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

Autonomous Institute Affiliated to VTU

## February / March 2023 Semester End Main Examinations

**Programme: B.E.**

**Semester: V**

**Branch: Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering**

**Duration: 3 hrs.**

**Course Code: 19EI5PCTNI**

**Max Marks: 100**

**Course: Transducers and Instrumentation**

**Date: 03.03.2023**

**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) Define Sensor, Actuator and Transducer.	08
	b) How do you classify transducers? Explain each one of them.	12

### UNIT - II

2	a) Differentiate between Turbulent flow and laminar flow.	08
	b) Discuss any two variable head type flow meters and its features, advantages and disadvantages.	12

### UNIT - III

3	a) Explain Resistance Temperature detector with neat diagram.	10
	b) Write a short note on Thermocouple.	05
	c) Discuss the use of J, K, R, S, T thermo couples.	05

### UNIT - IV

4	a) Explain the working principle of Pressure transducer?	06
	b) What is a pressure gauge? Explain Bourdon tube pressure gauge operating principle.	08
	c) You are supposed to measure atmospheric pressure. Select suitable pressure sensor and its range of measurements.	06

### OR

5	a) Explain the working principle and construction of McLeod Gauge.	10
	List its advantages and disadvantages.	
	b) What is a Pressure Transmitter? What is the function and working principle of a Pressure Transmitter? Explain different types of Pressure Transmitters.	10

**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.

## **UNIT - V**

6	a) Explain principle of measurement of force. Describe (i) Hydraulic Load Cell and (ii) Pneumatic Load Cell.	<b>08</b>
	b) List different types of load cells and their uses. Sketch and explain the function of shear type load cell.	<b>12</b>

## **OR**

7	a) Explain the design of proving ring.	<b>10</b>
	b) Describe structure and types of column type load cell.	<b>10</b>

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