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ADVANCED THERMOFLUIDS & CONTROL
SYSTEMS
MODULE NO: AME6015

Date: Thursday 13th January 2022

Time: 10:00 – 12:30

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

There are SIX questions.

Answer FOUR questions.

All questions carry equal marks.
Attempt TWO questions from PART A
and TWO questions from PART B

Marks for parts of questions are shown
in brackets.

CANDIDATES REQUIRE :

Thermodynamic properties of fluids
tables are provided

Take density of water = 1000 kg/m³
Formula sheets provided

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PART A – ATTEMPT ANY TWO QUESTIONS FROM PART A

Q1.

- a) For the laminar flow through a circular pipe of radius R as shown in **Figure Q1a.**, prove the following:

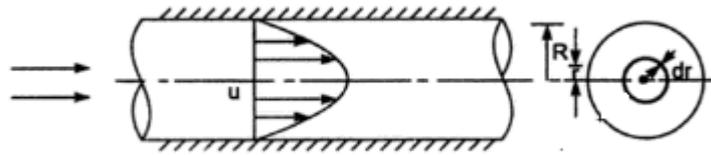


Figure Q1a. Circular pipe

- i) The shear stress variation across the section of the pipe is linear
(10 marks)
- ii) The velocity variation is parabolic
(10 marks)
- b) The external and internal diameters of a collar bearing R_1 and R_2 are 200mm and 150mm respectively. Between the collar surface and the bearing, an oil film of thickness t 0.25 mm and of viscosity 0.9 poise, is maintained.

Determine the following:

- i) Torque required to overcome the viscous resistance of the oil when the shaft is running at 250 r.p.m
(3 marks)
- ii) Power lost in overcoming the viscous resistance of oil
(2 marks)

Total 25 marks

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Q2

a) Water at 30°C flows at a rate of 55 litres/s in a cast iron pipe of 40cm diameter and 80m length. The system includes a sudden entrance ($k_e = 0.5$), gate valve ($k_g = 0.15$) and a globe valve ($k_{gv} = 10$).

Given the kinematic viscosity of water at 30°C = $1.008 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$.

The surface roughness value for cast iron = 0.086mm.

Evaluate the following:

- i. Reynolds Number **(2 marks)**
- ii. Friction factor from Moody diagram **(4 marks)**
- iii. Major head loss **(4 marks)**
- iv. Minor head loss **(5 marks)**
- v. Total head loss **(3 marks)**

b) An oil of viscosity 0.1 Ns/m^2 and relative density 0.9 is flowing through a circular pipe of diameter 50mm and of length 300m. The rate of flow of fluid through the pipe is 3.5 litres/s. Evaluate the following

- i) The pressure drop in a length of 300m **(3 marks)**
- ii) Shear stress at the pipe wall **(2 marks)**

c) Explain the following terms

- i) surface roughness fraction
- ii) Friction factor **(2 marks)**

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Q3

a) Steam enters an engine at an absolute pressure of 10bar and at a temperature of 400°C. It is exhausted at a pressure of 0.2 bar. The steam at exhaust is 0.9 dry. Using the data from the steam table determine the following:

i) Drop in enthalpy
(5 marks)

ii) Change in entropy
(5 marks)

iii) Sketch the process in T-S diagram
(2 marks)

(b) A closed system contains air at pressure 1.5 bar, temperature 350K and volume 0.05 m³. This system undergoes a thermodynamic cycle consisting of the following three processes in series:

Process 1-2: Constant volume heat addition till pressure becomes 5 bar.

Process 2-3: Constant pressure cooling.

Process 3-1: Isothermal heating to initial state

i. Evaluate the work done for each process
(3 marks)

ii. Evaluate the heat transfer for each process
(3 marks)

iii. Evaluate the change in entropy for each process
(3 marks)

iv. Represent the cycle on T-S and p-v plot.
(4 marks)

Take Specific heat capacity at constant volume, $C_v = 0.718 \text{ kJ/kgK}$ and gas constant, $R = 287 \text{ J/kgK}$

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PART B – ATTEMPT ANY TWO QUESTIONS FROM PART B

Q4

A closed-loop control system is shown in **Figure Q4**.

