

Compensator Design via Discrete Equivalent and Direct Design

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Stability of Discrete Systems

• We need a technique to ascertain stability of the closed-loop system, i.e., whether roots of the CL characteristic polynomial p(z) all lie within the unit circle.

$$p(z) = \begin{cases} \text{denominator of} \quad T(z) = \frac{\tilde{G}(z)H(z)}{1 + \tilde{G}(z)H(z)} \\ |zI - \Phi + \Gamma K| \\ p(z) = a_0 z^n + a_1 z^{n-1} + \dots + a_n \quad (\text{generally } a_0 = 1) \end{cases}$$

• The technique must be simple and involve $\{a_i\}$ only.

Applicable to <u>any</u> polynomial in z.

- Continuous-time systems analysis has Routh-Hurwitz to determine whether a polynomial p(s) has its roots in LHP. $p(s) = a_0 s^n + a_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_n$
- A way to use Routh-Hurwitz test:
 - (1) Map unit circle into left half-plane by replacing z with some suitable function. ($z \rightarrow e^{sh}$ will not work here since resulting p(s) will not be a polynomial.)
 - (2) One possibility:

$$z = \frac{1 + wh/2}{1 - wh/2}$$

- (3) Substitute for z in p(z), multiply through by $(1 wh/2)^n$ to obtain $\tilde{p}(w) = n$ -th order polynomial in w.
- (4) Apply Routh-Hurwitz test to $\tilde{p}(w)$.

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$$\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Y} \quad \textbf{Party/Raible Test for } p(z) = a_{0}z^{n} + a_{1}z^{n-1} + \cdots + a_{n} \\ \textbf{St up Jury array.} \\ (n) \quad \begin{array}{c} 1: & a_{0} & a_{1} & a_{2} & \cdots & a_{n-1} & a_{n} \\ 2: & a_{n} & a_{n-1} & a_{n-2} & \cdots & a_{n-1} & a_{n} \\ 3: & a_{0}^{(n-1)} & a_{1}^{(n-1)} & a_{2}^{(n-1)} & \cdots & a_{n-1}^{(n-1)} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ (n-1) \quad \begin{array}{c} 1: & a_{0} & a_{1} & a_{2} & \cdots & a_{n-1} & a_{n} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1: & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ (n-1) \quad \begin{array}{c} 1: & a_{0} & a_{1} & a_{2} & \cdots & a_{n-1} & a_{n} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1: & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ (n-1) \quad \begin{array}{c} 1: & a_{0} & a_{1} & a_{2} & \cdots & a_{n-1} & a_{n} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & 1 & a_{2} & \cdots & a_{n} & a_{n-1} \\ (n-1) \quad \begin{array}{c} 1: & a_{0} & a_{1} & a_{2} & \cdots & a_{n-1} & a_{n} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{2} & \cdots & a_{n} \\ (n-1) \quad \begin{array}{c} 2: & a_{n} & a_{n-1} & a_{n-2} & a_{n-1} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & a_{n-1} & a_{n-1} & a_{n-1} \\ (n-1) \quad \begin{array}{c} 1: & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{2} & \cdots & a_{n} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & a_{0}^{(n-1)} & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} \\ (n-1) \quad \begin{array}{c} 1: & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} & a_{1} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & a_{n-1} & a_{n-1} & a_{n-1} & a_{n-1} \\ (n-1) \quad \begin{array}{c} 1: & a_{1} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & a_{0} & a_{1} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & a_{0} & a_{1} \\ 0: & 1 & 1 & a_{0} & a_{1} & a_{1$$

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Applications of Jury Test

- Test if first entry in each odd row > 0.
- If obtain any $a_0^{(k)} \le 0$, stop; p(z) has root(s) $|\lambda| \ge 1$.
- Simple computer program, need 2 scratch vectors.

Example 1 : $p(z) = z^2 - z + 0.5$



All $a_0^{(k)} > 0 \implies$ system is stable (all roots in unit \bigcirc).



Application to SVFB Example



- Closed-loop characteristic polynomial

$$p(z) = |zI - \overline{\Phi}| = \begin{vmatrix} z - 1 & -1 \\ 1 & z + 2 \end{vmatrix} = z^2 + z - 1$$

- Jury array

(2)
$$1 \quad 1 \quad -1 \quad r = -1$$

(1) 0 STOP

- CL system is unstable, but roots are <u>not</u> on unit circle. Roots of p(z) are $z_1 = 0.618$, $z_2 = -1.618$, so $a_0^{(k)} = 0$ does not necessarily imply roots on unit circle. (Note $|z_1 z_2| = 1$ here, corresponding to roots λ and $1/\lambda$.)
- If some $a_0^{(k)} = 0$, can replace $0 \rightarrow +\epsilon$ and continue further, e.g. as in Routh-Hurwitz test.

Stability with Respect to a Parameter

If system (or controller) has a free parameter, β , wish to determine range of values for which system is stable.

Example 1 -

The system G(s) = a/(s+a), a = 1, is to be controlled using series compensation with algorithm u(k) = Ke(k) + u(k-1) and time step h = 0.69 sec. For what range of K is CL system stable?

$$\tilde{G}(z) = \frac{1 - e^{-ah}}{z - e^{-ah}} \bigg|_{ah=0.69} = \frac{0.5}{z - 0.5}; \ u(z) = Ke(z) + z^{-1}u(z) \implies \frac{u(z)}{e(z)} = H(z) = \frac{K}{1 - z^{-1}} = \frac{Kz}{z - 1}$$

$$1 + \tilde{G}(z)H(z) = \frac{Kz/2}{(z-1/2)(z-1)} + 1$$

$$p(z) = (z-1/2)(z-1) + Kz/2 = z^{2} + [(K-3)/2]z + 1/2$$

$$(2) \quad 1 \quad (K-3)/2 \quad 1/2 \quad r = 1/2$$

$$(1) \quad 3/4 \quad (K-3)/4 \quad K = (K-3)/3$$

$$(0) \quad 3/4 - (K-3)^{2}/12$$

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• Reconcile with root locus:

$$1 + \frac{K}{2} \frac{z}{(z-1/2)(z-1)} = 1 + \tilde{G}(z)H(z)$$



Stability with Respect to Multiple Parameters

Can determine constraints that must be satisfied among a set of parameters.

