

# Signal Processing Tutorial

# Plant Dynamics: Input-Output Response

$m$  = mass (negligible)

$c$  = damping coefficient

$k$  = spring constant

$u(t)$  = eye position

$x(t)$  = applied force (input)

$$m\ddot{u} + c\dot{u} + ku = x(u, t)$$

How to solve:

- Characteristic polynomial for homogeneous component
- Modify general solution to satisfy full inhomogeneous ODE via:
  - Method of undetermined coefficients
  - Method of variation of parameters

can be hard!
- Use of numerical integration algorithms (ode23...) 

computationally intensive!

# The Laplace Transformation and Frequency Domain

Laplace VS Fourier :  $s = \sigma + i\omega$

Laplace Transform:  $X(s) = \mathcal{L}\{x(t)\}$ ,  $x(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{X(s)\}$

$$X(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-st} dt \quad , \quad x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\sigma-i\infty}^{\sigma+i\infty} X(s)e^{st} ds$$

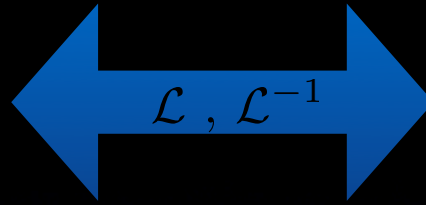
**\*Let computers do this! (or use tables for analytic results)**

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{d}{dt}x(t)\right\} = \frac{d}{dt}\mathcal{L}\{x(t)\} = \frac{d}{dt}X(s) \quad (\text{Linearity})$$

$$\rightarrow \mathcal{L}\{\dot{x}\} = sX(s) + \dots$$

$$\rightarrow \mathcal{L}\{\ddot{x}\} = s^2X(s) + \dots$$

Time  
Domain



Frequency  
Domain

**t**

**x(t)**

**u(t)**

**s**

**X(s)**

**U(s)**

$$m\ddot{u} + c\dot{u} + ku = x(u, t)$$

differential equation:(

$$ms^2U(s) + csU(s) + kU(s) = X(s)$$

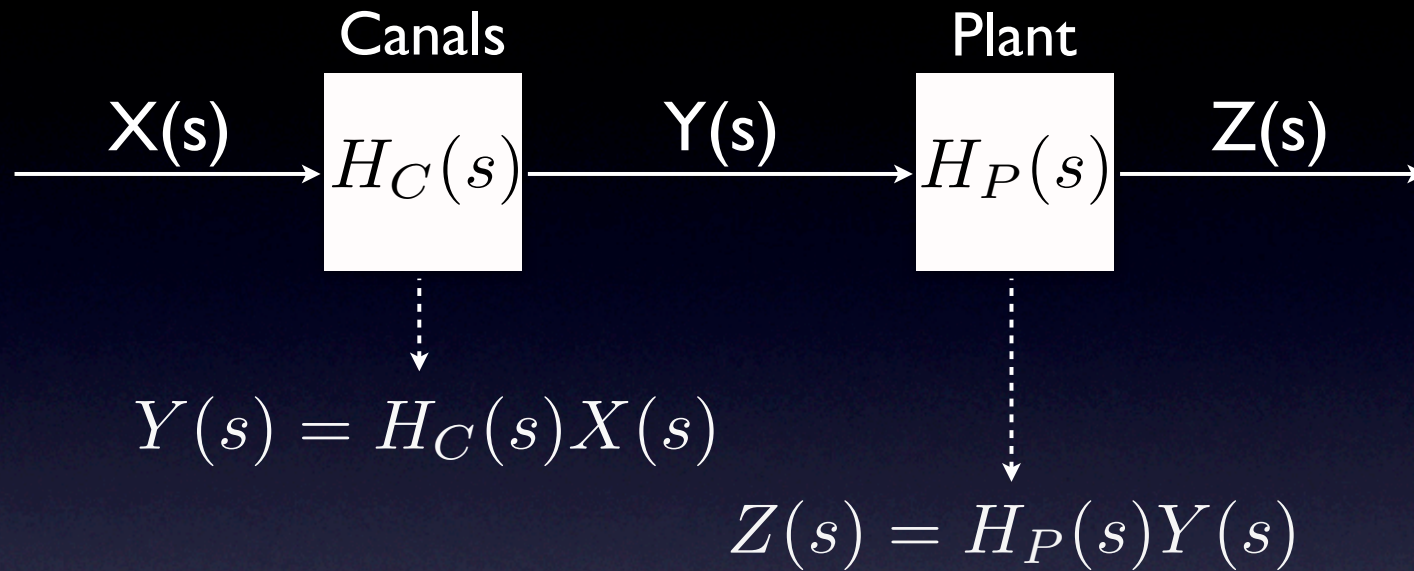
algebraic equation!

