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Lecture 13

Stability criteria.
Gain margin and phase margin.
System correction.

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STABILITY CRITERIA

General stability criterion

Hurwitz criterion

Nyquist stability criterion

General stability criterion

LTI SISO system is asymptotically stable if real part of every pole of the system's transfer function is less than zero.

$$G(s) = \frac{(s - z_1)(s - z_2) \dots (s - z_m)}{(s - p_1)(s - p_2) \dots (s - p_n)}$$

$$\operatorname{Re} p_1 < 0 \wedge \operatorname{Re} p_2 < 0 \wedge \dots \wedge \operatorname{Re} p_n < 0$$

Hurwitz criterion

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control theory

a necessary and sufficient condition whether all the poles of transfer function of a linear system have negative real parts

Hurwitz criterion

LTI SISO system with a transfer function

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$$M_n = \begin{bmatrix} a_{n-1} & a_n & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ a_{n-3} & a_{n-2} & a_{n-1} & a_n & 0 & 0 \\ a_{n-5} & a_{n-4} & a_{n-3} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_0 & a_1 & a_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$\det \Delta_3 > 0$

...

$\det \Delta_{n-1} > 0$

Δ_i - leading principal minor
of order i

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Δ_2 (blue arrow) points to the 2x2 submatrix $\begin{bmatrix} a_{n-1} & a_n \\ a_{n-3} & a_{n-2} \end{bmatrix}$
 Δ_3 (green arrow) points to the 3x3 submatrix $\begin{bmatrix} a_{n-1} & a_n & 0 \\ a_{n-3} & a_{n-2} & a_{n-1} \\ a_{n-5} & a_{n-4} & a_{n-3} \end{bmatrix}$
 Δ_{n-1} (red arrow) points to the $(n-1) \times (n-1)$ submatrix of the top-left part of the matrix.

Hurwitz criterion

Hurwitz criterion \neq Routh criterion
(1895) (1876)

Liénard–Chipart criterion – modification of Hurwitz criterion

Hurwitz criterion

Example 1

$$G(s) = \frac{5s + 3}{10s^2 + 3s + 1}$$

Hurwitz criterion

Example 2

$$G(s) = \frac{2s}{2s^3 + s + 20}$$

Hurwitz criterion

Example 3

$$G(s) = \frac{3s - 5}{s^3 + 4s^2 + 3s + 10}$$

Hurwitz criterion

Example 4

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{3s^4 + 4s^3 + 6s^2 + 4s + 5}$$

Hurwitz criterion

Example 5

Choose k parameter to satisfy Hurwitz criterion

$$\frac{k s}{4 s^3 + 3 s^2 + k s + 1}$$

Hurwitz criterion

Example 6

Choose k parameter to satisfy Hurwitz criterion

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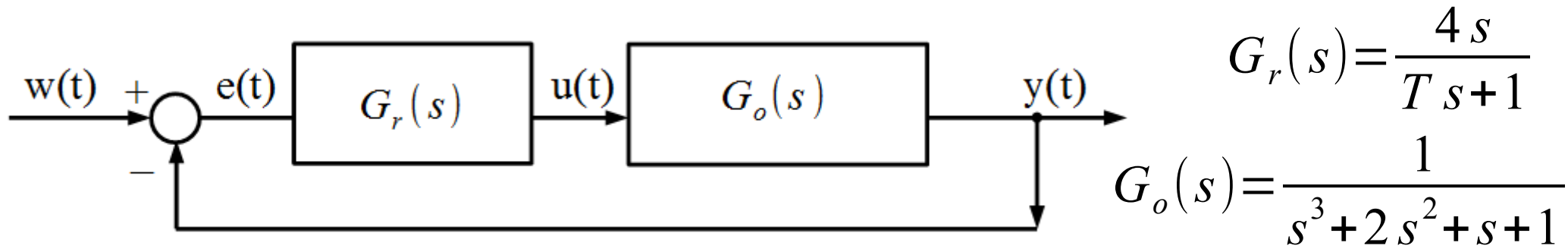
$$\frac{2s^3 + ks^2 + (1+k)s + 3}{2}$$

Homework

Hurwitz criterion

Example 7

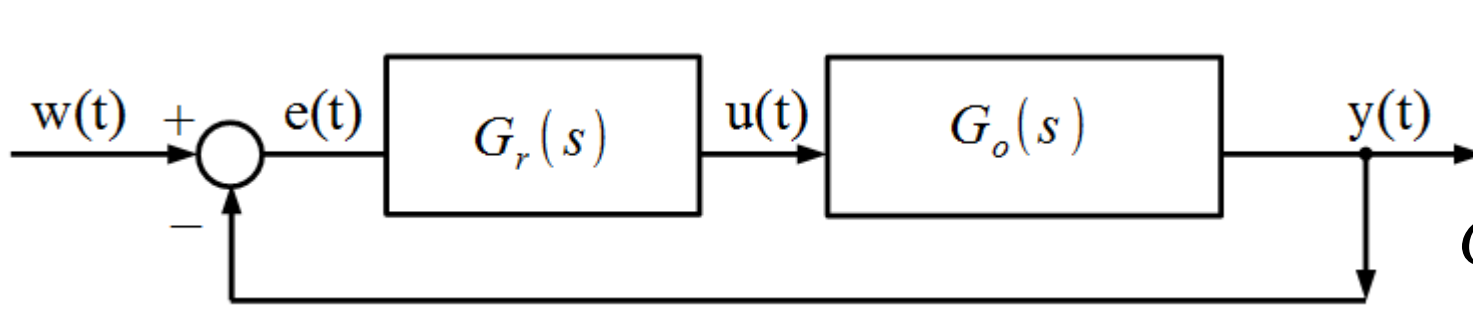
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Hurwitz criterion

Example 7

Choose T parameter to satisfy Hurwitz criterion



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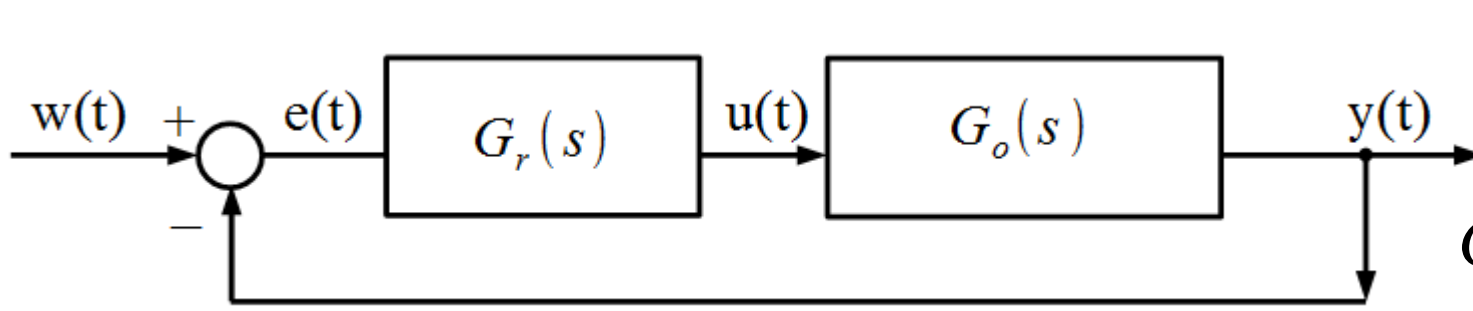
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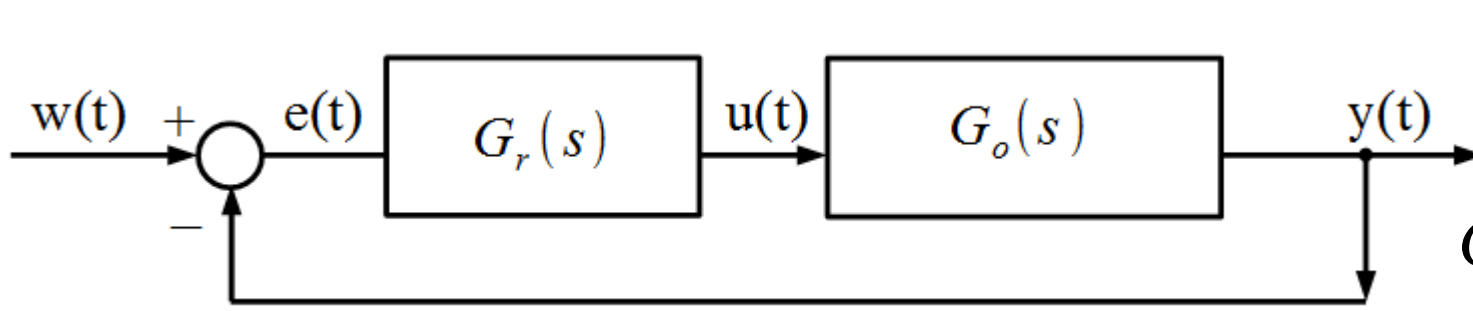
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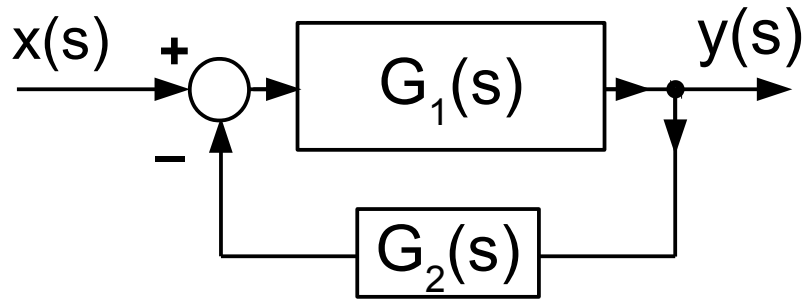
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$$\Delta_2 = \begin{bmatrix} a_3 & a_4 \\ a_1 & a_2 \end{bmatrix} = T^2 + 2 > 0 \quad T \in \mathbb{R}$$

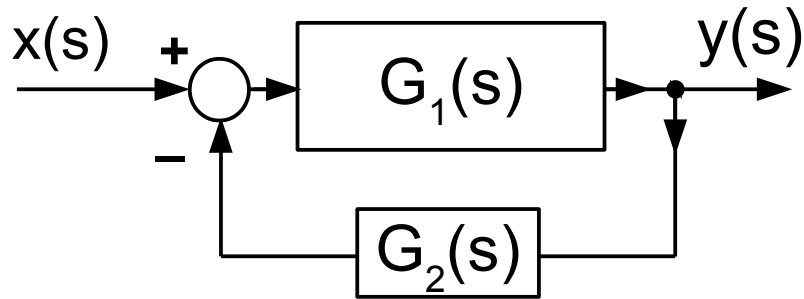
$$\Delta_3 = \begin{bmatrix} a_{n-1} & a_n & 0 \\ a_{n-3} & a_{n-2} & a_{n-1} \\ a_{n-5} & a_{n-4} & a_{n-3} \end{bmatrix} = T^3 + T^2 - 2T + 9 > 0 \rightarrow T > 2.83$$

Nyquist stability criterion



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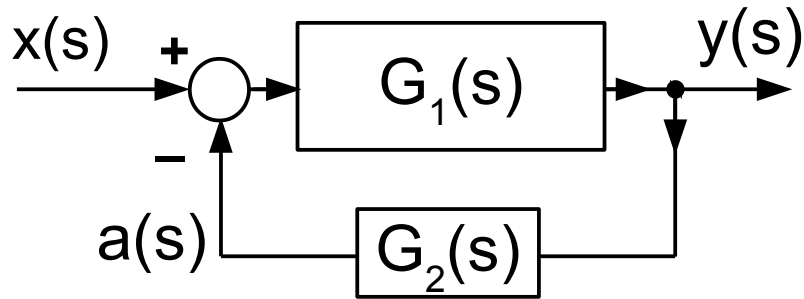
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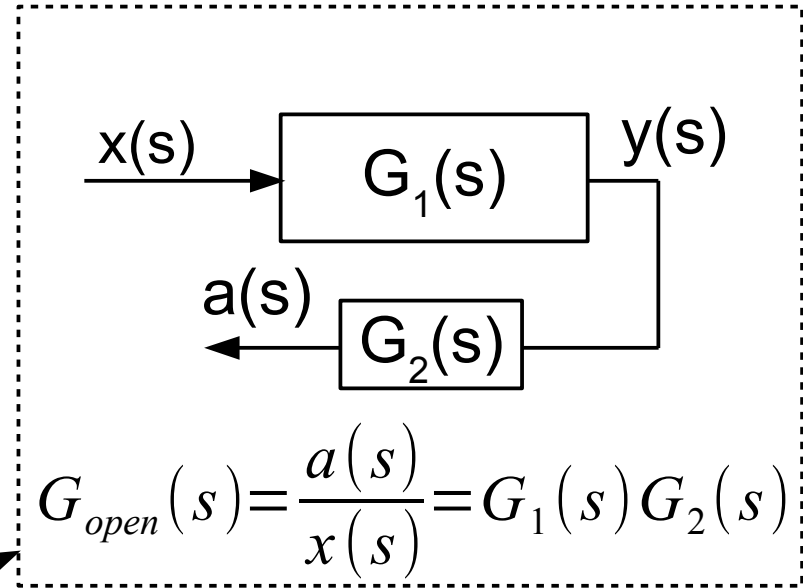
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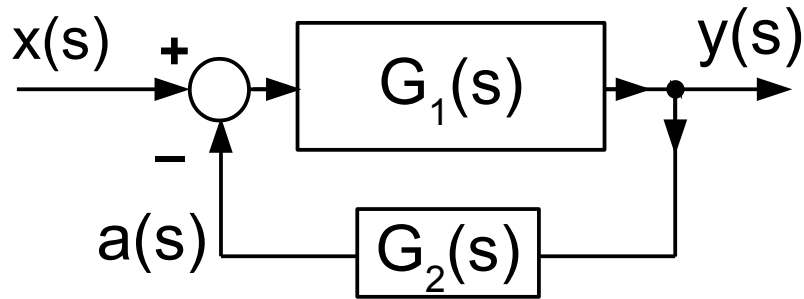


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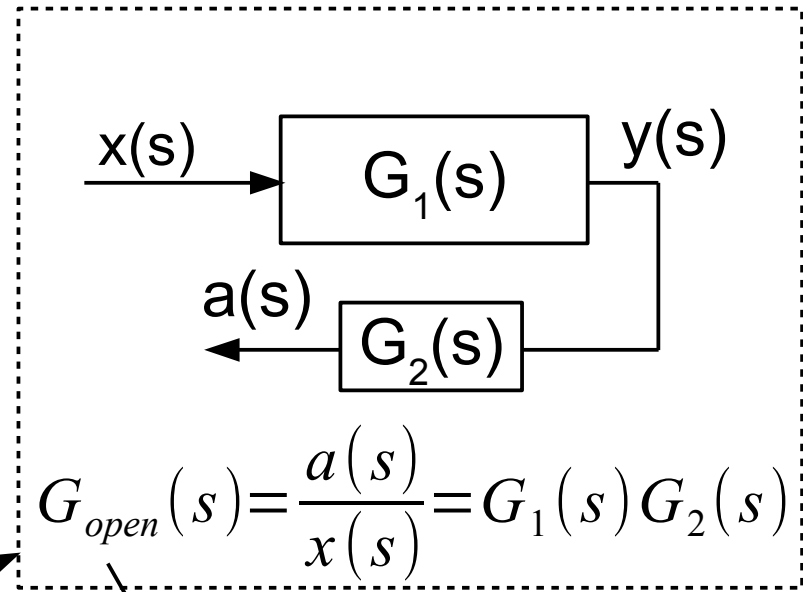


