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SEMESTER ONE EXAMINATION 2019/2020
ADVANCED THERMOFLUIDS AND CONTROL
SYSTEMS
MODULE NO: AME6015

Date: Thursday 16th January 2020

Time: 10:00am – 12:00pm

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

There are SIX questions.

Answer any **FOUR** questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Marks for parts of questions are shown in brackets.

This examination paper carries a total of 100 marks.

All working must be shown. A numerical solution to a question obtained by programming an electronic calculator will not be accepted.

Candidates Require:

Thermodynamics properties of fluids (provided)

Formula sheet (provided)

Density of water = 1000kg/m³

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Q1

- a) Steam at 7 bar, dryness fraction 0.9 expands reversibly at constant pressure until the temperature is 200 °c. Calculate the work input and heat supplied per unit mass of steam during the process.

(15 Marks)

- b) Steam at 0.05 bar, 100 °c is to be condensed completely by a reversible constant pressure process .Calculate the heat rejected per kilogramme of steam and the change of specific entropy.

(10 Marks)**Total 25 Marks****Q2**

- a) Derive the Darcy Weisbach Equation $h_f = \frac{f LV^2}{2gD}$ for the loss of Head due to friction in a

Pipeline using the Energy equation $\frac{P_1}{\rho g} + Z_1 + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} = \frac{P_2}{\rho g} + Z_2 + \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + HL$

Where HL= the friction head loss h_f .

(17 Marks)

- b) Oil with specific gravity of 0.85 with kinematic viscosity of 6×10^{-4} m²/s flows in a 15cm pipe at a rate of 0.020 m³/s. What is the head loss per 100 m length of pipe?

(8 Marks)**Total 25 Marks****Q3**

- a) A Prototype gate valve, which will control the flow I a pipe system conveying paraffin, is to be studied in a model. The pressure drop ΔP is expected to depend upon the gate opening h, the overall depth d, the velocity V, density ρ and viscosity μ . Perform dimensional analysis to obtain the relevant non-dimensional groups.

(15 Marks)

- b) A Carnot engine is used in a nuclear power plant. It receives 1500 Mw of power as a heat transfer from a source at 327 o c and rejects thermal waste to a nearby river at 27 °c. The River temperature rises by 3 °c because of this power rejection by the plant, calculate:

- The mass flow rate of the river
- The efficiency of the power plant

Take the value of specific heat capacity $C_p = 4.177 \text{ kJ/kg K}$

Take $Q' = m'(h_2 - h_1)$ and $(h_2 - h_1) = C_p(T_2 - T_1)$

(10 Marks)**Total 25 Marks**

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Q4 A simplified position control system for an industrial robotic arm is shown in Figure Q4. The system is under a unit step input.

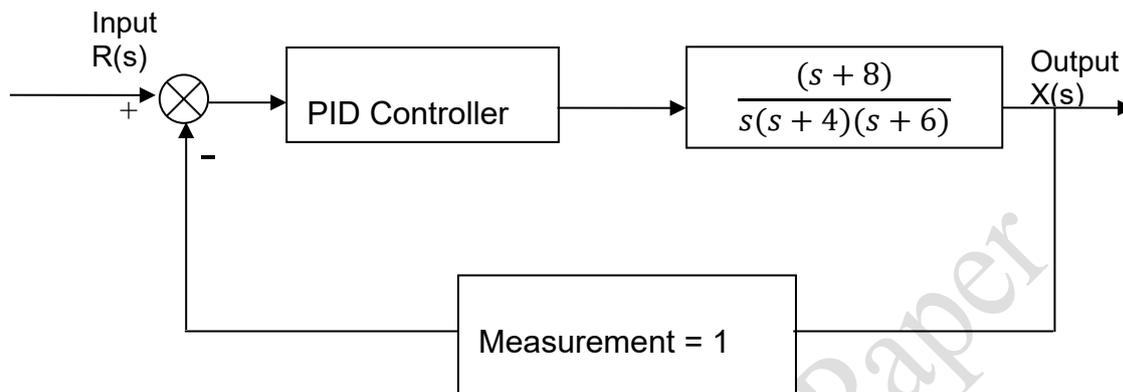


Figure Q4 A simplified position control system

The design criteria for this system are:

Settling time < 2 sec

Overshoot < 5%

Steady state error = 0.1 (for a unit parabolic input = $1/s^3$)

- a) Design a PID controller to determine the parameters K_p , K_i , and K_d and clearly identify the design procedure. **(19 Marks)**
- b) Describe, helped by equations and sketches, how the error item is handled by proportional, integral and derivative controller. **(6 Marks)**
- Total 25 Marks**

Q5. A translational mechanical system is shown in Figure Q5.

