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# B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru-560019

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## April 2024 Semester End Main Examinations

**Programme: B.E.**

**Semester: III**

**Branch: Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering**

**Duration: 3 hrs.**

**Course Code: 23EI3PCSMT**

**Max Marks: 100**

**Course: Sensors and Measurements Techniques**

**Instructions:** 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.  
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

			<b>UNIT - I</b>			<b>CO</b>	<b>PO</b>	<b>Marks</b>
1	a)	Define the term “Measurement”, and discuss the functional elements of a Measurement system.		<i>CO1</i>	<i>PO1</i>			<b>10</b>
	b)	Elucidate the various errors in the measurement with suitable example.		<i>CO1</i>	<i>PO1</i>			<b>06</b>
	c)	Differentiate between following: (i) Accuracy and Precision. (ii) Resolution and Threshold		<i>CO1</i>	<i>PO1</i>			<b>04</b>
			<b>UNIT - II</b>					
2	a)	Discuss the construction and operation of LVDT for the measurement of displacement.		<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>			<b>10</b>
	b)	Describe how strain gauge can be used for the pressure measurement.		<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>			<b>10</b>
			<b>OR</b>					
3	a)	Derive an expression for Hall effect and mention its application in the measurement system.		<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>			<b>10</b>
	b)	Describe the working principle of Piezoelectric effect, discuss how this can be used for the measurements.		<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>			<b>10</b>
			<b>UNIT - III</b>					
4	a)	Illustrate the working of fibre-optic interferometric microphone with suitable diagram.		<i>CO3</i>	<i>PO3</i>			<b>10</b>
	b)	Explain the working principle of Scintillation detector with suitable diagram.		<i>CO3</i>	<i>PO3</i>			<b>10</b>
			<b>OR</b>					

**Important Note:** Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.

	5	a)	Differentiate between humidity and moisture. Describe the working of Hygrometers.	CO3	PO3	<b>10</b>
		b)	Explain the working principle of Ionization detectors with suitable diagram.	CO3	PO3	<b>10</b>
		<b>UNIT - IV</b>				
	6	a)	Explain the characteristics and operational principles of RTD and Thermistor	CO4	PO3	<b>10</b>
		b)	Describe the significance of optical temperature sensors and explain Fluoroptic and Interferometric sensors in detail.	CO4	PO3	<b>10</b>
		<b>UNIT - V</b>				
	7	a)	Explain two-wire 4-20mA analog data transmission for coupling sensors to control and monitor devices in the process industry	CO5	PO2	<b>10</b>
		b)	Describe the Sources and coupling of transmitted noise. Explain how additive and multiplicative noise can be removed	CO5	PO2	<b>10</b>

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