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## **DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING**

**COURSE NAME: 23EET206/ Measurements and Instrumentation**

**II YEAR / IV SEMESTER**

**UNIT 1- FUNDAMENTALS OF MEASUREMENT**

**Topic 2 – Types of Measurement systems**



# SUCCESSFUL STUDENT

Positive  
Attitude

Professionally  
Groomed

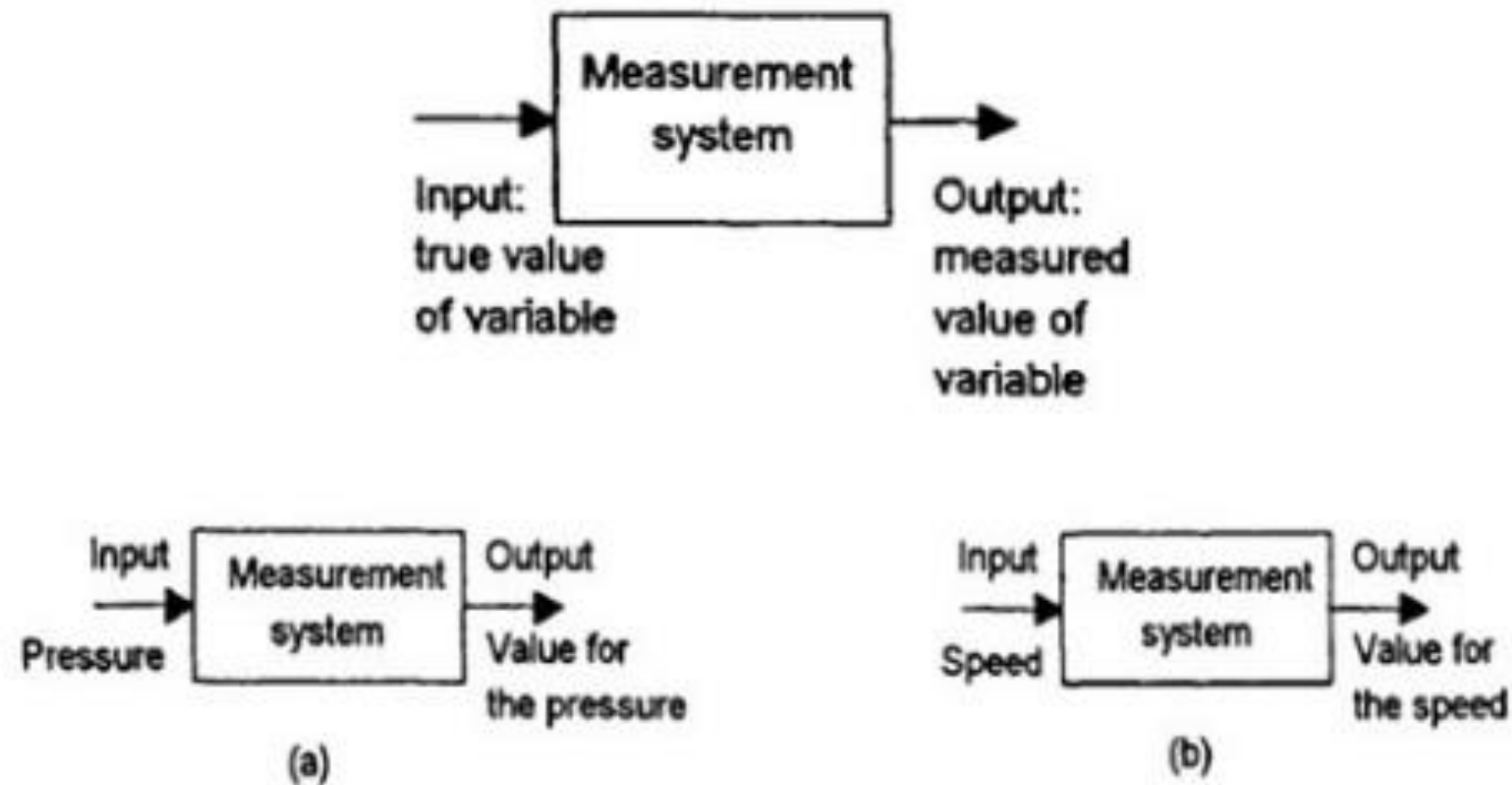
Socially  
Interactive

Technically  
Skillful



# Instrumentation Systems

An instrumentation/measurement process can be viewed as a system whose input is the true value of the variable being measured and its output is the measured value.



