

2021

**ELECTRONICS — HONOURS**

**Paper : DSE-B-1**

**(Biomedical Instrumentation)**

**Full Marks : 50**

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as far as practicable.*

Answer **question no. 1** and **any four** from the rest.

1. Answer **any ten** questions :

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- (a) Change in resonant frequency of QCM is proportional to
- (i) mass accumulated in crystal.
  - (ii) crystal used.
  - (iii) time of usage.
  - (iv) charge accumulated in crystal.
- (b) CT stands for
- (i) Controlled Tomography
  - (ii) Computerised Tomography
  - (iii) Converted Tomography
  - (iv) Comparison Tomography.
- (c) \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ type transducers are very common.
- (i) Mechanical and chemical
  - (ii) Peizo-electric and photoelectric
  - (iii) Electromagnetic and magnetic
  - (iv) None of these.
- (d) How many leads are normally used for ECG detection?
- (i) 4
  - (ii) 8
  - (iii) 12
  - (iv) 14
- (e) Process of changing resting potential to action potential is known as
- (i) Polarization
  - (ii) Re-polarization
  - (iii) Depolarization
  - (iv) Unipolarization.
- (f) Impedance Pneumography is an indirect technique for the measurement of \_\_\_\_\_ .
- (i) Heart rate
  - (ii) Pulse rate
  - (iii) Respiration rate
  - (iv) Blood flow rate.

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- (g) Which of the following is used in tomography?
- (i) X ray
  - (ii) Gamma ray
  - (iii) UV ray
  - (iv) IR radiation.
- (h) For hydrogen nuclei in a typical 1.5T MRI field, the resonant frequency is approximately
- (i) 64 MHz
  - (ii) 68 MHz
  - (iii) 46 MHz
  - (iv) 86 MHz.
- (i) Which transducer is normally used for temperature measurement in a patient monitoring system?
- (i) Thyristor
  - (ii) Thermistor
  - (iii) Thermocouple
  - (iv) Thermometer.
- (j) Oximeter is used to measure \_\_\_\_\_ level of blood.
- (i) HbO<sub>2</sub>
  - (ii) SpO<sub>2</sub>
  - (iii) SaO<sub>2</sub>
  - (iv) H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>
- (k) What is the frequency of operation of solid-state diathermy machines?
- (i) 250 kHz to 1 MHz
  - (ii) 200 kHz to 2 MHz
  - (iii) 150 kHz to 250 kHz
  - (iv) 250 Hz to 100 kHz.
- (l) Which of the following have higher action potential propagation rate?
- (i) Heart muscle
  - (ii) Nerve cell
  - (iii) Thigh muscle
  - (iv) All of these.
2. (a) Describe the origin of bioelectric signals.
- (b) Draw a typical cell potential waveform, label it properly and explain the phenomena of depolarization and repolarization. 2+(2+2+2+2)
3. (a) Define a 'Photoelectric Transducer'.
- (b) What are the types of photoelectric cells?
- (c) Illustrate the principle of a photo-multiplier with the help of a diagram. 2+3+5
4. (a) Explain, in detail, the input circuit of a cardiac monitor.
- (b) Describe the importance of the following features :
- (i) Electrosurgery interference filter
  - (ii) Leads off detector
  - (iii) Quick recovery circuit. 4+(2+2+2)

5. (a) Describe the various scanning techniques used in computed tomography.  
(b) What is helical scanning in computed tomography? What is its advantage?  
(c) Explain the function of sliprings. 2+(2+2)+4
6. (a) What is the function of a safety analyser?  
(b) Explain with the help of a block diagram the method for measurement of chassis leakage current. 3+(3+4)
7. (a) Explain the principle of heating using microwaves.  
(b) Describe the working of microwave diathermy machine with the help of a block diagram. 4+(4+2)
8. (a) What is the function of a ventilator?  
(b) How many types of ventilators are there? Explain with the help of diagrams. 3+(3+4)
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**Paper : DSE-B-2**

