Chapter 5

5.1

a)
$$x_{DP}(t) = hS(t) - 2hS(t-t_w) + hS(t-2t_w)$$
$$x_{DP}(s) = \frac{h}{s} (1 - 2e^{-t_w s} + e^{-2t_w s})$$

b) Response of a first-order process,

$$Y(s) = \left(\frac{K}{\tau s + 1}\right) \frac{h}{s} (1 - 2e^{-t_w s} + e^{-2t_w s})$$
or
$$Y(s) = (1 - 2e^{-t_w s} + e^{-2t_w s}) \left[\frac{\alpha_1}{s} + \frac{\alpha_2}{\tau s + 1}\right]$$

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{Kh}{\tau s + 1} \Big|_{s=0} = Kh \qquad \alpha_2 = \frac{Kh}{s} \Big|_{s=-\frac{1}{\tau}} = -Kh\tau$$

$$Y(s) = (1 - 2e^{-t_w s} + e^{-2t_w s}) \left[\frac{Kh}{s} - \frac{Kh\tau}{\tau s + 1}\right]$$

$$y(t) = \begin{cases} Kh(1 - e^{-t/\tau}) & , & 0 < t < t_w \\ Kh(-1 - e^{-t/\tau} + 2e^{-(t - t_w)/\tau}) & , & t_w < t < 2t_w \end{cases}$$

$$Kh(-e^{-t/\tau} + 2e^{-(t - t_w)/\tau} - e^{-(t - 2t_w)/\tau}) , & 2t_w < t$$

Response of an integrating element,

$$Y(s) = \frac{Kh}{s} \frac{h}{s} (1 - 2e^{-t_w s} + e^{-2t_w s})$$

$$y(t) = \begin{cases} Kht & , & 0 < t < t_w \\ Kh(-t + 2t_w) & , & t_w < t < 2t_w \\ 0 & , & 2t_w < t \end{cases}$$

c) This input gives a response, for an integrating element, which is zero after a finite time.

Solution Manual for Process Dynamics and Control, 2nd edition, Copyright © 2004 by Dale E. Seborg, Thomas F. Edgar and Duncan A. Mellichamp. a) For a step change in input of magnitude M

$$y(t) = KM (1 - e^{-t/\tau}) + y(0)$$

We note that $KM = y(\infty) - y(0) = 280 - 80 = 200^{\circ}C$

Then
$$K = \frac{200^{\circ} C}{0.5 Kw} = 400 {\circ} \text{C/Kw}$$

At time
$$t = 4$$
, $y(4) = 230 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$

Thus
$$\frac{230-80}{280-80} = 1 - e^{-4/\tau}$$
 or $\tau = 2.89 \text{ min}$

$$\therefore \frac{T'(s)}{P'(s)} = \frac{400}{2.89s + 1}$$
 [°C/Kw]

a) For an input ramp change with slope a = 0.5 Kw/min

$$Ka = 400 \times 0.5 = 200$$
 °C/min

This maximum rate of change will occur as soon as the transient has died out, i.e., after

 $5 \times 2.89 \text{ min} \approx 15 \text{ min have elapsed.}$

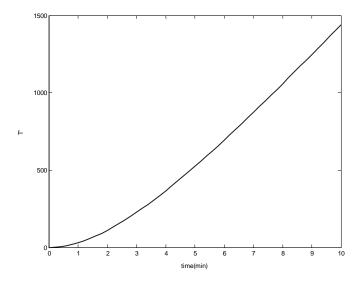


Fig S5.2. Temperature response for a ramp input of magnitude 0.5 Kw/min.

The contaminant concentration c increases according to this expression:

$$c(t) = 5 + 0.2t$$

Using deviation variables and Laplace transforming,

$$c'(t) = 0.2t$$
 or $C'(s) = \frac{0.2}{s^2}$

Hence

$$C'_m(s) = \frac{1}{10s+1} \cdot \frac{0.2}{s^2}$$

and applying Eq. 5-21

$$c'_m(t) = 2(e^{-t/10} - 1) + 0.2t$$

As soon as $c'_m(t) \ge 2$ ppm the alarm sounds. Therefore,

$$\Delta t = 18.4 \text{ s}$$
 (starting from the beginning of the ramp input)

The time at which the actual concentration exceeds the limit (t = 10 s) is subtracted from the previous result to obtain the requested Δt .

$$\Delta t = 18.4 - 10.0 = 8.4 \text{ s}$$

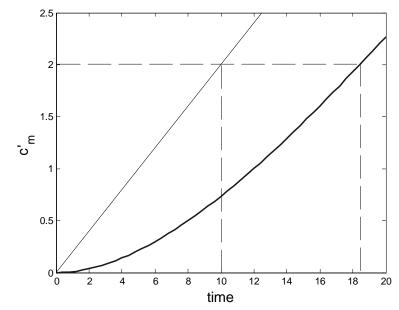


Fig S5.3. Concentration response for a ramp input of magnitude 0.2 Kw/min.

a) Using deviation variables, the rectangular pulse is

$$c'_{F} = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ 2 & 0 \le t < 2 \\ 0 & 2 \le t \le \infty \end{cases}$$

Laplace transforming this input yields

$$c'_F(s) = \frac{2}{s} (1 - e^{-2s})$$

The input is then given by

$$c'(s) = \frac{8}{s(2s+1)} - \frac{8e^{-2s}}{s(2s+1)}$$

and from Table 3.1 the time domain function is

$$c'(t) = 8(1 - e^{-t/2}) - 8(1 - e^{-(t-2)/2}) S(t-2)$$
(1)

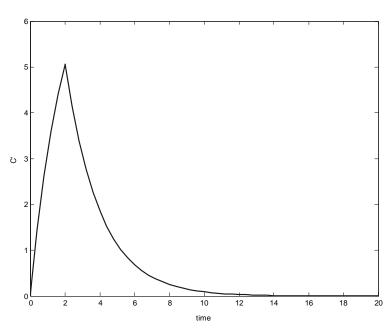


Fig S5.4. Exit concentration response for a rectangular input.

b) By inspection of Eq. 1, the time at which this function will reach its maximum value is 2, so maximum value of the output is given by

$$c'(2) = 8(1 - e^{-1}) - 8(1 - e^{-0/2}) S(0)$$
(2)

and since the second term is zero, c'(2) = 5.057

c) By inspection, the steady state value of c'(t) will be zero, since this is a first-order system with no integrating poles and the input returns to zero. To obtain $c'(\infty)$, simplify the function derived in a) for all time greater than 2, yielding

$$c'(t) = 8(e^{-(t-2)/2} - e^{-t/2})$$
(3)

which will obviously converge to zero.

