



Robust Control Systems

Loop Shaping Control Design

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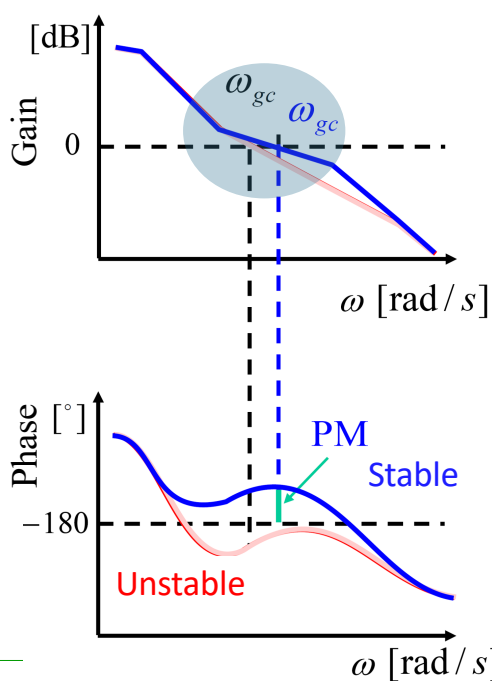
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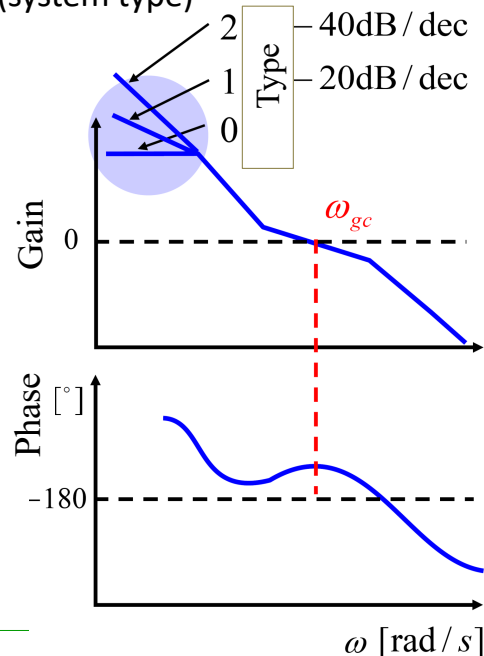
Key points for Loop Shaping

□ Improve Stability Margin



□ Improve low frequency behavior

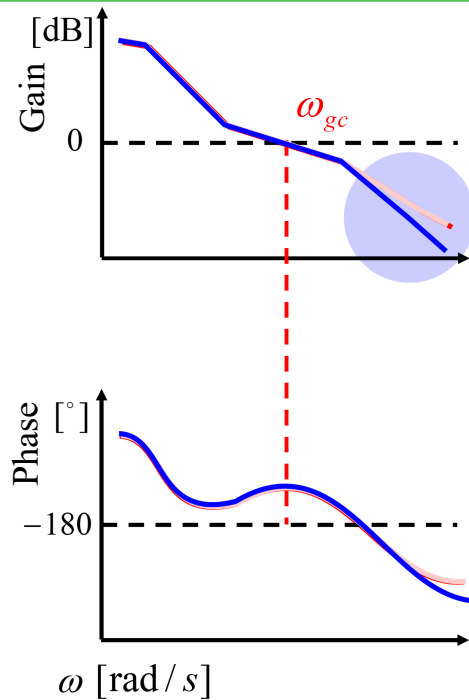
(system type)



Key points for Loop Shaping

□ Improve high frequency behavior

(Noise reduction)



Phase Lead-lag Compensator Design

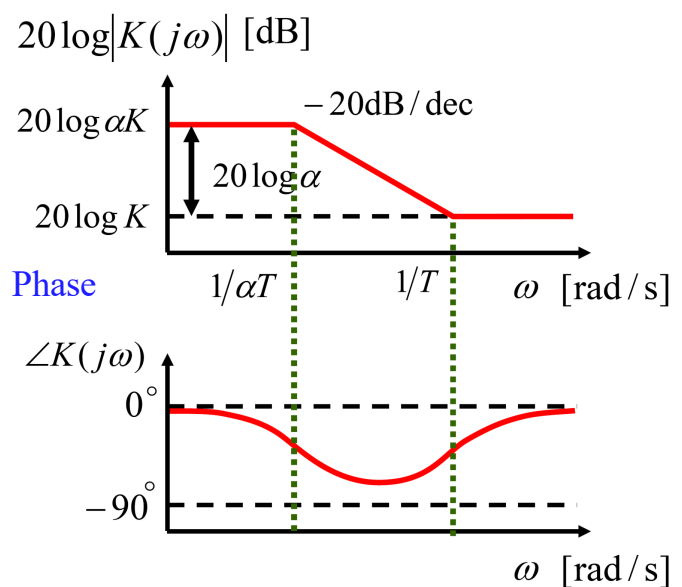
$$K(s) = K \frac{\alpha(Ts + 1)}{\alpha Ts + 1}$$

Improvement of steady-state characteristics

$$+ 20 \log \alpha [\text{dB}]$$

$$\left[K(0) = \alpha K, K(\infty) = K \right]$$

The corner frequency (T) must be adjusted, appropriately



Phase Lag Compensator Design

Comparison with PI

$$K(s) = K \frac{\alpha(Ts + 1)}{\alpha Ts + 1} \quad (\alpha > 1)$$

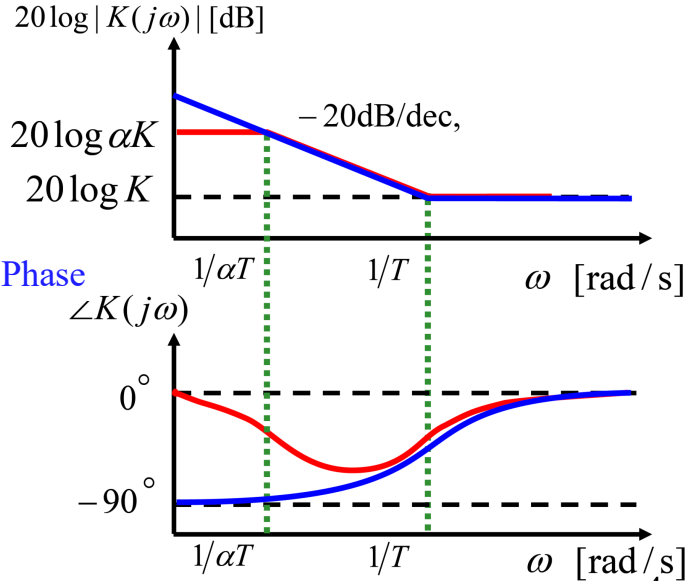
$$+ 20 \log \alpha \text{ [dB]} \\ \left[K(0) = \alpha K, K(\infty) = K \right]$$

↓ $\alpha \rightarrow \infty$

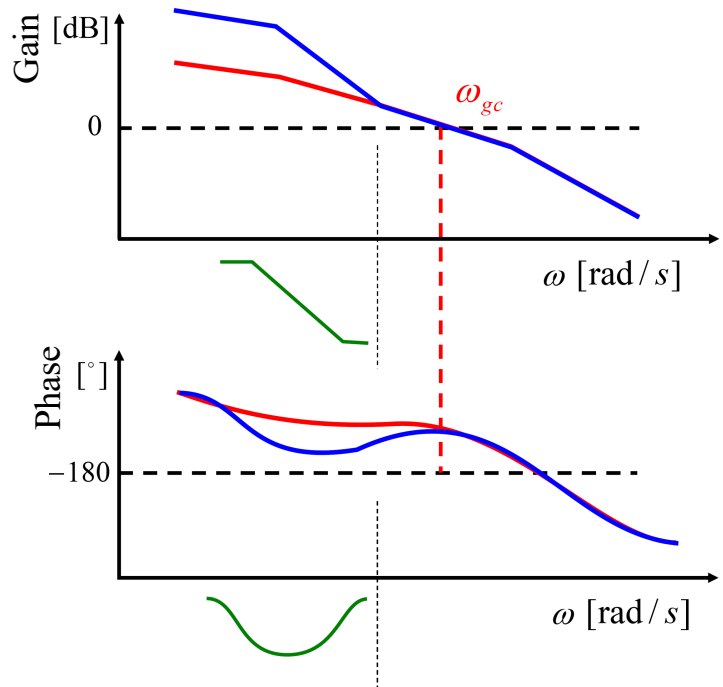
$$K(s) = K \left(1 + \frac{1}{Ts} \right)$$

$$K_{PI}(s) = K_P \left(1 + \frac{1}{T_I s} \right)$$

$$T_I = \frac{K_P}{K_I} \text{ (Integration time)} \quad \left[K(0) \approx \infty, K(\infty) = K_P \right]$$



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A Design Example

$$P(s) = \frac{10}{s(s+1)(s+10)}$$

Find Controller $K(s)$ to satisfy: $K_v \geq 10$
 $PM \geq 40^\circ$

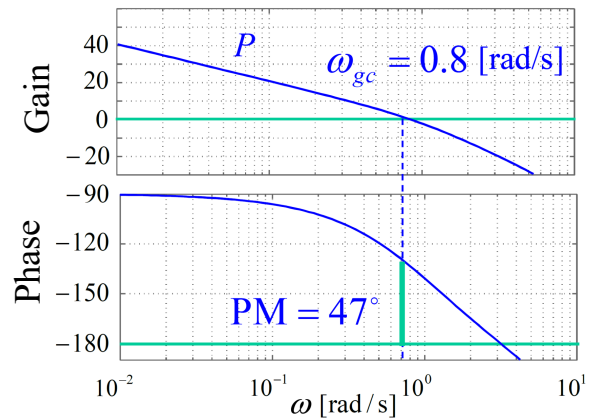
Step 1: Focusing on the PM and gain crossover frequency, the controller **gain K** must be determined so that the desired transient response characteristics can be obtained.

