

Chapter 4

4.1

- a) iii
- b) iii
- c) v
- d) v

4.2

- a) 5
- b) 10
- c) $Y(s) = \frac{10}{s(10s+1)}$
From the Final Value Theorem, $y(t) = 10$ when $t \rightarrow \infty$
- d) $y(t) = 10(1 - e^{-t/10})$, then $y(10) = 6.32 = 63.2\%$ of the final value.

- e) $Y(s) = \frac{5}{(10s+1)} \frac{(1 - e^{-s})}{s}$
From the Final Value Theorem, $y(t) = 0$ when $t \rightarrow \infty$

- f) $Y(s) = \frac{5}{(10s+1)} 1$
From the Final Value Theorem, $y(t) = 0$ when $t \rightarrow \infty$

- g) $Y(s) = \frac{5}{(10s+1)} \frac{6}{(s^2+9)}$ then

$$y(t) = 0.33e^{-0.1t} - 0.33\cos(3t) + 0.011\sin(3t)$$

The sinusoidal input produces a sinusoidal output and $y(t)$ does not have a limit when $t \rightarrow \infty$.

By using Simulink-MATLAB, above solutions can be verified:

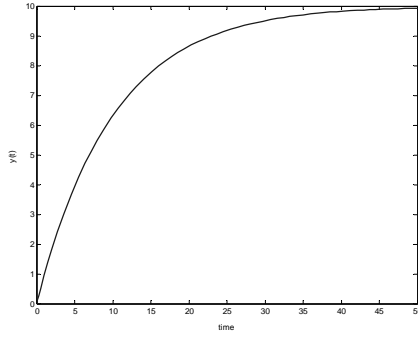


Fig S4.2a. Output for part c) and d)

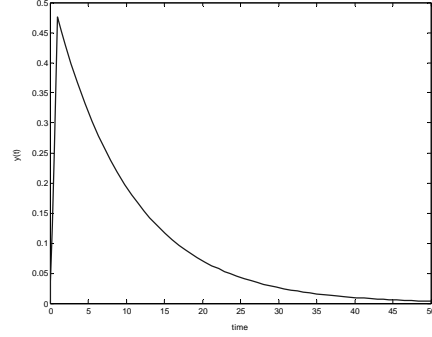


Fig S4.2b. Output for part e)

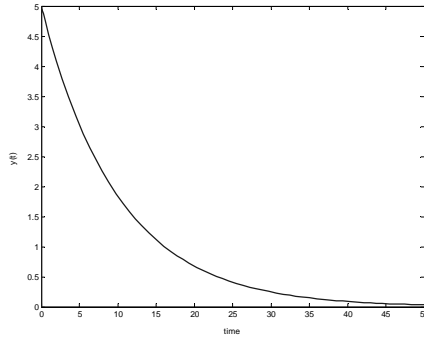


Fig S4.2c. Output for part f)

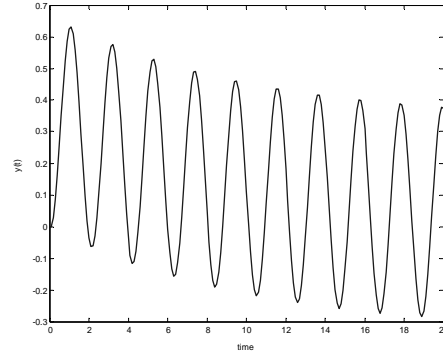


Fig S4.2d. Output for part g)

4.3

- a) The dynamic model of the system is given by

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{1}{\rho}(w_i - w) \quad (2-45)$$

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{w_i}{V\rho}(T_i - T) + \frac{Q}{V\rho C} \quad (2-46)$$

Let the right-hand side of Eq. 2-46 be $f(w_i, V, T)$,

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = f(w_i, V, T) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial w_i} \right)_s w'_i + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial V} \right)_s V' + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial T} \right)_s T' \quad (1)$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial w_i} \right)_s = \frac{1}{\bar{V}\rho} (T_i - \bar{T})$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial V} \right)_s = -\frac{\bar{w}_i}{\bar{V}^2 \rho} (T_i - \bar{T}) - \frac{Q}{\bar{V}^2 \rho C} = -\frac{1}{\bar{V}} \left(\frac{dT}{dt} \right)_s = 0$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial T} \right)_s = -\frac{\bar{w}_i}{\bar{V}\rho}$$

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{1}{\bar{V}\rho} (T_i - \bar{T}) w'_i - \frac{\bar{w}_i}{\bar{V}\rho} T' \quad , \quad \frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{dT'}{dt}$$

