

Code No: **R1632032**

**R16**

SET - 1

**III B. Tech II Semester Regular/Supplementary Examinations, August-2021**  
**INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROL SYSTEMS**

(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

- Note: 1. Question Paper consists of two parts (**Part-A** and **Part-B**)  
2. Answer **ALL** the question in **Part-A**  
3. Answer any **FOUR** Questions from **Part-B**
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**PART -A**

**(14 Marks)**

1. a) What are the various types of transducers to measure linear displacement? [2M]
- b) List out the disadvantages of thermistors. [2M]
- c) Write the advantages of rotameter. [2M]
- d) Write the comparison between compressive strain and tensile strain. [3M]
- e) How do you measure the moisture content of gases? [3M]
- f) What are the elements of a control system? [2M]

**PART -B**

**(56 Marks)**

2. a) Write the dynamic characteristics of an instrument. [7M]
- b) Explain briefly the types of errors involved in measurement systems. [7M]  
Discuss the means adopted to reduce these errors.
3. a) Explain the working of radiation pyrometer and write the sources of errors. [7M]
- b) Draw a neat sketch to show the essential parts of a Bourdon tube pressure gauge. Describe the purpose of each part. [7M]
4. a) Explain with a neat sketch the working of vibrometer. [7M]
- b) Discuss the construction and working of hot wire anemometer. [7M]
5. a) Explain the principle of working of electrical strain gauge. [7M]
- b) What are various types of stress and strain measurement? Explain in brief. [7M]
- 6 Write short note on the following with neat sketches: [14M]  
i) Absorption psychrometer; ii) Dew point meter.
7. a) Write advantages and disadvantages of open loop and closed loop control systems. [7M]
- b) Explain with the help of a block diagram the working of the position control systems. State its applications. [7M]

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