- a) Derive the differential equations describing the behaviour of the system. **(6 Marks)**
- b) Select the state variables and transfer the differential equations obtained from Q5(a) above to the relevant first-order differential equations. **(4 Marks)**

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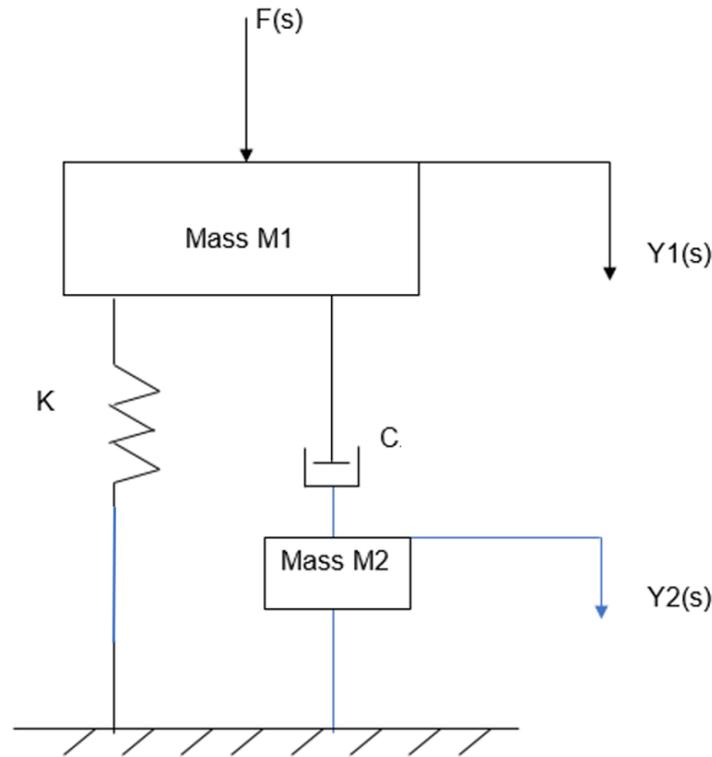


Figure Q5 A Translational Mechanical System

- c) Determine the state space equations and system matrices A, B, C and D, where A, B, C, and D have their usual meaning.

(10 marks)

- d) Analyse the following system's controllability and observability:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -8 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad C = [1 \quad -5]$$

(5 marks)

(Total 25 marks)

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Q6. An automation assembly model is shown in Figure Q6, in which the computer performs the function of controller to control the assembly process.

