## 1-01-f - Tutorial - Ruth Hurwitz Stability Criterion

## ROUTH STABILITY CRITERION

5.9. Determine if the following characteristic equation represents a stable system:

$$s^3 + 4s^2 + 8s + 12 = 0$$

- 5.10. Determine if the following characteristic equation has any roots with positive real parts:  $s^4 + s^3 s 1 = 0$
- 5.11. The characteristic equation of a given system is

$$s^4 + 6s^3 + 11s^2 + 6s + K = 0$$

What restrictions must be placed upon the parameter K in order to insure that the system is stable?

**5.12.** Construct a Routh table and determine the number of roots with positive real parts for the equation

$$2s^3 + 4s^2 + 4s + 12 = 0$$