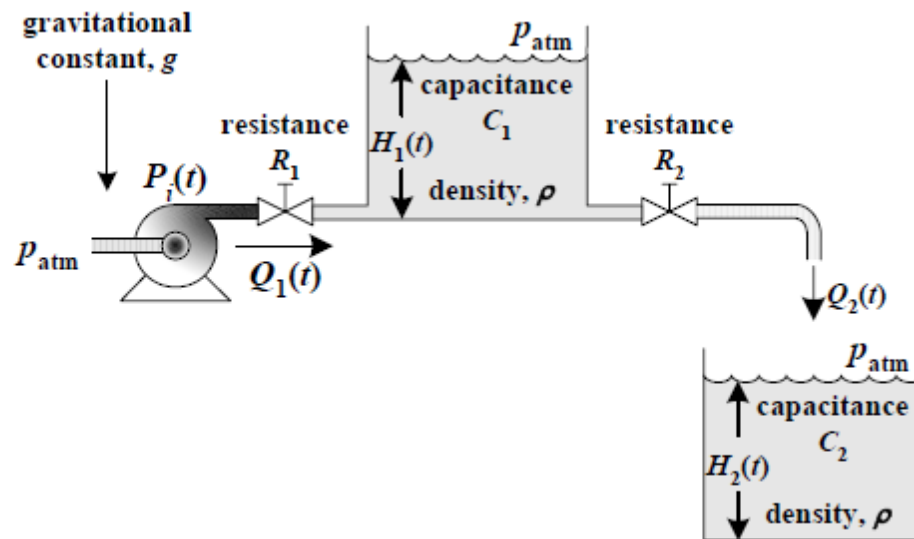


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HOMEWORK #7

LIQUID-LEVEL SYSTEMS

TWO CASCADED LIQUID TANKS-PRESSURE SOURCE

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1.0 Initial steady state:

At initial steady state (@ t = 0), we have

$$\begin{cases} P_i(0) = \bar{P}_i \\ H_1(0) = \bar{H}_1 \\ Q_1(0) = \bar{Q}_1 \\ H_2(0) = \bar{H}_2 \\ Q_2(0) = \bar{Q}_2 \end{cases}$$

PUMP

$$\frac{\bar{P}_i + P_{atm}}{\rho g} - \frac{\rho g \bar{H}_1 + P_{atm}}{\rho g} = R_1 \bar{Q}_1$$

$$\frac{\bar{P}_i + P_{atm} - \rho g \bar{H}_1 - P_{atm}}{\rho g} = R_1 \bar{Q}_1$$

$$\frac{\bar{P}_i}{\rho g} - \bar{H}_1 = R_1 \bar{Q}_1 \text{ --- (1)}$$

OULET

$$\frac{\rho g \bar{H}_1 + P_{atm}}{\rho g} - \frac{P_{atm}}{\rho g} = R_2 \bar{Q}_2$$

$$\frac{\rho g \bar{H}_1 + P_{atm} - P_{atm}}{\rho g} = R_2 \bar{Q}_2$$

$$\bar{H}_1 = R_2 \bar{Q}_2 \text{ --- (2)}$$

Tank2

$\bar{H}_2 =$ is independent of the fluid flow system as it is not link a resistance.

At any given instance the liquid height level will increase as the tank has only inlet no outlet and hence the value has no steady state or static equilibrium.

2.0 Transfer functions and governing equations:

The equation of the system as $t > 0$.

PUMP

$$\frac{\bar{P}_l + p_i(t) + P_{atm}}{\rho g} - \frac{\rho g(\bar{H}_1 + h_1(t)) + P_{atm}}{\rho g} = R_1(\bar{Q}_1 + q_1(t))$$

$$\frac{\bar{P}_l + p_i(t) + P_{atm} - \rho g(\bar{H}_1 + h_1(t)) - P_{atm}}{\rho g} = R_1(\bar{Q}_1 + q_1(t))$$

$$\frac{\bar{P}_l + p_i(t)}{\rho g} - \bar{H}_1 - h_1(t) = R_1\bar{Q}_1 + R_1q_1(t)$$

$$\left(\frac{\bar{P}_l}{\rho g} - \bar{H}_1\right) + \left(\frac{p_i(t)}{\rho g} - h_1(t)\right) = R_1\bar{Q}_1 + R_1q_1(t) \quad \text{--- from (eqn 1)}$$

$$\left(\frac{p_i(t)}{\rho g} - h_1(t)\right) = R_1q_1(t)$$

$$q_1(t) = \frac{1}{R_1} \left(\frac{p_i(t)}{\rho g} - h_1(t)\right) \rightarrow \text{by Laplace transformation}$$

$$Q_1(s) = \frac{1}{R_1} \left(\frac{P_i(s)}{\rho g} - H_1(s)\right) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

