

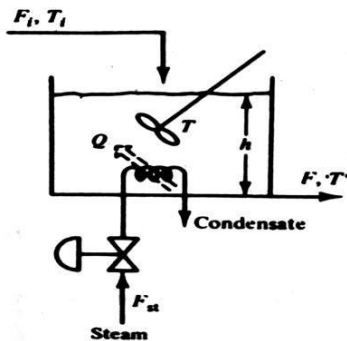
Time: 3 Hours

Total marks: 80

N.B.:

- 1) Question-1 is compulsory. Answer any three questions from remaining
- 2) Assume data if necessary and specify the assumptions clearly
- 3) Draw neat sketches wherever required
- 4) Answer to the sub-questions of an individual question should be grouped and written together i.e. one below the other

- Q.1) a) Draw feedback control loop for temperature control of stirred tank heating system shown below, classify the variables and make control pair (5)



- b) State the number of roots located on the right half of s-plane for the characteristic equation $s^3 + 4s^2 + s + 16 = 0$ (5)

- c) Consider a transfer function : $G(S) = \frac{Y(s)}{U(s)} = \frac{3}{10s+1}$ (5)

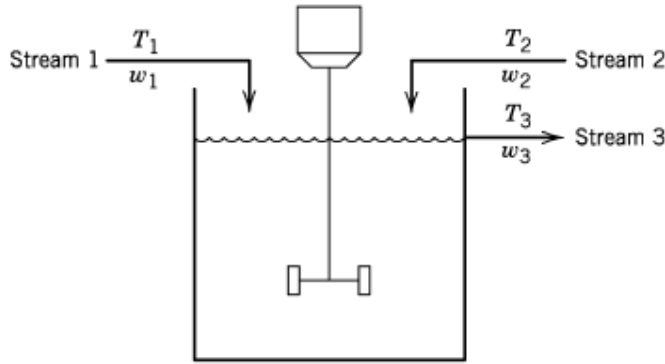
What is the steady state gain?

What is the time constant?

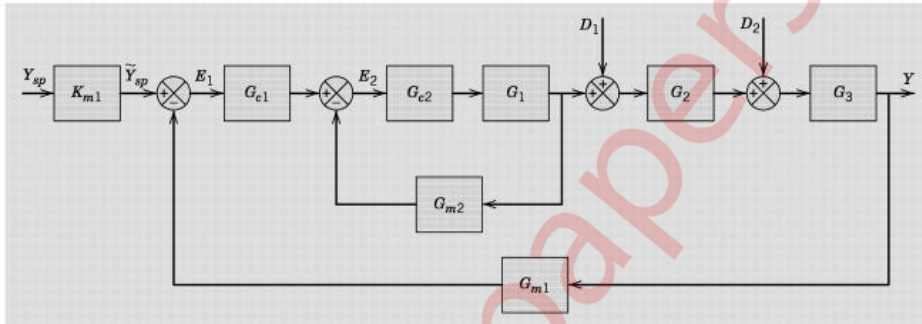
If $U(s) = 2/s$, what is the value of the output $Y(t)$ when $t \rightarrow \infty$?

- d) Draw a standard block diagram and write transfer function for Servo and Regulatory problem. (5)

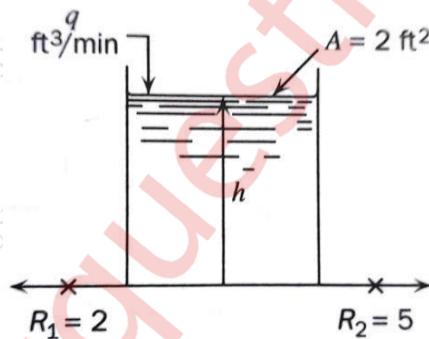
- Q.2) a) A perfectly stirred, constant-volume tank has two input streams, both consisting of the same liquid. The temperature and flow rate of each of the streams can vary with time. Derive a dynamic model that will describe transient operation. Also perform degrees of freedom analysis assuming that both Streams 1 and 2 come from upstream units (i.e., their flow rates and temperatures are known functions of time). Notes: w_i denotes mass flow rate for stream i . Liquid properties are constant (not functions of temperature) (10)



b) Obtain closed loop transfer function $Y(s)/Y_{sp}(s)$? (10)



Q.3) a) Derive the transfer function H/Q for the liquid level system shown in figure. (10)
The resistances are linear. H and Q are deviation variables. Show clearly how you derive the transfer function. You are expected to give numerical values in the transfer function.



b) A heater for a semiconductor wafer has first-order dynamics, that is, the (10)
transfer function relating changes in temperature T to changes in the heater input power level P is

$$\frac{T'(s)}{P'(s)} = \frac{K}{\tau s + 1}$$

where K has units $[\text{°C/Kw}]$ and T has units $[\text{min}]$. The process is at steady state when an engineer changes the power input stepwise from 1 to 1.5 Kw. She notes the following:

- i. The process temperature initially is 80 °C.
- ii. Four minutes after changing the power input, the temperature is 230 °C.
- iii. Thirty minutes later the temperature is 280 °C.

What are K and τ in the process transfer function?

- Q.4) a)** Consider the following transfer function of a process: **(10)**

$$Gp(s) = \frac{10e^{-1.5s}}{(4s^2 + 4s + 1)}$$

Design a PI controller, for a negative, feedback loop of the process, based on the Zeigler and Nichols tuning rules

- b)** The dynamic behavior of a pressure sensor/transmitter can be expressed as a first-order transfer function (in deviation variables) that relates the measured value P_m to the actual pressure, P : **(10)**

$$\frac{P_m(s)}{P(s)} = \frac{1}{30s + 1}$$

Both $P_m(s)$ and $P(s)$ have units of psi and the time constant has units of seconds. Suppose that an alarm will sound if P_m exceeds 45 psi. If the process is initially at steady state, and then P step changes from 35 to 50 psi at 1:10PM, at what time will the alarm sound?

- Q.5) a)** A unity feedback system has $G(s) = \frac{2(s+0.25)}{s^2(s+1)(s+0.5)}$. From bode plot, find GM, PM, phase cross over frequency, and gain cross over frequency? Also Comment on stability **(15)**

- b)** Consider a process, $Gp=0.5/(-s+1)$ that is open-loop unstable. If $Gv=Gm=1$, determine whether a proportional controller can stabilize the closed loop system? **(5)**

- Q.6) a)** Write short note on static performance characteristics of instruments **(10)**
b) Write short note on control valve characteristics **(10)**