Substituting c'(t) = 0.05 in the previous equation and solving for t gives

$$t = 9.233$$

5.5

a) Energy balance for the thermocouple,

$$mC\frac{dT}{dt} = hA(T_s - T) \tag{1}$$

where *m* is mass of thermocouple *C* is heat capacity of thermocouple *h* is heat transfer coefficient *A* is surface area of thermocouple *t* is time in sec

Substituting numerical values in (1) and noting that

$$\overline{T}_s = \overline{T}$$
 and $\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{dT'}{dt}$,

$$15\frac{dT'}{dt} = T'_s - T'$$

Taking Laplace transform, $\frac{T'(s)}{T_s'(s)} = \frac{1}{15s+1}$

b)
$$T_s(t) = 23 + (80 - 23) S(t)$$

$$\overline{T}_s = \overline{T} = 23$$

From *t*= 0 to *t*= 20,

$$T'_{s}(t) = 57 \ S(t)$$
 , $T'_{s}(s) = \frac{57}{s}$
 $T'(s) = \frac{1}{15s+1} T'_{s}(s) = \frac{57}{s(15s+1)}$

Applying inverse Laplace Transform,

$$T'(t) = 57(1 - e^{-t/15})$$

Then

$$T(t) = T'(t) + \overline{T} = 23 + 57(1 - e^{-t/15})$$

Since T(t) increases monotonically with time, maximum T = T(20).

Maximum
$$T(t) = T(20) = 23 + 57 (1-e^{-20/15}) = 64.97 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$$

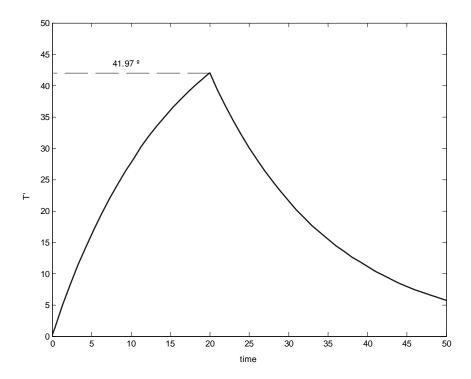


Fig S5.5. *Thermocouple output for part b)*

a) The overall gain of G is $G|_{s=0}$

$$= \frac{K_1}{\tau_1 \times 0 + 1} \cdot \frac{K_2}{\tau_2 \times 0 + 1} = K_1 K_2$$

b) If the equivalent time constant is equal to $\tau_1 + \tau_2 = 5 + 3 = 8$, then

$$y(t = 8)/KM = 0.632$$
 for a first-order process.

$$y(t=8)/KM = 1 - \frac{5e^{-8/5} - 3e^{-8/3}}{5-3} = 0.599 \neq 0.632$$

Therefore, the equivalent time constant is not equal to $\tau_1 + \tau_2$

c) The roots of the denominator of G are

$$-1/\tau_1$$
 and $-1/\tau_2$

which are negative real numbers. Therefore the process transfer function G cannot exhibit oscillations when the input is a step function.

5.7

Assume that at steady state the temperature indicated by the sensor T_m is equal to the actual temperature at the measurement point T. Then,

$$\frac{T'_m(s)}{T'(s)} = \frac{K}{\tau s + 1} = \frac{1}{1.5s + 1}$$

$$\overline{T}_m = \overline{T} = 350^{\circ} C$$

$$T'_m(t) = 15 \sin \omega t$$

where $\omega = 2\pi \times 0.1 \text{ rad/min} = 0.628 \text{ rad/min}$

At large times when $t/\tau >> 1$, Eq. 5-26 shows that the amplitude of the sensor signal is

$$A_m = \frac{A}{\sqrt{\omega^2 \tau^2 + 1}}$$

where A is the amplitude of the actual temperature at the measurement point.

Therefore $A = 15\sqrt{(0.628)^2(1.5)^2 + 1} = 20.6$ °C

Maximum $T = \overline{T} + A = 350 + 20.6 = 370.6$

Maximum $T_{center} = 3 \text{ (max } T) - 2 T_{wall}$

$$= (3 \times 370.6) - (2 \times 200) = 711.8$$
°C

Therefore, the catalyst will not sinter instantaneously, but will sinter if operated for several hours.

5.8

a) Assume that q is constant. Material balance over the tank,

$$A\frac{dh}{dt} = q_1 + q_2 - q$$

Writing in deviation variables and taking Laplace transform

$$AsH'(s) = Q_1'(s) + Q_2'(s)$$

$$\frac{H'(s)}{Q_1'(s)} = \frac{1}{As}$$

b)
$$q'_1(t) = 5 S(t) - 5S(t-12)$$

$$Q_1'(s) = \frac{5}{s} - \frac{5}{s}e^{-12s}$$

$$H'(s) = \frac{1}{As}Q_1'(s) = \frac{5/A}{s^2} - \frac{5/A}{s^2}e^{-12s}$$

$$h'(t) = \frac{5}{A}t S(t) - \frac{5}{A}(t-12) S(t-12)$$

$$h(t) = \begin{cases} 4 + \frac{5}{A}t = 4 + 0.177t & 0 \le t \le 12 \\ 4 + \left(\frac{5}{A} \times 12\right) = 6.122 & 12 < t \end{cases}$$

