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III B.Tech. II Semester Supplementary Examinations May/June 2024

Microwave Engineering

(Electronics and Communication Engineering)

Max. Marks: 70

Time: 3 Hours

Answer any five questions from the following (5 x 14 = 70 Marks)

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UNIT-I

1. a) Derive the expressions for Cut-off frequency, Propagation constant and Characteristic Wave Impedance for TE Mode in rectangular waveguide. 7M 1
- b) What inner radius do you need for an air-filled cylindrical pipe to propagate TE₁₁ wave at 6 GHz with operating frequency 20% above f_c . What is guide wavelength? 7M 1

OR

2. a) Derive the expressions for Power Transmission for Dominant Mode in rectangular waveguide. 7M 1
- b) For FR4 substrate ($\epsilon_r = 4.4$) of height $h=1.6$ mm, find the value of microstrip width W , Effective dielectric constant and characteristic impedance. 7M 1

UNIT-II

3. a) What are TE _{m n} and TM _{n m} modes w.r.t a circular waveguide. Sketch the dominant modes. 7M 2
- b) A cylindrical wave guide has an inner radius of 2 cm. find the cutoff frequency for the guide operating in TE₁₁ mode. Calculate λ_g and Z_{TE} at 10 GHz ($\lambda_0 = 3$ cm) 7M 2

OR

4. Derive the Q for TM₁₁₁ mode of rectangular cavity assuming lossy conducting walls and lossless dielectric. 14M 2

UNIT-III

5. a) What is a scattering matrix? What are various properties of S matrix? 7M 3
- b) Explain why H-Plane Tee Junction is called Current Junction along with power flow directions. 7M 3

OR

6. a) What are the Properties of Ferrites and explain how different phase shift of left and right circularly polarized waves (LCPW and RCPW) occurs due Faraday rotation. 7M 3
- b) With a neat schematic diagram explain why 180° phase shift occurs in forward direction and zero in the backward direction only in two-port Gyrator. 7M 3

UNIT-IV

7. a) How the oscillations are generated in reflex klystron and explain bunching process with apple gate diagram. 7M 4
- b) Derive the equation of efficiency for a reflex klystron oscillator 7M 4

OR

8. a) What are the different modes of operation of TWT and explain them? 7M 4
- b) How cross-field is used to generate oscillations in Magnetron and derive the Hull cut-off condition? 7M 4

UNIT-V

9. a) Explain Two Valley Theory (RWH Theory) and modes of operation of GUNN diode. 7M 5
- b) Describe the operation of IMPATT diode 7M 5

OR

10. a) Using microwave test bench setup ,Explain the measurement of
i) Power ii) Q-factor 7M 5
- b) In Gunn diode's transit domain mode, the domain velocity is equal to the carrier drift velocity and is about 10^7 cm/sec. Determine the drift length of a diode at a frequency of 8 GHz 7M 5
