

SHORT TITLE

DESIGN OF RECURSIVE TWO-DIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FILTERS

DESIGN METHODS FOR RECURSIVE  
TWO-DIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FILTERS

by

Eric Dubois, B. Eng. (Honours)

A thesis submitted to the Faculty of Graduate  
Studies and Research in partial fulfillment of  
the requirements for the degree of  
Master of Engineering

Department of Electrical Engineering

McGill University,  
Montreal, Canada.

August 1974

# 1

## ABSTRACT

A technique is presented for the design of stable two-dimensional recursive digital filters. Stability of the resulting filters is guaranteed, eliminating the need for the repeated application of stability tests characteristic of most other methods. Essentially, the one-dimensional bilinear transformation technique has been extended, where the transformation is applied to the transfer function of a two-variable passive circuit. The method has been applied to the design of lowpass filters whose magnitude characteristics must approximate circularly symmetric specifications.

ABRÉGÉ

On présente une Technique pour créer des filtres récurrents digitaux stables à deux dimensions. La stabilité des filtres qui en résultent est garantie, ce qui élimine l'application répétitive des tests de stabilité nécessaire dans la plupart des autres méthodes. Essentiellement, c'est la technique de transformation bilinéaire à une dimension qui a été poussée plus loin, au point où la transformation est appliquée à la fonction de transfert d'un circuit passif bi-variable. Cette méthode a été appliquée à la création de filtres passe-basse dont les magnitude caractéristiques doivent s'approcher des spécifications symétriques circulaires.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The author wishes to thank Dr. M.L. Blostein, research director of this project, for his guidance and suggestions, and Dr. C.C. Paige for providing the optimization routine used in this work.

The financial assistance of the National Research Council is gratefully acknowledged.

A special thanks to Mrs. J. Dubois for her time and effort in producing the typescript.

TABLE OF CONTENTS

		<u>Page</u>
ABSTRACT		i
ABRÈGÉ		ii
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS		iii
TABLE OF CONTENTS		iv
CHAPTER	I INTRODUCTION	1
CHAPTER	II TWO-DIMENSIONAL SIGNAL PROCESSING	5
	2.1 Two-Dimensional Continuous Systems	5
	2.2 Two-Dimensional Discrete Systems	9
	2.3 Stability Criteria for Two-Dimensional Filters	16
CHAPTER	III FREQUENCY DOMAIN DESIGN OF TWO-DIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FILTERS	20
	3.1 The Approximation Problem	20
	3.2 Frequency Domain Design Methods	23
	3.3 A "Two-Dimensional Circuit" Analogy	26
CHAPTER	IV THE CIRCUIT ANALOGY DESIGN TECHNIQUE	30
	4.1 The Design Procedure	30
	4.2 Example for Lowpass Filter Design	33
CHAPTER	V EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS	41
	5.1 Implementation of Ladder Design	41
	5.2 Circuit Analogy Design Results	43
	5.3 Discussion	58
CHAPTER	VI CONCLUSION	64
APPENDIX	A } QUASI-NEWTON METHODS	66
APPENDIX	B PROGRAM LISTING	73
REFERENCES		92

## CHAPTER I

### INTRODUCTION

Techniques for the processing of two-dimensional data have become of great interest to people in the fields of picture processing (2, 38) and geophysics (6, 15, 43). In some cases, this processing can be accomplished by means of coherent optical systems. Often, it is more desirable to perform the processing on sampled data, using a digital computer.

In the area of picture processing, the following types of filters might be required (21): equalizing filters for imaging system aberrations; notch or bandpass filters to remove or enhance systematic line structures; lowpass filters to reduce "snow noise"; highpass filters to remove contrast information while retaining edge information; high emphasis filters to enhance edge information; spatial matched filters to detect certain features. In geophysics, two-dimensional filters are used to process seismic records and potential field data such as the gravity and magnetic surveys used in exploration. In the latter case, it may be desired to separate the field data into various frequency components (6).

The processing is performed by a two-dimensional system, which can be represented as an operator  $Q$ , acting on an input  $f(x_1, x_2)$  to produce an output  $g(x_1, x_2)$ .

$$g(x_1, x_2) = Q(f(x_1, x_2)) \quad (1.1)$$

The variables  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are generally spatial, such as when  $f(x_1, x_2)$

represents a picture. In some applications, we may have one spatial variable and one time variable, as in certain types of seismic records.

The field of ~~two~~-dimensional digital filter design is relatively new, and, unlike one-dimensional filtering, the theory is largely incomplete. In the area of frequency domain design, which is the subject of the following chapters, very few practical design methods have been reported, and these gloss over some of the basic theoretical questions. A major difficulty is in the application of two-dimensional Chebyshev approximation theory to the problem (17, 37). The uniqueness and characterization properties of the one-dimensional case cannot be extended, even for the case of linear approximating functions, making it very difficult to identify a filter as optimal. Also, if the filter is being designed by means of the minimization of a performance functional, it is not unlikely that only a local minimum will be obtained.

As in one dimension, it may prove to be much more efficient to use recursive filtering in certain applications. However, a further difficulty encountered in the design of recursive two-dimensional digital filters is stability (23, 39). The property of one-variable polynomials of being factorable into first and second order factors does not extend to two variables. Thus, where a design in one dimension can be carried out on a magnitude squared function with no stability constraints, with only left hand plane poles being selected for the final design, this type of approach cannot be used in two dimensions and stability must be accounted for at each step of the design. As the two-dimensional stability test can be quite time consuming, this is a definite liability.



A class of filters where stability is not a question is the case of separable filters, where the processing in the two variables is independent. In this case the operator  $Q$  can be expressed as  $Q = Q_1 Q_2$ , where  $Q_1$  and  $Q_2$  represent one-dimensional systems in the variables  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  respectively. Although the problem of stability no longer presents a serious obstacle, the difficulties associated with two-dimensional approximation must still be dealt with. The design of the optimal separable filter is clearly much simpler than the general problem, but even this has received scant attention in the literature.

Some work has been done in recent years in the area of multi-dimensional circuit theory (3, 26, 32, 34), generally with the application of systems consisting of both lumped and distributed elements in mind. Some of these ideas have been used in this thesis to develop a design technique where a stability test is unnecessary, since the resulting filter is guaranteed to be stable. The method is an extension of the bilinear transformation design technique used in one dimension. Non-linear programming is used to select the parameters of a "two-dimensional circuit" which is analogous to one-dimensional passive lumped circuits, and a two-dimensional bilinear transformation is performed to obtain the digital filter. The basic structure of the thesis is then as follows.

In Chapter II, the basic mathematical structure used in the study of both continuous and discrete two-dimensional systems is presented. A discussion of the stability problems encountered in the design of two-dimensional recursive digital filters is given, along with various tests which have been devised to determine the stability of a filter. The theory

of frequency domain design and two-dimensional approximation are discussed in Chapter III and a survey of the design methods reported in the literature is given. A class of filters which are guaranteed to be stable, based on the "two-dimensional circuit" analogy, is then described.

Chapter IV outlines a frequency domain design algorithm, which has been termed the circuit analogy method, based on the class of stable filters described earlier, and an example of how the algorithm can be applied to the design of circularly symmetric lowpass filters is detailed. Experimental results are presented in Chapter V.

## CHAPTER II

### TWO-DIMENSIONAL SIGNAL PROCESSING

#### 2.1 Two-Dimensional Continuous Systems

The theory of two-dimensional continuous systems has been discussed in detail by Papoulis (33), with particular reference to optical systems. This section presents some of the basic formulae which are used in the modelling of two-dimensional signal processing. The systems to be considered are linear, i.e. they satisfy the relation

$$Q(a_1 f_1(x_1, x_2) + a_2 f_2(x_1, x_2)) = a_1 Q(f_1(x_1, x_2)) + a_2 Q(f_2(x_1, x_2)) \quad (2.1)$$

The impulse response function of  $Q$  (also called the point spread function) is defined as

$$h(x_1, x_2; x_{10}, x_{20}) = Q(\delta(x_1 - x_{10}) \delta(x_2 - x_{20})) \quad (2.2)$$

The output of  $Q$  due to any input  $f(x_1, x_2)$  can be determined in terms of  $h$  as

$$g(x_1, x_2) = \iint f(\xi, \eta) h(x_1, x_2; \xi, \eta) d\xi d\eta \quad (2.3)$$

If the response of  $Q$  is independent of the location of the origin in the Cartesian coordinate system  $(x_1, x_2)$ , the system is said to be shift invariant. Then,  $Q(f(x_1, x_2)) = g(x_1, x_2)$  implies that

$$Q(f(x_1 - \xi, x_2 - \eta)) = g(x_1 - \xi, x_2 - \eta) \quad (2.4)$$

It follows that the impulse response of a shift invariant system can be written as

$$h(x_1, x_2; x_{10}, x_{20}) = h(x_1 - x_{10}, x_2 - x_{20}) \quad (2.5)$$

Then, (2.3) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} g(x_1, x_2) &= \iint f(\xi, \eta) h(x_1 - \xi, x_2 - \eta) d\xi d\eta \\ &= \iint f(x_1 - \xi, x_2 - \eta) h(\xi, \eta) d\xi d\eta \\ &= f(x_1, x_2) ** h(x_1, x_2) \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

The symbol  $**$  represents two-dimensional convolution. The system is said to be separable if  $h(x_1, x_2) = h_1(x_1)h_2(x_2)$ .

If the response of the system is independent of the orientation of the axes, the system is said to be rotation invariant. Then

$$\begin{aligned} Q(f(x_1 \cos \theta + x_2 \sin \theta, -x_1 \sin \theta + x_2 \cos \theta)) \\ = g(x_1 \cos \theta + x_2 \sin \theta, -x_1 \sin \theta + x_2 \cos \theta) \quad 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi \end{aligned} \quad (2.7)$$

It can be shown that this implies that

$$h(x_1, x_2) = h(x_1^2 + x_2^2) \quad (2.8)$$

The two-dimensional Fourier transform of  $f(x_1, x_2)$  is defined as

$$F(\omega_1, \omega_2) = \iint f(x_1, x_2) e^{-j(\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2)} dx_1 dx_2 \quad (2.9)$$

with the inversion formula

$$f(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega_1, \omega_2) e^{j(\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2)} d\omega_1 d\omega_2 \quad (2.10)$$

The two-dimensional Fourier transform has many properties similar to the conventional Fourier transform, including

$$f_1(x_1, x_2) ** f_2(x_1, x_2) \Leftrightarrow F_1(\omega_1, \omega_2) F_2(\omega_1, \omega_2) \quad (2.11)$$

Thus, if we apply the input  $f(x_1, x_2)$  to system  $\mathcal{Q}$  with impulse response  $h(x_1, x_2)$ , the Fourier transformed output is

$$G(\omega_1, \omega_2) = H(\omega_1, \omega_2) F(\omega_1, \omega_2) \quad (2.12)$$

where  $H(\omega_1, \omega_2)$  is called the system function. If the system is separable, i.e.  $h(x_1, x_2) = h_1(x_1)h_2(x_2)$ , it follows that  $H(\omega_1, \omega_2) = H_1(\omega_1)H_2(\omega_2)$ .

Consider a shift invariant, rotation invariant system with impulse response  $h(x_1^2 + x_2^2)$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} H(\omega_1, \omega_2) &= \iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(x_1^2 + x_2^2) e^{-j(\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2)} dx_1 dx_2 \\ &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} h(r) e^{-j(\omega_1 \cos \theta + \omega_2 \sin \theta) r} r dr d\theta \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^{\infty} r h(r) J_0(\sqrt{\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2} r) dr \\ &= H(\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Where } J_0(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{jx \cos(\theta - \alpha)} d\theta$$

Similarly, it can be shown that if  $H(\omega_1, \omega_2) = H(\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2)$  then

$h(x_1, x_2) = h(x_1^2 + x_2^2)$ . These results are summarized by the expression

$$h(x_1^2 + x_2^2) \Leftrightarrow H(\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2) \quad (2.13)$$

In words, a circularly symmetric impulse response implies a circularly symmetric system function and vice versa. Thus both the impulse response and system function of a rotation invariant system are circularly symmetric.

The two-dimensional Laplace transform can be defined as

$$F_L(p_1, p_2) = \iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x_1, x_2) e^{-(p_1 x_1 + p_2 x_2)} dx_1 dx_2 \quad (2.14)$$

$$\text{Then } F_L(p_1, p_2) \Big|_{\substack{p_1 = j\omega_1 \\ p_2 = j\omega_2}} = F(\omega_1, \omega_2) \quad (2.15)$$

$$\text{and } |F(\omega_1, \omega_2)|^2 = F_L(p_1, p_2) F_L(-p_1, -p_2) \Big|_{\substack{p_1 = j\omega_1 \\ p_2 = j\omega_2}} \quad (2.16)$$

If the input  $f(x_1, x_2)$  to a linear, shift invariant system is the sinusoidal signal

$$f(x_1, x_2) = \cos(\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2) = \text{Re}(\exp(j(\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2)))$$

then the output is given by (2.6) to be

$$\begin{aligned} g(x_1, x_2) &= \text{Re} \left( \iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp(j(\omega_1(x_1 - \xi) + \omega_2(x_2 - \eta))) h(\xi, \eta) d\xi d\eta \right) \\ &= \text{Re}(\exp(j(\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2)) \iint_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp(-j(\omega_1 \xi + \omega_2 \eta)) h(\xi, \eta) d\xi d\eta) \\ &= \text{Re}(\exp(j(\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2)) H(\omega_1, \omega_2)) \\ &= |H(\omega_1, \omega_2)| \cos(\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2 + \arg(H(\omega_1, \omega_2))) \end{aligned} \quad (2.17)$$

$|H(\omega_1, \omega_2)|$  is referred to as the magnitude response and  $\arg(H(\omega_1, \omega_2))$  as the phase response. The phase term has the effect of shifting the surface  $f(x_1, x_2)$  by an amount  $\arg(H(\omega_1, \omega_2)) / \sqrt{\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2}$  in the direction perpendicular to the line  $\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2 = 0$ . The direction of shift is different for each spectral component of the input, making it impossible to extend the concept of linear phase to two dimensions.

## 2.2 Two-Dimensional Discrete Systems

As mentioned previously, although the given data may be inherently continuous, it may be advantageous to process it digitally on a computer, and in this case, the signal must be sampled. If the continuous input  $f(x_1, x_2)$  with Fourier transform  $F(\omega_1, \omega_2)$  is band limited so that  $F(\omega_1, \omega_2) = 0$  for  $|\omega_1| > W_1$  and  $|\omega_2| > W_2$ , then it can be shown (12) that the sampling intervals must satisfy  $T_1 \leq \frac{1}{2W_1}$  and  $T_2 \leq \frac{1}{2W_2}$  to avoid aliasing. Henceforth, it will be assumed that the above requirement is satisfied and, for convenience, that  $T_1 = T_2 = T$ . The input function is now described by  $f(mT, nT)$ ,  $-\infty < m, n < \infty$ , where  $m$  and  $n$  are integer, and will be labelled  $f(m, n)$ . The discrete system is represented by the operator  $Q_D$ , so that for an input  $f(m, n)$ , the output  $g(m, n)$  is given by

$$g(m, n) = Q_D(f(m, n)) \quad (2.18)$$

Again, we deal with linear systems, as defined in (2.1). The unit pulse function is defined as

$$P(m, n) = \begin{cases} 1 & m = n = 0 \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Then, the unit pulse response of the system is defined as

$$h(m,n; m_0, n_0) = Q_D(P(m-m_0, n-n_0))$$

Any function  $f(m,n)$  can be written

$$f(m,n) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} f(k,\ell) P(m-k, n-\ell)$$

$$\text{Then } g(m,n) = Q_D(f(m,n)) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} f(k,\ell) Q_D(P(m-k, n-\ell))$$

$$= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} f(k,\ell) h(m,n; k,\ell) \quad (2.19)$$

The system is said to be shift invariant if

$$Q_D(f(m-a, n-b)) = g(m-a, n-b) \quad (2.20)$$

If the system is shift invariant, then the unit pulse response can be written

$$h(m,n; m_0, n_0) = h(m-m_0, n-n_0) \quad (2.21)$$

and (2.19) becomes

$$g(m,n) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} f(k,\ell) h(m-k, n-\ell) \quad (2.22)$$

This is the discrete convolution.

It is convenient to define the two-dimensional z-transform for dealing with discrete systems. The two-dimensional z-transform of an array  $f(m,n)$  is

$$F(z_1, z_2) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f(m,n) z_1^m z_2^n \quad (2.23)$$



Taking the z-transform of  $g(m,n)$  as given in (2.22) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} G(z_1, z_2) &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} f(k, \ell) h(m-k, n-\ell) \right) z_1^m z_2^n \\ &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(m-k, n-\ell) z_1^{m-k} z_2^{n-\ell} \right) z_1^k z_2^\ell f(k, \ell) \end{aligned}$$

The inner summation is  $H(z_1, z_2)$  for all  $k, \ell$

$$\therefore G(z_1, z_2) = H(z_1, z_2) F(z_1, z_2) \quad (2.24)$$

Thus, the convolution and z-transform have the same duality for discrete systems as the convolution and Fourier transform have for continuous systems.  $H(z_1, z_2)$  will be referred to as the transfer function of the discrete system. It can be seen that if the system is separable, then  $h(m, n) = h_1(m)h_2(n)$  and  $H(z_1, z_2) = H_1(z_1)H_2(z_2)$ .

If  $h(m, n) = 0$  for  $M_1 \leq m \leq M_2$ ,  $N_1 \leq n \leq N_2$  with  $M_1, M_2, N_1, N_2 < \infty$  then  $Q_D$  is referred to as a finite impulse response (FIR) system.

Then, (2.22) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} g(m, n) &= \sum_{k=m-M_2}^{m-M_1} \sum_{\ell=n-N_2}^{n-N_1} f(k, \ell) h(m-k, n-\ell) \\ &= \sum_{k=M_1}^{M_2} \sum_{\ell=N_1}^{N_2} f(m-k, n-\ell) h(k, \ell) \end{aligned} \quad (2.25)$$

i.e. the output is just a linear combination of input values. If  $M_1 = N_1 = 0$ , then only values  $f(i, j)$  such that  $i \leq m$  and  $j \leq n$  are used to compute  $g(m, n)$  and the system is referred to as causal.

If any of  $M_1, M_2, N_1$ , or  $N_2$  are infinite, the system is said to be infinite impulse response (IIR). Again, the system is causal if  $M_1 = N_1 = 0$ . The most common form of IIR filter is when  $H(z_1, z_2)$  is

specified as the ratio of two polynomials in  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ .

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \frac{A(z_1, z_2)}{B(z_1, z_2)} \quad (2.26)$$

$$\text{where } A(z_1, z_2) = (1 \ z_1 \ \dots \ z_1^{M_A-1}) A \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ z_2 \\ \vdots \\ z_2^{N_A-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.27)$$

$$\text{and } B(z_1, z_2) = (1 \ z_1 \ \dots \ z_1^{M_B-1}) B \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ z_2 \\ \vdots \\ z_2^{N_B-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $A$  is an  $M_A$  by  $N_A$  matrix and  $B$  is  $M_B$  by  $N_B$ . For example, the

matrix  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1. & .5 & .2 \\ -3. & 1.2 & 1. \\ 1. & .4 & -6. \end{bmatrix}$  corresponds to the polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} B(z_1, z_2) &= (1 \ z_1 z_1^2) \begin{bmatrix} 1. & .5 & .2 \\ -3. & 1.2 & 1. \\ 1. & .4 & -6. \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ z_2 \\ z_2^2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= 1 + .5z_2 + .2z_2^2 - 3z_1 + 1.2z_1z_2 + z_1^2 + .4z_1^2z_2 - 6z_1^2z_2^2 + z_1z_2^2 \end{aligned}$$

The polynomial  $B(z_1, z_2)$  and matrix  $B$  will be used interchangeably.

The above transfer function can be realized as a recursive causal filter (39)

$$g(m,n) = \sum_{i=1}^{M_A} \sum_{j=1}^{N_A} a_{ij}' \cdot f(m-i+1, n-j+1) - \sum_{k=1}^{M_B} \sum_{\substack{\ell=1 \\ k \cdot \ell \neq 1}}^{N_B} b_{k\ell}' g(m-k+1, n-\ell+1) \quad (2.28)$$

$$b_{k\ell}' = b_{k\ell}/b_{11} \text{ and } a_{k\ell}' = a_{k\ell}/b_{11}$$

In this realization, the output depends on "previous" values of the output as well as "previous" inputs. In general, the number of parameters required to design a recursive filter is much less than the number required for a non-recursive filter with the same specifications, since previous output values contain information about all previous input values. There are three other possible recursive realizations for the same  $H(z_1, z_2)$  (23) which recurse in different directions (the filter of (2.28) recurses in the  $+m, +n$  direction).

Suppose the input to a filter  $H(z_1, z_2) = A(z_1, z_2) / B(z_1, z_2)$  is the sampled sinusoid  $f(m,n) = \cos(m\omega_1 T_1 + n\omega_2 T_2)$

$$= \operatorname{Re}(\exp(j(m\omega_1 T_1 + n\omega_2 T_2))).$$

From (2.22) it is clear that if the response to  $f = \operatorname{Re} f + j \operatorname{Im} f$  is  $g$ , then the response to  $\operatorname{Re} f$  is  $\operatorname{Re} g$ . Hence we find the response to

$$f' = \exp(j(m\omega_1 T_1 + n\omega_2 T_2)) .$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 F'(z_1, z_2) &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \exp(j(m\omega_1 T_1 + n\omega_2 T_2)) z_1^m z_2^n \\
 &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (\exp(j\omega_1 T_1) z_1)^m \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (\exp(j\omega_2 T_2) z_2)^n \\
 &= \frac{1}{(1 - z_1 e^{j\omega_1 T_1}) (1 - z_2 e^{j\omega_2 T_2})}
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.29}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 G'(z_1, z_2) &= \frac{A(z_1, z_2)}{B(z_1, z_2) (1 - z_1 e^{j\omega_1 T_1}) (1 - z_2 e^{j\omega_2 T_2})} \\
 &= \frac{C(z_1, z_2)}{B(z_1, z_2)} + \frac{H(e^{-j\omega_1 T_1}, e^{-j\omega_2 T_2})}{(1 - z_1 e^{j\omega_1 T_1}) (1 - z_2 e^{j\omega_2 T_2})}
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.30}$$

If we assume the filter is stable (see section 2.3) then the response

$$C(z_1, z_2) / B(z_1, z_2) \rightarrow 0$$

The steady state response is then given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 G_{ss}'(z_1, z_2) &= \frac{H(e^{-j\omega_1 T_1}, e^{-j\omega_2 T_2})}{(1 - z_1 e^{j\omega_1 T_1}) (1 - z_2 e^{j\omega_2 T_2})} \\
 &= H(e^{-j\omega_1 T_1}, e^{-j\omega_2 T_2}) F(z_1, z_2) \\
 g'(m, n) &= H(e^{-j\omega_1 T_1}, e^{-j\omega_2 T_2}) e^{j(m\omega_1 T_1 + n\omega_2 T_2)}
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.31}$$

and  $g(m, n) = |H(e^{-j\omega_1 T_1}, e^{-j\omega_2 T_2})| \cos(m\omega_1 T_1 + n\omega_2 T_2 + \arg H(e^{-j\omega_1 T_1}, e^{-j\omega_2 T_2}))$

$H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T})$ , which is referred to as the frequency response of the filter, is periodic in both the  $\omega_1$  and  $\omega_2$  directions as in Figure 2.1. Contours of  $|H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{j\omega_2 T})|$  are shown.

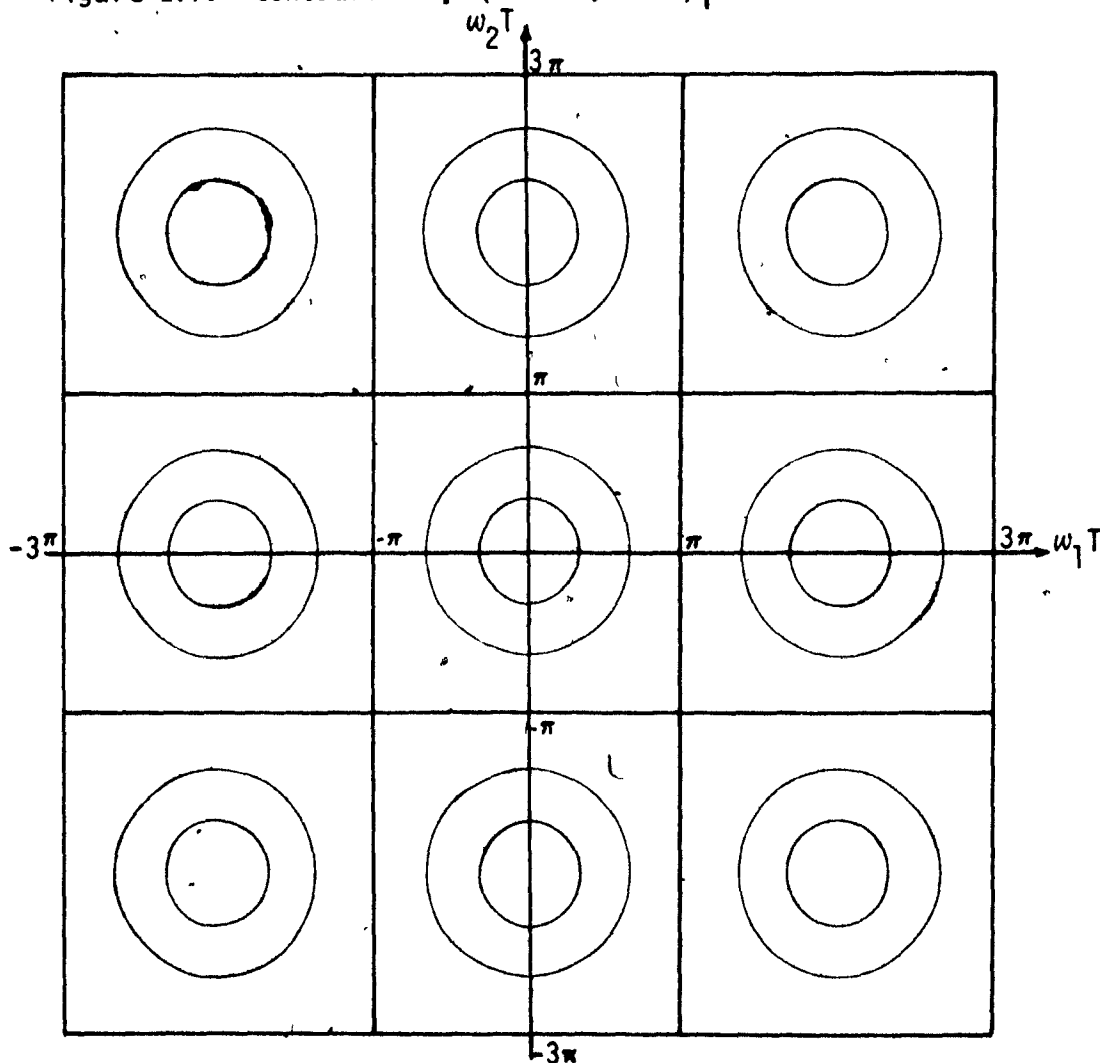


FIGURE 2.1

### 2.3 Stability Criteria for Two-Dimensional Filters

One of the difficulties in the extension of one-dimensional design techniques to two dimensions is the question of stability. In the one-dimensional case, it is simply required that all poles of the transfer function be outside the unit circle  $|z| = 1$ . For example, if a magnitude squared function is designed, reciprocal poles will occur inside and outside the unit circle, each contributing the same amount to the response. Hence those poles outside the unit circle can be chosen, giving a stable filter with the desired response. Such methods cannot be used in the two-dimensional case, as will be seen from the following discussion.

