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**UNIT**



# Control Systems

## Syllabus

Principles of feedback, transfer function, block diagrams and signal flow graphs, steady-state errors, transforms and their applications; Routh-hurwitz criterion, Nyquist techniques, Bode plots, root loci, lag, lead and lead-lag compensation, stability analysis, transient and frequency response analysis, state space model, state transition matrix, controllability and observability, linear state variable feedback, PID and industrial controllers.

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# 1

## Modelling of a Control System & Transfer Function Approach

- 1.1 Match **List-I** (Physical action or activity) with **List-II** (Category of system) and select the correct answer:

### List-I

- A. Human respiration system
- B. Pointing of an object with a finger
- C. A man driving a car
- D. A thermostatically controlled room heater

### List II

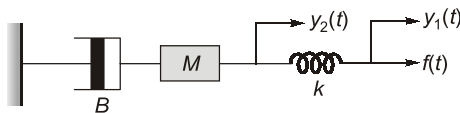
- 1. Man-made control system
- 2. Natural including biological control system
- 3. Control system whose components are both man-made and natural

### Codes:

|     | A | B | C | D |
|-----|---|---|---|---|
| (a) | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| (b) | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| (c) | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| (d) | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 |

[ESE-2001]

- 1.2 The mechanical system is shown in the given figure

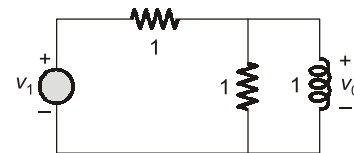


The system is described as:

- (a)  $M \frac{d^2 y_1(t)}{dt^2} + B \frac{dy_1(t)}{dt} = k[y_2(t) - y_1(t)] + f(t)$
- (b)  $M \frac{d^2 y_2(t)}{dt^2} + B \frac{dy_2(t)}{dt} = k[y_2(t) - y_1(t)] + f(t)$
- (c)  $M \frac{d^2 y_1(t)}{dt^2} + B \frac{dy_1(t)}{dt} = k[y_1(t) - y_2(t)] + f(t)$
- (d)  $M \frac{d^2 y_2(t)}{dt^2} + B \frac{dy_2(t)}{dt} = k[y_1(t) - y_2(t)] + f(t)$

[ESE-2001]

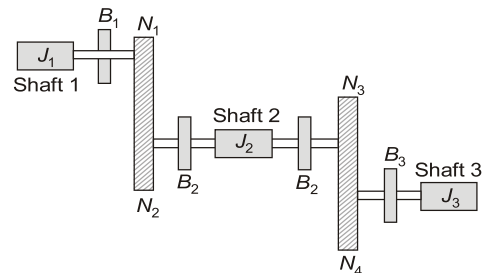
- 1.3 Select the correct transfer function  $v_o(s)/v_i(s)$  from the following for the given network.



- (a)  $\frac{2}{s(s+1)}$
- (b)  $\frac{s}{(s+2)}$
- (c)  $\frac{s}{(2s+1)}$
- (d)  $\frac{2s}{(s+1)}$

[ESE-2002]

- 1.4 Consider the following diagram:

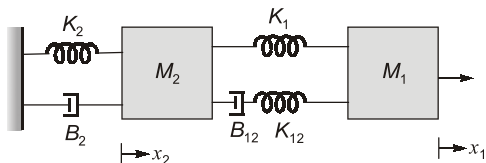


For the multiple gear system shown above, which one of the following gives the equivalent inertia referred to shaft 1?

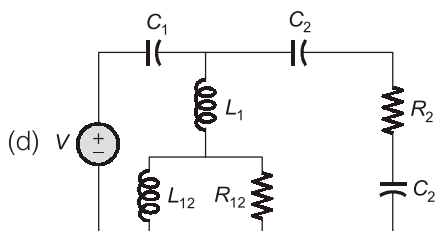
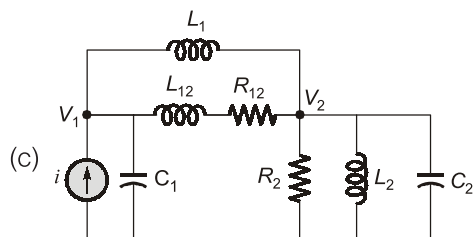
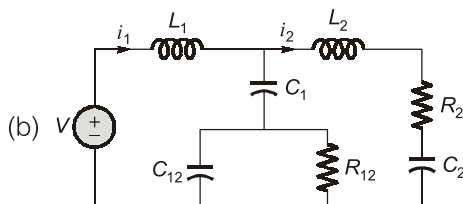
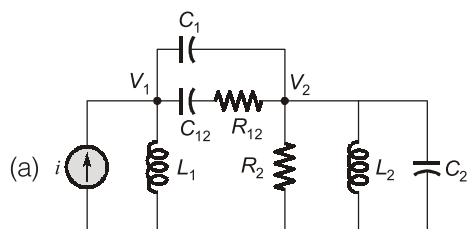
- (a)  $J_1 + J_2 \left( \frac{N_1}{N_2} \right)^2 + J_3 \left( \frac{N_1 N_3}{N_2 N_4} \right)^2$
- (b)  $J_1 + J_2 \left( \frac{N_2}{N_1} \right)^2 + J_3 \left( \frac{N_2 N_4}{N_1 N_3} \right)^2$
- (c)  $J_1 + J_2 \left( \frac{N_1}{N_2} \right)^2 + J_3 \left( \frac{N_1 N_2}{N_3 N_4} \right)^2$
- (d)  $J_1 + J_2 \left( \frac{N_2}{N_1} \right)^2 + J_3 \left( \frac{N_1 N_2}{N_3 N_4} \right)^2$

