

B.Sc. ELECTRONICS
Fifth Semester
MICROWAVE THEORY
(BSE - 22)

Duration: 3Hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Part-A (Objective) =20
Part-B (Descriptive) =50

(PART-B: Descriptive)

Duration: 2 hrs. 40 mins.

Marks: 50

Answer any *five* of the following questions:

1. (a) Derive the equation $\frac{1}{\lambda_0^2} = \frac{1}{\lambda_c^2} + \frac{1}{\lambda_g^2}$
(b) A wave is propagating in a parallel plate guide operating in TE_{10} mode at a frequency of 6 GHz . The separation between the plates is 5 cm . Find:
(i) the cut off wavelength
(ii) wavelength within guide
(iii) group and phase velocity.

(5+5=10)
2. (a) What is magnetron? Explain the working principle of magnetron.
(b) Explain the process of velocity modulation.

(5+5=10)
3. (a) Find the greatest number of half waves of electric intensity with which it may be possible to propagate a signal of 10 GHz in a waveguide whose wall separation is 0.05 m . Calculate the guide wavelength for this mode of propagation.
(b) Explain the operation of TWT with a suitable schematic diagram.

(5+5=10)
4. (a) Explain the working principle of Gunn diode. State how domain is formed in Gunn diode.
(b) Write short notes on: (any *two*)
a) Negative resistance b) Avalanche break down c) π mode oscillation

(6+4=10)

5. (a) What is IMPATT diode? Explain the working principle of IMPATT diode.
(b) Write short notes on:
a) Varactor diode b) TRAPATT
(6+4=10)
6. (a) Explain with diagram basic principles of RADAR.
(b) Derive RADAR range equation.
(5+5=10)
7. (a) Derive current and voltage equations of transmission line.
(b) Define SWR. Write the mathematical expression for it.
(6+4=10)
8. (a) Explain with diagram operation of PIN diode.
(b) Explain the operation of reflex Klystron with the aid of a suitable schematic diagram; indicate the polarity of the voltages applied to the various electrodes.
(5+5=10)

10. Cut off frequency expression for parallel plate wave guide is:

$$(a) \frac{1}{\lambda_0^2} = \frac{1}{\lambda_c^2} + \frac{1}{\lambda_g^2}$$

$$(b) \frac{1}{\lambda_c^2} = \frac{1}{\lambda_0^2} + \frac{1}{\lambda_g^2}$$

$$(c) \frac{1}{\lambda_g^2} = \frac{1}{\lambda_c^2} + \frac{1}{\lambda_0^2}$$

$$(d) \frac{1}{\lambda_c^2} = \frac{1}{\lambda_g^2} + \frac{1}{\lambda_0^2}$$

11. Π -mode is supported in:

- a) Magnetron
- b) Klystron
- c) TWT
- d) both a) and b)

12. RADAR uses:

- a) antenna
- b) duplexer
- c) only antenna
- d) both a) and b)

13. Electrons in Reflex Klystron are captured at repeller end by:

- a) buncher cavity
- b) catcher cavity
- c) resonant cavity
- d) none of the above

14. Which one of the following is not a microwave semiconductor device?

- a) Magnetron
- b) TRAPATT
- c) IMPATT
- d) Schottky diode

15. Intrinsic impedance of free space is:

- a) 376Ω
- b) 377Ω
- c) 375Ω
- d) none of the above

16. Which of the following statements are true for a transmission line parameters R , L , G and C ?

- a) R and L are series elements.
- b) G and C are shunt elements.
- c) both R and G depend on conductivity of the conductors forming the line.
- d) only R depends explicitly on frequency.

17. Signals coming back from RADAR target is known as:

- a) echos
- b) reflected signal
- c) pulse
- d) none of the above

18. VSWR is used for calculating:

- a) voltage ratio
- b) current ratio
- c) pulse ratio
- d) none of the above

19. Calculation of λ value is carried out using:

- a) slotted line
- b) attenuator
- c) matched load
- d) none of the above

20. Which one of the following is correct?

- a) Wave velocity is greater than group velocity.
- b) Group velocity is greater than wave velocity.
- c) Wave velocity is equal to group velocity.
- d) None of the above.
