

Thus, generally the control calculations required by $H(s)$ can be implemented using:

$$u(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{d(s)E(s)\} + \sum_{k=1}^M C_k x_k(t)$$

where

$$\dot{x}_k(t) = l_k x_k(t) + e(t)$$

← M different
1st order DEs.
for $x_k(t)$

l_k are poles of $H(s)$, and C_k are the residues:

$$C_k = \left\{ (s - l_k) \left[\frac{a'(s)}{b(s)} \right] \right\}_{s=l_k}$$

What about $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{d(s)E(s)\}$? Recall $d(s)$ is a polynomial with degree $\deg\{a(s)\} - \deg\{b(s)\}$

If $\deg\{d(s)\} > 1$ ($\deg\{a(s)\} > \deg\{b(s)\}$)

i.e.

$$d(s) = d_0 + d_1 s + d_2 s^2 + \dots$$

$$\text{then } \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{d(s)E(s)\} = d_0 e(t) + d_1 \dot{e}(t) + d_2 \ddot{e}(t) + \dots$$

Cannot be implemented
with assumed measurements.

Thus, these add'l terms can only be implemented
if

$$\deg\{d(s)\} = 0 \quad (\text{i.e. } d(s) \text{ is just a constant})$$

$$\text{Or equivalently } \deg\{\underline{a(s)}\} \leq \deg\{\underline{b(s)}\}$$

Numerator of $H(s)$

Denom $H(s)$

Relative Degree

The relative degree of a transfer function $G(s)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{is: } p(G) &= \text{Degree of Denom poly} - \text{Degree of Num poly} \\ &= \# \text{poles of } G - \# \text{zeros of } G \end{aligned}$$

From the above, the constraint for real-time implementation of compensator $H(s)$ is:

$$p(H) \geq 0$$

i.e. $H(s)$ must have no more zeros than it has poles.

\Rightarrow Will be a significant constraint on our designs!

Examples, cont

$$1.) H(s) = 6(s+1)^2 = 6s^2 + 12s + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t) = \underline{6\ddot{e}(t) + 12\dot{e}(t) + 6e(t)} \quad \text{Not implementable}$$

$$2.) H(s) = \frac{6(s+1)^2}{(s+3)} = 6s - 6 + \frac{24}{s+3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u(t) = 6\dot{e}(t) - 6e(t) + 24x_1(t) \\ \dot{x}_1(t) = \underline{-3x_1(t) + e(t)} \end{cases} \quad \text{Not implementable}$$

$$3.) H(s) = \frac{6(s+1)^2}{(s+3)(s+5)} = 6 + \frac{12}{s+3} - \frac{48}{s+5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u(t) = 6e(t) + 12x_1(t) - 48x_2(t) \\ \dot{x}_1(t) = -3x_1(t) + e(t) \\ \dot{x}_2(t) = -5x_2(t) + e(t) \end{cases} \quad \text{Implementable!}$$

Design Study I:

Suppose $G(s) = \frac{3}{s(s+2)}$, and we want a stable CL system with $\omega_x = 6$, $\delta = 45^\circ$.

With $H(s) = K$, these constraints are not achievable since $\angle G(6j) < -135^\circ$.

Using above example, we know specs are met if:

$$L(s) = \frac{6^2 \sqrt{2}}{s(s+6)} \quad (\alpha = 6 \text{ in prev. example})$$

\Rightarrow Choose

$$H(s) = \left(\frac{6^2 \sqrt{2}}{3} \right) \frac{(s+2)}{(s+6)}$$

So $L(s) = G(s)H(s)$ has desired properties

Note: Design here uses stable pole-zero cancellation.

Design Study, II

Suppose instead want $\omega_x = 6$, $\gamma = 60^\circ$. Specs can't be met so easily as above.

Need: $\angle L(j\omega_{des}) = -120^\circ = \gamma_{des} - 180^\circ$ ($\gamma_{des} = 60^\circ$ here, and $\omega_{des} = 6$ here)

$$\text{But } \angle L(j\omega_{des}) = \angle G(j\omega_{des}) + \angle H(j\omega_{des})$$

$$\text{Hence: } \gamma_{des} - 180^\circ = \angle G(j\omega_{des}) + \angle H(j\omega_{des})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Or: } \angle H(j\omega_{des}) &= \gamma_{des} - 180^\circ - \angle G(j\omega_{des}) \\ &= \phi_{req} \quad \text{"phase deficit"} \end{aligned}$$

ϕ_{req} is required phase (typically positive) that compensator must provide at ω_{des} to meet specs.

