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2025_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: PHY405
COURSE TITLE: ELECTRONICS III
CREDIT UNIT: 3
TIME ALLOWED: (3 HRS)
INSTRUCTION: *Answer question 1 and any other three questions*

Question 1

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| i. | Can 5673 be an octal number | 3marks |
| ii. | Divide 111001.00 by 1100 | 3marks |
| iii. | Convert the following decimal to binary 527, 327, 73 | 6marks |
| iv. | Using logic gate design $Y = (A+B)C$ and $Y = AB + CD$ | 6marks |
| v. | Design the XOR truth table | 2marks |
| vi. | State the functions of the Cathode ray oscilloscope | 5marks |

Question 2

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| i. | What are counters? | 4marks |
| ii. | Design a shift left to register and show the clock trigger output | 5marks |
| iii. | Draw the logic circuit for the original and simplified expression $Y = ABC + BC + AD$. | 6marks |

Question 3

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| i. | What is an Analog Digital Converter (ADC)? | 4marks |
| ii. | Draw a perfect labeled block diagram of a Digital Analog Converter (DAC) | 5marks |
| iii. | A 5-bit DAC produces 0.5V for 00001, find V_{out} for 11010. | 6marks |

Question 4

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| i. | List 6 major subsystems of an oscilloscope | 3marks |
| ii. | Sketch and label a cathode ray oscilloscope | 6marks |
| iii. | Draw the circuit diagram of the differential amplifier type of electronic voltmeter and briefly explain its operation | 6marks |

Question 5

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| i. | What is ROM? | 2marks |
| ii. | Using a 16 by 8-bit memory describe the memory operations step by step | 6marks |
| iii. | Design a Mod 5 counter | 7marks |

Question 6

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| i. | What is the Mod number of a counter? | 3marks |
| ii. | Describe a ring counter | 6marks |
| i. | Draw a decade counter and tabulate its output with a negative transition clock | 6marks |