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## First/Second Semester B.E./B.Tech. Degree Examination, Dec.2024/Jan.2025

## **Elements of Electrical Engineering**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

2. VTU Formula Hand Book is permitted.

3. M: Marks, L: Bloom's level, C: Course outcomes.

|     |    | Module – 1  | M | L         | C           |
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| Q.1 | a. | State and explain Kirchoff's law as applied to D.C. circuits.   | 7 | L1,<br>L2 | CO1         |
|     | b. | For a network shown in Fig.Q.1(b), determine:  i) The voltage drop in each resistor  ii) The current in each resistor.  | 6 | L3        | CO1,<br>CO3 |
|     | c. | State and explain the Ohm's law. Mention its limitations.   | 7 | L1,<br>L2 | CO1         |
|     |    | OR  |   |           |             |
| Q.2 | a. | Explain statically and dynamically induced e.m.f.'s.  | 8 | L1,<br>L2 | CO1         |
|     | b. | Two coupled coils of self-inductances 0.8H and 0.2 H have a co-efficient of coupling 0.9. Find the mutual inductance and turns ratio.   | 6 | L3        | CO1         |
|     | c. | Derive the energy stored in the magnetic field.   | 6 | L1,<br>L2 | CO1         |
|     |    | Module – 2  |   |           |             |
| Q.3 | a. | Define form factor, peak factor obtain its value for a sinusoidal voltage.  | 6 | L1        | CO2         |
|     | b. | Derive an expression for power in pure inductance circuit and draw voltage, current and power waveforms.  | 6 | L1,<br>L2 | CO2,<br>CO3 |
|     | c. | In the Fig.Q.3(b) shown below calculate the impedances of AB and the phase angle between voltage and current. Also calculate the total power consumed if the applied voltage between A and B is 200 \( \alpha 30^\circ\) volts. | 8 | L3        | CO2,<br>CO3 |
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| Q.4 | a. | Derive the expression for R.M.S. value of current of a sinusoidally varying quantity.   | 6  | L1,<br>L2 | CO2         |
|     | b. | Define power factor and mention its practical importance.   | 7  | L1,<br>L2 | CO2         |
|     | c. | A series circuit with R = $10~\Omega$ , L = $50~\text{mH}$ and C = $100~\mu\text{F}$ is supplied with $200~\text{V}$ , $50~\text{Hz}$ . Find: i) The impedance ii) Current iii) Power iv) Power factor. | 7  | L3        | CO2         |
|     | 1  | Module – 3  |    |           |             |
| Q.5 | a. | Mention the advantages of three-phase system over single phase system.  | 5  | L2        | CO2         |
|     | b. | Obtain the relationship between line and phase, voltage and current in a three phase balanced star connected system.  | 7  | L1,<br>L2 | CO3,        |
|     | c. | A balanced 3-phase, star connected load of 150 kW takes a leading current of 100 A with line voltage of 1100 V, 50 Hz. Find the circuit constants of a load per phase.                                  | 8  | L3        | CO2,<br>CO3 |
|     |    | OR  |    |           |             |
| Q.6 | a. | Show that the two Wattmeter's are sufficient to measure three phase power. Hence derive the expression for the power factor in terms of Wattmeter readings.   | 8  | L1,<br>L2 | CO2         |
|     | b. | Establish the relationship between the line and phase currents and voltages in a three phase balanced delta connected system.   | 6  | L1,<br>L2 | CO2,<br>CO3 |
|     | c. | A balanced delta-connected load of $(8 + j6) \Omega$ per phase is supplied from a 3-phase 440 V source. Find line current, power factor, power per phase and total power.                               | 6  | L3        | CO2,<br>CO3 |
|     |    | Module – 4  |    |           | 1           |
| Q.7 | a. | Explain the construction and working of Kelvin's double bridge.   | 8  | L1,<br>L2 | CO4         |
|     | b. | Explain two way and three way control of lamp with truth table.   | 6  | L1,<br>L2 | CO5         |
|     | c. | Explain the construction and working of megger.   | 6  | L1,<br>L2 | CO5         |
|     |    | OR  | -  | -         |             |
| Q.8 | a. | Mention the difference between the current transformer and potential transformer.   | 6  | L1,<br>L2 | CO4         |
|     | b. | Explain the construction of Schering's bridge and derive the expression for the unknown capacitance.  | 8  | L1,<br>L2 | CO4         |
|     | c. | Write a short note on casing and capping wiring.  | 6  | L1,<br>L2 | CO5         |
|     |    | Module – 5  |    |           | ž.          |
| Q.9 | a. | What is electric shock? Give the list of preventive measures against the shock.   | 6  | L1,<br>L2 | CO5         |
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|      | b. | Define tariff. Explain briefly the two part tariff with its advantage and disadvantage.   | 6  | L1,<br>L2   | CO5 |  |  |  |
|      | c. | What is earthing? With neat diagram, explain pipe earthing.   | 8  | L1,<br>L2   | COS |  |  |  |
|      |    | OR  |    |             |     |  |  |  |
| Q.10 | a. | With neat diagram, explain the working of RCCB and ELCB.  | 8  | L1,<br>L2   | CO: |  |  |  |
|      | b. | Write a short note on fuse.   | 5  | L1,<br>L2   | COS |  |  |  |
|      | c. | In a residential house the following loads are connected:  i) Six lamps of 40 W each, switched on for 5 hr a day.  ii) Two fans of 60 W each, switched on for 12 hr a day.  iii) One 1000 W (1 kW) heater working for 2 hr per day.  iv) One refrigerator of 250 W working for 10 hr per day.  If each unit of energy costs Rs. 1.90 what will be the total cost in the month of September. | 7  | L3          | COS |  |  |  |

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