

Fall 2001

Topic #6

16.31 Feedback Control

Control Design using Bode Plots

- Performance Issues
- Synthesis
- Lead/Lag examples

BODE'S GAIN - PHASE RELATIONSHIP

- SYNTHESIS WOULD BE HARD IF WE HAD TO DEAL WITH BOTH MAGNITUDE AND PHASE PLOTS, BUT ...
- THEOREM: FOR ANY STABLE, MINIMUM PHASE SYSTEM, $\angle G(j\omega)$ IS UNIQUELY RELATED TO $|G(j\omega)|$.

- RELATIONSHIP: ON LOG-LOG PLOT, IF SLOPE OF MAGNITUDE CURVE IS CONSTANT OVER A DECADE OF FREQUENCY, WITH SLOPE n , THEN

$$\angle G(j\omega) \approx 90^\circ \cdot n$$



VERY
IMPORTANT

- SO, IN THE CROSS-OVER FREQUENCY RANGE ($|G_c G_p| \approx 1$), IF THE SLOPE IS:

S^0 NO CROSS-OVER

S^{-1} $\approx 90^\circ$

S^{-2} $\approx 180^\circ$ TOO MUCH PHASE
AS $PM \approx 0$

⇒ SELECT $G_c(s)$ SO THAT LTF CROSSES OVER WITH A SLOPE OF -1

OTHER PERFORMANCE ISSUES

- STEP RESPONSE ERROR $e_{ss} = \frac{1}{1 + G_c(0) G_p(0)}$

GOOD NEWS: WE CAN FIND $G_c G_p(0)$ DIRECTLY FROM THE LOW FREQ BODE PLOT (TYPE 0)

- FOR TYPE I SYSTEMS, THE LOW FREQ ASYMPTOTE IS INFINITE (SLOPE -1)

⇒ STEP ERROR OF ZERO

⇒ VELOCITY ERROR (RAMP INPUT) $e_{ss} = \frac{1}{K_v}$

⇒ K_v IS THE GAIN OF THE CURVE AT LOW FREQ

$$K_v = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s G_c(s) G_p(s).$$

- FOR TYPE I SYSTEMS $G_c G_p(s) \approx \frac{K_v}{s}$ AT LOW FREQUENCY

⇒ CAN FIND K_v BY EXTENDING THE LOW FREQUENCY ASYMPTOTE (IF NECESSARY) TO $\omega = 1$ AND FINDING $|G_c G_p|_{\omega=1}$

$$K_v \approx \omega \cdot |G_c G_p|$$

PERFORMANCE

• HOW MUCH PHASE MARGIN?

TIME RESPONSE OF 2nd ORDER SYSTEM GIVES:

1) DAMPING RATIO OF CLP POLES ξ

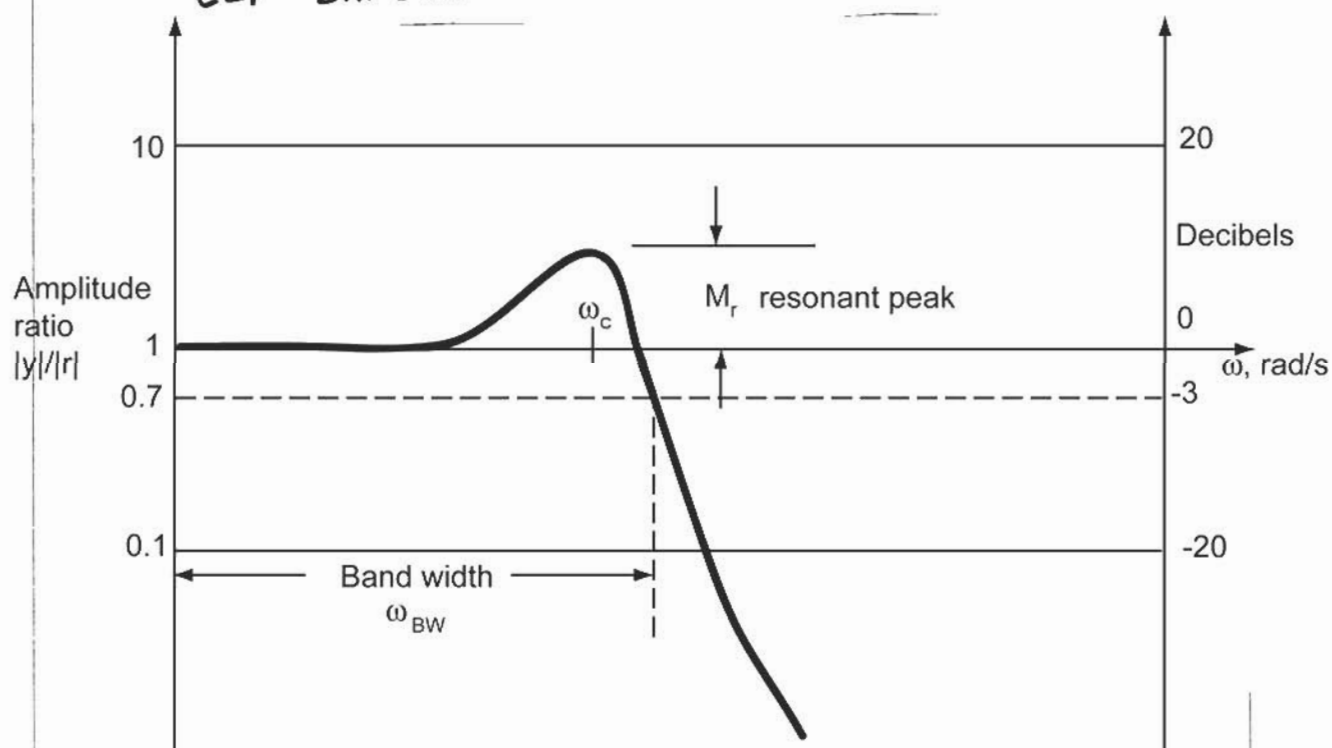
$$\xi \approx \frac{PM}{100}, \quad PM < 70^\circ$$