Example 2 -

Jury array:

Determine region in the $a_1 - a_2$ plane for which $p(z)=z^2 + a_1z + a_2$ has its roots in the unit circle. Recall stability conditions a_2 for $p(s) = s^2 + a_1 s + a_2$ to have roots in LHP is $a_1, a_2 > 0$. 0 a_1



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A More Complicated, State – Space Example
The open-loop unstable continuous system defined by

$$\frac{\dot{x}}{(t)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \underline{x}(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u(t); \quad y(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \underline{x}(t)$$
is to be controlled using a digital computer with h = 0.05.
Investigate CL stability using the SVFB algorithm

$$u(k) = r(k) - 0.5 x_1(k) - 2 x_2(k) - x_3(k)$$

$$= r(k) - \underbrace{[0.5 & 2 & 1]}_{K} \underline{x}(k) \qquad (K_r = 1)$$
(1) Obtain equivalent discrete system $\underline{x}(k+1) = \Phi \underline{x}(k) + \Gamma u(k)$ using c2d,

$$\Phi = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0035 & 0.0453 & -0.0477 \\ 0.1430 & 0.9105 & 0.0429 \\ 0.0071 & 0.0930 & 0.9535 \end{bmatrix}; \quad \Gamma = \begin{bmatrix} 0.0512 \\ 0.0513 \\ 0.0025 \end{bmatrix}$$
(2) Form CL system matrix, $\overline{\Phi} = \Phi - \Gamma K$, then use ss2tf to obtain CL transfer function
 $r(z) = C(zI - \overline{\Phi})^{-1}\Gamma$. Need only to obtain $p(z) = |zI - \overline{\Phi}|$ for closed-loop stability test.
 $p(z) = z^3 - 2.737z^2 + 2.497z - 0.758$
(3) Apply Jury test $\rightarrow p(z)$ has all roots in $\overline{\Theta} ==> CL$ stable
(4) Phase margin can be evaluated by using ss2tf to obtain $K(zI - \Phi)^{-1} \Gamma$, then using Bode
 $(option 2)$ to plot $LG(z)_{I = e^{ignh}} = \sum 0$ Obtain $\omega_c \approx 2.8$ rad/sec, $\phi_m \approx 41^{\circ}$

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State-Space Example Plots



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Fundamentals of Digital Compensator Design

"Given a G(s), or $\tilde{G}(z)$, design a series compensator H(z) so that the closed-loop system meets specs."

Design Approaches

- H(z) design via discrete equivalent
 - Idea is to use continuous time design methods to construct H(s) given G(s), then obtain from H(s) a suitable discrete compensator $\tilde{H}(z)$.
 - Scheme might be expected to be useful provided,

 $\tilde{G}(z)|_{z=e^{j\omega h}} \approx G(j\omega) \implies h \sim \text{small}$

- Alternately, an analog H(s) compensator often exists and we desire to replace the "older" analog system with a digital, μ -processor controller.

<u>Problem</u>: Given H(s) how do we obtain an $\tilde{H}(z)$?

• Direct design of H(z) given $\tilde{G}(z)$.

Evaluation Tools:

- stability tests
- loop gain analysis
- root locus
- simulation

Goals:

- Simplicity Hold equivalence methods [viz G(s) $\rightarrow \tilde{G}(z)$], and impulse transformation methods [$Z\{L^{-1} \{H(s)\}\}$] are not simple.
- $\tilde{H}(z)$ = rational transfer function

 $\widetilde{H}(z) = A(z) / B(z)$ A(z), B(z) = polynomials [Thus the "obvious" inverse relation s = $\frac{1}{h} \log(z)$ is NG.]

• If H(s) = m-th order transfer function then $\widetilde{H}(z) = m$ -th order transfer function.

Typically, H(s) =
$$\frac{b_0 s^m + b_1 s^{m-1} + \dots + b_m}{s^m + a_1 s^{m-1} + \dots + a_m}$$
 $b_0 \neq 0$

i.e., H(s) will invariably contain a pure gain, (and state-variable model of H(s) will have $d \neq 0$). Require $\tilde{H}(z) = \frac{\beta_0 z^m + \beta_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \beta_m}{z^m + \alpha_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \alpha_m}$ $\beta_0 \neq 0$

Desire $\tilde{H}(z)|_{z=e^{j\omega h}} \approx H(j\omega)$ over the frequency range of interest/importance.

<u>Idea</u>: Replace s with some suitable rational F(z).

A given H(s) can be synthesized as an interconnection of integrators = 1/s elements (recall elementary signal flow diagram) => replace 1/s = continuous time integrator by F(z) = transfer function of a <u>discrete</u> integrator.