Taking Laplace transform and rearranging

$$\frac{T'(s)}{W'_i(s)} = \frac{(T_i - \bar{T}) / \bar{w}_i}{\left(\frac{\bar{V}\rho}{\bar{w}_i} \right) s + 1} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Laplace transform of Eq. 2-45 gives } V'(s) = \frac{W'_i(s)}{\rho s} \quad (3)$$

If $\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial V} \right)_s$ were not zero, then using (3)

$$\frac{T'(s)}{W'_i(s)} = \frac{\left[\frac{(T_i - \bar{T})}{\bar{w}_i} + \frac{\bar{V}}{\bar{w}_i} \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial V} \right)_s \frac{1}{s} \right]}{\left(\frac{\bar{V}\rho}{\bar{w}_i} \right) s + 1} \quad (4)$$

Appelpolscher guessed the incorrect form (4) instead of the correct form (2) because he forgot that $\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial V} \right)_s$ would vanish.

b) From Eq. 3,

$$\frac{V'(s)}{W'_i(s)} = \frac{1}{\rho s}$$

4.4

$$Y(s) = G(s)X(s) = \frac{K}{s(\tau s + 1)}$$

$G(s)$	Interpretation of $G(s)$	$U(s)$	Interpretation of $u(t)$
$\frac{K}{s(\tau s + 1)}$	2^{nd} order process *	1	$\delta(0)$ [Delta function]
$\frac{K}{\tau s + 1}$	1^{st} order process	$\frac{1}{s}$	$S(0)$ [Unit step function]
$\frac{K}{s}$	Integrator	$\frac{K}{\tau s + 1}$	$\frac{1}{\tau} e^{-t/\tau}$ [Exponential input]
K	Simple gain (i.e no dynamics)	$\frac{1}{s(\tau s + 1)}$	$1 - e^{-t/\tau}$ [Step + exponential input]

* 2^{nd} order or combination of integrator and 1^{st} order process

4.5

a) $2 \frac{dy_1}{dt} = -2y_1 - 3y_2 + 2u_1$ (1)

$\frac{dy_2}{dt} = 4y_1 - 6y_2 + 2u_1 + 4u_2$ (2)

Taking Laplace transform of the above equations and rearranging,

$(2s+2)Y_1(s) + 3Y_2(s) = 2U_1(s)$ (3)

$-4Y_1(s) + (s+6)Y_2(s) = 2U_1(s) + 4U_2(s)$ (4)

Solving Eqs. 3 and 4 simultaneously for $Y_1(s)$ and $Y_2(s)$,

$$Y_1(s) = \frac{(2s+6)U_1(s) - 12U_2(s)}{2s^2 + 14s + 24} = \frac{2(s+3)U_1(s) - 12U_2(s)}{2(s+3)(s+4)}$$

$$Y_2(s) = \frac{(4s+12)U_1(s) - (8s+8)U_2(s)}{2s^2 + 14s + 24} = \frac{4(s+3)U_1(s) + 8(s+1)U_2(s)}{2(s+3)(s+4)}$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{Y_1(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{1}{s+4} \quad , \quad \frac{Y_1(s)}{U_2(s)} = \frac{-6}{(s+3)(s+4)}$$

$$\frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{2}{s+4} \quad , \quad \frac{Y_2(s)}{U_2(s)} = \frac{4(s+1)}{(s+3)(s+4)}$$

4.6

The physical model of the CSTR is (Section 2.4.6)

$$V \frac{dc_A}{dt} = q(c_{Ai} - c_A) - Vkc_A \quad (2-66)$$

$$V\rho C \frac{dT}{dt} = wC(T_i - T) + (-\Delta H)Vkc_A + UA(T_c - T) \quad (2-68)$$

$$\text{where:} \quad k = k_o e^{-E/RT} \quad (2-63)$$

These equations can be written as,

$$\frac{dc_A}{dt} = f_1(c_A, T) \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = f_2(c_A, T, T_c) \quad (2)$$

Because both equations are nonlinear, linearization is required. After linearization and introduction of deviation variables, we could get an expression for $c'_A(s) / T'(s)$.

But it is not possible to get an expression for $T'(s)/T'_c(s)$ from (2) due to the presence of c_A in (2). Thus the proposed approach is not feasible because the CSTR is an interacting system.