2) CLP RESONANT PEAK

$$M_r \approx \frac{1}{2 \sin\left(\frac{PM}{2}\right)}$$

3) $\omega_{BW} \approx 1.4 \omega_c$

CLP BANDWIDTH $\approx 1.4 \times$ CROSS OVER FREQUENCY ω_c



- PEAK OF TF USUALLY CLOSE TO ω_c

$\Rightarrow$ SPECIFY (ULTIMATELY) ω_c AND PM

FREQUENCY RESPONSE DESIGN

- LOOKED AT BUILDING BLOCK $G_c(s) = \frac{k_c(s+z)}{(s+p)}$

⇒ ROOT LOCUS APPLICATIONS

- FREQUENCY RESPONSE CHARACTERISTICS?

⇒ HOW USE $G_c(s)$ TO MODIFY

THE LOOP TRANSFER FUNCTION (LTF) $G_c(s)G_p(s)$

TO GET DESIRED - BANDWIDTH

- PHASE MARGIN.

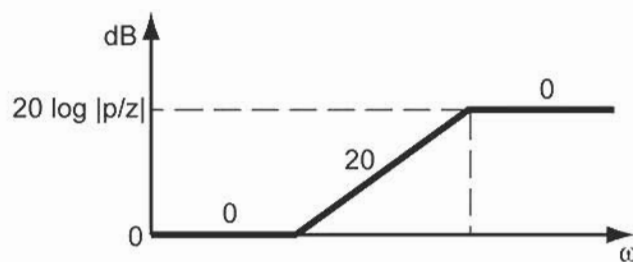
- ERROR CONSTANTS.

① LEAD $|z| < |p|$

- ZERO AT LOWER FREQUENCY THAN POLE

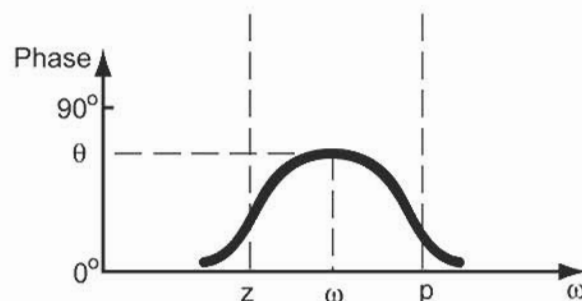
⇒ GAIN INCREASES WITH FREQUENCY

⇒ PHASE POSITIVE (I.E. ADDS PHASE LEAD)



PLOTTED
WITH

$$K_c = \frac{p}{z}$$



LEAD MECHANICS

$$\alpha = \frac{1 - \sin \phi_{\max}}{1 + \sin \phi_{\max}}$$

- MAXIMUM PHASE ADDED

$$\sin \phi_{\max} = \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 + \alpha} \quad \alpha = \frac{|z|}{|p|}$$

