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6th Semester Regular/ Back Examination: 2022-23

SUBJECT: Micro Electronic Mechanical Systems

BRANCH(S): AEIE,ECE,ETC

Time : 3 Hour

Max Marks : 100

Q.Code : M319

Answer Question No.1 (Part-1) which is compulsory, any eight from Part-II and any two from Part-III.

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

Part-I

Q1 Answer the following questions: (2 x 10)

- What do you mean by RE consumption?
- Illustrate the difference between isotropic and anisotropic wet etching techniques.
- Write various applications of smart materials and microsystems.
- What do you understand by impurity doping?
- Enlist RF-MEMS advantages over the traditional non-MEMS based RF devices.
- Briefly explain the advantages and typical applications of micro actuators.
- How many basic elements exist in case of a thermal system?
- What do you mean by capacitive coupling in MEMS switches?
- What is a phase shifter? Enlist the applications of phase shifters.
- What do you understand from System-in-a-Chip (SOC) technology?

Part-II

Q2 Only Focused-Short Answer Type Questions- (Answer Any Eight out of Twelve) (6 x 8)

- Define machining and micromachining processes of MEMS devices.
- Briefly discuss the advantages of plasma etching over the wet etching.
- Describe in detail the process of photolithography and two types of photoresists by using suitable schematic diagram.
- What do you understand from microfluidic system? Enlist important building blocks of microfluidic systems.
- Illustrate the process of the Deep Reaction Ion Etching (DRIE) with neat diagram.
- Define the term spring, damper and mass of an elemental mechanical system.
- What do you mean by piezomechanics? How does it differ from piezoelectricity?
- Discuss in detail about different actuation mechanisms in MEMS switches.
- Explain the working principle of capacitive accelerometer with neat diagram.
- How does an MEMS gyroscope work? Define coriolis force and coriolis acceleration.
- What do you mean by a wafer? What kind of material is commonly used for wafer? Enlist various wafers for different applications.
- Discuss the principle of operation of the following mechanical MEMS elements. (a) Beam and cantilever (b) Diaphragm

Part-III

Only Long Answer Type Questions (Answer Any Two out of Four)

- Q3** a) Discuss in detail the need of the actuators and the type of the actuators typically used for the active optical MEMS applications using suitable diagrams. **(8x2)**
- b) Enlist the functional units of a typical PECVD system and explain the functions of each unit using neat sketches.
- Q4** a) How many basic elements exist in case of a Fluid system? Define fluid resistance and fluid capacitance. **(8x2)**
- b) Write the gauss law and coulombs law of electrostatics field in RF switch with necessary equations. Draw the Electric potential and field curves for the RF switch geometry.
- Q5** a) Describe the Young's modulus (E), Bulk modulus (K), Shear modulus (G) and Poisson's ratio and discuss about their relationship. **(8x2)**
- b) Explain in detail about the basic modeling elements of a mechanical elements with necessary equations and diagrams.
- Q6** How can continuous fluid flow be achieved by using a micropump? What are the important parts of a typical micropump? Draw the schematic diagram of a diaphragm based micropump and explain its principle of operation. **(16)**