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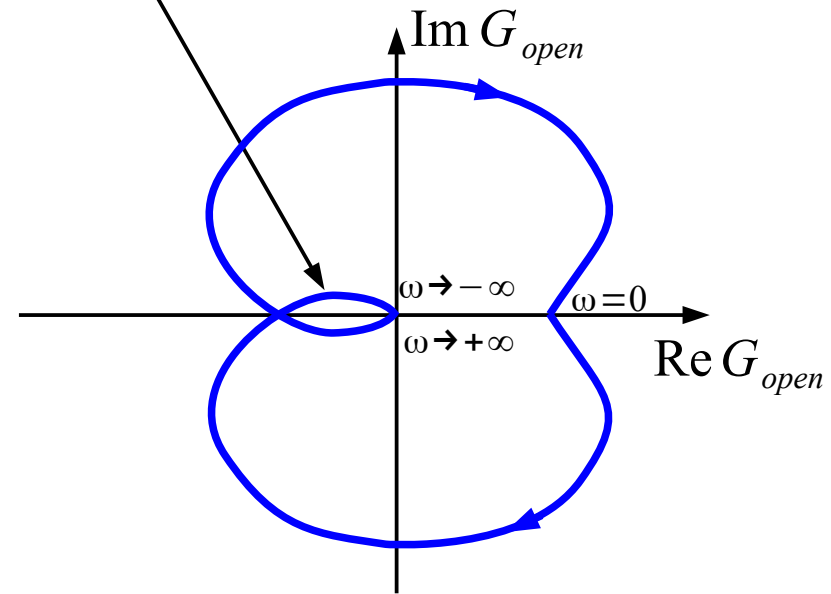


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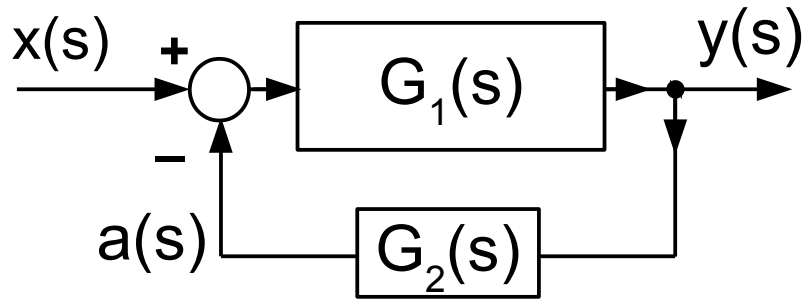
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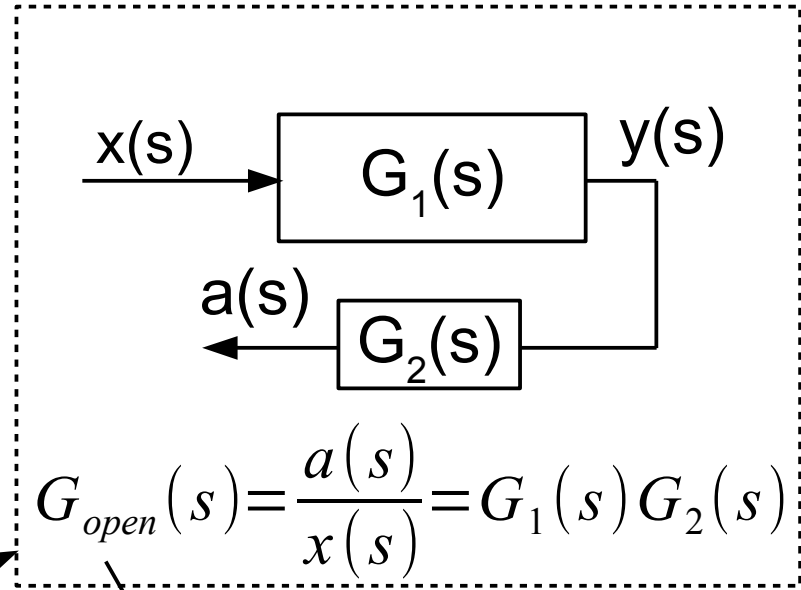
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Nyquist stability criterion



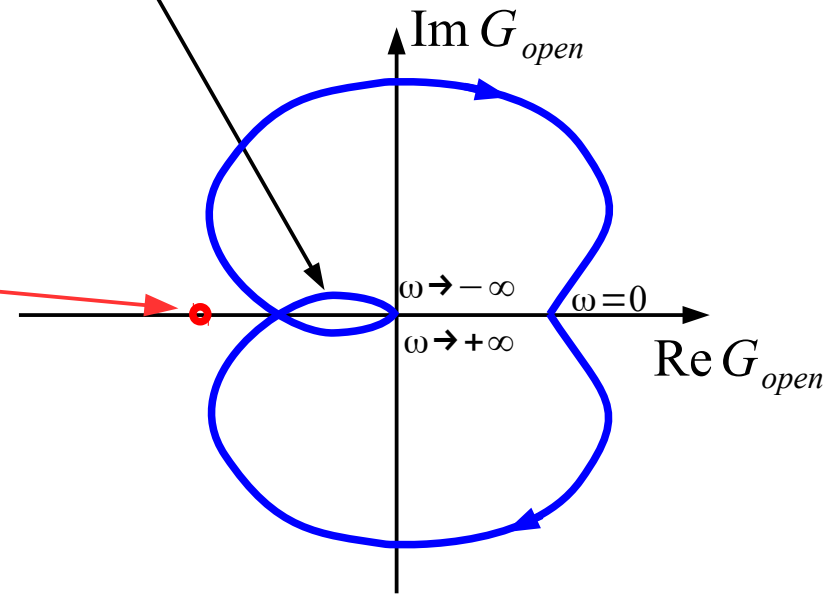
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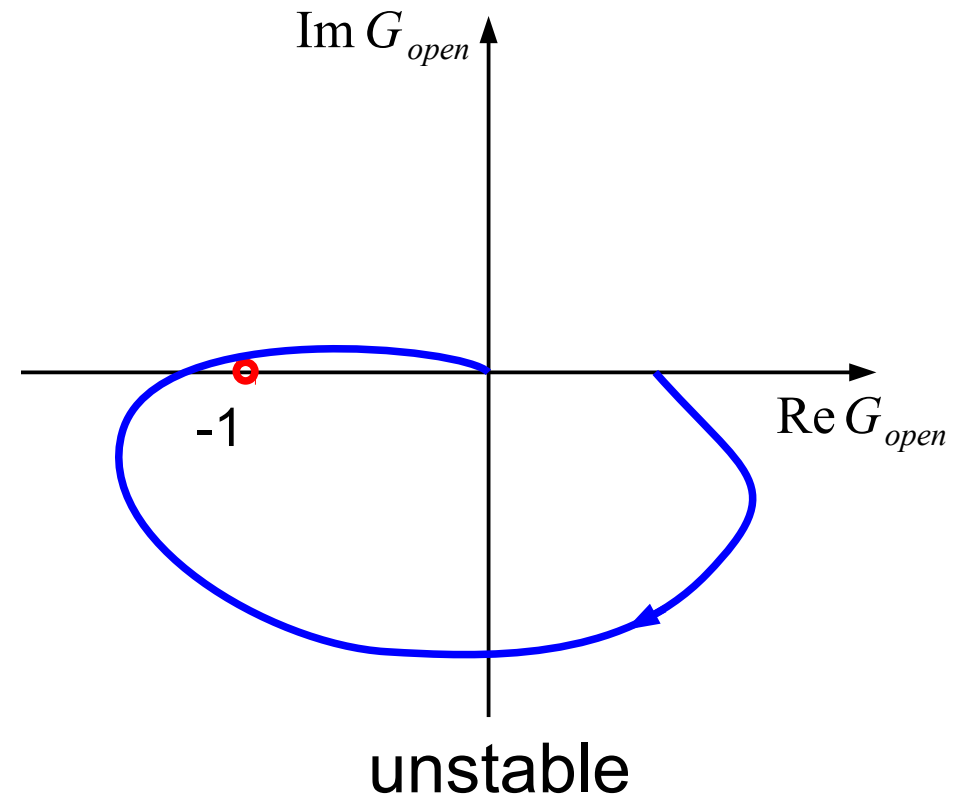
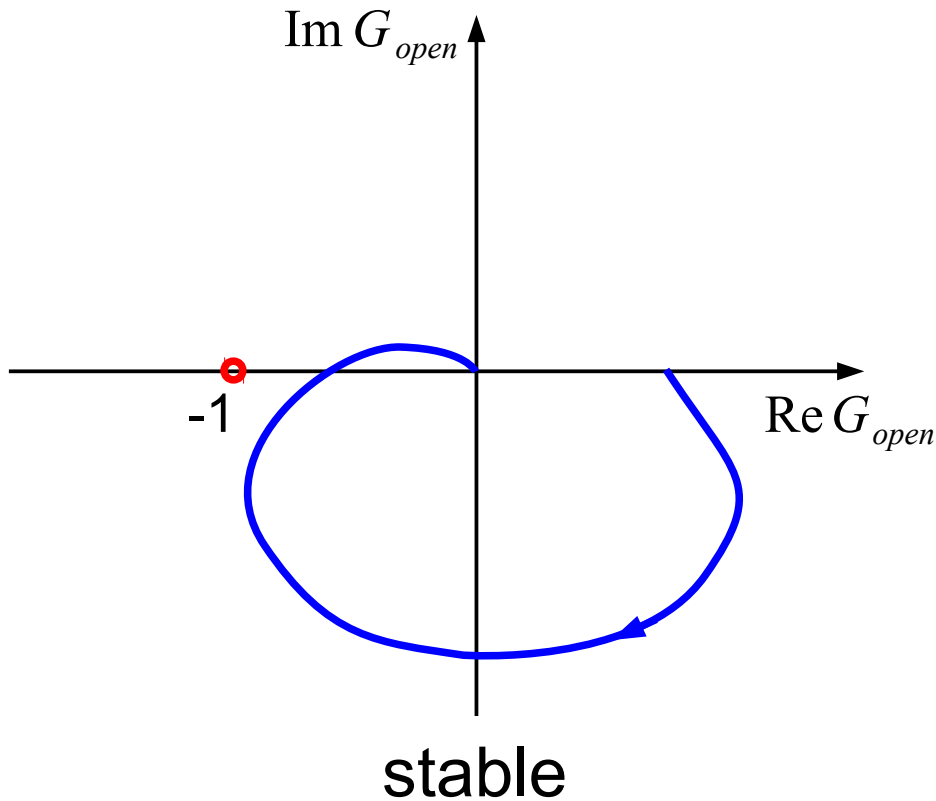
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Nyquist stability criterion (particular)

The closed-loop system is stable if:

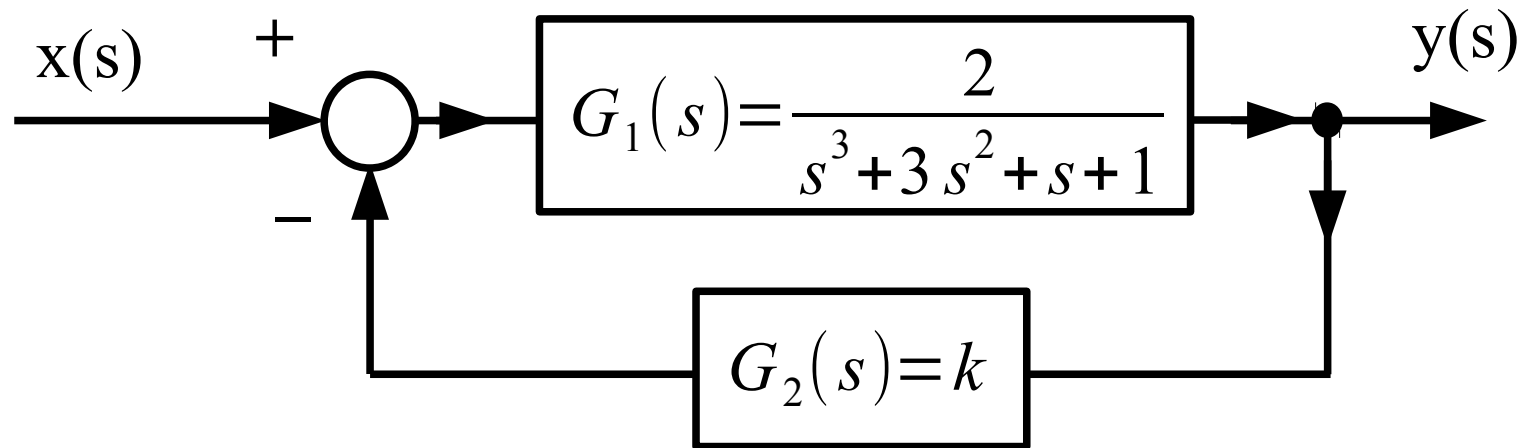
- 1) open-loop transfer function is stable AND
- 2) open-loop transfer function not enclosing the point $(-1, j0)$.



Nyquist criterion

Example 8

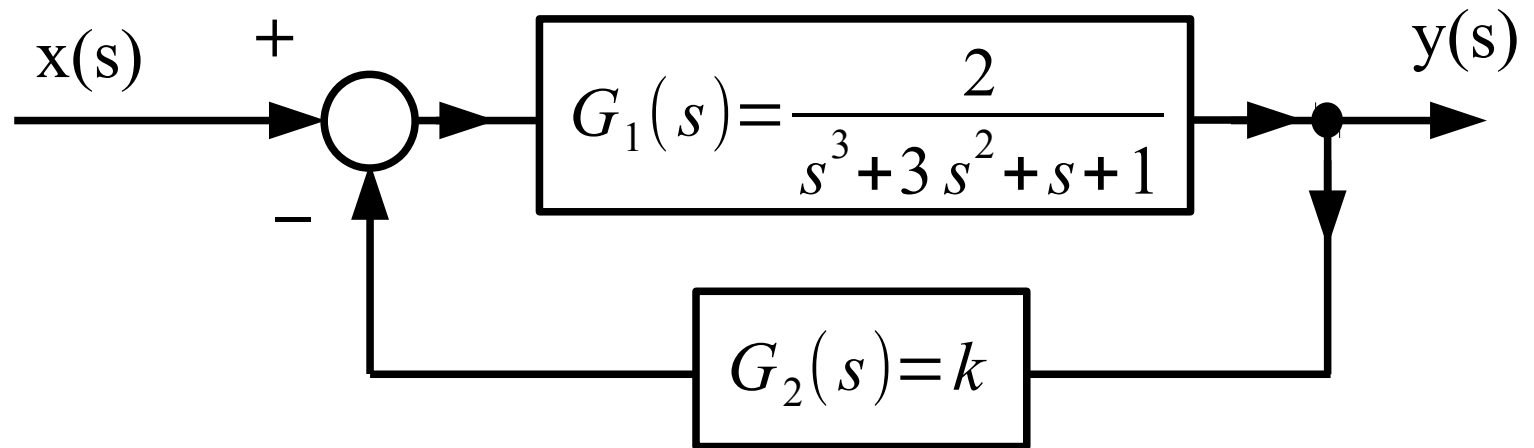
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Nyquist criterion

Example 8

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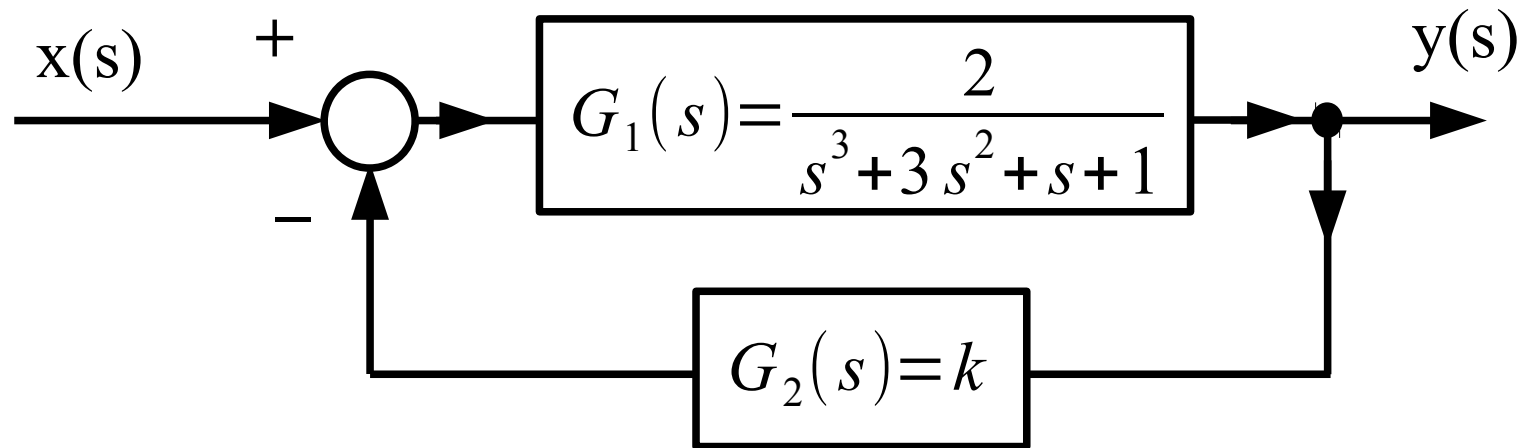


