

B. MECHANICAL ENGG (Evening) EXAM 2017
(2nd Year, 1st Semester Supplementary)

MECHANICAL MEASUREMENT AND INSTRUMENTATION

Time: Three hours

(Answer any FIVE questions)

Marks: 100

*Different parts of the same question should be answered together.
All symbols carry their usual meanings unless otherwise mentioned.
Assume any relevant data if necessary.*

1. a) Briefly explain the different static characteristics of instruments. 12
b) How static errors are classified? Explain how these can be avoided. 8
2. a) Briefly explain the different types of dynamic characteristics of instrument with example. 14
b) What do you mean by calibration and calibration chain? 6
3. a) What do you mean by signal conditioning in measurement? 6
b) How bridge circuits and amplifiers are used in signal conditioning 14
4. a) Briefly explain about the different gauges used in pressure measurement. 12
b) A differential manometer is connected between two pipes A and B containing water. 8
Deflection of mercury manometer shows 30cm. Pipe A is 25 cm below the pipe B. Find the pressure head of pipe A when pressure of pipe B is maintained 3 bar. Draw schematic
5. a) What are the different flow measurement devices used in mechanical measurement? 12
Explain briefly.
b) An orifice meter of 10 cm diameter is connected with a pipe of diameter 20 cm used to 8
measure flow of oil of sp. gr. 0.8. The discharge of oil through it is 150 litres per second.
Find the reading of the oil-mercury differential manometer. (assume $C_d=0.98$, $C_c=0.9$)
6. a) Explain the working principles of thermocouple. 5
b) Briefly explain about the different types of level measurement devices (any five) used 15
engineering applications.
7. Write short notes on: (any FOUR) 4 X 5 20
a) Torque Measurement
b) Error Estimation
c) LVDT
d) Pitot Tube
e) RTD