Better approach:

After linearization etc., solve for $T'(s)$ from (1) and substitute into the linearized version of (2). Then rearrange to obtain the desired, $C'_A(s)/T'_c(s)$ (See Section 4.3)

4.7

- a) The assumption that H is constant is redundant. For equimolal overflow,

$$L_0 = L_1 = L \quad , \quad V_1 = V_2 = V$$

$$\frac{dH}{dt} = L_0 + V_2 - L_1 - V_1 = 0 \quad , \text{ i.e., } H \text{ is constant.}$$

The simplified stage concentration model becomes

$$H \frac{dx_1}{dt} = L(x_0 - x_1) + V(y_2 - y_1) \quad (1)$$

$$y_1 = a_0 + a_1x_1 + a_2x_1^2 + a_3x_1^3 \quad (2)$$

- b) Let the right-hand side of Eq. 1 be $f(L, x_0, x_1, V, y_1, y_2)$

$$\begin{aligned} H \frac{dx_1}{dt} = f(L, x_0, x_1, V, y_1, y_2) &= \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial L} \right)_s L' + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_0} \right)_s x'_0 + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} \right)_s x'_1 \\ &+ \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial V} \right)_s V' + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y_1} \right)_s y'_1 + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y_2} \right)_s y'_2 \end{aligned}$$

Substituting for the partial derivatives and noting that $\frac{dx_1}{dt} = \frac{dx'_1}{dt}$

$$H \frac{dx'_1}{dt} = (\bar{x}_0 - \bar{x}_1)L' + \bar{L}x'_0 - \bar{L}x'_1 + (\bar{y}_2 - \bar{y}_1)V' + \bar{V}y'_2 - \bar{V}y'_1 \quad (3)$$

Similarly,

$$y_1' = g(x_1) = \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_1} \right)_s x_1' = (a_1 + 2a_2\bar{x}_1 + 3a_3\bar{x}_1^2)x_1' \quad (4)$$

- c) For constant liquid and vapor flow rates, $L' = V' = 0$

Taking Laplace transform of Eqs. 3 and 4,

$$HsX_1'(s) = \bar{L}X_0'(s) - \bar{L}X_1'(s) + \bar{V}Y_2'(s) - \bar{V}Y_1'(s) \quad (5)$$

$$Y_1'(s) = (a_1 + 2a_2\bar{x}_1 + 3a_3\bar{x}_1^2)X_1'(s) \quad (6)$$

From Eqs. 5 and 6, the desired transfer functions are

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{X_1'(s)}{X_0'(s)} &= \frac{\bar{L}}{H} \tau, & \frac{X_1'(s)}{Y_2'(s)} &= \frac{\bar{V}}{H} \tau \\ \frac{Y_1'(s)}{X_0'(s)} &= \frac{(a_1 + 2a_2\bar{x}_1 + 3a_3\bar{x}_1^2) \bar{L}}{H} \tau \\ \frac{Y_1'(s)}{Y_2'(s)} &= \frac{(a_1 + 2a_2\bar{x}_1 + 3a_3\bar{x}_1^2) \bar{V}}{H} \tau \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\tau = \frac{H}{\bar{L} + \bar{V}(a_1 + 2a_2\bar{x}_1 + 3a_3\bar{x}_1^2)}$$

4.8

From material balance,

$$\frac{d(\rho Ah)}{dt} = w_i - Rh^{1.5}$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{1}{\rho A} w_i - \frac{R}{\rho A} h^{1.5}$$

We need to use a Taylor series expansion to linearize

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \left[\frac{1}{\rho A} \bar{w}_i - \frac{R}{\rho A} \bar{h}^{1.5} \right] + \frac{1}{\rho A} (w_i - \bar{w}_i) - \frac{1.5 R \bar{h}^{0.5}}{\rho A} (h - \bar{h})$$

Since the bracketed term is identically zero at steady state,

$$\frac{dh'}{dt} = \frac{1}{\rho A} w'_i - \frac{1.5 R \bar{h}^{0.5}}{\rho A} h'$$

Rearranging

$$\frac{\rho A}{1.5 R \bar{h}^{0.5}} \frac{dh'}{dt} + h' = \frac{1}{1.5 R \bar{h}^{0.5}} w'_i$$

Hence
$$\frac{H'(s)}{W'_i(s)} = \frac{K}{\tau s + 1}$$

where

$$K = \frac{1}{1.5 R \bar{h}^{0.5}} = \frac{\bar{h}}{1.5 R \bar{h}^{1.5}} = \frac{\bar{h}}{1.5 \bar{w}} = \frac{[height]}{[flowrate]}$$

$$\tau = \frac{\rho A}{1.5 R \bar{h}^{0.5}} = \frac{\rho A \bar{h}}{1.5 R \bar{h}^{1.5}} = \frac{\rho \bar{V}}{1.5 \bar{w}} = \frac{[mass]}{[mass/time]} = [time]$$

4.9

- a) The model for the system is given by

$$mC \frac{dT}{dt} = wC(T_i - T) + h_p A_p (T_w - T) \quad (2-51)$$

$$m_w C_w \frac{dT_w}{dt} = h_s A_s (T_s - T_w) - h_p A_p (T_w - T) \quad (2-52)$$

Assume that m , m_w , C , C_w , h_p , h_s , A_p , A_s , and w are constant. Rewriting the above equations in terms of deviation variables, and noting that

