Question 1

Consider the transfer function

$$G(s) = \frac{s}{10s - 1}$$

Sketch the Bode plot of G(s) by hand, using the Bode graph paper provided on eClass, then validate your answer using MATLAB's bode command. Please include both plots with your answer.

Solution

There are two factors, s and 10s - 1. For 10s - 1, $1/\tau = 0.1$.

By Matlab,

$$G = tf([1 \ 0], [10 \ -1]);$$

bode(G);

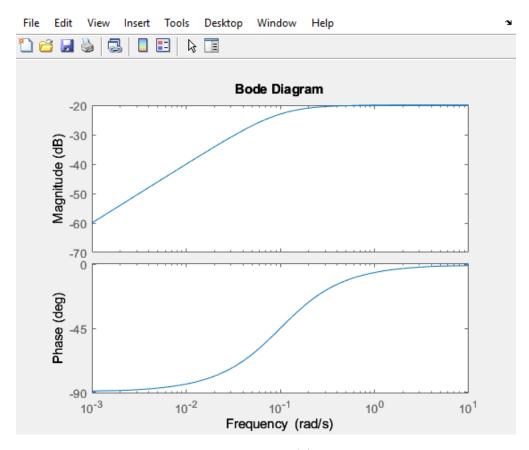
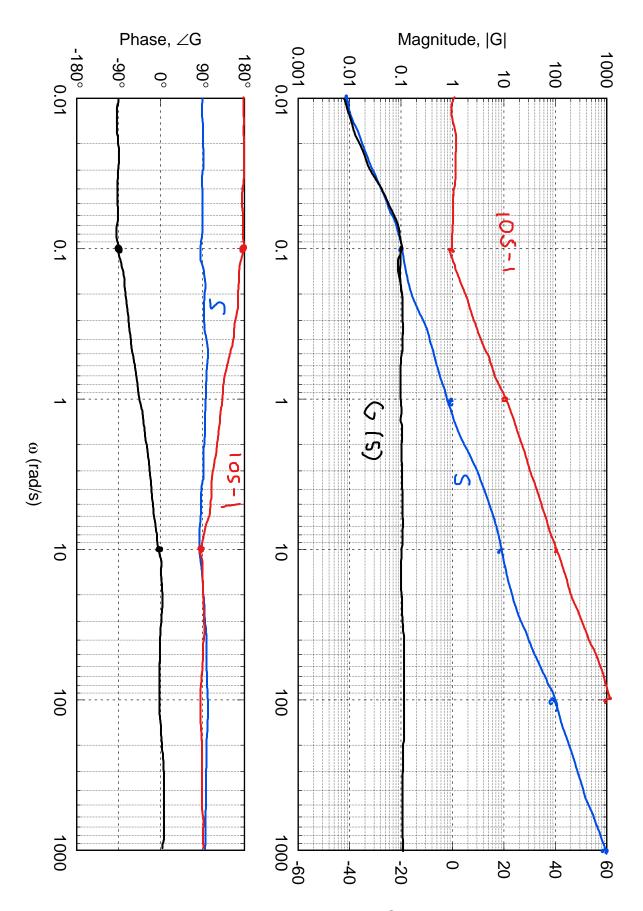


Figure 1: Bode plot of G(s) using Matlab



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Question 2

Consider the following closed-loop system, copied from the previous assignment, which was shown to be closed-loop stable:

$$L(s) = \frac{10(s+1)}{s^2 - 4}$$

$$= \frac{10(s+1)}{(s-2)(s+2)}$$

$$= \frac{10(s+1)}{4(\frac{1}{2}s-1)(\frac{1}{2}s+1)}$$

$$= \frac{2.5(s+1)}{(0.5s-1)(0.5s+1)}$$

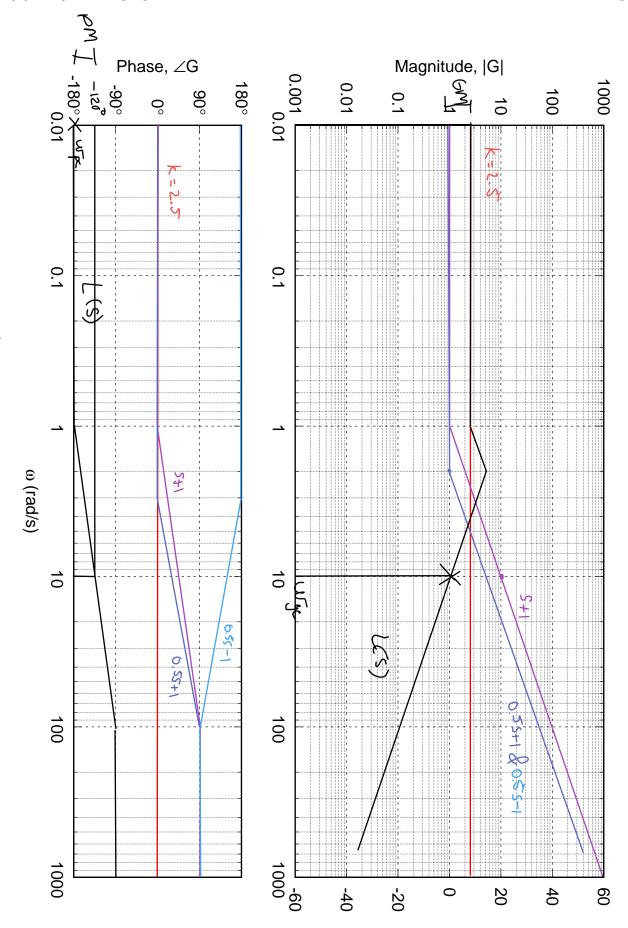
(a)

By hand, sketch the Bode diagram of L(s) using the .pdf template on eClass There are 4 factors

- A gain of 2.5
- $s+1, \tau=1, 1/\tau=1$
- 0.5s 1, $\tau = 0.5$, $1/\tau = 2$
- 0.5s + 1, $\tau = 0.5$, $1/\tau = 2$

(b)

Label the locations of the gain crossover frequency ω_{gc} , the phase crossover frequency ω_{pc} , and use your sketch to read off the (approximate) GM and PM values for this design



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- $\omega_{\rm gc} \approx 10$
- $\omega_{\rm pc} = 0$
- Gm = 1/2.5 = 0.4
- $Pm \approx 60^{\circ}$

(c)

Use MATLAB's margin command to validate your results from (a) and (b). Include a printout of the resulting plot By Matlab,

```
syms s
L = 2.5*(s+1)/((0.5*s-1)*(0.5*s+1));
[n, d] = numden(L);
n = sym2poly(n);
d = sym2poly(d);
margin(tf(n, d));
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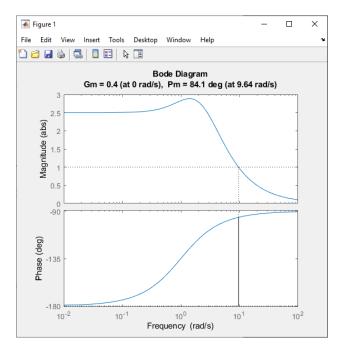


Figure 2: Margin plot of L(s) using Matlab

From the plot,

- $\omega_{\rm gc} = 9.64$
- $\omega_{\rm pc} = 0$
- Gm = 0.4
- $Pm = 84.1^{\circ}$

(d)

Using the values identified in (c), calculate the delay margin t_d^{max} for this closed-loop system

$$t_d^{\text{max}} = \frac{\text{PM}}{\omega_{\text{gc}}} = \frac{84.1 \times \frac{\pi}{180}}{9.64} = 0.152 \text{ s}$$

(e)

Calculate the Nyquist Margin NM of this design (give the MATLAB commands you used) By Matlab,

```
syms s
L = 2.5*(s+1)/((0.5*s-1)*(0.5*s+1));
[n, d] = numden(L);
n = sym2poly(n);
d = sym2poly(d);
bodemag(tf(n, d));
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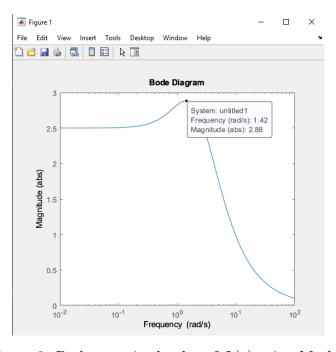


Figure 3: Bode magnitude plot of L(s) using Matlab

On the plot, the peak is 2.88. Therefore, NM = 1/2.88 = 0.347