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Specifications for feedback system

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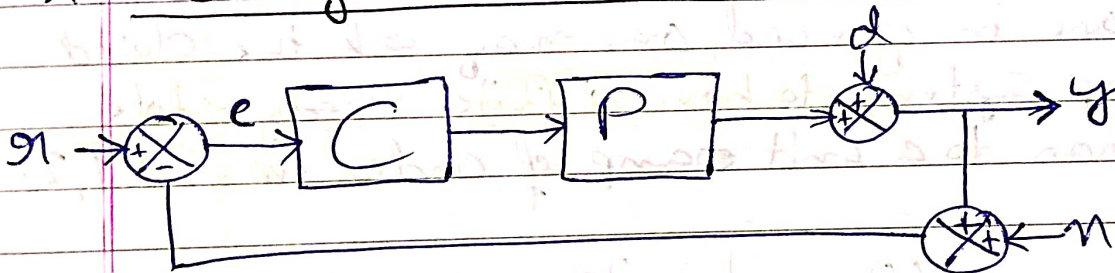
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⇒ Specifications on the closed-loop behavior are typically given using two main paradigms, plus one that can be seen both ways:

- Steady state error
- Time-domain specification
- Frequency-domain specification

★ Steady-state error to step inputs



⇒ Let $L(s) = P(s)C(s)$

$$S(s) = \frac{1}{1+L(s)} \left\{ \frac{E(s)}{R(s)} \right\}$$

⇒ If the input is a unit step $r(t) = 1 = e^{0t} \forall t \geq 0$

↳ The steady state output will be

$$e_{ss}(t) = S(0)e^{0t} = \frac{1}{1+L(0)} \quad \forall t \geq 0$$

⇒ So if $\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} L(s) = K_{\text{ode}} = K_{\text{oc}}$ is finite then the steady-state error to a unit step is $\frac{1}{1+K_{\text{oc}}}$.

⇒ If the limit is infinite (i.e. there is a pole at $s=0$, $L(s)$ contains an integrator), the steady-state error is zero.

★ Steady-state error to higher-order ramps

⇒ More in general, one may ask the closed loop system to have a finite steady-state error to a unit ramp of order $m = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$

$$r(t) = \frac{1}{m!} t^m \quad t \geq 0$$

⇒ The steady-state error can be computed as:

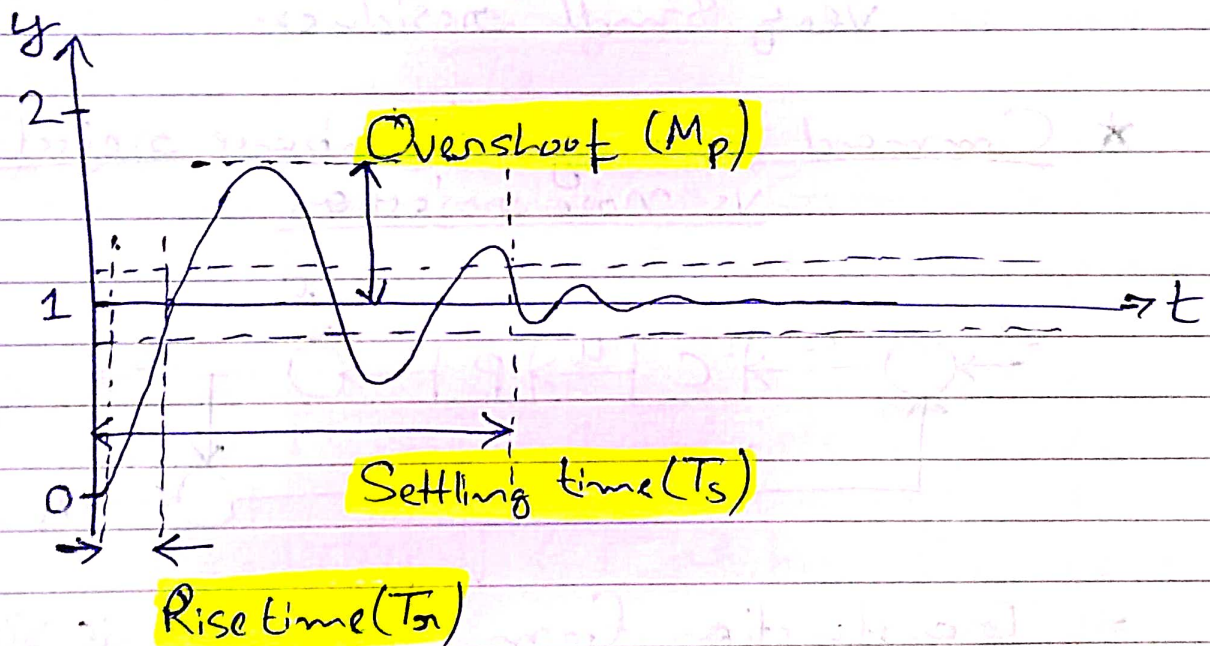
$$e_{ss}(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{1+L(s)} \frac{e^{st}}{s^m} \right)$$