A causal, two-dimensional digital filter with transfer function

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} h_{ij} z_1^{i-1} z_2^{j-1}$$

is said to be bounded-input bounded-output (BIBO) stable if and only if for any bounded input, the output is bounded. It can be shown by a trivial extension of a theorem in (11) that  $H(z_1, z_2)$  is BIBO stable if and only if there exists a finite  $k$  such that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} |h_{ij}| \leq k < \infty \quad (2.32)$$

It is clear that the problem of stability does not exist for FIR filters, since in this case there exists only a finite number of terms in (2.32). For recursive filters this is not true and stability is a consideration. The following theorem gives the conditions under which (2.32) holds for a recursive filter with transfer function

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \frac{A(z_1, z_2)}{B(z_1, z_2)} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{M_A} \sum_{j=1}^{N_A} a_{ij} z_1^{i-1} z_2^{j-1}}{\sum_{i=1}^{M_B} \sum_{j=1}^{N_B} b_{ij} z_1^{i-1} z_2^{j-1}} \quad (2.33)$$

Theorem 2.1 (39): A causal, recursive filter with transfer function  $H(z_1, z_2) = A(z_1, z_2) / B(z_1, z_2)$ , where  $A$  and  $B$  are polynomials in  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ , is BIBO stable if and only if there exists no values of  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  such that  $B(z_1, z_2) = 0$  for  $|z_1| \leq 1$  and  $|z_2| \leq 1$  simultaneously.

Although any one-variable polynomial can be factored into a product of second order terms, no such factorization exists for a general two-variable polynomial. Furthermore, as no methods currently exist for finding the continuum of zeroes of a polynomial in two variables, the above theorem is difficult to test directly. The maximum-modulus theorem can be invoked to give a simplified test procedure due to Huang.

Theorem 2.2 (23): A causal, recursive filter  $H(z_1, z_2) = A(z_1, z_2) / B(z_1, z_2)$  is BIBO stable if and only if:

1) the map of  $\partial d_1 = \{z_1 : |z_1| = 1\}$  to the  $z_2$  plane by

$$B(z_1, z_2) = 0 \text{ lies outside } d_2 = \{z_2 : |z_2| \leq 1\};$$

2) no point in  $d_1 = \{z_1 : |z_1| \leq 1\}$  is mapped to

$$z_2 = 0 \text{ by } B(z_1, z_2) = 0$$

The test procedure is then to solve  $b(e^{j\phi}, z_2) = 0$  for  $0 \leq \phi < 2\pi$  and see that no roots exist with  $|z_2| \leq 1$ . Also, no roots of  $B(z_1, 0)$

must exist with  $|z_1| \leq 1$ , which can be checked by Jury's method (25).

This procedure is still infinite in the sense that in condition 1,

$B(e^{j\phi}, z_2) = 0$  must be solved for all values of  $\phi$  on  $(0, 2\pi)$ . A

procedure by which condition 1 of theorem 2.2 can be tested in a finite number of steps has been given in (1). The test involves the construction of the Schur-Cohn matrix  $C$ , which is an  $M_A + 1$  by  $M_A + 1$  matrix whose elements are of the form  $\sum_1 c_i \cos(i\phi)$ . Condition 1 will hold if  $C$  is negative definite for all  $\phi$ , i.e. if the leading principal minors of  $C$  have certain signs. This latter condition could be verified by a series of Sturm tests. Calculating determinants of polynomial matrices can become quite time consuming and the addition of the Sturm tests make the stability check become quickly infeasible, as the order increases, even on a computer. This is especially true if a design algorithm requires the stability check to be performed repeatedly.

Alternatively, theorem 2.2 can be framed in a form suitable for Hurwitz type testing. A bilinear transformation is applied to both  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ .

$$p_1 = \frac{1-z_1}{1+z_1} \quad (2.34)$$

$$p_2 = \frac{1-z_2}{1+z_2}$$

The bilinear transformation  $p = (1-z) / (1+z)$  maps the region  $|z| \leq 1$  to  $\text{Re}(p) \geq 0$  and  $z = 0$  to  $p = 1$ . Using (2.34),  $H(z_1, z_2)$  can be written

$$H(z_1, z_2) = H'(p_1, p_2) = \frac{A'(p_1, p_2)}{B'(p_1, p_2)} \quad (2.35)$$

and the conditions of theorem 2.2 can be given in terms of  $B'(p_1, p_2)$ .



Theorem 2.3 (23): A causal, recursive filter  $H'(p_1, p_2) = A'(p_1, p_2) / B'(p_1, p_2)$  is BIBO stable if and only if:

- 1)  $B'(j\omega, p_2)$  has no zeroes in  $\text{Re}(p_2) \geq 0$  for all finite  $\omega$ ;
- 2)  $B'(p_1, 1)$  has no zeroes in  $\text{Re}(p_1) \geq 0$ .

Condition 2 can be checked by a Hurwitz test and condition 1 can be tested using a Hermite test followed by a series of Sturm tests. Both forms of the stability test require considerable computation.

In general, a two-variable polynomial  $B(z_1, z_2)$  cannot be factored into a product of stable and unstable parts, from which a stable filter with the desired characteristics can be derived. Hence methods based on the ability to factor one-variable polynomials cannot be extended, and most design techniques must directly incorporate one of the stability tests discussed previously.

## CHAPTER III

### FREQUENCY DOMAIN DESIGN OF TWO-DIMENSIONAL DIGITAL FILTERS

#### 3.1 The Approximation Problem

In the design of a recursive filter  $H(z_1, z_2) = A(z_1, z_2) / B(z_1, z_2)$ ,  $A$  and  $B$  must be chosen so that  $B$  is stable and  $H$  performs some desired filtering operation. In frequency domain design, some function of  $H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T})$  must be made to approximate in some specified way an ideal response  $\hat{H}(\omega_1, \omega_2)$ . The functions usually dealt with are magnitude and phase, and the desired function here will be labelled  $H_1(x, w)$ , where  $x$  represents the parameters to be varied (e.g. elements of  $A$  and  $B$ ) and  $w = (\omega_1, \omega_2)$ . The set of values over which  $w$  ranges is  $W$ , which in theory is the continuous set  $\{\omega_1, \omega_2 : -\pi/T \leq \omega_1, \omega_2 \leq \pi/T\}$ , but for practical implementations will be a finite point set.

A strategy often used is to choose  $x$  to minimize the  $L_p$  norm of  $r(x, w) = \hat{H}(w) - H_1(x, w)$ , such that  $H$  remains stable. If  $S_x$  represents the set of all  $x$  such that  $H$  is stable, the optimum choice of  $x$ , denoted by  $x_p$ , is defined by

$$\|r(x_p, w)\|_p = \inf_{x \in S_x} \|r(x, w)\|_p = \inf_{x \in S_x} \left( \int_W |r(x, w)|^p dw \right)^{1/p} \quad (3.1)$$

If  $W$  is a finite point set, the integral is replaced by a summation. The limiting case of the  $L_p$  norm as  $p \rightarrow \infty$  is the  $L_\infty$  or Chebyshev norm, and in this case  $x_\infty$  is defined by

$$\|r(x_\infty, w)\|_\infty = \inf_{x \in S_x} \max_{w \in W} |r(x, w)| \quad (3.2)$$

Chebyshev approximation is usually desired as it minimizes the maximum deviation of the approximating function from the ideal. The problem defined by (3.2) will be termed P1.

The case of linear Chebyshev approximation, where

$$H_1(x, \omega) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \phi_i(\omega), \text{ has been discussed in the literature (37, 17).}$$

It is found that many properties of one-dimensional Chebyshev approximation cannot be extended to the two-variable case. Rice (37) has shown that the lack of non-trivial Chebyshev sets  $\phi_i(\omega)$  in two dimensions leads to the lack of a uniqueness property. In fact, there may be an infinite number of optimal approximations  $x_{\infty}$  yielding the same minimum norm  $\|r(x_{\infty}, \omega)\|_{\infty}$ . Furthermore, there is no effective characterization of the best Chebyshev approximation, as in the one-dimensional case where the error curve alternates  $n+1$  times. Thus, methods based on the characterization of the error curve, such as the second method of Remez, cannot be used for two-dimensional approximation. Also, an attempt to use gradient techniques to minimize  $\|r(x, \omega)\|_{\infty}$  as a function of  $x$  may break down because the gradient will in general be non-zero and discontinuous at the optimum.

A technique for obtaining the Chebyshev approximation without reference to characterization is the Pólya algorithm, which states that if the Chebyshev approximation is unique, then for any sequence

$\{x_{p_k} : p_k \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } k \rightarrow \infty\}$ ,  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_{p_k} = x_{\infty}$ . For approximation on a finite point set, then  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x_{p_k} = \hat{x}_{\infty}$ , the strict approximation (37). Although the Chebyshev approximation may not be unique, the strict approximation,

described by Rice as "the best of the best", is unique. No similar result has been established for approximation on a continuum.

Fletcher et.al. (17) describe a technique for extrapolating several  $L_p$  approximations to obtain the  $L_\infty$  approximation. This requires much lower values of  $p$  for equivalent accuracy than if one just uses the  $L_p$  approximation with a large value of  $p$ .

The above comments are valid only for linear approximation, and can probably be extended to rational approximation. However, for the case of general non-linear approximation, little can be said, and these statements can only serve as plausibility arguments as to what may be expected in the more general case.

For many applications,  $\hat{H}(w)$  will have the form

$$\hat{H}(w) = \begin{cases} 1 & w \in P \\ 0 & w \in S \end{cases}$$

A transition region  $T$  may exist where  $\hat{H}(w)$  is not defined. This arises in the design of Pass-Stop filters, and a different approach is generally required. The problem can be stated as a constrained optimization, namely to minimize

$$\max_{w \in S} |H_1(x, w)|$$

subject to the constraint

$$1 - \epsilon_1 \leq |H_1(x, w)| \leq 1 + \epsilon_2 \quad w \in P$$

This constrains the response to lie within a certain passband tolerance,

and obtains the best stopband performance for that tolerance. This problem will be termed P2.

The following section discusses techniques which have been proposed for the solution of P1 and P2.

### 3.2 Frequency Domain Design Methods

As mentioned in section 2.3, stability is not a consideration in the design of FIR filters and thus one dimensional design methods can be extended in a straight forward manner. Hu and Rabiner (22) have used linear programming to solve a problem similar to P2. The technique is to minimize  $\delta$  subject to the constraints

$$1 - \alpha\delta \leq H_1(x, \omega) \leq 1 + \alpha\delta \quad \omega \in P$$

$$-\delta \leq H_1(x, \omega) \leq \delta \quad \omega \in S$$

The parameters  $x$  represent the DFT coefficients of the filter in the transition band  $T$ , and appear linearly in  $H_1(x, \omega)$ , allowing linear programming to be used. Although the actual passband tolerance is not specified as in P2, the free parameter  $\alpha$  can be used to adjust the ratio of maximum passband deviation to maximum stopband deviation.

In recursive filtering, stability becomes one of the major considerations in any design technique. As a simplistic first solution, Shanks et.al. (39) proposed a method whereby a stable one-dimensional filter  $F_2(p_2)$  is rotated by an angle  $\beta$  via the transformation

$$p_1 = p_1' \cos \beta + p_2' \sin \beta$$

$$p_2 = p_2' \cos \beta - p_1' \sin \beta$$

The bilinear transformation (2.34) is applied to the resulting filter  $F'(p_1', p_2')$  to obtain the equivalent digital filter  $F(z_1, z_2)$ . This technique yields filters with a strong directionality, with no filtering at all along the axis at angle  $\beta$  from the original.

The above method was adapted by Costa and Venetsanopoulos (14) to obtain lowpass filters with essentially circularly symmetric magnitude characteristics. Several filters designed by the method of Shanks et.al. but with different angles of rotation  $\beta$  are cascaded. By spacing the angles equally on  $0^\circ$  to  $360^\circ$ , the resulting characteristic can be circularly symmetric to a very good approximation. The authors show that due to stability considerations, only  $-90^\circ \leq \beta \leq 0^\circ$  is allowed, and thus certain transformations must be performed on the data to avoid stability problems. Although the resulting characteristics possess good circular symmetry, they are not steep. For example, a 12th order filter designed by this method satisfies the same pass-stop specification as a 4th order filter designed by nonlinear programming (Chapter 4).

Maria and Fahmy (29) have used an  $L_p$  approach, working with a cascade of 2nd and 4th order sections, thus limiting the size of the stability test required

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{k_1} A_i(z_1, z_2)}{\prod_{i=1}^{k_2} B_i(z_1, z_2)}$$

The coefficients of the polynomials  $A_i$  and  $B_i$  are chosen to minimize the  $L_p$  norm of  $\hat{H}(\omega) - |H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T})|$  on a finite point set. The value

of  $p$  used by the authors varies between 2 and 10. Minimization of the performance functional is accomplished using Newton's method (Appendix A). At each iteration, a Newton step is taken and stability of each of the  $B_i$  is checked. If unstable, the incremental change in the coefficients of the unstable sections is successively reduced by half until stability is achieved. Convergence is assumed if a stationary point of the functional is found or if the step size is reduced below a certain level. Although the error due to quantization and finite word length may be smaller for cascade realizations than for direct realization, a general two-variable polynomial cannot be factored as a product of 2nd and 4th order sections. Thus, the optimal cascade filter of a given order may be far worse than the optimal general filter of that order.

A commonly used technique for rational  $L_\infty$  approximation is the differential correction algorithm (5). Dudgeon (16) has demonstrated the use of this algorithm for one-dimensional recursive filter design, and has shown how it can be extended to the two-dimensional case. His method, however, does not take stability into account and once a solution has been obtained, the discrete Hilbert transform is used to obtain a stable filter (35). Such stabilization algorithms modify the frequency response causing significant degradation and defeat the entire method.

Bednar and Farmer (7) have adapted the differential correction algorithm for the solution of  $P_1$  in a way which accounts for the stability problem. The structure of the algorithm is as follows:

define

$$\Delta(x) = \max_w |\hat{H}(w) - H_1(x, w)| = \|r(x, w)\|_{\infty}$$

with  $\Delta^* = \|r(x_{\infty}, w)\|_{\infty}$

Choose a starting point  $x^0$  such that  $|x_1^0| < 1$  and  $B$  is stable. Then for each  $k \geq 1$  define the auxiliary function

$$\delta_k(x) = \max(|\hat{H}(w)B(x, w) - A(x, w)| - \Delta(x^k)|B(x, w)|)$$

and select  $x^{k+1}$  to minimize this function in the cube  $|x_1| < 1$ . If  $B(x^{k+1}, w)$  is unstable then  $x^k$  is a solution i.e.  $x^k = x_{\infty}$ , and  $B(x^k, w)$  is stable. Otherwise  $\Delta(x^k)$  decreases monotonically to  $\Delta^*$  as  $k \rightarrow \infty$ . Hence, each iteration requires an optimization of a complicated function ( $\delta_k(x)$  is the Chebyshev norm of some function and may have to be approximated by an  $L_p$  norm for computational purposes) along with a stability test, and thus this method could be prohibitively time consuming.

The following section describes a class of filters where stability is guaranteed, making possible a design algorithm not requiring repeated stability tests.

### 3.3 A "Two-Dimensional Circuit" Analogy

A method commonly used for one-dimensional recursive digital filter design is the bilinear transformation method. A bilinear transformation is applied to a continuous filter transfer function with the desired characteristics to obtain the digital filter transfer function.



The rationale for this technique is that a considerable body of knowledge has been built up in one-dimensional continuous filter theory, and hence it is desirable to exploit this knowledge. Although little work has been done on two-dimensional frequency domain design, there has been much work done recently in developing a two-dimensional circuit theory. Bearing in mind that it would be very desirable to have a class of network functions which are guaranteed to be stable, thus avoiding repeated stability tests, the following "two-dimensional circuit" analogy has been developed. Once a design is obtained in the continuous domain, a two-dimensional bilinear transformation is performed to obtain the two-dimensional recursive digital filter. The method is analogous to the one-dimensional case, but the underlying motivation is different (guaranteed stability rather than previous experience).

Definition (26): A finite, passive network of two variables is a network composed of finite numbers of two-terminal elements whose impedances are proportional to  $p_1$ ,  $1/p_1$ ,  $p_2$  and  $1/p_2$  with positive coefficients, positive resistors, ideal transformers, and ideal gyrators. Figure 3.1 gives an example of such a network

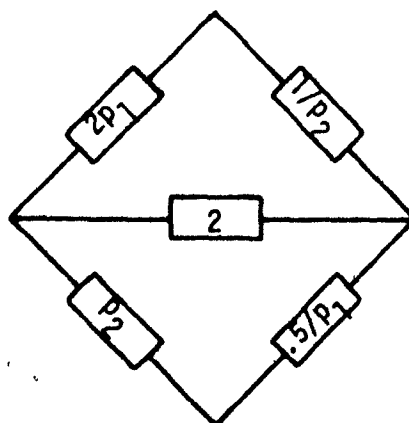


FIGURE 3.1

Given a passive, two-variable  $n$ -port network  $N$ , the usual network functions such as driving point impedance and voltage transfer can be defined. Given such a function  $H'(p_1, p_2)$ , the transfer function of a digital filter  $H(z_1, z_2)$  can be obtained by means of the bilinear transformation (2.34). The following statement can be made about the resulting digital filter.

Assertion: The digital filter with transfer function  $H(z_1, z_2)$  obtained by performing a bilinear transformation on a network function  $H'(p_1, p_2)$  of a two-variable passive network is marginally stable.

Proof: From theorem 2.3,  $H(z_1, z_2)$  is BIBO stable if and only if

- 1)  $H'(j\omega, p_2)$  has no poles in  $\text{Re}(p_2) \geq 0$  for all positive  $\omega$ ;
- 2)  $H'(p_1, 1)$  has no poles in  $\text{Re}(p_1) \geq 0$ .

$H'(j\omega, p_2)$  represents the corresponding network function of a one-dimensional passive filter with imaginary elements, and thus has no poles in  $\text{Re}(p_2) > 0$  (8). Similarly  $H'(p_1, 1)$  has no poles in  $\text{Re}(p_1) > 0$ . Hence only marginal instability can occur, namely if  $H'(j\omega, p_2)$  or  $H'(p_1, 1)$  has  $j$ -axis poles. This can generally be avoided by choosing  $N$  to be a lossy network.

Two-variable networks have been used in the study of networks consisting of both lumped and distributed elements (26, 34). Koga has shown (26) that an arbitrarily prescribed  $n$  by  $n$  positive real matrix of two variables is realizable as the impedance or admittance matrix of a finite passive  $n$ -port of two variables. However, it is not known if all

stable transfer functions can be obtained as a network function of some two-variable circuit. This is a much more difficult problem, and its solution would indicate whether or not the class of transfer functions obtained in this way is restrictive.

The previous discussion can shed light on the method of Shanks discussed in section 3.2. Suppose  $F_2(p_2)$  has a passive network realization. Then  $F'(p_1', p_2')$  is obtained by replacing each inductor  $L$  with the series connection shown in Figure 3.2 (a) and each capacitor  $C$  with the parallel connection shown in Figure 3.2 (b). The resulting filter will be stable if all the new elements are positive i.e.  $\cos \beta \geq 0$  and  $\sin \beta \geq 0$  or  $-90^\circ \leq \beta \leq 0^\circ$ . This agrees with the result of Costa and Venetsanopoulos (14).

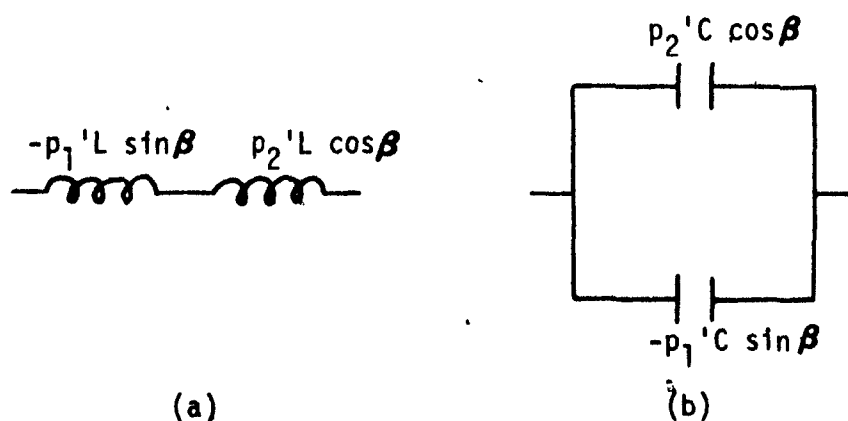


FIGURE 3.2

## CHAPTER IV

### THE CIRCUIT ANALOGY DESIGN TECHNIQUE

#### 4.1 The Design Procedure

This section describes how the two-dimensional circuit analogy of section 3.3 can be applied to the design of stable two-dimensional recursive digital filters. It is assumed that the configuration of a two-variable passive network having a response of the general form desired can be obtained. This network should possess asymptotic behaviour (i.e. as  $\omega \rightarrow 0$  and  $\omega \rightarrow \infty$ ) compatible with the specification. Experience with the frequency behaviour of one-dimensional circuits would be extremely valuable in making this initial choice. The values of the circuit elements and transformer and gyrator parameters form the vector of variables  $x$  to be adjusted in the design procedure. The response of the chosen network is denoted by  $H_c(x, p)$ , where  $p = (p_1, p_2)$ .

The Chebyshev design will be carried out on a discrete set of frequency points  $W$  chosen on  $-\pi/T \leq \omega_1, \omega_2 \leq \pi/T$ . The number of points required depends on the order of the filter and must be sufficiently large to adequately represent the circuit response.

The desired digital filter  $H(z_1, z_2)$  is obtained from  $H_c(x, p)$  by means of the bilinear transformation (2.34). It is not necessary however to actually perform the transformation to get  $H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T})$  from  $H_c(x, j\omega)$  if it is noted that

$$p = \frac{1-z}{1+z} = \frac{1 - e^{-j\omega T}}{1 + e^{-j\omega T}} = \frac{j \sin \omega T}{1 + \cos \omega T}$$

Using a standard trigonometric identity this becomes

$$p = j \tan \frac{\omega T}{2}$$

and the relationship between  $H$  and  $H_c$  is

$$\begin{aligned} H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T}) &= H_c(j \tan \frac{\omega_1 T}{2}, j \tan \frac{\omega_2 T}{2}) \\ &= H_c(j\omega_{c1}, j\omega_{c2}) \end{aligned} \quad (4.1)$$

Thus, given a point  $(\omega_1, \omega_2) \in W$ , the response at that point is the response of the continuous filter at  $(\tan \frac{\omega_1 T}{2}, \tan \frac{\omega_2 T}{2})$ .

As in section 3.1  $H_1(x, \omega)$  is the function of  $H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T})$  which must approximate the ideal response  $\hat{H}(\omega)$ , and  $r(x, \omega) = \hat{H}(\omega) - H_1(x, \omega)$ . The solution of P1 is that  $x$  which minimizes the Chebyshev norm of  $r(x, \omega)$ . To allow more flexibility, a weighting function  $u(\omega)$  is introduced, so that the problem is now to minimize the Chebyshev norm of  $r'(x, \omega) = r(x, \omega)u(\omega)$ . Then

$$\|r'(x_\infty, \omega)\|_\infty = \inf_{x \in S} \max_{\omega \in W} |r'(x, \omega)| \quad (4.2)$$

The solution to P1 is obtained when  $u(\omega) = 1$ .

