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I B.Tech - I Semester – Regular Examinations - January 2015

**ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING MATERIALS
(ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING)**

Duration: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART – A

Answer *all* the questions. All questions carry equal marks

11 x 2 = 22 M

1. a) Compare metals and non-metals.
- b) What are the applications of aluminium?
- c) What are P-type and N-type semiconductors?
- d) What is the material used for filaments in incandescent bulbs? Give reasons.
- e) Define electric permittivity.
- f) What is the effect of frequency on dielectric constant?
- g) Give any three examples of insulating liquids.
- h) What is the effect of moisture on insulation strength?
- i) Write short notes on hysteresis loss.
- j) State the advantages of silicon steel.
- k) Give compositions of any three alloys and state their applications.

PART – B

Answer any **THREE** questions. All questions carry equal marks. 3 x 16 = 48 M

2. a) What are the factors affecting the resistivity of electrical conducting material? 8 M
b) What are the desired properties of conducting material? 8 M

3. a) Explain the atomic structure of silicon and germanium. 8 M

b) What are high resistivity conducting materials? What are their applications? 8 M

4. a) Explain the concept of polarization. 8 M

b) Compare the properties of solid, liquid and gas dielectric materials. 8 M

5. a) What are the properties of ideal insulation materials? 8 M

b) Explain the classification of insulation materials based on their properties. 8 M

6. a) What are soldering materials? Explain the classification of soldering materials. 8 M

b) Write short notes on hysteresis loop. What is its significance? 8 M