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**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**  
**Bachelor of Engineering - SEMESTER - VI EXAMINATION - WINTER 2025**

**Subject Code: 3160923**

**Date: 19-11-2025**

**Subject Name: Electrical Materials**

**Time: 02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM**

**Total Marks: 70**

**Instructions**

- 1. Attempt all questions.**
- 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.**
- 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.**
- 4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.**

	<b>Marks</b>
<b>Q.1 (a)</b> Define the following for magnetic material : a) Permeability, b) Saturation, c) Remenance,	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Name the materials which are used for making: (a) Transmission lines (b) Winding wire of Electric Motor (c) Resistor of loading rheostat (d) Elements of electric heaters	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Explain various characteristics of a good insulating materials	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.2 (a)</b> Explain the hysteresis and eddy current losses.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Explain factors affecting the resistivity of conducting materials	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Enlist gaseous insulating materials in Electrical Engineering and explain any two with its characteristics	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>	
<b>(c)</b> Explain properties, characteristics and applications of commonly used high resistive materials	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.3 (a)</b> State the properties and applications of Copper.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Explain Seebeck effect and Peltier effect	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Explain the properties of superconductors	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>	
<b>(a)</b> Explain hall effect, drift, mobility, diffusion in Semiconductors,	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Classify the insulating materials according to temperature.	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Draw hysteresis loop and explain corcivity and retentivity of magnetic material.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.4 (a)</b> Explain polarization in dielectric materials.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Discuss the various conducting materials used in making of D.C.Machines & Transformer	<b>04</b>

(c) Compare type-I and type-II semiconductors 07

**OR**

(a) Discuss Magnetostriction in magnetic materials. 03

(b) Explain the terms : Dielectric strength, Dielectric losses, and loss angle. 04

(c) Write a short note on refractory materials 07

**Q.5** (a) Explain in brief : intrinsic Semi-conductors, extrinsic Semi-conductors, compound semiconductor 03

(b) Explain partial discharge breakdown in liquid dielectric material. 04

(c) Discuss the difference between the soft and hard magnetic materials. 07

**OR**

(a) List out Applications of Superconductors. 03

(b) Explain ferrimagnetic materials and ferromagnetic material 04

(c) Discuss the various properties and applications of the following insulating materials. 07  
(1) Glass (2) Cotton (3) Teflon.

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**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**

**BE- SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2024**

**Subject Code:3160923**

**Date:28-11-2024**

**Subject Name:Electrical Materials**

**Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM**

**Total Marks:70**

**Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
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4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

		<b>Marks</b>
<b>Q.1</b>	(a) Give classification of Electrical material.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain intrinsic and extrinsic semiconductors.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain difference between hard and soft magnetic material.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.2</b>	(a) Explain the meaning of semiconductors. Give two examples of semiconductors.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Give the characteristics of a good conductor material.	<b>04</b>
	(c) List out the commonly used conductor materials and give any two conductor materials properties in brief.	<b>07</b>
	<b>OR</b>	
	(c) Discuss properties of high resistivity material.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.3</b>	(a) Classification of Insulating material based on temperature.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Name four natural insulating materials. Mention their most important properties and their application.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Give and Justify choice of magnetic material for (1)transformer core (2)Stator of DC (3) Submarine cable(3) core of CT and PT	<b>07</b>
	<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.3</b>	(a) Give classification of magnetic material and explain in brief.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Enumerate the factors that affect the dielectric strength.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Write short notes on: mechanical and electrical properties of dielectric materials.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.4</b>	(a) Define curie point.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Define magnetostriction.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Discuss transformer oil as insulating material.	<b>07</b>
	<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.4</b>	(a) State the advantage of grain orientation.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Make a list of the factors affecting the insulating resistance of a material.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Write short notes on polarisation.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.5</b>	(a) Explain the functions of structural materials.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain radioactive material. List out at least two radioactive materials.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Write short notes on refractory materials.	<b>07</b>
	<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.5</b>	(a) Explain the important characteristics of a thermocouple materials.	<b>03</b>