Gain crossover frequency: $\omega_{gc} \approx 0.8$

Phase margin: $PM = 47^\circ$

which meets $PM \geq 40^\circ$

➡ $K = 1$



A Design Example

Step 2: Draw bode diagram of open-loop transfer function resulted from Step 1 and evaluate its low frequency gain.

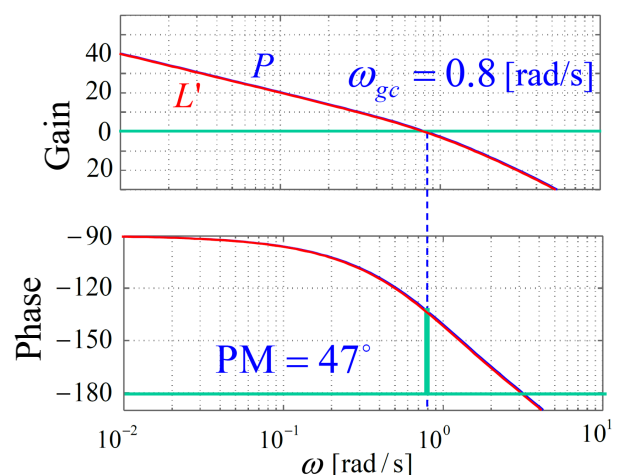
Open-loop transfer function:

$$L' = PK = \frac{10}{s(s+1)(s+10)} \quad (K=1)$$

Speed deviation constant:

$$K_v' = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sL'(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{10}{(s+1)(s+10)} = 1$$

The required low frequency gain is 10 times or more: $K_v \geq 10$



A Design Example

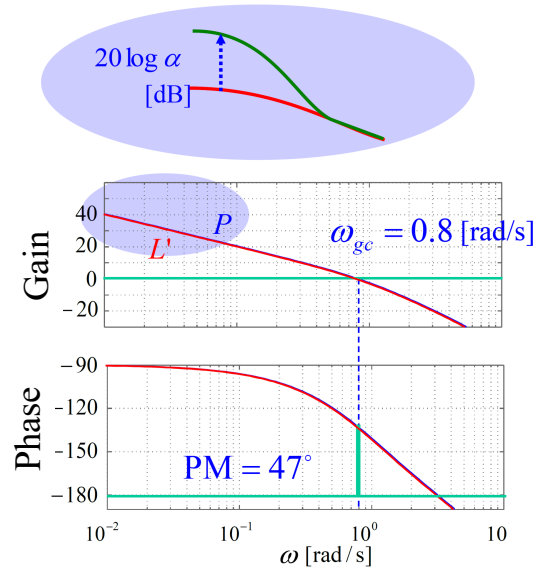
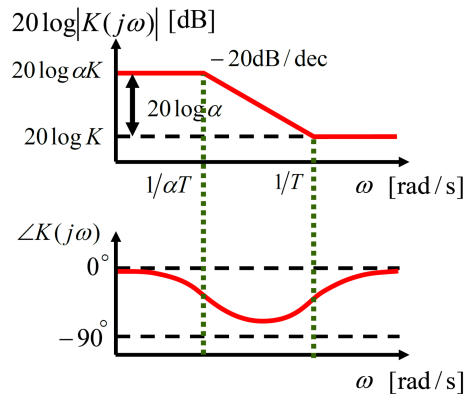
Step 3: Considering that the low-frequency gain increases by $+20\log\alpha$ [dB] the parameter α must be determined to satisfy the required steady-state characteristics.

The minimum required low frequency gain is :

$$K_v \geq 10$$



$$\alpha = 10$$

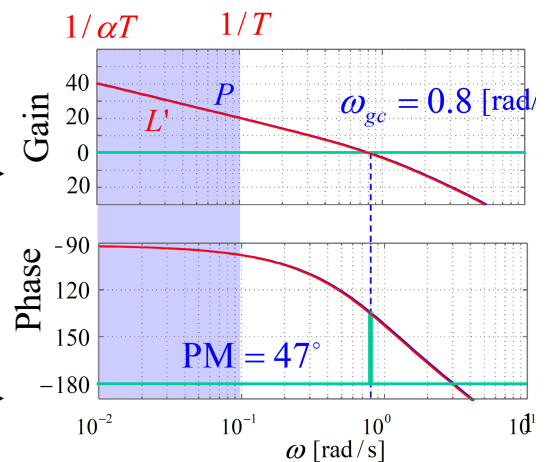
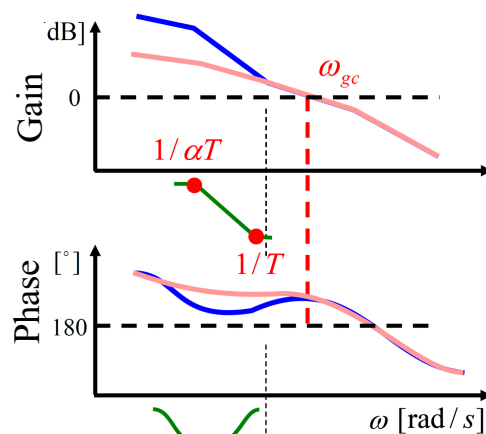


A Design Example

Step 4: To keep the stability against the phase delay, select the corner frequency $\omega = 1/T$ about 1 dec below the gain crossover frequency. Then determine second corner frequency $\omega = 1/(\alpha T)$.

$T = 10$ ($\omega = 0.1$): the corner frequency is sufficiently smaller than the gain crossover frequency

$$\frac{1}{\alpha T} = 0.01, \quad \frac{1}{T} = 0.1$$



A Design Example

Step 5: Construct the compensator using the determined parameters (K, α, T).

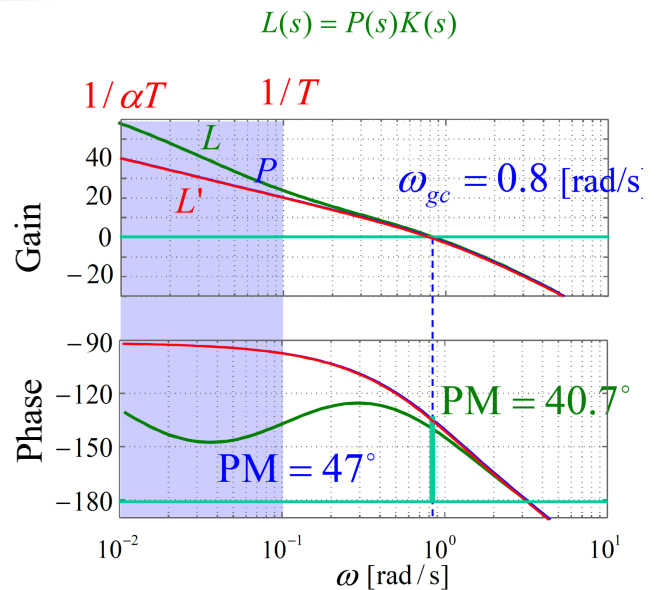
Phase lag compensator: $K(s) = K \frac{\alpha(Ts+1)}{\alpha Ts+1}$

$$K = 1, \quad \alpha = 10, \quad T = 10$$

$$K(s) = 1 \cdot \frac{10(10s+1)}{10 \cdot 10s+1} = \frac{s+0.1}{s+0.01}$$

Gain crossover frequency: $\omega_{gc} = 0.8$ rad/s

Phase margin: $PM \geq 40^\circ$



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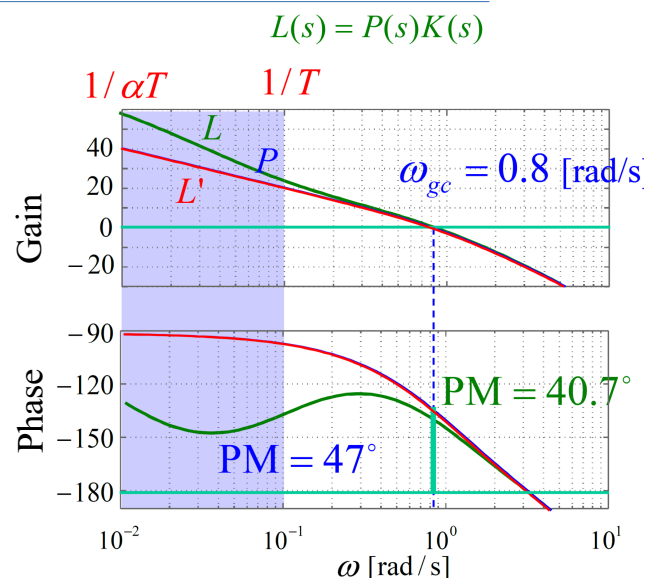
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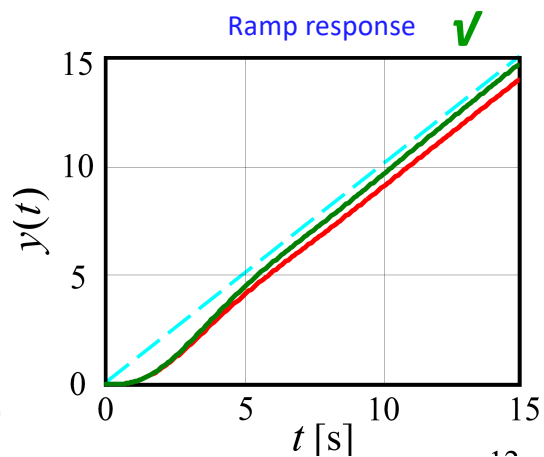
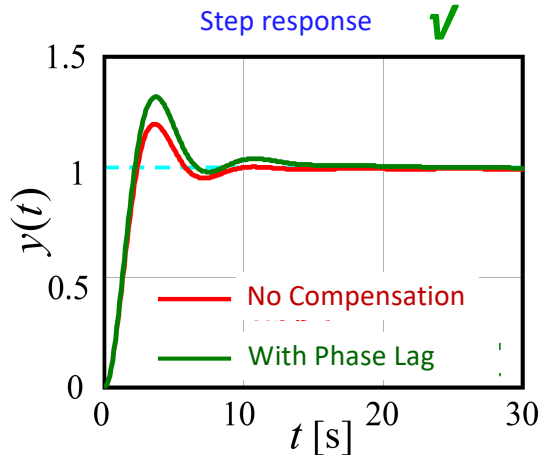
Evaluation

