

The **bodeplot** package

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1 Introduction

Generate Bode, Nyquist, and Nichols plots for transfer functions in the canonical (TF) form

$$G(s) = e^{-Ts} \frac{b_m s^m + \cdots + b_1 s + b_0}{a_n s^n + \cdots + a_1 s + a_0} \quad (1)$$

and the zero-pole-gain (ZPK) form

$$G(s) = K e^{-Ts} \frac{(s - z_1)(s - z_2) \cdots (s - z_m)}{(s - p_1)(s - p_2) \cdots (s - p_n)}. \quad (2)$$

In the equations above, b_m, \dots, b_0 and a_n, \dots, a_0 are real coefficients, $T \geq 0$ is the loop delay, z_1, \dots, z_m and p_1, \dots, p_n are complex zeros and poles of the transfer function, respectively, and $K \in \mathbb{R}$ is the loop gain.

For transfer functions in the ZPK format in (2) *with zero delay*, this package also supports linear and asymptotic approximation of Bode plots.

By default, all phase plots use degrees as units. Use the `rad` package option or the optional argument `tikz/phase unit=rad` to generate plots in radians. The `phase unit` key accepts either `rad` or `deg` as inputs and needs to be added to the `tikzpicture` environment that contains the plots.

By default, frequency inputs and outputs are in radians per second. Use the `Hz` package option or the optional argument `tikz/frequency unit=Hz` to generate plots in hertz. The `frequency unit` key accepts either `rad` or `Hz` as inputs and needs to be added to the `tikzpicture` environment that contains the plots.

1.1 External Dependencies

By default, the package uses `gnuplot` to do all the computations. If `gnuplot` is not available, the `pgf` package option can be used to do the calculations using the native `pgf` math engine. Compilation using the `pgf` math engine is typically slower, but the end result should be the identical (other than phase wrapping in the TF form, see limitations below).

1.2 Directory Structure

Since version 1.0.8, the `bodeplot` package places all `gnuplot` temporary files in the working directory. The package option `declutter` restores the original behavior where the temporary files are placed in a folder called `gnuplot`.

1.3 Limitations

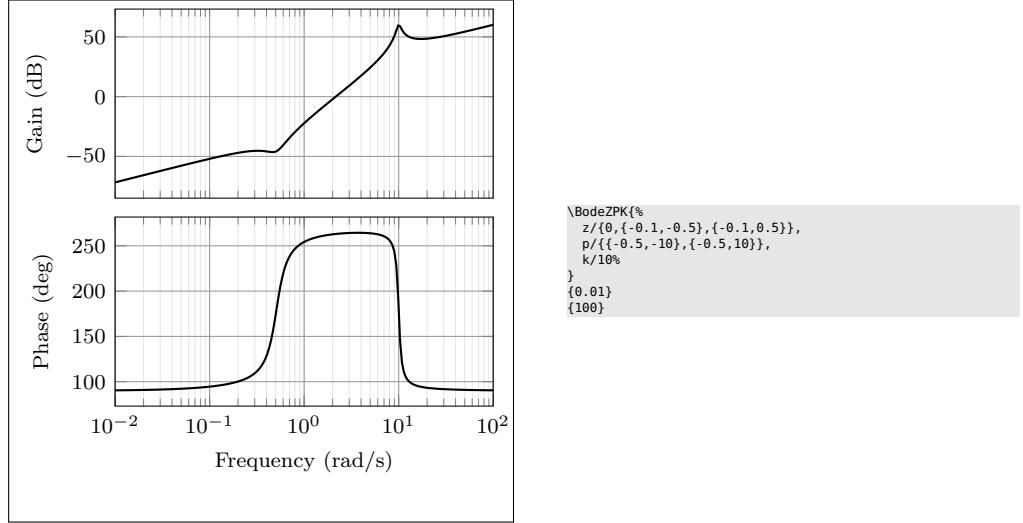
- If French language support is needed through the `babel` package, **the babel package has to be loaded before the bodeplot package**. The options `french` or `main=french` need to be passed to `babel` locally, and not via class options.
- In `pgf` mode, Bode phase plots and Nichols charts in TF form wrap angles so that they are always between -180 and 180° or $-\pi$ and $-\pi$ radian. As such, these plots will show phase wrapping discontinuities. Since v1.1.1, in `gnuplot` mode, the package uses the `smooth unwrap` filter to correct wrapping discontinuities. As of now, I have not found a way to do this in `pgf` mode, any merge requests or ideas you may have are welcome! Since v1.1.4, you can redefine the `n@mod` macro using the commands `\makeatletter\renewcommand{\n@mod}{\n@mod@p}\makeatother` to wrap the phase between 0 and 360° or 0 and 2π radian. The commands `\makeatletter\renewcommand{\n@mod}{\n@mod@n}\makeatother` will wrap the phase between -360 and 0° or -2π and 0 radian.
- Use of the `declutter` option with other directory management tools such as a `tikzexternalize` prefix is not recommended.

2 TL;DR

All Bode plots in this section are for the transfer function (with and without a transport delay)

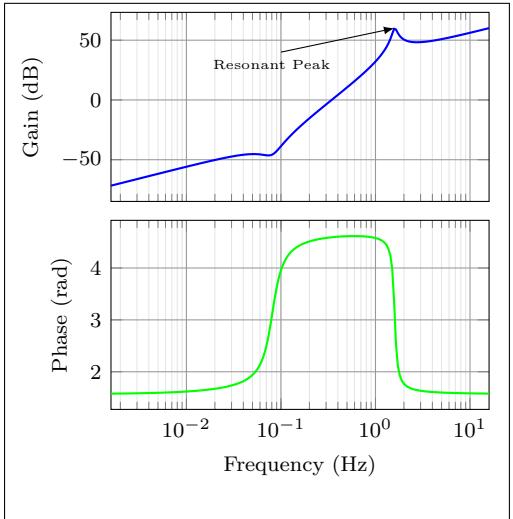
$$G(s) = 10 \frac{s(s + 0.1 + 0.5i)(s + 0.1 - 0.5i)}{(s + 0.5 + 10i)(s + 0.5 - 10i)} = \frac{s(10s^2 + 2s + 2.6)}{(s^2 + s + 100.25)}. \quad (3)$$

Bode plot in ZPK format

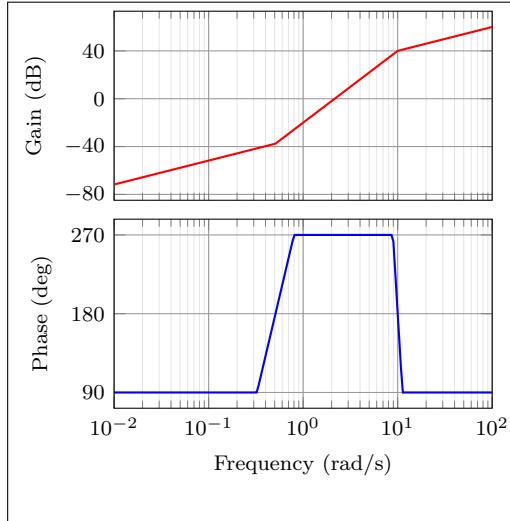


Same Bode plot over the same frequency range but supplied in Hz, in TF format with arrow decoration, transport delay, unit, and color customization (the phase plot may show wrapping if the `pgf` package option is used)

```
\BodeTF[%]
samples=1000,
plot/mag/{blue,thick},
plot/ph/{green,thick},
tikz/{
  >=latex,
  phase unit=rad,
  frequency unit=Hz%
},
commands/mag/{
  \draw[->](axis cs:0.1,40) -- (axis cs:{10/(2*pi)},60);
  \node at (axis cs: 0.08,30) {\tiny Resonant Peak};
}%
{%
  num/{10,2,2.6,0},
  den/{1,1,100.25}%
}
{0.01/(2*pi)}
{100/(2*pi)}
```



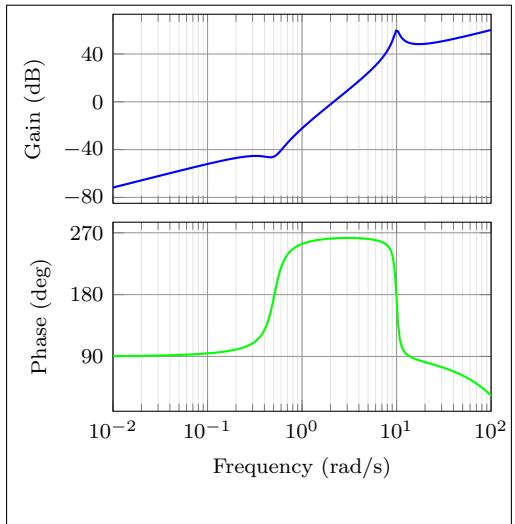
Linear approximation with customization



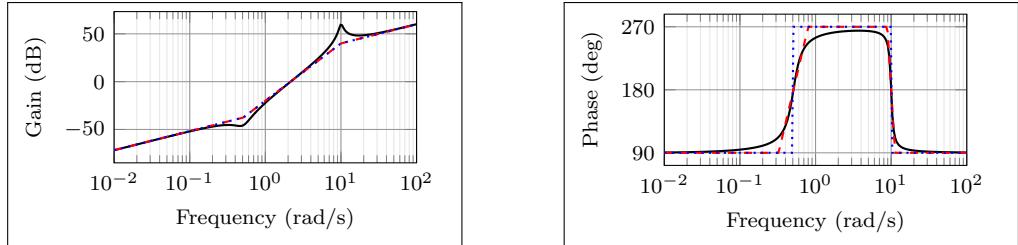
```
\BodeZPK[%  
plot/mag/{red,thick},  
plot/ph/{blue,thick},  
axes/mag/ytick distance=40,  
axes/ph/ytick distance=90,  
approx/linear%  
]{%  
z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},  
p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},  
k/10%  
}{0.01}  
{100}
```

Plot with delay customization

```
\BodeZPK[%  
plot/mag/{blue,thick},  
plot/ph/{green,thick},  
axes/mag/ytick distance=40,  
axes/ph/ytick distance=90%  
]{%  
z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},  
p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},  
k/10,  
d/0.01%  
}{0.01}  
{100}
```



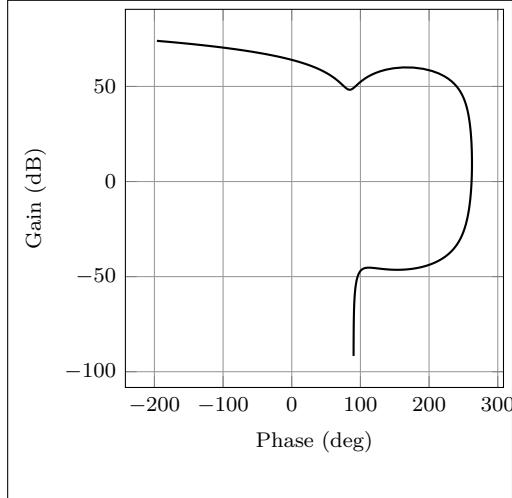
Individual gain and phase plots with more customization



```
\begin{BodeMagPlot}[%  
    axes/{height=2cm,  
        width=4cm}  
]  
{0.01}  
{100}  
\addBodeZPKplots[%  
    true/{black,thick},  
    linear/{red,dashed,thick},  
    asymptotic/{blue,dotted,thick}%  
]  
{magnitude}  
{%  
z/{0,{ -0.1,-0.5},{ -0.1,0.5}},  
p/{{-0.5,-10},{ -0.5,10}},  
k/10%  
}  
\end{BodeMagPlot}
```

```
\begin{BodePhPlot}[%  
    height=2cm,  
    width=4cm,  
    ytick distance=90  
]  
{0.01}  
{100}  
\addBodeZPKplots[%  
    true/{black,thick},  
    linear/{red,dashed,thick},  
    asymptotic/{blue,dotted,thick}%  
]  
{phase}  
{%  
z/{0,{ -0.1,-0.5},{ -0.1,0.5}},  
p/{{-0.5,-10},{ -0.5,10}},  
k/10%  
}  
\end{BodePhPlot}
```

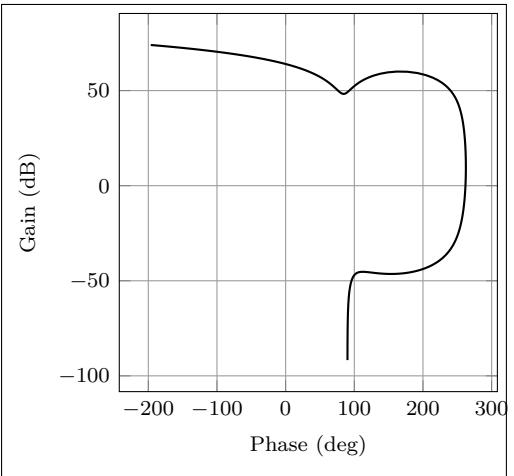
Nichols chart



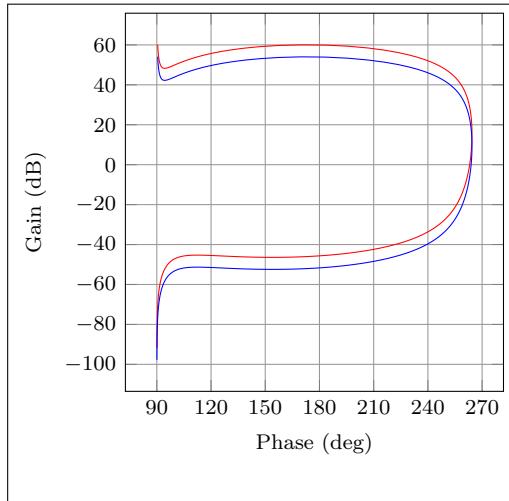
```
\NicholsZPK[samples=1000]  
{%  
z/{0,{ -0.1,-0.5},{ -0.1,0.5}},  
p/{{-0.5,-10},{ -0.5,10}},  
k/10,  
d/0.01%  
}  
{0.001}  
{500}
```

