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**Electrical Engineering Department** 

Postgraduate-Master of science

Final Term Exam



Subject/Code: Electrical Materials/ELE 608

Year: 2013-2014

Time Allowed: 3 hours Exam Date : 14 / 1 / 2014

Total Marks: 100 marks

Allowed Tables and Charts: (None)

## Answer the following questions

Question (1)

(25 Marks)

- (1.a) Define: Conductivity Resistivity Semiconductor materials
- (1.b) Discuss the factors that must be considered for selecting electrical material.
- (1.c) A coil is made of copper wire, at a temperature of 20 °C the resistance of the coil is 400 Ω. Calculate the resistance of the coil at a temperature of 80 °C. Take the temperature coefficient of copper as 0.0033 Ω per °C at 0 °C.

Question (2)

(25 Marks)

- (2.a) Explain the classification of conducting materials.
- (2.b) Discuss the factors that effect on the resistance of semiconductor materials.
- (2.c) What is the applications of semiconducting materials and discuss one of them?
- (2.d) Compare between the Dia, Para and Ferro magnetic materials.

Question (3)

(25 Marks)

- (3-a) What are the insulation resistance, dielectric strength, and dielectric loss and discuss the factors that effect on them?
- (3-b) Write short notes on:

Solubility - chemical resistance - mechanical strength - porosity

(3-d) Mention the general properties and the field of applications of the following insulating materials.

Teflon - Polyethylene - Mica - Porcelain - Sulfur hexafluoride (SF6)

Ouestion (4)

(25 Marks)

- (4-a) Explain briefly the thermal breakdown of solid dielectrics.
- (4-b) Discuss the short-term and long-term breakdown in composite dielectrics.
- (4-c) What is polymer nanocomposite and give its constituents? Describe the importance of nanocomposites in electrical insulator.

Good Luck ......Dr. Hala S. Elsayed

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Skills	Knowledge & Understanding Skills				Intellectual Skills			Professional Skills			
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