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**APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**  
**SIXTH SEMESTER B.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION(R&S), MAY 2019**

**Course Code: EE304**

**Course Name: ADVANCED CONTROL THEORY**

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

**PART A**

*Answer all questions, each carries 5 marks.*

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| 1 | Compare the effects of P, PI and PID controllers on the closed loop system performance in terms of rise time, peak overshoot, settling time, steady state error and stability. | (5)   |
| 2 | What are the effects of Lag and Lead compensators on the system performance?   | (5)   |
| 3 | Explain the terms (i) state (ii) state variables (iii) state vector (iv) state space (v) state trajectory of a system.   | (5)   |
| 4 | What is pulse transfer function? Derive the transfer function of a ZOH circuit.  | (5)   |
| 5 | State any five characteristics of Nonlinear systems.   | (5)   |
| 6 | Define Describing function. Explain how describing function can be used for stability analysis of nonlinear systems.   | (5)   |
| 7 | Define Singular point. Explain the nature of Eigen values of system matrix for any five types of singular points.  | (5)   |
| 8 | Explain Liapunov second method of stability for nonlinear systems.   | (5)   |

**PART B**

*Answer any two full questions, each carries 10 marks.*

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| 9  | A unity feedback system has an open loop transfer function $G(S) = K/[S(1+2S)]$ . Design a suitable lag compensator so that phase margin is $40^\circ$ and the velocity error constant is 5.  | (10) |
| 10 | Design a lead compensator for a unity feedback system with open loop transfer function $G(S) = K/[S(S+8)]$ to satisfy the following specifications. (1) Percentage overshoot = 9.5% (2) Natural frequency of oscillation=12 rad/sec (3) Velocity error constant $\geq 10$ . | (10) |
| 11 | a) Explain the Ziegler-Nichols method of tuning a PID controller.   | (6)  |
|    | b) What is meant by series compensation and feedback compensation in control systems?   | (4)  |

**PART C**

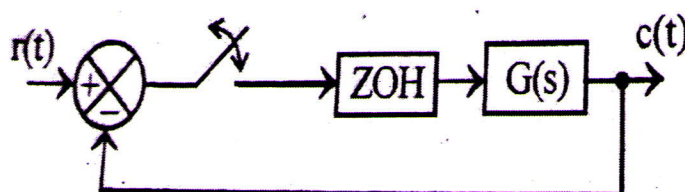
*Answer any two full questions, each carries 10 marks.*

12 a) Define controllability and observability of a system and check whether the system  $\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{1}{(s+1)(s+2)}$  is controllable or not. (6)

b) Check the stability of the sampled data control system shown below (4)  

$$z^3 - 0.2z^2 - 0.25z + 0.05 = 0$$

13 Determine the pulse transfer function of the discrete time control system shown in figure for a sampling time of  $T=1$  sec. Also find the response to unit step input. The transfer function of the system is  $G(s) = 1/(s+1)$ . (10)



14 a) Derive the state model of an R-L-C series circuit (3)

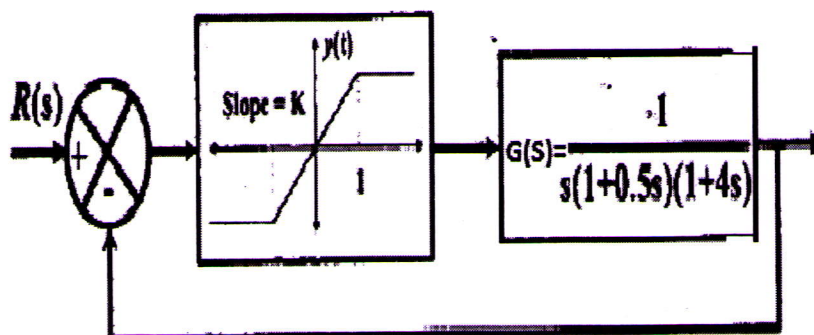
b) Consider a linear system described by the transfer function  $Y(s)/U(s) = 10/[S(S+1)(S+2)]$ . Design a feedback controller with a state feedback so that the closed loop poles are placed at  $-2, -1 \pm j1$ . (7)

**PART D**

*Answer any two full questions, each carries 10 marks.*

15 Derive the Describing function of saturation with Dead-zone nonlinearity. (10)

16 Consider a unity feedback system shown in figure having a saturating amplifier with a gain K. Determine the maximum value of K for the system to be stable. What would be the frequency and nature of limit cycle for a gain of  $K=2.5$ ? (10)



17 A linear second order system is described by the equation  $\ddot{e} + 2\delta\omega_n\dot{e} + \omega_n^2e = 0$  (10)

Where  $\delta = 0.15$ ,  $\omega_n = 1$  rad/sec,  $e(0) = 1.5$ , and  $\dot{e}(0) = 0$

Determine the singular point and state the stability by constructing the phase trajectory using the method of isoclines.

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