

Problem 30

1. The zero steady-state error specification for a unit-step input is automatically achieved as the PI compensator raises the system type to 1.

To achieve a peak overshoot less than 60%, choose

$$\varphi > \frac{|\ln(m_p)|}{\sqrt{\pi^2 + \ln^2(m_p)}} = 0.6483$$

Using MATLAB construct the root locus plot of the compensated plant

$$G_p(s) = \frac{1}{(s+1)(s+2)(s+10)}$$

Using the MATLAB functions `sgrid` and `vlocfind`, determine the proportional gain  $k_p$  that yields dominant closed-loop poles with  $\varphi = 0.6483$

$k_p = 24.98$

Problem 1

1. Following the design rules provided in Lecture 26, place the compensator zero at  $-p_{wn}/10$ , where  $-p_{wn}$  is the real part of the desired dominant closed-loop poles. From MATLAB

$$-p_{wn} = -1.339$$

$$z = -p_{wn}/10 = 0.1339$$

Given a numeric value for  $z$  and the relationship  $z = -K_I/K_p$  solve for  $K_I$

$$K_I = -K_p z = -(24.9812)(0.1339)$$

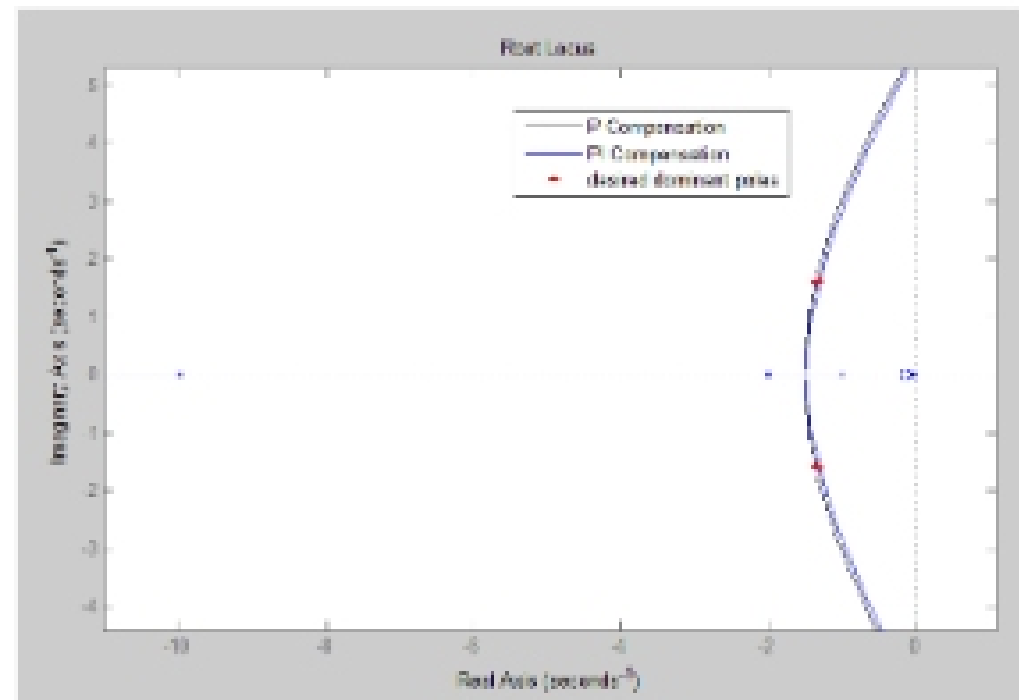
$$K_I = 3.345$$

The compensator is

$$G_c(s) = K_p + \frac{K_I}{s} = 24.9812 + \frac{3.345}{s}$$

Problem 1

- The plots below shows the root locus plots for the uncompensated plant  $G_p$  and the compensated loop transfer function  $G_c G_p$ . Observe that the PI compensator bends the root locus to the right.



The unit-step response shown below satisfies the two design requirements. However, placing a pole at the origin has significantly increased the settling time.

