

Lecture #22 Summary

- root-locus: a plot of how roots of a poly $\pi(s) = D(s) + KN(s)$ move around \mathbb{C} as K change
- good for analysis, and to some extent, design
- simple example
- actual rules

$$\pi(s) = (s-p_1) \cdots (s-p_n) + K(s-z_1) \cdots (s-z_m)$$



On the root-locus: $\pi(s) = 0$ for some value of K . $\Rightarrow \angle \frac{N(s)}{D(s)} = \angle -\frac{1}{K}$

$$\Leftrightarrow \angle N(s) - \angle D(s) = \pi$$

To compute the departure angle from p_i , θ_{p_i} , plug $s = p_i$ into the above angle condition.

$$\angle(p_i - z_1) + \cdots + \angle(p_i - z_m) - (\angle(p_i - p_1) + \cdots$$

$$+ (\theta_{p_i}) + \dots + \angle(p_i - p_1) = \pi$$

Rearrange and solve for θ_{p_i} .

To compute arrival angle at z_i , denoted θ_{z_i} , do the same.

$$\angle(z_i - z_1) + \dots + \theta_{z_i} + \dots + \angle(z_i - z_m) - \sum_{j=1}^m \angle(z_i - p_j) = \pi$$

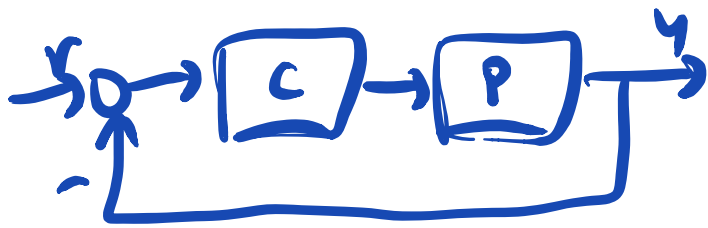
Procedure for plotting root-locus:

Given $\pi(s) = D(s) + KN(s)$

1. Compute the roots $\{z_1, \dots, z_m\}$ of $N(s)$ and place \circ (circle) at each location.
2. Compute the roots of $\{p_1, \dots, p_n\}$ of $D(s)$ and place \times at each location.
3. Use "no-yes-no" rule (#7) to fill in the real axis.
4. Compute the centroid σ , label the point $s = \sigma + j0$ on the plot.
5. Compute and draw asymptotes ($n-m$ of them).
6. Compute angles using rule 8. Usually only needed for conjugate and repeated real roots.
7. Give a reasonable guess of how it looks and draw it!

6.2. Examples

eg. 6.2.1 $P(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + 2s + 5}$, $C(s) = K(1 + \frac{1}{0.25s})$



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$$\pi(s) = (s^2 + 2s + 5)s + K(s + 4)$$

Step 1: $z_1 = -4$ $m = 1$

Step 2: $D(s) = s(s^2 + 2s + 5)$, $n = 3$

$$\{p_1, p_2, p_3\} = \{0, -1 + j2, -1 - j2\}$$

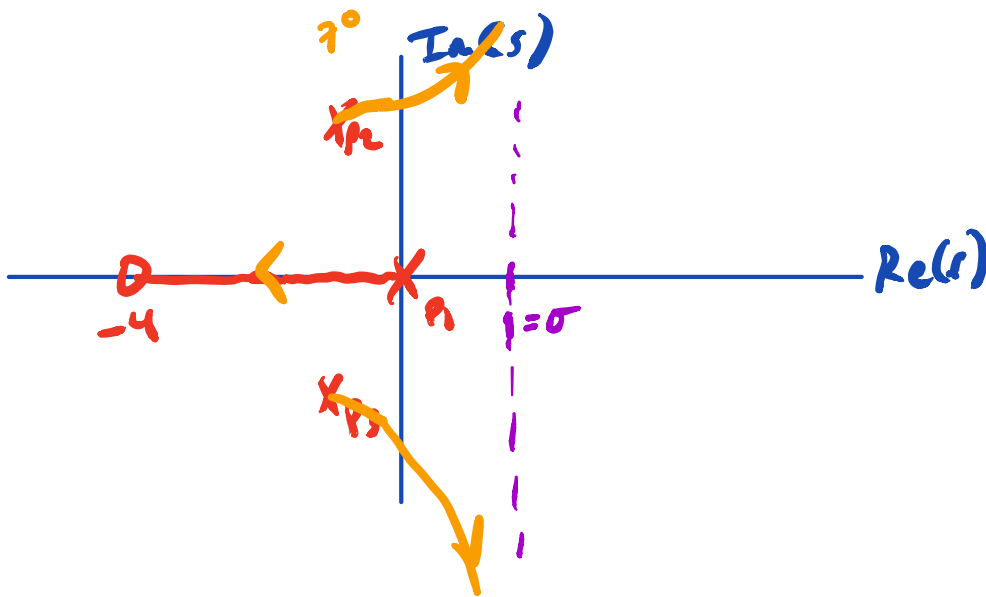
Step 3: Fill in R line (no-yes-no)

