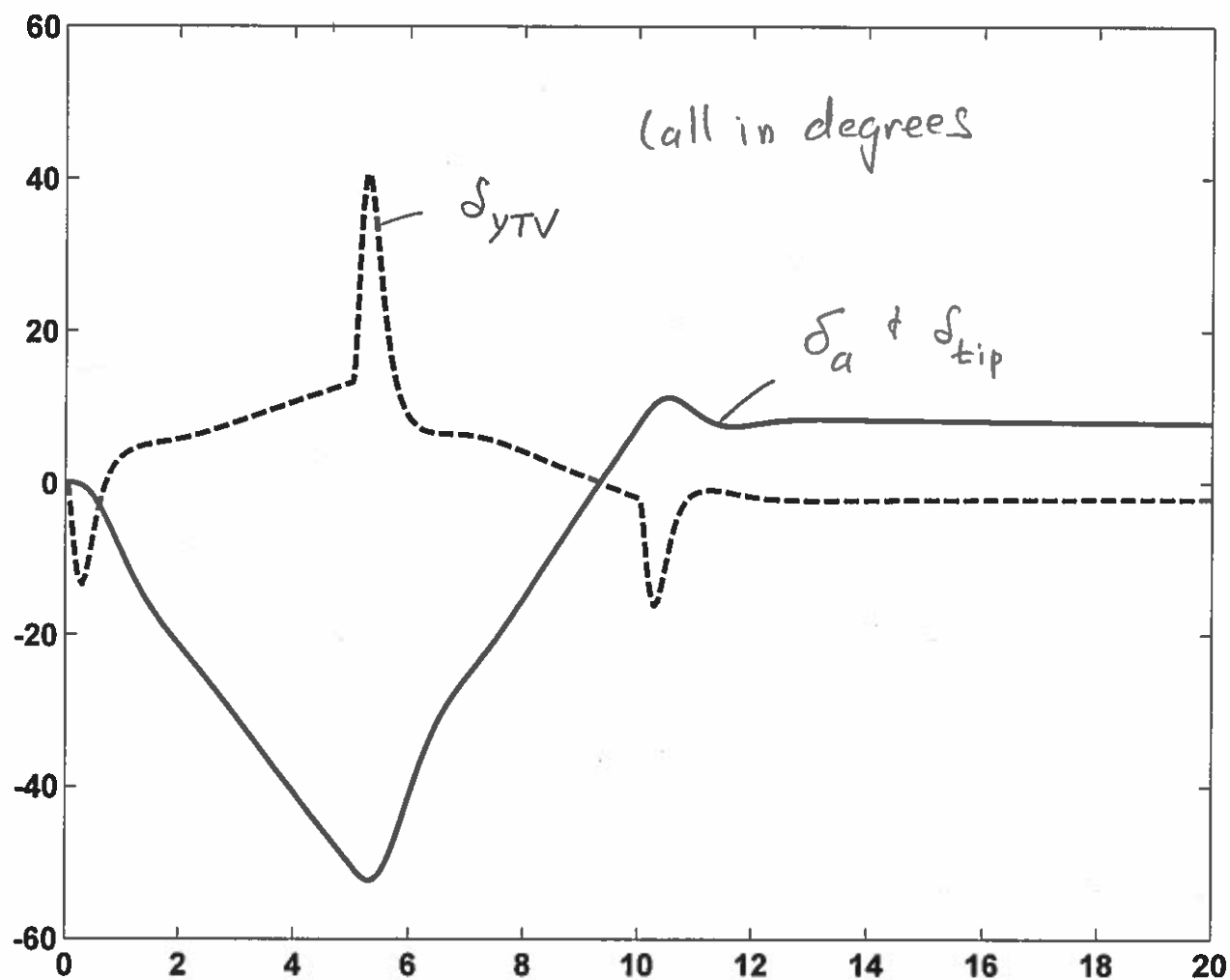










yaw-rate command ( $r_c$ )

roll rate input ( $p_c$ )