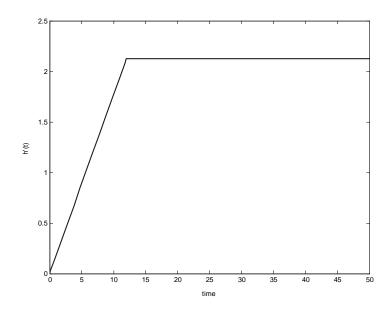


Fig S5.8a. *Liquid level response for part b)*

c) $\overline{h} = 6.122 \text{ ft}$ at the new steady state $t \ge 12$

d)
$$q'_1(t) = 5 S(t) - 10S(t-12) + 5S(t-24) ; t_w = 12$$
$$Q'_1(s) = \frac{5}{s} \left(1 - 2e^{-12s} + e^{-24s} \right)$$

$$H'(s) = \frac{5/A}{s^2} - \frac{10/A}{s^2} e^{-12s} + \frac{5/A}{s^2} e^{-24s}$$

$$h(t) = 4 + 0.177tS(t) - 0.354(t-12)S(t-12) + 0.177(t-24)S(t-24)$$

For $t \ge 24$

$$\overline{h} = 4 + 0.177t - 0.354(t - 12) + 0.177(t - 24) = 4$$
 ft at $t \ge 24$

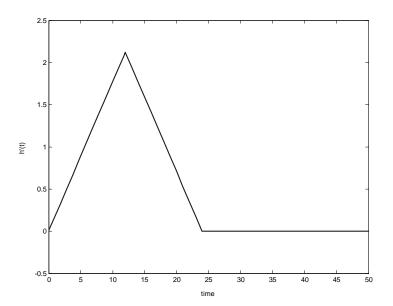


Fig S5.8b. Liquid level response for part d)

a) Material balance over tank 1.

$$A\frac{dh}{dt} = C(q_i - 8.33h)$$

where $A = \pi \times (4)^2 / 4 = 12.6 \text{ ft}^2$

$$C = 0.1337 \quad \frac{\text{ft}^3/\text{min}}{\text{USGPM}}$$

$$AsH'(s) = CQ'_{i}(s) - (C \times 8.33)H'(s)$$

$$\frac{H'(s)}{Q_i'(s)} = \frac{0.12}{11.28s + 1}$$

For tank 2,

$$A\frac{dh}{dt} = C(q_i - q)$$

$$AsH'(s) = CQ'_{i}(s)$$
 , $\frac{H'(s)}{Q'_{i}(s)} = \frac{0.011}{s}$

b)
$$Q_i'(s) = 20/s$$

For tank 1,
$$H'(s) = \frac{2.4}{s(11.28s+1)} = \frac{2.4}{s} - \frac{27.1}{11.28s+1}$$

 $h(t) = 6 + 2.4(1 - e^{-t/11.28})$

For tank 2,
$$H'(s) = 0.22/s^2$$

$$h(t) = 6 + 0.22t$$

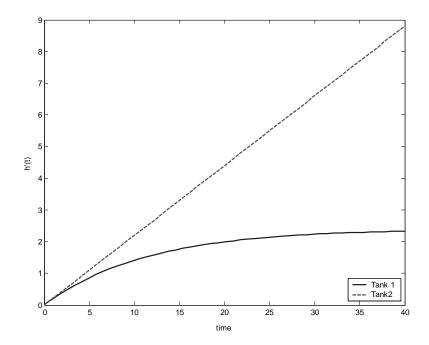


Fig S5.9. *Transient response in tanks 1 and 2 for a step input.*

c) For tank 1,
$$h(\infty) = 6 + 2.4 - 0 = 8.4$$
 ft

For tank 2,
$$h(\infty) = 6 + (0.22 \times \infty) = \infty$$
 ft

d) For tank 1,
$$8 = 6 + 2.4(1 - e^{-t/11.28})$$

 $h = 8$ ft at $t = 20.1$ min
For tank 2, $8 = 6 + 0.22t$
 $h = 8$ ft at $t = 9.4$ min

Tank 2 overflows first, at 9.4 min.

a) The dynamic behavior of the liquid level is given by

$$\frac{d^2h'}{dt} + A\frac{dh'}{dt} + Bh' = C p'(t)$$

where

$$A = \frac{6\mu}{R^2\rho}$$
 $B = \frac{3g}{2L}$ and $C = \frac{3}{4\rho L}$

Taking the Laplace Transform and assuming initial values = 0

$$s^{2}H'(s) + AsH'(s) + BH'(s) = CP'(s)$$

or
$$H'(s) = \frac{C/B}{\frac{1}{B}s^2 + \frac{A}{B}s + 1}P'(s)$$

We want the previous equation to have the form

$$H'(s) = \frac{K}{\tau^2 s^2 + 2\zeta \tau s + 1} P'(s)$$

Hence
$$K = C/B = \frac{1}{2\rho g}$$

$$\tau^2 = \frac{1}{B} \qquad \text{then } \tau = \sqrt{1/B} = \left(\frac{2L}{3g}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$2\zeta\tau = \frac{A}{B} \qquad \text{then } \zeta = \frac{3\mu}{R^2\rho} \left(\frac{2L}{3g}\right)^{1/2}$$

b) The manometer response oscillates as long as $0 < \zeta < 1$ or

$$0 < \frac{3\mu}{R^2\rho} \left(\frac{2L}{3g}\right)^{1/2} < 1$$

b) If ρ is larger , then ζ is smaller and the response would be more oscillatory.

If μ is larger, then ζ is larger and the response would be less oscillatory.

$$Y(s) = \frac{KM}{s^2(\tau s + 1)} = \frac{K_1}{s^2} + \frac{K_2}{s(\tau s + 1)}$$
$$K_1 \tau s + K_1 + K_2 s = KM$$
$$K_1 = KM$$
$$K_2 = -K_1 \tau = -KM \tau$$

