

SECTION- C

NETWORK SYNTHESIS AND POSITIVE REAL FUNCTIONS

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- $T(s) = R(s) / E(s)$ ratio of response to excitation

Our task is - synthesize a network from a given network function.

STEP 1 Determine whether $T(s)$ can be realised as a physical passive network.

It should be **stable** and satisfy **causality**.

Causality means , a voltage cannot appear between any pair of terminals in the network before a current is impressed or vice-versa. It means response of the network must be zero for $t < 0$.

Stability Network function $T(s)$ must satisfy following three conditions : -

- (a) $T(s)$ can not have poles in the right half of s – plane .
- (b) $T(s)$ can not have multiple poles on the imaginary ($j\omega$) - axis .
- (c) The degree of the numerator of $T(s)$ can not exceed the degree of denominator by more than one .

STEP 2 Determine whether the denominator of $T(s)$ is a HURWITZ polynomial.

A polynomial is said to be Hurwitz if it satisfy following two conditions :-

- (i) $P(s)$ is real when s is real .
- (ii) The roots of $P(s)$ have real parts which are zero or negative .

Properties of Hurwitz Polynomial

- As a result of above conditions (1) and (2) , Hurwitz polynomial has the following properties : -
 - (i) All the coefficients of $P(s)$ must be positive .
 - (ii) Both the even and odd parts of the polynomial have roots on the $j\omega$ –axis only . $M(s) \rightarrow$ even parts and $N(s) \rightarrow$ odd parts. $P(s) = M(s) + N(s)$. Then $M(s)$ and $N(s)$ both have roots on the $j\omega$ – axis .
 - (iii) If $P(s)$ is either even or odd , then all its roots are on $j\omega$ axis including origin .
 - (iv) The continued fraction expansion of the ratio $\psi(s)$ of the odd to even parts [$N(s) / M(s)$] or the even to odd parts [$M(s) / N(s)$] of $P(s)$ yields all positive quotient terms .
 - (v) If $P(s)$ is either only even or only odd , then the ratio of $P(s)$ and its derivative gives positive quotients in its continued fraction expansion.
 - (vi) If $P(s)$ is Hurwitz polynomial and $W(s)$ is a multiplicative factor, then $P_1(s) = P(s).W(s)$ is also Hurwitz polynomial , if $W(s)$ is Hurwitz polynomial.

Hurwitz Polynomial

- The denominator of polynomial of the system function belongs to a class of polynomial known as Hurwitz

polynomials. A polynomial $P(s)$ is said to be Hurwitz if the following conditions are satisfied:

1. $P(s)$ is real when s is real.
2. The roots of $P(s)$ have real parts which are zero or negative.

As a result of these conditions, if $P(s)$ is a Hurwitz polynomial given by

$$P(s) = a_n s^n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0 \quad (10.15)$$

then all the coefficients a_i must be real; if $s_i = \alpha_i + j\beta$ is a root of $P(s)$, then α_i must be negative. The polynomial

$$P(s) = (s + 1)(s + 1 + j\sqrt{2})(s + 1 - j\sqrt{2}) \quad (10.16)$$

is Hurwitz because all of its roots have negative real parts. On the other hand,

$$G(s) = (s - 1)(s + 2)(s + 3) \quad (10.17)$$

is not Hurwitz because of the root $s = 1$, which has a positive real part. Hurwitz polynomials have the following properties:

1. All the coefficients a_i are nonnegative. This is readily seen by examining the three types of roots that a Hurwitz polynomial might have. These are

$$\begin{array}{ll} s = -\gamma_i & \gamma_i \text{ real and positive} \\ s = \pm j\omega_i & \omega_i \text{ real} \\ s = -\alpha_i \pm j\beta_i & \alpha_i \text{ real and positive} \end{array}$$

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The polynomial $P(s)$ which contains these roots can be written as

$$P(s) = (s + \gamma_i)(s^2 + \omega_i^2)[(s + \alpha_i)^2 + \beta_i^2] \cdots \quad (10.18)$$

2. Both the odd and even parts of a Hurwitz polynomial $P(s)$ have roots on the $j\omega$ axis only. If we denote the odd part of $P(s)$ as $n(s)$ and the even part as $m(s)$, so that

$$P(s) = n(s) + m(s) \quad (10.19)$$

then $m(s)$ and $n(s)$ both have roots on the $j\omega$ axis only. The reader is referred to a proof of this property by Guillemin.⁵

3. As a result of property 2, if $P(s)$ is either even or odd, all its roots are on the $j\omega$ axis.

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4. The continued fraction expansion of the ratio of the odd to even parts or the even to odd parts of a Hurwitz polynomial yields all positive quotient terms. Suppose we denote the ratios as $\psi(s) = n(s)/m(s)$ or $\psi(s) = m(s)/n(s)$, then the continued fraction expansion of $\psi(s)$ can be written as

$$\psi(s) = q_1s + \frac{1}{q_2s + \frac{1}{q_3s + \frac{1}{\dots + \frac{1}{q_ns}}}} \quad (10.20)$$

Positive Real Functions

- These functions are important Because they represent physically realizable passive driving point immittances. A function $T(s) = N(s) / D(s)$ is positive real (p. r) if the following conditions are satisfied : -

- 1). **$T(s)$ is real for s real , i.e. $T(\sigma)$ is purely real .**
- 2). **$D(s)$ is Hurwitz polynomial.**
- 3). **$T(s)$ may have poles on the $j\omega$ – axis . These poles are simple and the residues there-of are real and positive.**
- 4). **The real part of $T(s)$ is greater than or equal to zero for the real part of s is greater than or equal to zero ,i.e.,**

$$\text{Re} [T(s)] \geq 0 \quad \text{for } \text{Re } s \geq 0$$

$$\text{Re} [T(j\omega)] \geq 0 \quad \text{for all } \omega$$

this leads to $A(\omega^2) \equiv M_1(j\omega) \cdot M_2(j\omega) - N_1(j\omega) \cdot N_2(j\omega) \geq 0$

$$T(s) = \frac{N(s)}{D(s)} = \frac{M_1(s) + N_1(s)}{M_2(s) + N_2(s)} = \frac{M_1(j\omega) + N_1(j\omega)}{M_2(j\omega) + N_2(j\omega)}$$

$M_1(s)$ & $N_1(s)$ are the even and odd parts of $N(s)$.

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