

Chapter Two

Time Response Analysis of control systems

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2.1 Introduction

- Time response of a control system means, how output behaves with respect to time. So it can be defined as below.
- **Definition:** the response given by the system which is the function of time, to the applied excitation is *called time response of a control system.*

2.2 Classification of Time Responses

- Total response of any control system is made up of two parts of response
 - i. **Steady- state response** – When the final state achieved by the o/p
 - ii. **Transient response** – while the o/p variations within the **time takes to achieve the steady state** is called transient response of the system.

2.2.1 Transient Response

- Transient response is that part of the response which goes to **zero** after some interval of time to achieve ***the final value***.
- The time required to achieve the final value is called *transient period*.
- The transient response may be *exponential or oscillatory* in nature. Symbolically it is denoted as $C_t(t)$.
- Transient response must vanish after some time to get the final value closer to the desired value. Such system in *which transient response dies out after some time* are called ***Stable systems***.

Mathematically for stable operating systems,

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} c_t(t) = 0$$

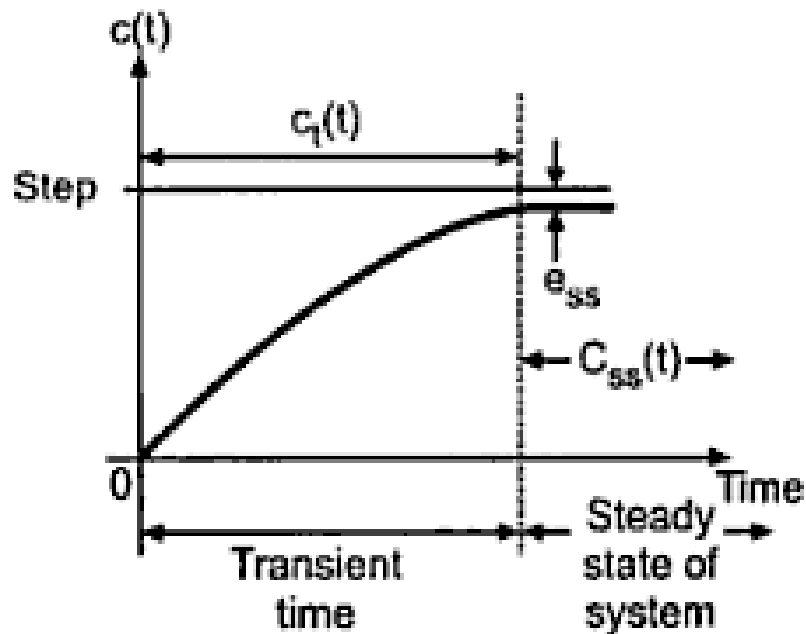
2.2.2 Steady- state Response

- It is that part of time response which **remains after all transient responses have died down.**
- Steady-state is the equilibrium state **attained** such that there is **no change with respect to time of any of the system variables.**
- *The steady state response indicates the accuracy of the system. The symbol for steady state output is C_{ss} .*

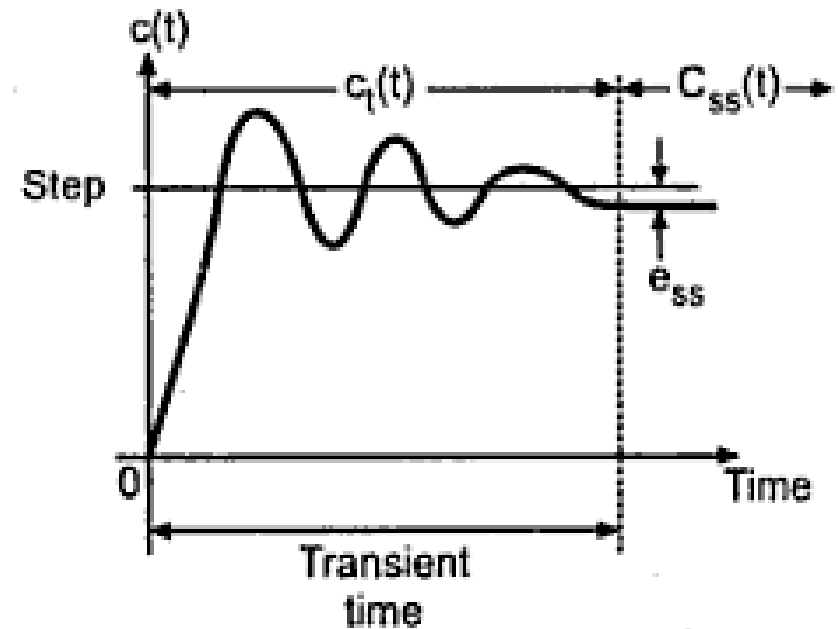
➤ Hence, **total time response $C(t)$** we can write as, $C(t) = C_{ss}(t) + C_t(t)$

- The difference b/n the desired output and the actual output of the system is called **steady state error** which is denoted as e_{ss} . This error indicate the accuracy and play an important role in designing the system.

- The above definitions can be shown in the waveform as in the Fig 2.1 (a), (b) where input applied to the system is step type of input.



(a) $C_t(t)$ is exponential



(b) $C_t(t)$ is oscillatory

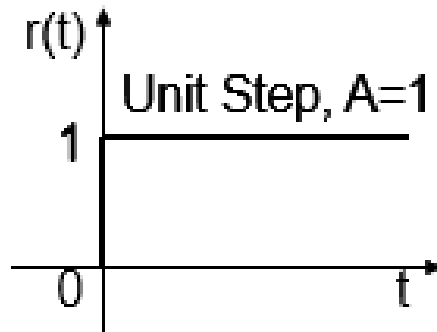
Fig: 2.1

2.3 Standard Test signals

- In practice, many signals are available which are the functions of time but, from the analysis point of view, those signals which are commonly used as reference inputs are defined as *Standard Test Inputs*.
- These standard test signals are,

1) Step Input (Position function):

- It is the sudden application of the input at a specified time as shown in the Fig.
- Let the step input of magnitude A be applied. The Laplace transform of step input $r(t)$ having magnitude A is given by:



$$r(t) = A u(t)$$

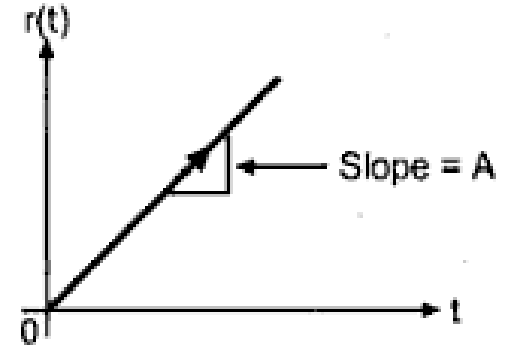
$$\text{Where, } u(t) = 1 \quad \text{for } t > 0$$
$$u(t) = 0 \quad \text{for } t < 0$$

$$R(s) = A/S$$

2) Ramp Input (Velocity function): it is constant rate of change in input i.e. gradual application of input as shown in the Fig.

