

EVEN SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2023 – 24
4th year B.Tech. – Electronics & Communication Engineering
Wireless Communications

Duration: 3:00 hrs

Max Marks: 100

Note: - Attempt all questions. All Questions carry equal marks. In case of any ambiguity or missing data, the same may be assumed and state the assumption made in the answer.

Q 1.	<p>Answer any four parts of the following.</p> <p>a) Explain how multipath propagation affects signal quality. What techniques can be employed to mitigate its adverse effects ?</p> <p>b) What are the components of a wireless communication link? Explain in short.</p> <p>c) What is the working principle of Cellular Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA)? What are its advantages compared to other multiple access techniques?</p> <p>d) Explain the concept and importance of transmit diversity with example.</p> <p>e) Define the different types of diversity in wireless communication. Explain how diversity improves communication reliability in fading environments.</p> <p>f) Explain the different modes of wireless communication.</p>	5x4=20
Q 2.	<p>Answer any four parts of the following.</p> <p>a) Explain the spectrum limitations in wireless communication and describe the spectrum management strategies to address these limitations.</p> <p>b) Write the difference between QPSK and BFSK.</p> <p>c) Describe the concept of power control in Spread Spectrum Systems.</p> <p>d) What are narrowband and wideband models in wireless communication?</p> <p>e) What is the difference between macrodiversity and microdiversity in wireless communication systems.</p> <p>f) Explain the various types of channels used in wireless communication.</p>	5x4=20
Q 3.	<p>Answer any two parts of the following.</p> <p>a) Describe the different types of services provided by wireless communication systems and also write their specific requirements.</p> <p>b) Explain the advantages and limitations of selection diversity, maximal ratio combining (MRC), and equal gain combining (EGC).</p> <p>c) Explain how multipath propagation affects signal reception, interference, and system performance in CDMA networks.</p>	10x2=20
Q 4.	<p>Answer any two parts of the following.</p> <p>a) Explain the Path Loss Components in wireless communication.</p> <p>b) Describe the principles of OFDM and its application in various wireless communication standards.</p> <p>c) Write the difference between block codes, convolutional codes, and turbo codes and also explain the principles and algorithms used in speech coding for efficient voice transmission over wireless channels.</p>	10x2=20
Q 5.	<p>Answer any two parts of the following.</p> <p>a) Calculate the link budget for a wireless communication link operating at a frequency of 2.4 GHz with the following parameters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Transmit power: 20 dBm - Antenna gain at transmitter: 5 dBi 	10x2=20

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Antenna gain at receiver: 3 dBi - Receiver sensitivity: -90 dBm - Path loss exponent: 3.5 - Distance between transmitter and receiver: 1 km - System losses (including cable losses, connector losses, etc.): 3 dB <p>Assume no additional losses or gains in the propagation path.</p> <p>b) Explain the principles and characteristics of MSK and GMSK modulation techniques and also write their advantages over other modulation schemes in wireless communication.</p> <p>c) Explain the fundamental principles that enable efficient and reliable wireless communication over a wide area. Additionally, compare at least two multiple access schemes used in wireless communication.</p>	
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