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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING

EEE 307: NETWORK ANALYSIS & SYNTHESIS

DATE: 25/11/2020

TIME: 2.00-4.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

*Answer Question One and Any Other Two Questions
Show calculations where applicable*

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Given that the desired specifications of a Butterworth lowpass filter are as follows:
 $\alpha_{\max} = 3 \text{ dB}$, $\alpha_{\min} = 50 \text{ dB}$, $\omega_p = 1000 \text{ rad/s}$, and $\omega_s = 2500 \text{ rad/s}$, design the filter that meet the specifications given. (10 marks)

- b) Synthesis the following RC function in Cauer form I:

$$Z(s) = \frac{(s+1)(s+4)}{s(s+2)(s+5)} \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

- c) Test whether the following function is a positive real function or not

$$G(s) = \frac{4s(s^2 + 4)(s^2 + 16)}{(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 9)} \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

- d) For the circuit shown in Fig. Q1 d), determine
- the voltage ratio of $V_2(s)/V_1(s)$,
 - the current ratio $I_2(s)/I_1(s)$,
 - the transfer impedance $V_2(s)/I_1(s)$, and

iv. the driving point impedance $V_1(s)/I_1(s)$

(8 marks)

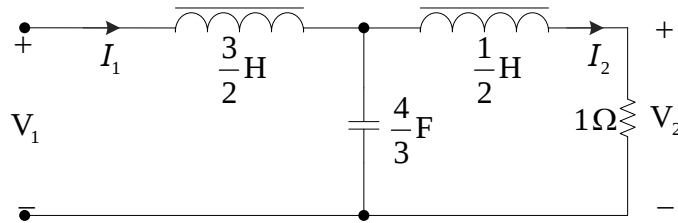


Fig. Q1 d)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Determine if the following function satisfies the analogue filter theorem design and plot the poles and zeros of the function on an s-plane. (6 marks)

$$X(\omega) = \frac{\omega^3 + 9\omega^2 + 26\omega + 24}{\omega^4 + 5\omega^2 + 4}$$

- b) Design an inverse Chebyshev low pass filter to satisfy the following specifications: $\omega_p = 750 \text{ rad/s}$, $\omega_s = 2500 \text{ rad/s}$, $\alpha_{\max} = 0.2 \text{ dB}$ and $\alpha_{\min} = 55 \text{ dB}$. (14 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Given that the desired specifications of a Chebyshev Type I lowpass filter are as follows: $\alpha_{\max} = 0.85 \text{ dB}$, $\alpha_{\min} = 35 \text{ dB}$, $\omega_p = 3,500 \text{ rad/s}$, and $\omega_s = 7,500 \text{ rad/s}$, design the filter the meet the specifications given. (9 marks)
- b) Realize the following LC function in Foster form I. (6 marks)

$$Z(s) = \frac{s(s^2 + 4)}{2(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 9)}$$

- c) Test whether the following transfer function is positive real. (5 marks)

$$F(s) = \frac{s^2 + 1}{s^3 + 4s}$$

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Synthesize a network which has the impedance function:

$$Z(s) = \frac{5s^3 + 2s^2 + 3s + 1}{5s^3 + 3s} \quad (8 \text{ marks})$$

- b) State the properties of R-C driving point impedance. (3 marks)

- c) Using the properties in b) above, test whether the following function is an R-C driving point impedance. (4 marks)

$$Z(s) = \frac{(s + 1.5)(s + 3.5)(s + 7)}{s(s + 2.5)(s + 5.5)}$$

- d) Synthesize the following function using Foster form II. (5 marks)

$$Z(s) = \frac{(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 3)}{s(s^2 + 2)(s^2 + 4)}$$

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Test whether the following function is a Hurwitz polynomial. (5 marks)

$$P(s) = s^7 + 2s^6 + 2s^5 + s^4 + 4s^3 + 8s^2 + 8s + 4$$

- b) Synthesize the following RC admittance function using Cauer form II $Y(s) = \frac{4s^2 + 6s}{s + 1}$. (5 marks)

- c) State three applications of analogue filters. (3 marks)

- c) Sketch the Chebyshev type I magnitude response for $n = 6$ (2 marks)

- d) Briefly explain five advantages of active filters as compared to the passive filters? (5 marks)