

SMALL SIGNAL STATE SPACE AVERAGING

PROBLEM 1.

For the buck-boost converter of Fig. 1, determine the control-to-output, $\frac{\hat{v}}{\hat{d}}(s)$, transfer function, using the technique of state-space averaging. Hence determine the DC gain and the location of the poles and zeroes in terms of V_g , D and the circuit parameters, L , C and R , only. (In the case of a complex pole pair, you need only determine the resonant frequency and Q).

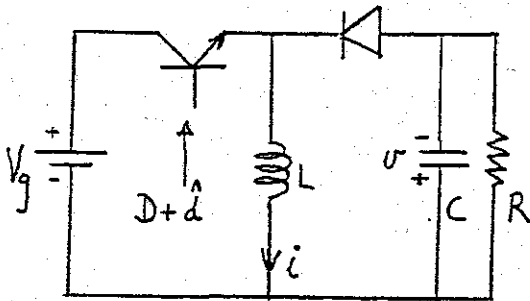


Fig. 1.

PROBLEM 2.

The output impedance of a system may be determined by driving the output with a perturbation current source, as shown in Fig. 2, and noting the voltage variations and then forming the quotient

$$Z_{out} = \frac{\hat{v}}{\hat{i}}$$

Using this information and the small-signal mathematical model of state-space averaging, determine the output impedance, Z_{out} , of the converter shown in Fig. 3.

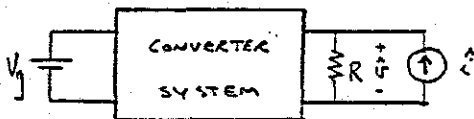


Fig. 2.

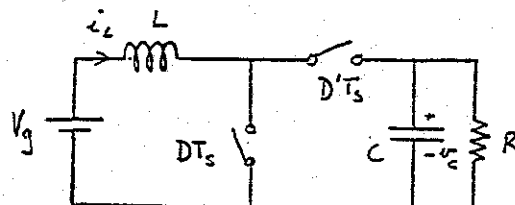
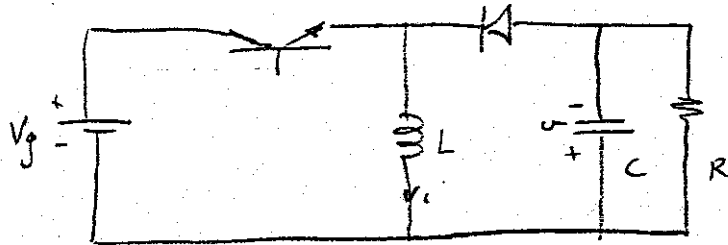


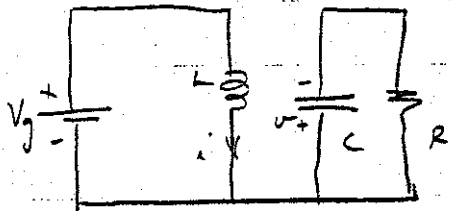
Fig. 3.

SOLUTION

PROBLEM 1



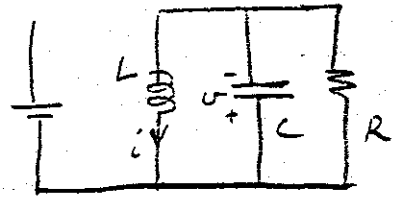
DURING $D T_s$



$$-V_g + L \dot{i} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{i} = \frac{V_g}{L}$$

$$C \dot{v} = -\frac{v}{R} \Rightarrow \dot{v} = -\frac{v}{RC}$$

DURING $D' T_s$



$$v + L \dot{i} = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{i} = -\frac{v}{L}$$

$$C \dot{v} = i - \frac{v}{R} \Rightarrow \dot{v} = \frac{i}{C} - \frac{v}{RC}$$

let $z = [i \ v]^T$

$$\dot{z} = A_1 z + b_1 V_g$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} i \\ v \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i \\ v \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} V_g$$

$$A = D A_1 + D' A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{D'}{L} \\ \frac{D}{C} & -\frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dot{z} = A_2 z + b_2 V_g$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} i \\ v \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & -\frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i \\ v \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} V_g$$

$$b = D b_1 + D' b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = -A^{-1} b V_g$$

$$\Rightarrow X = - \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{D'}{L} \\ \frac{D'}{C} & -\frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} V_g$$

$$= - \frac{LC}{D'^2} \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{RC} & \frac{D'}{L} \\ -\frac{D'}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} V_g$$

$$= - \frac{LC}{D'^2} \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{RC} \\ -\frac{D'}{C} \end{bmatrix} V_g = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{RD'^2} \\ \frac{D}{D'} \end{bmatrix} V_g$$

$$\frac{\hat{x}}{d} = (sI - A)^{-1} b_d \quad \text{where } b_d = (A_1 - A_2)X + (b_1 - b_2)V_g$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} s & +\frac{D'}{L} \\ -\frac{D'}{C} & s + \frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{L} \\ -\frac{1}{C} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{RD'^2} \\ \frac{D}{D'} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\} V_g$$

$$= \frac{1}{s(s + \frac{1}{RC}) + \frac{D'^2}{LC}} \begin{bmatrix} s + \frac{1}{RC} & -\frac{D'}{L} \\ +\frac{D'}{C} & s \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \left(\frac{D}{D'} + 1\right) \frac{1}{L} \\ -\frac{D}{RD'^2} \end{bmatrix} V_g$$

$$\frac{\hat{x}}{d} = \frac{1}{s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{D'^2}{LC}} \begin{bmatrix} \left(s + \frac{1}{RC}\right) \frac{1}{D'L} + \frac{D}{RCLD'} \\ \frac{1}{LC} - \frac{sD}{RCD'^2} \end{bmatrix} V_g$$

$$\hat{y} = c \hat{x} + (c_1 - c_2) X \hat{d}$$

$$y = v \Rightarrow c_1 = c_2 = c = [0 \ 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\hat{v}}{d} = c \frac{\hat{x}}{d} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{LC} - \frac{sD}{RC D'^2} \right) V_g}{s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{D'^2}{LC}}$$

$$= V_g \frac{\frac{1}{LC} \left(1 - \frac{sD}{RC D'^2} \right)}{\frac{D'^2}{LC} \left(\frac{s^2 LC}{D'^2} + \frac{LC}{D'^2} \frac{s}{RC} + 1 \right)}$$

$$\frac{\hat{v}}{d} = \frac{V_g}{D'^2} \frac{1 - \frac{sLD}{RD'^2}}{\frac{LCs^2}{D'^2} + \frac{L}{D'^2 R} s + 1}$$

DC gain = $\frac{V_g}{D'^2}$

RHP zero at $\omega_z = \frac{D'^2 R}{DL}$

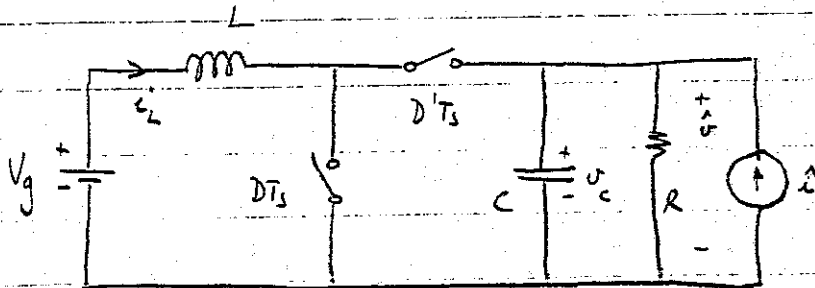
Complex pole pair at $\omega_0^2 = \frac{D'^2}{LC} \Rightarrow \omega_0 = \frac{D'}{\sqrt{LC}}$

$$\frac{1}{\omega_0 Q} = \frac{L}{D'^2 R} \Rightarrow Q = \frac{D'^2 R}{L} \frac{\sqrt{LC}}{D'} = D' R \sqrt{\frac{C}{L}}$$

SOLUTION

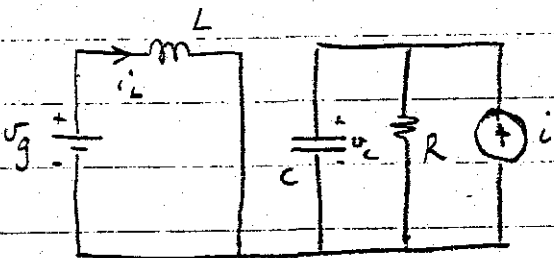
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PROBLEM 1



$$\text{Let } x = \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} \quad u = \begin{bmatrix} v_g \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

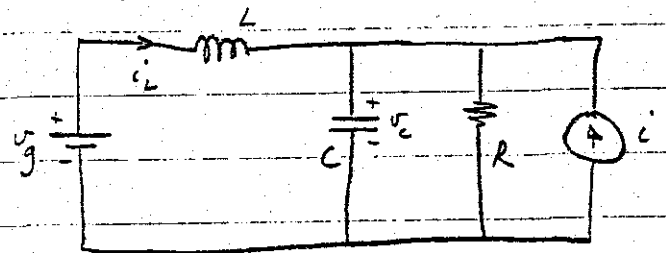
DURING DT_s



$$-V_g + L \frac{di_L}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{di_L}{dt} = \frac{V_g}{L}$$

$$i = C \frac{dv_C}{dt} + \frac{v_C}{R} \Rightarrow \frac{dv_C}{dt} = \frac{i}{C} - \frac{v_C}{RC}$$

DURING $D'T_s$



$$-V_g + L \frac{di_L}{dt} + v_C = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{di_L}{dt} = \frac{V_g}{L} - \frac{v_C}{L}$$

$$i_L + i = C \frac{dv_C}{dt} + \frac{v_C}{R} \Rightarrow \frac{dv_C}{dt} = \frac{-v_C + i_L + i}{RC}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}}_{A_1} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix}}_{B_1} \begin{bmatrix} v_g \\ i \end{bmatrix} \quad \frac{d}{dt} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & -\frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}}_{A_2} \begin{bmatrix} i_L \\ v_C \end{bmatrix} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix}}_{B_2} \begin{bmatrix} v_g \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dot{\hat{x}} = A\hat{x} + B\hat{u} + \left[(A_1 - A_2)X + (B_1 - B_2)u \right] \hat{d}$$

$$\dot{\hat{y}} = C\hat{x} + E\hat{u} + \left[(C_1 - C_2)X + (E_1 - E_2)u \right] \hat{d}$$

where $A = DA_1 + D'A_2$

$C = DC_1 + D'C_2$

$B = DB_1 + D'B_2$

$E = DE_1 + D'E_2$

we require $Z_{out} = \frac{\hat{u}}{\hat{z}}$

Set $\hat{d} = 0 \Rightarrow$

$$\hat{y} = \left[C(sI - A)^{-1}B + E \right] \hat{u}$$

Now $\hat{y} = \hat{u} = \hat{u}_c = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{C_1 = C_2 = C} \hat{z} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{E_1 = E_2 = E} \hat{u}$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{u} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s & + \frac{D'}{L} \\ -\frac{D'}{L} & s + \frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \hat{u}$$

$$\hat{u} = \left\{ \frac{1}{s(s + \frac{1}{RC}) + \frac{D'^2}{LC}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s + \frac{1}{RC} & -\frac{D'}{L} \\ \frac{D'}{C} & s \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix} \right\} \hat{u}$$

$$= \left\{ \frac{1}{s^2 + s \frac{L}{R} + \frac{D'^2}{LC}} \left[\frac{D'}{C} \quad s \right] \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{C} \end{bmatrix} \right\} \hat{u}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2 + s \frac{L}{R} + \frac{D'^2}{LC}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D'}{LC} & s \\ & \end{bmatrix} \hat{u}$$

$$\hat{u} = \frac{\frac{D'}{LC} \hat{u}_g}{s^2 + s \frac{L}{R} + \frac{D'^2}{LC}} + \frac{\frac{s}{C} \hat{u}}{s^2 + s \frac{L}{R} + \frac{D'^2}{LC}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \frac{\hat{u}}{\hat{u}_g} \right|_{\hat{u}=0} = \frac{\frac{1}{C}}{\frac{D'^2}{LC}} \frac{s}{\frac{LC}{D'^2} s^2 + s \frac{L}{R} \frac{L}{D'^2} + 1}$$