Speed deviation constant (steady characteristic): $K_v \geq 10$ ✓

Phase margin (damping characteristic): $PM \geq 40^\circ$ ✓

$$L(s) = P(s)K(s) = \frac{10(s+0.1)}{s(s+0.01)(s+1)(s+10)}$$

$$K_v = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sL(s) = \frac{1}{0.1} = 10 \quad \checkmark \quad PM \geq 40^\circ \quad \omega_{gc} \approx 0.8 \text{ [rad/s]} \quad \checkmark$$



Phase Lead Compensator Design

$$K(s) = K \frac{Ts+1}{\alpha Ts+1} \quad (\alpha < 1)$$

Stabilizing transient characteristics

Phase lead $\frac{1}{T} < \omega < \frac{1}{\alpha T}$

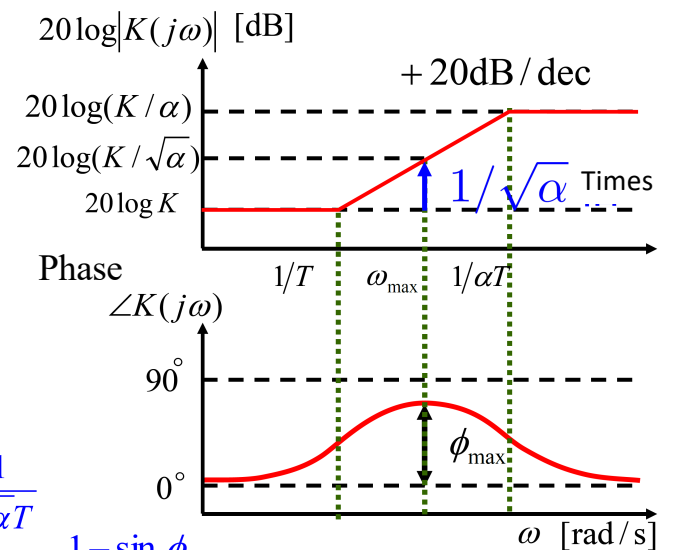
Note: High frequency gain is increased. Noise amplification degrades Robust stability!

Angular frequency where the phase advances most

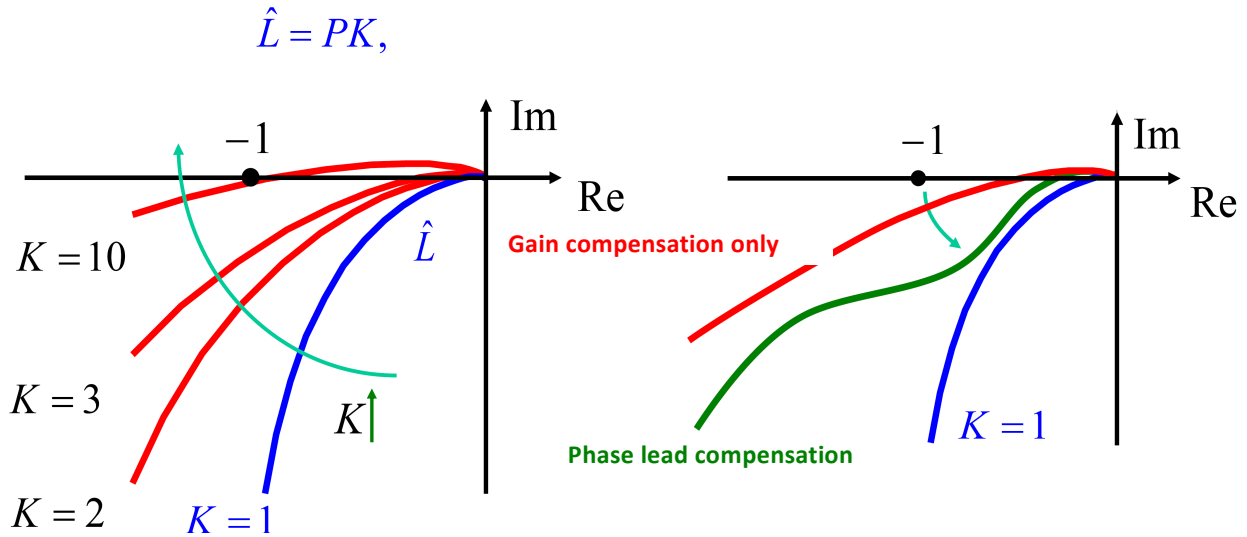
$$\omega_{max} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha}T}$$

Maximum value of phase lead: $\sin \phi_{max} = \frac{1-\alpha}{1+\alpha} \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1-\sin \phi_{max}}{1+\sin \phi_{max}}$

$\omega = \omega_{max}$, the gain becomes $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha}}$ times.



Phase Lead Compensator Design



Phase Lead Compensator Design

Comparison with PD

$$K(s) = K \frac{Ts + 1}{\alpha Ts + 1} \quad (\alpha < 1)$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} +\phi_{\max} [^\circ] \\ K(0) = K, \quad K(\infty) = K/\alpha \end{array} \right]$$

$$\alpha \rightarrow 0$$

$$K(s) = K(Ts + 1)$$

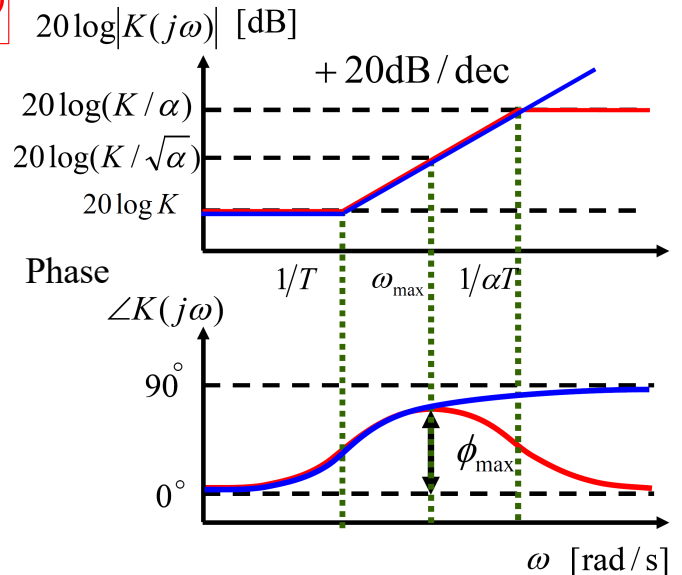
$$K_{PD}(s) = K_P(T_D s + 1)$$

Note: It is difficult to realize an ideal differentiator

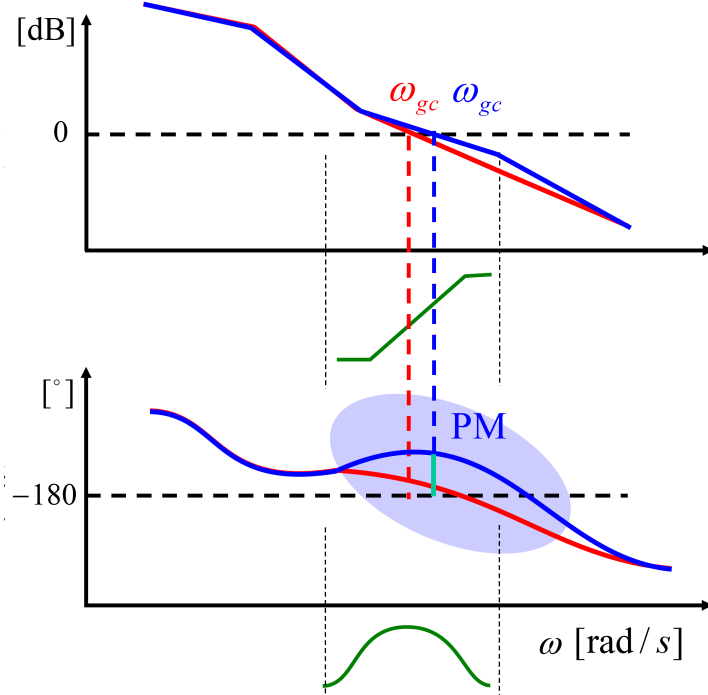
$$K'_{PD} = \frac{K_P(1 + T_D s)}{1 + (T_D/N)s} \quad (3 \leq N \leq 20)$$



Phase lead compensator



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Phase-lead Compensator: Design Example

$$P(s) = \frac{10}{s(s+1)(s+10)} \quad \text{Find Controller } K(s) \text{ to satisfy: } PM \approx 40^\circ \quad \omega_{gc} \geq 2 \text{ [rad/s]}$$

Step 1: To meet the specifications for quick response and steady-state characteristics, determine the value of gain compensation K.

