

Chapter 2 Model of control systems

1. Differential equation of control systems
(from physical and chemical principle)
2. Transfer function (definition and how to get)
3. Block diagram
4. Signal flow chart

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Transfer function:

$$G(s) = \frac{C(s)}{R(s)}$$

where

$$C(s) = L[c(t)] \quad C(t) \text{ is system output}$$

$$R(s) = L[r(t)] \quad r(t) \text{ is system input}$$

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Different forms of transfer function:

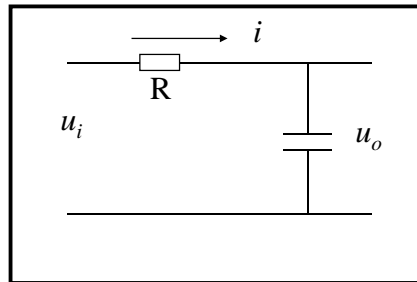
$$G(s) = \frac{b_m s^m + b_{m-1} s^{m-1} + \dots + b_1 s + b_0}{a_n + a_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0}$$

$$G(s) = \frac{K \prod_{i=1}^{m_1} (t_i s + 1) \prod_{k=1}^{m_2} [(\frac{s}{w_k})^2 + 2x_k (\frac{s}{w_k}) + 1]}{s^n \prod_{j=1}^{n_1} (T_j s + 1) \prod_{l=1}^{n_2} [(\frac{s}{w_l})^2 + 2x_l (\frac{s}{w_l}) + 1]}$$

$$G(s) = \frac{K_r (s + z_1)(s + z_2) \dots (s + z_m)}{s^n (s + p_1)(s + p_2) \dots (s + p_q)} = \frac{\prod_{i=1}^m (s + z_i)}{s^n \prod_{j=v+1}^q (s + p_j)}$$

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Example:



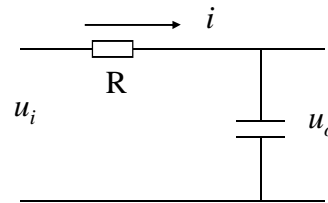
$$Ri(t) + \frac{1}{C} \int i(t) dt = u_i(t)$$

$$u_o(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int i(t) dt$$

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Eliminating $i(t)$, get

$$RC \frac{du_o(t)}{dt} + u_o(t) = u_i(t)$$



make Laplace transform:

$$(RCs + 1)U_o(s) = U_i(s)$$

$$\frac{U_o(s)}{U_i(s)} = \frac{1}{RCs + 1}$$

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Typical factors in transfer functions:

1. Amplifying factor:

$$G(s) = K$$

2. Inertial factor :

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{Ts + 1}$$

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3. differential factor

$$G(s) = Ks$$

4. First order numerator term

$$G(s) = ts + 1$$

5. Second order numerator term

$$G(s) = t^2s + 2xts + 1$$

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6. integral factor

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s}$$

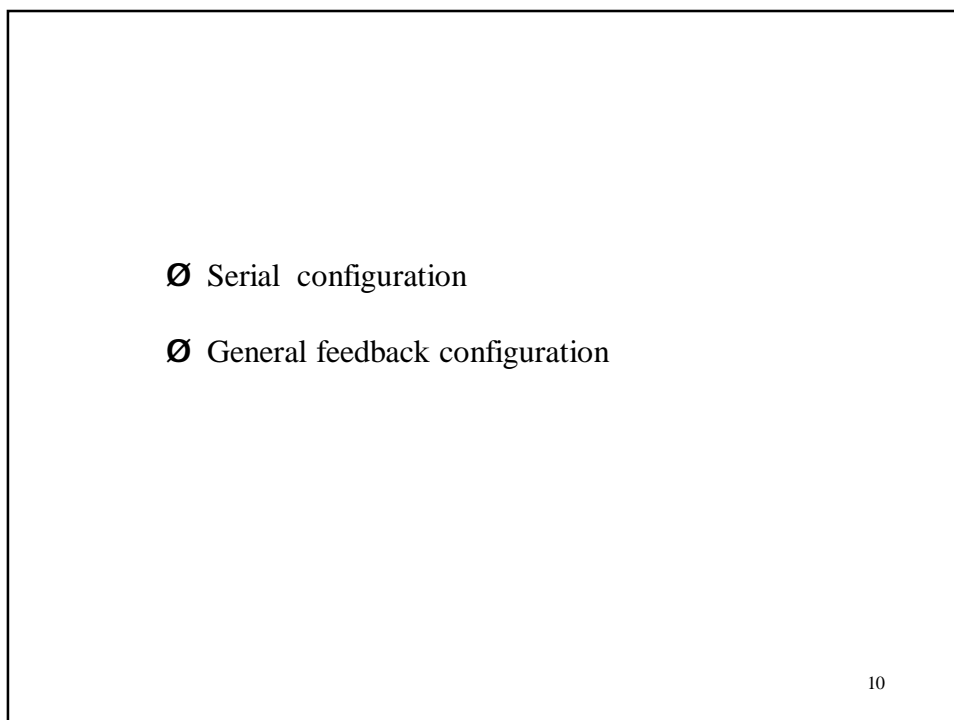
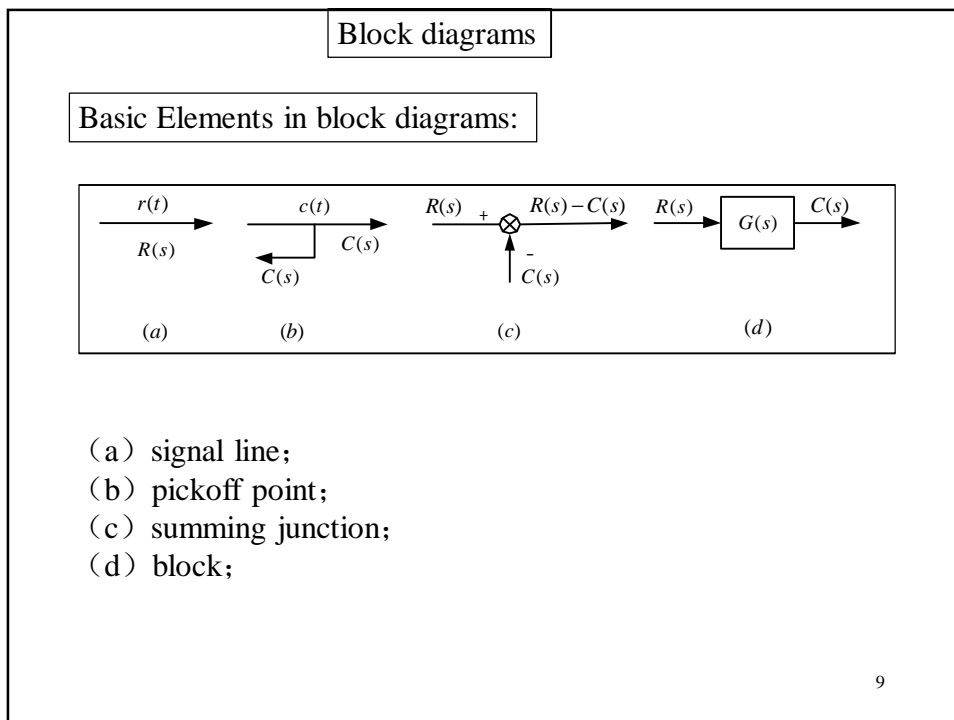
7. oscillatory factor