- FREQUENCY OF MAXIMUM PHASE ADDITION

$$\omega_{\max} = \sqrt{|z| \cdot |p|}$$

- HIGH FREQUENCY GAIN INCREASE $\frac{1}{\alpha}$

$\Rightarrow$ COMPROMISE BETWEEN DESIRE FOR LARGE PHASE MARGIN (α SMALL) AND TENDANCY TO GENERATE LARGE GAINS AT HIGH FREQ.

$$\Rightarrow \text{KEEP } \frac{1}{\alpha} \leq 10 \quad (|p| \leq 10|z|)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi_{\max} \leq 60^\circ$$

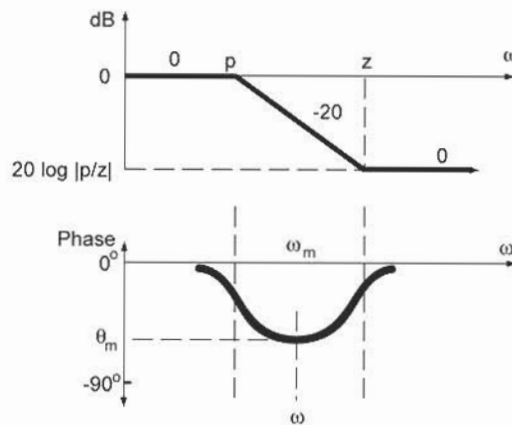
- USE MULTIPLE LEAD FILTERS TO GET MORE PHASE. $G_c = K_c \left(\frac{s+z_1}{s+p_1} \right) \left(\frac{s+z_2}{s+p_2} \right)$
- SELECTION OF K_c IS PROBLEM SPECIFIC
 - COULD ARRANGE $|G_c(s)|_{s \rightarrow 0} = K_0$
 - OR SELECT K_c TO FORCE $\omega_c \equiv (\omega_c)_{\text{DESIRED}}$.
- USE LEAD TO ADD PHASE $\rightarrow$ INCREASE PHASE MARGIN $\rightarrow$ IMPROVE TRANSIENT RESPONSE.

② LAG $|p| < |z|$

POLE AT LOWER FREQUENCY THAN ZERO.

⇒ GAIN DECREASES AT HIGH FREQUENCY

⇒ PHASE NEGATIVE (I.E. ADDS LAG).



$$G_{LAG} = \frac{s/z + 1}{s/p + 1}$$

- LAG MECHANICS THE SAME AS FOR THE LEAD.
- USE LAG TO ADD $20 \log \alpha$ TO LOW FREQUENCY GAIN WITH (HOPEFULLY) A SMALL CHANGE TO THE PHASE MARGIN.

→ PLOT SHOWS GAIN MUCH HIGHER AT LOW FREQUENCY.

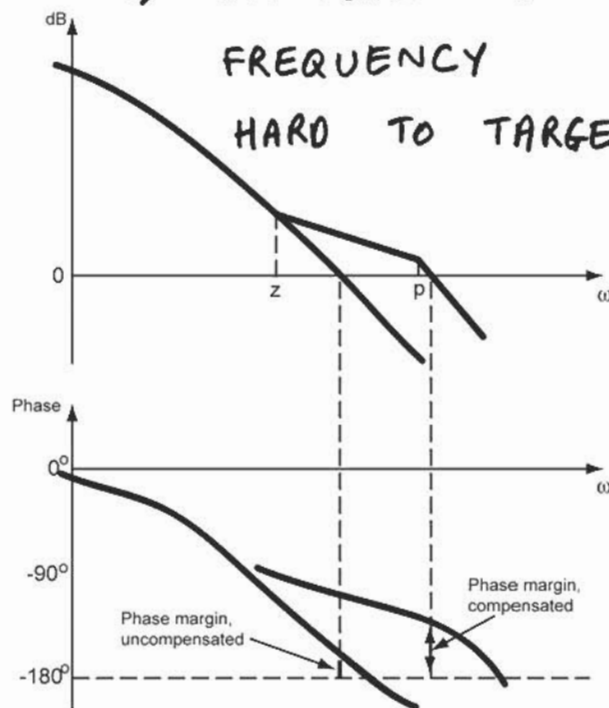
⇒ KEEP LAG DYNAMICS TYPICALLY WELL BELOW THE LEAD.