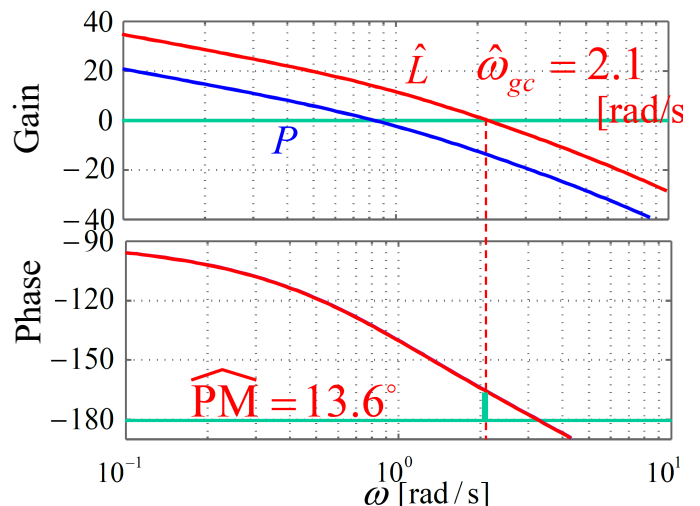
Gain compensation: $K = 5$

Open-loop transfer function:

$$\hat{L}(s) = \frac{50}{s(s+1)(s+10)}$$

Gain crossover frequency:

$$\hat{\omega}_{gc} = 2.1 > 2 \text{ [rad/s]} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \omega_{gc} \geq 2 \text{ [rad/s]} \quad \checkmark$$



Phase-lead Compensator: Design Example

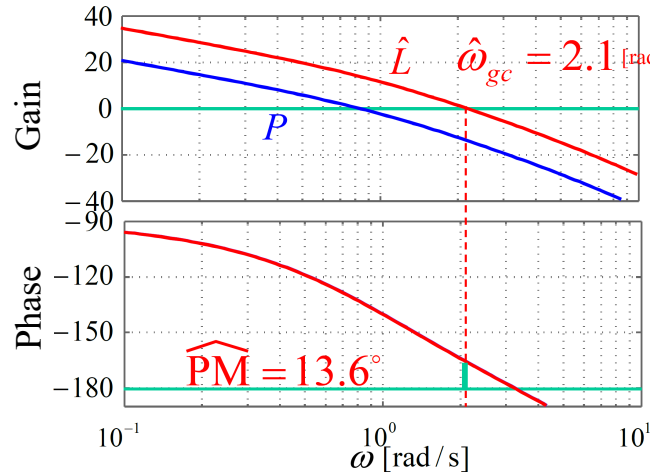
Step 2: Draw a Bode plot of the open-loop transfer function $\hat{L}(s) = KP(s)$ using K in Step 1 and evaluate its phase margin \widehat{PM} . The required phase lead amount is the difference between the given phase margin PM and this one ($\hat{\phi} = PM - \widehat{PM}$). Considering an appropriate margin (e.g, 5 deg. or more), set it as $\phi_{\max} = \hat{\phi} + 5^\circ$ or more.

Phase margin: $\widehat{PM} = 13.6^\circ$

Required phase margin: $PM \approx 40^\circ$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\phi} &= PM - \widehat{PM} \\ &= 40 - 13.6 = \underline{26.4^\circ} \\ &\text{(Required phase lead amount)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_{\max} &= \hat{\phi} + \underline{10^\circ} = 36.4 \\ &\text{(Margin)} \end{aligned}$$



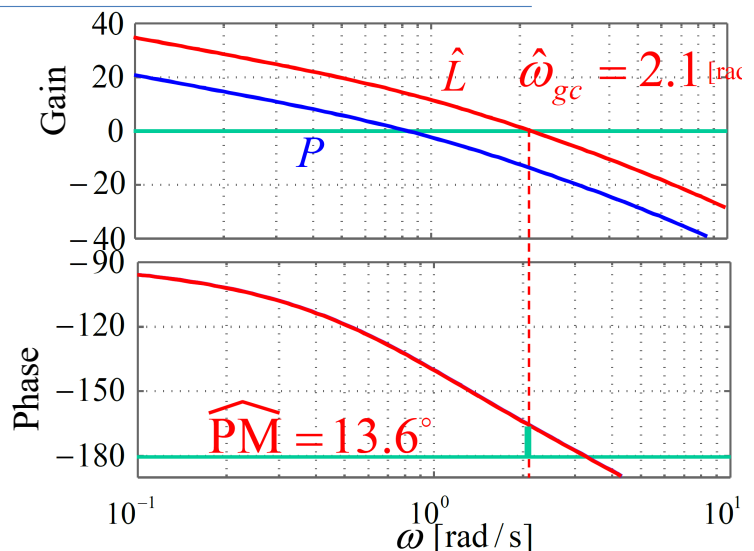
Phase-lead Compensator: Design Example

Step 3: Determine the value of α from $\alpha = \frac{1 - \sin \phi_{\max}}{1 + \sin \phi_{\max}}$.

$$K(s) = K \frac{Ts + 1}{\alpha Ts + 1}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1 - \sin \phi_{\max}}{1 + \sin \phi_{\max}}$$

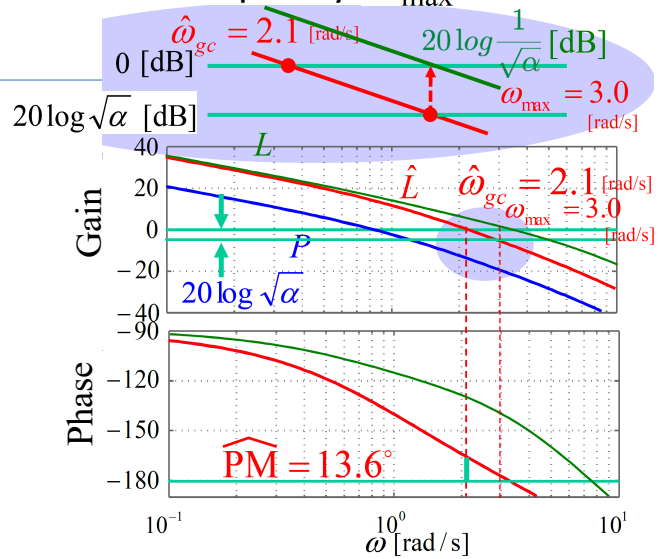
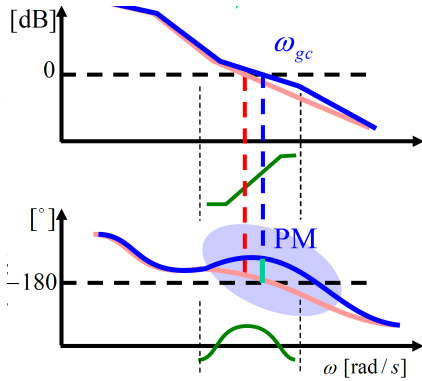
$$\phi_{\max} = 36.4^\circ \Rightarrow \alpha = 0.255$$



Phase-lead Compensator: Design Example

Step 4: In phase lead compensation, the gain increases by $1/\sqrt{\alpha}$ at the angular frequency where the phase leads, so the angular frequency where $|\hat{L}(j\omega)|$ is $\sqrt{\alpha}$ ($= 20 \log \sqrt{\alpha}$ [dB]) is set as the new gain crossover frequency ω_{\max} after compensation.

$$|\hat{L}(j\omega_{\max})| = \sqrt{\alpha} = 0.505 \quad \rightarrow \quad \omega_{\max} = 3.0 \text{ [rad/s]}$$



Phase-lead Compensator: Design Example

Step 5: The value of parameter T is determined from $\omega_{\max} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha T}}$. At this time, the corner frequency of phase lead compensation is

$$1/T = \omega_{\max} \sqrt{\alpha}, \quad 1/(\alpha T) = \omega_{\max} / \sqrt{\alpha}$$

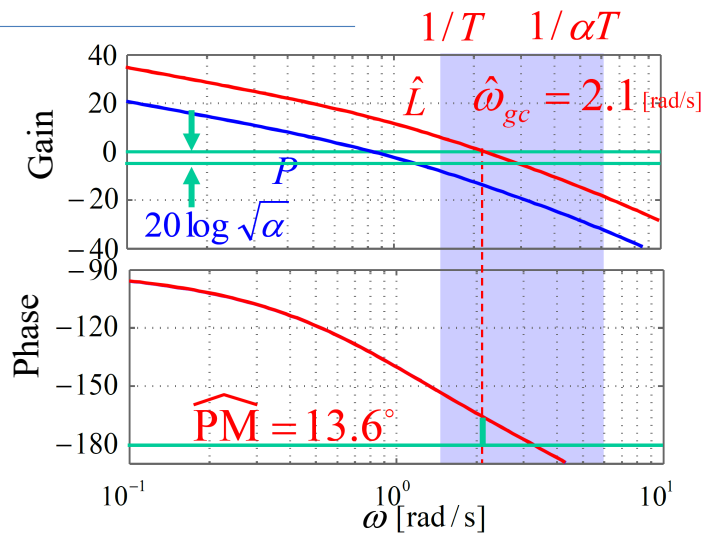
$$\omega_{\max} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha T}} \Rightarrow T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha} \omega_{\max}}$$

$$\omega_{\max} = 3.0 \text{ [rad/s]}, \quad \alpha = 0.255$$

$$\rightarrow T = 0.660$$

Frequency corners:

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{T} = 1.52, \quad \frac{1}{\alpha T} = 5.94}$$



