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End - Term Examinations – MAY 2025

Date: 23-05-2025

Time: 01:00 pm –04:00 pm

School: SOE/SOCSE	Program: B. Tech-MEC/ISE	
Course Code: MEC3065	Course Name: Introduction to Robotics and Automation	
Semester: IV	Max Marks: 100	Weightage: 50%

CO - Levels	C01	C02	C03	C04
Marks	24	24	26	26

Instructions:

- (i) Read all questions carefully and answer accordingly.
- (ii) Do not write anything on the question paper other than roll number.

Part A

Answer ALL the Questions. Each question carries 2marks.

10Q x 2M=20M

1.	What is robotics? Write two applications of robots.	2 Marks	L1	C02
2.	Write down any four types of grippers used in Automated Industry.	2 Marks	L1	C02
3.	What are the different uses of sensors in robotics?	2 Marks	L1	C02
4.	Write the functions of Robotic Vision System.	2 Marks	L1	C02
5.	Write 2 applications of mobility automation.	2 Marks	L1	C03
6.	Explain the USA principle used in Automation.	2 Marks	L1	C03
7.	Explain any 2 tools of automation.	2 Marks	L1	C03
8.	Explain 2 categories of flexible manufacturing system.	2 Marks	L1	C04
9.	Explain System flexibilities.	2 Marks	L1	C04
10.	Write any 3 functions of computer control system of flexible manufacturing system.	2 Marks	L1	C04

Part B

Answer the Questions.

Total Marks 80M

11.	a.	List all the robots configurations and explain about Cartesian configuration with neat sketch and applications for the same. [10M]	10 Marks	L2	CO 1
	b.	List all types of grippers used in robots and explain the working of any four grippers. [10M]	10 Marks	L2	CO 1
Or					
12.	a.	What is work volume with respect to robots. List and explain what are the factors which affect the size and shape of work volume for a given robot. [10M]	10 Marks	L2	CO 1
	b.	Explain about all the manipulator joints used in robots with proper sketch along with notations used for representation. [10M]	10 Marks	L2	CO 1
Or					
13.	a.	Explain in detail about all the functions of robotic vision system. [10M]	10 Marks	L2	CO 2
	b.	A type of proximity sensor which is used to detect metallic objects and detect magnetic losses due to eddy current that are generated on a conductive surface by an external magnetic field. Identify the type of sensor and explain with suitable diagram. [10M]	10 Marks	L2	CO 2
Or					
14.	a.	A Robotic engineer is planning to measure distance between object and robot by using sound as medium, suggest him what sensor should he use and explain the working principle for the same with neat sketch. [10M]	10 Marks	L2	CO 2
	b.	Along with neat sketch, explain the working of robotic vision system or machine vision system with all the components of it. [10M]	10 Marks	L2	CO 2
Or					
15.	List all the types of Automation and explain in detail any two of the Automations with neat diagrams.		20 Marks	L2	CO 3
Or					
16.	Explain how automation has evolved over the years. [10M] Also explain the applications of automation in various industries along with 3 advantages of it. [10M]		20 Marks	L2	CO 3
Or					
17.	Explain all types of Flexible Manufacturing Systems with neat Sketch. [15M] Write any 5 applications of flexible manufacturing system. [5M]		20 Marks	L2	CO 4
Or					
18.	With suitable diagrams, List and Explain different types of flexible manufacturing system layouts.		20 Marks	L2	CO 4