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APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

Sixth semester B.Tech examinations (S), September 2020

Course Code: AE304**Course Name: INDUSTRIAL INSTRUMENTATION**

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

PART A*Answer any two full questions, each carries 15 marks.*

Marks

- 1 a) Explain the concept, along with circuit diagram, of using RTD for temperature measurement. (8)
- b) Using suitable diagram explain the working of fluidic temperature sensor. (7)
- 2 a) Explain the working of a Bourdon gauge. What is special about its cross section? (7)
- b) With the help of a neat sketch, explain how a McLeod gauge helps accurate measurement of pressure. (8)
- 3 a) Giving suitable graphs, illustrate the difference between PTC and NTC thermistors. Compare sensitivity of RTD with that of thermistor. (8)
- b) Briefly explain how well type manometer gives higher sensitivity than a U-tube manometer. (7)

PART B*Answer any two full questions, each carries 15 marks.*

- 4 a) Briefly explain how Ostwald viscometer is used for measuring kinematic viscosity. (7)
- b) Explain how Bernoulli's energy relation is employed in Pitot tube for flow measurement. (8)
- 5 a) Explain the principle and working of centrifugal gas densitometer. (8)
- b) Explain the construction and working of rotameter. (7)
- 6 a) Explain the principle of any one positive displacement flow meter. (8)
- b) Explain the construction and working of Saybolt viscometer. (7)

PART C*Answer any two full questions, each carries 20 marks.*

- 7 a) Explain in detail the principle, construction and working of laser Doppler anemometer. (10)
- b) Explain the working of cross correlation flow meters. (10)

- 8 a) Explain the working of two types of ultrasonic flow meter. (10)
- b) Explain the application of rotating paddle switches in level measurement. (5)
- c) Giving a neat diagram explain the construction and working of resistance type level detectors. (5)
- 9 a) Explain the working of gamma ray based level measuring instrument. (9)
- b) Making use of a neat sketch explain the construction and working of capacitance type level gauge for non-conducting liquids. (5)
- c) Explain how differential pressure sensing is employed in a closed tank to measure level. (6)