*Examples: (a) pressure measurement, (b) speedometer*



# The elements of an instrumentation system

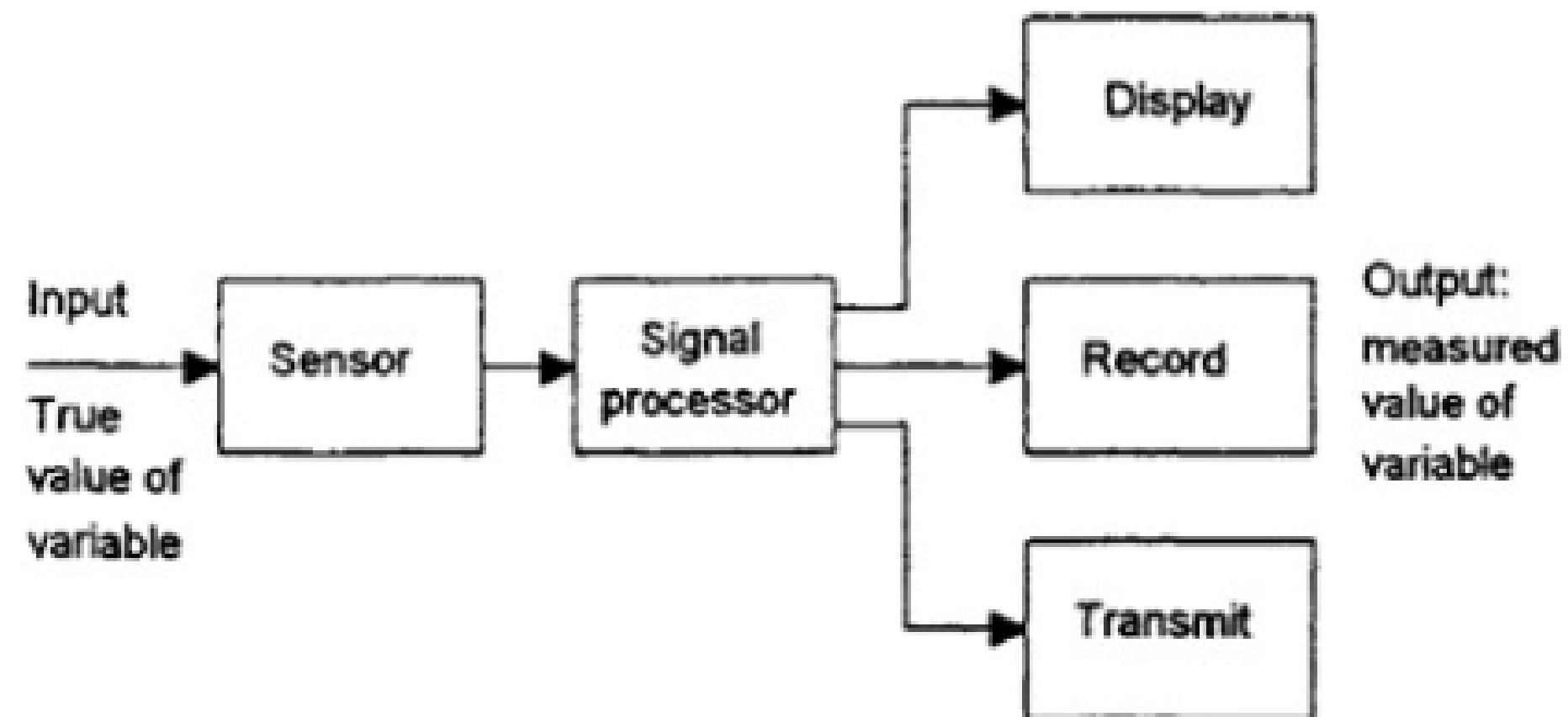


Figure 1.10 *Measurement system elements*



# Characteristics of Measurement devices

- **Static:** concerned only with the steady-state reading that the instrument settles down to, such as the accuracy of the reading etc.
- **Dynamic:** describe then transient behavior between the time a measured quantity changes value and the time when the instrument output attains a steady value in response.





# Example

A spring balance is calibrated in an environment at a temperature of  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$  and has the following deflection/load characteristic.

Load (kg)	0	1	2	3
Deflection (mm)	0	20	40	60

It is then used in an environment at a temperature of  $30^{\circ}\text{C}$  and the following deflection/load characteristic is measured

Load (kg)	0	1	2	3
Deflection (mm)	5	27	49	71

Determine the zero drift and the sensitivity drift per  $^{\circ}\text{C}$  change in ambient temperature.



# Solution

- At 20°C, deflection/load characteristic is a straight line with:  
**0 mm deflection for no load** and **Sensitivity = 20 mm/kg.**
- At 30°C, deflection/load characteristic is still a straight line with:  
**5 mm deflection for no load** and **Sensitivity = 22 mm/kg.**
- Zero drift per °C change in ambient temperature =

$$\frac{\Delta(\text{no load deflection})}{\Delta T} = \frac{5 - 0}{30 - 20} = 0.5 \text{ mm/}^\circ\text{C}$$

- Sensitivity drift per °C change in ambient temperature =

$$\frac{\Delta(\text{Sensitivity})}{\Delta T} = \frac{22 - 20}{30 - 20} = 0.2 (\text{mm/Kg}) / ^\circ\text{C}$$





# ASSESSMENT



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