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2 Hours / 50 Marks

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- Instructions* –
- (1) All Questions are *Compulsory*.
 - (2) Answer each next main Question on a new page.
 - (3) Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.
 - (4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
 - (5) Assume suitable data, if necessary.
 - (6) Use of Non-programmable Electronic Pocket Calculator is permissible.
 - (7) Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.

Marks

- 1. Attempt any NINE of the following:** **18**
- a) State Ohm's law with mathematical equation.
 - b) A potentiometer wire of length 2m has a voltage drop of 0.2V across it. Find potential gradient.
 - c) Draw a neat diagram of wheatstone's network.
 - d) A capacitor of capacitance $5\mu\text{F}$ is connected to a supply of 10V. Calculate the charge on the capacitor.
 - e) State the values or range of values of energy band gap for conductors, semiconductors and insulators.
 - f) Draw energy band diagram for semiconductor.
 - g) Draw the symbol of LDR and state its working principle.
 - h) Define -
 - (i) Threshold frequency
 - (ii) Work function
 - i) State Einstein's photoelectric equation with the meaning of all the symbols involved.

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- j) "Lasers are specifically used for cataract operations". Give appropriate reason.
- k) State two properties of nanoparticles.
- l) What are carbon nanotubes ?

2. Attempt any FOUR of the following: 16

- a) Calculate the resistance of wire of length 50cm and cross-section area of $0.02 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2$. (Given - specific resistance of the wire = $3.5 \times 10^{-7} \Omega\text{-m}$)
- b) (i) State and explain the principle of potentiometer.
(ii) Give any two uses of potentiometer.
- c) The capacitance of a parallel plate capacitor is with a certain dielectric medium between the plates of the capacitor. Find the capacitance of the capacitor if
 - (i) the distance between the two plates is double; and
 - (ii) the area of the plates is halved.
- d) Three condensers of capacitance $2.2 \mu\text{F}$, $3.6 \mu\text{F}$ and $5.6 \mu\text{F}$ are connected in parallel across 75 V supply. Find equivalent capacitance and the charge flowing through each condenser.
- e) Draw the symbol and state the principle of photodiode. State its any two applications.
- f) Plot and explain the I-V characteristics of a p-n junction diode.

3. Attempt any FOUR of the following: 16

- a) Explain with diagram the working principle of photoelectric cell. Give its two application.
 - b) Explain the production of X-rays using coolidge tube with a neat labelled diagram.
 - c) Find the minimum wavelength and maximum frequency of the X-rays produced by an X-ray tube operating at 80kV.
(Planck's constant, $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J-sec}$; velocity of light, $c = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}$; charge of electron, $e = 1.6 \times 10^{-19}\text{C}$)
 - d) Explain with help of neat labelled diagram, the working of He-Ne Laser.
 - e) State any four engineering applications of laser.
 - f) State any four applications of nanotechnology in field of engineering.
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