

Homework # 6 Solution (Exercises 8.15, 18 & 23)

B-8-15. Note that $G(s)$ has two open-loop poles in the right-half s plane, as seen from the following MATLAB output.

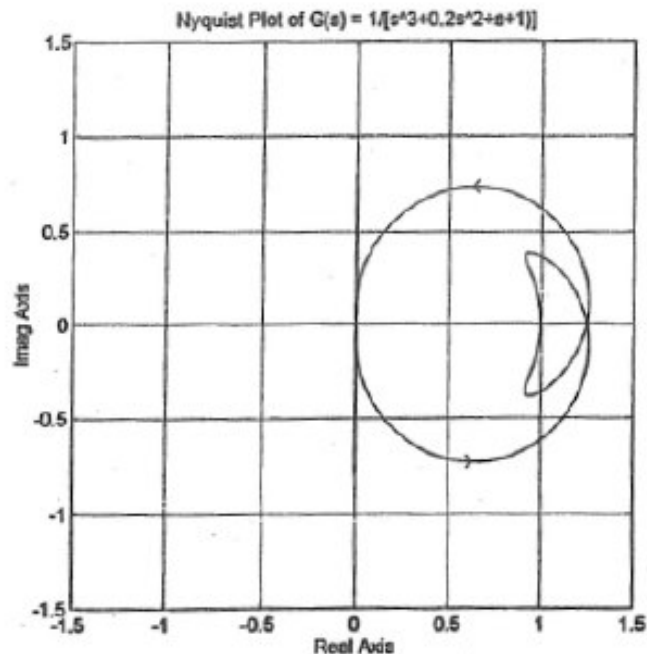
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p = [1 0.2 1 1];
roots(p)

ans =

    0.2623 + 1.1451i
    0.2623 - 1.1451i
   -0.7246
```

The following MATLAB program produces the Nyquist plot shown below.

```
% ***** Nyquist plot *****
num = [0 0 0 1];
den = [1 0.2 1 1];
nyquist(num,den)
v = [-1.5 1.5 -1.5 1.5]; axis(v); axis('square')
grid
title('Nyquist Plot of G(s) = 1/[s^3+0.2s^2+s+1]')
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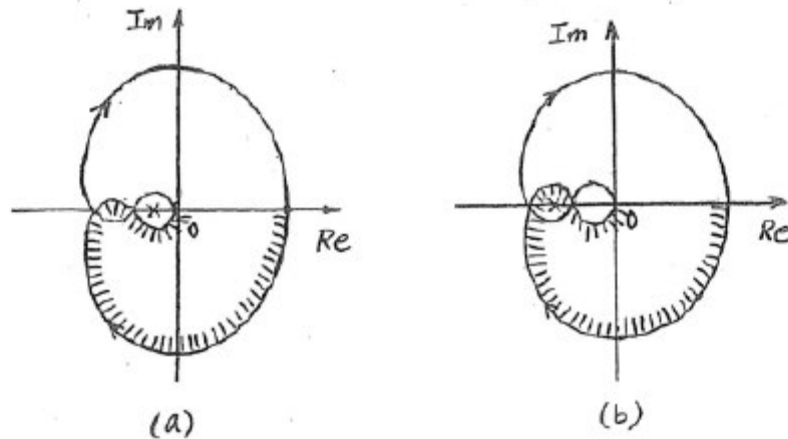


From the plot notice that the critical point $(-1+j0)$ is not encircled. Because there are two open-loop poles in the right-half s plane and no encirclement of the critical point, the closed-loop system is unstable.

B-8-18. Since $G(s)$ has no poles in the right-half s plane, the stability of the system can be studied by checking the enclosure of the $-1 + j0$ point by the Nyquist locus for $0 < \omega < \infty$.

If the Nyquist plot of $G(s)$ is as shown in Figure 8-119(a), then there is no enclosure of the $-1 + j0$ point. [See Figure (a) below.] Hence, the system is stable.

For the case of the Nyquist plot shown in Figure 8-119(b), the $-1 + j0$ point is enclosed by the Nyquist plot of $G(j\omega)$ for $0 < \omega < \infty$. [See Figure (b) below.] Hence, the system is unstable.



