



Bloom's Category	Continuous Assessment Tests		End Semester Examination
	1	2	
Remember	10	10	10
Understand	20	20	20
Apply	20	20	70
Analyse			
Evaluate			
Create			

**Mark distribution**

Total Marks	CIE	ESE	ESE Duration
150	50	100	3 hours

**Continuous Internal Evaluation Pattern:**

Attendance : 10 marks

Continuous Assessment Test (2 numbers) : 25 marks

Assignment/Quiz/Course project : 15 marks

**End Semester Examination Pattern:** There will be two parts; Part A and Part B. Part A contain 10 questions with 2 questions from each module, having 3 marks for each question. Students should answer all questions. Part B contains 2 questions from each module of which student should answer any one. Each question can have maximum 2 sub-divisions and carry 14 marks.

**Course Level Assessment Questions****Course Outcome 1 (CO1):**

1. Define the various norms of a system.(K1,PO1)
2. Compute the various norms of a system.(K2,PO2)
3. Identify the properness, stabilizability and detectability of the given system.(K2,PO2)

**Course Outcome 2 (CO2)**

1. Define Robust Stability and Performance of a system. (K1,PO1)
2. Apply Robust Stability and Performance measures for a system.(K3,PO3)
3. Use additive and multiplicative uncertainty to model an uncertain system.(K3,PO2,PO3)

**Course Outcome 3(CO3):**

1. Explain the formulation of  $H_2$  control. (K2,PO2)
2. Explain the formulation of  $H_\infty$  control. (K2,PO2)
3. Explain the formulation of controller using mu synthesis. (K2,PO2)

**Course Outcome 4 (CO4):**

1. Differentiate between variable structure control and SMC.(K2,PO2)
2. Explain the formulation of sliding mode control.(K2,PO3)
3. Explain the method of sliding surface design using pole placement method.(K3,PO3)

**Course Outcome 5 (CO5):**

1. Illustrate the block diagram of any one adaptive scheme.(K2,PO2)
2. Design a MRAC using MIT rule.(K3,PO3)
3. Distinguish adaptive versus conventional feedback system.(K2,PO2)

**Model Question Paper****QP CODE:****PAGES:2****Reg.No:** \_\_\_\_\_**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**  
**EIGHTH SEMESTER B.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION,**  
**MONTH & YEAR**

**Course Code: EET 448****Course Name: ROBUST AND ADAPTIVE CONTROL****Max. Marks: 100****Duration:3 Hours****PART A (3 x 10 = 30 Marks)****Answer all Questions. Each question carries 3 marks**

1. Calculate the 2-norm and  $\infty$ -norm of the given vector  $x = [1 \ -2 \ -3 \ 4]^T$ .  
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2. Define  $H_2$  and  $H_\infty$  norm.
3. Define Small gain theorem.
4. Explain the importance of Sensitivity function in robust control.
5. Formulate the standard LQR problem.
6. Explain the lack of Robustness of LQG control.
7. Differentiate between variable structure control and SMC.
8. What is chattering phenomenon in Sliding mode control? How does it affect the system?
9. Justify the statement "Process variations affect the performance of a system" with example.
10. List three applications of Adaptive control.

**PART B (14 x 5 = 70 Marks)**

Answer any one full question from each module. Each question carries 14 marks

**Module 1**

11. a) What is observability and controllability grammian. (8)

b) What is meant by Singular values of a transfer function matrix? What is their significance. (6)

12. a). How is  $H_\infty$  norm computed for a SISO system? How is  $H_\infty$  norm computation done for a MIMO system? (8)

b) The system given by

$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu, y = Cx, \text{ where } A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, C = [1 \quad 1 \quad 0]$$

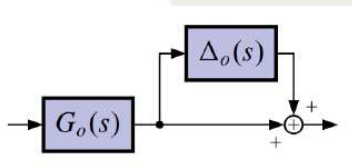
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Check the stabilizability and detectability of the system. (6)

**Module 2**

13.a) Explain the terms nominal stability, robust stability, nominal performance and robust performance. What are the conditions to be satisfied by a feedback control system for each of the above? (10)

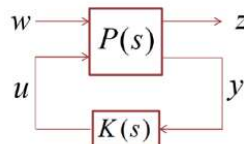
b) Identify the type of uncertainty in the given figure below. Write the mathematical model of the same.



(4)

14. a) Explain the concept of loop shaping in achieving robustness. (7)

b) Derive the LFT of the given figure below.



(7)

**Module 3**

15. a) Determine a LQR controller for the system defined by  $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$ , where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  such that the performance index  $J = \int_0^{\infty} (x^T x + u^2) dt$  is minimised. (8)
- b) Explain the formulation of LQG control. (6)
16. a) Explain the formulation of  $H_{\infty}$  control. (6)
- b) What is a structured singular value. Mention the steps in designing a stabilizing controller by mu synthesis. (8)

**Module 4**

- 17.a) Write down the steps to be followed for designing a sliding mode controller. Also list the main features of sliding mode controllers. (4)
- b) Design a stabilising variable structure control for a double integrator system (10)
- 18.a) Write two different reaching laws associated with sliding mode control design. Show how they assist the design to satisfy the reachability condition. (8)
- b) In a sliding mode there exists a finite reaching time  $t = t_f$  at which switching function  $s(t)$  becomes 0. Derive an expression for  $t_f$  in terms of  $s(0)$ . (6)

**Module 5**

19. a) Explain the design of Self Tuning Regulator by pole placement design. (8)
- b) Explain the least square estimation for parameter estimation. (6)
20. a) Design a MRAC for a first order system using MIT rule. (8)
- b) Explain with illustration the basic blocks of a MRAS. (6)

## Syllabus

### Module 1: Introduction and mathematical preliminaries( 8 hours)

Introduction to robust control

Vector space, linear subspaces, Norm and inner product of real vectors and matrix, Hilbert Spaces ,  $H_2$  and  $H_{\infty}$  Spaces - Computing of  $H_2$  and  $H_{\infty}$  norms(transfer function and transfer matrices) , Computing of  $L_2$  and  $L_{\infty}$  Norms, singular value decomposition.

