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Lecture 8: Frequency Response

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$e^{j\omega t}$: Review

- a vector in the complex plane with constant length one, making angle ωt with the positive real axis
- As time t increases the angle ωt increases, and so the vector rotates around the origin in the complex plane, in the counter-clockwise sense. It makes one complete rotation when $\omega t = 2\pi$ radians. If that occurs when t = T, then $\omega = 2\pi/T$, which has the units of radians per time.
- ω is called the angular frequency of the vector's rotation.
- If we measure frequency in units of rotations (or cycles) per second, and if we denote that number by ν , then $\nu = 1/T$ and $\omega = 2\pi\nu$.
- The only difference between $e^{j\omega t}$ and $e^{-j\omega t}$ is ωt , that is, e^{-jwt} rotates in the opposite direction.



Definition of Frequency Response

Linear System: Sinusoidal forcing → Sinusoidal Response



Defined by two quantities that depend on the frequency $\boldsymbol{\omega}$

 $\frac{\dot{A}}{A}$: Amplitude Ratio (``gain" for sinusoidal change)

φ: Phase Angle (``delay" in terms of radians)

Bode Plots

- Since Amplitude Ratio(A.R.) and Phase Angle (P.A.) depend on the frequency of ω , a continuous parameter, it is convenient to display as plots
 - ω vs. A.R. on a log-log scale
 - ω vs. P.A. on a log-linear scale

How to Compute Frequency Response?

Quickly from transfer function

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$$\frac{Y'(s)}{U'(s)} = G(s) \quad \stackrel{s=j\omega}{\longrightarrow} \quad G(j\omega) = \frac{\hat{A}}{A}e^{j\phi}$$

$$\frac{A}{A}(\omega) = \sqrt{\operatorname{Re}^{2}[G(j\omega)] + \operatorname{Im}^{2}[G(j\omega)]} = \operatorname{mod} [G(j\omega)]$$
$$\phi(\omega) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\operatorname{Im}[G(j\omega)]}{\operatorname{Re}[G(j\omega)]} \right) = \arg[G(j\omega)]$$



Example

$$\frac{Y'(s)}{U'(s)} = G(s) = \frac{K}{\tau s + 1}$$
$$G(j\omega) = \frac{K}{\tau(j\omega) + 1} = \frac{K}{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2} - j\frac{K\omega\tau}{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2}$$
$$\frac{\hat{A}}{A} = \frac{K}{\sqrt{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2}}$$
$$\phi = \tan^{-1}(-\omega\tau)$$

Notice AR and PA are functions of ω

Static (Pure Gain) System



1st Order System (Lag)

 $\frac{Y'(s)}{U'(s)} = \frac{K}{\tau s + 1}$ $\downarrow \quad s = j\omega$ $\frac{\hat{A}}{A} = \frac{K}{\sqrt{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2}}$ $\phi = \tan^{-1}(-\omega\tau)$

 $\omega=1/\tau :$ corner frequency



1st Order Lead

$$\frac{Y'(s)}{U'(s)} = K(\tau_a s + 1) \ \tau_a > 0$$

$$\downarrow \quad s = j\omega$$

$$\frac{\hat{A}}{A} = K\sqrt{1 + \omega^2 \tau_a^2}$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}(\omega \tau_a)$$

 $\omega = 1/\tau_a$: corner frequency



Pure Capacity (Integrating) System

 $\frac{Y'(s)}{U'(s)} = \frac{K}{s}$ $\downarrow \qquad s = j\omega$ $\frac{\hat{A}}{A} = \frac{K}{\omega}$ $\phi = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ ferentiator?

Pure differentiator? $G(s) = K \cdot s$



2^{nd} Order System

$$\frac{Y'(s)}{U'(s)} = \frac{K}{\tau^2 s^2 + 2\zeta \tau s + 1}$$

$$\downarrow \quad s = j\omega$$

$$\hat{A} = \frac{K}{\sqrt{(1 - \omega^2 \tau^2)^2 + (2\omega\tau\zeta)^2}}$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-\omega\tau\zeta}{1 - \omega^2 \tau^2}\right)$$

$$\phi^{-50}$$

 $\omega = 1/\tau$: corner frequency



Resonance peak for highly underdamped systems

Pure Delay System



Sketching Bode Plots: Complex Systems

Main Idea

For systems connected in series, the A.R.s multiply and the phase angle adds.(Why? Euler's identity!) This rule can be used to obtain frequency response formula and sketch bode plots very quickly.

$$G(s) = \frac{K(\alpha_1 s + 1)(\alpha_2 s + 1)}{(\tau_1 s + 1)(\tau_2 s + 1)(\tau_3 s + 1)}e^{-\theta s}$$

$$AR_{G}(\omega) = AR_{G1}(\omega) \times AR_{G2}(\omega) \times \cdots \times AR_{G6}(\omega)$$

$$\phi_{G}(\omega) = \phi_{G1}(\omega) + \phi_{G1}(\omega) + \cdots + \phi_{G6}(\omega)$$

Example

$$G(s) = \frac{-5(3s+1)}{(5s+1)(10s+1)}e^{-2s} = (-5) \times \frac{1}{5s+1} \times \frac{1}{10s+1} \times (3s+1) \times e^{-2s}$$

$$AR = 5 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{25\omega^2 + 1}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{100\omega^2 + 1}} \times \sqrt{9\omega^2 + 1} \times 1$$

$$\phi = -\pi + \tan^{-1}(-5\omega) + \tan^{-1}(-10\omega) + \tan^{-1}(3\omega) + (-2\omega)$$

What if

$$G(s) = \frac{5(3s+1)}{(5s+1)(10s+1)} e^{-2s} ?$$

Example

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(s+1)(5s+1)}$$





$$G(s) = \frac{K}{\tau s + 1} e^{-\theta s}$$



PID Controller

$$G(s) = K_c \left(1 + \frac{1}{\tau_I s} + \tau_D s \right)$$

- $\omega \to 0$: $G(s) \approx \frac{1}{\tau_I s}$.
- $\omega \to \infty$: $G(s) \approx \tau_D$.
- Corner frequency: $\frac{1}{\tau_{I}\omega} = \tau_D \omega \longrightarrow \omega = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\tau_I \tau_D}}$

Bode Plots using MATLAB

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% 1st Order System (Lag)
gs = tf([1], [1 1]);
[mag, phase, w] = bode(gs); % magnitudes and phase
subplot(2, 1, 1), loglog(w, squeeze(mag))
ylabel('AR/K')
subplot(2, 1, 2), semilogx(w, squeeze(phase))
ylabel('\phi'), xlabel('\omega \tau')
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