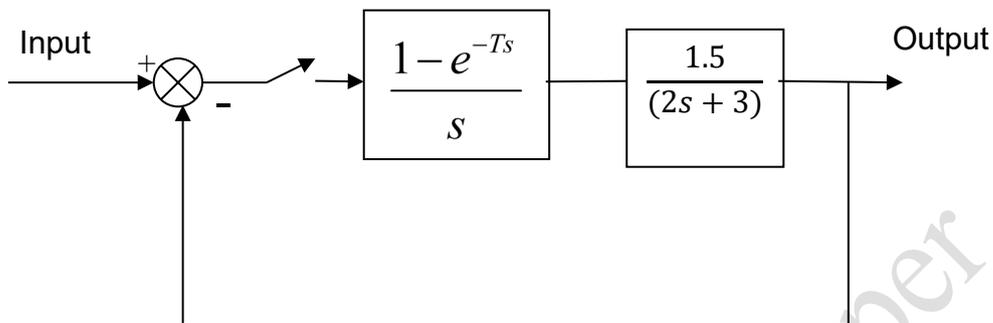


Figure Q6 An automation assembly control system

- a) Find the sampled-data transfer function, $G_{\text{sys}}(z) = \frac{\text{Output}}{\text{Input}}$ for the digital assembly control system. The sampling time, T , is 0.15 seconds. **(10 marks)**
- b) For a unit step input, find the steady-state error for the control system. **(3 marks)**
- c) Check the stability of the system. **(4 marks)**
- d) If the controller has a 10 bit Analogue to Digital Converter with the signal range between -16 Volt to +16 Volt:
- (i) What is the resolution of the AD converter? **(2 marks)**
 - (ii) What integer number represented a value of 7.5 Volts? **(2 marks)**
 - (iii) What voltage does the integer 350 represent? **(2 marks)**
 - (iv) What voltage does 1011001110 represent? **(2 marks)**

Total 25 marks

END OF QUESTIONS

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Formula sheet

Blocks with feedback loop

$$G(s) = \frac{Go(s)}{1 + Go(s)H(s)} \text{ (for a negative feedback)}$$

$$G(s) = \frac{Go(s)}{1 - Go(s)H(s)} \text{ (for a positive feedback)}$$

Steady-State Errors

$$e_{ss} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} [s \frac{1}{1 + G_o(s)} \theta_i(s)] \text{ (for the closed-loop system with a unity feedback)}$$

$$e_{ss} = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} [s \frac{1}{1 + \frac{G_o(s)}{1 + G_o(s)[H(s) - 1]}} \theta_i(s)] \text{ (if the feedback } H(s) \neq 1)$$

$$e_{ss} = \frac{1}{1 + \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} G_o(z)} \text{ (if a digital system subjects to a unit step input)}$$

Laplace Transforms

A unit impulse function 1

A unit step function $\frac{1}{s}$

A unit ramp function $\frac{1}{s^2}$

First order Systems

$$G(s) = \frac{\theta_o}{\theta_i} = \frac{G_{ss}(s)}{\tau s + 1}$$

$$\tau \left(\frac{d\theta_o}{dt} \right) + \theta_o = G_{ss} \theta_i$$

$$\theta_o = G_{ss} (1 - e^{-t/\tau}) \text{ (for a unit step input)}$$

$$\theta_o = AG_{ss} (1 - e^{-t/\tau}) \text{ (for a step input with size } A)$$

$$\theta_o(t) = G_{ss} \left(\frac{1}{\tau} \right) e^{-(t/\tau)} \text{ (for an impulse input)}$$

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Second-order systems

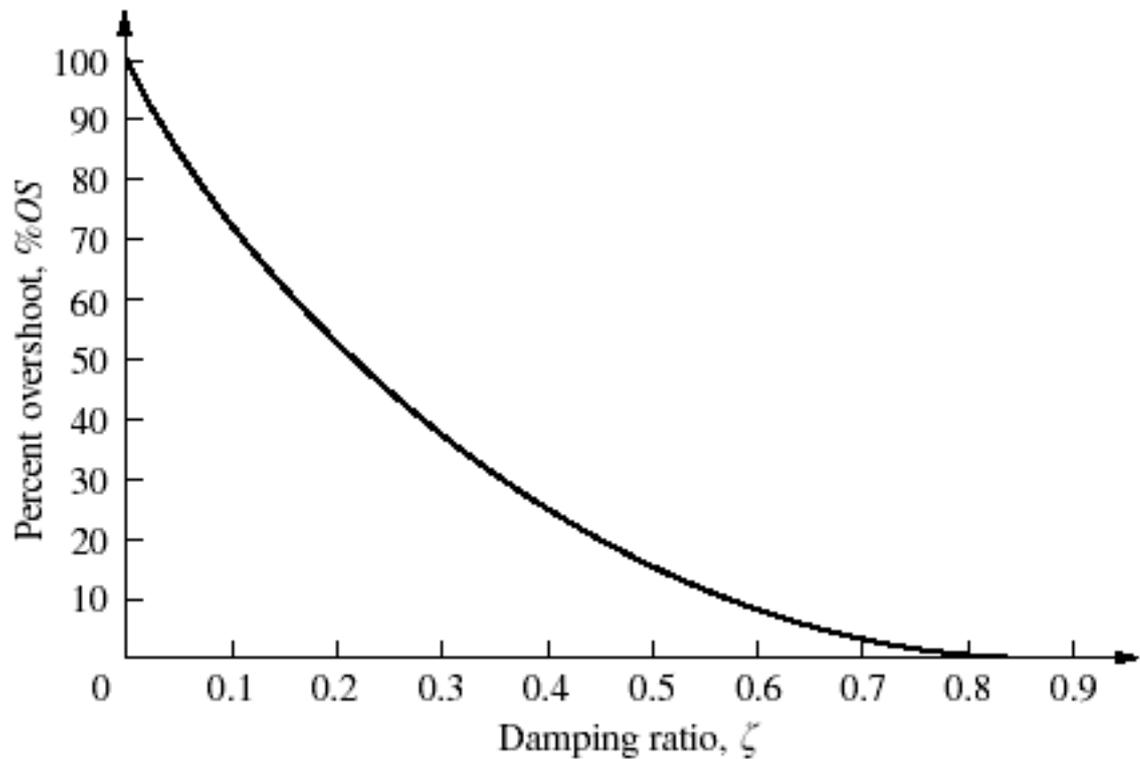
$$\frac{d^2\theta_o}{dt^2} + 2\zeta\omega_n \frac{d\theta_o}{dt} + \omega_n^2\theta_o = b_o\omega_n^2\theta_i$$