Step 4: $\sigma = \frac{\sum p_i - \sum z_i}{n - m}$

$$= \frac{(0 - 1 + j2 - 1 - j2) - (-4)}{3 - 1}$$

$$= 1$$

Step 5: $n - m = 2 \Rightarrow$ Asymptotes are $\frac{\theta_1}{2}, -\frac{\theta_2}{2}$



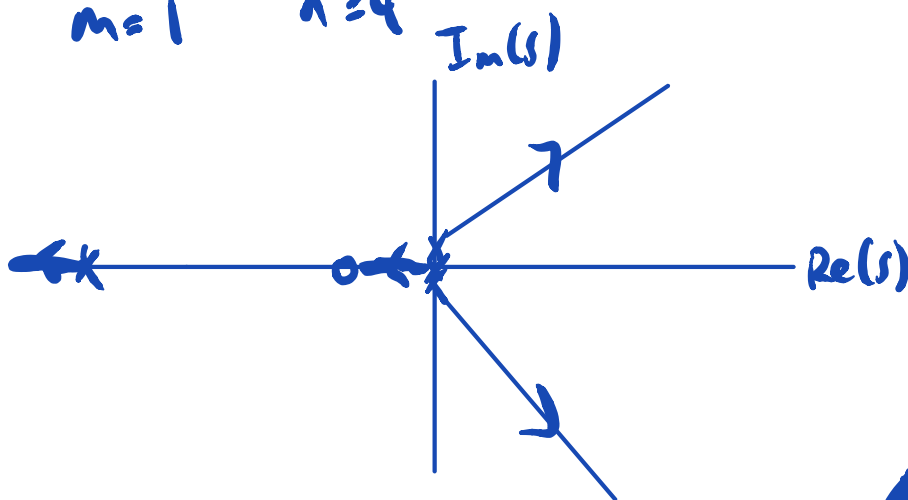
Step 6: Departure angle from p_2 :

$$\angle(p_2, -4) - (\angle p_2 + (\angle p_2) + \angle(p_2 + 1 + j2)) = -\pi$$

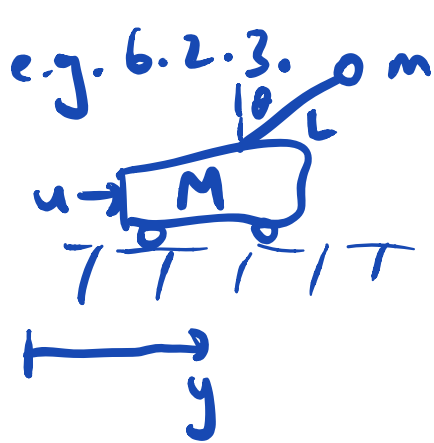
$$\begin{aligned} \theta_{p_2} &= \angle(-1 + j2 + 4) - \angle(-1 + j2) - \angle(j4) - \pi \\ &= 33.7^\circ - 116^\circ - 90^\circ - 180^\circ \\ &= -352.9^\circ \sim 7.125^\circ \end{aligned}$$



e.g. 6.2.2. $\pi(s) = s^3(s+4) + K(s+1)$
 $m=1$ $n=4$



e.g. 6.2.3. Linearized model at $\theta = 0$ is



$$P(s) = \frac{1}{Ms^2 + g(M+m)}$$

$$= \frac{1/M}{s^2 + \frac{g(M+m)}{M}}$$