## BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE, PILANI 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester, 2022-2023 Control Systems (ECE/EEE/INSTR F242)

Mid-Semester Test (Open Book)

Max Time- 1.5 Hr

Max Marks - 60

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Q.1 For the closed loop system whose schematic diagram is shown in Fig. 1(a), write all the related governing equations, draw the block diagram and find the transfer function  $\frac{\Delta q_2(s)}{e_r(s)}$ . Assume the following parameters for the various components:

i) actuator dynamics:  $e_a = \frac{d\theta_R}{dt} + 2\theta_R$ ii) valve gain =2  $\frac{m^3}{s. rad}$ iii) flow-rate sensor gain = 0.5  $\frac{V}{m^3/s}$ iv) gears ratios:  $\frac{\theta_M}{\theta_L} = 10$  and  $\frac{\theta_M}{\theta_S} = 1$ v) synchro pair sensitivity = 5  $\frac{V}{rad}$ vi) amplifier gains:  $K_A = 4 \frac{V}{V}, K = 5 \frac{V}{V}$ vii) load:  $J_L = 1 k_g . m^2$  and  $B_L = 2 \frac{N.m}{rad.s}$ viii) tanks: capacitance  $C = 10 m^2$  and resistance  $R = 0.1 \frac{s}{m^2}$  (for both the tanks) ix) PD controller:  $K_p = 4$ ;  $K_d = 2$ 

The torque-speed characteristics of the AC Motor with 110 V, 50 Hz supplied to the control winding is given in Fig. 1(b). Assume motor-losses and its inertia and friction to be negligible. [17]



Fig. 1 (a)

**Q2.** Determine the overall gain (C/R) of the signal flow graph as shown in Fig.2. Leave the final answer in the form of  $\Sigma(P_i\Delta_i/\Delta)$  without simplifying. [16]





- Q3. The forward path transfer function of a negative unity feedback system is given by  $\frac{10}{(s+a)(s^2+2s+2)}$ . Determine the conditions on the parameter 'a' (where  $-\infty < a < \infty$ ) for the closed loop system to have [15]
  - i) no right half plane pole
  - ii) one right half plane pole
  - iii) two right half plane poles
  - iv) three right half plane poles

Also determine 'a' for the closed loop system to have a steady state error of 0.01 (or 1%) to a unit step input.

Q4. The unit step response for a second order plant (without any zero) is shown in Fig 4(a). The response settles in 8 s (2% tolerance band). Determine the transfer function of the plant.

Now this plant is connected with a controller & feedback mechanism as shown in Fig 4 (b) and the pole-zero map of this closed loop system is shown in Fig 4(c). This closed loop system has zero steady state error to a unit step input. Determine the transfer function of the controller. [12]

