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Question Paper Code: U3506

B.E. / B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024

Professional Elective

Electrical and Electronics Engineering

21UEEV506 PLC AND SCADA APPLICATIONS

(Regulations 2021)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer All Questions

PART A - (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

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| 1. Define PLC and briefly explain its function in industrial automation | CO1- U |
| 2. How are on-off outputs programmed in PLCs | CO1- U |
| 3. Explain the function of skip and MCR functions in PLC programming | CO1- U |
| 4. Define a proximity sensor and explain its application in industrial settings | CO1- U |
| 5. Explain the role of SCADA in managing energy within a facility | CO1- U |
| 6. What is the purpose of a data acquisition system in SCADA. | CO1- U |
| 7. What are registers, and what is their significance in PLC programming. | CO1- U |
| 8. What is the function of a latch instruction in PLC programming. | CO1- U |
| 9. Give an example of a monitoring function performed by SCADA systems. | CO1- U |
| 10. How can SCADA systems help in making real-time decisions? | CO1- U |

PART – B (5 x 16= 80 Marks)

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| 11. (a) Elucidate the architecture of the PLC in detail | CO1- U | (16) |
| Or | | |
| (b) Discuss timer and counter functions in PLC programming, including their applications in controlling time-based and count-based processes respectively. | CO1- U | (16) |
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| 12. (a) Explain PLC trouble shooting, maintenance and Installation in detail. | CO1-U | (16) |
| Or | | |
| (b) Model a ladder diagram using up-counter and its function with example. Also explain the sequence of operation. | CO1-U | (16) |

13. (a) Draw and explain SCADA architecture in detail. CO1- U (16)
- (b) Design a SCADA server for any one application of your own with communication networking. CO1- U (16)
14. (a) Develop a PLC Ladder network for Motor control logic. with proper explanations CO2 -App (16)
- (i) on delay timer (delay time of 5 sec)
- (ii) off delay timer (delay time of 2 sec)
- Or
- (b) Develop a PLC program for Motor control in Ladder logic. CO2 App (16)
15. (a) Discuss the role of data acquisition systems in SCADA environments, highlighting their importance in collecting real-time data from sensors, meters, and control devices distributed across industrial facilities or infrastructure networks. CO2- App (16)
- Or
- (b) Explain how data acquisition systems contribute to the monitoring and control of critical parameters within industrial processes or infrastructure systems, and discuss the challenges associated with ensuring data integrity, accuracy, and reliability in SCADA environments. CO2- App (16)