- Magnitude of ramp input is nothing but it's slope.
- Mathematically it is defined as,

$$\begin{aligned} r(t) &= At & \text{for } t \geq 0 \\ &= 0 & \text{for } t < 0 \end{aligned}$$

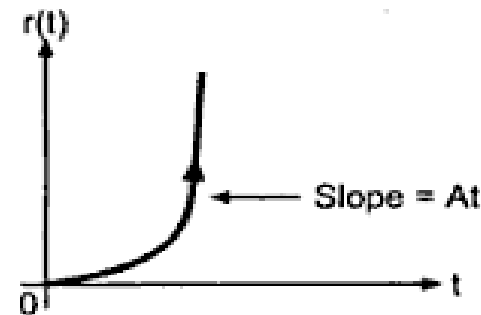


- If $A = 1$, it is called *Unit Ramp input*. It is denoted as $r(t)$. Its LT is $R(s) = \frac{A}{s^2}$

3) Parabolic Input (Acceleration function): this is the input signal which is one degree faster than a ramp type of input as shown.

- Mathematically it is defined as,

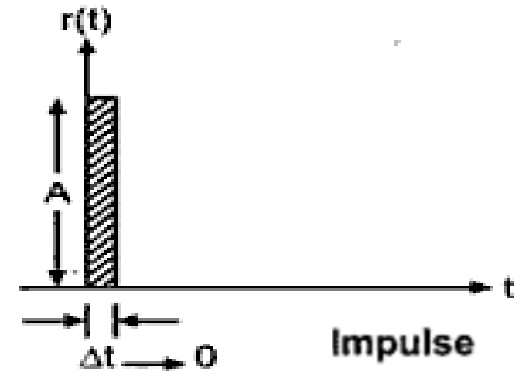
$$\begin{aligned} r(t) &= \frac{A}{2} t^2 & \text{for } t \geq 0 \\ &= 0 & \text{for } t < 0 \end{aligned}$$



- If $A = 1$, i.e. $r(t) = \frac{t^2}{2}$ it is called *unit parabolic input*. Its LT is $R(s) = \frac{A}{s^3}$

4) Impulse input: it is input applied instantaneously (for short duration of time) of very high amplitude as shown in the Fig.

- It is the pulse whose magnitude is infinite while its width tends to zero i.e. $t \rightarrow 0$, applied momentarily.



- Area of the impulse is nothing but its magnitude. If its area is unity it is called **Unit Impulse** Input,

denoted as $\delta(t)$.

- Mathematically it is defined as,

$$\begin{aligned} r(t) &= A, & \text{for } t = 0 \\ &= 0, & \text{for } t \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

- Its *Laplace transform is always 1*. If $A = 1$. i.e. for unit impulse response.

$r(t)$	Symbol	$R(s)$
Unit step	$u(t)$	$1/s$
Unit ramp	$r(t)$	$1/s^2$
Unit parabolic	—	$1/s^3$
Unit impulse	$\delta(t)$	1

2.4 Steady State Analysis

- As discussed earlier, steady state is that part of output which remains after transients completely vanish from the output.
- Mainly the steady state response has following two specifications.
 - i) How much time system takes to reach its steady state which is called ***setting time***.
 - ii) How far away actual output is reached from its desired value which is called ***steady state error (e_{ss})***.

Definition: Steady State Error: it is the difference b/n the actual output and the desired output.

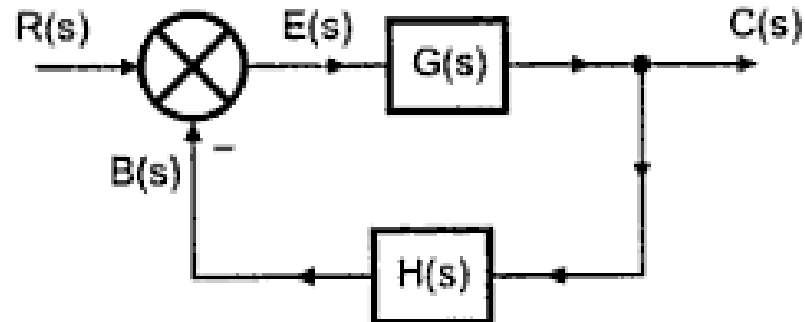
- Mathematically it is defined in Laplace domain as,

$$L[e(t)] = E(s) = R(s) - C(s)H(s), \quad \text{for non unity feedback system}$$

$$L[e(t)] = E(s) = R(s) - C(s), \quad \text{for unity feedback system}$$

2.4.1 Derivation of Steady State Error

- Consider a simple closed loop system using negative feedback as shown in fig below,



where $E(s)$ = Error signal, and $B(s)$ = Feedback signal

Now, $E(s) = R(s) - B(s)$

But $B(s) = C(s)H(s)$

$$\therefore E(s) = R(s) - C(s)H(s) \quad E(s) + E(s)G(s)H(s) = R(s)$$

$$\text{and } C(s) = E(s)G(s) \quad \therefore$$

$$\therefore E(s) = R(s) - E(s)G(s)H(s)$$

$$E(s) = \frac{R(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} \quad \text{for nonunity feedback}$$

$$E(s) = \frac{R(s)}{1 + G(s)} \quad \text{for unity feedback}$$

- $E(s)$ – is the error in Laplace domain and is expressed in ' s '. But, to calculate the error value in time domain, corresponding error will be $e(t)$. Now steady state of the system is that state which remains as $t \rightarrow \infty$.

Therefore, Steady state error, $e_{ss} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} e(t)$

- Now we can relate this in Laplace domain by using **final value theorem** which states that,

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} f(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF(s) \quad \text{where } F(s) = L\{f(t)\}$$

Therefore,
$$e_{ss} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} e(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sE(s) \quad \text{where } E(s) \text{ is } L\{e(t)\}.$$

Substituting $E(s)$ from the expression derived, we can write

$$e_{ss} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{sR(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)}$$

Equation (1)

For negative feedback systems use positive sign in denominator while use negative sign in denominator if system uses positive feedback.