Relationship to True $s \rightarrow z$ Map

Each method corresponds to a different rational approximation of esh

(1) Forward integration: $z = e^{sh} \doteq 1 + sh$ gives $s = \frac{z-1}{h}$ (2) Backward integration: $z = \frac{1}{e^{-sh}} \doteq \frac{1}{1-sh}$ gives $s = \frac{z-1}{zh}$ (3) Tustin integration: $z = \frac{e^{sh/2}}{e^{-sh/2}} \doteq \frac{1+sh/2}{1-sh/2}$ gives $s = \frac{2}{h}\frac{z-1}{z+1}$

Note:

• The above replacements maintain transfer function order

$$if H(s) = \frac{b_0 s^m + b_1 s^{m-1} + \dots + b_m}{s^m + a_1 s^{m-1} + \dots + a_m} \quad \rightarrow \quad \tilde{H}(z) = \frac{b_0 (z-1)^m + \dots}{(z-1)^m + \dots}$$

• Forward integration \checkmark Euler method to predict g(k)g(k) - g(k-1) $\Rightarrow g(k) - g(k-1)$

$$\frac{\widetilde{(k)-g(k-1)}}{h} \Rightarrow g(k) = g(k-1) + he(k-1)$$

• Even if $H(s) = \frac{r \cdot th \text{ order}}{m \cdot th \text{ order}}$, $\tilde{H}(z) = \frac{m \cdot th \text{ order}}{m \cdot th \text{ order}}$ for (2) and (3)

[OK since H(s) is almost always m-th order/m-th order].

• Tustin ~ 1st order Pade approximation to z^{-1}



Computing $\tilde{H}(z)$ via Tustin Equivalent

Since any H(s) can be decomposed (via PF expansion) into either a cascade or a sum of first and second-order terms, equivalence can be done on a term-by-term basis.

(1) Simple Lag, H(s) = K
$$\frac{1}{\tau s + 1}$$
 (or $K \frac{a_1}{s + a_1}$ with $a_1 = \tau^{-1}$)
 $\tilde{H}(z) = K \left[\frac{1}{\frac{2\tau}{h} \left(\frac{z - 1}{z + 1} \right) + 1} \right] = \frac{Kh/2\tau}{\underbrace{\frac{1 + h/2\tau}{1 + h/2\tau}}_{\tilde{K}}} \left[\frac{z + 1}{z - \underbrace{\frac{1 - h/2\tau}{1 + h/2\tau}}_{\alpha_1 \sim e^{-h/\tau}} \right]$

General First-order factor (2)

$$\begin{split} H(s) &= K \frac{b_0 s + b_1}{s + a_1} \quad \rightarrow \quad \tilde{H}(z) = \tilde{K} \frac{z - \beta_1}{z - \alpha_1} \\ &\qquad \qquad \frac{b_1}{b_0} < a_1 \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \text{lead}; \qquad \qquad \frac{b_1}{b_0} > a_1 \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \text{lag} \\ \beta_1 &= \frac{b_0 - b_1 h/2}{b_0 + b_1 h/2}, \quad \alpha_1 &= \frac{1 - a_1 h/2}{1 + a_1 h/2}, \quad \tilde{K} = K \frac{b_0 + b_1 h/2}{1 + a_1 h/2} \end{split}$$

Computing H(z) via Tustin Equivalent (Cont'd)

(3) General Second-order factor

$$\begin{split} H(s) &= K \frac{b_0 s^2 + b_1 s + b_2}{s^2 + a_1 s + a_2} \quad \rightarrow \quad \tilde{H}(z) = \tilde{K} \frac{z^2 - \beta_1 z + \beta_2}{z^2 - \alpha_1 z + \alpha_2} \\ \alpha_2 &= \frac{1 - a_1 h/2 + a_2 h^2/4}{1 + a_1 h/2 + a_2 h^2/4}, \qquad \alpha_1 &= \frac{2 - a_2 h^2/2}{1 + a_1 h/2 + a_2 h^2/4} \\ \beta_2 &= \frac{b_0 - b_1 h/2 + b_2 h^2/4}{b_0 + b_1 h/2 + b_2 h^2/4}, \qquad \beta_1 &= \frac{2b_0 - b_2 h^2/2}{b_0 + b_1 h/2 + b_2 h^2/4} \\ \tilde{K} &= K \frac{b_0 + b_1 h/2 + b_2 h^2/4}{1 + a_1 h/2 + a_2 h^2/4} \end{split}$$

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(5) Form final:

$$\tilde{H}(z) = K \frac{\beta_0 z^m + \beta_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \beta_m}{z^m + \alpha_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \alpha_m}$$

where $\beta_i = \overline{b}_i + d\overline{a}_i; i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m$ $\alpha_i = \overline{a}_i; i = 1, 2, \dots, m$

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General Algorithm for Backward Integration

$$H(s) = K \frac{b_0 s^m + b_1 s^{m-1} + \dots + b_m}{s^m + a_1 s^{m-1} + \dots + a_m} = \frac{u(s)}{e(s)}$$

(1) Write a state variable model for H(s) in SOF with K = 1.

$$\dot{\underline{x}}(t) = A \, \underline{x}(t) + Be(t) ; \quad u(t) = C \, \underline{x}(t) + de(t)$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ -a_2 & 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & \ddots & 1 \\ -a_m & 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{bmatrix} ; \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{b}_1 \\ \tilde{b}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \tilde{b}_m \end{bmatrix} ; \quad \tilde{b}_i = b_i - a_i b_0 ; \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{bmatrix} ; \quad d = b_0$$
(2) Take $L = >s\underline{x}(s) = A\underline{x}(s) + Be(s)$ and replace $s \to \frac{1}{h} \left(\frac{z-1}{z} \right) . \quad \frac{1}{h} \left(\frac{z-1}{z} \right) \underline{x}(z) = A\underline{x}(z) + Be(z)$

(3) Solve above for $\underline{\mathbf{x}}(z)$ and form: $\mathbf{u}(z) = C\underline{\mathbf{x}}(z) + d\mathbf{e}(z)$ $\underbrace{\mathbf{u}(z) = \left\{ C(zI - \tilde{A})^{-1} \tilde{B}z + d \right\} \mathbf{e}(z); \quad \tilde{A} = (I - hA)^{-1}}_{\tilde{H}(z)} \mathbf{E}(z); \quad \tilde{B} = (I - hA)^{-1} \mathbf{B} h$