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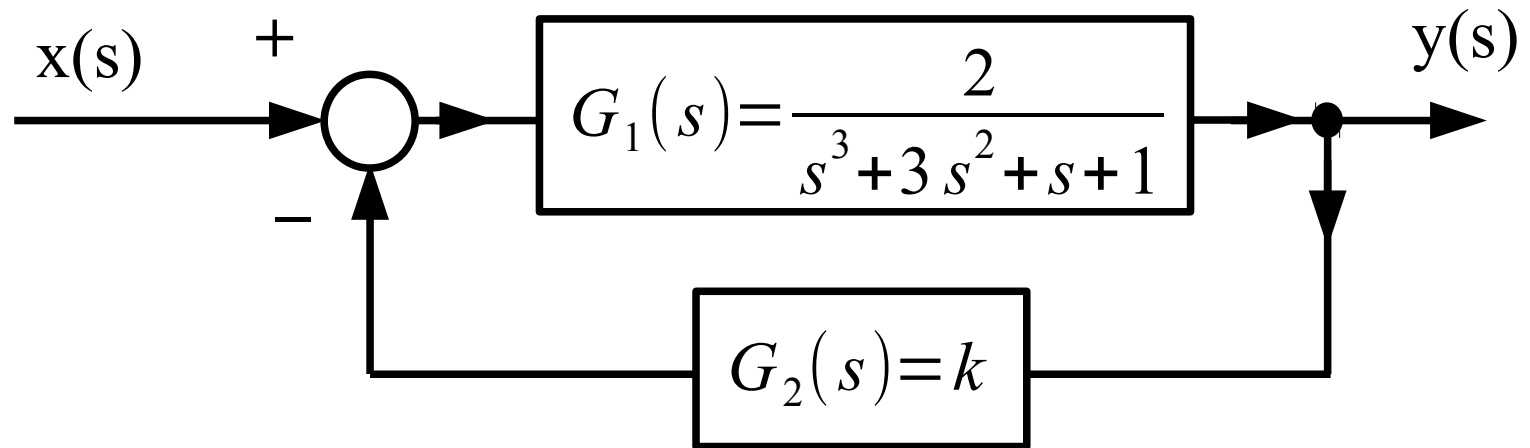
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- stable from Hurwitz

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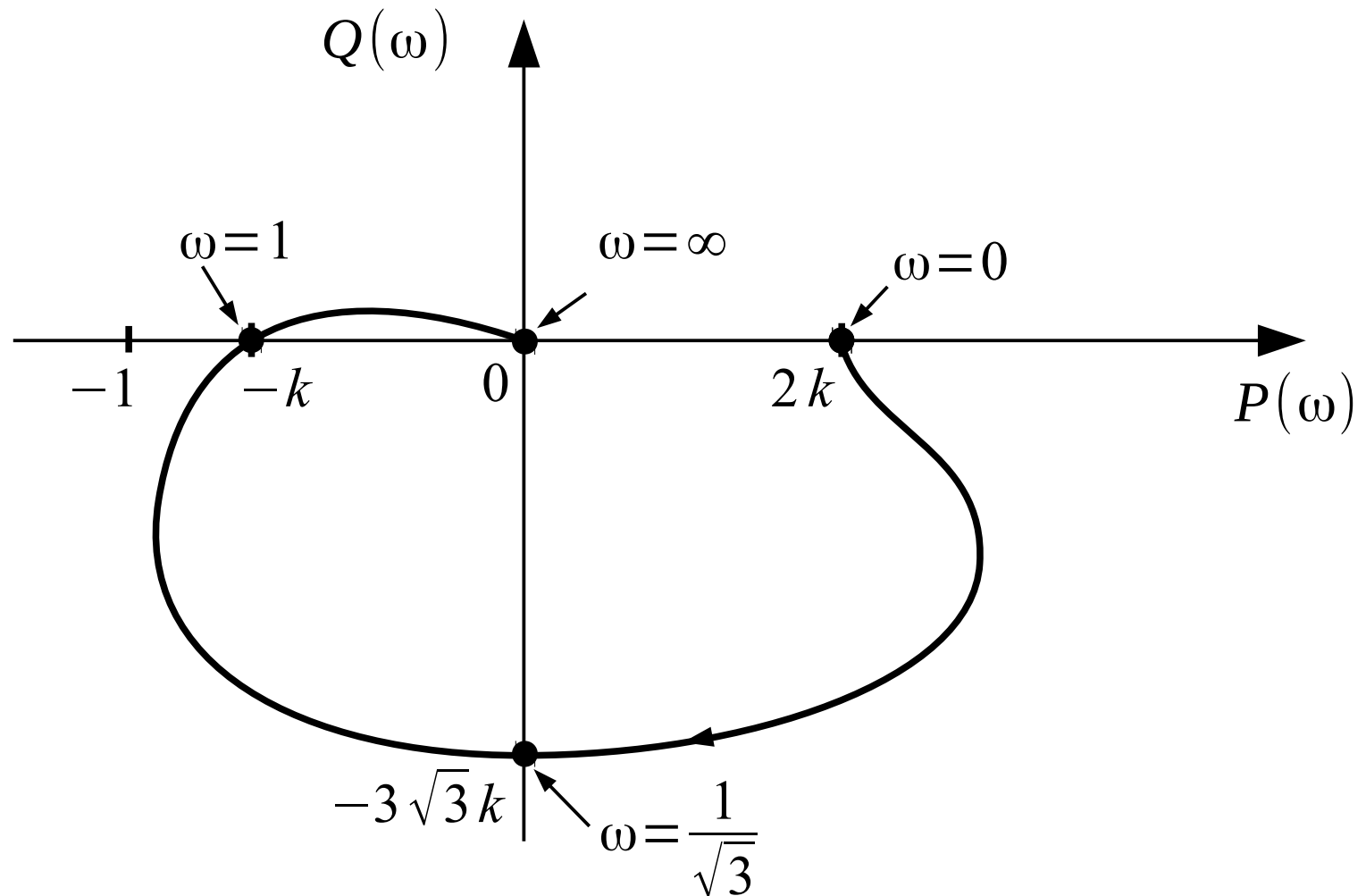
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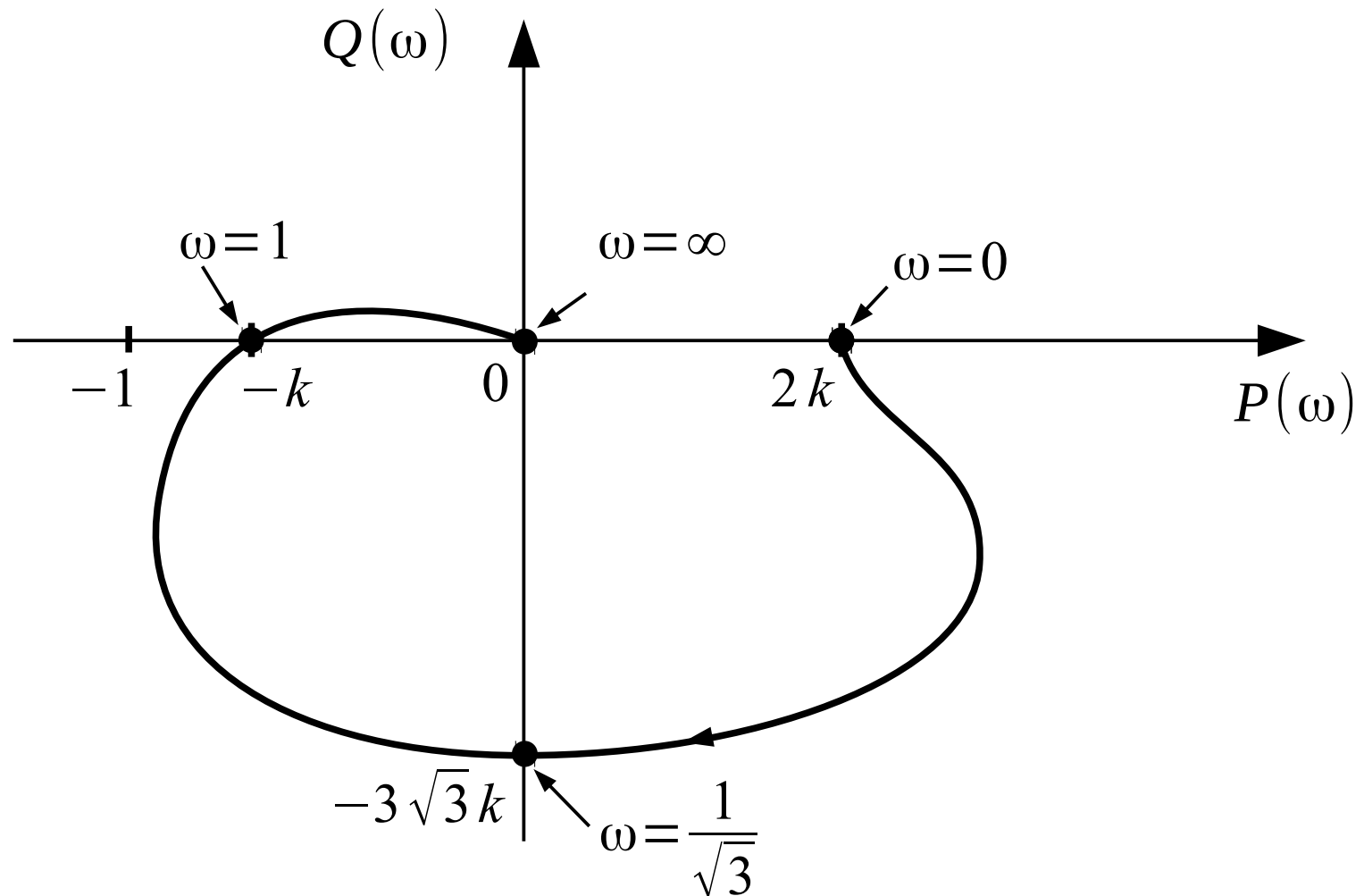
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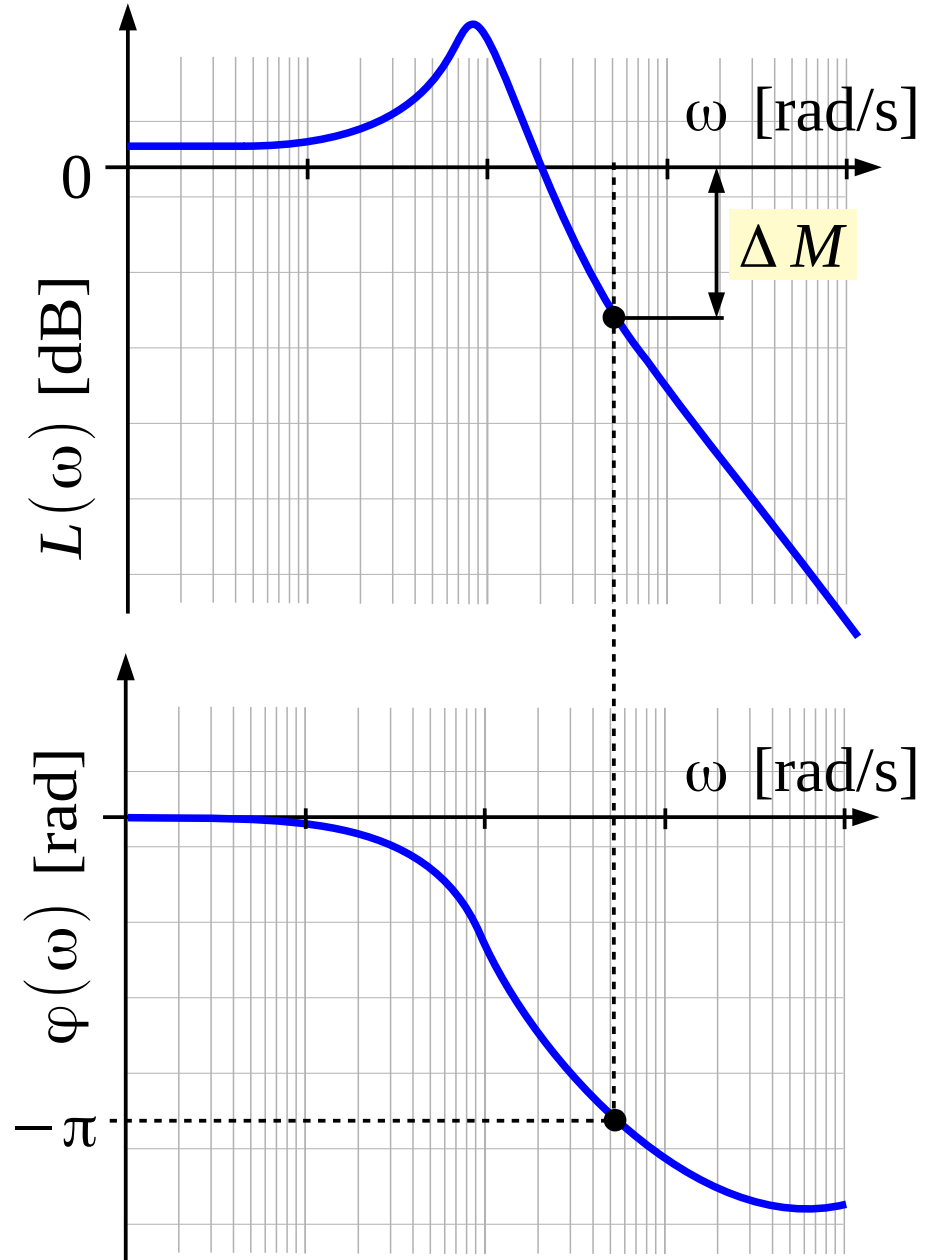
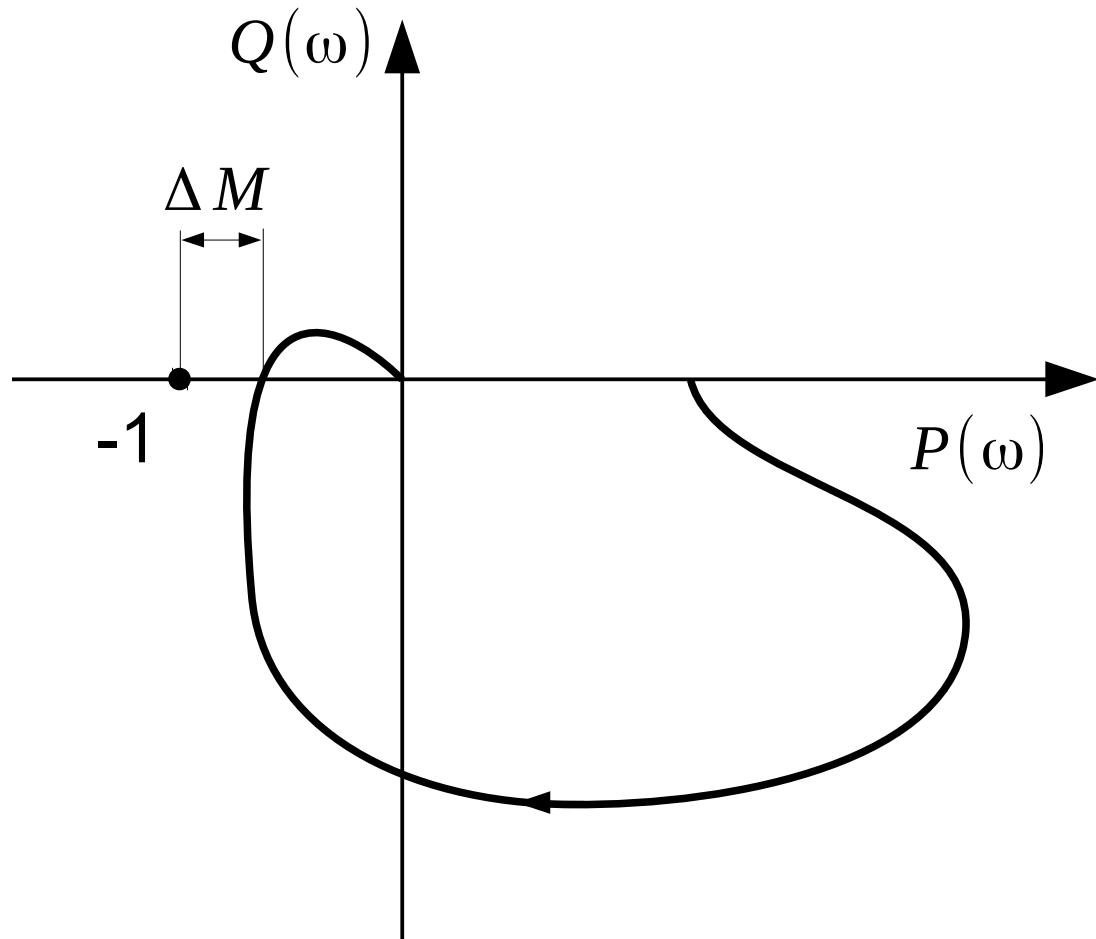
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closed-loop
system
stable for
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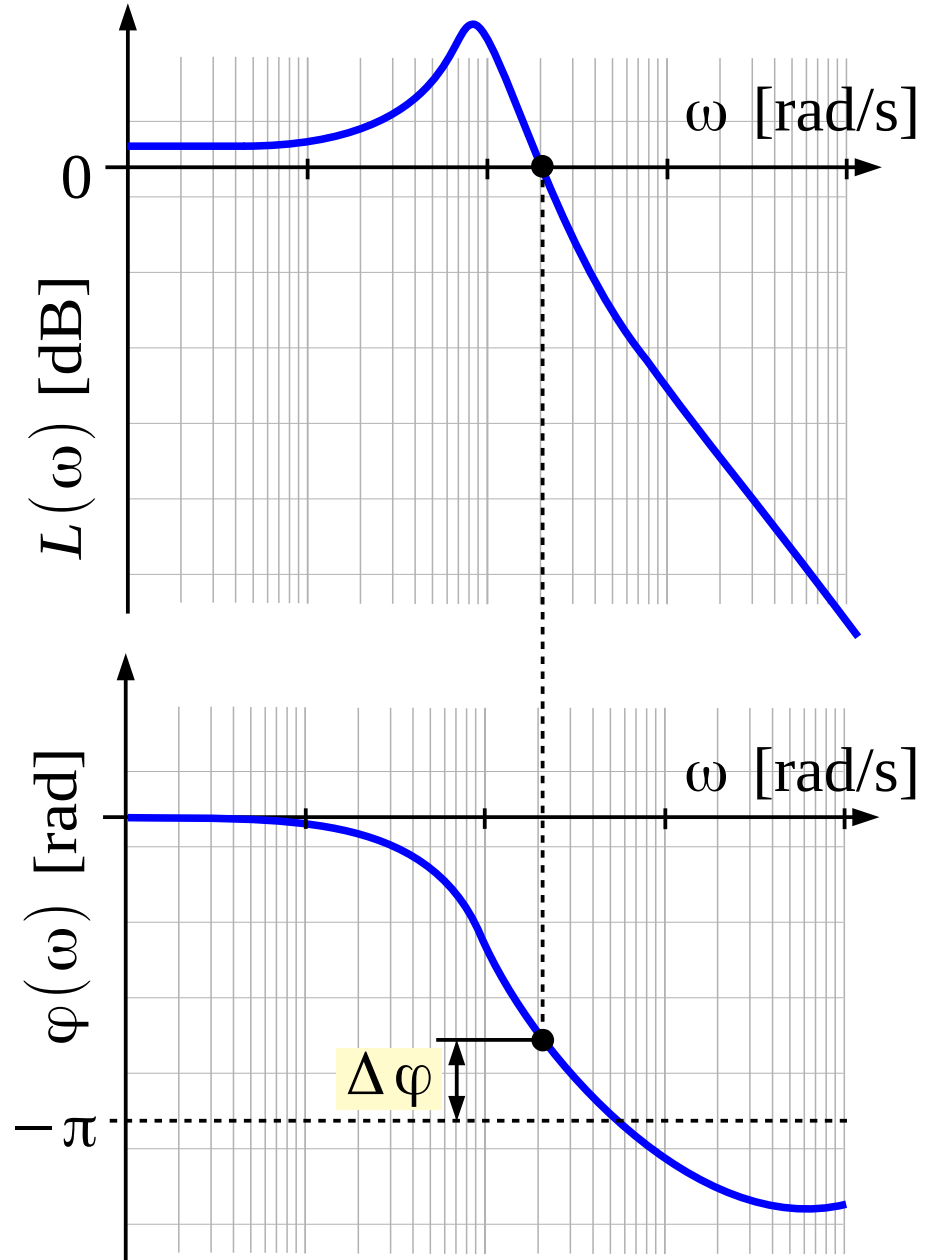
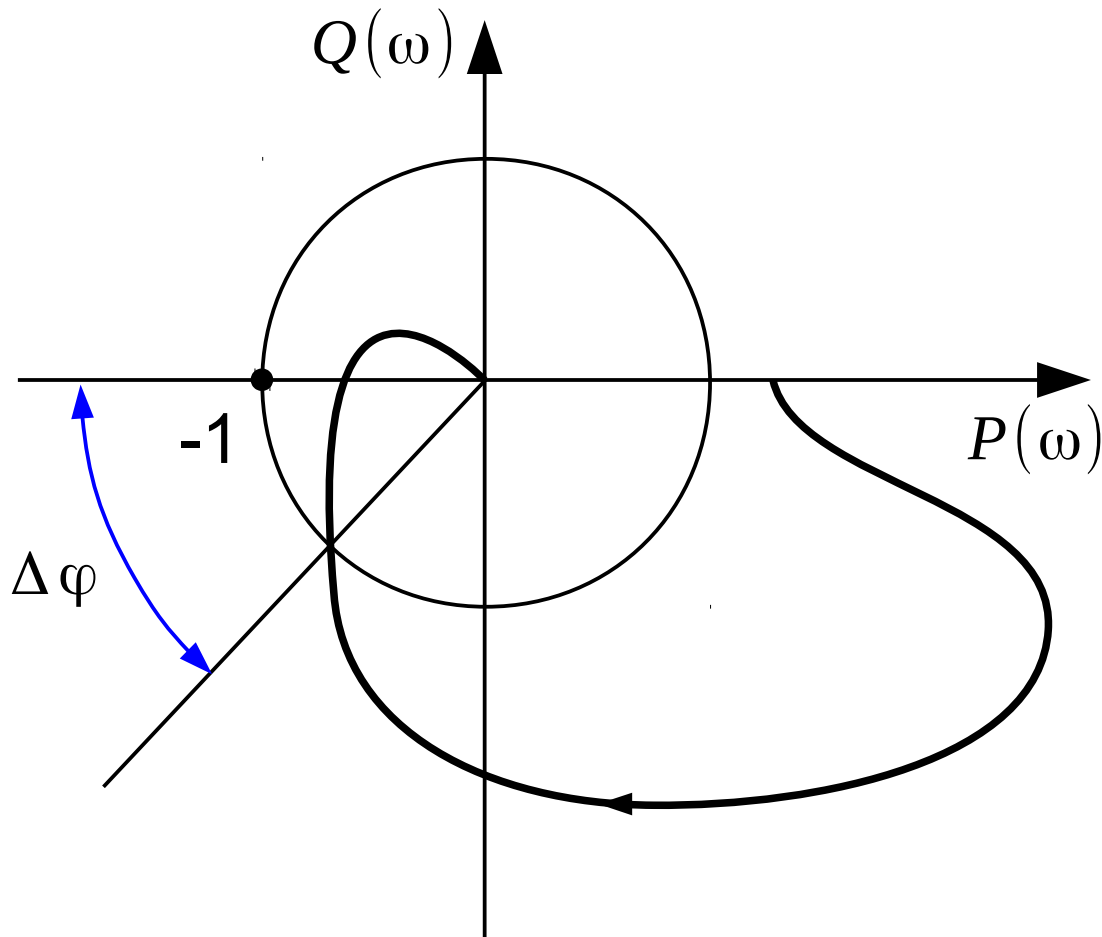
Gain margin

