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**FIRST SEMESTER M.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2017**  
**Chemical Engineering**  
**(Process Control)**  
**07CH6105 Modern Control Theory**

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

Answer all six questions. Part 'a' of each question is compulsory.

Answer either part 'b' or part 'c' of each question

Q.no.	Module 1	Marks
1a	Obtain the state model of the system whose transfer function is given as $\frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{10}{s^3 + 4s^2 + 2s + 1}$	4
<b>Answer b or c</b>		
b	Explain the basic elements of a state diagram? Draw the block diagram of the system described by state model, $\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \\ \dot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u; y = x_3$	5
c	Explain state vector, input vector, output vector. Write the state model of a system containing m input variables and p output variables.	5

Q.no.	Module 2	Marks
2a	State and prove Cayley Hamilton theorem.	4
<b>Answer b or c</b>		
b	Explain Quadratic forms and sign definiteness of Quadratic forms.	5

- c** Find the state transition matrix of A,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  **5**

Q.no.	Module 3	Marks
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- 3a** **4**

Given  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find the state transition matrix.

**Answer b or c**

- b** Derive any one method of solution of non homogeneous state equations? **5**
- c** Obtain the time response of the following system **5**

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{1(0)} \\ x_{2(0)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u(t) = e^{-t}, t \geq 0$$

Q.no.	Module 4	Marks
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- 4a** **4**

A discrete time system has the transfer function  $\frac{Y(z)}{U(z)} = \frac{4z^3 - 12z^2 + 13z - 7}{(z-1)^2(z-2)}$ . Determine the state model of the system in Jordan Canonical form.

**Answer b or c**

- b** Explain stability, asymptotic stability and instability using suitable physical models. **5**
- c** **5**
- State and explain the Lyapunov stability theorems

Q.no.	Module 5	Marks
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- 5a** Choose a quadratic scalar form and determine the stability of the system

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described by 
$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Answer b or c**

- b** Given a linear time independent system  $\dot{x} = Ax$ , where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ -8 & -12 \end{bmatrix}$ .

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Determine its stability by the Lyapunov direct method.

- c** Test the stability of the system described by

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$$\dot{x}_1 = -x_1 + 2x_1^2 x_2, \quad \dot{x}_2 = -x_2$$

by use of the variable gradient method

Q.no.	Module 6	Marks
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- 6a** Test the observability of the following system

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$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_1 \\ \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} u$$

**Answer b or c**

- b** Test the observability and controllability of the following system

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$$\dot{X} = AX + BU, \quad Y = CX$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -6 & -11 & -6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad C = [4 \quad 5 \quad 1]$$

- c**

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Describe the features of an optimal control problem.