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Course Code: MRT303

Course Name: LINEAR CONTROL SYSTEMS

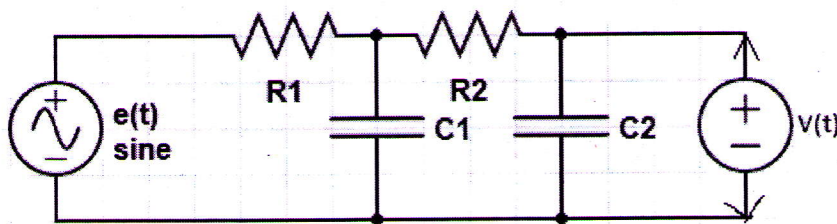
Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

**PART A**

*(Answer all questions; each question carries 3 marks)*

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| 1 | Mention any three advantages and disadvantages of closed loop systems. | (3)   |
| 2 | Obtain the transfer function of the given electrical network.          | (3)   |



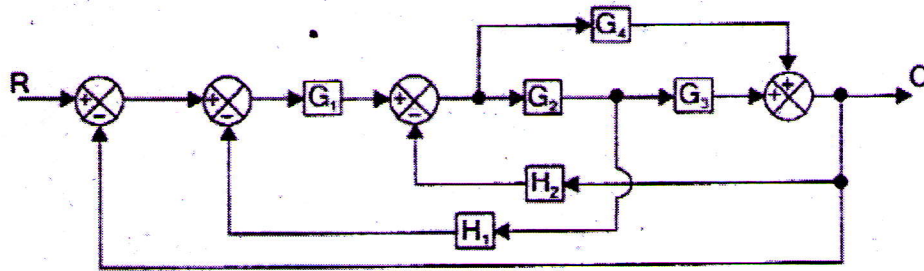
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| 3  | Prepare a table showing analogous quantities in the torque - voltage and torque-current electrical analogy of mechanical rotational system. | (3) |
| 4  | State D'Alembert's principle. Explain with an example.  | (3) |
| 5  | Draw the response of the first order system when it is excited with an impulse signal.  | (3) |
| 6  | Discuss the importance of test input signals.   | (3) |
| 7  | How is stability connected to location of poles?  | (3) |
| 8  | List various frequency domain specifications.   | (3) |
| 9  | What is the role of control system in mechatronics?   | (3) |
| 10 | Devise a way to solve offset error.   | (3) |

**PART B**

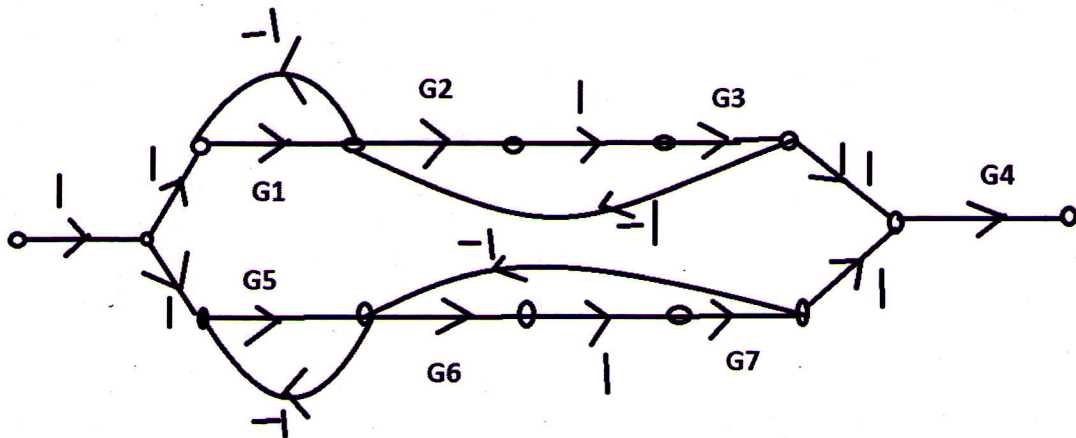
*(Answer one full question from each module, each question carries 14 marks)*

**Module -1**

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| 11 a) | Explain Mason's gain formula and its significance.                                  | (4)  |
| b)    | Determine the overall transfer function $C(S)/R(S)$ for the system shown in figure. | (10) |

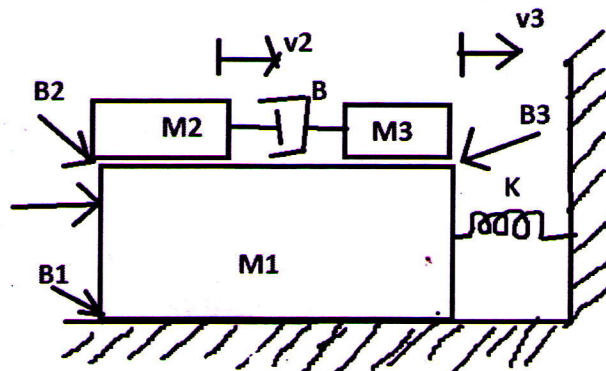


- 12 a) Consider the system shown in figure. Obtain the transfer function using Mason's gain formula. (14) formula.



Module -2

- 13 a) Obtain the transfer function and develop the block diagram of armature-controlled DC motor (14)
- 14 a) Consider the mechanical translational system shown in figure. Write the differential equations governing the system. (6)



- b) Draw force-voltage and force-current analogous circuits of system for the above figure [14a)]. (8)

• **Module -3**

- 15 a) Define rise time. Derive the expression for rise time of an underdamped second order control system 7
- b) Evaluate steady state error when the input is unit ramp signal for type 0, type 1 and type 2 systems. 7
- 16 a)- A unity feedback control system has an open loop transfer function  $G(S)=10/s(s+2)$ . Calculate the rise time, peak time ,percentage overshoot and settling time' 14

**Module -4**

- 17 a) What do you mean by conditional stability and marginal stability? 2
- b) Using Routh criterion, determine the location of poles of the following characteristic equations and comment on the stability. 12
- i)  $S^4 + 10S^3 + 5S^2 + 5S + 3 = 0$
- ii)  $2S^5 + 2S^4 + 5S^3 + 5S^2 + 3S + 5 = 0$
- 18 a) A unity feedback system has an open loop transfer function  $G(S)=K/S(S^2 + 8S + 32)$ . Sketch the root locus and determine the dominant closed loop poles with  $\xi = 0.5$ . determine the value of K at this point 14

**Module -5**

- 19 a) Illustrate an automatic traffic light control system suitable for automation 10
- b) How lead compensator aids in stability? Explain. 4
- 20 a) Why compensation is necessary in feedback control system? 2
- b) Realise a lag compensator using electrical network and plot the frequency response. 12

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