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Experiment No. 04

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TITLE : Interacting and Non-interacting System.

OBJECTIVE : To observe the :

- (i) Step response of single capacity system
- (ii) Step response of first order systems arranged in non-interacting mode.
- (iii) Impulse response of first order systems arranged in non-interacting mode.
- (iv) Step-response of first order systems arranged in interacting mode.
- (v) Impulse response of first order systems arranged in interacting mode.

THEORY :

(i) Step response of single capacity  
Step function of magnitude A can be expressed as

$$X(t) = A \text{ult}^{\text{unit}}$$

where  $\text{ult}$  is step function,  $X$  = step function.  $X = ?$

To study transient response, consider the system consisting of tank of uniform cross section A and outlet flow resistance R. go volumetric flow rate through resistance is related to h linear relationship.

$$q_0 = h/R \quad \text{--- 0}$$

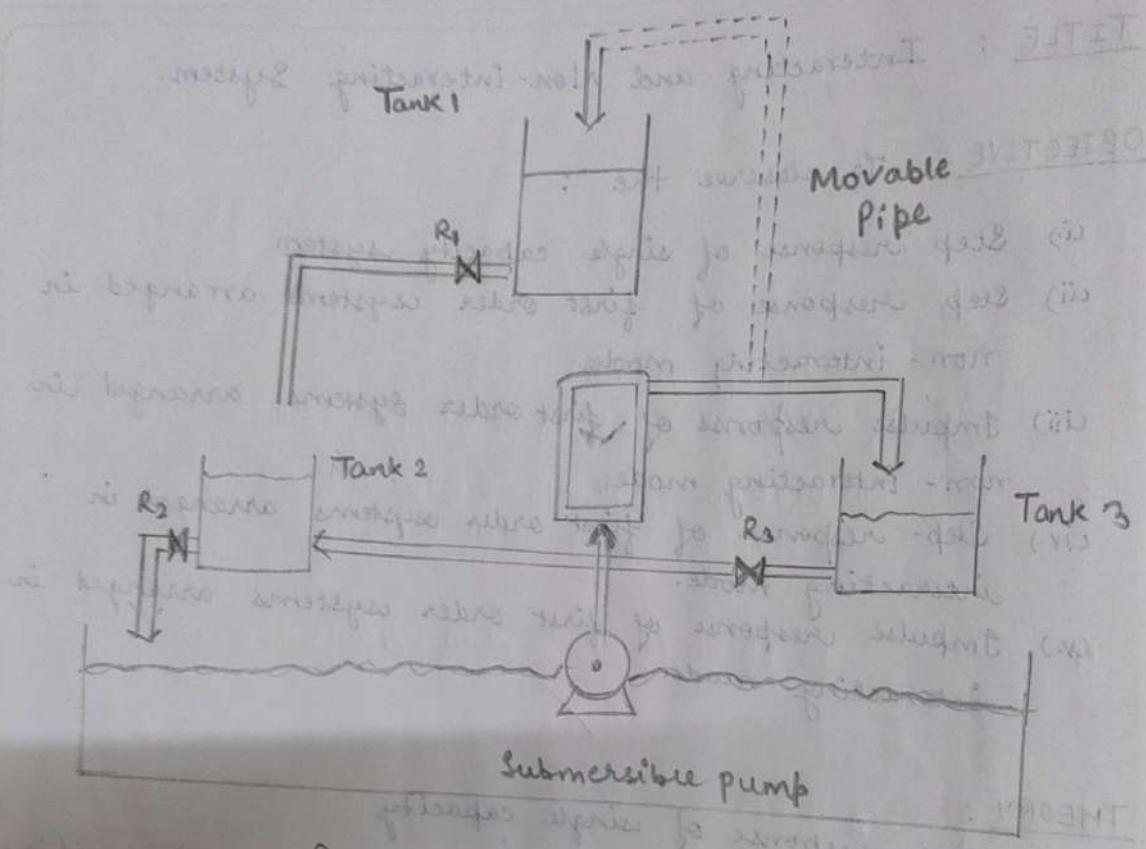


Fig 1. Title: Experimental Configuration

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## Experimental Setup & Apparatus (Fig 1):

Set up specifications :

Rotameter : 10 - 100 LPH

Process tank : Acrylic cylinder, ID 92 mm

Supply tank : 55.

(I) Step-response of single capacity System.

Mass Balance about the tank

$$q_{\text{in}}(t) - q_{\text{out}}(t) = A_r (\frac{dh}{dt}) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{This gives } h(t) = AR \{ 1 - e^{-t/\tau} \}$$

### Procedure :

- ① Set up was started.
- ② Flexible pipe was provided at rotameter outlet. Pipe was inserted in to the cover of the top tank & the outlet valve ( $R_1$ ,  $E$  &  $R_2$ ) was kept slightly closed.
- ③ Pump was switched ON. Rotameter flow rate was adjusted in steps of 10 LPH from 50 to 100 LPH & noted steady state. Levels for tank 1 against each flow rate.
- ④ Suitable band for experimentation was sorted from data.
- ⑤ Flow rate was adjusted at lower value of selected tank and allowed the level of tank 1 to reach the steady state and recorded the flow  $E_e$  level at steady state.
- ⑥ Step change was applied by increasing rotameter flow by @ 10 LPH.

Table 1) Step response of a first order Single Capacity System

Time(s)	H(t)Observed	H(t)Predicted
0	0	0
15	6	5.05
30	9	8.28
45	10	10.34
60	11	11.66
75	12	12.5
90	13	13.04
105	13	13.39
120	14	13.61
135	14	13.75
150	14	13.84

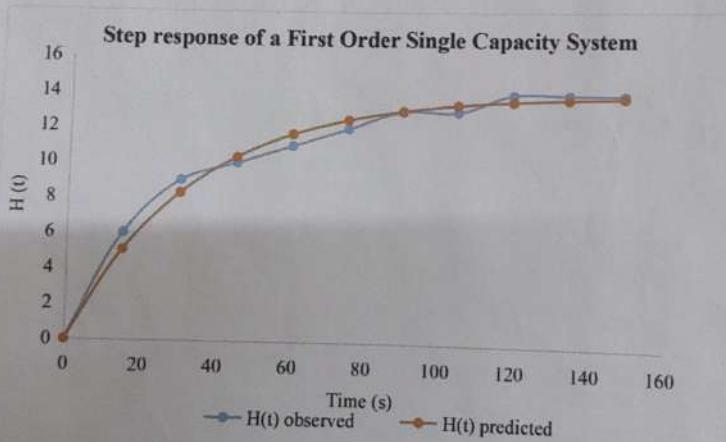


Fig 2. T1H0  
Transient response of Single Tank System.

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⑦ Immediately started recording level of tank 1 at interval of 15 sec. until the level reaches at steady state.

(II.) Step response of 1<sup>st</sup> order systems, we assume the tanks have uniform cross sectional area and flow resistance is linear. To find out the transfer function of system that is related  $h_2$  to  $q$ , Applying mass transfer equation, we get →

$$h_2(t) = AR_2 \left[ 1 - \frac{\gamma_1 \gamma_2}{\gamma_1 - \gamma_2} \left\{ \frac{1}{\gamma_2} e^{-t/\tau_2} - \frac{1}{\gamma_1} e^{-t/\tau_1} \right\} \right]$$

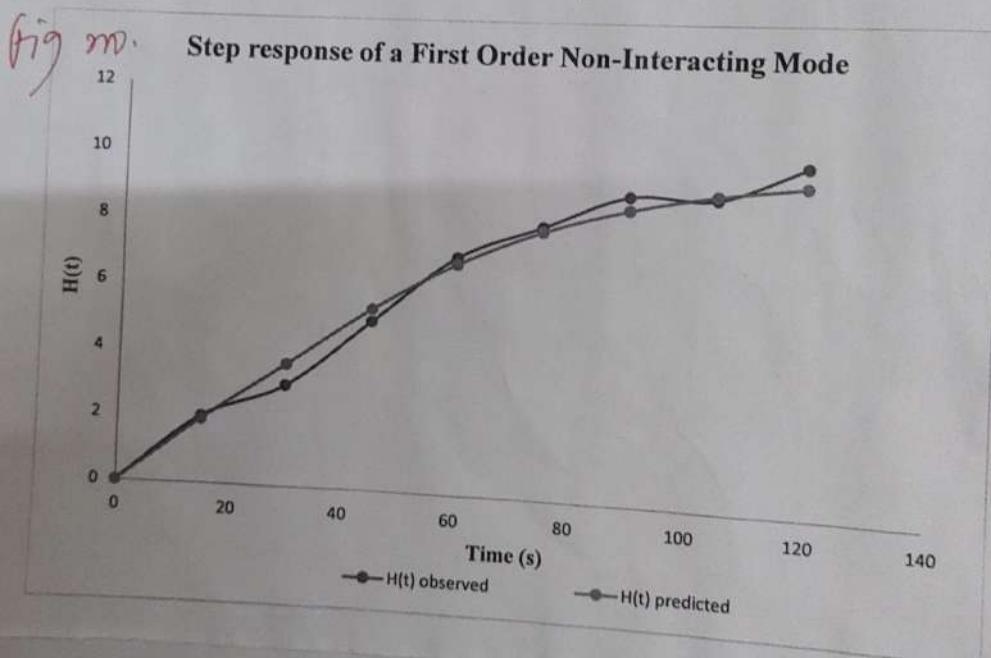
### Procedure :

- 1) outlet of rotameter was connected to top cover of tank 1. Outlet valve R<sub>1</sub> & R<sub>2</sub> was kept slightly closed R<sub>3</sub> was kept fully closed.
- 2) Pump was switched on and flow rate was adjusted.
- 3) After system reaches steady state, step change was applied.
- 4) Level of tank 2 was recorded at interval of 30 seconds ..

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1) Step response of a First Order Non-Interacting Mode

Time (s)	H(t) Observed	H(t) predicted
0	0	0
15	2	1.92
30	3	3.63
45	5	5.37
60	7	6.8
75	8	7.86
90	9	8.6
105	9	9.1
120	10	9.43

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III) To study impulse response of 1<sup>st</sup> order systems arranged in non-interacting mode.

Mathematically, the impulse function of magnitude A is defined as  $x(t) = A \delta(t)$

where  $\delta(t)$  is unit impulse function.

$$h_2(t) = VR_2 \left[ \frac{e^{-t/R_1} - e^{-t/R_2}}{(R_1 - R_2)} \right]$$

### Procedure :

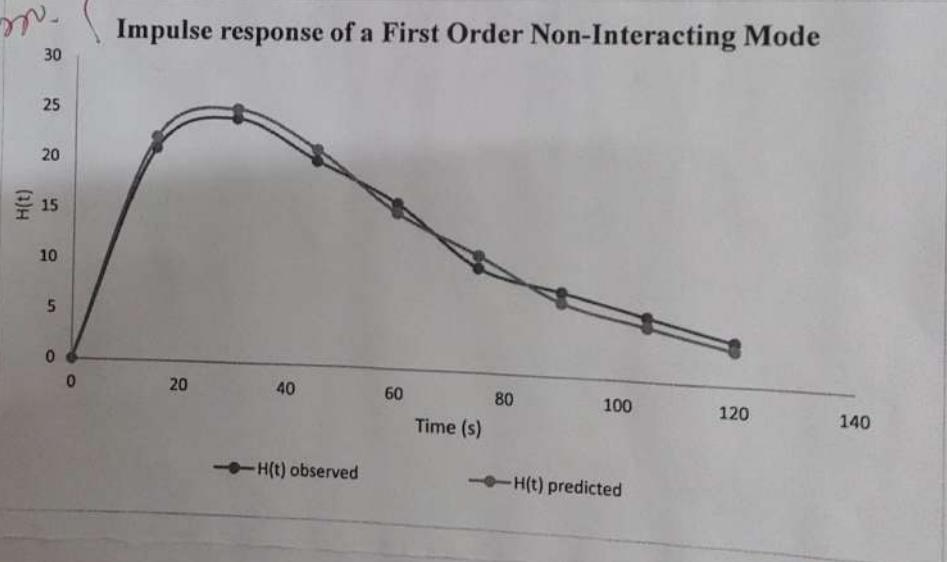
- (i) Outlet of Rotameter was connected to the top cover of tank I. Outlet valves  $R_1$  &  $R_2$  were kept slightly closed.  $R_3$  was kept fully closed.
- (ii) Pump was switched ON and flow rate was maintained.
- (iii) After system reached steady state, an impulse was applied by adding 100 ml water in tank I.
- (iv) Level of tank was noted at regular intervals until steady state is obtained.

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2) Impulse response of a First Order Non-Interacting Mode

Time (s)	H(t) observed	H(t) predicted
0	0	0
15	21	22.12
30	24	24.93
45	20	21.09
60	16	15.08
75	10	11.219
90	8	7.015
105	6	5.08
120	4	3.25

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(iv) Step Response of 1<sup>st</sup> order systems arranged in interaction mode. Assuming the tank of uniform cross section area and valves with linear flow resistance the transfer function of interacting system can be written as:-

$$\frac{H_2(s)}{Q(s)} = \frac{R_2}{\tau_1 \tau_2 s^2 + (\gamma_1 + \gamma_2 + A_1 R_2) s + 1}$$

$$H_2(t) = AR_2 \left\{ 1 - \frac{\left[ \left( \frac{1}{\alpha} \right) (e^{\alpha t}) - \left( \frac{1}{\beta} \right) e^{\beta t} \right]}{\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\beta}} \right\}$$

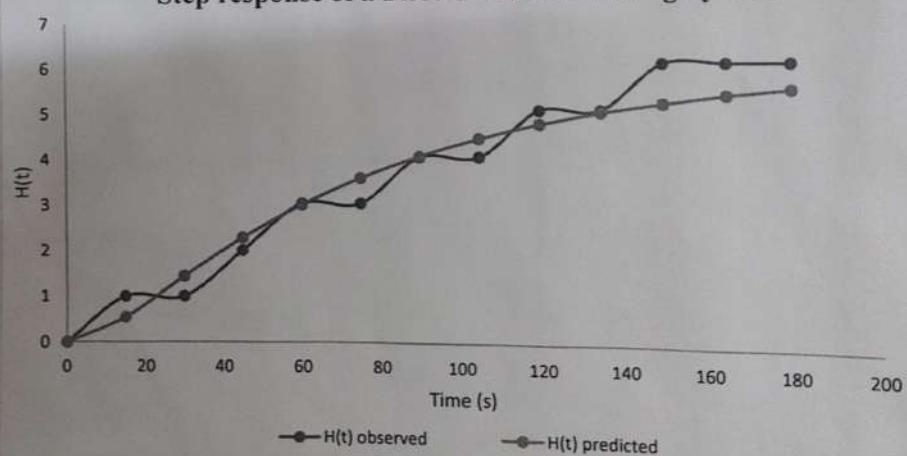
Procedure :

- (i) outlet of rotameter was connected to top cover of tank 3  
outlet valves  $R_2$  &  $R_3$  were kept slightly closed.
- (ii) Pump was switched ON and flow rate was adjusted.
- (iii) After system reached to steady state, a step change was applied increasing the flow by 10 LPH.
- (iv) Level was recorded after regular time intervals.

3) Step response of a First Order Interacting System

Time (s)	H(t) observed	H(t) predicted
0	0	0
15	1	0.545
30	1	1.438
45	2	2.271
60	3	2.973
75	3	3.548
90	4	4.015
105	4	4.393
120	5	4.699
135	5	4.947
150	6	5.14
165	6	5.31
180	6	5.44

Step response of a First Order Interacting System



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(V.) Impulse Response of 1<sup>st</sup> order systems arranged in interacting mode.