❑ Error for step input

- Reference input for step input of magnitude 'A' is, $R(s) = \frac{A}{s}$
- Using Equation (1) and substituting $R(s)$ we get,

$$e_{ss} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{sR(s)}{1+G(s)H(s)} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{s \left(\frac{A}{s} \right)}{1+G(s)H(s)}$$

$$\Rightarrow e_{ss} = \frac{A}{1 + \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s)}$$

- For a system $\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s)$ is constant called **positional error constant (K_p)**

$$\text{Then, } e_{ss} = \frac{A}{1+K_p}$$

□ Error for Ramp input

➤ For magnitude 'A', $R(s) = \frac{A}{s^2}$

➤ Using Eq.(1)
$$e_{ss} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{s \left(\frac{A}{s^2} \right)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{A}{s + s G(s)H(s)} = \frac{A}{\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s G(s)H(s)}$$

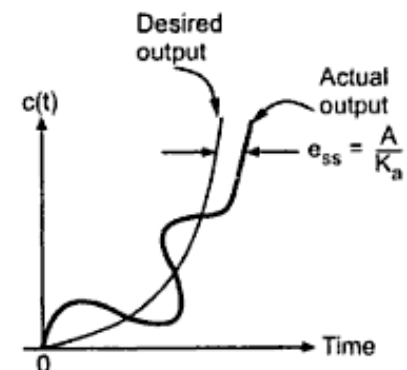
For a selected system $\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s G(s)H(s)$ is constant and called **Velocity Error Coefficient**

as K_v .

$$K_v = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s G(s)H(s) = \text{Velocity error coefficient}$$

And corresponding error is,

$$e_{ss} = \frac{A}{K_v}$$



❑ Error for Parabolic input

- The Laplace transform for the parabolic input of magnitude A is give by,

$$R(s) = \frac{A}{s^3}$$

- Using Eq.(1)

$$e_{ss} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{sR(s)}{1+G(s)H(s)} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{s \left(\frac{A}{s^3} \right)}{1+G(s)H(s)}$$

$$e_{ss} = \frac{A}{\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s^2 G(s)H(s)}$$

- Here, $\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s^2 G(s)H(s) = K_a$ is constant and called **acceleration error coefficient**
- Substituting: $e_{ss} = \frac{A}{K_a}$

Effect of change in $G(s)H(s)$ on Steady State Error (TYPE of a system)

- The general form $G(s)H(s)$ is expressed in a particular form called **time constant form** as follows:

$$G(s)H(s) = \frac{K(1 + T_1 s)(1 + T_2 s)....}{s^j (1 + T_a s)(1 + T_b s).....}$$

- Where, K = Resultant system gain and j = TYPE of the system

TYPE of the system means number of poles at origin of open loop T.F.

- $G(s)H(s)$ of the system, So, $j = 0$, TYPE zero system
 - $j = 1$, TYPE one system
 - $j = 2$, TYPE two system
 - :
 - :
 - $j = n$, TYPE 'n' system

- **Note:** a popular method to assess steady state performance of servo - mechanism or a unit feedback is to find their *error co-efficient* K_p , K_v , and K_a .
- Obviously in order to find these error constants the system must be stable, b/c for unstable system there is no steady state and K_p , K_v , and K_a , are undefined.
- Thus the concept of K_p , K_v , and K_a is applicable only if,
 - i) System is represented in its simple form.
 - ii) Only if the system is stable

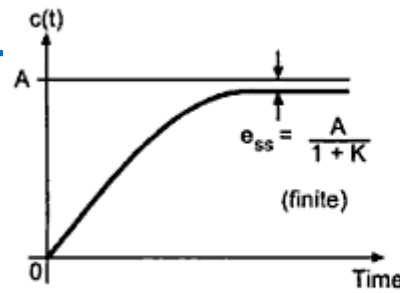
□ Consider the input selected as step of magnitude 'A'.

i) TYPE '0'

➤ In this case $j = 0$. i.e.
$$G(s)H(s) = \frac{K(1 + T_1 s)(1 + T_2 s) \dots \dots}{(1 + T_a s)(1 + T_b s) \dots \dots}$$

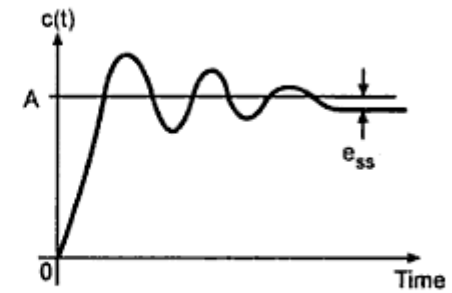
For step input $K_p = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s) = K$

$$\therefore e_{ss} = \frac{A}{1 + K_p} = \frac{A}{1 + K}$$



(a)

[For type 0]



(b)

i.e. TYPE '0' systems follow the step type of input with finite error $\frac{A}{1+K}$ which can be reduced by change in 'A' or 'k' or both as per requirement.

ii) TYPE 1

In this case $j = 1$

$$G(s)H(s) = \frac{K(1 + T_1s)(1 + T_2s) \dots}{s(1 + T_as)(1 + T_bs) \dots}$$

As input is step $K_p = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s) = \infty$

$$e_{ss} = \frac{A}{1 + K_p} = 0$$

iii) TYPE 2

In this case $j = 2$

$$G(s)H(s) = \frac{K(1 + T_1 s)(1 + T_2 s) \dots}{s^2(1 + T_a s)(1 + T_b s) \dots}$$

$$\text{As input is step, } K_p = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s) = \infty$$

$$e_{ss} = \frac{A}{1 + K_p} = \frac{A}{\infty} = 0$$

Type of System	Error Coefficients			Error e_{ss} for		
	K_p	K_v	K_a	Step input	Ramp input	Parabolic input
0	K	0	0	$\frac{A}{1 + K}$	∞	∞
1	∞	K	0	0	$\frac{A}{K}$	∞
2	∞	∞	K	0	0	$\frac{A}{K}$

Example 1: Find the error coefficient for a system having.

$$G(s)H(s) = \frac{(s + 3)}{s(1 + 0.60s)(1 + 0.35s)}$$

Solution $K_P = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s) = \frac{(s + 3)}{s(1 + 0.60s)(1 + 0.35s)} = \infty$

$$K_V = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sG(s)H(s) = \frac{(s + 3)}{(1 + 0.60s)(1 + 0.35s)} = 3$$

$$K_a = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s^2G(s)H(s) = \frac{s(s + 3)}{(1 + 0.60s)(1 + 0.35s)} = 0$$

Example 2: Find K_P , K_V , K_a for the system having

i) $G(s) = \frac{10}{s^2}$ and $H(s) = 0.7$

ii) $G(s) = \frac{5}{s^2 + 3s + 5}$ and $H(s) = 0.6$

iii) $G(s) = \frac{10(1 + 0.5s)(1 + 0.8s)}{s^2(s^2 + 3s + 5)}$ and $H(s) = 0.8$

Example 2, Solutions: *i)* $G(s) = \frac{10}{s^2}$ and $H(s) = 0.7$

$$K_P = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s) = \frac{7}{s^2} = \infty$$

$$K_v = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sG(s)H(s) = \frac{7}{s} = \infty$$

$$K_a = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s^2 G(s)H(s) = \frac{7s^2}{s^2} = 7$$

$$ii) \quad K_P = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s) = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$K_v = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sG(s)H(s) = 0$$

$$K_a = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s^2 G(s)H(s) = 0$$

$$iii) \quad K_P = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} G(s)H(s) = \infty$$

$$K_v = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sG(s)H(s) = \infty$$

$$K_a = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s^2 G(s)H(s) = \frac{8}{5}$$

Exercise: 1. A unity feedback system has $G(s) = \frac{40(s + 2)}{s(s + 1)(s + 4)}$

Determine (i) Types of the system (ii) All error coefficients
(iii) Error for **ramp input** with magnitude 4.