$$G(s) = \frac{\theta_o(s)}{\theta_i(s)} = \frac{b_o\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$

$$\omega_d t_r = 1/2\pi \quad \omega_d t_p = \pi$$

$$\text{P.O.} = \exp\left(\frac{-\zeta\pi}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}}\right) \times 100\%$$

$$t_s = \frac{4}{\zeta\omega_n} \quad \omega_d = \omega_n\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}$$



Controllability: $R = [B \ AB \ A^2B \ \dots \ A^{(n-1)}B]$

Observability:

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$$O = \begin{bmatrix} C \\ CA \\ CA^2 \\ \vdots \\ CA^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

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LAPLACE TRANSFORMS 111

Table 4.1 Laplace transforms

Laplace transform	Time function	Description of time function
1		A unit impulse
$\frac{1}{s}$		A unit step function
$\frac{e^{-st}}{s}$		A delayed unit step function
$\frac{1 - e^{-st}}{s}$		A rectangular pulse of duration T
$\frac{1}{s^2}$	t	A unit slope ramp function
$\frac{1}{s^3}$	$\frac{t^2}{2}$	
$\frac{1}{s+a}$	e^{-at}	Exponential decay
$\frac{1}{(s+a)^2}$	te^{-at}	
$\frac{2}{(s+a)^3}$	t^2e^{-at}	
$\frac{a}{s(s+a)}$	$1 - e^{-at}$	Exponential growth
$\frac{a}{s^2(s+a)}$	$t - \frac{(1 - e^{-at})}{a}$	
$\frac{a^2}{s(s+a)^2}$	$1 - e^{-at} - ate^{-at}$	
$\frac{s}{(s+a)^2}$	$(1 - at)e^{-at}$	
$\frac{1}{(s+a)(s+b)}$	$\frac{e^{-at} - e^{-bt}}{b - a}$	
$\frac{ab}{s(s+a)(s+b)}$	$1 - \frac{b}{b-a}e^{-at} + \frac{a}{b-a}e^{-bt}$	
$\frac{1}{(s+a)(s+b)(s+c)}$	$\frac{e^{-at}}{(b-a)(c-a)} + \frac{e^{-bt}}{(c-a)(a-b)} + \frac{e^{-ct}}{(a-c)(b-c)}$	
$\frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2}$	$\sin \omega t$	Sine wave
$\frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}$	$\cos \omega t$	Cosine wave
$\frac{\omega}{(s+a)^2 + \omega^2}$	$e^{-at} \sin \omega t$	Damped sine wave
$\frac{s+a}{(s+a)^2 + \omega^2}$	$e^{-at} \cos \omega t$	Damped cosine wave
$\frac{\omega^2}{s(s^2 + \omega^2)}$	$1 - \cos \omega t$	
$\frac{\omega^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega s + \omega^2}$	$\frac{\omega}{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}} e^{-\zeta\omega t} \sin[\omega\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}t]$	
$\frac{\omega^2}{s(s^2 + 2\zeta\omega s + \omega^2)}$	$1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}} e^{-\zeta\omega t} \sin[\omega\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}t + \phi]$	
with $\zeta < 1$	with $\zeta = \cos \phi$	