As mentioned in theory part Exp. 3 impulse function described as

$$x(t) = A \cdot T M(t)$$

Overall transfer function,

$$\frac{H_2(s)}{Q(s)} = \frac{R_2}{Y_1 Y_2 s^2 + (Y_1 + Y_2 + A R_2) s + 1}$$

For impulse  $Q(t) = V + M(t)$

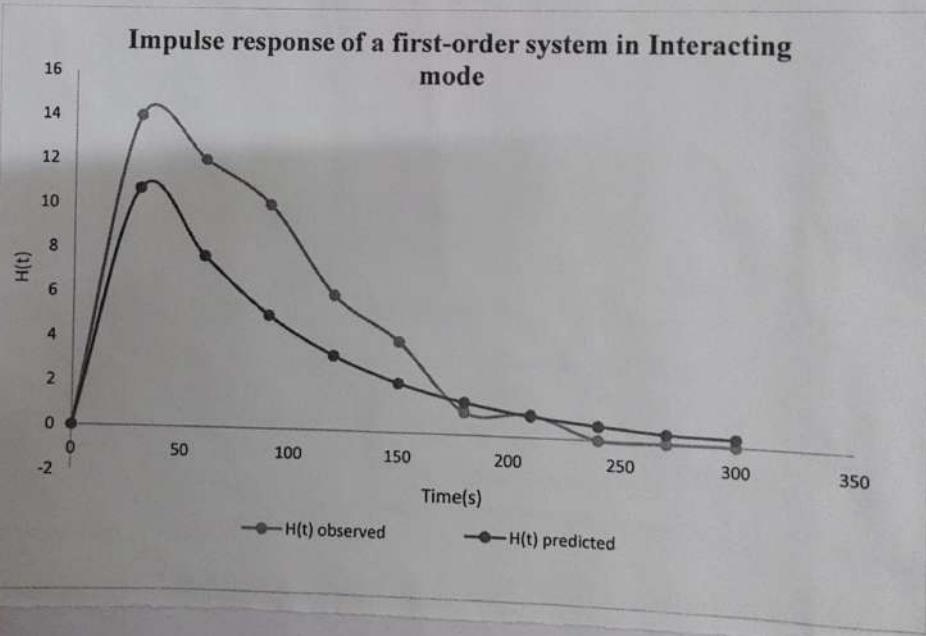
$$H_2(t) = \frac{VR_2}{Y_1 Y_2 (\alpha - \beta)} [e^{\alpha t} - e^{\beta t}]$$

### Procedure:

- (i) Outlet valve of tank 2 was slightly closed. the valve between tank 2 & tank 3 was slightly closed.
- (ii) The pump was switched ON and level of both tank was allowed to react at steady state.
- (iii) Impulse input was applied by adding 100 ml of water in each.
- (iv) Level of tank 2 at intervals of 30 sec is recorded until level reaches to steady state.
- (v) Final steady state level of tank 3 was reached.

4) Impulse response of a first-order system in Interacting mode

Time	Tank 2 level	H(t) observed	H(t) predicted
0	12	0	0
30	26	14	10.7
60	24	12	7.65
90	22	10	5.05
120	18	6	3.314
150	16	4	2.171
180	13	1	1.422
210	13	1	0.931
240	12	0	0.61
270	12	0	0.41
300	12	0	0.32



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## Sample Calculation

①  $R_1 = \text{outlet valve resistance}$

$$R_1 = \frac{dH_1}{dq} = \frac{(50-36) \times 10^{-3}}{2.778 \times 10^{-6}} = 5040 \text{ s/m}^2$$

$$A_1 = \frac{\pi d^2}{4} = \frac{\pi}{4} (0.092)^2 = 6.647 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$$

$$Z = A_1 R_1 = 5040 \times 6.647 = 33.5 \text{ s.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(t)_{\text{predicted}} &= A R_1 (1 - e^{-t/Z}) \\ &= 2.778 \times 10^{-6} \times 5040 (1 - e^{-t/33.5}) \end{aligned}$$

At  $t = 15 \text{ sec}$

$$\begin{aligned} H(t) &= 14 (1 - e^{-15/33.5}) \\ &= 5.05 \text{ m.} \end{aligned}$$

Meet all 5 objectives stated in Page 1

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$$(II) \quad R_1 = \frac{dH_1}{d\theta} = \frac{(50-3) \times 10^{-3}}{2.778 \times 10^{-6}} = 4320 \text{ s/m}^2$$

$$R_2 = \frac{dH_2}{d\theta} = \frac{(18-8) \times 10^{-3}}{2.778 \times 10^{-6}} = 3600 \text{ s/m}^2$$

$$A_1 = A_2 = \frac{\pi}{4} (0.092)^2 \text{ m}^2 = 6.647 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$$

$$\tau_1 = A_1 R_1 = 6.647 \times 10^{-3} \times 4320 = 28.7 \text{ sec}$$

$$\tau_2 = A_2 R_2 = 6.647 \times 10^{-3} \times 3600 = 23.93 \text{ sec}$$

$$AR_2 = 10 \text{ mm}$$

$$H(t) = AR_2 \left[ 1 - \frac{\tau_1 \tau_2}{\tau_1 + \tau_2} \left( e^{-t/\tau_1} - e^{-t/\tau_2} \right) \right]$$

$$= 10 \left[ 1 - 144 (0.041 e^{-t/28.7} - 0.035 e^{-t/23.93}) \right]$$

$$\text{At } t = 15 \text{ sec}$$

$$H(t) = 1.92 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{At } t = 30 \text{ sec}$$

$$H(t) = 3.63 \text{ mm.}$$

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$$(III) H(t) = V R_2 \left[ \frac{e^{-t/z_1} - e^{-t/z_2}}{z_1 - z_2} \right]$$

$$V = 0.5 \text{ L} = 5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^3$$

$$T_1 = 28.7 \text{ sec} \quad T_2 = 23.93 \text{ sec}$$

$$R_2 = 3600 \text{ } \Omega/\text{m}^2$$

$$H(t)_{\text{predicted}} = 5 \times 10^{-4} \times 3600 \left[ \frac{e^{-t/28.7} - e^{+423.93}}{28.7 - 23.93} \right]$$

At  $t = 15$  sec.

$$H(t) = 22.13 \text{ mm}$$

At  $t = 30$  sec

$$H(t) = 24.93 \text{ mm}$$

$$(IV) \quad R_3 = \frac{(98 - 56) \times 10^{-3}}{2.778 \times 10^{-6}} = 7919.9 \text{ N/m}^2$$

$$R_2 = \frac{6 \times 10^{-3}}{2.778 \times 10^{-6}} = 459.9 \text{ J/m}^2$$

$$A_2 = A_3 = \frac{\pi}{4} (0.092)^2 = 6.647 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$$

$$T_3 = A_3 R_3 = 52.6 \text{ sec} \quad T_2 = A_2 R_2 = 14.35 \text{ sec}$$

$$b = \frac{1}{z_3} + \frac{1}{z_2} + \frac{A_1 R_1}{z_1 z_3} = 0.1077$$

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$$\alpha = -\frac{b}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{z_2 z_3}} = -14.1 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\beta = -\frac{b}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{z_2 z_3}} = -93.5 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$H(t)_{predicted} = AR_2 \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\beta}} \right) \left\{ \frac{1}{\alpha} e^{\alpha t} - \frac{1}{\beta} e^{\beta t} \right\} \right]$$

$$= 0.545 \text{ mm}$$

$$(IV) \quad H(t)_{predicted} = \frac{VR_2}{Z_1 Z_2 (\alpha - \beta)} (e^{\alpha t} - e^{\beta t})$$

$$Z_1 = 52.6 \text{ } \delta \quad Z_2 = 14.353 \quad V = 0.5L = 5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^3$$

$$\alpha = -0.0141 \quad \beta = -0.0935$$

$$R_2 = 2159.9 \text{ } \mu\text{m}^2$$

$$H(t) = \frac{(Sx_1 \bar{v}^4 \times 2159.9)}{S2.6 \times 14.35 (0.0794)} (e^{-0.014t} - e^{-0.0935t})$$

At  $t = 30$  sec

$$H(t) = 10.7 \text{ mm}$$

At  $t = 60 \text{ sec}$

$$H(t) = 7.65 \text{ mm.}$$

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### Discussions

- ① The step response starts at 0 and gradually approaches the steady-state value over a period proportional to the time constant  $\tau$ . The steady state gain determines the final value that the output approaches as time goes to infinity.
- ② Non-interacting system always results in an overdamped or critically damped second order system, for step change. On the other hand, response of interacting system is always over-damped for step input change.
- ③ From the graph, we can infer that response of interacting and non interacting systems is slower than that of single capacity system. This is because single capacity is first order whereas interacting non-interacting system is 2nd order.
- ④ The deviations present in graph can be due to valve resistance, experimental errors while giving step change etc.
- ⑤ From the nature of graph, we can conclude that response of interacting system is more sluggish than that of non-interacting system.

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Experiment - 5  
Control Valve Characteristics

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Aim: To Study Control Valve characteristics by conducting the following experiments.

1. Study of control valve flow coefficient
2. Study of inherent characteristics of control valve.
3. Study of installed characteristics of control valve.
4. Study of Hysteresis of control valve.

## Description:

In this apparatus three control valve with pneumatic actuators are provided. One control valve is with equal % characteristic (air to close type), the second is with linear characteristic (air to open type) and the third one is quick opening type. Water from receiving tank is pump to supply tank flows through control valve. water flow is measured using rotameter in terms of column. The control valve stem travel is adjusted ~~in form of~~ by air regulator resulting changes in flow through the control valve. Its outlet of ~~column~~ control valve is open to atmosphere and pressure at inlet is considered as pressure drop across the valve.

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Theory:-

The movement of the valve, whether opening or closing is achieved through its corresponding actuator mechanism.

Various types of actuators are employed to regulate the extent of stem travel in valves, including electrical, pneumatic, and hydraulic variants, each catering to specific operational needs. In this particular product, pneumatic actuators play a pivotal role in controlling valve function. These mechanisms employ spring-opposed diaphragms to accurately position the valve plug in direct response to signals received from the controller.

Direct acting actuators

Direct acting actuators feature a sealed housing with a flexible diaphragm, reinforced by resilient elastomers. The diaphragm enclosure holds a plate secured by a strong compression spring. Signal air pressure applied to the upper diaphragm section exerts force on the diaphragm and actuators assembly. Choosing the right spring rate and compression allows the actuator to achieve desired stem displacement in response to the input signal.

Reverse Acting Actuator :-

Reverse Acting actuators the stem gets retracted with increase in pressure.

Types of Control valve:-

① Equal-Percentage valve:-

The ratio of the change in flow rate to the change in valve opening position is proportional to the flow rate before the change, and is expressed by the following equation. Here,  $L$  is the valve opening position, and  $k$  is constant.

$$\frac{dC_v}{dL} = k C_v \rightarrow C_v = e^{k(L-1)} \quad C_v = 77$$

② Linear (Characteristic) value

with the linear characteristic, the valve opening position and the flow rate are proportional to each other.

$$C_v = k L$$

③ Quick open valve:-

Also known as the on-off characteristic, this is a characteristic that is efficient when switching the flow rate between a maximum and a minimum such as on-off control.

Value coefficient:-

This is an index that represents the maximum flow rate that can pass through (a factor that represents the volume of the valve). It is defined as "the flow rate when fresh water at 60°F flows at the maximum position at a differential pressure of 1Psi". For example, if  $C_v=20$  it represents  $(4.542 \text{ m}^3/\text{h})$  of water that can flow at a pressure drop of 1Psi ( $6.897 \text{ kPa}$ ) when the valve fully open.

For Liquids, the followed equation is used:

$$C_v = 1.16 Q \sqrt{\frac{G}{\Delta P}}$$

$Q$ : Flow Rate ( $\text{m}^3/\text{h}$ )

$G$ : specific gravity

$\Delta P$ : Pressure Drop ( $\text{kg}/\text{cm}^2$ )

Value characteristics :

The amount of fluid passing through a valve at any time depends upon the opening b/w plug & seat. Hence, there is relationship between stem position and the rate of flow which is delivered in terms of flow characteristics of a valve. Inherent and installed are the two types of valve characteristics.

Inherent characteristics:-

Inherent flow characteristics is determined under laboratory conditions by testing the valve flow versus valve lift or travel using a constant differential pressure drop across the valve throughout the test. The inherent flow characteristics for each control valve are published by manufacturers and they are standardized for a fixed pressure drop as defined by the use of the valve flow coefficient value  $C_v$ .

Installed Flow characteristics:

This could be regarded as the Actual flow characteristics of the control valve because it is determined for each installation by the ~~actual~~ <sup>actual</sup> differential ~~pressure~~ <sup>loss</sup> drop across the valve when in ~~service~~ <sup>in operation</sup>, the differential pressure across the control valve varies throughout the valve position due to the system characteristics.

Hysteresis :-

~~Hysteresis~~ Hysteresis is a <sup>dead band</sup> + ~~error~~ <sup>error</sup> resulting from the differences in the transfer function when later reading  $\Delta V$  is taken from ~~above~~ and below the valve to be noted. In case of control valve for some activator signal, different stem travel are obtained depending upon the direction of change in ~~signal~~ <sup>signal</sup>.

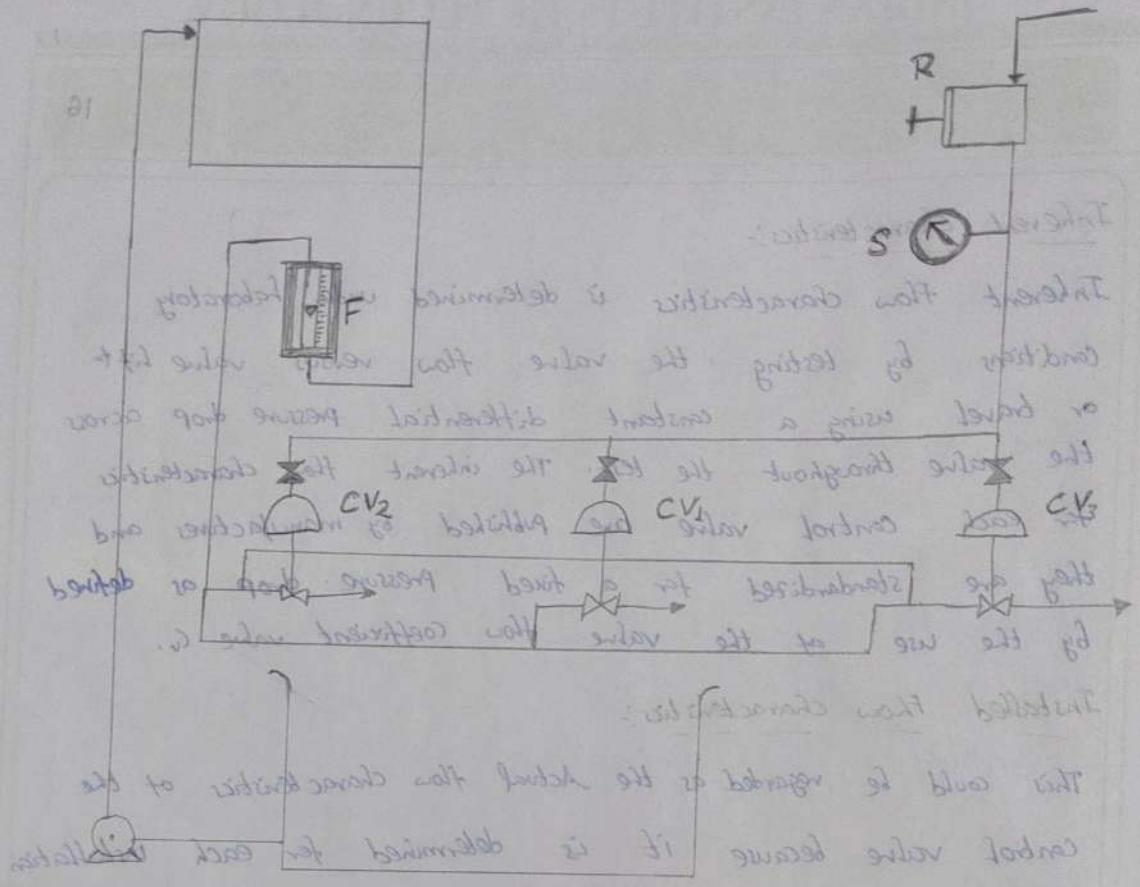


Fig no. 1 Schematic diagram of Control Valve

in fig no. 1 characteristics are

For  $CV_1$ : Rotameter

$CV_1$ : Control valve 1, quick opening (pressure to open)

