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# **N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) : POLLACHI**

## **END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : JULY-2022**

## **M. Sc.-MATHEMATICS**

**MAXIMUM MARKS: 70**

## **SEMESTER : IV**

**TIME : 3 HOURS**

## CONTROL THEORY

**SECTION - A** **(10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)**

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.**

## **MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS.**

1. The system  $\dot{x} = A(t)x$ ,  $y(t) = H(t)x(t)$  is \_\_\_\_\_ on an interval  $t \in [0, T]$  if  $y(t) = H(t)x(t) = 0$  implies  $x(t) = 0$ ,  $t \in [0, T]$ .  
a) linearly independent      b) linearly dependent      c) observable      d) singular
2. The system described by  $\dot{x}_1 = -x_1 + u_1$ ,  $\dot{x}_2 = 2x_2 + u_1 + u_2$  is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) observable      b) controllable      c) nonsingular      d) singular
3. The system  $\dot{x} = Ax$  is asymptotically stable if all the eigenvalues of  $A$  have \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) positive real parts      b) negative real parts      c) positive values      d) negative values
4. The system  $\dot{x} = (A + BK)x$  is called a/an \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) an open loop system      b) a closed loop system      c) positive definite      d) stable
5. The optimal control must \_\_\_\_\_ the Hamiltonian.  
a) minimize      b) maximize  
c) both maximize and minimize      d) neither maximize nor minimize

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES.**

K2

6. Define a reconstruction Kernel.
7. Define completely controllable system.
8. Define uniformly stable solution
9. Define stabilizability.
10. Write down the linear time invariant system.

## **SECTION – B**

(5 X 4 = 20 MARKS)

**ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.**

11. a) Prove that there exists a reconstruction kernel  $R(t)$  on  $[0, T]$  if and only if  $\dot{x} = A(t)x$ ,  $y(t) = H(t)x(t)$  is observable on  $[0, T]$   
**(OR)**

b) Check the observability of the following system  $t^2\ddot{x} + t\dot{x} - x = 0$  with observation  $y = \dot{x}$

12.a) Prove that the system  $\dot{x} = A(t)x + B(t)u$  is controllable on  $[0, T]$  if for each vector  $x \in \mathfrak{R}^n$  there is a control  $u \in L_m^2 [0, T]$  which steers 0 to  $x$ , during  $[0, T]$   
**(OR)**

b) Show that the following system is completely controllable on  $[0, T]$ :  

$$\dot{x}_1 = -x_1 + x_2 + (\cos t)u_1 + (\sin t)u_2 + \frac{10x_1}{1+x_1^2+x_2^2+u_1^2}$$
 **(CONTD.....2)**

13. a) Prove that the system  $\dot{x} = Ax$  is asymptotically stable iff every eigen value of A has negative real part.

(OR)

b) Show that the following system is stable:  $\dot{x} = Ax$ , where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & -1 & 2 \\ -3 & -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

14.a) Prove that if the system  $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is controllable, then it is stabilizable.

(OR)

b) Suppose there are  $m \times n$  matrices  $K_1, K_2$  such that  $(A + BK_1)$  and  $-(A + BK_2)$  are stability matrices. Prove that the system  $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is controllable.

15. a) Prove that if  $K(t)$  is the solution of the Riccati equation

$\dot{K}(t) + K(t)A(t) + A^*(t)K(t) - K(t)S(t)K(t) + Q(t) = 0$  and if  $K(t) = F$ , then  $K(t)$  is symmetric for all  $t \in [0, T]$ .

(OR)

b) Find the optimal control  $u$  for the system  $\dot{x}(t) = x(t) + u$ ,  $x(0) = x_0$  and the cost functional  $J = \int_0^1 (3x^2(t) + u^2(t)) dt$ .

## SECTION - C

(4 X 10 = 40 MARKS)

## ANSWER ANY FOUR OUT OF SIX QUESTIONS.

(16<sup>th</sup> QUESTION IS COMPULSORY AND ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS (FROM Qn. No : 17 to 21) (K4 (Or) K5)

16. Prove that the constant coefficient system  $\dot{x} = Ax$ ,  $y = Hx$  is observable on an arbitrary interval  $[0, T]$  if and only if for some  $k$ ,  $0 < k \leq n$ , the

$$\text{rank} \begin{bmatrix} H \\ HA \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ HA^{k-1} \end{bmatrix} = n$$

17. Prove that the observed linear system  $\dot{x} = A(t)x$ ,  $y(t) = H(t)x(t)$  is observable on  $[0, T]$  if and only if the observability Grammian matrix is positive definite

18. Prove that the constant coefficient control system  $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$  is controllable if and only if  $\text{rank}[B, AB, \dots, A^{n-1}B] = n$ .

19. Let  $X(t)$  be a fundamental matrix of the system  $\dot{x} = A(t)x(t)$ , where  $A(t)$  is a  $n \times n$  matrix on  $J$ .  
 Prove the following: The system is stable iff there exists a constant  $k > 0$  with  $\|x(t)\| \leq K$ ,  $t \in J$ .  
 (ii) The system is uniformly stable iff there exists a constant  $k > 0$  with  $\|x(t, s)\| \leq K$ ,  $0 \leq s \leq t < \infty$   
 (iii) the above system is uniformly asymptotically stable iff if there exist constants  $\alpha > 0$ ,  $K > 0$  with  $\|x(t, s)\| \leq Ke^{\alpha(t-s)}$ ,  $0 \leq s \leq t < \infty$ .

20. Prove that the time variant system  $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is controllable if and only if there exist the  $m \times n$  matrices  $K_1, K_2$  for which the matrix  $I - e^{-(A+BK_2)T} e^{((A+BK_1)T)}$  is invertible.

21. Show that if  $x(t)$  and  $p(t)$  are the solutions of the canonical equations

$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}(t) \\ \dot{p}(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A(t) & -S(t) \\ -Q(t) & -A^*(t) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ p(t) \end{bmatrix}$  and  $p(t) = K(t)x(t)$  for all  $t \in [0, T]$  and all  $x(t)$ , then  $K(t)$  must satisfies the equation  $\dot{K}(t) + K(t)A(t) + A^*(t)K(t) - K(t)S(t)K(t) + Q(t) = 0$ .

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