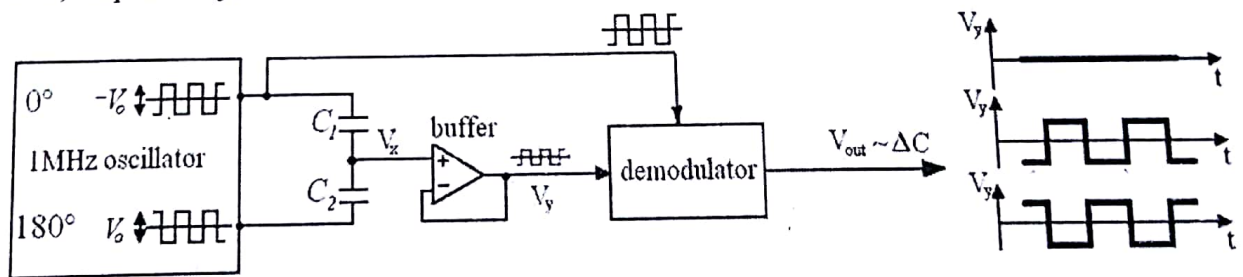


1. Number of turns in two coils, made of same material, are 100 and 500 respectively. Calculate the ratio of their self-inductances if geometric form factor of first coil is three times the second coil. 2
2. What is null position in LVDT displacement sensor? How does its o/p voltage vary with upward and downward displacement of the core, explain using necessary diagram? 4
3. a. Illustrate the o/p behaviour of an optical potentiometer (V_o/V_{ref} vs. x/L) at R_C/R_P value of 0.1. 3
b. Calculate the % error in the rate of flow in a pipe with diameter $100\text{mm} \pm 1\%$ and velocity $1\text{m/s} \pm 3\%$. 2
4. Graphically highlight the o/p behaviour of Thermocouple, RTD & Thermistor with change in temperature. 3
5. Derive the relation between the output voltage and change in the resistance when strain gage is fixed in one of the arms of the Wheatstone bridge. [Make standard assumptions]. 4
6. Calculate the change in the temperature of an electric oven if its thermistor has a resistance of 1800Ω at 70°C and the rheostat need to be set at 1500Ω to obtain the balanced condition. [Resistance-temperature coefficient of thermistor is $-0.05/^\circ\text{C}$] 4
7. a. Calculate the thermocouple sensitivity of a device that uses alloy 1 and 2 with sensitivities $-72\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$ and $500\mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$. 2
b. A thermocouple circuit gives an emf 33.3mV at 800°C with reference temperature 0°C . The resistance of the meter coil is 50Ω and a current of 0.1mA gives full scale deflection. Resistance of junctions and leads is 12Ω . Assuming full scale deflection at 800°C , calculate the value of the series resistance and approximate error in temperature due to rise of 1Ω in R_c . 4
c. A platinum thermometer has a resistance of 100Ω at 25°C . Find its resistance at 65°C if the resistance temperature coefficient of platinum is $0.00392/^\circ\text{C}$. 3
8. a. Explain the working principle of MEMS based accelerometer using suitable diagram. 4
b. How does its output voltage vary with the proof mass displacement and driving voltage V_0 . 2
c. The below circuit measures the acceleration a through capacitor changes. Variation of V_y for $a=0$, $a>0$ and $a<0$, respectively, are shown below. Draw the corresponding o/p voltages V_{out} 3



9. a. Explain the working principle of Fiber Bragg Grating (FBG) as strain measurement sensor with the help of suitable diagram. 4
b. How does the wavelength of the FBG changes with strain and temperature? 2
c. If the fiber is fixed at a single point sufficiently apart from the Bragg grating, how does it behave? 2
10. Explain the operating principle of RVDT for angular displacement measurement. Write down the relationship between the induced voltages of the secondary windings and angle of the rotor. 6
11. Explain the working principle of piezo-electric and piezo-resistive accelerometers. Also write down two limitations for each of them. 6