



Intro. Computer Control Systems: F3

Time response, feedback and PID-control

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F2: Quiz!

- 1) Systems with **impulse response** $g(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[G(s)]$, where $G(s)$ is rational, are all
- a Products of sinusoidal functions ↑
 - b Linear combinations of exponential functions ↑
 - c Stable ↓



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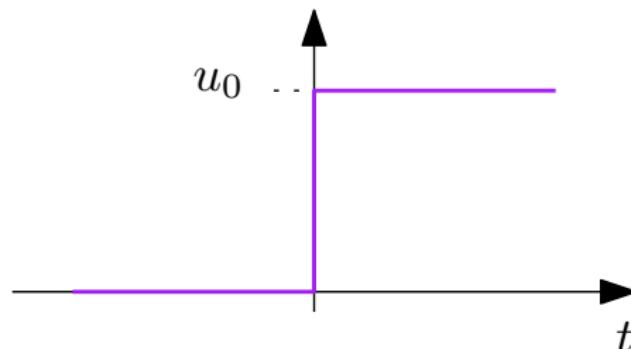
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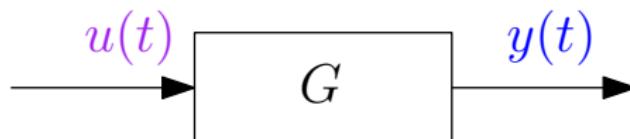
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Study **step response** $y(t)$ of the system

