5 TRIBHUVAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING

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Exam.	Regular / Back		
Level	BE	Full Marks	80
Programme	BCE, BME	Pass Marks	32
Year / Part	1/11	Time	3 hrs.

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Subject: - Basic Electrical Engineering

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

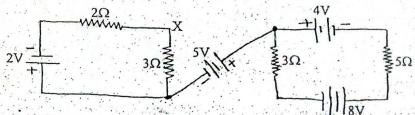
Attempt any Five questions.

The figures in the margin indicate Full Marks.

Assume suitable data if necessary.

1. a) What do you understand by an ideal current source? How can it be made a practical current sources and why should we do that?

What is the difference of potential between X and Y in the network shown in figure below. [5]

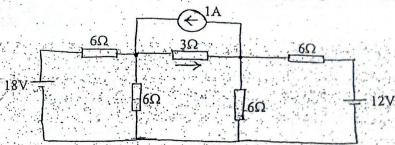


c) A con is connected across a constant de source of 120V. It draws a current of 12 Amp at room temperature of 25°C. After 5 hours of operation, its temperature rises to 65°C and current reduces to 8 Amp. Calculate:

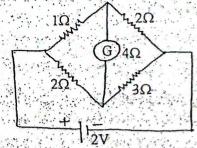
i) Current when its temperature has increased to 80°C

ii) Temperature coefficient of resistance at 30°C

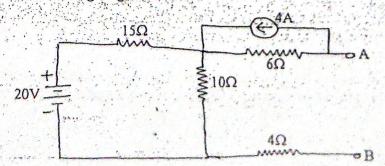
2_a) Find the current I in the circuit of figure given below by applying nodal voltage analysis. [6]



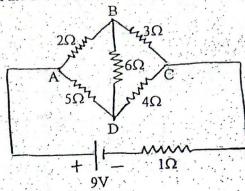
b) Calculate the current through the galvanometer in the bridge circuit as shown in figure given below using Kirchhoff's laws.



c) State Thevenin's theorem and find the Thevenin's equivalent circuit for terminal pair AB of the network shown in figure given below.



b) Calculate the current in the 6Ω resistor in the network shown below using Norton's theorem.



c) Why do we express an ac voltage or current by its RMS value? Discuss.

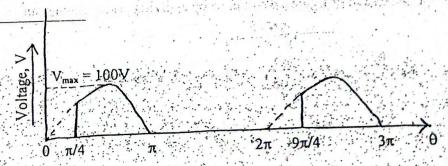
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a) In a purely inductive circuit when excited by a sinusoidal voltage, show mathematically and graphically, that the current lags the applied voltage by 90° and also show that the average power consumed in the inductor is zero.

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Determine the average and r.m.s. values of voltage for sinusoidal voltage waveform as shown in figure below.

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Explain with diagrams what do you understand by

In phase

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V = 12V

- ii) Lagging and
- iii) Leading quantities applied to sinusoidal ac system.
- a) An emf, $e_0 = 141.4 \sin (377t + 30^\circ)$ is impressed on the impedance coil having a resistance of 4Ω and an inductive reactance of 1.25Ω measured at 25Hz. What is the equation of the current? Also find the equation for the resistive drop eg and inductive drop eL.

b) Define power factor. Explain the requirement and the method of its correction.

c) List out the advantages of 3-\phi system over single phase system.

a) A balanced star connected load with impedance (10+j5)Ω per phase is fed from a balanced 3 phase 400 volt supply. Calculate:

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- i) The phase voltages
- ii) The line currents
- iii) The power absorbed and
- iv) Draw the phasor diagram

Explain 2-wattmeter method for the measurement of power in a balanced three phase load. How are the readings of the two wattmeters affected, when the load is purely resistive?