Hence

$$Y(s) = \frac{KM}{s^2} - \frac{KM\tau}{s(\tau s + 1)}$$

or

$$y(t) = KMt - KM\tau (1 - e^{-t/\tau})$$

After a long enough time, we can simplify to

$$y(t) \approx KMt - KM\tau$$
 (linear)
 $slope = KM$
 $intercept = -KM\tau$

That way we can get K and τ

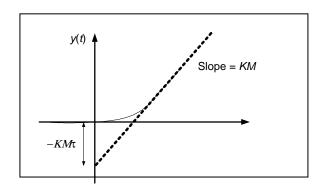


Figure S5.11. Time domain response and parameter evaluation

a)
$$\ddot{y} + K\dot{y} + 4y = x$$

Assuming $y(0) = \dot{y}(0) = 0$

$$\frac{Y(s)}{X(s)} = \frac{1}{s^2 + Ks + 4} = \frac{0.25}{0.25s^2 + 0.25Ks + 1}$$

b) Characteristic equation is

$$s^2 + Ks + 4 = 0$$

The roots are
$$s = \frac{-K \pm \sqrt{K^2 - 16}}{2}$$

-10
$$\leq K <$$
 -4 Roots : positive real, distinct
Response : $A + B e^{t/\tau_1} + C e^{t/\tau_2}$

$$K = -4$$
 Roots : positive real, repeated Response : $A + Be^{t/\tau} + C e^{t/\tau}$

-4 <
$$K$$
 < 0 Roots: complex with positive real part.
Response: $A + e^{\zeta t/\tau} (B \cos \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \frac{t}{\tau} + C \sin \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \frac{t}{\tau})$

$$K = 0$$
 Roots: imaginary, zero real part.
Response: $A + B \cos t/\tau + C \sin t/\tau$

$$0 < K < 4$$
 Roots: complex with negative real part.
Response: $A + e^{-\zeta t/\tau} (B \cos \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2} \frac{t}{\tau} + C \sin \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2} \frac{t}{\tau})$

$$K = 4$$
 Roots: negative real, repeated.
Response: $A + Be^{-t/\tau} + C t e^{-t/\tau}$

$$4 < K \le 10$$
 Roots: negative real, distinct Response: $A + B e^{-t/\tau_1} + C e^{-t/\tau_2}$

Response will converge in region $0 < K \le 10$, and will not converge in region $-10 \le K \le 0$

a) The solution of a critically-damped second-order process to a step change of magnitude *M* is given by Eq. 5-50 in text.

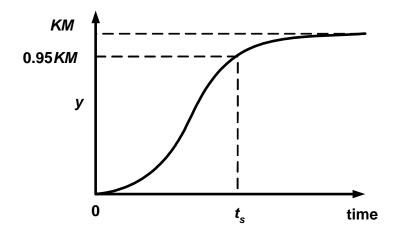
$$y(t) = KM \left[1 - \left(1 + \frac{t}{\tau} \right) e^{-t/\tau} \right]$$

Rearranging

$$\frac{y}{KM} = 1 - \left(1 + \frac{t}{\tau}\right)e^{-t/\tau}$$

$$\left(1 + \frac{t}{\tau}\right)e^{-t/\tau} = 1 - \frac{y}{KM}$$

When y/KM = 0.95, the response is 0.05 KM below the steady-state value.



$$\left(1 + \frac{t_s}{\tau}\right) e^{-t/\tau} = 1 - 0.95 = 0.05$$

$$\ln\left(1 + \frac{t_s}{\tau}\right) - \frac{t_s}{\tau} = \ln(0.05) = -3.00$$

Let
$$E = \ln\left(1 + \frac{t_s}{\tau}\right) - \frac{t_s}{\tau} + 3$$

and find value of $\frac{t_s}{\tau}$ that makes $E \approx 0$ by trial-and-error.

<i>t</i> _s /τ	Ε
4	0.6094
5	-0.2082
4.5	0.2047
4.75	-0.0008

 \therefore a value of $t = 4.75\tau$ is t_s , the settling time.

b)
$$Y(s) = \frac{Ka}{s^2(\tau s + 1)^2} = \frac{a_1}{s} + \frac{a_2}{s^2} + \frac{a_3}{\tau s + 1} + \frac{a_4}{(\tau s + 1)^2}$$

We know that the a_3 and a_4 terms are exponentials that go to zero for large values of time, leaving a linear response.

$$a_2 = \lim_{s \to 0} \frac{Ka}{(\tau s + 1)^2} = Ka$$

Define
$$Q(s) = \frac{Ka}{(\tau s + 1)^2}$$

$$\frac{dQ}{ds} = \frac{-2Ka\tau}{(\tau s + 1)^3}$$

Then
$$a_I = \frac{1}{1!} \lim_{s \to 0} \left[\frac{-2Ka\tau}{(\tau s + 1)^3} \right]$$

(from Eq. 3-62)

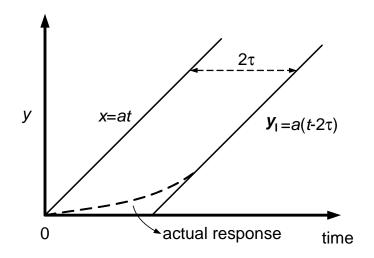
$$a_1 = -2 Ka\tau$$

: the long-time response (after transients have died out) is

$$y_{\ell}(t) = Kat - 2Ka\tau = Ka(t - 2\tau)$$

= $a(t - 2\tau)$ for $K = 1$

and we see that the output lags the input by a time equal to 2τ .



a) Gain =
$$\frac{11.2\text{mm} - 8\text{mm}}{31\text{psi} - 15\text{psi}} = 0.20\text{mm/psi}$$
Overshoot =
$$\frac{12.7\text{mm} - 11.2\text{mm}}{11.2\text{mm} - 8\text{mm}} = 0.47$$
Overshoot =
$$\exp\left(\frac{-\pi\zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\right) = 0.47$$
, $\zeta = 0.234$

Period =
$$\left(\frac{2\pi\tau}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\right)$$
 = 2.3 sec

$$\tau = 2.3 \text{ sec} \times \frac{\sqrt{1-0.234^2}}{2\pi} = 0.356 \text{ sec}$$

$$\frac{R'(s)}{P'(s)} = \frac{0.2}{0.127s^2 + 0.167s + 1}$$
(1)

b) From Eq. 1, taking the inverse Laplace transform,

$$0.127 \ddot{R}' + 0.167 \dot{R}' + R' = 0.2 P'$$

$$\ddot{R}' = \ddot{R} \qquad \dot{R}' = \dot{R} \qquad R' = R-8 \qquad P' = P-15$$

$$0.127 \ddot{R} + 0.167 \dot{R} + R = 0.2 P + 5$$

$$\ddot{R} + 1.31 \dot{R} + 7.88 R = 1.57 P + 39.5$$

$$\frac{P'(s)}{T'(s)} = \frac{3}{(3)^2 s^2 + 2(0.7)(3)s + 1}$$
 [°C/kW]