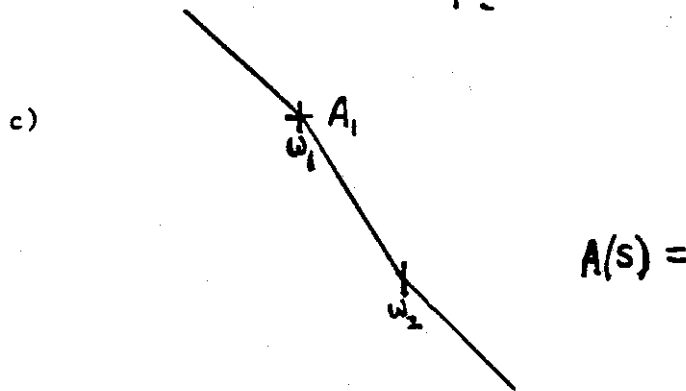
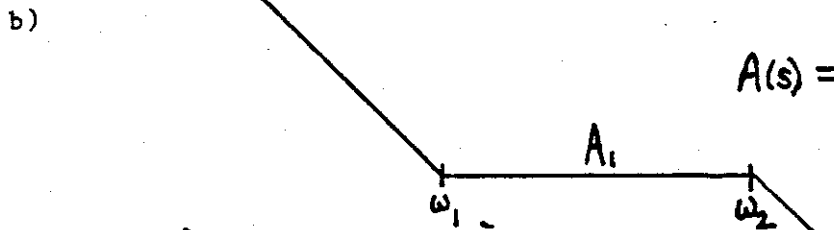
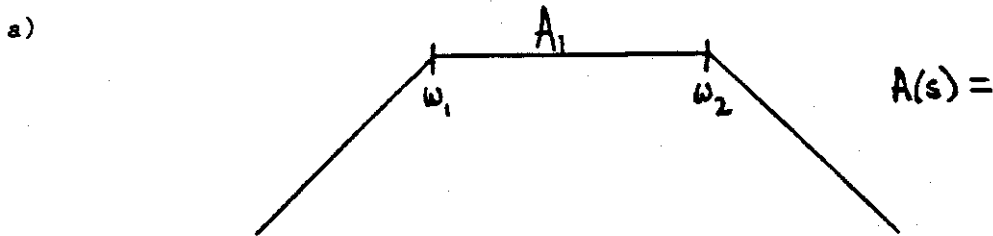
$$\Rightarrow Z_{out} = \frac{1}{D'^2} \frac{sL}{\frac{LC}{D'^2} s^2 + s \frac{L}{D'^2 R} + 1}$$

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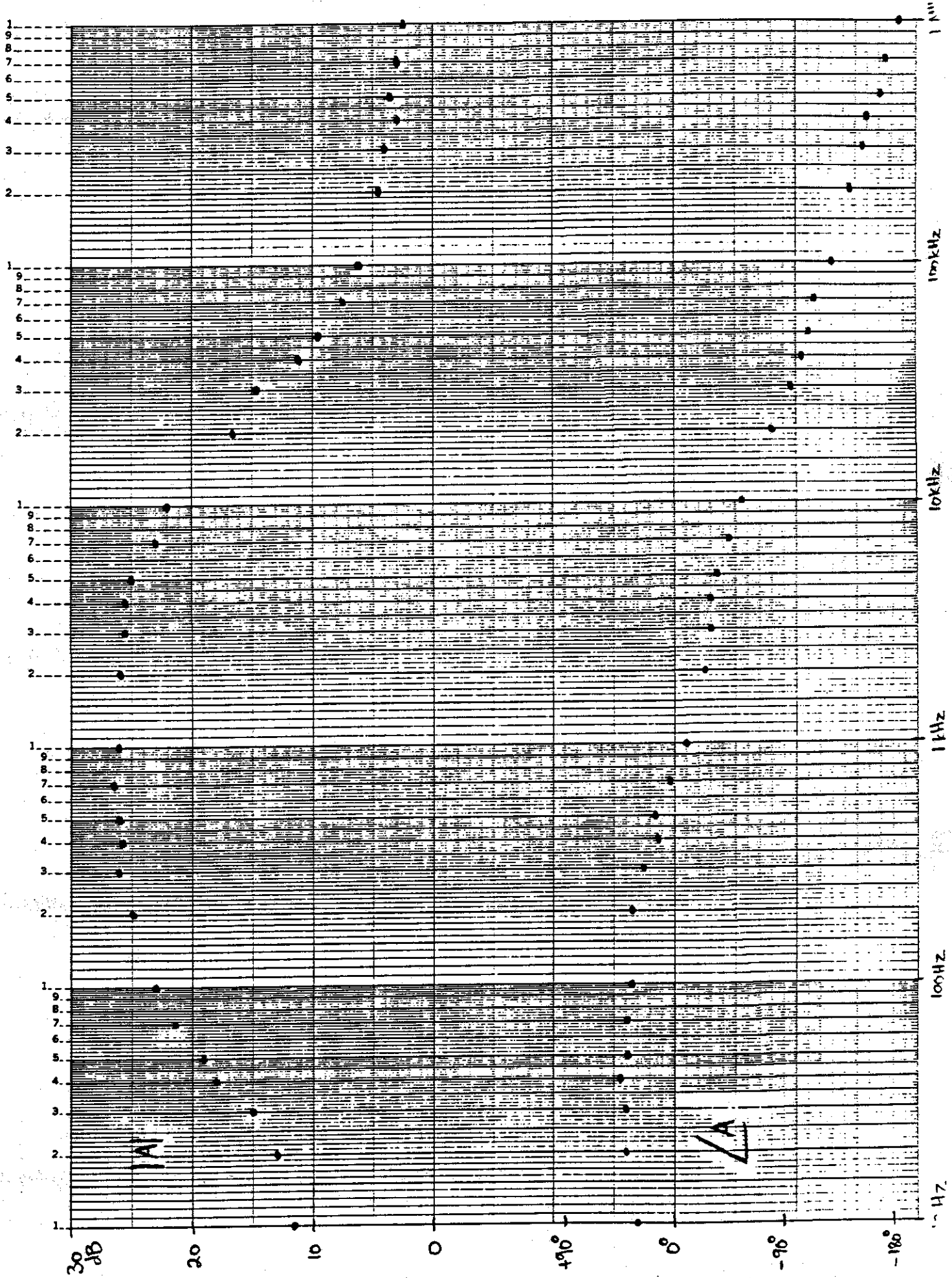
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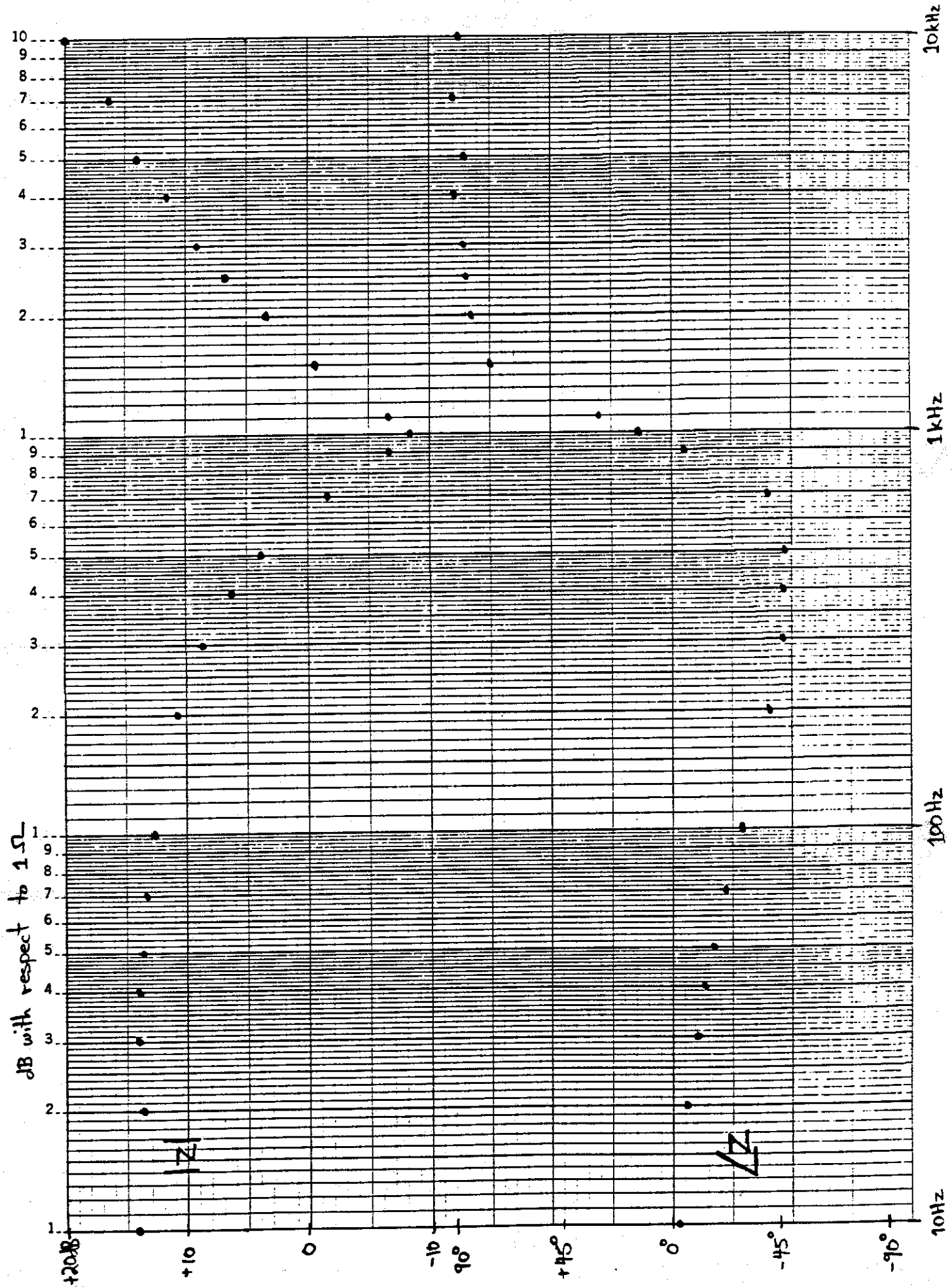
Review of Bode Diagrams

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SOLUTION

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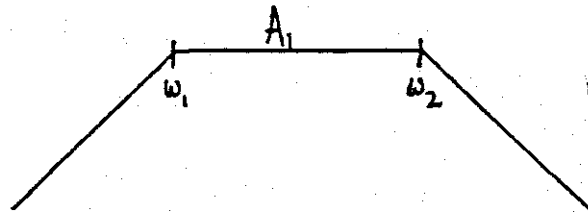
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Problem

Review of Bode Diagrams

1. Express the gains in factored pole-zero form.

a)



$$A(s) = A_1 \frac{\omega_2}{s} \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{\omega_2}{s}\right) \left(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}\right)}$$

OR

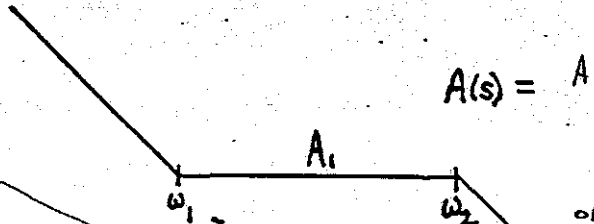
$$A(s) = \frac{A_1}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_1}\right)}$$

OR

$$A(s) = A_1 \frac{s/\omega_1}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_1}\right)}$$

$$A(s) = A_1 \frac{\omega_2}{s} \frac{1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}}{1 + \frac{\omega_2}{s}}$$

b)



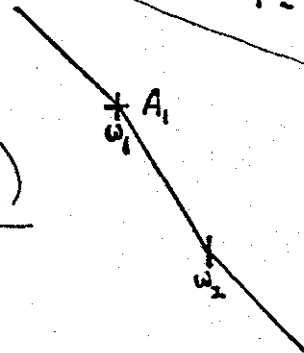
$$A(s) = \frac{A_1 \left(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}\right)}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}}$$

OR

$$A(s) = \frac{A_1 \omega_1 \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_1}\right)}{s \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\right)}$$

$$A(s) = A_1 \frac{\omega_1 \omega_2}{s^2} \left(\frac{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_1}}{1 + \frac{\omega_2}{s}} \right)$$

c)



$$A(s) = \frac{A_1 \left(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_1}\right)^2}$$

$$A(s) = \frac{A_1 \frac{\omega_1}{s} \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\right)}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_1}}$$

2. The accompanying graphs show experimental magnitude and phase data for a certain gain function $A(s)$ and impedance $Z(s)$. Draw appropriate straight-line asymptotes through the data points and hence deduce numerical values for the mid-frequency gain A_m and low-frequency impedance R_0 , as well as for the poles, zeroes, and Q-factors in the corresponding analytic expressions for $A(s)$ and $Z(s)$.

PROBLEM

The attached graph shows experimental data for a certain gain function A. Draw appropriate straight-line asymptotes through the data points and hence deduce numerical values for the low-frequency gain and for the poles and zeros in the corresponding analytic expression for A.

