GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE- VIth SEMESTER-EXAMINATION - MAY- 2012

Subject code: 160404 Date: 17/05/2012 **Subject Name: Instrumentation and Process Control** Time: 10:30 am - 01:00 pm**Total Marks: 70 Instructions:** 1. Attempt all questions. 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary. 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks. Q.1 (a) 1) Define and explain the following terms. 04 i) Time Constant ii) First order system iii) Step forcing functions iv) Damping parameter 03 2) Invert the following function by Laplace Transform. $y(s) = \frac{1}{(s^2 + 1)^2}$ (b) A thermometer having a time constant of 10 second is placed in a temperature 07 bath. After the thermometer reaches steady state temperature of 30 °C it is suddenly placed into a hot fluid at 60 °C. Sketch the response of the thermometer. **Q.2** (a) Define Interacting and Non-interacting system. Derive the transfer function for 07 Interacting multi capacity control system in series. (b) Derive the transfer function for U-tube manometer in which the pressure P is 07 applied on one arm and second arm is open to the atmosphere. OR (b) Derive the response equation for under-damped second order system for step 07 forcing function. Q.3 (a) The overall transfer function of the control system is given as, **07** $G(s) = \frac{10}{1.25s^2 + 2s + 15}$ A step change of magnitude 5 is introduced into the system. Determine, 2) Rise time 1) Response time. (b) What are the different types of controllers? Explain in details all types of the 07 controllers. OR 0.3 (a) What are static characteristic of an instrument? Define **07** 1) Accuracy 2) Reproducibility 3) Sensitivity (b) Discuss the various instruments and their ranges of functioning for temperature 07 measurement and explain the calibration method used for thermocouple. **Q.4** (a) Mention the different liquid level measuring instruments and explain in detail the 07

Float and shaft liquid level unit.

(b) Describe the construction and working of the Bellows pressure element with neat **07** figure.

OR

- Q.4 (a) A proportional controller having gain k_c is used to control two first order non-interacting liquid level tanks having time constant 1 and 0.5. For the unity feedback control system. Determine the stability of the system using Routh criterion.
 - (b) Describe the principle, construction and working of orifice flow meter. What are 07 its advantages and limitations?
- **Q.5** (a) Define amplitude ratio and phase angle. Plot the Bode diagram for the first order 07 non-interacting control system.
 - (b) What are the criterions for stability of linear system? Explain in detail the steps to 07 plot the Root-locus diagram.

OR

- Q.5 (a) What are the different types of the manometer? Explain in detail the enlarged lag 07 manometer with the help of neat figure.
 - (b) Explain in detail the principle, construction and working of Venture-meter for 07 flow measurement.
