

2nd Year (Electrical Engineering) Automatic Control (1)

Time: 180 minutes

Mark: 90

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Answer all the following questions:

Problem 1: (25 Marks) [LOS: b7], [ILOS: a1.2, b5.1,]

(a) A filter is represented by the signal flow graph shown in the figure. Its input is x(t) and output is y(t). Explain the transfer function of the filter is: [10 Marks]

$$(\Delta) \frac{-(1+ks)}{s+k}$$

(B)
$$\frac{(1+ks)}{s+k}$$

(C)
$$\frac{-(1-ks)}{s+k}$$

(D)
$$\frac{(1-ks)}{s+k}$$

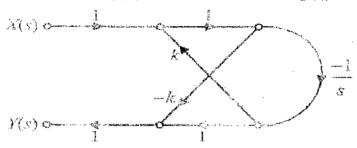


Fig. 1

(b) The characteristic equation of a control system is given by: [ILOS: a1.2, b5.1.]

$$s^6 + 2s^5 + 8s^4 + 12s^3 + 20s^2 + 16s + 16 = 0$$

Explain: The number of the roots of the equation which lie on the imaginary axis of splane is: [15 Marks]

(A) 0

(B)2

(C) 4

(D)6

Problem 2: (20 Marks)

- (a) What are the advantages and disadvantages of open-loop and closed-loop control systems? [10 Marks]
- (b) Simplify the block diagram then obtain the close-loop transfer function Y(S)/R(S). [10 Marks] [ILOS: b7.1]

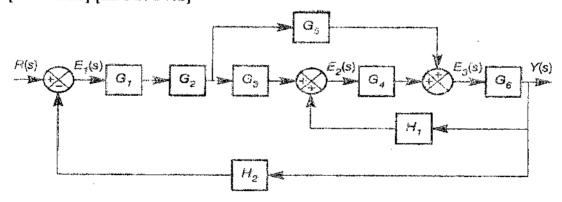


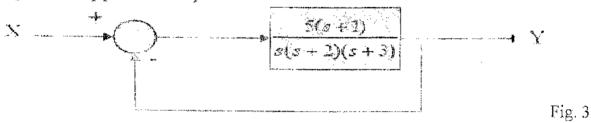
Fig. 2

Problem 3: (20 Marks)

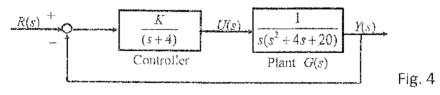
- (a) Explain what are the components of PID controllers? And shows the controller effects on the steady state error? (8 Marks).
- (b) Obtain analytically the rise time, peak time, maximum overshoot, and settling time in the unit-step response of a closed-loop system given by: $\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{36}{s^2 + 2s + 36}$, and show locations of poles and zeros on the pole-zero plot. [12 Marks]. [ILOS: b2.1]

Problem 4: (25 Marks)

(a) Find the position, velocity, and acceleration error constant for the system shown below. Then, find the steady state error for a unit step, unit-ramp, and unit-parabolic inputs. [10 Marks] [ILOS: b2.1]



(b) A feedback control system is proposed. The corresponding block diagram is: [ILOS: a4.1, b5.1]



The controller gain K varies from 0 to ∞ . Explain with drawing what is the number of breakaway points in the root locus diagram? (15 Marks)

- (A) One
- (B) Two
- (C) Three

(D) Zero

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