

Paper Code: EE-403

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**B.Tech.**  
**(SEM IV) EVEN SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2015-16**  
**INSTRUMENTATION & PROCESS CONTROL**

[Time: 3 hrs.]

[Max. Marks: 100]

**Note:-** Attempt All questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Attempt any two parts of the following: -

[10x2=20]

- (a) Describe the different criteria for selection of transducers for a particular application.
- (b) For a transducer, describe the following
  - (i) *Input Characteristics*
  - (ii) *Transfer Characteristics*
  - (iii) *Output Characteristic*
- (c) Describe the constructional details of a resistance potential divider and derive the expression for its output voltage when connected across a meter of finite impedance. Derive the condition for maximum error.

2. Attempt any four parts of the following: -

[5x4=20]

- (a) Explain the construction of wire wound strain gauge and derive the expression for the gauge factor.
- (b) What are the thermistors. Explain their different form of construction.
- (c) Explain the construction and principle of working of a linear voltage differential transformer.
- (d) Describe the different modes of operation of piezo-electric transducer and explain the application of piezo-electric transducers.
- (e) Describe the method of measurement of different pressure using inductive and capacitive transducers.
- (f) Explain the theory of radiation pyrometer.

3. Attempt any four parts of the following: -

[5x4=20]

- (a) What are the different types of tele metring systems. Explain the land line telemetering system.
- (b) Define amplitude modulation and modulation index. Use a sketch of a sinusoidally modulated AM waveform to help explain the definition.
- (c) An AM broadcast station is transmitting at its assigned frequency of 880 kHz. The carrier is modulated by a 3.5 kHz sin wave. Determine the transmitted frequencies.
- (d) Describe the salient features of AM and FM telemetry and compare and contrast them.
- (e) Explain digital data acquisition systems.
- (f) For an FM signal represented by the equation:  $e = 10 \sin (8 \times 10^8 t + 7 \sin 6 \times 10^4 t)$  V. Determine (i) carrier frequency (ii) modulating frequency (iii) modulation index (iv) maximum deviation.

4. Attempt any four parts of the following: -

[5x4=20]

- (a) A  $4\frac{1}{2}$  digit voltmeter is used for voltage measurements. (a) find its resolution (b) how would 12.98 V be displayed on 10 V range
- (b) Explain the functions of a ramp type digital voltmeter.
- (c) What is an XY recorder? How do you distinguish it from a X-t recorder.
- (d) Explain the FM method of magnetic tape recording and explain its advantages and disadvantages.
- (e) Explain fibre optic transducers.
- (f) Describe smart sensors

5. Attempt any two parts of the following:-

[10x2=20]

- (a) Using operational amplifier realize a PID controller with separated P, I and D blocks. How the proportional, integral and derivative gains can be adjusted.
- (b) Describe the construction of pneumatic relay. What do you mean by the term derivative over run and integral windup?
- (c) Draw and explain the architecture of a PLC.