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* Critical damping: T_{d0}

Solution is of the form $(C_1 + C_2 t)e^{\sigma t}$

$$T_d > T_{d0} \Rightarrow \sigma + e^{\sigma' \tau} > 0 \quad \forall \sigma \text{ (real)}$$

$$s = \sigma + j\omega$$

$$s' = \frac{(\sigma + j\omega)}{(\omega_n/k)} \quad (\text{normalised } s)$$

$$= \sigma' + j\omega'$$

$$s' + e^{-s'\tau} = 0$$

$$(\sigma' + j\omega') + e^{-(\sigma' + j\omega')\tau} = 0$$

$$\sigma' + j\omega' + e^{-\sigma'\tau} e^{-j\omega'\tau} = 0$$

$$\sigma' + j\omega' + e^{-\sigma'\tau} (\cos \omega'\tau - j \sin \omega'\tau) = 0$$

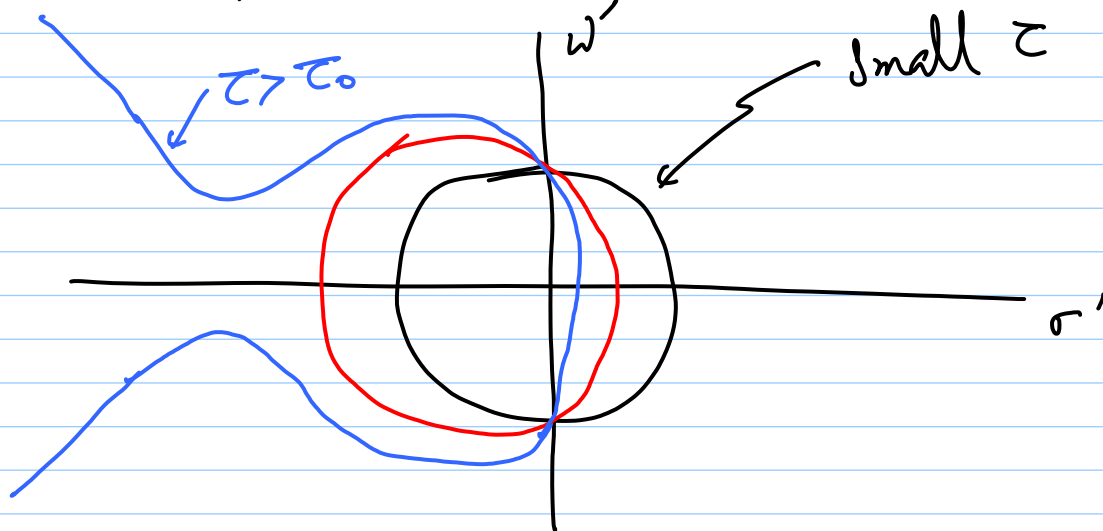
$$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{aligned} \sigma' &= -e^{-\sigma'\tau} \cos \omega'\tau \\ \omega' &= e^{-\sigma'\tau} \sin \omega'\tau \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{can be} \\ \text{solved} \\ \text{numerically,} \\ \text{graphically etc.} \end{array}$$

for $\tau = 0$,

$$\sigma' = -1, \quad \omega' = 0 \quad (\text{sanity check})$$

square & add

$$\sigma'^2 + \omega'^2 = e^{-2\sigma'\tau}$$



divide the two eqns:

$$\frac{\sigma'}{\omega'} = -\cot(\omega'\tau)$$

$$\sigma' = -\omega' \frac{\cos(\omega'\tau)}{\sin(\omega'\tau)}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\tau} \frac{\cos(\omega'\tau)}{\text{sinc}(\omega'\tau/\pi)} \quad \leftarrow \text{can be plotted}$$

* for small τ , σ 's are in LHP
 $\Rightarrow$ dying exp.s

* for certain τ (say τ_a)

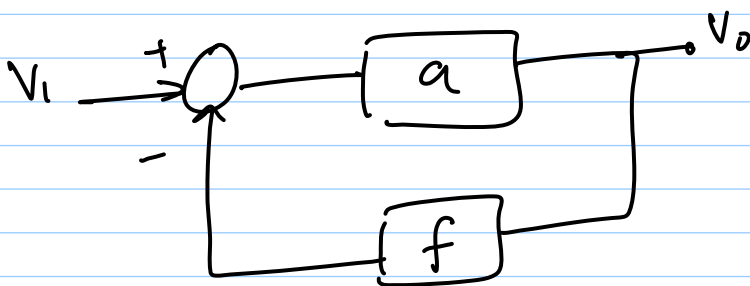
$\sigma' = 0$, roots lie on $j\omega$ axis
 $\Rightarrow$ Sinusoid of constant amplitude

