

Lecture 9: Compensator Design using Root-Locus

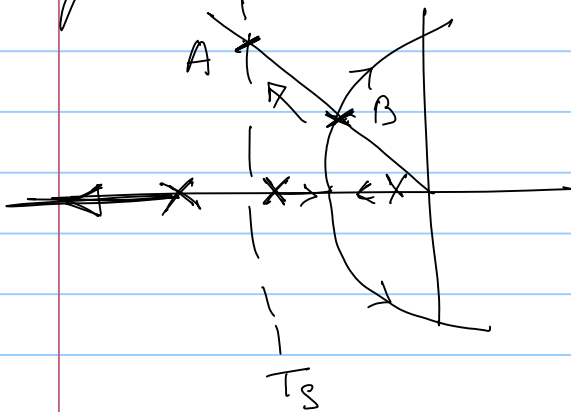
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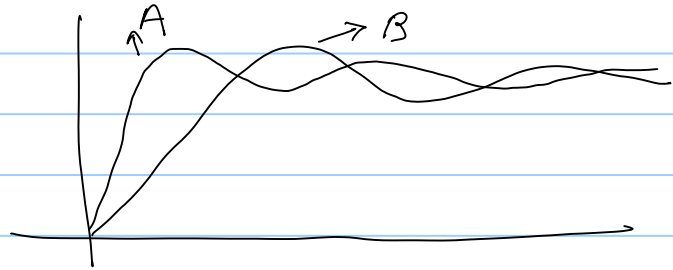
Limitations of Gain Design $\rightarrow$

$\rightarrow$ points on the given R-L only are feasible.

1) %OS + Settling time may not be possible:



A meets %OS + T_s specs $\rightarrow$ But not possible with this R-L.



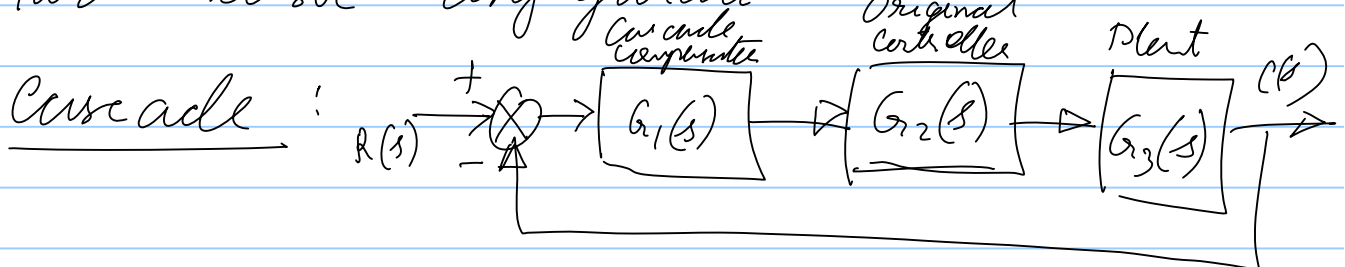
2) Steady State Error vs Transient Response

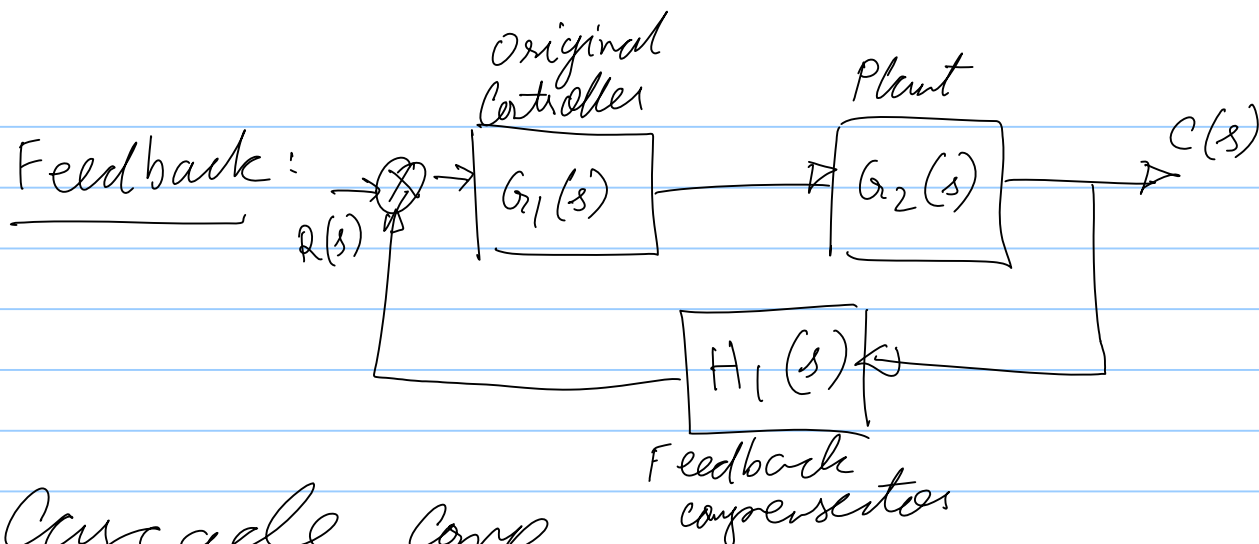
$K \uparrow$ %OS $\uparrow$ S.S.E. $\downarrow$

Compensators are needed $\rightarrow$

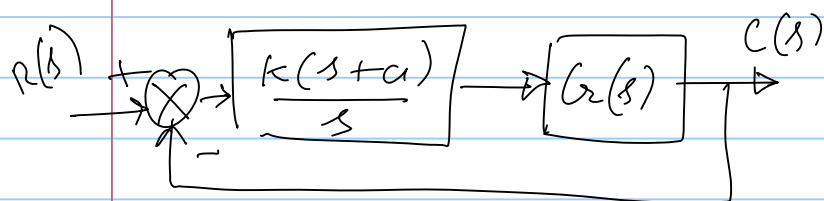
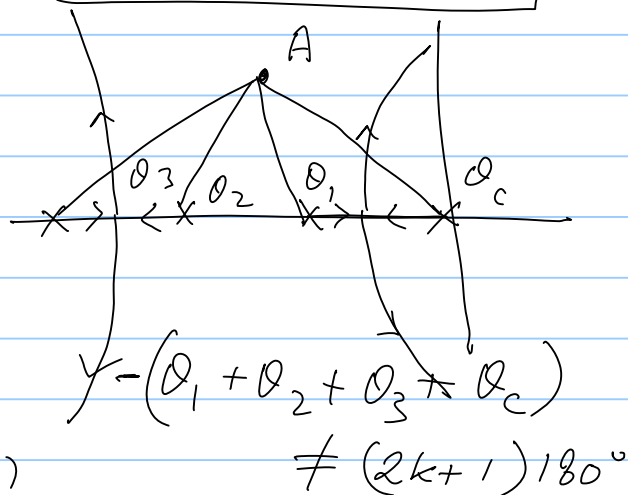
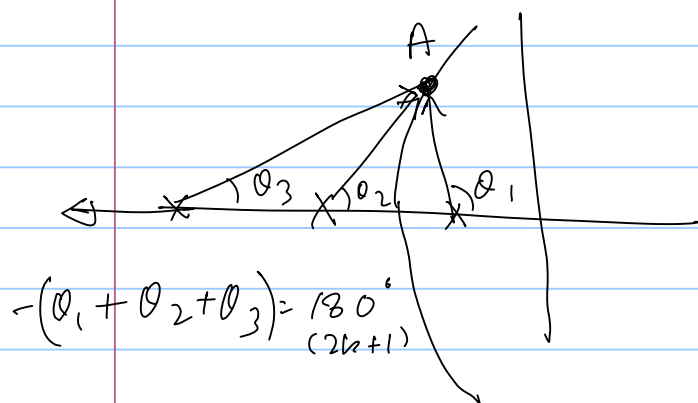
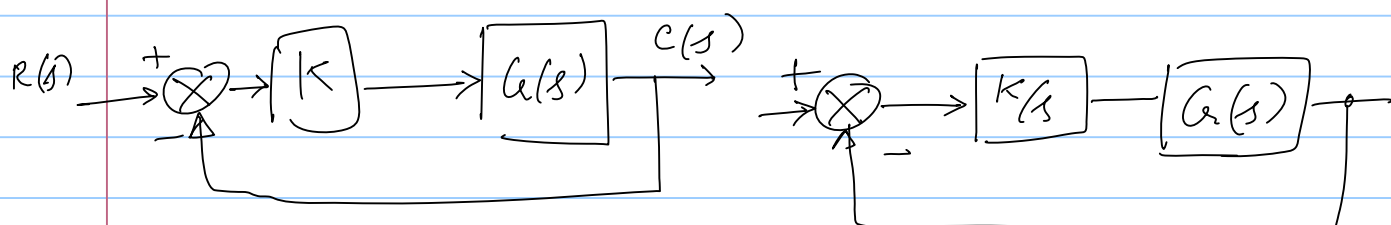
Active elements		Passive Element based Approx.
S.S.E. $\rightarrow$ 1a)	PI controllers	1b) Lag compensator
Tr. Specs 2a)	PD controllers	2b) Lead compensator
Both 3a)	PID controllers	3b) lead-lag compensator

Two basic configuration:

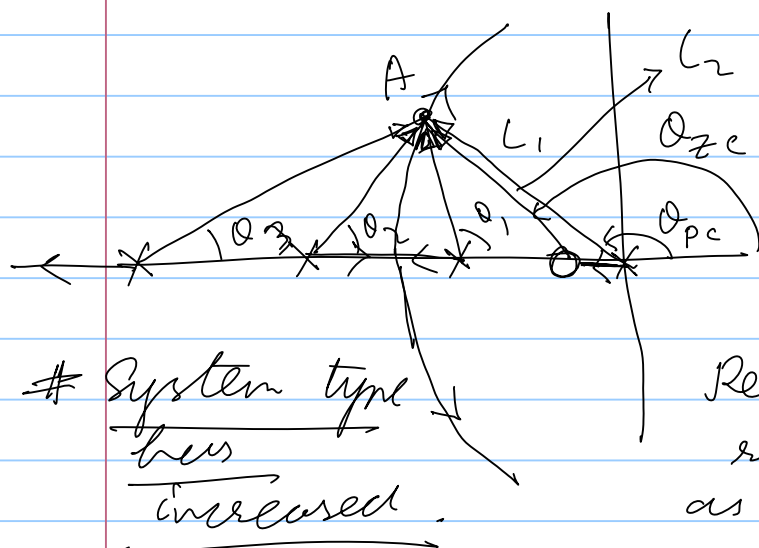




Cascade Comp
S.S.E. improvement via PI controller



A is not on R-L.



