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**Sixth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2016/Jan.2017**  
**Electrical Engineering Materials**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

**Note: Answer FIVE full questions, selecting  
at least TWO questions from each part.**

**PART – A**

- 1 a. Explain the effect of temperature on resistance and hence derive an expression for temperature co-efficient of a resistance. (08 Marks)  
b. Explain Fermi Dirac Distribution. (06 Marks)  
c. Explain Briefly the uses of the following in electrical Industry (06 Marks)  
i) Silver ii) Copper iii) Tungsten
- 2 a. Define and explain Hall effect? (08 Marks)  
b. A mild steel ring having a cross sectional area of  $5\text{cm}^2$  and a mean circumference of 40cm is wound with 200 turns. For an exciting current of 6.4A through the coil, the total flux produced was found to be 0.8 milli-webers.  
Find : i) Flux density in  $\text{wb/m}^2$  ii) Field intensity in AT/m (06 Marks)  
iii) Relative permeability of steel. (06 Marks)  
c. Write the difference between hard and soft magnetic materials.
- 3 a. Explain properties and applications of below materials. (12 Marks)  
i) Natural Rubber ii) Cotton iii) Synthetic rubber  
iv) Wood v) Bakelite vi) Paper. (08 Marks)  
b. Explain the following : i) Ionic polarization ii) Dipolar polarization.
- 4 a. Explain the procedure for testing the dielectric strength of transformer oil. (07 Marks)  
b. The capacitance of condenser formed of two metal sheets, each  $100\text{cm}^2$  in area separated by dielectric 2mm thick is  $0.0002\mu\text{F}$ . A potential difference of 20,000 volts is applied across condenser.  
Calculate: (06 Marks)  
i) Charge on each plate and ii) Potential gradient in Kv/mm in the dielectric. (07 Marks)  
c. Discuss in details about dipolar relaxation.

**PART – B**

- 5 a. Explain with diagram: i) Flatbed plate collector ii) Concentrating collectors. (10 Marks)  
b. Explain different semiconductor materials for solar cells. (10 Marks)
- 6 a. Explain in detail about atomic absorption spectroscopy. (10 Marks)  
b. Explain pulsed Fourier transform NMR spectrometer, with a block diagram. (10 Marks)
- 7 a. Define Piezoelectricity? Explain the uses of any three Piezoelectric materials. (10 Marks)  
b. Define ferromagnetic curie temperature. Explain properties of any two ferromagnetic materials. (10 Marks)
- 8 a. What is ceramic? Explain in details the classification of ceramic capacitor? (10 Marks)  
b. Explain the following: i) Thermoplastic ii) Thermostats iii) Rubber. (10 Marks)

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