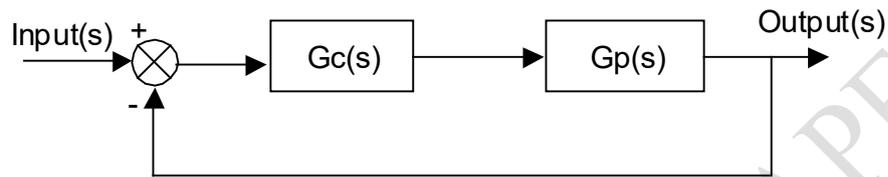


Figure Q4. closed-loop control system

Given

$$G_c(s) = 15 + 10\frac{K_i}{s} + 5sK_d \text{ and } G_p(s) = \frac{2}{s^2 + 2s + 6}$$

Where $G_c(s)$ = controller gain

$G_p(s)$ = plant transfer function

K_p = Proportional gain

K_i = Integral gain

K_d = Differential gain

- a) If $K_i=0$, determine the value of K_d for critical damping.

(6 marks)

- b) With K_D as determined in (a) determine the limiting value of K_i for a PID controller such the stability is maintained.

(8 marks)

- c) Find the K_i for a unit ramp input ($\Theta_i = \frac{1}{s^2}$) if $G_c(s)$ is a PI controller and the steady state error is less than 1%.

(6 marks)

- d) Analyse how system dynamics is affected by PID parameters K_p , K_i , K_d .

(5 marks)

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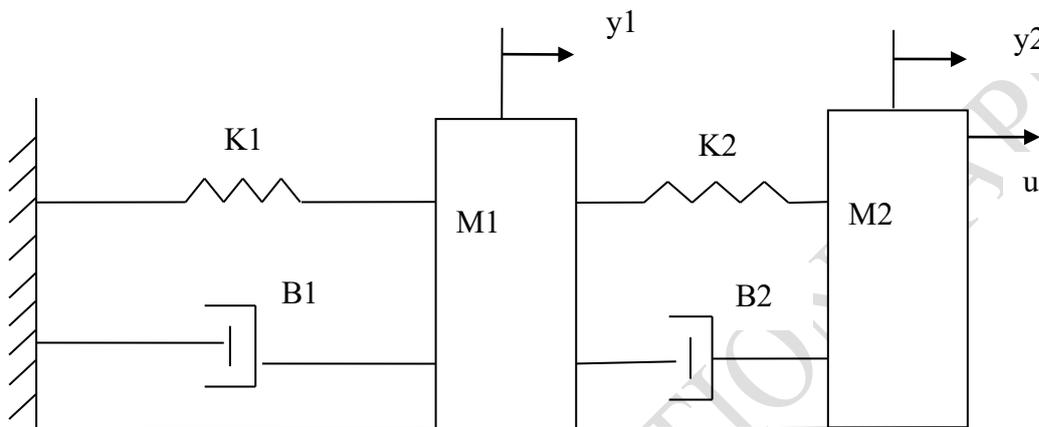
Q5

- a) Develop the state space model of a simplified industrial robotic system shown in

FigureQ5a

K= spring constant; B= Damping Coefficient; M= mass; y=displacement.

u=Force applied



FigureQ5a simplified industrial robotic system

(15 marks)

- b) The state equations of a mechanical system are given below. Analyse controllability and observability of the system.

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\mathbf{x}}_1 &= \mathbf{x}_2 \\ \dot{\mathbf{x}}_2 &= -2\mathbf{x}_1 - 3\mathbf{x}_2 + \mathbf{u} \\ \mathbf{y} &= \mathbf{x}_1 + \mathbf{x}_2\end{aligned}$$

(10 marks)

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Q6

An industrial manufacturing system using a sampled data controller is shown in **Figure Q6**. $R(s)$ – Input; $C(s)$ = output ; $E(s)$ = error ; $E^*(s)$ =sampled error; T = sampling time

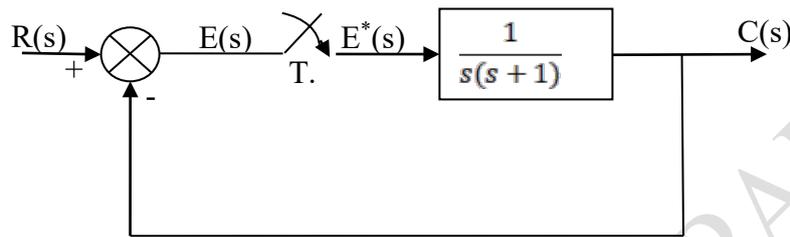


Figure Q6. sampled data controller

- a) Determine the sampled data transfer function for the given system.
(13 marks)
- b) Analyse the stability of the sampled control system shown for sampling time $T=0.5$ sec.
(12 marks)

