

PHY-554

Microwave Devices and Communication System

M. Sc. Physics (MSCPHY-12/13/16/17)

Second Year, Examination, 2018

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Note : This paper is of **eighty (80)** marks containing **three (03)** Sections A, B and C. Attempt the questions contained in these Sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

Section-A

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section 'A' contains four (04) long answer type questions of nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer *two* (02) questions only.

1. Discuss in needs of S-parameter and derive S-matrix of hybrid tee.
2. Deduce an expression for the induced electromotive force in a loop antenna. Discuss its application as direction finder.
3. What is Faraday's rotation ? Describe the construction and working of isolator.
4. What is negative resistance devices ? Explain the operation of tunnel diode as microwave amplifier.

Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section 'B' contains eight (08) short answer type questions of eight (08) marks each. Learners are required to answer *four* (04) questions only.

1. What is modulation and demodulation ? Why is frequency modulation better than amplitude modulation ?
2. Determine whether a signal at 10 Gc/s will propagate in the $TE_{1,0}$ mode in a rectangular waveguide of dimensions $1'' \times 0.5''$ filled with air. Find phase constant.
3. Explain parametric amplifier.
4. Define Doppler effect and derive an expression for the Doppler frequency shift.
5. Discuss the cut-off wavelength and cut-off frequency of TE mode in cylindrical waveguides.
6. Write a short note on rat race ring.
7. Derive the expressions for output power and efficiency of two cavity Klystron amplifier.
8. Briefly describe the ratio detector.

Section-C

(Objective Type Questions)

Note : Section 'C' contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (1) mark each. All the questions of this Section are compulsory.

Fill in the blanks of the following :

1. The value of S_{12} in a E-plane tee is
2. The band width of Zoned lens antenna is

3. Gyrator produces a phase shift of
4. For low attenuation, the best transmission medium is
5. is a microwave device in which the frequency of operation is determined by the biasing field strength.

Choose correct alternative :

6. The biggest advantage of the TRAPATT diode over the IMPATT diode is its :
 - (a) higher efficiency
 - (b) lower noise
 - (c) ability to operate at higher frequencies
 - (d) lesser sensitivity to harmonics
7. The Reflex Klystron can be used as :
 - (a) amplifier only
 - (b) oscillator only
 - (c) both amplifier and oscillator
 - (d) None of these
8. Which type of modulation causes envelope distortion of a base band signal ?
 - (a) Amplitude modulation
 - (b) Frequency modulation
 - (c) Angle modulation
 - (d) Phase modulation
9. Waveguides are used mainly for microwave signals because :
 - (a) they depend on straight-line propagation which applies to microwaves only

- (b) losses would be too heavy at lower frequencies
- (c) there are no generators powerful enough to excite them at lower frequencies
- (d) they would be too bulky at lower frequencies

10. The attenuator in the TWT is used for :

- (a) help focusing
- (b) prevent saturation
- (c) prevent oscillation
- (d) increase gain