LEAD COMPENSATION: TYPICAL PROCESS

- ADDING CHANGES MAGNITUDE + PHASE

⇒ DIFFICULT TO PREDICT NEW CROSSOVER
FREQUENCY

HARD TO TARGET ϕ_m AT CORRECT LOCATION.



DESIGN APPROACHES
DISCUSSED IN
TEXT.

$$\phi_{REQ} = PM - (180 + \angle G(j\omega_c))$$

- THE PROCESS IS SLIGHTLY SIMPLER IF WE TARGET THE LEAD COMPENSATOR DESIGN ONLY AT THE CROSS-OVER FREQUENCY RANGE.

1) FIND ϕ_{max} REQUIRED → FIND $\alpha = \frac{|z|}{|p|}$

2) PUT ϕ_{max} AT CROSS-OVER FREQUENCY
 $\omega_c^2 = |p| \cdot |z|$

3) SELECT K_c SO CROSSOVER IS AT ω_c

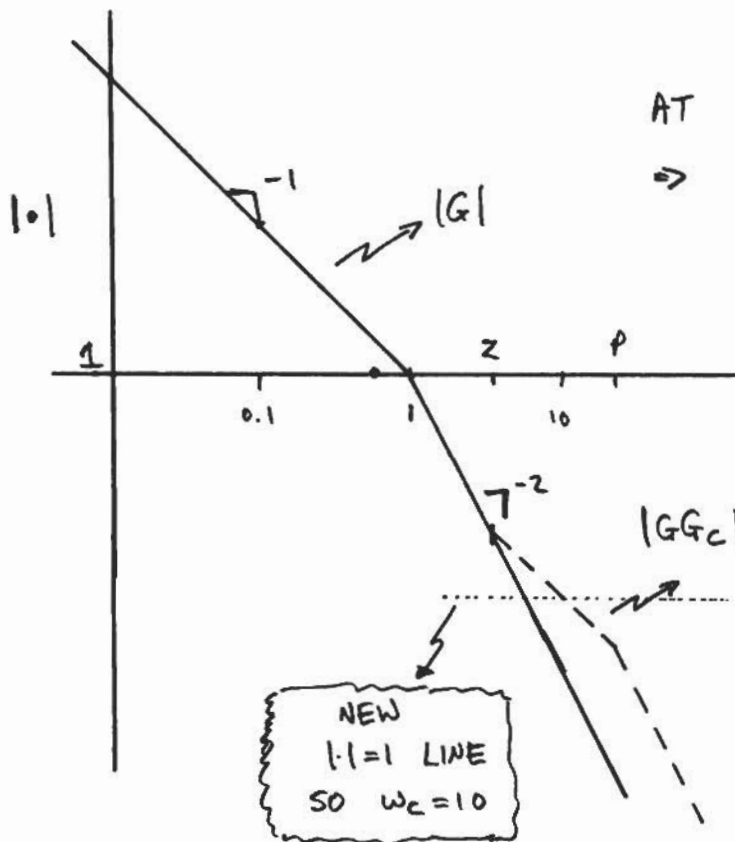
⇒ MEET BANDWIDTH / PHASE MARGIN SPECIFICATIONS

⇒ NO SPECIFIED CHANGE IN LOOP GAIN
→ ERROR CONSTANTS.

EXAMPLE:

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s(s+1)}$$

WOULD LIKE
 $\omega_c \approx 10 \text{ RAD/SEC}$
 $PM \sim 40^\circ$



$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{z}{p} = \frac{1 - \sin \phi_m}{1 + \sin \phi_m} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \angle G(j\omega_c) \approx -180^\circ \\ PM = 40^\circ \end{array} \right\} \phi_m = 40^\circ$$