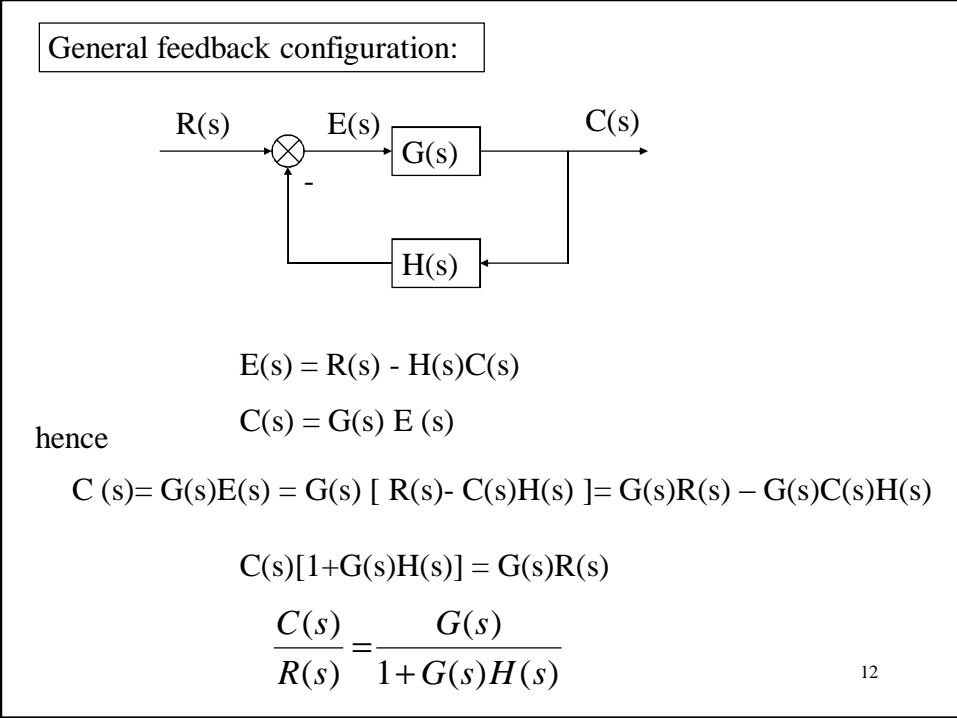
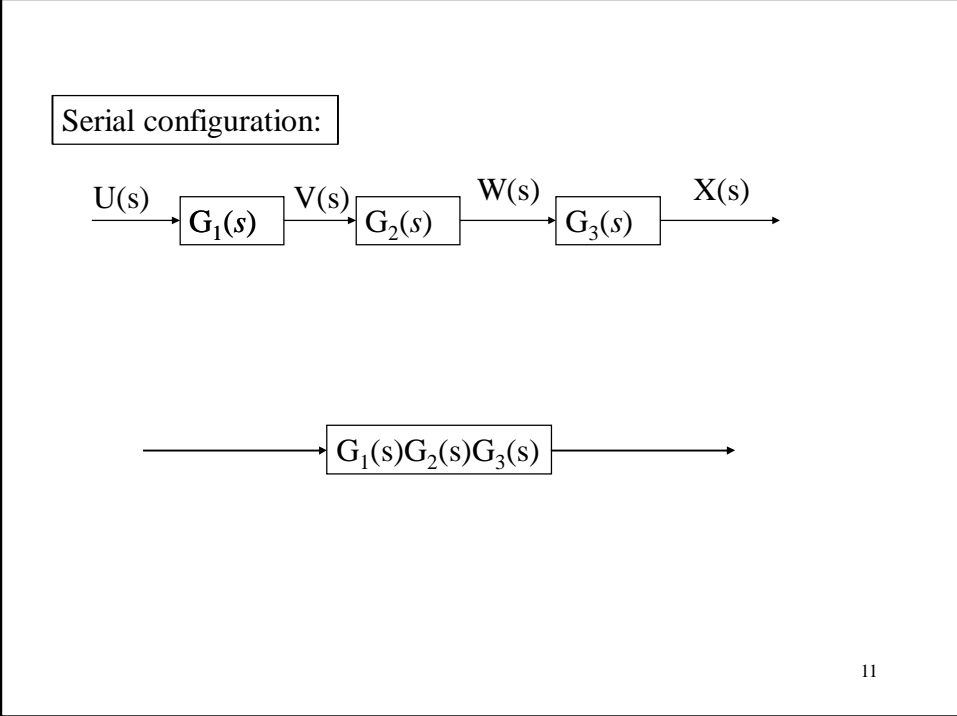
$$G(s) = \frac{w_n}{s^2 + 2zw_n s + w_n^2}$$

