

1. Consider a third-order filter given as $\ddot{y}(t) + 4\dot{y}(t) + ay(t) = 2\dot{u}(t) - u(t)$,

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where $u(t)$ and $y(t)$ are the input and output.

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(1) If the system has an eigenvalue -2 , then what is the impulse response?

(2) If $u(t) = \cos(3t)$, then what is $y(t)$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$?

Sol:

(1) Since the characteristic equation is $\lambda^3 + 4\lambda^2 + a\lambda + 10 = 0$, we have

$$(-2)^3 + 4(-2)^2 + a(-2) + 10 = 0 \Rightarrow a = 9$$

Then, the transfer function is $H(s) = \frac{2s - 1}{s^3 + 4s^2 + 9s + 10}$.

By partial fraction expansion, we obtain $H(s) = \frac{-1}{s + 2} + \frac{(s + 1) + 2 \cdot (0.5)}{(s + 1)^2 + 2^2}$

and thus the impulse response $h(t) = -e^{-2t} + e^{-t}(\cos 2t + 0.5 \sin 2t)$.

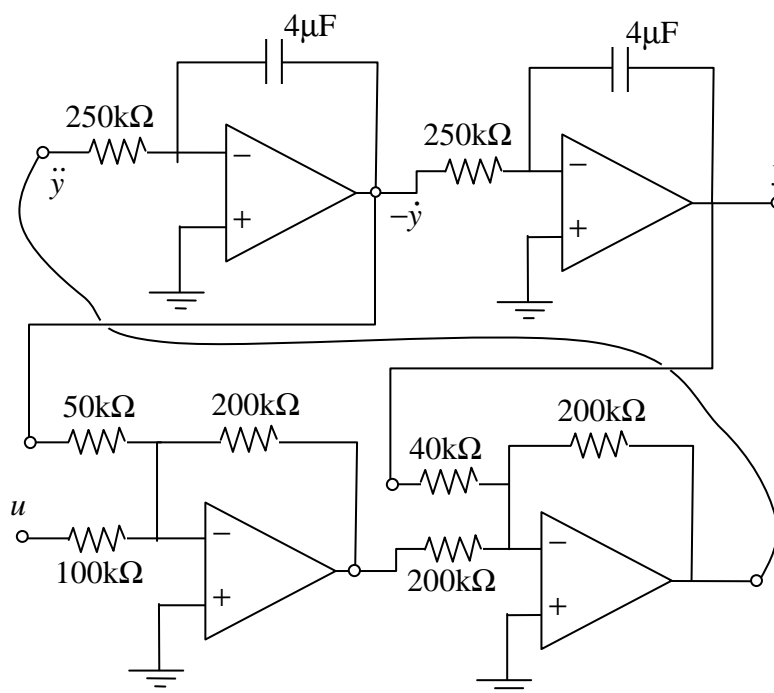
(2) Since $H(j3) = \frac{1 - j6}{26} = 0.234e^{-80.54^\circ}$, we have $y(t) = 0.234 \cos(3t - 80.54^\circ)$.

2. A filter in I/O description is designed as $\ddot{y}(t) + 4\dot{y}(t) + 5y(t) = 2u(t)$, where $u(t)$

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and $y(t)$ are the system input and output. Please realize it by the use of resistors R , capacitors C and ideal OpAmps. (Show the values of R and C in your answer.)

Sol:



3. A third-order system is expressed in state-space description as below:

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$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1(t) \\ \dot{x}_2(t) \\ \dot{x}_3(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -6 & -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \\ x_3(t) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot u(t)$$

$$y(t) = x_1(t) - x_2(t)$$

Transfer it into the I/O description as below:

$$\ddot{y}(t) + a_2 \dot{y}(t) + a_1 y(t) = b_2 \ddot{u}(t) + b_1 \dot{u}(t) + b_0 u(t).$$

Sol:

The state equation is $\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{b}u(t)$ and the output equation is $y(t) = \mathbf{c}\mathbf{x}(t)$, where

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -6 & -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{c} = [1 \quad -1 \quad 0]$$

The characteristic polynomial is $|\lambda \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}| = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & \lambda & 0 \\ 6 & 4 & \lambda + 3 \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 + 6\lambda + 4$

which implies $\mathbf{A}^3 + 3\mathbf{A}^2 + 6\mathbf{A} + 4\mathbf{I} = \mathbf{0}$. Therefore, we have