From the Pólya algorithm it is known that on the finite point set  $W$ ,  $x_p$  converges to the strict approximation as  $p \rightarrow \infty$ , for linear approximation. With this as motivation, the  $L_p$  norm with a large value of  $p$  is used, rather than the Chebyshev norm, although the problem is nonlinear. The optimal  $L_p$  approximation  $x_p$  is given by

$$\|r'(x_p, \omega)\|_p = \inf_{x \in S} \|r'(x, \omega)\|_p = \inf_{x \in S} \left( \sum_{\omega \in W} |r'(x, \omega)|^p \right)^{1/p} \quad (4.3)$$

$x_p$  is obtained by using nonlinear programming to minimize

$$J(x) = \left( \sum_{\omega \in W} |r'(x, \omega)|^p \right)^{1/p} \quad (4.4)$$

If one of the standard derivative methods is to be used, the gradient  $\nabla J(x)$  is required. Assuming  $p$  is an even integer,

$$\nabla J(x) = \left( \sum_{\omega \in W} (r'(x, \omega))^p \right)^{1/p-1} \left( \sum_{\omega \in W} (r'(x, \omega))^{p-1} \nabla r'(x, \omega) \right) \quad (4.5)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla r'(x, \omega) &= \nabla (\hat{H}(\omega) - H_1(x, \omega)) u(\omega) \\ &= -u(\omega) \nabla H_1(x, \omega) \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

A case of particular interest is when  $H_1(x, \omega) = |H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T})|$ , the magnitude response. Assuming  $\nabla H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T})$  is available,  $\nabla H_1(x, \omega)$  can be obtained in the following way.

$$H = |H| e^{j\theta_H}$$

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial x_1} = \frac{\partial |H|}{\partial x_1} e^{j\theta_H} - j |H| e^{j\theta_H} \frac{\partial \theta_H}{\partial x_1}$$

$$\frac{1}{H} \frac{\partial H}{\partial x_1} = \frac{1}{|H|} \frac{\partial |H|}{\partial x_1} - j \frac{\partial \theta_H}{\partial x_1}$$

Since  $|H|$  and  $\theta_H$  are real, it is clear that

$$\frac{1}{|H|} \frac{\partial |H|}{\partial x_1} = \operatorname{Re} \frac{1}{H} \frac{\partial H}{\partial x_1}$$

and in vector form

$$\nabla |H| = |H| \operatorname{Re} \left( \frac{1}{H} \nabla H \right) \quad (4.7)$$

$H_c(x,p)$  must be available explicitly in symbolic form in order to compute  $H(z_1, z_2)$  via the bilinear transformation. Thus  $H$  and  $\nabla H$  can be calculated directly from this explicit form. However, methods of computer aided network analysis can be invoked to calculate  $H$ , and  $\nabla H$ , which represents sensitivities with respect to network parameters, can be obtained with little extra computation (9).

In the approach in which the coefficients of  $A$  and  $B$  make up the parameter vector  $x$ , the set  $S_x$  is very complicated, being defined by the stability conditions of section 2.3. When applying the method of this section,  $S_x$  becomes a very simple set, in which the only requirement is  $x_i > 0$ . Although constrained optimization methods can be used, if the optimum lies in the non-feasible region, a constrained method would yield a solution with  $x_i = 0$  for some of the  $x_i$ . Such a solution would indicate that the circuit chosen is not really suitable for the desired application. Thus unconstrained gradient methods, such as the Quasi-Newton methods outlined in Appendix A, can be used to minimize  $J(x)$ .

The following section gives an example of how this method can be applied for a lowpass filter design with circular symmetry.

#### 4.2. Example for Lowpass Filter Design

As an example of a pass-stop characteristic often encountered in two-dimensional filter design, the lowpass filter with circular symmetry will be considered. As discussed in section 2.1, a circularly symmetric frequency response implies that the filtering does not depend on the relative orientation of the data, a condition which is usually desirable.

The specification  $\hat{H}(\omega)$  which we will try to approximate by  $|H(e^{-j\omega_1 T}, e^{-j\omega_2 T})|$  is shown in Figure 4.1. It must of course be kept in mind that the actual response will not be exactly circularly symmetric.

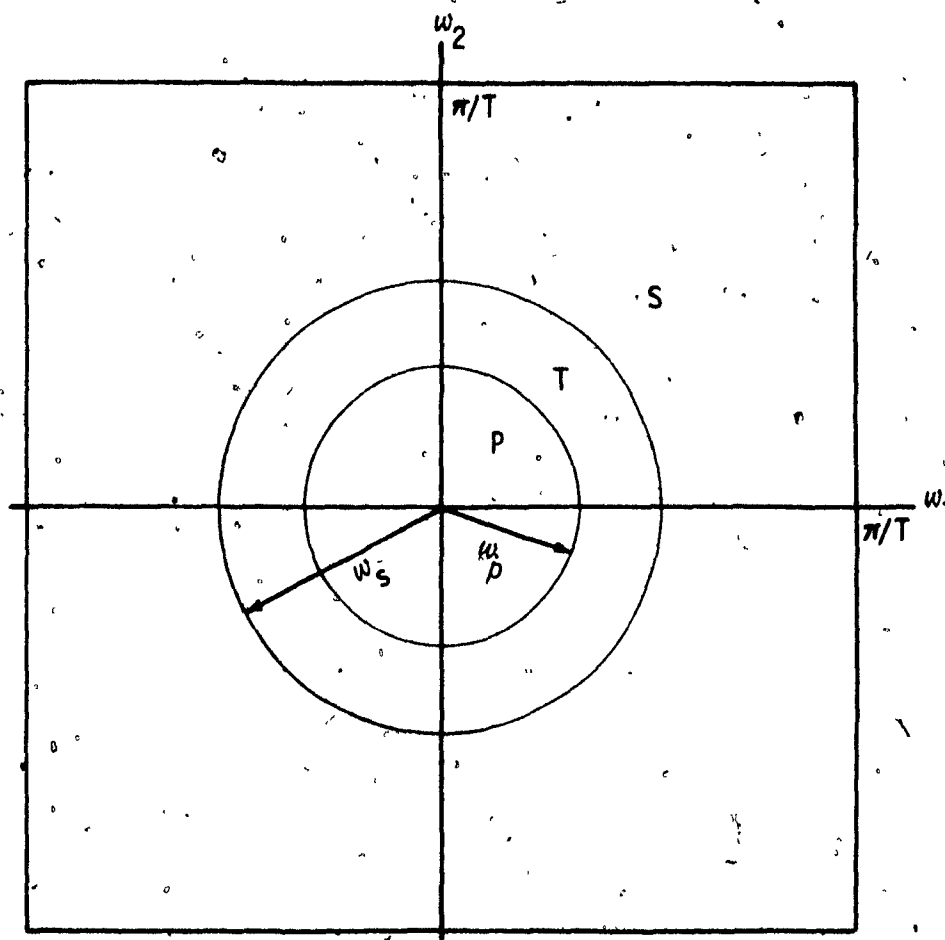


FIGURE 4.1

$$\hat{H}(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & \omega \in P = \{\omega_1, \omega_2 : \omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2 \leq \omega_p^2\} \\ 0 & \omega \in S = \{\omega_1, \omega_2 : \omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2 \geq \omega_s^2\} \end{cases} \quad (4.8)$$



The design procedure of section 4.1 can be modified to obtain a solution to either P1 or P2.

Drawing from one-dimensional filter theory, it is known that the L-C ladder has the properties of a lowpass filter. Thus, the configuration of Figure 4.2 is postulated for use in designing a two-dimensional lowpass filter.

Referring to Figure 4.2, the vector  $x$  is given by  $x = (L_1, C_2, L_3, \dots, L_{n-2}, C_{n-1}, G_n)^T$ , and  $i_k = 1$  or  $2$  for  $k = 1, n-1$ . The  $i_k$  associate one of the frequency variables  $p_1$  or  $p_2$  with each circuit element.

The transfer function  $H_c(x, p)$  can be obtained by any of the standard methods of circuit analysis. Johnson (24) gives a simple arithmetic procedure which involves the evaluation of the determinant of a nearly diagonal matrix of order  $(n-1)/2$  and the product of the shunt impedances. Once  $H_c(x, p)$  is available,  $H(z_1, z_2)$  is obtained via the bilinear transformation (2.34). (10) presents an algorithm to perform an  $n$ -dimensional bilinear transformation.

Many possible choices of the  $i_k$  can be immediately ruled out as impractical. Since  $\hat{H}(\omega)$  is symmetric about  $\omega_1 = \omega_2$ ,  $H_c(x, p)$  should be of the same order in  $p_1$  and  $p_2$ , and so there should be an equal number of  $i_k = 1$  and  $i_k = 2$ . As another example, if all series arms have  $i_k = 1$  and all shunt arms have  $i_k = 2$ , there will be no filtering at all along  $\omega_1 = 0$  and  $\omega_2 = 0$ . The merits of other possibilities are discussed in Chapter V.

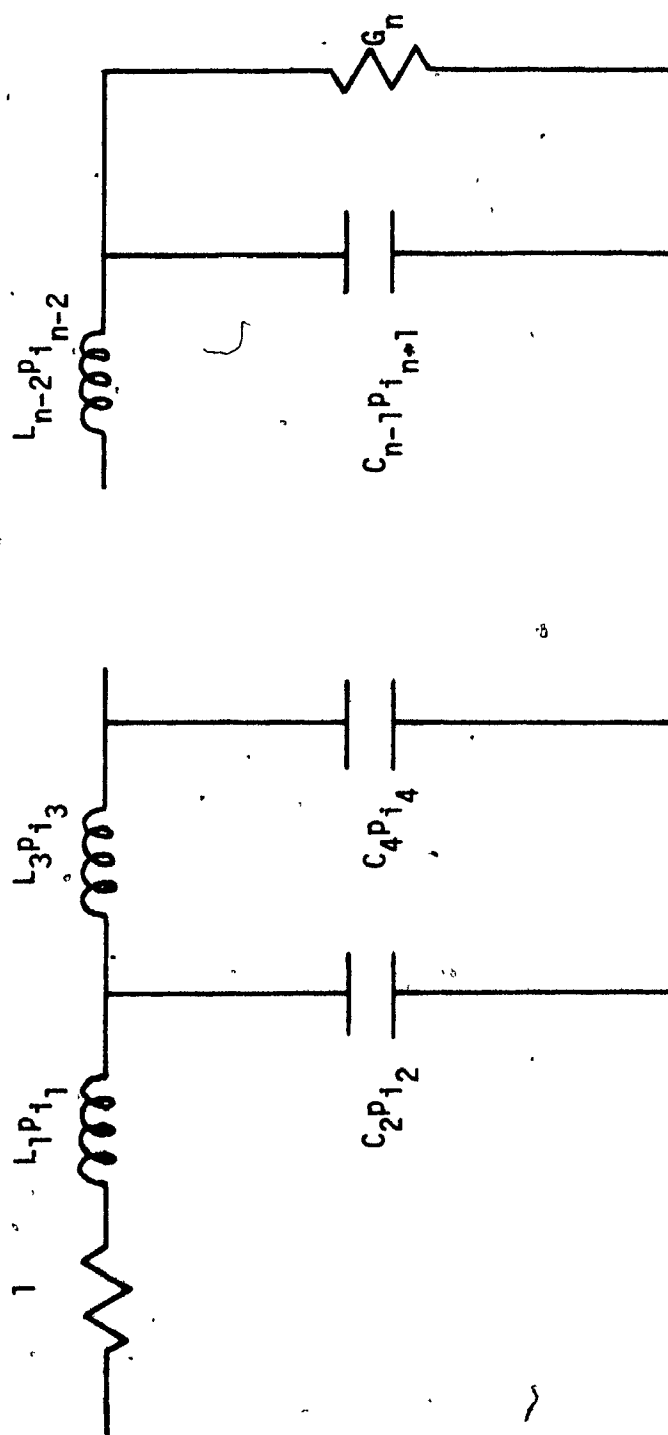


FIGURE 4.2

Since the specification  $\hat{H}(w)$  is circularly symmetric, it is convenient to choose the points of  $W$  on radii  $w_1^2 + w_2^2 = w_i^2$ . Also,  $H(w_1, w_2) = H(-w_1, -w_2)$ , and thus points need only be in the region  $-\pi/T \leq w_2 \leq \pi/T$ ,  $0 \leq w_1 \leq \pi/T$ . The response of the circuit of Figure 4.2 decreases monotonically in the stopband, and hence only one radial at  $w = w_s$  is required to monitor stopband performance. In the passband, it is generally found that the response changes more rapidly near the band edge and thus the frequency radii should be denser near  $w_p$ . A convenient formula for choosing these radii, taken from one-dimensional filter design, is

$$w_i = -w_p \cos \frac{\pi}{2} \left(1 - \frac{i}{n_p}\right) \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n_p \quad (4.9)$$

where  $n_p$  is the number of radials desired. (4.9) relates to the pole locations of an all pole Chebyshev filter in the one-dimensional case, but is simply a convenient device here. The number of radials and the number of points per radial should be large enough to adequately represent the response surface.  $n_p$  should be comparable to the filter order, and the spacing of points on a radial should be about equal to the corresponding spacing between radials.

To evaluate  $|H(e^{-jw_1 T}, e^{-jw_2 T})|$  and  $\nabla H(e^{-jw_1 T}, e^{-jw_2 T})|$  at the points of  $W$ , we need to evaluate  $|H_c(jw_{c1}, jw_{c2})|$  and  $\nabla H_c(jw_{c1}, jw_{c2})|$  at the points of  $W_c$ , as in (4.1).  $H_c$  and  $\nabla H_c$  can be obtained for the ladder structure quite simply in the following way. The general ladder structure of  $NS$  stages is shown in Figure 4.3.

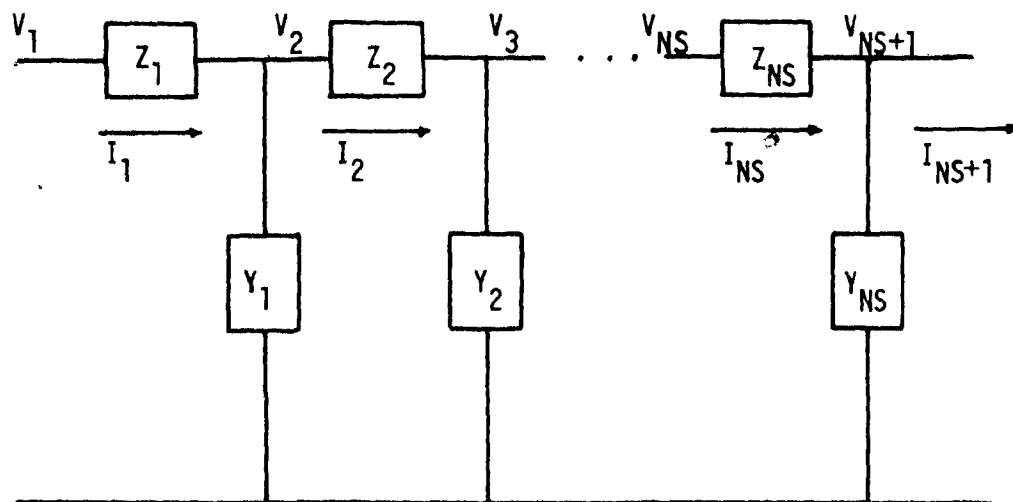


FIGURE 4.3

Using the recursive relations  $V_i = V_{i+1} + Z_i I_i$  and  $I_i = Y_i V_{i+1} + I_{i+1}$ , with conditions  $V_{NS+1} = 1$ ,  $I_{NS+1} = 0$ , the currents and voltages  $I_i$  and  $V_i$  can be found. The transfer function  $H_c$  is given by  $1/V_1$ , and the currents and voltages due to a unit voltage input  $V_1 = 1$  are  $V_i/V_1$  and  $I_i/I_1$ . These are denoted by  $V_{fi}$  and  $I_{fi}$ . Using the adjoint network (9)  $\nabla H_c$  is obtained as follows. The voltages and currents,  $V_{ri}$  and  $I_{ri}$  due to a unit current  $I_{NS+1} = 1$  are obtained in a similar manner. Then, it can be shown that  $\partial H_c / \partial Z_i = -I_{fi} I_{ri}$  and  $\partial H_c / \partial Y_i = V_{fi} V_{ri}$ . Using this,  $\nabla H_c$  can be calculated using the form of the  $Z_i$  and  $Y_i$ , and (4.7).

The objective function (4.4) can be modified to increase speed of computation and improve accuracy. The resulting function is similar to one used by Bandler and Charalambous (4). A function  $\xi(w)$  is selected, and then only those points in  $W$  are chosen such that  $|r(x, w)| > \xi(w)$ .

If a solution to P1 is desired, then  $\xi(\omega)$  is a constant, set initially to an estimate of  $\|r(x, \omega)\|_{\infty}$ , and  $u(\omega) = 1$ . The set  $W'$  is defined as

$$W' = \{\omega \in W : |r(x, \omega)| > \xi(\omega)\}$$

and the modified performance functional is

$$\begin{aligned} J'(x) &= \left( \sum_{\omega \in W'} (|r(x, \omega)| - \xi(\omega)) u(\omega) \right)^p \right)^{1/p} \\ &= \left( \sum_{\omega \in W'} (d(x, \omega))^p \right)^{1/p} \end{aligned} \quad (4.10)$$

To reduce the problem of ill conditioning in the evaluation of  $d(x, \omega)^p$  for large  $p$ , the following equivalent performance functional is used.

$$J'(x) = M \left( \sum_{\omega \in W'} \left( \frac{d(x, \omega)}{M} \right)^p \right)^{1/p} \quad (4.11)$$

where

$$M = \max_{\omega \in W'} d(x, \omega) \quad (4.12)$$

If at some stage of the optimization procedure  $M$  becomes negative, then  $\xi(\omega)$  can be reduced by some factor and the procedure restarted.

If a solution to P2 is desired, the following approach can be used. For points in the passband

$$\xi(\omega) = \epsilon \quad \omega \in P,$$

where  $\epsilon$  represents the maximum passband ripple desired.  $\xi(\omega)$  will remain fixed in the passband throughout the procedure.  $\xi(\omega)$  in the stopband is a constant and set to an estimate of the maximum stopband ripple for the given passband ripple. Of course if the estimate proves

excessive, it can be reduced during the optimization. By weighting points in the passband much more heavily than those in the stopband, the passband ripple is forced to be near  $\epsilon$ , and the stopband ripple is then minimized for that  $\epsilon$ .

The circuit of Figure 4.2 is an all pole network. Noting that the numerator of a recursive filter cannot introduce instability, the transfer function of the circuit can be multiplied by the term

$$A(\omega_1, \omega_2) = \sum_{m=1}^{M_A} \sum_{n=1}^{N_A} a_{mn} e^{-j\omega_1 T_m} e^{-j\omega_2 T_n}$$

and the  $a_{mn}$  can be included in the parameter vector  $x$ . The gradient components of the  $a_{mn}$  can be trivially calculated. The only modification to the previous discussion is that a dense set of points in the stopband must now be included.

## CHAPTER V

### EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

#### 5.1 Implementation of Ladder Design

The design technique of section 4.1 has been tested using the lowpass filter example of section 4.2. The computer programs are written in Algol W for use with the Stanford Algol compiler on an IBM 360 system. Procedure QNMDER (Appendix A) for unconstrained function minimization is available as an Algol procedure requiring supplementary function and gradient evaluation procedures. The structure of the program is shown in Figure 5.1.

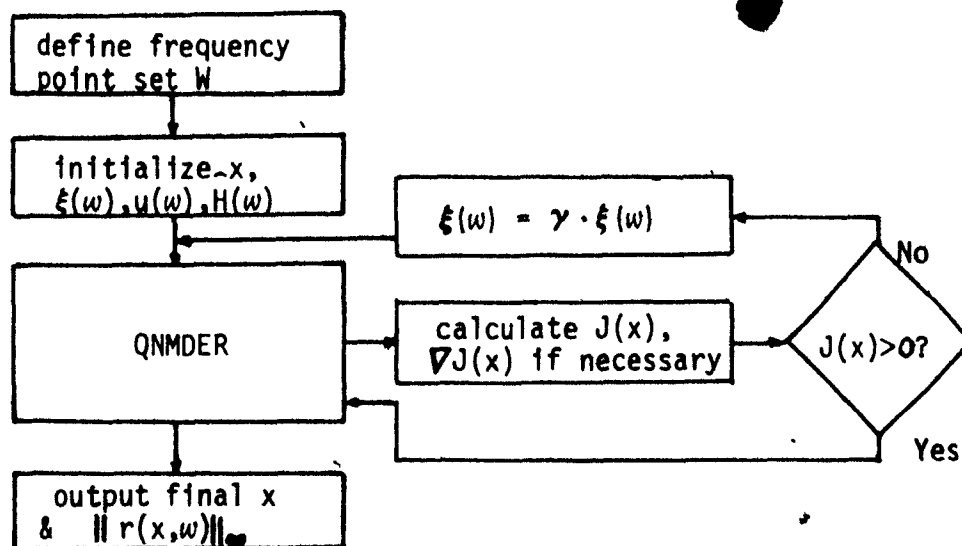


FIGURE 5.1

Procedure FGBAN evaluates the performance functional  $J'(x)$  (4.11), and if logical variable GRADYESNO = TRUE, it evaluates  $\nabla J'(x)$  also. The flowchart of procedure FGBAN is given in Figure 5.2.

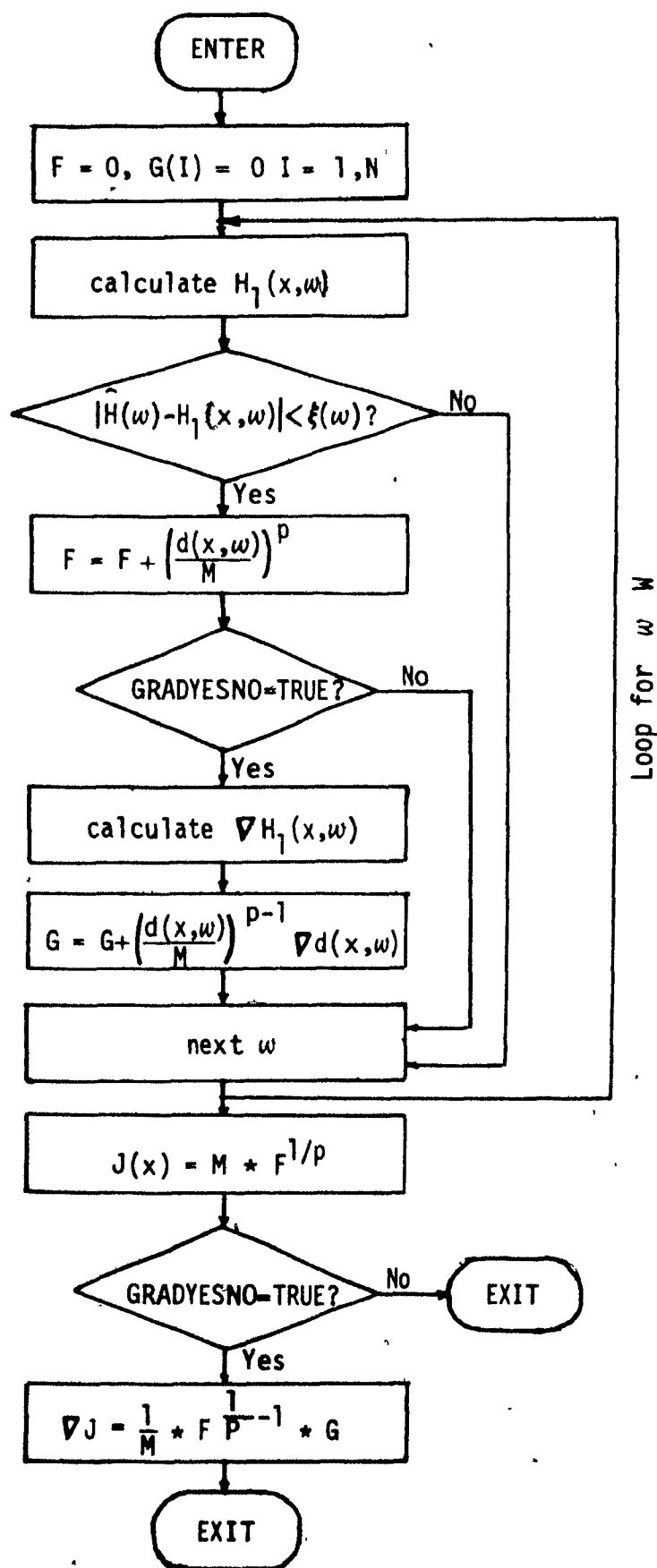


FIGURE 5.2



The value of  $J'(x)$  is theoretically independent of the value of  $M$ . Since  $M$  is not known until  $d(x, \omega)$  has been calculated for all  $\omega \in W'$ , the value of  $M$  from the previous function evaluation can be used, using  $M=1$  for the first function evaluation. A listing of procedure FGBAN is presented in Appendix B.

For the designs tested, the values of  $\omega_p$  and  $\omega_s$  in the specification of Figure 4.1 were  $\omega_p = .14 \pi / T$  and  $\omega_s = .26 \pi / T$ . The all pole configuration of Figure 4.2 was tested for 2nd, 4th, and 8th order, and the results of these experiments are discussed in the following section.

## 5.2 Circuit Analogy Design Results

The second order ladder network is shown in Figure 5.3.

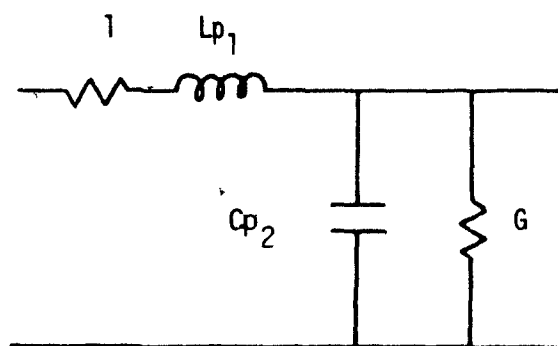


FIGURE 5.3

The transfer function of this filter is given by

$$H(p_1, p_2) = \frac{K}{1 + \frac{C}{1+G} p_1 + \frac{LG}{1+G} p_2 + \frac{LC}{1+G} p_1 p_2} \quad (5.1)$$

where the value of  $K$  does not affect stability and can be set to one for unity transmission at the origin, or it can be made a parameter of the optimization procedure. The latter choice was used for all design examples.

If  $G \gg 1$ , then  $H(p_1, p_2)$  can be written

$$H(p_1, p_2) \approx \frac{K}{(1 + \frac{C}{G} p_1)(1 + L p_2)} \quad (5.2)$$

In this case we say that the transfer function is separable, i.e.

$$H(p_1, p_2) = H_1(p_1)H_2(p_2).$$

As a starting point for the optimization procedure, the parameters of a filter with a Butterworth characteristic along

$p_1 = p_2$  with cutoff at  $\omega = .2 \pi/T$  can be used, namely  $L = C = 6.18$ ,

$G = 1$ . For these values,  $\|r(x, \omega)\|_\infty = .627$ , and  $\|\nabla J(x)\|_2 = 6.4 \times 10^{-2}$ .