[ESE-2004]

- 1.5 Consider the following mechanical system shown in the diagram:



Which one of the following circuits shows the correct force-current analogous electrical circuit for the mechanical diagram shown above?



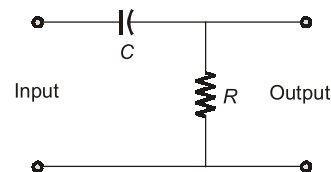
[ESE-2004]

- 1.6 The maximum temperature rise of a transformer is  $50^\circ\text{C}$ . It attains a temperature  $31.6^\circ$  in  $1/2$  hour. What is its thermal time constant?

- (a) 2 hours (b)  $1/2$  hours  
(c) 1 hour (d)  $1/4$  hours

[ESE-2005]

- 1.7 The transfer function for the diagram shown below is given by which one of the following?

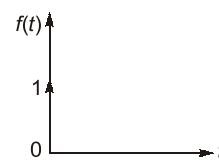


- (a)  $\frac{1}{(1+sRC)}$  (b)  $\frac{sRC}{(1+sRC)}$   
(c)  $\frac{sRC}{(1-sRC)}$  (d)  $1+sRC$

[ESE-2008]

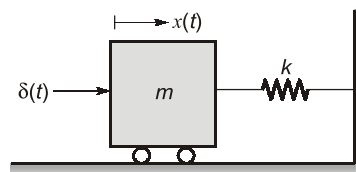
- 1.8 What does the function  $f(t)$  plotted in the below figure represent?

- (a) Unit step function  
(b) Unit impulse function  
(c) Unit ramp function  
(d) Unit parabolic function



[ESE-2008]

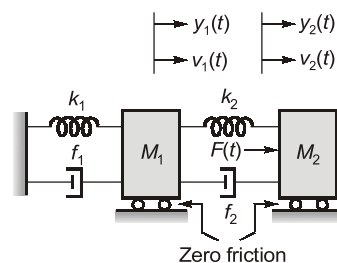
- 1.9 A mechanical system is as shown in the figure below. The system is set into motion by applying a unit impulse force  $\delta(t)$ . Assuming that the system is initially at rest and ignoring friction, what is the displacement  $x(t)$  of mass?



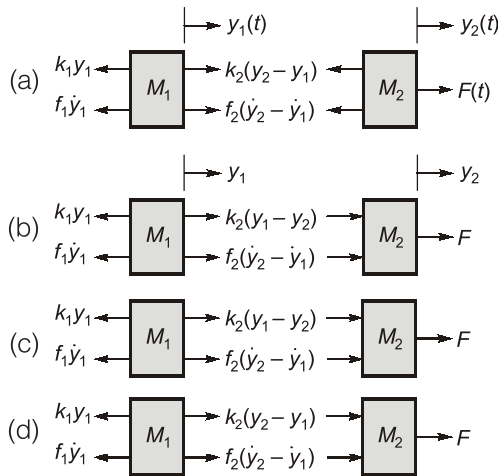
- (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{k}} \exp(-m \cdot t)$  (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{mk}} \sin(t)$   
(c)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{mk}} \sin\left(\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \cdot t\right)$  (d)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{mk}} \left(\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \cdot t\right)$

[ESE-2009]

- 1.10 Which one of the following is the correct free body diagram for the physical system as shown in the figure below?

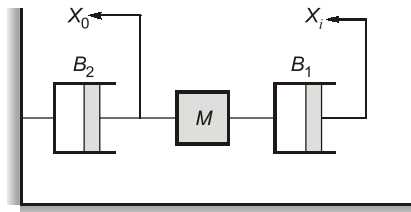


$y_1(t)$  and  $y_2(t)$  are displacements  
 $v_1(t)$  and  $v_2(t)$  are velocities.