8. Time delay term

$$G(s) = e^{-ts}$$

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Simplification of block diagram

Block manipulation rules

in the process of

simplifying a block diagram

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Rule	Original block diagram	Equivalent Block diagram
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Block manipulation rules

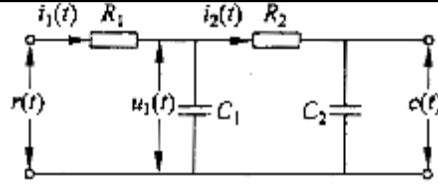
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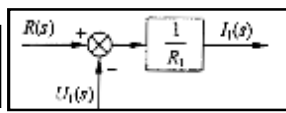
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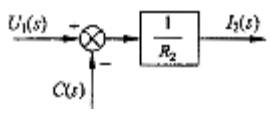
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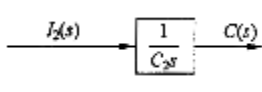
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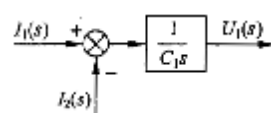
From the principles of the circuits:



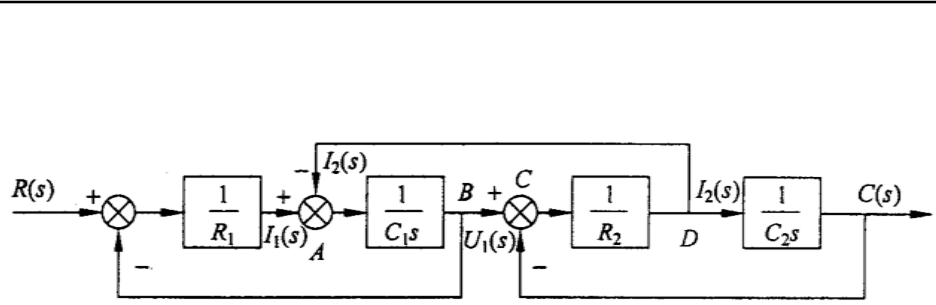
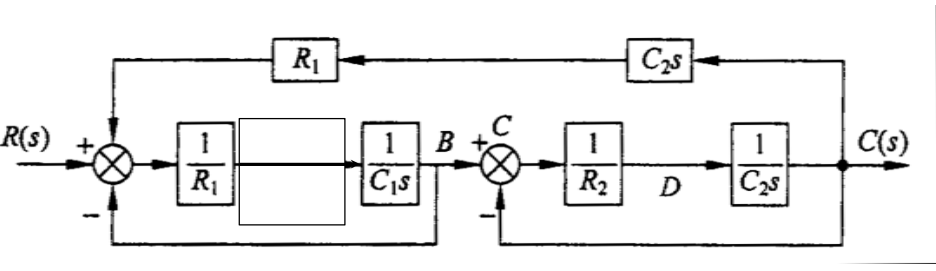
$$\frac{r(t) - u_1(t)}{R_1} = i_1(t)$$


