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**B. Tech 3rd Semester Examination**

**Electrical Engineering Materials and Applications (N.S.)**

**EE-213**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks : 100**

*The candidates shall limit their answers precisely within the answer-book (40 pages) issued to them and no supplementary/continuation sheet will be issued.*

**Note :** Attempt five questions in all, select one question from each sections A, B, C and D. Section E (Question No. 9) is compulsory.

**SECTION - A**

1. (a) Comment on statement, "Physical behaviour of an electrical material is characterized by a set of macroscopic measureable quantities". **(8)**
- (b) How electrical engineering materials can be classified on the basis of electrical conduction? Name at least three such materials in respect of each such classification. **(12)**
2. (a) What do you mean by super conductors? Explain role of variation of operating temperature on the electrical conduction properties of super conductor. **(10)**
- (b) Give the properties engineering applications in respect of following materials:
  - (i) Steel
  - (ii) Brass **(6)**
- (c) Which material is preferred for use in electrical machine winding and why? **(4)**

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**SECTION - B**

3. (a) Why chemical properties of electrical insulations are evaluated in electrical applications? (5)
- (b) How following insulation materials find applications in several equipments and systems?  
(i) Rubber (ii) Paper (iii) Tapes (iv) Wax (12)
- (c) What are thermosetting insulations? (3)
4. (a) Why mineral insulation oils play a vital role in electrical bulb power transformation process and heavy power transformers? (10)
- (b) Discuss salient features of insulating gases. Name two equipments that utilize such insulating gases for electrical operation. (10)

**SECTION - C**

5. (a) What is practical significance of magnetic moment? (5)
- (b) Classify various magnetic materials. Name at least 3 magnetic substances that find applications in engineering systems. (12)
- (c) What do you mean by curie point? (3)
6. (a) How magnetostriction affects the performance of an electrical equipment? Explain. (5)
- (b) Explain salient features of following magnetic materials.  
(i) Alnico (ii) Carbon steel (iii) Nickel-iron alloy (iv) Grain oriented sheet steel (v) Soft ferrite. (15)

**SECTION - D**

7. (a) What do you mean by P-type and N-type semi conducting materials? (10)

- (b) How silicon and Germanium find applications in semi-conducting device manufacturing technologies? **(10)**
8. (a) Explain operating principle of temperature sensitive resistor as a transducer. **(7)**
- (b) What is Hall effect Generator? State its applications. **(5)**
- (c) Compare NPN and PNP transistor with regard to signal amplification applications. **(8)**

#### SECTION - E

9. (a) Why mica is used in commutator of DC machine?
- (b) What do you mean by Fermi dirac functions in insulations.
- (c) What is practical significance of power factor in an insulator? What is its ideal value for perfect insulator?
- (d) What is eddy current loss?
- (e) What is donor or Acceptor in atomic bond hypothesis?
- (f) Is magnetic susceptibility dependent on temperature variations?
- (g) What kind of materials are normally used in power cables?
- (h) What is composition of porcelain insulations?
- (i) What kind of resistive material is used in heater wires?
- (j) Why silicon is preferred over Germanium in developing solid state devices? **(10×2=20)**