Same Nichols chart in TF format (may show wrapping in **pgf** mode)

```
\NicholsTF[samples=1000]  
{%  
num/{10,2,2.6,0},  
den/{1,1,100.25},  
d/0.01%  
}  
{0.001}  
{500}
```



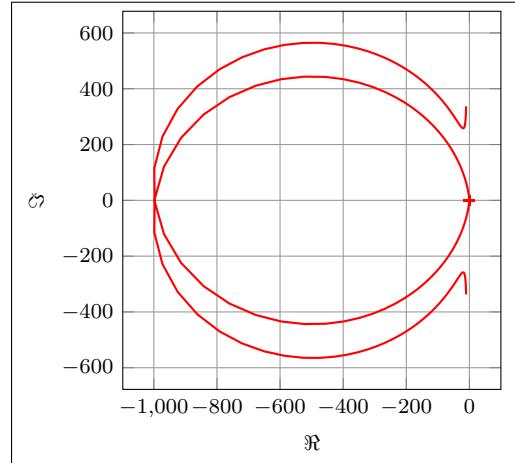
Multiple Nichols charts with customization



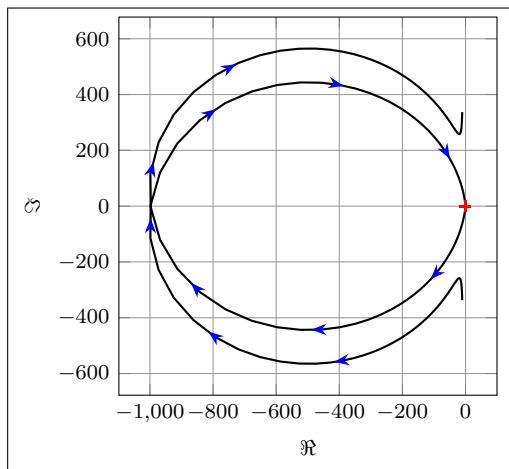
```
\begin{NicholsChart}[%  
    ytick distance=20,  
    xtick distance=30  
]  
{1000}  
{100}  
    \addNicholsZPKChart [red,samples=1000] {  
        z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},  
        p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},  
        k/10%  
    }  
    \addNicholsZPKChart [blue,samples=1000] {  
        z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},  
        p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},  
        k/5%  
    }  
\end{NicholsChart}
```

Nyquist plot

```
\NyquistZPK[plot/{red,thick,samples=1000}]  
{  
    z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},  
    p/{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10},  
    k/10%  
}  
{-30}  
{30}
```



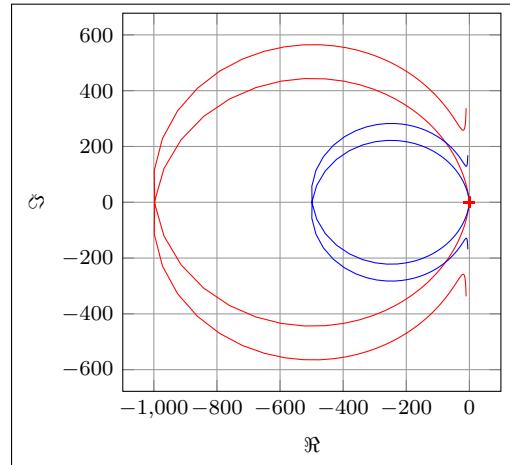
Nyquist plot in TF format with arrows



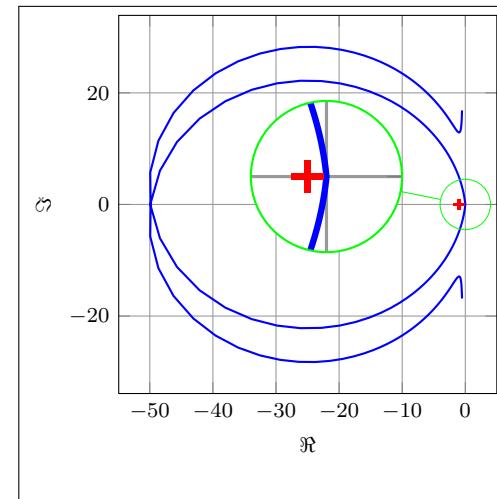
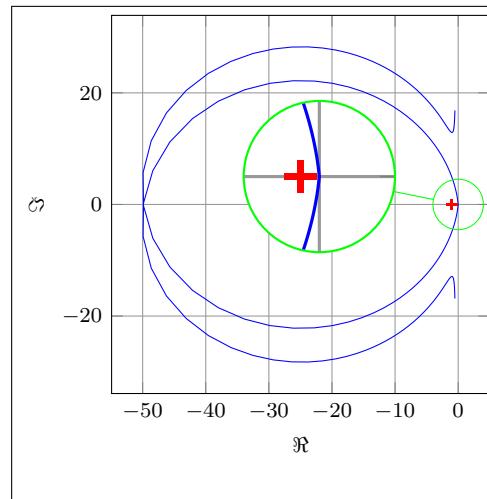
```
\NyquistTF[%  
plot/{%  
    samples=1000,  
    postaction=decorate,  
    decoration={%  
        markings,  
        mark=between positions 0.1 and 0.9 step 5em with {  
            \arrow{Stealth [length=2mm, blue]}  
        }  
    }%  
}]{%  
    num/{10,2,2.6,0},  
    den/{1,1,100.25}%  
}{-30}  
{30}
```

Multiple Nyquist plots with customization

```
\begin{NyquistPlot}{-30}{30}
\addNyquistZPKPlot [red,samples=1000] {%
z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},%
p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},%
k/10%
}
\addNyquistZPKPlot [blue,samples=1000] {%
z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},%
p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},%
k/5%
}
\end{NyquistPlot}
```



Nyquist plots with additional commands, using two different macros



```
\begin{NyquistPlot}[-30]{30}
\tikz{%
\spy using outlines={%
circle,
magnification=3,
connect spies,
size=2cm
}%
}
\addNyquistZPKPlot [blue,samples=1000] {%
z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},%
p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},%
k/0.5%
}
\coordinate (spyon) at (axis cs:0,0);
\coordinate (spyat) at (axis cs:-22,5);
\spy [green] on (spyon) in
node [fill=white] at (spyat);
\end{NyquistPlot}
```

```
\NyquistZPK[%]
plot[blue,samples=1000],
\tikz{%
\spy using outlines={%
circle,
magnification=3,
connect spies,
size=2cm
}%
},
commands{%
\coordinate (spyon) at (axis cs:0,0);
\coordinate (spyat) at (axis cs:-22,5);
\spy [green] on (spyon) in
node [fill=white] at (spyat);
}%
{%
z/{0,{-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},%
p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},%
k/0.5%
}
{-30}
{30}
```

3 Usage

In all the macros described here, the frequency limits supplied by the user are assumed to be in `rad/s` unless either the `Hz` package option is used or the optional argument `tikz/{frequency unit=Hz}` is supplied to the `tikzpicture` environment. All phase plots are generated in degrees unless either the `rad` package option is used or the optional argument `tikz/{frequency unit=rad}` is supplied to the `tikzpicture` environment.

3.1 Bode plots

```
\BodeZPK \BodeZPK [{<obj1/typ1/<{opt1}>},obj2/typ2/<{opt2}>,...}]  
  {{<z/<zeros>},p/{<poles>},k/{<gain>},d/{<delay>}}}  
  {{<min-freq>}{{<max-freq>}}}
```

Plots the Bode plot of a transfer function given in ZPK format using the `groupplot` environment. The three mandatory arguments include: (1) a list of tuples, comprised of the zeros, the poles, the gain, and the transport delay of the transfer function, (2) the lower end of the frequency range for the x -axis, and (3) the higher end of the frequency range for the x -axis. The zeros and the poles are complex numbers, entered as a comma-separated list of comma-separated lists, of the form `{{real part 1,imaginary part 1}, {real part 2,imaginary part 2},...}`. If the imaginary part is not provided, it is assumed to be zero.

The optional argument is comprised of a comma separated list of tuples, either `obj/typ/{opt}`, or `obj/{opt}`, or just `{opt}`. Each tuple passes options to different `pgfplots` macros that generate the group, the axes, and the plots according to:

- Tuples of the form `obj/typ/{opt}`:
 - `plot/typ/{opt}`: modify plot properties by adding options `{opt}` to the `\addplot` macro for the magnitude plot if `typ` is `mag` and the phase plot if `typ` is `ph`.
 - `axes/typ/{opt}`: modify axis properties by adding options `{opt}` to the `\nextgroupplot` macro for the magnitude plot if `typ` is `mag` and the phase plot if `typ` is `ph`.
 - `commands/typ/{opt}`: add any valid TikZ commands (including the parametric function generator macros in this package, such as `\addBodeZPKPlots`, `\addBodeTFPlot`, and `\addBodeComponentPlot`) to the magnitude plot if `typ` is `mag` and the phase plot if `typ` is `ph`. The commands passed to `opt` need to be valid TikZ commands, separated by semicolons as usual. For example, a TikZ command is used in the description of the `\BodeTF` macro below to mark the gain crossover frequency on the Bode Magnitude plot.
- Tuples of the form `obj/{opt}`:
 - `plot/{opt}`: adds options `{opt}` to `\addplot` macros for both the magnitude and the phase plots.
 - `axes/{opt}`: adds options `{opt}` to `\nextgroupplot` macros for both the magnitude and the phase plots.
 - `group/{opt}`: adds options `{opt}` to the `groupplot` environment.
 - `tikz/{opt}`: adds options `{opt}` to the `tikzpicture` environment.
 - `approx/linear`: plots linear approximation.
 - `approx/asymptotic`: plots asymptotic approximation.
- Tuples of the form `{opt}` add all of the supplied options to `\addplot` macros for both the magnitude and the phase plots.

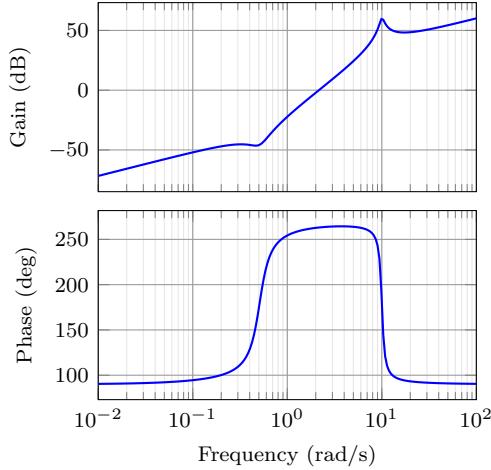


Figure 1: Output of the `\BodeZPK` macro.

The options `{opt}` can be any `key=value` options that are supported by the `pgfplots` macros they are added to.

For example, given a transfer function

$$G(s) = 10 \frac{s(s + 0.1 + 0.5i)(s + 0.1 - 0.5i)}{(s + 0.5 + 10i)(s + 0.5 - 10i)}, \quad (4)$$

its Bode plot over the frequency range [0.01, 100] can be generated using

```
\BodeZPK [blue,thick]
{z/{0,{-.1,-.5},{-.1,.5}},p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},k/10}
{0.01}{100}
```

which generates the plot in Figure 1. In this example, a delay is not specified, so it is assumed to be zero. A gain is not specified, so it is assumed to be 1. A single comma-separated list of options `[blue,thick]` is passed, so it is passed on to the `\addplot` commands in both the magnitude and the phase plots. The default plots are thick black lines and each of the axes, excluding ticks and labels, are 5cm wide and 2.5cm high.

The width and the height, along with other properties of the plots, the axes, and the group can be customized using native `pgf` keys. For example, a linear approximation of the Bode plot with customization of the plots, the axes, and the group can be generated using

```
\BodeZPK[%]
plot/mag/{red,thick},
plot/ph/{blue,thick},
axes/mag/{ytick distance=40,xmajorticks=true,xlabel={Frequency (rad/s)}},
axes/ph/{ytick distance=90},
group/{group style={group size=2 by 1, horizontal sep=2cm, width=4cm, height=2cm}},
approx/linear
{z/{0,{-.1,-.5},{-.1,.5}},p/{{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10}},k/10}
{0.01}{100}
```

which generates the plot in Figure 2.

```
\BodeTF \BodeTF [{(obj1/typ1/{(opt1)},obj2/typ2/{(opt2)},...)}
 {(num/{(coeffs)},den/{(coeffs)},d/{(delay)})}
 {(min-freq)}{(max-freq)}]
```

Plots the Bode plot of a transfer function given in TF format. The three mandatory arguments include: (1) a list of tuples comprised of the coefficients in the numerator and the denominator of the transfer function and the transport delay, (2) the lower end of the frequency range for the x -axis, and (3) the higher end of the frequency range for the x -axis. The coefficients are entered as a comma-separated list, in order

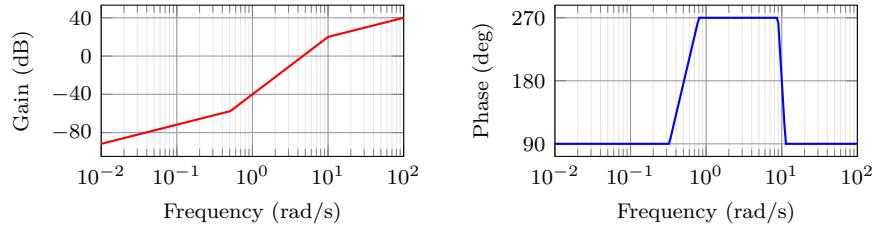


Figure 2: Customization of the default `\BodeZPK` macro.

