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Semester – 5th

Subject Code : Et-507

ELECTRONICS INSTRUMENTATION

Full Marks – 70

Time – Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Instructions :

1. All questions of PART-A are compulsory.
2. Answer any *five* questions from PART-B.

PART – A
Marks – 25

1. Fill in the blanks :

1×10=10

- (a) The resistance of the metal _____ with temperature.
- (b) Temperature measurement using thermoelectric sensor is discovered by _____.
- (c) Radiation Pyrometer is a non-contact type _____ measurement instrument.

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- (d) _____ function is a function of instruments and measuring system.
 - (e) Operation of a Pirani gauge depends on the variation of _____ of a gas with pressure.
 - (f) The accuracy of null type of instruments is _____ than that of deflection type.
 - (g) The quantity under measurement makes its first contact with the _____ sensing element.
 - (h) Thermistors are fabricated from the _____ materials.
 - (i) Turbine flow meters are _____ flow meters.
 - (j) Diaphragms is an _____ transducer.
2. Write true or false : $1 \times 10 = 10$
- (a) Rayleigh current balance is a secondary instrument.
 - (b) Null type instrument is more sensitive than deflection type instrument.
 - (c) For dynamic measurement null type instrument is more suitable than deflection type instrument.

- (d) Primary sensing element is one of the main functional elements of a measuring system.
 - (e) Wire-wound potentiometer may be used as a transducer for converting mechanical displacement to an electrical output.
 - (f) In self-generating types inductive transducer current signal is generated.
 - (g) Non self-generating type inductive transducer no external source is required.
 - (h) In LVDT type transducer soft iron core provides magnetic coupling between primary and secondary coils.
 - (i) Barium Titanate may be used as a piezo-electric transducer.
 - (j) Pirani gauge is used to measure the pressure of 10-8 mm of Hg.
3. Choose the correct answer : $1 \times 5 = 5$
- (a) Electromagnetic tachometer generators are used for measurement of
 - (i) vibrations
 - (ii) linear velocity
 - (iii) angular velocity
 - (iv) acceleration

PART - B

Marks - 45

- (b) Seismic accelerometer is used for the measurement of
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| (i) velocity | (ii) acceleration |
| (iii) temperature | (iv) pressure |
- (c) The conductivity of the liquid for the measurement of velocity of a liquid using electromagnetic flow meter should be
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| (i) higher than $10\mu\Omega/\text{m}$ |
| (ii) less than $10\mu\Omega/\text{m}$ |
| (iii) equal to $10\mu\Omega/\text{m}$ |
| (iv) does not matter |
- (d) In AC tachometer generator the magnet is
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| (i) fixed | (ii) moving |
| (iii) partially fixed | (iv) does not matter |
- (e) Piezo-electric accelerometers are useful for
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| (i) low frequency |
| (ii) high frequency |
| (iii) in all frequencies |
| (iv) None of these |
4. Describe the measurement technique of a deflection type instrument (PMMC type) and null type instrument (DC potentiometer type). 4+5=9
5. (a) What are the desirable characteristics of a transducer for its selection for a particular application? 5
- (b) What are the main factors for the selection of motion transducer? 4
6. (a) Describe the measurement method for measuring motion using variable inductance transducer. 4
- (b) What is LVDT transducer? How it can be used for the measurement of linear and rotational motion of an object? 1+4=5
7. (a) What do you mean by piezo-electric transducer? How can it be used to measure the developed potential inside it and the pressure imposed on it? 1+4=5
- (b) A quartz crystal has charge sensitivity of 2pC/N . Its dielectric constant is 4.5 and Young's modulus is $9 \times 10^{10} \text{ Pa}$. Find the voltage sensitivity constant. 4

8. What are the different types of opto-electrical transducer ? Discuss each of them. 9
9. Describe the low pressure measurement method using Pirani gauge and ionization type vacuum gauge. 5+4=9
10. With the help of necessary sketch, explain the operation principle of Drag Cup Rotor AC tachometer and also write the advantages and disadvantages of it. 9
11. (a) Deriving the necessary formula, describe the operating principle of electrical resistance thermometer. 5
- (b) A platinum resistance thermometer has a resistance of 140.5Ω and 100Ω at the 1000°C and 0°C respectively. If its resistance becomes 305.3Ω when it is in contact with a hot gas, determine the temperature of the gas. The temperature co-efficient of platinum is $0.00390^{\circ}\text{C}^{-1}$. 4