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B.TECH.

Theory Examination (Semester-IV) 2015-16

SENSOR AND INSTRUMENTATION

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

Note: Attempt all sections.

Section-A

1. Attempt all parts. All parts carry equal marks. Write answer of each part in short. (2×10 = 20)

- (a) What is difference between active and passive transducers?
- (b) What is smart sensor? Give appropriate block diagram.
- (c) Define Amplitude Modulation & Demodulation.
- (d) Describe the working of weighted resistor DAC.

- (e) What is Operational Amplifier? Describe the characteristics of an ideal OP-AMP.
- (f) What is the difference between active & passive filters? Explain briefly active low pass filter.
- (g) Determine the convolution of two discrete time signal given by $x(n)=\{1,2,3,4\}$ and $h(n)=\{2,4,6,8\}$.
- (h) Write a short note on liquid crystal displays (LCD).
- (i) What is difference between accuracy and precision?
- (j) What is multiplexing?

Section-B

2. Attempt any five questions from this section. [10×5=50]

- (a) What is piezoelectric effect? Describe different modes of operation of piezoelectric transducer with appropriate diagram. List the name of four piezoelectric materials.
- (b) Describe in details the successive approximation method of analog to digital (A/D) converter. Find the Successive Approximation A/D output for a 3 bit converter to 5.2 volt input if the reference is 5V. Explain the principle working of Voltage to Frequency converter.

- (c) Draw and explain briefly the resistance temp characteristics of conductor and semiconductor.
- (d) (i) Explain Square Law Modulator method for the generation of AM. Explain spectrum of AM wave.
- (ii) Explain Sample and Hold circuit with appropriate diagram. Write application of S/H circuit.
- (e) Explain basic virtual instrumentation system with the help of block diagram.
- (f) Describe the construction and working principle of Electromagnetic flowmeter. Explain its merits and demerits.
- (g) Write short note on any two of the following:
- (a) LED Seven segment display
- (b) Pulse Code Modulation
- (c) Convolution & Digital Filters
- (h) Describe the following type of passive RC filters
- (i) Low Pass
- (ii) High Pass
- (iii) Band Pass filter
- (iv) Band Reject Filter

Section-C

Note: Attempt any two questions from this section. (15×2=30)

3. Write short note on
- (a) Analog and Digital display devices
 - (b) Frequency to voltage converter
 - (c) Analog type recorder
4. (a) What is the construction and working principle of thermocouple for the temperature measurement? Give the brief explanation of law of thermocouples. (10)
- (b) Explain different types of error occur in the measurements. (5)
5. Illustrate about the following terms:
- (a) Necessity of sensors and instrumentation for Food processing.
 - (b) Application of Sensors and instrumentation in Food Packaging.
 - (c) Food quality and Food safety.