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## Second Year MASLP Degree Examinations, October 2013

### **Hearing Devices**

Time : 3 hrs

**Essays:** 

#### • Answer all questions

# 1. Describe the fundamentals of digital signal processing (DSP). Mention the advantages of a digital hearing aid. (16)

2. Explain how you will carry out the electro acoustic characteristics of nonlinear hearing aids. Mention briefly about the national and international standards.

(8+8=16)

- What is the function of an assistive listening device (ALD). Mention about the types of ALDS. (16)
- 4. Describe in detail about the types and features of cochlear implants (16)

#### Short notes:

- 5. Middle ear implants
- 6. Tinnitus maskers
- 7. Noise reduction in microphones
- 8. Assessment for brainstem implant

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Max marks: 80

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