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{dT'}{dt} \quad \frac{dT_w}{dt} = \frac{dT'_w}{dt}$$

$$mC \frac{dT'}{dt} = wC(T'_i - T') + h_p A_p (T'_w - T')$$

$$m_w C_w \frac{dT'_w}{dt} = h_s A_s (0 - T'_w) - h_p A_p (T'_w - T')$$

Taking Laplace transforms and rearranging,

$$(mCs + wC + h_p A_p)T'(s) = wCT'_i(s) + h_p A_p T'_w(s) \quad (1)$$

$$(m_w C_w s + h_s A_s + h_p A_p)T'_w(s) = h_p A_p T'(s) \quad (2)$$

Substituting in Eq. 1 for $T'_w(s)$ from Eq. 2,

$$(mCs + wC + h_p A_p)T'(s) = wCT'_i(s) + h_p A_p \frac{h_p A_p}{(m_w C_w s + h_s A_s + h_p A_p)} T'(s)$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{T'(s)}{T'_i(s)} = \frac{wC(m_w C_w s + h_s A_s + h_p A_p)}{(mCs + wC + h_p A_p)(m_w C_w s + h_s A_s + h_p A_p) - (h_p A_p)^2}$$

b) The gain is $\left[\frac{T'(s)}{T'_i(s)} \right]_{s=0} = \frac{wC(h_s A_s + h_p A_p)}{wC(h_s A_s + h_p A_p) + h_s A_s h_p A_p}$

c) No, the gain would be expected to be 1 only if the tank were insulated so that $h_p A_p = 0$. For heated tank the gain is not 1 because heat input changes as T changes.

4.10

Additional assumptions

- 1) perfect mixing in the tank
- 2) constant density, ρ , and specific heat, C .
- 3) T_i is constant.

Energy balance for the tank,

$$\rho VC \frac{dT}{dt} = wC(T_i - T) + Q - (\bar{U} + bv)A(T - T_a)$$

Let the right-hand side be $f(T, v)$,

$$\rho VC \frac{dT}{dt} = f(T, v) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial T} \right)_s T' + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \right)_s v' \quad (1)$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial T} \right)_s = -wC (\bar{U} + b\bar{v})A$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \right)_s = -bA(\bar{T} - T_a)$$

Substituting for the partial derivatives in Eq. 1 and noting that $\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{dT'}{dt}$

$$\rho VC \frac{dT'}{dt} = -[wC + (\bar{U} + b\bar{v})A]T' - bA(\bar{T} - T_a)v'$$

Taking the Laplace transform and rearranging

$$[\rho VCs + wC + (\bar{U} + b\bar{v})A]T'(s) = -bA(\bar{T} - T_a)v'(s)$$

$$\frac{T'(s)}{v'(s)} = \frac{\left[\frac{-bA(\bar{T} - T_a)}{wC + (\bar{U} + b\bar{v})A} \right]}{\left[\frac{\rho VC}{wC + (\bar{U} + b\bar{v})A} \right]s + 1}$$

4.11

a) Mass balances on surge tanks

$$\frac{dm_1}{dt} = w_1 - w_2 \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{dm_2}{dt} = w_2 - w_3 \quad (2)$$

Ideal gas law

$$P_1 V_1 = \frac{m_1}{M} RT \quad (3)$$

$$P_2 V_2 = \frac{m_2}{M} RT \quad (4)$$

Flows (Ohm's law is $I = \frac{E}{R} = \frac{\text{Driving Force}}{\text{Resistance}}$)

$$w_1 = \frac{1}{R_1} (P_c - P_1) \quad (5)$$

$$w_2 = \frac{1}{R_2} (P_1 - P_2) \quad (6)$$

$$w_3 = \frac{1}{R_3} (P_2 - P_h) \quad (7)$$

Degrees of freedom:

number of parameters : 8 ($V_1, V_2, M, R, T, R_1, R_2, R_3$)

number of variables : 9 ($m_1, m_2, w_1, w_2, w_3, P_1, P_2, P_c, P_h$)

number of equations : 7

\therefore number of degrees of freedom that must be eliminated = $9 - 7 = 2$

Since P_c and P_h are known functions of time (i.e., inputs), $N_F = 0$.

b) Development of model

$$\text{Substitute (3) into (1) : } \frac{MV_1}{RT} \frac{dP_1}{dt} = w_1 - w_2 \quad (8)$$

$$\text{Substitute (4) into (2) : } \frac{MV_2}{RT} \frac{dP_2}{dt} = w_2 - w_3 \quad (9)$$