Closed-loop system will lose its stability if we add additional gain (in serial) greater or equals to gain margin.



Phase margin

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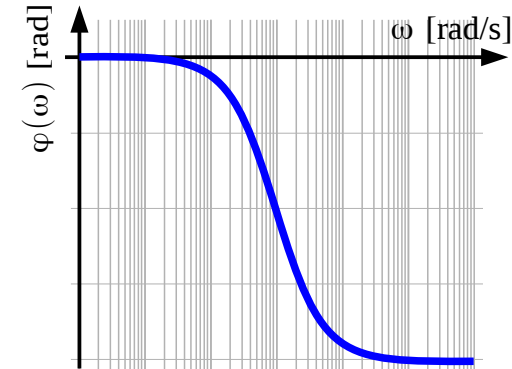
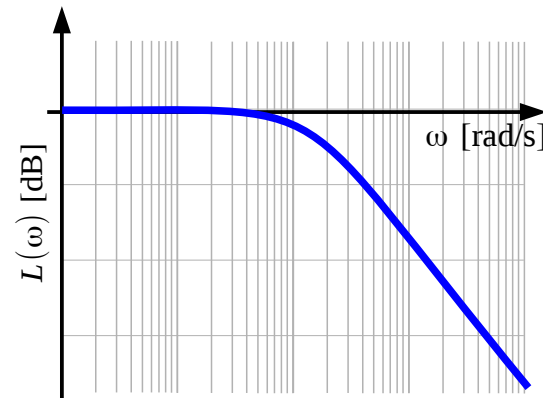
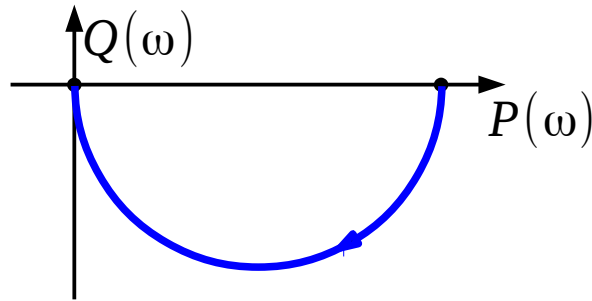


Stability vs Bode plot

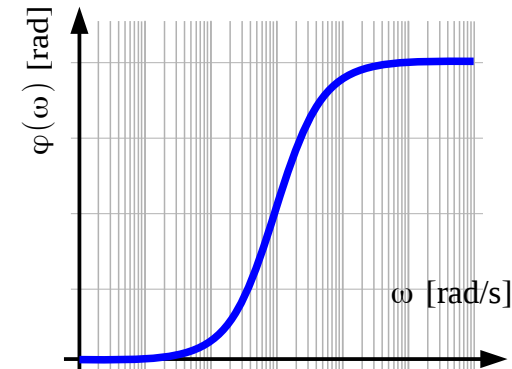
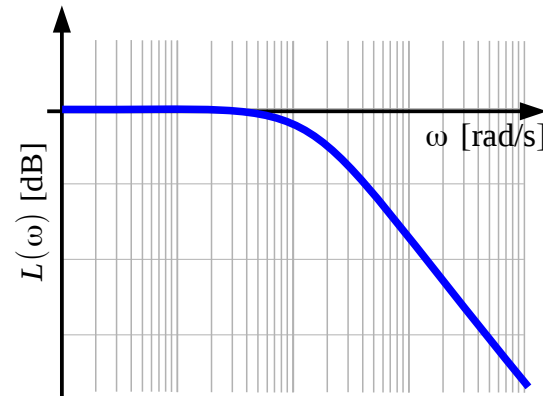
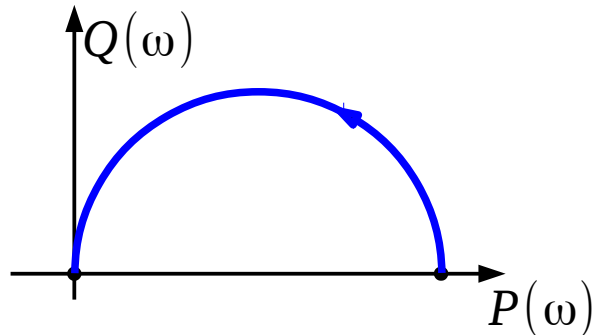
Bodego plot (gain + delay) has no physical meaning if the system is unstable!

Example:

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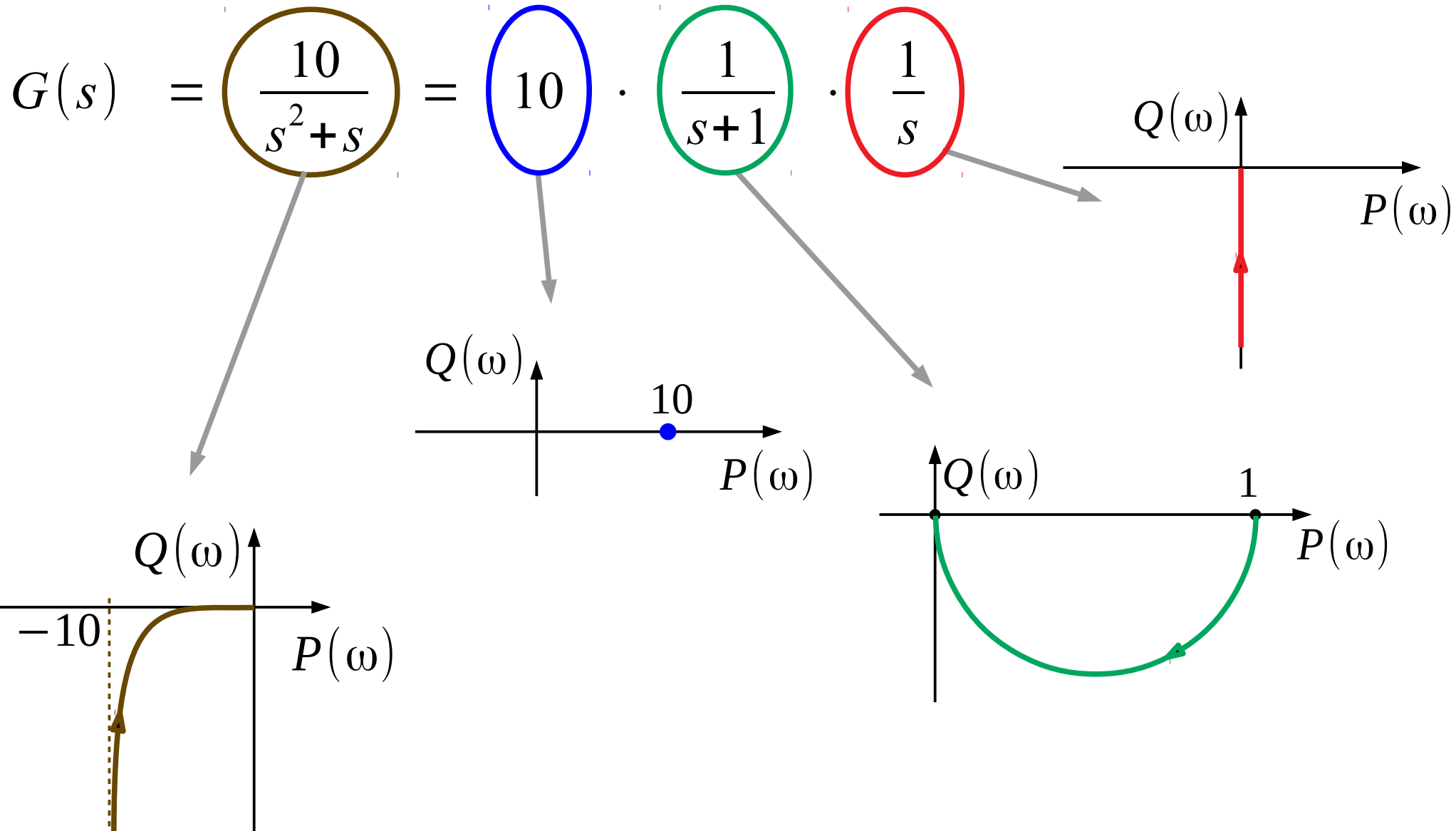
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Summing of Bode plots – example