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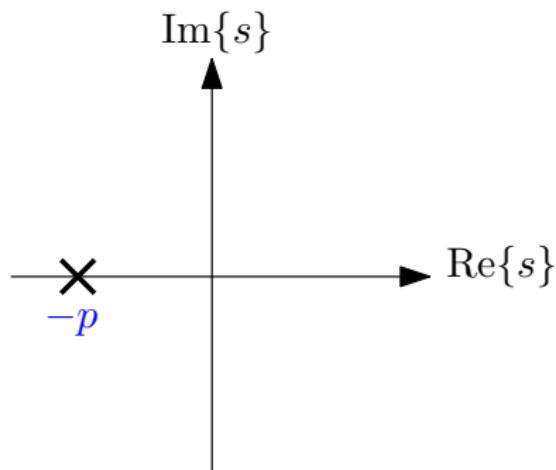
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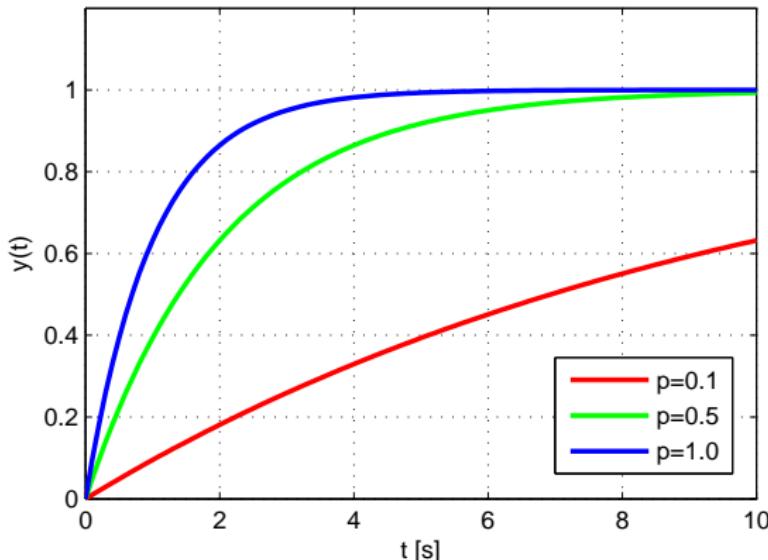
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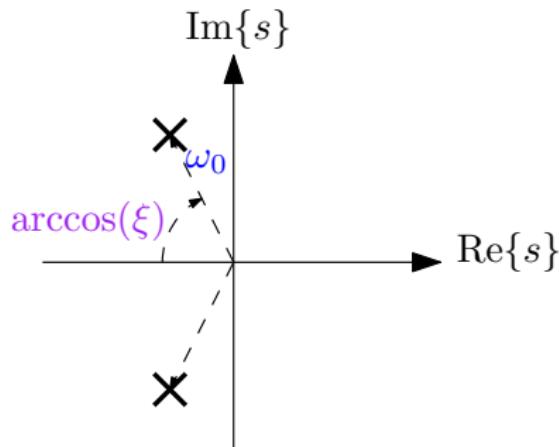
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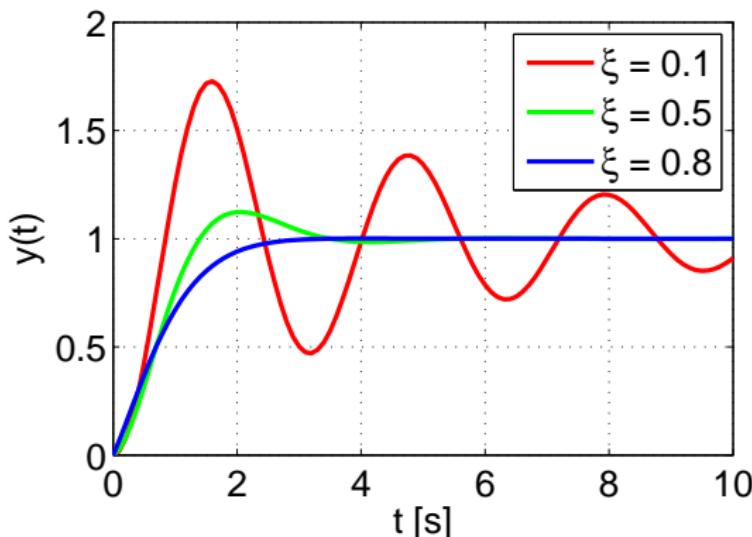
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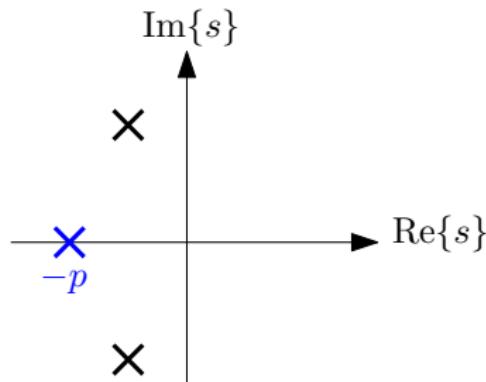
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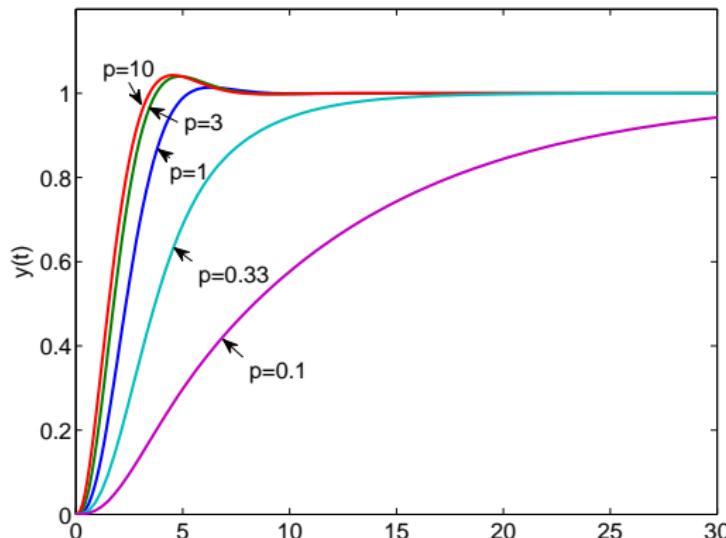
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The system static gain is therefore $\mathbf{G(0)}$