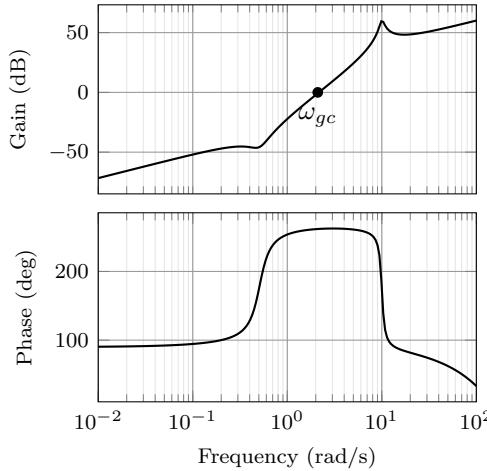


Figure 3: Output of the `\BodeTF` macro with an optional TikZ command used to mark the gain crossover frequency.

from the highest degree of s to the lowest, with zeros for missing degrees. The optional arguments are the same as `\BodeZPK`, except that linear/asymptotic approximation is not supported, so `approx/...` is ignored.

For example, given the same transfer function as (4) in TF form and with a small transport delay,

$$G(s) = e^{-0.01s} \frac{s(10s^2 + 2s + 2.6)}{(s^2 + s + 100.25)}, \quad (5)$$

its Bode plot over the frequency range [0.01, 100] can be generated using

```
\BodeTF[%  
  commands/mag/{\node at (axis cs: 2.1,0) [circle,fill,inner sep=0.05cm,  
    label=below:{$\omega_{gc}$}]{}};  
  {num/{10,2,2.6,0},den/{1,1,100.25},d/0.01}  
  {0.01}{100}]
```

which generates the plot in Figure 3. Note the 0 added to the numerator coefficients to account for the fact that the numerator does not have a constant term in it. Note the semicolon after the TikZ command passed to the `\commands` option.

```
BodeMagPlot (env.) \begin{BodeMagPlot}[\langle obj\rangle/\{\langle opt1\rangle\},obj2/\{\langle opt2\rangle\},...]  
  {\langle min-frequency\rangle}\{\langle max-frequency\rangle\}  
  \addBode...  
 \end{BodeMagPlot}
```

The `BodeMagPlot` environment works in conjunction with the parametric function generator macros `\addBodeZPKPlots`, `\addBodeTFPlot`, and `\addBodeComponentPlot`, intended to be used for magnitude plots. The optional argument is comprised of a comma separated list of tuples, either `obj/\{opt\}` or just `{opt}`. Each tuple passes options to different `pgfplots` macros that generate the axes and the plots according to:

- Tuples of the form `obj/{opt}`:
 - `tikz/{opt}`: modify picture properties by adding options `{opt}` to the `tikzpicture` environment.
 - `axes/{opt}`: modify axis properties by adding options `{opt}` to the `semilogaxis` environment.
 - `commands/{opt}`: add any valid TikZ commands inside `semilogaxis` environment. The commands passed to `opt` need to be valid TikZ commands, separated by semicolons as usual.
- Tuples of the form `{opt}` are passed directly to the `semilogaxis` environment.

The frequency limits are translated to the x-axis limits and the domain of the `semilogaxis` environment. Example usage in the description of `\addBodeZPKPlots`, `\addBodeTFPlot`, and `\addBodeComponentPlot`.

`BodePhPlot (env.)` `\begin{BodePhPlot}[\langle obj1/\{\langle opt1\rangle\},obj2/\{\langle opt2\rangle\},... \rangle]`
`\langle min-frequency \rangle \{\langle max-frequency \rangle\}`
`\addBode...`
`\end{BodePhPlot}`

Intended to be used for phase plots, otherwise same as the `BodeMagPlot` environment

`\addBodeZPKPlots` `\addBodeZPKPlots [\langle approx1/\{\langle opt1\rangle\},approx2/\{\langle opt2\rangle\},... \rangle]`
`\{\langle plot-type \rangle\}`
`\{\langle z/\{\langle zeros\rangle\},p/\{\langle poles\rangle\},k/\{\langle gain\rangle\},d/\{\langle delay\rangle\} \rangle\}`

Generates the appropriate parametric functions and supplies them to multiple `\addplot` macros, one for each `approx/{opt}` pair in the optional argument. If no optional argument is supplied, then a single `\addplot` command corresponding to a thick true Bode plot is generated. If an optional argument is supplied, it needs to be one of `true/{opt}`, `linear/{opt}`, or `asymptotic/{opt}`. This macro can be used inside any `semilogaxis` environment as long as a domain for the x-axis is supplied through either the `approx/{opt}` interface or directly in the optional argument of the `semilogaxis` environment. Use with the `BodePlot` environment supplied with this package is recommended. The second mandatory argument, `plot-type` is either `magnitude` or `phase`. If it is not equal to `phase`, it is assumed to be `magnitude`. The last mandatory argument is the same as `\BodeZPK`.

For example, given the transfer function in (4), its linear, asymptotic, and true Bode plots can be superimposed using

```
\begin{BodeMagPlot}[height=2cm,width=4cm] {0.01} {100}
  \addBodeZPKPlots[%]
    true/{black,thick},
    linear/{red,dashed,thick},
    asymptotic/{blue,dotted,thick}]
    {magnitude}
    {z/{0,{ -0.1,-0.5},{ -0.1,0.5}},p/{{-0.5,-10},{ -0.5,10}},k/10}
\end{BodeMagPlot}

\begin{BodePhPlot}[height=2cm, width=4cm, ytick distance=90] {0.01} {100}
  \addBodeZPKPlots[%]
    true/{black,thick},
    linear/{red,dashed,thick},
    asymptotic/{blue,dotted,thick}]
    {phase}
    {z/{0,{ -0.1,-0.5},{ -0.1,0.5}},p/{{-0.5,-10},{ -0.5,10}},k/10}
\end{BodePhPlot}
```

which generates the plot in Figure 4.

`\addBodeTFPlot` `\addBodeTFPlot[\langle plot-options \rangle]`
`\{\langle plot-type \rangle\}`
`\{\langle num/\{\langle coeffs \rangle\},den/\{\langle coeffs \rangle\},d/\{\langle delay \rangle\} \rangle\}`

Generates a single parametric function for either Bode magnitude or phase plot of a transfer function in TF form. The generated parametric function is passed to the

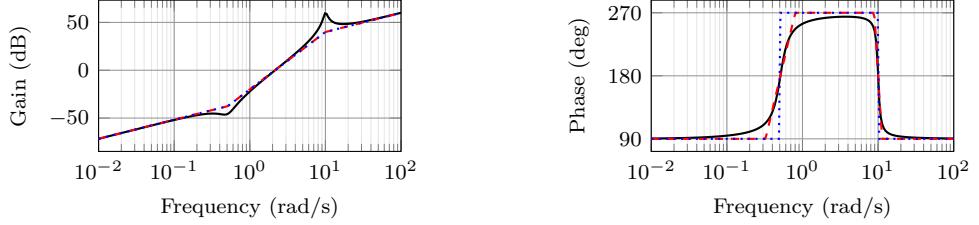


Figure 4: Superimposed approximate and true Bode plots using the `BodeMagPlot` and `BodePhPlot` environments and the `\addBodeZPKPlots` macro.

`\addplot` macro. This macro can be used inside any `semilogaxis` environment as long as a domain for the x-axis is supplied through either the `plot-options` interface or directly in the optional argument of the container `semilogaxis` environment. Use with the `BodePlot` environment supplied with this package is recommended. The second mandatory argument, `plot-type` is either `magnitude` or `phase`. If it is not equal to `phase`, it is assumed to be `magnitude`. The last mandatory argument is the same as `\BodeTF`.

`\addBodeComponentPlot` `\addBodeComponentPlot[<plot-options>]{<plot-command>}`
 Generates a single parametric function corresponding to the mandatory argument `plot-command` and passes it to the `\addplot` macro. The plot command can be any parametric function that uses `t` as the independent variable. The parametric function must be `gnuplot` compatible (or `pgfplots` compatible if the package is loaded using the `pgf` option). The intended use of this macro is to plot the parametric functions generated using the basic component macros described in Section 3.1.1 below.

3.1.1 Basic components up to first order

`\TypeFeatureApprox` `\TypeFeatureApprox{<real-part>}{<imaginary-part>}`

This entry describes 20 different macros of the form `\TypeFeatureApprox` that take the real part and the imaginary part of a complex number as arguments. The `Type` in the macro name should be replaced by either `Mag` or `Ph` to generate a parametric function corresponding to the magnitude or the phase plot, respectively. The `Feature` in the macro name should be replaced by one of `K`, `Pole`, `Zero`, or `Del`, to generate the Bode plot of a gain, a complex pole, a complex zero, or a transport delay, respectively. If the `Feature` is set to either `K` or `Del`, the `imaginary-part` mandatory argument is ignored. The `Approx` in the macro name should either be removed, or it should be replaced by `Lin` or `Asymp` to generate the true Bode plot, the linear approximation, or the asymptotic approximation, respectively. If the `Feature` is set to `Del`, then `Approx` has to be removed. For example,

- `\MagK{k}{0}` or `\MagK{k}{400}` generates a parametric function for the true Bode magnitude of $G(s) = k$
- `\PhPoleLin{a}{b}` generates a parametric function for the linear approximation of the Bode phase of $G(s) = \frac{1}{s-a-ib}$.
- `\PhDel{T}{200}` or `\PhDel{T}{0}` generates a parametric function for the Bode phase of $G(s) = e^{-Ts}$.

All 20 of the macros defined by combinations of `Type`, `Feature`, and `Approx`, and any `gnuplot` (or `pgfplot` if the `pgf` class option is loaded) compatible function of the 20 macros can be used as `plot-command` in the `addBodeComponentPlot` macro. This is sufficient to generate the Bode plot of any rational transfer function with delay. For example, the Bode phase plot in Figure 4 can also be generated using:

```
\begin{BodePhPlot}[ytick distance=90]{0.01}{100}
\addBodeComponentPlot[black,thick]{%
\PhZero{0}{0} + \PhZero{-0.1}{-0.5} + \PhZero{-0.1}{0.5} +
```

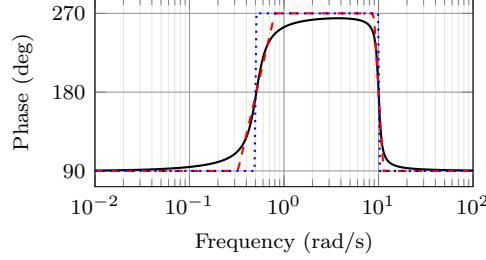


Figure 5: Superimposed approximate and true Bode Phase plot using the **BodePhPlot** environment, the **\addBodeComponentPlot** macro, and several macros of the **\TypeFeatureApprox** form.

```

\PhPole{-0.5}{-10} + \PhPole{-0.5}{10} + \PhK{10}{0}
\addBodeComponentPlot[red,dashed,thick] {%
  \PhZeroLin{0}{0} + \PhZeroLin{-0.1}{-0.5} + \PhZeroLin{-0.1}{0.5} +
  \PhPoleLin{-0.5}{-10} + \PhPoleLin{-0.5}{10} + \PhKLin{10}{20}}
\addBodeComponentPlot[blue,dotted,thick] {%
  \PhZeroAsymp{0}{0} + \PhZeroAsymp{-0.1}{-0.5} + \PhZeroAsymp{-0.1}{0.5} +
  \PhPoleAsymp{-0.5}{-10} + \PhPoleAsymp{-0.5}{10} + \PhKAsymp{10}{40}}
\end{BodePhPlot}

```

which gives us the plot in Figure 5.

3.1.2 Basic components of the second order

\TypeS0FeatureApprox **\TypeS0FeatureApprox{<a1>}{<a0>}**

This entry describes 12 different macros of the form **\TypeS0FeatureApprox** that take the coefficients a_1 and a_0 of a general second order system as inputs. The **Feature** in the macro name should be replaced by either **Poles** or **Zeros** to generate the Bode plot of $G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2+a_1s+a_0}$ or $G(s) = s^2+a_1s+a_0$, respectively. The **Type** in the macro name should be replaced by either **Mag** or **Ph** to generate a parametric function corresponding to the magnitude or the phase plot, respectively. The **Approx** in the macro name should either be removed, or it should be replaced by **Lin** or **Asymp** to generate the true Bode plot, the linear approximation, or the asymptotic approximation, respectively.

\MagS0FeaturePeak **\MagS0FeaturePeak[<draw-options>]{<a1>}{<a0>}**

This entry describes 2 different macros of the form **\MagS0FeaturePeak** that take the the coefficients a_1 and a_0 of a general second order system as inputs, and draw a resonant peak using the **\draw** TikZ macro. The **Feature** in the macro name should be replaced by either **Poles** or **Zeros** to generate a peak for poles and a valley for zeros, respectively. For example, the command

```

\begin{BodeMagPlot}[ xlabel={}]{0.1}{10}
  \addBodeComponentPlot[red,dashed,thick]{\MagS0Poles{0.2}{1}}
  \addBodeComponentPlot[black,thick]{\MagS0PolesLin{0.2}{1}}
  \MagS0PolesPeak[thick]{0.2}{1}
\end{BodeMagPlot}

```

generates the plot in Figure 6.

