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DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS
ENGINEERING

POWERAI

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Objective

- Integrate AI/ML with electrical systems
- Solve real-world power & energy problems
- Promote innovation, coding, and system design skills

Team Details

Team size: 2-4 members

Open to: EEE, ECE, MCT, R&A, BME.

Coding + Electrical knowledge preferred

Duration - 1 Hours Hackathon

Problem Tracks (Participants choose one)

1. Smart Grid Intelligence

- Load forecasting using AI
- Fault detection in transmission lines
- Demand-side energy management

2. Electric Vehicle Intelligence

- Battery State of Charge (SOC) prediction
- AI-based Battery Management System (BMS)
- EV charging optimization

3. Renewable Energy Optimization

- Solar power prediction using MI
- Wind energy forecasting
- Hybrid renewable system optimization

4. Industrial Automation

- Predictive maintenance of motors
- Fault diagnosis in transformers
- Smart PLC automation using AI

5. Smart Energy IoT Systems

- Smart home energy management
- IoT-based load monitoring
- Energy theft detection

HACKTHON ROUND

Round 1: Idea Pitch

- Problem statement
- Proposed AI solution
- Expected outcome

Shortlisting based on innovation & clarity

Round 2: Development Phase

Participants must build:

- AI model (MATLAB)
- Simulation / hardware (optional)
- Dataset processing

Tools allowed:

- MATLAB/ Simulink

Round 3: Final Demo & Presentation

- Live demo/ working model(Optional)
- Results & accuracy
- Real-world application

Winning Criteria

- Innovation & Problem Clarity
- Accuracy & Performance of the AI Model
- Working Model/Live Demo Impact
- Presentation Quality & Team Dynamic

ELECTRO DRIVE

Faculty Coordinator; Mr.R.Satheehkumar,AP/EEE	Student Coordinator: K.Sakthivel IV Year /EEE
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Event Overview

A challenging and interactive technical event where participants solve MATLAB-based problems, coding challenges, and logical puzzles to progress through multiple levels and reach the final challenge

Objective

- Test MATLAB programming and problem-solving skills
- Improve logical thinking and algorithmic approach
- Develop familiarity with MATLAB commands and functions
- Encourage teamwork, time management and technical creativity

Team Details

- Team size: 1 member
- Open to all
departments
Duration-60
minutes

Event Format

Participants move through multiple levels, with each successfully solved challenge unlocking the next level.

Round 1: MATLAB Basics

Simple MCQs /output prediction / command-based puzzles:

- MATLAB interface and basic commands
- Variables and data types
- Operators
- Vectors and matrices
- Basic mathematical functions

Correct answers reveal the first clue / next challenge.

Round 2: Circuit Drive (Electric Circuit Analysis)

Transient analysis, nodal/mesh equations, and AC resonance using MATLAB scripts.

Tasks:

- Solve RLC transient responses ($v(t)$, $i(t)$) given step/impulse inputs using differential equations or Laplace transform scripts (step, impulse, tf).
- Calculate maximum power transfer and frequency response/resonance points for a multi-mesh network.

Output values/plot features provide the password string to unlock the Round 2 Simulink source files.

Round 3: Power Matrix (Power Electronics)

DC-DC Converters, Inverters, and Harmonic/Ripple Analysis in Simulink.

Tasks:

- Bug Fix / Debugging
- PWM & Inverter Analysis

Verified steady-state output waveforms

Participants must:

- Analyze the given problem
- Develop the MATLAB solution
- Obtain the correct output

Winning Criteria

- Fastest completion time
- Number of correctly solved challenges
- Correctness of final MATLAB solution
- Team coordination and problem-solving ability

Volt Quest

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Event Overview

A thrilling problem-solving event where participants solve electrical & electronics-based clues to navigate through locations and unlock the final treasure.

Objective

- Test technical knowledge + logical thinking
- Improve team coordination & time management

- Make learning interactive and fun

Team Details

- Team size: 1 member
- Open to EEE, ECE, MCT, R&A, BME.

Duration - 60 minutes**Event Format**

Participants move through multiple levels, each unlocking the next location.

Round 1: Electrical Basics

Simple MCQs/ puzzles:

- Ohm's Law
- Circuit symbols
- Units & conversions

Correct answers reveal first clue/location

Round 2: Circuit Puzzle

- Identify output of a given circuit
- Find missing component

Answer gives next clue

Round 3: Riddle + Concept

Example:

"I reduce voltage but increase current, who am I?"

Answer: Transformer

Winning Criteria

- Fastest completion time

Number of correctly solved challenge