Phase-lead Compensator: Design Example

Step 6: After finding design parameters K, α, T , the phase lead controller is constructed as follows:

$$K(s) = K \frac{Ts + 1}{\alpha Ts + 1}$$

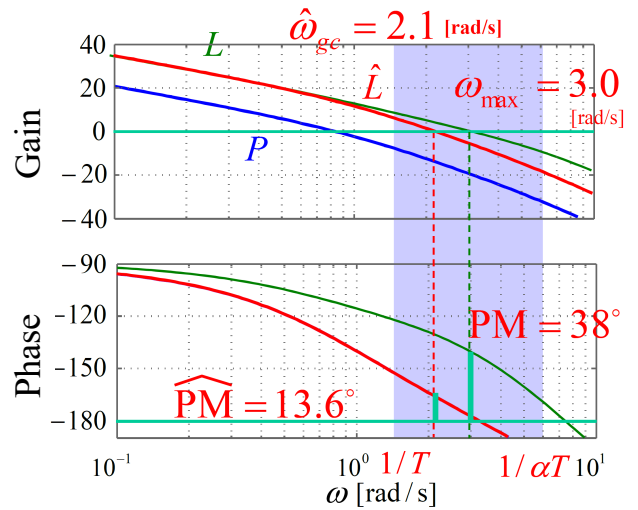
$$K(s) = K \frac{Ts + 1}{\alpha Ts + 1}$$

$$K = 5, \alpha = 0.255, T = 0.660$$

$$\begin{aligned} K(s) &= 5 \cdot \frac{0.66s + 1}{0.255 \cdot 0.66s + 1} \\ &= \frac{19.6(s + 1.52)}{s + 5.94} \end{aligned}$$

Gain crossover frequency $\omega_{gc} = 3.0$ [rad/s]

Phase margin $PM = 38^\circ$



Evaluation

Gain crossover frequency (rapid response):

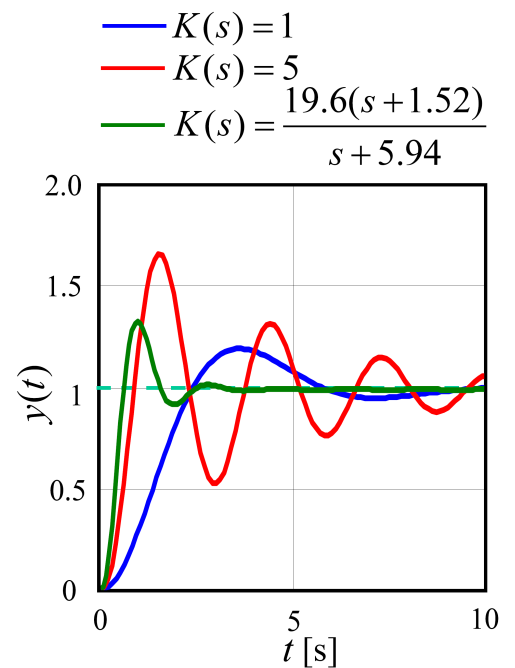
$$\omega_{gc} \geq 2 \text{ [rad/s]}$$

Phase margin (damping characteristic): $PM \approx 40^\circ$

$$\omega_{gc} = 3.0 (= \omega_{\max}) \text{ [rad/s]} \quad \checkmark$$

$$PM \cong 38^\circ \quad \checkmark$$

Step response ✓



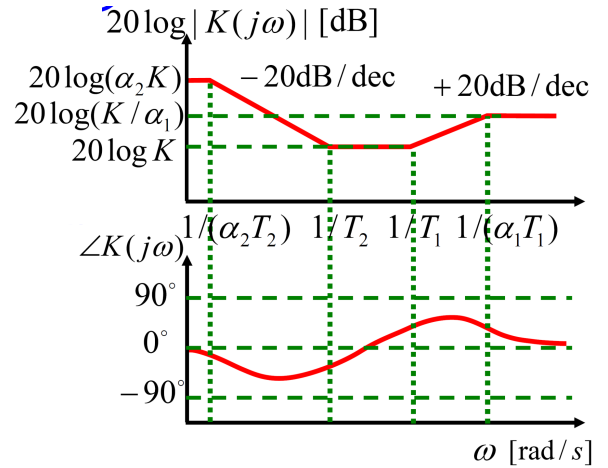
Phase Lead-lag Compensator Design

$$K(s) = K \underbrace{\left(\frac{T_1 s + 1}{\alpha_1 T_1 s + 1} \right)}_{\text{Lead}} \underbrace{\left(\frac{\alpha_2 (T_2 s + 1)}{\alpha_2 T_2 s + 1} \right)}_{\text{Lag}} \quad (\alpha_1 < 1, \alpha_2 > 1)$$

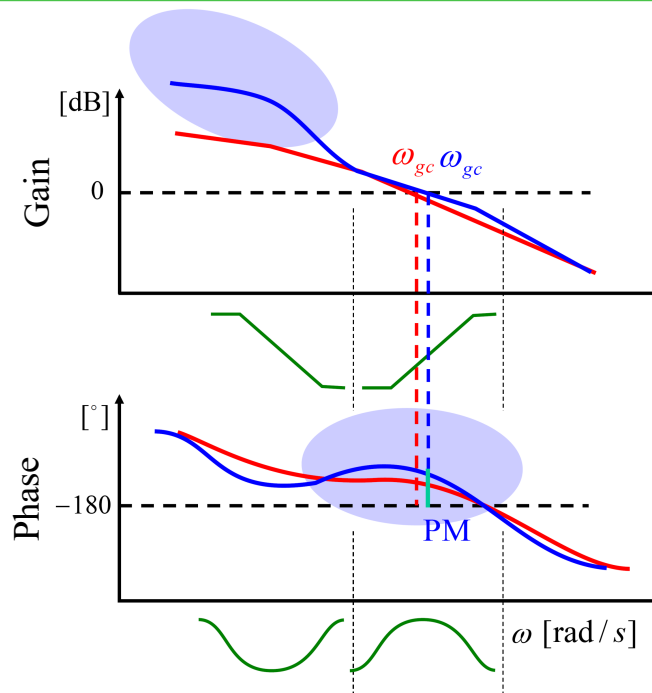
We may need multiple stages to improve of steady-state characteristics and transient characteristics

$$+ 20 \log \alpha_2 \text{ [dB]}$$

Phase lead: $\frac{1}{T_1} < \omega < \frac{1}{\alpha_1 T_1}$



Phase Lead-lag Compensator Design



Phase Lead-lag Compensator Design

Comparison with PID

$$K(s) = K \frac{T_1s + 1}{\alpha_1 T_1s + 1} \frac{\alpha_2(T_2s + 1)}{\alpha_2 T_2s + 1} \quad (\alpha_1 < 1, \alpha_2 > 1)$$

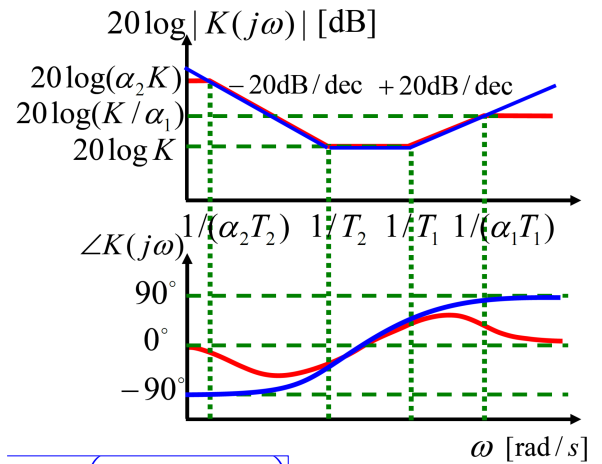
$$+ 20 \log \alpha \text{ [dB]}, + \phi_{\max} \text{ [}^\circ\text{]}$$

$$\left[K(0) = \alpha_2 K, K(\infty) = K / \alpha_1 \right]$$

↓
 $\alpha_1 \rightarrow 0, \alpha_2 \rightarrow \infty$

$$K(s) = K \underbrace{\frac{(T_1s + 1)}{PD}} \underbrace{\left(1 + \frac{1}{T_2s}\right)}_{PI}$$

$$= \frac{K(T_1 + T_2)}{T_2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{(T_1 + T_2)s} + \frac{T_1 T_2}{T_1 + T_2} s \right) \Rightarrow K_{PID}(s) = K_P \left(1 + \frac{1}{T_I s} + T_D s \right)$$



Example

$$P(s) = \frac{0.01}{s^2 + 0.04s + 0.01} \xrightarrow{\omega_n^2} \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2} \quad \begin{matrix} \omega_n = 0.1 \text{ rad/s} \\ \zeta = 0.2 \end{matrix}$$

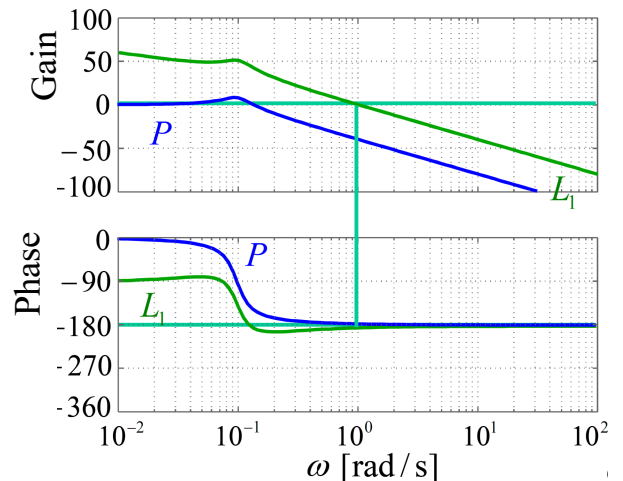
Phase lag (PI controller):

$$K_{PI}(s) = 100 \frac{s + 0.1}{s}$$

$$L_1 = PK_{PI}$$

➔ Low frequency gain: large

Phase margin: $PM = -3.37 \text{ deg}$



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Phase lead:

$$K_L(s) = \frac{14.3(s+0.53)}{s+7.52}$$

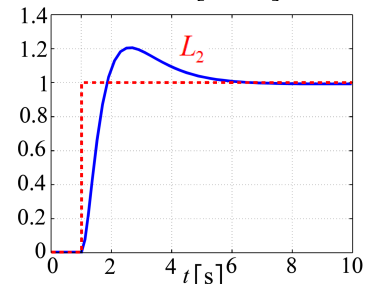
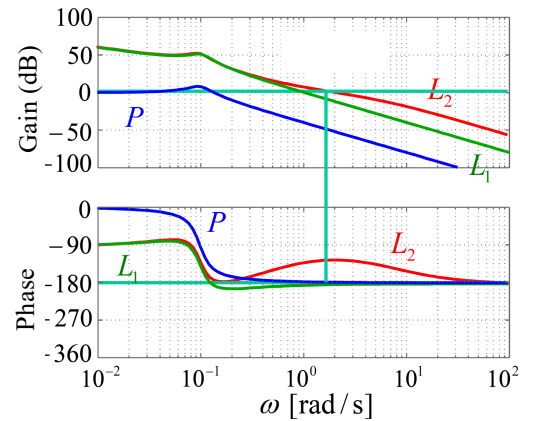
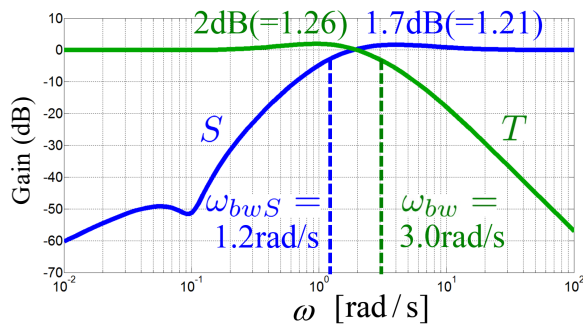
$$K = 1, \\ \alpha = 0.07, \\ T = 1.9$$

Lead-lag compensator:

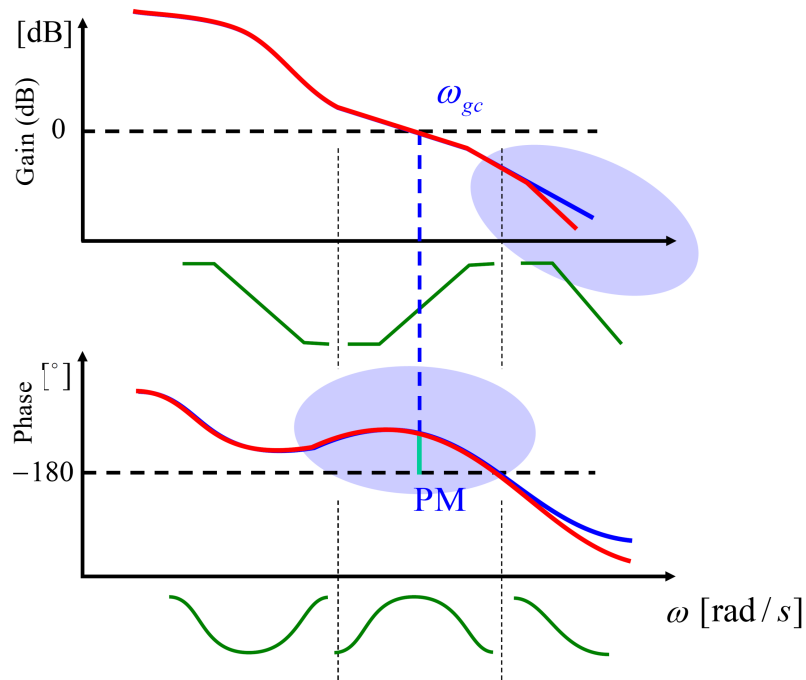
$$K_{LL}(s) = \frac{1430(s+0.1)(s+0.53)}{s(s+7.52)}$$

$$L_2 = PK_{LL}$$

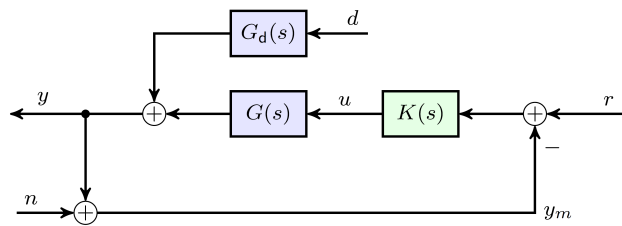
$$PM = 58.5\text{deg} \quad \omega_{gc} = 1.92\text{rad/s}$$



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Loop Shaping Control



$$e = \underbrace{\frac{1}{1+L(s)}}_{S(s)} r - \underbrace{\frac{1}{1+L(s)}}_{S(s)} G_d(s) d + \underbrace{\frac{L(s)}{1+L(s)}}_{T(s)} n$$

Performance requirements can be approximated by requirements for $L(j\omega)$.

$$|L(j\omega)| \gg 1 \implies |S(j\omega)| \ll 1 \quad (\text{good tracking performance})$$

$$|L(j\omega_c)| = 1 \quad \text{gives bandwidth } \approx \omega_c$$

$$|L(j\omega)| \ll 1 \implies |T(j\omega)| \ll 1 \quad (\text{good noise rejection})$$

Inverse-based Control Design

Stable, minimum-phase plant

Can choose:

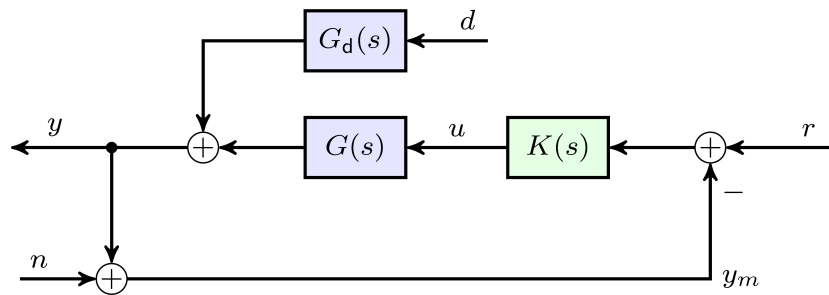
$$L(s) = \frac{\omega_c}{s}$$

This will give a phase margin of 90° .

$$K(s) = \frac{\omega_c}{s} G^{-1}(s)$$

Inverting the plant can often be done only approximately.

Design Example



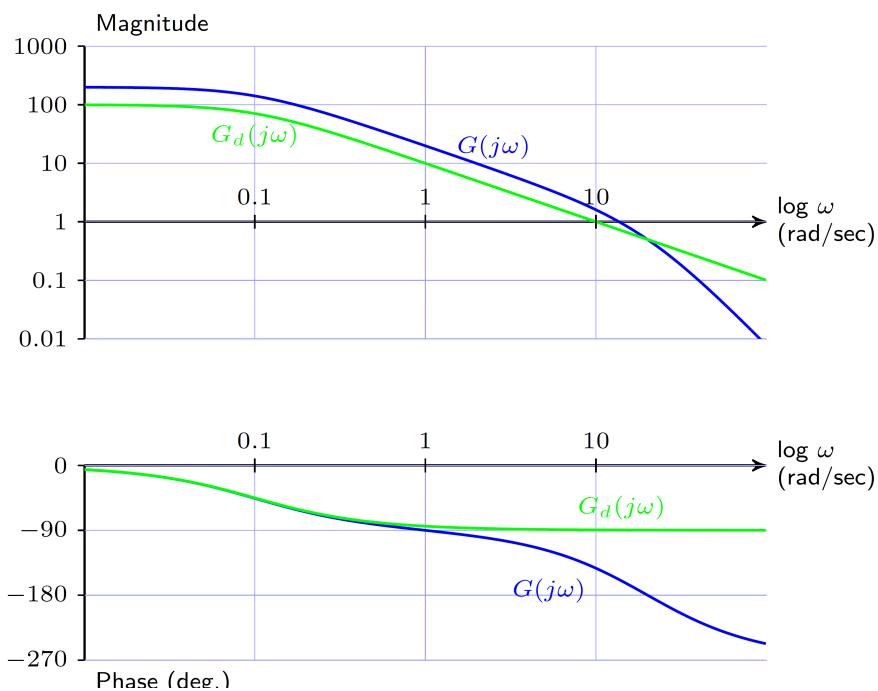
$$G(s) = \frac{200}{(10s + 1)} \frac{1}{(0.05s + 1)^2}, \quad G_d(s) = \frac{100}{10s + 1}$$

Objectives:

1. Rise time < 0.3 seconds.
2. Overshoot $< 5\%$
3. Disturbance response, $y_d(t)$, satisfies $|y(t)| \leq 1$.
4. Disturbance response, $y_d(t)$, satisfies $|y(t)| < 0.1$ within 3 seconds.
5. $|u(t)| \leq 1$ at all times.

$$|G_d(j\omega)| > 1 \text{ up to } \omega_d \approx 10 \text{ rad/sec} \implies \omega_c \geq 10 \text{ rad/sec.}$$

