

[6003]-532

**T.E. (Robotics and Automation Engineering)**

**HUMANOID ROBOTS**

**(2019 Pattern) (Semester-II) (Elective-II) (311511(A)-II)**

*Time : 2½ Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 70*

*Instructions to the candidates :*

- 1) *Attempt Q.1 or Q.2 Q.3 or Q.4 Q.5 or Q.6 Q.7 or Q.8.*
- 2) *Figures to the right indicates full marks.*
- 3) *Assume suitable data, if necessary.*
- 4) *Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*

**Q1) a)** Give significance of angular momentum and the inertia tensor in humanoid robotics [8]

b) How can the dynamic equations of motion be derived for a humanoid robot in 3D analysis? Explain the steps involved in the derivation process.

A humanoid robot has two feet with contact points at (0,0) and (0.2,0) in a 2D plane. The robot's center of mass is located at (0.1,0.1). Calculate the net torque around the center of mass and determine if the robot is in balance. [10]

OR

**Q2) a)** What is the Zero Moment Point (ZMP) in humanoid robotics and why is it important in measuring stability? [8]

b) What is the significance of 2D analysis in humanoid robotics and how does it contribute to understanding robot behaviour?

A humanoid robot has a mass of 10kg. The inertia tensor of the robot's body is given as follows:  $I_{xx}=2\text{kgm}^2$ ,  $I_{yy}=3\text{kgm}^2$ ,  $I_{zz}=1\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2$  Calculate the total moment of inertia for the robot's body. [10]

**Q3) a)** How does the field of humanoid robotics contribute to the study and understanding of neuroscience? [8]

b) How can foveal vision be implemented in humanoid robots? What is cognitive human robotics and how does it integrate cognitive abilities in to robot systems? [9]

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- Q4)** a) Explain foveal vision and it's important for humanoid robots. [8]  
b) How can humanoid robots be used to emulate neuro-mechanisms and contribute to our understanding of brain function? [9]
- Q5)** a) What is multi-fingered grasping, and why is it important in robotics? Discuss some applications of multi-fingered grasping in robotics. [8]  
b) What is multi-arm object manipulation control? State the advantages of using multiple robot arms for object manipulation [9]

OR

- Q6)** a) What are the challenges in achieving effective multi-fingered grasping in robotics? [8]  
b) What are the challenges in controlling multiple robot arms for object manipulation? Explain the significance of cooperation between multiple humanoids in robotics. [9]

**Q7) Write short note on:** [18]

- a) Search and rescue humanoid robots
- b) Humanoids in sports
- c) Concept of AI

OR

**Q8) Write short note on:** [18]

- a) A.I. in Robotics
- b) Service robots
- c) Social Robotics

