## 1. (7.11)

(a) Design a state feedback such that the closed-loop poles are located at -4, -5, -21.52, -150+150i, and -150-150i. We can use MATLAB to place the poles easily.

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% Define constants
       Km = 0.05; R = 1.2; L = 0.05; Jm = 8e-4; J = 0.02; N = 12; K = 500;
       % Define A, B, C matrices
       A = [0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0;
           0 0 0 1 0;
           -K*((1/J)+(1/(N^2*Jm))) = 0 = 0 = (Km/(Jm*N));
           K/J 0 0 0 0;
            0 0 -Km*N/L -Km*N/L -R/L];
       B = [0; 0; 0; 0; 1/L];
       C = eye(5); C(1,2) = 1; C(3,4) = 1;
       D = zeros(5,1);
       Pa=[-4 -5 -21.52 -150+150i -150-150i];
       Ka = place(A, B, Pa)
   We get from MATLAB
       Ka =
     1.0e+004 *
      -7.9292
                  0.0007
                            0.0240
                                       0.0003
                                                   0.0015
(b) repeat part (a) for the closed loop location 0 -2.47 -21.52 -150+150i -150-150i.
       Pb=[0 -2.47 -21.52 -150+150i -150-150i];
       Kb = place(A, B, Pb)
   We get from MATLAB
       Kb =
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1.0e+004 *
-8.0740 -0.0000 0.0219 0.0000 0.0015
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(c) The equilibrium is  $\Delta^* = 0$ ,  $\theta_2^* = \theta_d$ ,  $\Omega^* = 0$ ,  $\omega_2^* = 0$ ,  $i^* = 0$  and  $v^* = 0$ . The control law is  $v = -BK_a(x - x^*)$ , where  $x^* = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \theta_d & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^T$ . The transfer function  $\theta_2/\theta_d$  is

$$H(s) = \frac{k}{(s+4)(s+5)(s+21.52)(s+150+150i)(s+150-150i)}$$
  
= 
$$\frac{k}{s^5+330.5s^4+5.437e004s^3+1.438e006s^2+9.745e006s+1.937e007}$$

where  $k = (s^5 + 330.5s^4 + 5.437e004s^3 + 1.438e006s^2 + 9.745e006s + 1.937e007)|_{s=0} = 1.937e007$ (d) The unit-step response is shown in Figure 1.

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Figure 1: The unit-step response.

**Problem 1.** For the input  $u^* = 1$ , a) Find the associated equilibrium state  $x^*$  in the system below. b) Linearize the system at this equilibrium.

$$x = xu - 1$$
  
 $y = xu^{2}$ 

Sol: Equilibrium states are fixed  $\Rightarrow \dot{x}^* = 0$ 

$$x^*u^* - 1 = 0$$
,  $u^* = 1 \Rightarrow x^* = 1$ 

The linearized equations are:

$$\begin{split} \Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) &= \left. \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \right|_* \Delta \mathbf{x}^*(t) + \left. \frac{\partial \mathbf{f}}{\partial \mathbf{u}} \right|_* \Delta \mathbf{u}^*(t) \\ \Delta \mathbf{y}(t) &= \left. \frac{\partial \mathbf{h}}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \right|_* \Delta \mathbf{x}^*(t) + \left. \frac{\partial \mathbf{h}}{\partial \mathbf{u}} \right|_* \Delta \mathbf{u}^*(t) \end{split}$$

And here: f(x, u) = xu - 1 and  $h(x, u) = xu^2$ .  $\frac{\partial \mathbf{f}}{\partial \mathbf{x}}\Big|_* = u^* = 1$   $\frac{\partial \mathbf{f}}{\partial \mathbf{u}}\Big|_* = x^* = 1$   $\frac{\partial \mathbf{h}}{\partial \mathbf{x}}\Big|_* = u^{*2} = 1$  $\frac{\partial \mathbf{h}}{\partial \mathbf{u}}\Big|_* = 2x^*u^* = 2$  The result linearized equations:

$$\Delta \dot{\mathbf{x}}(t) = \Delta \mathbf{x}^*(t) + \Delta \mathbf{u}^*(t)$$
$$\Delta \mathbf{y}(t) = \Delta \mathbf{x}^*(t) + 2\Delta \mathbf{u}^*(t)$$

**Problem 2.** Consider the system  $\dot{x} = f(x, u)$ ; y = h(x, u); x(0) = 0. For the input u = 1 the output is  $y(t) = e^{-t}$ , and for u = -1,  $y(t) = -e^{-t}$ . Is the system linear?

Sol: The system may or may not be linear.

Additivity is a necessary condition for linearity not a sufficient one. Besides, this property should hold for every two state-input-output solutions. But here it holds only for one pair. For example following system satisfies the condition, but it is not linear.

$$\dot{x}(t) = x(t) = 0$$

 $y(t) = ue^{-t} + u^2 - 1$ 

**Problem 3.**In the frequency domain, let y(s) = u(s)v(s). What is y(t)?

Sol: According to Convolution Integral:

$$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}(u(s)v(s)) = u(t) * v(t) = \int_0^t u(t-\tau)v(\tau)d\tau$$

**Problem 4.** For the system [A,B,C,D], derive the relationship  $y(t) = Ce^{At}x(0) + \int_0^t Ce^{A(t-\tau)}Bu(\tau) d\tau + Du(t)$ 

Sol:

 $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$ 

y = Cx + Du

By Laplace transform:

 $\begin{aligned} sx(s) - x(0) &= Ax(s) + Bu(s) \\ y(s) &= Cx(s) + Du(s) \\ \Rightarrow (sI - A)x(s) &= x(0) + Bu(s) \\ \Rightarrow x(s) &= (sI - A)^{-1}(x(0) + Bu(s)) \\ \Rightarrow y(s) &= C(sI - A)^{-1}x(0) + C(sI - A)^{-1}Bu(s) + Du(s) \end{aligned}$ 

By taking the inverse Laplace transform of both sides we have:

$$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[C(sI - A)^{-1}x(0)] + \mathcal{L}^{-1}[C(sI - A)^{-1}Bu(s)] + Du(t)$$

x(0),A,B,C, and D are time invariant and by linearity, the inverse Laplace transform of constant matrices multiplied by a function is inverse Laplace of the function times the constant and for the second term according to Convolution Integral we can write:

$$y(t) = C\mathcal{L}^{-1}[(sI - A)^{-1}]x(0) + C\mathcal{L}^{-1}[(sI - A)^{-1}] * (Bu(t)) + Du(t)$$
  
=  $Ce^{At}x(0) + \int_0^t Ce^{A(t-\tau)}Bu(\tau) d\tau + Du(t)$ 

Problem 5, Sol: Refer to page 69.

Problem 6, Sol:

Eigenvalues of A are  $\lambda_{1,2} = 1, 2$  and the corresponding eigenvectors are  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and

 $v_{2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . For checking the observability as it was mentioned before:  $\mathcal{O} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}v_{1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  $\Rightarrow \text{ the set of } \lambda_{1} \text{ and } v_{1}, \text{ is the unobservable mode.}$  $\mathcal{O}v_{2} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$