\TypeCSFeatureApprox **\TypeCSFeatureApprox{<zeta>}{<omega-n>}**

This entry describes 12 different macros of the form **\TypeCSFeatureApprox** that take the damping ratio, ζ , and the natural frequency, ω_n of a canonical second order system as inputs. The **Type** in the macro name should be replaced by either **Mag** or **Ph** to generate a parametric function corresponding to the magnitude or the phase plot, respectively. The **Feature** in the macro name should be replaced by either **Poles** or **Zeros** to generate the Bode plot of $G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2+2\zeta\omega_ns+\omega_n^2}$ or $G(s) = s^2+2\zeta\omega_ns+\omega_n^2$, respectively. The **Approx** in the macro name should either be removed, or it should be

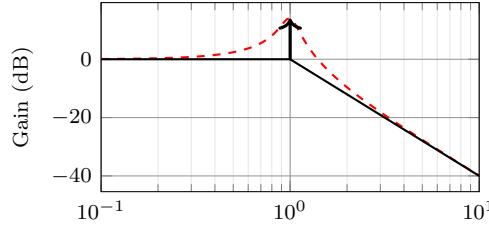


Figure 6: Resonant peak in asymptotic Bode plot using `\MagSOPolesPeak`.

replaced by `Lin` or `Asymp` to generate the true Bode plot, the linear approximation, or the asymptotic approximation, respectively.

`\MagCSFeaturePeak` `\MagCSFeaturePeak[<draw-options>]{<zeta>}{<omega-n>}`

This entry describes 2 different macros of the form `\MagCSFeaturePeak` that take the damping ratio, ζ , and the natural frequency, ω_n of a canonical second order system as inputs, and draw a resonant peak using the `\draw` TikZ macro. The **Feature** in the macro name should be replaced by either **Poles** or **Zeros** to generate a peak for poles and a valley for zeros, respectively.

`\MagCCFeaturePeak` `\MagCCFeaturePeak[<draw-options>]{<real-part>}{<imaginary-part>}`

This entry describes 2 different macros of the form `\MagCCFeaturePeak` that take the real and imaginary parts of a pair of complex conjugate poles or zeros as inputs, and draw a resonant peak using the `\draw` TikZ macro. The **Feature** in the macro name should be replaced by either **Poles** or **Zeros** to generate a peak for poles and a valley for zeros, respectively.

3.2 Nyquist plots

```
\NyquistZPK \NyquistZPK [<plot/>{<opt>},axes/>{<opt>}]
  {<z/>{<zeros>},p/>{<poles>},k/>{<gain>},d/>{<delay>})
  {<min-freq>}{<max-freq>}
```

Plots the Nyquist plot of a transfer function given in ZPK format with a thick red + marking the critical point (-1,0). The mandatory arguments are the same as `\BodeZPK`. Since there is only one plot in a Nyquist diagram, the `\typ` specifier in the optional argument tuples is not needed. As such, the supported optional argument tuples are `plot/>{opt}`, which passes `{opt}` to `\addplot`, `axes/>{opt}`, which passes `{\opt}` to the `axis` environment, and `tikz/>{opt}`, which passes `{\opt}` to the `tikzpicture` environment. Asymptotic/linear approximations are not supported in Nyquist plots. If just `{opt}` is provided as the optional argument, it is interpreted as `plot/>{opt}`. Arrows to indicate the direction of increasing ω can be added by adding `\usetikzlibrary{decorations.markings}` and `\usetikzlibrary{arrows.meta}` to the preamble and then passing a tuple of the form

```
plot/>{postaction=decorate,decoration={markings,
  mark=between positions 0.1 and 0.9 step 5em with {
    \arrow[Stealth] |[length=2mm, blue]}}}
```

Caution: with a high number of samples, adding arrows in this way may cause the error message `! Dimension too big`.

For example, the command

```
\NyquistZPK[plot/>{red,thick,samples=2000},axes/>{blue,thick}]
  {z/{0,-0.1,-0.5},{-0.1,0.5}},p/{-0.5,-10},{-0.5,10},k/10
  {-30}{30}
```

generates the Nyquist plot in Figure 7.

`\NyquistTF` `\NyquistTF [<plot/>{<opt>},axes/>{<opt>}]
 {<num/>{<coeffs>},den/>{<coeffs>},d/>{<delay>})
 {<min-freq>}{<max-freq>}`

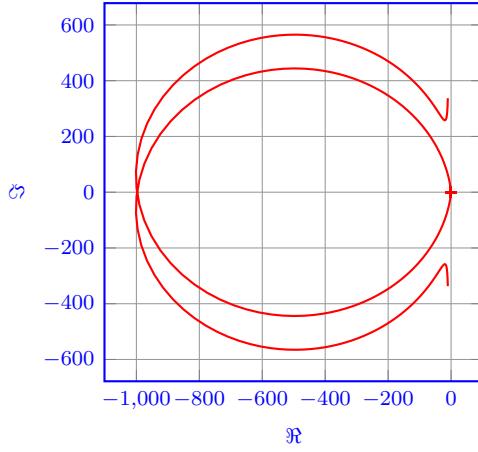


Figure 7: Output of the `\NyquistZPK` macro.

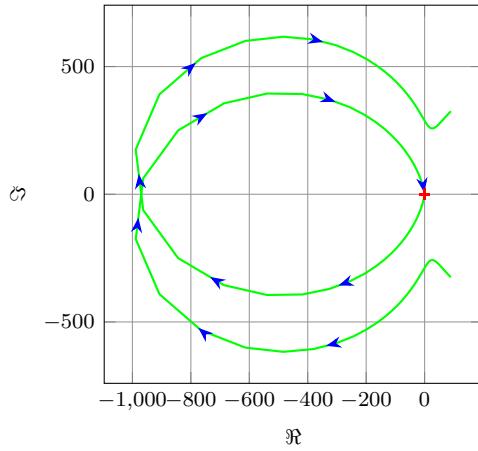


Figure 8: Output of the `\NyquistTF` macro with direction arrows. Increasing the number of samples can cause `decorations.markings` to throw errors.

Nyquist plot of a transfer function given in TF format. Same mandatory arguments as `\BodeTF` and same optional arguments as `\NyquistZPK`. For example, the command

```
\NyquistTF[plot/{green,thick,samples=500,postaction=decorate,
decoration={markings,
mark=between positions 0.1 and 0.9 step 5em
with{\arrow{Stealth[length=2mm, blue]}}}]
{num/{10,2,2.6,0},den/{1,1,100.25}}
{-30}{30}]
```

generates the Nyquist plot in Figure 8.

```
NyquistPlot (env.) \begin{NyquistPlot}[\langle obj1/\{\langle opt1\rangle\},obj2/\{\langle opt2\rangle\},...]
{\langle min-frequency\rangle}{\langle max-frequency\rangle}
\addNyquist...
\end{NyquistPlot}
```

The `NyquistPlot` environment works in conjunction with the parametric function generator macros `\addNyquistZPKPlot` and `\addNyquistTFPlot`. The optional argument is comprised of a comma separated list of tuples, either `obj/\{opt}` or just `{opt}`. Each tuple passes options to different `pgfplots` macros that generate the axes and the plots according to:

- Tuples of the form `obj/\{opt}`:

- **tikz/{opt}**: modify picture properties by adding options **{opt}** to the **tikzpicture** environment.
- **axes/{opt}**: modify axis properties by adding options **{opt}** to the **axis** environment.
- **commands/{opt}**: add any valid TikZ commands inside **axis** environment. The commands passed to **opt** need to be valid TikZ commands, separated by semicolons as usual.
- Tuples of the form **{opt}** are passed directly to the **axis** environment.

The frequency limits are translated to the x-axis limits and the domain of the **axis** environment.

```
\addNyquistZPKPlot \addNyquistZPKPlot[\langle plot-options\rangle]
{\langle z/\{\langle zeros\rangle\},p/\{\langle poles\rangle\},k/\{\langle gain\rangle\},d/\{\langle delay\rangle\}\rangle}
```

Generates a twp parametric functions for the magnitude and the phase a transfer function in ZPK form. The generated magnitude and phase parametric functions are converted to real and imaginary part parametric functions and passed to the **\addplot** macro. This macro can be used inside any **axis** environment as long as a domain for the x-axis is supplied through either the **plot-options** interface or directly in the optional argument of the container **axis** environment. Use with the **NyquistPlot** environment supplied with this package is recommended. The mandatory argument is the same as **\BodeZPK**.

```
\addNyquistTFPlot \addNyquistTFPlot[\langle plot-options\rangle]
{\langle num/\{\langle coeffs\rangle\},den/\{\langle coeffs\rangle\},d/\{\langle delay\rangle\}\rangle}
```

Similar to **\addNyquistZPKPlot**, with a transfer function input in the TF form.

3.3 Nichols charts

```
\NicholsZPK \NicholsZPK [\langle plot/\{\langle opt\rangle\},axes/\{\langle opt\rangle\}\rangle]
{\langle z/\{\langle zeros\rangle\},p/\{\langle poles\rangle\},k/\{\langle gain\rangle\},d/\{\langle delay\rangle\}\rangle}
{\langle min-freq\rangle}{\langle max-freq\rangle}
```

Nichols chart of a transfer function given in ZPK format. Same arguments as **\NyquistZPK**.

```
\NicholsTF \NicholsTF [\langle plot/\{\langle opt\rangle\},axes/\{\langle opt\rangle\}\rangle]
{\langle num/\{\langle coeffs\rangle\},den/\{\langle coeffs\rangle\},d/\{\langle delay\rangle\}\rangle}
{\langle min-freq\rangle}{\langle max-freq\rangle}
```

Nichols chart of a transfer function given in TF format. Same arguments as **\NyquistTF**. For example, the command

```
\NicholsTF[plot/{green,thick,samples=2000}]
{num/{10,2,2.6,0},den/{1,1,100.25},d/0.01}
{0.001}{100}
```

generates the Nichols chart in Figure 9.

```
NicholsChart (env.) \begin{NicholsChart}[\langle obj1/\{\langle opt1\rangle\},obj2/\{\langle opt2\rangle\},...\rangle]
{\langle min-frequency\rangle}{\langle max-frequency\rangle}
\addNichols...
\end{NicholsChart}
```

The **NicholsChart** environment works in conjunction with the parametric function generator macros **\addNicholsZPKChart** and **\addNicholsTFChart**. The optional argument is comprised of a comma separated list of tuples, either **obj/\{opt** or just **{opt}**. Each tuple passes options to different **pgfplots** macros that generate the axes and the plots according to:

- Tuples of the form **obj/\{opt}**:
 - **tikz/{opt}**: modify picture properties by adding options **{opt}** to the **tikzpicture** environment.
 - **axes/{opt}**: modify axis properties by adding options **{opt}** to the **axis** environment.

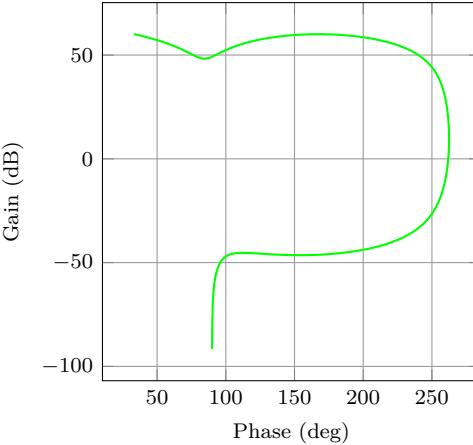


Figure 9: Output of the `\NyquistZPK` macro.

- **commands/{opt}**: add any valid TikZ commands inside `axis` environment. The commands passed to `opt` need to be valid TikZ commands, separated by semicolons as usual.
- Tuples of the form `{opt}` are passed directly to the `axis` environment.

The frequency limits are translated to the x-axis limits and the domain of the `axis` environment.

```
\addNicholsZPKChart \addNicholsZPKChart[\langle plot-options\rangle]
{\langle z/\{\langle zeros\rangle\},p/\{\langle poles\rangle\},k/\{\langle gain\rangle\},d/\{\langle delay\rangle\}\rangle}
```

Generates a twp parametric functions for the magnitude and the phase a transfer function in ZPK form. The generated magnitude and phase parametric functions are passed to the `\addplot` macro. This macro can be used inside any `axis` environment as long as a domain for the x-axis is supplied through either the `plot-options` interface or directly in the optional argument of the container `axis` environment. Use with the `NicholsChart` environment supplied with this package is recommended. The mandatory argument is the same as `\BodeZPK`.

```
\addNicholsTFChart \addNicholsTFChart[\langle plot-options\rangle]
{\langle num/\{\langle coeffs\rangle\},den/\{\langle coeffs\rangle\},d/\{\langle delay\rangle\}\rangle}
```

Similar to `\addNicholsZPKChart`, with a transfer function input in the TF form.