(4) Use Leverier algorithm to obtain coefficients \bar{a}_i , \bar{b}_i , of denominator and numerator of $C(zI - \tilde{A})^{-1}\tilde{B}$

(5) Form final:

$$\tilde{H}(z) = K \frac{\beta_0 z^m + \beta_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \beta_m}{z^m + \alpha_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \alpha_m} \qquad \text{where}$$

where $\beta_i = \overline{b}_{i+1} + d\overline{a}_i$ $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m-1$ $\beta_m = d\overline{a}_m; \quad \alpha_i = \overline{a}_i; i = 1, 2, \dots, m$

Bode Plot Comparisons









Other Techniques for $H(s) \rightarrow \widetilde{H}(z)$ Equivalence

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Pole-zero mapping

$$H(s) = K \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{m} (s - \delta_i)}{\prod_{i=1}^{m} (s - \lambda_i)} \longrightarrow \tilde{H}(z) = \tilde{K} \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{m} (z - \delta_i)}{\prod_{i=1}^{m} (z - \tilde{\lambda}_i)}$$

where

- 1. If H(s) has a pole at $s = \lambda_i$, then $\tilde{H}(z)$ has a pole at $z = \tilde{\lambda}_i = e^{\lambda_i h}$
- 2. If H(s) has a zero at $s = \delta_i$, then $\tilde{H}(z)$ has a zero at $z = \tilde{\delta}_i = e^{\delta_i h}$

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- 3. Pick \tilde{K} such that $H(s)|_{s=0} = \tilde{H}(z)|_{z=1}$. (use $s = \frac{2\pi}{1000h}$ if H(0) = 0)
- Zero-order hold

Write state model (SOF) for H(s), then $\tilde{H}(z) = C(zI - \Phi)^{-1}\Gamma + d$ (Has "effective" h/2 sec delay due to hold equivalence)

• Higher-order polynomial approximations to 1/s

Tustin ~ 1st order polynomial through e(k-1), e(k)

Simpson ~ 2nd order polynomial through e(k-2), e(k-1), e(k)

$$\frac{1}{s} \rightarrow \frac{h(z^2+4z+1)}{3(z^2-1)} \Rightarrow g(k) = g(k-2) + \frac{h}{3}[e(k)+4e(k-1)+e(k-2)]$$

Gives a better equivalence in $\tilde{H}(e^{j\omega h})$ vs. $H(j\omega)$ but order of $\tilde{H}(z)$ is <u>2m</u>.





- Consider use of prewarping if there is a frequency ω₁, or frequency region about ω₁, where it is important that H̃(e^{jωh}) ≈ H(jω); e.g., in vicinity of ω_{max} for lead network, or around crossover frequency ω_c.
- Pole-zero mapping is frequently used (very similar in results to Tustin), but does not permit frequency prewarping.
- $H(s) \rightarrow \tilde{H}(z)$ equivalent transformations are very frequently used in digital filtering and Digital filter design.





Discrete Equivalent Computations

• Select time step h = 1.0 sec.

Note: State model of system with $x_1 = v$, $x_2 = y$:

$$\dot{\underline{x}}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -0.1 & 0 \\ 1.0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \underline{x}(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u(t) ; \quad y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \underline{x}(t)$$
$$\|A\| = \sqrt{1.01/2} \doteq 0.7 ; \quad |\lambda_{\max}(A)| = 0.1$$

so h = 1.0 is compatible with criterion h $< \frac{0.5 \rightarrow 1.0}{\|A\|}$.

• Zero-order hold equivalent, $\tilde{G}(z)$

$$\tilde{G}(z) = 0.048 \frac{z + 0.967}{(z-1)(z-0.905)}$$

• Tustin equivalent

$$\widetilde{H}(z) = H(s)|_{s=2\left(\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right)} = 7\left(\frac{z-0.905}{z-0.333}\right) = 7\left(\frac{1-0.905z^{-1}}{1-0.333z^{-1}}\right) = \frac{u(z)}{e(z)}$$

- Algorithm

$$u(k) = 7e(k) - 6.335e(k-1) + 0.333u(k-1)$$

$$r(k) \xrightarrow{+} \underbrace{e(k)}_{\overline{H}(z)} \underbrace{\tilde{H}(z)}_{\overline{H}(z)} \underbrace{\tilde{G}(z)}_{\overline{G}(z)} \xrightarrow{+} y(k)$$

Examine CL step response, $LG_{ain}(z)$, etc., for <u>discrete</u> system.

- to a first (crude) approximation $\tilde{G}(e^{j\omega h}) \approx e^{-j\omega h/2}G(j\omega)$, i.e., sampling introduces a delay of h/2 sec.
- at ω_c get a <u>decrease</u> in ϕ_m of 57.3 ω_c h/2 deg. => 23° loss of phase margin here!
- $\phi_{\rm m}$ of discrete system ~ 51° 23° = 28° corresponds to $\zeta \sim 0.25$ (for a 2nd order continuous system).

Methods to Improve Discrete CL Performance

• Pick the time step, h, so as not to reduce the phase margin much:

 $\Delta \phi_{\rm m} = 57.3 \; (\omega_{\rm c} h/2) \; {\rm deg} < \; 5 - 10^{\rm o}$

Choosing h in this manner will generally be smaller than when you select $h \approx 0.2/||A||$, especially for a lead NW (but not necessarily a lag). But note that very small h may cause CPU timing and other problems.