**(Transmission Lines, Antenna and Microwave Devices)**

**Full Marks : 50**

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as far as practicable.*

**Question no. 1** is compulsory and answer **any four** from the rest.

1. Answer **any ten** questions : 1×10
- (a) Indicate the false statement. The SWR on a transmission line is infinity; the line is terminated in
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| (i) a short circuit.   | (ii) a complex impedance. |
| (iii) an open circuit. | (iv) a pure reactance.    |
- (b) The velocity factor of a transmission line
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| (i) depends upon the dielectric constant of the material used. | (ii) increased the velocity along the transmission line. |
| (iii) is governed by the skin effect.                          | (iv) is higher for a solid dielectric than for air.      |
- (c) A distortionless line is one in which the attenuation constant  $\alpha$  is independent of
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| (i) Frequency of operation | (ii) Length of line |
| (iii) Material of the line | (iv) Conductivity.  |
- (d) An evanescent mode occurs when
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| (i) a wave is attenuated rather than propagated.       | (ii) the propagation constant is purely imaginary.            |
| (iii) $m = 0 = n$ so that all field components vanish. | (iv) the wave frequency is the same as the cut-off frequency. |
- (e) When a particular mode is excited in a waveguide there appears an extra electric field component in the direction of propagation. The resulting mode is
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| (i) Transverse-Electric | (ii) Transverse-Magnetic         |
| (iii) Longitudinal      | (iv) Transverse-Electromagnetic. |

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- (f) The wavelength of a wave in a waveguide is
- (i) greater than that in free space.
  - (ii) dependent on the waveguide dimensions and the free space wavelength.
  - (iii) inversely proportional to the phase velocity.
  - (iv) directly proportional to the group velocity.
- (g) Which of the following is not an omnidirectional antenna?
- (i) Half wave antenna
  - (ii) Log – periodic
  - (iii) Discone
  - (iv) Marconi.
- (h) Which of the following antenna is best excited from a waveguide?
- (i) Bi-conical
  - (ii) Horn
  - (iii) Helical
  - (iv) Discone.
- (i) Frequencies in the UHF range normally propagate by means of
- (i) Ground waves
  - (ii) Sky waves
  - (iii) Surface waves
  - (iv) Space waves.
- (j) Tropospheric scatter is used with frequencies in the following range :
- (i) HF
  - (ii) VHF
  - (iii) UHF
  - (iv) VLF.
- (k) The multicavity klystron
- (i) is not a good low-level amplifier because of noise.
  - (ii) has a high repeller voltage to ensure a rapid transit time.
  - (iii) is not suitable for pulsed operation.
  - (iv) needs a long transit time through the buncher cavity to ensure current modulation.
- (l) The attenuator is used in the travelling wave tube (TWT) to
- (i) help bunching.
  - (ii) prevent oscillation.
  - (iii) prevent saturation.
  - (iv) increase gain.
2. (a) Define characteristic impedance of a transmission line. When the input impedance of a transmission line is equal to its characteristic impedance?
- (b) Briefly describe the three different types of losses present in transmission lines.
- (c) What are the characteristics of TEM waves? (2+2)+3+3

3. (a) Define the term standing – wave – ratio. What is the formula for it if the load is purely resistive? Why is a high value of SWR often undesirable?
- (b) What do you understand by impedance transformation in a transmission line? Write down formula for impedance transformation for an open transmission line.
- (c) What is the characteristic impedance of an air-filled coaxial cable having inner and outer diameters 0.25 cm and 0.75 cm respectively?
- (d) What is radiation resistance? (1+1+1)+(2+1)+3+1
4. (a) The smaller dimension of a rectangular waveguide is half of the larger dimension. Why?
- (b) A rectangular waveguide acts as a filter — Explain. Define degenerate and non-degenerate modes in waveguide.
- (c) Show that in a rectangular waveguide operating in  $TE_{10}$  mode, the cut-off frequency is given by  $f_c = c / 2a\sqrt{\epsilon_r}$ , where  $\epsilon_r$  is relative permittivity of the medium. 2+(3+2)+3
5. (a) Define the terms bandwidth, beamwidth and polarization in connection to an antenna.
- (b) A half wave dipole antenna is capable of radiating 1 KW and has a 2.15 dB gain over an isotropic antenna. How much power must be delivered to the isotropic (omnidirectional) antenna, to match the field strength of directional antenna? (2+2+2)+4
6. (a) Define the radiation resistance of an antenna. What is the significance of this quantity?
- (b) Define field intensity of an antenna. On what factors does it depend?
- (c) A dipole antenna ( $l = \lambda / 8$ ) operating at 400 MHz is used to send a message to a satellite in space. Find the radiation resistance of the antenna. (2+2)+(2+1)+3
7. (a) Briefly describe the following terms connected with sky wave propagation :  
virtual height, critical frequency, fading.
- (b) Briefly describe ground wave propagation. What is the angle of tilt? (2+2+2)+(3+1)
8. (a) Briefly explain the operation of a reflex klystron oscillator. Why is the transit time so important in this device?
- (b) Write short note (*any one*) :
- (i) Magnetron
- (ii) Gunn diode
- (iii) Travelling Wave tube. (4+2)+4
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