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VII SEMESTER B.TECH. (AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING)

END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOV/DEC 2016

SUBJECT: AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS AND INSTRUMENTS [AAE 403]

**REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM
 (02/12/2016)**

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

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

- 1A.** Explain Mode control Panel. (2)
- 1B.** What do you mean by glass cockpit? What are its advantages? (3)
- 1C.** How aircraft display systems are classified? Also explain T arrangement. (5)
- 2A.** Differentiate static and dynamic pressures. (2)
- 2B.** Explain the operating principle of Bourden tube. How it can be used to measure temperature? (3)
- 2C.** Explain airspeed indicator in detail with necessary diagram. (5)
- 3A.** What do you mean by DC selsyn system? (2)
- 3B.** What is Air Data Computer (ADC)? Explain with block diagram. (3)
- 3C.** Explain Mach meter in detail. (5)
- 4A.** What are the major errors in using magnetic compass as a direction indicator? (2)

- 4B.** Briefly explain Flux Detector Unit (FDU). **(3)**
- 4C.** What are the major gyroscopic properties? Also derive RLG equation. **(5)**
- 5A.** Explain Hall effect sensor. What is its application in aircraft? **(2)**
- 5B.** Explain any one type of torque meter in detail. **(3)**
- 5C.** Explain engine vibration monitoring system using electromagnetic velocity pick up. **(5)**
- 6A.** Explain RADAR equation in detail. **(2)**
- 6B.** What is Bootstrap refrigeration system used in aircraft? **(3)**
- 6C.** Explain Inertial Navigation system in detail. **(5)**