$$\frac{u_1(t) - c(t)}{R_2} = i_2(t)$$


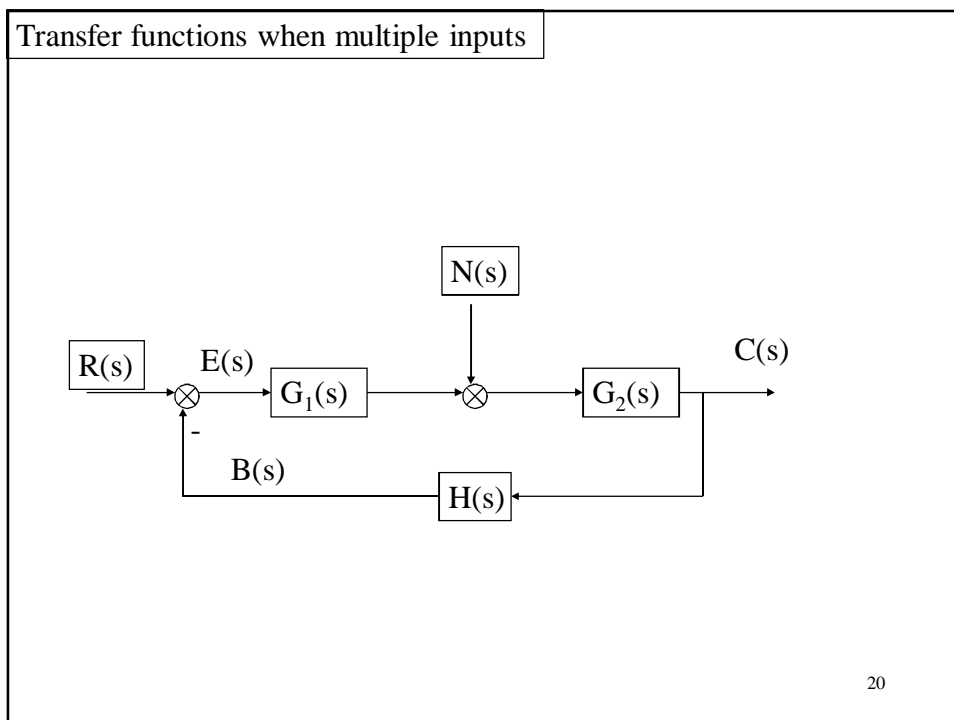
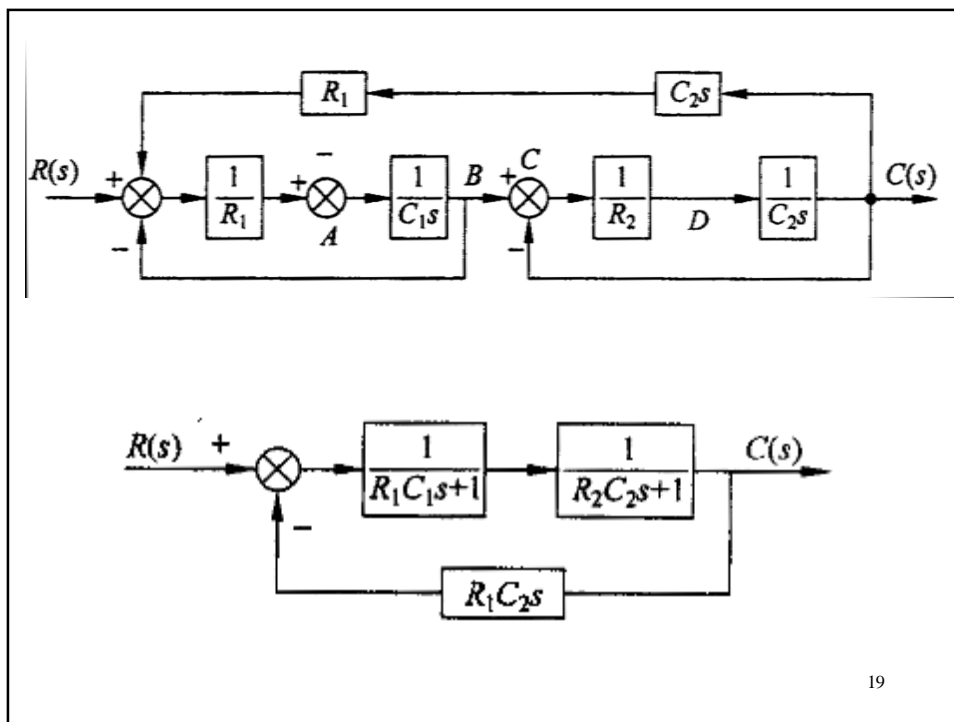
$$c(t) = \frac{1}{C_2} \int i_2(t) dt$$