Applying the optimization procedure, a limiting solution is obtained:

$L = 5.244$  and  $C/G = 5.244$  as  $C \rightarrow \infty$ . For example,  $L = 5.244$ ,  $C = 1.406 \times 10^{-5}$ ,

$G = 2.681 \times 10^4$  gives  $\|r(x, \omega)\|_\infty = .40335$  and  $\|\nabla J(x)\|_2 = 1.46 \times 10^{-5}$ ,

while  $L = 5.244$ ,  $C = 5.244 \times 10^{-9}$ ,  $G = 10^9$  gives  $\|r(x, \omega)\|_\infty = .40329$  and

$\|\nabla J(x)\|_2 = 4.05 \times 10^{-11}$ . The resulting transfer function is

$$H(p_1, p_2) = \frac{1}{(1 + 5.24p_1)(1 + 5.24p_2)} \quad (5.3a)$$

or, performing the bilinear transformation

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \frac{(1/39)(1 + z_1)(1 + z_2)}{(1 - .68z_1)(1 - .68z_2)} \quad (5.3b)$$

The response of this filter is given in Figure 5.4. This plot and subsequent ones give contours of the transmission of the filter spaced by .1.

Performing the optimization on the general transfer function

$$H(p_1, p_2) = \frac{1}{1 + x_1 p_2 + x_2 p_1 + x_3 p_1 p_2}$$

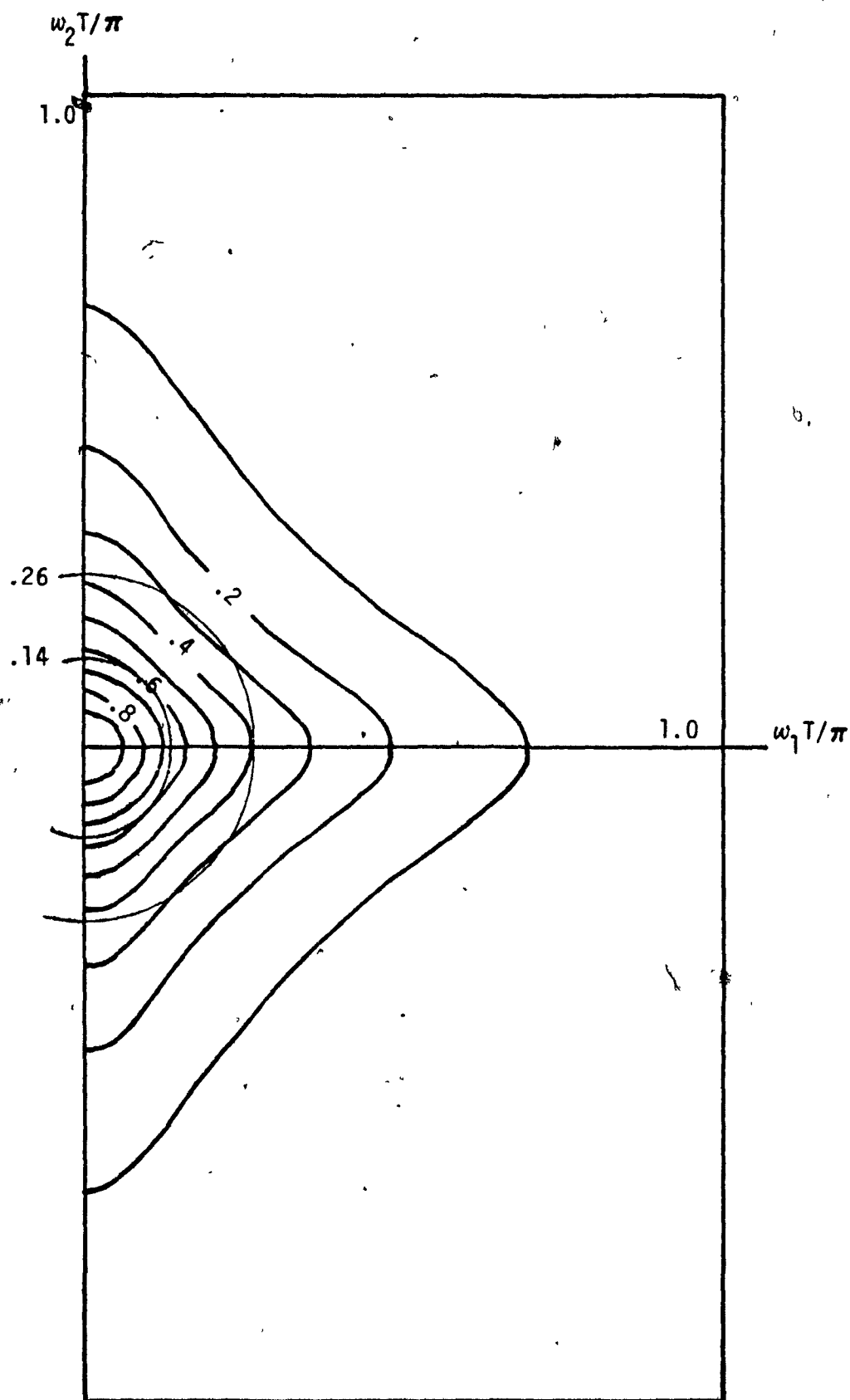


FIGURE 5.4

with starting point  $x = 1$  and no constraints on the coefficients yields the same transfer function as in (5.3), i.e.  $x_1 = 5.244$ ,  $x_2 = 5.244$ ,  $x_3 = 27.47$ , suggesting that the optimal second order filter is separable. This would account for the singular solution obtained using the circuit analogy method, since the circuit of Figure 5.3 does not possess a separable transfer function for any finite values of the parameters  $L, C$ , and  $G$ .

In the above example,  $\xi(\omega) = .4$  was used, with  $u(\omega) = 1$ , yielding a solution to P1. It turned out that  $\xi$  was a good estimate of  $\|r(x_\infty, \omega)\|_\infty$ . A solution to P2 with a maximum passband ripple of  $\epsilon = .2$  can be obtained by using  $\xi(\omega) = .2$ , and a high pass to stop weighting. For example, for

$$u(\omega) = \begin{cases} 10 & \omega \in P \\ 1 & \omega \in S \end{cases}$$

the algorithm gives a solution with a maximum passband ripple of .236 and stopband ripple of .549. For

$$u(\omega) = \begin{cases} 100 & \omega \in P \\ 1 & \omega \in S \end{cases}$$

these values become .204 and .583 respectively. In this case the transfer function is

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \frac{(1/17.8)(1+z_1)(1+z_2)}{(1-.527z_1)(1-.527z_2)}$$

with response given in Figure 5.5.

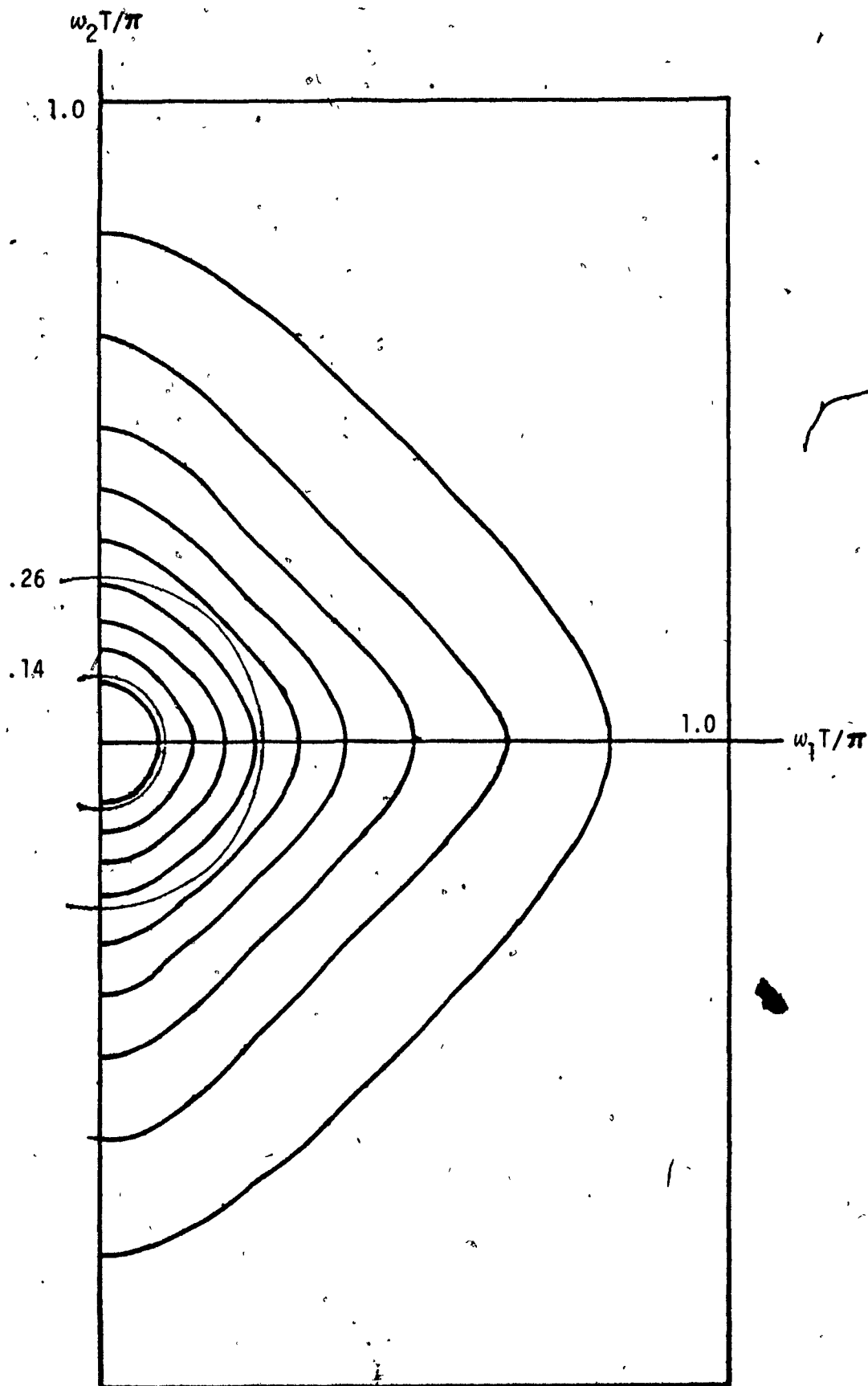


FIGURE 5.5

Figure 5.6 shows the 4th order version of Figure 4.1.

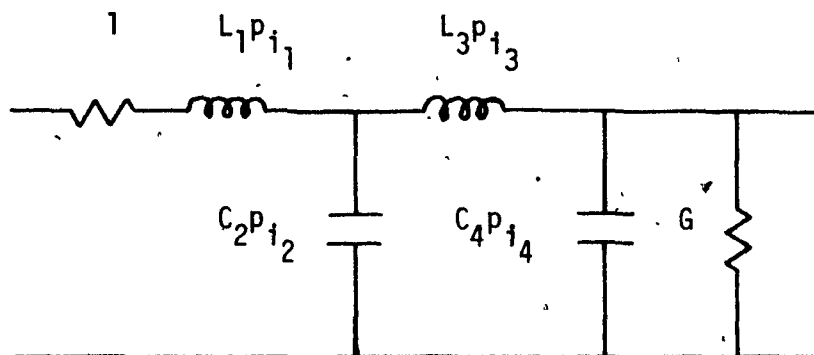


FIGURE 5.6

Eliminating certain choices of the  $i_k$  as discussed in section 4.2, there are two possible alternatives:  $i_1 = i_2$ ,  $i_3 = i_4$  and  $i_1 = i_4$ ,  $i_2 = i_3$ . The first case tested was  $i_1 = i_2 = 1$ ,  $i_3 = i_4 = 2$ , for which the transfer function is given by

$$H(p_1, p_2) = K / (1 + G + (L_1 G + C_2)p_1 + (L_3 G + C_4)p_2 + (L_1 C_4 + G L_3 C_2)p_1 p_2 + L_1 C_2 p_1^2 + L_3 C_4 p_2^2 + G L_1 C_2 L_3 p_1^2 p_2 + C_2 L_3 C_4 p_1 p_2^2 + L_1 C_2 L_3 C_4 p_1^2 p_2^2)$$

The same tests as for the 2nd order case were performed using this circuit. Solving PI with  $\xi(\omega) = .25$  and  $u(\omega) = 1$ , a separable solution was again obtained, having transfer function

$$H(p_1, p_2) = \frac{1}{(1 + 5.636p_1 + 29.24p_1^2)(1 + 5.636p_2 + 29.24p_2^2)}$$

or

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \frac{(1/34.88)^2 (1+z_1)^2 (1+z_2)^2}{(1-1.62z_1 + .705z_1^2)(1-1.62z_2 + .705z_2^2)}$$

This gives  $\|r(x,w)\|_{\infty} = .2545$ , with the response shown in Figure 5.7.

The optimization was performed directly on the general transfer function

$$H(p_1, p_2) = \frac{1}{(1 + p_1^2) B \begin{bmatrix} p_2 \\ p_2^2 \end{bmatrix}}$$

with no constraints on the coefficients of B. The resulting solution was

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1.000 & 5.684 & 26.36 \\ 5.684 & 51.40 & 174.3 \\ 26.36 & 174.3 & 5484. \end{bmatrix}$$

which is not separable.  $\|r(x,w)\|_{\infty} = .2391$ , as compared with .2545 for the separable case, a slight improvement. However, an application of theorem 2.2 shows this filter to be unstable. This suggests that the optimal separable filter is not far from the "best" in this case.

P2 was solved for  $\epsilon = .1$  using  $\xi = .1$  and a 100 to 1 pass to stop weighting. The resulting transfer function is

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \frac{(1/23.85)^2 (1+z_1)^2 (1+z_2)^2}{(1-1.415z_1 + .584z_1^2)(1-1.415z_2 + .584z_2^2)}$$

with a maximum passband ripple of .103 and a stopband ripple of .407.

The response is shown in Figure 5.8.

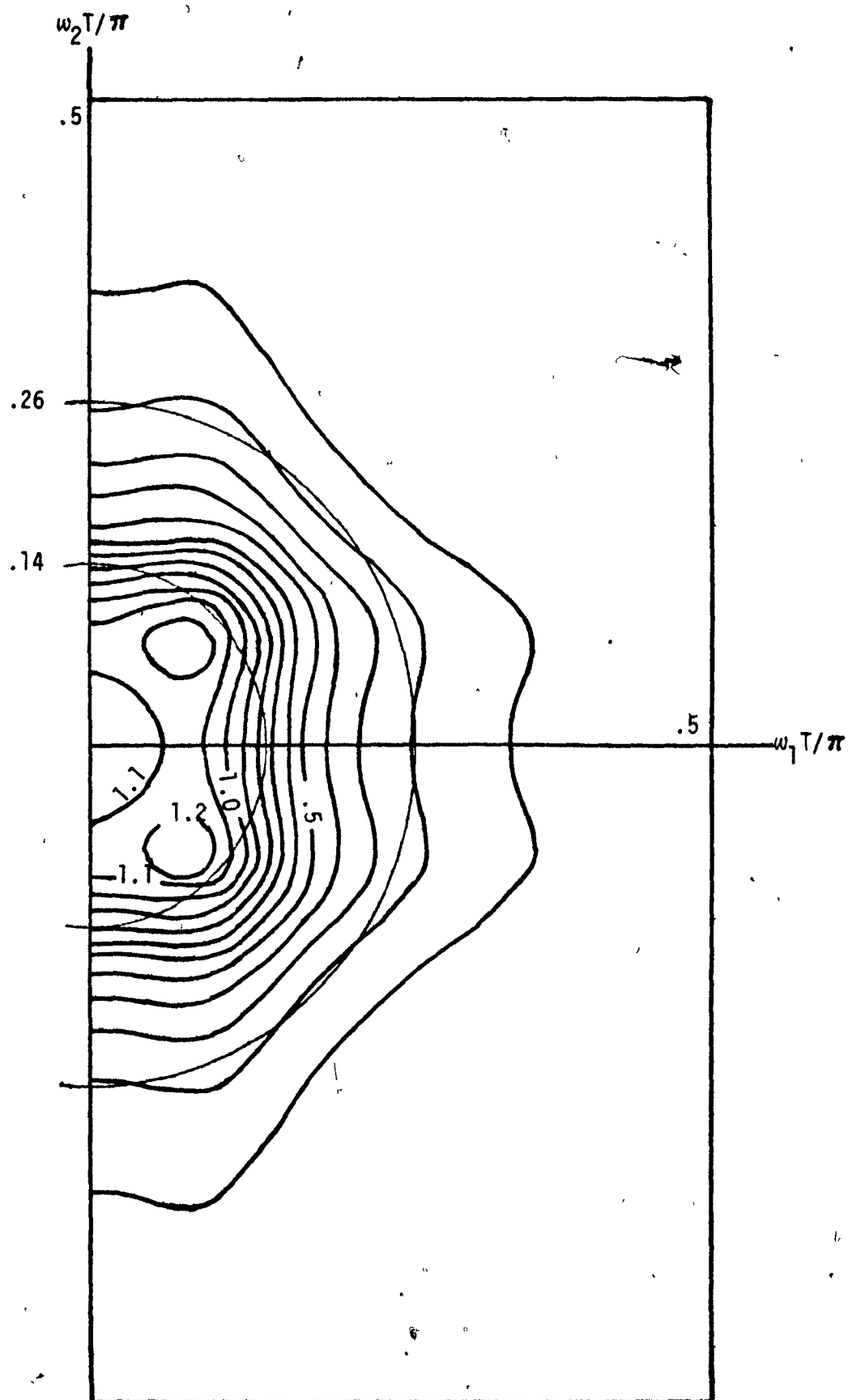


FIGURE 5.7



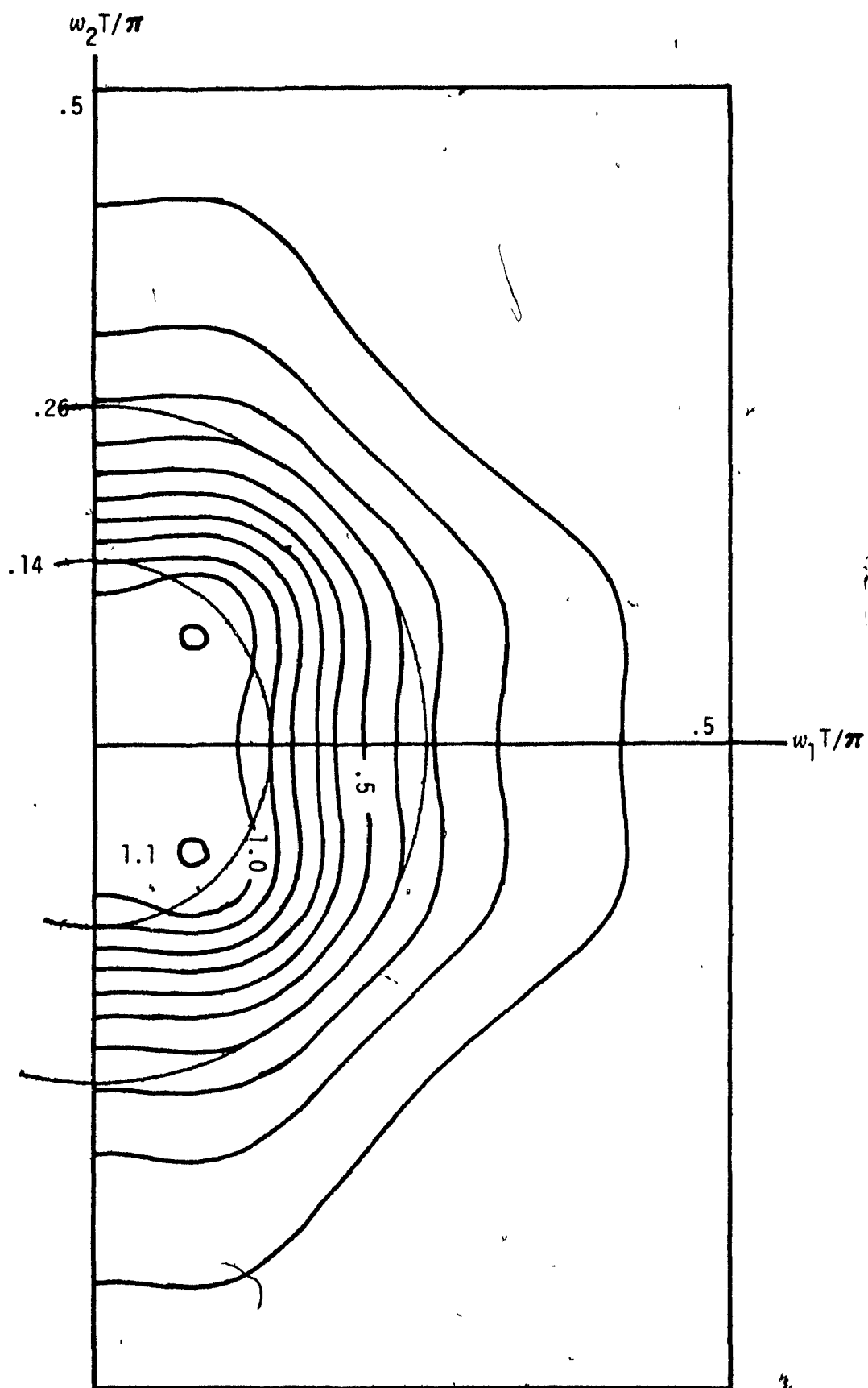


FIGURE 5.8

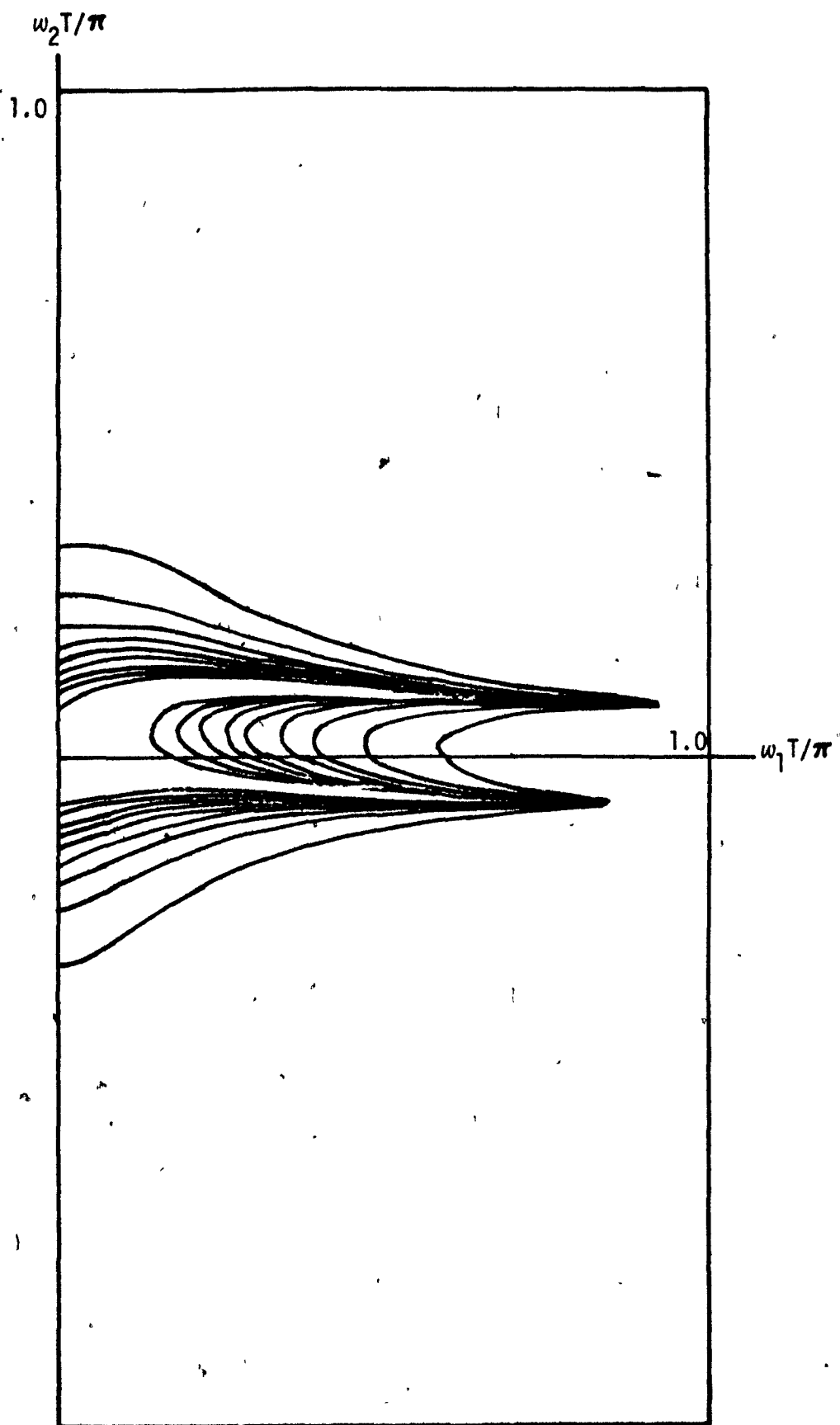


FIGURE 5.9

The other possible assignment of the  $i_k$  is  $i_1 = i_4 = 1$ ,  $i_2 = i_3 = 2$ . This has not proven to be a useful configuration for the design of circularly symmetric lowpass filters. The starting point having a Butterworth characteristic along  $p_1 = p_2$  has the response shown in Figure 5.9. The large spikes in the response indicate that this is not a useful configuration. In fact, when the optimization is performed, element values become negative and the resulting unstable network still does not have nearly as good performance as the separable filter.