B-8-23.

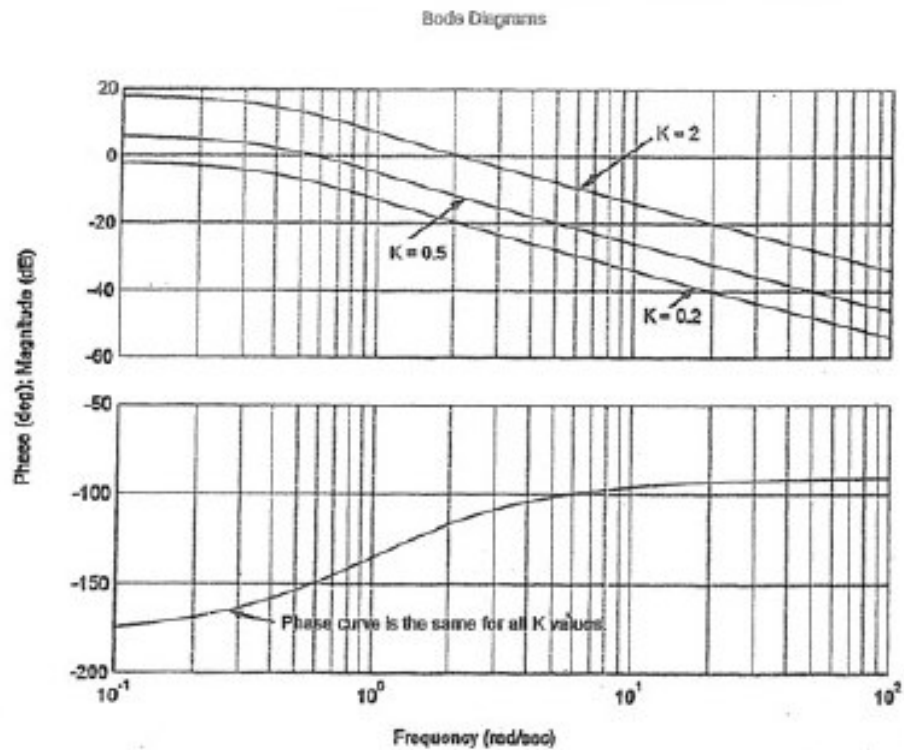
$$G(s) = \frac{K(s+1)}{s^2 - 0.25}$$

A MATLAB program to plot Bode diagrams of $G(s)$ for $K = 0.2, 0.5,$ and 2 is shown below. The resulting Bode diagrams are shown on the next page.

```

% ***** Bode Diagrams *****
num = [0 1 1];
den = [1 0 -0.25];
w = logspace(-1,2,100);
bode(0.2*num,den,w)
hold
Current plot held
bode(0.5*num,den,w)
bode(2*num,den,w)
gtext('K = 0.2')
gtext('K = 0.5')
gtext('K = 2')
gtext('Phase curve is the same for all K values.')

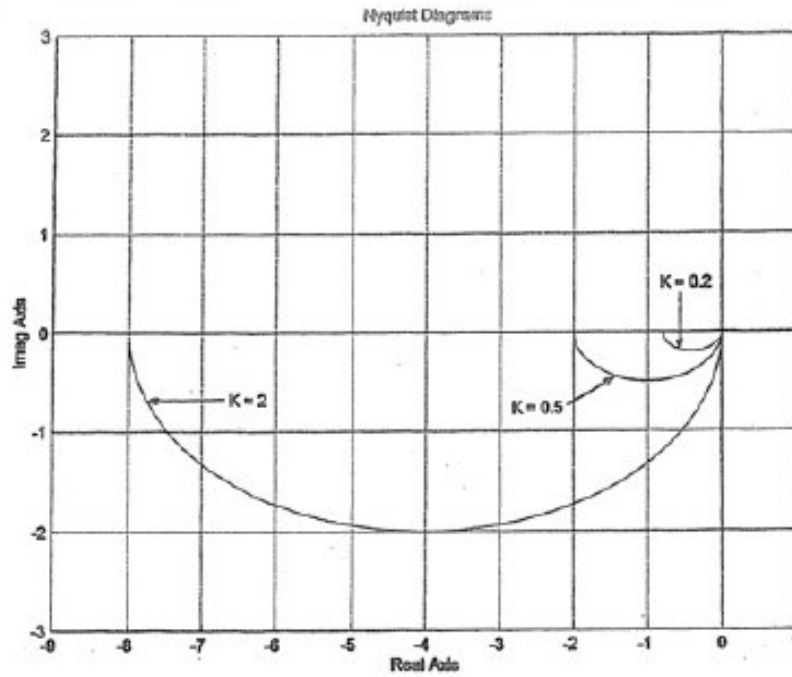
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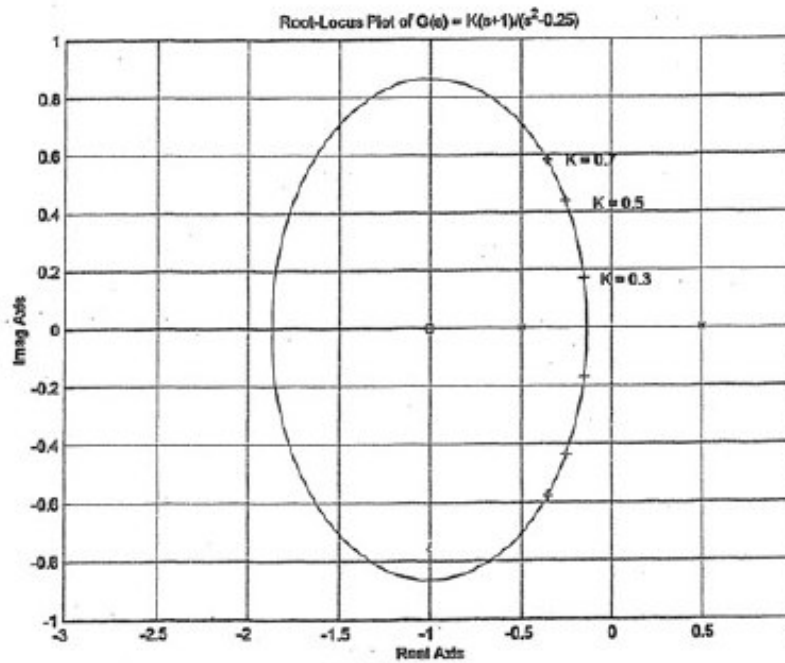
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```
% ***** Nyquist Diagrams *****

num = [0 1 1];
den = [1 0 -0.25];
w = 0.01:0.01:20;
[re1,im1,w] = nyquist(0.2*num,den,w);
[re2,im2,w] = nyquist(0.5*num,den,w);
[re3,im3,w] = nyquist(2*num,den,w);
plot(re1,im1,re2,im2,re3,im3)
v = [-9 1 -3 3]; axis(v)
grid
gtext('K = 0.2')
gtext('K = 0.5')
gtext('K = 2')
title('Nyquist Diagrams')
xlabel('Real Axis')
ylabel('Imag Axis')
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A root-locus diagram for the given $G(s)$ is shown below. The MATLAB program that produced this root-locus diagram is shown on the next page.



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% ***** Root-Locus Plot *****

num = [0 1 1];
den = [1 0.0000001 -0.25];
rlocus(num,den)
grid
title('Root-Locus Plot of G(s) = K(s+1)/(s^2-0.25)')
text(-0.06,0.166,'K = 0.3')
text(-0.1,0.43,'K = 0.5')
text(-0.25,0.58,'K = 0.7')

% To locate a point where K assumes a given value, we may use the
% rlocfind command. For example, to locate a point where K = 0.3,
% enter the command [K,r] = rlocfind(num,den) and select a probable
% point on a root locus.

[K,r] = rlocfind(num,den)
Select a point in the graphics window

selected_point =

    -0.1594+ 0.1642i

K =

    0.3000

r =

    -0.1500+ 0.1658i
    -0.1500- 0.1658i

% At point -0.1500 + j0.1658, the K value is 0.30000.
```