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APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
SEVENTH SEMESTER B.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2018

Course Code: MR401

Course Name: ADVANCED AUTOMATION SYSTEMS

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

PART A

Answer all questions, each carries 5 marks.

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| 1 | Write down the limitations of manufacturing plants | (5) |
| 2 | Write a short note on discrete control system? | (5) |
| 3 | Explain type 3 product variety with example? | (5) |
| 4 | Briefly explain cellular manufacturing | (5) |
| 5 | Define machine vision? List the benefits of machine vision? | (5) |
| 6 | Describe about contact inspection techniques | (5) |
| 7 | Briefly describe flexible manufacturing system | (5) |
| 8 | List out the functions of material handling and storage systems in an FMS | (5) |

PART B

Answer any three full questions, each carries 10 marks.

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| 9 | Distinguish between continuous and batch production in process and discrete manufacturing industries? | (10) |
| 10 | Define automation? Explain the different advanced automation functions in detail. | (10) |
| 11 | a) Briefly explain material handling system. | (5) |
| | b) Briefly explain computer control system. | (5) |
| 12 | Explain group technology? list the application of group technology. | (10) |
| 13 | Explain components of a manufacturing system and explain each component briefly. | (10) |

PART C

Answer any two full questions, each carries 15 marks.

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| 14 | a) Define measurement, metrology, accuracy and precision with neat sketches | (8) |
| | b) Explain about any two types of optical inspection method | (7) |
| 15 | Describe about image acquisition and digitalization, image processing and analysis and interpretation. | (15) |
| 16 | Discuss the influence of agile manufacturing in product design, marketing and production operation. | (15) |
| 17 | a) Define FMS | (5) |
| | b) Describe about the types of flexible manufacturing systems and mentioned its features | (10) |