4 Implementation

4.1 Initialization

```
\n@mod We start by processing the class options.  
\n@mod@p 1 \newif\if@pgfarg\@pgfargfalse  
\n@mod@n 2 \DeclareOption{pgf}{  
 3   \@pgfargtrue  
 4 }  
gnuplot@id 5 \newif\if@declutterarg\@declutterargfalse  
gnuplot@prefix 6 \DeclareOption{declutter}{  
 7   \@declutterargtrue  
 8 }  
 9 \newif\if@radarg\@radargfalse  
10 \DeclareOption{rad}{  
11   \@radargtrue  
12 }  
13 \newif\if@hzarg\@hzargfalse  
14 \DeclareOption{Hz}{  
15   \@hzargtrue  
16 }  
17 \ProcessOptions\relax
```

Then, we define new macros to unify `pgfplots` and `gnuplot`. New macros are defined for the `pow` and `mod` functions to address differences between the two math engines.

```
18 \newcommand{\n@mod}[2]{(#1)-((round((#1)/(#2)))*(#2))}  
19 \newcommand{\n@mod@p}[2]{(#1)-((floor((#1)/(#2)))*(#2))}  
20 \newcommand{\n@mod@n}[2]{(#1)-((floor((#1)/(#2))+1)*(#2))}  
21 \if@pgfarg  
22   \newcommand{\n@pow}[2]{(#1)^(#2)}  
23   \pgfplotsset{  
24     trig format plots=rad  
25   }  
26 \else  
27   \newcommand{\n@pow}[2]{(#1)**(#2)}
```

Then, we create a counter so that a new data table is generated and for each new plot. If the plot macros have not changed, the tables, once generated, can be reused by `gnuplot`, which reduces compilation time. The `declutter` option is used to enable the `gnuplot` directory to declutter the working directory.

```
28 \newcounter{gnuplot@id}  
29 \setcounter{gnuplot@id}{0}  
30 \if@declutterarg  
31   \edef\bodeplot@prefix{gnuplot/\jobname}  
32 \else  
33   \edef\bodeplot@prefix{\jobname}  
34 \fi  
35 \tikzset{  
36   gnuplot@prefix/.style={  
37     id=\arabic{gnuplot@id},  
38     prefix=\bodeplot@prefix  
39   }  
40 }
```

If the operating system is not Windows, and if the `declutter` option is not passed, we create the `gnuplot` folder if it does not already exist.

```
41 \ifwindows\else  
42   \if@declutterarg  
43     \immediate\write18{mkdir -p gnuplot}  
44   \fi  
45 \fi  
46 \fi
```

`\if@babel@french` Check if the `babel` package is loaded with French language option.

```

47 \newif\if@babel@french\@babel@frenchfalse
48 \@ifpackagewith{babel}{french}{\@babel@frenchtrue}{}
49 \@ifpackagewith{babel}{main=french}{\@babel@frenchtrue}{}

```

bode@style Default axis properties for all plot macros are collected in this **pgf** style.

```

50 \pgfplotsset{
51   bode@style/.style = {
52     label style={font=\footnotesize},
53     tick label style={font=\footnotesize},
54     grid=both,
55     major grid style={color=gray!80},
56     minor grid style={color=gray!20},
57     x label style={at={(ticklabel cs:0.5)}, anchor=near ticklabel},
58     y label style={at={(ticklabel cs:0.5)}, anchor=near ticklabel},
59     scale only axis,
60     samples=200,
61     width=5cm,
62     log basis x=10
63   }
64 }

```

freq@filter These macros handle the **Hz** and **rad** class options and two new **pgf** keys named **freq@label frequency unit** and **phase unit** for conversion of frequency and phase units, respectively.

```

ph@scale 65 \pgfplotsset{freq@filter/.style = {}}
ph@x@label 66 \def\freq@scale{1}
ph@y@label 67 \pgfplotsset{freq@label/.style = { xlabel = {Frequency (rad/s)}{}}
68 \pgfplotsset{ph@x@label/.style = { xlabel={Phase (deg)}{}}
69 \pgfplotsset{ph@y@label/.style = { ylabel={Phase (deg)}{}}
70 \def\ph@scale{180/pi}
71 \if@radarg
72   \pgfplotsset{ph@y@label/.style = { ylabel={Phase (rad)}{}}
73   \pgfplotsset{ph@x@label/.style = { xlabel={Phase (rad)}{}}
74 \def\ph@scale{1}
75 \fi
76 \if@hzarg
77   \def\freq@scale{2*pi}
78   \pgfplotsset{freq@label/.style = { xlabel = {Frequency (Hz)}{}}
79 \if@pgfarg
80   \pgfplotsset{freq@filter/.style = {x filter/.expression={x-
    log10(2*pi)}}}
81 \fi
82 \fi
83 \tikzset{
84   phase unit/.initial={deg},
85   phase unit/.default={deg},
86   phase unit/.is choice,
87   phase unit/deg/.code={
88     \renewcommand{\ph@scale}{180/pi}
89     \pgfplotsset{ph@x@label/.style = { xlabel={Phase (deg)}{}}
90     \pgfplotsset{ph@y@label/.style = { ylabel={Phase (deg)}{}}
91   },
92   phase unit/rad/.code={
93     \renewcommand{\ph@scale}{1}
94     \pgfplotsset{ph@y@label/.style = { ylabel={Phase (rad)}{}}
95     \pgfplotsset{ph@x@label/.style = { xlabel={Phase (rad)}{}}
96   },
97   frequency unit/.initial={rad},
98   frequency unit/.default={rad},
99   frequency unit/.is choice,
100  frequency unit/Hz/.code={
101    \renewcommand{\freq@scale}{2*pi}
102    \pgfplotsset{freq@label/.style = { xlabel = {Frequency (Hz)}{}}

```

```

103      \if@pgfarg
104          \pgfplotsset{freq@filter/.style = {x filter/.expression={x-
    log10(2*pi)}}}
105      \fi
106  },
107  frequency unit/rad/.code={
108      \renewcommand{\freq@scale}{#1}
109      \pgfplotsset{freq@label/.style = { xlabel = {Frequency (rad/s)}}}
110  }
111 }

```

`get@interval@start` Internal macros to extract start and end frequency limits from domain specifications.
`get@interval@end` 112 `\def\get@interval@start#1:#2@\nil{#1}`
113 `\def\get@interval@end#1:#2@\nil{#2}`

4.2 Parametric function generators for poles, zeros, gains, and delays.

All calculations are carried out assuming that frequency inputs are in `rad/s`. Magnitude outputs are in `dB` and phase outputs are in degrees or radians, depending on the value of `\ph@scale`.

`\MagK` True, linear, and asymptotic magnitude and phase parametric functions for a pure gain $G(s) = k + 0i$. The macros take two arguments corresponding to real and imaginary part of the gain to facilitate code reuse between delays, gains, poles, and zeros, but only real gains are supported. The second argument, if supplied, is ignored.
`\MagKAsymp` 114 `\newcommand*{\MagK}[2]{(20*log10(abs(#1)))}`
`\PhKLin` 115 `\newcommand*{\MagKAsymp}{\MagK}`
116 `\newcommand*{\MagKLin}{\MagK}`
117 `\newcommand*{\PhK}[2]{((#1<0?-pi:0)*\ph@scale)}`
118 `\newcommand*{\PhKAsymp}{\PhK}`
119 `\newcommand*{\PhKLin}{\PhK}`

`\PhKAsymp` True magnitude and phase parametric functions for a pure delay $G(s) = e^{-Ts}$. The `\PhKLin` macros take two arguments corresponding to real and imaginary part of the gain to facilitate code reuse between delays, gains, poles, and zeros, but only real gains are supported. The second argument, if supplied, is ignored.
120 `\newcommand*{\MagDel}[2]{0}`
121 `\newcommand*{\PhDel}[2]{(-#1*t*\ph@scale)}`

`\MagPole` These macros are the building blocks for most of the plotting functions provided by this `\MagPoleAsymp` package. We start with Parametric function for the true magnitude of a complex pole.

`\MagPoleLin` 122 `\newcommand*{\MagPole}[2]`
`\PhPole` 123 `{(-20*log10(sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{t - (#2)}{2}))}`
`\PhPoleAsymp` Parametric function for linear approximation of the magnitude of a complex pole.
`\PhPoleLin` 124 `\newcommand*{\MagPoleLin}[2]{(t < sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2})) ?`
125 `-20*log10(sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2})) :`
126 `-20*log10(t)`
127 `)}`

Parametric function for asymptotic approximation of the magnitude of a complex pole, same as linear approximation.

128 `\newcommand*{\MagPoleAsymp}{\MagPoleLin}`

Parametric function for the true phase of a complex pole.

129 `\newcommand*{\PhPole}[2]{((#1 > 0 ? (#2 > 0 ?`
130 `(\n@mod@p{-atan2((t - (#2)), -(#1))}{2*pi}) :`
131 `(-atan2((t - (#2)), -(#1)))) :`
132 `(-atan2((t - (#2)), -(#1)))*\ph@scale)}`

Parametric function for linear approximation of the phase of a complex pole.

```

133 \newcommand*{\PhPoleLin}[2]{
134   ((abs(#1)+abs(#2) == 0 ? -pi/2 :
135   (t < (sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2}) /
136   (\n@pow{10}{sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2}/(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2})))))) ?
137   (-atan2(-(#2),-(#1))) :
138   (t >= (sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2}) *
139   (\n@pow{10}{sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2}/(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2})))))) ?
140   (#2>0? (#1>0?3*pi/2:-pi/2):-pi/2) :
141   (-atan2(-(#2),-(#1)) + (log10(t/(sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2}) /
142   (\n@pow{10}{sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2}/(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2}))))))*
143   (\n@pow{#2}{2})))))*((#2>0? (#1>0?3*pi/2:-pi/2):-pi/2) + atan2(-
144   (#2),-(#1))/
144   (log10(\n@pow{10}{sqrt((4*\n@pow{#1}{2})/
145   (\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2})))))))*\ph@scale)}
```

Parametric function for asymptotic approximation of the phase of a complex pole.

```

146 \newcommand*{\PhPoleAsymp}[2]{((t < (sqrt(\n@pow{#1}{2} + \n@pow{#2}{2})) ?
147   (-atan2(-(#2),-(#1))) :
148   (#2>0? (#1>0?3*pi/2:-pi/2):-pi/2))*\ph@scale)}
```

\MagZero Plots of zeros are defined to be negative of plots of poles. The $\theta-$ is necessary due to a bug in **gnuplot** (fixed in version 5.4, patchlevel 3).

```

\MagZeroLin 149 \newcommand*{\MagZero}{\theta-\MagPole}
\PhZero 150 \newcommand*{\MagZeroLin}{\theta-\MagPoleLin}
\PhZeroAsymp 151 \newcommand*{\MagZeroAsymp}{\theta-\MagPoleAsymp}
\PhZeroLin 152 \newcommand*{\PhZero}{\theta-\PhPole}
153 \newcommand*{\PhZeroLin}{\theta-\PhPoleLin}
154 \newcommand*{\PhZeroAsymp}{\theta-\PhPoleAsymp}
```

4.3 Second order systems.

Although second order systems can be dealt with using the macros defined so far, the following dedicated macros for second order systems involve less computation.

\MagCSPoles Consider the canonical second order transfer function $G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + 2\zeta w_n s + w_n^2}$. We start with true, linear, and asymptotic magnitude plots for this transfer function.

```

\MagCSPolesAsymp 155 \newcommand*{\MagCSPoles}[2]{(-20*log10(sqrt(\n@pow{\n@pow{#2}{2}}
156   - \n@pow{t}{2}{2} + \n@pow{2*#1*#2*t}{2})))
157 \newcommand*{\MagCSPolesLin}[2]{(t < #2 ? -40*log10(#2) : -
158   40*log10(t))}
158 \newcommand*{\MagCSPolesAsymp}{\MagCSPolesLin}

\MagCSZerosAsymp Then, we have true, linear, and asymptotic phase plots for the canonical second order
\MagCSZerosLin transfer function.
\PhCSZeros 159 \newcommand*{\PhCSPoles}[2]{((-atan2((2*(#1)*(#2)*t),(\n@pow{#2}{2}
160   - \n@pow{t}{2}))*\ph@scale)}
161 \newcommand*{\PhCSPolesLin}[2]{((t < (#2 / (\n@pow{10}{abs(#1)})) ?
162   0 :
163   (t >= (#2 * (\n@pow{10}{abs(#1)})) ?
164   (#1>0 ? -pi : pi) :
165   (#1>0 ? (-pi*(log10(t*(\n@pow{10}{#1})/#2))/(2*#1) :
166   (pi*(log10(t*(\n@pow{10}{abs(#1)})/#2)/(2*abs(#1)))))*\ph@scale)}
167 \newcommand*{\PhCSPolesAsymp}[2]{((#1>0?(t<#2?0:-pi):(t<#2?0:pi))*\ph@scale)}
```

Plots of the inverse function $G(s) = s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2$ are defined to be negative of plots of poles. The $\theta-$ is necessary due to a bug in **gnuplot** (fixed in version 5.4, patchlevel 3).

```

168 \newcommand*{\MagCSZeros}{\theta-\MagCSPoles}
169 \newcommand*{\MagCSZerosLin}{\theta-\MagCSPolesLin}
170 \newcommand*{\MagCSZerosAsymp}{\theta-\MagCSPolesAsymp}
171 \newcommand*{\PhCSZeros}{\theta-\PhCSPoles}
```

```

172 \newcommand*{\PhCSZerosLin}[0]{\PhCSPolesLin}
173 \newcommand*{\PhCSZerosAsymp}[0]{\PhCSPolesAsymp}

```

\MagCSPolesPeak These macros are used to add a resonant peak to linear and asymptotic plots of canonical second order poles and zeros. Since the plots are parametric, a separate `\draw` command is needed to add a vertical arrow.

```

174 \newcommand*{\MagCSPolesPeak}[3][]{%
175   \draw[#1,->] (axis cs:{#3},{-40*log10(#3)}) --
176   (axis cs:{#3},{-40*log10(#3)-20*log10(2*abs(#2))})%
177 }
178 \newcommand*{\MagCSZerosPeak}[3][]{%
179   \draw[#1,->] (axis cs:{#3},{40*log10(#3)}) --
180   (axis cs:{#3},{40*log10(#3)+20*log10(2*abs(#2))})%
181 }

