

Con. 5194-09.

(REVISED COURSE)

SP-7376

(3 Hours)

[ Total Marks: 100

- N.B. : (1) Question No. 1 is compulsory.  
 (2) Solve any four questions from remaining six questions.  
 (3) Assume suitable data whenever necessary.

1. Solve any ten :- 20
- Justify sensitivity of thermistor is better than RTD.
  - Why LVDT O/p is similar when core moves to the either side from NULL position by the same displacement ?
  - Why platinum material is selected while constructing RTD ?
  - Justify precise instruments may or may not be accurate.
  - Justify piezo electric transducers mostly suitable for dynamic measurement.
  - Why the O/p of potentiometric transducers measured across Load resistance ?
  - Justify RTD is Piezo-resistive transducer.
  - Justify LVDT can be used as a primary as well as secondary transducer.
  - Instrument 'A' has 2% accuracy and 'B' has 5% accuracy, which is better ? Justify.
  - Clearly differentiate Repeatability and Reproducibility.
  - Classify level measurement methods.
  - Comment on sensitivity of linear and non-linear characteristics of transducer.
2. (a) Explain LVDT w.r.t. following :-
- Construction 4
  - Working 4
  - Direction detection. 2
- (b) A variable potential divider has total resistance of  $2\text{ k}\Omega$  and is fed from a  $10\text{ V d.c.}$  supply. The out put is connected to a load resistance of  $5\text{ k}\Omega$ . Determine the loading errors for the wiper positions corresponding to  $k = \frac{x_i}{x_t} = 0, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75$  and  $1.0$ . Use the results to plot a rough graph of error versus  $\frac{x_i}{x_t}$ . 10
3. (a) Explain thermocouple w.r.t. following :-
- Working Principle 2
  - Types 4
  - Cold Junction Compensation. 4
- (b) The output of a LVDT is connected to a  $5\text{ V}$  voltmeter through an amplifier whose amplification factor is 250. An out put of  $2\text{ mV}$  appears across the terminals of LVDT when the core moves through a distance of  $0.5\text{ mm}$ . Calculate sensitivity of the LVDT and that of the whole setup. The millivoltmeter scale has 100 divisions. The scale can read to  $1/5$  of a division. Calculate the resolution of the instrument in mm. 10

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4. (a) Explain Air purge method of liquid level measurement. 10  
 (b) A thermistor has  $R_0 = 2500 \Omega$  at  $T_0 = 25^\circ\text{C}$ . If  $B = 4150 \text{ k}$ , determine the resistance of the thermistor at  $-100^\circ\text{C}$  and  $+100^\circ\text{C}$  temperature. 4  
 (c) A platinum thermometer has a resistance of  $100 \Omega$  at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  6  
 (i) Find its resistance at  $65^\circ\text{C}$   
 (ii) If the thermometer has a resistance of  $150 \Omega$ , calculate the temperature. Assume  $\alpha = 0.00392/^\circ\text{C}$ .
5. (a) Explain constant volume type and constant pressure type filled system thermometers. 10  
 (b) Two resistors are having following ratings  $R_1 = 37 \Omega \pm 5\%$ ,  $R_2 = 75 \Omega \pm 5\%$  10  
 determine the magnitude, limiting error and probable error in percent if these resistances connected in series and parallel.
6. (a) (i) List different types of encoder. 2  
 (ii) Draw and explain any one of them. 8  
 (b) A radiation pyrometer indicates the temperature of a furnace as  $975^\circ\text{C}$  assuming a surface emissivity of 0.85. Subsequently, it was found that accurate value of emissivity was 0.78. Determine the error in the temp. Measurement of the furnace. 4  
 (c) A voltage of 23.72 mV is measured with k type thermocouple at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  reference function temperature and  $300^\circ\text{C}$  hot junction temperature. Calculate output voltage with reference to  $0^\circ\text{C}$ . 6
7. (a) What is metrology? State limits, fits and gauges. 10  
 (b) A quartz piezo-electric crystal having a thickness of 2 mm and voltage sensitivity of  $0.055 \text{ V}\cdot\text{m}/\text{N}$  is subjected to a pressure of  $1.5 \text{ N}/\text{m}^2$ . Calculate the voltage output if the permittivity of quartz is  $40.6 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F}/\text{m}$ , calculate its charge sensitivity. 10