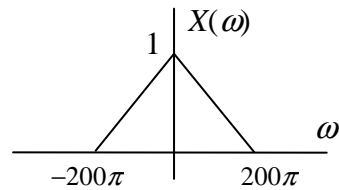
$$\begin{aligned} & \ddot{y}(t) + 3\dot{y}(t) + 6y(t) + 4y(t) \\ &= \mathbf{c}(\ddot{\mathbf{x}}(t) + 3\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) + 6\mathbf{x}(t) + 4\mathbf{x}(t)) \\ &= \mathbf{c}(\mathbf{A}^3 + 3\mathbf{A}^2 + 6\mathbf{A} + 4\mathbf{I})\mathbf{x}(t) \\ & \quad + \mathbf{c}\mathbf{b}\ddot{u}(t) + (\mathbf{c}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{b} + 3\mathbf{c}\mathbf{b})\dot{u}(t) + (\mathbf{c}\mathbf{A}^2\mathbf{b} + 3\mathbf{c}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{b} + 6\mathbf{c}\mathbf{b})u(t) \\ &= \mathbf{c}\mathbf{b}\ddot{u}(t) + (\mathbf{c}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{b} + 3\mathbf{c}\mathbf{b})\dot{u}(t) + (\mathbf{c}\mathbf{A}^2\mathbf{b} + 3\mathbf{c}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{b} + 6\mathbf{c}\mathbf{b})u(t) \\ &= \ddot{u}(t) + 3\dot{u}(t) - 4u(t) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\ddot{y}(t) + 3\dot{y}(t) + 6y(t) + 4y(t) = \ddot{u}(t) + 3\dot{u}(t) - 4u(t)$.

4. The frequency spectrum of $x(t)$ is shown on the right.

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Let $x_s(t) = x(t)\delta_T(t)$ where $\delta_T(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - kT)$.



- (1) What is the maximum sampling time to recover $x(t)$ from $x_s(t)$?
- (2) Draw the frequency spectrum of $x_s(t)$ for sampling time $T=0.004$ sec.

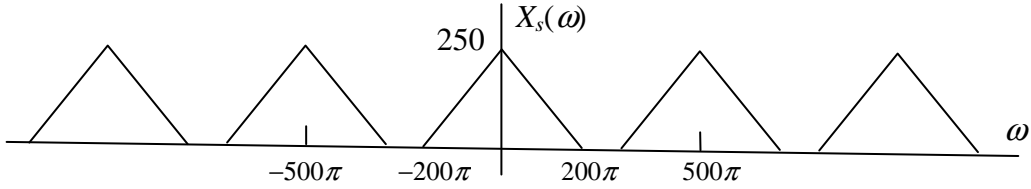
Sol:

(1) Since the Nyquist rate is 400π , the maximum sampling time is

$$T_m = \frac{2\pi}{400\pi} = 0.005 \text{ sec.}$$

(2) The sampling time $T=0.004$ sec leads to $\omega_s = \frac{2\pi}{0.004} = 500\pi$. The frequency

spectrum is then given as below:



5. A continuous system is described as $\dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{b}u(t)$ and it is known that

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$\mathbf{x}(t) = e^{\mathbf{A}t}\mathbf{x}(0) + \int_0^t e^{\mathbf{A}(t-\tau)}\mathbf{b}u(\tau)d\tau$. Let $u(t) = u(kT)$ for $kT \leq t < (k+1)T$, where T is

the sampling time. Please derive the discrete system $\mathbf{x}[k+1] = \mathbf{A}_T\mathbf{x}[k] + \mathbf{b}_T u[k]$,

where $\mathbf{x}[k] = \mathbf{x}(kT)$ and $u[k] = u(kT)$. What are \mathbf{A}_T and \mathbf{b}_T ?

