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# G12404 ANTENNAS AND MICROWAVE ENGINEERING

# **MODEL QUESTION PAPER**

## Time : 3 Hours

Max.Marks: 100

# Instructions:

- 1. Group A and Group B questions should be answered in the Main Answer book.
- 2. Answer any <u>TEN</u> questions in Group A. Each question carries two marks.
- 3. Answer <u>ALL</u> questions either (a) subdivision or (b) subdivision in **Group B**. Each question carries 14 marks.

## Group – A

Marks: 10 x 3 = 30

- 1. What is the Radiation resistance of an antenna it radiates a power of 120w and the current in it is 10amps.
- 2. Is antenna a transducer? Justify your answer.
- 3. How the EM wave radiation is done through the single wire?
- 4. How to analyze the regions of log-periodic antenna?
- 5. Calculate the  $\lambda$  and tilt angle of Rhombic antenna to operate at 20MHz if the elevation angle is 20<sup>0</sup>.
- 6. What are the microwave antennas? Mention the advantages of the microwave antennas.
- 7. How does the transit time effect affect the high frequency amplifying devices?
- 8. List the application and limitations of the reflex klystron.
- 9. How does the function of the magnetic field in a TWT differ from its function in a magnetron?
- 10. Discuss the high frequency limitation of transistor comparing with vacuum tubes.
- 11. What are the types of parametric amplifier?
- 12. Using energy band diagrams, mention the tunnel diode characteristics.
- 13. Calculate the VSWR in db in a waveguide when the load is 3dB.
- 14. Mention the salient features of magic tee.
- 15. What are the components required for measuring the microwave frequencies?

## Group– B

Marks:  $5 \times 14 = 70$ 

16. a) Find the directivity ,efficiency & effective area of an antenna if its  $R_r=80\Omega$ ,  $R_l=10\Omega$ , power gain is 10dB & antenna operates at a frequency of 100MHz.

#### (OR)

- b) Give the expression for the following:
- 1) Radiation pattern 2) Beam solid angle 3) Beam width
- 4) Directivity 5) Effective aperture
- 17.a) Explain in detail about the yagi-uda antenna and Derive the antenna parameters. **(OR)**

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- b) How does the micro-strip antenna differ from other antennas? Explain the Micro strip antenna with neat sketch.
- 18. a) With the suitable sketches ,discuss the materials, construction & characteristics of microwave varactors.

#### (OR)

- b) Sketch a gunn diode construction and describe it briefly.
- 19. a) Explain the operation of the reflex klystron oscillator. Why is the transit time so important in this devices?

#### (OR)

- b) Discuss briefly three methods of beam forming in TWT.
- 20. a) How to measure the VSWR? Explain the measurement procedure in detail.

#### (OR)

b) i) Explain the Isolators and circulators. ii) How to measure the insertion loss and isolation of isolator and circulators? (9)