Proper systems, Controllability and Observability Grammians, Concept of Minimal Realisation, Stabilizability and Detectability, Packed form notation- various configurations.

### Module 2: Feedback systems and Uncertainty modelling( 9 hours)

Single degree and two degree of freedom Robust Control Systems - System Sensitivity, Relation between Sensitivity and disturbance inputs in a feedback system, Sensitivity and Complementary Sensitivity function. Sensitivity and Complementary Sensitivity peak selection- its relation to gain and phase margin - Weighted Sensitivity and weighted complementary sensitivity.

Well-Posedness of Feedback Loop, Internal Stability.

Model Uncertainty - Classification of uncertainties -parametric, structured and unstructured-m-delta configuration- linear fractional transformation-examples.

Nominal Performance, Nominal Stability, Robust Performance and Robust Stability-Small Gain Theorem, Concept of loop shaping.

### Module 3: Robust controller design(7 hours)

Introduction to Regulator problem, Standard LQR and LQG problem, control-Lack of Robustness , Introduction to  $H_2$  control,  $H_{\infty}$  control,  $\mu$  Synthesis.

### Module 4:Design of Sliding mode controllers (7 hours)

Introduction to Variable Structure Systems ( VSS) - examples , Introduction to sliding mode control- -sliding surface- examples of dynamical systems with sliding modes, reaching laws-reachability condition, Invariance conditions- chattering-equivalent control, Design of sliding mode controllers using pole placement, LQR method.

### Module 5: Introduction to Adaptive Control(7 hours)

Adaptive Control, effects of process variation - Adaptive Schemes - Adaptive Control problem - Applications - RealTime Parameter Estimation: Introduction - Regression Models - Recursive Least Squares, Self Tuning Regulators introduction, pole placement design, Model Reference Adaptive systems (MRAS) - the need for MRAS , MIT rule, MRAS for first order system.

**Text Books**

1. Sigurd Skogestad and Ian Postewaite, “Muti-variable Feedback Design” (Second Edition), John Wiley, 2005.
2. Kemin Zhou and Doyle J.C, “Essentials of Robust Control”, Prentice-Hall, 1998.
3. C Edwards and Sarah Spurgeon, “ Sliding Mode Control: Theory And Applications”, Taylor and Francis,1998
4. K. J. Astrom and B. Wittenmark, “Adaptive Control”, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Addison-Wesley, 1995

**Reference Books**

1. P C Chandrasekharan, “Robust Control of Linear Dynamical Systems”, Academic Press, 1996
2. Richard C. Dorf, Robert H. Bishop, “Modern Control Systems”, Pearson Education, 2008.
3. S. Sastry and M. Bodson, “Adaptive Control”, Prentice-Hall, 1989
3. John C. Doyle, Bruce A. Francis, Allen R. Tannenbaum, “Feedback Control Theory” , Macmillan Pub. Co, 1992

**Course Contents and Lecture Schedule**

No	Topic	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Introduction and mathematical preliminaries( 8 hours)</b>	
1.1	Introduction to robust control, Vector space, linear subspaces, Norm and inner product of real vectors and matrix,	2
1.2	Hilbert Spaces, $H_2$ and $H_{inf}$ Spaces - Computing of $H_2$ and $H_{inf}$ norms(transfer function and transfer matrices) , Computing of $L_2$ and $L_{inf}$ Norms, singular value decomposition.	3
1.3	Proper systems- various types, Review of Minimal Realisation, Stabilizability and Detectability, Packed form notation- various configuration,	3
2	<b>Feedback systems and Uncertainty modelling( 9 hours)</b>	
2.1	Single degree and two degree of freedom Robust Control Systems - System Sensitivity, Relation between Sensitivity and disturbance	2



	inputs in a feedback system, Sensitivity and Complementary Sensitivity function.	
2.2	Sensitivity and Complementary Sensitivity peak selection- its relation to gain and phase margin - Weighted Sensitivity and weighted complementary sensitivity.  Well-Posedness of Feedback Loop, Internal Stability.	2
2.3	Model Uncertainty - Classification of uncertainties -parametric, structured and unstructured-m-delta configuration- linear fractional transformation-examples.	3
2.4	Nominal Performance, Nominal Stability, Robust Performance and Robust Stability-Small Gain Theorem, Concept of loop shaping.	2
3	<b>Robust controller design(7 hours)</b>	
3.1	Introduction to Regulator problem, Standard LQR and LQG problem, control-Lack of Robustness ,	3
3.2	Introduction to H2 control, Hinf control, mu Synthesis.	4
4	<b>Design of Sliding mode controllers (7 hours)</b>	
4.1	Introduction to Variable Structure Systems ( VSS)- examples , Introduction to sliding mode control- -sliding surface- examples of dynamical systems with sliding modes , reachability condition, Invariance conditions- chattering-equivalent control	5
4.2	Design of sliding mode controllers using pole placement, LQR method.	2
5	<b>Introduction to Adaptive Control(7 hours)</b>	
5.1	Adaptive Control, effects of process variation - Adaptive Schemes - Adaptive Control problem - Applications	1
5.2	RealTime Parameter Estimation: Introduction - Regression Models - Recursive Least Squares,	2

5.3	Self Tuning Regulators introduction, pole placement design,	2
5.4	Model Reference Adaptive systems (MRAS) - the need for MRAS , MIT rule, MRAS for first order system.	2

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