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**I B.Tech - I Semester – Regular / Supplementary Examinations
December - 2016**

**ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING MATERIALS
(ELECTRICAL AND 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) Define electrical conductivity.
- b) List the different types of solders.
- c) What do you mean by doping in semiconductor?
- d) Explain what is meant by fuse current?
- e) Define the term electric dipole moment.
- f) What is meant by ferroelectric materials?
- g) Give the properties of mineral oil used for dielectrical apparatus.
- h) Difference between thermosetting and thermoplastic polymer insulators.
- i) Explain the term hard directions of magnetization.
- j) What are ferrites?
- k) Give the properties of soldering materials.

PART – B

Answer any **THREE** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

3 x 16 = 48 M

2. a) Explain different properties of materials. 8 M

b) Two coils A and B connected in series have resistances of 600Ω and 300Ω and temperature co-efficient of 0.1% and 0.4% respectively at $20\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. Find the resistance of the combination at a temperature of $50\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. What is the effective temperature coefficient of combination? 8 M

3. a) Explain why the electrical conductivity of a semiconductor usually increases while that of a metal decreases with increasing temperature. What are the applications of semiconductor materials? 8 M

b) How can high resistance materials be classified for different uses in electrical engineering practice? Give the names, composition and characteristics of two such materials. 8 M

4. a) What is meant by term Polarization? Explain electronic, Ionic, Di-Polar polarization. Derive an expression for the Lorentz field in a solid dielectric. 8 M

b) What are piezoelectric materials and their applications?
Compare Piezoelectricity and Ferro electricity. 8 M

5. a) What are thermoplastic and thermosetting types of insulating materials? Name any two thermoplastic materials and discuss their electrical characteristics. 8 M

b) Give the classification of Gaseous insulators based on dielectric strength. List few different types of Gaseous insulators along with their main property and application. 8 M

6. a) What is silicon iron? For what purpose is it used and why? Give some properties of permanent magnetic materials. 8 M

b) Calculate the energy loss per hour by hysteresis in 50 kg iron core which is subjected to a sinusoidal flux alternating at 50 c/s. The hysteresis loop for the core has an area of 150 cm^2 , when plotted to a scale of $1 \text{ cm} = 0.008 \text{ Wb /m}^2$, $1 \text{ cm} = 20 \text{ AT/cm}$. 8 M