Note that the input change p'(t) = 26 - 20 = 6 kw

Since *K* is 3 °C/kW, the output change in going to the new steady state will be

$$T'_{t\to\infty} = (3^{\circ} C / \text{kW}) (6 \text{kW}) = 18^{\circ} \text{C}$$

a) Therefore the expression for T(t) is Eq. 5-51

$$T(t) = 70^{\circ} + 18^{\circ} \left\{ 1 - e^{-\frac{0.7t}{3}} \left(\cos \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - (0.7)^{2}}}{3} t \right) + \frac{0.7}{\sqrt{1 - (0.7)^{2}}} \sin \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - (0.7)^{2}}}{\tau} t \right) \right) \right\}$$

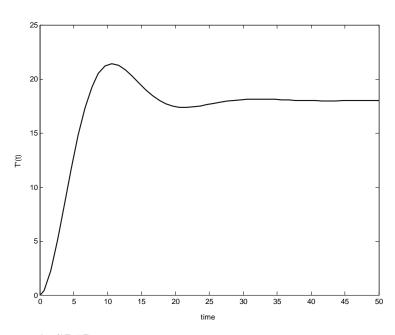


Fig S5.15. Process temperature response for a step input

b) The overshoot can obtained from Eq. 5-52 or Fig. 5.11. From Figure 5.11 we see that OS \approx 0.05 for ζ =0.7. This means that maximum temperature is

$$T_{max} \approx 70^{\circ} + (18)(1.05) = 70 + 18.9 = 88.9^{\circ}$$

From Fig S5.15 we obtain a more accurate value.

The time at which this maximum occurs can be calculated by taking derivative of Eq. 5-51 or by inspection of Fig. 5.8. From the figure we see that $t / \tau = 3.8$ at the point where an (interpolated) ζ =0.7 line would be.

$$\therefore$$
 $t_{max} \approx 3.8 \text{ (3 min)} = 11.4 \text{ minutes}$

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For underdamped responses,

$$y(t) = KM \left\{ 1 - e^{-\zeta t/\tau} \left[\cos \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}}{\tau} t \right) + \frac{\zeta}{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}} \sin \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}}{\tau} t \right) \right] \right\}$$
 (5-51)

a) At the response peaks,

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = KM \left\{ \frac{\zeta}{\tau} e^{-\zeta_t/\tau} \left[\cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}t\right) + \frac{\zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}t\right) \right] - e^{-\zeta_t/\tau} \left[-\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau} \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}t\right) + \frac{\zeta}{\tau} \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}t\right) \right] \right\} = 0$$

Since $KM \neq 0$ and $e^{-\zeta t/\tau} \neq 0$

$$0 = \left(\frac{\zeta}{\tau} - \frac{\zeta}{\tau}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}t\right) + \left(\frac{\zeta^2}{\tau\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} + \frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}t\right)$$

$$0 = \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}t\right) = \sin n\pi \quad , \quad t = n\frac{\pi\tau}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}$$

where n is the number of the peak.

Time to the first peak, $t_p = \frac{\pi \tau}{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}}$

b) Overshoot, OS =
$$\frac{y(t_p) - KM}{KM}$$

$$OS = -\exp\left(\frac{-\zeta t}{\tau}\right) \left[\cos(\pi) + \frac{\zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\sin(\pi)\right]$$
$$= \exp\left[\frac{-\zeta \tau \pi}{\tau \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\right] = \exp\left[\frac{-\pi \zeta}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\right]$$

c) Decay ratio, DR = $\frac{y(t_{3p}) - KM}{y(t_p) - KM}$

where $y(t_{3p}) = \frac{3\pi\tau}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}$ is the time to the third peak.

$$DR = \frac{KM \ e^{-\zeta t_{3p}/\tau}}{KM \ e^{-\zeta t_{p}/\tau}} = \exp\left[-\frac{\zeta}{\tau}(t_{3p} - t_{p})\right] = \exp\left[-\frac{\zeta}{\tau}\left(\frac{2\pi\tau}{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^{2}}}\right)\right]$$
$$= \exp\left[\frac{-2\pi\zeta}{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^{2}}}\right] = (OS)^{2}$$

d) Consider the trigonometric identity

 $\sin (A+B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$

Let
$$B = \left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}{\tau}t\right)$$
, $\sin A = \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}$, $\cos A = \zeta$

$$y(t) = KM \left\{1 - e^{-\zeta t/\tau} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} \left[\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}\cos B + \zeta\sin B\right]\right\}$$

$$= KM \left\{1 - \frac{e^{-\zeta t/\tau}}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\sin(A+B)\right\}$$

Hence for $t \ge t_s$, the settling time,

$$\begin{split} &\left|\frac{e^{-\zeta t/\tau}}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\right| \leq 0.05 \quad , \text{ or } \quad t \geq -\ln\left(0.05\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}\right)\frac{\tau}{\zeta} \end{split}$$
 Therefore,
$$t_s \geq \frac{\tau}{\zeta}\ln\left(\frac{20}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\right)$$

a) Assume underdamped second-order model (exhibits overshoot)

$$K = \frac{\Delta \text{output}}{\Delta \text{input}} = \frac{10 - 6 \text{ ft}}{140 - 120 \text{ gal/min}} = 0.2 \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{gal/min}}$$

Fraction overshoot =
$$\frac{11-10}{10-6} = \frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$

From Fig 5.11, this corresponds (approx) to $\zeta = 0.4$

From Fig. 5.8, $\zeta = 0.4$, we note that $t_p/\tau \approx 3.5$

Since $t_p = 4$ minutes (from problem statement), $\tau = 1.14$ min

$$G_p(s) = \frac{0.2}{(1.14)^2 s^2 + 2(0.4)(1.14)s + 1} = \frac{0.2}{1.31s^2 + 0.91s + 1}$$

b) In Chapter 6 we see that a 2nd-order overdamped process model with a numerator term can exhibit overshoot. But if the process is underdamped, it is unique.