```

\MagSOPoles Consider a general second order transfer function $G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2+as+b}$. We start with true, linear, and asymptotic magnitude plots for this transfer function.

```

\MagSOPolesLin 182 \newcommand*{\MagSOPoles}[2]{%
\PhSOPoles 183 (-20*log10(sqrt(\n@pow{#2 - \n@pow{t}{2}}{2} + \n@pow{#1*t}{2})))%
\PhSOPolesAsymp 184 \newcommand*{\MagSOPolesLin}[2]{%
\PhSOPolesLin 185 (t < sqrt(abs(#2)) ? -20*log10(abs(#2)) : - 40*log10(t))%
\MagS0Zeros 186 \newcommand*{\MagSOPolesAsymp}{\MagSOPolesLin}

```

\MagS0ZerosAsymp Then, we have true, linear, and asymptotic phase plots for the general second order transfer function.

```

\PhS0Zeros 187 \newcommand*{\PhSOPoles}[2]{(((-atan2((#1)*t,((#2) -
\PhS0ZerosAsymp 188 \newcommand*{\PhSOPolesLin}[2]{((#2>0 ?
\PhS0ZerosLin 189 \PhCSPolesLin{(#1/(2*sqrt(#2))}{(sqrt(#2))} :
190 (#1>0 ? -pi : pi))}%
191 \newcommand*{\PhSOPolesAsymp}[2]{((#2>0 ?
192 \PhCSPolesAsymp{(#1/(2*sqrt(#2))}{(sqrt(#2))} :
193 (#1>0 ? -pi : pi))}%

```

Plots of the inverse function $G(s) = s^2 + as + b$ are defined to be negative of plots of poles. The `\theta-` is necessary due to a bug in `gnuplot` (fixed in version 5.4, patchlevel 3).

```

194 \newcommand*{\MagS0Zeros}[0]{-\MagSOPoles}
195 \newcommand*{\MagS0ZerosLin}[0]{-\MagSOPolesLin}
196 \newcommand*{\MagS0ZerosAsymp}[0]{-\MagSOPolesAsymp}
197 \newcommand*{\PhS0Zeros}[0]{-\PhSOPoles}
198 \newcommand*{\PhS0ZerosLin}[0]{-\PhSOPolesLin}
199 \newcommand*{\PhS0ZerosAsymp}[0]{-\PhSOPolesAsymp}

```

\MagSOPolesPeak These macros are used to add a resonant peak to linear and asymptotic plots of general second order poles and zeros. Since the plots are parametric, a separate `\draw` command is needed to add a vertical arrow.

```

200 \newcommand*{\MagSOPolesPeak}[3][]{%
201   \draw[#1,->] (axis cs:{sqrt(abs(#3))},{-20*log10(abs(#3))}) --
202   (axis cs:{sqrt(abs(#3))},{-20*log10(abs(#3))} -
203   20*log10(abs(#2/sqrt(abs(#3)))));%
204 }
205 \newcommand*{\MagS0ZerosPeak}[3][]{%
206   \draw[#1,->] (axis cs:{sqrt(abs(#3))},{20*log10(abs(#3))}) --
207   (axis cs:{sqrt(abs(#3))},{20*log10(abs(#3))} +
208   20*log10(abs(#2/sqrt(abs(#3)))));%
209 }

```

4.4 Commands for Bode plots

4.4.1 User macros

\BodeZPK This macro takes lists of complex poles and zeros of the form `{re,im}`, and values of gain and delay as inputs and constructs parametric functions for the Bode magnitude

and phase plots. This is done by adding together the parametric functions generated by the macros for individual zeros, poles, gain, and delay, described above. The parametric functions are then plotted in a `tikzpicture` environment using the `\addplot` macro. Unless the package is loaded with the option `pgf`, the parametric functions are evaluated using `gnuplot`.

```
210 \newcommand{\BodeZPK}[4][approx=true]{
```

Most of the work is done by the `\parse@opt` and the `\build@ZPK@plot` macros, described in the 'Internal macros' section. The former is used to parse the optional arguments and the latter to extract poles, zeros, gain, and delay from the first mandatory argument and to generate macros `\func@mag` and `\func@ph` that hold the magnitude and phase parametric functions. The `\noexpand` macros below are needed to so that only the macro `\opt@group` is expanded.

```
211   \parse@opt{#1}
212   \gdef\func@mag{}
213   \gdef\func@ph{}
214   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}
215   \temp@cmd
216   \build@ZPK@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{\opt@approx}{#2}
217   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{groupplot}[
218     bode@style,
219     xmin=#3,
220     xmax=#4,
221     domain=#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale,
222     height=2.5cm,
223     xmode=log,
224     group style = {group size = 1 by 2,vertical sep=0.25cm},
225     \opt@group
226   ]}
227   \temp@cmd
```

To ensure frequency tick marks on magnitude and the phase plots are always aligned, we use the `groupplot` library. The `\noexpand` and `\unexpanded\expandafter` macros below are used to expand macros in the plot and group optional arguments.

```
228   \edef\temp@mag@cmd{\noexpand\nextgroupplot [yla-
229   bel={Gain (dB)}, xmajorticks=false, \optmag@axes]
230   \noexpand\addplot [freq@filter, variable=t, thick, \opt-
231   mag@plot]}
232   \edef\temp@ph@cmd{\noexpand\nextgroupplot [ph@y@label, freq@label, \optph@axes]
233   \noexpand\addplot [freq@filter, variable=t, thick, \optph@plot]}
234   \ifpgfarg
235     \temp@mag@cmd {\func@mag};
236     \optmag@commands
237   \temp@ph@cmd {\func@ph};
238     \optph@commands
239   \else
```

In `gnuplot` mode, we increment the `gnuplot@id` counter before every plot to make sure that new and reusable `.gnuplot` and `.table` files are generated for every plot. We use `raw gnuplot` to make sure that the tables generated by `gnuplot` use the correct phase and frequency units as supplied by the user.

```
238   \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
239   \temp@mag@cmd gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
240   { set table $meta;
241     set dummy t;
242     set logscale x 10;
243     set xrange [#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale];
244     set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
245     plot \func@mag;
246     set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
247     plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2);
248   };
```

```

249      \optmag@commands
250      \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
251      \temp@ph@cmd gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
252      { set table $meta;
253      set dummy t;
254      set logscale x 10;
255      set xrange [#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale];
256      set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
257      plot \func@ph;
258      set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
259      plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2);
260      };
261      \optph@commands
262      \fi
263  \end{groupplot}
264 \end{tikzpicture}
265 }

```

The following code handles active characters to avoid conflicts with ‘babel’.

```

266 \if@babel@french
267   \let\Orig@BodeZPK\BodeZPK
268   \renewcommand{\BodeZPK}{%
269     \shorthandoff{;:!?}%
270     \BodeZPK@Shorthandoff
271   }
272   \newcommand{\BodeZPK@Shorthandoff}[4][]{%
273     \Orig@BodeZPK[#1]{#2}{#3}{#4}%
274     \shorthandon{;:!?}%
275   }
276 \fi

```

\BodeTF Implementation of this macro is very similar to the \BodeZPK macro above. The only difference is the lack of linear and asymptotic plots and slightly different parsing of the mandatory arguments.

```

277 \newcommand{\BodeTF}[4][]{
278   \parse@opt{#1}
279   \gdef\func@mag{}
280   \gdef\func@ph{}
281   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}
282   \temp@cmd
283   \build@TF@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{#2}
284   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{groupplot}[
285     bode@style,
286     xmin=#3,
287     xmax=#4,
288     domain=#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale,
289     height=2.5cm,
290     xmode=log,
291     group style = {group size = 1 by 2,vertical sep=0.25cm},
292     \opt@group
293   ]}
294   \temp@cmd
295   \edef\temp@mag@cmd{\noexpand\nextgroupplot [yla-
bel={Gain (dB)}, xmajorticks=false, \optmag@axes]
296   \noexpand\addplot [freq@filter, variable=t, thick, \opt-
mag@plot]}
297   \edef\temp@ph@cmd{\noexpand\nextgroupplot [ph@y@label, freq@label, \optph@axes]
298   \noexpand\addplot [freq@filter, variable=t, thick, \optph@plot]}
299   \if@pgfarg
300     \temp@mag@cmd {\func@mag};
301     \optmag@commands
302     \temp@ph@cmd {\n@mod{\func@ph}{2*pi*\ph@scale}};
303     \optph@commands

```

```

304     \else
305         \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
306         \temp@mag@cmd gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
307         { set table $meta;
308             set dummy t;
309             set logscale x 10;
310             set xrange [#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale];
311             set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
312             plot \func@mag;
313             set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
314             plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2);
315         };
316         \optmag@commands
317         \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
318         \temp@ph@cmd gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
319         { set table $meta;
320             set dummy t;
321             set logscale x 10;
322             set trange [#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale];
323             set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
324             plot '+' using (t) : ((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale)) smooth unwrap;
325             set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
326             plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2*\ph@scale);
327         };
328         \optph@commands
329     \fi
330 \end{groupplot}
331 \end{tikzpicture}
332 }

```

The following code handles active characters to avoid conflicts with ‘babel’.

```

333 \if@babel@french
334     \let\Orig@BodeTF\BodeTF
335     \renewcommand{\BodeTF}{%
336         \shorthandoff{;:!?}%
337         \BodeTF@Shorthandoff
338     }
339     \newcommand{\BodeTF@Shorthandoff}[4][]{%
340         \Orig@BodeTF[#1]{#2}{#3}{#4}%
341         \shorthandon{;:!?}%
342     }
343 \fi

```

\addBodeZPKPlots This macro is designed to issues multiple **\addplot** macros for the same set of poles, zeros, gain, and delay. All of the work is done by the **\build@ZPK@plot** macro.

```

344 \newcommand{\addBodeZPKPlots}[3][true/{}]{%
345     \foreach \approx/\opt in {\#1} {
346         \gdef\plot@macro{}
347         \gdef\temp@macro{}
348         \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\#2}{phase}=0
349             \build@ZPK@plot{\temp@macro}{\plot@macro}{\approx}{\#3}
350         \else
351             \build@ZPK@plot{\plot@macro}{\temp@macro}{\approx}{\#3}
352         \fi
353         \if@pgfarg
354             \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [freq@filter, do-
355             main=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale, vari-
356             able=t, thick, \opt]}
357             \temp@cmd {\plot@macro};
358         \else
359             \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
360             \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [variable=t, thick, \opt]}
361             \temp@cmd gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
362             { set table $meta;

```

```

361      set dummy t;
362      set logscale x 10;
363      set xrange [\ $\freq@scale^{\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}}*\freq@scale$ ];
364      set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
365      plot \plot@macro;
366      set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
367      plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2);
368  };
369 \fi
370 }
371 }
```

\addBodeTFPlot This macro is designed to issues a single `\addplot` macros for the set of coefficients and delay. All of the work is done by the `\build@TF@plot` macro.

```

372 \newcommand{\addBodeTFPlot}[3][thick]{
373   \gdef\plot@macro{}
374   \gdef\temp@macro{}
375   \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{#2}{phase}=0
376     \build@TF@plot{\temp@macro}{\plot@macro}{#3}
377   \else
378     \build@TF@plot{\plot@macro}{\temp@macro}{#3}
379   \fi
380   \if@pgfarg
381     \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{#2}{phase}=0
382       \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [freq@filter, do-
383         main=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale, vari-
384         able=t, #1]}
385       \temp@cmd {\n@mod{\plot@macro}{2*pi}};
386     \else
387       \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [freq@filter, do-
388         main=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale, vari-
389         able=t, #1]}
390       \temp@cmd {\plot@macro};
391     \fi
392   \else
393     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
394     \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{#2}{phase}=0
395       \addplot [variable=t, #1] gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
396       { set table $meta;
397         set dummy t;
398         set logscale x 10;
399         set xrange [\ $\freq@scale^{\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}}*\freq@scale$ ];
400         set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
401         plot '+' using (t) : ((\plot@macro)/(\ph@scale)) smooth un-
402         wrap;
403         set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
404         plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2*\ph@scale);
405       };
406     \else
407       \addplot [variable=t, #1] gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
408       { set table $meta;
409         set dummy t;
410         set logscale x 10;
411         set xrange [\ $\freq@scale^{\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}}*\freq@scale$ ];
412         set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
413         plot \plot@macro;
414         set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
415         plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2);
416       };
417     \fi
418   \fi
419 }
```

\addBodeComponentPlot This macro is designed to issue a single `\addplot` macro capable of plotting linear

combinations of the basic components described in Section 3.1.1. The only work to do here is to handle the `pgf` package option.

```

415 \newcommand{\addBodeComponentPlot}[2][thick]{%
416   \if@pgfarg%
417     \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [freq@filter, do-%
418       main=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale, vari-%
419       able=t, #1]%
420     \temp@cmd {#2};%
421   \else%
422     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}%
423     \addplot [variable=t, #1] gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]%
424     { set table $meta;%
425       set dummy t;%
426       set logscale x 10;%
427       set xrange [\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale];%
428       set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};%
429       plot #2;%
430       set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";%
431       plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2);%
432     };%
433   \fi%
434 }

```

BodePhPlot (*env.*) An environment to host phase plot macros that pass parametric functions to `\addplot` macros. Uses the defaults specified in `bode@style` to create a shortcut that includes the `tikzpicture` and `semilogaxis` environments.

```

433 \if@babel@french%
434   \AddToHook{env/BodePhPlot/begin}{\shorthandoff{;!:!?}}%
435 \fi%
436 \NewDocumentEnvironment{BodePhPlot}{0{}mm+b}{%
437   \parse@env@opt{#1}%
438   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unex-%
439     panded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}%
440   \temp@cmd%
441   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{semilogxaxis}[%
442     ph@y@label,%
443     freq@label,%
444     bode@style,%
445     xmin={#2},%
446     xmax={#3},%
447     domain=#2:#3,%
448     height=2.5cm,%
449     \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}%
450   ]}%
451   \temp@cmd%
452   #4%
453   \end{semilogxaxis}%
454   \end{tikzpicture}%
455 }{%
456 }