★ System type

⇒ System type indicates number of integrator in $L(s)$. Type 0 \Rightarrow 0 integrator, Type 1 \Rightarrow 1 integrator etc...

e_{ss}	$m=0$	$m=1$	$m=2$
Type 0	$\frac{1}{1+K_{Bode}}$	∞	∞
Type 1	0	$\frac{1}{K_{Bode}}$	∞
Type 2	0	0	$\frac{1}{K_{Bode}}$

★ Time domain: Step response of a 2nd order system



⇒ Time domain specifications are usually given in terms of the step response of a 2nd order system.

$$G(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$

$$g(t) = (1 - e^{-\sigma t}) \cos(\omega_d t)$$

⇒ Poles are at $s = -\sigma \pm j\omega$

$$\omega_n^2 = \sigma^2 + \omega^2$$

$$\zeta = \sigma/\omega$$

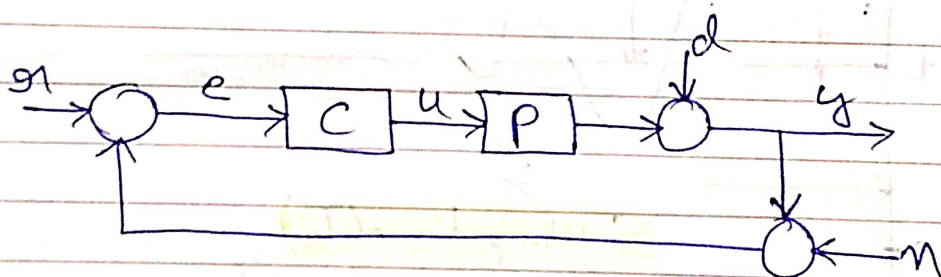
* Dominant pole approximation

⇒ The approximation is based on the concept of dominant poles.

→ Dominant poles are typically those with large real part

→ Exceptions are made when the poles with the largest real part also have very small residues.

* Command tracking / disturbance rejection vs noise rejection



⇒ Transfer function from $d \rightarrow e$ is $S(s) = \frac{1}{1+L(s)}$

⇒ Transfer function from $n \rightarrow y$ is $T(s) = \frac{L(s)}{1+L(s)}$

⇒ To reject disturbance, we need $S(s)$ to be small.

⇒ If we do not want the effect of noise to

be observed at the output, then we need $T(s)$ to be small.

⇒ But $T(s) + S(s) = 1$

* Frequency-domain specification

⇒ Typically command and disturbance act at "low" frequency. eg. no more than 10 Hz.

⇒ Noise is typically a high frequency phenomenon e.g. more than 100 Hz.

⇒ So we can reconcile both Command tracking / disturbance rejection and noise rejection by separating them frequency-wise!

→ Make $|S(j\omega)| \ll 1$ at low frequencies

→ Make $|T(j\omega)| \ll 1$ at high frequencies.

* Frequency-domain specifications on the Bode plot

⇒ For good command tracking / disturbance rejection, we want $|S(j\omega)| = |1 + L(j\omega)|^{-1}$ to be small at low frequencies.

→ i.e. we want $|L(j\omega)|$ to be large at low frequency.

→ This can be seen as **Low frequency obstacle.**

⇒ For good noise rejection, we want $|T(j\omega)| = |L(j\omega)| / |1 + L(j\omega)|$ to be small at high frequencies.

→ If $|T(j\omega)|$ is small, then $|L(j\omega)|$ has to be small.

→ This can be seen as **high-frequency obstacle**.

★ Closed-loop bandwidth and (open loop) Crossover

⇒ The bandwidth of the closed-loop system is defined as the maximum frequency ω for which $|T(j\omega)| > 1/\sqrt{2}$.

→ The output can track the command to within a factor of ≈ 0.7 .

⇒ Let ω_c be the crossover frequency, such that $|L(j\omega_c)| = 1$.

→ If we assume that the phase margin is about 90° , then $L(j\omega_c) = -j$ and $T(j\omega_c) = 1/\sqrt{2}$.

⇒ In other words, the (open loop) cross over frequency is approximately equal to the bandwidth of the closed-loop system.