• Use Tustin with prewarp

Not particularly useful here, but could be used to assure $\tilde{H}(z)$ gives little or no magnitude and/or phase distortion in the crossover region.

- Redesign H(s) to give additional positive phase
 - Precompensate for eventual phase decrease in $\tilde{G}(z)$.
 - For given h = 1.0, need a continuous system phase margin of ~ 70°! : an unreasonable H(s) design.
 - Good approach if $\Delta \phi_{\rm m} < 15^{\circ}$.
- Design H(z) directly in the z-plane
 - $\tilde{G}(z)$ is fundamentally different than G(s).
 - Avoids small time step constraints needed to make Tustin equivalent $\widetilde{H}(z)$ perform satisfactorily
 - Less guesswork to modify design.
 - May be possible to use $\widetilde{H}(z)$ as a starting point.
 - => Use Tustin if $\omega_c h$ is small, otherwise consider direct design of H(z).

Direct Design Compensation Methods

$$R(k) \xrightarrow{+} e(k) \xrightarrow{} H(z) \xrightarrow{} G(z) \xrightarrow{} y(k)$$

- These schemes work directly with $\tilde{G}(z)$ to design H(z) and so are not limited by the requirement that $h \sim small$.
 - Root locus design methods
 Compensator design in z-plane using standard root locus design procedures to move CL poles.
 - (ii) w-plane design methods

This is the equivalent to classical frequency (ω) domain design procedures where w is a rational approximation to (1/h)ln(z).

- (iii) Fixed-form parametric design Assumes a structural form for H(z), e.g., PID, and adjusts free parameters.
- (iv) Miscellaneous approaches
- Closed-loop transfer function

$$\Gamma(z) = \frac{\tilde{G}(z)H(z)}{1+\tilde{G}(z)H(z)} = \frac{y(z)}{r(z)}$$

(1) Zeros of T(z) are the zeros of $\tilde{G}(z)H(z)$ = zeros of $\tilde{G}(z)$ plus those added by H(z).

(2) Poles of T(z) are the roots of $1+\tilde{G}(z)H(z)$.

Root Locus Design of H(z)

$$\mathbf{H}(z) = \mathbf{K} \frac{(z-\delta_1)(z-\delta_2)\cdots(z-\delta_m)}{(z-\lambda_1)(z-\lambda_2)\cdots(z-\lambda_m)} = \mathbf{K} \mathbf{H}_0(z)$$

- Pick poles and zeros of H(z) so that roots locus of $1+K\tilde{G}(z)H_0(z)$ with respect to gain K passes through the region in z-plane where damping, ζ , and natural frequency, ω_n , are suitable.
 - Do plot on z-plane with ζ , ω_n overlay.
 - Pick δ_i , λ_i , real, generally with $|\lambda_i| \leq 1$.
 - Any added zeros δ_i must have an associated pole (no free zeros).
- Generally a first or second order H(z) suffices, e.g.,

$$H(z) = K \frac{z - \delta_1}{z - \lambda_1} = K H_0(z)$$
Remember

- if $\lambda_1 < \delta_1 \implies$ lead compensator
- if $\lambda_1 > \delta_1 \implies$ lag compensator
- Then pick K so that (dominant) closed-loop poles are at some desired location on the root locus and specs are met.

 $s = 0 \Longrightarrow z = 1$

$$\mathbf{X} = \frac{-1}{\tilde{\mathbf{G}}(\mathbf{z})\mathbf{H}_{0}(\mathbf{z})}\Big|_{\mathbf{z}=\mathbf{z}_{0}}$$

- Next evaluate time response, loop gain $K\tilde{G}(z)H_0(z)$ at $z = e^{j\omega h}$, etc.
- Adjust λ_i , δ_i (and K) until system meets specs.
 - => trial and error design

w – Plane Design

- Attempt to use Bode design techniques to obtain H(z) starting with $\tilde{G}(z)$.
- Cannot go into s-plane to design H(s) and then get H(z).
 - Map from $z \rightarrow s$ plane not rational
 - Need a rational approximation to $z = e^{sh}$
- Define "w plane" with w ~ s

$$z = \frac{1 + wh/2}{1 - wh/2}$$
 $w = \frac{2}{h} \left(\frac{z - 1}{z + 1}\right) = \mu + jv$

- On unit circle,
$$v = \frac{2}{h} \tan\left(\frac{\omega h}{2}\right) \approx \omega$$
 when $\omega h \ll 1$

• Rational mapping

$$- \tilde{G}(z) = \frac{b_0 z^n + b_1 z^{n-1} + \dots + b_n}{z^n + a_1 z^{n-1} + \dots + a_n} \longrightarrow \tilde{G}(w) = \frac{c_0 w^n + c_1 w^{n-1} + \dots + c_n}{w^n + d_1 w^{n-1} + \dots + d_n}$$

- $\widetilde{G}(w)$ will always be n-th order/n-th order
- Unit disk $|z| \le 1$ mapped into LHP Re(w) ≤ 0

$$\tilde{G}(w)\Big|_{w=j\nu} \approx G(z)\Big|_{z=e^{j\omega h}} \quad \text{if } \omega h \ll 1$$

- To first approximation ($\omega << \pi/h)$

$$\tilde{G}(w)\Big|_{w=jv} \doteq G(s)e^{-sh/2}\Big|_{s=j}$$

• Can include as an additional option in Bode plot subroutine

• w – plane design approximation is OK for $v \sim \omega < 1/h$

• Actual $\phi_m \approx 56^\circ$, $\omega_c \approx 0.73$ (system will tolerate a maximum loop delay $\tau_{max} = \phi_m / \omega_c = 1.34$ sec)

Root Locus vs. w – Plane Design Comparison

• Either approach, used correctly, will give a good design.