OULET

$$\frac{\rho g(\bar{H}_1 + h_1(t)) + P_{atm}}{\rho g} - \frac{P_{atm}}{\rho g} = R_2(\bar{Q}_2 + q_2(t))$$

$$\frac{\rho g(\bar{H}_1 + h_1(t)) + P_{atm} - P_{atm}}{\rho g} = R_2(\bar{Q}_2 + q_2(t))$$

$$\bar{H}_1 + h_1(t) = R_2\bar{Q}_2 + R_2q_2(t) \quad \text{--- from eqn 2}$$

$$q_2(t) = \frac{h_1(t)}{R_2} \rightarrow \text{by Laplace transformation}$$

$$Q_2(s) = \frac{H_1(s)}{R_2} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Tank 1

Compliance is given by

$$C_1 = \frac{dV}{dH_1} \rightarrow dV = C_1 dH_1$$

Conservation of mass,

$$\rho C_1 dH_1 = \rho [Q_1(t) - Q_2(t)] dt$$

$$C_1 d(\overline{H_1} + h_1(t)) = [\overline{Q_1(t)} + q_1(t) - \overline{Q_2(t)} - q_2(t)] dt$$

$$\cancel{C_1 d\overline{H_1}} + C_1 dh_1(t) = (\cancel{\overline{Q_1(t)}} + q_1(t) - \cancel{\overline{Q_2(t)}} - q_2(t)) dt$$

$$\frac{C_1 dh_1(t)}{dt} = \frac{1}{R_1} \left(\frac{p_i(t)}{\rho g} - h_1(t) \right) - \frac{h_1(t)}{R_2}$$

$$C_1 \frac{dh_1(t)}{dt} + h_1(t) \left(\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right) = \frac{1}{R_1} \frac{p_i(t)}{\rho g}$$

$$\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 \frac{dh_1(t)}{dt} + h_1(t) = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \frac{1}{R_1} \frac{p_i(t)}{\rho g} \rightarrow \text{by Laplace transformation}$$

$$\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 s H_1(s) + H_1(s) = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \frac{P_i(s)}{\rho g}$$

$$i) \frac{H_1(s)}{P_i(s)} = \frac{\frac{R_2}{\rho g (R_1 + R_2)}}{\left(\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 s + 1 \right)} \text{----- (5)}$$

And

$$\frac{Q_1(s)}{P_i(s)} = \frac{1}{R_1} \left(\frac{1}{\rho g} - \frac{\frac{R_2}{\rho g (R_1 + R_2)}}{\left(\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 s + 1 \right)} \right) \text{-----from (3) and (5)}$$

$$\frac{Q_1(s)}{P_i(s)} = \left(\frac{1}{\rho g R_1} - \frac{1}{R_1} \frac{\frac{R_2}{\rho g (R_1 + R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1 s + R_1 + R_2}{R_1 + R_2}} \right)$$

$$\frac{Q_1(s)}{P_i(s)} = \left(\frac{1}{\rho g R_1} - \frac{1}{\rho g R_1} \frac{R_2}{(R_1 R_2 C_1 s + R_1 + R_2)} \right)$$

$$ii) \frac{Q_1(s)}{P_i(s)} = \left(\frac{\frac{R_2 C_1 s}{\rho g} + \frac{R_1}{\rho g}}{(R_1 R_2 C_1 s + R_1 + R_2)} \right) \rightarrow \left(\frac{\frac{R_2 C_1 s}{\rho g (R_1 + R_2)} + \frac{1}{\rho g (R_1 + R_2)}}{\left(\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1 s}{R_1 + R_2} + 1 \right)} \right) \text{----- (6)}$$

Tank 2

Compliance is given by

$$C_2 = \frac{dV}{dH_2} \rightarrow dV = C_2 dH_2$$

Conservation of mass,

$$C_2 dh_2 = [q_2(t)] dt$$

$$C_2 dh_2 = \left[\frac{h_1(t)}{R_2} \right] dt$$

$$C_2 \frac{dh_2}{dt} = \frac{1}{R_2} h_1(t)$$

By Laplace transformation

$$C_2 s H_2(s) = \frac{1}{R_2} H_1(s) \text{ --- from (5)}$$

$$\text{iii) } \frac{H_2(s)}{P_i(s)} = \frac{1}{R_2 C_2 s} \left(\frac{\frac{R_2}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}}{\left(\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 s + 1 \right)} \right) \rightarrow \left(\frac{\frac{R_2}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}}{\left(\frac{R_1 R_2^2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 C_2 s^2 + R_2 C_2 s \right)} \right) \text{ --- (7)}$$

Again from equations (4) and (5)

$$\text{iv) } \frac{Q_2(s)}{P_i(s)} = \frac{1}{R_2} \frac{\frac{R_2}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}}{\left(\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 s + 1 \right)} \rightarrow \frac{\frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}}{\left(\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 s + 1 \right)} \text{ --- (8)}$$