```

BodeMagPlot (*env.*) An environment to host magnitude plot macros that pass parametric functions to `\addplot` macros. Uses the defaults specified in `bode@style` to create a shortcut that includes the `tikzpicture` and `semilogaxis` environments.

```

455 \if@babel@french%
456   \AddToHook{env/BodeMagPlot/begin}{\shorthandoff{;!:!?}}%
457 \fi%
458 \NewDocumentEnvironment{BodeMagPlot}{0{}mm+b}{%
459   \parse@env@opt{#1}%
460   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unex-%
461     panded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}%
462   \temp@cmd%
463   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{semilogxaxis}[%
464     bode@style,%
465     freq@filter,%
466     main=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale,%
467     variable=t,%
468     #1]%
469   \temp@cmd {#2};%
470   \else%
471     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}%
472     \addplot [variable=t, #1] gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]%
473     { set table $meta;%
474       set dummy t;%
475       set logscale x 10;%
476       set xrange [\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale];%
477       set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};%
478       plot #2;%
479       set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";%
480       plot "$meta" using ($1/(\freq@scale)):(\$2);%
481     };%
482   \fi%
483 }

```

```

464     freq@label,
465     xmin={#2},
466     xmax={#3},
467     domain=#2:#3,
468     height=2.5cm,
469     ylabel={Gain (dB)},
470     \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}
471   ]}
472 \temp@cmd
473   #4
474 \end{semilogxaxis}
475 \end{tikzpicture}
476 }{}

```

BodePlot (*env.*) Same as **BodeMagPlot**. The **BodePlot** environment is deprecated as of v1.1.0, please use the **BodePhPlot** and **BodeMagPlot** environments instead.

```

477 \if@babel@french
478   \AddToHook{env/BodePlot/begin}{\shorthandoff{;!:?}}
479 \fi
480 \NewDocumentEnvironment{BodePlot}{O{}mm+b}{
481   \parse@env@opt{#1}
482   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unex-
      panded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}
483   \temp@cmd
484   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{semilogxaxis}[
485     bode@style,
486     freq@label,
487     xmin={#2},
488     xmax={#3},
489     domain=#2:#3,
490     height=2.5cm,
491     \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}
492   ]}
493   \temp@cmd
494   #4
495 \end{semilogxaxis}
496 \end{tikzpicture}
497 }{}

```

4.4.2 Internal macros

\add@feature This is an internal macro to add a basic component (pole, zero, gain, or delay), described using one of the macros in Section 3.1.1 (input #2), to a parametric function stored in a global macro (input #1). The basic component value (input #3) is a complex number of the form `{re,im}`. If the imaginary part is missing, it is assumed to be zero. Implementation made possible by [this StackExchange answer](#).

```

498 \newcommand*{\add@feature}[3]{
499   \ifcat$\detokenize\expandafter{#1}$
500     \xdef#1{\unexpanded\expandafter{#1 0+#2}}
501   \else
502     \xdef#1{\unexpanded\expandafter{#1+#2}}
503   \fi
504   \foreach \y [count=\n] in #3 {
505     \xdef#1{\unexpanded\expandafter{#1}\{\y\}}
506     \xdef\Last@LoopValue{\n}
507   }
508   \ifnum\Last@LoopValue=1
509     \xdef#1{\unexpanded\expandafter{#1}\{0\}}
510   \fi
511 }

```

\build@ZPK@plot This is an internal macro to build parametric Bode magnitude and phase plots by concatenating basic component (pole, zero, gain, or delay) macros (Section 3.1.1) to

global magnitude and phase macros (inputs #1 and #2). The `\add@feature` macro is used to do the concatenation. The basic component macros are inferred from a `feature/{values}` list, where `feature` is one of `z,p,k`, and `d`, for zeros, poles, gain, and delay, respectively, and `{values}` is a comma separated list of comma separated lists (complex numbers of the form `{re,im}`). If the imaginary part is missing, it is assumed to be zero.

```

512 \newcommand{\build@ZPK@plot}[4]{
513   \foreach \feature/\values in {\#4} {
514     \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\feature}{z}=0
515       \foreach \z in \values {
516         \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\#3}{linear}=0
517           \add@feature{\#2}{\PhZeroLin}{\z}
518           \add@feature{\#1}{\MagZeroLin}{\z}
519         \else
520           \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\#3}{asymptotic}=0
521             \add@feature{\#2}{\PhZeroAsymp}{\z}
522             \add@feature{\#1}{\MagZeroAsymp}{\z}
523           \else
524             \add@feature{\#2}{\PhZero}{\z}
525             \add@feature{\#1}{\MagZero}{\z}
526           \fi
527         \fi
528       }
529     \fi
530     \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\feature}{p}=0
531       \foreach \p in \values {
532         \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\#3}{linear}=0
533           \add@feature{\#2}{\PhPoleLin}{\p}
534           \add@feature{\#1}{\MagPoleLin}{\p}
535         \else
536           \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\#3}{asymptotic}=0
537             \add@feature{\#2}{\PhPoleAsymp}{\p}
538             \add@feature{\#1}{\MagPoleAsymp}{\p}
539           \else
540             \add@feature{\#2}{\PhPole}{\p}
541             \add@feature{\#1}{\MagPole}{\p}
542           \fi
543         \fi
544       }
545     \fi
546     \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\feature}{k}=0
547       \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\#3}{linear}=0
548         \add@feature{\#2}{\PhKLin}{\values}
549         \add@feature{\#1}{\MagKLin}{\values}
550       \else
551         \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\#3}{asymptotic}=0
552           \add@feature{\#2}{\PhKAsymp}{\values}
553           \add@feature{\#1}{\MagKAsymp}{\values}
554         \else
555           \add@feature{\#2}{\PhK}{\values}
556           \add@feature{\#1}{\MagK}{\values}
557         \fi
558       \fi
559     \fi
560     \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\feature}{d}=0
561       \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\#3}{linear}=0
562         \PackageError{bodeplot}{Linear approximation for pure de-
lays is not
supported.} {Plot the true Bode plot using 'true' in-
stead of 'linear'.}
563       \else
564         \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\#3}{asymptotic}=0
565           \PackageError{bodeplot}{Asymptotic approxima-
```

```

    tion for pure delays is not
567      supported.} {Plot the true Bode plot using 'true' in-
    stead of 'asymptotic'.}
568      \else
569        \ifdim\values pt < 0pt
570          \PackageError{bodeplot}{Delay needs to be a posi-
    tive number.}
571        \fi
572        \add@feature{\#2}{\PhDel}{\values}
573        \add@feature{\#1}{\MagDel}{\values}
574      \fi
575    \fi
576  \fi
577 }
578 }
```

\build@TF@plot This is an internal macro to build parametric Bode magnitude and phase functions by computing the magnitude and the phase given numerator and denominator coefficients and delay (input #3). The functions are assigned to user-supplied global magnitude and phase macros (inputs #1 and #2).

```

579 \newcommand{\build@TF@plot}[3]{%
580   \gdef\num@real{0}
581   \gdef\num@im{0}
582   \gdef\den@real{0}
583   \gdef\den@im{0}
584   \gdef\loop@delay{0}
585   \foreach \feature/\values in {#3} {
586     \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\feature}{num}=0
587       \foreach \numcoeff [count=\numpow] in \values {
588         \xdef\num@degree{\numpow}
589       }
590       \foreach \numcoeff [count=\numpow] in \values {
591         \pgfmathtruncatemacro{\currentdegree}{\num@degree-\numpow}
592         \ifnum\currentdegree = 0
593           \xdef\num@real{\num@real+\numcoeff}
594         \else
595           \ifodd\currentdegree
596             \xdef\num@im{\num@im+(\numcoeff*(\n@pow{-
597               1}{(\currentdegree-1)/2})*%
598               (\n@pow{t}{\currentdegree}))}
599           \else
600             \xdef\num@real{\num@real+(\numcoeff*(\n@pow{-
601               1}{(\currentdegree)/2})*%
602               (\n@pow{t}{\currentdegree}))}
603           \fi
604         \fi
605       \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\feature}{den}=0
606         \foreach \dencoeff [count=\denpow] in \values {
607           \xdef\den@degree{\denpow}
608         }
609         \foreach \dencoeff [count=\denpow] in \values {
610           \pgfmathtruncatemacro{\currentdegree}{\den@degree-\denpow}
611           \ifnum\currentdegree = 0
612             \xdef\den@real{\den@real+\dencoeff}
613           \else
614             \ifodd\currentdegree
615               \xdef\den@im{\den@im+(\dencoeff*(\n@pow{-
616                 1}{(\currentdegree-1)/2})*%
617                   (\n@pow{t}{\currentdegree}))}
618             \else
619               \xdef\den@real{\den@real+(\dencoeff*(\n@pow{-
620                 1}{(\currentdegree)/2})*%
621                   (\n@pow{t}{\currentdegree}))}
622             \fi
623           \fi
624         \fi
625       \fi
626     \fi
627   }
```

```

1}{(\currentdegree)/2})*%
619      (\n@pow{t}{\currentdegree}))}
620      \fi
621      \fi
622  }
623  \fi
624  \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\feature}{d}=0
625    \xdef\loop@delay{\values}
626  \fi
627 }
628 \xdef#2{((atan2((\num@im),(\num@real))-atan2((\den@im),%
629   (\den@real))-\loop@delay*t)*(\ph@scale))}
630 \xdef#1{(20*log10(sqrt((\n@pow{\num@real}{2})+(\n@pow{\num@im}{2})))-
631   %
631   20*log10(sqrt((\n@pow{\den@real}{2})+(\n@pow{\den@im}{2}))))}
632 }

```

\parse@opt Parses options supplied to the main Bode macros. A **for** loop over tuples of the form **\obj/\typ/\opt** with a long list of nested if-else statements does the job. If the input **\obj** is **plot**, **axes**, **group**, **approx**, or **tikz** the corresponding **\opt** are passed, unexpanded, to the **\addplot** macro, the **\nextgroupplot** macro, the **groupplot** environment, the **\build@ZPK@plot** macro, and the **tikzpicture** environment, respectively. If **\obj** is **commands**, the corresponding **\opt** are stored, unexpanded, in the macros **\optph@commands** and **\optmag@commands**, to be executed in appropriate **axis** environments.

```

633 \newcommand{\parse@opt}[1]{
634   \gdef\optmag@axes{}
635   \gdef\optph@axes{}
636   \gdef\optph@plot{}
637   \gdef\optmag@plot{}
638   \gdef\opt@group{}
639   \gdef\opt@approx{}
640   \gdef\optph@commands{}
641   \gdef\optmag@commands{}
642   \gdef\opt@tikz{}
643   \foreach \obj/\typ/\opt in {#1} {
644     \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{plot}=0
645       \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\typ}}{mag}=0
646         \xdef\optmag@plot{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
647       \else
648         \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\typ}}{ph}=0
649           \xdef\optph@plot{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
650         \else
651           \xdef\optmag@plot{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
652           \xdef\optph@plot{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
653         \fi
654       \fi
655     \else
656       \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{axes}=0
657         \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\typ}}{mag}=0
658           \xdef\optmag@axes{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
659         \else
660           \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\typ}}{ph}=0
661             \xdef\optph@axes{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
662           \else
663             \xdef\optmag@axes{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
664             \xdef\optph@axes{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
665           \fi
666         \fi
667       \else
668         \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{group}=0
669           \xdef\opt@group{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
670         \else

```

```

671     \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{approx}=0
672         \xdef\opt@approx{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
673     \else
674         \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{commands}=0
675             \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\typ}}{ph}=0
676                 \xdef\optph@commands{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
677             \else
678                 \xdef\optmag@commands{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
679             \fi
680         \else
681             \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{tikz}=0
682                 \xdef\opt@tikz{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
683             \else
684                 \xdef\optmag@plot{\unexpanded\expandafter{\optmag@plot},
685                     \unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}
686                 \xdef\optph@plot{\unexpanded\expandafter{\optph@plot},
687                     \unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}
688             \fi
689         \fi
690     \fi
691     \fi
692     \fi
693   \fi
694 }
695 }

```

\parse@env@opt Parses options supplied to the Bode, Nyquist, and Nichols environments. A **for** loop over tuples of the form **\obj/\opt**, processed using nested if-else statements does the job. The input **\obj** should either be **axes** or **tikz**, and the corresponding **\opt** are passed, unexpanded, to the **axis** environment and the **tikzpicture** environment, respectively.

```

696 \newcommand{\parse@env@opt}[1]{
697   \gdef\opt@axes{}
698   \gdef\opt@tikz{}
699   \foreach \obj/\opt in {#1} {
700     \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{axes}=0
701       \xdef\opt@axes{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
702     \else
703       \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{tikz}=0
704         \xdef\opt@tikz{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
705       \else
706         \xdef\opt@axes{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes},
707             \unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}
708       \fi
709     \fi
710   }
711 }

```

4.5 Nyquist plots

4.5.1 User macros

\NyquistZPK Converts magnitude and phase parametric functions built using **\build@ZPK@plot** into real part and imaginary part parametric functions. A plot of these is the Nyquist plot. The parametric functions are then plotted in a **tikzpicture** environment using the **\addplot** macro. Unless the package is loaded with the option **pgf**, the parametric functions are evaluated using **gnuplot**. A large number of samples is typically needed to get a smooth plot because frequencies near 0 result in plot points that are very close to each other. Linear frequency sampling is unnecessarily fine near zero and very coarse for large ω . Logarithmic sampling makes it worse, perhaps inverse logarithmic sampling will help, pull requests to fix that are welcome!

```
712 \newcommand{\NyquistZPK}[4][]{


