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Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2014/Jan.2015
Mechanical Measurements and Metrology

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

**Note: Answer FIVE full questions, selecting
atleast TWO questions from each part.**

PART – A

- 1 a. Define metrology. What are the objectives of metrology? (05 Marks)
- b. Explain "Imperial standard yard" and "International prototype meter" with neat sketches. (10 Marks)
- c. A calibrated meter end bar has an actual length of 1000.0002 mm. It is used in calibration of two bars A and B, each having a basic length of 500 mm. When compared with the meter bar $L_A + L_B$ was found to be shorter by 0.0003 mm. In comparing A and B, it was found that A was 0.0004 mm longer than B. Find the actual length of A and B. (05 Marks)
- 2 a. Differentiate : i) unilateral and bilateral tolerances ii) clearance fit and interference fit. (06 Marks)
- b. Determine the dimensions of shaft and hole for a fit $30 H_7 f_8$. The given data are :
 $i = 0.45\sqrt[3]{D} + 0.001D$ microns. Fundamental deviation for f shaft is $-5.5D^{0.41}$ microns, 30 mm falls in the diameter step of 18 and 30. Tolerance grade for IT_7 and IT_8 are 16i and 25i respectively. Also design plug gauge to check the above hole. Take wear allowance as 10% of the gauge tolerance. (10 Marks)
- c. Explain : i) Shaft basis system ii) Hole basis system. (04 Marks)
- 3 a. With a neat sketch, explain the construction and working of Johansson Mikrokator comparator. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain with a neat sketch, the working of Solex pneumatic comparator. What are its advantages? (08 Marks)
- c. Explain the principle of sine bar. (04 Marks)
- 4 a. With a neat sketch, explain the working principle of an autocollimator. (06 Marks)
- b. Define "Effective diameter". Explain the 3-wire method of finding the effective diameter of screw threads. (08 Marks)
- c. Explain with a sketch, how the chordal thickness is measured by using gear tooth vernier caliper. (06 Marks)

PART – B

- 5 a. Define measurement. With a block diagram, explain the generalized measurement system with a suitable example. (08 Marks)
- b. Define the following terms : i) precision ii) hysteresis iii) sensitivity. (06 Marks)
- c. Explain the principle of capacitive type electrical transducer. With a sketch explain any one type of capacitive transducer. (06 Marks)
- 6 a. Explain the inherent problems present in mechanical modifying system. (06 Marks)
- b. With a block diagram, explain the general telemetering system. (06 Marks)
- c. Explain with neat sketches : i) stylus type oscillograph ii) x – y – plotter. (08 Marks)

- 7 a. Sketch and explain the analytical balance (equal arm balance). (08 Marks)
- b. Explain how the torque is measured using prony brake dynamometer. What are its disadvantages? (06 Marks)
- c. Describe the working principle of pirani gauge with a sketch. (06 Marks)
- a. State the laws of thermocouples. (04 Marks)
- b. Explain the construction and working of optical pyrometer. (08 Marks)
- c. Define gauge factor. Explain the wheat stone bridge arrangement for strain measurement. (08 Marks)