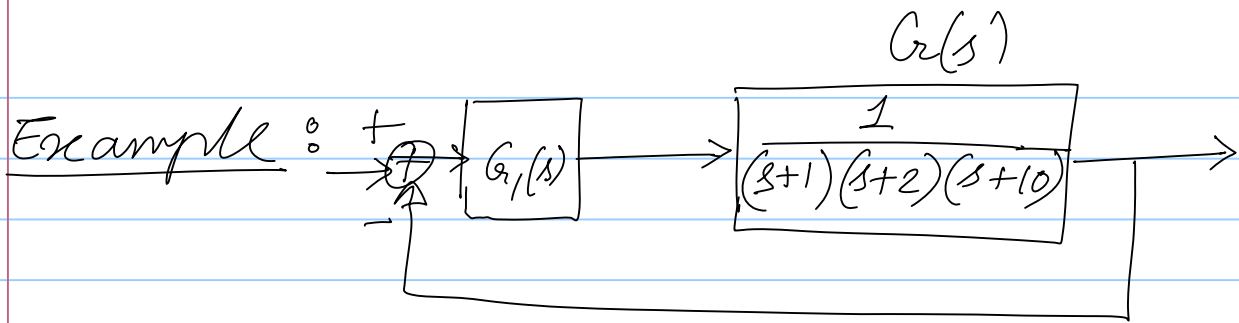
$$\theta_{pc} \approx \theta_{zc}$$

Hence

$$-(\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3 + \theta_{pc}) + \theta_{zc} \approx (2k+1)180^\circ$$

System type
has
increased.

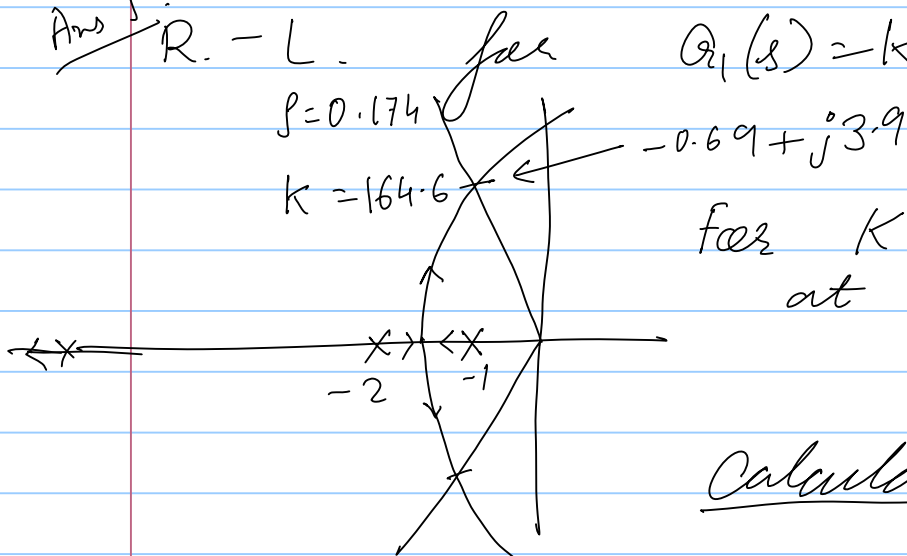
Req gain for A also
remains unchanged
as $L_1 \approx L_2$



1) Let $G_1(s) = K$. Design K for $\zeta = 0.174$.
Calculate corresponding S.S.E.

2) Let $G_1(s) = \text{PI controller} = \frac{K(s+a)}{s}$
Design K and a s.t. $\zeta = 0.174$
and $\text{SSE} = 0$. (for positive com)

Ans 1: R-L. for $G_1(s) = K$.



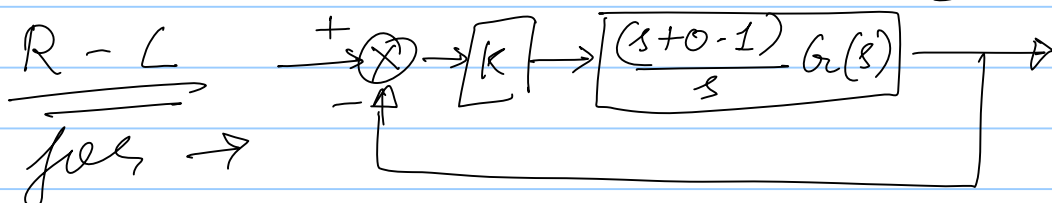
for $K = 164.6$ roots are
at $\begin{cases} -0.69 \pm j3.9 \\ -11.61 \end{cases}$

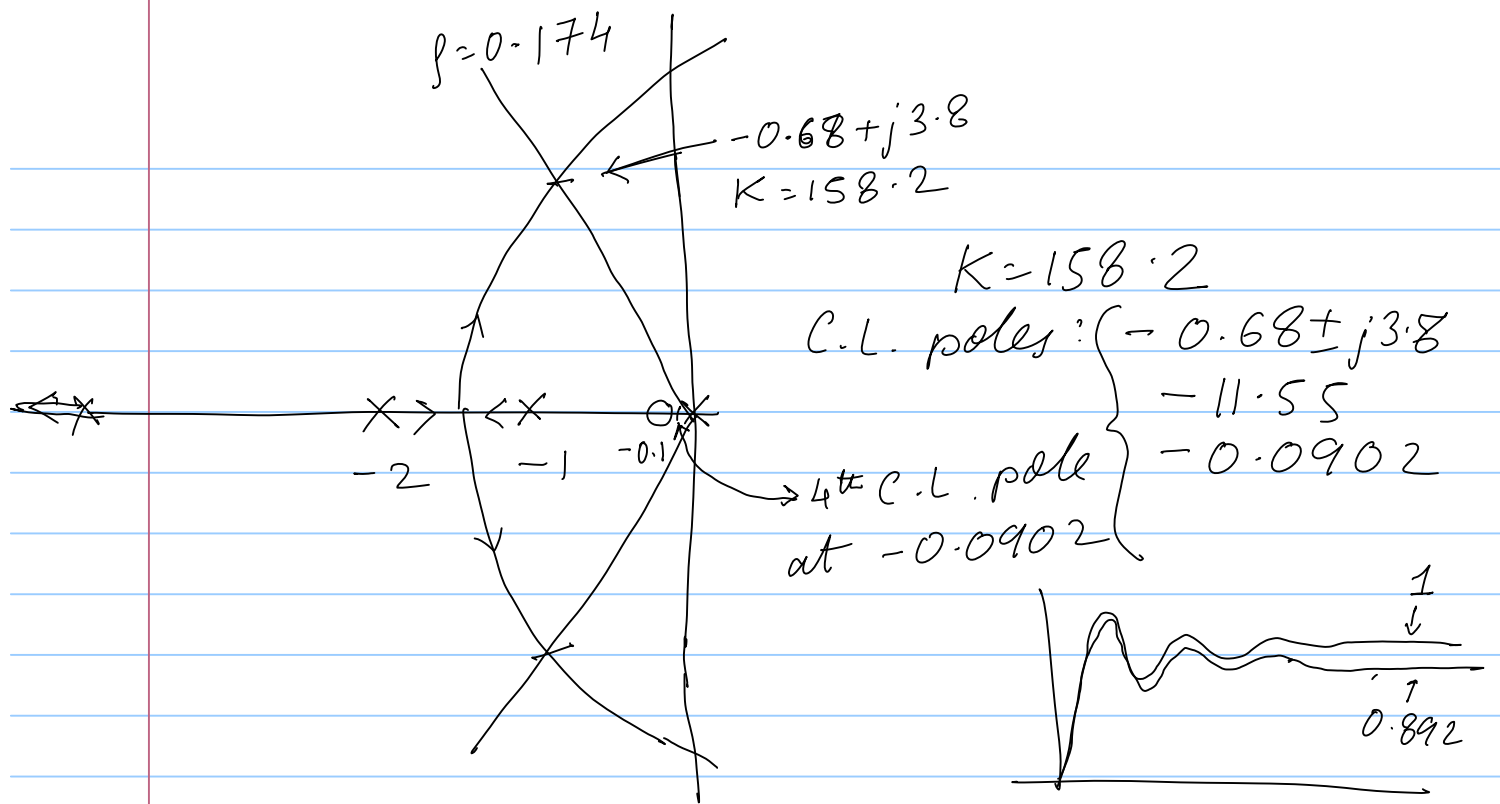
Calculation of SSE:
(Type 0)

$$K_p = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s) G_1(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{164.6 \cdot 1}{1 \times 2 \times 10} = 8.23$$

$$e(s) = \frac{1}{1 + K_p} = \frac{1}{9.23} = 0.108$$

Ans 2: $G_1(s) = \frac{K(s+0.1)}{s}$ $\begin{cases} \text{Pole at zero} \\ \text{Zero at } -0.1 \end{cases}$

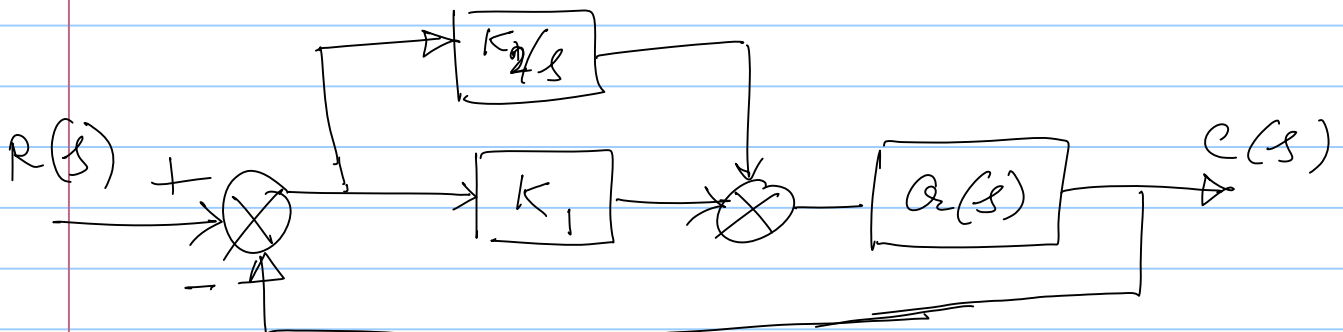




Transient Response (1) Zero (-0.1) and pole (-0.09) are close. (2) 3rd pole is < -10
 $\Rightarrow$ 2nd order approx is valid
 So $\zeta = 0.174$ is achieved.

