



**B.E DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: APRIL /MAY 2024**

(Regulation 2018)

Sixth Semester

**MECHATRONICS ENGINEERING**

U18MCE0003: Micro Electromechanical Systems

**COURSE OUTCOMES**

- CO1: Explain the evolution of micro and smart system.  
 CO2: Illustrate about various sensors and actuating system.  
 CO3: Classify the Micro machining techniques in MEMS  
 CO4: Evaluate a proper scaling method.  
 CO5: Determine packaging techniques in MEMS and smart system.  
 CO6 Discuss various applications of MEMS.

**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. How a mems act as a micro actuator?  | CO1 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 2. Draw the block diagram of intelligent microsystems.  | CO1 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 3. Discuss how actuation is done using thermal forces   | CO2 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 4. List the technical issues involved in the application of MEMS in biomedicine                           | CO6 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 5. Differentiate positive resist and negative resist in photolithography process                          | CO2 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 6. Define epitaxy process   | CO4 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 7. Discuss how scaling is done in geometry compare an surface to volume ratio of elephant and a dragonfly | CO3 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 8. Mention the process of thin film production for microsystems.  | CO3 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 9. Write the mathematical modelling of capillary electrophoresis network systems                          | CO6 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 10. List the advantages of 3D packaging of MEMS and microsystems  | CO5 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |

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

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| 11. | a) | Compare in brief Microelectronics and microsystems.   | 8  | CO1 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
|     | b) | List the application in health care industry and brief the disposable blood pressure transducer and intrauterine pressure sensor. | 8  | CO1 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 12. |    | Brief about the working principle of Biosensor, Biomedical sensor and thermal sensor with neat sketch.                            | 16 | CO2 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 13. |    | Explain with neat sketch oxidation process in microfabrication process.   | 16 | CO3 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 14. |    | Explain in detail the scaling in fluid mechanics and scaling in heat transfer   | 16 | CO4 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 15. |    | Brief about the various interfaces problem associated with microsystems packaging.  | 16 | CO5 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |
| 16. |    | Describe the application of MEMS in automotive industry   | 16 | CO6 | [K <sub>2</sub> ] |

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