

**B.Tech. – VIEP – ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING  
(BTELVI)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2017**

00397

**BIEEE-004 : MECHATRONICS**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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**Note :** Answer any **seven** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of scientific calculator is permitted.

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1. (a) Explain the functioning of a servo motor with the help of a diagram.  
(b) Describe armature speed control of a DC motor. 5+5
  
2. (a) Differentiate between active and passive sensors. What are the requirements for selecting a sensor ?  
(b) What are the advantages and limitations of hydraulic systems over other systems ? 5+5
  
3. (a) How does a microcontroller differ from a microprocessor ?  
(b) Draw the block diagram of a basic microcontroller and explain the function of each subsystem. 5+5

4. (a) Describe the working principle of directional control valves with the help of a neat diagram.
- (b) Explain communication interface with the help of block diagram. 5+5
5. (a) Describe the mechanism of a cam. Also discuss the application and working of a cam-controlled system.
- (b) Draw the block diagram of a digital control system. Explain how a digital control system is different from an analog control system. 5+5
6. (a) With the help of a neat sketch, explain the working principle of Ratchet and Pawl system.
- (b) A platinum resistance temperature sensor has a resistance of  $120\ \Omega$  at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  and forms one arm of a Wheatstone bridge. At this temperature, the bridge is balanced with each of the other arms being  $120\ \Omega$ . The temperature coefficient of resistance of the platinum is  $0.0039/\text{K}$ . What will be the output voltage from the bridge for a change in temperature of  $20^\circ\text{C}$ ? The loading across the output is effectively open-circuit and the supply voltage to the bridge is from a source of  $6.0\ \text{V}$  with negligible internal resistance. 5+5

7. (a) Explain the role of Robots in industries and also give their advantages.
- (b) Draw the ladder logic to represent the following case :  
"Two switches are normally open and both have to be closed for a motor to operate." 5+5
8. (a) A d.c. motor behaves like a first-order system with a transfer function of relating output position to which it has rotated a load to input signal of  $\frac{1}{s(1 + s\tau)}$ . If the time constant  $\tau$  is 1 sec and the motor is to be used in a closed-loop control system with unity feedback and proportional controller, determine the value of the proportionality constant which will give a closed-loop response with a 25% overshoot.
- (b) What are the different components in PLC ? Also write the advantages of PLC. 5+5
9. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 2×5=10
- (a) Fax Machine  
(b) N.C. Machine  
(c) Mechanical Control of Automobile System  
(d) Signal Conditioners