Root Locus Design

- RL plot more difficult to draw than Bode plot
- Hard to see where to place poles and zeros of H(z) to properly shape RL as desired.
- Seems to require more trial and error than does Bode approach.
- Need overlay of $\zeta \omega_n$ contours on RL plot.
- Difficult to make engineering approximations.
- If $h \sim small$, the RL tends to crowd into region around z = 1.

Bode/w-Plane Design

- Easier to work with and to modify than is RL.
- Requires $z \rightarrow w$ mapping on \tilde{G} , then reverse map on H.
- Still need to evaluate frequency plot of LG in z-domain, since $w \neq s$.
- No guarantee that a good w plane design will yield a good z plane design (unless v < 1/h).
- Gives no explicit knowledge of CL pole locations.

Digital PID Controller

• Discrete equivalent obtained from backward difference (other methods are also used), $s \rightarrow (z-1)/hz$:

$$u(z) = K \left[1 + \frac{hz}{T_1(z-1)} + \frac{T_2}{\left(h + \frac{T_2}{N}\right)} \cdot \frac{(z-1)}{\left(z - \frac{T_2}{Nh + T_2}\right)} \right] e(z)$$

• General parametric form

$$u(z) = K \left[1 + \frac{h}{T_{1d}} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} + \frac{T_{2d}}{h} \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{1 - \gamma z^{-1}} \right] e(z)$$

to be determined: K, T_{1d}, T_{2d}, and possibly γ , ($\gamma = T_{2d}$ /Nh), $T_{2d} = \frac{T_2 Nh}{T_2 + Nh}$

• Implementation – "Textbook" Sum up 3 parts separately:

then u(k) = K[UI(k) + UP(k) + UD(k)]

PID Algorithm Implementation

- Algorithm at step k e = r y
 - $UI = (h/T_{1d})e + UI$ UP = e $UD = (T_{2d}/h)[e e_{last}] + \gamma UD$ $e_{last} = e$ u = K(UI + UP + UD)
- Derivative on output
 - If r suddenly changes from time k–1 to time k, e.g., a step change, then e(k) e(k–1) may be large and UD will have a "spike" at step k: This is undesirable.
 - Modify UD computation to use only $\Delta y = y(k) y(k-1)$,

 $UD(k) = -(T_{2d}/h)[y(k) - y(k-1)] + \gamma UD(k-1)$

This is "derivative of output form". Since y(k) cannot change very much from step k–1 to k, UD will be OK.

- CL stability is unaffected (stability not a function of r).
- "Set-point on I" structure
 - Move P to act only on y also, UP = -y(k)
 - Only integral compensation uses error signal.
 - Popular structure in process control (keeps control signal very smooth).

A problem that arises when u is limited, e.g.,

 $B^{\scriptscriptstyle -} \, \le \, u(k) \, \le \, B^{\scriptscriptstyle +}$

(symmetric limits are most common, $B^- = -B^+$)

- Limits are imposed by the system under control, e.g., actuator constraints.
 - Match these limits in controller software:

 $\begin{array}{l} \text{if } (u\geq B^+) \text{ set } u=B^+, \ \text{flag}=+1\\ \text{if } (u\leq B^-) \text{ set } u=B^-, \ \text{flag}=-1\\ \text{else } \ \text{flag}=0 \end{array}$

- The control probably saturated because e(k) was large.
 - Because u is limited the error e will not be reduced to zero as fast (slower system).
 - This is <u>not</u> indicative of a steady-state e.
 - => Turn off/skip the integration of e(k) in UI if the last control value was at a limit

if (flag = 0) UI = UI + (h/T_{1d})e if (flag \neq 0) UI = UI

- Integral protection
 - Value of UI does not change if/when u is saturated.
- Include PID structure in Cntrl routine as an option during evaluation

Example (Aström and Wittenmark)

- Lack of integral protection will often result in large overshoots in system response.
 - Since long periods of + (or –) e will cause UI to build up large values. Then e reverses...
- <u>Ex</u>. A motor with transfer function G(s) = 1/s(s+1) is to be controlled using a digital PI controller*

$$\mathbf{u}(z) = \mathbf{K} \left[1 + \frac{\mathbf{h}}{\mathbf{T}_{1d}} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} \right] \mathbf{e}(z)$$

with K = 0.4, $T_{1d} = 5$ sec, h = 0.5 sec.

- Examine step response when $|u(k)| \le 0.2$, with and without integral windup protection.

Unified PID for Various Approximations

Parameters for different approximations e = r - y $UI = UI + \alpha_1 e + \alpha_2 e_{past}$ UP = e $UD = -\delta_d [y - y_{past}] + \gamma UD$ $e_{past} = e$ u = K(UI + UP + UD)

$$u(s) = K[1 + \frac{1}{T_1 s} + \frac{T_2 s}{1 + T_2 s / N}]e(s)$$

$$T_{1d} = T_1$$

$$T_{2d} = \frac{T_2 N h}{T_2 + N h}$$

Parameter`	Forward	Backward	Tustin	Ramp
α_1	0	h/T _{1d}	$h/2T_{1d}$	$h/2T_{1d}$
α_2	h/T_{1d}	0	$h/2T_{1d}$	$h/2T_{1d}$
γ	$\frac{1-Nh/T_2}{=2-Nh/T_{2d}}$	T _{2d} /Nh	$(2T_2-Nh)/(2T_2+Nh)=$ $(3T_{2d}-Nh)/(T_{2d}+Nh)$	$e^{-Nh/T}_{2} = e^{1-Nh/T}_{2d}$
δ_d	Ν	T _{2d} /h	2N/(1+Nh/T _{2d})	$\frac{T_{2}(1-e^{-Nh/T_{2}})/h}{(\frac{T_{2d}N}{Nh-T})(1-e^{(1-Nh/T_{2d})})}$