$CV_2$ : Control valve 2, Equal percentage (pressure to close)

$CV_3$ : Control valve 3, linear (pressure to close)

At Rot: Pressure Regulator

$S$ : Supply Pressure gauge

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## Observation :

1. For linear value :-

Lift (mm)	flow rate (LPM)	(v)
1.7	400	10.542
1.6	390	10.278
1.5	370	9.751
1.375	350	9.224
1.25	340	8.960

2. For equal % value

Lift (mm)	flow rate (LPM)	(v)
2	400	10.542
2.1	300	7.906
2.2	280	7.643

3. For quick opening

Lift (mm)	flow rate (LPM)	(v)
0.5	175	4.612
1	195	5.139
1.8	235	6.193
2.5	300	7.906
3	375	9.882

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1. For linear value :-

water flow rate (LPH)	Air pressure (kg/cm <sup>2</sup> )	stem height
270	0.1	2.5
235	0.19	3.5
170	0.3	5.0
120	0.4	6.5
80	0.5	8.5

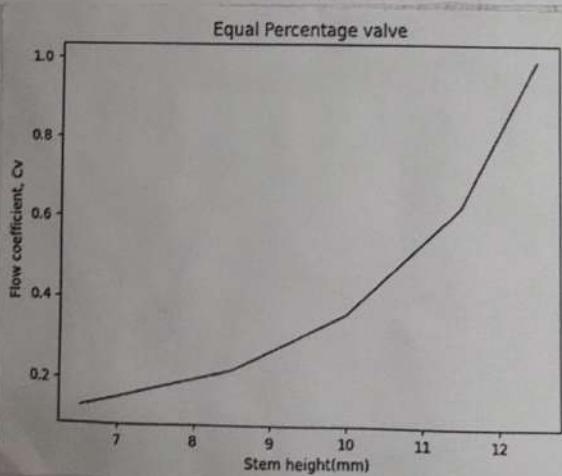
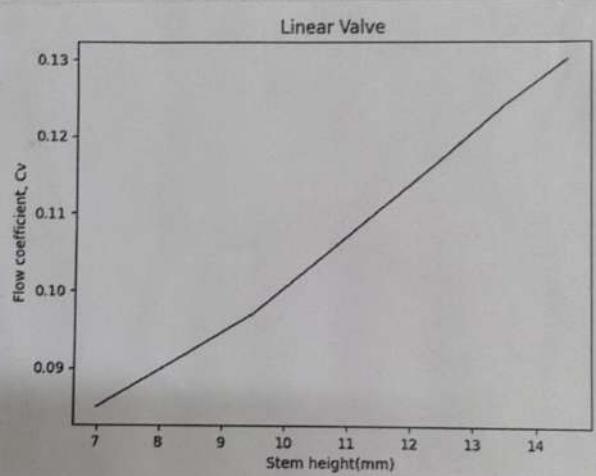
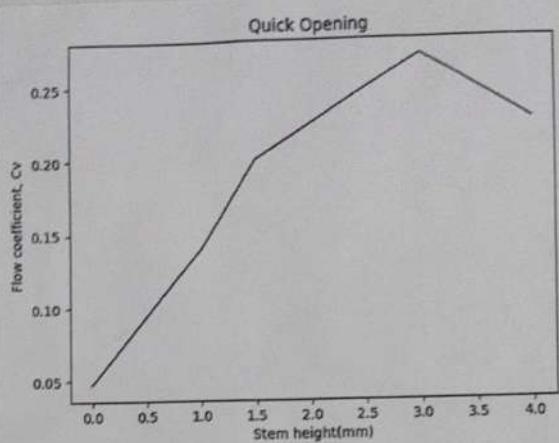
2. For equal % value :-

water flow rate (LPH)	Air pressure (kg/cm <sup>2</sup> )	stem height
495	19	0.5
460	18.5	1.5
410	14.5	2.5
320	13	5.5
269	11.5	8

3. quick opening

water flow rate (LPH)	Air pressure	stem height
65	2.5	0
255	4.5	1.0
430	6	1.5
540	7.5	3.0
550	8	4.0

Graphs. 1.



Figures. 2.

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## DISCUSSION

- + A linear control valve is designed so that the flow capacity increases in a linear manner with the valve's displacement or opening. This means that if you open the valve by a certain percentage, the flow rate will also increase by a proportional percentage. However, despite this theoretical linearity, factors from which deviations can arise due to several reasons.
  - 1) Instrumentation
  - 2) Human Error
  - 3) Cavitation and flashing
  - 4) Frictional and Pressure Drops.

- + An equal percentage valve is designed with a characteristic such that for each equal percentage change in valve opening, the flow rate increases by the same percentage. This results in an exponential relationship between the valve opening and the flow rate. In other words as the valve is opened more, the increase in flow rate becomes more significant. This characteristic is chosen because it compensates for the non-linear behavior of other components and growth in flow rate counteracts the natural decrease in flow caused by these components.

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- + Installed characteristics refer to how the control valve behave within a specific system, according accounting for factors like pipe lengths, fitting and pressure conditions. While equal percentage valve are designed to have a specific flow characteristic, the actual installed characteristics might deviate due to factors like incorrect installation, variation in pipe dimensions, and process conditions. These deviations in pipe can affect the valve's response to changes in control signals.
- + When observing the inherent characteristics of a control valve, it's important to keep the pressure constant to isolate valve behavior. Pressure changes can indeed impact flow rates, and for accurate characteristic of the valve's inherent behavior, it's essential to maintain a consistent pressure throughout the experimentation.
- + Control valves play a certain role in regulating flow rates in industrial processes. Understanding their inherent and installed characteristics as well as accounting for deviations introduced by various factors, is essential for accurate and reliable process control.

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Exp-06 - Calibration of Thermocouple  
and Resistance Thermometer

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## Aim

- To calibrate a thermocouple with the help of a mercury filled thermometer.
- To calibrate a resistance thermometer (RTD) with the help of a mercury filled thermometer.

## Objective

The objective of this experiment is to calibrate an RTD (Resistance Temperature Detector) and thermocouple using a mercury-filled thermometer as a reference. This involves creating a controlled environment to apply known temperatures, recording resistance or voltage values from RTD and thermocouple and comparing them to readings from the reference thermometer. Deviations need to be identified and necessary adjustment are made to align the measurements.

## Apparatus Required

- (i) Resistance Thermometer (RTD)
- (ii) Mercury-filled thermometer
- (iii) Beakers
- (iv) Thermocouple
- (v) Water Bath

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(vi) Stirrer

## Theory

The calibration process for an RTD and a thermocouple, utilizing a mercury filled thermometer as reference, is grounded in the principles of accurate temperature measurement. RTDs exploit the linear relationship between electrical resistance and temperature.

Thermocouples harness the Seebeck effect, generating a voltage proportional to temperature difference across dissimilar metals.

The calibration procedure involves subjecting the RTD and thermocouple to controlled temperature variations while concurrently monitoring the mercury thermometer's readings. Collected data facilitate the creation of calibration curves, mapping the sensor's output signals against the reference thermometer's values.

## Procedure

1. The main switch was switched on and the power of heater and stirrer speed were set.
2. Readings of RTD, thermocouple and mercury filled thermometer were noted at intervals of 2 min.

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4) The thermocouple and RTD readings were plotted against the temperature of mercury filled thermometer.

## Observations

SI No.	Thermometer Reading (°C)	Thermocouple voltage (mv)	RTD (°C)
1	38	0.2	40
2	41	0.2	42
3	44	0.2	45
4	46	0.2	47
5	49	0.25	49
6	50	0.4	51
7	52	0.4	53
8	55	0.42	55
9	55	0.42	56
10	57	0.5	59
11	59	0.6	60

Table 1

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Hysteresis?  
to be calculated

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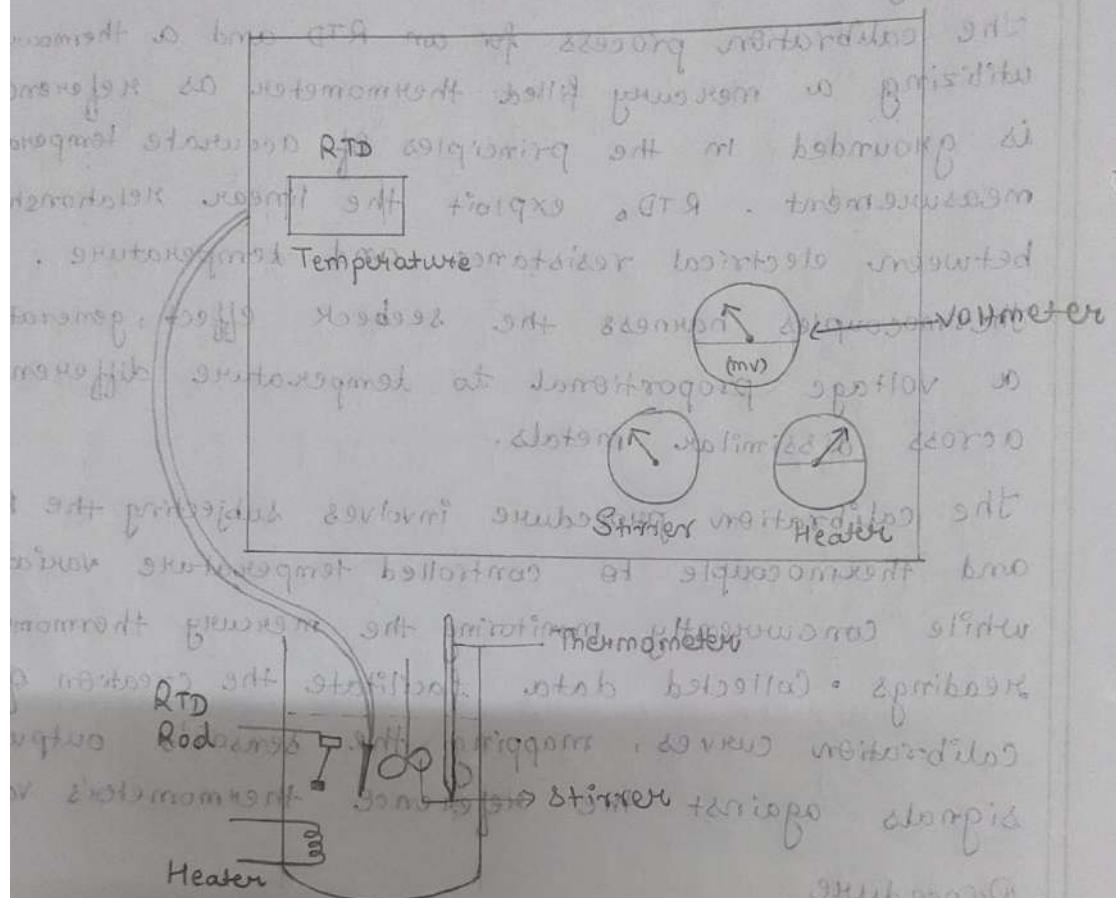


Fig 1: Experimental Setup to calibrate RTD and thermocouple.

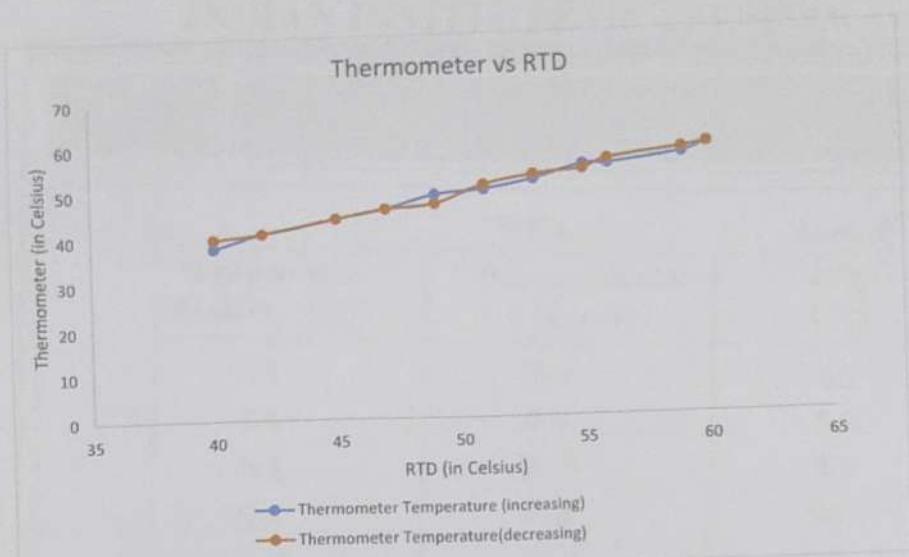


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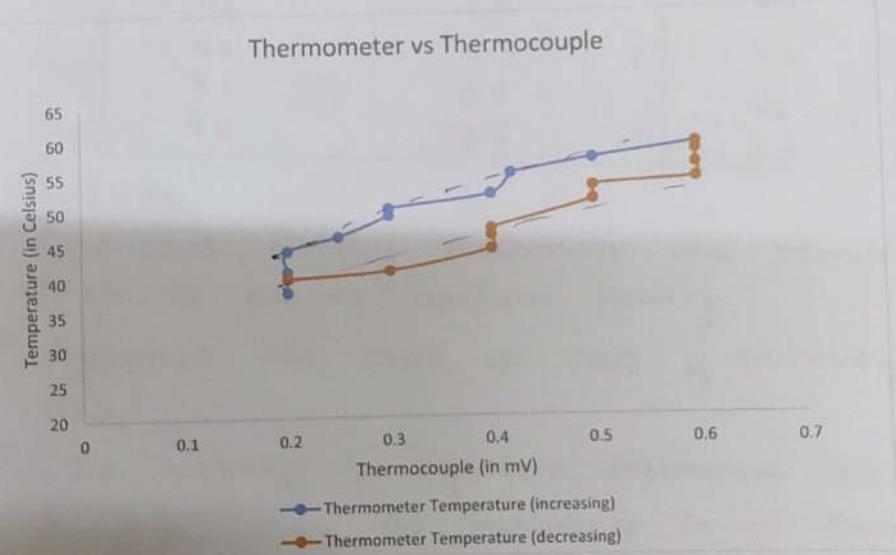


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Best fitting curve  
need to be plotted

Redo plot.

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Thermometer Reading ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	Thermocouple (in mv)	RTD ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )
59	0.6	60
58	0.6	59
56	0.6	56
54	0.6	55
53	0.5	53
51	0.5	41
47	0.4	49
46	0.4	47
44	0.4	45
41	0.3	42
40	0.2	40

### Discussion

- ① Continuous stirring mechanism was provided in order to ensure uniform heating.
- ② Hysteresis was more in case of thermocouple than RTD.
- ③ The accuracy of reference instrument (thermometer) is higher than the instrument to be calibrated.
- ④ One possible source of error is the time lag while noting down the readings of thermometer, RTD and voltmeter.

### Graph 1.

- ⑤ One needs to account the parallax error while noting down the thermocouple reading.

#### Conclusion

Our experiment revealed that the thermocouple exhibited more hysteresis compared to RTD. Through our calibration process, we successfully refined the accuracy of both the RTD and thermocouple readings, a critical aspect for a range of application. This precision holds significance in scientific, industrial and technological realms, contributing to better processes, product quality and research outcomes.