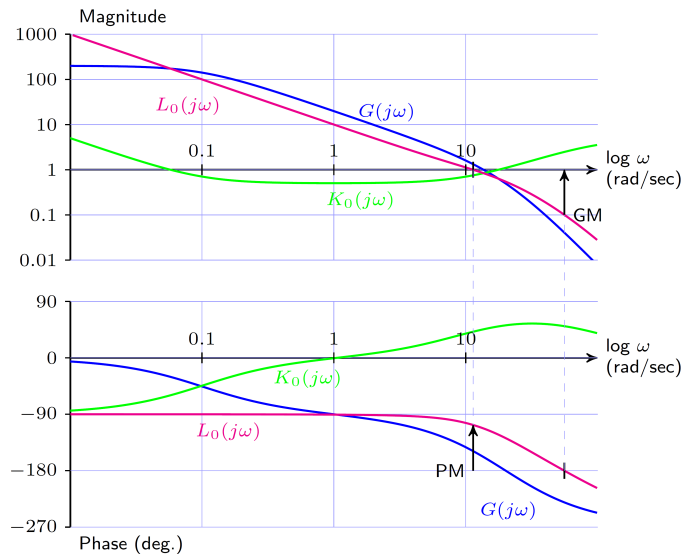
Closed-Loop Performance



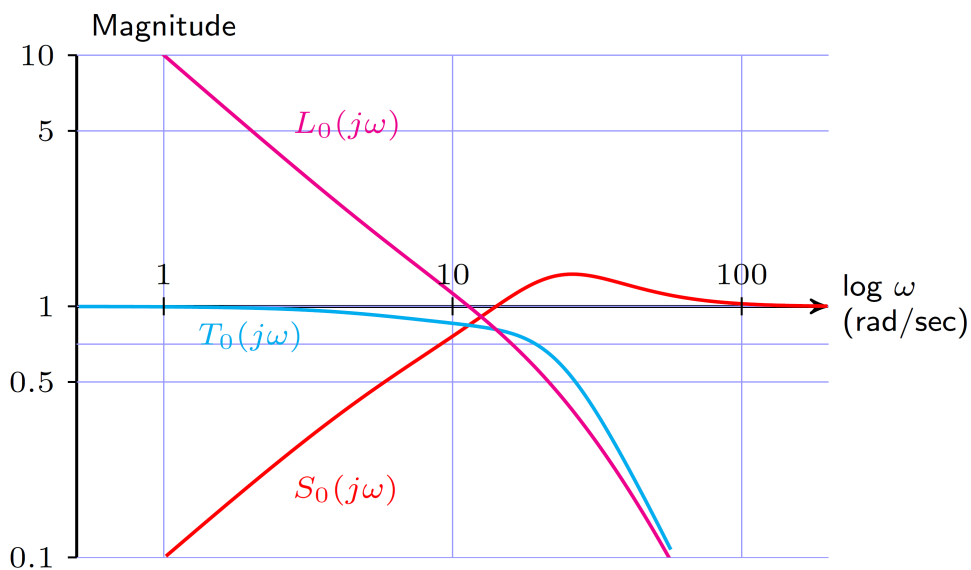
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The plant is stable and minimum-phase:

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_0(s) &= \frac{\omega_c}{s} G^{-1}(s) \\
 &= \frac{\omega_c}{s} \frac{(10s + 1)}{200} (0.05s + 1)^2 \\
 &\approx \frac{\omega_c}{s} \frac{(10s + 1)}{200} \frac{(0.1s + 1)}{(0.01s + 1)}
 \end{aligned}$$



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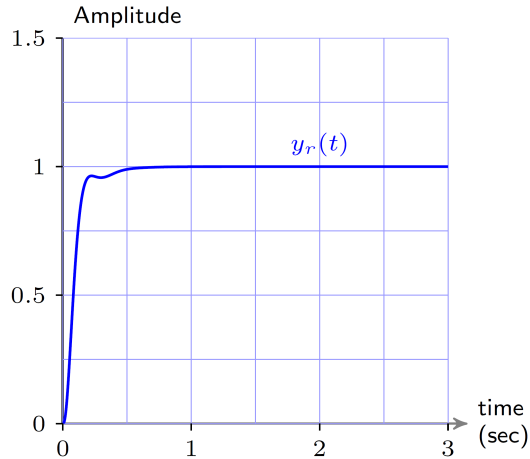


The closed-loop bandwidth is very close to $\omega_c \approx 10$ rad/sec.

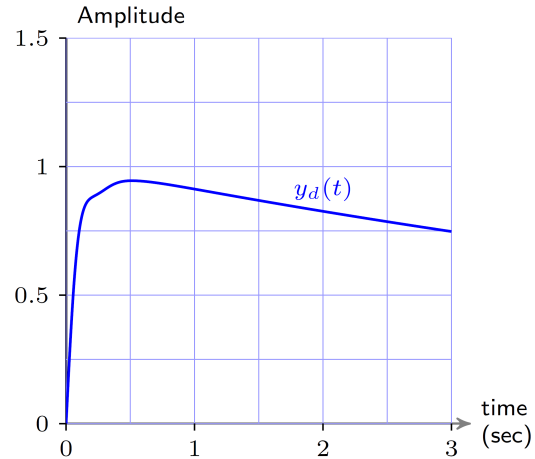
Inverse-based Control Design

$$K_0 = \frac{\omega_c}{s} \frac{(10s + 1)}{200} \frac{(0.1s + 1)}{(0.01s + 1)}$$

Reference tracking



Disturbance response



Loop Shaping for Disturbance Rejection

Disturbance response: $y_d = SG_d d + \dots$

To achieve $|y_d(t)| \leq 1$ for $|d(t)| \leq 1$,

we want $|SG_d(j\omega)| < 1$ for all ω .

So, we want:

$$|1 + L(j\omega)| > |G_d(j\omega)| \quad \text{for all } \omega.$$

$$\text{or, approximately, } |L(j\omega)| > |G_d(\omega)| \quad \text{for all } \omega.$$

Initial guess:

$$|L_{\min}| \approx |G_d| \quad \text{or} \quad |K_{\min}| \approx |G^{-1}G_d|$$

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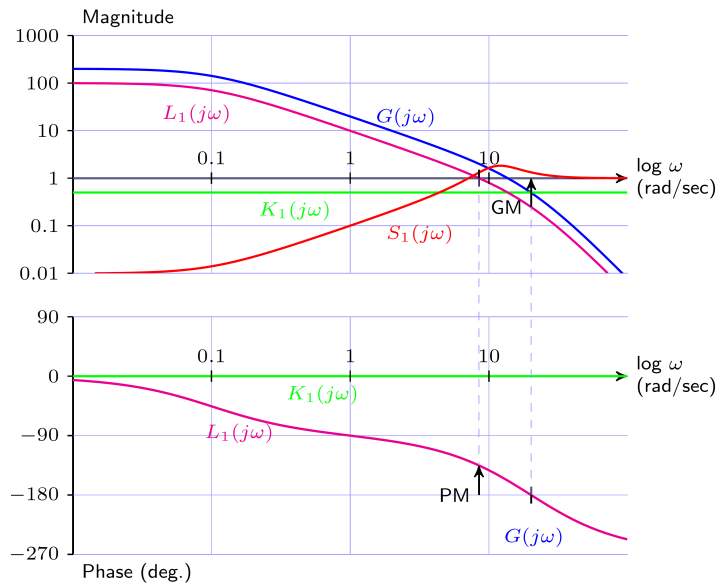
Step 1

Initial guess:

$$|K_{\min}| \approx |G^{-1}G_d|$$

Choose:

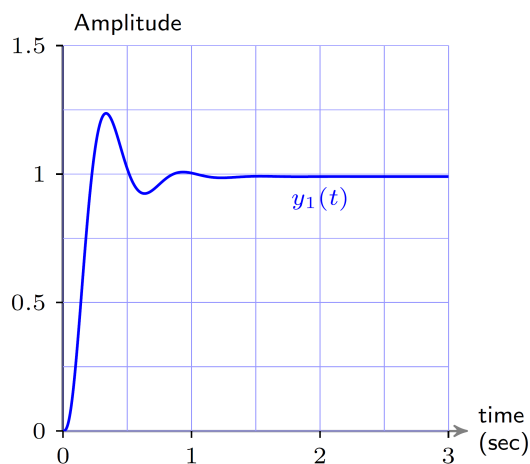
$$\begin{aligned} K_1(s) &\approx G^{-1}(s)G_d(s) \\ &\approx 0.5(0.05s + 1)^2 \\ &= 0.5 \end{aligned}$$



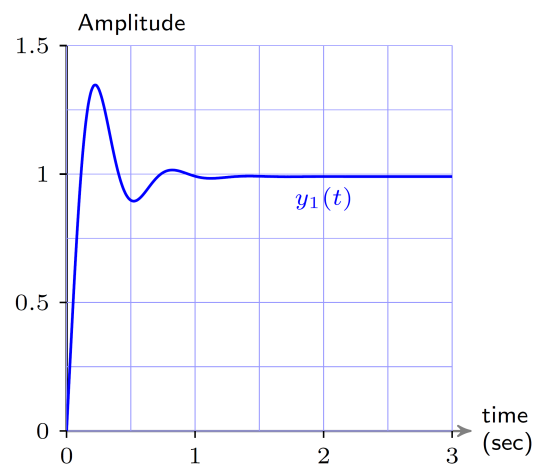
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$$K_1 = 0.5 \quad \implies \quad L_1(s) \approx G_d(s)$$

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Step 2 Increase the gain at low frequency.

To get integral action multiply the controller by:

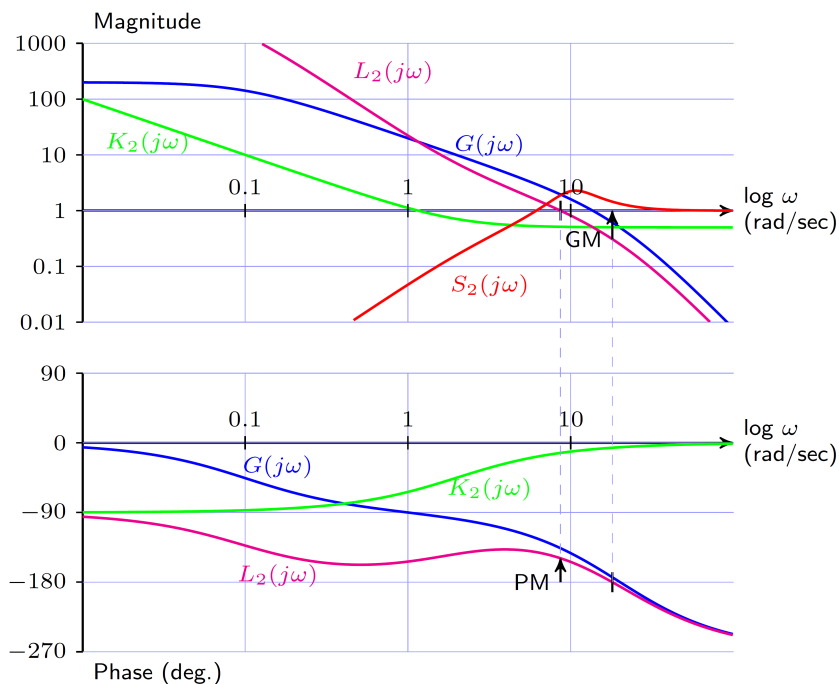
$$K_2(s) = \frac{s + \omega_I}{s} K_1(s).$$

If $\omega_I = 0.2\omega_c$ we get 11° more phase at ω_c than with K_1 alone.

