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## **Control Systems Engineering** (CSE) PE Exam Review Course

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This course reviews the knowledge and skills areas that are included on the Control Systems Engineer (CSE) Professional Engineer (PE) examination—produced by the National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying (NCEES) and administered by US state professional licensure boards each October. The intent of the class is to prepare an engineer with four or more years of experience to take the exam by providing instruction in the broad range of technical areas that will be tested.

### You Will Cover:

- Sensors Technologies Applicable to Various Measurements (Process Variables)
- Signal Types and Transmission Methods
- Signal Circuit Design
- Control System Analysis and Implementation
- Codes, Standards, and Regulations
- And more...

### You Will Be Able To:

- Follow the guidelines for taking the CSE PE exam
- Apply recognized standards for symbols and documents
- Recognize the basic calculation techniques for measurement devices
- Apply process variable measurements and sensor selection
- Explain basic process control loops:
- -Configuration -Operation
- -Performance
- And more...

### **Classroom/Laboratory Exercises:**

• Practice taking CSE exam-related questions

#### Registration Includes ISA Text (A \$59 Value!)

• Control Systems Engineering Study Guide, by ISA

"A good general overview of what to expect on [CSE PE] exam. Good information on how to go about taking the test (strategy). Pointed out to me what areas I needed to work on."

—Brian Keene, Plant Engineer

### **Quick Quiz**

- 1. At 433 degrees F, a type J thermocouple with a 32 degree F reference junction will produce an output in millivolts that is most nearly to:
  - a. 9.04
  - b. 10.51
  - c. 12.05
  - d. 17.79
- 2. The flow of water in a 6-inch pipe is measured with an orifice plate and differential pressure transmitter. At a flow rate of 200 GPM, the differential pressure is 35 inches of water. At a flow rate of 312 GPM, the differential pressure will be approximately equal to:
  - a. 16.4" wc
  - b. 32.5" wc
  - c. 85.4" wc
  - d. 100" wc
- 3. A SIL 1 interlock has an RRF of 42.76. The target RRF is 75. How can you increase the RRF to meet or exceed the target RRF?
  - a. Add more field sensors
  - b. Add dual solenoids to the one and only one block valve
  - c. Double the testing frequency
  - d. None of the above

## 4. Which of the following types of valves has the highest gain when the valve is nearly closed?

- a. Quick opening
- b. Equal percentage
- c. Fail open d. Linear
- a. Linea

Learn the answers to these questions AND find out if this course is right for you with the EN00 preinstructional survey: **www.isa.org/EN00/Survey.** 

#### Instructor



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#### **Course Details**

Date:	18–20 August 2016
Time:	8:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.
Location:	Phoenix Contact – Customer Technology Center
	3993 W. Sam Houston Parkway N., Suite 500
	Houston, TX 77043
Course No.:	ENOO
CEU/PDH Credit:	2.1/21
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