Draw horizontal asymptotes (1) & (2). This fixes maximum gain (A) at 26 dB and maximum +ve phase shift at $\approx 42^\circ$. The +ve phase shift confirms the existence of a LHP zero at a low frequency hinted at by the magnitude characteristic. With the gain and phase we can determine the low frequency gain (A_0) using $f_{max} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{k-1}{2\sqrt{k}} \right)$ where k is the ratio of the gains. We find $A_0 \approx 12$ dB, this is a little high considering the data points after drawing (3) (at +20dB/dec); however (4) at ≈ 10 to fit curve better. Draw in (5) at -20dB/dec. Draw in (6), (7) & (8), conforming a high frequency pole (≈ 7 kHz), phase slope -45/-90/-135 per dec. Draw in (9) with (10) and (11) indicates RHP zero at a high frequency ≈ 100 kHz.

The resulting analytic expression for A is

$$A(s) = A_0 \frac{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_0}\right) \left(1 - \frac{s}{\omega_3}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_1}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\right)}$$

where $A_0 = 10 \text{ dB} \rightarrow 3.2$

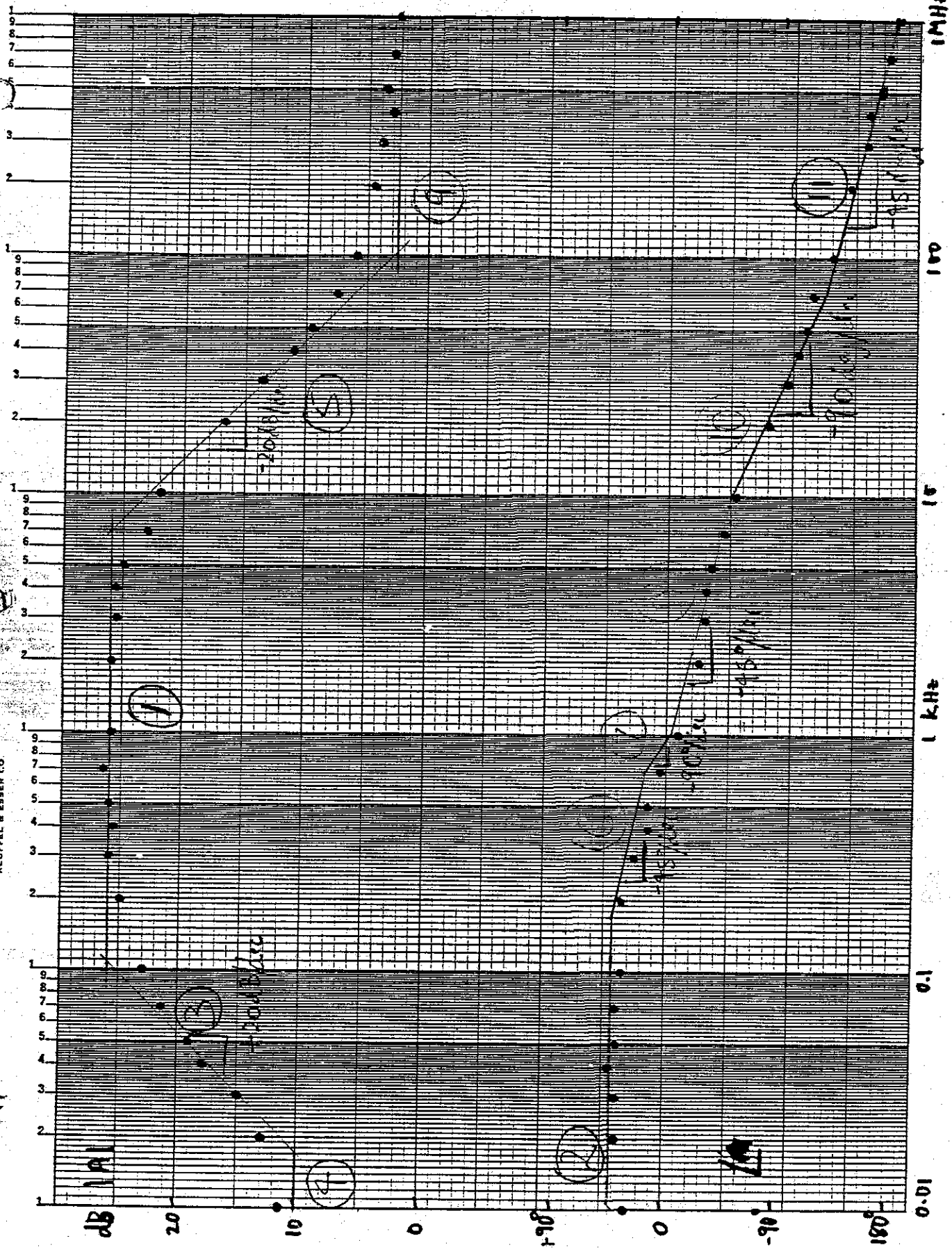
LHP zero $\omega_0 \rightarrow f_0 = 17 \text{ Hz}$

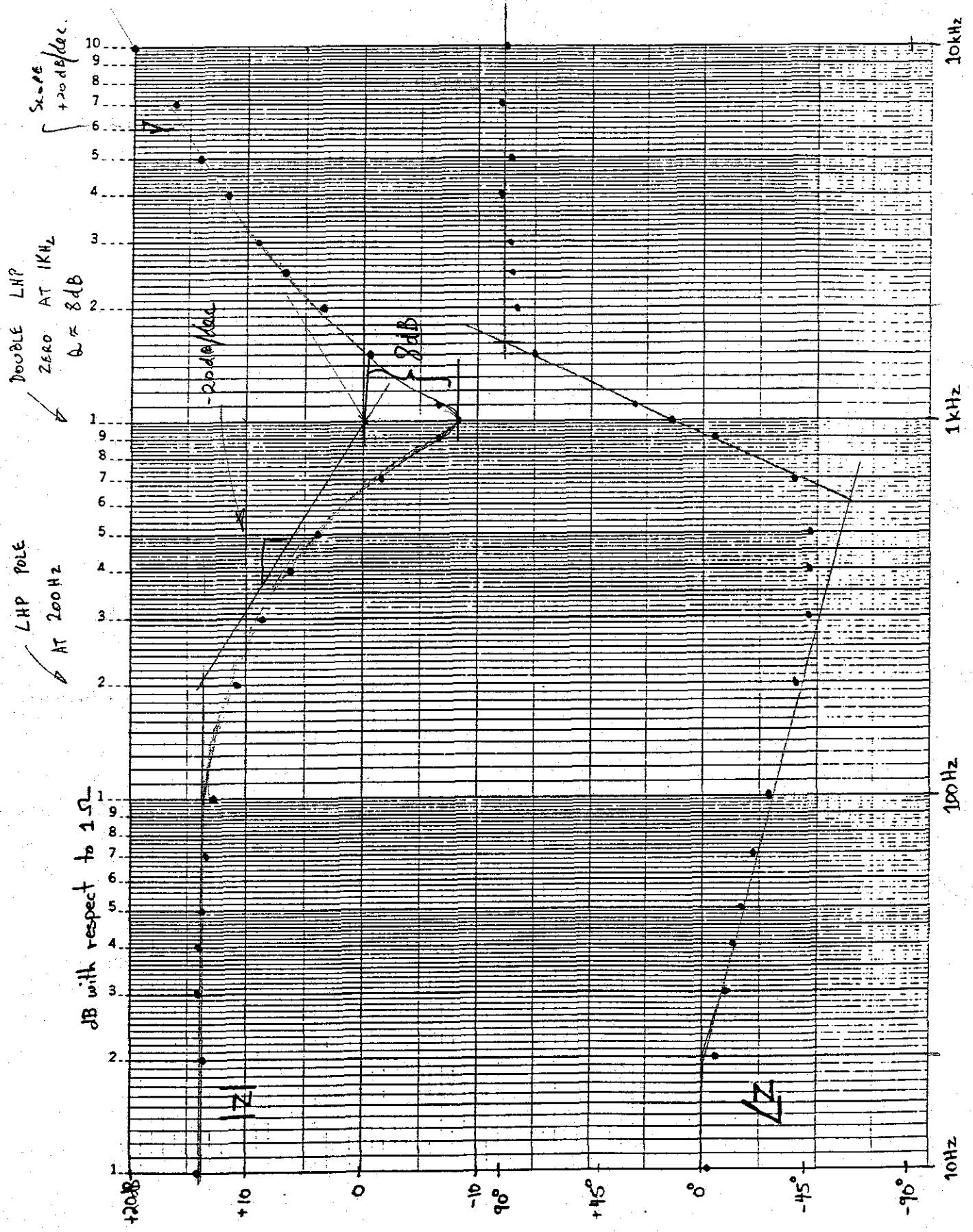
LHP pole $\omega_1 \rightarrow f_1 = 110 \text{ Hz}$

LHP pole $\omega_2 \rightarrow f_2 = 6.8 \text{ kHz}$

RHP zero $\omega_3 \rightarrow f_3 = 100 \text{ kHz}$

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LHP POLE AT $2\pi(200)$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_p = 2\pi(200)$$

DOUBLE LHP ZERO AT $2\pi(1000)$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_0 = 2\pi(1000)$$

$Q \approx 8 \text{ dB} \rightarrow 2.5$

$$\Rightarrow Q = 2.5$$

MIDBAND $Z_m = 14 \text{ dB} \rightarrow 5$

$$\Rightarrow Z_m = 5$$

$$Z(s) = Z_m \frac{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_0 Q} + \frac{s^2}{\omega_0^2}}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_p}}$$

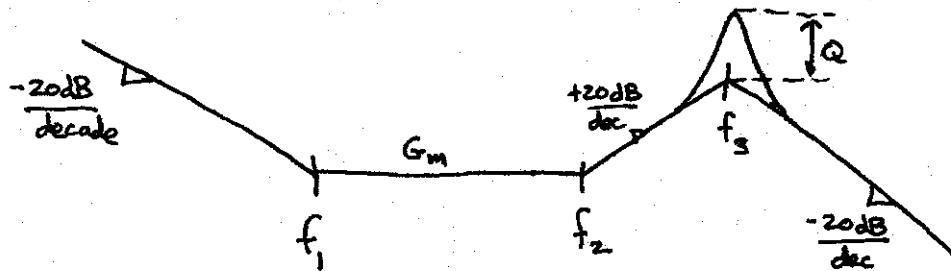
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①

A Solved Problem

similar to problems 8.1-8.4



- Express the gain represented by the asymptotes above in factored pole-zero form. f_1 , f_2 , and f_3 are the corner frequencies in Hz. G_m is the magnitude of the midband asymptote, as illustrated.
- Derive analytical expressions for each asymptote, using your result from part (a).
- Compute the value of the asymptote at $f = f_3$.

Solution to (a)

We are given the magnitude of the midband asymptote G_m . So reference $G(s)$ to G_m . Poles and zeroes at frequencies $f < f_1$ should then be expressed in inverted form. Poles and zeroes at frequencies $f \geq f_2$ should be expressed in conventional non-inverted form.

(2)

So $G(s)$ contains the following terms:

G_m midband gain (Note that if the value of G_m is labeled in dB, then it must be converted for use in the expression for $G(s)$: $G_m = 10^{(G_{m,dB}/20)}$)

$(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s})$ inverted zero at $f = f_1$
 $\omega_1 = 2\pi f_1$

$(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2})$ zero at $f = f_2$
 $\omega_2 = 2\pi f_2$

$$\frac{1}{1 + \frac{s}{Q\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2}$$

Complex poles at $f = f_3$
 $\omega_3 = 2\pi f_3$
 with Q-factor Q

(Note that if the value of Q is expressed in dB, then it must be converted for use in the expression for $G(s)$;

$$Q = 10^{(10Q_{dB}/20)}$$

So

$$G(s) = G_m \frac{(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s})(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2})}{(1 + \frac{s}{Q\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2)}$$

An equivalent form that does not employ inverted zeroes:

$$G(s) = G_m \frac{(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_1})(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2})}{(\frac{s}{\omega_1})(1 + \frac{s}{Q\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2)}$$

b) Analytical expressions for asymptotes

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Given the solution to part (a)
(either version will work):

$$G(s) = G_m \frac{(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s})(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2})}{(1 + \frac{s}{Q\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2)}$$

There are four asymptotes, one for each of the following frequency ranges:

1. $f \leq f_1$
2. $f_1 \leq f \leq f_2$
3. $f_2 \leq f \leq f_3$
4. $f_3 \leq f$

There are three frequency-dependent terms:

$$(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s})$$

$$(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2})$$

$$(1 + \frac{s}{Q\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2)$$

Each of these terms consists of the sum of terms.

Over a given frequency range, the asymptote is derived by neglecting the smallest term or terms within each sum, retaining only the term having the largest magnitude. This process leads to an exact expression for the asymptote, which may be a good approximation for the actual function $\|G(j\omega)\|$.

