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Course: Fields and Waves
Course Code: 15ES3GCFAW

Duration: 3 hrs
Max Marks: 100
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Instructions: Answer FIVE FULL questions, choosing one from each unit.

UNIT 1

- 1 a Define Electric field intensity. Derive the expression for field at a point due to many charges. **10**
- b Calculate the divergence of vector D at the points specified if, **10**
 - i) $\mathbf{D} = 1/z^2 [10xyz \mathbf{a}_x + 5x^2z \mathbf{a}_y + (2z^3 - 5x^2y) \mathbf{a}_z]$ at P (-2,3,5).
 - ii) $\mathbf{D} = 5z^2 \mathbf{a}_r + 10rz \mathbf{a}_z$ at P (3, -45°, 5).

OR

- 2 a Derive the expression for energy Density in an electric field **10**
- b Find E and J corresponding to a drift velocity of 6.0×10^{-4} m/s in the case of silver conductor using the data: $\sigma_{\text{silver}} = 61.7 \times 10^6$ S/m and mobility $\mu_{\text{silver}} = 5.6 \times 10^{-3}$ H/m **5**
- c At the boundary between glass ($\epsilon_r = 4$) and air, the lines of electric field make an angle of 40° with normal to the boundary. If electric flux density in air is $0.25 \mu\text{C}/\text{m}^2$, determine the orientation and magnitude of electric flux density in glass. **5**

UNIT 2

- 3 a State and prove Biot-Savart's Law. **6**
- b Given vector magnetic potential $\mathbf{A} = x^2 \mathbf{a}_x + 2yz \mathbf{a}_y + (-x^2) \mathbf{a}_z$, find the magnetic flux Density. **7**
- c Derive the boundary condition for tangential component of H in a steady magnetic field. **7**

UNIT 3

- 4 a State and explain Faraday's law in integral and point form. **8**
- b List the Maxwell's equations in point and integral form for time varying fields. **8**
- c Given $\mathbf{E} = E_m \sin(\omega t - \beta z) \mathbf{a}_y$ in free space, calculate B. **4**

UNIT 4

- 5 a Starting from Maxwell's equations obtain the general wave equation in electric and magnetic fields. **6**
- b State and prove Poynting theorem **8**
- c Determine i) attenuation constant ii) wavelength and iii) intrinsic impedance for a **6**

good conductor at a frequency of 1MHz given that $\epsilon_r = 12$, $\mu_r = 1$ and conductivity $\sigma = 20 \times 10^{-3}$ s/m.

UNIT 5

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| 6 | a | Define the terms i) Reflection coefficient and ii) Transmission coefficient. Also derive the relation between them. | 8 |
| | b | Write a short note on SWR. | 6 |
| | c | Given $\Gamma = 0.5$, $\eta_1 = 100\Omega$, $\eta_2 = 300\Omega$, $E_i = 100$ V/m. Calculate values of average power for the incident, reflected and transmitted wave. | 6 |

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| 7 | a | Derive the general expression for plane wave propagation in any arbitrary directions. | 8 |
| | b | Write a short note on Brewster angle. | 6 |
| | c | An electromagnetic wave traveling in free space is incident on a dielectric medium with relative dielectric constant equal to 2 at an angle of 45° . Find the angle by which E tilts as the wave crosses the boundary. | 6 |