* for $\tau > \tau_a$,

solutions blow up (unstable)

* There may be several solutions
(not just 2)
 $\Rightarrow$ dominant time constants matter

Loop gain (break loop & find gain around loop)
 $\rightarrow$ quantifies strength of f.b.

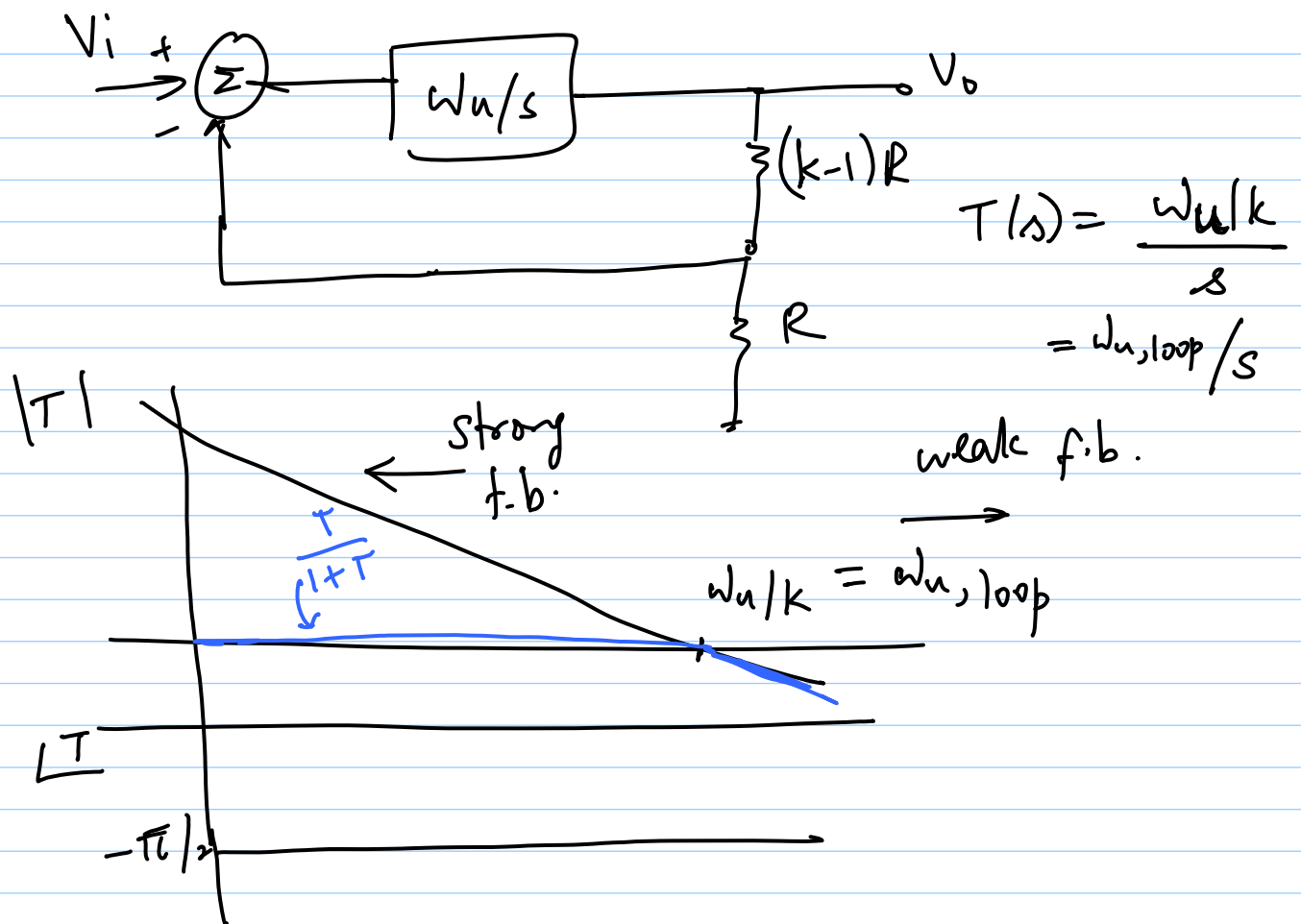


$$\frac{V_o}{V_i} = \frac{a}{1 + af}$$
$$= \frac{1}{f} \cdot \frac{af}{1 + af}$$

$$|T| \gg 1 \Rightarrow \frac{V_o}{V_i} = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$= \frac{1}{f} \cdot \frac{T}{1 + T}$$