Exercise: 2. For a unity feedback system has $G(s) = \frac{20(s + 2)}{s^2(s + 1)(s + 5)}$

Determine (i) Types of the system (ii) All error coefficients
(iii) Steady state error for **step input** $1+3t+t^2/2$.

Solution : 2 To determine type of system arrange $G(s)H(s)$ in **time constant form**

$$\begin{aligned} (i) \quad G(s)H(s) &= \frac{20(s+2)}{s^2(s+1)(s+5)} \\ &= \frac{8(1 + 0.5s)}{s^2(s + 1)(1 + 0.2s)} \quad \text{comparing this with standard form} \end{aligned}$$

Since $j = 2$ this is a type 2 system

(ii) Error coefficients:

$$K_p = \infty,$$

$$K_v = \infty \quad \text{and} \quad K_a = 8$$

(iii) Since the input is *non – standard*, let us use the formula

$$e_{ss} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{sR(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} \right]$$

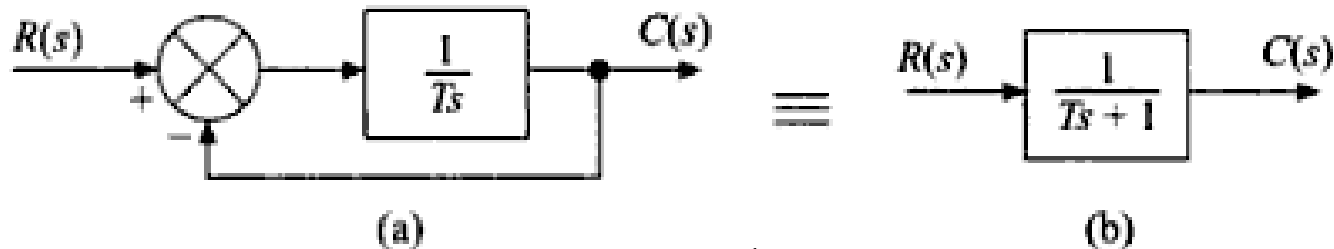
$$\text{Given: } r(t) = 1 + 3t + \frac{t^2}{2}$$

$$R(s) = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{3}{s^2} + \frac{1}{s^3} = \frac{s^2 + 3s + 1}{s^3}$$

$$e_{ss} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{sR(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} \right] = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{(s^2 + 3s + 1)}{s^2 + \frac{8(1 + 0.5s)}{(1 + s)(1 + 0.2s)}}$$

$$e_{ss} = \frac{1}{8} = 0.125$$

- **Order:** order of system is the *highest power of 's' in the denominator* of a closed loop transfer function.
- Fig.(a) shows a first – order system.



- From Fig. (a), we get, $G(s) = \frac{1}{Ts}$ and $H(s) = 1$
- $$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} = \frac{1}{1 + Ts}$$

Equ. 2

$$\text{Now, } G(s)H(s) = \frac{1}{sT}$$

- The pole of $G(s)H(s)$ is at $s = 0$ and it is Type 1. It should not have steady-state for step input.

Unit- Step Time Response of First – order system

- For the Unit- step input, $R(s) = 1/s$. So, the output response is given by

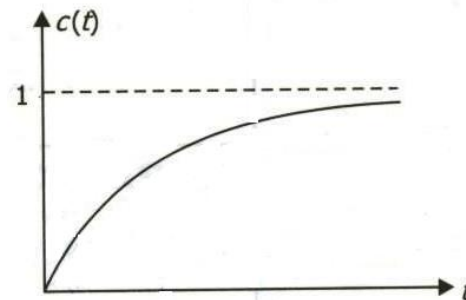
Using Equ. 2,
$$C(s) = \frac{1}{1 + sT} R(s) = \frac{1}{s(1 + sT)}$$

- Expanding $C(s)$ into partial fractions gives,

$$C(s) = \frac{1}{s(1 + sT)} = \frac{\frac{1}{T}}{s(s + \frac{1}{T})} = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{(s + \frac{1}{T})}$$

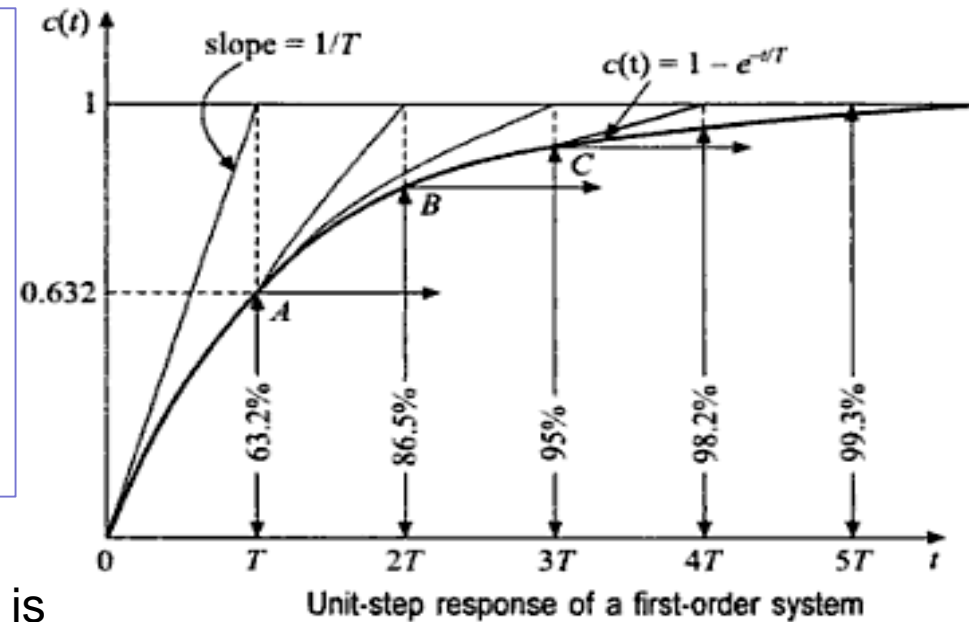
$$\frac{1}{s + a} = e^{-at}$$

- Taking the inverse LT $C(t) = 1 - e^{-\frac{t}{T}} \quad t \geq 0$
- This states that the output rises exponentially from zero value to the final value of unity.



- The plot of $C(t)$ versus t is,

- One important characteristic of such an exponential response curve $c(t)$ as shown in Fig below is that at $t = T$, the value of $c(t)$ is 0.632, or the response of $c(t)$ has reached 63.2% of its total change.



