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## PSG POLYTECHNIC COLLEGE, COIMBATORE - 641 004 DIPLOMA ODD SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS – NOV 2014 B12502 AUTOMOBILE ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Time: 3 Hours Max.Marks: 100

## **Instructions:**

- 1. **Group A** and **Group B** questions should be answered in the Main Answer book.
- 2. Answer any **TEN** questions in **Group A**. Each question carries three marks.
- 3. Answer <u>ALL</u> questions either (a) subdivision or (b) subdivision in **Group B**. Each question carries 14 marks.

Group – A Marks: 10 x3=30

- 1. What are the purposes of battery in an automobile?
- 2. List out the methods used to charge the battery.
- 3. Write the cause and remedies of sulphation in battery.
- 4. What is the principle of generator?
- 5. Enumerate the advantages of Alternator over D.C.Generator.
- 6. What is meant by compensated voltage regulator?
- 7. Explain the need of drive mechanism in a staring motor.
- 8. Why starter motor need solenoid switch?
- 9. List the types of driving mechanism used in a starter motor.
- 10. Explain the function of ignition coil with sketch.
- 11. Describe contact breaker point mechanism.
- 12. List the types of spark plug and state its function.
- 13. Discuss the purpose of lighting system in an automobile.
- 14. Write short notes on horn tuning.
- 15. What is meant by (i) Dip switch (ii) single pole (iii) Circuit Breakers

Group- B Marks:  $5 \times 14 = 70$ 

- 16. (a) Explain Lead acid battery construction and the component details with sketch. (OR)
  - (b) What are the methods used to test a battery? Explain them with simple sketch.
- 17. (a) Enumerate the construction and working principle of an alternator with sketch. (OR)
  - (b) Draw a neat circuit diagram and explain the working principle of Compensated voltage regulator.
- 18. (a) Describe the construction and working principle of Starting motor with a neat sketch. (OR)
  - (b) Explain the construction and working of Bendix drive mechanism with a neat sketch.

- 19. (a) Describe the working principal of battery coil ignition system with a neat circuit. (OR)
  - (b) With a neat circuit diagram and explain the electronic ignition system.
- 20. (a) Briefly explain the electric horn circuit with horn relay.

(OR)

- (b) Explain the following with neat circuit.
  - (i) Fuel gauge
  - (7) (7) (ii) Oil pressure gauge.