$$|T| \ll 1 \Rightarrow \frac{V_o}{V_i} = a \text{ (i.e. no f.b.)}$$



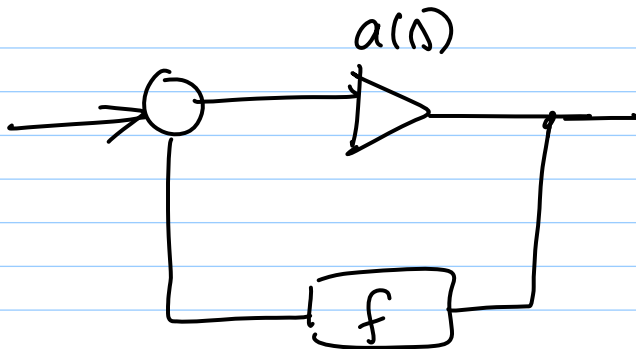
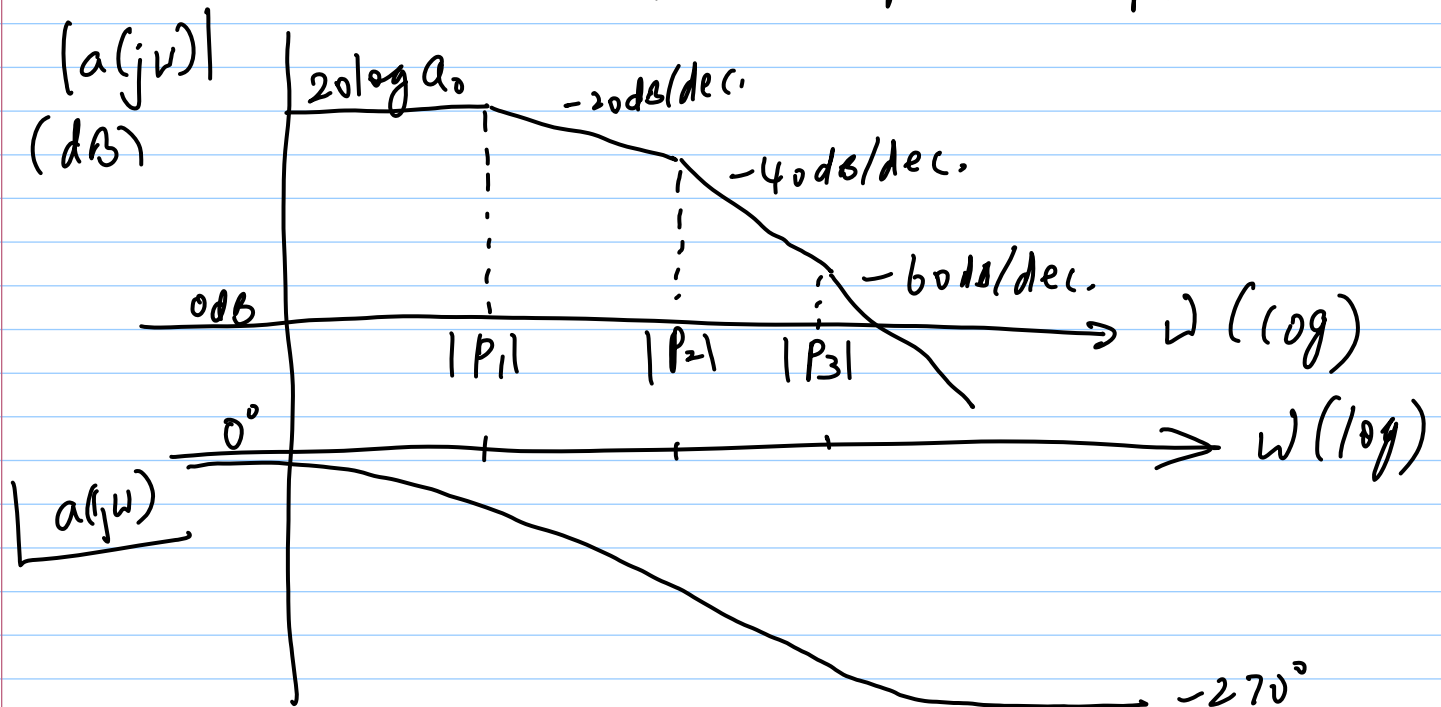
What kind of delays are possible?

