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MICROWAVE ENGINEERING

(ECE)

[Time: 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 70]

Note: This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 20 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

PART-A

(20 Marks)

1. a) Name the different Electromagnetic frequency spectrum region and microwave band designations for CCIR/IEEE/US military bands. [2M]
- b) Determine the cut – off frequency of the dominant mode for an air filled rectangular WG when $a/b = 2$ with $a = 4\text{cm}$. [2M]
- c) Explain about circulator. [2M]
- d) What is a Magic Tee? Why it is called as Magic Tee? [2M]
- e) Write any two application of two-cavity klystron. [2M]
- f) Write the Major differences between the TWT and the klystron. [2M]
- g) Tabulate the cross-field electron tubes. [2M]
- h) Discuss various operating mode of Gunn diodes. [2M]
- i) Explain the principle of E Plane. [2M]
- j) State the various methods for measuring attenuation. [2M]

PART-B

(50 Marks)

2. What are the advantages and applications of microwave frequencies? Discuss in detail. [10M]
- OR**
3. Derive the expressions for cut off frequency, phase constant, group velocity, phase velocity and wave impedance in rectangular waveguide, for TE modes. [10M]
4. Prove that a cavity resonator is nothing but an LC circuit. [10M]

OR

5. Write short notes on:
 - a. Tuning Screws [4M]
 - b. Tuning Posts [3M]
 - c. Phase Shifters [3M]
6. A reflex klystron operates at the peak mode of $n = 2$ with Beam voltage: Beam current: Signal voltage: $V_o = 300\text{ V}$ $I_o = 20\text{ mA}$ $V_i = 40\text{ V}$ Determine:
 - a. The input power in watts [4M]
 - b. The output power in watts [3M]
 - c. The efficiency [3M]

OR

7. Draw and Explain the working of Helix Traveling-Wave Tube. [10M]

8. Draw and Explain the schematic diagram of a cylindrical magnetron oscillator [10M]

OR

9. An n-type GaAs GUNN diode has the following specifications: [10M]

Threshold field 3kV/cm

Applied field 3.5 kV/cm

Device length 10 micrometers

Doping constant 10^{14} electrons/cm³

Operating frequency 10 GHz

Calculate the current density (-ve) and electron mobility in the device.

10. Discuss in detail how a Magic Tee can be used as an Isolator. [10M]

OR

11. Discuss VSWR measurement in detail. [10M]