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FORMULA SHEET

Thermofluids

$$P = \rho gh$$

$$\tau = \mu du/dy$$

$$Q - W = \Delta U + \Delta PE + \Delta KE$$

$$W = \int PdV$$

$$P V^n = C$$

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

$$\tau = -(\partial p / \partial x) r/2$$

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

$$\Delta p = (32\mu VL) / D^2$$

$$U = 1/(4\mu) -(\partial p / \partial x) (R^2 - r^2)$$

$$dQ = du + dw$$

$$du = C_v dT$$

$$dw = pdv$$

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$$pv = mRT$$

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

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

$$v = x V_g$$

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

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

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

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

$$S_2 - S_1 = mR L_n \frac{P_1}{P_2}$$

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

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

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

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Process	Index n	Heat added	$\int_1^2 p dv$	p, v, T relations	Specific heat, c
Constant pressure	$n = 0$	$c_p(T_2 - T_1)$	$p(v_2 - v_1)$	$\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \frac{v_2}{v_1}$	c_p
Constant volume	$n = \infty$	$c_v(T_2 - T_1)$	0	$\frac{T_1}{T_2} = \frac{p_1}{p_2}$	c_v
Constant temperature	$n = 1$	$p_1 v_1 \log_e \frac{v_2}{v_1}$	$p_1 v_1 \log_e \frac{v_2}{v_1}$	$p_1 v_1 = p_2 v_2$	∞
Reversible adiabatic	$n = \gamma$	0	$\frac{p_1 v_1 - p_2 v_2}{\gamma - 1}$	$p_1 v_1^\gamma = p_2 v_2^\gamma$ $\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \left(\frac{v_1}{v_2}\right)^{\gamma-1}$ $= \left(\frac{p_2}{p_1}\right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}$	0
Polytropic	$n = n$	$c_n(T_2 - T_1)$ $= c_v \left(\frac{\gamma - n}{1 - n}\right) \times (T_2 - T_1)$ $= \frac{\gamma - n}{\gamma - 1} \times \text{work done (non-flow)}$	$\frac{p_1 v_1 - p_2 v_2}{n - 1}$	$p_1 v_1^n = p_2 v_2^n$ $\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \left(\frac{v_1}{v_2}\right)^{n-1}$ $= \left(\frac{p_2}{p_1}\right)^{\frac{n-1}{n}}$	$c_n = c_v \left(\frac{\gamma - n}{1 - n}\right)$

S. No.	Process	Change of entropy (per kg)
1.	General case	(i) $c_v \log_e \frac{T_2}{T_1} + R \log_e \frac{v_2}{v_1}$ (in terms of T and v) (ii) $c_v \log_e \frac{p_2}{p_1} + c_v \log_e \frac{v_2}{v_1}$ (in terms of p and v) (iii) $c_p \log_e \frac{T_2}{T_1} - R \log_e \frac{p_2}{p_1}$ (in terms of T and p)
2.	Constant volume	$c_v \log_e \frac{T_2}{T_1}$
3.	Constant pressure	$c_p \log_e \frac{T_2}{T_1}$
4.	Isothermal	$R \log_e \frac{v_2}{v_1}$
5.	Adiabatic	Zero
6.	Polytropic	$c_v \left(\frac{n - \gamma}{n - 1}\right) \log_e \frac{T_2}{T_1}$

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

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

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

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

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

$$h_f = \frac{4fL v^2}{d 2g}$$

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

$$h_m = \frac{K v^2}{2g}$$

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

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

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$$V = r\omega$$

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

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

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

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

Control system

Blocks with feedback loop

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

Steady-State Errors

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

Second order Transfer Function

$$\mathbf{TF} = \frac{\omega_n^2}{s^2 + 2\zeta\omega_n s + \omega_n^2}$$

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	Laplace Transforms	Z Transforms
A unit impulse function	1	
A unit step function	$\frac{1}{s}$	$\frac{z}{z-1}$
Exponential Function	$\frac{1}{s+a}$	$\frac{z}{z-e^{aT}}$
A unit ramp function	$\frac{1}{s^2}$	
	$1 - e^{-at}$	$1 - z^{-1}$

Time Response for second-order systems

$$\omega_d = \omega_n (\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2})$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}}{\zeta} \right)$$

$$t_r = (\pi - \phi) / \omega_d$$

$$t_p = \pi / \omega_d$$

$$t_s = \frac{4}{\zeta \omega_n}$$

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

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