For $G(s) = \frac{3}{s(s+2)}$, $\gamma_{des} = 60^\circ$, $\omega_{des} = 6$

$$\angle G(6j) = -161.6^\circ$$

$$\Phi_{req} = 60^\circ - 180^\circ - 161.56^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \Phi_{req} = 41.56^\circ$$

Now suppose we could ideally implement only a LHP zero in $H(s)$

$$\Rightarrow H(s) = K(s - z_c) \quad \text{in ZPK form}$$

(Note we can't do this generally, but it is a convenient hypothetical starting point to illustrate the thought process).

$$\Phi_{req} = 41.56^\circ, H(s) = K(s - z_c) \quad K, z_c > 0$$

Choose K, z_c so that

$$\angle(j\omega_{des} - z_c) = \Phi_{req}$$

and

$$|H(j\omega_{des})| = 1$$

Decoupled!

$$\angle(j\omega_{des} - z_c) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega_{des}}{-z_c}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega_{des}}{|z_c|}\right) \text{ since } z_c < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\omega_{des}}{|z_c|} = \tan \Phi_{req} \quad \text{or} \quad z_c = - \left[\frac{\omega_{des}}{\tan \Phi_{req}} \right]$$

$$\text{Here } z_c = - \left[\frac{6}{\tan 41.56^\circ} \right] = -6.77$$

So now $H(s) = K(s + 6.77)$. Find K

Finding K

$$\text{Let } L_0(s) = L(s) \Big|_{K=1} \Rightarrow L(s) = K L_0(s)$$

Then choose

$$K = \frac{1}{|L_0(j\omega_{des})|}$$

Since then

$$\begin{aligned} |L(j\omega_{des})| &= |K L_0(j\omega_{des})| = |K| |L_0(j\omega_{des})| \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

i.e. ω_{des} is mag xover freq. for $L(j\omega)$, as desired

Here: $L_0(s) = \frac{3(s+6.77)}{s(s+2)}$

$$|L_0(6j)| = 0.715 \Rightarrow K \approx 1.4$$

Above is not generally implementable

$$p(H) < 0$$

$\Rightarrow H(s)$ must contain at least 1 (LHP) pole to balance the zero (make $p(H) \geq 0$)

\Rightarrow LHP poles contribute negative phase, hence work against our objectives

One strategy (not necessarily the best, but easy to do): put pole of $H(s)$ so that its impact on phase of $L(j\omega)$ is negligible at least near desired crossover ω_{Des}

$$\text{i.e. } H(s) = K \left[\frac{(s - z_c)}{(s - p_c)} \right]$$

with $|p_c| \geq 10\omega_{Des}$

(Recall p_c will change phase starting for $\omega \approx \frac{|p_c|}{10}$; want this above ω_{Des}).

If $P_c = -10\omega_{Des}$, then

$$\begin{aligned}\angle(j\omega_{Des} - P_c) &= \angle(j\omega_{Des} + 10\omega_{Des}) \\ &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) \approx 5.7^\circ\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{And } \angle H(j\omega_{Des}) &= \angle(j\omega_{Des} - z_c) - \angle(j\omega_{Des} - P_c) \\ &= \angle(j\omega_{Des} - z_c) - 5.7^\circ\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Still need: } \angle H(j\omega_{Des}) = \phi_{req}$$

So choose:

$$\angle(j\omega_{Des} - z_c) = \phi_{req} + 5.7^\circ$$

Then choose K as before.

For our example we need

$$\angle(6j - z_c) = 41.56^\circ + 5.7^\circ = 47.26^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow z_c = -5.54$$

$$\Rightarrow L_o(s) = \frac{3(s+5.54)}{s(s+2)(s+60)}$$

$$\Rightarrow K = 93.37$$

Note big increase in K ! Generally associated with bigger $u(t)$. Must check for saturation!

Ideal (pure zero) result obtained As $p_c \rightarrow -\infty$ (pole very far into LHP), but is associated with very large control inputs. Can do some simple z_c, p_c optimization to moderate control magnitude

Simple optimization of required location for P_c

We have seen a simple strategy for choosing required pole in $H(s)$ is to make $P_c < -10\omega_{des}$

\Rightarrow Ensures P_c subtracts no more than 5.7° from $\angle H(j\omega_{des})$,
easy to adjust location of z_c to "make up" this phase loss
to maintain $\angle H(j\omega_{des}) = \phi_{req}$.

However, such a strategy often results in undesirably large $u(t)$.

Try to balance the competing requirements by finding minimum possible ratio P_c/z_c which still provides $\angle H(j\omega_{des}) = \phi_{req}$.