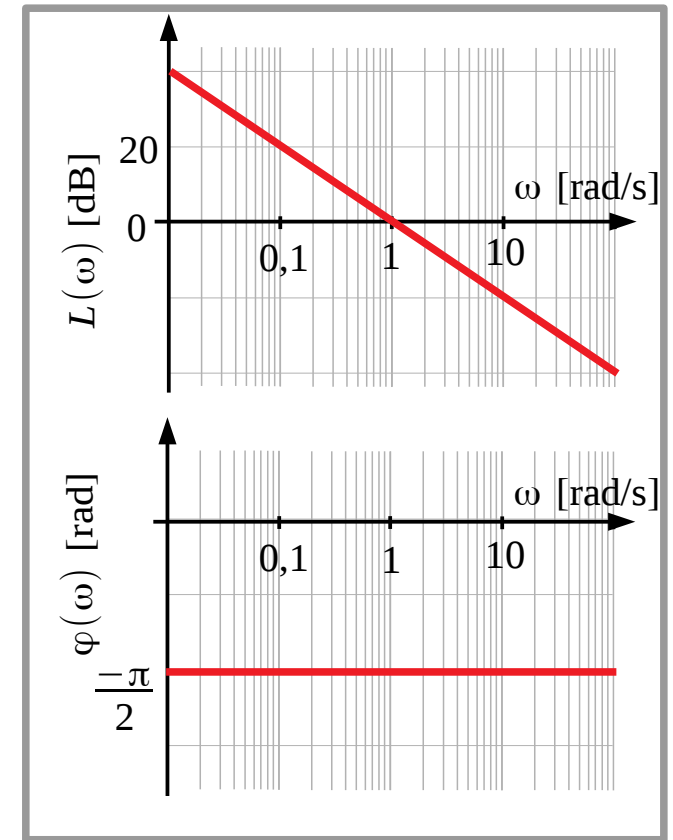
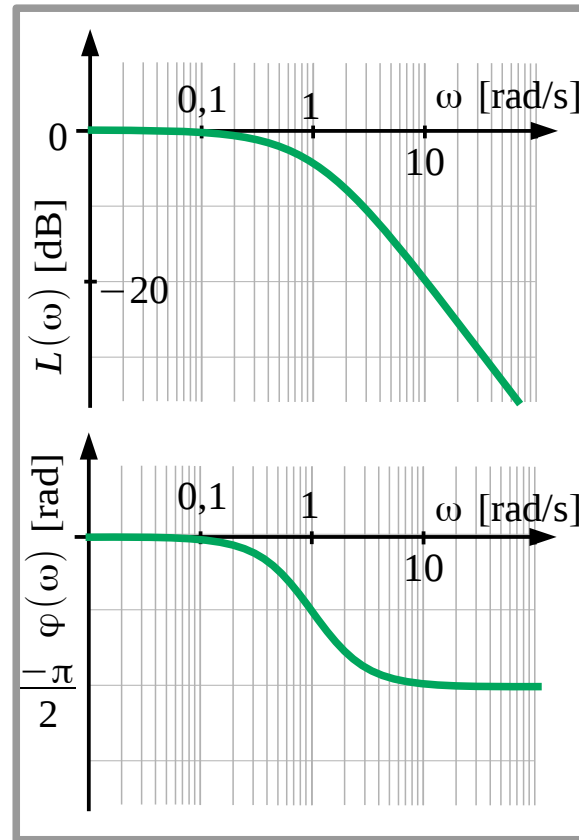
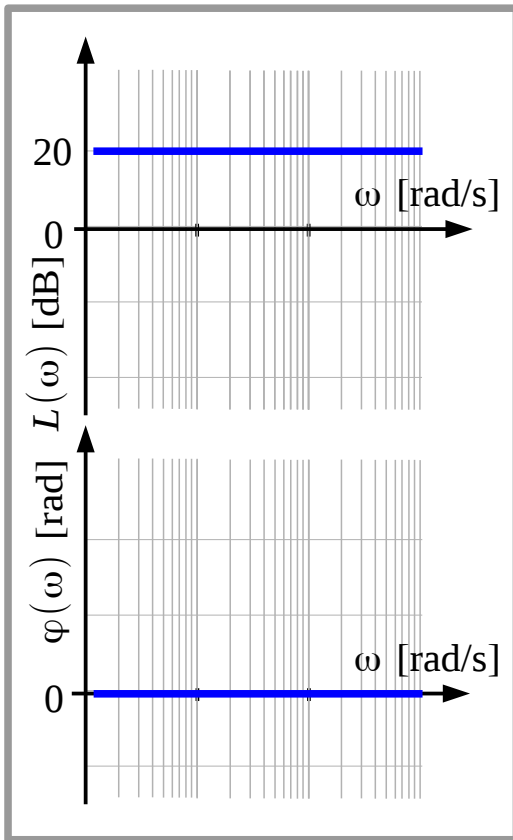
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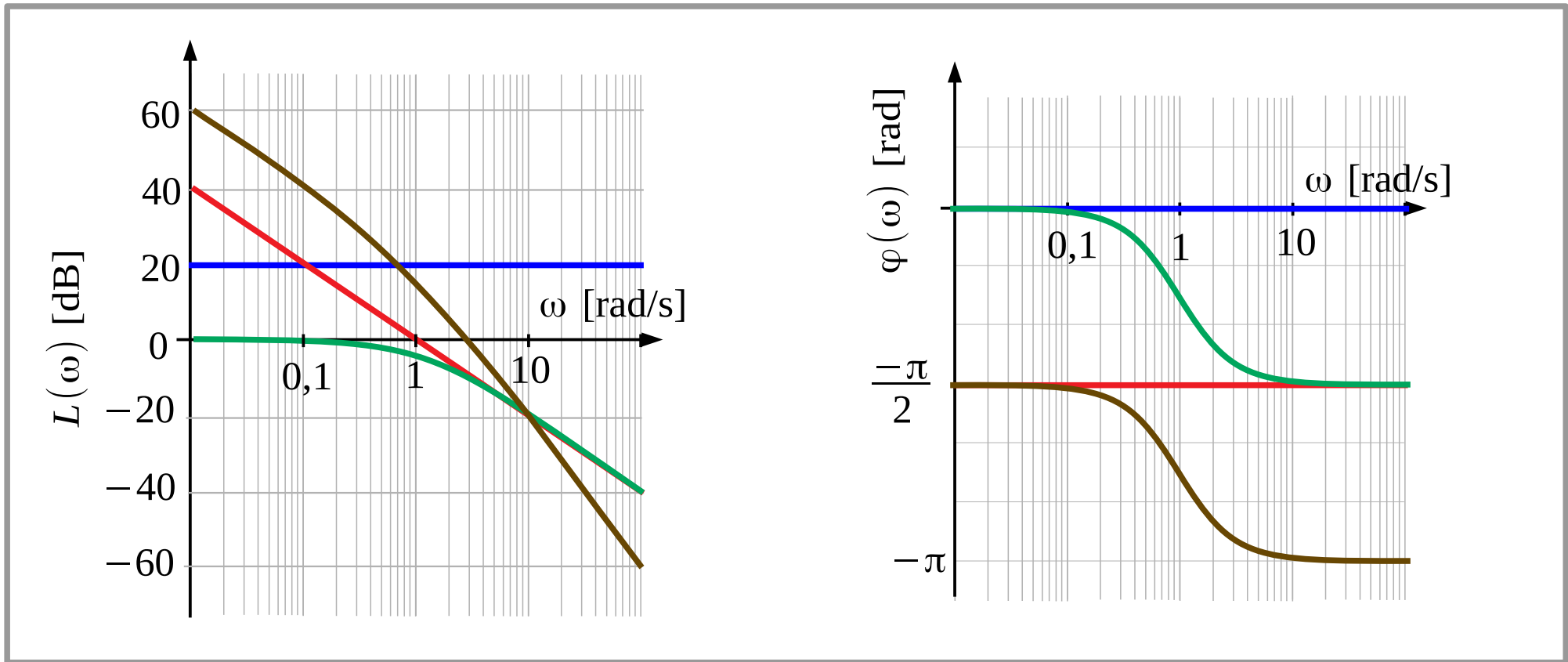
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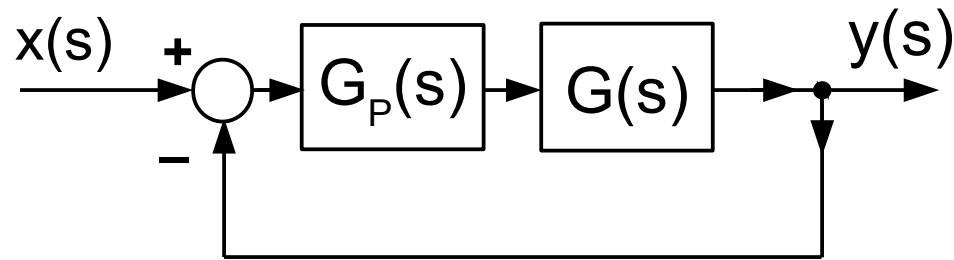
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Nyquist stability criterion

control loop with P controller



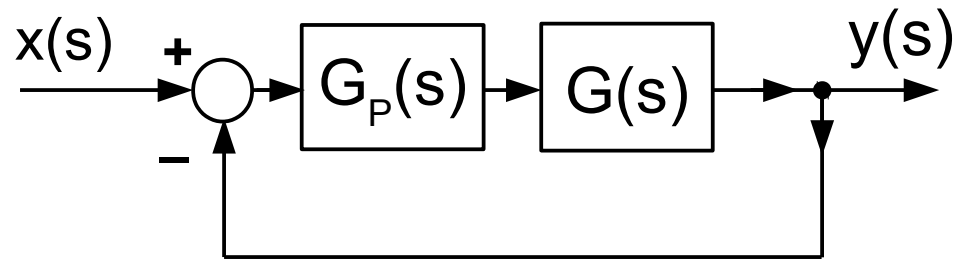
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Nyquist stability criterion

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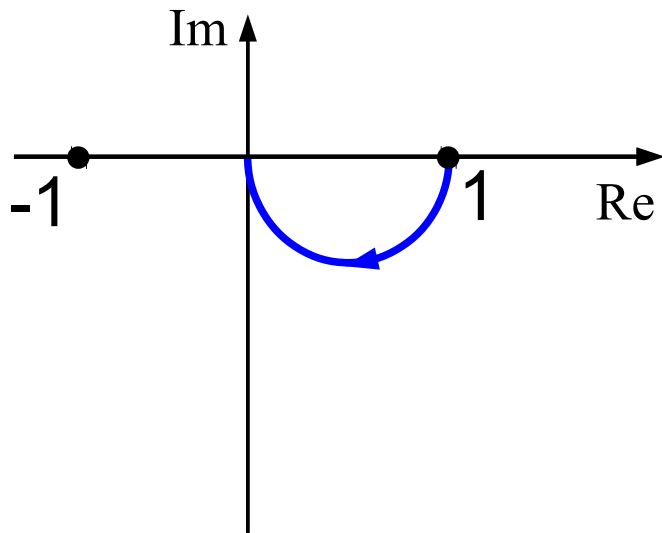


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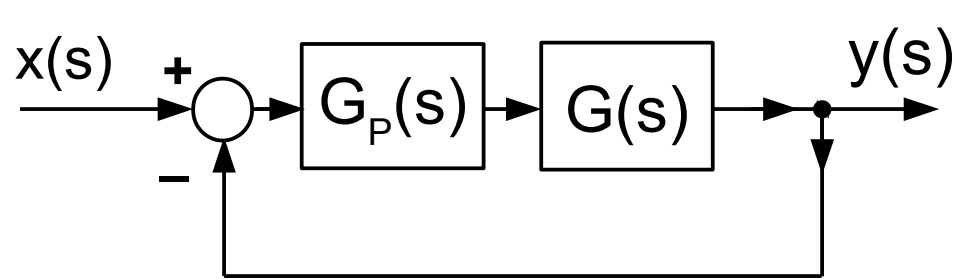
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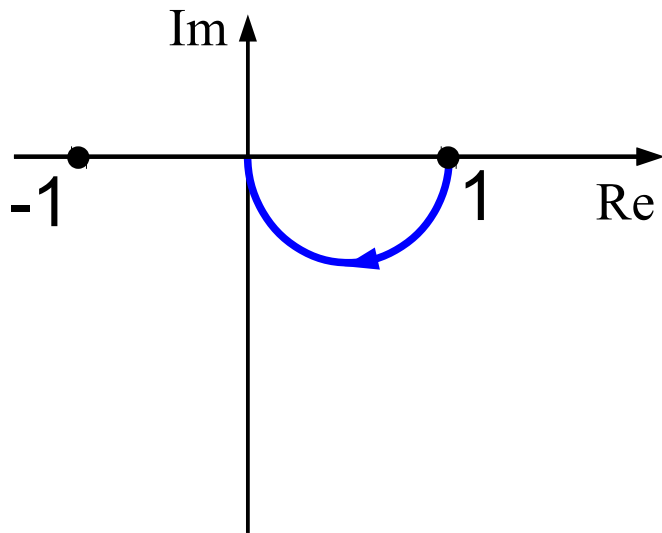


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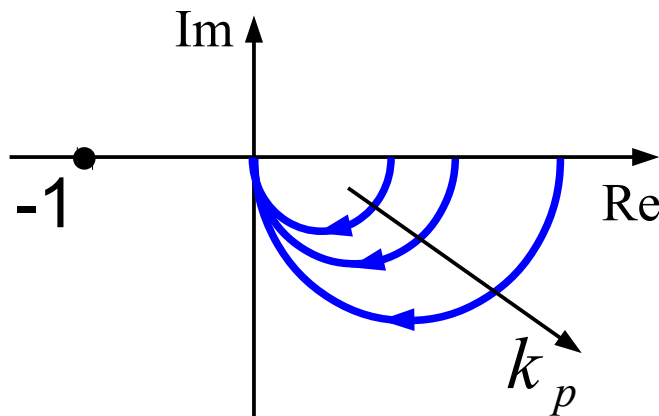
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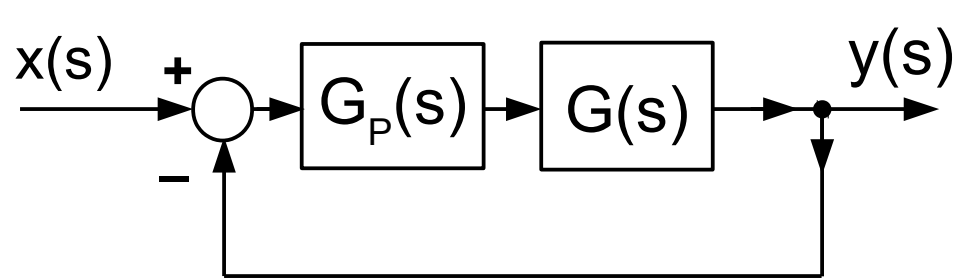


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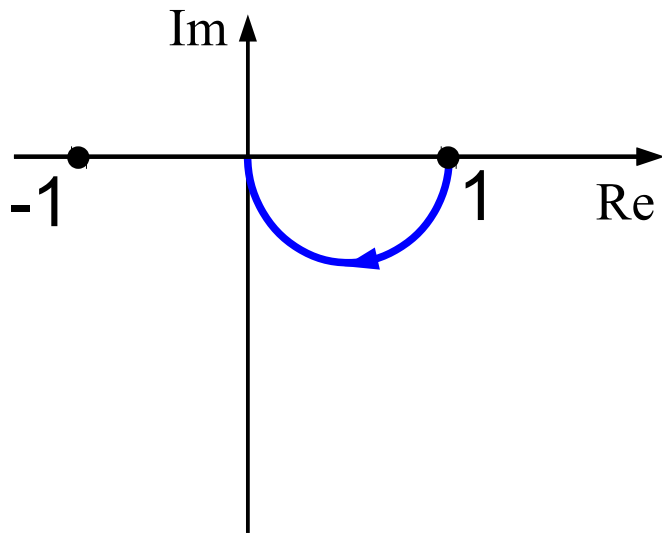


