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Problem Set #7

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1. Åström and Murray, Exercise 11.12
2. Åström and Murray, Exercise 11.17
3. [DFT 4.4, page 63] Suppose that

$$P(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s(s + 2\zeta\omega_n)} \quad C(s) = 1$$

with $\omega_n, \zeta > 0$. Plot the phase margin as a function of ζ .

4. [DFT 4.8, page 64] Assume that the nominal plant transfer function is a double integrator,

$$P(s) = \frac{1}{s^2}.$$

The performance requirement is that the plant output should track reference inputs over the frequency range $[0, 1]$. Approximate this requirement by choosing a performance weight W_1 whose magnitude is roughly constant over this frequency range and then rolls off at higher frequencies. Take the weight W_2 to be

$$W_2(s) = \frac{0.21s}{0.1s + 1}.$$

- (a) Design a proper C to achieve internal stability for the nominal plant.
 - (b) Check the robust stability condition $\|W_2T\|_\infty < 1$. If this does not hold, redesign C until it does. It is not necessary to get a C that yields good performance.
 - (c) Compute the robust performance level α for your controller from (4.6).
5. [DFT 4.10, page 64] Suppose that the plant transfer function is

$$\tilde{P}(s) = [1 + \Delta(s)W_2(s)]P(s),$$

where

$$W_2(s) = \frac{2}{s + 10}, \quad P(s) = \frac{1}{s - 1},$$

and the stable perturbation Δ satisfies $\|\Delta\|_\infty \leq 2$. Suppose that the controller is the pure gain $C(s) = k$. We want the feedback system to be internally stable for all such perturbations. Determine over what range of k this is true.