

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

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## July 2023 Semester End Main Examinations

Programme: B.E.

Branch: Mechanical Engineering

Course Code: 20ME6DCCOE / 16ME6DCCOE

Course: Control Engineering

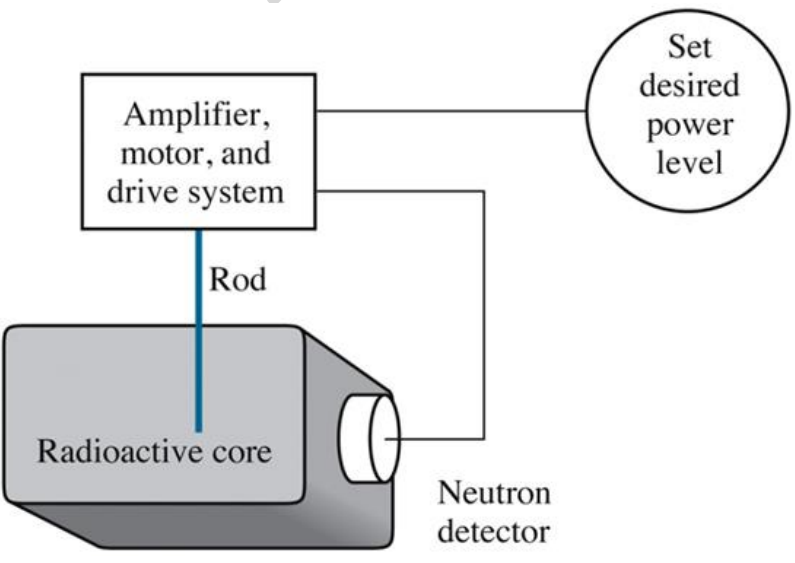
Semester: VI

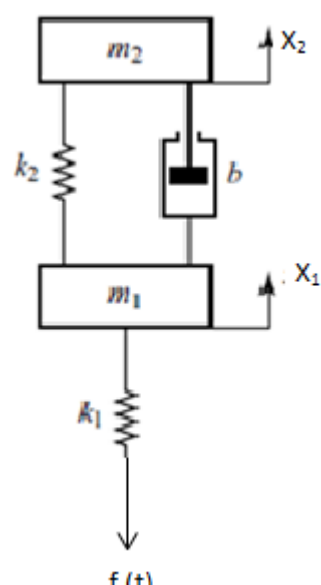
Duration: 3 hrs.

Max Marks: 100

Date: 22.07.2023

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

			UNIT - I	CO	PO	Marks
				CO1	PO1	10
<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)	<p>In a nuclear power generating plant, heat from a reactor is used to generate steam for turbines. The rate of the fission reaction determines the amount of heat generated, and this rate is controlled by rods inserted into the radioactive core. The rods regulate the flow of neutrons. If the rods are lowered into the core, the rate of fission will diminish; if the rods are raised, the fission rate will increase. By automatically controlling the position of the rods, the amount of heat generated by the reactor can be regulated. Draw a functional block diagram for the nuclear reactor control system shown in Figure 1a. Show all blocks and signals.</p>  <p>Figure 1a</p>			

	b)	Obtain the transfer function for the system shown in Figure 1b.	CO2	PO2	10																				
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2	a)	Obtain the transfer function of an armature-controlled DC servo motor.	CO2	PO2	10																				
	b)	Obtain the state-space representation for the system shown in Figure 1b.	CO2	PO2	10																				
		UNIT - II																							
3	a)	Consider a unity feedback system with closed loop transfer function of the plant is $1/(s^3+3s^2+5s+2+K)$ . When the system will become marginally stable and what is the corresponding frequency of oscillation.	CO4	PO2	10																				
	b)	Consider the second-order system with transfer function $\omega_n^2/(s^2+2\zeta \omega_n s+ \omega_n^2)$ . Assume that the requirements for the system unit-step response are overshoot $M_p \leq 20\%$ and 2% settling time $t_s \leq 2$ s. Sketch the allowable region for the poles in the s-plane.	CO3	PO2	10																				
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4	a)	Find the steady state errors for unity feedback systems with plants of different types and for different inputs. <table border="1" data-bbox="445 1756 1059 1935"><thead><tr><th>Input</th><th>Type 0</th><th>Type 1</th><th>Type 2</th><th>Type 3</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>step</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>ramp</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>parabola</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr></tbody></table>	Input	Type 0	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	step					ramp					parabola					CO3	PO2	12
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	b)	Find the unit step response for the transfer function $G(s) = \frac{s+10}{s^2+2s+5}$ .	CO3	PO2	08																				

		<b>UNIT - III</b>			
5		Sketch the root locus for open loop transfer function $K/[(s+1)(s+2)(s+4)]$ showing the salient points.	CO4	PO2	<b>20</b>
		<b>UNIT - IV</b>			
6		Draw the bode plots for a unity feedback system with open loop transfer function $G(s) = 40/[(s+2)(s+4)(s+5)]$ .	CO4	PO2	<b>20</b>
		<b>UNIT - V</b>			
7	a)	Sketch the Nyquist diagram for the open loop transfer function $20(s+3)/[s(s+1)(s+4)]$ and comment on stability.	CO5	PO2	<b>10</b>
	b)	Draw the polar plot for $G(s) = 1/[(s+2)(s+4)]$ .	CO5	PO2	<b>10</b>

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