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Experiment 07 Flapper - Nozzle System

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Objective: To investigate the characteristics of a flapper nozzle system. The flapper nozzle system is a device commonly used in fluid mechanics to control the flow of fluids through a nozzle using a hinged flapper. The experiment involved analysing the relationship between the flow rate of a fluid and the angle of the flapper, as well as the effects of different pressure differentials on the system.

Aim: To study the characteristics of flapper nozzle system.

Theory: The setup helps in understanding conversion of mechanical motion of to pressure signal. It consists of flapper - nozzle mechanism, dial gauge indicator, pressure gauge and air filter regulator. A regulated supply of pressure, usually over a 20 psig, provides a source of air through the restriction. The nozzle is open at the end where the gap exists between the nozzle and flapper and air

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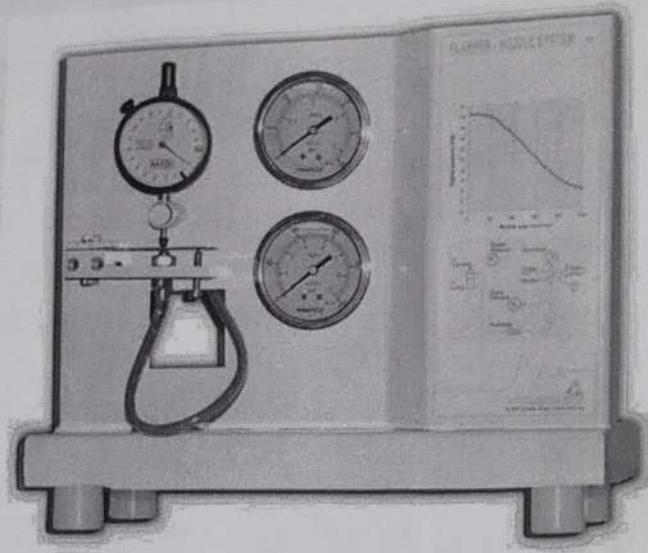


Figure 7.1 Apparatus of Flapper/nozzle system

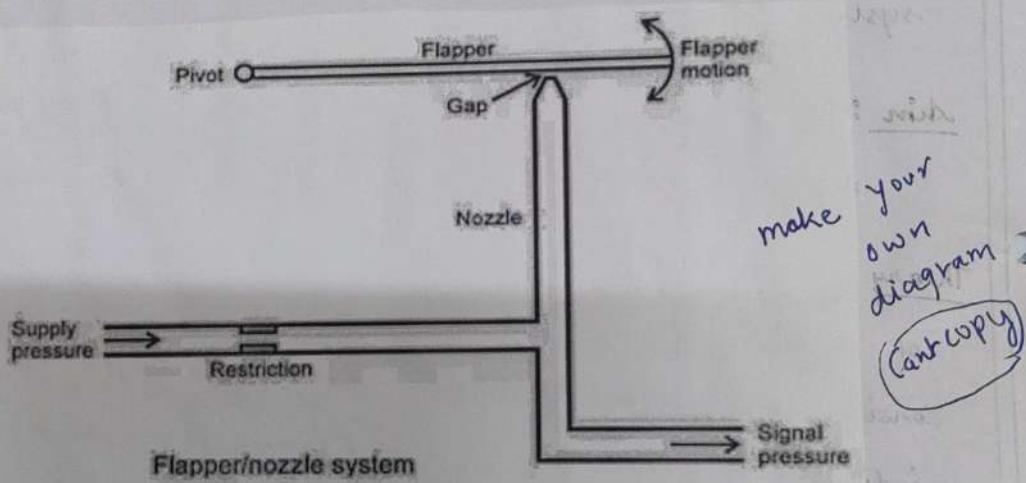


Figure 7.2 Schematic diagram

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Apparatus: The experimental setup consisted of a flapper nozzle system attached to a fluid source, a pressure differential control system, and measurements. The key components included:

- Flapper nozzle assembly with a hinged flapper.
- Fluid reservoir & pump.
- Flow rate measurement apparatus (Flowmeter)
- Angle measurement device / Gap measurement device.

### Procedure:

1. Calibrate the angle measurement device.
2. Set up pressure differential control system to maintain a constant pressure across the nozzle.
3. Gradually adjust the gap of the flapper from fully closed to fully opened.
4. Record signal pressure and nozzle gap and repeat the set of observation till 100 um gap.

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Observations :

$$P_{\text{Total}} = 1.95 \text{ kg/cm}^2 = 27.7 \text{ psig}$$

S.No	Nozzle Gap (um)	Signal Pressure (psig)
1.	10	27.02
2.	20	24.8
3.	30	19.9
4.	40	12.08
5.	50	12.2
6.	60	7.8
7.	70	6.8
8.	80	5.6
9.	90	5
10.	100	4.5

Table : Flapper-nozzle System

Results :

To calculate gain of flapper nozzle system.

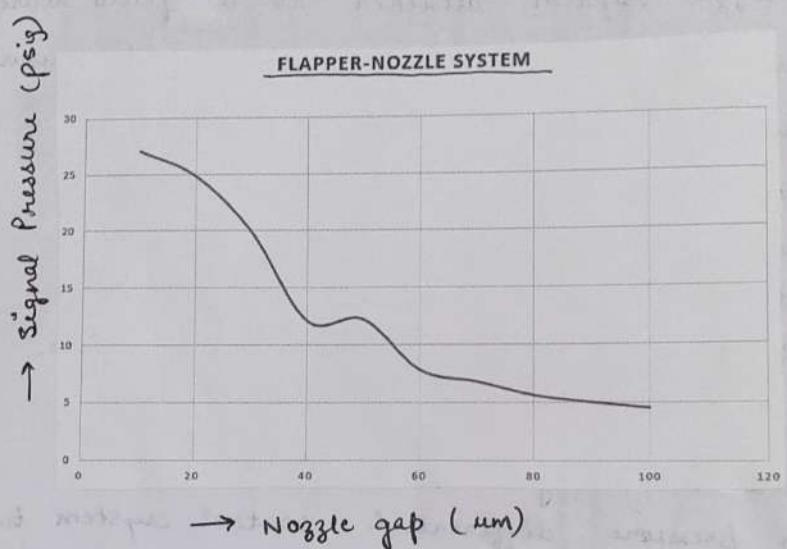
Gain of flapper nozzle system

$$= \frac{\text{change in signal pressure psig/um}}{\text{corresponding change in nozzle gap}}$$

$$= \frac{15 - 7.8}{60 - 35} = \frac{7.2}{25} = 0.288 \text{ psig/um}$$

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Graph: 7.1

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Discussion: The observed relationship between flapper angle/nozzle gap and flow rate is consistent with theoretical expectations. As the flapper angle increases the effective flow area enlarges, allowing more fluid to pass through the nozzle.

Conclusion: The experiment successfully demonstrated the characteristics of a flapper nozzle system. The relation between nozzle gap and pressure differential was established, highlighting the system's responsiveness to these parameters. This knowledge can be applied to optimize the design and operation of flapper nozzle system in various engineering applications. like

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8. Differential Pressure transmitter

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Aim:- study the characteristics of the Differential pressure transmitter.

Theory:- A differential Pressure transmitter is a type of pressure measurement device that employs in capacitive sensors as the sensor element to measure the Pressure difference between two points in a fluid system. This design combines the Principles of capacitive sensing and accurate output signal.

It includes:-

- (i) Capacitive sensing element :- It typically consists of 2 parallel plates separated by a dielectric material. One of these plates is fixed, while the other is movable and is exposed to Pressure being measured.
- (ii) Pressure difference :- It has 2 pores, one for high pressure ( $P_1$ ) and the other for Low pressure ( $P_2$ ). The pressure difference b/w these two points affects the position of the movable plate in the capacitive sensor.

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3. Dielectric Deformation:- Pressure difference makes the movable plate in the capacitive sensor to undergo deformation due to the force applied by the pressure. Thus pressure increases, distance b/w plates decreases, changing the capacitance b/w the plates.
4. Output signal: The varying capacitance is considered into a current signal, which can be scaled / calibrated to represent the actual pressure difference in the system.

### Procedure :-

1. The Pressure difference can be altered by changing the height of water column, by adjusting the value.
2. we first reduce the height of water column, altering the pressure and record the current indicated.
3. Then we increase the height of water column, and record the current indicated again. This accounts for the hysteresis in the relationship b/w capacitance change indicator by current and the differential pressure.

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Fig. Differential Pressure transmitter  
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Observation table:-

$$P_{water} = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3 \quad P = \rho gh$$

$$g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

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	Height (cm)	Current (mA)	Pressure (Pa)
1.	37.5	20	3675
2.	34	18	3372
3.	32	17.5	3136
4.	29.5	16.5	2891
5.	28	15.5	2744
6.	26	15	2548
7.	24	13.5	2352
8.	22	12.5	2156
9.	20	12	1960
10.	18	10.5	1764
11.	15	9	1470
12.	13	8	1274
13.	11	7.5	1078
14.	9	6	882

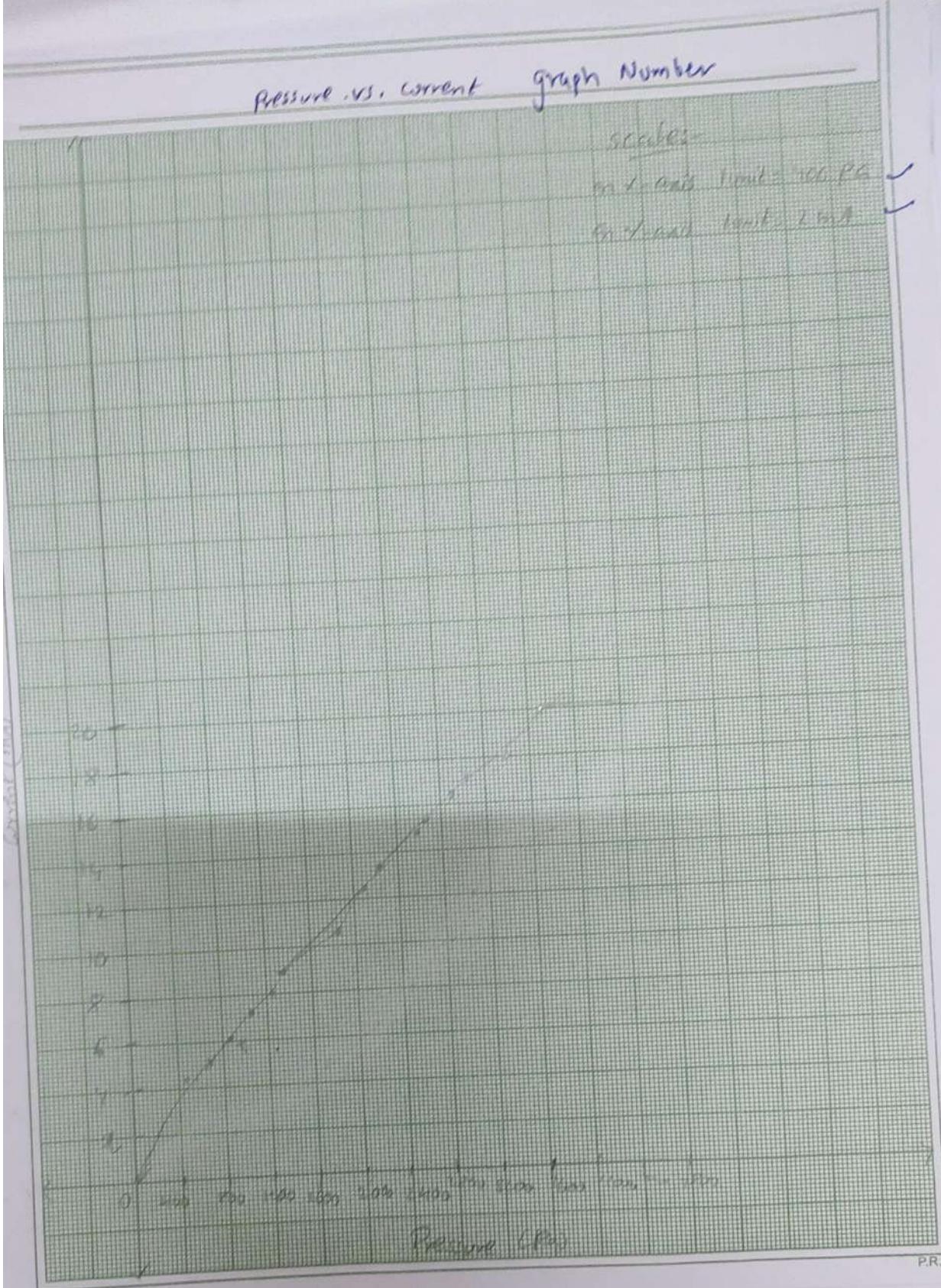
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Pressure vs. current graph Number

Scalable

on 1 axis. Unit: 0.01 Pa ✓

on 2 axis. Unit: 1 m ✓



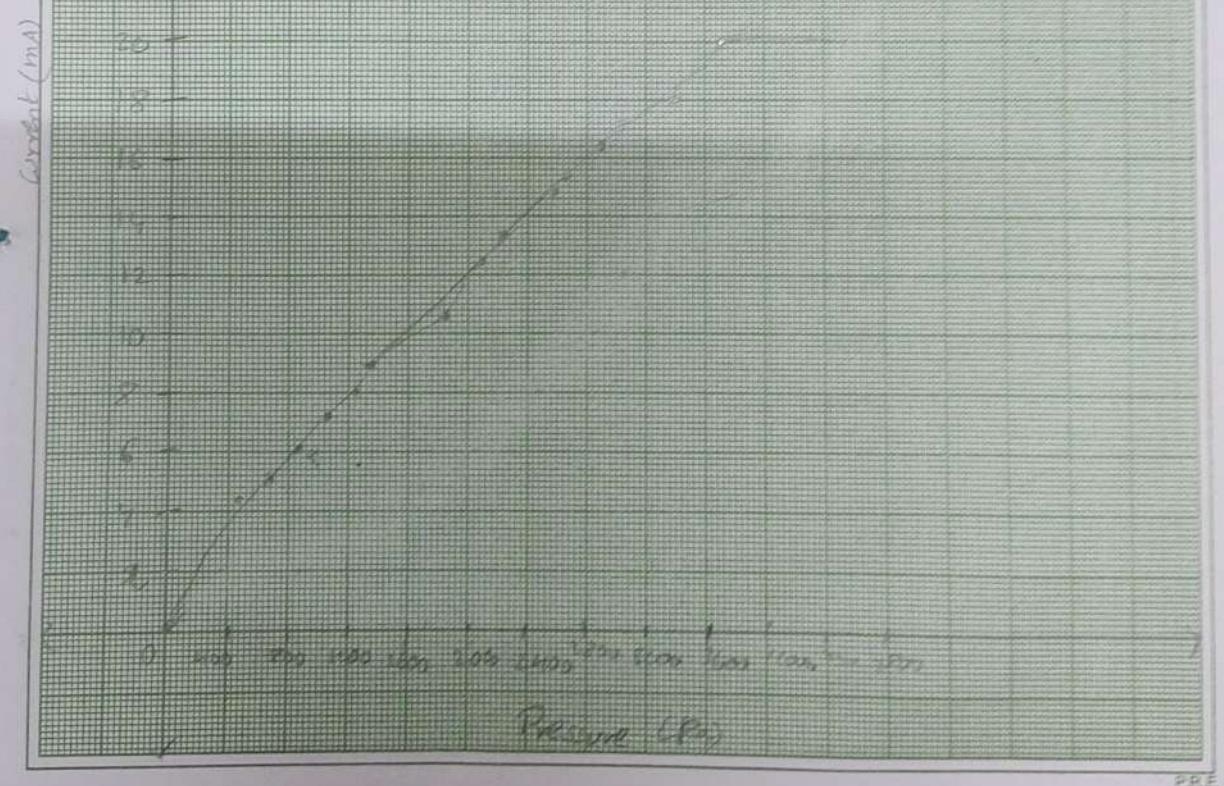
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Pressure vs. Current graph Number

scaler

0.1 mm scale 0.01 Pa ✓

0.1 mm scale 7.43 A ✓



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15.	7	5	686
16.	4.5	3.5	441
17.	0	2	0 ✓ !
18.	4	2	392
19.	9	2	882
20.	17	4.5	1666
21.	21	6	2058
22.	25.5	8	2499
23.	28.6	10	2802
24.	31.5	12	3087
25.	37	14	3626
26.	40	16	3920
27.	45.5	18	4459
28.	47	20	4606

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## Discussion:-

1. Differential Pressure transmitter has a wide range of applications across various industries due to its ability to measure Pressure difference between 2 points accurately in a fluid system.
2. Flow measurement — It can be used to measure flow rates in pipes and ducts. By placing an observation obstruction (an orifice plate) / (vertical tube), the pressure difference across the obstruction can be used to calculate the flow rate.
3. Level measurement - When transmitter is installed at the bottom and top of container, the pressure difference corresponds to the level of substance.
4. It can be used for pressure const., hydraulic and Pneumatic systems.
5. The accuracy of these transmitter can vary depending on factors like the types of sensor, quality of calibration and the application.

