

Model Question Paper - CBCS Scheme

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15ME745

Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec-2018/Jan- 2019

Smart Materials & MEMS

Time: 3 hrs

Max marks: 80

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

Module-1

- 1 a. What are smart materials? Explain its applications in various fields. **8 Marks**
b. Explain Piezo electric effect. Describe the working of Inch worm linear motor with neat sketch. **8 Marks**

OR

- 2 a. Explain with neat sketches the one-way & two-way shape memory effect. **8 Marks**
b. Discuss the vibration control through shape memory alloys.

Module-2

- 3 a. List the Properties & characteristics of MR/ER fluids. **8 Marks**
b. Discuss the applications of MR/ER fluids in Dampers. **8 Marks**

OR

- 4 a. Explain the principle of total internal reflection in optical fibers. **8 Marks**
b. Explain the working principle of fiber optics in crack detection. **8 Marks**

Module-3

- 5 a Analyse parallel damped vibration absorber. **16 Marks**

OR

- 6 a Explain briefly the intrinsic characteristics of natural structures. **8 Marks**
b Discuss the structural design of wood as fiber- reinforced matrix. **8 Marks**

Module-4

- 7 a Explain with neat sketches, the process of Photolithography. **8 Marks**
b Explain with neat sketch, dry etching of thin films. **8 Marks**

OR

- 8 a Explain working of Cantilever Piezoelectric Accelerometer. **8 Marks**
b List major methods of sensing & actuation. **8 Marks**

Module-5

- 9 a List any three materials for polymer MEMS. **6 Marks**
b Discuss the design & fabrication of channels & valves. **10Marks**

OR

- 10 a Discuss the design considerations of MEMS sensors in blood pressure monitoring of patients. **8 Marks**
b Discuss the design of gyro MEMS in automobiles. **8 Marks**

