

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE- VIth SEMESTER-EXAMINATION – MAY- 2012

Subject code: 161701

Date: 09/05/2012

Subject Name: Instrumentation System

Time: 10:30 am – 01:00 pm

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

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| Q.1 | (a) Draw following flow sheet symbols: | 07 |
| | 1. Ball valve | 2. Water cooled condenser |
| | 3. Check valve | 4. Capillary tube |
| | 5. Diaphragm spring opposed actuator with positioner | |
| | 6. Variable area flow indicator | |
| | 7. Thermocouple connected to multipoint scanning recorder | |
| | (b) Describe typical flow transmitter checkout procedure. | 07 |

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| Q.2 | (a) Justify the importance of P&I diagram and Instrument specification sheets. | 07 |
| | (b) Define startup time. Discuss the problems to be faced during this period. | 07 |
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| | (b) Compare Pneumatic versus Electronic Instrumentation and Control systems. | 07 |

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| Q.3 | (a) Draw and explain electronic loop wiring diagram. | 07 |
| | (b) Classify hazardous area and material according to NEC. | 07 |

OR

- Q.3** (a) Explain Intrinsic safety. Discuss its advantages and drawbacks. **07**
 (b) Explain three types of electrical power supply systems for the instrument panel, used in control room. **07**

- Q.4** (a) Describe control panel types. **07**
 (b) Enumerate various factors to be considered in designing good quality Instrument Air System. Explain the factor related to distribution of Instrument Air. **07**

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| Q.4 | (a) | What are the working principles of positive displacement and dynamic compressors? Explain centrifugal compressor. | 07 |
| | (b) | Draw and explain the Instrument Air supply source where tie in is made from the plant air source using a standard pressure control station, as a back up in case the Instrument Air compressor fails. | 07 |

- Q.5 (a)** Discuss calibration methods used during construction phase of any big process industry. **07**
- (b)** Explain the duties and responsibilities of project manager. **07**

OR

- Q.5 (a)** Compare following primary elements used for differential flow meter: **07**
1. orifice plates 2. venturi tube 3. flow nozzle
- (b)** Explain capacitance type level instrument for continuous and point **07**
measurement.