Substitute (5) and (6) into (8) :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{MV_1}{RT} \frac{dP_1}{dt} &= \frac{1}{R_1} (P_c - P_1) - \frac{1}{R_2} (P_1 - P_2) \\ \frac{MV_1}{RT} \frac{dP_1}{dt} &= \frac{1}{R_1} P_c(t) - \left(\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right) P_1 + \frac{1}{R_2} P_2 \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

Substitute (6) and (7) into (9):

$$\frac{MV_2}{RT} \frac{dP_2}{dt} = \frac{1}{R_2} (P_1 - P_2) - \frac{1}{R_3} (P_2 - P_h)$$

$$\frac{MV_2}{RT} \frac{dP_2}{dt} = \frac{1}{R_2} P_1 - \left(\frac{1}{R_2} + \frac{1}{R_3} \right) P_2 + \frac{1}{R_3} P_h(t) \quad (11)$$

Note that $\frac{dP_1}{dt} = f_1(P_1, P_2)$ from Eq. 10

$$\frac{dP_2}{dt} = f_2(P_1, P_2) \quad \text{from Eq. 11}$$

This is exactly the same situation depicted in Figure 6.13, therefore the two tanks interact. This system has the following characteristics:

- i) Interacting (Eqs. 10 and 11 interact with each other)
- ii) 2nd-order denominator (2 differential equations)
- iii) Zero-order numerator (See example 4.4 in text)
- iv) No integrating elements
- v) Gain of $\frac{W'_3(s)}{P'_c(s)}$ is not equal to unity. (Cannot be because the units on the two variables are different).

4.12

a) $A \frac{dh}{dt} = q_i - C_v h^{1/2}$

Let $f = q_i - C_v h^{1/2}$

Then $f \approx \bar{q}_i - C_v \bar{h}^{1/2} + q_i - \bar{q}_i - \frac{1}{2} C_v \bar{h}^{-1/2} (h - \bar{h})$

so $A \frac{dh'}{dt} = q'_i - \frac{C_v}{2\bar{h}^{1/2}} h'$ because $\bar{q}_i - C_v \bar{h}^{1/2} \equiv 0$

$$\left[sA + \frac{C_v}{2\bar{h}^{1/2}} \right] H'(s) = Q'_i(s)$$

$$\frac{H'(s)}{Q'_i(s)} = \frac{1}{sA + \frac{C_v}{2\bar{h}^{1/2}}}$$

Note: Not a standard form

$$\frac{H'(s)}{Q'_i(s)} = \frac{2\bar{h}^{1/2} / C_v}{\frac{2A\bar{h}^{1/2}}{C_v} s + 1}$$

$$\text{where } K = \frac{2\bar{h}^{1/2}}{C_v} \text{ and } \tau = \frac{2A\bar{h}^{1/2}}{C_v}$$

b) Because $q = C_v h^{1/2}$

$$q' = C_v \frac{1}{2} \bar{h}^{-1/2} h' = \frac{C_v}{2\bar{h}^{1/2}} h' = \frac{1}{K} h'$$

$$\therefore \frac{Q'(s)}{H'(s)} = \frac{1}{K}, \quad \frac{Q'(s)}{H'(s)} \frac{H'(s)}{Q'_i(s)} = \frac{1}{K} \frac{K}{\tau s + 1}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{Q'(s)}{Q'_i(s)} = \frac{1}{\tau s + 1}$$

c) For a linear outflow relation

$$A \frac{dh}{dt} = q_i - C_v^* h \quad \text{Note that } C_v^* \neq C_v$$

$$A \frac{dh'}{dt} = q'_i - C_v^* h'$$

$$A \frac{dh'}{dt} + C_v^* h' = q'_i \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{A}{C_v^*} \frac{dh'}{dt} + h' = \frac{1}{C_v^*} q'_i$$

Multiplying numerator and denominator by \bar{h} on each side yields

$$\frac{A\bar{h}}{C_v^* \bar{h}} \frac{dh'}{dt} + h' = \frac{\bar{h}}{C_v^* \bar{h}} q'_i$$

$$\text{or } \frac{\bar{V}}{\bar{q}_i} \frac{dh'}{dt} + h' = \frac{\bar{h}}{\bar{q}_i} q'_i$$

$$\tau^* = \frac{\bar{V}}{\bar{q}_i} \quad K^* = \frac{\bar{h}}{\bar{q}_i} \quad \text{q.e.d}$$

To put τ and K in comparable terms for the square root outflow form of the transfer function, multiply numerator and denominator of each by $\bar{h}^{1/2}$.

$$K = \frac{2\bar{h}^{1/2}}{C_v} \frac{\bar{h}^{1/2}}{\bar{h}^{1/2}} = \frac{2\bar{h}}{C_v \bar{h}^{1/2}} = \frac{2\bar{h}}{\bar{q}_i} = 2K^*$$

$$\tau = \frac{2A\bar{h}^{1/2}}{C_v} \frac{\bar{h}^{1/2}}{\bar{h}^{1/2}} = \frac{2A\bar{h}}{C_v \bar{h}^{1/2}} = \frac{2\bar{V}}{\bar{q}_i} = 2\tau^*$$

Thus level in the square root outflow TF is twice as sensitive to changes in q_i and reacts only $\frac{1}{2}$ as fast (two times more slowly) since $\tau = 2\tau^*$.

