CBCS SCHEME

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Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2019
Instrumentation and Measurement

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

## Module-1

a. Explain the analog and digital modes of operation of instruments. Also explain how the resolution of digital instruments can be increased. (08 Marks)

b. With a neat diagram, explain the elements of generalized measurement system.

## OR

2 a. List the factors to be considered while selecting transducer. (06 Marks)

b. Explain how the effect of modifying and interfering i/p is minimized/eliminated in measurement systems with examples. (14 Marks)

## Module-2

a. Explain the phenomenon of hysteresis effects in measurement systems. (12 Marks)

b. Explain the terms Dead zone, Dead time and threshold with respect to measurement systems. (08 Marks)

## OR

4 a. Explain time domain specifications.

(08 Marks)

(12 Marks)

b. Derive the expression for response of a second order system step i/p for under damped system and write the response curve. (12 Marks)

## Module-3

5 a. Briefly explain principles of translation and explain variable resistance devices. (10 Marks)

b. Write short notes on: i) Ultrasonic level detector ii) Optical level detector.

## (10 Marks)

6 a. Explain differential pressure level measurement with neat diagram; write the advantages and disadvantages of this measurement. (12 Marks)

b. Explain float level devices with neat diagram.

(08 Marks)

# Module-4

7 a. Explain principle and operation of resistance strain wire gauge (unbounded type). (08 Marks)

b. Explain whetstone's bridge with a neat diagram. What are its limitations? Write its applications. (12 Marks)

### OR

8 a. Explain Wagner's earth connection with a neat diagram.

(10 Marks)

b. Explain Wein's bridge with neat diagram and derive the equation for frequency of the applied voltage. (10 Marks)

# Module-5

a. Explain the construction and working of LVDT. Write its advantages and disadvantages.

(12 Marks)

b. Explain resistive position transducer.

(08 Marks)

### OR

10 a. With neat diagram, explain photo electric transducer.

(14 Marks)

b. Write notes on thermocouple.

(06 Marks)

Important Note: 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.

2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

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