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Table 15.1 z-transforms

<i>Sampled $f(t)$, sampling period T</i>	<i>$F(z)$</i>
Unit impulse, $\delta(t)$	1
Unit impulse delayed by kT	z^{-k}
Unit step, $u(t)$	$\frac{z}{z-1}$
Unit step delayed by kT	$\frac{z}{z^k(z-1)}$
Unit ramp, t	$\frac{Tz}{(z-1)^2}$
t^2	$\frac{T^2z(z+1)}{(z-1)^3}$
e^{-at}	$\frac{z}{z-e^{-aT}}$
$1 - e^{-at}$	$\frac{z(1 - e^{-aT})}{(z-1)(z - e^{-aT})}$
$t e^{-at}$	$\frac{Tz e^{-aT}}{(z - e^{-aT})^2}$
$e^{-at} - e^{-bt}$	$\frac{(e^{-aT} - e^{-bT})z}{(z - e^{-aT})(z - e^{-bT})}$
$\sin \omega t$	$\frac{z \sin \omega T}{z^2 - 2z \cos \omega T + 1}$
$\cos \omega t$	$\frac{z(z - \cos \omega T)}{z^2 - 2z \cos \omega T + 1}$
$e^{-at} \sin \omega t$	$\frac{z e^{-aT} \sin \omega T}{z^2 - 2z e^{-aT} \cos \omega T + e^{-2aT}}$
$e^{-at} \cos \omega t$	$\frac{z(z - e^{-aT} \cos \omega T)}{z^2 - 2z e^{-aT} \cos \omega T + e^{-2aT}}$

Table 15.2 z-transforms

$f[k]$	$f[0], f[1], f[2], f[3], \dots$	$F(z)$
$1u[k]$	1, 1, 1, 1, ...	$\frac{z}{z-1}$
a^k	$a^0, a^1, a^2, a^3, \dots$	$\frac{z}{z-a}$
k	0, 1, 2, 3, ...	$\frac{z}{(z-1)^2}$
ka^k	0, $a^1, 2a^2, 3a^3, \dots$	$\frac{az}{(z-a)^2}$
ka^{k-1}	0, $a^0, 2a^1, 3a^2, \dots$	$\frac{z^2}{(z-a)^2}$
e^{-ak}	$e^0, e^{-a}, e^{-2a}, e^{-3a}, \dots$	$\frac{z}{z - e^{-a}}$

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$$W = \frac{P_1 V_1 - P_2 V_2}{n-1} \quad W = P (v_2 - v_1)$$

$$W = PV \ln\left(\frac{V_2}{V_1}\right)$$

$$Q = C_d A \sqrt{2gh}$$

$$V_1 = C \sqrt{2g h_2 \left(\frac{\rho g_m}{\rho g} - 1 \right)}$$

$$\sum F = \frac{\Delta M}{\Delta t} = \Delta M \cdot$$

$$F = \rho QV$$

$$Re = V L \rho / \mu$$

$$dQ = du + dw$$

$$du = cu dT$$

$$dw = pdv$$

$$pv = mRT$$

$$h = h_f + xh_{fg}$$

$$s = s_f + xs_{fg}$$

$$v = x V_g$$

$$\dot{Q} - \dot{w} = \sum \dot{m} h$$

$$F = \frac{2\pi L \mu}{L_n \left(\frac{R_2}{R_3} \right)}$$

$$ds = \frac{dQ}{T}$$

$$S_2 - S_1 = C_{pl} L_n \frac{T_2}{T_1}$$

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$$S_g = C_{pL} L_n \frac{T}{273} + \frac{h_{fg}}{T_f}$$

