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Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Feb./Mar. 2022 Instrumentation and Measurement

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

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

Module-1

- 1 a. Explain briefly the Input-Output configuration of measurements and systems. (08 Marks)
b. By a neat diagram, describe the elements of a generalized measurement system. (08 Marks)

OR

- 2 Describe the operation of deflection type and Null type instrument with figures (diagrams) and provide a comparison between them. (16 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Mention the factors influencing the choice of transducers to be used. (08 Marks)
b. Obtain the expression for output of step response for a second order system. (08 Marks)

OR

- 4 Define and describe:
i) Linearity ii) Hysteresis iii) Threshold iv) Error calibration curve
v) Dead time vi) Dead zone. (16 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 Describe with necessary diagrams:
a. Bare capacitance probe (08 Marks)
b. Teflon or Kynar coated capacitance probe. (08 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Briefly describe the principle of transduction and explain variable capacitance transducer. (08 Marks)
b. Explain 'Hall-effect' by describing the working principle and operation of a Hall effect device. (08 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 Mention the factors affecting strain gauge's measurements and explain the working of resistive strain gauge. (16 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Explain Wein's bridge with derivation of frequency and other component values. (08 Marks)
b. Describe Wagner's Earth connection with procedure of operation and advantages. (08 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. By a neat diagram, describe the working of LVDT (Linear Variable Differential Transformer)? (08 Marks)
b. Explain by mentioning the factors to be considered while selecting a transducer and explain resistive position transducer. (08 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Describe the working of an LED with neat diagrams. (08 Marks)
b. By an equivalent circuit explain the operation of Piezoelectric transducer. (08 Marks)

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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.