4.13

- a) The nonlinear dynamic model for the tank is:

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{1}{\pi(D-h)h} (q_i - C_v \sqrt{h}) \quad (1)$$

(corrected nonlinear ODE; model in first printing of book is incorrect)

To linearize Eq. 1 about the operating point $(h = \bar{h}, q_i = \bar{q}_i)$, let

$$f = \frac{q_i - C_v \sqrt{h}}{\pi(D-h)h}$$

Then,

$$f(h, q_i) \approx \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial h} \right)_s h' + \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial q_i} \right)_s q'_i$$

where

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial q_i}\right)_s = \frac{1}{\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial h}\right)_s = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{C_v}{\sqrt{\bar{h}}} \frac{1}{\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}} + \left(\bar{q}_i - C_v \sqrt{\bar{h}}\right) \left[\frac{-\pi D + 2\pi \bar{h}}{(\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h})^2} \right]$$

Notice that the second term of last partial derivative is zero from the steady-state relation, and the term $\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}$ is finite for all $0 < h < D$. Consequently, the linearized model of the process, after substitution of deviation variables is,

$$\frac{dh'}{dt} = \left[-\frac{1}{2} \frac{C_v}{\sqrt{\bar{h}}} \frac{1}{\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}} \right] h' + \left[\frac{1}{\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}} \right] q'_i$$

Since $\bar{q}_i = C_v \sqrt{\bar{h}}$

$$\frac{dh'}{dt} = \left[-\frac{1}{2} \frac{\bar{q}_i}{\bar{h}} \frac{1}{\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}} \right] h' + \left[\frac{1}{\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}} \right] q'_i$$

or $\frac{dh'}{dt} = ah' + bq'_i$

where

$$a = \left[-\frac{1}{2} \frac{\bar{q}_i}{\bar{h}} \frac{1}{\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}} \right] = -\frac{\bar{q}_i}{\bar{V}_o} \quad , \quad b = \left[\frac{1}{\pi(D-\bar{h})\bar{h}} \right]$$

\bar{V}_o = volume at the initial steady state

b) Taking Laplace transform and rearranging

$$s h'(s) = ah'(s) + bq'_i(s)$$

Therefore

$$\frac{h'(s)}{q'_i(s)} = \frac{b}{(s-a)} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{h'(s)}{q'_i(s)} = \frac{(-b/a)}{(-1/a)s + 1}$$

Notice that the time constant is equal to the residence time at the initial steady state.

Assumptions

- 1) Perfectly mixed reactor
- 2) Constant fluid properties and heat of reaction.

a) Component balance for A,

$$V \frac{dc_A}{dt} = q(c_{Ai} - c_A) - Vk(T)c_A \quad (1)$$

Energy balance for the tank,

$$\rho VC \frac{dT}{dt} = \rho qC(T_i - T) + (-\Delta H)Vk(T)c_A \quad (2)$$

Since a transfer function with respect to c_{Ai} is desired, assume the other inputs, namely q and T_i , to be constant.

Linearize (1) and (2) and note that $\frac{dc_A}{dt} = \frac{dc'_A}{dt}$, $\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{dT'}{dt}$,

$$V \frac{dc'_A}{dt} = qc'_{Ai} - (q + Vk(\bar{T}))c'_A - V\bar{C}_A k(\bar{T}) \frac{20000}{\bar{T}^2} T' \quad (3)$$

$$\rho VC \frac{dT'}{dt} = - \left(\rho qC + \Delta H V \bar{C}_A k(\bar{T}) \frac{20000}{\bar{T}^2} \right) T' + (-\Delta H) V k(\bar{T}) c'_A \quad (4)$$

Taking the Laplace transforms and rearranging

$$[Vs + q + Vk(\bar{T})]C'_A(s) = qC'_{Ai}(s) - V\bar{C}_A k(\bar{T}) \frac{20000}{\bar{T}^2} T'(s) \quad (5)$$

$$\left[\rho VC s + \rho qC - (-\Delta H) V \bar{C}_A k(\bar{T}) \frac{20000}{\bar{T}^2} \right] T'(s) = (-\Delta H) V k(\bar{T}) C'_A(s) \quad (6)$$