- * multiple poles & zeroes due to parasitic caps. in forward amp or f.b network

- * we want poles to be in LHP (stability)
→ too complicated

Use Nyquist criterion

$$\text{let } a(s) = \frac{a_0}{\left(1 - \frac{s}{p_1}\right) \left(1 - \frac{s}{p_2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{s}{p_3}\right)}$$



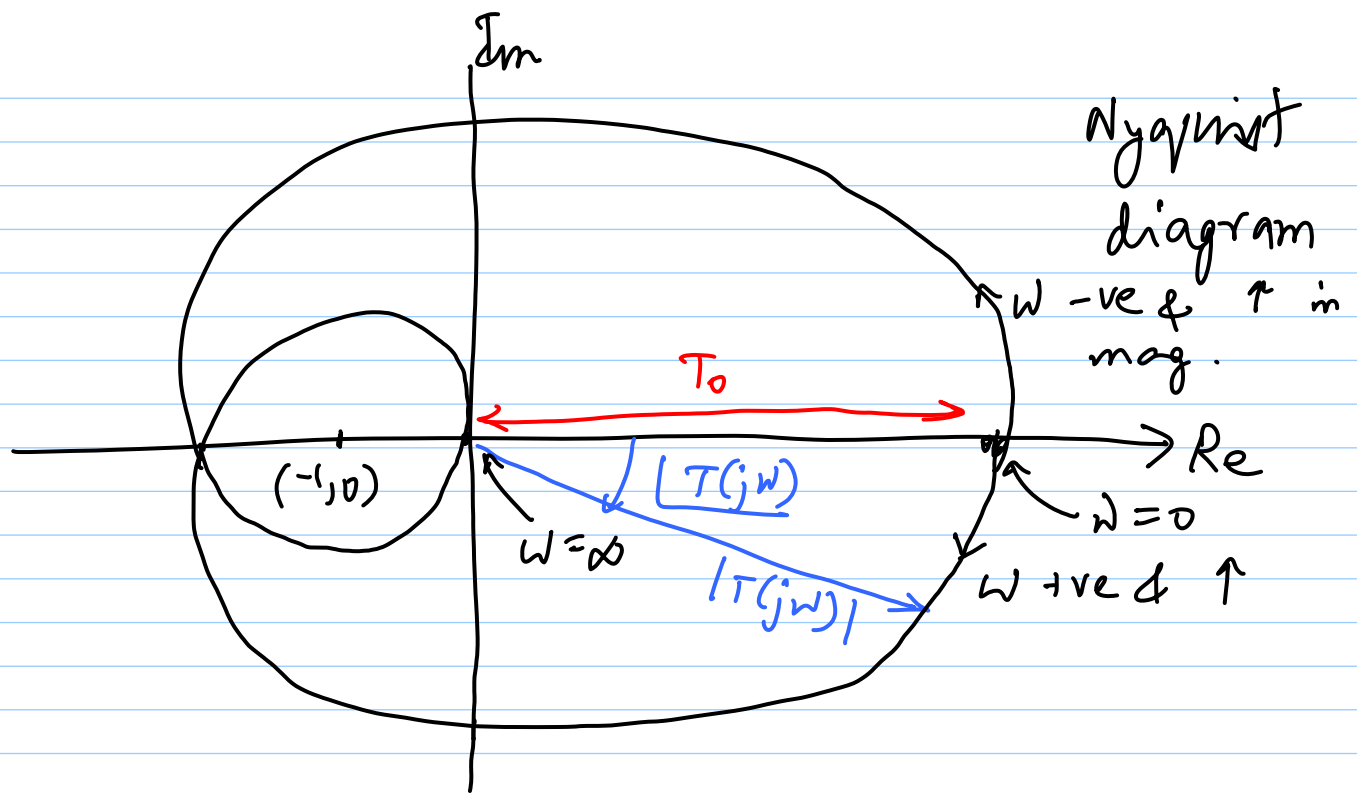
$$f = \text{constant}$$

$$T(j\omega) = f \cdot a(j\omega) ; A(j\omega) = \frac{a(j\omega)}{1 + T(j\omega)}$$

