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Mechanical Engineering Department
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Second Exam

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Exam Weight: 20

Question	Points	ILO's	ILO's %	Question Grade
Q1	55	3	100	
Q2	45	3	100	
Student Grade				

Exam Notes:

1. Solve all the problems.
2. Closed books and notes.
3. Read each problem carefully before attempting to solve it.
4. Write all work on this exam paper.

Instructors:

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Question 1: (55 points)

For the following transfer function, and using **diagonal canonical form**, determine:

1) The signal flow graph model

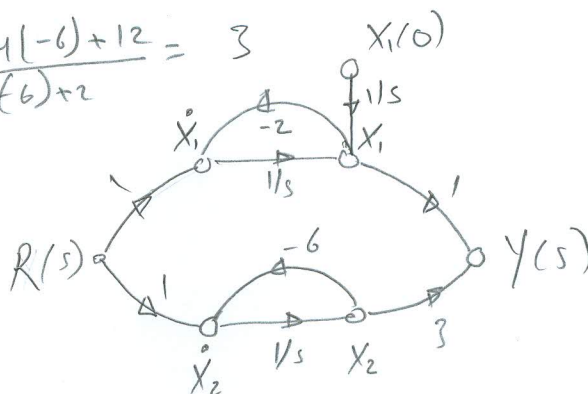
$$T(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{R(s)} = \frac{4s + 12}{s^2 + 8s + 12}$$

$$s_{1,2} = \frac{-8 \pm \sqrt{(8)^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 12}}{2} = -4 \pm 2$$

$$T(s) = \frac{4s+12}{s^2+8s+12} = \frac{k_1}{(s+2)} + \frac{k_2}{(s+6)}$$

$$k_1 = \frac{4s+12}{s+6} \Big|_{s=-2} = \frac{4(-2)+12}{(-2)+6} = 1$$

$$k_2 = \frac{4s+12}{s+2} \Big|_{s=-6} = \frac{4(-6)+12}{(-6)+2} = 3$$



2) The state differential equation in matrix form.

$$\dot{X}_1 = -2X_1 + r(t)$$

$$\dot{X}_2 = -6X_2 + r(t)$$

$$\dot{\vec{X}} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} r(t)$$

5 marks on $\dot{X}_1 \neq X(s)$ on the S.F.G.

3) $\Phi_{2,1}(t)$ from the signal flow graph

from $X_1(0)$ to $X_2(s)$

$$\phi_{2,1}(s) = \frac{X_2(s)}{X_1(0)} = \frac{\sum R_k D_{1k}}{D}$$

from the S.F.G.M. $\Rightarrow$ No path from $X_1(0)$ to $X_2(s)$
 $\Rightarrow P=0$

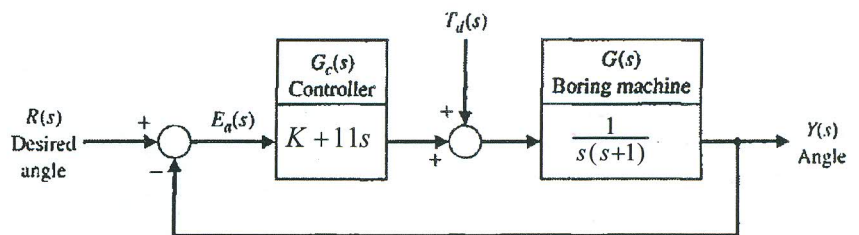
$$\Rightarrow \phi_{2,1}(s) = 0 \quad (\text{Diagonal Canonical form})$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\phi_{2,1}(t) = 0}}$$

Question 2: (45 points)

For a system represented by the following block diagram model, determine:

- 1) Determine the sensitivity of the system to the change of the parameter K



$$S_K^T = \frac{\partial T}{\partial K} \frac{K}{T}$$

$$T = \frac{\frac{K+11s}{s(s+1)}}{1 + \frac{K+11s}{s(s+1)}} = \frac{K+11s}{s(s+1) + K+11s} = \frac{K+11s}{s^2 + 12s + K}$$

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial K} = \frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial K} \left(\frac{K+11s}{s^2 + 12s + K} \right)}{\left(\frac{K+11s}{s^2 + 12s + K} \right)} = \frac{\frac{(1)(s^2 + 12s + K) - (K+11s)(1)}{(s^2 + 12s + K)^2}}{\frac{K+11s}{s^2 + 12s + K}} = \frac{s^2 + s}{(s^2 + 12s + K)^2}$$

$$S_K^T = \frac{s^2 + s}{(s^2 + 12s + K)^2} \cdot \frac{K}{(K+11s)} = \frac{(s^2 + s)K}{(s^2 + 12s + K)(K+11s)} = \frac{Ks^2 + Ks}{11s^3 + (132 + K)s^2 + 23Ks + K^2}$$

- 2) The steady state error of the system to a unit step input.

$$E_a(s) = R(s) - Y(s) = \frac{1}{1+G(s)} R(s)$$

[Unit feedback system]

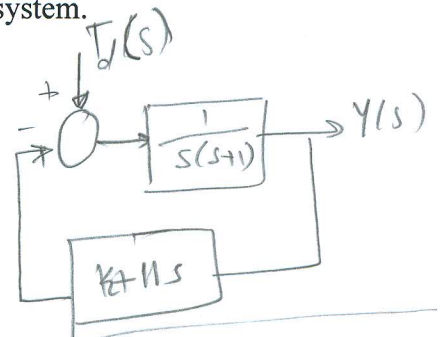
$$E_a(s) = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{K+11s}{s(s+1)}} R(s) = \frac{s(s+1)}{s(s+1) + K+11s} \cdot \frac{1}{s} = \frac{s+1}{s^2 + 12s + K}$$

$$e_a(\infty) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s E_a(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s \left(\frac{s+1}{s^2 + 12s + K} \right) = 0$$

- 3) The effect of unit step disturbance on the output response of the system.

$$Y(s) = \frac{\frac{1}{s(s+1)}}{1 + \frac{1}{s(s+1)} \cdot (K+11s)} T_d(s)$$

$$= \frac{1}{s(s+1) + K+11s} T_d(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + 12s + K} T_d(s)$$



$$y(\infty) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s \left(\frac{1}{s^2 + 12s + K} \cdot \frac{1}{s} \right) = \frac{1}{K}$$

$$\text{OR: } s_{1,2} = \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{(12)^2 - 4(1)(K)}}{2 \times 1}$$

$\Rightarrow$ Depending on the value of K
 $0 \leq K < 36 \Rightarrow$ overdamped $\Rightarrow y(t)$
 $36 < K \Rightarrow$ underdamped