

Problem 1 & 2 - Palm 2.25 & 2.26

I have combined the solutions to the first two problems into one. For 2.25, you should find the roots of the characteristic equation (s_1 and s_2), the steady state response (x_{ss}), and the time to steady state (t_{ss}). For 2.26, you should find the time response ($x(t)$) using table 2.3-2. A quick note on finding x_{ss} : The proper way to find the steady state value of x would be the following

$$x_{ss} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} x(t)$$

Since this is tedious and requires that you have $x(t)$ formulated you can cheat a bit and simply look at the differential equation for the problem and throw out any time based terms.

$$\begin{aligned} m\ddot{x} + b\dot{x} + kx &= f \text{ becomes} \\ kx &= f \\ x_{ss} &= \frac{f}{k} \end{aligned}$$

This *usually* works but not always.

a)

$$\begin{aligned} s_1 &= -5, s_2 = -2, x_{ss} = \frac{4}{3}, t_{ss} = 4\tau = -\frac{4}{s_2} = 2s \\ x(t) &= \frac{4}{3} \left(\frac{2}{3}e^{-5t} - \frac{5}{3}e^{-2t} + 1 \right) \end{aligned}$$

b)

$$\begin{aligned} s_1 &= s_2 = -2, x_{ss} = \frac{72}{20}, t_{ss} = 4\tau = -\frac{4}{s_2} = 2s \\ x(t) &= \frac{72}{20} \left[(-2t - 1)e^{-2t} + 1 \right] \end{aligned}$$

c)

$$\begin{aligned} s_{1,2} &= -2 \pm 5i, x_{ss} = \frac{95}{58}, t_{ss} = 4\tau = -\frac{4}{a} = 2s \\ x(t) &= \frac{95}{58} \left[\frac{1}{5} \sqrt{\frac{58}{2}} e^{-2t} \sin(5t + 4.33) + 1 \right] \end{aligned}$$

Note: For this problem you need to make sure to use the 2 argument tangent function.

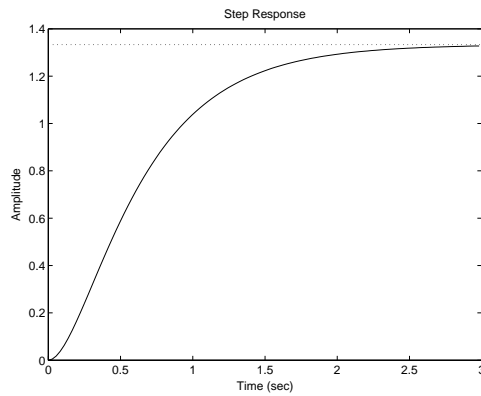


Figure 1: Step response for 2.26a

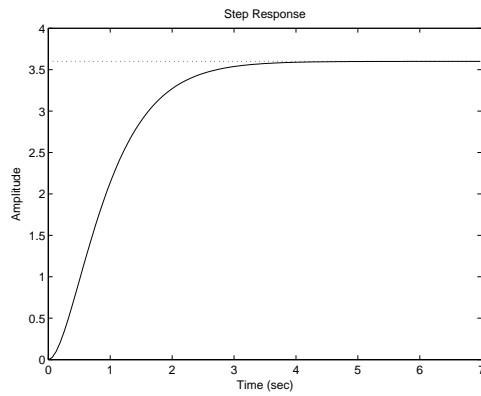


Figure 2: Step response for 2.26b

Problem 3 - Palm 4.26

The roots of the characteristic equation ($\ddot{x} + 4\dot{x} + 8x = 2$) for this problem are $s_{1,2} = -2 \pm 2i$.

$$\begin{aligned}\omega_n &= \sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2} \\ 2\omega_n\zeta &= 4 \\ \zeta &= \frac{2}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ x_{ss} &= \frac{2}{8} = \frac{1}{4} \\ P.O. &= 100e^{-\frac{\pi\zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}} = 100e^{-\frac{\pi \cdot 0.707}{\sqrt{1-0.5}}} = 4.3\%\end{aligned}$$