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Exp: 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> order experiment.

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Aim : To study step response of mercury manometer.

Procedure :

Fill the heating bath with clear water by opening the inlet valve of heating bath. Then switch on the beeper and set the pe beep to 3 sec.

Ensure that the cyclic timer is set to 30 sec off the time. Switch on Mains to heat the water in heating bath to its boiling point.

Switch off the mains.

The water in the heating bath is now near its boiling point.

Note the thermometer in the each bead till it reaches steady state.

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Theory:

$$y(t) = KM \times \left\{ 1 - e^{-\xi t / \tau} \left[ \cos \left( \frac{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}{\tau} t \right) + \frac{\xi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}} \sin \left( \frac{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}{\tau} t \right) \right] \right\}$$

$y(t)$  = response at any time 't'

$K$  = Gain factor = 1

$$\xi = \frac{8 \mu L}{\rho g D^2} \sqrt{\frac{2g}{L}}$$

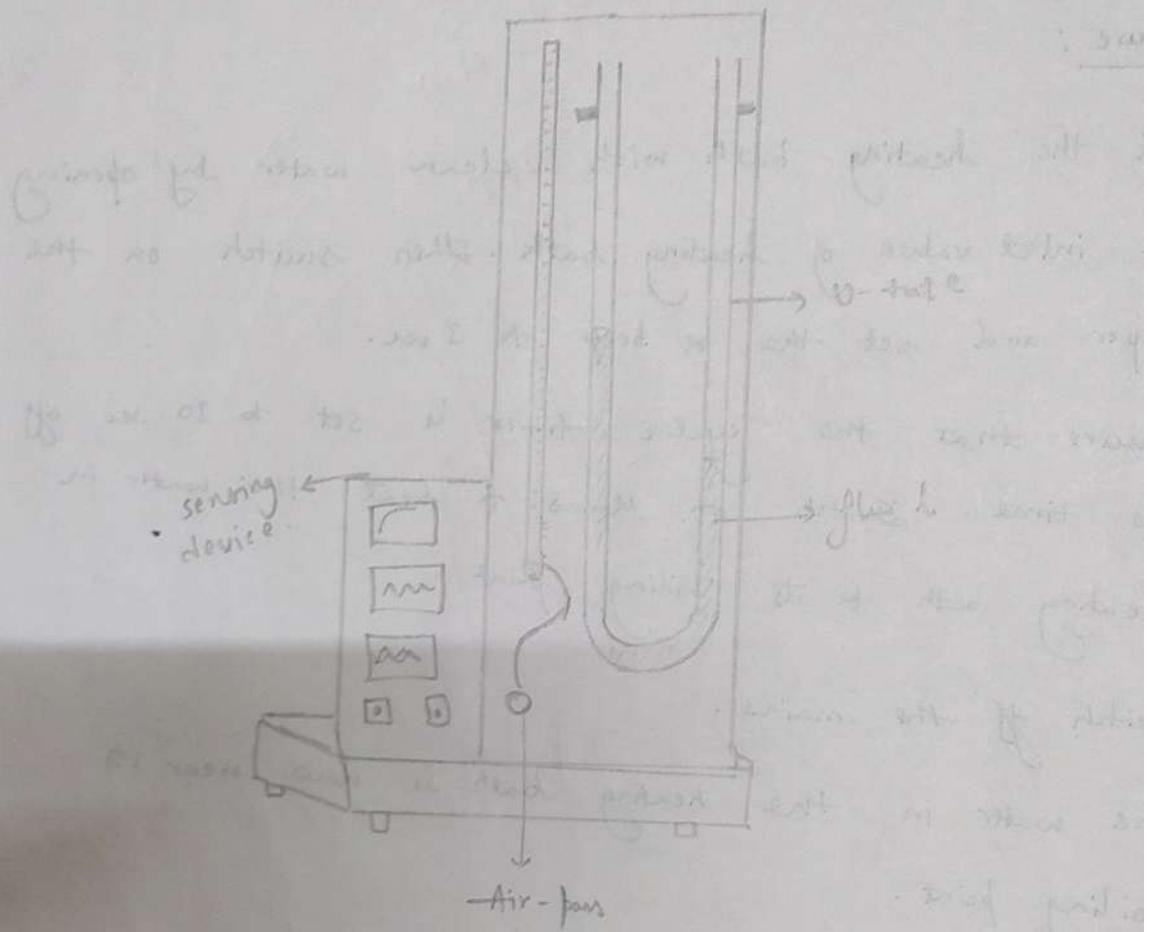
$L$  = length

$\rho$  = density of mercury

$D$  = diameter in m

$\mu$  = Dynamic viscosity (kg/m-s)

$$\tau = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \quad (\text{in sec})$$



End-set-up

Data :

$$\text{fluid} = \text{Hg}$$

$$\mu = 0.0016 \text{ kg/m.s}$$

$$\rho = 13550 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

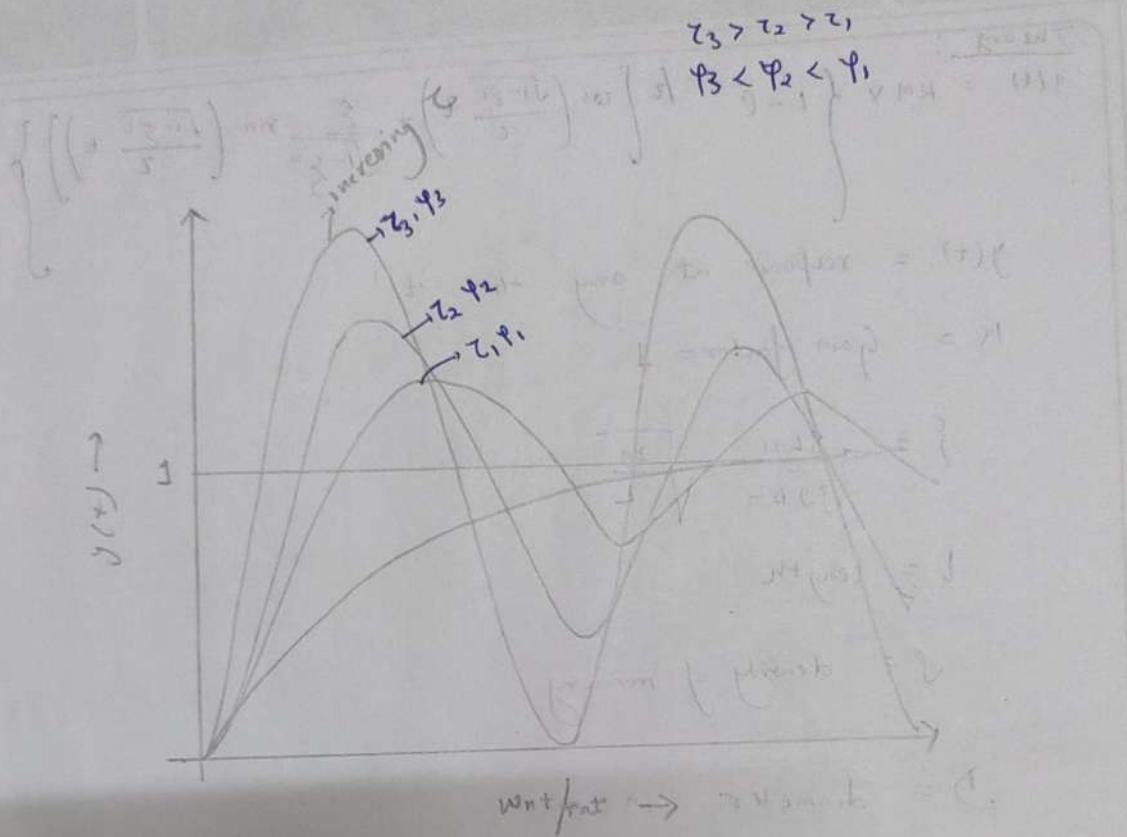
$$L = 0.76 \text{ m}$$

$$d = 0.005 \text{ m}$$

staying (cm) =

Observations :

Time / t (sec)	height (m)
0	130
10	128
20	135
30	158
40	133
50	135
60	105
70	108
80	120
90	128
100	130
110	128



Sample response.

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$$(w_i - r_i) = \frac{w_i - r_i}{w_i}$$

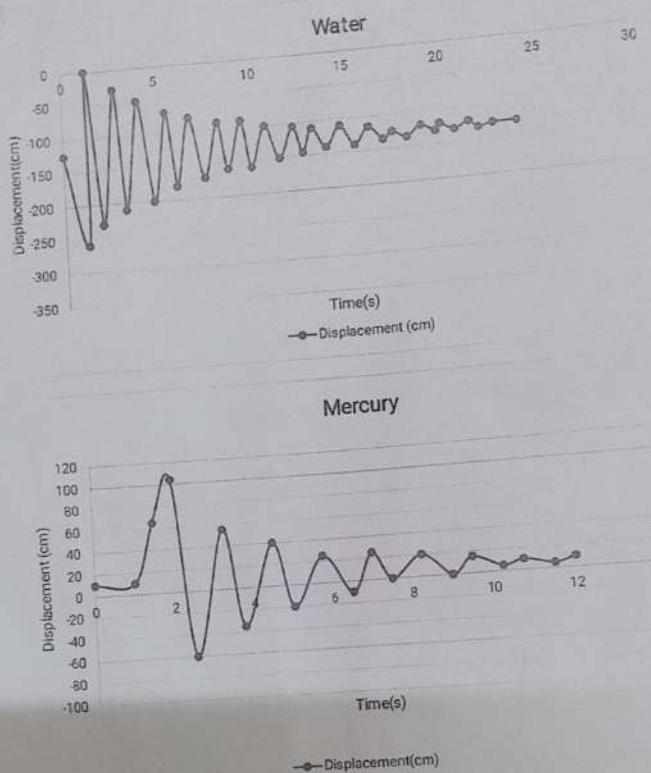


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Calculation (H, o)

From the response curve of 2<sup>nd</sup> order system (H<sub>o</sub>)  
we get :-

$$\text{rise time } (t_r) = 1.2$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Damping coefficient } (\varphi) = \frac{8LM}{JGD^2} \sqrt{\frac{2g}{L}}$$

$$\therefore g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\mu = 0.001 \text{ kg/m}^2$$

$$L = 1.050 \text{ m}$$

$$D = 0.022 \text{ m}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{we get } \varphi = 0.00767$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Decay ratio (DR)} = e^{\varphi} \left( \frac{-2\pi\varphi}{\sqrt{1-\varphi^2}} \right)$$

$$= 0.9529$$

$$\rightarrow \text{overshoot} = \sqrt{DR} = 0.926165$$

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Calculation (Hg)

$$\rightarrow \text{Natural frequency} = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{2g}{L}} \text{ (in rad/sec)} = 31.924 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Damping coefficient } (\xi) = \frac{8L\mu}{\rho g D_2} \sqrt{\frac{2g}{L}} = 0.0148$$

$$\rightarrow \zeta = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_n \times \sqrt{1-\xi^2}} = 0.1968$$

$$\rightarrow DR = \exp\left(\frac{-2 \times \pi \times \xi}{\sqrt{1-\xi^2}}\right) = 0.9112$$

$$\rightarrow OS = \% = \sqrt{DR} = 0.9545$$

$$\rightarrow \text{frequency } (f) = \frac{\omega_n \sqrt{1-\xi^2}}{2\pi} \text{ (in cps)} = 4.9815 \text{ (in cps)}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{characteristic time } (\tau) = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_n} \text{ (in sec)} = 0.1968 \text{ sec}$$

### Discussion:

- The step response of a first order system approaches its S.S. (as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ).
- Larger  $\tau$  values indicate slower responses.
- The overshoot is influenced by damping ratio, with lower  $\zeta$  values leading to larger overshoot.
- Settling time is also influenced by damping ratio, with large  $\zeta$  values leading to faster settling times.

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Aim: To study the step response of thermometer.

Theory:

The dynamic response of 1<sup>st</sup> order type instruments to a step change be represented by

$$T \frac{d\theta}{dt} + \theta = \theta_f$$

where,

$\theta$  = temperature indicated by thermometer

$\theta_f$  = final steady state temperature

$t$  = time

$T$  = time - interval

The linear 1<sup>st</sup> order differential has the particular solution for given initial conditions

$$\frac{\theta}{\theta_f} = 1 - e^{-t/T}$$

The time constant  $T$  is the time required to indicate 63.2% of the complete change. The time 'T' is numerically equal to the product of resistance & capacitance.

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### Procedure:

Fill the heating bath with clear water by opening the inlet valve of heating bath. Then switch on the beeper and set the beep to 3 sec.

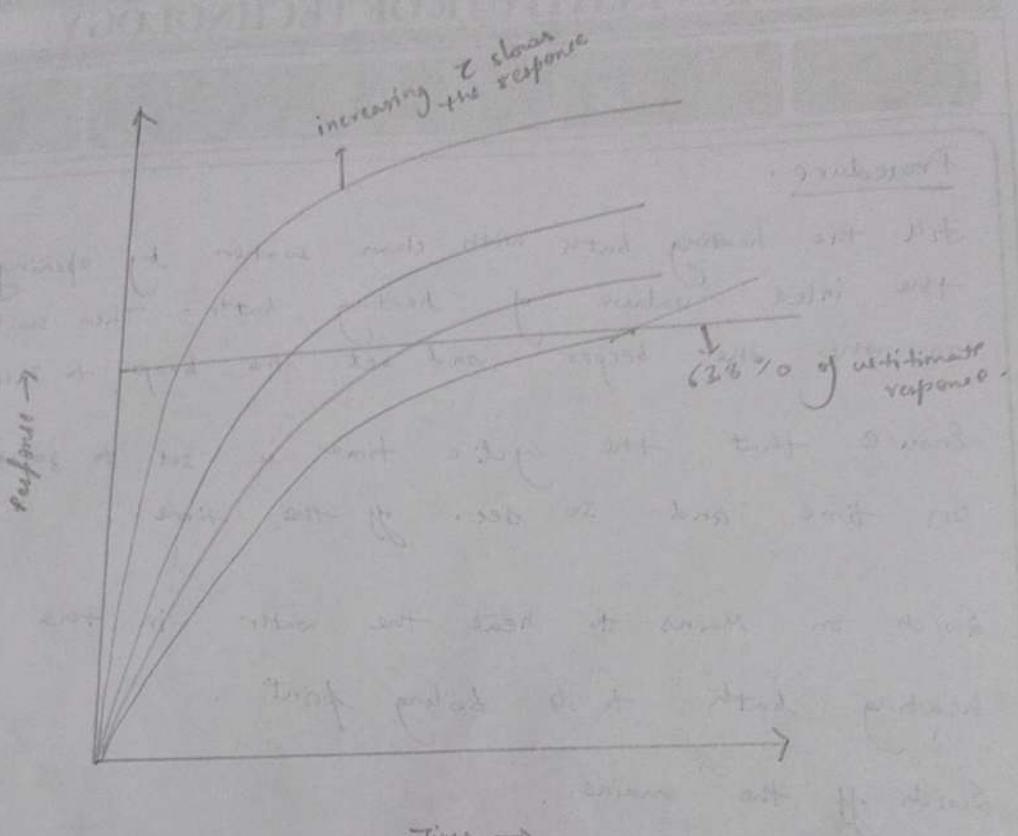
Ensure that the cyclic timer is set to 30 sec. on time and 30 sec. off the time.

