

## **Assignment 2**

Due: Wednesday, 30th September at 10 pm

- Note that this will be a shorter assignment, due on Wednesday, since 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> October are non-instructional days. The due date is on Wednesday at 10 pm
- Please submit Problems 1 and 2 on Moodle and Problem 3 on MATLAB Grader

## **Problem 1: Step Response Model**

(2+2+2 points)

Consider the following first-order system:

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

**Hint**: The step response of this system is  $y(t) = 5\left(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\tau}}\right)$ 

- 1. Compute the step-response model parameters with sampling time of  $\Delta t = 0.5$ .
- 2. Please compute the step response parameters if the above system has a delay of  $\theta = 0.15$ . In other words,  $G(s) = \frac{5e^{-0.15s}}{\tau s + 1}$ .
- 3. Repeat the above when the delay is 1.5, i.e.,  $G(s) = \frac{5e^{-1.5 s}}{\tau s + 1}$

(Note: You are expected to know Laplace transform and its inverse)

**Important**: The value of  $\tau$  is based on the last digit of your roll number. If the last digit of your roll number is a, then  $\tau = 0.5(1 + a)$ . Thus, if your roll number is CH20D000, the a = 0 and  $\tau = 0.5$ . If your roll number is CH20D999, the a = 9 and  $\tau = 5$ 

## **Problem 2: Impulse Response Model**

(2 + 2 points)

We will now compute the impulse response coefficients for the same system as above, i.e.,  $G(s) = \frac{5}{\tau s + 1}$ , in two different ways. Recall that  $\Delta t = 0.5$ 

- 4. Transfer function of a unit pulse input is  $u(s) = \frac{1}{s} (1 e^{-\Delta t \cdot s})$ . Please compute the FIR model coefficients as a response of the system to the unit pulse input.
- 5. In the lectures, we had discussed the relationship between step and impulse response coefficients. Use this to compute the impulse response coefficients from the step-response coefficients computed in Question 1 of Problem 1 above.

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## Problem 3: Step Response Model in MATLAB for a MIMO System

(10 points)

Please submit this problem directly on MATLAB Grader.

Consider the following two-input two-output system

$$G(s) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{40s^2 + 16s + 1} & \frac{0.5}{20s^2 + 7s + 1} \\ \frac{1.2}{10s^2 + 5s + 1} & \frac{1}{36s^2 + 12s + 1} \end{bmatrix}$$

Let the sampling interval  $\Delta t = 2$  and number of step-response coefficients be n = 25.

In this problem, we will compute the step response coefficients for each of the four transfer functions,  $G_{ij}(s)$  with sampling interval of  $\Delta t = 2$ . Let  $S_{i,j}(k)$  represent the step response of the  $i^{th}$  output in response to the  $j^{th}$  input at the time instance k. For example, step response coefficients for the transfer function  $G_{21}$  are  $\{S_{2,1}(1), S_{2,1}(2), \dots, S_{2,1}(n)\}$ . Choose  $\Delta t = 2$  and n = 25 for this problem.

Compute the step response coefficients and build the step response matrix as follows:

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} S_{1,1}(1) & S_{1,2}(1) \\ S_{2,1}(1) & S_{2,2}(1) \end{bmatrix} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ S_{1,1}(n) & S_{1,2}(n) \\ S_{2,1}(n) & S_{2,2}(n) \end{bmatrix}$$

Write a MATLAB code to compute the *S* matrix given above. Please ensure that the sampling interval is t = 2 and number of steps is n = 25. Report the result in  $50 \times 2$  matrix S.