• Velocity algorithm (compute Δu)

 $\begin{array}{ll} e = r - y & \Delta UD = -\delta_d \left[y - 2y_{past} + y_{pastpast} \right] + \gamma \; \Delta UD \\ \Delta UI = \alpha_1 \; e + \alpha_2 \; e_{past} & e_{past} = e; \; y_{pastpast} = y_{past}; \; y_{past} = y \\ \Delta UP = e - e_{past} & \Delta \; u = K(\Delta \; UI + \Delta \; UP + \Delta \; UD) \end{array}$

IMC Design Approach - 1

- IMC design approaches for stable and possibly non-minimum phase systems
 - Step 1: Split $\tilde{G}(z) = z^{-k} \frac{b(z)}{a(z)} = z^{-k} \frac{b^{+s}(z)b^{-}(z)b^{nm+}(z)}{a(z)}$ as follows:

Here b^{+s} = Part of b(z) with zeros having positive real parts and inside unit circle

 b^{-} = Part of b(z) with zeros having negative real parts (inside <u>and</u> outside unit •)

 b^{nm+} = Part of b(z) with zeros having positive real parts <u>and</u> outside unit circle

• Step 2: (i) Replace part with zeros having negative real part with a DC gain (set z=1)

(ii) Replace non-minimum phase zeros with their reciprocals

(iii) Add filters of the form $F(z) = (\frac{1-\alpha}{1-\alpha z^{-1}})^k; k \ge 1$ so that $Q(z) = \tilde{G}^{-1}(z)F(z)$ is proper

• Step 3:
$$H(z) = Q(z)[1 - \tilde{G}(z)Q(z)]^{-1}$$

• Example

$$G(s) = \frac{-s+3}{s^2+5s+6}; h = 0.05 \sec \Rightarrow \tilde{G}(z) = \frac{-0.040678(z-1.163)}{(z-0.9048)(z-0.8607)} = \frac{-0.040678z^{-1}(1-1.163z^{-1})}{(1-0.9048z^{-1})(1-0.8607z^{-1})} = z^{-1}\frac{b(z)}{a(z)}$$

$$b^{+s} = -0.040678; b^{-} = 1; b^{nm+}(z) = (1-1.163z^{-1}) \Rightarrow replace by (1-1.163z) = z (z^{-1}-1.163)$$

$$So, Q(z) = \frac{a(z)}{b(z)}F(z) = \frac{(1-0.9048z^{-1})(1-0.8607z^{-1})}{-0.040678(z^{-1}-1.163)}F(z) = \frac{(z-0.9048)(z-0.8607)}{0.0473(z-0.8598)}\frac{1-\alpha}{z-\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{10.5708(z-0.9048)(z-0.8607)}{(z-0.8598)(z-0.5)}; \alpha = 0.5$$

$$H(z) = Q(z)[1-\tilde{G}(z)Q(z)]^{-1} = \frac{10.5708(z-0.9048)(z-0.8607)}{(z+0.07013)(z-1)}$$

Step response exhibits an undershoot as one would expect from a non-minimum phase system

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- Find p such that rows of F are independent.
- Get X(z) from odd coefficients of V
- Get Y(z) from even coefficients of V

Pole Placement Method: Shaping T(z) - 2
• Example
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$$(f_{s}) = \frac{-280.14}{s^3 + 100s^2 - 981s - 98100}$$
; poles at $31.321, -31.321, -100; h = 0.002$ sec
Want $t_s < 0.5$ sec for 2% error, $\% OS \le 5\%$ and steady state error ≤ 0.02
 $\Rightarrow K_p \ge 50 \Rightarrow T(1) = K_p / (K_p + 1) = 0.9804$
 $\Rightarrow \zeta \omega_p \ge 8$ and $\zeta = 0.69 \Rightarrow \omega_p = 11.6$ rad / sec \Rightarrow poles : $0.984 \pm j0.0165 \Rightarrow d(z) = 1-1.968z^{-1} + 0.9685z^{-2} = 0$
 $\cdot \tilde{G}(z) = \frac{-3.56x10^{-7}(z + 3.554)(z + 0.255)}{(z - 10.655)(z - 0.9393)(z - 0.8187)} = \frac{-3.56x10^{-7}z^{-1}(1 + 3.554z^{-1})(1 + 0.255z^{-1})}{(1 - 1.065z^{-1})(1 - 0.8187z^{-1})}$
 $\cdot a^{+s}(z) = (1 - 0.9393z^{-1})(1 - 0.8187z^{-1}); a^{-}(z) = 1; a^{am+}(z) = (1 - 1.065z^{-1})$
 $b^{+s}(z) = -3.56x10^{-7}; b^{-}(z) = (1 + 3.554z^{-1})(1 + 0.255z^{-1}); b^{ma+}(z) = 1$
 $\cdot Bezout (Aryabhatta, Diophantine) identity:$
 $(1 - 1.065z^{-1})d_1(z) \pm z^{-1}(1 + 3.554z^{-1})(1 + 0.255z^{-1})q_1(z) = 1 - 1.968z^{-1} + 0.9685z^{-2} = d(z)$
 $\cdot Solve for d_1(z)$ and $q_1(z) \Rightarrow d_1(z) = 1 - 0.9042z^{-1} + 0.001z^{-2}; q_1(z) = 0.0012$
 $= d_h(z) = b^{+s}(z)d_1(z) = -3.56x10^{-7}(1 - 0.9393z^{-1})(1 - 0.8187z^{-1})$
 $\cdot Select p_1(z) = 1 \Rightarrow p(z) = a^{+s}(z) \Rightarrow T(z) = \frac{K_b F^{-}(z)b^{me+}(z)z^{-1}}{d(z)} \Rightarrow K_c = \frac{0.9804d(1)}{b^{-}(1)b^{me+}(1)} = 8.577x10^{-5}$
 $\cdot Alternately, p(z) = q(z) \Rightarrow H(z) = \frac{q(z)}{d_h(z)} = \frac{-3.371x10^{5}(1 - 0.9393z^{-1})(1 - 0.8187z^{-1})}{(1 - 0.942z^{-1} + 0.001z^{-2})} \Rightarrow K_r = 0.0846$

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A Technique for Control of Systems with Time Delay, $\tau = Mh + \varepsilon$

 $\tilde{G}(z) \rightarrow z^{-M}\tilde{G}(z), M = integer$

(Will consider mods for "fractional" delay part $0 \le \epsilon < h$ later.)