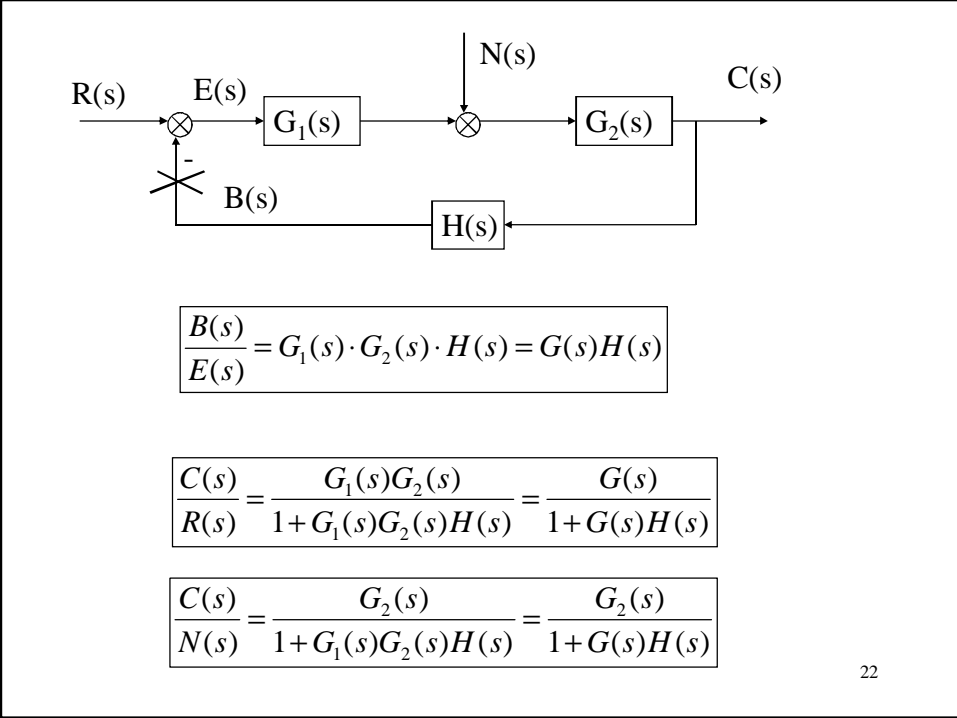
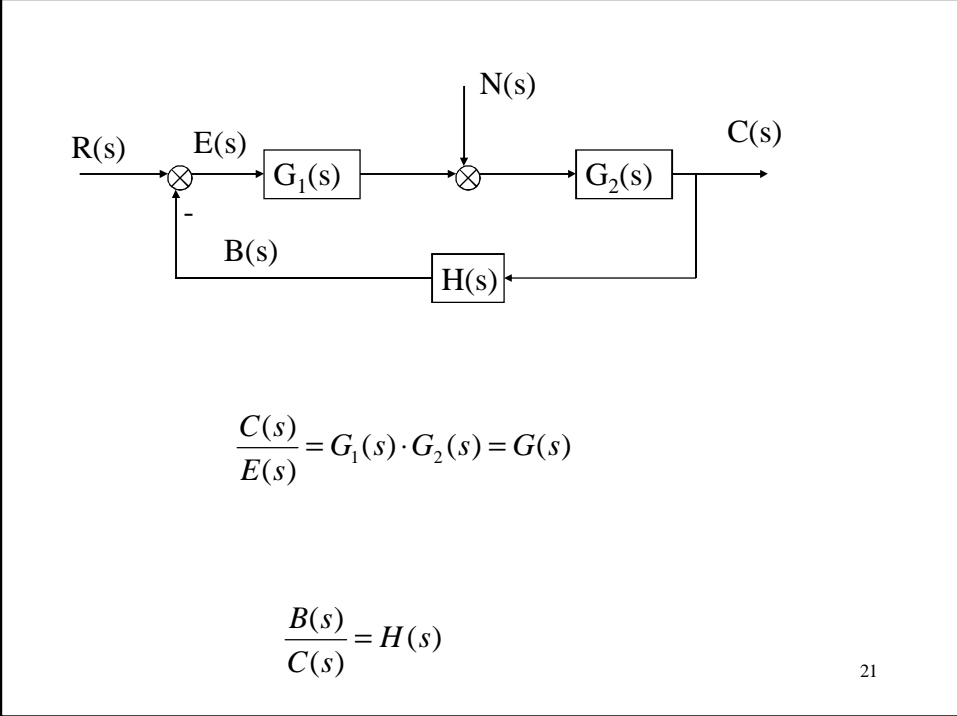
$$u_1(t) = \frac{1}{C_1} \int [i_1(t) - i_2(t)] dt$$


