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## **RADIO AND TELEVISION THEORY N1**

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**09:00–12:00**

**Scientific calculators and drawing instruments may be used.**

**This question paper consists of 5 pages and 1 formula sheet.**

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TIME: 3 HOURS  
MARKS: 100

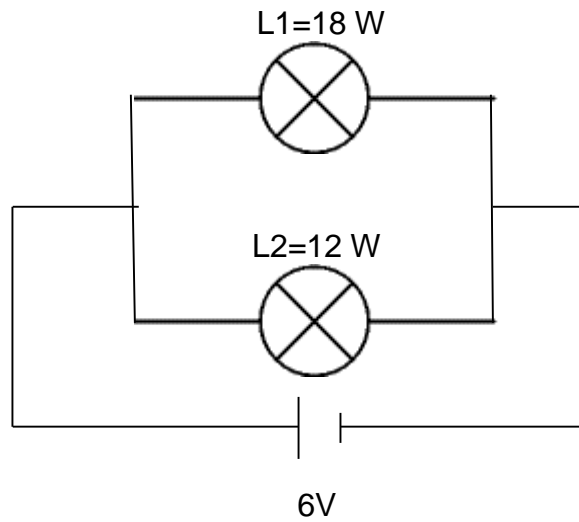
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**INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION**

1. Answer all the questions.
  2. Read all the questions carefully.
  3. Subsections of questions may NOT be separated.
  4. Number the answers according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
  5. Sketches must be neat and fully labelled.
  6. Write neatly and legibly.
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**QUESTION 1****FIGURE 1**

Refer to FIGURE 1 above and calculate the following:

- 1.1 The current of L1
- 1.2 The current of L2
- 1.3 The total current of the circuit
- 1.4 The resistance of lamp L1
- 1.5 The resistance of lamp L2

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**QUESTION 2**

Define the following terms:

- 2.1 Cycle (2)
- 2.2 Period (2)
- 2.3 Bandwidth (2)
- 2.4 Frequency (2)
- 2.5 Wavelength (3)

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**QUESTION 3**

3.1 State THREE factors that influence the capacity of a capacitor.

3.2 State THREE factors that influence the resistance of a conductor.

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**[6]****QUESTION 4**

Choose an item from COLUMN B that matches a description in COLUMN A. Write only the letter (A–K) next to the question number (4.1–4.10) in the ANSWER BOOK.

| COLUMN A |                       | COLUMN B |                       |
|----------|-----------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| 4.1      | Tuner                 | A        | 15625                 |
| 4.2      | Video amp             | B        | 50 Hz                 |
| 4.3      | Vertical hold         | C        | frame                 |
| 4.4      | LOPT                  | D        | green, yellow and red |
| 4.5      | Interlaced            | E        | deformation           |
| 4.6      | Pincushion            | F        | scanning              |
| 4.7      | Phosphor dots         | G        | EHT                   |
| 4.8      | Picture               | H        | deflection            |
| 4.9      | Field oscillator      | I        | luminance amp         |
| 4.10     | Horizontal oscillator | J        | front end             |
|          |                       | K        | shadow mask           |

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**[10]****QUESTION 5**

Make a neat, labelled sketch which shows an AM modulation transmission process.

**[7]****QUESTION 6**

State FIVE basic elements of a black and white television.

**[5]****QUESTION 7**

Draw a neat, labelled block diagram of the basic AGC of a black and white television.

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**QUESTION 8**

Define the following television-receiver stages:

- 8.1 AGC
- 8.2 Video amp
- 8.3 Tuner
- 8.4 Sync separator
- 8.5 The line oscillator



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**QUESTION 9**

Write the following abbreviations in full.

- 9.1 IF
- 9.2 DC
- 9.3 AF
- 9.4 RF
- 9.5 RMS

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**QUESTION 10**

Make a neat, labelled sketch of the CRT of an oscilloscope.

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**QUESTION 11**

List EIGHT controls on an oscilloscope.

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**QUESTION 12**

Make a neat, labelled sketch showing a graphical production of a sine wave by rotating coil in a magnetic field.

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**RADIO AND TELEVISION THEORY N1****FORMULA SHEET**

$$V = 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$m\% = \frac{A-B}{A+B} \times \frac{100}{1}$$

$$R_T = R_1 + R_2 + \dots + R_N$$

$$e = E_M \sin 2\pi ft$$

$$P = V \times I$$

$$\text{emf} = b/v$$

$$V = \frac{P}{I}$$

$$I = \sqrt{\frac{P}{R}}$$

$$F = \frac{1}{T}$$

$$c = r \times t$$

$$I = \frac{E}{R+r}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{V}{f}$$

$$P = I^2 R$$

$$I = I_M \sin 2\pi ft$$

$$R = \frac{P}{I^2}$$

$$V = I \times R$$

$$R = \frac{V^2}{P}$$

$$\frac{1}{R_T} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{R_N}$$