* draw $T(j\omega)$ in a polar plot

with ω as a variable

$\rightarrow \omega$ goes from $-\infty$ to ∞



$\omega = 0 \Rightarrow T(j\omega) = T_0, \angle T = 0$
 as $\omega \uparrow \Rightarrow T(j\omega) \downarrow, \angle T < 0 \Rightarrow 4^{th} \text{ quadrant}$

(a) $\omega = \omega_{180} \Rightarrow T(j\omega) = -T_{180}$

$\omega \rightarrow \infty, \angle T \rightarrow -270^\circ, |T| \rightarrow 0$

$\Rightarrow$ asymptotic to origin,
 tangential to Im axis

* If $|a(j\omega_{180}) \cdot f| > 1$ @ ω_{180} , diagram
 will encircle $(-1, 0)$

If Nyquist diagram encircles $(-1, 0)$,
 amplifier is unstable

* This tests for poles of $A(s)$ in RHP

→ If $(-1, 0)$ is encircled, amplifier will be unstable

* # of encirclements of $(-1, 0)$
= # of RHP poles

→ in this example, 2 RHP poles

* Nyquist plot is powerful — non rational functions (e.g. delays) can be accommodated

* Significance of $(-1, 0)$

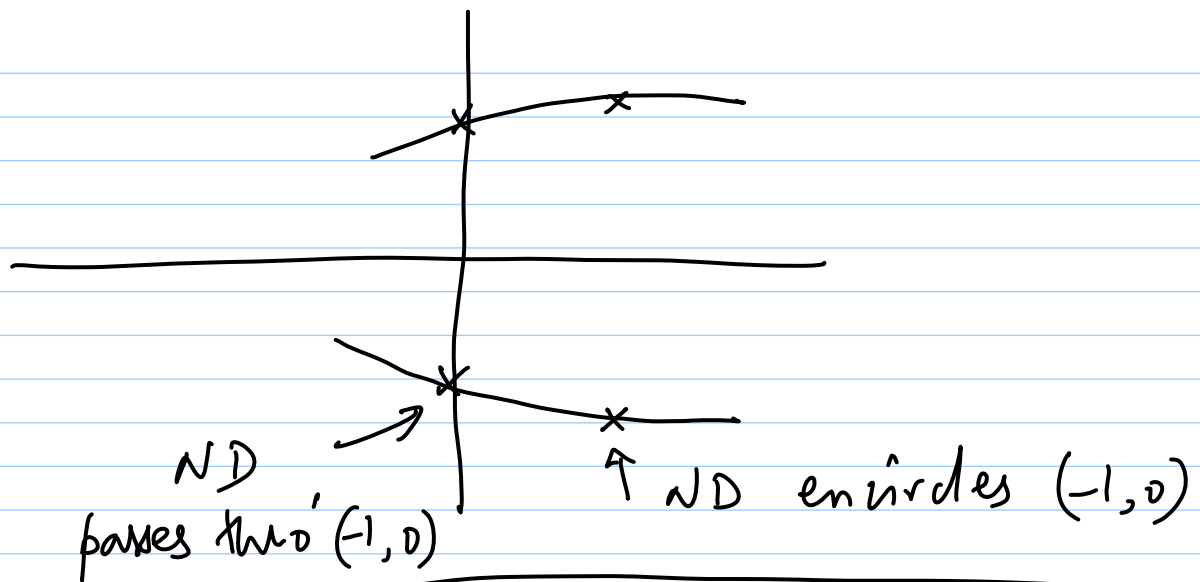
→ Say nyquist diagram passes thro'