1. For $f \leq f_1$

(4)

Then $f \leq f_1 < f_2 < f_3$
 $\omega \leq \omega_1 < \omega_2 < \omega_3$

Consider each term:

inverted zero term $(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}) \rightarrow \frac{\omega_1}{s}$
asymptote for $f < f_1$

justification

$$\|1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}\|_{s=j\omega} = \sqrt{1 + (\frac{\omega_1}{\omega})^2}$$

$$\approx \sqrt{(\frac{\omega_1}{\omega})^2} = \frac{\omega_1}{\omega}$$

since for $\omega \ll \omega_1$, $1 \ll (\frac{\omega_1}{\omega})^2$

so $(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}) \approx \frac{\omega_1}{s}$ for $f \ll f_1$

zero term $(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2})$
asymptote for $f < f_1$ 1

justification

$$\|1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\|_{s=j\omega} = \sqrt{1 + (\frac{\omega}{\omega_2})^2}$$

$\approx \sqrt{1} = 1$ since, for $\omega \ll \omega_2$,

$1 \gg (\frac{\omega}{\omega_2})^2$. so $(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}) \approx 1$ for $f \ll f_1$

pole term $(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2)$

asymptote for $f < f_1$ 1

justification

$$\|1 + \frac{s}{\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2\| = \sqrt{(1 - (\frac{\omega}{\omega_3})^2)^2 + (\frac{\omega}{\omega_3})^2}$$

$\approx \sqrt{1} = 1$ since, for $\omega \ll \omega_3$,

$1 \gg (\frac{\omega}{\omega_3})^2$ and $1 \gg \frac{\omega}{\omega_3}$.

so $(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2) \approx 1$ for $f \ll f_1$

Composite: $G(s) = G_m \frac{(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s})(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2})}{(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_3} + (\frac{s}{\omega_3})^2)} \rightarrow G_m \frac{(\frac{\omega_1}{s})(1)}{(1)} = G_m \frac{\omega_1}{s}$

let $s = j\omega$ and take magnitude: $(\frac{G_m \omega_1}{\omega}) = (\frac{G_m f_1}{f})$ is the expression for the magnitude asymptote for $f < f_1$.

2. for $f_1 \leq f \leq f_2$

(5)

Then

$$G(s) = G_m \frac{\left(1 + \frac{\omega}{f}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{f_2}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_3} + \left(\frac{s}{\omega_3}\right)^2\right)} \rightarrow G_m \frac{(1)(1)}{(1)} = G_m$$

3. for $f_2 \leq f \leq f_3$

Then

$$G(s) = G_m \frac{\left(1 + \frac{\omega}{f}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_3} + \left(\frac{s}{\omega_3}\right)^2\right)} \rightarrow G_m \frac{(1) \left(\frac{s}{\omega_2}\right)}{(1)} = G_m \frac{s}{\omega_2}$$

which has magnitude $G_m \frac{\omega}{\omega_2} = G_m \frac{f}{f_2}$

4. for $f_3 \leq f$

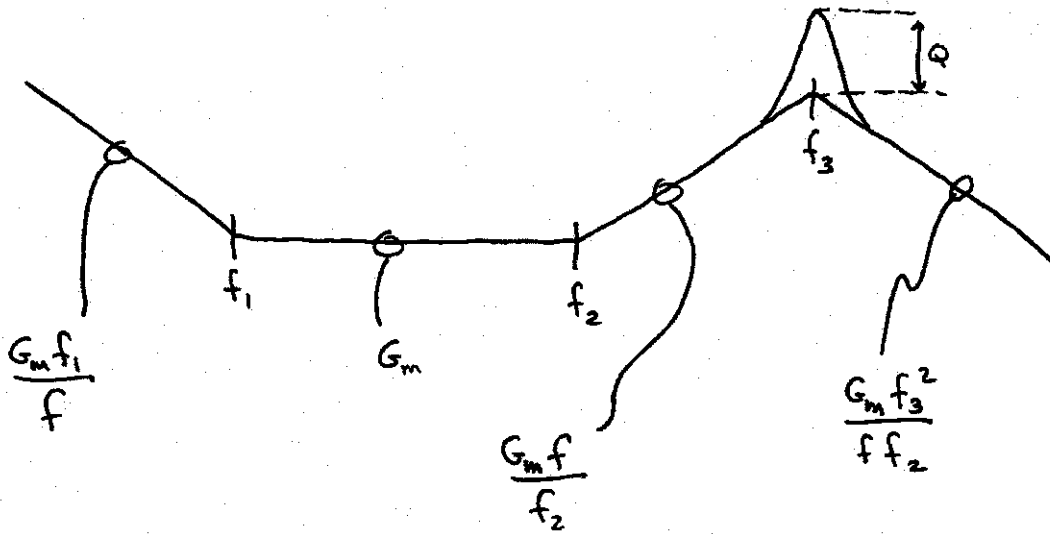
Then

$$G(s) = G_m \frac{\left(1 + \frac{\omega}{f}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_2}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_3} + \left(\frac{s}{\omega_3}\right)^2\right)} \rightarrow G_m \frac{(1) \left(\frac{s}{\omega_2}\right)}{\left(\frac{s}{\omega_3}\right)^2} = G_m \frac{\omega_3^2}{s \omega_2}$$

which has magnitude $G_m \frac{\omega_3^2}{\omega \omega_2} = G_m \frac{f_3^2}{f f_2}$

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Summary of analytical expressions for asymptotes:



c) Compute the value of the asymptote at $f = f_3$, and estimate the value of the actual magnitude.

Plug into expression for either adjacent asymptote (either the $f_2 \leq f \leq f_3$ or the $f_3 \leq f$ asymptote).

Result is

$$\frac{G_m f_3}{f_2}$$

At $f = f_3$, the magnitude of the actual curve is given approximately by

$$\frac{Q G_m f_3}{f_2}$$

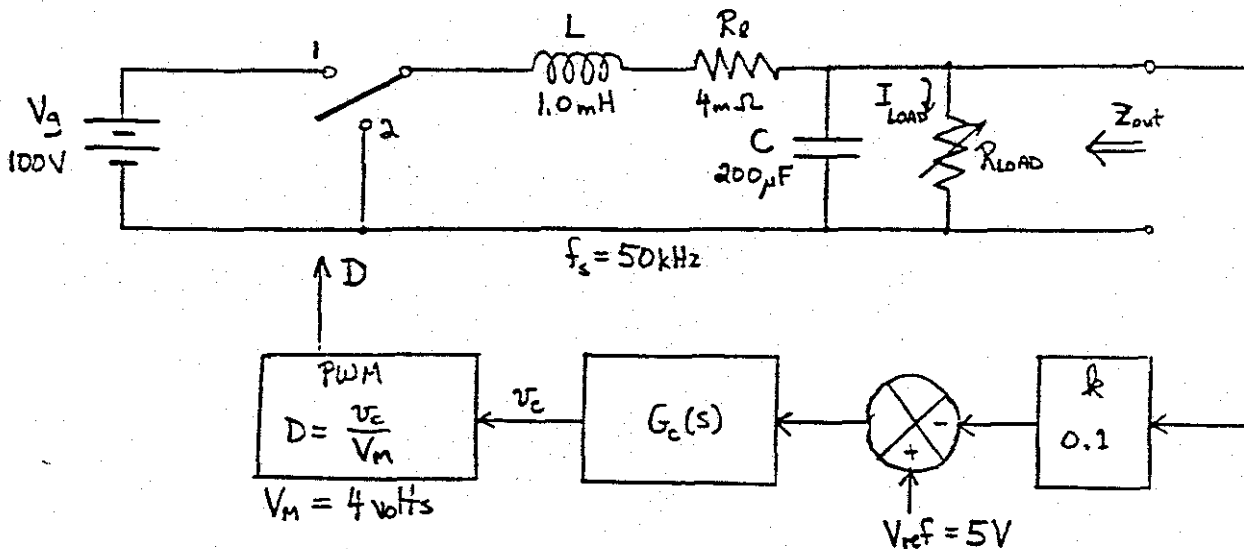
This neglects the (very small) deviation of the actual curve from the asymptotes caused by the zeroes at f_1 and f_2 , but it includes the (significant) deviation caused by the Q -factor of the complex poles.

PROBLEM

FEEDBACK DESIGN

Power Electronics

Design of a buck regulator with specified closed-loop output impedance:



It is desired to design a compensation network $G_c(s)$ such that the closed-loop output impedance of the above regulator system is less than 0.2 Ohms over the entire frequency range 0-20kHz. Also, to ensure that the transient response is well-behaved, the Q of the closed-loop system must be less than 1 \Rightarrow 0dB. The load current I_{LOAD} can vary from 5 Amperes to 50 Amperes, and the above specifications must be met for every value of I_{LOAD} in this allowed range. For simplicity, you may assume that V_g does not vary.

Since the state-space averaging method is valid only for frequencies sufficiently less than the switching frequency, you should choose the loop gain crossover frequency f_c to be no greater than $f_s/4 = 12.5\text{kHz}$, to be sure that your model is valid.

1. Draw the open-loop output impedance $Z_{out}(s)$. Over what range of frequencies is the output impedance specification not met? Hence, deduce how large the minimum loop gain $T(s)$ must be such that the closed-loop output impedance meets the specifications, and choose a suitable crossover frequency.

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2. Design a compensation network $G_c(s)$ such that all specifications are met. You must give:

- 1) Your choice for the transfer function $G_c(s)$
- 2) The worst-case closed-loop Q .
- 3) Bode plots of the loop gain $T(s)$ and closed-loop $Z_{out}(s)$ for load currents of 5A and 50A. What effect does variation of R_{LOAD} have on the closed-loop behavior?

HINT: FOR THIS QUESTION, FROM THE SMALL-SIGNAL STATE SPACE AVERAGE MATHEMATICAL MODEL DRAW AN EQUIVALENT CIRCUIT MODEL. ALTERNATIVELY USE AS YOUR CIRCUIT MODEL THE CANONICAL MODEL.

SOLUTION

(1)

Replace open loop converter with its canonical model

$$e(s) = \frac{V_g}{D} ; m = D$$

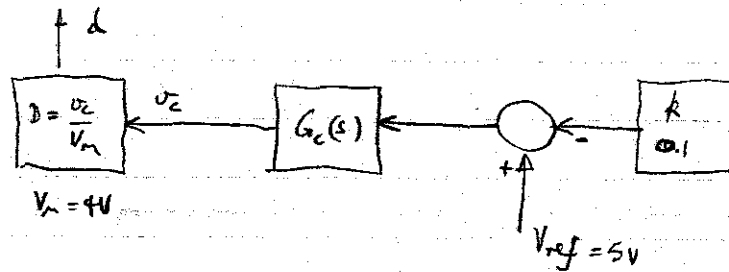
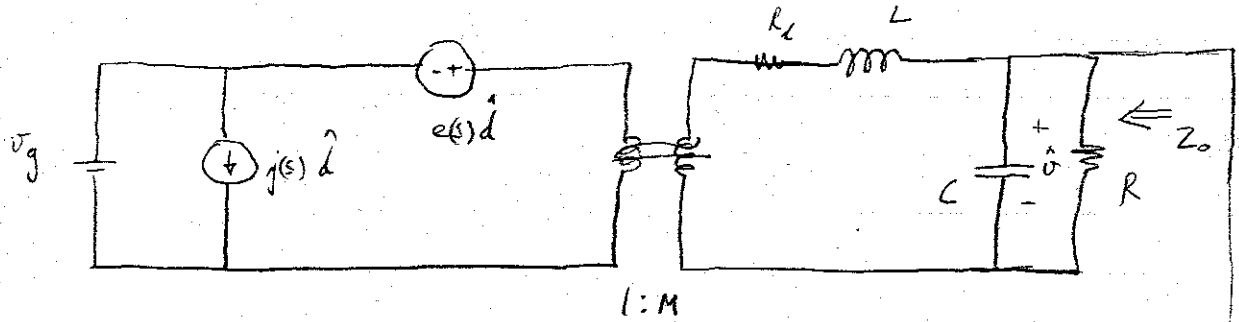
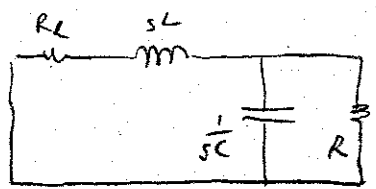


Fig. 1

1) Find Z_o (open loop)

Null all independent sources



$$\begin{aligned}
 Z_o &= (R_L + sL) \parallel \frac{1}{sC} \parallel R \\
 &= (R_L + sL) \parallel \frac{R}{1 + sRC} \\
 &= \frac{(R_L + sL) \frac{R}{1 + sRC}}{(R_L + sL) + \frac{R}{1 + sRC}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{(R_L + sL)R}{R_L + sRCR_L + s^2RCL + sL + R}$$

$$= \frac{R R_L}{R + R_L} \frac{(1 + s \frac{L}{R_L})}{s^2 \frac{RCL}{R + R_L} + s \frac{(RCR_L + L)}{R + R_L} + 1}$$

$$Z_o = R \parallel R_L \frac{(1 + s \frac{L}{R_L})}{s^2 LC \left(\frac{R \parallel R_L}{R_L} \right) + s \left[(R \parallel R_L)C + \frac{L}{R + R_L} \right] + 1}$$

