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Maximum: 100 Marks

PART A - (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

1. A robot arm that moves along three independent axes, each of which is straight and perpendicular to the other two, employs \_\_\_\_\_ CO1- R
  - (a) Revolute geometry
  - (b) Spherical coordinate geometry
  - (c) Cartesian coordinate geometry
  - (d) Cylindrical coordinate geometry
  
2. Spherical coordinates can uniquely define the position of a point in up to \_\_\_\_\_ CO1- R
  - (a) One dimension
  - (b) Two dimensions
  - (c) Three dimensions
  - (d) Four dimensions
  
3. The problem with electric drive is/are \_\_\_\_\_ CO2 -R
  - (a) Low stiffness
  - (b) Increased backlash, cost and weight
  - (c) Motor needs braking devices
  - (d) Need stiffness and braking devices, increased backlash, cost and weight.

4. Frame grabber is used to CO2- R  
 (a) archive the image (b) segment the image  
 (c) process the image (d) capture and store the image
5. Magnetic gripper is used only for \_\_\_\_\_ materials CO3- R  
 (a) Stainless steel (b) Non-ferrous (c) Ferrous (d) Plastic
6. End effectors can be classified into two categories which are \_\_\_\_\_ CO3 -R  
 (a) Elbows and wrists (b) Grippers and end of arm tooling  
 (c) Grippers and wrists (d) End of arm tooling and elbows
7. Physical structure of robot which moves around, is called \_\_\_\_\_ CO4- R  
 (a) Link (b) Manipulator (c) Joints (d) End-effector
8. Identify which of the following statements is *not* true in the case of CO4- R  
 inverse kinematics problem, it is much more complex because  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (a) The equation to be solved are in general nonlinear in joint variables  
 (b) Multiple solutions may exist  
 (c) There might be no admissible solutions  
 (d) Unique solution may exist
9. Selective Compliance Assembly Robot Arm (SCARA) robot is very CO5- R  
 suitable in \_\_\_\_\_ kind of operations.  
 (a) Single Operations (b) Assembly Operations  
 (c) Translatory Operations (d) Rotary Operations
10. \_\_\_\_\_ type of robot control used in spot-welding applications. CO5- R  
 (a) Point to point (b) Sequential (c) End point (d) Continuous path

PART – B (5 x 2= 10Marks)

11. Recall the three laws of Robotics stated by Asimov. CO1- R
12. Indicate the advantages of the electric drives. CO2- R
13. Classify the grippers used in robotic manipulator. CO3- R
14. Identify the features / capabilities of second generation robot languages. CO4- R
15. List the design considerations for the implementation of robot to perform a task in industry. CO5- R

PART – C (5 x 16= 80Marks)

16. (a) Explain about any four configurations of robots. CO1- App (16)  
Or  
(b) Differentiate between the various generations of robots. CO1 -App (16)
17. (a) Execute how the proximity and range sensors can be built using CO2 -App (16)  
(i) Optical devices  
(ii) Acoustical devices  
Or  
(b) Differentiate between hydraulic and pneumatic actuator based on working principle and components. CO2- Ana (16)
18. (a) Analyze the working principle of magnetic and vacuum cup grippers. CO3 -Ana (16)  
Or  
(b) Derive the forward kinematics equation using the homogenous transformation for the three link planar (3R) manipulator. CO3 -Ana (16)

19. (a) Explain the different types of programming language used in robotics. CO4- U (16)

Or

- (b) Determine the manipulator Jacobian for the 3-DOF articulated arm. CO4 -Ana (16)

20. (a) Explain the any two applications of robots in manufacturing processes. CO5- U (16)

Or

- (b) Explain the any two robot work cell design configurations in robot applications. CO5- U (16)