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ANTENNA & WAVE PROPAGATION

Subject Code: BTEEE-801 M.Code: 71962

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

1. Answer briefly:

- a. Define polarization and polarization loss factor.
- b. Define radiation pattern. What is the directivity (dB) for monopole antenna?
- c. What is the function of parasitic elements in a Yagi Uda array?
- d. Derive the relationship between effective height and effective aperture.
- e. Define antenna field zones.
- f. Differentiate between lens antenna and reflector antenna.
- g. Explain the radiation mechanism in dipole antenna.
- h. What is space wave or tropospheric wave propagation?
- i. What do you mean by pattern multiplication?
- j. What is radio horizon? How it is different from optical horizon?



SECTION-B

- 2. An antenna radiates isotropically in all direction. If E = 100 mV/m (rms) at a distance of 1 km, find
 - a. Power radiated
 - b. Power received by an antenna, has an effective aperture of 200 cm² located at 200 m away from the transmitting antenna,
- 3. Calculate the exact directivity. of a unidirectional antenna if the normalized power pattern is given by a) $P_n = \cos^3 \theta$ b) $P_n = \cos^2 \theta$. in all cases these patterns are unidirectional (in + Z direction) with having Pn having a value only for Zenith angle $0 \le \theta \le 90$ and with $P_n = 0$ for $90 \le \theta \le 180$. The patterns are independent of the azimuth angle θ .
- 4. Find the array factor for an array of two isotropic elements in which the elements are separated by a distance of 15 cm and the elements are excited with uniform current and in same phase at 1 GHz. Also plot the array factor.
- 5. Calculate the beam width, directivity and gain of a 15 cm × 10 cm pyramidal horn antenna which is operating at 10 GHz. Assume aperture efficiency is 50 %.
- 6. The sky wave reflects from an ionospheric layer which has an altitude of 400 km and refractive index as 0.9 at 9 MHz. Find out the skip distance for which MUF is 9MHz. Neglect earth's curvature.

SECTION-C

- 7. Derive the expressions for the directivity of Hansen-Woodyard array.
- 8. Drive the fields radiated from a half wave dipole with sinusoidal in phase current distribution over its length.
- 9. Write short notes on following:
 - a. Layer structure of Ionosphere
 - b. Duct propagation

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