$L = 1.0 \text{ mH} ; C = 200 \mu\text{F} ; R_L = 4 \text{ m}\Omega$

$V_o = 50\text{V} \quad I_{\text{load}} = 5 \text{ to } 50 \Rightarrow R = 1 \text{ to } 10 \Omega$

\Rightarrow

$$Z_o = 4 \times 10^{-3} \frac{(1 + \frac{s}{4})}{s^2 (0.2 \times 10^{-6}) + s \left(0.8 + \frac{10^3}{R} \right) 10^{-6} + 1}$$

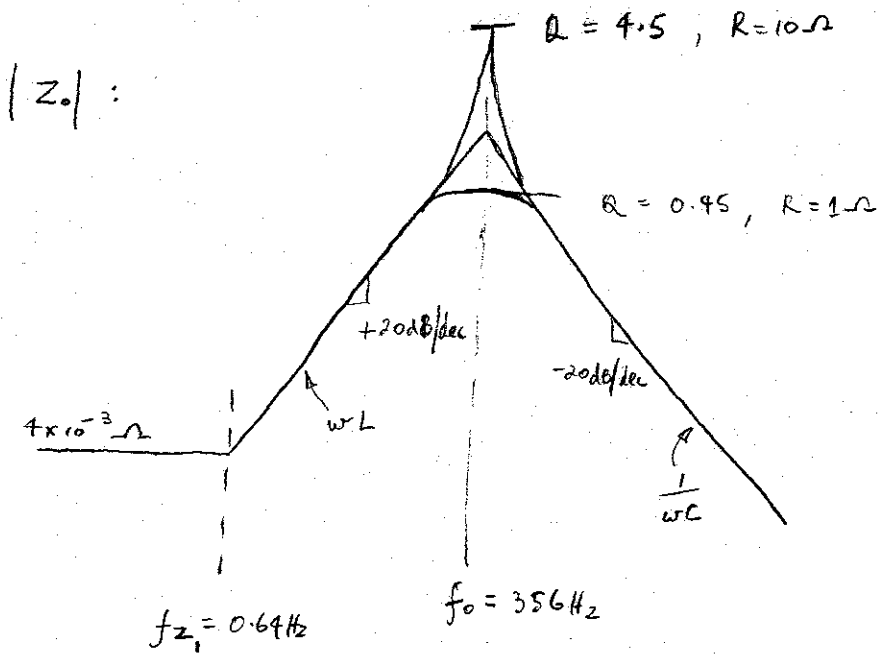
$\approx \frac{10^{-3}}{R}$

dc impedance = $4 \times 10^{-3} \Omega$

a zero at $\omega_{z_1} = 4 \rightarrow f_{z_1} = 0.64 \text{ Hz}$

complex pole at $\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{0.2 \times 10^{-6}}} = 2236 \rightarrow f_0 = 356 \text{ Hz}$

$$\frac{1}{\omega_0 Q} = \frac{10^{-3}}{R} \Rightarrow Q = \frac{R}{\omega_0 10^{-3}} = \frac{R}{2.236} \begin{cases} R=1 \Rightarrow Q=0.45 \\ R=10 \Rightarrow Q=4.5 \end{cases}$$



We require $|Z_o| < 0.2$ for $0 < f < 20 \times 10^3$

$$\Rightarrow \omega L < 0.2$$

$$\Rightarrow f < \frac{0.2}{2\pi \times 10^{-3}} = 32 \text{ Hz}$$

also

$$\frac{1}{\omega C} < 0.2$$

$$\Rightarrow f > \frac{1}{2\pi \times 0.2 \times 200 \times 10^{-6}} = 3979 \text{ Hz}$$

\therefore output impedance spec. is met met
for the frequency range

$$32 < f < 3979 \text{ Hz}$$

Magnitude of Z_0 at intersection of asymptotes:

$$\text{at } \omega L = \frac{1}{\omega C} \Rightarrow \omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}}$$

$$\rightarrow f_0 = 356 \text{ Hz}$$

$$2\pi f_0 L = 2\pi (356) \times 10^{-3} = 2.24 \Omega$$

The Q can be as high as 4.5

$$\rightarrow |Z_0|_{\text{max}} = 4.5 \times 2.24 = 10 \Omega$$

We need to reduce $|Z_0|_{\text{max}} < 0.2$

Now in the presence of feedback (with loop gain $T(s)$) the output impedance Z_{of} becomes

$$Z_{of} = \frac{Z_0}{1+T(s)}$$

For T large we require

$$T \approx \frac{Z_0}{Z_{of}} = \frac{10}{0.2} = 50$$

From Fig. 1:

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$$T(s) = \frac{\hat{v}}{\hat{d}} \frac{\hat{d}}{\hat{v}_c} G_c(s) k$$

Now $\frac{\hat{d}}{\hat{v}_c} = M_d = \frac{1}{4}$; $k = 0.1$

$$\frac{\hat{v}}{\hat{d}} = V_g \frac{R}{R_L + R} \frac{1}{s^2 LC \left(\frac{R}{R_L + R}\right) + s \left(R_L C + \frac{L}{R}\right) \left(\frac{R}{R_L + R}\right) + 1}$$

$$\approx V_g \frac{1}{s^2 LC + s \frac{L}{R} + 1}$$

since $R_L \ll R$

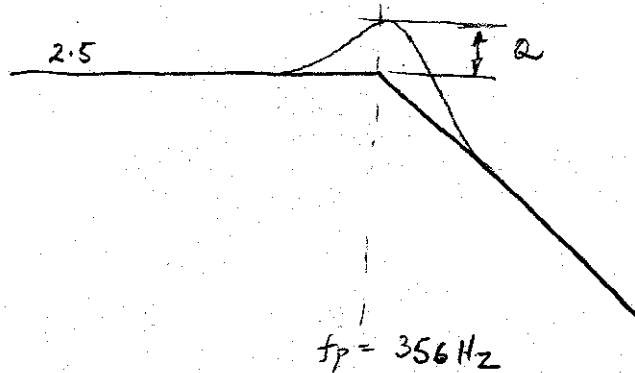
$$R_L = 0.009$$

$$R = 1 \text{ to } 10$$

$$\Rightarrow T(s) = G_c(s) \frac{2.5}{s^2 (0.2 \times 10^{-6}) + s \frac{10^{-3}}{R} + 1}$$

$$R = 1 \text{ to } 10 \Omega$$

$$\left| \frac{T(s)}{G_c(s)} \right|$$



(6)

Let us choose $G_c(s)$ to be of the form

$$G_c(s) = G_m \frac{1 + s/\omega_z}{1 + s/\omega_p}$$

this is lead-lag compensation.

$\therefore T(s)$ becomes

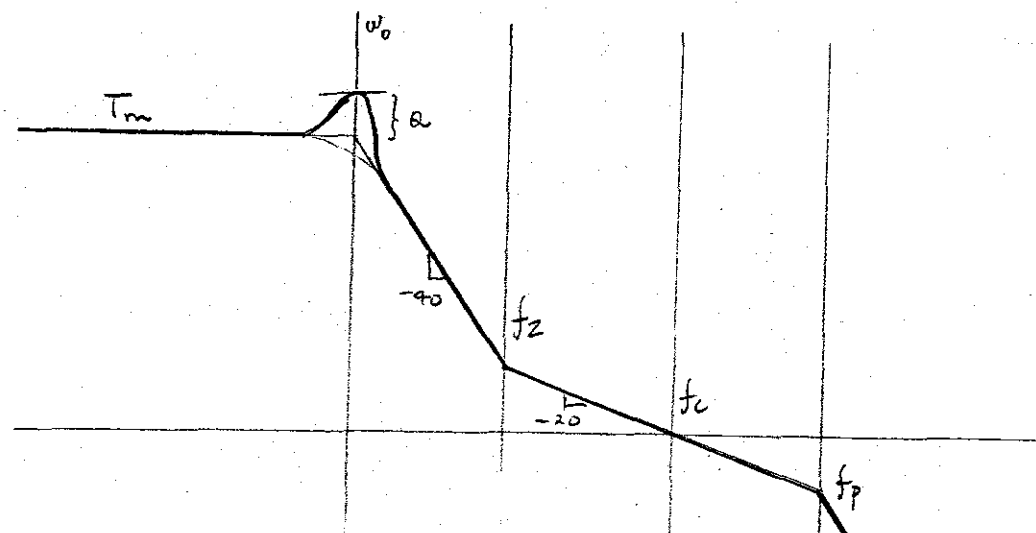
$$T(s) = \overbrace{k M_d G_m V_g}^{T_m} \frac{1 + s/\omega_z}{1 + s/\omega_p} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_0} + \frac{s^2}{\omega_0^2}}$$

where $\omega_0 < \omega_z < \omega_p$
and $T_m = k M_d G_m V_g > 50$

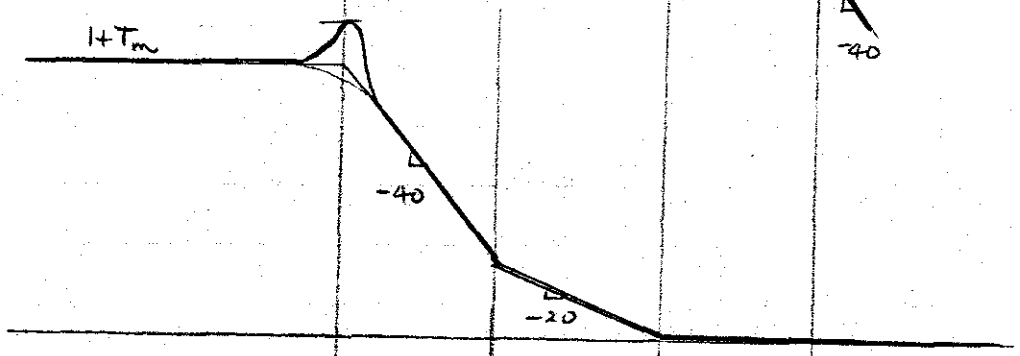
$$k = 0.1, M_d = \frac{1}{7}$$

We can sketch $|T(s)|$, $|1+T(s)|$, $|Z_o|$ and $|Z_{of}|$ as follows for the two cases $R_{load} = 1$ and 10Ω

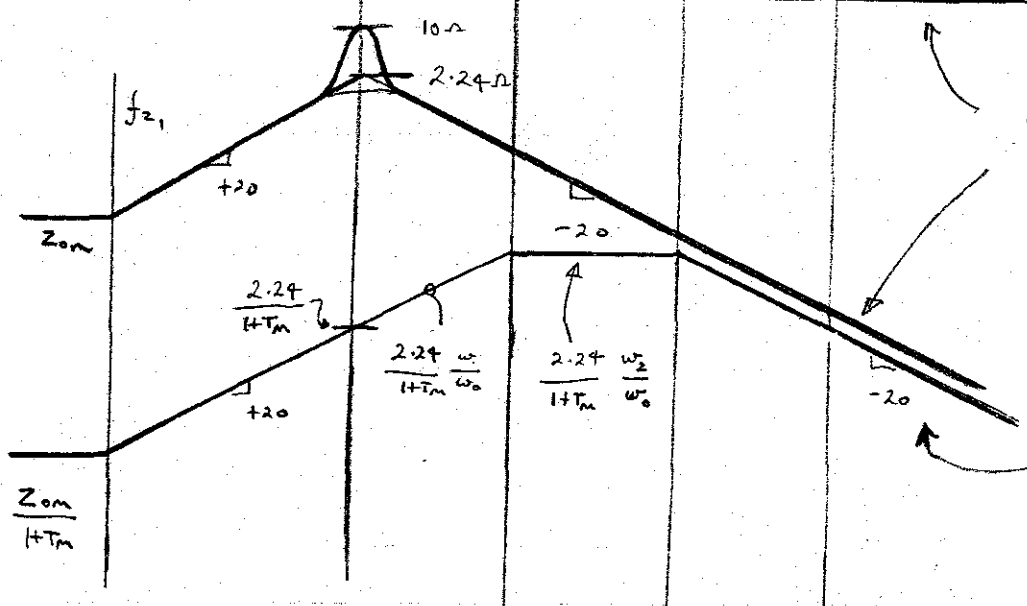
$|T|$



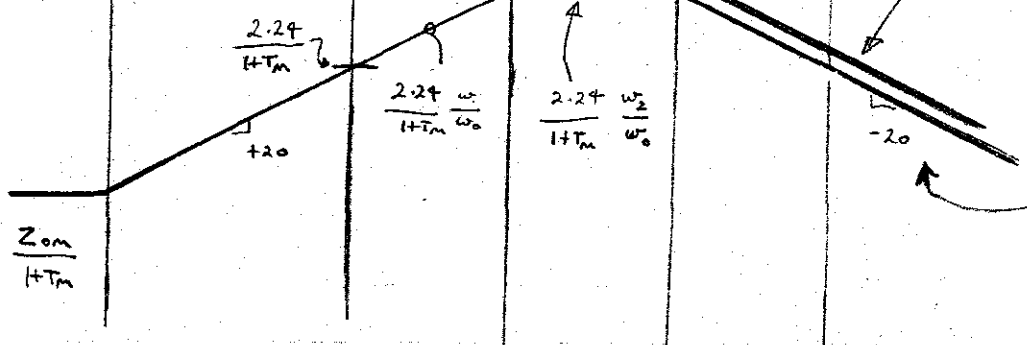
$|1+T|$



$|Z_o|$



$|Z_f|$



SUBTRACT TWO CURVES TO GET

$$\Rightarrow Z_{of} = \frac{Z_{om}}{1+T_m} \frac{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{z1}}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_z}\right)\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_p}\right)}$$