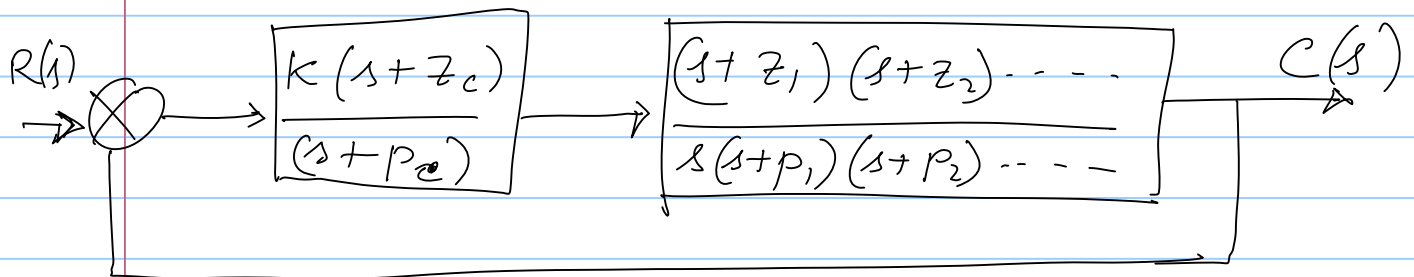
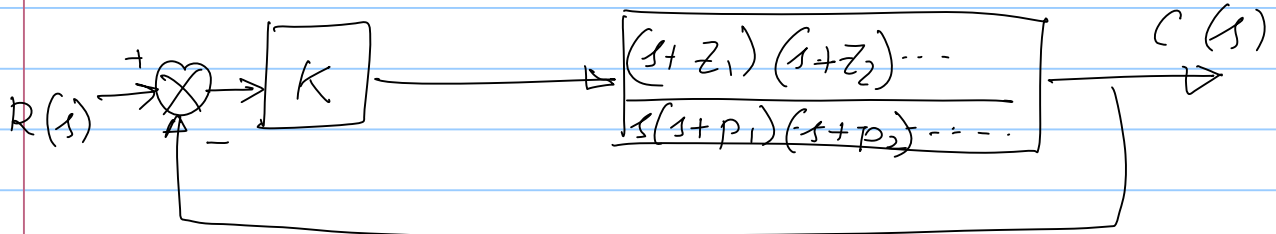
SSE : This is now a 'Type 1' system
 So S.S.E to step is zero.

Implementation:



NOTE: For implementing K_2/s we need an OP-AMP.

LAG COMPENSATION: (Passive approx of PI)
 Assume "Type 1" $G(s)$. (Equally true for any type)



For uncompensated:

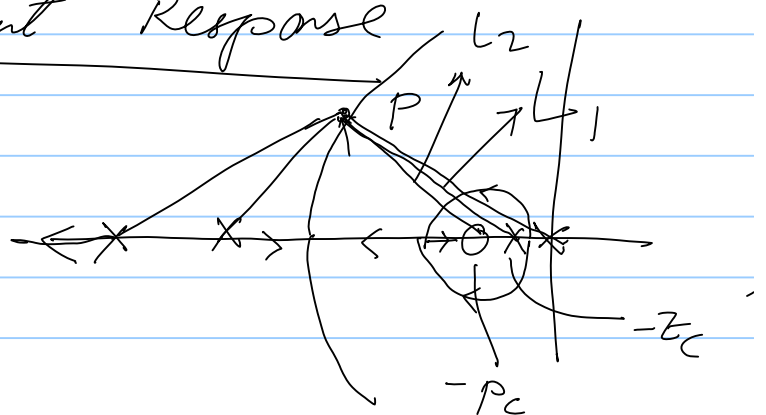
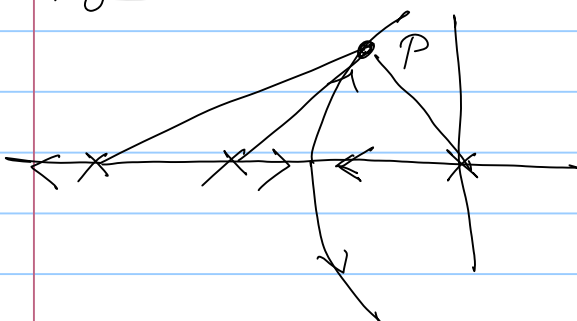
$$e_o(s) = \frac{1}{K_{V_0}} ; K_{V_0} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s G(s) = \frac{(K z_1 z_2 \dots)}{(p_1 p_2 \dots)}$$

For compensated system:

$$e_N(\infty) = \frac{1}{K_{V_N}} ; K_{V_N} = \frac{(K z_1 z_2 \dots) z_c}{(p_1 p_2 \dots) p_c}$$

$$K_{V_N} = K_{V_0} \frac{z_c}{p_c} \Rightarrow \left[\frac{z_c}{p_c} \uparrow \approx e_N(\infty) \downarrow \right]$$

Effect on Transient Response



To preserve the transient response
 $\rightarrow R-L$ should be almost same.
 $\rightarrow$ 2nd order approx should remain valid.

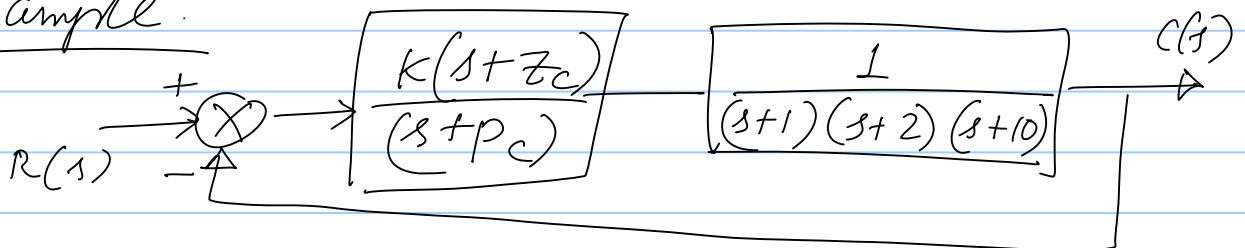
$\Rightarrow z_c$ and p_c should be close to each other.

* Conflicting requirements? (with SSE req)
 $\rightarrow$ Both can be met if z_c & p_c are close to origin
 (e.g. $z_c = -0.01$ & $p_c = -0.001$)
 $\frac{z_c}{p_c} = 10$ (SSE improves 10 times)

$$\text{But } |z_c - p_c| = 0.009$$

* The K req. to achieve P remains almost the same as $\frac{L_2}{L_1} \approx 1$.

Example:



Design spec: (1) $\zeta = 0.174$
 (2) Improve SSE by a factor of 10

For the uncompensated system:

$$e(\infty) = 0.108, \quad K_{P_0} = 8.23$$

10 fold improvement: $e(\infty) = 0.0108$

$$\frac{1}{1+K_{p_N}} = 0.0108 \Rightarrow K_{p_N} = 91.59$$

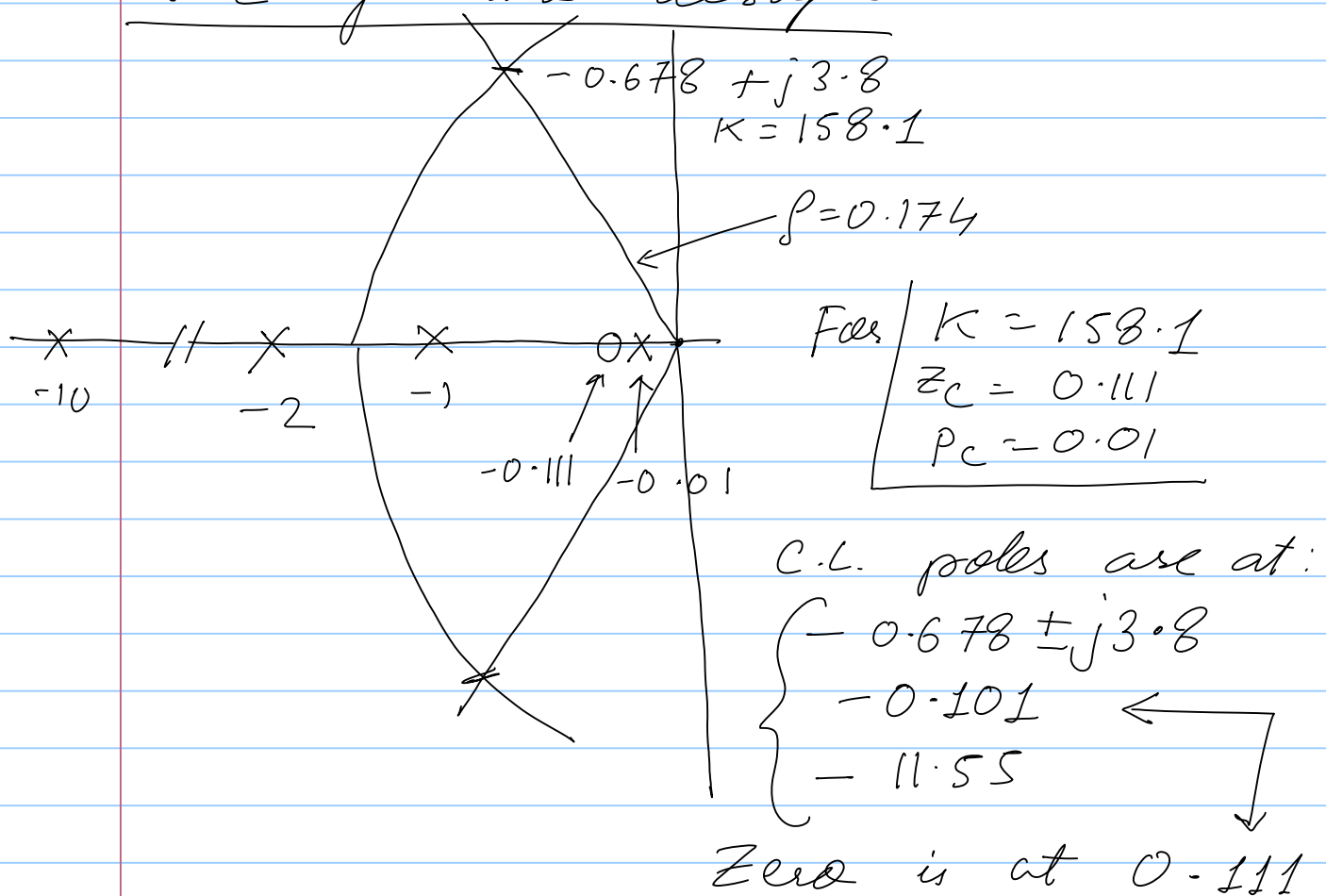
$$\text{Now: } K_{p_N} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s) \frac{K(s+z_c)}{(s+p_c)}$$

$$K_{p_N} = K_{p_0} \frac{z_c}{p_c} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} K_{p_N} = 91.59 \\ K_{p_0} = 8.23 \end{array} \right.$$

