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Section 4: STABILITY OF LINEAR DYNAMIC SYSTEMS

A dynamic process $G_p(s)$ is made of 2 sub-systems in series having the following transfer functions

$$G_{p1} = \frac{1}{n} \frac{\left(\frac{n-0.25}{n+0.25}\right)^n}{\frac{1}{n}s + \frac{1}{n\left(\frac{n-0.25}{n+0.25}\right)}}$$

$$G_{p2} = \frac{\left(\frac{n-0.25}{n+0.25}\right)^n}{s^2 + \left(\frac{n-0.25}{n+0.25}\right)s + \frac{1}{\left(\frac{n-0.25}{n+0.25}\right)}}$$

where $n = \text{PC No.}$

- I. Is $G_p(s)$ an **inverse response system**?
- II. How much is **type “g”**?
- III. How much is the **gain**?
- IV. How many and how much are the **time constants**?
- V. How many and how much are the **damping factors**?

Part A: Root locus

For the **dynamic system** $G_p(s)$:

- A.1. Plot the root locus by means of Matlab and SisoTool resources and attach it here
- A.2. Calculate the value of the **critical gain** K_c^*
- A.3. Discuss **in detail** the closed loop BIBO stability of the system when K_c is increased from zero

Part B: Frequency response

For the **dynamic system** $G_p(s)$ and a ***P controller*** with $K_c=1$:

- B.1. Plot the **asymptotic Bode Diagrams** by means of the ASBODE script, and attach them here
- B.2. Does one or more **resonance frequencies** exist? How much is the value?

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- B.3. Does a **crossover frequency** exist? How much is it?
- B.4. Does a **gain crossover frequency** exist? How much is it?
- B.5. Plot and attach here the **extended Nyquist diagram** *together with the unit circle and the Peak Response* by means of Matlab and SisoTool resources, then discuss it in details
- B.6. Check, on the base of the **Nyquist** stability criterion, if the above system is closed-loop stable
- B.7. Starting from the **transfer function** $G_p(s)$ (and a **\mathcal{P} controller** with $K_c=1$), propose a change such as the resulting new **dynamic system** $G_{pnew}(s)$ has the **extended Nyquist diagram** passing through the **critical point at -1** exactly
- B.8. Plot and attach here such a new **extended Nyquist diagram** *together with the unit circle and the Peak Response* demonstrating the crossing of the real axis at the **critical point -1** exactly

Part C: Dynamic responses in the time domain

For the **system** $G_p(s)$:

- C.1. plot the **open-loop** dynamic response to unit step, attach it here and give your comments

For the **system** $G_p(s)$ and a **\mathcal{P} controller** with $K_c=1$:

- C.2. plot the **closed-loop** dynamic response to a unit step in **set point**, attach it here and give your comments

For the **system** $G_{pnew}(s)$ and a **\mathcal{P} controller** with $K_c=1$:

- C.3. plot the **closed-loop** dynamic response to a unit step in **set point**, attach it here and give your comments

Part D:

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