$$\rightarrow (ms^2 + cs + k)U(s) = X(s)$$

$$H(s) \equiv \frac{U(s)}{X(s)} = \frac{1}{ms^2 + cs + k} \quad (\text{transfer function})$$

$$\text{factoring...} \rightarrow H(s) = \frac{1}{(1 + T_1s)(1 + T_2s)}$$

# Transfer Functions in The Laplace Domain



$$Z(s) = H_P(s)H_C(s)X(s)$$

easy!

# Transfer Function Representations

Standard polynomial representation:

$$H_C(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{X(s)} = \frac{G_Y(s)}{G_X(s)} = \frac{a_0 + a_1s + \dots}{b_0 + b_1s + b_2s^2 + \dots}$$

$$G_i = i_0 + i_1s + i_2s^2 + \dots = (s - z_1)(s - z_2)\dots$$

$\{z_j\}$  = set of roots of polynomial  $G(s)$

ZPK representation:

- if  $G(s)$  in *numerator*, then roots of  $G$  are *zeros(Z)* of  $H$ .
- if  $G(s)$  in *denominator*, then roots of  $G$  are *poles(P)* of  $H$ .
- $K$  represents the *gain* of the transfer function

$$H(s) = K \frac{(s - z_1)(s - z_2)\dots}{(s - p_1)(s - p_2)\dots}$$

Goldberg:  $H_{\text{aff}} = H_{\text{TP}} H_L$

$$H_{\text{TP}} = \frac{1}{(1 + \tau_1 s)(1 + \tau_2 s)} = \frac{\xi(s)}{A(s)} \quad (\text{wrt acc.})$$

$$H_L = (1 + \tau_L s)$$

Cupula Pos & Vel:  $R(t) = \xi + \tau_L \dot{\xi} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\tilde{R}(s)}{\tilde{\xi}(s)} = (1 + \tau_L s)$

