



B.E DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: APRIL / MAY 2023

(Regulation 2018)

Sixth Semester

ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING

U18EEE0009: Automotive Electronics

COURSE OUTCOMES

- CO1:** Gain the knowledge on electrical and electronics systems available in modern automobiles.
- CO2:** Understand the role of Electronics Control Unit in modern automobiles.
- CO3:** Outline the various stages of Integrated development environment to design an embedded system.
- CO4:** Understand the internals of various embedded system design to ensure occupant's safety and comfort.
- CO5:** Comprehend the fundamentals of vehicle communication protocols.

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

**Answer all the Questions:-
PART A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)
(Answer not more than 40 words)**

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| 1. Summarize the importance of spark plugs in an automobile. | CO1 [K ₂] |
| 2. Outline the factors to be considered in selecting battery for an automobile. | CO1 [K ₂] |
| 3. Infer how emissions are controlled in automobiles. | CO2 [K ₂] |
| 4. Illustrate the working of generic electronic engine control system. | CO2 [K ₂] |
| 5. Outline the steps involved in software development cycle. | CO3 [K ₂] |
| 6. Compare interpreter and compiler. | CO3 [K ₂] |
| 7. Mention the purpose of Lambda sensor. | CO4 [K ₁] |
| 8. State the safety aspects in modern automobiles. | CO4 [K ₁] |
| 9. Draw the block diagram of I ² C protocol. | CO5 [K ₂] |
| 10. List the features of LIN protocol. | CO5 [K ₁] |

Answer any FIVE Questions:-
PART B (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)
(Answer not more than 400 words)

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| 11. | a) | Explain the starting system of an automobile with a neat diagram. | 10 | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| | b) | Summarize the importance of voltage regulators and charging system. | 6 | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 12. | a) | Illustrate electronic ignition system configuration with its block diagram. | 8 | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| | b) | Explain the powertrain subsystem of an automobile. | 8 | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 13. | a) | Write a short note on the various stages of Integrated Development Environment to design an embedded system. | 6 | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| | b) | Illustrate the simple and sophisticated target system of IDE with neat diagrams. | 10 | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| 14. | | Classify and explain any four sensors available in engine management system. | 16 | CO4 | [K ₂] |
| 15. | | Explain the architecture and frame format of CAN protocol in detail. | 16 | CO5 | [K ₂] |
| 16. | | Discuss the functionalities of various components in an infotainment system. | 16 | CO4 | [K ₂] |