- The initial slope of the curve at $t = 0$ is

given by
$$\left. \frac{dc}{dt} \right|_{t=0} = \left. \frac{1}{T} e^{-t/T} \right|_{t=0} = \frac{1}{T}$$

- The error response of the system is given by; $e(t) = r(t) - c(t) = e^{-\frac{t}{T}}$
- For $t \geq 4T$, the response remain within 2% of the final value.
- Where T is known as the time constant of the system

Closed Loop Poles of First Order System

- The closed loop transfer function of a system is given by,

$$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G(s)}{1 \pm G(s)H(s)}$$

- The equation which gives poles of system is called *characteristic equation* which is,

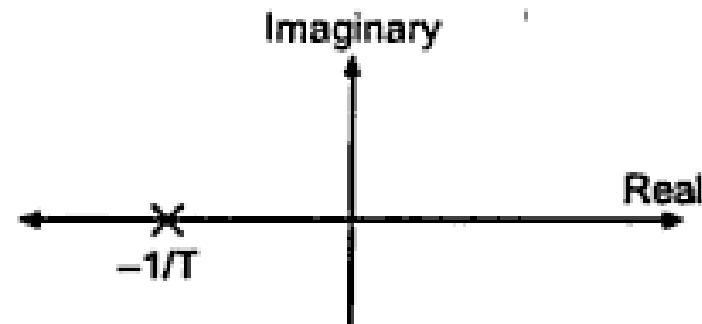
$$1 + G(s)H(s) = 0$$

i.e. $1 + Ts = 0$

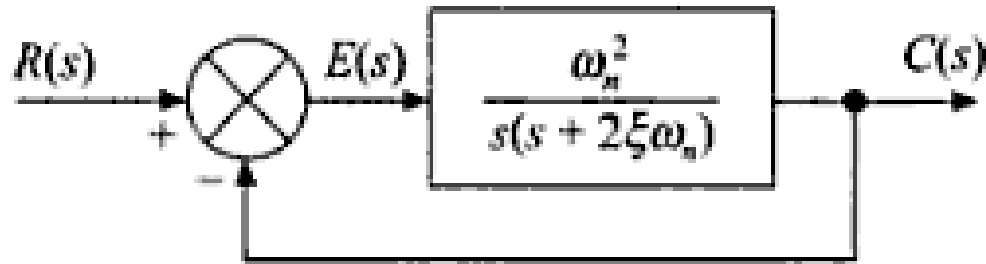
- Since closed loop poles are the root of characteristic equation, so for first order system there is only one closed pole i.e.

$$s = -\frac{1}{T}$$

- The pole - zero plot is as shown,



- Fig. below shows a general second- order system.



Second-order system.

- The closed-loop transfer function $C(s)/R(s)$ of the system is given by,

$$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$

- Where, ξ = *Damping ratio*. Denoted by Greek symbol *Zeta*.

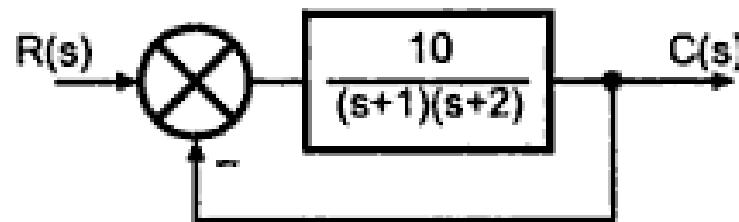
$$\omega_n = \text{Undamped natural frequency (rad/sec)}$$

And $s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2 = 0$ is called characteristic equation

- The time response of any system is characterized by the root of the denominator.

- **Note:** In practice it **is not necessary** that numerator must be always ω_n^2 . It may be other constant or polynomial of 's' but denominator **middle term coefficient and last term coefficient** reflect ' $2\xi\omega_n$ ' and ' ω_n^2 ' of the system respectively.
- Hence, always **denominator** (not numerator) of a T.F. must be compared with the standard form $s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2 = 0$ to decide the value of ξ and ω_n of the system.

• **Example:**



$$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} = \frac{\frac{10}{(s+1)(s+2)}}{1 + \frac{10}{(s+1)(s+2)}} = \frac{10}{s^2 + 3s + 12}$$

$$\therefore \omega_n^2 = 12 \quad \text{i.e. } \omega_n = \sqrt{12} \text{ rad / sec}$$

$$\text{While } 2\xi\omega_n = 3 \quad \therefore \xi = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{12}} = 0.433$$

$$\text{Damping ratio}(\xi) = \frac{\text{Actual damping}}{\text{Critical damping}}$$

□ Consider input applied to the standard second order is **Unit step**.

$$\therefore R(s) = 1/s$$

$$\text{While } \frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$



$$C(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s(s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2)}$$

Finding the roots of the equation $s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2 = 0$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{-2\xi\omega_n \pm \sqrt{4\xi^2\omega_n^2 - 4\omega_n^2}}{2}$$

$$\text{i.e. } s_{1,2} = -\xi\omega_n \pm \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1}$$

$$\text{We can write, } C(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s(s + \xi\omega_n + \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1})(s + \xi\omega_n - \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1})}$$

- Now nature of these roots is dependent on **damping ratio**. Consider the following case:

(i) Case 1: $\xi = 0$ (Undamped)

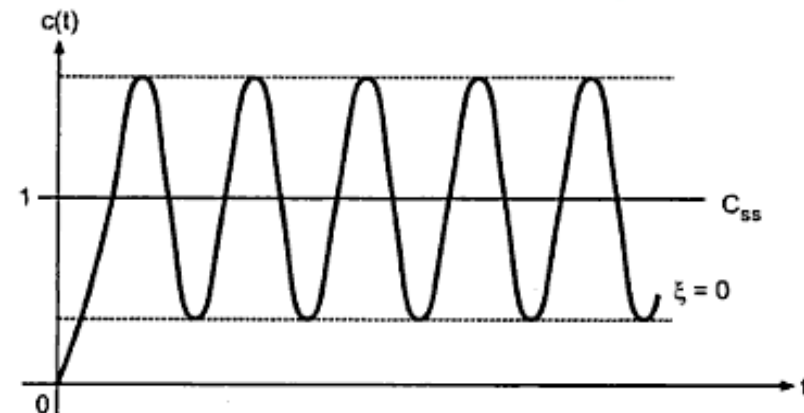
- The roots are , $s_{1,2} = \pm j \omega_n$
i.e. **complex conjugates with zero real part**. i.e. purely imaginary.

$$C(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s(s^2 + \omega_n^2)} = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega_n^2}$$

$$c(t) = 1 - \cos \omega_n t$$

$$C(s) = \frac{A}{s} + \frac{Bs + C}{s^2 + \omega_n^2}$$

- The response is purely oscillatory, oscillating with constant frequency and amplitude.
- So, this response does not die out with time.
- The figure shows the plot of $c(t)$ versus t .



