

# **Design and Technology**

Advanced GCE **2525/01**

Unit 8: Systems and Control Technology 2

## **Mark Scheme for June 2010**

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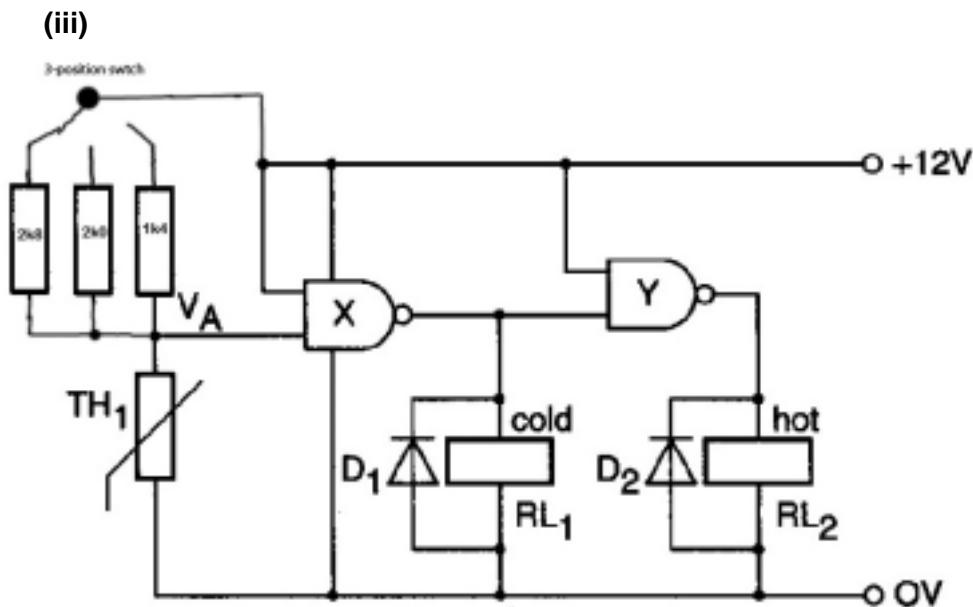
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- 1 (a) (i) As temperature of thermistor increases its resistance decreases, this causes the voltage drop across it to reduce  $V_A$ . [1]
- (ii)  $45^\circ\text{C} = 1\text{k}\Omega$  (1)  $1400 \times 12 / 3400$  (1) = 4.94v (1) [3]
- (iii) CMOS will operate over a wide range of voltages, has better noise immunity. [1]
- (b) (i) Thermistor senses bath water temperature (1). Below  $40^\circ\text{C}$  both inputs to gate X are high so output is low ensuring COLD relay does not energise. (1) The inputs to gate Y are 1 and 0 so output is positive energising the HOT relay. (1) As temperature rises thermistor resistance reduces causing output of gate X to be positive, energising the COLD relay. (1) The two inputs to gate Y are now both high so the output is low switching off the HOT relay. (1) And so on. [5]
- (ii) D1 and D2 are in parallel across the relay coil to offer an easy path for back EMFs (1) and so protect gates X and Y. (1) [2]



As above or similar. (1) for each correct resistor value, where  $2\text{k}8 = 35^\circ$   
 $2\text{k}0 = 40^\circ$   
 $1\text{k}4 = 45^\circ$   
 (1) for correct operation in circuit. [4]

- (c) P = Identify a range of relevant issues / points. [3]  
 Q = Quality of explanation as to why these issues are relevant. [3]  
 S = Use of specific examples or supporting evidence [2]

Possible reasons could be: cost to implement, potential savings, green issues, upheaval of home to implement, or similar responses.

**Total [24]**

2 (a) (i)

X	Y	S	L
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	1
1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1

One mark for columns X,Y and S. One mark for columns X,Y and S in correct numerical (binary) order.

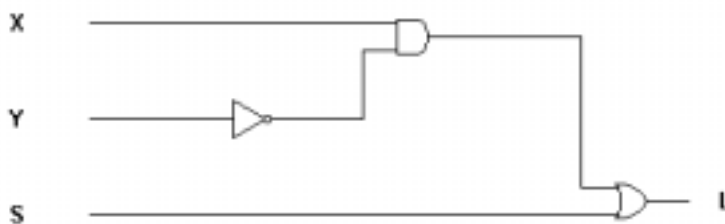
One mark for column L correct.

