

Reg. No. :

Name :

Seventh Semester B.Tech. Degree Examination, June 2016
(2008 Scheme)

08.701 : CONTROL SYSTEMS (E)

Time: 3 Hours

PART – A



Answer **all** questions.

1. Define transfer function of a system and state whether it is independent of the input of a system. Is it applicable to a non-linear system ?
2. Write down the torque-balance equation of an ideal rotational dash-pot and an ideal rotational spring.
3. What is meant by electrical zero and null position in a Synchro ?
4. List the time domain specifications and sketch the response of second-order under damped system.
5. Define step signal and a ramp signal in a control system.
6. What is meant by a characteristic equation ? How the roots of the characteristic equation are related to stability ?
7. Give the statement of Nyquist stability criterion.
8. State the advantages of Bode plot.
9. What is meant by a non-minimum transfer function ? In minimum phase system how the start and end of polar plot are identified.
10. Write the transfer function of a lead compensator and draw its Pole-Zero plot.
(10×4=40 Marks)

P.T.O.



PART - B

Answer any one full question from each Module.

Module - 1

11. a) Using block diagram reduction technique find the closed loop transfer function of the system whose block diagram is shown in Fig. 1. 10

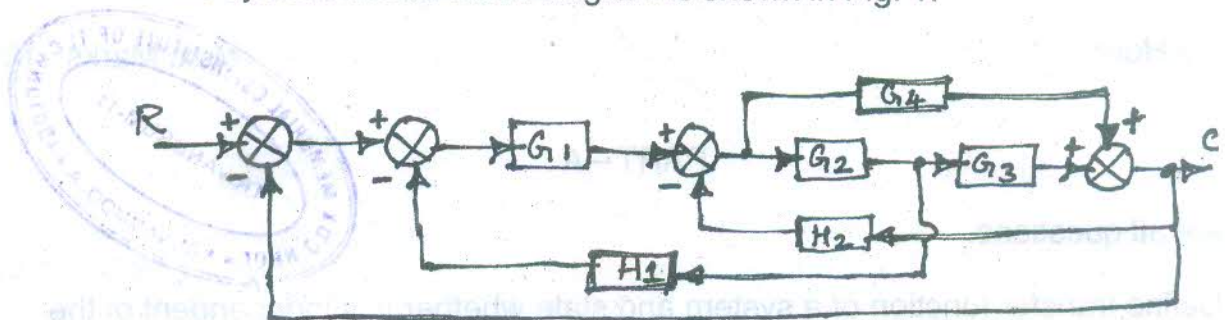


Fig. 1

- b) Convert the block diagram into signal flow graph shown in Fig. 2 and determine the transfer function using Mason's gain formula. 10

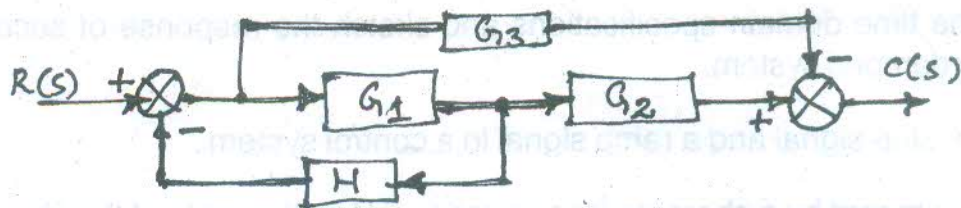


Fig. 2

12. Write a brief descriptive note on the following control system components.

i) DC Servo motor. 10

ii) Stepper motor. 10

Module - 2

13. a) A unity feedback system has an open-loop transfer function of $G(s) = 10/s(s + 2)$. Find the rise time, percentage overshoot, peak time and settling time for a step input of 12 units. 10



- b) A unity feedback system has an open-loop transfer function of $G(s) = 10/s(s + 1)(s + 2)$. Determine the steady state error for unit step input. 10
14. a) By Routh-Hurwitz criterion determine the stability of the system represented by the characteristic equation $9s^5 - 20s^4 + 10s^3 - s^2 - 9s - 10 = 0$. Comment on the location of the roots of the characteristic equation. 10
- b) Outline in brief the procedural steps involved in the construction of root locus for the analysis of control systems ? 10

Module – 3

15. Sketch the magnitude and phase Bode plots for the following transfer function and hence determine the gain cross-over frequency, phase cross-over frequency, gain margin and phase margin of the system. Also comment on the stability of the system. 20

$$G(s) = \frac{20}{s(1+3s)(1+4s)}$$



16. For the following open-loop transfer function of a unity feedback system, sketch the polar plot and hence determine the gain and phase margin of the system. 20

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s(1+s)(1+2s)}$$
