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SE (Electrical) (First Semester) EXAMINATION, 2017

MATERIAL SCIENCE

(2015 PATTERN)

Time : Two Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Physical Constants :—

- (i) Angstrom Unit (AU) =  $1 \times 10^{-10}$  metres.
- (ii) Boltzmann's Constant ( $k$ ) =  $1.380 \times 10^{-23}$  joule.degree<sup>-1</sup>
- (iii) Charge on Electron ( $e$ ) =  $1.601 \times 10^{-19}$  coulomb
- (iv) Mass of Electron ( $m$ ) =  $9.107 \times 10^{-31}$  kg
- (v) Electron volt (eV) =  $1.602 \times 10^{-19}$  joules
- (vi) Mass of Proton ( $m_p$ ) =  $1.627 \times 10^{-27}$  kg.
- (vii) Velocity of light ( $c$ ) =  $2.998 \times 10^8$  m/sec
- (viii) Dielectric Constant of free space ( $\epsilon_0$ ) =  $8.854 \times 10^{-12}$  F/m
- (ix) Permeability of free space ( $\mu_0$ ) =  $4 \pi \times 10^{-7}$  H/m
- (x) Debye Unit =  $3.33 \times 10^{-30}$  coulomb.metre

1. (a) Explain : [6]
- (i) Polarization
  - (ii) Pyroelectricity and
  - (iii) Ferroelectricity.
- (b) State the properties and applications of : [6]
- (i) Asbestos
  - (ii) Carbon.

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Or

2. (a) A parallel plate capacitor is used to store  $16 \mu\text{C}$  at a potential of  $8 \text{ kV}$ . The distance between the plates is  $10 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$ . If the dielectric constant of the material is  $20$ , kept between plates, what is the area of the plates ? [6]
- (b) Discuss insulating materials used for transmission line. [6]
3. (a) Explain Ferromagnetic and Ferrimagnetic materials and their applications. [7]
- (b) Describe the properties and applications of the following materials : [6]
- (i) Platinum
- (ii) Molybdenum.

Or

4. (a) Explain in detail BH curve (hysteresis loop) for ferromagnetic materials. [6]
- (b) Write a short note on thermocouple. [7]
5. (a) Write down applications of carbon nano tubes and BN nano tubes. [6]
- (b) Write a short note on : ZEBRA batteries. [6]

Or

6. (a) Write a short note on molecular machines. [6]
- (b) Explain with neat diagram, chemical reaction, applications of : [6]
- (i) Nickel-cadmium battery and
- (ii) Sodium-sulphur battery.

7. (a) Describe measurement of dielectric strength of solid insulating material with reference to IS. [7]
- (b) What is dielectric loss ? Explain with a suitable phasor diagram and derivation. [6]

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8. (a) With a neat sketch explain how flux density is measured with the help of gauss meter. [7]
- (b) How will you test transformer oil ? Explain with neat diagram the test set up. [6]