## **18.03 Solutions**

## 8: Extra Problems

# 8A. Bifurcation Diagrams

#### 8A-1.

a) Critical points:  $f(P) = 0 \Rightarrow P = 0, 6$ . See below for phase line. The integral curves are not shown. Make sure you know how to sketch them as functions of *P* vs. *t*.

b) The picture below shows the graph of P' = f(P) (i.e. when r = 0).

A positive *r* will raise the graph. As soon as r > 32 the graph will have only one zero and that zero will be above 6. **Solution.** r = 32.



Phaseline (r = 0)

c) See above diagram. The curve of critical points is given by solving

 $P' = -P^3 + 12P^2 - 36P + r = 0 \Rightarrow r = P^3 - 12P^2 + 36P.$ 

which is a sideways cubic. The phase-line for r = 0 is determined by the middle plot. The phase line for the other values of r then follow by continuity, i.e. the rP-plane is divided into two pieces by the curve, and arrows in the same piece have to point the same way.

#### 8B. Frequency Response

# 8B-1.

a) Characteristic polynomial:  $p(s) = r^2 + r + 7$ Complexified ODE:  $\tilde{x}'' + \tilde{x} + 7\tilde{x} = F_0 e^{i\omega t}$ . Particular solution (from Exp. Input Theorem):  $\tilde{x}_p = F_0 e^{i\omega t} / p(i\omega) = F_0 e^{i\omega t} / (7 - \omega^2 + i\omega)$ Complex and real gain:  $\tilde{g}(\omega) = 1/(7 - \omega^2 + i\omega)$ ,  $g(\omega) = 1/|p(i\omega)| = 1/\sqrt{(7 - \omega^2)^2 + \omega^2}$ . For graphing we analyze the term under the square root:  $f(\omega) = (7 - \omega^2)^2 + \omega^2$ . Critical points:  $f'(\omega) = -4\omega(7-\omega^2) + 2\omega = 0 \Rightarrow \omega = 0 \text{ or } \omega = \sqrt{13/2}.$ Evaluate at the critical points: g(0) = 1/7,  $g(\sqrt{13/2}) = .385$ Find regions of increase and decrease by checking values of  $f'(\omega)$ : On  $[0, \sqrt{13/2}]$ :  $f(\omega) < 0 \Rightarrow f$  is decreasing  $\Rightarrow g$  is increasing. On  $[\sqrt{13/2}, \infty]$ :  $f(\omega) > 0 \Rightarrow f$  is increasing  $\Rightarrow g$  is decreasing.

The graph is given below.

This system has a (practical) resonant frequency =  $\omega_r = \sqrt{13/2}$ .

b) Characteristic polynomial:  $p(s) = r^2 + 8r + 7$ Complex and real gain:  $\tilde{g}(\omega) = 1/p(i\omega) = 1/(7 - \omega^2 + i8\omega)$ ,  $g(\omega) = 1/|p(i\omega)| = 1/\sqrt{(7 - \omega^2)^2 + 64\omega^2}$ .

For graphing we analyze the term under the square root:  $f(\omega) = (7 - \omega^2)^2 + 64\omega^2$ . Critical points:  $f'(\omega) = -4\omega(7 - \omega^2) + 128\omega = 0 \Rightarrow \omega = 0$ .

Since there are no positive critical points the graph is strictly decreasing. Graph below.



Graphs for 8B-1a and 8B-1b.

#### 8C. Pole Diagrams

8C-1.

a) All poles have negative real part: a, b, c, h.

b) All poles have nonzero imaginary part: b, d, e, f, h.

c) All poles are real: a, g.

d) Poles are real or complex conjugate pairs: a, b, c, g, h.

e) b, because the pole farthest to the right in b, is more negative than the one in c.

f) This is just the number of poles: a) 2, b) 2, c) 4, d) 2, e) 2, f) 4, g) 3, h) 2.

g) a) Making up a scale, the poles are -1 and -3  $\Rightarrow P(s) = (s+1)(s+3) \Rightarrow P(D) = D^2 + 4D + 3$ . b) Possible poles are  $-3 \pm 2i \Rightarrow P(s) = (s+3-2i)(s+3+2i) \Rightarrow P(D) = D^2 + 6D + 13$ . c) Possible poles are  $-1, -3, -2 \pm 2i \Rightarrow P(s) = (s+1)(s+3)(s+2-2i)(s+2+2i) \Rightarrow P(D) = (D+1)(D+3)(D^2 + 4D + 8) = D^4 + 8D^3 + 27D^2 + 44D + 24$ .

h) System (h). The amplitude of the reponse is  $1/|P(i\omega)|$ . In the pole diagram  $i\omega$  is on the imaginary axis. The poles represent values of *s* where 1/P(s) is infinite. The poles in system (h) are closer to the imaginary axis than those in system (b), so the biggest  $1/|P(i\omega)|$  is bigger in (h) than (b).

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