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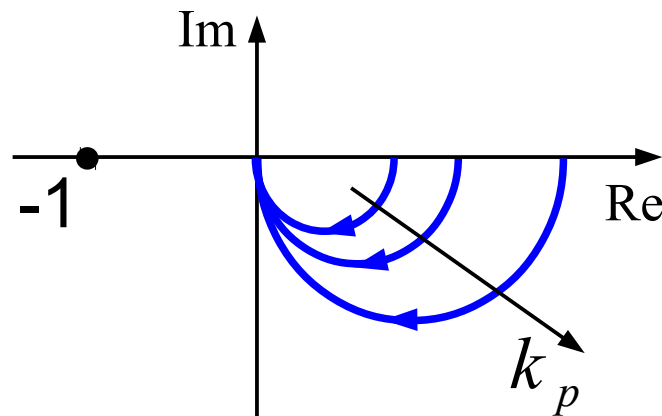
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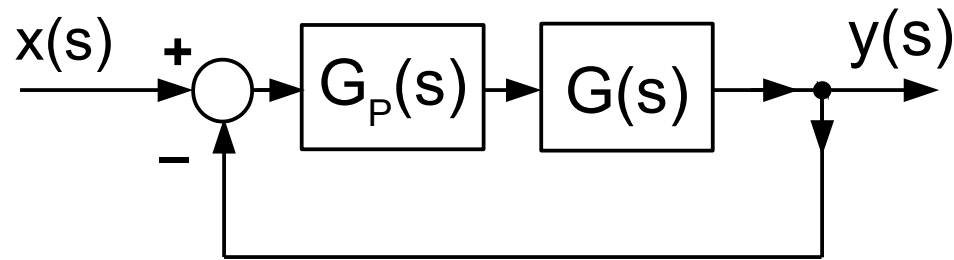
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Nyquist stability criterion

control loop with P controller



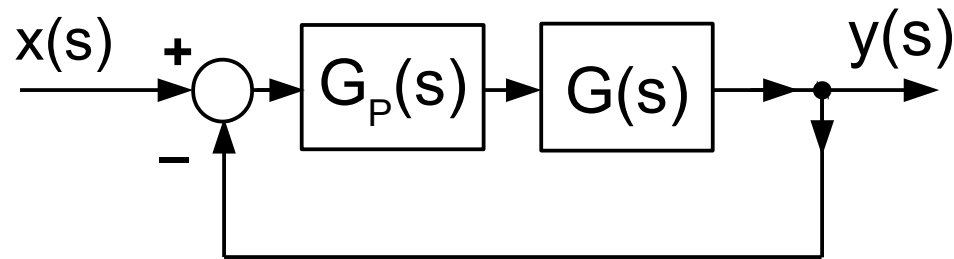
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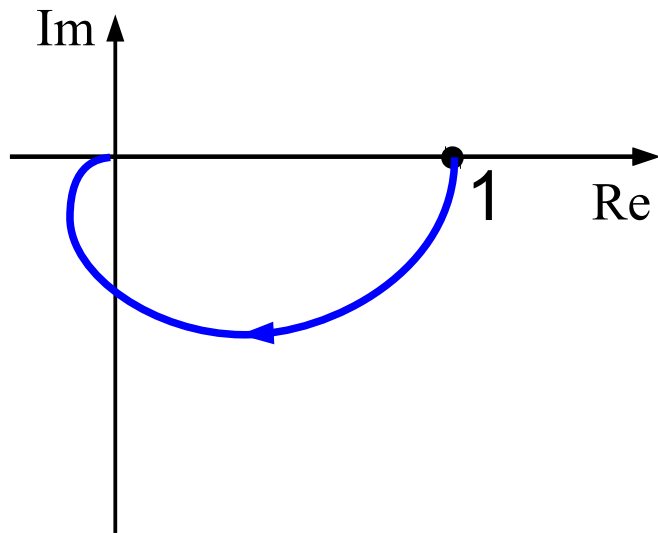


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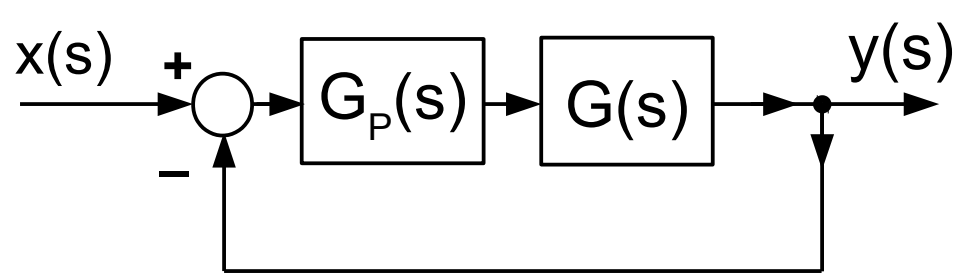
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control loop with P controller

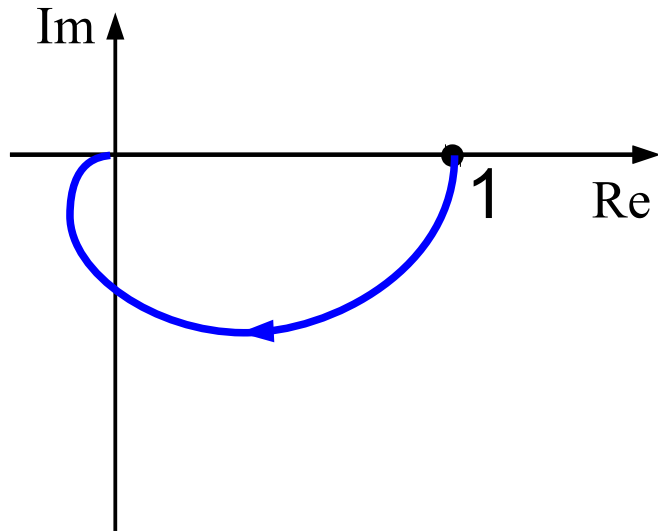


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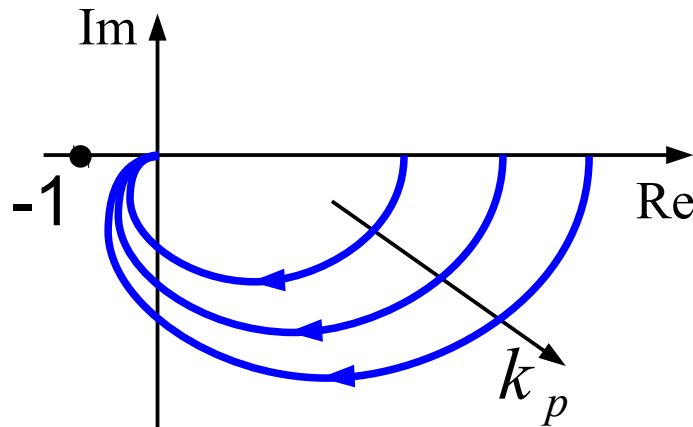
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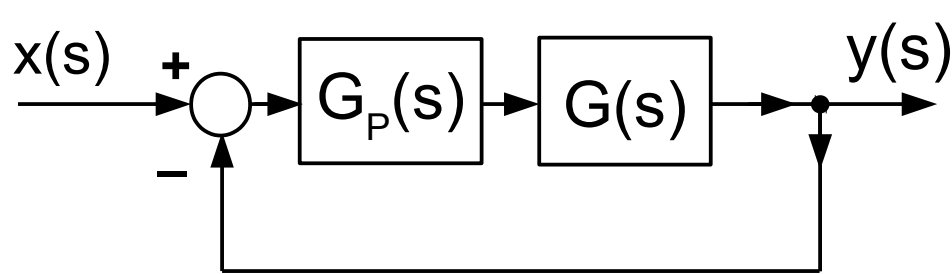


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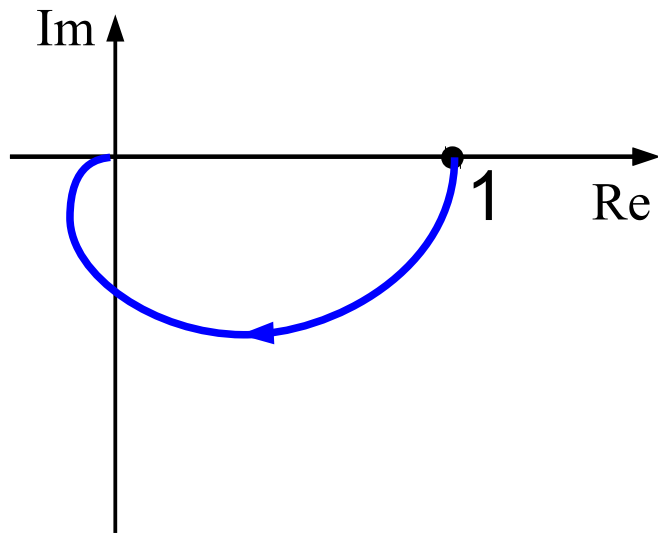


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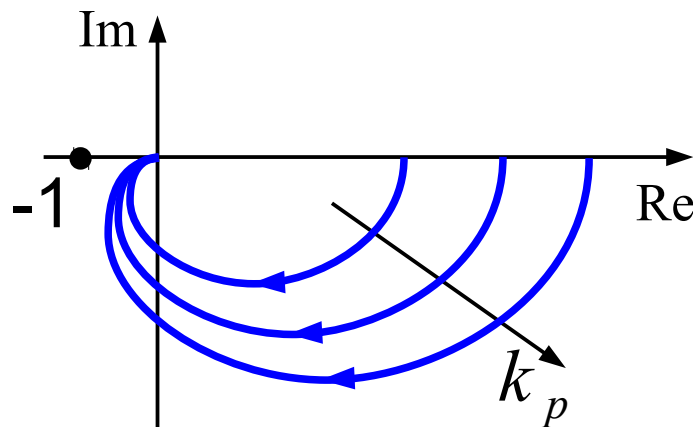
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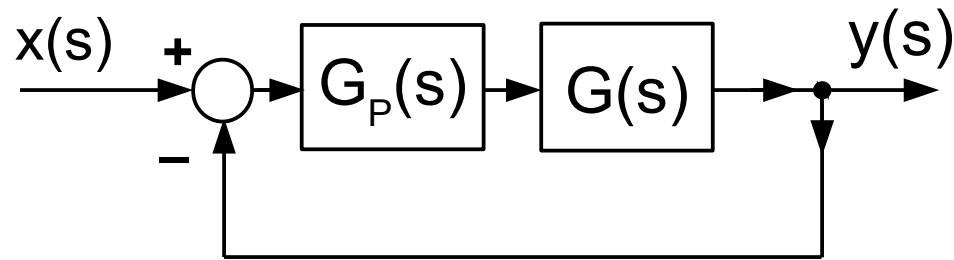
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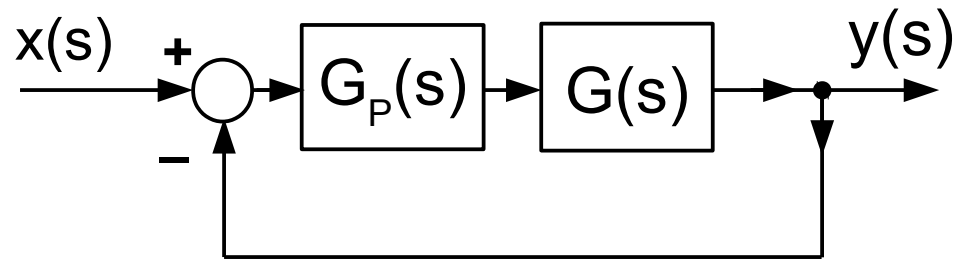
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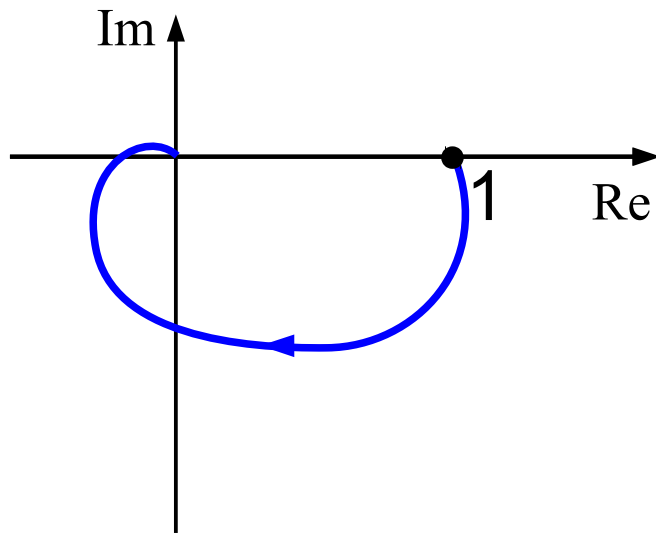


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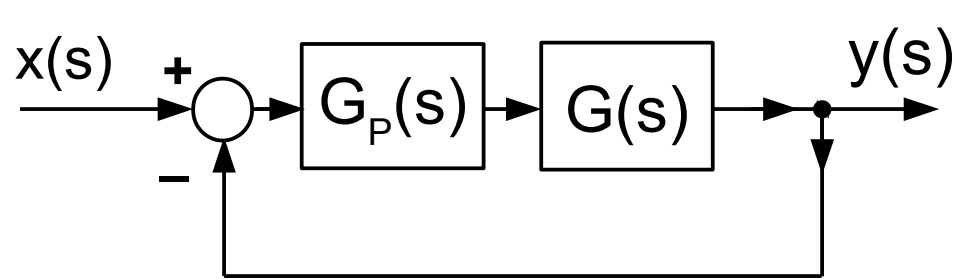
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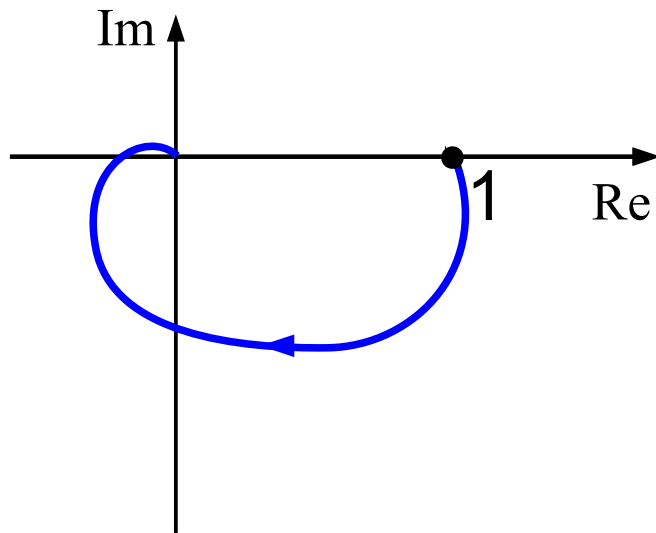


