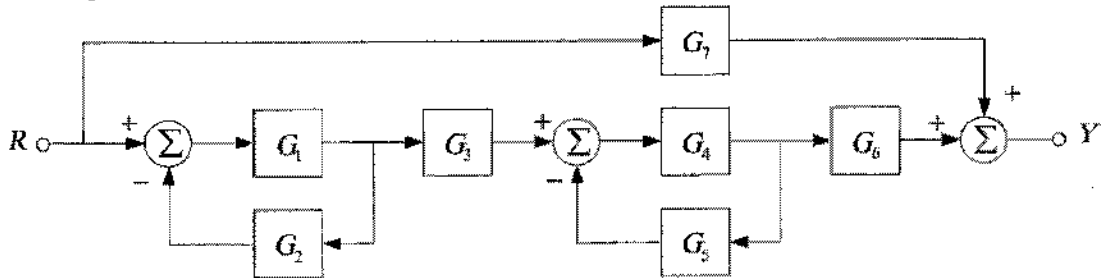


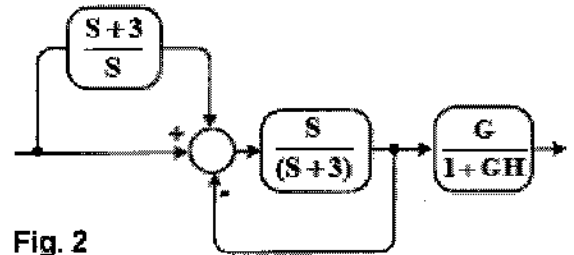
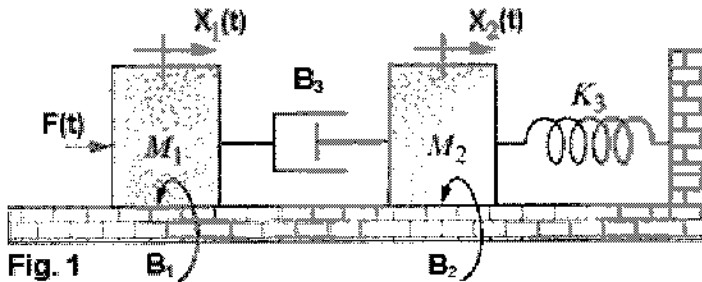


QUESTION NUMBER ONE [35 MARKS]

1. State advantages and disadvantages of the block diagram technique. Then, reduce the following block diagram and obtain its transfer function. [10 Marks]



2. Find the transfer function for the mechanical system given by Fig. (1). [10 Marks]

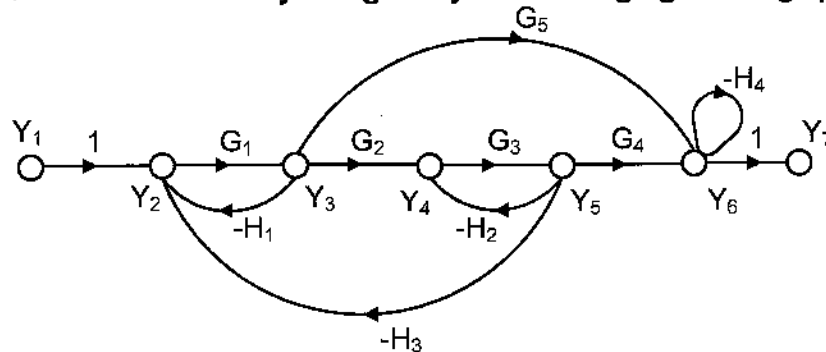


3. Find K_1 and K_2 for the system given by Fig. (2), such that $M_p=0.2$, $t_p=1$, after that deduce the output time response for the given system. [15 Marks]

$$G(S) = \frac{K_1}{S(S+1)} \quad H(S) = 1 + K_2 S$$

QUESTION NUMBER TWO [35 MARKS]

1. Find the transfer function for the system given by the following signal flow graph. [10 Marks]



2. Draw the approximate root locus diagram for a close loop system whose open loop transfer function is given by; [15 Marks]

$$G(S)H(S) = \frac{K(S+5)}{S(S+4)(S^2+2S+3)}$$

3. State the advantages and limitations of Hurwitz stability criterion. Then, examine the stability for the system with the following characteristic equation; [10 Marks]

$$S^6 + 3S^5 + 4S^4 + 6S^3 + 5S^2 + 3S + 2 = 0$$