Case	Differential Equations	Order
$\frac{H_1(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 \frac{d}{dt} h_1(t) + h_1(t) = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \frac{1}{\rho g} p_i(t)$	First
$\frac{Q_1(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1}{R_1 + R_2} \frac{d}{dt} q_1(t) + q_1(t) = \frac{R_2 C_1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)} \frac{d}{dt} p_i(t) + \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)} p_i(t)$	First
$\frac{H_2(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 C_2 \frac{d^2}{dt^2} h_2(t) + C_2 \frac{d}{dt} h_2(t) = \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)} p_i(t)$	Second
$\frac{Q_2(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 \frac{d}{dt} q_2(t) + q_2(t) = \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)} p_i(t)$	First

3.0 System parameters:

Case	Time constant (τ)	Static Sensitivity (K)	Damping constant (ζ)	Natural frequency (ω_n)	Damped frequency (ω_d)
$\frac{H_1(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1}{R_1 + R_2}$	$K_0 = \frac{R_2}{R_1 + R_2} \frac{1}{\rho g}$	NA	NA	NA
$\frac{Q_1(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1}{R_1 + R_2}$	$K_0 = \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}$ $K_1 = \frac{R_2 C_1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}$	NA	NA	NA
$\frac{H_2(s)}{P_i(s)}$	-	$K_0 = \infty$	0	0	0
$\frac{Q_2(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1}{R_1 + R_2}$	$K_0 = \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}$	NA	NA	NA

For second order system:

2nd-order system dynamic equation:
$$a_0 \frac{d^2 c(t)}{dt^2} + a_1 \frac{dc(t)}{dt} + a_2 c(t) = b_0 \frac{dr(t)}{dt} + b_1 r(t)$$

or
$$\frac{d^2 c(t)}{dt^2} + 2\zeta \omega_n \frac{dc(t)}{dt} + \omega_n^2 c(t) = \omega_n^2 K_1 \frac{dr(t)}{dt} + \omega_n^2 K r(t)$$

where $r(t)$ = reference input (or excitation or set point or desired value)
 $c(t)$ = controlled output (or response)
 a_0, a_1, a_2, b_0, b_1 = system parameters

$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{a_2}{a_0}}$ = (undamped) natural frequency

$\zeta = \frac{a_1}{2\sqrt{a_0 a_2}}$ = damping ratio

also $\omega_d = \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$ = damped natural frequency

$K = \frac{b_1}{a_2}$ = static sensitivity (or gain)

$K_1 = \frac{b_0}{a_2}$

However, in the physical world, coming up with the natural frequency equaling zero. And when this is the case, we know that $T = 2\pi/\omega$, which says that $T = \infty$, so it never makes a complete period of getting back to where it started. So when we see a negative number for the natural frequency, assume that in the perfect world with no air drag and friction, the period is just infinity as when ω is zero and infinite gain.

Case	Transfer Function	Zeros	Poles
$\frac{H_1(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{\frac{R_2}{\rho g(R_1+R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1 s}{R_1+R_2} + 1}$		$-\frac{R_1 + R_2}{C_1 R_1 R_2}$
$\frac{Q_1(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{\frac{R_2 C_1 s}{\rho g(R_1+R_2)} + \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1+R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1 s}{R_1+R_2} + 1}$	$-\frac{1}{C_1 R_2}$	$-\frac{R_1 + R_2}{C_1 R_1 R_2}$
$\frac{H_2(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{\frac{1}{\rho g(R_1+R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1+R_2} C_1 C_2 s^2 + C_2 s}$		$-\frac{R_1 + R_2}{C_1 R_1 R_2}$
$\frac{Q_2(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{\frac{1}{\rho g(R_1+R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1 s}{R_1+R_2} + 1}$		$-\frac{R_1 + R_2}{C_1 R_1 R_2}$

4.0 Steady state response:

Steady-state step responses. If the change in pressure source $p_i(t)$ is a step function:

$$p_i(t) = \bar{p}_i \cdot 1(t) = \begin{cases} \bar{p}_i & \text{for } t > 0 \\ 0 & \text{for } t < 0 \end{cases}$$

Using the final value theorem,

$$\text{For, } f_{0ss} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} f_0(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF_0(s)$$

Case	Transfer Function	Steady state	1% of steady state
$\frac{H_1(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{\frac{R_2}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1 s}{R_1 + R_2} + 1}$	$H_{1ss} = \frac{R_2}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)} \bar{p}_i$	$5 \frac{R_1 R_2 C_1}{R_1 + R_2}$
$\frac{Q_1(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{\frac{R_2 C_1 s}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)} + \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1 s}{R_1 + R_2} + 1}$	$Q_{1ss} = \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)} \bar{p}_i$	$5 \frac{R_1 R_2 C_1}{R_1 + R_2}$
$\frac{H_2(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{\frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2} C_1 C_2 s^2 + C_2 s}$	$H_{2ss} = \text{infinity}$	Never reach a static equilibrium, no steady state always increase.
$\frac{Q_2(s)}{P_i(s)}$	$\frac{\frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)}}{\frac{R_1 R_2 C_1 s}{R_1 + R_2} + 1}$	$Q_{2ss} = \frac{1}{\rho g(R_1 + R_2)} \bar{p}_i$	$5 \frac{R_1 R_2 C_1}{R_1 + R_2}$