5.18

a) Assuming constant volume and density,

Overall material balances yield: $q_2 = q_1 = q$ (1)

Component material balances:

$$V_1 \frac{dc_1}{dt} = q(c_i - c_1) \tag{2}$$

$$V_2 \frac{dc_2}{dt} = q(c_1 - c_2) \tag{3}$$

b) Degrees of freedom analysis

3 Parameters : V_1 , V_2 , q

3 Variables : c_i , c_1 , c_2

2 Equations: (2) and (3)

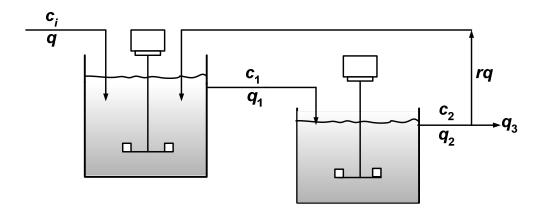
$$N_F = N_V - N_E = 3 - 2 = 1$$

Hence one input must be a specified function of time.

2 Outputs = c_1 , c_2

1 Input = c_i

c) If a recycle stream is used



Overall material balances:

$$q_1 = (1+r)q \tag{4}$$

$$q_2 = q_1 = (1+r)q (5)$$

$$q_3 = q_2 - rq = (1+r)q - rq = q \tag{6}$$

Component material balances:

$$V_{1}\frac{dc_{1}}{dt} = qc_{i} + rqc_{2} - (1+r)qc_{1}$$
(7)

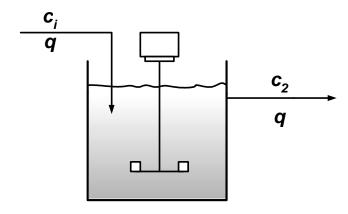
$$V_2 \frac{dc_2}{dt} = (1+r)qc_1 - (1+r)qc_2 \tag{8}$$

Degrees of freedom analysis is the same except now we have

4 parameters : V_1 , V_2 , q, r

d) If $r \to \infty$, there will a large amount of mixing between the two tanks as a result of the very high internal circulation.

Thus the process acts like



Total Volume = $V_1 + V_2$

Model:

$$(V_1 + V_2)\frac{dc_2}{dt} = q(c_i - c_2)$$
(9)

$$c_1 = c_2$$
 (complete internal mixing) (10)

Degrees of freedom analysis is same as part b)

5.19

a) For the original system,

$$A_{1} \frac{dh_{1}}{dt} = Cq_{i} - \frac{h_{1}}{R_{1}}$$
$$A_{2} \frac{dh_{2}}{dt} = \frac{h_{1}}{R_{1}} - \frac{h_{2}}{R_{2}}$$

where $A_1 = A_2 = \pi(3)^2/4 = 7.07 \text{ ft}^2$

$$C = 0.1337 \frac{\text{ft}^3/\text{min}}{\text{gpm}}$$

$$R_1 = R_2 = \frac{\overline{h}_1}{C\overline{q}_i} = \frac{2.5}{0.1337 \times 100} = 0.187 \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{ft}^3/\text{min}}$$

Using deviation variables and taking Laplace transforms,

$$\frac{H_1'(s)}{Q_i'(s)} = \frac{C}{A_1 s + \frac{1}{R_1}} = \frac{CR_1}{A_1 R_1 s + 1} = \frac{0.025}{1.32 s + 1}$$

$$\frac{H_2'(s)}{H_1'(s)} = \frac{1/R_1}{A_2 s + \frac{1}{R_2}} = \frac{R_2/R_1}{A_2 R_2 s + 1} = \frac{1}{1.32 s + 1}$$

$$\frac{H_2'(s)}{Q_i'(s)} = \frac{0.025}{(1.32 s + 1)^2}$$

For step change in q_i of magnitude M,

$$h'_{1\text{max}} = 0.025M$$
 $h'_{2\text{max}} = 0.025M$ since the second-order transfer function
$$\frac{0.025}{(1.32s+1)^2} \text{ is critically damped } (\zeta=1), \text{ not underdamped}$$
Hence $M_{max} = \frac{2.5 \text{ ft}}{0.025 \text{ ft/gpm}} = 100 \text{ gpm}$

For the modified system,

$$A \frac{dh}{dt} = Cq_i - \frac{h}{R}$$

$$A = \pi(4)^2 / 4 = 12.6 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$V = V_1 + V_2 = 2 \times 7.07 \text{ ft}^2 \times 5 \text{ ft} = 70.7 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$h_{max} = V/A = 5.62 \text{ ft}$$

$$R = \frac{\overline{h}}{C\overline{q}_i} = \frac{0.5 \times 5.62}{0.1337 \times 100} = 0.21 \frac{\text{ ft}}{\text{ ft}^3/\text{min}}$$

$$\frac{H'(s)}{Q'_i(s)} = \frac{C}{As + \frac{1}{R}} = \frac{CR}{ARs + 1} = \frac{0.0281}{2.64s + 1}$$

$$h'_{max} = 0.0281M$$

$$M_{max} = \frac{2.81 \text{ ft}}{0.0281 \text{ ft/gpm}} = 100 \text{ gpm}$$

Hence, both systems can handle the same maximum step disturbance in q_i .

b) For step change of magnitude M, $Q'_i(s) = \frac{M}{s}$

For original system,

$$Q_2'(s) = \frac{1}{R_2} H_2'(s) = \frac{1}{0.187} \frac{0.025}{(1.32s+1)^2} \frac{M}{s}$$

$$= 0.134 M \left[\frac{1}{s} - \frac{1.32}{(1.32s+1)} - \frac{1.32}{(1.32s+1)^2} \right]$$

$$q_2'(t) = 0.134 M \left[1 - \left(1 + \frac{t}{1.32} \right) e^{-t/1.32} \right]$$

For modified system,

$$Q'(s) = \frac{1}{R}H'(s) = \frac{1}{0.21} \frac{0.0281}{(2.64s+1)} \frac{M}{s} = 0.134M \left[\frac{1}{s} - \frac{2.64}{2.64s+1} \right]$$
$$q'(t) = 0.134M \left[1 - e^{-t/2.64} \right]$$

Original system provides better damping since $q'_2(t) < q'(t)$ for t < 3.4.

