

MANIPAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY MANIPAL

FOURTH SEMESTER B.TECH. (INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROL ENGG.) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, APRIL/MAY 2017

SUBJECT: INTRODUCTION TO INDUSTRIAL INSTRUMENTATION [ICE 3281] Time: 3 Hours MAX. MARKS: 50

	Instructions to Candidates:	
	Answer ALL the questions.	
	 Missing data may be suitably assumed. 	
1A.	Explain in detail on various functional elements of an Instrumentation system	5
1 B.	Discuss the operation of unbonded strain gauges with the diagram	3
1C.	A resistance wire Strain gauge uses a soft iron wire of small diameter. The gauge	2
	factor is 4.2. Neglecting piezo resistive effects calculate poisson ratio.	
2A.	Explain the working of linear variable differential transformer with its schematic.	4
2 B .	Describe the phenomenon of quadratic approximation of RTD's	3
2C.	A thermistor has a RTC of -5% over a temperature range of 25°C to 50°C. If the	3
	resistance of thermistor is 100 Ω at 25°C, what is the resistance at 35°C?	
3A.	Describe the working of inclined tube manometer with its diagram.	3
3B.	A well type manometer uses mercury as the manometric fluid. The displacement of	4
	mercury in the well is 25mm. The area of well is $6500mm^2$. The maximum span of	
	manometer is 25 kN/ m^2 . Calculate the inside diameter of the manometer tube. The	
	density of mercury is $13.56 \times 10^3 \text{kg/}m^3$.	
3C.	Explain the method of flow measurement by venture meter.	3
4A.	Discuss in detail about hot wire Anemometer used for flow rates of fluid.	5
4B.	Describe the principle of measurement of level with Gamma rays.	3
4C.	Explain the method of measurement of thickness using reluctance variation	2
	transducer.	
5A.	Describe the working of a cantilever beam used for measurement of force.	3
5B.	What is photovoltaic cell? Explain the working of photovoltaic cell with its diagram.	4
5C.	What are the different types of Electromagnetic transducers used for linear velocity	3
	measurement? Explain.	