[ESE-2009]

1.11 For the mechanical system with mass and viscous friction components, shown in figure,  $\frac{X_0(s)}{X_i(s)}$  is



- (a)  $\frac{B_2}{Ms + B_1 + B_2}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{Ms + (B_1 + B_2)}$   
 (c)  $\frac{B_1}{Ms + B_1 + B_2}$  (d) None of these

[ESE-2011]

1.12 Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists:

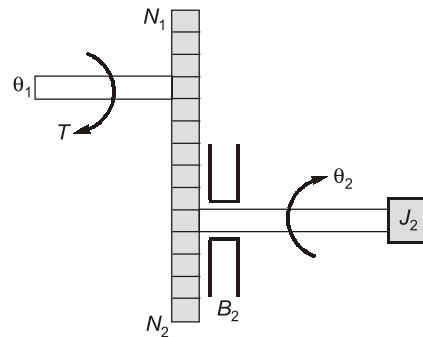
| List-I    | List-II      |
|-----------|--------------|
| A. Mass   | 1. Capacitor |
| B. Damper | 2. Voltage   |
| C. Spring | 3. Resistor  |
| D. Force  | 4. Inductor  |

Codes:

|     | A | B | C | D |
|-----|---|---|---|---|
| (a) | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| (b) | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| (c) | 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| (d) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |

[ESE-2011]

1.13 Consider the following relations with regard to the below shown gear trains:



- $\frac{\theta_1}{\theta_2} = \frac{N_2}{N_1}$
- $T_2 = J_2 \frac{d^2\theta_2}{dt^2} + B_2 \frac{d\theta_2}{dt}$
- $T_1 = J_2 \left( \frac{N_1}{N_2} \right)^2 \frac{d^2\theta_1}{dt^2} + B_2 \left( \frac{N_1}{N_2} \right)^2 \frac{d\theta_1}{dt}$

Which of these relations are correct?

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 (b) 1 and 2 only  
 (c) 2 and 3 only (d) 1 and 3 only

[ESE-2011]

1.14 The law/principle in mechanical systems, analogous to Kirchhoff's laws in electrical systems, is

- (a) first law of motion  
 (b) second law of motion  
 (c) third law of motion  
 (d) d'Alembert's principle

[ESE-2012]

1.15 Match List-I (Mechanical translation system) with List-II (Electrical element for analogous) and select the correct answer using the code given below the lists:

| List-I          | List-II      |
|-----------------|--------------|
| A. Mass         | 1. Resistor  |
| B. Damper       | 2. Inductor  |
| C. Spring       | 3. Capacitor |
| D. Displacement | 4. Charge    |

Codes:

|     | A | B | C | D |
|-----|---|---|---|---|
| (a) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| (c) | 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| (c) | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| (d) | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 |

[ESE-2012]



1.16 When deriving the transfer function of a linear element

- (a) both initial conditions and loading are taken into account
- (b) initial conditions are taken into account but the element is assumed to be not loaded.
- (c) initial conditions are assumed to be zero but loading is taken into account
- (d) initial conditions are assumed to be zero and the element is assumed to be not loaded.

[ESE-2013]

1.17 An open loop T.F. of a unity feedback system is given by

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{(s+2)^2}$$

The closed loop transfer function will have poles at

- (a) -2, -2
- (b) -2, -1
- (c)  $-2 + j$ ,  $-2 - j$
- (d) -2, 2

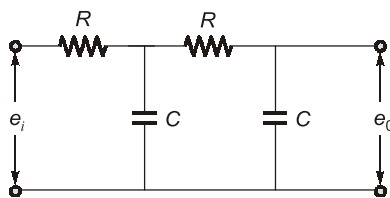
[ESE-2013]

1.18 A transfer function has its zero in the right half of the s-plane. The function

- (a) is positive real
- (b) is minimum phase
- (c) will give stable impulse response
- (d) is non-minimum phase

[ESE-2013]

1.19 The transfer function of the network shown below is



- (a)  $\frac{1}{s^2T^2 + 2sT + 1}$
- (b)  $\frac{1}{s^2T^2 + 3sT + 1}$
- (c)  $\frac{1}{s^2T^2 + sT + 1}$
- (d)  $\frac{1}{s^2T^2 + 1}$

[ESE-2013]

1.20 **Statement (I):** Servo motors have small diameter and large axial length.

**Statement (II):** Servo motors must have low inertia and high starting torque.

**Codes:**

- (a) Both Statement (I) and Statement (II) are individually true and Statement (II) is the correct explanation of Statement (I).
- (b) Both Statement (I) and Statement (II) are individually true but Statement (II) is not the correct explanation of Statement (I).
- (c) Statement (I) is true but Statement (II) is false.
- (d) Statement (I) is false but Statement (II) is true.