[3]

(ii)  $X\bar{Y} = L$  or written explanation.

[1]

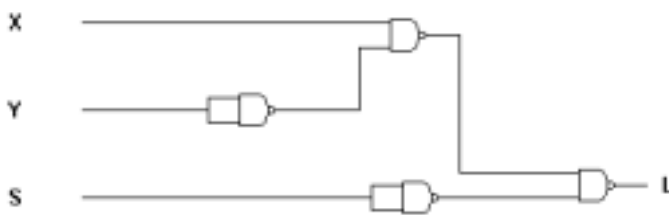
(b) (i)  $S + X\bar{Y} = L$



One mark for each gate correct gate, one mark for connected correctly.

[4]

(ii)



Note: If (b)(i) incorrect error carried forward

One mark for each gate correctly placed in circuit.

[4]

(iii) Greater packing density, easier to source, need to hold less spares. Any one, well explained.

[2]

(c)  $P = V^2/R$  Therefore,  $240^2 / 500 = R$ . (1) Therefore  $R = 115.2$  Ohms(1)

[2]

(d) P = Identify a range of relevant issues / points.

[3]

Q = Quality of explanation as to why these issues are relevant.

[3]

S = Use of specific examples or supporting evidence.

[2]

Possible reasons could be: cost of installation, installation upheaval, peace of mind, unsightly, deterrent or similar response. Lights at night, pollution, noise pollution.

**Total [24]**

- 3 (a) Ramps for disabled wheelchairs, wheel chocks, tail-gate ramp, threads, door wedge, Archimedes Screw or any other suitable response. Any two. [2]
- (b)  $VR = R/r = 20/5 = 4:1$  [2]
- (c) (i)  $2.6/\sin 20^\circ = \text{hyp} = 7.6\text{m}$  (2)
- Therefore,  $E = 3600 \times 9.81 \times 2.6/7.6 = 12081\text{N}$  (2) [4]
- (ii)  $S = F/A = 7200/\pi \times 6^2 = 63.7\text{N/mm}^2$  or  $= 63.7\text{MN/m}^2$  [4]
- (d) Good quality sketch. Pawl and ratchet, worm gear or similar. [2]  
Well described [2]
- (e) P = Identify a range of relevant issues / points. [3]  
Q = Quality of explanation as to why these issues are relevant. [3]  
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Issues might include:

Danger of injury, guarding, correct PSE, risk assessment, maintenance, training or other suitable issues.