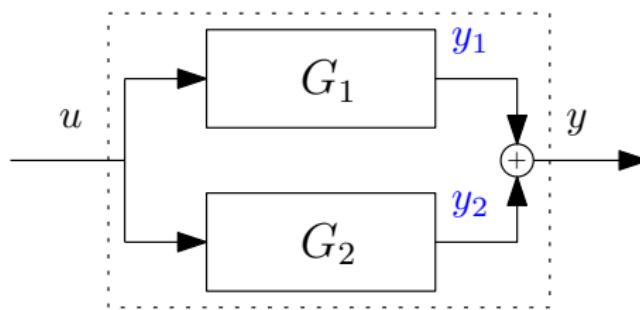


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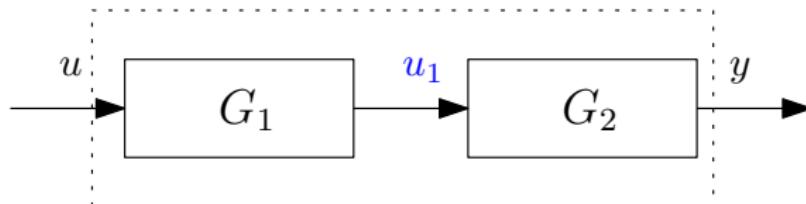
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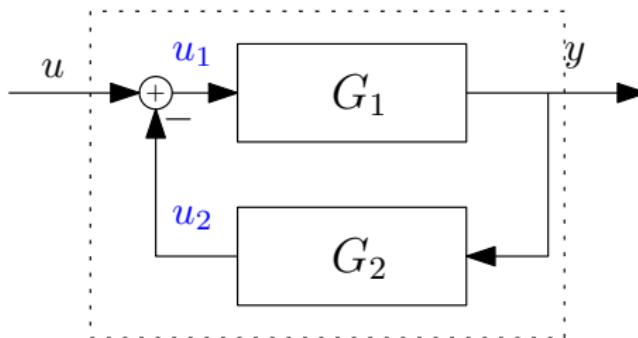
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[Board: derive transfer function $u \rightarrow y$]