$(-1, 0)$

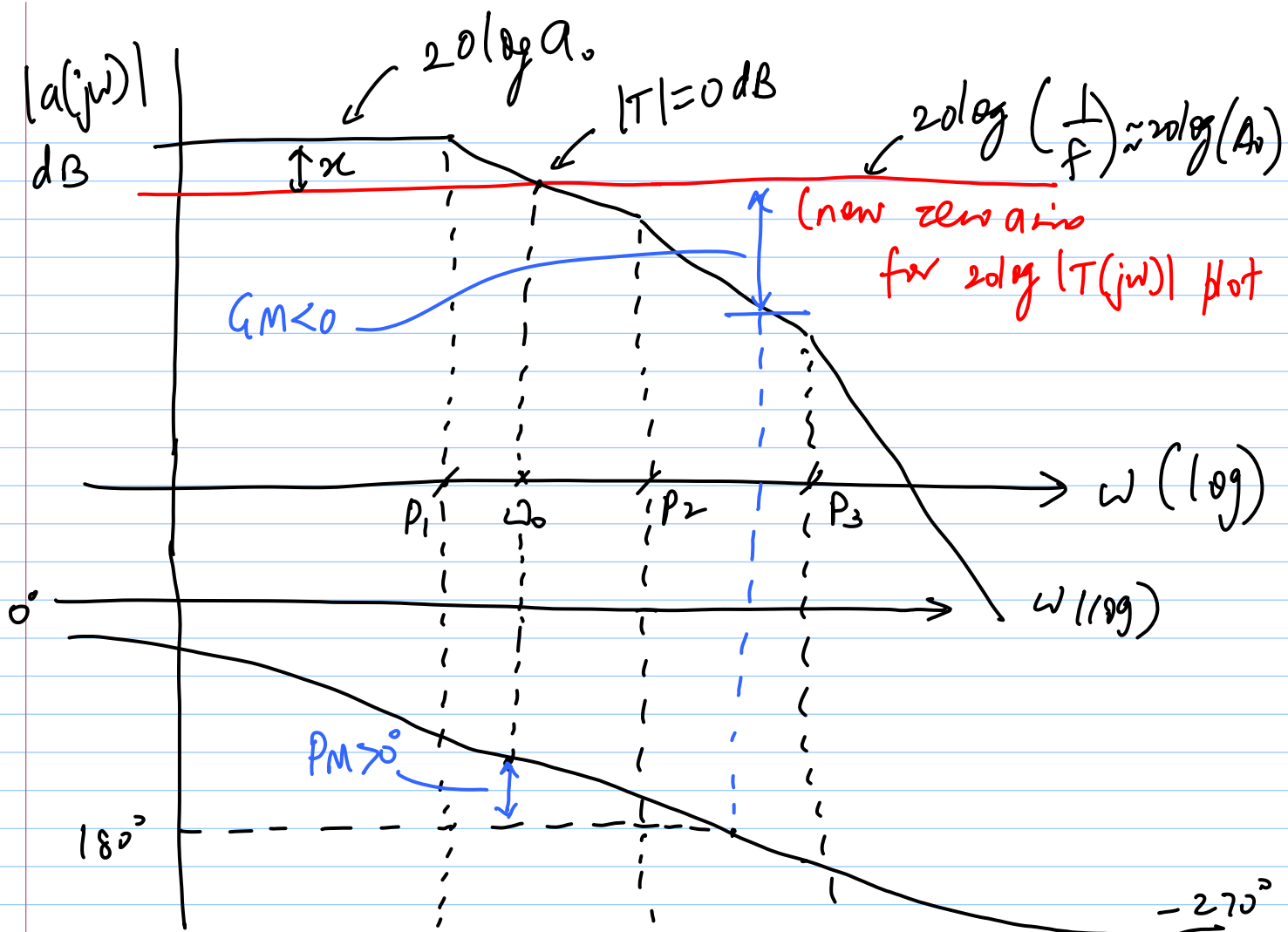
⇒ @ ω_{180} , $T(j\omega) = a(j\omega) \cdot f = -1$

⇒ $A(j\omega) = \infty$ (unstable)
(poles on $j\omega$ axis)

→ If $T_0 \uparrow$, nyquist diagram expands linearly to encircle $(-1, 0)$ ⇒ poles in RHP



$\Rightarrow \int_f |T(j\omega)| > 1$ @ $\angle T = -180^\circ$, then amplifier is unstable



$$A_0 \approx \frac{1}{f} \quad \text{if } T_0 = a_0 f \gg 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 20 \log |a(j\omega)| - 20 \log (1/f) \\ &= 20 \log |T(j\omega)| \quad (\text{LG in dB}) \end{aligned}$$