Sol:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}((k+1)T) &= e^{(k+1)TA}\mathbf{x}(0) + \int_0^{(k+1)T} e^{\mathbf{A}((k+1)T-\tau)}\mathbf{b}u(\tau)d\tau \\ &= e^{TA}\left(e^{kTA}\mathbf{x}(0) + \int_0^{(k+1)T} e^{\mathbf{A}(kT-\tau)}\mathbf{b}u(\tau)d\tau\right) \\ &= e^{TA}\left(e^{kTA}\mathbf{x}(0) + \int_0^{kT} e^{\mathbf{A}(kT-\tau)}\mathbf{b}u(\tau)d\tau + \int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} e^{\mathbf{A}(kT-\tau)}\mathbf{b}u(\tau)d\tau\right) \\ &= e^{TA}\left(\mathbf{x}(kT) + \int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} e^{\mathbf{A}(kT-\tau)}\mathbf{b}u(kT)d\tau\right) \\ &= e^{TA}\mathbf{x}(kT) + \left(\int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} e^{\mathbf{A}((k+1)T-\tau)}\mathbf{b}d\tau\right)u(kT) \end{aligned}$$

Define $\mathbf{x}[k] = \mathbf{x}(kT)$ and $u[k] = u(kT)$, then $\mathbf{x}[k+1] = \mathbf{A}_T\mathbf{x}[k] + \mathbf{b}_T u[k]$

where $\mathbf{A}_T = e^{TA}$ and $\mathbf{b}_T = \int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} e^{\mathbf{A}((k+1)T-\tau)}\mathbf{b}d\tau$.

6. Assume z is in the region of convergence for the following z -transforms.

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(1) Determine $x[0]$, $x[1]$, $x[2]$ and $x[3]$ for $X(z) = \frac{z^3 + 0.5z^2}{z^4 + 0.9z^3 + 0.6z^2 - z + 1}$.

(2) Find $x[k]$, $k \geq 0$, for $X(z) = \frac{z}{(z-0.6)(z^2 - z + 1)}$.

Sol:

$$(1) X(z) = \frac{z^3 + 0.5z^2}{z^4 + 0.9z^3 + 0.6z^2 - z + 1} = \frac{z^{-1} + 0.5z^{-2}}{1 + 0.9z^{-1} + 0.6z^{-2} - z^{-3} + z^{-4}}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} z^{-1} + 0.5z^{-2} \\ 1 + 0.9z^{-1} + 0.6z^{-2} - z^{-3} + z^{-4} \overline{) z^{-1} + 0.5z^{-2}} \\ \underline{z^{-1} + 0.9z^{-2} + 0.60z^{-3} - 1.00z^{-4} + 1.0z^{-5}} \\ -0.4z^{-2} - 0.60z^{-3} + 1.00z^{-4} - 1.0z^{-5} \\ \underline{-0.4z^{-2} - 0.36z^{-3} - 0.24z^{-4} + 0.4z^{-5} - 0.4z^{-6}} \\ -0.24z^{-3} + \dots \end{array}$$

Hence, $x[0]=0, x[1]=1, x[2]=-0.4$ and $x[3]=-0.24$.

$$(2) X(z) = \frac{z}{(z-0.6)(z^2-z+1)} \Rightarrow \frac{X(z)}{z} = \frac{1}{(z-0.6)(z^2-z+1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{X(z)}{z} = \frac{1.316}{z-0.6} + \frac{-1.316(z-0.5) - 0.152 \times 0.866}{z^2-z+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow X(z) = \frac{1.316z}{z-0.6} + \frac{-1.316(z^2-0.5z) - 0.152 \times (0.866z)}{z^2-z+1}$$

Hence, $x[k] = 1.316 \times (0.6)^k - 1.316 \times \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}k\right) - 0.152 \times \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}k\right)$.

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7. Consider the discrete system: $y[k] + ay[k-1] + by[k-2] = 0.4u[k-2]$, where $y[k]=0$ for $k < 0$. If the roots of its characteristic equation are 0.7 and 0.9.

- (1) What is the transfer function? (2) If $u[k]=0.5$ for $k \geq 0$, what is $y[k]$?

Sol:

(1) Since $(\lambda - 0.7)(\lambda - 0.9) = \lambda^2 - 1.6\lambda + 0.63$, we have

$$H(z) = \frac{0.4}{(z-0.7)(z-0.9)} = \frac{0.4}{z^2 - 1.6z + 0.63}$$

(2) Since the z-transform of $u[k]=0.5$ is $U(z) = \frac{z}{z-1}$, we have

$$Y[z] = H(z)U(z) = \frac{0.4z}{(z-0.7)(z-0.9)(z-1)} \text{ and then}$$

$$\frac{Y[z]}{z} = \frac{0.4}{(z-0.7)(z-0.9)(z-1)} = \frac{6.67}{z-0.7} - \frac{20}{z-0.9} + \frac{13.33}{z-1}$$

Therefore, $y[k] = 6.67 \times (0.7)^k - 20 \times (0.9)^k + 13.33$.