

Third Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2016

Electronic Instrumentation

Time: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

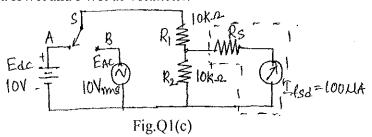
Note: Answer FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART - A

- 1 a. Explain the following with examples:
 - i) Accuracy ii) Precision
- iii) Resolution

(06 Marks)

- b. A component manufacturer constructs certain resistances to be anywhere between 1.14 K Ω and 1.26 K Ω and classifies them to be 1.2 K Ω resistors. What tolerance should be stated? If the resistance values are specified at 25°C and resistor have a temperature coefficient of +500 ppm/°C. Calculate the maximum resistance that one of these components might have at 75°C. (07 Marks)
- c. Determine the reading obtained with a dc voltmeter in the circuit Fig.Q1(c). When the switch is set to position 'A', then set the switch to position 'B' and determine the reading obtained with a HWR and FWR ac voltmeter.



- (07 Marks)
- a. With a neat block diagram, explain the principle and working of successive approximation DVM.

 (07 Marks)
 - b. Explain with the help of block diagram the operation of a DFM.

(07 Marks)

- c. With a block schematic, explain the principle and working of dual slope integrating type DVM. (06 Marks)
- 3 a. Explain C.R.T. features briefly.

(08 Marks)

b. List the advantages of using negative supply in C.R.O.

(04 Marks)

- c. Describe with a diagram and waveform the operation of a dual trace CRO in ALTERNATE and CHOP Mode. (08 Marks)
- 4 a. With a block diagram, explain construction and working of digital storage oscilloscope.

(10 Marks)

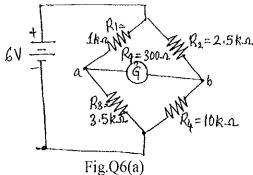
b. Draw basic block diagram of a delayed-time-base (DTB) system. Sketch waveform and explain the operation. (10 Marks)

PART – B

- 5 a. With a block diagram, explain modern laboratory signal generator. (10 Marks)
 - b. Draw the block diagram of a frequency synthesizer using PLL. Explain its operation.

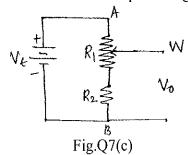
(10 Marks)

6 a. An unbalanced Wheatstone bridge given in Fig.Q6(a). Calculate the current through Galvanometer.



Q6(a) (07 Marks)

- b. State and derive the two balance conditions for a Wein bridge. (07 Marks)
- c. The arms of an ac Maxwell's bridge are arranged as follows: AB and BC are non-reactive resistors of 100 Ω each, DA a standard variable reactor L₁ of resistance 32.7 Ω and CD consists of a standard variable resistor R in series with a coil of unknown impedance Z, balance was found with L₁ = 50 mH and Z₁ = 1.36 R. Find R and L of coil. (06 Marks)
- 7 a. With a neat diagram, explain differential output transducer. (07 Marks)
 - b. State the advantages and limitations of thermistor. (07 Marks)
 - c. A displacement transducer with a shaft stroke of 3.0 in. is applied to circuit of Fig.Q7(c). The total resistance of potentiometer is 5 K Ω . The applied voltage V_t is 5V when the wiper is 0.9 in. from B, what is the value of output voltage?



(06 Marks)

- 8 a. With a diagram, explain self balancing bolometer bridge. (05 Marks)
 - b. Explain piezo electrical transducer with a circuit diagram. (05 Marks)
 - . State important features of LCD displays. (05 Marks)
 - d. Write short notes on LabVIEW. (05 Marks)
