

# National Institute of Technology, Delhi

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: 7<sup>TH</sup>

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## INSTRUMENTATION

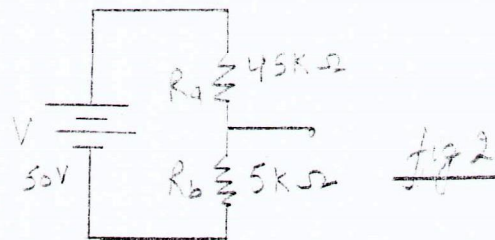
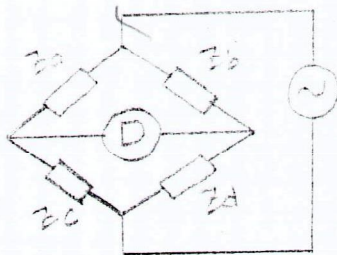
Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

### SECTION-A (Attempt all, Each question carry 1 mark)

10 × 1 = 10 marks

1. The percentage limiting error in an instrument reading 8.3V and having guaranteed accuracy of 1% of the full scale reading and range of 0-150V is ?
2. A moving coil meter has  $10\Omega$  resistance and requires 40mA for full scale deflection. The shunt resistance required to convert it into 0-2A ammeter is ?
3. An LVDT is used to measure displacement. The LVDT feeds a voltmeter of 0-5V range through a 250 gain amplifier. For a displacement 0.5mm the output of LVDT is 2mV. The sensitivity of instrument is ?
4. The Lissajous pattern observed on screen of CRO is a straight line inclined at  $45^\circ$  to X axis. If X-plate input is  $2\sin\omega$ , the Y-plate input is ?
5. In figure 1.  $Z_a = 100 \angle 50^\circ$ ,  $Z_b = 300 \angle -90^\circ$  and  $Z_c = 200 \angle 0^\circ$ . For balanced condition  $Z_d$  will be ?



6. The resistance of a  $125\Omega$  strain gauge changes by  $1\Omega$  for 400 micro strain. The gauge factor is ?
7. A 0-200V voltmeter has an accuracy of 0.75% of full scale reading. If voltage measured is 100V, the % error is ?
8. A Lissajous pattern on an oscilloscope is stationary and has 5 horizontal tangencies and 2 vertical tangencies. The frequency of horizontal input is 1000Hz. Determine the frequency of vertical input.
9. How does a spectrum analyzer functionally differ a wave analyzer?
10. If the time/div control is set to  $2\mu\text{s}/\text{div}$ , when the waveform displayed on the CRT screen covers 4 divisions, determine the frequency of the signal ?

### SECTION-B (Attempt any four, Each Question carry 5 marks)

4 × 5 = 20 marks

11. (a) Describe with a diagram the construction of a concentric vane repulsion type movement. Explain the operation of a concentric vane repulsion type movement. [3]
- (b) A moving instrument has the following data: no of turns=100, width of the coil=20mm, Depth of the coil=30mm, flux density in the gap= $0.1\text{Wb}/\text{m}^2$ , the deflection torque= $30 \times 10^{-6}\text{Nm}$ . Calculate the current through the moving coil. [2]



12. (a) Define terms 1) Accuracy 2) Resolution 3) Precision 4) Sensitivity 5) Expected Value [2.5]
- (b) For the following data,  $x_1=49.7$ ,  $x_2=50.1$ ,  $x_3=50.2$ ,  $x_4=49.6$ ,  $x_5=49.7$ . Calculate (i) Arithmetic mean (ii) Deviation of each value (iii) Algebraic sum of the deviations (iv) Average Deviation (v) Standard Deviation
13. (a) Find the voltage reading and % error of each reading obtained with a voltmeter on (i) 5V range (ii) 10V range (iii) 30V range, if the instrument has a  $20\text{k}\Omega/\text{V}$  sensitivity and connected across  $R_b$  of figure 2. [3]
- (b) A shunt type ohmmeter uses a 10mA basic D' Arsonval movement with an internal resistance of  $50\Omega$ . The battery voltage is 3V. It is desired to modify the circuit by adding appropriate shunt resistance across the movement so that the instrument indicates  $10\Omega$  at the midpoint scale. Calculate (a) the value of shunt resistance  $R_{sh}$  (b) Value of current limiting resistance  $R_l$  [2]
14. (a) Explain with the help of a diagram and characteristics the operation of LVDT. Also explain the method of measuring displacement using LVDT. [3]
- (b) A capacitive transducer uses two Quartz diaphragms of area  $750\text{mm}^2$  separated by a distance of 3.5mm. The capacitance is  $370\text{pF}$  when no pressure is applied. A pressure of  $900\text{KN per m}^2$  when applied to top diaphragm produces a deflection of 0.6mm. Find the value of capacitance after applying pressure. [2]
15. A sheet of 4.5mm thick Bakelite is tested at 50Hz between 12cm in diameter. The Schering bridge uses a standard air capacitor  $C_2$  of  $105\text{pF}$  capacitor, a non-reactive  $R_4$  of  $1000/\pi$  in parallel with a variable capacitor and is obtained with  $C_4=0.5\mu\text{F}$  and  $R_3=260\Omega$ . Calculate the capacitance, power factor and relative permittivity of the sheet. [5]

**SECTION-C (Attempt any two, Each Question carry 10 marks)**

**$2 \times 10 = 20$  marks**

16. (a) Describe with a diagram and waveforms the operation of a dual trace CRO in alternate and chop mode. State the functions of each block. [6]
- (b) Estimate the Bandwidth of CRO, if signal of  $12\mu\text{s}$  rise time is observed as the signal with  $15\mu\text{s}$  rise time. [4]
17. (a) Describe the working principle of Heterodyne wave analyzer with the help of detailed block diagram. State the function of each block. [6]
- (b) Find the dynamic range of spectrum analyzer with a 30KHz, 3dB Bandwidth, a noise figure of 15dB and third order intercept of +25dBm. [4]
18. (a) Explain with a diagram the operation of a Carry foster Bridge. Also derive the expression for measurement of unknown capacitance and inductance. [6]
- (b) Find the equivalent parallel resistance and Capacitance that causes Wien Bridge to null with the following components values:  $R_1=3.1\text{K}\Omega$ ,  $C_1=5.2\mu\text{F}$ ,  $R_2=25\text{K}\Omega$ ,  $F=2.5\text{KHz}$  and  $R_4=100\text{K}\Omega$ . [4]