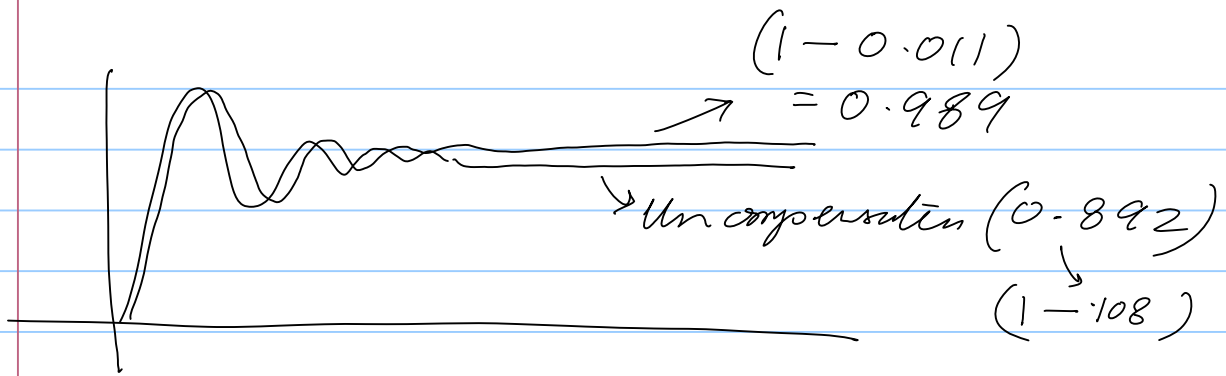
$$\frac{z_c}{p_c} = \frac{91.59}{8.23} = 11.13$$

Choose (arbitrarily) $p_c = 0.01$
 $\Rightarrow z_c = 11.13 p_c \approx 0.111$

R-L for this design:



Transient Response Comparison



Exercise: Compare this design with
 $z_c = 0.011$
 $p_c = 0.001$

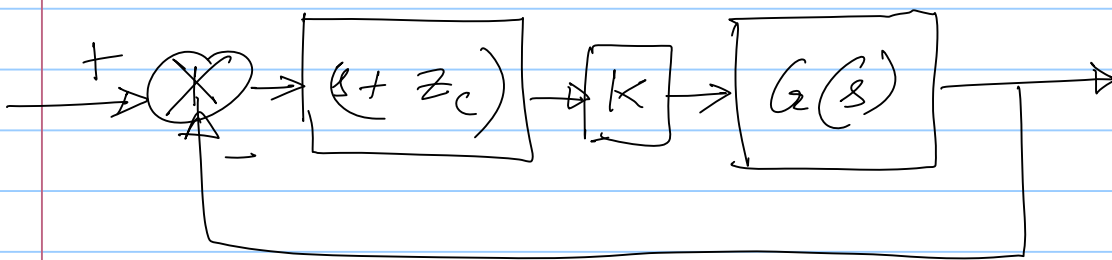
Transient Error Improvement

(Cascade Comp.)

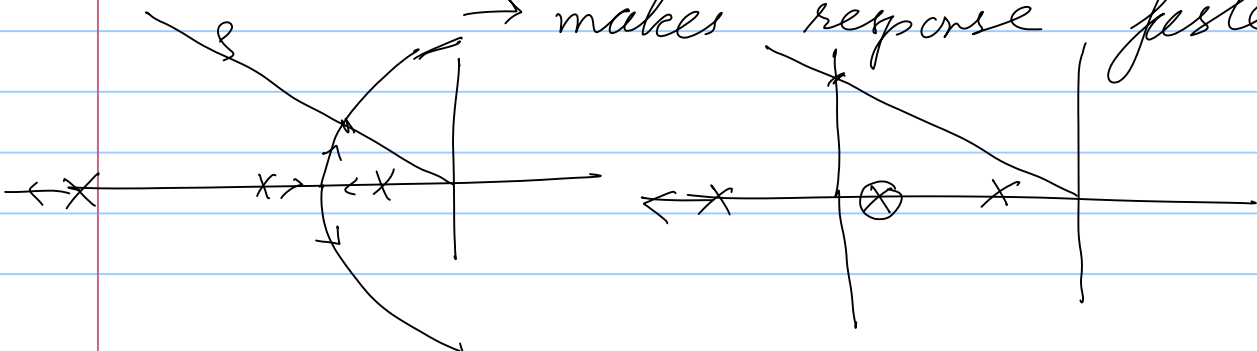
Objective: Meet (i) %OS spec
 (ii) T_s spec

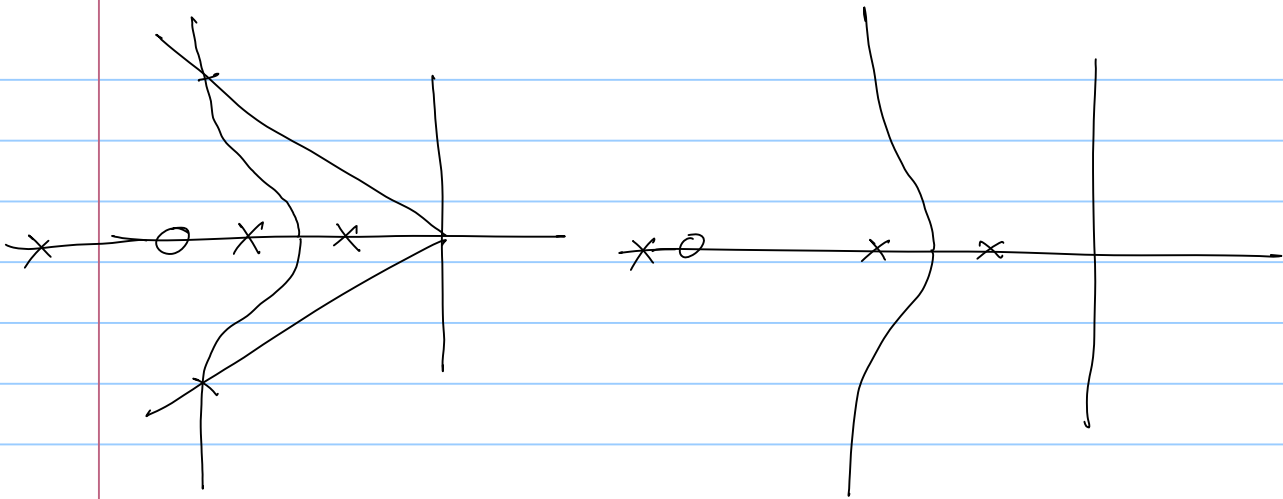
* Usually one of these can be met with just gain adjustment, but not both.

P-D compensator



Main idea: Add a real zero
 $\rightarrow$ makes response faster





Try moving the zero in SISO TOOL

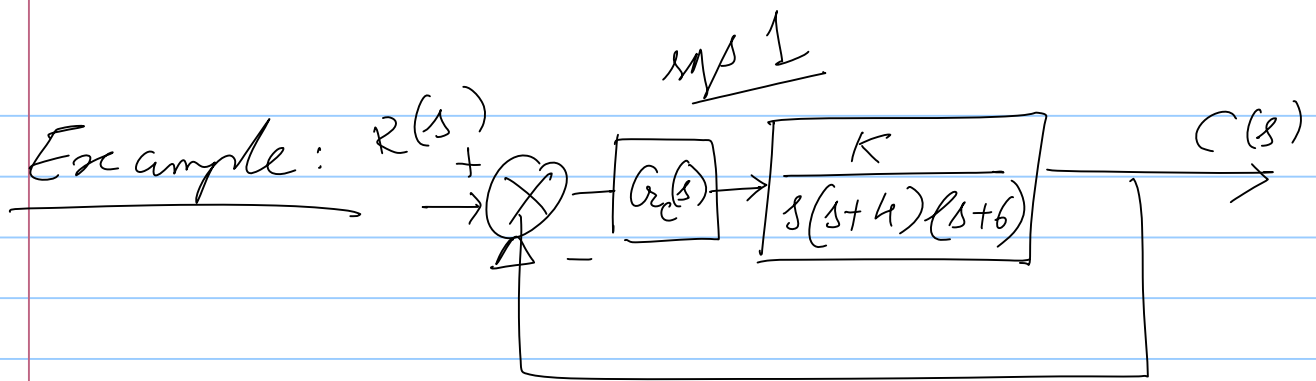
- * %OS remains almost same
- * T_s improves over uncompensated case
- * As the zero moves farther left, the response [R-L] approaches uncompensated case.
- * SSE may or may not improve in general.

P-D compensator design

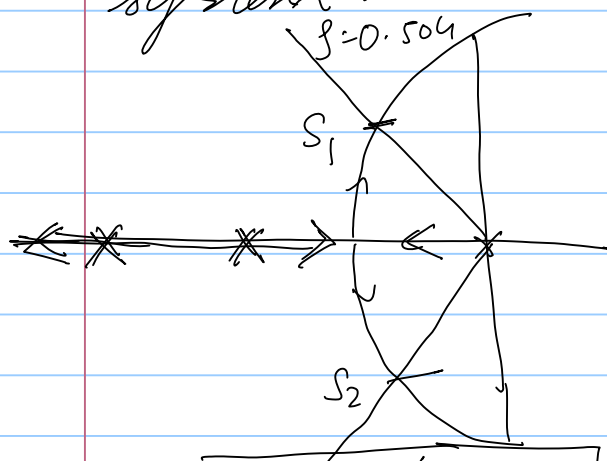
Step 1: Choose C.L. pole location according to specs. (say $\sigma + j\omega$)

Step 2: Calculate total angle contribution to $\sigma + j\omega$ from O.L. poles/zeros ($= \theta_{OL}$) say.