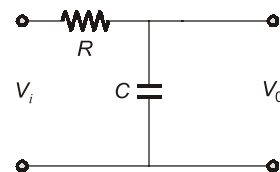
[ESE-2014]

1.21 The transfer function of a low-pass RC network is

- (a)  $RCs(1 + RCs)$
- (b)  $\frac{1}{(1 + RCs)}$
- (c)  $\frac{RC}{(1 + RCs)}$
- (d)  $\frac{s}{(1 + RCs)}$

[ESE-2014]

1.22 The transfer function of the circuit as shown in the figure is expressed as



- (a)  $\frac{R}{1 + sRC}$
- (b)  $\frac{s}{1 + sCR}$
- (c)  $\frac{1}{1 + sRC}$
- (d)  $1 + sCR$

[ESE-2015]

1.23 The servomotor differs from the standard motors principally in that, it has

- (a) entirely different construction
- (b) high inertia and hence high torque
- (c) low inertia and low torque
- (d) low inertia and higher starting torque

[ESE-2015]

1.24 The desirable features of a servomotor are

- (a) low rotor inertia and low bearing friction
- (b) high rotor inertia and high bearing friction
- (c) low rotor inertia and high bearing friction
- (d) high rotor inertia and low bearing friction

[ESE-2016]

**Answers Modelling of a Control System and Transfer Function Approach**

- 1.1 (a) 1.2 (d) 1.3 (c) 1.4 (a) 1.5 (c) 1.6 (b) 1.7 (b) 1.8 (b) 1.9 (c)  
 1.10 (a) 1.11 (c) 1.12 (d) 1.13 (a) 1.14 (d) 1.15 (d) 1.16 (d) 1.17 (c) 1.18 (d)  
 1.19 (b) 1.20 (a) 1.21 (b) 1.22 (c) 1.23 (d) 1.24 (a)

**Explanations Modelling of a Control System and Transfer Function Approach****1.3 (c)**

Applying nodal analysis

$$V_1 - V_0 = V_0 + \frac{V_0}{s}$$

$$V_1 = 2V_0 + \frac{V_0}{s}$$

$$V_1 = V_0 \left( \frac{2s+1}{s} \right)$$

 $\therefore$ 

$$\boxed{\frac{V_0}{V_1} = \frac{s}{2s+1}}$$

**1.6 (b)**

$$31.6 = (1 - e^{-t/\tau})$$

$$\Rightarrow \tau = \frac{1}{2} \text{ hour}$$

**1.7 (b)**

$$\text{T.F.} = \frac{V_0}{V_i} = \frac{R}{R + \frac{1}{Cs}} = \frac{RCs}{1 + RCs}$$

**1.9 (c)**

$$\delta(t) = \frac{md^2x(t)}{dt^2} + kx(t)$$

Taking Laplace transform

$$1 = ms^2 X(s) + k[X(s)]$$

$$\therefore X(s) = \frac{1}{ms^2 + k}$$

$$X(s) = \frac{1}{m \left[ s^2 + \frac{k}{m} \right]}$$

$$X(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{mk}} \sin \left( \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \cdot t \right)$$

**1.11 (c)**

Dynamic equation,

$$M \frac{d^2x_0}{dt^2} + B_2 \frac{dx_0}{dt} + B_1 \frac{d}{dt}(x_0 - x_i) = 0$$

$$MX_0(s)s^2 + B_2X_0(s)s + B_1(X_0(s) - X_i(s))s = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{X_0(s)}{X_i(s)} &= \frac{B_1s}{Ms^2 + (B_1 + B_2)s} \\ &= \frac{B_1}{Ms + B_1 + B_2} \end{aligned}$$

**1.12 (d)**

|        | Voltage analogy | Current analogy |
|--------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Force  | Voltage         | Current         |
| Mass   | Inductor        | Capacitor       |
| Spring | 1/C             | 1/L             |
| Damper | R               | 1/R             |

Hence, option (d) is correct.

**1.13 (a)**

Number of teeth is proportional to the radius

$$\frac{r_1}{r_2} = \frac{N_1}{N_2}$$

Distance travelled on the surface of the gear is

$$\text{the same for both } r_1\theta_1 = r_2\theta_2 \Rightarrow \frac{r_1}{r_2} = \frac{\theta_2}{\theta_1}$$

Work done by one gear is equal to the other

$$T_1\theta_1 = T_2\theta_2 \Rightarrow \frac{T_1}{T_2} = \frac{\theta_2}{\theta_1}$$

$$\text{Combining, } \frac{T_1}{T_2} = \frac{\theta_2}{\theta_1} = \frac{N_1}{N_2} = \frac{r_1}{r_2} = \frac{\omega_2}{\omega_1}$$

Torque on one gear can be transferred to other gear similar to transformer's transferred impedance with ratio  $N_1/N_2$ .