Only one configuration of the four stage 8th order filter proved useful, namely  $i_1 = i_2 = i_3 = i_4$  and  $i_5 = i_6 = i_7 = i_8$ , as shown in Figure 5.10.

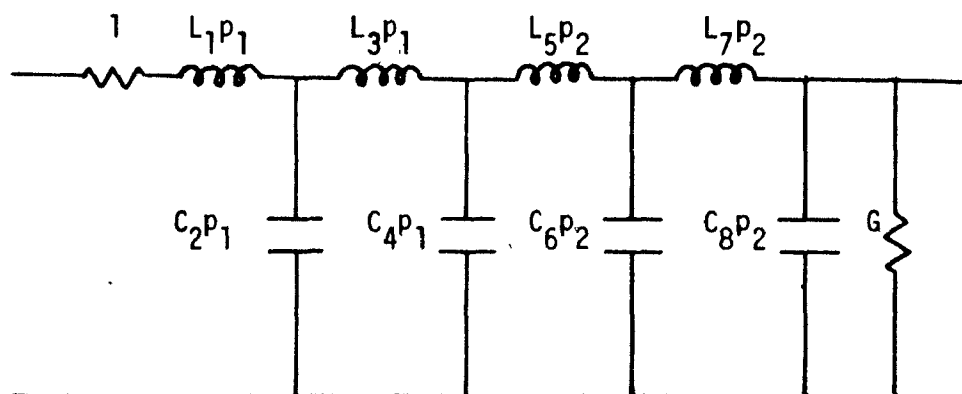


FIGURE 5.10

As in previous cases, a separable solution is obtained:

$$H(p_1, p_2) = 1 / (1 + 12.9p_1 + 97.2p_1^2 + 317.5p_1^3 + 1205p_1^4) \times \\ (1 + 12.9p_2 + 97.2p_2^2 + 317.5p_2^3 + 1205p_2^4)$$

with  $\|r(x, w)\|_\infty = .0708$ . The response is given in Figure 5.11.

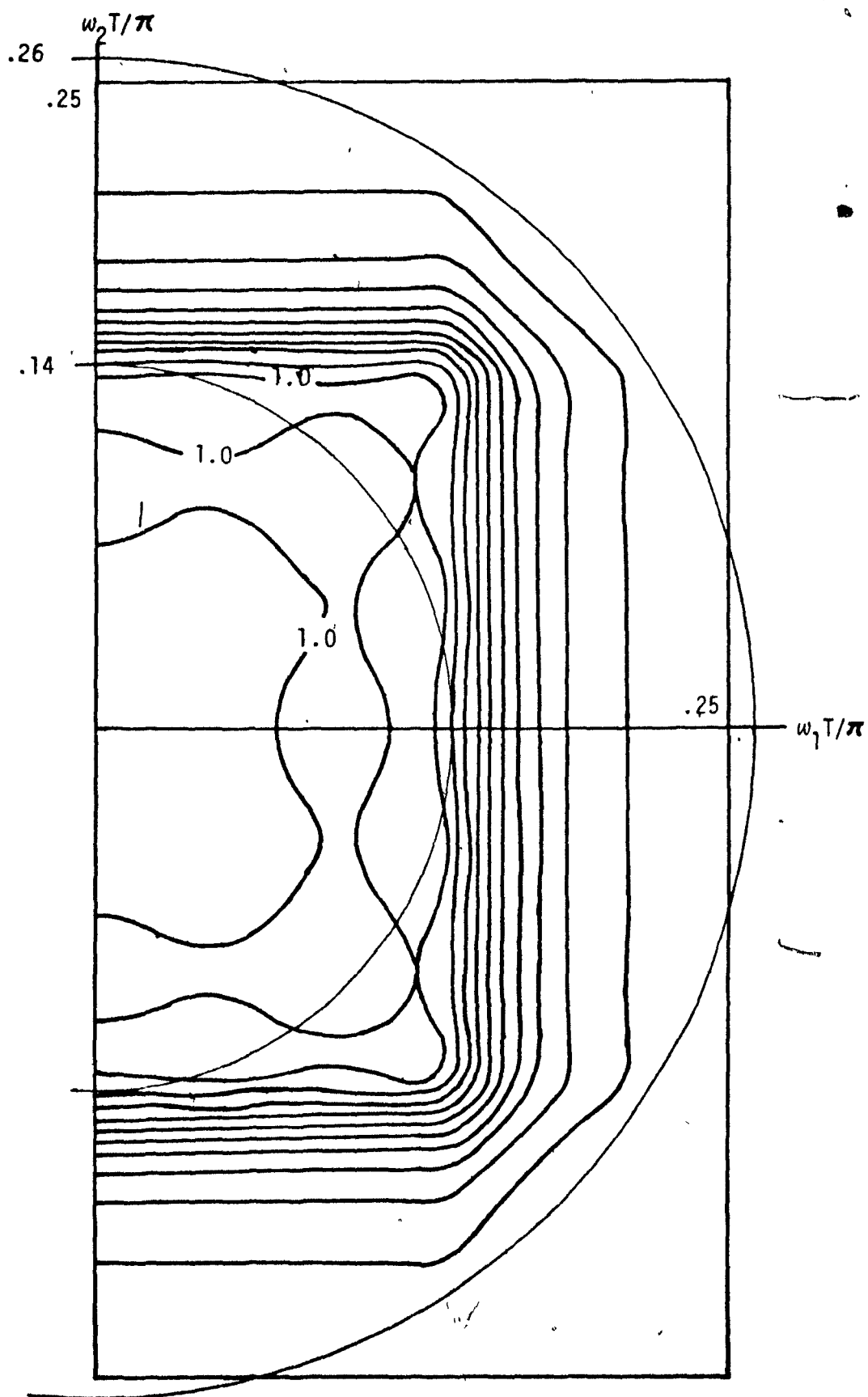


FIGURE 5.11

As mentioned in section 4.2, the numerator coefficients of the transfer function can be chosen freely without regard to stability. Hence, the response of an all pole circuit can be multiplied by the numerator term

$$A(p_1, p_2) = \sum_{m=1}^{M_A} \sum_{n=1}^{N_A} a_{mn} p_1^{m-1} p_2^{n-1}$$

where the  $a_{mn}$  become part of the parameter vector  $x$ . Some of the  $a_{mn}$  can be set to zero if desired, and by making the order of  $A(p_1, p_2)$  less than the order of the denominator, zeroes at the Nyquist frequency can be achieved.

This technique was tested in conjunction with the 2nd and 4th order examples of Figure 5.3 and Figure 5.6. For the 2nd order case, the optimization gave  $a_{11} = 1$ ,  $a_{12} = a_{21} = a_{22} = 0$ , yielding the same solution as before, i.e. with no zeroes. For the 4th order case, the solution obtained was

$$(1p_1p_1^2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3.2 \times 10^{-4} & 3.32 \\ -2.5 \times 10^{-5} & .097 & -3.3 \times 10^{-4} \\ 3.32 & -2 \times 10^{-3} & -6.14 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ p_2 \\ p_2^2 \end{bmatrix}$$


---


$$(1p_1p_1^2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4.45 \\ 21.2 \end{bmatrix} (1 \ 4.45 \ 21.2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ p_2 \\ p_2^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

The denominator is separable but the numerator is not. Neglecting small terms, the basic form of the numerator is  $1 + a(p_1^2 + p_2^2) - bp_1^2 p_2^2$ , which gives the locus of a zero in the stopband. The response of this filter is given in Figure 5.12 and the passband is shown magnified by two in Figure 5.13.

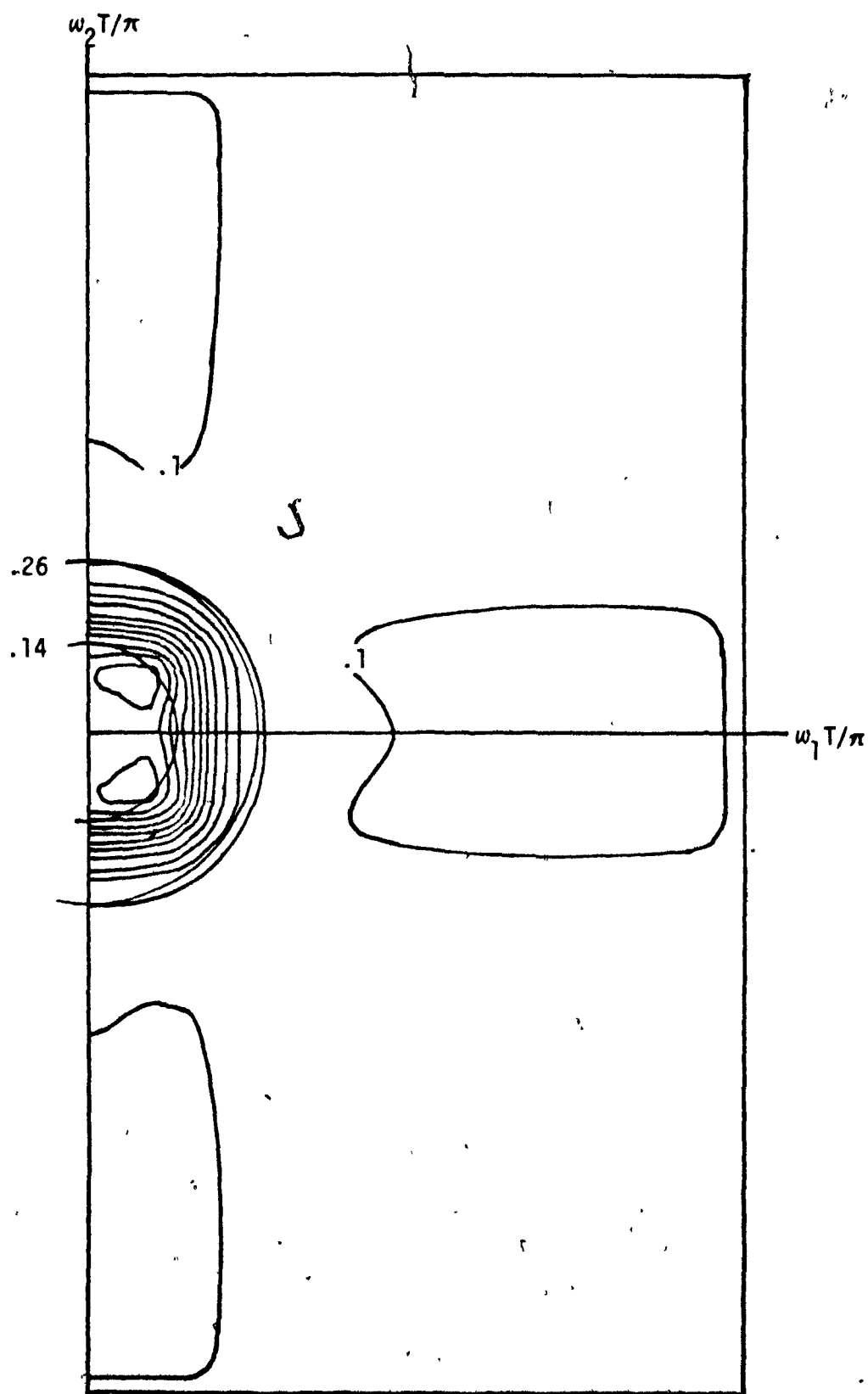


FIGURE 5.12

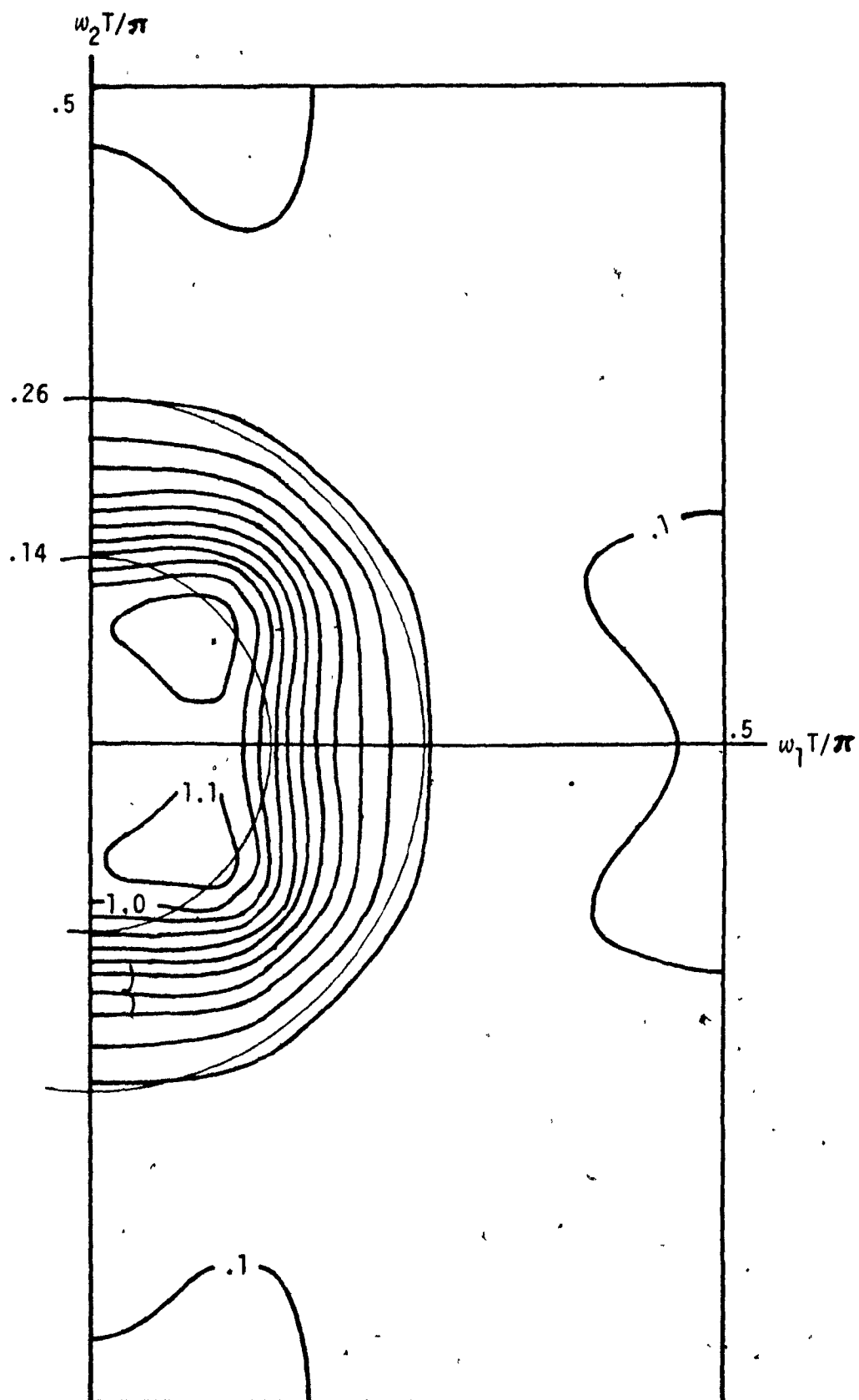


FIGURE 5.13

For the purpose of comparing this method with a design given in the literature, the pass-stop specifications of the example in (29) were used, namely  $\omega_p T = .08$  and  $\omega_s T = .12$ . The solution obtained

$$H(p_1, p_2) = \frac{(1p_1p_1^2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & .069 & 17.9 \\ .013 & .065 & .481 \\ 17.9 & 3.07 & -105.8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ p_2 \\ p_2^2 \end{bmatrix}}{(1 + 7.54p_1 + 79.2p_1^2)(1 + 7.54p_2 + 79.2p_2^2)}$$

The passband response is shown magnified by four in Figure 5.14.

This design has a ripple of .3 whereas the design of Maria and Fahmy has a ripple of .35.

### 5.3 Discussion

From the examples that have been considered, it is evident that the circuit analogy algorithm which has been proposed is a feasible method for the design of two-dimensional recursive digital filters. Using the performance functional developed in Chapter IV, results which are as good as, or better than, the (very few) results which have been published in the literature have been obtained. However, it is also clear that it is not the best possible method for the example considered. Practical considerations make necessary the segregation of  $p_1$  and  $p_2$ , and application of the optimization algorithm to this configuration leads to limiting solutions which can be represented by separable transfer functions. In fact, the same solution is obtained as when the optimization is performed directly on the separable transfer function, in which case convergence is faster and the problem of stability can be



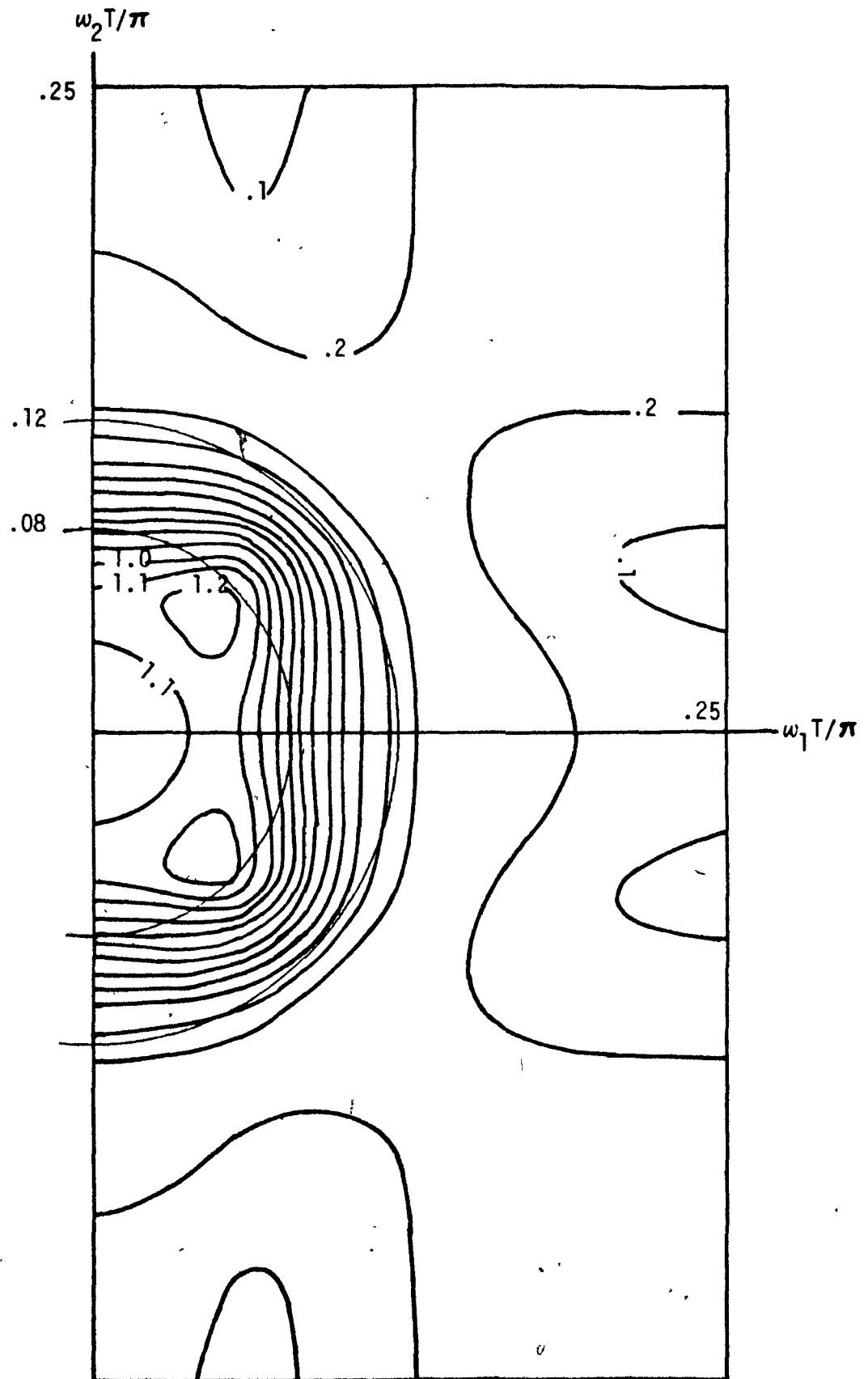


FIGURE 5.14

easily sidestepped. (It must still be accounted for though. A direct application of the optimization to an 8th order separable transfer function led to an unstable solution). Although the circuit analogy method does converge to a solution with no stability test required, the convergence is slow, since the use of gradient methods to minimize a function whose optimal point lies at infinity is not desirable. Of course these comments only apply to the circuit configuration which has been tested. Experience with one-dimensional filters has suggested use of the ladder structure but other configurations may exist giving the desired type of response and exhibiting better convergence in the optimization routine.

The optimization algorithm described in section 4.2 has proven to be a satisfactory method for obtaining minimax type solutions. For example, the response obtained in the 4th order case, shown in Figure 5.7, is seen to possess maximum positive and negative passband deviation and maximum stopband deviation all of the order of .25, making it, in a two-dimensional sense, "equiripple". The algorithm is not dependant on how the transfer function is obtained and can thus be used when the variable parameters are the coefficients of the transfer function itself. Thus, by the inclusion of a stability test, the algorithm could be used to solve the problem in the manner of Maria and Fahmy (29). Furthermore, by an appropriate choice of  $\xi(\omega)$  and of the weighting  $u(\omega)$ , a design can be carried out in which the passband ripple is set to a prescribed value. Although this is the usual manner for the specification of one-dimensional filters, it has not been mentioned in the literature of two-dimensional recursive filtering. The 2nd and 4th order examples discussed previously

show that with a high pass to stop weighting, this type of design can be carried out effectively. A pass to stop weighting ratio of 100 to 1 was found to give acceptable results.

In the previous discussions, the value of  $p$  used has not been mentioned. It was stated in section 3.1 that for large  $p$ , the solution using the  $L_p$  norm approaches the Chebyshev approximation (sometimes). To decide how large a value of  $p$  should be used, a 4th order separable problem was run with increasing values of  $p$ . As  $p$  increases,

$\|r(x, \omega)\|_\infty$  becomes smaller, approaching a limiting value, as shown in Figure 5.15. The curve has more or less leveled off after  $p = 20$ , and this was the value used for all design examples.

Very few results for lowpass designs have been reported in the literature, rendering it difficult to make valid comparative statements about the results obtained here. A comparable result to that obtained by Maria and Fahmy was obtained for the 4th order case with zeroes, with of course no stability tests required. To obtain the quoted result, about 2½ minutes of computer time was required, the denominator once again being derived from a limiting solution. No results for the 8th order case or higher order have been published for comparison. Thus, although the method may by no means yield the optimal solution, it has produced designs comparable, or better, to those designed by other methods.

An alternative method for choosing the numerator coefficients, similar to a technique used by Swanton (41), might prove to be effective. Denominator and numerator coefficients could be chosen separately, iterating back and forth. With a fixed numerator, the best denominator

could be chosen, and with that denominator, the best numerator would be chosen, considering only the stopband points in the performance functional, and so on until convergence is obtained. Furthermore, since the numerator is linear, linear programming could be used for that part of the procedure.

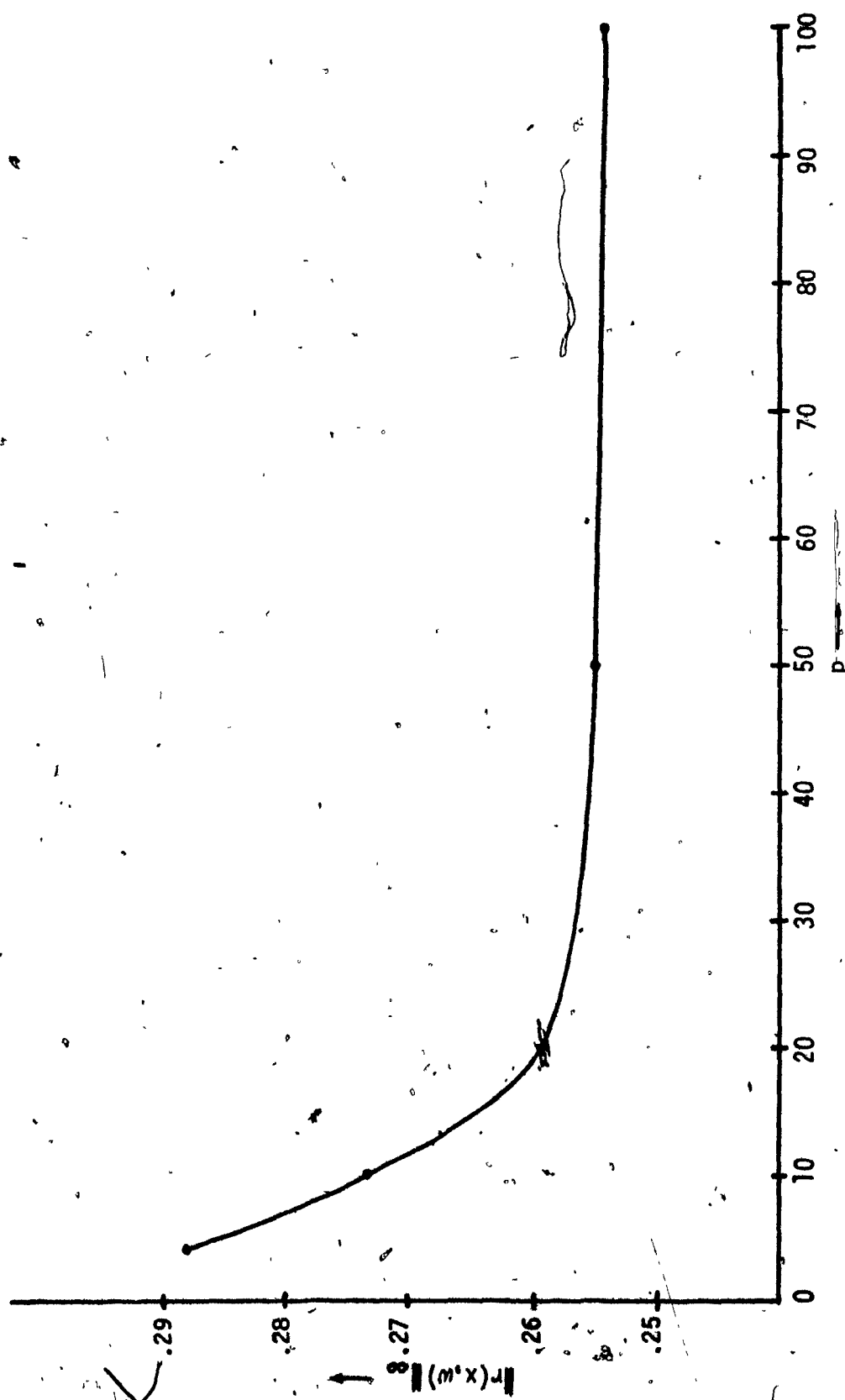


FIGURE 5.15

## CHAPTER VI

### CONCLUSION

A method for the design of stable two-dimensional recursive digital filters not requiring an explicit stability test has been proposed. In the application of this technique to the design of circularly symmetric lowpass filters, interesting results have been obtained which indicate further areas for investigation. In these designs, some circuit element values were found to tend to infinity or zero during the optimization procedure, while maintaining certain relationships among themselves, yielding separable denominators. However, the numerators did not become separable. Thus, an important question which must be answered is whether the optimal filter (of course "optimal" must be suitably defined) is characterized by a transfer function with a separable denominator. If this is the case, the design procedure could be greatly simplified, as standard one-dimensional techniques could now be applied. The conjecture has been verified empirically for the second order case but whether it applies for higher orders is open. At any rate, the circuit analogy method, as applied in Chapter V, is not the best tool for the solution of the circularly symmetric problem since the separable solution is always obtained, and so the simpler methods might just as well be used. It is possible that configurations other than the ladder structure may prove more useful for this problem. For the non-symmetric problem, however, where separable solutions are clearly not optimal, the method may prove useful.

