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SEMESTER I
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COURSE NAME : ELECTRICAL MEASUREMENTS
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INSTRUCTION : ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

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- Q1** (a) (i) Briefly explain an AC bridge and include its general figure. (6 Marks)
- (ii) Discuss **two (2)** balanced conditions of AC bridges. (2 Marks)
- (b) Find the equivalent parallel resistance (R_3) and capacitance (C_3) as shown in **Figure Q1(b)** that causes a Wien bridge to null with the following component values;
 $R_1=27\text{ k}\Omega$, $C_1=5\text{ }\mu\text{F}$, $R_2=22\text{ k}\Omega$, $R_4=100\text{ k}\Omega$, $f=2.2\text{ kHz}$ (12 Marks)
- Q2** (a) Explain the **two (2)** advantages of instrument transformers. (2 Marks)
- (b) Draw and label the equivalent circuit of a current transformer. (6 Marks)
- (c) Consider a CT of 1000/5 A with turns ratio of 1/240 turns is connected to a line of 50 Hz. If the non inductive load connected to a secondary of CT is $1.5\text{ }\Omega$ and iron loss in the core is 1.5 Watt, calculate:
- (i) The actual turns ratio. (2 Marks)
- (ii) The secondary voltage. (2 Marks)
- (iii) The maximum flux in the core. (2 Marks)
- (iv) The flux density in the core. (2 Marks)
- (v) The magnetizing current. (2 Marks)
- (vi) The phase angle. (2 Marks)

(Note: By neglecting the effects of magnetic leakage and iron losses, the magnetomotive force and cross-section of the core are 96 AT and 1200 mm^2 respectively.)

- Q3** (a) (i) Discuss the significance of a potential or voltage transformer (PT or VT). (2 Marks)
- (ii) Draw a circuit showing PT connected to the high voltage supply line and a low range voltmeter. (3 Marks)
- (iii) Demonstrate its construction and working principle. (3 Marks)
- (b) (i) Construct a circuit diagram for a capacitive voltage transformer (CVT). (4 Marks)
- (ii) Differentiate between CVT and RCVT in terms of their output voltage. (2 Marks)
- (iii) Point out **three (3)** advantages of RCVT. (6 Marks)
- Q4** (a) List the methods used for measuring power in single phase and three phase AC circuit. (5 Marks)
- (b) Compare the features of dynamometer wattmeter and induction wattmeter. (8 Marks)
- (c) (i) Select **one (1)** method that can be used for measuring the power in AC single phase circuit if a wattmeter is unavailable. Show the circuit diagram. (4 Marks)
- (ii) While performing a load test on a 3-phase wound-rotor induction motor by two-wattmeter method, the reading obtained on the two meters were +14.2 kW and -6.1 kW. The line voltage was 440 V. Solve for the true power drawn by the motor and the power factor. (3 Marks)
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- Q5** (a) Define what is low resistance, medium resistance, and high resistance in terms of their value. Give examples. (6 Marks)
- (b) Construct a Kelvin bridge circuit diagram and identify its limitations. (5 Marks)

(c) The insulation resistance of a metal-sheath electrical cable shown in **Figure Q5(c)** is tested using 20 kV supply and a micro ammeter. A current of $4.5 \mu\text{A}$ is measured when the components are connected without guard wire. When the circuit is connected with a guard wire, the current is $1.2 \mu\text{A}$.

(i) Explain the important of guard wire.

(2 Marks)

(ii) Calculate the volume resistance of the cable insulation and the surface leakage resistance.

(7 Marks)

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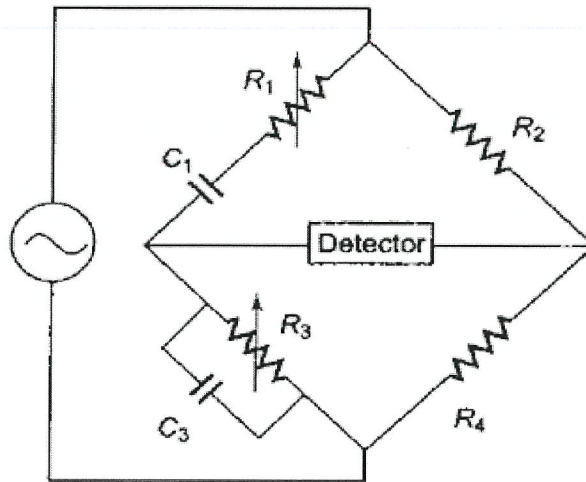


Figure Q1(b)

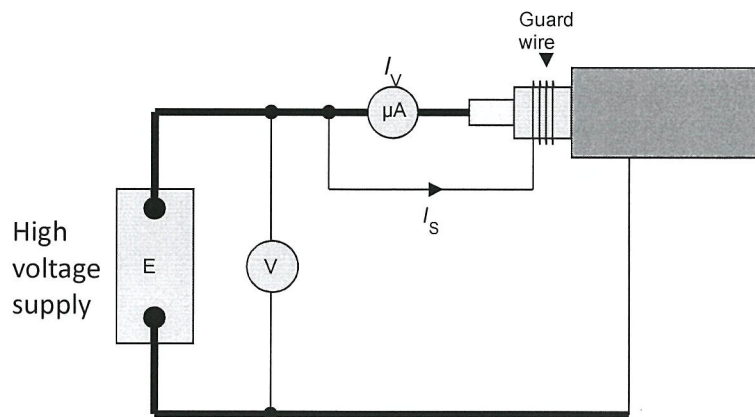


Figure Q5(c)

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