Hence, option (a) is correct.

**1.14 (d)**

D'Alembert's principle for the translational mechanical system is as follows:

The algebraic sum of the externally applied forces on a given body and the force resisting the motion of the body in a given direction is zero.

## 1.15 (d)

By comparing displacement with charge, we came to know that it is force voltage analogy, mass is analogous to inductor, damper to resistor, spring to capacitor and displacement to charge.

## 1.16 (d)

While deriving the transfer function of a linear element only initial conditions are assumed to be zero, whereas it is independent of loading condition.

## 1.17 (c)

$$\text{OLTF} = G(s) = \frac{1}{(s+2)^2}$$

For unity feedback system,  $H(s) = 1$

$$\therefore \text{CLTF} = \frac{G(s)}{1+G(s)H(s)} = \frac{\frac{1}{(s+2)^2}}{1+\frac{1}{(s+2)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2 + 4s + 5}$$

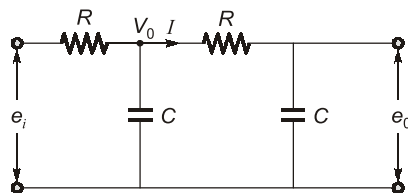
$\therefore$  Closed loop poles will be the roots of  $s^2 + 4s + 5 = 0$

i.e.  $s = -2 + j$  and  $-2 - j$

## 1.18 (d)

Non-minimum phase functions have their zeros in the right half of the s-plane.

## 1.19 (b)



$$E_o(s) = \frac{1}{sC} I(s) \quad \dots(i)$$

$$I(s) = \frac{E_i(s)}{\left(R + \frac{1}{sC}\right) \times \frac{1}{sC}} \times \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R + \frac{1}{sC} + \frac{1}{sC}}}$$

(Using current division rule)

$$= \frac{E_i(s)}{R + \frac{1}{sC}} \times \frac{1}{\frac{1}{sCR+2} + R}$$

$$I(s) = \frac{E_i(s)}{R + \frac{1}{sC} + sCR^2 + 2R} \times \frac{sCR+2}{sCR+2}$$

Using equation (i),

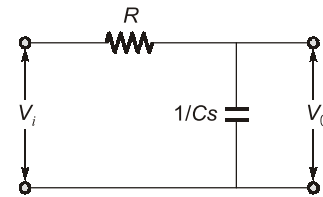
$$\frac{E_o(s)}{\frac{1}{sC}} = \frac{E_i(s)}{sCR^2 + \frac{1}{sC} + 3R}$$

$$\therefore \text{T.F.} = \frac{E_o(s)}{E_i(s)} = \frac{\frac{1}{sC}}{sCR^2 + 3R + \frac{1}{sC}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2 C^2 R^2 + 3sCR + 1}$$

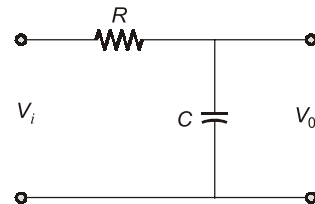
$$= \frac{1}{s^2 T^2 + 3sT + 1} \quad (\because T = RC)$$

## 1.21 (b)



$$\frac{V_0}{V_i} = \frac{1/Cs}{R + \frac{1}{Cs}} = \frac{1}{RCs + 1}$$

## 1.22 (c)

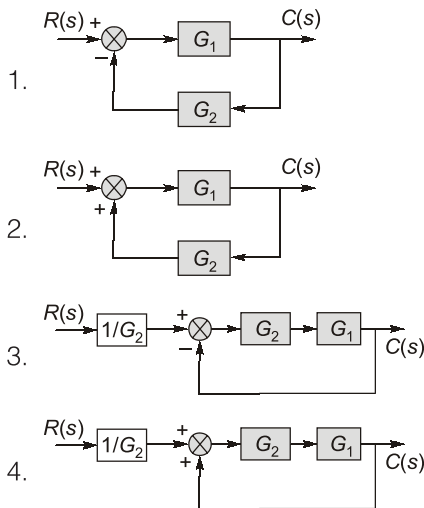


$$\frac{V_0(s)}{V_i(s)} = \frac{\frac{1}{sC}}{R + \frac{1}{sC}} = \frac{1}{1 + sRC}$$

