



Jordan University of Science and Technology
Faculty of Engineering
Aeronautical Engineering Department

AE464 Automatic Control - JNQF Level: 7

Second Semester 2022-2023

Course Catalog

3 Credit Hours. This course aims to introduce students to the fundamental knowledge of control system theories and applications. Topics include mathematical modeling and state variables models, feedback control system characteristics and performance, stability of linear feedback systems, design steps of PID controller, and control design using the root-locus method, frequency response methods, stability in the frequency domain, and design of feedback control systems.

Text Book

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| Title | Modern Control Systems |
| Author(s) | R. C. Dorf and R. H. Bishop |
| Edition | 13th Edition |
| Short Name | Textbook |
| Other Information | |

Course References

| Short name | Book name | Author(s) | Edition | Other Information |
|------------|---|---|-------------|-------------------|
| Ref. 1 | Feedback Control of Dynamic Systems | G.F. Franklin, J.D. Powell and A. Emami-Naeini | 6th Edition | |
| Ref. 2 | Control Systems Engineering | Nise | 2nd Edition | |
| Ref. 3 | Modern Control Engineering | K. Ogata | 4th Edition | |
| Ref. 4 | Automatic Control Systems?, | Farid Golnaraghi and Benjamin C. K | 9th Edition | |
| Ref. 5 | Schaum?s outline of theory and problems of feedback and control systems | J. J. Distefano, A. R. Stubberud and W. J. Williams | 2nd Edition | |

| Instructor | |
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| Prerequisites | | |
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| Line Number | Course Name | Prerequisite Type |
| 714610 | AE461 Mechanical Vibrations | Prerequisite / Study |

| Tentative List of Topics Covered | | |
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| Weeks | Topic | References |
| Week 1 | Introduction to Control Systems | From Textbook |
| Week 2 | Mathematical Models of Systems | From Textbook |
| Week 3 | State Variable Models | From Textbook |
| Week 4 | Feedback Control System Characteristics | Chapter 4 From Textbook |
| Weeks 5, 6, 7 | The Performance of Feedback Control Systems | Chapter 5 From Textbook |
| Week 8 | The Stability of Linear Feedback Systems | Chapter 6 From Textbook |
| Weeks 9, 10 | The Root Locus Method | Chapter 7 From Textbook |
| Weeks 11, 12 | Frequency Response Methods | Chapter 8 From Textbook |
| Week 13 | Stability in the Frequency Domain | Chapter 9 From Textbook |
| Week 14 | The Design of Feedback Control Systems | Chapter 10 From Textbook |
| Weeks 15, 16 | The Design of State Variable Feedback System | Chapter 11 From Textbook |

| Mapping of Course Outcomes to Program Outcomes and NQF Outcomes | Course Outcome Weight (Out of 100%) | Assessment method |
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| Apply mathematical modeling techniques to represent physical systems in the context of control theory. [1SO1] [1L7K1] | 25% | First Exam, Assignments, Final Exam |
| Identify fundamental concepts in control system theories, including mathematical modeling, state variables models, and feedback control system characteristics. [1SO1] [1L7K1] | 10% | First Exam |
| Analyze the performance of feedback control systems, considering stability in both time and frequency domains. [1SO 6] [1L7S3] | 20% | 2ed exam, Final Exam |
| Evaluate the effectiveness of PID controllers in achieving desired control system performance. [1SO 4] [1L7C2] | 20% | 2ed exam, Assignments, Final Exam |
| Design feedback control systems based on specified performance criteria, incorporating various control techniques. [1SO 2] [1L7S2] | 25% | Final Exam |

| Relationship to Program Student Outcomes (Out of 100%) | | | | | | | |
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| SO1 | SO 2 | SO 3 | SO 4 | SO 5 | SO 6 | SO 7 | SO 8 |
| 35 | 25 | | 20 | | 20 | | |

| Relationship to NQF Outcomes (Out of 100%) | | | |
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| L7K1 | L7S2 | L7S3 | L7C2 |
| 35 | 25 | 20 | 20 |

| Evaluation | |
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| Assessment Tool | Weight |
| First Exam | 25% |
| 2ed exam | 25% |
| Assignments | 10% |
| Final Exam | 40% |

| Policy | |
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| Attendance | The class attendance is a must and absentee check at the beginning of almost every class is checked. |

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