**Total [24]**

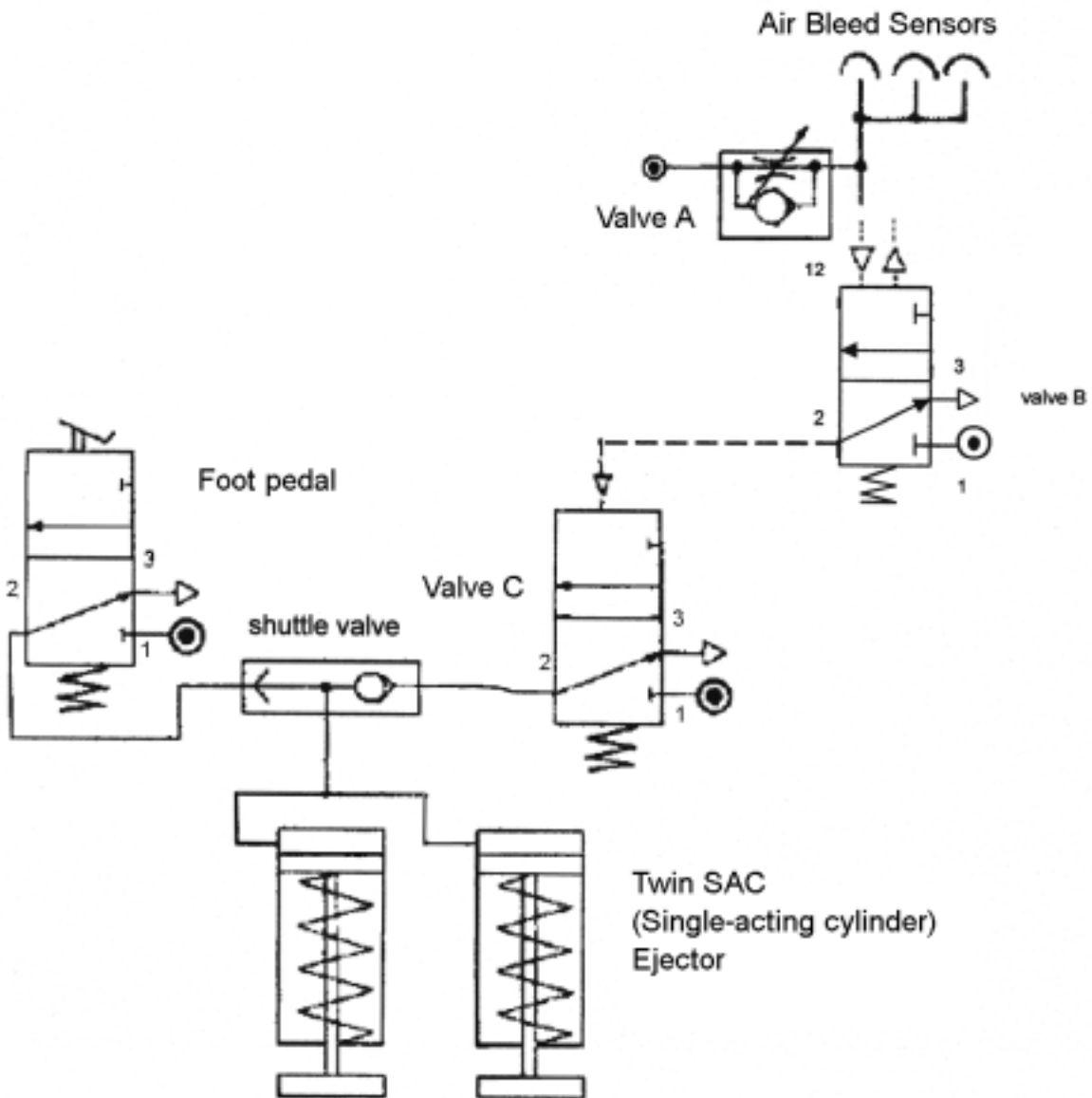
- 4 (a) (i) Adv: can prevent expensive damage, protects motor from too heavy load. (1)  
Dis: less power at output, less efficient. (1)  
Well explained. (2) [4]
- (ii) Lock shaft and pulley, give good positive drive, makes removal easier or similar [2]
- (iii) grub screw and flat, spline or similar [2]
- (b) (i)  $P = T\omega$   $T = F \times \text{radial distance} = 5 \times 0.2 = 1\text{N}$  (1)  
 $P = 1 \times 2500 \times 2\pi / 60$  (1) = 261.8 Watts  
At 80 % efficiency  $261.8/0.8 = 327.25$  Watts (1) [4]
- (ii) Stepped-cone pulley, motor speed control or similar (2 x 1)  
Well explained (2 x 1) [4]
- (c) P = Identify a range of relevant issues / points. [3]  
Q = Quality of explanation as to why these issues are relevant. [3]  
S = Use of specific examples or supporting evidence. [2]

Issues might include:

Cost, quality assurance, improve quality / construction to avoid returns, returns department, repair or replace, more staff, more contact with public, training or similar suitable issues.

**Total [24]**

- 5 (a) (i) PIC, Stamp, Smart Box, PLC or similar. Any two, one mark each. [2]
- (ii) Easy to change program, simpler to design, simpler to use, multiple use of same component, easier maintenance or similar. Any two, one mark each. [2]
- (b) (i) Once air bleed is blocked, the restricted mains air from Valve A will have no access to exhaust [1] and so will cause Valve B to operate [1]. Air will operate Valve B12 and cause a pilot air signal on Valve C [1] which will allow main air through to cause both SAC's to outstroke [1]. [4]
- (ii) The loading on each must be exactly the same [1] and piping must be symmetrical [1]. [2]
- (iii) [1] for correct symbol of required valve, [1] for being in parallel (use of shuttle valve), [1] correct operation. [3]



