

$$(c) \quad 10^8 \frac{(s+0.1)^2}{(s+10)^2(s+100)}$$

$$(d) \quad 10^9 \frac{(s+0.1)^3}{(s+10)(s+100)^2}$$

[GATE 2003: 2 Marks]

Soln. Gain changes by $(140 - 20)$ dB when ω changes from 0.1 to 1 and 1 to 10 i.e. 2 decades slope is 60dB/decade

$\omega = 0.1$ change in slope = +60dB/decade 3 real zero

$\omega = 10$ change in slope is from +60dB/decade to 20dB/decade i.e. -40dB/decade 2 real poles

$\omega = 100$ change in slope is from 20dB/decade to 0 dB i.e. -20dB/decade 1 finite pole

$$T.F = \frac{K \left(1 + \frac{s}{0.1}\right)^3}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{10}\right)^2 \left(1 + \frac{s}{100}\right)}$$

Magnitude is 20dB at $\omega = 0.1$

$$20 \log K = 20|_{\omega=0.1}$$

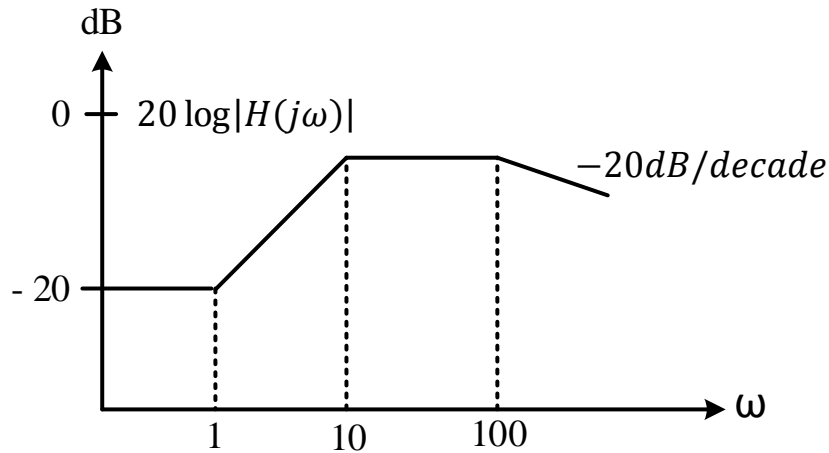
$$K = 10$$

$$T.F = \frac{10 \left(1 + \frac{s}{0.1}\right)^3}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{10}\right)^2 \left(1 + \frac{s}{100}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{10^8 (s + 0.1)^3}{(s + 10)^2 (s + 100)}$$

Option (c)

3. Consider the Bode magnitude plot shown in the figure. The transfer function $H(s)$ is



(a) $\frac{(s+10)}{(s+1)(s+100)}$

(b) $\frac{10(s+1)}{(s+10)(s+100)}$

(c) $\frac{10^2(s+1)}{(s+10)(s+100)}$

(d) $\frac{10^3(s+100)}{(s+1)(s+100)}$

[GATE 2004: 2 Marks]

Soln. At $\omega = 1$ change in slope 20 dB/decade

Zero at $\omega = 1$

$\omega = 10$, change in slope 20dB to 0dB i.e. -20 dB/decade

pole at $\omega = 10$

$\omega = 100$ change in slope -20 dB/decade

pole at $\omega = 100$

Transfer function

$$H(s) = \frac{K(s+1)}{\left(\frac{s}{10} + 1\right)\left(\frac{s}{100} + 1\right)}$$