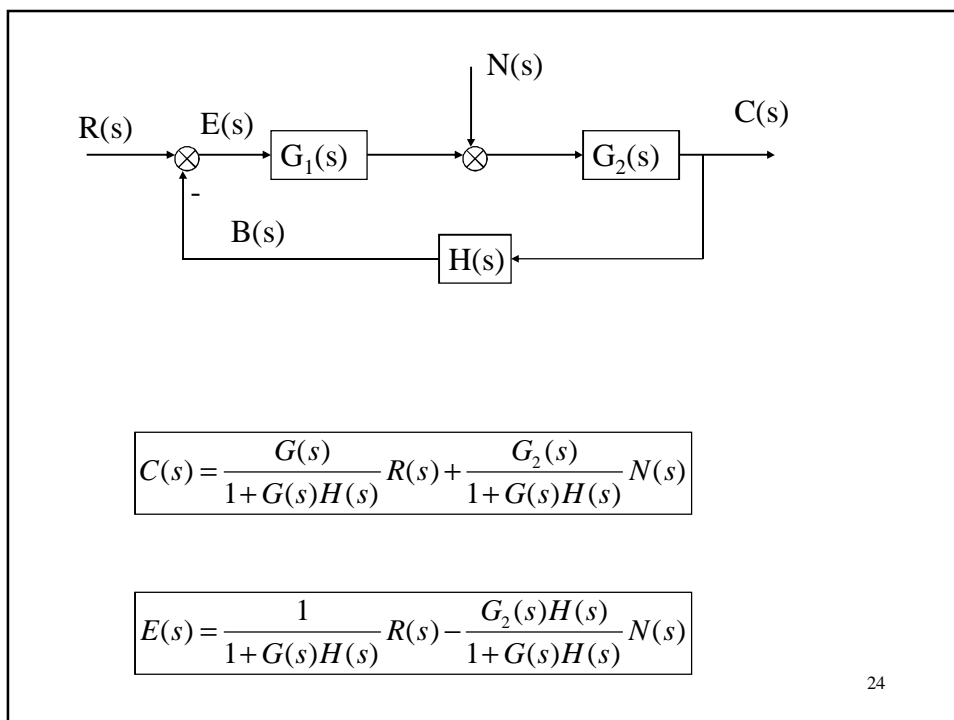
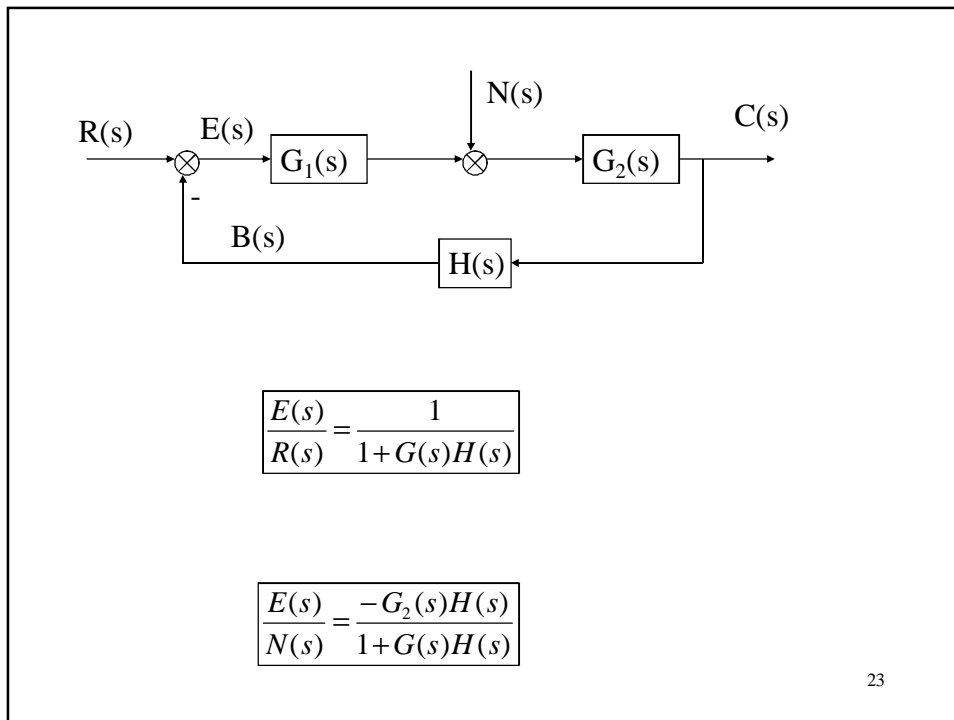
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Signal Flow Chart

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = x_1 \\ x_2 = ax_1 + dx_2 + ex_3 \\ x_3 = bx_2 + fx_5 \\ x_4 = cx_3 \\ x_5 = x_5 \end{cases}$$

The signal flow chart :

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Concepts in signal flow chart:

Input node : x_1, x_5

Output node : x_4

Mixed nodes :

x_2, x_3

A path:

$x_1 \rightarrow x_2 \rightarrow x_3,$
 $x_2 \rightarrow x_3 \rightarrow x_2$

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A forward path:

$x_1 \rightarrow x_2 \rightarrow x_3 \rightarrow x_4$

A loop:

$x_2 \rightarrow x_3 \rightarrow x_2$

Path gain:

Path gain of the path $x_1 \rightarrow x_2 \rightarrow x_3$ is ab

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Concepts in signal flow chart:

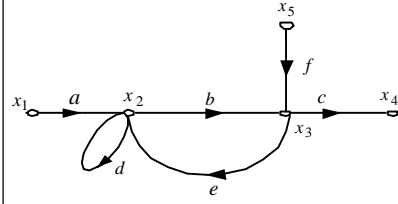
Forward-path gain:

The forward path ($x_1 \rightarrow x_2 \rightarrow x_3 \rightarrow x_4$) gain in the example is abc .

Loop gain:

The loop gain of the loop $x_2 \rightarrow x_3 \rightarrow x_2$ is be

Nontouching loops:



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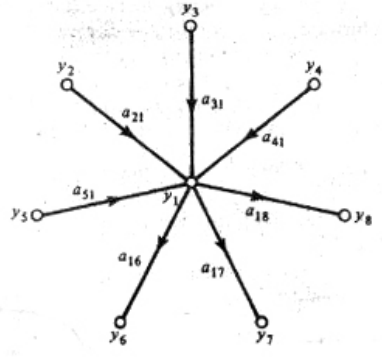
The manipulation of signal flow chart:

$$y_1 = a_{21}y_2 + a_{31}y_3 + a_{41}y_4 + a_{51}y_5$$

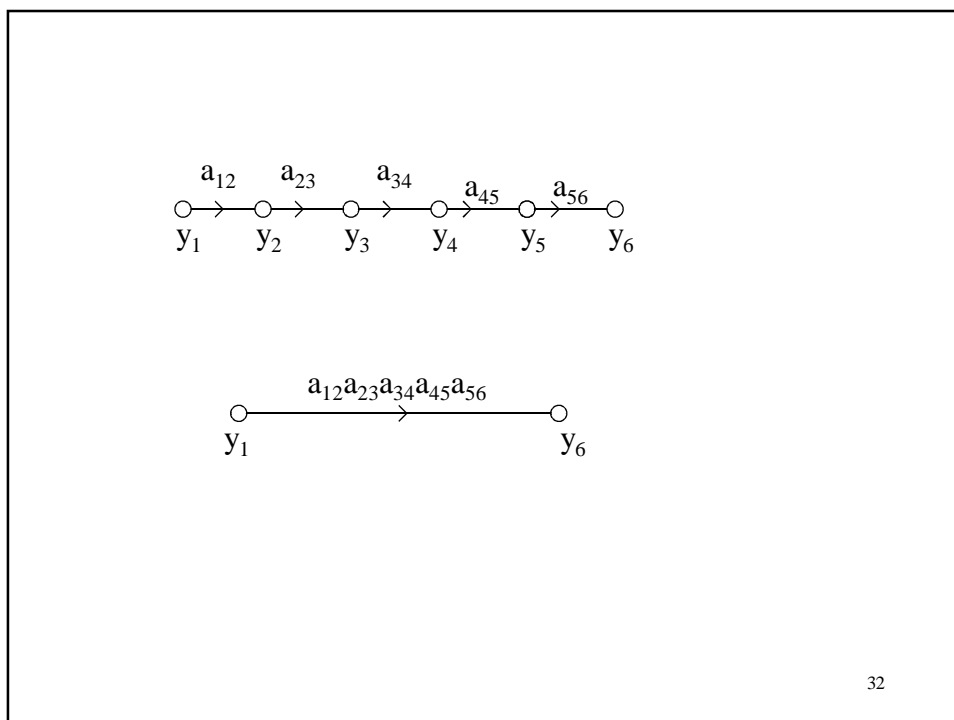
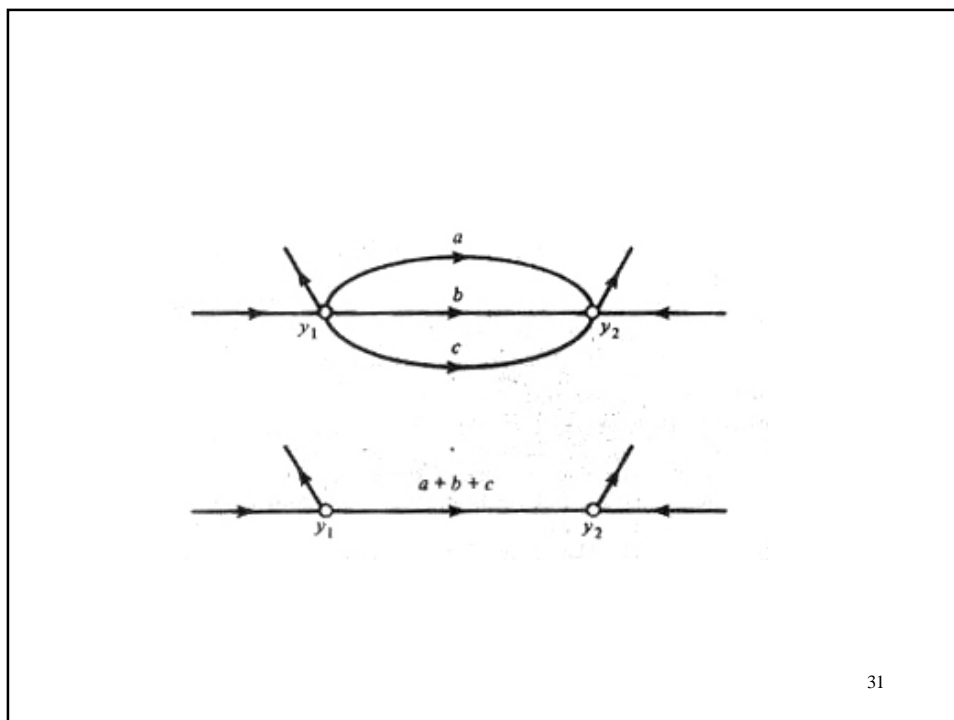
$$y_6 = a_{16}y_1$$

$$y_7 = a_{17}y_1$$

$$y_8 = a_{18}y_1$$



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The Mason Gain Formula

$$G = y_{out} / y_{in} = \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{i=1}^L p_i \Delta_i$$

where

y_{in} = input node variable, y_{out} = output node variable
 G = gain between y_{in} and y_{out} , L = total number of forward paths
 P_i = gain of the i th forward path

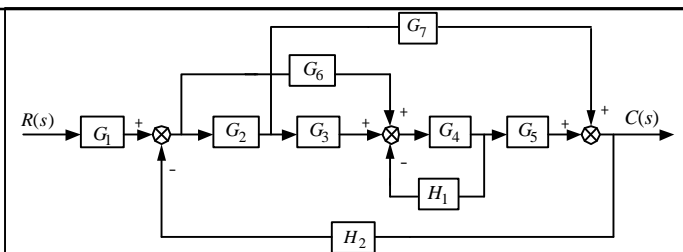
$$\Delta = 1 - \sum_m P_{m1} + \sum_m P_{m2} - \sum_m P_{m3} + \dots$$

P_{mr} = gain product of the m th possible combination of r nontouching loops

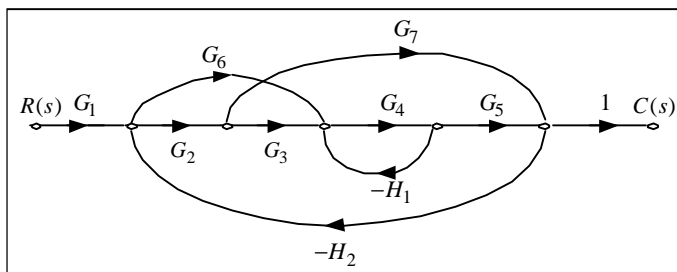
Δ_i = the Δ for that part of the signal flow chart which is nontouching with the i th forward path.