# 2

## Block Diagram, Signal Flow Graph and Feedback Characteristics of Control Systems

2.1 Consider the following block diagrams :



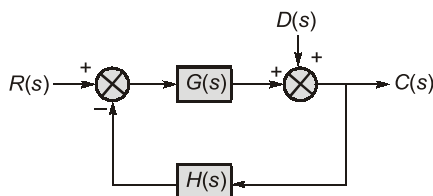
Which of these block diagrams can be reduced to

$$\text{transfer function } \frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{G_1}{1 - G_1 G_2} ?$$

- (a) 1 and 3                      (b) 2 and 4  
(c) 1 and 4                      (d) 2 and 3

[ESE-2001]

2.2 In the feedback system  $C(s)$ ,  $R(s)$  and  $D(s)$  are the system output, input and disturbance, respectively



**Assertion (A):** For system

$$\frac{C(s) \{R(s) + D(s)\}}{R(s)D(s)} = \frac{1 + G(s)}{1 + G(s)H(s)}$$

**Reason (R):** Transfer function of a system is defined as the ratio of output Laplace transform and input Laplace transform setting other inputs and the initial conditions to zero.

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A  
(b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A  
(c) A is true but R is false  
(d) A is false but R is true

[ESE-2001]

2.3 Which of the following are the characteristics of closed loop systems?

1. It does not compensate for disturbances.
2. It reduces the sensitivity of plant-parameter variations.
3. It does not involve output measurements.
4. It has the ability to control the system transient response.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- (a) 1 and 4                      (b) 2 and 4  
(c) 1 and 3                      (d) 2 and 3

[ESE-2002]

2.4 Match **List-I** (Property) with **List-II** (Specification) and select the correct answer:

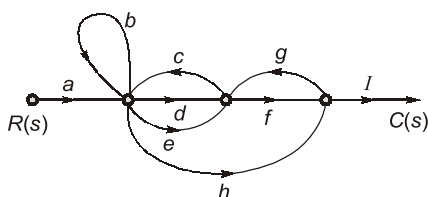
| List-I                | List-II                    |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| A. Relative stability | 1. Rise time               |
| B. Speed of response  | 2. Velocity error constant |
| C. Accuracy           | 3. Return difference       |
| D. Sensitivity        | 4. M-peak                  |

**Codes:**

|     | A | B | C | D |
|-----|---|---|---|---|
| (a) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| (b) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| (c) | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| (d) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 |

[ESE-2002]

2.5 The number of forward paths and the number of non-touching loop pairs for the signal flow graph given in the figure below are, respectively.



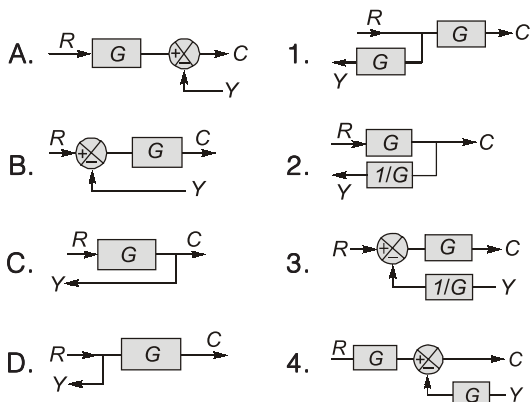
- (a) 1, 3                      (b) 3, 2  
(c) 3, 1                      (d) 2, 4

[ESE-2002]

2.6 Match **List-I** (Block Diagram) with **List-II** (Transformed Block Diagram) and select the correct answer:

List-I

List-II

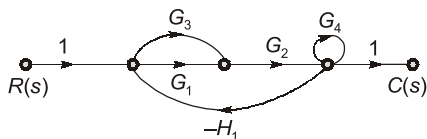


Codes:

|     | A | B | C | D |
|-----|---|---|---|---|
| (a) | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| (b) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| (c) | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| (d) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |

[ESE-2003]

2.7 The gain  $C(s)/R(s)$  of the signal flow graph shown below is

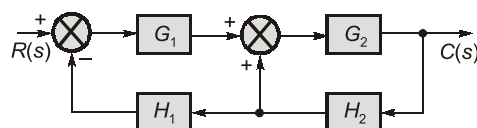


- (a)  $\frac{G_1 G_2 + G_2 G_3}{1 + G_1 G_2 H_1 + G_2 G_3 H_1 + G_4}$   
(b)  $\frac{G_1 G_2 + G_2 G_3}{1 + G_1 G_2 H_1 + G_2 G_3 H_1 - G_4}$   
(c)  $\frac{G_1 G_3 + G_2 G_3}{1 + G_1 G_3 H_1 + G_2 G_3 H_1 + G_4}$