5.20

a) Caustic balance for the tank,

$$\rho V \frac{dC}{dt} = w_1 c_1 + w_2 c_2 - wc$$

Since V is constant, $w = w_1 + w_2 = 10 \text{ lb/min}$

For constant flows,

$$\rho VsC'(s) = w_1C_1'(s) + w_2C_2'(s) - wC'(s)$$

$$\frac{C'(s)}{C'_1(s)} = \frac{w_1}{\rho V s + w} = \frac{5}{(70)(7)s + 10} = \frac{0.5}{49s + 1}$$

$$\frac{C'_m(s)}{C'(s)} = \frac{K}{\tau s + 1}$$
, $K = (3-0)/3 = 1$, $\tau \approx 6 \text{ sec} = 0.1 \text{ min}$ (from the graph)

$$\frac{C'_m(s)}{C'_1(s)} = \frac{1}{(0.1s+1)} \frac{0.5}{(49s+1)} = \frac{0.5}{(0.1s+1)(49s+1)}$$

b)
$$C'_{1}(s) = \frac{3}{s}$$

$$C'_{m}(s) = \frac{1.5}{s(0.1s+1)(49s+1)}$$

$$c'_{m}(t) = 1.5 \left[1 + \frac{1}{(49-0.1)} (0.1e^{-t/0.1} - 49e^{-t/49}) \right]$$

c)
$$C'_{m}(s) = \frac{0.5}{(49s+1)} \frac{3}{s} = \frac{1.5}{s(49s+1)}$$
$$c'_{m}(t) = 1.5(1 - e^{-t/49})$$

d) The responses in b) and c) are nearly the same. Hence the dynamics of the conductivity cell are negligible.

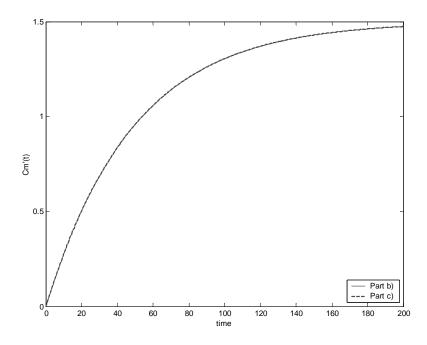


Fig S5.20. *Step responses for parts b) and c)*

Assumptions:

- 1) Perfectly mixed reactor
- 2) Constant fluid properties and heat of reaction
- a) Component balance for A,

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

Energy balance for the tank,

$$\rho VC \frac{dT}{dt} = \rho q C(T_i - T) + (-\Delta H_R) Vk(T) c_A$$
 (2)

Since a transfer function with respect to c_{Ai} is desired, assume the other inputs, namely q and T_i , are constant. Linearize (1) and (2) and note that

$$\frac{dc_A}{dt} = \frac{dc'_A}{dt} , \frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{dT'}{dt},$$

$$V\frac{dc_A'}{dt} = qc_{Ai}' - (q + Vk(\overline{T}))c_A' - V\overline{c}_A k(\overline{T})\frac{20000}{\overline{T}^2}T'$$
(3)

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

Taking Laplace transforms and rearranging

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

$$\left[\rho VCs + \rho qC - (-\Delta H_R)V\overline{c}_A k(\overline{T}) \frac{20000}{\overline{T}^2}\right] T'(s) = (-\Delta H_R)Vk(\overline{T})C'_A(s) \quad (6)$$

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

$$\frac{T'(s)}{C'_{A}(s)} = \frac{(-\Delta H_R)Vk(\overline{T})q}{\left[Vs + q + Vk(\overline{T})\right]\left[\rho VCs + \rho qC - (-\Delta H_R)V\overline{c}_{A}k(\overline{T})\frac{20000}{\overline{T}^2}\right] + (-\Delta H_R)V^2\overline{c}_{A}k^2(\overline{T})\frac{20000}{\overline{T}^2}}$$

(7)

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

$$\overline{c}_A = \frac{q\overline{c}_{Ai}}{q + Vk(\overline{T})} = 0.001155 \text{ lb mol/cu.ft.}$$

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

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

For step response, $C'_{Ai}(s) = 1/s$

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

$$T'(t) = 11.38 \left[1 + \frac{1}{(50 - 0.0722)} (0.0722e^{-t/0.0722} - 50e^{-t/50}) \right]$$

A first-order approximation of the transfer function is

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

For step response,
$$T'(s) = \frac{11.38}{s(50s+1)}$$
 or $T'(t) = 11.38[1 - e^{-t/50}]$

The two step responses are very close to each other hence the approximation is valid.

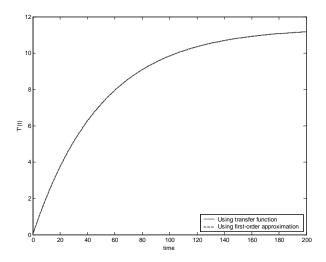


Fig S5.21. Step responses for the 2^{nd} order t.f and 1^{st} order approx.

$$(\tau_a s + I) Y_I(s) = K_I U_I(s) + K_b Y_2(s)$$
 (1)

$$(\tau_b s + I) Y_2(s) = K_2 U_2(s) + Y_I(s)$$
 (2)

a) Since the only transfer functions requested involve $U_I(s)$, we can let $U_2(s)$ be zero. Then, substituting for $Y_I(s)$ from (2)

$$Y_1(s) = (\tau_b s + 1)Y_2(s)$$
 (3)

$$(\tau_a s + 1)(\tau_b s + 1)Y_2(s) = K_1 U_1(s) + K_b Y_2(s) \tag{4}$$

Rearranging (4)

$$[(\tau_a s + 1)(\tau_b s + 1) - K_b]Y_2(s) = K_1 U_1(s)$$

$$\therefore \frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{K_1}{(\tau_a s + 1)(\tau_b s + 1) - K_b}$$
 (5)

Also, since

$$\frac{Y_1(s)}{Y_2(s)} = \tau_b s + 1 \tag{6}$$

From (5) and (6)

$$\frac{Y_1(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} \times \frac{Y_1(s)}{Y_2(s)} = \frac{K_1(\tau_b s + 1)}{(\tau_a s + 1)(\tau_b s + 1) - K_b}$$
(7)

b) The gain is the change in y_1 (or y_2) for a unit step change in u_1 . Using the FVT with $U_1(s) = 1/s$.

$$y_2(t \to \infty) = \lim_{s \to 0} \left[s \frac{K_1}{(\tau_a s + 1)(\tau_b s + 1) - K_b} \frac{1}{s} \right] = \frac{K_1}{1 - K_b}$$

This is the gain of TF $Y_2(s)/U_1(s)$.