$$S = C_{pL} L_n \frac{T_f}{273} + \frac{hf_g}{T_f} + C_{pu} L_n \frac{T}{T_f}$$

$$S_2 - S_1 = MC_p L_n \frac{T_2}{T_1} - MRL_n \frac{P_2}{P_1}$$

$$F_D = \frac{1}{2} CD \rho u^2 s$$

$$F_L = \frac{1}{2} C_L \rho u^2 s$$

$$S_p = \frac{d}{ds} (P + \rho g Z)$$

$$Q = \frac{\pi D^4 \Delta p}{128 \mu L}$$

$$h_f = \frac{64}{R} \left(\frac{L}{D} \right) \left(\frac{v^2}{2g} \right)$$

$$h_f = \frac{4fLv^2}{d2g}$$

$$f = \frac{16}{Re}$$

$$h_m = \frac{Kv^2}{2g}$$

$$h_m = \frac{k(V_1 - V_2)^2}{2g}$$

$$\zeta = \left(1 - \frac{T_L}{T_H} \right)$$

$$S_{gen} = (S_2 - S_1) + \frac{Q}{T}$$

$$W = (U_1 - U_2) - T_o(S_1 - S_2) - T_o S_{gen}$$

$$W_u = W - P_o(V_2 - V_1)$$

$$W_{rev} = (U_1 - U_2) - T_o(S_1 - S_2) + P_o(V_1 - V_2)$$

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$$\Phi = (U - U_0) - T(S - S_0) + P_0(V - V_0)$$

$$I = T_0 S_{gen}$$

$$V = r\omega$$

$$\lambda = \mu \frac{V}{t}$$

$$F = \frac{2\pi L \mu u}{L_n \left(\frac{R_2}{R_1} \right)}$$

$$T = \frac{\pi^2 \mu N}{60t} (R_1^4 - R_2^4)$$

$$p = \frac{\rho g Q H}{1000}$$

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DIMENSIONS FOR CERTAIN PHYSICAL QUANTITIES

Quantity	Symbol	Dimensions	Quantity	Symbol	Dimensions
Mass	m	M	Mass /Unit Area	m/A^2	ML^{-2}
Length	l	L	Mass moment	ml	ML
Time	t	T	Moment of Inertia	I	ML^2
Temperature	T	θ	-	-	-
Velocity	u	LT^{-1}	Pressure /Stress	p/σ	$ML^{-1}T^{-2}$
Acceleration	a	LT^{-2}	Strain	τ	$M^0L^0T^0$
Momentum/Impulse	mv	MLT^{-1}	Elastic Modulus	E	$ML^{-1}T^{-2}$
Force	F	MLT^{-2}	Flexural Rigidity	EI	ML^3T^{-2}
Energy - Work	W	ML^2T^{-2}	Shear Modulus	G	$ML^{-1}T^{-2}$
Power	P	ML^2T^{-3}	Torsional rigidity	GJ	ML^3T^{-2}
Moment of Force	M	ML^2T^{-2}	Stiffness	k	MT^{-2}
Angular momentum	-	ML^2T^{-1}	Angular stiffness	T/η	ML^2T^{-2}
Angle	η	$M^0L^0T^0$	Flexibility	$1/k$	$M^{-1}T^2$
Angular Velocity	ω	T^{-1}	Vorticity	-	T^{-1}
Angular acceleration	α	T^{-2}	Circulation	-	L^2T^{-1}
Area	A	L^2	Viscosity	μ	$ML^{-1}T^{-1}$
Volume	V	L^3	Kinematic Viscosity	τ	L^2T^{-1}
First Moment of Area	Ar	L^3	Diffusivity	-	L^2T^{-1}
Second Moment of Area	I	L^4	Friction coefficient	f/μ	$M^0L^0T^0$
Density	ρ	ML^{-3}	Restitution coefficient		$M^0L^0T^0$
Specific heat-Constant Pressure	C_p	$L^2T^{-2}\theta^{-1}$	Specific heat-Constant volume	C_v	$L^2T^{-2}\theta^{-1}$

Note: \underline{a} is identified as the local sonic velocity, with dimensions $L.T^{-1}$

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