(ii) Case 2: $0 < \xi < 1$ (Underdamped)

- The roots are, $s_{1,2} = -\xi\omega_n \pm j\omega_n\sqrt{1-\xi^2}$

As $\xi < 1$, the term $\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1}$ is written as $j\sqrt{1-\xi^2}$

Hence roots are complex conjugates with negative real part.

$$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2} = \frac{\omega_n^2}{(s + \xi\omega_n + j\omega_d)(s + \xi\omega_n - j\omega_d)}$$

Where, $\omega_d = \omega_n\sqrt{1-\xi^2}$ (rad/sec) is called damped natural frequency

For a unit-step input, $R(s) = 1/s$.

$$\begin{aligned} C(s) &= \frac{\omega_n^2}{s(s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2)} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} - \frac{s + 2\xi\omega_n}{(s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2)} = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{s + 2\xi\omega_n}{[(s + \xi\omega_n)^2 + \omega_n^2 - \omega_n^2\xi^2]} \end{aligned}$$

$$C(s) = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{s + \xi\omega_n}{(s + \xi\omega_n)^2 + \omega_d^2} - \frac{\xi\omega_n}{\omega_d} \cdot \frac{\omega_d}{(s + \xi\omega_n)^2 + \omega_d^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s} - \frac{s + \xi\omega_n}{(s + \xi\omega_n)^2 + \omega_d^2} - \frac{\xi}{\sqrt{1 - \xi^2}} \cdot \frac{\omega_d}{(s + \xi\omega_n)^2 + \omega_d^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{s + \xi\omega_n}{(s + \xi\omega_n)^2 + \omega_d^2}\right] = e^{-\xi\omega_n t} \cos \omega_d t$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{\omega_d}{(s + \xi\omega_n)^2 + \omega_d^2}\right] = e^{-\xi\omega_n t} \sin \omega_d t$$

Taking the inverse Laplace transform $\mathcal{L}^{-1}[C(s)] = c(t)$

$$c(t) = 1 - e^{-\xi\omega_n t} \cos \omega_d t - \frac{\xi e^{-\xi\omega_n t}}{\sqrt{1 - \xi^2}} \sin \omega_d t$$

$$= 1 - \frac{e^{-\xi\omega_n t}}{\sqrt{1 - \xi^2}} \left(\sqrt{1 - \xi^2} \cos \omega_d t + \xi \sin \omega_d t \right)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{e^{-\xi\omega_n t}}{\sqrt{1 - \xi^2}} (\sin \theta \cos \omega_d t + \cos \theta \sin \omega_d t)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{e^{-\xi\omega_n t}}{\sqrt{1 - \xi^2}} \sin (\omega_d t + \theta)$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - \xi^2}}{\xi} \right) \text{ rad}$$

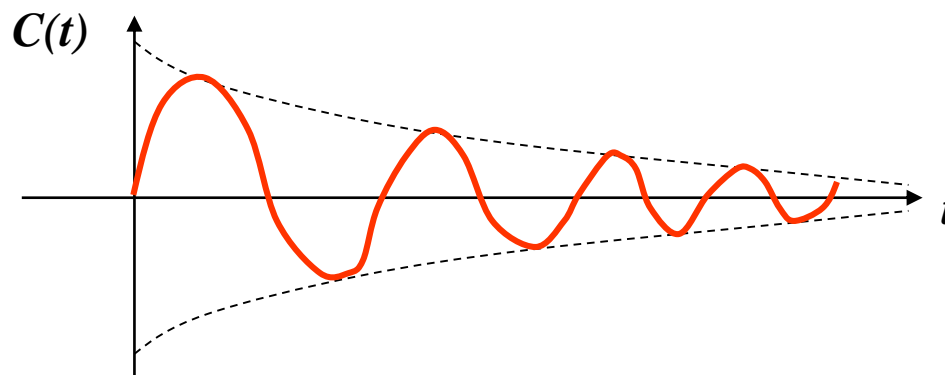
$$c(t) = 1 - \frac{e^{-\xi\omega_n t}}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}} \sin \left(\omega_n \sqrt{1-\xi^2} t + \tan^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}{\xi} \right) \text{ for } t \geq 0$$

The error signal for this system is the difference between the input and the output and is

$$e(t) = r(t) - c(t)$$

$$= e^{-\xi\omega_n t} \left(\cos \omega_d t + \frac{\xi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}} \sin \omega_d t \right), \text{ for } t \geq 0$$

- The error signal exhibit a damped sinusoidal oscillation. At steady-state, or **at** $t = \infty$, **no error** exists b/n the output and the input



(ii) Case 3: $\xi = 1$ (Critically damped)

➤ For critically damping the roots are *real, equal and negative*.

$$\text{i.e. } s_1 = s_2 = -\xi\omega_n$$

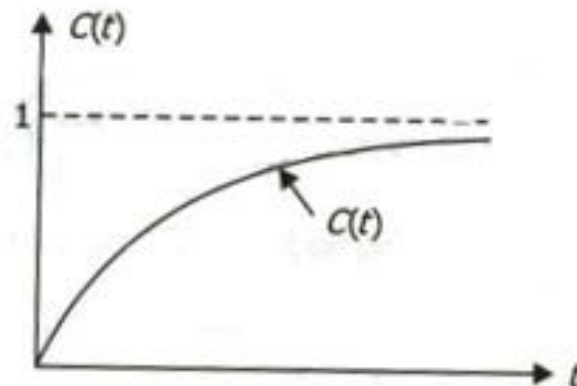
For step input,

$$C(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s(s + \omega_n)(s + \omega_n)} = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s(s + \omega_n)^2} = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{\omega_n}{(s + \omega_n)^2} - \frac{1}{s + \omega_n}$$

$$C(t) = 1 - \omega_n e^{-\omega_n t} t - e^{-\omega_n t}$$

$$= 1 - (1 + \omega_n t) e^{-\omega_n t}$$

This is purely exponential.



Critically damped

(iv) Case 4: $\xi > 1$ (Overdamped)

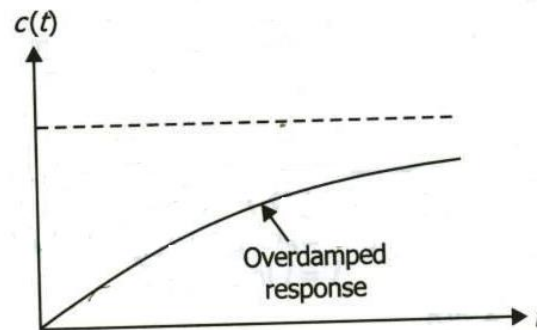
- In this case, the two poles or root of $C(s)/R(s)$ are *negative real and unequal*. *i.e.* $s_1, s_2 = -\xi\omega_n \pm \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1}$