The *raison d'être* of the circuit analogy method is its avoidance of the stability test, which may require considerable computational effort. Maria and Fahmy have tried to avoid this problem by dealing only with cascades of second and fourth order sections, thus limiting the size of the stability tests required. However, arguments for lower rounding and quantization noise with cascade forms notwithstanding, the resulting filter may be far from optimal, as general two-variable polynomials cannot be factored in this way. To ensure that the optimal solution can be obtained via the circuit analogy method, another question which must be answered is whether the optimal denominator is always representable as the transfer function of a two-variable passive circuit. Even if this were shown to be true, much work would have to be done in the area of ~~how~~ to select appropriate networks for the desired filter characteristics. If some positive results could be attained with regard to the above mentioned points, the circuit analogy method could prove to be a useful method for the design of two-dimensional recursive digital filters.

## APPENDIX A

### QUASI-NEWTON METHODS

In recent years, very powerful algorithms have been devised to find the unconstrained local minimum of a function  $f(x)$  of  $n$  variables, where  $f(x) \in C^2$ , with gradient vector  $g(x) = \nabla f(x)$  and Hessian matrix  $G(x) = \left[ \frac{\partial^2 f(x)}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} \right]$ . This section describes a general class of methods known as Quasi-Newton methods (31, Chapter 6), with particular reference to the implementation of Gill, Murray and Pitfield (18).

If  $f$  is quadratic in the neighbourhood of a point  $x$ , the minimum can be found in one step, as shown below.

$$f(x+h) = f(x) + h^T g(x) + \frac{1}{2} h^T G(x) h \quad (A-1)$$

At the minimum  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial h} = 0$ , which gives the equation

$$g(x) + G(x)h = 0,$$

and solving this, the step is given by

$$h = -G(x)^{-1}g(x).$$

This forms the basis for the iterative algorithm known as Newton's method, where successive approximations to the minimum are given by

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - G(x_k)^{-1}g(x_k) \quad (A-2)$$



It can be shown that  $G(x_k)$  must be a positive definite matrix for (A-2) to represent a descent step. Although convergence of Newton's method is in general ultimately quadratic, it often fails to converge from a poor initial estimate. To overcome this problem, a linear search parameter  $\alpha$  can be incorporated to ensure that  $f(x_{k+1}) < f(x_k)$ . In this case, the iteration is given by

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - \alpha_k G(x_k)^{-1} g(x_k) \quad (\text{A-3})$$

where  $\alpha_k$  is chosen to minimize the function of one variable

$$r(\alpha) = f(x_k - \alpha G(x_k)^{-1} g(x_k)).$$

Such linear searches play an important role in most optimization techniques now in use. The approach most often used is to interpolate  $r(\alpha)$  by a second or third order polynomial and take the minimum of this polynomial as an estimate to the minimum of  $r(\alpha)$ . This is done iteratively until the desired accuracy is achieved. A detailed discussion of linear search techniques is given in (31, Chapter 1).

To implement (A-3), both the gradient and Hessian must be explicitly available, and a system of linear equations must be solved. If both  $g(x)$  and  $G(x)$  are unavailable, the search must be based on function values only and direct search techniques such as Rosenbrock's method or the conjugate direction method of Powell are in order. Some of the gradient methods, however, have been implemented using finite differences to approximate the gradient, and have proved quite effective. It will be assumed from here on that the gradient  $g(x)$  is available but that the Hessian  $G(x)$  is not.

The Quasi-Newton methods require only the gradient, and an approximation to the Hessian is constructed, being updated at each iteration. The procedure is basically as follows, where  $B_k$  is the approximate Hessian and  $C_k$  the update to the Hessian at the  $k^{\text{th}}$  iteration.

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{set } x_0, B_0 \\
 \left[ \begin{array}{l}
 \text{solve } B_k p_k = -g(x_k) \\
 x_{k+1} = x_k + \alpha_k p_k \\
 B_{k+1} = B_k + C_k \\
 k = k + 1
 \end{array} \right. \quad (A-4)
 \end{array}$$

$\alpha_k$  is chosen by a line search along the direction  $p_k$ , as discussed previously.  $B_0$  can be initialized to the identity matrix. An equivalent algorithm, in which  $H_k$ , an approximation to the inverse Hessian, is constructed, can also be used. The iteration is then as follows.

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{set } x_0, H_0 \\
 \left[ \begin{array}{l}
 p_k = H_k g(x_k) \\
 x_{k+1} = x_k + \alpha_k p_k \\
 H_{k+1} = H_k + E_k \\
 k = k + 1
 \end{array} \right. \quad (A-5)
 \end{array}$$

The solution of a set of linear equations has now been replaced by a matrix multiplication.

The basic difference between the various Quasi-Newton methods lies in the choice of  $C_k$  and  $E_k$ . In discussing this choice, the following notation will be used.

$$p_k = -B_k^{-1}g(x_k) \quad (A-6)$$

$$s_k = x_{k+1} - x_k \quad (A-7)$$

$$y_k = g(x_{k+1}) - g(x_k) \quad (A-8)$$

If  $f(x)$  is quadratic as in (A-1), then  $g(x_{k+1}) = 0$ . (A-2) can then be written

$$x_{k+1} - x_k = G(x_k)^{-1}(g(x_{k+1}) - g(x_k))$$

or in the above notation

$$s_k = G(x_k)^{-1}y_k \quad (A-9)$$

It is thus desirable that the approximate Hessian  $B_k$  satisfy this equation. However  $B_k$  is needed to compute  $s_k$  and  $y_k$  and so the following relation, known as the Quasi-Newton equation, is used.

$$B_k s_{k-1} = y_{k-1} \quad (A-10a)$$

Equivalently, for the iteration (A-5)

$$s_{k-1} = H_k y_{k-1} \quad (A-10b)$$

For all Quasi-Newton methods,  $C_k$  or  $E_k$  is chosen so that (A-10) is satisfied. The update should be simple, generally a rank 1 or rank 2 matrix, i.e.

$$C_k = \pi_1 w_1 w_1^T + \pi_2 w_2 w_2^T \quad (A-11)$$

where  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  are  $n$ -vectors and  $\pi_1$  and  $\pi_2$  are scalars.  $\pi_2 = 0$  for a rank 1 update. A popular method which falls into this category is the Davidon-Fletcher-Powell (DFP) algorithm, which uses the rank 2 update

$$E_k = \frac{s_k s_k^T}{s_k^T y_k} - \frac{H_k y_k y_k^T H_k}{y_k^T H_k y_k} \quad (A-12)$$

It can easily be verified that (A-10b) is satisfied. The DFP algorithm is usually derived using the theory of conjugate directions, and it can be shown that if  $f(x)$  is quadratic, the minimum will be obtained in at most  $n$  iterations.

Another popular update is the complementary DFP (COMDFP) algorithm,

$$C_k = \frac{y_k y_k^T}{s_k^T y_k} + \frac{g_k g_k^T}{p_k^T g_k} \quad (A-13)$$

which can be shown to satisfy (A-10a). Gill and Murray (19) give a detailed discussion of this algorithm and its advantages. It has been implemented by Gill, Murray and Pitfield (18) in Algol procedure QNMDER (Quasi-Newton Method with DERivatives). The program is quite sophisticated, including checks on rounding error.

In the iteration (A-4), it is required to solve the set of linear equations

$$B_k p_k = -g(x_k)$$

This can be accomplished much more efficiently if  $B_k$  is available in the form

$$B_k = L_k D_k L_k^T \quad (A-14)$$

where  $L_k$  is unit lower diagonal and  $D_k$  is diagonal. Rather than updating  $B_k$  directly, the factors  $L_k$  and  $D_k$  can be updated, saving considerable computation time. The method used in QNMDER is numerically stable and guarantees that the new approximate Hessian is positive definite irrespective of rounding error.

As shown in (18), the performance of QNMDER on most standard test functions is equal or better than that of the other commonly used techniques, such as DFP. Since the performance of an algorithm is always problem dependent, both Fletcher-Powell (SSP subroutine) and QNMDER were used to perform a typical minimization of the performance functional  $J'(x)$  described in section 4.2. The behaviour of  $\|r(x,w)\|_\infty$  versus the number of function evaluations is shown for both methods in Figure A.1, suggesting the superiority of QNMDER for this application.

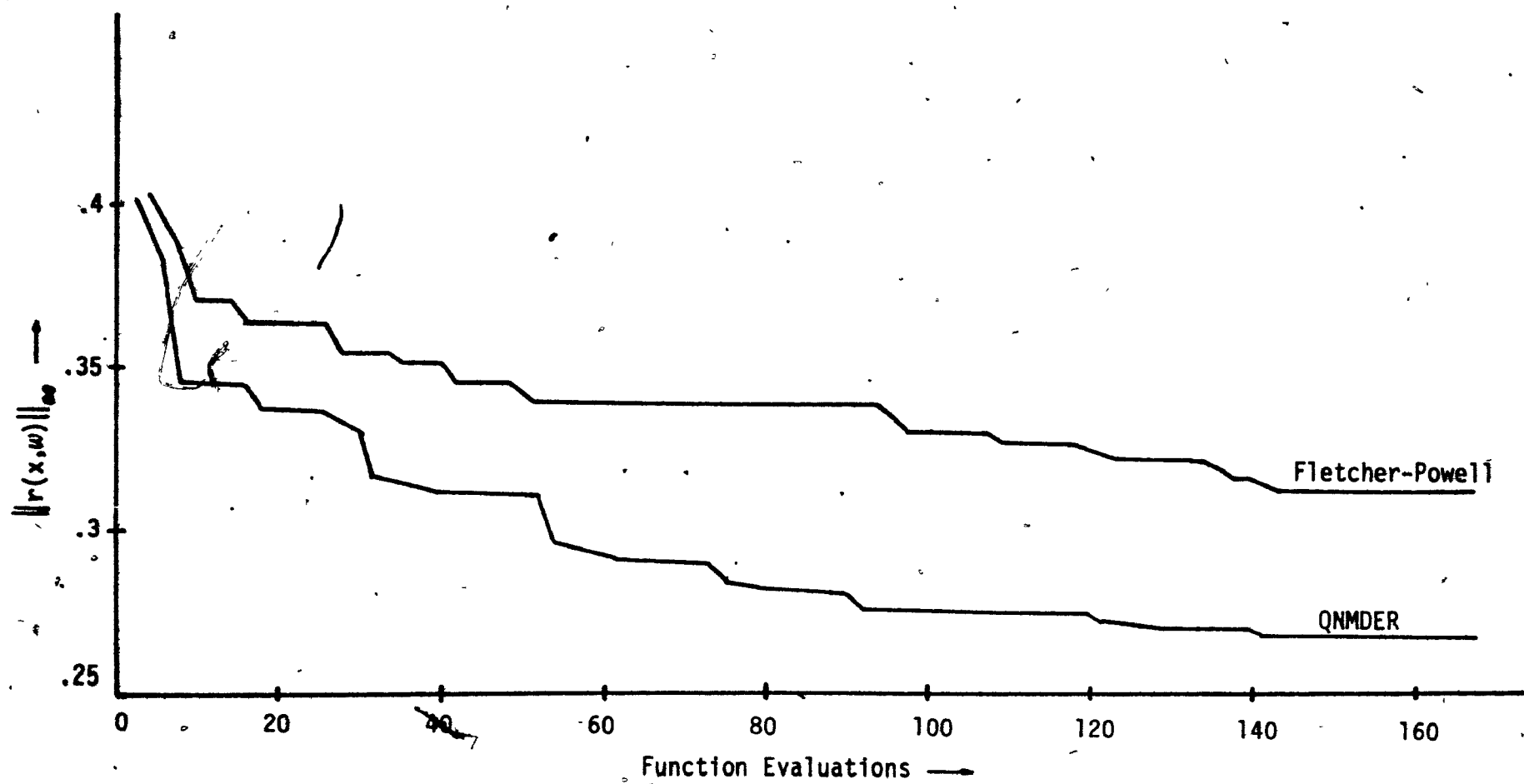


FIGURE A-1

APPENDIX B

A listing of the Algol program used to obtain the experimental results discussed in Chapter V is presented in this appendix. Included is procedure QNMDER described in Appendix A. The exact implementation of Gill, Murray and Pitfield has been used. The general setup routine and procedure FGBAN for calculation of the performance functional and its gradient are also included.

```

1  BEGIN
2  LOGICAL PRINT;
3  INTEGER N,NTHMAX,N1;
4  INTEGER NR,NR1,NR2,IP,NCOUNT,LIMIT;
5  READ(N,N1);
6  READ(IP,NR1,NR2,NTHMAX);
7  NR:=NR1+NR2;
8  INTFIELDSIZE:=3;
9  PRINT:=FALSE;
10
11 BEGIN
12 LONG REAL ARRAY W1,W2,U(1:NR,1:NTHMAX);
13 LONG REAL ARRAY XMIN(1:N);
14 LONG REAL ARRAY MHAT(1:NR);
15 LONG REAL ARRAY R(1:NR);
16 LONG REAL ARRAY D,X,G(1:N);
17 LONG REAL ARRAY L((N*(N-1)) DIV 2 +1);
18 INTEGER ARRAY INO(1:N);
19 INTEGER ARRAY NTH(1:NR);
20 LONG REAL XI,MMOLD;
21 LONG REAL DFV;
22 LONG REAL TH,F,ETA,TCL;
23 INTEGER ITNUM,GTOTAL,FTOTAL;
24 LOGICAL LCADL,CCNV;
25 INTEGER NE;
26 REAL ARRAY X1(1:20);
27 REAL FP,XNCRM;
28
29 LONG REAL PROCEDURE DTAN(LONG REAL VALUE X);
30 LONGSIN(X)/LONGCCOS(X);
31
32
33 PROCEDURE QNMDE( INTEGER VALUE N;
34 INTEGER RESULT FTOTAL,GTOTAL,ITNUM;
35 LOGICAL VALUE LCADL;
36 LOGICAL RESULT CCNV;
37 LONG REAL VALUE ETA,PACHEPS,TOL,MAXSTP;
38 LONG REAL VALUE RESULT F;
39 LONG REAL ARRAY X,L,C(*);
40 PROCEDURE FUN,GRAD,FGBAN);
41 BEGIN
42
43 COMMENT: PROCEDURE QNMDE ACHIEVES FUNCTION MINIMIZATION
44 USING A REVISED QUASI-NEWTON METHOD WITH DERIVATIVES.
45 THE PROCEDURE ATTEMPTS TO FIND THE POINT X AT WHICH
46 THE TWICE CONTINUOUSLY DIFFERENTIABLE FUNCTION F(X)
47 ATTAINS ITS LEAST VALUE. IDEALLY, THE VARIABLES SHOULD
48 BE SCALED SO THAT THE HESSIAN MATRIX AT THE SOLUTION IS
49 APPROXIMATELY ROW EQUILIBRATED, WITH THE FUNCTION MULTI-
50 PLIED BY A SCALAR SUCH THAT IT ACHIEVES A MAXIMUM VALUE
51 OF UNITY WITHIN A UNIT SPHERE SURROUNDING THE MINIMUM.
52 IT MAY NOT BE POSSIBLE TO FULFILL EITHER OF THESE RE-
53 QUIREMENTS. GIVEN AN INITIAL APPROXIMATION TO THE
54 MINIMUM AND AN ESTIMATE OF THE MINIMUM VALUE, THE PRO-
55 CEDURE CALCULATES A LOWER FUNCTION VALUE AT EACH ITER-
56 ATION. WHEN THE CONVERGENCE CRITERIA ARE SATISFIED THE
57 PROCEDURE GIVES THE ESTIMATED POSITION OF THE MINIMUM,
58 THE FINAL FUNCTION VALUE, AND THE CHOLESKY FACTORIZATION

```

QNMDE001  
QNMDE002  
QNMDE003  
QNMDE004  
QNMDE005  
QNMDE006  
QNMDE007  
  
QNMDE009  
QNMDE010  
QNMDE011  
QNMDE012  
QNMDE013  
QNMDE014  
QNMDE015  
QNMDE016  
QNMDE017  
QNMDE018  
QNMDE019  
QNMDE020  
QNMDE021  
QNMDE022  
QNMDE023  
QNMDE024  
QNMDE025  
QNMDE026



```

59      OF THE APPROXIMATE HESSIAN MATRIX: QNMDE027
60
61      INTEGER J, FCOUNT, GCOUNT, FNUM, GAUM, COUNT: QNMDE028
62      LOGICAL SUCCESSFULSEARCH: QNMDE029
63      LONG REAL KROUND, GTP1: QNMDE030
64      LONG REAL ROOTMACHEPS, NORMP, GTP, FM, OLDF, NEWF, V, TOLSO, ALPHA: QNMDE031
65      LONG REAL ARRAY GK, GKPLUSONE, Y, P(1:N): QNMDE032
66
67      COMMENT: ----- QNMDE033
68
69      PROCEDURE DELINSEARCH( INTEGER VALUE N: QNMDE034
70                          INTEGER RESULT FNUM, GNUM: QNMDE035
71                          LOGICAL RESULT SUCCESSFULSEARCH: QNMDE036
72                          LONG REAL VALUE ETA, MACHEPS, MAXSTEP: QNMDE037
73                          LONG REAL VALUE RESULT F, ALPHA: QNMDE038
74                          LONG REAL ARRAY P, X, G(1): QNMDE039
75                          PROCEDURE FUN, GRAD, FGRAN): QNMDE040
76
77      BEGIN QNMDE041
78
79      COMMENT: PROCEDURE DELINSEARCH FINDS AN APPROXIMATION ALPHA TO THE QNMDE042
80      POINT AT WHICH THE FUNCTION F(X + ALPHA*P) ATTAINS ITS QNMDE043
81      MINIMUM VALUE ALONG THE VECTOR P. THE METHOD USED IS THAT QNMDE044
82      OF SUCCESSIVE CURIC INTERPOLATION WITH SAFEGUARDS, DE- QNMDE045
83      SCRIBED IN SECTION 2.4. THE PROCEDURE IS USED IN CONJUNC- QNMDE046
84      TION WITH PROCEDURE QNMDE, AND USES REAL PROCEDURE DOT: QNMDE047
85
86      INTEGER KASE: QNMDE048
87      LONG REAL MAXALPHA, S, T, X1, X2, XK, XMIN, F1, F2, FK, FMIN, QNMDE049
88      NEWALPHA, G1, G2, GK, LBQUAD, UBOUND, OLDF, GTEST1, GTEST2: QNMDE050
89      LOGICAL GCALC: QNMDE051
90      LONG REAL ARRAY Y, Z(1:N): QNMDE052
91
92      G1:= DOT( N, G, P ): QNMDE053
93      NEWALPHA:= IF ALPHA> MAXSTEP THEN MAXSTEP QNMDE054
94      ELSE ALPHA: QNMDE055
95
96      COMMENT: ENSURE THAT THE INITIAL PROJECTED GRADIENT IS NEGATIVE QNMDE056
97      AND THE INITIAL STEP IS NON-ZERO. QNMDE057
98
99      IF (G1 >= 0) OR (NEWALPHA <= 0) THEN: QNMDE058
100      BEGIN QNMDE059
101      FNUM:= GNUM:= 0: QNMDE060
102      FMIN:= OLDF: QNMDE061
103      GOTO TERMINATESEARCH: QNMDE062
104      END: QNMDE063
105
106      COMMENT: FIND FIRST NEW POINT: QNMDE064
107
108      F1:= OLDF:= F: QNMDE065
109      MAXALPHA:= MAXSTEP - NEWALPHA: QNMDE066
110      X1:= -NEWALPHA: QNMDE067
111      GTEST1:= -1-4*G1: QNMDE068
112      GTEST2:= -ETA*G1: QNMDE069
113      LBOUND:= XK:= X2:= 0: QNMDE070
114
115      COMMENT: CALCULATE FUNCTION AT X + ALPHA*P: QNMDE071
116
117      FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO Z(I):= X(I) + NEWALPHA*P(I): QNMDE072

```

```

117   FGRANIN,Y,Z,FK,TRUE);
118   IF(INCOUNT>LIMIT) THEN GO TO PREMATUREEJECTION;
119   GCALC:=TRUE;
120   F2:= FK;
121   FNUM:= 1;
122   GNUM:= 0;
123
124   ITERATE;
125
126   COMMENT: SET UP INTERVAL ROUNDS, DETERMINE THE ARRANGEMENT OF POINTS,
127   CALCULATE THE LOWEST POINT FMIN, AND THE STEP TO THE LOWEST
128   POINT XMIN.
129   THE 6 POSSIBLE CASES ARE AS FOLLOWS:
130       KASE = 1:  G1 < 0,  G2 < 0,  F1 > F2
131       KASE = 2:  G1 > 0,  G2 > 0,  F1 < F2
132       KASE = 3:  G1 < 0,  G2 > 0,  F1 > F2
133       KASE = 4:  G1 < 0,  G2 > 0,  F1 < F2
134       KASE = 5:  G1 > 0,  G2 > 0,  F1 > F2
135       KASE = 6:  G1 < 0,  G2 < 0,  F1 < F2
136
137   CALCULATE THE GRADIENT VECTOR:
138
139   IF(-GCALC) THEN GRADIN,Z,Y);
140   GCALC:=FALSE;
141   GNUM:= GNUM + 1;
142   GK:=.DOT( N, Y, P );
143   IF XK = X1 THEN G1:= GK;
144   ELSE G2:= GK;
145
146   COMMENT: OVERWRITE ARRAY G(I), I=1(I)N, WITH THE GRADIENT AT XK:
147
148   IF (FK <= F1) AND (FK <= F2) THEN
149     FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO G(I):= Y(I);
150   IF (G1 < 0) AND (G2 > 0) THEN
151     BEGIN
152       KASE:= IF F1 > F2 THEN 3 ELSE 4;
153       LBOUND:= X1;
154       UBOUND:= X2;
155     END
156   ELSE IF G1 > 0 THEN
157     BEGIN
158       IF F1 < F2 THEN
159         BEGIN
160           KASE:= 2;
161           UBOUND:= X1;
162         END
163       ELSE
164         KASE:= 5;
165     END
166   ELSE
167     BEGIN
168       IF F1 > F2 THEN
169         BEGIN
170           KASE:= 1;
171           LBOUND:= X2;
172           IF X2 > UBOUND THEN UBOUND:= X2;
173         END
174       ELSE

```

QNMDE085  
 QNMDE086  
 QNMDE087  
 QNMDE088  
 QNMDE089  
 QNMDE090  
 QNMDE091  
 QNMDE092  
 QNMDE093  
 QNMDE094  
 QNMDE095  
 QNMDE096  
 QNMDE097  
 QNMDE098  
 QNMDE099  
 QNMDE100  
 QNMDE101  
 QNMDE102  
 QNMDE103

QNMDE105  
 QNMDE106  
 QNMDE107  
 QNMDE108  
 QNMDE109  
 QNMDE110  
 QNMDE111  
 QNMDE112  
 QNMDE113  
 QNMDE114  
 QNMDE115  
 QNMDE116  
 QNMDE117  
 QNMDE118  
 QNMDE119  
 QNMDE120  
 QNMDE121  
 QNMDE122  
 QNMDE123  
 QNMDE124  
 QNMDE125  
 QNMDE126  
 QNMDE127  
 QNMDE128  
 QNMDE129  
 QNMDE130  
 QNMDE131  
 QNMDE132  
 QNMDE133  
 QNMDE134  
 QNMDE135  
 QNMDE136  
 QNMDE137  
 QNMDE138

```

175      BEGIN
176      KASE:= 6;
177      LPCUND:= X1;
178      UBOUND:= X2;
179      END;
180      FND;
181
182      COMMENT: SCALE X1, X2, LBOUND, AND UBOUND, WITH RESPECT TO XK;
183
184      X1:= X1 - XK;
185      X2:= X2 - XK;
186      LBOUND:= LBOUND - XK;
187      UBOUND:= UBOUND - XK;
188      MAXALPHA:= MAXALPHA - XK;
189
190      IF F1 > F2 THEN
191      BEGIN
192      XMIN:= X2;
193      FMIN:= F2;
194      T:= G2;
195      FND
196      ELSE
197      BEGIN
198      XMIN:= X1;
199      FMIN:= F1;
200      T:= G1;
201      FND;
202
203      COMMENT: TERMINATION CRITERIA:
204
205      IF ( (KASE>1) OR (UBOUND=X2) ) AND ( UBOUND-LBOUND<=MACHEPS )
206      OR ( (MAXALPHA=X2) AND (G2<=0) )
207      OR ( (KASE>4) OR (ABS T < GTEST) )
208      AND ( (CDF-FMIN > GTEST*(NEWALPHA + XMIN) )
209      THEN GOTO TERMINATESEARCH;
210
211      COMMENT: CALCULATE TRIAL XK;
212
213      IF KASE > 4 THEN
214      BEGIN
215      COMMENT: NON-UNIMODAL FUNCTION:
216      XK:= (X1 + X2)/2L;
217      GOTO EVALUATEFK;
218      FND;
219
220      T:= 3L * (F2 - F1)/(X2 - X1) - G1 - G2;
221      XK:= 1L - G2*G1/T/T;
222      S:= LONGSORT( ABS XK ) * ABS T;
223      XK:= IF XK > 0L THEN X1 + (X2 - X1)*(S - G1 - T)/
224      (G2 - G1 + 2L*S)
225      ELSE IF KASE = 1 THEN X2 + 4L*(X2 - X1)
226      ELSE IF KASE = 2 THEN LBOUND
227      ELSE (X1 + X2)/2L;
228
229      COMMENT: CHECK THAT ROUNDING ERROR HAS NOT CAUSED XK TO
230      LIE OUTSIDE PRESCRIBED BOUNDS;
231
232      IF (XK < LBOUND) AND (KASE = 2) THEN