Choice of compensation parameters: $G_c(s) = G_m \frac{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_z}}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_p}}$

we require $T_m = k M_d G_m V_g > 50$

$k = 0.1 ; M_d = \frac{1}{4} ; V_g = 100$
 $\Rightarrow G_m > \frac{50 \times 4 \times 10}{100} = 20 \rightarrow 26 \text{ dB}$

Let us choose a unity gain crossover frequency of $f_c = 10 \text{ kHz}$. Let us place $f_z = 800 < \frac{f_c}{10}$

The phase margin can be controlled by placing ω_p appropriately:

$\phi_m = \text{phase margin} \approx 180^\circ - \left[-\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{10,000}{800}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{10,000}{f_p}\right) + 180^\circ \right]$
 \approx phase contribution due to double pole at ω_0

$\phi_m = 85 - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{10,000}{f_p}\right)$

$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{10,000}{f_p}\right) = -\phi_m + 85 \Rightarrow f_p = \frac{10,000}{\tan[85 - \phi_m]}$

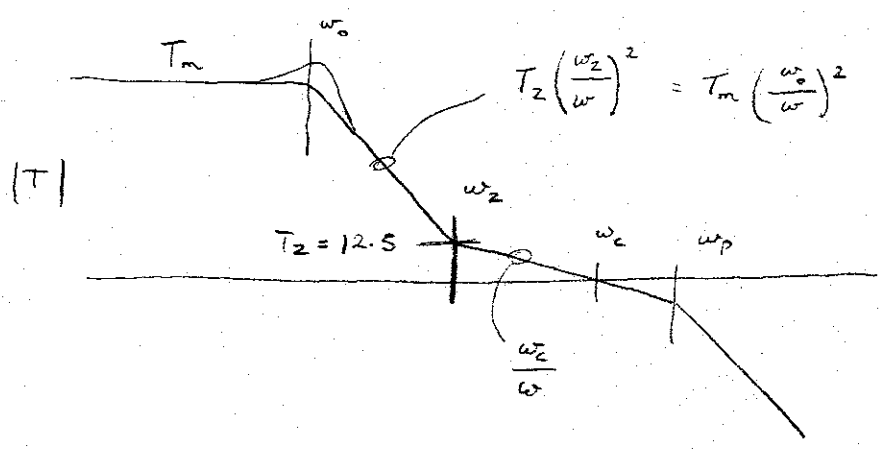
for a phase margin of $\phi_m = 60^\circ$

$\Rightarrow f_p = 21,445$

For $\phi_m = 60 \Rightarrow$ closed loop $Q \approx -1.75 \text{ dB}$
(read from chart from class notes)

this figure is independent of the load.

∴ Final design for $G_c(s) = G_m \frac{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_z}}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_p}}$



$$T_z \equiv \text{Gain at } \omega_z = \frac{\omega_c}{\omega_z} = \frac{10,000}{800} = 12.5$$

$$T_m \equiv \text{Gain at } \omega_0 = T_z \left(\frac{\omega_z}{\omega_0}\right)^2 = 12.5 \left(\frac{800}{356}\right)^2 = 63 > 50$$

$$\left(\text{Check: } T_m \left(\frac{\omega_0}{\omega_z}\right)^2 = 63 \left(\frac{356}{800}\right)^2 = 12.5 \right)$$

$$T_m = K M_d V_g G_m$$

$$\Rightarrow G_m = \frac{T_m}{K M_d V_g} = \frac{63}{0.1 \times \frac{1}{4} \times 100} = 25.2 \rightarrow 28 \text{ dB}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore G_m &= 25 \\ \omega_z &= 2\pi(800) \\ \omega_p &= 2\pi(21,445) \end{aligned}$$

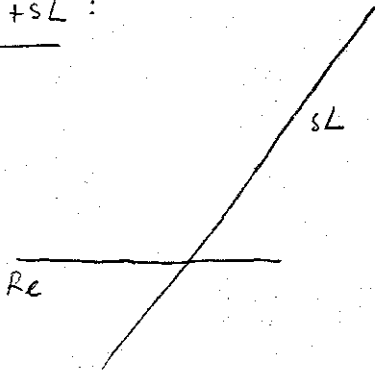
CHECK
 Peak zof = $\frac{2.24}{4 T_m} \frac{\omega_z}{\omega_0} = \frac{2.24}{64} \frac{2\pi(800)}{2\pi(356)} = 0.079 \Omega < 0.2 \Omega$

APPENDIX :

SEMI-GRAPHICAL METHOD FOR CONSTRUCTING BODE PLOT OF Z_0

$$Z_0 = (R_L + sL) \parallel \frac{1}{sC} \parallel R$$

$R_L + sL$:



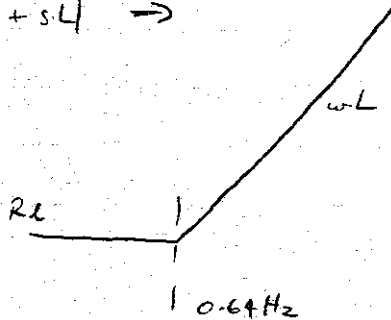
Take the bigger of the two

at crossover $R_L = sL$

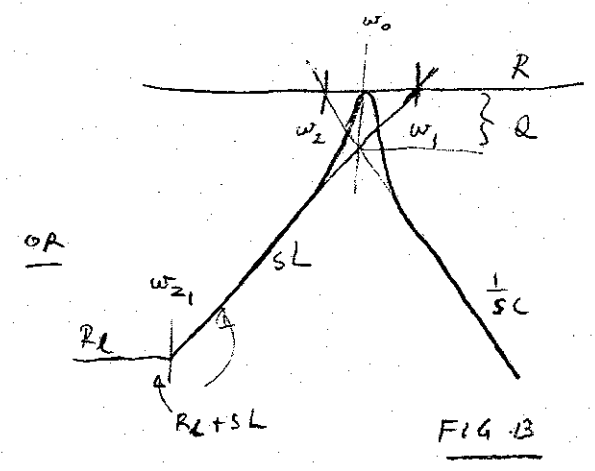
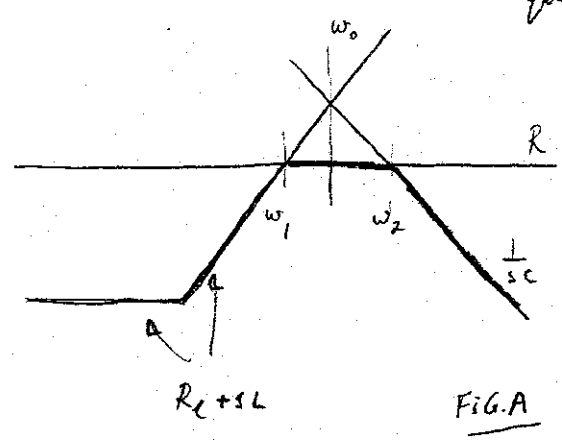
$$\Rightarrow \omega_c = \frac{R_L}{L} = \frac{4 \times 10^{-3}}{1 \times 10^{-3}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow f_c = \frac{4}{2\pi} = 0.64 \text{ Hz}$$

$\therefore |R + sL| \rightarrow$



$(R_L + sL) \parallel \frac{1}{sC} \parallel R$: parallel combination, take the smallest quantity



at crossover #1: $SL = R$
 $\rightarrow \omega_1 = \frac{R}{L}$
 $= \begin{cases} 10^3, & R=1 \\ 10^4, & R=10 \end{cases}$

at crossover #2: $\frac{1}{sC} = R$
 $\omega_2 = \frac{1}{RC}$
 $= \begin{cases} 5 \times 10^3, & R=1 \\ 5 \times 10^2, & R=10 \end{cases}$

From the values for ω_1 and ω_2 we see that the poles will change as R changes. Clearly for $R=1$, Fig A applies as $\omega_1 < \omega_2$. However, for $R=10$, Fig B applies as $\omega_2 < \omega_1$.

At the crossing point of the asymptotes

$$sL = \frac{1}{sC} \Rightarrow \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$$

the impedance = $\omega_0 L \Rightarrow \frac{L}{\sqrt{LC}} = \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} \equiv$ characteristic impedance

$$Q = \frac{R}{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{2.24} = 0.45 \quad \text{for } R=1 \\ \frac{10}{2.24} = 4.5 \quad \text{for } R=10 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left(\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} = \sqrt{\frac{10^{-3}}{200 \times 10^{-6}}} = 2.24 \Omega \right)$$

From the Bode plot of Fig. 3 we can write the factored pole zero expression for Z_0 as

$$Z_0(s) = R_L \frac{(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_{z1}})}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_0 Q} + \frac{s^2}{\omega_0^2}}$$

$$\omega_{z1} = \frac{R_L}{L} = 2\pi (0.64)$$

$$\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{LC}} = 2\pi (356)$$

$$Q = \frac{R}{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}} = \begin{cases} 0.45, & R=1 \\ 4.5, & R=10 \end{cases}$$

$$R_L = 0.004$$

EXAMPLE EE446/EE546 FINAL QUESTIONS

(20 marks) PROBLEM 1.

For the converter of Fig. 1, (assuming continuous conduction operation),

- (15 marks) a) Determine an expression for Z_{in} , the linearized, average impedance seen by the source V_g .
- (5 marks) b) Sketch the magnitude straight-line asymptote of Z_{in} , noting the salient features such as the values of the break frequencies, level of constant impedance values and peaking levels.

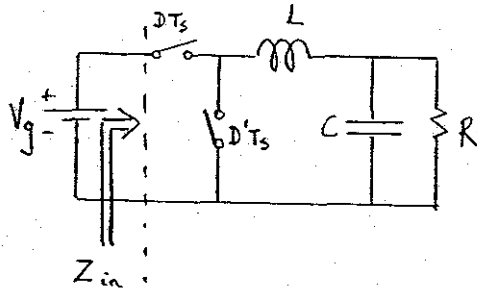


FIG. 1

(10 MARKS) PROBLEM 3.

(5) a) The transfer function, $A(s)$, of a converter was determined to be

$$A(s) = A_m \frac{1 - s/\omega_z}{(1 + s/\omega_p)(1 + s/\omega_c)}$$

$$A_m = 1.53$$

$$\omega_z = 2\pi(2.29)kHz$$

$$\omega_p = 2\pi(16.4)Hz$$

$$\omega_c = 2\pi(7.69)kHz$$

A compensation network with transfer function, $G_c(s)$, where

$$G_c(s) = G_m (1 + \omega_1/s)$$

$$G_m = 30$$

$$\omega_1 = 2\pi(9.5)Hz$$

completes a feedback loop as shown in Fig. 2. Using a graphical technique or otherwise, determine the factored pole-zero expression for the feedback factor, $1 + T$, where T is the loop gain. On a sketch of $|1+T|$ label the numerical values of any poles and zeroes and constant gain regions.

(5) b) The open loop output impedance, Z_o , of the converter is given as

$$Z_o = R_{om} \frac{1}{1 + s/\omega_p}$$

$$R_{om} = 4.88\Omega$$

$$\omega_p = 2\pi(16.4)Hz$$

Using a graphical technique or otherwise, determine the factored pole-zero expression for the closed loop output impedance, Z_{of} , for the loop gain given in part (a). On a sketch of $|Z_{of}|$ label the numerical values of any poles and zeroes and constant gain regions.

