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VI Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, June/July - 2026

(NEP Scheme - Freshers)

PHYSICS

Electronic Instrumentation and Sensors

Paper : DSCT - VIII

Time : 2½ Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

PART - A

Answer any Four questions. Each question carries Two marks. (4×2=8)

1. Define ripple factor and explain its significance.
2. What are the advantages of a Pi filter?
3. A band pass filter allows selected frequencies to pass through. Justify
4. What is an active filter? Explain.
5. What is data transmission system? Explain
6. Mention any two applications of a Thermistor

PART - B

Answer any Four questions. Each question carries Five marks. (4×5=20)

7. A moving coil instrument with resistance 100Ω gives a full-scale deflection when a current of 10 mA is passed through it. What is the value of the resistance which can convert this moving coil instrument into a voltmeter giving full scale deflection for a potential difference of 10 V?
8. A Zener diode with $V_z=12V$ is used in a regulator circuit with an unregulated power supply of 24V. If the series resistance $R_s=160\Omega$ and the load resistance R_L is varied from 200Ω to infinity. Calculate the current through the series resistance and hence find minimum & maximum Zener currents.
9. An AC bridge with terminals ABCD has in the arm AB a resistance of 800Ω in parallel with a capacitor of $0.5\mu F$. Arm BC a resistance of 400Ω in series with a capacitor of $1\mu F$. Arm CD has a resistance of 1000Ω , arm DA has a pure resistance R.
 - (a) Determine the value of frequency for which the bridge is balanced and
 - (b) Calculate the value of R required to produce balance.





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10. What is the value of the capacitor for a high pass filter having a unity gain whose cutoff frequency is at 2kHz. Assume the resistor R is $10k\Omega$. What should be the value of resistance in order to have a cutoff frequency of 5kHz.
11. A 4-bit D/A convertor has a reference voltage of 5V. Determine the output voltage for the digital input of 1101.
12. A platinum resistance thermometer has a resistance of 100Ω at 25°C . Find its resistance at 50°C . The resistance temperature coefficient of platinum is $0.00392 \Omega/^\circ\text{C}$. If thermometer has a resistance of 200Ω , calculate the value of temperature

PART - C

Answer any Four questions. Each question carries Eight marks. (4×8=32)

13. With a block diagram explain the working of CRO and mention its applications.
14. With a neat diagram Explain the frequency response of passive low pass filter.
15. Explain the D/A convertor by using ladder type (R-2R) network.
16. a) Mention the techniques used in digital transmission.
b) Explain PAM and PWM. **(4+4)**
17. Explain the construction and working of Resistance Thermometer or RTD (Resistance Temperature Detector).
18. Explain the construction, working and characteristics of a Photodiode.