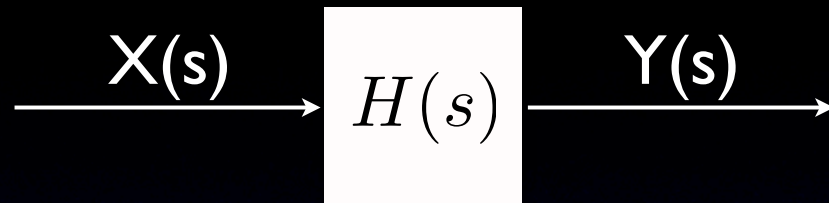
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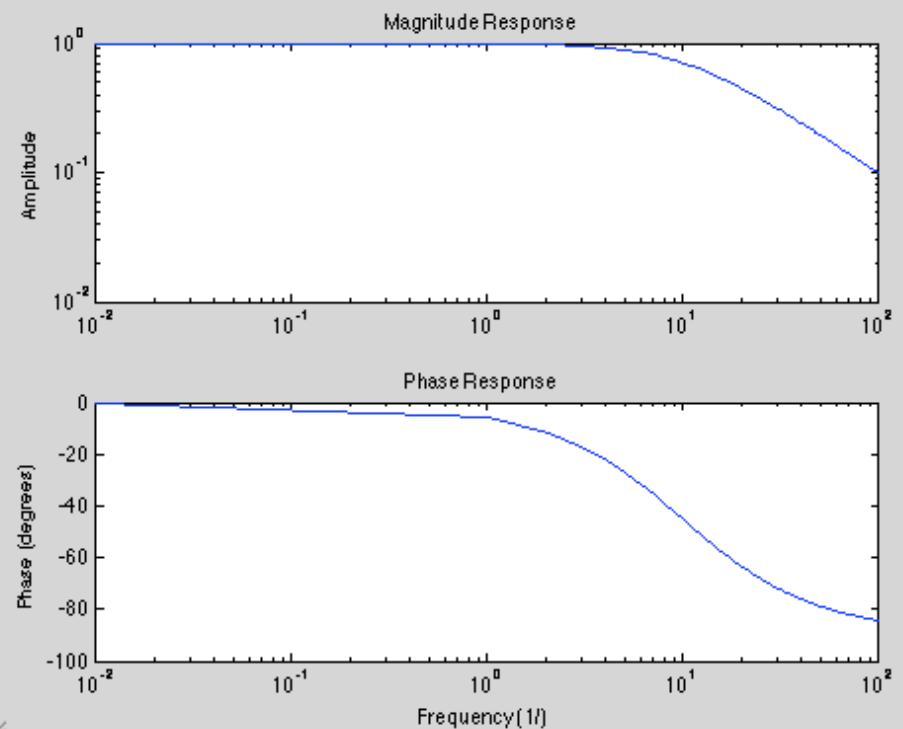
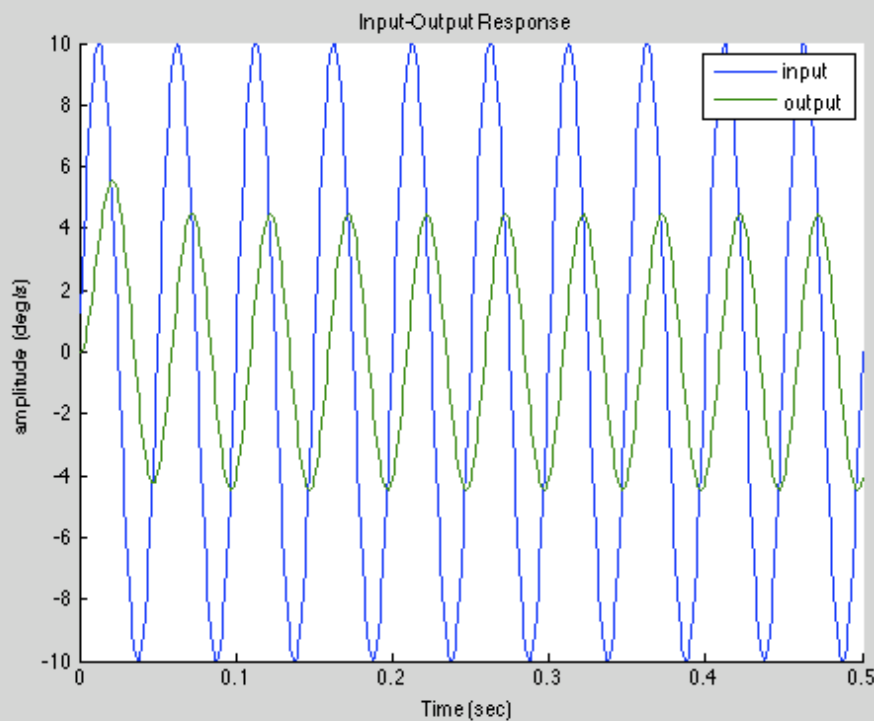
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# Transfer Function Characterization



$$H(s) = \underbrace{|H(s)|}_{\text{gain}} \underbrace{e^{i\phi(s)}}_{\text{phase}}$$



$$H_{LP}(s) = g \frac{1}{1 + \tau s} = \frac{g\tau}{(s + 1/\tau)}$$

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