Step 3: Design the zero location to contribute an angle of $[(2k+1)180^\circ - \theta_{OL}]$.



Design a P-D compensator to yield 16% OS, and a threefold reduction in settling time than the uncompensated system.



$$16\% \text{ OS} = \zeta = 0.504$$

$$s_{1,2} = -1.205 \pm j 2.064$$

$$K = 43.35 \quad (\text{third pole} = -7.59)$$

2nd order approx OK.

$$T_s = \frac{4}{\zeta \omega_n} = \frac{4}{1.204} = 3.320$$

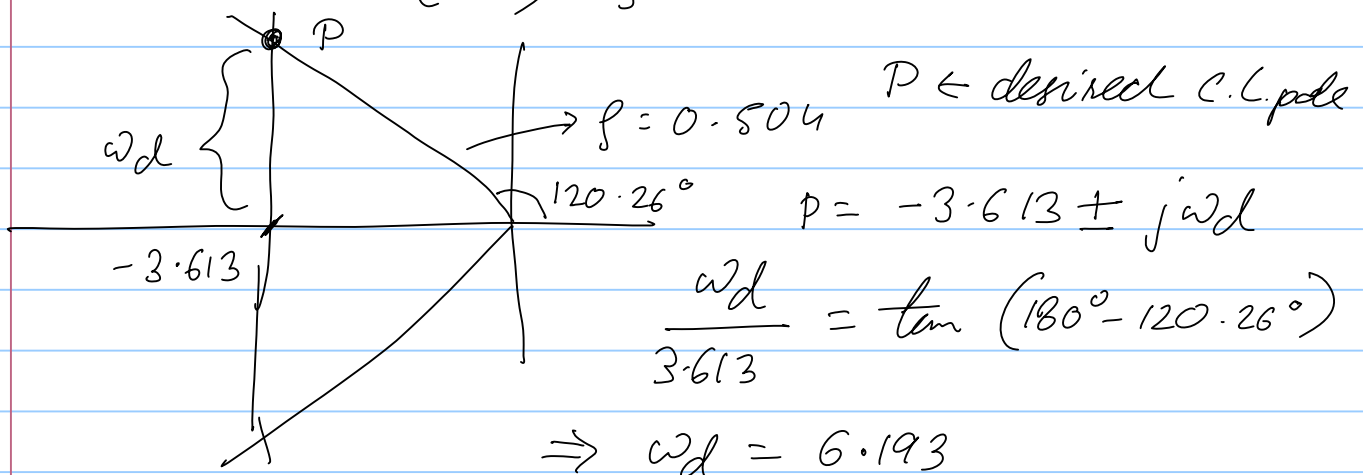
Simulation values $\zeta = 0.504$
 $T_s = 3.6$

$$K_v = 1.806$$

We want $T_{sN} = \frac{3.320}{3} = 1.107 \left(= \frac{4}{\sigma} \right)$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma = 3.613$$

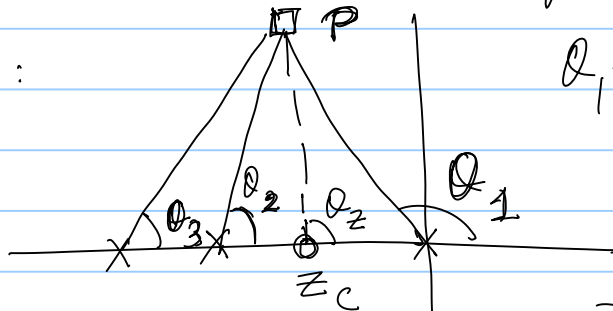
But %OS (i.e) ζ must remain same:



Desired C.L. (Dominant) poles₁ = $-3.613 \pm j6.19$

Q) Where should we add a zero to make the R-L pass through P?

Step 2:



$$\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3 = -275.6^\circ$$

$$\theta_z - (\theta_1 + \theta_2 + \theta_3) = -180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta_z = 95.6^\circ$$

From the geometry,

Why -180° ?

$$\frac{6.193}{(3.613 - z_c)} = \tan(180^\circ - 95.6^\circ)$$

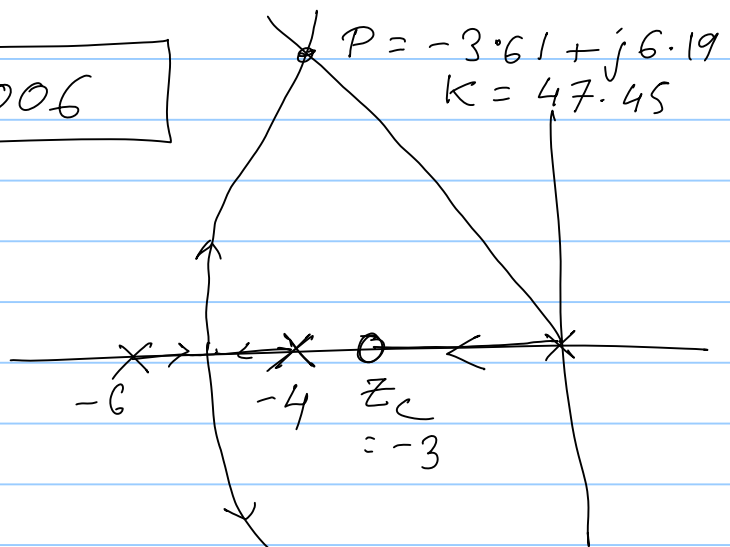
$$\Rightarrow z_c = 3.006$$

Complete R-L

$$K = 47.45$$

$$\text{Poles: } \begin{cases} -3.61 \pm j6.19 \\ -2.775 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Zero: } -3.006$$

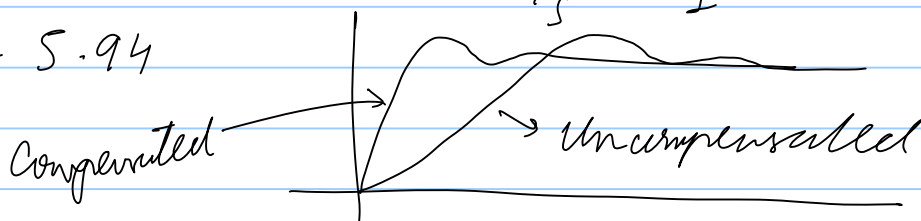


So second order approx is NOT valid.

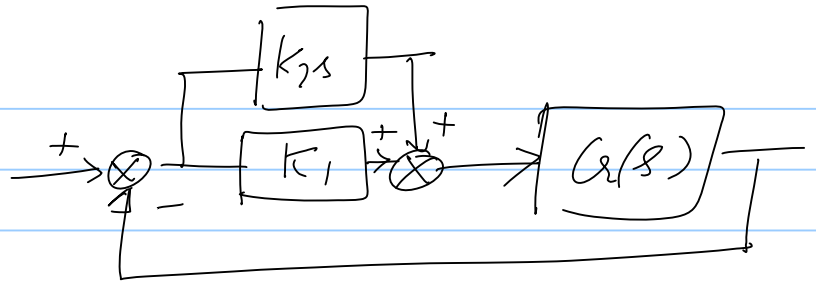
Simulation values: $\gamma_{OS} = 11.8$

$$T_s = 1.2$$

$$K_v = 5.94$$



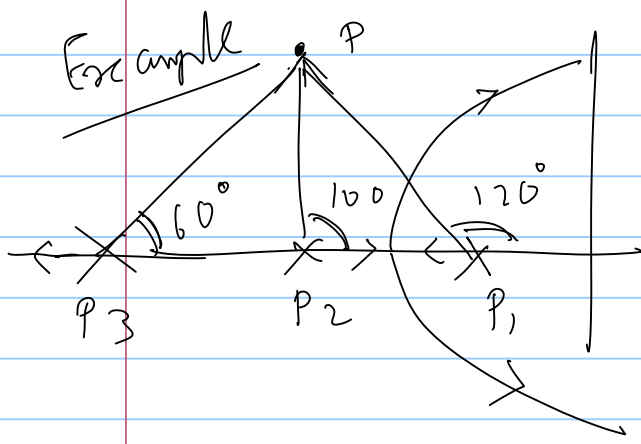
Implementation



Disadvantages : 1) Active elements needed
2) Noise amplification

Additional advantage : Reduces (usually) the number of branches crossing the $j\omega$ axis to the RHP

Lead - Compensation (Passive approx. of P-D)



To place poles at P:
 $-280^\circ + \theta = (2k+1)180^\circ$

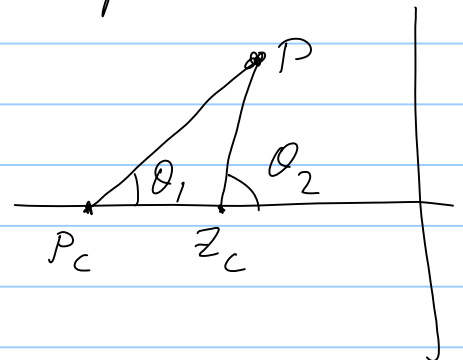
A +ve angle contribution is needed.

{	$= -180^\circ$
	$= 180^\circ$
	$= -540^\circ$
	$= +540^\circ$

* This can be realized with a passive network

$$G_c(s) = K \left(\frac{s + z_c}{s + p_c} \right)$$

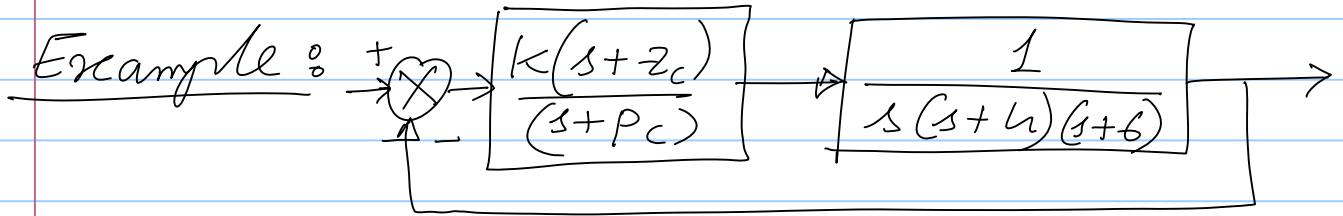
Total angle contribution at P = $(\theta_2 - \theta_1) > 0$



* Note that $|z_c| > |p_c|$ in Lag Network
 $|z_c| < |p_c|$ in lead network

* There can be many choices of z_c, p_c Chosen according to :

- gain required
- SSE achieved
- 2nd order approx validity.