```

```

QNMDE139
QNMDE140
QNMDE141
QNMDE142
QNMDE143
QNMDE144
QNMDE145
QNMDE146
QNMDE147
QNMDE148
QNMDE149
QNMDE150
QNMDE151
QNMDE152
QNMDE153
QNMDE154
QNMDE155
QNMDE156
QNMDE157
QNMDE158
QNMDE159
QNMDE160
QNMDE161
QNMDE162
QNMDE163
QNMDE164
QNMDE165
QNMDE166
QNMDE167
QNMDE168
QNMDE169
QNMDE170
QNMDE171
QNMDE172
QNMDE173
QNMDE174
QNMDE175
QNMDE176
QNMDE177
QNMDE178
QNMDE179
QNMDE180
QNMDE181
QNMDE182
QNMDE183
QNMDE184
QNMDE185
QNMDE186
QNMDE187
QNMDE188
QNMDE189
QNMDE190
QNMDE191
QNMDE192
QNMDE193
QNMDE194
QNMDE195
QNMDE196

```

```

233      XK:= (IF KASE = 1 THEN X2 + 4L*(X2 - X1)
234      ELSE (X1 + X2)/2L)
235      ELSE IF (XK > UBOUND) AND (KASE = 1) THEN
236      XK:= (IF KASE = 2 THEN LBOUND
237      ELSE (X1 + X2)/2L);
238
239      CALCULATEACCEPTABLEXK:
240
241      T:= X2 - X1;
242      IF (XK = X1) OR (XK = X2) THEN
243      BEGIN
244      IF (CLDF - FMIN) > GTEST1*(NEWALPHA + XMIN) THEN
245      GOTO TERMINATESFARCH;
246      XK:= (X1 + X2)/2L;
247      END
248      ELSE IF XK < X1 THEN
249      BEGIN
250      COMMENT: EXTRAPOLATION IN DIRECTION X2-X1;
251      S:= X1 - LBOUND;
252      T:= IF T < S THEN X1 - 0.5L*LONGSORT(T*S)
253      ELSE X1 - (5L*(0.1L + S/T)*S)/11L;
254      IF XK < T THEN XK:= T;
255      END
256      ELSE IF XK > X2 THEN
257      BEGIN
258      COMMENT: EXTRAPOLATION IN DIRECTION X1-X2;
259      S:= IF UBOUND = X2 THEN 64L*T
260      ELSE UBOUND - X2;
261      T:= IF T < S THEN X2 + 0.5L*LONGSORT(T*S)
262      ELSE X2 + (5L*(0.1L + S/T)*S)/11L;
263      IF XK > T THEN XK:= T;
264      END;
265
266      EVALUATEFK:
267
268      IF XK > MAXALPHA THEN XK:= MAXALPHA;
269      T:= NEWALPHA + XK;
270      FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO Z(I):= X(I) + T*P(I);
271      FNUM:= F, FK 1;
272      FNUM:= FNUM + 1;
273
274      COMMENT: ORDER X1, AND X2;
275
276      IF XK < X1 THEN
277      BEGIN
278      IF FK <= F2 THEN
279      BEGIN
280      X2:= X1;
281      F2:= F1;
282      G2:= G1;
283      X1:= XK;
284      F1:= FK;
285      END
286      ELSE
287      BEGIN
288      LBOUND:= XK;
289      GOTO CALCULATEACCEPTABLEXK;
290      END

```

QNMDF197  
 QNMDE198  
 QNMDE199  
 QNMDE200  
 QNMDE201  
 QNMDE202  
 QNMDE203  
 QNMDE204  
 QNMDE205  
 QNMDE206  
 QNMDE207  
 QNMDE208  
 QNMDE209  
 QNMDE210  
 QNMDE211  
 QNMDE212  
 QNMDE213  
 QNMDE214  
 QNMDE215  
 QNMDE216  
 QNMDE217  
 QNMDE218  
 QNMDE219  
 QNMDE220  
 QNMDE221  
 QNMDE222  
 QNMDE223  
 QNMDE224  
 QNMDE225  
 QNMDE226  
 QNMDE227  
 QNMDE228  
 QNMDE229  
 QNMDE230  
 QNMDE231  
 QNMDE232  
 QNMDE233  
 QNMDE234  
 QNMDE235  
 QNMDE236  
 QNMDE237  
 QNMDE238  
 QNMDE239  
 QNMDE240  
 QNMDE241  
 QNMDE242  
 QNMDE243  
 QNMDE244  
 QNMDE245  
 QNMDE246  
 QNMDE247  
 QNMDE248  
 QNMDE249  
 QNMDE250  
 QNMDE251  
 QNMDE252  
 QNMDE253  
 QNMDE254

```

291      END,
292      ELSE IF XK > X2 THEN
293          BEGIN
294              IF FK <= F1 THEN
295                  BEGIN
296                      X1:= X2;
297                      F1:= F2;
298                      G1:= G2;
299                      X2:= XK;
300                      F2:= FK;
301                  END
302              ELSE
303                  BEGIN
304                      UNCOND:= XK;
305                      GOTO CALCULATEACCEPTABLEFK;
306                  END
307          END
308      ELSE IF F2 > F1 THEN
309          BEGIN
310              X2:= XK;
311              F2:= FK;
312          END
313      ELSE
314          BEGIN
315              X1:= XK;
316              F1:= FK;
317          END;
318
319      NEWALPHA:= T;
320      GOTO ITERATE;
321
322  TERMINATESFARCH:
323
324      IF FMIN >= OLDF THEN SUCCESSFULSFARCH:= FALSE
325      ELSE
326          BEGIN
327              COMMENT: LOWER POINT FOUND;
328              NEWALPHA:= ALPHA:= IF MAXALPHA = XMIN THEN MAXSTEP
329                               ELSE NEWALPHA + XMIN;
330              FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO X(I):= X(I) + NEWALPHA*P(I);
331              F1:= FMIN;
332              SUCCESSFULSFARCH:= TRUE;
333          END;
334      END DELINSEARCH;
335
336  COMMENT: -----
337
338  LONG REAL PROCEDURE DOT( INTEGER VALUE  N;
339                          LONG REAL ARRAY A, B(*) );
340  BEGIN
341
342  COMMENT: PROCEDURE DOT CALCULATES THE INNER PRODUCT OF THE
343          1+N VECTORS A, B. THE BODY OF THIS PROCEDURE SHOULD
344          BE WRITTEN IN MACHINE CODE;
345
346      LONG REAL SUM;
347
348      SUM:= 0.;

```

```

QNMDE255
QNMDE256
QNMDE257
QNMDE258
QNMDE259
QNMDE260
QNMDE261
QNMDE262
QNMDE263
QNMDE264
QNMDE265
QNMDE266
QNMDE267
QNMDE268
QNMDE269
QNMDE270
QNMDE271
QNMDE272
QNMDE273
QNMDE274
QNMDE275
QNMDE276
QNMDE277
QNMDE278
QNMDE279
QNMDE280
QNMDE281
QNMDE282
QNMDE283
QNMDE284
QNMDE285
QNMDE286
QNMDE287
QNMDE288
QNMDE289
QNMDE290
QNMDE291
QNMDE292
QNMDE293
QNMDE294
QNMDE295
QNMDE296
QNMDE297
QNMDE298
QNMDE299
QNMDE300
QNMDE301
QNMDE302
QNMDE303
QNMDE304
QNMDE305
QNMDE306
QNMDE307
QNMDE308
QNMDE309
QNMDE310
QNMDE311
QNMDE312

```

```

349      FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO  SUM:= SUM + A(I)*B(I);
350      SUM
351  END DOT;
352
353  COMMENT: *****
354
355  PROCEDURE INITIALIZEALPHA;
356  BEGIN
357
358  COMMENT: CALCULATES INITIAL STEP FOR THE LINEAR SEARCH PROCEDURE;
359
360      ALPHA:= 2L*ABS ((NEWF - FM)/GTP);
361      IF (ALPHA > 1L) OR (NEWF - FM < MACHEPS) THEN ALPHA:= 1L;
362
363  END INITIALIZEALPHA;
364
365  COMMENT: *****
366
367  PROCEDURE LDLSOL( INTEGER VALUE  A;
368                  LONG REAL ARRAY L, D, R, X(*) );
369  BEGIN
370
371  COMMENT: PROCEDURE LDLSOL SOLVES LDLY = R, WHERE D IS DIAGONAL, AND
372          U IS THE TRANSPOSE OF THE UNIT LOWER TRIANGULAR MATRIX L.
373          L IS STORED BY ROWS WITH ITS DIAGONAL ELEMENTS OMITTED
374          IN THE 1*(N-1)/2 ARRAY L(I), I=1(1)*(N-1)/2. THE MATRIX D
375          OCCUPIES THE N ELEMENTS OF THE ARRAY D(I), I= 1(1)N. THE
376          SOLUTION AND RIGHT-HAND-SIDE VECTORS ARE STORED IN X(I) AND
377          B(I) RESPECTIVELY; WHERE I=1(1)N. THE BODY OF THIS PROCED-
378          URE SHOULD BE WRITTEN IN MACHINE CODE;
379
380  INTEGER  R, S, T;
381  LONG REAL SUM;
382
383  R:= 1;
384  FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO
385      BEGIN
386          SUM:= B(I);
387          T:= I - 1;
388          FOR K:= 1 UNTIL T DO
389              BEGIN
390                  SUM:= SUM - X(K)*L(I);
391                  R:= R + 1;
392              END KLOOP;
393          X(I):= SUM;
394      END ILOOP;
395
396  FOR I:= N STEP -1 UNTIL 1 DO
397      BEGIN
398          S:= R;
399          R:= R - 1;
400          T:= I + 1;
401          SUM:= X(I)/D(I);
402          FOR K:= N STEP -1 UNTIL T DO
403              BEGIN
404                  SUM:= SUM - X(K)*L(S);
405                  S:= S + 2 - K;
406              END KLOOP;

```

QNMDE313  
 QNMDE314  
 QNMDE315  
 QNMDE316  
 QNMDE317  
 QNMDE318  
 QNMDE319  
 QNMDE320  
 QNMDE321  
 QNMDE322  
 QNMDE323  
 QNMDE324  
 QNMDE325  
 QNMDE326  
 QNMDE327  
 QNMDE328  
 QNMDE329  
 QNMDE330  
 QNMDE331  
 QNMDE332  
 QNMDE333  
 QNMDE334  
 QNMDE335  
 QNMDE336  
 QNMDE337  
 QNMDE338  
 QNMDE339  
 QNMDE340  
 QNMDE341  
 QNMDE342  
 QNMDE343  
 QNMDE344  
 QNMDE345  
 QNMDE346  
 QNMDE347  
 QNMDE348  
 QNMDE349  
 QNMDE350  
 QNMDE351  
 QNMDE352  
 QNMDE353  
 QNMDE354  
 QNMDE355  
 QNMDE356  
 QNMDE357  
 QNMDE358  
 QNMDE359  
 QNMDE360  
 QNMDE361  
 QNMDE362  
 QNMDE363  
 QNMDE364  
 QNMDE365  
 QNMDE366  
 QNMDE367  
 QNMDE368  
 QNMDE369  
 QNMDE370

```

407       X(11)= SUM;
408       END IDOOP;
409       END DOLTSCL;
410
411 COMMENT: =====
412
413 PROCEDURE MODIFYCHOLESKYFACTORS( INTEGER VALUE N;
414                                LONG REAL VALUE S;
415                                LONG REAL ARRAY Z, L, D(*) );
416
417 BEGIN
418 COMMENT: THIS PROCEDURE FORMS THE CHOLESKY FACTORIZATION OF THE
419 MATRIX LDU + SZW, WHERE U IS THE TRANSPOSE OF L,
420 W IS THE TRANSPOSE OF Z,
421 S IS A SCALAR, AND
422 D IS A DIAGONAL MATRIX.
423 THE MATRIX L IS STORED ROW BY ROW IN THE 1*(N-1)/2
424 ARRAY L(1), I=1(1)(N-1)/2, WITH THE UNIT DIAGONAL OMITTED.
425 THE MATRIX D AND VECTOR Z ARE STORED IN THE 1*N ARRAYS D(1)
426 AND Z(1), I=1(1)N, RESPECTIVELY. BOTH L AND D ARE OVER-
427 WRITTEN WITH THE CORRESPONDING FACTORS OF THE MODIFIED
428 MATRICES. THE VALUES OF S AND Z ARE NOT RETAINED. THE
429 PROCEDURE ENSURES THAT THE NEW MATRIX IS POSITIVE DEFINITE.
430 THIS PROCEDURE BODY SHOULD BE WRITTEN IN MACHINE CODE;
431
432 INTEGER J, IA, IC;
433 LONG REAL XA, XH, XC, XD, XE, XF, XG, DI, PI, PTP, BETA, SIGMA;
434 LONG REAL ARRAY W(1:N);
435
436 PTP:= 0L;
437 IA := 1;
438 FOR IB:= 1 UNTIL N DO
439 BEGIN
440   IC:= IB - 1;
441   XC:= Z(1B);
442   FOR ID:= 1 UNTIL IC DO
443   BEGIN
444     XC:= (XC - W(ID)*L(1A));
445     IA:= IA + 1;
446   END IDLOOP;
447   W(1B):= XC;
448   PTP:= PTP + XC*XC/D(1B);
449 END IBLOOP;
450
451 COMMENT: IF S*PTP + 1 < 0, THE MODIFIED MATRIX IS INDEFINITE. SIGMA
452 IS REPLACED BY A QUANTITY WHICH ENSURES THAT THE MODIFIED
453 MATRIX IS POSITIVE DEFINITE REGARDLESS OF SUBSEQUENT
454 ROUNDING ERROR.
455 SIGMA:= S*PTP;
456 IF SIGMA < -1L THEN SIGMA:= -SIGMA;
457 SIGMA:= -S/( 1L + LONGSQRT( 1L + SIGMA ) );
458 IA:= 0;
459 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO
460 BEGIN
461   IA:= IA + 1;
462   PI:= W(1I);
463   D(1I):= D(1I) + PI*PI;
464   XF:= PI/D(1I);

```

QNMDE371  
 QNMDE372  
 QNMDE373  
 QNMDE374  
 QNMDE375  
 QNMDE376  
 QNMDE377  
 QNMDE378  
 QNMDE379  
 QNMDE380  
 QNMDE381  
 QNMDE382  
 QNMDE383  
 QNMDE384  
 QNMDE385  
 QNMDE386  
 QNMDE387  
 QNMDE388  
 QNMDE389  
 QNMDE390  
 QNMDE391  
 QNMDE392  
 QNMDE393  
 QNMDE394  
 QNMDE395  
 QNMDE396  
 QNMDE397  
 QNMDE398  
 QNMDE399  
 QNMDE400  
 QNMDE401  
 QNMDE402  
 QNMDE403  
 QNMDE404  
 QNMDE405  
 QNMDE406  
 QNMDE407  
 QNMDE408  
 QNMDE409  
 QNMDE410  
 QNMDE411  
 QNMDE412  
 QNMDE413  
 QNMDE414  
 QNMDE415  
 QNMDE416  
 QNMDE417  
 QNMDE418  
 QNMDE419  
 QNMDE420  
 QNMDE421  
 QNMDE422  
 QNMDE423  
 QNMDE424  
 QNMDE425  
 QNMDE426  
 QNMDE427  
 QNMDE428

```

465      XC:= XF*PI;          XB:= SIGMA*PTP;
466      XA:= SIGMA*XC;       XG:= XA - IL;
467      PTP:= PTP - XC;      XE:= XA*(XB - XA);
468
469      IF XE > OL THEN
470      BEGIN
471          XE:= XE + XG*XG;
472          XD:= IF XA <= IL THEN -LONGSQRT(XE)
473              ELSE LONGSQRT(XF);
474      END
475      ELSE
476      BEGIN
477          XE:= XG*XG;
478          XD:= XG;
479      END;
480
481      BETA:= (XB - 2I)*SIGMA*XF/XE;
482      SIGMA:= SIGMA*(IL - XC)/(XE + XD*XG);
483      J:= IA;
484      D(I):= XE*D(I);
485
486      FOR IB:= I+1 UNTIL N DO
487      BEGIN
488          XC:= L(J);
489          XF:= Z(IB):= Z(IB) - PI*XC;
490          L(J):= BETA*XF + XC;
491          J:= J + IB - 1;
492      END IBLCCP;
493      END ILLCCP;
494      END MODIFYCHOLESKYFACTORS;
495
496      COMMENT: -----;
497
498      PROCEDURE MODIFYCONDITIONNUMBEROFDIAGNAL;
499      BEGIN
500
501      COMMENT: THIS PROCEDURE BOUNDS THE SPECTRAL CONDITION NUMBER OF THE
502      DIAGONAL MATRIX P ASSOCIATED WITH THE CHOLESKY FACTORIZATION
503      OF THE APPROXIMATE HESSIAN;
504
505      LONG REAL LR;
506
507      LB:= D(I);
508      FOR I:= 2 UNTIL N DO
509          IF D(I) > LR THEN LR:= D(I);
510      LB:= LB/KROUND;
511      FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO
512          IF D(I) < LB THEN D(I):= LB;
513      END MODIFYCONDITIONNUMBEROFDIAGNAL;
514
515      COMMENT: -----;
516
517      COMMENT: -----START OF MAIN PROCEDURE-----;
518
519      COMMENT: FORM UNIT MATRIX IN L IF REQUIRED;
520
521
522

```

QNMDE429  
QNMDE430  
QNMDE431  
QNMDE432  
QNMDE433  
QNMDE434  
QNMDE435  
QNMDE436  
QNMDE437  
QNMDE438  
QNMDE439  
QNMDE440  
QNMDE441  
QNMDE442  
QNMDE443  
QNMDE444  
QNMDE445  
QNMDE446  
QNMDE447  
QNMDE448  
QNMDE449  
QNMDE450  
QNMDE451  
QNMDE452  
QNMDE453  
QNMDE454  
QNMDE455  
QNMDE456  
QNMDE457  
QNMDE458  
QNMDE459  
QNMDE460  
QNMDE461  
QNMDE462  
QNMDE463  
QNMDE464  
QNMDE465  
QNMDE466  
QNMDE467  
QNMDE468  
QNMDE469  
QNMDE470  
QNMDE471  
QNMDE472  
QNMDE473  
QNMDE474  
QNMDE475  
QNMDE476  
QNMDE477  
QNMDE478  
QNMDE479  
QNMDE480  
QNMDE481  
QNMDE482  
QNMDE483  
QNMDE484  
QNMDE485  
QNMDE486



```

523 IF LOADL THEN COMMENT: FORM UNIT MATRIX:
524 BEGIN
525   FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO D(I):= 1L;
526   J:= ( N*(N - 1) ) DIV 2;
527   FOR I:= 1 UNTIL J DO L(I):= 0L;
528   END;
529
530 STARTOFMINIMIZATION:
531
532 TOLSQ:= TOL*TOL;
533 ALPHA:= 0L;
534 ROOTMACHEPS:= LONGSQR(MACHEPS);
535 CONV:= TRUE;
536 FM:= F;
537 KROUND:= 1L/(100L*LONGSQR(N)*MACHEPS);
538 FGRAN(N,GKPLUSONE,X,NEWF,TRUE);
539 FCOUNT:= GCOUNT:= 1;
540 COUNT := 0;
541
542 CALCULATEDIRECTIONOFSEARCH:
543
544 OLDF:= NEWF;
545 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO GK(I):= -GKPLUSONE(I);
546 LDLTSOL( N, L, D, GK, P );
547 NORMP:= LONGSQR( DCT(N, P, P) ) + MACHEPS**2;
548 GTP:= DOT( N, GKPLUSONE, P );
549
550 IF PRINT THEN
551   MONITOR( N, COUNT, FCOUNT, NEWF, ALPHA, X, GKPLUSONE, L, D, P );
552
553 INITIALIZEALPHA:
554
555 DELINSEARCH( N, FNUM, GNUM, SUCCESSFULSEARCH, ETA,
556   ROOTMACHEPS*-1/NORMP, MAXSTEP/NORMP,
557   NEWF, ALPHA, P, X, GKPLUSONE, FUN, CRAC, FGRAN);
558
559 FCOUNT:= FCOUNT + FNUM;
560 GCOUNT:= GCOUNT + GNUM;
561 COUNT := COUNT + 1;
562 IF ~SUCCESSFULSEARCH THEN GOTO SETCONV;
563
564 COMMENT: COMDP MODIFICATION RULE:
565
566 GTP1:= DOT( N, GKPLUSONE, P );
567 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO P(I):= GKPLUSONE(I) + GK(I);
568 MODIFYCHOLESKYFACTORS( N, 1L/(ALPHA*(GTP1 - GTP)), P, L, D );
569 MODIFYCHOLESKYFACTORS( N, 1L/GTP, GK, L, D );
570 MODIFYCONDITIONNUMBEROFDIAGONAL;
571
572 COMMENT: OVERALL CONVERGENCE CRITERION:
573
574 IF DOT(N, GKPLUSONE, GKPLUSONE) < TOLSQ THEN GOTO PERFORMLOCALSEARCH;
575 IF OLDF > NEWF THEN GOTO CALCULATEDIRECTIONOFSEARCH;
576
577 SETCONV:
578
579 CONV:= FALSE;
580

```

QNMDE487  
 QNMDE488  
 QNMDE489  
 QNMDE490  
 QNMDE491  
 QNMDE492  
 QNMDE493  
 QNMDE494  
 QNMDE495  
 QNMDE496  
 QNMDE497  
 QNMDE498  
 QNMDE499  
 QNMDE500  
 QNMDE501  
  
 QNMDE504  
 QNMDE505  
 QNMDE506  
 QNMDE507  
 QNMDE508  
 QNMDE509  
 QNMDE510  
 QNMDE511  
 QNMDE512  
 QNMDE513  
 QNMDE514  
 QNMDE515  
 QNMDE516  
 QNMDE517  
 QNMDE518  
 QNMDE519  
 QNMDE520  
 QNMDE521  
 QNMDE522  
 QNMDE523  
 QNMDE524  
 QNMDE525  
 QNMDE526  
 QNMDE527  
 QNMDE528  
 QNMDE529  
 QNMDE530  
 QNMDE531  
 QNMDE532  
 QNMDE533  
 QNMDE534  
 QNMDE535  
 QNMDE536  
 QNMDE537  
 QNMDE538  
 QNMDE539  
 QNMDE540  
 QNMDE541  
 QNMDE542  
 QNMDE543  
 QNMDE544  
 QNMDE545

```

581 PERFORMLOCALSEARCH:
582
583 MONITOR N, COUNT, FCOUNT, NEWF, ALPHA, X, GKPLUSONE, L, D, P 1;
584 WRITE("LOCAL SEARCH STARTED");
585 OLDF:= NEWF;
586
587 COMMENT: TAKE RANDOM STEP;
588
589 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO Y(I):= X(I) + RCOTMACHEPS;
590 FGRAN(N,GK,Y,NEWF,TRUE);
591 IF(FCOUNT>LIMIT) THEN GO TO PREMATUREEJECTION;
592 FCOUNT:= FCOUNT + 1; GCCOUNT:= GCCOUNT + 1;
593
594 COMMENT: CALCULATE ORTHOGONAL DIRECTION AT Y;
595
596 P(1):= ROOTMACHEPS;
597 FOR I:= 2 UNTIL N DO P(I):= -P(I-1);
598 IF CDD(N) THEN P(N):= OL;
599
600 FOR J:= 1 UNTIL 2 DO
601 BEGIN
602 IF J = 2 THEN
603 BEGIN
604 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO P(I):= X(I) - Y(I);
605 IF NEWF > OLDF THEN
606 BEGIN
607 NEWF:= OLDF;
608 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO
609 BEGIN
610 GK(I):= GKPLUSONE(I);
611 Y(I):= X(I);
612 END JLCOPI;
613 END
614 END;
615 GTP:= DOT(N, GK, P 1);
616
617 COMMENT: ASCERTAIN DOWNHILL DIRECTION FOR LINEAR SEARCH;
618
619 IF GTP > OL THEN
620 BEGIN
621 GTP:= -GTP;
622 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO P(I):= -P(I);
623 END;
624 NORMP:= LONGSQRT( DOT(N,P,P 1) + MACHEPS**2);
625
626 INITIALIZEALPHA;
627 DELINSEARCH( N, FNUM, GNUM, SUCCESSFULSEARCH, OL,
628 RCOTMACHEPS:= 1/NORMP, MAXSTEP/NORMP,
629 NEWF, ALPHA, P, Y, GK, FUN, GRAD, FGRAN);
630
631 FCOUNT:= FCOUNT + FNUM;
632 GCCOUNT:= GCCOUNT + GNUM;
633 COUNT := COUNT + 1;
634 END JLCOPI;
635
636 IF NEWF < OLDF THEN
637 BEGIN
638 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO

