

**1. (20 pts) Digital LPF design (OW 10.4, 10.9, Lec 20)**

Design a causal low pass filter  $H(z)$ , such that  $|H(e^{j0})| = 1$ ,  $|H(e^{j\pi/4})| = 0$  and  $|H(e^{j\pi})| = 0$ . Sketch pole-zero plot and use geometric approximations to sketch  $|H(e^{j\Omega})|$  and  $\angle H(e^{j\Omega})$ . Find the difference equation corresponding to this  $H(z)$  and show that it is causal.

**2. (20 pts) All-pass filter. (Lec. 22, minphase.pdf on Piazza)**

A discrete time causal LTI system has transfer function:

$$H(z) = \frac{(1 + 0.4z^{-1})(1 + 2z^{-1})}{(1 - 0.9z^{-1})(1 - 0.8z^{-1})}$$

- Draw the pole-zero diagram for  $H(z)$ . Is the system stable?
- Find the minimum phase system  $H_{min}(z)$  and an all-pass system  $H_{ap}(z)$  such that  $H(z) = H_{min}(z)H_{ap}(z)$  and plot the respective pole-zero diagrams.
- Find a realizable, causal inverse filter  $H_{inv}(z)$  such that  $|H_{inv}(e^{j\Omega})||H(e^{j\Omega})| = 1$  for all  $\Omega$ .

**3. (20 pts) Z transform application (Ch 10)**

Jane gets a loan with principal balance at start of year  $n$  is  $p[n]$ . Starting balance  $p[0] = \$500,000$ . The loan is interest only with an annual interest rate of 5%. The loan is negative amortization in year  $n$  if the annual payment is less than  $0.05p[n]$ . If the annual payment is greater than  $0.05p[n]$ , the principal balance is reduced. At year  $n = 0$ , Jane has an annual salary of  $s[0] = \$100,000$ . Jane's salary increases by 3% per year, and she uses 15% of her gross salary to pay interest and principal on the loan.

- Solve for  $p[n]$  using Z-transforms. When does the loan get paid off? What is the total paid?
- What fixed per cent of her gross salary must Jane use to pay off the loan in 30 years?

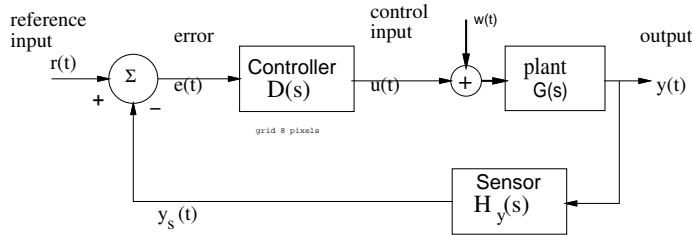


Fig 1

**4. (20 pts) Steady State Error (Lec 23, Steady State Error handout)**

For the system in Fig 1, let  $D(s) = 1$ ,  $G(s) = \frac{500(s+0.5)}{s^2(s+10)^2}$ , and  $H_y(s) = 1$ . Assume  $w(t) = 0$ .

- What is the system type? (type 0,1,2,?)
- What input waveform  $r(t)$  would yield a constant error? (e.g. step, ramp, parabola, or ?)
- Assuming stability, what is the steady state error for a unit input of the type of  $r(t)$  found in b)?

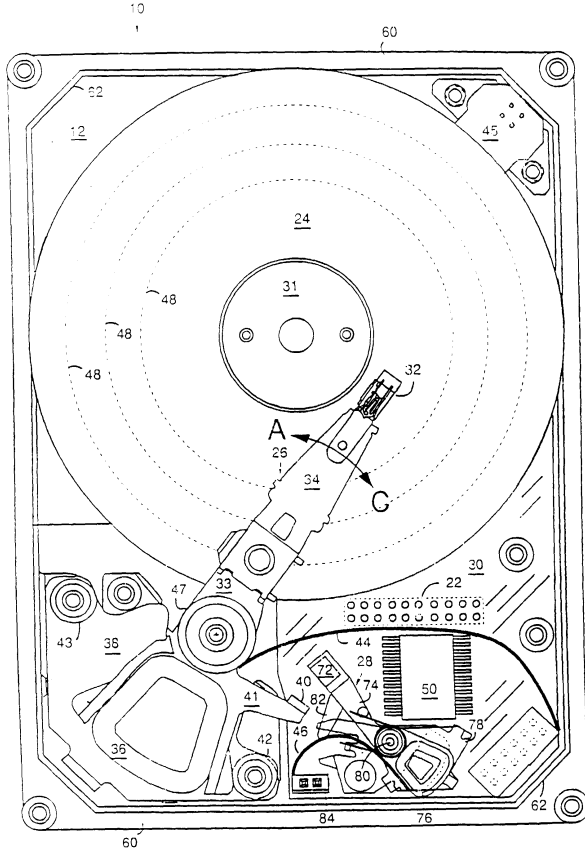


Fig. 2

**5. (20 pts) Internal Model Principle (Lec 23, InternalModPrinc.pdf on Piazza)**

A voice coil assembly for a disk drive is shown in Fig. 2. The electromagnet **36** rotates the read/write head arm **34** about rotary bearing **47**. The head position  $y(t)$  is controlled on the arc A-C to select tracks. Consider the system of Fig. 1, where the plant  $G(s)$  is the transfer function from force to position, described by the LDE  $f(t) = m\ddot{y}(t) + b\dot{y}(t)$  where  $f(t) = u(t) + w(t)$  is the force from the voice coil and the disturbance,  $m$  is the mass of the head assembly, and  $b$  is damping. Assume  $m = 1$  and  $b = 10$ . Assume the head position is read directly with  $H_y(s) = 1$ , and that the desired track position is given by  $r(t)$ . (Recent disk drives have a track spacing less than 100 nm.)

Consider Proportional+Integral Control, with  $D(s) = \frac{k_p s + k_I}{s}$ , with  $k_p = 30$  and  $k_I = 30$ .

- Show that a step input  $r(t)$  can be tracked with zero asymptotic error, (i.e.  $e(t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ).
- As the disk rotates on its bearing, wobble is possible. This can be modelled as a disturbance  $w(t) = 0.01 \sin(4t)$  for  $t > 0$ . Find the peak-to-peak error in position due to this disturbance.
- A new controller is proposed which includes a “model” of the disturbance. Consider a new

$$D(s) = \frac{k_p s + k_I}{s} \frac{100(s^2 + 2s + 17)}{s^2 + 16}.$$

Find  $\frac{E(s)}{W(s)}$  and find the peak-to-peak error in position due to the  $w(t)$  this disturbance.