



V SEMESTER B.TECH. (AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING)

END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOV/DEC 2017

SUBJECT: FLIGHT DYNAMICS [AAE 3101]

REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM (19/12/2017)

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

- ❖ Answer **ALL** the questions.
- ❖ Missing data may be suitable assumed.

- 1A.** Lateral perturbation equation of motion for Boeing 747 in horizontal at **(07)**
40,000 ft height, forward speed of **774 ft/s**, Mach **0.8** with rudder chosen as actuator is given as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\beta} \\ \dot{\gamma} \\ \dot{\rho} \\ \dot{\phi} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.254 & 0 & -1.0 & 0.182 \\ -16.02 & -8.40 & 2.19 & 0 \\ 4.488 & -0.350 & -0.760 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \beta \\ \gamma \\ \rho \\ \phi \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0.00729 \\ -0.475 \\ 0.153 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_A \\ \delta_R \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the open loop poles. Identify all the modes of the aircraft and calculate the time constants, damped frequencies, damping ratios and discuss stability.

- 1B.** Explain why the conventional wing-fuselage combination with a vertical canard **(03)**
mounted at the nose of the fuselage is always directionally stable.
- 2A.** The full longitudinal characteristic equation for the Learjet 24 flying at **0.7 Mach** and **(07)**
40,000 ft cruise flight conditions is given by

$$170.62 S^4 + 305.72 S^3 + 435.07 S^2 + 29.87 S + 23.14 = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} Z_\alpha &= -103.516, M_q = 0.817, M_\alpha = -1.94, M_{\dot{\alpha}} = -0.3047, V_{P_1} = 677 \frac{ft}{sec}, C_{D_u} \\ &= 0, C_{T_{x_1}} = 0.256, C_{L_1} = 1.64 \end{aligned}$$

Show the percentage error in the values of natural frequency and damping ratios from associated exact roots and by approximations.

- 2B.** Mach tuck derivative C_{m_u} is affected by two important parameters in flight. Discuss? **(03)**

- 3A.** Find the state space representation of the transfer function given below and also draw the block diagram of the system. **(07)**

$$\frac{y(s)}{u(s)} = \frac{K}{s^4 + 4s^3 + 6s^2 + 3s + 2}$$

- 3B.** How do position of wing has an influence on C_{l_β} from design point of view? **(03)**

- 4A.** What is windmilling effect? How do you explain the rolling moment resulting from an asymmetric thrust in right engine out condition in both jet and propeller configurations? **(07)**

- 4B.** What is the condition which holds true when there is reduction of magnitude of C_{n_β} , due to flow separation over the wings? **(03)**

- 5A.** Determine the aileron and rudder deflections required for a phantom-5 aircraft to maintain a +2 degree wings level sideslip at 0.6 Mach and 30000 ft. Determine the value of side-force coefficient under these conditions. Applicable derivatives are: **(07)**

$C_{y_0} = 0$	$C_{y_\beta} = -0.9056/rad$	$C_{y_{\delta_A}} = -0.0047/rad$	$C_{y_{\delta_R}} = 0.1492/rad$
$C_{l_0} = 0$	$C_{l_\beta} = -0.0732/rad$	$C_{l_{\delta_A}} = 0.0226/rad$	$C_{l_{\delta_R}} = 0.0029/rad$
$C_{n_0} = 0$	$C_{n_\beta} = 0.1638/rad$	$C_{n_{\delta_A}} = 0.0026/rad$	$C_{n_{\delta_R}} = -0.0712/rad$

- 5B.** Explain how the differentially deflected stabilizers in fighter jets generate a rolling moment. **(03)**