Solution of ECE 316 Final Examination Su08

1. A continuous-time filter with transfer function

$$H_s(s) = \frac{s+4}{s^2+8s+12}$$

is approximated by a digital filter designed by the bilinear method with a sampling rate of 5 samples/second. Its transfer function is of the form

$$H_{z}(z) = \frac{b_{2}z^{2} + b_{1}z + b_{0}}{z^{2} + a_{1}z + a_{0}}.$$

Find the numerical values of the constants

$$\begin{aligned} \mathsf{H}_{z}(z) &= \left[\frac{s+4}{s^{2}+8s+12}\right]_{s \to \frac{2}{T_{s}}\frac{z-1}{z+1}} = \frac{\frac{2}{T_{s}}\frac{z-1}{z+1}+4}{\left(\frac{2}{T_{s}}\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right)^{2}+8\times\frac{2}{T_{s}}\frac{z-1}{z+1}+12} \\ \mathsf{H}_{z}(z) &= \frac{2T_{s}(z-1)(z+1)+4T_{s}^{2}(z+1)^{2}}{4(z-1)^{2}+16T_{s}(z-1)(z+1)+12T_{s}^{2}(z+1)^{2}} \\ \mathsf{H}_{z}(z) &= \frac{2T_{s}z^{2}-2T_{s}+4T_{s}^{2}z^{2}+8T_{s}^{2}z+4T_{s}^{2}}{4z^{2}-8z+4+16T_{s}z^{2}-16T_{s}+12T_{s}^{2}z^{2}+24T_{s}^{2}z+12T_{s}^{2}} \\ \mathsf{H}_{z}(z) &= \frac{\left(2T_{s}+4T_{s}^{2}\right)z^{2}+8T_{s}^{2}z+2T_{s}\left(2T_{s}-1\right)}{\left(4+16T_{s}+12T_{s}^{2}\right)z^{2}-\left(8-24T_{s}^{2}\right)z+4\left(1-4T_{s}+3T_{s}^{2}\right)} \\ \mathsf{H}_{z}(z) &= \frac{\left(14/25\right)z^{2}+\left(8/25\right)z-6/25}{\left(192/25\right)z^{2}-\left(176/25\right)z+32/25} \\ &= \frac{\left(7/96\right)z^{2}+\left(1/24\right)z-1/32}{z^{2}-\left(11/12\right)z+1/6} \\ \mathsf{b}_{z} &= 7/96 \text{ or } 0.0729 \ , \ \mathsf{b}_{z} &= 1/24 \text{ or } 0.0417 \ , \ \mathsf{b}_{0} &= -1/32 \text{ or } -0.0312 \end{aligned}$$

$$a_1 = -11/12 \text{ or } -0.9167$$
 , $a_0 = 1/6 \text{ or } 0.1667$

2. A continuous-time filter with transfer function

$$H_{s}(s) = \frac{5}{s(s+8)}$$

is approximated by a digital filter designed by the impulse invariant method with a sampling rate of 20 samples/second. Its transfer function is of the form

$$H_{z}(Z) = \frac{b_{2}Z^{2} + b_{1}Z + b_{0}}{Z^{2} + a_{1}Z + a_{0}}.$$

Find the numerical values of the constants.

$$H_{s}(s) = \frac{5}{s(s+8)} = (5/8) \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s+8}\right) \Rightarrow h(t) = (5/8) (1 - e^{-8t}) u(t)$$
$$h[n] = (5/8) (1 - e^{-8n/20}) u[n] = (5/8) (1 - 0.6703^{n}) u[n]$$
$$H_{z}(z) = (5/8) \left(\frac{z}{z-1} - \frac{z}{z-0.6703}\right) = \frac{5}{8} \times \frac{z^{2} - 0.6703z - z^{2} + z}{z^{2} - 1.6703z + 0.6703} = \frac{0.2060z}{z^{2} - 1.6703z + 0.6703}$$
$$b_{z} = 0, \ b_{1} = 0.2060, \ b_{0} = 0$$

$$a_1 = -1.6703$$
, $a_0 = 0.6703$

3. Each pole-zero diagram below represents the poles and zeros of the loop transfer function (T(s)) of a feedback system. Sketch a root locus on each diagram.

Two of these systems will become unstable at a finite, non-zero value of the gain factor "K" in the loop transfer function. Which ones?

Systems that will go unstable for a finite, non-zero *K* B I

Three of these systems are marginally stable for an infinite K. Which ones?

