

B.E./B.TECH. Degree Examination, December 2020

Fifth Semester

**EC18504 - TRANSMISSION LINES AND WAVEGUIDES**

(Regulation 2018)

Time: Three hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Answer **ALL** questions**PART A - (8 X 2 = 16 marks)**

1. The characteristic impedance of a transmission line with impedance and admittance of 16 and 9 respectively is
  - a) 25
  - b) 1.33
  - c) 7
  - d) 0.75
2. The leakage current in the transmission lines is referred to as the
  - a) Resistance
  - b) Radiation
  - c) Conductance
  - d) Polarisation
3. Which primary parameter is uniformly distributed along the length of the conductor?
  - a) G
  - b) C
  - c) L
  - d) R
4. A filter that passes all frequencies lying outside a certain range, while it attenuates all frequencies between the two designated frequencies is called?
  - a) low pass filter
  - b) high pass filter
  - c) band elimination filter
  - d) band pass filter
5. How transmission line could be modeled using T sections?
6. Find L and C of air spaced coaxial line having  $b/a=10$  at 40 Megacycles.
7. Differentiate free space wavelength and guide wavelength.
8. Discuss on the significance of dominant modes and specify the mode for rectangular waveguide.

**PART B - (4 X16 = 64 marks)**

9. (a) Design m-derived Low pass filter(both T and  $\pi$  section)having  $R_o= 500\Omega$ ,cutoff ( 16 )  
frequency 1500 Hz and frequency of infinite attenuation at 2000Hz

**(OR)**

- (b) Elaborate on the significance of characteristic impedance, attenuation and phase ( 16 )  
shift values in the design of filters.
10. (a) The characteristic impedance of a 805 km long line is  $94 \angle -23.2^\circ \Omega$ ,the value of ( 16 )  
attenuation constant is  $74. \times 10^{-6} \text{ N}$  and phase shift constant is  $174 \times 10^{-6} \text{ rad/m}$  at  
5 KHz. Calculate the primary constants and the phase velocity.

**(OR)**

- (b) Derive and discuss on the parameters of a transmission lines. ( 16 )
11. (a) Justify that voltages and currents on a transmission line at high frequencies ( 16 )  
ensures dissipationless transmissions.

**(OR)**

- (b) A generator of 1V/1KHz supplies power to a 100km transmission line terminated ( 16 )  
in  $200\Omega$  resistance. The line parameters are  $R=10\Omega/\text{km}$ ,  $L=3.8\text{mH}/\text{km}$ ,  
 $G=1\mu\text{S}/\text{km}$ , $C=0.0085\mu\text{F}/\text{km}$ .Calculate the input impedance, VSWR,  $V_{\max}$  ,  $V_{\min}$   
and reflection coefficient.
12. (a) An antenna as a load on the transmission line produces standing waves with SWR ( 16 )  
2.8 where  $V_{\min}$  occurs at  $0.12\lambda$  from antenna terminals. Find antenna impedance,  
reflection factor and reflection loss at antenna if  $R_o =300\Omega$  for the line.

**(OR)**

- (b) Derive the smith chart equations and elaborate on the axes in it. ( 16 )