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S.E. (Electrical) (I Semester)EXAMINATION, 2017

MATERIAL SCIENCE

(2012 COURSE)

Time : Two Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

- N.B. :- Physical Constants :
 - (1) Angstrom Unit (AU) = 1×10^{-10} metres
 - (2) Boltzmann's constant (k) = 1.380×10^{-23} joule degree-1
 - (3) Charge on Electron (e) = 1.601×10^{-19} coulomb
 - (4) Mass of Electron (m) = $9.107 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$
 - (5) Electron volt (eV) = 1.602×10^{-19} joules
 - (6) Mass of Proton $(m_p) = 1.627 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
 - (7) Velocity of light (c) = 2.998×10^8 m/sec
 - (8) Dielectric Constant of free space (ϵ_0) = 8.854 × 10⁻¹² F/m
 - (9) Permeability of free space $(\mu_0) = 4\pi \times 10^{-7}$ H/m
 - (10) Debye unit = 3.33×10^{-30} coulomb.metre
- 1. (a) Explain the terms :
 - (*i*) Electric Susceptibility
 - (*ii*) Polarizability [6]
 - (b) State the properties and applications of :
 - (*i*) Ceramics
 - $(ii) \quad SF_6 \tag{6}$

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- 2. (a) The no. of atoms in a volume of one cubic metre of hydrogen gas is 8.4×10^{26} . Radius of hydrogen atom is 0.53 AU. Calculate the polarizability and relative permittivity of hydrogen gas.[6]
 - (b) Explain the insulating materials used for :
 - (*i*) Power Transformers
 - (*ii*) Switchgears

- [6]
- **3.** (a) Write a note on classification of magnetic materials. [7]
 - (b) The resistivity of pure copper is 1.56 μΩcm and alloy of copper containing 1 atomic % Ni has resistivity 2.81 μΩcm. Alloy of copper containing 3 atomic % Ag has resistivity 1.98 μΩcm. What is the resistivity of Cu alloy for 2 atomic % Ni and 2 atomic % Ag ?

Or

- 4. (a) If magnetic field of 1.25×10^5 A/m applied to a magnetic material, the resultant flux density is 250 mWb/ m^2 . Calculate its permeability, susceptibility and magnetization. [7]
 - (b) Write a short note on Superconductivity. [6]
- 5. Write short notes on the following : [12]
 - (a) Carbon Nano-wire
 - $(b) C_{60}$

Or

- 6. Write short notes on following : [12]
 - (a) Carbon nano-tubes (CNT)
 - (b) Single Electron Transistor (SET)

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- (a) With neat sketch, explain the method to determine breakdown voltage of transformer oil. [7]
 - (b) Describe the method to determine the breakdown strength of solid dielectric in the laboratory as per IS. [6]

Or

- 8. (a) Describe the method of measurement of tan δ of a dielectric by Schering Bridge as per IS code of practice. [7]
 - (b) With neat sketch, explain detail procedure for measurement of dielectric strength of air as per IS code of practice.[6]

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