

WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY  
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND MINERAL RESOURCES  
DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

EE 413

INTRO TO DIGITAL CONTROL  
3 credit Hours

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**Office Hours:** TR 3:30-4:30 (or by appointment)

**Class Time:** TR 12:30- 1:45 **Class Location:** 135 AER

**Prerequisites:** EE and CpE Signals and Systems' Required Courses

Text: Digital Control of Dynamic Systems, Franklin, Powell, Workman, Third Edition, Addison Wesley Longman, Inc.

References:

**Digital Control:**

Digital Control Systems: Theory, Hardware, Software, by Houpis and Lamont, Copyright 1992, McGraw-Hill, Inc., ISBN # 0-07-030500-5

**Continuous Time Systems/Fundamentals of Control:**

Ogata, K., Modern Control Engineering, Fourth Edition, C 2002, Prentice-Hall

Automatic Control Systems, Seventh Edition, by B.C. Kuo, Prentice-Hall, 1995

Linear Systems and Signals, by B. P. Lathi, Berkeley-Cambridge Press, 1998

Linear Control Systems, by Rohrs, Melsa and Schultz, McGraw Hill, 1993

Modern Control Theory, Third Edition, Brogan, W.L., Prentice-Hall, 1991

## CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

Sampling of continuous-time signals and transform analysis. State variable analysis for linear discrete-time systems and design of digital controllers.

Electrical Engineering program Outcomes to which this course contributes:

1. Be able to understand how dynamic systems are represented/modeled mathematically.
2. Be able to write equations which represent specific systems.
3. Be able to understand the differences between continuous and discrete time system models in some detail.
4. Be able to apply tests for stability in both continuous and discrete domains to determine system stability.
5. Be able to apply design analysis tools such as root locus and frequency response to both analog and digital systems.
6. Be able to understand and apply feedback to achieve stable controlled systems and to meet required design specifications
7. Be able to effectively use digital control devices (computers) to design stable, closed-loop feedback systems.
8. Be able to effectively employ powerful contemporary tools such as Matlab to aid in achieving the control design and implementation outcomes listed above.

Course Contents:

## INTRODUCTION

### REVIEW OF CONTINUOUS CONTROL

Representation of Systems

Differential equations , Transfer functions, Block diagrams

Response Signals from Systems

Time domain, Frequency domain

Feedback

Properties, Stability, Steady State Error

Root Locus

Construction, Computational Aids: Matlab

Frequency Response

Bode Plots, Matlab, Stability Margins: Gain and Phase Margins  
Compensators (controllers)  
State Space Representation and State Feedback  
INTRODUCTION TO DIGITAL CONTROL  
Discretization, Sampling effects  
DISCRETE SYSTEMS ANALYSIS  
Representation of Systems  
Difference equations, Transfer functions, Block diagrams, Z Transforms  
Discrete Models of Sampled-Data Systems using Z Transform  
Signal Analysis and Dynamic Response  
(to a) Unit pulse, Unit step, Other input forms  
Frequency Response  
Z Transform and its Properties  
SAMPLED-DATA SYSTEMS  
Sample and Hold, Block Diagrams for Sampled-Data Systems  
DISCRETE EQUIVALENTS  
Using Numerical Integration, Zero-Pole Matching Equivalents  
Holds: Zero Order, Others  
DESIGN: FREQUENCY DOMAIN  
By Emulation, By Root Locus, By Frequency Response  
By Other Frequency Domain Methods  
OTHER DESIGN APPROACHES: TIME DOMAIN, STATE-SPACE

#### HOMEWORK:

Homework assigned will be due and collected at the beginning of class. Most of it will be graded. No late homework will be accepted. Ask questions on homework in class. Individual questions should be covered during office hours in my office.

Do all homework on clean (cut) edged 8 1/2 x 11" paper, one side only. Start each new item (e.g. problem, question, etc.) on a new sheet. **Staple** all pages of each homework **set together**.

**On the top (cover) sheet of the set, write:**

**Your name**

**The homework set number**

**The date due**

Write your name on every sheet of paper.

Several in class quizzes will be given over one to two week segments of material.

**If you** know you **must miss** a future class, all homework is due before (or on) the due date. Credit cannot be given for late homework.

If you must **miss** class **due to emergency** reasons (sickness, death in family, etc.), call (or have someone else call) the instructor or leave a phone message at the phone number given above.

#### GRADING:

Homework	15%
Unannounced Quizzes	10%
Two Exams	50%
Final Exam (Comprehensive)	25%
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	100% Total

#### Academic Integrity Statement:

The integrity of the classes offered by any academic institution solidifies the foundation of its mission and cannot be sacrificed to expediency, ignorance, or blatant fraud. Therefore, I will enforce rigorous standards of academic integrity in all aspects and assignments of this course. For the detailed policy of West Virginia University regarding the definitions of acts considered to fall under academic dishonesty and possible ensuing sanctions, please see the Student Conduct Code at <http://www.arc.wvu.edu/admissions/integrity.html>. Should you have any questions about possibly improper research citations or references, or any other activity that may be interpreted as an attempt at academic dishonesty, please see me *before* the assignment is due to discuss the matter.

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- Grades assigned during the semester on exams, quizzes, reports, or homework assignments are considered final and are not subject to negotiation for any reason other than an indisputable mistake in grading.
- Use of cell phones, smart wearable devices, or possession of other external communication devices are strictly prohibited during exams, tests, or quizzes administered inside the classroom. Departments may specify acceptable calculators and additional restrictions.
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