Marginally stable systems for an infinite *K* A C G



4. In the general feedback system below let $H_2(s) = 1$. Then choose the steady-state error between the excitation and the response as either zero, finite or infinite (by circling it) for each case of $H_1(s)$ and x(t).



Steady-state Error

(a)	$H_1(s) = 10 / s$	$\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{u}(t)$	Zero	Finite Infinite
(b)	$H_1(s) = \frac{10s}{s+3}$	x(t) = u(t)	Zero	Finite Infinite
(c)	$H_1(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 3s}$	x(t) = u(t)	Zero	Finite Infinite
(d)	$H_1(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 3s}$	$\mathbf{x}(t) = \operatorname{ramp}(t)$	Zero	Finite Infinite
(e)	$H_1(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 3s + 5}$	$\mathbf{x}(t) = \operatorname{ramp}(t)$	Zero	Finite Infinite
(f)	$H_1(s) = 10 / s^2$	$\mathbf{x}(t) = \operatorname{ramp}(t)$	Zero	Finite Infinite

5. The loop transfer function of a discrete-time feedback system has more finite poles than finite zeros. Will it go unstable at a finite value of the gain factor "*K*"? Explain your answer.

Will go unstable Will not go unstable

Explanation

Will go unstable because at least one branch of the root locus must terminate on a zero at infinity and therefore go outside the unit circle.

6. A sinusoidal signal of frequency f_0 is impulse sampled at a rate of f_s . The impulse-sampled signal is the excitation of an ideal lowpass filter with corner (cutoff) frequency of f_c . For each set of parameters below what frequencies are present in the response of the filter? (List only the non-negative frequencies, including zero if present.)

In each case the frequencies present in the filter excitation are $kf_s \pm f_0$ where k is any integer. Only those whose absolute values are below the lowpass filter's cutoff frequency appear in the response.

(a)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 50$, $f_c = 210$

Frequencies are 20, 30, 70, 80, 120, 130, 170, 180

(b)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 50$, $f_c = 40$

Frequencies are 20, 30

(c)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 15$, $f_c = 35$

Frequencies are 5, 10, 20, 25, 35

(d)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 5$, $f_c = 22$

Frequencies are 0, 5, 10, 15, 20

(e)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 20$, $f_c = 50$

Frequencies are 0, 20, 40

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1. A continuous-time filter with transfer function

$$H_s(s) = \frac{s+4}{s^2+8s+12}$$

is approximated by a digital filter designed by the bilinear method with a sampling rate of 8 samples/second. Its transfer function is of the form

$$H_{z}(Z) = \frac{b_{2}Z^{2} + b_{1}Z + b_{0}}{Z^{2} + a_{1}Z + a_{0}}.$$

Find the numerical values of the constants

$$H_{z}(z) = \left[\frac{s+4}{s^{2}+8s+12}\right]_{s \to \frac{2}{T_{s}}\frac{z-1}{z+1}} = \frac{\frac{2}{T_{s}}\frac{z-1}{z+1}+4}{\left(\frac{2}{T_{s}}\frac{z-1}{z+1}\right)^{2}+8 \times \frac{2}{T_{s}}\frac{z-1}{z+1}+12}$$

$$H_{z}(z) = \frac{2T_{s}(z-1)(z+1)+4T_{s}^{2}(z+1)^{2}}{4(z-1)^{2}+16T_{s}(z-1)(z+1)+12T_{s}^{2}(z+1)^{2}}$$

$$H_{z}(z) = \frac{2T_{s}z^{2}-2T_{s}+4T_{s}^{2}z^{2}+8T_{s}^{2}z+4T_{s}^{2}}{4z^{2}-8z+4+16T_{s}z^{2}-16T_{s}+12T_{s}^{2}z^{2}+24T_{s}^{2}z+12T_{s}^{2}}$$

$$H_{z}(z) = \frac{\left(2T_{s}+4T_{s}^{2}\right)z^{2}+8T_{s}^{2}z+2T_{s}(2T_{s}-1)}{\left(4+16T_{s}+12T_{s}^{2}\right)z^{2}-\left(8-24T_{s}^{2}\right)z+4\left(1-4T_{s}+3T_{s}^{2}\right)}$$

$$f_{s} = 8 \Rightarrow T_{s} = 1/8$$

$$H_{z}(z) = \frac{(5/16)z^{2} + (1/8)z - 3/16}{(99/16)z^{2} - (61/8)z + 140/64} = \frac{(5/99)z^{2} + (2/99)z - 3/99}{z^{2} - (122/99)z + 140/396}$$

$$b_2 = 5/99 \text{ or } 0.0505$$
, $b_1 = 2/99 \text{ or } 0.0202$, $b_0 = -3/99 \text{ or } -0.0303$
 $a_1 = -122/99 \text{ or } -1.2323$, $a_0 = 140/396 \text{ or } 0.3535$

