

**B.TECH**  
**(SEM VIII) THEORY EXAMINATION 2022-23**  
**FUNDAMENTALS OF DRONE TECHNOLOGY**

**Time: 3 Hours****Total Marks: 100**

**Note:** 1. Attempt all Sections. If require any missing data; then choose suitably.  
 2. Any special paper specific instruction.

**SECTION A**

**1. Attempt all questions in brief.** **2 x 10 = 20**

- (a) What is UAV? Give two applications of UAV.
- (b) What is HALE? Give two applications with an example.
- (c) Differentiate Drones and UAV.
- (d) List the elements of UAS.
- (e) What is NAV? Give two applications with an example.
- (f) What is autopilot?
- (g) What is the role of Telemetry and Tracking in UAV?
- (h) Explain the importance of UAV in defense sector.
- (i) What is design for stealth?
- (j) Explain access control protocol in drone system.

**SECTION B**

**2. Attempt any three of the following:** **10 x 3 = 30**

- (a) Write short notes on launch, recovery and retrieval equipment for UAVs as a part of UAVs system functional structure.
- (b) Explain about the classification of drones in detail.
- (c) Explain the Design Standards and Regulatory Aspects-India Specific for drone systems.
- (d) What are different roles where UAVs can perform better than manned aircrafts, discuss them in detail?
- (e) Explain in detail the integration, installation, configuration for drones.

**SECTION C**

**3. Attempt any one part of the following:** **10 x 1 = 10**

- (a) Discuss in detail about aerodynamics and airframe configurations.
- (b) Discuss 'Navigation Systems' and 'Communication Systems' of UAS.

**4. Attempt any one part of the following:** **10 x 1 = 10**

- (a) How the payload and the air vehicle affect the UAS?
- (b) What is the role of gyros-actuators in drone technology.

**5. Attempt any one part of the following:** **10 x 1 = 10**

- (a) Explain the waypoints navigation, ground control software, and system ground testing.
- (b) Describe the PID controller feedback and radio control frequency range for UAV system.

**6. Attempt any one part of the following:** **10 x 1 = 10**

- (a) How the design of most aircraft-based systems begins, discuss the different phases?
- (b) Explain about future prospects and challenges in UAV system design.

**7. Attempt any one part of the following:** **10 x 1 = 10**

- (a) Explain ground test-analysis-troubleshooting for UAS.
- (b) Discuss few reasons for the loss of communication during UAS operations. What is the path loss in radio communications?