LECTURE 6-Design of via Frequency Response- Gain Adjustment

Example 6.1

For a unity feedback system with a forward transfer function;

$$G(s) = \frac{K}{s(s+50)(s+120)}$$

Use frequency response techniques to find the value of gain K, to yield a closed-loop step response with 20% overshoot.

Matlab Code

n=[1]; d=[1,170,6000,0]; sys=tf(n,d); bode(sys);



In order to start at magnitude 0 db, we need to increase the magnitude plot by 75.6db

20 log k= 75.6 K=6025.6 We need to start with K=6025.6

Matlab Code

n=[6025.6]; d=[1,170,6000,0]; sys=tf(n,d); bode(sys);



From the following equations we find damping ratio and phase margin;

$$\xi = \frac{-ln(\%M_p/100)}{\sqrt{\pi^2 + ln^2(\%M_p/100)}}$$

$$\phi_{M} = tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2\xi}{\sqrt{-2\xi^{2} + \sqrt{1 + 4\xi^{4}}}} \right)$$
$$\xi = 0.456$$
$$\phi_{M} = 48.152^{0}$$
$$180^{0} - \phi = 48.152^{0}$$
$$\phi = -131.8^{0}$$



At phase -131.8 the magnitude is -30db with a frequency 27.3 rad /sec. we need to adjust the gain to force the magnitude curve to go through 0db at this frequency. So the additional gain is $20\log k=30$ db so K=31.62. However we started with a gain k=6025.2 so the overall gain is K=31.62 *6025.6=190546.2.

So the gain -adjusted open-loop transfer function is;

$$G(s) = \frac{190546.2}{s(s+50)(s+120)}$$

The bode plot of the new system is;



To insure that our design meets the required specifications we shall draw the step response of the closed loop system.

Matlab code:

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Sysc= feedback(sys,1)
step(sysc)
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As you can see the overshooting is as required so our design is correct.