2. A continuous-time filter with transfer function

$$H_{s}(s) = \frac{5}{s(s+8)}$$

is approximated by a digital filter designed by the impulse invariant method with a sampling rate of 12 samples/second. Its transfer function is of the form

$$H_{z}(Z) = \frac{b_{2}Z^{2} + b_{1}Z + b_{0}}{Z^{2} + a_{1}Z + a_{0}}.$$

Find the numerical values of the constants.

$$\begin{aligned} H_{s}(s) &= \frac{5}{s(s+8)} = (5/8) \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s+8} \right) \Longrightarrow h(t) = (5/8) (1 - e^{-8t}) u(t) \\ h[n] &= (5/8) (1 - e^{-8n/12}) u[n] = (5/8) (1 - 0.5134^{n}) u[n] \\ H_{z}(z) &= (5/8) \left(\frac{z}{z-1} - \frac{z}{z-0.5134} \right) = \frac{5}{8} \times \frac{z^{2} - 0.5134z - z^{2} + z}{z^{2} - 1.5134z + 0.5134} = \frac{0.304z}{z^{2} - 1.5134z + 0.5134} \\ b_{z} &= 0 \ , \ b_{1} = \frac{0.304}{z} \ , \ b_{0} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

 $a_1 = -1.5134$, $a_0 = 0.5134$

3. Each pole-zero diagram below represents the poles and zeros of the loop transfer function (T(s)) of a feedback system. Sketch a root locus on each diagram.

Two of these systems will become unstable at a finite, non-zero value of the gain factor "K" in the loop transfer function. Which ones?

Systems that will go unstable for a finite, non-zero K A D

Three of these systems are marginally stable for an infinite K. Which ones?

Marginally stable systems for an infinite *K* B C G



4. In the general feedback system below let $H_2(s) = 1$. Then choose the steady-state error between the excitation and the response as either zero, finite or infinite (by circling it) for each case of $H_1(s)$ and x(t).



Steady-state Error

(a)	$H_1(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 3s}$	$\mathbf{x}(t) = \operatorname{ramp}(t)$	Zero	Finite Infinite
(b)	$H_1(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 3s + 5}$	$\mathbf{x}(t) = \operatorname{ramp}(t)$	Zero	Finite Infinite
(c)	$H_1(s) = 10 / s^2$	$\mathbf{x}(t) = \operatorname{ramp}(t)$	Zero	Finite Infinite
(d)	$H_1(s) = 10 / s$	x(t) = u(t)	Zero	Finite Infinite
(e)	$H_1(s) = \frac{10s}{s+3}$	x(t) = u(t)	Zero	Finite Infinite
(f)	$H_1(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 3s}$	$\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{u}(t)$	Zero	Finite Infinite

5. The loop transfer function of a discrete-time feedback system has more finite poles than finite zeros. Will it go unstable at a finite value of the gain factor "*K*"? Explain your answer.

Will go unstable Will not go unstable (1 pt)

Explanation

Will go unstable because at least one branch of the root locus must terminate on a zero at infinity and therefore go outside the unit circle.

6. A sinusoidal signal of frequency f_0 is impulse sampled at a rate of f_s . The impulse-sampled signal is the excitation of an ideal lowpass filter with corner (cutoff) frequency of f_c . For each set of parameters below what frequencies are present in the response of the filter? (List only the non-negative frequencies, including zero if present.) (3 pts each)

In each case the frequencies present in the filter excitation are $kf_s \pm f_0$ where k is any integer. Only those whose absolute values are below the lowpass filter's cutoff frequency appear in the response.

(a)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 45$, $f_c = 210$

Frequencies are 20, 25, 65, 70, 110, 115, 155, 160, 200, 195, 205

(b)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 45$, $f_c = 40$

Frequencies are 20, 25

(c)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 12$, $f_c = 35$

Frequencies are 4,8,16, 20, 28, 32

(d)
$$f_0 = 20$$
 , $f_s = 3$, $f_c = 9$

Frequencies are 1,2,4,5,7,8

(e)
$$f_0 = 30$$
 , $f_s = 30$, $f_c = 70$

Frequencies are 0, 30, 60