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SEMESTER - V

CORE - V ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM

UNIT I

Principle of a capacitor - energy stored in a capacitor - energy density - change in energy due to dielectric slab - force of attraction between plates of a charged capacitor - capacitance of a spherical and cylindrical capacitors - types of capacitors - quadrant electrometer - measurement of potential, ionization current and dielectric constant.

UNIT II

Carey-Foster Bridge - theory - temperature coefficient of resistance - potentiometer - calibration of ammeter and high range voltmeter - thermoelectricity - laws of thermo e.m.f., intermediate metals, intermediate temperature - measurement of thermo e.m.f. using potentiometer-Peltier effect and Peltier coefficient – Thomson effect and Thomson coefficient – relation between π and σ – thermo electric diagrams and its uses.

UNIT III

Magnetic induction due to a straight conductor carrying current - magnetic induction on the axis of a solenoid - moving coil ballistic galvanometer - damping correction - determination of absolute capacity of a condenser – self – inductance by Anderson's Bridge method – experimental determination of mutual inductance-coefficient of coupling.

UNITIV

Transient current - growth and decay of current in a circuit containing resistance and inductance growth and decay of charge in a circuit containing resistance and capacitance - measurement of high resistance by leakage - growth and decay of charge in a LCR circuit - condition for the discharge to be oscillatory - frequency of oscillation.

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Alternating current - peak, average and RMS value of current and voltage - form factor - ac circuit containing resistance and inductance - choke coil - ac circuit containing resistance and capacitance series and parallel resonance circuits -Q factor - power in an ac circuit containing LCR - Wattless current - Transformer - construction, theory and uses - energy loss - skin effect.

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- 1. D. N. Vasudeva, Electricity and Magnetism, S. Chand & Co, New Delhi (2016)
- K. K. Tewari, Electricity and Magnetism, S. Chand & Co, New Delhi (2016)
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