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

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Programme: B.E.

Semester: III

Branch: Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering

Duration: 3 hrs.

Course Code: 22EI3PCSMT

Max Marks: 100

Course: Sensors and Measurement Techniques

Date: 19.05.2023

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

UNIT - I

1	a) With the help of neat block diagram, explain the working of different blocks of the general measurement system.	08
	b) Explain the classification of static errors in measurement.	08
	c) Define the following with respect to measuring instrumentation	04
	i) Speed of response	
	ii) Sensitivity	
	iii) Damping Factor	
	iv) Linearity	

UNIT - II

2	a) Draw the construction of LVDT and show how its construction and operation helps in measuring displacements electronically.	10
	b) With suitable diagrams, explain how strain gauge is used for pressure measurement.	10

OR

3	a) Discuss the physical principle of sensing to capacitance and magnetism.	10
	b) Describe the principle of Piezoelectric effect and Hall effect with suitable diagram and equations.	10

UNIT - III

4	a) Explain the working of fiber-optic interferometric microphone with help of neat diagram.	10
	b) With the help of neat diagram, discuss how radiation is measured using scintillation detectors.	10

OR

5	a) Justify with working principle, how Photo transistors are comparatively better than Photo diode.	10
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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.

b) Describe the Chilled Mirror sensor and Light RH sensor functions of Optical hygrometer with suitable diagrams. **10**

UNIT - IV

6 a) Describe the significance of optical temperature sensors and Explain Fluoroptic and Interferometric sensors in detail. **10**

b) Explain the characteristics and operational principles of RTD and Thermistor **10**

UNIT - V

7 a) Illustrate the principle of two-wire 4-20mA analog data transmission control and monitor devices in the process industry **10**

b) Explain the Sources and coupling of transmitted noise. Justify how additive and multiplicative noise can be removed. **10**