Switch on Mains to heat the water in the heating bath to its boiling point.

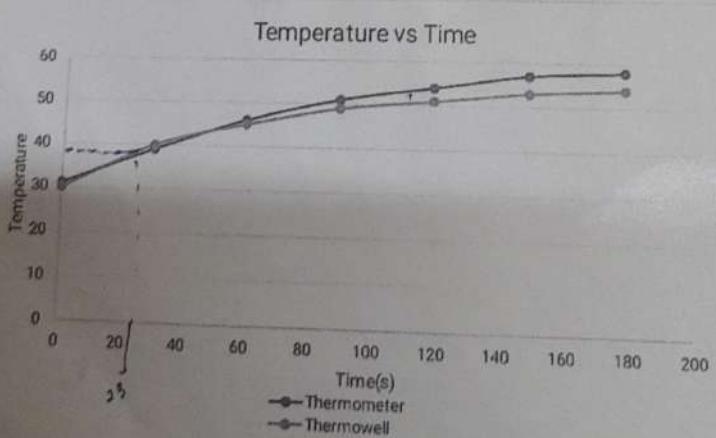
Switch off the mains.

The water in the heating bath is now near its boiling point. Insert the thermometer in the bath.

Note the thermometer at each beep till it reached steady-state.



Sample response of both the sensors



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Observation :

Thermowell  
(°C)

31  
39  
48  
53  
57  
59  
60

Thermometer  
(°C)

30  
40  
45  
49  
52  
53  
54

52  
39  
46

29  
36  
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52  
54  
57  
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46  
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## Calculation :

We use the relation :

Theoretical temp =

$$\rightarrow \text{Initial temp } + (\text{step change} \times 1 - \exp\left(\frac{-1 \times \text{time}}{\text{time constant}}\right)) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{step change} = \text{Final temp} - \text{Initial temp} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$\rightarrow$  Time constant.

\* For 1 ~~data~~ data at  $t=10$  sec

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Th temp} &= 30^\circ + (25^\circ \times \left(1 - \exp\left(\frac{-1 \times 10}{3}\right)\right) \\ &= 16.35 \quad ^\circ C \end{aligned}$$

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## Discussions :

The 1<sup>st</sup> order system, in this case thermometer has time constant of 23 this means that it takes 't' sec. for the thermometer to reach 63.2% of its final value.

For the second order system, the rise time was measured while decay ration and overshoot were calculated for both water and mercury manometer. The results shows that the mercury manometer has a faster rise time compared to later.

Time constant value had to be calculated for two cases:

- ① Thermometer without thermowell
- ② Thermometer with thermowell.

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Experiment 10 : Study of P/I and I/P  
Converters.

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AIM : To Study the operation of P/I and I/P converters.

## Objective :

- 1) To Study the Working Principle and Calibration pressure of P/I and I/P Converters
- 2) To Study the Linearity, hysteresis, accuracy and repeatability of I/P and P/I converter

## Theory :

I/P Converter :-

- An current to pressure converter convert electrical signal to a pressure signal. The input signal is applied to a coil, which creates a magnetic field. The magnetic field is then used to move a diaphragm, which generate a pressure signal.
- The output signal of I/P converter is proportional to the input signal. The proportionality constant is called the gain of the converter.

P/I converter :-

- An Pressure to Current converter convert pressure signal to an electrical signal. The input signal is applied to a diaphragm which is proportion to the pressure. The deflection of the diaphragm is then converts to an electric signal by strain gauge or piezoelectric sensor.
- The output signal is proportional to input signal and the proportionality constant is called gain of the converter. The gain of P/I converter can be adjusted by changing the calibration of the converter.

Procedure :

I/P Converter

1. Put the current source/sink indicator source mode by pressing and confirm source LED is glowing.
2. Give current input in the step of  $4\text{mA}$  from  $4$  to  $20\text{mA}$  by slowly rotate the knob of source indicator.

P/I converter

1. Put current source /sink indicator sink mode by pressing and confirm sink LED is glowing.

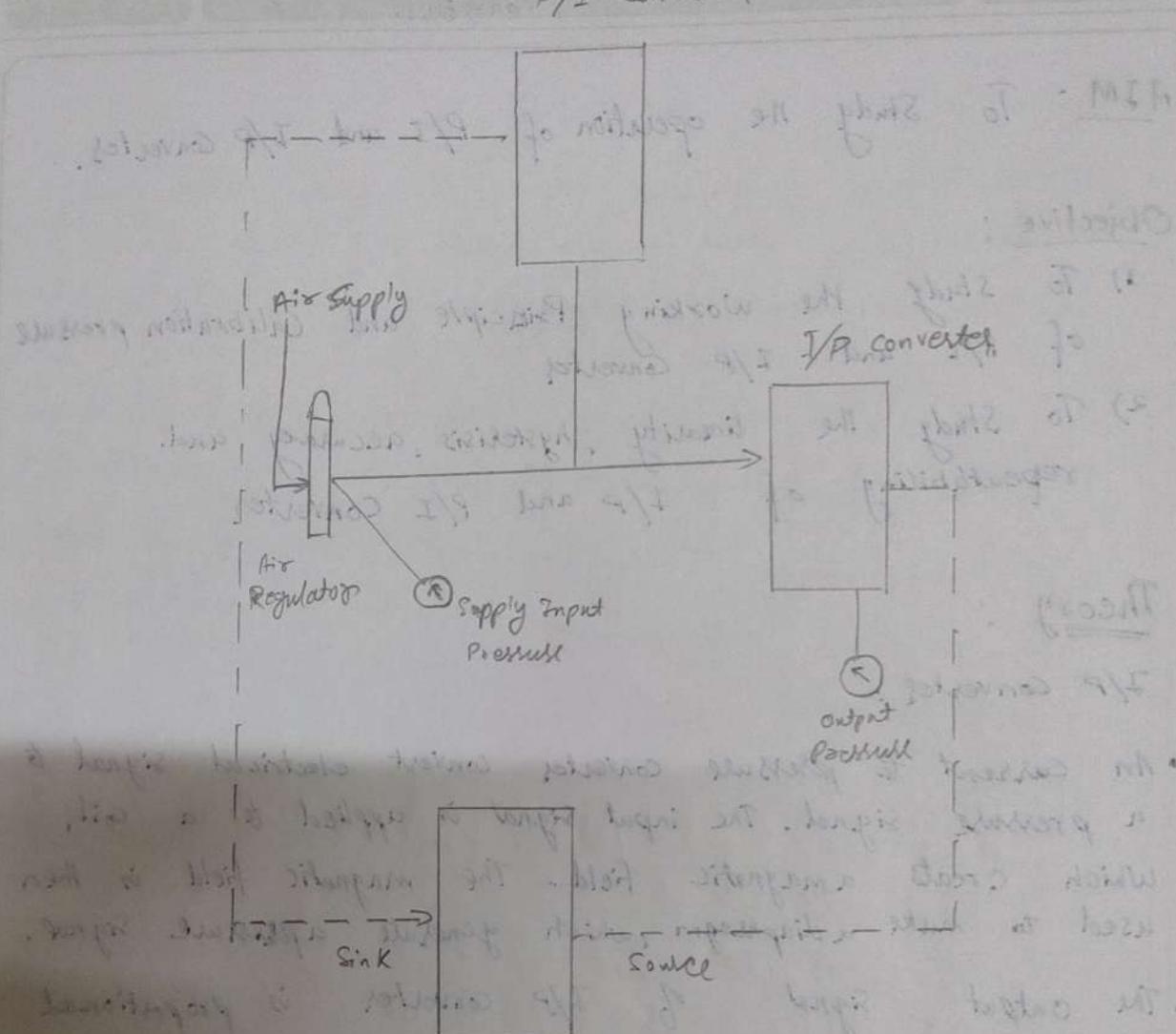


Fig: Basic components of the circuit.

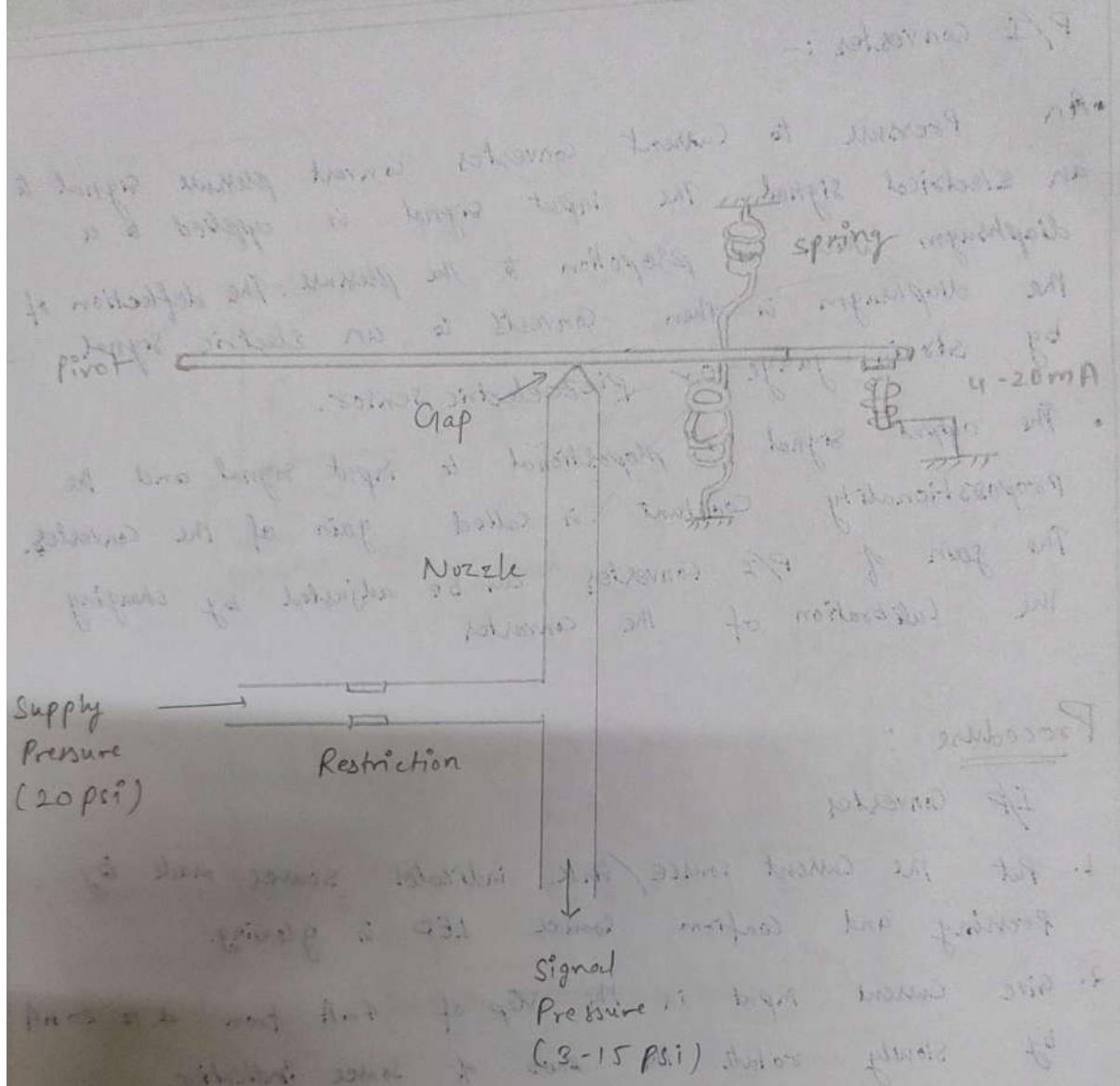
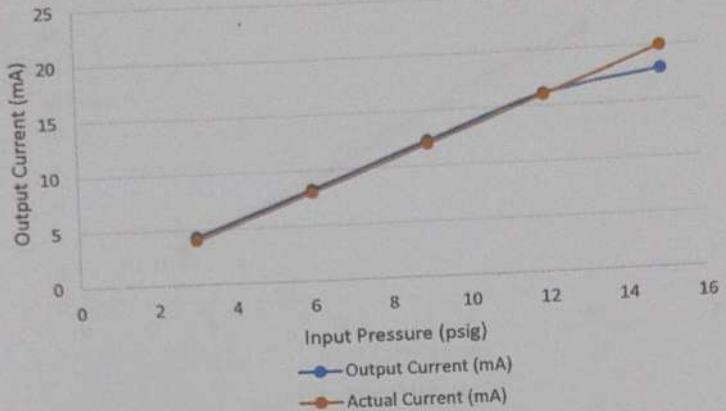
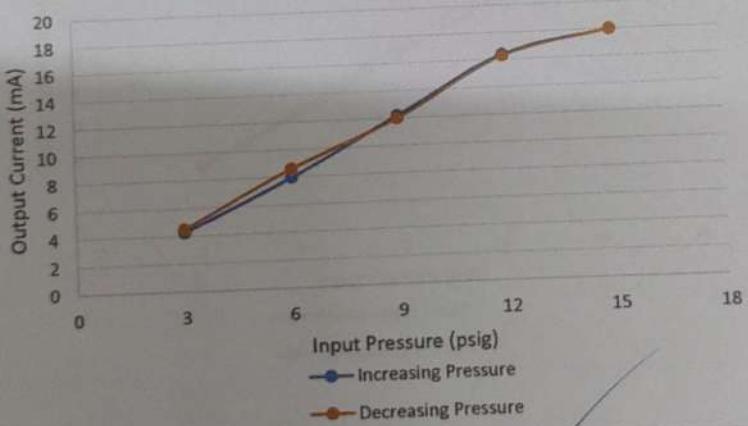