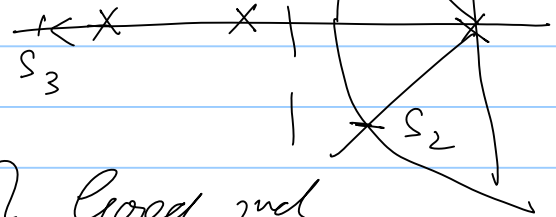


Design lead compensation to achieve

- (i) 30% OS
- (ii) improve settling time by a factor of 2.

$$30\% \text{ OS} \Rightarrow \zeta = 0.358$$

Uncompensated system:



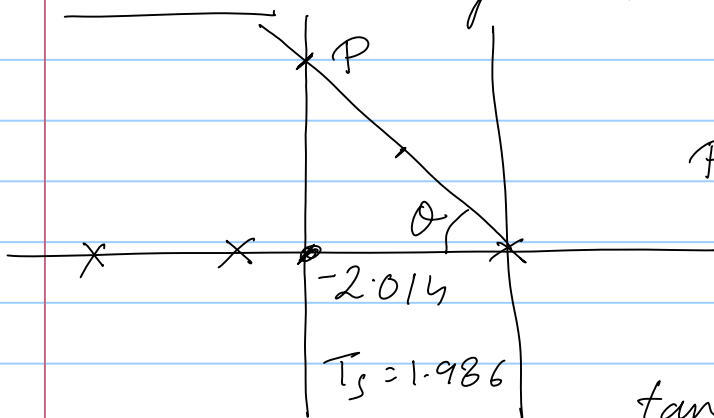
$$K = 63.21$$

CL Poles: $s_{1,2} = -1.007 \pm j2.627$ } Good 2nd order approx
 $s_3 = -7.98$

We can use settling time formula:

$$T_s = \frac{4}{\text{Real part}} = \frac{4}{1.007} = 3.972$$

Problem: Keep %OS = 30, make $T_s = \frac{3.972}{2} = 1.986$



$$P := \sigma + j\omega;$$

$$T_s = \frac{4}{\sigma} = 1.986$$

$$\sigma = 2.014$$

$$\tan Q = \frac{\omega}{2.014}; \cos Q = 0.358$$

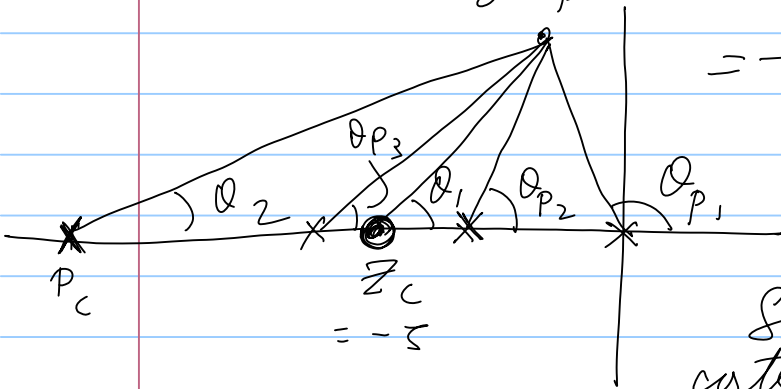
$$\Rightarrow \omega = 5.252 \text{ and } P = -2.014 + j 5.252$$

Next we need to choose z_c & p_c to include P in the R.-L.

Total angle contribution from O-L poles

$$= -(Q_{P_1} + Q_{P_2} + Q_{P_3}) + Q_1$$

$$= -172.69^{\circ}$$



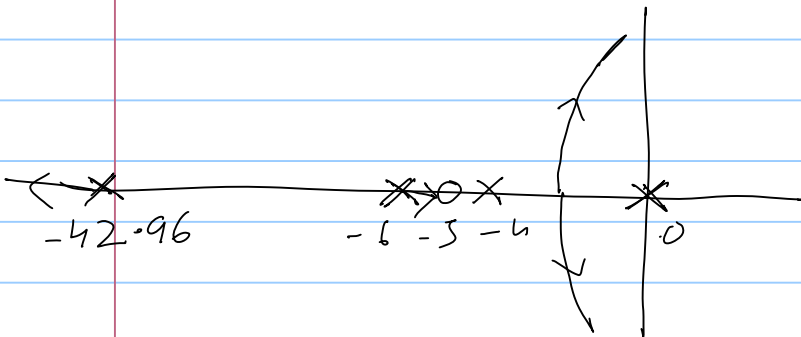
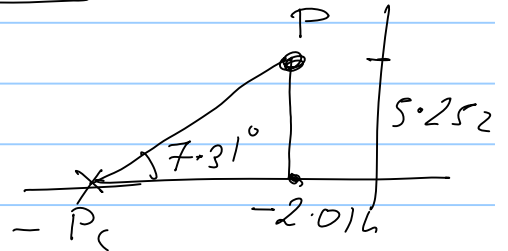
So a total angle contribution of -7.31° is needed from the lead comp.

$i' e$

$$Q_2 = 7.31^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5.252}{P_C - 2.014} = \tan 7.31^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow P_C = 42.96$$



$$K = 1423$$

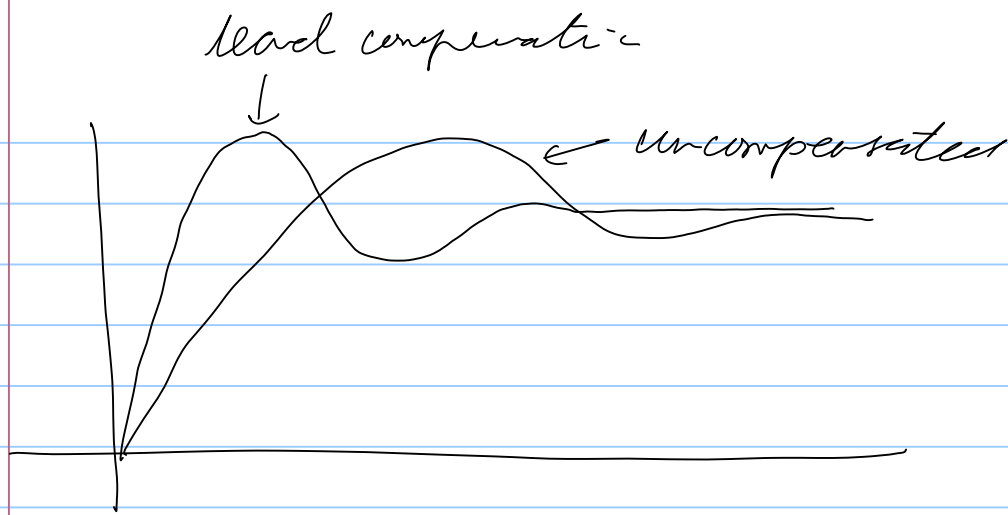
C-L poles $\begin{cases} -2.014 \pm j5.252 \\ -43-8 \\ -5+134 \end{cases}$

C.L.

Zero $\rightarrow -5$

$$e(\mathcal{S}) = \frac{1}{K_v} = 0.145 \quad (\text{Type 1})$$

2nd order approx OK since pole zero are close & other pole is at -42.96 .



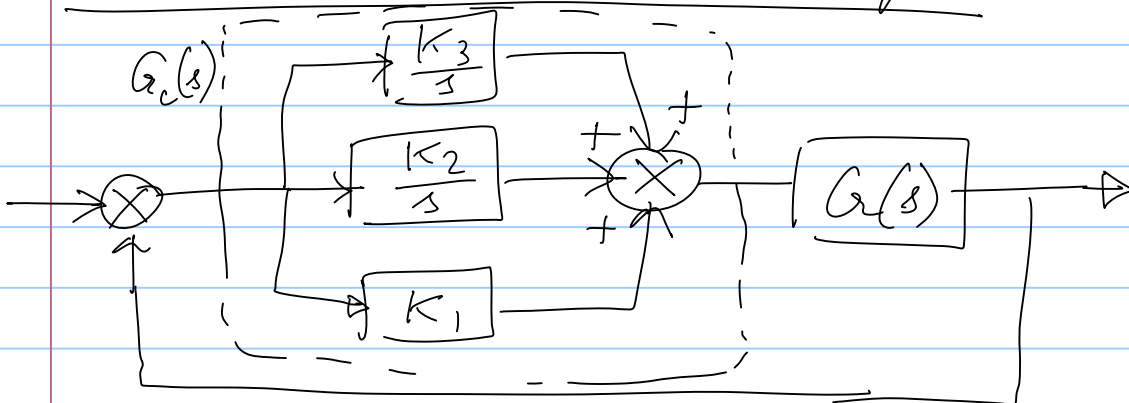
Exercise: Design two other lead compensators for the same system with $z_c = -4$ and $z_c = -2$.

Improving SSE + Transient Response

Method: { i) 1st improve Tr. Resp. (using P-D)
 { ii) Then improve SSE (using PI)

* Reverse order is also possible but not to be covered here.