Substituting for $C'_A(s)$ from Eq. 5 into Eq. 6 and rearranging,

$$\frac{T'(s)}{C'_{Ai}(s)} = \frac{-\Delta H V k(\bar{T}) q}{[V s + q + V k(\bar{T})] \left[\rho V C s + \rho q C - (-\Delta H) V \bar{c}_A k(\bar{T}) \frac{20000}{\bar{T}^2} \right] + (-\Delta H) \bar{c}_A V^2 k^2(\bar{T}) \frac{20000}{\bar{T}^2}} \quad (7)$$

\bar{c}_A is obtained from Eq. 1 at steady state,

$$\bar{c}_A = \frac{q \bar{c}_{Ai}}{q + V k(\bar{T})} = 0.0011546 \text{ mol/cu.ft.}$$

Substituting the numerical values of \bar{T} , ρ , C , $(-\Delta H)$, q , V , \bar{c}_A into Eq. 7 and simplifying,

$$\frac{T'(s)}{C'_{Ai}(s)} = \frac{11.38}{(0.0722s + 1)(50s + 1)}$$

- b) The gain K of the above transfer function is $\left[\frac{T'(s)}{C'_{Ai}(s)} \right]_{s=0}$,

$$K = \frac{0.15766 \bar{q}}{\left(\frac{\bar{q}}{1000} - 3.153 \times 10^6 \frac{\bar{c}_A}{\bar{T}^2} \right) \left(\frac{\bar{q}}{1000} + 13.84 \right) + 4.364 \cdot 10^7 \frac{\bar{c}_A}{\bar{T}^2}} \quad (8)$$

obtained by putting $s=0$ in Eq. 7 and substituting numerical values for ρ , C , $(-\Delta H)$, V . Evaluating sensitivities,

$$\frac{dK}{d\bar{q}} = \frac{K}{\bar{q}} - \frac{K^2}{0.15766\bar{q}} \left[2 \frac{\bar{q}}{10^6} + 0.01384 - 3153 \frac{\bar{c}_A}{\bar{T}^2} \right] = -6.50 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dK}{d\bar{T}} &= -\frac{K^2}{3.153} \left[\left(\frac{\bar{q}}{1000} + 13.84 \right) \left(\frac{3.153 \times 10^6 \bar{c}_A \times 2}{\bar{T}^3} \right) - \frac{2 \times 4.364 \times 10^7 \bar{c}_A}{\bar{T}^3} \right] \\ &= -2.57 \times 10^{-5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dK}{d\bar{c}_{Ai}} &= \frac{dK}{d\bar{c}_A} \times \frac{d\bar{c}_A}{d\bar{c}_{Ai}} \\ &= \frac{-K^2}{0.15766\bar{q}} \left[-\left(\frac{\bar{q}}{1000} + 13.84 \right) \left(\frac{3.153 \times 10^6}{\bar{T}^2} \right) + \frac{4.364 \times 10^7}{\bar{T}^2} \right] \left(\frac{\bar{q}}{\bar{q} + 13840} \right) \\ &= 8.87 \times 10^{-3} \end{aligned}$$

From Example 4.4, system equations are:

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 \frac{dh'_1}{dt} &= q'_1 - \frac{1}{R_1} h'_1 & , & & q'_1 &= \frac{1}{R_1} h'_1 \\ A_2 \frac{dh'_2}{dt} &= \frac{1}{R_1} h'_1 - \frac{1}{R_2} h'_2 & , & & q'_2 &= \frac{1}{R_2} h'_2 \end{aligned}$$

Using state space representation,

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= Ax + Bu \\ y &= Cx + Du \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{where } x = \begin{bmatrix} h'_1 \\ h'_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad , \quad u = q_i \quad \text{and} \quad y = q'_2$$

then,

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{dh'_1}{dt} \\ \frac{dh'_2}{dt} \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{R_1 A_1} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{R_1 A_1} & -\frac{1}{R_2 A_2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} h'_1 \\ h'_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{A_1} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} q'_1 \\ q'_2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{R_2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} h'_1 \\ h'_2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{R_1 A_1} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{R_1 A_1} & -\frac{1}{R_2 A_2} \end{bmatrix} \quad , \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{A_1} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad , \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{R_2} \end{bmatrix} \quad , \quad E = 0$$

Applying numerical values, equations for the three-stage absorber are:

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = 0.881y_f - 1.173x_1 + 0.539x_2$$

$$\frac{dx_2}{dt} = 0.634x_1 - 1.173x_2 + 0.539x_3$$

$$\frac{dx_3}{dt} = 0.634x_2 - 1.173x_3 + 0.539x_f$$

$$y_i = 0.72x_i$$

Transforming into a state-space representation form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{dx_1}{dt} \\ \frac{dx_2}{dt} \\ \frac{dx_3}{dt} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1.173 & 0.539 & 0 \\ 0.634 & -1.173 & 0.539 \\ 0 & 0.634 & -1.173 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0.881 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} y_f$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.72 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.72 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.72 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} y_f$$