(d)  $\frac{G_1 G_3 + G_2 G_3}{1 + G_1 G_3 H_1 + G_2 G_3 H_1 + G_4}$

[ESE-2003]

2.8 The overall gain  $\frac{C(s)}{R(s)}$  of the block diagram shown below is



- (a)  $\frac{G_1 G_2}{1 - G_1 G_2 H_1 H_2}$   
(b)  $\frac{G_1 G_2}{1 - G_2 H_2 - G_1 G_2 H_1}$   
(c)  $\frac{G_1 G_2}{1 - G_2 H_2 + G_1 G_2 H_1 H_2}$   
(d)  $\frac{G_1 G_2}{1 - G_1 G_2 H_1 - G_1 G_2 H_2}$

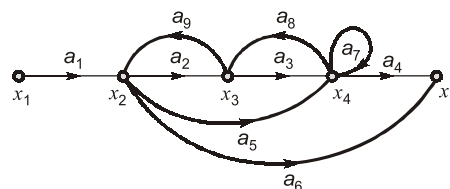
[ESE-2003]

2.9 Which one of the following effects in the system is NOT caused by negative feedback?

- (a) Reduction in gain  
(b) Increase in bandwidth  
(c) Increase in distortion  
(d) Reduction in output impedance

[ESE-2003]

2.10 The signal flow graph for a certain feedback control system is given below:



Now consider the following set of equations for the nodes:

1.  $x_2 = a_1 x_1 + a_9 x_3$   
2.  $x_3 = a_2 x_2 + a_8 x_4$   
3.  $x_4 = a_3 x_3 + a_5 x_2$   
4.  $x_5 = a_4 x_4 + a_6 x_2$

Which of the above equations are correct?

- (a) 1, 2 and 3                      (b) 1, 3 and 4  
(c) 2, 3 and 4                      (d) 1, 2 and 4

[ESE-2004]

- (c) numerator polynomial of a closed-loop transfer function.
- (d) denominator polynomial of a closed-loop transfer function.

[ESE-2016]

**2.41 Statement (I):** Open-loop system is inaccurate and unreliable due to internal disturbances and lack of adequate calibration.

**Statement (II):** Closed-loop system is inaccurate as it cannot account environmental or parametric changes and may become unstable.

**Codes:**

- (a) Both Statement (I) and Statement (II) are individually true and Statement (II) is the correct explanation of Statement (I).
- (b) Both Statement (I) and Statement (II) are individually true but Statement (II) is not the correct explanation of Statement (I).
- (c) Statement (I) is true but Statement (II) is false.
- (d) Statement (I) is false but Statement (II) is true.

[ESE-2016]

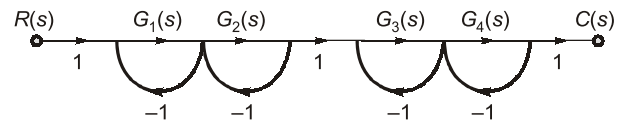
**2.42** What is the open-loop transfer function for the system, whose characteristic equation is

$$F(s) = s^3 + 3s^2 + (K + 2)s + 5K = 0 ?$$

- (a)  $G(s)H(s) = \frac{5K}{s(s+1)(s+3)}$
- (b)  $G(s)H(s) = \frac{Ks}{s(s+1)(s+2)}$
- (c)  $G(s)H(s) = \frac{K(s+5)}{s(s+1)(s+2)}$
- (d)  $G(s)H(s) = \frac{5K}{s(s+1)(s+2)}$

[ESE-2017]

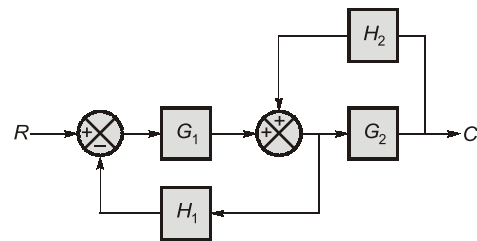
**2.43** The closed-loop transfer function  $C(s)/R(s)$  of the system represented by the signal flow graph as shown in figure is



- (a)  $\frac{G_1 G_2 G_3 G_4}{(1 + G_1 + G_2)}$
- (b)  $\frac{G_1 G_2 G_3 G_4}{(1 + G_3 + G_4)}$
- (c)  $\frac{G_1 G_2 G_3 G_4}{(1 + G_1 + G_2)(1 + G_3 + G_4)}$
- (d)  $\frac{G_1 G_2 G_3 G_4}{(1 + G_1 G_2)(1 + G_3 G_4)}$

[ESE-2018]

