

FIFTH SEMESTER B.TECH (INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROL ENGINEERING)

END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOV/DEC 2015

SUBJECT: MODERN CONTROL THEORY [ICE 301]

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

- ❖ Answer **ANY FIVE FULL** questions.
- ❖ Missing data may be suitably assumed.

1A. Define (i) State vector (ii) State space **02**

1B. Consider the system with transfer function **03**

$G(s) = \frac{s+2}{s^2+3s+2}$. Obtain the observable and controllable canonical realization of the system.

1C. Obtain the diagonal canonical realization of the system **05**

$$G(s) = \frac{6}{s^3 + 6s^2 + 11s + 6}$$

2A. Write down the properties of state transition matrix **02**

2B. The state space representation of a separately excited DC servomotor with dynamics is given **03**

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\omega} \\ \dot{i}_a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & -10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \omega \\ i_a \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} u, \text{ where } \omega \text{ is the angular displacement and } i_a \text{ is the}$$

armature current and u is the armature voltage. What is the transfer function $\frac{\omega(s)}{u(s)}$ of the motor. Take angular displacement of the motor as output.

2C. A Continuous time system is described by the state model. **05**

$$\dot{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} x(t) + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} u(t); y(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} x(t)$$

Is the system controllable, observable? Also design a state feedback controller which will place the closed loop poles at $s = 0.3$ and $s = 0.5$. Verify the result by applying Ackermann's formula.

3A. List the characteristics of nonlinear systems **02**

3B. Derive the describing function of viscous and coulomb friction **03**

3C. An autonomous system is described by $\dot{x} = Ax$. The response of the system to two sets **05**

of initial conditions are $x = \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{-4t} \\ e^{-4t} \end{bmatrix}$ for $x(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$; and $x = \begin{bmatrix} 4e^{-2t} \\ e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix}$ for $x(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Find the state transition matrix.

4A. Define (i) Singular point (ii) boundedness **02**

4B. Check the sign definiteness of the following quadratic functions **02**

i) $F(x) = 4x_1^2 + 4x_2^2 + 2x_3^2 + 2x_1x_2 + 8x_1x_3 - 8x_2x_3$

ii) $F(x) = x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 + 2x_3^2 + 3x_1x_2 - 8x_2x_3 - 2x_1x_3$

4C. Consider a third order linear system with dead zone nonlinearity given by **06**

$G(s) = \frac{1}{s(s+3)(s+5)}$. Check whether the limit cycle exists or not. If exists determine the amplitude and frequency of oscillation. Also comment on the limit cycle. Let slope $K=3$. Total length of the dead zone is 4.

5A. Define (i) Phase plane (ii) Describing function **02**

5B. Explain the procedure of Isocline method for drawing phase trajectories **03**

5C. Find the equilibrium points for the system described by $\ddot{y} + (1-y)\dot{y} + 3y + 0.5y^3$ **05**

6A. State Lyapunov (i) Stability theorem (ii) Instability theorem **02**

6B. Generate a Lyapunov function and describe the stability of the following system **03**

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

6C. Use direct method of Lyapunov to show that the following linear autonomous system is stable for $K > 0$, also find the range for K . **05**

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ -2K & -1+K & -K \end{bmatrix} x$$
