PAPUA NEW GUINEA UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINERING

EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPERS



ME 412 CONTROL ENGINEERING

SEMESTER ONE - 2024

Question 1:

• Define and discuss Step Function and write down its Laplace Transforms.

10 Marks

• Write down and discuss the Laplace Transform for the Ramp Function

15 Marks

Question 2: Discuss Proportional + Integral +Derivative Control Action.

20 Marks

Question 3: Discuss Unit-Step Response of First Order Systems.

25 Marks

Question 4: Consider the following complex function:

$$F(s) = \frac{s^2 + 2s + 3}{(s+1)^3}$$

Find the inverse Laplace transform of the function F(s). Hints:

$$L^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{s+\alpha}\right] = e^{-\alpha t}, L^{-1}\left[0\right] = 0, L^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{(s+\alpha)^n}\right] = \frac{1}{(n-1)!}t^{n-1}e^{-\alpha t}, n = 1, 2, 3...$$

30 Marks