$$20 \log K = -20$$

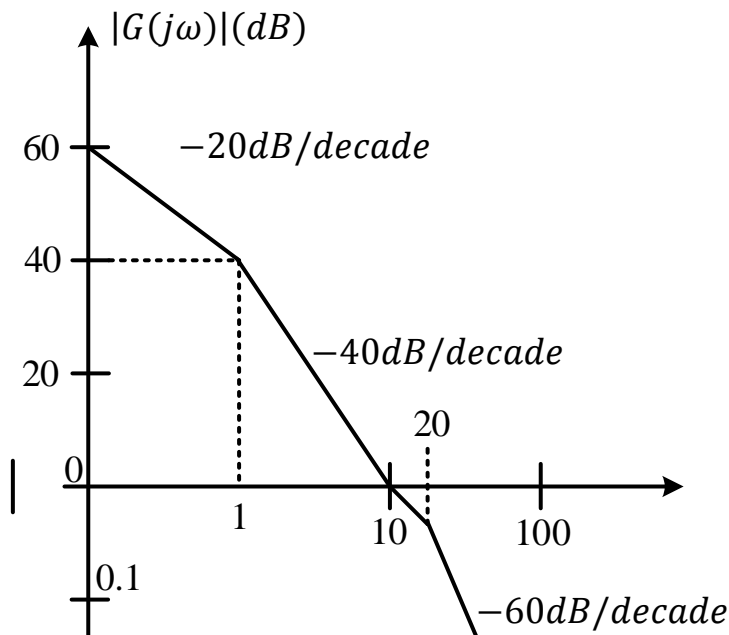
$$K = (10)^{-1} = 0.1$$

$$H(s) = \frac{0.1(s+1) \times 10^3}{(s+10)(s+100)}$$

$$= \frac{100(s+1)}{(s+10)(s+100)}$$

Option (c)

4. The asymptotic Bode plot of a transfer function is as shown in the figure. The transfer function $G(s)$ corresponding to this Bode plot is



- (a) $\frac{1}{(s+1)(s+20)}$
 (b) $\frac{1}{s(s+1)(s+20)}$
 (c) $\frac{100}{s(s+1)(s+20)}$
 (d) $\frac{100}{s(s+1)(1+0.05s)}$

[GATE 2007: 2 Marks]

Soln. Pole at $s = 0$, $s = 1$, $s = 20$

$$T.F = \frac{K}{s \left(1 + \frac{s}{1}\right) \left(1 + \frac{s}{20}\right)}$$

$$60 = 20 \log_{10} \frac{K}{\omega} \Big|_{\omega=0.1}$$

$$60 = 20 \log_{10} K - 20 \log_{10} \omega, \quad \omega = 0.1$$

$$60 = 20 \log_{10} K + 20$$

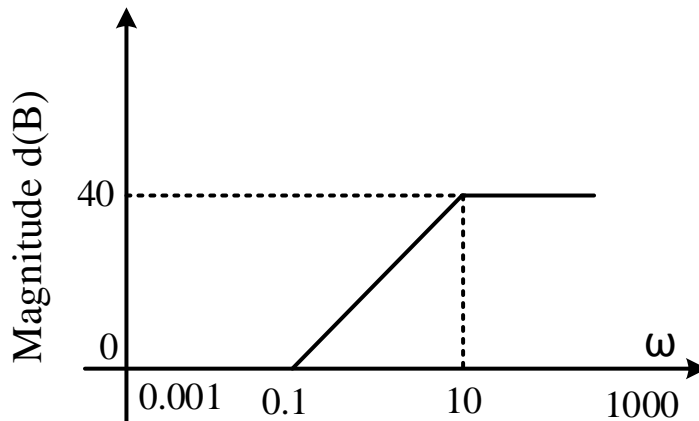
$$40 = 20 \log_{10} K$$

$$K = 100$$

$$T.F = \frac{100}{s(1+s)(1+0.05s)}$$

Option (d)

5. For the asymptotic Bode magnitude plot shown below, the system transfer function can be



(a) $\frac{10s+1}{0.1s+1}$
 (b) $\frac{100s+1}{0.1s+1}$

(c) $\frac{100s}{10s+1}$
 (d) $\frac{10s+1}{0.1s+1}$

[GATE 2010: 1 Mark]

Soln. Slope of asymptote changes from 0 to 40 dB in 2 decades (0.1 to 1, 1 to 10) or slope is 20dB/decade

Zero at $\omega = 0.1$

$\omega = 10$, slope changes from 20dB to 0dB i.e. (-20dB/decade)