- For a unit-step input, $R(s) = 1/s$ and $C(s)$ can be written

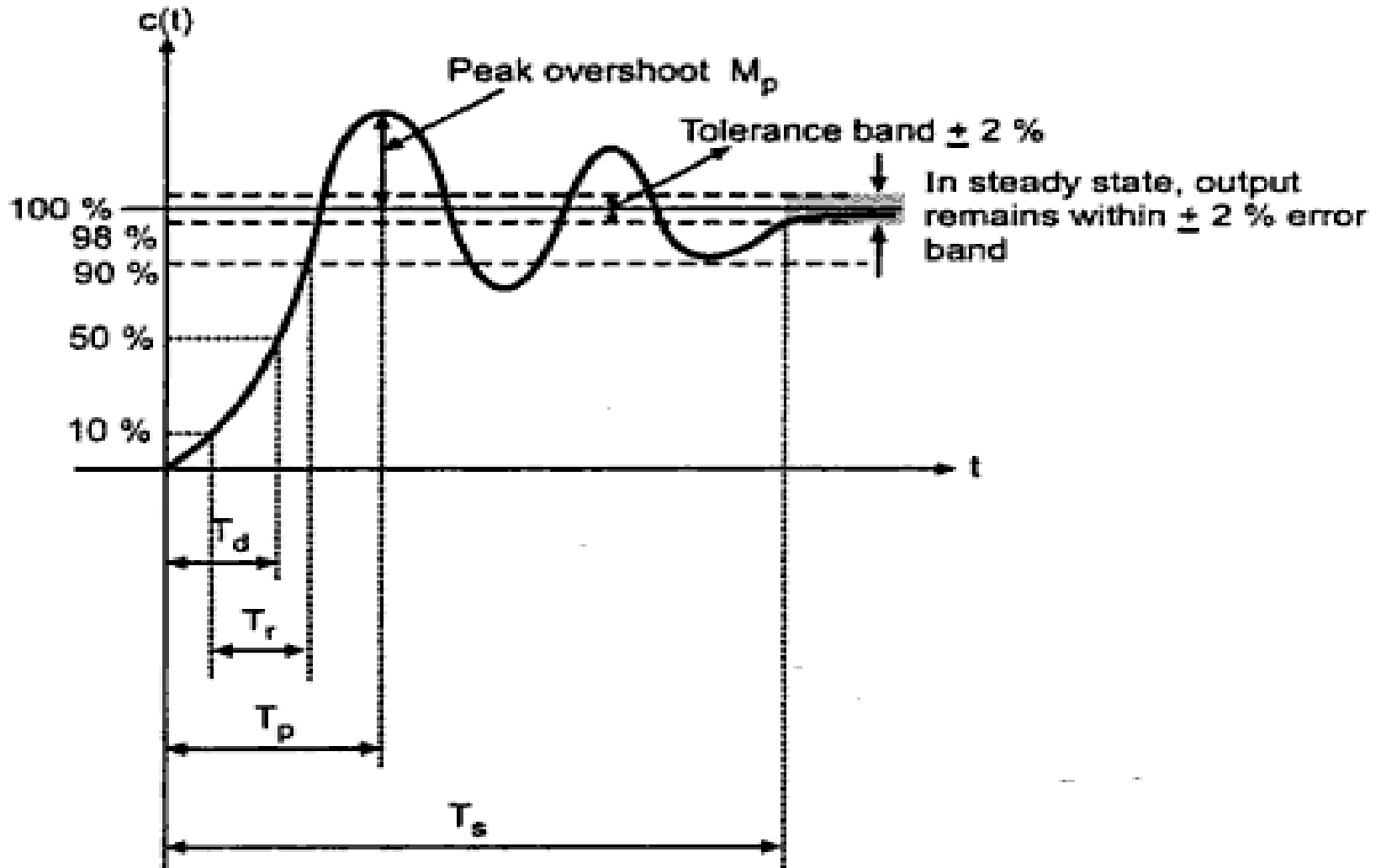
$$C(s) = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s(s + \xi\omega_n + \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1})(s + \xi\omega_n - \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1})}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s} - \left[\frac{A}{s + \xi\omega_n + \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1}} + \frac{B}{s + \xi\omega_n - \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1}} \right]$$

$$C(t) = 1 - [Ae^{-(\xi\omega_n + \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1})t} - e^{-(\xi\omega_n - \omega_n\sqrt{\xi^2 - 1})t}]$$



- The **actual output** behavior according to the expression derived can be as shown.



- Let us define the various time response specifications referring to the above Figure.

1) Delay Time T_d : it is the time required for the response to reach 50% of the final value in the first attempt.

It is given by,

$$T_d = \frac{1 + 0.7\xi}{\omega_n}$$

2) Rise Time T_r : It is the time required for the response to rise from 10% to 90% of the final value for overdamped system and 0 to 100% of the final value for underdamped systems. The *rise time is reciprocal of the slope of the response at the instant*, the response is equal to 50% of the final value. It is given by;

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}{\xi} \right) \text{ rad}$$

$$T_r = \frac{\pi - \theta}{\omega_d} \text{ Sec}$$

Where; θ must be in radians

3) Peak Time T_p : It is the time required for the response to reach its peak value. It is also defined as the *time at which response undergoes the first overshoot which is always peak overshoot*.

$$T_p = \frac{n\pi}{\omega_d} = \frac{n\pi}{\omega_n \sqrt{\xi^2 - 1}} \quad \text{Sec}$$

➤ *The first overshoot is obtained for $n = 1$ & the second overshoot is obtained for $n = 2$.*

4) Peak Overshoot M_p : It is the largest error b/n reference input and output during the transient period.

- It also defined as, the *amount by which output overshoot its reference steady state value* during the first overshoot

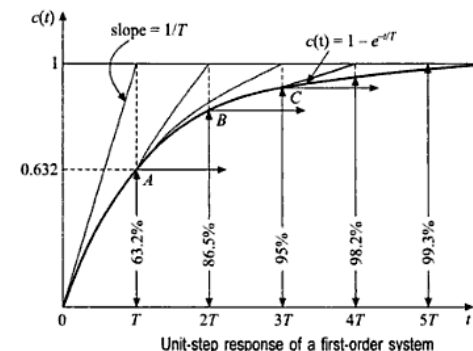
$$M_p = \left\{ C(t) \mid_{t=T_p} \right\} - 1 \quad \text{Or} \quad \%M_p = e^{-\frac{\xi\pi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}} \times 100$$

5) Setting Time T_s : it is the time required for the response to decrease and stay within specified percentage of its final value (within tolerance band).

$$\text{Time constant of system} = \frac{1}{\xi\omega_n} = T$$

$$T_s = \frac{4}{\xi\omega_n} = 4 \times T \quad \dots \text{for tolerance band of } \pm 2\% \text{ of steady state}$$

- **Key point:** 1 Time constant 'T' is the time required by the system output to reach 63.2% of its final value during the first attempt.
- **Reading Assignment:** Derivation of Time Domain Specification



Example 1) For a system having $G(s) = \frac{25}{s(s+10)}$ and unity feedback. Find

(i) ω_n (ii) ξ (iii) ω_d (iv) T_p and (v) M_p

Solution: $G(s) = \frac{25}{s(s+10)}$ and $H(s) = 1$

$$G(s)H(s) = \frac{25}{s(s+10)} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} = \frac{25}{s^2 + 10s + 25}$$