When $|T(j\omega)| = 1$, $\angle T(j\omega) < 180^\circ$

$\Rightarrow$ this f.b. loop is stable

Phase Margin $= 180^\circ + \angle T(j\omega)$ at ω where

$$|T(j\omega)| = 1$$

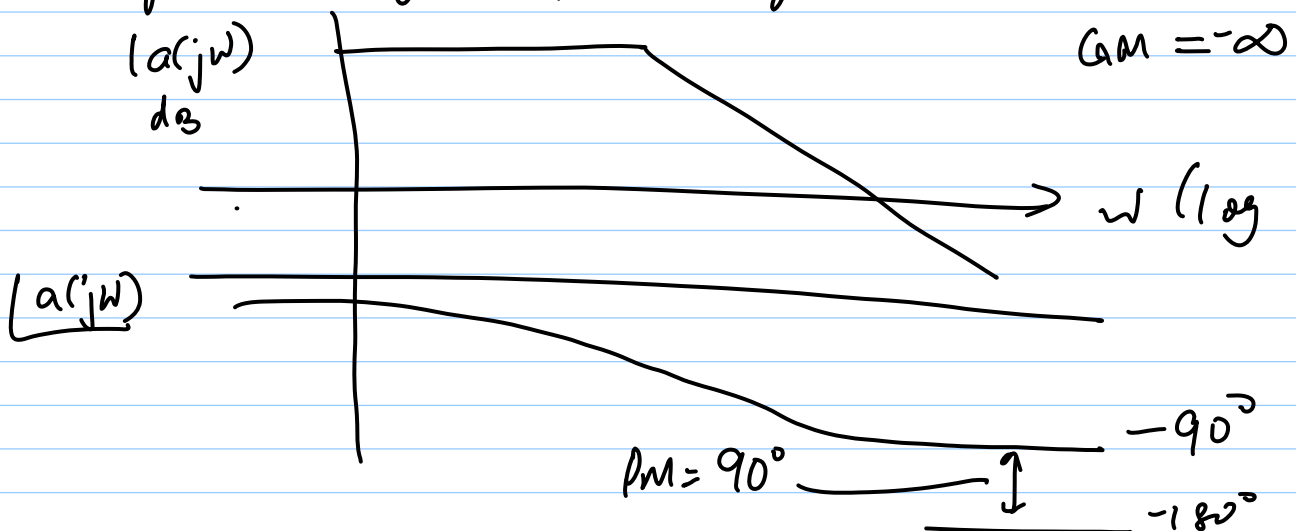
PM $> 0^\circ$ for stability

Gain Margin $= |T(j\omega)|$ in dB at ω

where $\angle T(j\omega) = 180^\circ$

GM < 0 dB for stability

e.g. single pole system



typical $PM \sim 60^\circ$ (lower limit of 45°)

e.g. $\angle T(j\omega_0) = -135^\circ$ @ $\omega_0 \Rightarrow 45^\circ PM$

$$|T(j\omega_0)| = 1 \Rightarrow |a(j\omega_0)| = \frac{1}{f}$$

$$A(j\omega) = \frac{a(j\omega)}{1 + T(j\omega)}$$

$$A(j\omega_0) = \frac{a(j\omega_0)}{1 + e^{-j135^\circ}} = \frac{a(j\omega_0)}{0.3 - 0.7j}$$

$$|A(j\omega_0)| = \frac{|a(j\omega_0)|}{0.76} = \frac{1.3}{f}$$

$\omega_0 = -3dB$ point for 1-pole amp.

here, we get $1.3X \equiv 2.4dB$

of peaking above low freq. gain
of $1/f$

$$PM = 60^\circ \Rightarrow \angle T(j\omega_0) = -120^\circ$$
$$|T(j\omega)| = 1$$

we get $|A(j\omega_0)| = \frac{1}{f} \leftarrow \text{no peaking @ } \omega_0$

$$PM = 90^\circ \Rightarrow \angle T(j\omega_0) = -90^\circ$$

$$|T(j\omega)| = 1$$

we get $|A(j\omega_0)| = \frac{0.7}{f} \leftarrow 3\text{dB below } \frac{1}{f}$