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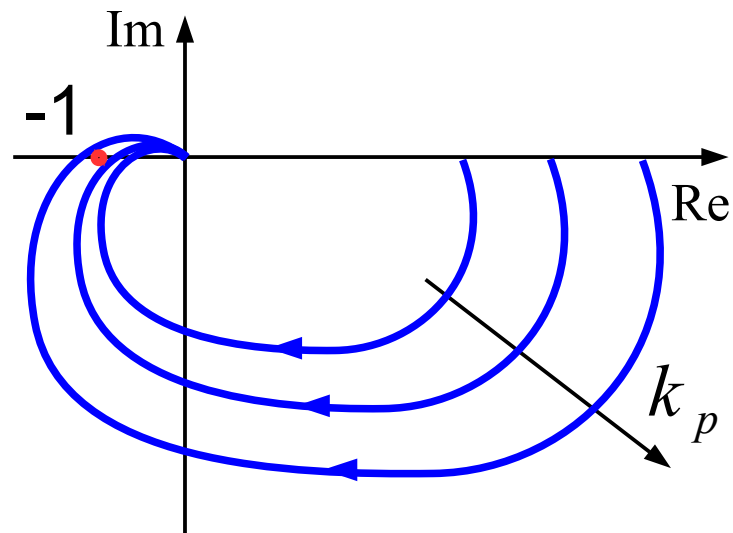
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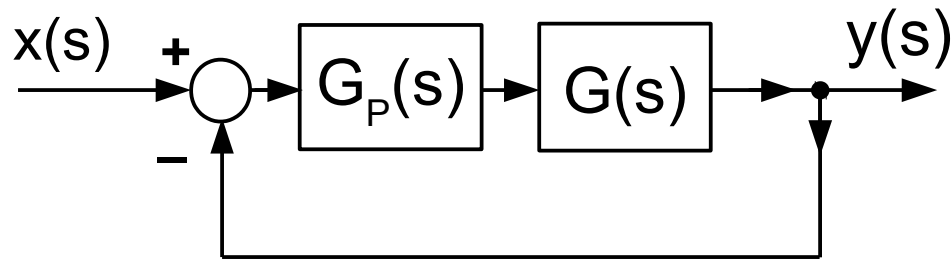


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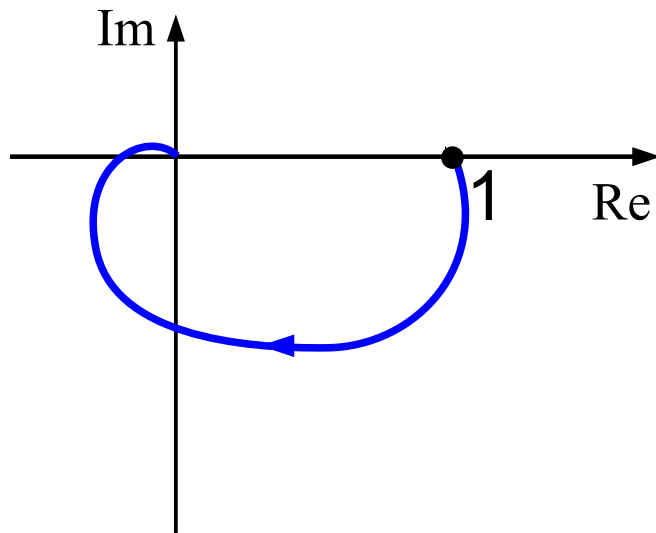


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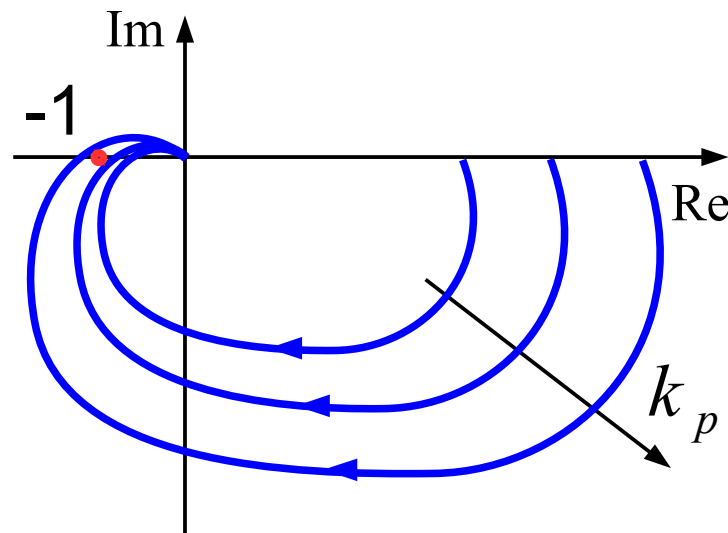
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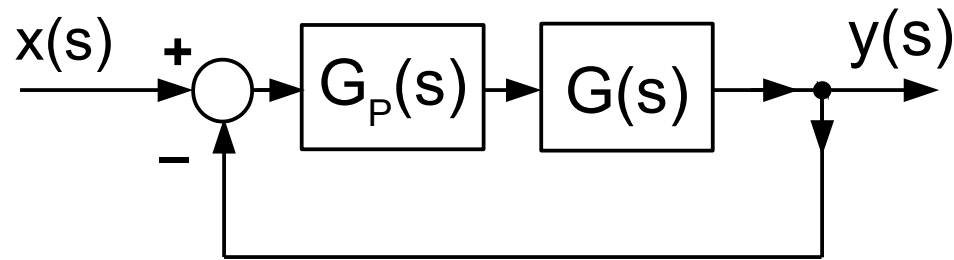
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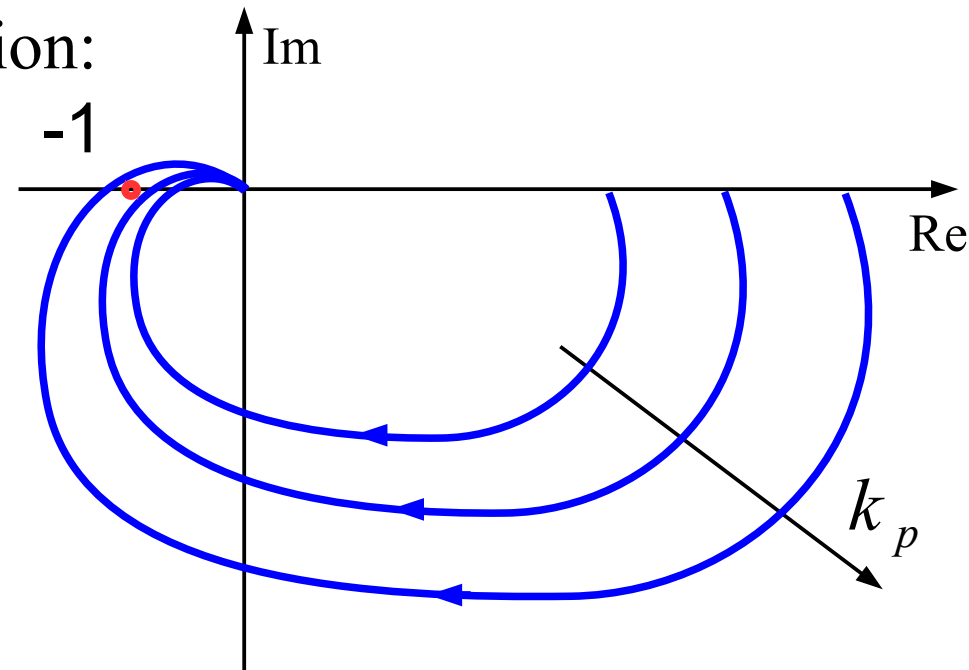
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conclusion for open-loop transfer function:

higher $k_p \rightarrow$ lower steady state error

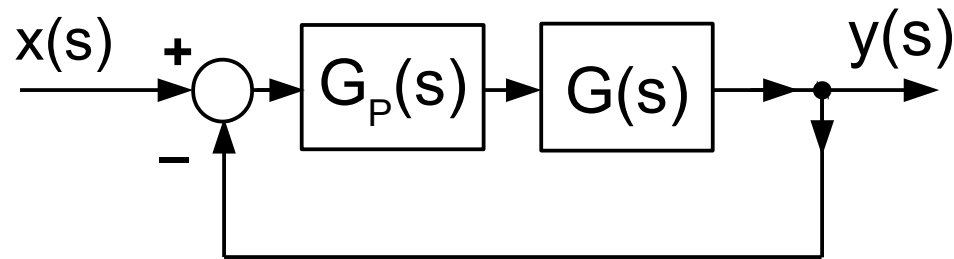
lower $k_p \rightarrow$ better stability

(higher gain margin)



Nyquist stability criterion

control loop with PI controller

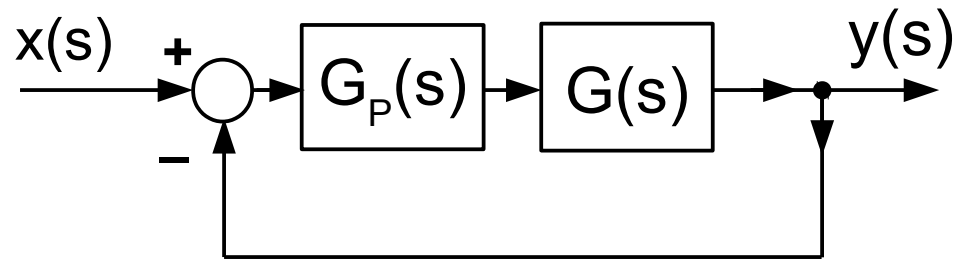


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Nyquist stability criterion

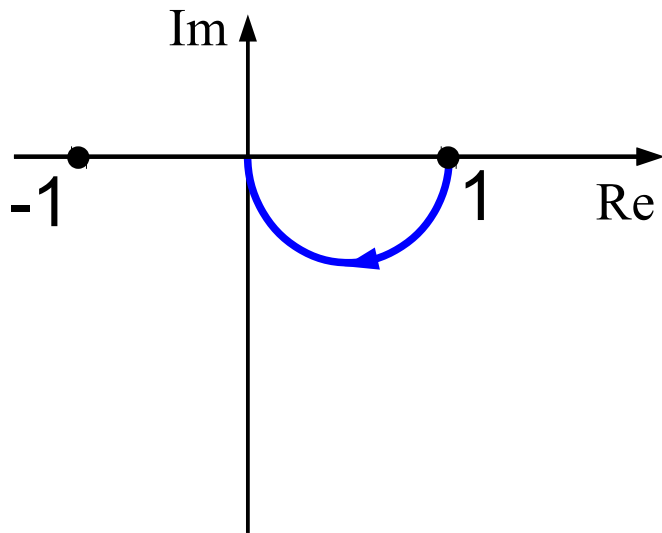
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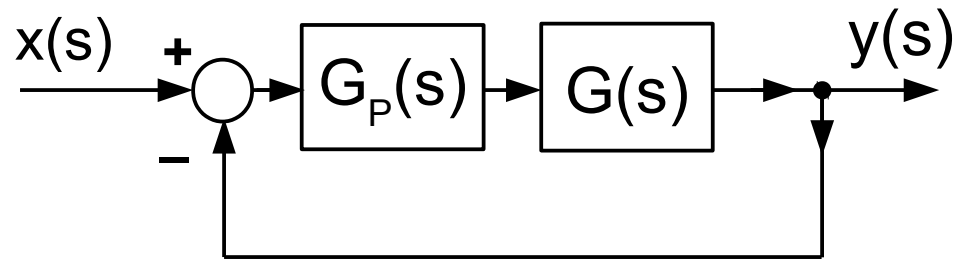
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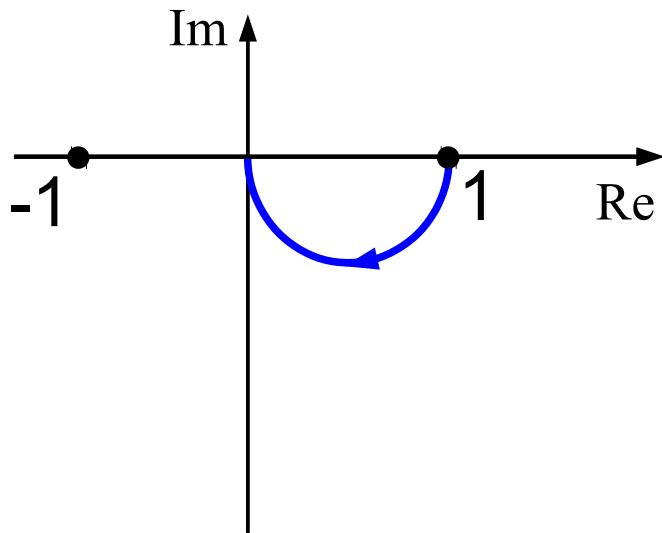
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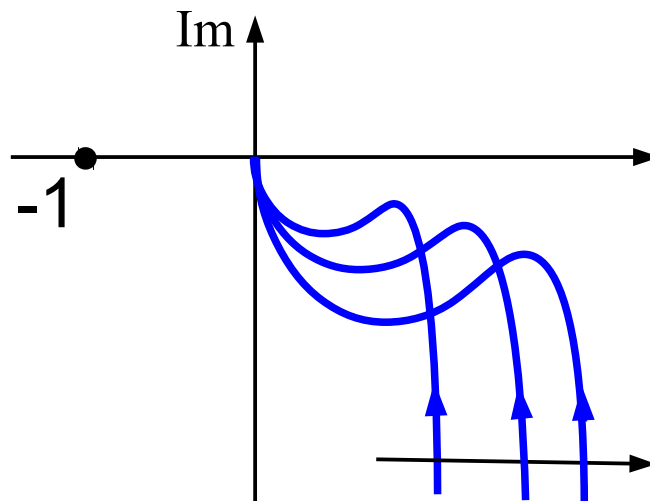
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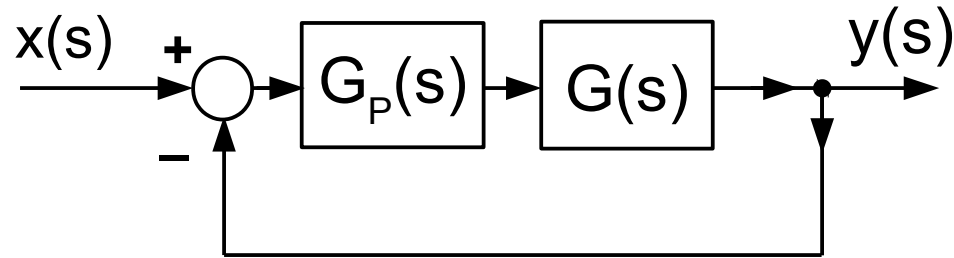


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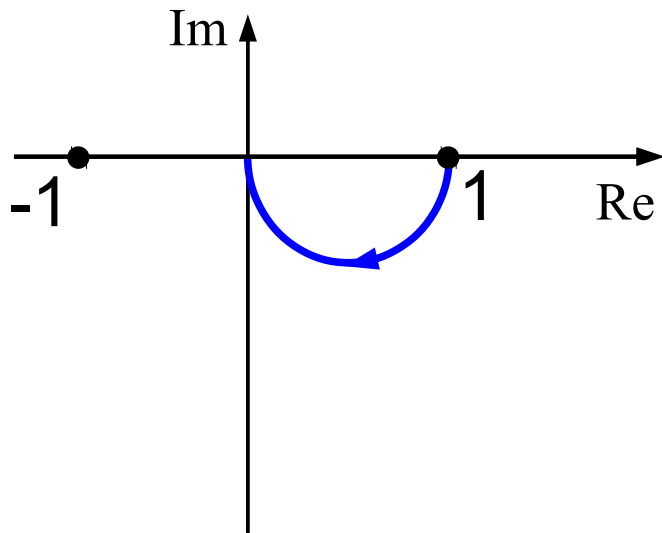
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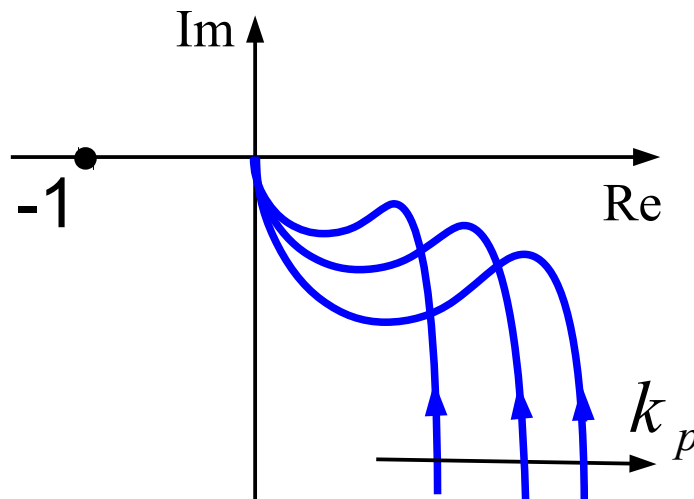
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so G_{closed} is stable