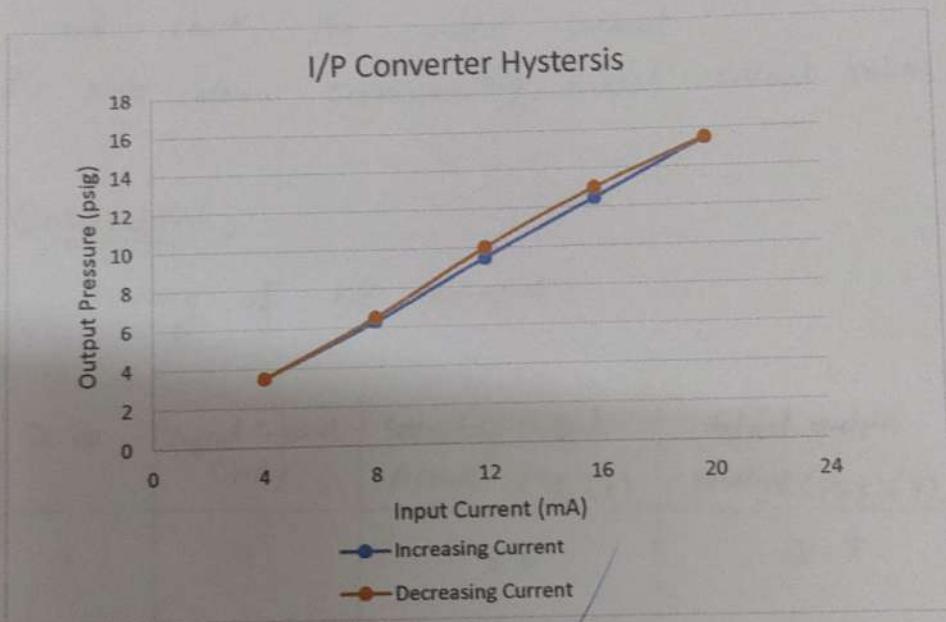
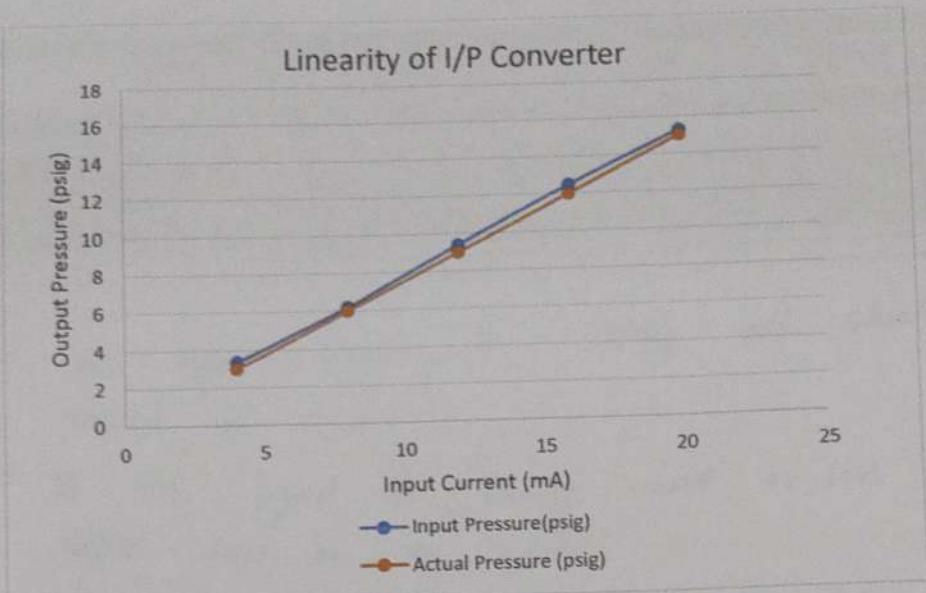
Fig: Principle of a Current to pressure converter

### Linearity of P/I Converter



### P/I Converter Hysteresis





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2. Set input signal to 3psig and check no output current as 4mA
3. If the signal is showing more or less than 4mA then adjust zero on the isolator.
4. Give input signal in the step of 3psig from 3 to 15 psig and check the output current
5. Note down corresponding output current values.

Observation :

1. Accuracy of I/P converter :

Sl. no.	Input current (mA)	Secondary output pressure (psig) (x)	Actual output pressure (psig) (y)	Deviation (psig) (y - x)
1	4	3.5	3.5	0
2	8	6.3	6.5	0.2
3	12	9.5	10	0.5
4	16	12.5	13	0.5
5	20	15.5	15.5	0
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2. Hysteresis of I/P Converters :

Sr.no.	Input current (mA)	Output pressure (Psig) (x)	Input current(mA)	Output pressure(Y)	Hysteresis (Psig)(Y-x)
Decreasing input signal					
1	4	3.5	4	3.5	0
2	8	6.2	8	6.5	0.3
3	12	9.3	12	9.5	0.2
4	16	12.5	16	13	0.5
5	20	15.2	20	15.2	0.

3. Repeatability of I/P Converters :

Sr.no.	Input current (mA)	Output pressure (Psig) (x)	Input current(mA)	Output pressure (Psig) (y)	Deviation in output (Psig) (y-x)
1	4	3.2	4	4	0.8
2	8	6.2	8	6.5	0.3
3	12	9.5	12	10	0.5
4	16	12.5	16	13	0.5
5	20	15.2	20	15.2	0

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1. Accuracy of P/I converter.

S.No.	Input Pressure (Psig)	Standard output current (mA) (X)	Accurate Output current (mA) (Y)	Deviation (mA) (Y-X)
1.	3	4.5	4.5	0
2.	6	8.5	8.6	0.1
3.	9	12.2	12.4	0.2
4.	12	16.4	16.3	0.1
5.	15	18	18	0

2. Hysteresis of P/I converter.

S.No.	Input pressure (Psig)	Output current (mA) (X)	Input pressure (Psig)	Output current (mA) (Y)	Hysteresis (mA) (Y-X)
1	<u>Increasing input current</u>				
2.	3	4.5			
3.	6	8.0	3	4.5	0.2
4.	9	12.3	6	8.4	3.9
5.	12	16.0	9	12	4.0
	15	18.0	12	16	2.0
			15	18	0
					0.

3. Repeatability of P/I converter.

S.No.	Input pressure (Psig)	Output current (mA) (X)	Input pressure (Psig)	Output current (mA) (Y)	Deviation in output (mA) (Y-X)
1	3	4.3	3	4.6	0.3
2	6	8.5	6	8.6	0.1
3	9	12.4	9	12.4	0
4	12	16.0	12	16.1	0.1
5	15	18	15	18	0.

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## Discussion :

- The purpose of I/P converter to convert the analog signal output of a control system into an accurate repeatable value of pressure to control pneumatic operations. Pneumatic valves, dampers etc.
- The accuracy of the I/P or P/I converter was generally measured output pressure, being within the known value of the overall. The results of the experiment was satisfactory. There were a few minor measured deviations from the ideal result of the experiment apparatus.
- I/P or P/I converters are commonly used in control systems Pneumatic automation and oil and gas industries.
- Dat Deviation is actually much less in I/P converter
- When we draw the straightline in linearity of P/I converter graph, we can see it doesn't fit for more points with actual output current the maximum is 12 psig to 15 psig.
- we can see that linearity of I/P converter is affected, actually we have to get one unique value for each input value, but there is some deviation. [It is according to the manufacturer specification]

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- From the graph we can say that the output pressure was generally directly proportional to P/I if I/P converter. Input input current with a few minor deviations. This indicates the graph of I/P if P/I converter are mostly linear but not that accurate, hence there was some hysteresis, mean that output pressure was not always the same for given P input signal depending on the direction of the change in input signal.
- We can observe from the graph that ~~I/P~~ I/P converter IP hysteresis there is some deviation from the actual output since it depend on accuracy.

### Conclusion :

The relationship between current and pressure in the experiment on P/I & I/P converters is that the output signal is directly proportional to the input signal. These currents are commonly used in industries setting a regulate pressure in pipe-lines, tubes and reactors. In this experiment allows to observe and measure the relationship b/w input & output signals in both converter types.

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Exp 1: Pressure Control Trainer

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Aim :- To find the parameters of the controllers in the Pressure Trainer.

Objectives :-

- (1) Understanding Pressure control principle concepts of setpoints, control algorithms, feedback loops and the interaction between various components in a pressure control system.
- (2) Sensor- Actuator Interaction: How the pressure transmitter continuously senses the process variable and sends signals to the control module to adjust the actuator accordingly.
- (3) Control Algorithms Preparation, Integral and derivative control algorithms and their role in maintaining a stable pressure level within the tank.
- (4) The process parameter (pressure) is controlled through a computer.

Theory :

Process controller: In an automatically controlled process the parameter to be controlled is measured and compared with the setpoint by the process controller.

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The difference b/w the measured signal and the setpoint is an error. The controller performs online calculations based on error and other setting parameter and generates an output signal. The output signal drives the final control elements like a control valve or a damper to control the process to the set point.

## Proportional (P) controller :

1. Generates a control output linearly proportional to the deviation between the set point and process variable.
2. Helps regulate processes by adjusting the control output based on the error signal.
3. The controller output (OP) is given by the formulae

$$OP = \left[ \frac{100}{PB} \times e \right] + b$$

- $\therefore b$  helps to decide value of OP where error is zero.
4. The proportional controller usually shows some difference between the set point and process variable called offset. Offset can be reduced by decreasing PB or by readjusting the bias.

There are 2 types of controller activities

1. Increase  $\rightarrow$  Increase in which output decreases measurement increases.  
( $e = \text{measurement} - \text{set point}$ )

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2. Decrease : Decrease in which output decreases as measurement increases. (error  $e = \text{Set Point} - \text{measurement}$ )

## Proportional Derivative (PD) :

This mode of control is described by the relationship

$$OP = b + \frac{100}{PB} \left( e + T_d \cdot \frac{de}{dt} \right)$$

$\therefore$  Smaller is the proportional band the larger is the derivative action. In order to achieve faster, response and more stable operation in slow processes derivative action is added to apply an output component proportional to the rate of change of input (error).

## Proportional- Integral- Derivative (PID)

PID controllers are used for controlling almost all process variables like temperatures, flow, level, pressure etc. in a continuous or batch process. The output of a PID controller is given by,

$$OP = b + \frac{100}{PB} \left( e + \frac{1}{T_i} \int e dt + T_d \frac{de}{dt} \right)$$

Selection of proportional band, integral time and derivative time to achieve desired process response to ~~load~~ load changes is called tuning of controller.

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other meaning which will make an in-depth  
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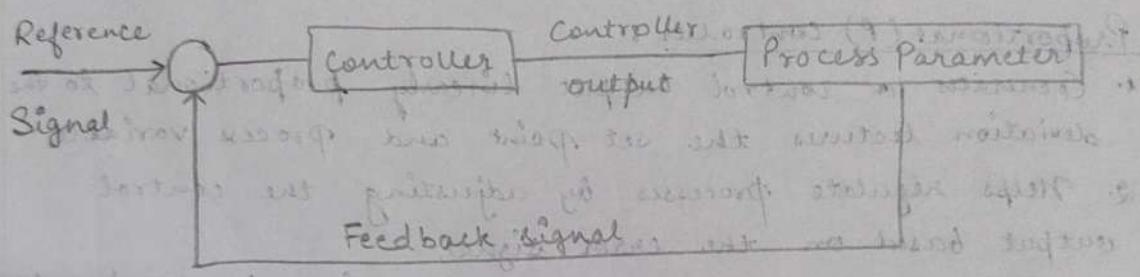


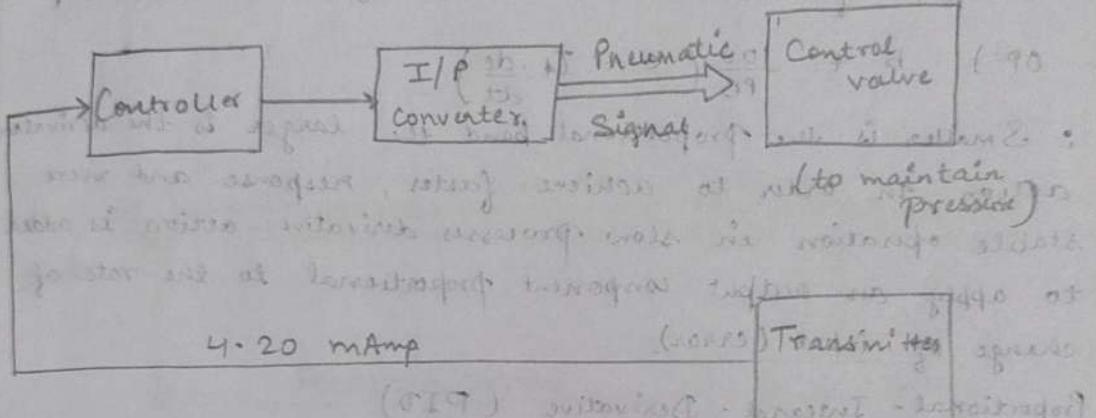
Figure 1: Block Diagram of Typical Controller

the above diagram shows the basic structure of a controller  
which consists of two parts one is the reference signal which is fed into the  
controller and the other part is the process parameter which is fed back into the  
controller to maintain the desired output. The controller takes the reference signal and  
processes it to produce an output signal which is fed into the process parameter.  
The process parameter then provides feedback to the controller to maintain the  
desired output. This is a basic principle of control systems.

to measure output signal at source & classify it  
(temperature, liquid level & flow) external transducer

: (P/I) switched variable

optimization of jet mixture of both gas & liquid will



: (P/I) switched - current - variable

the pump pressures ref base wto measure pressure  
level wth measurement of addition pressure  
before air being added

Figure 2: Pressure Control System Diagram

$$\left( \frac{20}{40} + m \right) \frac{1}{10} + 2 = \frac{20}{81} + d = 93$$

area with varying head ~~variable~~ for variable  
control of liquid level at unit minimum  
velocity of fluid level is ~~variable~~ head ~~constant~~ as

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## 1. Study of Open-loop response (Manual control)

Procedure:

- The mains supply was switched on
- The compressor was switched on and the air was adjusted to flow at a constant rate
- The digital calibrator was kept at manual mode
- The controller output was changed in steps of 10% from 100% and waited till the steady state was achieved.
- The process value was noted for each step change

## 2. To study the P-only controller:

Procedure:

- The digital calibrator was kept at auto mode.
- The software was opened in the computer and the controller was chosen as P
- The P bandwidth value was set.
- The set point value was changed twice during the run cycle.
- The cycle was repeated thrice with different controller parameters.

## 3. To study the PD controller:

- The digital calibrator was kept at auto mode.
- The software was opened in the computer and the controller was chosen as PD

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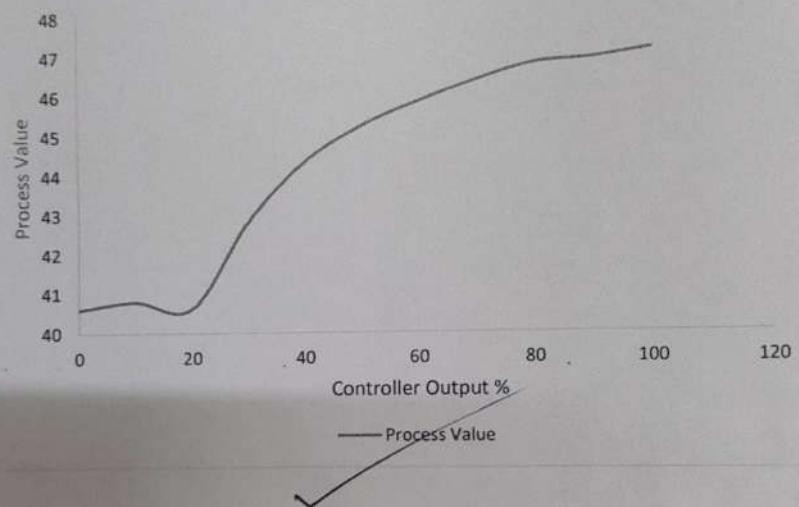
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- The P bandwidth and derivative time constant value were set.
- The setpoint value was changed twice during the runcycle
- The cycle was repeated thrice with different controller parameters.

## 4. Study of the PID controller :

- Start up the set up. Select close loop option for control from software.
- Select PID controller.
- Switch the controller to manual mode
- Change the proportional band to the value that estimated in proportional controller. Set integral time and derivative time based on the responses in previous experiment.
- Adjust the set point to 50%. Switch the controller to auto mode. Apply step change of 10%. Observe the process response.