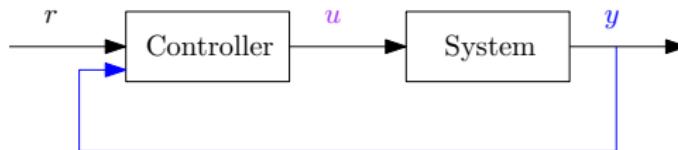


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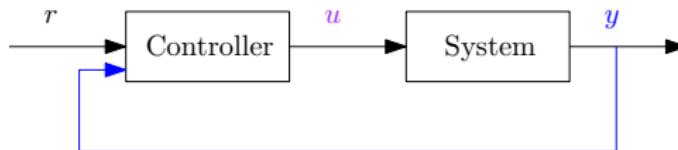
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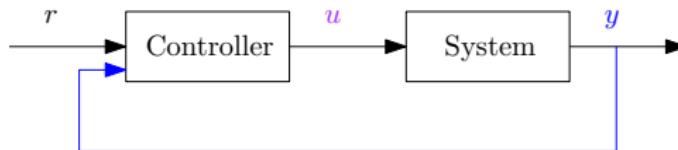
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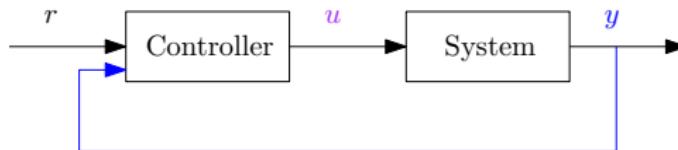
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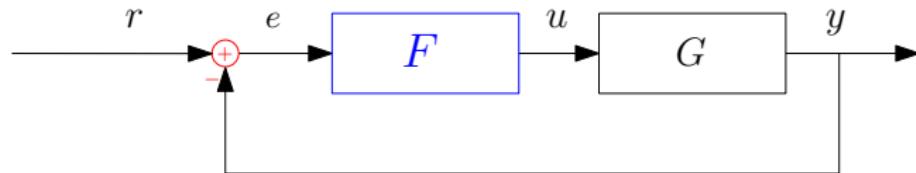
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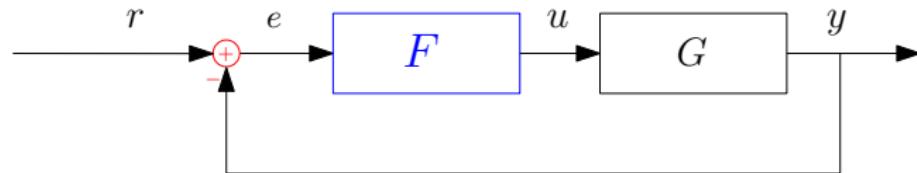
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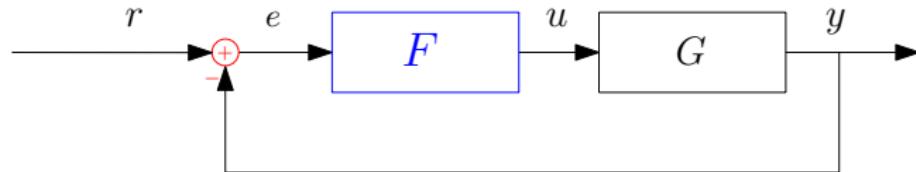


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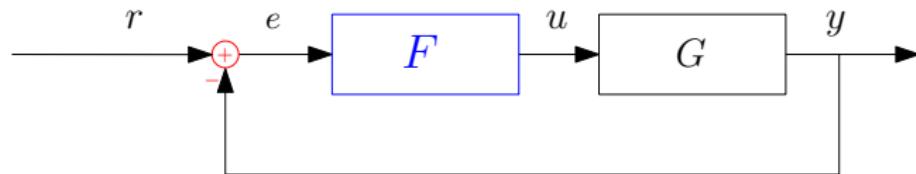
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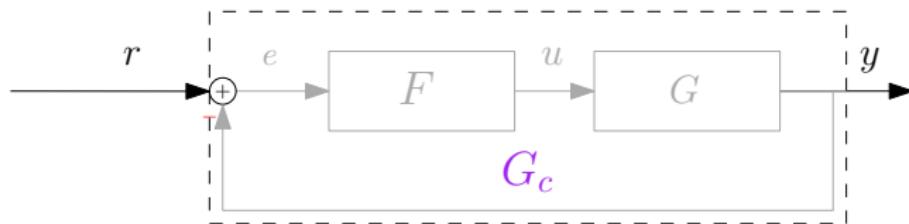
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Analysis of simple feedback control

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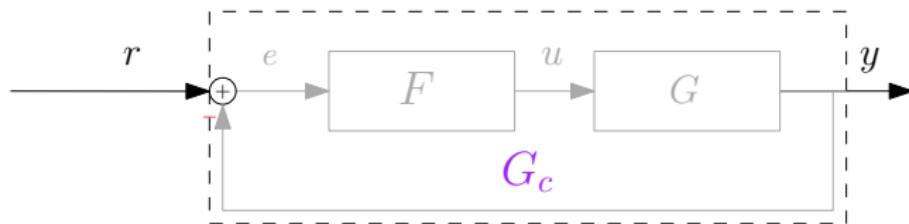
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Note: We can design the poles of G_c !

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Result:

Stationary error e_f approaches 0 if $G(0)\mathcal{F}(0) = \infty$. (E.g. when $\mathcal{F}(s)$ contains $\frac{1}{s}$, i.e. integration.)

Summary and recap

- ▶ Relation between poles and system time-response
- ▶ The transfer function for connected and feedback systems
- ▶ Simple feedback control and ideal PID-controller
- ▶ Control accuracy: stationary error