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Example:



Signal flow chart:



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individual loops:

$$L_1 = -G_4 H_1 \qquad L_2 = -G_2 G_7 H_2$$

$$L_3 = -G_6 G_4 G_5 H_2 \qquad L_4 = -G_2 G_3 G_4 G_5 H_2$$

The two nontouching loop is $L_1 L_2$

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forward paths:

$$P_1 = G_1 G_2 G_3 G_4 G_5 \qquad \Delta_1 = 1$$

$$P_2 = G_1 G_6 G_4 G_5 \qquad \Delta_2 = 1$$

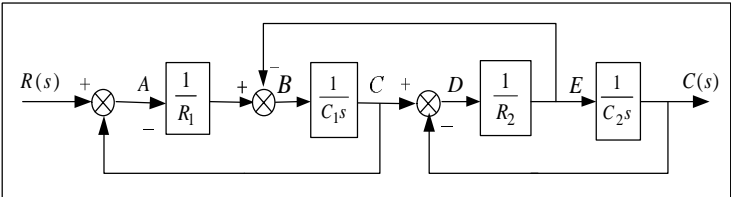
$$P_3 = G_1 G_2 G_7 \qquad \Delta_3 = 1 - L_1$$

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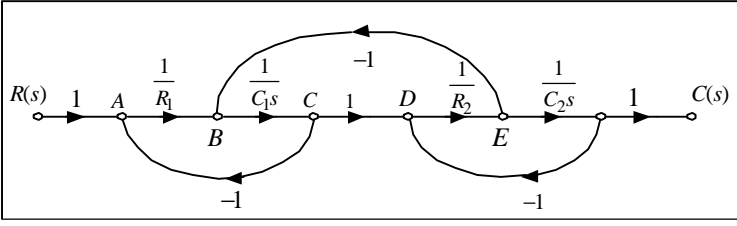
$L_1 = -G_4 H_1 \quad L_2 = -G_2 G_7 H_2$ $L_3 = -G_6 G_4 G_5 H_2$ $L_4 = -G_2 G_3 G_4 G_5 H_2$	$P_1 = G_1 G_2 G_3 G_4 G_5 \quad \Delta_1 = 1$ $P_2 = G_1 L_6 G_4 G_5 \quad \Delta_2 = 1$ $P_3 = G_1 G_2 G_7 \quad \Delta_3 = 1 - L_1$	$\Delta = 1 - \sum_m P_{m1} + \sum_m P_{m2} - \sum_m P_{m3} + L$ $= 1 - (L_1 + L_2 + L_3 + L_4) + L_1 L_2$
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> $\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = G(s) = \frac{1}{\Delta} (p_1 \Delta_1 + p_2 \Delta_2 + p_3 \Delta_3)$ $= \frac{G_1 G_2 G_3 G_4 G_5 + G_1 G_6 G_4 G_5 + G_1 G_2 G_7 (1 + G_4 H_1)}{1 + G_4 H_1 + G_2 G_7 H_2 + G_6 G_4 G_5 H_2 + G_2 G_3 G_4 G_5 H_2 + G_4 H_1 G_2 G_7 H_2}$ </div>		

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Example2:



Signal flow chart:



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Example2:

individual loops:

$$L_1 = \frac{-1}{R_1 C_1 s} \quad L_2 = \frac{-1}{R_2 C_2 s} \quad L_3 = \frac{-1}{R_2 C_1 s}$$

Nontouching loop:

$$L_1 L_2 = \frac{1}{R_1 C_1 s R_2 C_2 s^2}$$

$$\Delta = 1 - \sum_m P_{m1} + \sum_m P_{m2} - \sum_m P_{m3} + \mathbf{L}$$

$$= 1 - (L_1 + L_2 + L_3) + L_1 L_2$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{R_1 C_1 s} + \frac{1}{R_2 C_2 s} + \frac{1}{R_2 C_1 s} + \frac{1}{R_1 C_1 R_2 C_2 s^2}$$

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forward path:

$$P_1 = \frac{1}{R_1 R_2 C_1 C_2 s^2} \quad \Delta_1 = 1$$

$$\Delta = 1 - \sum_m P_{m1} + \sum_m P_{m2} - \sum_m P_{m3} + \mathbf{L}$$

$$= 1 - (L_1 + L_2 + L_3) + L_1 L_2$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{R_1 C_1 s} + \frac{1}{R_2 C_2 s} + \frac{1}{R_2 C_1 s} + \frac{1}{R_1 C_1 R_2 C_2 s^2}$$

$$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = G = \frac{P_1 \Delta_1}{\Delta} = \frac{1}{R_1 R_2 C_1 C_2 s^2 + R_2 C_2 s + R_1 C_1 s + R_1 C_2 s + 1}$$

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