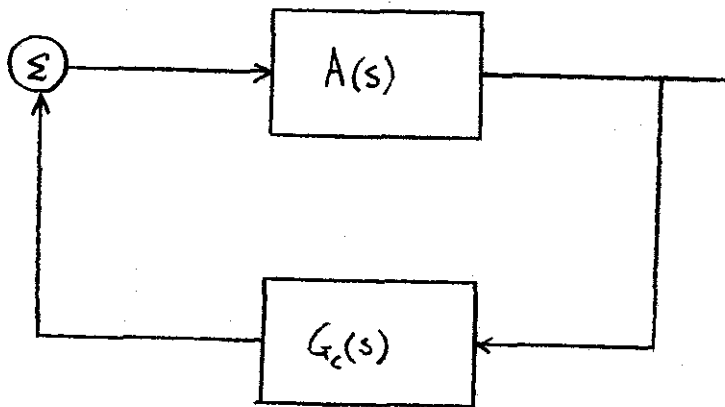


FIG. 2

(20 marks) **PROBLEM 4.**

The control-to-output transfer function of a certain converter is given by the following

$$\frac{\hat{v}}{\hat{d}} = \frac{V_g}{D^2} \frac{1 - s \frac{L}{D^2 R}}{1 + s \frac{L}{D^2 R} + s^2 \frac{LC}{D^2}}$$

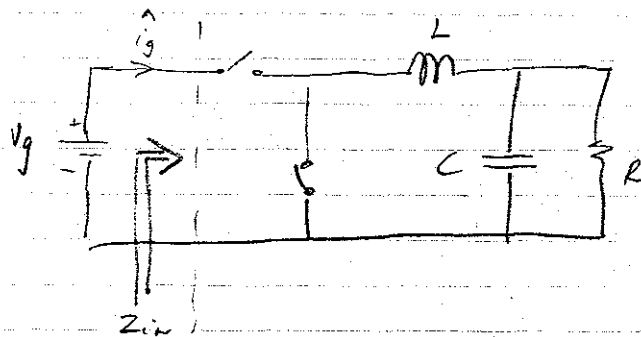
For the values, $D = 0.5$, $R = 10$, $V_g = 30$, $L = 160\mu H$ and $C = 160\mu F$.

- a) Draw a Bode plot (magnitude and phase) using asymptotic straight line segment approximations. Label all salient features, such as, frequency breakpoints, constant gain/phase regions, etc.
- b) Using your Bode plot, or otherwise, determine the unity gain frequency and the phase shift at this frequency.

SOLUTION

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Problem 1 :



$$Z_{in} = \frac{\hat{v}_g}{\hat{i}_g}$$

Now $\dot{\hat{x}} = A\hat{x} + B\hat{u}_g + B_1\hat{d}$

$$\dot{\hat{y}} = C\hat{x} + E\hat{u}_g + E_1\hat{d}$$

Now $\hat{d} = 0$ and let $\hat{y} = \hat{i}_g$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\hat{i}_g}{\hat{v}_g} = \frac{1}{Z_{in}} = \frac{C\hat{x}}{\hat{v}_g} + E$$

where $\hat{x} = (sI - A)^{-1}B$

Now let's find the appropriate A, B, C + E

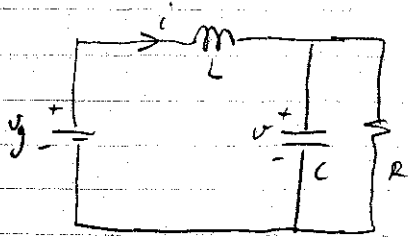
$$A = DA_1 + D'A_2$$

$$B = DB_1 + D'B_2$$

$$C = DC_1 + D'C_2$$

$$E = DE_1 + D'E_2$$

DURING DTs



$$-V_g + L \frac{di}{dt} + v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{di}{dt} = -\frac{v}{L} + \frac{V_g}{L}$$

$$i = C \frac{dv}{dt} + \frac{v}{R}$$

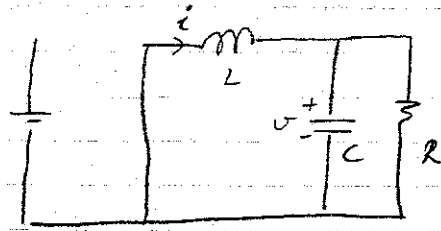
$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{i}{C} - \frac{v}{RC}$$

let $x = [i \quad v]^T$

$$\dot{x} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & -\frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}}_{A_1} x + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{B_1} V_g$$

$$ig = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{C_1} x + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{E_1} V_g$$

DURING D'Ts



$$\frac{di}{dt} = -\frac{v}{L}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{i}{C} - \frac{v}{RC}$$

$$\dot{x} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{C} & -\frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}}_{A_2} x + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{B_2} V_g$$

$$ig = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{C_2} x + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{E_2} V_g$$

(3)

$$\Rightarrow A = A_1 = A_2$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C = [D \quad 0]$$

$$E = E_1 = E_2 = 0$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{\hat{I}_g}{\hat{U}_g} = \frac{1}{Z_{in}} = C (sI - A)^{-1} B + E$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{Z_{in}} = [D \quad 0] \begin{bmatrix} s & \frac{1}{L} \\ -\frac{1}{L} & s + \frac{1}{RC} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= [D \quad 0] \begin{bmatrix} s + \frac{1}{RC} & -\frac{1}{L} \\ \frac{1}{L} & s \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{D (s + \frac{1}{RC}) + \frac{1}{LC}}$$

$$= \frac{[D (s + \frac{1}{RC}) \quad -\frac{D}{L}] \begin{bmatrix} \frac{D}{L} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}{s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{1}{LC}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{D^2}{L} (s + \frac{1}{RC})}{s^2 + \frac{s}{RC} + \frac{1}{LC}}$$

(4)

$$= \frac{\frac{D^2}{L} \frac{1}{RC} (1 + RCs)}{\frac{1}{L} \left(LCs^2 + L \frac{s}{R} + 1 \right)}$$

$$\frac{1}{Z_{in}} = \frac{D^2}{R} \frac{1 + RCs}{LCs^2 + \frac{sL}{R} + 1}$$

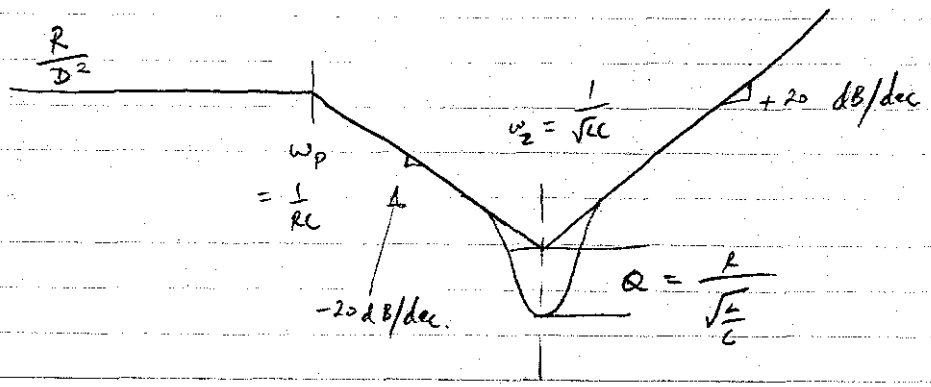
$$\Rightarrow Z_{in} = \frac{R}{D^2} \frac{LCs^2 + \frac{sL}{R} + 1}{1 + RCs}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{pole at } \omega_p = \frac{1}{RC}$$

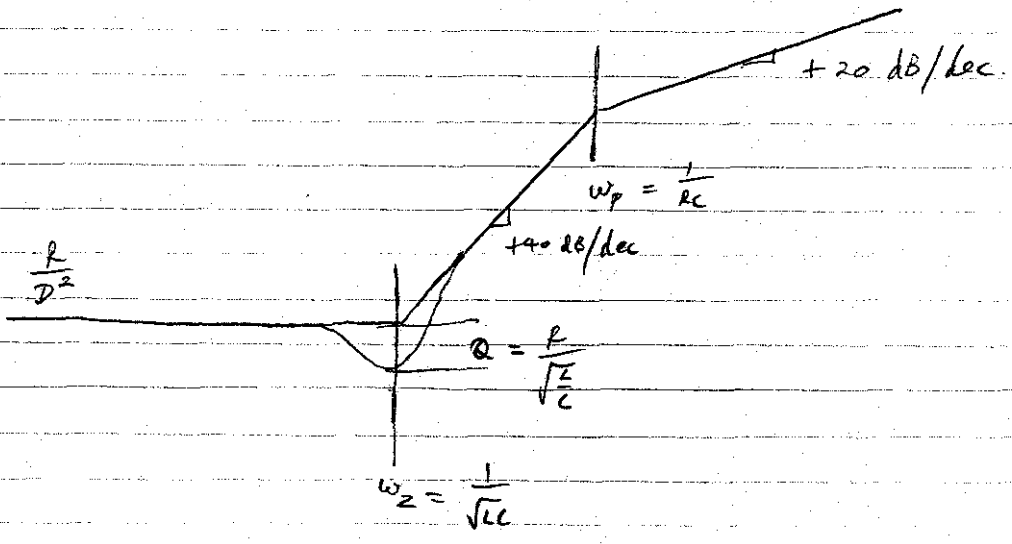
$$\text{zeros at } \omega_z = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \quad Q = \frac{R}{\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}}$$

b) Two CASES

① $\omega_p < \omega_z$



② $\omega_p > \omega_z$



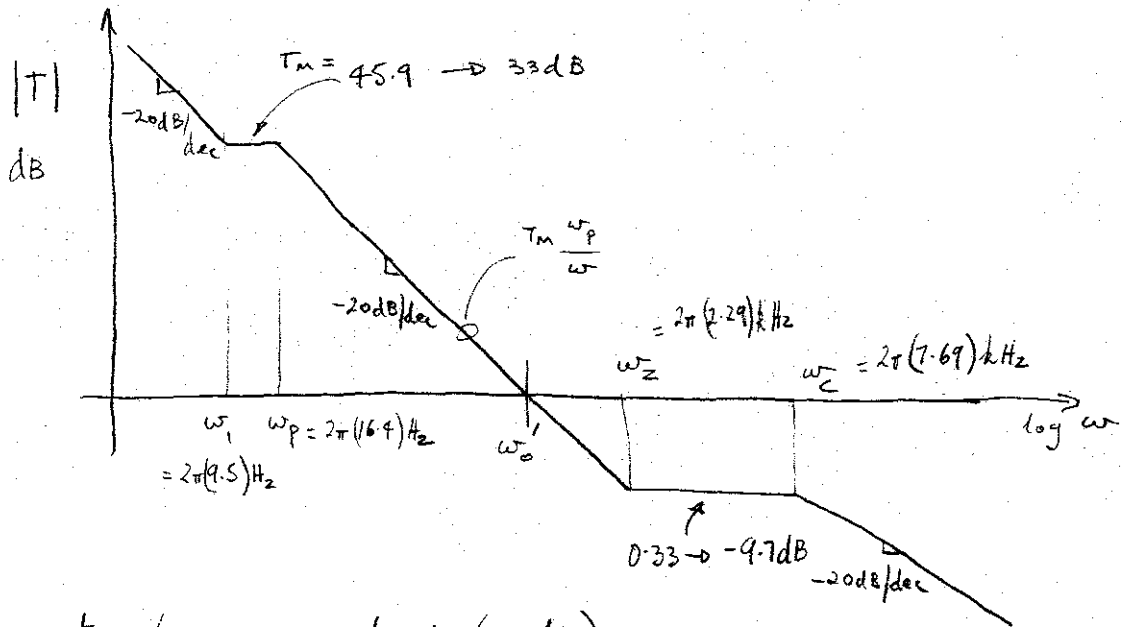
SOLUTION

①

PROBLEM 3

$$T(s) = A(s) G_c(s) = \frac{A_m G_m \left(1 + \frac{\omega_z}{s}\right) \left(1 - \frac{s}{\omega_z}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_p}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_c}\right)}$$

$$T_m = A_m G_m = 30 \times 1.53 = 45.9 \rightarrow 33 \text{ dB}$$



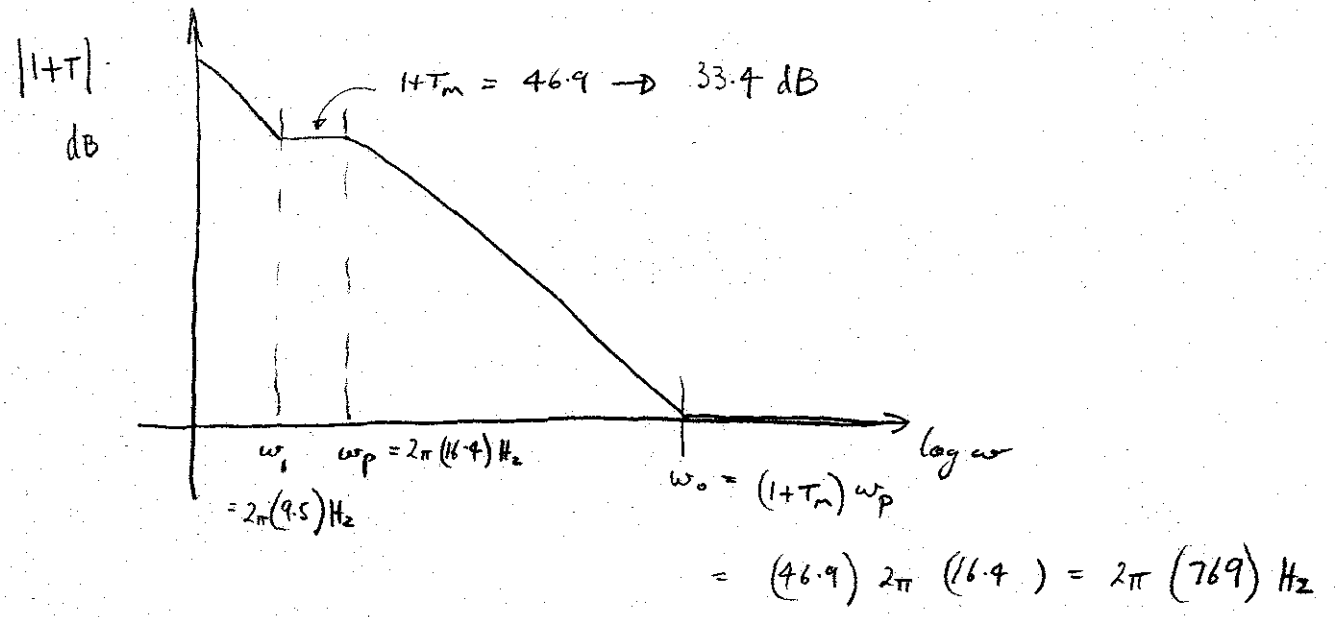
ω_0 is freq. at loop gain of 1 (0 dB)

$$1 = T_m \frac{\omega_p}{\omega'_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega'_0 = T_m \omega_p = 45.9 \times 2\pi(16.4) = 2\pi(753) \text{ Hz}$$

