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## Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Aug./Sept. 2020 Aircraft Electrical Systems and Instrumentation

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

### Module-1

- 1 a. Explain the following with a neat diagram :  
i) Mechanical Actuation (12 Marks)  
ii) Electro hydraulic Actuation. (08 Marks)  
b. Write a short note on auto pilot system. (08 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Explain the operation of a push pull rod control system used for operating the elevator through a powered actuator unit with a neat sketch. (10 Marks)  
b. With a neat sketch briefly explain about fly by wire system. (10 Marks)

### Module-2

- 3 a. Draw the sketch of simplified bleed air system and associated aircraft systems. Explain the same. (10 Marks)  
b. Explain a simple hydraulic system with help of flow chart. (10 Marks)

OR

- 4 Draw a neat diagram of high pressure pneumatic system and explain briefly working and pneumatic system components. (20 Marks)

### Module-3

- 5 a. With a help of neat sketch, explain fuel tank. Name some of the fuel tank used. (10 Marks)  
b. Explain briefly the operation principles involved in aircraft piston engine. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. With a neat diagram, explain briefly the gravity fuel system. (12 Marks)  
b. What are the functions of lubrication system used in aircraft engines. (08 Marks)

### Module-4

- 7 Explain the following with neat sketch.  
i) Vapour cycle cooling system  
ii) Liquid cooling system. (20 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. With a schematic diagram of a wing, explain anti-icing system in aircraft. (10 Marks)  
b. Draw and explain fire detection system in an aircraft engine bag. (10 Marks)

### Module-5

- 9 a. Explain gyroscopic instruments used in aircraft with neat sketches. (10 Marks)  
b. With a neat sketch, describe the mach warning system. (10 Marks)

OR

- 10 Explain the following :  
i) Altimeter ii) Airspeed indicator iii) Mach meter iv) Thermo couple. (20 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.  
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.