

Code: EC5T2

**III B.Tech - I Semester–Regular/Supplementary Examinations
March 2021**

**TRANSMISSION LINES AND WAVE GUIDES
(ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING)**

Duration: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART – A

Answer *all* the questions. All questions carry equal marks

11x 2 = 22 M

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- a) Draw the equivalent circuit of a transmission line and list out the different components.
- b) Discuss the conditions for lossless transmission lines.
- c) Explain phase and group velocities.
- d) Explain reflection coefficient and voltage standing wave ratio.
- e) A lossy cable which has $R = 2.25 \Omega/m$, $L = 1.0\mu H/m$, $C = 1 \text{ pF/m}$ and $G = 0$ operates at $f = 0.5 \text{ GHz}$. Calculate the attenuation constant of the line.
- f) Mention the different applications of smith chart.
- g) List out the Maxwell's equations for time varying fields in integral form.
- h) Calculate the broad wall dimension of a rectangular waveguide when the cut-off frequency for TE_{10} mode is 3 GHz.

- i) List out any two propagation parameters of TE and TM waves in rectangular waveguides.
- j) Explain evanescent wave or mode.
- k) Explain any two excitation methods for different TE and TM waves/modes.

PART – B

Answer any **THREE** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

$$3 \times 16 = 48 \text{ M}$$

- 2. a) With necessary conditions derive the transmission line equations. 8 M

- b) Explain phase and group velocities. Explain different types of loading. 8 M

- 3. a) What is characteristic impedance. Derive the relation between reflection coefficient, load and characteristic impedance. 8 M

- b) A lossless transmission line is terminated with a load impedance of $30 - j23\Omega$. Calculate the phase constant and the reflection coefficient of a line 50m. characteristic impedance $Z_0 = 50\Omega$ and wavelength of the line is 0.45m. 8 M

4. a) Discuss the steps involved in the design of single stub matching. 8 M
- b) Explain in detail about the quarter wave transformer. 8 M
5. a) Explain the field components for TE waves in a rectangular waveguide. 8 M
- b) A rectangular waveguide with dimensions of 3 x 2 cm operates at 10 GHz. Calculate the cut-off frequency, wavelength, cut-off wavelength, guided wavelength, phase constant and phase velocity of TE_{10} mode. 8 M
6. a) Explain the salient features of circular waveguides. 8 M
- b) Explain briefly about the dominant mode, degenerate mode and quality factor of a rectangular cavity resonator. 8 M