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# **Course Code: EE303**

# Course Name: LINEAR CONTROL SYSTEMS

# Instructions: Graph sheets and semi log sheets are to be provided Max. Marks: 100 Duration: 3 Hours PART A Answer all questions, each carries 5 marks. Marks 1 How do you analyse the performance of a mechanical system using electrical analogy? Explain with suitable example for Force- Voltage analogy. (5)

With relevant characteristics, explain the applications of synchro transmitter and <sup>(5)</sup> receiver units?

The input to a closed loop system with open loop transfer function <sup>(5)</sup>  $G(s) = \frac{K(s+3)}{s(s^{2}+3s+2)}$  consists of a step function and a ramp function as,

r(t)=2 u(t) + t. Determine the value of K such that the steady state error for the system is  $e_{ss}=0.1$ . Determine the static error coefficients also.

How do you determine the angle of departure of root locus branch from an open <sup>(5)</sup> loop pole, using angle criterion.

Derive and explain the dependence of damping factor on the resonant peak  $(M_r)$  <sup>(5)</sup> of a second order system?

- Explain the significance of gain cross over frequency and phase cross over <sup>(5)</sup> frequency in the system performance with suitable characteristics.
- 7 State and explain Nyquist stability criterion?

Obtain the polar plot and hence determine the value of K such that the system (5) with open loop transfer function  $G(s) = \frac{K}{s(s+1)(s+4)}$  is marginally stable?

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# PART B Answer any two full questions, each carries 10 marks.

- 9 a) Explain the Mason's gain formula for the derivation of transfer function with a <sup>(5)</sup> suitable example.
  - b) Analyse the effect of feedback block H(s) on the characteristic equation and (5) pole-zero locations of the closed loop system having  $G(s) = \frac{2}{(s^2 + 4s + 4)}$  with: i)  $H(s) = \frac{1}{s}$ ; ii) H(s) = s
- 10 a) Determine the unit step response for the system with transfer function (6)  $T(s) = \frac{1}{(s^2 + 4s + 5)}$ Also determine peak overshoot (M<sub>p</sub>) and peak time (t<sub>p</sub>).
  - b) Explain the features and control applications of Tacho generators. (4)

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- Derive the transfer function of the Field controlled DC servo motor and hence (6) explain the system characteristics?
- b) How does an automatic control system differ from an open loop system. (4) Mention at least four general control system components required for the modification?

# PART C

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

<sup>12</sup> a) Test the stability of the unity negative feedback system with <sup>(7)</sup>  $G(s) = \frac{16}{s(s^{5} + s^{4} + 8s^{3} + 6s^{2} + 20s + 8)}$  using Routh's stability

criterion. Hence identify the location of roots of the system.

b) Explain how does the type of the system control the steady state error for a ramp (3) input?

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(10)Determine the stability of the closed loop system with  $G(s)H(s) = \frac{K(s+1)}{(s^2+4s+8)}$  using Root locus plot. Hence, determine the

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value of K such that the damping factor is 0.866.

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- <sup>14</sup> a) Determine the value of M using Routh array, such that the system with <sup>(4)</sup> characteristic equation  $q(s) = s^4 + s^3 + M s^2 + 2s + 1$  is stable.
  - b) With suitable illustrations explain how does addition of zeroes to the transfer <sup>(6)</sup> function affect the root locus?

# PART D

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

Determine the value of K such that the system with open loop transfer function (10) K

 $G(s)H(s) = \frac{K}{s(s+4)^2}$  is marginally stable, using Bode plot.

- 16 a) Test the stability using Nyquist criterion, for the system with open loop transfer (7) function  $G(s)H(s) = \frac{2}{s(s+2)(s+4)}$ 
  - b) Compare between non minimum phase systems and minimum phase systems? (3)
- a) With suitable characteristics explain the effects of Transportation lag (e<sup>-sT</sup>) on (5)
   Bode plot
  - b) Explain the salient features and advantages of Nichols chart in Control system (5) design.

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