- (b) Discuss Nickel Iron alloys. **04**
- (c) Explain Galvanizing and different methods of Galvanizing. **07**

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**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2023****Subject Code:3160923****Date:07-12-2023****Subject Name:Electrical Materials****Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks:70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
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	<b>Marks</b>
<b>Q.1</b>	
<b>(a)</b> Give classification of conducting material.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> List the different material used in making of AC and DC Machine?	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> State the properties and applications of Copper.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.2</b>	
<b>(a)</b> What are the desirable qualities of high conducting material?	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Enlist the factors affecting conductivity and resistivity of material.	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Discuss properties of high resistivity material.	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>	
<b>(c)</b> Write a short note on: Radioactive material.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.3</b>	
<b>(a)</b> Define “dielectric strength” of material. List the factors affecting it.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Define : (i) Polarization (ii) dielectric loss & loss angle.	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Discuss classification of Insulating material based on temperature.	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.3</b>	
<b>(a)</b> Discuss effect of “moisture” on the insulating material.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Explain transformer oil as an insulating material.	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Explain the different Electrical properties of Insulating Materials.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.4</b>	
<b>(a)</b> Discuss briefly: Classification of magnetic material.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Explain the difference between hard and soft magnetic materials.	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Discuss the High Frequency Materials.	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.4</b>	
<b>(a)</b> Explain “losses” in magnetic materials.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Explain B-H curve of magnetic material.	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> State and explain the properties of Magnetic Materials.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.5</b>	
<b>(a)</b> Explain effect of temperature on semiconductor.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> Compare: P- type and N-type semiconductor material.	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Compare Type-I and Type-II superconductor.	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.5</b>	
<b>(a)</b> Prepare a list of: Types and applications of Semiconductor.	<b>03</b>
<b>(b)</b> What is superconductor? Explain the applications of super Conducting materials.	<b>04</b>
<b>(c)</b> Write Properties of superconductors.	<b>07</b>

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**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER-VI(NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2022****Subject Code:3160923****Date:15-12-2022****Subject Name:Electrical Materials****Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks:70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
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- Q.1** (a) What is the fundamental requirement of High Conducting materials? **03**  
 (b) What is Seeback effect? **04**  
 (c) State the properties and applications of Copper. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Give classification of Insulating material based on Substances and Materials with example. **03**  
 (b) Which is the different material used in making DC Machine? **04**  
 (c) Explain the different Electrical properties of Insulating Materials? **07**
- OR**
- (c) Enlist solid insulating materials in Electrical Machines and explain any two with its electrical and thermal characteristics. **07**
- Q.3** (a) What is Dielectric Strength of martial? Which factors affect the Dielectric Strength of material? **03**  
 (b) What is Hygroscopicity? **04**  
 (c) State and explain the properties of Magnetic Materials. **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) What is Paramagnetic Material? **03**  
 (b) Draw and Explain BH curve of magnetic material. **04**  
 (c) Give and justify the choice of Magnetic Material for (1) Armature of DC machine, (2) Stator of AC machine, (3) Submarine Cable. **07**
- Q.4** (a) What is Intrinsic and Extrinsic semiconductors? **03**  
 (b) Explain conduction of current in N-type Semiconductor. **04**  
 (c) Explain the factors affecting the resistivity of Semiconductor. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) Give classification of Semiconductor. **03**  
 (b) Give comparison of Type I Superconductor and Type II Superconductor. **04**  
 (c) Discuss the High Frequency Materials. **07**
- Q.5** (a) What is Refractory Material? List out the various refractory materials. **03**  
 (b) What is the effect of impurities of Material? **04**  
 (c) Write short note on Galvanizing Material. **07**
- OR**
- Q.5** (a) What is Peltier Effect? **03**  
 (b) Explain Silicon superconductor material. **04**  
 (c) Write short note on Radioactive Material. **07**