PID Controller Design



$$G_c(s) = K_1 + \frac{K_2}{s} + K_3 s$$

$$\text{or } G_c(s) = \frac{K_3 s^2 + K_1 s + K_2}{s}$$

* two zeroes

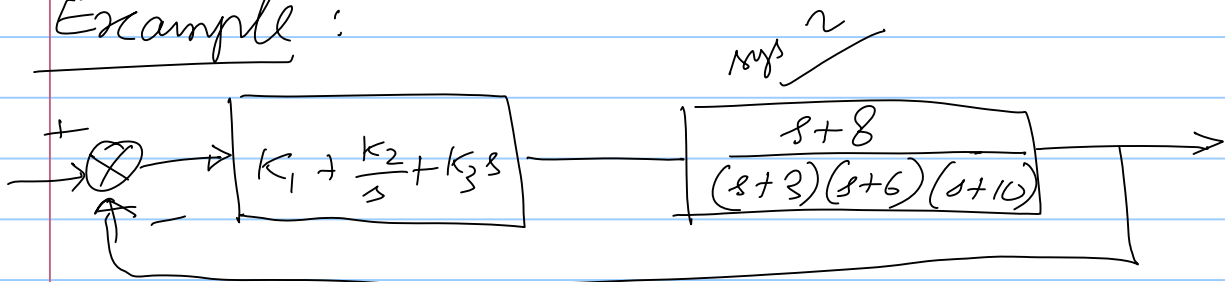
* one pole at origin

* One zero + 1 pole at origin $\equiv$ PI control
 * Other zero $\equiv$ PD

Design steps:

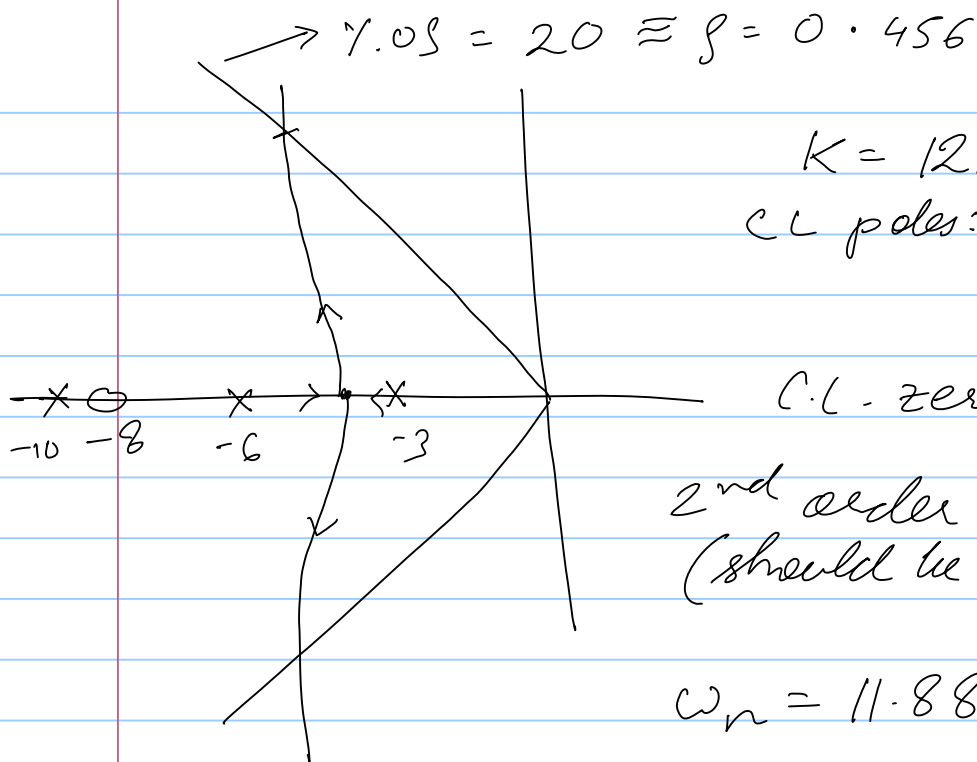
- 1) Evaluate performance of Uncomp. system
- 2) Design PD controller to meet transient specs — Verify with simulations
- 3) Design PI control to yield SSE
- 4) Determine gains K_1, K_2, K_3 . $\rightarrow$ Verify with simulation

Example:



Design PID controller so that (i) peak time reduces to $\frac{2}{3}$ of uncompensated system
 (ii) $\gamma.O.S = 20$
 (iii) $SSE = 0$ for step input.

Step 1: Uncompensated system (Gain design)



$$K = 121.5$$

$$\text{C.L. poles: } \begin{cases} -5.4 \pm j10.57 \\ -8.169 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{C.L. zero} = -8$$

2nd order approx is valid.
(should be verified with simulation)

$$\omega_n = 11.88 ; \xi = 0.456$$

$$\gamma.O.S = 20 ; T_p = \frac{\pi}{\omega_n \sqrt{1-\xi^2}} = 0.297$$

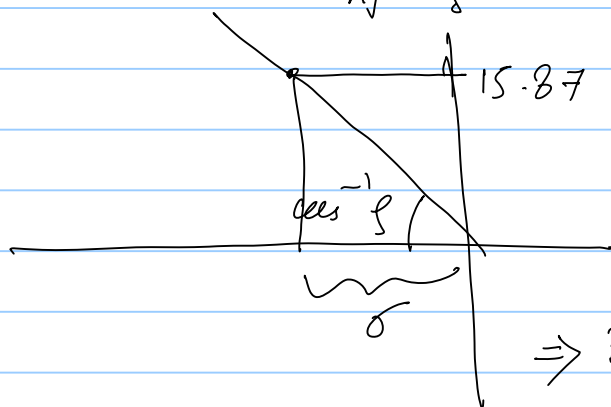
$$K_p = \frac{121.5 \times 8}{3 \times 6 \times 10} = 5.4 ; e(\infty) = 0.156$$

Step 2 : PD controller design

We want peak time

$$T_{pN} = \frac{2}{3} T_{p0} = \frac{2}{3} \times (0.297)$$

$$T_{pN} = \frac{\pi}{\omega_n \sqrt{1-\xi^2}} \Rightarrow \underbrace{\omega_n \sqrt{1-\xi^2}}_{\substack{\text{imag part} \\ \text{of desired} \\ \text{C.L. dominant pole}}} = \frac{\pi}{\frac{2}{3} \times (0.297)}$$



$$\sigma = -8.13$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Req. C.L. poles} = \underline{-8.13 \pm j15.87}$$

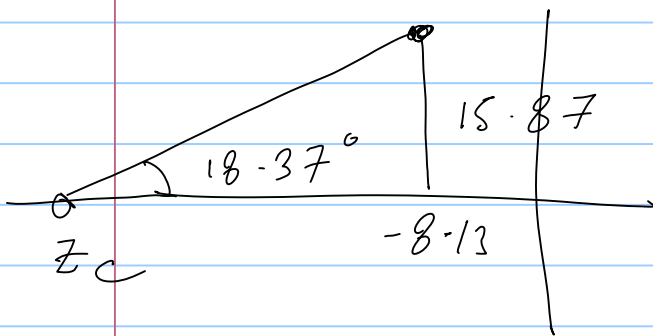
Total angle contribution of the O.L

poles at $-3, -6, -10$ & zero at -8
 at $(-8.13 + j15.87)$ is
 -198.37°

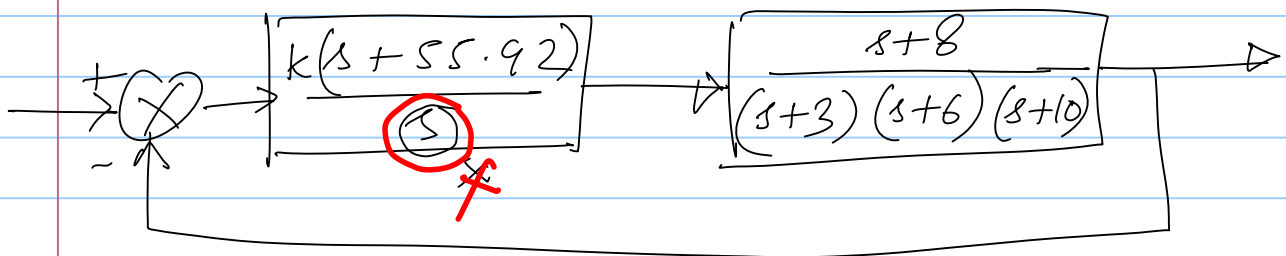
Angle contribution req. from zero

$$= +18.37^\circ \Rightarrow \frac{15.87}{z_c - 8.13} = \tan 18.37$$

$$\Rightarrow z_c = 55.92$$



$$G_{PD}(s) = (s + 55.92)$$



$$K = 5.34 : \text{C.L. poles: } \begin{cases} -8.13 \pm j15.87 \\ -8.079 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{C.L. zeros } \begin{cases} -8 \\ -55.92 \end{cases}$$

