

# B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru-560019

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## August 2024 Supplementary Examinations

**Programme: B.E.**

**Branch: Chemical Engineering**

**Course Code: 19CH5DCPCE**

**Course: Process Control Engineering**

**Semester: IV**

**Duration: 3 hrs.**

**Max Marks: 100**

**Instructions:** 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.  
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

			<b>UNIT - I</b>	<b>Marks</b>
<b>Important Note:</b> Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.	1	a)	Develop the overall transfer function $H_2(s)/Q(s)$ for the liquid system, in which two tanks of cross sectional areas ( $A_1$ and $A_2$ ) and Resistances ( $R_1$ and $R_2$ ) are non-interacting with each other. Assume the flow resistances are linear.	<b>10</b>
		b)	A tank having cross sectional area of $0.3 \text{ m}^2$ . The steady state flow rate is $0.6 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$ is subjected to a step change of magnitude $0.05 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$ . The time constant for the tank is 1 min. Determine the liquid level in the tank at $t = 1 \text{ min}$ .	<b>10</b>
			<b>UNIT - II</b>	
2	a)	Derive the expression for a critically damped second order system when a step input is applied to it.	<b>10</b>	
	b)	A step change of magnitude '2' is introduced into a system having the transfer function. $G(s) = \frac{2}{s^2 + 2s + 4}$ Calculate (i) Overshoot, (ii) Decay ratio, (iii) Cyclic frequency (iv) Radian frequency.	<b>10</b>	
			<b>OR</b>	
3	a)	Determine $Y(0)$ , $Y(0.6)$ and $Y(1)$ for the following transfer function. Plot the response. $Y(s) = \frac{25}{s(s^2 - 5s + 4)}$	<b>10</b>	
	b)	Describe the transfer function for transportation lag by considering a liquid flows through an insulated tube of uniform cross-sectional area $A$ and length $L$ at a constant volumetric flow rate $q$ . Enlist the approximations for this transfer function.	<b>10</b>	
			<b>UNIT - III</b>	
4	a)	Write a short note on the following. (i) Draw the block diagram of simple control system and label all the components. (ii) Negative v/s positive feedback controller	<b>06</b>	
	b)	Describe Pneumatic control valve with the help of neat diagram.	<b>08</b>	

	c)	Explain Servo and Regulator problem in a control system.	06
<b>UNIT - IV</b>			
5	a)	A Proportional Derivative controller is used for the control of first order system having time constant, $\tau_1 = 30$ sec. The value of gain of PD controller is $k_c = 6$ and $\tau_D = 4$ sec, $\tau_m = 6$ sec. If a step magnitude of 0.16 is given to the load variable. Determine offset?	10
	b)	A control system is shown in figure. Determine the variation of output response, $C(t)$ for a unit step change given to the set point?	10
<b>UNIT - V</b>			
6	a)	Consider the following control system. Find the value of $k_c$ for which the system is stable and also find the roots of the characteristic equation?	12
	b)	How do you determine the stability of the control system using Routh test? Explain?	08
<b>OR</b>			
7	a)	The open loop transfer function of negative feedback control system is given below. Sketch the root locus.	12
		$G(s) = \frac{k_c e^{-4s}}{(s + 3)(s + 6)}$	
	b)	Explain Ziegler-Nichols and Cohen-Coon tuning parameters for stability analysis.	08

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