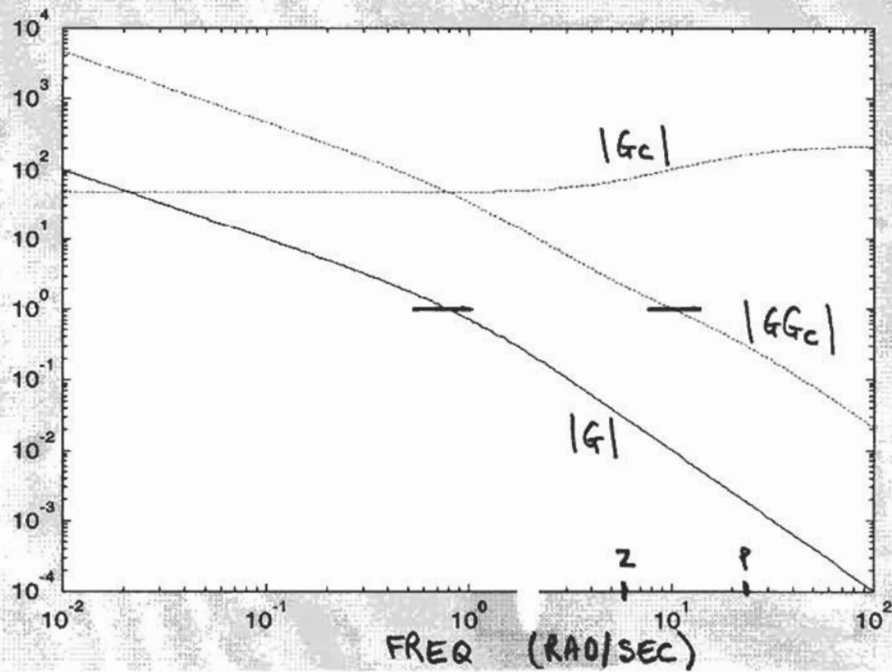
$$\Rightarrow \frac{z}{p} = 0.22$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \omega_c^2 = z \cdot p = 10^2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad z = 4.7, \quad p = 21.4$$

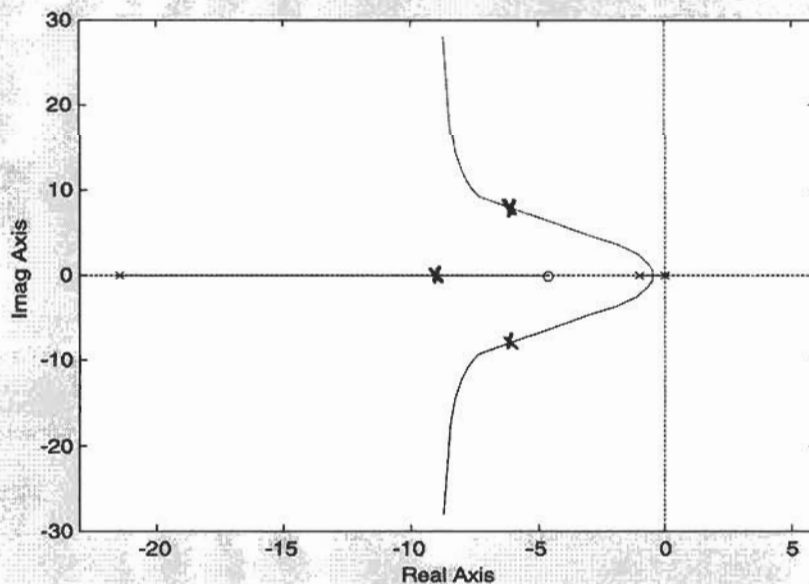
$$\textcircled{3} \quad \text{PICK } K_c \text{ SO } \left| G_c G \right|_{s=10j} = 1$$

LEAD EXAMPLE

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% g=1/s/(s+1)
wc=10;num=1;den=conv([1 0],[1 1]);Phim=40*pi/180;
zdp=(1-sin(Phim))/(1+sin(Phim));z=sqrt(100*zdp);p=z/zdp;
numc=[1 z];denc=[1 p];
kc=abs(polyval(conv(den,denc),j*wc)/polyval(conv(num,numc),j*wc));
f=logspace(-2,2,400);g=freqresp(num,den,f*sqrt(-1));
gc=freqresp(kc*numc,denc,f*sqrt(-1));
loglog(f,abs(g),f,abs(gc),'-.',f,abs(g.*gc),'-');
title('Lead Example');xlabel('Freq (rad/sec)');ylabel('Magnitude')
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rlocus(conv(num,kc*numc),conv(den,denc))
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LAG COMPENSATION : TYPICAL PROCESS

- ASSUMPTION IS THAT WE NEED TO MODIFY (INCREASE) THE DC GAIN OF THE LOOP TRANSFER FUNCTION.

⇒ IF APPLY ONLY A GAIN, THEN ω_c TYPICALLY INCREASES, AND THE PHASE MARGIN DECREASES.

