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ANALOG COMMUNICATIONS

Common to Electronics And Telematics, Electronics And Communication Engineering

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 80

Answer any FIVE Questions  
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4. (a) Distinguish between simple AGC and delayed AGC.  
(b) Draw a block diagram of a superheterodyne receiver and explain the function of each stage.  
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