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# B.Tech.(EIE) (2011 & Onwards) (Sem.-5) VIRTUAL INSTRUMENTATION & DATA ACQUISITION

Subject Code: EI-301 Paper ID: [A0361]

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

## **INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:**

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students has to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students has to attempt any TWO questions.

# **SECTION-A**

# Q1. Answer briefly:

- a) Conclude why is virtual instrumentation necessary?
- b) Explain the Define time division multiplexing.
- c) What is PAM? List the applications of PAM.
- d) List the merits and demerits of voltage telemetry system.
- e) Define clusters. What is the use of clusters?
- f) Define time division multiplexing.
- g) Point out the key elements of virtual instrument.
- h) Classify the tools available in control palette.
- i) Point out the merits and demerits of current telemetry system.
- j) Point out the components of DAQ Cards.



## **SECTION-B**

- Q2. Explain the successive approximation type A/D Converter.
- Q3. How does TDM system different from FDM system? Compare the both in tabular form.
- Q4. Develop a VI to check if a number is positive or negative. If yes, then the VI should calculate and display the square root. Otherwise it should display a message and give a value of 9999.00 as output. Solve using (1) case structure (2) select function (3) formula node.
- Q5. Describe in detail about frequency multiplexing and time multiplexing.
- Q6. Write short note on Analog data acquisition system.

# **SECTION-C**

- Q7. a) Describe in detail about short and long distance telemetry, compare its advantages and disadvantages.
  - b) What is modular programming? Consider an example to explain how to create a Sub VI.
- Q8. a) Draw the schematic arrangement of 8 channel TDM-PAM telemetering transmitter system and explain its working. List its advantages and disadvantages.
  - b) With a neat block diagram describe the architecture of a Virtual instrumentation system. Also state its advantages and disadvantages over conventional instruments.
- Q9. Write short notes on following:
  - a) Performance comparison of virtual instruments and traditional instruments.
  - b) Local and Global variables.

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