**2.44** For the block diagram as shown in figure, the overall transfer function  $C/R$  is



- (a)  $\frac{G_1 G_2 H_1}{(1 - G_1 H_1 - G_2 H_2)}$  (b)  $\frac{G_1 G_2}{(1 - G_1 H_1 + G_2 H_2)}$
- (c)  $\frac{G_1 G_2 H_2}{(1 + G_1 H_1 + G_2 H_2)}$  (d)  $\frac{G_1 G_2}{(1 + G_1 H_1 - G_2 H_2)}$

[ESE-2018]

**2.45** The steady state error of a type-1 system to a unit step input is

- (a)  $\frac{1}{(1 + K_p)}$  (b) 0
- (c)  $\infty$  (d)  $\frac{1}{K_v}$

[ESE-2019]

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**Answers Block Diagram, Signal Flow Graph and Feedback Characteristics of Control Systems**

- 2.1 (b) 2.2 (a) 2.3 (b) 2.4 (c) 2.5 (c) 2.6 (c) 2.7 (b) 2.8 (c) 2.9 (c)  
 2.10 (d) 2.11 (d) 2.12 (b) 2.13 (a) 2.14 (a) 2.15 (a) 2.16 (a) 2.17 (d) 2.18 (a)  
 2.19 (b) 2.20 (b) 2.21 (a) 2.22 (a) 2.23 (b) 2.24 (d) 2.25 (a) 2.26 (b) 2.27 (a)  
 2.28 (b) 2.29 (a) 2.30 (b) 2.31 (d) 2.32 (b) 2.33 (d) 2.34 (c) 2.35 (a) 2.36 (b)  
 2.37 (d) 2.38 (d) 2.39 (d) 2.40 (d) 2.41 (c) 2.42 (c) 2.43 (c) 2.44 (d) 2.45 (b)

**Explanations Block Diagram, Signal Flow Graph and Feedback Characteristics of Control Systems****2.2 (a)**

Transfer function is defined for linear systems, so superposition principle is applicable.

**2.5 (c)**

Forward path =  $adfl, aefl, ahl$

Non touching loop pairs = ( $fg$  and  $b$ ) one pair only.

**2.7 (b)**

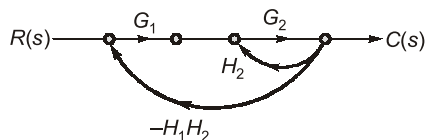
$$P = G_1 G_2; P_2 = G_2 G_3; \Delta_1 = \Delta_2 = 1$$

$$L_1 = -G_1 G_2 H_1; L_2 = G_4; L_3 = -G_3 G_2 H_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore T(s) &= \frac{P_1 \Delta_1 + P_2 \Delta_2}{1 - (L_1 + L_2 + L_3)} \\ &= \frac{G_1 G_2 + G_2 G_3}{1 + G_1 G_2 H_1 + G_2 G_3 H_1 - G_4} \end{aligned}$$

**2.8 (c)**

Making signal flow graph



$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{C(s)}{R(s)} &= \frac{G_1 G_2}{1 - (G_2 H_2 - G_1 G_2 H_1 H_2)} \\ &= \frac{G_1 G_2}{1 - G_2 H_2 + G_1 G_2 H_1 H_2} \end{aligned}$$

**2.11 (d)**

Block diagram 'B' can be obtained from 'A' and 'C' can be obtained from 'B'.

**2.13 (a)**

$$T(s) = (G_1 + G_3) \frac{G_2}{1 + G_2 H_1} = \frac{G_1 G_2 + G_2 G_3}{1 + G_2 H_1}$$

**2.16 (a)**

Speed of response is proportional to the bandwidth of the system. Higher the bandwidth faster the response.

**2.18 (a)**

Solving positive feed back

$$T.F. = \frac{G}{1 - GF}$$

Now solving negative feed back path

$$T.F_1 = \frac{G}{1 - GF + \frac{GH}{1 - GF}}$$

$$T.F_1 = \frac{G}{1 - GF + GH}$$

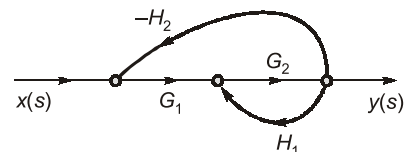
**2.20 (b)**

Only one loop and two path so using Mason's gain formula.

$$\frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{1 + s^{-1}a}{1 - (-bs^{-1})} = \frac{1 + \frac{a}{s}}{1 + \frac{b}{s}} = \frac{s + a}{s + b}$$

**2.21 (a)**

Making signal flow graph



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{y(s)}{x(s)} &= \frac{G_1 G_2}{1 - (G_2 H_1 - G_1 G_2 H_2)} \\ &= \frac{G_1 G_2}{1 - G_2 H_1 + G_1 G_2 H_2} \end{aligned}$$