Open Loop Response



Q. What is process reaction curve? Explain with diagram.

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Observation :-

OPEN LOOP RESPONSES

Controller Output in %	Process Value	!
0	40.6	
10	40.8	
20	40.62	
30	42.8	
40	44.3	
50	45.2	
60	45.8	
70	46.3	
80	46.7	
90	46.8	
100	47	

CLOSE LOOP RESPONSE

1. P-only Controller

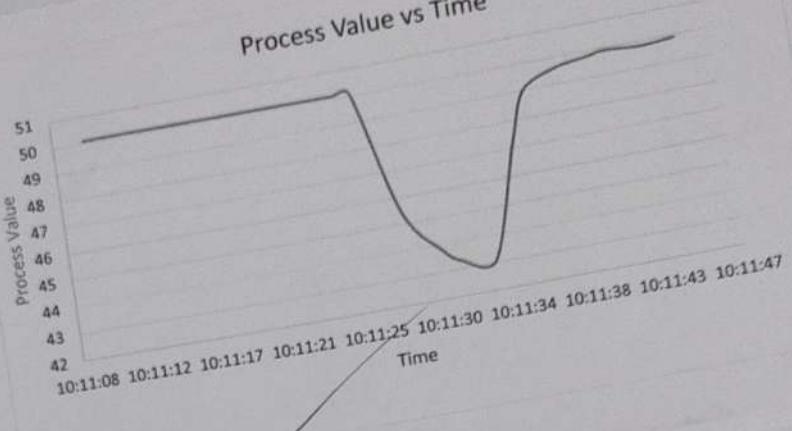
SP = Set Point   PV = Process variable

K <sub>c</sub>	SP	PV	Offset	offset=1SP/PV!
5	44.5	46.3	0.8	
10	44.5	45.9	1.4	
15	44.5	45.9	1.4	
20	44.5	46.5	2	

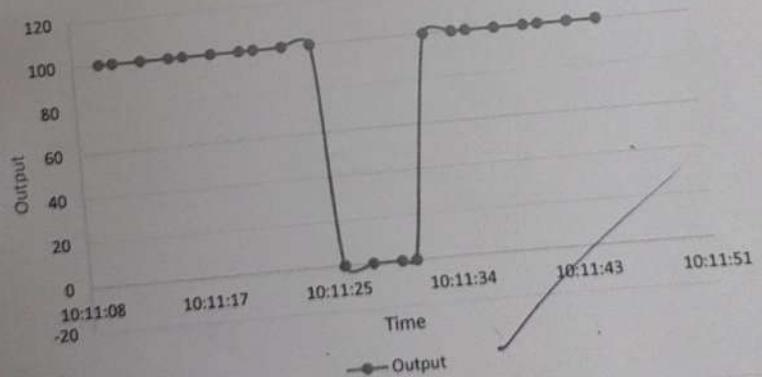
min offset = 0.8

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Process Value vs Time



Output Vs Time



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2) PD Controller:-

$K_c$	$Z_D$	SP	PV	Offset
5	1	44.5	45.2	0.7
5	5	44.5	46	1.5
5	10	44.5	46.3	1.8

$$\min \text{ offset} = 0.7$$

3) PID controller

$K_c$	$Z_D$	$Z_i$	SP	PV	Offset	$\min \text{ offset} = 0.1$
5	1	1	44.5	44.6	0.1	
5	1	5	44.5	45	0.5	
5	1	10	44.5	44.8	0.3	
5	1	20	44.5	44.6	0.1	

Result:-

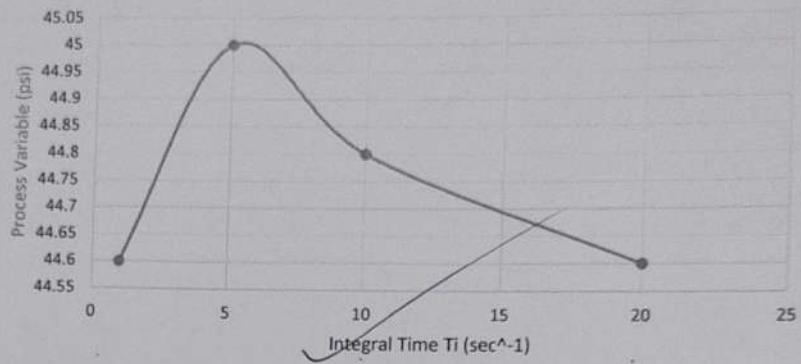
PID controller is the most effective in eliminating offset, followed by PD controller.

P controller tends to have the most significant offset because it lacks integral and derivative actions to address steady-state errors and anticipatory control.

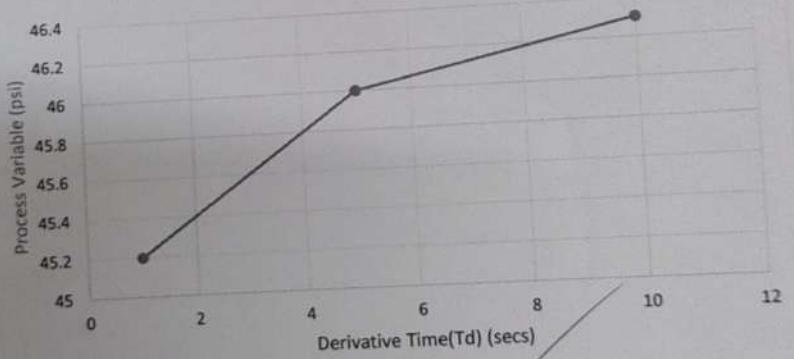
Discussion:-

- ① While carrying out the experiment, it was observed that the readings attained steady values after some time despite step changes in input in many cases. This is a crucial general observation implying the latency involved in the input-output information disturbance transfer, and the role of controllers in the whole process.
- ② For all three control schemes, the response corresponding to monotonic decreases/increase in the parameters ( $K_c, z_d, z_i$ ) was not itself monotonic. This means that in the experimental realm the parameters can be fine tuned to achieve an optimum offset and that cannot be achieved by indefinite increasing/decreasing.
- ③ In ideal system, P-controller tends to have most significant offset because it lacks integral and derivative actions to address steady state errors and anticipatory control. But here, in our experiment process is not ideal.

Process Variable (psi) vs. Integral Time ( $T_i$ )



Process Variable (psi) vs. Derivative Time ( $T_d$ )



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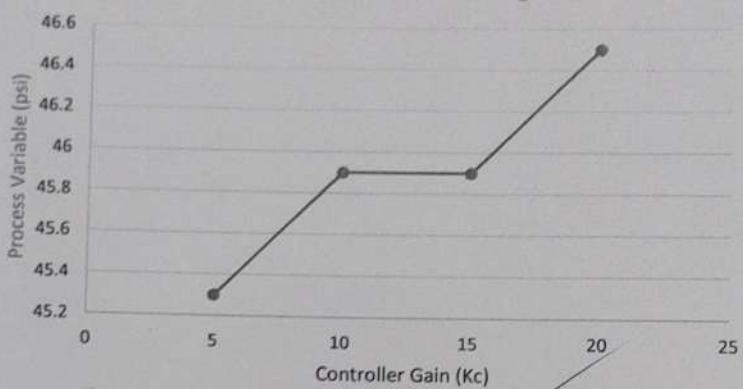
## Sources of Errors:-

- ① Inaccuracies in the pressure measurement instruments such as pressure sensors or gauges can lead to incorrect data acquisition.
- ② Incorrect tuning or controllers (P, PD & PID) can lead to unexpected behaviour and offset elimination.

## Precautions:-

- ① Calibrate instruments and sensors properly.
- ② Place setup on stable, vibration free surface.

Process Value Vs Controller gain



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Exp-2 Temperature control trainer

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## Aim:-

To tune the parameters of the controlled in the temperature control trainer.

## OBJECTIVE:-

- To study the open loop response of a temperature control trainer.
- To study feedback proportional control (P control)
- To study steady state and transient response to a Proportional + derivative control.
- To study steady state and transient response to a Proportional + Integral + Derivative controller.

## THEORY

### 1. Study of open loop response

The feedback controlled variable is measured and compared with reference input and difference in signal to the control elements if the main variable is not used to

input adjust any of the input automatically system is an open loop control system.

PROCEDURE:-

- The set was started up and value was adjusted.
- select open loop action.
- Decrease control output to 0%.
- start date logging on the computer.
- Apply the step change by 10% to controller output in manually. wait untill temperature reaches steady state.
- Repeat the above steps untill the controller output reaches to max is 100%

2. Study of Proportional controller :-

THEORY:-

The control algorithm that generate a linear control output proportional to deviation. at it called Proportional action.

In Proportional action the amount of change is measured value (in deviation) is supressed that is required

to cause the control output to change from 0 to 100%  
is called the Proportional.

The equation for proportional controller output is

$$P = k_p [SP - PV] + P_0$$

$k_p$  = Proportional gain

PROCEDURE:-

- Setup is started and closed loop is sealed.
- Controller is set to P mode.
- Process value is adjusted by changing controller to manual mode and output of controller is applied as bias  
Proportional band is changed to 100%.
- Controller is switched back to auto.
- Set point is changed.
- Controller is switched to manual mode and different set is taken.

3. Study of Proportional Derivative controller

THEORY:-

This mode of control is derived by the relation

$$k_c = \frac{100}{\text{Proportional band}}$$

$$P = k_c e + k_o \frac{d}{dt} \int e dt + P_s \quad \text{error } e = SP - PV$$

$T_d$  = derivative time

$T_i$  = integral time

$k_c$  = proportional gain

The derivative action generally used for low pressure and larger derivative time larger is the action smaller in the Proportional band larger in the derivative action.

#### PROCEDURE:-

- start the setup and choose closed loop option for control
- select PD controller, set the proportional band for Proportional control (P only)
- change the derivative time and apply step change to the process.
- increase the derivative time and apply step change to the Preset.
- trial and error, select a set of proportional band and derivative time which give satisfying response to the step change in set point.

#### 4) Study of Proportional Integral Derivative (PID)

##### THEORY:-

The mode of control is derived by the relationship

$$P = k_c e - \frac{k_c}{T_i} \int e dt + k_c T_d \frac{de}{dt} + P_s$$

$$\text{error } e = SP - PV$$

$$k_c = \frac{1}{\text{Proportional Band}} \times 100$$

$T_d$  = derivative time

$T_i$  = integral time

$k_c$  = proportional gain

##### PROCEDURE:-

- start up the set up and choose close loop option for central system.
- select PID controller.
- switch the controller to manual mode
- change the proportional band to the value & set estimated in proportional controller in a integral and derivative time in the responses in previous experiments
- Adjust the set point to 50%. switch the controller to manual mode. Apply change of 10%. observe the pressure response.

Observation table :-

Open loop -

controller output (%)	Process variable ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )
0	36
10	36
20	39
30	43
40	47
50	50
60	54
70	57
80	59.5
90	64
100	64

The median value of process variable comes out to be 50, and this value will be chosen as set point for closed loop analysis of P, PD and PID controller.

At say. output

time	Process value
0	64.9
10	64.9
20	64.9
30	64.7
40	63.1
50	60.6
60	58.2
70	56.4
80	55.3
90	54.2
100	53.5
110	52.9
120	52.2

P controller -

$K_c$	Set Point ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	Process variable ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	offset
10	50	51	1
20	50	52	2
30	50	52	2

minimum offset of  $K_c = 10$   
 ↳ not  $K_c$ . It is PB.

PD controller -

$T_D$	Set Point ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	Process Variable ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	offset
1	50	51	1
5	50	51	1
10	50	51	1

minimum offset is same at any  $T_D$  and  $K_c = 10$

PID controller -

$T_I$	Set Point ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	Process Variable ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	offset
1	50	47	3
5	50	51.65	1.65
10	50	51.6	1.6
20	50	50.4	0.4

minimum offset found at  $T_I = 20$ ,  $T_D = 1$ ,  $K_c = 10$ .

Result and conclusion :-

Controller tuning parameters obtained are

$$(K_c = 10)$$

$$T_D = 1$$

$$T_I = 20$$

~~PID controller is most effective in eliminating offset followed by PD controller~~

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- P only controller shows the most deviation because it lacks integral and derivative actions to address steady state errors.

## Discussion :-

- In this experiment, we used temperature control trainer for understanding the basic temp. control principle where water temperature was controlled and flow rate was fixed.
- We used three different schemes P, PI, PID for which temperature responses were noted with time.
- In p only controller , value of  $K_c$  determines the closeness of control action towards set point.
- In PD controller , we used different P and D tuning parameters and offset decreases as compared to P only controller
- In PID controller , we can see from graph oscillations increased as the value of D increases.

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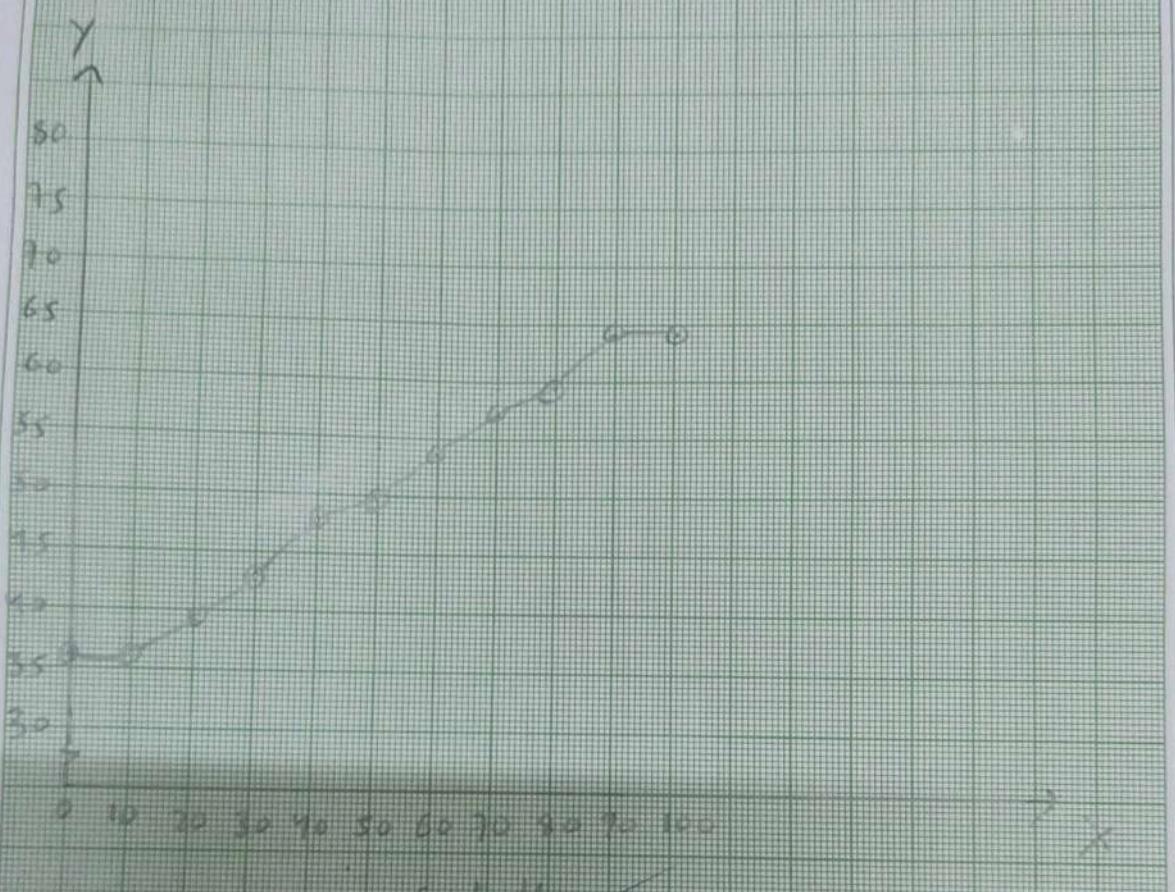
## Precautions:-

- The readings of the process control variable should some changes initially. Thus the reading of the process variable should only be taken when it stabilizes.
- No abrupt changes in input or control parameters should be done. This change should be slowly and in steady state.

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$R_{\text{min}} = R_{\text{max}} = 10\%$

$\Delta r = 1 \text{ mm}$



Controlling point

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