Where, Standard form of: $\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\xi\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$

Comparing we get: $\omega_n^2 = 25$ or $\omega_n = 5 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{sec}}$ and $2\xi\omega_n = 10$

Therefore: $2 \times \xi \times 5 = 10$

$\xi = 1$ Hence, the system is critically damped.

$$\omega_d = \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \xi^2} = 0$$

· Again, $TP = \frac{\pi}{\omega_d} = \frac{\pi}{0} = \infty$ Therefore, there is *no peak*

$$M_p = 100 e^{-\frac{\xi\pi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}} = 100 e^{-\frac{\pi}{\sqrt{1-1^2}}} = 0$$

Example 2) A system has $G(s) = \frac{20}{s^2 + 5s + 5}$ & $H(s) = 1$. Find (i) ω_n , (ii) ξ , (iii) ω_d
 (iv) T_d (v) T_r (vi) T_p (vii) M_p and (viii) T_s

Solution,

$$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)} = \frac{\frac{20}{s^2 + 5s + 5}}{1 + \frac{20}{s^2 + 5s + 5}} = \frac{20}{s^2 + 5s + 25}$$

(i) Since, ω_n^2 must be compared with the denominator of $C(s)/R(s)$ only:

$$\omega_n^2 = 25 \text{ or } \omega_n = 5 \text{ rad/sec and}$$

$$(ii) 2\xi\omega_n = 5 \text{ or } \xi = 0.5$$

$$(iii) \omega_d = \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \xi^2} = 5 \sqrt{1 - 0.5^2} = 4.33 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$(vi) \quad T_p = \frac{\pi}{\omega_d} = \frac{3.14}{4.33} = 0.725 \text{ sec}$$

$$(v) \quad M_p = 100 e^{-\frac{\xi\pi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}} = 100 e^{-\frac{0.5\pi}{\sqrt{1-0.5^2}}} = 16.32\%$$

$$(viii) \quad T_s = \frac{4}{\xi\omega_n} = \frac{4}{0.5 \times 5} = 1.6 \text{ sec}$$

$$(iv) \quad T_d = \frac{1 + 0.7\xi}{\omega_n} = \frac{1 + 0.7 \times 0.5}{5} = 0.27 \text{ sec}$$

$$(v) \quad T_r = \frac{\pi - \theta}{\omega_d} \quad \text{Where, } \theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}{\xi} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1-0.5^2}}{0.5} \right) = 1.0472 \text{ rad}$$

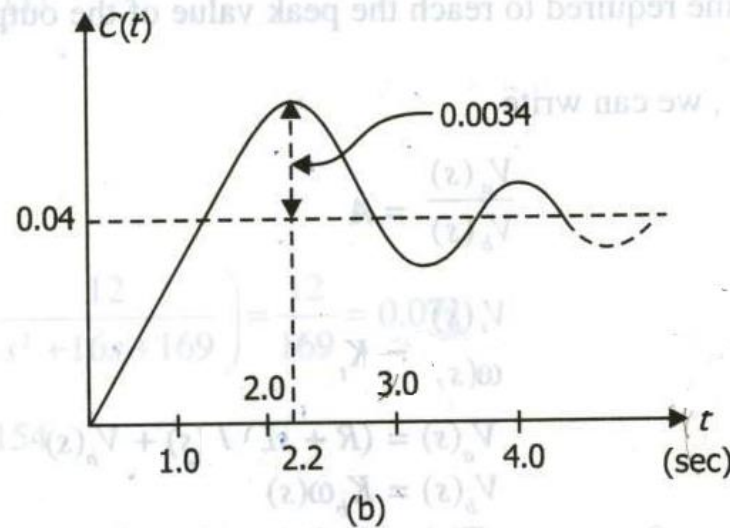
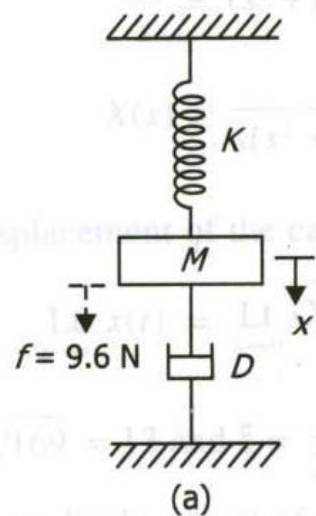
$$\therefore T_r = \frac{\pi - 1.0472}{4.33} = 0.484 \text{ sec}$$

Key point: Steady state output or final value of the system,

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} C(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sC(s)$$

Calculate M , D and K . The system was initially relaxed.

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Solution

From Fig. E8.12(a), we can write

$$f(t) = M \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + D \frac{dx}{dt} + Kx$$

Taking Laplace transform, we get

$$F(s) = s^2 MX(s) + sDX(s) + KX(s) = (s^2M + sD + K)X(s)$$

or

$$X(s) = \frac{F(s)}{(s^2M + sD + K)}$$

Here $f(t) = 9.6$. Therefore

$$F(s) = \frac{9.6}{s}$$

Therefore

$$X(s) = \frac{9.6}{s(s^2M + sD + K)} = \frac{\frac{9.6}{M}}{s\left(s^2 + s\frac{D}{M} + \frac{K}{M}\right)}$$

Here

$$\omega_n^2 = \frac{K}{M}$$

or

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{K}{M}}$$

and

$$2\xi\omega_n = \frac{D}{M}$$

$$\xi = \frac{D}{M} \times \frac{1}{2\omega_n} = \frac{D}{2\sqrt{MK}}$$

From Fig. E8.12. (b), the final value is 0.04. Therefore

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sX(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{9.6}{s^2M + sD + K} = \frac{9.6}{K}$$

$$\frac{9.6}{K} = 0.04$$

$$K = 240 \text{ N/m.}$$

From Fig. E8.12 (b), the overshoot is 0.0034 for final value 0.04. Therefore

$$\% M_p = \frac{0.0034}{0.04} \times 100 = 8.5$$

Since,
we can write

$$\% M_p = e^{-\frac{\pi\xi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}} \times 100$$

$$8.5 = e^{-\frac{\pi\xi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}} \times 100$$

$$0.085 = e^{-\frac{\pi\xi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}}$$

$$-2.465 = -\frac{\pi\xi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}$$

$$\xi = 0.6175$$

Since $T_p = 2.2$ sec, we can write

$$\frac{\pi}{\omega_n \sqrt{1-\xi^2}} = 2.2$$

$$\omega_n = \frac{3.14}{2.2 \times \sqrt{1-0.6157^2}} = 1.8145 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{K}{M}} = 1.8145$$

$$M = \frac{K}{1.8145^2} = \frac{240}{1.8145^2} = 72.89 \text{ kg}$$

$$\xi = \frac{D}{2\sqrt{MK}}$$

$$D = 2\xi\sqrt{MK} = 2 \times 0.6145 \times \sqrt{72.89 \times 240} = 162.55 \text{ N/m/sec}$$

