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R07**Set No. 2**

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INSTRUMENTATION

Electrical And Electronics Engineering

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 80

Answer any FIVE Questions
All Questions carry equal marks

1. (a) What is difference between active and passive transducers? Explain.
(b) What is load cell? Where is it used? [8+8]
2. Explain with a neat block diagram of a horizontal and vertical deflection system. [16]
3. What is meant by error and explain different types of errors? [16]
4. (a) With a neat sketch explain the working of Pirani gauge.
(b) With the diagram explain flow direction measurement using double wire arrangement. [8+8]
5. (a) With block diagram explain Harmonic distortion analyzer employing Bridge T- network.
(b) Explain the principle and working of true RMS voltmeter with block diagram. [8+8]
6. Describe the process of obtaining discrete time signal from continuous time signal. Draw the necessary waveforms. [16]
7. (a) What is load cell? Explain the working of a load cell strain gauge bridge.
(b) A mild steel shaft is used to connect a motor drive to a constant load torque. A foil strain gauge having a resistance of 120Ω and a gauge factor 2 is mounted on a shaft with its active axis at angle of 45 degrees to the axis of the shaft. The shear modulus of steel is 80 GN/m^2 . The shaft radius is 15 mm and the change in strain gauge resistance due to the load is 0.24Ω . Find load torque. [8+8]
8. Explain with a neat block diagram for time interval measurement and explain each block and its functionalities. [16]

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1. (a) Discuss in detail about three categories of Systematic Errors. Explain with suitable examples.
- (b) Distinguish between 'range' and 'span' of an instrument. [10+6]
2. (a) With a neat schematic describe the vibrating wire force transducer.
- (b) Write short notes on strain gauges and their applications. [8+8]
3. Discuss in detail about.
 - (a) Total radiation pyrometers
 - (b) Optical pyrometers. [8+8]
4. (a) With block diagram explain Delay line.
- (b) If a digitizing oscilloscope is to have a 16-bit resolution in both the horizontal and vertical axis and is to display transients at a rate of 1×10^{-6} sec per division for a display of 10 divisions, what is the speed required for the input of A/D converter? [8+8]
5. (a) With a neat block diagram, explain the successive approximation digital voltmeter.
- (b) The lowest range on a $4 \frac{1}{2}$ digit digital voltmeter is 10 mV full scale. What is the sensitivity of this meter? [8+8]
6. (a) Discuss in detail about Pulse Width Modulation.
- (b) Write short note on sampled data. [8+8]
7. (a) What are the errors in a transducer?
- (b) A resistive position transducer with a resistance of 5 k ohm and a shaft stroke of 8 cm is applied with a voltage of 5 V. When the wiper is 3 cm from the reference, what is the output voltage? [8+8]

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8. What is meant by the distortion factor? How can this factor be measured ? Explain with the help of a block diagram. [16]

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1. (a) Discuss in detail about the principle of operation of capacitive transducer.
(b) State the main advantages and disadvantages of semiconductor strain gauges compared to a metallic wire strain gauge. [8+8]
2. Draw and explain different parts of a CRT. [16]
3. (a) What is meant by stability of a measuring system? Indicate which class of instruments are required to be more stable.
(b) Write short notes on Environmental errors of Systematic Errors. [10+6]
4. Derive from fundamentals the expression representing a saw tooth wave. [16]
5. Explain the principle and operation of vector impedance meter with a neat block diagram. [16]
6. (a) Explain the principle of thermocouple vacuum gauge.
(b) With neat diagram explain determination of liquid level employing variable permeability method. [8+8]
7. (a) With a neat block diagram explain the working of servo balancing potentiometer type digital voltmeter.
(b) Describe the term overrange and half digit. [8+8]
8. (a) Explain the measurement of angular velocity using D.C tachometer generator.
(b) A strain gauge bridge has one arm as strain gauge with a gauge factor of 2.2. The resistance value of strain gauge and other arms is 200Ω . Find the bridge output voltage (with output open circuited) for a supply voltage of 3 V when the strain gauge is subjected to 600μ strain. [8+8]

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1. Describe pulse amplitude, pulse width and pulse position modulation techniques. [16]
2. (a) Explain the working principle of potentiometric type accelerometer.
(b) Explain the measurement of torque using strain gauge torque method. [8+8]
3. (a) Discuss specifications of LVDT.
(b) What are the advantages of using a foil type strain gauge. [8+8]
4. (a) Explain the flow direction measurement using hot wire anemometer. Give a neat sketch.
(b) Explain the constant current method of measurement of flow. [8+8]
5. (a) Explain the different types of gratitudes used in a CRO. Describe their advantages and disadvantages.
(b) What precautions must be taken when using a sampling oscilloscope? [8+8]
6. (a) With a neat block diagram explain the working of a heterodyne wave analyzer.
(b) Explain the differences between peak reading and RMS voltmeters. [8+8]
7. Describe with the help of suitable circuit diagrams, how the following types of measurements are carried out using a digital frequency meter.
(a) Single and multiple period measurements.
(b) Time interval measurements.
(c) Multiple ratio measurements. [16]
8. (a) Define the following dynamic characteristics,
 - i. Bandwidth
 - ii. Dynamic range
 - iii. Settling time
 - iv. Speed of response
 - v. Measurement lag
 - vi. Time constant
(b) Determine whether the following errors are of random or systematic type. Justify your response.

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- i. A digital scale, that always shows 0.2 lb when no weight is applied.
- ii. Vibration of the needle of an automobile speedometer.
- iii. Consistent temperature difference between two sensors reading the air temperature in the same room. [8+8]

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