THIS IS NOT GOOD → USE LAG COMP

TO LOWER HIGH FREQ. GAIN
(OR INCREASE LOW FREQ. GAIN)

- ANALYSIS SIMPLER WITH $G_{LAG} = \frac{K_c (s/z + 1)}{(s/p + 1)}$

1) PICK $|G_{LAG}|_{s=0} \Rightarrow K_c$ TO GIVE THE DESIRED LOW FREQUENCY GAIN FOR $L = G_{LAG}(s)G_p(s)$

2) PICK DESIRED GAIN REDUCTION AT HIGH FREQUENCY $20 \log \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} \right)$ $\left(\alpha = \frac{|z|}{|p|} \right)$
⇒ NORMALLY PICK α SO THAT ω_c NOT CHANGED.

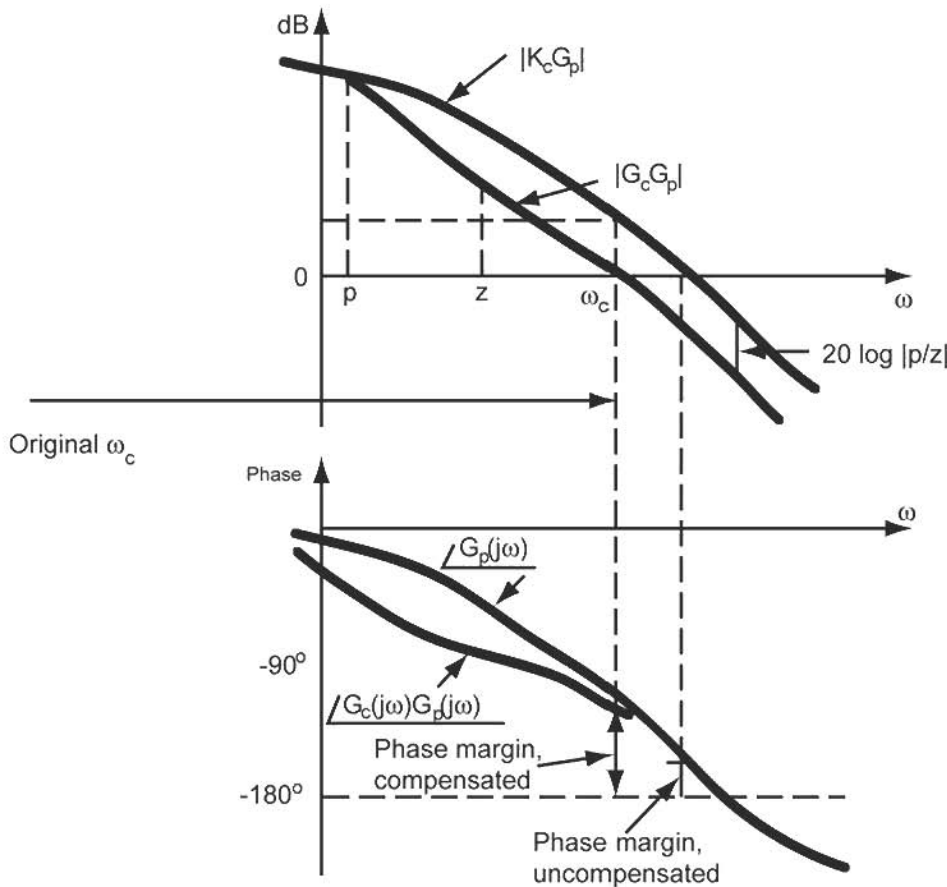
3) HEURISTIC: WANT TO LIMIT FREQUENCY OF THE ZERO (+ POLE) SO THAT THERE IS A MINIMAL IMPACT OF THE PHASE LAG AT $\omega = \omega_c$

⇒ SET $z = \frac{\omega_c}{10}$

LAG DESIGN:TWO WAYS TO GET DESIRED
LOW FREQUENCY GAIN

① USING JUST K_c INCREASES ω_c AND LOWERS OUR PM $\rightarrow$ BAD

② ADD LOW FREQ DYNAMICS (LAG) THAT INCREASE LOW FREQ GAIN, LEAVING GAIN NEAR + ABOVE ORIGINAL ω_c UNCHANGED



- MANY OTHER APPROACHES EXIST
 - $\rightarrow$ TRY TO MEET ALL SPECS WITH ONLY ONE COMPENSATOR
 - $\rightarrow$ APPROACH I OUTLINED SPLITS THE PROBLEM AND MAKES EACH STEP EASIER
 - $\Rightarrow$ TYPICALLY REQUIRES BOTH LEAD AND LAG TO MEET ALL SPECS.
- SEE BOOK / HANDOUT #9 FOR MORE EXAMPLES + RECIPES FOR OTHER DESIGN CASES.