

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**BE- SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2024****Subject Code:3161008****Date:02-12-2024****Subject Name: Sensors and Transducers****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.

- Q.1** (a) Define following: 1.Threshold 2.Drift 3.Fidelity **03**
 (b) List down sensor classification. **04**
 (c) What are the different techniques to calibrate sensors? Explain any one of them in **07**
- Q.2** (a) Describe working of Radiation temperature sensor. **03**
 (b) Explain thermoelectric effects for thermocouple. **04**
 (c) What is thermistor? How does it sense temperature? Explain its one of application. **07**
- OR**
- (c) Explain the operation and application of Laser range Sensor (LIDAR). **07**
- Q.3** (a) What are the advantages and disadvantages of LVDT? **03**
 (b) Define motion sensor. List the various types of motion sensors. List the motion sensors application. **04**
 (c) Describe the construction and working of magnetic sensors. **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) What is gauge factor? What are the different types of strain gauge? **03**
 (b) Define load cell. List out the various kinds of load cells. Enumerate use of load cell. **04**
 (c) Define Hall Effect. Draw and explain the Hall Effect sensor. **07**
- Q.4** (a) What is piezo electric effect? What are the classifications of piezoelectric transducers? **03**
 (b) What is fiber optic sensor Draw and explain the block diagram of fiber optic sensor. **04**
 (c) Explain the basic principle of gyroscope and its types. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) Define encoder. List out types of encoder. **03**
 (b) What is the principle of capacitive transducer? What are the desirable features of capacitive transducer? **04**
 (c) Explain the construction and working of photo voltaic with neat sketch. **07**
- Q.5** (a) What is meant by signal conditioning and why it is required? **03**
 (b) List out the objectives of data acquisition system. **04**
 (c) Describe operation of sample and hold circuits with relevant waveform. **07**
- OR**
- Q.5** (a) List down applications of Attenuators. **03**
 (b) Contrast the types of amplifiers that can be used with sensors. Assess the need of amplifiers in sensing applications. **04**
 (c) Explain the construction and working of single channel and multi-channel data acquisition system. **07**