Second Order approx OK

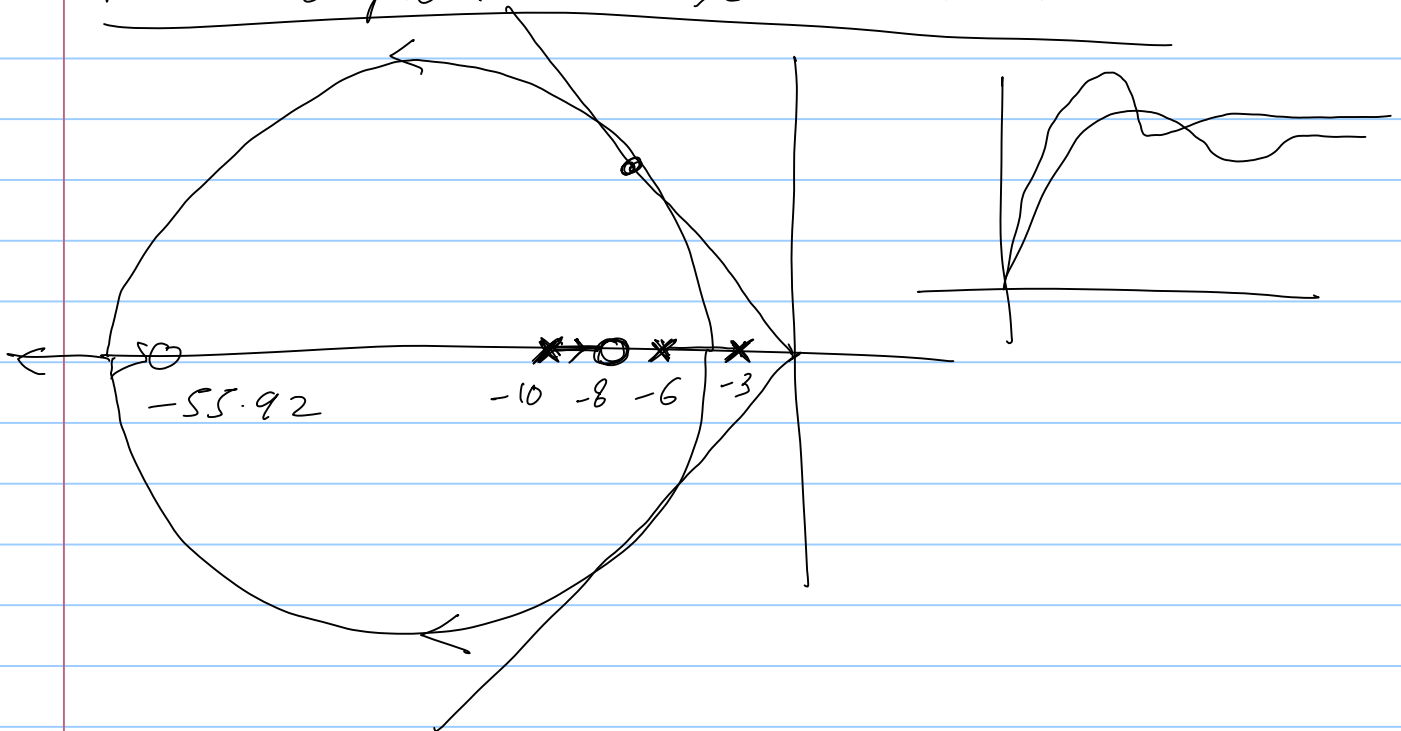
$$T_p = 0.198 ;$$

$$K_p = 13.27 \quad e(\infty) = 0.070$$

Verify

Simulation results closely match

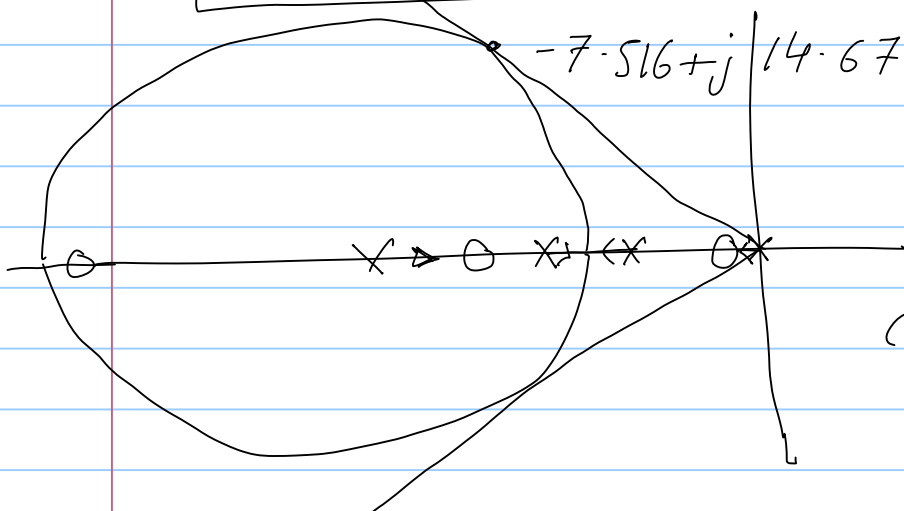
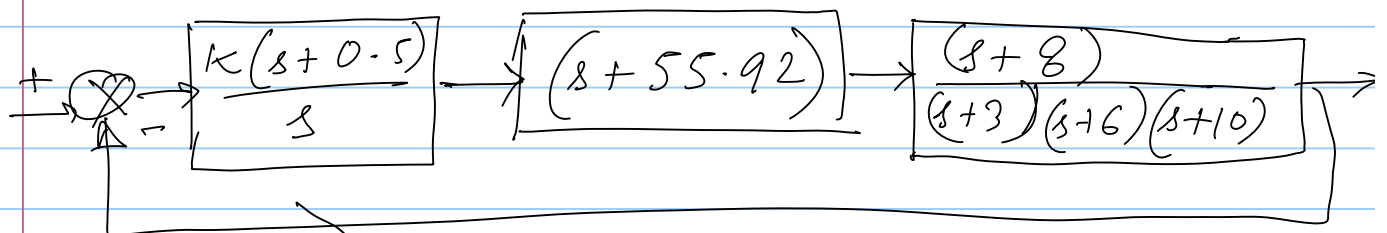
P-D compensated root-locus



PI - Compensator Design

* Zero should be close to origin

$$G_{PI}(s) = K \left(\frac{s + 0.5}{s} \right)$$



Now R-L
and dead $\tau = 0.456$
line.

$$K = 4.6$$

$$\text{C.L. poles: } \begin{cases} -7.516 \pm j14.67 \\ -8.099 \\ -0.468 \end{cases}$$

C/L zeros: $-8, -55.92, -0.5$.

2nd order approx is OK.

$$\underline{e(s) = 0} \quad (\text{Type 1 system})$$

Determine K_1, K_2, K_3

$$\text{PID comp: } \frac{4.6(s + 55.92)(s + 0.5)}{s}$$

$$= \frac{4.6(s^2 + 56.42s + 27.96)}{s}$$

$$K_1 = 259.5, \quad K_2 = 128.6, \quad K_3 = 4.6$$



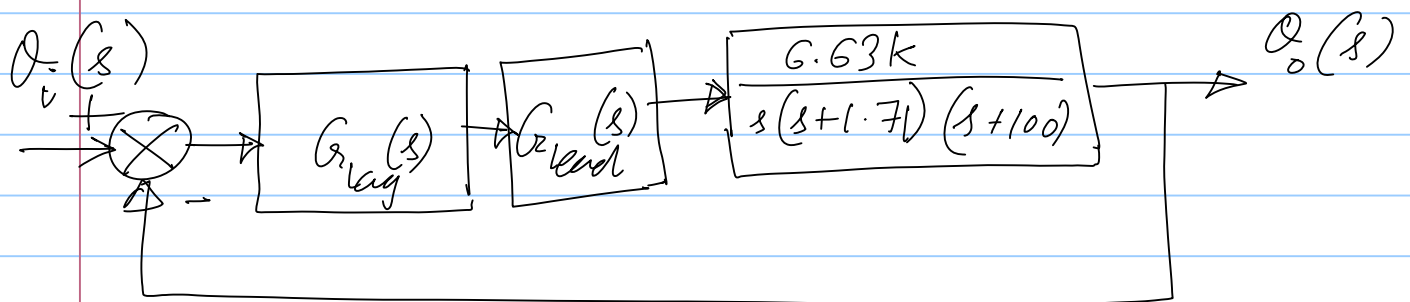
Exercise: PID control slows down the system. What is the solⁿ?

Lag - Lead Compensation

- 1) Evaluate performance of Uncomp. system
- 2) Design LEAD controller to meet transient specs — Verify with simulations

- 3) Design SSE to check how much improvement is still required.
- 4) Design LAG comp. to yield SSE — Verify with simulation

Example: Antenna Control:



Design cascade comp. to meet:

- 1) 25% OS
- 2) $T_s = 2$ sec
- 3) $K_V = 20$

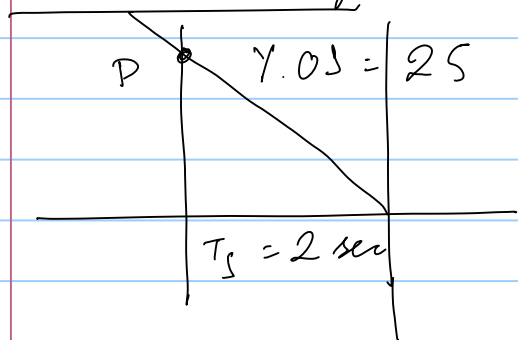
Gain design (done in Chap 8):

$\gamma.O.S. = 25$ was achieved with $K = 64.21$
 C.L. poles: $-0.833 \pm j1.888$ 2nd order
 Third pole < -100 Ap. OK

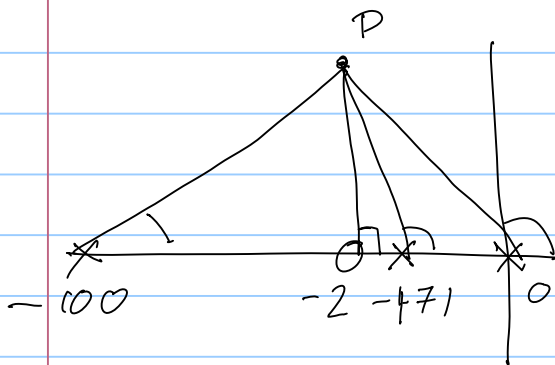
$$T_s = \frac{4}{0.833} = 4.8 \text{ seconds.}$$

$$K_V = \frac{6.63 \times 64.21}{(1.71) \times 100} = 2.49$$

Lead Comp: improve $T_s (= 2 \text{ sec})$

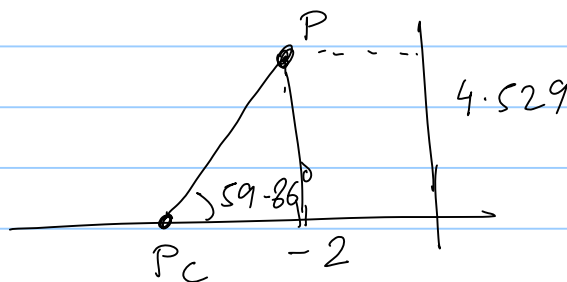


Assume lead comp zero at -2 ($z_c = 2$)



Total angle controls
 $= -120.14^\circ$

Pole should contribute $= -59.86^\circ$



$$\frac{4.529}{P_c - 2} = \tan 59.86^\circ$$

$$P_c = 4.63$$

Lead comp system: $\frac{6.63 K (s+2)}{s(s+1.71)(s+100)(s+4.63)}$

Find $K = \left(\frac{2549}{6.63} \right)$

Check using simulation

Check $K_v = \frac{2549 \times 2}{(1.71)(100)(4.63)} = 6.44$

But we want $K_v = 20$. $\left(\text{Improvement} = \frac{20}{6.44} = 3.1 \right)$

LAG Compensation: Choose pole $P_c = -0.01$

$$Z_c = 3.1 \times (-0.01)$$

$$= -0.031$$

Compute gain

$$\left(\frac{s+0.031}{s+0.01} \right) \left(\frac{s+2}{s+4.63} \right) \left(\frac{6.63 K}{s(s+1.71)(s+100)} \right)$$

$$6.63K = 2533 \Rightarrow K = 382.1$$

Summary: $K = 382.1$

$$K_v = \frac{2533 \times 2 \times 0.031}{(0.01)(1.71)(4.63)(100)} = 19.84$$

Exercise: Check P.L. poles/zeros
& time domain simulation.

Exercise: Challenge problem on Pg 493.

Reading Exercise: 1) Active ckt Realization
2) Passive ckt "