Alternatively,

$$K = \lim_{s \to 0} \left[\frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} \right] = \lim_{s \to 0} \left[\frac{K_1}{(\tau_a s + 1)(\tau_b s + 1) - K_b} \right] = \frac{K_1}{1 - K_b}$$

For $Y_1(s)/U_1(s)$

$$y_1(t \to \infty) = \lim_{s \to 0} \left[s \frac{K_1(\tau_b s + 1)}{(\tau_a s + 1)(\tau_b s + 1) - K_b} \frac{1}{s} \right] = \frac{K_1}{1 - K_b}$$

In other words, the gain of each transfer function is $\frac{K_1}{1-K_b}$

c)
$$\frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{K_1}{(\tau_a s + 1)(\tau_b s + 1) - K_b}$$
 (5)

Second-order process but the denominator is not in standard form, i.e., $\tau^2 s^2 + 2\zeta \tau s + 1$

Put it in that form

$$\frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{K_1}{\tau_a \tau_b s^2 + (\tau_a + \tau_b) s + 1 - K_b}$$
(8)

Dividing through by 1- K_b

$$\frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{K_1/(1 - K_b)}{\frac{\tau_a \tau_b}{1 - K_b} s^2 + \frac{(\tau_a + \tau_b)}{1 - K_b} s + 1}$$
(9)

Now we see that the gain $K = K_1/(1-K_b)$, as before

$$\tau^2 = \frac{\tau_a \tau_b}{1 - K_b} \qquad \qquad \tau = \sqrt{\frac{\tau_a \tau_b}{1 - K_b}} \tag{10}$$

$$2\zeta \tau = \frac{\tau_a + \tau_b}{1 - K_b}$$
, then

$$\zeta = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\tau_{a} + \tau_{b}}{1 - K_{b}} \sqrt{\frac{1 - K_{b}}{\tau_{a} \tau_{b}}} = \left[\frac{1}{2} \frac{\tau_{a} + \tau_{b}}{\sqrt{\tau_{a} \tau_{b}}} \right] \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - K_{b}}}$$
(11)

Investigating Eq. 11 we see that the quantity in brackets is the same as ζ for an overdamped 2^{nd} -order system (ζ_{OD}) [from Eq. 5-43 in text].

$$\zeta = \frac{\zeta_{\text{OD}}}{\sqrt{1 - K_b}}$$
where
$$\zeta_{\text{OD}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\tau_{\text{a}} + \tau_{\text{b}}}{\sqrt{\tau_{\text{a}} + \tau_{\text{b}}}}$$
(12)

Since
$$\zeta_{\text{OD}} > 1$$
, $\zeta > 1$, for all $0 < K_b < 1$.

In other words, since the quantity in brackets is the value of ζ for an overdamped system (i.e. for $\tau_a \neq \tau_b$ is >1) and $\sqrt{1-K_b}$ <1 for any positive K_b , we can say that this process will be more overdamped (larger ζ) if K_b is positive and <1.

For negative K_b we can find the value of K_b that makes $\zeta = 1$, i.e., yields a critically-damped 2^{nd} -order system.

$$\zeta = 1 = \frac{\zeta_{\text{OD}}}{\sqrt{1 - K_{b1}}}$$
or
$$1 = \frac{\zeta_{\text{OD}}^{2}}{1 - K_{b1}}$$
(13)

$$1 - K_{b1} = \zeta_{OD}^{2} K_{b1} = 1 - \zeta_{OD}^{2}$$
 (14)

where

 $K_{b1} < 0$ is the value of K_b that yields a critically-damped process.

Summarizing, the system is overdamped for $1 - \zeta_{OD}^2 < K_b < 1$.

Regarding the integrator form, note that

$$\frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{K_1}{\tau_a \tau_b s^2 + (\tau_a + \tau_b) s + 1 - K_b}$$
(8)

For $K_b = 1$

$$\frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{K_1}{\tau_a \tau_b s^2 + (\tau_a + \tau_b) s} = \frac{K_1}{s [\tau_a \tau_b s + (\tau_a + \tau_b)]}$$
$$= \frac{K_1 / (\tau_a + \tau_b)}{s [\frac{\tau_a \tau_b}{\tau_a + \tau_b} s + 1]}$$

which has the form $=\frac{K_1'}{s(\tau's+1)}$ (s indicates presence of integrator)

d) Return to Eq. 8

System A:

$$\frac{Y_2(s)}{U_1(s)} = \frac{K_1}{(2)(1)s^2 + (2+1)s + 1 - 0.5} = \frac{2K_1}{4s^2 + 6s + 1} = \frac{1}{4s^2 + 6s + 1}$$

$$\tau^2 = 4 \qquad \to \qquad \tau = 2$$

$$2\zeta\tau = 6 \qquad \to \qquad \zeta = 1.5$$

System B:

For system
$$\frac{1}{(2s+1)(s+1)} = \frac{1}{2s^2 + 3s + 1}$$

$$\tau_2^2 = 2 \qquad \to \qquad \tau_2 = \sqrt{2}$$

$$2\zeta_2\tau_2 = 3 \qquad \to \qquad \zeta_2 = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1.5}{\sqrt{2}} \approx 1.05$$

Since system A has larger τ (2 vs. $\sqrt{2}$) and larger ζ (1.5 vs 1.05), it will respond slower. These results correspond to our earlier analysis.