```

```

713  \parse@N@opt{#1}
714  \gdef\func@mag{}
715  \gdef\func@ph{}
716  \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}
717  \temp@cmd
718  \build@ZPK@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{\#2}
719  \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{axis}[
720    bode@style,
721    domain=#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale,
722    height=5cm,
723    xlabel={$\Re$},
724    ylabel={$\Im$},
725    samples=500,
726    \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}
727  ]}
728  \temp@cmd
729  \addplot [only marks,mark=+,thick,red] (-1 , 0);
730  \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [variable=t, thick, \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@plot}]}
731  \if@pgfarg
732    \temp@cmd ( {\n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\cos((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))},
733    {\n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\sin((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))} );
734  \opt@commands
735  \else
736    \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
737    \temp@cmd gnuplot [parametric, gnuplot@prefix] {
738      \n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\cos((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale)),
739      \n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\sin((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))
740    };
741    \opt@commands
742  \fi
743  \end{axis}
744 \end{tikzpicture}
745 }

```

The following code handles active characters to avoid conflicts with ‘babel’.

```

746 \if@babel@french
747   \let\Orig@NyquistZPK\NyquistZPK
748   \renewcommand{\NyquistZPK}{%
749     \shorthandoff{;:!?}{%
750       \NyquistZPK@Shorthandoff
751     }%
752   \newcommand{\NyquistZPK@Shorthandoff}[4]{%
753     \Orig@NyquistZPK[#1]{#2}{#3}{#4}{%
754       \shorthandon{;:!?}{%
755     }%
756   \fi

```

\NyquistTF Implementation of this macro is very similar to the **\NyquistZPK** macro above. The only difference is a slightly different parsing of the mandatory arguments via **\build@TF@plot**.

```

757 \newcommand{\NyquistTF}[4]{%
758   \parse@N@opt{#1}
759   \gdef\func@mag{}
760   \gdef\func@ph{}
761   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}
762   \temp@cmd
763   \build@TF@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{\#2}
764   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{axis}[
765     bode@style,
766     domain=#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale,
767     height=5cm,

```

```

768     xlabel={$\Re$},
769     ylabel={$\Im$},
770     samples=500,
771     \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}
772   ]
773   \temp@cmd
774     \addplot [only marks, mark=+, thick, red] (-1 , 0);
775     \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [variable=t, thick, \unex-
    panded\expandafter{\opt@plot}]}
776     \if@pgfarg
777       \temp@cmd ( {\n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\cos((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))},
778                 {\n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\sin((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))} );
779     \opt@commands
780   \else
781     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
782     \temp@cmd gnuplot [parametric, gnuplot@prefix] {
783       \n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\cos((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale)),
784       \n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\sin((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))
785     };
786     \opt@commands
787   \fi
788 \end{axis}
789 \end{tikzpicture}
790 }

```

The following code handles active characters to avoid conflicts with ‘babel’.

```

791 \if@babel@french
792   \let\Orig@NyquistTF\NyquistTF
793   \renewcommand{\NyquistTF}{%
794     \shorthandoff{;:!?}%
795     \NyquistTF@Shorthandoff
796   }
797   \newcommand{\NyquistTF@Shorthandoff}[4]{%
798     \Orig@NyquistTF[#1]{#2}{#3}{#4}%
799     \shorthandon{;:!?}%
800   }
801 \fi

```

`\addNyquistZPKPlot` Adds Nyquist plot of a transfer function in ZPK form. This macro is designed to pass two parametric function to an `\addplot` macro. The parametric functions for phase (`\func@ph`) and magnitude (`\func@mag`) are built using the `\build@ZPK@plot` macro, converted to real and imaginary parts and passed to `\addplot` commands.

```

802 \newcommand{\addNyquistZPKPlot}[2]{%
803   \gdef\func@mag{}
804   \gdef\func@ph{}
805   \build@ZPK@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{}{#2}
806   \if@pgfarg
807     \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [domain=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/do-
      able=t, #1}}
808     \temp@cmd ( {\n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\cos((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))},
809                 {\n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\sin((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))} );
810   \else
811     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
812     \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [domain=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/do-
      able=t, #1}}
813     \temp@cmd gnuplot [parametric, gnuplot@prefix] {
814       \n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\cos((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale)),
815       \n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\sin((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))
816     };
817   \fi
818 }

```

`\addNyquistTFPlot` Adds Nyquist plot of a transfer function in TF form. This macro is designed to pass two parametric function to an `\addplot` macro. The parametric functions for phase

(`\func@ph`) and magnitude (`\func@mag`) are built using the `\build@TF@plot` macro, converted to real and imaginary parts and passed to `\addplot` commands.

```

819 \newcommand{\addNyquistTFPlot}[2][]{%
820   \gdef\func@mag{}%
821   \gdef\func@ph{}%
822   \build@TF@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{#2}%
823   \if@pgfarg%
824     \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [domain=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/do-%
825     able=t, #1]}%
826     {\n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\cos((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))},%
827     {\n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\sin((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))} );%
828   \else%
829     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}%
830     \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [domain=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/do-%
831     able=t, #1]}%
832     \temp@cmd gnuplot [parametric, gnuplot@prefix]{%
833       \n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\cos((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale)),%
834       \n@pow{10}{((\func@mag)/20)}*\sin((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale))%
835     };%
834   \fi%
835 }

```

NyquistPlot An environment to host `\addNyquist...` macros that pass parametric functions to `\addplot`. Uses the defaults specified in `bode@style` to create a shortcut that includes the `tikzpicture` and `axis` environments.

```

836 \if@babel@french%
837   \AddToHook{env/NyquistPlot/begin}{\shorthandoff{;!:!?}}%
838 \fi%
839 \NewDocumentEnvironment{NyquistPlot}{0{}mm+b}{%
840   \parse@env@opt{#1}%
841   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unex-%
842     panded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}%
843   \temp@cmd%
844   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{axis}[%
845     bode@style,%
846     height=5cm,%
847     domain=#2:#3,%
848     xlabel={$\Re$},%
849     ylabel={$\Im$},%
850     \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}%
851   ]}%
852   \temp@cmd%
853   \addplot [only marks,mark=+,thick,red] (-1 , 0);%
854   \end{axis}%
855 \end{tikzpicture}%
856 }{}%

```

4.5.2 Internal commands

\parse@N@opt Parses options supplied to the main Nyquist and Nichols macros. A `for` loop over tuples of the form `\obj/\opt`, processed using nested if-else statements does the job. If the input `\obj` is `plot`, `axes`, or `tikz` then the corresponding `\opt` are passed, unexpanded, to the `\addplot` macro, the `axis` environment, and the `tikzpicture` environment, respectively.

```

857 \newcommand{\parse@N@opt}[1]{%
858   \gdef\opt@axes{}%
859   \gdef\opt@plot{}%
860   \gdef\opt@commands{}%
861   \gdef\opt@tikz{}%
862   \foreach \obj/\opt in {#1} {%
863     \ifnum\pdfstrcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{axes}=0%

```

```

864      \xdef\opt@axes{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
865  \else
866    \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{plot}=0
867      \xdef\opt@plot{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
868    \else
869      \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{commands}=0
870        \xdef\opt@commands{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
871      \else
872        \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}{tikz}=0
873          \xdef\opt@tikz{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt}}
874        \else
875          \xdef\opt@plot{\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@plot},
876            \unexpanded\expandafter{\obj}}
877        \fi
878      \fi
879    \fi
880  \fi
881 }
882 }
```

4.6 Nichols charts

\NicholsZPK These macros and the `NicholsChart` environment generate Nichols charts, and they \NicholsTF are implemented similar to their Nyquist counterparts.

```

NicholsChart 883 \newcommand{\NicholsZPK}[4][]{
\addNicholsZPKChart 884   \parse@N@opt{#1}
\addNicholsTFChart 885   \gdef\func@mag{}
886   \gdef\func@ph{}
887   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unex-
  panded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}
888   \temp@cmd
889   \build@ZPK@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{}{#2}
890   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{axis}[
891     ph@x@label,
892     bode@style,
893     domain=#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale,
894     height=5cm,
895     ylabel={Gain (dB)},
896     samples=500,
897     \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}
898   ]}
899   \temp@cmd
900   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [variable=t, thick, \opt@plot]}
901   \ifpgfarg
902     \temp@cmd ( {\func@ph} , {\func@mag} );
903     \opt@commands
904   \else
905     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
906     \temp@cmd gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
907     { set table $meta;
908       set logscale x 10;
909       set dummy t;
910       set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
911       set trange [#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale];
912       plot '+' using (\func@mag) : ((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale));
913       unset logscale x;
914       set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
915       plot "$meta" using ($2*\ph@scale):($1);
916     };
917     \opt@commands
918   \fi
919 \end{axis}
920 \end{tikzpicture}
```

```

921 }
922 \if@babel@french
923   \let\Orig@NicholsZPK\nicholsZPK
924   \renewcommand{\NicholsZPK}{%
925     \shorthandoff{;:!?}%
926     \NicholsZPK@Shorthandoff
927   }
928   \newcommand{\NicholsZPK@Shorthandoff}[4][]{%
929     \Orig@NicholsZPK[#1]{#2}{#3}{#4}%
930     \shorthandon{;:!?}%
931   }
932 \fi
933 \newcommand{\NicholsTF}[4][]{
934   \parse@N@opt{#1}
935   \gdef\func@mag{}
936   \gdef\func@ph{}
937   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}
938   \temp@cmd
939   \build@TF@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{#2}
940   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{axis}[
941     ph@x@label,
942     bode@style,
943     domain=#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale,
944     height=5cm,
945     ylabel={Gain (dB)},
946     samples=500,
947     \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}
948   ]}
949   \temp@cmd
950   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [variable=t, thick, \opt@plot]}
951   \if@pgfarg
952     \temp@cmd ( {\n@mod{\func@ph}{2*pi*\ph@scale}} , {\func@mag} );
953     \opt@commands
954   \else
955     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
956     \temp@cmd gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
957     { set table $meta1;
958       set logscale x 10;
959       set dummy t;
960       set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
961       set trange [#3*\freq@scale:#4*\freq@scale];
962       plot '+' using (\func@mag) : ((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale));
963       unset logscale x;
964       set table $meta2;
965       plot "$meta1" using ($1):($2) smooth unwrap;
966       set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
967       plot "$meta2" using ($2*\ph@scale):($1);
968     };
969     \opt@commands
970   \fi
971   \end{axis}
972 \end{tikzpicture}
973 }
974 \if@babel@french
975   \let\Orig@NicholsTF\nicholsTF
976   \renewcommand{\NicholsTF}{%
977     \shorthandoff{;:!?}%
978     \NicholsTF@Shorthandoff
979   }
980   \newcommand{\NicholsTF@Shorthandoff}[4][]{%
981     \Orig@NicholsTF[#1]{#2}{#3}{#4}%
982     \shorthandon{;:!?}%

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983 }
984 \AddToHook{env/NicholsChart/begin}{\shorthandoff{;:!?}}
985 \fi
986 \NewDocumentEnvironment{NicholsChart}{O{}mm+b}{
987   \parse@env@opt{#1}
988   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{tikzpicture} [\unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@tikz}]}
989   \temp@cmd
990   \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\begin{axis}[
991     phx@label,
992     bode@style,
993     domain=#2:#3,
994     height=5cm,
995     ylabel={Gain (dB)},
996     \unexpanded\expandafter{\opt@axes}
997   ]}
998   \temp@cmd
999   #4
1000   \end{axis}
1001   \end{tikzpicture}
1002 }{}
1003 \newcommand{\addNicholsZPKChart}[2][]{
1004   \gdef\func@mag{}
1005   \gdef\func@ph{}
1006   \build@ZPK@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{}{#2}
1007   \ifpgfarg
1008     \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [domain=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}=t, #1]}
1009     \temp@cmd ( {\func@ph} , {\func@mag} );
1010   \else
1011     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
1012     \addplot [#1] gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
1013     { set table $meta;
1014       set logscale x 10;
1015       set dummy t;
1016       set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
1017       set trange [\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale];
1018       plot '+' using (\func@mag) : ((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale));
1019       unset logscale x;
1020       set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
1021       plot "$meta" using ($2*\ph@scale):($1);
1022     };
1023   \fi
1024 }
1025 \newcommand{\addNicholsTFChart}[2][]{
1026   \gdef\func@mag{}
1027   \gdef\func@ph{}
1028   \build@TF@plot{\func@mag}{\func@ph}{}{#2}
1029   \ifpgfarg
1030     \edef\temp@cmd{\noexpand\addplot [domain=\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}=t, #1]}
1031     \temp@cmd ( {\n@mod{\func@ph}{2*pi*\ph@scale}} , {\func@mag} );
1032   \else
1033     \stepcounter{gnuplot@id}
1034     \addplot [#1] gnuplot [raw gnuplot, gnuplot@prefix]
1035     { set table $meta1;
1036       set logscale x 10;
1037       set dummy t;
1038       set samples \pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/samples};
1039       set trange [\freq@scale*\pgfkeysvalueof{/pgfplots/domain}*\freq@scale];
1040       plot '+' using (\func@mag) : ((\func@ph)/(\ph@scale));
1041       unset logscale x;
1042       set table $meta2;

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1043      plot "$meta1" using ($1):($2) smooth unwrap;
1044      set table "\bodeplot@prefix\arabic{gnuplot@id}.table";
1045      plot "$meta2" using ($2*\ph@scale):($1);
1046    };
1047 \fi
1048 }

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