Smith Predictor/Compensator

• Design H(z) using $\tilde{G}^m(z) =$ "model" of $\tilde{G}(z)$ (usually $\tilde{G}^m \equiv \tilde{G}$).

• Implementation:

r y_{e} y_{e} y_{e}

 $y_p(k)$ = "predicted" value of y(k) $y_p = z^{-M} \tilde{G}^m(z)u(z)$

- Nominally $y(k) - y_p(k)$ = prediction error should be small

- Control is based primarily on $\boldsymbol{r}-\boldsymbol{y}_m$

 $y_m(z) = \tilde{G}^m(z)u(z) \sim M - \text{step ahead prediction of } y$

$$u(z) = H(z)\{r(z) - [\underbrace{y_{m}(z) + (y(z) - y_{p}(z))}_{(z)}]\}$$

 $y_e \sim$ "effective" output

- Basic idea is to build a control that approximates

 $u(z) = H(z)z^{+M}[r(z) - y(z)]$ (need to know/estimate future r if it is changing).

Smith Compensator Application

- Model of system in feedback loop
 - Possible numerical problems if $\tilde{G}(z)$ is unstable
 - Initialize \tilde{G}^m to rest condition ($\equiv 0$)

Implement $z^{-M} = M$ – step delay line by an (M+1) – dimensional push – down stack.

$$v(k-M)$$
 · · · $v(k-1)$ $v(k)$ $v(k) = y_m(k)$

- Initialize stack with v(k j) = y(k) for all j at k = 0
- Motor-positioning example with $\tau = 1 \sec(h = 1 \sec(h = 1))$

$$H(z) = 10.5 \frac{z - 0.87}{z + 0.35}$$
 (from w-plane design)

- Recall $\phi_m \sim 56^\circ$, $\omega_c \sim 0.73 \Rightarrow \tau_{max} \sim 1.34$ sec, so expect poor performance with no delay compensation as ϕ_m would drop to ~ 14°.

 y_p = prediction of <u>current</u> y(k). Obtain via model discussed in Lecture 4.

Speed/timing for real-time Accuracy

Implementation of High-Order Digital Compensators

$H(z) = \frac{\beta_0 z^m + \beta_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \beta_m}{z^m + \alpha_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \alpha_m}$

- Direct form $u(k) = \beta_0 e(k) + \left[\beta_1 e(k-1) + \dots + \beta_m e(k-m) \right] - \left[\alpha_1 u(k-1) + \dots + \alpha_m u(k-m) \right]$
 - SE and SU for time k: computed at step k–1
 - Needs storage of last m e(i) and u(i)
 - Very poor numerical properties!
 - Small changes in α_i , β_i coefficients (especially α_m , β_m) can cause large changes in roots = poles and zeros of H(z).

SU

- Errors in e(k), u(k) "hang around" for m steps
- Decomposition Approach
 - Decompose H(z) into a sum of low-order subparts (e.g., as in PID) and then add up parts

$$H(z) = \beta_0 + \frac{\tilde{\beta}_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \tilde{\beta}_m}{z^m + \alpha_1 z^{m-1} + \dots + \alpha_m} ; \qquad \tilde{\beta}_i = \beta_i - \beta_0 \alpha_i$$

PF expansion (assume no repeated roots):

$$H(z) = \beta_0 + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^{N_f} \frac{A_i}{z + \kappa_i}}_{\sum_{i=1}^{N_s}} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^{N_s} \frac{A_{i1}z + A_{i2}}{z^2 + \kappa_{i1}z + \kappa_{i2}}}_{\sum_{i=1}^{N_s}}$$

 N_{f} First-order Factors N_{s} Second-order Factors

Implementation Structure of H(z)

$$H(z) = \beta_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{N_f} \frac{A_i z^{-1}}{1 + \kappa_i z^{-1}} + \sum_{i=1}^{N_s} \frac{(A_{i1} + A_{i2} z^{-1}) z^{-1}}{1 + \kappa_{i1} z^{-1} + \kappa_{i2} z^{-2}}$$

Note 1 –step delay in all first, second-order parts => can compute these at step k – 1 for use at time k.

Summary of Compensator Design Methods

- Indirect design $H(s) \rightarrow \tilde{H}(z)$ by discrete equivalent
 - Generally requires small h
 - Easy and straightforward
- Direct design methods
 - Root locus, w-plane, PID
 - Only have Nyquist restriction on h
 - => <u>Advantages</u>
 - Generally easy to design H(z)
 - A low-order design, easily realized, is found
 - Higher order dynamics in G(s) accommodated with little extra dffort
 - Universally used techniques, time-tested
 - => <u>Disadvantages</u>
 - Low-order compensator designs do not always work
 - Does not use all available information about system behavior (e.g., y instead of \underline{x})
 - Measures used are not 1:1 with time response (requires trial and error with CL simulation)
 - Limited by human insight
 - Extremely difficult for MIMO systems