

B.Sc. PHYSICS SYLLUBUS UNDER CBCS

w.e.f. 2015-16 (Revised in April 2016)

For Mathematics Combinations

Semester –VI

Cluster Elective Paper –VIII-A-3 :Electronic Instrumentation

No. of Hours per week: 04

Total Lectures:60

Unit – I (12Hours)

1. Basic of measurements:Instruments accuracy , precision , sensitivity , resolution range, errors in measurement, Multimeter , principles of measurement of dc voltage and dc currents, ac current and resistance, specifications of multimeter and their significance.

Unit -II (10 Hours)

2. Electronic Voltmeter:Advantage over conventional multimeter for voltage measurement with respect to input impedance and sensitivity, principles of voltage measurement (block diagram only), specification of an electronic voltmeter/multimeter and their significance.

Unit– III (14 Hours)

3. CRO :Block diagram of basic CRO, construction of CRT, electron gun, electrostatic focusing and acceleration(only explanation) , time base operation, synchronization, front panel controls, specifications of CRO and their significance.

Applications CRO: Measurement of voltage ,dc and ac frequency , time period, special features of dual trace, digital storage oscilloscope, block diagram and principle of working.

Unit – IV (12 Hours)

4. Digital Multimeter:Block diagram,working, frequency and period measurement using universal counter, frequency counter ,accuracy and resolution.
5. Digital instruments:Principle and working of digitalinstruments, characteristics of a digital meter, working principle of digital voltmeter.

Unit – V (12 Hours)

6. Signal generators:Block diagram explanation, specifications of low frequency signal generators, pulse generator, function generator-working, Brief idea for testing, specifications. Distortion factor meter, wave analysis.
7. Bridges:Block diagram, working of basic LCR bridge – specifications – block diagram and working.

Reference Books

1. A text book in electrical technology by B.L.Thereja (S.Chand&Co)
2. Digital circuits and systems by Venugopal 2011 (Tata Mcgraw Hill)
3. Digital Electronics by SubrathaGhoshal 2012 (Cengage Learning)

Elective Paper-VIII-A-3: Practical: Electronic Instrumentation 2hrs/Week

Minimum of 6 experiments to be done and recorded

1. Study the loading effect of a multimeter by measuring voltage across a low and high resistance.
2. Study the limitations of a multimeter for measuring high frequency voltage and currents.
3. Measurement of voltage, frequency, time period and phase angle using CRO.
4. Measurement of time period and frequency using universal counter/frequency counter.
5. Measurement of rise, fall and delay times using a CRO.
6. Measurement of distortion of a RF signal generator using distortion factor meter.
7. Measurement of R, L and C using a LCR bridge/ universal bridge.