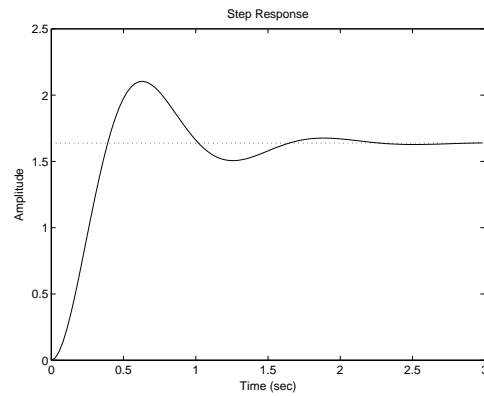


Figure 3: Step response for 2.26c

$$\text{Overshoot} = P.O. * x_{ss}/100 = 0.01$$

$$\tau = -\frac{1}{\zeta\omega_n} \Rightarrow t_{2\%} = 4\tau = 2s$$

$$t_p = \frac{\pi}{\omega_n\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} = \frac{\pi}{\omega_d} = \frac{\pi}{2} = 1.57s$$

$$t_r = \frac{2\pi - \phi}{\omega_n\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} = \frac{2\pi - \frac{5}{4}\pi}{\omega_d} = \frac{1.25\pi}{2} = 1.179s$$

$$t_d \approx \frac{1 + 0.7\zeta}{\omega_n} = \frac{1 + 0.7 * 0.707}{3.332} = 0.53s$$

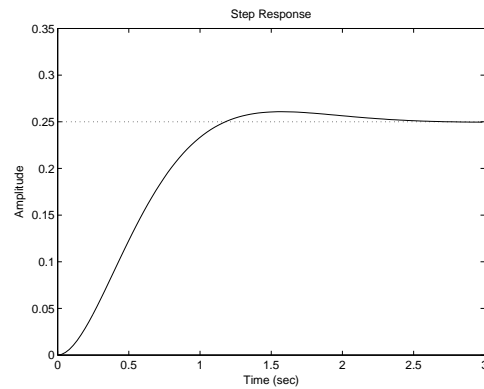


Figure 4: Step response for 4.26

Problem 4 - Palm 4.28

Given: $9\ddot{x} + c\dot{x} + 4x = f$ where $f = u(t)$. Percent overshoot 20% max.,
 $t_{rise100\%} \leq 3s$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\omega_n &= \sqrt{\frac{4}{9}} = \frac{2}{3} \\ M_p &= 20 = 100e^{-1\frac{\pi\zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}} \Rightarrow \ln 0.2 = -\frac{\pi\zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} \\ \zeta_{min} &= \left(\frac{1}{\frac{\pi^2}{(\ln 0.2)^2} + 1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0.4559\end{aligned}$$

ζ must be greater than or equal to the that found above or the system overshoot (the dominant performance requirement) more than 20%.

$$\begin{aligned}t_{rise100\%} &= \frac{2\pi - \phi}{\omega_n\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} = \frac{2\pi - 4.2389}{0.666\sqrt{1-0.4559^2}} = 3.44s \\ \phi &= \tan^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\zeta} + \pi = 4.2389\end{aligned}$$

Well clearly, we are not going to be able to achieve both requirements. This is because to increase the rise time we will have to decrease ζ or increase ω_n . Since we can not control ω_n for this system, that leaves only decreasing ζ , but this will increase the overshoot, which we are told is the dominant requirement. Given our minimum ζ we find:

$$\frac{c}{9} = 2\omega_n\zeta \Rightarrow c = 18 \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) 0.4559 = 5.47$$

You can also solve this problem a little less rigourously using values from Figure 4.4-10. Using this method:

$$\begin{aligned}\zeta &= 0.43 \\ c &= 5.16\end{aligned}$$

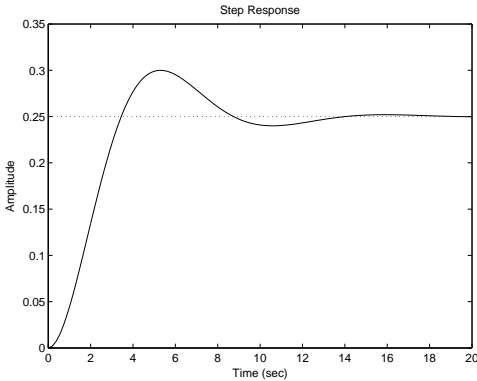


Figure 5: Step response for 4.28