Gain at freq. ω_2 :

$$T_2 = \frac{T_m \omega_p}{\omega_2} = \frac{45.9 \times 16.4}{2290} = 0.33 \rightarrow -9.7 \text{ dB}$$



From the plot of $|1+T|$ we can write

$$1+T(s) = \frac{(1+T_m) \left(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_0}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_p}\right)}$$

$$1+T_m = 46.9 \rightarrow 33.4$$

$$\omega_1 = 2\pi (9.5) \text{ Hz}$$

$$\omega_p = 2\pi (16.4) \text{ Hz}$$

$$\omega_0 = (1+T_m) \omega_p = 2\pi (769) \text{ Hz}$$

b)

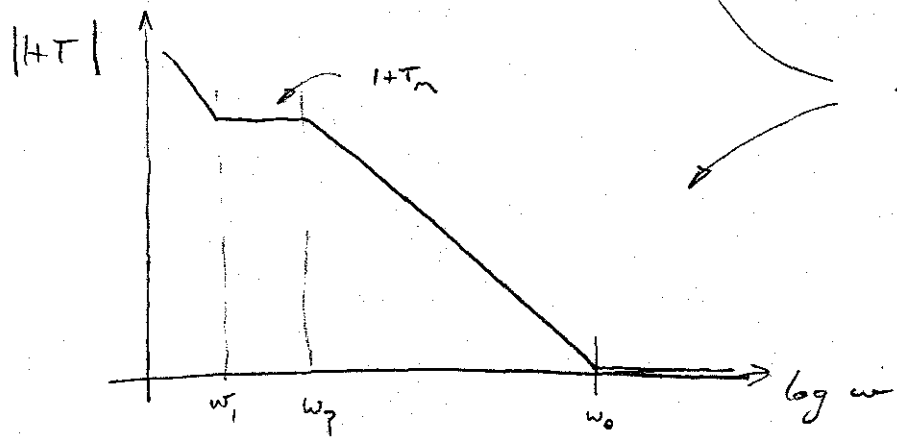
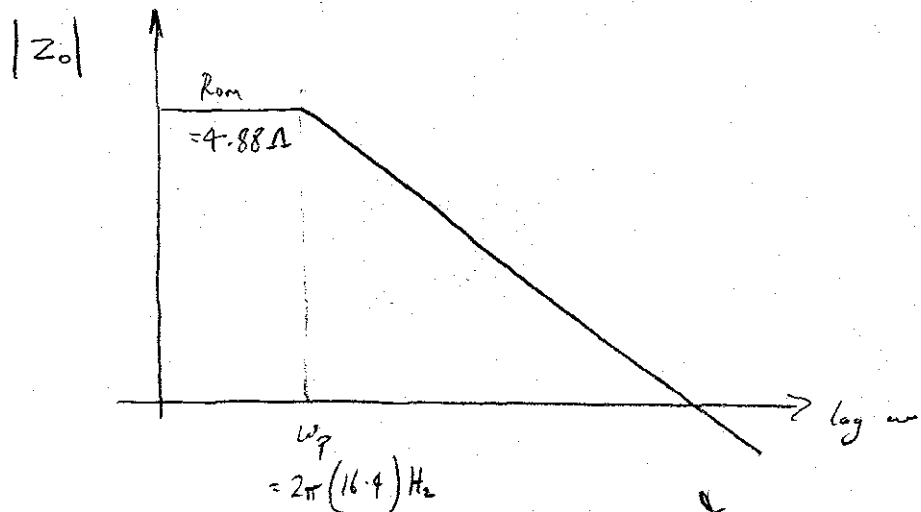
$$Z_o = R_{om} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{s}{\omega_p}}$$

$$R_{om} = 4.88 \Omega$$

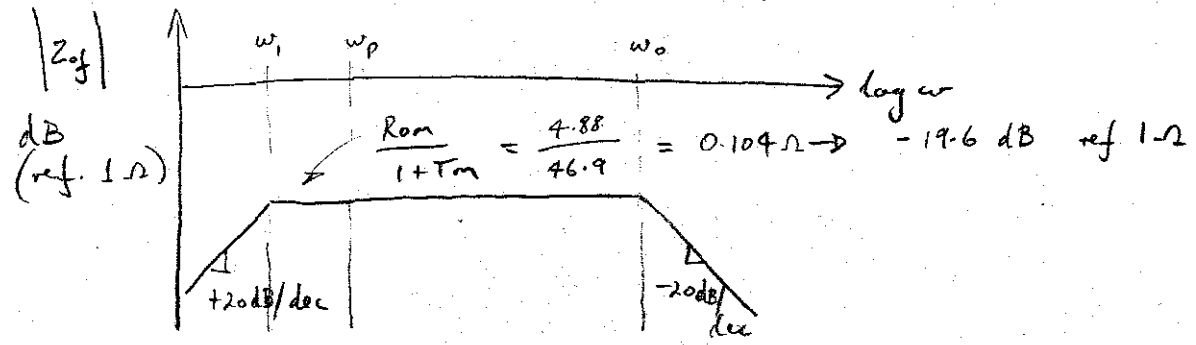
$$\omega_p = 2\pi (16.4) \text{ Hz}$$

See plot, over the page.

$$Z_{of} = \frac{Z_o}{1+T} \quad \leftarrow \text{from feedback theory}$$



SUBTRACT THESE
TWO CURVES
TO GET Z_{of}



From the plot of $|Z_{of}|$ we can write

$$Z_{of} = \frac{R_{om}}{1+T_m} \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{s}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{\omega_0}\right)}$$

$$\omega_1 = 2\pi(9.5) \text{ Hz}$$

$$\omega_0 = (1+T_m)\omega_p = 2\pi(769) \text{ Hz}$$

PROBLEM 4

SOLUTION

a) This problem is taken from the lecture notes from where we see

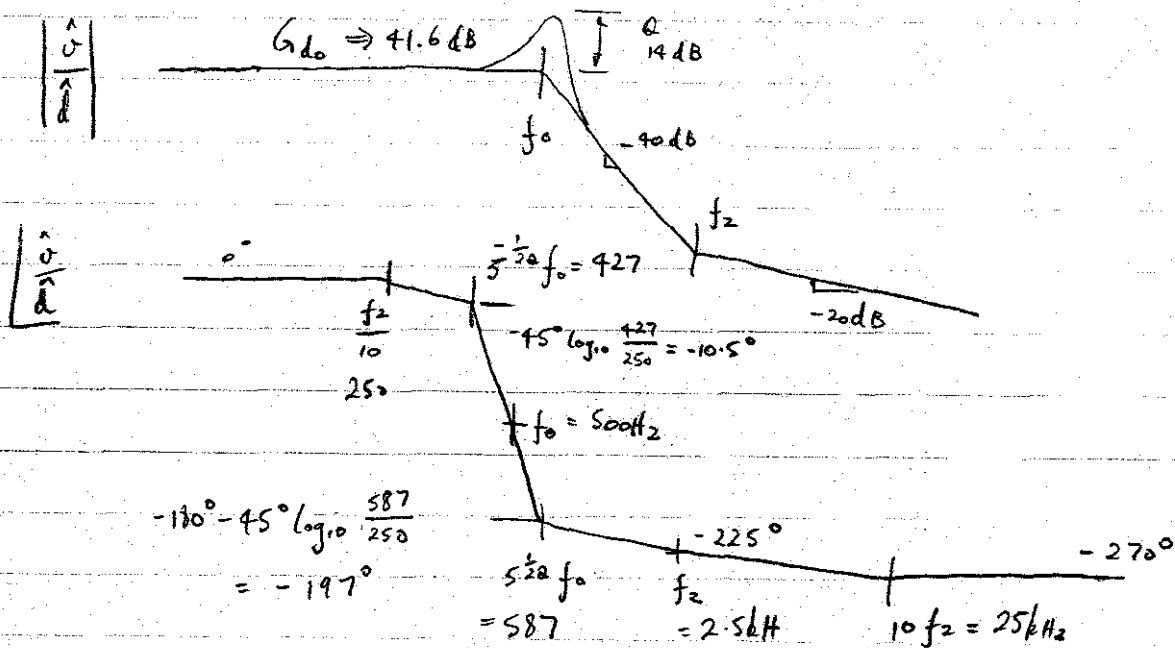
$$\frac{\hat{v}}{\hat{d}} = \frac{V_g}{D^{1/2}} \frac{1 - \frac{sL}{D^{1/2}R}}{1 + \frac{sL}{D^{1/2}R} + s\frac{2LC}{D^{1/2}}} = G_{d0} \frac{1 - \frac{s}{\omega_2}}{1 + \frac{s}{Q\omega_0} + \left(\frac{s}{\omega_0}\right)^2}$$

where $G_{d0} = 120 \Rightarrow 41.6 \text{ dB}$

$f_2 = 2.5 \text{ kHz (RHP)}$ $(15,708 \text{ rad/s})$

$f_0 = 500 \text{ Hz}$ $(3,142 \text{ rad/s})$

$Q = 5 \Rightarrow 14 \text{ dB}$



b) The magnitude along the -40dB slope away from the resonant frequency is given by

$$G_{d0} \left(\frac{\omega_0}{\omega} \right)^2$$

$$\therefore \text{at } f_2, \quad \left| \frac{1}{d} \right|_{f_2=2.5\text{kHz}} \approx 120 \left(\frac{500}{2500} \right)^2 = 4.8$$

The magnitude along the -20dB slope is given by

$$G_{f_2} \frac{\omega_2}{\omega}$$

$$\therefore \text{the unity gain frequency} = f_u = G_{f_2} f_2$$

$$= 4.8 \times 2500$$

$$= 12 \text{ kHz} \quad (75400 \text{ rad/sec})$$

Using MATLAB (see program later) we find $f_u = 12,202 \text{ Hz}$

To determine the phase we realize that since 12kHz is very much higher than the double pole the phase contribution is very close to -180 degrees \Rightarrow

$$\text{phase at } 12\text{kHz} = -180 - \tan^{-1} \frac{12000}{2500}$$

$$= -180 - 78.23$$

$$= -258.23 \quad \leftarrow \text{the contribution from the RHP zero} \quad + \text{ MATLAB gives } -258.01$$

Alternatively using the straight line asymptote approach for the phase we realize the phase at $f_z = -180 - 95 = -225$

↑ phase due to double pole
↑ phase due to zero

Now at $-45^\circ/\text{dec}$ slope the phase change from $f_z = 2500 \text{ Hz}$ to $f_u = 12000 \text{ Hz}$ is given by

$$-45^\circ \log_{10} \frac{12000}{2500} = -30.66^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{total phase} = -225 - 30.66 = -255.66$$

← thus a slight error from -258° is introduced using the straight line approximations

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% This m-file plots the magnitude and phase response of the transfer
% function given in Question 4.
% The unity gain frequency and the phase at this frequency are also
% determined.
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vg=30;r=10;d=0.5;l=160e-6;c=160e-6;
dp=1-d;
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m=vg/(dp*dp);
a0=1;a1=-1/(dp*dp*r);a2=0;
b0=1;b1=1/(dp*dp*r);b2=(l*c)/(dp*dp);
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num=m*[a2 a1 a0];
den=[b2 b1 b0];
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w=logspace(2,6,1000);
[mag,phase]=bode(num,den,w);
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[Gm,Pm,Wcg,Wcp]=margin(mag,phase,w)
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magdb=20*log10(mag);
semilogx(w,magdb)
pause
semilogx(w,phase)
pause
f_unity=Wcp/(2*pi) % the unity gain frequency
phase_u=-180+Pm % the phase at the unity gain frequency
```