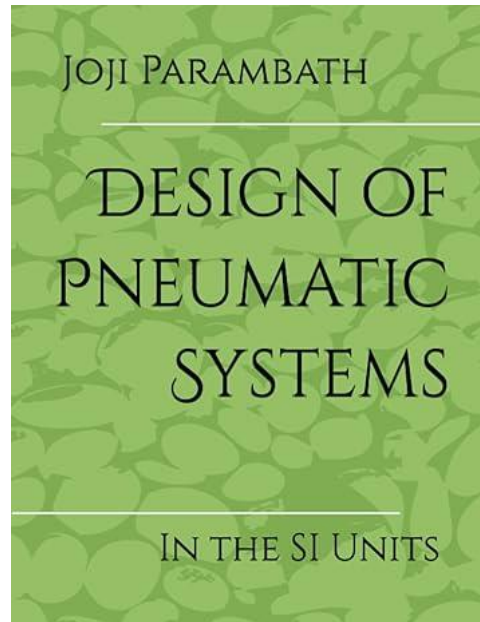


Design of Pneumatic Systems (In the SI Units)

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About the Book

In simple terms, a pneumatic system consists of a compressor station that provides clean and dry compressed air to power pneumatic actuators. To maximize efficiency, the compressor should run at full load. Additionally, the cost of compressed air increases with higher levels of cleaning. The key to designing a cost-effective and efficient pneumatic system is to deliver just enough clean compressed air to meet consumers' demands.

Designing pneumatic systems requires knowledge of component functions, parameters, and specifications for the power part, control part, and compressed air network. Based on requirement specifications, an initial design should be attempted, and the design should be refined as necessary. It is critical to synchronize system parameters with the manufacturer's data for optimal design. Further, it is essential to incorporate inbuilt safety into the system.

This book systematically explains the design aspects of pneumatic systems, providing typical examples of designing such systems in SI units for educational and guidance purposes. The knowledge gained may be applied to develop more extensive industrial pneumatic systems.

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