Therefore, because x_f can be neglected in obtaining the desired transfer functions,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1.173 & 0.539 & 0 \\ 0.634 & -1.173 & 0.539 \\ 0 & 0.634 & -1.173 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 0.881 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0.72 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.72 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0.72 \end{bmatrix} \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Applying the MATLAB function *ss2tf*, the transfer functions are:

$$\frac{Y'_1(s)}{Y'_f(s)} = \frac{0.6343s^2 + 1.4881s + 0.6560}{s^3 + 3.5190s^2 + 3.443s + 0.8123}$$

$$\frac{Y'_2(s)}{Y'_f(s)} = \frac{0.4022s + 0.4717}{s^3 + 3.5190s^2 + 3.443s + 0.8123}$$

$$\frac{Y'_3(s)}{Y'_f(s)} = \frac{0.2550}{s^3 + 3.5190s^2 + 3.443s + 0.8123}$$

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Dynamic model:

$$\frac{dX}{dt} = \mu(S)X - DX$$

$$\frac{dS}{dt} = -\mu(S)X / Y_{X/S} - D(S_f - S)$$

Linearization of non-linear terms: (reference point = steady state point)

$$1. f_1(S, X) = \mu(S)X = \frac{\mu_m S}{K_s + S} X$$

$$f_1(S, X) \approx f_1(\bar{S}, \bar{X}) + \left. \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial S} \right|_{\bar{S}, \bar{X}} (S - \bar{S}) + \left. \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial X} \right|_{\bar{S}, \bar{X}} (X - \bar{X})$$

Putting into deviation form,

$$f_1(S', X') \approx \left. \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial S} \right|_{\bar{S}, \bar{X}} S' + \left. \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial X} \right|_{\bar{S}, \bar{X}} X' = \left(\frac{\mu_m (K_s + \bar{S}) - \mu_m \bar{S}}{(K_s + \bar{S})^2} \bar{X} \right) S' + \left(\frac{\mu_m \bar{S}}{K_s + \bar{S}} \right) X'$$

Substituting the numerical values for μ_m, K_s, \bar{S} and \bar{X} then:

$$f_1(S', X') \approx 0.113S' + 0.1X'$$

$$2. \quad f_2(D, S, S_f) = D(S_f - S)$$

$$f_2(D', S', S'_f) \approx \left. \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial D} \right|_{\bar{D}, \bar{S}, \bar{S}_f} D' + \left. \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial S} \right|_{\bar{D}, \bar{S}, \bar{S}_f} S' + \left. \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial S_f} \right|_{\bar{D}, \bar{S}, \bar{S}_f} S'_f$$

$$f_2(D', S', S'_f) \approx (\bar{S}_f - \bar{S})D' - \bar{D}S' + \bar{D}S'_f$$

$$f_2(D', S', S'_f) \approx 9D' - 0.1S' + 0.1S'_f$$

$$3. \quad f_3(D, X) = DX$$

$$f_3(D', X') \approx D' \bar{X} + X' \bar{D} = 2.25D' + 0.1X'$$

Returning to the dynamic equation: putting them into deviation form by including the linearized terms:

$$\frac{dX'}{dt} = 0.113S' + 0.1X' - 2.25D' - 0.1X'$$

$$\frac{dS'}{dt} = \frac{-0.113}{0.5} S' - \frac{0.1}{0.5} X' - 9D' + 0.1S' - 0.1S'_f$$

Rearranging:

$$\frac{dX'}{dt} = 0.113S' - 2.25D'$$

$$\frac{dS'}{dt} = -0.126S' - 0.2X' - 9D' - 0.1S'_f$$

Laplace Transforming:

$$sX'(s) = 0.113S'(s) - 2.25D'(s)$$

$$sS'(s) = -0.126S'(s) - 0.2X'(s) - 9D'(s) - 0.1S'_f(s)$$

Then,

$$X'(s) = \frac{0.113}{s} S'(s) - \frac{2.25}{s} D'(s)$$

$$S'(s) = \frac{-0.2}{s+0.126} X'(s) - \frac{9}{s+0.126} D'(s) - \frac{0.1}{s+0.126} S'_f(s)$$

or

$$X'(s) \left[1 + \frac{0.0226}{s(s+0.126)} \right] =$$

$$= -\frac{1.017}{s+0.126} D'(s) - \frac{0.0113}{s+0.126} S'_f(s) - \frac{2.25}{s} D'(s)$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{X'(s)}{D'(s)} = \frac{-1.3005 - 2.25s}{s^2 + 0.126s + 0.0226}$$