pole at $\omega = 10$

$$T.F = \frac{K \left(1 + \frac{s}{0.1}\right)}{\left(1 + \frac{s}{10}\right)}$$

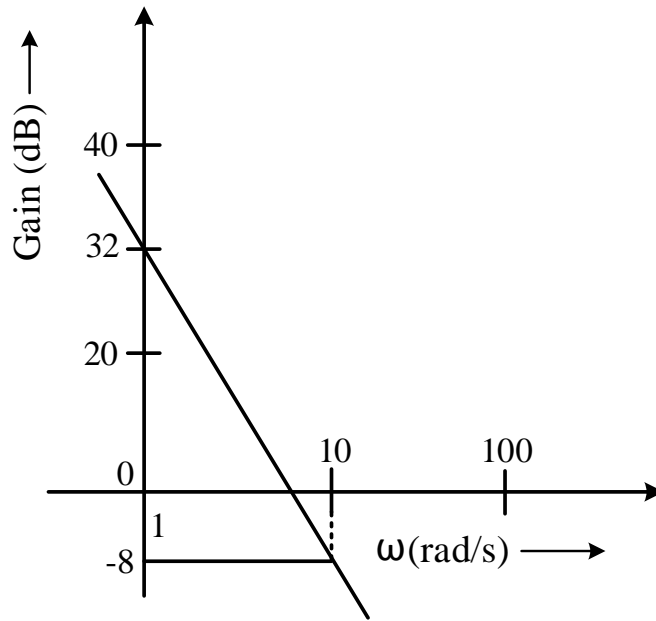
$$0dB|_{\omega=0.001} = 20\log_{10}K$$

$$K = 1$$

$$T.F = \frac{10s + 1}{0.1s + 1}$$

Option (d)

6. The Bode plot of a transfer function $G(s)$ is shown in the figure below:



(a) $\frac{39.8}{s}$
 (b) $\frac{39.8}{s^2}$

(c) $\frac{32}{s}$
 (d) $\frac{32}{s^2}$

[GATE 2013: 1 Mark]

Soln. Slope = -40dB/decade

2 poles at $\omega = 0$

$$20 \log K - 40 \log_{10}^{10} = -8$$

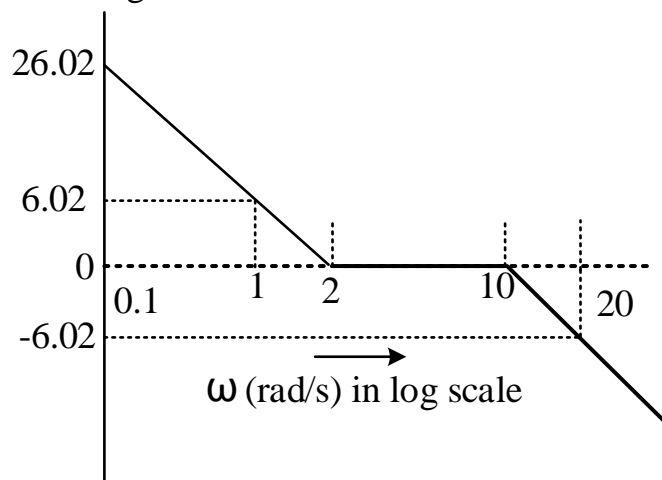
$$20 \log_{10}^K = 32$$

$$K = 10^{32/20} = 39.8$$

$$T.F = \frac{39.8}{s^2}$$

Option (d)

7. The Bode asymptotic magnitude plot of a minimum phase system is shown in this figure.



If the system is connected in a unity negative feedback configuration, the steady state error of the closed loop system, to a unit ramp input, is ____.

[GATE 2014: 2 Marks]

Soln. Pole at $s = 0$, $s = 10$

Zero at $s = 2$

The open loop transfer function of the system

$$G(s)H(s) = \frac{K \left(\frac{s}{2} + 1 \right)}{s \left(\frac{s}{10} + 1 \right)}$$

$$26.02|_{\omega=0.1} = 20 \log_{10} K - 20 \log_{10} \omega$$

$$26.02 = 20 \log_{10} K - 20 \log_{10} 10^{-1}$$

$$= 20 \log_{10} K + 20$$

$$6.02 = 20 \log_{10} K$$

$$K = 1.99 \cong 2$$

$$G(s)H(s) = \frac{2 \times 10(s + 2)}{2s(s + 10)}$$

$$= \frac{10(s + 2)}{s(s + 10)}$$

Steady state error for ramp input is $e_{ss} = \frac{1}{K_a}$

where $K_a = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s G(s)H(s)$

$$e_{ss} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

8. In a Bode magnitude plot, which one of the following slopes would be exhibited at high frequency by 4th order all-pole system?

(a) – 80 dB/decade

(c) + 40 dB/decade

(b) – 40 dB/decade

(d) + 80 dB/decade

[GATE: 2014 1 Mark]

Soln. 4th order all-pole system means that the system must be having no zero or s-term in the numerator and S^4 term in denominator.

$$H(s) \propto \frac{1}{s^4}$$

One pole exhibits slope of (-20dB/decade), so four pole exhibits slope of -80dB/decade

Option (a)