

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**BE - SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2023****Subject Code:3160923****Date:10-07-2023****Subject Name:Electrical Materials****Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 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.

		Marks
Q.1	(a) What are the factors on which selection of conductor material depends?	03
	(b) Explain the difference between diamagnetic and paramagnetic materials.	04
	(c) Explain factors affecting the resistivity of conducting materials.	07
Q.2	(a) Why air is replaced by nitrogen as an insulating material in certain applications?	03
	(b) Give classifications of Insulating materials	04
	(c) Discuss the Thermal Properties of an insulating materials.	07
	OR	
	(c) Explain factors affecting properties of Ceramic Materials.	07
Q.3	(a) Give reason why cores of transformer are made of silicon steel laminations.	03
	(b) Compare Soft and Hard magnetic materials.	04
	(c) Explain properties and use of Hard Magnetic Materials.	07
	OR	
Q.3	(a) Which are the applications of Soft Ferrites?	03
	(b) Soft magnetic materials are always preferred for making temporary magnets, why?	04
	(c) Write short note on Magnetic Hysteresis.	07
Q.4	(a) Give classifications of Semiconductors.	03
	(b) Explain how holes work as charge carriers.	04
	(c) Discuss the various properties and applications of the following insulating materials. (1) Glass (2) Cotton (3) Teflon.	07
	OR	
Q.4	(a) What do you mean by critical temperature in superconductivity?	03
	(b) Give brief description and applications of (1) FET (2) SCR (3) PN Junction Diode.	04
	(c) Compare type-I and type-II superconductors.	07
Q.5	(a) Semiconductor has negative temperature co-efficient of resistance, why?	03
	(b) Explain various properties of Nickel iron alloy.	04
	(c) What is Galvanizing? Explain different methods of Galvanizing.	07
	OR	
Q.5	(a) Which are the properties of High Frequency Materials?	03
	(b) Explain the applications of Super conducting materials.	04
	(c) What are Refractory Materials? Give applications of different types of Refractory Materials.	07