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VII SEMESTER B.TECH (MECHATRONICS ENGINEERING) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, DEC 2015/JAN 2016

SUBJECT: AUTOTRONICS [MME 421]

Time: 3 Hours MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

- **❖** Answer **ANY FIVE FULL** the questions.
- Missing data may be suitably assumed.

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1A.	Explain the significance of remote switching in electronic circuitry in automobiles.	3					
1B.	With a neat diagram explain the fuel system in petrol engines.						
1C.	Explain the combustion process in SI engines with help of PV (pressure-volume) graph.						
2A.	What is the significance of piston rings? Describe briefly the two types of piston rings?	4					
2B.	What type of clutch is generally used in two wheelers without gear? Sketch and explain the clutch used.						
2C.	Explain any two types of circuit protection systems.	2					
3A.	Explain the working of gear system used in automatic transmission with a neat sketch.	4					
3B.	Justify the usage of hydraulic clutch in heavy vehicles and commercial vehicles.	3					
3C.	Explain the clutch system used in sports cars.	3					
4A.	Explain the actuation of injector in intake manifold injection system.	3					
4B.	Explain the projection of high beam and low beam using a single halogen lamp						

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4C.	A major accident could have been avoided if the braking distance between the two vehicles was reduced. Explain the technology incorporated to avoid such accidents.	5
5A.	What is gassing? Write a short note on VRLA batteries.	3
5B.	Sketch and explain the working of torque converter.	4
5C.	List out the merits and demerits of four stroke cycle engine.	3
6A.	Explain with a neat circuit diagram 3-phase voltage rectification and reverse current blocking.	4
6B.	Explain the construction and working of Folo Thru Drive.	4
6C.	Write a short note on CRDI technology.	2

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