So,

$$K_2(s) = 0.5 \frac{(s + 2)}{s}$$

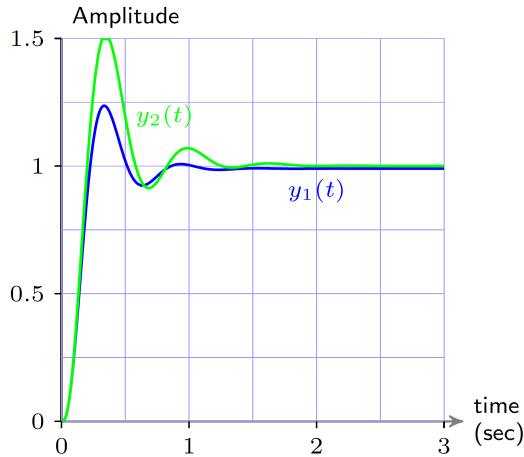
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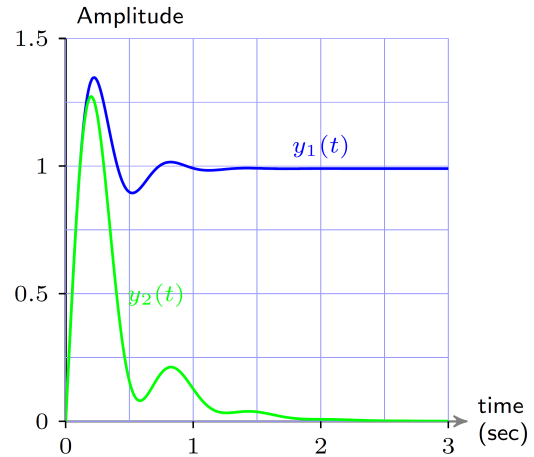
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$$K_1 = 0.5 \quad \text{and} \quad K_2 = 0.5 \frac{(s+2)}{s}$$

Reference tracking



Disturbance response



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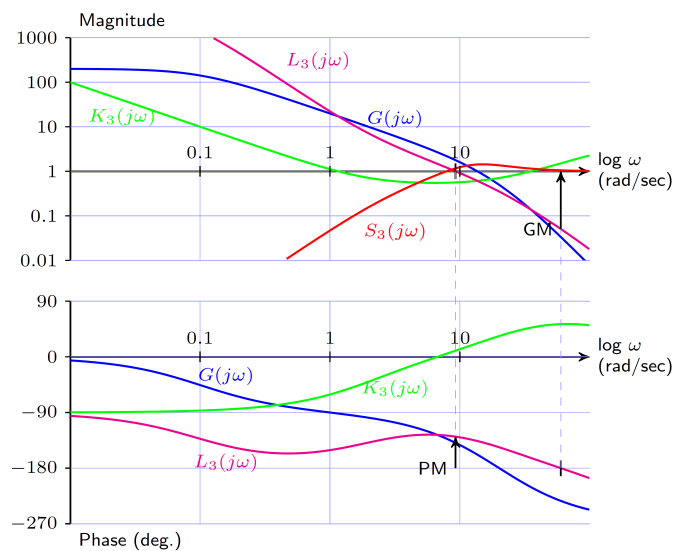
Step 2

High frequency correction:

Augment with a lead-lag for “derivative action”.

This will also improve the phase margin.

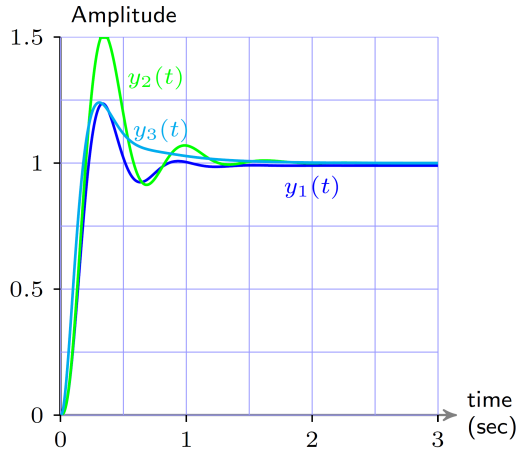
$$\begin{aligned} K_3(s) &= K_2(s) \frac{(0.05s + 1)}{(0.005s + 1)} \\ &= 0.5 \frac{(s + 2)}{s} \frac{(0.05s + 1)}{(0.005s + 1)} \end{aligned}$$



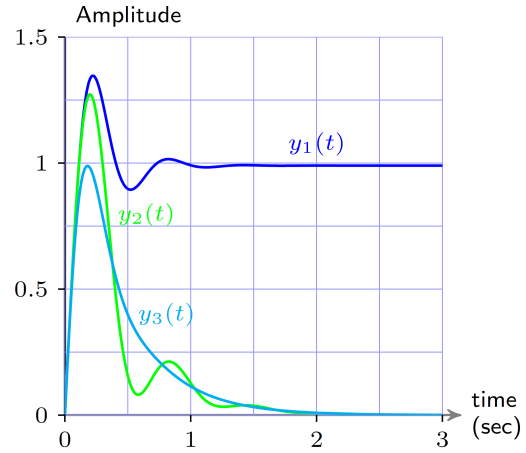
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$$K_1 = 0.5, \quad K_2 = 0.5 \frac{(s+2)}{s}, \quad K_3 = 0.5 \frac{(s+2)}{s} \frac{(0.05s+1)}{(0.005s+1)}$$

Reference tracking

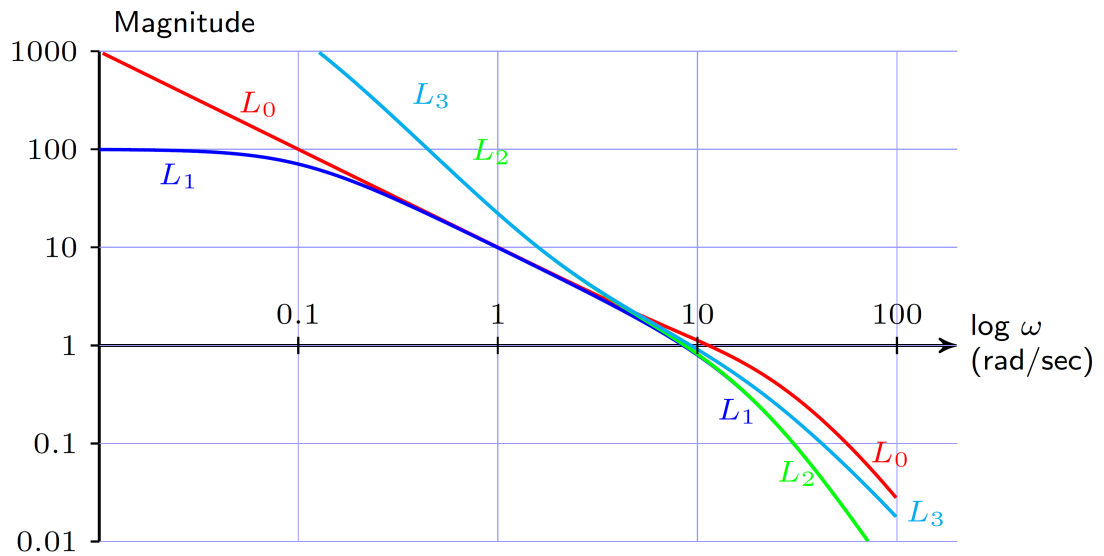


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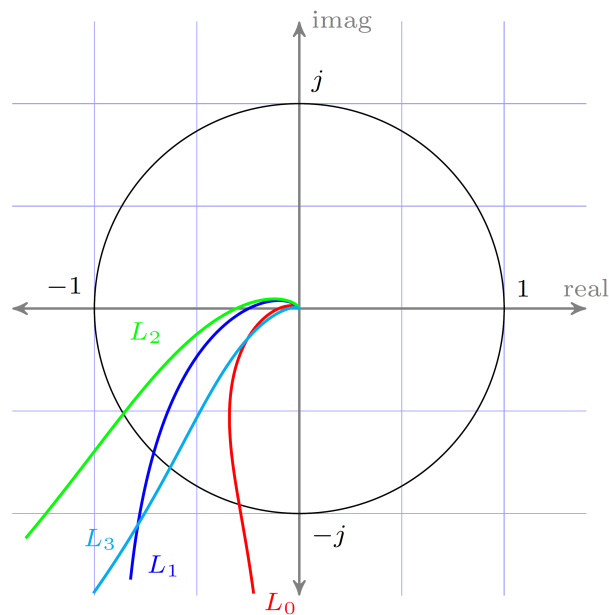
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Loopshape comparisons



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Project: Report 3

Consider your dynamic system. Using loop shaping concept design a controller $K(s)$ to satisfy:

$$K_v \geq 10 \quad \text{and} \quad PM \geq 40^\circ$$

Deadline: The day before next Meeting

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Thank You!

