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Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Jan./Feb. 2021 Nanoelectronics

Time: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- a. State Moore's law. Apply the same to explain the continued miniaturization seen in the field of electronics. (10 Marks)
 - b. Distinguish the top down and bottom up approach for fabrication of Nanostructures.

(10 Marks)

OR

2 Explain in detail Electrical, Magnetic, Optical thermal and mechanical properties of nanostructure material. (20 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Mention three methods available in transformation on object to an image with neat sketch. (10 Marks)
 - b. Discuss the diffraction techniques insight into the crystallography of a materials, structure of a sample system. (10 Marks)

OR

4 Make short note on: i) Field ion microscopy ii) Scanning tunneling microscopy. (20 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Give an account of quantum hall effect and Resonant tunneling. (10 Marks)
 - b. Discuss the characteristics of Semiconductor Nanostructures.

(10 Marks)

- 6 a. List the main requirement an ideal Semiconductor nanostructure in fabrication techniques.
 (10 Marks)

OR

b. Write a short note on: i) Modulation doping ii) Ballistic carrier transport. (10 Marks)

Module-4

7 a. Describe different types of carbon nanostructures.

(08 Marks)

b. Explain the different fabrication method to make carbon nanotubes with neat sketch.

(12 Marks)

OR

8 a. Discuss the applications of carbon Nanotubes.

(12 Marks)

b. Explain the concept of superconductivity in C_{60} .

(08 Marks)

Module-5

9 a. Write a note on injection laser and its applications.

(10 Marks)

b. Give an example of Nano Sensors based on quantum size effects.

(10 Marks)

OR

10 a. Describe briefly Electrochemical sensors with an example.

(10 Marks)

b. Explain the working principle of Quantum cascade lasers with a neat sketch.

(10 Marks)

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