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**Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2015**  
**Control Systems**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

**Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting atleast TWO questions from each part.**

**PART - A**

- 1 a. With the help of neat block diagram, define open loop and closed loop control system. (04 Marks)
- b. For a mechanical system shown in Fig.Q1(b) obtain force voltage analogous electrical network. (08 Marks)

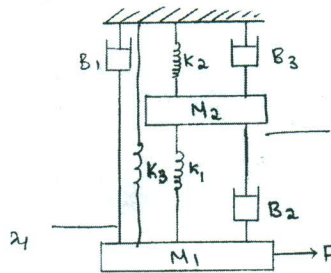


Fig.Q1(b)

- c. Draw the electrical network based on torque current analogy and give all the performance equation for the Fig.Q1(c). (08 Marks)

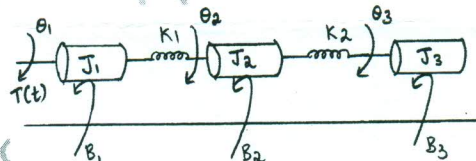


Fig.Q1(c)

- 2 a. Define the following terms related to signal flow graph with a neat schematic :  
 i) Forward path ii) Feedback loop iii) Self loop iv) Source node. (04 Marks)
- b. Obtain the transfer function for the block diagram, shown in Fig .Q2(b). Using :  
 i) Block diagram reduction technique ii) Mason's gain formula. (08 Marks)

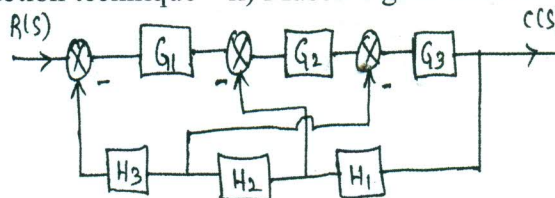


Fig.Q2(b)

- c. For the signal flow graph shown in Fig. Q2(c), find the overall transfer function by :  
 i) Block diagram reduction technique  
 ii) Verify the result by mason's gain formula. (08 Marks)

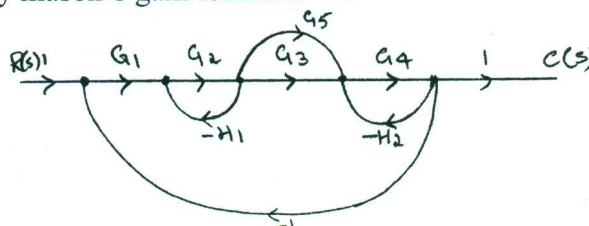


Fig.Q2(c)

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, carefully draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.  
 2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and/or equations written eg, 42+8=50, will be treated as malpractice.

- 3 a. Define and derive the expression for : i) Rise time ii) Peak overshoot of an under-damped second order control system subjected to step input. (06 Marks)
- b. For a unit feedback control system with :  $G(s) = \frac{10(s+2)}{s^2(s+1)}$ , Find : i) The static error coefficients ii) Steady state error when the input is  $R(s) = \frac{3}{s} - \frac{2}{s^2} + \frac{1}{3s^3}$ . (06 Marks)
- c. A system is given by differential equation  $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 4\frac{dy}{dt} + 8y = 8x$ , where  $y =$  output and  $x =$  input. Determine : i) Peak overshoot ii) Settling time iii) Peak time for unit step input. (08 Marks)
- 4 a. Explain Routh – Hurwitz criterion for determining the stability of the system and mention its limitations. (06 Marks)
- b. For a system  $s^4 + 22s^3 + 10s^2 + s + k = 0$ , find  $K_{mar}$  and  $\omega$  at  $K_{mar}$ . (06 Marks)
- c. Determine the value of 'k' and 'b' so that the system whose open loop transfer function is :  $G(s) = \frac{k(s+1)}{s^3 + bs^2 + 3s + 1}$  oscillates at a frequency of oscillations of 2 rad/sec. (08 Marks)

**PART – B**

- 5 a. For a unity feedback system, the open loop transfer function is given by:
- $$G(s) = \frac{K}{s(s+2)(s^2+6s+25)}$$
- i) Sketch the root locus for  $0 \leq k \leq \infty$  ii) At what value of 'k' the system becomes unstable iii) At this point of instability, determine the frequency of oscillations of the system. (15 Marks)
- b. Consider the system with  $G(s)H(s) = \frac{k}{s(s+2)(s+4)}$ , find whether  $s = -0.75$  is point on root locus or not using angle condition. (05 Marks)
- 6 a. Explain the procedure for investigating the stability using Nyquist criterion. (05 Marks)
- b. For a certain control system :  $G(s)H(s) = \frac{k}{s(s+2)(s+10)}$ . Sketch the Nyquist plot and hence calculate the range of values of 'k' for stability. (15 Marks)
- 7 a. Sketch the bode plot for the open loop transfer function :
- $$G(s)H(s) = \frac{k(1+0.2s)(1+0.025s)}{s^3(1+0.001s)(1+0.005s)}$$
- Find the range of 'k' for closed loop stability. (14 Marks)
- b. Define the following as applied to bode plots :  
 i) Gain margin ii) Phase margin iii) Gain and phase cross over frequency. (06 Marks)
- 8 a. Define the following terms : i) State ii) State variable iii) State space iv) State transition. (04 Marks)
- b. A system is described by the differential equation,  $\frac{d^3y}{dt^3} + \frac{3d^2y}{dt^2} + \frac{17dy}{dt} + 5y = 10u(t)$ , where 'y' is the output and 'u' is input to the system. Determine the state space representation of the system. (06 Marks)
- c. Obtain the state equations for the electrical network shown in Fig. Q8(c). (10 Marks)

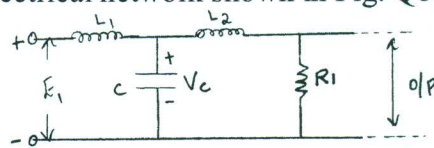


Fig.Q8(c)

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