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Sixth Semester, B.E. - Electronics and Communication Engineering

Semester End Examination; July / Aug. - 2022

Microwaves and Antennas

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

Course Outcomes

The Students will be able to:

CO1 – Apply the knowledge of mathematics and EM fields to understand the parameters, field due to antennas, properties of microwave devices and transmission lines.

CO2 – Analyse the working and performance of microwave transmission lines, microwave IC's and antennas Applying basic concepts of Microwave theory.

CO3 – Examine the working and performance of microwave sources, microwave transmission line and different types of antennas.

CO4 – Analyse the working and performance of microwave devices and antenna arrays.

CO5 – Design of helical, log-periodic and micro strip antennas

Note: I) PART - A is compulsory. Two marks for each question.

II) PART - B: Answer any **Two** sub questions (from a, b, c) for Maximum of **18 marks** from each unit.

Q. No.	Questions	Marks	BLs	COs	POs
I : PART - A		10			
I a.	Define; (i) Reflection coefficient (ii) Transmission coefficient of a transmission line	2	L4	CO2	PO2
b.	Distinguish between E-plane Tee and H-plane Tee.	2	L4	CO3	PO2
c.	Define Half power beam width and beam Efficiency.	2	L3	CO1	PO1
d.	Write the directivity equation for broadside array and end fire array.	2	L4	CO4	PO2
e.	Mention the 4 feeding method of Microstrip patch antennas.	2	L4	CO5	PO3
II : PART - B		90			
UNIT - I		18			
1 a.	Explain the mismatch losses in transmission lines.	9	L4	CO2	PO2
b.	A 50 ohm lossless line connects a matched signal of 100 kHz to a load of 100 ohm. The load power is 100 mW. Calculate; (i) Voltage reflection coefficient of the load (ii) VSWR of the load (iii) Position of first V_{max} and V_{min} (iv) Impedance at V_{min} and V_{max} and values of V_{max} and V_{min}	9	L4	CO2	PO2
c.	Discuss the field equations for TE and TM waves in Rectangular waveguide.	9	L4	CO2	PO2
UNIT - II		18			
2 a.	With a neat diagram, explain the working of an E-plane Tee junction, also derive its scattering matrix.	9	L4	CO3	PO2
b.	Discuss the construction and working of Precision rotary phase shifter with related equations and diagram.	9	L4	CO4	PO2

- c. What is “Transferred electron effect” in Semiconductors? Explain the TT mode LSA mode of operation of Gunn diode. 9 L4 CO3 PO2

UNIT - III**18**

- 3 a. Discuss the following terms with respect to Antenna;

(i) Radiation pattern Lobes

(ii) Directivity and Gain

(iii) Radiation Efficiency

9 L3 CO1 PO1

- b. A lossless resonant half wavelength dipole antenna with input impedance of 73 ohms, is to be connected to a transmission line whose characteristic impedance is 50 ohms. The pattern of antenna is $U = B_0 \sin^3 \theta$. Calculate the overall maximum gain of the antenna.

9 L2 CO4 PO2

- c. Analyze the radiation mechanism for the following:

(i) Single-wire using electromagnetic radiation equation

(ii) Two-wires and Dipole

9 L4 CO2 PO2

UNIT - IV**18**

- 4 a. Derive the equation for magnetic field Vector A and electric field components due to infinitesimal dipole antenna.

9 L4 CO3 PO2

- b. Derive an array factor and HPBW expression in case of linear array of ‘n’ isotropic point source of equal amplitude and spacing.

9 L4 CO4 PO2

- c. Derive an expression for Power density and radiation resistance of infinitesimal dipole.

9 L4 CO4 PO2

UNIT - V**18**

- 5 a. Analyze the following for rectangular microstrip patch antenna with related equation and diagrams;

(i) Effective length and width

(ii) Resonant frequency

(iii) Design procedure

9 L4 CO5 PO3

- b. With a neat diagram, explain the working principle of Helical antenna along with the design procedure.

9 L4 CO5 PO3

- c. Discuss the design of dipole array with design equation and its design procedure.

9 L4 CO5 PO3

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