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Third Semester B. E Degree Examination, June/July 2017

Electronic Instrumentation

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

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

Module-1

- 1 a. Define types of static errors. How do you avoid them? (06 Marks)
- b. Design a multi-range ammeter with range of 0 – 1A, 5A and 10A employing individual shunt in each A D'Arsonval movement with an internal resistance of 500Ω and a full scale deflection of 10mA is available. (05 Marks)
- c. Define principle operation of thermocouple, and also explain types of thermocouple. (05 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. What is loading effect? (02 Marks)
- b. Calculate series connected multiplier resistances with a D'Arsonval movement with an internal resistance of 100Ω and a full scale deflection of 10mA into a multirange dc voltmeter with ranges from 0-5V, 0-50V and 0-100V. (04 Marks)
- c. Explain Differential voltmeter with circuit. (05 Marks)
- d. Explain the working of a true RMS voltmeter with the help of a suitable block diagram. (05 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. With neat block diagram explain Dual slope integrating meter, and also derive the unknown voltage equation. (08 Marks)
- b. An integrator contains a $100K\Omega$ and $1\mu F$ capacitor, if the voltage applied to the integrator input is 1V, what voltage will be present at the output of the integrator after 1sec? (02 Marks)
- c. With block diagram, explain principle operation of staircase ramp (06 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. With neat circuit diagram, explain basic frequency measurement operation. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain with block diagram Digital phase meter operation. (06 Marks)
- c. Define Tachometer and pH meter. (04 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. With neat circuit diagram explain time base generator with waveform. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain in detail the working of digital storage oscilloscope and list advantages. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Explain with diagram conventional standard signal generator. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain in detail the working of a function generator. (08 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.

Module-4

- 7 a. With circuit diagram explain Q – meter and its purpose. (05 Marks)
b. Self capacitance of a coil is measured, if the first measurement is at $f_1 = 1\text{MHz}$ and $C_1 = 500\text{pf}$. The second measurement is at $f_2 = 2\text{MHz}$ and $C_2 = 110\text{pf}$. Find the distributed capacitance also calculate the value of L. (04 Marks)
c. Define Megger instrument. With circuit diagram explain megger. (07 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Define use of Maxwell's bridge. With circuit diagram derive and explain Maxwell's bridge equation. (08 Marks)
b. A wein bridge circuit consists of the following components $R_1 = 4.7\text{K}\Omega$, $C_1 = 5\text{nf}$, $R_2 = 20\text{K}\Omega$, $C_3 = 10\text{nf}$, $R_3 = 10\text{K}\Omega$, $R_4 = 100\text{K}\Omega$. Determine the frequency of the circuit. (02 Marks)
c. Explain in detail with circuit Wagner's earth connection. (06 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. What are the factors to be considered for the selection of transducer? (06 Marks)
b. Explain principle operation of resistive position transducer. (04 Marks)
c. Explain resistive thermometer, list the advantages. (06 Marks)

OR

- 10 Briefly write a note on :
a. Strain gauges (04 Marks)
b. Differential output transducer (04 Marks)
c. Piezoelectrical transducer (04 Marks)
d. Semiconductor photo diode. (04 Marks)