```

QNMDE546  
QNMDE547  
QNMDE548  
QNMDE549  
QNMDE550  
QNMDE551  
QNMDE552  
QNMDE553  
QNMDE554

QNMDE557  
QNMDE558  
QNMDE559  
QNMDE560  
QNMDE561  
QNMDE562  
QNMDE563  
QNMDE564  
QNMDE565  
QNMDE566  
QNMDE567  
QNMDE568  
QNMDE569  
QNMDE570  
QNMDE571  
QNMDE572  
QNMDE573  
QNMDE574  
QNMDE575  
QNMDE576  
QNMDE577  
QNMDE578  
QNMDE579  
QNMDE580  
QNMDE581  
QNMDE582  
QNMDE583  
QNMDE584  
QNMDE585  
QNMDE586  
QNMDE587  
QNMDE588  
QNMDE589  
QNMDE590  
QNMDE591  
QNMDE592  
QNMDE593  
QNMDE594  
QNMDE595  
QNMDE596  
QNMDE597  
QNMDE598  
QNMDE599  
QNMDE600  
QNMDE601  
QNMDE602  
QNMDE603

```

639      BEGIN
640      X(I):= Y(I);
641      GKPLUSONE(I):= GK(I);
642      END;
643      OLDF:= NEWF;
644      IF ( DOT(N,GK,GK) > TOLSO ) OR -CONV THEN
645      BEGIN
646      CONV:= TRUE;
647      GOTO CALCULATEDIRECTIONOFSEARCH;
648      END;
649      END;
650
651      F:= OLDF;
652      FTOTAL:= FCOUNT;
653      GTOTAL:= GCOUNT;
654      ITNUM := COUNT ;
655      END CNMDE;
656
657
658

```

```

QNMDE604
QNMDE605
QNMDE606
QNMDE607
QNMDE608
QNMDE609
QNMDE610
QNMDE611
QNMDE612
QNMDE613
QNMDE614
QNMDE615
QNMDE616
QNMDE617
QNMDE618
QNMDE619
QNMDE620
QNMDE621

```

```

659 PROCEDURE FUN( INTEGER VALUE N;
660                LONG REAL ARRAY X(*);
661                LONG REAL RESULT F);
662 BEGIN
663   LONG REAL ARRAY G(1::N);
664   LOGICAL GRADYESNO;
665   GRADYESNO:=FALSE;
666   FGBANIN,G,X,F,GRADYESNO);
667   IF(INCOUNT>LIMIT) THEN GO TO PREMATUREEJECTION;
668 END;
669
670 PROCEDURE GRAD( INTEGER VALUE N;
671                LONG REAL ARRAY X,G(*) );
672 BEGIN
673   LONG REAL F;
674   LOGICAL GRADYESNO;
675   GRADYESNO:=TRUE;
676   FGBANIN,G,X,F,GRADYESNO);
677   IF(INCOUNT>LIMIT) THEN GO TO PREMATUREEJECTION;
678 END;
679
680 PROCEDURE FGBAN( INTEGER VALUE N;
681                 LONG REAL ARRAY G,X(*);
682                 LONG REAL RESULT F;
683                 LOGICAL VALUE GRADYESNO );
684 BEGIN
685
686   COMMENT: PROCEDURE FGBAN COMPUTES THE PERFORMANCE FUNCTION F
687             FOR A TWO VARIABLE LADDER FILTER, FOR USE IN OPTIMIZATION
688             PROCEDURE CNMOPR. THE PERFORMANCE CRITERION IS LEAST PITH
689             AS DEFINED BY BANDLER AND CHARALAMCUS. THE GRADIENT IS ALSO
690             COMPUTED IF LOGICAL VARIABLE GRADYESNO=TRUE;
691
692   INTEGER NS,ISPEC,IO;
693   LONG REAL A,MOLD,M,VM,PM1,EP1,HP35,HP80,F1;
694   LOGICAL BNSAT;
695   LONG COMPLEX ARRAY S(1::2);
696   LONG COMPLEX ARRAY Y,Z(1::(N1+1) DIV 2);
697   LONG COMPLEX ARRAY VFOR,IFOR,VREV,IREV(1::(N1+1) DIV 2+1);
698   LONG COMPLEX ARRAY SFNS(0::N+1);
699   LONG COMPLEX V,I1,VTRANS,ITRANS,R;
700   LONG REAL ARRAY RSNS(1::N);
701   LONG COMPLEX ARRAY TG,T(1::2);
702   LONG COMPLEX SUM,SUM1,SUM2;
703   REAL RN;
704   INTEGER M1;
705   LONG REAL SUMX;
706   LONG COMPLEX FACT;
707
708   COMMENT: INITIALIZE CONSTANTS AND VARIABLES;
709   NS:=(N1-1) DIV 2;
710   NCOUNT:=NCOUNT+1;
711   A:=1L+X(N1);
712   MOLD:=MMOLD;
713
714   COMMENT: LOGICAL VARIABLE BNSAT INDICATES WHETHER OR NOT RESPONSE
715             BOUNDS HAVE BEEN SATISFIED. BNSAT=TRUE INDICATES THAT
716             THEY HAVE NOT;

```

```

717 BNSAT:=(MOLD>OL);
718 ISPEC:=0;
719 IF(-BNSAT) THEN ISPEC:=1;
720
721 EVALUATEF:
722
723 M:=-.75L;
724 IQ:=IF(MOLD>OL) THEN IP ELSE -IP;
725 F:=OL;
726 IF GRADYESNO THEN
727   FOR I:=1 UNTIL N DO G(I):=OL;
728
729 COMMENT: PERFORM SUMMATION OVER FREQUENCY POINTS;
730
731 FOR I:=1 UNTIL NR DO BEGIN
732   FOR J:= 1 UNTIL NTH(I) DO
733     BEGIN
734       COMMENT: DEFINE COMPLEX FREQUENCIES;
735       S(1):=LONGIMAG(W1(I,J));
736       S(2):=LONGIMAG(W2(I,J));
737       IF(N1 > 1) THEN BEGIN
738         RN:=N-N1+1;
739         M1:=ROUND(SORT(RN));
740         SUM2:=OL;
741         FOR KL:= 0 UNTIL M1-1 DO
742           BEGIN
743             SUM1:=OL;
744             FOR KN:= 0 UNTIL M1-2 DO
745               SUM1:=(SUM1+X(N-KL*M1-KN))*S(2);
746             IF(KL<M1-1) THEN
747               SUM2:=(SUM2+SUM1+X(N-KL*M1-M1+1))*S(1);
748             ELSE SUM2:=SUM2+SUM1+IL;
749             FND:END;
750           END;
751           ELSE SUM2:=IL;
752           COMMENT: COMPUTE ARM IMPEDANCES AND ADMITTANCES;
753           FOR NUM:=1 UNTIL NS DO
754             BEGIN
755               Z(NUM):=S(IND(2*NUM-1))*X(2*NUM-1);
756               Y(NUM):=S(IND(2*NUM))*X(2*NUM);
757             END;
758             Z(1):=IL+Z(1);
759             Y(NS):=Y(NS)+X(N1);
760
761           COMMENT: COMPUTE MAGNITUDE;
762           VFOR(NS+1):=IL; I1:=OL;
763           FOR K:=1 UNTIL NS DO
764             BEGIN
765               COMMENT: CALCULATE FORWARD CURRENTS AND VOLTAGES;
766               IFOR(NS-K+1):=VFOR(NS-K+2)*Y(NS-K+1)+I1;
767               I1:=IFOR(NS-K+1);
768               VFOR(NS-K+1):=VFOR(NS-K+2)+IFOR(NS-K+1)*Z(NS-K+1);
769             END;
770             VTRANS:=SUM2/VFOR(1);
771             VM:=LONGSORT(LONGREALPART(VTRANS)**2+LONGIMAGPART(VTRANS)**2)*A;
772
773           COMMENT: INCREMENT FUNCTION TERM;
774           FOR K:= 1,2 DO

```

```

775 BEGIN
776
777 COMMENT: NO LOWER RESPONSE BOUND IN STOP BAND;
778 IF( (K=2) AND (HHAT(I)=0L) ) THEN GO TO XIT;
779 PM1:=(-1L)**K;
780
781 COMMENT: CALCULATE ERROR FUNCTION AND UPDATE M;
782 EP1:=PM1*U(I,J)*(VM-HHAT(I)+PM1*XI);
783 M:=IF(M>(-EP1)) THEN M ELSE -EP1;
784
785 COMMENT: IF ROUNDS HAVE BEEN SATISFIED BUT M>0, REDD FUNCTION
786 EVALUATION WITH MOLD=.5;
787 IF-(IRNSAT OR (M<0L)) THEN
788 BEGIN
789 BNSAT:=TRUE;
790 MOLD:=.5L;
791 GO TO EVALUATEF;
792 END;
793
794 COMMENT: IF RESPONSE ROUNDS HAVE NOT BEEN SATISFIED, IGNORE
795 POINTS THAT SATISFY THE ROUNDS;
796 IF(BNSAT AND (EP1>0L) ) THEN GO TO XPT;
797
798 COMMENT: INCREMENT FUNCTION TERM;
799 HP35:=-EP1/MOLD;
800 HP80:=HP35**((IC-1));
801 F:=F+HP80*HP35;
802
803 IF GRADYESNO THEN BEGIN
804 IF( NI>1 ) THEN BEGIN
805 SENS(N1):=1L/SUM2;
806 FOR NUM:=N1+1 UNTIL N1+M1-1 DO
807 SENS(NUM):=SENS(NUM-1)*S(2);
808 FOR NUM:=N1+M1 UNTIL N DO
809 SENS(NUM):=SENS(NUM-M1)*S(1);
810 FOR NUM:=N1+1 UNTIL N DO
811 RSSENS(NUM):=VM*LONGREALPART(SENS(NUM));
812 END;
813 COMMENT: CALCULATE SENSITIVITIES AND INCREMENT GRADIENT
814 TERMS;
815 IREV(1):=1L; V:=0L;
816 FOR L:= 1 UNTIL NS DO BEGIN
817 COMMENT: CALCULATE REVERSE CURRENTS AND VOLTAGES;
818 VREV(L):=-IREV(L)*Z(L)+V;
819 V:=VREV(L);
820 IREV(L+1):=IREV(L)-VREV(L)*Y(L)
821 END;
822 ITRANS:=1L/IREV(NS+1);
823
824 COMMENT: CALCULATE NORMALIZED SENSITIVITIES;
825 FOR L:= 1 UNTIL NS DO BEGIN
826 SENS(2*L):=VFOR(L+1)*VREV(L)*ITRANS;
827 SENS(2*L-1):=-IFOR(L)*IREV(L)*ITRANS;
828 END;
829
830 FOR NUM:=1 UNTIL N1-1 DO
831 RSSENS(NUM):=VM*LONGREALPART(SENS(NUM)*S(IND(NUM)));
832 RSSENS(1):=VM*LONGREALPART(SENS(N1-1)+1L/A);

```

```

833       FOR NUM:= 1 UNTIL N DO
834         G(NUM):=G(NUM)-HPR0*U(I,J)*RSENS(NUM)*PM1;
835       END GRADCALC;
836       ISPEC:=ISPEC+1;
837       XIT;
838     END INCREMENT;
839   END INNERSUMLOOP;
840   END OUTERSUMLOOP;
841
842   COMMENT: HAVE RESPONSE BOUNDS BEEN SATISFIED ON THIS ITERATION?
843   IF SO, PRINT CURRENT SOLUTION AND REDD FUNCTION EVALUATION.
844   WITH NEW VALUE OF MOLD;
845   IF (ISPEC=0) THEN BEGIN
846     MMOLD:=IF(M<MMOLD) THEN M ELSE MMOLD;
847     MOLD:=MMOLD;
848     RNSAT:=FALSE;
849     FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO XMIN(I):=X(I);
850     WRITE(" "); WRITE("RESPONSE BOUNDS EXCEEDED"); WRITE(" ");
851     WRITE(" "); WRITE("CURRENT SOLUTION GRADIENT");
852     FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO WRITE(X(I)); WRITE(" ");
853     WRITE(" "); WRITE("FUNCTION VALUE=",F);
854     WRITE("MAXIMUM DEVIATION FROM DESIRED RESPONSE=",XI*MMOLD);
855     MMOLD:=MMOLD+XI*.1L;
856     XI:=XI*.9L;
857     WRITE("NEW VALUE OF XI=",XI); WRITE(" ");
858   WRITE("NUMBER OF FUNCTION EVALUATIONS=",ACOUNT);
859   ONMDER N, FTOTAL, GTOTAL, ITNUM, LOADL, CCAV, ETA, LONGEPSILON,
860   TOL, 'II, F, X, I, O, FUN, GRAD, FGRAN );
861   GO TO PREMATUREEJECTION;
862   END;
863   COMMENT: CALCULATE F;
864   FI:=LONGEXP((1L/IC-1L)*LONGLN(F));
865   F:=MOLD*FI*F;
866   IF GRADYESNO THEN
867     BEGIN
868       FOR NUM:= 1 UNTIL N DO G(NUM):=G(NUM)*FI;
869     END;
870     MMOLD:=IF(M<MMOLD) THEN M ELSE MMOLD;
871     IF (MMOLD=M) THEN
872       FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO XMIN(I):=X(I);
873   END FGRAN;
874
875
876   PROCEDURE MONITOR( INTEGER VALUE N;
877     INTEGER VALUE COUNT,FCOUNT;
878     LONG REAL VALUE NEWF,ALPHA;
879     LONG REAL ARRAY X,GKPLUSONE,L,C,P(*));
880   BEGIN
881     INTEGER K;
882     LONG REAL DEV;
883
884     WRITE("STATUS AT ITERATION #", COUNT); WRITE(" ");
885     WRITE("CURRENT SOLUTION GRADIENT ");
886     WRITE("DIRECTION OF SEARCH");
887     FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO WRITE( X(I), GKPLUSONE(I), P(I) );
888     WRITE(" ");
889     WRITE("APPROXIMATE MINIMUM VALUE, NEWF, =",NEWF); WRITE(" ");
890     DEV:=XI*MMOLD;

```

```

891 WRITE("MAXIMUM DEVIATION FROM IDEAL RESPONSE=",DEV);WRITE(" ");
892 WRITE("NUMBER OF FUNCTION EVALUATIONS,FCOUNT, =",FCOUNT);
893 WRITE(" ");
894 WRITE("STEP LENGTH, ALPHA, =",ALPHA);
895
896 WRITE(" ");
897 END MONITOR;
898
899
900 ETA=.99L;
901 FOR I:=1 UNTIL N DO READON(X(I));
902 READ(R(NR1),R(NR1+1));
903 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL NR DO READON (NTH(I));
904 FOR I:=1 UNTIL NR-1 DO READON(IND(I));
905 READ(XI);
906 READ(LIMIT);
907 READ(TOL);
908 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL NR-1 DO
909 BEGIN
910 R(I):=-R(NR1)*LONGCOS((IL+I/NR1)*PI/2L);
911 MHAT(I):=IL;
912 END;
913 MHAT(NR1):=IL; MHAT(NR1+1):=OL;
914 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL NR DO
915 BEGIN
916 R(NR1+1):=R(NR1+1)+(1-I)*(.99L-R(NR1+1))/(NR2-1);
917 MHAT(NR1+1):=OL;
918 END;
919 LOADL:=TRUE;
920
921 MMOLD:=IL;
922 NCCNT:=0;
923 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL NR DO
924 BEGIN
925 FOR J:= 1 UNTIL NTH(I) DO
926 BEGIN
927 TH:=PI/2L+PI*(1-J)/NTH(I);
928 U(I,J):=IL;
929 W1(I,J):=DTAN(R(I)*PI*LONGCOS(TH)/2L);
930 W2(I,J):=DTAN(R(I)*PI*LONGSIN(TH)/2L);
931 END;
932 END;
933
934 FGBAN(N,G,X,F,TRUE);
935 WRITE(" ");WRITE("LEAST P'TH APPROXIMATION FOR TWO DIMENSIONAL LOW PASS
936 FILTER: P=",IP);
937 WRITE("BANDLER'S PERFORMANCE FUNCTIONAL WITH XI=",XI);
938 WRITE(" ");WRITE("FUNCTION EVALUATIONS DONE AT FOLLOWING POINTS");
939 WRITE(" ");WRITE(" RADIAL NTH WEIGHTING");
940 FOR I:= 1 UNTIL NR DO WRITE(R(I),NTH(I),U(I,1));
941 WRITE(" ");WRITE(" STARTING PCINT GRADIENT");
942 FOR I:=1 UNTIL N DO WRITE(X(I),G(I));
943 WRITE(" ");WRITE("STARTING FUNCTION VALUE=",F);
944 WRITE("MAXIMUM DEVIATION FROM DESIRED RESPONSE=",MMOLD+XI); WRITE(" ");
945 WRITE(" ");WRITE("TOL=",TOL);WRITE(" ");
946 F:=OL;
947 WRITE(" INITIAL ESTIMATE OF FMIN =", F ); WRITE(" ");
948 WRITE(" LINEAR SEARCH CRITERION, ETA, =", ETA); WRITE(" ");

```



```

949  CNMDEI N, FTOTAL, GTOTAL, ITNUM, LOADL, CONV, ETA, LONGEPSILON,
950      TOL, '11, F, X, L, D, FUN, GRAD, FGBAN );
951  GO TO LOOPOUT;
952  PRFMATUREEJECTION:
953  FGBANIN,G,XMIN,F,TRUE);
954  DEV:=XI+PMOLD;
955  WRITE(" ");WRITE("TERMINATED DUE TO EXCESSIVE FUNCTION EVALUATIONS");
956  WRITE(" ");WRITE("NUMBER OF FUNCTION EVALUATIONS WAS ", NCOUNT);
957  WRITE(" ");WRITE("  CURRENT SOLUTION          GRADIENT");
958  FOR I:= 1 UNTIL N DO WRITE(XMIN(I),C(I));
959  WRITE(" ");WRITE("FUNCTION VALUE=",F);
960  WRITE("MAXIMUM DEVIATION FROM DESIRED RESPONSE=",DEV);
961  LOOPOUT:
962  WRITE(" ");WRITE("OPTIMIZATION TIME IN SECONDS=",TIME(1)/60.);
963  INCONTROL(3);
964  END;
965  END.

```

REFERENCES

1. Anderson, B.D.O.; Jury, E.I.; - "Stability Test for Two-Dimensional Recursive Filters", IEEE Trans. on Audio and Electroacoustics, Vol. AU-21, #4, August 1973.
2. Andrews, H.C.; - "Computer Techniques in Picture Processing", New York, Academic Press 1970.
3. Ansell, H.G.; - "On Certain Two-Variable Generalizations of Circuit Theory, With Applications to Networks of Transmission Lines & Lumped Reactances", IEEE Trans. Circuit Theory, Vol. CT-11, pp. 214-223, June 1964.
4. Bandler, J.W.; Charalambous, C.; - "Practical Least  $p^{\text{th}}$  Optimization of Networks", IEEE Trans. on Microwave Theory & Techniques, Vol. MTT-20, #12, pp. 834-840, December 1972.
5. Barrodale, I.; Powell, M.J.D.; Roberts, F.D.K.; - "The Differential Correction Algorithm for Rational  $L_{\infty}$  Approximation", SIAM J. Numer. Anal., Vol. 9, #3, September 1972, pp. 493-504.
6. Battacharyya, B.K.; - "Two-dimensional Harmonic Analysis as a Tool for Magnetic Interpretation", Geophysics, Vol. 30, pp. 829-857, 1965.
7. Bednar, J.B.; Farmer, C.H.; - "Implementation of Chebyshev Digital Filter Design". Private communication.

8. Belevitch, V; - "Classical Network Theory", Holden-Day, 1968 (San Francisco).
9. Blostein, M.L.; - "Sensitivity Analysis of Linear Systems in the Frequency Domain". McGill report.
10. Bose, N.K.; Jury, E.I.; - "Positivity and Stability Test for Multidimensional Filters (Discrete-Continuous)" IEEE Trans. on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing, Vol. ASSP-22, #3, June 1974, pp. 174-180.
11. Chen, C.T.; - "Introduction to Linear System Theory". Holt Rinehart and Winston, New York; p. 313.
12. Clement, W.G.; - "Basic Principles of Two-Dimensional Digital Filtering", Geophysical Prospecting, Vol. 21, pp. 125-145, 1973.
13. Corrington, M.S.; - "Design of Two-Dimensional Recursive Filters", Proc. 1973, IEEE Symposium on Circuit Theory.
14. Costà, J.M.; Venetsanopoulos, A.N.; - "Two-Dimensional Digital Filtering Applied to Picture Processing", U of T Dept. of Elect. Eng. Comm. Group, Technical Report #5, July 1973.
15. Darley, E.K.; Davies, E.B.; - "The Analysis and Design of Two-Dimensional Filters for Two-Dimensional Data", Geophysical Prospecting, Vol. 15, pp. 383-406, 1967.
16. Dudgeon, D.E.; - "Recursive Filter Design Using Differential Correction", ScD Thesis, M.I.T., 1974, Ch. 8.

17. Fletcher, R; Grant, J.A.; Hebden, M.D.; - "Linear Minimax Approximation as the Limit of Best  $L_p$  - Approximations", SIAM J. Numer. Anal., Vol. 11, #1, March 1974, pp. 123-136.
18. Gill, P.E.; Murray, W.; Pitfield, R.A.; - "The Implementation of Two Revised Quasi-Newton Algorithms for Unconstrained Optimization" National Physical Laboratory - Report NAC 11, April 1972.
19. Gill, P.E.; Murray, W.; - "Quasi-Newton Methods for Unconstrained Optimization", J. Inst. Math & Appl. (GB), Vol. 9, #1, pp. 91-108 February 1972.
20. Gold, B; Rader, C.M.; - "Digital Processing of Signals", Lincoln Laboratory Publications, McGraw Hill, 1969.
21. Hall, E.L.; - "A Comparison of Computations for Spatial Frequency Filtering", Proc. IEEE, Vol. 60, #7, July 1972, pp. 887-891.
22. Hu, J.V.; Rabiner, L.R.; - "Design Techniques for Two-Dimensional Filters" IEEE Trans. Audio and Electroacoustics, Vol. AU-20, #4, October 1972, p. 249.
23. Huang, T.S.; - "Stability of Two-Dimensional Recursive Filters", IEEE Trans. Audio & Electro Acoustics, Vol. AU-20, #2, June 1972, p. 158.
24. Johnson, E.C.; - "Analyzing Ladder-Type Networks by a Quick Arithmetic Procedure", Electronics, Vol. 46, #23, November 8, 1973, pp. 113-116.

25. Jury, E.I.; - "Theory and Application of the Z-Transform Method", New York, Wiley, 1964.
26. Koga, T.; - "Synthesis of Finite Passive n-ports with Prescribed Positive Real Matrices of Several Variables", IEEE Trans. Circuit Theory, Vol. CT-15, pp. 2-23, March 1968.
27. Kuo, F.F.; Magnuson, W.G.; - "Computer Oriented Circuit Design", Prentice Hall, 1969.
28. Manry, M.T.; Aggarwal, J.K.; - "Picture Processing Using One-Dimensional Implementations of Discrete Planar Filters", IEEE Trans. on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing, Vol. ASSP-22, #3, June 1974, pp. 164-173.
29. Maria, G.A.; Fahmy, M.M.; - "An  $l_p$  Design Technique for Two-Dimensional Digital Recursive Filters", IEEE Trans. on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing, Vol. ASSP-22, #1, pp. 15-22, February 1974.
30. Maria, G.A.; Fahmy, M.M.; - "On the Stability of Two-Dimensional Digital Filters", IEEE Trans. on Audio & Electro Acoustics, Vol. AU-21, #5, p. 470-2.
31. Murray, W., ed.; - "Numerical Methods for Unconstrained Optimization" Academic Press, 1972.
32. Ozaki, H.; - "Positive Real Functions of Several Variables and their Applications to Variable Networks", IRE Trans. Circuit Theory, Vol. CT-7, pp. 251-260, September 1960.

33. Papoulis, A.; - "Systems & Transforms with Applications in Optics", New York, McGraw-Hill, 1968.
34. Ramachandran, V; Rao, A.S.; - "A Multivariable Array and its Applications to Ladder Networks", IEEE Trans. Circuit Theory, Vol. CT-20, #5, September 1973, pp. 511-518.
35. Read, R.R.; Treitel, S.; - "The Stabilization of Two-Dimensional Recursive Filters Via the Discrete Hilbert Transform", IEEE Trans. on Geoscience Electronics, July 1973, GE-11, #3, pp. 153-160.
36. Read, R.R.; Treitel, S.; - "Addendum to The Stabilization of Two-Dimensional Recursive Filters Via the Discrete Hilbert Transform", October 1973, GE-11, #4, pp. 205-207.
37. Rice, J.R.; - "The Approximation of Functions", Vol. 2, Addison-Wesley 1969, Ch. 12.
38. Rosenfeld, A.; - "Picture Processing by Computer", Academic Press, N.Y. 1969.
39. Shanks, J.L.; Treitel, S.; Justice, J.H.; - "Stability and Synthesis of Two-Dimensional Recursive Filters", IEEE Trans. Audio & Electroacoustics, Vol. AU-20, #2, p. 115, June 1972.
40. Shanks, J.L.; Read, R.R.; - "Two-Dimensional Recursive Filters for Digital Processing", Proc. of 1973, IEEE International Symposium on Circuit Theory.
41. Swanton, D.; - "Linear Programming Design of Recursive Digital Filters", M.Eng. Thesis, McGill University, 1973.

42. Treitel, S.; Shanks, J.L.; - "The Design of Multistage Separable Planar Filters", IEEE Trans. Geosci. Elect. Vol. GE-9, p. 10, January 1971.
43. Zurflueh, E.G.; - "Applications of Two-Dimensional Linear Wavelength Filtering" Geophysics 32, pp. 1015-1035.