

ECE-382: Homework 8

Due: March 9, 2007

1. Problems B-5-25, B-5-28, and B-5-30 in textbook.
2. Problem B-5-24 in textbook. Additionally, use the Routh's Test to find the exact number of closed-loop poles on the RHP (Right-Half-Plane, including the imaginary axis).
3. Find the number of RHP roots of the following characteristic polynomials
 - (a) $s^5 + s^3 + s^2 + 1 = 0$.
 - (b) $s^3 + 3s^2 + 2s + 6 = 0$.
4. (This is a past exam question. Additional *Hint*: When the input to a system $H(s)$ is a step function, the final value of the step response $s(t)$ is $s(+\infty) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s(\frac{1}{s}H(s)) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} H(s)$.)

This problem concerns four transfer functions $G_1(s)$, $G_2(s)$, $G_3(s)$ and $G_4(s)$.

Figure 4 shows the four pole-zero plots in some random order, labeled I, II, III and IV, and Figure 5 shows the four step responses, again in random order, labeled A, B, C and D. You are also given steady-state error parameters for the standard configuration discussed in class, which is reproduced in Figure 6. Match these parameters with the pole-zero plots and the step responses, completing the table below (each correct entry is worth five points):

Steady-state error info	Pole-zero plot	Step response
$K_p = 1$		
$K_v = 1$		
$C_0 = 0.4$		
$C_0 = 2/3$		

Hint: Do not attempt to calculate the transfer functions! You should be able to solve this problem by merely looking at the characteristics of the step response such as the frequency of oscillation, steady-state value etc.

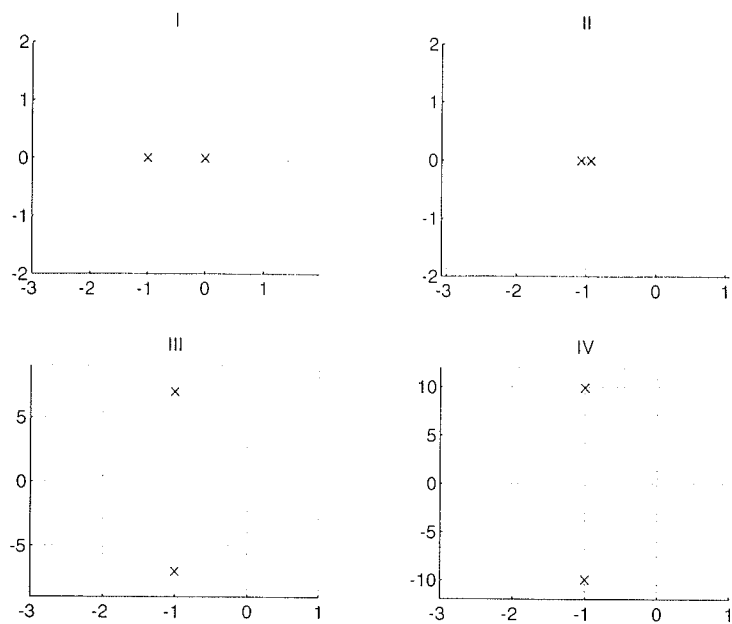


Figure 4: Pole-zero plots for Problem 4.

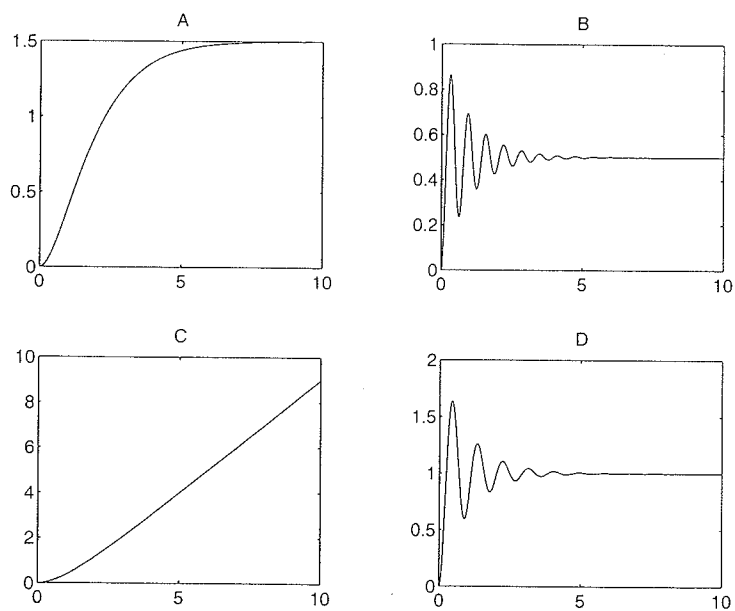


Figure 5: Step responses for Problem 4.

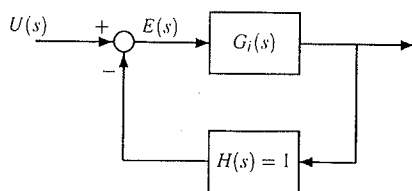


Figure 6: Standard steady-state error analysis configuration.