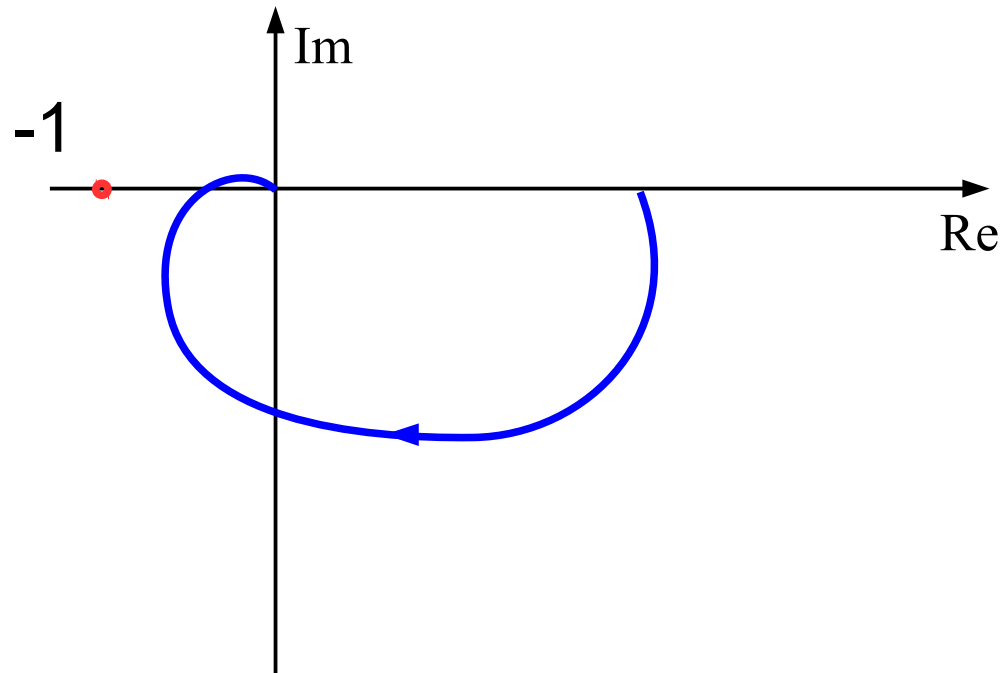
$G_{opened}(\omega=0) \rightarrow \infty$

so steady state error $\rightarrow 0$

Correction of the system

Correction by proportional term

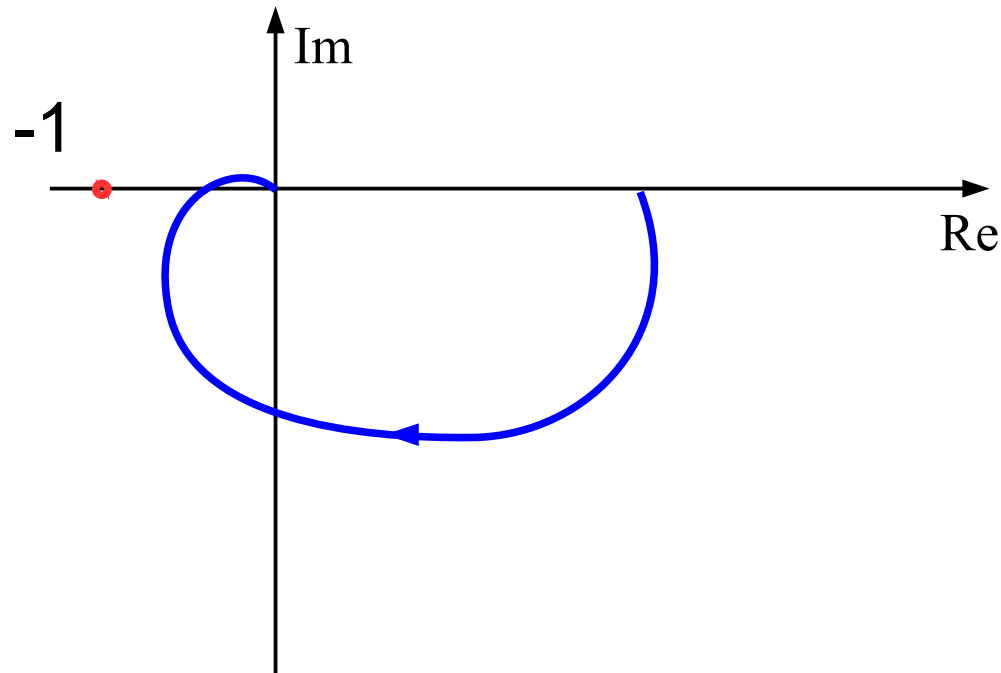
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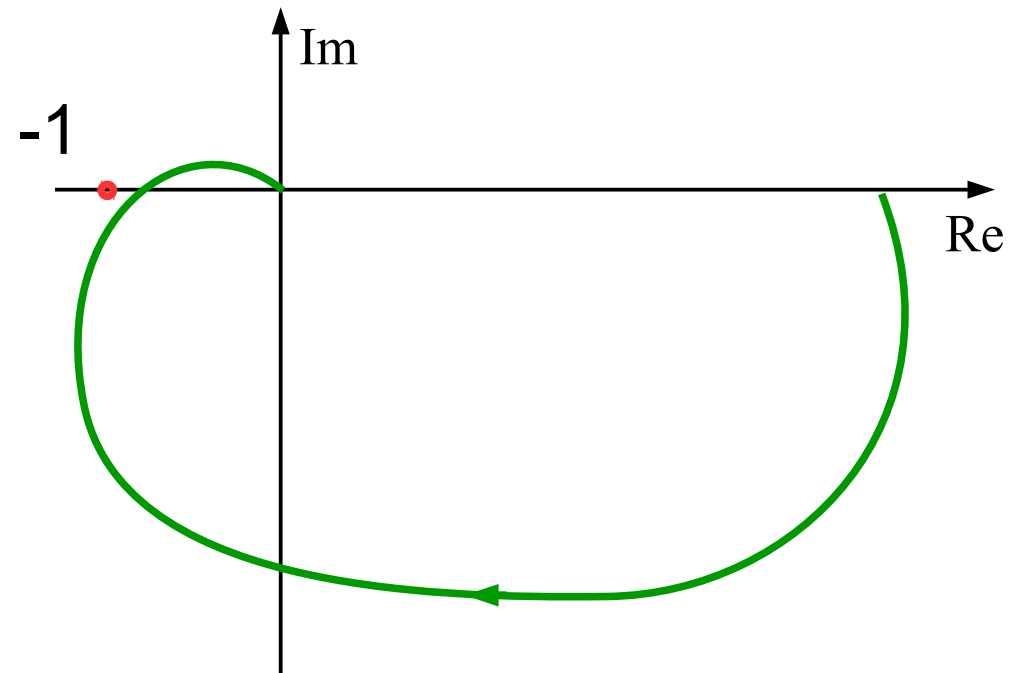
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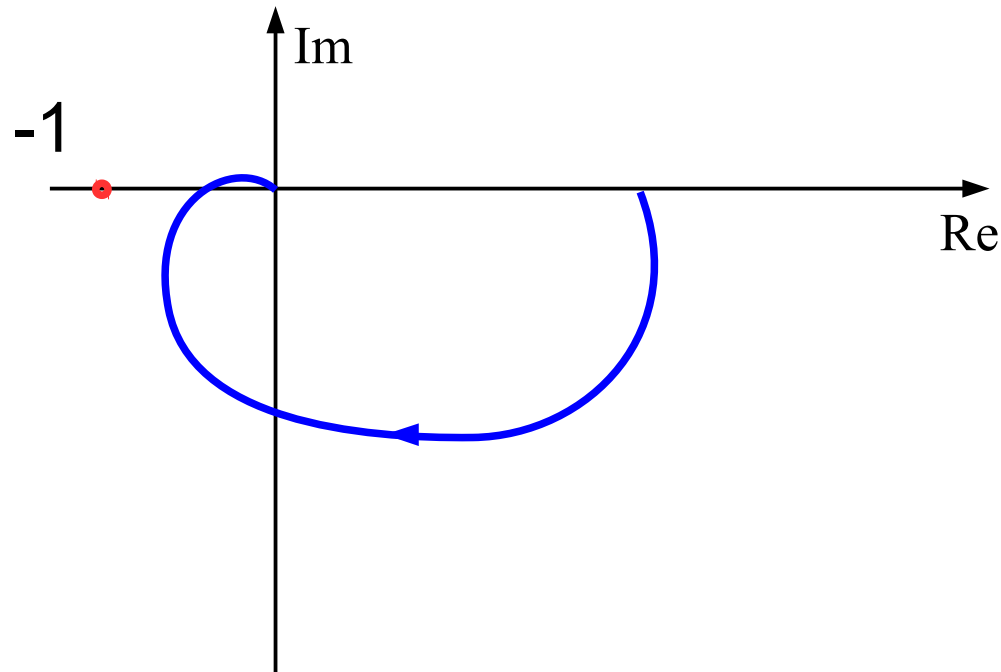
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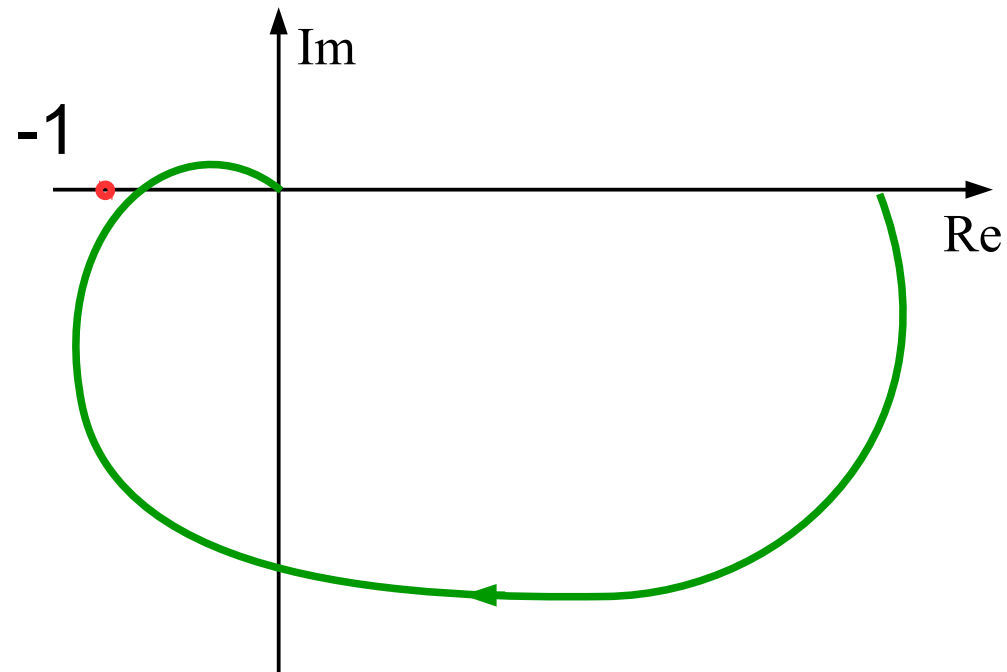
Correction by proportional term

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Higher gain margin,
higher phase margin,
higher steady state error

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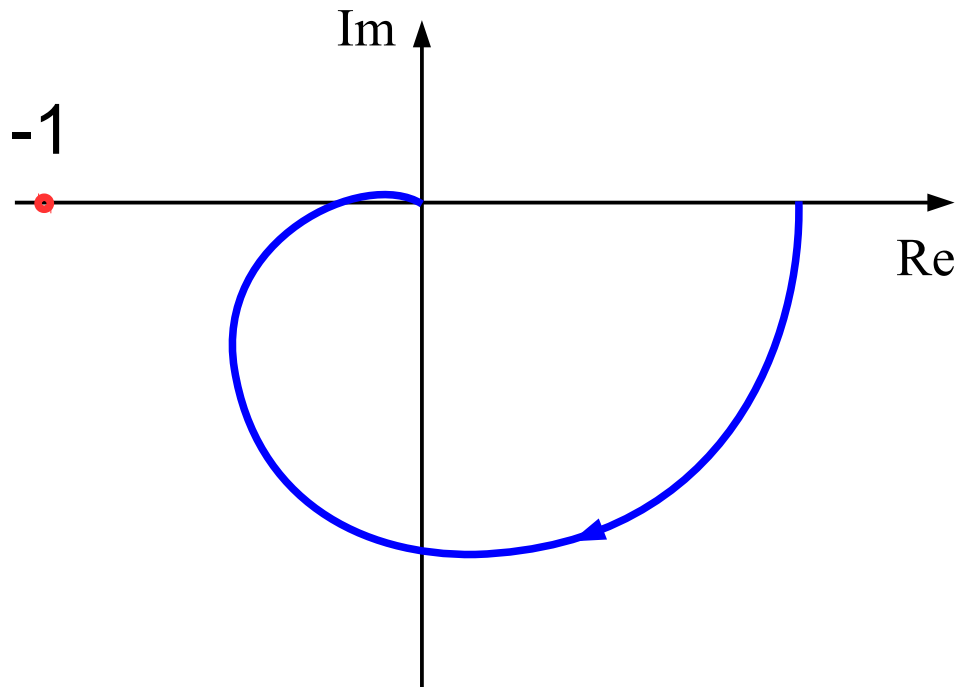


Lower gain margin,
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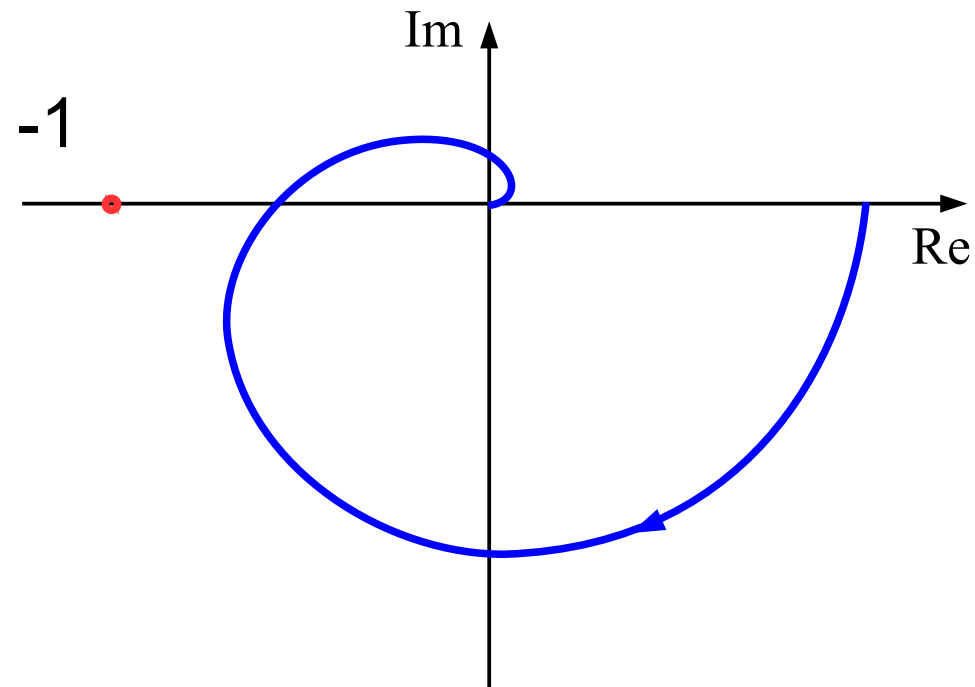
Correction by delay

$$G(s)$$



Higher gain and phase margins

$$G(s) \cdot e^{-\tau s}$$



Lower gain and phase margins

Correction of the system

Derivative

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Proportional-derivative

$$K(s) = k_P \frac{T s + 1}{\alpha T s + 1}, \quad \alpha < 1$$

Integral

$$K(s) = 1 + \frac{k}{1 + T s}$$

Proportional-integral

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Proportional-integral-derivative

$$K(s) = k (T_d s + 1) \left(1 + \frac{1}{T_i s} \right)$$

Materials for exam – lectures from 1 to 13 (>1100 slides...)

**Lecture 14 – material repeat, supplementary info,
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**Lecture 15 – modern control theory overview,
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