- (c)  $F = P \times A$  So,  $0.6 \times \pi \times 20^2$  [1] = 754N. Both, therefore,  $754 \times 2 = 1508\text{N}$  [1] 95% efficiency so,  $1508\text{N} \times 0.95 = 1433\text{N}$ , [1] to nearest integer. [3]

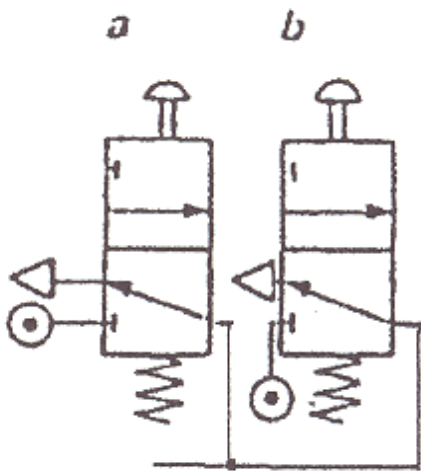
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Issues might include:

Cost of ICT, CNC machines, easy to download prototype to CNC, easy to change/develop prototype, less material waste / cost once system set up or similar issues.

**Total [24]**

- 6 (a) (i) AND [1]
- (ii)



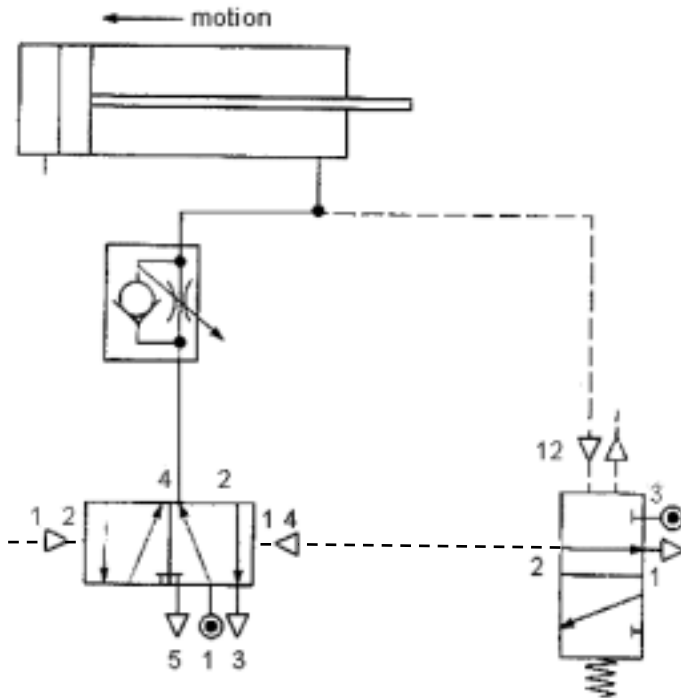
[2]

- (iii) Avoids accidents, keeps BOTH hands out of machine, or similar. [1]

- (b) (i) Roller-trip valve. [1]

- (ii) Pressure decay sensing or time delay will give automatic return.

(1) flow regulator (1) reservoir or diaphragm valve (1) correct piping (1) explanation



As above or similar.

[4]

- (c)  $F = P \times a$      $A = (50^2 \times \pi) / 4 = 1963.5\text{mm}^2$  (1)  
 $F = P \times a$      $F = 0.8 \times 1963.5$  (1) = 1571N Efficiency 90% so,  $F = 1571 \times 0.9 = 1414\text{N}$   
 (1) [3]
- (d) Valves A and B both off charges the reservoir (1). Both valves pressed at the same time main air from A and reservoir air from B go through restrictor to signal circuit (1). If either A or B are pressed first air discharges through opposite valve (1). Quality of explanation (1). [4]
- (e) P = Identify a range of relevant issues / points. [3]  
 Q = Quality of explanation as to why these issues are relevant. [3]  
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Points could be:

Cheaper components, quality control, quality assurance, easier maintenance/repair, simpler instructions, simpler training, or other correct responses.

**Total [24]**



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