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Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering

14UEI401 - CONTROL ENGINEERING

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Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

- Which of the following system is not an example of closed loop system?
  - Traffic light controller
  - Action of human being in walking
  - Home heating system
  - DC motor speed control
- In force-voltage analogy, spring constant is analogous to
  - Voltage
  - Reciprocal of capacitance
  - Capacitance
  - Charge
- State the order and type number of the system for the given open loop transfer function
$$G(s) = \frac{10}{s(1 + 0.4s)(1 + 0.1s)}$$
  - 0, 3
  - 1, 3
  - 3, 2
  - 3, 1
- Which of the following characteristics does it have, the given closed loop transfer function
$$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{121}{s^2 + 132s + 121}$$
 of a system
  - Over damped system and setting time 1.1s
  - Under damped system and setting time 0.6s
  - Critically damped system and setting time 0.8s
  - Under damped system and setting time 0.707s

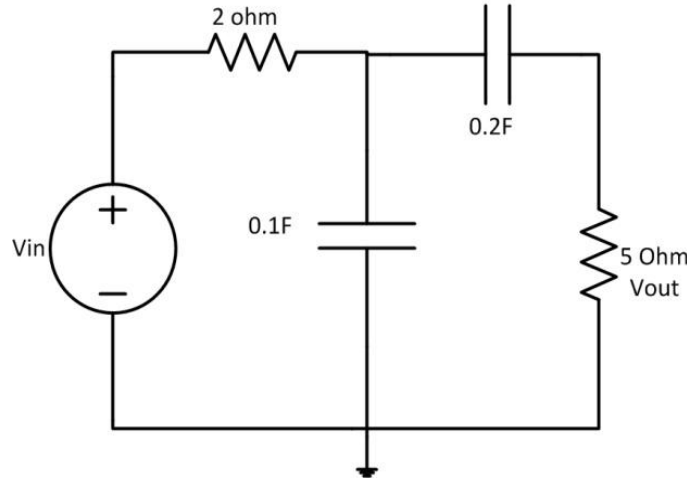
5. Phase margin of a system is used to specify which of the following?
  - (a) Frequency response
  - (b) Absolute stability
  - (c) Relative stability
  - (d) Time response
  
6. At the gain cross over frequency,  $\omega=5$  rad/s,  $\angle G(j\omega)H(j\omega) = -170^\circ$ . The phase margin is
  - (a)  $-10^\circ$
  - (b)  $10^\circ$
  - (c)  $-170^\circ$
  - (d)  $170^\circ$
  
7. If the poles of a system lie on the imaginary axis, the system will be
  - (a) stable
  - (b) unstable
  - (c) marginally stable
  - (d) Conditionally stable
  
8. Normal Routh array indicates
  - (a) non zero elements in the first column
  - (b) row of all zeros
  - (c) first column element of the row is zero
  - (d) row of all ones
  
9. Number of \_\_\_\_\_ in a state diagram of discrete time system is equal to number of state variables.
  - (a) integrators
  - (b) state variables
  - (c) phase variables
  - (d) unit delay
  
10. The state variable approach is applicable to
  - (a) Only linear time in-variant systems
  - (b) Linear time in-variant as well as time varying systems
  - (c) Linear as well as non linear systems
  - (d) All type of systems

PART - B (5 x 2 = 10 Marks)

11. Define transfer function.
12. List the test signals used to find the time response in control systems.
13. Show the polar plot of  $G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2(1+sT_1)(1+sT_2)(1+sT_3)}$ .
14. The characteristics equation of a system is given by  $3s^4 + 10s^3 + 5s^2 + 2 = 0$ . Conclude the stability of the system.
15. List the properties of state transition matrix.

PART - C (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)

16. (a) (i) For the electrical circuit in figure-1, Find the transfer function  $\frac{V_{out}(s)}{V_{in}(s)}$  (16)



Or

- (b) Determine the transfer function  $C(s)/R(s)$  of the system shown in Figure. 2. (16)

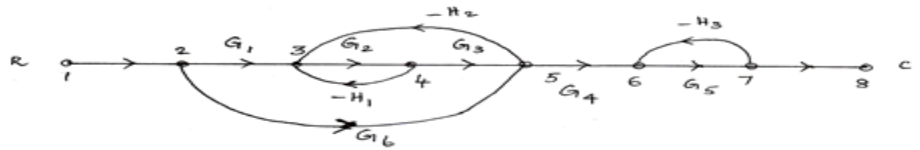


Figure 2

17. (a) Consider a unity feedback system with a closed loop transfer function  $C(s)/R(s) = (Ks+b)/(s^2+as+b)$ . Determine the open loop transfer function  $G(s)$ . Show that the steady state error with unit ramp input is given by  $(a-k)/b$ . (16)

Or

- (b) (i) A certain negative feedback control system has the following forward path transfer function  $G(s) = \frac{K}{s(s+1)}$ . The feedback path has the following transfer function  $H(s) = 1 + K_h(s)$ . Determine the value of K and  $K_h$  so that the maximum overshoot for unit step input is 0.2 and it occurs at time  $t=1$  sec. With these values of K and  $K_h$  determine the rise time and setting time. (8)

- (ii) The forward path transfer function of a unity feedback type-1, second order system has a pole at -2. The nature of gain K is so adjusted that damping ratio is 0.4. Find the Steady state error when the input is  $r(t) = 1 + 4t$ . (8)

18. (a) Explain the design procedure involved in the design of lag compensator. (16)

Or

- (b) A unity feedback system has an open loop transfer function  $G(s) = \frac{K}{s(1+2s)}$ .

Design a suitable lag compensator so that phase margin is  $40^\circ$  and steady state error for ramp input is less than or equal to 0.2. (16)

19. (a) Determine the stability of a system, whose characteristics equation is given by  $s^6 + 2s^5 + 8s^4 + 12s^3 + 20s^2 + 16s + 16 = 0$ . Also find the number of roots lying in the LHS, RHS and imaginary axis of s-plane. (16)

Or

- (b) The open loop transfer function of a closed loop system with unity feedback is  $G(s) = \frac{K}{(s+2)(s+4)(s^2+6s+25)}$ . By applying the Routh criterion, discuss

the stability of the closed loop system as a function of K. Determine the values of K which will cause sustained oscillations in the closed loop system and also find the corresponding oscillation frequencies. (16)

20. (a) Determine whether the system is completely controllable and observable

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}; B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; C = [1 \ 0 \ 0]. \quad (16)$$

Or

- (b) For a system represented by state equation  $\dot{X}(t) = AX(t)$ . The response is

$$X(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-2t} \\ -2e^{-2t} \end{bmatrix} \text{ when } X(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } X(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} \\ -e^{-t} \end{bmatrix} \text{ when } X(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Determine the system matrix A and state transition matrix. (16)