Phase Margin

Our example:
$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s(s^2 + 2s + 2)}, K = 2$$
 (stable)



Phase margin (PM) is the amount by which the phase at the crossover frequency ω_c differs from 180° mod 360°

To find PM, we need to inspect ϕ at $\omega = \omega_c$

In this example:

at $\omega_c \approx 0.92$ $\phi = -148^\circ$, so PM = $(-148^\circ) - (-180^\circ) = 32^\circ$

(in practice, want $PM \ge 30^{\circ}$)